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STARRING:

122 Senior Class Members

Costarring:

694 Underclassmen

Appearing:

Faculty and Staff

Directed by: Beatrice Casaula

Produced by:

Angela Smith

Chelsea Perragallo

Claire Smith

Danielle Young

Deirdre Zoder

Emily Rowland-Kain

Gillian Rowland-Kain

Lindsay Borkowski

Taryn Boucher





Dedication:

*Class of 2007 dedicates this year's yearbook to:
Mr. Spath and Mr. Petretti!*

From the time our class walked through the doors at MHS six years ago, most of us have had a memory or few with either Mr. Spath or Mr. Petretti. Whether, you were in Mr. Petretti's office daily or bothered Mr. Spath at his "security desk" we have laughed and enjoyed experiences with the two of them.

We moved from knowing Mr. Petretti first as our assistant principal who gave us 2 hours for our short skirts or for our "big mouths," to being proud of him when he became our principal. Not only is he respectful and caring, he is knowledgeable and is more than willing to share. He is a great man who, I am sure, we will remember in our MHS memories.

What can we say about Mr. Spath? That he can always make you smile even when you're having the worst day? From jumping into our gym classes to making sure our school is safe, Mr. Spath is a part of our time at MHS that we will always remember.

Both of these men have impacted us in one way or another in the simplest or the most life-changing ways. They have made our time at MHS enjoyable and, in some cases, simply bearable. Being able to share concerns with Mr. Petretti or share a laugh with Mr. Spath is an amazing thing. This is why we, as a class, are proud to dedicate our yearbook to these men who dedicate their lives to helping us.

*Love,
The Class of 2007*



Retirements

The students, faculty, and staff of Mattituck High School appreciate the dedicated staff members who have decided retire this year. Their years of service to our district is greatly appreciate by all who have come in contact with them through the years. We wish them well in their retirement and hope they enjoy the next part of their journey. Good Luck!

Mrs. Kreshon

Mrs. Kreshon has kept the attendance records for our district for the past 31 years! Her commitment to our students has been proven time and time again. Her cheerful personality will be missed by all.



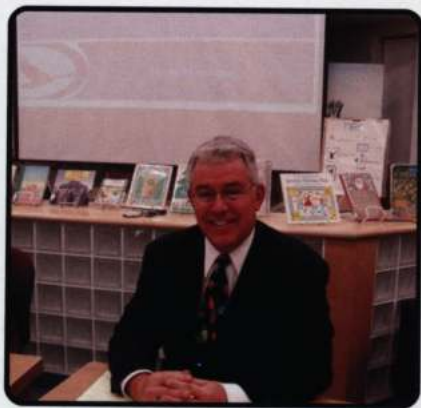
Mr. Verity

Mr. Verity has been teaching music at MHS for 28 years. He has helped numerous students develop their vocal talents. He has always been known for his great stories and jokes. There will be a great void in the music department with his retirement. Keep singing!



Dr. Cardillo

Countless students and families have benefited from the services that Dr. Cardillo provides our district. His warm and encouraging personality has been a foundation of support for the many students who have required his services over the past 25 years. Keep smiling!



James McKenna
Superintendent of Schools



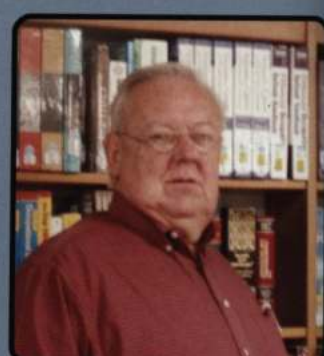
Shawn Petretti
Principal



David Smith
Assistant Principal



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Anne Smith
Elementary Principal



Tricia Desiderio
Director of Special Education

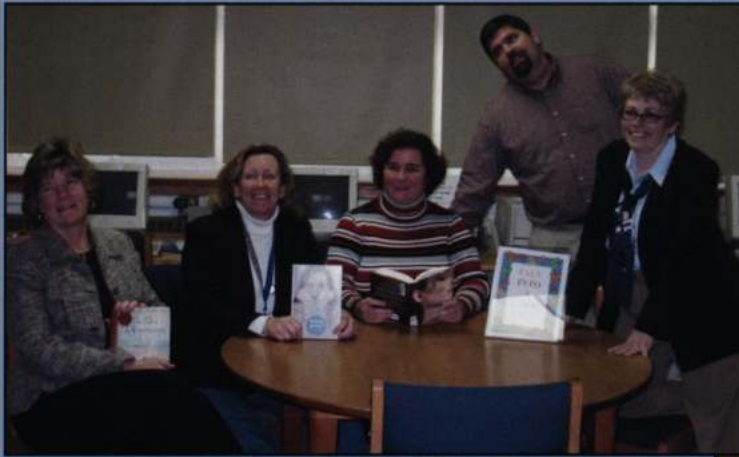


Michael Engelhardt
Business Manager



Act 1 Faculty & Staff

English & Social Studies



English Department:
Mrs. Cheshire, Ms. Mahoney, Mrs. Smith,
Mr. Farrell, Mrs. McGinn Department
Chairperson, Ms. Portocarrero, Ms.
Nordstrom, Mrs. Gilvarry, Ms. Barney, Mr.
Brennan
Absent from photo:
Mrs. Arslanian Junior High School Dean



Social Studies Department:
Mr. Buckner, Mr. Schwetje
Department Chairperson, Mr.
Morgan, Ms. Danowski, Mr.
McKenna
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Mr. Johnson, Mr. Chartrand,
Mrs. Brigham



Science & Math

Science Department:

Ms. McGowan, Mr. Henke, Mr. Frend, Mr. Rocklein Department Chairperson,
Mr. Bacher, Mr. Decaro, Ms. Buscemi, Mrs. Ruland

Absent from photo:

Mrs. Schaumloffel



Math Department:

Mrs. Boyles, Mr. Deerkoski, Mrs. Scholand,
Mr. Siegerson, Mrs. Beebe Department
Chairperson

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Ms. White, Mr. Massa High School Dean,
Ms. Rohrbach



Foriegn Language, Physical Education & Health



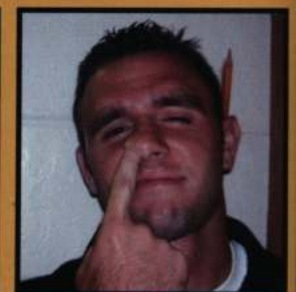
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Mr. Rosenbaum, Mr. Beidenkapp,
Ms. Galvin Department
Chairperson, Ms. Cardillo
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Ms. Moreau



Mrs. Gerstung



Physical Education and Health
Department:
Mr. Barbante, Mr. Litchhult, Mr.
Dolson, Mr. Huey Department
Chairperson, Mr. Underwood,
Mrs. Berry



Music & Art



Music Department:
Mr. Caskin, Mr. Petrucci,
Mr. Verity Department
Chairperson. Absent from
photo: Mr. Ozman.



Art Department: Mrs.
Fallot, Mrs. Harned
Department
Chairperson, Mr.
Jablonski, Ms. Rose



Technology



Ms. Nappe: computer skills



Mr. Mincielli, Mr. Reilly, Mr. Roslack, and Mr. Lavinio



Ms. Krupski: Home and Career Skills

NJROTC



Major Grigonis and Senior Chief Turner

Special Education



Mrs. Bales

Special Education: Ms. DeRosa, Mrs. Wills, Mrs. Depaulis, Mrs. Mangiamele Department Chairperson, Mr. Roces, Mr. Claudio, Mrs. Sgroi, Ms. Cressy, Mrs. Martocchia

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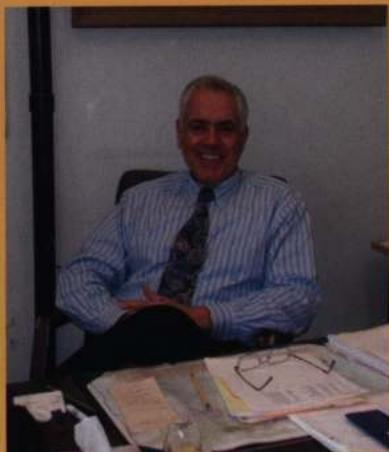
Guidance Department



Mr. Lynch Guidance
Coordinator, Mr. Mastropiero,
Ms. Sullivan, Ms. McEvoy



Psychologist, Social Worker, and Permanent Substitute



Dr. Cardillo, Ms. Nydegger, and Mrs. Mineo

Secretaries



Mrs. Machnowski, Mrs. Mudd, Mrs. Libretto, Mrs. Litchhult, Mrs. Kreeshon



Custodial Staff



Mr. Shelby



Mr. Mulrain



Mr. Ross, Mr. DioGuardi, Mr. Strickland, Mr. Pacholk, Mr. Haas, Mr. Goodwin, Ms. Wigington



Act 2

Scene 1: Seniors

Dear Class of 2007,

Back when we started school at Cutchogue West, none of us knew the impact that we would have on each other's lives. As young, naive students we hatched chickens, did tumbles in a gymnastics show, and put on a Christmas play. You couldn't go anywhere without being kissed by Mrs. Pet, and who could forget when Mrs. Benjamin slipped on a french fry and broke her ankle. Every year came with a different science project, mealworms, butterflies, and crayfish. Our obsessions were pogs, pokémon and the constant competition to be on the top of the monkey bars. Once sixth grade came around we thought no one could top us; we changed classes, we dissected hearts, and we left an unforgettable mark on our teachers. The sixth grade moving up ceremony was our first taste of graduation, and now we're almost at the real thing.

Junior high was a completely new and different challenge. We had our first dances and our first class trip to Boston where Meg's stuff was stolen. I'm sure everyone remembers where they were and who they were with when we first heard of the attacks on 9/11. Eighth grade was an experience in itself. We had our first parties at Air's where we wrote all over each other with highlighter and permanent markers and danced under the black light. We swore that we would be the best senior class ever.

Ninth grade was the real start of high school. We were a part of homecoming and built our first float, Country Music. It was the year of "dirt science", and the creation of Trilobite Phil. We were lucky enough to go to Washington. We are the only class to ever go on the dinner cruise, and who could forget Ms. Braun trying to separate us from dancing with the other seniors. We took our first regents, we went our first semiformal, and we began to realize that grades really did matter. 10th grade brought Global, Schwetje, and a six-hour bus ride home from the seaport and Holocaust museum. Again, we lost the homecoming float. The pressure of eleventh grade and being a junior hit hard with the start of the whole college process, SATs, ACTs, and APs. We had an amazing "Night in Las Vegas" where everyone looked their best. We finally won homecoming with our Italy float, and the girls came home as New York State Soccer Champions.

Finally, our senior year arrived. I never thought that the time would actually come, and it still doesn't feel like this is it. Homecoming was the start of a great year that really brought us together. We made shirts. We had our own parade at 10 o'clock at night to hang our sign. We are leaving with the best memories of our lives. Don't forget the random nights at Causeway when we had nothing to do, the out of control summer concerts, and when we escaped in Kenya. I don't remember a math class without hearing the random bless you from Evan and Jon, or trying to end early because of Mr. D's very minor mistakes, and I'm sure we've heard, over a hundred times, what a piecewise defined function is.

This is it. We are an amazing class filled with amazing people who we have come to love, and now it's time to say goodbye to everything we know. We've built friendships that will last forever, we've fallen in love, and we've had our hearts broken. This is the end to only one great chapter of our lives. Wherever you go and whatever you do, set your expectations high, follow your dreams, and don't change for anyone or anything. We have lived up to our promise of being the best senior class, and we truly are a hard act to follow. Never forget where you came from...

Congratulations to the Class of 2007, we did it!

Love,

Marissa Jean Jacobs



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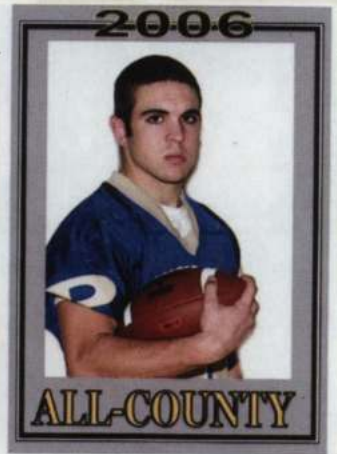
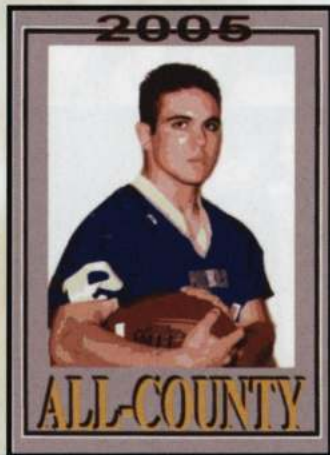
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Remember This??





William Amato



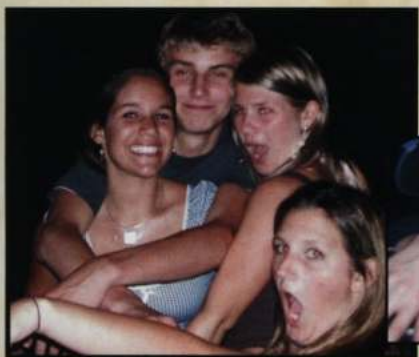
*Live with intention
- Mary Anne Radacher*



Jacob Antignano



Ryan Baglivi



Kacee Bailey

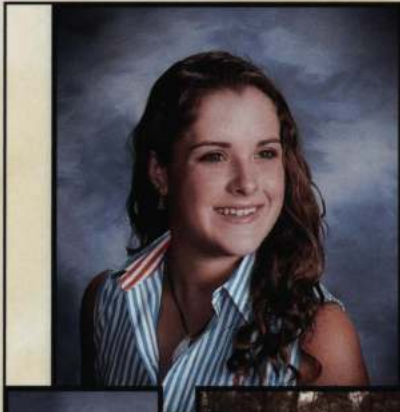


All you need is trust,
and a little pixie dust
-Peter Pan



Caitlin Baker

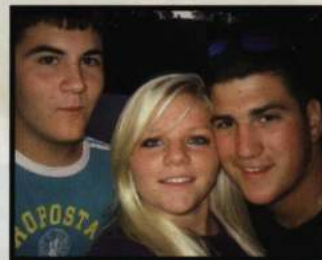




Lia Benedetto



Philip Bianculli



If I hadn't made me
I would've been made somehow
If I hadn't assembled myself
I'd've fallen apart by now
~Incubus



Brittany Blados

The truth is you don't know
what is going to happen
tomorrow. Life is a crazy
ride, and nothing is
guaranteed.
Eminem



Ryan Bogovich



Nicholas Bohlen



I'd rather laugh with the sinners than cry with the saints.

-Billy Joel

Lindsay Borkowski

I detest racialism, because I regard it as a barbaric thing, whether it comes from a black man or a white man.

-Nelson Mandela

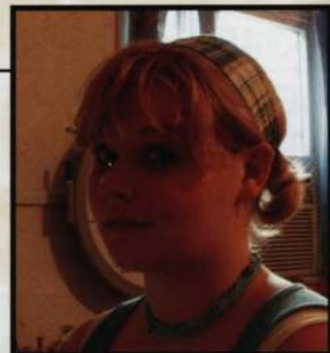


All that we see or seem
Is but a dream within a dream.

-Edgar Allan Poe



Jessica Bosworth

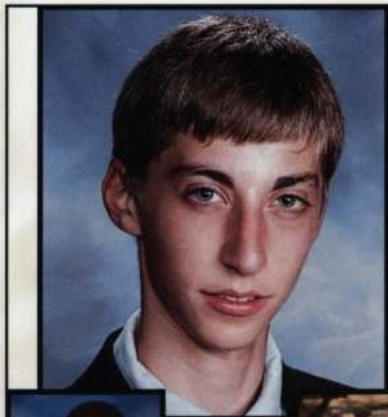


*The only way around
it is through it.
~Angela Brittain*

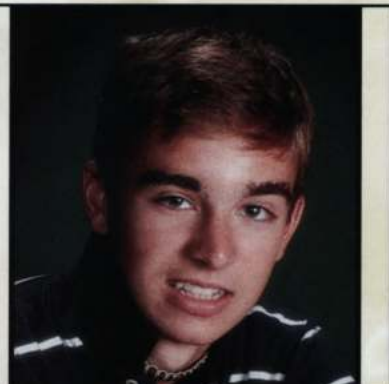
Caitrain Boucher



Jon Bressler



Byron Brinkmann



Life is a roller coaster; don't live it without a good ride.



Alexandra Brown



Erin Brush



"We go together, I promise forever, Everyday together, I live with you."

The Fray

Heaven's not a place that you go when you die, it's that moment in life when you actually feel alive, so live for the moment, and take this advice, live by every word.

The Spill Canvas

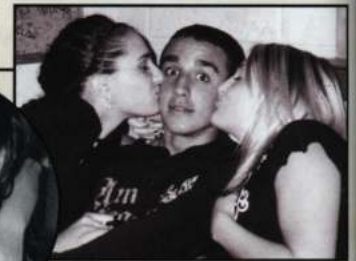




Racheal Burger



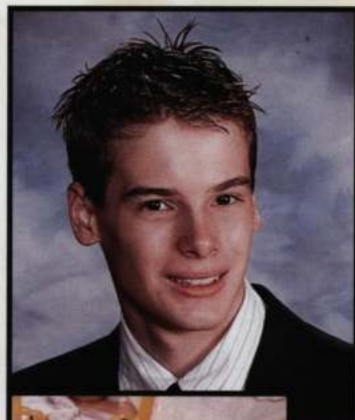
Meghan Burns



Torie Cande



Cody Carlson



Lauren Carlson



Empty fields move me so much more than rooms filled up with friends; the way the trees look dead reminds me that there's more to life than living.
Bayside



Beatrice Casaula



Imperfection is beauty...
madness is genius...
and it's better to be absolutely
ridiculous than absolutely stupid.
- Marilyn Monroe

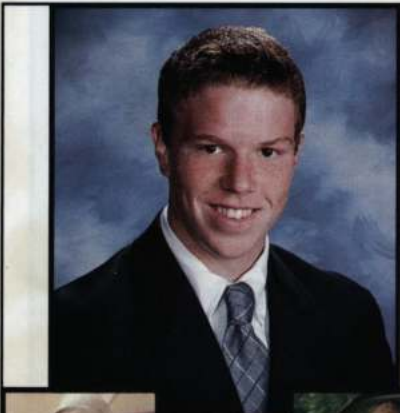




Brendan Clarke



Arielle Comellas



Mason Connor



Alison Cooper

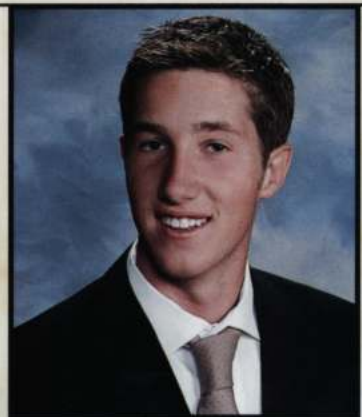


To deny our own impulses is to deny the very thing that makes us human.
Andy and Larry Wachowski.

