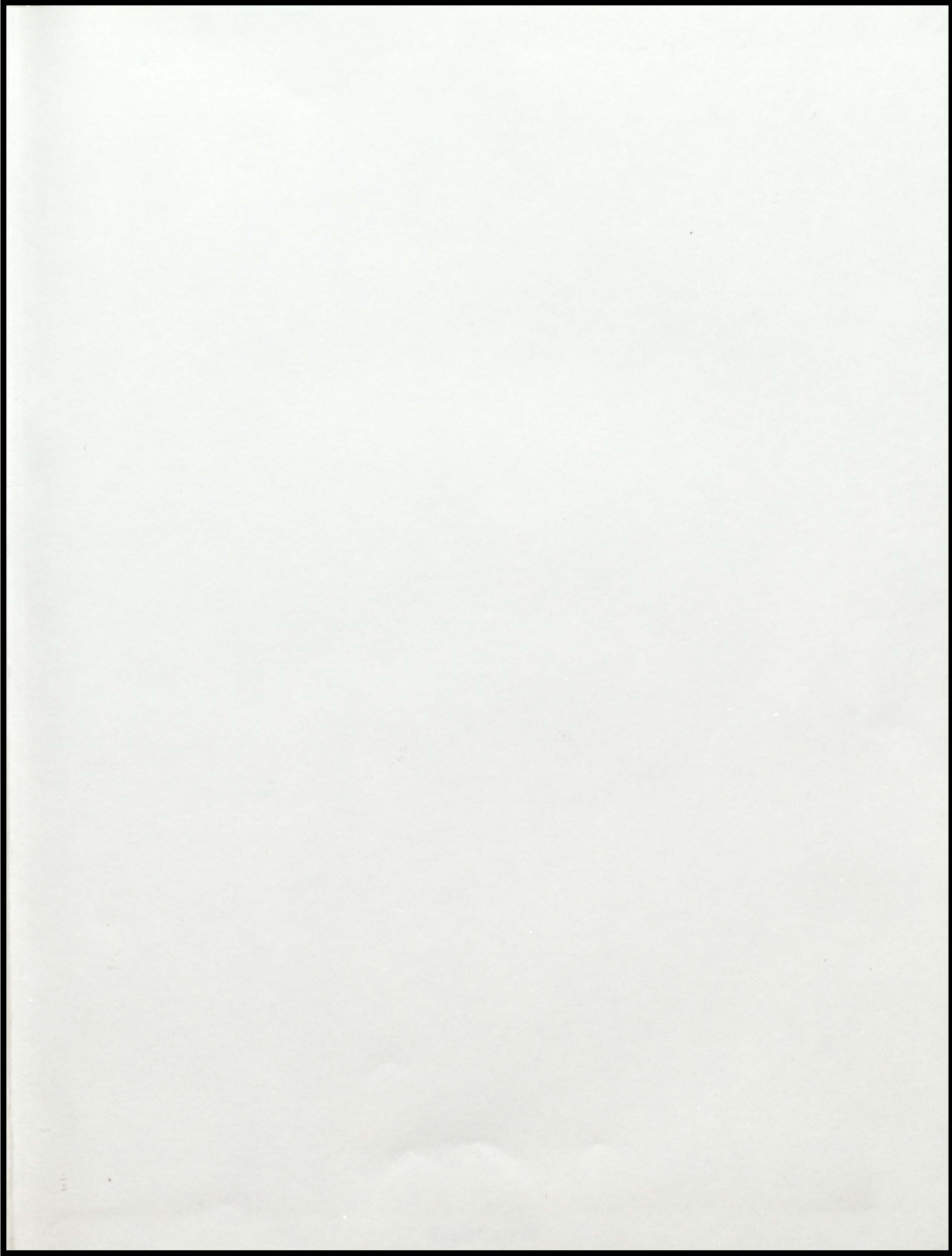


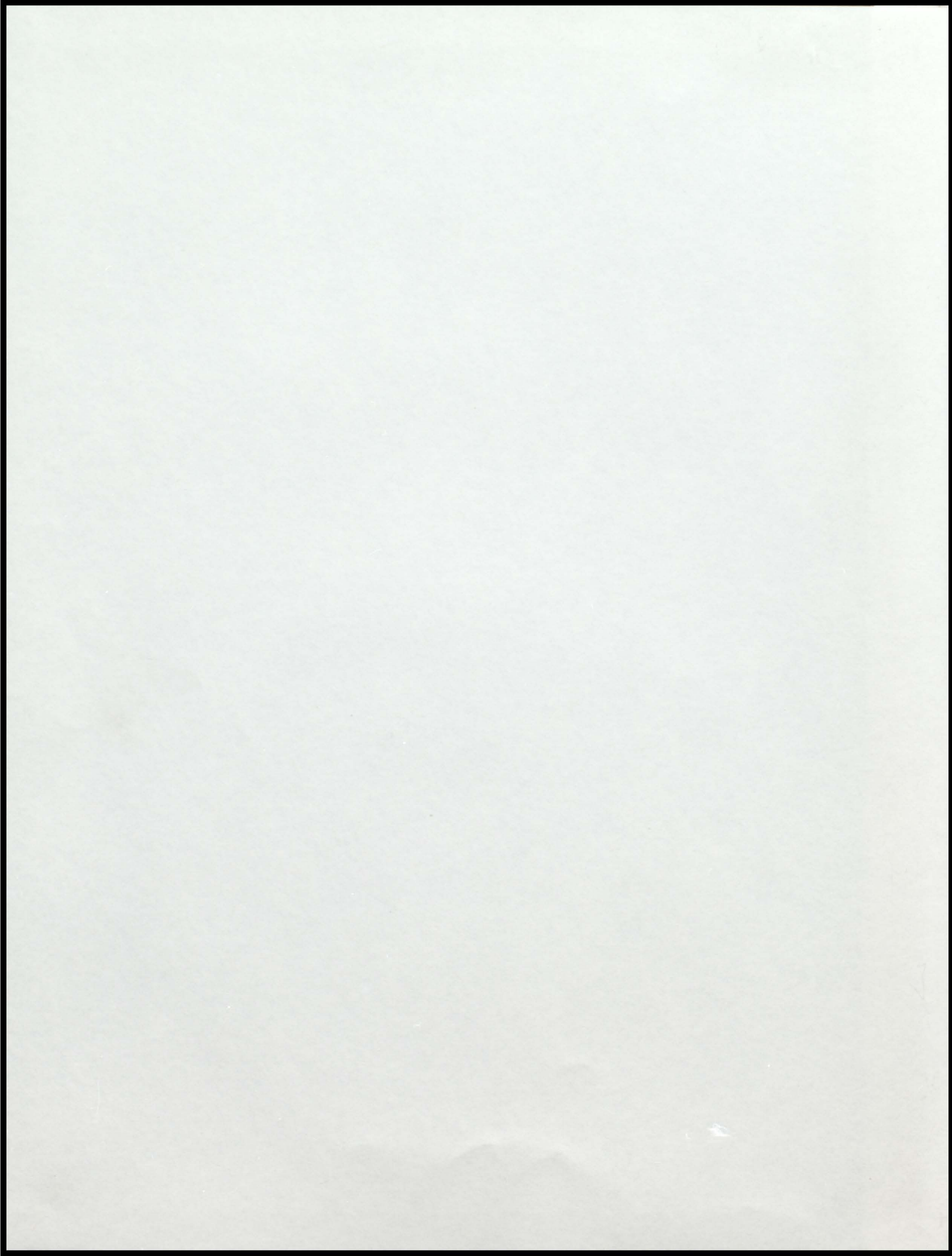
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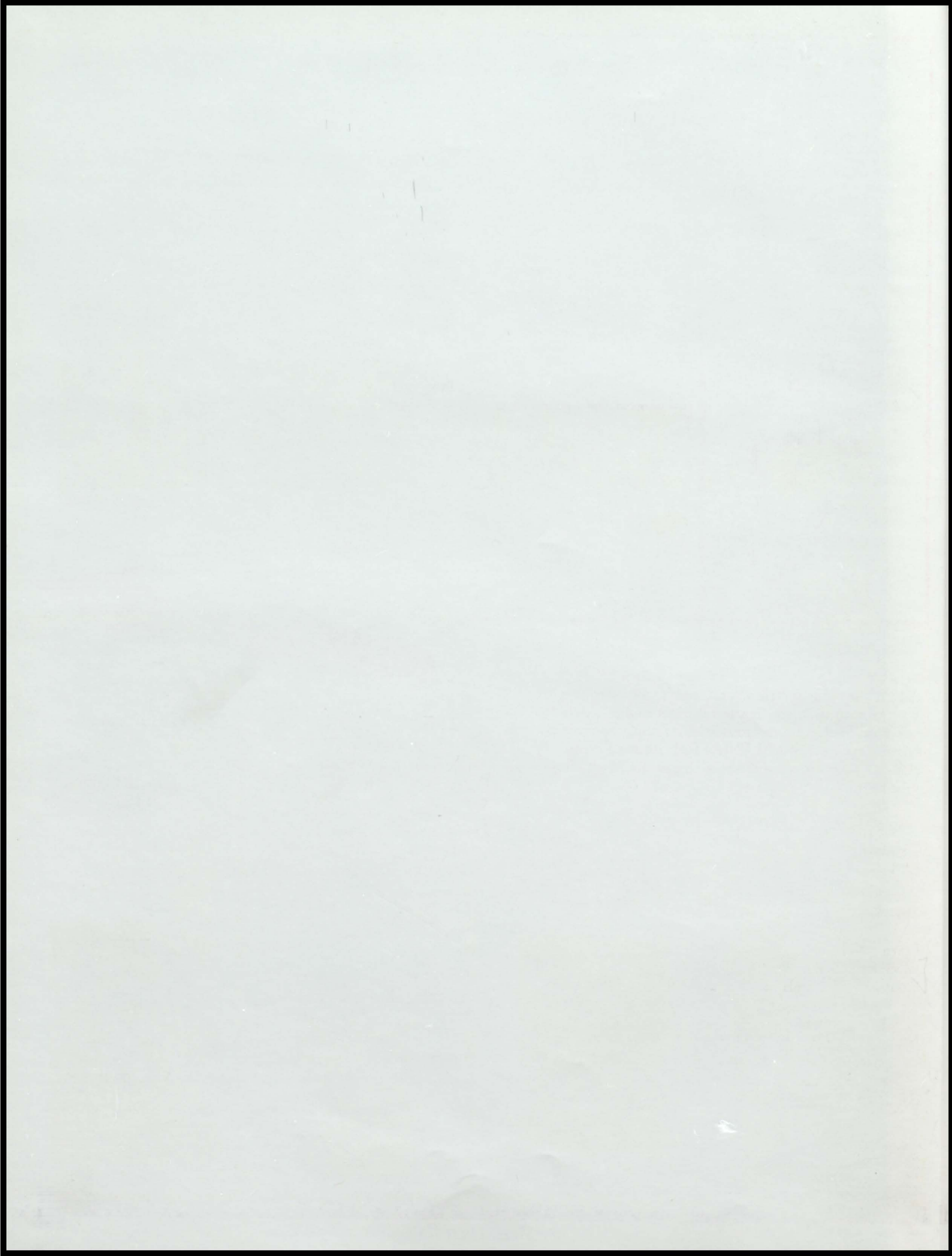
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Taylor,

We are so blessed to have you as our daughter. Congratulations on all of your accomplishments, they are a great foundation for your future success. Stay true to yourself and where you have come from. Remember. Be kind. Work hard. Have fun.

Love and kisses,
Mom and Dad

P.S. You have been a great role model for Jackson. He has big shoes to fill. He will miss you very much.



Jennifer,

Congratulations we are very proud of you. We look forward to watching you find your own way in life. We love you more than words can say!!!!

Cod Bless, Love and Prayer Always!!
Mom, Dad, and Kelli



Katherine, Congratulations

We are proud of you and all of your accomplishments. Keep the Lord in the center of your life and you will go far. May life always keep you smiling.

Love,
Mom, Dad, Molly, and Liz



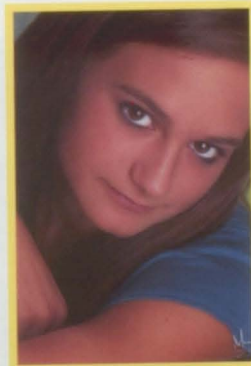
Kaitlynn,

Wow. Already eighteen and a high school graduate. Where did all the time go? Just yesterday you were vacuuming the floor in your curlers and pjs. The last six years at Scotus have provided you a strong foundation to ensure your success at UNL, a fortuitous personal life, and the skills to overcome the challenges that lay ahead as an adult.

As you go forth, remember God is with you, and Faith in Him is taking the first step even when you don't see the whole staircase. Your prayers go up and the blessings will come down.

We love you! you've made us proud and we are only a phone call away...but don't call collect :)...
Now get out there and make a difference.

Love,
Mom and Dad
(Moyah says high five me)



Clar,

You have been an absolute joy and blessing in our lives. We are all so proud of your accomplishments, as well as the beautiful young lady you have become. We are especially proud of your commitment to your faith. Keep it #1 in your life. May God bless you always!

Love ya,
Mom, Dad and Brothers



Dear Nicholas,

We are very proud of you. Congratulations.

Love,
Mom, Dad, Rachel,
Matthew, Patrick and
Natalie



Cassandra,

Every time we see your big brown eyes and beautiful smile, we thank God for the wonderful gift He has given us. We are so lucky to have you as our daughter. You have made a wonderful difference in our lives. We are so proud of you, and all your accomplishments throughout the years. Remember to always keep God in your life, and through His blessings, may all your hopes and dreams come true.

With all our love always,
Dad and Mom



Aaron,

Congratulations! We are so proud of the wonderful young man you have become. We hope you are as proud of your accomplishments as we are. We cherish every moment we have had with you and look forward to many more. May God keep you in his loving embrace, and remember the best is yet to come.

All our love forever,
Dad, Mom, and T.J.



Chelsea,

You have brought us immeasurable joy, and we are very proud of you. Keep working hard to accomplish all that you want for your future and remember that you are dearly loved!

Love,
Mom, Dad, and Carrie



Kelsey,

What a joy you are to us! As you continue on your journey, keep Christ at the center of your life. Congratulations on your accomplishments and we pray that God will bless you in the future as you grow and learn.

We love you!
Dad and Mom



Ashley,

You're a daughter/sister to be so proud of, no matter what you do in life. The loving person that you are is what comes shining through. Always remember we will be there for you. We love you.

Love,
Mom, Dad, and Andrew



"Go confidently in the direction of your dreams. Live the life you've imagined."
Henry David Thoreau

Bill,

Always follow your heart and chase your dreams. Remember "in the middle of every difficulty lies opportunity." Words cannot describe how very proud we are of you and how you can always count on us for support as you continue the journey.

Love,
Mom and Dad



Tony,

We are very proud of you and all of your accomplishments. You are truly a blessing in our lives. We wish you much success in your goals and dreams, and may God bless you and keep you close. We love you!

Mom and Dad
Morgan, Jared, and Mia



Kelli,

What an amazing young lady you have become. Your growth and achievements have made us very proud. Always be grateful for the many ways God has blessed you. Continue to keep your faith the central part of your life. May God bless you and keep you.

Love,
Mom, Dad, Lauren, Thomas and Megan



Lori,

Congratulations on all of your accomplishments. We are very proud of you. I will miss hearing the piano everyday and will miss seeing you in church playing for mass. I will, also, miss your dancing throughout the house. We are very proud of your commitment to your faith. Keep God close always. Keep smiling. We love you so very much!

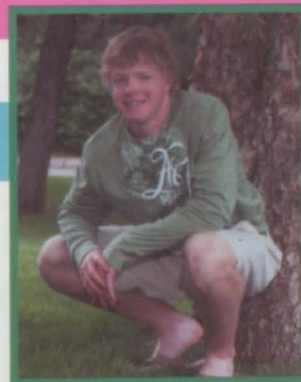
Love,
Mom, Dad, and Ryan



Jay--Congratulations!

We wish you success, joy and happiness in your new journeys in life. We are proud of you and all your accomplishments. Thank you for being a special person in our lives. We love you!

Dad, Mom, Michaela, Jason, Katie
and Justin



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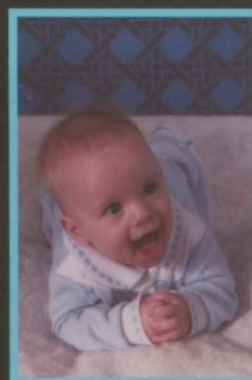
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Jordan,

All things bright and beautiful are our wishes for you.

God bless you.

We love you,
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Janessa,

It truly has been a blessing watching you grow up into such a beautiful person. We are very proud of you and your accomplishments.

