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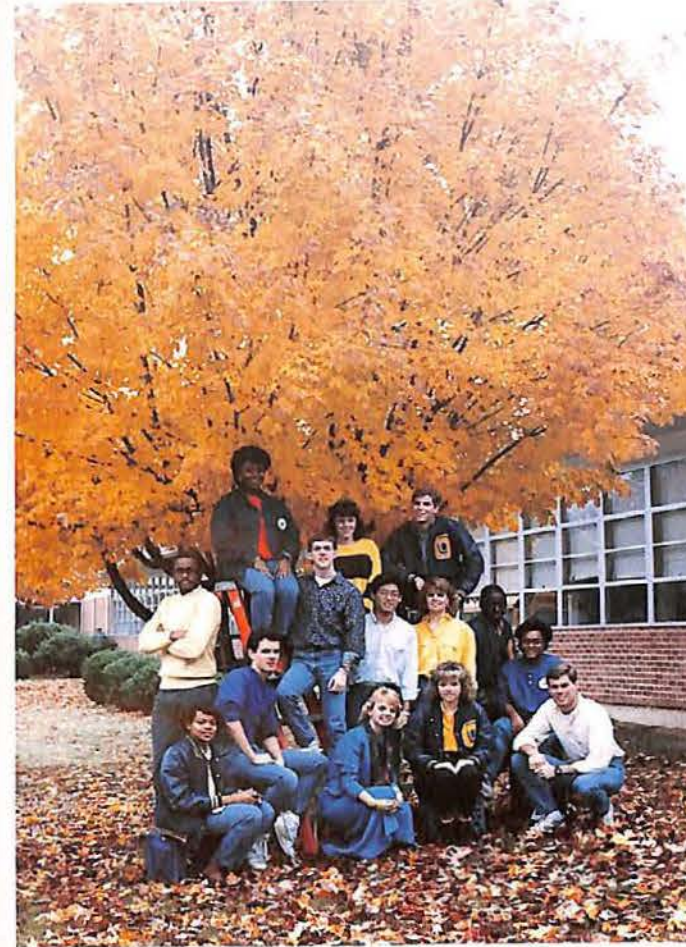
# FLASH BACK

1. a sudden, brief light or flame: a flash of lightning. 2. a sudden, brief feeling or display: a flash of hope, a flash of wit, a flash of unforeseen remembrance. 3. a very brief time; an instant: It all happened in a flash.

1. in or toward the past: That happened some years back. 2. in the place from which it came: Put the book back. 3. to support or help some person, group, organization, or institution: He backed his team at the Homecoming game.

## FLASHBACK 1987

1. A look back at a brief period of time which can be defined as the 1986-87 school year: We flashed back in our minds to a wonderful year from the past. 2. A collection of words, pictures, lines, and spaces which strive to tell the story of one brief year in our lives: I flipped through my 1987 FLASHBACK before leaving for my 25th Class Reunion. 3. A priceless memory book to be cherished always: I am truly thankful to have memories from 1986-1987 preserved in my FLASHBACK forever.



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*In A Flash*



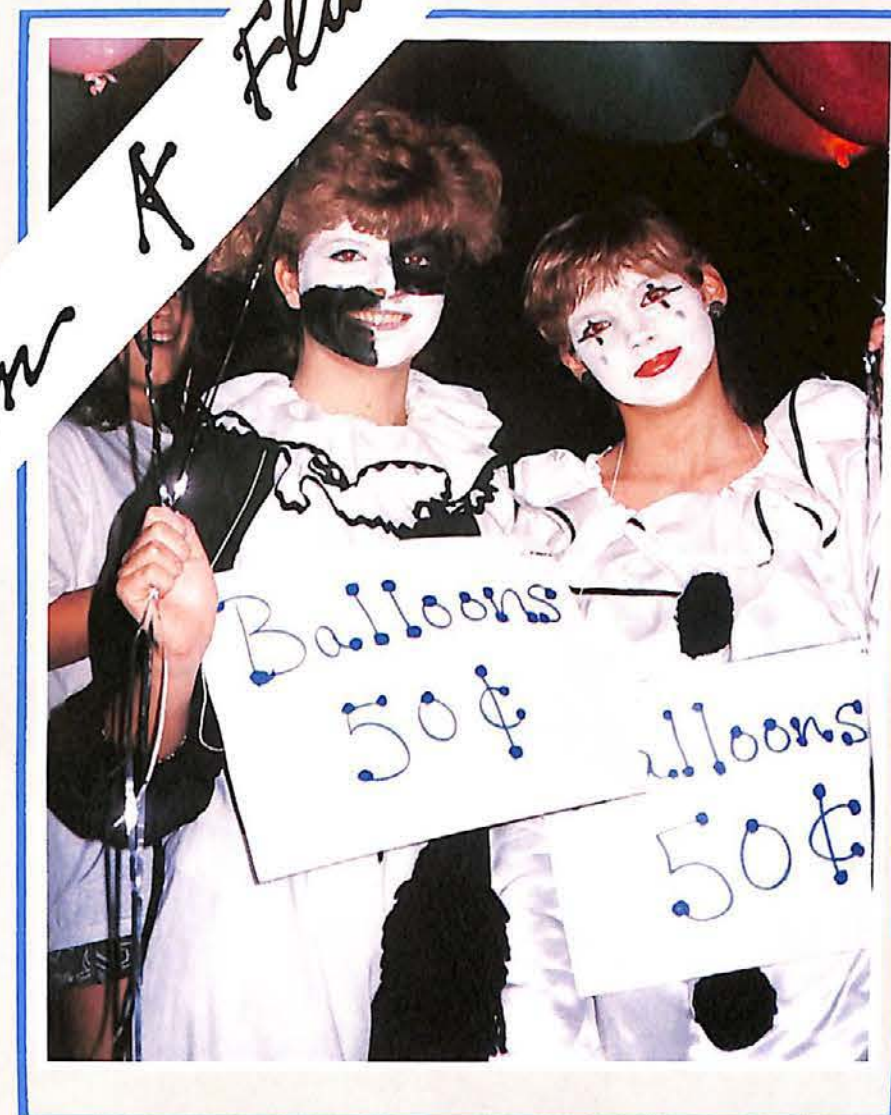


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The opening section of the 1987 Flashback has been designed to give the reader an overview of the entire book. "In a Flash" you will find yourself drawn through this brief opening as you see the EXCELLENCE, PERSONALITY, SPIRIT, DEVOTION, DIVERSITY and AMBITION of Oxford High, and in no time you will have covered the book until you reach the closing. Just as this process won't take long, by the same reason the 1986-1987 school year was but a flash in the vast expanse of time. We hope you will cherish this book forever.

*In a Flash*



*Opening*

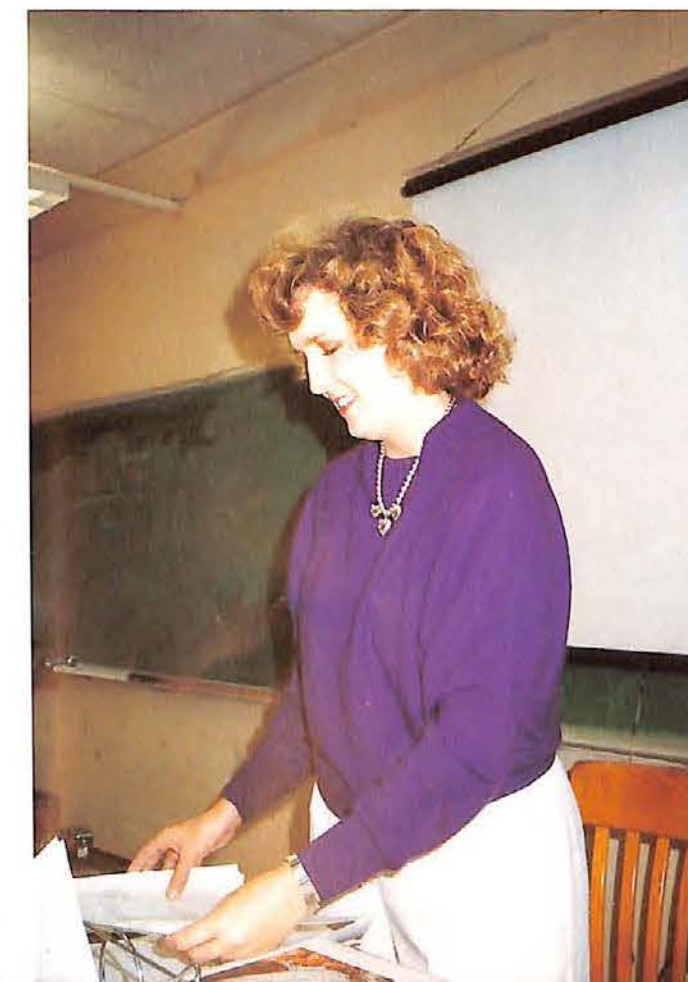


# Excellence

Someone once said, "To be what we are and to become what we are capable of becoming is the only purpose of life." This quote reflects the attitude of Excellence which people strive to create at Oxford High School. At Oxford High, nothing is done half-way because our best can always be better. We strive for Excellence in academics, leadership, sports, and everyday life. Our teams and individuals always succeed in competitions such as DECA, basketball, Brain Brawl, leadership events, music, and golf. Our school is well-respected and has always been considered one of the best high schools in the state. On close examination, one may find many people in the world who have a good aim but have just never learned to pull the trigger. Our high school years have given us an opportunity to climb to our highest aspirations. Along the way we have learned that big shots are only little shots who keep shooting.



(UPPER) "And Pretty Maids All In A Row."  
(MIDDLE LEFT) Ladies & Gentlemen you have a writing assignment. (MIDDLE RIGHT) Karen sings her heart out. (LOWER) Well, how was I supposed to know the color of Dolly Madison's pantaloons???

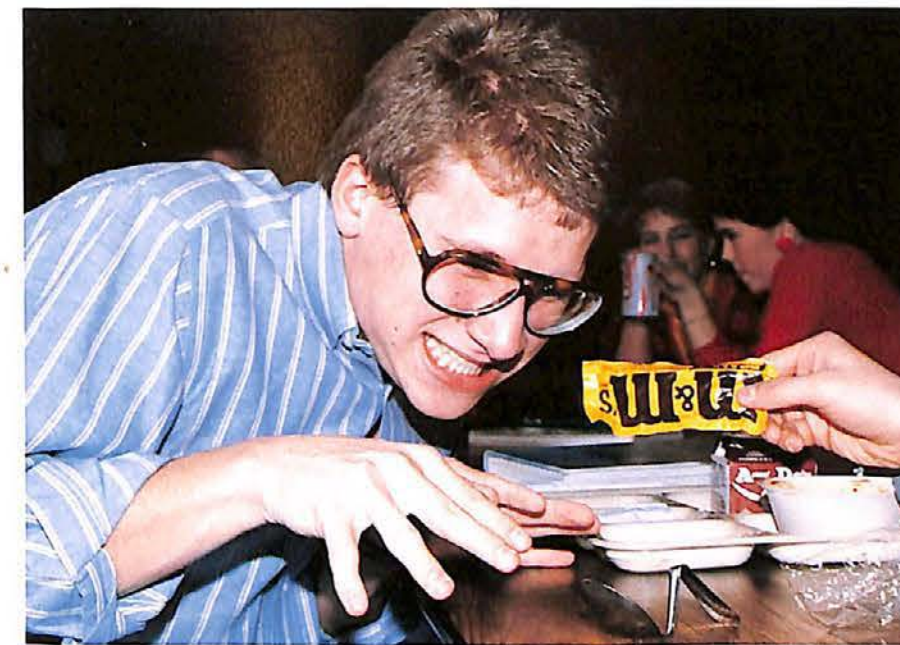


(UPPER LEFT) Dana is not as impressed as Clifton over his report card.  
(UPPER RIGHT) "But I need more money for pom-poms! (LOWER LEFT) "Oh, my word!" (LOWER RIGHT) See where money gets you!

# Excellence

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# Personality

Enthusiasm! Excitement! Energy! These characteristics are only three of the many which describe the Personalities at Oxford High School. Although we do possess many of the same characteristics, the very definition of Personality allows for a vast panorama of individualism among our students. At OHS we enjoy being ourselves, we are extremely creative in everything that we do. During our years in high school we are given the opportunity to learn who we are by expressing our feelings as we change and grow along the path to adulthood. This process is aided by a faculty which stimulates our intellectual and emotional development. These are fun times as students and teachers show their individual personalities by wearing togas, putting on blue and gold make-up, and painting cars just to their liking. All of our actions blend together to make a dynamic school; each one of us is special and together we are a success.



(UPPER RIGHT) "Now let me tell you one thing". (UPPER LEFT) Jason's Purple People Eater (LOWER LEFT) We've got the signal. (LOWER RIGHT) But, if I don't get this date, I won't have a date for the weekend.

(UPPER) Edward Willis proves that the mind is the man's greatest ally. (MIDDLE LEFT) "You wanna buy some candy" (MIDDLE RIGHT) We found Mrs. Shelby's and Mrs. Fair's missing pictures. (LOWER) Puddin' Tame, ask me again and I'll tell you the same.

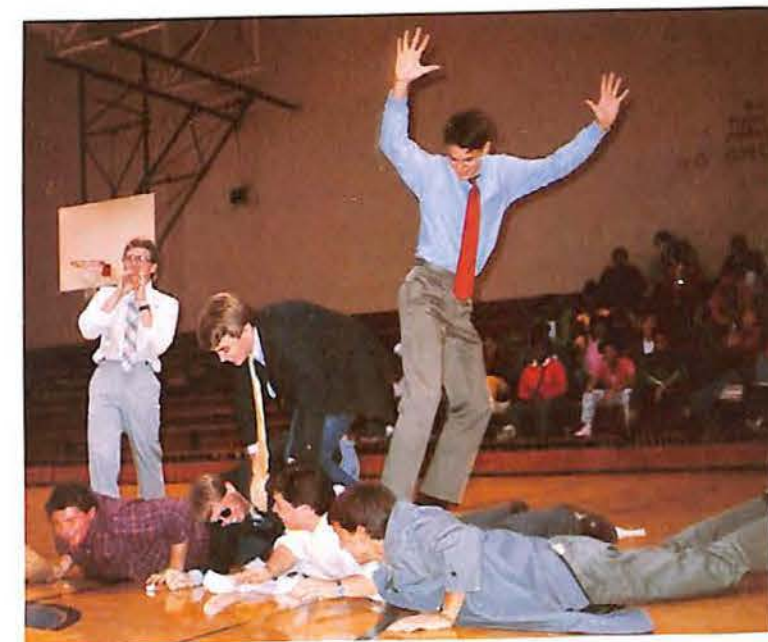
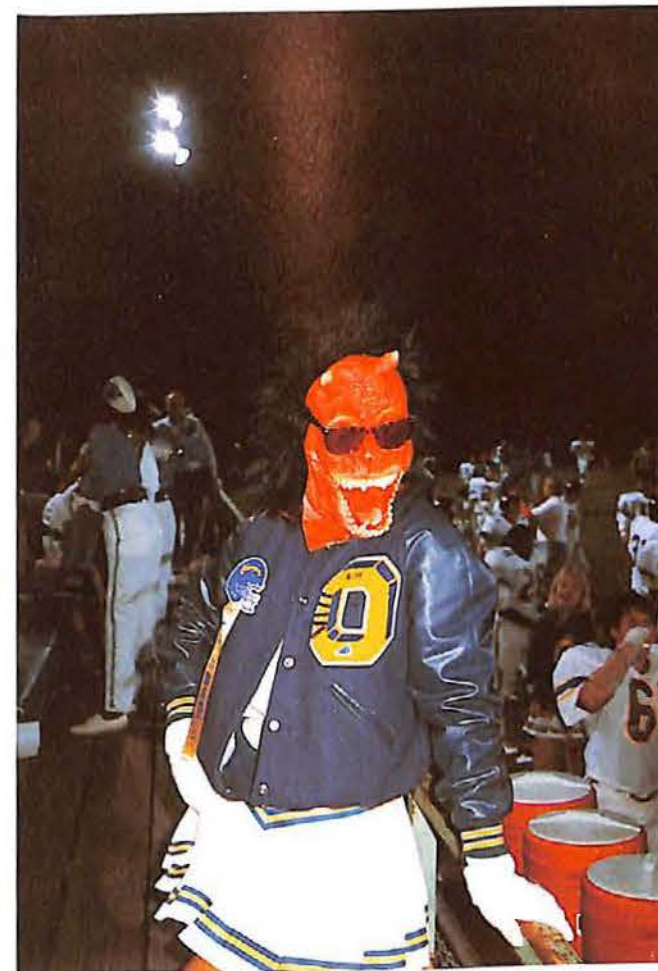
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# Spirit

"Cheers, cheers for our Oxford High! Our Charger spirit will never die! Watch those colors blue and gold..." Everyone recognizes the traditional Oxford High fight song which rouses pride in the heart of each student every time it is played at a pep rally or football game. Charger spirit, however, goes way beyond the excited cheers at a sporting event. It is an intangible quality which all people possess, although some are more eager to express it than others. Spirit is an emotion which allows us to display our love and commitment toward our school, our friends, and our teammates. It's the electricity which puts excitement and festivity into every school day. Spirit cannot be bought and sold in a colored ribbon on game day, but must be earned through the hundreds of hours which we spend decorating floats, marching in circles, building pyramids, and running plays. The spirit which we have built at Oxford High School will never end; in the future we will just share it with the teammates of life.



(UPPER LEFT) Oxford High School's most beautiful second runner up. (UPPER RIGHT) SURF'S UP! (LOWER LEFT) GO! GO! GO! (LOWER RIGHT) "Here's the story of a lovely lady... That's the way we became the Brady Bunch."

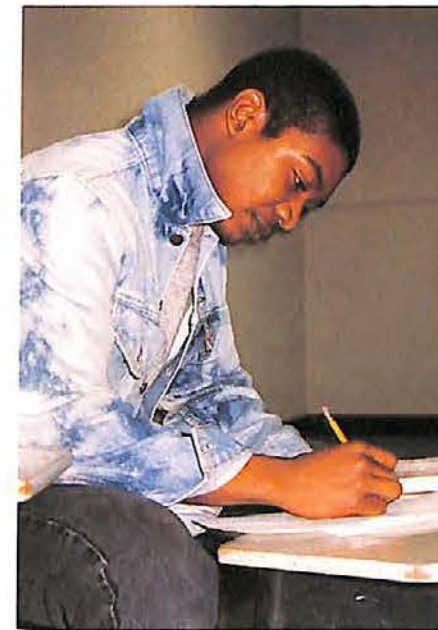
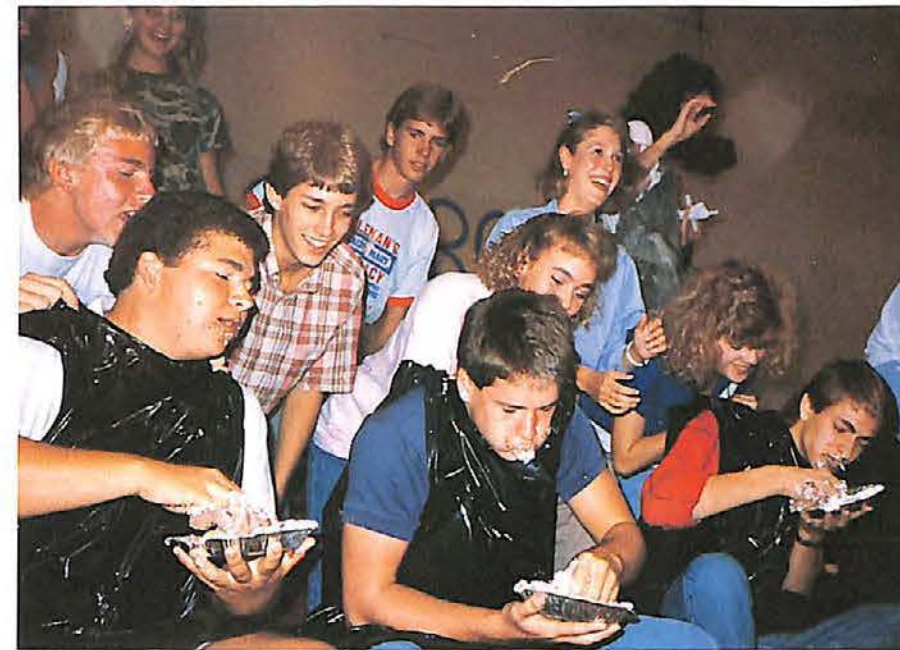
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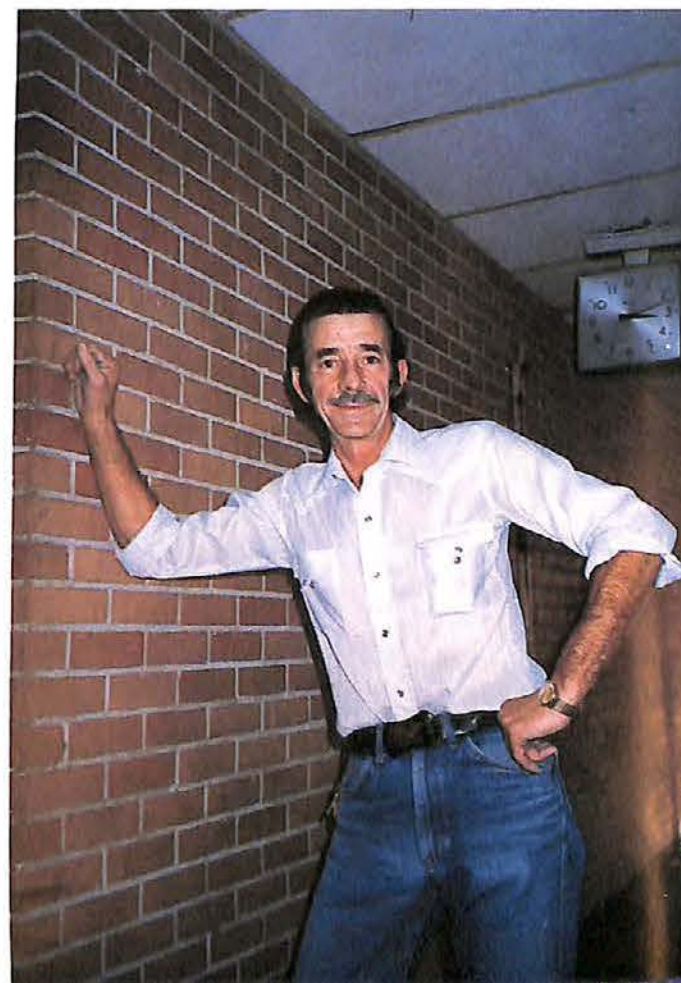
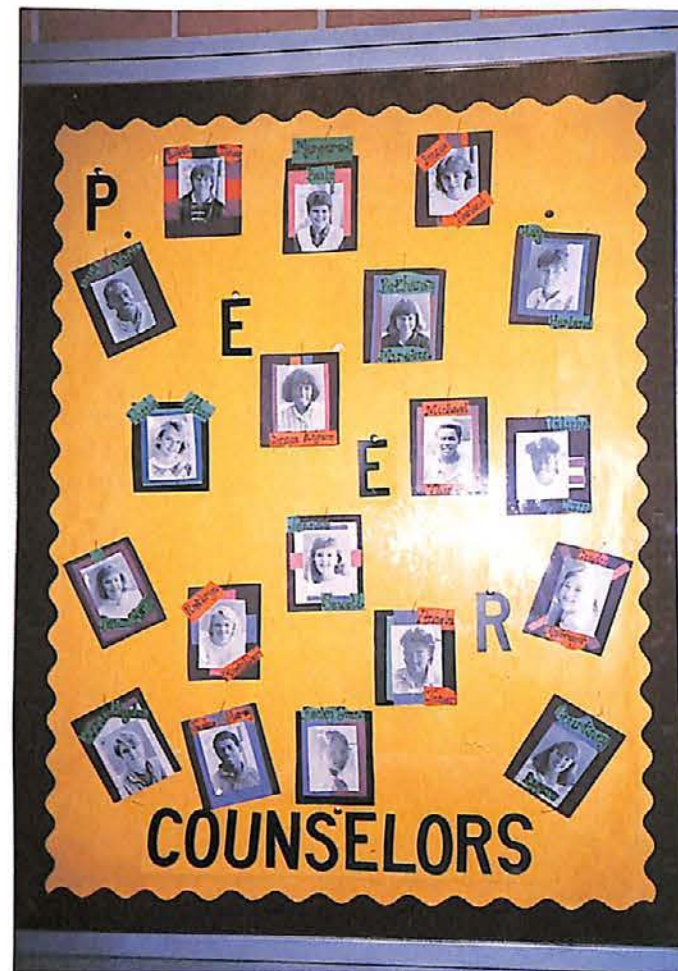
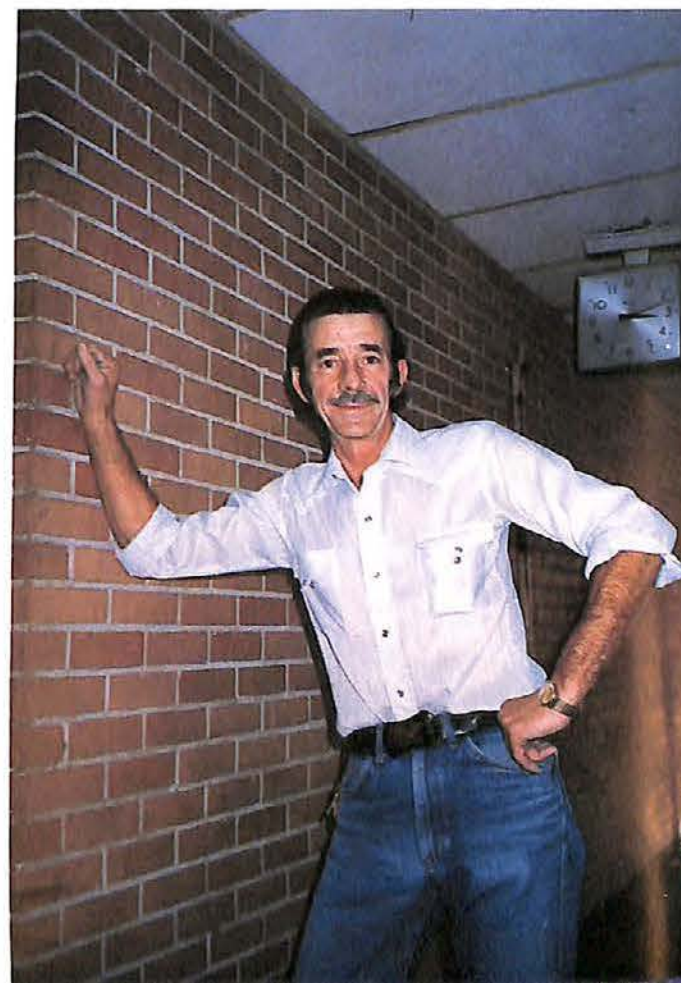
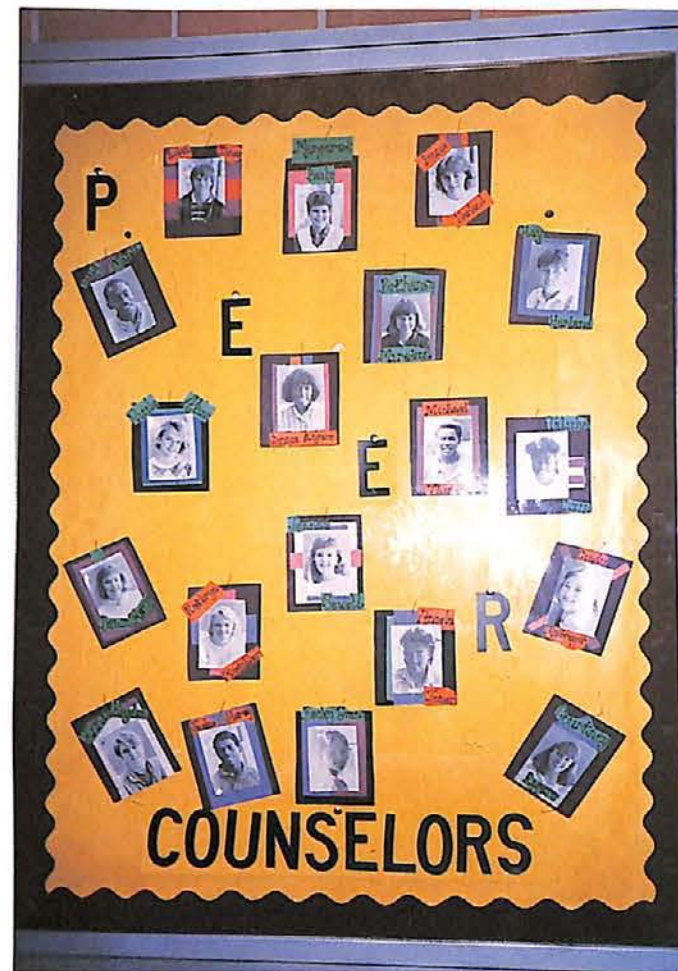
# Devotion

Devotion is the key to success. How many times have we heard stories about people who could have succeeded if they had only tried just one more time. Perhaps devotion can be more easily defined by examples of those who truly possess this valuable quality. Devotion is the janitors who work countless hours to keep the building in top condition. Devotion is the teacher who stays after school to help a student understand his homework. Devotion is the students who spend weeks in preparation so that the Homecoming celebration can be enjoyed by the entire town. We must realize that Devotion is rooted in love and caring. These values are the driving forces which make us genuinely concerned about our school, our teachers, and our friends. It is easy to be devoted to Oxford High School. Our school gives so much to us that we quite naturally want to give back all that we can. In short, Devotion is the mortar which bonds the bricks of life together to create a strong foundation for the future.



(UPPER) "Quick, somebody get the barf bag!"  
(MIDDLE LEFT) Kendric Gordon studies hard.  
(MIDDLE RIGHT) Tealisha Starks helps decorate for the Homecoming dance. (LOWER) The annual staff dance's own PROM QUEEN AND KING.

# Devotion



(UPPER RIGHT) OHS Most Wanted Poster. (UPPER LEFT) Mrs. Shelby helps Vearongia Houston after school. (LOWER LEFT) Dedicated friends smile for a picture. (LOWER RIGHT) After a long day's work, Cannonball stops to hold up the wall.

# Devotion



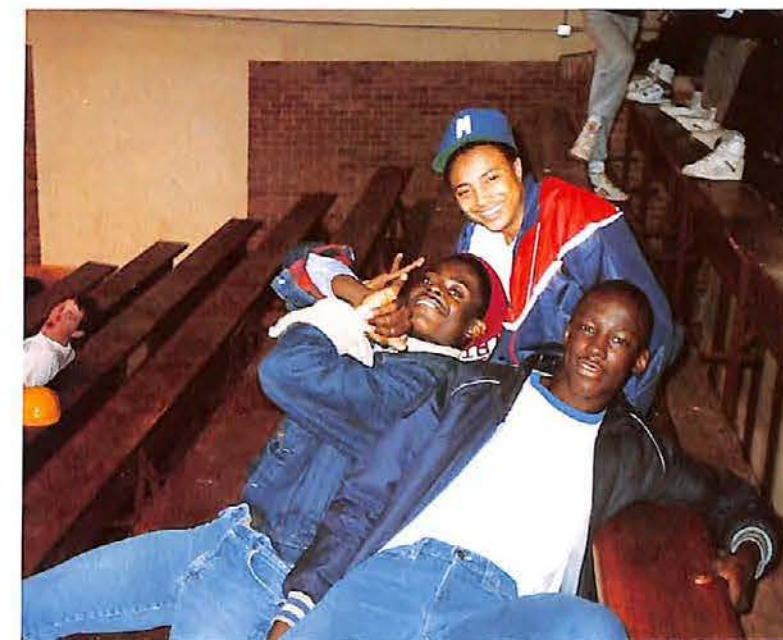
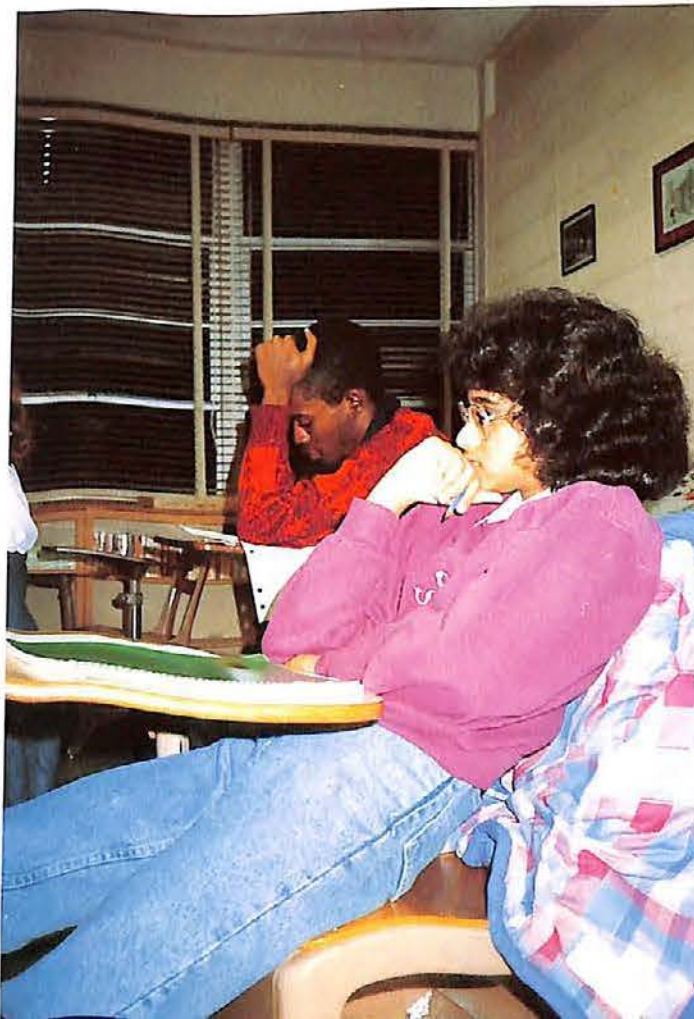
# Diversity

Variety is the spice of life. This statement is indeed true of Oxford High School students. Life at OHS offers a diverse array of styles, beliefs and attitudes which serve to make our school exciting and unique. Each day we see Diversity in our friends and classmates through hairstyles, clothes, and cars. These exterior expressions are merely indications of the inner beauty which each person possesses. Because Oxford High students develop their character and talents to such a high degree, Oxford High School is in a class all its own. Like a pizza with everything on it, OHS has flavor and pizzaz brought on by our individuality.



(TOP) Hey! Can we have a ride? (MIDDLE LEFT) Hey Missy, come back here! (MIDDLE RIGHT) There went my woman. (BOTTOM) What did you say this was made of?

## Diversity



(UPPER) Now! Where did I leave my car? (MIDDLE RIGHT) This bores me so! (MIDDLE LEFT) Who? No, we are not hiding him. (LOWER) We love the Parties.

## Diversity







# Dedication

It has been said that if a person has one true friend in life he is richer than the richest man. In these terms every person who has come into contact with Mrs. Marilyn Hoffman is a millionaire. Mrs. Hoffman's classes in Home Economics and Interpersonal Relations have inspired and challenged students by helping them to understand themselves and others. She truly believes and lives by the idea that "all behavior is motivated by need." When people understand this motto then they can truly understand themselves and appreciate those around them. Perhaps Mrs. Hoffman is so respected and loved by students because of her friendly, helpful nature. Her warm smile has reassured many students as she has offered advice and help. It is with great pride and appreciation that we dedicate the 1987 Flashback to Mrs. Marilyn Hoffman.



(LOWER LEFT) Mrs. Hoffman's unique motto is always displayed on her door.  
(LOWER RIGHT) Mrs. Hoffman is busy preparing for her classes.



(UPPER LEFT) Mrs. Hoffman — we know you encourage home budgets, but we don't think you should substitute dishwashing soap for shampoo!

(UPPER RIGHT) Mrs. Hoffman is always willing to help students with their work.



(LOWER LEFT) Mrs. Hoffman — we know your students will be excited about that test you're photocopying. (LOWER RIGHT) Mrs. Hoffman explains that the oven MUST be turned on before the cake will bake.

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## FEATURES

The Features section includes several major student recognition events of the school year. In the next few pages one will find the 1986 Homecoming Court. Also in this section are those students who were winners in the Who's Who. Finally, this section closes with the lovely girls who were the winners in the Beauty Review.



Section by Jean Henderson, Courtney Pennington, Ashley Wells

*In a Flash*



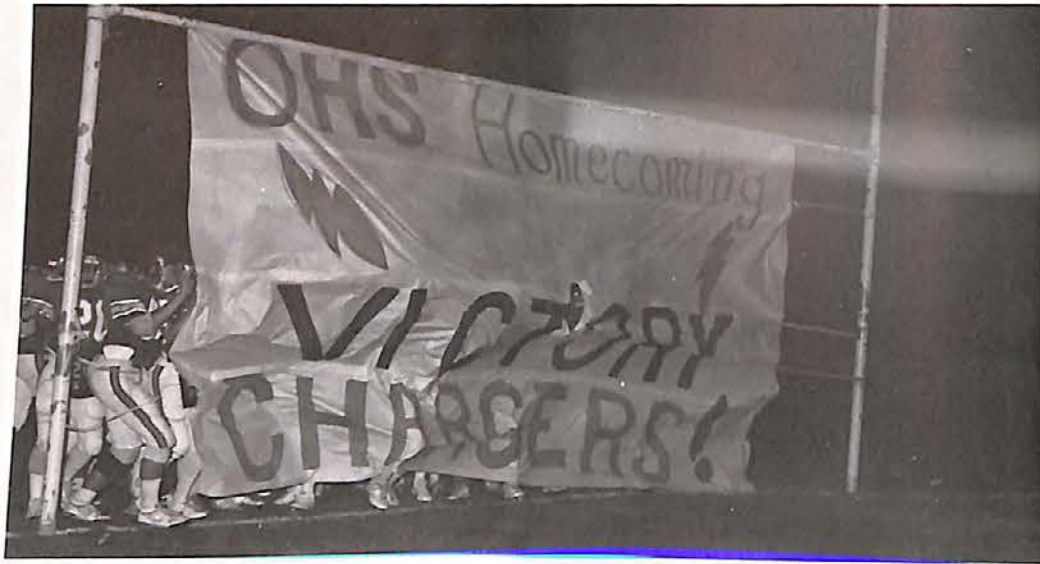
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# HOMECOMING COURT 1986

# QUEEN MARTHA PERRY

Homecoming 1986! This year OHS "Traveled Through Time" and the annual celebration was the grandest ever. Each year our Homecoming Royalty is selected by the students of Oxford High School. Nominations are made for two sophomore maids, two junior maids, and three senior maids. The results of the maid election are always announced prior to the big night so that each girl can select the perfect dress, and the perfect escort as well. At the big game, the maids and Queen reign over the festivities from their special 50 yard line seats. Oxford High is proud of the 1986 Homecoming Court.



OCTOBER 3, 1986 OHS TRAVELS THROUGH TIME



SENIOR MAID  
ALICIA  
CLIFTON

ESCORT  
MIKE  
REIDY



JUNIOR  
MAID  
OPAL  
GENETTI

ESCORT  
FRANK  
GIBBS



SOPHOMORE  
MAID  
TONYA BLAKE

ESCORT  
DARNELL LEWIS



OXFORD HIGH

SENIOR MAID  
LESLIE  
PETTIS

ESCORT  
GOODLOE  
LEWIS



JUNIOR  
MAID  
KIM  
WILEY

ESCORT  
ROBERT  
JONES



SOPHOMORE  
MAID  
DIANE BAKER

ESCORT  
MICHAEL WILSON



HOME COMING





## MISS ALICIA CLIFTON

This year's Miss Oxford High is Alicia Clifton. Alicia is the daughter of Mrs. Vicki Sneed and Mr. Bill Clifton. Alicia has displayed outstanding leadership abilities by serving her school as associated student Government Secretary for two years, cheerleader, treasurer of the Anchor Club, and State National Honor Society Vice-President. Alicia was a Senior Maid on the homecoming court, participated in three Oxford High Musicals, Mu Alpha Theta, and several chorus ensembles. Alicia's warm and happy attitude make her the type of student everyone likes to be around.

## MR. MIKE REIDY

Mike Reidy, the son of Dr. and Mrs. James Reidy, was elected Mr. Oxford High School. Mike is a starter for the basketball team, has been an excellent example of leadership, and has encouraged team spirit. He has also served as sergeant-at-arms for the student council, been an Exchange Club Youth of the Month, and a member of the male choir. Mike's outgoing personality and cheerful attitude make him a friend to students and teachers alike.



MR. & MISS OXFORD HIGH

SCHOOL





(l. to r.) Diane Baker, Jean Henderson, Libbie Kakales, Bill Glasgow.

Detra Mosby, Lynn Jenkins, Mark Pegues, Michael Wilson, Drew Tyler.



(l. to r.) Audra Goolsby, Devin Tobin, Jad Dorizas.