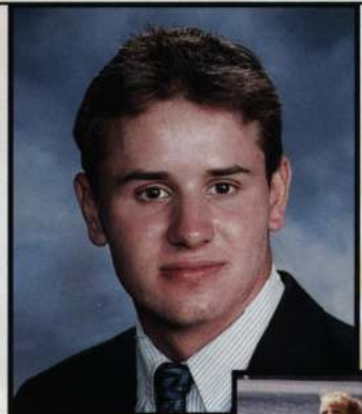


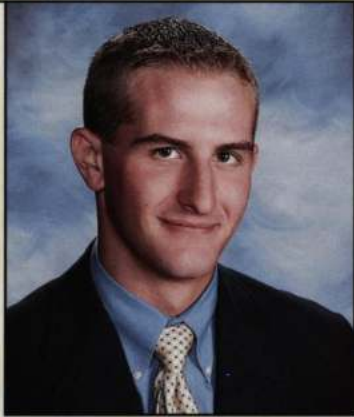
Conor Corridan

I know where I'm going and I know the truth, I don't have to be what you want me to be. I'm free..
-Muhammad Ali



John Crosser





Karl Cutler



Francesca Dellaquila



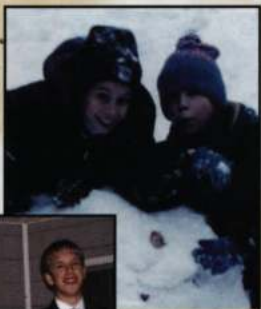
You can be anywhere when your life begins. When the future opens up in front of you. And you may not even realize it at first, but it's already happening. -Crazy Beautiful



Nora Dowling



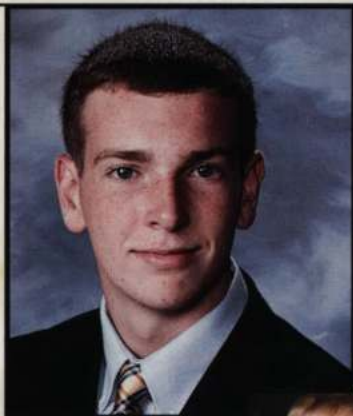
Donald Fahey



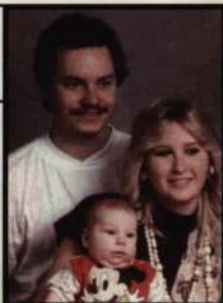
Im gonna look in the mirror if I need some help Kanye West



Kevin Flinter



Vincent Fournier





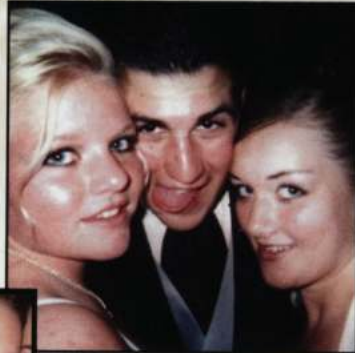
Jasmin Freeman



Who are you to judge the life I live? I know I'm not perfect, and I live to be But before you point fingers make sure your hands are clean
-Bob Marley



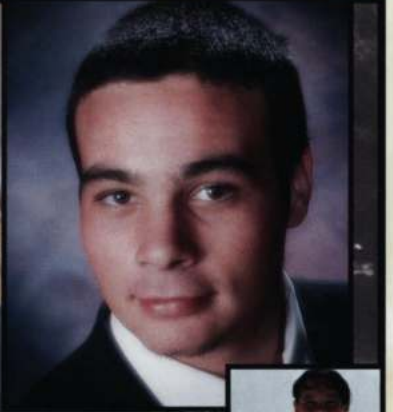
Arielle Gerstung



Allissa Goodale



Alejandro Gorman



You only live life once.

Jacklyn Goy

Live.
Laugh.
Love.



Emily Greenberg

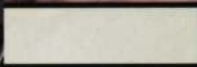


No lies, just love.
~Bright Eyes





Natalie Haas



Friends may come and go, but my love for you stays eternal.



John Halladay



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Daria Hardman

Whatever doesn't kill you, only makes you stronger.



Regina Hayes



Garr



Matthew Ianno

"The end of man is knowledge, but there is one thing he can't know. He can't know whether knowledge will save him or kill him."
Robert Penn Warren



Jennifer Italia





Marissa Jacobs



Caitlin Johnson

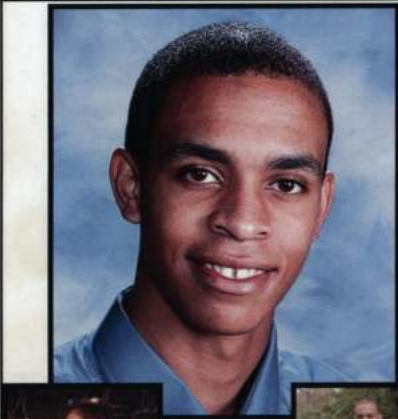
Love is blind;
friendship closes
its eyes.

- Anonymous



Nothing is so strong as
gentleness, and nothing is
so gentle as true strength.

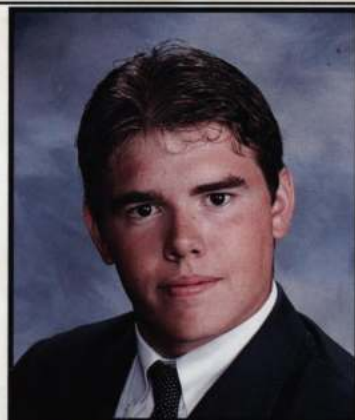
- St. Francis De Sales



Don Carlos Johnson

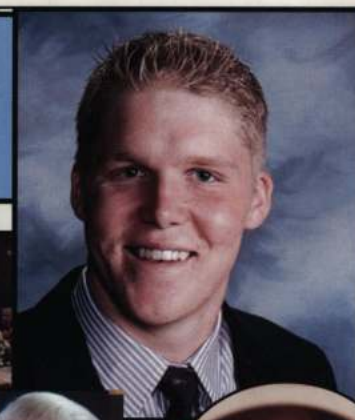
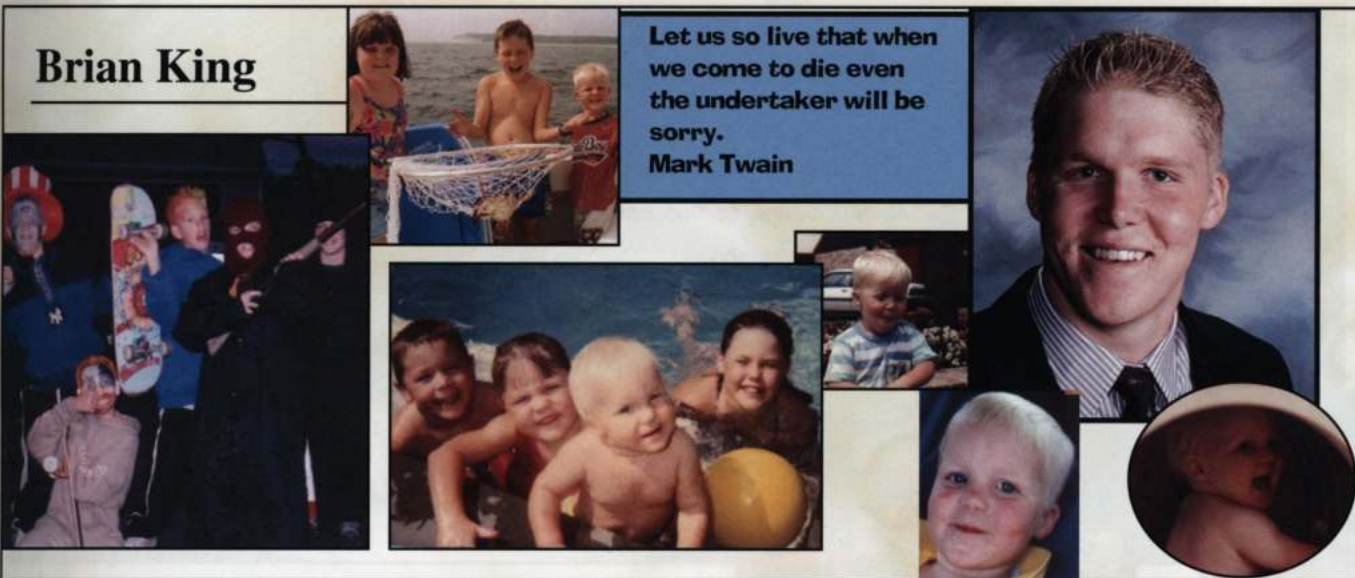


Nicholas Kilkenny



Brian King

Let us so live that when we come to die even the undertaker will be sorry.
Mark Twain

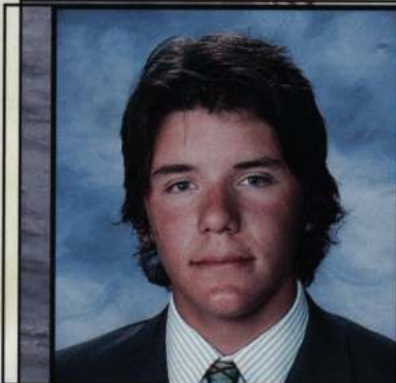


John Kopf



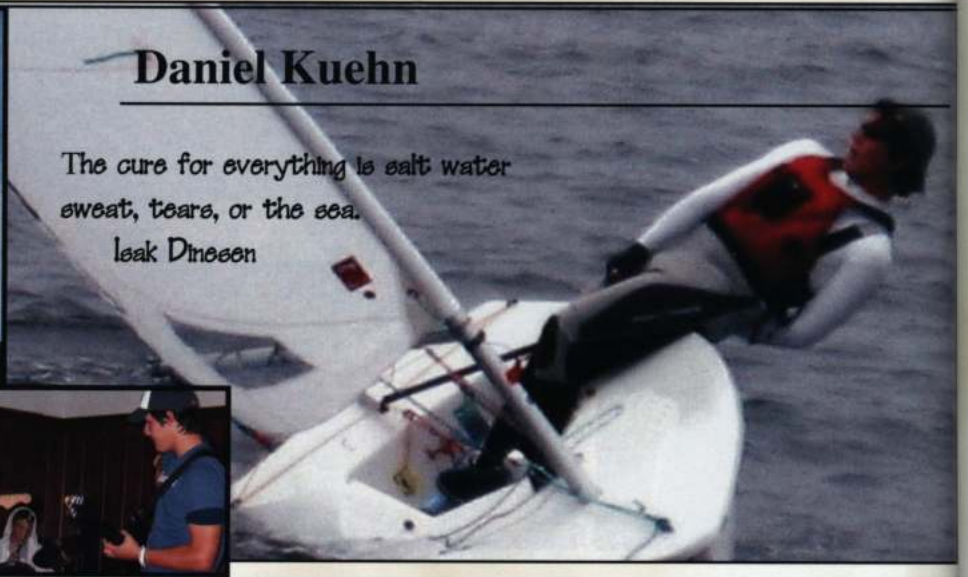


Ashley Krupski



Daniel Kuehn

The cure for everything is salt water
sweat, tears, or the sea.
leak Dinesen



Jaime Lampas

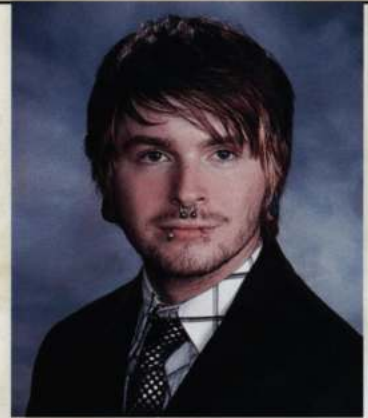
You are so beautiful,
Beautiful as a song.
Sam Cooke



Stefanie Lasota



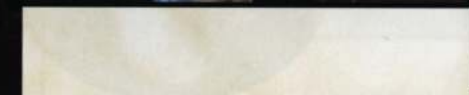
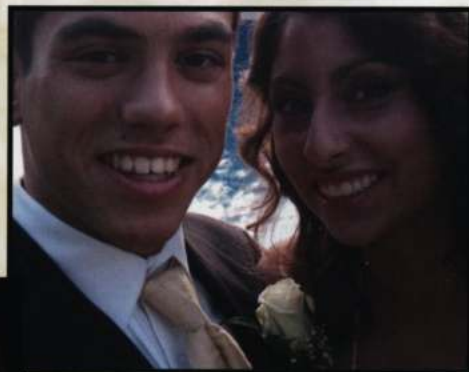
Scott Loper



Javier Lopez



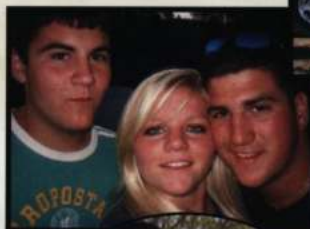
Samantha Lozada



Joseph Macari



You know the day
destroys the night
Night divides the
day
Tried to run Tried
to hide
Break on through
to the other side
The Doors



I've been waiting so long
To be where I'm going
Cream



Paul Maffetone



Michelle Majewski

This is what you get,
this is what you get,
this is what you get,
when you mess with us.
-Radiohead



Caroline Manwaring



Jamin Manwaring





Evan Martilotta



*If you put your mind to it,
you can accomplish anything.*
Doctor E. Brown



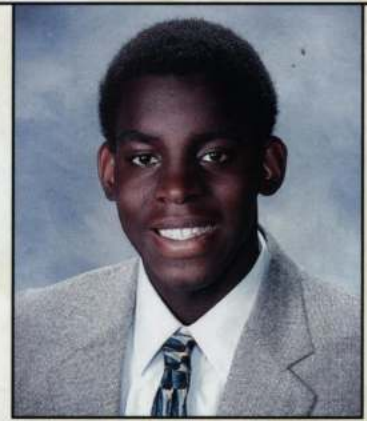
Annmarie Martin



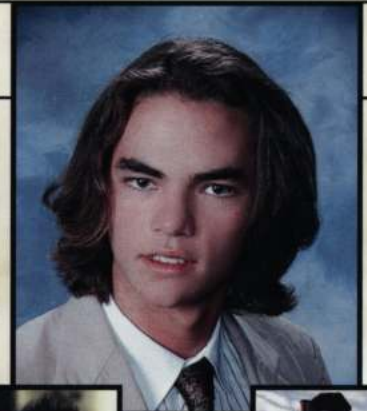
Sean McBride



Mark McCann



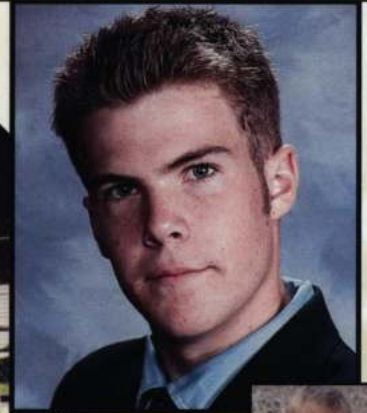
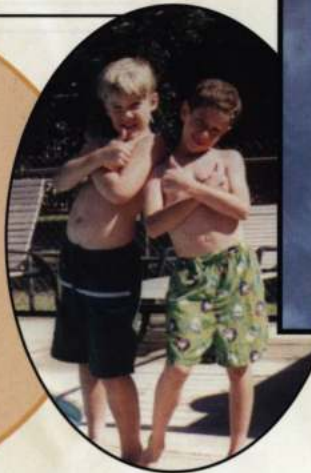
Jared McCoy



Edward McDonald



*Have more than you show,
 Speak less than you know,
 Lend less than you owe,
 Ride more than you go,
 Learn more than you trow,
 Set less than you throw;
 Leave your drink and your whore,
 And keep in-a-door,
 And thou shall have more
 Than two tens to a score.
 King Lear*





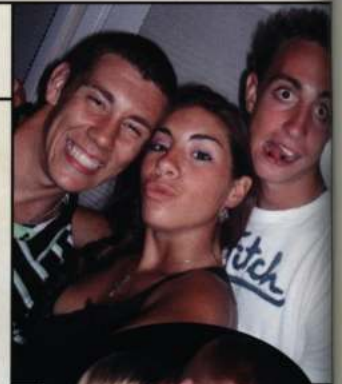
Brenna McMahon



"Happiness isn't on the road to anything. Happiness is the road." Bob Dylan



Steven Mileska



Kenneth Miller



Andrew Milowski



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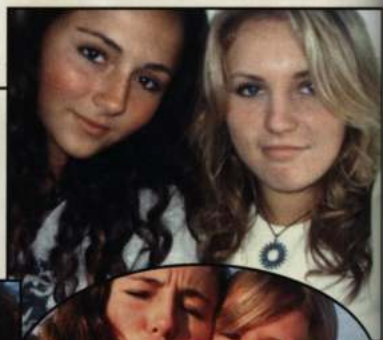


Gregory Olsen





Emily Olsen-Harbich



Tymon Palacz



Elissa Pappalardo



Pornima Peiris

You know the problem with human beings?
We think we can wear too many hats at once. Its not possible. Its an outright fashion disaster.
Joan Bauer, Best Foot Forward



Learning is a treasure that will follow its owner everywhere.
Chinese proverb



Words mean more than what is set down on paper. It takes the human voice to infuse them with deeper meaning.
-Maya Angelou



Chelsea Peragallo



This is the terminal, the break. Beyond this point, on lines of air, you take the way that you must take;
-Yvor Winters



Alana Perino





Matthew Petrucci

*"Glory is fleeting, but
obscurity is forever"
-Napoleon*



Jessica Polak



Kyle Pumillo



Clifford Rausch

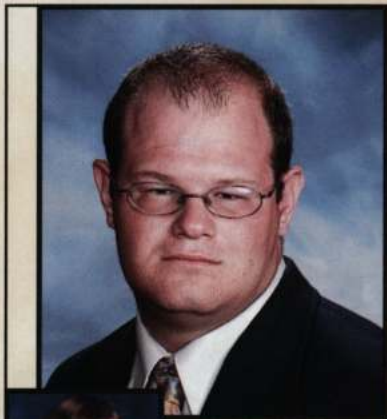


Are we ready yet???



Christopher Rauseo



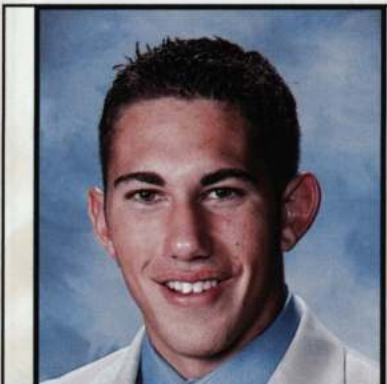


Michael Reith

You make a living by what you get,
you make a life by what you give.



Paul Renner



Matthew Romanelli



Kathryn Rosnack

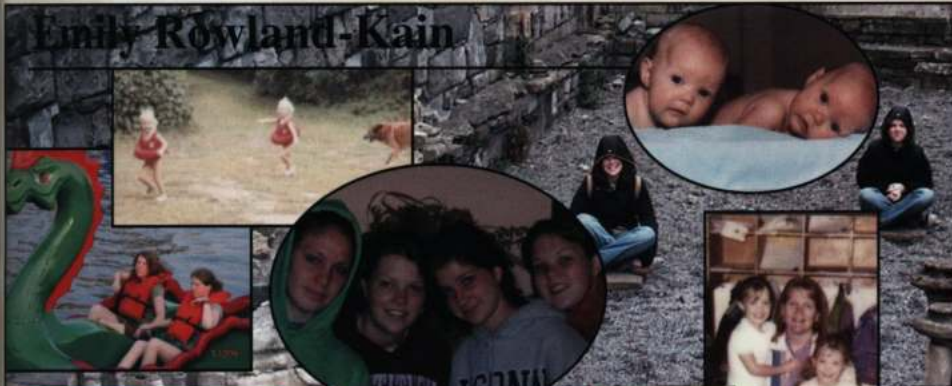


Be who you are and say what you feel, because those who mind don't matter and those who matter don't mind.

-Dr. Seuss



Emily Rowland-Kain



Gillian Rowland-Kain





Kathryn Schirripa



Scott Schneider



Daniel Schroeder



Matthew Schroeder



Scoggin Emily



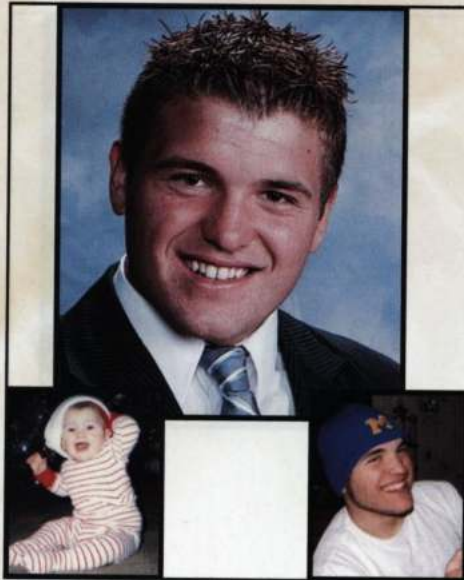
*They love to tell you stay inside the lines but
some things are better on the other side
-John Mayer*



Patrick Serrano

I'm proud of myself, and the things that I have done. I'm proud of myself, and the loner I've become. You're free to whine; it will not get you far. I'll do just fine, my car and my guitar. Say Anything

We don't speak in terms of the morning afters, we don't utter a single word of the night before. Every Time I Die



Alex Sirico



Eric Sjursen



Stephen Stakey

"Never trust a computer you can't throw out a window."

