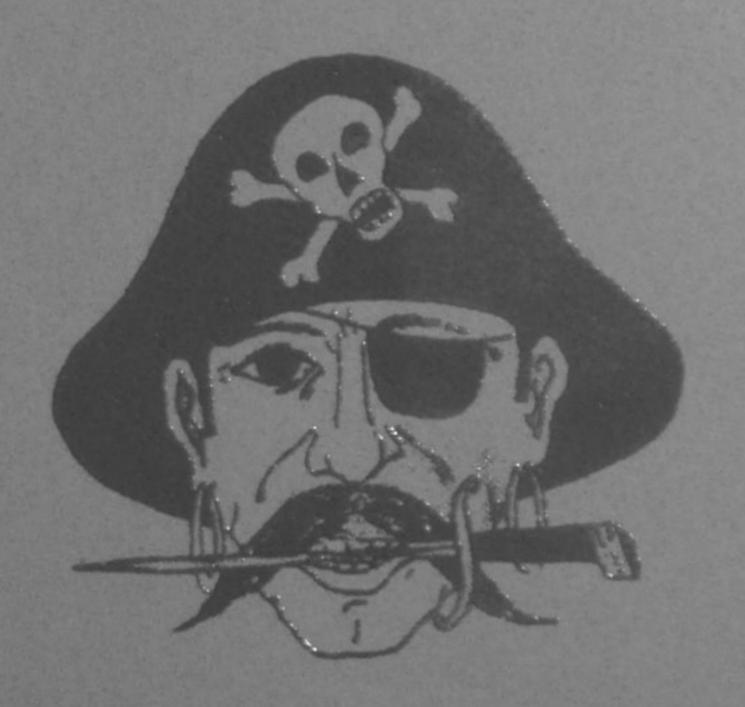
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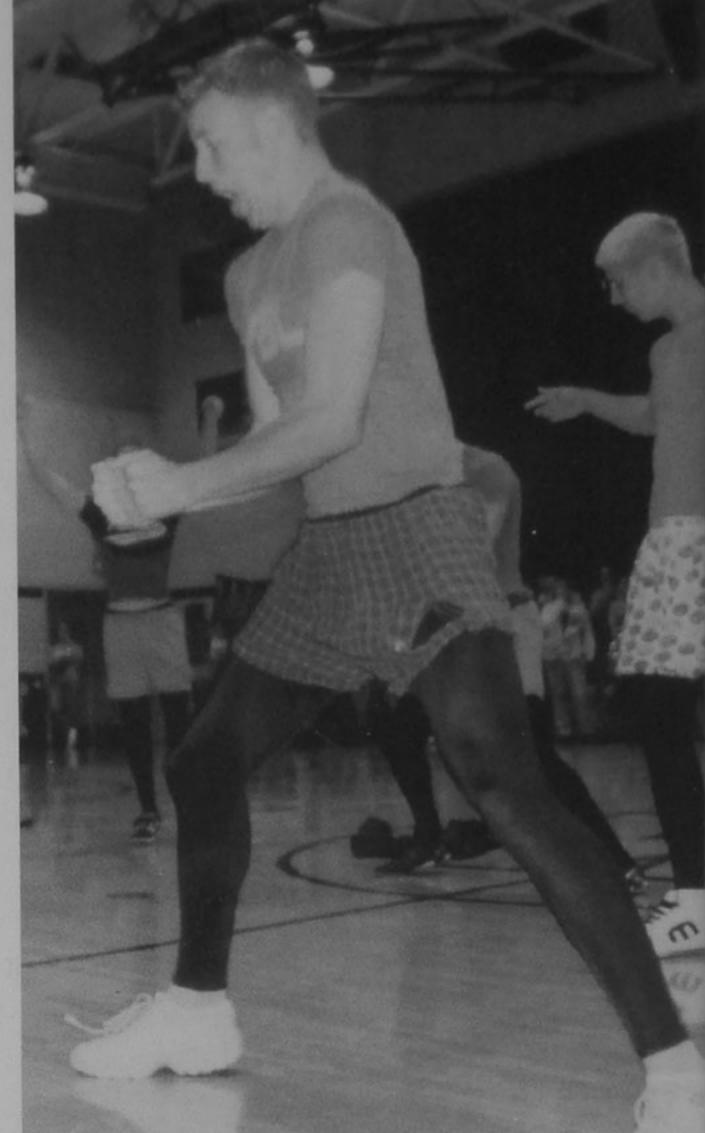
Freshman Nathan Timberlake models "the fro" during Hippie Day of Spirit Week.

Junior "cheerleaders" Paul Miller and Traves White bust a move during their dance routine.

Senior "cheerleaders" Ben Miller, Ryan Mowery, Geoff Givan, and Adam Conn do their impression of the Ninja Turtles' solar power dance.









The student body of Wheelersburg High School show their support of the school levy as they pose for a billboard photo.

e sophomore "cheerleaders" perform their spoof of the movie cream" during the pep rally.

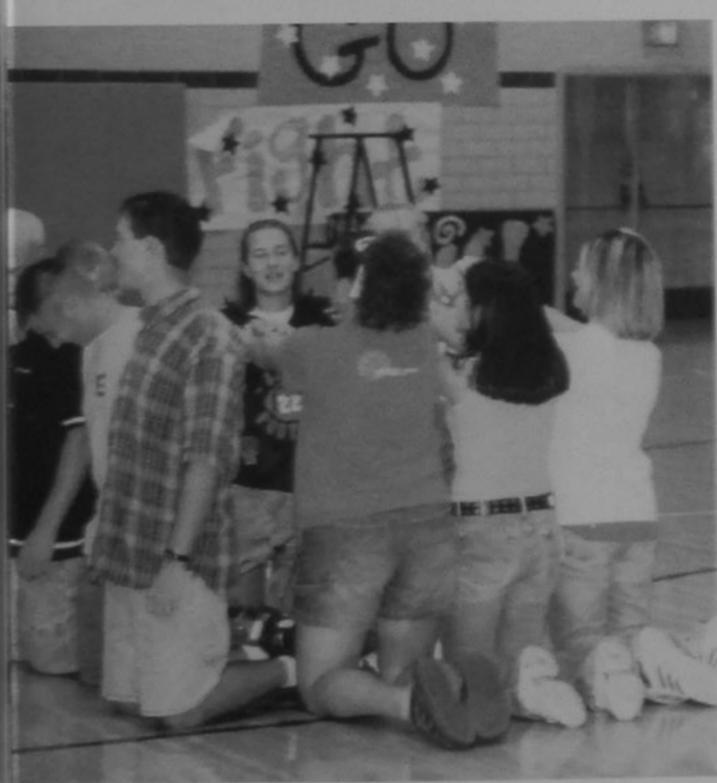


### One Of A Kind

As we started this "One of a Kind" year, we began to realize the true importance of the unique events occurring around us in Wheelersburg, in the nation, and in the world. Through ever-higher gasoline (and lunch) prices, presidential scandals and election uncertainty, the terrorist bombing of the U.S.S. Cole and the ever-increasing violence in the Middle East, students at Wheelersburg High School began to form their opinions and

express their personal convictions through informal classroom debates among the student body.

Through all of these events, Wheelersburg High School students focused on our tradition of excellence through academics, athletics, and extracurricular activities. These events and many more of 2000-2001 will lead to a singularly interesting, and "One of a Kind" school year.





At a pep rally, a group of sophomores act out their imitation of a washing machine.

Seniors Amanda Sparks, Leah Willis, Amanda Scott, and Melissa Gilcher show their school spirit during the pep rally.

Rebecca Adkins Dustin Armstrong Josh Bailey Andrea Barger gulss Michael Branon Tashana Brown Brandi Buchanan Sondra Byrd Tiffany Chamberlin Ashley Clevenger Chris Clevenger Lacy Clifton Ryan Crace Daniel Cummings Jessica Curtis

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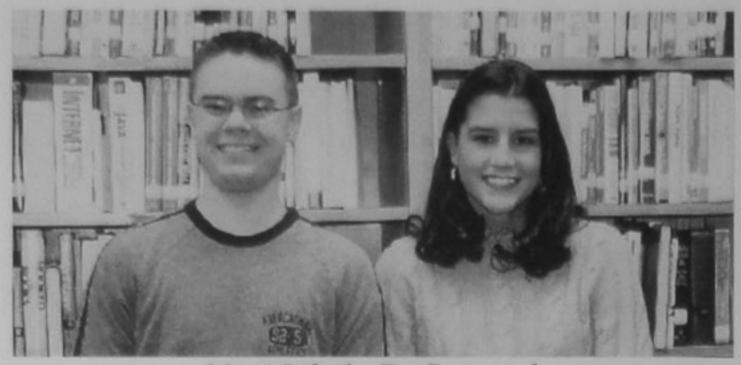


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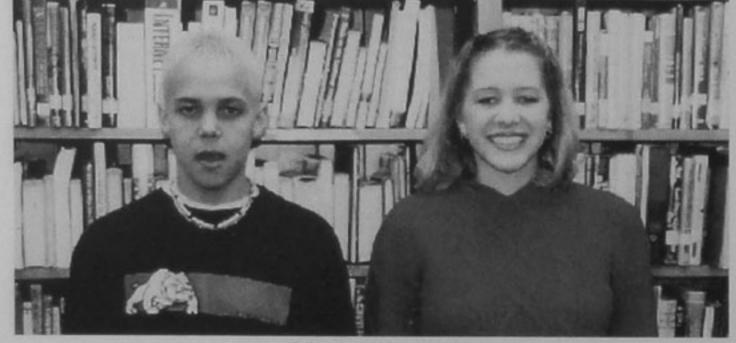
Most Likely To Succeed James Kelley and Erin Elliott



Best Personality Michael Tallerico and Keri Schwamberger



## Colors: Blue and Silver Flower: White Rose



Class Clown Seth Meenach and Elizabeth Savage



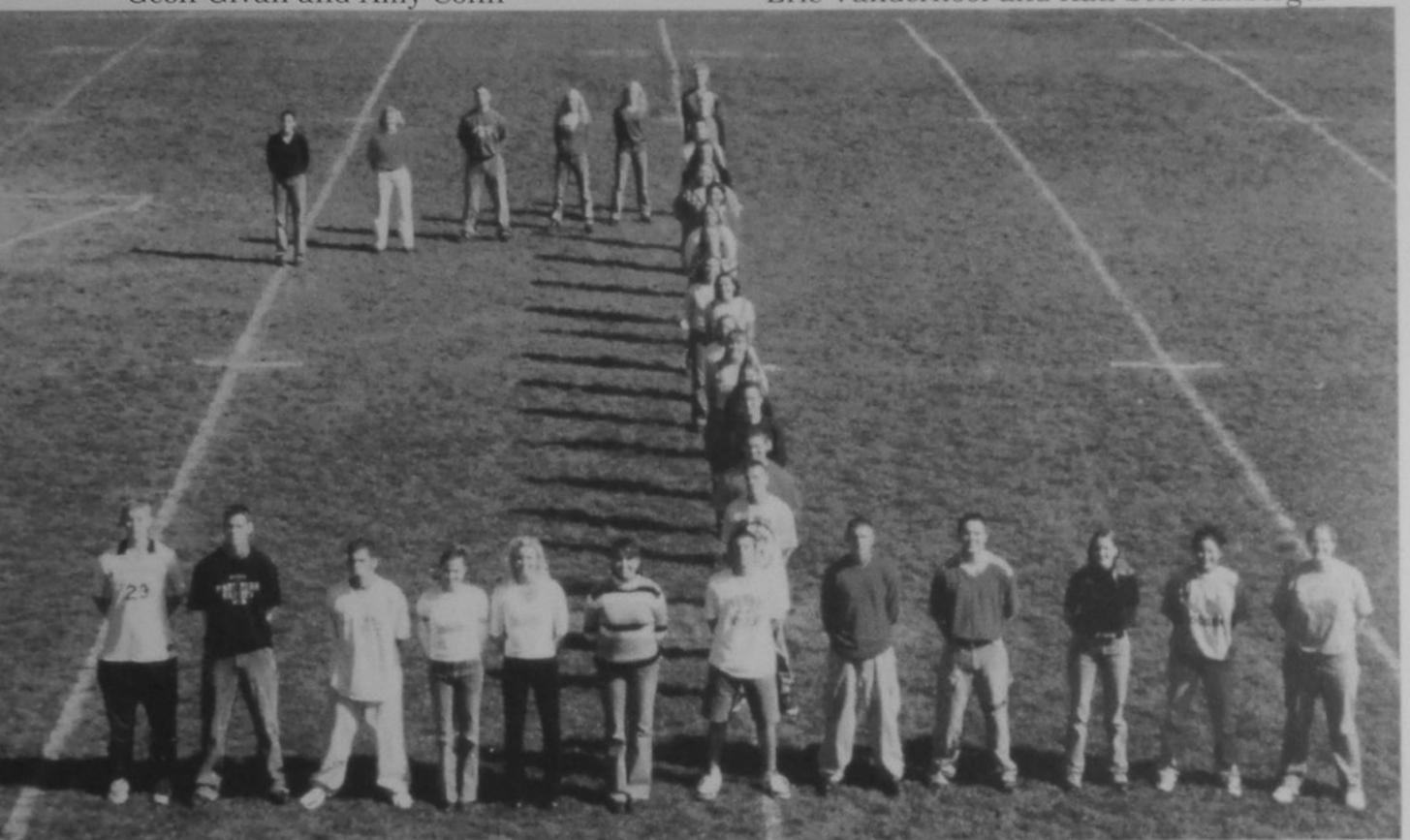
Biggest Flirt Carlos Morris and Amanda Scott



Most Athletic Geoff Givan and Amy Conn



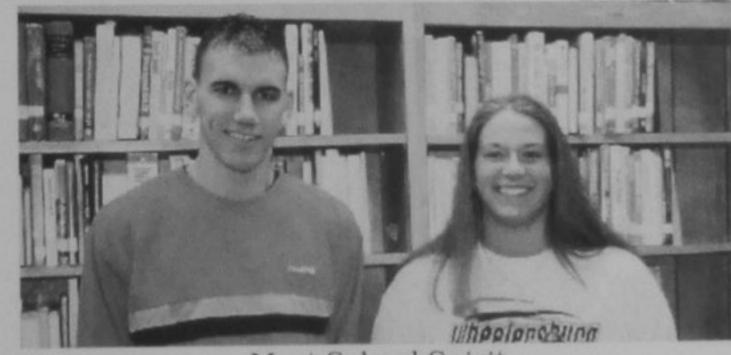
Most Involved in School Activities Eric Vanderhoof and Kati Schwamberger



Motto: "Coming together is a beginning, keeping together is progress, working together is success."



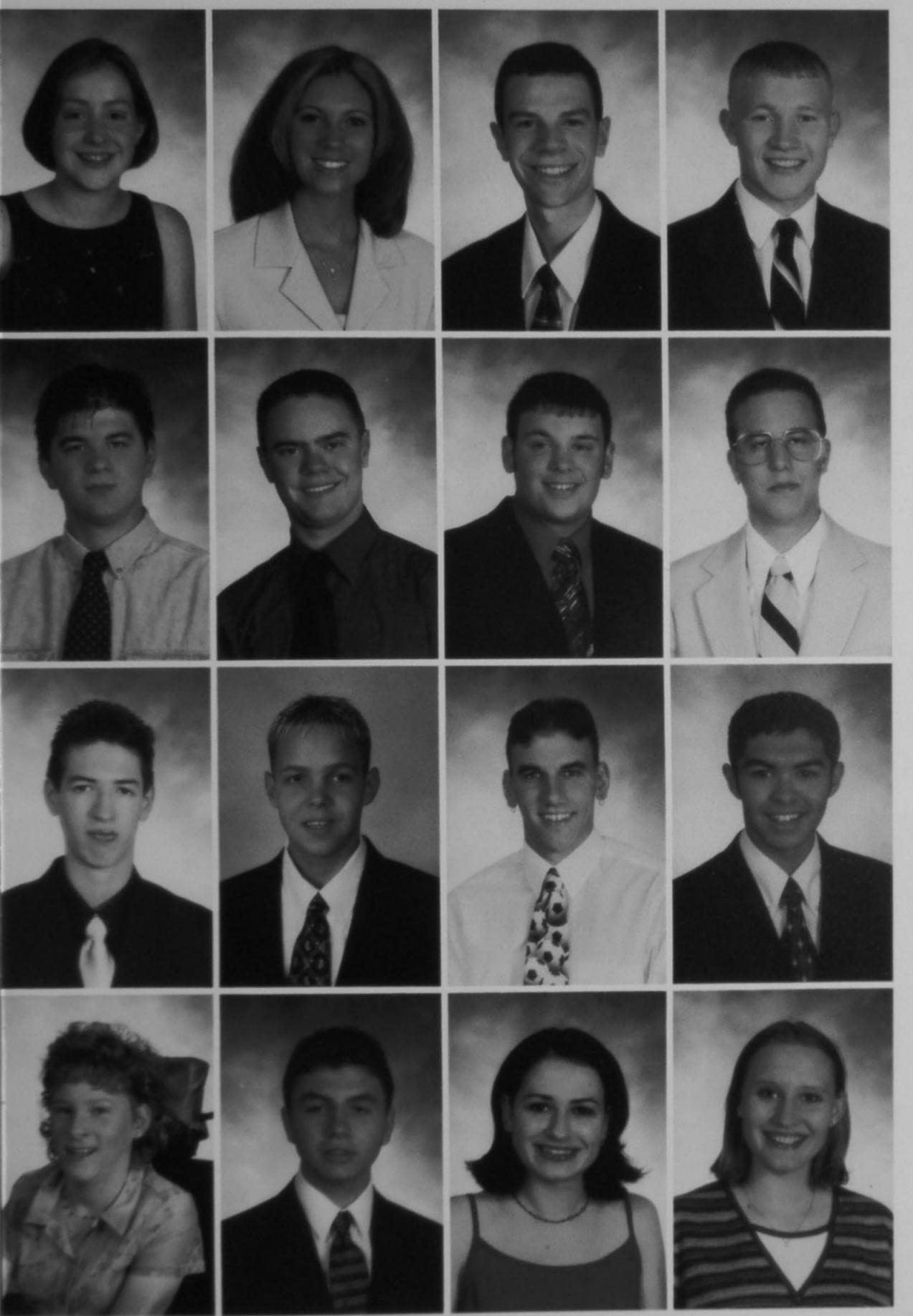
Most Popular Dusty Chamberlin and Miranda Sparks



Most School Spirit Ben Miller and Ashley Bauman

Travis Euton Jason Evans Miles Ferguson Keith Fite Amy Haas Jacqui Hall Jonathan Horton Adam Howard AME Amanda Knight Betty McCleese Amanda McGlone Bobbi Madden

Marie Moore Carlos Morris Ryan Mowery Brett Neeley



Michelle Gatton Melissa Gilcher Brandon Gills Geoff Givan

Ryan Jarrells James Kelley Andrew Kielmar John Kirby

Andy Martin Seth Meenach Ben Miller John Moody

Amy Nelson Justin Nihiser Lindsay Odell Debbie Larter Oliver

## Looking Back

It seems like our senior year has come and gone without a warning. This has been a busy year for the Seniors. Between deciding where we want to go to college and what we want to do with our lives, if often feels like nothing is definite. But one thing is for sure, the Class of 2001 is "One of a Kind".

The seniors have experienced many new things this year. The presidential election in November gave many of the seniors a chance to vote for the first time. Also a new experience has been realizing that we will soon go our own way and our friends that we have grown up with will be scattered around the country as we all be-

gin our own lives. Many priorities and responsibilities have faced us this year. However, among all of the college visits and scholarship applications, we have made things fun as well.

Who could forget the endless government notes and our daily dose of Miss Weisenberger? And what about all of the weekends with friends and trying to find things to do? What do these things have in common? They've all been a part of our senior year, and in one way or another, we will miss them all.

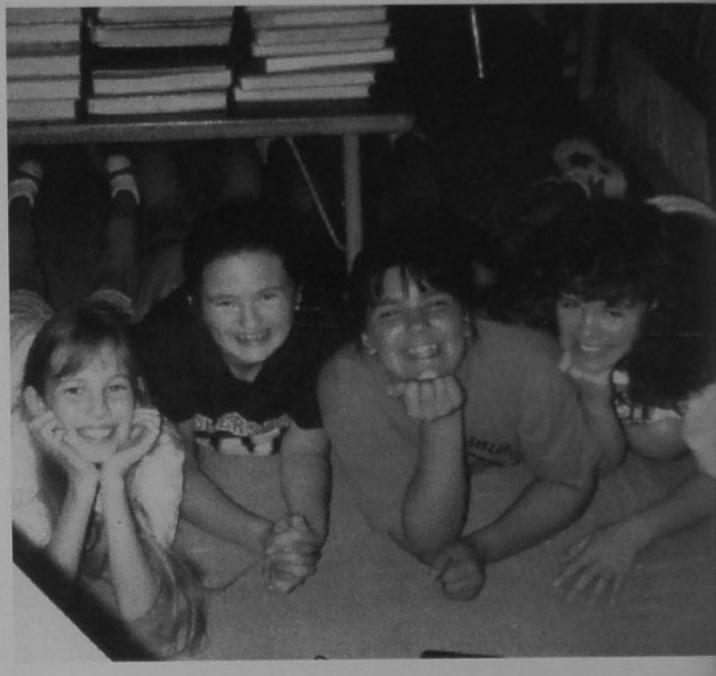
As long as we have waited for graduation to come, we will all miss each other and high school in general from

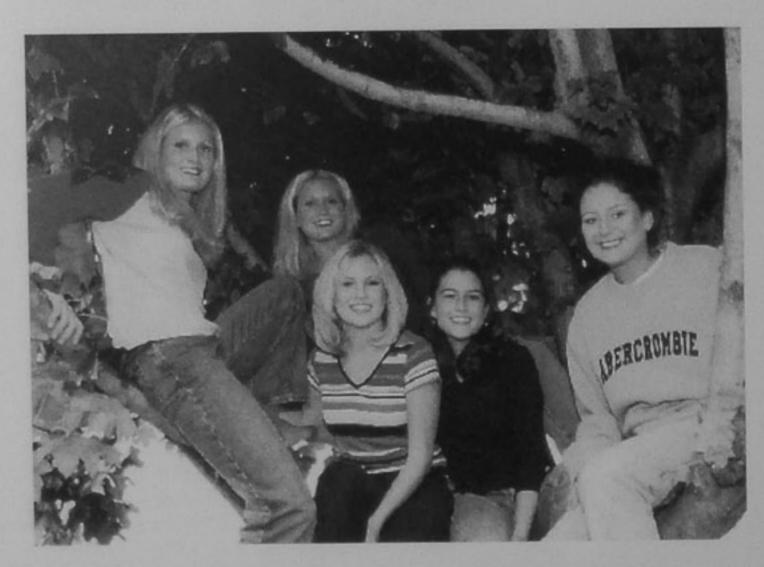
of us moves on in our own direction, we must remember that friendships are forever and high school memories are truly "One of a Kind".

The 8th grade boys' football team relaxes in the stands while watching the 7th grade team play.

Eric Sweeney poses for the camera as Jennifer Cannon and Debbie Larter smile in the background.

Leah Willis, Amanda DeCamp, Amanda Cook, and Bobbi Madden smile for the camera on the last day of 6th grade.





Senior Class Officers: Kati Schwamberger, Vice President; Keri Schwamberger, Treasurer; Leah Willis, President; Erin Elliott, Secretary; Miranda Sparks, Class Representative.

In their junior year during After Hours, Ryan Mowery and Dusty Chamberlin perform "Love Shack".









Michael Tallerico kicks back on the bus during his kindergarten field trip.

The CATSI minor leage baseball team, including many of the "seniors", is coached by dads Guy Givan and Jack Branon.





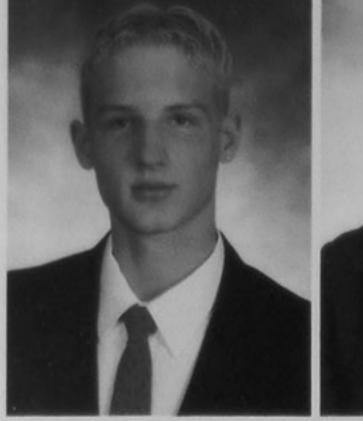


Justin Bays and Brandon Gills enjoy a train ride to Bob Evan's Farm at Rio Grande.

In 5th grade, these "seniors" vowed to be "Forever Free" from drugs and alcohol.

Josh Parlin
Adam Payton
Michael Perkins
Steven Phillips
Dené Piguet
David Porter
Kaley Pratt
Sara Pratt
Kris Ruggles

Aleah Savage Elizabeth Savage Kati Schwamberger Keri Schwamberger







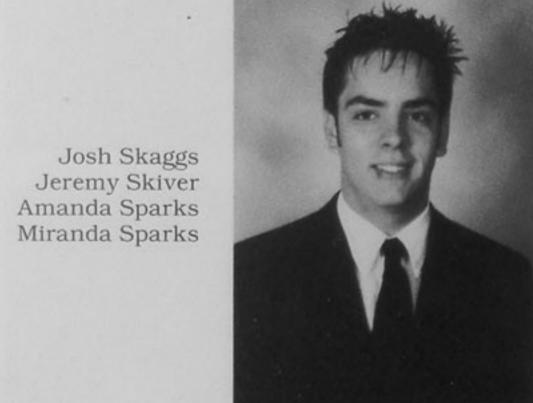


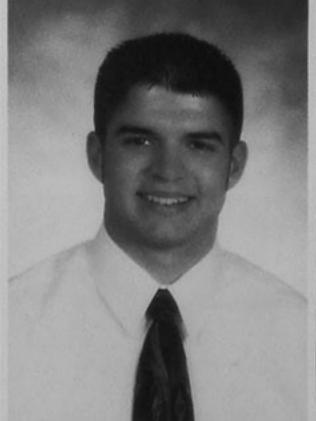






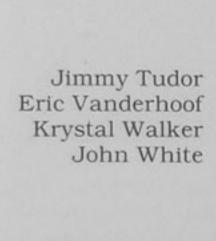


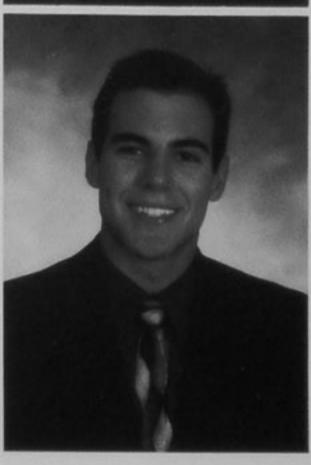




















Erin, Geoff Givan and Ben Miller pose on the float before the parade begins.

Erin confidently steps to the microphone in her interview attire.

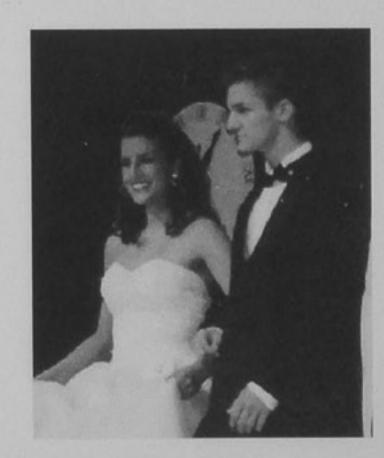






The Pirate marching band nears the end of the exhausting parade route.

Erin smiles for the camera after she is crowned as first runner-up.



Daniel Cummings escorts Erin down the steps to answer her final question of the pageant competition.





Erin waves to the crowd from atop her Pirate theme float.

The cheerleaders stop and smile for the traditional parade route photograph.



rin waits anxiously to begin the dance routine to "Born to Be Vild".

### River Days

Erin Elliott was selected by the Wheelersburg High School student body to represent them as their 2000 River Days candidate. She worked hard all summer to prepare for the parade and pageant. On the parade route Erin rode on a pirate ship and had help passing out candy to the children along the parade route from pirates Geoff Givan and Ben Miller. Erin's float won first place in its division of the commercial float competition. At the pageant Erin first appeared in her interview attire as she was introduced to the packed gymnasium at Shawnee State University. After a quick

costume change, she came out in a spunky disco outfit and danced to "Born to Be Wild" in the talent section as the "Erin" cheerblock yelled enthusiastically for her. A new addition to the pageant was the swimsuit competition. Near the end of the pageant, Erin impressed the crowd and judges with both her pink gown and her speaking skills as she answered a final question. As the crowd anxiously awaited the results, the fans from WHS erupted with applause and cheers as Erin was crowned as first runner-up of the Miss River Days Pageant.

Freshmen Josh Leesburg and Jenny Castle enjoy their first "Spirit Week" activities.

Junior Emily Hehl models her "Spirit Week" outfit before the big game with PHS.

Tim Hall stands on Keith Clevenger as the sophomore "cheerleaders" lead their class at the pep rally.

Seniors lead the cheer block at the first home football game against rival Ironton.









Mrs. Swiss models her leopard Halloween outfit as many of the teachers get involved in the holiday spirit.

"Peace, Man" from Kati Schwamberger, Erin Elliott, Miss Weisenberger, Keri Schwamberger and Andrea Barger during senior English class.





## Class of 2002

Junior Class Officers: Aaron Sturgeon- Secretary Jill Queen- Treasurer, Micah Riffe-Class Representative, Billy Deaver- Vice President, Andrew Burleson- President.

Potts and Stiffy construct the gate for the "Wizard of Oz".

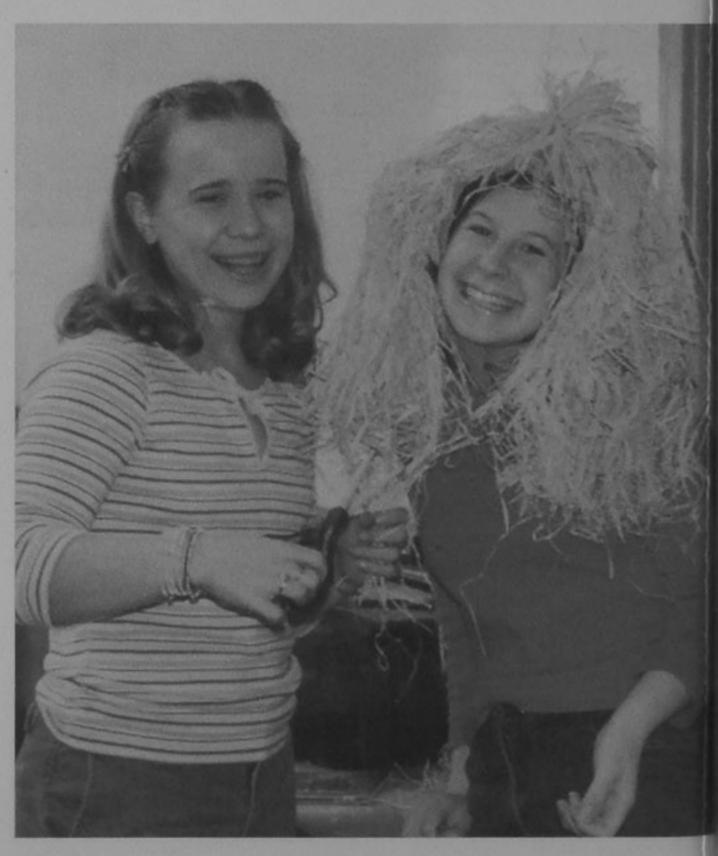


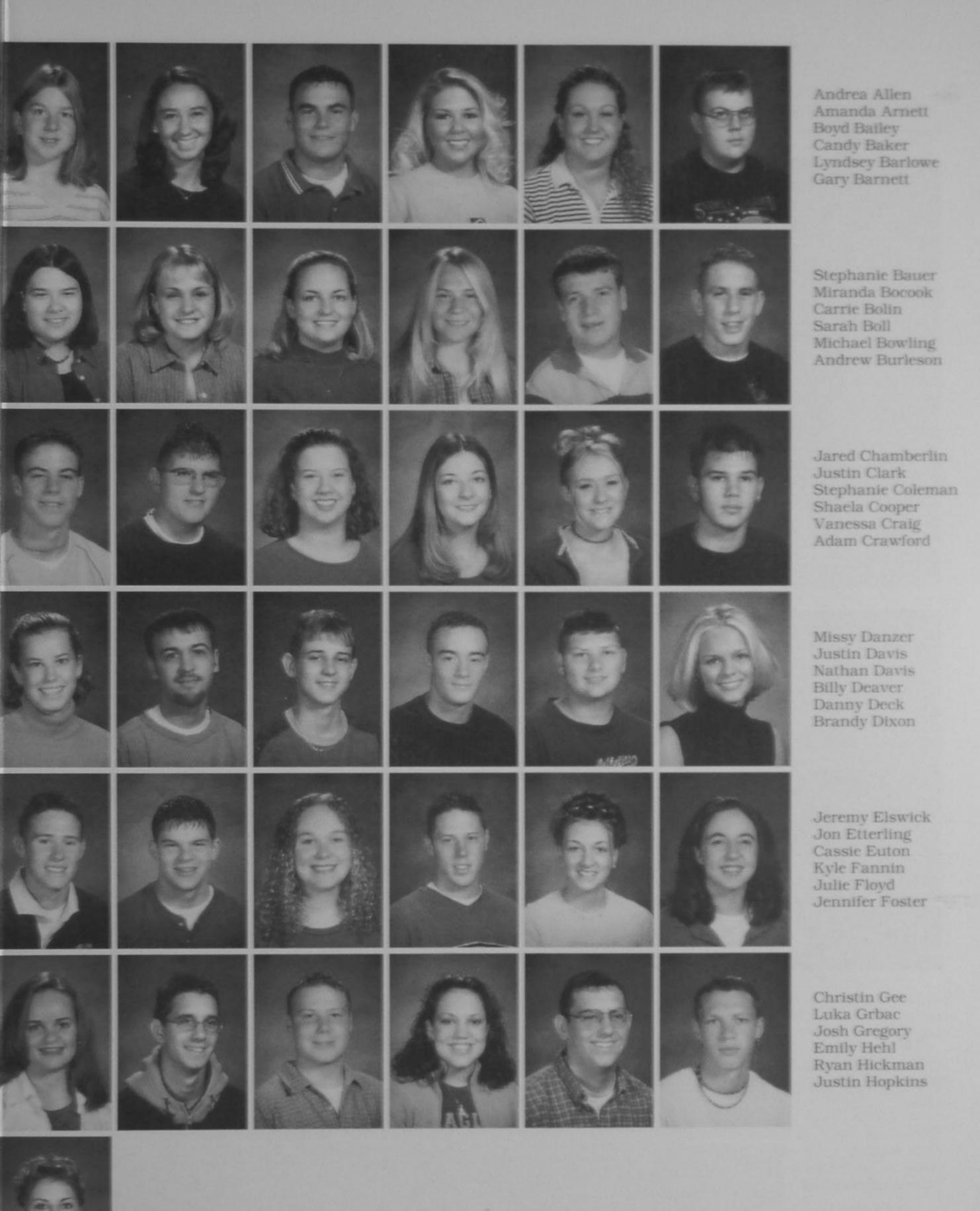




Megan Murphy paints a mural on the library wall.

Bethany & Nancy try on the lion's mane before the Spanish play.

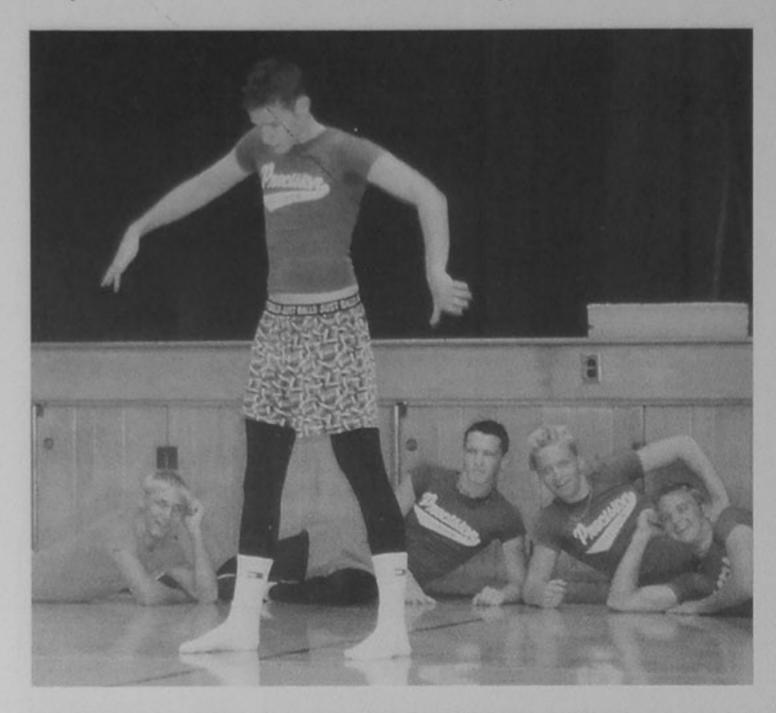




Ashley Horton

Jeremy impresses the student body with his "robot" routine.

Nancy Keller grabs as much money as she can in the Tube of Money.





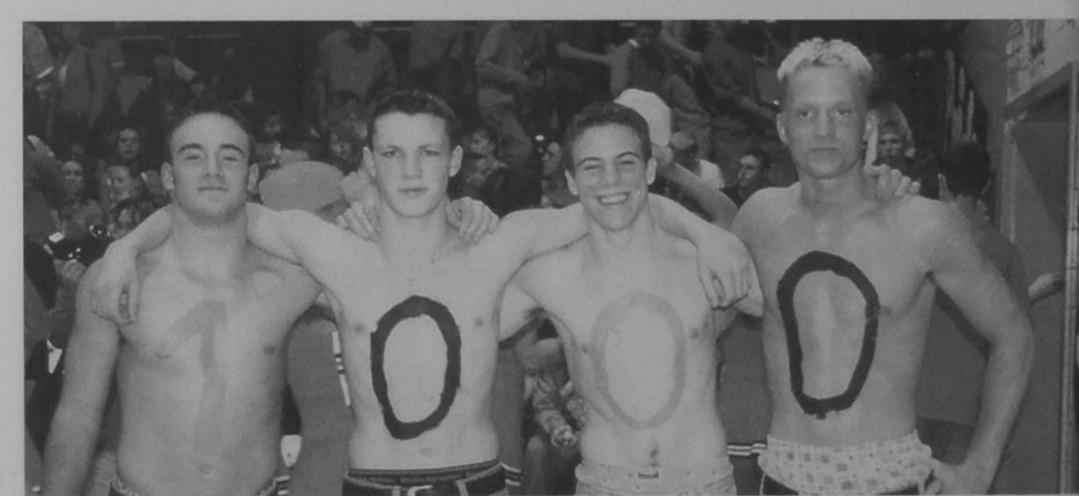




Jillian Queen performs "Fly" by the Dixie Chicks during After Hours.

Carrie Bolin plays the role of the narrator in the Spanish play.

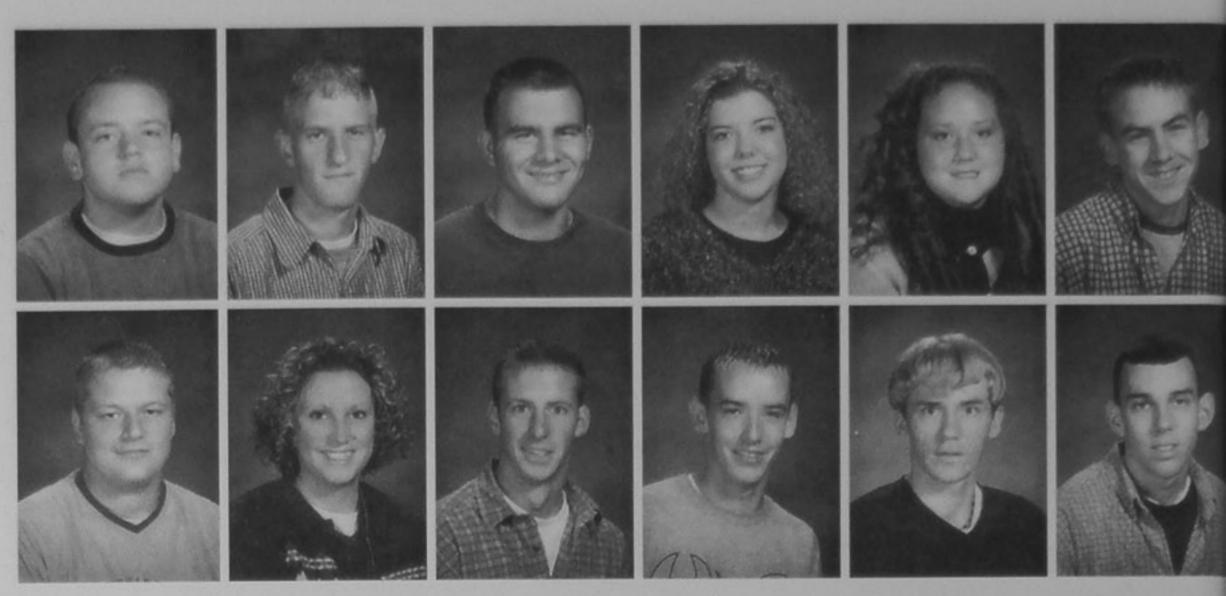
Billy, Hop, Jared, & Tim show their support for Andrew Burleson as he dunks his 1000th point in basketball.



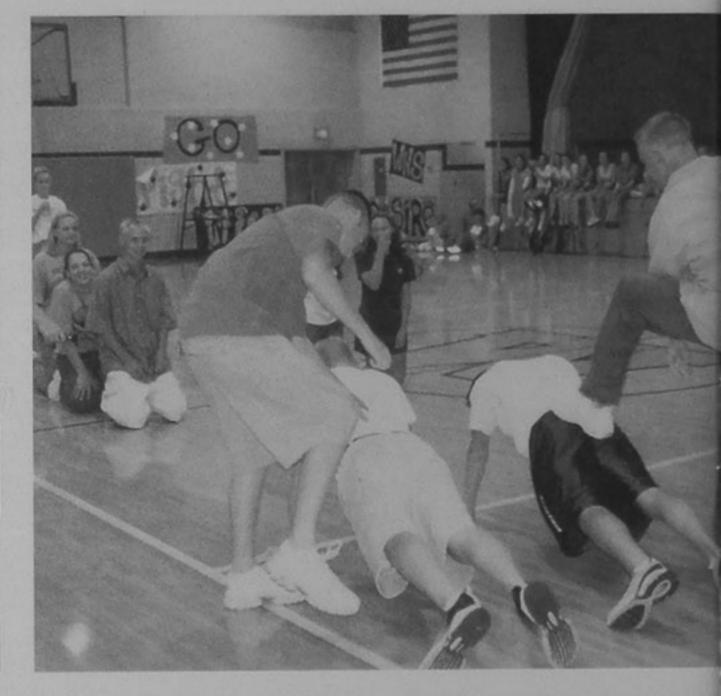


Eric Salyers Alan Siegfried Matt Sisler Lyndsey Sizemore Ana Skaggs Lee Slusher

Mike Smith Keelie Snider Aaron Sturgeon Josh Thompson Jeremy Triggs Erik Vicars







Shaela, Lyndsey, Amanda, Ashley, & Salyers smile for a quick picture at After Prom.

The Juniors "mow the grass" at an exciting pep rally.

Paul, Hop, Jeremey, Tim, & Traves perform their spectacular "cheerleading" routine for the student body.





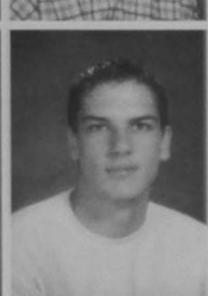




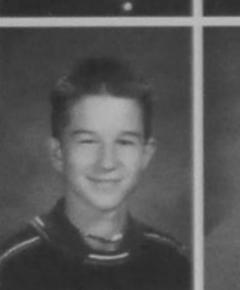


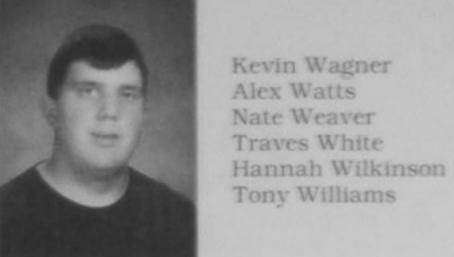




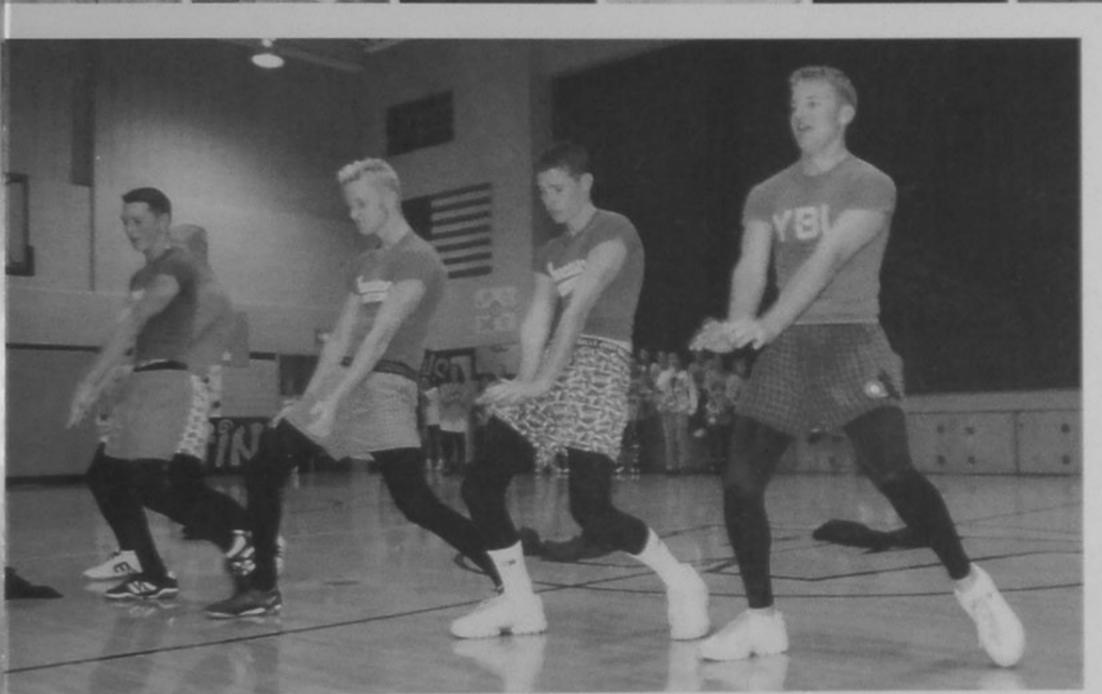










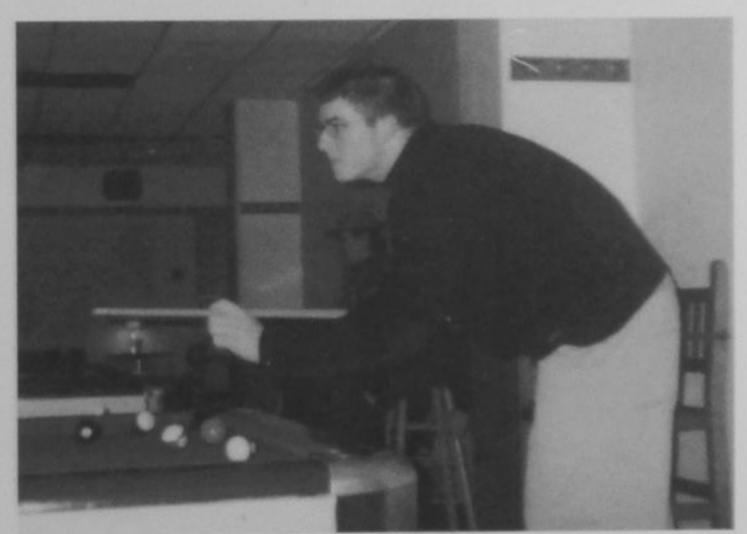


The "cheerleaders" amaze the crowd with the dance portion of their routine.

Aaron Sturgeon portrays a Union soldier while the select and mixed choruses perform "Brother My Brother".





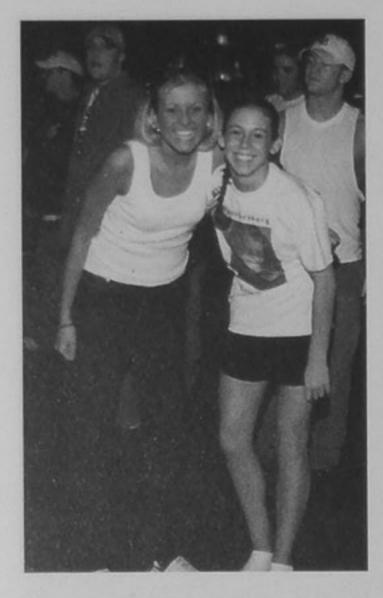


Debra & Julie create a tree for the French play.

Justin Clark relaxes between quiz team matches of the Bobcat Buzz-In at Ohio University.

## Class of 2003

Sophomore Class Officers: Diane Moody- Treasurer, Brennon Giles- President, Jenny Lyon- Class Representative, Brooke Emnett- Vice President, & Julie Allen- Secretary



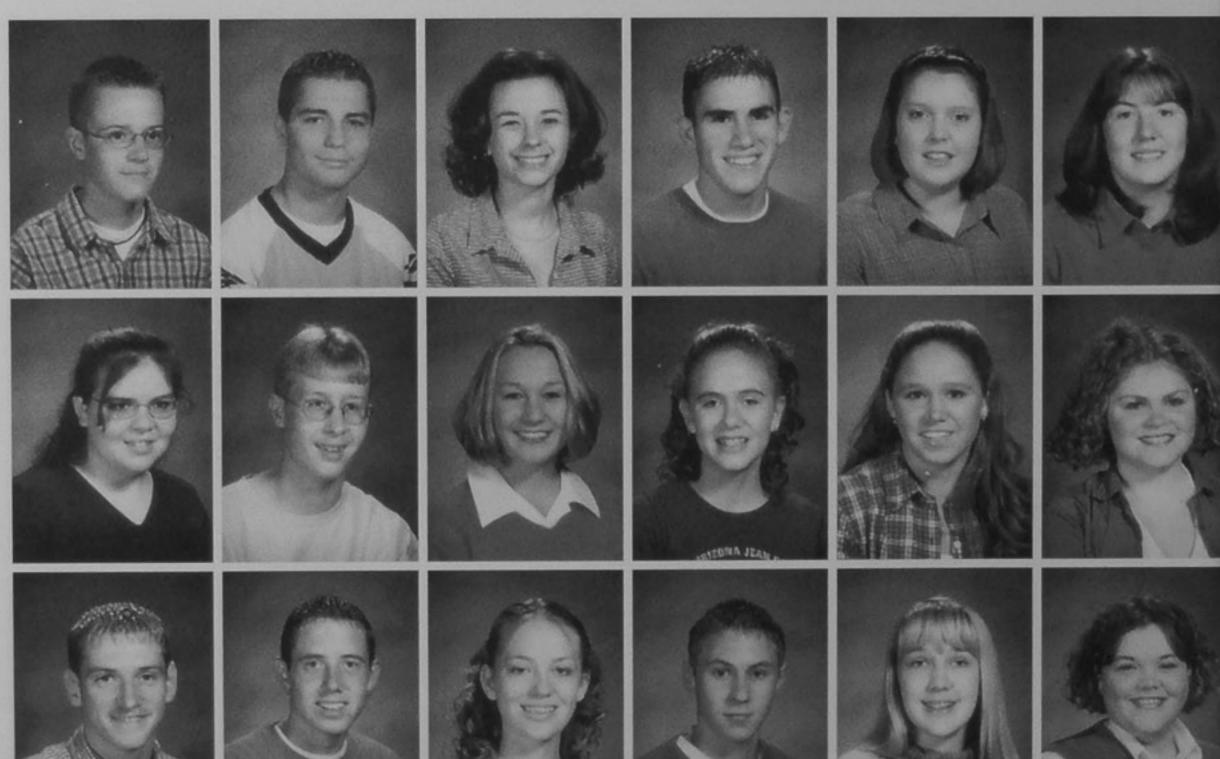
Brittany & Erin take a break from dancing to smile for a picture.



