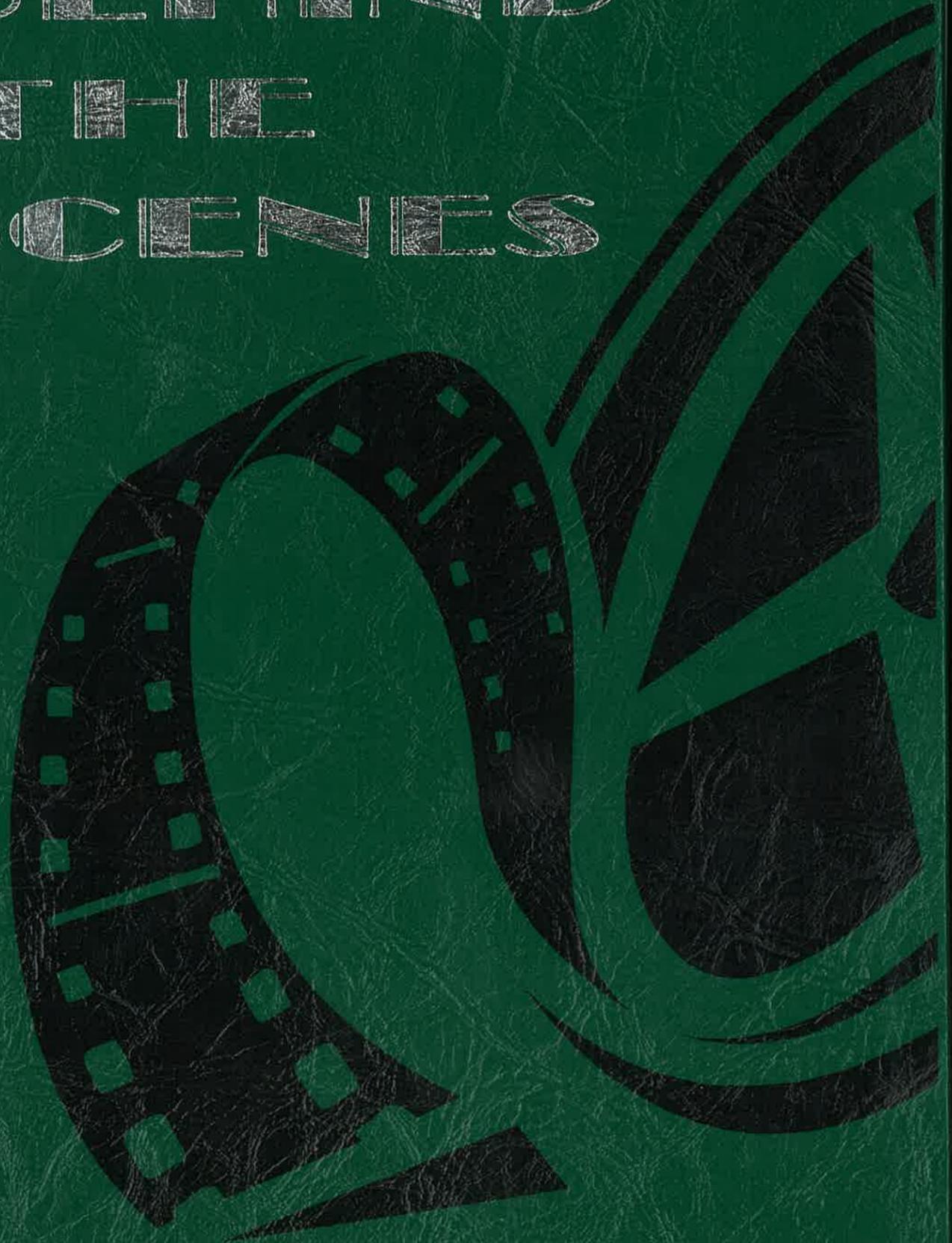


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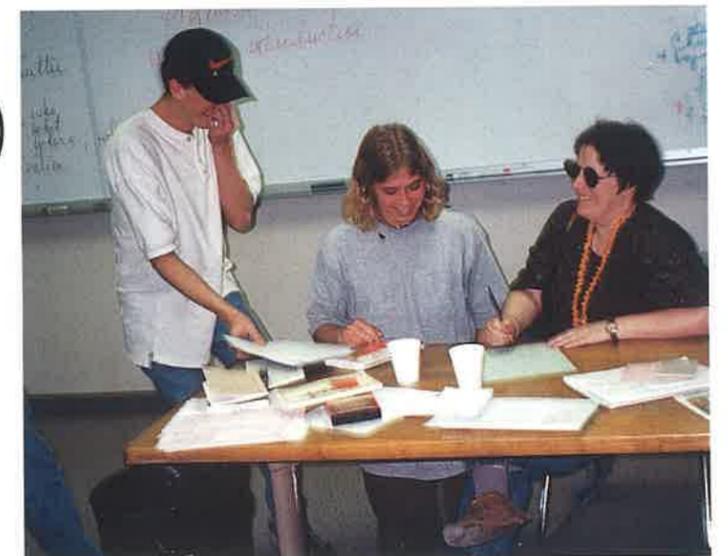
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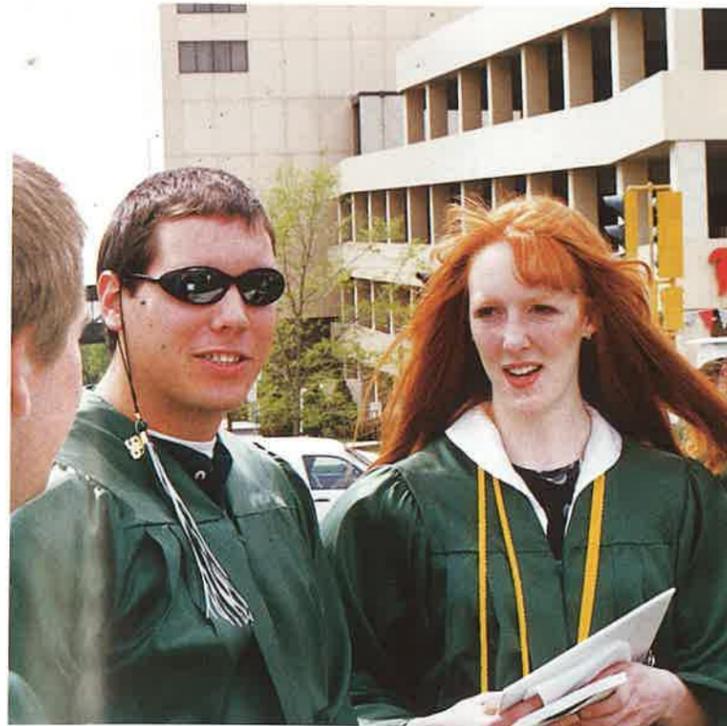
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Ah, freedom. Out in the sunlight, Tyler Willis (12) and Leah Tilly (12) contemplate their futures after the graduation ceremony at the Fargo Civic Center.

I'll be there for you, man. Helping a friend, a West Fargo student uses the quiet environment of the library as the background for some much-needed tutoring.

Good one! After a particularly vicious slam, Nate McNamara (12) leans on his elbow, covering a snicker with his hand, Moriah Edgerly (12) laughs and Wendy Trichler (12) covers her face in embarrassment.



Spirit shows

Students maintain Packer pride

Making the spirit scene. Supporting her team, Karrie Eldrick (12) watches the Packers and their opponents fight for possession of the ball.



Dancing the night away. Sophomore Gretchen Jost and junior Pat Tweeter dance at the First Annual Morp Dance.



Fighting over a man? In the fall children's play *The Reluctant Dragon*, Stephanie Montgomery (12) confronts Niki Sadowsky (12), while Cassie Rossow (10) tries to get a piece of the action.



The next great sculptor. Camille O'Meara (11), molds her clay on the potters wheel in her ceramics class.



Packer power. Keeping his eye on the ball, Aaron Hovland (11) gets ready to smack the tennis ball back to his opponent.

Dancin' to the beat of her own drum... Adrienne Jackson (9), member of the Native American Indian Club, dances at a Pow wow at Concordia College.

Whatever happened to seperation of the church and state? During Teacher Spirit Week, student teacher Miss Prairie Syvrud dresses like a purely fictional nun to show her pride.

Even though the nickname of the high school sports teams is derived from a meat-packing plant, the Packers are not blood-stained butchers of cows. Being a Packer means much more than just attending the high school of West Fargo. There are many distinct activities and opportunities accessible to the 1,331 students attending the school.

Among the various clubs and classes are the ever popular sports.

"I'm honored to play for the soccer and hockey teams, especially with all its outside support," says Dusty Guler (12).

While some sports at WFHS may be more noted than others, every activity assists the school.

Another important advantage of the school is the classes of-

ferred. To some, this aspect partly defines what a packer is, and represents a good benefit to the WFHS school.

"There are some unique classes, and they [the school] have good colors," says Becky McCann (11).

The spirit of WFHS students are one of the many characteristics which make up a Packer.

"I think its great that Packer fans have so much spirit and support our teams extremely well," said Amy Gustafson (10).

What exactly the model Packer is hard to say. Students speak for themselves when it comes to pride in their school and themselves as a whole. One freshman states his point very simply.

"We're better than South," said Christopher Jackson (9).

By Amy Engel

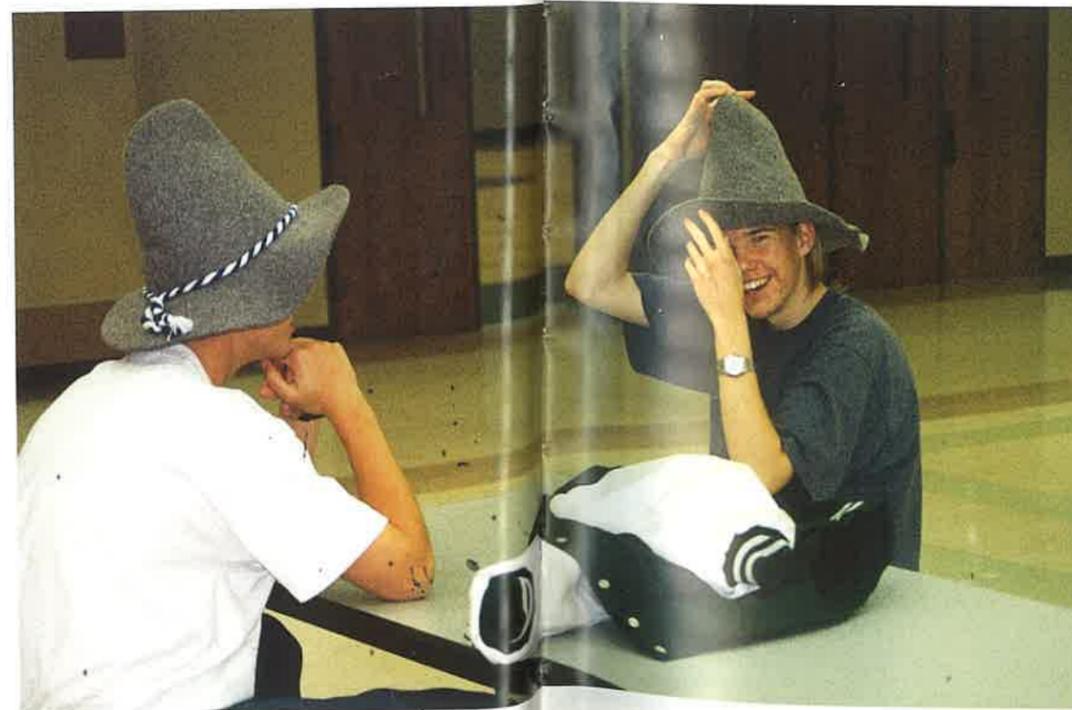


THE STUDENT LIFE SCENE



Ha ha! You can't come in! Telling the photographer to hit the road, Jackie McSparron (10) threatens to throw something while Denita Linnertz (10) sticks out her tongue behind the scenes in the theatre dressing room.

In living color. Attending the powwow at Concordia College, Adrienne Jackson (9) displays the star quilt she and other members of the Native American Indian Club made for the event.



Ja! Wearing their "North Dakota farmer hats," Norwegian foreign exchange students Ivar Slaastad (12) and Ingvar Raugstad (12) discuss planting their lutefisk crops.



Quit pollen my leg! Trying to petal her lessons in the commons, Mrs. Joan Baltezore leaves a seed in the mind of Kelly Heinz (12).

Ring around the flagpole. Ignoring the cold, many students gathered around the flagpole a few times this year to join in prayer.



Homecoming Coronation

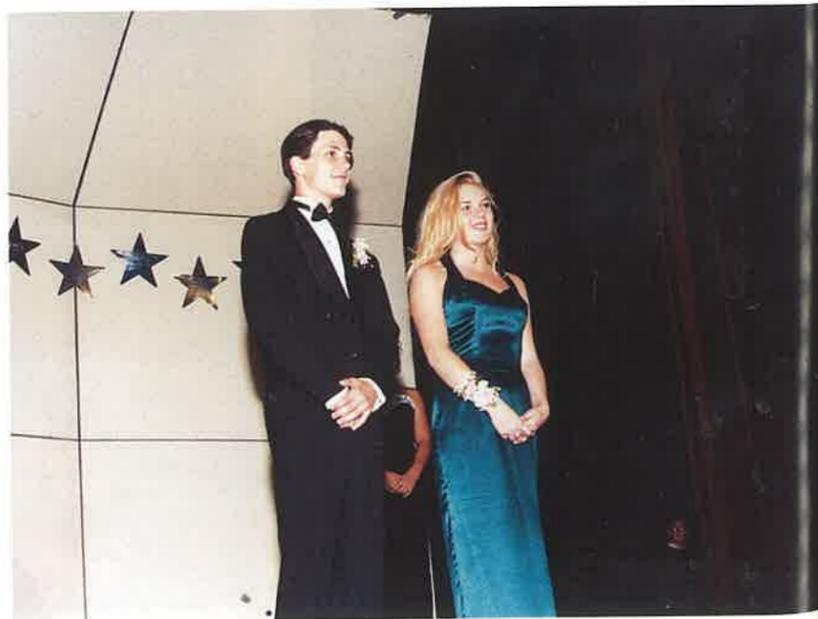


And the winner is... Mark Duchschere (12) and Karmel Schroeder (12) grin with their crowns.



Picture perfect. Tiffany Kihle (12) smiles nervously while awaiting the final decision.

On display. Enjoying the crowd's applause, Mark Duchschere (12) and Amanda Jones (12) stand before the crowd.



The Homecoming Court: Back Row: Blaine Ristvedt (12) and Amanda Jones (12). Row 2: Scott Baaken (12), Jacob Sinkler (12), Tiffany Kihle (12) and Sumer Aberle (12). Front Row: Mark Duchschere (12) and Karmel Schroeder (12).

Walking the runway. Parading before the crowd, Sumer Aberle (12) makes her way toward the stage.

The changing of the guard. Heather Willis speaks for the last time as Homecoming queen while Bryan Hins (12) waits in the background.



Coming home

Packers show school spirit at homecoming

There's no place like home and homecoming was no exception. This year homecoming began with Plaid Day on Monday and was followed by Backwards Day on Tuesday.

Wednesday was Jersey Day and the junior and senior girls prepared for Powder Puff Football.

To many, Powder Puff was a time of fun and competition.

"I loved the competition," said junior Patty McGuire.

The seniors defeated the juniors with a score of 22-14.

Many of the juniors credit the coaches for their help in preparing them for the game.

"Our coaches were great!" said junior Jeni Buchholz.

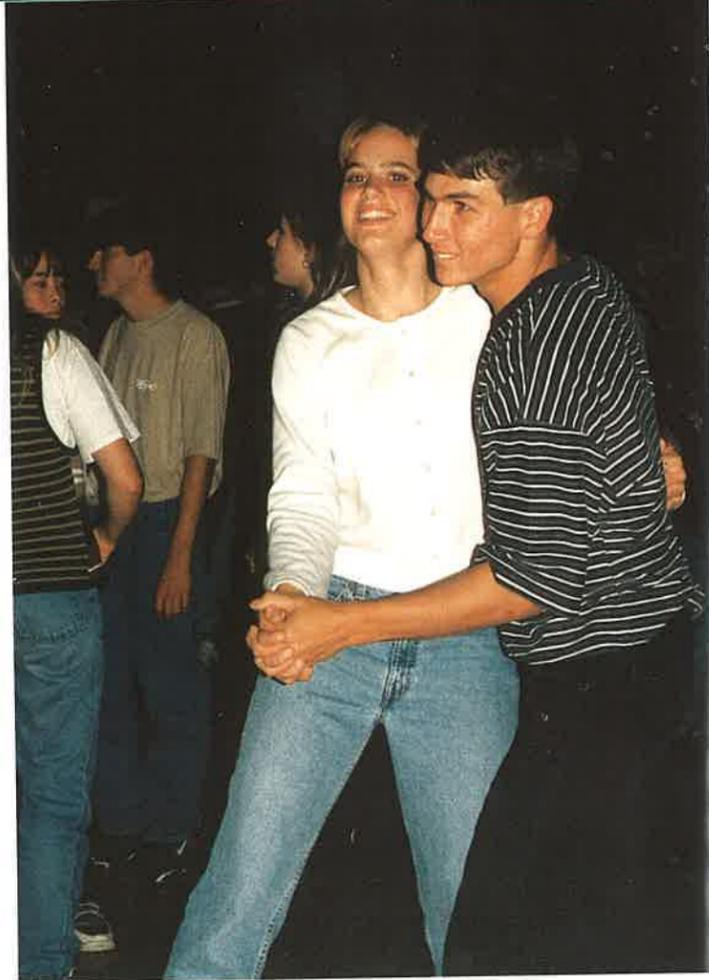
Jersey Day was followed by Clash Day on Thursday. The week ended with Green and White Day on Friday in hopes to raise the schools spirits in preparation for the homecoming game.

The Packers received a discouraging defeat at the homecoming game.

Homecoming week came to a conclusion at the homecoming dance, where students of West Fargo High School danced throughout the night.

The theme for the homecoming dance was "Total Eclipse of the Heart". The dance continued a long running tradition of great high school get-togethers.

By Suzanne El-Hileh



Someone check for a pulse, I think he's dead. At the homecoming dance, Dan Alm (10) lies on the floor as he gets stepped on.

How's my hair? During the homecoming dance, Tracy Kartes (12) brushes her hands through her hair as she laughs with other students.



Cheek to cheek. At the homecoming dance, Allisa Frederick (11) and Donald Weiker (11) dance hand in hand to the music.

I'm free, I'm free! During the Powder Puff game, Summer Baird (12) flies across an open field.



What was the best part about the homecoming dance?

"The cotten-eye joe was the best part of homecoming--I'm glad I took gym dance lessons."-- Sarah Morrison (12)

"The best part of homecoming was when Dan Alm got stepped on."-- Victoria Hogen (9)

"The dancing was a lot of fun."-- Colleen Brunes (10)

I've fallen and I can't get up. During the Powder Puff game, Amy Johnson (12) tries to avoid tripping over Angie Johnson (11) while keeping the ball away from Katie Fossum (11).

Talking with friends



Prince Charming meets his beautiful princess.

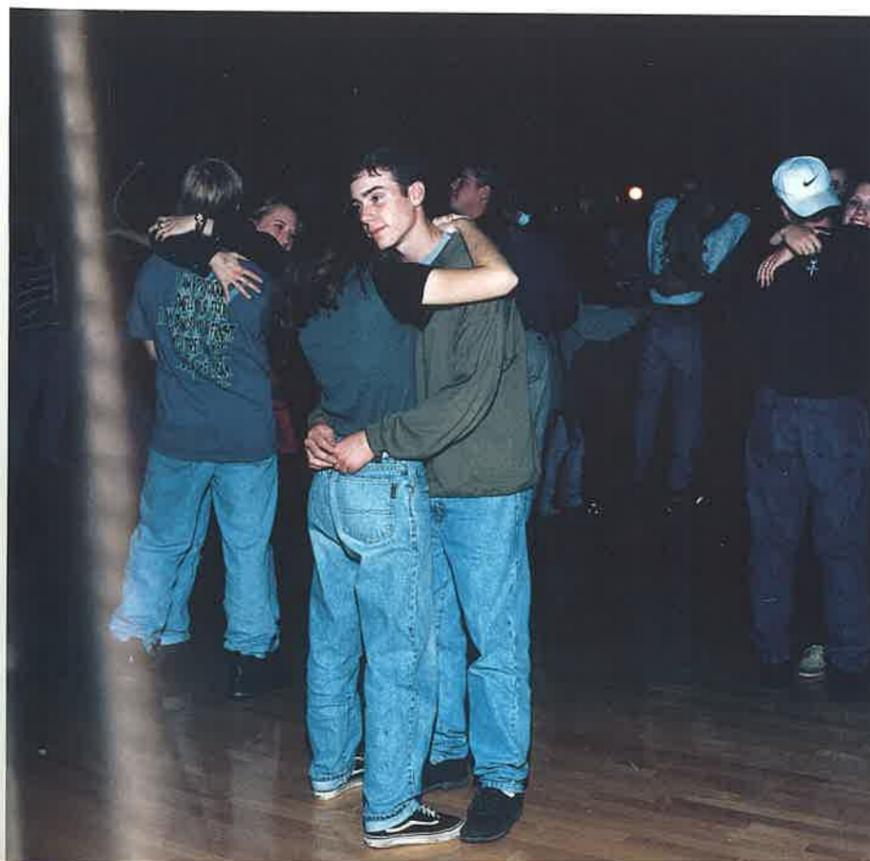


Good times at the many dances of this year promote memories for the future



I have finally found the woman of my dreams. My life is finally complete.

He looks as if he would rather be alone with his, uh, thoughts.



A Daughter and her



Behind Scene 1: Sara Drew and her friends gather together after commencement so their families can get pictures of them. Within a few moments they're virtually surrounded.



Behind Scene 2: Oops! Everybody's ready to start snapping pictures but poor Sara needs to get her sandals on first. That's okay, though, because her father, Principal Mike Drew, isn't quite ready either.



Behind Scene 5: And it's a good thing Sara's friends are patient, because Mr. Drew is still trying to figure out that new-fangled contraption he's been given. It's similar to watching a raccoon try and get its arm out of a minnow bucket.



Behind Scene 6: Sara's got her sandals on! Everybody say cheese! Uh oh. Now Karmel's having some sort of trouble with her gown. No matter, it will still make a nice picture. The sound of cameras clicking away fills the air as proud parents get the shot they've waited 18 years for.

Father at Graduation



Behind Scene 3: As you can see, Mr. Drew has a great vantage point for taking pictures of Sara, his youngest daughter. He always said he'd retire when he got all his kids through graduation, but he's afraid if he leaves education he'll quit learning new things, like how to operate a camera (a relatively new invention for ol' Drew).



Behind Scene 4: Well, Sara's almost got that darn sandal on. Posing with her are (from left to right): Karmel Schroeder, Cheri Mack, Jami Burbidge, Kacy Weideman, Michelle Wilson and Lisa Peterson. Like good friends, they're patient with Sara and her father.



Behind Scene 7: Everyone's finished snapping their pictures except poor Mr. Drew. He's finally resigned himself to the fact that he won't ever figure out that dang camera, and at long last he turns to another photographer for help. Sorry, I'm busy taking pictures!



Behind Scene 8: Sara and her friends get a good laugh at the troubles her father is having. Of course, like most graduates, Sara worries how her parents will ever get along without her.

These pages courtesy of Mr. Jake Oetting, 1995-96 Publications Advisor. He doesn't work here anymore.

News Worthy

Year proves eventful

With all the tragedy in the local area and throughout the world, the newspapers have been filled with the sad stories of Jerry Garcia's death, the sometimes questionable outcome of the O.J. Simpson trial, and the entertaining end of Ozzy's retirement with a tour through Fargo, just to name a few.

Local News

Fargo was deceived with the burning of the Kabob House, a restaurant in the area. Zheleh Sarabaksh tricked the area with her story on the racial hatred inflicted upon the Iranian restaurant. She was found bound and gagged outside of the restaurant shortly after it started on fire. She claimed she was so traumatized that she did not remember the incident or how she escaped.

Ten days later, she was found a suspect of the crime.

The fatal shooting of Cherryl Tendeland stunned Fargo. On November 15 Tendeland was allegedly shot by 17-year-old Barry Garcia from Moorhead. Pat Tendeland received pellet wounds in his left eye from the shooting. This incident pulled many community members together in anti-violence rallies to show their sympathy and anger.

A curfew ordinance for 11 p.m. was issued and passed for the city of West Fargo on December 27. This ordinance affected juveniles 15 and under. Violating this ordinance could result in the teen being taken into custody and being referred to the juvenile court. A possibility of a fine of \$500, 30 days imprisonment or both is also possible.

The Blizzard of '96 struck the area with record setting temperatures. On many occasions, people were stranded in their homes, offices, or sometimes cars.

Long-time Republican Party leader Bob Dole campaigned for presidency at the Fargo Civic Center on February 21st. Dole brought on the issue of decreasing the power of the federal government. He also plans on returning more authority to the states and balancing the budget.

Fargo was visited by some major rock stars in the 95-96 school year. White Zombie, the Toadies, Ozzy Osbourne, Rod Stewart, Tesla, Nazareth, Blue Oyster Cult, No

Doubt, Bush and the Goo Goo Dolls all visited either the Fargo Dome or Fargo Civic Center.

World News

Jerry Garcia of the Grateful Dead died August 9 of a heart attack. The preliminary coroner's report concluded that Garcia died of natural causes. The use of drugs throughout his life wore down his body, and possibly contributed to his death. His memory will live on and his music will be remembered. May he rest in peace.

Comedian George Burns died March 9, just a few weeks after his 100th birthday. His career lasted over 90 years with appearances in movies, television, nightclubs, radio, and many other things before his health began to decline in recent years.

O.J. Simpson was declared not guilty on October 3 after the extensive trial concerning the brutal murder of his ex-wife Nicole Brown Simpson and her friend Ronald Goldman on June 12, 1994.

An Oklahoma City Federal government building was bombed on April 19 using a rented truck full of 4,800 lbs. of fertilizer and fuel oil. The blast was felt 15 miles away. At least 168 people died due to the bombing. Timothy McVeigh was the prime suspect in the bombing.

The year proved to be filled with many events that affected many people around the world and events that will always be remembered.

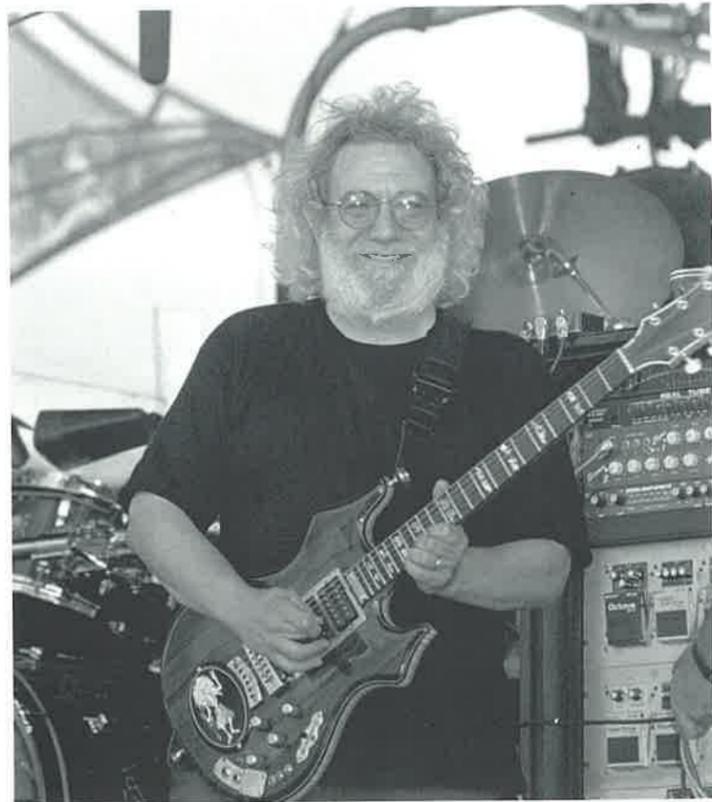
By Lisa Kurtz



Guilty or Innocent? O.J. Simpson is found not guilty for the brutal murder of his ex-wife and her friend after the extensive trial for his innocence.

Hauled away. Timothy McVeigh was arrested for suspicion of the Oklahoma City Burning.

And the winner is... Bob Dole visited the Fargo Civic Center campaigning for presidency in February 1996.



What a long strange trip its been. Jerry Garcia of the Grateful Dead died from natural causes on August 9, leaving the Dead alone, in shock, and in sadness.



THE SENIOR SCENE

Seniors: The best, brightest students of the school? Perhaps not. The oldest at least. The majority of the senior class emerged from their twelve years mostly unscathed. While the exhilaration of being a senior was thrilling to some, others were overcome by senioritis well before the second semester finals. Behind the senior scenes, pursuit of academics and the more vigorous pursuit of fun made for an interesting year.



Betty Crocker. At a Key Club activity, Heidi Solseng (12) prepares cookies for the elderly at the WF Highrise.



Soccer on the brain. Ivar Slaastad (12) stares wonderingly as a question is being asked.



Ready, Aim, Fire. At the all-night post-graduation party, Erick Handegard (12) plays a round of darts, and Eric Braun (12) seems enthralled with senior class lists.



Dazed and Confused. Sarah Havelange (12) sleepily peeks out from beneath her hood.



Showing her stuff. During The Reluctant Dragon, Sarah Wingad (12) tries to prevent Danielle Schmidt from showing off her mole to the world.

Most athletic

Jolene Vanya

Blaine Ristvedt



Most Fashionwise

Summer Baird

Josh Ackerland



Sumer Aberle



Joshua Ackerland



Adam Adams



Jennifer Alberty



Ellen Anderson



Shelli Anderson



Tom Anundson



Heidi Armstrong



John Arneson



Scott Backen



Summer Baird



Karla Bakken



Joseph Balkovatz



Mark Baltes



Marie Barnes



Justin Barnum



Melody Bauer



Katie Beauchamp



Tara Belisle



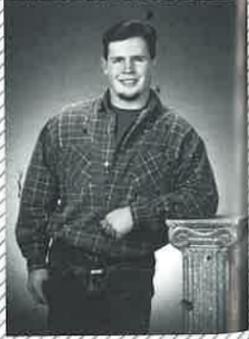
Heather Bell



Nicole Berg



Teresa Berg



Jon Bernstein



Tanya Bertzyk

Most likely to be President

Rhonda Gruber

Jefferson Vargas



Class Clown

Tiffany Kihle

Dustin Guler



Prices continue to climb

"I work hard and I can't even afford Onassis' wedding ring!"

--Amy Engel (12)

Grads find prices rising in more than just college tuitions and books

Spending money can be so much fun....but for seniors getting ready to leave the nest and make it on their own, money can be scarce. But somehow, many seniors found

a way to scrape together enough cash to make more than a few purchases during the year.

Prices of a few common purchases kept rising through the year. Many seniors felt a wallop in the wallet as gas prices jumped from \$1.06 for a gallon of regular unleaded at the beginning of the year to \$1.26 at the time of graduation.

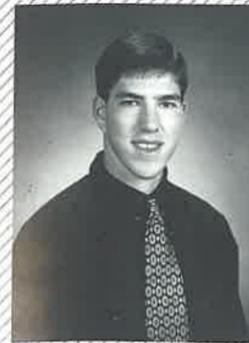
Other school year staples stayed the same the entire year. For example, school lunch remained at \$1.35 through out the whole year. Yum yum!

By Rhonda Gruber

Movies: Matinee \$3.50; Evening show \$5.50
Box of Trojans \$2.49
Jackie Onassis' wedding ring \$2.4 million
Cap, gown and tassel \$40
Yearbook \$35 to \$40 (late buyers)
Pop in the commons \$.55
Pop in the teacher's lounge \$.50
Complaints free!



Lisa Biegler



Peter Biegler



Larissa Boe



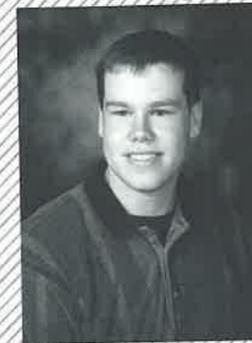
Lindsay Bogardus



Mike Boutiette



Traci Brager



Eric Braun



Landon Brinkman



Summer Bruns



Tara Buckman



Jami Burbidge



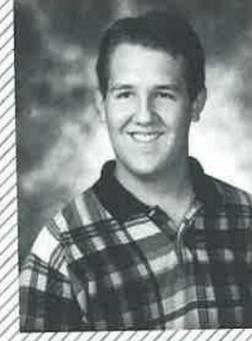
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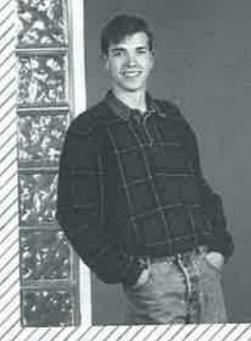
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David Burroughs



Jeremy Busch



Jason Byrne



Joshua Carmichael



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David Cleary



Matthew Conzemius



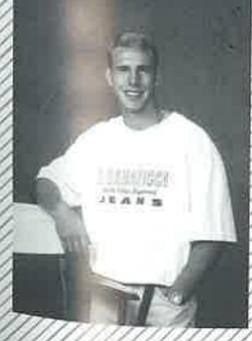
Julia Coughlin



Brandon Dahl



Carrie Devones



Josh Dikoff

Most likely to be a Success

Suzanne Dreckman

Peter Biegler

Teacher's Pet

Sumer Aberle

Justin Barnum



Senior Memories (sēn 'yər memə 'rēs) n. 1. The remembered moments of a senior's high school years that will stay with him or her forever.

What was the most memorable moment of your senior year?

"Making it to State in soccer for the first time since 1989."--John Zetocha.

"When the band went on the trip to Winnipeg."--Bonnie Dockter.

"When the speech team won EDC by beating Shanley by a landslide."--John Carlson.

"Being crowned Homecoming King and being so scared, I had no idea what to say."--Mark Duchscher.

Gettin' on the gowns.
Checking for ring around the collar, Jessica Hanson (12) prepares for the grad processional.

Grind and bump. Showing how to slow dance at Homecoming, Roxanne Mullenberg (12) and Nick Pederson (11) get a bit intimate.



Black Jack Jameson.
Wearing a monkey's poker face, Tony Jameson (12) gives advice to Joe Balkovatz (12) about how to lose his money.

Moooove! Still lining up like cattle in a corral, newborn graduates can't wait to get out of the Civic Center and run for freedom.

"Having Mr. Tefft for the whole year."--Erika Peterson.

"When I made my first start in Varsity Hockey against Fargo North."--Jeff Paulson.

"Getting my gown."--Jeremy McKeown

"The night before the first day of school. It was the only day I did not have homework."--Heidi Solseng.

Friendliest

Karmel Schroeder

Chris Wikstrom



Most likely to Fall Asleep in Class

Kristy Rasmussen

Brandt Juntunen



Bonnie Dockter



Alicia Dotseth



Suzanne Dreckman



Sara Drew



Mark Duchschere



Seth Durbin



Melissa Durensky



Moriah Edgerly



Richard Edgerly



Karrie Eldevick



Amanda Enebo



Amy Engel



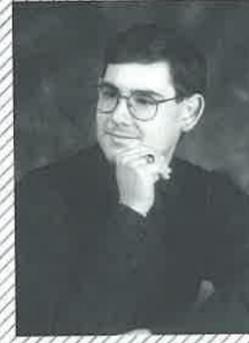
Erin Erickson



Jamie Evenson



Janelle Fink



Bernard Fischer



Jana Fischer



Niklas Forsberg



Jennifer Fuchs



James Geyer



Ryan Gilleland



Ryan Goodin



Kenneth Goodyear



Brian Grinde

Most Flirtatious

Jessica Tessin

Jacob Sinkler

Most Easily Embarrassed

Jenny Carriveau

Josh Mark



"It's hard to make the decision, but I've got it narrowed down to two." -- Sarah Wingad(12).

College hunt forces choices

Not another year of tests, essays, and research! Many seniors decide to attend a college or tech school after graduation.

Some students at WFHS will be able to attend college for free based on their ethnic heritage and academic achievement. One such student is Linday Bogardus (12) who is part Native American.

"I was very relieved when I found out that I could go to a very good college for no cost at all,"

College Preview. At the college fair, Ryan Goodin, Brady Pederson and Eric Braun visit with a college representative.

said Bogardus.

For those who want higher education, the pressure of the college hunt becomes more central as deadlines for applications approach.

"The college I choose will have good pre-law and computer science programs, and also many cool things to do that don't involve school," states Chris Franck (12).

Students who now attend college find it isn't the horror-filled image many people have in their minds.

"You expect it to be completely different than high school, but when you actually get there, differences aren't that drastic," says 1995 graduate Chris Radi.

Seniors have many decisions to make concerning their future. Moving on to another stage of their lives may seem difficult, but at the same time it's all part of becoming older and hopefully a little wiser.

By Amy Engel



Rhonda Gruber



Liann Hanson



Dustin Guler



Brock Haugen



Matthew Haakenson



Sarah Havelange



Erick Handegard



Justin Hehr



Darian Hanson



Jill Heiden



Jessica Hanson



Julie Heinz



Kelly Heinz



Stephanie Herman



Dustin Hill



Bryan Hins



Shane Hornbacher



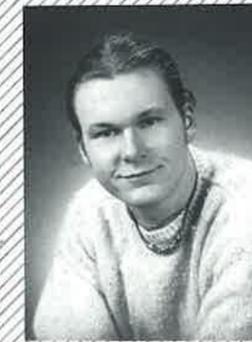
Shanny Huff



Damian Imre



Carmen Isaak



Joe Jameson



Tracey Jenner



Ira Hovland



Jessica Jensen

Best Smile

Sarah Leake

Mark Duchschere

Most likely to Make Big Bucks

Heather Twedt

Robert Lussier



What will you remember most about high school?

Reminiscence (rem'ə nis' ns) n. 1. Remembering past experiences. 2. A way to bring back good memories of a person's high school years

"The thing I will remember most is coming home New Year's Eve our sophomore year and going into the ditch. We had to run across the street to the Midway Motel. We got a ride home from the cops!" -- Jessica Tessin.

"The most memorable moment of my senior year was when Mike Lee, Joel Thompson, Sarah Marohl, Joel Erickson, and I took our pictures in the meat department of Larsons on Prom night. We all like beef!" -- Missy Loney

I'm Bob Dole. Riding the bus back from Bob Dole's campaign stop, Stephanie Montgomery (12) and Nicole Berg (12) laugh about which of them is more like Bob Dole than Bob Dole is like Bob Dole.



"That Chris Peterson always called me Ice Capade because I am a figure skater, and that name stuck and became my nickname." -- Jenny Newburgh.

"When Summer Baird and I went to Mahnommen to win some money, but got side-tracked by a glacier...a huge snow drift." -- Karla Bakken.

"Going to Minot for NHS State and meeting the All-American Singers. Vote for Roers!" -- Niki Sadowsky.



Cheesy cheeser. Pretending he doesn't want a picture of himself in the yearbook, Dusty Guler (12) backs away from a photographer trying to capture him at the post-grad party.

A loving embrace. Hugging fondly, Jim Schmidt (12) says a final farewell to friend Sarah Marohl (12) before facing his future as a graduate.

**Most likely to be
Abducted by Little
Green Aliens**

Jessica Hanson

Brian Grinde

**Most Likely Not to
Care About
Senior Picks**

Ellen Anderson

Brian Schmidt



Joel Jensen



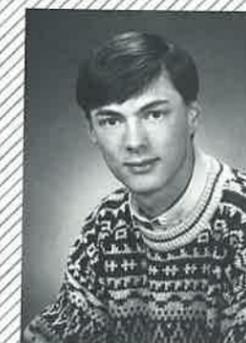
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Kristi Johnson



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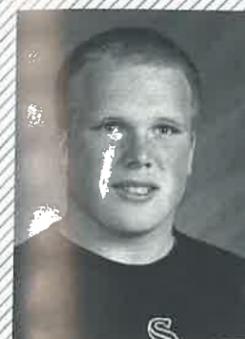
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Melissa Klein



Tiffany Klinger



Sarah Kyllö



Kathryn Laurie



Sarah Leake



Michael Lee



Donna Leeman



Jenny Lessard



James Loberg



Janelle Loeks



Melissa Loney

Wildest Dressers

Tony Jameson

Tammy Zimmerman

**Most Likely to
Save the World**

Jaime Smith

Christopher Maxwell



"Clothes are overrated. I try to do without as often as possible." -- Thomas Kingsbury(12).

What they wore

The many styles and trends that were popular during our time

The winds of fashion, as always, blew in the hallways of West Fargo High School.

Many fashions changed from the fall to the spring. Girls wore kilt skirts and knee high socks. In the

spring, shift dresses and sandals and Mary Janes were trendy. Many teenagers wore jeans with the cuffs cut off creating frayed ends.

Hair cuts changed during the year. Many girls stopped perming their hair and layered their hair and clipped their hair back with a butterfly clip. Most boys stopped shaving their hair off and let it grow.

This year had many changes that made everybody go out and change their look. It makes us wonder what is coming in the future.

By Jamie Woodley

Hello Fashion, Dolly. While searching for a costume to wear in the Drama department's production of "Hello Dolly", Sarah Havelange(12) finds a few fashion treasures in the costume room.