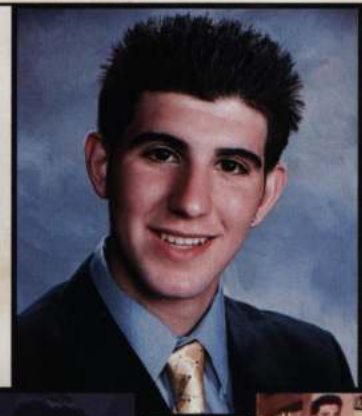
- Steve Wozniak



"A man is but the product of his thoughts. What he thinks, he becomes."
- Gandhi



Dennis Stavrinou



Daniel Stein

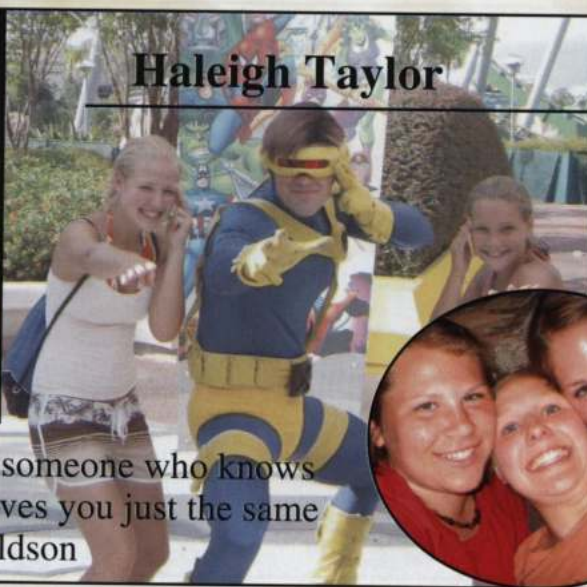


"Do not go gentle."





Haleigh Taylor



A friend is someone who knows you, and loves you just the same
~Elber Huldson



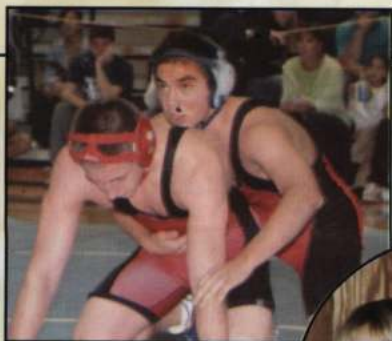
No cord or cable can draw so forcibly, or bind so fast as love can do with a single thread —Robert Burton



Stephanie Todrick



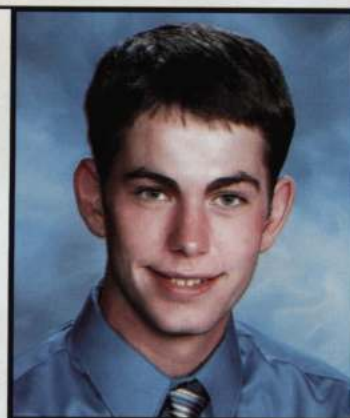
Louis Troisi



Sarah Truglia



Stephen Tuthill





Christopher Ujkic



Devyn Ulmet



Megan Walters



Rachel Wells



Thomas Wells



Jason Zaweski



Deirdre Zoder



"When I counted up my demons, so there one for every day with the good ones on my shoulder i drove the other ones away."

-Coldplay



Nothing you can make
that can't be made.
No one you can save
that can't be saved.
Nothing you can do but
you can learn how to be
you in time, it's easy.
All you need is love.

-The Beatles





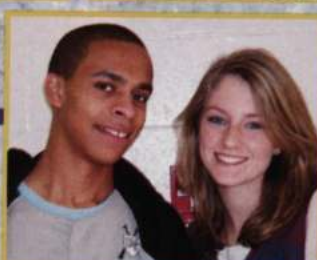
Senior

Poll

Happiest- Jenny & TJ
Most Reliable- Riss & Stakey

Most Huggable- Dro, Jazz, Schmidy

Most Musical- Caiti B & TJ



Most Quiet- Rauseo, Ariell C, Steph T.

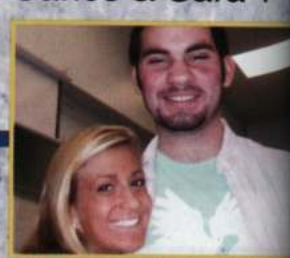
Most Diverse- Scott L & Poornima

Most Attitude- Don Carlos & Sara T

Most Argumentative- Emily G & Brian K

Rowdiest- Ali Cooper & Kyle

Happiest- Jenny & TJ



Most Romantic- Joey M & Beatrice

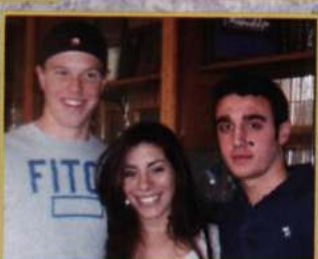
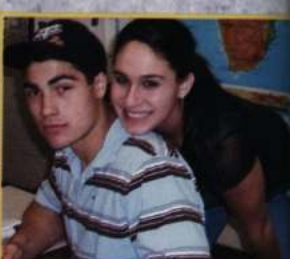
Best Looking- Elissa P & Conor C

Biggest Gossip- Don Carlos & Ali Brown

Worst Car- Rachel W & Brendan C

Nicest Car- Devyn, Tor, Donald

Nicest Body- Jake A & Franny



Worst Driver- John C & Franny

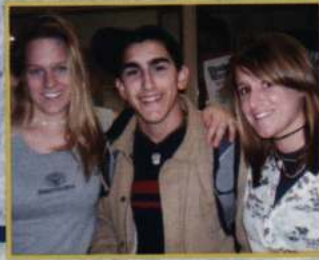
Best Driver- Nick B & Rissa

Biggest Flirt- Mase, Bea, Nick B

Best Scholar- Stephen S & Poornima



Mr. Petretti's Pet- Katy S, Stien, Emily G



Mr. Spath's Pet- Matt R & Caitlin B

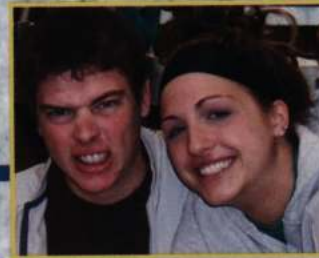
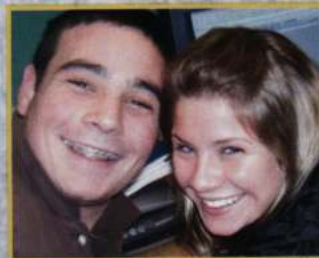


Easiest 2 Get Along With- Kevin F, Jazzy, TJ

Most Polite- Emart & Caiti B

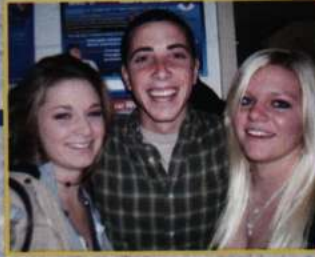
Class Clown- Daria H & Vince

Biggest Partier- Dro & Meg W



Biggest Grub- Jamin & Ali C

Nicest Hair- Jared & Jenny I



Best Smile- Conner C & Meg W

Most Athletic- Chris U & Steph L

Nicest Eyes- Elissa P, Kyle, Burger

Mr./Mrs. Personality- Kat R & Mase



Nicest Laugh- Emily S, Meg W, Jake A

Best Dressed- Meg B & Ry Bags



Least Seen In Class- Ali B & Paulie

Cutest Couple- Burger & Joey M

Most Absent-Minded- Air & Jake

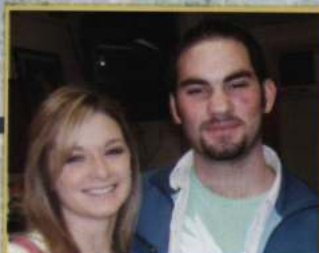
Most Likely To...

Be in a Nike Add- Steph L & Chris U
Succeed- Stephen Stakey & Alana Perino
Get Married 1st- Joey M & Burger



Host his/er talk show- T & Emily G
Be in a Band- Caroline & Pat S
Be in Extreme Sports- Stien Nick B, Steph L, B

Write articles for Cosmopolitan- TJ & Meg B
Star in a Soap Opera- Kat R & TJ
Win in the Olympics- Louis & Emily S



Get lost in the Desert- Fran & Cheesy
Be an Abercrombie Model- Ryan Bags & Megan W
Be on American Idol- Elissa &, TJ

Come back to MHS to teach- Erin B & TJ
Win the Lotto- Ed Mac & Kat R
President/1st female president- Emart & Riss



Be on MTV's "Real World" Dennis & Fran
Be on the cover of Sports Illustrated- Steph S, Chris U
Be the 1st one voted off Survivor- Emily G, Cheesy & Fran

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Act 2

Scene 2: Juniors



Rebecca Abatelli



Shane Alexander



Sara Baglivi



Nicholas Biemiller



Jenna Brautigam



Elizabeth Bremer



Matthew Brisotti



Hilary Brown



Mary Buckingham



Matthew Bundrick



Caitlin Burkhardt



Alan Cardinale



Ryan Carita



Fred Carter



Mitchell Cassidy



Marilia Cembranelli



Joseph Clarke



Laura Colwell



Stephen Conlin



Ethan Crook



Leanna Croon



James Crosser



Tiffany Damiani



Christopher De Reo



Samantha Demey



Rachel Dickerson



Anthony Diconza



Bryan Diffley



Gary Ennis



Katie Fedison



h Bremer



Michael Ferris



Steven Ficner



Shane Finnican



Douglas Flores-
Menjivar



Daniel Fogarty



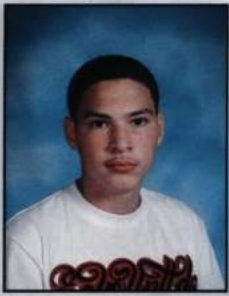
Alyssa Gerstung



ardinale



Margaret Goggins



Gabriel Gonzalez



Tracy Goodwin



Kaitlin Graeb



Natasha Green



Anthony Griffin



Colwell



Jennifer Grim



Ian Grinere



Sean Guditus



Nicole Guja



Nicole Guja



Case Hamilton



De Reeder



Daniel Harbes



Kasey Harbes



Ethan Helgans



Brendan Hennessey



Michaela Holthaus



James Homan



edison



Adam Hug



Lauren Hygom



Richard Ireland



Courtney Italia



Christopher Kar



Casey Kerbs



Kaitlin Ketcham



Catherine Kingdon



Michael Kline



Eric Koch



Alexandra Kowalsick



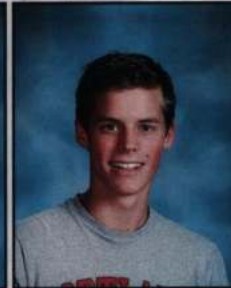
Garrett Krause



David Kupiszewski



Erin Lademann



Tyler Lademann



Colleen Lehman



Jaimie Lengyel



Michael LePre



Michael Lessard



Brittany Letteriello



Monica Malcomson



Patrick Manzo



Antonia Martinez



Gabrielle Mastaglio



Danielle McBride



Shawn McBurnie



Edward McIntyre



Kelly McKee



Kevin McMahon



Sarah Michels



James Miller



Sara Norkelun



Kaylyn O'Brien



Joseph Padworski



Alexandra Papatatto



Jeffrey Paulick

use



Kelly Peragallo



Laura Perez



Julia Petersen



Zachary Pileski



Richard Pisacano



John Poulmentis

Pre



David Radigan



Joana Rakhman



Taylor Reed



Megan Rehm



Nicholle Reynolds



Julia Roemmelt

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Brian Romanelli



Michele Rudder



Kelsey Russell



Brianna Sander



Tia Santacroce



Pamela Schmidt

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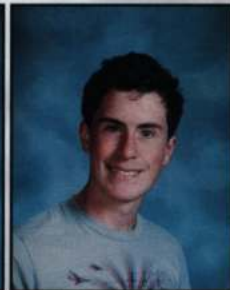
Jared Scholand



Esvin Secaida



Catherine Seyfried



James Sheppard



Daniel Sidlauskas



Emily Slack

lick



Sydney Slotkin



Jacob Smith



Thomas Smith



Stephen Sparacino



William Stetter



Emily Strider



Devin Sullivan



Michael Tandy



Brian Tardif



Giovanni Terranova



Katherine Tsavaris



Erin Van Etten



Evan Viola



Tara Voelkel



Michelle Wacik



Brian Waggoner



Joseph West



Daniel Williams



Joe Williams



John Wolfteich





Act 2

Scene 3: Sophomores



Nicole Albrecht



Taylor Altman



Evan Antignano



Justin Aretz



Jonathan Ascher



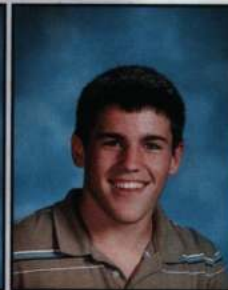
Aaron Avent



Dominique Aviles



Jillian Ball



Corey Best



William Birkmier



Marley Blangiardo



Jeffrey Boomer



Sarah Borkowski



Taryn Boucher



Erin Bozsynek



Marykate Brigham



Daniel Bruno



Kelly Brush



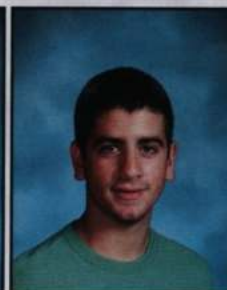
Christopher Burger



Quinne Burt



Christopher Busch



Matthew Cappello



Elizabeth Carcich



Alexis Carlson



Lee Carlson



Sarah Carter



Emma Chylinski



Catherine Coe



Daniel Colwell



Kathleen Comando



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Jordan Deangelo



Amanda Delong



Danielle Depalma-Ostrowski



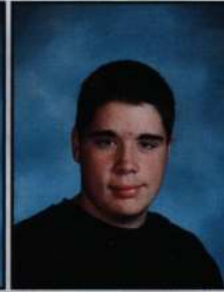
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Tyler Doka



Alexander Doubrava



Colin Dunne



Lauren Fedison



Nicole Fedun



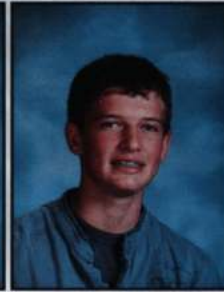
Kelsey Ferris



Jayme Figurny



Jenna Gabelman



Alexander Gamberg



Lauren Gatto



Brianne Gatz



Brian Gralton



Sarah Harbes



Margaret Harrigan



Melvin Herrera



Callie Homan



Ashleigh Hruz



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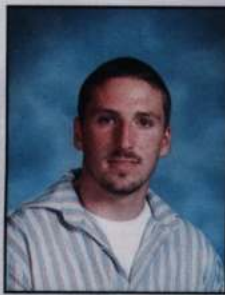
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Susanne Kelly



Jennifer Kirby



Christopher Kirmish



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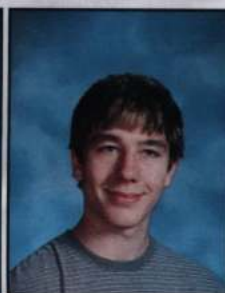
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Julianne Loper



Jonathan MacNish



Jonathan Malewicz



Lindsey Marino



Beatrice Markovaite



Rosemary Martilotta



Amy Martinez



Rebecca McDonald



Demi Mello



Hudson Miller



Christopher Milner



Stephen Milner



Stephanie Mincieli



Kayla Mottola



Tyler Murphy



Amanda Olsen



Lily Padula



Michelle Palladini



Shelby Pape



ampas Charles Pellegrino Aura Perez Elizabeth Petersen Nicholas Piacente Dimitri Rauseo Ethan Reith



oper Theodore Richert Lisa Rizzo Daniel Rocco Megan Ross Selvin Salazar Daniel Sawicki



linez Allison Schait Craig Schenone Jacob Schneider Michael Schneider Christopher Scholl Shauna Scholl



ncieli James Sfachios Matthew Shaw Jaclyn Shearin Sam Sheryll Jillian Sirico Lucas Sisson



pe Angela Smith Sarah Strickland Jennifer Stype Allison Surozenski Kelly Tuthill Vincent Urwand



Christopher Valek



Jonathan Verity



Kyle Verity



Megan Vinciguerra



Elizabeth Vlismas



Phillip Wanat



Scott Worth



Danielle Young



Jessica Zaweski



Timothy Zuhoski



Act 2

Scene 4: Freshmen



Johana Aldaz



Michael Arpaia



Catherine Austin



Kristin Avondet



Catherine Barry



Kerri Bedrick



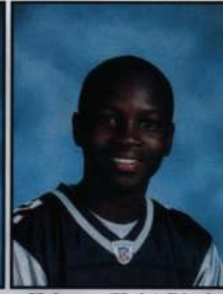
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Cara Benedetto



Niki Benedetto



Hakeem (Kyle) Black



Hesaun(Kenny) Black



Benjamin Blados



Megan Blados



Nicole Boschetti



Robert Bosworth



Zachary Branker



Trevor Brooks



Cassandra Brown



Charles Buckel



Myles Caracciolo



Ava Cardinale



Yasmin Carrasquillo



Eric Cassidy



Daniel Ciarricone



Anthony Citra



Sarah Conlin



Elise Considine



Nicholas Cosgrove



Janene Curtis



John Cushman



Connor Daly



Shelby Davis



Jessica De Mato



Eamon Deegan



Nicholas Delong



Christina Drake



Cory Ellis



Zully Escalante



Edward Ezzard



Chelsea Ficner



Ashley Finger



Michael Gagen



Jake Gamberg



Abigail Gatz



Alexis Gaydosik



Ireneusz Gierlach



Jonathon Giordano



Robert Goodale



Samantha Gormez



Hanora Gralton



Danielle Grim



Nicholas Grinere



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David Javier



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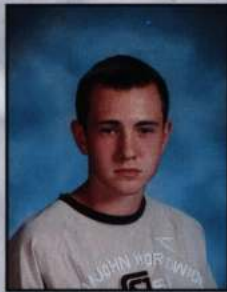
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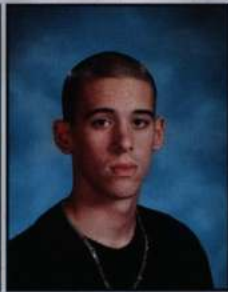
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Eileen Kennel



Robert Kingdon



Nicholas Kito



Colleen Krupski



Daniel Letteriello



Brandon Lonk



Tom MacDona



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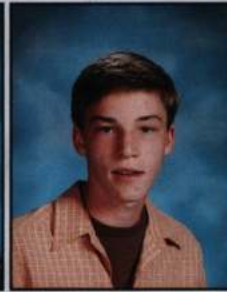
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Colin McCoy



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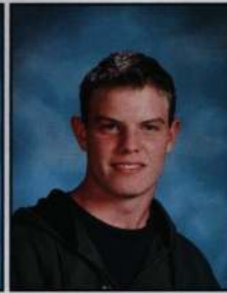
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Zackery Nicholson