Mike Adkins Miles Adkins Julie Allen Jeff Apel Megan Armstrong Trina Ashley

Kayla Bailey Daniel Beach Jordan Bihl Tara Blankenship Tiffany Boggs Jennifer Bowers

Mark Bowling Josh Bradshaw Cassie Branham Michael Brannigan Jessica Brumfield Meagan Burk





Brooke, Erin, Tiffany, & Lyndsay pose with their 2nd year award at the scholarship reception.

Krista Vicars & Emily Mershon work in the computer lab.

The sophomore "cheerleaders" entertain the crowd during a pep rally.







Erin Bussa Adam Carrington Stephanie Chandler Michelle Clement Keith Clevenger Thomas Coe

Rebecca Collier Brandon Conn Beth Culver Megan Darling Eddie Deemer Heather Dixon

Dustin Drake Brooke Emnett Justin Evans Tiffany Evans Josh Fannin Jimmy Floyd

Julie Allen portrays "Sister Ann" in the Shaker worship service during the Spring Arts Festival.

Garrett Williams plays the guitar in the song "The Freshmen" during After Hours.

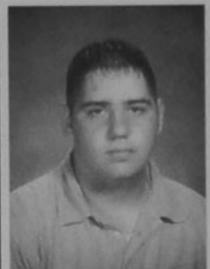




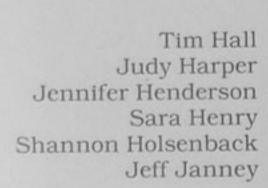
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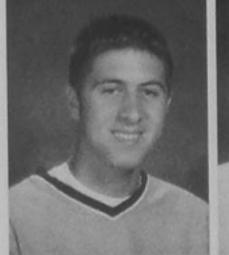












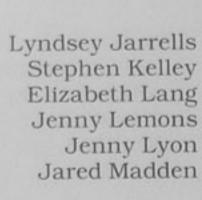














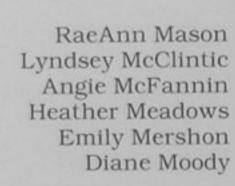














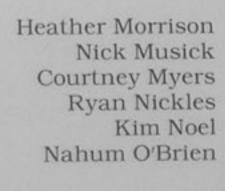














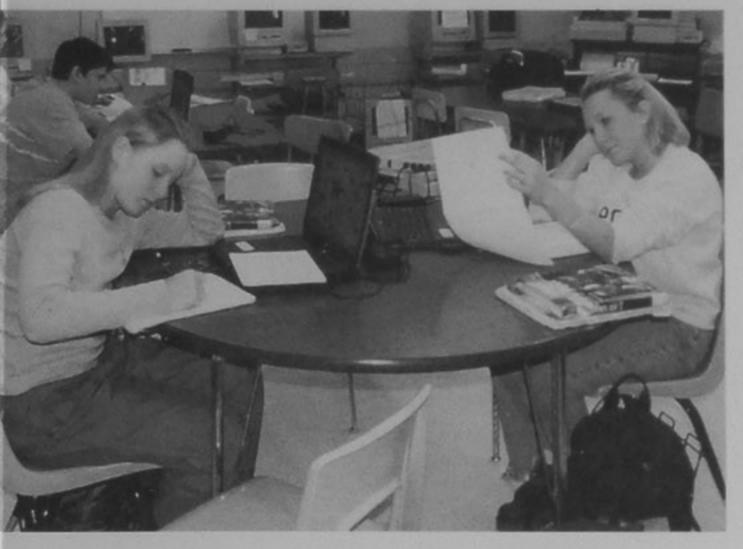














Michelle, Jordan, and Stew work on their resumes on Inspiration during I.S.

RaeAnn smiles while working in the library.













Scott Oppy Lyndsay Parker Ashish Pattel Chris Perkins Joey Perkins Chason Perry



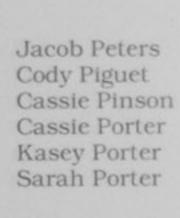




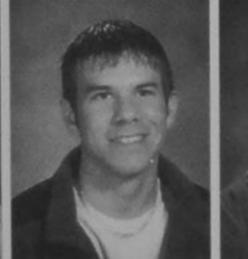










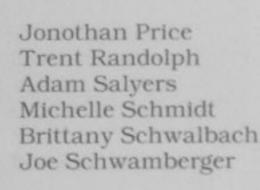








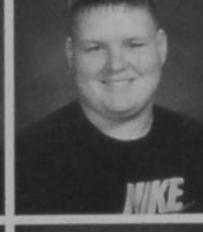






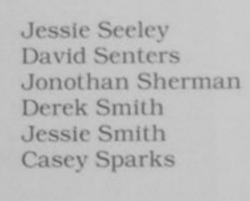












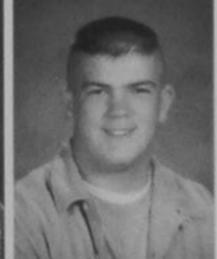




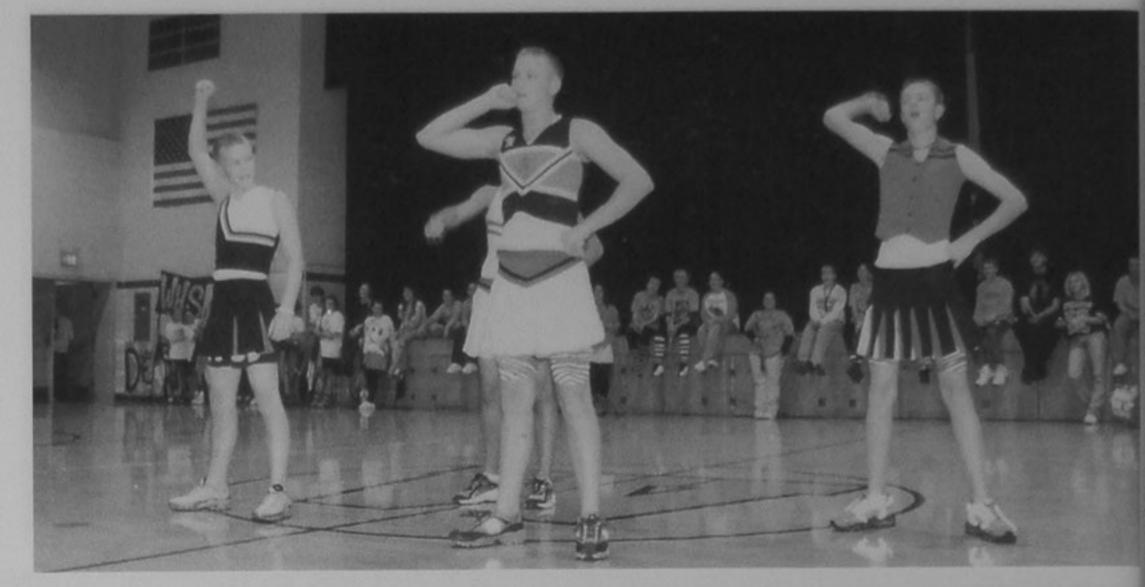








Sara Srofe Rachel Staley Heath Steele Brian Stewart Jay Stone Heath Sullens



The boys lead the crowd in a cheer during the pep rally.

Adam Carrington performs the song "The Times They are a Changin" at After Hours.





Soloist Jessica Brumfield impresses the crowd while singing in the "Shaker Worship Service."

The students enjoy the chance to talk during the lunch period.











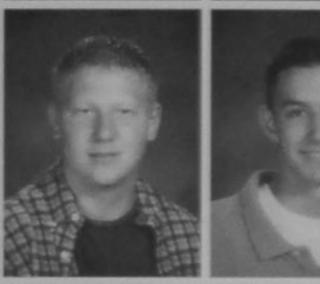






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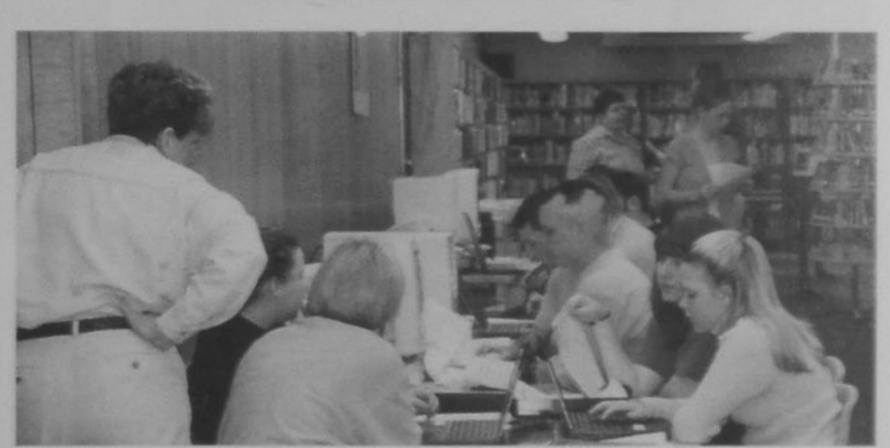




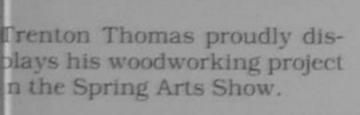


Samantha White Garrett Williams Craig Wolfenbarger









Mrs. Carmon assists some sophomores with registering online for their junior year.



Eddie Deemer works on an assignment in the library.

Chason Perry is attacked by the "cheerleaders" during the rally.

# Class of 2004

Freshmen Class Officers: Maggie Howe- Secretary, Jenny Royse- President, Kevin Gulley- Vice President, Holly Porter- Class Representative, & Amanda Pyles- Treasurer

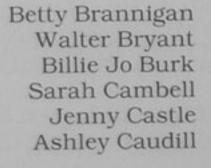
NEDT Exam Certificate Awards. Row 1 (Superior): Michael Nelson, Jacque Murray, Jenny Royse, Corey Reed, Kevin Gulley. Row 2 (Superior): Johnpaul Adams, Josh Cowgill, Sheena Murphy, Greg Weddington. Row 3 (Outstanding): Holly Porter. Absent: Austin Wilkes.

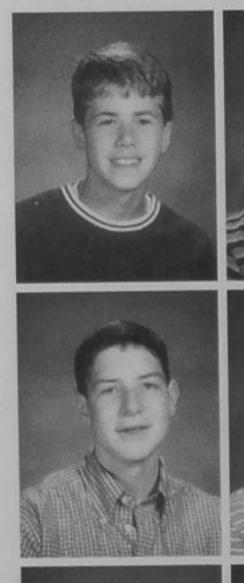


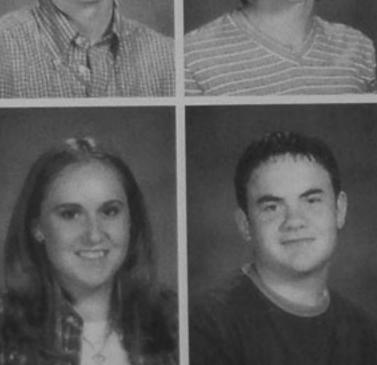


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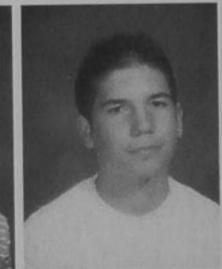
Nathan Beam Alesha Bell Landon Bentley Kellie Blair Brittany Boggs Charlie Bond

































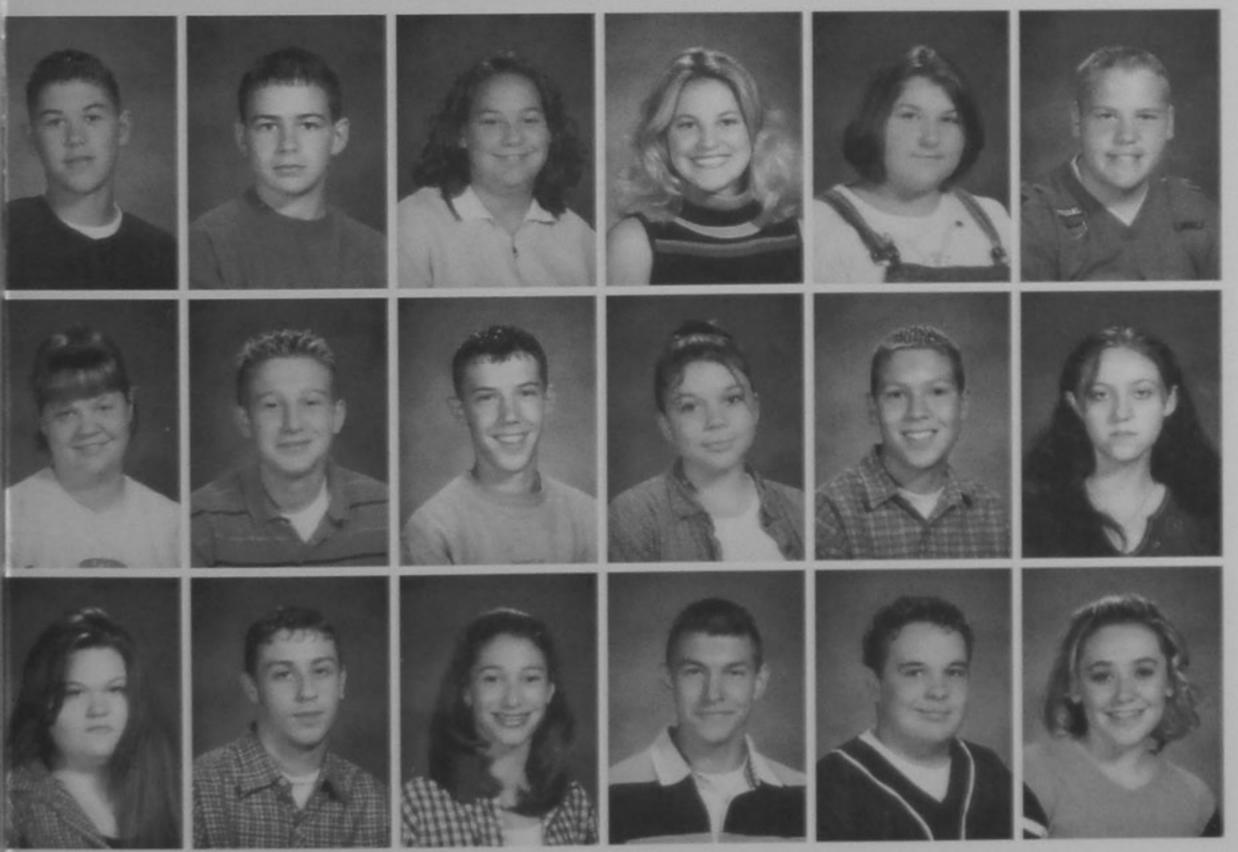
Maggie & Ashley work together to complete an English assignment.

These freshmen "cheerleaders" impress the crowd with their routine.

Justin, Josh, & Kim work on one of the new laptop computers.







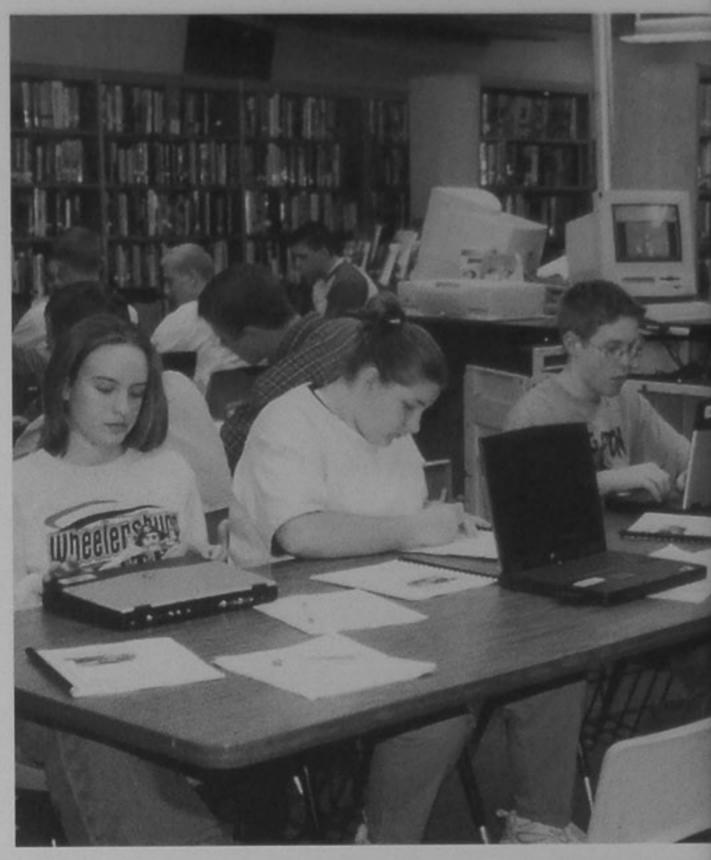
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Alesha Bell, Jacque Murray, and Nathan Beam work on an assignment for English class. Sarah Campbell, Vanessa Cooper, and Nathan Fite register for their sophomore classes.







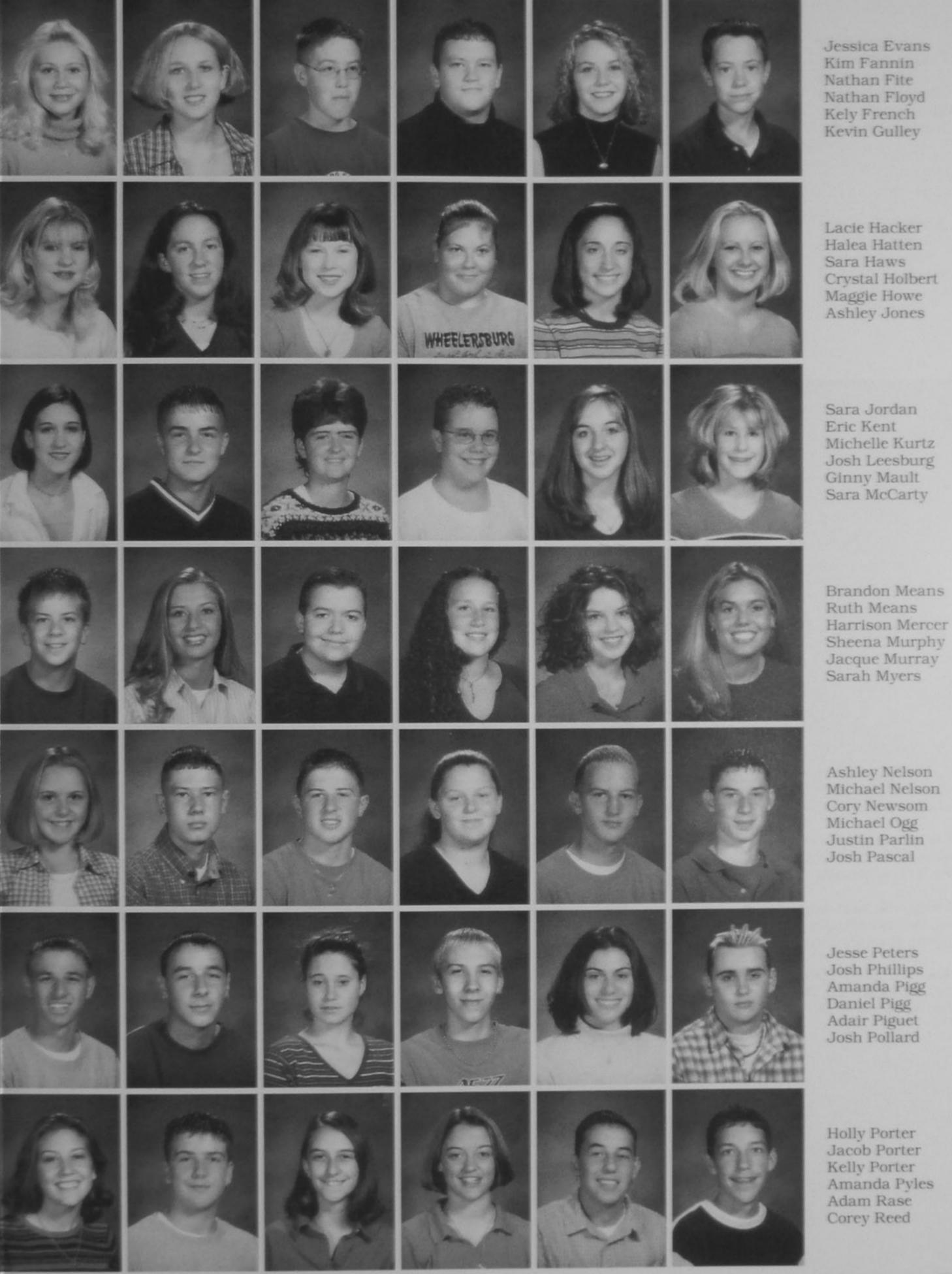


These freshmen girls have fun dancing together at the Basketball Homecoming dance.

Michelle and Jessica perform in the "Pop Bottle Band" during the Spring Chorus Concert.

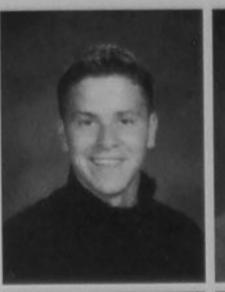
These freshmen show their spirit on Hippie Day of Spirit Week.



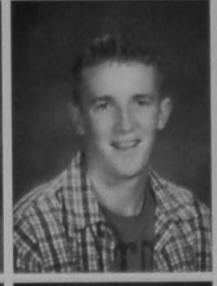


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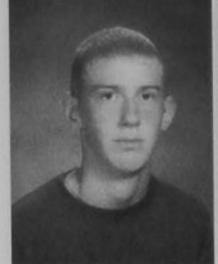












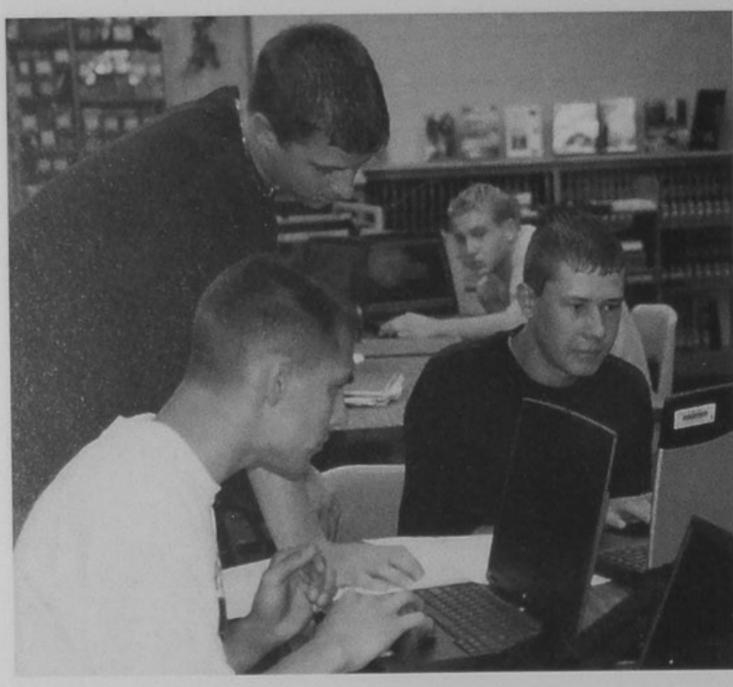














Jonathan Dunham, Jacob Wesney, and Michael Nelson work on a computer project.

Ashley Nelson and Jessica Schaeffer smile for a picture during English class.

Mrs. Gambill's class gathers for a picture on Hippie day during Spirit Week.

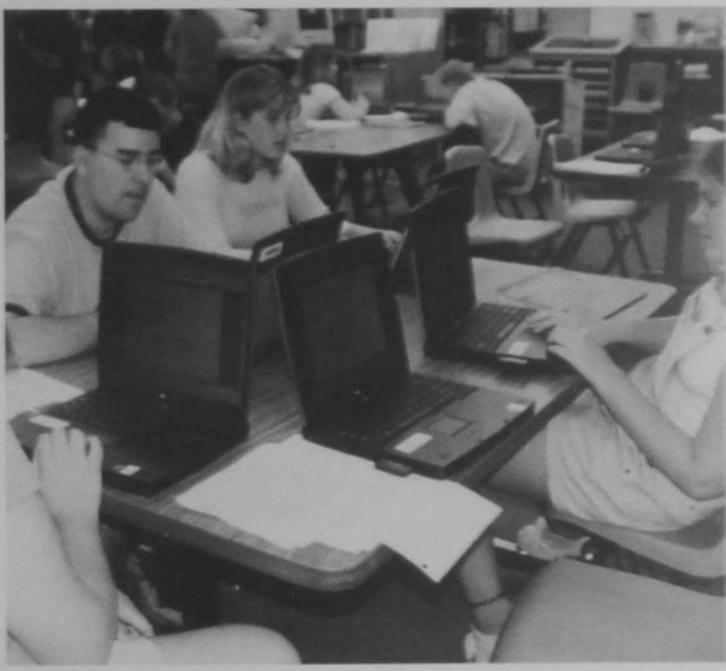




Chris Vicars
Ashley Wagner
Jared Ward
Chris Webb
Greg Weddington
Jacob Wesney

Justin White Kim Whitely Shawn Whitt Austin Wilkes Kyle Wolfe







Michael and Brad show off their cheerleading skills during the Portsmouth pep rally.

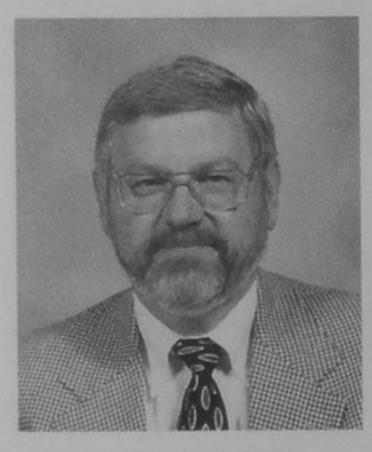
Kyle, Sara, and Lacie work on the laptops for a class assignment.

These friends take a break from lunch to smile for the camera.

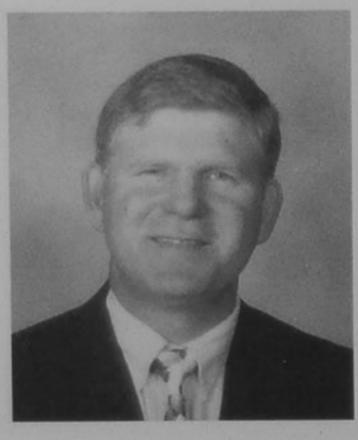
#### Board of Education

Serving on the Wheelersburg Local Schools' Board of Education are (seated) Mrs. Donna Royse, Mrs. Donna Cunningham, Mrs. Karen Wesney, (standing) Mr. Rory Phillips, President; and Mr. Fred Nelson, Vice President.

Dr. Samuel Sells announced his retirement from the Wheelersburg Schools system at the end of the 2000-2001 school year. Dr. Sells has served as Superintendent of Wheelersburg Local Schools since the 1995 school year.



Dr. Samuel Sells Superintendent

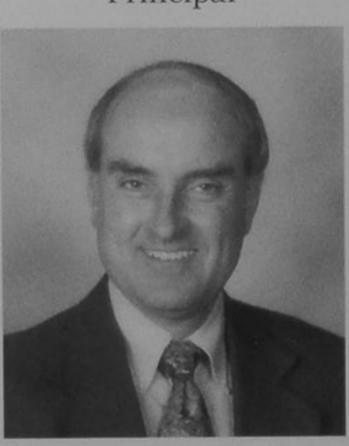


Paul Boll Biology

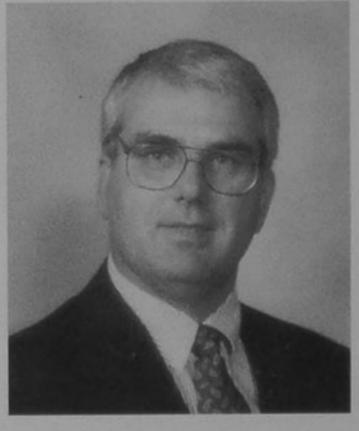




John Eaton Principal



Jack Branon Social Studies



Robert Schwamberger Assistant Principal



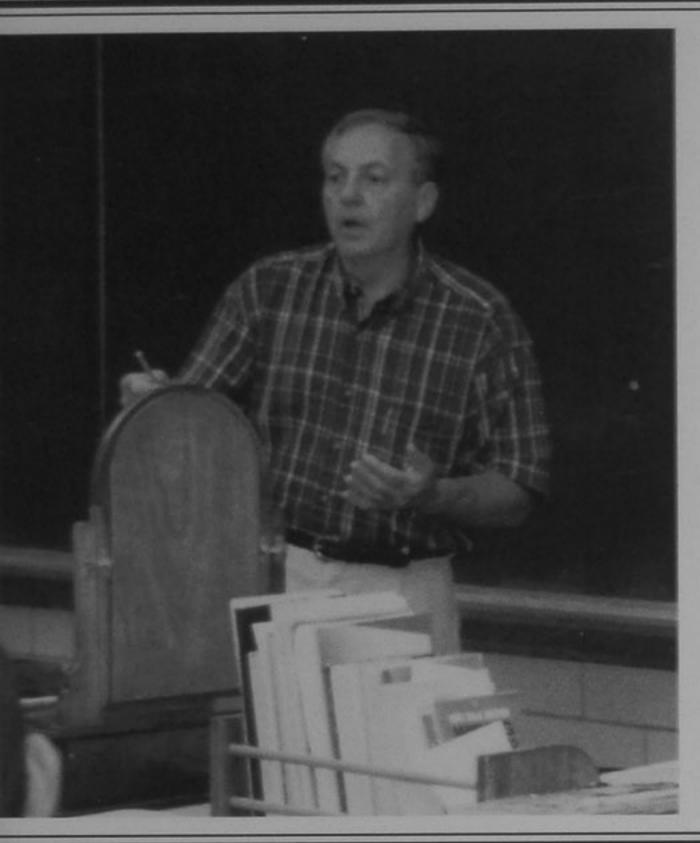
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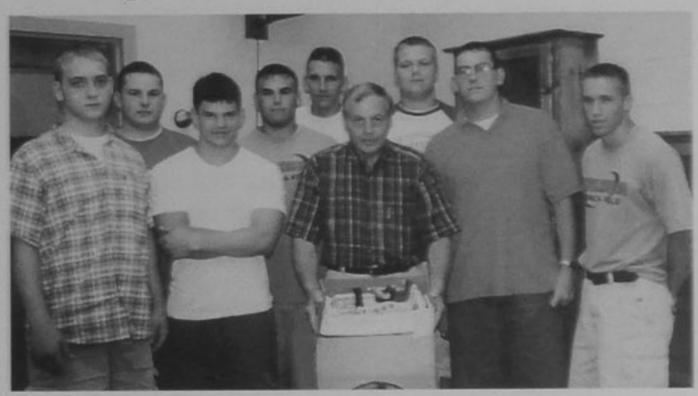
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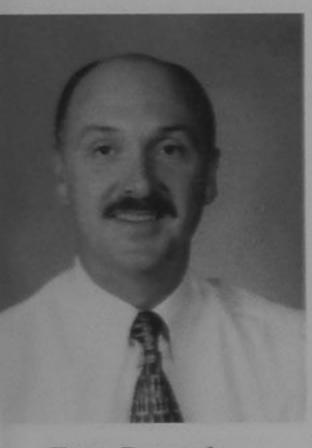


Dora Carmon Guidance Counselor



Mr. Richard "Dick" Jenkins began teaching at Wheelersburg High School in the fall of 1966 and concluded his 35-year teaching career in the same building with the ending of the 2000-2001 school year. Principal John Eaton said. "Dick Jenkins has been a model educator for 35 successful years. He has touched the lives of hundreds of Wheelersburg students during his career. When he accepted a task he was diligent to the finish, and was always willing to do the extra to be helpful to students, as well as, fellow staff members." We wish Mr. Jenkins nothing but the best in his retirement. He and his wife Faye reside in New Boston, and are looking forward to spending more time with their daughters.





Tom Barrick Health and P.E.



Ellen Bell Learning Disabilities



Carol Bialkowski Health and P.E.



Melissa Bibbey Director of Technology Services



Bill Claxon Mathematics



Regina Craig Mathematics



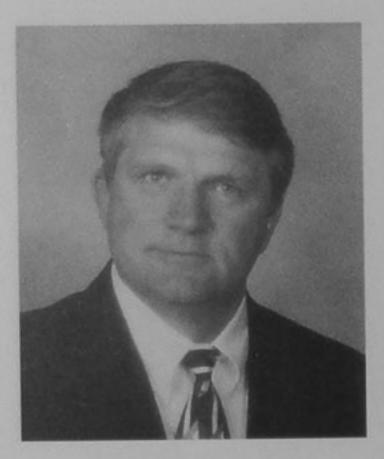
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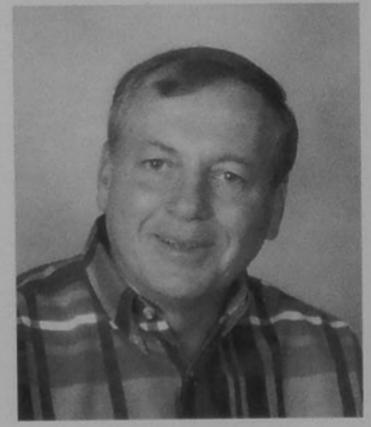
Tim Gilbert English

Beginning May 29, 2001, Mr. Jim Gill will begin his retirement from teaching. In the fall of 1971, Mr. Gill began his teaching career at Chillicothe High School. The next 30 years would see him teach and coach at Chillicothe (1971-1973), Wheelersburg (1973-1976), Zane Trace (1976-1982), and back at Wheelersburg (1982-2001). It is no accident that 22 years of his career were spent at Wheelerburg High School. He has always claimed that there is something very special about the Wheelersburg school system, and the community in which it resides. His wife, Pam, and their three sons are all graduates from the Wheelersburg school system. Mr. Gill has been re-hired to coach for the high school football team. He plans to spend his retirement teaching student-athletes (and golf balls) to fly right.





Jim Gill Social Studies



Dick Jenkins Industrial Arts



Gary Johnson Special Education



Paul Keller Science



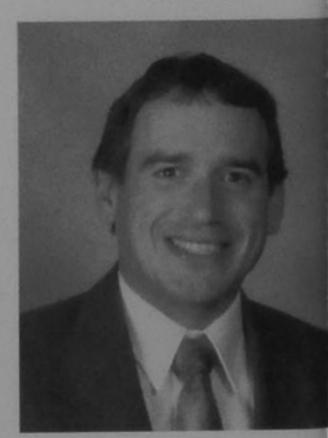
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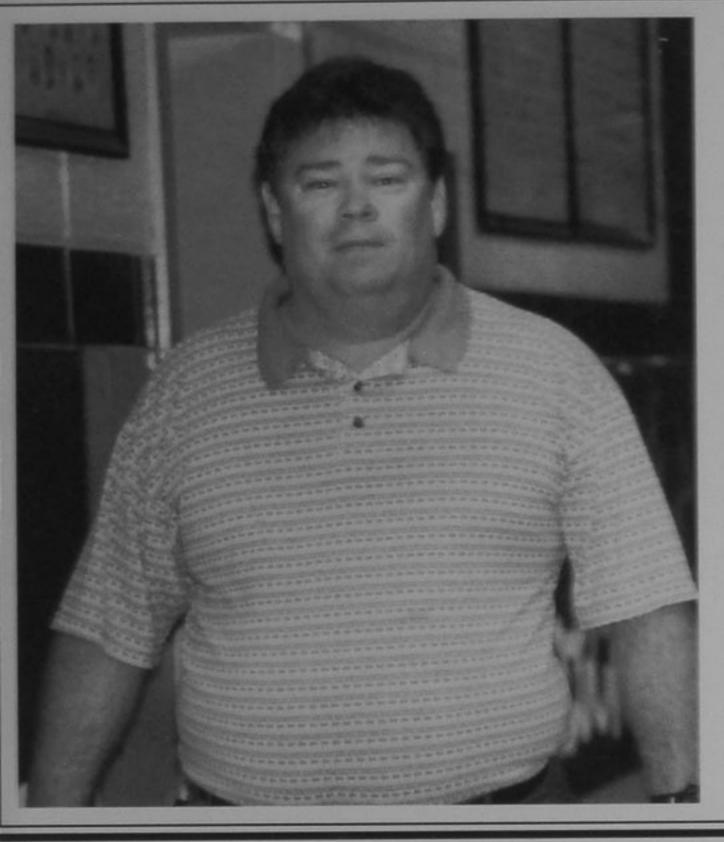
Joyce Riepenhoff Foreign Language



Kathy Russell Computer Science



Mike Schmidt Science



Mr. Mike Schomburg chose to end a 30 year career in education with the conclusion of the 2000-2001 school year. His first teaching year was at Oak Hill High School and the next 29 years would be in the Wheelersburg School System. Mr. Schomburg made many contributions during his tenure at the Burg. He taught industrial arts at Wheelersburg Elementary School, as well as drafting and drivers' education at Wheelersburg High School. Mr. Schomburg dedicated 29 years to the Wheelersburg athletic program coaching football, basketball, softball, golf, and served as Athletic Director the last eight years of service. He has been associated with more athletic championships at WHS than there is space to mention. Mr. Schomburg has resided in the Burg with his wife Sue, and they have two children both of which graduated from WHS. Mr. Schomburg plans on helping his wife manage their local florist shop during his retirement.



Mike Lovenguth Geography and Psychology



Mike Schomburg Drafting and Athletic Director



Nancy Nickell Media Specialist



William Shumate Instrumental Music



Linda Oppy English



Barry Spradlin Guidance Counselor

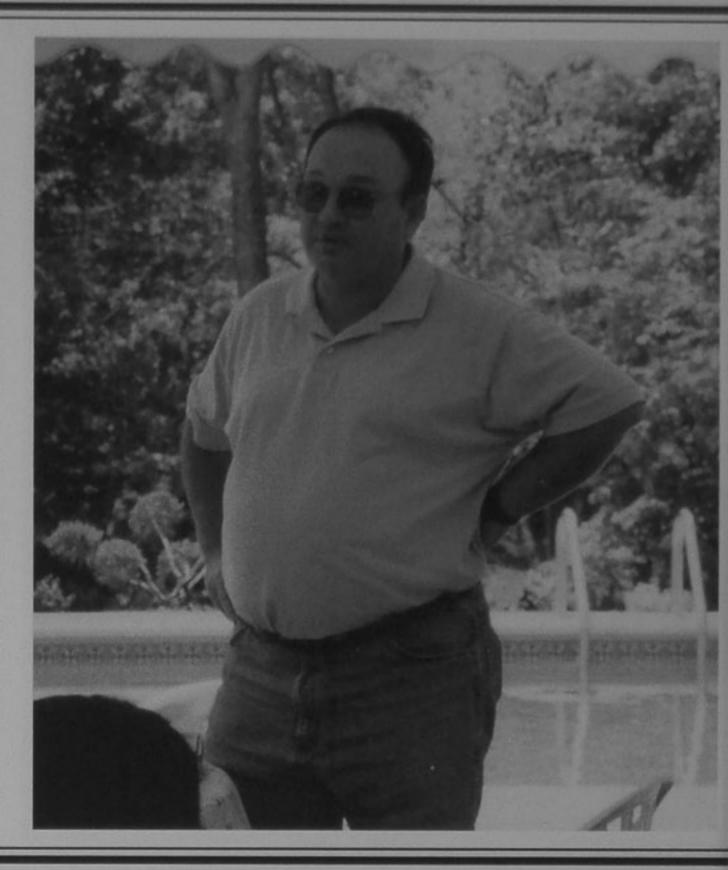


Kathy Parker Business



Dusty Spradlin Mathematics

Mr. Gary Johnson, high school special education teacher, retired effective May 31, 2001. During his tenure at WHS, he served the students, athletes, community, and school district well. Mr. Johnson began his career at Bloom Vernon Schools. He came to Wheelersburg after five years of service and has spent the remainder of his teaching and coaching career in the Wheelersburg Schools. Mr. Johnson has touched many lives through his teaching and coaching. His list of accomplishments include coaching: golf 2 years, freshman basketball 2 years, and assistant freshman football 5 years. His most noted area of coaching was track and cross-country. Mr. Johnson started the track program at Wheelersburg Jr. High in 1977 when he established a boys' team. The girls' jr. high track team was established two years later in 1979. Mr. Johnson coached the girls' high school track team to four SOC titles from 1980-1985. He then moved to the high school boys' program where he coached from 1986-2001. Ten SOC titles have been earned under his leadership as the high school boys' track coach. Mr. Johnson's retirement plans include returning to Wheelersburg High School to teach and coach track.





Irma Switalski Foreign Language



Jane Ann Taylor Vocal Music



Cheryl Weisenberger English



Dana Whitt Developmental Readin



Kim Barrick Guidance Secretary



Betty Pack Library Aide



Darin Porter Maintenance Supervisor



Dianna Valentine Nurse



Cafeteria Cooks Faye Conley and Mary Lou Dye

Board of Education Secretaries Gerri Smith, Pam Coriell, Lynna Penwell





Melody Williams Independent Studies



Jerri Cummings JOG



Ralph Gampp Student Activity Director



Brenda Lester Secretary



Angie Brown Cafeteria Cashier



Dusty Clark Custodian



Bill Schwamberger Head Custodian



Who's our "Home Improvement" neighbor on Halloween?

Amy Nelson smiles as she waits for her classmates to receive their diplomas.



The 2001 prom is a success.

Band members give a wonderful concert for the Night of the Arts.

The scholarship reception honors students who maintain good grades through the year.







Many students participate in the class play, including Ben Miller and Heather Bihl.

These friends enjoy the dance after the homecoming basket-ball game.

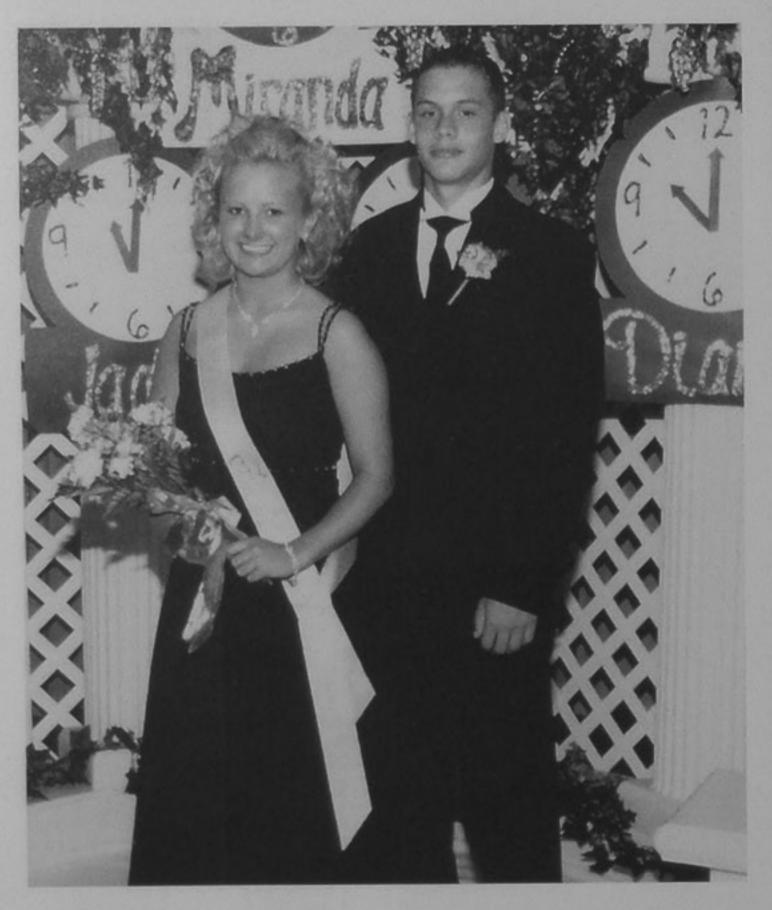




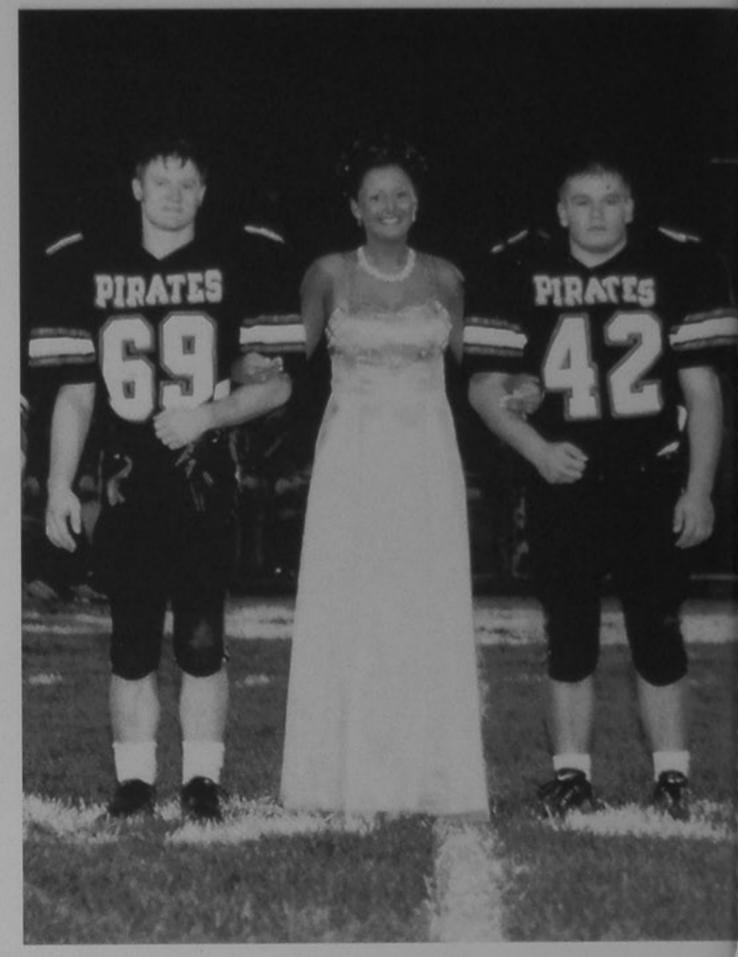
# Football Homecoming

After much excitement and preparation, this year's Football Homecoming night was finally here. As the band played the theme song, "One Moment in Time", the girls proudly made their way across the field on the arms of their escorts. After the Queen and her court posed on the sideline they took their place in the cheer block to support their team. After the game, the lovely ladies and their charming escorts gathered in the gym for pictures. A dance was then held to conclude the evening's festivities. The girls enjoyed their moment in the spotlight and danced the night away with their friends. It was a wonderful evening filled with magic and fun.

Football Captains Carlos Morris and Lance Davis escort the Football Homecoming Queen, Miranda Sparks.



Freshman Attendant Ashley Jones and Escort Chris Webb

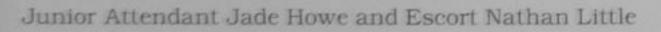




Sophomore Attendant Diane Moody and Escort Nick Musick







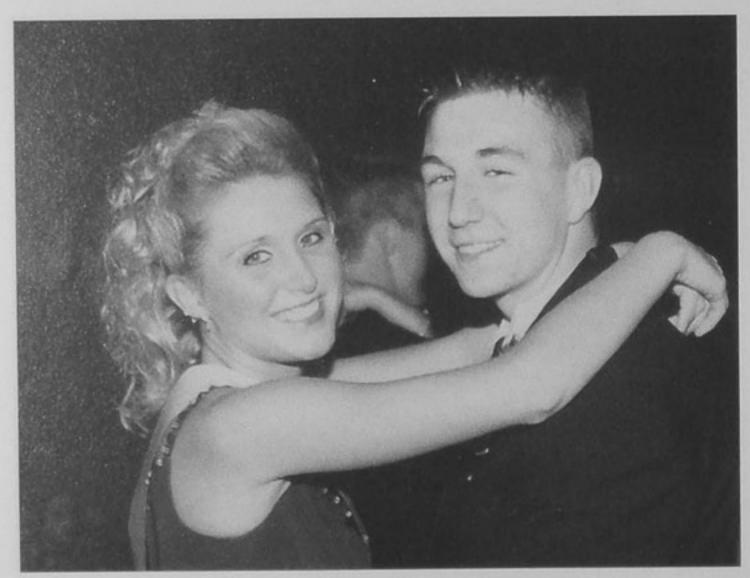


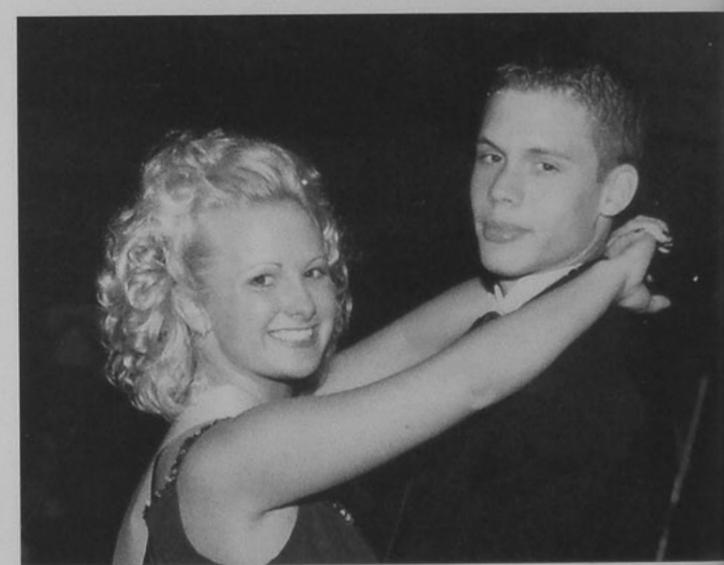
Senior Attendant Leah Willis and Escort Ben Miller

Miranda and Carlos smile for the camera as they dance. Leah and Ben dance to the theme song "One Moment in Time."









Jade and Nathan share a dance to wrap up the evening's homecoming activities.

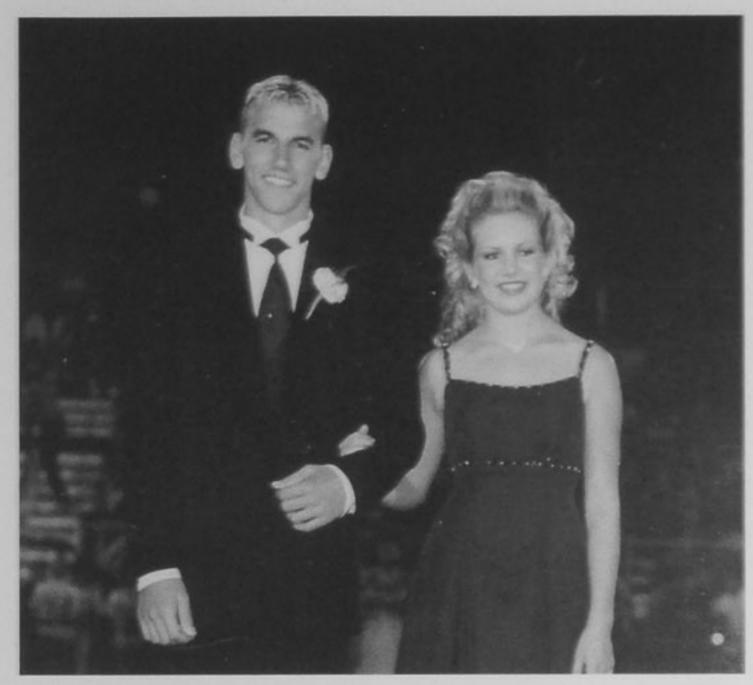
Ashley and Chris enjoy the homecoming court spotlight dance.

Newly crowned as Queen, Miranda Sparks poses with Captains Carlos Morris and Lance Davis after the football game.





Nick and Diane have a good time at the homecoming dance. Seniors Ben Miller and Leah Willis stop for a picture as they cross the field at the homecoming halftime ceremony.









The girls pose on the steps before the big event.

The attendants and their escorts kick the dance off with a spotlight dance.

The court takes their places in the cheer block to watch the second half of the game.

## "Grease"

The WHS Vocal Music and Drama Department transported Wheelersburg back into the Fabulous 50's with the musical "Grease". Two matinees were presented on September 29th for the elementary and junior high students followed by an outdoor evening performance for the community on September 30th. "Grease" is a glimpse at the age of rock and roll — the "greasers" with their "Pink Ladies", drag racing, pajama parties, the "Burger Palace", and hand-jiving at the senior prom. It was one of the longest running shows in Broadway history.