Laura Long



Cody Lower



Joshua Ludwig



Kirk Ludwig



Darin Lund



Jill Lund



Robert Lussier



Cheri Mack



Travis Magnuson



Ann Malstrom



Christopher Mapes



Joshua Mark



Jeremy Markey



Sarah Marohl



Kyle Martin



Barbara Martos Collado



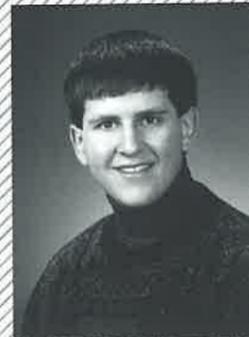
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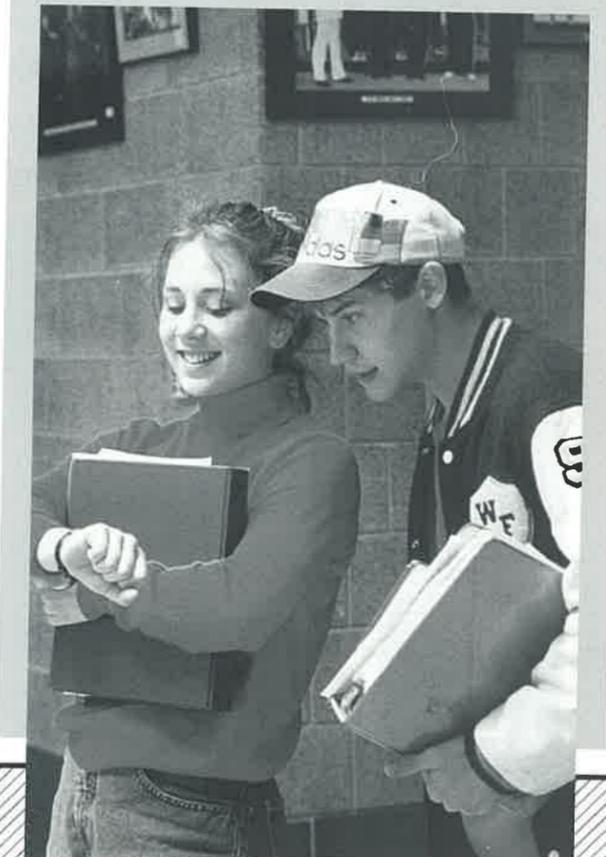
Jamie Evenson

John Carlson

Most Active

Amber Preston

John Zetocha



Laughter (laf' tər) *n.* 1. An expression of mirth or amusement that suggests happiness. 2 Often the result of remembering high school.

ment that suggests school.

Twenty years from now, what will make you laugh the most?

"The way I dressed. That's scary enough to laugh at." --Donna Marie Leeman.

"I will still laugh when I think of Heidi Armstrong's face after she broke a lunch tray in half when she was trying to get some uncooperative potatoes into the garbage." --Sarah Morrison.

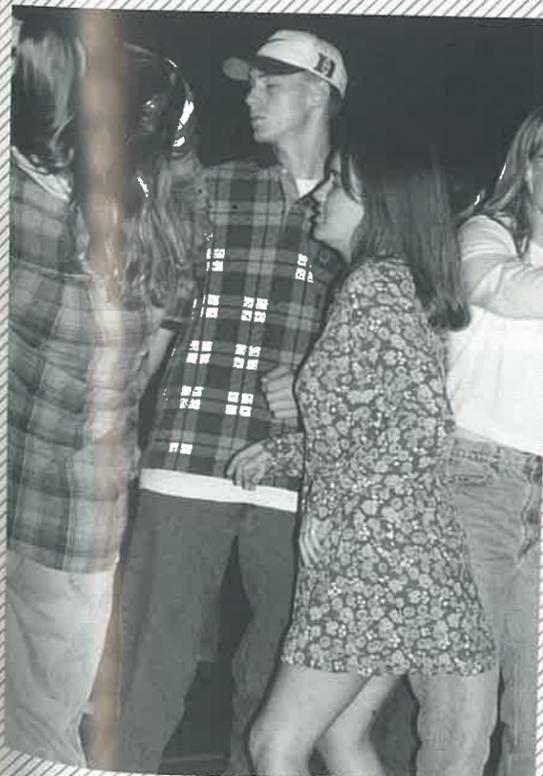
"The carmel rolls our AP History class had when Leah Tilly was not there." --Heidi Solseng.

We got spirit, yes we do! Soccer cheerleaders Jill Heiden(12), Moriah Edgerly(12) and Melissa Braseth(10) fire up the crowd at one of the soccer team's night games.



"Eating at the Olive Garden for prom and telling the waitress that it was Scott Backen's birthday and having her and about 7 other waitresses sing him Happy Birthday when it wasn't even his birthday." --Jessica Tessin.

"I'm gonna serve God 'till I die." (left) Heidi Armstrong(12) and Nicole Berg (12) sing during the first concert of the year.



Dance Machine! Tom Anundson(12) and Jamie Evenson(12) dance at Homecoming.

We don't have to go to Mahnomon to gamble. At the post-grad party, Brandon Dahl(12), Shari Wurtzenberger(11), Jeni Montgomery(12) and Lindsay Bogardus(12) try their luck at blackjack.

**Most Likely to End
Up on the
Broadway Stage**

*Sarah Marohl
Jefferson Vargas
Justin Barnum*

Most Artistic

*Leah Tilly
Ryan Smith*



Jennifer Montgomery



Travis Nelson



Stephanie Montgomery



Craig Morrison



Sarah Morrison



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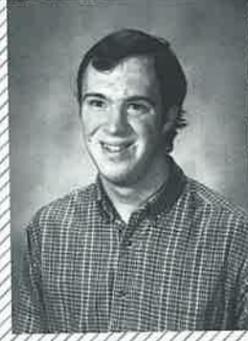
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Lisa Peterson



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Traci Pribbenow



Kristi Rasmussen



Ingvar Raugstad



Tracy Rehder

**Most Likely to Top
the Music Charts**

*Danielle Schmidt
Adam Adams*

Most Gullible

*Alicia Dotseth
Jason Simenson*



"Don't take any !@#\$ from anyone, because seniority rules!"
 --Tiffany Kihle (12).

Seniors share wisdom, advice

Education leaves graduates with twelve years of valuable knowledge

After completing their first twelve years of education, seniors have gleaned quite a bit of wisdom that goes over and above the material on classroom tests.

They have learned the ropes and are willing to share their advice with anyone aspiring to be a senior worthy of admiration and respect.

"Be sure to start your senior pa-

MMM MMM good.
 Donna Leeman (12) and Jonita Steinbrecher (11) chat while cooking for Key Club.

per well before it's due, not the night before," said Carrie Devones (12).

Not all senior classes fill students with dread. Many students have chosen favorite teachers over the course of their education whom they recommend to others.

"Listen in awe to Mr. Tefft's stories," said Sarah Havelange (12).

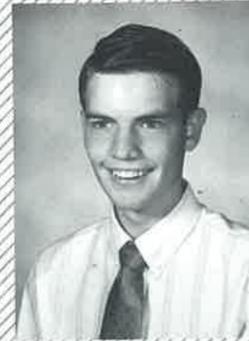
Classes are not the only area seniors have advice about. Most students recommend balancing the stresses of the final year of high school with plenty of fun.

"Be sure to have fun your senior year," said Shanny Huff (12). "It's your last year, so make it worth it."

By Rhonda Gruber



Blaine Ristvedt



Jim Schmidt



Christine Roe



Karmel Schroeder



Niki Sadowsky



Todd Schuchard



John Sahr



Heather Schweitzer



Brian Schmidt



Stacie Siebels



Danielle Schmidt



Jason Simenson



Jacob Sinkler



Ivar Slaastad



Tangela Smedshammer



Jaime Smith



Ryan Smith



Carrie Stephenson



Shannon Stock



Jeremy Stolz



Jessie Stramberg



Michael Sustad



Heidi Solseng



Wanda Swiontek

Foxiest

Tracy Rehder

Scott Backen

Most Packer Spirit

Sara Drew

John Arneson





Little Drummer Boy.
Joel Thompson (12) leads the choir with a congo beat.



Jessica Tessin



Renae Thies



Jolene Vanyo



Jefferson Vargas



Joel Thompson



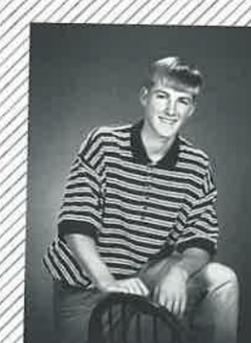
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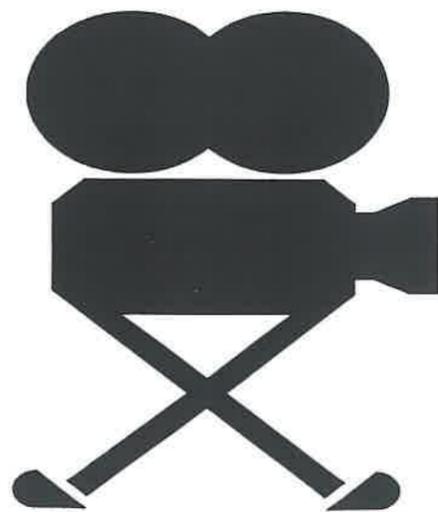
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| Christopher Franck | Thomas McCann | Kevin Schroeder |
| Shad Glaser | Justin Morrow | Kent Streifel |
| Heather Golliet | Mindy Olson | |

THE JUNIOR SCENE



Sing your heart out. During a choir concert, Mindy Hagen (11) harmonizes with the rest of the group.



Sometimes the lights are all shinin' on me, other times I can hardly see. Looking annoyed, Amy Peterson (11) glares at the camera at Post Prom.

Stairway to Heaven. At the Homecoming Coronation, Matt Korsmo (11) plays a rendition of Stairway to Heaven on his guitar.

Wishin' he was one. Feeling ineffectual, Mark Harbeke (11) watches as older friends Erin Erickson (12), Heidi Solseng (12) and Missy Loney (12) get to move on with their lives. He still has a lot of learning to do. For instance, he should never leave Publications early while other students are in possession of such an unflattering picture as this one.

Slaving away. Kevin Schieder (12) looks over the shoulder of Jason Remmick (11) who is working on the house for Building Trades.



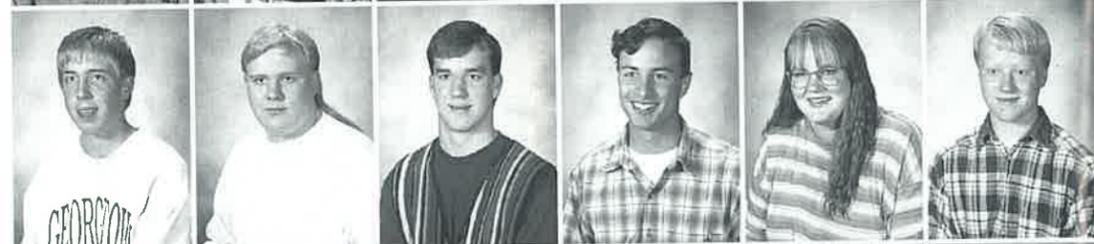
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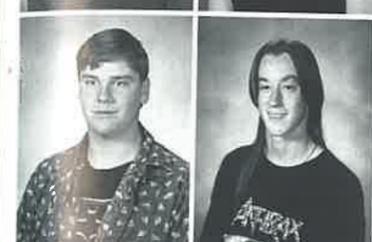
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 Nissa Crandall
 Jasen Cross
 Eric Cullen



Toy Cusick
 Erica Davidson
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"We have many plans to add to the traditions."
 -- Amy Peterson (11), junior class secretary, after student elections.

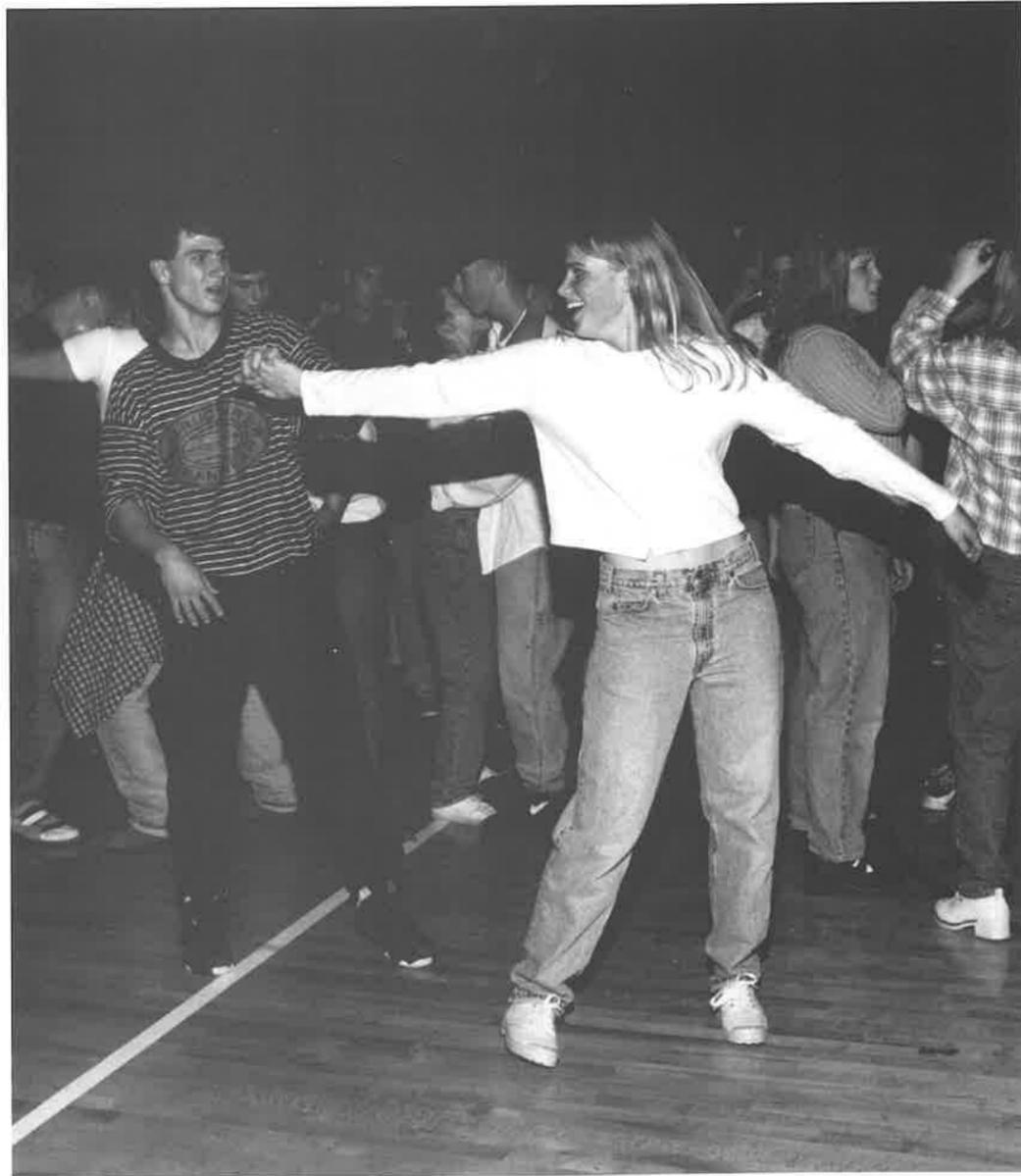
Fun in Class



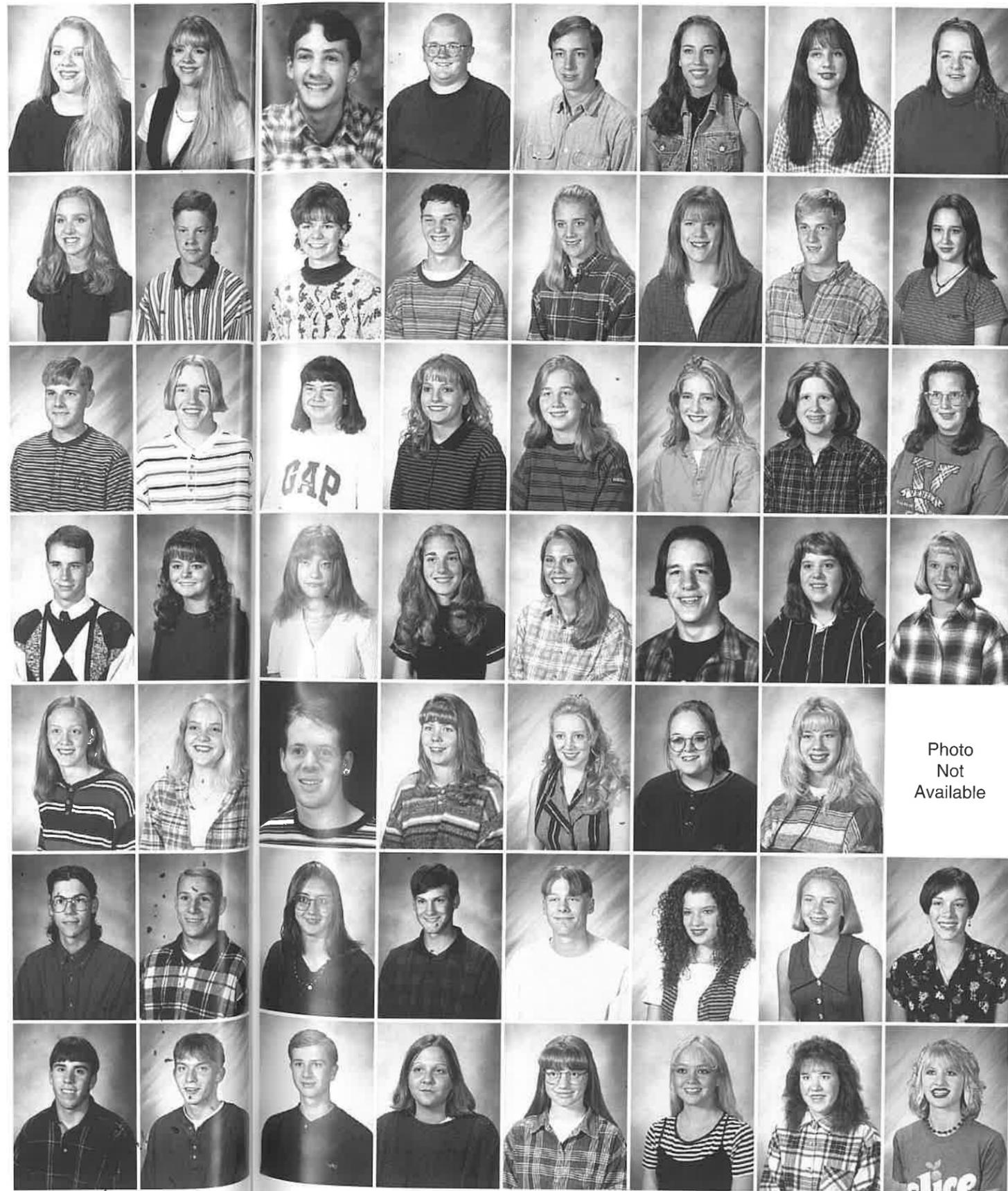
You think I know it? While studying in the library, Ryan Majkrzak (11) and Aarin Zimney (11) discuss questions on their homework assignments.

¡Tenemos una fiesta! In Spanish, Joe Spitzer (11) takes a swing at the piñata while Ryan Koffler (11) holds it steady.

Juniors know how to party!



Twist and shout! Alissa Frederick (11) and her date Donald Welker (11) dance to the music at the Homecoming Dance.



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Halsey Dunbar
Jason Eder
Ethan Edgerly
Daniel Edwards
Kelly Elijah
Amy Engebretson
Shawna Enger

Tara Falcon
Joel Finn
Kelly Fitzpatrick
Nathan Flynn
Katie Fossum
Jennifer Frueh
Paul Gartner
Darcy Gaugler

Jesse Gehrig
Cory Gilbertson
Stacey Gladue
Carmen Grefsrud
Brenda Grinde
Kristina Gromatka
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Tina Holden
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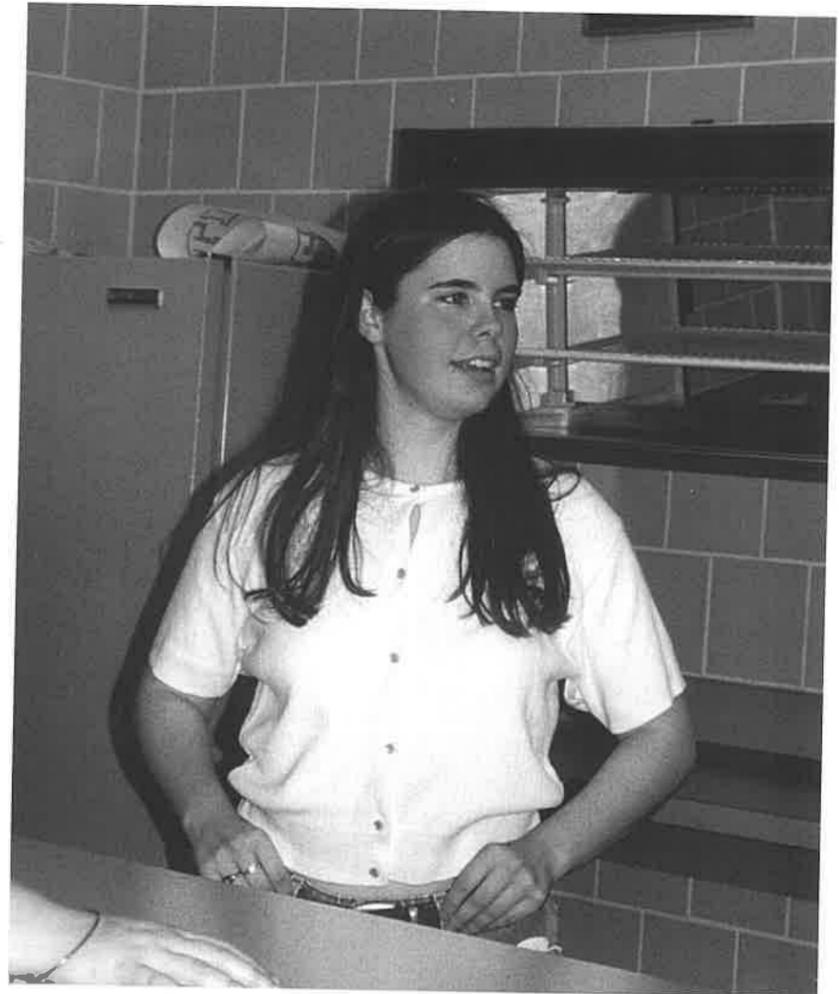
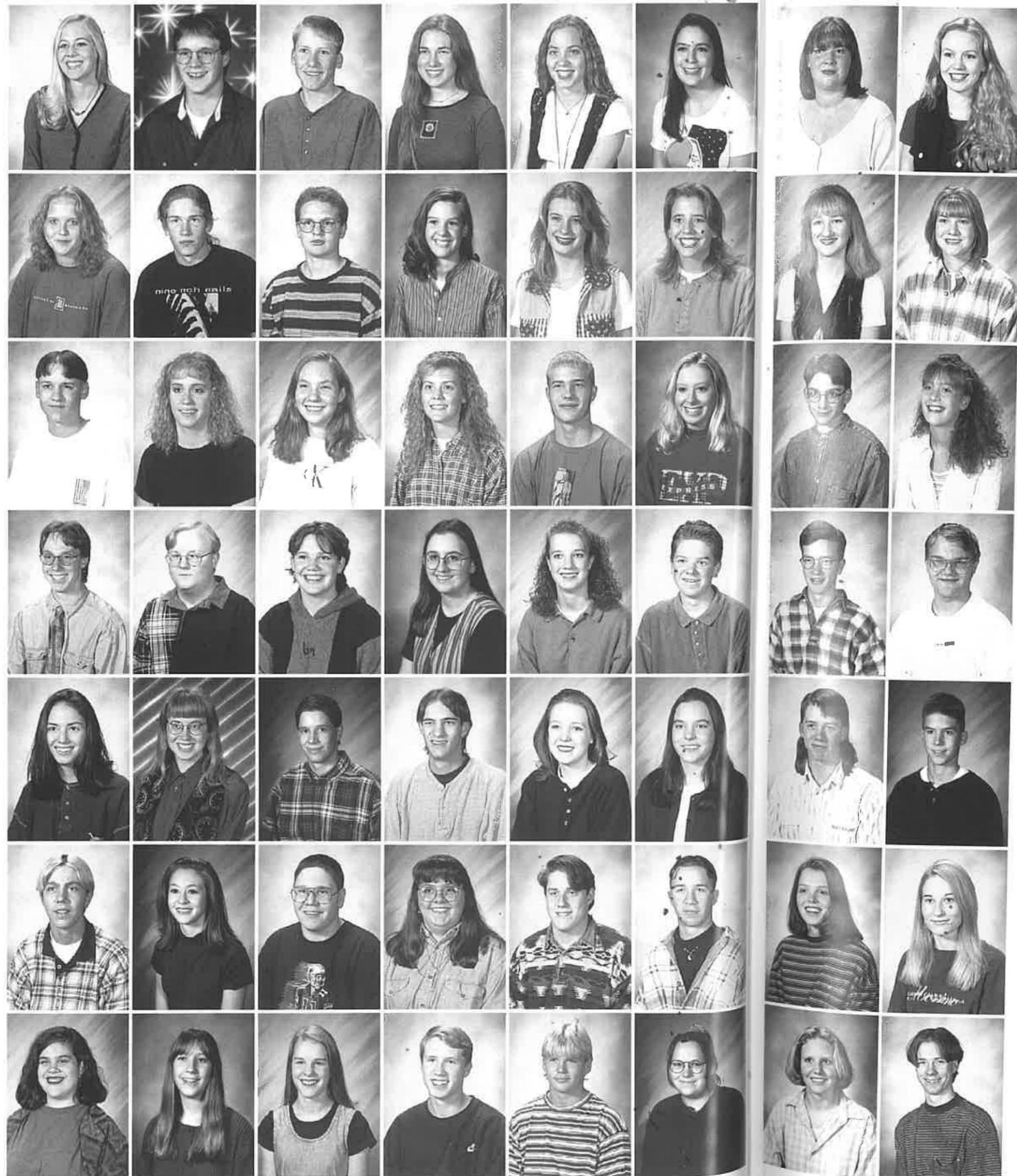
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 Sheila McPherson

Shawna Meberg
 Marcia Metzger
 Carly Meyer
 Michael Migler
 Dustin Miller
 Margie Miller
 Sarah Mills
 Michael Misheski



Juniors rule the world!

Making money for a good cause.
 Tangy Spiekermeier (11) sells concessions to raise funds for the Packatahnas.

Oh, the sweet sounds of the oboe.
 In the band room, Missy Ruten (11) practices her instrument the day before a band concert.

Speeches Teach

Juniors speak to their classmates

Researching a persuasive topic, conducting extensive interviews of classmates, and getting up in front of the class to explain the research that has been gathered or discuss the interview that has been conducted is not what most people look forward to. However, it is exactly what the second semester of junior English is all about.

All juniors are required to go through the ordeal of several speeches, sometimes as often as once a week. They all are also required to research and write a persuasive paper about an issue that they feel strongly about. They must either be for or against the issue(s), giving their opinion along with pros or cons.

Speaking publicly as often as is required can be an intimidating or-

deal. However, not many juniors are very intimidated by the speeches, or at least they don't admit to it.

Darick Dorn (11) feels that he is somewhat intimidated at the onset but that he gets over it.

He says he feels intimidated "at first because you worry about what people will think, but after a while you find that they look as dumb as you do."

Cory Draeger (11) is another who doesn't feel intimidated by the speeches. He even enjoys the class.

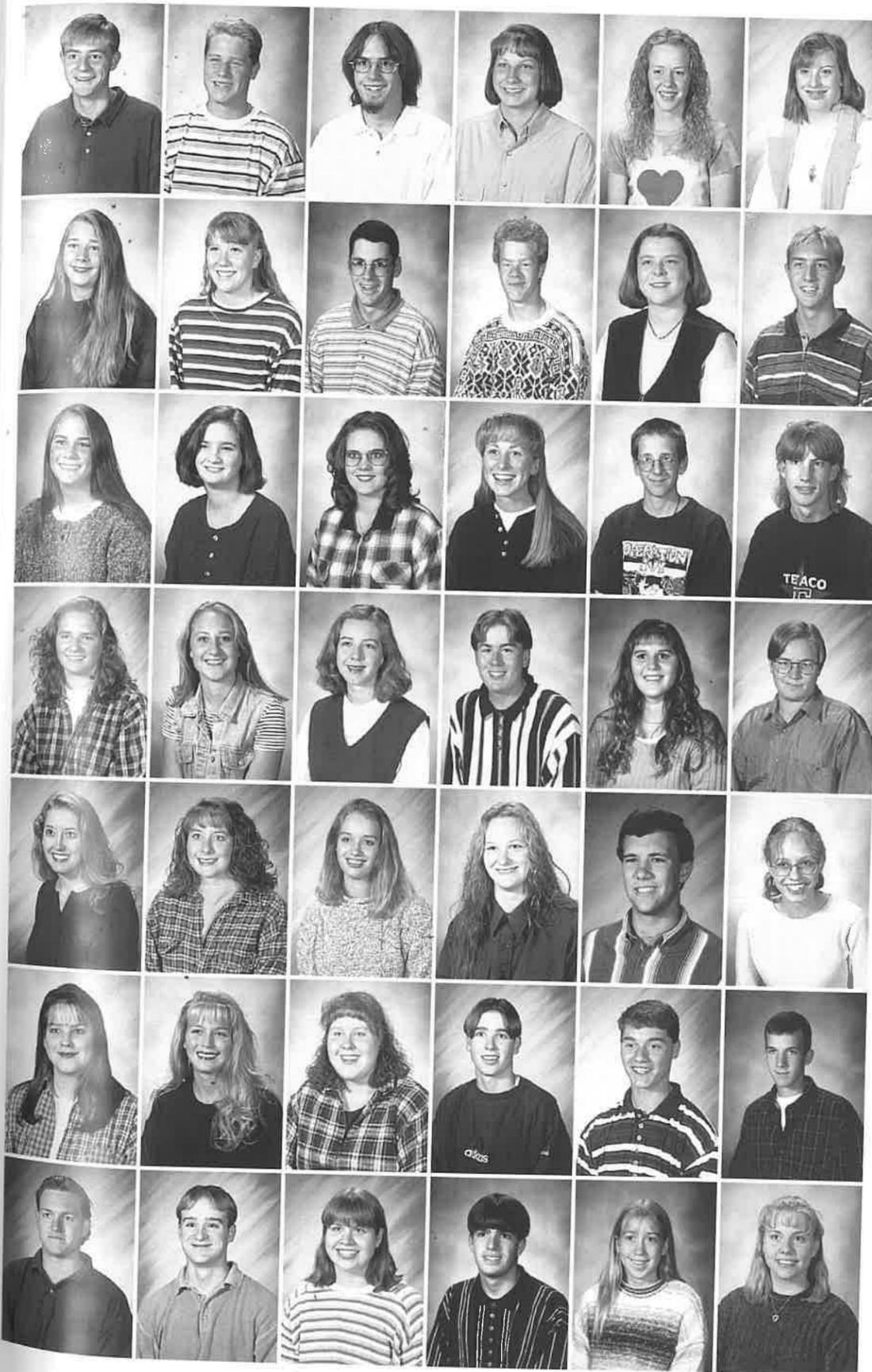
"It is a learning experience," he said.

By Ethan Edgerly



May I have your attention, please? Nancy Tate (11) prepares to give a speech at a competition.

Ring around the rosie. Jeremy Thomson (11) and Dwayne Vinesett (11) dance in a ring they formed with other students.



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Jeffrey Moe
Jamey Moran
Holly Morgan
Courtenay Mortenson
Michelle Muhle

Melinda Muhonen
Valerie Murch
Jason Mutzenberger
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Jada Neuschwander
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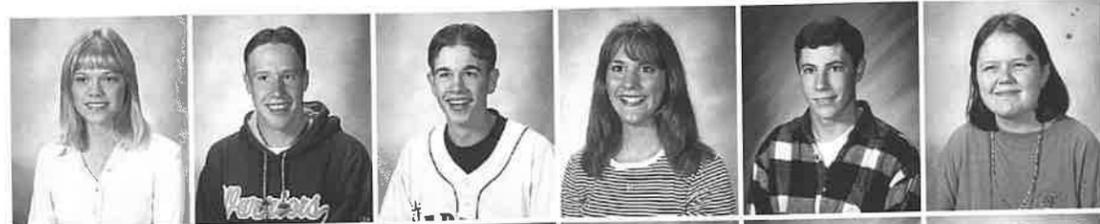
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Stephanie Pederson

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Amy Petersen
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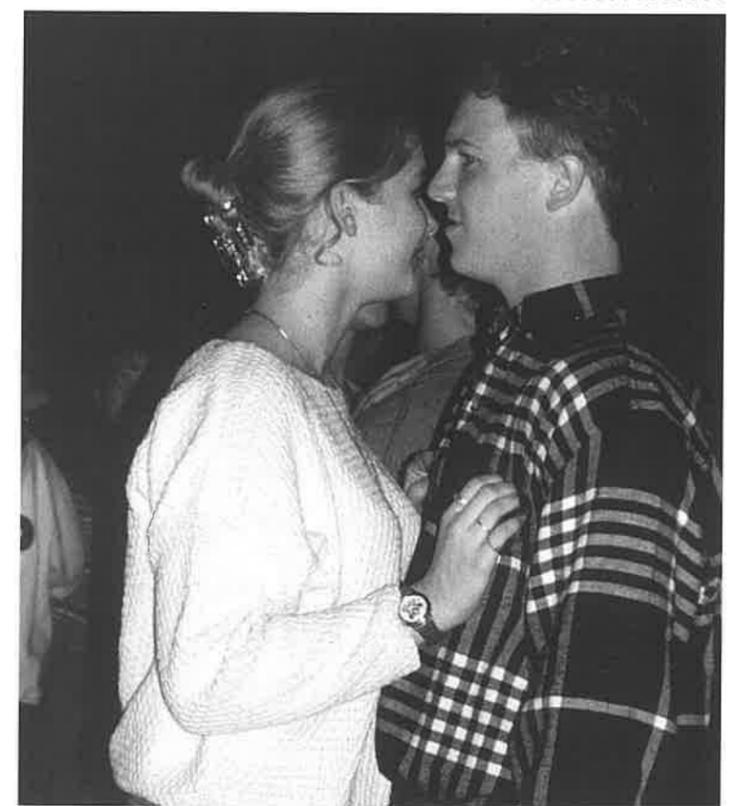
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JUNIORITIS

Juniors struggle through acute case of Junioritis

Junioritis: 1. The want and need to be a senior. 2. Can cause abnormal behavior.



Must not have been too bad. Jason Remick (11) and Beth Asmund (11) dance together at a WFHS dance. This is a prime example of a couple that have managed to elude the dreadful Junioritis virus.



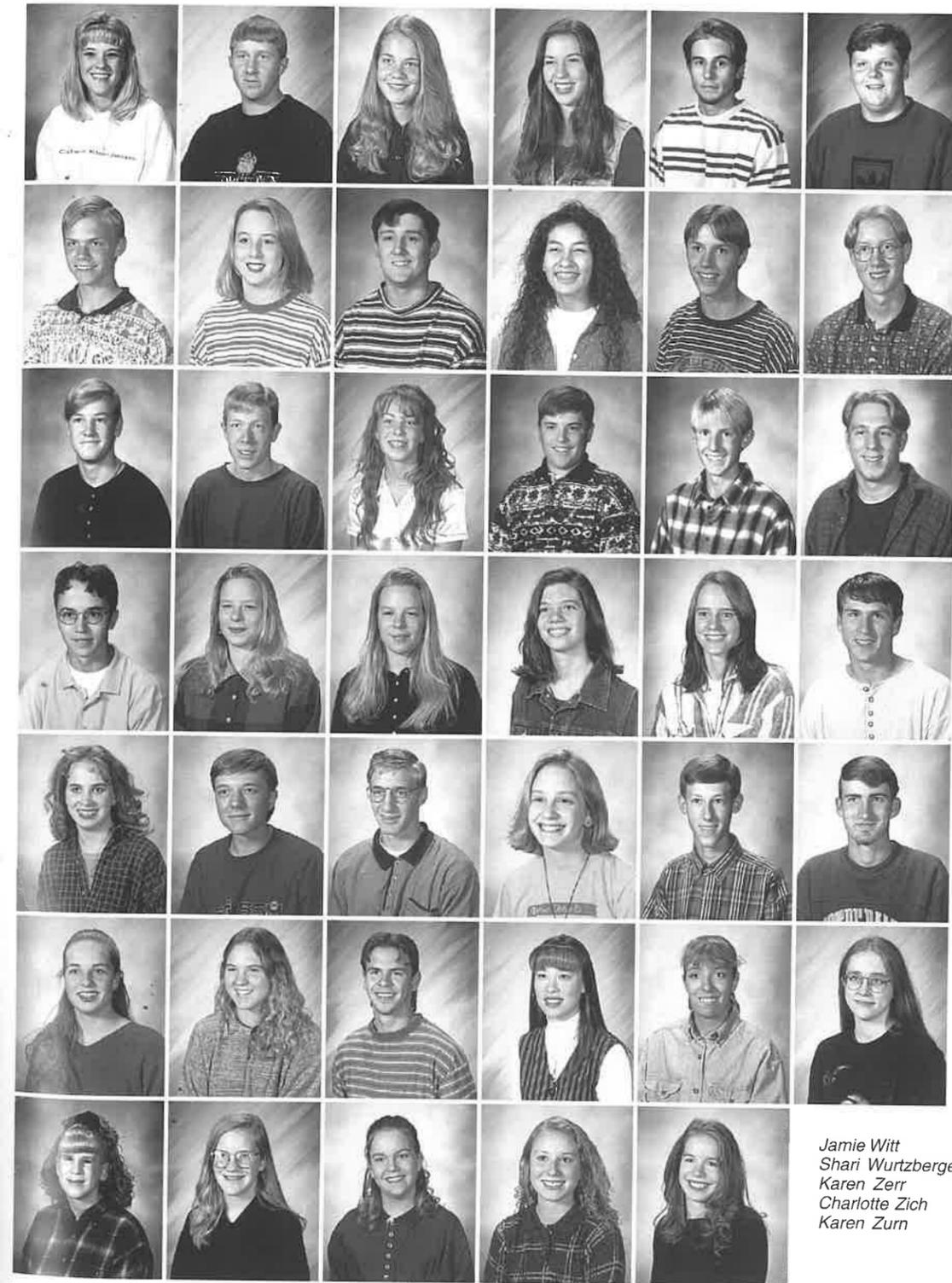
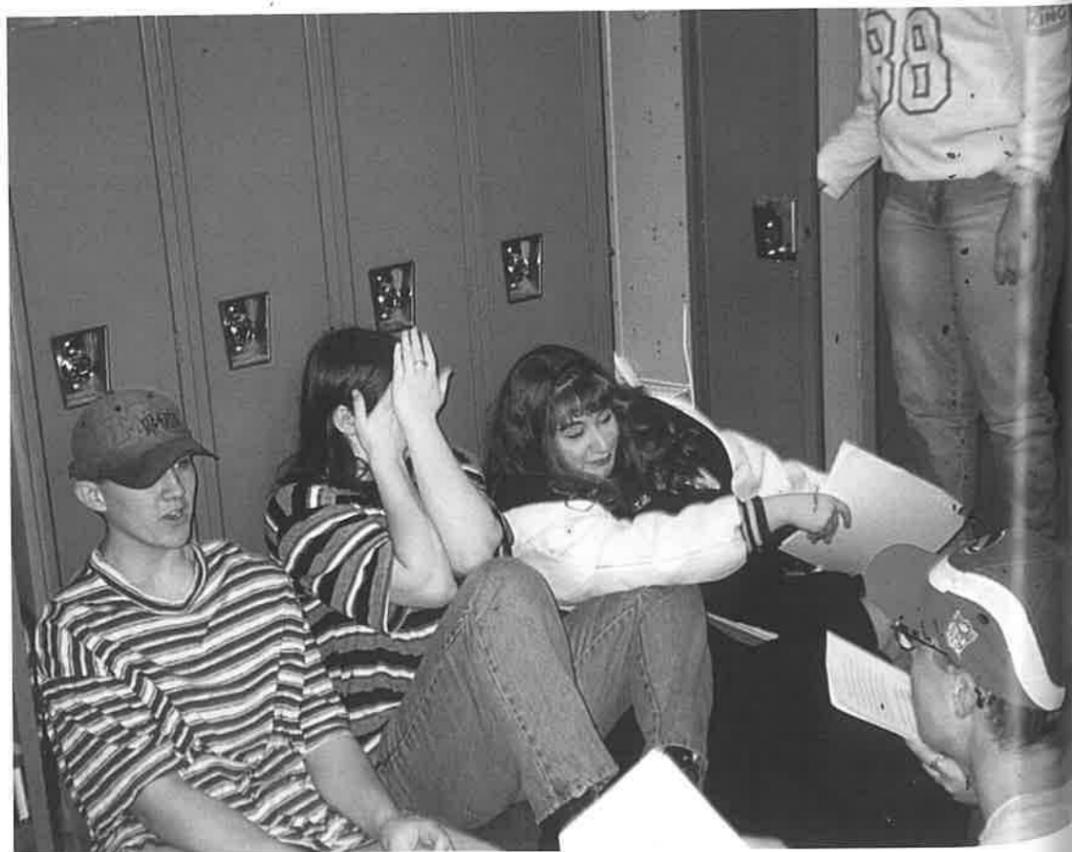
Must not have been a good day. Nancy Tate (11) and Christina Johnson (11) sit together at a speech meet. Apparently something went a little haywire. It's an easily diagnosed case of Junioritis.

Express yourself. James Erickson (11) gives a piece of his mind to Sarah Marohl (12). Hopefully she can help.