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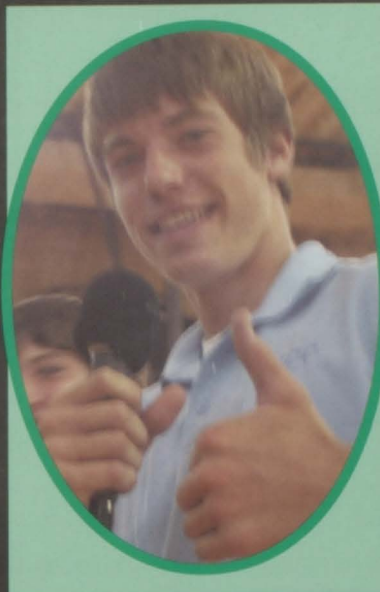
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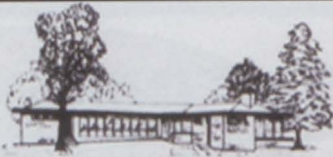
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-If you saw somebody standing at the top of a building, would you order chicken or a burger? A BURGER, IT IS EASIER TO EAT WHILE WATCHING THE PERSON JUMP (NICK RAYMOND)

-If you are asked to tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth and you're the main witness, what if you say "no"? -You all go to jail (Kelli Schuyacher)



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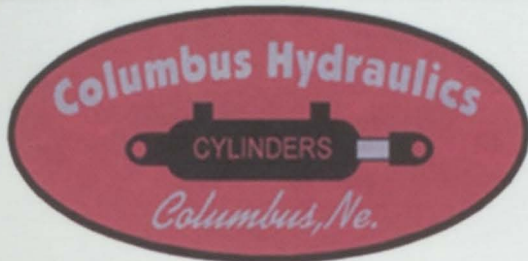


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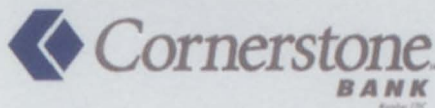


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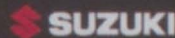
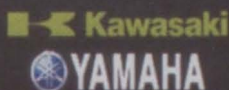
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Why did the chicken cross the road?
It would have rather died trying to go across the road than to become
fried chicken (Lori Fehn)
Or did the road move beneath him? (Whitney Ebel)

-IF YOU HAD NOT BEEN NAMED THE NAME YOU HAVE NOW, WHAT NAME WOULD YOU PICK? SOJOURNER TRUTH! AIN'T SHE A WOMAN? (CHELSEA BARTHOLOMEW)

-How far east can you go before you are heading west? Til you turn around (Janessa Ellis)

-If you had to lose one sense, which one would it be? A penny (Liz Zabawa)



Seniors



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Class



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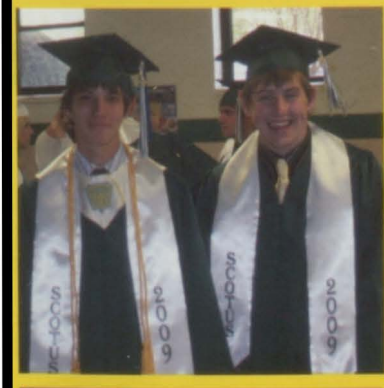
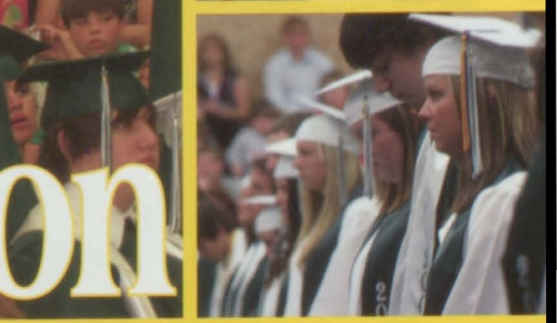
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Class Flower: Orchid Class Colors: Silver and Teal
Class Song: "Swim" by Jack's Mannequin
Class Motto: "We came here strangers, we stay as friends, we leave with memories that will never end."



On May 17, 2009, the graduating class of 55 seniors came together for one last time. Prior to the ceremony, the class met in the cafeteria. Mr. Morfeld gave a brief speech to the class, and then all made their way up to the Dowd Activity Center. After brief speeches by Tony Duren and Fr. Roza, the class took the stage to receive their diplomas. Following the distribution of diplomas, the seniors gave flowers to their parents while the class song was misplayed. By this time in the ceremony, the air was filled with mixed emotions that ranged from tears to laughter to joy. Awards were given out including the Spirit of Scotus Award. The award was shared by Nicholas Raimondo and Taylor Sues. The ceremony concluded with the Senior Slideshow, which commemorated the lives of the seniors. As the graduates walked out, they wore smiles of joy on their faces. The class left "looking forward" to their bright futures while "looking back" on all of the memories made in their days at Scotus.



Senior Prom

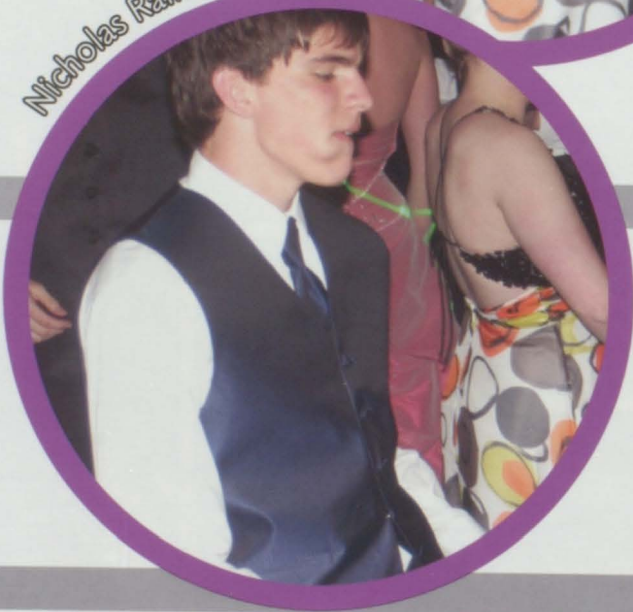
Liz Zabawa and Amanda Zywiec



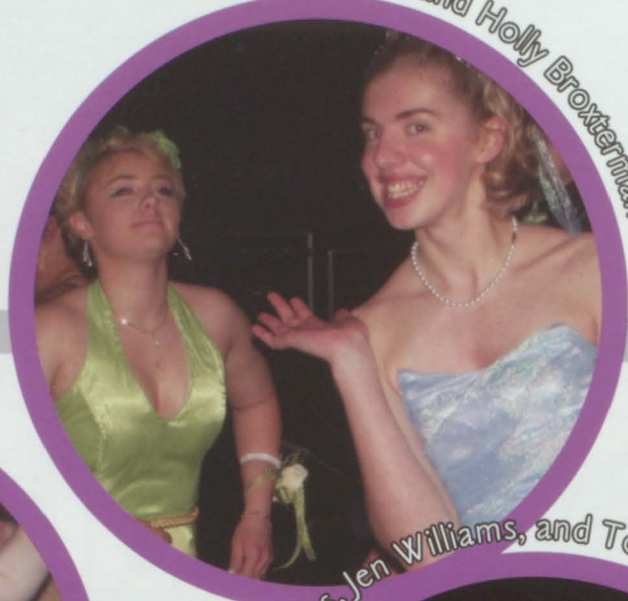
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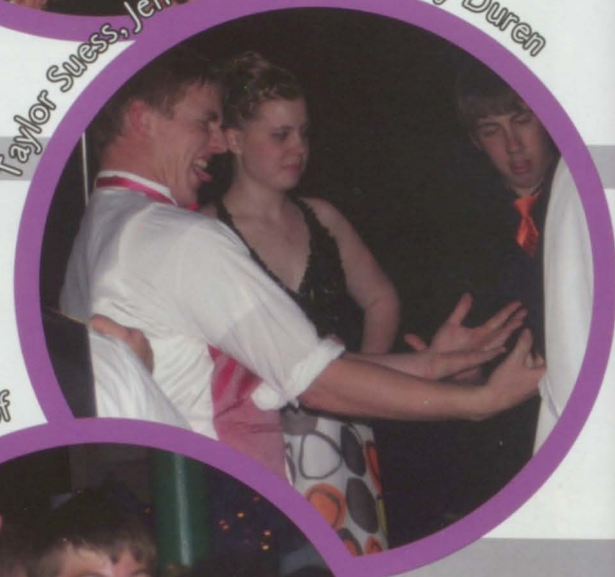
Nicholas Raimondo



Mikayla Karel and Holly Broxterman



Taylor Suess, Jen Williams, and Tony Duren



Jared Ostliek and Taylour Kumpf



Senior Prom

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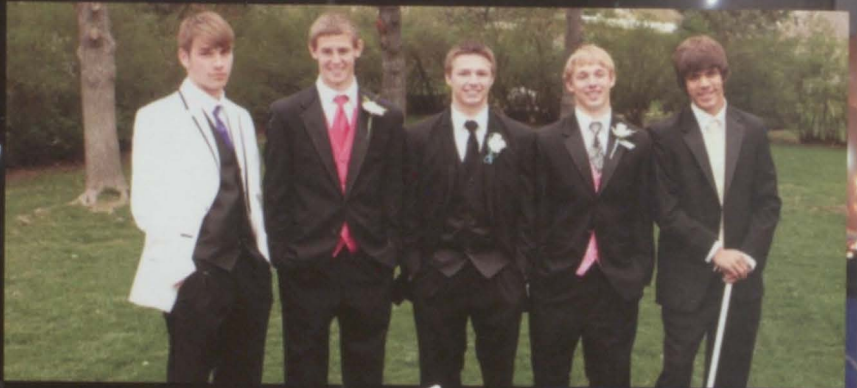
The Class of 2009 went out with a bang at Prom this year. They never stopped believing they could make it this far reflecting this year's theme: "Don't Stop Believin'". Planned by the juniors, Prom was fun for all, and everyone danced all night long. After a good portion of students attended mass at St. Isidores, pictures were taken, and dinner was served by the Husker House in our very own cafeteria. Following dinner was the dance that will never be forgotten by any of the seniors. Post Prom was at Boulevard Lanes where games were played and prizes were won. A laptop was the big prize given away, and Lucas Backman was the lucky winner. The seniors headed out after Post Prom and continued the evening with a few scattered gatherings. The night seemed to last forever, and no one wanted it to end.

Don't Stop Believin'



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Junior Prom



Believin'

Athletic Banquet



Athletes of the year: Sami Spenner, Chase Beiermann, and Katie Beiermann

For the second year in a row, the Athletic Banquet immediately followed Awards Night, and was held in the cafeteria as usual. The night started off with a pork dinner for all the students, parents, coaches, and teachers, catered by Hy-Vee. After everyone was done eating their ice cream for dessert, Mr. Puetz introduced the coaches. Each head coach from each sport took the stand and honored the letter winners on their team. After the coaches had their fifteen minutes of fame, the awards were handed out. The most prestigious of the awards, Athlete of the Year, was shared by Katie Beiermann, Sami Spenner, and Chase Beiermann. The night ended after that award was given, and pictures were then taken. Everyone went home happy and full.

Athletic Banquet



Sertoma Award:
Taylor Suess, Sami Spenner



Gene Witt Scholarship:
Sara Baer, Callen Schwank, Nicholas Raimondo, Jordan Janda



Babe Ruth Award:
Kirby Reardon, Kelli Schumacher, Jared Ostdiek



S-Club Scholarship:
Lucas Backman, Whitney Ebel



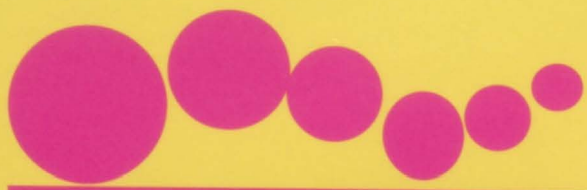
Eleanor M. Loshbaugh Memorial Scholarship:
Monica Boeding



KLIR Athletes of the Year:
Chase Beiermann, Ashley Paprocki



Lifters of the Year:
Taylor Suess, Ashley Paprocki



Girls' Track



Front Row: Summer Kresha, Sam Spenner, Jena Grubaugh, Kiley Bierman, Kelli Schumacher, Katelyn Kerkman, Monica Boeding, Jenna Moore, Amy Steiner, Ashley Paprocki. 2nd Row: Emily Jarecki, Stacia Rawhouser, Jacy Gasper, Sam Ebner, Kaitlynn Klaassen, Chloe Kucera, Sara Baer, Kelly Augustine, Angie Wieser, Katie Ohnoutka, Tiffany Wieser. Back Row: Amanda Newman, Allison Jepsen, Kenzie Paczosa, Emmie Odbert, Becky Hall, Megan Kresha, Amy Pekarek, Lindsay McElhose, Sara Dolezal, Amber Ewers, Jenna Dubas. Back Row: Coach Ohnoutka, Coach Lahm, Coach Kreinke, Coach Grubaugh, Coach Tooley.



MEET	PLACE
UNK Invite	1st
Wesleyan Invite	1st
Scotus Relays	2nd
Wayne Invite	1st
Knights of Columbus Meet	2nd
CHS 9th grade Invite	6th
Schuyler Invite	2nd
Aquinas Invite	1st
Boone Central Quad	1st
Conference	1st
Districts	1st
State	1st

Girls' Track



The girls and coaches take a picture after receiving their first ever state track championship trophy.



This year's track team had many returning members. The team was lead by the six seniors who all competed in various events. The team also experienced many injuries throughout the season. The team really started to come together as they won both Conference and Districts. They had seven girls qualify for the state meet. Amber Ewers in the 100, 200, 400 and 400 relay; Sam Spenner in the 200, 400 relay, Long Jump and Triple Jump; Ashley Paprocki in the 400 and 400 relay; Kelli Schumacher in the Triple Jump; Katelyn Kerkman in the High Jump and Long Jump; Becky Hall in the 800; and Monica Boeding in the 100 and 400 relay. The girls went to state and won their first ever state championship. They placed first in the 400 relay also setting a new school record. Amber won first in the 200 and 400. Sam placed second in the 200 and third in long and triple jump. Kelli placed seventh in triple jump. They ended the season on a good note and also made school history.

Boys' Track



Front Row: Austin Wallick, Dillon Clarey, Craig Pekarek, Ryan Ohnoutka, Kyle Benesch, Arturo Spindola, Pat McKay, Devin Iwan, Kade Hoefer, Joel Ost-diek, Mike Esch. 2nd Row: Coach Tooley, Adam Moore, Austin Wortman, Brad Steiner, Jake Kratochvil, Matthew Alexander, Cale Albracht, Ryan Miksch, Levi McPhillips, Jordan Janda, Nick Raimondo, Tom Schumacher, Andy Heusinkvelt. Back Row: Coach Ohnoutka, Coach Lahm, Callen Schwank, Zach Christensen, Fritz Hoppe, Calvin Borer, Cody Placzek, Eric Diamond, Kirby Reardon, Trace Murray, Taylor Suess, Trev Rawhouser, Josh Ryba, Stephen Pandorf, Coach Krienke, Brandon Nichol森, Coach Grubaugh.

<u>Meet</u>	<u>Place</u>
UNK Invite	8th
Wesleyan Invite	3rd
Scotus Relays	6th
Wayne Invite	1st
Knights of Columbus Meet	2nd
CHS 9th grade Invite	6th
Schuyler Invite	4th
Aquinas Invite	2nd
Boone Central Quad	1st
Conference	2nd
Districts	2nd
State	18th



Boys' Track

The boys track team returned all its members this year and inherited some strong freshman. They were lead by eight strong seniors all season. The team voted Craig Pekarek and Jordan Janda for the Spirit Award at the end of the season. They had some team highs receiving runner up at both Conference and Districts. The team had six guys qualify for the state meet. Callen Schwank qualified in the 100, 200, and 400; Pat McKay qualified in the 800; Jordan Janda in the 100; Taylor Sues in Shot put and Discus; Josh Ryba in Discus; and Kirby Reardon in the Triple Jump. The boys went to state and finished 18th. Taylor lead the boys by winning the discus and also getting the All-Class Award. Jordan finished 5th in the 100 and Kirby finished 8th in the Triple Jump. They were very happy with how the season ended, but the team will miss the seniors.



SCOTUS High JUMP



Back Row (left to right): Jake Niener, Ethan Forney, Trey Wortman, Adam Gilmore, Phillip Leves, Austin Ewers, Ian Ostidick, Jack Hoppe, Dan Strecker, Cameron Jacob, Conner Lusche, Nate Ebner, Tony Zoucha.

Front Row: Alex Lyons, Michael Kuertenbach, Cody Zimmerman, Alex Wallick, Zach Jepsen, Zach Spencer, Cole Alexander, Conner Moran, Nick Modde, Colt Clarey, Ryan Fuchs.

7th
Grade



Back row (left to right): Hannah Beerbohb, Emily Kosch, Carly Burkhardt, Brooke Olmer, Melissa Thalken, Samantha Patocka-Brester, Hannah Merrill, Payton Chohon, Kristen Ohnoutka, Liz Smith, Breanna Walker, Ashlea Rinkol.

Front Row (left to right): Laura Miksch, Mikayla Gasper, Teresa Tremel, Shelby Beller, Amy Price, Katie Reisdorff, Kate Rambour, Jenny Ryan, Carly Foltz, Emily Allen, Callie Sokol, Megan Miksch.

Junior High Track



Back Row (left to right): Megan Wright, Quinn Goodrich, Tara Starzec, Alivia Galley, Brittany Steiner, Claire Fuschler, Ashley Newman, Allison Smith, Jill Bonk, Melissa Diamond, Charrissa Zuerlin, Teresa Tira, Kyrsten Wood.

Bottom Row: Cathrine Swope, Bridget Brune, Hannah Harrington, Morgan Benesch, Kara Moore, Shayla Weiser, Taylor Merrill, Kylee Soulierre, Tessa Stuart, Luran Hellbusch, Kaitlyn Baumgart, Kelsey Stutzman, Anna Perault.