The cast included Julie Allen as Sandy and Jeremy Williams as Danny Zuko in the lead roles, along with the T-Birds, Pink Ladies, cheerleaders, Scorpions, hairdressers, and the faculty of Rydell High. Prior to the musical, a cruise-in was held in the parking lot of Wheelersburg High School.

The Rydell High cheerleaders do a cheer to begin the pep rally for the football team.



Danny Zuko and the T-Birds sing "Summer Nights" about their summer vacation activities.

Julie Allen as Sandy is introduced to the Pink Ladies in the cafeteria.

The entire cast of "Grease" poses for a promotional shot several weeks before the musical.









Ken Marotte as Vince Fontaine does the American Bandstand intro to begin the Rydell High dance-off.

Jeremy Williams as Danny and Andy Kielmar as Kenickie sing "Go Greased Lightnin".









The faculty and staff of Rydell High begin the new school year with announcements.

Daniel Cummings as Teen Angel, accompanied by the Hairdressers, sings "Beauty School Drop Out" to Jessica Brumfield as Frenchie.

The entire cast sings "Grease" to begin the matinee for the grade school.

The undercover policewoman (Amanda Scott) arrests the killer (Aaron Sturgeon).

Clifford (Andrew Burleson) and Susan (Keri Schwamberger) decide to kill their father (Dusty Chamberlin) to get the family inheritance.









The family gathers around Penelope (Sarah Boll) who has been stabbed.

Lawrence (Ben Miller) and Beatrice (Heather Bihl) are electrocuted along with their children (Melissa Gilcher and Julie Floyd) and a detective (Justin Clark).

The kids (Julie Floyd and Melissa Gilcher) ride their scooters through the living room.





## Class Play

This year the Junior and Senior classes performed the play "Next Victim Please". The play was presented twice on November 11, 2000; once for the student body and a second time for the parents and community. "Next Victim Please" is a comedy that centers around the Murdock family. Colonel Murdock (played by Dusty Chamberlin) decides to gather his family to read his will. Almost immediately after the will is read, the person named to receive the inheritance is murdered and the Colonel is forced to pick a new heir. After a couple of murders, detectives Swift, Never, and Clever (played by James Howard, Justin Clark and Billy Dever) are called in to investigate. The pattern of death continues until only Susan and Clifford (played by Kati/Keri Schwamberger and Andrew Burleson) remain. These two, along with the Colonel, are killed by Higgins the Butler (played by Aaron Sturgeon). He in turn is arrested by Fifi the undercover cop (played by Amanda Scott).







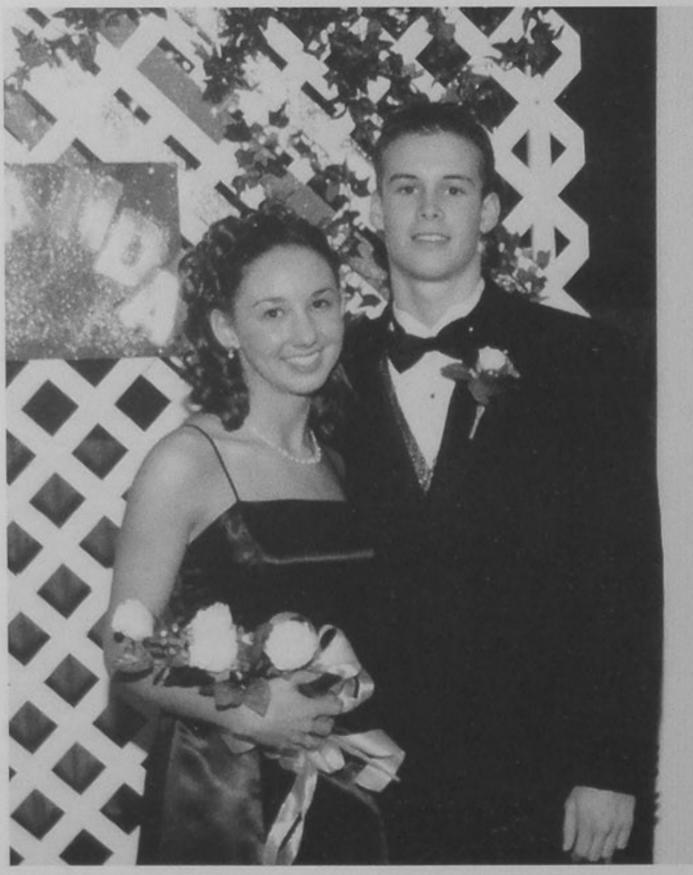
The detectives (Billy Dever, James Howard, and Justin Clark) arrive to question the remaining suspects.

Top, the killer (Aaron Sturgeon) moves in on his final victim.

Middle left, Clifford (Andrew Burleson) and Susan (Keri Schwamberger) wait anxiously for their father to read his will.

The whole cast lines up for the final bow.

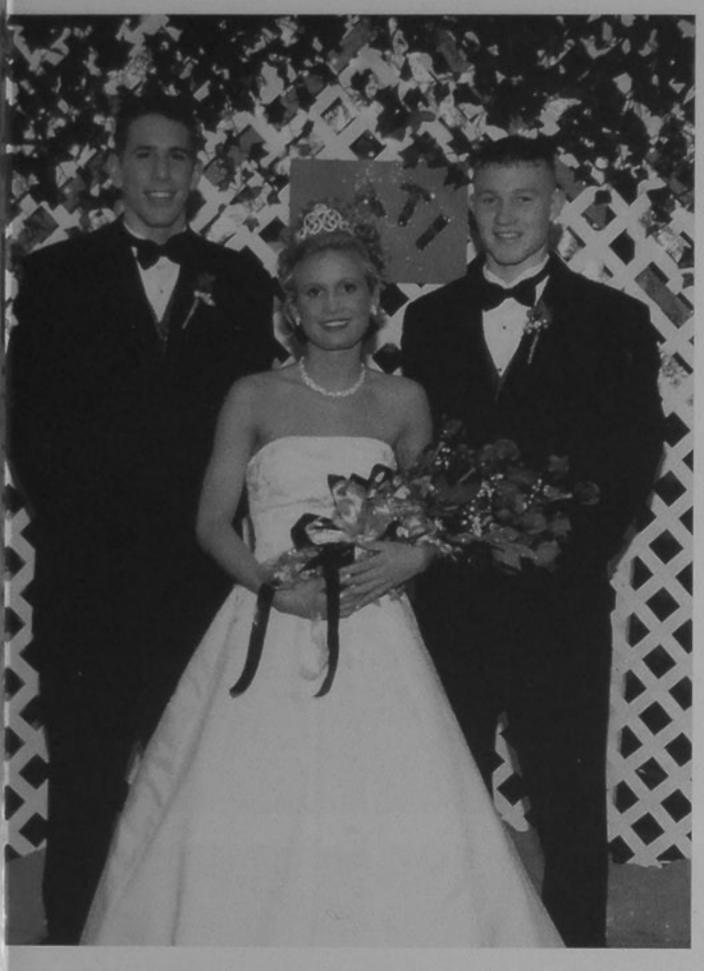




Junior Attendant Amanda Arnett and Escort Dustin Weinbrenner



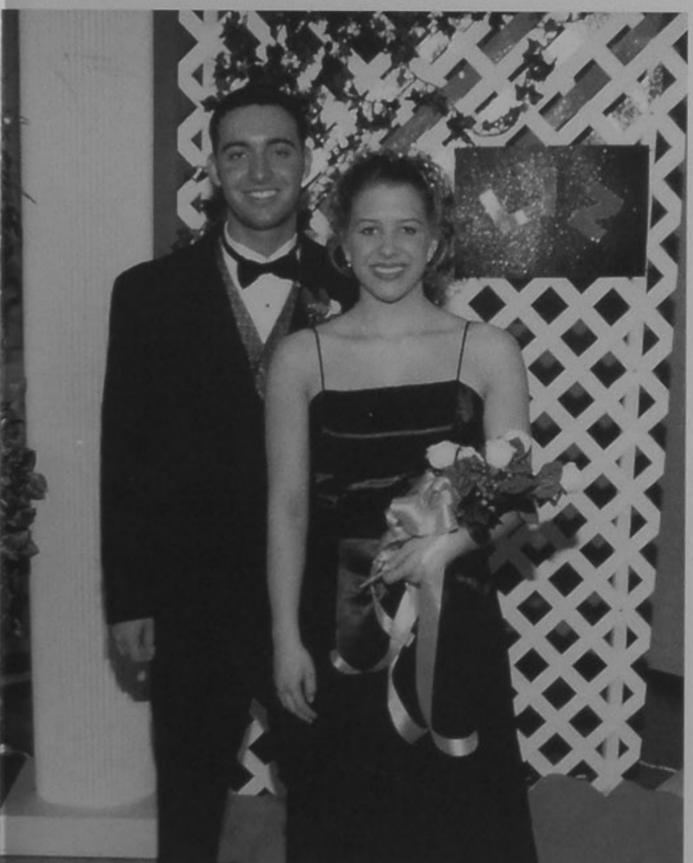
Sophomore Attendant Samantha White and Escort Tim H



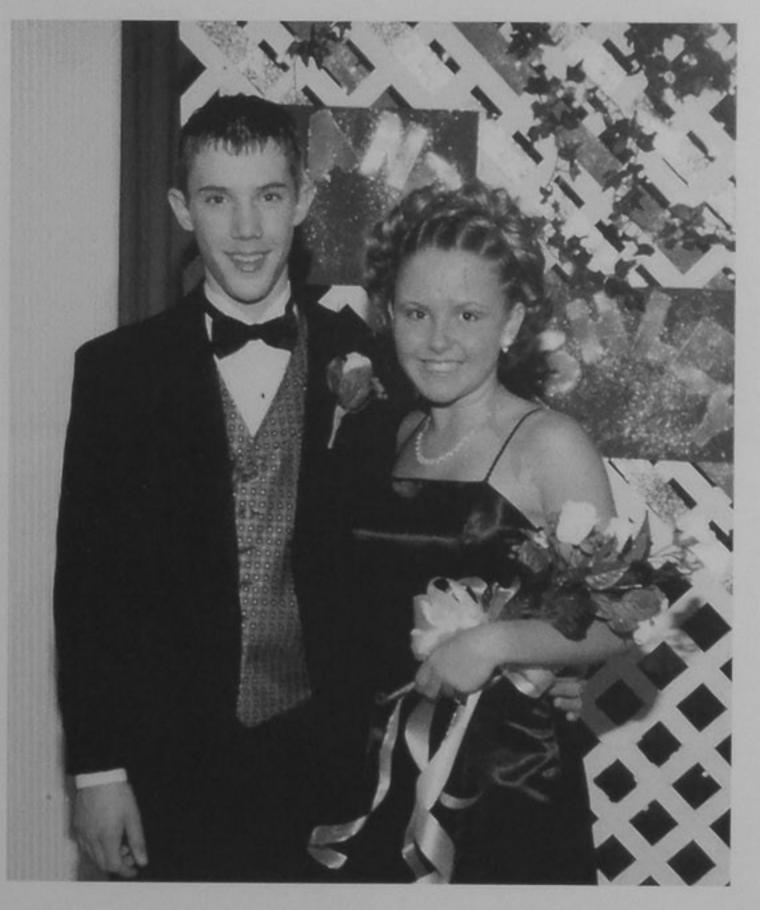
# Basketball Homecoming

The crowd waited with anticipation for the 2001 Basketball Homecoming Queen and her Court. With so much excitement building, Kati Schwamberger walked out onto the court with her escorts, Captains Geoff Givan and Andrew Burleson. The theme song "From This Moment" played as each of the girls had their moment in the spotlight. After the ceremony, the beautiful girls and their escorts gathered on stage to take pictures with family and friends. Following the game the Queen and her court took some final pictures, then enjoyed themselves as they danced the evening away and ended the fantasy-like evening.

Homecoming Queen Kati Schwamberger and Escorts Andrew Burleson and Geoff Givan



Senior Attendant Liz Savage and Escort Adam Conn



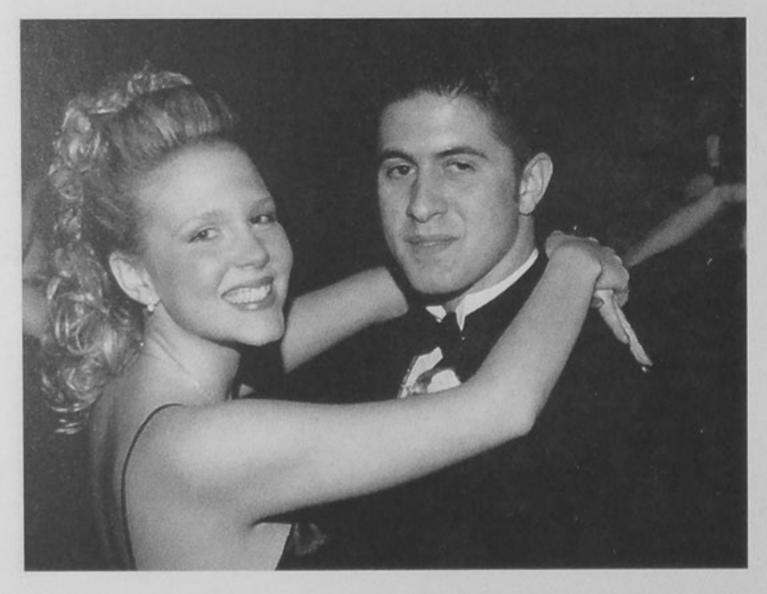
Freshman Attendant Ashley Nelson and Escort Josh Cowgill

Liz and Adam take a minute to pose for a picture.

Kati smiles radiantly while posing for a picture.







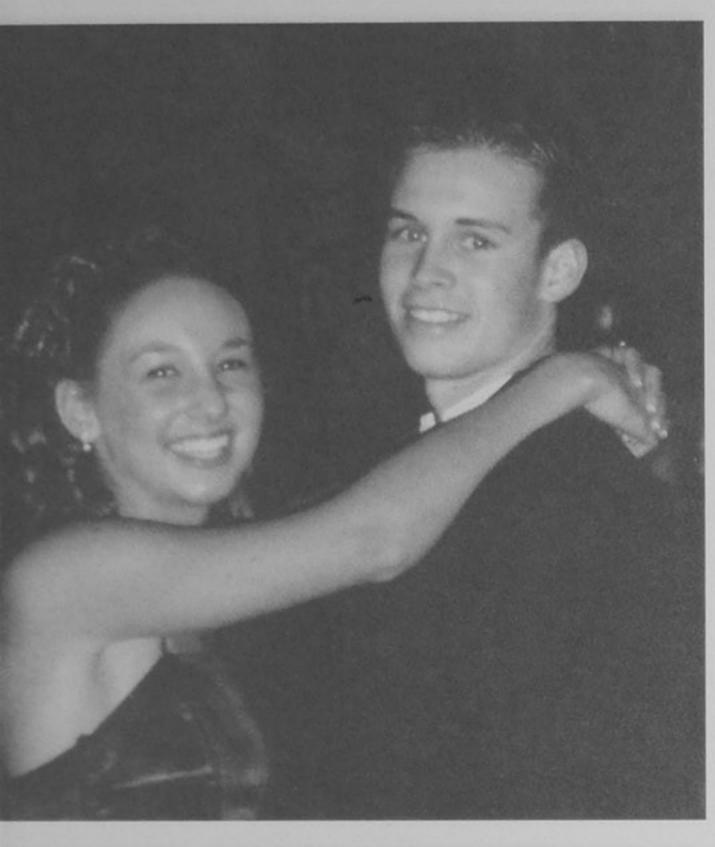


Samantha and Tim take a minute to pose for a picture.

Varsity basketball Captains Andrew Burleson and Geoff Givan escort Homecoming Queen Kati Schwamberger across the court.

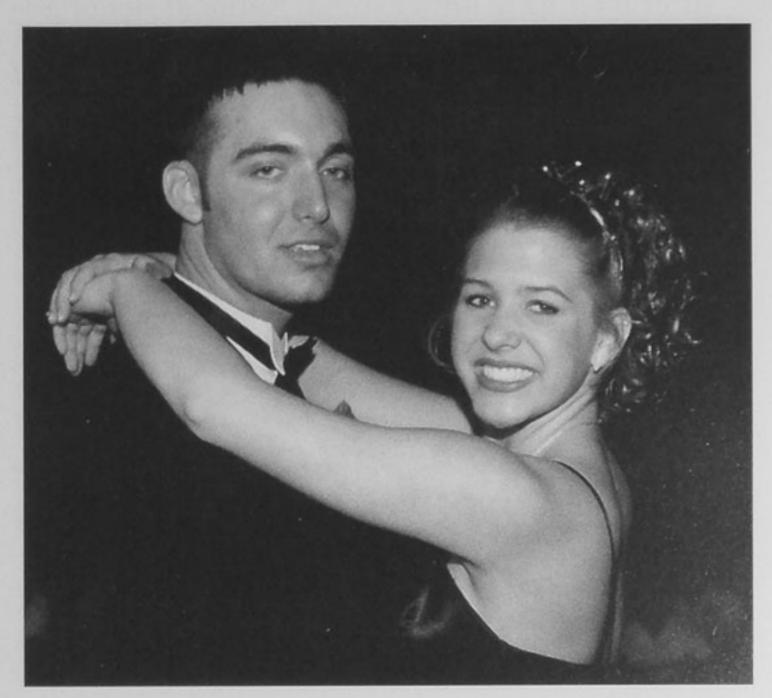
Junior and Senior attendants and escorts get together for a group picture on the court.





Amanda smiles for a picture while dancing with Dustin.

Liz and Adam enjoy a slow dance.









Andrew gets the honor of the first dance with the Queen, Kati.

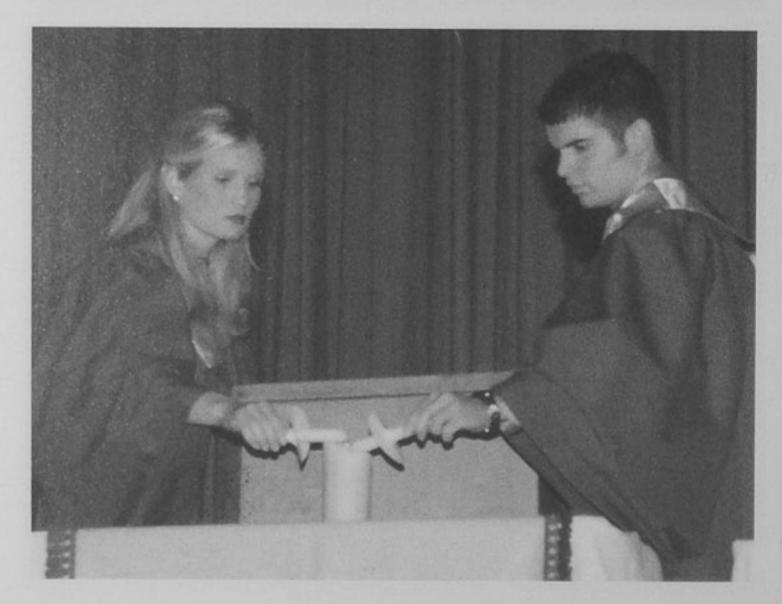
Geoff is also awarded a dance with the Queen.

Kati receives her flowers with a kiss from Andrew Burleson.

#### **NHS Inductions**

After months of anticipation, National Honor Society inductions were held at last on December 8, 2000. Several days before inductions the NHS members staged the annual fake-out day tradition as usual. After being thoroughly tricked by the earlier fake-out day, the student body gathered in the gymnasium for the induction ceremony. As each of the new inductees' names were called, their classmates became more and more anxious to see who would be next. After being tapped, the new members went to the library to meet with their families and to get into their robes. One by one, the inductees were escorted into the gym by their parents as their list of activities were read. After lighting the candles of Leadership, Service, Scholarship, and Character, the ceremony came to a close as new and old members gathered in the cafeteria to enjoy a reception and celebrate their induction.

Amy Conn gives one of the speeches, recognizing the special guests.

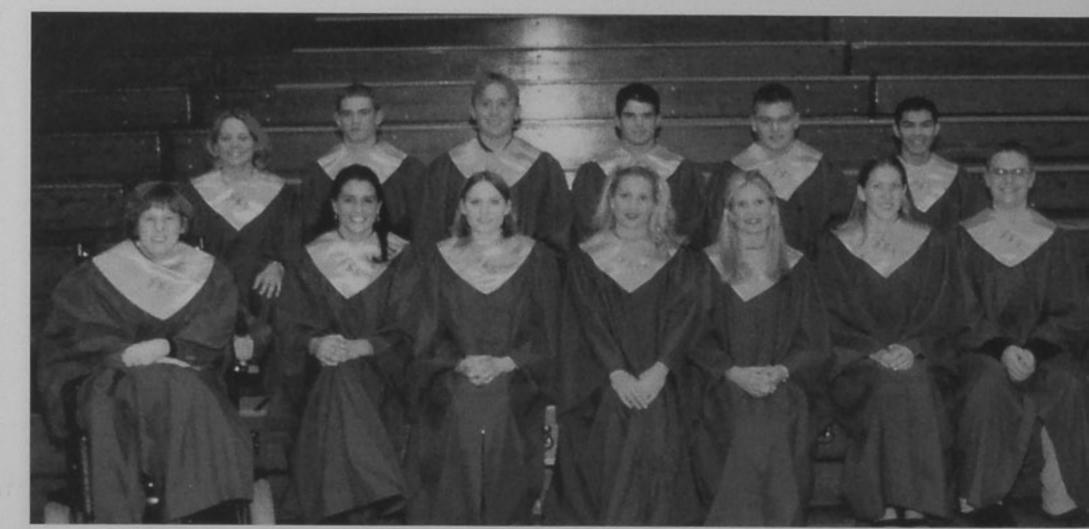




Jeremy Skiver and Kati Schwamberger light the candle of the George Rightmire Chapter of the National Honor Society.

Amy Nelson and adviser Mrs. Kaye Schwamberger announce this year's inductees.

Current Members. Row 1: Amy Nelson, Erin Elliot, Debra Larter Oliver, Keri Schwamberger, Amanda Mc-Glone, James Kelley. Row 2: Amy Conn, Kris Ruggles, Eric Vanderhoof, Jeremy Skiver, Lance Davis, John Moody.







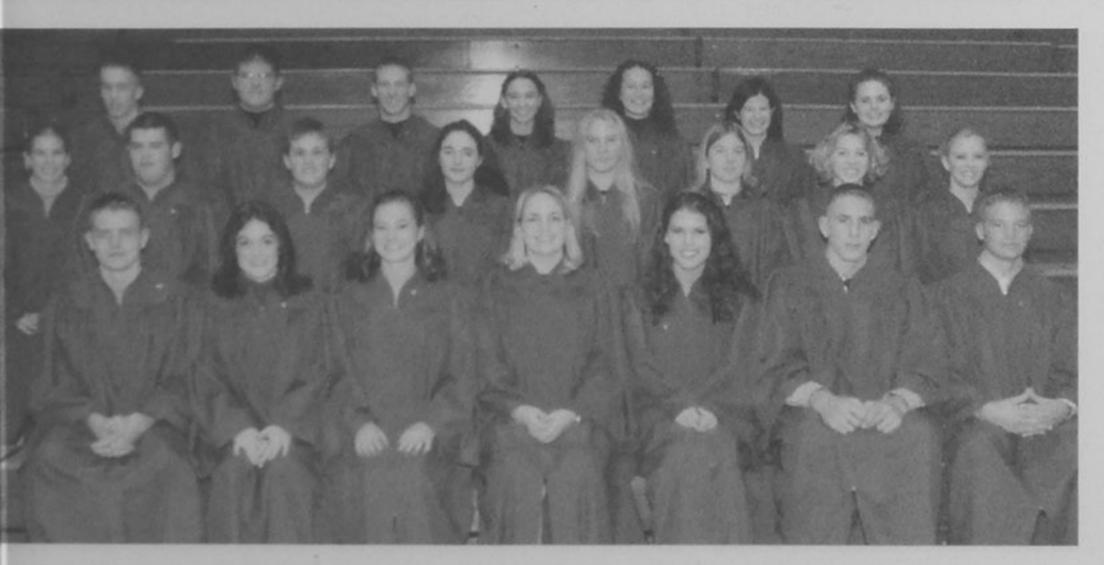
Mrs. Regina Craig helps newly tapped Amanda Arnett into her robe.

New members recite the National Honor Society pledge.









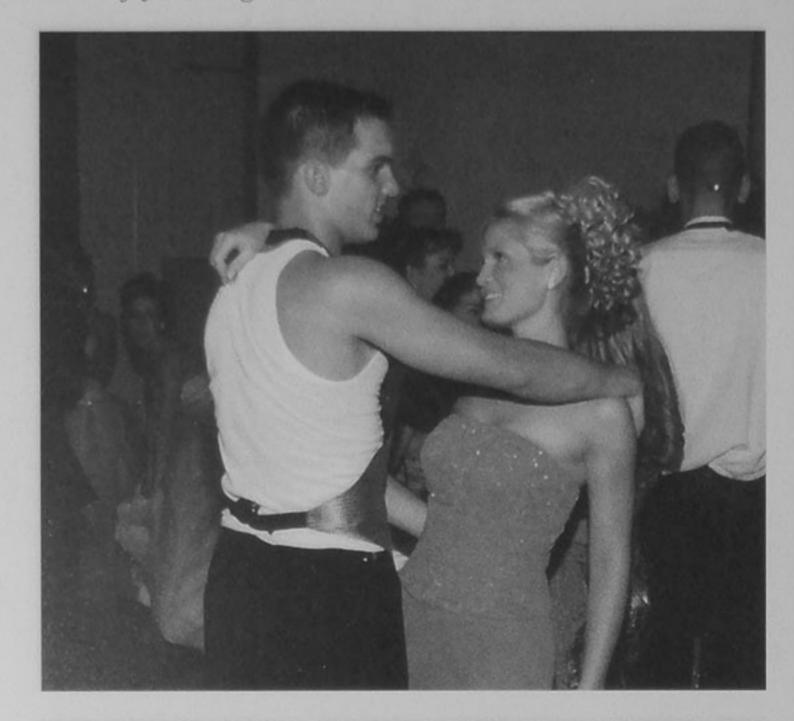
Lance Davis and Debbie Oliver tap Amanda Scott during the ceremony.

John Moody and Kris Ruggles tap Travis Riepenhoff during the ceremony.

Inductees. Row 1: Alex Watts, Amanda Scott, Amanda Rase, Carrie Bolin, Brooke Williams, Andrew Burleson, Paul Miller. Row 2: Melissa Danzer, Jared Seeley, Jeremy Blake, Jennifer Foster, Sarah Boll, Andrea Allen, Elizabeth Savage, Jill Queen. Row 3: Travis Riepenhoff, Justin Clark, Aaron Sturgeon, Amanda Arnett, Megan Murphy, Nancy Keller, Amanda Phipps.

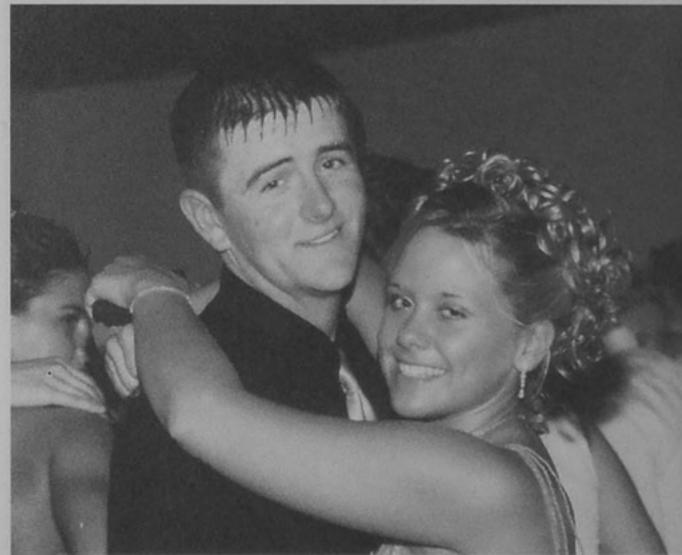
Kati Schwamberger and her date enjoy dancing at Prom.

Prom King Lance Davis and Prom Queen Betty McCleese pose for a picture after being announced.









These two couples pose at the Grand March at the high school before Prom.

Friends Jeremy Williams and Amy Conn smile as they dance at their senior prom.

The 2001 Prom Committee members gather for a picture during Prom.

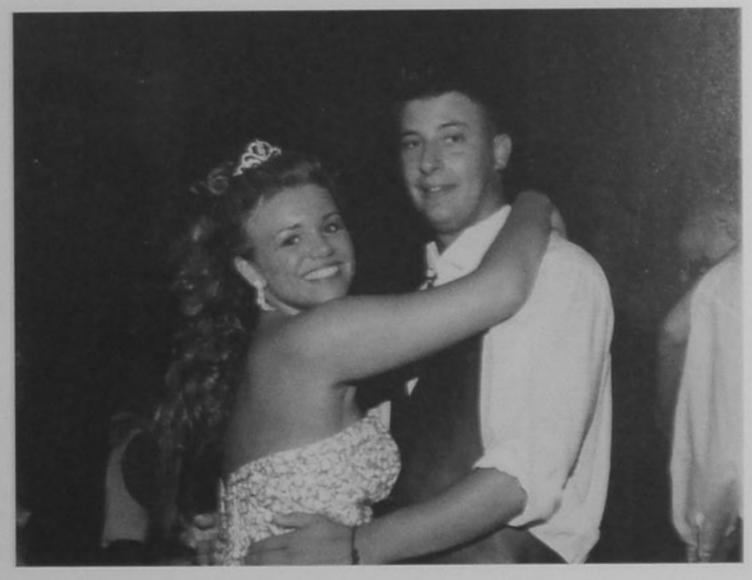




### Prom

The Wheelersburg High School Prom was held on May 11, 2001 at the SOMC Life Center. It was a night to remember for all Juniors and Seniors. The theme for this year's evening was "This I Promise You" from the song by 'N Sync. The chosen colors were purple, black and silver. The students spent the evening dancing, socializing and capturing memories with many pictures. Students had spent many months preparing for this special night; choosing outfits, making travel arrangements, dinner reservations and hair appointments. The After Prom, sponsored by junior and senior parents, was also held at the Life Center. The activities included karaoke, basketball, a casino and sumo wrestling. Several thousand dollars worth of cash and prizes were given away throughout the evening. The WHS Prom of 2001 truly proved to be a huge success that everyone enjoyed.





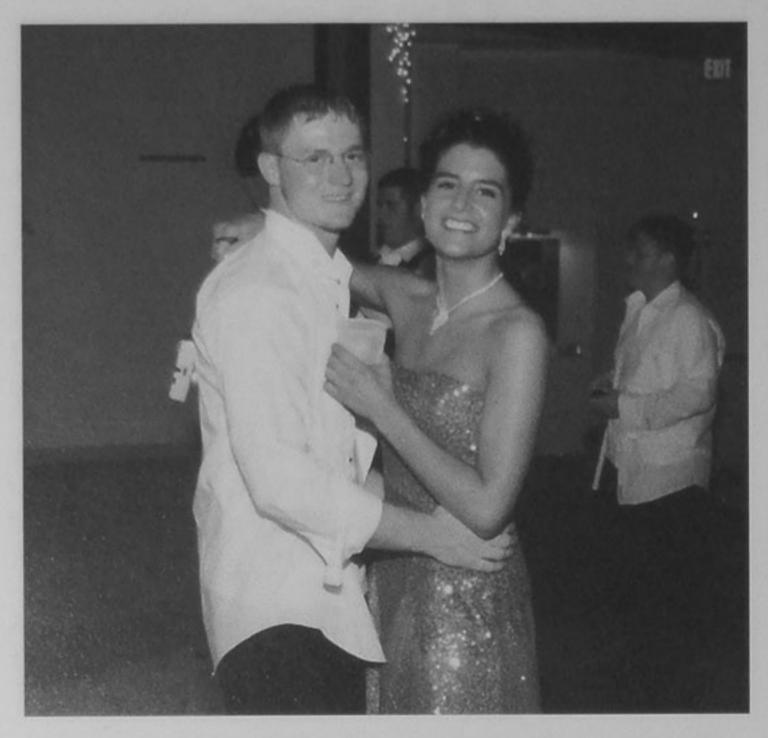


Top - Bobbi, Leah, Amy, Tree and Miranda pause to strike a pose while dancing at their Senior Prom.

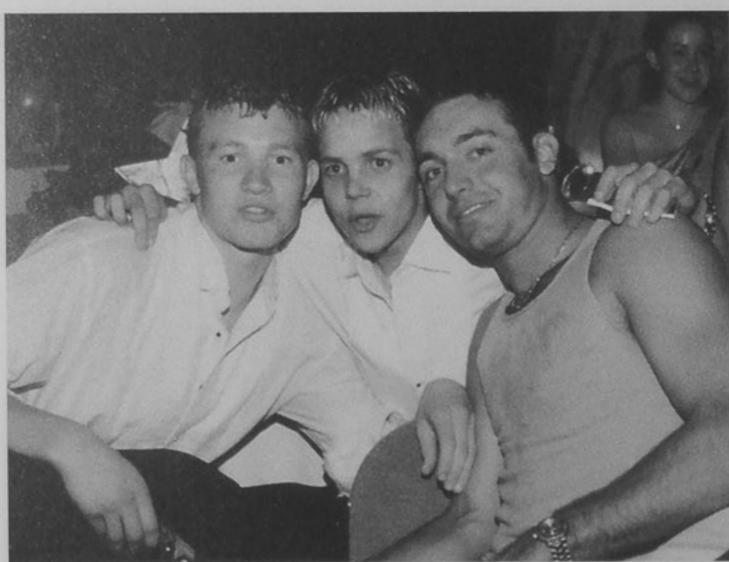
Adam Conn and Liz Savage enjoy each other's company while dancing at their Senior Prom.

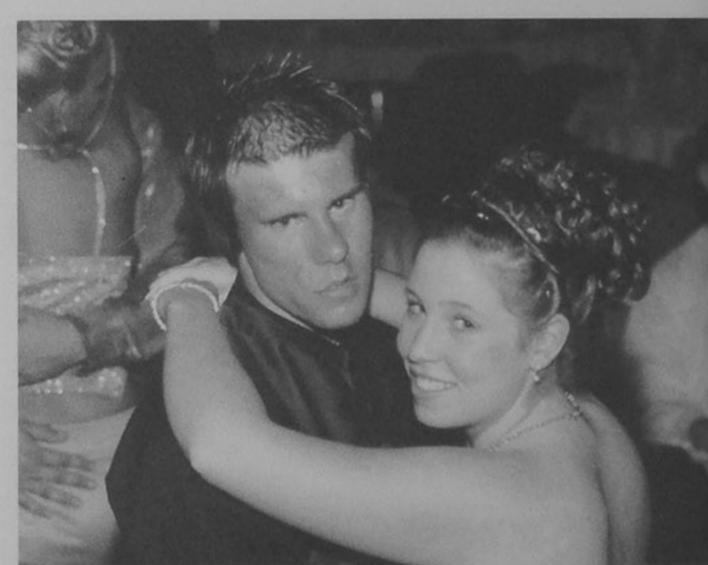
Bobbi Madden and her date dance the night away.

A group of seniors enjoy one of the final dances of Prom night. Carlos Morris and Erin Elliott share a slow dance during their Senior Prom. Prom Prince Ryan Hickman and Prom Princess Nancy Keller share a spotlight dance.









Geoff Givan, Seth Meenach and Adam Conn break from the festivities to pose for a picture.

Justin Bays enjoys his Senior Prom while dancing with his date.

This group of students has a night to remember.

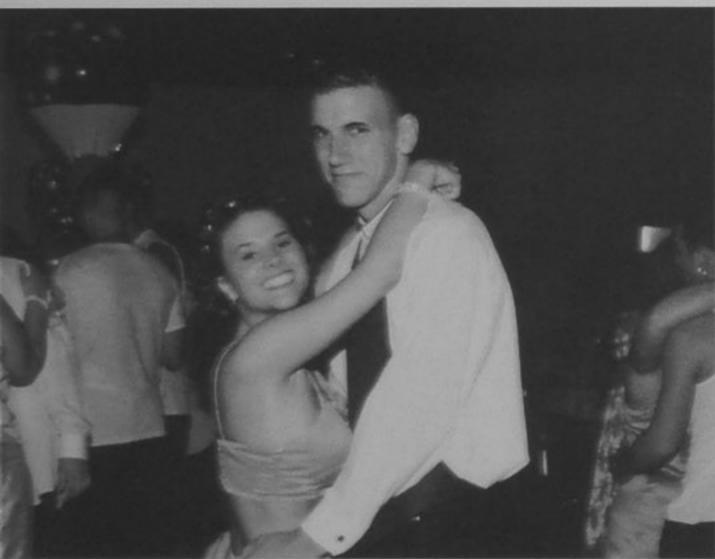




John Moody is dressed to impress.

Micah Schweinsberg and his date share a slow dance.







Kaley Pratt and Ben Miller smile for the camera during a dance.

This group of guys take a break towards the end of the night.

Juniors and Seniors warm up the dance floor.

These Junior guys take a break from their tiring night to pose for the camera.

Ashley Horton and Vanessa Craig have fun while dancing with Josh Bailey and Ryan Crace.







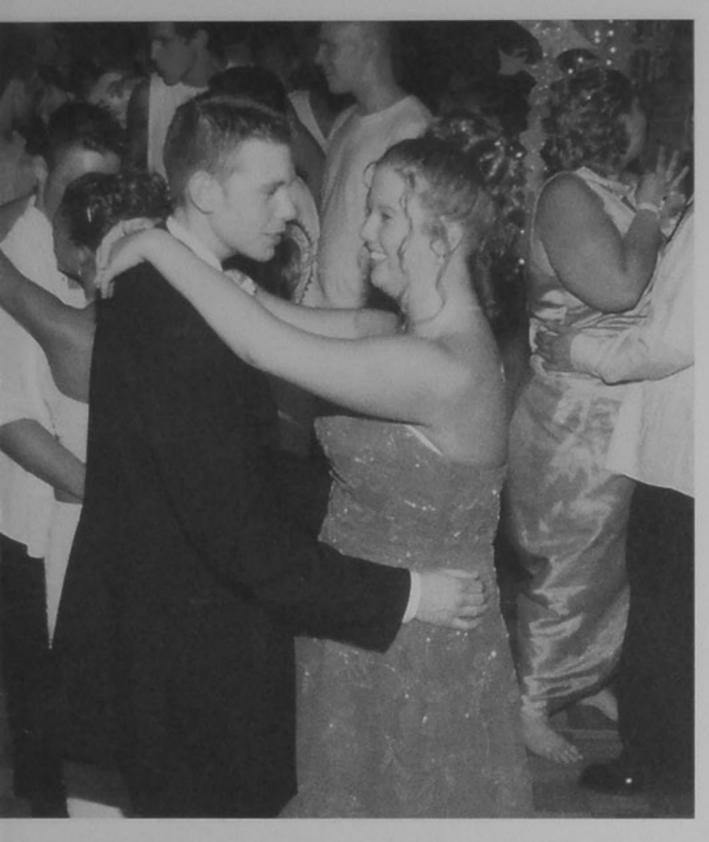


Deb Maggard receives a drink from the sophomore class officers Brooke Emnett and Jenny Lyon.

Nancy Keller, Ryan Hickman, Lance Davis and Betty McCleese receive their awards for being selected as members of the prom court.

The dance floor fills up with excited students ready for a night of fun.





John Adamo and Stephanie Coleman share the first dance of the night. Eric Salyers and Lyndsey Sizemore dance the night away.









Nancy Keller and Bethany Kirkendall battle it out during After Prom.

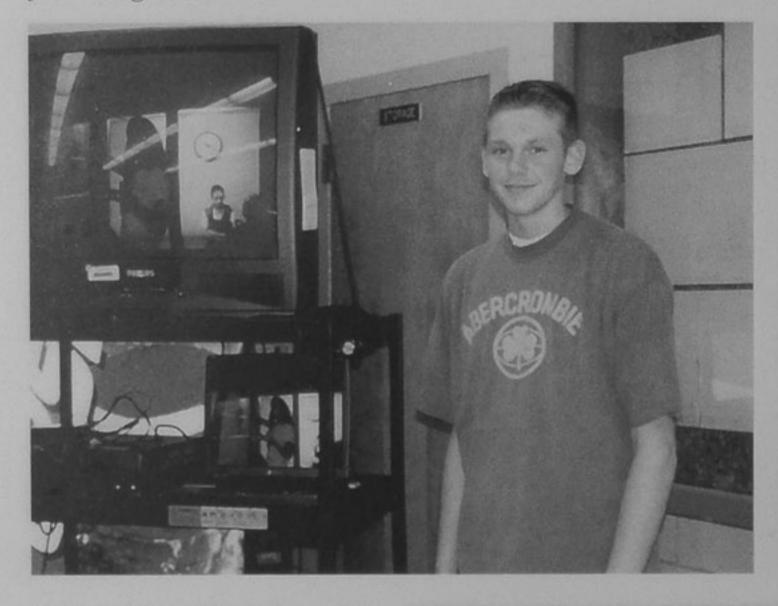
Amanda Arnett, Micah Riffe, Carrie Bolin, Bethany Kirkendall and Megan Murphy pose for a picture at Prom.

A group of junior guys attempt to wow the crowd with their singing abilities, or lack thereof during the After Prom.

# Night of the Arts

On May 17, 2001, the annual "Night of the Arts" was held. The vocal music department opened the spring concert with a historic reenactment of "A Shaker Worship Service" presented by the Select Chorus in appropriate costume. The select and mixed choruses performed "Brother My Brother" from the Civil War: An American Musical with dramatic interpretation. On a lighter note, they sang "Take Me Out to the Ball Game" accompanied by the pop bottle band. The concert band performed selections which included "The Lion Sleeps Tonight" and "Fantasia 2000." On display in the cafeteria were projects created by the art, drafting and industrial art students.

Senior advanced woodworking student Ben Miller's project this year is a grandmother clock.



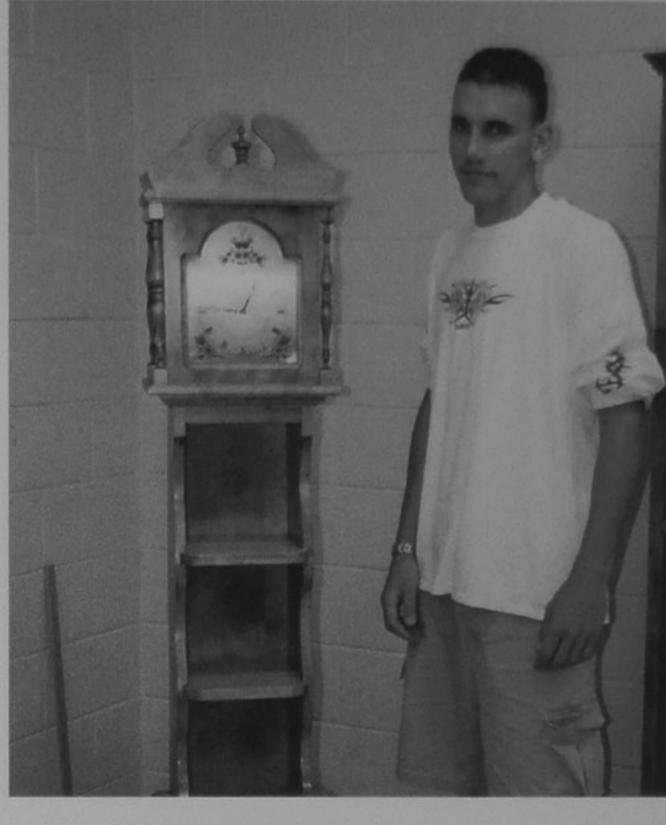


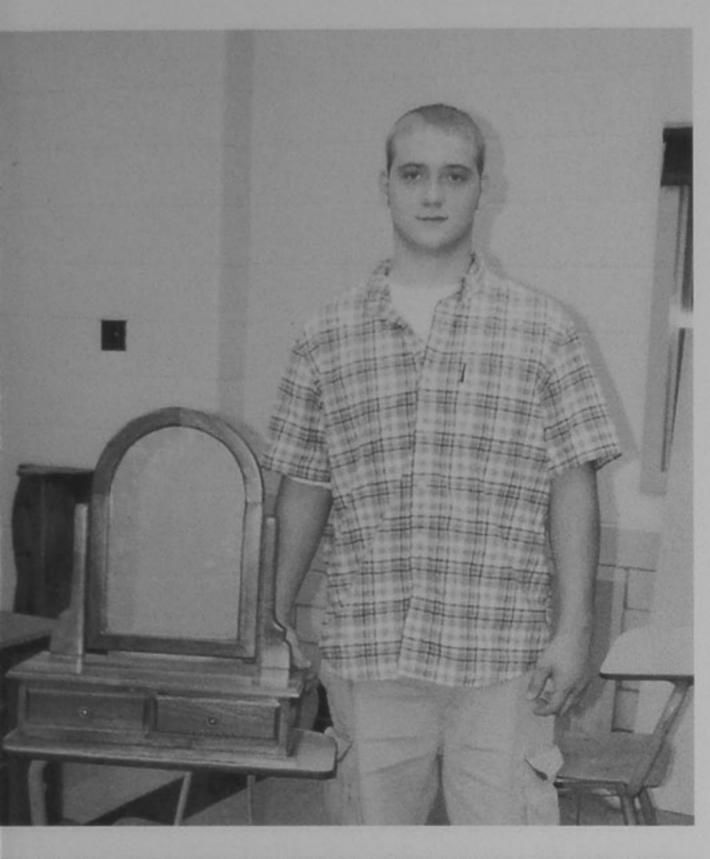
Junior John Adamo presents his art department slide show.

Junior Megan Murphy displays some of her artwork.

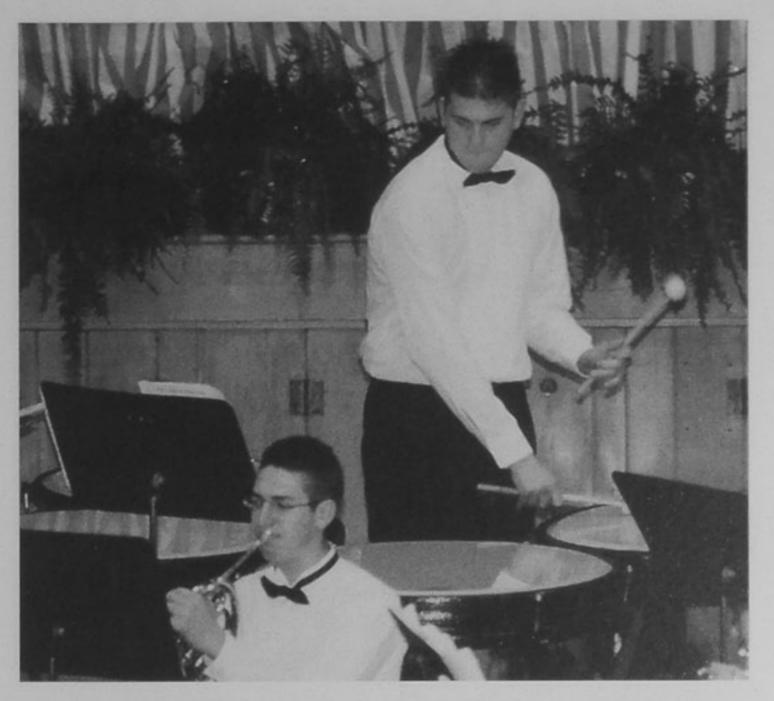
The concert band performs "Allied Honor" to begin the instrumental music portion of the evening.







Senior advanced woodworking student Steven Phillips displays his dresser mirror project. Senior band members Andy Martin and Ryan Jarrells play in their final concert of high school.









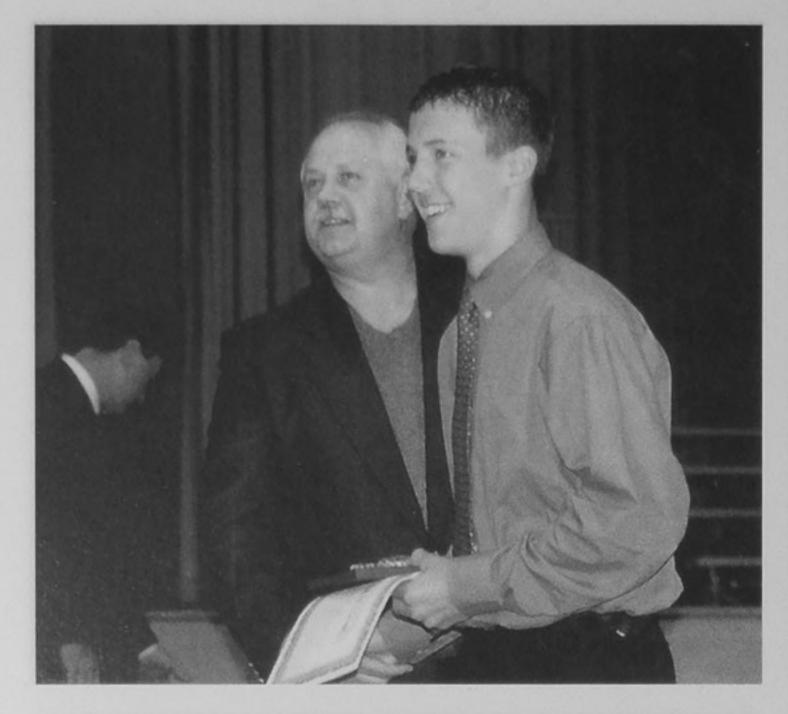
The select and mixed choruses perform "Brother My Brother."

Cassie Pinson, Alecia Wright and Amanda Knight comprise the trombone section of the concert band.

Projects by first through fourth-year art students are on display in the cafeteria.

Josh Cowgill receives his award from Mr. Fred Nelson, Vice-President of the Board of Education.

Gerirose Givan receives her second-year award at the Scholarship Reception.









Amy Conn and Geoff Givan are the recipients of the Ohio High School Athletic Association Award.

Junior Bethany Kirkendall proudly accepts her award from Mr. Fred Nelson.

A group of sophomore girls takes a break from their desserts to smile for the camera.

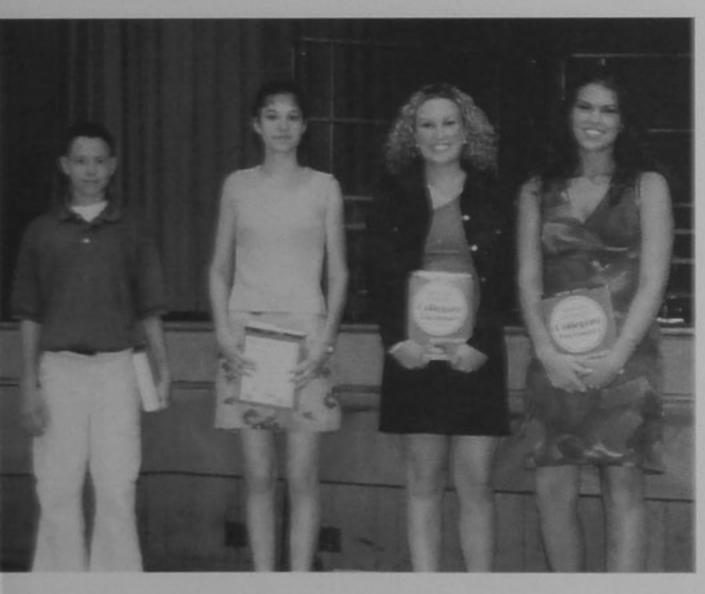




# Scholarship Reception

This year's scholarship reception was held on May 15, 2001. There were 117 students invited to the reception. In order to attend the reception, students must be on the "A" honor roll three of the five grading periods and be on the "B" honor roll in the other two. Students who were on the "A" honor roll all of the grading periods were given special recognition in the program bulletin. Also during the reception, the quiz team was honored, local scholarship recipients were announced, and the drawing for the dictionaries donated by the Wheelersburg Education Association took place. The scholarship plaque was again donated by the Aristech Chemical Corporation and will be on permanent display in the high school.

Alesha Bell receives her first-year award.







W.E.A. dictionary recipients Kevin Gulley, Abby Warner, Keelie Snyder and Brooke Williams proudly display their prizes.