Jan Busby, Leslie Pettis, Yolanda Gipson, Anthony Blake.



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The students at Oxford High School take pride in their friends. To be a favorite, you must exemplify the qualities required to be the type of friend everyone likes. Everybody's favorite person is someone who is friendly, always has a smile, and makes you feel like you are the most important person in the world. The students chosen to be OHS favorites show these qualities and a little bit extra. Because they put in that little bit extra, they become the type of friend that is loved and cherished by all.



SOPHOMORE  
SILLIEST

SOPHISTICATED



Lee Chrestman

SENIOR

JOLLIEST

JUNIOR



Tansy Dixon



Frank Gibbs



## CUTEST

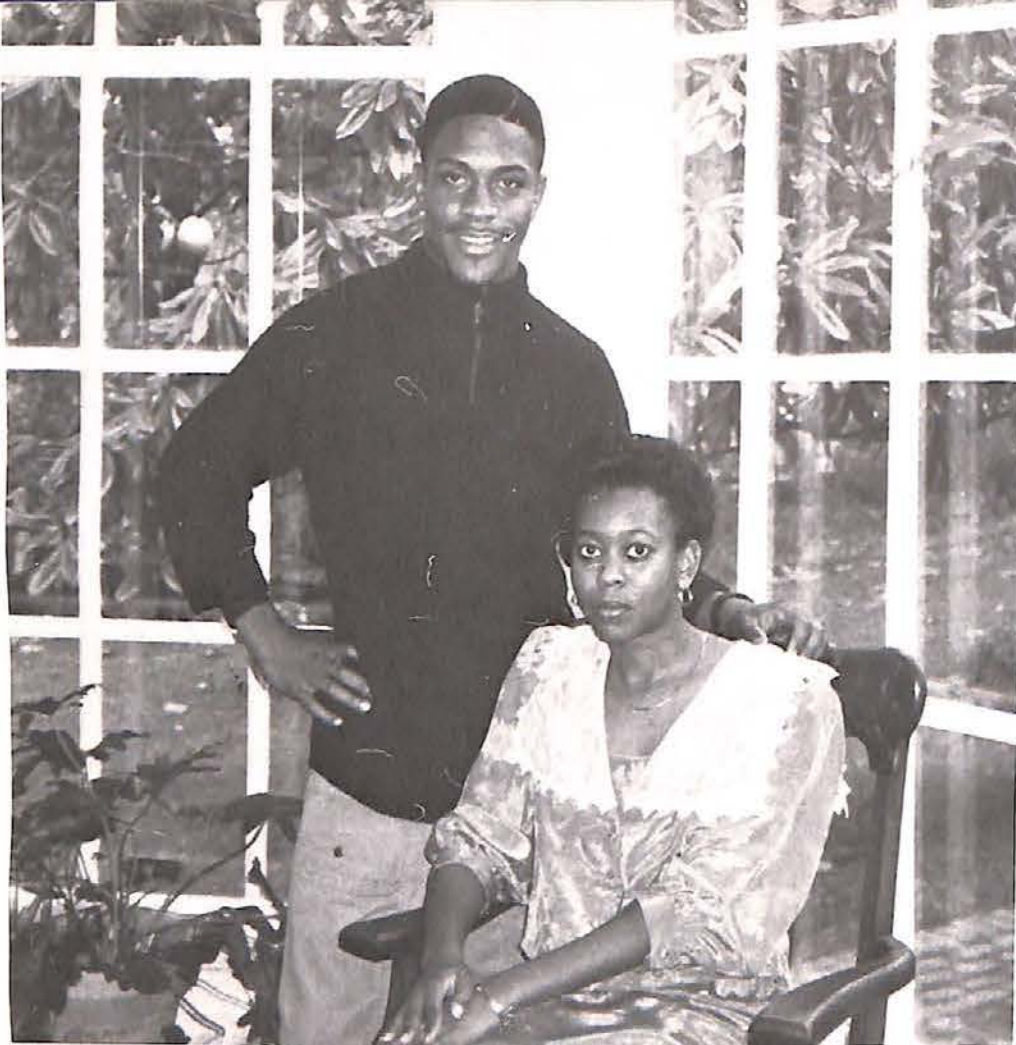
Opal Genetti and Ben Couey were elected Cutest at Oxford High this year. Opal and Ben have that look and attitude of innocence that is appealing to all. We all think Opal and Ben were the perfect candidates for Cutest. Congratulations to our "Cutest Couple."

## BEST DRESSED

Nicole Akins and Robert Jones were elected Best Dressed at OHS for this year. Nicole and Robert's stylish way of dress is one way we can get a look at the new and different fashions of the season. Congratulations to Nicole and Robert.







## BEST ALL AROUND

Tony Hill and Shan Miller were elected Best All Around at Oxford High this year. Their cheerful smiles, leadership skills, and happy dispositions make them perfect candidates for Best All Around. We are happy for them and congratulate them for their achievements.

Martha Perry and Eddie Willis were chosen for Friendliest. Martha's cheerful attitude and happy smile are always enough to make anyone's day. Eddie's fun personality and joking attitude make him liked by all students at OHS. We are happy to have students like this to make school more fun and cheerful.

## FRIENDLIEST



## MOST

## DEPENDABLE

Mavis Mitchell and Warren Wells were elected Most Dependable for this year. Through their actions and constant example they demonstrate trust. We are very proud to have people of this caliber in our school. We congratulate Warren and Mavis for their efforts and wish them luck in the future.



## BEST PERSONALITY

## BEST

Niki Dorizas and Goodloe Lewis were elected Best Personality at Oxford High. Niki not only has a caring and understanding personality, but also displays herself through her happy disposition and ability to fit in anywhere. Goodloe's great spirit and fun-loving attitude make him the type person anyone would like to be around.



# MOST BEAUTIFUL JAYME ALFORD



## BEAUTIES

Charlee Lovelady

Whitney Rayner



Whitney Rayner

Most Photogenic

Margaret Bailey

Caysie Moore



On November 24, the Oxford High School auditorium was filled with friends and family members anxiously awaiting the crowning of Most Beautiful. There was a fabulous line-up of beauties for this event which is sure to be an annual tradition. The poise and grace shown on stage reflected hours of preparation by each contestant. The sparkle of evening gowns, combined with dynamic entertainment held the audience mesmerized up until the final moment. Tension mounted backstage as well as the audience before the beauties were announced. Jayme Alford, a senior, was bestowed with the honor of the 1987 title.



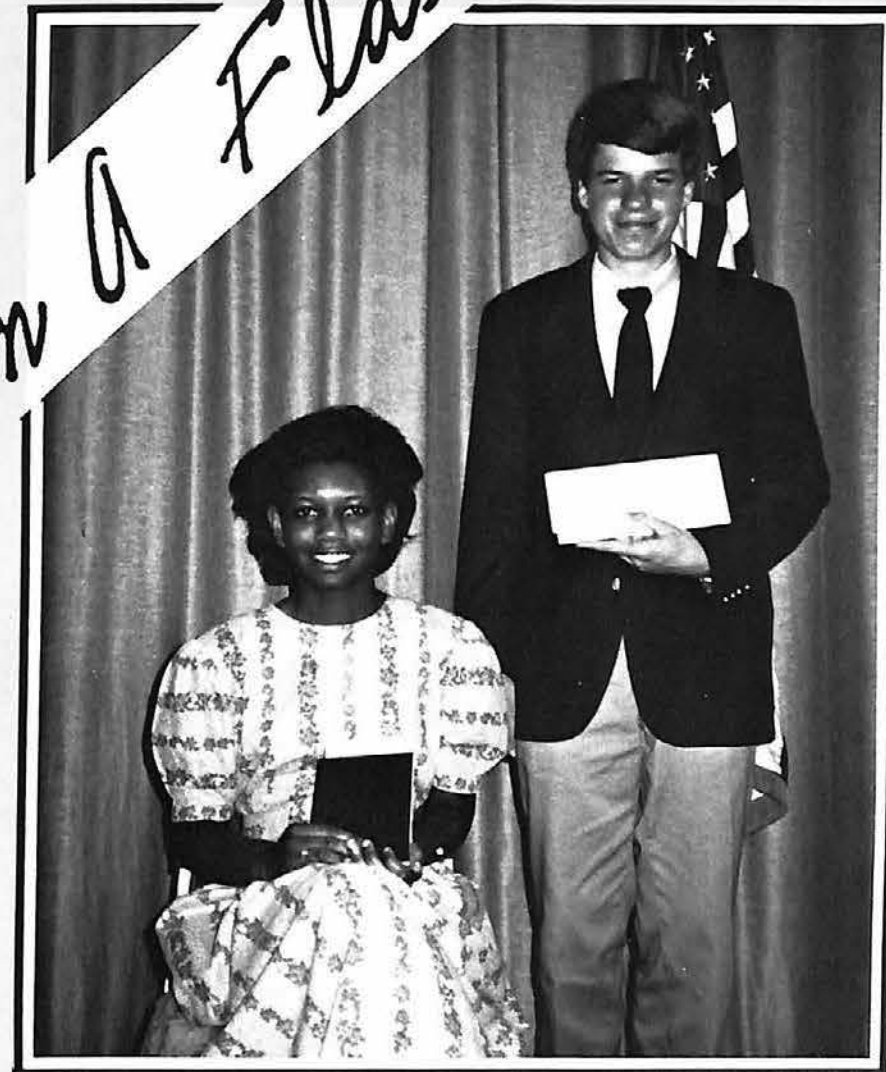
## HONORS

The Honors Section of the FLASHBACK allows one to take a look at the high quality of students found at CHS. The next few pages show the many individuals who have strived for and achieved excellence at Oxford High. We are proud of the success that these OHS students have achieved.



Section by Amanda Mason

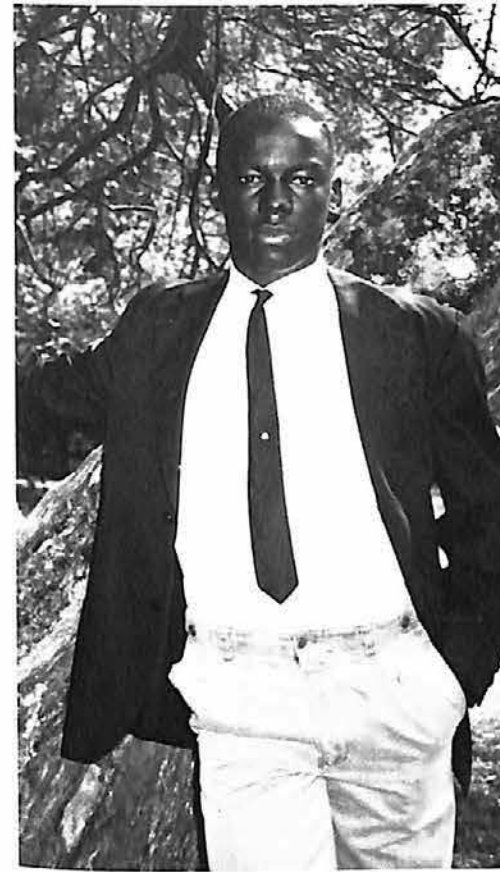
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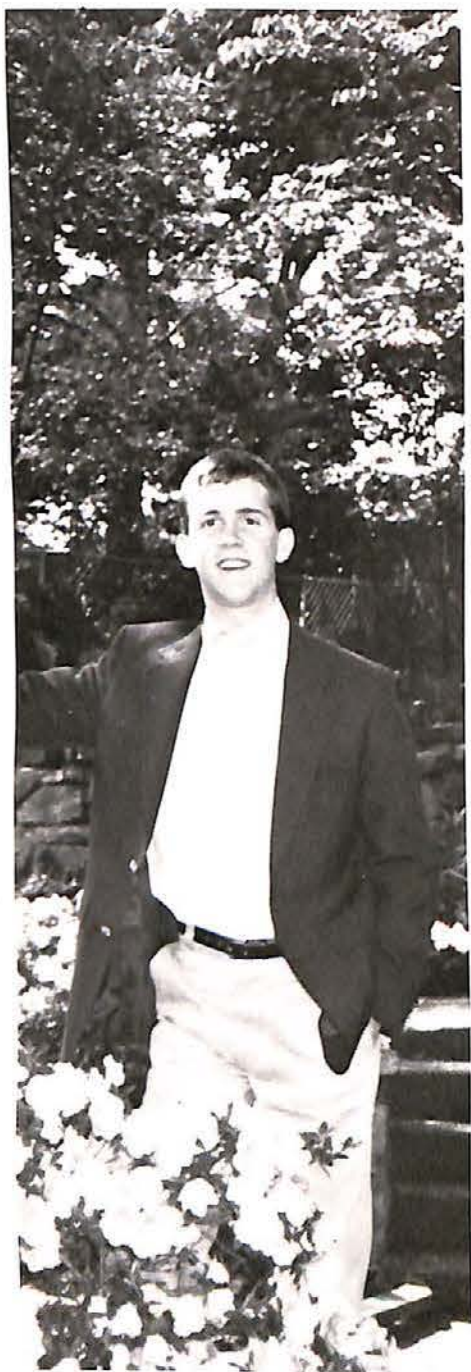
Robert Weems  
 Erica Marshall  
 Corey Mitchell  
 Clay Harland  
 Chris Still  
 Tom Chien  
 Julie Russell  
 Warren Wells  
 Becky Evans  
 Lee Chrestman  
 Alicia Clifton



GRADUATING WITH HONORS

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Steven  
Wall



Kathryn  
Mutchler



Steven  
Schoenly



Clay Harland



Martha Perry



Nicole Akins



Mike Reidy

## GRADUATING WITH SPECIAL DISTINCTION

## HALL OF FAME





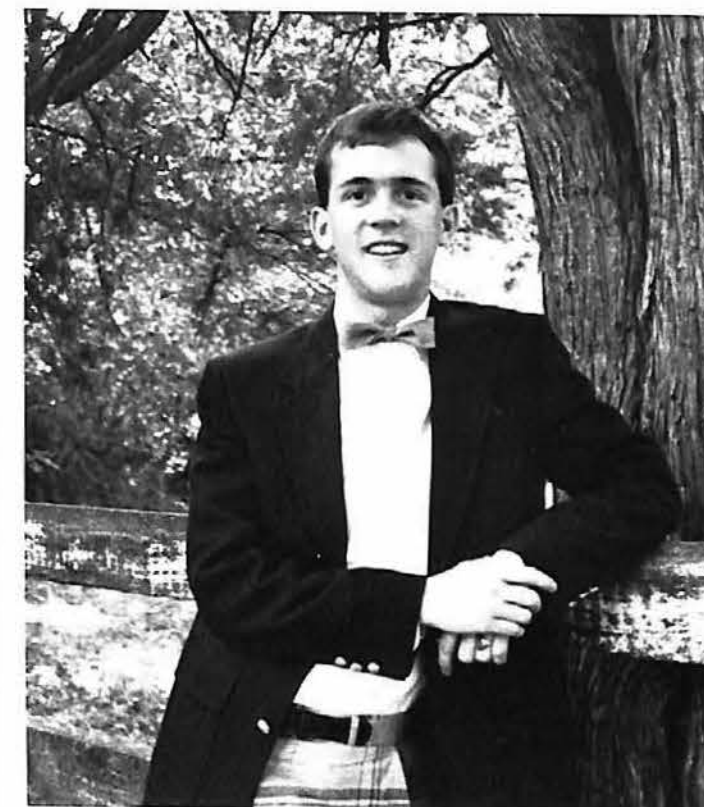
Alicia Clifton



Warren Wells



Vicki Shaw



Steven Wall



Darryl Parker



Kathryn Mutchler



Chris Still



Leslie Pettis

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## BRAIN BRAWL

The Brain Brawl team, otherwise known as the Academic Competition team, meet with other teams and compete by answering questions in academic subjects such as Math, Science, History and English. This year's team consists of sponsor — Ms. Susan Smith, Clay Harland, Robert Weems, Julie Russell, Lamar Robertson, Vicki Shaw, Goodloe Lewis, Stacy Stansell, Geoffrey Marx, and sponsor — Ms. Lynne Murchison.



## YOUTH CONGRESS

Youth Congress is a workshop sponsored by the Mississippi Speech Association. This seminar gives students experience in parliamentary procedures, speaking on the floor, and debate. This year's participants are Chris Still, Steven Schoenly, Ms. Judy Jones — Advisor, Paul Gilmore, Vicki Shaw, Steven Wall, and Alicia Clifton.



## NATIONAL MERIT FINALISTS

The National Merit Finalists are chosen from the National Merit Semi-Finalists based on their SAT scores, recommendations, and GPA. This year's finalists are Steven Schoenly, Vicki Shaw, and William Henderson.



## STAR STUDENT AND STAR TEACHER

The Star Student Award is presented to the senior with the highest ACT score in his class. This year's Star Student is Steven Schoenly. The Star Student is then asked to select the Star Teacher on the basis of how much this individual has done to encourage his intellectual growth. Steven selected Mrs. Linda Bridges as the Star Teacher this year.





# NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

NHS members: l. to r.; first row: Robert Weems, Tom Chien, Clay Harland, Tim Collins, Chris Still, Warren Wells; second row: Rana Cronin, Kenya Hodges, Sonya Anderson, Pam Hoffman, Jeanna Sewell, Stacy Stansell, Bonnie Harland, Lee Chrestman; third row: Lori Group, Sharon Dowdy, Cindy McGregor, Laura Harrison, Beth Moreton, Lamar Robertson, Mark Crowe, Judi Tomerlin, Robin Jones, Alicia Clifton, Julie Russell, Erica Marshall; fourth row: Corey Mitchell, Kevin Holt, Louis Abbott, Steven Wall, Geoffrey Marx, Steve Sansom, Matt VanBesien, Doug Minor, Paul Gilmore, William Henderson, Phillip Crockett, Chad Lominac.



NHS officers: above left; l. to r.; Clay Harland — president; Rana Cronin — secretary; Dr. Lynne Murchison — advisor; Tom Chien — treasurer; (not pictured Chris Still — vice-president) NHS State officers: above right; l. to r.; Alicia Clifton — outgoing State NHS vice-president; Lamar Robertson — upcoming State NHS president; Jeanna Sewell — upcoming State NHS secretary.



# MU ALPHA THETA

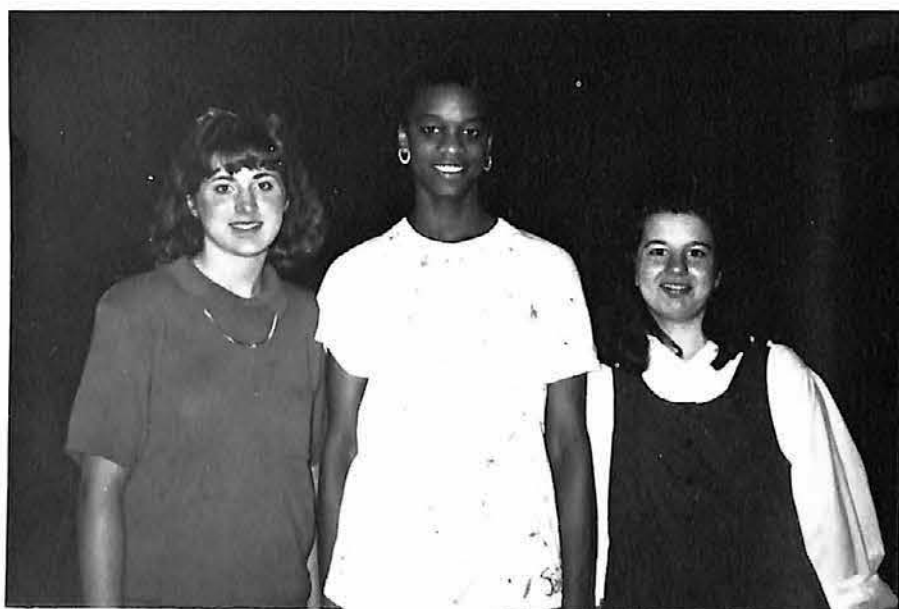


MU ALPHA THETA Members: first row; kneeling: Goodloe Lewis, Mark Crowe, Whitney Rayner, Louis Abbott, Kevin Hendrix, second row: Ms. Yvonne Jones, advisor; Bonnie Harland, Jennifer Daniels, Ann Haws, Oliver Gaycken, Tom Chein, Stacy Stansell, Lamar Robertson, Third Row: Chad Lominac, Warren Wells, Geoffrey Marx; NOT PICTURED: Cameron Abel, Sonya Anderson, Kyle Barron, Anne-Marie Brown, Lee Chrestman, Alicia Clifton, Tim Collins, Sharon Dowdy, Burak Erdim, Becky Evans, Paul Gilmore, Lori Group, Kenya Hodges, Pam Hoffman, Jackie Jones, Libbie Kakales, Charlee Lovelady, Erica Marshall, Michelle MacDougal, Jay Miller, Corey Mitchell, Beth Moreton, Kathryn Mutchler, Hung Pham, Anjali Prasad, Portia Pray, Leigh Pulliam, Mike Reidy, Julie Russell, Steven Schonely, Jeanna Sewell, Chris Still, Devin Tobin, Matt Van Besien, Steven Wall, Robert Weems; MIDDLE: Mu Alpha Theta officers: Tom Chein — president, Stacy Stansell — secretary, Lamar Robertson — Vice-President. Bottom: Do you always guard your books?





# ANCHOR CLUB



Above: Mrs. Judy Jones and Stacy Stansell work hard to organize "Super Kids" activities. Above right: Anchor Club members: l. to r. first row: Marie Moon, Stacy Stansell, Bonnie Harland, Jeanna Sewell, Alyce Smith, Rana Cronin, Sharon Dowdy, Vernell Jones, Portia Pray, Cindy McGregor, Melody Brown, Erica Marshall, second row: Mary Whitten, Stacy Scott, Leah Fisher, Sonya Anderson, Kenya Hodges, Janet Payne, Michelle King, Niki Dorizas, Jennifer Daniels, Jean Henderson, Leigh Garner, Jayme Alford, Anne-Marie Brown, third row: Ameena Gordon, Jenerra Williams, Anjali Prasad, Stephanie Price, Jackie Jones, Monica Moser, Leslie Leschner, Alicia Clifton, Vicki Shaw, Julie Russell, Mary Ann Connell, Amanda Mason, Teresa Willingham, Becky Evans, Carolyn Gilliom, Beth Moreton, Mary Beth Reilly, Courtney Rogers. Center right: Anchor Club officers: l. to r. Jeanna Sewell, vice-president; Alicia Clifton, secretary; Julie Russell, treasurer; Mary Ann Connell, president. Bottom right: Anchor Club Board members: l. to r. Bonnie Harland, Sonya Anderson, Beth Morton.

# PEER COUNSELORS



Above; Peer Counselors: first row: Khriss Boyden, Talisa Dixon, Ellen Kadlec, Heather Adair, Niki Dorizas, Courtney Pennington, Valerie Shaw, Nicole Akins, second row: James Mosely, Angela Jones, Doug Minor, Robin Jones, Doris Henderson, Robert Freeman, Beth Moreton, Cindy McGregor, Connie Rogers, Bonnie Harland, Jeanna Sewell, Tansy Dixon, Anne-Marie Brown. Middle; Steering committee: James Mosely, Nicole Akins, and Jeanna Sewell

# HOBY

The Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership Foundation is a leadership seminar for outstanding sophomores. Representing Oxford High this year is Anne-Marie Brown.



## GOVERNOR'S SCHOOL

Governor's School is a three-week summer program for students who are motivated in academics and are involved in many varied activities. This year's participants are Lamar Robertson, Jeanna Sewell, and Mark Crowe.



## BOYS AND GIRLS STATE

Boys and Girls State are week long seminars to instruct Mississippi's youth in the areas of local, county, and state government. These seminars are sponsored by the American Legion. Geoffrey Marx and Cindy McGregor are the participants from Oxford High this year.



## ACADEMIC AWARDS

English Achievement Awards — Rodney Harmon  
Jeffrey Perry  
Carolyn Gilliam  
Whitney Rayner

Journalism Award — Tajuana Redmond  
Booklover's Club of Oxford Award — Steven Wall  
Elizabeth Wade Bounds Creative Writing Award — Warren Wells  
Rebel Press Award — Vicki Shaw  
Browning Club Award — Kathryn Mutchler  
Elizabeth Bounds Award — Bethany Moreton  
Life Biology Award — Loretta Banks  
Biology Award — Steven Woosley  
Advanced Biology Award — Sonya Anderson  
General Chemistry Award — Beth Stiles  
Chemistry Award — Anne-Marie Brown  
AP Chemistry Award — Stacy Stansell  
Physics Award — Kathryn Mutchler  
Science Award — Corey Mitchell  
Resource Math — Mary Ann Jones  
Consumer Math Award — Stephanie Meagrow  
General Math II Award — Lisa Ivy  
Algebra I Award — Rodanthi Slate  
Algebra II Award — Anne-Marie Brown  
Algebra III Award — Lamar Robertson  
Geometry Award — Newt Rayburn  
AP Calculus Award — Kathryn Mutchler  
Senior Math Award — LaShawnda Walker  
American High School Math Award — Geoffrey Marx  
Miriam S. Pullen Mathematics Award — Anjali Prasad  
Spanish Awards — Melody Brown  
Jay Miller

French I Award — Steven Schoenly  
French II Award — Bethany Moreton  
French III Award — Chris Still  
German I Award — John Littlejohn  
German II Awards — Tom Chien  
Oliver Gaycken

German III Award — Robert Weems  
World History Award — Anne-Marie Brown  
American Government Award — Clay Harland  
American History Awards — Mark Crowe  
Bethany Moreton

Shorthand Medal Award — Teresa Willingham  
Typewriting Medal Award — Ellen Kadlec  
Accounting Award — Kelly Metzger  
Dwight L. Young & Co. Award — LaShawnda Walker  
Uniter Southern Bank Award — Hesham Baeshen  
Computer Literacy Awards — Lee Chrestman  
Christopher Herron

Computer I and II Award — Kevin Hendrix  
Computer III and IV Award — Steve Sansom  
Cooperative Vocational Education Award — Lori Group  
Fashion Merchandise Award — Nicole Akins  
Single Living Award — Lori Miller  
Home Economics I Award — Tammy Williams  
Foods Award — Jeffrey Perry  
Interpersonal Relations Award — Lacondria Rogers  
Agriculture Mechanics — Doug McLaughlin  
1987 Southland Mall Scholastic Art — Kristi Skelton  
Rob Robertson  
Marc Dean  
Jeff Allen

Choral Music Honor Award — Steven Wall  
Oxford Music Club Award — Jessica Bonds  
Tammy Blake

American Legion Post #55 Band Award — Bobby Moon  
John Philip Sousa National Band Award — Matt Van Besien  
STAR Student/Teacher Awards — Steven Schoenly  
Linda Bridges

Ed Moak Memorial Award — Anne-Marie Brown  
Lafayette Civic Center Award — Darryl Parker  
Oxford Rust Club Award — Donna Thomas

Presidential Academic Fitness Award — Tom Chien  
Lee Chrestman  
Alicia Clifton  
Tim Collins  
Burak Erdim  
Clay Harland  
William Henderson  
Goodloe Lewis  
Chad Lominac  
Erica Marshall  
Corey Mitchell  
Kathryn Mutchler  
Whitney Rayner  
Mike Reidy  
Julie Russell  
Steven Schoenly  
Vicki Shaw  
Chris Still  
Matt Van Besien  
Steven Wall  
Margaret Walton  
Robert Weems  
Warren Wells  
Nicole Akins  
Darryl Parker

Oxford Police Department Award — Darryl Parker  
The Navy League Award — Clay Harland  
Pilot Club Leadership Award — Mary Ann Connell  
Pilot Club Anchor Scholarships — Julie Russell  
Alicia Clifton

Rotary Club Awards — Corey Mitchell  
Vicki Shaw  
Chris Still  
Kathryn Mutchler  
Steven Schoenly  
William Henderson  
Julie Russell  
Alicia Clifton

PEO Sisterhood Award — Amanda Mason  
DAR Citizenship Award — Nicole Akins  
J.E. Neilson Awards — Vicki Shaw  
Warren Wells

Student Council Service Awards — Steven Wall  
Sonya Anderson  
Whitney Rayner  
Jeanna Sewell

Outstanding Annual Staff Award — Nicole Akins  
Flashback Awards — Steven Wall  
Nicole Akins

Flashback Business Managers Award — Alyce Smith  
Charger Flash Awards — Alyce Smith  
Bobby Moon

Charger Flash Certificate of Merit — Jackie Jones  
American Legion School Award — Steven Wall  
Oratorical Contest Awards — Vicki Shaw  
Warren Wells  
Anne-Marie Brown

Century III Leadership Certificate of Merit — Steven Wall  
"I Dare You" Leadership Awards — Kenya Hodges  
Doug Minor

Oxford Garden Club — Kevin Holt  
Wal-Mart Foundation Award — Steven Wall  
National Merit Finalists — Vicki Shaw  
Steven Schoenly  
William Henderson

National Merit Scholarship Corporation — Steven Schoenly  
National Merit Scholarship Rhodes College — William Henderson  
Air Force ROTC 4 Year Scholarship — Chad Lominac  
Army ROTC 4 Year Scholarship — Warren Wells  
Navy ROTC 4 Year Scholarship — Warren Wells  
Zeta Phi Beta Sorority Scholarship — Teresa Willingham  
Delta Sigma Theta Scholarship — LaShawnda Walker



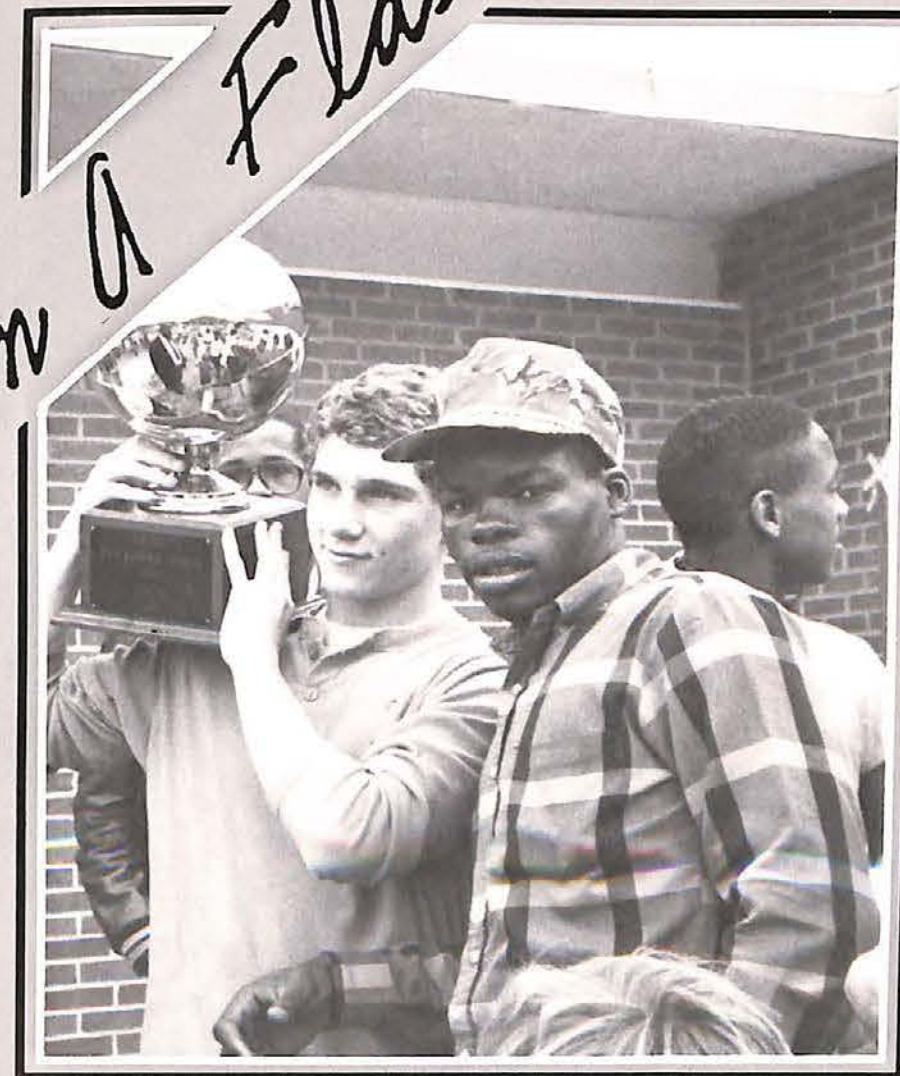
## SPORTS

The Sports section includes all of the action from this year's exciting seasons of football, basketball, baseball, golf, tennis and track. The players, cheerleaders, coaches, and fans all contributed to Oxford High sports this year as the next fourteen pages will prove.



Section by Will Morgan, Meg Smith

*In a Flash*



*Sports*



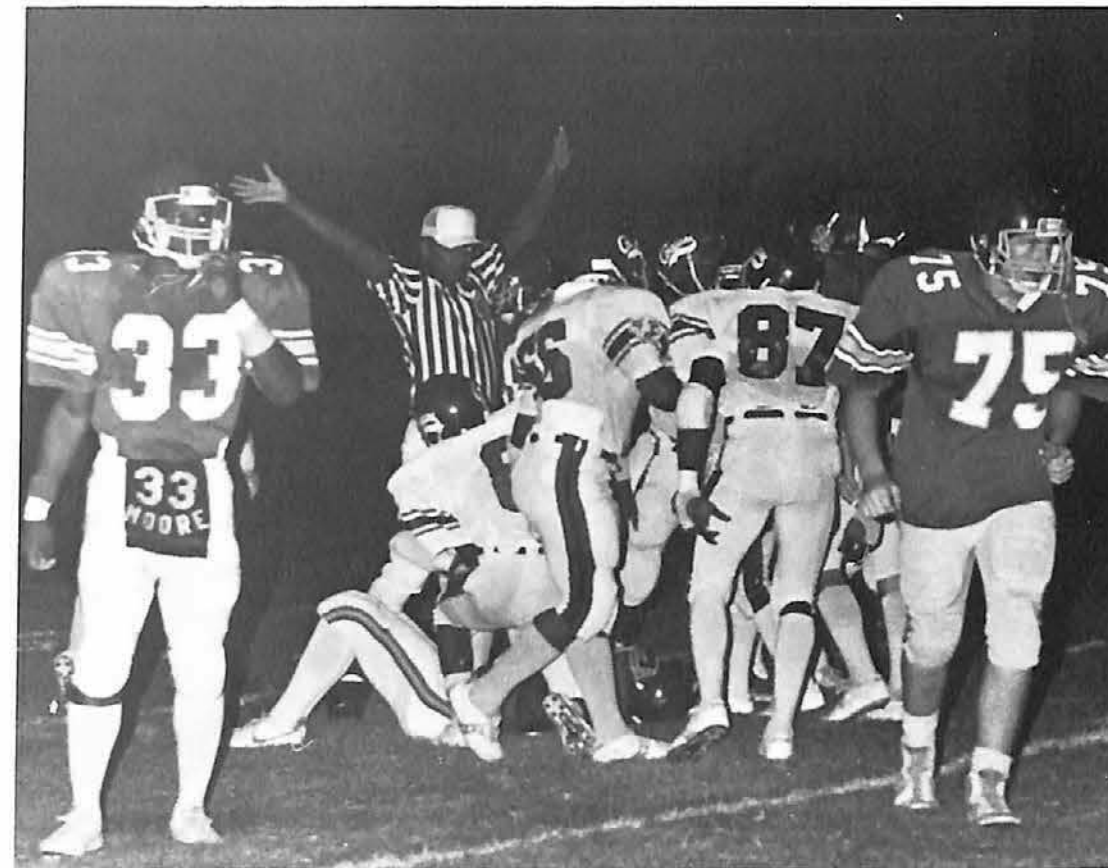
# COACH BOB TYLER

Coach Bob Tyler is a truly outstanding man, respected by school officials, teachers, and the students at Oxford High School. Coach Tyler became a part of Oxford High School in 1986. He walked into the first football team meeting dressed like a well polished businessman. Many members of the football team were frightened by their anticipations of the great demands that come with playing under a college coach. When practice started the team found that most of their fears were produced by their imaginations. Coach Tyler generates great enthusiasm among the team members. His incredible knowledge of the game of football astounds most high school football players. Coach Tyler always makes a great effort to take care of his players and makes them feel special for taking on the challenge of football. He teaches his players the advantages of the "team effort" and often states, "the whole is greater than the sum of two parts." This teaches the players the values and rewards of a team effort which becomes useful to them throughout life. Although the team had many discouraging losses, Coach Tyler never let the players get discouraged and defeated mentally. He always stood up in the locker room and said something that made the team want to strive harder to succeed. As he spoke with his deep voice the room became placid and every player's spirit to win seemed to reestablish — growing stronger than ever. Many parents noticed the positive attitudes and often wondered what Coach Tyler said to keep their attitudes so positive and strong.

Coach Bob Tyler has helped many students and athletes unleash character traits capable of leading to large amounts of success. After the last football game, many players expressed their character by revealing their feelings to their teammates. One particular running back stated, as the tears ran down his face, "I thought I was too little to play football, and I didn't have the courage to play, but now I know I have the courage." Coach Tyler had encouraged the small running back throughout the year and helped him build up his courage. His love for young people and willingness to help them has contributed to every student at Oxford High School that comes in contact with him.

Coach Bob Tyler's contribution to the students at Oxford High School does not end when he walks off the football field. He is constantly and unselfishly helping other people throughout the school day. At the beginning of the school year, he comforted a new student that was having problems meeting people by befriending the student. He cited examples of many great men that were very quiet and shy. This seemed to make a difference in the student's attitude and happiness. Any man that can give someone that kind of self confidence deserves great respect. Coach Bob Tyler is a true gentleman and he exemplifies the impeccable image Oxford High School hopes to project in it's student body.