Girls' Powder Puff rules! Two seniors hug together to show their anticipation to hopefully win a game.

Early Risers. A group of juniors hang out together in the morning before school discussing homework.



Mandy Swanson
David Syverson
Nancy Tate
Anne Thomas
Kevin Thomas
Jeremy Thomson

Matthew Thorstad
Theresa Tilly
Richard Timmerman
Elisa Torres
Patrick Tweeter
Toby Ulness

John Utter
Joseph Valovage
Nicole Veitenheimer
Dwayne Vinesett
Chad Volk
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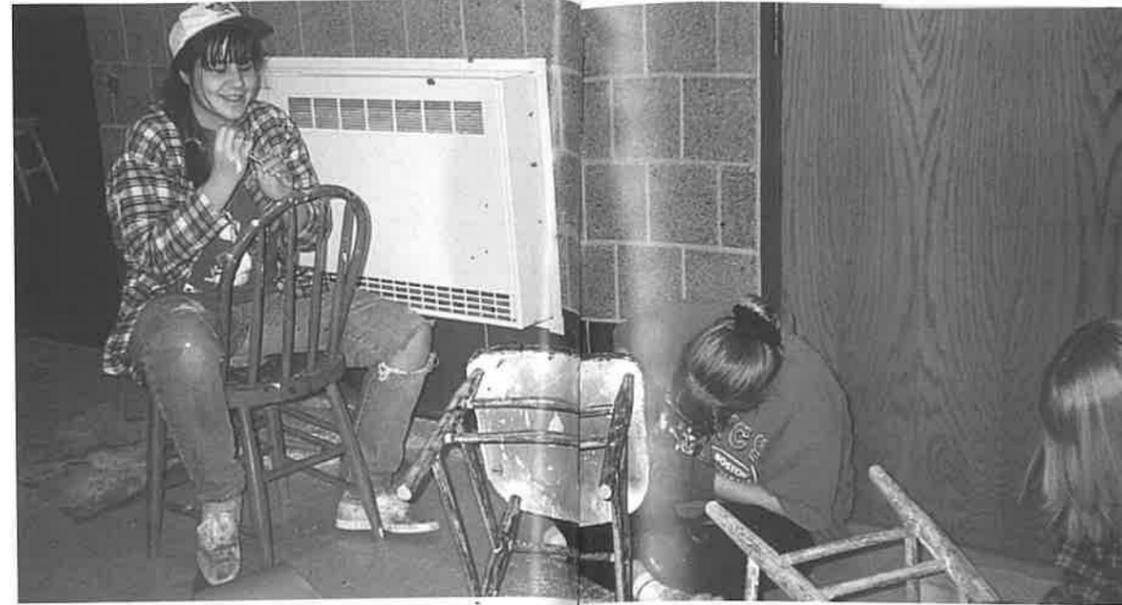
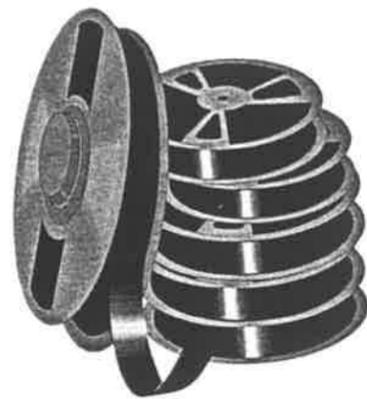
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Daniel Ferber
Melissa Fosse
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Brooke Frederick
Emily Halvorson
Michael Herbst
Leslie Hieb

THE SOPHOMORE SCENE

The sophomores, no longer being illiterate droolers, strive to become just one of the crowd. Trying to blend in and appear older than in reality, They move onwards through life to the older age and the older grade. The next step, their junior year, they look forward to being accepted by the seniors, unlike previously often years.

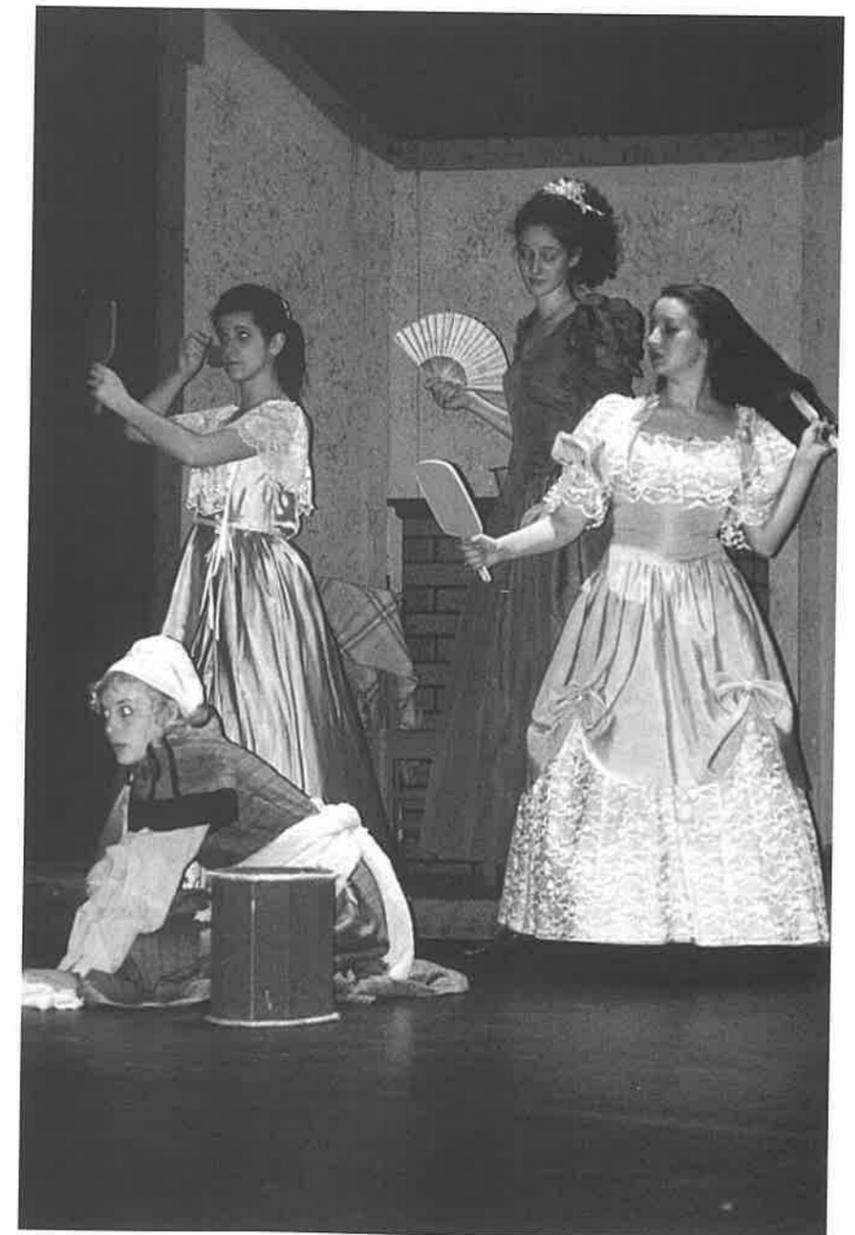


Paintin the day away. Doing setwork for drama, Heidi Borg (10) helps paint chairs.



Chillin' on the hardwood. A large group of sophomores group together to watch the dancers at the Homecoming dance.

Pretty for the pictures. Bonny Hellman (9), Denita Linnertz (9), and Cassie Rossow (9) all beautify themselves in the play Into the Woods, while Niki Sadowsky (12) washes the floor.



Sophomores reach new level of maturity

The sophomores this year no longer had to deal with the gripes made about freshmen, as is the case with every new class that enters this building. Instead, they have, for the most

part, gained the acceptance of the upperclassmen. Many in the class of '98 attained greater respect by aiming for higher standards and reaching their goals.

C'mon, hurry up! On their way to class, Sherri Ackerman (10) and Jayson Linder (10) head down the stairs.



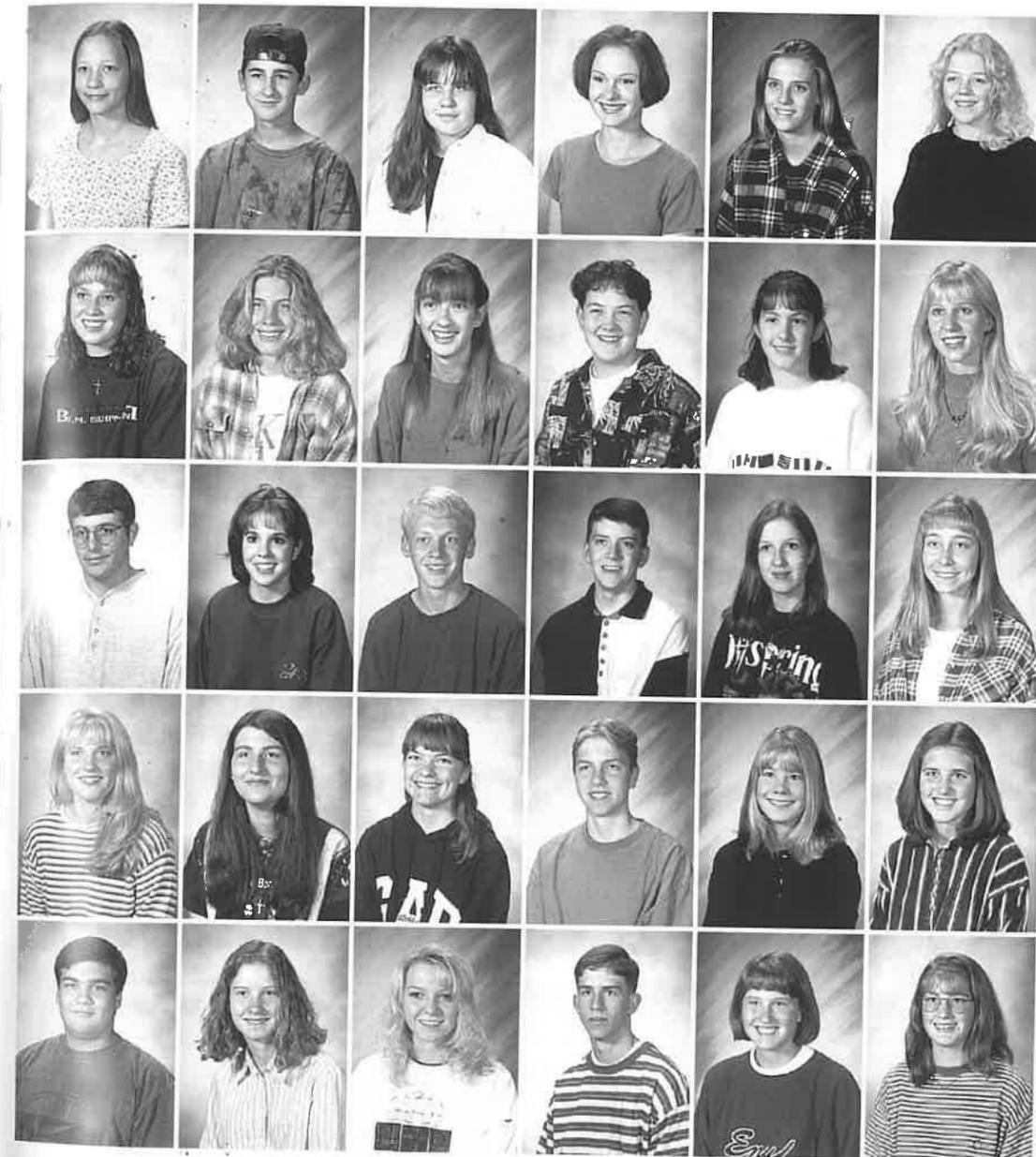
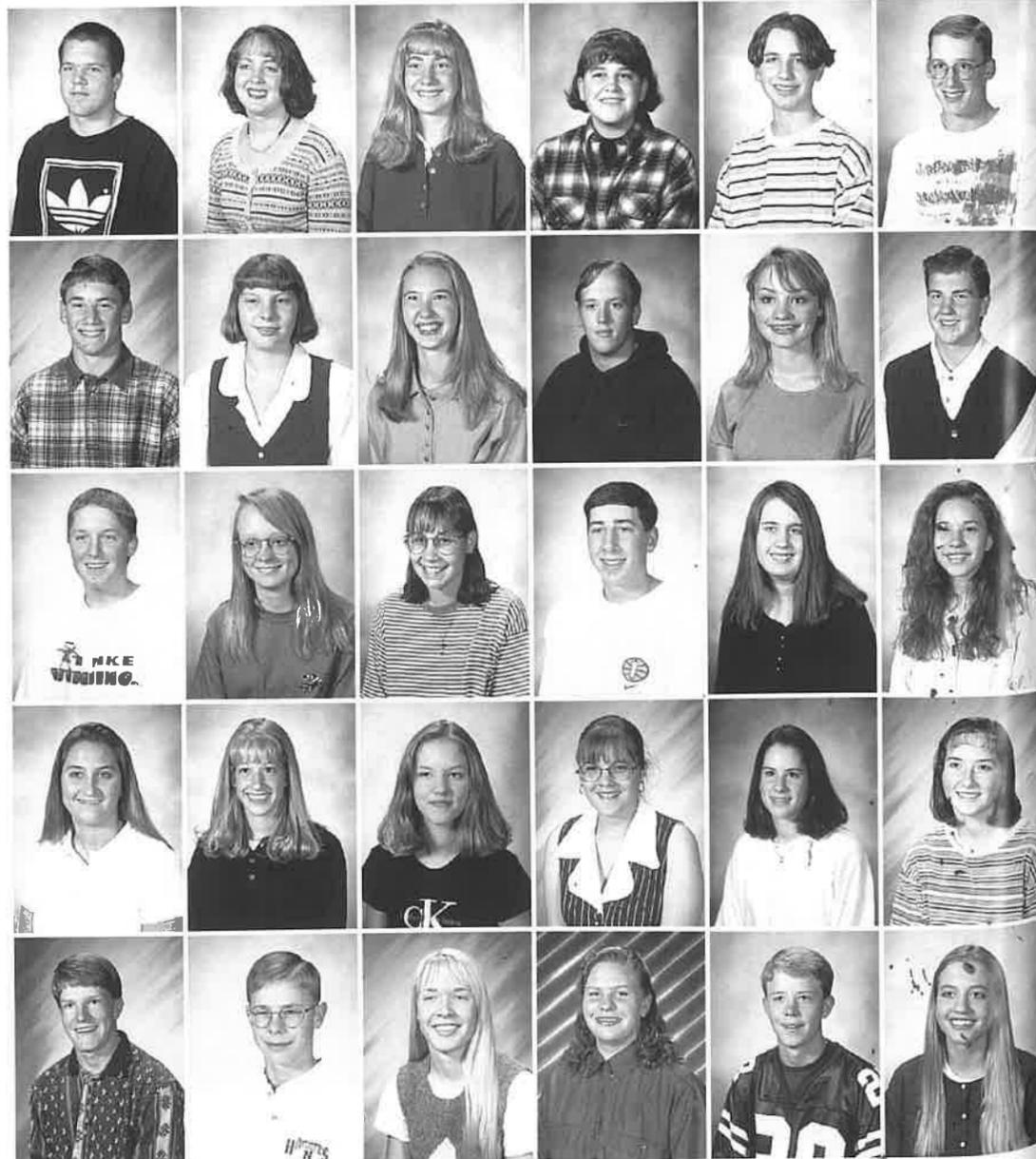
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Patricia DeClercq
Lorina Dehnert

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Not ANOTHER test! While studying in the commons, Jesse Gladue (10) grimaces lazily.

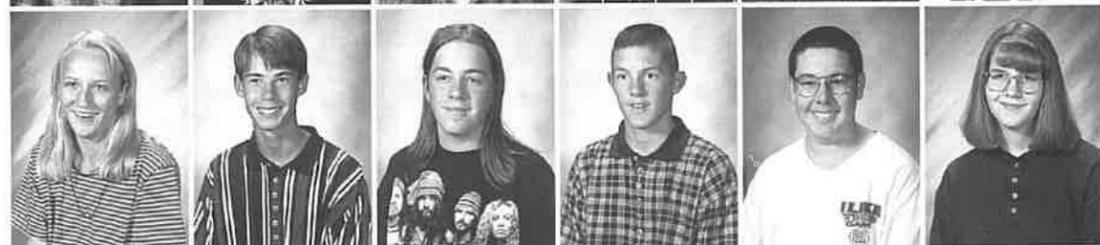
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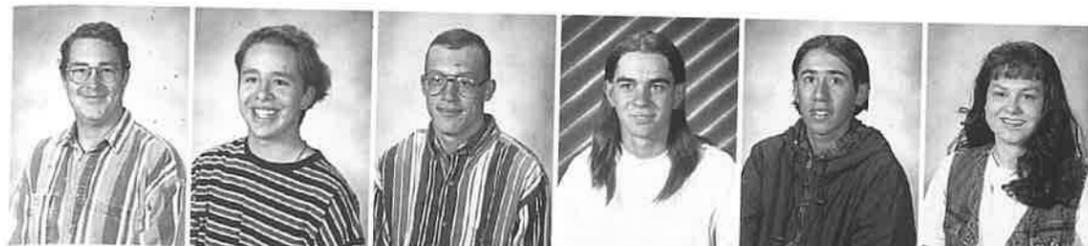
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Eric Fischer
Trudy Fischer



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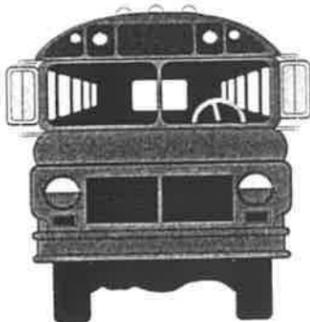
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Daniel Gustafson



Anthony Gutierrez
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Trevor Haakenson
Ellen Hample
Michael Handegard
Adam Hansen



Moooo..... Adam Pankow (10) talks to the "speech cow" during his speech demonstration.



Working hard. Joel Erickson (10) hurries to get his Biology assignment done.

Hole in one. Jennifer Oemichen (10) gets ready to hit the ball and make it under par.

Thoughts on the Sophomore Research Paper...

"It's not so bad. When you're done, it's amazing how much you can find on one topic."
— Julie Engberg (10).

"It's totally unfair because they don't give us enough time to get it done the way they want it."
— Alana Withey (10).

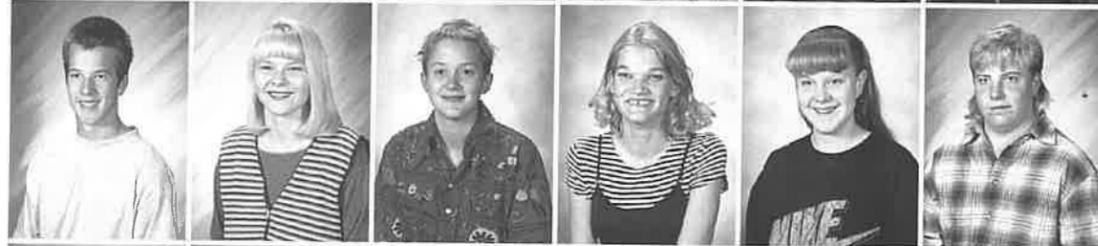
Almost good enough to eat soup in. During ceramics class, Derek Olson (10) uses his know-how with clay to make a bowl.



Leann Hardy
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Tony Haugen
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Teri Heise
Bonita Hellman



Brandon Helm
Lindsey Henderson
Nicole Henley
Angela Herr
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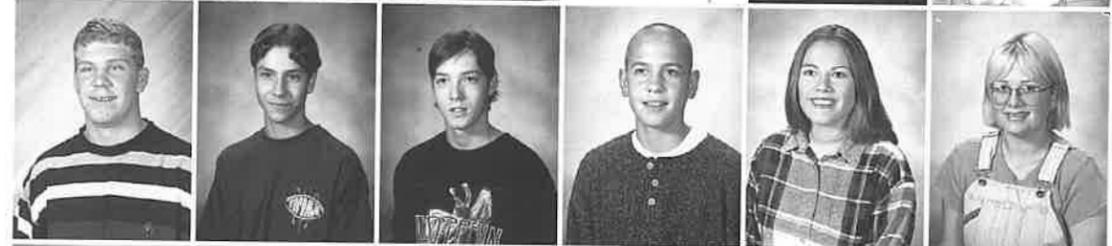
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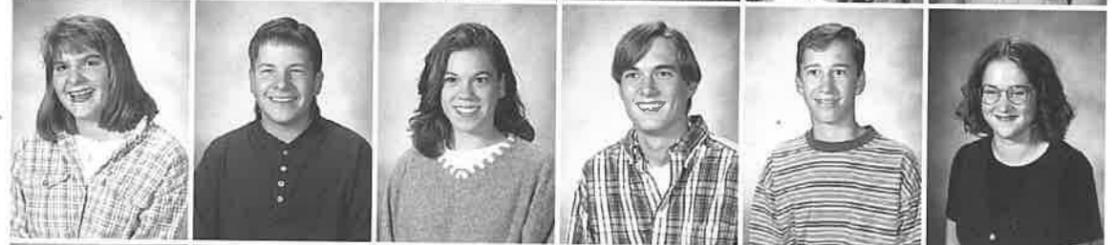
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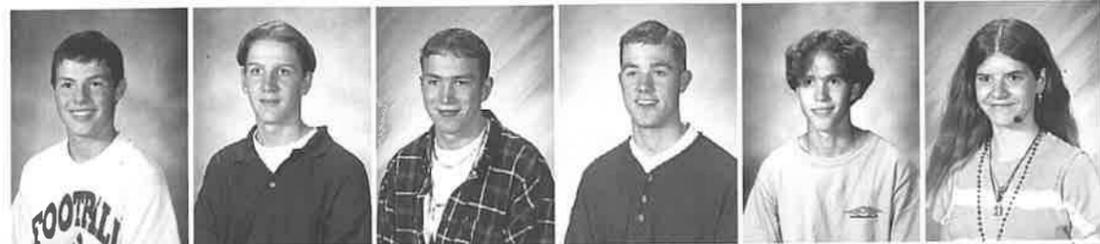


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Traci Kelly
Vanessa Kircher
Cheri Klemisch
Darci Klemisch
Shaun Kluth



It's starting to take shape!
In ceramics, Rita Ostern (10) works diligently on her project.

Benjamin Koppelman
 Luke Korbmacher
 Lukas Kringen
 Darren Kruse
 Anthony Kunz
 Lisa Kurtz



Ryan Kurtz
 Kevin Kussatz
 Crystal Larck
 Brady Larkin
 Matt Larsen
 Amy Larson



Sarah Larson
 Megan Lavelle
 Ryan Legvold
 Beth Leno
 Jeremiah Leshner
 Amy Lester



Danielle Lewis
 Jayson Lider
 Jesse Lien
 Amanda Liljequist
 Kristen Lilleboe
 Denita Linnertz



Jeffrey Linnertz
 Angie Lohse
 Rebecca Loney
 Robbie Lopez
 Elizabeth Lothspeich
 Darin Loven



Ryan Luken
 Adam Lund
 Jeremy Lundgren
 Derrick Lundstrom
 Janae Lureen
 Julie Mahlum



Scott Majkrzak
 Alison Maki
 Jeffrey Mapes
 Kristin Marohl
 Amy Marx
 Amanda McCarty



Jason McCubbin
 Timothy McDaniels
 Corey McDonald
 Jennifer McDougall
 Jessica McDougall
 Jackie McSparron

SOPHOMORES BEHIND THE SCENES

"I've learned to not stare at the ceiling when walking down the stairs."
 — Teri Heise (10).

"I have nothing to say!"
 -- Elizabeth Hoglund (10).

"Big bananas have lots of things to say."
 — Matt Zeis (10).

Are you laughing yet? As he willingly demonstrates, Brad Irving (10) has a funny face.



Alone with her thoughts. While in English class, Sarah Larson (10) works on a poetry assignment.



Fun in the lab. As they work on their biology experiment, Robbie Lopez (10) and Alex Thiel (10) prepare to measure solutions.

Laid back. Taking a break during study hall, Kimberly Anderson (10) relaxes in Mrs. Karen Olson's office.

Can you help me? While studying in the library, Jesse Gladue (10) gets help with his homework from Mrs. Soehren.





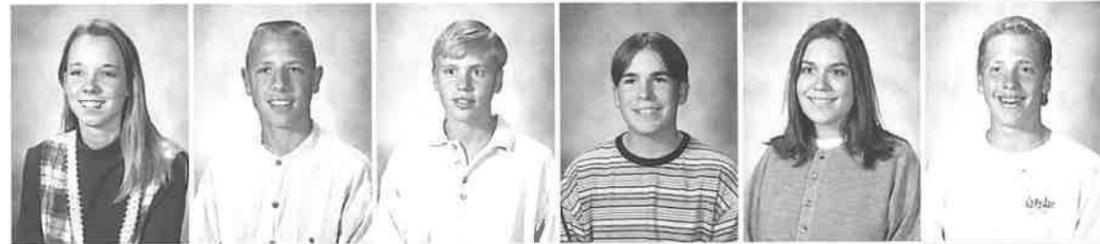
Are we learning yet? While in English, Bryan Pearson (10) Mitch Migler (10) and Adam Pankow (10) appear to be listening contently.

How 'bout this winter?

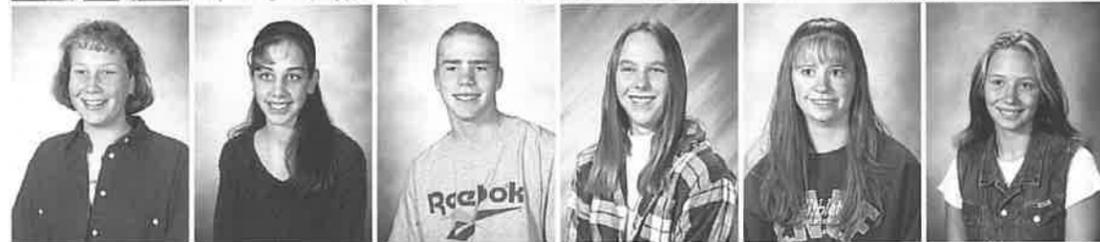


**"My car went into the ditch."
-- Heidi Borg (10).**

Deja Meisch
Mitchell Migler
Fred Mills
Glen Mills
Sarah Moores
Steven Mootz



Emily Morgan
Megan Morrison
Kelly Muhl
Kelly Murek
Annie Namyniuk
Kristen Nelson



Tyler Nelson
Allison Nettetstad
Jenny Neumiller
Ronelle Neuschwander
Nicholas Noonan
Stacey Odden



Jennifer Oemichen
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Christopher Olson
Derek Olson
Rita Ostern



Jennifer Overby
Adam Pankow
Greg Parsons
Cory Pavak
Bryan Pearson
Laney Pederson



Jade Pergande
Amy Perna
Joseph Peterson
Amanda Pfaff
Amy Phillips
Stacy Plettl



Marshall Pohlman
Brice Powell
Darrin Quam
Scott Ralston
Tara Ramlo
Christine Rector



Melissa Redlinger
Robyn Reed
Jesse Regan
Justen Ridl
Robyn Riemer
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Adam Roberts
Eric Rogers
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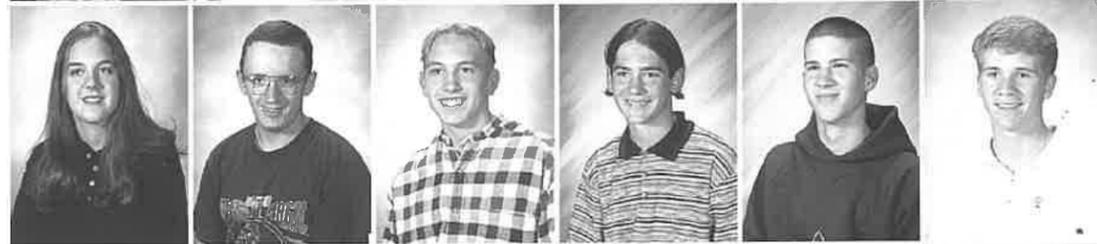


Biology work. During the germination lab, Cassie Rossow (10) and Amy Hoffart (10) uncover corn seeds (left) while Brian Scholten (10) compares his results in the experiment.

Alisha Schaeffer
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 Bobby Schempp
 Keri Schmidt
 Brian Scholten
 Joshua Schrader



Stacy Schroeder
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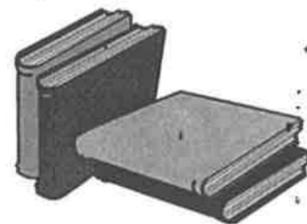
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Jessie Swiontek
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 Miles Thomas
 Joshua Thompson



Tracie Tingum
 Matt Tintes
 Misty Tomchuk
 Tara Trapp



Mixed Attitudes. With varied levels of attention, Colby Juntunen (10), Heather Froemke (10), Lucas Kringen (10) and Lorina Dehnert (10) study the board while playing a game in science.



Not Pictured:
 Duane Klatt
 Steven Krogsgaard
 Heather Brown
 Matthew Larsen
 Josh Delo
 Micheal Longoria
 Becky Donabauer
 Micheal Markey
 Jeremy Hackley
 Wade Preston
 Joey Johnson



Angela Tritchler
 Wade Trzruc
 Steven Tuff
 Sonja Ulrickson
 Ryan Utley
 David Vernon



Tanessa Vetsch
 Angela Vetter
 Kimberly Waggoner
 Keif Wagner
 Stacy Walen
 Melissa Walstad



Adam Walter
 Amanda Walz
 Blake Wanner
 Bobbi Ann Ward
 Erica Waters
 Bryce Weaver



Kristina Webber
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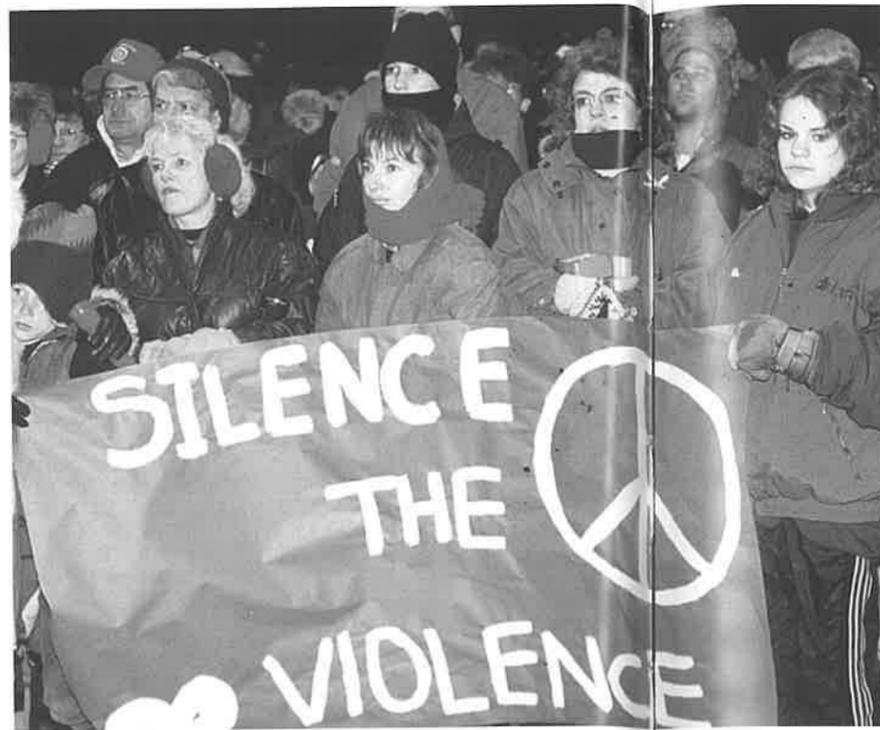
Looks good to me! While in ceramics class, Levi Sivertson (10) displays his clay pot with pride.

THE FRESHMAN SCENE

Behind the scenes, the Freshmen struggle through their first year at West Fargo High School.

They became infuriated about being labeled "illiterate droolers" and being made fun of at the fall pep rally.

Through these experience the class of '99 learned a little about growing up.



I can't figure this out. During English class Katie Muhonen (9) thinks of the correct answer.

Silence the Violence. Megan Kelley (9) stands with others during the Stop the Violence candlelight vigil.

What a wonderful night. Brad Mattson (9) dances with a friend at one of the school's many dances.

I'd rather be sleeping now. While in one of Mr. Oetting's English classes, Kindra McCarty (9) rests her head on her palm, thinking in amazement that she could have been watching Oprah instead.

Omigoid, they're taking our picture. At the Snowball Dance, Courtney Kirklewski (9), Erin Przybilla (9), and Jamie Gilbertson (9) get their picture taken.

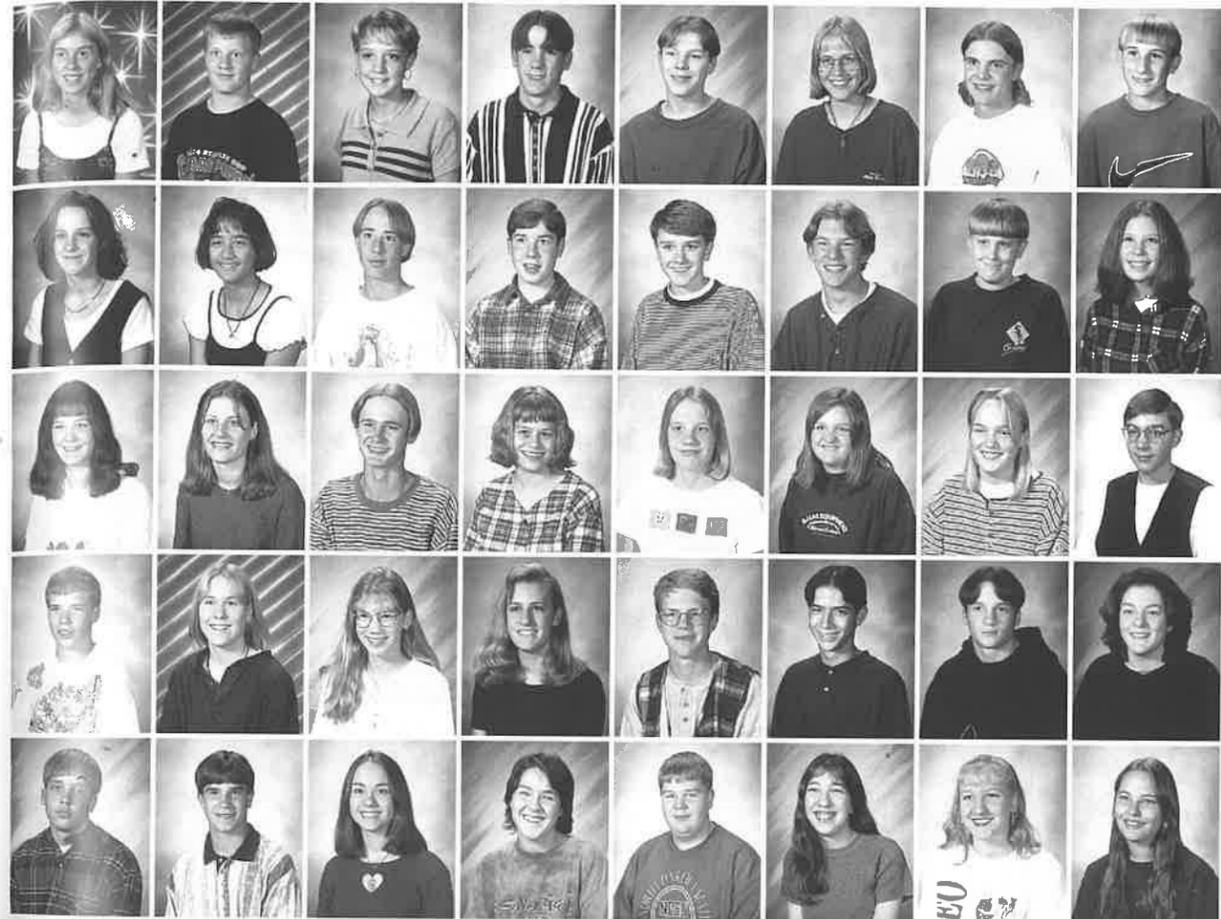
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Tanya Brandsted
Richard Brandvold
Jennifer Braun
Ashley Brend

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Justin Bruggeman
Elizabeth Bruns
Gregory Brush
April Burchfield
James Burckhard
Thomas Burner



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Jon Byklum
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Stephanie Currens
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Freshman

POWER

"Illiterate droolers." These words have made this year's freshmen express more of an opinion than a week's worth of the Howard Stern radio show. Jaime Smith (12), a columnist for the Packer Newspaper and the Editor-in-Chief of the yearbook, used these words to describe this year's class of freshmen. Smith amazed a great deal of freshmen with her bluntness.

"I think that the freshmen will understand what I'm doing and why I'm doing it when they are seniors," said Smith.

Though she excuses her name calling with "you'll learn when your older", she still holds her most obvious opinion of the underclassmen.

Smith's column sparked a number of letters to the editor to be sent to the Packer newspaper. Though

Smith has not had to deal with too much other adversity, she has had a couple of incidents.

For instance, while Smith was walking through the lunchroom, Becca Bachmeier (9) stood and boldly hissed, "There she is!". Besides pointing the group Bachmeier was with boomed and sneered at Smith, who didn't notice.

Smith didn't mind the criticism at all. She thinks it is great that someone



cared.

"I think it's great that people become aware of how the media can manipulate them," says Smith.

Smith believes that this incident has been a good lesson of how to get people to pay attention and to respond.

Though Smith is confident that the freshmen will soon forget, only time will tell.

By Dave Syverson

Illiterate? Travis Renner (9) offers a glimpse of the still over worked freshmen.



A bunch of characters. Sometimes, even freshmen have something on their minds besides their homework for the evening. Andrew Rausch (9), Nate Olson (9), Casey Otto (9), Travis Pfeifle (9), and Tyler Willis (9) display differing attitudes towards homework and study.

Look, ma! No hands! Motivational speaker Alvin Law waves to a crowd of freshmen before taking to the keys.

"Just close your eyes," Law challenges his audience, proving the human spirit can overcome any obstacle if it refuses to admit defeat.



A helping hand

Alvin Law

tells fresh how to get a grip

"You'll all remember me," he said. "You may not remember my name, but you'll remember me. You'll say, 'Hey! Remember that guy with no arms?' And when you do, I want you to remember this: you can accomplish everything."

When Alvin Law flew in from Canada, boy were his arms tired. Er, missing.

The inspirational speaker used his appearance and a well-developed sense of humor to motivate entering freshmen.



Freshmen laughed at his jokes, especially the ones about his experiences at places like McDonalds. He admitting throwing his Big Mac at people who looked at him funny for eating with his feet.

Law explained how he grew up angry because people treated him like he was incapable of amounting to anything. He managed to break through the low expectations of others by teaching himself how to dress, play the piano, do drum rolls, and earn a diploma.

The ability to laugh at oneself and keep a positive attitude is the key to accomplishing great feats in life, he said.

Law and odor. Canadian-born motivational speaker Alvin Law tap dances his message across the ivories to lift the spirit of freshmen.

Ericka Freed
Kristin Freed
Derek Gaffney
Samantha Gange
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Troy Gartner
Jamie Gilbertson
Jill Gilleland

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Tory Greshik

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 Kasey McDonald
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 Wade Meberg
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 Jonathan Melendez
 Michael Melo



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 Casey Otto
 Matthew Paeper

Shawn Pedraza
 Nicholas Peihl
 Carissa Peterson
 Joshua Peterson
 Travis Pfeifle
 Sharla Pickard
 Michael Pink
 Michael Pokrzywinski

Class of 99

Excellence

in academic pursuits

Despite being referred to as "drooling illiterates" by seniors, the class of '99 lived up to the same high academic standards every freshman class must face.

A large number of freshmen were awarded academic letters during the spring pep rally. The freshman class, the largest class in the school, was well-represented by the best and brightest who won the awards at the rally.

Of course, sometimes things need to be learned the hard way, like when students are suspended or expelled for breaking the rules. Sometimes just managing to stay in school is a big enough job, and students who struggle for B's and C's are working as hard as those who earn A's. Sometimes they deserve some sort of award, too.



Happiness
 Happiness is school
 and oh, the feeling you get
 when your dreams become reality
 in this place you just met.
 Feel the presence of peace
 all around you, see the colors
 as they combine
 in a way that's new. Flying above
 and beyond this feeling
 you won't regret emotions
 mixed as one:
 this place you'll never forget.
 poem by Dave Viséth (9)

Grammar! What big teeth you have! Little Red Writing Hoods Becca Bachmeier (9) and Sherri Hebert (9) adverbly verb their nouns during an English lesson.