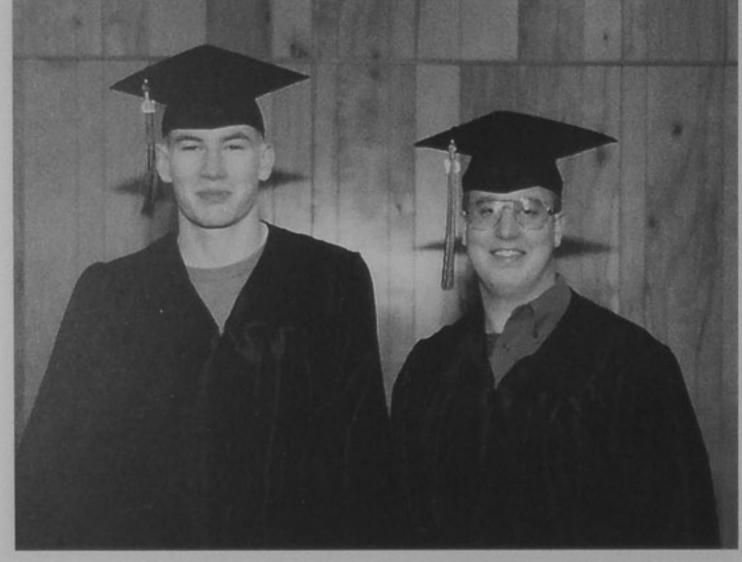
Lance Davis receives his fouryear award.

Seniors relax at the scholarship reception.

## Graduation

On May 26, 2001, 98 seniors in the class of 2001 graduated in the 117th annual commencement ceremony at WHS. The ceremony was held on Saturday night at 7:30 p.m. in the gymnasium. The graduates processed to "Pomp and Circumstance" the traditional graduation song. The Select Chorus performed one last time with their graduating members in "The Star Spangled Banner" and "Yesterday." Out of the 98 members of the Class of 2001, 64 have made plans to attend a four-year college or university, 12 to a two-year college, 2 to attend a private or adult college, 5 to enter the military, and 15 to work. Speeches were made by the Top Vocational Student Josh Skaggs, Salutatorian Eric Vanderhoof, and Valedictorian James Kelley. Many scholarships and awards were presented to the graduating class by Mrs. Dora Carmon, Guidance Counselor, and Mr. John Eaton, Principal. Finally the graduates received their longawaited diplomas and were announced as the Class of 2001.





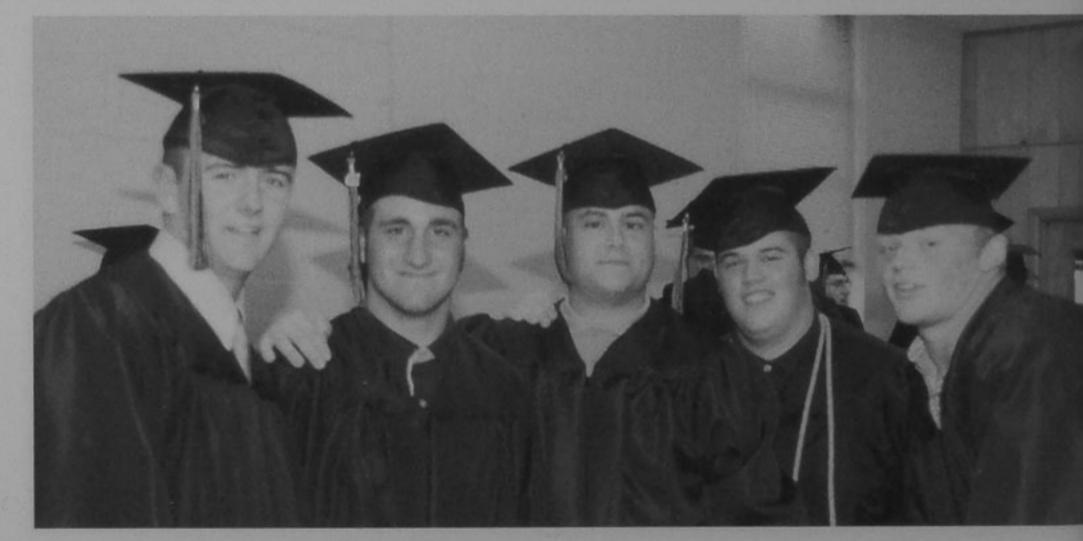


Top, Brandi Buchanan fixes the tassel on Tashana Brown's cap.

Mark Sexton and John Kirby stand together for a picture.

Kati and Keri Schwamberger have a final picture of high school taken together before graduation.

Jeremy Williams, Adam Blevins, Michael Tallerico, Jared Seeley, and Michael Branon gather for a group picture.



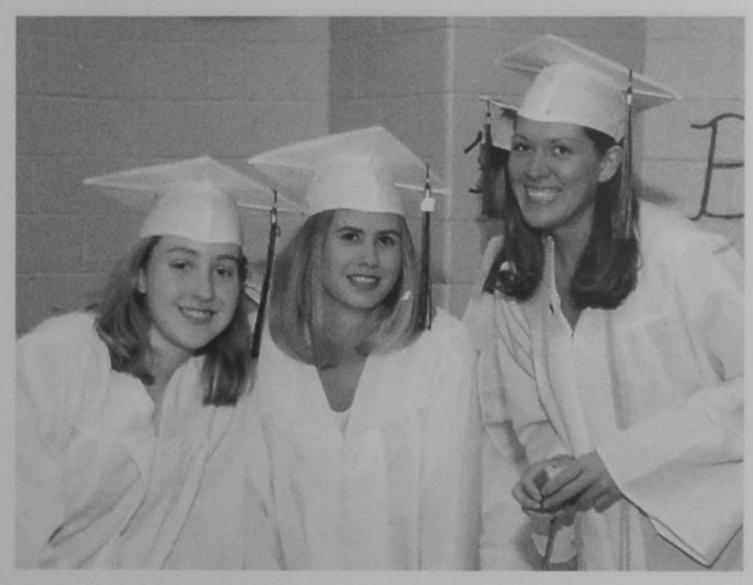


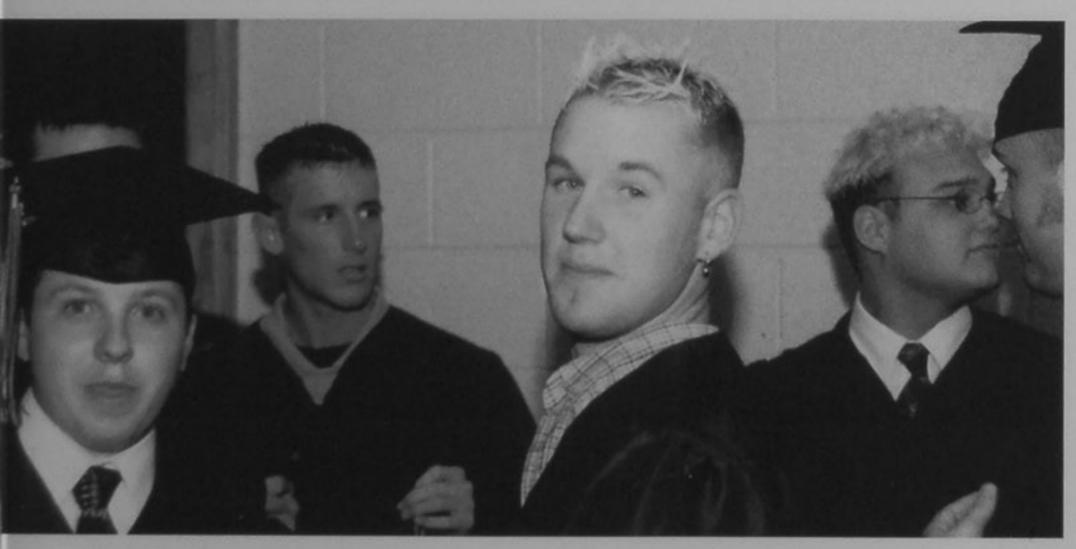
Amanda Cook shakes hands with Mr. Eaton.

Anna Wolfenbarger and Betty McCleese wait for graduation to start.









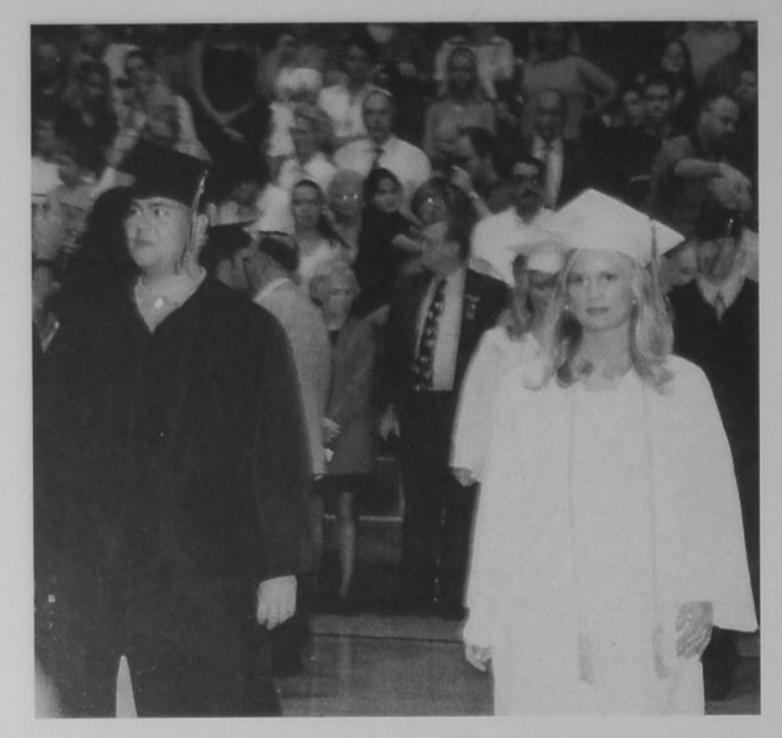
Michelle Gaton, Amanda Knight, and Amanda McGlone pose in their caps and gowns.

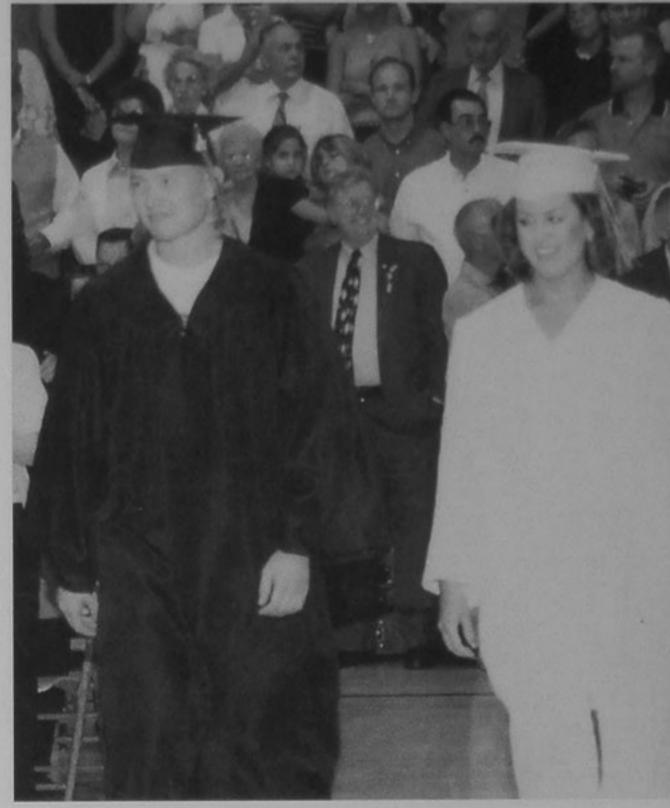
Justin Nihiser puts on his gown as he readies for graduation.

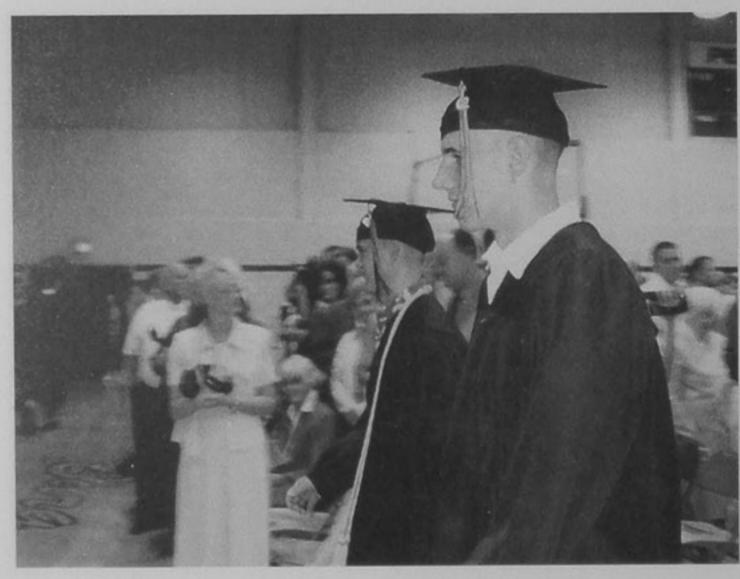
Eric Sweeny, Miles Ferguson, Travis Euton, and Nathan Stroud hang out in the study hall.

Michael Tallerico and Kati Schwamberger process to the stage during "Pomp and Circumstance."

Geoff Givan and Andrea Barger enter the gymnasium for the last time as WHS students.





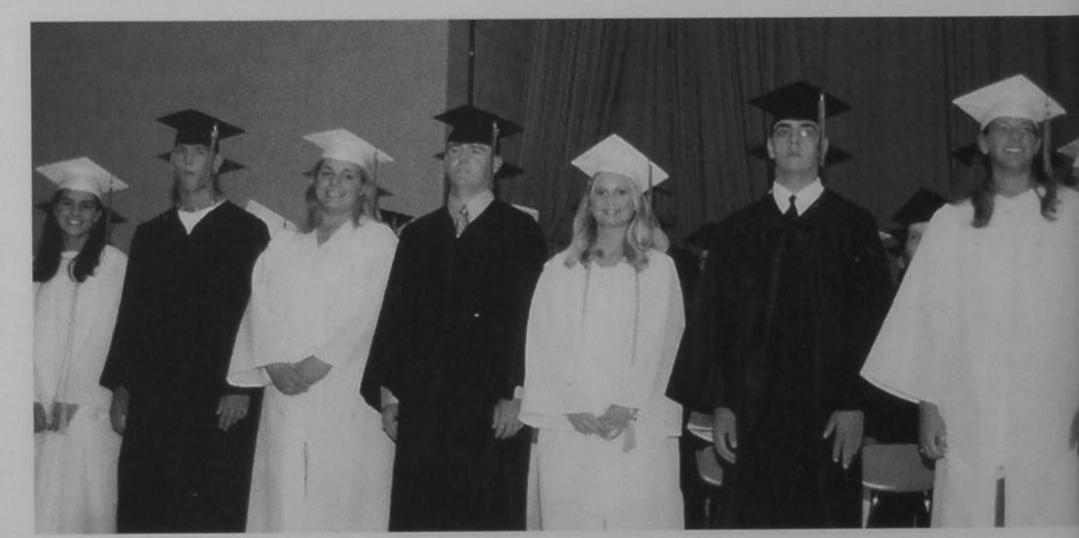


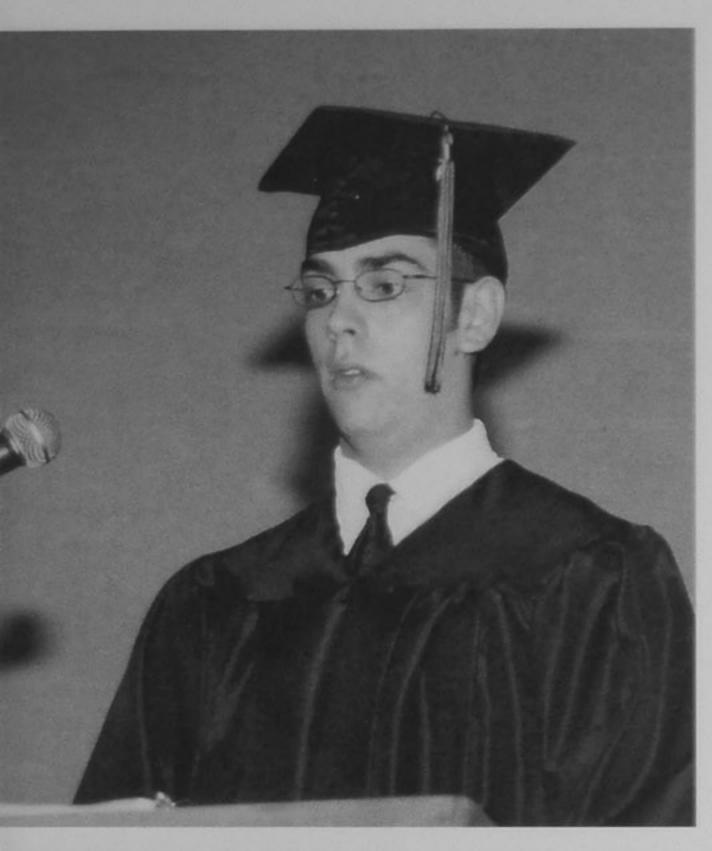


Kris Ruggles and Ben Miller near the stage as their graduation ceremony begins.

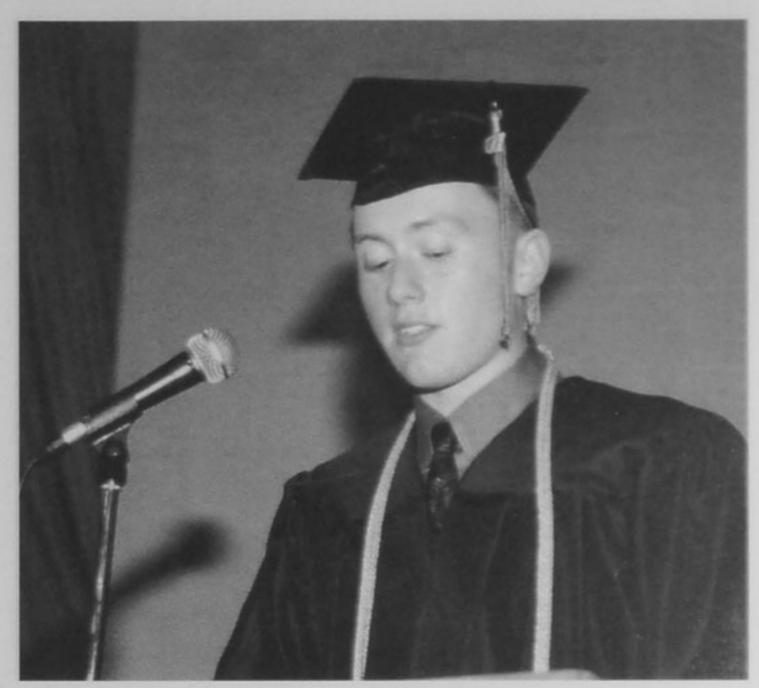
Jared Seeley receives his award for ten years of perfect attendance.

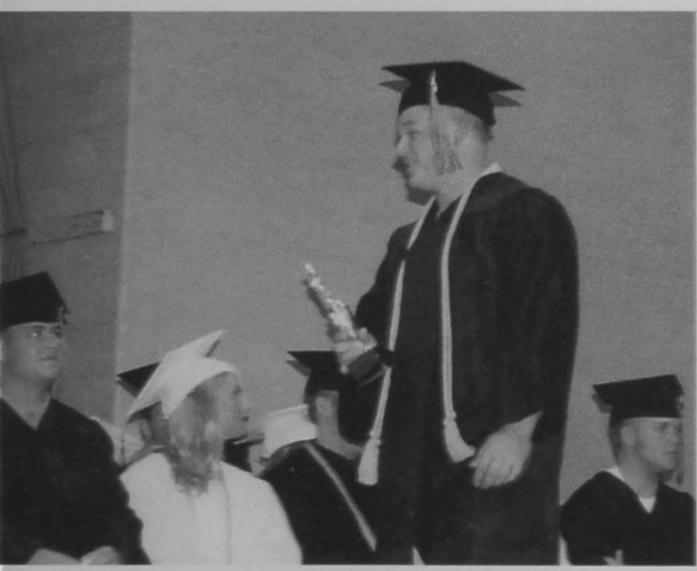
These seniors wait for the rest of their classmates to enter the gymnasium.





Top Vocational Student Josh Skaggs encourages his fellow students and the audience to achieve their goals in life. Salutatorian, Eric Vanderhoof encourages the Class of 2001 with this quote: "What you are is a gift from God, what you become is your gift to God."







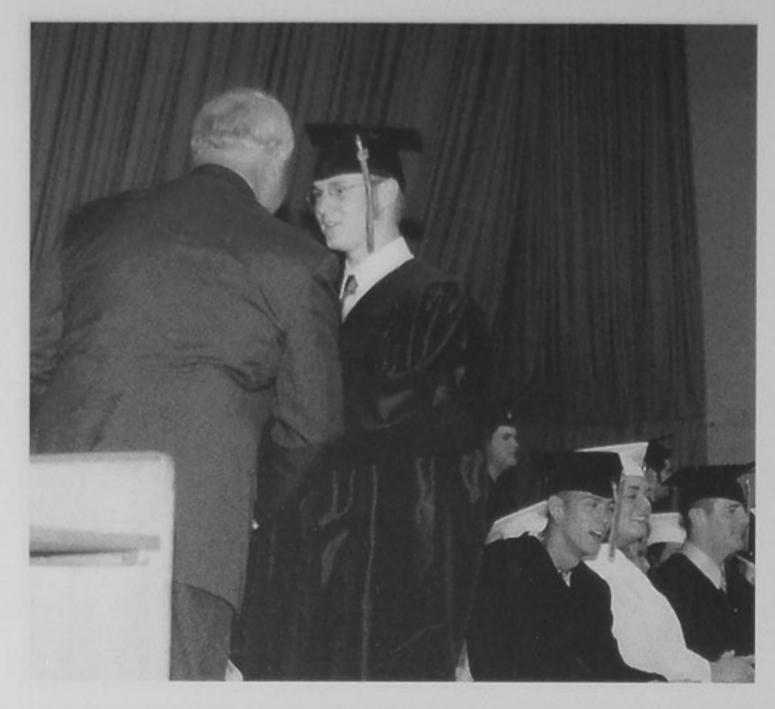


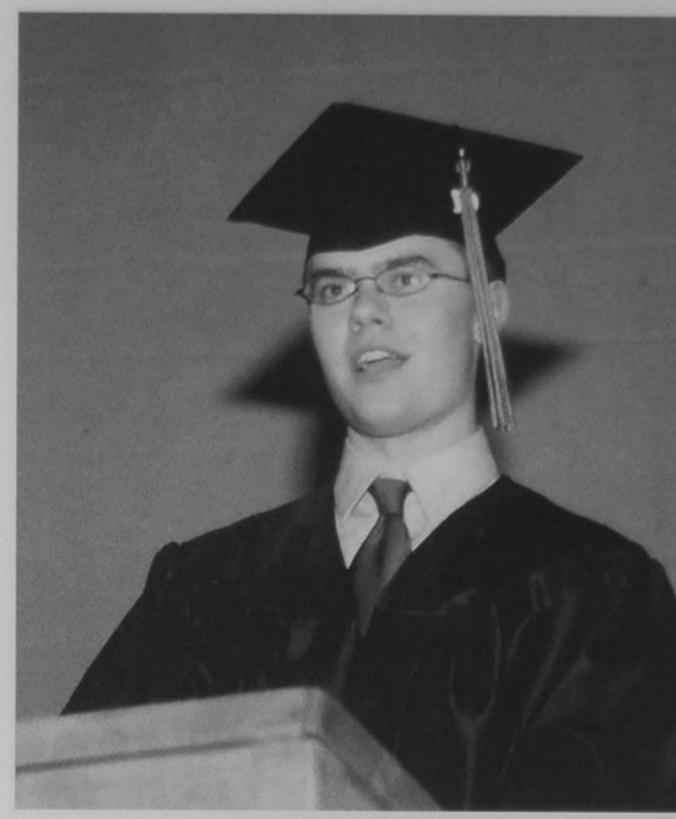
Mr. Fred Nelson Vice-President of the Board of Education presents Amanda Knight with her diploma for her four years of academic excellence.

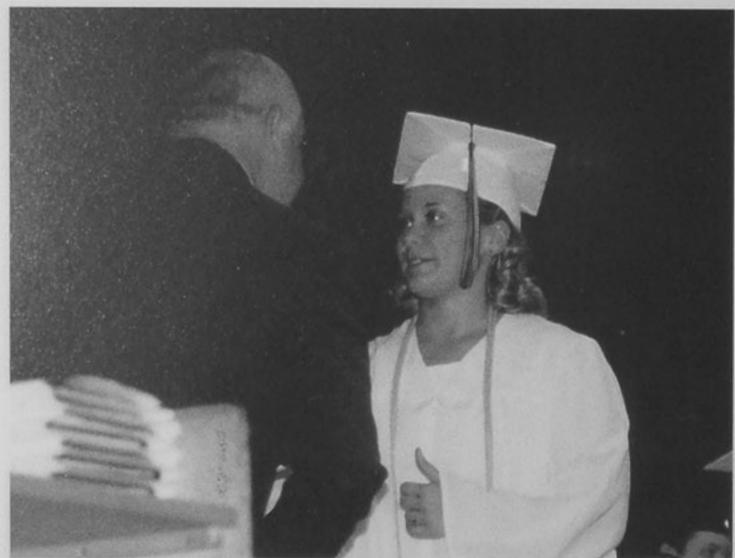
Lance Davis receives his award for three years of perfect attendance.

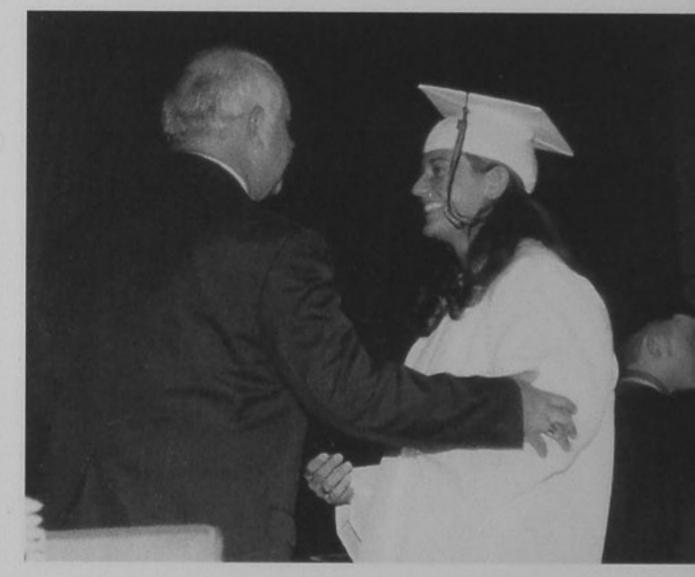
The Select Chorus sings "Yesterday" with the graduating seniors.

Carlos Morris receives his diploma. Valedictorian James Kelley reads excerpts from "The Story of Life" to encourage his fellow classmates.









Amy Conn receives her diploma from Mr. Fred Nelson.

Ashley Bauman receives her diploma.

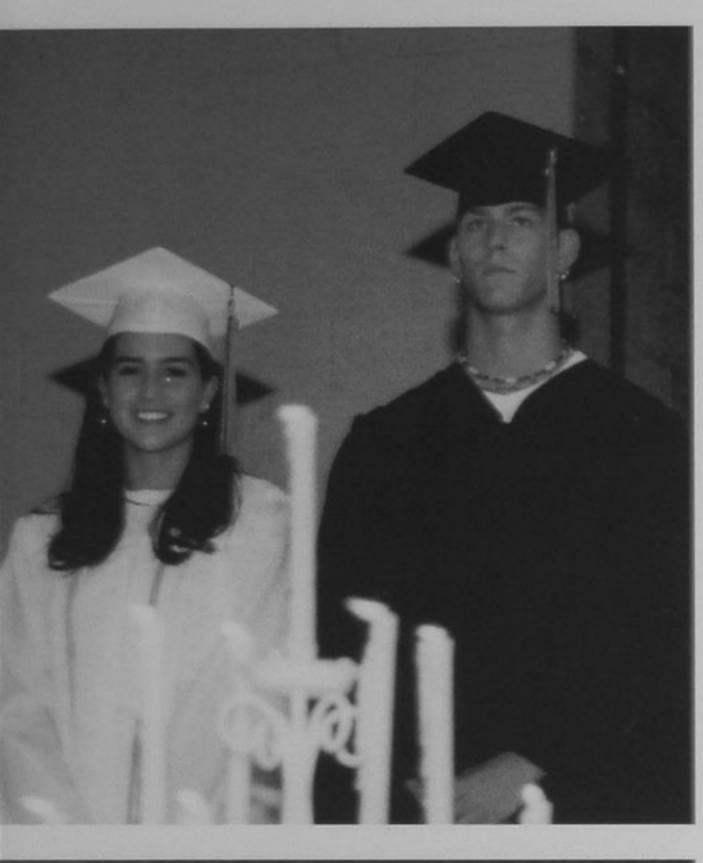
Students of the 2001 class wait for their fellow classmates to enter the gym.

High Honors: Jeremy Blake, Erin Elliot, Geoff Givan, John Moody, Kris Ruggles, Kati Schwamberger, Jeremy Skiver, Jared Seeley.

### Honors:

Amy Conn, Lance Davis, Elizabeth Savage, Keri Schwamberger, Amanda Scott, Brooke Williams.



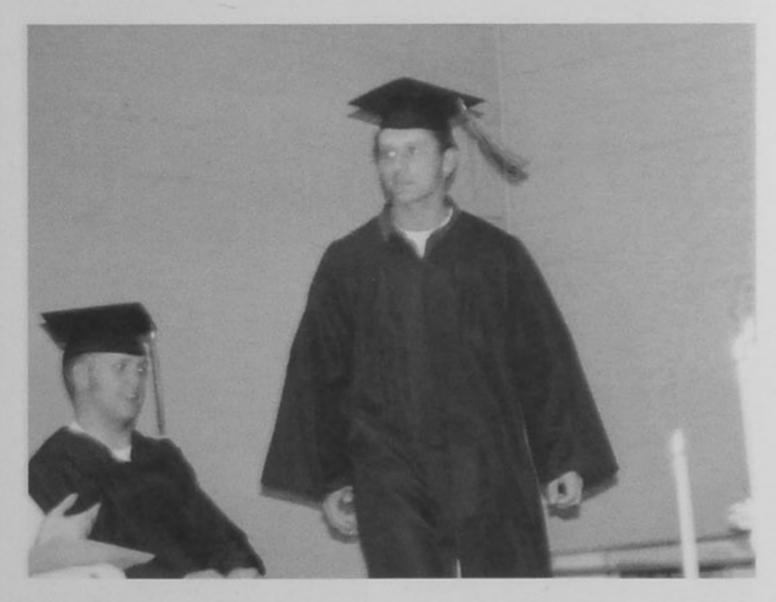


Erin Elliott and Dustin Chamberlin wait for everyone to enter the gym.

Amy Nelson receives her diploma from her Dad, Mr. Fred Nelson.









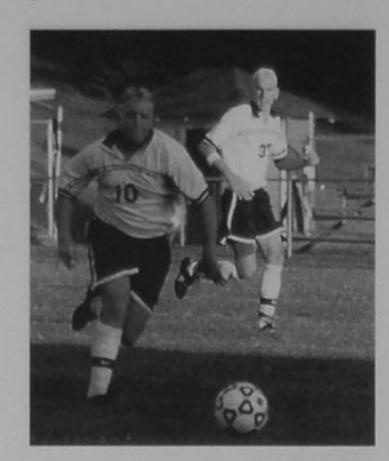
Michael Perkins crosses the stage to receive his diploma.

Michael Branon receives his diploma.

The Class of 2001 toss their caps into the air after they are pronounced graduates of WHS.

Perfect Attendance: Jared Seeley-10 Years Lance Davis-Three Years John Kirby-Three Years Eric Vanderhoof-One Year

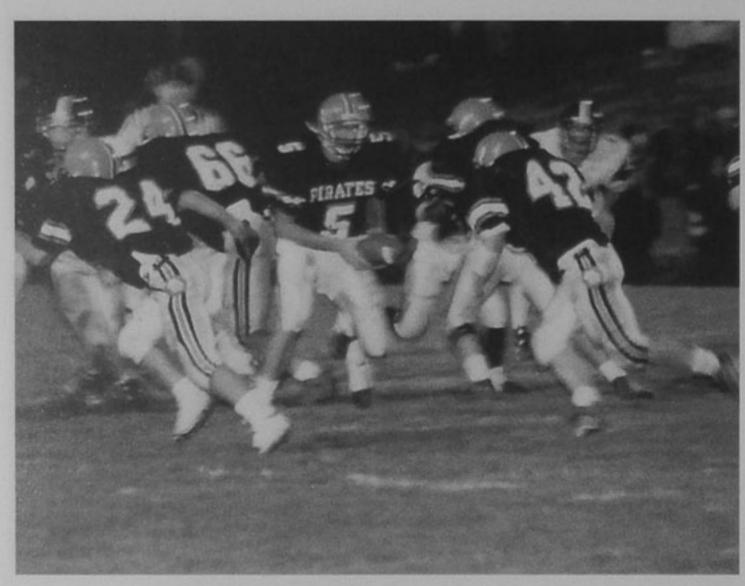
Adam Salyers tosses the shot put.



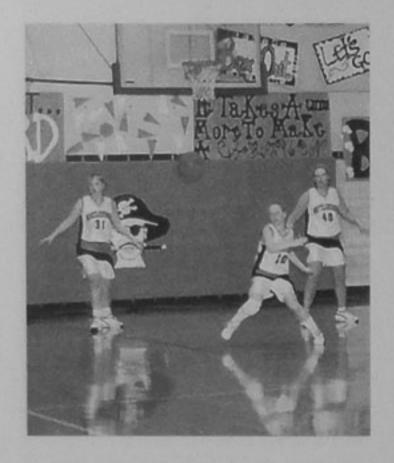
Miles Ferguson brings the ball down court at the Convo.

John White advances the ball upfield.

QB Andrew Burleson (5) hands off to fullback Lance Davis (42).







The Lady Pirates prepare to play defense.

The Pirates celebrate after their district title game against Minford.



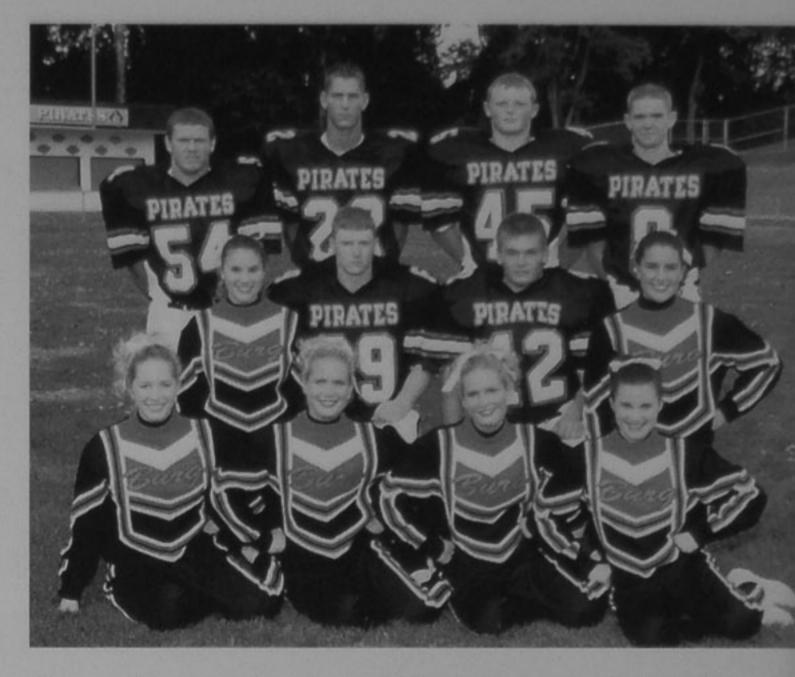


After losing 24 players through graduation last year, the Pirates began the 2000 season with only six seniors. After a hardfought season, the Pirates ended the regular season with a record of 5-5. The loss to Minford in week #5 was the first loss in 15 years, which was also the deciding game for the SOC II title. Despite the challenging season, the Pirates qualified for the playoffs but had to face the Minford Falcons in the regional quarterfinals. There were nine upperclassmen who received special awards. Michael Branon and Carlos Morris both received Most Outstanding Offensive Lineman Awards. Boyd Bailey and Alan Potts received Most Outstanding Defensive Lineman Awards. Lance Davis and Billy Dever received Most Outstanding Offensive Back Awards. Kris Ruggles received the Most Outstanding Defensive Back Award. The Special Teams Award was given to Dustin Winebrenner and the MVP was awarded to Dusty Chamberlin.



### VARSITY

## FOOTBALL



Seniors. Row 1: E. Savage, Ke. Schwamberger, Ka. Schwamberger, Bihl. Row 2: K. Pratt, C. Morris, L. Davis, E. Elliott. Row 3: J. Evans, Chamberlin, M. Branon, K. Ruggles.



Andrew Burleson awaits the snap from Nate Weaver against the Portsmouth Trojans.

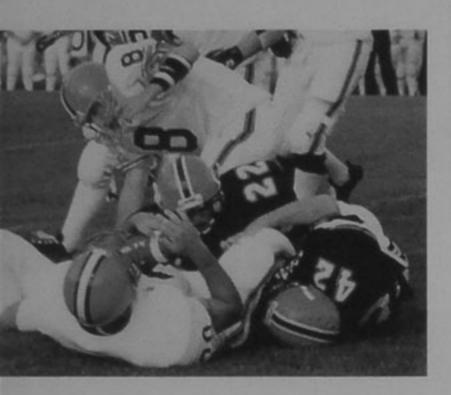


Junior Andrew Burleson looks for his receiver as his lineman gives him time to complete the pass.

Senior Dusty Chamberlin kicks a fie goal for the Pirates.



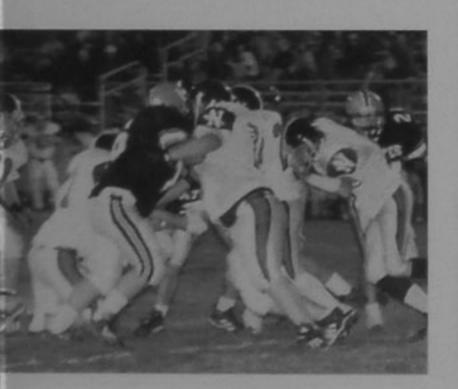
enior Captains Lance Davis and Cars Morris burst through The Burg sign.



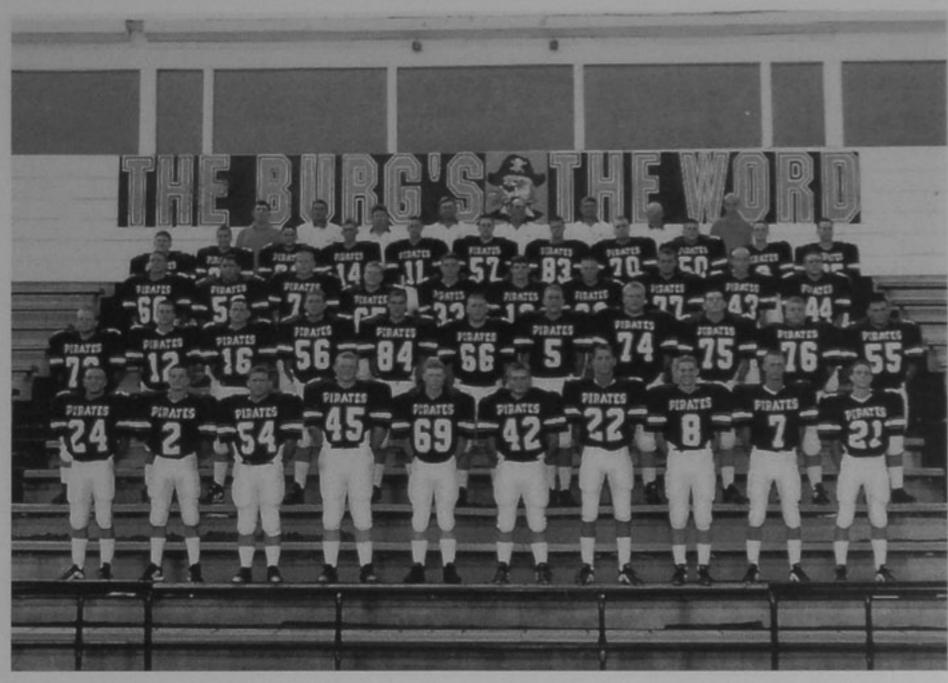
usty Chamberlin and Lance Davis ke down the Ironton ballcarrier for a ss of yards.



enior Carlos Morris sacks the Trojan arterback in a crucial play.



inior Alan Potts goes head-to-head ith the Northwest defender.



Varsity Football. Row 1: B. Dever, D. Parsley, J. Evans, M. Branon, C. Morris, L. Davis, D. Chamberlin, K. Ruggles, A. Perkins, J. Chamberlin. Row 2: E. Salyers, D. Winebrenner, J. Spaulding, S. Myers, B. Yelley, N. Weaver, A. Burleson, M. Smith, R. Hickman, A. Potts, B. Bailey. Row 3: A. Saylers, T. Greenhill, J. VanMeter, J. Gregory, D. Caudill, J. Etterling, K. Fannin, A. Turner, J. Bradshaw, J. Madden. Row 4: J. Price, M. Adkins, C. Perry, C. Piguet, M. Weaver, N. O'Brien, K. Tilley, E. Deemer, H. Sullens, B. Conn, J. Perkins. Row 5: T. Williams, Head Coach M. Schmidt, Coach M. Schomburg, Coach K. Massie, Coach R. Bailey, Coach J. Gill, Coach D. Watts, S. Oppy.



With 24 seconds till game time, the Pirates get pumped to play Ironton.



Matt Weaver and Lance Davis move in for the tackle of the Trojan ball carrier.

### Varsity Football

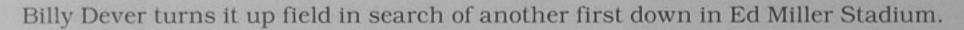
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3	Ironton	10	
15	Martins Ferry	18	
48	Paint Valley	14	
23	South Point	7	
14	Minford	24	
28	Russell, KY	34	
16	Waverly	14	
43	Northwest	14	
45	West	24	
0	Portsmouth	45	
Regional Quarterfinals			
0	Minford	28	

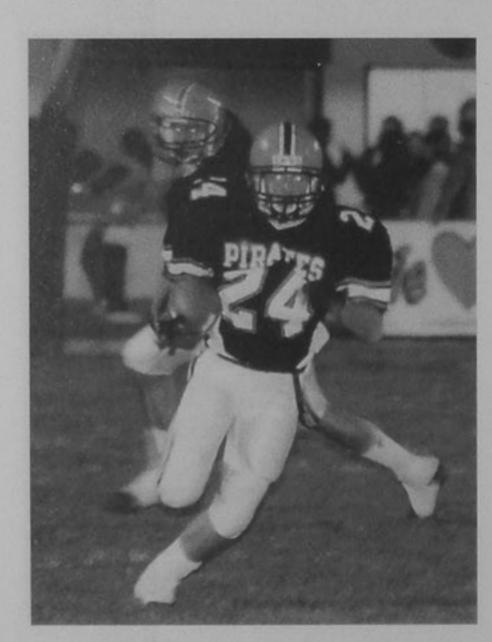


Running back Billy Dever takes the handoff and rounds the corner against Ironton.



The Pirates show great determination to stop the Portsmouth Trojans in their tracks.







Mike Smith takes on the Ironton linebacker.



The Pirates get pumped up before the game as they break through the "Burg's the Word" sign.



Billy Dever runs the ball beside Carlos Morris against Northwest.



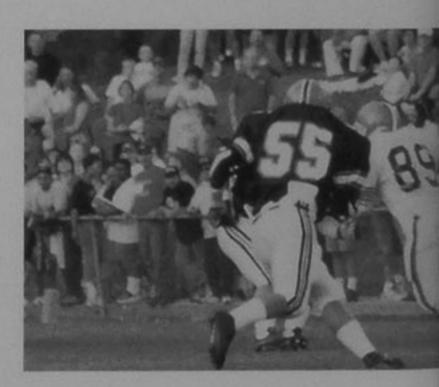
Dustin Winebrenner protects the las he goes for a touchdown.



Junior Jared Chamberlin looks do the field for an opportunity to bre through the Trojans' defense.



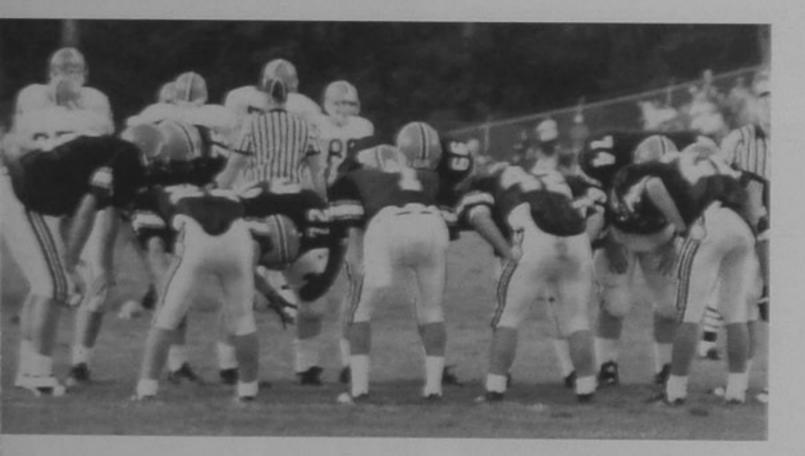
#42 Lance Davis prepares to take thand-off.



Boyd Bailey dashes for a tackle agair Ironton.



att Weaver, Bryan Yelley and Boyd Bailey demolish a Trojan ball rrier.



e Pirates huddle to call the next play against the Ironton Tigers in first game of the season.

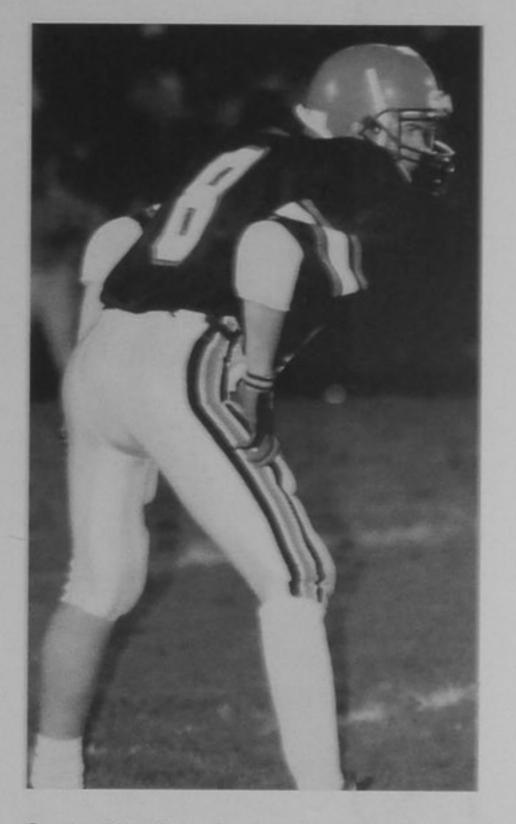


Junior Dustin Winebrenner returns the Mohawks punt for a touchdown.

### First Team Michael Branon Dusty Chamberlin Lance Davis Carlos Morris Kris Ruggles

### All-SOC II Football All-Star Teams Second Team Boyd Bailey Andrew Burleson Dustin Winebrenner

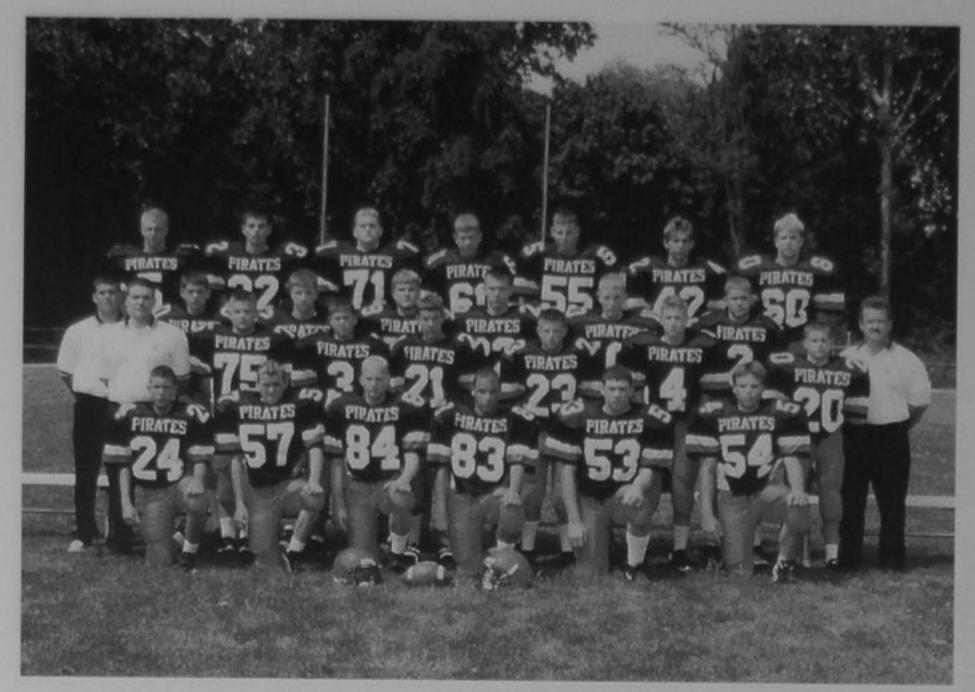
### P IRATES



Senior Kris Ruggles lines up for a defensive pass coverage.

Billy Dever carries the ball toward the Trojan end zone.





Freshmen Football. Row 1: K. Crumm, J. Pollard, J. Parlin, J. Phillips, J. White, M. Sparks. Row 2: Coach B. Claxon, G. Weddington, B. Chamberlin, J. Cowgill, C. Newsom, D. Cooper, C. Chamberlin. Row 3: Coach A. Bailey, N. Caudill, J. Wesney, E. Kent, J. Dunham, M. Ruggles, C. Webb, Coach B. Blankenship. Row 4: N. Timberlake, A. Wilkes, N. Floyd, M. Nelson, A. Bailey, C. Bond, J. Porter.



Jacob Wesney and Austin Wilkes take down the Chesapeake ball carrier.



Reserve player Donnie Parsley tries to escape the Russell Defender.



The reserve team defense moves to the Russell ball carrier.



Nathan Timberlake avoids the Ch peake defender.



The Pirate defense stuffs the Ch peake offense.



The Pirate ball carrier runs over Russell defender for extra yardage.

### Freshmen Football

WHS	Opponent	
32	Chesapeake	0
30	Northwest	18
32	Ashland	26
36	Rock Hill	16
46	Zane Trace	14
38	Jackson	8
36	Russell	21
8	Ironton	36



Justin Parlin kicks off for the freshmen football team.



sity Cheerleaders. Row 1: Erin Elliot, Kaley Pratt; Row 2: Amanda Rase, Keri wamberger, Kati Schwamberger, Elizabeth Savage; Row 3: Erin Bussa, Heathill, Jill Queen, Micah Riffe.



The senior cheerleaders smile and listen to their senior song.



The Varsity Cheerleaders perform at the first game of the season.

2000 UCA Cheerleading
Camp All Stars:
Heather Bihl
Erin Elliot
Liz Savage
Kati Schwamberger
Keri Schwamberger
Tiffany Boggs
Gerirose Givan
Jessica Evans
Amanda Pyles



JV Cheerleaders take a time out at a game to smile for the camera.

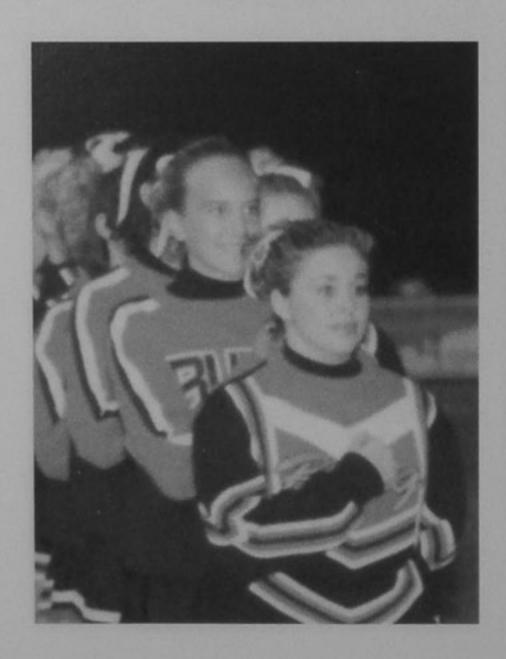


Strike a pose! That's what these cheerleaders are doing while they dance at the Portsmouth pep rally.