By Steve Sansom



## CHARGERS WALK AWAY FROM THE COUGERS

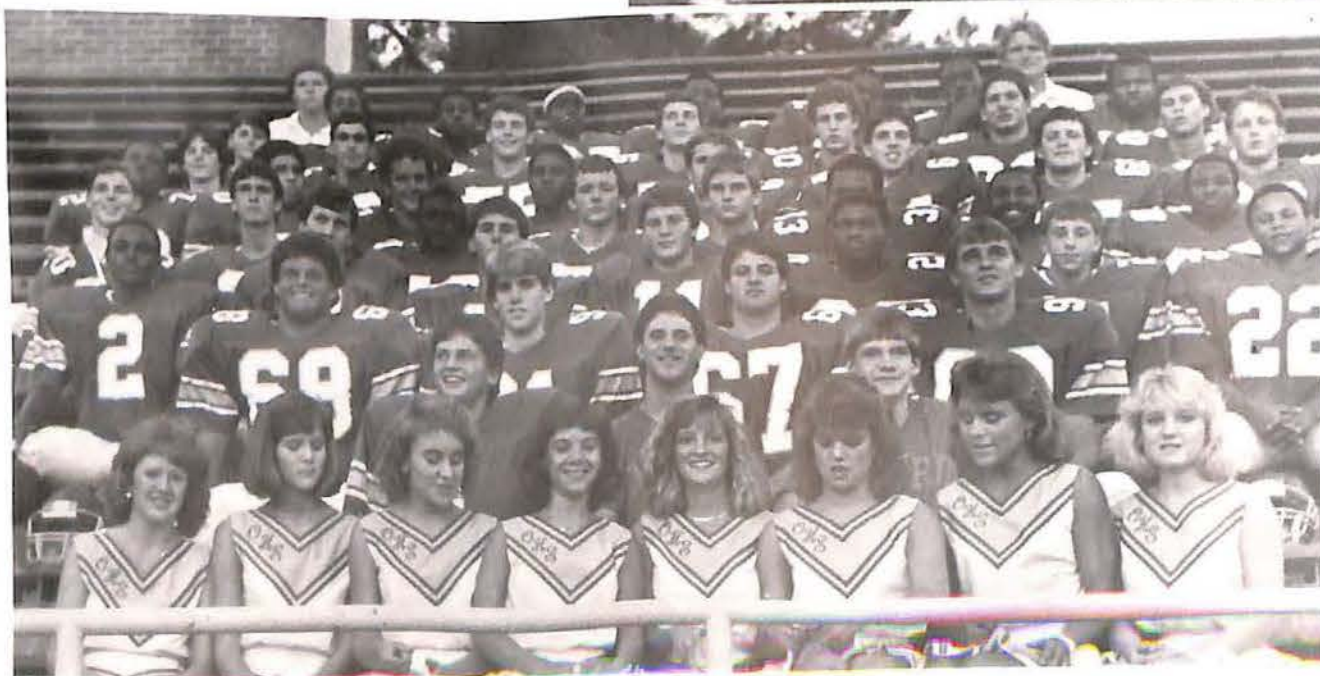
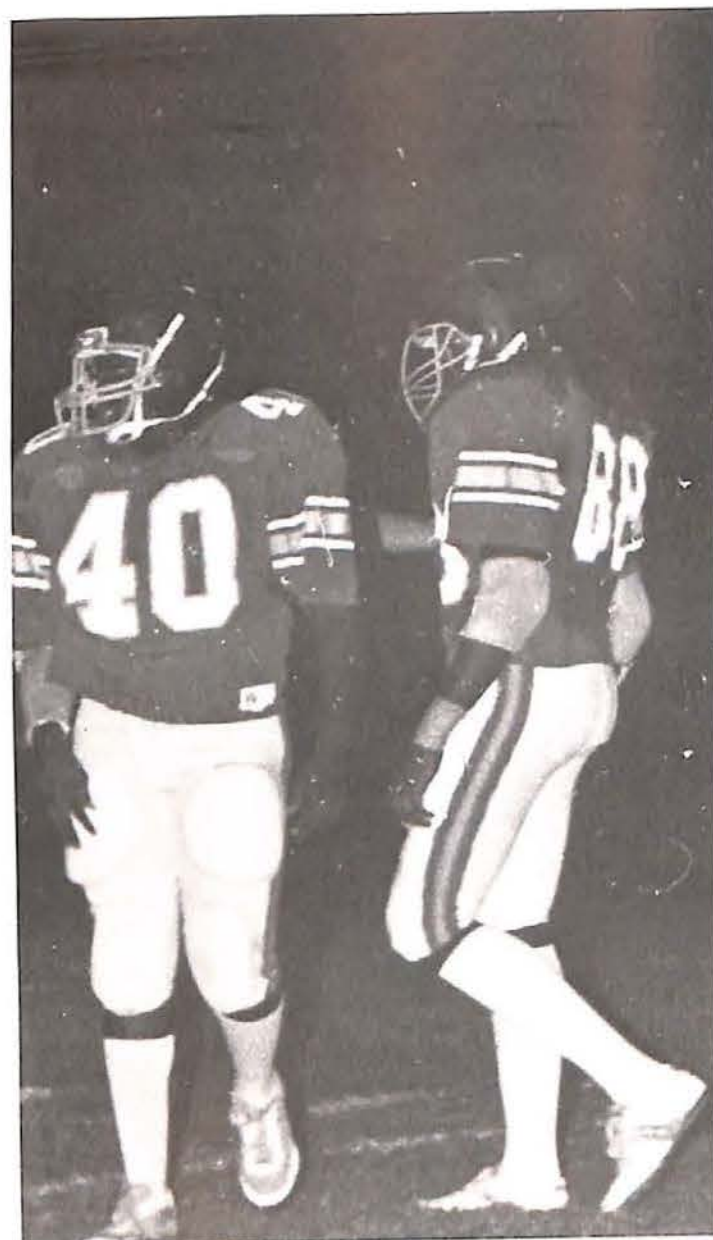




## 1987 CHARGERS FOOTBALL TEAM

1 Lynn Jenkins	62 Greg Robertson
2 Chico Parham	63 Lloyd Grissinger
7 Drew Tyler	64 Chad Lominac
10 Devin Tobin	65 Scott Bradley
11 John Lewis	66 Mike Hunt
20 Tracy Pegues	67 Barry Grantham
21 Jason Couey	68 Justin Hall
22 David Hill	72 Darren Smith
24 Anthony Blake	75 Ward Pulliam
26 Tony Hill	76 Steve Sansom
28 Michael Certion	77 Jeoffrey Gordon
30 Warren Wells	80 Lee McGraw
31 Bill Barry	81 Tyrone Mitchell
32 Greg Sisk	88 Henry Liggins
33 Marlon Moore	89 Jad Dorizas
35 William Alford	90 Chris Stewart
40 Vingi Johnson	91 Newt Rayburn
42 William Henderson	93 Brian Burrow
50 Jonathan Valle	94 Steve Green
51 Ricky Childress	95 Jason Pynkala
60 Phillip Crockett	96 Richard Carlisle
61 John Brannon	98 J.T. Thomas

TRAINER — Aaron Walls  
STUDENT TRAINER — Jeff Moore  
MANAGERS — Joel Giles  
Bill Stewart



## FOOTBALL CHEERLEADERS

Jessica Bonds  
Jan Busby  
Jill Busby  
Alicia Clifton  
Martha Perry  
Leslie Pettis  
Opal Genetti  
Laura Harrison  
Amy Lowe  
Halon Bonds



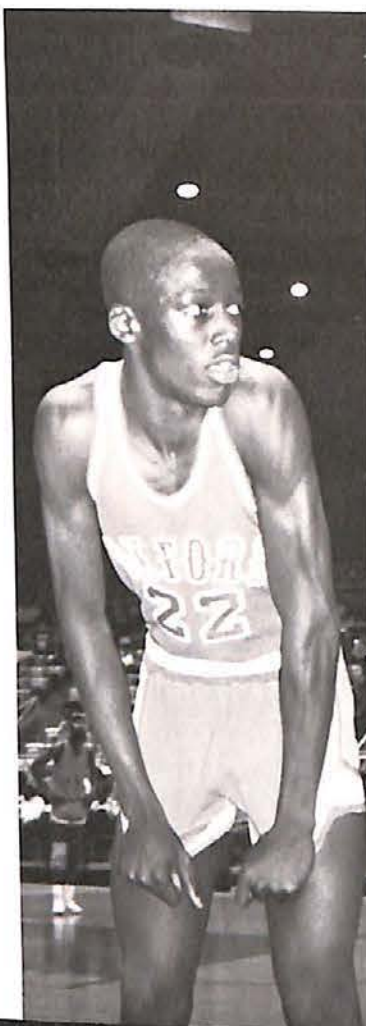


## OHS CHARGERS WIN STATE

The OHS Boys Basketball Team made school history this year by becoming the first Oxford team to win the state basketball championship. At the beginning of the year the team coach, John Sherman, promised the student body and faculty that the team would win state, and indeed they did. The road to the championship was not an easy one. The team practiced from after school until at least six o'clock many a day and throughout every holiday. "Dedicated to Dominate," became drilled in the players' minds.

The support of the Student Body was amazing to everyone. It was nothing to a group of "stud monkeys" to paint their bodies blue and gold to support the Charger Team. Each game became an exciting event because it was sure our Charger Team was never going to have a dull game. Opponents would dread the Oxford games because they knew our team was terrific and our fans were unbelievable.

The team won the district with relative ease, but north half became a battle as Oxford knocked off Columbus Caldwell and then eventually lost to Noxubee County. At state we defeated first South Pike, then Vicksburg, and finally Noxubee County to win the Gold Ball of State Champs. The road concluded with a victory celebration from the town. Everyone knew they were "Dedicated to Dominate."



## BASKETBALL TEAM MEMBERS

Peter Smith — Trainer	John Sherman — Coach	Trainer Markus Pegues	Clyde Hutchins Mike Reidy
John Gillespie	Corey Mitchell	— Trainer	Marc Dean
Darnell Lewis	Darryl Parker	Michael Price	Earl Owens —
Robert King	Jeff Perry	— Trainer	Trainer
Corey Peel	Drew Tyler	Ron Thompson	Brett Bolen —
Devin Tobin	David Hill —	Michael Fox	Trainer

OHS IS "DEDICATED TO DOMINATE"

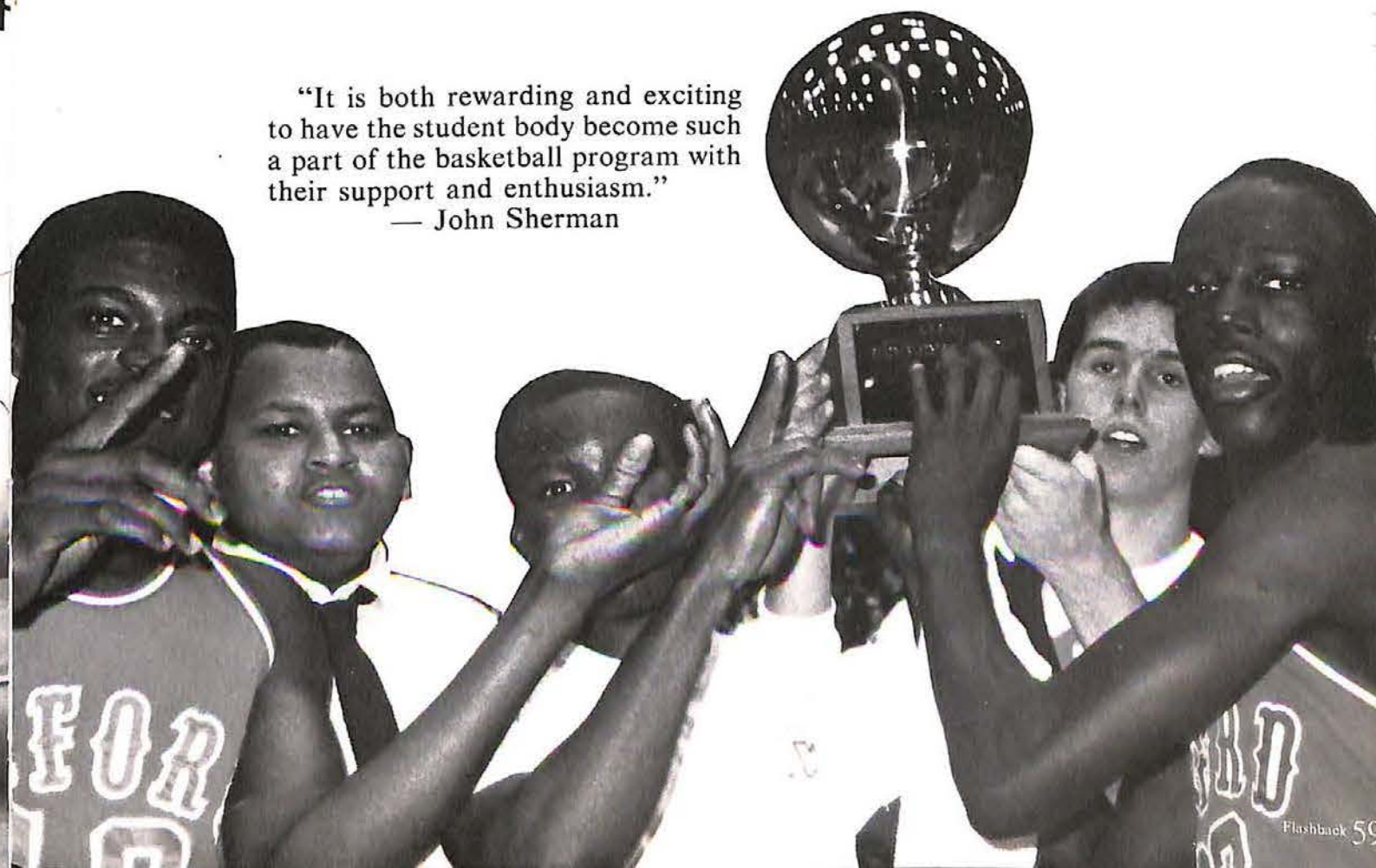
## OHS BOYS RECORD

Oxford vs. Hernando	69-35
Byhalia	52-61
Holly Springs	68-67
Sand Flat	60-55
Olive Branch	52-57
Southaven	79-46
Lafayette	73-60
Water Valley	85-33
Lafayette	75-67
Charleston	70-58
South Panola	59-44
Vardaman	82-42
Calhoun City	62-63
Water Valley	71-54
Horn Lake	62-50
Fulton	60-65
Hickory Flat	56-57
Jackson Jim Hill	66-51
Holly Springs	70-67
Olive Branch	71-64
Fulton	78-57
Grenada	59-55
Horn Lake	62-47
Holly Springs	50-53
Lafayette	49-63
Grenada	51-38
Southaven	58-30
South Panola	54-37
Hernando	48-40
Fulton	55-43
Columbus Caldwell	55-44
Vicksburg	73-67
South Pike	75-56
Noxubee County	64-49



"It is both rewarding and exciting to have the student body become such a part of the basketball program with their support and enthusiasm."

— John Sherman





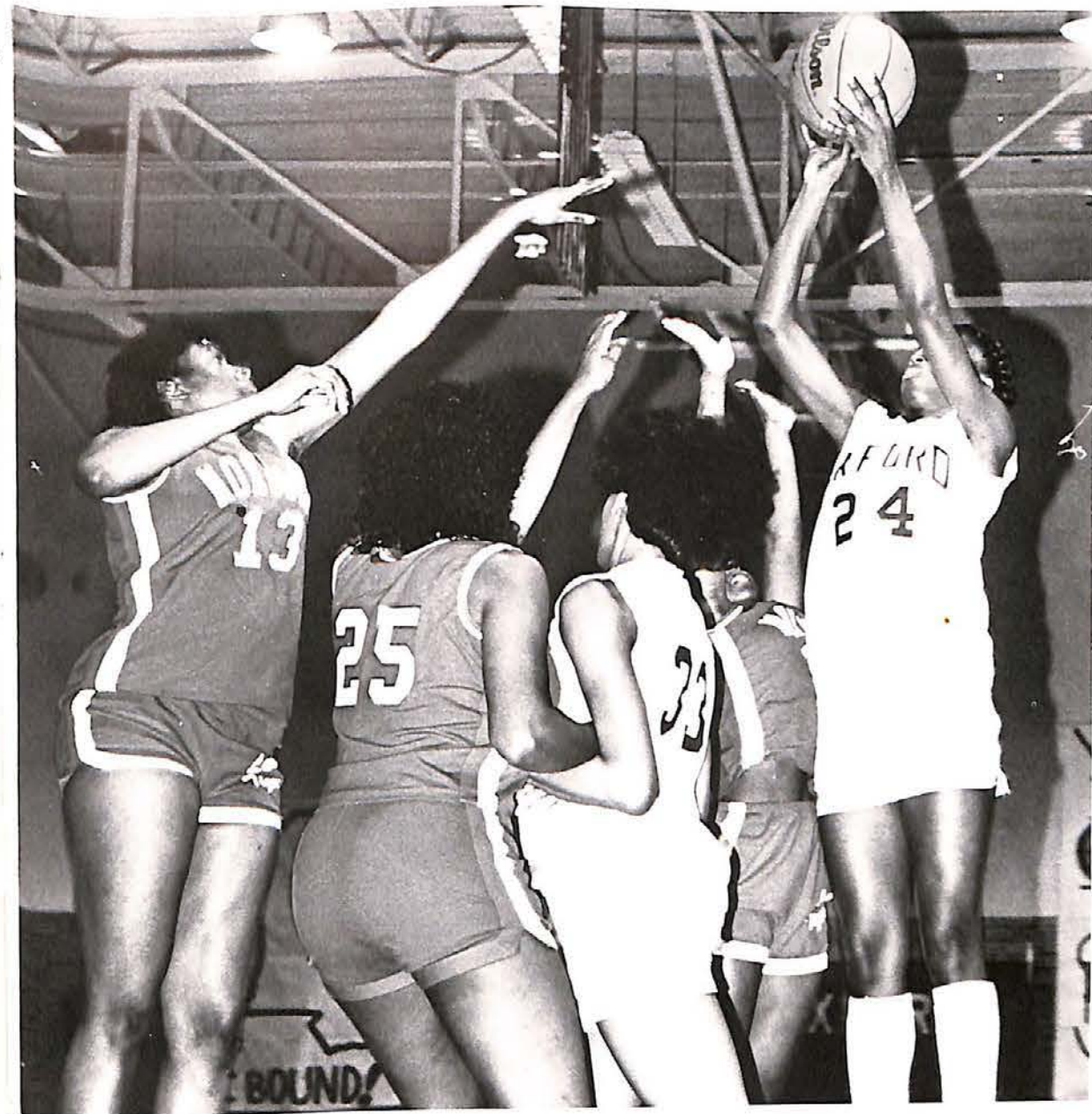
## LADY CHARGERS GO UNDEFEATED ON REGULAR SEASON

A new kind of feeling and support for Lady Chargers Basketball was created this season when the OHS team went 30-0 in regular season. Each game the students gathered to make sure another mark could be placed in the victory column. Students, faculty, and townsmen became curious and excited about the outcome of each Lady Charger game. Victory became even sweeter for the team after every game they won.

The season started in October when the team picked up their first tournament victory. The Lady Chargers became accustomed to long hours of practices, long bus trips, and pressure with each game. The team picked up tournament championships during the year. Coach Jeff Nelson led the Lady Chargers in his second year of coaching and was named conference coach of the year. The team was led by Seniors Angilean Ward, Lisa Gipson, Tealisha Stark, and Renee Chancellor. Also leading the Chargers in scoring were underclassmen Kim Wiley, Rosella Houston, and Tiffany Archie. All four Seniors have been heavily recruited and received numerous honors. The season was an exciting year for the Lady Chargers and next year looks even brighter.



**OHS IS BASKETBALL COUNTRY!!**



## OHS GIRLS RECORD

vs. Lafayette 42, to 40  
 vs. Calhoun City 64, to 37  
 vs. South Panola 50, to 23  
 vs. Hernando 53, to 31  
 vs. Byhalia 53, to 52  
 vs. Holly Springs 54, to 46  
 vs. Olive Branch 55, to 20  
 vs. Southaven 77, to 48  
 vs. Lafayette 61, to 39  
 vs. Water Valley 59, to 39  
 vs. Lafayette 40, to 25  
 vs. Charleston 71, to 25  
 vs. South Panola 64, to 24  
 vs. Coffeeville 68, to 40  
 vs. Water Valley 53, to 39  
 vs. Water Valley 64, to 42  
 vs. Horn Lake 72, to 38  
 vs. Fulton 43, to 30  
 vs. Southaven 66, to 42  
 vs. Holly Springs 62, to 45  
 vs. Olive Branch 60, to 27  
 vs. Fulton 61, to 30  
 vs. South Panola 55, to 27  
 vs. Grenada 67, to 34  
 vs. Holly Springs 55, to 44  
 vs. Lafayette 62, to 28  
 vs. Grenada 64, to 46  
 vs. Southaven 65, to 26  
 vs. South Panola 56, to 38  
 vs. Hernando 70, to 40  
 Tournament Champions  
 OHS Girls Round Robin  
 South Panola Round Robin  
 Robin  
 Tri-County Tournament  
 Chickasaw Conference  
 Tournament  
 District  
 Oxford Advances to State  
 Semi Finals Playoffs

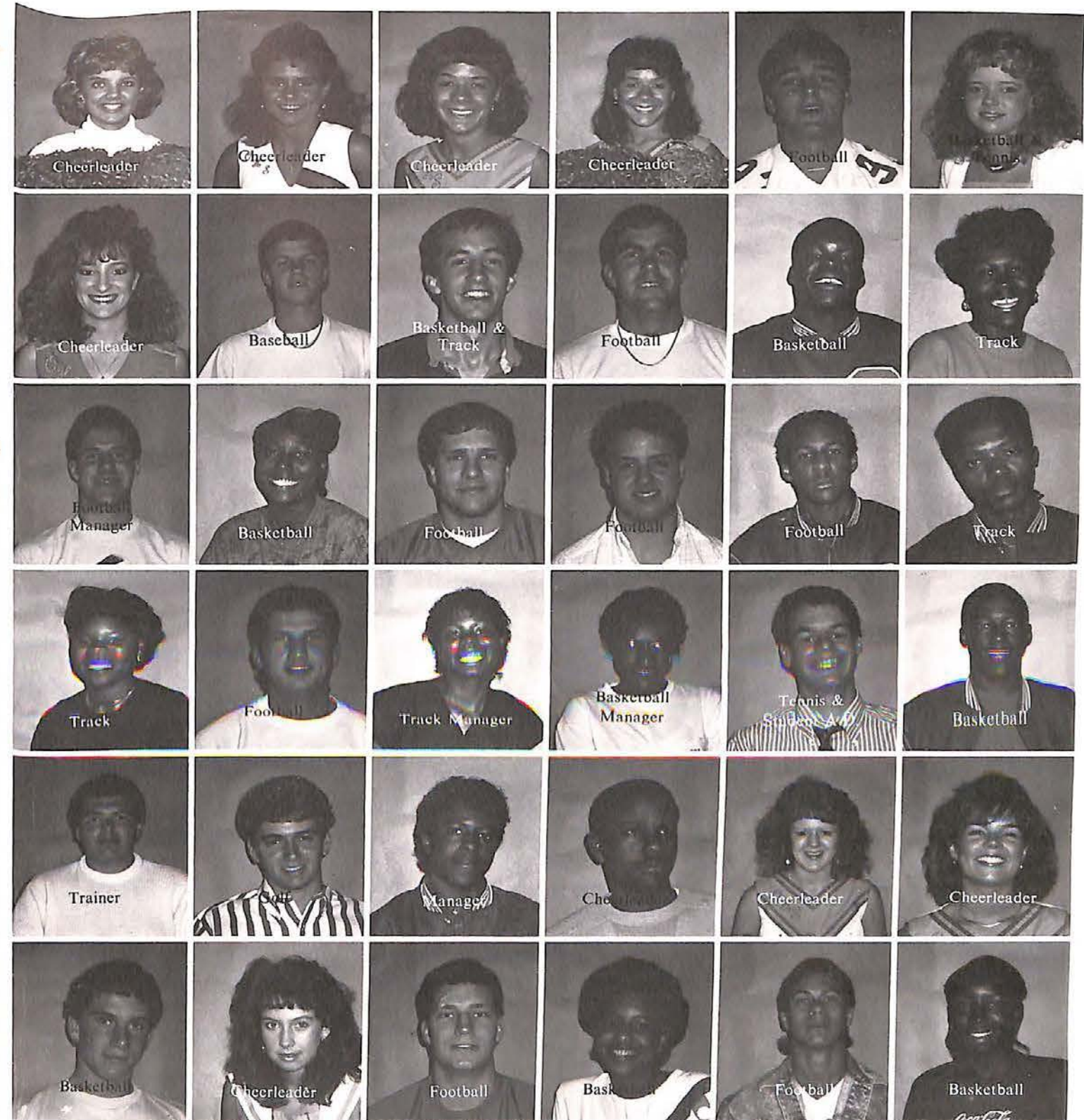
Cynthia Johnson  
 Kim Wiley  
 Angela Hicks  
 Kelly Metzger  
 Tealisha Starks  
 Urshala Joseph  
 Angilean Ward  
 Renee Chancellor  
 Tiffany Archie  
 Sallie Porter  
 Jeff Nelson — Coach  
 Regina Brasell  
 Carolyn Perry  
 Rosella Houston  
 Melissa Giffon  
 Lisa Gipson  
 Martha Phillips  
 Mae Carol Rogers  
 Angie Jones





## OXFORD BASKETBALL CHEERLEADERS

Nicole Akins  
Dana Dickins  
Nanette Roux  
Emily Clayton  
Doris Henderson  
Libbie Kakales  
Detra Mosby  
Charlotte Simpson  
Missy Aldridge  
Tonya Blake  
Janet Payne



Nicole Akins  
Alicia Clifton  
Joel Giles  
Robbin Howard  
Jeffrey Moore  
Mike Reidy

Jessica Bonds  
Tim Collins  
Lisa Gipson  
Lynn Jenkins  
Neil Newcomb  
Nanette Roux

Jan Busby  
Ben Couey  
Lloyd Grissinger  
Charlotte Johnson  
Earl Owens  
Steve Sansom

Jill Busby  
Phillip Crockett  
Barry Grantham  
Angela Jones  
Darryl Parker  
Tealisha Starks

Brian Burrow  
Michael Fox  
Steve Green  
Goodloe Lewis  
Martha Perry  
Christian Stewart

Renee Chancellor  
Talisa Dixon  
Patrick Holman  
Corey Mitchell  
Leslie Pettis  
Angilean Ward

SENIOR ATHLETES SENIOR ATHLETES SENIOR ATHLETES SENIOR ATHLETE



# BASEBALL

## Record

Oxford		Oppo.
16	Lafayette	4
10	Water Valley	17
5	Coldwater	6
2	Senatobia	5
3	Independence	4
2	South Panola	6
1	South Panola	8
3	South Panola	4
0	Horn Lake	3
3	Calhoun City	4
4	Fulton	14
4	Olive Branch	16
14	Water Valley	2
4	Olive Branch	10
2	Fulton	7
17	Holly Springs	0

The Oxford High School Baseball Team worked very hard this year. They have put in a lot of time and effort at practice in anticipation for the games. Coach Jeff Nelson has taught the players not only to be better athletes, but better people in general. Every one on the team did his job to the best of his ability. Although their record was not as good as some would have liked, it did not discourage the team, for they would come out ready to win before each game. This year's seniors, Wesley Pegues, Tim Collins, Rob Robertson, and Matt Porter, will be missed next year on the team but remembered for their contribution to Oxford High School Baseball. Even though Oxford did not go to a tournament or championship we are still very proud of their efforts and congratulate them on all their wins.



Front (l to r.) Wesley Pegues, Mike Braswell, Tim Collins, Bill Barry, Rookie Gage, Eddie Carwile, Dudley Freeman, Back, Matt Porter, Manager, John Lewis, Michael Wilson, Rob Robertson, Devin Tobin, Geoffrey Gordon, Frank Gibbs, Bobby Hawkins, Coach Jeff Nelson

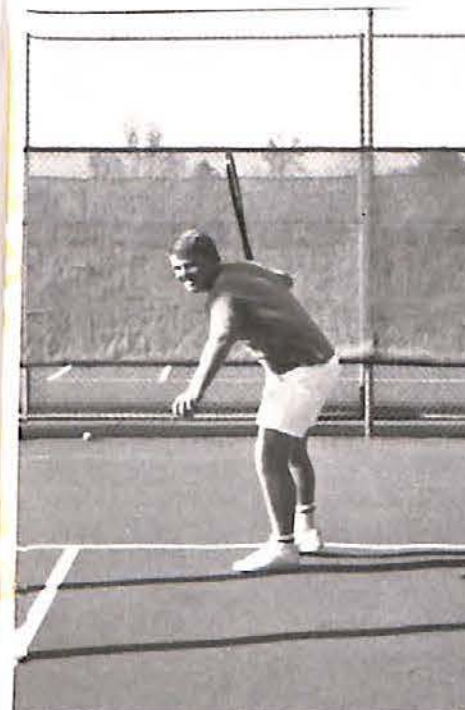
# TENNIS

## Record

Oxford		Oppo.
0	Tupelo	5
2	Olive Branch	3
3	South Panola	2
3	Horn Lake	2
5	Olive Branch	0
1	Corinth	4
5	Fulton	0
5	Bruce	0
2	Horn Lake	2
5	Bruce	0
2	New Albany	3
4	South Panola	1

Conference Champions  
District Champions

The Oxford High School Tennis Team had a great season this year. But, when you think of the tennis team you must think of the members that make up the team. Some of the more notable feats by individual members were performed by Chris Still, who, along with making State Tournament Quarterfinalist, also was a Conference Champion and District Champion. Allyson Caldwell, as well as the team of Whitney Rayner and Jill Slay, were Conference Champions, District Champions, and State Tournament Quarterfinalists. Many other pairs did very well this season. Lamar Robertson and Burak Erdim ended up as Conference Champions while Lamar and Steven Schoenly were District runner-ups and State Qualifiers. Renee Chancellor and Burak Erdim as a team were District Champions and State Qualifiers. Renee and Steven Schoenly were Conference Semifinalists. Many individual members of the team did very well and received many honors. The whole team, coached by Britt Dickens, did outstanding and should be proud of itself and its achievements.



Front (l to r.) Renee Chancellor, David Turner, Burak Erdim, Lamar Robertson, Back, Goodloe Lewis, Steven Schoenly, Chris Still, Not pictured Allyson Caldwell, Whitney Rayner, Jill Slay



# GOLF

## Record

Oxford		Oppo.
183	New Albany	194
162	Southaven	178
165	Tupelo	161
169	Pontotoc	182
171	Southaven	161
171	Horn Lake	183
167	Fulton	187
169	Tupelo	165
160	Pontotoc	162
162	Fulton	168
170	New Albany	177

## District Championship

334	Fulton	364
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## State Championship

621	Louisville	622
	McComb	661
	Laurel	682
	St. Martin	665
	Rankin	604
	Cleveland	640
	Columbus	647

The golf team, coached by John Sherman, did extremely well this '87 season. The team ended the year with a seven and three record, not to mention winning the district championship and placing second in the state tournament next to Rankin. One member of the Oxford High School team, Pat Lee, was the top medalist in the 4A division at the state tournament. He finished with a two day total of 141. The Oxford golf team had an excellent season this year and should be congratulated for their performance on the course.



(l. to r.): Patrick Lee, Andrew Trott, Jay Hasselman, Robert Khayat, Neil Newcomb, Phillip Crockett, Chris Harrison, Billy Sloan.



Top (l. to r.): Trent Smith, Fredrick Phillips, Marlon Moore, Jason Couey, Corey Mitchell, Stanley Reynolds, Tyrone Mitchell, Anthony Blake, Dazerick Parham; Front: David Hill, Tony Hill, Devin Houston, Tommy Frison, Ben Couey, Tracy Pegues, Greg Sisk, Greg Hudson



Top (l. to r.): Lisa Gipson, Angilean Ward, Lanell Shaw; front: Martha Phillips, Charlotte Johnson, Barbara Hickenbottom, Melissa Gilliam, Brenda Key, Linda Houston. Not Pictured: Michelle Goss, Talisa Dixon

# TRACK CHARGERS RUN

## Track Record

### Hernando

Ben Couey — 880 run — 1st  
Ben Couey — mile run — 1st  
Stanley Reynolds — 2 mile run — 1st

### Southaven

Ben Couey — 880 run — 1st  
Talisa Dixon — 440 dash — 1st  
Linda Houston — mile run — 1st  
Michelle Goss — 880 relay — 1st  
Melissa Gilliom — 880 relay — 1st  
Talisa Dixon — 880 relay — 1st  
Lisa Gipson — 880 relay — 1st  
Talisa Dixon — mile relay — 1st  
Martha Phillips — mile relay — 1st  
Brenda Key — mile relay — 1st  
Michelle Goss — mile relay — 1st

### Pearl

Ben Couey — mile run — 1st

### Charleston

Ben Couey — mile run — 1st  
Ben Couey — 880 run — 1st  
Greg Sisk — long jump — 1st  
Michelle Goss — 880 relay — 1st  
Melissa Gilliam — 880 relay — 1st  
Talisa Dixon — 880 relay — 1st  
Lisa Gipson — 880 relay — 1st  
Lisa Gipson — 220 dash — 1st  
Martha Phillips — long jump — 1st

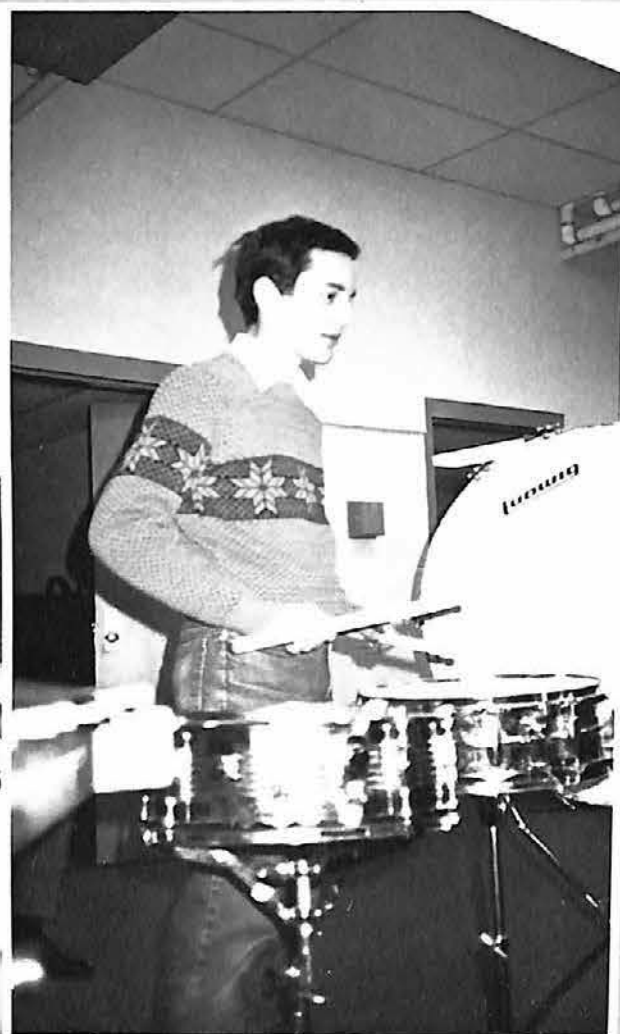
### New Albany

Stanley Reynolds — 2 mile run — 1st  
Angilean Ward — high jump — 1st  
Melissa Gilliam — 880 run — 1st



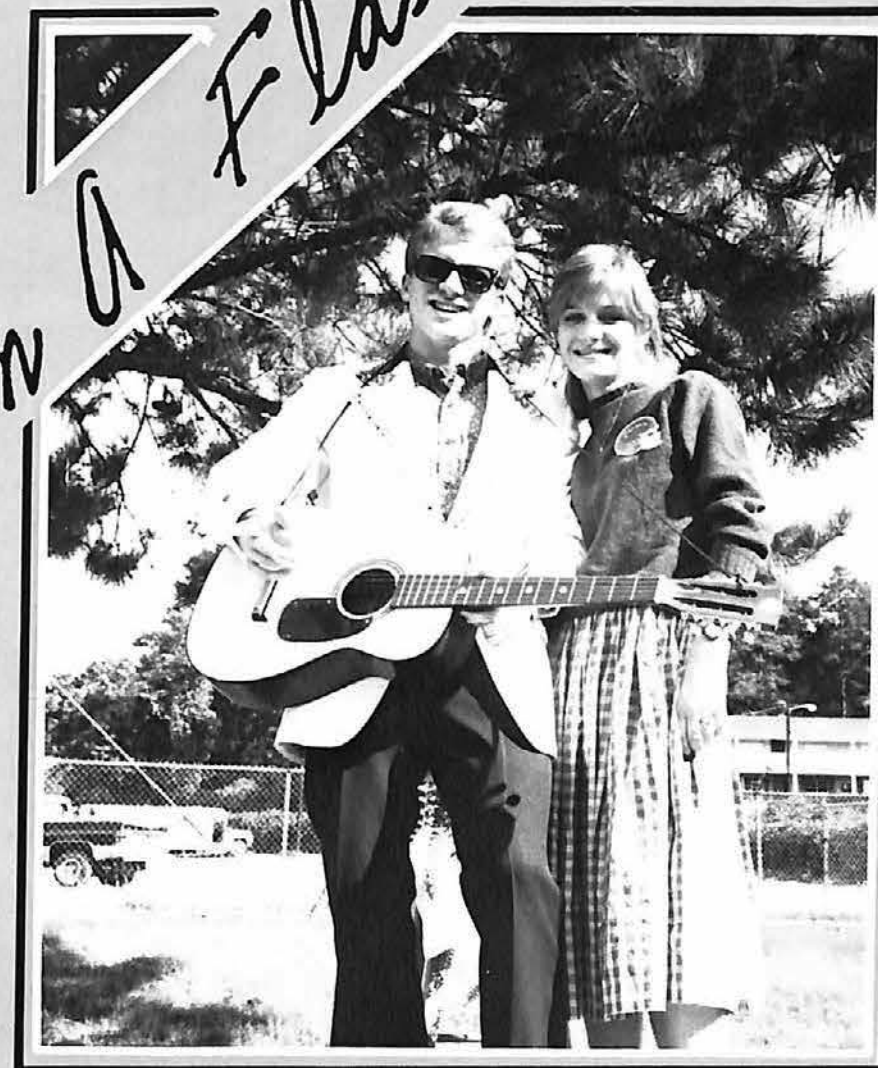
## ACTIVITIES

School activities play a big role in the life of OHS. Assorted clubs, groups, and organizations to meet every student's tastes and interests are all available at Oxford High. This section includes the activity groups which keep Oxford High running and which make it a fun place to be.



Section by Will Morgan, Courtney Pennington

*I'm a Flash*



*Activities*



# O.H.S.

Nicole Akins, Jeanna Sewell, Jackie Jones, Steven Wall, Mrs. Wells, Alyce Smith



Meg Smith and Courtney Pennington



# FLASHBACK STAFF

Nicole Akins, Steven Wall, Meg Smith, Jackie Jones, Libbie Kakales, Jean Henderson, Ashley Wells, Courtney Pennington, Will Morgan, Amanda Mason, Alyce Smith, Khristi Aquilini, Jeanna Sewell.



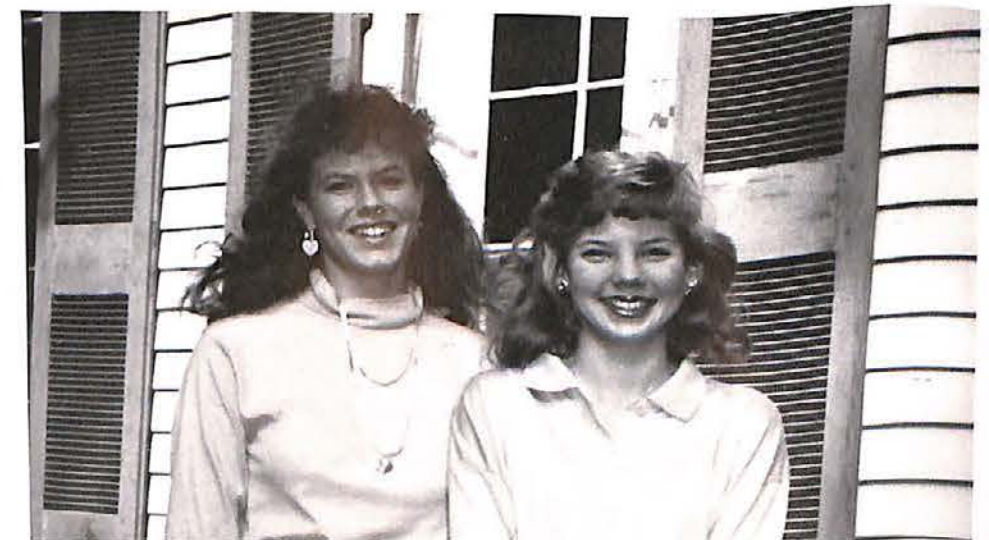
Libbie Kakales and Khristi Aquilini



Amanda Mason and Will Morgan



Ashley Wells and Jean Henderson





# ASG

## Executive Branch

Mrs. Shelby (Advisor), Warren Wells (Pres.), Cameron Abel (Vice-Pres.), Alicia Clifton (Sec.), Steven Wall (Treas.)



## Senate Branch

Cameron Abel, Martha Perry, Leslie Pettis, Michael Wilson, Jeana Brooks, Jackie Jones, Courtney Pennington, Ashley Wells



## Judicial and Public Relations Branches

Jack Carenza, Melissa Perry, Anne-Marie Brown, Charlotte Simpson, Geoffrey Marx, Ameena Gordon, Kenya Hodges, Nicole Akins, Vicki Shaw, Regina Verlangieri, Caroline Walker



The Associated Student Government is an organization designed to benefit all students at Oxford High School. One of the ASG's main purposes is to plan and coordinate events for the enjoyment of a variety of students such as Homecoming, Mr & Miss Irresistible, and Spring Fling. The ASG runs all elections and is responsible for the bookstore, class competition, improving student/teacher relations, suggesting changes in school policies, and approving student activities by other clubs. The ASG truly plays an important part in the success of a school year.