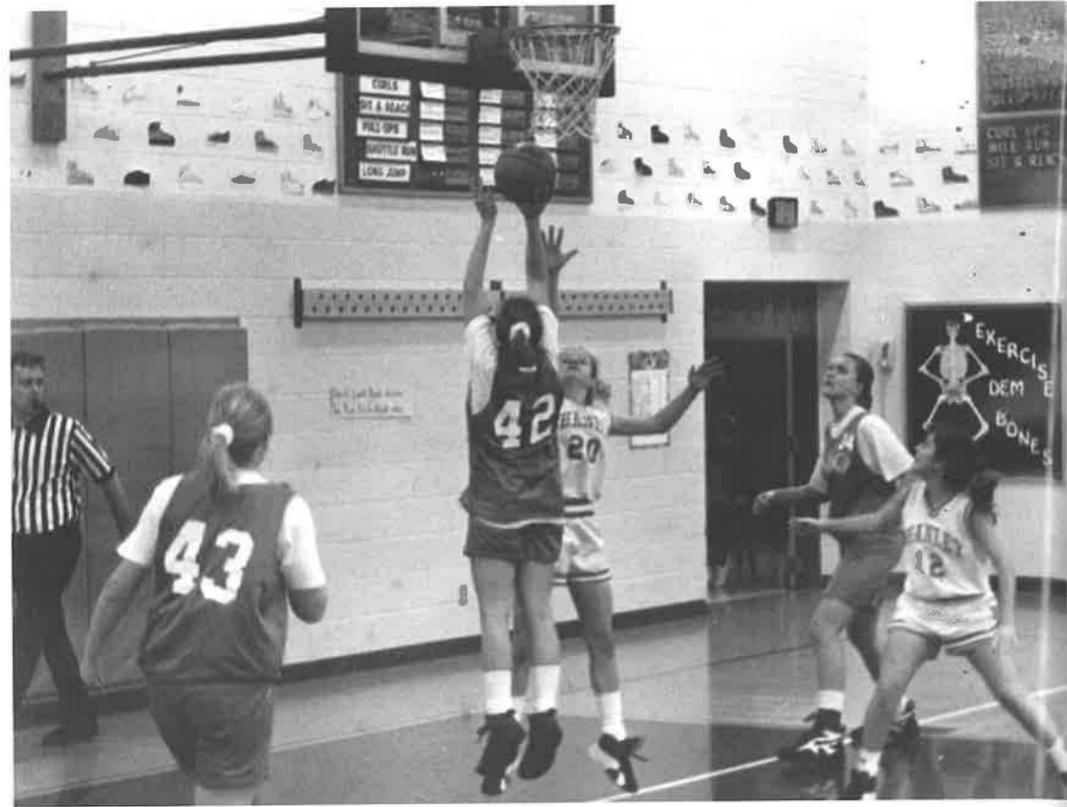


Laugh and learn! Sharing a joke, Becky Miller (9) laughs with Stacy Fosse (9) during a lecture.

Chew the fat. Stealing a chip, Jamie Woodley (9) hangs out with speech team competitors Kari Tranby (9) and Kyle Volk (9).

Above and beyond. Kris Volk (9) makes a shot to help take the 9th grade girls basketball team to number one.

Boogie down. Shaking her booty, Kristen Burroughs (9) dances with friends.



Gangin UP

After hours

"I didn't get beat up as much as I thought I would. It was only a weekly thing," joked Brandon Rutten (9).

Despite the age-old myth of freshman being lynched by the upperclassmen, most of the ninth graders seemed to enjoy their first year of high school.

What freshman enjoyed the most was all the extracurricular activities and events the high school offers.

"I think it's good that there's more things you can join here," said Sha-Ree Mason (9). "There's just about one of everything!"

Indeed, freshman took advantage of all the clubs, teams and organizations the high school boasts. And of course everyone enjoyed the many dances.



An important role. Taking a stroll on stage, Brooke Johnson (9) plays her part in the year's biggest production, Hello Dolly!

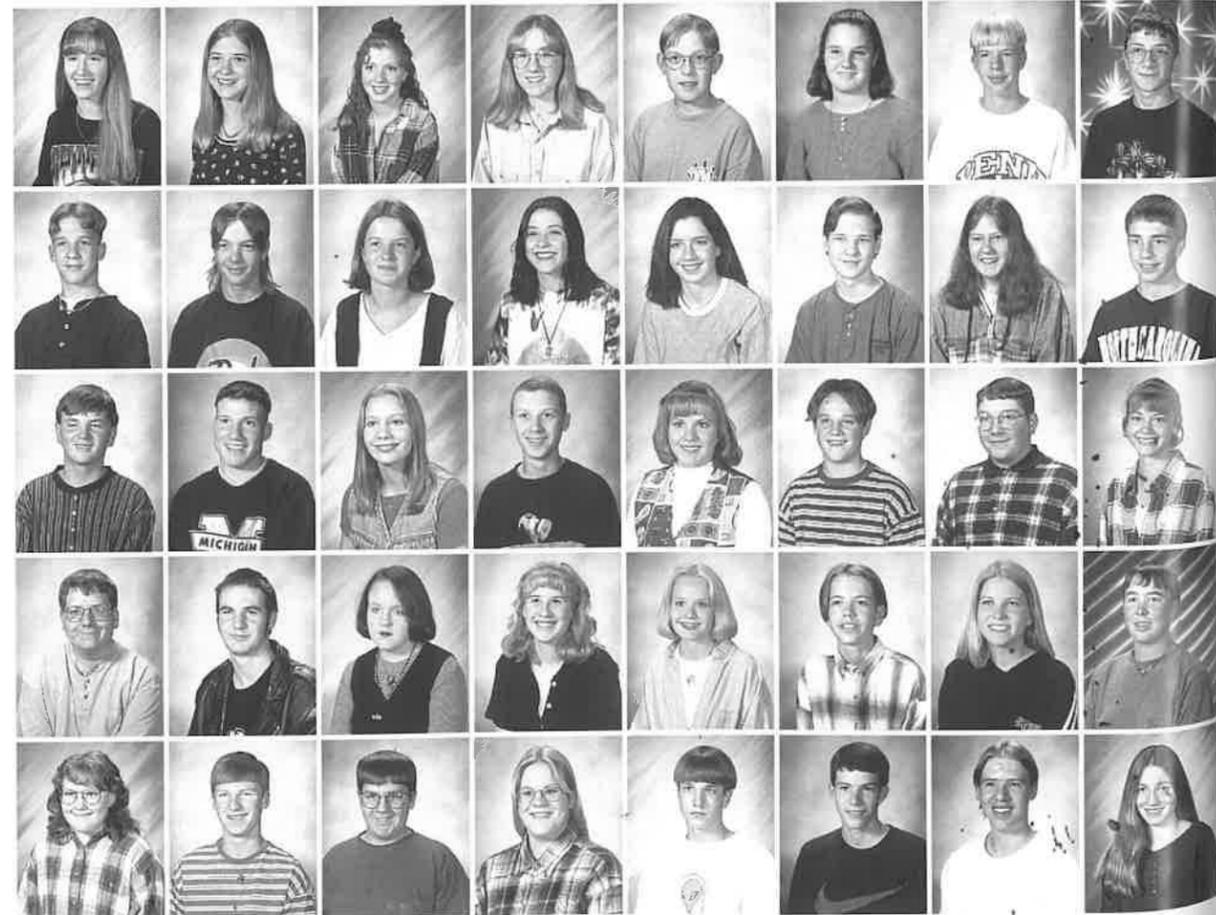
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Karen Schneider
Colin Schroeder
Jason Schwan
Stephanie Schweitzer
Justin Scoville
Jason Scully
John Scully
Alani Selland



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Sarah Wilm
Latasha Wirth
Jodi Wittmayer
Jamie Woodley
Theresa Yahnke
Melanie Zacher



Miranda Zetocha
Jon Zeuschel
Eric Ziegler
Benjamin Zurn

Not Pictured:
Charles Allery
Daniel Beyer
Burton Bonham
Jaime Brinklow
Joshua Calloway
Richard Efferfield
David Faltersack

Lucas Franck
Jonathon Hanson
Eric Hase
Natasha Hutchinson
Dieuam Huyh
Ronald Impola
Christopher Jackson
Leah Jonason

Mystikix it kickin' it

When thinking of dance lines, the Packatahns immediately come to mind. But there is another dance line out there. The Mystikix, a junior high dance line coached by Kristi Brager, consists of several freshmen at WFHS.

The Mystikix, in only their second year, took third place at their State Tournament.

"We had some problems, but I think everything turned out great," dancer Jessica Abrahamson (9) said.

They practice twice a week. Practices consist of a twenty minute warm-up, eight sets of each pattern of kicks, push-ups, and sit-ups, and then the perfecting of the routines.

Choreographer Jessica Richard (9) finds another reason for practices. She says practices consist of "lots of kicks and working on our 'lovely' smiles."

Learning a routine can be difficult and time-consuming. It takes anywhere from three to five practices to learn a new routine depending on its difficulty and how the dancers feel. The routines can be tough depending on the people involved.

"Parts of the routine are difficult, but most of it is pretty easy," said dancer Kristin Freed (9).

Performing in front of a big crowd

is an experience not soon forgotten by the participants. All agree that it is exciting to dance for the spectators.

"It's a total rush! The adrenaline is just unbelievable. You're nervous 20 minutes even before we step out onto the floor," said choreographer Andrea Noonan (9). "When you're out there it seems like all your moves are totally natural."

Abrahamson agrees fully. "I love it, 'cause everyone's getting into it and cheering. It (is) a great rush," she said.

Choreographer Tammy Larck (9) also enjoys performing for a more specific reason.

"At first it was really scary but you get used to doing it," she said. "It's fun to play with the crowd and make them enjoy seeing you."

Richard agrees with the aspect of uneasiness at the beginning of the routine, and also notes enjoyment of the whole event.

"First you forget the routine, but when the music begins, you haven't got a doubt about what to do!" she said.

Choreographer Jessica Kratcha (9) agrees, but is less enthusiastic.

"It's very exciting and a lot of fun," she said.

Being in Mystikix is enjoyed by all

involved.

"It's my favorite thing to do," said Richard.

Noonan agrees, with a little more enthusiasm.

"I love it. Anyone who likes to dance would. It's a wonderful way to express yourself and get a good workout," she said.

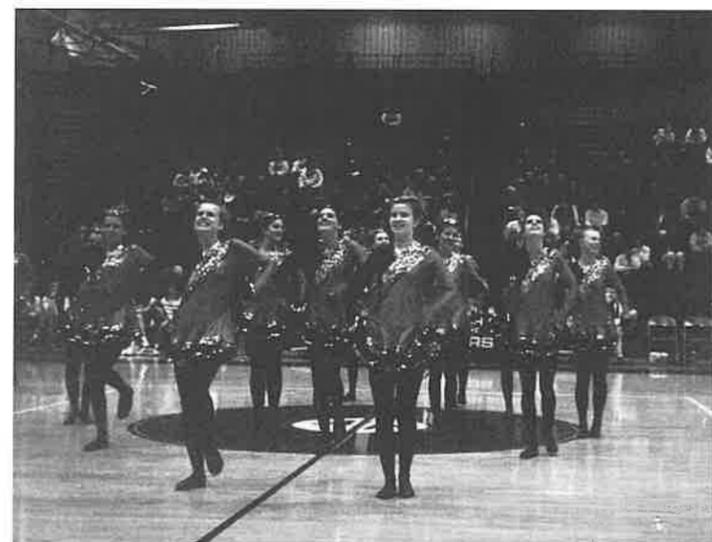
Several of the Packatahns also enjoy the Mystikix, or at least respect them.

"I am very glad that there is a junior high dance line. They (Mystikix) have done very well in competition over the past couple years," said Janelle Fink (12). "From being on Packatahns, I know how much work and dedication it takes to accomplish what they have."

Kryisia Kludt (11), also a Packatahna, also feels that a junior high dance line is a good idea.

"I think it's cool," she said. "I think it's good that they have something like that for people younger than High School to be in."

By Ethan Edgerly



Ooo, la, la. Choreographer Jessica Richard (9) leads the Mystikix junior high dance line during halftime of a varsity boys' basketball game. Several freshmen are involved in Mysikix.

Smile! High on life, Heidi Kramer (9) mystically kicks a grin toward Tammy Larck (9) during a happy little routine.



Let's go. While leading the Mystikix in a January routine, Choreographer Jessica Richard (9) moves to the mix of techno music that she and five other members of the team, along with their coach, put together in their spare time and at practices.

THE ACADEMIC SCENE

Behind the scenes, the students at West Fargo triumphed academically. They were led to these heights by their teachers. Teachers put in numerous hours in many capacities: Classroom time, preparing lessons, coaching and advising sports and organizations. These well-spent hours led to greater achievements for both students and teachers.



We're teaching the future. Mr. Steve Marquart discusses a lesson of Psychology with his class.

Stop the Violence. Mr. Jeffery Mueller joins with his students Justin Barnum (12), Nicole Kirklewski (12) and Danielle Schmidt (12) to sing during the prayer vigil held in honor of Cheryl Tendeland.

A bonney bonnet for a bonney lass. Working with two drama students, Ms. Mary Knox-Johnson adjusts the flounces of a bonnet in the costume room.

Yes, you do have a grasp on the subject matter. Mrs. Clare Williams and a student discuss his final grade for the quarter.



Tracy Aaker, Social Studies
 Ericka Ableiter, English
 Larry Anderson, Art
 Lori Anderson, Spanish



Mary Anderson, Home Ec.
 Rick Anderson, Business
 Sherry Anderson, Paraprofessional
 Steve Anderson, Business



Joan Baltezare, Science
 Cheryl Baumgartner, Business
 Jane Bedard, Special Services (LD)
 Helga Bonnett, Kitchen Personnel



Audrey Binger, Office Personnel
 Bob Bjornson, Vocational
 Judy Boutiette, Office Personnel
 Don Burnham, Mathematics



Gail Bryans, Kitchen Personnel
 Cheryl Buzick, Office Personnel
 Jerry Christianson, Science
 Sharon Christianson, Office Personnel



Gary Clark, Administration
 Marie Compton, Paraprofessional
 Mary Conant, English
 Richard Cwikla, Vocational



Marsha Dahl, Paraprofessional
 Ron Dahley, Special Services (VRE)
 Fred Dahnke, Driver's Education
 Jim Dew, Mathematics



Kay Edwards, Paraprofessional
 Deann Egge, Paraprofessional
 Connie Eggers, Counselor
 Patricia Eide, Office Personnel



Claudia Engelstad, Mathematics
 Sara Forness, Science
 Charles Gad, Business
 Jay Gibson, Business



Like a bridge over troubled waters. . . Mr. Jeffrey Mueller leads the senior choir in a tribute to Jeremy Littlefield and Jennifer Dahl who died in the class of '96's sophomore year.

The years teach much
 that the days never touch.

-Ralph Waldo Emerson

Teach me to feel another's woe,
 To hide the fault I see,
 That mercy I to others show,
 That mercy show to me.

-Alexander Pope

Teach me to live, that I may dread
 The grave as little as my bed.

-Bishop Thomas Ken

You who are on the road
 must have a code
 that you can live by,
 and so, become yourself
 because the past
 is just a goodbye.

Teach your children well...
 and feed them on your dreams...

Don't ever ask them why:
 if they told you you would cry,
 so just look at them and sigh
 and know they love you.

-Crosby, Stills, Nash and Young

hanging minds



Toga! Toga! Toga! Impersonating Julius Caesar, Mrs. Mary Sherman hopes students will kneel before her during Spirit Week.

Teachersmake the Scene

...My story being done
 ...she thank'd me,
 And bade me,
 if I had a friend that lov'd her,
 I should but teach him
 how to tell my story,
 And that would woo her.

-William Shakespeare

Be not ignorant of any thing
 in a great matter
 or a small.

-Bible (Ecclesiasticus 5:15)

Teach us delight in simple
 things,
 And mirth that has
 no bitter springs,
 Forgiveness free of evil done,
 And love to all beneath the sun.

-Rudyard Kipling



Using her head. Mrs. Pam Thompson wears her chemistry lesson which includes a can of salt upside the noggin.



Clowning with clay. Molding a masterpiece, Ms. Brenda Marquart helps shape the future of Summer Baird (12).



Teachers make a difference!

See? I did it! Displaying her tassles, Sarah Morrison (12) convinces Mr. Jim Dew that she's actually graduated.



Doing a good job. Keeping a close eye on things, Mrs. Barb Kent watches as Jim Schmidt tackles his job of cleaning up after all the little slobs in the commons.



Oh, that man of mine! An adoring fan finally gets front row at a concert. Her idol, Mr. Glenn Whaley, conducts during the graduation procession of the Class of '96. After spending more than forty years teaching, Mr. Whaley retired to make beautiful music elsewhere.



Living life's lesson. Getting her point across, Mrs. Jane Holland either uses a lot of hand gestures for emphasis or she's threatening to backhand someone.



Joe Cool. Giving a groovy lesson, Ms. Mary Knox-Johnson teaches Aaron Stolt (11) how to be hip.



Hold the cheese. Having graduated from Hamburger University, Assistant Principal of the Year Gary Clark knows how to serve students like Jefferson Vargas (12) and Sarah Havelange (12).



DeAnn Grommesh, Vocational Education
Pam Grove, Paraprofessional
Drue Haarsager, Social Studies
Ron Halverson, Science

Brenda Hansen, Special Services
Julie Harstad, Kitchen
Jerry Heinz, Vocational
Jane Holland, English

Terryl Holm, Science
Sybil Hopkins, English
Barb Howard, Counselor
Connie Jensen, Special Services

Pat Johnson, Special Services
Sandra Johnson, Special Services
Barb Kent, Paraprofessional
Timothy Kramer, Vocational Education

Brenda Knoll, Paraprofessional
Don Lennon, Social Studies
Lori Liebl, English
Duane Lura, Math

Elaine McDonald, Kitchen Personnel
Heidi McCarty, Special Services
James MacFarlane, English
Brenda Marguart, Arts

Steven Marquart, Social Studies
Barbara Metcalf, Social Studies
Janice Miller, Physical Ed.
Bob Monte, Physical Ed.

Cynthia Mueller, Special Services
Jeffrey Mueller, Music (Choir)
Reuben Mutzenburger, Math
Kathy Neugebauer, German

Jerry Nordstrom, Vocational
Jake Oetting, English and Pub
Pam Offerdahl, Math
Karen Olson, Assistant Principal

Kristen Osterberg, French
 Maria Pegg, Math
 Nancy Peterson, Special Services
 Doyle Plecity, Physical Ed.



Deb Powell, Kitchen Personnel
 LaVonne Pulczynski, Kitchen Personnel
 Doris Rheault, Counseling Office
 Joanne Rheault, Library



Sheri Richard, Paraprofessional
 Irene Rohrich, Paraprofessional
 Lynne Sahr, Paraprofessional
 Joan Saye, Kitchen Personnel



Kathy Scott, Spanish
 Mary Sherman, English
 Mary Soehren, Library
 Vern Spitzer, Social Studies



Mike Stratton, Physical Ed.
 Suzanne Stenerson, Paraprofessional
 Richard Swanson, Science
 Lisa Thompson, Lighthouse



Pam Thompson, Science
 Debra Uetz, Physical Ed.
 Rick Veit, Psychologist
 Mona Warkenthien, Counselor



Joe Welder, English
 Barb Werlinger, Kitchen Personnel
 Glenn Whaley, Band Conductor
 Shelly Wraalstad, Math



Terri Young, Special Services (OH)
 Lori Ziegler, Paraprofessional



Not Pictured:

Kenneth Janz	Ross Richards
Barb Firmhaber	Paul Tefft
Mary Knox-Johnson	Suelyn Hoffart
Clare Williams	Carol Olson
Peggy Spitzer	Michael Drew
Mark Wagar	Stacey Jo Conzemius
Darrin Boehm	Dollie Becklund
Jim Jonas	Corrin Westberg

The teachers displayed their school pride during teacher spirit week. Friday brought along theme day. The administration dressed up like McDonald's employees and passed out Kool-Aid. The English department dressed up like characters from a book, while the paras department dressed up as hippies. The Math department had mismatch day, and the Science department dressed up like the subjects they were studying in class. The Social Studies department, however, mocked the whole day and dressed up as nothing.

By Lisa Kurtz



Flower Power. For Teacher Spirit Week, Mrs. Terry Holm dresses up as a potted flower.

Teacher Spirit

Teachers show school pride wearing costumes



Back in the habit. Displaying their school pride as teachers, Mrs. Mary Knox-Johnson and Miss Prairie Syvrud, her student teacher, dress up like nuns.

Et tu, Brute? For Teacher Spirit Week, Mrs. Mary Sherman dresses up as Shakespeare's Julius Caesar.



"After last year's spirit week, most of us were looking forward to this year, which was a blast. The competition was exhilarating! The flower power brought many of our pasts back to life." Mrs. Terry Holm.

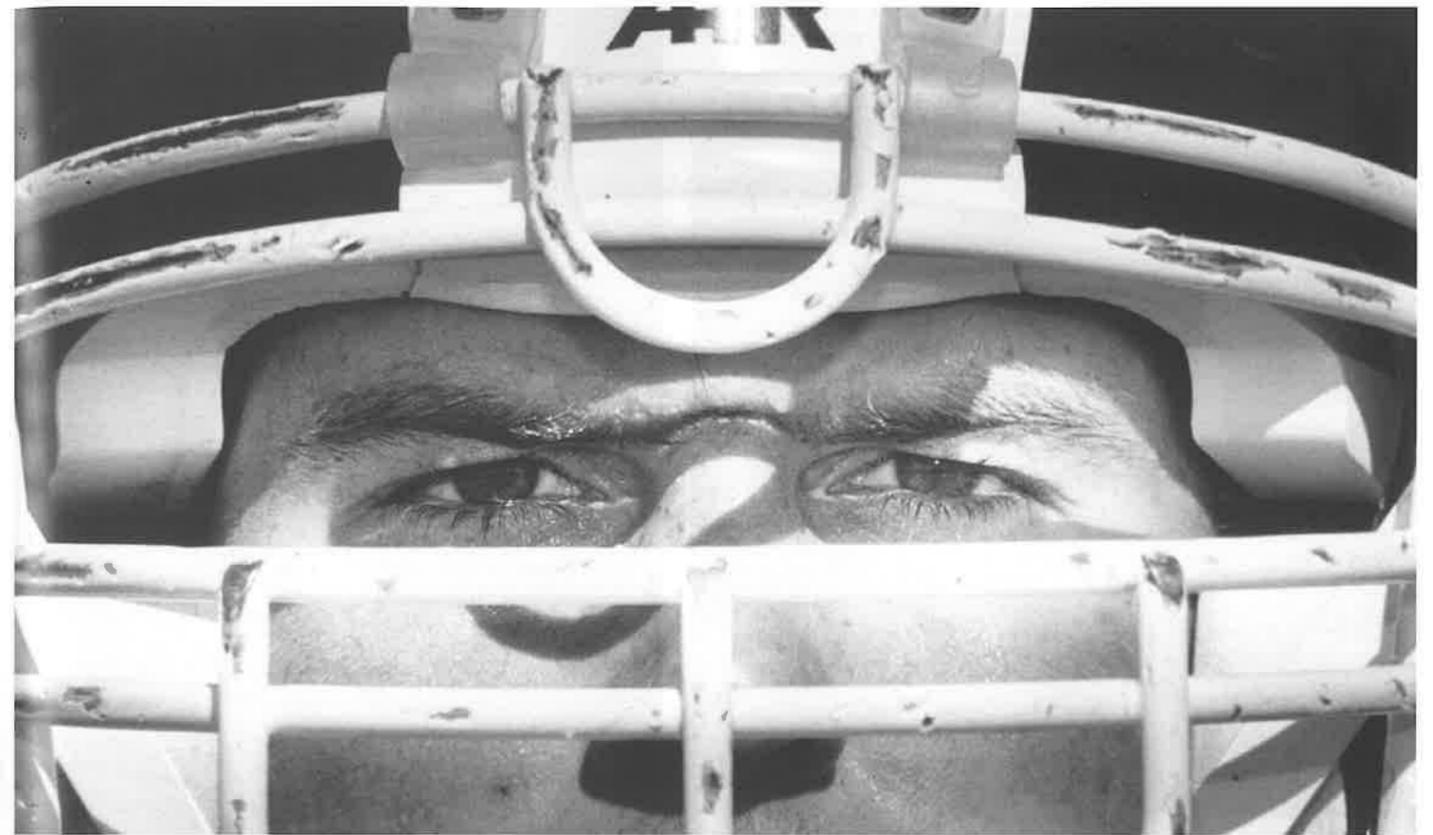
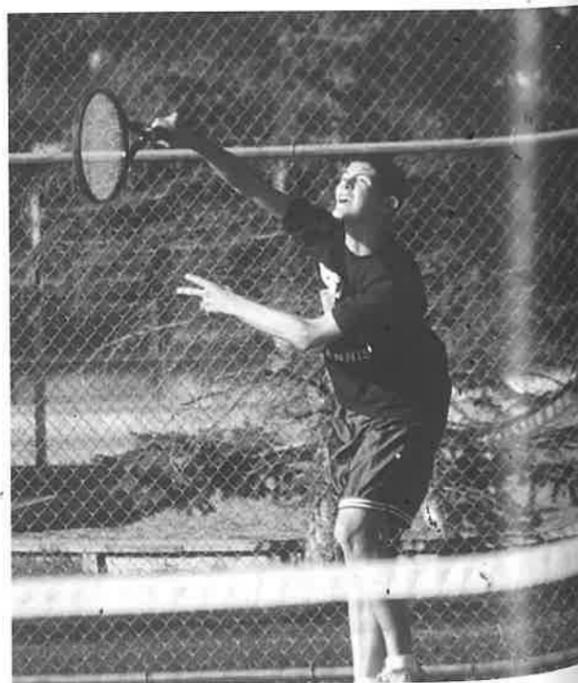
"The school needs spirit, even from its staff. Teacher Spirit Week instills a sense of passion for the school and its students." Mr. Ken Janz.

"I love the hippies, man. School events at least make school more bearable." Jesse Lien, 10.

Shhhhhh...mum's the word. Spanish teacher Kathy Scott dressed up like a mime, succeeding in not talking the whole class period. **I heard it through the grapevine.** Biology teacher Mrs. Peggy Spitzer, dresses as a California Raisin for Teacher Spirit Day.

THE SPORTS SCENE

Through thick and thin, the Packers always seemed to draw the crowds. Spectators were never a problem for the teams. The Packers had successful seasons in 1995-1996. Fans of all sports were never dissappointed, and they will never forget the successes that there team went through.



Smile. Joe Balkovatz (12) shows his game face to the camera.

Get the ball. Sonja Ulrickson (10), and Beth Leno (10) chase after the ball.

Ugh! Mitch Finn (10) returns a shot during a home tennis meet.

Steerike!! Chris Mapes (12) unloads the pitch.

Girls' Basketball takes second

Hard times

The Packers experienced hard times against the Mandan Braves in the State Title game. They lost 44-42. They had immense success during the regular season and rolled through the playoffs until they met with Mandan for the Championship.



Let's go. The Packers get fired up for the State Tournament. They took second place.

It's up. Nicole Vetter (12) puts up a shot against Shanley.

Come on. Nicole Vetter (12) dribbles while waiting for a teammate to find an opening closer to the hoop.



OOOF! Leah Tilly (12) pushes her way towards the hoop against Grand Forks Red River.

It's yours. Nicole Vetter (12) shoves the ball off on one of her teammates.



Scores

Varsity Girls' Basketball

WF	Opponent	They
50	Bismarck	37
49	Bis. Cent.	40
64	Mandan	59
60	Grafton	28
74	Devils Lake	49
63	Jamestown	43
55	Valley City	49
63	Shanley	60
59	North	33
51	Jamestown (OT)	47
45	South	46
66	Central	54
51	Valley City	48
65	Wahpeton	35
55	Red River	37
62	North	38
59	South	36
50	Central	32
61	Shanley	48
61	Central	39
36	Shanley	39
84	Red River	57
47	Jamestown	30
55	Williston	46
57	Minot	38
42	Mandan	44

Final Record: 23-3



Varsity Girls' Basketball, Front Row: Manager Danyell Bearfield, Melissa Redlinger, Sara Drew, Holly Rost, Nicole Vetter, Kristina Gromatka, Statistician Erika Peterson. **Row 2:** Statistician Roxanne Mullenberg, Liann Hanson, Mandy Enebo, Jolene Vanyo, Brianne Lee, Tina Knudson, Beth Asmund, Trainer Cindy O'Neill, Manager Amanda Peter. **Back Row:** Practicum Coach Sara Piper, J. V. Coach Kevin Froeber, Kristi Rasmussen, Angie Sorteberg, Leah Tilly, Jessica Hanson, Erica Davidson, Head Coach Collette Folstad, Sophomore Coach Lynette Mund.



Flying high. Jolene Vanyo (12) jumps above her defender to fire up a shot against Fargo South.

Packers' football rebuilds team

Packers less than par

The Packers' football team finished a rebuilding season of zero wins and eight losses. The Packers only started five seniors, while starting four sophomores.

Youth played a big role in the Packers' apparent lack of success as well as stiff competition, inconsistency, and lack of intensity.

"We've had a very tough schedule and a lot of youth. We need intensity, consistency, and make some breaks for ourselves," said running back Bryan Hins (12).

Wide receiver Ben Scoville (11), along with Hins, believes that mistakes or failure to capitalize on opponents mistakes (or a combination) played a small part in the worse

than expected season, but also feels inconsistency had something to do with it.

"When we do have good drives, we have not been able to finish them off," Scoville said.

Hins feels that the team may have a better season next year due to this year's youth. Scoville agrees.

"I think having a young team will help a lot next year. We will know what to expect, and we've played together for a while now so we know each other pretty good," Scoville said.

The future looks bright for the young football team.

By Ethan Edgerly



Here I come. Jeff Cossette (11) plows by a Shanley Deacon defender enroute to a touchdown. The Packers lost at Shanley 28-22.

Splitting the defenses. Ben Scoville (11) splits the defenses of the Jamestown Blue Jays. The Packers lost at home 7-6.



Let me go. Bryan Hins (12) tries to pull away from the Fargo North Spartans' Sean Hoffman. The Packers lost on the road 14-12.

Pile up. Tyson Willis (12) loses his helmet during a pile up on a Shanley Deacon ball carrier. Assisting on the tackle are Pat Brostrom (11) (#58) and Joe Balkovatz (12) (#44).



Scores

Varsity Football

WF	Opponent	They
6	Moorhead	26
0	Central	17
0	Fargo South	34
12	Fargo North	14
22	Shanley	28
6	Jamestown	7
0	Devils Lake	13
21	Wahpeton	34

Final Record: 0-8



Varsity Football, Front Row: Richard Olson, Tyson Willis, Joe Balkovatz, Bryan Hins, Jesse Johnson, Chris Albright, David Burroughs, Richard Edgerly, Matt Haakenson. **Row 2:** Jason Remmick, Pat Brostrom, Erik Quenzer, Jeff Cossette, Tim Warren, Brad Bessette, Don Weiker, Kyle Hettenbaugh, Ben Scoville. **Row 3:** Nathan Flynn, Shane Roers, Loren Hansen, Aaron Berg, Aliceo Rodriguez, Jesse Gehrig, Jeff Sliper, Paul Gartner, Brian Erdmann. **Row 4:** Derek Olson, Derek Werner, Ryan Majkrzak, Dustin Miller, Jeff Moe, Shane Speiker, Matt Biewer, Nick Schaffer, Brad Irving. **Row 5:** Michael Best, Ben Aarestad, Bill Erenberg, Justin Diemert, Jon Anderson, Pat Griffin, Rob Bullis, Jesse Regan, Steve Mootz. **Back Row:** Troy Ament, Shaun Gothberg, Bryce Weaver, Bryan Francis, Dustin Scott, Aaron Hill, Wade Trzpucc, Nate Anderson, Josh Thompson.



Flying high. Kyle Hettenbaugh (11) jumps across the goalline against the Moorhead Spuds. The Packers gave up 19 points in the fourth quarter alone and lost their first ever varsity game against the Spuds. The final score of the Packers' home opener was 26-6.

And they're off to the finish

Swimming Strong

Backstroke and breaststroke are only a few of the styles of swimming. It takes a very determined person to get in water with a temperature that most of us wouldn't even take a shower in. But yet these people venture into the cold water for practice everyday.

"We swam very good for the first meet. There were lots of best times and even the newer kids got good times," said coach Marsha Dahl.

Although starting the season with a loss, the team came back to win the next three meets. Not holding anything back in the 200 medley relay, Robyn Peterman (12), Kim Wilkinson (11), Amy Sandbeck (9), and Amy Loberg (9), broke the record with 2:00.41.

Waiting for the competitions. Swimmer Becki Hummel (10) waits in anticipation at the L.E. Berger pool for her event to compete.

Look, its Flipper!! A West Fargo swimmer gracefully practices her diving skills before a swim meet.

With a season record of 5 wins and 7 losses, the varsity girls swimming and diving team took 8th at State Finals and 4th at EDC.

"I did pretty good," said Kristen Lilleboe (10). "I was satisfied with my times," Lilleboe said reflecting on the past year.

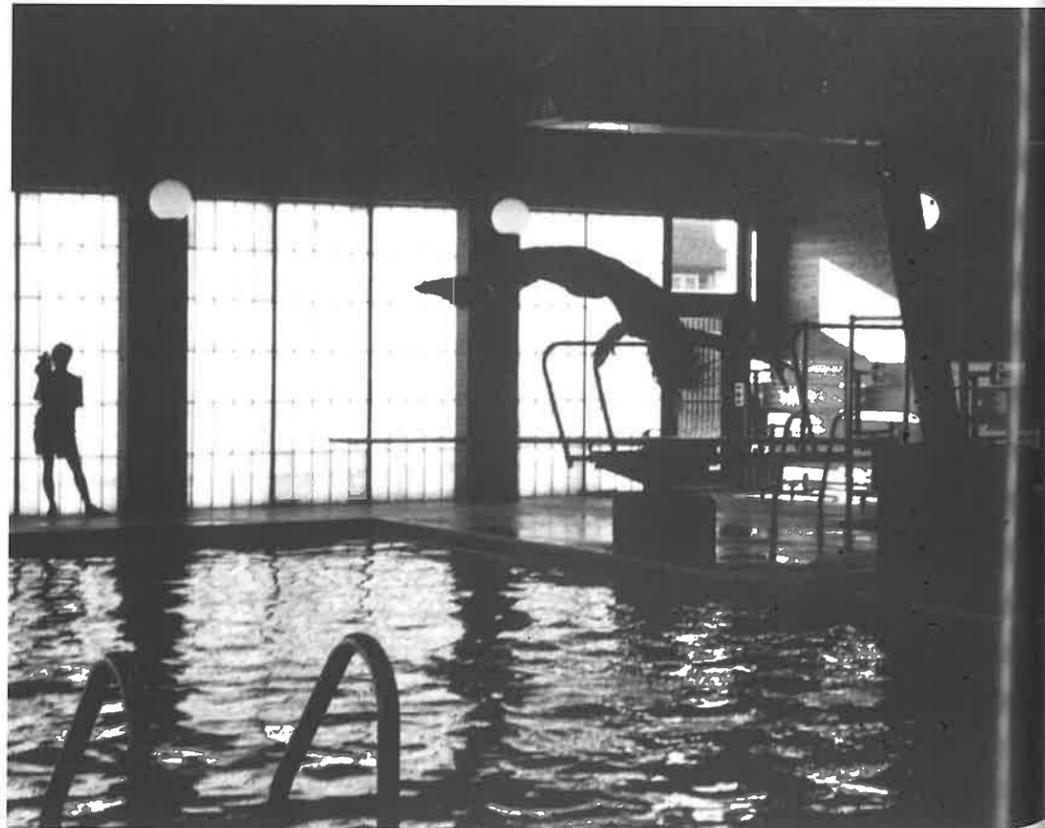
As their only senior this year Robyn Peterman graduates, the three juniors of the team will have to take charge of the team. Since the team mostly consists of 7th and 8th graders and few freshmen.

With the younger swimmers on the team now, it will give the Packer team the edge next year, due to the experience that they have picked up.

By Terrie Willis



Swimming to win...West Fargo swimmer plows through the water during state competitions.



Scores

Girls Swimming and Diving

We	Opponent	They
37	Fargo North	65
131	Fargo Shanley	49
152	GF Central	27
130	Red River	56
69.5	Mandan	116.5
53	Century	133
56	Fargo South	130
38	Minot	148
57	Mandan	129
49	Detroit Lakes	45
110	Moorhead	76
87	Jamestown	100

State Finals 8th
EDC 4th

Final Record: 5-7



Girls Swimming and Diving: Front Row, Grace Moorhead, Chandra Heim, Robin Moe, Keziah Keller, Stephanie Kent, Becki Hummel, Melisha Winter, Nicole Tschetter and Leah Anderson. Row 2, Tascha Strand, Jessie LaCoe, Tessa Hilscher, Adrie Halvorson, Amy Sahr, Amy Sandbek, Jami Lee, Misty Tomchuk, Trisha Hansen and Alani Selland. Row 3, Marsha Dahl, Head Coach; Kim Wilkinson, Amy Loberg, Kristen Lilleboe, Robyn Petermann, Brea Balkovatz, Rochelle Koehnen, Bree Kleven, Tera Decker and Andrea Seibel, Assistant Coach.

Soccer goes to State Tourney

Players vent

Cheers erupt from the crowd as the Packers win another game. The printing press, however, is silent.

The Packers' soccer team had a fine year in 1995-1996. They went 6-7-2 and appeared at the State Tournament in Minot. However, poor coverage in the *Packer* newspaper angered several of the players.

"We should get more coverage, especially since we are a hell of a lot better than the football team," said Chris Akers (11).

The Packers went to the State Tournament for the second straight year, but lost both of their games. The lost to Bismarck St. Mary's by a score of 2-1. They also lost to Bismarck High 3-0. Foreign exchange student Ivar Slaastad scored the Packers' only goal of the postseason.

Akers was emphatically unimpressed with the State Tournament.

"The first game we played well, but got ripped on two cheesy goals," Akers said. "The second one we didn't play our best."

Nick Pedersen (11) agrees that the team could've played better.

"I felt it was great that we made it

to state, but (I) wish we would have done better," he said.

The Packers boosted their performance during the second half of the season only losing one of their last five games, a 2-0 loss to Grand Forks Red River.

"The team came together nicely and we were at our peak at our last two games before state," said Dean Sahr (11).

Akers agreed that the team had a good year.

"It was the best team I've ever been on," he said.

The Packers, after two straight State Tournament appearances, are hungry for more. They have been improving steadily over the past two years, and should continue to improve next year.

Akers believes that the State Tournament is instrumental to the teams' success next year.

"It was a growing experience for all of the underclassmen," he said.

By Ethan Edgerly

Head butting. Ivar Slaastad (12) butts the ball with his head against Bemidji on September 2. The Packers lost the game 2-0, but still made it to the State Tournament.

Here I go. Dribbling the ball down the field is Ivar Slaastad (12). Slaastad scored the Packers' only postseason goal, against Bismarck St. Mary's.



Total Concentration. Focusing fully on the ball, Jake Reese (11) takes off down the field. Reese was a major part of the team, scoring the game-winning goal in his first game of the season.

Scores

Varsity Boys' Soccer

WF	Opponent	They
1	Bis. Cent.	1
3	Minot	0
1	South	2
0	Bemidji	2
0	North	2
1	Fergus Falls	0
1	Shanley	0
1	Central	5
0	Red River	3
0	Moorhead	2
1	South	0
0	North	0
6	Shanley	1
0	Red River	2
2	Central	0

Final Record: 6-7-2

State Tournament

1	St. Mary	2
0	Bismarck	3



Varsity Boys' Soccer, Front Row: Jeremy Moe, Jade Pergande, Keif Wagner, Jeremy Westrick, Robbie Jamieson, Kyle Stumpf and Mike Halverson. **2nd Row:** Captain Ryan Gilleland, Captain John Zetocha, Chuck Gooding, Tony Kunz, Sach Anderson, Josh Wilken and Jerad Wilkinson. **Back Row:** Dusty Guler, Colin Schroeder, Chad Volk, Dean Sahr, Rob Boser, Wade Preston, Dane Boedigheimer, Ivar Slaastad and Coach Andy Steele.

Young team strives to improve

Beginners tee off

Girls golf in past years has been made up of mostly upperclassmen, but not this year, with the oldest golfers now being sophomores. Yet, as the season progressed, the young golfers got much valuable golfing experience. This was the first year of golfing for most of the girls on the team. The new golfers were a great addition to the decreasing number on the team. Veterans Jennifer Oemichen (10) and Amanda Olson (10) were the leaders on the team, as far as showing the inexperienced new techniques.

"We started off with a lot of new players, but improved a lot," said Oemichen.

Oemichen was the most improved on the team, and it showed in her performances.

Olson, due to surgery, started off the season a few weeks late. Even

Will it make it? Jessica Hochgraber (10) watches to see how well she putted.

Third times a charm. With the basket of golf balls in tow, Jennifer Oemichen (10) and Jessica Hochgraber (10) practice their shot together.

though she started late, she still finished off the season with a good record.

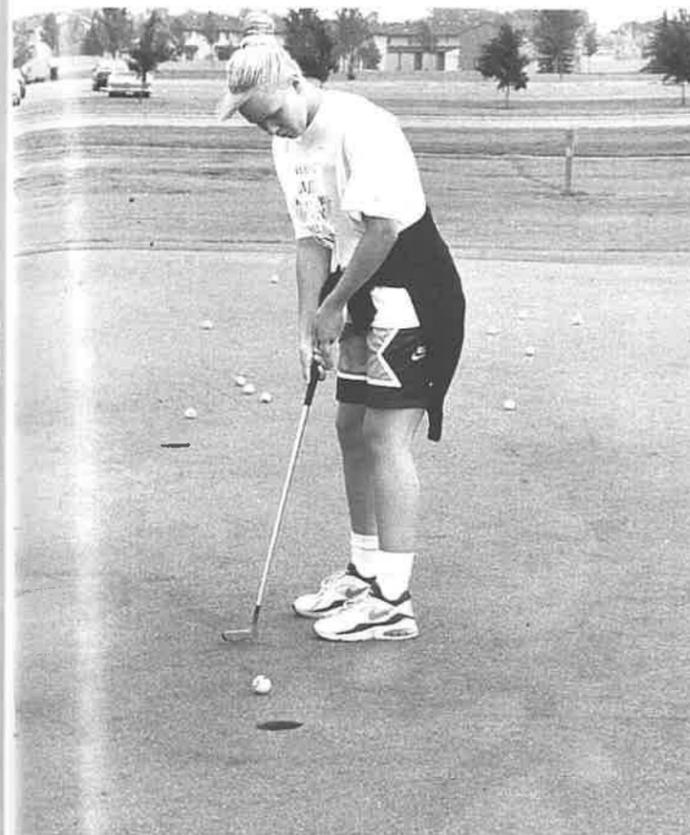
"I felt we did relatively well," said Olson.