Carley Nolan



Gregory Novak



Jennifer Olsen



Peter Olsen-Harbich



Alexander Padworski



Michelle Paladino



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Amanda Papparatto



Elizabeth-Anne
Pawlowski



Kennedy



Isuru Peiris



Kasey Peragallo



Amanda Perez



Kristina Pettersen



Monica Philipp



Stephenie Pisacano



McDonald



Kevin Polak



Sarah Pozzolano



Jasmine Pumillo



Kevin Pumillo



Megan Radigan



Christina Ragone



Miller



Evan Reed-Avison



Trevor Rehm



Haley Reyburn



Peter Rosado



Douglas Schantz



Paul Schmidt



Olsen



Jennifer Secaida



Matthew Selander



Angela Sidlauskas



Ryan Sidor



Krysta Siliris



Erin Slack



Beth-Anne
Flowski



Cara Slotkin



Claire Smith



Laura Stakey



Samantha Thompson



Nicholas Troisi



Bryan Tyler



Zachary Tyler



Justin Underwood



Aylin Unsal



Sara Urbanski



Julia Villano



Kaitlin Villano



Shannon Voelkel



Miriamne Waitz



Tabitha Wells



Ryan Wesnofske



Taylor West



Jessica Williams



Shawn Williams



Timothy Young



Joseph Zito



Brandon Zlatniski



Theresa Zuhoski



lin Villano



ca Williams



esa Zuhoski

Act 2

Scene 5: 8th Grade



Kayla Albee



Christian Aldaz



Brittany Anderson



Hope Andrejack



Steven Ascher



Thomas Ascher



Amy



Johanna Baglivi



Keith Berezny



Jacqueline Berkoski



Casie Binkowski



Courtney Birkmier



Kathryn Blady



Ashlee



Jessica Boomer



John Bradley



Cristina Bremer



Melanie
Buckingham



Madeleine
Burlingame



Casey Burns



Fiona



Zoe Campbell



Sharayah Carita



Daniel Catullo



Casey Ciamaricone



Emily Comando



Joshua Conner



Lisa



Brandon Damiani



Connor Davis



Timothy deMey



Mark Dileo



Ryan Dinizio



Jacqueline Drac



C



Thomas Ascher Amy Dries Andrew Ennis Kimberly Fenoy Robert Fruin Kayla Gabelman Kellianne Gatto



Maryn Bladykas Ashley Goeller Alexander Goerler William Goggins Dylan Goguen Katherine Golde Jared Goodale



Masey Burns Fiona Gorman Jesse Grathwohl Thomas Griffin Rebecca Grohoski John Hamilton Melissa Hand



Shua Conner Lisa Harbes George Hatzinikolaou Mary Helinski Victoria Hellermann Cody Huntley Eric Izzo



Queline Drake Colin Keil Anthony Kowal Samantha Kowalsick Thomas Kraebel William Kraebel Kimberly Krupski



Nicole Krupski



Andrew
L'Hommedieu



Brendan Lademann



Brandon Lake



Claire Leaden



Taylor Ledet



Jovan Lehrfeld-
Booker



Kyra Leonardi



Gerard Lepre



Taylor Lindsay



Taylor Lonk



Katherine Lopez



Stefanie Loverde



Thomas Macari



Timothy MacNish



Michael Mangiamele



Patricija Markovaitė



David Martinez



Brittini Mastaglio



Lillian McCullough



Maille Rose
McDermott



Jessica McDonald



Brendan McMahon



Amber Mellor



William Mensch



Megan Miller



Emma Milligan



Rebecca Mincieli



Kimberley Mulrain



Daniel Neighley



or Leden



John Neudeck



Alexander Nolan



John Nugent



Max Padula



Christa Pappalardo



Tyler Pase



rine Loper



Jorge Perez



Miguel Perez



Joseph Pfaff



Wilson Quizhpi



John Rauseo



William Reimer



d Martinez



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Sara Scholl



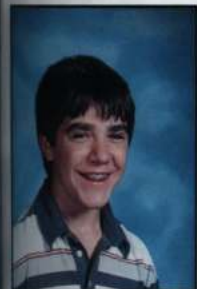
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Brad Sheryll



iel Neighley



Gregory Siliris



Jennifer Smith



Rebekah Smith



Shannon Smith



Veronica Stelzer



Jeffrey Strider



Jessica Stumpf



Michelle Thirkield



Kelli Thompson



Giavanna Vaccaro



Matthew Waggoner



Lisa Wells



Katherine Wilcenski



Seth Zahra



Morgan Zuhoski



a Wells



an Zuhoski

Act 2

Scene 6: 7th Grade



Jacqueline Albrecht



Jessica Albrecht



Shawn Alexander



Brenden Andersen



James Anderson



Christine Angel



Catherine Co



Corinne Araneo



John Baglivi



Daniel Baird



Emily Ball



Melissa Barry



Carly Batist



Sarah Doh



Lisa Beebe



Larissa Bellavia



Nicholas Bieber



William Bishop



Chloce Blangiardo



Brigid Bozenyak



Gregory F



Kira Buckel



Luke Bugdin



Erica Bundrick



Savanna Campbell



Christopher Caprise



Rebecca Caracciolo



Julia Ga



Olivia Cardinale



Elena Carrasquillo



Kelly Cassidy



Marissa Chamberlain



Caroline Coe



Megan Conklin



Miranda G



Angell



Catherine Connelly



Raymond Croon



Ashlie Czelatka



Phisher Deridder



Alexandra Di Donna



Nicole Divello



Balst



Sarah Doherty



Kaitlyn Doorhy



Joseph Dougherty



Connor Egan



Kevin Endres



Christina Fasolino



ozsnyak



Gregory Fedun



Michelle Revola



Clare Finnican



James Finora



Emily Fliss



Garrett Forte



aracciolo



Julia Gaines



Dylan Gibaldi



Piotr Gierlach



Morgan Gildersleeve



Kenneth Gillan



Charlotte Gilles



Donklin



Miranda Gralton



Mirin Greenberger



Tracy Grim



Connor Guditus



Peter Helinski



Derek Hennessey



Kellie Hennessy



Kevin Herrera



Jackie Hinrichs



Zachary Hinsch



Graham Homan



Andrew Hudson



Kaitlyn Hughes



Matthew Ireland



Matthew Ireland



Devante Jackson



Matthew Jacobs



Minor Javier



Bryan Jung



Cole Karlin



Andrew Kinsey



Joshua Klipp



Richard Koch



Eric Kopf



Cody Kujawski



Dominika Kupiszewska



Tasia Laksono



Elizabeth Lasota



Jennifer Lengyel



Nicholas Lentini



George Lessard



Taylor Loper



Christina Lozada



Sunny Mahmud



Ryan Malone



Kathryn Mangiameli



udson



Eric Marcus



Andrew McGowan



Melissa Milowski



Sarah Mulhall



Pauline Nelson



Jay Neudeck



avier



Kieran Nish



Mallaigh Nolan



Slobhan Noian



Rachel Norkelun



Kimberly Olsen



Nigel Ortiz



opf



Peter Ostrowski



Dylan Padworski



Nicole Palladini



Elena Papatatto



Maria Perez



Victoria Perez



Lentini



Kaitlin Perino



Maria Peroni



Patrick Pitts



Erin Pozzolano



Erica Quintana



Sarah Reisenberg



angamele



Timothy Reith



Kendall Reyburn



Daina Reynolds



Peter Romanelli



Michael Rutkoski



Clayton Santillo



Kyle Santillo



Daniel Scalla



Christopher Schantz



Rebecca Schweitzer



John Sciacchitano



Austin Scoggin



Lauryn Serrano



Jason Sidor



Thomas Sledjeski



Douglas Shuyters



James Steele



Danielle Stepinski



Travone Strickland



Christian Tettelbach



Austin Tuthill



Ryan Valek



Anthony Williams



Franky Zagarino



Alexandra Zaweski



Corey Zlatniski



Nora Zuhoski



Travis Zurawski





Act: 3 Scene 1
Academics

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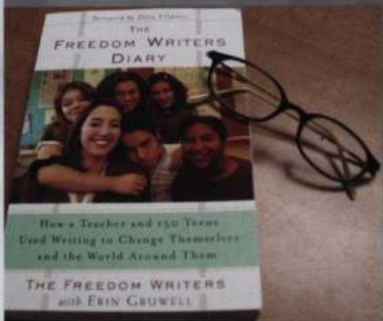
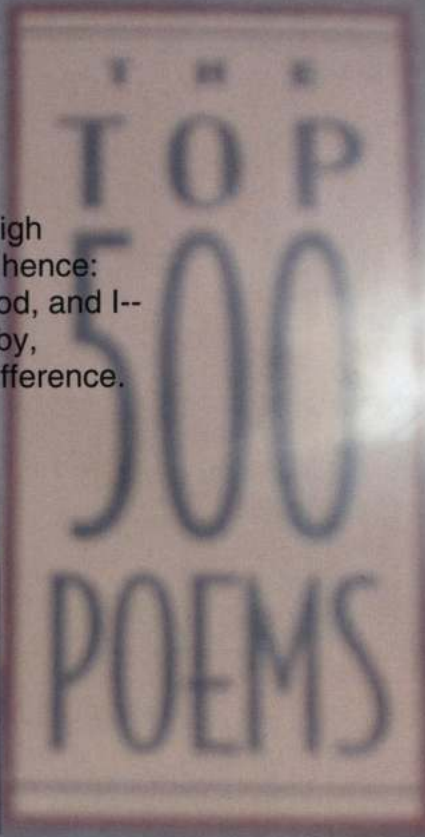
I shall be telling this with a sigh
Somewhere ages and ages hence:
Two roads diverged in a wood, and I--
I took the one less traveled by,
And that has made all the difference.
-The Road Not Taken
Robert Frost



Novels for Students

Volume 2

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"Freedom Writers Diary is a must read for everyone. The movie was good but the book was even better."
-Erica Guja

The Timeless Classic of Growing Up and the Human Dignity That Unites Us All

TO KILL A MOCKINGBIRD

Harper Lee



"I Really enjoyed the book Angels and Demons. It had an intense storyline and was better than the Da Vinci Code"
-Mike Ferris



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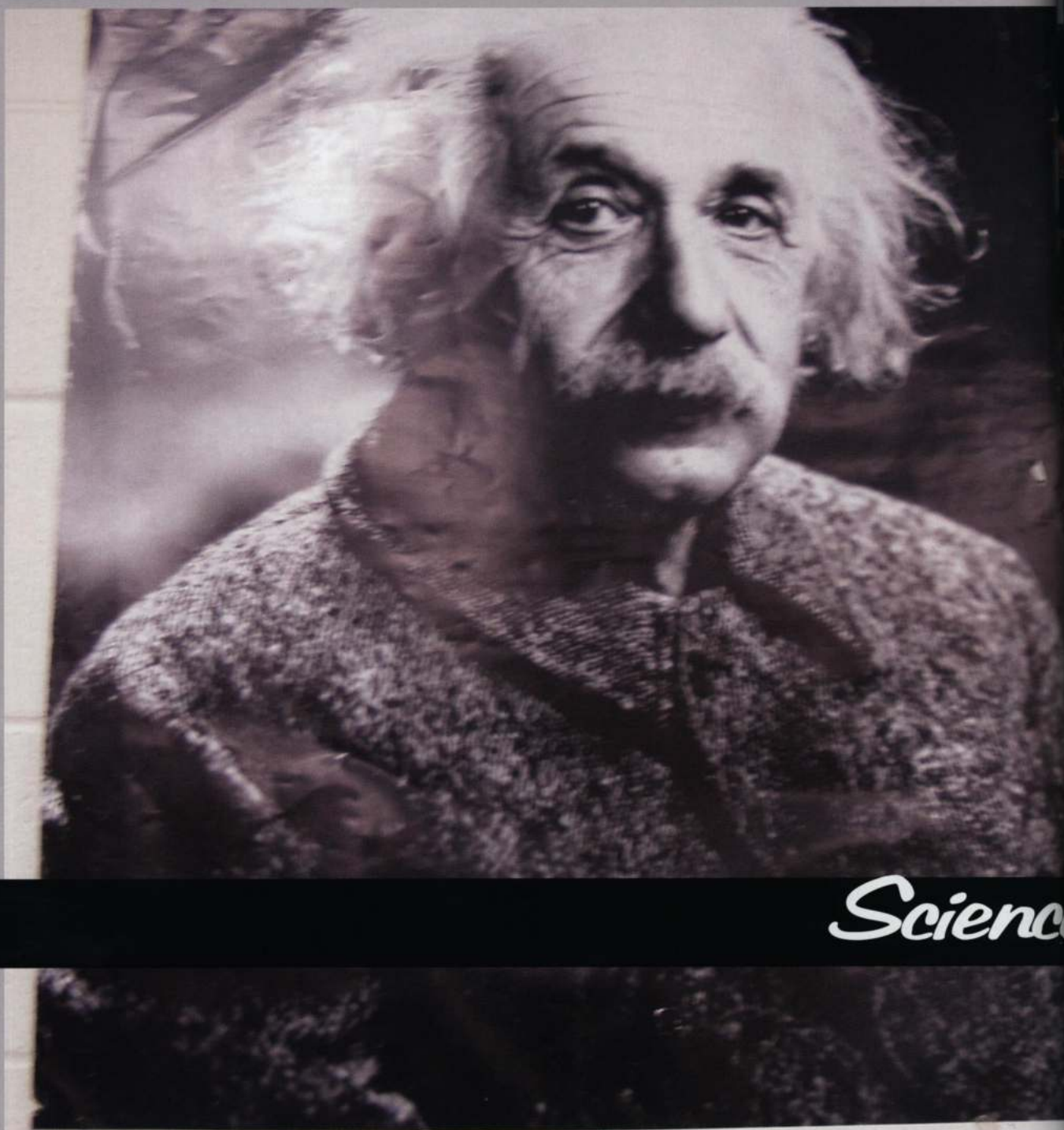


"Did someone dream up a good quadratic equation today?"

- Mr. Deerkoski

to predict behavior...





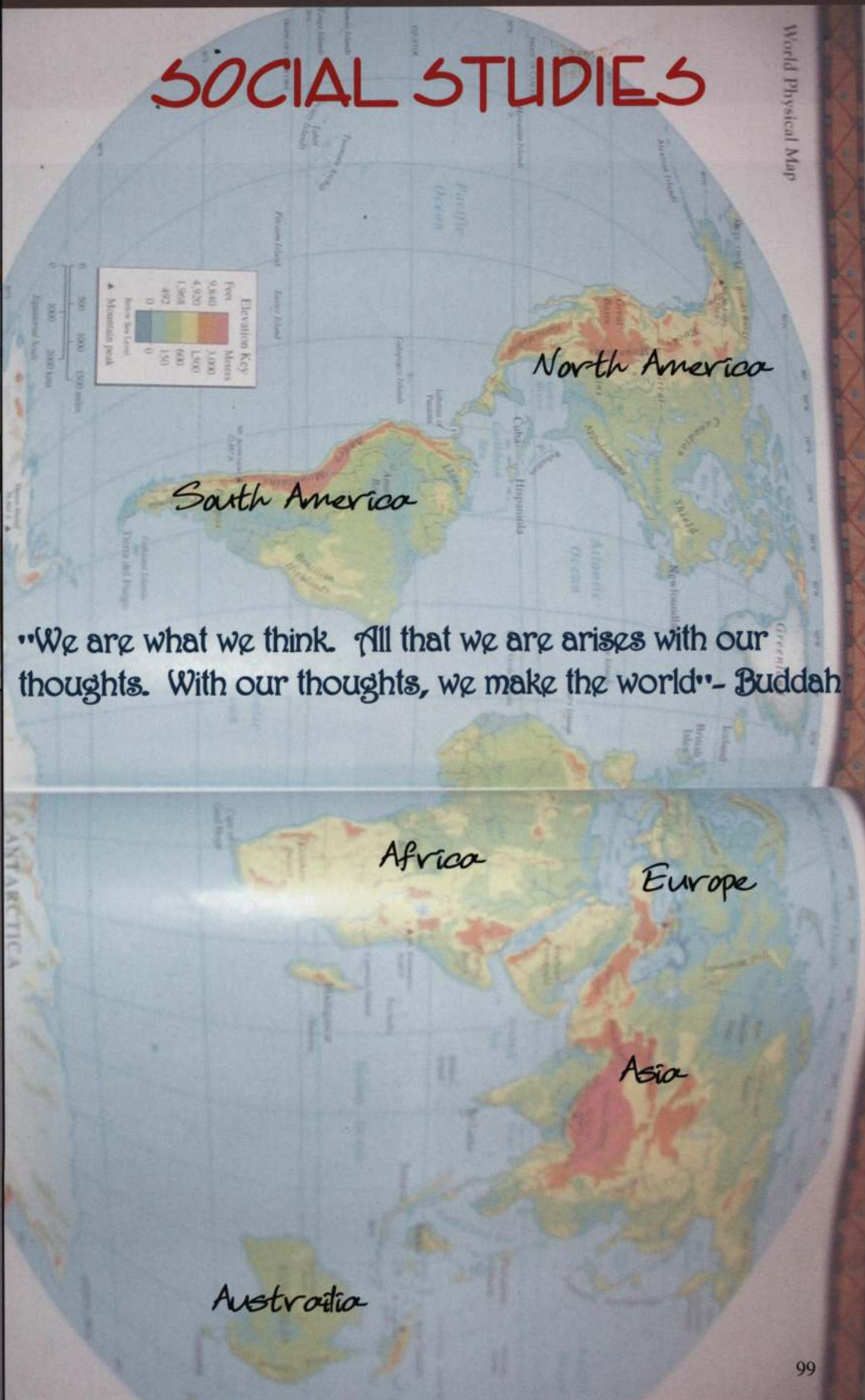
Science

"Peace cannot be kept by force.
It can only be achieved by understanding."

Albert Einstein

SOCIAL STUDIES

World Physical Map



North America

South America

"We are what we think. All that we are arises with our thoughts. With our thoughts, we make the world"- Buddha

Africa

Europe

Asia

Australia

SUV ❤️ Iraqi Oil

US Out of Iraq!

Anyone seen my constitutional rights?

WHERE YOUR RIGHTS THEY'LL GO AWAY

Warrior must be ready to defend his country and his government

WIL LIBERTIES if I Leave Home Without Them

Bin Laden Used our Gas Money

REGISTRATION AUTHORITY

APPALLED

Newsweek



TECH



BUILDING



Joe's House





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Morning Show

Tuesday-Friday/ 8:15 A.M





Band
"A painter paints his pictures on canvas"



**"IF MUSIC BE THE FOOD OF
LOVE, PLAY ON."
-SHAKESPEARE, TWELFTH NIGHT**



Chorus

But musicians paint their pictures on silence."

-Leopold Stokowski



"HE WHO SINGS SCARES AWAY HIS WOES."

-CERVANTES

Theater



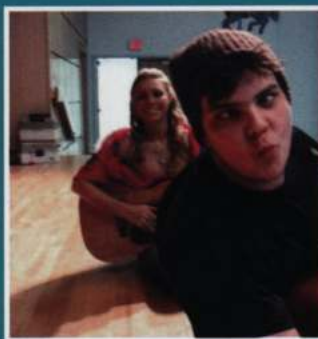
The Cast Of..... DREAMLAND



Starring-

Nicole Fedun, Kaylin O'Brien, Jackie Sherin, Kathryn Rosnack, Katie Comando, Susanne Kelly, Shleby Pape, Luke Sisson, Dan Bruno, Kayla Mattola, Bea Markovaite, Liz Carcich, Julie Loper, Sam Sheryll, Bri Hyland, Jess Zaweski, Angela Smith, Danielle Ostrowski, Javier Lopez, Sara Baglivi, Directed by Mr. Brennan.

"In the theater the audience wants to be surprised but by things that they expect" -Tristan Bernard



Dignity does not consist in
possessing honors, but in deserving
them.

--Aristotle

Honors Society



Jenny Italia, Poornima Peris, Stef Lasota, Ellissa Papolardo, Erin Brush, Emily Scoggins, Eddie McDonald, Gillian Rowland, Emily Rowland, Stephanie Tadrick, Alissa Goodale, Haleigh Taylor, Sam Lazada, Lia Benedetto, Lauren Carlson, Deirdre Zader, Brendan Clark, John Bressler, Conor Corvidan, Arielle Comellas, Chelsea Peragallo, TJ Wells, Chelsea Andrews, Emily Olsen-Harbach, Cati Baucher, Lindsay Borkowski, Caitlin Johnson, Natalie Hoas, Matt Peetrucci, Byron Brinkman, Kevin Flinter, Donald Fahey, Dan Kuehan, Evan Martilotta, and Luis Troisi

MHS Student Art



"And your very
flesh shall be a great
poem."