### FOOTBALL Both the Varsity and Junior Varsity cheerleaders completed an outstanding football season. The girls began practicing in July and continued working nonstop until the end of the season. They attended UCA Cheerleading Camp at Ohio State University. The Varsity and JV squads both received first place finishes in the extreme routine competition, and the Varsity team walked away with an additional second place in CH the cheer division. The Wheelersburg cheerleaders won the home dance routine award and the leadership award for the E second year in a row. These ER cheerleaders cheered, danced, and flipped throughout the 2000 season without pausing LE for a breath. The freshmen added new talent to the squad while the senior girls led with their years of experience. All of A the girls found opportunities to DE improve their tumbling abilities. With so much dedication and success, the cheerleaders of the 2000 football season set a R high standard for the future.

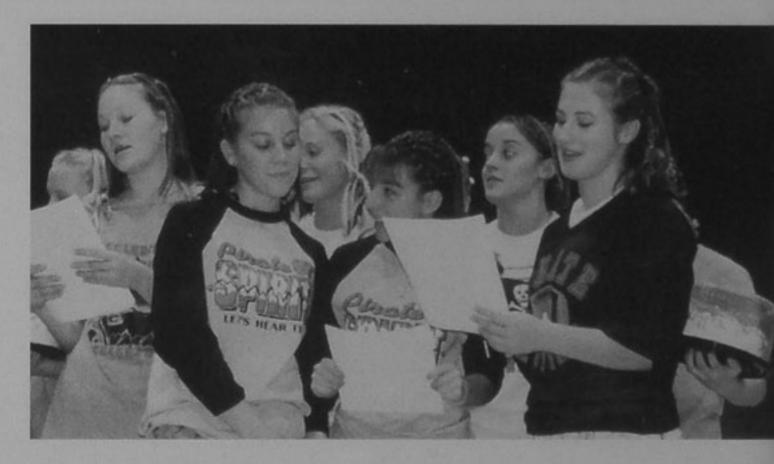
Micah and Michelle look proudly at the flag during the National Anthem.

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Seniors: Keri Schwamberger, Erin Elliot, Heather Bihl, Liz Sav



Gerirose, Holly, Ashley, and Amanda take part in singing the tradit al senior song to the tune of "The Brady Bunch."



JV Cheerleaders. Row 1: Jenny Lyon. Gerirose Givan, Jessie Evans, Mich Schmidt. Row 2: Ashley Jones, Holly Porter, Tiffany Boggs. Row 3: Amanda Py Lyndsey Parker, Ashley Wagner.

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r team introductions, the Pirate Booters huddle before taking the at a home game.



ior John White prepares to shoot against Ironton St. Joe in the ional Finals as Justin Hopkins and Nate Little back up the shot.



on Sturgeon and Ryan Mowery conpossession of the ball against West.

Seniors. Row 1: Jeremy Williams. Row 2: Ryan Mowery, Eric Sweeney, Bobbi Madden. Row 3: John White, Geoff Givan, Ben Miller.

### Soccer team continued their reign atop the SOC this year by earning a share of the conference title with Minford with a 17-2-1 on the year. The "Booters" squared off the first time with the Falcons and were defeated 0-1, but the Pirates regained their position atop the SOC by defeating Minford the second time with a landslide 4-O victory for the Pirates on their home field. The memorable 2000 SOC season with a 11-1-0 record became the seventh year in a row that the Pirates have won the title. The team continued winning through the tournaments, becoming the District Champions for the third consecutive year. The Pirates scored 89 goals, only allowed 8 goals, and recorded 14 shutout victories to break the previous school record they set in 1999. Individually, Geoff Givan broke a school record of 84 goals scored in a career and Jeremy Williams broke the career goals against average for a goalkeep-

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The fourth-state ranked Pirate



er with .50 GAA. There were

two players, Givan and Wil-

liams who earned All-State

awards, 8 players earned All-

District awards, and 11 All-

SOC awards.



Row 1: J. Williams. Row 2: R. Mowery, J. White, B. Miller, G. Givan, A. Ferreira, B. Madden, E. Sweeney. Row 3: E. Allen, T. Hall, J. Hopkins, J. Thompson, A. Sturgeon, S. Boll, J. Schwamberger. Row 4: W. Lyon, Mgr.; N. Musick, A. Allen, T. Noel, C. Vicars, N. Riffe, K. Gulley, R. Lyon, Mgr. Row 5: Coach D. Lewis, C. Reed, A. Siegfried, T. Riepenhoff, A. Siegfried, T. Miller, T. White, N. Little, J. Peters, Head Coach Paul Boll. Absent: L. Grbac, C. Zahn.

Aaron Sturgeon dribbles down field with teammates John White and Justin Hopkins against West.



Senior Ryan Mowery beats a West player to the ball.



Senior Eric Sweeney defends an att from Northwest.



Alan Siegfried prepares to clear the against Clay.



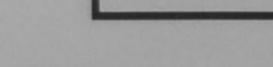
Senior Ben Miller agressively throthe ball inbounds with a 2-0 lead a time running down in the game.

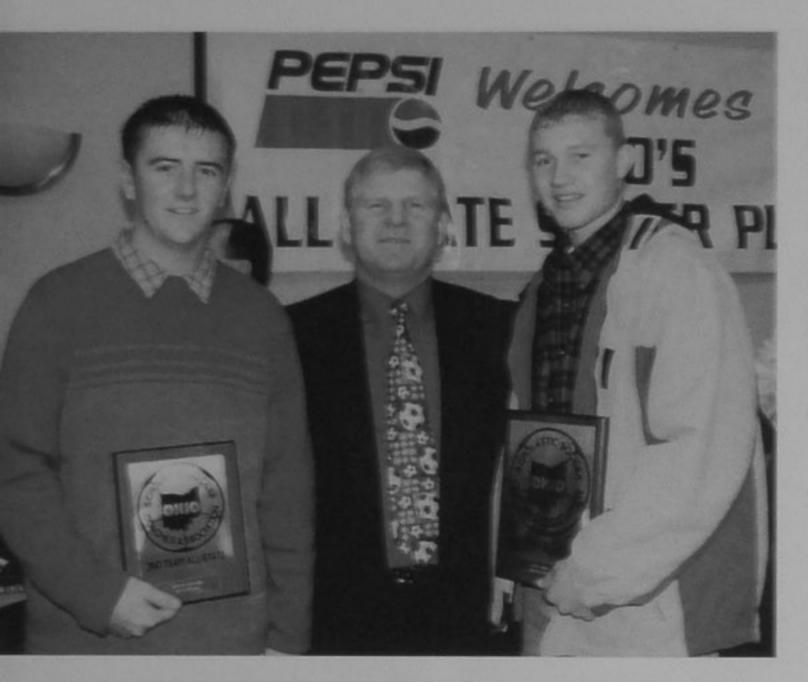


With teammate Travis Riepenhoff back-up, Nate Little looks to make pass against Northwest.

### Varsity Soccer

WH	S Oppone	nt
8	South Point	.1
6	West	0
2	South Webster	0
0	Minford	1
3	Northwest	0
12	Greenup Co.	0
7	Waverly	0
3	Valley	1
7	West	0
4	New Boston	1
4	Minford	0
3	Northwest	0
3	Waverly	0
5	Clay	0
2	Zane Trace	2
8	Portsmouth	0
Sectional Tournament		
4	Ironton St. Joe	0
	District Tournament	
6	Lynchburg Clay	0
2	West Muskingum	0
F	Regional Tournament	
0	Grandview Heights	2





Jeremy Williams, Second Team All-Ohio, Coach Paul Boll, and Geoff Givan. First Team All-Ohio, enjoy the Ohio Scholastic Soccer Coaches Association banquet to recognize the top players in the state. Geoff Givan was a second year member of the First Team All-Ohio. At WHS, Geoff broke the record for "Most Goals Scored in a Career" with 84 and earned MVP in 1999 and 2000. Geoff was SOC Player of the Year in 1999 and District Player of the Year in 2000. Jeremy Williams broke the WHS and SOC records with 14 Shutouts: 36 Career Shutouts: 29 Career Goals Allowed in 58 games; and set the 1999 and 2000 OSSCA State Record of .35 goals per game.

### PIRATES



In the opponent's half of the field, Travis White steals the ball to go back on the offense.

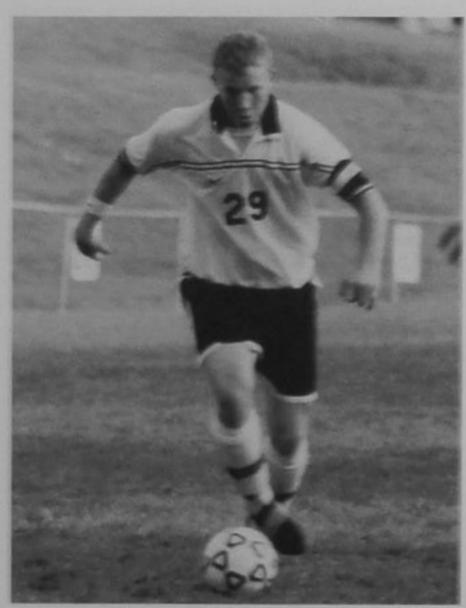
Senior Geoff Givan controls the ball at midfield.



ndy Siegfried and Chris Vicars work together to clear the ball upfield ong with the defensive coverage of the JV Pirates.

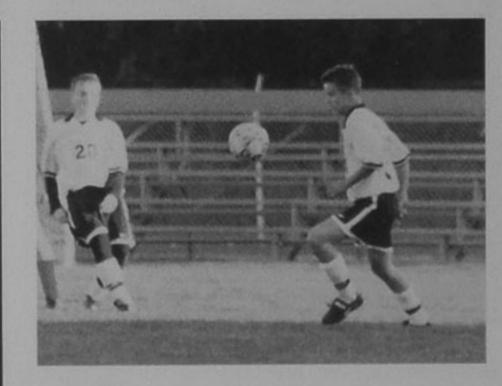


remy Williams punches the ball over the goal with his defense ready to respond.





At the SOC All-Star game, members are awarded plaques and the team trophy. SOC First Team: Geoff Givan, Ben Miller, Tim Miller, Ryan Mowery, Travis Riepenhoff, Alan Siegfried, Eric Sweeney, Jeremy Williams. Second Team: Justin Hopkins, Nathan Little, John White. District First Team: Geoff Givan, Ben Miller, Jeremy Williams. Second Team: Travis Riepenhoff, Alan Siegfried. Honorable Mention: Eric Sweeney, Tim Miller.



Christoph Zahn handles the ball against Zane Trace.



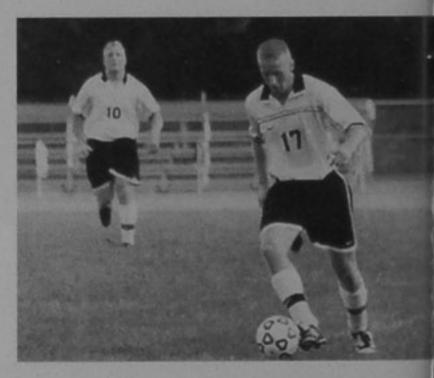
Nick Musick and Joe Schwamberger steal the ball from their Zane Trace opponents.



Andrea Allen moves to trap the b against Zane Trace.



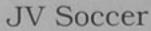
Corey Reed and Emily Allen work gether to gain possession of the ball.



Travis Riepenhoff gains control of to ball against Greenup County.



After suffering a broken leg in an earlingame. Aaron Sturgeon supports he team with some Halloween humor from the sidelines.



WHS	Oppor	ent
0	South Webster	1
0	Minford	2
2	Northwest	0
3	Gallipolis	4
0	Valley	1
2	Northwest	2
2	South Webster	3
0	Waverly	0
0	Zane Trace	0



In JV action, Nick Musick and the Pirates stop South Webster's attempt to score.



issy Danzer runs at the Rio Grande vitational.



ffany Boggs competes at the Rio



sh Huddleston, John Paul Conley, d Travis Riepenhoff stay close at the rtsmouth Invitational.



ik Vicars sprints to the finish at the rismouth Invitational.



Row 1: Erin Bussa, Michelle Schmidt, Tiffany Boggs, Missy Danzer. Row 2: Megan Murphy, Sarah Boll. Row 3: Coach Gary Johnson, Tim Hall, Travis Riepenhoff, Josh Huddleston, John Moody. Absent: John Paul Conley, Scott Oppy.



Scott Oppy runs at the District meet at Rio Grande.



John Moody stays with the leaders at the Portsmouth Invitational.

### Cross Country

Zane Trace Invitational Boys: 4th John Moody; 24th John Paul Conley, 29th Josh Huddleston, 40th Kyle Tudor.

Girls: 22nd Michelle Schmidt, 28th Missy Danzer, 41st Sarah Boll, 77th Erin Bussa, 123rd Tiffany Boggs.

### Western Invitational

Boys: 12th of 17 teams, 20th John Moody, 63rd Travis Riepenhoff, 79th Eric Vicars, 82nd Josh Huddleston, 89th John Paul Conley, 109th Kyle Tudor.

Girls: 3rd of 13 teams, 12th Michelle Schmidt, 18th Missy Danzer, 29th Sarah Boll, 41st Erin Bussa, 52nd Tiffany Boggs, 60th Jordan Bihl.

### District Meet

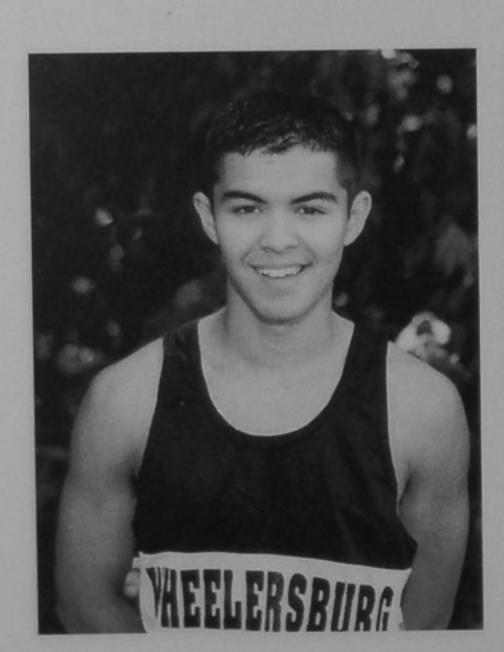
Girls: Placed 4th and qualified for regionals, 5th Michelle Schmidt, 10th Missy Danzer, 29th Jenny Royse, 30th Sarah Boll, 49th Megan Murphy, 54th Erin Bussa, 55th Jordan Bihl.



Michelle Schmidt leads the pack at the Rio Grande Invitational.

### Cross Country, one of the most difficult sports, requires selfdiscipline and determination. One must continually choose to keep running and not succumb to the temptation to quit. This year the boys' and girls' cross country teams did extremely well with the support of their head coach Gary Johnson and their assistant coach, Glenn Queen. They participated in several invitationals and received various honors. At the SOC meet, John Moody received First Team All-SOC. On the girls' team, Michelle Schmidt and Missy Danzer received First Team All-SOC, while Jenny Royse and Sarah Boll placed on the Second Team All-SOC. In addition, the girls' team placed fourth at the Districts which qualified them for the regionals. The Wheelersburg cross country team represented their school well through persistence and hard work.

Seniors: John Moody. Absent: John Paul Conley.



# CROSS COUNTR



Wheelersburg girls Jenny Royse, Missy Danzer, Erin Bussa, Miche Schmidt, Sarah Boll, and Megan Murphy arrive at Districts at F. Grande.



The boys' team made up of John Moody, John Paul Conley, E Vicars, Travis Riepenhoff, Josh Huddleston, and Kyle Tudor poses a quick picture before the Portsmouth Invitational.



The girls' team warms up for Regionals.

## GAP

The girls gather together for a quick snapshot during Sectionals at Mound Park.



Varsity singles players Amanda Phipps and Amanda Arnett, and Varsity doubles team Ana Skaggs and Jordan Bihl, smile for the samera after their qualifying matches.



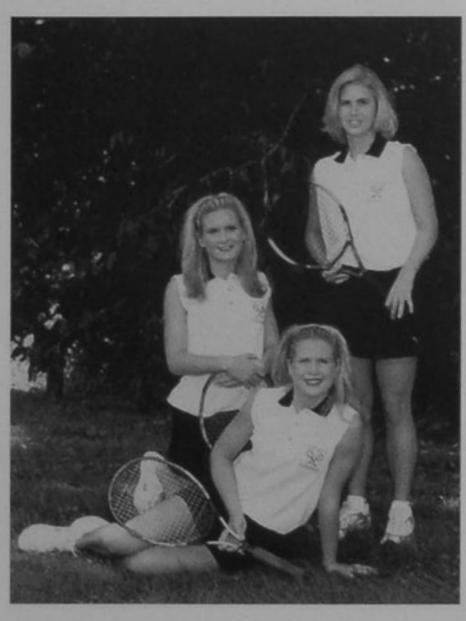
Jordan Bihl, Amanda Knight, Amanda Arnett, Keri Schwamberger, Ana Skaggs, Kati Schwamberger, and Amanda Phipps make up the Varsity seven who competed at the 2000 Sectional tournament.

### GIRLS

### TENNIS

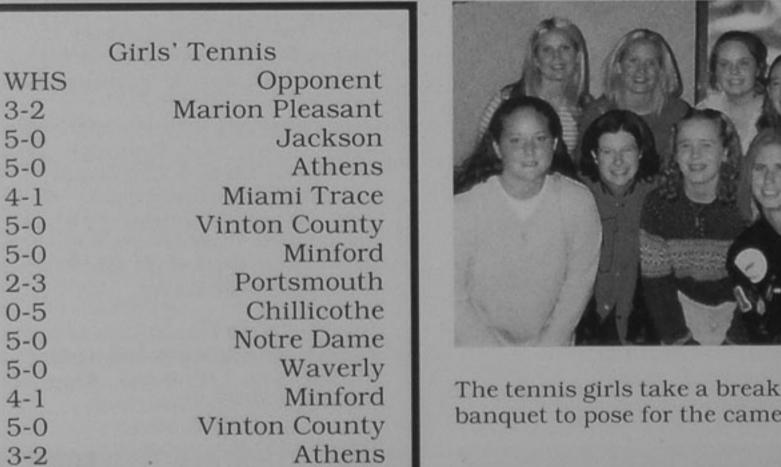
The Lady Pirates Tennis had an incredible and record- breaking season. The team dominated local and distant play, finishing the season with a record of 15-2, the greatest record in Lady Pirate Tennis history. Certainly, the girls' long hours of practice, with head coach Tom Carter, paid off with their numerous sweet victories. Special recognition should be awarded to the tournament players, who led the team to success. The team's varsity seven: (singles) Amanda Knight, Amanda Arnett, Amanda Phipps, (doubles) Kati Schwamberger, Keri Schwamberger, Ana Skaggs, and Jordan Bihl, all competed in Sectional play. The #3 singles player, Amanda Phipps, successfully advanced to Districts, to represent Wheelersburg at the Columbus School for Girls. With this remarkable season and individual accomplishments, the 2000 Lady Pirates Tennis Team will be remembered and cherished for years to come.

Seniors: Amanda Knight, Kati Schwamberger, and Keri Schwamberger.





Row 1: Jordan Bihl, Kellie Porter, Debra Maggard, Brittany Boggs, Ashley Hurley, Bethany Kirkendall, Nancy Keller, Ana Skaggs. Row 2: Tiffany Boggs, Ashley Caudill, Amanda Smith, Lacey Hacker, Jessica Evans, Amanda Phipps, Amanda Knight, Amanda Arnett, Amanda Gilcher; Row 3: Sheena Murphy, Kasey Porter, Abby Warner, Brandy Dixon, Keri Schwamberger, Lyndsey Barlowe, Kati Schwamberger, Julie Floyd



Portsmouth

Notre Dame

Jackson

Bethany, Ashley, Amanda, and Nancy huddle together for a picture at Sectionals.



The tennis girls take a break from their banquet to pose for the camera.



District qualifier Amanda Phipps poses with Portsmouth's Courtney Clifford before they compete for seedings.



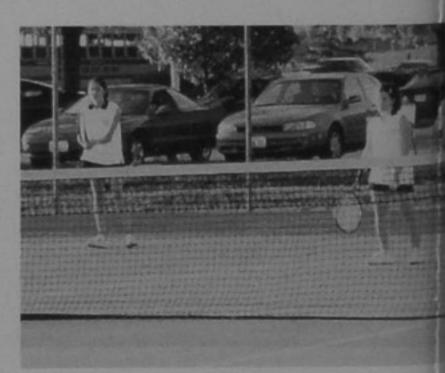
Ashley, Debra, and Julie pose in front Sun-Set Lanes after taking a quick wal during Sectionals.



Junior Ashley Hurley awaits the retur from her opponent.



Varsity doubles team Jordan Bihl an Ana Skaggs smile with head coach Tor Carter after a grueling match.



Abby Warner and Nancy Keller prepar to return the ball back to their Minfor opponents.

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esse Peters takes a shot in a tournanent at the Elk's Country Club.



en Glockner tees off on #10 at the lk's Country Club.



like Adkins tees off at Shawnee State olf Course.



ustin Clark hits a shot during a tourament at the Elk's Country Club.



Row 1: Jesse Peters, Jeremy Elswick, Paul Miller, Mike Adkins. Row 2: Coach Paul Adkins, Stephen Kelly, Justin Clark, Kevin Wagner, Ben Glockner.



Jeremy Elswick has a little fun on the practice green before a match.



Kevin Wagner tees off during an SOC match at the Elk's Country Club.

### Golf

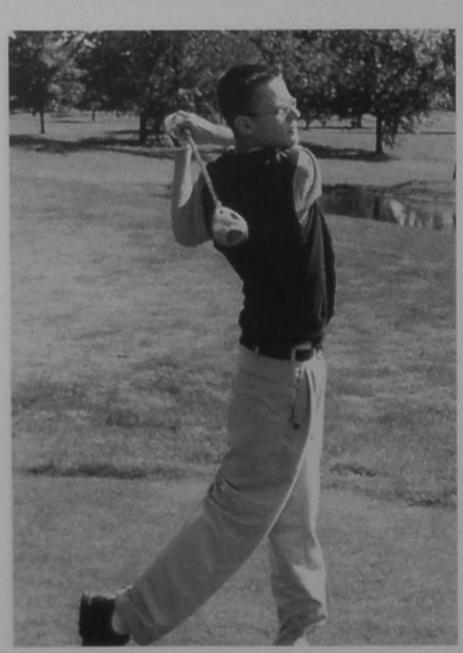
Logan Elm	12 of 25
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Clay	1 of 2
Ripley	1 of 3
Notre Dame, Nor	rthwest,
Manchester, WHS	2 of 4
All SOC	2 of 6
SOCI	4 of 6
All SOC	2 of 7
SOC III	3 of 6
SOC IV	2 of 6



Paul Miller prepares to putt on the 4th hole at the Elk's Country Club.

Under the direction of first year coach Paul Adkins, the WHS golf team enjoyed another very successful season. They began the season by competing in the Logan Elm Invitational, a 25 team tournament at Cook's Creek Golf Course. Paul Miller finished as runner-up low medalist with a round of 73. Paul was also low medalist in all four SOC matches. He was named First Team All-SOC. Mike Adkins was named to the SOC Second Team. Paul Miller and Mike Adkins continued their success into the tournaments. They both advanced out of the sectional tournament to the districts. Paul received low medalist honors at the sectional tournament as well. Paul advanced to the state tournament behind a second-place district finish. He placed 18th out of 72 at the state tournament. With no seniors on this year's team, the future looks bright for the WHS golf team.

Sophomore Mike Adkins tees off in the district tournament.



### VARSITY

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Both Paul Miller and Mike Adkins qualify for the district tournament.
Paul continued to the state tournament.



Jeremy Elswick, Kevin Wagner, Justin Clark, Ben Glockner and Stephen Kelley celebrate another victory.



The golf team and Coach Paul Adkins discuss strategies before the game.

## SPALDING

Seniors: Ashley Clevenger and Amy Conn



enior Co-Captain Amy Conn gives her team a pep-talk before the cond game.

### The girls' Varsity Volleyball R team excelled in their season this year, ending with an 18-6 S record, and finishing second place in the SOC Division II. They also won their sectional tournament, defeating Fairland in the finals. The JV team was also very successful in their season as they finished 14-3, which is the best record in school history. The Lady Pirates produced 5 All-SOC players, 2 All-District players, and an All-State player, showing the great success of their season. All-SOC E Emily Hehl

Amy Conn Ashley Clevenger Danielle Thomas Brooke Emnett

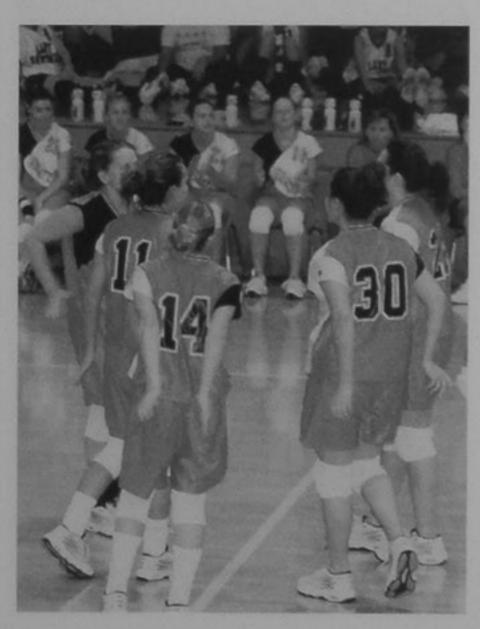
All-District Amy Conn (District 14 Player of the Year) Ashley Clevenger

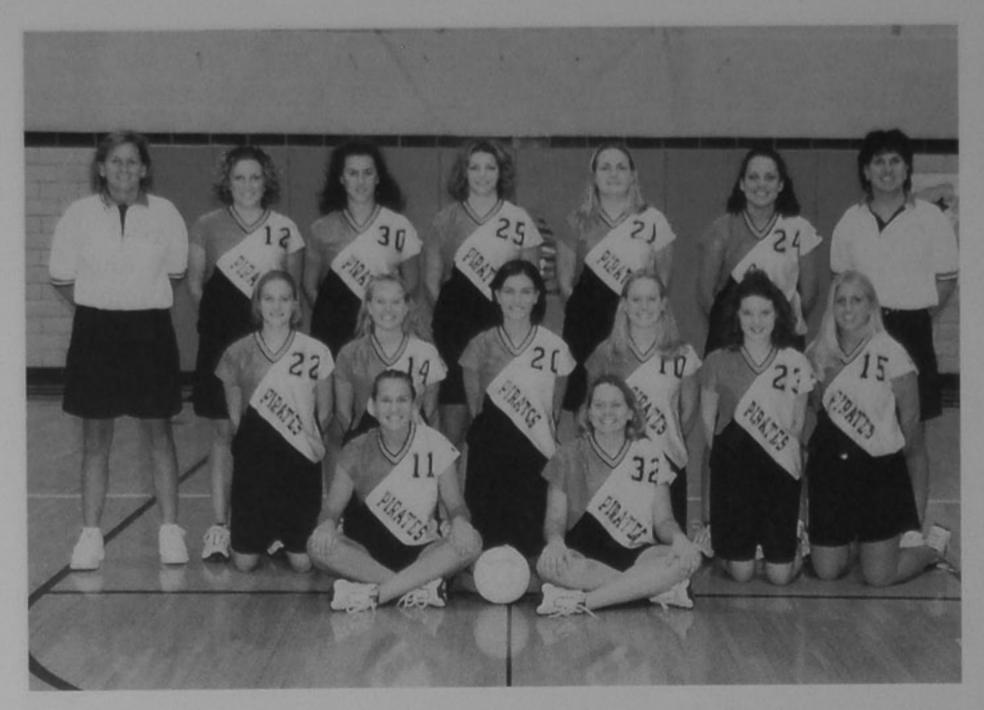
All-State Amy Conn

The team celebrates after serving up an ace.



The Lady Pirates wait on a serve from the opposing team.





Row 1: Brooke Emnett, Amy Conn. Row 2: Alesha Bell, Danielle Thomas, Ashley Clevenger, Michelle Thomas, Jacque Murray, Vanessa Thomas. Row 3: Head Coach Carol Bialkowski, Keelie Snider, Jessie Seeley, Rachel Staley, Carrie Bolin, Emily Hehl, Coach Kim Barrick.



Ashley Clevenger receives her senior gift from teammate Carrie Bolin.



Junior Emily Hehl prepares to serve the ball.



Co-captain Brooke Emnett sets the bal for her awaiting hitters.



The team exchanges high-fives after ar ace.



Michelle Thomas makes a great pas from the opponent's serve.



Coach B goes over the team's strateg during a time-out.

### Varsity Volleyball

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ear's State-Scholar Athletes are, Row 1: Jessie Seeley, Danielle as, Amy Conn, Brooke Emnett, Michelle Thomas. Row 2: Coach Bialkowski, Carrie Bolin, Emily Hehl, Alesha Bell.



Senior Amy Conn begins her serve.



Jessie Seeley spikes the ball over the net.

Each year the Ohio High School Volleyball Coaches Association honors teams and athletes for their academic achievement while participating in interscholastic athletics. The 2000 Wheelersburg Varsity Team qualified for the State Team Scholastic Certificate with an overall GPA of 3.608. Teams must have a 3.5 accumulative GPA to qualify. To qualify for individual honors an athlete must also maintain an accumulative 3.5 GPA.

### PIRATES



Co-captain Brooke Emnett goes up for a block.

Senior Ashley Clevenger prepares for her serve.





Row 1: Kim Whitely, Ashley Nelson. Row 2: Halea Hatten, Jacque Murray, Maggie Howe, Sara Haws. Row 3: Coach Kim Barrick, Alesha Bell, Sara McCarty, Jessica Brumfield, Adair Piguet, Jenny Royse, Coach Carol Bialkowski.

### JV Volleyball

WHS C	pponent
20-18,15-6	Waverly
15-12,5-15,15-5	West
15-3,10-15,16-14	South
	Webster
15-7,15-5	Valley
15-4,15-11	Oak Hill
15-10,15-9	Minford
5-15,10-15	Unioto
15-9,12-15,15-1	North-
	west
15-5,17-15	West
15-7,16-14	South
	Webster
14-16,5-15	Waverly
15-5,15-4	Valley
15-9,15-12	Oak Hill
15-5,15-9	Minford
11-15,15-4,15-13	North-
	west



Brooke Emnett serves the ball for the Lady Pirates.



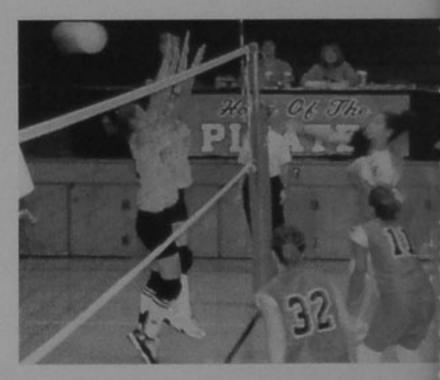
Danielle Thomas sets the ball for spiker Amy Conn.



The Lady Pirates encourage each oth during a time-out.



Ashley Clevenger bumps the ball to sup the play.



Jessie Seeley spikes the ball over to opponents' block attempt.



Carrie Bolin presents senior Amy Corwith her gift from the team.



team poses for a quick picture be-



helle Thomas passes the ball into post.



girls break it down before the game.



rie Bolin boxes her opponent out for rebound.



Varsity. Row 1: Ashley Clevenger, Amy Conn. Row 2: Coach Carol Bialkowski, Jade Howe, Ashley Jackson, Carrie Bolin, Emily Hehl, Amanda Rase, Head Coach Jack Branon. Row 3: Michelle Thomas, Jessie Seeley, Maggie Howe, Sara Henry, Emily Mershon, Jenny Royse, Brooke Emnett, Danielle Thomas.



Amy Conn and Ashley Clevenger receive their gifts from the team on Senior Night.



Jenny Royse shoots a 3-pointer over a Valley defender.

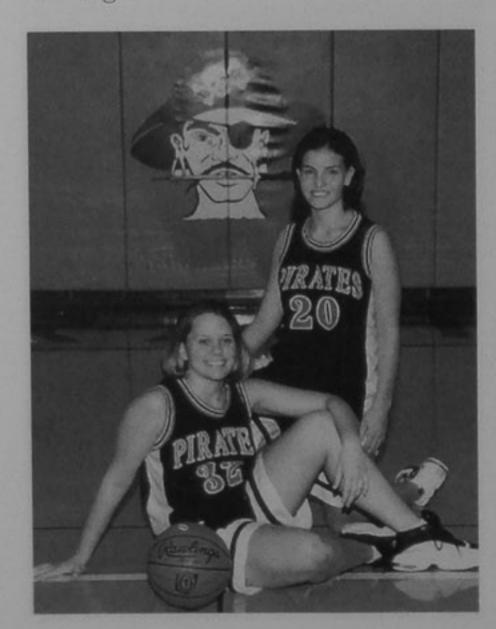
### Varsity Basketball

WH	S Oppor	Opponent	
68	Piketon	53	
35	South Webster	65	
57	Minford	60	
35	Oak Hill	71	
65	Northwest	60	
71	Waverly	53	
36	Portsmouth West	35	
41	Portsmouth	45	
30	Gallipolis	60	
48	Rock Hill	57	
49	Valley	55	
34	South Webster	56	
35	Portsmouth	50	
52	Minford	57	
27	Oak Hill	60	
51	Waverly	59	
66	Zane Trace	72	
59	Portsmouth West	64	
54	Valley	59	
56	Northwest	41	
Sectional Tournament			
29	Ironton	56	

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Despite a rough season, the Lady Pirates worked very hard this year in their challenging schedule, finishing with a 5-16 record. They kept their spirits high and came to practice with determination, led by senior captains Amy Conn and Ashley Clevenger. The Lady Pirates al-K so earned several individual awards with Amy Conn and ET Emily Hehl being named All-SOC. They were named All-District as well, along with Ashley Clevenger. Emily Hehl was B also named on the Associated Press All State Team. The JV team had a very successful year, finishing the season with a record of 14-5.

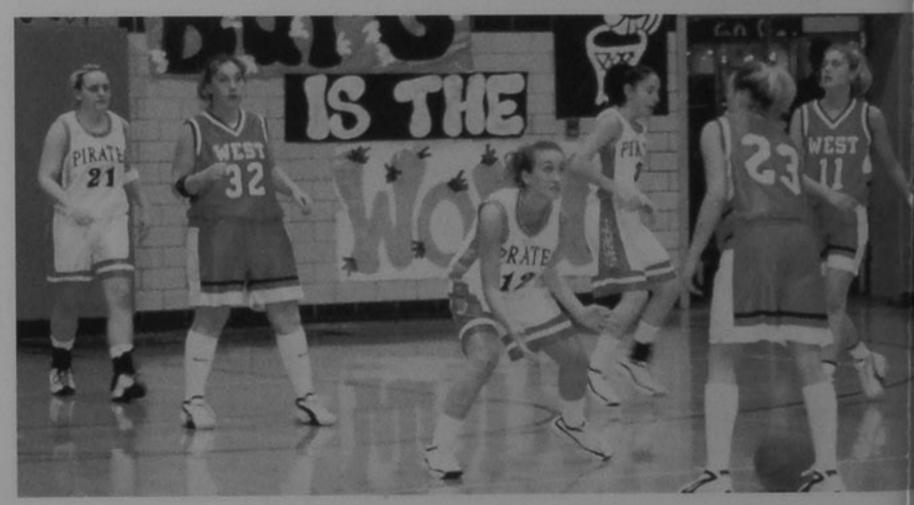
Seniors: Amy Conn and Ashley Clevenger



The Lady Pirates run out as they are introduced before a home gam



Emily Hehl shoots a foul shot after being fouled during the gar against Valley.



The Lady Pirates preapare to play defense as their opponents bring the ball dov court.

Ashley Clevenger brings the ball upcourt for the Lady Pirates.



Sara Henry looks across the floor to pass the ball.



Coach B talks to her players during a timeout.

## PIRATES



Carrie Bolin goes up strong for a layup.

Amy Conn pulls up for a jumpshot.





Row 1: Brooke Emnett, Michelle Thomas, Danielle Thomas, Jessica Seeley. Row 2: Coach Carol Bialkowski, Kristin Clausing, Lyndsey Barlowe, Heather Morrison, Rebecca Reynolds, Jacque Murray, Coach Jack Branon. Row 3: Ashley Nelson, Alesha Bell, Haley Hatten, Sara Haws.

JV Basketball

Piketon

Minford

Oak Hill

Northwest

Waverly

Portsmouth West

Portsmouth

Gallipolis

Rock Hill

Valley

Portsmouth

Minford

Oak Hill

Waverly

Zane Trace

Portsmouth West

Valley

Northwest

South Webster

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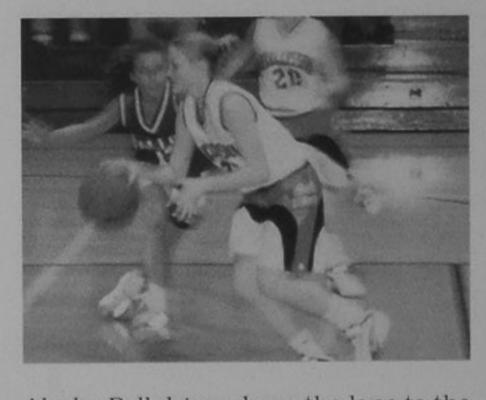
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Alesha Bell drives down the lane to the basket.



Emily Hehl stops in the lane for a shot.



Brooke Emnett concentrates as she p pares to shoot a foul shot.



Coach Branon gives Maggie Howe t game plan before she enters the gam



Amy Conn looks for a teammate as sinbounds the ball.



Heather Morrison shoots two for the team.

Seniors. Miles Ferguson, Dusty Chamberlin, and Geoff Givan



iles Ferguson looks for a hole in the defense as he brings the ball owncourt.

The Wheelersburg Pirates finished yet another season atop the Southern Ohio Conference Division II. They finished the season with an outstanding record of 22-2 and 14-0 in conference play. The Pirates dream season finally came to an end at the hands of the Belpre Golden Eagles in the District Finals at Ohio University. The Pirates did however, manage to garner several awards on their way to being District Runners-Up. They won their sixth sectional title in seven seasons and finished the season ranked in the Top Ten in the state poll. The Pirates were led by the stellar play of Junior forward Andrew Burleson, Andrew was named First Team All-Ohio Division III as well as Southeast District Player of the Year. The Pirates received strong performances from all three seniors as well. Co-Captain, Geoff Givan, anchored the Pirates down low while guards Dusty Chamberlin and Miles Ferguson were a threat to score at any time from outside. The future looks extremely bright for the Pirates as well. They only lose three players to graduation and return 10 players who have varsity experience.

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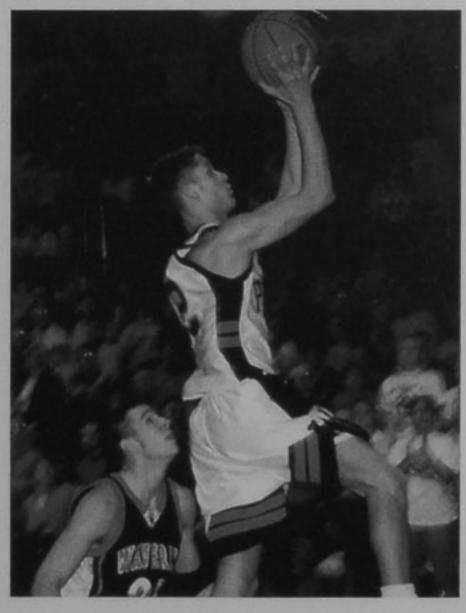
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Dusty Chamberlin soars to the basket over the Waverly defender.

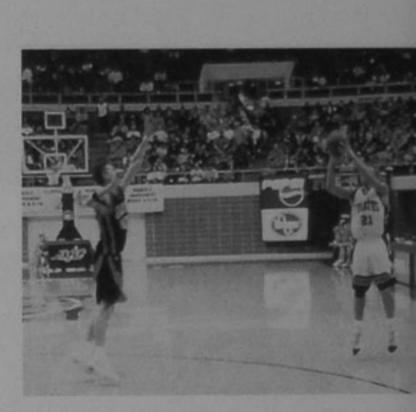


Geoff Givan goes up for a layup against the Belpre Golden Eagles.





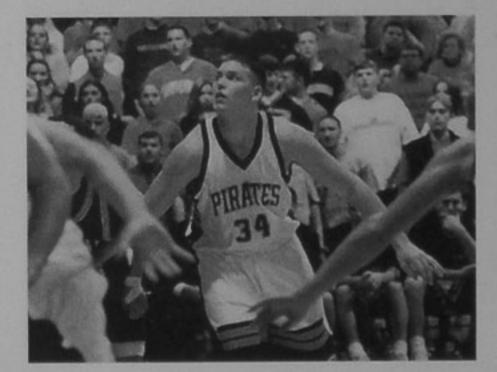
Row 1: Brandon Conn, Jeremy Elswick, Miles Ferguson. Row 2: Head Coach Tom Barrick, Coach Brian Oakes, Nate Weaver, Geoff Givan, Ryan Hickman, Mgr. Tony Williams, Coach Dusty Spradlin. Row 3: Matt Weaver, Dusty Chamberlin, Seth Myers, Andrew Burleson, Bryan Yelley, Dustin Winebrenner, Paul Miller.



Andrew goes up for the dunk over top

the Peebles defender.

Paul Miller pulls up for three in District Final game against Belpre.



Nate Weaver looks on and awaits his chance to grab the rebound.



Dusty looks downcourt for a teamma while he trys to break the Peeble press.



Geoff Givan posts up the Waverly defender.



Bryan Yelley takes it hard to the bask against the Northwest defender.

### Varsity Basketball

WHS Opponent		ent	
70	South Webster	36	
59	Minford	50	
73	Oak Hills	23	
66	Meigs	57	
42	Portsmouth	58	
71	Waverly	57	
62	Greenup Co.	39	
73	Portsmouth West	58	
87	Valley	72	
93	South Webster	56	
70	Minford	65	
69	Northwest	48	
70	Ironton	46	
74	Waverly	50	
75	Jackson	50	
66	Portsmouth West	51	
56	Gallipolis	29	
76	Valley	40	
S	Sectional Tournament		
75	Oak Hill	44	
88	Federal Hocking	48	
District Tournament			
67	Peebles	53	
51	Belpre	63	



Andrew Burleson throws down a dunk during the Sectional Finals.



Bryan Yelley drives the lane during the District Semi-Final game.



Andrew Burleson puts up a jumper over the Peebles' defender.

On the night of February 6, 2001, Wheelersburg Junior Andrew Burleson made a little bit of history. Andrew scored his 1,000th career point against the Minford Falcons, and with the 70-65 win clinched the SOC II for the Pirates. He did so, fittingly, by stealing a Minford pass and slamming it home, bringing the entire crowd to its feet.

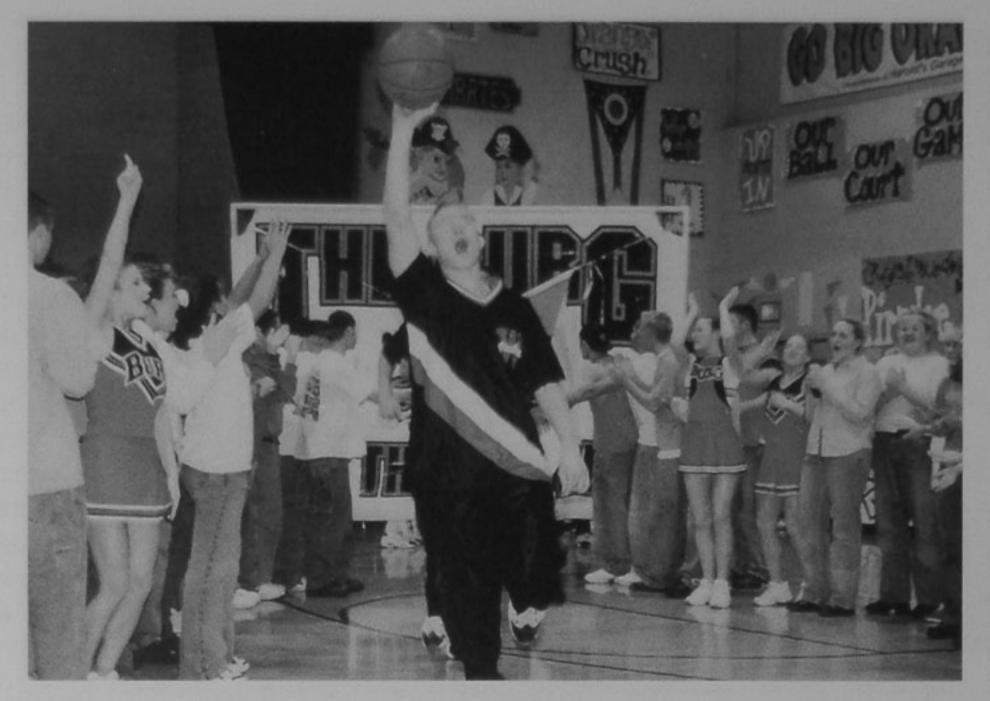
## PIRATES



The Pirate bench looks on as Paul Miller works hard to stay inbounds.



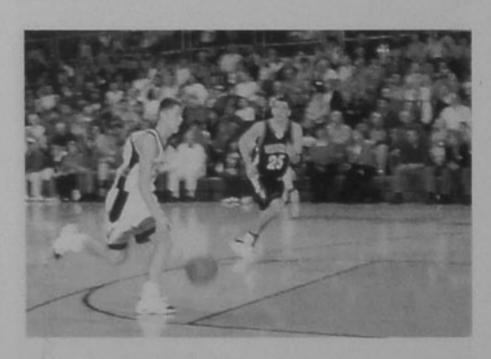
Bryan Yelley glides by the Waverly defender on his way to scoring two.



Team Captain, Geoff Givan, leads the Pirates onto the court through a tunnel of screaming fans.



Nate Weaver and Bryan Yelley battle the Federal Hocking defender for the rebound.



Dusty Chamberlin races to the basket for two.



Bryan Yelley rips down another rebound for the Pirates.



Andrew Burleson wins the opening tip for the Pirates.



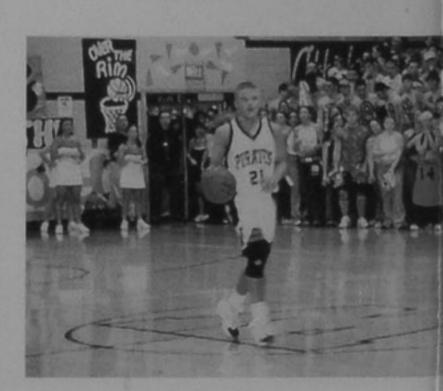
Pirate point guard, Miles Fergus brings the ball upcourt.



Coach Barrick discusses the game p between quarters.



Dusty Chamberlin walks the ball up t floor.



Paul Miller sets up the Pirat : offens



Guard Brad Chamberlin puts up a three pointer over top of the Waverly defender.



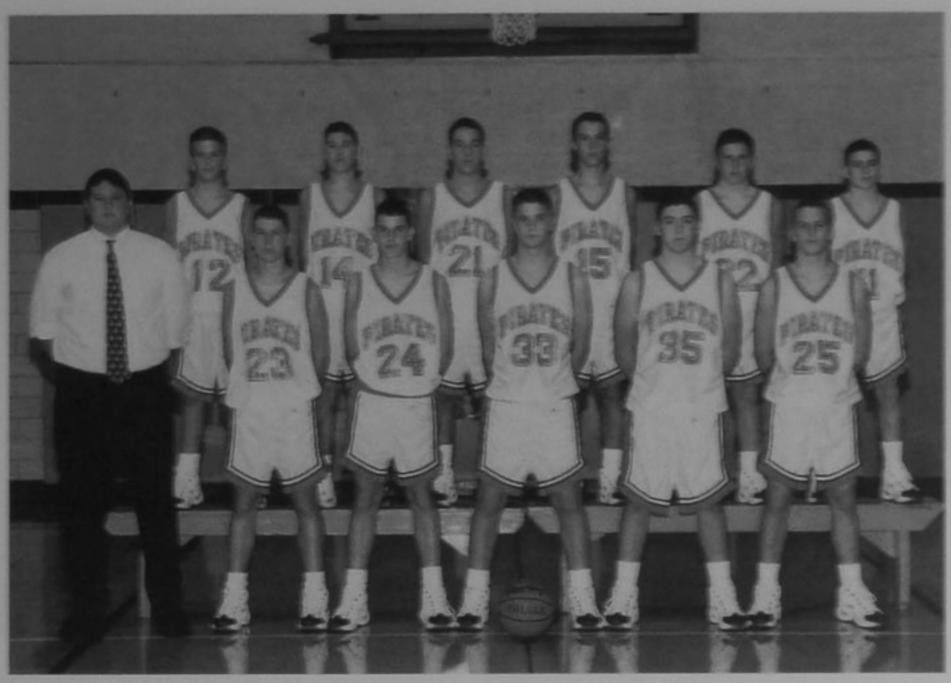
Jacob Wesney drives the lane against two Waverly defenders.



Freshman point guard Cory Chamberlin tries to work his way past the Waverly defender.



Justin Parlin races to the basket for the Freshman team in a game versus the Waverly Tigers.



Row 1: Coach Christian Toombs, Michael Nelson, Aaron Bailey, Jacob Wesney. Justin White, Justin Parlin. Row 2: Brandon Means, Brad Chamberlin, Adam Rase, Josh Cowgill, Cory Newsome, Cory Chamberlin.

### JV Basketball

WHS Opp		ent
48	South Webster	33
47	Minford	35
51	Oak Hills	32
56	Meigs	44
42	Portsmouth	43
39	Waverly	47
29	Greenup Co.	36
42	Portsmouth West	24
50	Valley	41
50	South Webster	41
39	Minford	36
64	Oak Hill	19
53	Northwest	44
46	Ironton	49
38	Waverly	45
46	Jackson	36
45	Portsmouth West	39
30	Gallipolis	34
35	Valley	54



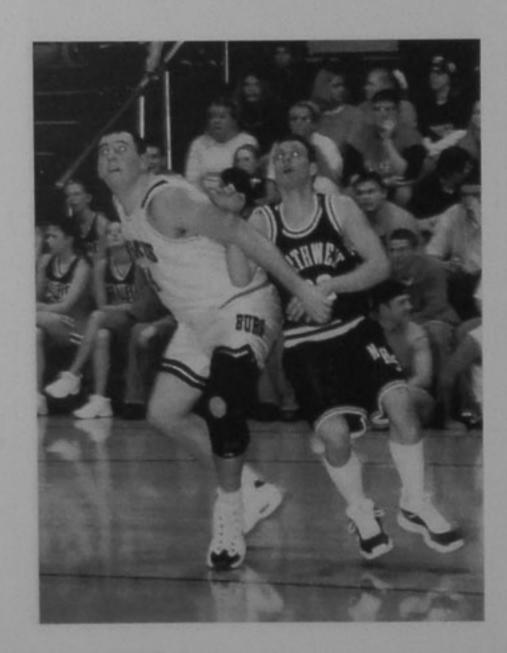
Pirate Freshman Jacob Wesney puts up a three pointer from the corner.

### Freshman Basketball

WHS	Opponent	
33	Minford	27
14	Ironton	29
30	Northwest	18
36	Waverly	35
23	Portsmouth	28
32	Greenup Co.	38
22	Valley	30
23	Russell, KY	29
29	Minford	27
44	Waverly	47
34	Portsmouth	29
19	Russell, KY	44
25	Northwest	23

The JV basketball team finished the 2000-2001 season with a record of 12-7. The season was one of many ups and downs. The team started the season out with four straight victories, but then went on to lose their next three games. However, the young team composed mainly of freshmen and sophomores battled through and worked hard to have a successful season. Those who excelled at the JV level were rewarded at the end of the season when they were called up to the Varsity team to help fill out the tournament roster. Each player benefitted extremely from this experience as they all received some playing time throughout the tournament run. The Freshman team may have finished their season with a losing record, but that doesn't mean the season was unsuccessful. The team battled through a season of injury and losing players to the JV squad to finish with a record of 6-7.