The rookies on the team were Jessica Hochgraber (10) and Amy Bernstein (10). Hochgraber, showing her dedication and hard work in practices, really improved in her knowledge of the game.

"I think I did well for my first year of playing," said Hochgraber.

The team met their goals for the 1995 season, which were low strokes and improving on team unity. "I think we did good and bad, depending on the tournament," said Hochgraber. Overall, the young team got a lot of valuable golfing experience.

By Amy Bernstein

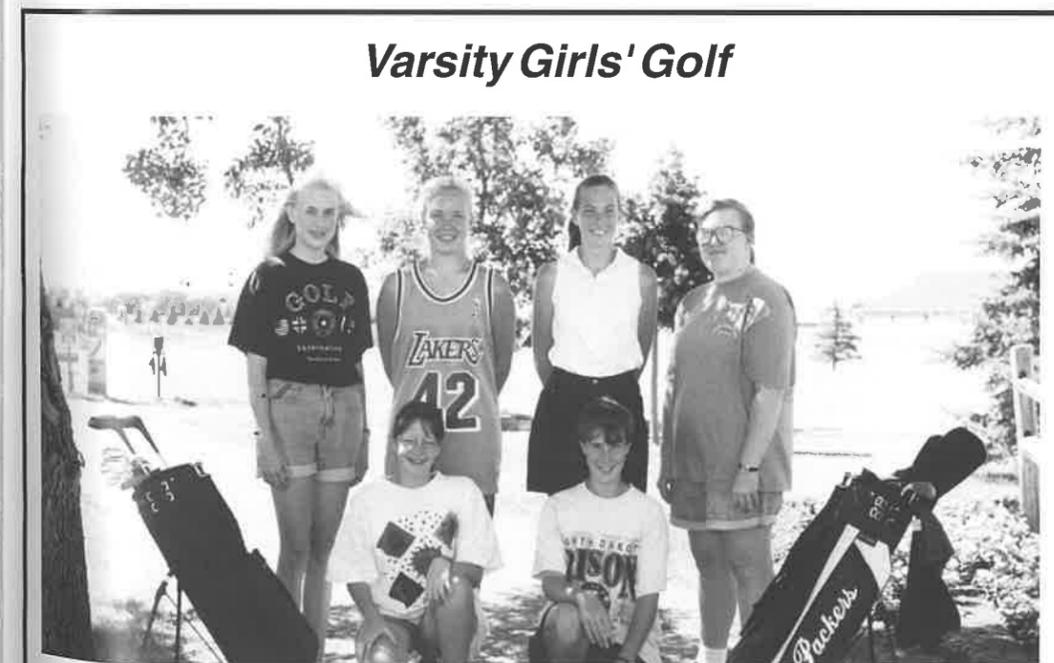


Hole in One! Amy Bernstein (10) tenses as the ball nears the hole.

It's up. Clearing the rough, Amy Bernstein (10) watches the ball soar through the air.



Varsity Girls' Golf



Varsity Girls' Golf. Front Row: Krista Johnson and Sara Oemichen. Row 2: Amanda Olson, Amy Bernstein, Jennifer Oemichen and Jessica Hochgraber. Not pictured: Leah Anderson and Megan Kirchen.



Uum. Jennifer Oemichen contemplates the strength in which to hit the ball.

Packer tennis team optimistic

High Hopes

Another tennis season has come and gone, with the boys' tennis team once again packing the year full of fun, sweat and tears.

"The main emphasis this year was that we were a better team and continually growing," said Joel Erickson (10).

Coach Dave Drenth has coached at Moorhead for eight years and just finished his second year coaching the Packer team.

The team members were able to travel around during the season, along with getting more experience playing in a different setting.

"Getting to know the opponents, traveling and going to EDC was fun," said Aaron Hovland (11).

There were 2 EDCs, one for indi-

viduals and one for teams. The individual EDC was held in Fargo on Sept 22-23. Whereas, the team EDC tournament was at Grand Forks on Sept. 30.

The Packer team did well in both of these.

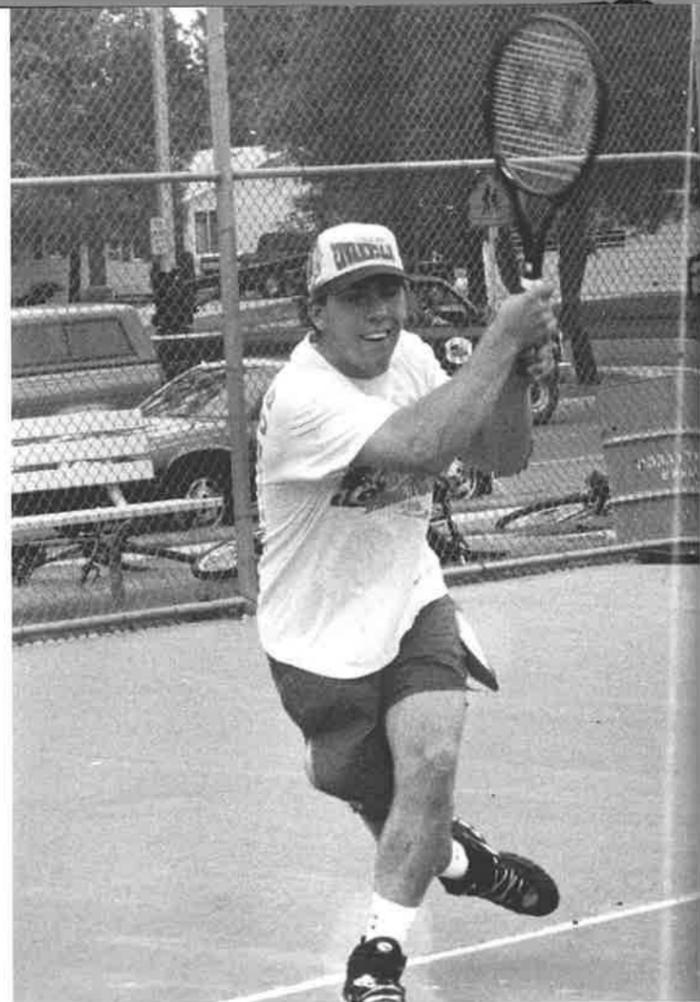
Aaron Hovland narrowly missed All State ranking this year, but is optimistic about it for next year's season.

Some members of the team feel they will improve with time.

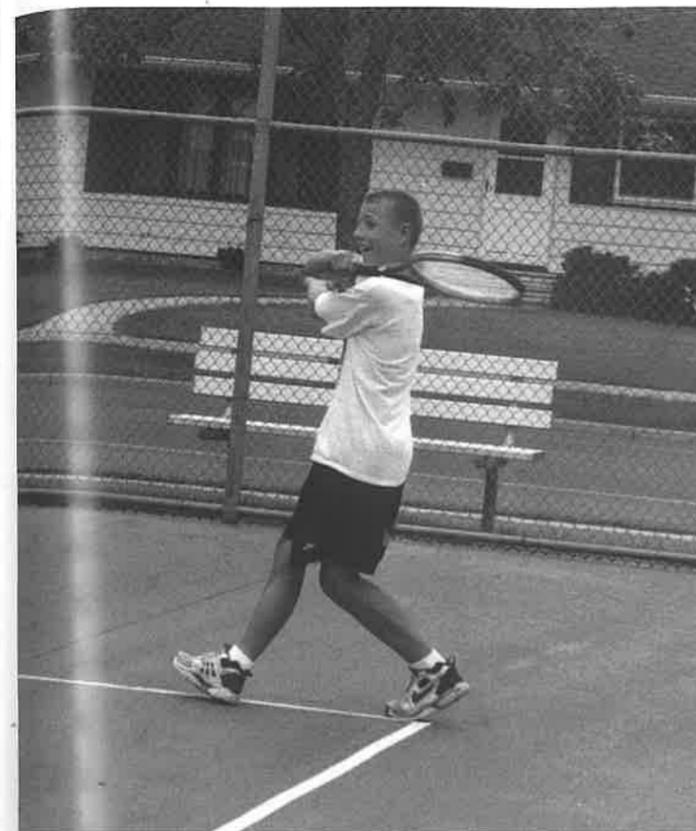
"Next year's seniors will help a lot since we don't have any this year," said Joel Finn (9).

With high hopes and optimism, the tennis team waits for the next season.

By Amy Engel and Jesse Lien



Wow, I hit it! Mitch Migler (10) seems amazed.



Here it comes! Looking toward the sky, Travis Johnson (10) anticipates where the ball will land.



I'm almost there! Joel Finn (11) hurries to catch up to the ball.

Got it! Aaron Hovland (11) gains his balance after rallying the ball.

Concentration. Rushing toward the ball, Todd Costain (11) prepares for a win.



Scores

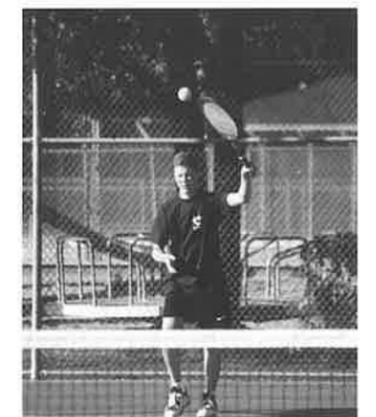
Varsity Boys' Tennis

WF	Opponent	They
0	South	9
2	Central	7
0	Red River	9
7	Jamestown	2
2	North	7
6	Shanley	3
4	Wahpeton	5

Final Record: 2-5



Varsity Boys' Tennis, Front Row: Mitch Migler, Travis Johnson, Joel Finn, Jonathan Bakken and Dan Stevens. Row 2: Joel Erickson, Mitch Finn, Dwayne Vinesett and Aaron Hovland. Back Row: Ryan McGarry, Todd Costain, Matt Thorstad, Joel Kleven, Ingvar Raugstad and Coach Dave Drenth.



(About next season)
"WFHS hasn't had a lot of seniors before, and this will be one of our best years ever. We'll also have a lot of juniors stepping up also."

--Joel Finn (11)

Cross Country team strives for goals

Racing to the top

Running long distances every day and being at the mercy of mother nature is not exactly most people's idea of a good time. However, for the WFHS cross country team, this is what their practices and efforts are all about.

"Practices were fun," said Ira Hovland (12). "The great thing about it is they're less strict than track."

During the 95-96 school year, the team battled through many hardships, but overall they met the expectations of the Coach Darin Boehm.

"We have been better this year than in the past couple years even though we only have eight guys that have been running on and off," he said.

Injuries were rampant throughout the season among the boys' team.

Despite this, they made the state competition. State was held in Minot on October 28, and the team fared well against the competition.

The girls' team has also come a long way this year.

"I really believe this year the entire girls' team have come a lot closer," said Aarin Zimney (11). "We all push each other to work harder as a team and we all seem to get along."

The girls did extremely well at state with a 4th place finish overall. The team has ended another successful year, and next year the hope is to work just as hard to achieve their goals as both a team and individuals.

By Amy Engel



Just a little longer. Glancing around with a smile, Nancy Tate (11) finishes up her last mile.

Now how do I do this again? Karin Bandli (10) prepares herself for a meet in Grand Forks



Aren't we done yet?! Ira Hovland (12), Erick Brager (9), Jon Arneson (12) and Ben Richard (11) anxiously wait for their races to begin.

Scores

Cross Country

Boys	Opponent	Girls
9th	Jamestown Invite	8th
10th	Dev. Lake Invite	4th
9th	Val. City Invite	9th
9th	Fargo Invitational	8th
6th	West Fargo Invite	5th
9th	Minot Invitational	8th
14th	Bismarck Invite	5th
8th	GF Invite	2nd
20th	Alexandria Invite	10th

EDC Finish:
Boys-7th
Girls-5th

State Finish:
Boys-13th
Girls-4th



Cross Country, Front Row: Karin Bandli, Aarin Zimney, Andrea Noonan, Sara Hall, Tasha Dockter and Nancy Tate. **Row 2:** Angie Schultz, Sarah Vanyo, Sarah Huwe, Shannon Harrington, Sabrina Hall, Lorina Dehnert and Manager Tara Dockter. **Back Row:** Coach Shelby Murphy, Ben Richard, Erick Brager, Ira Hovland, Leif Rosenvold, John Arneson, Lucas Jens, Nathan Herman and Coach Darin Boehm.

Strength, Stamina, and Study

Sophs play hard



Gymnastic fanatics. Sophomore Amy Marx is just one example of a hard working student athlete.

Tremendous tennis. Mitch Finn is also a student athlete here at WFHS. With a competitive attitude he manages to compete and live through his daily hustles at school.



A bad hair day? No, it's not a bad hair day, it's a Packatahna welcome. Natiale Buck (10) is just one of the bunch.

Soccer time. Stephanie Bonzer (10) is yet another one of the many hard working sophomores.



Volleyball completes triumphant season

Can you dig it?

What a way to start the year! The girl's volleyball team began the season by winning their first game against Fargo South. The team and coaches had high expectations for the team, and they paid off.

"I just want the team to be the best that they can become. We have many returning strong seniors and very talented underclassmen coming up," said Coach Randy Holzkamm.

At the beginning of the season, players had a good feeling about the upcoming year.

"I think we will have a strong team this year," said Bethany Howitz (10). Following strong senior leadership, the younger team members made a strong showing. The team lost five seniors this year, but will have a

strong team next year with the remaining experienced players.

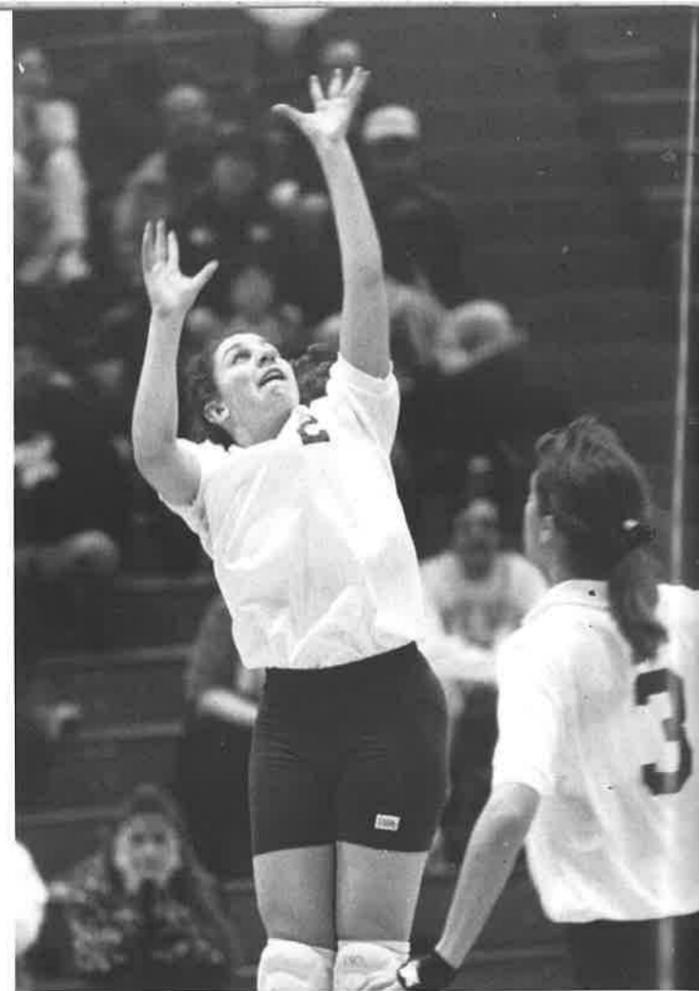
Although many players went through the season injured, the team had enough strong players to come through and take their places.

The team took second place at the state tournament, losing to the Fargo North Spartans.

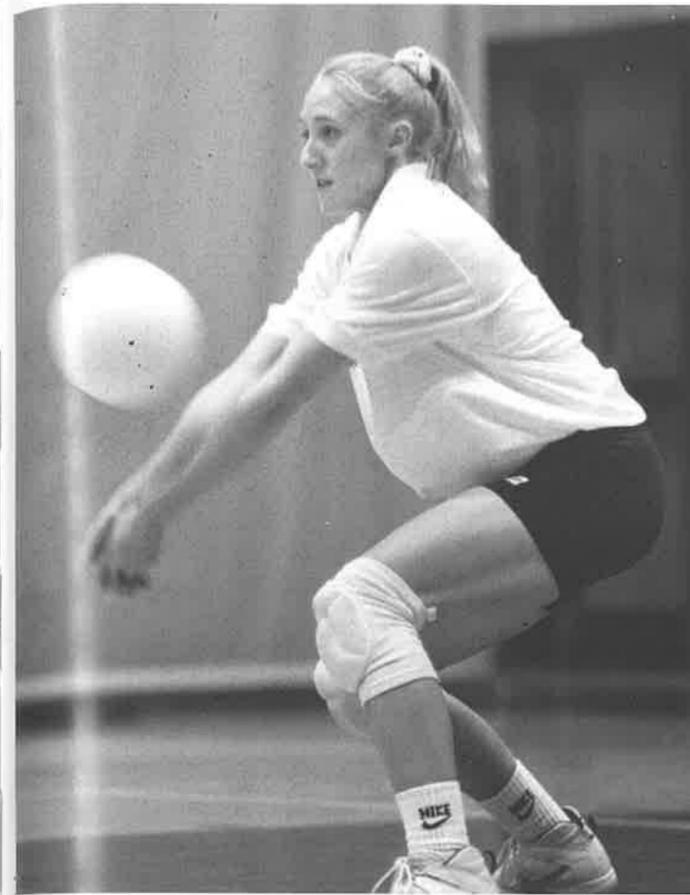
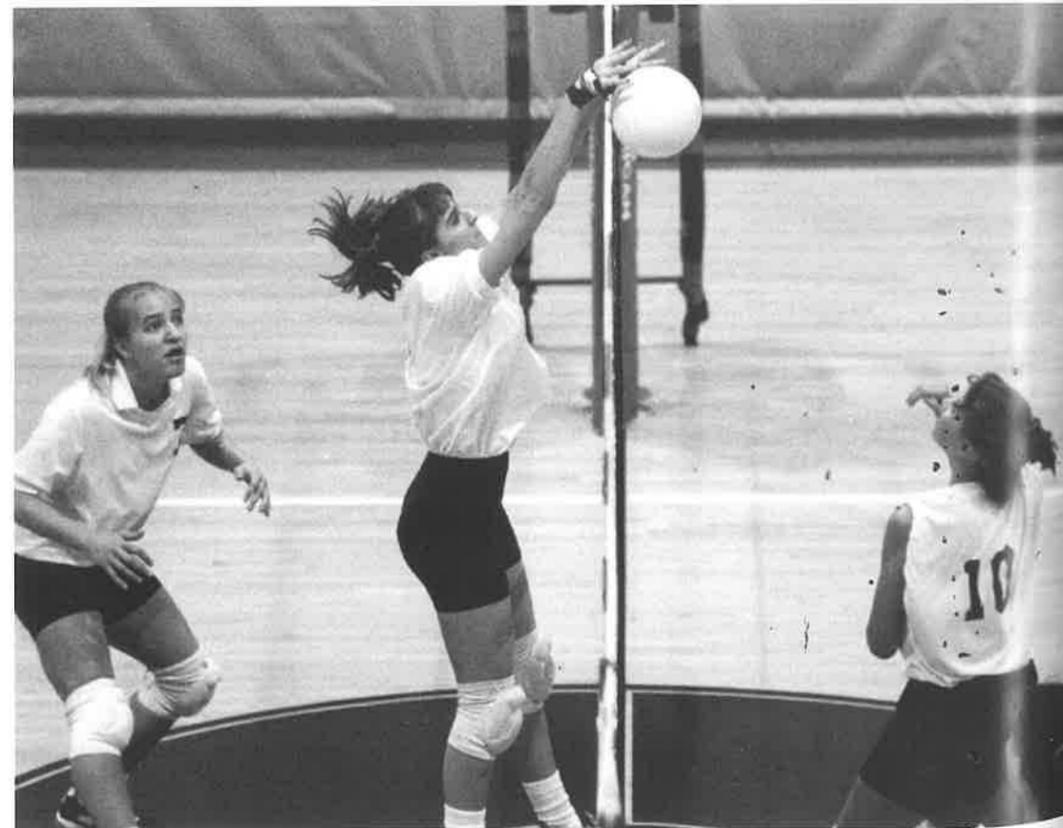
With strong leadership from the seniors, and many up-and-comers also competing strongly, the team completed a successful season.

By Kelly Bucholz

Boing! Reaching for glory, Nicole Vetter (12) bounces high to take a whack at the ball.



Stuff it! Cheri Mack (12) slams one into the face of a competitor from Grand Forks as teammate Kristi Rasmussen backs her up.



In position. Without letting any get by her, Jolene Vanyo shows perfect form during a game against Central.



One volleyball plus two hands equals... Adding to their knowledge of the game, math teacher and volleyball coach Mr. Randy Holzkamm gives advice to his players.

Scores

Varsity Volleyball

WF	Opponent	They
3	Fargo South	0
3	Jamestown	0
3	Valley City	0
0	Fargo North	3
3	Shanley	0
3	Wahpeton	0
3	Central	1
3	Red River	1
3	Fargo South	0
1	Fargo North	3
3	Grafton	0
3	Valley City	0
3	Grafton	0
3	Shanley	1
3	Red River	0
3	Devils Lake	0
3	Jamestown	1
3	Fargo South	0
3	Bismarck	0
3	Minot	2
0	Fargo North	3

Regular season tournaments are not included.

Final Record: 29-5



Hip Hip! Reaching for inspiration, Beth Asmund, Karmel Schroeder, Cheri Mack, Bethany Howitz, Angie Sorteberg and Kristi Rasmussen join in a cheer. Other members of the varsity volleyball team are Nikki Vetter and Jolene Vanyo. Coaches include Brenda Bjornson, Randy Holzkamm and Amy Donahue; managers include Mandy Swanson, Bree Kleven and Nicole Berg.

Boys' basketball comes out ahead

Hoop dreams realities

Although the varsity boys' basketball team didn't capture the state title, they still managed to post an impressive set of victories. The Packers won upsets against Jamestown, Fargo South and Grafton, among teams.

Head coach Doyle Plecity had high expectations for this year's team from the very beginning of the season. "We're shooting for the number one seed in the region so we can get into the state tournament," said Plecity. "But there are a lot of teams that, if they also play well, could make it and would be tough wins."

It's up! While shooting a free throw, Blaine Ristvedt (12) displays perfect form.

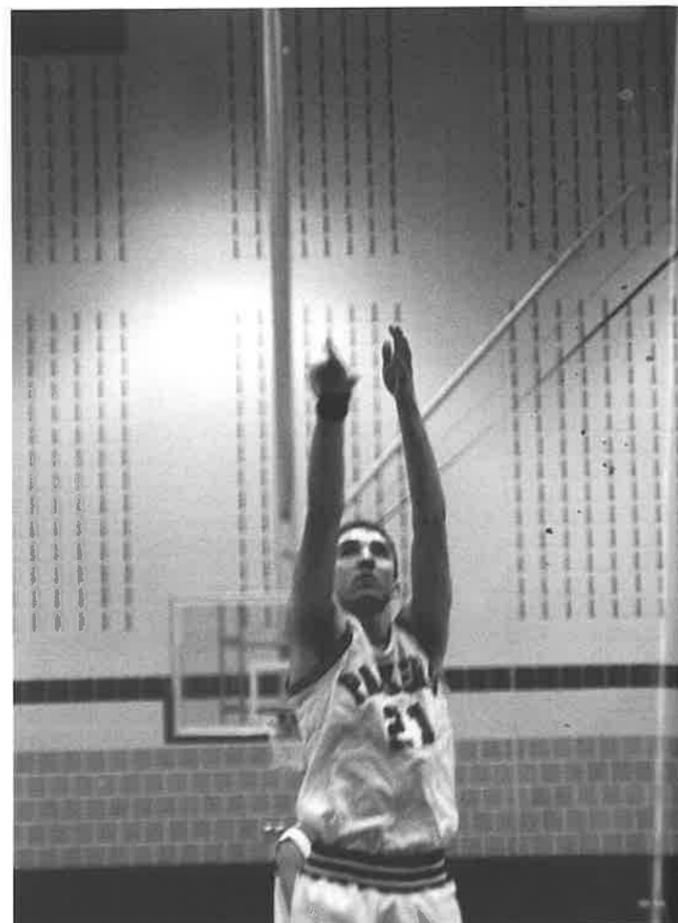
The 'Hail Mary' shot. Appearing to receive God's grace, Ryan Nelson (11) prepares to make a three-pointer against Fargo South.



In fact, many of the teams the Packers played proved to be difficult opponents. Some of team's losses were dealt by G.F. Red River, Fergus Falls and Moorhead.

The team was fortunate this year, in that it had a lot of returning experienced players, including Blaine Ristvedt (12), Dan Kackman (12) and Chris Mapes (12).

"Mapes played well," said Plecity. "Our kids showed a lot of maturity and really stepped up at crunchtime."



I could use a breather! During a game, Dan Kackman (12) reluctantly makes his way across the court.

"Our kids showed a lot of maturity and really stepped up at crunchtime."
--Head coach Doyle Plecity



Scores

WF	Opponent	They
57	Red River	64
60	Jamestown	50
70	Fargo South	56
56	Bismarck	55
48	Fergus Falls	73
89	Valley City	76
75	Moorhead	86
45	Shanley	51
48	Fargo North	43
64	Fargo South	48
69	Grafton	40
65	Moorhead	62
76	Valley City	50
82	Shanley	59
60	Valley City	55
56	Central	57
59	Devils Lake	61
55	Wahpeton	63
71	Red River	53
47	Central	66
51	Wahpeton	74

Final Record: 12-9

Varsity Boys' Basketball



Varsity Boys' Basketball, Front Row: Statistician Tasha Dockter, Statistician Amanda Weingarten, Statistician Erika Peterson, Manager Roxanne Mullenberg, Trainer Becky Loney, and Statistician Kelly Buchholz. **Row 2:** Billy Erenberg, Ryan Majkrzak, Dan Kackman, Darren Kruse, Brian Erdmann, Ben Mittyling, Leif Rosenvold and Chad Volk. **Back Row:** Keif Wagner, Brian Diede, Scott Majkrzak, Blaine Ristvedt, Chris Mapes, Lon Ihry and Ryan Nelson.

Storming through EDC

Wrestlers pin

Wrestling hard and doing their best is all anyone could ask of the wrestling team.

They struggled a bit in the beginning of the season, but they came through. They finished the season with nine wins in duel meets, and only five losses.

They team consisted of several underclassmen, but had senior leadership as well. Dan Wagner (12) and Richard Edgerly (12) were two of the leaders on the team.

Wagner was consistently ranked in the top five in the 130 lbs. bracket. Edgerly was a leader in the heavy-weight bracket.

Some would say that youth is a downfall, but Wagner thinks that it was not.

"The quality of our young guys is just as good as other school's seniors," he said.

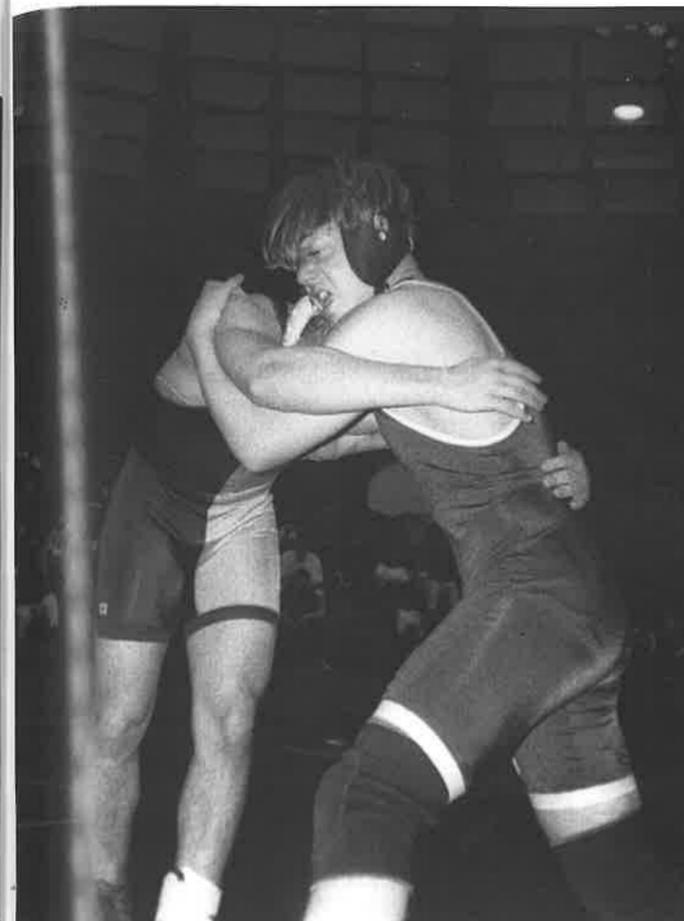
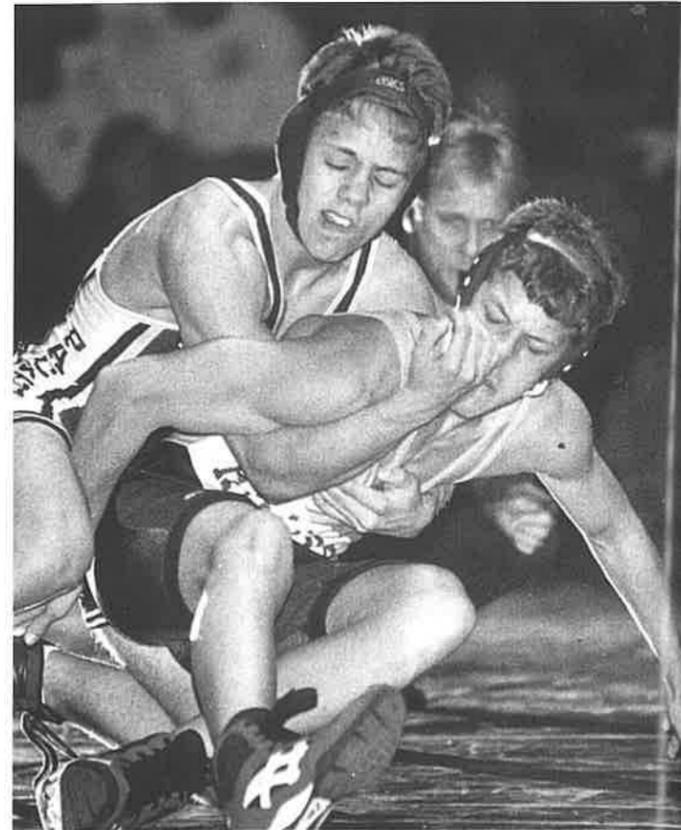
The Packers took second place out of nine teams in the EDC Tournament, trailing only Fargo South. They took eleventh place out of 17 teams in the State Tournament.

Many of the wrestlers experienced success this season. Several of them even qualified for State Competition.

Edgerly was pleased with his pin in his last home meet with the Packers.

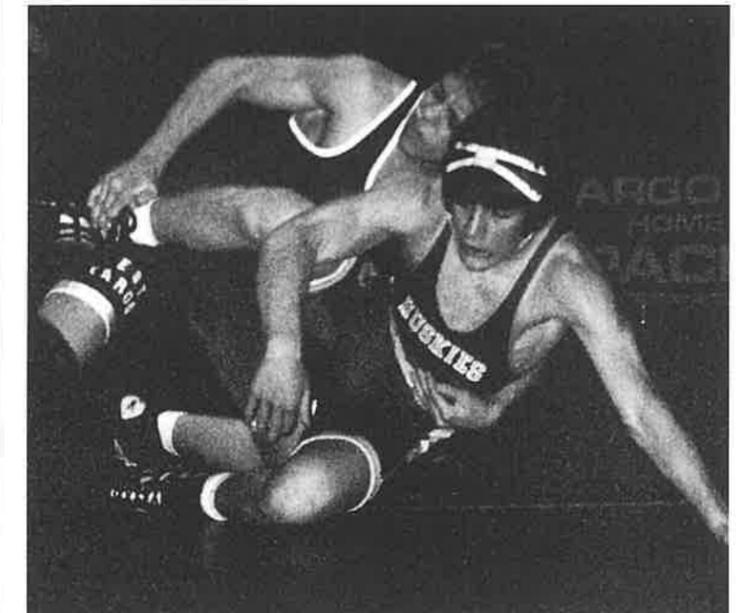
"It just feels right to win in my last meet wrestling here at West Fargo," he said.

By Ethan Edgerly



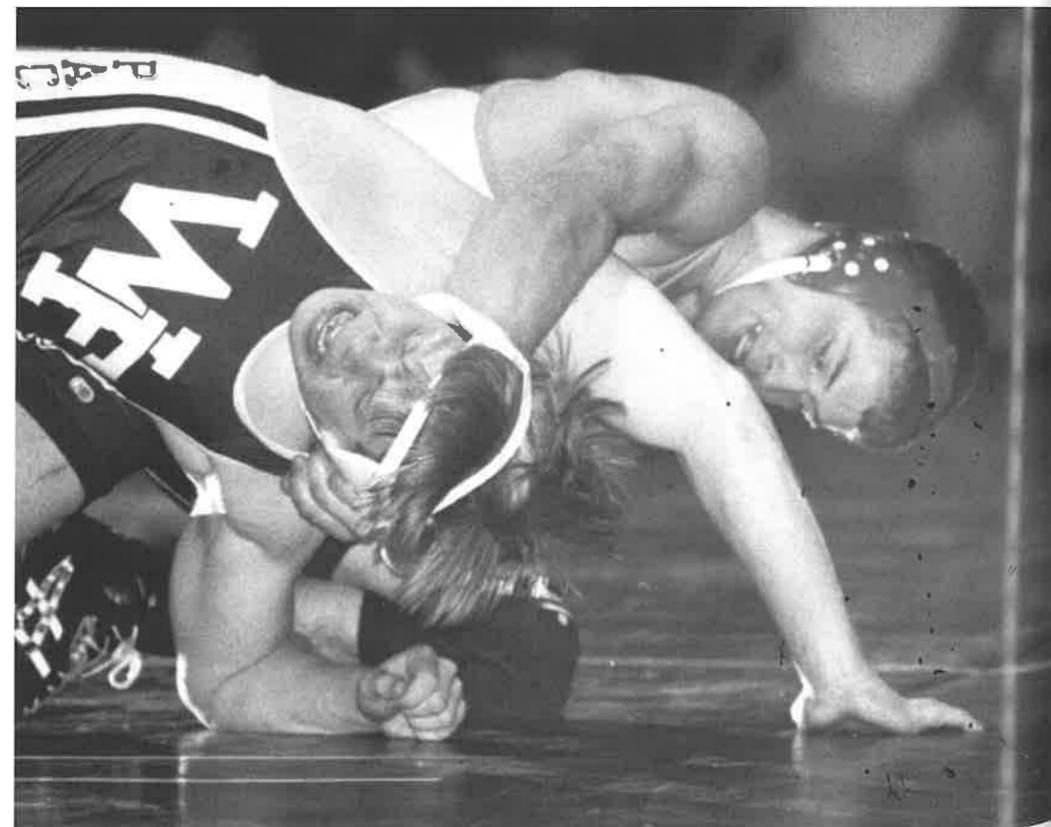
Standing strong. Adam Vail (10) stands his ground as he is attacked by his opponent.

Holding on. Josh Johnson (10) grabs his Wahpeton opponent as they struggle with each other on the mat.



Let me go. Josh Johnson (10) grabs a Valley City wrestler and forces him to the mat. Johnson won by a 9-2 decision.

GRRR! Wade Trzruc (10) is grabbed by a Valley City wrestler. Trzruc lost by a technical fall.



Scores

Varsity Wrestling

WF	Opponent	They
46	Valley City	23
	Jamestown Tourney	8/8
24	Fargo South	40
28	Moorhead	37
	Valley City Toumey	3/11
31	Jamestown	35
	Bismarck Tourney	20/23
50	Red River	16
34	Greenbush	27
12	Frazee	46
53	Wahpeton	13
35	Mandan	31
34	Central	31
25	Bismarck	35
39	Fertile-Beltrami	28
42	Crookston	25
	Fargo Tourney	3/8
30	Fargo North	29
	EDC Tourney	2/9
	State Tourney	11/17

Final Record: 9-5



Varsity Wrestling, Front Row: Manager-Statistician Melisha Winter, Manager-Statistician Camille O'Meara, Manager-Statistician Lorina Dehnert, Trainer Sarah Morrison and Manager-Statistician Marcia Metzger. **Row 2:** Andrew Rodriguez, Dave Stahlecker, James Burckhard, Fred Mills, Mike Gorde, Jon Hanson, Justin Chloupek, Kevin Kussatz, Dusty Scott and Josh Johnson. **Row 3:** Jason Mattern, Nathan Herman, Nick Anderson, Bryan Francis, Rob Smith, Steve Mootz, Wade Trzruc, Danny Wagner, Dan Edwards and Adam Lund. **Row 4:** Robby Bullis, Wade Manske, Derek Kzapiewski, Josh Schrader, Derek Olson, Dustin Miller, Jon Anderson, Dave Andersen, Richard Edgerly and Jeremiah Kapaun. **Back Row:** Coach Bruce Karlstad, Coach Steve Marquart, Coach Jim Thomas.

Gymnastics compete well

Sretching for the sky

"It was a learning experience because it was my first year and it was a pretty young team."--Andrea Noonan (9).

"It was fun, but difficult at times."--Kristin Freed (9).

"We had a lot of new people and we did good for having a bunch of seventh and eighth graders."--Sarah Vanyo (9).



A balancing act. Andrea Noonan (9) performs on the balance beam.

Tumbling. Stacey McConnell (9) does a tumbling routine while wearing a leg brace.



She's just a-swinging. Amy Marx (10) swings from the bar in a gymnastics meet.

Don't fall. Andrea Noonan (9) tries to keep her balance on the balance beam.



Scores

Gymnastics

Meet	Placing
Fargo North Invite	4th/5
Mandan Invite	7th/8
Grand Forks JV Inv.	4th/4
Grand Forks V Inv.	4th/4
Jamestown Invite	4th/5
Jamestown Invite	4th/4
Valley City Invite	5th/6
Moorhead JV	1st/2
Moorhead V	2nd/2
West Fargo JV	2nd/2
West Fargo V Inv.	6th/6
Regionals	7th/8



Varsity Gymnastics. Front Row: Shanna Qualley, Karla Feland and Kristin Murch. Middle row-kneeling: Stacey Costain, Desrae Dunham, Amy Marx, Randi Wieland, Tanessa Vetsch, Celeste Guajardo and Tiffany Vetsch. Middle row-standing: Sarah Vanyo and Robin Moe. Back Row: Assistant Coach Heather Omlid, Andrea Noonan, Jill Weaver, Co-Captain Stacey McConnell, Kristin Freed, Leisha Ihry, April Hagel, Jamie Floan and Head Coach Stacy Hermans.

Hockey close, but no State

Packers enjoy success

The hockey team brought a "re-building" season to a close with two East Region Tournament (ERT) losses.

Rebuilding isn't really the correct term. The Packers finished the season with a regular season record of 9-8. They also defeated the Grafton Spoilers for the first time ever. They won several tough games, but lost several close games. They suffered two key losses during the ERT. The losses kept the team from the State Tournament.

"I would have liked to change the way we played in the East Region Tournament. Our first game against South I felt we didn't give the effort we should have. We made some costly mistakes and they capital-

ized on them," said junior Dwayne Vinesett. "Our second game against North we came out and played with a lot of intensity. We got an early lead, but then North got a couple of fluke goals and the intensity went down a little bit but overall in this game we kept up a good pace and just couldn't come out with a win."

The team enjoyed one of their best seasons ever finishing 9-10 overall. They didn't quite make it to State but they are optimistic about next year.

"We have a new year next year so hopefully we can make it to state," said Vinesett.

By Ethan Edgerly

OOOF! John Zetocha (12) gets sent flying by an opponent. The Packers had one of their most productive seasons yet, but failed to make it to the State Tournament.

YEAH!!! Dave Hanneman (12) gets somothered by teammates after winning his fifth straight game as the team's goalie. Hanneman was a Mr. Hockey finalist and helped the Packers to a 9-10 season.



Get out of here. West Fargo's Matt Gwost (9) is shoved away from the puck by a Fargo South opponent. The Packers went 9-8 in regular season play.

Take that! Scott Rudolph (10) slams an opponent to the ice while going after the puck. The Pack had immense success in the regular season but went 0-2 in The East Region Tournament.



Scores

Varsity Hockey

WF	Opponent	They
1	Central	4
1	Jamestown	3
4	Wahp./Breck.	3(ot)
1	Fargo North	7
1	Red Lake Falls	2(ot)
1	Fargo South	3
3	Grafton	4
3	Souix City, IA	.0
5	Park Rapids	0
4	Wadena	0
2	Mandan	0
3	Fargo North	1
2	Fargo South	3
3	Grafton	1
3	Wahp./Breck.	0
3	Red River	4
1	Red Lake Falls	2
5	Red Lake Falls	2
1	Fargo South (ERT)	5
3	Fargo North (ERT)	4

Final Record: 9-10



Varsity Hockey, Front Row: Trainer Chrissy Carriveau, Statistician Danyell Bearfield. Row 2: Jeff Paulson, Dustin Guler, Head Coach Ross Richards, Scott Whitman, Assistant Coach Andy Williams, John Zetocha, Dave Hanneman. Row 3: Assistant Coach Levi Glessner, Statistician Aimee Roux, Ryan McGarry, Erik Huffman, Chris Hinnenkamp, Peter Biegler, Scott Backen, Matt Tinguely, Jake Reese, Dwayne Vinesett, Assistant Coach Mark Praska. Back Row: Gavin Smith, Jason Manney, Brian Pink, Aaron Hovland, Scott Rudolph, Matt Gwost, Jay Thomas.