-Walt Whitman

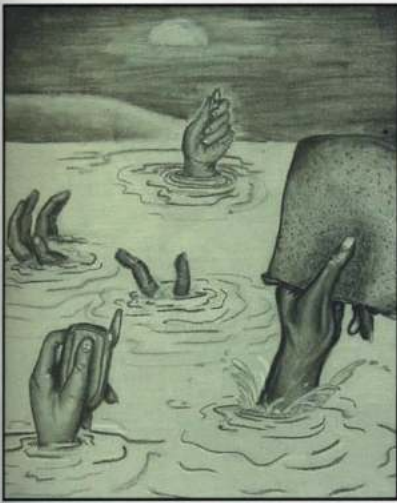


If those I loved were lost
by Emily Dickinson

*If those I loved were lost
The Crier's voice would tell me --
If those I loved were found
The bells of Ghent would ring --*



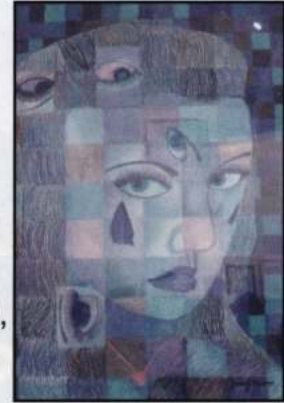
*Did those I loved repose
The Daisy would impel me.
Philip -- when bewildered
Bore his riddle in!*



A Dream Within A Dream

by Edgar Allan Poe

Take this kiss upon the brow!
And, in parting from you now,
Thus much let me avow--
You are not wrong, who deem
That my days have been a dream;
Yet if hope has flown away
In a night, or in a day,
In a vision, or in none,
Is it therefore the less gone?
All that we see or seem
Is but a dream within a dream.



I stand amid the roar
Of a surf-tormented shore,
And I hold within my hand
Grains of the golden sand--
How few! yet how they creep
Through my fingers to the deep,
While I weep--while I weep!
O God! can I not grasp
Them with a tighter clasp?
O God! can I not save
One from the pitiless wave?
Is all that we see or seem
But a dream within a dream?

Seeker Of Truth

by E. E. Cummings

Seeker of truth

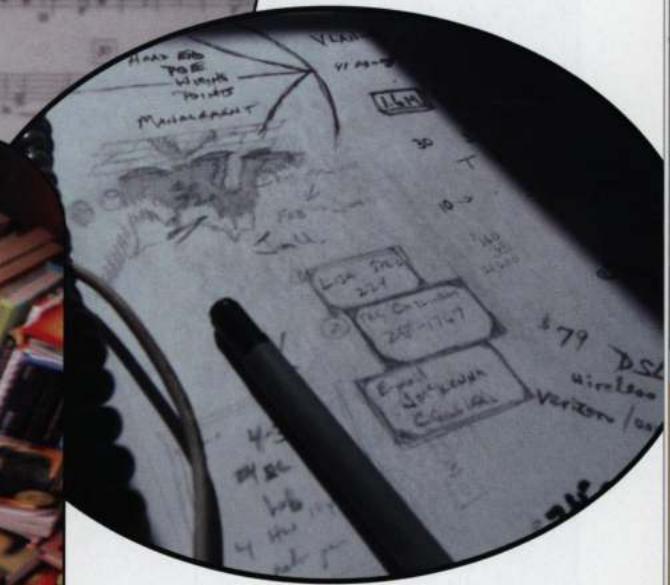
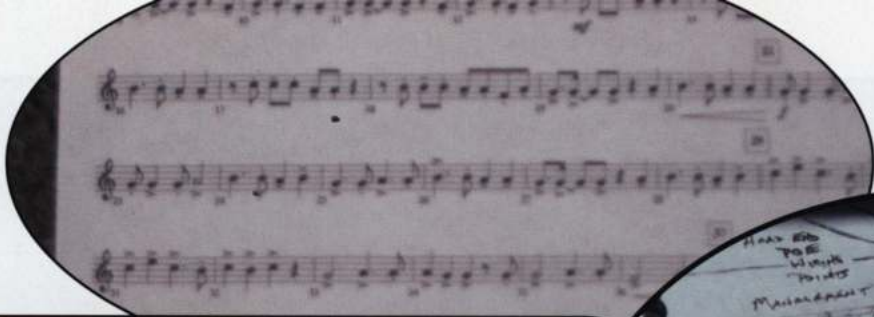
*Follow no path
all paths lead where*

Truth is here



<The whole **art** of
teaching is ...





...only the **art** of
awakening the natural
CURIOSITY of young minds for
the purpose of *satisfying* it
afterwards. >

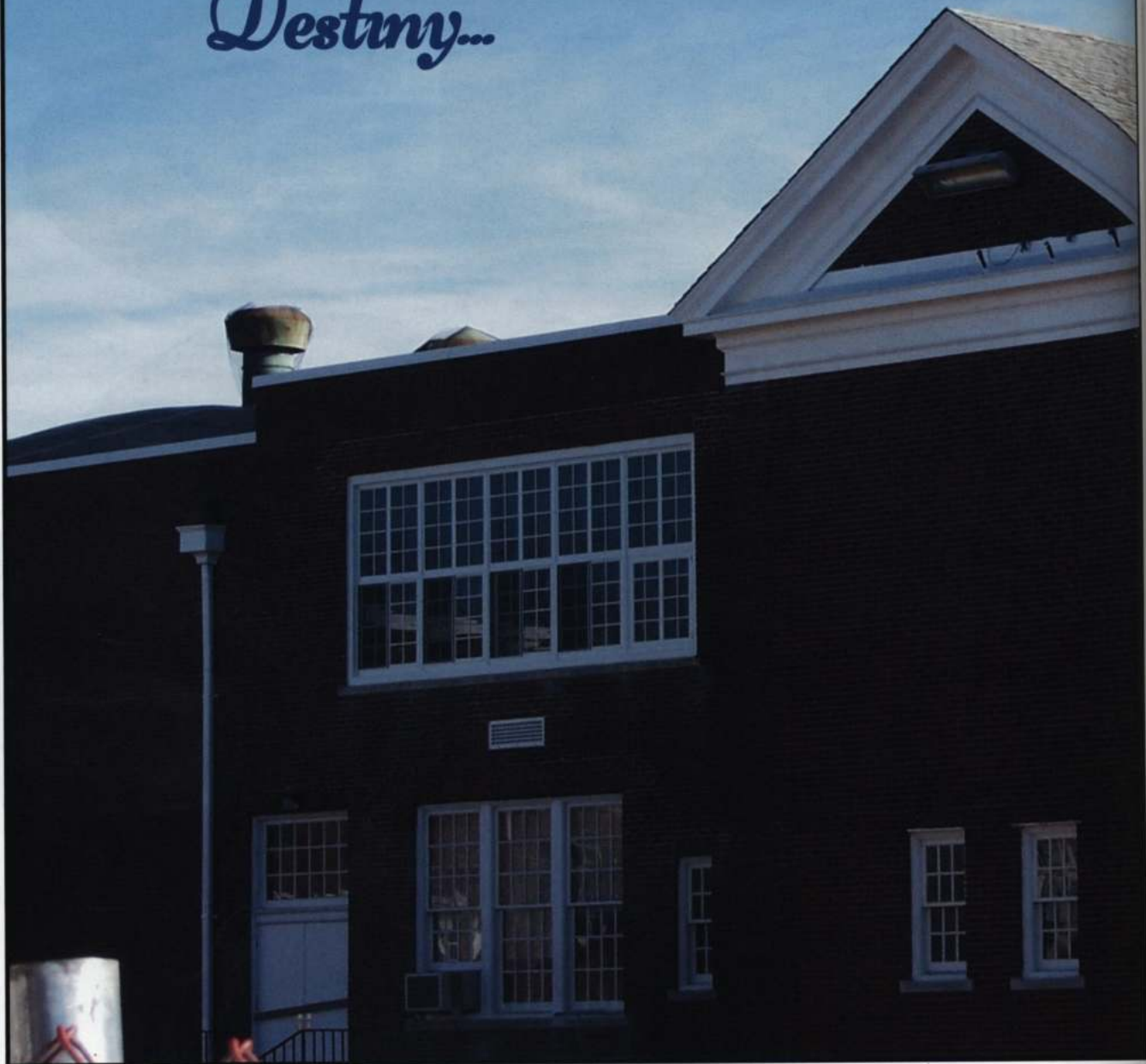
-Anatole France

Choice

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Chance,

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Destiny...





Act:3 Scene: 2
Extracurricular

MOCK TRIAL



Nick Piacente, Peter Olsen-Harbich, Fred Carter, Mr. Morgan, Emily Strider, Kat Tsavaris, Laura Stakey and Ashley Finger

MATTITALK



Greg Olsen, Stephen Stakey, Alana Perino, Michelle Majewski, Emily Rowland Kain and Mr. Farrell

FRIENDS OF RACHEL CLUB



Marrisa Jacobs, Bea Casula, Ethan Crook, Kayla Matolla, Zach Nicholson, Danny Letteriello, Erin Bozsnyak, Scott Worth, Ian Grinere, Ben Johnson, Taylor Altman, Mike Lepre, Tiffany Damani, Kristina Petterson, Justin Hubbard, Monica Philipp, Katie Comando, Kelly Tuthill, Emily Ianno, Johny MacNish, Tabitha Wells, Claire Smith, and Mrs. Nydegger

COMPUTER CLUB



Mr. Sigerson, Stephan Stakey, Ireneus Gierlach

Jazz Band



Vocalist- Sara Baglivi, Nick Biemiller, Erin Bozsnyak, Jon Bressler, Matt Brisotti, Matt Cappello, Rachel Dickerson, Jake Gamberg, Courtney Italia, Jenny Italia, Marissa Jacobs, Susanne Kelly, Amy Krauza, Taylor LaRosa, Dan Leaden, Kaitlin Leden, Kelly McKee, Greg Novak, Amanda Papparatto, Meg Ross, James Sheppard, Luke Sisson, Jacob Smith, Evan Viola, John Wolfeich, Scott Worth, and Mr. Caskin



French Club



Ms. Cardillo, Jill Sirico, Melissa Hand, Emily Commando, Rebecca McDonald, Nicole Krupski, Mairissa Russo, Katherine Golde, Rosemary Martilotta, Katie Loper, Kyra Leonardi, Claire Leaden, Cory Best, Katie Comando, Quinne Burl, Moggy Vinciguerra, Lily Padula, and Stefani Loverde

Portfolio



Deidre Zoder, Maggie Goggins, Caitlin Baker, Elissa Pappalardo, Dannielle McBride, Jen Grim, Alyssa Gerstung, and Tracy Goodwin.

*We all have ability. The
difference is how we use it.*
-Stevie Wonder





Act 2: Student Life

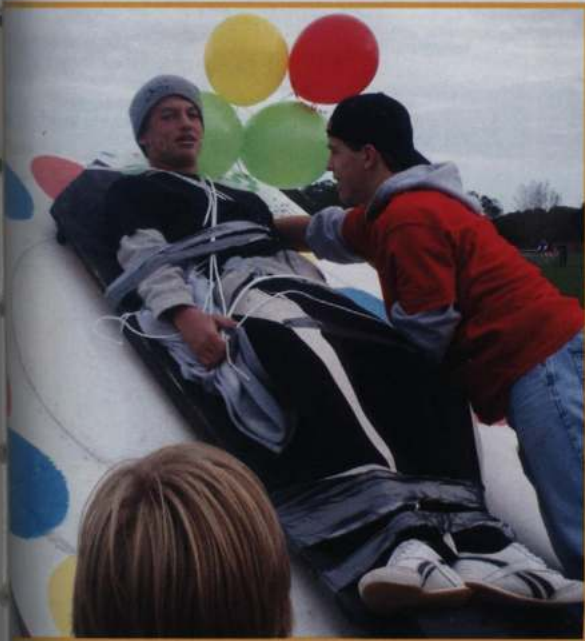
Scene 1: MHS <3

Homecoming 2006

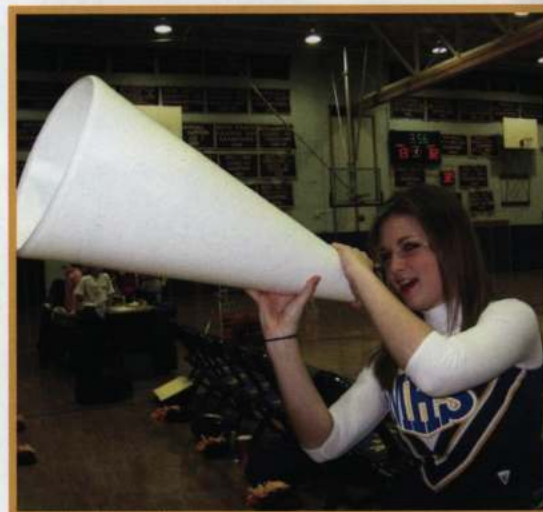


This year's homecoming was a great success. All of the floats were top notch and the parade was highly attended. In the end, the juniors walked away with the prize for best float, while the seniors failed to come in first for the second year in a row. The homecoming games were also a great success in the sense that almost the entire town showed up to support the Boy's and Girl's varsity soccer teams. The girls dominated their lowly opponent and ended up defeating McGann-Mercy 2-0 while the boys put forth a solid effort but had two costly mistakes causing them to tie newfound rival Hampton Bays 2-2





Mattituck student council President Marissa Jacobs, along with Vice President Evan Martilotta, Secretary Jenny Italia and Mr. Morgan put together this years Pep Rally to culminate a week of spirited activities. Vince Fournier provided the entertainment in the form of a dancing osprey while Evan Viola, Jacob Smith, James Shepard and senior Mason Conor presented the spirited crowd with some rockin' tunes. Despite some paint covered beach balls, every class participated and was full of enthusiasm for Mattituck. Out of all the classes however, the seniors were not only the most spirited, but also the loudest. The senior class was rewarded for their efforts with a check of \$100.

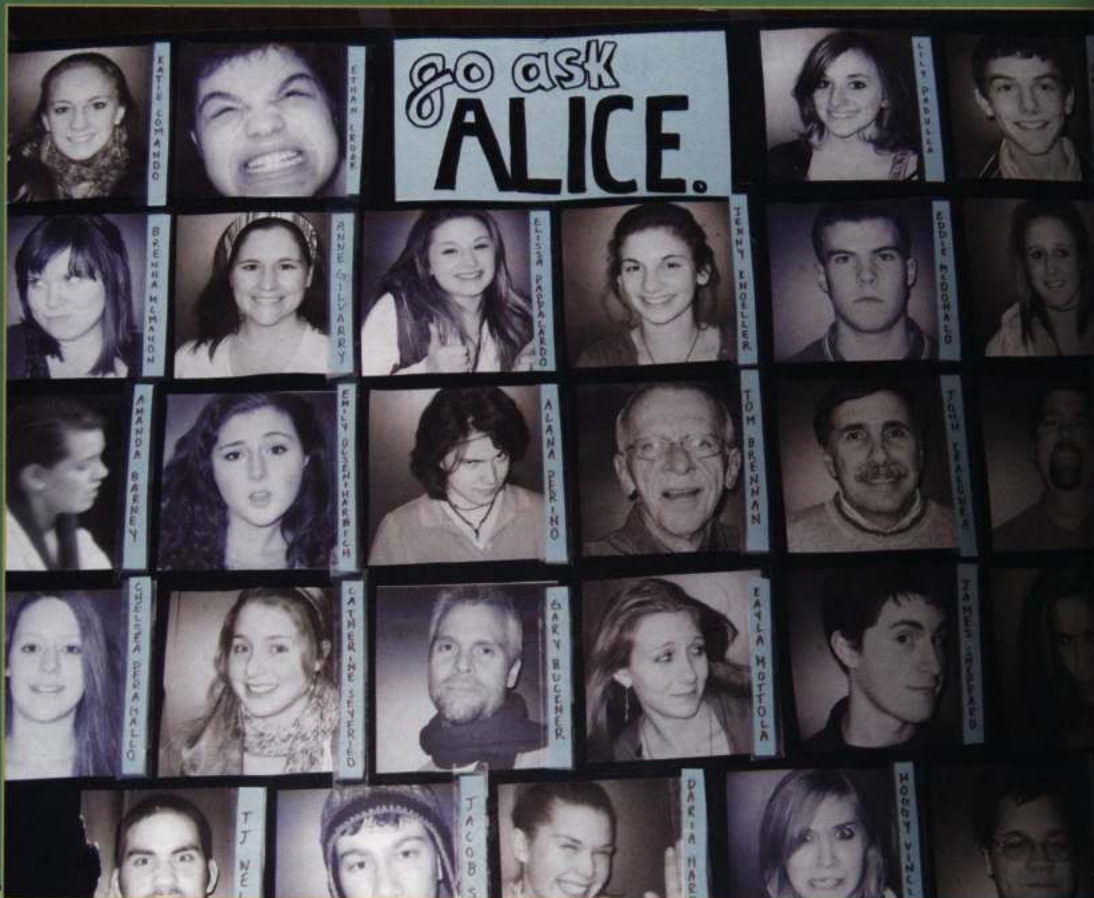


Scene 2- Spirit Week

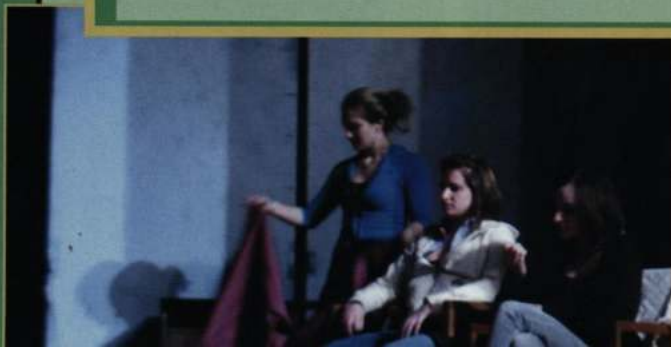




Go Ask Alice



The high school play, directed by Mr. Tom Brennan, was once again a phenomenal success. The play, "Go Ask Alice" was based on the book of the same title. Senior Alana Perino played the lead role and did a fantastic job. Other seniors included Emily Greenberg, Daria Hardman, Eddie McDonald, Brenna McMahon, Emily Olsen-Harbach, TJ Wells, Chelsea Winter-Peragallo and producer Elissa Pappalardo. The under classmen are not to be forgotten as Dan Bruno, Katie Commando, Kayla Matolla, Shelby Pape and others helped out tremendously. The play was one of the best in years.



BUNNY BREAKFAST



This year the PTA brought back the Bunny Breakfast and it was a huge success. With the help of the Student Council, and the Art Department, the event was memorable. Special Thanks goes out to all of the volunteers espically Evan Martilotta.

Rube *Goldberg* project.

*"It just happened that the public happened to, uh, appreciate the satirical quality of these crazy things."
-Rube Goldberg*



Even Martalotta & Dennis Stravinos are the winners of this years Rube Goldberg contest.



Matt P & Steven S were right behind taking 2nd place

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Halloween

warning: graphics may be frightening or hysterical

On October 31st, Mattituck High School was invaded. From tooth fairies and the Mario brothers to cows and witches, the students at MHS went all out for this year's Halloween celebration. The students spared no expense in their attempts to win the grand prize thus making this year's Halloween costume contest one of the most memorable yet.

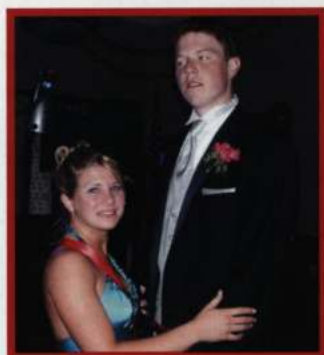




And after all
You're my wonderwall.
-Oasis

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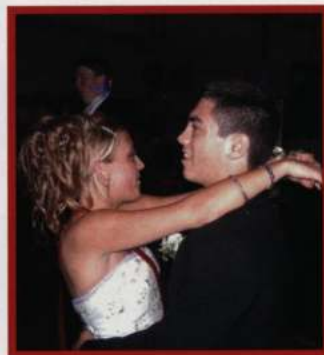
A Night In Las Vegas



Court: Megan Walters & Mason Connor



Prom King and Queen:
Joe Macari and Ellissa Papalardo



Court: Jenny Italia & Louis Troisi



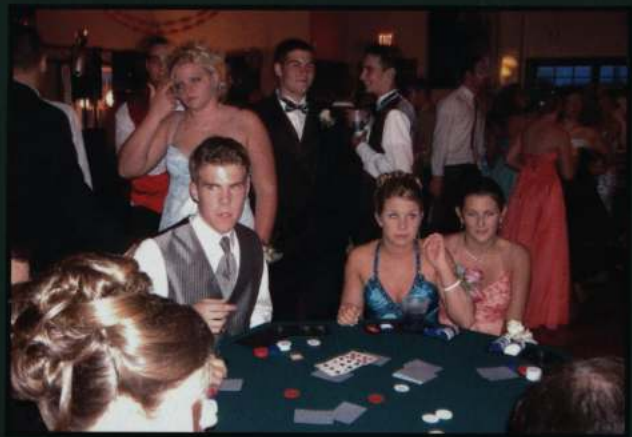
That was a Crazy Game of Poker!!