Record Breakers



- Derek Lahm
Triple Jump
- Alyssa Foltz
4 x 400m relay
Triple Jump
- Lauran Hellbusch
4 x 400m relay
- Morgan Benesch
4 x 400m relay
800m
1600m
- Kara Moore
4 x 400m relay
- Alex Ernst
75m, 195m, 300m Hurdles

8th Grade



Back Row (left to right): Nick Pandorf, Brandon Hahn, Kevin Donahue, Adam Strecker, Alex Ernst, Ian Baumgart, Brooke Frewing, Austin Went, Derrick Lahm, Kid Brunken, Craig Aikman.

Front Row (left to right): Kyle Bonk, Nathan Schaecher, Jake Gilson, Ian Roback, Jacob Ruscamp, Joe Warth, Brennan Brockhaus, Zach Zarck, Marshall Obal, Taylor Johnson, Sam Thalken, Jon Hanson, Jeremiah Salyard, Jake Huss.

Girls' Soccer

The girls' soccer team had a good season. The team was fairly young with only ten returning players so they did well with the experience they had. There were nine freshmen on the team which was an ongoing challenge for everyone, but they made the season fun. Kevin Stout is the girls' head coach along with Cindy Kosch and Kristie Brezenski who are assistant coaches. Katie Beiermann, Whitney Ebel, Macey Fuhr, and Taylour Kumpf were the captains. Every year the seniors pick a word that the team uses throughout the season. This year the word was 'keppa' which means to compete. The girls worked hard to improve both skills and physical fitness with encouragement and guidance from the coaching staff. The team managed to beat CHS twice, and one was in districts to keep them from heading to state. Another highlight of the season was playing Bellevue East and taking them into a shootout. They lost but that game truly brought out team unity. They finished the season by making it to state, but lost in the first round to Holdredge in overtime.

TEAM	SCORE
OMAHA SKUTT CATHOLIC	0-6
PAPILLION-LAVISTA SOUTH	1-5
COLUMBUS LAKEVIEW	2-3
YORK	2-0
GRETNA	1-6
LINCOLN LUTHERAN	1-0
JV SCHUYLER	9-0
KEARNEY CATHOLIC	7-0
BELLEVUE EAST	2-3
OMAHA DUCHESNE ACADEMY	1-0
GRAND ISLAND NORTHWEST	5-0
SCHUYLER	6-1
COLUMBUS HIGH SCHOOL	3-2
OMAHA WESTSIDE	0-3
SCHUYLER	3-0
COLUMBUS HIGH SCHOOL	2-1
COLUMBUS LAKEVIEW	3-0
HOLDREGE	2-1



The team piles on top of each other to keep warm before the Lakeview game.



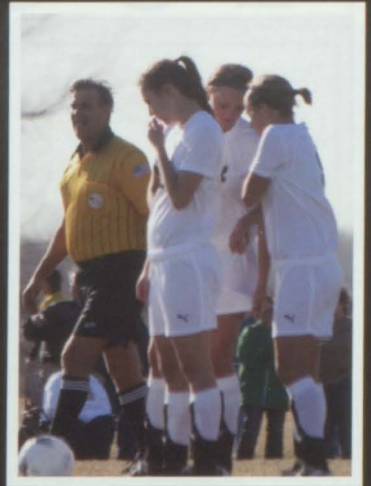
The team storms to Katie after she scored at state.

Girls' Soccer

Rachel Rambour and Shelby Johnson pose for a picture before the Papillion game.



Coach Stout and the captains meet in the middle of the field for the coin toss.



Caitlin Wiehn, Whitney Ebel, and Katie Beiermann whisper to each other before a kick off.



Front (L to R): Whitney Ebel, Hannah Spencer, Hannah Fuchs, Andrea Odbert, Morgan Duren, Hannah Schaecher, Kelsey Newman.
 Middle(L to R): Tiffany Haney, Olivia Sonderman, Caitlin Wiehn, Steph Jarecke, Rachel Rambour, Lindsey Staroscik, Macey Fuhr, Taylour Kumpf.
 Back (L to R): Morgan Pernicek, Head Coach Kevin Stout, Assistant Kristie Brezenski, Laura Zach, Shelby Johnson, Maggie Hellbusch, Katie Beiermann, Jordan Chohon, Assistant Coach Cindy Kosch.

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BOYS' SOCCER

Team	Us	Them
Elkhorn Tournament		
Omaha Skutt Catholic	1	5
Elkhorn	1	2
@Lakeview	1	0
@York	3	0
@Lincoln Lutheran	2	1
Kearney Catholic	8	0
Papillion-La Vista Invite		
Papillion-La Vista	1	0
Creighton Prep	3	2
Lincoln East	1	2
@G.I.C.C.	3	1
Mt. Michael Tournament		
Council Bluffs St. Albert	5	1
Mount Michael	1	2
G.I. Northwest	6	0
@Schuyler	1	2
Omaha Westside Tournament		
Omaha Westside	1	3
Schuyler	2	0
District Tournament		
Lakeview	1	0
Columbus High	1	0
South Sioux City		
State Tournament		
Gretna	2	1
South Sioux City	3	0
Columbus High	1	0

To many, a rough start looked to be foreshadowing a long season for the footy boys. Little did these boys and the rest of the state know that the season would be the longest possible. After starting with two losses, the boys strung together six straight wins, including a win against perennial power Creighton Prep. "The win against Prep really showed us that we can play with anyone in the state," said senior Chase Beiermann. "It gave us a lot of confidence at a huge time in the season."

This confidence may have somewhat faltered in the weeks to follow after a lack-luster performance versus G.I.C.C. and devastating losses to Mount Michael in the closing seconds and Schuyler. The confidence was quickly regained at an opportune time. In the last weekend before districts, the boys were shown once again that they had the ability to play with anyone when they took Omaha Westside to the final minutes of the match before losing by a pair of goals. The confidence went to new levels with a win the next day against Schuyler as revenge for the earlier loss.

District play proved to be another spring board for confidence. An opening round win against crosstown rival Lakeview set up a match with Columbus High. Shootout wins against the Discoverers and then undefeated South Sioux City gave the Rocks the district title and a trip to Omaha for the State Tournament.

The wins never stopped coming though. A third consecutive shootout win in the first round of the State Tournament set a rematch of the district finals, which the boys won more emphatically than the previous encounter. The final was an all-Columbus affair, and senior Chase Beiermann netted the ball with two minutes left in the second overtime, bringing a boys' state trophy home for the first time since 2001.

The team is not satisfied with this year's title though. The underclassmen are "looking forward" to repeating next year, but will never stop "looking back" on the success of 2009.

Below: One-armed senior Bill Kurtenbach makes a move around a Lincoln East defender. Left: Junior Alex Kuta jostles for position against Schuyler.



Left: Keeper Coach Fr. Roza warms up starting goalie Shawn Schumacher before a game.

Boys' Soccer



bove: The team raises the State Champion trophy behind their end of the season motto of "Believe".
 ight: The final seconds tick off the clock during the finals win over crosstown foe Columbus High.



First Row (L to R): David Gokie, Simon Schacher, Bill Kurtenbach, Jared Ostdiek, Lucas Backman, Chase Beiermann, Jay Klimes. Second
 Row (L to R): Goalie Coach Fr. Andrew Roza, Jens Paprocki, Tyler Zimmerman, Michael Tremel, Brian Ackman, Chris Hernandez, Dylan
 Thompson, Cameron Wiehn, Dana Fuchs, Ryan Becker, Assistant Coach Kevin Starosciak, Shawn Schumacher, Alex Kuta, Matt Puckett,
 Aaron Alexander, Trevor Thiele, Tom Rambour, Aaron Bos, James Euteneuer, Head Coach Jon Brezenski.

Boys' Golf



Team members: Michael Albin, Ryan Fehr, Mike Hefti, Casey Kessler, Brad Cheloha, Brady Vancura, Nathan Wangler, Derrick Dierman, Dalton Leu, Jon Otte, Coach Wickham. Not pictured: Adam Niedbalski, Seth Janicek, Keaton Schmidt.

bring it on!



Casey Kessler setting up for his tee off.



Boys' Golf

The boys' golf team this year did well, but weren't as consistent as they hoped to be, according to team leader Brady Vancura. Mr. Wickham was the varsity coach again this year, and was pleased with how the year went. There were an exceptionally larger than usual number of golfers on the team, but they got along well and had fun on the course. Brady and Derrick Dierman were the lone state-qualifiers and finished 8th and 54th, re-

spectively. Brady earned his place with a score of 74-80, equalling 154, and Derrick earned his with an 85-86, equalling 171. Next years team hopes to improve and recruit some new members. They will be hitting the courses hard until then!



Dalton Leu admires his swing.

hole in one!



Nathan Wangler gets ready to swing.



Derrick Dierman and Brady Vancura at the state meet.

Varsity Baseball

Columbus High baseball team huddled up before a game.



The boys Varsity and JV baseball teams this year had six boys from Scotus on the team. James Landholm and Vincent Tira were the two Varsity letter winners from Scotus. Vincent Tira, Connor Sackett, Levi Casper, Josh Spenner, and Pat Raimondo were the JV players from Scotus. They had a great start to the season and finished strong. Unfortunately, the baseball team lost in Districts to Omaha Westside. They were unable to advance to the State Tournament. The team has high hopes for next season. The baseball team ended the regular season with 1322 points and a 68.75% winning average.

SCOREBOARD

Norfolk	W	18-6
Omaha Roncalli Catholic/	W	11-4
Omaha Brownell-Talbot		
Omaha Roncalli Catholic/	L	1-12
Omaha Brownell-Talbot		
Grand Island	L	8-9
Grand Island	L	6-7
Seward	W	16-3
Douglas County West	W	6-1
Douglas County West	W	10-6
Omaha Northwest	W	7-4
Omaha Gross Catholic	W	16-5
Norfolk	L	1-3
Norfolk	L	0-1
Omaha Skutt Catholic	L	1-5
Yutan		
Yutan		
Lincoln Southeast	L	8-10
Archbishop Bergan	L	6-10
Archbishop Bergan	W	7-4
Omaha South	W	7-0
Lincoln Northeast	W	11-1
Crete	W	8-0
Wahoo	W	14-4
Wahoo	W	17-9
Papillion-LaVista	W	3-2
Lincoln Pius X	W	6-5
Lincoln High	W	2-0
Norris	W	10-2
Omaha Burke	L	11-2
Omaha North	W	3-2
Omaha North	W	13-8
Grand Island	W	10-9
Lincoln North Star	W	14-11
Omaha Westside	L	3-9



James Landholm throws a pitch during a Varsity game.



A few players on the team cheer on a teammate running home.



James Landholm up to bat during a Varsity game.

2009 '09 Girls' Tennis

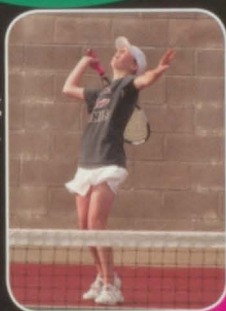
This year the girls tennis team had only 13 girls out for tennis. There was one senior from Scotus, Lori Fehr. There were two sophomores on the team from Scotus, Jenn Cokie and Becky Svatora. The tennis team finished 7-2, tying the school record for wins in duals. Some of the activities that will be missed the most by senior Lori Fehr are the team dinners

and Catch Phrase. "It was a great year, probably the best out of all my years on the team." Some of the highlights this year were placing 2nd at the Capital City Invitational, and placing third at the Columbus Invitational. At state, Lori Fehr played #1 singles and Jenn Cokie played #2 singles. After beating her opponent in the first round, 6-1 6-4, Lori unfor-

tunately lost her second round to the #4 seed, but finished on top of her game. Jenn Cokie beat her opponent 6-1 6-2 in the first round also, however lost in the second round to the #7 seed. Even though she lost, Jenn also played well frustrating her opponents. The team ended up tying for 11th at state.



Lori Fehr hits an approach shot during one of her matches.



Jenn Cokie serves during one of her matches.



Scotus Girls from the Girls' Tennis Team (left to right): Jenn Cokie, Becky Svatora, Lori Fehr

Team	Us	Them
Norfolk	7	2
Lincoln Southwest	2	7
Grand Island	7	2
Lincoln Northeast	8	1
Hastings	9	0
Fremont	3	6
Lincoln Northstar	8	1
York	8	1

Spring Play

Viewer discretion is advised. This warning was used to give a hint about what was to take place in the Little Theatre on May 8, 2009. Kris Fleeman took the bold role of directing the play, *Shut Your Eyes and Think of England*. The setting is in England and the year is 1970. A man, played by Aaron Wrigley, has the whole country right in the palm of his hand. After a few hours of turmoil between other characters, the country no longer belongs to the same man. This play was comical, but at the same time it presented themes of love, lies, and miscommunication. Just remember to "Shut your eyes and think of England", because it is one of the most beautiful countries to think of.



Left: Aaron Wrigley comes in the room after a long night. Below: Levi McPhillips is proud man with a mustache.



Joel Ostdiek offers Megan Kresha a kiss on the hand.



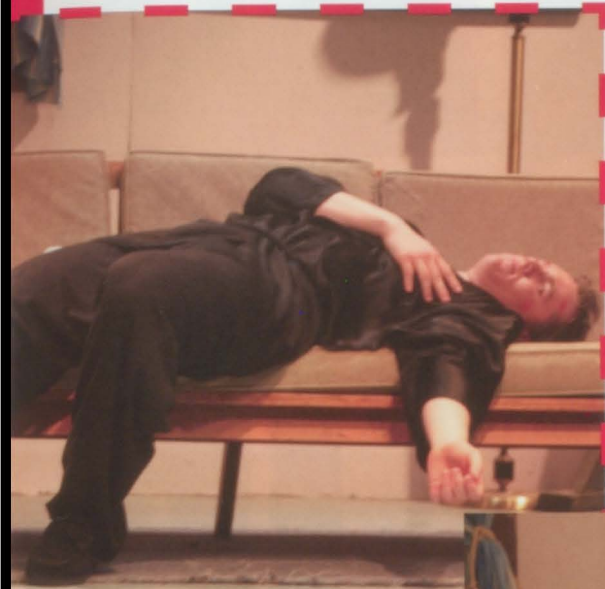
Left: Summer Kresha comforts Chelsea Bartholomew after she thinks her husband is up to something. Right: Joel Ostdiek comes up with a fishy plan.



Shut Your Eyes and Think of England

Spring Play

Left: Aaron Wrigley suffers from a sickness
Right: Laura Salyard is traumatized over what she just heard.



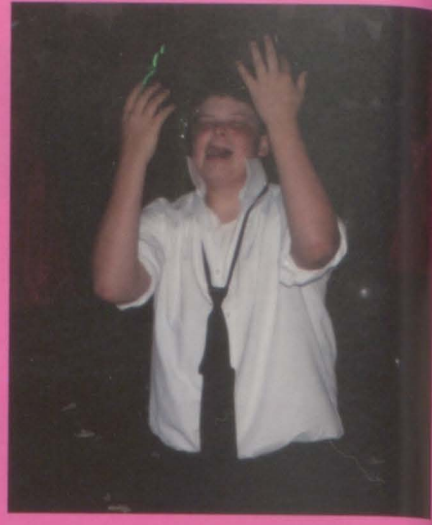
Summer Kresha is proud that she accomplished something.

Nick Raimondo is mad that somebody tore up his documents.

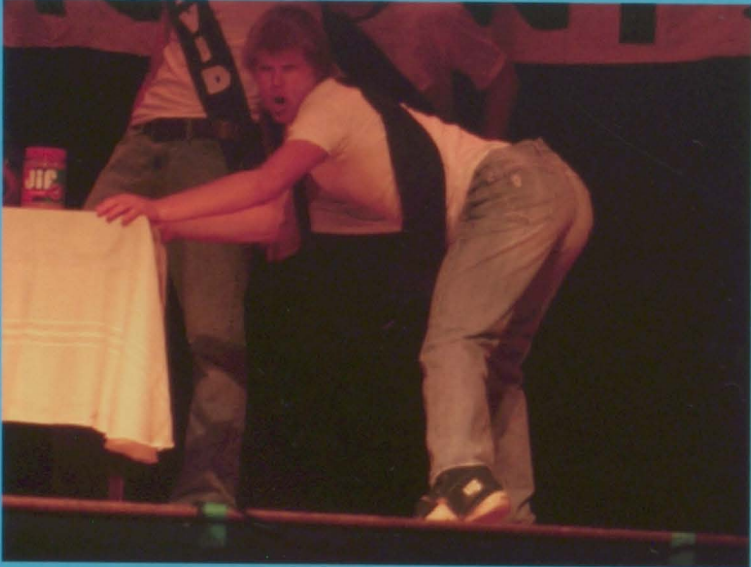


Left: Chelsea Bartholomew is proud that she has figured out what is up
Right: Summer Kresha holds on to Ben Heusinkvelt.





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Spring Activities



Sweetheart

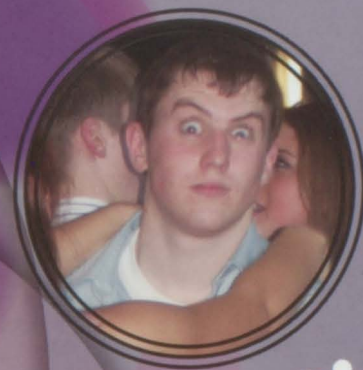


Sweetheart



Freshmen

This year's theme for Sweetheart was "Never Neverland." The Sweetheart candidates for King were Callen Shwank, Lucas Backman, Jordan Janda, Craig Pekarek, and Nathan Hotovy. Queen candidates were Liz Zabawa, Moe Jackson, Katie Beermann, Kaitlynn Klaassen, and Whitney Ebel. Nick Raimando and Tina Sul-tonova were crowned King and Queen.