Home Free. The Packers' Gavin Smith (12) skates down the ice free of any defenders. After a 1-6 start, the Packers seemed to be home free while winning five in a row. They got bogged down a little at the end and finished winning three of their last five regular season games.

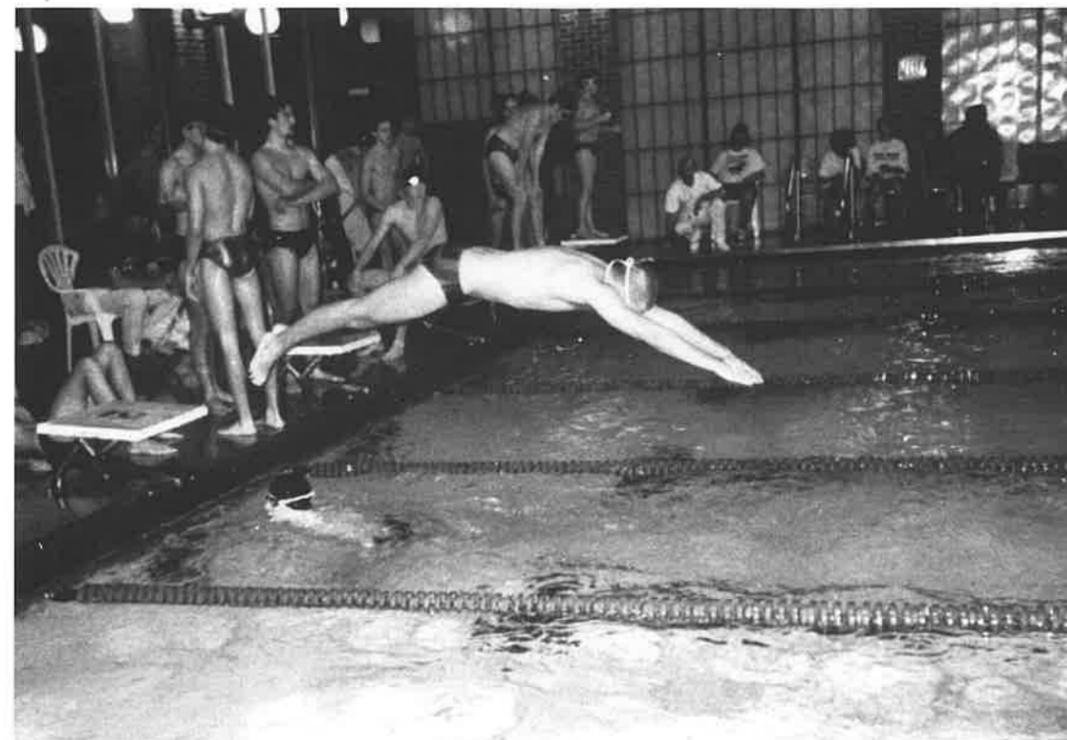
Boy's Swimming laps the rest

Indifferent strokes

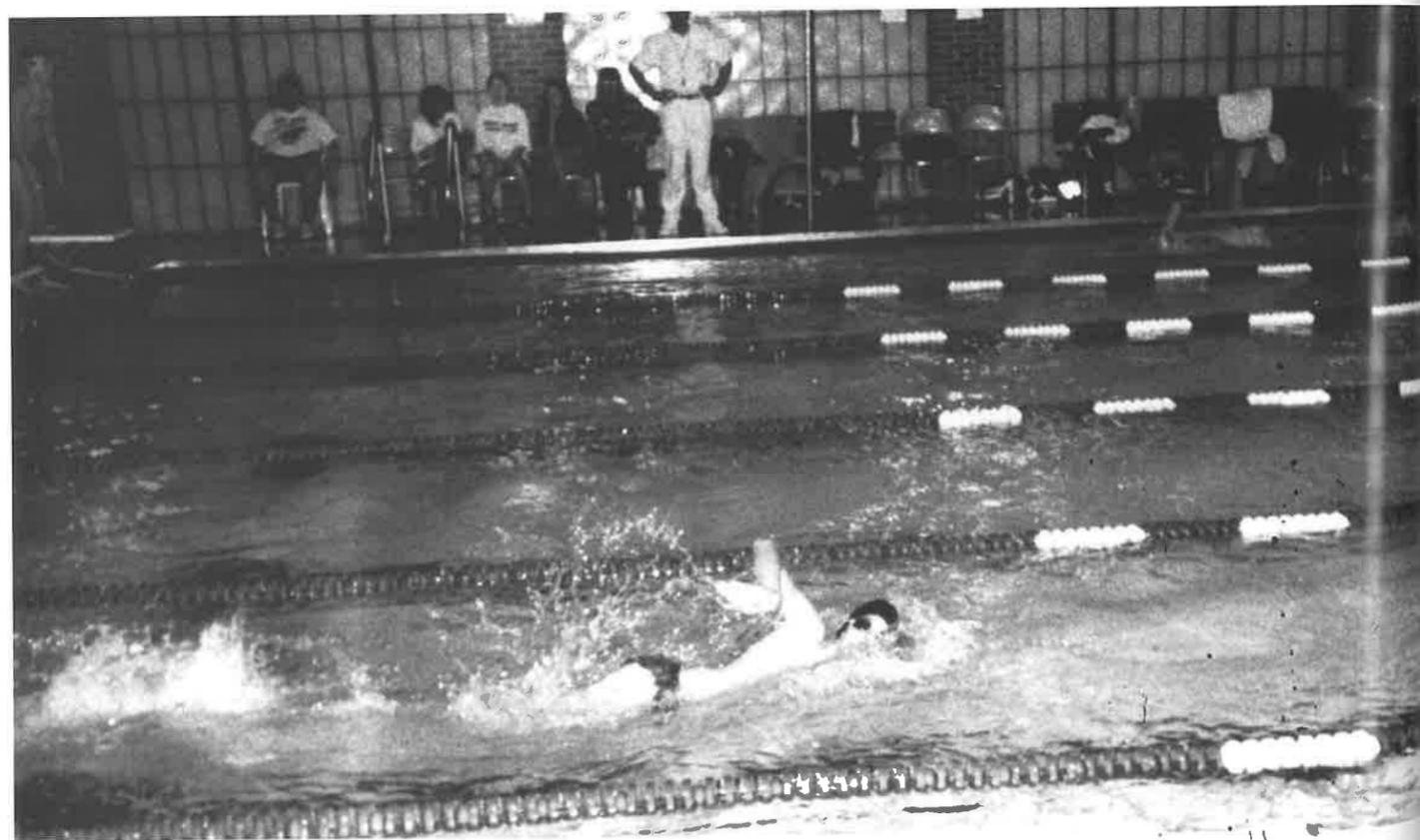


With great effort, the Boys' Swimming Team enjoyed great success. The captain of the team realizes the responsibility and dedication required to maintain his position respectfully.

"You have to make sure the other members get to their races, and you have to be a role model,"
-- Jim Loberg (12)



Take the plunge! As a relay teammate emerges, Joel Kleven, a Packer swimmer from the middle school, dives into L.E. Berger pool.



Leader of the pack. While ahead of the competition, Ryan Utley (10) swims vigorously to hold his position.

Scores

Varsity Boys' Swimming

WF	Opponent	They
113	Central	68
111	Detroit Lakes	69
90	Mandan	96
NA	Jamestown*	NA
89	Moorhead	94
124	Bismarck	54
109	Century	71
123	Fargo South	60
60	Fargo North	115

*Result was a victory for WF but no score was available.

Final Record: 6-3

Conference Finish 2nd/5

State Finish 4th/11



Varsity Boys' Swimming, Front Row: Manager Tascha Strand, Nick Prashek, Ryan Rust, Steve Gilbertson, Matt Christianson, Darren Smith and Manager Adrie Halvorson. Row 2: Manager Alani Selland, Tim Springer, Mike Benson, Alex Thiel, Travis Magnuson, Dean Sahr, Cory Pavak, Mason Helm and Manager Rochelle Koehnen. Back Row: Coach Marsha Dahl, Mike Sustad, Ryan Grant, Jim Loberg, Phil Sinkler, Kyle Stumpf, Joel Kleven, Ryan Utley and Assistant Coach Shelly Swanson.

Freshmen enjoy new year of sports

Playing strong all year long

For many freshmen, that first crack of the bat or snap of the football are part of the thrill and excitement of participating in high school sports. A number of them are involved in many of the sports offered throughout the year. Some think that the sports here are more of a challenge than those at the middle school.

"It's more difficult with the harder schoolwork," said Elise Huff (9), a member of girls' basketball. "It's also kind of nerve wracking."

There are also those who feel the sports aren't that much harder this year.

"They're not any more of a challenge," said Tim Springer (9), who is on the boys' swimming and golf teams.

Despite students' varying attitudes toward sports, many of the freshmen coaches believe the teams are enjoying a good year.

"We're doing well," said ninth grade girls' basketball coach Vernon Spitzer. "We've got some good girls." Spitzer said some of the team leaders this year are Meg Holle (9), Maddy Larson (9) and Kris Volk (9).

Other coaches were also enthusiastic when speaking of their teams.

"The season is going very well," said cross-country and track coach Darrin Boehm. "This is the most talented group I've had in the six years that I've been here."

The prosperous seasons were not achieved without hardship, however. Some of the players and coaches

agreed that winning streaks could be attributed to many practices filled with hard work and discipline.

"We try to work on fundamentals and defense all year long," said coach Spitzer. "The first job is to get them to play as sophomores. Then we go for wins and work on weaknesses." The competition of different teams among other schools also brings about certain rivalries.

"A few of our rivals are Jamestown and South," said coach Boehm. "They have decent teams this year." Other freshmen teams have experienced similar rivalries when playing against other schools.

"We have rivalries with Discovery and Shanley," said Kristen O'Halloran (9) of girls' basketball.

In addition to those developed toward other schools, rivalries often occur within West Fargo teams.

"The green and white teams are big rivals," said O'Halloran. "But the green team has a better record." Overall, most of the freshmen teams performed well throughout the year. The players involved got a good grasp of how they'll do in the future.

By Mark Harbeck



Teamwork! Katie Heiden (9) wipes the ball away from a Fargo-Shanley opponent.

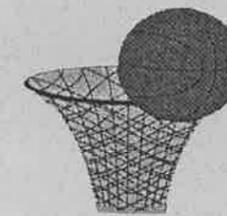


Freshmen Volleyball Team A: Front Row, Ericka Freed, Katie Heiden, Heather Gromatka, and Katie Mühonen. Back row, Assistant Coach Mark Sykes, Sarah Miller, Kristin O'Halloran, Amber Neal, Ivy West, and Coach Cindy Johnson.



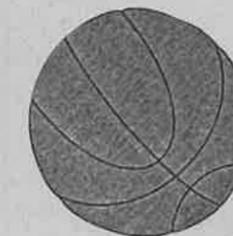
Freshmen Volleyball Team: Front Row, Erin Przybilla, and Katie Cumber. Row 2, Jessie Biesiot, Elise Huff, Angela Quenzer, and Jenny Melander. Row 3, Amber Brand, Jessica Beets, Heather Francis, Katie Randall, and Sha-Ree Mason. Back Row, Kindra McCarty, Kara Borslien, Colleen Anderson, Coach Kelly Carlstad, Trudy Tengwall, and Theresa Yahnke.

Raise your hands if you're sure. Getting help during gymnastics, Andrea Noonan (9) practices on the beam.



"I think I did good this season." -- Heather Gromatka (9), after the girls' basketball season

"We worked very hard, and Spitzer is a great coach." -- Rebecca Bachmeier (9)



Smells like Teen team spirit. Late in the game, ninth grade girls' basketball players receive advice from their coach.



Girls' Track, Front Row: Trisha Hansen, Tasha Dockter, Karin Bandli, Kelsey Brodsho, Tammy Larck and Naomi Gross. **Row 2:** Andrea Noonan, Kelly Murek, Stacey McConnell, Christina Webber, Megan Lavelle, Sara Hall and Kristi Williams. **Row 3:** Sarah Huwe, Jill Bernhagen, Elise Huff, Kim Wehri, Sarah Vanyo and Kristin Murch. **Row 4:** Holly Rost, Emily Halvorson, Angie Schultz, Amber Preston and Jolene Vanyo. **Row 5:** Aarin Zimney, Katie Beauchamp, Liann Hanson, Mandy Enebo, Melissa Klein and Tiffany Williams. **Row 6:** Sabrina Hall, Roxanne Mullenberg, April Batcheller, Jana Hanson, Lindsay Bogardus and Kristen O'Halloran. **Row 7:** student managers Jonita Steinbrecher and Matt Korsmo.

Uffda! Readying herself, Lindsay Bogardus (12) prepares to launch the disc.



Run like the wind! Seeming to be faster than the speed of light, a Packer runner soars across the track.



Girls' Track counts successes

Overcoming hurdles

This year's girls track team has definitely had a successful season. With a host of impressive standings, including a well deserved second place finish at the Packer relays, the team was able to utilize experienced runners, as well as new tracksters, to rack up the victories.

Girl's track coach Darrin Boehm thought veteran team members were instrumental in providing both guidance and performance. "Jolene Vanyo (12) is the best in the state for mid-distance," said Boehm. "Roxanne Mullenberg (12) and Mandy Enebo (12) are both strong throwers, and Enebo is also good in the Javelin."

Boehm expected high standards from some of the team leaders,

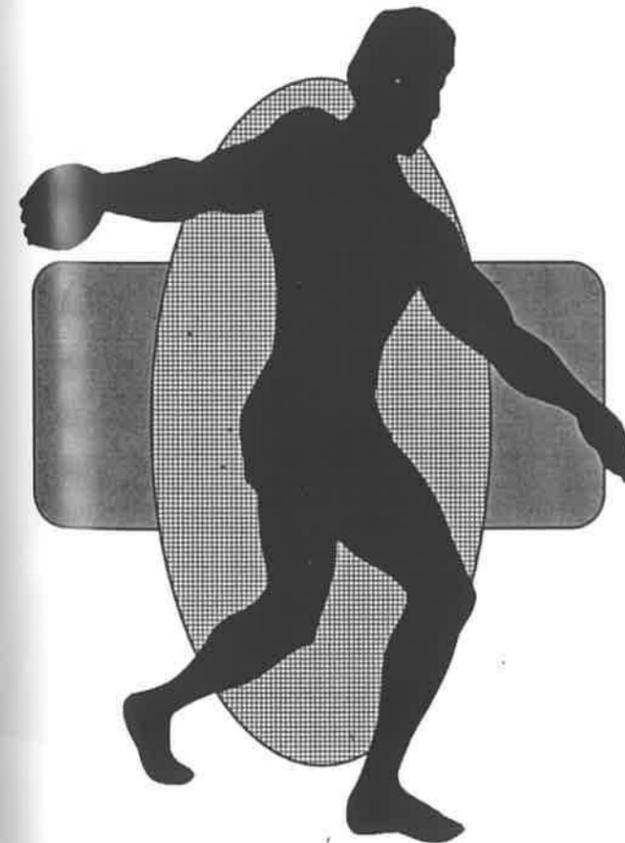
such as Vanyo, who already holds 400- and 800-meter school records.

"We have a strong sprinting core in mid-distance, and Jolene has a shot at the 800-meter state title," said Boehm.

He also mentioned others who contributed to the overall success of the team this year.

"Kristi Rasmussen (12) is a strong jumper, and some of the underclassmen have been dominating, and also are helping the upperclassmen," said Boehm.

By Mark Harbeke



Scores

Girls' Track

Meet	Placing
State Indoor	11th
EDC Indoor	6th
Jamestown invite	4th
Packer Relays	2nd
Moorhead Invite	6th
Gerrell's Invite	5th
Shanley Invite	8th
Fargo Rotary	7th
Girls' Classic	3rd
G.F. Last Chance	6th
EDC Outdoor	6th
State Outdoor	10th



Full force. While striving to pass her opponents, Aarin Zimney (11) carries the baton during a relay race.



Boys' Track goes the distance

Running the extra mile to victory

This year's boy's track team didn't have to overcome too many hurdles, at least metaphorically speaking, in order to achieve victory. Many runners were experienced upperclassmen who returned to contribute their talents, as well as their knowledge.

But new track members and underclassmen also helped to pole vault the team ahead of the competition.

Boys' track head coach Mr. Darrin Boehm knew even from the start of the season that this year's team was definitely one to watch for.

"The boys' team is larger and we have a lot more talent than the last couple of years," said Boehm. "They're a well-balanced, fun group to work with."

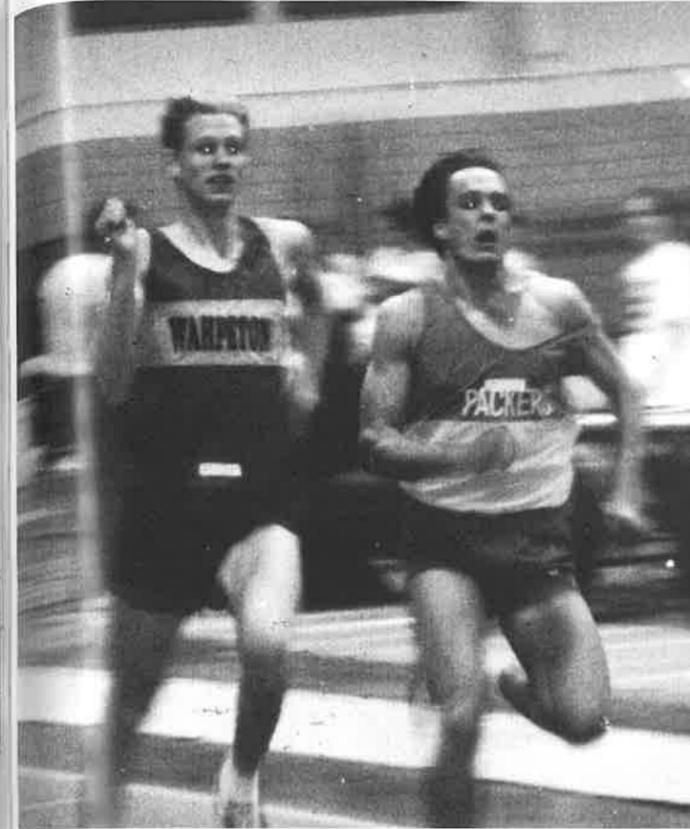
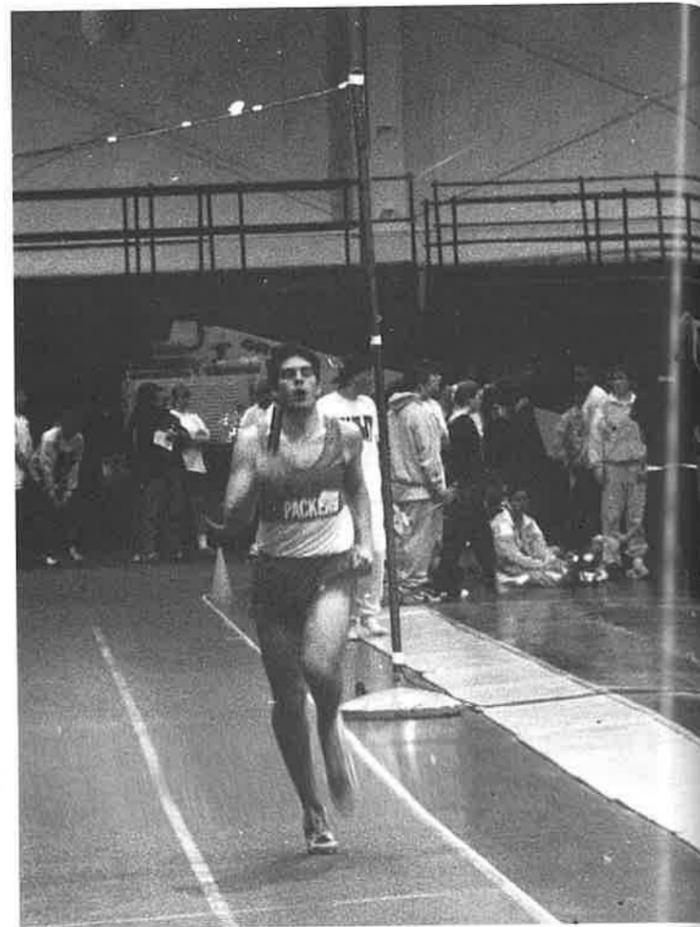
Boehm also thought the team had its fair share of priorities and responsibilities to take on.

"We'll rely heavily on a few to carry a big load," said Boehm.

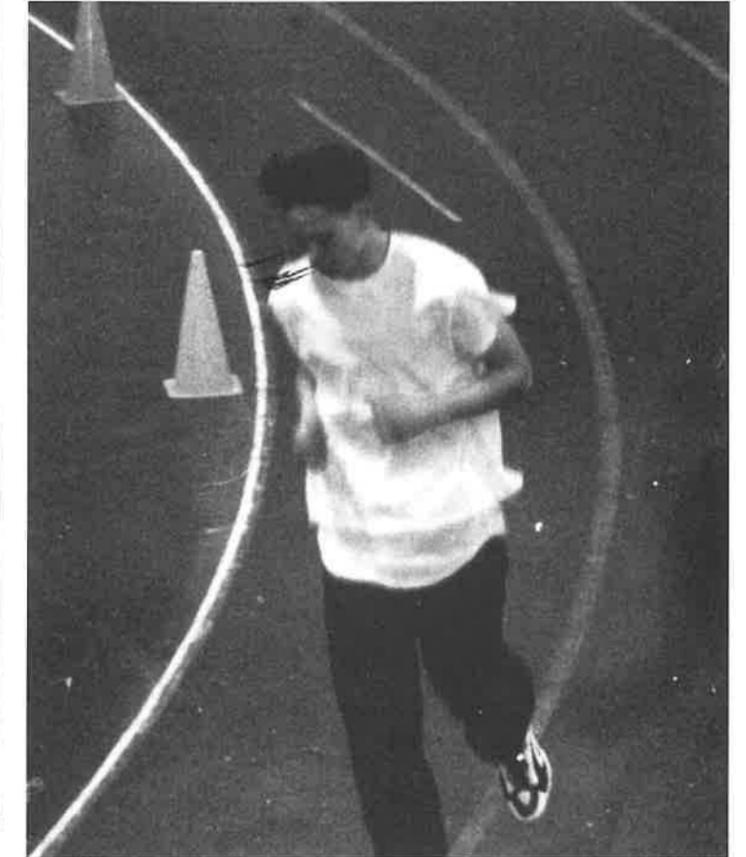
He mentioned John Arneson (12), Ryan Smith (12) and Ira Hovland (12) as three individuals looked up to for leadership and performance throughout the season.

Boehm also thought Jeff Cossette (11), Aarin Lockwood (11) and Billy Erenberg (10) were also helpful in assisting and guiding the other underclassmen to victory.

By Mark Harbeke



See ya. During an indoor meet, Jon Arneson (12) passes a Wahpeton runner with determination.



Practice makes perfect. While warming up, Bill Willis (9) rounds a corner.

Last Stretch! During a relay, Ben Richard (11) strides it out for the last part of the race.

Boys' Track, Front Row: Chris Mattson, Jon Narlock, Eric Brager, John Zetocha, Scott Reule and Charles Gooding. **Row 2:** Jeff Cossette, Ben Richard, Blake Ristvedt, Mike Vacha, Aaron Lockwood and Nick Piehl. **Row 3:** Dean Sahr, Damian Imre, Lucas Jens, Derek Johnson and Patrick Griffin. **Row 4:** Eric Ziegler, Bill Willis, Chad Volk, Ryan Smith, John Arneson and Tyler Willis. **Row 5:** Loren Hansen, Josh Thompson, Ira Hovland, Mike Misheski and Nathan Anderson. **Row 6:** Justin Kruse, Mark Timmerman, and Chad Volk. **Row 7:** Coach Drue Haarsager, Coach Keith Ringdahl, Billy Erenberg, Ingvar Raagstad, student manager Matt Korsmo, Matt Biewer, Coach Packer and Justin Kruse. **Row 8:** Coach Don Lennon, Coach James Jonas, Coach Randy Holzmann, Coach Darren Boehm, student manager Jonita Steinbrecher, Coach Mike Stratton.



Scores

Boys' Track

Meet	Placing
State Indoor	14th
EDC Indoor	8th
Jamestown Invite	4th
Packer Relays	3rd
Moorhead Invite	6th
Gerrell's Invite	11th
Shanley Invite	7th
Fargo Rotary	8th
AI Cassell Relays	10th
G.F. Last Chance	6th
EDC Outdoor	8th
State Outdoor	15th



Packed like sardines. Early on in the race, Bill Willis (9) works to gain the lead during an indoor meet.

Tennis improves over season.

Girls' Tennis

Getting prepared. Sophomore Amy Sandvik waits for her opponent to hit the ball back to her.



Ready for the ball. Senior Cindy O'Neil gets ready to snap back the tennis ball to her opponent.

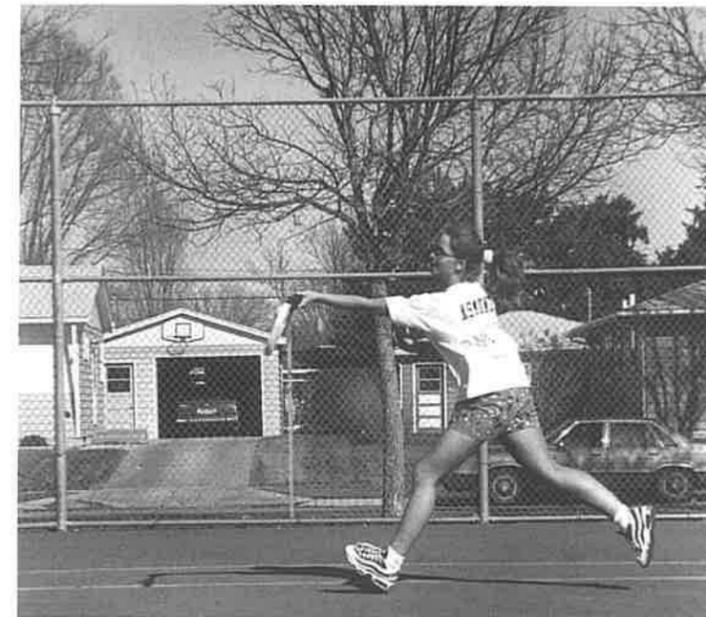


Waiting for the serves. Sophomores Amy Sandvik and Angie Vetter prepare to hit the ball, while the crowd waits in anticipation.



Working hard. Sophomore Angie Vetter hits the ball to her awaiting opponent.

Run, Forrest, run... Junior Beth Asmund runs toward the ball as it soars over the net.



Girls' Tennis



Girls' Tennis: Front row, Jessica Hochgraber Angie Vetter, Tara Trapp, Toni Jore, Vicky Berg and Sarah Mills. Middle row, Amanda Olson, Brenda Grinde Erin Erickson, Lorina Dehnert, Jennifer Oemichen, Angie Hammer and Charity Speich. Back, Asst. Coach Kellie Karlstad, Jessica Jensen, Amy Sandvik, Cindy O'Neil, Beth Asmund and Head Coach Dave Drenth.

Boys' Golf

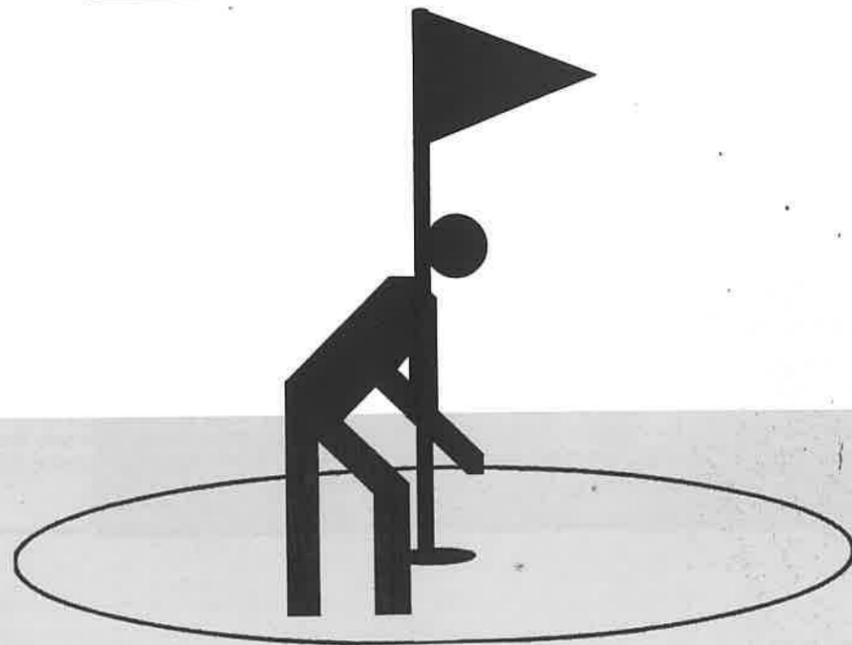


Hang time. Colby Juntunen (10) turns to follow the golf ball soaring through the air.

Concentration. Intensely watching the golf ball, Brandt Juntunen (12) anticipates an eagle.



Where did the ball go? Watching the follow through, Matt Konzemius (12) concentrates on his putting technique at golfing practice, with his clubs behind him.



Boys' Golf



Boys' Golf: Back row: Tom Anundson, Rob Boser, Corey McDonald, Mike Sustad, Mike Herbst and Brandt Juntunen.
Row 2: Shawn Blair, Tim Springer, Justin Schumacher, Don Westman, Corey Johnson, Erik Hansen, Bob Rasmussen.



Got it. Motions Kristi Johnson (12), by sticking her foot out and stripping the ball from the opponent, passing it to Beth Leno (10).

It's mine! Calls captain Sarah Drew (12), while heading the ball and colliding with Kristi Johnson (12) at the same time.



Don't hurt me. The fargo North goalie yells, as #4 Sonja Ulrickson runs to kick the ball out of her hands, but misses and kicks her face.



Behind the Scenes

Girls' Soccer



Got me square! BethLeno (10) dribbles the ball up the field.

The Girls' Soccer team has lost three starters from last year's yeam. However, eight returning starters have led this team to great achievements. The program has become much more popular both among fans and players.



Heads up. When Tiffaney Kihle (12) signals that she's going to kick the cornerball. Using her whole body to get the ball over the opponents heads and into the goal.



Wanna Race? I'll beat you, Stephani Bonzer (10) proves as she gets ahead of the opponent.



Heave ho. With a strong toss, Stephanie Bonzer (10) puts the ball into play.

Varsity Girl's Soccer



Varsity Girl's Soccer, Front Row: Kelly Buchholz, Sonja Ulrickson, Tiffaney Kihle (capt.), SaraDrew (capt.), Jess Barnum. **Row 2:** Robyn Petermann, Kodi Srur, Gretchen Jost, Kristina Gromatka, Beth Leno. **Row 3:** Stephanie Bonzer, Traci Buehre, Tara Kelsh, Jessica McDougal, Andy Steele (coach). **Row 4:** Brianne Lee, Alicia Dotseth, Kristi Johnson, Jennifer McDougal, Alissa Frederick, Mindy Muhonen.

Homerun!

Begining the baseball season, what were your personal goals?

Aliceo Rodriguez (11):

"I hope that we will make it through the year with a five hundred batting average. Hopefully we can help teach these younger guys something in the process."

Brian Erdmann (11):

"My personal goals for this year are to win at least half the games I pitch in, and hopefully get a win out at the state tournament in Bismark. We have a lot of talent and great senior leadership, so our expectations are high. We know we can take the state tournament and as long as we stay together and play as a team, we are confident we will win it. Last year we didn't have a lot of leadership and that hurt us. Our main force is to play together and with a lot of intensity."



I'm ready!. (Upper Picture) Chris Mapes (12) waits for some actions in the outfield.

Curve or slider?. (Above) Brian Quam (12) deeply contemplates his next pitch.



Here comes the pitch. (Left) Brian Quam (12) delivers a pitch against Moorhead.

Swing batter, batter swing. (Below) Dwyane Vinsett awaits a pitch in the game versus Moorhead.



Take one for the team. Peter Beigler take's a pitch a little inside with the rest of the team watching from the dugout.



Entertainment for the masses

Packatahnas

Techno music, flashy outfits, and several dancing girls; this is what makes up Packatahnas.

Some would say that that is all that the Packatahnas are, just a bunch of fluff. The Packatahnas, however, are not all fluff.

"Anything that is competitive and involves hard work, aerobic activity, and physical fitness should be considered a sport," said Krysia Kludt (11). "Packatahnas requires all of that and more."

The Packatahnas have been successful at the State Dance Tournament for a number of years, and continued their successes this year. However, this is the first year they went to the UDA National Dance Championships held in Orlando, Florida.

"The trip to Florida was really exciting," said Melissa Schaffer (11). "We had a lot of fun while we were there. I just wish we could have stayed longer."

They have been invited to compete in the National Championships before, but could not afford the cost. This year, they fundraised to collect the required fare.

The Packatahnas perform as halftime entertainment for fans at basketball games. Large audiences are commonplace at these games. The performers usually prefer to perform for large crowds because it is more exciting.

"The larger the audience, the more pumped up you get. And when you're pumped up, it makes the audience pump up, then they cheer and they enjoy watching us perform," said Jeni Bucholz (11).

Kludt agrees that large audiences bring out the best in the performers.

"When you have a large crowd and they are cheering for you, you want to do better for them *and* your team," she said. "It's a lot better than performing in front of small crowds."

The participants agree that performing is enjoyable.

"It is a lot of fun performing," Kludt said. "Practice is just the bad part." Bucholz also thinks that performing is fun, but also beneficial.

"I enjoy being in Packatahnas," she said. "I also enjoy performing. It's a lot of work, but it's well worth it."

Schaffer agrees with Bucholz, but also thinks that the practices are enjoyable.

"Packatahnas is really fun," she said. "We work very hard but it's worth all of the work. We are a really close team and that makes even the difficult practices more fun."

Packatahnas is enjoyed by participants, and audiences. Members of the team credit a lot of their success to their coach.

"I think that Angie Lund, our coach, is the best coach that we could be asked for," Bucholz said. "She is always there for us, she's like a big sister. She's wonderful. And she really enjoys what she does."

Overall, Packatahnas is a beneficial activity.

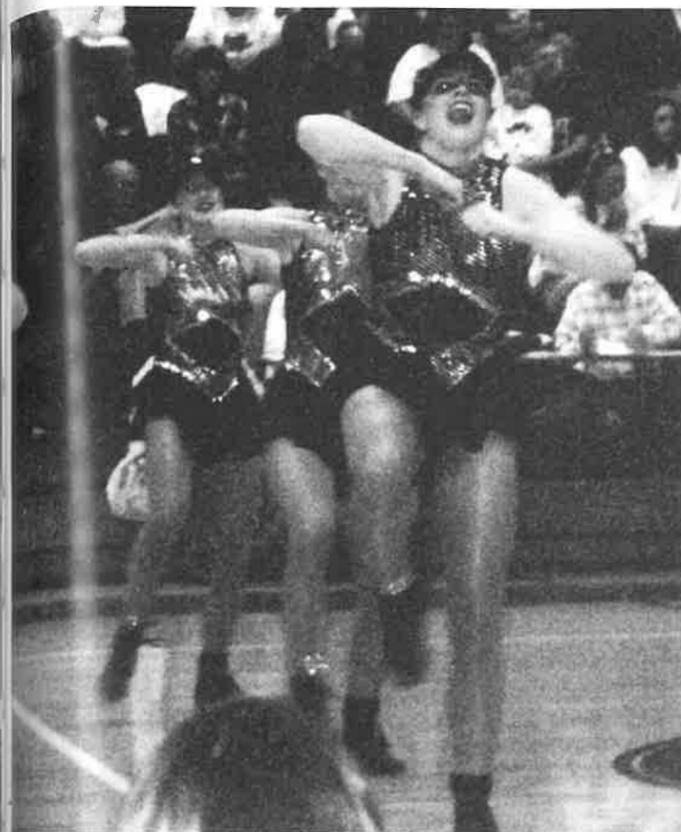
"It's a lot of fun but even more, it requires *tons* of hard work and dedication," Kludt said.

By Ethan Edgerly



Ready to begin. The Packatahnas prepare to begin a routine.

Look at me. Carly Meyer (11) smiles as she performs during halftime of a basketball game.

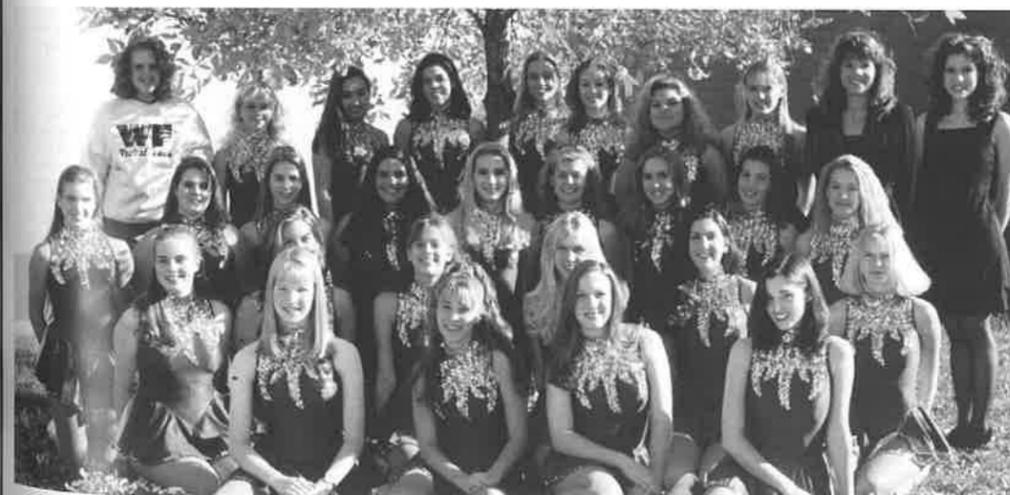


Having a blast. Nicole Wilken (11) smiles wide while really getting into her performance.

This is great. Tammy Zimmerman (12) and the Packatahnas, led by Stephanie Bonzer (10), enjoy their performance.



Packatahnas



Varsity Volleyball, Front Row: Melissa Schaffer, Choreographer Nicole Veitenheimer, Jill Boor, Janelle Fink. **Row 2:** Choreographer Nicole Wilken, Susan Kaufman, Choreographer Stacy Koglin, Natalie Buck, Head Choreographer Kacy Weideman, Christina Siewert. **Row 3:** Sonja Ulrickson, Heather Noonan, Junior Captain Carly Meyer, Sophomore Captain Jeni Bucholz, Angie Lohse, Krysia Kludt, Tara Falcon, Head Choreographer Michelle Wilson, Choreographer Emily Halvorson. **Back Row:** Student Manager Becky Donabauer, Alishia Jackson, Choreographer Angie Myers, Gretchen Jost, Stephanie Bonzer, Jessica Marthaller, Senior Captain Larissa Boe, Tammy Zimmerman, Coach Angie Lund, Assistant Coach Amy Hogen.



Go Packers! Varsity Girls' Basketball Cheerleaders, Jessica McDougall (9), Vicky Berg (12), Angie Hammer (11), Kelly Heinz (12), Anna Larson (11), all show their Packer Spirit during a cheer.

Company halt. Boys' Soccer Cheerleaders, Melissa Braseth (10) and Jill Heiden (11) stand at attention while watching the game.



Varsity Soccer



Varsity Soccer Cheerleaders: Front Row, Melissa Braseth, Megan Morrison. Row 2, Jill Heiden, Moriah Edgerly, Sarah Morrison.



Ready? OK! During a varsity girls' basketball game, Jessica McDougall (10) tries to liven up the crowd while cheering for her team.

Varsity Girls' Basketball



Varsity Girls Basketball Cheerleaders: Front Row, Anna Larson. Row 2, Kelly Heinz, Vicky Berg. Row 3, Jessica McDougall, Angie Hammer.



Go Packers! Go! Cheerleaders, Anna Larson (11) and Angie Hammer (11) do a cheer for the audience between quarters.

Behind the scenes

Packer Spirit

Showing Packer spirit, cheerleaders are not only at the games for fun. They are there to help support the team members on the field or court. Whether it's soccer, football, or basketball, all team cheerleaders support the team whether they lose the game or win.

"I think we were really close to the team and appreciated all their support," said senior Sarah Morrison.

Whether going to a football, soccer, or basketball game, many students would notice that there would always be a cheerleading squad there. During half times or time outs, the cheerleaders would go out and perform a cheer, usually ending with a pyramid-like stance. When a game was played in the rain or snow, the cheerleaders stayed at the games and cheered the team on, showing true Packer pride.

"Cheering is a lot of fun and it's really great when the crowd is fired-up," said junior Tara Trapp.

Although it's the cheerleader's job to do the cheering, they like to get the crowd involved. With the help of the crowd, both schools have a good time at the game. Challenging the other school by trying to see who has the most school spirit by doing a chant is fun, as some students described.

According to some people, cheerleading is not considered a sport. While others including the cheerleaders feel that it is. It takes the same amount of practice and determination to cheer, trying to do everything in unison. And learning all the new cheers every year takes a lot of time. Practicing after school and taking time to help the school with some projects shows their enthusiasm for school.