YOUR INVITED ON:

*Friday, The Nineteenth of
May*

*Two Thousand and Six
at Eight O'clock in the Evening
Calverton Links
Calverton, New York*





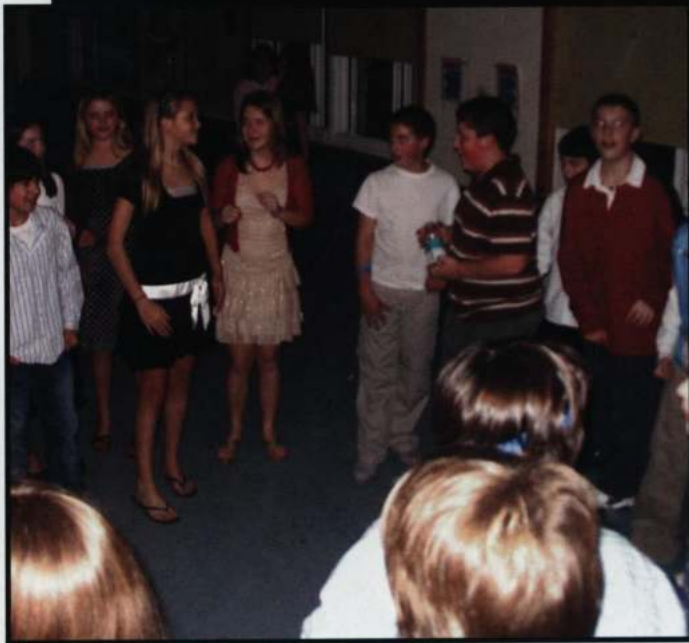
and I said how about a
revolution?

and he said right."





Jr. High Snowball



A Night in the City

Semi-Formal

2007



Volleyball

Tournament '07

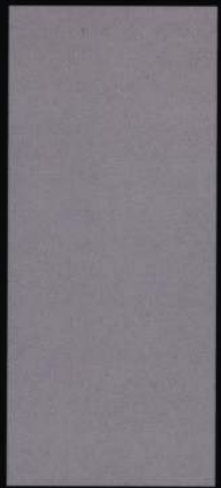
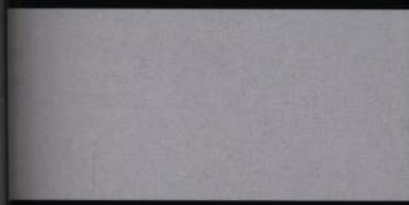
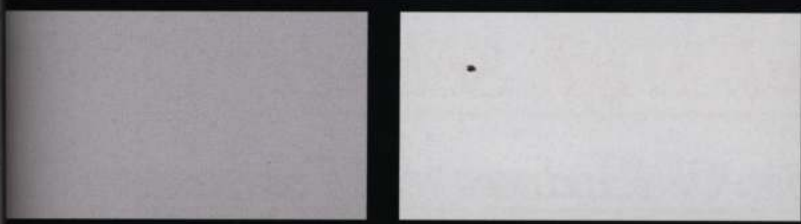


One of the highlights of gym class is the annual volleyball tournament. Teams compete each period for the honor of representing their class in the tournament.

The competition is tough and all the high school students look forward to the final tournament when one team is crowned the school champion.

This year was no exception, the battle was hard fought but all competitors spectators had a great time.





Mattituck High School

Create A Chain Reaction Of Kindness and Compassion

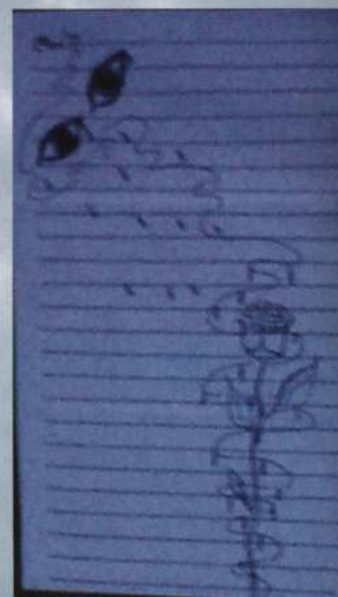
On February 2nd, 2007 Mattituck High School was asked by Derek Kilgore to take on a Challenge. This challenge was from Rachel Joy Scott, the first person killed at Columbine High School on April 20, 1999. We were proposed with not just one but five challenges that Derek asked us to take on. The first was to eliminate prejudice by giving people three chances and looking for the best in other.

The second was to dare to dream, keep a journal or diary, and write down your goals. The third was to choose positive influences, and that your input determines your output. The Fourth Challenge was how acts of kindness can have huge results. The Fifth and final challenge was to think of the

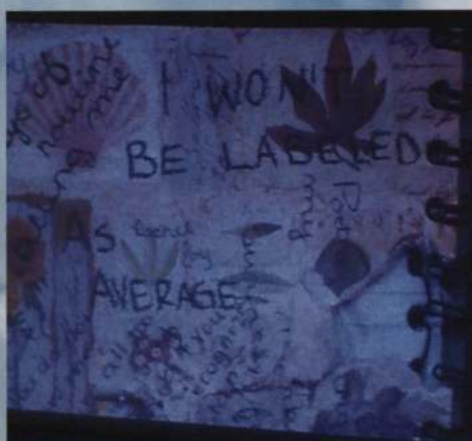
three most important people in your life and in the next three days go up to them and tell them how important they truly are to you. Rachel believed in being kind to everyone and giving everyone a chance. She knew that she would impact the lives of others, and that her life would be taken away at a young age. Her final "words" was a picture that she was drawing during her lunch right before she was killed. The picture changed many peoples perspective of the

issue and was very meaningful. Written at a young age Rachel described what she would do. "These hands belong to Rachel Joy Scott and will someday touch millions of peoples hearts." Rachel Joy Scott has made an impact, and will always be in the hearts of the people of Mattituck High School because of her amazing impact on society. The

Friends of Rachel Club, will work to create a chain reaction of kindness and compassion in Mattituck High School.



Accepts Rachel's Challenge



"Don't let your character change colors with your environment. Find out who you are and let it stay it's true color"- Rachel Joy Scott

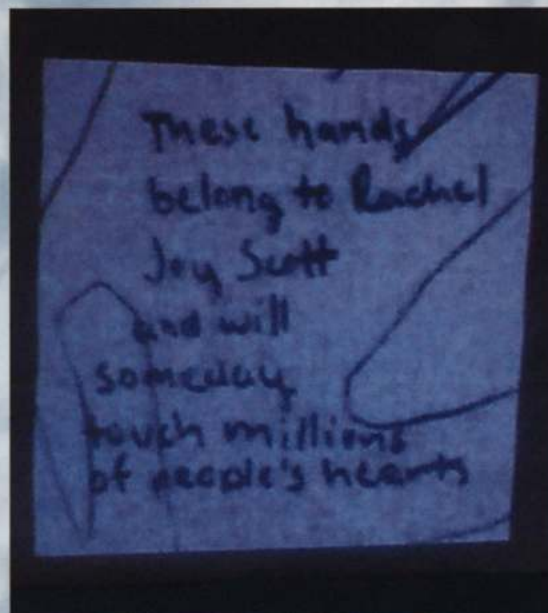
"Look hard enough and you will always find a light."- Rachel Joy Scott



"I Won't Be Labeled As Average"- Rachel Joy Scott



"These Hands Belong To Rachel Joy Scott And Will Someday Touch Millions of People's Hearts"- Rachel Joy Scott



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FOOTBALL



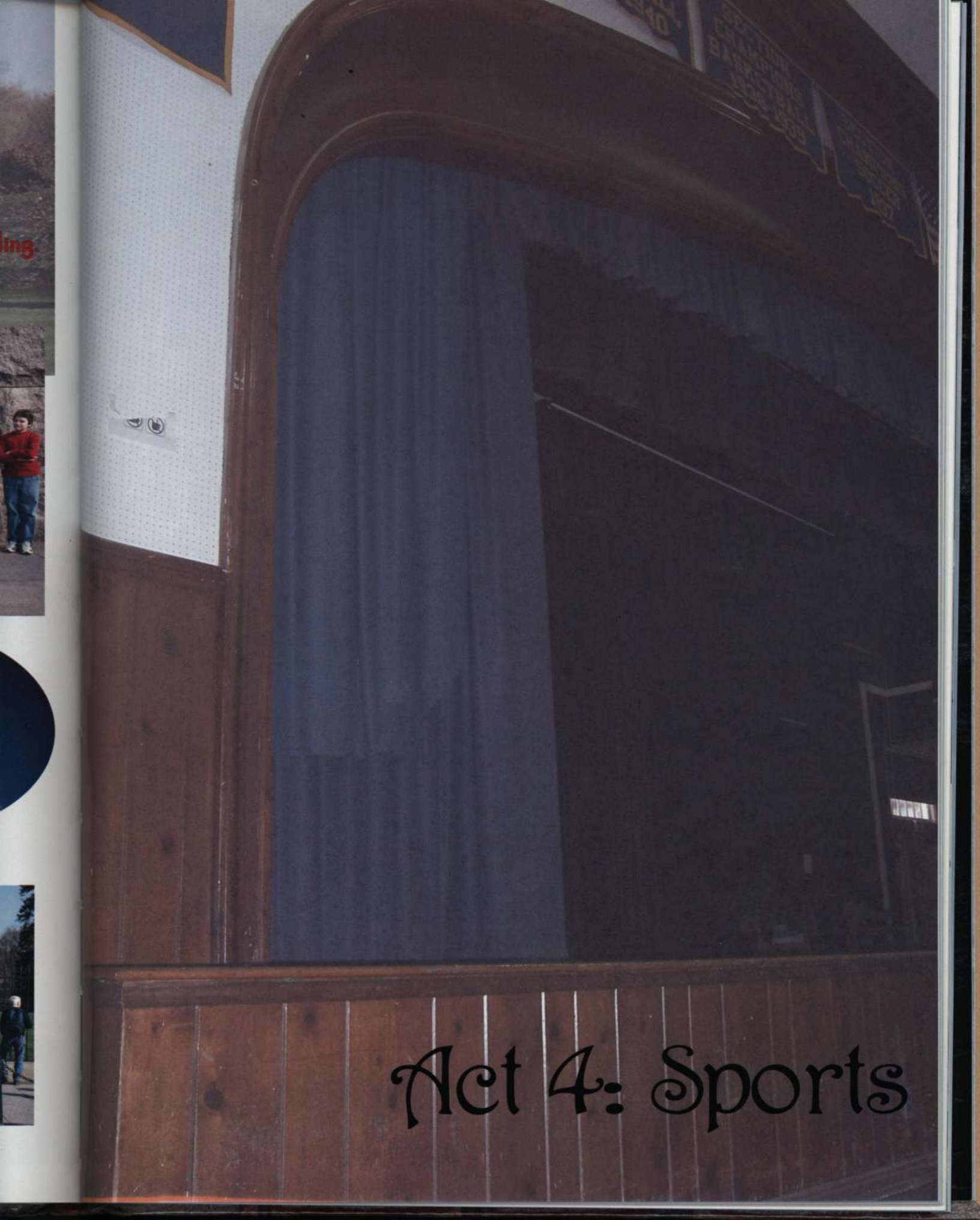
This year the PTA hosted a flag football tournament. After the Pep Rally, each of the classes went out to play. The Seniors came out with the big victory, with the Juniors right behind. The Sophomores came in third place, while the Freshmen held up the rear.



Washington D.C. Trip

On March 28th the 8th grade class took their class trip to Washington DC. The weather was great and the kids enjoyed every minute of the trip. They visited many of the monuments and memorials along with the Congress Building. Some of the groups were even lucky enough to see the President in his limo.





STATE CHAMPIONS
BASKETBALL
1958-1959



Act 4: Sports

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> Varsity Soccer <



Seniors of Girl's Soccer

Marissa
Jacobs



Stef
Lasota



Regina
Hayes



Deidre
Zoder



Meg
Walters



Rachael
Burger



Taylor Larosa, Demi Mello, Marissa Jacobs, Erin Bozsynek, Megan Walters, Danielle Young, Regina Hayes, Amber Mello, Kasey Harbes, Julie Peterson, Courtney Italia, Rachel Dickerson, Alyssa Gerstung, Caitlin Burkhardt, Cathy Seyfried, Deidre Zoder, Kaylin O'Brien, Nicole Guja, Rachael Burger, Taryn Boucher, Kaitlin Graeb, Toni Martinez, Stef Lasota, Meg Ross, and Coach Barbante

The 2006 girls varsity soccer team won the league VII title with a 13-2-1 record. The girls were coming off a state championship and defended their title admirably. They possessed the qualities of a true champion on a day in day out basis. It was truly a pleasure to be able to work with them this year.

-Coach Barbante.



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Dan Hudson, Brian Diffley, John Bressler, Rich Pissacano, Eric Koch, KJ Miller, Fred Carter, Douglas Flores-Menjivar, Matt Brisotti, Alex Doubrava, Ian Grinere, Mike Lessard, Kyle Pummillo, Kevin Flinter, Brian King, Eddie McDonald, John Poulmentis, JD Cook, Chris Ujkic, Cody Homan, Mark McCann, KC Cutler, Trip Cardinale, Mason Connor, Matt Petrucci, Brendan Clark and Coach Litchult

This year's team had twelve seniors that lead the way for our many underclassmen. They were a very close group of friends, who played for each other and the tradition that is Mattituck Soccer. They are a tremendous group of young men, who will be very successful after graduation and I wish them all well. As for the season we fell one tie short of a league title and one goal short of a county title. But we finished the season undefeated in league play and our overall record was 9-3-4. And our team, which is based on good defense, posted 8 shutouts in 16 games. These are great team statistics but I hope that our underclassmen hope to improve on them and bring back a county title in 2007!

-Coach Matt Litchult



KC Cutler



Kyle Pummillo



Brian King



Eddie MacDonald



Mason Connor



Brendan Clarke



Chris Ujkic



KJ Miller



Matt Petrucci



Mark McCann



Jon Bressler



Kevin Flinter

Girls JV Soccer

Kelly Kraebel, Kate Hayes, Zully Escalante, Emily Ianno, Stephanie Pisacano, Jess Williams, Erica Guja, Danielle Grim, Krista Siliris, Nicole Fedun, Lauren Gatto, Shelby Pape, Rosemary Maritlotta, Beatrice Markovaite, Sarah Carter, Coach Sigerson.



Girls 8th Grade Soccer

Malleigh McDermott, Dana Rosen Veronica Stelzer, Rebekah Smith, Lisa Harbes, Kelly Gatto, Jessica McDonald, Patricia Markovaite, Zoe Campbell, Brittini Mastaglio, Fiona Gorman, Courtney Birkmier, Gia Vaccaro, Michelle Thirkeild, Jackie Berkoski, Jessica Boomer, Jessica Stumpf, and Coach Rolle





Girls 7th Grade

Soccer

Marissa Chamberlain, Corinne Areneo, Katylin Doorhy, Tracy Grim, Jacike Hinrichs, Christina Fasolano, Tasia Laksano, Savana Campbell, Michelle Fevola, Melissa Milowski, Liz Lasota, Chloe Blangiardo, Coach Gerstung.



Boys 7th Grade

Soccer

Patrick Pitts, Zach Hinch, Andrew McGowan, Jason Sider, Thomas Sledjeski, Doug Slyturs, Cody Kujawski, Richard Koch, Phisher DeRider, Austin Scoggins, Autsin Tuthill, Christian Tettlebach, Andrew Hudson, Peter Ostrowski, Greg Fedun, Garret Forte, Nick Bieber, Brenden Anderson, George Lessard, Minor Javier



Baseball

Baseball

Baseball

Coach DeCaro, Chris Rauseo, Brian King, Kyle Pumillo, Stephen Tuthill, Billy Amato, Alex Sirico, Richie Ireland, Brian Tardiff, Eddie McIntyre, Tom Smith, Donald Fahey, Dimitri Rauseo, Steve Sparicino, Kevin McMahon, Richie Pissacano, Ian Grinere, Jared Scholand and Chris Kar



Kyle P.



Brian K.



Jon G.



Pale B.



Billy A.



Alex S.



Steve T.



Donald F.

Eric C.
Jason
Mike

Jr. Varsity



Eric Cassidy, Tom Macdonald, John Ascher, John Knoud, Danny Letteriello, TJ Doka, Steve Jacobs, Jason Manzo, Connor Daly, Brian Galton, Coach Sigerson, Chris Milner, Trevor Rehm, Dan Reich, Mike Kar, Shawn Williams, Kevin Polak, Mike Gager, Doug Schantz, Danny Cowell, and Brian Tyler

8th Grade



John Neudeck, Billy Mensch, Tyler Pace, Tom Ascher, Connor Davis, Steve Ascher, Taylor Lindsay, alex Scalia, Bill Goggins, Coach Litchhult, Jordan Booker, Ryan Dinizio, Brandon Lake, Kevin Ryan, Cody Huntley, Michael Mangemele, Dylan Goguen, Greg Silirs, TJ Kraebel, Jeff Strider.

7th Grade



Shawn Williams, Derek Hennessey, Mike Kar, Travis Zurawski, George Alexander, Brandon Andersen, Nick Lemini, Connor Egan, Connor Guiditus, Tom Sledzicki, Cole Karlin, Matt Jacobs, Patrick Pitts, John Sciarrotta, Nick Bieber, Dan Scalia, James Finora, Dylan Gibaldi, James Steele, Kieran Nish, Kevin Endres

VARSITY WRESTLING

"The art of living is more like that of wrestling than dancing; the main thing is to stand firm and be ready for an unseen attack" ~Marcus Aurelius Antonius



Drian King, Greg Novak, Ted Richert, Mitchell Cassidy, Corey Dest, Drian Waggoner, Mike Kline, Coach Dolson, Nich Troisi, Hudson Miller, Nic Italia, Eric Koch, Max Gillies, Louis Troisi, Ryan Connell, Drian Diffley, and Chris Kar



SENIORS-

BRIAN KING

LOUIS TROISI-First All-State wrestler in Mattituck history and placed 3rd in NYS Division II Wrestling Championship



JUNIOR HIGH WRESTLING

Jorge Perez, Drandon Lake, Jared Goodale, Dylan Gibaldi, Cole Karlin, Andres Aldaz, David Martinez, Jeff Strider, Dan Daird, John Hamilton, Matt Waggoner, Tim DeMay, James Steele, Robert Fruin, Matt Ireland, Austin Scoggin, Andrew Hudson, Richie Koch, Gerard Lepre, George IDK, Greg Fedun, Connor Guditus, Coach Darrow



Cross Country

Class "C" Champs

"Good things come slow - especially in distance running."

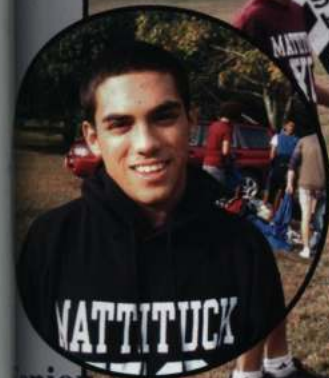
- Bill Dellinger, Oregon coach



Senior
Samantha Lozada



Katie Barry, Megan Rehm, Maggie Goggins, Tiffany Damiani,
Sam Lozada, Laura Cowell, and Jenny Knoller



Senior
Louis Troisi



Nick Troisi, Ben Johnson, Louis Troisi, Doug Schantz, Tim Young,
Nick Grinere, Zach Nicholson, Dan Leaden, Ethan Reith.....