Juniors



Sophomores

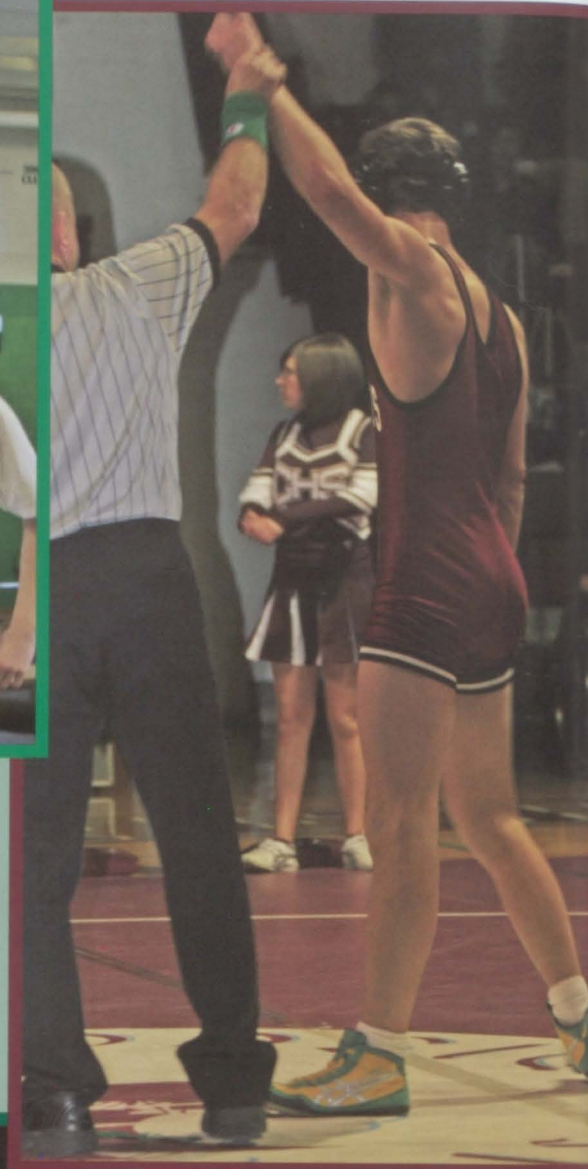


gnitærW Wrestling

The ref raises Tom Rambour's hand after a pin.

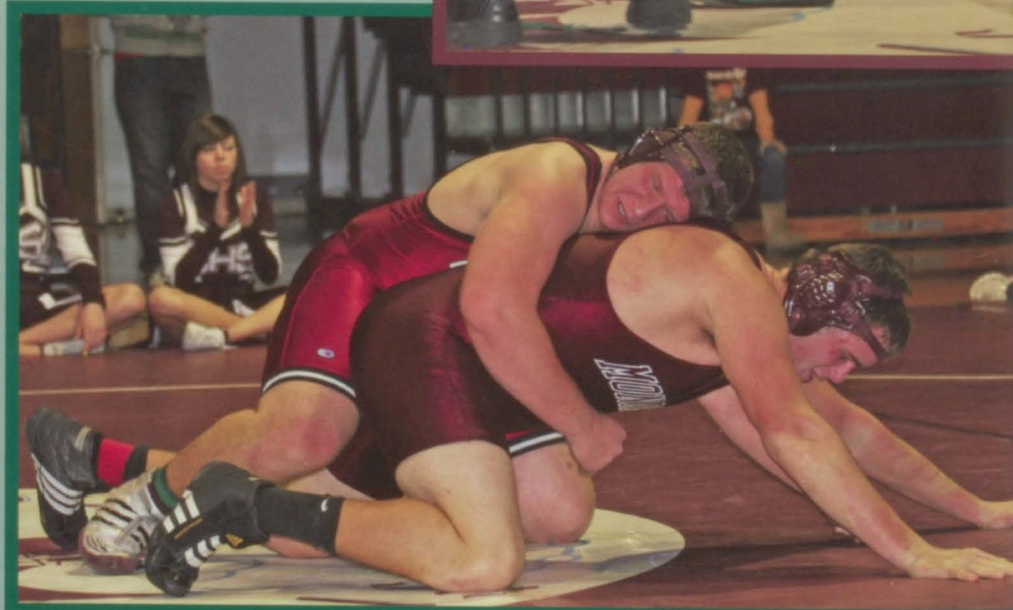


Left to Right: Tom Rambour, Josh Ryba, Grant Pontow.



The 2008-2009 wrestling season was one of ups and downs. While junior Tom Rambour was preparing for his third season on the CHS wrestling team, senior Josh Ryba and freshman Grant Pontow came in as rookies. Ryba's impact was felt immediately, as he was named the varsity heavyweight (215 lbs to 285 lbs) from the beginning of the season. Rambour wrestled at a slightly lower weight, weighing in at 135 pounds. Pontow saw mainly junior varsity action while wrestling in the 189 pound class.

As the season progressed, all three wrestlers gained valuable experience against the state's best wrestlers. Both Ryba and Rambour were able to place second in the district meet, which qualified them for the state tournament. While Rambour saw an unfortunately early exit from the state tournament in the consolation quarterfinals after losing in an earlier round to the eventual state champion, Ryba was able to grapple his way to the semifinals. A loss in the semis saw him fall to the consolation bracket and a 4th place finish.



Josh Ryba takes the high ground against his opponent during a match.

gimmivz Swimming

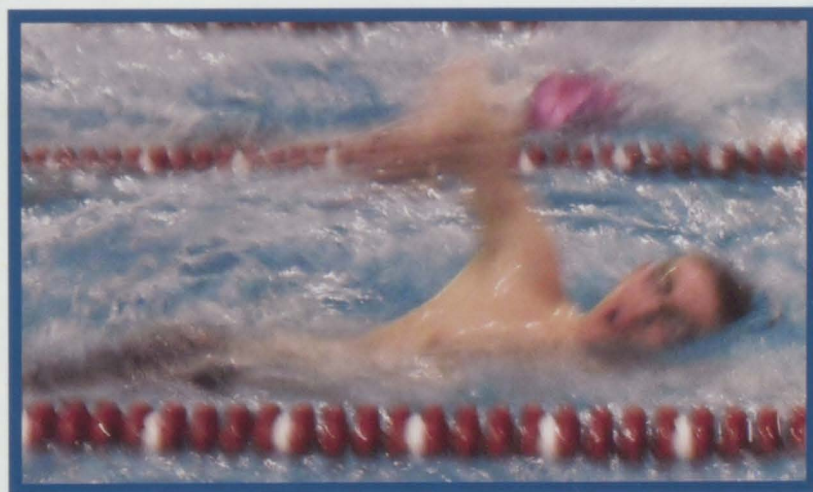
This winter's swimming season was wet and wild! With a remarkable 13 students on the swim team this year, the Scotus influence was felt more than ever. A whopping four of the 13 swimmers from Scotus were able to post times in the season that were good enough to qualify for the State meet. For the girls, senior Taylour Kumpf qualified in the 200 medley relay, the 200 free relay, and 400 free relay, senior Kathy Smith qualified in 200 medley relay, and freshman Marina Karel qualified for the 200 free relay and the 400 free relay. On the boys' side, freshman Ryan Miksch qualified in the 50 meter freestyle and the 100 meter freestyle.

Although the swimmers were strong in the regular season, the State meet one was of struggles. Miksch was the only swimmer from Scotus to medal for the Discoverers. His time in the 50 meter freestyle was good enough to earn him a bronze medal.

"Overall the season was a good one," said Kumpf. "It was nice to see so many people from Scotus go out this year. Ryan did an amazing job and he will only get better. I wish the best for everyone and hope they all get better."



Front Row (L to R): Kelsey Newman, Trenton Kuta, Jens Paprocki, Marina Karel.
Second Row: Jen Hall, Mitch Peterson, Mikayla Karel, Joel Ostdiek, Kathy Smith.
Back Row: Taylour Kumpf, Brett Brune, Ryan Miksch, Theresa Thalken.

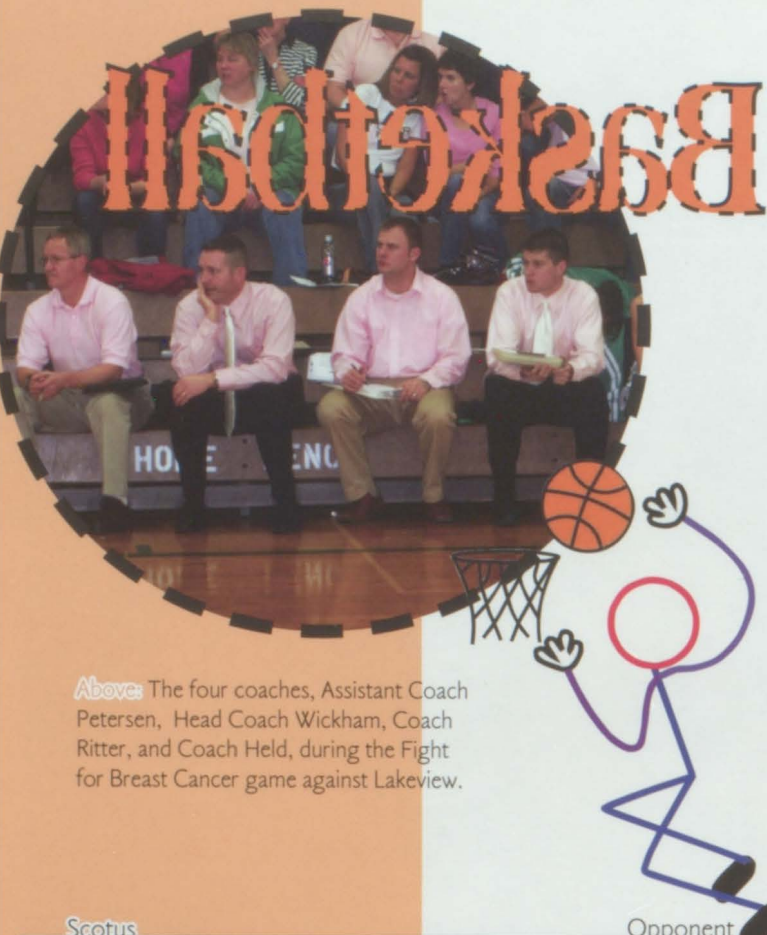


Above: Freshman Ryan Miksch takes a breath between strokes in his freestyle event at the Greater Nebraska Athletic Conference meet. At right: Seniors Taylour Kumpf and Kathy Smith take a break from the pool to pose for a picture at the conference meet.

Varsity Girls' Basketball

Making the Shot

Players unified for one common goal



Above: The four coaches, Assistant Coach Petersen, Head Coach Wickham, Coach Ritter, and Coach Held, during the Fight for Breast Cancer game against Lakeview.

The Scotus Girls' Varsity Basketball team started off the year with a win against Hastings St, Cecilia at home, as well as winning the Holiday Tournament at Lakeview by beating Schuyler and Twin River. There were ups and downs throughout the entire season with both wins and losses. The girls had an overall good season with a winning record. Katie Beiermann says, "The highlight of the year was beating Neumann, but it was a really fun year. We beat some good teams, lost to bad teams too. Overall it was better than the last couple years." Junior Shelby Johnson agrees by saying, "Beating the number one team for the second year in a row was the best." The girls' season came to an end with a loss to Wahoo Neumann in the district finals, who ended up winning the state tournament. This was the second time they beat the state champions earlier in the season. There were only two seniors on the team, Sam Spenner and Katie Beiermann, but their leadership helped to keep the team together.

Scotus

Opponent

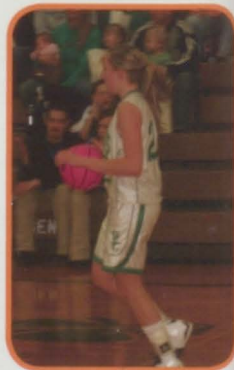
46	Hastings St. Cecilia	43
37	Grand Island Central Catholic	38
35	West Point Central Catholic	40
37	Pierce	22
60	Wayne	57
1st	Holiday Tournament at Lakeview	
41	*Schuyler	19
48	*Twin River	37
46	Wahoo Neumann	41
57	Schuyler	35
33	Lincoln Christian	39
32	Norfolk Catholic	28
56	Madison	28
45	Boone Central	46
	Conference Tournament	
49	*Fremont Bergan	29
33	*Aquinas	42
39	Norris	34
38	Aquinas	48
51	Columbus Lakeview	40
40	Lincoln Lutheran	27
	Subdistricts at Columbus High	
44	*North Bend Central	30
33	*Twin River	13
	District Final at Midland Lutheran College	
23	*Wahoo Neumann	58

* indicates games in tournament play

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Above: Sam Spenner, Katie Beiermann, Monica Boeding, Katelyn Kerkman, Tiffany Haney, Morgan Duren and Lindsey Gasper watch a game against Madison.



Right: Senior Sam Spenner brings the ball up to the offense during a game.

Varsity Girls' Basketball



Above: 2008-2009 Varsity Basketball Team, First Row Left to Right: Andrea Odbert, Morgan Duren, McKenzie Leu, Katie Ohnoutka. Second Row: Coach Held, Sam Spenner, Lindsay McElhouse, Caitlin Wiehn, Rebecca Hall, Jenna Moore, Coach Ritter. Back Row: Assistant Coach Petersen, Jordan Chohon, Katelyn Kerkman, Shelby Johnson, Katie Beiermann, Monica Boeding, Head Coach Wickham.



Above: The lone seniors Sam Spenner and Katie Beiermann.



Left: Monica Boeding running on a fast break.



Left: Junior Katelyn Kerkman dribbles past Lakeview during the Shamrocks' and Viqueens' Fight Against Breast Cancer game.

Right: Senior Katie Beiermann wins the tip off at the beginning of the Norfolk Catholic game.



V & Freshman & JV Girls' Basketball



Freshman

Coach: Jarrod Ritter

Team Members, Left to Right,
Front Row: Hannah Fuchs, Jordan
Chohon.

Back Row: Angie Wieser, Jenna
Moore, Emmie Odbert, Caitlin
Wiehn.

Junior Varsity

Coaches: John Petersen, Jarrod
Ritter, Joe Held

Team Members, Left to Right,
Front Row: Lindsay McElhose, Re-
becca Hall, Shelby Johnson, Jenna
Moore.

Second Row: Jordan Chohon, Cait-
lin Wiehn, McKenzie Lou.

Back Row: Andrea Odbert, Mor-
gan Duren, Steph Jarecki, Emmie
Odbert, Katie Ohnoutka.



Junior High Girls' Basketball

7th Grade

Coaches: Jacquie Smith and Jeff Johnson

Team Members, Left to Right,
Front Row: Breanna Walker, Jennifer Ryan, Elizabeth Smith, Carly Foltz, Shelby Beller.
Second Row: Ashlea Rinkol, Emily Allen, Gabrielle Paczosa, Kristen Ohnoutka, Alli Bos, Teresa Tremel.
Back Row: Valerie Borer, Carly Burkhardt, Brooke Olmer, Payton Chohon, Megan Miksch.



8th Grade

Coaches: Jim Beiermann and Pam Perault

Team Members, Left to Right,
Front Row: Anna Perault, Hannah Harrington, Morgan Benesch, Alyssa Foltz.
Second Row: Sara Legler, Jill Bonk, Ashley Newman, Kylee Souilliere, Kelcey Stutzman.
Back Row: Alivia Galley, Melissa Diamond, Claire Fuchser, Kyrsten Wood, Katelyn Baumgart.



Varsity Boys' Basketball

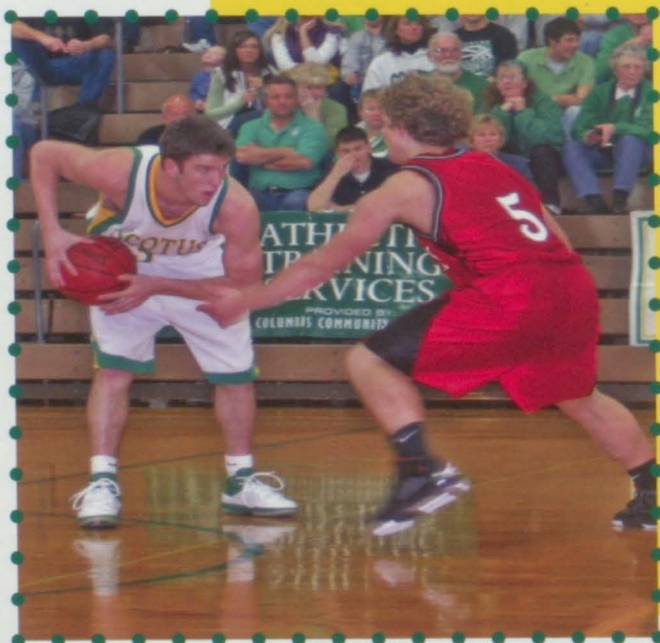
Varsity Boys

With six returning seniors this season, the Varsity Boys' Basketball team came out with a winning record of 13 wins and only 8 losses. The high point was the six game winning streak in the middle of the season. The boys defeated Lincoln Christian, Norfolk Catholic, Madison, Archbishop Bergan, Aquinas Catholic, and Grand Island Central Catholic. When asked what it was like to come out of the season with a winning record, Taylor Sues responded, "I was really pleased to be a part of the team that turned Scotus Basketball around from being at the bottom of class C-1." The team decided that Hastings St. Cecilia, Pierce, and Lakeview were their toughest opponents. Unfortunately the boys lost to Boone Central in the first round of districts. When looking forward to next year, Trace Murray said he wanted to continue the success of this year. Kirby Reardon commented, "I loved basketball and loved the players I played with, and although it didn't end the way I planned, I still loved it." Jeff Ohnoutka, Pat Brockhaus, and Mike VanCannon coached the team to a winning season in the 2008-09 school year.