By Terrie Willis



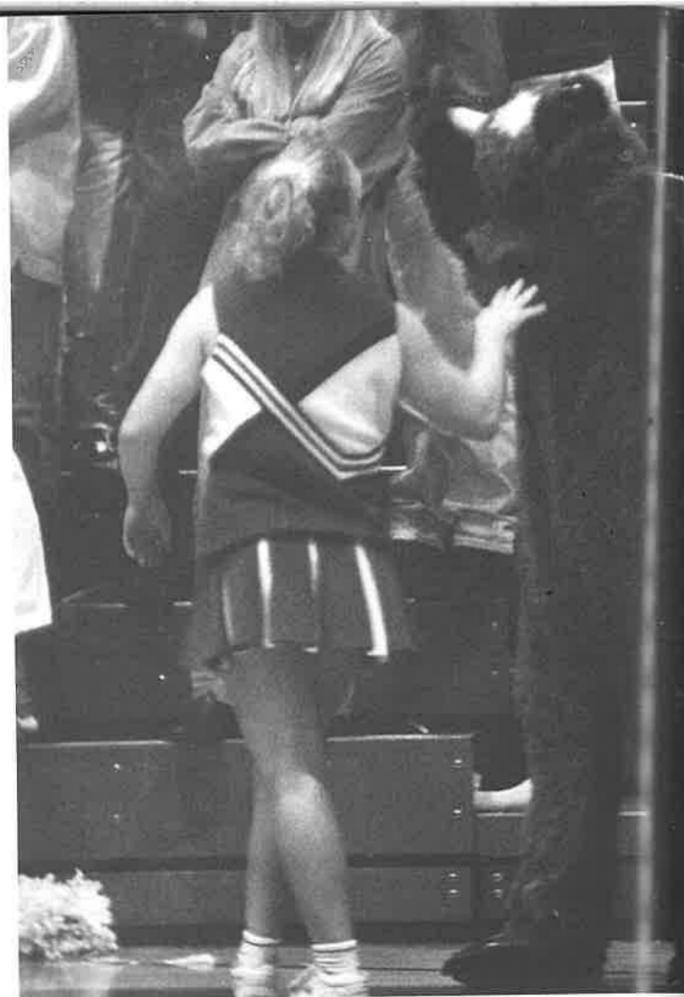
Let me hear your Packer spirit! Anna Larson (11), one of the girls' varsity basketball cheerleaders, yells at the crowd for a response.

Packer spirit

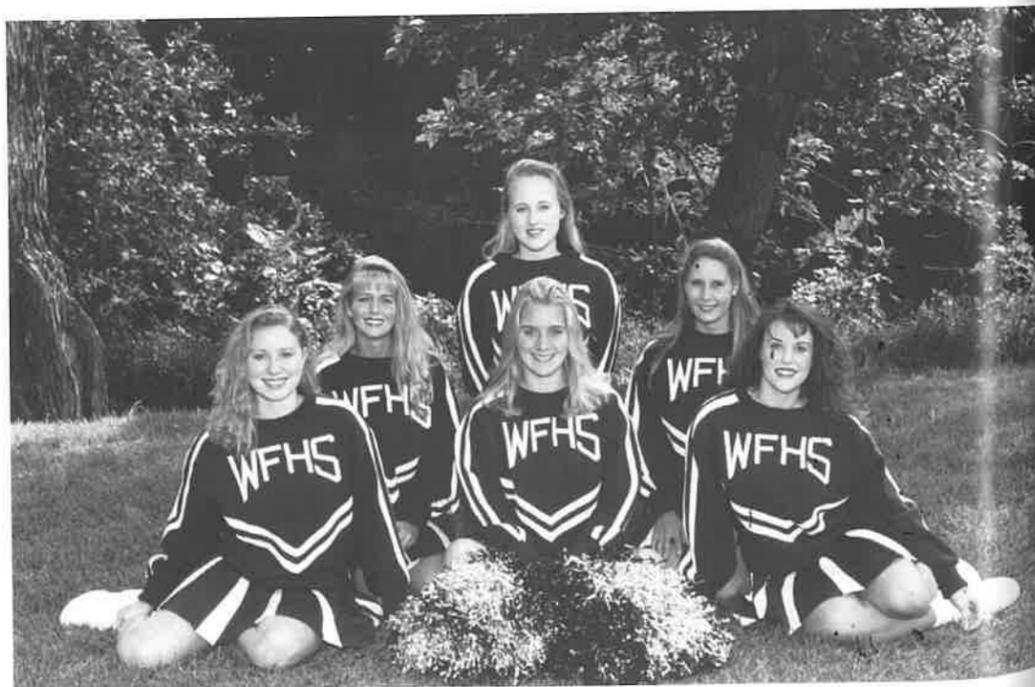


C'mon and get it. The Girls' Basketball Cheerleaders hold up a hoop for the players to run through before the game.

Show your Packer pride. Varsity Girls' Basketball cheerleader, Vicky Berg (11), chats with the Packer mascot about that day's game and the plans for later on that night.



Varsity Football



Varsity Football Cheerleaders: Front Row, Charlotte Zich, Katie Fossum, Kristi Yoney. Row 2, Amy Peterson, Stephanie Herman, Captain: Amy Johnson.

Cheerleaders motivate Packers

Junior Varsity Boys' Basketball



Junior Varsity Boys' Basketball Cheerleaders: Front Row, Angie Johnson, Angie Ostrom, Back Row, Amy Durbin, Karina Busch and Michelle Schmidt.

Group Pictures not shown:

Junior Varsity Boys' Basketball: Naomi Gross, Bobbi Ann Ward, Angie Schultz and Alison Maki.

Trichler, Rita Haugen, Moriah Edgerly, Megan Morrison and Kelly Elijah.

Varsity Boys' Basketball: Renae Thies, Carmen Isaak, Stephanie Herman, Amy Johnson, Vicky Berg and Tangy Spiekermeier.

Varsity Hockey: Tracie Tinguim, Kristina Webber, Ronelle Neuschwander and Jada Neuschwander.

Junior Varsity Wrestling: Jennifer L. Johnson, Michelle Sandvig and Julie Engberg.

Varsity Hockey: Patty McGuire, Melinda Resler, Charlotte Zich, Tara Trapp, Debby Hogen and Savanna Hofmaister.

Varsity Wrestling: Wendy



The Great West Fargo Pyramids. The Girls' Basketball cheerleaders and the Boys' Basketball cheerleaders join together to liven up the solemn crowd.

ORGANIZATIONS SCENE

Aside from their classes and sports, students found plenty to keep themselves busy. They raised money for charity, entertained children, along with various other projects. They enjoyed themselves along the way.



Hammering away. While she may appear violent, Carrie Devones is actually preparing cookie dough, to bring pleasure to the lives of the residents of the West Fargo High Rise.

Waiting for the concert to begin. The chamber choir waits for the start of their first concert of the year.



Labor Pains! Jefferson Vargas (12) and Sarah Havelange (12) recite a speech before the national qualifying tournaments.

What a cute baby! Amber Preston (12) and Heidi Borg (10) look down at a baby carriage in Hello Dolly!



Student government sponsor fundraisers to benefit community

The student council has always been a group of responsible high school students. This year, like in the past, the student council has sponsored many activities to help out in the community using fundraisers and blood drives.

The student council sponsored a fall and spring blood drive throughout the year.

The student council also sponsored a "Pie in the Face" contest in February. It was formed to raise money for Mrs. Holm when her house caught on fire and many things were lost. Teachers were chosen to sponsor a member of student council to throw a pie at.

The junior class officers planned prom and the sen-

ior class officers worked on post grad. They also made t-shirts with the seniors names on them that were handed out at post grad.

Reaching their goals, the student council achieved neat, neat stuff.

by Lisa Kurtz

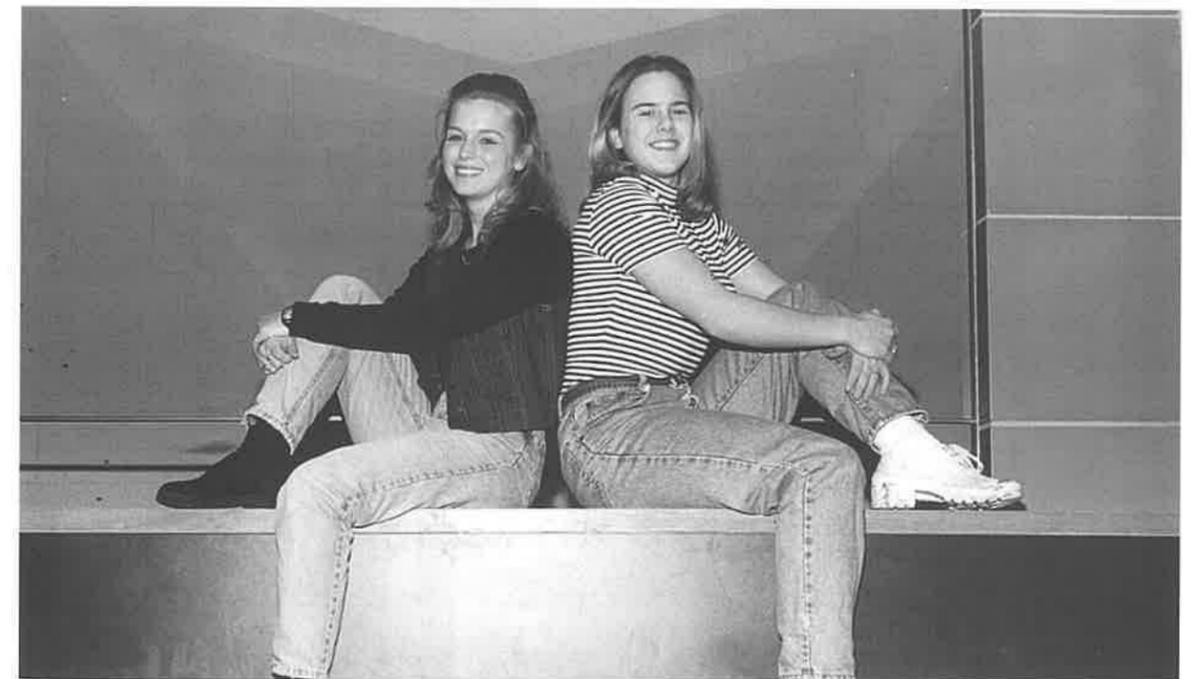


Student Council, Front Row, Mrs. Karen Olson, Brice Powell, Brad Mattson, Kristin Volk, Kelsey Brodsho, and Missy Walstad. 2nd Row, Adam Pankow, Matt Biewer, Mandy Zetocha, Angie Vetter and Megan Morrison. 3rd Row, Bryan Erdmann, Kief Wagner, Matt Korsmo, Aarin Zimney, Jessica Abrahamson, Amy Peterson, and Mike Herbst. Back Row, Karmel Schroeder, Amber Preston, Tiffany Kihle, Sumer Aberle, Sara Drew and Justin Barnum.



Senior Class Officers: John Zetocha, Sumer Aberle, Stephanie Herman and Justin Barnum.

Class Officers



Junior Class Officers: Amy Peterson and Aarin Zimney (not pictured: Michelle Roehrs).

95-96 Speech Results

State

Nancy Tate-4th, Prose
James Erickson-4th,
Dramatic
Christina Johnson-4th,
Humorous; 2nd Poetry
Cassie Rossow-6th, Poetry
Jaime Smith-8th,
Programmed Reading
Denita Linnertz-5th,
Programmed Reading
Sarah Havelange and
Jefferson Vargas-2nd,
Humorous Duo

NFL National Qualifiers:

Denita Linnertz, 2nd place,
Humorous
Jefferson Vargas, 1st place,
Oratory

State Debate:

Marohl, Johnson, 1st
Barnum, McSparron, 2nd
Pankow, Morrison, 3rd

"The funniest moment of the year was seeing Jeff [Vargas] getting thrown in the pool at NFLs. That was the best!" --Beth Flowers (9)

Speech season results in new achievements

"Let the power of the COW live on!"
--Jackie McSparron (10)

going to get to go to State as an alternate."
--Kari Tranby (9)

"Are there any cute guys in the hotel room? Oh! Mrs. Sherman. Never mind. Wrong number."
--Denita Linnertz (10)

"It was cool. It was fun, and I met so many older people, and a couple of younger kids. The Pringles were good, and the Pringles were gone."
--Kyle Volk (9)

"The most exciting and emotionally stimulating moment of this season was when Jefferson Vargas nearly flashed the entire town of Minot."
--Justin Barnum (12)

"The best moment was when I found out I was LCID DEBATE
"It was the best feeling to know that we were prepared to smash the other teams! Mrs. Sherman was a great coach and we had a great time being a part of the first debate team at WF."
--Sarah Morrison (12)



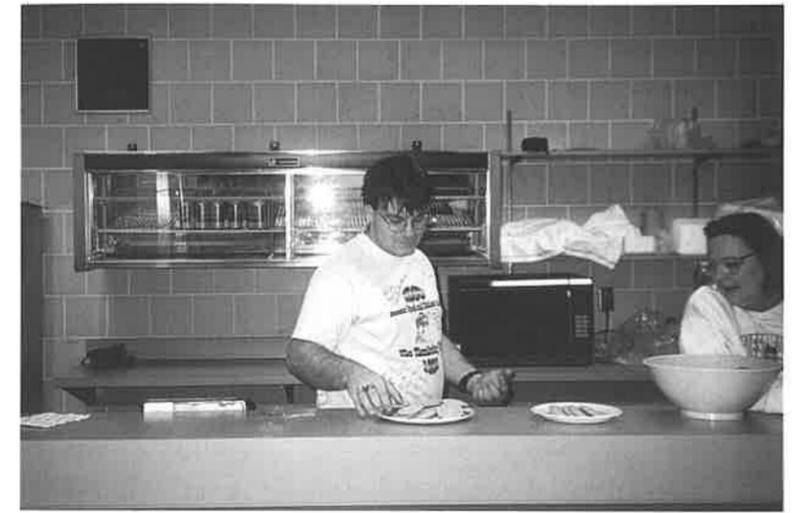
Speech: Front row, Sarah Havelange, Rhonda Gruber, Christina Johnson, Kyle Volk, Jaime Smith, Adam Pankow and Rita Ostern. Row 2, Stephanie Montgomery, Kari Tranby, Beth Flowers, Nancy Tate, Jackie McSparron, Cassie Rossow, Kristin Marohl and Heidi Armstrong. Back row, Jefferson Vargas, John Carlson, Sarah Marohl, Nate Engbretson, Justin Barnum, Denita Linnertz and Coach Mary Sherman.



LCID Debate: Front row, Christina Johnson, Jackie McSparron and Justin Barnum. Row 2,



Turn it up, man! While waiting during speech tournaments, Justin Barnum (12) pulls out his cd player to listen to his tunes.



Working hard. To raise money for the speech team, John Carlson (12) sells concessions during the West Fargo speech meet.



Welcome to the twilight zone. Anticipating the awards ceremony, Jackie MacSparron (10) and Cassie Rossow (10) wait patiently.

All dressed up with no place to go. Waiting for results of their speech meet, Nancy Tate (11), Christina Johnson (11), James Erickson (11) and Sarah Marohl (12) all discuss their chances for the final round.

Ah, relaxation... During the awards ceremony, Stephanie Montgomery (12), observer John Zetocha (12), Sarah Marohl (12) and Adam Pankow (10) all watch from a distance.

NHS adds to student scene

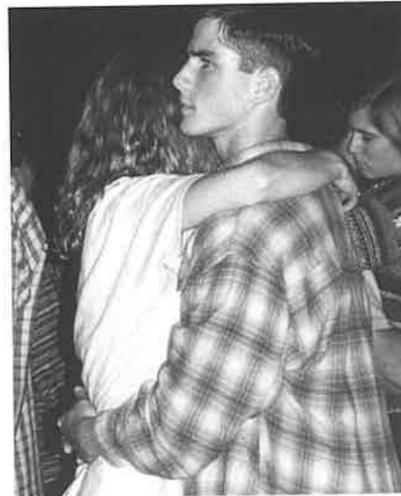
Within the occasionally frozen walls of WFHS there was an organization with a continual warmth. The students of the National Honor Society (NHS) have worked hard to brighten the lives of others.

The first major event on the NHS calendar was trick or treating in October. The night before Halloween, some costumed NHS members hit the streets of West Fargo to collect canned goods for the food pantry. Gauging by the amount of cans collected, the evening was quite a success.

President Sarah Morrison (12) believes the Halloween food drive started the year off right.

"It definitely made the high school students feel like kids again," said Morrison.

Next on the agenda was spreading some Christmas cheer around the community. Students took area children shopping for their families. Each child was given \$30 to purchase gifts at Ace hardware and Ben Franklin. After a



Sweet dreams are made of this. Ben Scoville (11) and his date dance to a slow song at the First Annual NHS sponsored Morp Dance.

back the true meaning of Christmas, through giving and sharing with others," said Lee.

The NHS came to the aid of one of the school's own teachers this year. Mrs. Terry Holm, a Biology teacher, lost most of her home to a fire. NHS members worked to rebuild the kitchen the Holm family had lost. They brought in canned goods, utensils, flatware and other items.

At the end of the year, several members attended the state NHS convention. The scrapbook took first place for the third year in a row and Secretary Michelle Roers (11) won the office of state NHS president.

The NHS has worked to fit the needs of school and community and offer a helping hand. By Jefferson Vargas

long day of shopping they met at the West Fargo VFW to wrap their treasures.

Mike Lee (12) felt proud to be part of the activity.

"For me, shopping with the kids brought

By Jefferson Vargas

The National Honor Society: *Front Row, Sabrina Hall, Krysia Kludt, Christina Johson, Jeni Montgomery, Jennifer Johnson, Stephanie Montgomery, Niki Sadowsky, Amber Preston, Sarah Morrison, Heidi Armstrong, Shari Wurtzberger, Holly Rost, Amy Pederson, Nicole Kirklewski, don't know, James Loberg and Dean Sahr. Row 2, Sarah Huwe, Karina Busch, Jessica Hanson, Aarin Zimney Nicole Wilken, Karen Zurn, Tara Falcon, Angela Schultz, Lindsay Bogardus, Jessica Marthaller, Tami Zimmerman, Ryan Gilleland and Justin Barnum. Row 3, Ericka Davidson, Rita Haugen, Nicole Veitenheimer, Carly Meyer, Bree Kleven, Melissa Loney, Sarah Kylo, Lisa Biegler, Patty MacGuire and Josh Dikoff. Row 4, Charity Speich, Kristy Yoney, Amanda Peter, Jami Burbidge, Danielle Schmidt, Sara Drew, Nichole Houser, Holly Morgan, Sumer Aberle, Jill Heiden, Chris Carriveau and Tracy Kartes. Row 5, Jamie Witt, Jessica Hanson, Cindy O'Neill, Roxanne Mullenberg, Alissa Fredrick, Amanda Enebo, Katie Beauchamp, Suzanne Dreckman and Chris Akers. Row 6, John Zetocha, Chad Volk, Nate McNamara, Sarah Marohi, Kay Meyer, Nicole Christianson, Rhonda Gruber, Nicole Berg, Sarah Havelange, Heidi Solseng, Amy Engel, Jaime Smith, Mark Harbeke, Brian Pink, Nicholas Pederson and Mike Lee. Row 7, Travis Magnuson, Aaron Hovland, Peter Biegler, Ryan Majkrzak, Brian Diede, Matt Biewer, Leah Tilly, Jefferson Vargas, Jenny Alberty, Jeff Anderson, Landon Brinkman, Ryan Mutzenburger.*



Trick or treat! Ringing the bell, Secretary Michelle Roers shows neighbors what she looks like without make-up. Pretty groovy, eh?



Long live Sarah! Parading in the sunshine, NHS President Sarah Morrison (12) waves her flag like a regular trooper.



They only come out at night. Sucking her fangs, Christina Johnson (11) makes her Halloween presence known by helping fellow NHS members during a canned food drive for local food pantries.

Children's show successful

Shining characters

As the townspeople of *The Reluctant Dragon* chanted to the lyrics of "Off to the Fight," hundreds of youngsters from West Fargo elementary schools cheered along with them. In November, drama students were able to participate in this entertaining and heartwarming production.

Many of the elementary students who witnessed the show were amazed by its climactic fight scenes.

"I liked the dragon and the guy fighting him, and when the the dragon got up," said Trevor Prischman from Westside

Please just leave me alone with my book! While the townspeople go about their business, Adam Pankow (10) tries to concentrate on his studies in *The Reluctant Dragon*.

Whoa, I'm cool! Displaying an interesting talent that could bring in tourists, Sarah Havelange (12) dances in front of the entire town.

Elementary.

In May, Drama Club chairpersons hosted a banquet honoring superior performers during *The Reluctant Dragon*, *Hello, Dolly* and *Into the Woods*. Also at the banquet, new members of the International Thespian Society were inducted after the inductees performed humorous, character-building tasks.

Students in drama this year experienced the wonder of the stage and the power of the audience.



He's a little teacup. During Thespian induction, Mark Harbeke (11) sings the lyrics to "I'm a Little Teacup."

Thespian Induction



Chowtime! For one of the events in the "Inductee Olympics," prospective members got to eat some apples.

Can I see some I.D.? Shaking her nightstick, Heidi Armstrong (12) looks at Sarah Wingad (12) suspiciously while Sarah Marohl (12) tries to reassure her.

Milky White's a she? Criticizing her dim-witted son, Niki Sadowsky (12) scolds James Erickson (11) during *Into the Woods*.

Behold the witch's curse! Dazzled by the uplifting power of the witch, Danielle Schmidt (12), Adam Pankow (10) and Stephanie Montgomery (12) stare in amazement as Sarah Marohl (12) seemingly levitates herself.



Drama students pull off challenging musicals

Behind the masks

Students involved in drama were fortunate to stage two very different but dynamic musicals this year. *Hello, Dolly!* was performed first in mid-February.

This musical is the story of a matchmaker and her comical antics in Yonkers and New York City. Students involved in this show thought it was fun and highly enjoyable.

"*Hello, Dolly!* was one of my best experiences in musical theater ever," said Adam Pankow (10). "There is a lot of talent in West Fargo, and the actors and directors pull off really stunning shows!"

Other drama students appreciated specific aspects of the musical.

"The pit (orchestra) was really good," said Ross Schmidt (9). "They helped the

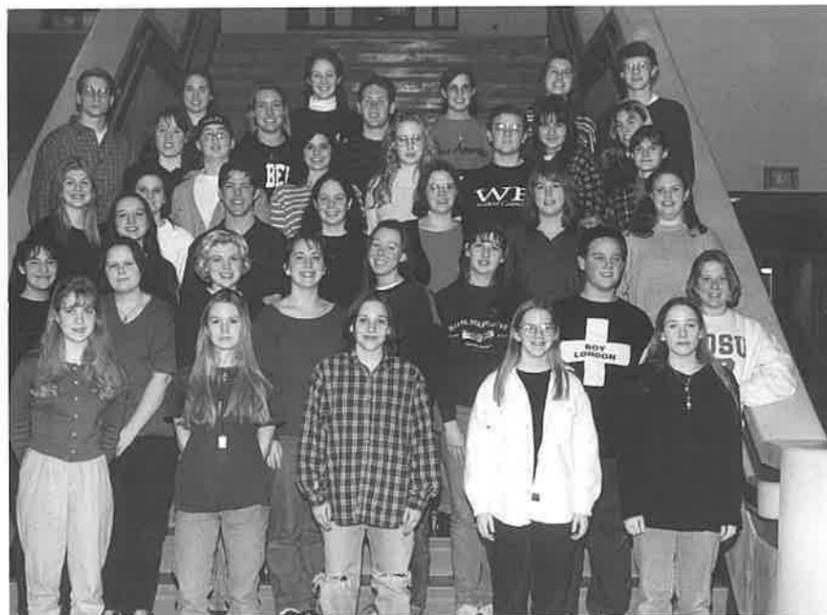
show out a lot."

Into the Woods, the one-act state play, was performed in late March for competition and in early April for the public. Students involved liked the complexity of the music.

"The musical numbers, arranged by Stephen Sondheim, are probably some of the most difficult in musical theater," said James Erickson (11).

The students lucky enough to be a part of these shows benefitted from the excitement they brought.

By Mark Harbeke



Drama: Front row, Nancy Tate, Allison Jung, Jeni Montgomery, Shari Wurtzberger and Stephanie Montgomery. Row 2, Jill Gilleland, Kimberly Ronning, Nicole Kirklewski, Amber Preston, Danielle Schmidt, Amy Engel, Brandon Rutten and Niki Sadowsky. Row 3, Jessie Swiontek, Cassie Rossow, Bonita Hellman, Justin Barnum, Jackie McSparron, Jaime Smith, Sarah Havelange and Amy Bertzyk. Row 4, Ryan Smith, Andrea Brennan, Ross Schmidt, Heidi Armstrong, Sarah Marohl, Adam Pankow, Heidi Borg and Kristin Burroughs. Row 5, Christina Johnson, Jami Burbidge, Denita Linnertz, Mark Harbeke, Kristen Marohl, Sarah Wingad and Nate Engebretson.



"Watching the shows from backstage you get a great advantage to see what people are like and how they can really work together--

Kristin Marohl (10)

"The music is awesome and I really hope we do well--

Stephanie Montgomery (12),
(before the one-act state show)



Beautiful of face, but black of heart. adoring themselves, Bonita Hellman (10), Denita Linnertz (10) and Cassie Rossow (10) primp while Nicole Kirklewski (12) toils.

Listen, Barnaby! Trying to gain his attention, James Erickson (11) tweaks the ears of Adam Pankow (10) in *Hello, Dolly!*

Fantasia/Carollers entertain, delight with musical stylings

The faces of many young and old brighten when they hear the sweet and soft sounds of Fantasia!/Carollers.

The same group of people are chosen for both the Fantasia! and Caroller groups throughout the year. The choirs are chosen by audition and the ages range from freshman to seniors.

For the beginning of the

year, the choir is Fantasia!. They sing showtunes and sparkle up their wardrobe with red satin bowties and cumberbunds for the boys and red satin skirts for the girls.

For the remainder of the year, they wear overcoats, scarves, and traditionally olden day clothes. They sing Christmas carols and are hired to sing for enter-

tainment at parties and celebrations.

After the Christmas season, the groups sing madrigals, which are songs in the form of stories. They are often very difficult songs that are sung in French or other languages. The learning of the songs requires long periods of strict practices early in the mornings and many days out of the week.

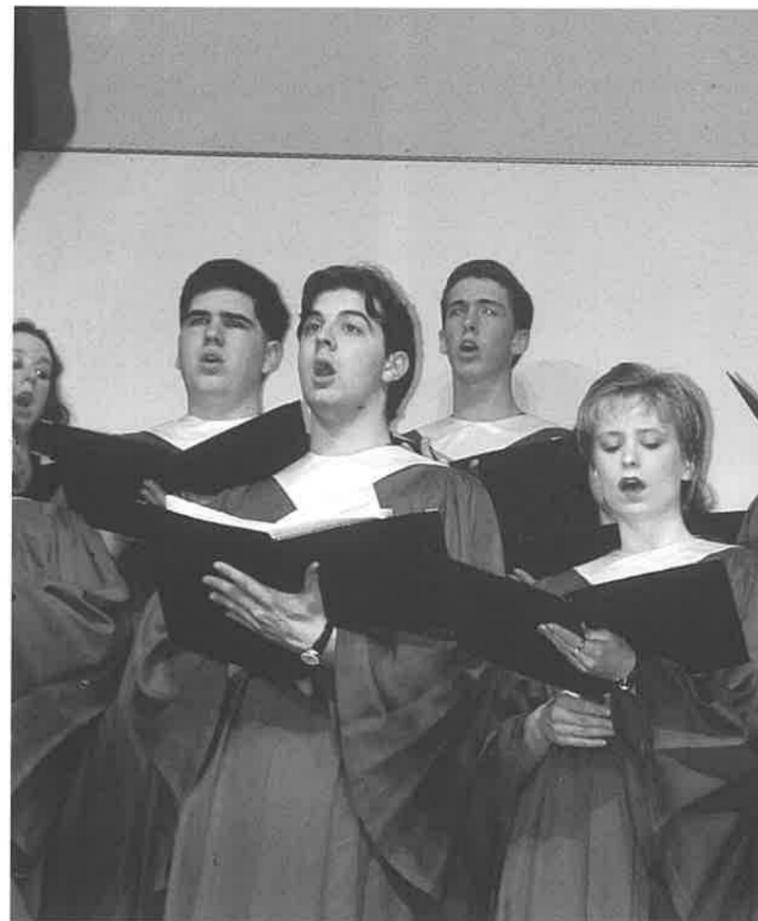


Crescendo. Decrescendo. Mr. Jeff Mueller conducts the Carollers and Fantasia during the concerts.

"I found that my singing ability increased tremendously over the course of the year. It was a fun and learning experience." --Nate Engebretson (9)



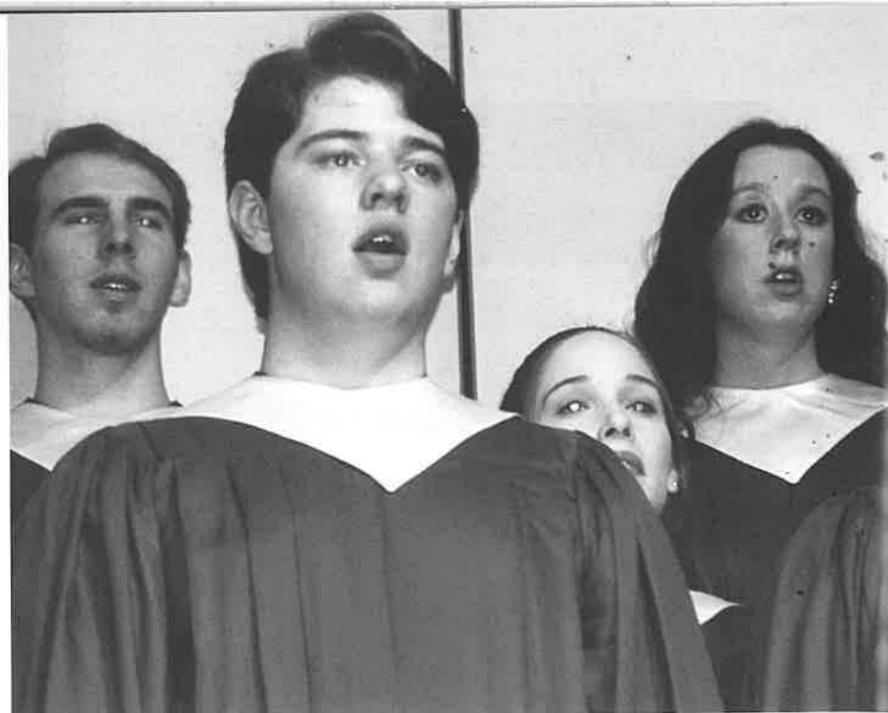
Discussing parts. The Carollers group together in preparation for a performance.



Harmonizing. At a choir concert, Josh Dikoff (12), Matthew Tintes (10), Stephanie Montgomery (12) and Danielle Schmidt (12) sing in unison.

Listen, my children! Between songs, choir director Jeffrey Mueller addresses the audience.

Dressed for the occasion. At a Fantasia! performance, Justin Barnum (12) and Ross Schmidt (9) joyously sing a song.



Concert Choir: Front row, Darin Loven, Michelle Roers, Jesse Smith, Jeni Buchholz, Jade Pergande, Matt Tintes, Jennifer Alberty, Jefferson Vargas, Nicole Berg, Derek Dorn, Christine Roe and Rhonda Gruber. Row 2, Tanya Bertzyk, Cory Gilbertson, Liann Hanson, Sarah Havelange, Keif Wagner, Niki Sadowsky, Steven Fosse, Landon Brinkman, Heidi Armstrong, Nick Pedersen, Erika Peterson, Jesse Lien and Stephanie Montgomery. Row 3, Brian Scholten, Adam Adams, Sarah Marohl, James Erickson, Stephanie Herman, Justin Barnum, Josh Dikoff, Danielle Schmidt, Leif Rosenvold, Nicole Kirklewski, Joel Thompson, Sarah Wingad, Mike Speicher and Mr. Jeffrey Mueller.



Students benefit from what chorus has to offer

The Highs and Lows

Singing those difficult soprano or tenor highs repetitively may have been quite strenuous at times, but most students involved in the different chorus groups agreed that hard practices and many concerts were worth the effort.

"Choir benefits me most because I use my voice every day," said James Erickson (11), a member of the concert choir. "And then it's warmed up for the other things I'm in."

Other students in the concert choir shared different opinions about the advantages this class has to offer.

"Choir takes up a lot of time and there's a lot of stress involved," said Nick Pedersen (11). "It's more work for one credit than any other class in school."

For students interested in vocal music, various choir groups were offered. Anyone in grades 9-12 may try out for the varsity choir, carolers, or fantasia groups. The chamber choir is open to girls grades 10-12 and the concert choir is available for any students in grades 10-12.

Mr. Jeffrey Mueller, vocal music director, believes that the students are doing well this year.

"All of the groups started the year off well," said Mueller. "The potential is there for all groups. I was pleased with the students' performance and their hard work to get to that point. This year's

chamber choir is the best one I've had." Mr. Mueller also thought his practices are sometimes very challenging to students.

"Intensity levels in rehearsals are high," said Mueller. "The potential is there for all groups. When I demand more, I know they can do it."

Besides singing during rehearsals and concerts, some of the different groups took part in extracurricular activities.

"This year choir is really busy," said Sarah Marohl (12), a concert choir member. "We're doing a lot of extra things like the MSU, NDSU and Concordia honor choirs."



Other groups keep themselves busy with similar events throughout the year.

"The carolers visit other cities, like Bismarck, Grand Forks and Bottineau," said Mueller. "They also sell the 'Preferred Coupon' book and sing at Christmas."

Whether singing an alto solo or second in a trio of basses, most involved in chorus exerted hard work and effort to achieve perfection. Along with that perfection, however, came the fun and excitement this class has to offer.

By Mark Harbeke



Here we come, ready or not! During a concert, Sarah Wingad (12), and Sarah Havalange (12) announce their entrance into the theatre with a song.

Watch the conductor! While keeping their eyes on Mr. Mueller, Carrie Stephenson (12), Amanda Sahr (10) and Rhianna Bartosh (10) sing carols.

Band students lose valuable conductor, teacher and friend

The band will always remember this year for its talent, fun, jokes and most of all the memorable times with story with Mr. Glenn Whaley, the band director.

"Stories, stories, and more stories, not that I didn't like them, it's just hard to remember all of them," said Emily Anderson (10), "There was never a day when Mr. Whaley didn't have a story."

"I like Mr. Whaley's story time. It takes up class time and you can learn something if you listen," said Steven Mootz (10).

"I think that my most memorable moments are when Mr. Whaley tells his infamous stories or when he gives his 'Are you ready?' smile. It really has been fun to play under such as easy-going, fun director," said Darren Kruse (10).

Whaley had his last concert in the theater after thirty-nine years of teaching at WFHS. He shared his talents through the years and helped students to become better musicians.

"I will never forget Mr. Whaley or our seniors, and hopefully they will remember us too," said Mandy

Clemenson (11).

The whole band will remember the homecoming day when Cindy O'Neill (12) lead the band with her baton and whistle.

"I will always remember Mr. Whaley telling me to break a leg, as majorette of the half-time show as he watched from inside the warm press booth," said band secretary O'Neill.

"This class was very interesting with the sophomores, juniors and seniors. It was very fun and I will miss Mr. Whaley," said Travis Schwab (10).

There were always those vital bits of information Whaley would share with his students.

"I will never forget the way Mr. Whaley told me that the oboes were played in the wars because they made the most annoying sounds," said Missy Rutten (11).

The highlight of the year was the trip to Winnipeg. The first attempt to go on the trip was canceled due to the wonderful North Dakota weather that turned into a blizzard. With lots of hard work from the officers, the band trip was rescheduled and was carried out with

some of I-29 was under water!

"Band has been a really great experience, but I'll never forget the trip to Winnipeg. Mr. Whaley was a great tour guide, and the underclassmen kept hotel life interesting. (short sheeting beds), said band president Roxanne Mullenberg (12).

"The trip was fun going to Winnipeg, though it was sad to know this was Mr. Whaley's last year," said Darin Loven (10). "He was so much fun as a teacher and a friend, and his stories were classics."

"The band trip to Canada was well worth the wait," said Joe Spitzer (11).

A few of the events that the band attended were playing twice at the mall, having a pizza party at the hotel, and going to the Assiniboine Park Zoo for a few hours.

"The band trip was great, especially the zoo," said Mindy Hagen (11).

This year was filled with great memories that will last in the hearts of all the band members forever.

by Jesse Lien



Sitting properly. Mr. Glenn Whaley's concert band sits in wait for the concert to begin.



Come on baby, blow your horns. Naomi Gross (10), Teri Heise (10), Erica Fromke (10) and Laney Pederson (10) all practice their instruments for an upcoming concert.

Mr. Whaley's Opus. In his last conducting performance, Mr. Glenn Whaley leads the band in the graduation march.

Newspaper gains groovy teacher and succeeds despite bad karma

With the arrival of a new teacher, the publications class of 1995-96 had quite an interesting year. Mr. Jake Oetting, came to West Fargo High School to teach both ninth grade English and to be the advisor of Publications (which was taught previously by Ms. Lori Liebl). Not only did the editors have to teach the new publications students, but they had to teach the new teacher as well. "My publications students were kind of like the Sweat Hogs, or the Village People, or something. They certainly were a bunch of unique individuals," said Oetting.

The students needed some ability in writing as well as basic reporting skills to succeed in the class. Photography, darkroom developing, desktop publishing, layout design, and advertising sales are some of the many things students participate in.

"It was frustrating at first, but fun. I got to meet a lot of people that I normally would have never met," Terrie Willis (11).

The students worked hard to accomplish things that are expected of the class. Many hours were put in outside of class to get finished with the yearbook and the newspapers.

At the Northern Interscholastic Press Association (NIPA) in Grand Forks this spring, many students won awards and The Packer won All-Northern with special recognition for design, makeup, editing and writing.

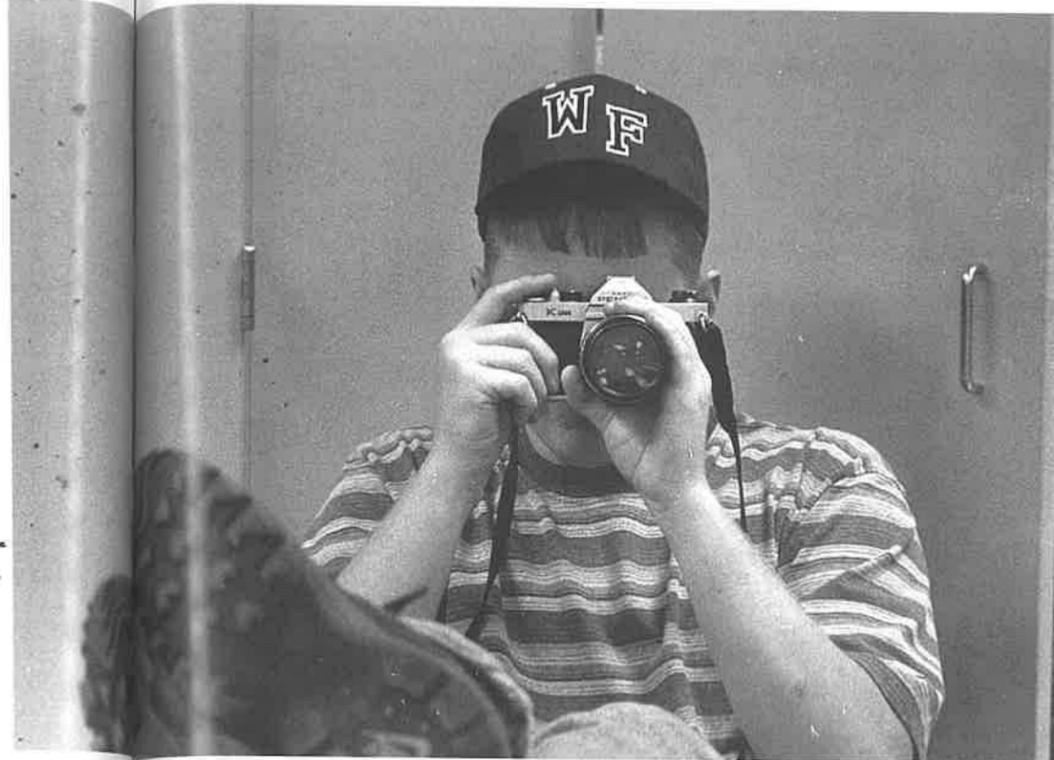
By Lisa Kurtz

"I love this job."
--- Mr. Jake Oetting,
advisor



Enter sandman. Teri Willis (11) and Lisa Kurtz (10) sleep while returning from a conference in Grand Forks.

Working hard. Reporter Jesse Lien (10) works hard on his upcoming newspaper story.



Is it focused yet? Layout Editor Dave Syverson (11) practices using and focusing the camera.

Need a banana? Yearbook contributor Jamie Woodley (9) makes monkey faces to ease the tension in class.

"Lack of experience and motivation led to very late nights, and frustrating moments. But, all things considered, I think we did a marvelous job!"
---Ethan Edgerly (11).



"Publications has been like many new candies, a sweet experience."
---Jeremy McKeown (12)



Publications students: Front row, Amy Bernstein, Terrie Willis and Becki Hummel. Row 2, Kimberly Anderson, Amanda Sundvor, Crystal Eley, Jamie Woodley and Jesse Lien. Back row, Justin Barnum, Lisa Borslien, Jesse Gladue, Michael Soulis and Suzanne El Hileh.