## Senior Representatives

LaShawnda Walker, Eddie Willis, Neil Newcomb, Mike Reidy, Tajuana Redmond, Darryl Parker, Whitney Rayner, Jan Busby, Jessica Bonds, Jill Busby, Tealisha Starks



## Junior Representatives

Stacy Stansell, Doris Henderson, Paul Gilmore, Bonnie Harland, Sonya Anderson, Jeanna Sewell, Liz White, Cathy Still, Amy Lowe, Libbie Kakaes



## Sophomore Representatives

Stephanie Price, Niki Dorizas, Tonya Blake, Missy Aldridge, Jennifer Daniels, Angela Turner, Lesley Tidwell, Jean Henderson, Halon Bonds

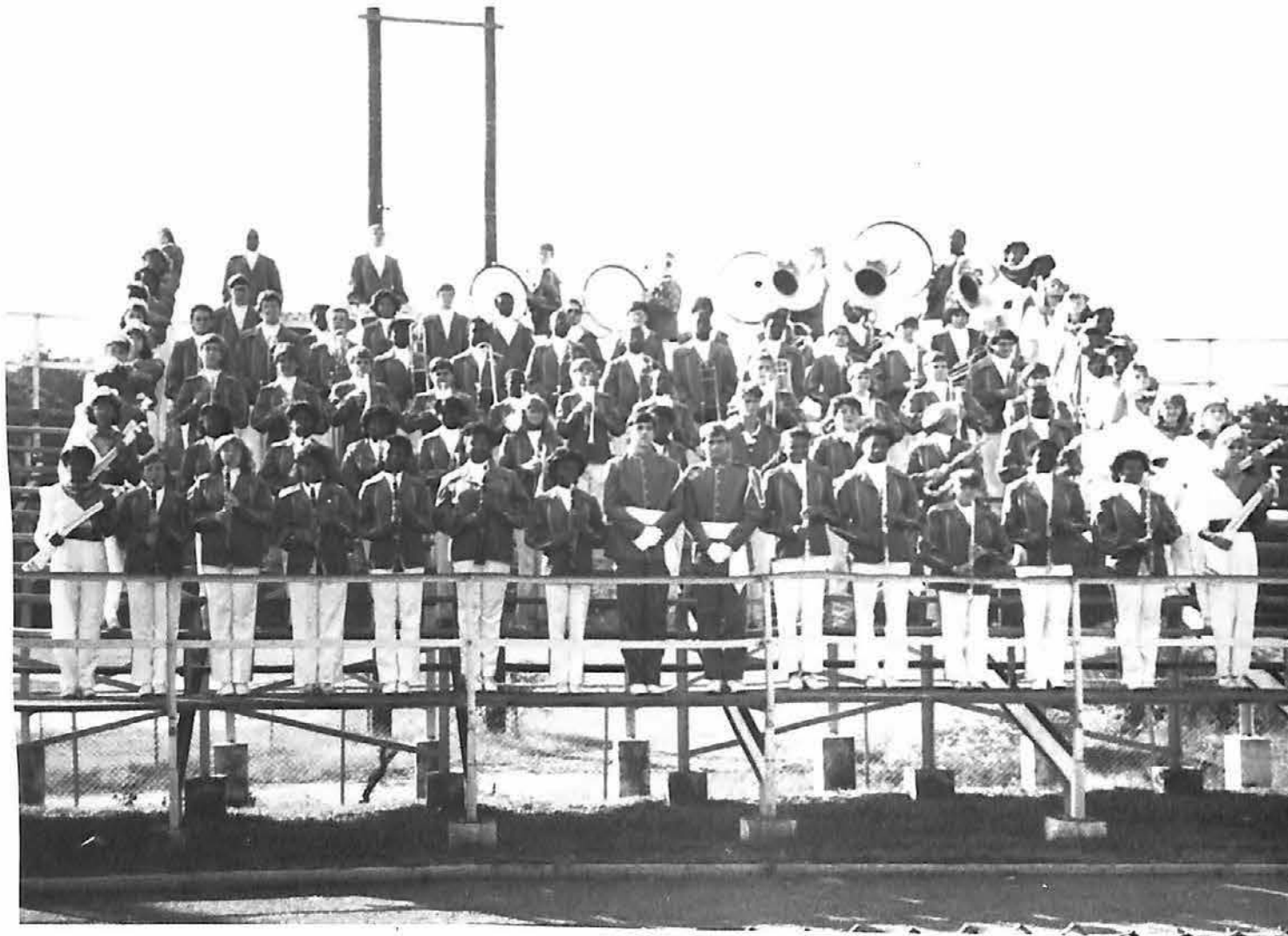




# OHS BAND

The Oxford High School Band came away with many awards and honors this year. The band was one of only two bands to receive all superiors at the Northwest Marching Contest. They also got all superiors at the Northeast Band Contest. The Oxford Band did very well at the State Band Contest. The individual band members did great this year, too.

There were twenty-five superiors and ten excellents at the Northeast Mississippi Solo and Ensemble Competition. In addition, nineteen band members were selected for the North Mississippi Band Clinic. One student, Matt Van Besien, was chosen for the Lion's Band. We all congratulate the members of the band and the band directors for their productive year.



## FIRST ROW

Cindy McGregor  
Patricia Ryan  
Tanya Reed  
Rita Thompson  
Liz Duckworth  
Charlotte Simpson  
Matt Van Besien  
Clay Harland  
Urshala Joseph  
Sonya Anderson  
Nikki Webb  
Tiffany Archie  
Rochelle Thompson

## SECOND ROW

Audra Goolsby  
Deneen Frierson  
Stacie Hutchins  
Voncille Davidson  
Nancy Beebe  
Tonya Blake  
Chris Smith  
Kirk White  
Ann Rankin  
Doug Minor

## THIRD ROW

Kevin Hendrix  
Steven Woolsey

## FOURTH ROW

Kevin Holt  
Tom Ferrel  
Eric Keller  
Scott Baird  
John Watkins  
Trent Smith  
Mark Addy  
Scott Caldwell  
Robin Jones

## FIFTH ROW

Bobby Moon  
Frank Kelly  
Oliver Gaycken  
Allison Young

## SIXTH ROW

Darrell Henderson  
Marcus White  
Anthony Pegues  
Darnell Lewis  
Ken Young  
Chad Mitchell  
Chad Mood  
Donny McCord

## SEVENTH ROW

John Littlejohn  
Telisa Smith  
Neoykee Joseph  
Greg Gillespie  
Patrick Holman

## EIGHTH ROW

Matt Porter  
Jennifer Smith  
Kittrick Redmond  
Kuson Pettis  
Hiram Wadlington  
Hoke Wilcox

## NINTH ROW

Marlon Houston  
Shane Hunter  
Brian Russell  
Steven McCord  
Joey Martin  
Darryl Parker

## TENTH ROW

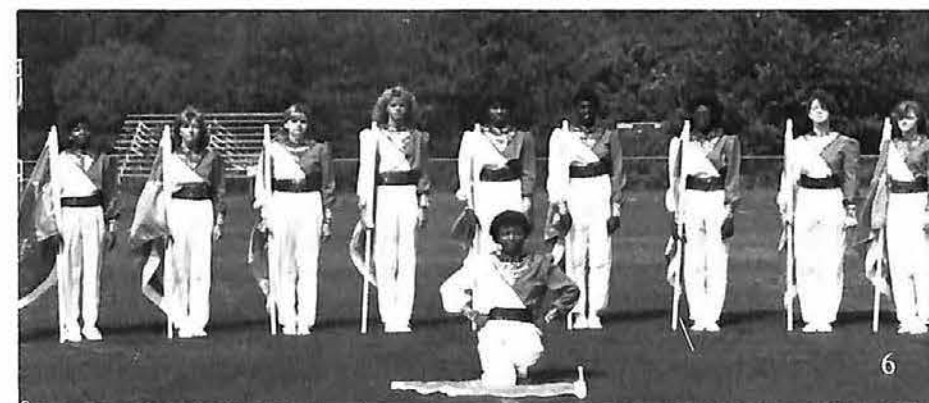
Stephanie Price  
Anjali Prasad  
Ameena Gordon  
Marie Moon  
Judi Tomerlin  
Diana Davis  
Tiffany Carter  
Doris Henderson  
Michelle Goss  
Jo Lynn Skelton  
Susan Baird

## ELEVENTH ROW

Dee Mitchell  
Cindy McKinney  
Martha Perry  
Haley Hood  
Vernell Jones

## TWELFTH ROW

Tammy Blake  
Shertha Harmon  
Jennifer Bray  
Sydney Holmes  
Tansy Dixon  
Jenerra Williams



1. The rifles pose for a quick picture. 2. The 1987 Oxford High School drum majors. 3. The percussion march during half-time. 4. Bobby Moon and Frank Kelly jam out. 5. The band plays in the stands. 6. The flag corps solemnly stand at attention.



# CHORAL MUSIC



**Quartet**  
J. Mosley, D. Randle, S. Wall, E. Willis



**Sextet**  
J. Bonds, K. Brown, A. Clifton, L. Harrison, C. Johnson, M. Perry



**SSA Choir**  
M. Aldridge, H. Bonds, J. Brooks, A.M. Brown, L. Chandler, E. Clayton, N. Dorizas, C. Gilliom, D. Harwell, J. Henderson, A. Lowe, A. Mason, L.B. McDaniel, M. Perry, N. Roux, J. Russell, A. Supple, R. Tollison, A. Turner, T. Williams



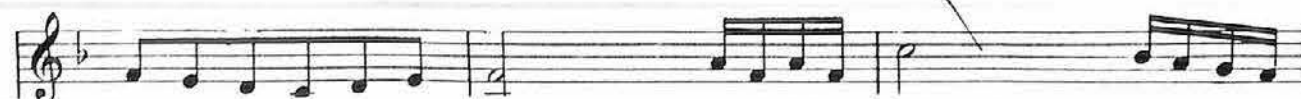
**Concert Choir**  
C. Able, N. Akins, P. Alford, J. Bonds, K. Brown, A. Clifton, B. Glasgow, L. Harrison, C. Johnson, G. Klein, J. Mosley, M. Perry, L. Pettis, F. Phillips, M. Porter, D. Randle, W. Rayner, J. Sewell, R. Verlangieri, S. Wall, L. White, E. Willis



**Varsity Chorus**  
K. Aquilini, M. Barlow, C. Barr, D. Blackmon, Z. Boyd, A. Campbell, L. Case, S. Cho, V. Cimon, K. Ferguson, L.A. Gardner, B. Harland, A. Ingo, M. King, C. Pennington, M. Sanders, V. Shaw, M. Whitten, M. Williams



**Varsity Chorus**  
C. Ables, L. Banks, S. Barry, P. Blakely, S. Caffey, P. Crockett, B. Daniels, J. Daniels, J. East, P. Franklin, C. Frieson, O. Genetti, C. Gray, C. Herring, B. Johnson, M.A. Jones, T. McCain, M. Moser, D. Powell, J. Ramsey, R. Ray, K. Simmons, D. Smith, A. Tidwell, L. Tidwell, C. Walker, A. Young, C. Westbrook, M. Tubbs





# DECA

The Distributive Education Clubs of America started the year with raising almost \$2,000 for M.D. and received the state award for raising the most money of any club. The group then sponsored Oxford High's Great American Smokeout and also sponsored the first school Beauty Review. The club also bought presents for a needy child at Christmas.

Charlee Lovelady (Historian), Leigh Garner (Chaplain), Renee Chancellor (Vice. Pres.) Sabrina Dayton (Parliamentary) Nicole Akins (Reporter), Katrina Davis (President), Phyllis Alford (Treas.)



Stephanie Meagrow, Ellis Spraggins, Vanessa Allen, Conniel Cohran, Jack Carenza, Fontaine Leavell, Wade Medley, Margaret Walton, Laura Harwell, Beth Stiles, Jeffrey Moore, Leigh Garner, Andy Trott, Mary Ann Connell, Sabrina Dayton, Ann Bender, Mary Beth Reilly, Shan Miller,



Yolanda Gipson, Stephanie Gipson, Robbin Howard, Mavis Mitchell, Charlotte Johnson, Camilla Pegues, Margaret Bailey, Lane Traylor, David Moore, Phyllis Alford, David Austin



## DECA



In the spring the group worked toward state DECA competition with Jeffrey Moore going to Nationals, with Beth Stiles winning a District Vice-Presidency and Margaret Bailey winning State President. This outstanding chapter is under the direction of Mrs. Pam Horton.

Margaret Bailey and Beth Stiles.



Brenda Luster, Loretta Sledge, Nicole Johnson, Jackie Jones, Renee Chancellor, Leslie Leschner, Nicole Akins, Alyce Smith, Leah Williams, Martha Perry, Michelle Michelletti, Chris Westbrook, Alice Supple, Robin Hill, Cheryl Nix, Jayme Alford, Amanda Mason



Robin Hill, Lori Group, Edith Pruitt, Leigh Byrd, Cheryl Nix, Rachel Tollison, Jayme Alford, Sharon Dowdy, Caysie Moore, Leigh Pulliam, Nekolle Oree, Charlee Lovelady, Ashby Johnson, Talisa Dixon

## DECA



# CHARGER FLASH

The Charger Flash is Oxford High's school newspaper which circulates about once a month. This club meets every day to organize each new edition. All students at OHS enjoy reading the interesting articles and looking at the fun pictures. This club is under the supervision of Mrs. Beth Fitts.

Bobby Moon (Editor), Alyce Smith (Business Manager and Copy Editor), Ann Bender (Copy Editor), Hoke Wilcox (Asst. Editor)



(No particular order) Tealisha Starks, Laura Ware, Tajuana Redmond, Bobby Moon, Karen Vaxter, Alyce Smith, Angilean Ward, Ann Bender, Thomas Gordon, David Jones, Jeffrey Hilliard, Hoke Wilcox, Derrick Archie, John Sabotka, Jackie Jones, Michael Price, Kendric Gordon, Matt Porter



Charger Flash members hard at work.



## CHARGER FLASH

# KEY CLUB



Key Club is a service organization that assists many charities throughout the Oxford-Lafayette county area. They have worked with the elderly, Easter Seals, and a variety of other projects. The club is under the supervision of Ms. Susan Smith.

Jeffrey Moore, Cameron Abel, Julie Russell, Vicki Shaw, Charlotte Johnson, Ms. Smith



J. Daniels, W. Rayner, M. Reidy, J. Moore, C. Moore, H. Adair, C. Walker, Ms. Smith, J. Jones, D. Minor, L. Leschner, A. Mason, C. Abel, V. Shaw, C. Johnson, C. Harland, L. Harwell, M.B. Reilly, B. Hawkins, A. Inigo, J. Sewell, M. Smith, L. Williams, A. Smith, J. Bonds, J. Russell, M. Tubbs, M. Crowe, A. Lowe, L. Harrison, L. Kakalas



Key Club members work on an Easter project.

## KEY CLUB



# BRAIN BRAWL

Brain Brawl is an Academic organization which meets once a week to study and quiz in the subjects of history, English, literature, math, and science. After a study and review session, the students practice their quickness at answering questions by working with buzzers. The members of this group participate for fun and also compete in an elimination tournament to decide who will be members of the Oxford High Academic Competition Team. Brain Brawl is indeed a rewarding experience for everyone who takes part.

Ms. Smith and Dr. Murchison



Mark Crowe, Steven Wall, Julie Russell, Stacy Stancill, Vicki Shaw, Doris Henderson, Lamar Robertson, Robert Weems, Matt Long, Sonya Anderson, Goodloe Lewis, Doug Minor, Clay Harland, Geoffrey Marx, Chris Still



Brain Brawlers take a break.



## BRAWLING BRAINS

# FCA



The Fellowship of Christian Athletes is a Christian student organization for the athletes at Oxford High. This group meets once a month to hear speakers, see films, and have discussions. The FCA plays a positive role at Oxford High and is truly a beneficial activity to all those students who are members.

Coach Tyler, Steven Wall (Pres.), Leslie Pettis (Sec.), Warren Wells (Vice Pres.)



(No particular order) L. Pettis, P. Crockett, W. Henderson, J. Busby, C. Johnson, W. Wells, M. Hunt, A. Ward, A. Clifton, R. Howard, T. Hill, B. Burrow, S. Sansom, E. Marshall, D. Smith, A. Blake, M. Moore, B. Grantham, B. Couey, N. Akins, B. Stewart, J. Bonds, E. Willis, J. Moore, M. Perry, J. Busby, M. Tubbs, N. Newcomb, S. Wall, L. Grissinger, T. Dixon, L. Jenkins



(No particular order) L. Robertson, T. Pegues, U. Joseph, M. Aldridge, L. Kakales, G. Gordon, A. Lowe, M. Certion, L. Marchbanks, T. Archie, S. Smith, D. Hill, S. Bradley, J. Hall, K. Barron, C. Garrison, F. Phillips, V. Johnson, D. Tobin, V. Harrison, D. Lewis, S. Porter, G. Sisk, T. Mitchell, J. Sullins, H. Liggins, C. Simpson, B. Barry, O. Genetti, E. Clayton, H. Bonds, J. Dorizas, D. Tyler

## FELLOWSHIP OF CHRISTIAN ATHLETES



# DRAMA CLUB

The Drama Club presented a fabulous production of "Twelve Angry Jurors" this year. The excellence of this production was seen by the students and parents at O.H.S. The Drama club is under the direction of Ms. Susan Smith.

Vicki Shaw, Oliver Gayken, Whitney Rayner



M. Brown, T. Blake, M.B. Reilly, O. Gayken, Ms. Smith, C. Boyden, B. Styles, V. Shaw, L. Harwell, C. Bell, J. Mosely, A.M. Brown, H. Wilcox, C. Johnson, C. Abel, M. Perry, R. Robertson, S. Wall, T. Redmond, R. Verlanjeri, L.B. McDaniels, S. Caldwell, Matt Porter, K. Hendrix, J. Bonds, J. Sabotka, B. Moon, W. Rayner

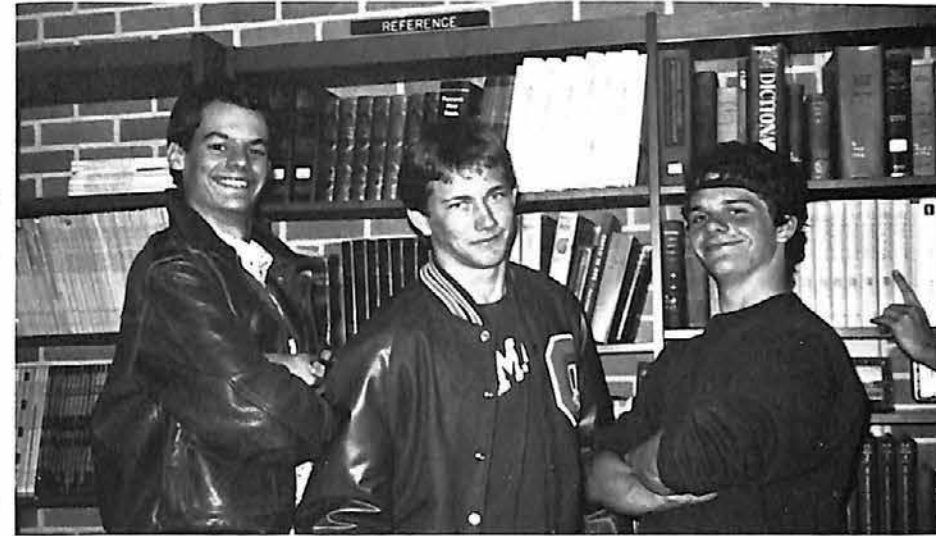


The cast of "Twelve Angry Jurors."



## DRAMA CLUB

# LANGUAGE CLUB



The different language clubs are made up of students from the French and German language classes. The clubs hold foreign food tasting parties. They also attend the foreign language fair where this year they received numerous awards and honors. The clubs are under Ms. Gayle Blackwell and Mrs. Hannae Gayken.

Goodloe Lewis, Chris Still, Lamar Robertson



Mike Reidy, Ashley Wells, Bobby Hawkins, Goodloe Lewis, Mark Crowe, Jeffrey Marx



L. Kakales, L.B. McDaniels, S. Caffey, M. Smith, M. King, S. Sneed, M. Whitten, M. Braswell, L. Harrison, Ms. Blackwell, K. Simmons, C. Cox, V. Cimon, A.M. Brown, B. McCretton, C. Pennington, J. Henderson, N. Dorizas, K. Thorne, D. Baker, C. Walker, M. Dinicelantonio, M. Reidy, C. Still, L. Robertson, M. Crowe

## LANGUAGE CLUB



## PEOPLE

The People section is especially for you, the OHS student. In these pages one will find a cross section of the many different individuals who make up the student body at Oxford High. The people of OHS are truly the most important ingredient of the school.



Section by Jackie Jones

In a Flash



People



## TALENTED PEOPLE

When the lights went down and the music started, you could tell that the Talent Show was going to be the best one ever presented at OHS. The line up included The Beastie Boys, the Football cheerleaders, Warren and Bobby, Karen and Tealisha, James and Marsha, and many other talented teens.



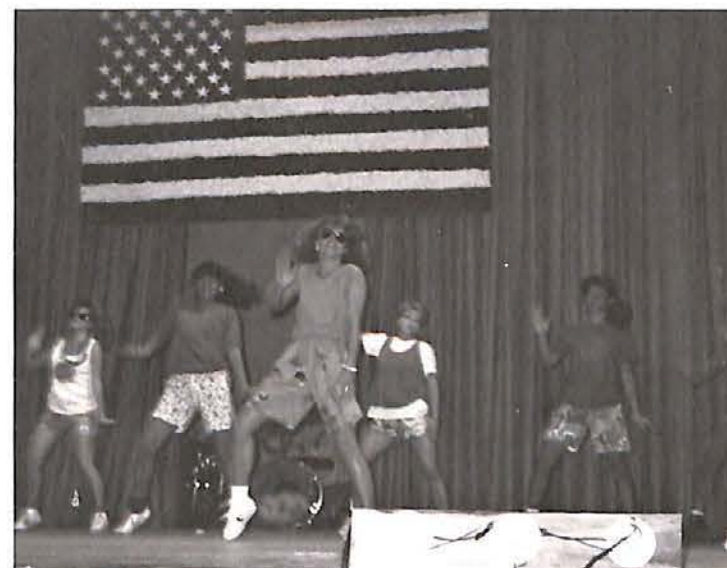
Karen and Tealisha jam off "New Love"



We love "Amerika"!



Gloria struts her stuff to "Control"



The Football Cheerleaders give us a taste of their routine



Warren and Bobby show us their talent



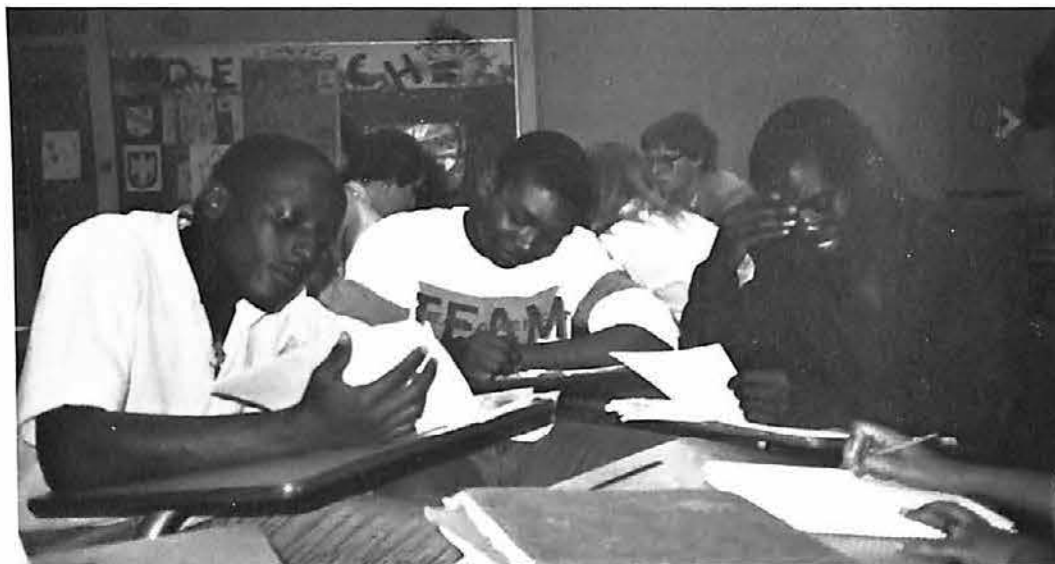
Newt goes off on his guitar



Marsha and James sing their favorite jam.



Working means doing what you do best. Everyone has a different definition of this word. To some it means to get a job and work hard. To others it means anything that requires energy. Whatever the meaning the people at OHS had to work hard to get where they are now.



"We just love reading love letters"



Tisha is trying to do homework with the book closed.



"John are you copying again?"



Detra works on her smile.



"We really are working"



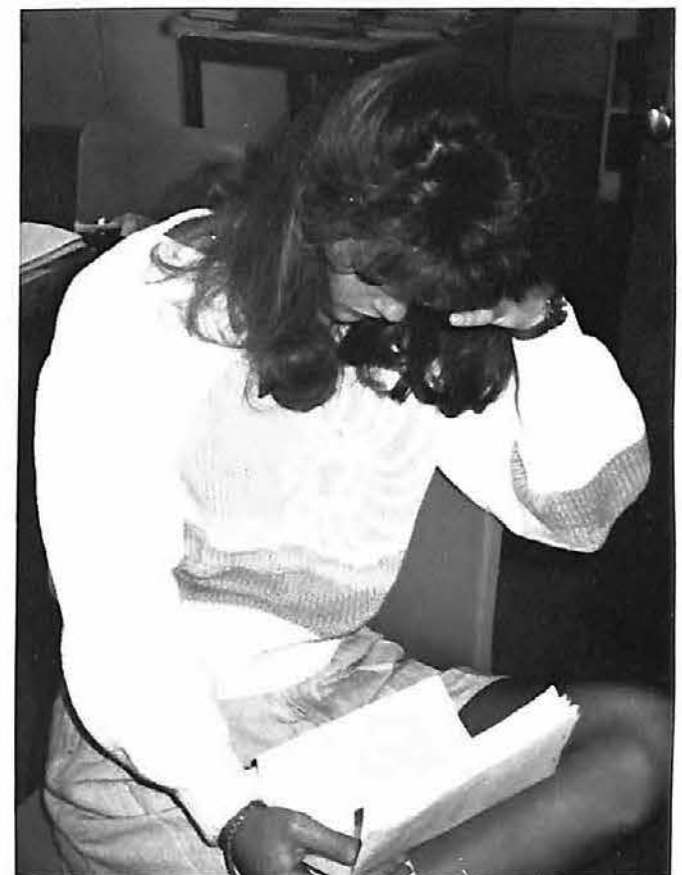
"Hi, welcome to Denver's. May I show you our salad bar?"



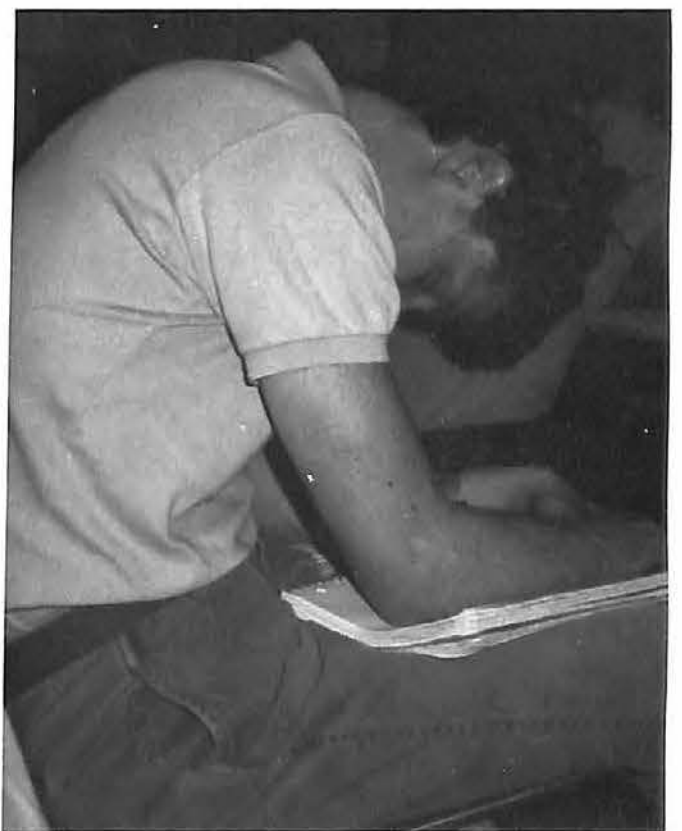
"Do you know what today is Mr. D.? Today is my uncle's cousin's third daughter's college roommate's son's first time to talk, and he is only 4 months old!"



Now a writing assignment on basketball would be a different story.



Sleeping? Naw



Learning through osmosis

## WORKING PEOPLE

## WORKING PEOPLE



# MUNCHING PEOPLE

The key words at OHS are "Let's go to lunch". As we walk the halls, we often hear "I'm hungry, what time is it?" Some changers have been made in lunch this year. The fruit and salad bar is refreshing to the taste-buds, the ice cream is soothing on a hot day, and lunch is welcomed after one has skipped breakfast. Keep up the good work Cafeteria Staff.



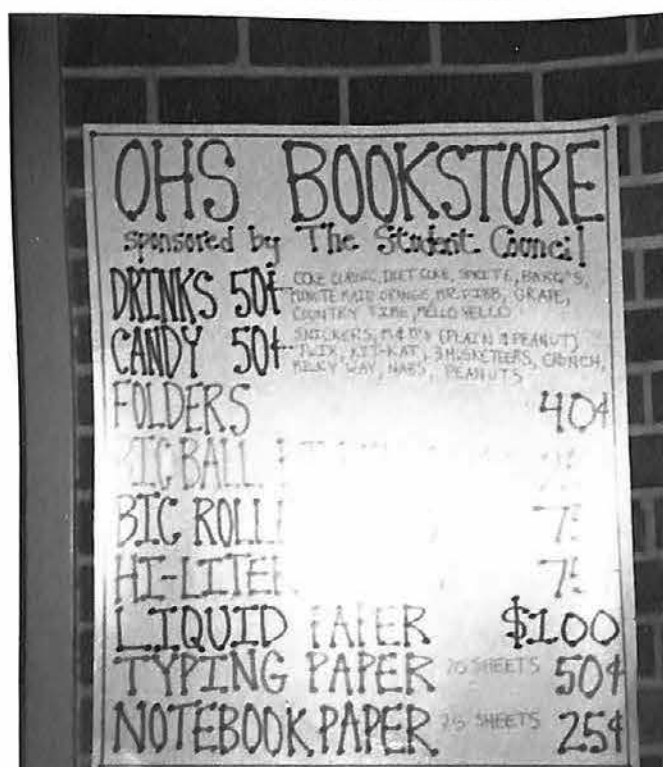
One of those silly lunch pictures.



Another one of those silly lunch pictures.



And yet another one of those silly lunch pictures.



Over-priced; Under-sold



Gloria's Competition



A silly lunch picture that should be on the other page.



And one last silly lunch picture.



And here is Hung Spam for meat by-products ...  
"Spam is over 50 years old, and so is this food."



# CHEERING PEOPLE CHEERING PEOPLE CHEERING PEOPLE CHEERING PEOPLE

At the beginning of the year, when the students at OHS walked through the doors, they had something to cheer about ... the new band hall and chorus room. As the year went on the fans at OHS went to football games every Friday night. To end the year the fans got to cheer their beloved Basketball girls on to the State Finals and cheer the boys on to win the 4-A State Championship!



Basketball player or super hero? You decide.



Something just got Sonya and it's coming for Karen.



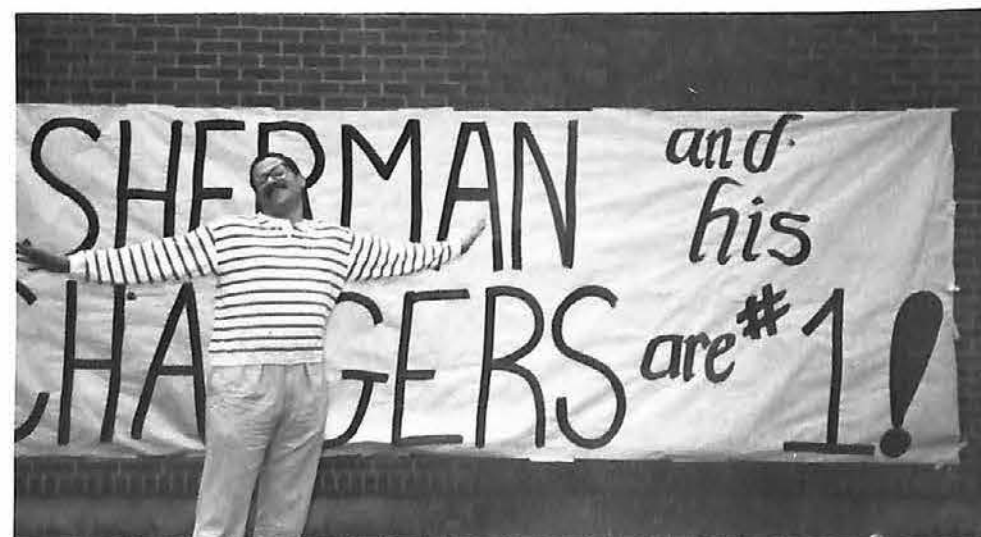
Get the Coppertone Tan-Tan



Who are the little kids in the background?



What A "GAF"



You've got room for a big head since it's so proportionally small.



State Champs — Brett and Crew!



Parchman parole class of 1987.





She'll settle for #2



The Juniors take a break



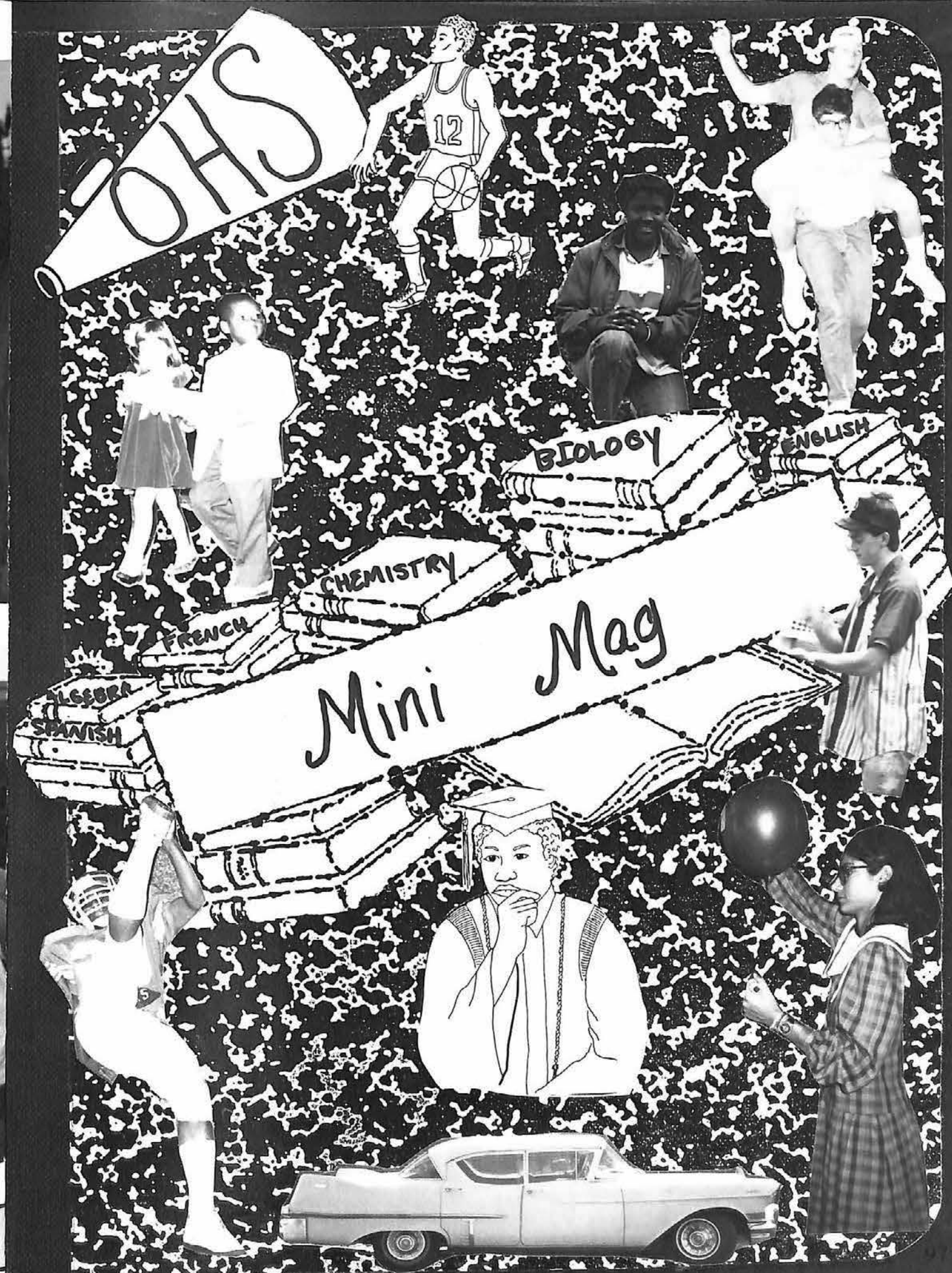
Senioritis strikes!



Alex P. Keaton Club



Clifton gives the Seniors a thumbs up:



# CHEERING PEOPLE



## SEPTEMBER HAPPENINGS

- 1 — LABOR DAY
- 2 — DONNA THOMAS'S B-DAY
- 2 — HERBERT WILEY'S B-DAY
- 5 — HICK DAY
- 5 — OXFORD VS. LAFAYETTE GAME
- 6 — OLE MISS VS. MEMPHIS STATE GAME
- 7 — KITTRICK REDMOND'S B-DAY
- 8 — NEW STUDENT PARTY
- 14 — TIFFANY ARCHIE'S B-DAY
- 14 — MARY ANN CONNELL'S B-DAY
- 17 — MISSY ALDRIDGE'S B-DAY
- 17 — STACY STANSELL'S B-DAY
- 17 — FREDERICK PHILLIP'S B-DAY
- 19 — OXFORD DEFEATS HORN LAKE
- 23 — FIRST DAY OF AUTUMN
- 24 — PROGRESS REPORTS
- 25 — HOMECOMING QUEEN ELECTIONS
- 26 — OHS FOOTBALL GAME
- 26 — MIKE PRICE'S B-DAY
- 29 — CAVE MAN SPIRIT DAY
- 29 — HOMECOMING CARNIVAL
- 29 — ROSELLA HOUSTON'S B-DAY
- 30 — TOGA SPIRIT DAY AND MIKE OWEN'S B-DAY



## INTO THE RUT AGAIN

Your alarm clock rings at 6:45, you push the snooze button begging for just 5 more minutes of sleep. You tumble out of bed and manage to rake a brush through your hair. After you dig through a pile of clothes on the floor trying to find something with the least amount of stains on it to wear, you race to the kitchen table and usually decide to skip breakfast because it's fifteen til eight and you haven't got time to eat. Next, you make a mad dash for your car, after you've searched all over everywhere to find your car keys in your pocket. You then travel to school to find a mile of traffic and the traffic cop that won't let you go. You arrive at school to find no parking spaces and are forced to park by the baseball field. You run into an unairconditioned school (they have just spent thousands of dollars to aircondition but can't get it to work). You then race against the clock to make it to class before you get your fourth tardy or Saturday detention. You finally are in class and begin to count the days til Summer vacation and wonder why you ever wanted to come back to school.

## NEW FACES AT OHS

Many new faces arrived at OHS for the school year 1986-1987. The most noticeable is the new principal, Mr. Hasselman. He brought many new fresh ideas along with his dedication to school spirit. Another new face who came over with this year's sophomores is our new assistant principal, Mr. Davidson. With this move his motto has changed from "Those who talk will walk" to "Where's your hall pass?" The other new assistant principal, Coach Tyler, is a wonderful addition to our faculty. From football coach, to athletic director, to his many other duties, Coach Tyler has made many contributions. And Listen... the new librarian, Mrs. Fair, has given new meaning to the word library, and last but not least the new Spanish teacher, Mrs. Holman; her experience in world travel makes her a wonderful teacher. All these new faces have contributed to the success of this school year.

## TEENAGE DRUG ABUSE

How can teenagers today handle drugs? According to statistics 75% of American teens today are addicted to or involved with drugs.

Some teenagers become involved with drugs due to peer pressure, often becoming addicted because they think they can be more popular with their friends if they use drugs. Then, there are those that are so addicted that they have to have drugs everyday in order to keep their strength up.

There are three major groups of drugs that are commonly used: (1) narcotics such as heroin and morphine, (2) sedatives which include sleeping pills and tranquilizers; and (3) alcohol. These three types of drugs are very dangerous to teenagers. If too much is used at one time one might find that it will cause a coma or death.

Teenagers should establish reasonable guidelines for behavior and discuss drugs openly with someone. If one has already developed a drug abuse problem, he should seek help from a physician, a professional counselor, or a special organization against drugs. Here at Oxford High School, assistance is offered by the school counselors and the Peer counselors. By Tealisha Starks



## HOMECOMING WEEK OHS TRAVELS THROUGH TIME

Cave Man ... Cowboys and Indians ... The 60's ... The Future ... and T-shirts. What do all these totally different things have in common? OHS, that's what. Remember the week OHS traveled through time? How could you not? On Monday, Charger fans suddenly changed into half-dressed cave men and played wild games in the gym during activity time.

Cowboys and Indians invaded the halls of OHS on Tuesday. That night we enjoyed watching our favorite teachers get soaked in the dunking booth. The different booths provided by the many clubs at OHS made the carnival loads of fun.

Wednesday, 60's day, was really "hip". The chorus gave their annual Homecoming concert and the Brady Bunch reminded us of one of our favorite childhood T.V. shows.

On Thursday, the stylish OHS students actually wore garbage bags to school — the reason for this sudden madness being Future Day. Everyone was Dressed alike on Friday because it was T-shirt Day. By the end of the day you knew this years' Homecoming theme, "OHS Travels Through Time," thanks to Rob Robertson, the creator of our Homecoming T-shirts. The whole week was a great success and Homecoming '86 was loads of fun. When the week was over, people had already started asking "What do you think next year's Homecoming theme will be?" I guess we will have to wait until Homecoming '87 to find out.