SCC		OPP
37	Hastings St. Cecilia	49
38	Grand Island Central Catholic	41
62	West Point Central Catholic	31
52	Wayne	36
50	Schuyler	54
61	Twin River	58
39	Pierce	49
52	Schuyler	55
57	Lincoln Christian	26
58	Norfolk Catholic	48
60	Madison	27
64	Archbishop Bergan	50
61	Aquinas Catholic	73
51	Grand Island Central Catholic	38
57	CB St. Albert, IA	51
63	Lutheran High Northeast	34
57	Bishop Neumann	48
64	Lincoln Lutheran	26
45	Columbus Lakeview	42
55	Aquinas Catholic	
36	Boone Central	

Record 13-8

Chase Beiermann plays offense during the Norfolk Catholic game.



Tony Duren watches as Kirby Reardon shoots a free throw.

Varsity Boys' Basketball



Back: (left to right) Chase Beiermann, Kirby Reardon, Taylor Suess, Trace Murray, Shawn Schumacher, Alex Bolte, and Aaron Bos Front: (left to right) Ryan Ohnoutka, Jared Ostdiek, Alex Kuta, Tony Duren, and Lucas Backman

huddle



The Team

Boys Freshmen/JV Boys Basketball



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Front Row (L to R): Nick Preister, Pat Raimondo, Ryan Fehr, Keaton Schmidt, Josh Spenner.
Back Row: Ryan Ohnoutka, Brandon Nichelson, Alex Bolte, Levi Gasper, Aaron Alexander, Kade Hoefer.



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Front Row (L to R): Josh Spenner, Derrick Dierman, Ryan Ohnoutka, Kade Hoefer, Connor Sackett, Michael Miya
Back Row: Cameron Wiehn, Zach Christiansen, Alex Bolte, Brady Vancura, Matthew Alexander

Junior High Boys Basketball



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Front Row (L to R): Conner Lusche, Nick Modde, Zach Jepsen, Marcus Forney, Zach Spencer.
 2nd Row: Cameron Jakub, Austin Ewers, Michael Kurtenbach, Cole Alexander, Peter Dolezal, Jack Hoppe.
 3rd Row: Ian Ostdiek, Derek Kaslon, Nick McElhose, Jacob Nienaber, Alex Lyons, Cody Zimmerman.
 Back Row: Alex Wallick, Nathan Ebner, Colt Clarey, Ryan Fuchs, Tony Zoucha, Ethan Forney, Daniel Strecker.

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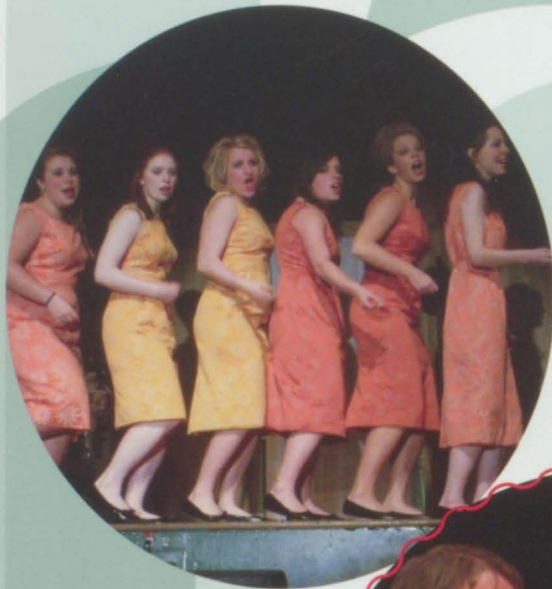
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Front Row (L to R): Taylor Hladik, Brandon Hahn, Jonathon Hanson, Zach Zarek, Derek Lahm, Alex Ernst.
 2nd Row: Craig Ackman, Brennan Brockhaus, Dylan Kuta, Jacob Huss, Jacob Gilson, Adam Strecker, Nathan Schacher.
 Back Row: Ian Baumgart, Joseph Warth, Taylor Johnson, Jacob Ruskamp, Austin Wendt, Brook Frewing.

MUSICAL

"Little Shop of Horrors"



CRC singing "Skid Row".

This year the Music Department presented the musical, *Little Shop of Horrors*, with a new director, Josh Ryan. Ms. Gardner was the music director and Lori Fehr was the accompanist.

The musical starts out with Seymour (Aaron Wrigley) helping out at Musnik's (Nathan Hotovy) flower shop. When Seymour discovers a new plant species, Mushnik suddenly becomes rich. However, Seymour soon finds out the plant is alive and has a decision to make: either kill the plant and risk having Audrey (Summer Kresha), Seymour's love interest, not like him anymore, or kill people since the plant only eats blood.



Aaron Wrigley and Nathan Hotovy singing "Mushnik and Son".

Senior Aaron Wrigley commented on the play saying, "The musical this year was a huge success. After working over 15 plays, it was the most fun and best production Scotus has done in the 6 years I've been apart of it."

Even though there might have been some grueling practices and some rough patches during this process, it all paid off in the end. The musical turned out to be a great success, being many people's favorite.



Summer Kresha singing "Somewhere That's Green."



Nicholas Raimondo singing "Dentist".

MUSICAL

"Little Shop of Horrors"



Front Row: Kiley Bierman, Morgan Gilson, Carrie Bartholomew, Melissa Diamond

2nd Row: Levi McPhilips, Alise Perault, Joel Ostdiek, Bill Cremers, Cale Albracht, Ben Heusinkvelt, Quintin Siemek

3rd Row: Josh Ryan, Sarah Swope, Whitney Hank, Catie Wiese, Abby Schademann, Kelly Augustine, Amber Ewers, Kelsey Seckel, Trey Stuthman, Holly Broxterman, Chloe Kucera, Taylor Baumgart, Amy Steiner, Jen Hall, Amanda Newman, AJ Bose, Lori Fehr, Ms. Gardner

Back Row: Jaci Beauvais, Kelsey Jochum, Chelsea Bartholomew, Nathan Hotovy, Kris Fleeman, Andy Heusinkvelt, Aaron Wrigley, Summer Kresha, Patrick Raimondo, Peter Heusinkvelt, Nick Raimondo, Eric Diamond, Megan Kresha, Jenna Roh, Laura Salyard, Olivia Sondermann

Seniors take a picture after the play.

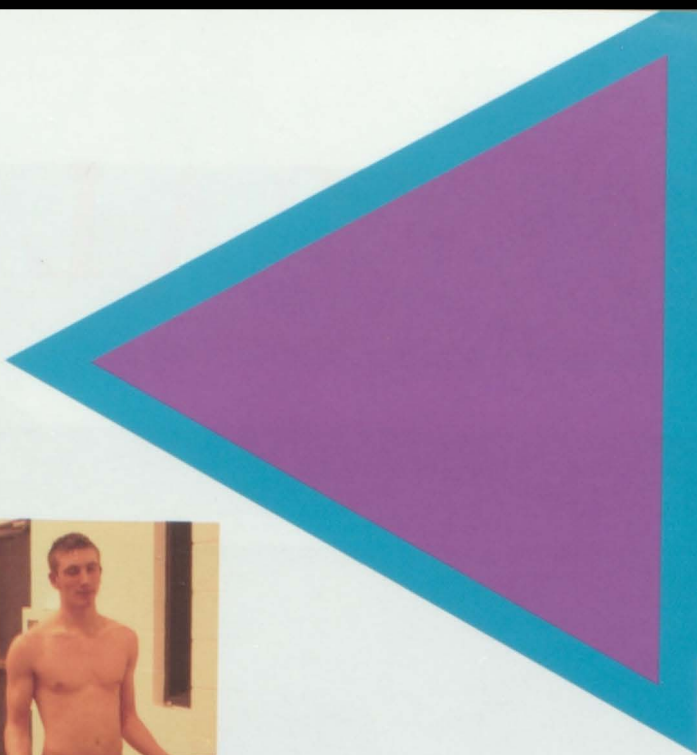


Aaron Wrigley sings to Audrey II.



Audrey II





Winter Activities

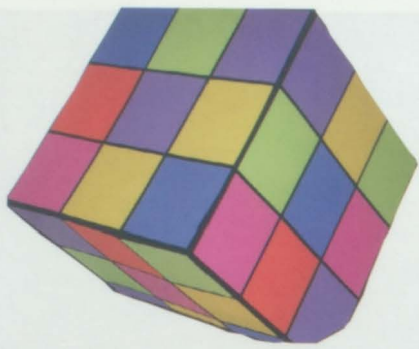




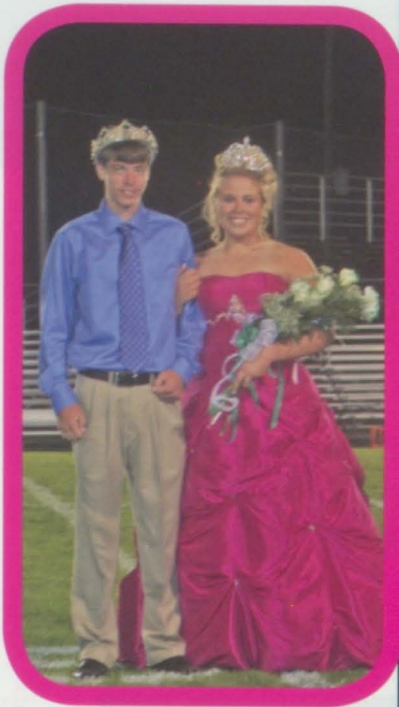
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Winter Activities





Homecoming

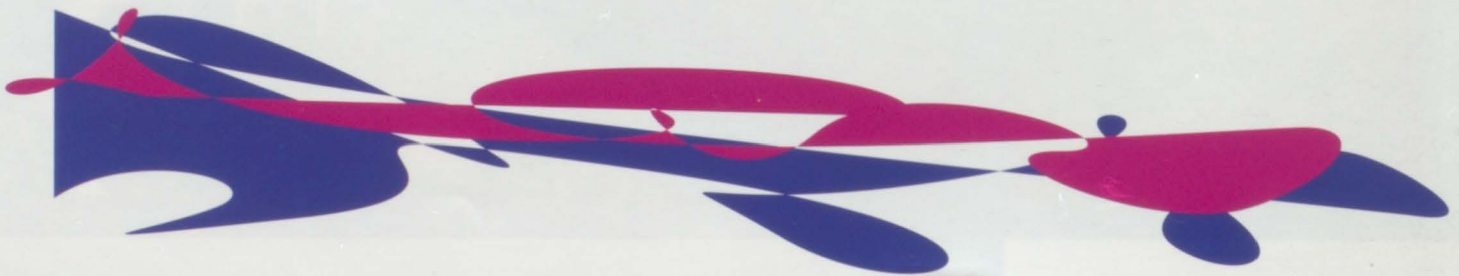


Pictured above is Scotus' Homecoming King and Queen of 2008: Jared Ostdiek and Megan Kresha.

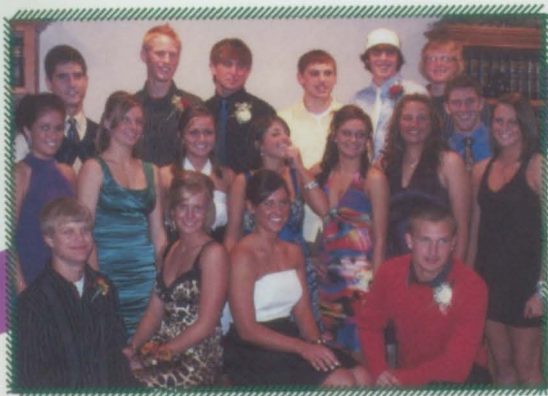


Pictured above are the homecoming candidates of 2008 (from left to right): Ashley Paprocki, Tony Duren, Jen Williams, Kirby Reardon, Megan Kresha, Jared Ostdiek, Taylour Kumpf, David Gokie, Macey Fuhr, Chase Beiermann, Kelli Schumacher, and Bill Kurtenbach

Homecoming night kicked off with a win against Utica (48-12). It just got better from there. "Rocking the Rubix Cube" was a complete success. The music was great, and the reactions from the students were even better. The night might have gone by too fast for some, but the memories will last a lifetime.



Homecoming



Homecoming Week

Wednesday-Dance Crew



Hailey Spencer, and Jenna Moore dress together in tie-dye.
Kelcey Robak, Stacia Rawhouser



Catie Wiese, Kelsey Seckle, and Molly Forney dress alike.



Nicholson, Trenton Kuta, Jens Paprocki, and Mark Ternus dress as the Mario Bros.
Michael Albin, Brandon

Rockin'

The Homecoming week of 2008 went... retro with Monday being "Disco Day", classic with Tuesday as "Disney Day", old school with Wednesday being "Dance Crew Day", and green and gold with Friday being "Spirit Day".



Eighth grade girls finally getting their chance to dress up in green.



Whitney Hank, Kiley Bierman, Summer Kuehn, and Abby Scheffer say "peace".



Taylor Kumpf, and Macey Fuhr stop and pose during their dance off with the boys.

Friday-Spirit Day

Homecoming Week

Monday-Disco Day

Clar Adelman and Hannah Bolter

ockin' their afros.



Ebel, Ashley Paprocki, and Cassandra Spulak dress

in matching outfits.



Kaitlynn Krassen, Whitney

from their busy day to smile for the camera.



The Yearbook Staff take a break

the Rubik's Cube

"Nightmare Before Christmas".

Nathan Hotowy as Jack Skellington in a



Hellbusch, Tiffany Wieser, and Andrea Odert dress up

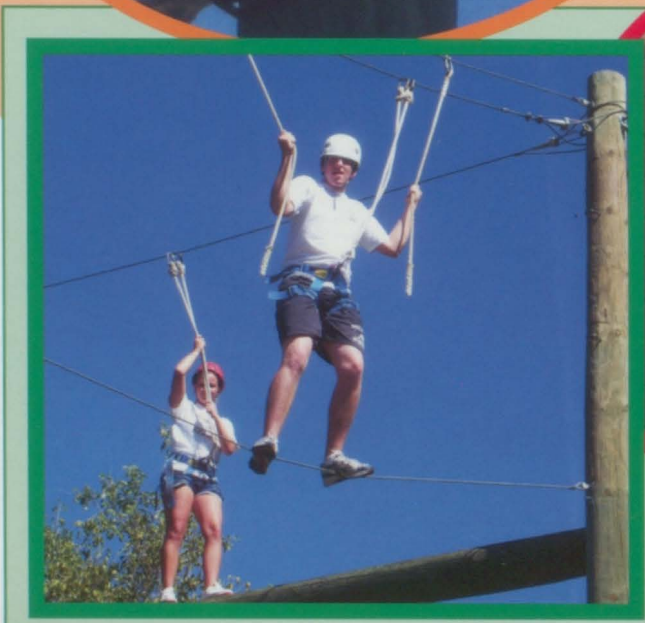
as lions during spirit week.

Laura Zoch, Maggie

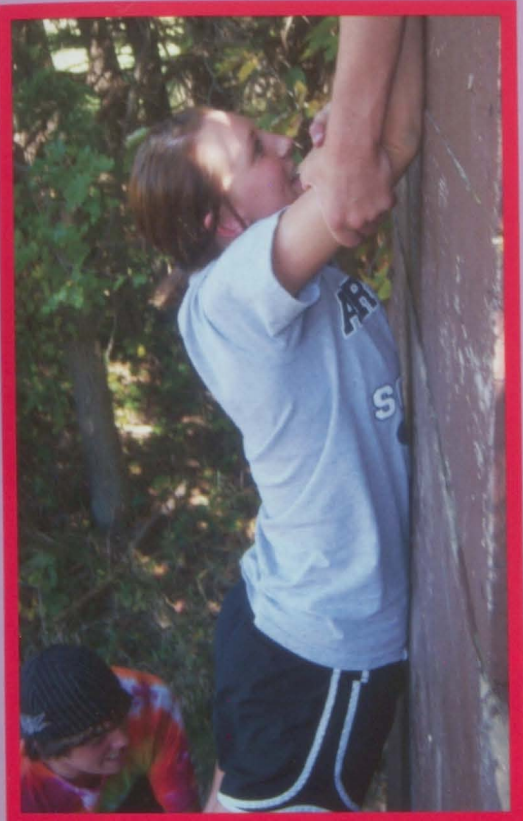


Tuesday-Disney Day

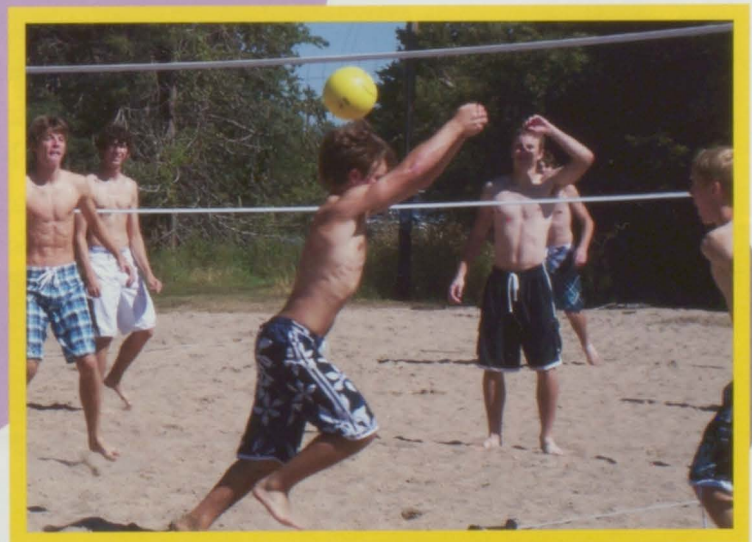
Senior Retreat



Senior Retreat



The Seniors traveled to Camp Timberlake for their final retreat. It started off on the wrong foot because no one would cooperate when they were trying to take their class picture. The day only got better as the seniors played some intense games, went on a scavenger hunt, and described how their class has changed since they were freshmen. It was then time for lunch, and that literally meant a rush to the lunch area. Needless to say, everyone ate fast because the blob was next. As people were flying high, others chose to play cards and volleyball. Some of the seniors' biggest fears were conquered after they spent most of the afternoon climbing power poles and rock walls. Dinner was next along with the best part of the day. The seniors received a letter from their parents, and also a letter from a seventh grader. The seniors were touched by these letters and carried this attitude into their last mass together as a class.