Ryan Hickman works hard to box out his opponent.



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Row 1: Coach Brian Oakes, Matt Ruggles, Jonathan Dunham, Sco Oppy, Nick Caudill, Mgr. Tony Williams. Row 2: Brandon Conn, Ma Weaver, Chris Webb, Josh Thompson.



Josh Thompson puts a jumper from the foul line amongst the Makk's defense.



Matt Weaver races to the basket ahead of the Mohawk defense.



nior Varsity Cheerleaders. Row 1: Lindsay Parker, Ashley Wagner: Row 2: Holly orter, Amanda Pyles, Jessica Evans, Michelle Schmidt, Ashley Jones, Tiffany oggs; Row 3: Gerirose Givan, Jenny Lyon.

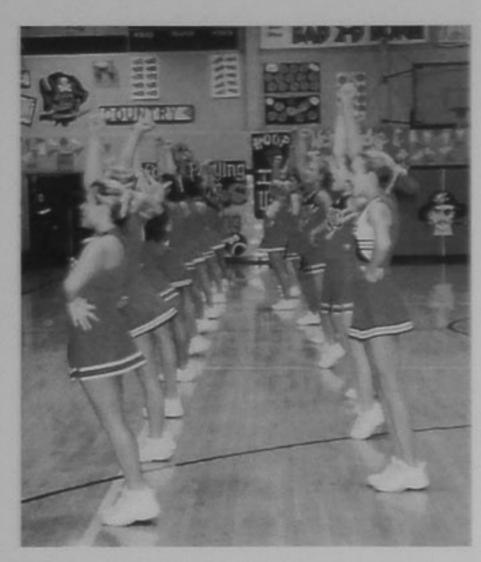


eniors: Kaley Pratt, Heather Bihl, Kati Schwamberger, Keri Schwamberger, Liz



he Varsity and JV squads entertain the student body and faculty during a pepally.

The cheerleaders lead the student body during a pep rally.





The cheerleaders pump up the crowd before the team comes out on the floor.



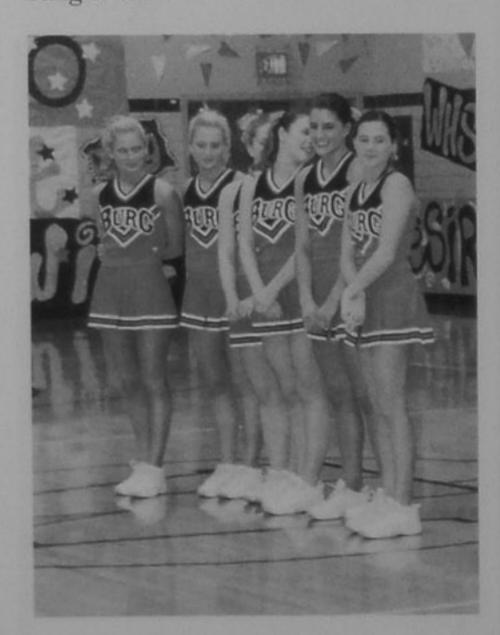
These Varsity cheerleaders begin the all-time favorite cowboy dance at half-time.

### A S K E TBA LL CHEERLE AD E R S

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The Varsity and JV cheerleaders continued strong into the basketball season. By decorating lockers, putting together new dances, and keeping their enthusiasm levels at an extreme high, the cheerleaders contributed to the successful basketball season. With a lot of practice and hard work, they surprised the Wheelersburg fans with some exciting new dances. They danced to a variety of music. From the Beach Boys to MC Hammer, the cheerleaders performed with much enthusiasm at half-time. Besides putting on terrific halftime shows, the cheerleaders always kept cheering the Pirates on to another victory.

The senior cheerleaders listen and try to hold back tears as their senior song is sung to them.





These eight varsity cheerleaders take a time out at the Convo to smile for the camera.



With much enthusiasm, the JV cheerleaders do a crowd cheer be tween quarters.



Varsity Cheerleaders: Kaley Pratt, Jill Queen, Erin Elliot, Heather Bihl, Kal Schwamberger, Keri Schwamberger, Erin Bussa, Amanda Rase, Micah Riffe, Liz Savage.



eniors. Row 1: Gretchen Stevens, Jacqui Hall. Row 2: Bobbi Madden, adrea Barger, Heather Bihl, Amanda Sparks. Row 3: Luka Grbac, ashana Brown.



Coach Nichols and Samantha White smile for the camera.



nris Zahn, Luka Grbac, Jennifer Henderson, and some friends have fun at a swimet.

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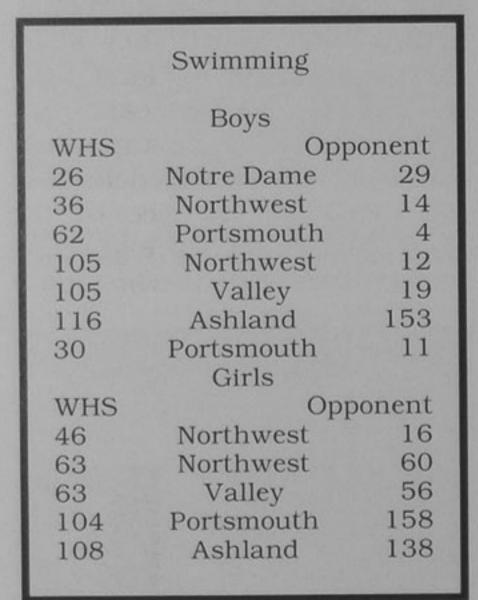
The Pirate Girls' and Boys' swim teams were in their fourth year of existence, competing at Shawnee State University. During this season, they competed against area schools such as Notre Dame, Northwest, Portsmouth, and Valley. They also competed against Ashland and Chillicothe. The swim team was victorious and set many new school records. "It was definitely a learning experience, but a lot of fun," said foreign exchange student and swim team member Luka Grbac.

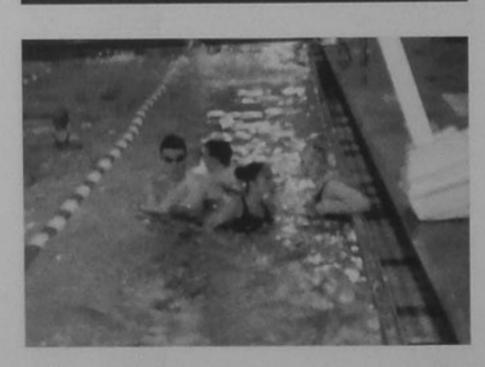
Josh Pascal competes at Shawnee State University.





Row 1: G. Stevens, J. Hall. Row 2: L. Grbac, B. Madden, A. Barger, H. Bihl, A. Sparks, T. Brown. Row 3: S. McGlone, A. Sturgeon, T. Riepenhoff, J. Duncan, K. Whitely, D. Moody, K. Porter, B. Schwalbach, A. Gilcher. Row 4: T. McGlone, C. Zahn, N. Riffe, J. Pascal, N. Musick, S. White, J. Henderson. Row 5: K. Crumm, J. Leesburg, S. Chandler, J. Chamberlin, C. Euton, M. Darling, H. Meadows.





Nick Musick and Gerirose Givan relax on the side while talking with friends.



Travis Riepenhoff edges up on an opposing swimmer.



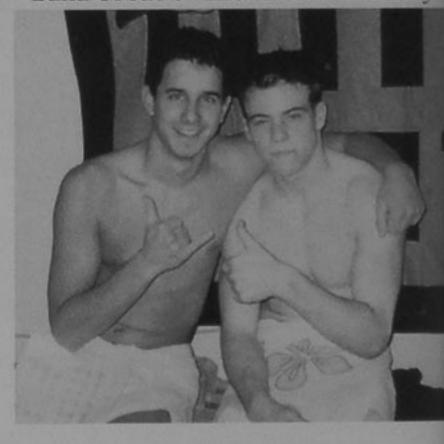
Nick Musick dries off after a performance in the water.



A Pirate swimmer backstrokes through the water.



Luka Grbac swims toward a victory.



Luka Grbac and Jared Chamberlin hang out after a hard swim.



Samantha White takes a warm-up lar before the meet.



v 1: J. Seeley, J. Moody, D. Chamberlin, K. Ruggles, T. Euton, B. Gills, Coach Johnson. Row J. Chamberlin, J. Hopkins, D. Parsley, R. Hickman, B. Dever, K. Fannin, B. Jackson, J. erling, T. Riepenhoff, Row 3: B. Stewart, B. Bailey, D. Winebrenner, M. Weaver, M. Ruggles, Smith, E. Salyers, N. Musick, Row 4: E. Deemer, T. Hall, T. Greenhill, A. Salyers, A. Turner, Evans, A. Potts. Row 5: N. O'Brian, J. Vanmeter, M. Smith, S. Oppy, J. Dunham.



stin Winebrenner, Matt Weaver, Matt Ruggles, and Justin Hopkins prepare to the 3200m relay.



Ousty Chamberlin attempts to jump the bar as he competes in the high jump.

### Boys' Track

1st	River Valley
	Invitational
1st	Northwest
1st	Miriam Brown
	Memorial Invitational
1st	Portsmouth
1st	Northwest Invitational
1st	Minford Invitational
1st	Wheelersburg
	Invitational
1st	Valley
1st	Fairland Invitational
1st	Russell Relays
1st	Valley Invitational
1st	SOC Prelims and
	Finals
1st	Districts
12tl	n Regionals



Seniors. Row 1: Brandon Gills, John Moody, Travis Euton. Row 2: Jared Seeley, Dusty Chamberlin, Kris Ruggles.

The boys' track team won all of the track meets that it competed in this season. They broke records, won titles, and overall completed an excellent year. The boys' team won our home invitational with 140 points and although the team only won four out of the 16 events, they scored in 15 placing two in eight events. This revealed Wheelersburg's ability to work together as a team. At the SOC meet, the boys' team placed first with several members named all SOC. These included the 3200m relay team of Dustin Winebrenner, Matt Weaver, Matt Ruggles, and Justin Hopkins; the 400m relay team of Jared Chamberlin, Dusty Chamberlin, Billy Dever, and Travis Riepenhoff; and the 1600m relay team of Brandon Jackson, Travis Riepenhoff, Matt Weaver, and Jonathan Dunham. The 1600m relay team set a new SOC record with a time of 3:30.6 which they later broke with a time of 3:26.60 with Jared Chamberlin replacing Brandon Jackson. Individually, Dusty Chamberlin was named All SOC in long jump, Adam Salyers in the shot put, Jared Chamberlin in the 110m and 300m hurdles, and Jonathan Dunham in the 100m, 200m, and the 400m dashes. Dunham also received the high point award at the SOC meet with 32.5 points. At Districts three relay teams qualified for Regionals: the 1600m, 400m, and 3200m relay teams. Also, Jonathan Dunham qualified in the 400m dash, Dustin Chamberlin in the high jump, and Matt Ruggles in the 800m run. At Regionals, Jonathan Dunham qualified for state in the 400m dash breaking the school record with a time of 49.50. Dusty Chamberlin qualified in the high jump and the 400m relay team of Dunham, Riepenhoff, J. Chamberlin, and Weaver qualified for the State meet. In State competition the 400m relay team placed sixteenth and Jonathan Dunham placed third in the 400m dash with a time of 50.33.

### BOY'S

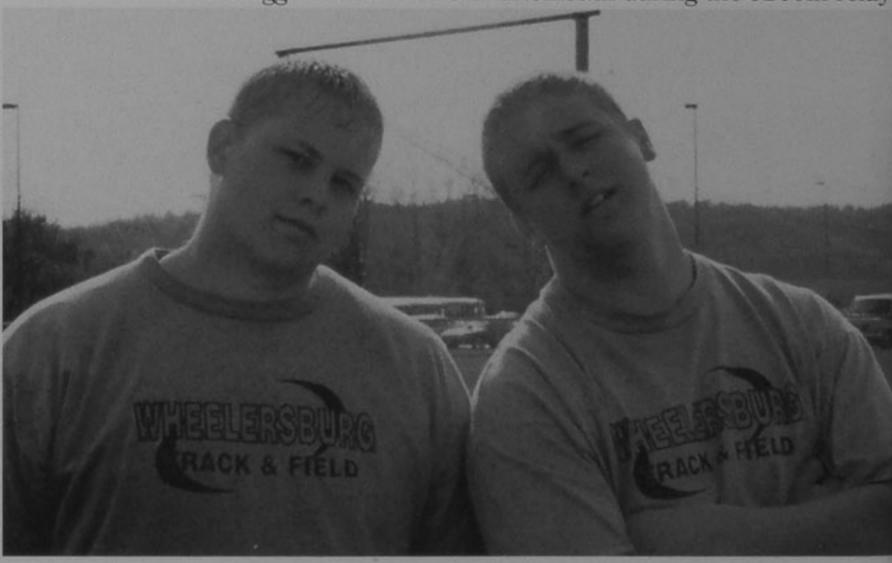
## TRACK



Sophomore Adam Salyers looks to see how far he threw the shot pr



Matt Ruggles runs to catch Portsmouth during the 3200m relay.



Kris Ruggles continues to run the 300m hurdles.

Sophomores Joe Vanmeter and Ada Salvers pose for a picture.

Ashley Bauman concentrates on competing in the discus.



Tiffany Boggs races for the finish line with tough competition.



Missy Danzer sprints to the finish line in the 200m dash.

The Girls' Track team completed a successfull season this year, winning the majority of the meets they attended. At the Wheelersburg Invitational, the girls' team battled the weather but still managed to easily win the meet with 199 1/2 points. One of the high points of the season was winning the SOC meet. Tiffany Boggs won the high point award with 34 points, winning the 200m dash and claiming second in the 100m, 400m, and long jump. Other team members named all SOC included Michelle Schmidt in the 1600m and 800m runs, Missy Danzer in the 400m dash, and Ashley Bauman in the discus and shot put. The 1600m relay consisting of Erin Bussa, Brooke Emnett, Michelle Schmidt, and Missy Danzer also claimed first place in the SOC along with the 3200m relay including Alanna Klaiber, Sarah Boll, Erin Bussa, and Michelle Schmidt. At the districts the Pirates qualified three relay teams for Regionals: the 400m relay of Erin Bussa, Holly Porter, Amanda Pyles, and Brooke Emnett; the 1600m relay of Michelle Schmidt, Erin Bussa, Missy Danzer, and Tiffany Boggs; and the 3200m relay of Alanna Klaiber, Sarah Boll, Erin Bussa, and Michelle Schmidt. Individually Michelle Schmidt qualified in the 800m and the 1600m runs. Tiffany Boggs qualified in the 400m dash, and Ashley Bauman advanced in the discus and in the shot put. At Regionals, all the girls represented their team well, but only Michelle Schmidt was able to qualify for State in the 800m run, placing second with a time of 2:18.74. Michelle went on to run at State placing 15th. Overall, the Wheelersburg girls represented their school with pride and continued to uphold the excellence that the community has come to expect.

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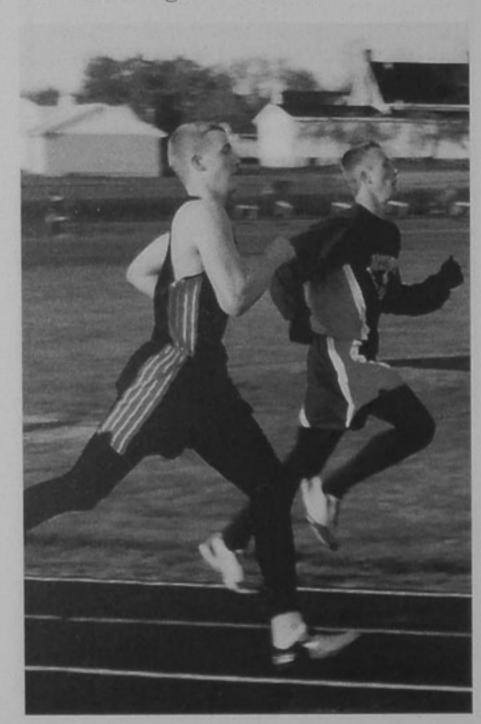
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Senior: Ashley Bauman.





Ryan Hickman, Matt Weaver, and Mike Smith smile for a picture together at the Wheelersburg Invitational.



Dustin Winebrenner tries to catch up to the lead runner to help out the 3200m relay.



Matt Weaver races to hand off the baton to his teammate. Left, Matt Ruggles stays with the leaders as he competes in the 800m run.



Travis Riepenhoff dashes for the finish line.



Jonathan Dunham tries to keep fi place as he races for the finish line.



Senior Dusty Chamberlin jumps in the sand during the long jump event.



Eric Salyers competes in the shot pevent.



Boyd Bailey releases the discus hopi for a first place finish.



anna Klaiber hands off the baton to Sarah Boll during the 3200m ay.



Michelle Schmidt and Sarah Boll prepare for the 3200m relay.



Gerirose Givan jumps successfully over the bar at opening height.

# PIRATES



Ashley Bauman launches the shot put into the pit at the Wheelersburg Invitational.

### Girls' Track

1st	River Valley Invitational
1st	Northwest
3rd	Miriam Brown
	Memorial Invitational
2nd	Portsmouth
2nd	Northwest Invitational
1st	Minford Invitational
1st W	Theelersburg Invitational
2nd	Russell Relays
1st	Fairland Invitational
1st	Valley Invitational
1st	SOC Prelims and Finals
1st	Districts
19th	Regionals



Row 1: Head Coach Bialkowski, M. Danzer, A. Klaiber, A. Bauman, L. Barlowe, J. Queen, Coach Boll. Row 2: S. Boll, A. Allen, C. Euton, J. Howe, S. McGlone, C. Bolin. Row 3: A. Nelson, J. Bihl, M. Schmidt, G. Givan, E. Bussa, T. Boggs, B. Emnett. Row 4: K. Davis, B. Burke, S. Shaffer, H. Porter, A. Pyles, J. Murray.





Alanna Klaiber concentrates on beginning the 3200m relay.



Freshman Amanda Pyles leaps far into the long jump pit. At left, Sarah Boll takes off as the second leg of the 3200m relay.



Tiffany Boggs makes a jump while competing in the long jump.



Brooke Emnett races for the finish li as she sprints the 100m dash.



Tiffany Boggs sprints the 200m das



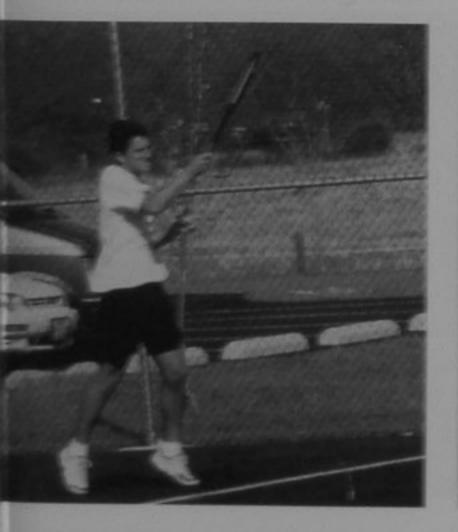
Erin Bussa quickly runs toward the fish line to pass the baton on to anoth teammate.



ow 1: Jeremy Skiver, Adam Blevins, Michael Tallerico, Tim Miller, Traves White. ow 2: Kevin Gulley, Justin Bays, Johnpaul Adams, Carlos Morris, Jeremy Blake, hilipp Rovenhoff. Row 3: Coach Jon Lucas, Eric Vanderhoof, Trenton Thomas, ndy Siegfried, Micah Schweinsberg, Alan Siegfried, Luka Grbac.



rate seniors Justin Bays, Micah Schweinsberg, Michael Tallerico, Jeremy Blake, and Eric Vanderhoof watch the matches from a hill overlooking the courts.



nior exchange student Luka Grbac ts a vicious shot straight at his opment.



Senior doubles partners Michael Tallerico and Eric Vanderhoof prepare to receive their opponent's serve.

	Tennis	
WHS 4 5 5 5 5	Valley Clay New Boston Ironton Waverly	Opponent 1 0 0 0
5 3 4 5	East Minford West Valley Russell, KY	0 2 1 0
4 5 5 5 5 4 3	Clay New Boston Waverly East Portsmouth Minford	0 0 0 0 1 2
5	West	0



Jeremy Blake skillfully places the ball in the opponent's court.



Trenton Thomas hits the ball back to his opponent.

## BOYS

### E N N

Alan Siegfried volleys the ball back across the net with authority

Senior Carlos Morris follows through after his backhand.

The Pirate tennis team had a

very successful year. They had

two big victories over archrival

Minford to win the SOC. The

team, led by Coach Jon Lucas

and assistant Cheryl Bays, blew

through the competition to have

an undefeated season. They

won 5-0 in 11 of those 17 win-

ning games. Justin Bays went

on to win the Sectional Tennis

Championship, undefeated for

25 matches this year. He made

first team all SOC, finished first

in the SOC singles tournament,

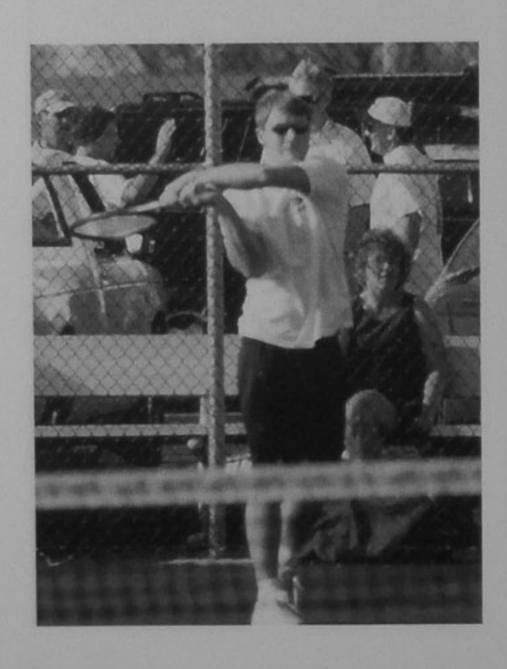
and also competed in the Dis-

trict Tournament in Columbus.

In addition to the varsity team's

success, the JV team also had a

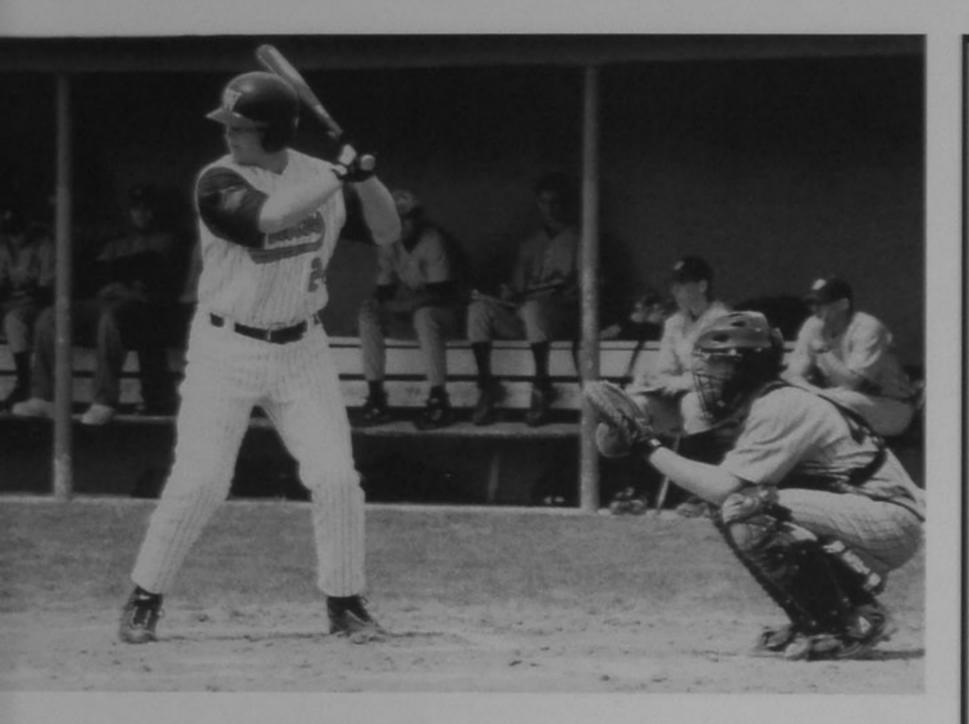
successful season.



#1 singles player Justin Bays stares down his opponent over the r



Seniors. Row 1: Justin Bays, Adam Blevins, Michael Tallerico, Jeremy Blake. F 2: Jeremy Skiver, Eric Vanderhoof, Micah Schweinsberg, Luka Grbac, Car Morris.



Michael Branon awaits the pitch during a game against Wellston.



Lead-off hitter Michael Perkins dives back safely into first base.



Left fielder Jeremy Williams stands in the box awaiting the next pitch.

### Varsity Baseball

WH	HS Oppon	ent
2	Minford	7
4	Oak Hill	0
13	Greenup Co.	3
15	Greenup Co.	13
12	South Webster	0
6	Waverly	4
7	Portsmouth	3
4	West	3
6	Alexander	4
15	Alexander	2
10	Valley	2
4	Jackson	5
11	Northwest	0
10	Minford	8
14	Oak Hill	9
14	South Webster	4
2	Ironton	1
1	Waverly	8
10	Wellston	1
13	Wellston	3
12	West	8
15	Valley	4
16	Northwest	3
0	South Point	10
14	South Point	4 7
6	Ironton	7
0	Portsmouth	8
	Sectional Tournament	
11	Rock Hill	7
	District Tournament	
8	Federal-Hocking	0
1	Minford	0
4	Regional Tournament	
3	Zane Trace	4



Senior catcher Lance Davis throws down to third base.

The Wheelersburg Pirates had yet another successful season this year. Led by a strong senior class in which all five seniors will be playing either baseball or soccer in college, the Pirates finished 24-7. The high point of the season came in the district championship game. The Pirates matched up with conference rival Minford. The two teams had split their two games during the regular season. The game turned out to be a pitchers' duel between Seth Morrison and Minford's ace, Jason Greene. The game remained scoreless until the bottom of the 9th inning when Michael Branon led off the inning with a walk. He then proceeded to steal second and third base, taking home on an errant throw by the Minford catcher. The season came to an end in the regional semifinals, when the Pirates fell in a heartbreaking loss to Zane Trace, 3-4. The Pirates were led by team MVP, Lance Davis, who received First Team All-SOC Honors, along with teammates Michael Branon and Michael Perkins. Jeremy Williams and Adam Conn both received Second Team All-SOC Honors. Michael Branon and Michael Perkins made All-District, and Michael Branon was named to the All-Ohio Second Team. The JV team finished their season with an excellent record of 18-3.

Senior members, Row 1: Lance Davis, Jeremy Williams; Row 2: Adam Conn, Michael Perkins, Michael Branon



## VARSITY

# BASEBALL



Row 1: A. Conn, M. Perkins, M. Branon, J. Williams, L. Davis. Row 2: Co Branon, M. Brannigan, C. Perkins, J. Thompson, J. Perkins, Coach Perk Row 3: N. Little, J. Clark, S. Myers, J. Madden. Row 4: N. Timberlake Schwamberger, B. Conn, S. Morrison, C. Piguet, J. Spaulding, C. Perry.



The team celebrates after defeating conference rival, Minford, 1-0 innings for the District Championship.



At home Pirate starters Adam Conn, Michael Perkins, Chris Perkins, Cody Pigand Jeremy Williams remove their caps during the National Anthem.

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The Lady Pirates huddle before taking the field.



The umpire calls a Pirate runner safe at first base.



The Lady Pirates watch from the dugout as the opposing team takes the field.

The Wheelersburg Lady Pirate Softball team finished the season with an impressive record of 18-6. With only two seniors the Pirates managed to pull off a very successful season. The Pirates had victories over rivals West, Minford, and South Webster. With teamwork and dedication the Lady Pirates advanced into the Sectional Tournament and defeated Chesapeake in the final round for the Sectional Championship. They then went on to beat Wellston 4-0 in the district semi-final. Their season came to an end in the district final against New Lexington. The Lady Pirates set a record for having the most wins in a season with a total of 18. All of their time and work given to the team paid off for a successful season.

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Amy Conn waits on second base while another Pirate batter steps up to the plate.





JV. Row 1: Cory Newsom, Chris Ehrhart, Josh Cowgill, Jesse Peters, Cory Chamberlin. Row 2: Coach Timberlake, Chris Webb, Jacob Wesney, Coach Wesney. Row 3: Jacob Porter, Austin Wilkes, Michael Nelson, Josh Pascal, Justin Parlin.

JV Baseball

Ironton

Minford

Portsmouth

Oak Hill

Waverly

West

Albany Alexander

Albany Alexander

Valley

Northwest

Oak Hill

Ironton

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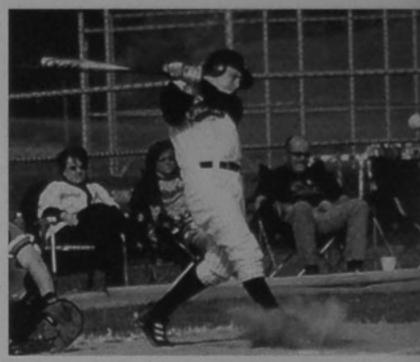
Michael Perkins laces a double against Portsmouth.



Adam Conn rounds first and looks to second.



Jeremy Williams (#17) crosses hor plate after his second consecuti grand slam in the sectional final.



Joe Perkins fouls off a pitch again Ironton.



Seth Morrison prepares to deliver the pitch.



Second baseman Chris Perkins make a play and prepares to throw out the runner.



Lady Pirate Rachel Staley throws another pitch across the plate.



Catcher Jessie Seeley awaits the pitch from behind the plate.



ady Pirates Jenny Lyon, Amanda Cook, and Shannon Holsenback are all smiles fer a victory.

### All-SOC Softball Teams First Team Amy Conn

Second Team Amanda Cook Rachel Staley

# PIRATES



Senior captains: Amanda Cook and Amy Conn

Pirate Softball coach Ron Bailey and senior captains meet with the umpires before the game.





Row 1: Michelle Thomas, Ashley Jones, Amy Conn, Danielle Thomas, Michelle Schaeffer; Row 2: Cassie Porter, Shannon Holsonback, Amanda Cook, Jessie Seeley; Row 3: Sarah McCarty, Jenny Lyon, Rachel Staley, Alesha Bell, Halea Hatten.

### Softball Opponent WHS Minford Oak Hill South Webster Waverly West 4 22 Valley Ironton 4 Northwest 0 Minford 6 Minford 5 0 3 Oak Hill South Webster 2 2 West Valley 16 6 Waverly Northwest 0 Sectional Tournament Chesapeake 3 District Tournament Wellston 0 4 0 New Lexington



Amy Conn digs the ball out of the dirt and makes a clean throw to first.



Danielle Thomas prepares to play defense at short stop.



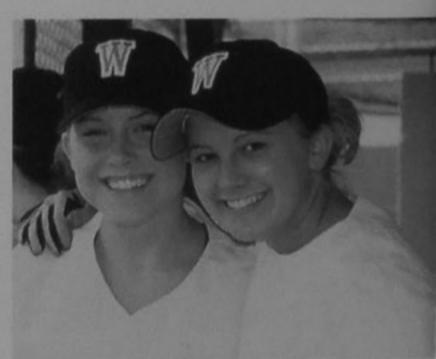
Amanda Cook congratulates teammat Rachel Staley on another strike out.



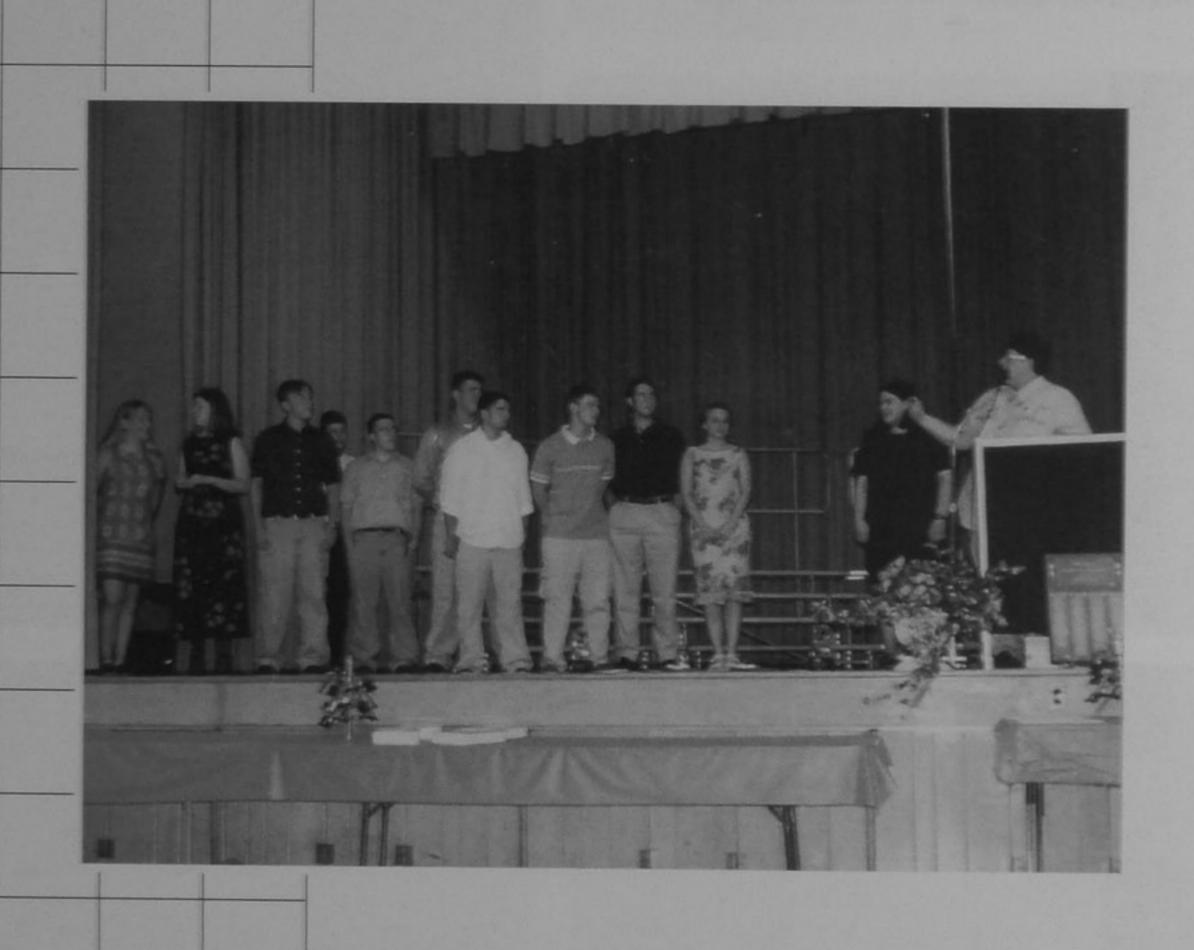
Lady Pirate Jenny Lyon takes a swin at the ball.



Lady Pirate Amanda Cook stretches for the ball at first base.



Sara Haws and Ashley Jones smile for picture during a game.



Mrs. Williams introduces the quiz team members and announces their season achievements.

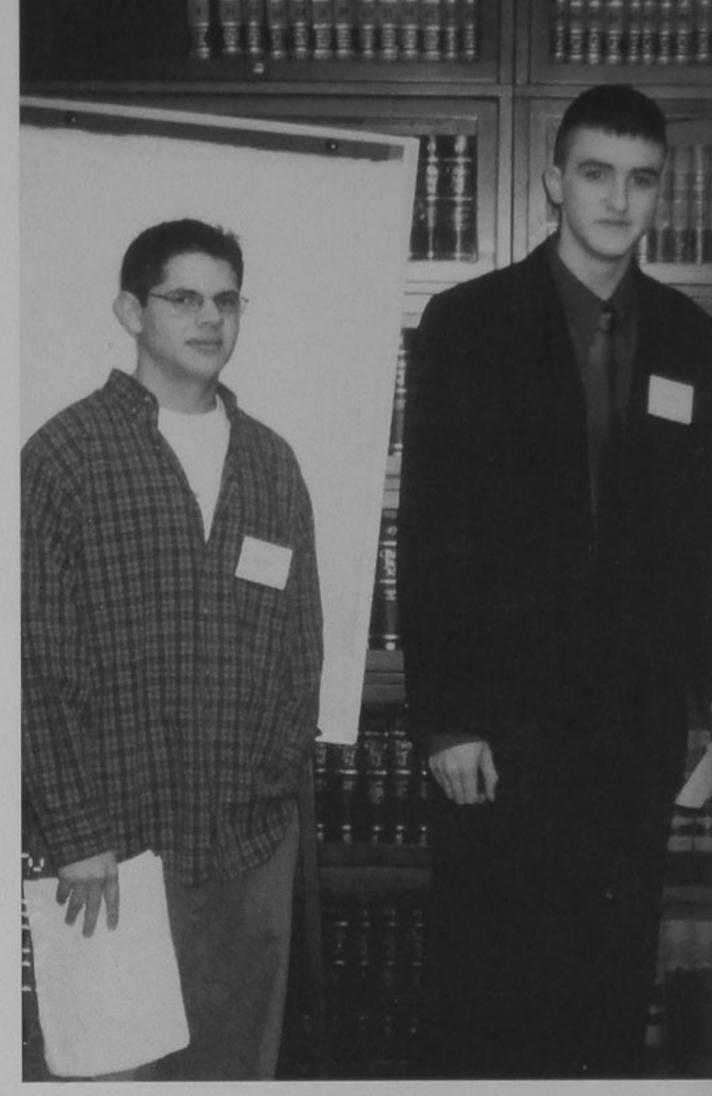
Ken Marotte and James Howard pose for a quick picture during the Mock Trial competition.

Micheal Perkins and Miles Ferguson participate in the French III play.

Drama students Andy Kielmar and Beth Renolds act out a scene from "A Christmas Carol."









Spanish III students perform "The Wizard of Oz" for the 2001 language fair.

Band members march during the half-time of the football game.









Casey Sparks and Megan Armstrong select pictures for the yearbook.

Amanda Phipps enters data for the yearbook into the yearbook program Ultravision.

Carrie Bolin selects pictures to use in the yearbook.

Eric Vanderhoof and Leah Willis are the 2001 yearbook co-editors.

Below, Leah Willis beams a smile for the camera while working on the homecoming pages.







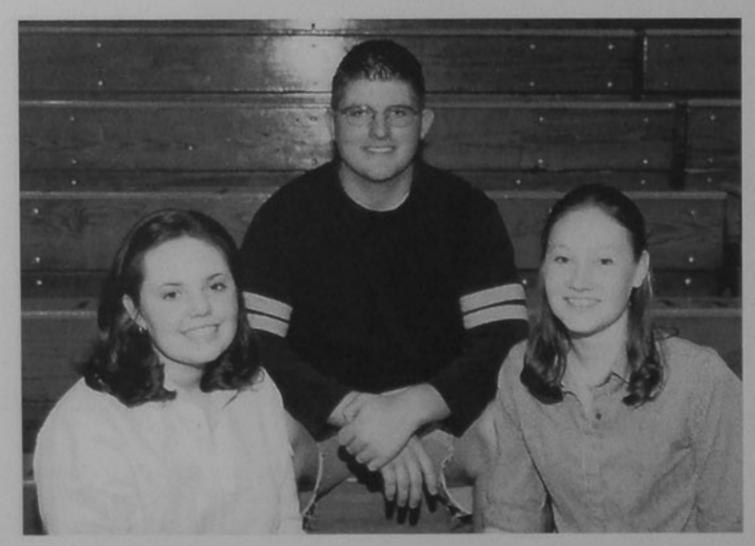
Row 1: J. Floyd, A. Hurley, E. Vanderhoof, L. Willis, A. Phipps, N. Keller. Row 2: A. Skaggs, B. Kirkendall, M. Riffe, A. Sturgeon, J. Clark. Row 3: M. Clement, G. Givan, C. Sparks, M. Armstrong. Row 4: S. Boll, E. Hehl, C. Bolin, S. Bauer, A. Arnett.

Bethany Kirkendall and A Skaggs prepare the band stion of the yearbook.

### Yearbook

Wheelersburg High School's Yearbook and Photography Staff began the production of the 2001 edition of The Wheel with the beginning of the school year and worked into the summer weeks of June until the final shipment was mailed to Texas. The staff members sold advertising to supplement the money raised from book orders to pay for the total fi- School.

nancial obligation of over \$15,000 for the 2001 yearbook. The staff members met weekly to plan page layouts, shoot and crop photographs, and write caption and body copy for all the activities throughout the entire school year. The goal of the staff was to create a "One of a Kind" memory book of 2001 for Wheelersburg High School.

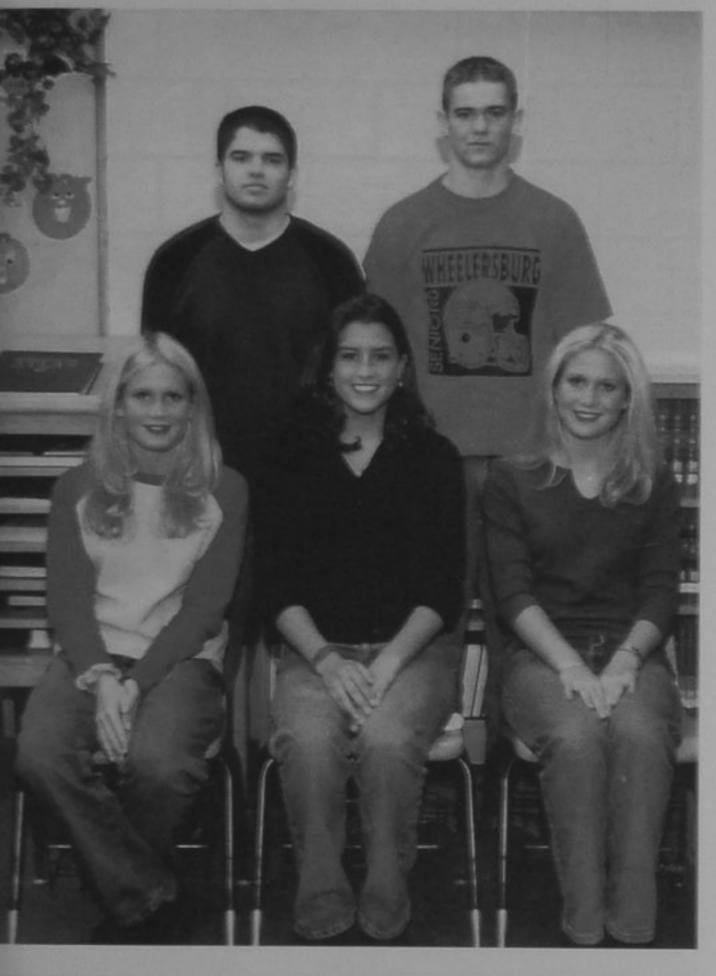


Amanda Phipps, People Division Editor: Justin Clark, Sports Editor: Gerirose Givan, Business Manager.

Justin Clark crops a picture for the sports section.







### National Honor Society

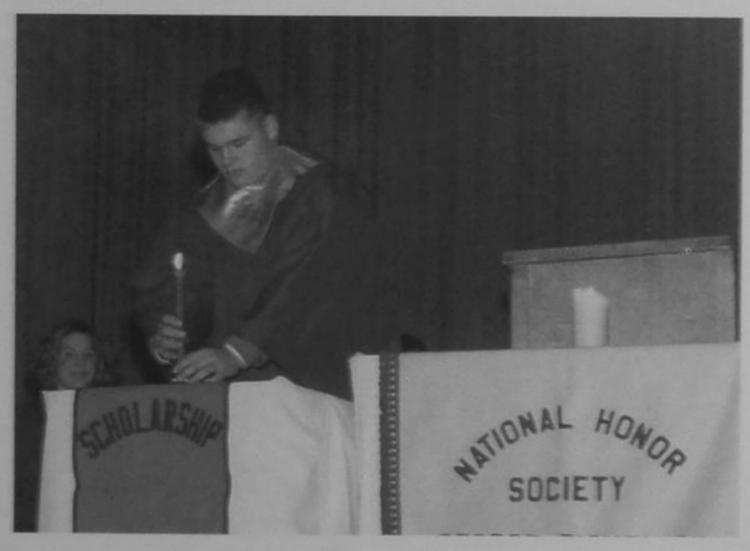
The service component of the WHS National Honor Society was again carried out with a partnership with the Southern Ohio Medical Center in Portsmouth. The students volunteered a minimum of 15 hours in various departments of the hospital. On December 8, 2000, the members were responsible for the annual induction ceremony and reception

for new members and guests. The 16 current members tapped 22 new inductees into the George Rightmire Chapter of Wheelersburg High School. Social activities for NHS included a Christmas party and an end of the year picnic to honor the graduating seniors. Mrs. Kaye Schwamberger served as the adviser for the organization.

### NHS Officers

Row 1: Kati Schwamberger, Co-President; Erin Elliott, Secretary; Keri Schwamberger, Project Chairperson. Row 2: Jeremy Skiver, Co-President; Kris Ruggles, Treasurer.





Amanda McGlone and Amy Conn move throughout the juniors and seniors as part of the tapping ceremony.

Lance Davis lights the NHS candle of scholarship after his speech.

### Technology Walk-A-Thon

The Wheerlersburg Local School's Technology Walk-A-Thon was held on May 10, 2001. Almost every student participated, paying \$1 for each period walked. This year's Walk-A-Thon was a success, raising \$2,200 at the high school and over \$10,000 district-wide. This money will be used to purchase new computers, printers and software for the Wheelersburg School District.

Amy Nelson and Kellie Porter enjoy the 2001 Technology Walk-A-Thon.

John Adamo and Courtney Meyers admit students to the track.

A group of friends walk to help raise money for the advancement of our school's technology.









Vanessa Thomas and Rachel Staley stroll around the track.

The students enjoyed the nice weather while walking around the track.









Holly Porter and Amanda Pyles pass out report cards during conferences.

Erin Elliott presents Mr. Gill a plaque to show the students' appreciation for his 30 years of hard work.

Micah Riffe and Erin Elliott decorate the student council section of the school Christmas tree.

Keri Schwamberger, Micah Riffe, Holly Porter, Erin Elliott, Jill Queen, Aaron Sturgeon, and Kati Schwamberger decorate the tree sponsored by student council.







Jenny Royse presents Mr. Jenkins with a plaque for 35 years of teaching in the Wheelersburg system.

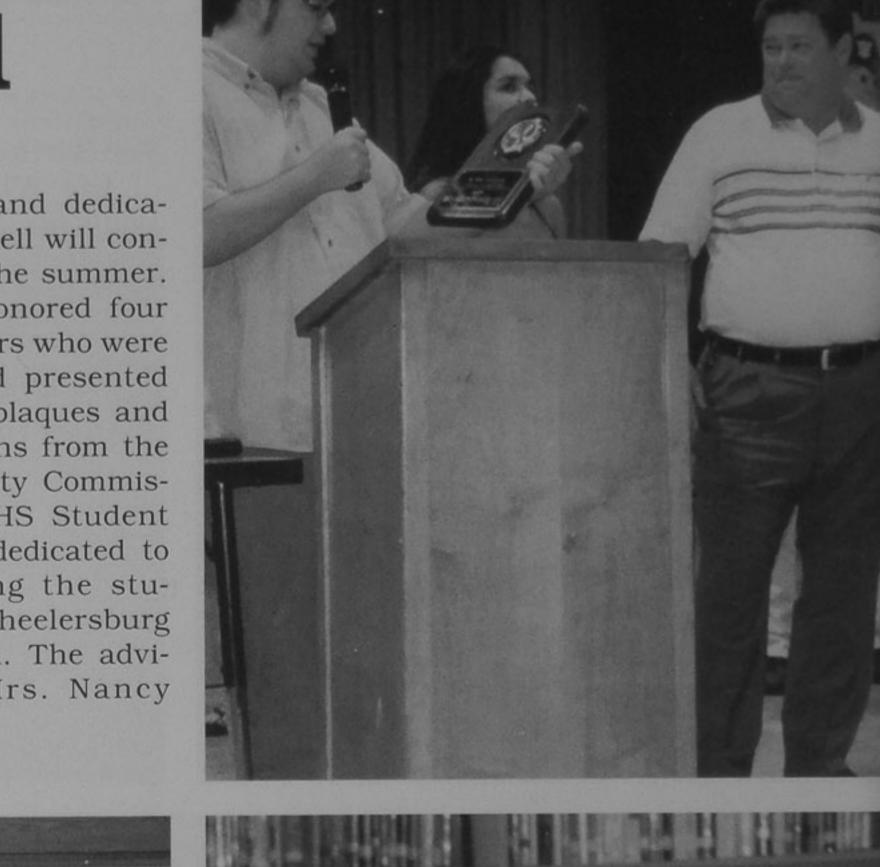
2000-2001 Student Council

Mr. Schomburg's dedication the school is acknowled with a plaque presented Brennon Giles.

### Student Council

Wheelersburg High School Student Council members were elected by members of their classes. During the 2000-01 year, Student Council members sold Pirate Cards to raise monies for various projects. Donations were provided for After Prom, Christmas Child, the Scioto County food pantries, and the Salvation Army Food Drive. A victory bell project was the focus of this council and

placement and dedication of the bell will continue over the summer. Members honored four WHS teachers who were retiring and presented them with plaques and proclamations from the Scioto County Commissioners. WHS Student Council is dedicated to representing the students of Wheelersburg High School. The advisor was Mrs. Nancy Nickell.



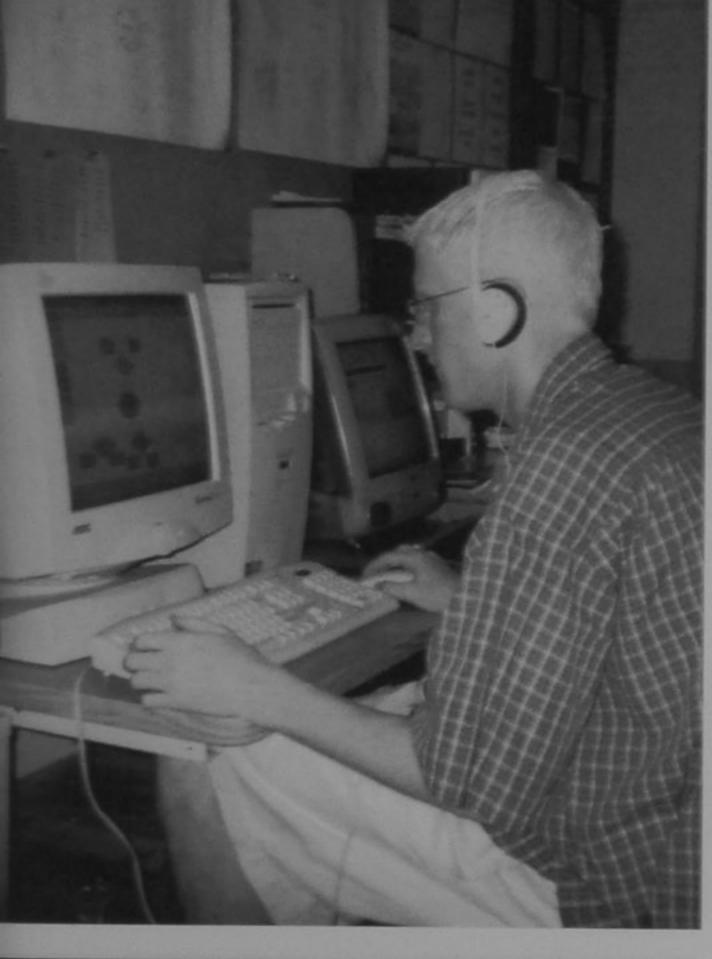


Student Council Executive Officers: Keri Schwamberger-Vice President; Micah Riffe-Treasurer; Erin Elliott- Secretary; Kati Schwamberger-President; absent: Leah Willis-Special Projects.