## 10 BEST THINGS TO DO ON HALLOWEEN

- 1 — Snitch from your little brother's candy sack. This is always fun to do after your brothers come home from a hard night's work.
- 2 — Roll or fork your favorite teacher's yard. As the night goes on, you remember that certain teacher that deserves a special "treat".
- 3 — Throw a party. What better thing to do on the scariest night of the year?
- 4 — Go to a horror movie, to make sure you don't get much sleep that night.
- 5 — Go trick-or-treating when all else fails.
- 6 — Take a ride through the grave yard with a couple of friends and if you dare, try getting out of the car to walk instead of ride.
- 7 — Visit a haunted house to get your heart beating.
- 8 — Have a shaving cream fight, but be sure you have an ample supply.
- 9 — Set up a neighborhood pumpkin watch. It would be the first year in history nobody's pumpkin got smashed.
- 10 — Last, but not least, you could stay at home and watch, "It's The Great Pumpkin, Charlie Brown."

## STUDENT'S GUIDE TO SURVIVING NINE WEEK'S EXAMS

1. Procrastinate. (Don't start too early) Procrastination is the key to good study habits.
2. Find a good place to study, somewhere with loud music and lots of interruptions.
3. Surround yourself with food, preferably junk food. Classic Coke is good or anything else with caffeine to keep you up in the midnight hour.
4. It's always a good idea to take a long nap before you study so you will be awake and alert.
5. Wear clothes comfortable enough to sleep in, just in case.
6. Set your alarm for 5 A.M., just in case.
7. Gather up almost everything you need to study, forget a few things, they make good excuses to take breaks.
8. Last, but not least, if you have followed steps 1-7, get down to some serious studying or you might find yourself in summer school.

## OCTOBER HAPPENINGS

- 1 — 60'S DAY
- 2 — FUTURE DAY
- 2 — SNAKE DANCE AND BONFIRE
- 3 — HOMECOMING
- 6 — OXFORD VS. WEST HELANA
- 6 — WHITNEY RAYNER'S B-DAY
- 7 — DR. BOYERS ACT CLASS
- 10 — OXFORD VS. CLARKSDALE
- 17 — OXFORD VS. OLIVE BRANCH
- 22 — NINE WEEKS TEST
- 23 — NINE WEEKS TEST
- 23 — SHIELA HORTON'S B-DAY
- 23 — NINE WEEKS TEST
- 24 — OXFORD VS. GRENADA
- 25 — ACT TEST
- 26 — DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME
- 27-30 — OHS GIRLS DOMINATE OXFORD GIRLS ROUND ROBIN TOURNAMENT
- 31 — HALLOWEEN
- 31 — OHS VS. SOUTH PANOLA





## NOVEMBER HAPPENINGS

- 1-2 — DECA FALL LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE
- 3 — MD PIZZA AND ICE CREAM EAT-OFF
- 4 — VERONGIA HOUSTON'S B-DAY
- 8 — FIRST OHS GIRL/BOY BASKETBALL GAME
- 9 — MD ROCK-A-THON
- 9 — MD SKATE-A-THON
- 10 — LAST HOME FOOTBALL GAME
- 11 — ANGLEMAN WARD'S B-DAY
- 13 — OHS LADY CHARGERS WIN HOLLY SPRINGS TOURNAMENT
- 13 — OHS CHARGERS TIED FOR FIRST PLACE
- 17 — LETICA JONES' B-DAY
- 18 — OHS PLAYS OLIVE BRANCH
- 19 — NOTECARDS DUE
- 20 — PEER COUNSELORS/JACKSON CONFERENCE
- 21 — OHS DEFEATS SOUTH AVEN
- 24 — OHS BEAUTY REVUE
- 25 — OHS DEFEATS LAFAYETTE
- 25 — PROGRESS REPORTS
- 25 — RITA THOMPSON'S B-DAY
- 27 — THANKSGIVING
- 28 — MELISSA GILLIOM'S B-DAY

## M.D. WEEK

OHS Distributive Education Clubs of America raised \$2,000 for Muscular Dystrophy. The club held a week long M.D. campaign in which DECA students participated in a Pizza and ice Cream Eat-Off, raffled tickets for donated prizes, assisted in a skate-a-thon, painted tumblers, held a rock-a-thon and silver and copper competition and conducted a community awareness program. The students' events were coordinated by OHS student Margaret Bailey, who works with the state association. The chapter received the state award for raising the most money and creating a general awareness of the disease. OHS students are to be congratulated for the successful charity drive.



## BEAUTY REVUE

The first Beauty Revue at O.H.S. was one to remember with 40 contestants vying for the title of most beautiful. Goodloe Lewis was the Master of Ceremonies who provided creative entertainment when the judges tally sheets were being scored. Other highlights of the evening were Eddie Willis and "dummy Jerry", the playing and singing of James Mosely, and OHS alumnus Joyce Tyler sang various selections. Added treats of the event were Mr. Hasselman, Andy Trott and Goodloe Lewis demonstrating the "gator". After a long wait the judges came up with the Top Ten. Ten excited girls made their final turns and twists — hoping to be named the first OHS Most Beautiful.



## 6th PERIOD SYNDROME

Everyday at 1:45, "TIME! STANDS!! STILL!!!" The ne — ver end — ing class of 6th period seems to last for an eternity. The thick, still, musty air of the class knocks you in a daze, makes you feel like you're stuck in a sweat box. Then your eyes feel heavy like rocks as they roll back into your head, you lean forward, your head hangs down. You're CAUGHT!!! ... caught by the 6th period Syndrome that effects every student ...

Can we fight it? Or are we trapped endlessly for that small hour of time?

Is THERE A CURE FOR THE 6th PERIOD ... S-Y-N-D-R-O-M-E

By Ben Couey

## SMITH RECEIVES TURKEY

Ms. Susan Smith, OHS English teacher, received the Thanksgiving Turkey from the OHS Student Body. The student body received the turkey feathers to give to their favorite teachers. Ms. Smith had the most feathers at the end of the event and received the "Turkey Award" before Thanksgiving. She was also found to be the favorite OHS teacher in an Annual Staff Survey.



## WHO'S WHO — A SPARKLE OF CHRISTMAS

The spirit of Christmas was definitely at Oxford High School on December 9 this year. What was so special about that day? Oxford High's Who's Who with the theme "Sparkle of Christmas." The stage was decorated with small trees and white lights, shiny packages, snow and painted Christmas scenes. A soft mixture of red, green, and white lights lit the stage as the program began. The students will look back on Who's Who 1986 and remember the ones lucky enough to be winners and the performers.



## TOP EATING SPOTS

The top ten eating places in Oxford according to OHS students are: (in order)

- |               |                   |
|---------------|-------------------|
| 1. Pizza Hut  | 6. Their Own Home |
| 2. McDonald's | 7. Dino's         |
| 3. Hardee's   | 8. Danver's       |
| 4. Ruby's     | 9. Sonic          |
| 5. Wendy's    | 10. Bonanza       |

McDonald's was voted to have the best french fries. Wendy's was voted to have the best hamburgers.



## A STUDENTS GUIDE FOR TERM PAPERS

1. You can always start the summer before. (But who wants to do that!)
2. Learn to use the university library. (This means being able to speak another language in order to communicate with the employees.)
3. Buy a tent, and all other camp supplies for those late nights at the library.
4. Keep an ample supply of Vivarin and No-Doze.
5. Clear living room and dining room of all non term paper materials. You will soon find that all parts of your term paper will live in these areas for three months.
6. Keep a list of classmates phone numbers this will become useful when you need three more resources the night before notecards are due.
7. Come up with a good excuse to miss the day rough drafts are due.
8. Have your mom stock the "fridge" with junk food for those study breaks.
9. If you really get desperate there is always someone on campus willing to sell one.
10. Last but not least, if all else fails try to get in good with the teacher.



## DECEMBER HAPPENINGS

- 1 — JEANNA SEWELL'S B-DAY
- 2 — OHS DEFEATS WATER VALLEY
- 2 — OHS CHORUS CONCERT ON SQUARE
- 3 — ONLY 22 DAYS LEFT TILL CHRISTMAS
- 4 — OXFORD WINS S. PANOLA ROUND-ROBIN
- 5 — GOVERNMENT PROJECTS DUE
- 9 — WHO'S WHO
- 10 — CYNTHIA JOHNSON'S B-DAY
- 11 — OXFORD GIRL'S WIN TRI-CO. OHS BOYS PLACE 2nd
- 13 — LESLIE LESHNER'S B-DAY
- 15 — "TWELVE ANGRY JURORS" PLAY
- 15 — OXFORD DEFEATS WATER VALLEY
- 17-19 EXAMS
- 19 — OXFORD DEFEATS HORN LAKE
- 19 — ROBERT JONES' B-DAY
- 21 — WINTER BEGINS
- 25 — CHRISTMAS DAY
- 25 — HENRY LIGGIN'S B-DAY
- 27 — HANUKKAH
- 31 — NEW YEAR'S EVE



JANUARY HAPPENINGS  
 1 — NEW YEAR'S DAY  
 PAULA BOONE'S B-DAY  
 3 — OHS STARTS BACK  
 6 — OHS PLAYS FULTON  
 LIBBIE KAKALES'S B-DAY  
 7 — BRENDA LUSTER'S B-DAY  
 9 — OHS CHARGERS — NEW ALBANY  
 TOURNAMENT  
 9 — ROBYN HILL'S B-DAY  
 TOMMY BARNES'S B-DAY  
 10 — TALISA DIXON'S B-DAY  
 13 — SALLIE PORTER'S B-DAY  
 15 — REPORT CARDS DAY  
 OHS DEFEATS HOLLY SPRINGS  
 16 — OHS DEFEATS OLIVE BRANCH  
 17 — SHERETHA HARMON'S B-DAY  
 19 — OHS DEFEATS FULTON  
 NICOLE AKINS B-DAY  
 MICHAEL WILSON B-DAY  
 22 — COREY MITCHELL'S B-DAY  
 24 — OHS GIRLS WIN CHICKASAW  
 CONFERENCE TOURNAMENT  
 OHS BOYS PLACE SECOND  
 24 — EARL OWENS B-DAY  
 26 — DONA HILL'S B-DAY  
 27 — STEVE SANSOM'S B-DAY  
 28 — SABRINA DAYTON'S B-DAY  
 29 — OHS DEFEATS LAFAYETTE  
 STEVEN WALL B-DAY  
 30 — ALICIA CLIFTON B-DAY  
 31 — OHS BEATS GRENADA  
 NEWT RAYBURN'S B-DAY  
 BRENDA PEGUES B-DAY

## BUTTERING UP A TEACHER

There is a certain technique you must use when buttering up a teacher. You must not let on that an easy A is foremost in your mind. One of the first steps in accomplishing this feat is to show up every day with a big shiny red apple (If your teacher doesn't like apples, a watermelon will do). Another method you might try is to tell the 74 year old gym teacher what great legs she has (Do not attempt this if you are of feminine gender, you'll land yourself in a study hall with no A). For another method, try telling a teacher how nice her/his hair looks (You might use this as a last resort if the teacher is bald or has a '60's bee hive). One last attempt at an easy A could be to wait on the teacher everyday after school and follow them home just to tell them how much you love their method of teaching. If that doesn't work, try calling them every 10 to 15 minutes to tell them how much you've learned that day and how your grandmother just loves to bake cookies. After trying all these methods everyday of the year and you still come out with a B, it would probably be a good idea to then set the teacher's gradebook on fire!

I'm perfect.  
 24 hours a day, 7 days a week  
 people call on me.  
 In different ways they believe in  
 me . . . but they all believe  
 what  
 I stand for.  
 They tell me their deepest  
 secrets.  
 Expect me to correct their lives  
 and the world.  
 They say sometimes I am their  
 only hope.  
 It's lonely at the top.  
 I should know  
 I'm perfect.

— God

By Ben Couey

## SATURDAY DETENTION

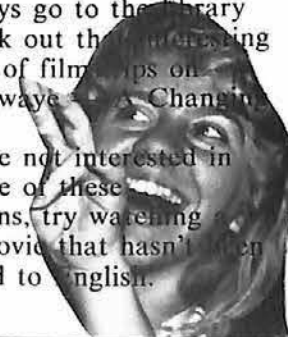
Yellow slips have been a popular item this year with teachers at Oxford High. To students, they have been a ticket to a fun and learning experience. How could anyone refuse a trip to the Junior High on Saturday morning. Detention hall, starting exactly at 8 o'clock, teaches students punctuality. To walk in that bright room and see the moderator's cheery face is an experience no one should miss. Hours of fun is what I heard one detention haller say. The bathroom and water break after two hours helps to teach students patience. The teacher's assignment is always intellectually stimulating and has changed some students views of the world. The moderator offers moral support, kindness, and loving understanding. Towards the end of the year, it was very popular to suspend someone for having something else to do. Over all, detention hall has helped students to grow mentally and spiritually.  
 THANKS — DETENTION HALL!



## HOW TO SURVIVE THE JANUARY "BLAHS"

There are several ways to survive the January blah's.

1. Go to your mom's purse and get the mastercard. On your way through town grab some good-timing friends and head to Memphis for a night on the town. If you get arrested, just stay in the big house and don't worry about the January blah's.
  2. If you're not the wild type, you could always go to a nearby mall with a friend and make fun of the people going by, even if you are related to most of them.
  3. If you are the energetic type; eat that box of wheaties along with some Flinstone Vitamins and go do some aerobics with "Big Jane". Her workout will make you wish you hadn't eaten that whole cake to celebrate Chinese New Year.
  4. If you are the stupid type you could always head to Sardis and try to get in the Guinness Book of World Records by being the first idiot to do the backstroke across the lake in 25° weather. Then you can have a vacation in the hospital for the whole month of January.
  5. However, if you are the boring type, you can drive to the nearest pet store and watch the fish mate. Oh, WHAT FUN!
  6. If none of these suggestions interest you, you can always go to the library and check out the interesting selection of films on "Zimbabwe" or "Changin' Nation."
- If you are not interested in trying one of these suggestions, try watching a karate movie that hasn't been translated to English.



## HOW A TEACHER CAN TELL THE YEAR IS GOING "BAD"

There are several ways a teacher can tell if the year is going to turn out good. For instance when ninety percent of the class shows up bearing gifts or when every student is still awake after a lecture on the pythagorean theorem and they are jumping out of their seats to put an example on the board. Another way a teacher can tell it's going to be a good year is when she gets a note from home saying, "Please spank my child if he shows a hint of rudeness." One last way a teacher can tell if it's going to be a good year is when she sees the class clown's mother in the grocery store and says her son wants to grow up to be just like his teacher.

Five ways a teacher can tell it's going to be a bad year is when twenty-one out of twenty-three students show up tardy on the first day back or when her second and fourth period class decides not to show up at all. A third way a teacher can tell it's going to be a bad year is when she finally gets a break to go to the lounge and a colleague informs her that there are little spitballs all in her hair. One last way a teacher can tell its going to be a bad year is when half of her class are members of "Hales" Angels and are being made by a federal judge to attend her class in order to graduate.



## IMAGINE

Imagine there are no countries,  
 It's easy if you try.

Imagine there's no different skin  
 It's easy if you try.

Imagine there's no religion either to  
 conflict with belief  
 Imagine there is no death  
 to complicate out grief.

What if the world was free of sin,  
 and hunger, and or pain.  
 What if joy and love were all  
 we had to gain.

Imagine there is no need  
 to want or die for greed  
 A little love is really all we need  
 If love was really all we had

Our world would not only be  
 brighter,  
 But our hearts and souls would be  
 lighter.

By Les





## SENIORS MAKE PREDICTIONS

The Annual Staff asked people to predict as to what they'll be doing in 10 years. As to whether they'll be correct you'll have to wait til your 10 year reunion to find out.

Matt Porter will be an overworked, underpaid, and unmarried cartoonist.

Whitney Rayner will be finishing a school of some kind.

Phyllis Alford will be unmarried and getting ready to go to Hawaii.

Eddie Willis will be an unmarried bum in Hollywood.

James Mosely will be a married preacher speaking about the sins of exorcism.

Dianne Certion will be married with one child and will own a business.

Vanessa Allen will be a doctor and married with twin girls.

Donna Thomas will be a company executive and married with a child.

Melody Brown will leave her MS roots and head for L.A. She will be married to Christopher Ferrell with two children.

Lisa Gipson will shed her basketball shoes to be a computer programmer and she'll be married to her favorite serviceman Ruel Reynolds.

Angilean Ward will become a Lady Globetrotter and fall madly in love with a male Globetrotter.

Camilla Pegues will at the age of 28 be retired from the Air Force and be married to Kenny Sims and living in Flynt, Michigan.

Tammy Blake will be a social worker married to Dwayne Brown with one son Dwayne Jr.

Jill Busby will be out of shape with four kids married to Drew Tyler.

Jayne Alford will be a boutique owner with one child.

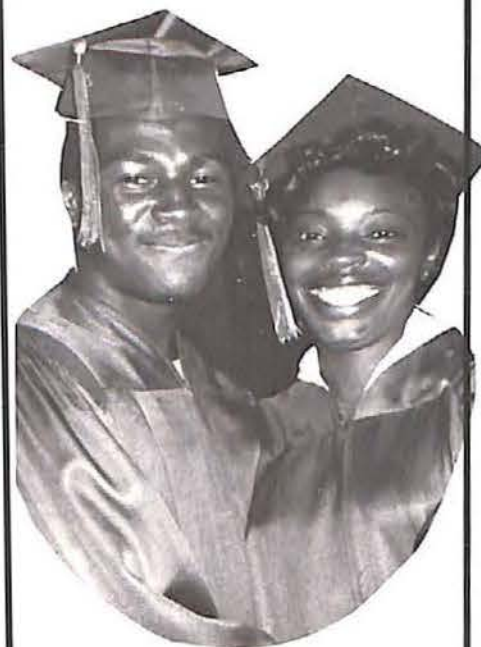
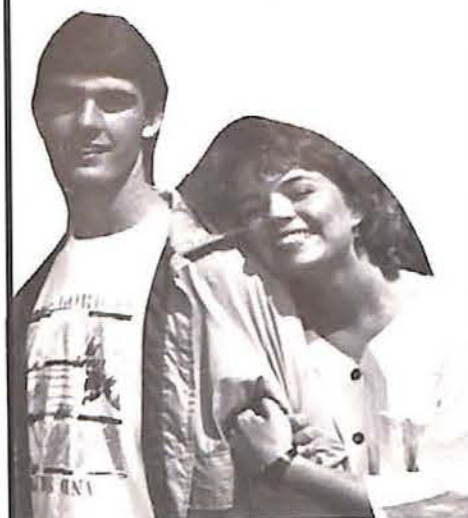
Alicia Clifton will own a "great" store called "Jackson Floral" for all her fun, cute and precious friends to buy from.

Phillip Crockett will graduate from Business School join the mafia and make Al Capone look like Mr. Rogers.

William Henderson "Willie" will work for the Oxford Bus Station and owe his life to the bank for his pick-up truck and boat.



## DATING GAMES



WILL YOUR  
SWEETHEART  
A HEART OR GUILT  
IN THE FEB ISSUE  
OF THE OXFORD JOURNAL



## BEHIND THE SCENES AT THE MUSICAL

This year's musical, "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers", took a lot of hard work and determination. Every night and every Saturday afternoon one could find at least part of the cast or crew up at the auditorium rehearsing. Even though it was a lot of work, there was a lot of fun to go along with it. There were times when a dance or scene would be worked and worked and still never done right. There were the nights when the wedding scene, or the "kissing scene" as some people referred to it was practiced. To the "participants" in this scene, it was the most important part. In all, the musical was wonderful.

Probably the most important thing that came about from the musical were the friendships. Since the cast was together every night for about two months, they really got to know one another. Because of this, many strong and lasting friendships developed. This is the most meaningful thing one could get from the musical: a friend.

No one that was around when costumes came in will ever forget the faces of those wearing the hideous "things". All one ever heard was "I can't believe I have to wear this!" But somehow, those pitiful costumes were worn and no one in the audience seemed to notice, as all those wearing the costumes were promised.

After all the hard work from both the cast and crew, it was time to show the final product. Before the opening night, there was a dress rehearsal. Oh, that fateful night! It is said that if the dress rehearsal is bad, you should have a great performance. After dress rehearsal, everyone prayed

that that statement was true, because dress rehearsal was a disaster and it was obvious the director agreed. But all was well on opening night and the musical was a hit!

As always, the musical was a success and everyone seemed to enjoy the great efforts of all involved. The musical program is outstanding and has contributed to the lives of many in so many different ways. It is enjoyable to watch, participate in, or just help out. No matter what age you are or whether you know someone in it or not, the musical is an enjoyable activity. The musical tradition is fun as well as useful and we thank all that contributed to the success of this year's wonderful presentation.

## MINK DISSECTION

Mink dissection was one of the grossest things anyone will ever have to do! As one sits at their table, along with their lab partner and a dead mink sitting there "belly up," they have to cut it open and pull intestines out which just happen to be about 3 feet long. Then they have to dig around to find other parts hoping you don't cut something you're not supposed to. If you ask someone about their experience with mink dissection you might get a response such as: "The closest I will ever come to a mink again is wearing one as a full length coat!" The thing that topped it off was going to lunch where they are serving something that looks similar to what you have just cut up.

## FEBRUARY HAPPENINGS

- 3 — PROGRESS REPORTS
- 4 — OHS DEFEATS SOUTHAVEN
- 4 — ALCYCE SMITH'S B-DAY
- 5 — DAY OF SCHOOL
- 5 — SENIOR NIGHT
- 6 — OHS DEFEATS SOUTH PANOLA
- 7 — ACT
- 8 — STEPHANIE GIPSON'S B-DAY
- 9-13 — NATIONAL DECA WEEK
- 9 — JEAN HENDERSON'S B-DAY
- 10 — OHS PLAYS HERNANDO
- 10 — THE LADY CHARGERS FINISH (30-0)
- 11 — MS. SMITH'S ENGLISH CLASS WEARS COSTUMES.
- 13 — DAVID HILL'S B-DAY
- 13 — MR. IRRESISTIBLE CONTEST — EARL OWENS WINNER
- 14 — ST. VALENTINES DAY
- 16 — PRESIDENT'S DAY
- 17 — DISTRICT TOURNAMENT BEGINS
- 19 — SNOW
- 19 — DRESS REHEARSAL SEVEN BRIDES FOR SEVEN BROTHERS
- 20 — OPENING NIGHT OF MUSICAL
- 21 — CLOSING NIGHT OF MUSICAL
- 21 — CHARGERS AND LADY CHARGERS BECOME DISTRICT CHAMPS
- 23 — TANYA REED'S B-DAY
- 25 — BASKETBALL TEAM'S DINNER
- 27 — TERM PAPER DUE FOR ENGLISH
- 27 — OHS LADY CHARGERS DEFEAT ABERDEEN
- 27 — OHS CHARGERS DEFEAT CALDWELL
- 27 — IN NORTH HALF ACTION
- 28 — OHS PLAYS NOXUBEE IN NORTH HALF ACTION
- 28 — LETHA BRADY'S B-DAY



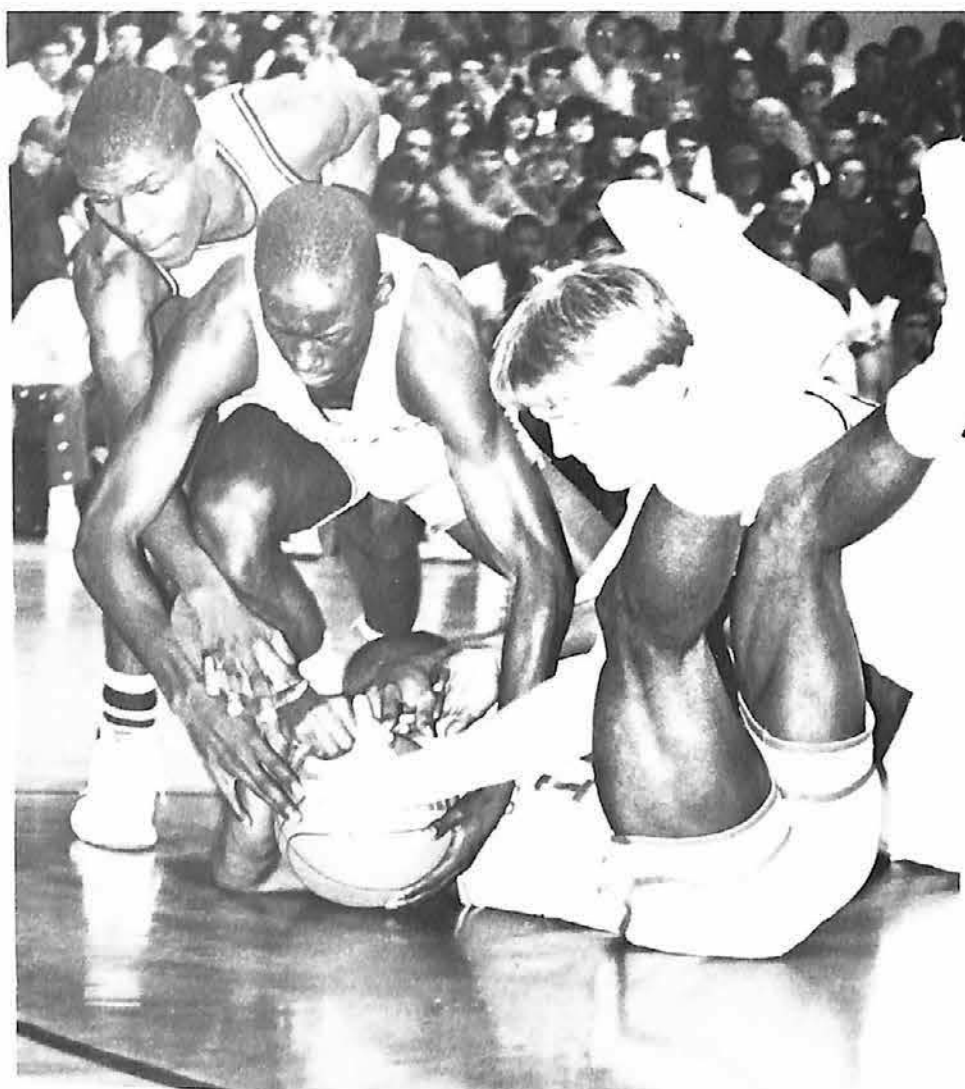
MARCH HAPPENINGS  
 3 — NINE WEEKS TEST  
 4 — NINE WEEKS TEST  
 SHANDRA MADKINS B-DAY  
 5 — NINE WEEKS TEST  
 6 — OHS GIRLS AND BOYS WIN  
 FIRST ROUND OF 4-A STATE  
 BASKETBALL PLAY-OFFS  
 7 — OHS BOYS WIN SEMI-FINAL  
 ROUND — OHS GIRLS NARROWLY  
 DEFEATED  
 9-13 — SPRING BREAK!!!  
 14 — OHS CHARGERS WIN STATE 4-  
 A BASKETBALL — 64-49  
 15 — TEAM'S WELCOME HOME PARTY  
 17 — ST. PATRICK'S DAY  
 MISS IRRESISTIBLE KIM WILEY  
 18 — SCHOOL HALF DAY  
 20 — DISTRICT CHORUS FESTIVAL  
 20-21 — NHS SPRING CONFERENCE  
 21-24 — DECA SPRING CONFERENCE  
 24 — TALENT SHOW  
 MELODY BROWN'S B-DAY  
 26 — REPORT CARDS  
 28 — MSASC

## BOYS BECOME STATE CHAMPS

After finishing the regular season with a great record, the Oxford Charger Boys Basketball team went through some tough tournaments and still made it to the all important state basketball tournament in Jackson. Everyone remembers the playoffs ... the going, the coming, and the hotels. Well, some of us remember the hotels. Darryl Parker, senior starter, became very familiar with the hotel when he wandered it alone while the rest of the team was already at the game. Both games were wonderful and exciting, and of course we won. Being that our team was so totally awesome, they returned to Jackson the following week-end to play in the state finals. The spirited fans with their blue sports coats,

ties, and shorts, painted faces and t-shirts, and the beachball really got the team fired up. For a while the game was close but our guys pulled together to bring the trophy home.

When the over-sized yellow taxi which was transporting our boys reached the Airport Gro., the boys found their devoted fans ready to lead them into town. At the high school parents, friends, and the general public waited to cheer for the team. There was an end of the year pep rally where the guys rejoiced, and Coach Sherman gave a short speech for the fans. That was it. The season was over. It was never to be forgotten by the players, coaches, or fans. — Chargers 87, You're GREAT!!!!



March

## FASHION HOTS

As every year goes by the styles that are "in" change. This year we took a poll to see just what was HOT and what was NOT.

### What's Hot

Big bows  
 Friendship-knot bracelets  
 Rhinestones  
 Suspenders  
 Boxers  
 Tie-dye clothes  
 Long skirts  
 Shoulder pads  
 Plain t-shirts  
 Reeboks  
 High-tops  
 Long Overcoats  
 Ray Bans  
 Drop waist dresses  
 Perms  
 Swatches  
 Faded and bleached jeans  
 Mini skirts  
 Over-alls  
 Jams

### What's Not

Brand new Levi's  
 Wrangler's  
 White Shoes (before Easter or after Labor Day)  
 Highwaters  
 Bell bottoms  
 Platform shoes  
 Neon Clothes  
 Neon hair coloring such as hot pink and neon green  
 Leg warmers  
 Tube tops  
 Uncoordinated mixtures of paisley, madres, stripes, and polka dots.

## SPRING BREAK

Spring break came as a welcome relief from the pressures of school. Many traveled to Florida to get a nice tan, while some went skiing, others visited far off relatives and yet still many of us sat in "Oxpatch". There are many things to do when stuck in this town for spring break. So during your next spring break take the advice of a veteran spring break home body and follow these tips:

- 1 — Make as many appointments as possible at the sun bed. This way the little tweebe who went to Jamaica sees your great tan and assumes you went to Florida.
- 2 — Put a blonde highlighter on your hair and tell everyone the Florida chlorine did it.
- 3 — Wash your bathing suit till it's worn looking.
- 4 — Keep a low profile around town so people will assume you went out of the country for spring break.
- 5 — You watch the morning weather show praying for rain in Florida and sunny 75° weather here.

## WEIRD WEATHER

Springtime, well maybe! Did it ever cross your mind that it would be snowing in the spring? Well, if so you were right! Only a few days after spring came on March 20th, a somewhat heavy snow-cloud broke out. It snowed very hard for a long time — Now that's strange weather! This sudden change effected everything and everyone. The flowers that had started to bloom had to start all over. All the winter clothes that were stored away had to be brought back out, and all the fires had to be rekindled to warm the noses of all the spring-time eskimos, and don't forget, the birds had to fly back home for a spell. OHS students commented on the strange weather — Melissa Gillom stated, "That the weather really changed her plans because she was a member of the track team and the snow kept her from valuable practice time. Eddie Willis stated, "The cold weather was a shock to him and his body — sun one day and snow the next" —

## OHS CLAIMS STATE OFFICERS

Oxford High's NHS and DECA members assisted their respective chapters in running members for state officers.

The NHS chapter was successful with Lamar Robertson being elected as State President, who then appointed Jeanna Sewell as State Secretary/Treasurer. Robertson's theme was "on the wild side".

The DECA chapter was also successful with Margaret Bailey for State President and Beth Stiles as District vice-president. Bailey's theme was "Margaret For Mississippi". The DECA chapter members dressed in bright M & M outfits for the event. OHS is proud of four state officers.



March



## MEMORIZING ENGLISH LINES

During the last few weeks you've probably heard a large number of people muttering "Let me not to the marriage" while walking down the hall. What were your first impressions? You probably thought that the person was crazy or a new song had come out and you hadn't heard it yet. Well, actually what you were hearing were English students trying to remember the lines from great poets such as Shakespeare, John Milton, and John Donne. Many students have asked the question concerning the purpose for remembering lines. Dr. Murchison said the purpose was "to train your mind", and that it's a study skill. Mrs. Fitts says, "to expand your literary and cultural realm." I guess these reasons do have some helpful purposes, but not many. Many students think it's useless, and find that it's a waste of time. Maybe the only good thing amounting out of this is that one may get a chance to pick up an easy homework grade. So the next time you hear students walking down the hall muttering, don't think he's crazy or run to your radio to try and find the song you think you are missing, remember the English students that work so hard trying to remember lines from famous poets.

By DJ Jones

## SENIOR GIFT

School officials will start building a platform for the school as their senior gift. The platform will be used for holding activities outside instead of having them in the auditorium. The platform will be placed outside the library window. The seniors will be donating \$500.00 for the beginning of the platform. The future classes will take over the job until it is completed. A plaque will be placed on the platform to let people know who started the operation. Plans for the beginning construction are not yet completed.

By Michael Price

## OHS BAND RECEIVES ALL SUPERIORS

The Oxford High School band strives for excellence. In recent band competition OHS band members went to Jackson to compete with 157 other bands from around the state. 44 of the bands were in Oxford's classification. The OHS band received a superior in concert performance and an excellent in sight reading. "This was the first all superior ratings the band received since 1966" says Randy Parker head band director of Oxford. Mr. Parker also states that "Each student is easy to work with and all of them put great effort into learning new material." There are presently 96 members of the band.

by Michael Price



## JUNIOR SENIOR

The junior/senior prom became a magical event as the junior high cafeteria was transformed into an evening of Mardi Gras. The room was covered with Mardi Gras masks, purple, green and yellow streamers. The tables were lighted with candles that gave the effect of Bourbon Street. OHS students danced to the beat of the band Essex. Everyone had a great time and will always remember the 1987 Junior/Senior Prom!



- APRIL HAPPENINGS
- 1 - APRIL FOOL'S DAY
  - OHS BASEBALL GAME
  - 3 - FOREIGN LANGUAGE FAIR
  - 4 - SAT
  - 7 - BASEBALL CONFERENCE TOURNAMENT
  - 8 - FASHION MERCHANDISE FASHION SHOW
  - 11 - JR/SR PROM - MARDI GRAS
  - 15 - PROGRESS REPORTS
  - 16 - FIELD NIGHT
  - 17-20 - EASTER HOLIDAYS
  - 18 - TRACK MEET
  - 21 - DISTRICT BASEBALL GOVERNMENT PROJECTS DUE
  - 22 - ASG ELECTION
  - 23 - SUPERKIDS DAY
  - 25 - REGIONAL CHORAL FESTIVAL
  - 27 - BRAIN BRAWL - FLORIDA
  - 28 - NATIONAL DECA
  - 30 - STATE TENNIS TOURNAMENT





# MAY HAPPENINGS

- 1 — DISTRICT BASEBALL GAME
- 2 — OHS GOLF TEAM PLACES SECOND IN 4-A STATE
- 3 — PATRICK LEE STATE MEDALIST
- 5 — SPRING FLING
- 9 — STATE TRACK MEET — BEN COUEY WINS FIRST
- 11 — OHS BAND CONCERT
- 12 — OHS CHORUS CONCERT
- 13 — SOPHOMORE CLASS PICNIC
- 14 — OHS BAND BANQUET
- 19 — OHS AWARD'S NIGHT
- 21 — OHS CHEERLEADER SELECTION
- 22 — SPRING FOOTBALL GAME
- 25 — ANCHOR BANQUET
- 27-29 — FINAL EXAMS
- 29 — OHS GRADUATION — TAD SMITH



## ATHLETIC AWARDS

- TENNIS  
MOST VALUABLE BOY CHRIS STILL  
MOST VALUABLE GIRL WHITNEY RAYNER
- BASEBALL  
MOST VALUABLE FRANK GIBBS  
BEST DEFENSE BOBBY HAWKINS
- BEST OFFENSE DEVIN TOBIN  
GIRLS BASKETBALL  
BEST FREE THROW RENEE CHANCELLOR
- BEST REBOUNDER KIM WILEY  
MOST IMPROVED TIFFANY ARCHIE
- BEST DEFENSE LISA GIPSON  
MOST VALUABLE ANGILEAN WARD
- HUSTLE ROSELLA HOUSTON  
LEADERSHIP TEALISHA STARKS
- CHEERLEADERS  
BEST ALL AROUND FOOTBALL JESSICA BONDS  
BEST ALL AROUND BASKETBALL NICOLE AKINS
- TRACK GIRLS  
BEST SPRINTER LISA GIPSON  
BEST DISTANCE RUNNER TEALISHA DIXON
- MOST VALUABLE MARTHA PHILLIPS  
CHARGER AWARD MICHELLE GOSS
- GOLF  
MOST VALUABLE PATRICK LEE  
TRACK BOYS  
BEST SPRINTER TYRONE MITCHELL
- BEST DISTANCE RUNNER BEN COUEY
- MOST VALUABLE BEN COUEY  
CHARGER AWARD TONY HILL
- BASEKTBALL BOYS  
BEST REBOUNDER COREY MITCHELL
- BEST FREE THROWER DREW TYLER
- BEST DEFENSE PLAYER MIKE FOX
- MOST IMPROVED DARRELL PARKER
- BEST OFFENSIVE COREY MITCHELL
- FOOTBALL  
MOST IMPROVED DAVID HILL  
BEST OFFENSIVE LINEMAN STEVE SANSOM
- BEST DEFENSIVE LINEMAN LLOYD GRISSINGER
- BEST BACK TRACY PEGUES
- CO-CAPTAINS BARRY GRANTHAM, GREG SISK
- MOST VALUABLE PLAYER LLOYD GRISSINGER
- BOBBY HOLCOMB AWARD WARREN WELLS

## SENIORS SAY LAST FAREWELL

— IT WAS A TIME OF LAUGHTER,  
A TIME OF TEARS,

— IT WAS A TIME OF JOY,  
A TIME OF FEAR.

As the seniors said their final farewell to Oxford High these words kept ringing through the hearts of all. It was the time of laughter ... as we remembered the funny moments we shared and the anticipation of a bright, successful future. We laughed in the company of our friends and faculty that made our high school warm, safe, dependable and friendly. It was a time of fears ... as we left the people who understood and accepted us for the way we were — yet always a friend. The tears poured as we remembered the wonderful times at OHS that would no longer be. It was a time of joy ... as we felt a sense of accomplishment for our past high school achievements, the ability to soon be on our own, yet the anticipation of meeting new faces and new places. Joyous memories will always fill our hearts of our days at OHS. It was a time of fear ... as we were unsure of what our future would hold for us and our friends — realizing we would never all be together again. Fear existed in the back of our minds constantly as we faced new and different obstacles in our life. Also we questioned our own ability or inability to make it on our own. Laughter, tears, joy, and fears — How can one heart hold so many emotions? Our hearts became heavy as we departed our "ole OHS" ... to a future full of surprises and changes that we have to face alone, ready or not! But, we know whatever our future holds we are sure to have strong positive memories of our days and years at OHS!

## SOAP OPERA ADDICTS

When soap operas are mentioned everyone has something to say about them. The people are called soap opera addicts. If a person comes and recites this, you KNOW they are an addict.

"As the World Turns" and May 29th rolls around, "The Young and the Restless" fades into "Another World" as the "Guiding Light" leads them to soap operas. Whether you go to "Santa Barbara", "Dallas" or "Knots Landing" we know we have had the best "Days of Our Lives". We have built our "Dynasty" at OHS. You only have "One Life to Live" so "All My Children" get out and go to the BEACH ...

— Jackie Jones









# YOUNG PEOPLE

When kids are young they have no idea where life will lead them. As they grow, their life falls into shape day by day. When this happens kids change their ways, appearance, and minds almost every-day. These seniors should now know what road to take. Let's take a look at the faces of yesteryear . . .



Jill Busby, Alicia Clifton, and Jan Busby



Backyard barbeque or muscle building tryouts?



Lean a little bit to the left LaShawnda



Michael Price



Goodloe Lewis, Neil Newcomb, William Henderson, and Steven Wall



We can hardly wait to be Seniors



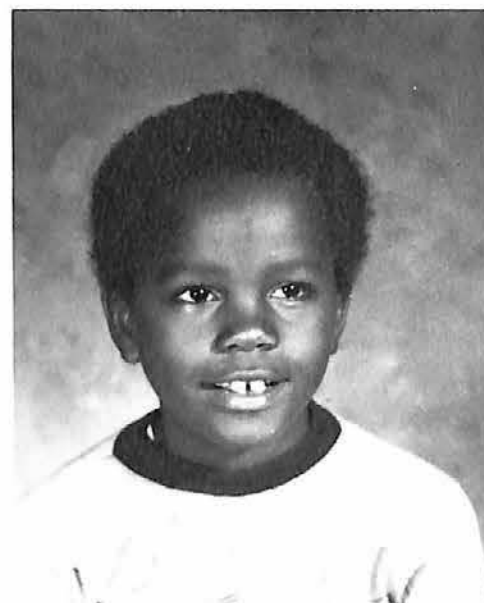
A perfect fit, Ann.