Lady Yellow Vipers

WIN/LOSS	OPPONENT
1st	Shamrock Invite
W	Pierce
W	Norfolk Catholic
W	Aquinas
L	CICC
1st	North Bend Invite
W	Boone Central
W	North Bend
W	Aquinas
W	Schuyler
2nd	GLN.W. Tournament
W	Hastings St. Cecilia
W	York
L	Grand Island Northwest
W	Lakeview
1st	Seward Invite
W	York
W	Schuyler
W	Seward
W	Wahoo Neumann
1st	Conference Tournament
W	Aquinas
W	Fremont Bergan
W	CICC
W	Lincoln Christian
W	Hastings St. Cecilia
W	Lincoln Lutheran
W	Skutt
1st	Subdistricts
W	Twin River
W	Lakeview
1st	Districts
W	Ashland-Greenwood
1st	State Tournament
W	Kearney Catholic
W	St. Paul
W	CICC



Great, awesome, sweet, indescribable: all these words have circulated the school describing the win at the State Championship Tournament this year. The tradition of going to state starts again. The team chemistry this year was awesome according to the girls. The seniors bid a "mixed-emotion" farewell to the season. It is great to end on a good note, but so sad to see it go. As said by sophomore Lindsay McElhose, "I'm sad it's over—I had a blast—but I'm excited to come back next year because we have something to live up to now."

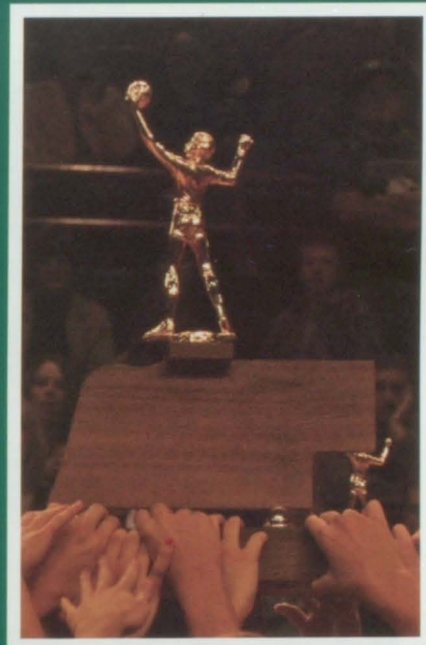


Left: Kelli Schumacher and Sami Spinner please the crowd with a stuff block at home.

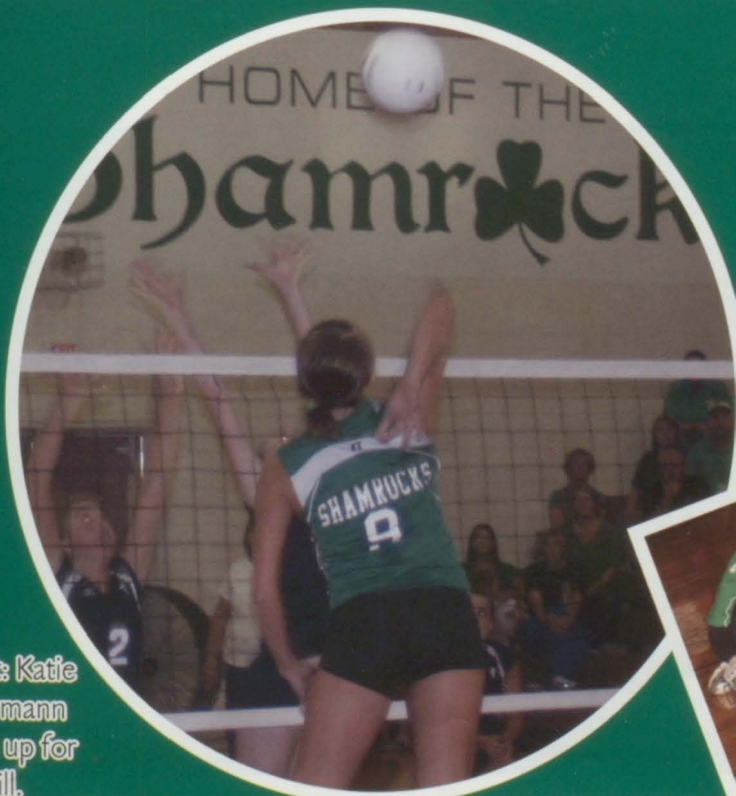
Varsity Volleyball



Front Row Left to Right: Tiffany Haney, Andrea Odbert, Whitney Ebel. Second Row: Rebecca Hall, Lindsay McElhose, Sami Spenner, Kenzie Leu, Ashley Paprocki, Laura Zach. Back Row: Coach Janet Tooley, Monica Boeding, Katelyn Kerkman, Maggie Hellbusch, Katie Beiermann, Kelli Schumacher, Coach John Petersen, Manager Jen



The first place trophy.



Right: Katie Beiermann goes up for the kill.



Left: Whitney Ebel lifts, steps, and serves.



The volleyball team gets in the traditional huddle before the game.



Junior High Volleyball

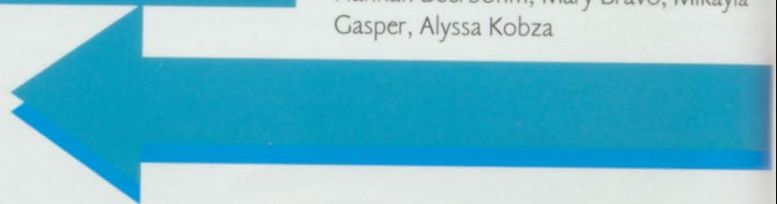


7th Grade

Coaches: Jane Dusel-Misfeldt and Joan Lahr

Team Members Left to Right, First Row: Emily Allen, Jessica Martys, Carly Foltz, Alli Bos, Shelby Beller, Ashlea Rinkol
Second Row: Chantle Shanle, Gabrielle Paczosa, Kristen Ohnoutka, Teresa Tremel, Payton Chochon
Third Row: Brooke Olmer, Liz Smith, Katie Reisdorff, Emily Kosch, Amy Price
Last Row: Jennifer Ryan, Samantha Patocka, Breanna Walker, Hannah Merrill, Laura Miksch.

Not Pictured: Alexis Mullinix, Kate Rambour, Hannah Beerbohm, Mary Bravo, Mikayla Gasper, Alyssa Kobza



8th Grade

Coaches: Gary Luchsinger and Tracy Kucera

Team Members Left to Right, Front Row: Jill Bonk, Taylor Merrill, Hailey Luebe, Ashlyn Brockhaus, Tara Starzec
Second Row: Shayla Wieser, Hannah Harrington, Alyssa Foltz, Morgan Benesch, Anna Perault
Third Row: Kyrsten Wood, Allison Smith, Kylee Soulliere, Ashley Newman, Kara Moore
Back Row: Luran Hellbusch, Bridgette Brune, Tessa Stuart, Brenna Nelson, Kelcey Stutzman



Varsity Freshmen and JV Lady Yellow Volleyball

Freshmen

Coach: Mrs. Julie Blaser
Student Manager: Jenna Dubas

Team Members Left to Right, Front Row:
Angie Wieser, Stacia Rawhouser, Kelsey Newman, Morgan Pernicek
Second Row: Chloe Kucera, Hannah Fuchs, Hannah Spenceri, Steph Jarecke, Emmie Odbert, Allison Jepsen
Back Row: Coach Julie Blaser, Caitlin Wiehn, Kelcey Robak, Jenna Moore, Rachel Ram-bour, and Jordan Chohon



Junior Varsity

Coach: Mrs. Janet Tooley
Student Manager Jen Williams

Team Members Left to Right, Front Row:
Katie Ohnoutka, Amanda Newman, Morgan Duren
Second Row: Tiffany Haney, McKenzie Leu, Olivia Sonderman, Amber Ewers
Back Row: Coach Janet Tooley, Lindsay McElhose, Katelyn Kerkman, Shelby Johnson, Laura Zach, Becky Hall and Student Manager Jen Williams

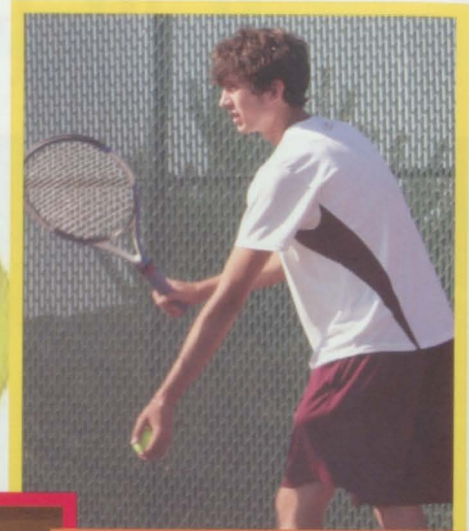


Boys' Tennis

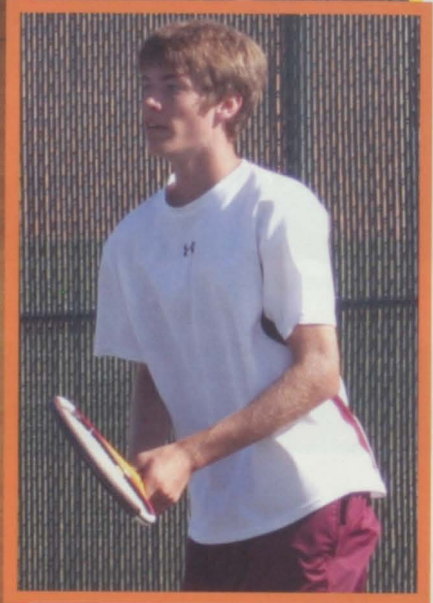


At left: Simon Schacher serves it up during a singles match.
Above: Matt Alexander returns his opponents shot with a volley.

At right: David Gokie prepares his toss for a serve.



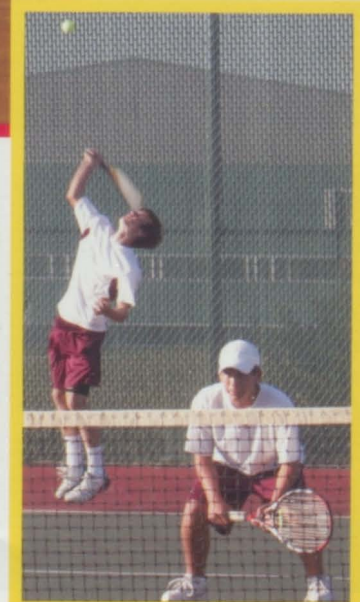
Front row: Mark Ternus, Ryan Fehr, Trenton Kuta. Back row: David Gokie, Simon Schacher, Jared Ostdiek.



Jared Ostdiek waits for his opponent to

serve during a singles match.

The Columbus High boys' tennis team had a strong contribution this year from Scotus. The contributions came from seniors David Gokie, Jared Ostdiek, and Simon Schacher; junior Matt Alexander; sophomore Michael Tremel; and freshmen Ryan Fehr, Trenton Kuta, and Mark Ternus. While Alexander, Tremel, Ternus, and Kuta made their presence felt on the JV team, Scacher teamed up with CHS teammate Blake Munson and Gokie teamed up with Jason Auspberger for doubles, and Ostdiek and Fehr went the season solo in singles. Unfortunate draws in the state tournament lead to early exits by most of the team, but Ostdiek still saw positives in the season. "This season we showed a lot of improvement and had a lot of fun playing," Ostdiek said. Although the season is over, the memories these boys made will last forever.



Jared Ostdiek focuses on the ball during a serve as his partner Ryan Fehr waits patiently during a doubles match.

Madison Softball



Megan Kresha takes a swing during a game.



Paige Sprunk catches a fly ball.



Summer Kresha in the process of delivering a pitch.



The softball team put forth great effort this year. After splitting with Lincoln Northeast in the first two games of the year, the girls won the Lincoln Public Schools Invite. The good times were soon met with dispare when senior pitcher Megan Kresha suffered a major knee injury. The team continued to compete though, compiling a 9-18 record going into districts. District play pro-

vides a team a new season, and the girls took advantage of that, making it to the district finals before losing to Grand Island. Kresha was the only Shamrock to make the varsity team, but Summer Kresha and Paige Sprunk were named to the JV team and look forward to making a difference on the team next year.

"The season could have gone better, but we still had fun. Being a leader, my injury really hurt the team's morale," said Kresha. "It was nice to see so many girls go out, and they should have a good season."

SOFTBALL

US	THEM
11-5	2-6
	@ Lincoln Northeast*
	@ LPS Invite
2	Milford 0
7	Lincoln NE 3
1	Lincoln Pius X 0
1-0	Lincoln North Star* 13-1
1-9	Lincoln East* 11-11
9-7	@ Lincoln High* 0-0
0-0	Grand Island* 6-8
5-6	Kearney* 1-14
5-1	@ Lincoln Southeast* 7-11
	@ Lincoln SE Tourney
1	Lincoln Pius X 5
1	Blair 10
0	Cozad 6
1-5	@ Norfolk 3-6
0-5	Fremont 8-6
	@ GNAC Tourney
6	Hastings 4
8	Scottsbluff 7
2	North Platte 8
	@ Districts
11-7	Kearney 10-3
2-3	Grand Island 9-4

* indicates double header

Final Record:
11-20

Varsity Girls' Golf



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PHOTOGRAPHY

Bottom Row (L to R): Liz Zabawa, Jenna Roh, Jacy Gasper. Middle Row (L to R): Michacla Streit, Alise Perault, Nicole Gasper. Top Row (L to R): Schalise Vancura, Tori Enquist, Coach Niedbalski, Jena Grubaugh, Abby Schademann.



Top: Varsity golfers Jenna Roh and Liz Zabawa lining up their putts.
Right: Senior Schalise Vancura swinging during a practice round at the state course, Indianhead, in Grand Island.



Varsity team placed first at the Albion Invite.

Varsity Girls' Golf



The Scotus Varsity Girls' Golf Team had an amazing season. They started off a bit rough but came through towards the end. There were many firsts for the golf team this year. For the first time in many years the golf team won five regular season meets, duals, and triangulars. Also, the golf team won their districts which was played at Jack Rabbit Run in Grand Island. They went on to play at Indianhead Golf Course in Grand Island for the State Tournament where they placed fourth. Senior player Liz Zabawa said, "We had a great season and went into State with high hopes, unfortunately we didn't play as well as we would have liked, but still ended up placing fairly well. The weather was awful and there was a great amount of pressure on the team, so I am proud of how we finished." The golf team finished the year with their heads held high and many memories that will last a lifetime.



Far Left: Varsity team placing 1st at Oakland-Craig Invite.

Left: Senior Varsity golfer Liz Zabawa hits a shot at Quail Run golf course.



Right: Varsity golfers Liz Zabawa and Jenna Roh add up their scores after the Scotus and Norfolk Catholic Dual.

SCOREBOARD

Place	Rank
Norfolk Catholic Dual	2nd
G.I.C.C. Invite	4th
Scotus Triangular	1st
Aurora Invite	2nd
Blair Invite	2nd
Lakeview Triangular	1st
Boone Central Invite	1st
Wayne Invite	2nd
St. Francis Dual	1st
Scotus Invite	3rd
Oakland-Craig Invite	1st
Districts	1st
STATE	4th



Varsity team placed first at the District Tournament at Jack Rabbit Run in Grand Island.

Varsity Football

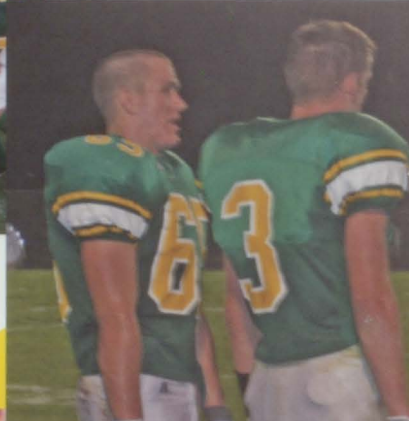
SCOREBOARD

Team	Us	Them
Lakeview	42	35
Aquinas	28	0
St. Cecilia	7	26
Madison	24	29
Utica	48	12
David City High	41	17
Twin River	41	28
Boone Central	17	0
First Round Playoffs: David City High	21	24

The Varsity Football team had a tremendous season this year. They lost the regular season game and made it to the first round of state playoffs, where they lost to David City. The team was looking good and in high hopes but unfortunately had a few setbacks. With starting quarterback Lucas Backman out with a broken collar bone, Callen Schwank taken out of the playoff game, and a few unfavorable calls, the team was left empty-handed. Senior runningback Bill Kurtenbach said "We had a good season but didn't end the way we would have liked. We all worked hard and tried our best."