Student Council members Diane Moody, Brennon Giles, and Jenny Lyon eat pizza to celebrate the completion of the Christmas tree and the sponsor a child program.



unior Alan Siegfried works n his goals assignment using ne software program Inspira-



### Iota Sigma Kappa

Iota Sigma Kappa, the Independent Studies Club, continued to lead in various service projects. Projects included supplies for the Humane Society, a coat drive, cards for the local nursing homes, Mail for the Military, box tops for the elementary school, the March of Dimes, reading with first grade students and creating the varsity basketball highlight videos, and more. In ad- about themselves.

dition to service projects and independent contracts, the students participated in the Raising the Bar Grant project. The students focused on the unit topic of "Goals" and utilized some of the 50 laptops purchased through the grant to create resumes, goal setting visual maps and brochures about people who had achieved success and brochures





Freshmen Josh Cowgill, Kevin Gulley and Corey Reed work on the computer matches.

Junior Alecia Wright opens the software program Press Writer to work on the brochure assignment about herself.

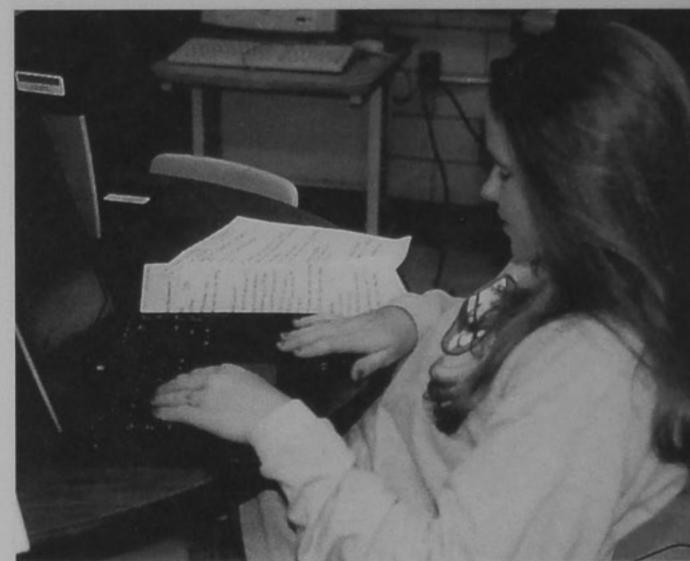
Aaron Sturgeon and Eric Vanderhoof are the student leaders for the "Mail for the Military" project sponsored by Friends of our Troops. WHS sent a total of 5,629 Christmas cards and letters to earn the ranking of #1 high school in Ohio and #3 nationally. Many students received reply emails and letters from very grateful U.S. military personnel.

Derek Smith and Greg Weddington cut and alphabetize the student computer matches done annually as a fundraiser for  $I\Sigma K$ .

Sophmore Tiffany Boggs uses a laptop to create a brochure about Dorothy Hamill through the Raising the Bar grant project.







Row 1: Eric Vanderhoof, Amy Conn, Kris Ruggles, Jeremy Blake, Jon Horton. Row 2: Alecia Wright, Emily Hehl, Amanda Phipps, Alan Siegfried, Andrew Burleson, Justin Clark, Aaron Sturgeon. Row 3: Megan Armstrong, Danielle Thomas, Tiffany Boggs, Michelle Thomas, Derek Smith, Jordan Bihl, Casey Sparks. Row 4: Kevin Gulley, Corey Reed, Holly Porter, Jenny Royse, Josh Cowgill, Brian Stewart. Absent: Greg Weddington.



crooge (Andy Kielmar) scolds ob Cratchet (Daniel Cumlings) during this year's perormance of "A Christmas arol."

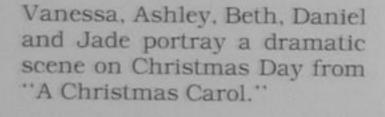
Ashley Jackson, Vanessa Craig and Ashley Horton gather around the table.











### Drama

Thirteen students comprised the Drama Department under the leadership of teacher Mrs. Jane Ann Taylor at WHS. During the first semester they performed "A Christmas Carol" by Charles Dickens for the high school students. They toured with the production to Wheelersburg elementary and junior high and to Green's primary and elementary schools. During the second semester, they performed "Alice Through the Looking Glass" by Lewis Carroll for the Wheelersburg elementary and junior high students. The drama class finished the year with a weekend tour of New York City to see Broadway plays.

Scrooge is touched by a Christmas Ghost (Jade Howe).



Row 1: Brandy Dixon, Ashley Horton, Ashley Lawrence, Jade Howe, Daniel Cummings. Row 2: Lyndsey Sizmore, Vanessa Craig, Beth Reynolds, Andy Kielmar.

### Burgweb Team

The Media Information and Technology (MIT) team, under the supervision of Mrs. Kathy Russell, worked with the daily up keep of the Wheelersburg High School internet website at www.burg.k12.oh.us

Row 1: Michael Branon, Heath Sullens, Brad Chamberlin, Michael Tallerico. Row 2: Micah Schweinsberg, Garrett Williams, Kristin Clausing. Row 3: Jeremy Skiver, Jonathan Dunham, Nathan Beam, Justin Clark, Michael Nelson.

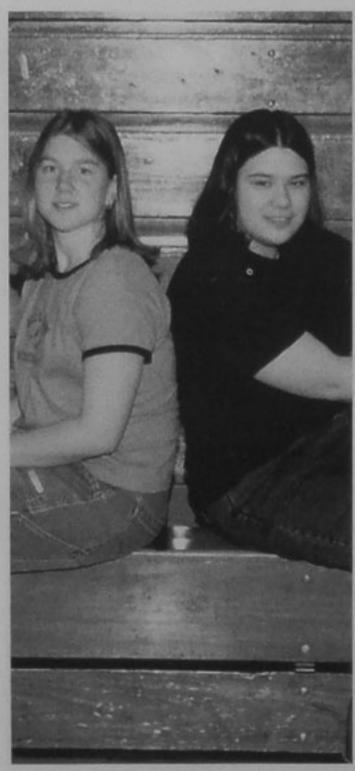


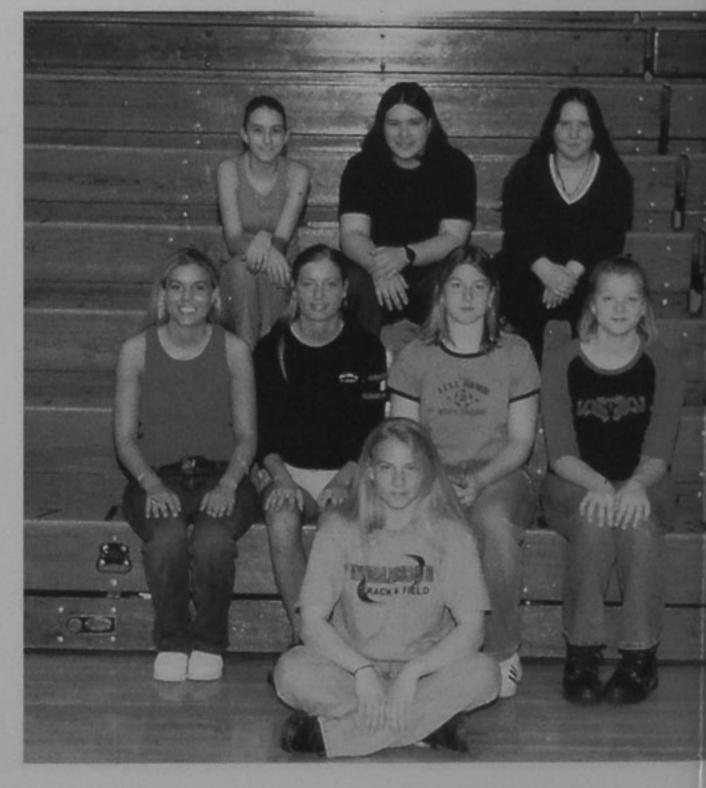
### FCCLA

The 2001 FCCLA chapter was not as busy as it has been in previous years. Early in the year the group attended the district meeting held at the Friends Center in Portsmouth. On November 17 - 19 the group went to Minneapolis for a National Cluster Meeting. Finally on April 20, 2001 the group attended the Ohio State Convention.

President, Andrea Allen and Vice-President, Stephanie Bauer.

Row 1: Sarah Boll. Row 2: Sarah Meyers, Ruth Means, Andrea Allen, Emily Allen. Row 3: Kelly Porter, Stephanie Bauer, Sarah Moore.











Tiffany, Jacqui, Stephanie, and Amanda smile for a quick picture during the Crop Walk.

JOG students help with the concession stand during the year.

Travis Euton lends a helping hand to Erin Elliott during the Blood Drive at the Wheelersburg United Methodist Church.

The JOG officers pose for a picture at Leadership Development Day.







Miss Cummings and Heather Bihl smile while on their trip to Washington D.C.

2000-2001 JOG Members

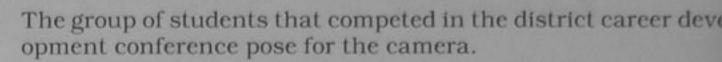
### JOG

The 2000-2001 Wheelersburg JOG program had a very successful year. Students in the program participated in community service projects while learning valuable job skills. Stucompleted dents resumes and learned the proper way to do a job interview. Upon finishing the learning process, the students found ways to become involved in the community.

There were many projects throughout the King school, but the students students were most proud of the and two American Cross they Blood Drives they helped organize with the vice. Wheelersburg United

Methodist Church. From the two blood drives over 250 lives were saved. An ongoing project was the collecting of pop tabs to raise funds for the Ronald McDonald House Charities. The students also participated in the annual Scioto County Crop Walk held at Tracey Park in Portsmouth.

At the end of the year the students who completed 30 or more community service hours were treated to a day at King's Island. All of the students worked hard and with a team effort they completed 1,749 hours of community service







JOG Officers. Row 1: Dene Piguet, Amanda Cook, Miranda Sparks. Row 2: Bobbi Madden, Travis Euton, Daniel Cummings.

Travis Euton and Ashley Bauman smile for the camera after placing first in the Students for Service competition.





Jeremy, Eric, Adam, and Justin compete at the SCORES Festival at Marshall University

Division B Runner-up of the Bobcat Buzz-In. Row 1: Jeremy Skiver, Eric Vanderhoof, Carlos Morris. Row 2: Adam Carrington, Justin Clark, Coach Melody Williams.

Before competition with Portsmouth High School, Eric, Jeremy, Carlos, Adam, and Justin pose for a photo at the Bobcat Buzz-In tournament.







ow 1: A. Carrington, E. Vanderhoof, J. Skiver, C. Morris, J. Clark, Row 2: Coach M. Williams, J. Fannin, M. Clement, A. Allen, S. oll, S. Bauer, J. Adams, Absent: V. Cooper and G. Weddington.

### Quiz Team

The Wheelersburg High School Quiz Team had another very successfull year. They captured the league championship with a regular season record of 11-1. The tournament team consisting of senior co-captains Jeremy Skiver and Eric Vanderhoof along with junior Justin Clark and sophomore Adam Carrington with alternate Carlos Morris also competed in several additional tournaments. The tournament team also advanced to the televised play of "In the Know" tournament at WOSU at The Ohio State University. They were also runner-up in the Bobcat Buzz-In at Ohio University. They then competed two days later in the SCORES tournament at Marshall University. In April the team competed in the regional tournament of the Ohio Academic Competition at Shawnee State University. In order to do well in these tournaments, Quiz Team members were responsible for writing 20 questions and answers a week to use during the weekly practices and for individual study. Each quiz match is divided into two halves of five categories each followed by the alphabet and lightning rounds.



Jeremy Skiver, Eric Vanderhoof, Adam Carrington and Justin Clark compete in a regular season match.

Seniors Jeremy Skiver, Eric Vanderhoof, and Carlos Morris stay for a photo after receiving their trophies.

Jeremy Skiver, Eric Vanderhoof, Adam Carrington and Justin Clark participate in the "In the Know" tournament at The Ohio State University.

Mrs. Williams presents th Quiz Team members wit their awards at the schola ship reception.













English 12 Elizabeth Savage, Erin Elliott, Amy Conn, Jeremy Blake, Eric Vanderhoff, James Kelley.

English 11 Travis Riepenhoff, Bethany Kirkendall, Jill Queen, Emily Hehl, Amanda Rase, Sarah Boll.

English 10 Jenny Lyon, Michelle Clement, Lyndsey McClintic, Adam Carrington, Kyle Tudor, Abby Warner.

English 9 Ruth Means, Jessie Evans, Jacob Wesney, Amanda Pyles, Matt Ruggles, Harrison Mercer.

American History Sarah Moore, Jennifer Foster, Stephanie Bauer, Ken Marotte, Billy Dever, Dustin Winebrenner.

American Government Geoff Givan, Lacy Clifton, Carlos Morris, Michael Branon, Justin Nihiser.

Physics Lance Davis, Kris Ruggles, Kaley Pratt, Jeremy Skiver, John Kirby.

Chemistry I Missy Danzer, Josh Huddleston, Ryan Hickman, Christin Gee, Nancy Keller, Justin Clark.

#### Biology I

Greg Weddington, Jacque Murray, Nathan Beam, Kevin Gulley, Johnpaul Adams, Vanessa Cooper.

## Scholarship Teams

There were a total of 86 students at WHS who took the challenge of taking the annual Ohio Tests of Scholastic Achievement. Students were selected by teachers or volunteered to take the exam in various subject areas and levels. Preparation began early in the second semester and continued until the first Saturday in May

which was the testing date. Many students prepared independently and some met with sponsoring teachers on a regular basis to study. Wheelersburg High School students tested individually and also compiled a team score as they competed against students in the other districts throughout the state.

Algebra II Diane Moody, Julie Allen, Brooke Emnett, Gerirose Givan, Michelle Thomas, Danielle Thomas.

Precalculas Jared Seeley, Aaron Sturgeon, Andrea Allen.

Algebra I Michelle Kurtz, Emily Allen, Brad Chamberlin, Maggie Howe, Austin Wilkes.

Geometry Jessey Seeley, Tiffany Boggs, Jacob Peters, Megan Armstrong, Alex Watts, Eric Zumwalt

Spanish II Jordan Bihl, John Moody, Jessica Brumfield, Erin Bussa, Rebekah Collier, Casey Sparks.

French II Andrea Barger, Courtney Meyers, Brittany Schwalbach, Vanessa Thomas, Cassie Euton. Absent: Joey Perkins.

Spanish I Holly Porter, Jenny Royse, Josh Cowgill, Alesha Bell, Corey Reed, Sheena Murphy.

French I Keelie Snider, Amanda Phipps, Ashley Jones, Terry Greenhill.





## Foreign Exchange Students



Hey wassup people this is Luka. I had a really good time here and I want to thank everyone for it. Coming to the US was a great experience for me. I saw a lot of new places and met a lot of friends. There are a lot of differences between Wheelersburg and Rijeka. The thing that I like about Wheelersburg High School is the sports like soccer, swimming and tennis. I enjoyed playing for the school and had a good time. I want to thank the teachers for helping me overcome the language barrier and for making the classes interesting.

Luka Grbac

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Hello, my name is Philipp Rouenhoff. I am from a small town in Germany close to Munich. I'm 17 years old. I don't really know what to write here, but I just wanna say that I really enjoyed my stay here even if it was sometimes hard and a lot of work. I made a lot of experience here, I learned the rules of your sports and improved my English a lot. I wanna thank all the teachers and the principles, that they made it possible for me to participate in their school. I wanna thank especially Jon Lucas for letting me stay in his house and for the great trip we had with the tennis team down to Myrtle Beach. I had a great time there. I will never forget this good time. I will miss everything and everybody so much. I hope that I'll be able to come back sometimes to visit everybody. I hope that I'll stay in contact with some people.

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# 29 Students Rank in District and 6 Rank in State

Twenty-nine Wheelersburg High School students earned rankings in District 4 on the Ohio Tests of Scholastic Achievement, which were given on May 5, 2001. Six of those students were also ranked in the state for their test performance. The students and their rankings were: Biology I: Kevin Gulley placed 1st in District 4 and first in the state in Division 2. He also placed 1st in District 4 and 7th in the state regardless of school size; Johnpaul Adams, Nathaniel Beam, and Greg Weddington tied for 3rd in the district in Division 2; Vanessa Cooper placed 8th in the district in Division 2; Jacque Murray placed 10th in the district in Division 2; Chemistry I: Justin Clark placed 10th in the district in Division 2; Algebra I: Brad Chamberlin placed 15th in the district in Division 2; Maggie Howe placed 19th in the district in Division 2; Geometry: Tiffany Boggs and Jacob Peters tied for 15th in the district in Division 2; American History: Sarah Moore placed 7th in the district in Division 2; Stephanie Bauer placed 11th in the district in Division 2; English 9: Amanda Pyles placed 7th in the district in Division 2; English 10: Abby Warner placed 5th in the district in Division 2; Michelle Clement placed 6th in the district in Division 2; Adam Carrington placed 13th in the district in Division 2; English 11: Sarah Boll placed 13th in the district in Division 2; English 12: James Kelley placed 1st in the district and 3rd in the state in Division 2. He also placed 1st in District 4 regardless of school size; Eric Vanderhoof placed 5th in the

district in Division 2: The English 12 team of James Kelley, Eric Vanderhoof, and Jeremy Blake placed 3rd in the state in Division 2: French I: Terry Greenhill placed 3rd in the district in Division 2; Spanish I: Josh Cowgill placed 1st in the district and 10th in the state in Division 2. He also placed 2nd in District 4 regardless of school size; Sheena Murphy placed 4th in the district in Division 2; Jenny Royse placed 6th in the district in Division 2; The Spanish I team of Josh Cowgill, Sheena Murphy, and Jenny Royse placed 5th in the state in Division 2; Spanish II: John Moody placed 1st in the district and 3rd in the state in Division 2. He also placed 1st in District 4 regardless of school size; Rebekah Collier and Casey Sparks tied for 4th in the district and received honorable mention in the state in Division 2; Jessica Brumfield placed 6th in the district in Division 2; Jordan Bihl placed 12th in the district in Division 2; The Spanish II team of John Moody, Rebekah Collier, and Casey Sparks placed 3rd in the state in Division 2.

STATE RANKINGS

1. Josh Cowgill- Spanish I

2. Mr. Paul Boll and Kevin
Gulley- Biology I

3. Sheena Murphy- Spanish I

4. Jenny Royse- Spanish I

5. John Moody- Spanish II

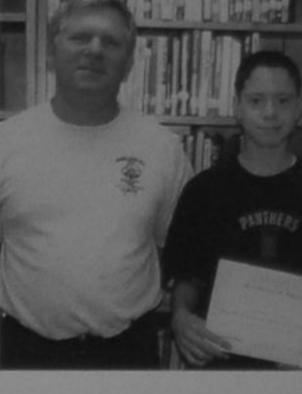
6. Miss Cheryl Weisenberger
and James Kelley- English 12

7. Mrs. Joyce Riepenhoff,
Rebekah Collier, Casey
Sparks- Spanish II team with

John Moody 8. Miss Cheryl Weisenberger, Jeremy Blake, Eric Vanderhoof, James Kelley-English 12 team

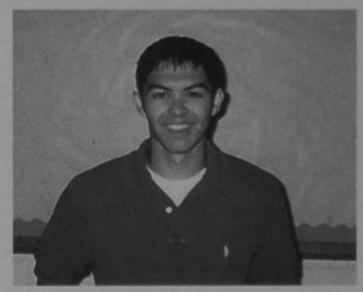








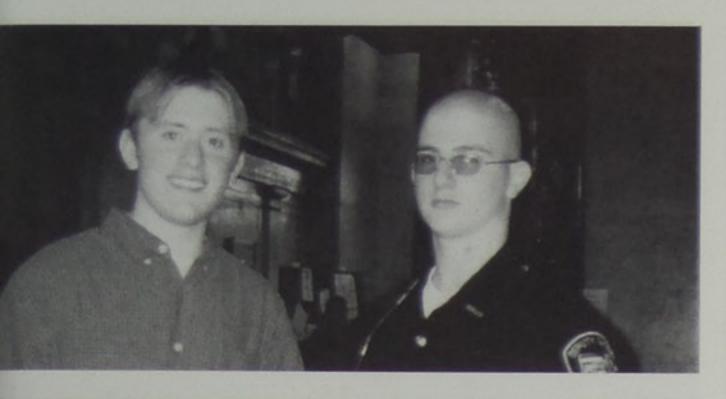
















Eric Vanderhoof and Eric Zumwalt, recipients of Outstanding Witness awards, await the awards ceremony.

Justin Clark, Outstanding Attorney award recipient, waits for the trial to begin.

Diane Moody and Leah Willis smile for the camera before taking their places in the courtroom.

Several of the guys relax between trials.

Below right, attorney John Moody focuses on his strategy.







Row 1: K. Marrotte. Row 2: S. McGlone, M. Clement, C. Morris, J. Skiver. Row 3: A. Allen, D. Moody, J. Moody. Row 4: S. Bauer, Mrs. Oppy (Advisor), B. Dever, L. Willis, R. Mowery. Row 5: J. Howard, E. Vanderhoof, J. Clark, S. Boll, Bob Dever (Legal Advisor).

Members of team two pose for a picture while awaiting the judges' decision.

Some members of team o pose for a quick picture aft the morning trial.

## Mock Trial

As usual, this was another year full of hard work for the Mock Trial team. Many evenings were spent debating and practicing courtroom scenarios. This year's case was State of Ohio v. Chris Blake. It dealt with the arrest of a high school student for possession of marijuana. The students argued whether or not Brett Parkland's constitutional rights were violated or whether standard "search and seizure" actions were followed. Although the team members polished their have a good time.

roles and put up an excellent battle in the courtroom, they were unable to advance beyond district competition. However, several students received awards. Both Eric Vanderhoof and Eric Zumwalt received Outstanding Witness awards, while Justin Clark received the award for Outstanding Attorney. Faculty Advisor Linda Oppy and legal advisors Bob Dever and Anna Davis helped the team to perfect their techniques as well as to







Senior attorneys Leah Willis and Carlos Morris eagerly await the judges' decision.

Billy Dever switches roles with his dad Bob, the team's legal advisor.

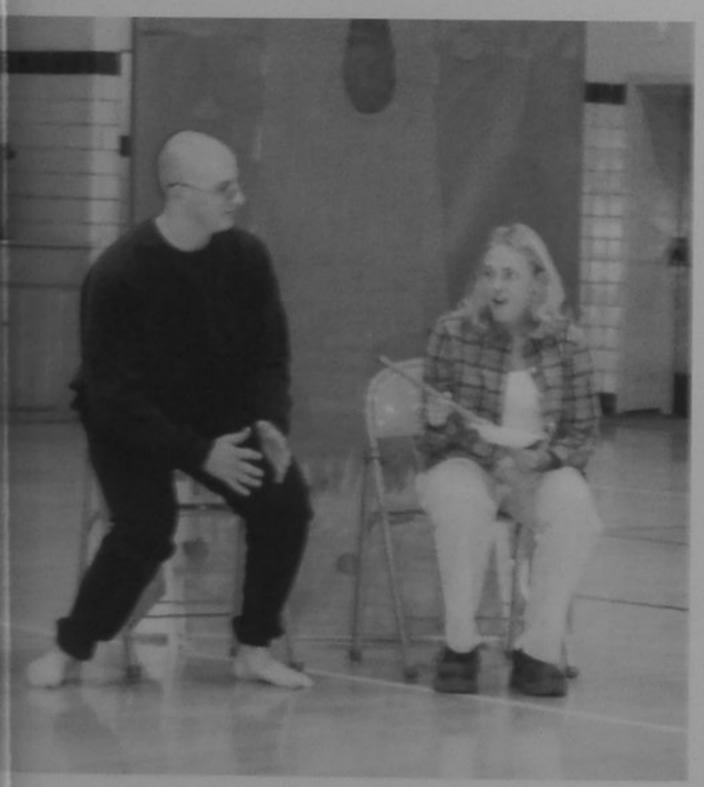


izabeth Savage, Micah Riffe, ames Kelley and Jill Queen e this year's Spanish Club ficers.

# Language Fair

The Spanish and French classes held their language fair on March 26, 2001. The fair was a great success and was a learning experience for both language classes. There were various projects, skits and a video. The Spanish III class performed the play "El Mago de Oz" ("The Wizard of Oz''). The lead roles were played by Emily Hehl (Dorothy), Alex Watts (Scarecrow), Alan Siegfried (Tin Man), Jay Spaulding (Cowardly Lion). Amanda Rase (Wicked Witch). Sarah Boll (Good Witch) and Justin Clark (Oz). The students worked hard on memorizing lines and guage classes.

making props. The Spanish IV class made a hilarious video of "Quien Quiere Ser Millonario" ("Who Wants to be a Millionaire"). The French III class performed a variety of nursery rhymes which included Humpty Dumpty, The Ants Go Marching. Little Bo Peep and the Three Little Kittens, All of the French and Spanish classes made projects such as backboards, models, maps. piñatas and God's eyes. Projects were displayed in the cafeteria for parents and guests to view. The language fair was a great experience for the students in both lan-





Miranda Bocook, as Little Miss Muffett, is frightened by the spider, played by Eric Zumwalt.

Julie Floyd, soon to play Little Bo Peep, prepares to gather her sheep, played by Debra Maggard and Ashley Hurley.

The Foreign Language Fair projects show the creativity of the students.

The Spanish III classes perform "The Wizard of Oz."

The King's Men, Miles Ferguson, Nate Weaver and Jared Chamberlin, guard Humpty Dumpty, played by Eric Salyers.

Third and fourth year students make up the Spanish Club.











Jay Spaulding, as the Cowardly Lion, receives his courage from the wizard, played by Justin Clark.

French III foreign language fair cast members pose after their performance.









The marching band competes at Athens High School.

Amanda McGlone and the flag corps lead the Pirates into the stadium.

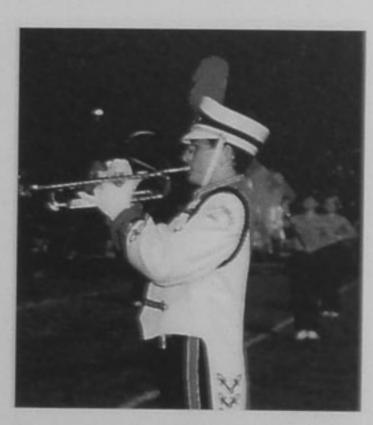
Sheena Murphy and Gerirose Givan march during the halftime show.

Flag Corps. Row 1: Stephanie Chandler, Kellie Porter, Kelli Blair. Row 2: Sondra Byrd, Tashana Brown. Row 3: HeatherMeadows, Brandi Buchanan, Michelle Kurtz.

Below: Adam Howard plays his trumpet at a football game.







Row 1: E. Sweeney, L. Willis, A. Knight, L. Clifton, R. Jarrells, A. McGlone, L. Odell, M. Gatton, A. Martin. Row 2: E. Lang, A. Wright, M. Murphy, S. Mcglone, S. Boll, T. McGlone, R. Collier, G. Givan. Row 3: J. Henderson, G. Williams, A. Warner, M. Darling, C. Porter, J. Brumfield. Row 4: K. Clausing, H. Hatten, S. Murphy, J. Adams, M. Bays, S. Campbell. Row 5: S. Chandler, H. Meadows, T. Brown, S. Byrd, B. Buchanan, K. Porter, K. Blair, M. Kurtz. Not Pictured A. Days, A. Howard, K. Marotte

## Instrumental Music

The band had a great marching season. The band received an excellent rating at the Athens OMEA marching band competition. The band also marched at River Days in August and the Circleville pumpkin festival in October. They also marched in the Wellston Coal Festival parade.

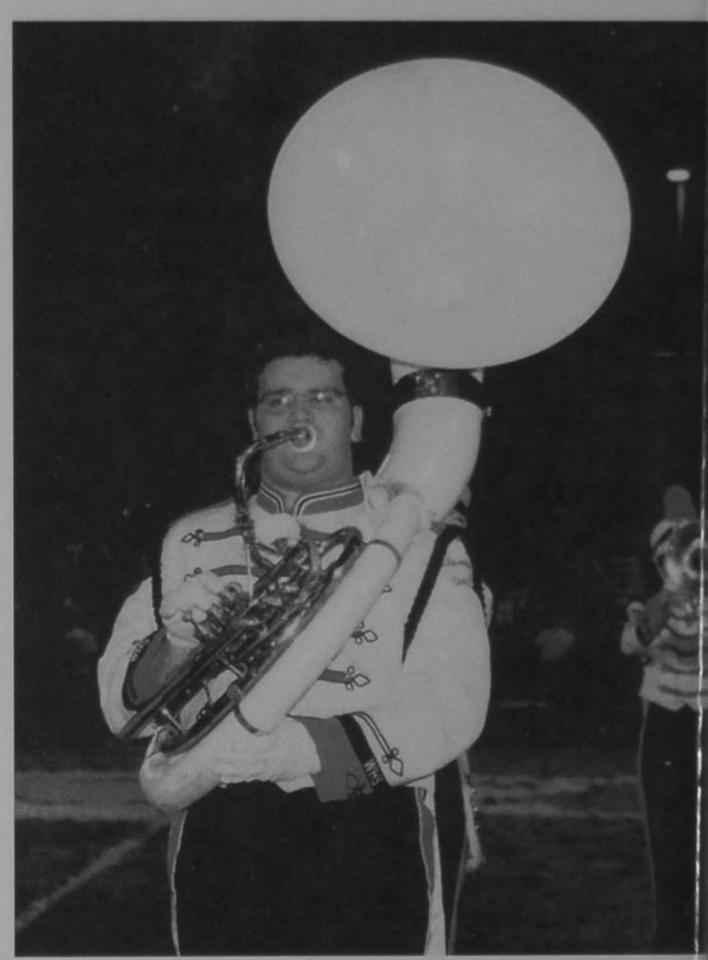
The field commanders Murp for this year were Glone Amanda McGlone and by V Leah Willis. The band Knigh played some old and rells.

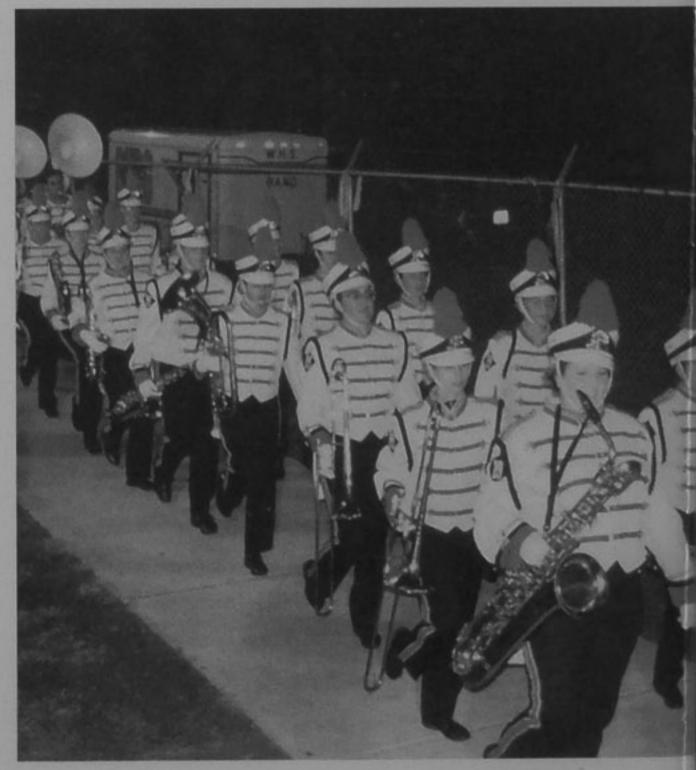
some new musical selections at the Christmas concert and at the Spring Concert on May 17, 2001. The band also enjoyed a trip to Cedar Point to end the year. Scioto County Honors Band members were Rebekah Collier, Megan Murphy, Sarah Boll, Leslie Gallaher, Amanda McGlone, Sheena Murphy, Stephanie Mc-Glone, Andy Martin, Abby Warner, Amanda Knight, and Ryan Jar-



Seniors. Row 1: Tashana Brown, Amanda Knight, Leah Willis, Eric Sweeney. Row 2: Ryan Jarrells, Andy Martin, Lindsay Odell. Row 3: Brandi Buchanan, Lacy Clifton, Michelle Gatton, Amanda Mc-Glone, Sondra Byrd.

The band marches into the stadium before a football game.







Senior Eric Sweeney plays the tri-toms.

The concert band plays during the Night of the Arts.

The concert band performs for the annual Christmas concert.









Senior Amanda McGlone leads the flute section during the Christmas concert.

Mr. Shumate directs the band during the Christmas concert.

Brandi Buchanan performs with the flags on Senior Night.

The band plays in the gym while getting ready for the pep rally.

Sophomore Garrett Williams plays his saxophone during the show.

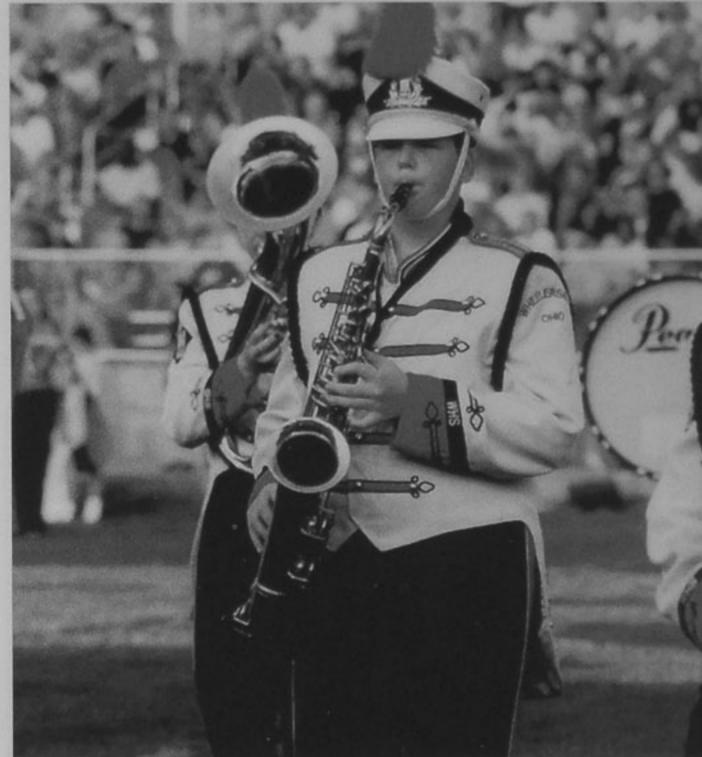
Amanda Knight and Megan Murphy play a duet during the halftime show.

Below, field commander Leah Willis directs the marching band.











Pep Band. Row 1: A. Martin, R. Jarrells, A. Howard, L. Odell, A. McGlone, A. Days, A. Knight, E. Sweeney. Row 2: K. Porter, S. Campbell, J. Brumfield, M. Murphy, A. Skaggs, A. Warner, S. Murphy, S. Boll. Row 3: J. Adams, M. Bays, M. Kurtz, C. Porter, G. Williams, A. Wright. Row 4: M. Darling, T. McGlone, H. Hatten, S. McGlone, N. Gallaher.



Members of select chorus and mixed chorus perform "Brother my Brother" during The Night of the Arts.







## Vocal Music

The 2000-2001 Select Chorus opened this year with performances of the all-time classic musical, "Grease." They performed at many churches and festivals. such as HollyDays and the annual Christmas festivities at St. Peter's Church. They performed in the two annual concerts at Christmas and in the spring. In this year's concert, they performed a historic reenactment called "A Shaker Worship Service." The chorus held several

fundraisers in order to take a trip to the Aranoff Center in Cincinnati where they saw a production of "Cinderella." Scioto County Honors Choir members were Julie Allen, Cassie Branham, Jessica Brumfield, Leah Willis, Nancy Keller, Diane Moody, Ana Skaggs, Johnpaul Adams, Daniel Cummings, Kevin Gulley, Adam Carrington, Andy Kielmar, Ken Marotte, and Aaron Sturgeon.



Aaron Sturgeon, Amanda Scott and Dusty Chamberlin re-enact a scene from the Civil War.

Foreign exchange student Chris Zahn receives a certificate from Mrs. Taylor.

Daniel Cummings performs a solo at Shawnee State University.

The select chorus performs the National Anthem before a varsity basketball game.

The select chorus opens "The Night of the Arts" with a "Shaker Worship Service."

The select chorus performs at Shawnee State University during the Christmas season.

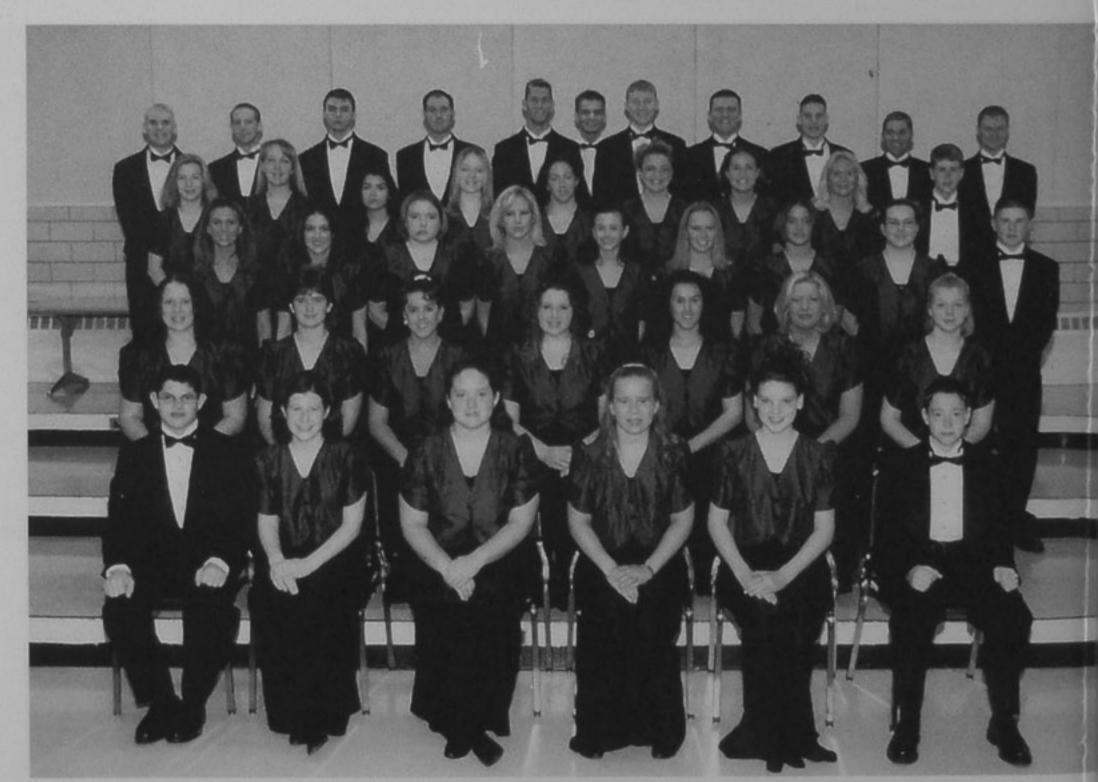








Row 1: K. Marotte, N. Keller, A. Skaggs, B. Kirkendall, J. Murray, K. Gulley. Row 2: S. Murphey, M. Kurtz, A. Barger, E. Lang, J. Seeley, H. Morrison, E. Allen. Row 3: M. Gilcher, A. Scott, J. Hall, L. Willis, J. Allen, J. Queen, A. Pyles, S. Srofe, C. Newsom. Row 4: J. Smith, J. Brumfield, D. Moody, C. Branham, H. Hattten, B. Madden, B. Emnett, J. Evans, J. Adams. Row 5: A. Kielmar, A. Sturgeon, J. Nihiser, A. Carrington, D. Chamberlin, D. Cummings, G. Givan, J. Williams, A. Bailey, R. Mowery, C. Morris.









The select and mixed chorus perform a great concert for Christmas.

Andy Kielmar performs a solo at Shawnee State University.

The Select and Mixed chorus puts on a Christmas concert.

Seniors. Row 1: B. Madden, A. Barger, J. Hall, A. Scott, L. Willis. Row 2: A. Kielmar, D. Cummings, C. Morris, R. Mowery. Row 3: J. Nihiser, D. Chamberlin, M. Gilcher, G. Givan, J. Williams.





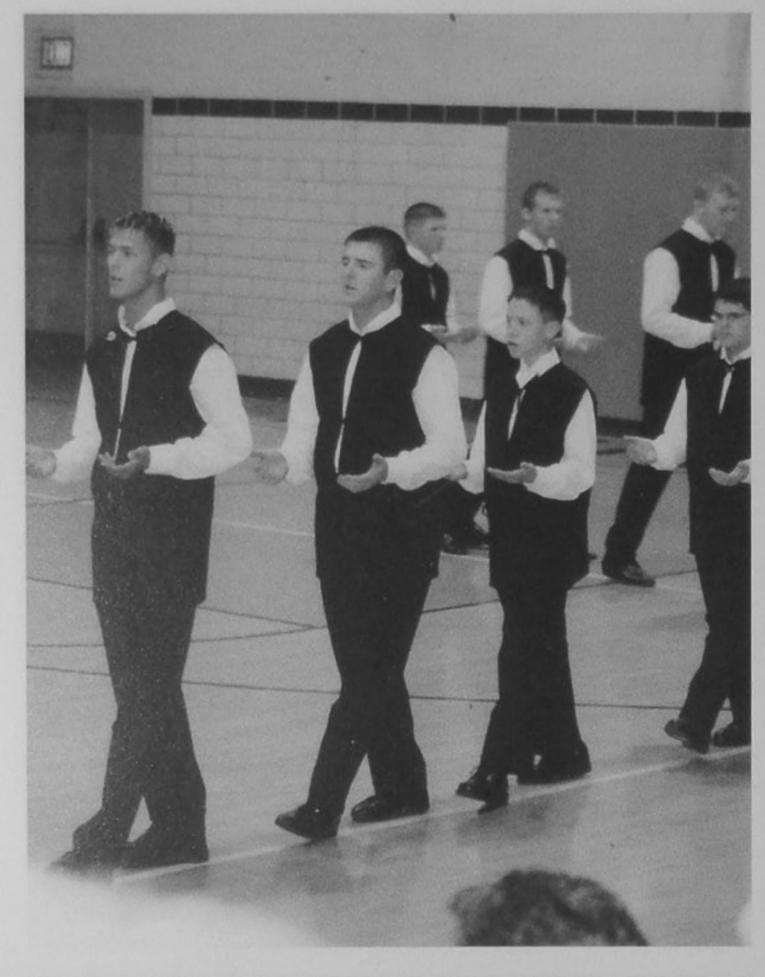


Jessica Brumfield performs a beautiful solo at the Christmas concert.

Select and Mixed chorus members combine for a vocal music department photograph.

Select Chorus sings "Come to Zion" as they open the Night of the Arts with a "Shaker Worship Service." Select Chorus performs a "Shaker Worship Service."

Leah Willis, Amanda Sparks, Melissa Gilcher and Amanda Scott sing at the Christmas concert.









Select and Mixed Chorus sing at the Night of the Arts spring concert.

Justin Nihiser, Jeremy Williams, Geoff Givan and Ryan Mowery get a little crazy for the Christmas concert during the song "I'm Gettin' Nuthin' For Christmas."

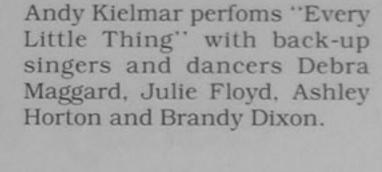












Junior Ana Skaggs displays her talent in the beautiful song "Colors of the Wind" from Pocahontas.

Mrs. Switalski and Adam Days please the crowd as Sonny and Cher performing "I Got You Babe."

Senior Daniel Cummings impresses the audience with "This is the Moment" from the musical "Jekyll and Hyde."







Hannah Wilkison awes the crowd with "On my Knees."

Garrett Williams, Eric Sweeney, Jeremy Williams and Michael Tallerico share their musical talents in the song "The Freshmen."

Sophomore Cassie Branham beautifully sings "Four Days Late."

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Nancy Keller and Ken Marotte perform the selection "All I Ask of You" from Phantom of the Opera.

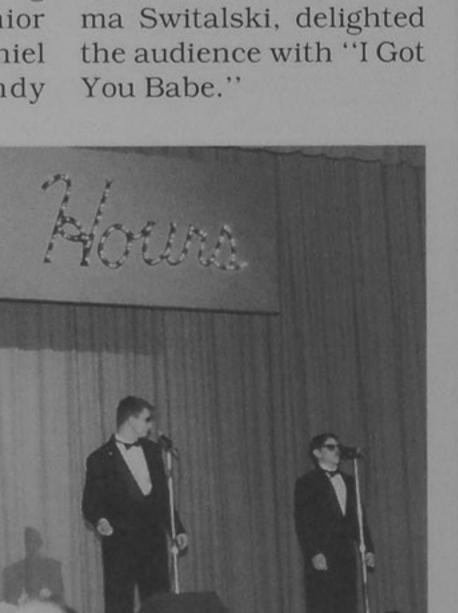
Levi Hunter and Eric Zumwalt perform the song "Outside."



## After Hours

On April 6, 2001, the Wheelersburg High School Select Chorus wide select presented the annual cal number variety show "After sical to porthours." New this year to the event was the addition of a spaghetti dinner prior to the entermal dam Days was emceed by senior chorus members Daniel Cummings and Andy You Babe."

Kielmar. Students and faculty performed a wide selection of musical numbers from classical to pop which included solos, duets, groups, and a band. Special celebrity performers Sonny and Cher, Adam Days and Mrs. Irma Switalski, delighted the audience with "I Got You Babe."



"The Temptations" Adam Carrington, Justin Nihiser and Ken Marotte sing "My Girl." In the comedy performance of "My Girl" by The Temptations Diane Moody is replaced as Adam's girl by Aaron Sturgeon.





## Class of 2001 Activities

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Mass Treasurer 2: Spanish lub 3: Student Council 2: unior & Senior Class Play 4: horal Ensemble 1: Prom ommittee 3; Basketball Team : Volleyball Team 1.2.3: rack Team 1,2,3,4; Intramuals 4: JOGS 4. Scholarship languet 1: First Team All O.C. Shot put and Discus 2: Second Team All S.O.C. hot put and Discus 1,2,3; All O.C. Academic Team 2: First eam All District Shot put 1: irst Team All District Discus Regional Qualifier Discus 3: Regional Qualifier Shot ut 1,2,3; State Qualifier Shot ut 1; State Qualifier Discus 2; lev Club 3, Teacher's Aide

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ational Honor Society 4: cholarship Team 1,3,4; Tenis Team 1,2,3,4; Post Secndary 3,4.

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3.4; First Team All District Football 4: Special Mention All State Football 4: Offensive Lineman of the Year 4: Baseball Team Captain 4: First Team All S.O.C. Baseball 4: All District Baseball 4: Mizano All-Ohio Baseball 4: Defensive Player of the Year 3: Baseball Offensive Award 4: Honors Banquet 3.4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4: Second Team All-Ohio Baseball 4: Signed to play Baseball with Marietta College.

Tashana Brown

Flag Corps 2,3,4; Choral Ensemble 1,2; Select Chorus 3; Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 1,2; After Hours 3; Swim Team 1,2,3,4; Upward Bound 2,3,4; Talent Search 1; Bible Club 2,3,4

Brandi Buchanan

Spanish Club 3,4; Yearbook Staff 1,2,3; Independent Studies 1,2; Scholarship Team 2; Flag Corps 2,3,4; Choral Ensemble 1; Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 1,2; Basketball Team Manager 1,2,3; Volleyball Team Manager 2; U.B. 3,4.

Sondra Byrd

Library Club; Flag Corps; Band; Track Team; Basketball Team Manager.

Randall Caldwell

Library Club 2,3,4; VICA 4; DECA 4.

Jennifer Cannon

Spanish Club 3; Prom Committee 3; Teacher's Aide 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4.

Dustin Chamberlin

Junior & Senior Class Play: Select Chorus 2,3,4; Prom Committee 3: Football Team 1,2,3,4: Basketball Team 1.2.4; Track Team 1.2.3.4; Intramurals 3: After Hours 3.4; JOGS 4; First Team All S.O.C. Football: First Team All District Football: First Team All Area Football; Honorable Mention All State Football: MVP of Football Team; Freethrow Champion 1; Key Club 3; Office Helper; Exercise & Fitness Club Representative 1.2.3.4; French Scholarship 3; Escort for Basketball Homecoming Attendant 3.

Stephanie Chamberlin Tiffany Chamberlin Ashley Clevenger

Spanish Club 4: Junior & Senior Class Play 3: Choral Ensemble 1.2: Prom Committee 3: Basketball Team 1.2,3,4: Volleyball Team 1.2,3,4: Softball Team 2.3: Track Team 1. First Team All S.O.C. 3,4: Honorable Mention District 14 3: Second Team All S.O.C. 2: MVP at ONU Volleyball camp

1,2; Key Club 3; All Tournament Team Volleyball 3,4; Sprint Award 1; Free Throw Award 3; Teacher's Aide 4.

Chris Clevenger

Scholarship Team 3; Junior & Senior Class Play 4; Choral Ensemble 1; Prom Committee 3; Football Team 1,2,3; Basketball Statistician 1; Intramurals 1,2,3; Teacher's Aide.

Lacy Clifton

Yearbook Staff 2,3,4; Junior & Senior Class Play 3; Flag Corps 1; Choral Ensemble 1; Band 1,2,3,4; Prom Committee 3; Basketball Team 1,2; Softball Team 1,2,3; Post Secondary Option 3,4; 4-H Member 1,2,3; 4-H Secretary and Treasurer 1,2,3; Key Club 2.

John Paul Conley

Audio-Visual Staff 1,2,3,4; Library Club 1,2,3,4; Spanish Club 3,4; Track Team 2,3,4; Cross Country Team 3,4.

Adam Conn

Junior & Senior Class Play 3; Choral Ensemble 1; Basketball Team 1,2,3; Baseball Team 1,2,3,4; Key Club 2, Perfect Attendance 1; Portsmouth pep-rally winner 3; Exercise & Fitness Club President 1,2,3,4; Scholarship Banquet; March of Dimes; Spring Fling; Christmas Concert; Second Team All S.O.C. Baseball 4.

Amy Conn

Spanish Club 3; Independent Studies 1,2,3,4; National Honor Society 3.4: Scholarship Team 1,2,3,4; Junior & Senior Class Play 3; Choral Ensemble 1: Prom Committee 3: Basketball Team 1,2,3,4; Volleyball Team 1,2,3,4: Softball Team 1,2,3,4: Second Team All S.O.C. Volleyball 3: First Team All S.O.C. Volleyball 4; First Team All District Volleyball 4: District 14 'Player of the Year" 4: All Ohio Honorable Mention 4: First Team All S.O.C. Softball 2: Honorable Mention All District Softball 2: First Team All S.O.C. Softball 3; All Academic S.O.C. 1.2.3; Academic All Ohio 1,2,3,4: Honors Banquet 1.2,3: Key Club 3: 16th in District on English Scholarship Test 2: First Team All S.O.C. Basketball 4: Second Team All District Basketball 4: First Team All S.O.C. Softball 4; Signed to play Softball at Rio Grande University.

Amanda Cook

Junior & Senior Class Play 4: Choral Ensemble 1: Prom Committee 3: Volleyball Team 1.2.3: Softball Team 1,2,3,4: JOGS 4: Second Team All S.O.C. Softball 4: Signed to play Softball at Rio Grande University. Ryan Crace

Choral Ensemble 1; Football Team 2; Track Team 1; JOGS 4.

Daniel Cummings

Spanish Club 1; Junior & Senior Class Play 4; Choral Ensemble 1,2,3,4; Select Chorus 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2; Stage Band 1; Cross Country Team 1,2,3; County Music Festival 2,3,4; After Hours 3; JOGS 4, Key Club 3,4; Drama 4; Solo Ensemble; Musical 3,4.

Jessica Curtis

Choral Ensemble 1,2.

Lance Davis

Independent Studies 1.2.3: National Honor Society 3.4: Scholarship Team 1.3.4; Choral Ensemble 1; Football Team 1.2.3.4; Basketball Team 1: Baseball Team 1,2,3,4; Intramurals 2,3,4; Football Captain 4; Academic All S.O.C. 2.3: First Team All S.O.C. Football 4: Second Team All S.O.C. Baseball 3; Baseball Captain 4: Intramurals Champions 4: First Team All S.O.C. Baseball 4: Baseball Defensive Award 4: Baseball MVP 4: Signed to play Baseball at Rio Grande University.