Tammie Blake



Goodloe Lewis



Darryl Parker

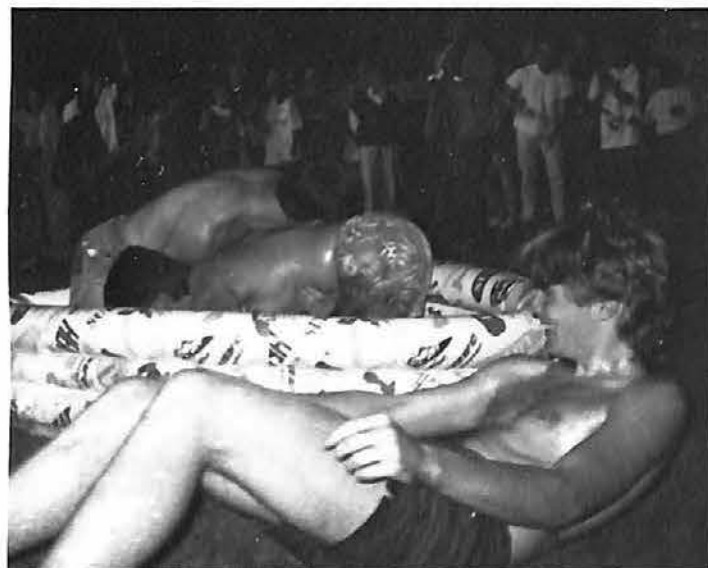


Kindergarten Choral Concert



# FIELDING PEOPLE

Field Night is one of those spring events that everyone looks forward to each year. The intense rivalry and various games boggle the minds and test the endurance of everyone involved. Every spectator enjoys watching his friends and classmates make fools of themselves. This year, when all was over, the Seniors won. The Sophomores came in second and the Juniors last, as usual.



A two-some or a three-some; You decide.



Put your clothes back on!



Bite 'em



Laura, get your hand out of there!



A stupid watermelon picture.



And yet another stupid watermelon picture.



Now you've got the girls eating out of your hand Reidy, you stud!



Mud Queen



Not only can Coach Tyler teach football, he teaches Indian dances.



# WHEELING PEOPLE

When you come to school in the morning do you ever take a look at other cars? We ventured out to the parking lot to do a story on cars, trucks, and buses. Let's take a look at these now.



"Have you seen this sign lately?"



Beware of the Teenager



"Is this Ms. Smith's truck?"



"Hey, this is not a car."



His and Her's — a matching set



Khri's racing car



Don't laugh it's paid for.



The only person at OHS who can fit her whole name on a license plate.



"That's our Corvette on the hill."



Jesika's love machine





"It's too late; It's too late, he's already kissed me."

## SEVEN BRIDES FOR SEVEN BROTHERS

Seven Brides for Seven Brothers was an incredible success for OHS. This play, like any other, had its setbacks, but still went well. The cast played their parts superbly. The unsung heroes were those backstage crews who really ran the play. The directors, the cast, and the crews were greatly appreciated. This year's play is one that will never be forgotten.



Cheerleader try-outs



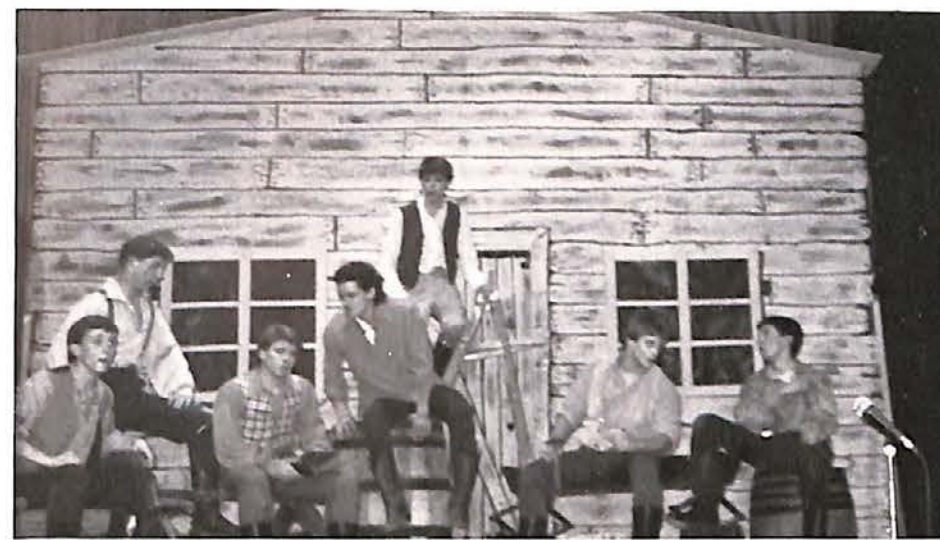
1887 Senior Prom



The boys cheer Chad Lominac on as he makes his move.



I slept through this part.



Graduates of the Eddie School of Sound Effects



Watch me closely, guys.



Gosh, did I forget my make-up?

## CAST AND CREW

Leslie Chandler  
Bobby Moon  
Warren Wells  
Eddie Willis  
Steven Wall  
William Henderson  
Lee Chrestman  
Cameron Abel  
Laura Harrison  
Angela Turner  
Halon Bonds  
Martha Perry  
Jessica Bonds  
Ashley Wells  
Rob Robertson  
Chris Still  
Bill Glasgow  
Scott Caldwell  
Matt Porter  
Garrett Klein  
Liz White  
Anna Alderman  
Jeffrey Moore  
Melissa Perry  
Chad Lominac  
Oliver Gaycken  
Clay Harland  
Frederick Phillips  
Jeanna Sewell  
Anne-Marie Brown  
Alicia Clifton  
Amy Lowe  
Regina Verlangieri  
Jennifer Daniels  
Karen Brown  
Mary Ann Connell  
Alice Supple  
Khristi Aquilini  
Shannon Caffey  
Valerie Cimon  
Emily Clayton  
Christy Cox  
Jean Henderson  
Michelle King  
Laura McDaniel  
Meg Smith  
Khristi Thorne  
Mark Addy  
Missy Aldridge  
Barry Grantham  
Jackie Jones  
Libbie Kakales  
Charlotte Simposn  
Alyce Smith  
Beth Stiles  
Lesley Tidwell  
Caroline Walker  
Tammie Blake  
Jeana Brooks  
Melody Brown  
Mark Crowe  
Phillip Crockett  
Leigh Garner  
Goodloe Lewis  
Monica Moser  
Mike Reidy  
Lamar Robertson  
Cathy Still  
Bill Stewart  
Chris Stewart  
Kevin Holt  
Ellen Kadlec  
Andy Trost  
Jason Plunk  
Frank Kelley



## DATING PEOPLE

The various couples around school are something which everyone notices. Couples are those special people who always walk in the hall, are always snuggled up, and are *always* together. The ups and downs of their relationship are displayed for the entire school. The dating people are just one of the things that makes school fun.



Drew, can you act any sexier?



Three's a crowd, David.



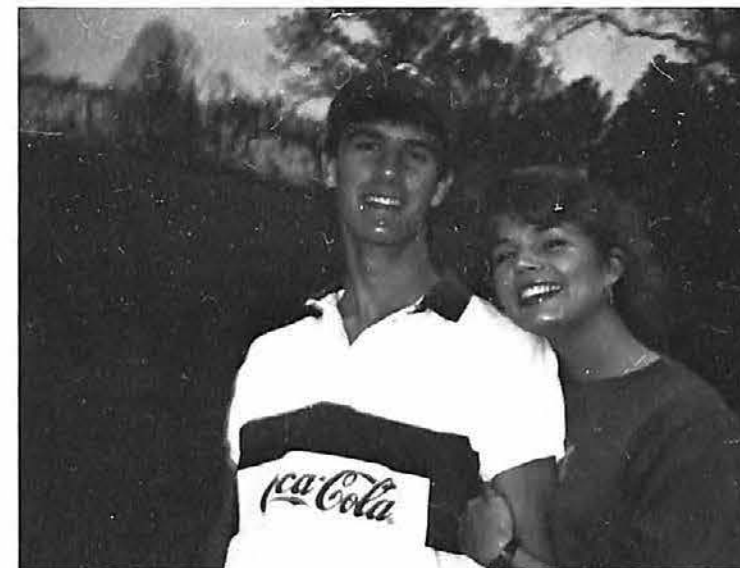
Do braided tails turn you on?



Get the stars out of your eyes, you'll be broken up in two weeks.



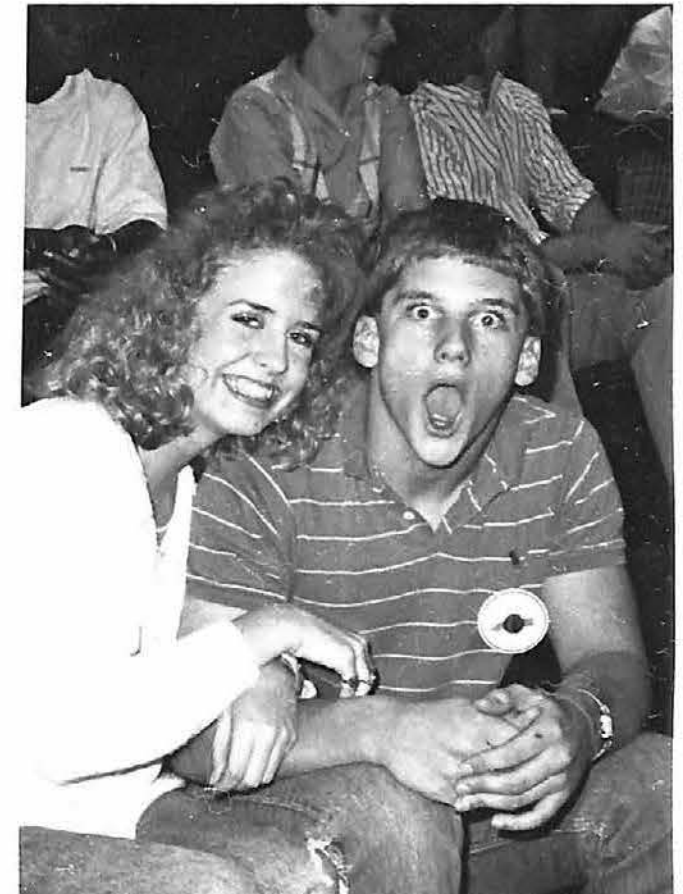
Flagrant violation of THE handbook!



Sickening, isn't it?



I.Q. Flowers



Better hold on tight Angela, William sees a PARALLAX coming!



We're *just* friends. (private joke)



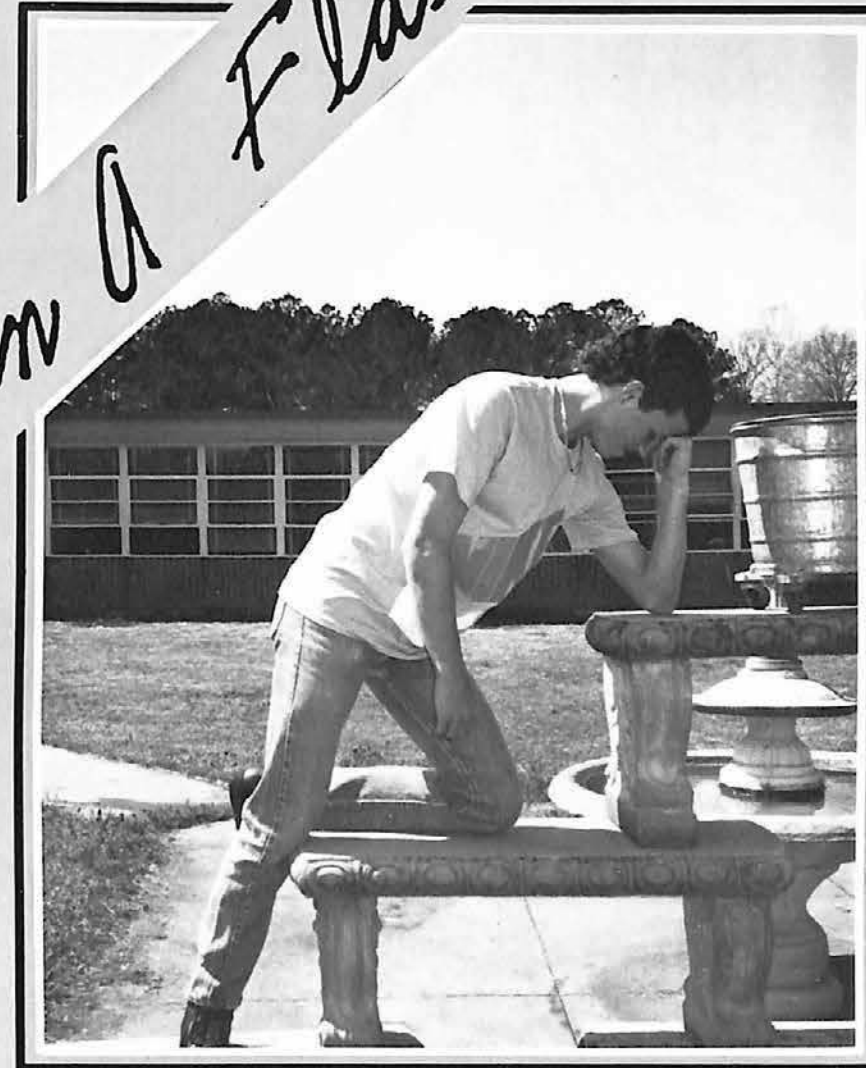
## CLASSES

The classes of 1987, 1988, and 1989 make up the student body of Oxford High this year and are truly the heart of the school. This section includes the members of these classes as we will remember them during the 1986-87 school year.



Section by Jean Henderson, Amanda Mason, Will Morgan, Meg Smith, Ashley Wells

*In a Flash*



*Classes*



# SENIORS



Senior Class Officers: Martha Perry, Sec/Treas.; Mary Ann Connell, Vice-Pres.; Leslie Pettis, Pres.

## Andrea Nicole Akins

OHS Basketball Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; "Flashback" Sports Editor 2; Circulation Manager 3; Editor 4; Peer Counselor 2, 3, 4; Hugh O'Brian Outstanding Sophomore 2; MS Ambassador to International Hugh O'Brian Leadership Seminar 2; Mock Trial Witness 2; Attorney 3; "Mame" crew 2; "The Sound of Music" cast 3; Graduation Usher 3; Girls State 3; OHS Chorus 2, 3, 4; SSA 2, 3; Concert Choir 4; DECA 4; Student Council Judicial Branch 4; Young Women's Service Club 2; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4; Foreign Language Fair 2; Who's Who Best Dressed 4; Exchange Club Student of the Month 4; FCA 2, 3, 4; DAR Citizenship Award 4.

## Jayne Ellen Alford

Who's Who Class Favorite 3; OHS Most Beautiful 4; Anchor Club 4; DECA 4; OHS Chorus 2; Honor Roll 4; FCA 3; OHS Basketball Cheerleader 3; "Flashback" Staff 3; Rod and Gun 2.

## Vanessa Allen

Basketball 2; Pre-nursing 2; DECA 4.

## Derrick Sharel Archie

Basketball 2; FCA 2, 3; Football Manager 3; Rod and Gun 2, 3.



## Hattie Mae Barr

OHS Chorus 2; Pre-nursing 3; Intensive Business 3, 4.

## Warren Eugene Barr

Rod and Gun 2, 3.



## Cynthia Darline Bell

Business Club 2; DECA 4; Key Club 3, 4; Drama Club 4.

## Ann Marie Bender



## Anthony Lawrence Blake

Football 2, 3, 4; Who's Who Class Favorite 3, 4; Track; FCA 2, 3, 4.

## Tammie Tawnese Blake

Band 2, 3, 4; Flag Captain 4; I-55 Clinic 4; Solo Ensemble 4; Student Council Rep. 3; Homecoming Court 3; Drama Club 4; Band Club 2; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" crew 4; "Twelve Angry Jurors" crew 4.



## Jessica Hardin Bonds

OHS Football Cheerleader 2, 3; captain 4; Student Council Rep. 2, 3, 4; FCA 2, 3, 4; Concert Choir 2, 3, 4; SSA 2, 3; Sextet 3, 4; "Mame" cast 2; "The Sound of Music" cast 3; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" cast 4; "Twelve Angry Jurors" crew 4; Drama Club 2, 3; Key Club 4; Who's Who Most Talented 2, 3, 4; Track 2; Tennis 3.



## Charles Benjamin Booker

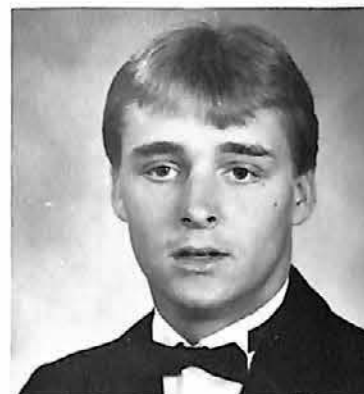


Melody Denise Brown

OHS Chorus 3, 4; District and Regional Choral Festivals; "The Sound of Music" crew 3; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" crew 4; Honor Roll 2, 3, 4; Anchor Club 4; Pre-nursing sec. 3; Student Council Public Relations 3; Drama Club 4.

Brian Dean Burrow

FCA 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 4; Baseball 4; Key Club 3; Rod and Gun 2; "The Sound of Music" crew 3; Who's Who 2. (Transferred from Hernando High)



Hamilton Lee Chrestman

Who's Who Among American High School Students 3, 4; NHS 3, 4; Mu Alpha Theta 3, 4; Honor Roll 2, 3, 4; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" cast 4; Band 2; Rod and Gun 2; Who's Who Sophisticated Senior 4.

Alicia Katherine Clifton

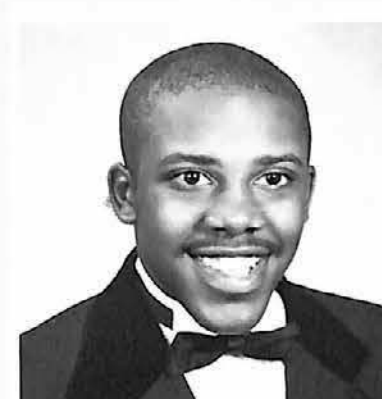
Who's Who Favorite 2, Best All-Around 3; Miss OHS 4; Homecoming Maid 4; Beauty Revue 4; Anchor Club 3, treas. 4; Student Council Rep. 2, sec. 3, 4; Brain Brawl 4; "Mame" cast 2; "The Sound of Music" cast 3; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" cast 4; OHS Football Cheerleader 2, 4, co-captain 3; OHS Chorus 2, 3, 4; Concert Choir 2, 3, 4; SSA 3; Sextet 3, 4; Drama Club 3, 4; FCA 2, 3, 4; French Club 3; Mu Alpha Theta 2, 3, 4; NHS 3, 4; MS Association of National Honor Societies Vice-pres. 4; Youth Congress 4; MSASC 2, 4; SASC 3, 4; NASC 2, 3, 4.

Jan Lea Busby

OHS Football Cheerleader 2; co-captain 3, 4; Drama Club 2; Student Council Rep. 2, 3, 4; Who's Who Favorite 2, 3, 4; OHS Chorus 2; FCA 3, 4.

Jill Ann Busby

Student Council Rep. 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 2; Who's Who Favorite 2; OHS Chorus 2; OHS Football Cheerleader 3, 4; FCA 3, 4.



Clifton Coleman

Drama Club 2; Basketball 2; Track 2, 4; OHS Chorus 2, 3; FCA 3; Who's Who Most Spirited 3, 4; DECA 4.

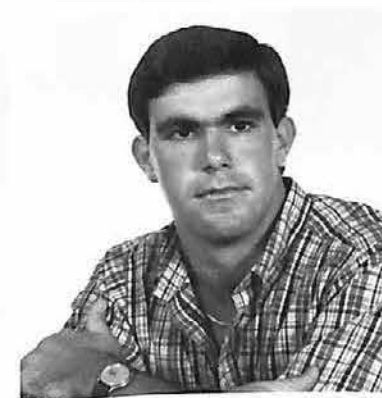
Timothy Wayne Collins

Mu Alpha Theta 2, 3, 4; NHS 3, 4; Rod and Gun 2; Honor Roll 2, 3, 4; Baseball 4.

John Robert Carenza

Dianne Marie Certion

Basketball 2; Track 2, 3, 4; Pre-nursing 2



Phillip Norfleet Crockett

Who's Who Favorite 2, 3; Football 3, 4; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" crew 4; Rod and Gun 2; Male Choir 4; FCA 2, 3; OHS Chorus 4; NHS 4; Homecoming Court 2.

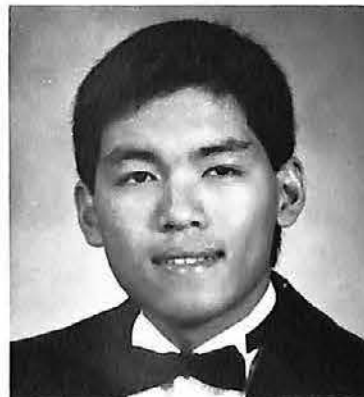
Katrina Leigh Davis

Lisa Renee Chancellor

Basketball 2, 3, 4; DECA Vice-pres. 4; Young Women's Service Club 2; Who's Who Most Sports Minded 4; OHS Beauty Revue 4; OHS Basketball Award 2; FCA 2, 3, 4.

Tom Chi-Cheng Chien

Mu Alpha Theta 2, vice-pres. 3, pres. 4; National Honor Society 3, treas. 4; French Club 2; German Club 3, vice-pres. 4; Brain Brawl 3.



Sabrina Irene Dayton

OHS Basketball Cheerleader 2, captain 3; Band 2; Young Women's Service Club 2; FCA 2, 3; "The Sound of Music" crew 3; Beauty Revue 4; DECA 4.

Dana Ann Dickins

Young Women's Service Club 2; FCA 2, 3, 4; OHS Basketball Cheerleader 2, 3, co-captain 4; "The Sound of Music" crew 3; Honor Roll 3.



Talisa Lachel Dixon

Young Women's Service Club 2; Peer Counselor 2, 3, 4; Track 3, 4; FCA 3, 4; DECA 4.

Sharon Lynn Dowdy

Band 2, 3; Solo and Ensemble 3; Band Club 2; NHS 3, 4; Mu Alpha Theta 3, 4; Anchor Club 4; DECA 4; Honor Roll 2, 3, 4; Home Economic I Award 2; Accounting Award 3.



Carolyn Renee Gilliam

Chorus 3, 4; SSA 3, 4; FHA 3; Anchor Club 4.

Stephanie Renee Gipson

Pre Nursing Club; DECA 4; Young Women's Service Club 2.

Rebecca Ann Evans

FBLA Treasurer 3, Vice-President 4; FHA President 2; NHS 3, 4; Honor Roll 2, 3, Principal's List 4; Peer Counselor 2, 3, 4; Mu Alpha Theta 3, 4; Anchor Club 4.

Michael O'Neal Fox

Basketball 2, 3, 4, All-Conference 3, 4; Rod and Gun 2; FCA 3, 4; Male Chorus 4; Who's Who Most Sports Minded 3, 4.



Yolanda Je'Lise Gipson

Pre Nursing Club 2; Band 2; Track 2, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Spanish Club 3; FCA 3, 4; DECA 4.

Barry Albert Grantham

Leigh Ann Garner

Rosalie Garner

Anchor Club 4; Honor Roll 4; Drama Club 2; OHS Chorus 2, 3; "The Sound of Music" crew 3; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" 4; DECA 4; Principal's List 4.



Steven Duane Green

Football 2, 3, 4; Rod and Gun 2; Spanish Club; Key Club; Art Club; FHA.

Lloyd Mundorf Grissinger

Who's Who 2; Most Valuable Offensive Lineman 3; Rod and Gun 2, 3; Football 2, 3, 4; Most Valuable Defensive Lineman of Chickasaw Conference 4; All District Right Guard; FCA 2, 3, 4.

Steven Kenneth Gilbert

Honor Roll 4; (Transferred from Picayune Memorial High School) Student Council 2; Elected Treasurer 3; Counselors Aide 2; Soccer 2, 3.

Joel Houston Giles



Lori Diane Group

NHS 3, 4; DECA 4; FHA 2; Mu Alpha Theta 4.

Ernest Clayton Harland II

NHS 3, President 4; Band 2, 3, Drum major 4; Peer Counselor 2, 3, 4; Key Club 4; "Seven Brides for Seven Brother" cast 4; Brain Brawl 4; Band Club 2, 3; Male Choir 4; German Club 4; Presidential Classroom Student 4; Exchange Club Student of the Month 4.



*Anthony Bennett Harmon*

*Shelita Richardson Harmon*

Band 2, 3, 4; Band Club 2; Track 2, 3.

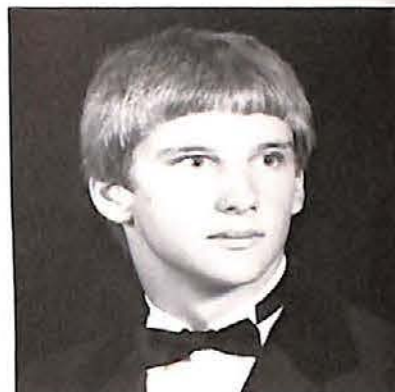


Laura Jane Harwell

Young Women's Service Club 2; OHS Chorus 2; Honor Roll 2, 4; Key Club 3, 4; "The Sound of Music" crew 3; DECA 4; Drama Club 4; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" Assistant Stage Manager 4.

William Elliott Henderson

NHS 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; "The Sound of Music" cast 3; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" cast 4; Rod and Gun 2, 3; Concert Choir 2; Male Choir 2, 4; National Merit Semi Finalist 4; National Merit Finalist 4; National French Exam 3rd in State 3; Mississippi Language Fair 1st Place Translation 3; FCA 2, 3, 4; Rotary Scholar 4; Mississippi Math and Science Tournament 2nd place Biology 4.



Carol Denise Herring

(Transferred from East Holmes Academy) Who's Who 2; Basketball 2; (Transferred from Millington Central High School) Basketball 3; Thespians 3; Concert Choir 3; Chamber Singers 3; Sextet 3; Tenn. Honor Choir 3; T.O.P.S. 3.

Patrick O'Neal Holman

Pre-med Club 2; Track 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Tennis 2, 4.



Vearongia Cecilar Houston

Drama Club 2; DECA 4; "Mame" crew 2; FHA 2, 3.

Robbin Tondalyria Howard

FHA vice-pres. 2; pre-nursing 2; Young Women's Service Club 2; DECA 2; Track Manager 2; FCA 2.



Michael Travis Hunt

Clyde Chin Hutchin Jr.

Computer Club; Rod and Gun 2; Key Club; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Male Choir 4; VICA 2, 3, 4; FCA 2, 3, 4.



Jeffrey Kirk Jackson

NHS 3; Rod and Gun 2.

Charlotte Ann Johnson

FHA vice-pres. 3; FBLA 3; Key Club 2, treas. 4; Algebra I Award 2; Biology Award 2; DECA 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Sewing Club 2; FCA 3; FBLA District II Competitor 3.



Cynthia Demetria Johnson

FCA 2, 3, 4; FHA 3, 4; Pre-nursing; Basketball 2, 3, manager 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Young Women's Service Club 2; Charger "Flash" Typist 2, 3.

John Wayne Johnson

Basketball 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3; Key Club 2; Rod and Gun 2; Male Choir 4.



Timothy Oneal Johnson

Angela Rochelle Jones

Peer Counselor 2, 3, 4; FHA 2; Basketball 2, 3, 4; FCA 2, 3, 4; Key Club 2, 3; Young Women's Service Club 2.



David Jones III

Computer Club 2; Rod and Gun 2; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Football manager 2, 3; Who's Who Among American High School Students 3, 4; Key Club 2; Track 2, 3; Charger "Flash" 4; FCA 2, 3, 4; Male Choir 4.

Jacqueline Denise Jones



Letitia Elizabeth Landon

Home Economics Club 2, 3.

Tim William Langen



Naomi Fontaine Leavell

Key Club 3; "Mame" cast 2; "The Sound of Music" cast 3; Anchor Club 4; Young Women's Service Club 2; DECA 4; OHS Chorus 2, 3; SSA 2, 3.

Michelle Lee Leggett

Young Women's Service Club 2; Pre-med Club 2; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4.

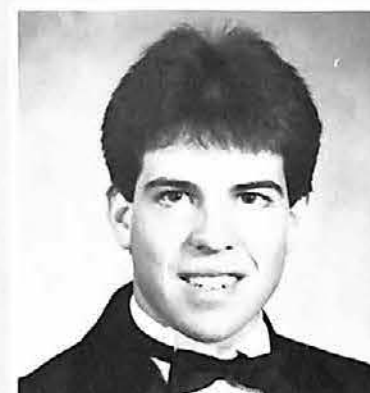


Leslie Ann Leschner

Honor Roll 3, 4; Young Women's Service Club 2; DECA 4; Key Club 4; Anchor Club 4; OHS Chorus 2; OHS Beauty Revue 4; Foreign Language Fair 2; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" crew 4.

Eric Eugene Lewis

Rod and Gun 2, 3.



Goodloe Tankersley Lewis

Tennis 2, 3, 4; "The Sound of Music" crew 3; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" crew 4; German Club 2, 3, pres. 4; Foreign Language Fair 2, 3, 4; Honor Roll 2, 3, 4; Football Statistician 3, 4; Band 2; "Flashback" staff 3; Mu Alpha Theta 3, 4; Beauty Revue M.C. 4.

Charles Edward Lominac III

(Transferred from Cabot High School, Cabot, Ark.) Football 2, 3, 4; Key Club 4; Mu Alpha Theta 4; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" cast 4; German Club 4; NHS 3, 4; Algebra II Award 3.

Charlotte Lee Lovelady

Young Women's Service Club 2; Anchor Club 4; Band 2, Flag Corp 2; Rod and Gun 3; Honor Roll 3, 4; Mu Alpha Theta 3, 4; OHS Beauty 4; DECA 4; Key Club 3, 4; FCA 2, 3.

Erica Denise Marshall

(Transferred from Japan) NHS 3, 4; Varsity Cross Country 3; Junior Class Treas. 3; TIP 2, 3; Flagline 2; ACS 2, 3.



Frances Amanda Mason

Young Women's Service Club 2; Honor Roll 3, 4; DECA 4; Anchor Club 4; Key Club 4; OHS Chorus 2, 3, 4; SSA 3, 4; Foreign Language Fair 2; "Flashback" staff 4; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" crew 4; Regional, District, State Choral Festivals 2, 3, 4; Mock Trial, attorney 3; Beauty Revue 4.

Lori Delann Mason

OHS Chorus 2; Key Club 2, 3; Young Women's Service Club 2.



Donald Rush McCord

Rod and Gun; FFA; Band

William Terry McDonald





Dana Michelle McDougal

Ronald Lee McGraw

Football 2, 3, 4; Track 2.



Douglas Ray McLaughlin

Rod and Gun 2, 3.

Stephanie Ann Meagrow

Young Women's Service Club 2; DECA 4.



Donald Wade Medley

Football 2; Rod and Gun 2; DECA 4.

Shan Vonzel Miller

Pre-nursing 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3; DECA 4; Who's Who Best All-Around 4; FCA 2, 3, 4; Key Club 3.

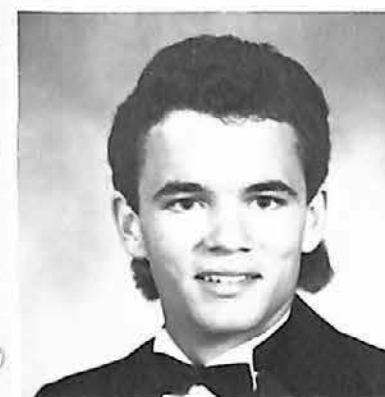


Mavis Loren Mitchell

Track 3; DECA 4; Pre-nursing 2, 3, 4.

Sherry Lynn Montgomery

FHA, treas. 2; FBLA 3, 4.



Robert Sell Moon

Band 2, 3, pres. 4; Band Club 2, 3; Drama Club 4; Charger "Flash" Asst. Editor 3; Editor 4; "Twelve Angry Jurors" cast 4; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" cast 4; Male Choir 4.

Caysie Elizabeth Moore

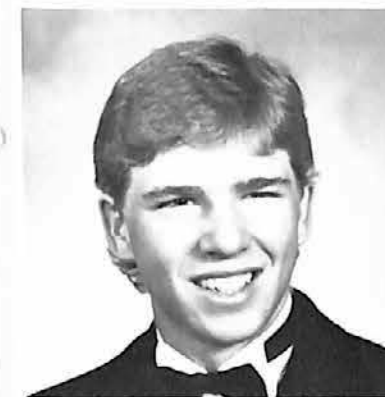
DECA 4; French Club 2; Rod and Gun 3; Drama Club 2; Young Women's Service Club 2; Key Club 3, 4; Honor Roll 2; Band, Flag Corp 2; Foreign Language Fair 2; OHS Beauty 4.

David Anthony Moore

Rod and Gun 2, 3; DECA 4; Golf 4; "The Sound of Music" crew 3; "Mame" crew 2; FCA; Male Choir 4.

Jeffrey Glenn Moore

Football 3, 4; FCA 3, 4; "The Sound of Music" cast 3; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" cast 4; Key Club 3, 4; DECA 4; Band 2; OHS Chorus 3; Male Choir 3, 4; Honor Roll 4; Foreign Language Fair 2.

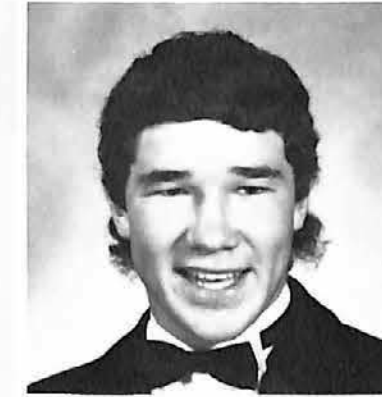


Kathryn Lynn Mutchler

German Club 2, 3; Mu Alpha Theta 2, 3, 4; Biology Award 2; Typing Award 2; Algebra III Award 3; Top 10% in MS on National German Exam (Level II) OHS Chorus 2, 3; Honor Roll 2, 3, 4; NHS 3, 4; Peer Counselor 3, 4; Foreign Language Fair 2.

Charles Wayne Naron

Baseball 2, 3, 4; Rod and Gun 2, 3; DECA 4.



Neil McAlister Newcomb

ASG rep. 2, 4, vice-pres. 3; Student Council "Member of the Month"; MSASC 3; SASC 2, 3, 4; NASC 2, 3, 4; Who's Who Friendliest 2, Most Dependable 3; Boys' State 4; Golf Team 2, 3, 4; "Mame" crew 2; "The Sound of Music" crew 3.

Cheryl Ann Nix

(Transferred from Covington High School, Covington, Tenn.) Pep Club 2, 3; Honor Roll 3; DECA 3, 4; OHS Beauty Revue 4.





Earl Glen Owens III

Basketball mgr. 2, 3; Rod and Gun 2, 3; Key Club; Track; FHA.

Jelicer Owens

Pre-nursing 2; Chorus 2; FBLA 2, 3.



James Darryl Hunter Parker

Basketball 2, 3, 4; ASG rep. 3, 4; Judicial Branch 2; American Legion Oratorical Contest, 3rd place, 3; FCA 2, 3, 4; Brain Bowl 4; German Club 2, 3, 4; Foreign Language Fair 3; Band, Vice-pres., Male Choir 4.

Charles Wesley Pegues

Baseball 2, 3, 4; Rod and Gun 2.



Martha Susan Perry

OHS Basketball Cheerleader co-cap. 2; OHS Football Cheerleader 3, 4; ASG rep. 2; Jr. Class Sec./Treas.; Sr. Class Sec./Treas.; OHS Chorus 3, 4; Concert Choir 3, 4; Sextet 4; Homecoming Queen 4; Who's Who Friendliest 2, 3, 4; Band 2, Sec. 3, Treas. 4; Flag/Rifle Corp 4; "Mame" crew 2; "The Sound of Music" cast 3; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" cast 4; DECA 4; Drama Club 4; "Twelve Angry Jurors" crew 4; Peer Counselor 4; Beauty Revue 4; Graduation Usher 3; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4; FCA 2, 3, 4; District, Regional, State Choral Festivals 3, 4; Foreign Language Fair 2.

Leslie Clair Pettis

Soph. Class Sec./Treas.; Jr. Class Pres.; Sr. Class Pres.; FCA sec. 3, 4; "The Sound of Music" crew 3; OHS Chorus 2, 3, 4; SSA 3; Concert Choir 4; Rod and Gun 2; OHS Football Cheerleader 3, 4; Beauty Revue 4; Homecoming Court 3, 4; Who's Who Favorite 4; NASC 3.



Matthew James Porter

Band 2, 3, Drum Cap. 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; French Club 2, 3; Foreign Language Fair 2; OHS Chorus 3, 4; Male Choir 3, 4; Concert Choir 3, 4; "The Sound of Music" cast 3; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" cast 4; Charger "Flash" Cartoonist/Art 4.

Michael Eugene Price

Rod and Gun 2; Basketball 4; Charger "Flash" Staff 4.



Anna Leigh Guin Pulliam

Band, Flag Corp 2; Drama Club 2; Mu Alpha Theta 3, 4; NHS 3, 4; Foreign Language Fair 2; DECA 4; Anchor Club 4; Beauty Revue 4; Rod and Gun 3; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4.

Mary Whitney Rayner

ASG Rep. 2, 3, 4; OHS Chorus 2, 3, 4; SSA 3; Concert Choir 4; "Mame" cast 3; Tennis 2, 3, 4; Mu Alpha Theta 3, 4; FCA 2, 3, 4; Danforth Award 3; Key Club 4; Drama Club, vice-pres. 4; Anchor Club 4; OHS Beauty 4; OHS Most Photogenic 4; "Twelve Angry Jurors" cast 4; Exchange Club Student of the Month 4; Who's Who Most Spirited 4.

Tajuana O'Teace Redmond

Drama Club 4; "Twelve Angry Jurors", Asst. Director 4; ASG Rep. 2, 3, 4; Charger "Flash" staff 4; Band 2, 3; Track 3; FCA 2, 3.

Michael Sean Reidy

Basketball 2, 3, 4; French Club 3, 4; Male Choir 2, 4; Key Club 4; ASG Rep. 2, 4; Brain Brawl 4; Honor Roll 2, 3, 4; Who's Who Best All-Around 3; Mr. OHS 4; Mu Alpha Theta 4; Spanish Club 2.



Kenneth Carter "Rob" Robertson

Tennis 2; Baseball 3, 4; Drama Club 4; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" cast 4; "The Sound of Music" crew 3; "Mame" crew 2; "Twelve Angry Jurors" crew 4; FCA 2, 3, 4; Foreign Language Fair 2, 3; National Arts Awards 2, 3, 4; Rod and Gun 2.

Nanette Marie Roux

OHS Basketball Cheerleader 3, captain 4; FCA 3, 4; SSA 4; Key Club 3; Young Women's Service Club 2; OHS Chorus 2, 4; "The Sound of Music" crew 3; Young Engineer's Award 2; 1st Place Local, District, State Science Fair 2.



Julia Caroline Russell

Mu Alpha Theta 2, 3, 4; Key Club 3, Pres. 4; Anchor Club 2, Jr. Board Member 3, Sec. 4; SSA 2, 4; NHS 3, 4; OHS Chorus 2, 4; Brain Brawl 4; Rod and Gun 2; Foreign Language Fair 2, 3.

Steven Wayne Sansom

Football 2, 3, 4; FCA 2, 3, 4; NHS 4; Rod and Gun 2, 3.





Steven Browning Schoenly, Jr.

German I Award 2; German II Award 3; Governor's School 2; Youth Congress 3, 4; NHS 3, 4; Mu Alpha Theta 2, 3, 4; German Club 2, 3, 4; French Club 4; Honor Roll 2, 3, 4; National Merit Semi-finalist 4; International Science and Engineering Fair 3; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4; "Mame" crew 2; "The Sound of Music" crew 3; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" crew 4; Tennis 2, 3, 4; 1st in State National German Exam 3.

Keith Daniel Shackelford



Victoria Edith Shaw

Brain Brawl 3, Sec. 4; Anchor Club 4; Mock Trial 3; Key Club 3, V.Pres. 4; Drama Club 2, Sec. 4; ASG Judicial Branch 3, Ch. 4; "Sound of Music" Asst. Stage Mgr. 3; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" Stage Manager 4; French Club 2, 3, 4; Girls State 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4; Top 20% National French Exam 3; Basketball Cheerleader 2; Rotary Scholar 4; Language Fair 2, 3, 4; "Twelve Angry Jurors" cast 4; Honor Roll 2, 3, 4; FCA 2, 3, 4; "Student Council Member of the Month" 4; Principals List 4; National Merit Finalist; American Legion Oratorical Contest.

Loretta Suzanne Sledge

Pre-Med Club 2; FHA 3; DECA 4.



Marie Alyce Smith

Drama Club 2; Chorus 2, 3; SSA 3; "FLASHBACK" Staff 2, 3, 4, Section Editor 2, 3, Business Manager 4; Charger "FLASH" staff 4, Business Manager 4; Key Club 4; Anchor Club 4; "The Sound of Music" crew 3; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" crew 4; DECA 4; Honor Roll 4; Beauty Revue 4; Language Fair 2.

John Smith



John Sobotka

Terry Busby Sparks

Band 2, 3; Drama Club 2.



Tealisha Lee Starks

Basketball 2, 3, 4; Pre-nursing Club 2; ASG representative 4; Graduation Usher 3.

William M. Stewart

"Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" crew 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4; Band 2; Football Manager 4; Key Club 3; ASG Judicial Branch 4; FCA 4.