Varsity Volleyball

Leah Benadetto-
Outside



Lindsey Borcowskie-
Middle/
Outside



Beatrice Casaula
Setter



Allissa Goodale-
Outside



Natalie Haas-
Middle



Caitlin Johnson-
Middle



Sarab Truglia-
Middle



Devyn Ulmet-
Middle



Allissa Goodale, Natalie Haas, Lindsey Borkowski, Devyn Ulmet, Caitlin Johnson, Beatrice Casaula, Allison Shait, Lauren Hygom, Lisa Rizzo Sara Truglia, Leah Benadetto



You
only
go
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JV Volleyball

Shelby Davis, Steph Mincielli,
Jackie Sherin, Chrissy Drake,
Gillian Hudson, Coach Pickering,
Amy Krauza, Sarah Borkowski,
Allie Surozenski, Erin Mulrain,
Claire Smith, Jill Sirico, Amanda
Paparatto, Jessica DeMato, Erin
Slack, Kelly Tuthill



You touch every other ball and, if you screw up, you
only have one more person to back you up. You can't
go hide in the corner.

- Kerri Walsh

Field Hockey



Girls Varsity Basketball



Stephanie Pisacano, Theresa Zuboski,
Marissa Jacobs, Stephanie Lasota, Nicole
Guja, Kelly Tuthill, Erica Guja, Demi
Mello, Tracy Goodwin, Meg Ross, and
Emily Janco
Coached By Coach Vandood



Steph Lasota



Marissa Jacobs

Boy's Varsity Basketball



Trip Cardinale, Matt Ianno, Brendan Clarke,
 Steven Ficner, Shane Finnican, Steven
 Tuthill, Dennis Stravinios, Dave Radigan, Tom
 Smith, Rich Pisacano, Kevin Flinter, Donald
 Fahey, Joe Clarke, David Kupiszewski
 Coached by- Coach Ellwood



Donald
Fahey



Brendan
Clarke



Steven
Tuthill



Dennis
Stravinios



Kevin
Flinter



Matt Ianno



Girls JV Basketball



Niki Benedetto,
Kaitlin Leaden,
Carley
Manwaring,
Amber Mello, Allie
Schait, Bea
Markovaite,
Coach Rolle, Caty
Austin, Erin
Mulrain, Sarah
Carter,
Roasemary
Martilotta, Megan
Blados, Sara
Urbanski, and
Jayme Figurney

Boy's JV Basketball

J.D. Cook, Ben
Johnson, Colin
McCoy, Aaron Avent,
Demitri Rauseo,
Danny Letteriello,
Alex Gamberg, Scott
Worth, Coach
Chartrand, Jake
Gamberg, Tim
Zuhoski, Tim Young,
Kyle Black, Steve
Jacobs, Kenny Black,
and Zach Tyler



Junior High Basketball



7th Grade Girls
Clare Finnican, Kate Mangiamele, Olivia Cardinale, Liz Lasota, Lisa Beebe, Erica Bundrick, Mallaigh Nolan, Tasia Laksono, Catherine Connelly, Coach Litchhult, Corinne Araneo, Lauryn Serrano, Jackie Henrichs, Nora Zuhoski, Siobhan Nolan, Tracy Grim, Danielle Stepnoski, Christine Angell, Melissa Barry, and Morgan Gildersleve

8th Grade Girls
Jackie Berkoski, Katherine Wilcenski, Stefanie Loverde, Zoe Campbell, Mallie McDermott, Verionica Stelzer, Patricia Markovaite, Kim Krupski, Melaine Buckingham, Kelly Gatto, Jessica McDonald, Marie Santacroce, Ashley Goeller, Madeline Burlingame, Jessica Boomer, Morgan Zuhoski, Coached By Mr. Bacher



Varsity Softball



Coach Gurstung, Liz
Bremer, Jenni Stype,
Catby Seyfried,
Kaylyn O'Brien,
Jackie Goy, Taryn
Boucher, Kelly
Krabel, Kelly Tutbill,
Kaitlyn Leaden,
Brittany Letteriello,
Erin Lademann,
Amy Martinez,
Callie Homan, and
Katie Comando



Jackie Goy

J.V. Softball

Coach Pickering, Maggie
Harrigan, Carley Nolan, Erin
Slack, Bri Hyland, Jess
Zaweski, Ashley Finger, Chrissy
Drake, Liz Ulismas, Taylor
Leaden, Eileen Kenedy,
Shannon Hudson, Kristina
Petterson, Danielle Grim,
Shelby Davis, Tabitha Wells,
and Allie Sbait



8th Grade

Madeline Burlingbam, Jess Boomer, Asbley Goeller, Rebebab Smith, Emily Commando, Marissa Russo, Marie Santacroce, Lilly McCullough, Gia Vacarro, Sbarayab Carrita, Clare Leaden, Michelle Rosnack, Shannon Smith, Rebecca Mincielli, Courtney Birkmyer, Jacque Berkoski, Malleigh McDermott, Hope Andrejack, Stefanie Lóverde, Christina Bremmer, Casey Burns, Sam Kowalsick, Coach Barbante.



7th Grade



Rachel Norkelun, Kelly Cassidy, Malleigh Nolan, Erica Bundrick, Jackie Hinrichs, Kellie Henessey, Sibohn Nolan, Larissa Bellavia, Melissa Barry, Tracy Grim, Danielle Stepnoski, Corinne Araneo, Kaitlyn Perino, Megan Conklin, Coach Claudio, Lauren Serrano, Sarah Doberty, Christine Angell, Miranda Galton, Clare Finnican, Charlotte Gilles.

Golf



Varsity



Dan
Kuen



Jon
Bressler



Evan
Martilotta

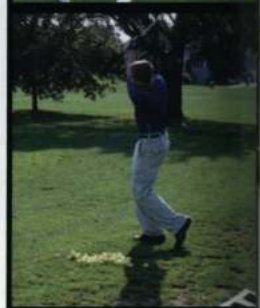


Jon Bressler, Evan Martilotta, Dan Kuen, Donald Fahey, Dan Sidlauskas, Joe Clarke, Tim Zuhoski

Junior Varsity



Travis Zurawski, Brian Tyler, Conner Davis, Morgan Gildersleeve, Kevin McMahon, Hudson Miller, Mike Schneider, Bill Goggins



Go

Cheerleading.

Team



Varsity Cheerleading

Gabriella Mastaglio, Laura Colwell, Brittany Letteriello, Tiffany Damiami, Mary Buckingham, Amy Martinez, Jen Grim, Megan Rehm, Brianna Sanders, Hillary Brown, Ellissa Papalardo, Arielle Gerstrung, Erin Brush, Ali Brown, Michelle Palladini

Coached by Coach Bales



JV Cheering

Kelly Brush, Monica Philipp, Ms. Rohrbach, Ava Cardinale, Chelsea Guditus, Brianne Gatz, Julie Loper, Sarah Conlin, Chelsea Ficner, Tabitha Wells.



Elissa Papalardo



Erin Brush



Arielle Gerstrung



Samantha Lozada



Ali Brown

Tennis

Girls



Coach Christy, Michelle Rudder, Cati Boucher, Gillian Rowland-Kain, Emily Rowland-Kain, Callie Homan, Caty Austin, Jackie Maloney, Laura Stakey, Taylor Gildersleve, Susanne Kelly, Jenny Italia, Poornima Peris, Emily Strider, Kaitlin Ketcham, and Ashley Finger



Jenny Italia



Cati Boucher



Emily Rowland-Kain



Gillian Rowland-Kain

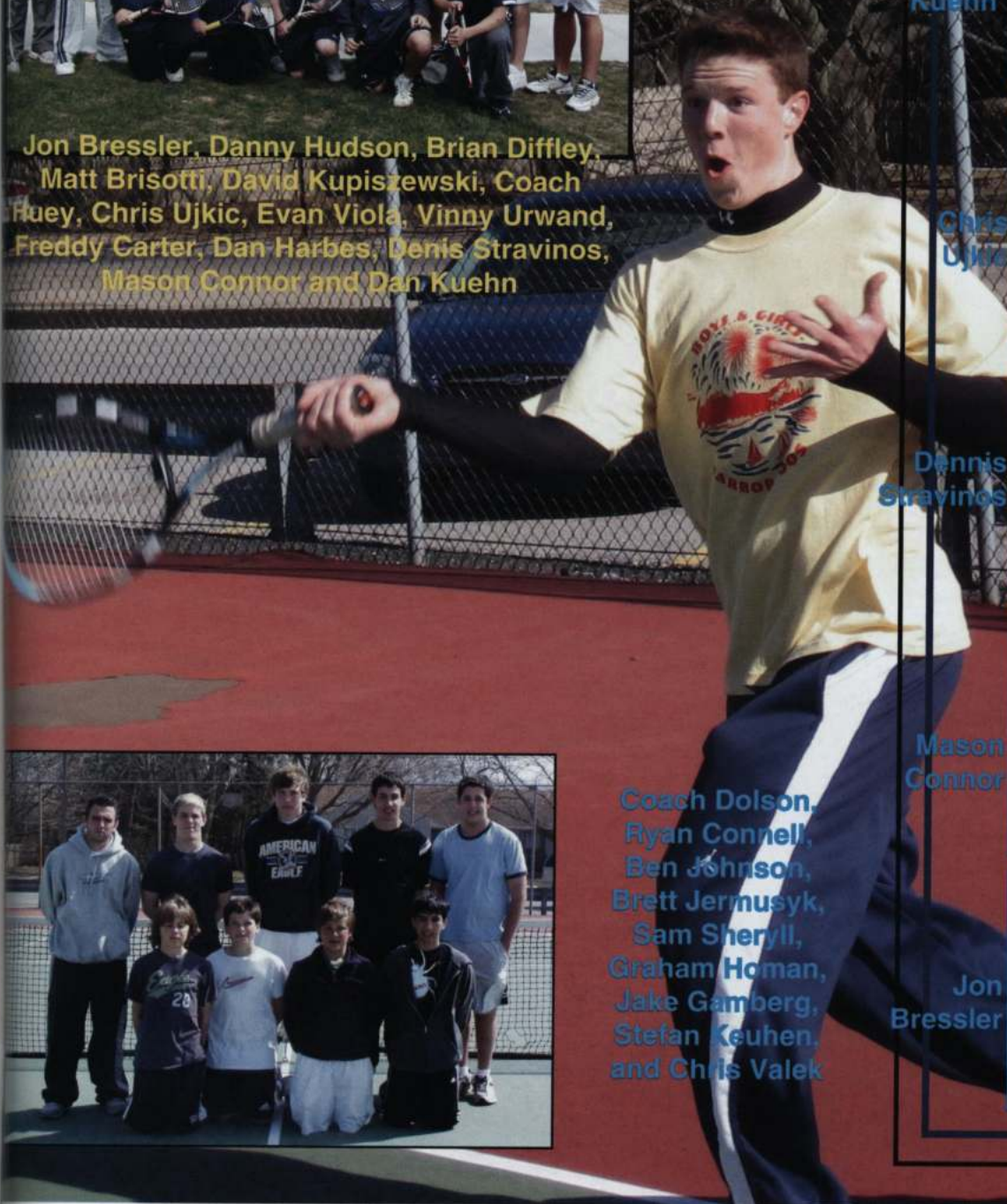


Poornima Peris

Tennis Boys



Jon Bressler, Danny Hudson, Brian Diffley, Matt Brisotti, David Kupiszewski, Coach Huey, Chris Ujkic, Evan Viola, Vinny Urwand, Freddy Carter, Dan Harbes, Denis Stravinos, Mason Connor and Dan Kuehn



Dan Kuehn



Chris Ujkic



Dennis Stravinos



Mason Connor



Jon Bressler



Coach Dolson, Ryan Connell, Ben Johnson, Brett Jermusyk, Sam Sheryll, Graham Homan, Jake Gamberg, Stefan Keuhen, and Chris Valek

Girls Lacrosse



Susanne Kelly, Lauren Gatto, Rebecca McDonald, Angela Sidlauskas, Abigail Gatz, Coach Cardillo, Rosemary Martilotta, Case Hamilton, Caty Austin, Jill Sirico, Sarah Carter, Erin Mulrain, and Katie Barry.



Boys

LACROSSE



Ryan Baglivi



Karl Cutler



Billy Amato



Zach Nicholson,
Nick Cosgrove,
Hudson Miller,
Kenny Black,
Kyle Black, Brian
Romanelli, Billy
Amato, Zach
Paleski, Dan
Sidlauskas, KC
Cutler, and Ryan
Baglivi

Track

"A lot of people run a race to see who's the fastest. I run to see who has the most guts."

- Steve Prefontaine



Caitlin Johnson



Haleigh Taylor



Emily Greenberg



Emily Scoggin



Jason Zaweski

S e n i o r s

Girls

Caitlin Johnson, Colleen Lehman, Haleigh Taylor, Emily Scoggin, Eily Greenberg, Hanora Galton, Lisa Rizzo, Danielle Young, Bea Markovaite, Maggie Goggins, Laura Cowell, Sam DeMay, Tiffany Damiani, Megan Rehm, Alexis Gaydosik, Julie Petersen, Michelle Pallidini, Theresa Zuhoski, Sarah Harbes, Chelsea Guditus, Chelsea Ficner, Cara Benedetto, Molly Waitz, Erin Bozsnyak, Emily Ianno, Taylor Larosa, Demi Mello, Meg Ross, Tracy Goodwin, Kasey Harbes, Rachel Dickerson, and Kaitlin Burkhart

Boys

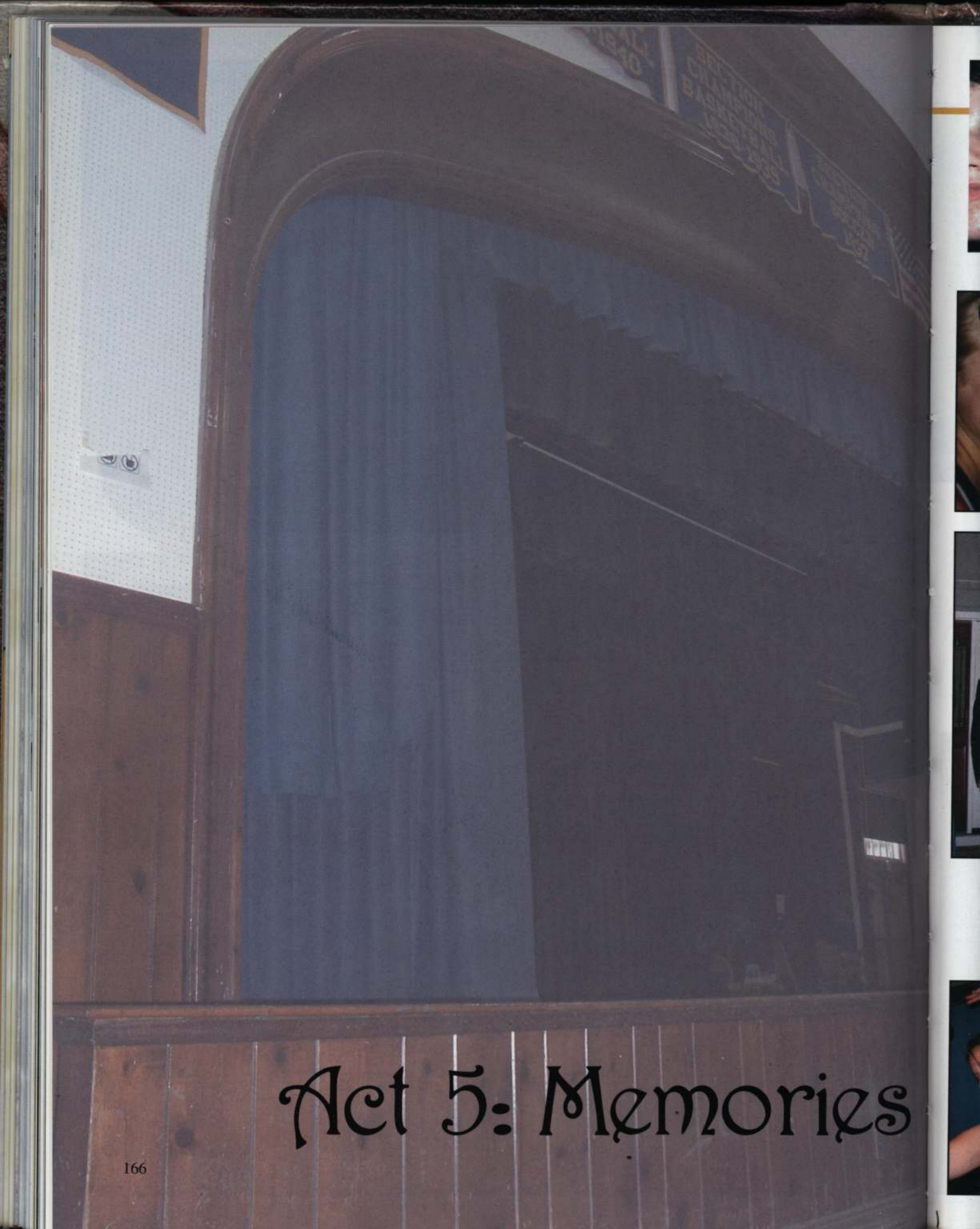
Nick Troisi, Dan Leaden, Orion Verity, Melvin Herrera, Charles Pellegrino, Ethan Reith, John Verity, Jason Zaweski, Tim Young, Nick Grinere, Alex Dubrava, and Barry Miller

"I like running because it's a challenge. If you run hard, there's the pain - and you've got to work your way through the pain."

-Bob Clarke, Philadelphia Flyers general manager, NHL Hall of Fame.



Varsity



Act 5: Memories



Seniors



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Juniors

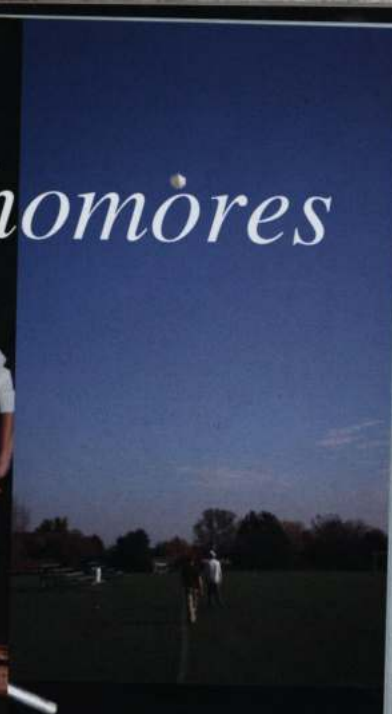


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-Ghandi



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James Sheppard
All State



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Junior High Track



Peter Helinskí, Kim Fenoy, Morgan Zuhoskí, Nora Zuhoskí, Andrew Hudson, Richie Koch, Megan Miller, Marissa Chamberlain, Mary Helinskí, Brad Sheryll, Julia Gaines, Savana Campbell, Fiona Goman, Max Padulla, Bridget Bozsnyak, Tim MacNish, Jackie Albrect, Liz Lasota, Kate Mangiamele, Gerard Lepre, Brendan McMahon, Alex Nolan, Andres Aldaz, Seth Zahra, Kyle Santillo and Clayton Santillo



Section XI students have participated in a variety of learning experiences. A special thank you goes out to Kacee, Ashley and Arielle for all of their assistance.

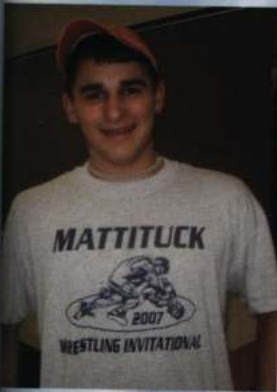
Awards & Recognition

Mattituck High School is known for having some of the brightest, most talented, hard working kids one will ever meet. Mattituck also makes sure that these gifted and determined young men and women do not go unnoticed. Awards for Musical, Athletic, Artistic and Academic achievement are abundant in our school and we are proud of all that our students accomplish. Congratulations on a job well done!