Top: Line of scrimmage right before a play against Lakeview.



Right: Seniors Callen Schwank and Chase Beiermann discuss the game on the side lines.



Left: Scotus tries making a tackle during the Homecoming game.



Shamrocks lined up on side line during the Scotus vs. Lakeview game.



Below: Shawn Schumacher tries making a block during the Homecoming game.

Varsity Football



FIERCE

Left: Chase Beiermann prepares to make a kick.
Top: Quarterback Lucas Backman makes a run during the Scotus Lakeview game.

VISITORS SEATING



Front Row (L to R): Nathan Hotovy, Josh Ryba, Jordan Janda, Craig Pekarek, Taylor Suess, Kirby Reardon, Chase Beiermann, Bill Kurtenbach, Callen Schwank, Quintin Siemek. 2nd Row: Lucas Backman, Dalton Leu, Aaron Bos, Alex Kuta, Eric Tubbs, Matt Puckett, Tom Rambour, Pat McKay, Arturo Spindola. 3rd Row: Dillon Clarey, Zach Christensen, Dana Fuchs, Trevor Thiele, Dylan Thompson, Austin Wallick, Brian Ackman, Cameron Wiehn. 4th Row: Grant Pontow, Nathan Wangler, Peter Heusinkvelt, Eric Diamond, James Euteneuer, Trace Murray, Aaron Alexander, Andy Heusinkvelt, Jake Kratochvil. 5th Row: Ryan Ohnoutka, Pat Raimondo, Levi McPhillips, Casey Kessler, Devin Iwan, Stephen Pandorf, Brandon Nichelson, Fritz Hoppe. Last Row: Calvin Borer, Josh Spenner, Alex Bolte, Austin Wortman, Tyler Zimmerman, Michael Esch, Cody Placzek. Coaches: Roger Krienke, Jarrod Ridder, Rick Grubaugh.

Varsity Freshman Varsity Football



Front (left to right): Fritz Hoppe, Patrick Raimondo, Kade Hoefler, Josh Spenner, Aaron Alexander, Brandon Nicholson
(Not pictured): Andy Heusinkvelt, Jake Kratochvil, and Tyler Zimmerman.
Back (left to right): Calvin Borer, Ryan Ohnoutka, Austin Wortman, Alex Bolte, Michael Esch, Cody Placzek.

7th grade Football

Front row (left to right): Alex Wallick, Brandon Cook, Tony Zoucha, Austin Ewers, Nathan Ebner, Michael Kurtenbach, Colt Clarey, Connor Moran, Zach Spencer.

Back row (left to right): Jacob Nienaber, Jack Hoppe, Phillip Levos, Cameron Jakub, Nicholas McElhose, Cody Zimmerman, Alex Lyons, Derek Kaslon.

Middle row (left to right): Blake Schroeder, Trey Wortman, Conner Lusche, Daniel Streckler, Nick Modde, Peter Dolezal, Ian Ostdiek, Cole Alexander, Ryan Fuchs.



The Junior High Football team had great success this year with both teams scoring a 2 wins and 2 loss record. Their favorite memories include: 7th grade beating Norflok Catholic 14-0 and 8th grade beating Schuyler 8-6. Both teams are excited for the years to come and their High School football careers.

Junior High Football

8th grade Football

Front Row (left to right): Ian Baumgart, Brandon Hahn, Dylan Kuta, Nicholas Pandorf, Nathan Schacher, Kyle Bonk, Adam Strecker
Not pictured: Derek Lahm .

Middle row (left to right): Kiel Brunken, Jacob Gilson, Luke Modde, Brennan Brockhaus, Taylor Johnson, Brook Frewing, Cole Nelson, Christopher Dimas.

Back row (left to right): Craig Ackman, Zachary Zarek, Jacob Ruskamp, Austin Wendet, Alex Ernst, Jacob Huss, Ian Robak, Joseph Wath.



Cross Country

Scoreboard

Meet	Place
Boone Central	6th
Lakeview Tri	2nd
Wahoo Invite	7th
Columbus Dual	2nd
Scotus Invite	9th
North Bend	3rd
UNK Invite	7th
Aquinas Invite	10th
Conf. - Bergan	3rd
Districts - Pierce	6th



Front Row (L to R): Coach Lahm, Kenzie Paczosa, Tiffany Wieser, Hannah Schaecher.
 Middle Row: Sara Baer, Lindsay Staroscik, Emily Jarecki, Sarah Swope.
 Back Row: Amy Steiner, Jennifer Hall, Taylour Kumpf.

Top: Taylour Kumpf running at home. Middle: Tiffany Wieser making a move. Bottom: The team at North Bend.

The whole year was filled with competition for varsity spots as well as individual improvement. Every girl on the team ran each race "looking forward" while never "looking back." The team missed a very important runner in Emily Jarecki at the beginning of the year. This year the lone girl to make the State Meet was Emily Jarecki. She finished 46th overall in the Girls Class C1 State Meet. Although the team did not make State, the year had many memories that will never be forgotten.



Left: Amy Steiner running the middle of her race. Middle: Lindsay Staroscik heading into her finish. Right: Sara Baer pacing herself. Top: Emily Jarecki with her game face on.

Cross Country

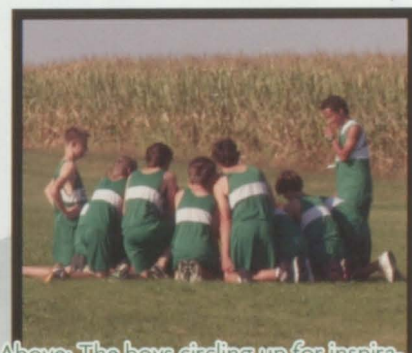


Front Row (L to R): Coach Lahm, Nick Preister, Joel Ostdiek, Ryan Becker, Brad Steiner, Adam Moore. Middle Row: Cale Albracht, Nick Raimondo, Jon Otte, Ryan Miksch, Kyle Benesch. Back Row: Mitchell Kwapnioski, Trey Stuthman, Levi Gasper, Tony Duren. Not Pictured: Adam Niedbalski, Michael Miya, AJ Bose, Alex Beller, Mitch Peterson.

Scoreboard

Meet	Place
Boone Central	5th
Lakeview Tri	1st
Wahoo Invite	6th
Columbus Dual	2nd
Scotus Invite	3rd
North Bend	1st
UNK Invite	8th
Aquinas Invite	4th
Conf. - Bergan	4th
Districts - Pierce	4th

This year the team came out strong. The underclassmen were a great addition to the team and were always challenging the veteran runners to be better. The bus rides and team unity circles will never be forgotten. Each race was "looked forward" to and never did the team "look back" on how the prior races had gone. Although the team was incapable of qualifying anybody for the State Meet, the team performed well at every meet. Six points separated the boys from qualifying for State as a team.



Above: The boys circling up for inspiration before a home meet. Below: Tony Duren and Brad Steiner at the beginning of the home meet.



Top Left: Joel Ostdiek running his race. Bottom Left: Levi Gasper gasping for air. Above: Start of a meet. Right: Boys' team after winning the meet.



Cheerleading



Above: Captain Kaitlynn Klaassen leads the student section during a volleyball time-out.



Left: Kelcey Robak and Jacinta Beauvais stretch out before a game.



Above: Sara Dolezal and Sam Ebner dance at the Little Girls Cheer Camp.

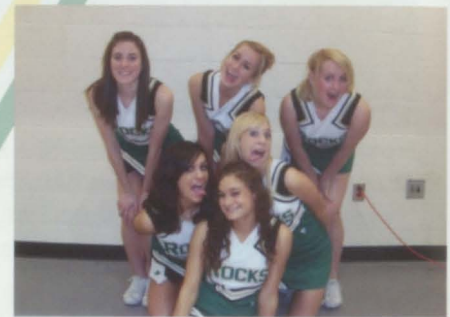
Below: Jenna Dubas, Hannah Schaecher, Ashley Kuta, Kaitlynn Klaassen and Kelly Augustine cheer on the football boys during the homecoming game.



KEEPING THE SPIRIT...

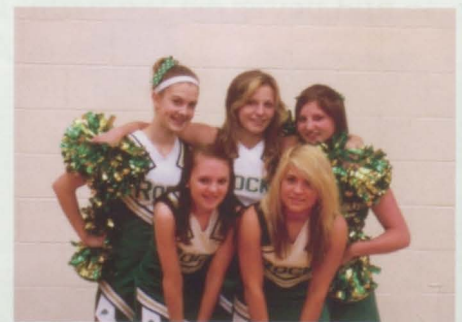
The Scotus Cheerleading Squad this year went through some major changes. The cheerleaders started off the year with two new sponsors, Sandy Spady and Pat Engel, as well as seven new members, all freshmen, but one. The cheer squad has began to multiply again after the past two years it has been on a downward slope. The squad was also split for the first time. There was a Volleyball and Girls' Basketball squad, as well as a Football and Boys' Basketball squad.

The cheerleaders met at least three times a week to practice and make posters to hang around the school. They held their annual Cheer Camp for the grade schools, performing to the theme "80's, 90's, and Right Now!" The cheerleaders stomped their feet to the beat of a dance during Homecoming. They also performed at Jam the Gym and at local nursing homes. This year was the first year that the cheerleaders did fundrasing to make it to the State Cheerleading Championship in Grand Island, where they got 9th place.



Above: The football and boys basketball squad: Sara Dolezal, Kelcey Robak, Jacinta Beauvais, Sam Ebner, Hannah Schaecher, and Kaitlynn Klaassen.

Below: The volleyball and girls basketball squad: Kelly Augustine, Stacia Rawhouser, Abbey Schieffer, Jenna Dubas, and Ashley Kuta



Cheerleading



Above, The entire 2008-2009 Cheerleading Squad First Row: Sam Ebner, Ashley Kuta, and Sara Dolezal. Second Row: Co-Captain Hannah Schaecher, Kelly Augustine, Kelcey Robak, Jacinta Beauvais, Abbey Schieffer. Third Row: Stacia Rawhouser, Sponsor Sandy Spady, Captain Kaitlynn Klaassen, Sponsor Pat Engel Jenna Dubas.

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"The 2008-2009 cheerleaders worked together as a team. Cheerleading is the chance to express their individual style. I am very proud of all of them."
Sandy Spady, sponsor



Above Left: The Cheerleaders cheer on the volleyball team with the **Rowdy Dowdies** during the state volleyball championship game.

Left: Cheerleaders take a break during half time.

Right: Hannah Schaecher and Jenna Dubas lead the crowd during a time out.



Play



Bill Cremers



Jenna Roh



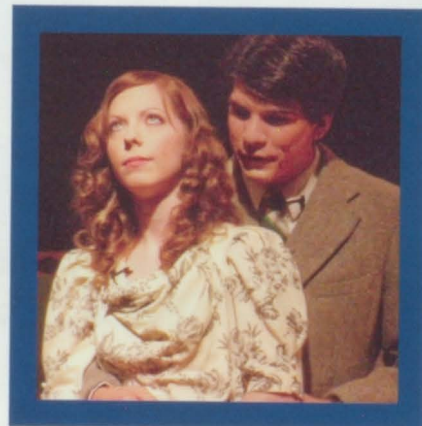
Chelsea Bartholomew



Alise Perault

This year's cast consisted of only eight members which is relatively small compared to past years. The whole cast approved of the fact that only eight actors were involved in the play this year. The plot of the play was about the production of an opera that went array. It was quite a hit.

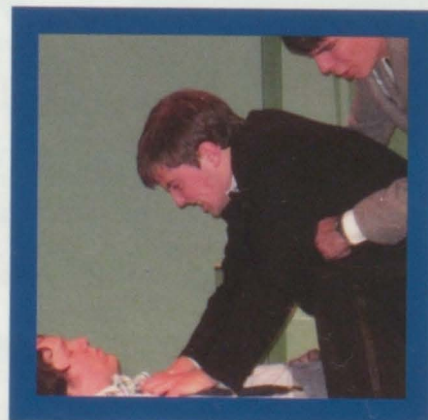
They had a new director this year, Lori Sinovic, and word had it that she did an awesome job. Ms. Gardner (Ms. G) also helped in producing the play. The play went over very well and everyone is excited to see what the new director has to bring next year.



"I loved the play as it had a very well-developed plot and great humor." - Bill Cremers



"A small cast, I feel, is much better. It is easier to work with, and allows for more character depth involved." - Nathan Hotovy



Fall Play

Lend Me A Tenor



Back Row: Carrie Bartholomew, Peter Heusinkvelt, Ben Heusinkvelt, Abby Schademann, Holly Broxterman, Trey Stuthman, Catie Wiese, Andy Heusinkvelt.
Middle Row: Alise Perault, Olivia Sonderman, Aaron Wrigley, Nathan Hotovy.
Front Row: Ms. Gardner, Jenna Roh, Chelsea Bartholomew, Nicholas Raimondo, Bill Cremers, Kathy Beauvais, Lori Sinovic.



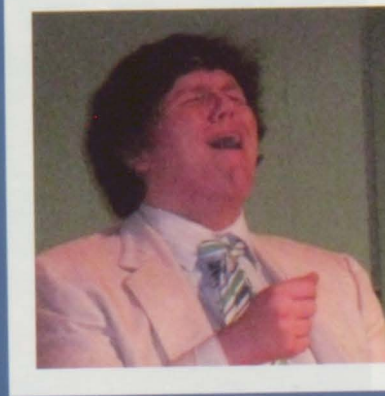
Nathan Hotovy



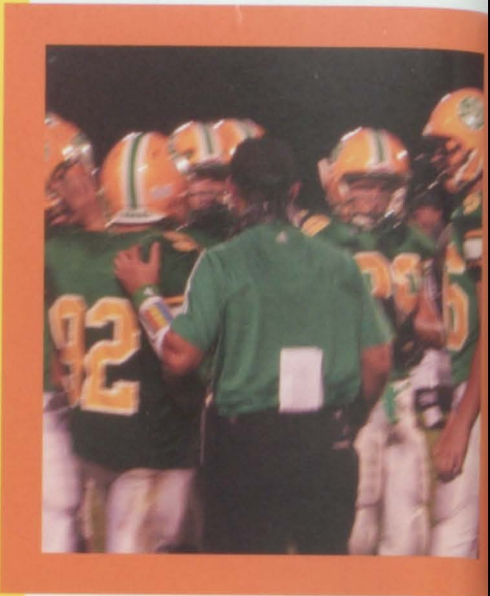
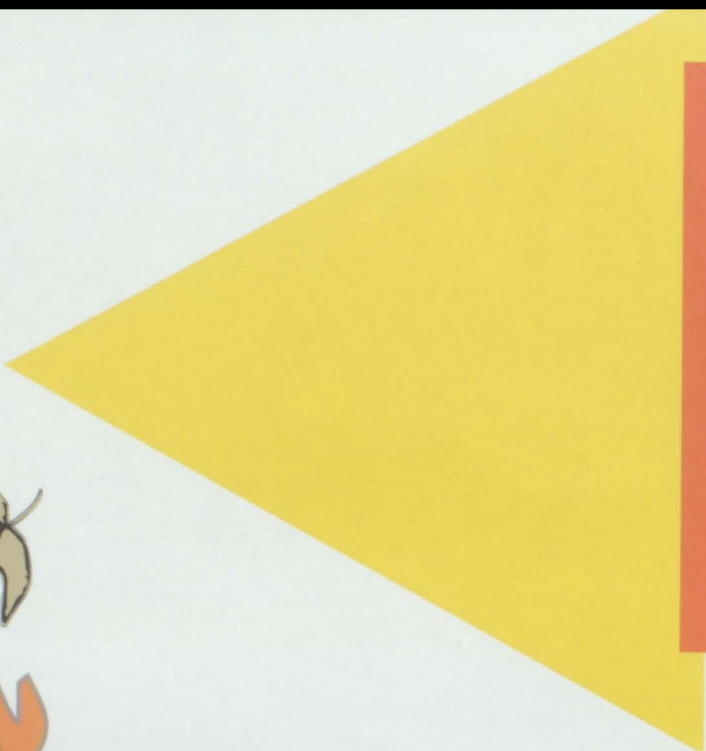
Nicholas Raimondo