Yearbook gets off the ground

This year's yearbook staff was faced with many challenges that earlier years did not have to worry about.

Ms. Lori Liebl chose not to be Publications advisor this year and was replaced with Mr. Jake Oetting. Oetting had little experience working on yearbooks beforehand and was forced to learn with many of his students.

One of the biggest problems facing the yearbook staff was the small number of students who took the class during the second semester. In search of outside help, the yearbook staff acquired the aid

of Jamie Woodley (9) who had middle school yearbook experience.

"I helped because they needed it," said Woodley.

Delays caused by photography, and layout problems forced the staff to work down to the wire, sacrificing other activities at times to stay after school and on weekends. In the end, however, the effort expended was well worth the end results

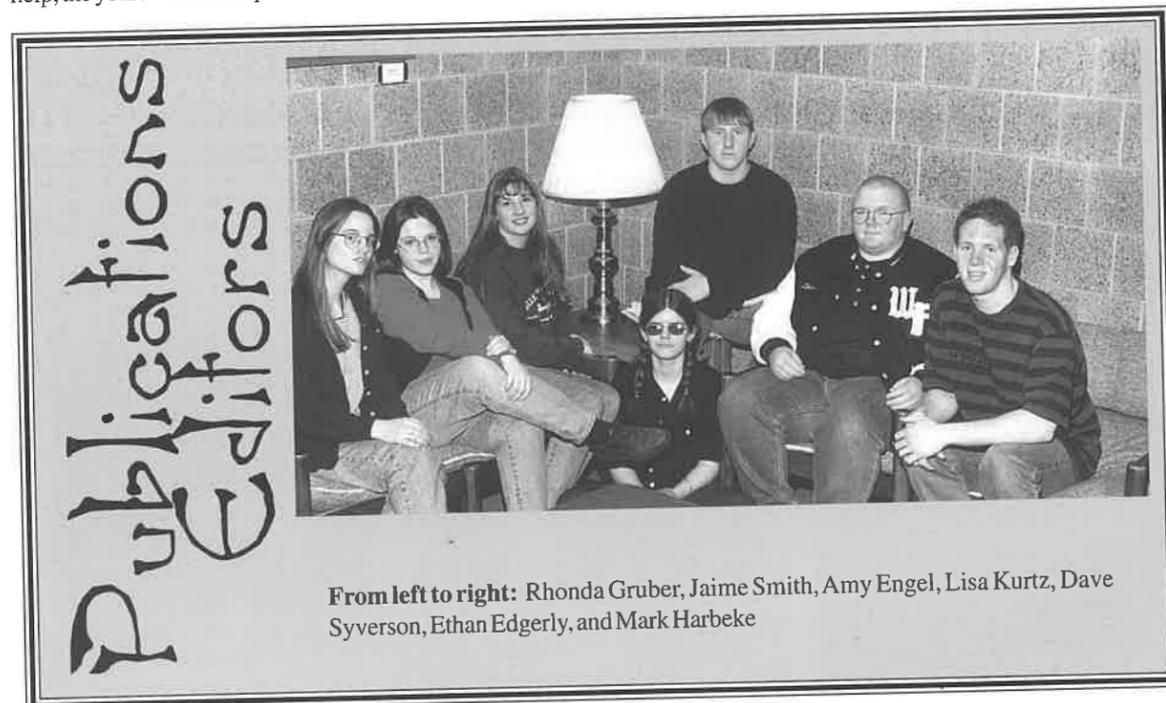
"While there were problems throughout the year, I believe we all really learned a lot," said Jaime Smith (12).

Regardless of the many problems faced when putting together this yearbook, the staff was able to save some of their "happy thoughts".

"Well, yeah, ah, this class is cool. Yearbook's pretty groovy. Oh, and polyester is the cat." said Lisa Kurtz (10).

Yearbook staffers learned the benefits of hard work, built lasting friendships and learned to LIKE it, darnit!

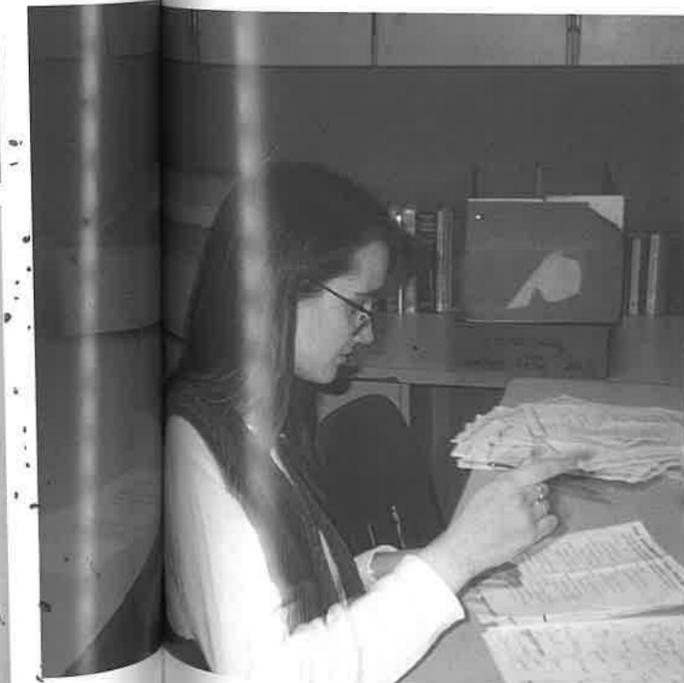
By Suzanne El-Hileh



From left to right: Rhonda Gruber, Jaime Smith, Amy Engel, Lisa Kurtz, Dave Syverson, Ethan Edgerly, and Mark Harbeke

Just the facts, ma'am. Asking Mrs. Mona Warkenthien for information, Mark Harbeke (11) conducts an interview.

Number cruncher. Tabulating votes, Rhonda Gruber (12) worked to find out who would be elected to the various Senior Picks, such as Best Smile and Most Likely to be Abducted by Little Green Aliens.



The shadow knows. Lurking in the dark areas of the commons, Suzanne El-Hileh (10) hunts down the next scoop, using those reporting skills that earned her a first place award and a scholarship from the National Federation of Press Women.

Omigoodnessgracious. Clapping a hand to her mouth in sudden horror, Amy Engel (12) encounters one of the many small crises that were dealt with every day in Publications class.



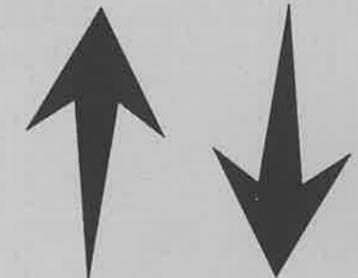
What was the best part about working on the yearbook?

"Watching MTV and having power over the pictures of the entire school."— Amy Engel (12)

"The thrill of finally completing a DPS (double page spread)."
- Mark Harbeke (11)

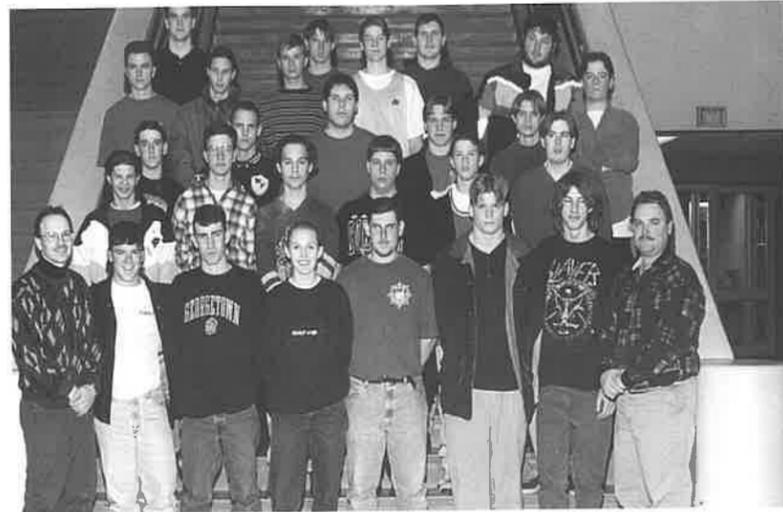
What was the worst part about working with the yearbook?

"All the long tedious hours that were spent in the boiling computer lab."— Lisa Kurtz (10)



Organization Highlights

VICA : Front row, Mr. John Bjornson, David Cleary, Danny Wiener, Tara Buckman, Bernie Fischer, Dustin Miller, Andy Nudell and Mr. Jerry Nordstrom. **Row 2,** Brock Haugen, Nick Larson, Travis Nelson, Craig Morrison, Troy Smith and Chris Olmstead. **Row 3,** Jason Cross, Mike Benson, Tyson Willis, Pat Brostrom and Cory Draeger. **Row 4,** Erick Handegard, Aaron Due and Jon Berstein.



Pep Club: Front row, Elisa Torres, Angie Myers, Amy Peterson, Mindy Hagen, some cheerleader, Bobbi Ann Ward **Row 2,** Patty McGuire, Jamie Witt, Amy Johnson. **Row 3,** Carly Meyer, Stephanie Herman, Angie Hammer, Michelle Schmidt, Vicky Berg, Kelly Heinz, Megan Morrison and . **Row 4,** Korina Busch, Amber Preston, Sarah Morrison, Renae Thies, Wendy Tritchler, Tonya Hansen and Tara Falcon. **Back Row,** Miss Kristen Osterberg, Carmen Isaak, Debbie Hogen, Debbie Hogen, Charlotte Zich, Kelly Elijah, Tracie Tingum, Moriah Edgerly and Mrs. Lisa Thompson.



VAPCOM: Front row, Thomas Kingsbury, Mike Lee, Matt Gurley and Jesse Lien. **Row 2,** Rhonda Gruber, Ryan Smith, 'Whopper' the computer, Becky Loney, Corey Laude and Blake Warner **Row 3,** Steve Lien, Landon Brinkman, Mr. Ken Janz, Jeremy Busch, Josh Olson and Josh Stompro.

Behind the scenes... Students belonged to organizations that broadened their outlooks and experiences, gave them opportunities to explore possible careers, and enrich and enliven their school and community.



Foreign Exchange Club: Front row, Jamie Witt, Mindy Hagen, Barbara Martos Collado, Damian Imre and Becky McCann. **Row 2,** Mandy Clemenson, Kari Tranby, Jonita Steinbrecher, Sarah Morrison, Nermina Porobic and Amy Engel. **Back row,** Jennifer Niekamp, Amanda Jones, Nikls Vondra, Ingvar Raugstad, Ivar Slaastad, April Batcheller and Sallie Parrott.

Peer Facilitators: Front Row, Jennifer, Oemichen, Amy Bernstein, Emily Morgan, Julie Engberg, Laney Pederson, Mrs. Howard. **Row 2,** Mandy Thoreson, Bobbi Ann Ward, Denita Linnertz, Nicole Berg, Jackie McSparron. **Row 3,** Amy Chrystl, Rebecca Loney, Dakota Kvalee, Jennifer Groen, Jamie Gilbertson.



Key Club Front Row, Amy Grover, Donna Leeman, Nancy Tate, Jackie Krei, Sarah Havelange and Rhonda Gruber. **Row 2,** Jonita Steinbrecher, Alisha Holm, Ryan Smith, Jamie Smith, Heidi Solseng and Amy Engel. **Row 3,** Suzanne El Hileh, Amber Preseton, Kacy Weideman, Jami Burbidge, Jefferson Vargas and Nick Pederson

Science Olympiads: Front row, Julie Engberg, Heidi Solseng, Heather Alberte, Corey Isaak, Brian Schott, and Mrs. Thompson. Row 2, Mrs. Baltezure, Bill Johnson, Nate Duncan, Nick Pederson, Jessie Lien and Steven Lien.



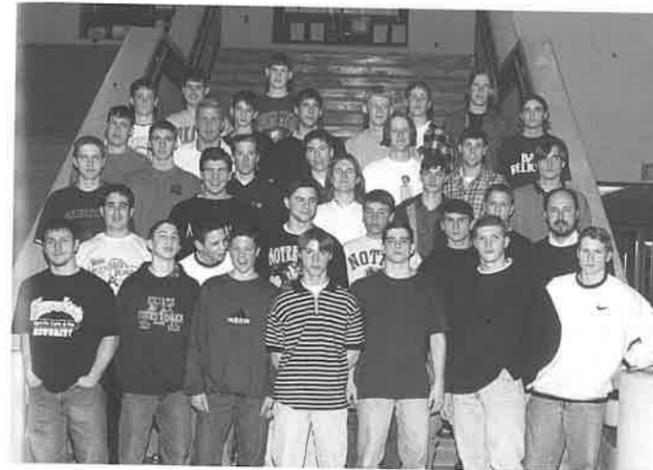
Close Up students: Front row, Elisa Torres, Danyell Bearfield, Tara Falcon and Jessie Hanzel. Back Row, Charity Speich. Not pictured: Advisor, Mr. Drue Haarsager.



Marketing: Front row, Joel Finn, Pat Tweeter, Angie Johnson, Emily Halvorson and Vicky Berg. Row 2, Sumer Aberle, Kristi Rasmussen, Tom Korsmo, Tiffany Kihle, Ben Scoville and Mr. Ron Halvorson. Row 3, Alicia Dotseth, Julie Heinz, Joe Balkovatz, Tara Belisle, Jill Lund and John Carlson. Back row, Kristi Yoney, Michelle Schmidt, Amy Johnson, Tracy Rehder, Amanda Jones and Brandon Dahl.

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Art Club: Front Row, Jenny Neuberg, Shari Wurtzberger, Stacy, Jeni Montgomery and some chick. Row 2, Monica Holden, Kim Anderson and Cassie Oberendt. Back Row, Tom Kingsbury, Ryan Smith, Leah Tilly, Josh Stompro, Corey Laude and Eric Cullen.

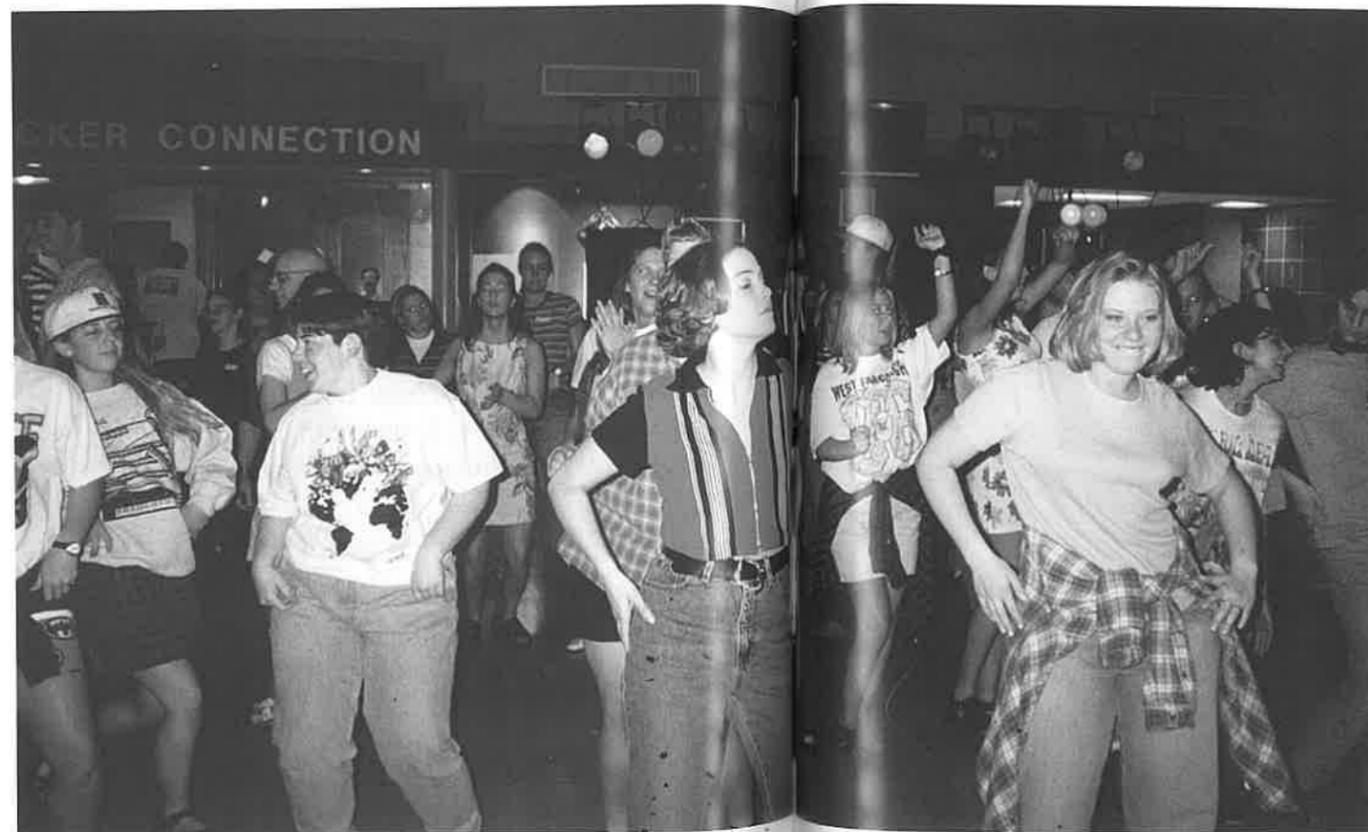


Building Trades Class: Front row, Tessa Brandsted, Jason Cross, Austin Walken, Troy Smith, Cory Krauth and Troy Christianson. Row 2, Travis Nelson, Joshua Carmichael, Jason Remmick, Cory Deger, Josh Ackerland, Jeremy Hoffman, Jon Bernstein and Ron Halvorsen.

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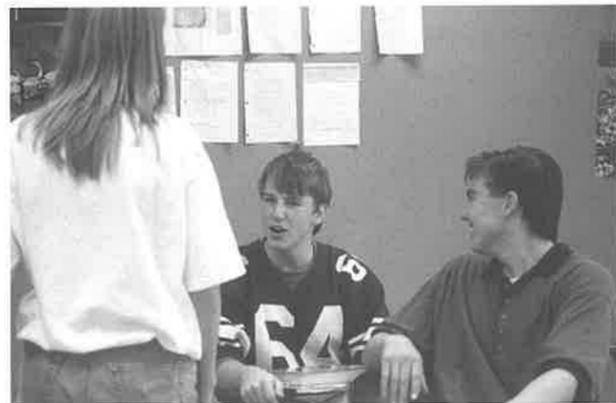
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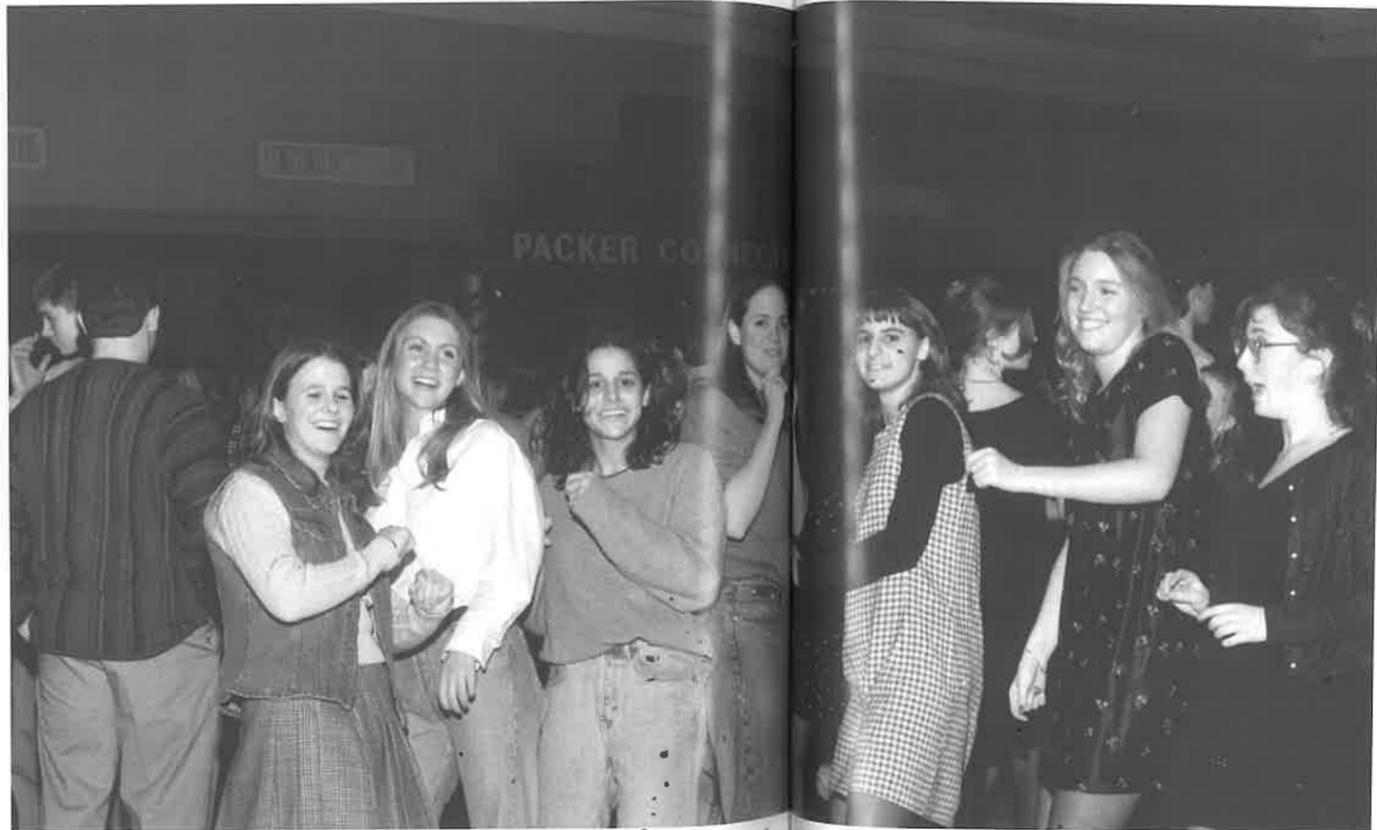
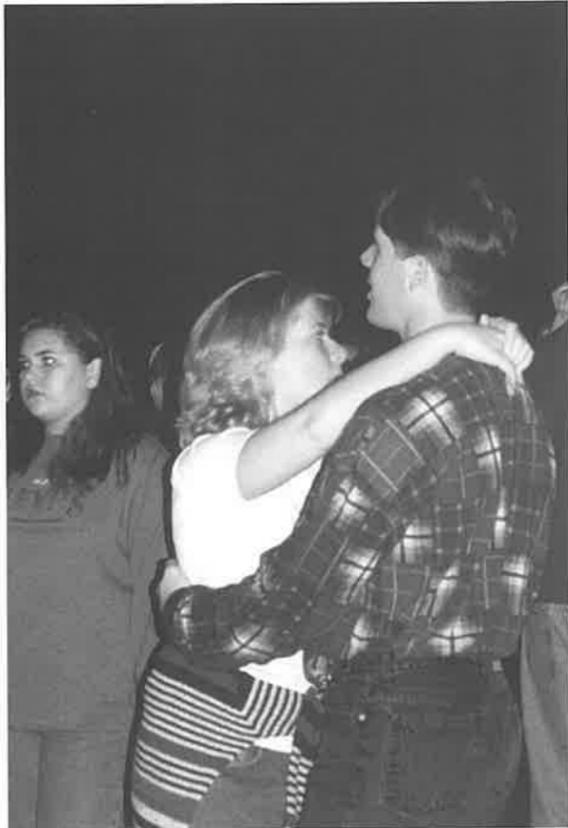
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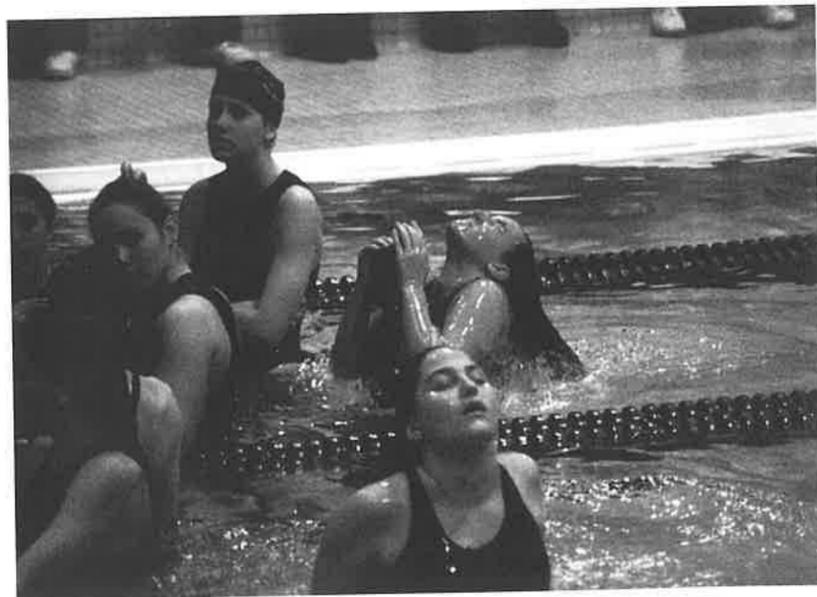
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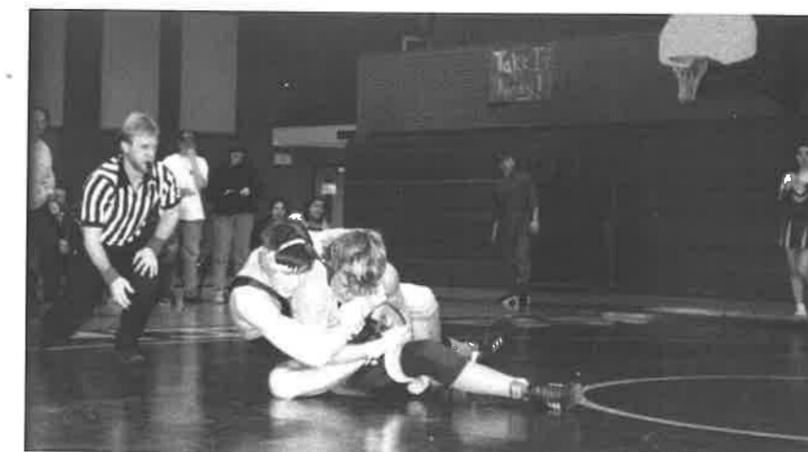
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Thanks to your family because they tolerated your absence in order for you to be here. You're a great friend, Jake (Leslie).

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At long last. Finally able to relax, Amber Preston (12) goes to her seat after giving the main address at the graduation ceremony.



Prom 1996

"A Glimmer of Twilight" delights

The sun sets on another day. Tonight West Fargo isn't rolling up the sidewalks. Instead, they are rolling out the red carpets for a "Glimmer of Twilight."

Prom 1996, held on May 4th, was attended by nearly 200 couples. Grand march began at 8:00, and lasted under an hour.

"It was cool being towards the front of the grand march," said Jackie McSparron(10).

Grand March began in the theater and continued into the commons.

The theater, the commons, and the gym were all decorated by the prom committee. The prom committee, made up of members of

the junior class, also planned the picture backgrounds and the invitations that were given to all juniors and seniors.



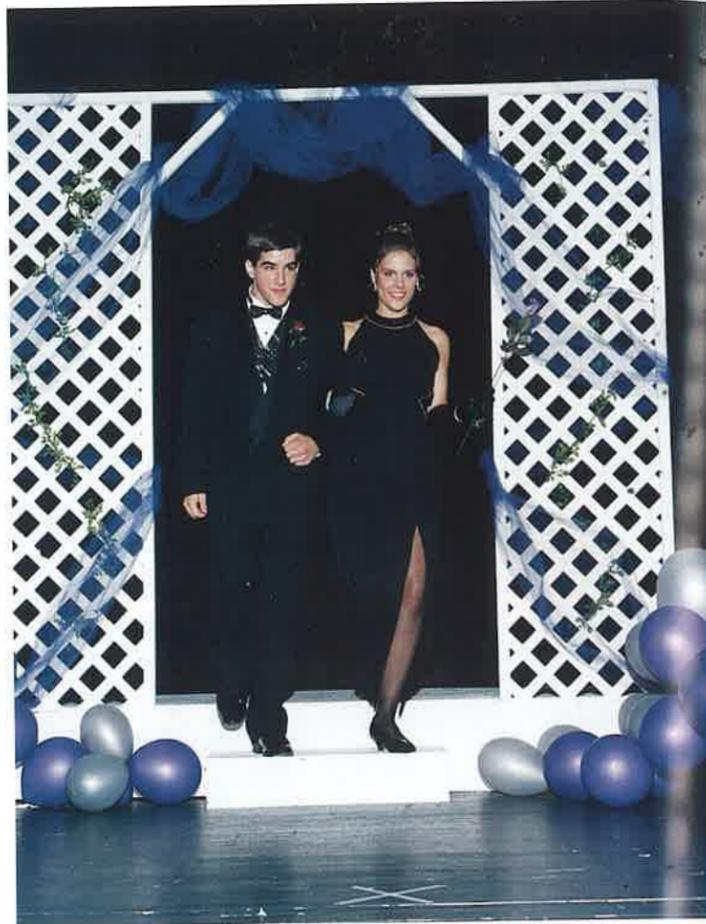
The only element that many considered to be less than perfect was the weather. As the dance ended and people walked to their cars, a light rain was falling.

"If I had to do it again, I'd do it in a second, but I'd change the weather," said Cindy O'Neill(12).

Prom was a time for many to form lasting memories.

"Because it was my senior year and many of my friends were there, it was very special," said Liann Hanson(12).

By Rhonda Gruber



Through the arches. As they walk through the theatre during grand march Ben Scoville(11) and Angie Hammer(11) pause a moment for the cameras before continuing off the stage.



Why'd the music stop? Still grooving to the tunes of Dude Walker's Music on Wheels, Amy Engbretson(11) and Darcy Gaugler(11) look around to see what interrupted the music.

"You've got to swing your hips, now". Nick Pederson(11), Carrie Devones(12), Justin Hehr(12) and 1995 graduate James Hoglund do the Locomotion.



"I can smile and dance at the same time!" Stephanie Montgomery(12) and Bret Stone enjoy "A Glimmer of Twilight" while dancing at prom.

It takes two to tango. Even though the dance floor of the gym is crowded, Shane Spieker(11) has eyes only for Kristina Webber(11).



Time out. Taking a break from dancing, Paula Lee(11), Janine Tennancour(10), Corey Blair(11), Eric Schmidt(11), Heidi Borg(10) and Josh Olson(11) sample the punch provided in the commons.



If its too loud, you're too old. Vicki Berg(11) yells for Dude Walker to pump up the music even a little louder.

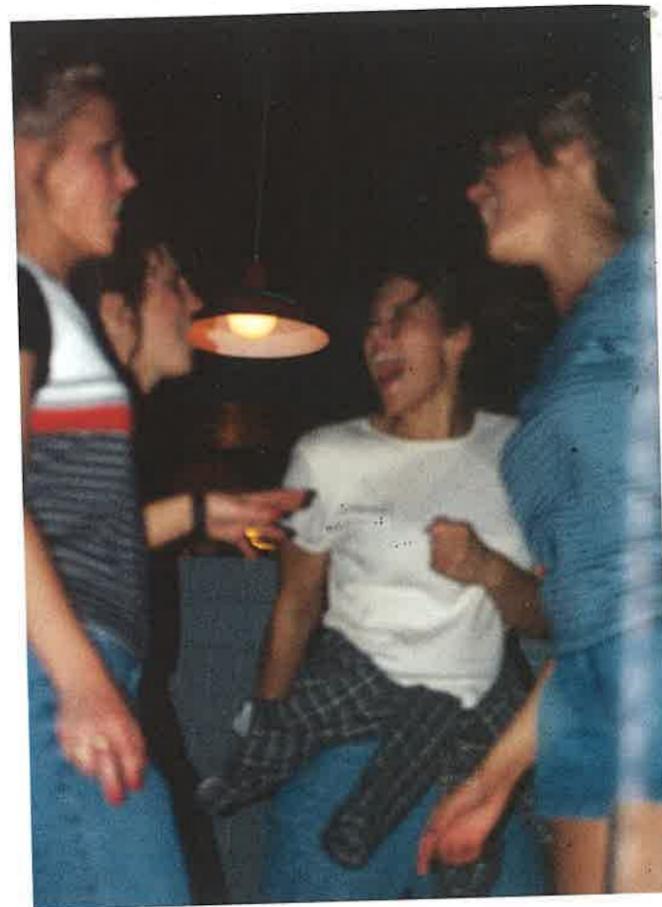
"I had a good time. It was wonderful from start to finish."--Erin Erickson(12).

"Prom was probably the most memorable moment of my senior year."--Cindy O'Neill(12).



Post-prom

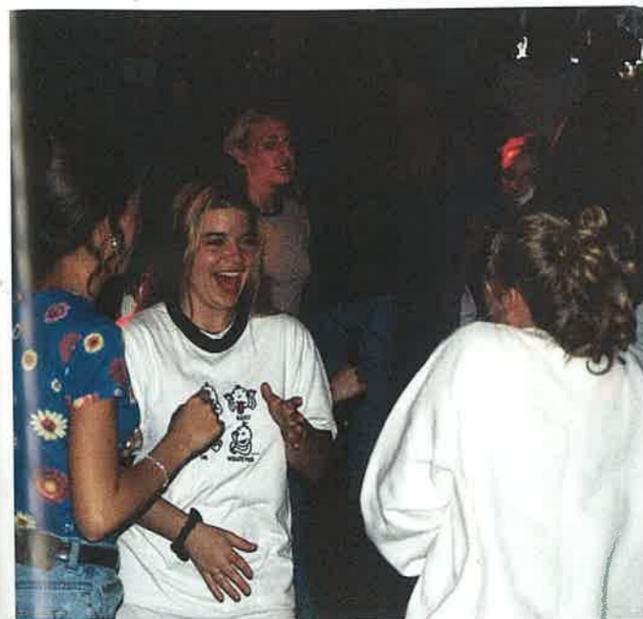
Post-prom party provides safe alternative for after-hours fun



Dance fever. (left) Dancing in MSU's Underground, Amy Peterson(11) and Angie Hammer(11) groove to the music.

So much to do at MSU. Shelly Anderson(12) and Lila Liljequist(11) dance at Post-Prom. Video games, pool, and door prizes were also available at MSU.

Everything's funnier at 2:00a.m.. Having a riotous good-time, Ingvar Raugsted(12) enjoys a good laugh at post-prom.



Smilin' happy. Heidi Borg(10) and Eric Schmidt(11) take a break from the many activities available at post-prom.

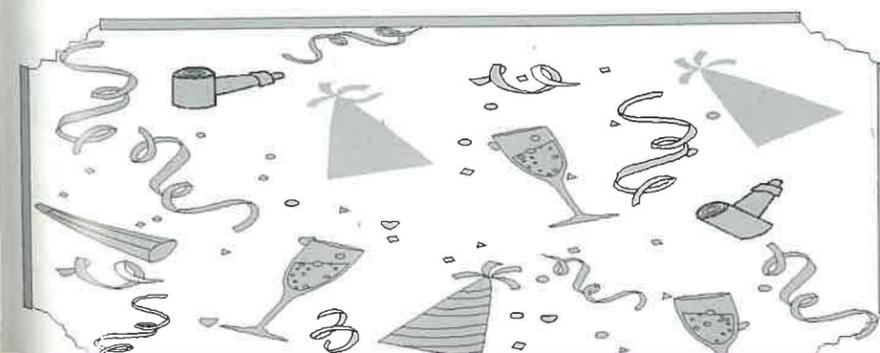
What are you having? In the Underground, non-alcoholic mixed drinks were available to students attending post-prom.



"The coolest part was when Amber Preston was singing on my karaoke machine."-- Mike Lee(12).



What did I win? A happy winner checks to see what her door-prize includes.



Graduation

Class of 1996 completes commencement exercises



We're outta here! After completing the commencement exercises, Ingvar Raugstad(12), Jessie Stromberg(12), Jaime Smith(12) and Jacob Sinkler(12) exit the Civic Center to visit with well-wishers.

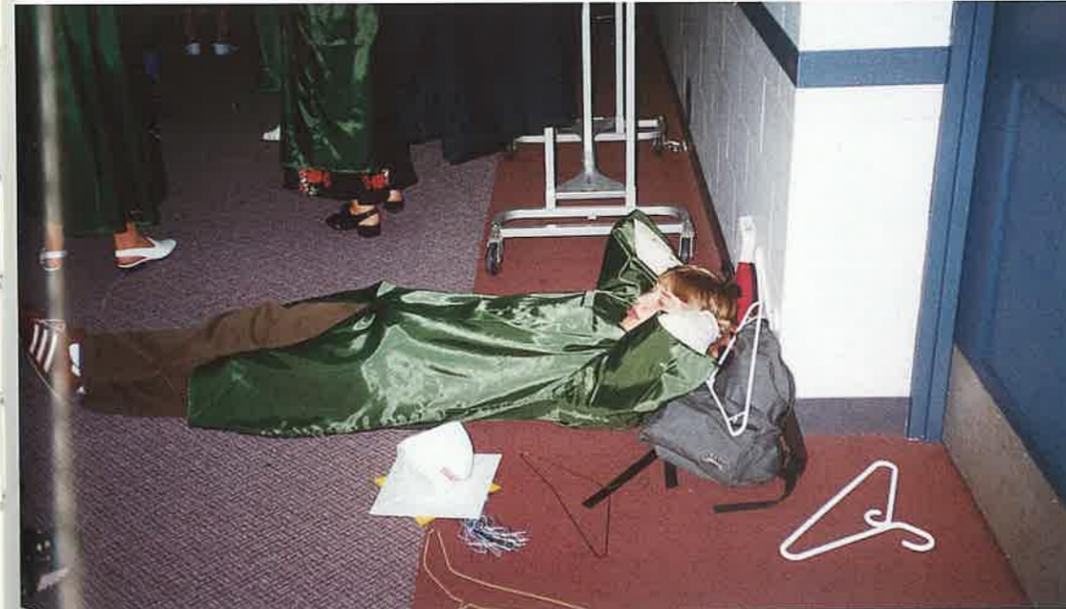
I got my diploma! I never thought it would be true. Excited about his new found freedom from school, Justin Barnum (12) smiles on his way back to his chair.

Financial reward. Recipients of the Dollars for Scholars scholarships Stephanie Montgomery(12), Jim Loberg(12), Sarah Morrison (12), and Missy Loney(12) stand to be recognized during the graduation ceremony.



Parting is such sweet sorrow. College-bound graduates Amy Engel (12) and Ericka Peterson (12) hug after the graduation ceremony on May 26th.

A time for family and friends. Standing outside the Civic Memorial Auditorium, Maria Peralta (12) invites relatives to her open house celebration.



"My favorite part was Amber mentioning the Taco Bell incident," said Sara Drew (12).



Snoozin' on the big day. While waiting for the ceremony to begin, John Zetocha (12) takes a short nap.

Class Speakers: Jefferson Vargas and Amber Preston
 "Who's Who in Navy Blue" performed by Senior Band Members
 "Bridge Over Troubled Water" performed by Senior Choir Members



Post Grad

Graduates and friends party into the night at post grad

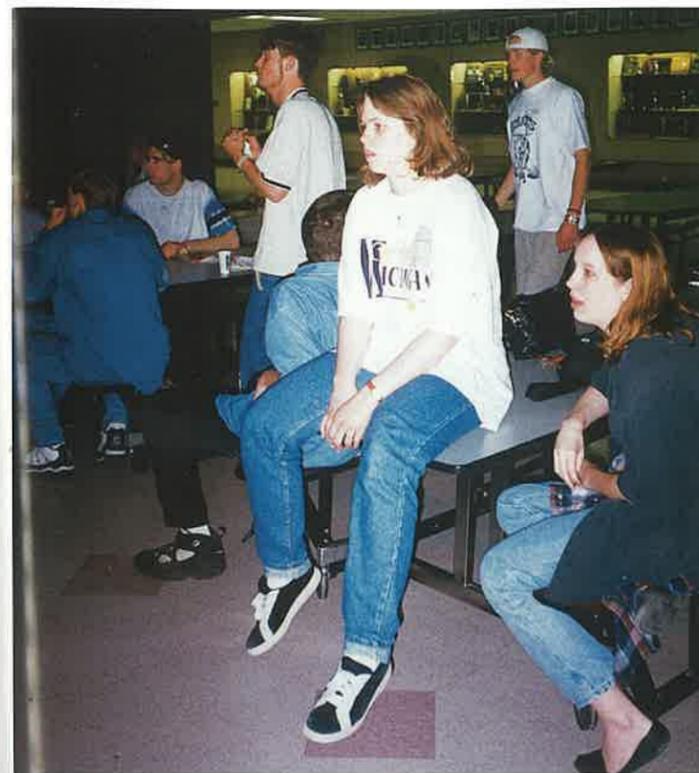


Pizza for you, pizza for me. Shelly Anderson(12) and Seth Witcom(12) share a piece of pizza.

21? Blackjack! Trying their luck at the blackjack tables, Joe Balkovatz(12) and Tony Jameson(12) hope to win the post grad cash that could be used to buy raffle tickets.



I want to dance all night. Donna Leeman(11) and Eric Schmidt(11) enjoy the last dance of the night.



So when do the door prizes start? Hoping to win the television or the cash prizes, Dawn Walth (12) and Jana Fischer (12) patiently wait.



Who knew darts could be so much fun? Ryan Smith and Nancy Tate walk away from darts the proud winners of post-grad cash.

Come dance with me! Cheri Mack(12) and a crowd of post-grad partiers groove in the commons. Hey Margarena!