Achievement is not always success while reputed failure often is. It is honest endeavor, persistent effort to do the best possible under any and all circumstance.
Oliver Scott Hayden

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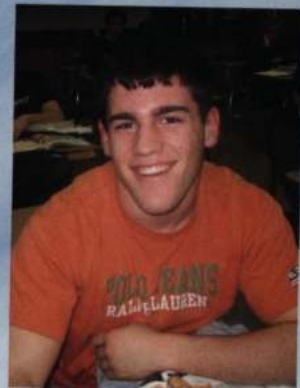
Awards



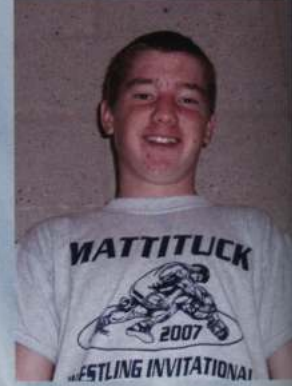
Elissa Pappalardo: "Distinguished Artist" recognition NYs Portfolio assessment MAY 2006 & honorable mention Parrish Art Museum- category: drawing. **Maggie Goggins:** All-League 2nd Team Cross-country. **Brian King:** All League Boys Soccer. **Deirdre Zoder:** "Distinguished Artist" recognition NYs Portfolio assessment MAY 2006. **Eric Koch:** All County Wrestling. **Laura Colwell:** All League 1st Team Cross-country.



Devyn Ulmet: All League & All County Tournament Volleyball. **Tiffany Domiami:** All-League 1st Team Cross-country. **Kaitlyn Graeb:** All League Soccer. **Beatrice Casaula:** All League Volleyball. **Zach Pileski:** All County Wrestling. **Corey Best:** All County Wrestling.



Awards



Jackie Goy: All division & All League Softball. **Ali Schait:** All County Tournament Volleyball. **Megan Rehm:** All League 2nd team cross-country. **Brian Diffley:** All-County Wrestling. **Mike Kline:** Suffolk County Champion Wrestling. **Eddie McDonald:** All League Soccer.



Billy Amato: All County & All Conference. **Ryan Connell:** Suffolk County Champion Wrestling. **Steve Tuthill:** All Conference Basketball. **Sarah Truglia:** All Conference Volleyball. **Mason Connor:** All State, All-County, Exceptional Senior Team Soccer. **Donald Fahey:** All-League Basketball.



Awards



Steph Lasota: All League Basketball & 1st team All State & All County Soccer. **Taryn Boucher:** All League Soccer. **Amber Mello:** All Conference Soccer. **Poornima Peris:** "Distinguished Artist" recognition NYs Portfolio assessment May 2006. **Demi Mello:** All County Soccer. **Kyle Pumillo:** All Conference & Exceptional Senior Team Soccer



Megan Ross: All Conference Soccer. **Samantha Lozada:** All League 2nd Team Cross-Country. **Louis Troisi:** 3rd place New York State Championships (All State), Suffolk County Wrestling Champion. **Lisa Rizzo:** All League Volleyball. **Brendan Clarke:** All County Academic Basketball, Honorable Mention Basketball, All League Soccer. **Karl Cutler:** All Conference Soccer.



Valedictorian - Stephen Stakey



What does it mean to be a valedictorian? *The American Heritage Dictionary* defines a valedictorian as, "The student with the highest academic rank in a class who delivers the valedictory at graduation." However, I don't think that the definition is entirely correct. Being a valedictorian, however, I think, is more representative not of a single number, but of the high school experience and the lessons learned. Given the privilege to make a few comments here, I would like to share a few lessons that I've learned throughout the years here at Mattituck.

First, challenge yourself in both high school and in life. While it may seem easier to take the easy way through life, perhaps the greatest satisfaction can be found by challenging yourself. A case in point: academics. Advanced Placement courses are sprinkled into the curriculum at Mattituck. Year after year, one can predict the students who will be in each class. What if, perhaps, someone were to come along and join a certain AP class because of a strong interest in the subject and perhaps not get the best grades in the class and, in turn, on the AP exam. The question, however, is, who is happier? The student in every AP class and does well on each exam, or the student who steps up to the plate and challenges themselves solely out of self-motivation?

I admit it. Perhaps I am a little addicted to school. Staying up to all hours of the night doing homework, making sure that I have all of it completed for the next day. Do I get stressed? Not at all. I am fully aware that all this is a choice. All it takes is a little relaxing music and I could be learning and studying all night! Fortunately, this has brought me to where I am now and I have no regrets about what I have accomplished.

This leads me to my second lesson that we should not put our focus on the end result, but instead savor the journey to the end. Sure, I still remember my first day of kindergarten, and to think that it was nearly thirteen years ago. Thirteen years. Nearly three quarters of our lives have been spent enrolled in school!

As time goes on, it seems we all find favorite teachers, and memories that we will never forget. Still, somewhere along the line, we can become disillusioned by taking all this for granted. It is this disillusionment that we must voluntarily end to enjoy life.

More recently, we have all have had to decide what to do with our futures. Where should I go to college? What should I do? Will they really accept me with my grades like this? These are just a few of the many questions that fill our minds as juniors and seniors. Of course, these are important questions, but should they really completely occupy our beings for a year and a half? Sure we have deadlines, but how about taking some time to stop and smell the roses? It's easy to end this stress if we just focus on life's little pleasures, perhaps it is a day spent at the beach, a favorite poem, time spent with friends, or even calculus, if it's your thing.

Whoever said that ignorance is bliss must have been awfully ignorant himself, how can you enjoy life without being involved?

So, to everyone, and especially the Class of 2007, never be afraid to take on life's challenges, but at the same time, never forget to take time to enjoy life.

Salutatorian - Alana Perino

One Tuesday night in January I checked my emails. In the right hand corner was a petition for Green Energy. I opened the document, and too lazy to read it, I closed it shortly after. I resolved to finish updating my iPod and to peruse the email when I got the chance. Satisfied with the night's accomplishments, I went to sleep. One Sunday night, two months later, I checked my emails, to see if there was anything I had yet to explore. There, at the bottom of the scroll sheet was the petition for Green Energy, unread and unsigned.

There are a million things I stand for: womens rights, clean energy, civil liberties, and pacifism. If I'm so passionate, then why dont I see these causes through to the highest order? Why am I so disenchanted during government debates? Why are we all so disenchanted? Why aren't we getting angry? Why aren't we yelling and screaming and stamping our feet? Why is a generation full of brilliant minds becoming passive when it comes to our government, our country, and our world? Disappointed in myself more than anyone else, I tried to reflect on why I am so uninvolved.

I think the answer lies in how we spend our time. We are distracted, by technology, by the Internet, by myspace. I'm not saying that we should become social martyrs, relinquishing simple pleasures to save the world, but we must not let daily blogs and utube distract us from the symbolic and tangible obliteration of our civil rights. The world is changing; year-by-year we become less involved in the government and more involved in our personal lives, in our music, in our cell phones, in our television.

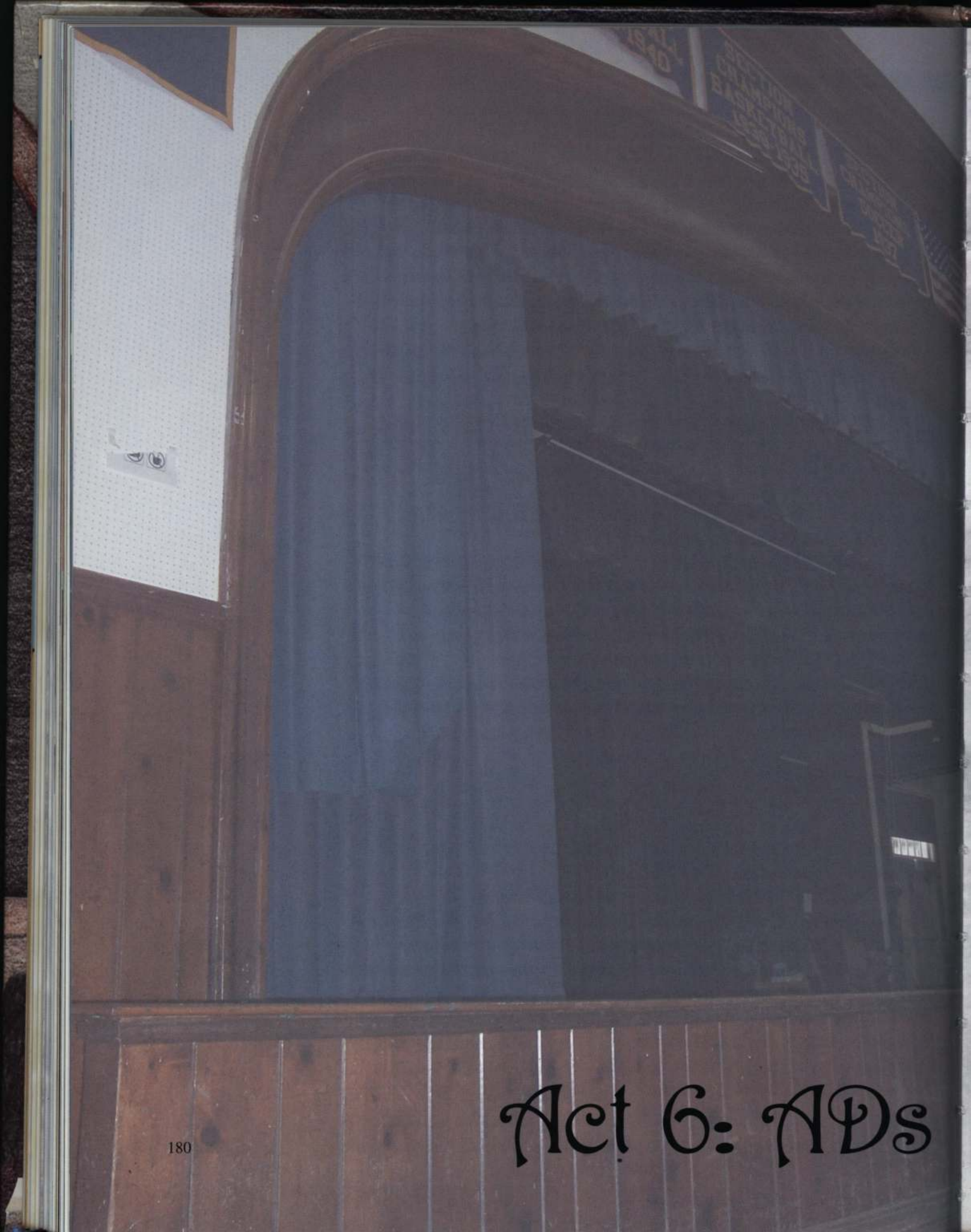
My generation is drowning in popular culture. We can chant the words to Ballin and Fergilicious, but few can describe how exactly the Patriot Act diminishes our civil rights. Instead of watching the news, we watch My Super Sweet Sixteen and American Idol. I probably know more about Britney Spears's relationships than I do about genocide in Darfur.

As the younger generation we love to quarrel with the higher power. Mr. Petretti, why can't I wear this bandana, I'm not representing a gang. You cant tell me what to do! But when it comes to world issues, we are more concerned with getting a good parking space than with Americas involvement in the Middle East. What has happened to the energy, the enthusiasm? We are the youth! We oppose the man and right now, the man is getting away with murder, literally.

I want to change. I want to be involved. We could be a generation of shakers, of backstage hands, of activists. My greatest fear is that my generation will drum our fingers on the sidelines, as our planet is destroyed, as our rights are abolished, as our government propagates a war that seems to have no end in sight.

So what can I do? We live in one of the most opportunistic countries in the world. Lets take advantage of those liberties. The frustration is in the fact that our voices are so small but our goals are so immense. It seems that no matter what we say or do, there will be no progress. We look to authority to accomplish our goals, but unfortunately our government answers to the people less and less. Unless we are willing to get up and do it ourselves, we are powerless. Democrat, Republican, Green Peace, I don't care what you stand for. As the cliché goes do what you think is right: stand up for what you believe in. Whether you're a bleeding heart or an iron fist, do something! Get upset! Get angry! Get involved! Let us not leave our government unchecked! Let us not allow our leaders govern unchallenged! Let us make this generation be heard!





Act 6: ADs



*"Storms never last do they baby
Bad times all pass with the wind
Your hand in mine stills the thunder
You make the sun want to shine."*

~Jessi Colter



Dear Bea,
On the first day of kindergarten we watched you comfort a classmate that was crying. You sat by her on the bus everyday the first week. We knew then that your sensitivity and kind heart would carry you through life. We are so proud that no matter what has happened you still have that kindness. Daddy and I will miss seeing you everyday, but we are excited for you to begin this new chapter in your life.
Love always,
Mommy and Daddy

BEATRICE CASAULA

STEPHANIE
TODRICK



Dear Steph,
We can't believe how fast the years have gone by. You are graduating...our cheesehead. We are so proud of you Steph. follow your heart, be true to yourself, and always believe in yourself, as we believe in you.

Loving you always,
Dad, Mom,
Michael, Jen & Ryan
Abbey & Marley too!



DEIRDRE
ZODER



Deirdre,
Your hard work and determination all these years have come full circle. You are an amazing young lady blessed with many great qualities and talents. It's time to search for your dreams. We know you will find them.
You have made us very proud!
Love always,
Mom, Dad, Alexis and Ashley

ALANA
PERINO

Dear Alana,
You are a precious gift and we are so proud of the young woman you have become. Enjoy life, never fear to dream and be confident that you will never lose your way in life. An exciting future awaits you. Congratulations on all you have accomplished.
All our love,
Dad and Letty





**You always knew what
you wanted to do, even if
it seemed impossible.
Keep reaching for your
dreams ~ with you
anything and everything
is possible.**

**Love,
Dad, Mom and Lyndsie**

Congratulations, Kevin!
We wish you as much joy
and happiness in your life as
you have brought into ours.
Love,
Mom, Dad and Billy

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Congratulations Alex!
We love you and are so proud of all your high school accomplishments. Good luck in college. You're headed for success.
With love,
Dad, Mom, Matt and Jill

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Dear TJ,
Where should we start we are so proud of the young man you have become. Your academic achievements, your shining personality, always a smile. You always see the bright side of everything!! We know whatever you do you will be the best!!! Be true to yourself. We love you more than words could ever say. Best of luck at York.
We love you lots.
Mom, Dad, Howard and Tabitha XOXOXO

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~Dear Marissa~
 It's hard to believe that you're graduating already. It seems like only yesterday we were running you here there and everywhere because you always wanted to try something new and be a part of everything. We're so proud of you and the person you've become. Your loyalty and determination will take you wherever you want to go. You're a fantastic person with a lot to offer. Whether it be a soccer game, basketball game or the game of life, remember rule # 76 :)
 We Love You,
 Mom and Dad

CAITI BOUCHER

Follow your heart. Hold on to your dreams. Bring joy to others. Believe in the impossible. You make a difference every day, Caiti. We love you!
 Mom, Dad, John, Tom, Taryn and Grandma



FRANCESCA DELLAQUILLA

Francesca ~ Congratulations
 We ♥ you very very much
 Ma Maas and Da Daas
 I ♥ U 2
 your loving brother
 Matt

MASON CONNOR

MOOSE ON THE LOOSE!
Off to the lure of new adventures and challenges ...

Congratulations Mason for all that you have accomplished! We are very proud of you.
 Love,
 Mom, Dad and Margot



Daniel: Congratulations from Mom, Dad, Stefan and Niki. Sail on son and brother and follow your music.



*Dear Phil:
Way out over the ocean,
Across the seven seas,
There was a tiny, little boat,
Faith was keeping her afloat,
And a tiny, little skipper,
With his torn and tattered coat
Now, the law of the ocean,
Says that you shall never fail,
Use your heart as a rudder,
Faith as a compass,
And a blanket as a sail*

*Sleep for the weary,
And rest for us all,
Use your heart as a rudder,
Faith as a compass,
And a blanket as a sail*

*We are very proud of your Good Luck
at Maritim!!!
Love, Mom and Dad*

It's K.C.'s Empire!

Mattituck Player Named to Empire State Games

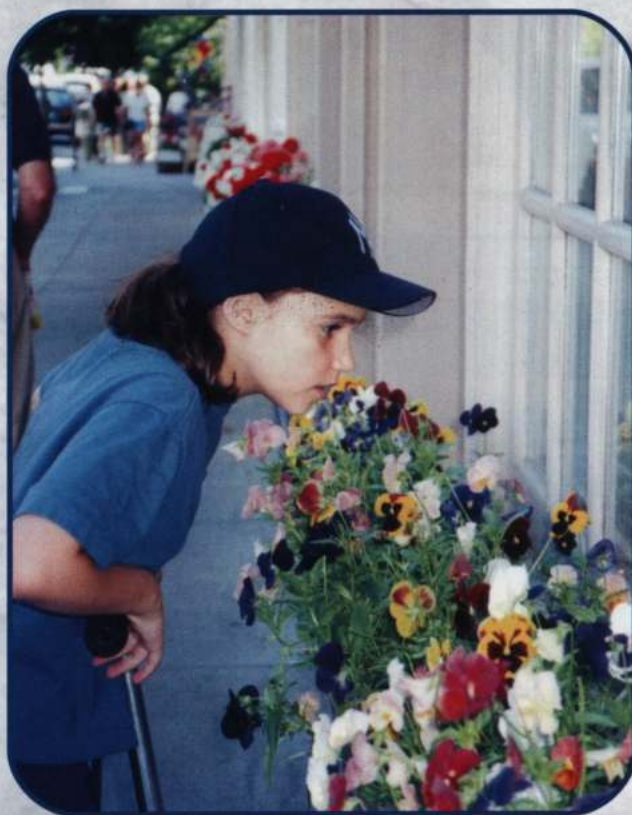


*Congratulations K.C. We're Proud of You
Mom + Dad*

Dearest Alana:

"Remember, we all need eggs,
some of us more than others."

Where ever life takes you, make
sure you stop and smell the flowers
all along the way.



With much love and pride,
Mom and Dennis



Stephen,
 We're so proud of you and all that you've accomplished! We know that you'll enjoy much happiness and success throughout your life. May you always carry with you our love and all of the special family memories we've shared....Congratulations!

Love, Mom, Dad, Laura & Andrew

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Love,
 Mom and Dad



"And when you finally fly away, I'll be hoping that I served you well, for all the wisdom of a lifetime no-one could ever tell, but whatever road you choose we're right behind you win or lose ... and in our hearts you will remain forever young." Rod Stewart

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March 5, 2005

To the Class of 2007,

Writing the annual letter for the yearbook is always an honor, one that I take great care in creating. To help me pen this letter, I turned to the pages of the 2006 yearbook and looked at the many faces of the Class of 2007. I was immediately struck by how much all of you have changed in one short year. That prompted me to look back at older yearbooks to get the full grasp of the transformation you have made. You have come so far from the bewildered and awkward 7th graders you were only 6 years ago.

As I look out my office window reflecting on this transformation, I watch Phase II of the construction project slowly progress. It reminds me that you have experienced, seen, and dealt with many diverse situations while at MHS. All the while you stayed focused on your education and tried to make the most of every opportunity.

You lost your 8th grade trip to Washington DC as a result of the terrorist attacks of September 11th. You more than made up for it in grand fashion when you became the first class to visit our nations capital as 9th graders.

When faced with the loss of extra curricular activities as sophomores, you took control of your own destiny and became involved in a community-wide effort to raise funds to support lost programs. Activities were reinstated and student participation greatly increased as everyone realized the significance of these opportunities.

As juniors and seniors you dealt with the drone of jackhammers and the profanities of construction workers while you took your math tests. In the mornings you battled with construction workers for parking spaces and dealt with traffic jams that you accused me of creating. Even with the distractions, your Regents results and a state title in girls soccer proved that obstacles and distractions would not stand in your way.

Similar to your last year at Cutchogue East, as seniors you were welcomed to school by new classrooms and facilities. Even though senior parking was cut in half and your spring concerts, school play, and semiformal had to find new venues as a result of the auditorium being renovated, you have kept positive and have set a great example for the rest of the student body. Your senior year has seen our first county title for girls cross-country and the first all state wrestler in school history. You have also proven that the class of 2007 can come together and support each other when needed. In so many ways you have left your mark as a class and as individuals.

As you walk out of these doors, take a look back on all that you have achieved, the friendships you have made, and everything and everyone that went into getting you to where you are today. You will forever be part of the MHS family. I wish you the best as you begin a new journey. Go out and make a difference.

Sincerely,
Shawn C. Petretti

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