Lee Christian Stewart

Football 2, 3, 4; FCA 2, 3, 4; "The Sound of Music" crew 3; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" crew 4; Rod and Gun 2, 3; Male Choir 4; German Club 2, 3; Language Fair 2, 3; Key Club.

Stephen Christopher Still

Tennis 2, 3, 4; NHS 3, V.Pres. 4; French Club 2, V.Pres. 3, Pres. 4; "The Sound of Music" crew 3; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" cast 4; Governor's School 3; Band 2, 3; Language Fair 2; Honor Roll 2, 3, 4; Principal's List 4; Top 20% National French Exam 2, 3; Youth Congress 4; Mu Alpha Theta 2, 3, 4.



Margaret Ann Sturdivant

Band 2; Young Women's Service Club 2; Beauty Revue 4.

Alice Faith Supple

Young Women's Service Club 2; SSA 4; OHS Chorus 2, 3, 4; DECA 4; "The Sound of Music" cast 3; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" cast 4.



Richard Weseley Swinney

Band 2; Rod and Gun 2; Honor Roll 4; Computer Science Club 4.

Donna Burnette Thomas

Young Women's Service Club 2; Band 2, 3.





Sharon Denise Tipton

(Transferred from Southwood High School and Woodlawn High School, Shreveport, La.) FHA 2, 3; FFA 2; Key Club 2, 3; French Club 3; Beauty Pageant 3; OHS Beauty Revue 4; French Club 4.

Rachel Laurel Tollison



Juanita Townsend

Andrew Timothy Trott

Golf 2, 3, 4; DECA 4; MVP Golf 3, 4; "Mame" crew 2; "The Sound of Music" crew 3; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" crew 4; French Club 2; Rod and Gun 3; Language Fair 2; Beauty Revue "Sound Technician" 4; Football Asst. Statistician 3, 4.



Donna Michelle Tubbs

Key Club 3, 4; DECA 3; Young Women's Service Club 2; Rod and Gun 3; Chorus 2, 4; French Club 2; Drama Club 4.

Robert Matt Van Besien

NHS 4; Band 3, 4; Lions Band 3, 4; German Club 4; Mu Alpha Theta 4.

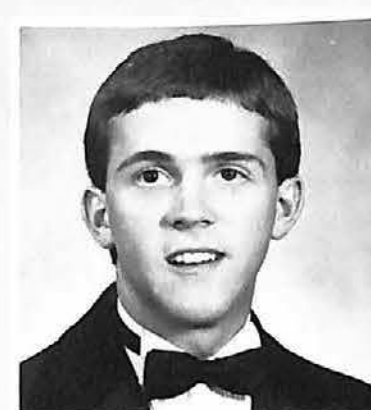


Karen Latriece Vaxter

(Transferred from Jeffersonville High School) Pep Club; Try-Hi-Y 2, 3; Powder Puff 2, 3; Anchor Club.

Anissa Sherrell Walker

Pre-nursing Club 2; HOSA Club V. Pres. 3, 4; HOSA V. Pres., State 3, 4.



LaShawnda Walker

ASG Representative 2, 3, 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4; Basketball Cheerleader 2; Honor Roll 4; Band 2; Young Women's Service Club 2.

Steven Woodburn Wall

Soph. Class Pres.; Most Likely to Succeed 2; Mu Alpha Theta 2, 3, 4; French Club 2, 3; Drama Club 4; FCA 3, Pres. 4; OHS Chorus 2, 3, 4; Male Choir 2, 3, 4; Concert Choir 2, 3, 4; Quartet 3, 4; "Mame" cast 2; "The Sound of Music" cast 3; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" cast 4; "FLASHBACK" Staff Soph. Editor 2, Honors Editor 3, Editor 4; NHS 3, 4; Football 2, 3; Graduation Usher 3; ASG Judicial Branch Ch. 3; ASG Treas. 4; American History Award 3; Elizabeth Bounds Award 3; Language Fair 2, 1st Place Translation 3; Boys State 3; MSASC 3, 4; SASC 2, 4; NASC 2, 3; Workshop Presenter 4; Exchange Club Student of the Month 4; Youth Congress 4; Century III Finalist 4; U.S. Senate Youth Program Delegate 4.

Margaret Stevens Walton

NHS 3, 4; Mu Alpha Theta 3; OHS Chorus 2, 3; Regional and State Choral Festivals 2; SSA 2, 3; French Club 3; Honor Roll; "Mame" crew 2; DECA 4; Key Club 3.

Angilean Ward

Basketball 2, 3, 4; Pre-nursing Club 2; FCA 2, 3, 4; Band 2; Who's Who Most Sports Minded 4; Young Women's Service Club 2.

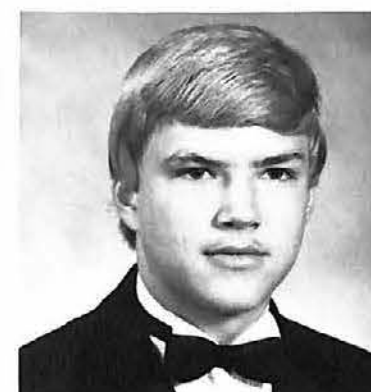


Laura Gail Ware

(Transferred from Germantown High School) Softball 2; CLICK, teacher's aid 2; Soph. Class Sec.; Pep Club 2; Key Club 2; Spanish Club 2; French Club 2; Track 3; Cross Country 3; Tennis Club 3; Beauty Revue 3; Teen Board 1986 3; Rod and Gun 3; Student Council Representative 3; OHS Charger "Flash" staff 4.

Robert Mitchell Weems

"FLASHBACK" Staff 2; Tennis 2, 3, 4; Brian Brawl team 3, 4; German Club 4; Honor Roll 2, 3, 4; German I Award 3.



Warren Lon Wells

ASG Pres. 4, Treas. 3, Representative 2; NHS 3, 4; Science Fair Club 2; German Club 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Concert Choir 2, 3; Male Choir 2, 3; Exchange Club "Student of the Month" 4; FCA 2, V. Pres. 3, 4; Edwin Moak Memorial Award for the Outstanding Soph. 2; Bobby Holcomb Leadership Award; Mu Alpha Theta 4; "Mame" cast 2; "The Sound of Music" cast 3; "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers" cast 4; Drama 4; 1st Place American Legion Oratorical Contest 3; Who's Who "Best All-Around" 2; "Best Personality" 3, "Most Dependable" 4.

Tony Ray Wiley





Marie Erlisa Williams

Pre-nursing 2; OHS Chorus 2, 4; FBLA; Young Women's Service Club 2.

Teresa Elaine Willingham

Chemistry Award 3; Spanish I Award 3; Pre-nursing Club 2; Anchor Club 4.

William Edward Willis

ASG Representative 2; German Club 2, 3; Rod and Gun 2; OHS Chorus 3, 4; Quartet 3, 4; Concert Choir 3, 4; Language Fair 2, 3; Band 2; Who's Who "Silliest Soph.", "Jolliest Jr.", "Friendliest" 4.

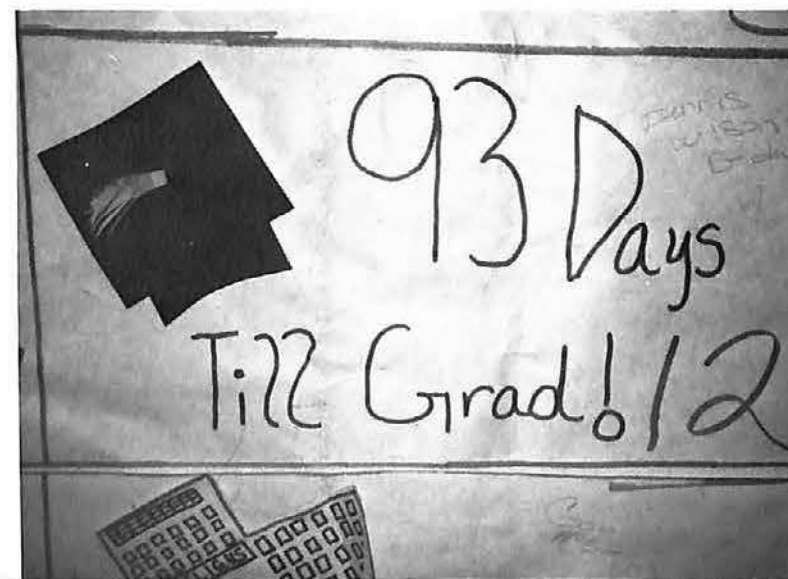
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Tony Garner  
Dana Gayckin

Keith Hawkins  
Tony Hill  
William Ivy  
Lynn Jenkins  
Ashby Johnson  
Timothy Johnson  
Charles Jones  
Clifton Moody  
Monica Moser  
James Mosley  
Camilla Pegues

Jeff Perry  
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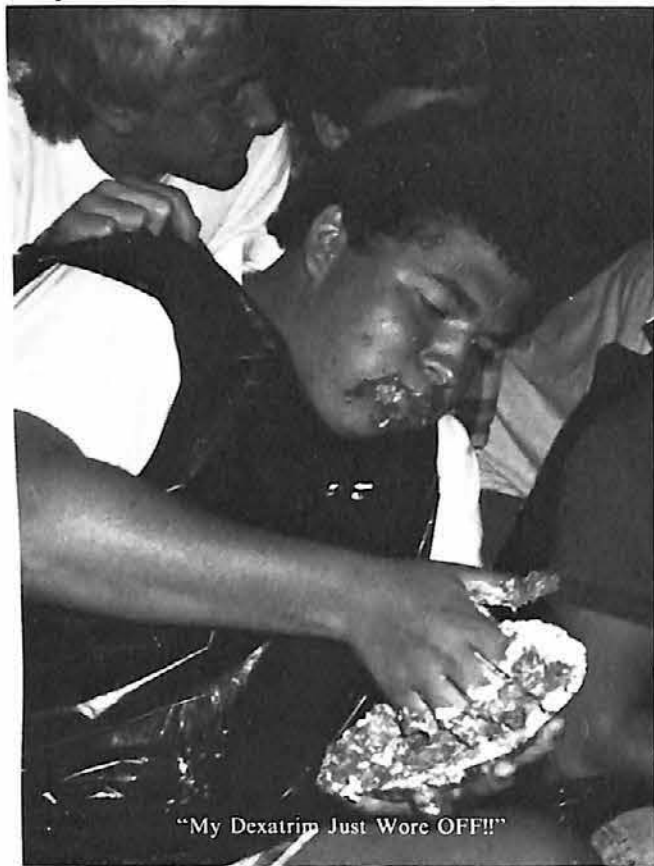
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# SENIOR WILLS

- I, Erica Marshall, will to Deeneen Frieson my intelligence, sex appeal, and sense of humor.
- I, Tajuana Redmond, will to the classes of '88 and '89 my hopes for the very best of luck in the future. Hold your heads up high and strive to succeed.
- I, Laura Ware, will to Devin Tobin a hearing aid to hear all the juicy gossip that is said about him, and to the Journalism class I leave a book on how to be snobby.
- I, Tealisha Starks, will to Michelle Goss the ability to succeed in OHS and future events.
- I, Dianne Certion, will to Karen Brown my great mind, fine body and the ability to keep on singing, and when she makes it big to not forget me, and if she needs a manager she will know how to find me.
- I, Alyce Smith, will to my best friend and little sister the ability to make it through both the good and bad times without me next year, but always remember that I'm only a phone call away. I LOVE YOU!!!
- I, Clay Harland, will to Bonnie Harland (my sister) my desk seats in Calculus, English, and American Government.
- I, Martha Perry, will to Melissa Perry all the wonderful times and smiles that I have had at OHS.
- I, Chris Still, will to Lamar Robertson the guts to tell Dr. Murchison that he's a netter and not a brawler.
- I, Steven Schoenly, will to Dr. Murchison my attitude.
- I, Donnie McCord, will to Stuart Meagrow my ability to stay out of Saturday Detention.
- I, Karen Vaxter, will to Tonya Reed my ability to open up to others, and my confidence in myself and most of all my all around good looks.
- I, Catherine Stead, will to Beth Morton my car to give her feet the proper rest.
- I, George Simpson, will to the little group around school my leadership of the first family.
- I, Jessica Bonds, will to Cathy Still a brick, to Melissa Perry my legs, Bobby Moon my religious jeans, and to Ashley Wells and Halon Bonds I leave the thought that maybe its OK to kiss boys you aren't married to or going with.
- I, Vearongia Ron-Ron Houston, will to Conniell Cohran the ability to wear her own hair.
- I, one lucky senior, will Jean Henderson the ability to get a "W" of her very own.
- I, Vicki Shaw, will to Bonnie and Stacy, Pizza Hut's phone number, my black tights and the ability to remember such an acronym sa FACTMFHAB!!
- I, Rob Robertson, will to Robert King my artistic ability and the ability to find "just the right girl."
- I, Teresa Willingham, will to all the underclassmen my ability to be an achiever and to show their intelligence and knowledge in everything they do.
- I, Chris Still, will to Mark Crowe my rose.
- We, Charlee, Caysie, Michelle, and Leigh will to the sophomore and Junior girls the ability to learn the true facts about certain situations and how to stay out of them.
- I, Robert Weems, will to the whole town the mall, arcade, and other boring entertainment which I will not have to endure while I'm in Germany.
- I, Matt Porter, will to Steven Woolsey the leadership of freeing pterodactyls from evil temptresses all over the world, and I also will my cynicism and apathy to anyone who cares to have it.
- The Senior class leaves Kristi Aquilini an aspirin.
- I, Wade Medley, will to any redneck my TRUCK!!!
- I, Katrina Davis, will to Beth Stiles and Margaret Bailey the ability to make it through next year.
- I, Marie Williams, will to one-half the sophomores and one-half the juniors and some seniors the ability to sweep around your own front door, before you try to sweep around mine. (ditch diggers and back stabbers)
- I, Sabrina Dayton, will to Amy Lowe the ability to smell the flowers and not the clouds.
- I, Herbert Wiley, will to Paula Birne my respect and love forever.
- I, Vanessa Allen, will to Robyn Hill and Conniell Cohran my ability to do well with their senior year and keep your heads up and ignore the silly people that don't know any better. Love ya.
- I, Tajuana Redmond, will to my dearest brother my hopes for the best Junior year ever, and my loving support for all goals he hopes to accomplish in his triumph to the best Senior year possible. I LOVE YOU!!!
- I, Sabrina Dayton, will to Dana Harwell my ability to be Great!!!
- I, Richard Swinney, will to Darnell Lewis my coolness.
- I, Barry Grantham, will to Mrs. Dewees my friends, Christian Stewart and Brian Burrow, to stay with you at OHS for the rest of their lives and help with disciplinary measures in her classes.
- I, Anissa Walker Kimmons, will to some Sophomores my maturity, brains, name, and body.
- I, Nanette Roux, will to my brother Jeff Roux the ability to run a red light without being stopped.





"My Dexatrim Just Wore OFF!!"



group obviously can't



"Desperat



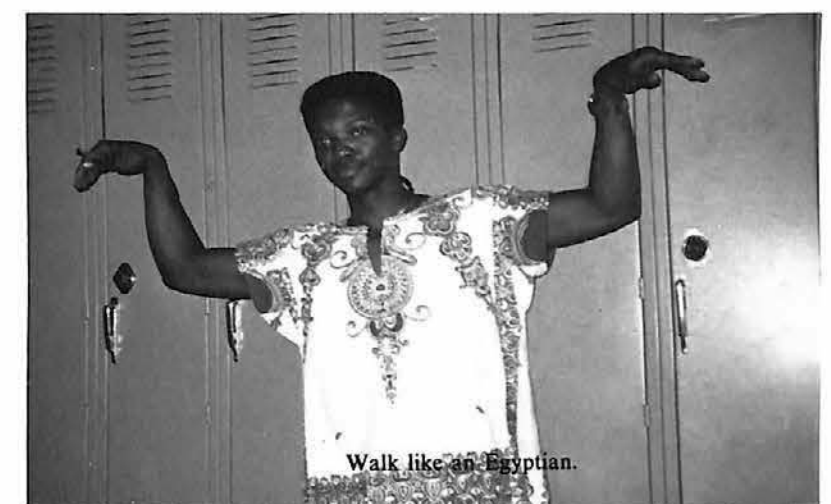
"Just a candid."



Tough competition



"GET OFF"



Walk like an Egyptian.



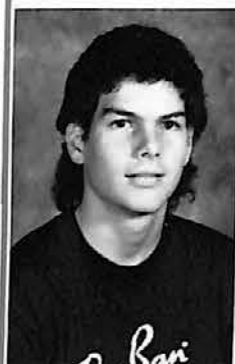
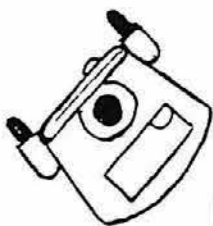
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## SHOT AT BEING CUTE

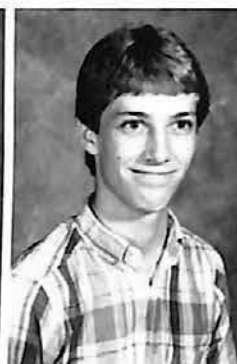


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Louis Abbott



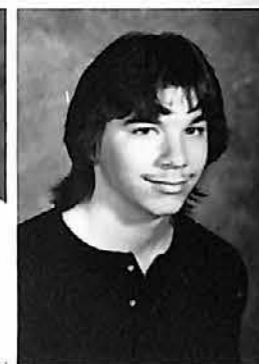
Cameron Abel



Cheryl Ables



Heather Adair



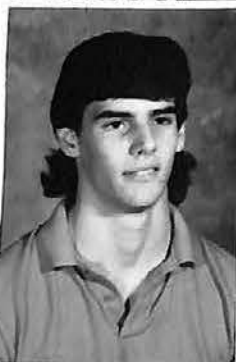
Jeff Allen



Sonya Anderson



Khristi Aquilini



Paul Austin



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Shawnda Barry

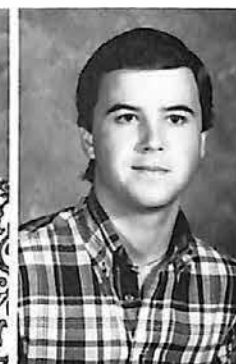
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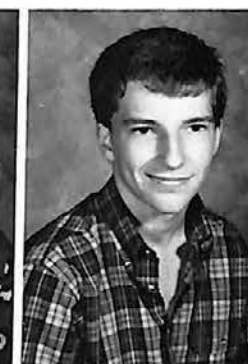
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Jeana Brooks



Dennis Brown



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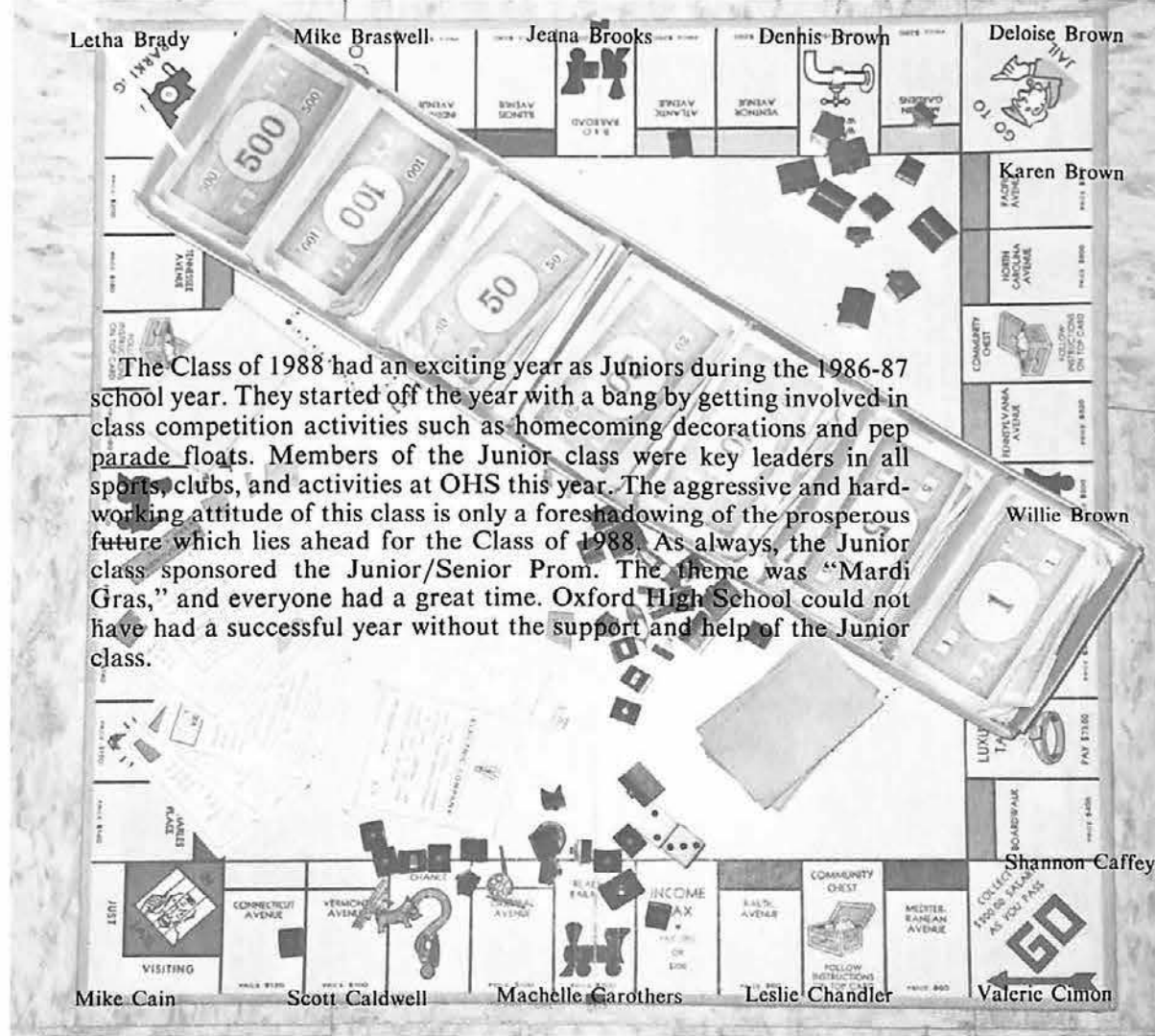
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Willie Brown



Shannon Caffey



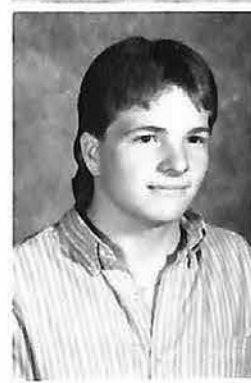
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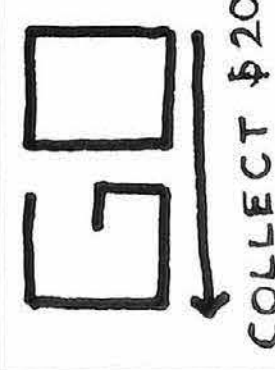
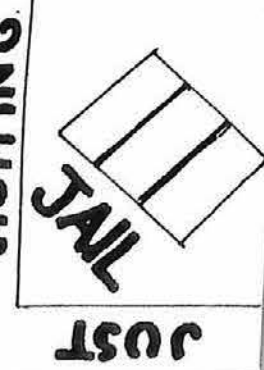
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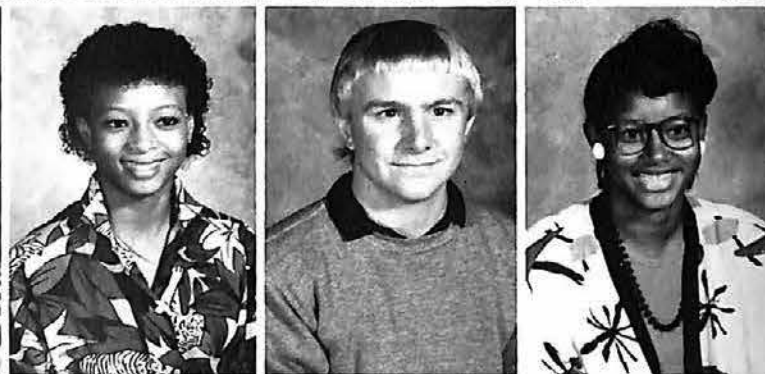
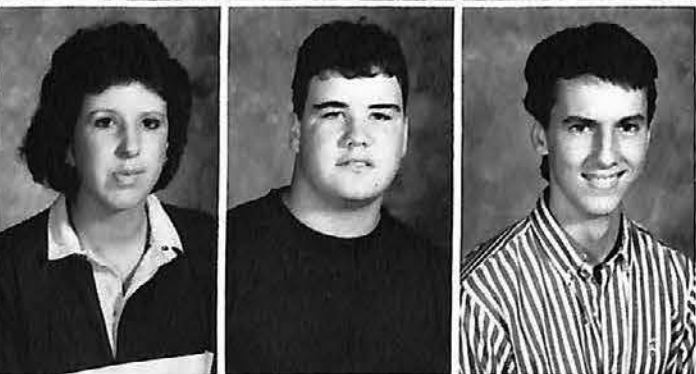
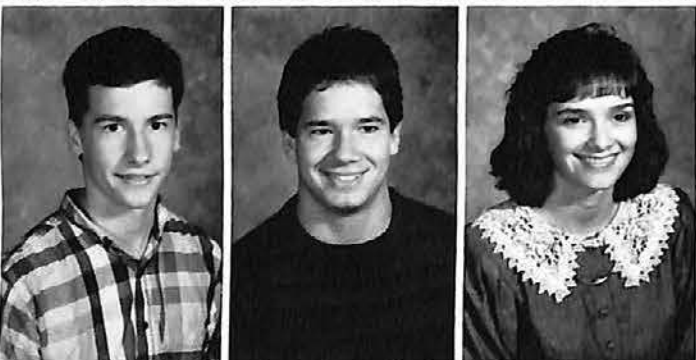
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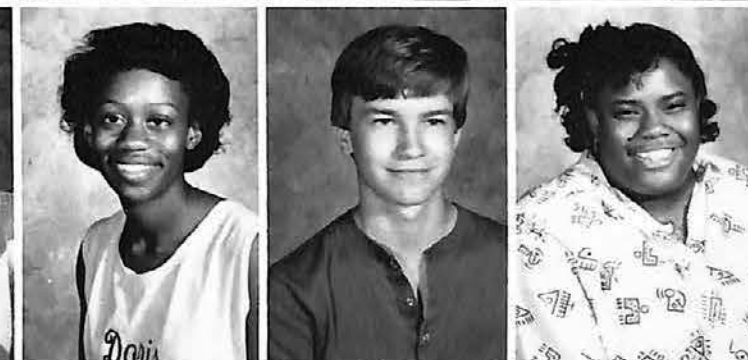
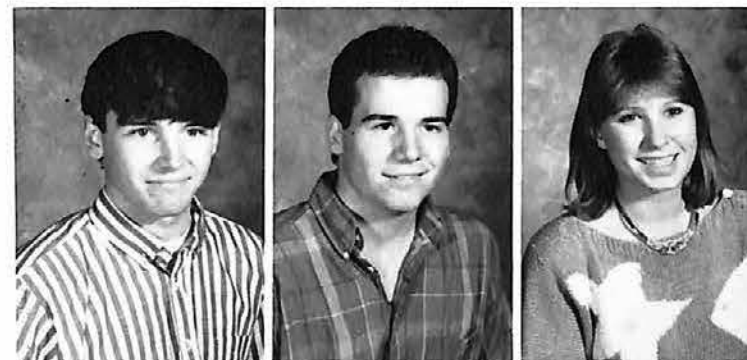
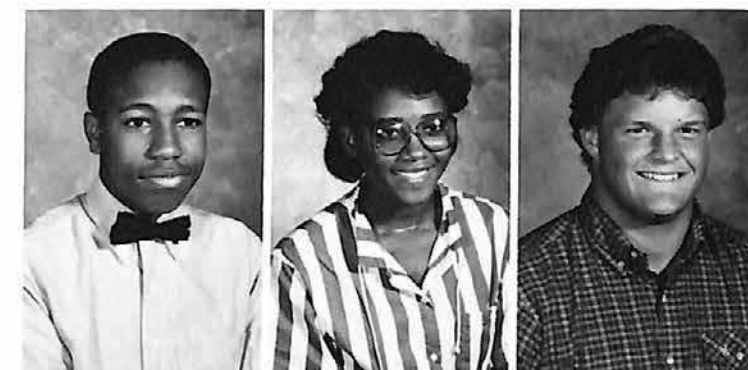
Adriana Iñigo Suárez, an exchange student from Hermosillo, Mexico, stayed in Oxford for one school year. She lived with four families during her visit. Adriana said that she liked Oxford and OHS, but the school here is different from the school in Mexico. The schedule was one thing that was different. In Mexico, classes started at 7:00 or 8:00 and ended around 1:00 or 2:00, unlike the 8:00 to 3:00 schedule here. Adriana, we are glad you came!



Ricky Childress	Emily Clayton	David Cook	Joey East	Cheryl Faust	Deeneen Frieson
Angela Cox	Christy Cox	Ronnie Cox	Sylvia Gilliom	Paul Gilmore	Audra Goolsby
Mark Crowe	Jad Dorizas	Missy Durham			
Jennifer Gholson	Frank Gibbs	John Gillespie			

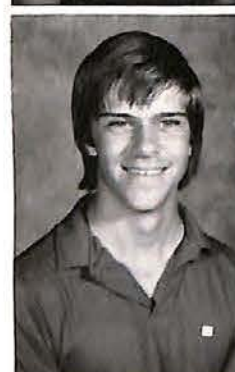
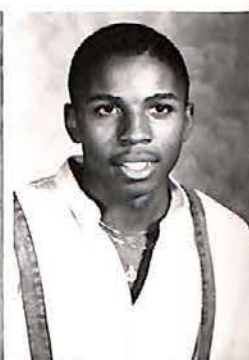
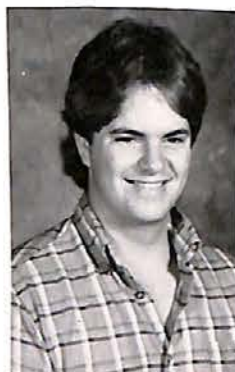


Paul Gilmore, an OHS junior, received the honor of being a page in the U.S. Senate for Senator Thad Cochran. Paul began his term on January 26 and served until June 13. Paul attended classes at the Library of Congress and lived in a dormitory with other pages while he was in Washington. This special honor was one Paul will never forget. Paul's success has made OHS very proud.



Vance Harrison	Bobby Hawkins	Ann Haws	Thomas Gordon	Michelle Goss	Justin Hall
David Hill	Dona Hill	Jeff Hilliard	Bonnie Harland	Gwen Harris	Laura Harrison
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			Kim Hilliard	Kenya Hodges	Pam Hoffman





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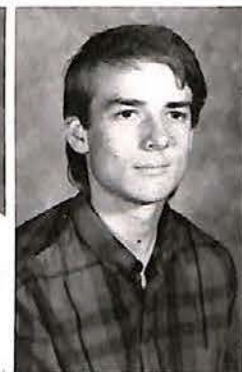
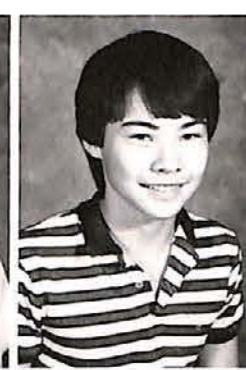
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Libbie Kakales

James Jones  
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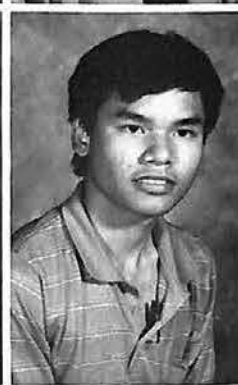
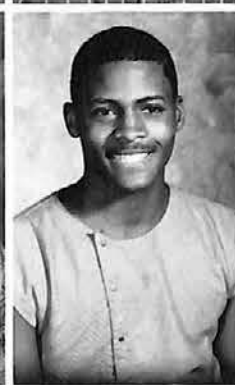
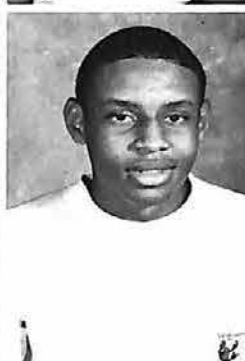
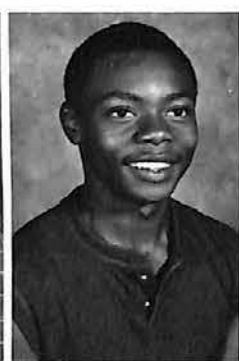
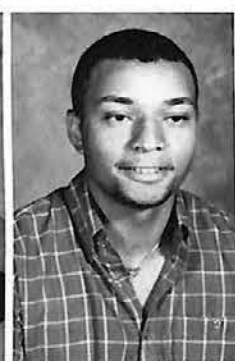
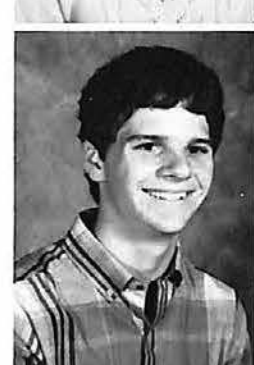
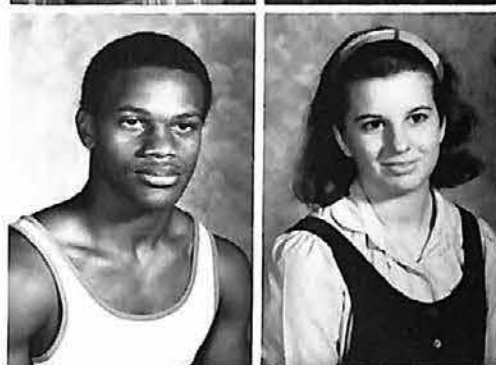
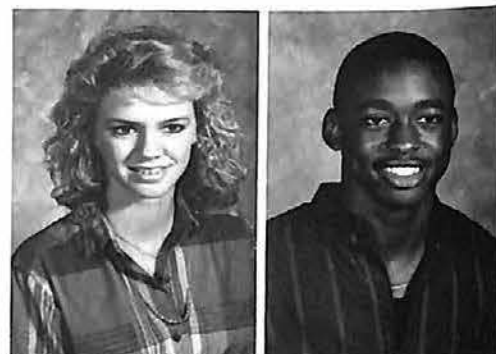
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Kelly Metzger

Henry Liggins  
Matthew Long  
Cindy McGregor  
Doug Minor

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Detra Mosby

Archie Norphlet

Tim Orange

Nekolle Oree

Dee Mitchell

Tyrone Mitchell

Cedric Pegues

Mark Pegues

Vanessa Pegues

Hung Pham

Marlon Moore

Beth Moreton

Michael Owens

Corey Peel

Fredrick Phillips

Sallie Porter

Portia Pray

Edith Pruitt

Lamar Robertson

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Courtney Rogers

James Ramsey

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Drew Randle

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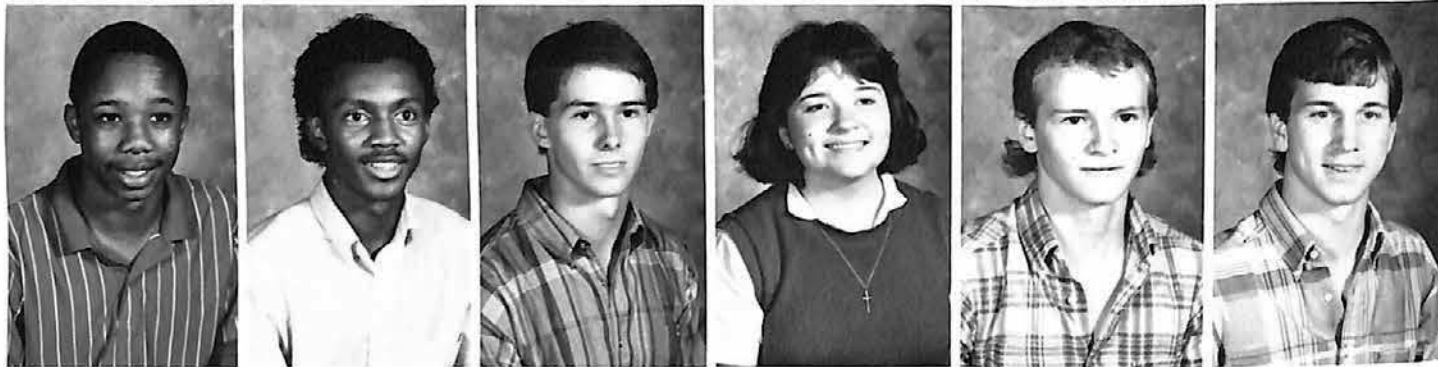
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Jennifer Shepard

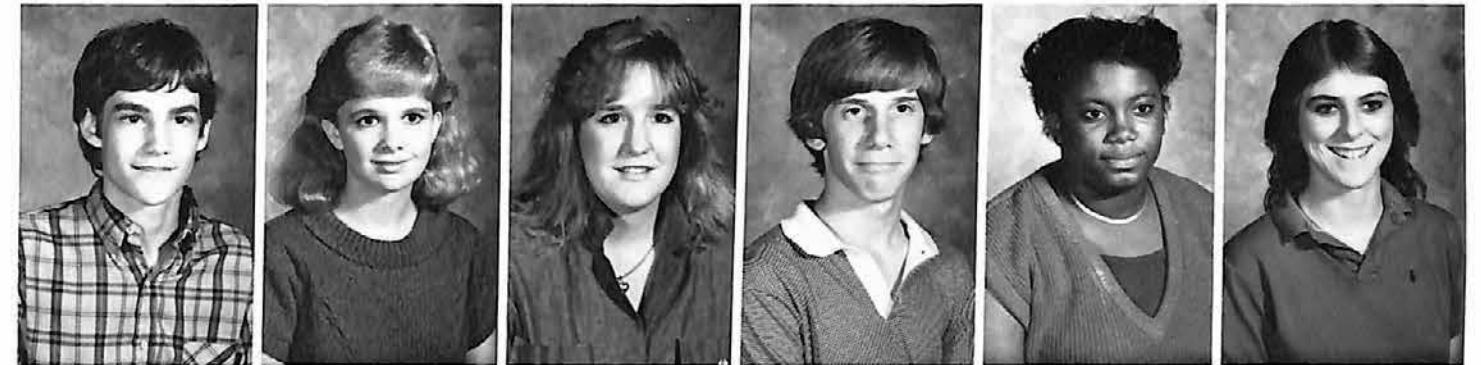
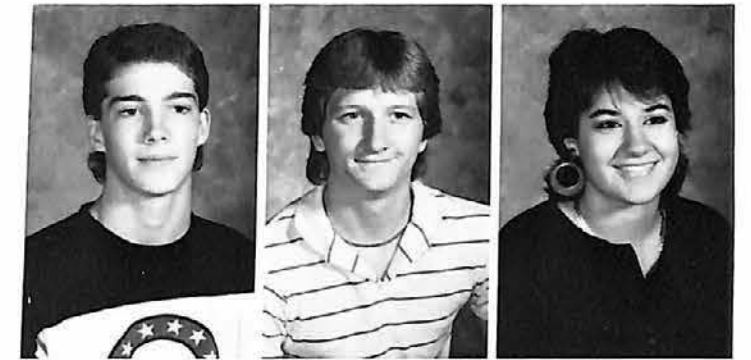
## CLASS OF 1988



# JUNIORS



Amy Slone	Lisa Smith	Shellye Smith	Cathy Still	Kenneth Thompson	Rachelle Thompson
Steve Smith	Stacy Stansell	Beth Stiles	Judi Tomerlin	Lane Traylor	Drew Tyler
Robert Thompson	Ronald Thompson	Devin Tobin			



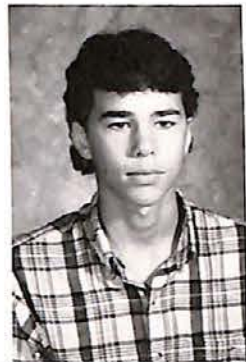
Jay Webb	Tina Webster	Liz White	Mike Ussery	William Varner	Regina Verlangieri
			Hoke Wilcox	Carol Williams	Amy Young



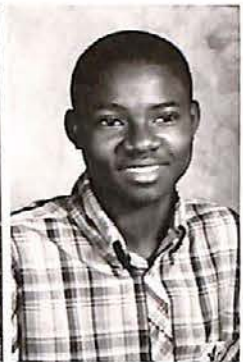
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Margaret Bailey	Shelia Horton
Bill Barry	Christi Johnson
Lisa Boyd	Brenda Luster
Connell Cohran	Stephanie Meagrow
Paul Franklin	Mary Micheletti
Opal Genetti	Tina Pernell
Melissa Gillom	Lee Sisk
Kendric Gordon	Ellis Spraggins
Charla Henry	Barbara Thompson
Jackie Hervey	Kim Wiley
Barbara Hickonbottom	Stephanie Williams





John Abadie



Arnil Adams



Mark Addy



Missy Aldridge



Shane Alford



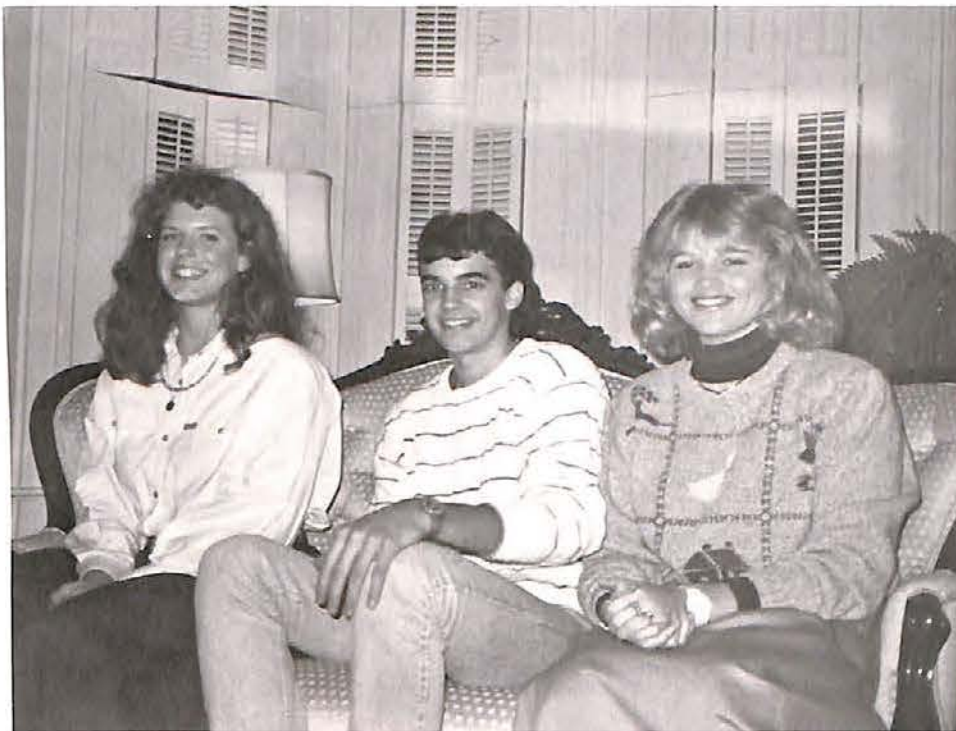
Hesham Baeshen



Diane Baker



Loretta Banks



SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS: Ashley Wells, Sec.-Treas; Michael Wilson, President; Courtney Pennington, Vice-President

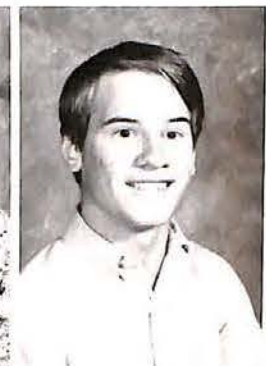
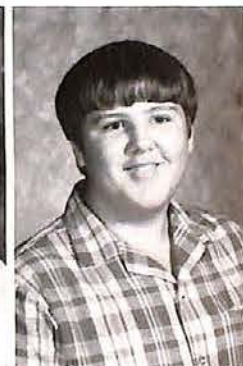
Michelle Barlow

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Halon Bonds



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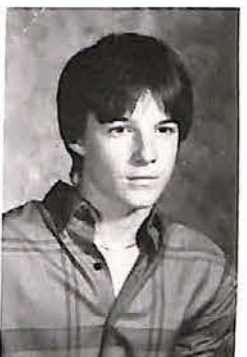
Anne-Marie Brown



Steve Brunson



Andy Byrd



Richard Carlisle



Eddy Carwile



Leslie Case

**SOPHOMORES**

When we look back on our sophomore year we will remember a lot of hard work. Our first year of high school taught us that hardwork *does* pay off in the end. We all suffered through pop tests and chapter tests; essays and book reports. Our teachers were very understanding on football game days; except in the area of homework.