Adam Days

Junior & Senior Class Play 3: Band 1,2,3,4: Stage Band 1,2,4: After Hours 4.

Jessica Dillow

Prom Committee 3: Softball Team 1: JOGS 4: Teacher's Aide 3.4.

Brandy Donathan

Prom Committee 3: JOGS 4.

Erin Elliott

Class Secretary 2,3,4: Spanish Club 3: Student Council 2.3,4: Yearbook Staff 3; Independent Studies 1.2,3: National Honor Society 3.4: Scholarship Team 1.2.3.4: Junior & Senior Class Play 3.4: Cheerleader 2,3.4: Choral Ensemble 1: Prom Committee 3: Volleyball Team 1; Track Team 1; Track Statistician 3; Basketball Homecoming Attendent 1: Peer Tutor 3: UCA All-Star Cheerleader and Leadership Award 3.4: Kev Club Class Officer and Historian 2.3.4: 10th in District on Algebra Scholarship Test; SUMS Math Competition 2.3,4; NEDT Award: National Honor Society Secretary: Canned Food Drive 2,3,4; River Days Candidate and First Runner-up; Strategic Planning Committee: PeeWee Cheerleading Coach: Make a Difference Day Participant: Hike for Hospice: Honors Banquet 1.2.3.4; Email for Santa Project: Shawnee State Language Fair 3: WHS Language Fair 1,2,3; Who's Who Among American High School Students: Hands Across the Riv-

## Key Club

The Key Club is a division of Kiwanis International that helps the community, school, and the individual. In the past year, Key Clubbers learned that the club is built around care and concern for others. During the 2000-2001 school year, Key Club participated in several projects, including the school change drive to prevent Iodine Deficiency Disorder, in which they raised over \$500 for research. Other projects were the Latch Key and After School Mall programs at the Elementary School. Each year the Key Club strives to help the community in every way possible. The elected officers are looking forward to making next year the best year ever.

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Key Club Officers. Row 1: Missy Danzer, Amanda Phipps, Erin Elliott, Keri Schwamberger, Amanda Mc-Glone, Danielle Thomas, Michelle Thomas. Row 2: Amanda Arnett, Leah Willis, Nancy Keller, Ken Marotte, James Kelley, Jeremy Williams. Row 3: Bethany Kirkendall, Ben Miller, Jeremy Skiver.

Junior and Senior members. Row 1: D. Cummings, B. Madden, D. Piquet, J. Skiver, A. Barger, E. Vanderhoof, J. Kelley, A. McGlone. Row 2: L. Willis, A. Scott, E. Elliot, K. Schwamberger, K. Schwamberger, B. Williams, J. Williams, L. O'dell, B. Miller. Row 3: S. Bauer, S. Boll, A. Allen, J. Floyd, A. Hurlev. A. Phipps, E. Hehl, B. Kirkendall. Row 4: S. Coleman, T. Mc-Glone, M. Danzer, A. Rase, M. Riffe, C. Bolin, J. Clark, A. Skaggs, A. Perkins. Row 5: L. Galaher, A. Sturgeon, A. Arnett, N. Keller, K. Marotte, S. Cooper, M. Murphy.

Freshman and Sophomore members. Row 1: L. Parker, R. Means, G. Givan, D. Thomas, J. Brumfield, J. Seeley, J. Lyon, A. Bell. Row 2: J. Evans, A. Jones, V. Thomas, S. Myers, K. Porter, B. Schwalbach, E. Bussa, M. Howe, K. Clausing. Row 3: S. Murphy, L. Hacker, M. Armstrong, C. Sparks, A. Warner, R. Collier, J. Murray, K. Gulley, J. Bihl, S. Haws. Row 4: E. Allen, R. Reynolds, B. Burke, J. Smith, K. Whitely, J. Royse, J. Wesney, T. Boggs, H. Morrison. Row 5: A. Wagner, A. Piquet, A. Cottle, A. McFann, S. Holsenback, R. Mason, T. Blankenship, J. Castle, B. Chamberlin, A. Gilcher. Row 6: K. Wolfe, K. Ashley, M. Clement, D. Moody, L. McClintic, J. Allen, S. White, M. Nelson, J. Dunham, M. Thomas.





## Class of 2001 Activities

2: Northeastern Kentucky Quarter Horse Association 4: Teen Leaders 3.4: arteens 4: Mighty Oaks and Attle Peanuts Volunteer 2.3.4: Luther League 3.4: lamp Counselor 4: Showman Showmen Competition 3: MS Walk 1.2.3.4: March of Dimes 1,2,3,4; CropWalk 3,4; Jember of St. John's Luther-Church 3.4.

David Porter

Choral Ensemble 1: Prom lommitee 3; Football Team 1; Baseball Team 1.2; Track leam 3: JOGS 4: French Club

Kaley Pratt

panish Club 3: Yearbook taff 2.3: Scholarship Team 3: Junior & Senior Class lav 4: Cheerleader 4: Choral Insemble 1: Prom Committee Football Homecoming Atendent 2: Key Club 3.4: larch of Dimes 1.2.3; Myron lartin Technology Walk-Ahon 1,2,3; Email Santa orkshop 1.

ara Pratt

rom Committee; JOGS.

ris Ruggles

panish Club 3: Independent tudies 1.2.3.4; National Hon-Society 3.4: Scholarship eam 1.2.3: Choral Ensemble Football Team 1,2,3,4: rack Team 1.2.3.4; Peer Tur 1.2: All Academic S.O.C. 3: First Team All S.O.C. ootball 4: Scholarship Banuet 1,2,3,4; All District Footvall: First in District on Biol-Scholarship Test.

lleah Savage

horal Ensemble 1: Prom ommittee 3; JOGS 4.

lizabeth Savage

lass Vice-President 1.2: panish Club 3,4; Student ouncil 1.2: Independent udies 1,2; National Honor ociety 4: Scholarship Team 2.3.4: Cheerleader 1.2.3.4: horal Ensemble 1.2: Softball eam 1.2.3: Basketball Homeuning Attendent 4; Key Club Teacher's Aide 2: All Acdemic S.O.C. 2,3: Scholartip Banquet 2.3.4: UCA radership Award 3.4: UCA U-Star 4.

lati Schwamberger

lass Vice-President 3.4; lass Treasurer 1: Library ub 4: Spanish Club 3: Stuant Council 1,3,4: Yearbook taff 2,3: National Honor Soety 3.4: Scholarship Team 4: Junior & Senior Class av 3.4; Cheerleader 1.2.3.4; horal Ensemble 1.2: Prom immittee 3: Tennis Team 2.3.4: Basketball Homecomg Queen 4: NEDT Test ward: All Academic S.O.C. 4: Key Club: All-Star Cheer-

leader: President of NHS: Strategic Planning Committee; Mail for the Military Award: Who's Who Among American High School Students: Mock Trial: President of Student Council: Bible Club: American Academy Cheerleading Award: Make a Difference Day Award: UCA Cheerleader.

Keri Schwamberger

Class Treasurer 4: Library Club 4: Spanish Club 3: Student Council 4; Yearbook Staff 2,3: National Honor Society 3.4: Scholarship Team 2.3: Junior & Senior Class Play 3.4: Cheerleader 1,2,3,4: Choral Ensemble 1.2: Prom Committee 3: Tennis Team 1.2,3,4: Football Homecoming Attendent 3: All Academic S.O.C. 3.4: Key Club; All-Star Cheerleader: Project Chair of NHS: Strategic Planning Committee; Mail for the Military Award: Who's Who Among American High School Students: Mock Trial: Vice President of Student Council; Bible Club; American Academy Cheerleading Award: Make a Difference Day Award: UCA Cheerleader.

Micah Schweinsberg

Spanish Club 4: Independent Studies 1: Scholarship Team 2: Choral Ensemble 1.4: Soccer Team 1.2: Tennis Team 2,3,4: After Hours 4: Web Team 3.4: Citizenship Honor 4: 12th Grade Proficiency Award.

Amanda Scott

Audio-Visual Staff 4: Library Club 4: Yearbook Staff 2: National Honor Society 4: Scholarship Team 1,2: Junior & Senior Class Play 3.4: Choral Ensemble 1.4: Select Chorus 2,4: Prom Committee 3: Track Team 1: Peer Tutor 3: After Hours 4: Superior Honors on NEDT 1: Honor Roll 1,2,3,4: Honors Banquet 1.2.3.4; Upward Bound 3,4; Educational Talent Search 1.2: Musicals 2.4: Madrigal Dinner 2: Who's Who Among American High School Students 3: Executive Board for Upward Bound 4: Mock Trial 1: Key Club 2,3,4.

Jared Seeley National Honor Society 4:

Scholarship Team 1.2.3.4: Choral Ensemble 1: Football Team 1.2.3: Track Team 1,2,3,4; Second Team S.O.C.

Track 3.

Mark Sexton Prom Committee 3.

Joshua Skaggs

Class President 3.4: Student Council 3.4: Quiz Bowl Team 4: Band 1: Stage Band 1: VICA 3.4.

Jeremy Skiver

Spanish Club 3.4; Independ-

ent Studies 1; National Honor Society 3.4: Scholarship Team 1,2,3,4: Quiz Bowl Team 2.3.4: Choral Ensemble 1: Prom Committee 3: Football Team 1,2,3: Tennis Team 2.3.4: Basketball Statistician 1: Peer Tutor 3: Key Club 3.4: All Academic S.O.C. 2.3,4.

Miranda Sparks

Class Secretary 3: Student Council 1,2,3,4; Junior & Senior Class Play 3.4; Choral Ensemble 1; Prom Committee 3; Volleyball Team 1,2: Football Homecoming Attendent 1: Football Homecoming Queen 4: JOGS 4: March of Dimes 1.2.3: Myron Martin Walk-A-Thon 1.2.3.4: French Play: French Club 1,2,3: JOGS Social Affairs Coordinator 4: Scholarship Banquet 3.4.

Gretchen Stevens

Spanish Club 3.4: Choral Ensemble 1; Peer Tutor 2; Upward Bound 2: PSEO 3.

Nathan Stroud

Football Team 1,2,3: Baseball Team 2.3.4.

Eric Sweeney

Scholarship Team 1.2.3: Junior & Senior Class Play 3: Choral Ensemble 1.2: Band 1.2.3.4: Stage Band 1.2.3.4: Basketball Team 1: Soccer Team 1.2.3.4: Intramurals 1.2.3: After Hours 3.4: All Academic S.O.C. 1,2,3; Pep Band 1,2,3,4; Jazz Band 1,2,3,4; French Play 3: Indoor Soccer 1.2.3.4: Language Fair 1.2.3: First Team All S.O.C. Soccer: Second Team All District Soccer: Varsity Soccer Captain: Honors Banquet 1.2.

Michael Tallerico

Class Secretary 1: Student Council 1: Prom Committee 3: Football Team 1,2,3; Tennis Team 4: Track Team 1: Basketball Team Manager 1: After Hours 4.

James Tudor Eric Vanderhoof

Spanish Club 3.4: Yearbook Staff 2,3,4; Independent Studies 1,2,3,4: National Honor Society 3.4; Scholarship Team 1,2,3,4; Quiz Bowl Team 1.2.3.4; Choral Ensemble 1: Prom Committee 3: Tennis Team 4: Track Team 1.2.3: Peer Tutor 3: Martin W. Essex School for the Gifted: Scholarship Banquet 1,2,3,4; Governor's Summer Institute: Key Club 3,4: National Merit Honorable Mention; Co-Captain of Quiz Bowl Team: Co-Editor of Yearbook.

Krystal Walker

Choral Ensemble 1: Prom Committee 3.

John White

Junior & Senior Class Play 3: Choral Ensemble 2: Basketball Team 1: Soccer Team 4: JOGS 1.

Brooke Williams

Class President 3: Student Council 3: National Honor Society 4: Scholarship Team 1.3: Junior & Senior Class Play 4: Choral Ensemble 1: Prom Committtee 3: Track Team 1: Key Club 3.4: Myron Martin Technology Walk-A-Thon 1.2.3.4: March of Dimes 1.2.3: Mail for the Military 1: French Play 4.

Jeremy Duncan Williams

Junior & Senior Class Play 3: Choral Ensemble 1: Select Chorus 2.3.4: Band 1.2.3: Stage Band 1.2.3: Prom Committee 3: Baseball Team 1.2.3.4: Soccer Team 1.2.3.4: Intramurals 1.2.3.4: All-County Honors Choir 2,3,4: After Hours 2,3,4; Key Club Sophomore Representative 2, Membership and Development Committee 3.Program Committee Chairperson 4: All S.O.C. Second Team Soccer 2.3: All S.O.C. First Team Soccer 4: All District First Team Soccer 4: All State Second Team Soccer 4: Musicals 2.3.4: Honor Roll 3.4: Teacher's Aide 3,4: Soccer Captain 4: WHS Keeper Award 3.4: The Sprint Factory Magazine-Soccer 4: Second Team All S.O.C. Baseball 4: United States Achievement Academy's All-American Scholar Award 4: Who's Who Among American High School Students 4: Duncan Harrison Memorial Scholarship 4: Marshall University A. Michael Perry Freshman Scholarship 4: Teen lnk Award 4: Signed to play Soccer at Marshall University.

Leah Willis

Class President 4: Library Club 4: Student Council 4: Yearbook Staff 3.4: Junior & Senior Class Play 3; Choral Ensemble 1: Select Chorus 4: Band 1.2,3,4; Stage Band 1.2.3; Prom Committee 3; Track Team 1: Cross Country Team 1: Football Homecoming Attendent 4: County Music Festival 4: After Hours 4: Yearbook Editor 4: Key Club 2,3,4; Prom Princess 3.

Anna Wolfenbarger Choral Ensemble 3. Terry Zirkles

## Class of 2001 Activities

er: Blood Donor; Citrus Bowl Participant; SOMC Volunteer; Myron Martin Walk-A-Thon Committee; Mile Club; Invitation to OSU's Leadership Day.

Travis Euton

Football Team 1,2; Track Team 2,3,4; JOGS 4.

Jason Evans

Band 1: Stage Band 1: Football Team 1,2,3,4: Baseball Team

Miles Ferguson

Scholarship Team 1,2; Select Chorus 1; Basketball Team 1,2,3,4; Baseball Team 1,2; Homecoming Escort 1,2,3; Guidance Office Worker 1,2,3; Athletes in Action 1,2,3.

Keith Fite Michelle Gatton

Yearbook Staff 3,4; Junior & Senior Class Play 3; Band 2,3,4; Stage Band 2,3,4; Cross Country Team 1,2; Key Club 2,3,4; Mock Trial 1,3,4; All Academic S.O.C. 1.

Melissa Gilcher

Library Club 2,3,4; Junior & Senior Class Play 3,4; Choral Ensemble 1,2; Select Chorus 3,4; Prom Committee 3; Volleyball Team 2; Basketball Team Manager; Volleyball Statistician 3; After Hours 4.

Brandon Gills

Track Team 4: Intramurals 2,3,4: Who's Who Among American High School Students: Honor Roll: Myron Martin Walk-A-Thon 1,2,3,4.

Geoff Givan

Spanish Club 3; Independent Studies 1,2,3; Scholarship Team 1,2,3: Junior & Senior Class Play: Choral Ensemble 1: Select Chorus 4: Basketball Team 1,2,3,4: Soccer Team 1,2,3,4; Track Team 1,2,3; Academic All State and All S.O.C.; All State Soccer 2,3,4; All S.O.C. Soccer 1,2,3,4; District and S.O.C. PLOY; Escort for Football Homecoming Attendants: Second Team All S.O.C. Basketball 2: Portsmouth pep rally winner; Second Team All S.O.C. Track; Exercise & Fitness Club Vice President 1,2,3,4; Scholarship Banquet 1,2,3,4; Basketball Team Captain; Branch Rickey Atheletic Award.

**Amy Haas** 

Choral Ensemble 1,2.

Jacquilyn Hall

Library Club 3,4; Junior & Senior Class Play 3; Choral Ensemble 1; Select Chorus 2,3,4; Prom Committee 3; Track Team 2,3; Cross Country Team 1,2,3; Swimming Team Captain 4; After Hours 3,4; JOGS 3,4; Swim Team 1,2,3,4; Honor Roll 1,2,3; Red Cross 1,2,3,4; Musical 2,3,4; Drama Club 3; Who's Who Among American High School

Students 3,4: March of Dimes, Technology Walk-A-Thon.

Jonothan Horton

Independent Studies 1,3,4.

Adam Howard

Junior & Senior Class Play 3; Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 1,2,3,4; Jazz and Pep Band 1,2,3.

Ryan Jarrells

Choral Ensemble 1; Band 4; County Music Festival 3.

James Kelley

Spanish Club 3.4: Independent Studies 1; National Honor Society 3,4; Scholarship Team 1,2; Quiz Bowl Team 1,2; Choral Ensemble 1; Select Chorus 3: Prom Committee 3: Track Team 1.2; Cross Country Team 1,2,3; County Music Festival 2,3; After Hours 3,4; All-County Choir 2,3; Webmaster 2: Outstanding Musician of the Year 3: Key Club 2,3,4; Key Club Vice President 3: Key Club President 4; Spanish Club Vice President 3; Spanish Club President 4: All-Academic S.O.C. 1,2,3; Franklin B Wal-

Andy Kielmar

Junior & Senior Class Play 4; Choral Ensemble 1,2,3,4; Select Chorus 2,3,4; Basketball Team 1,2,3; Track Team 1,2; Basketball Team Manager 1,2,3; Basketball Statistician 1,2,3; Intramurals 2,3,4; County Music Festival 2,3,4; After Hours 2,3,4; Intramural Runner-Up.

John Kirby

Scholarship Team 2,3,4; SSU Freshman Scholarship; 12th Grade Proficiency Scholarship.

Amanda Knight

Spanish Club 3; Choral Ensemble 1; Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 1,2,3,4; Tennis Team 1,2,3,4; County Music Festival 1,2,3,4; Peer Tutor 1; Apple Festival Parade 1; Pumpkin Show Parade 2,3; Smokey Mountain Music Festival 1; Disney Magic Music Days Parade 3; Solo & Ensemble 1,2,3,4; Tennis Team Captain 3,4; Concert Band Competition 1,2,3; Marching Band Competition 3,4.

Debra Larter-Oliver

Library Club 3,4; Spanish Club 3; National Honor Society 3,4; Scholarship Team 1,2; Choral Ensemble 1,4; Prom Committee 3; Peer Tutor 1; After Hours 4; Upward Bound 2,3; Impact 2; Teacher's Aide 4.

Beth Lewis Bobbi Madden

Scholarship Team 2,3; Junior & Senior Class Play 3,4; Choral Ensemble 1; Select Chorus 2,3,4; Prom Committee 3; Bas-

ketball Team 1.2; Soccer Team 1.2,3.4; Track Team 1.3; Track Statistician 3; County Music Festival 3.4; After Hours 3.4; JOGS 4; Second Team All District Soccer 3; JOGS Coordinator 4; Key Club 2.3.4; Swim Team 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 3.4.

**Andy Martin** 

Library Club 3; Spanish Club 3; Scholarship Team 2,3; Choral Ensemble 1; Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 1,2,3,4; After Hours 3.

Betty McCleese

Choral Ensemble 3; Prom Queen.

Amanda McGlone

Spanish Club 3,4: Yearbook Staff 3: National Honor Society 3,4; Scholarship Team 2,3; Junior & Senior Class Play 3: Choral Ensemble 1: Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 1,2,3,4; Track Team 1; Cross Country Team 1,2; County Music Festival 2,3,4; Peer Tutor 3; Key Club 2,3,4; District Honor Band 3,4; Solo & Ensemble Class A Superior Rating 4; All-Academic S.O.C. Award 1; Who's Who Among American High School Students 3; NEDT Superior Performance Award 2: Talented & Gifted Program 3.4.

Seth Meenach

Soccer Team; JOGS.

Ben Miller

Scholarship Team 3; Junior & Senior Class Play 3,4; Choral Ensemble 1; Prom Committee 3; Soccer Team 1,2,3,4; Intramurals 2,3,4; Key Club Vice President; First Team All S.O.C. Soccer; First Team All District Soccer; Junior High Girls' Track Team Coach.

John Moody

National Honor Society 3,4; Scholarship Team 1,2,3,4; Track Team 1,2,3,4; Cross Country Team 2,3,4; After Hours 3; Mock Trial 3,4; Educational Talent Search 1,2,3,4; Who's Who Among American High School Students; Academic All-S.O.C. 4; First Team All S.O.C. Cross Country 4; Track Captain 4; Cross Country Captain 4.

Marie Moore Carlos Morris II

Audio-Visual Staff 3,4; Scholarship Team 1,2,3,4; Quiz Bowl Team 2,3,4; Junior & Senior Class Play 3,4; Choral Ensemble 1; Select Chorus 2,3,4; Football Team 1,2,3,4; Tennis Team 1,2,3,4; Intramurals 1,2,3,4; Peer Tutor 3,4; After Hours 2,3,4; Key Club 2,3; Mock Trial 1,2,3,4; Football Captain 4.

Ryan Mowery

Junior & Senior Class Play 4;

Choral Ensemble 1: Selection Chorus 2.3.4: Football Tear 1.2.3: Soccer Team 4: Tenni Team 4: Track Team 1.2.3: A ter Hours 3.4: Mock Tria 1.2.3.4: Key Club 1.

Brett Neeley

Audio-Visual Staff 3; Who Who Among American Hig School Students.

Amy Nelson

Library Club 2,3; Spanis Club 1; Yearbook Staff 2,3; National Honor Society 3,4 Scholarship Team 1; Chora Ensemble 1; Prom Committe 3; Scholarship Banque 1,2,3,4.

Justin Nihiser

Spanish Club 3,4; Scholarshi Team 4; Junior & Senior Class Play 3; Choral Ensemble 1; Solect Chorus 2,3,4; Basketba Team 1; Soccer Team 2; Intramurals 2,3,4; County Mus Festival 3; After Hours 4; Unward Bound 3,4; Bible Clu 2,3,4; Musical 2,3,4; Teach er's Aide 3.

Lindsay Odell

Yearbook Staff 3,4; Schola ship Team 3,4; Junior & Serior Class Play 3; Band 1,2,3,4 Stage Band 1,2,3,4; Trac Team 1; Cross Country Team 1,2; County Music Festival After Hours 4; Mock Trial 3,4 Key Club 3,4.

**Adam Payton** 

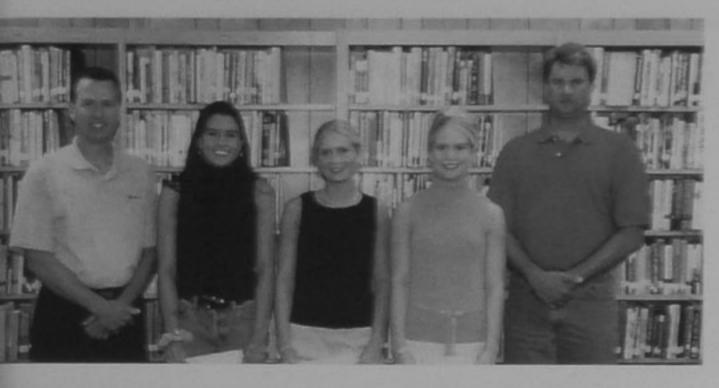
Soccer Team 2; Intramura 1,2,3,4; VICA 4; DECA 4.

Michael Perkins

Scholarship Team 2; Junior Senior Class Play 3,4; Footba Team 1,2,3; Baseball Tea 1,2,3,4; Intramurals 1,2,3, After Hours 3,4: Second Tea S.O.C. Baseball 2; First Tea S.O.C. Baseball 3,4; Secon Team All-State Baseball USA Today Honorable Mei tion Player of the Year in Oh in Baseball 2; Key Club 2, American Legion State Tou nament in Baseball 2.3; Offe sive Award 3: Defensive Award 2: Teacher's Aide Honors Banquet 1,3; All Di trict Baseball 4; Who's Who American High School St dents 4: Baseball Captain Baseball Offensive Award Signed to play Baseball at A len County Community Co lege, Iola, Kansas. Steven Phillips

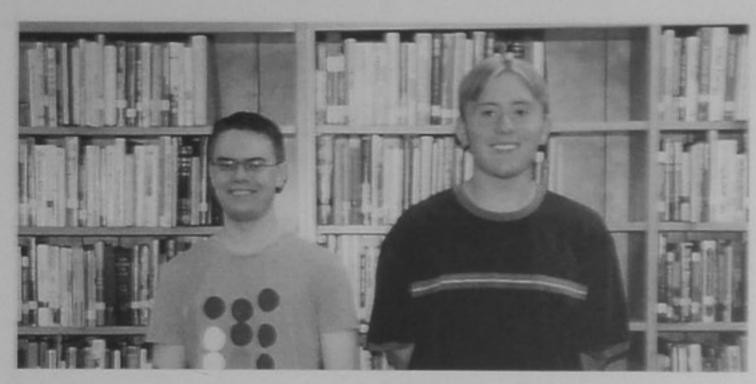
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Andrea Dene Piguet

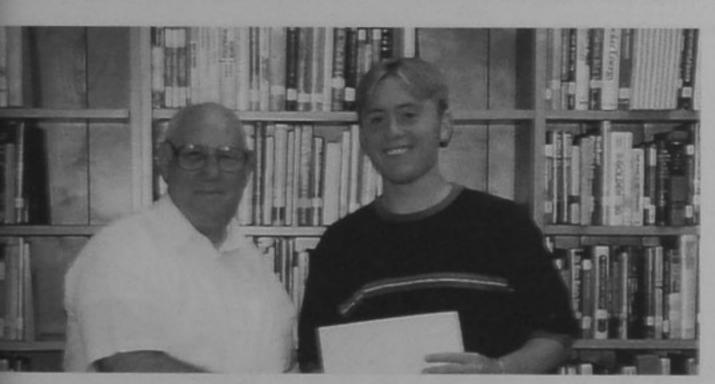
Spanish Club 3; Yearboo Staff 3,4; Junior & Seni Class Play 3,4; Choral Ensemble 1; Prom Committee JOGS 4; Key Club 3,4; President of Silver Spurs 4-H Club 1,2,3; President of Scio Wranglers 4-H Club 4; President of Buckeye Southe Quarter Horse Association







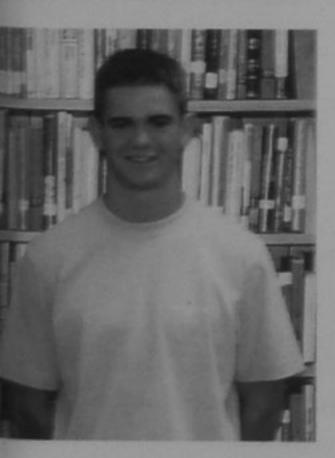












(Page 164) 1. 12th Grade Proficiency Test Scholarships. 2. All Scholarship Recipients. 3. Duduit Memorial Scholarship: Geoff Givan, Amy Conn. Amanda Scott, Amy Nelson. 4. Duncan Memorial Scholarship: Kris Ruggles, Jeremy Williams. 5. Sally Harrison Memorial Scholarship: Kati Schwamberger, Keri Schwamberger. 6. Gail Hanshaw Memorial Scholarship: Kaley Pratt, Erin Elliott. 7. Bob and Floyd's Tire Memorial Scholarship: Jared Seeley, Lance Davis, Jason Evans. 8. Kiwanis Club Scholarship: Kati Schwamberger, Keri Schwamberger. (Page 165) 1. Wheelersburg Lions Club Scholarship: Erin Elliott, Kati Schwamberger, Keri Schwamberger. 2. Women of Wheelersburg Scholarship: Erin Elliott, Amy Conn. 3. Wheelersburg Library Science Scholarship: Debbie Oliver, Sondra Byrd, Kati Schwamberger, Keri Schwamberger, Amy Nelson. 4. Ohio Academic Scholarship Program: James Kelley, Eric Vanderhoof. 5. Elza McCain Jr. Memorial Scholarship: Eric Vanderhoof. 6. Wheelersburg Education Association Scholarship: Kati Schwamberger. 7. Gene Bennett Scholarship: Lacy Clifton. 8. Wheelersburg Women's Civic Organization Scholarship: Debbie Oliver. 9. Earl Thomas Conley Scholarship: Kris Ruggles.

# Local Scholarships for the Class of 2001

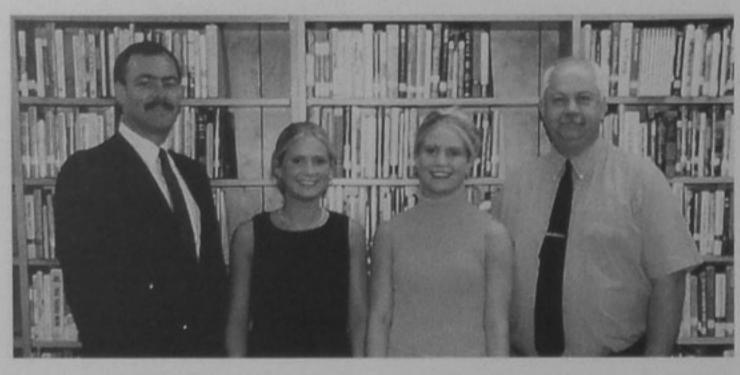
Of the 98 graduates of the Class of 2001, 43 received the 12th Grade Proficiency Test Scholarship passing all five parts of the exam. The estimate of scholarship monies (academic, music, art, and athlet awarded to the 2001 graduates will be approximately \$170,000 for one year. With the renewables for eacy year, the four year total for scholarship monies will be approximately \$300,000. The following 200 graduates were the recipients of local scholarships for Wheelersburg High School.



















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we are of you and your
accomplishments. You have
been a constant source of joy.
Your drive and determination
will get you everything you want
out of life. Believe in yourself
and know that you are loved.
Love Mom, Dad, and Matthew



Miles Lee Ferguson

The moment you were born we knew God had blessed us with a special son. We are so proud of you. You are such a blessing to us. Our prayer for you is that you let God continue to direct your path.

May God bless.

We love you very much.

Mom, Dad, Sis, Ryan

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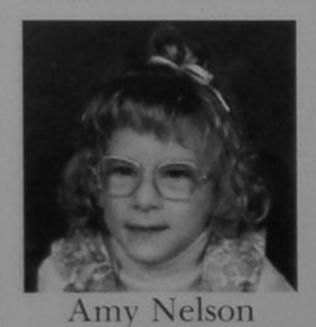
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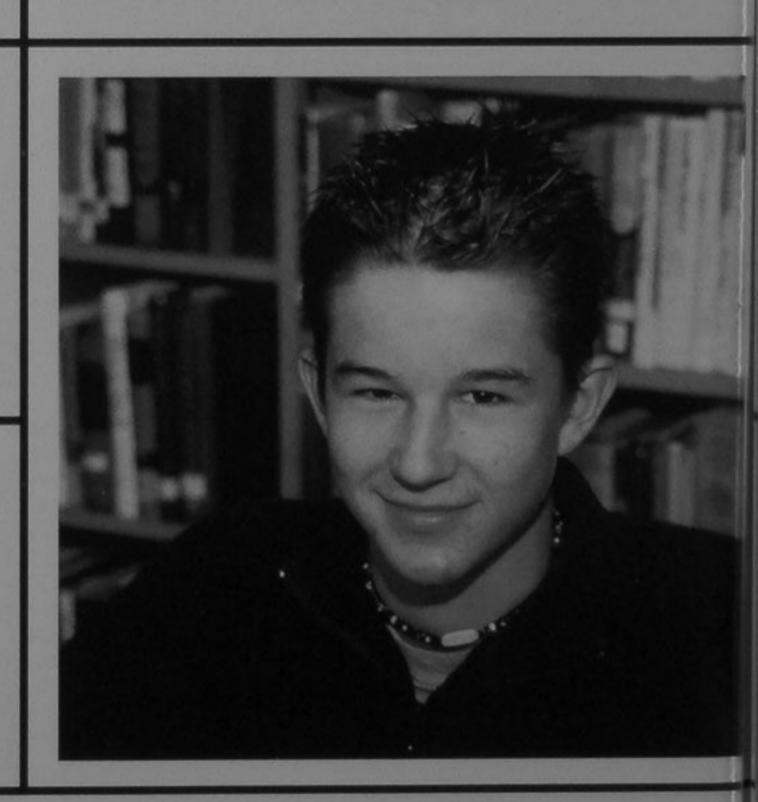
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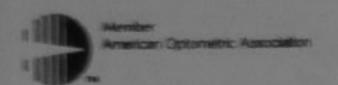


What a wonderful blessing you are! You are a true inspiration to all those around you. We are so very proud of you.

We love you,

Mom and Dad





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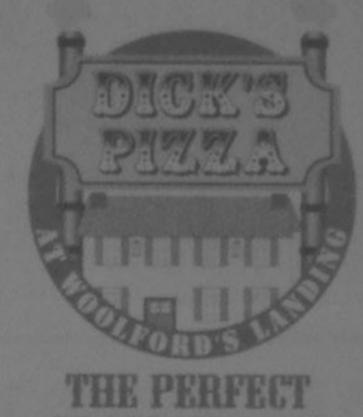
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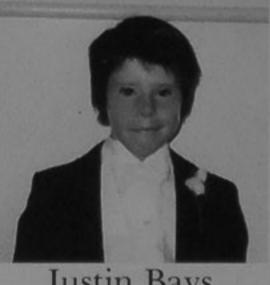
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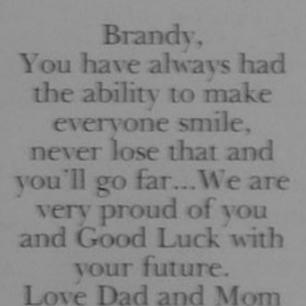
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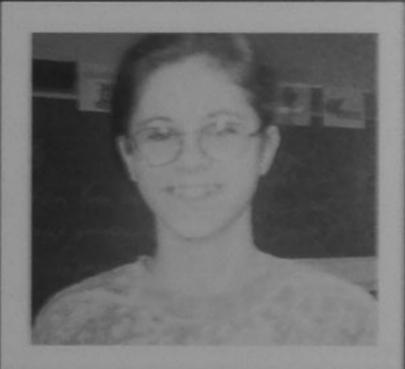
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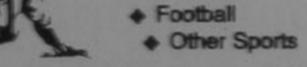
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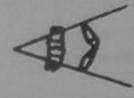
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achievements in the classroom and
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Mom, Dad, Beth, Grandma



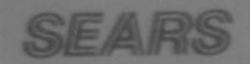
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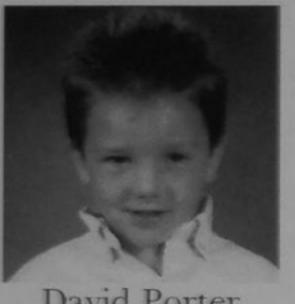
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Love, Mom, Dad, and Sis

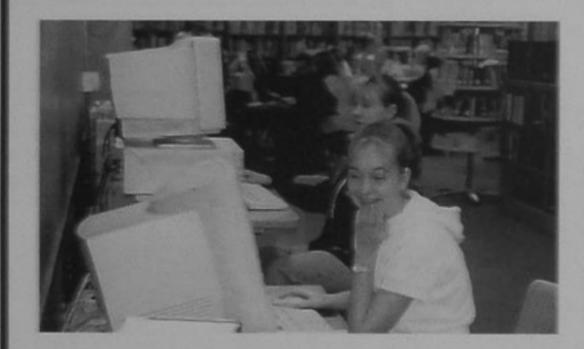


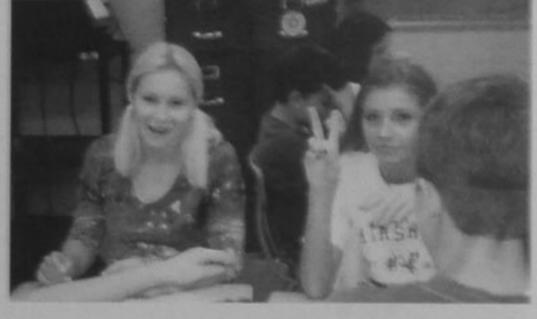




Eric Sweeney

Eric. You're the light of our lives. We are so proud of you, You are as special as we always thought you would be. You've been the perfect son. We love you more than you'll ever know. May God bless you always. Love, Mom and Dad





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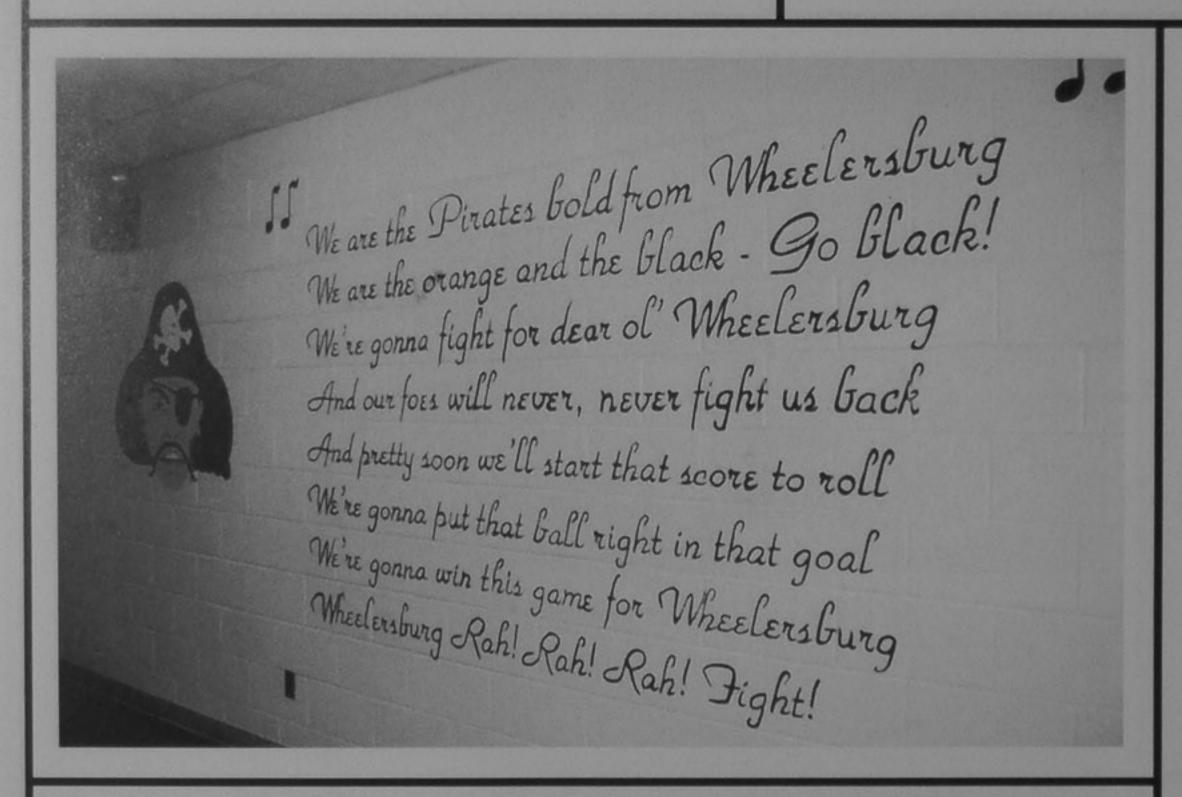
Love,
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Adam Howard

Adam,
It has been an honor and a joy watching you grow up into the man of character you are today. We look forward to seeing what God has planned for you in the future. Whatever it is, we know you will continue to make us proud.

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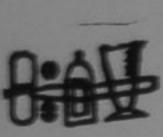
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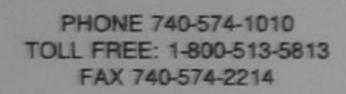
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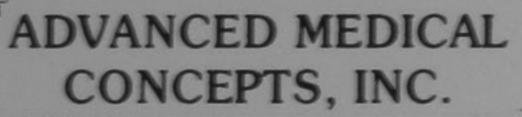
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Jeremy D. Williams

You have been our "musical" baby and avid athlete from the very beginning. Through hard work you have earned many achievements. Always look for His guidance in your new goals. God has blessed us through you.

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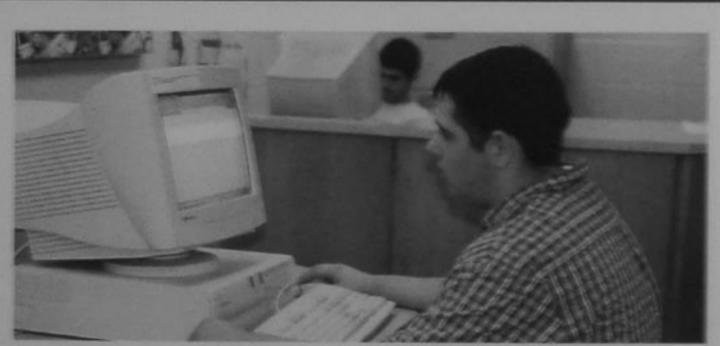




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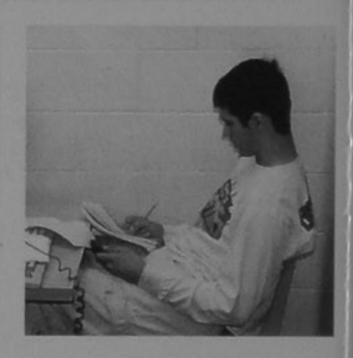
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Ben Miller

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All our love,
Dad, Mom, Becka Anne



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Jared,
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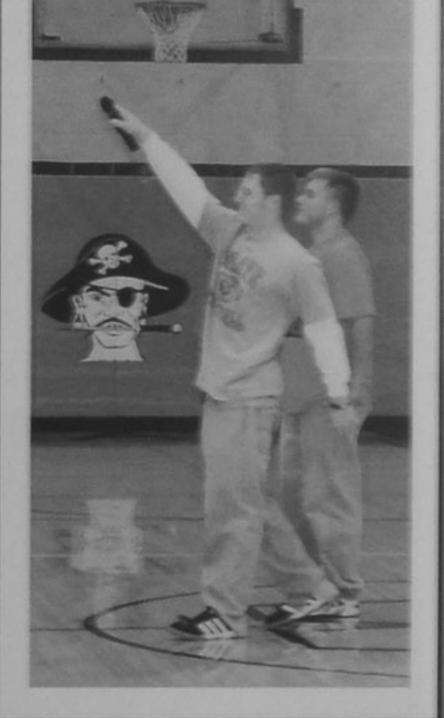
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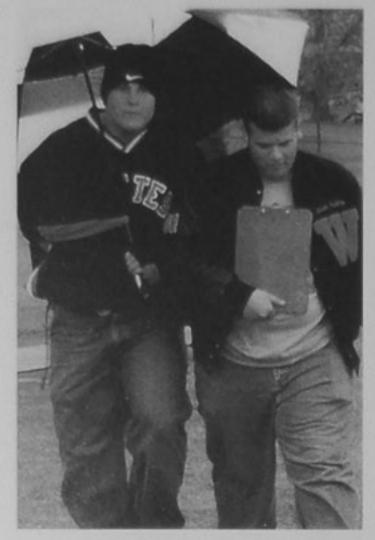


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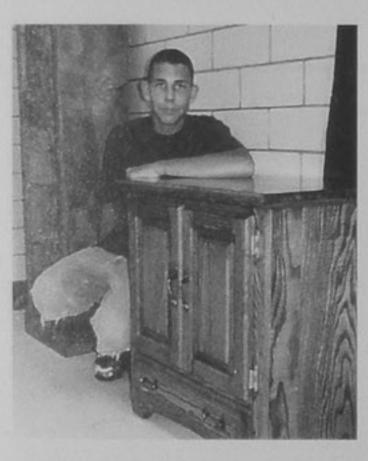
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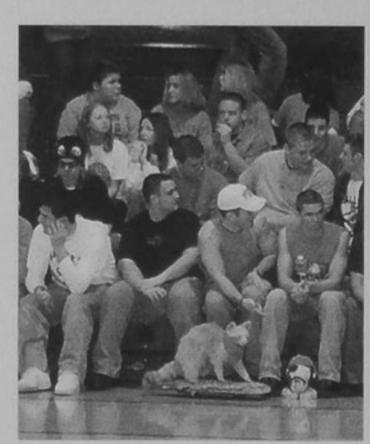
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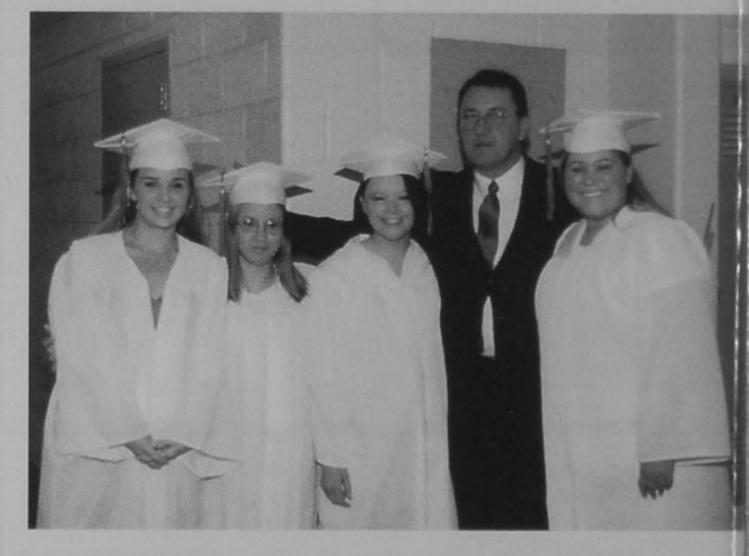


















nese softball players support to baseball team at the senr's last home game. Jeremy, Emily, B, and Amy enjoy their daily talks outside Room 106.







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These seniors enjoy their last lunch in the high school cafeteria.

Tally, Adam, Jared and Michael are caught off guard in the drafting room.

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We love you,
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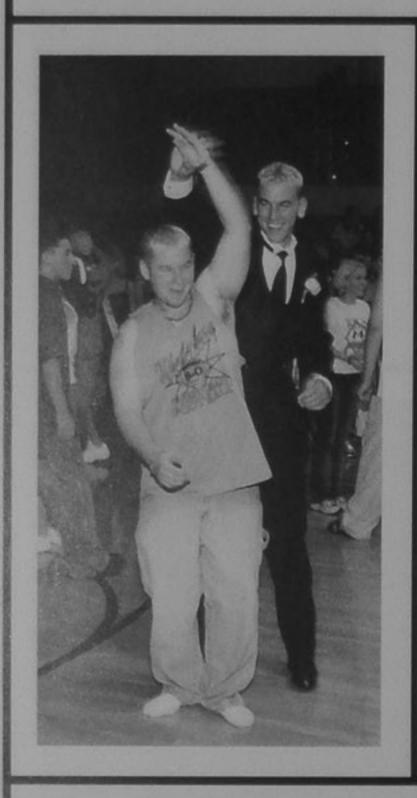
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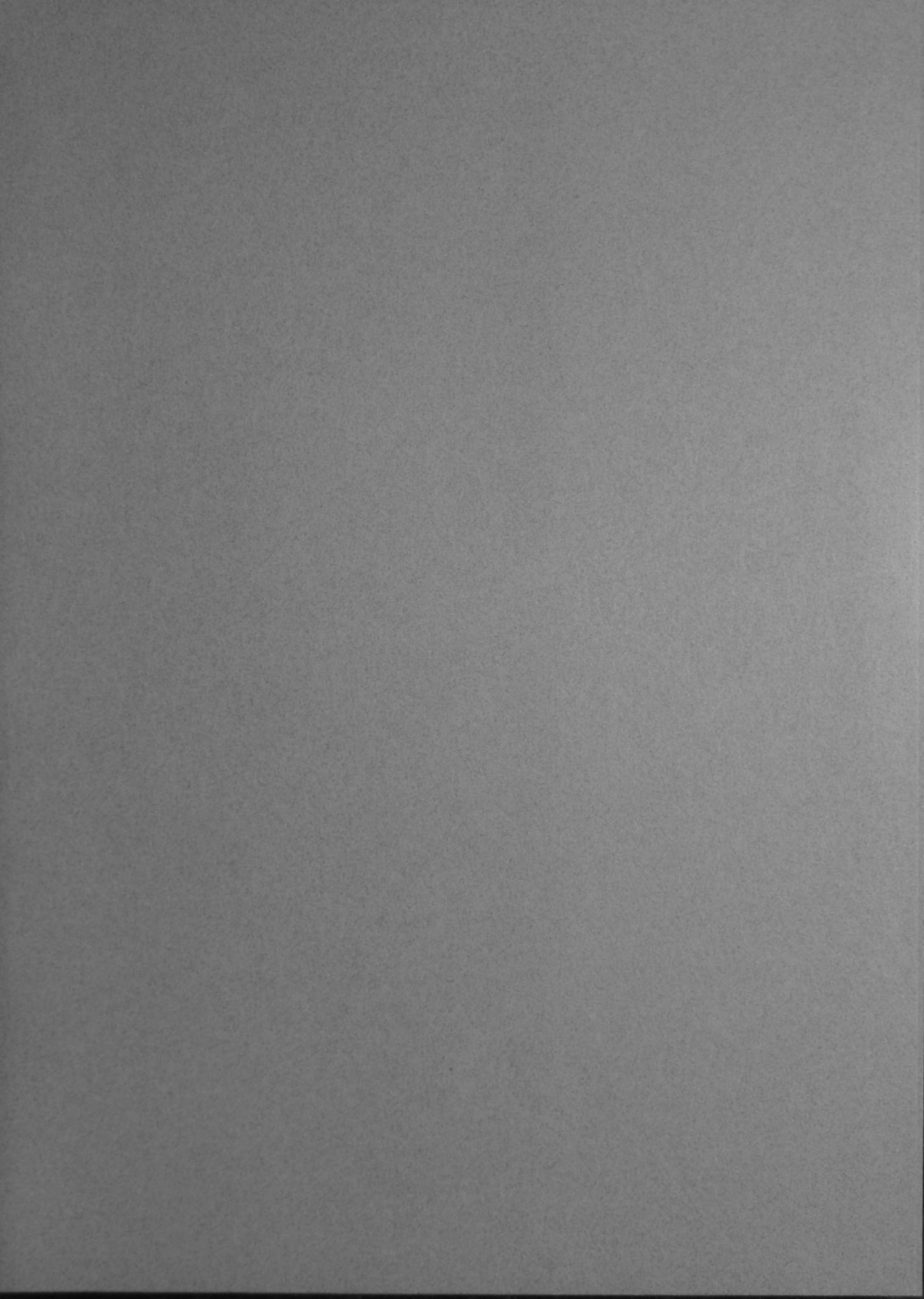
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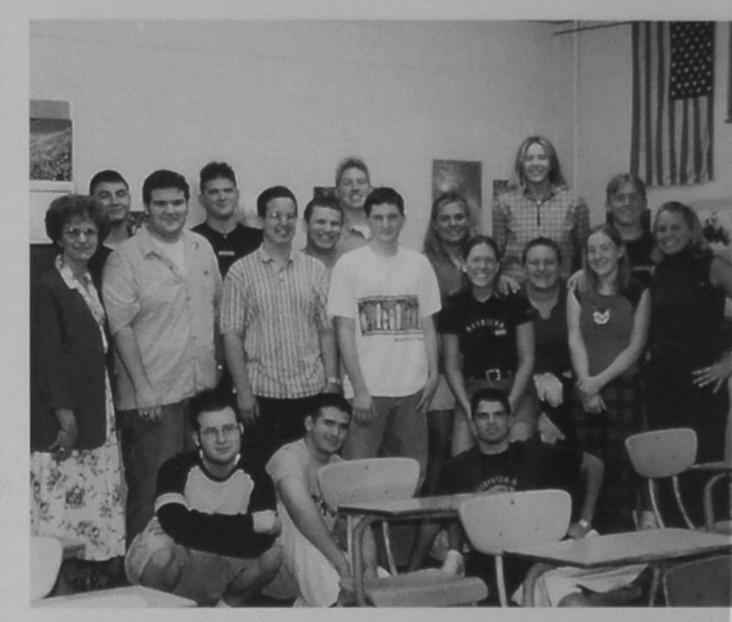
Eric Salyers shows great Pirate spirit even though the weather at the girls' invitational meet was awful.

Sixth period Senior English class gathers for a final photograph.











Mr. Eaton meets with the Class of 2001 to go over information concerning the graduation rehearsal and ceremony.