After we got into the groove of things; we showed our Charger Spirit by winning two pep parades and cheering our Chargers on to victory.

As sophomores we learned a lot of new things and we will carry on the Charger traditions of winning and dedication to our teams.

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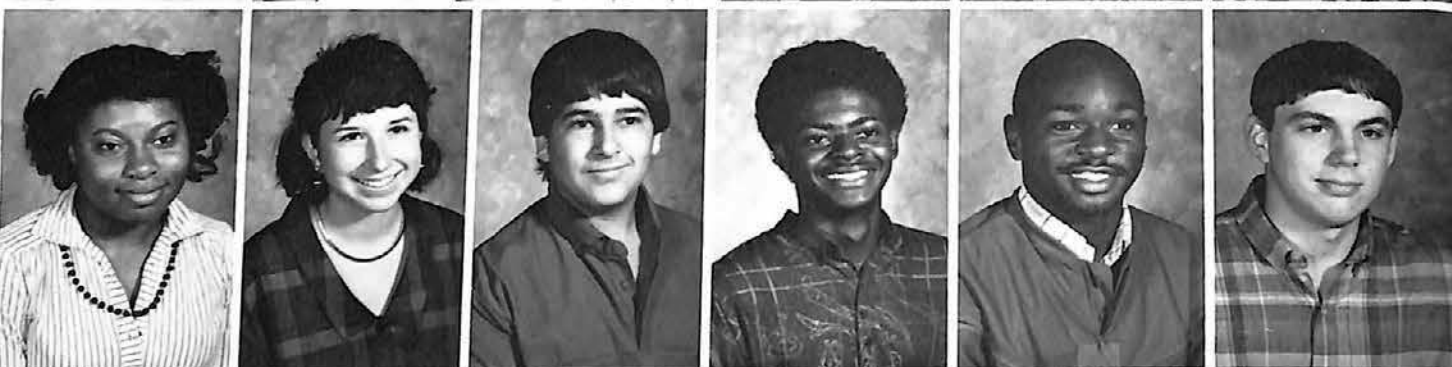
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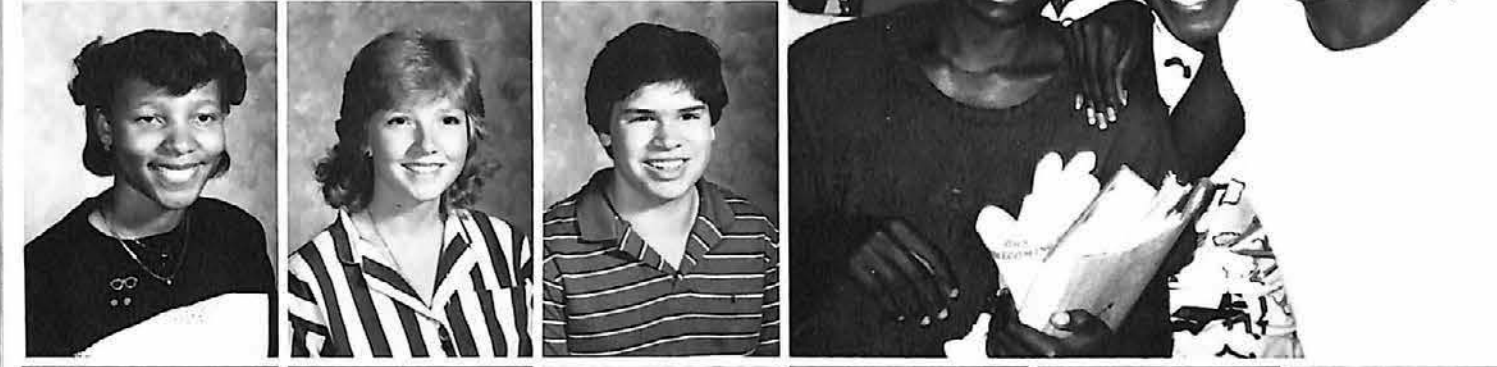
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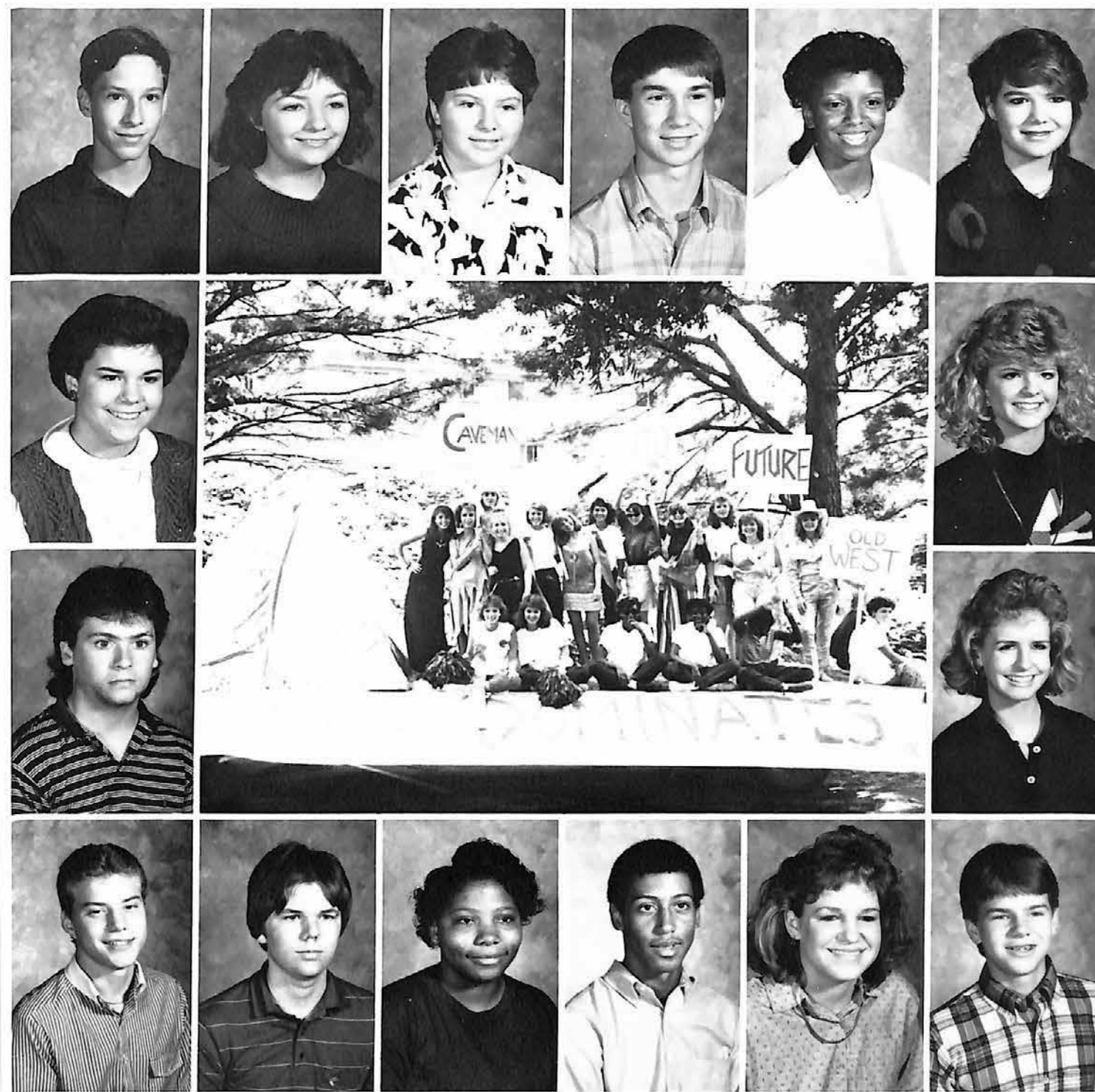
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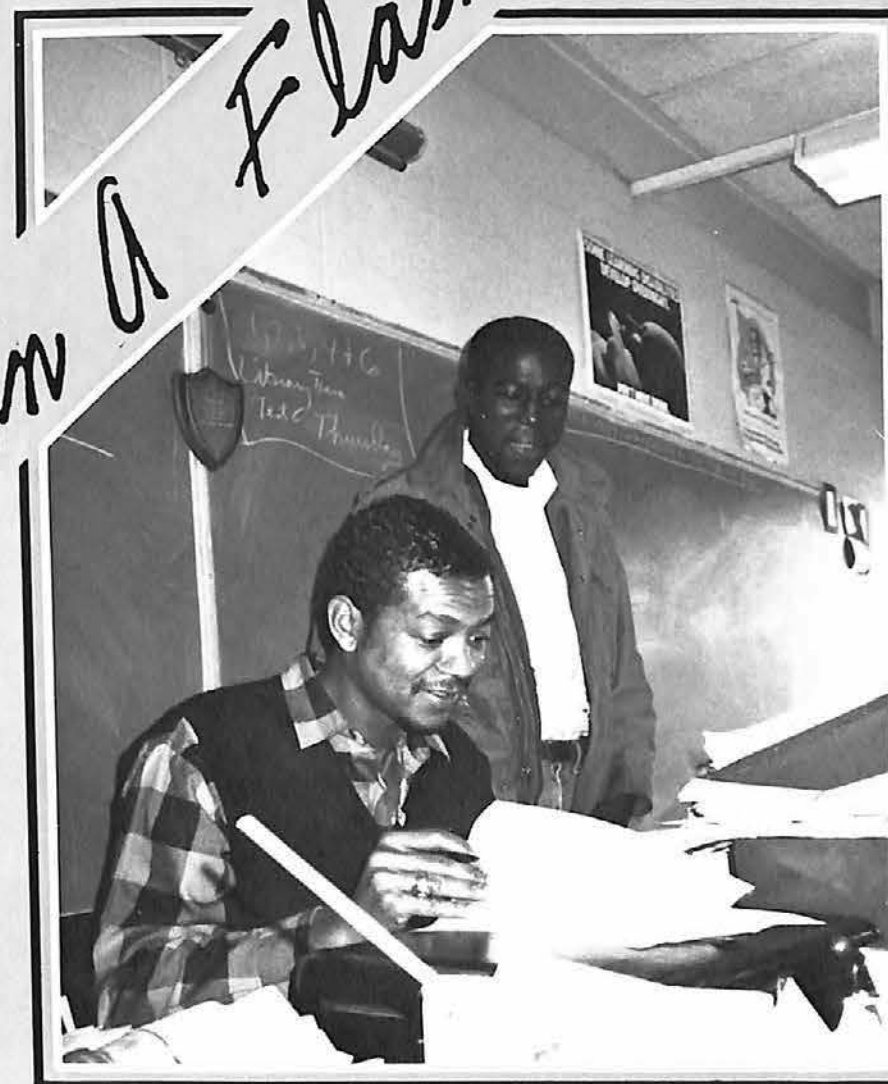
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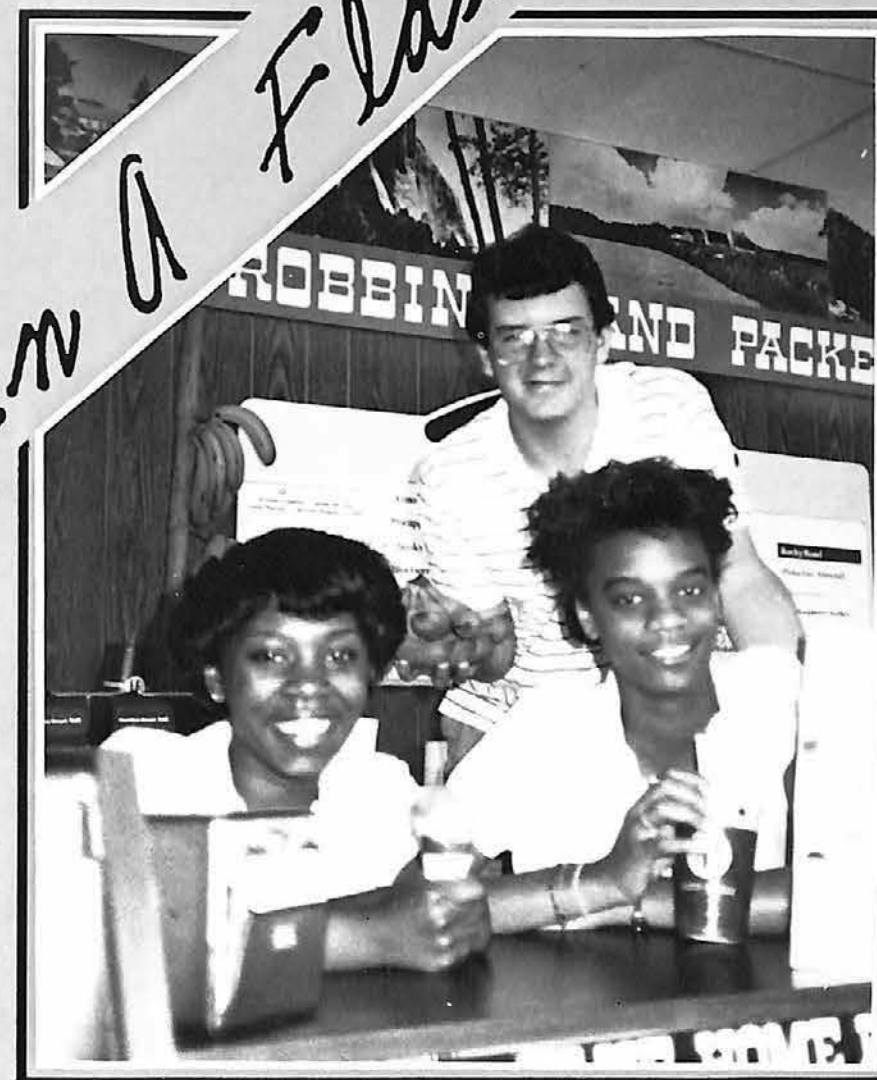
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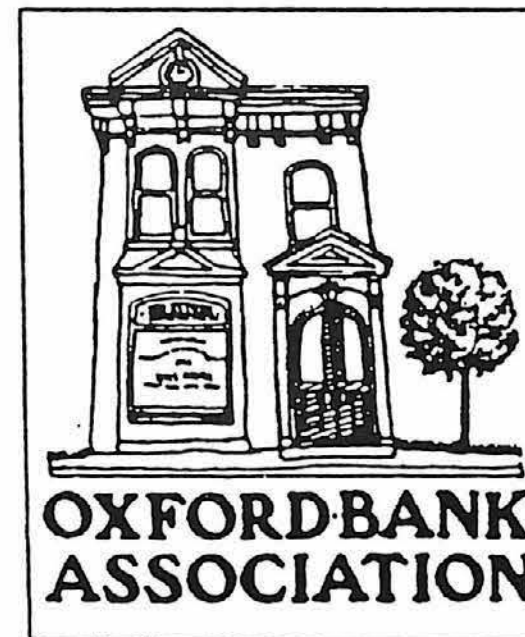


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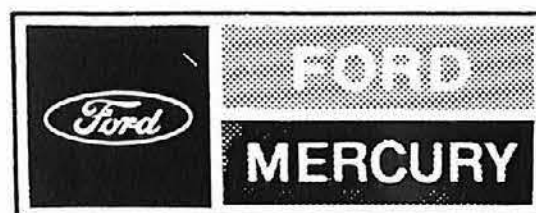
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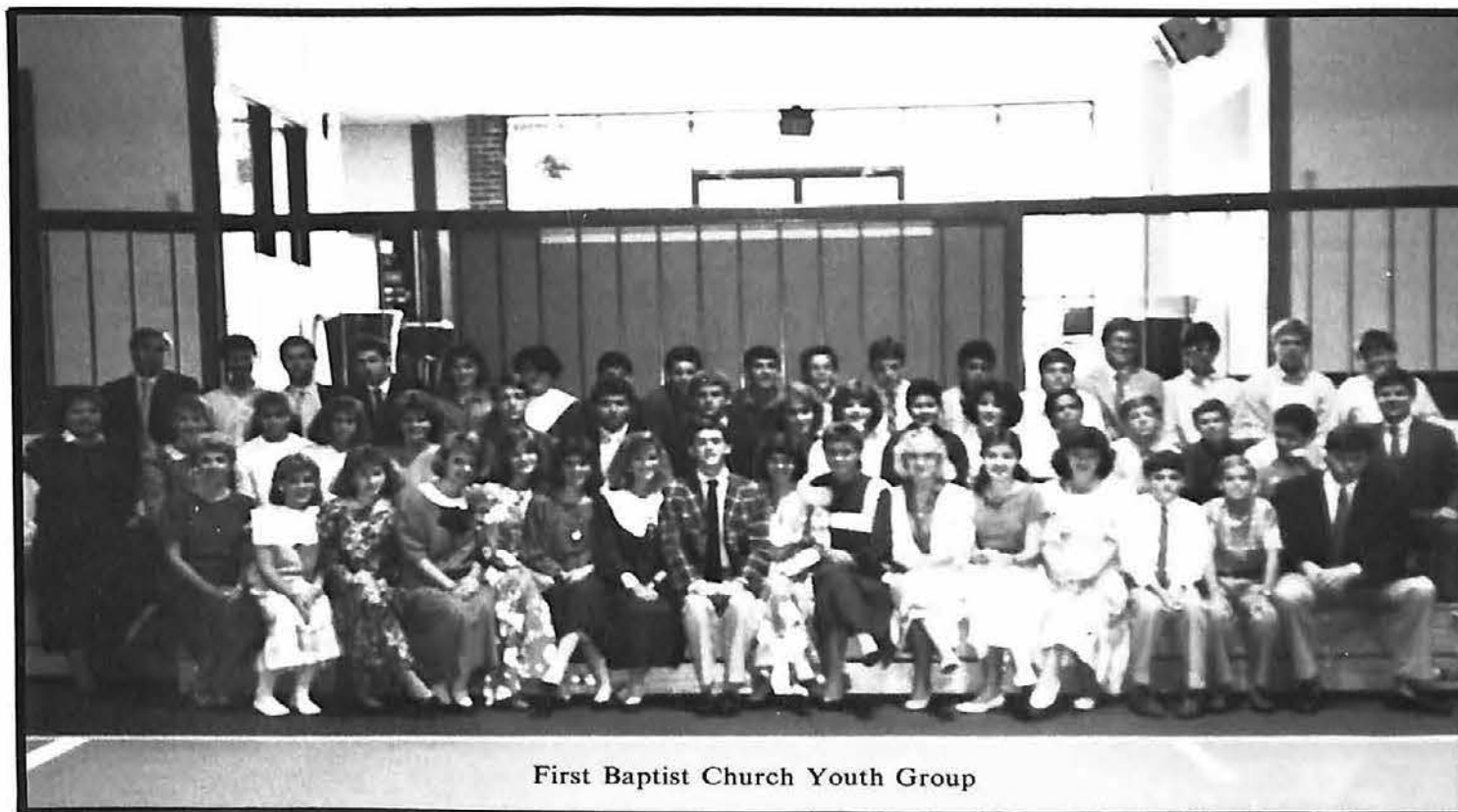
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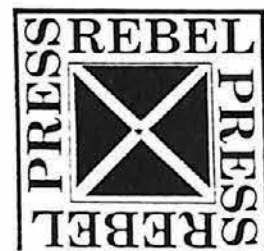
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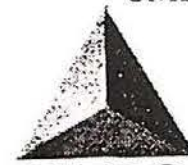
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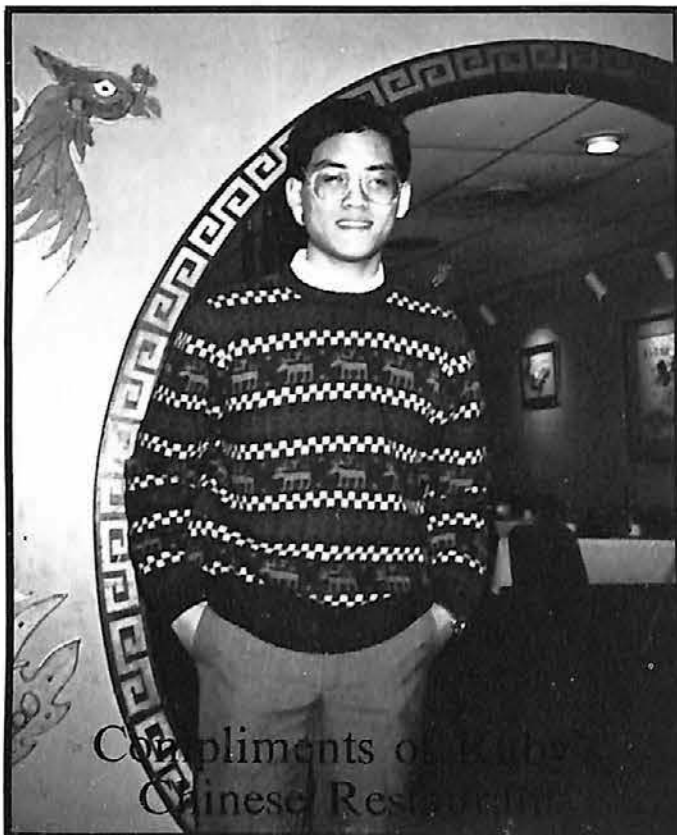
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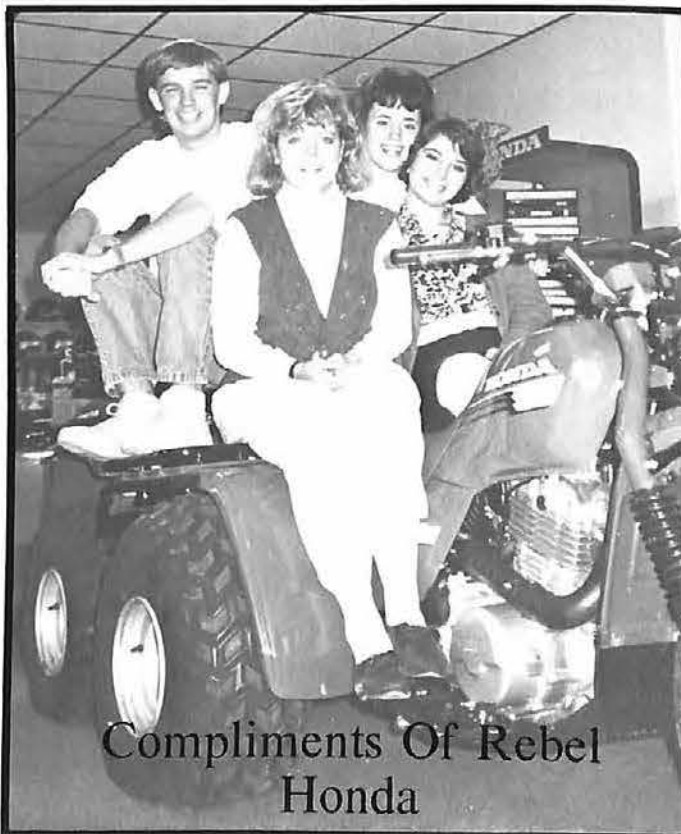
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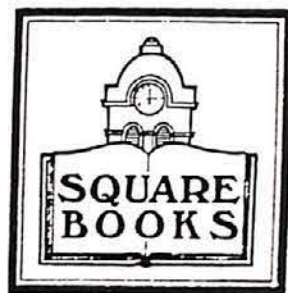


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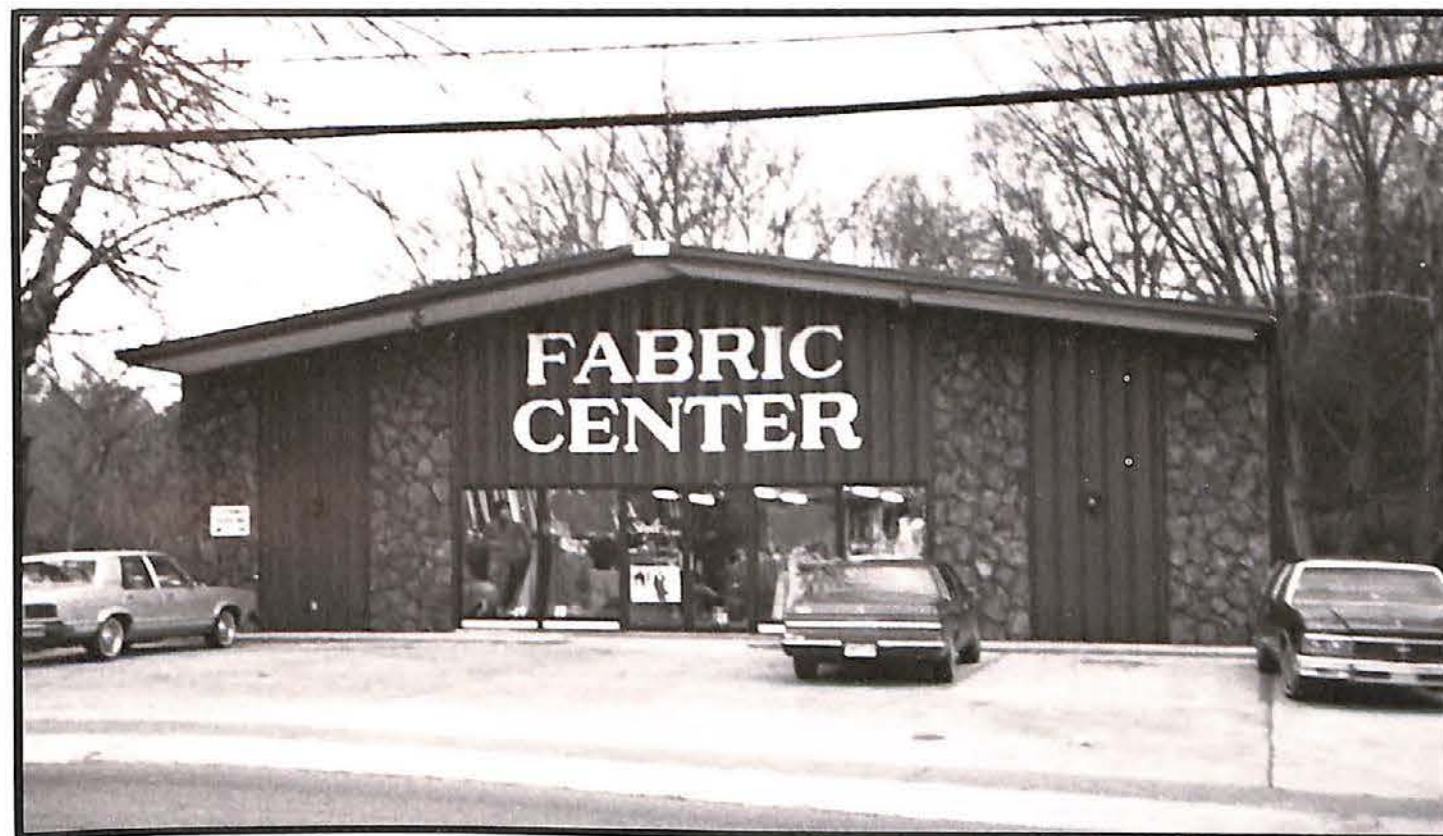
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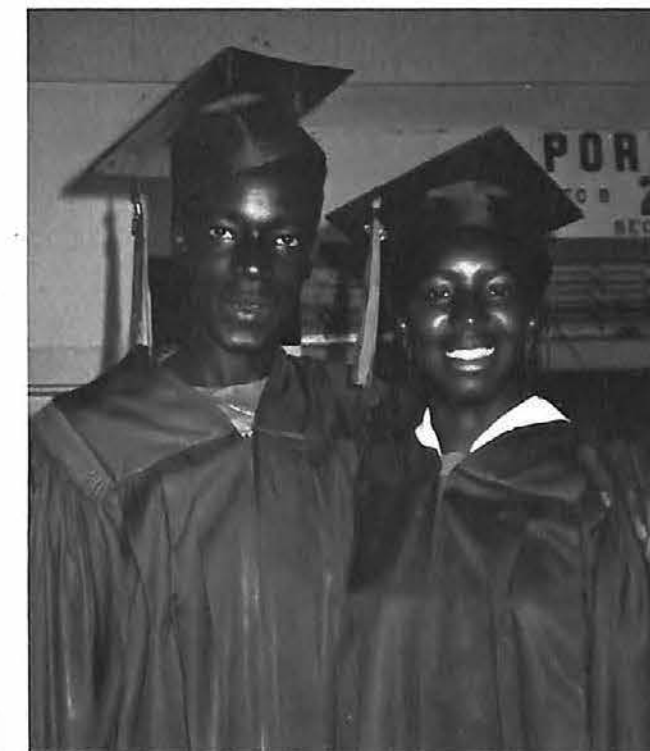
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As we near the end of the 1987 FLASHBACK our minds are filled with the wonderful memories of friends and events which made this year so great. Spirit days, unexpected surprises, friendly hugs, and graduation were only a few of the elements which combined to create the atmosphere and character of Oxford High School. IN A FLASH the recollections of a year gone by are brought back to us.

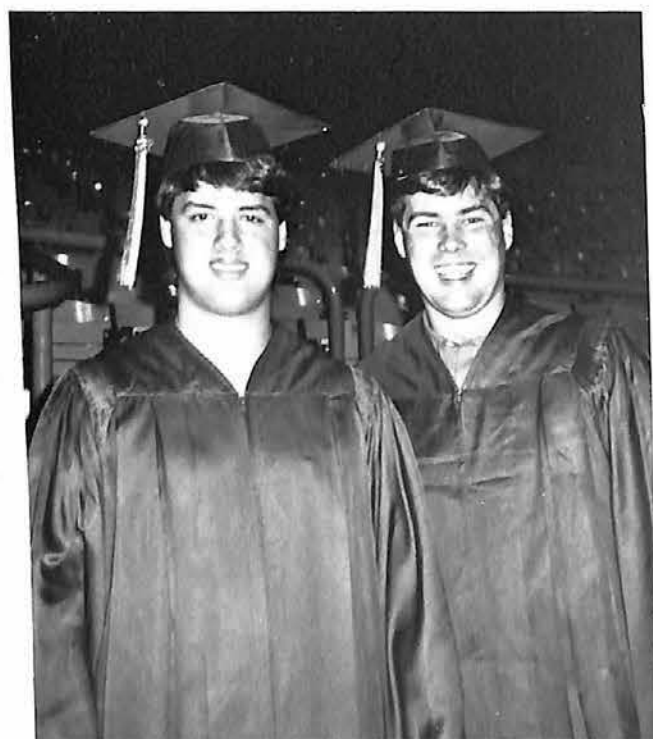
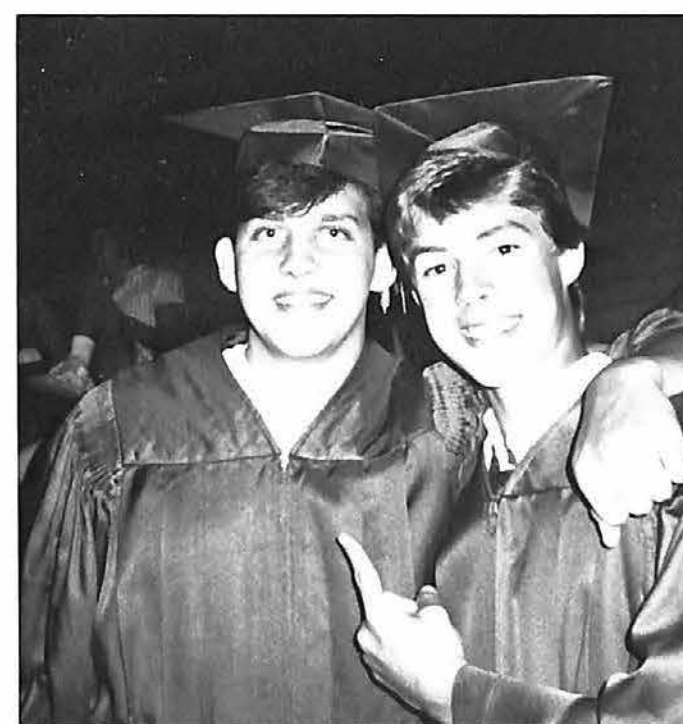
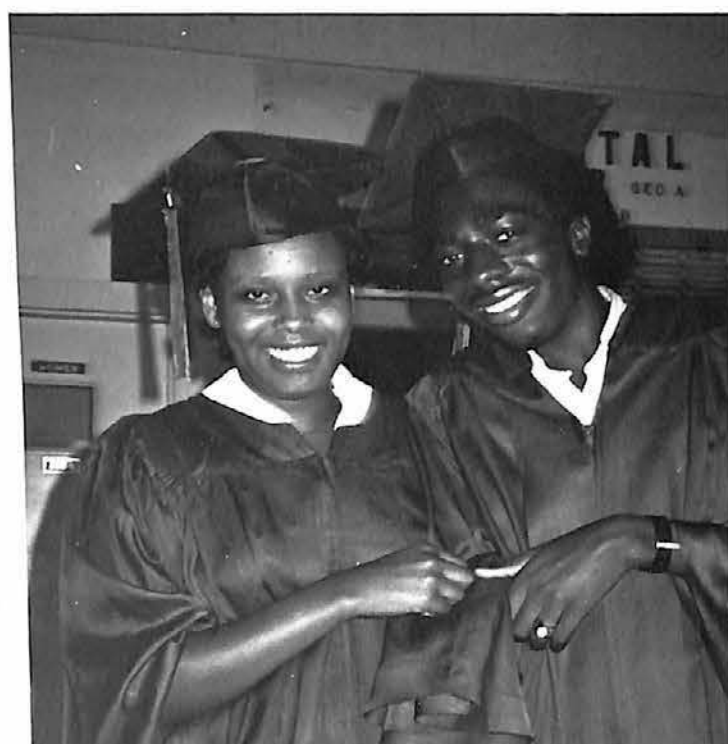




The 1986-87 school year has been a time of fun and festivity. Ballgames, crowd support, and painted faces contributed to the excitement which seemed to come alive in each OHS student. We will miss Homecoming, Spring Fling, and the teachers who have guided us toward adulthood. Graduation brings an end to these things while opening the door to a brand new world.



Many different individuals working together make our school what it is. Administrators, faculty, students, and even cafeteria staff lend their different ideas and personalities to make Oxford High School first class. The world outside of OHS is very different, but most Seniors realize that the preparation and training they have received here will help them to meet the challenges of a new environment.

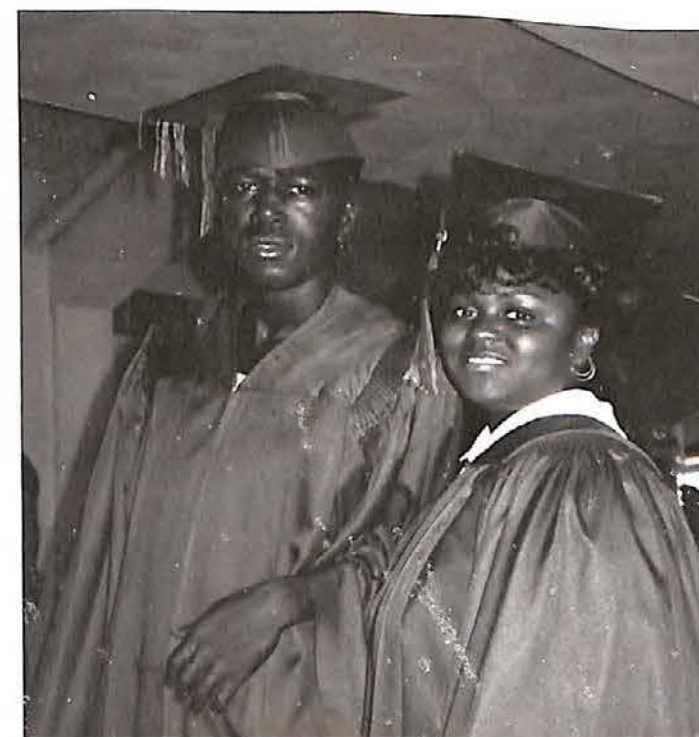




Oxford High School is a place of spirit and revelry. This year we have cheered, danced, and goofed-off every time we had an occasion to do so. Some events such as Graduation have been more serious. Even during these times OHS students have shown the great pride and respect which they have for their school. This loyalty to our classmates and school will be carried with us for the rest of our lives.



Some old litter left after a ballgame, a cap and gown discarded on the floor after Graduation, an empty school yard — these are only a few of the visible examples that things change and time moves on IN A FLASH. At Oxford High School we have learned to laugh, cry, hurt, help, hope and care. The friendships which we have made here will last forever.







It is hard to believe that this is the last page of the 1987 FLASHBACK. The entire staff has put a great deal of time, thought, and effort into making this the best FLASHBACK ever. We must especially thank Dede Fitts, Britt Fitts, Nina Goolsby and The Oxford Eagle, Jerry Addy, Jason Plunk, Mrs. Keren Wells, Mr. Gerald Hasselman, Mrs. Julia Thompson, Alyce Smith, Amanda Mason, Jeanna Sewell, Libbie Kakales, Rob Robertson, Matt Porter, the Faculty and Staff, Cannonball, and our parents for all they they have done to help make this yearbook possible. We hope that when you open the 1987 FLASHBACK you will be taken back IN A FLASH to the good times we have experienced together this year.

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