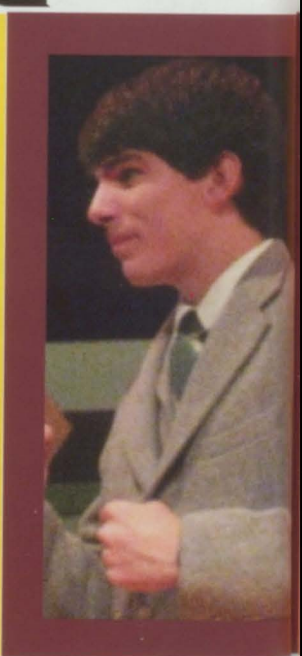
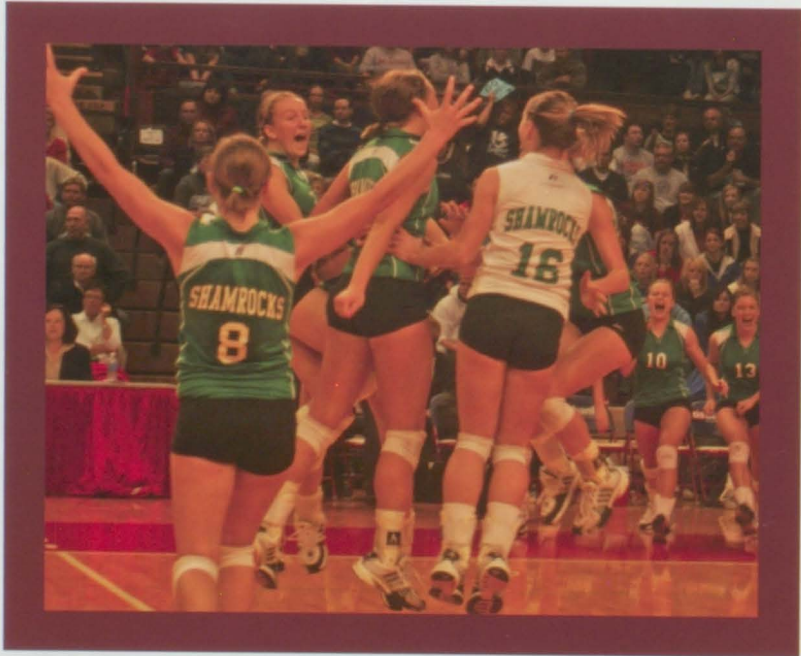
Olivia Sonderman

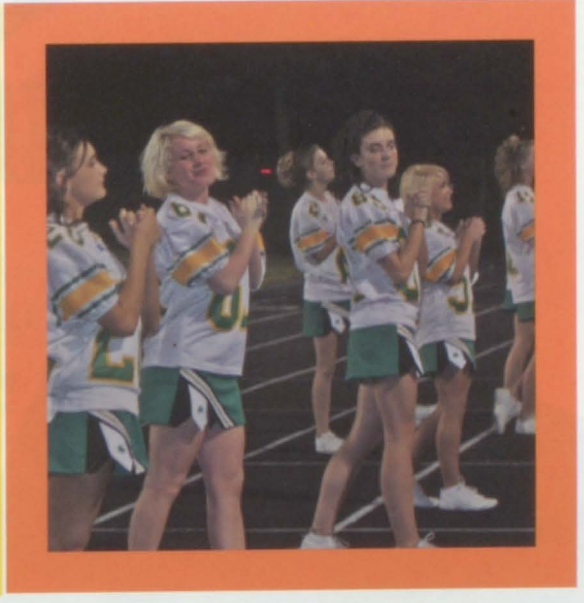
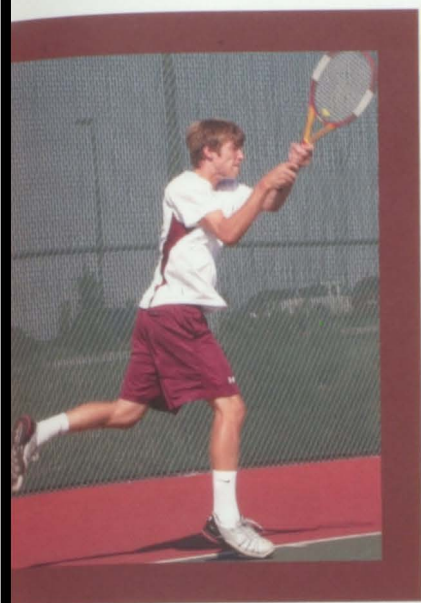


Aaron Wrigley



Fall Activities





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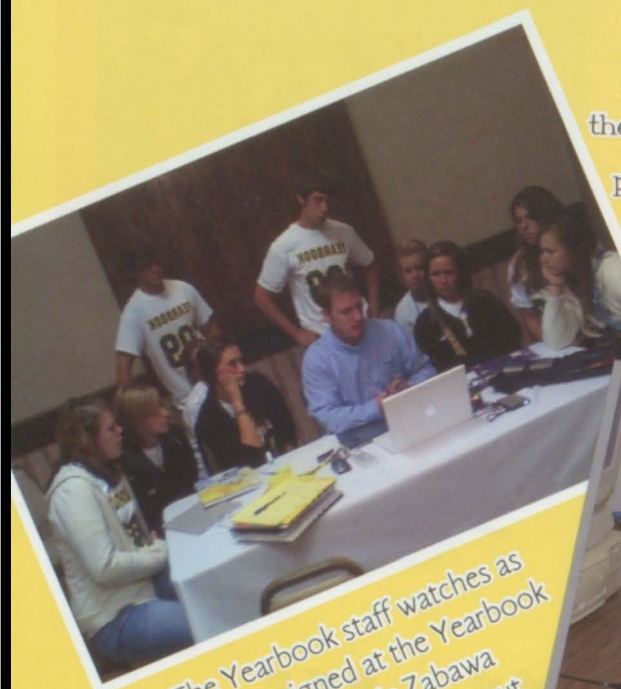
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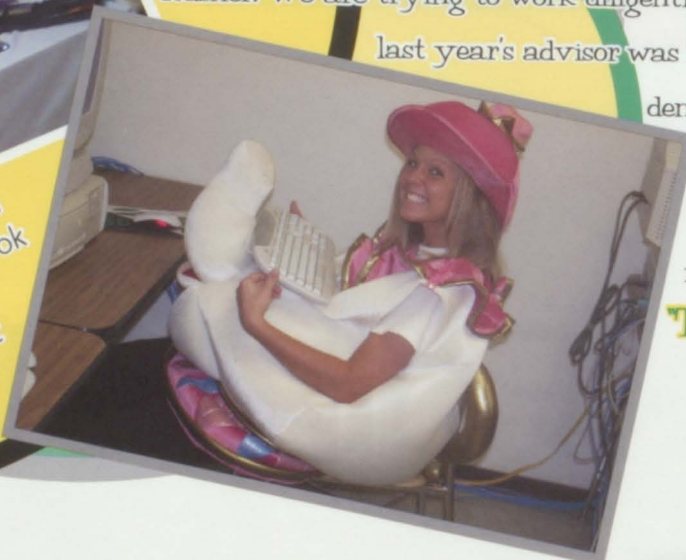
Woodbury Yearbook

Over the course of the year, the members of the 2008-2009 yearbook staff slaved over their mouses and keyboards, desperately attempting to figure out the page designing program and create the best product they could. Even during times when advisor Mrs. Rusher tried to deter their attention, the members would not let her saying, "No, Mrs. Rusher! We are trying to work diligently!" Some went as far as to say last year's advisor was better than this year's. The students persevered, though, and used the knowledge from some of last year's members to design what many people are calling...

'The Best Yearbook Ever!'



Above: The Yearbook staff watches as their cover is designed at the Yearbook Convention. At right: Liz Zabawa finds a new use for her spout during class.



Yearbook staff: Janessa Ellis, Liz Zabawa, Jen Williams, Lori Fehr, Kelli Schumacher, Kaitlynn Klaassen, Whitney Ebel, Bill Kurtenbach, Macey Fuhr, Tony Duren.

Best of the Rest

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Kaitlynn Klaassen
Computer Tech

A



Mrs. Rusher
Advisor

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Bill Kurtenbach
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Independent Thespians



The Thespians has always been a group that has been misunderstood. Thespians is an international honor society that is open only by invitation to students actively involved in the theater department at their school. The main focus of Thespians is to keep an interest in the theater and encourage the development of

it in their community.

The select students that were inducted this year were freshmen Ben Heusinkvelt, Andy Heusinkvelt, Summer Kresha, and Trey Stuthman; sophomore Levi McPhillips; and junior Kelsey Jochum. Officers for this year's Thespians were Vice President Megan Kresha, Secretary and Treasurer Bill Cremers, and Historian Chelsea Bartholomew.



When asked what he will miss the most about Thespians, President and four-year member Aaron Wrigley said, "I will miss seeing new theater kids being initiated into this society; I will always support SCC theater, and I am proud to see the new initiates each year. It is encouraging as an actor."



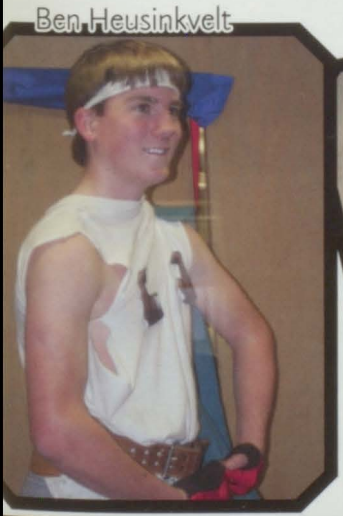
Front Row (L to R): Chelsea Bartholomew, Aaron Wrigley, Abby Schademann, Bill Cremers, Megan Kresha. Second Row: Andy Heusinkvelt, Alise Perault, Peter Heusinkvelt, Ben Heusinkvelt, Chris Fleeman, Catie Wiese, Trey Stuthman. Back Row: Nathan Hotovy, Summer Kresha, Callen Schwank, Levi McPhillips, Mrs. Bernt, Eric Diamond, Kelsey Jochum, Cale Albracht.



Andy Heusinkvelt



Summer Kresha



Ben Heusinkvelt



Kelsey Jochum



Levi McPhillips

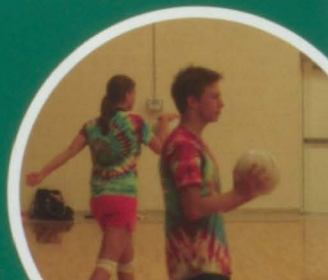
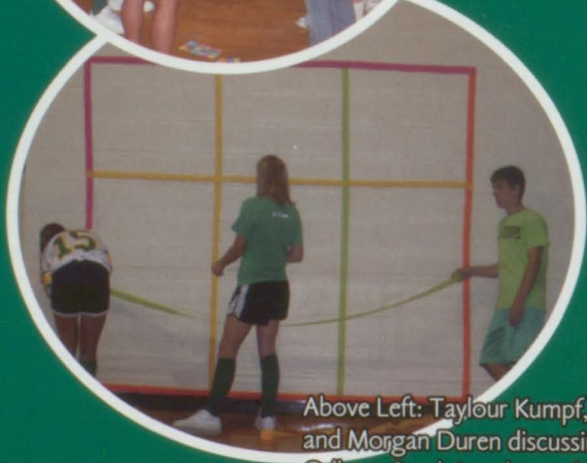


Student Council tributes



Student Council Members (L-R): Eric Diamond, Peter Heusinkvelt, Jared Ostdiek, Amanda Newman, Becky Hall, Tony Duren, Morgan Duren, Taylour Kumpf, Jen Williams, Jenna Moore, Molly Forney, Jaci Beauvais, Maggie Hellbusch, Lindsay McElhose, Laura Zach, Katie Ohnoutka, Angie Wieser, Steph Jarecke, Andy Heusinkvelt, Joel Ostdiek, Aaron Wrigley, and David Gokie. (Not pictured: Kyle Benesch and Emmie Odbert.)

While "looking back" on the voice of the student body, Student Council "looked forward" to making the sock rule a little more black and white. This year Student Council worked diligently to make a difference throughout the school. As a group, Student Council portrayed a positive image in being involved with the Make-A-Wish Foundation, the Homecoming Dance, Mr. Shamrock, the Student Council Volleyball Tournament, and changes to the Student Handbook.

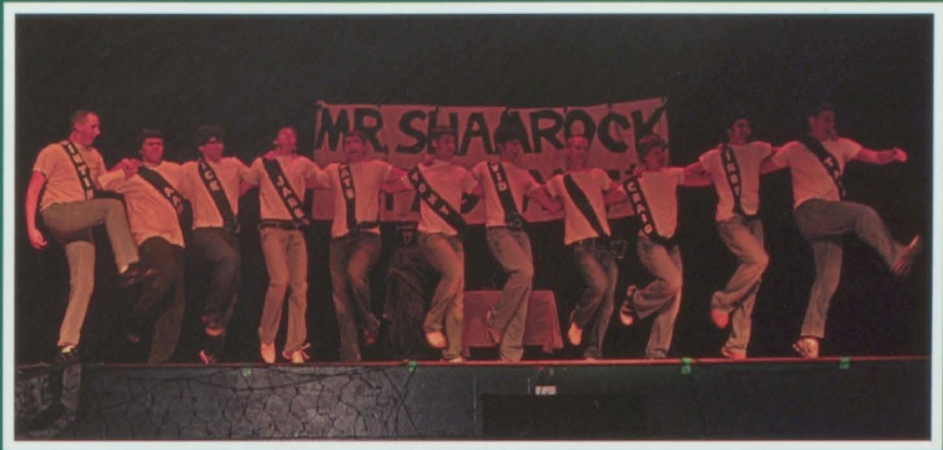


Above: Student Council Volleyball Championship team consisting of Craig Pekarek, Kirby Reardon, Taylor Suess, Jordan Janda, Kelli Schumacher, Sami Spenner, and Ashley Paprocki. Left: Pat McKay prepares to serve while Katelyn Kerkman walks to the door for a water break.

Above Left: Taylour Kumpf, Steph Jarecke, Emmie Odbert, Angie Wieser, Becky Hall, and Morgan Duren discussing the placement of homecoming decorations. Left: Emmie Odbert, Steph Jarecke, and Joel Ostdiek creating a Rubix Cube for the wall.

Student Council

Mr. Shamrock



Mr. Shamrock contestants dancing as a group to open the show. (L-R) Quintin Siemek, Aaron Wrigley, Nicholas Raimondo, Jared Ostdiek, Nathan Hotovy, Tony Duren, David Gokie, Adam Niedbalski, Craig Pekarek, Kirby Reardon, and Taylor Sues.



Nathan Hotovy



Adam Niedbalski



David Gokie



Craig Pekarek



Jared Ostdiek

Mr. Shamrock



Aaron Wrigley



Kirby Reardon

1st Runner-Up



Tony Duren

2nd Runner-Up



Nicholas Raimondo



Taylor Sues



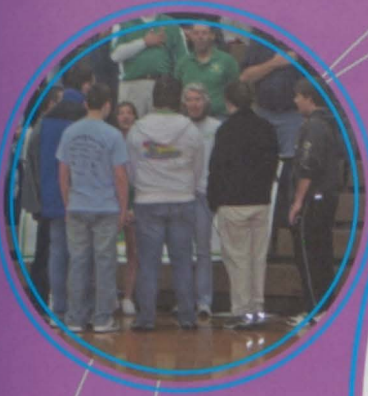
Quintin Siemek

Speech

This year's speech team consisted of seven members and had only two returning members. They had three freshmen, three sophomores, and one junior. Ms. Ploetz took over as head coach in this rebuilding year. The team traveled to six different tournaments including Midland North, Raymond Central, Fremont, Crete, Conference, and Districts. Their events ranged from Humorous Interpretation to a duet. The team was lead at Conference by Thomas Schumacher receiving fourth place, Olivia Sondermann also getting fourth place, and Cale Albracht and Olivia getting first in duet.



From Left: Ms. Ploetz, Ben Heusinkvelt, Tom Schumacher, Mark Ternus, Lindsay Staroscik, Mrs. Borgmen, Olivia Sondermann, and Cale Albracht. Not pictured: Jenna Roh.



Front row: Sarah Swope, Whitney Hank, Laura Salyard, Kelsey Seckel, Mikayla Karel, Amanda Zyweic, Taylor Baumgart. Middle Row: Jens Paprocki, Megan Kresha, Kelly Augustine, Ms. Gardner, Jenna Roh, Summer Kresha, Joel Ostdieck. Back row: Trenton Kuta, Mike Albion, Nick Raimondo, Quintin Siemck, Trey Stuthman, Aaron Wrigley and Kris Fleeman.



The Shamrock Singers combined with all the chorus classes this year. The Shamrock Singers still met twice a week and then the big group met the other days and were named Jon Duns Choir. There were 18 people in the group and they sang at various activities such as varsity sports, concerts, District Music, and the Jazz Festival. Many students said that the Jazz Festival was the event they enjoyed most. There were also many who took part in Honor Choirs, including Nick Raimondo who participated in the All State Chior. Nick says, 'Shamrock Singers has helped me grow into the musician I am today and has been a key factor in my decision to study music in college.'

Shamrock Singers



Above: The Rowdy Dowdies dress up in rainbow to support the volleyball players. Right: The Rowdy Dowdies come dressed in black with the statement "Back in Black" to show that the volleyball team was back at State.

Below: "The Green Machine" The Rowdy Dowdies show off their school spirit by dressing up in green at the State finals.



If you want to be part of some of the most creative students on earth, join S-Club. How exactly do you do that? Letter in at least one sport. (More is always better!) This year S-Club devoted themselves to the new name "The Rowdy Dowdies". They showed their support at all the home volleyball and basketball games. The Rowdy Dowdies have many years to show off their 'new' style, and they plan to do so.



Rowdy Dowdies S-Club

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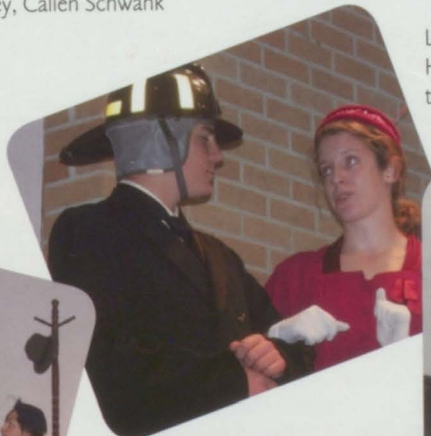
One Act this year did the play The Bald Soprano. Overall the act was about miscommunication; how people do not listen to each other. The director, Mrs. Bernt, says that there are many underlying themes and you must study the play to really understand it. One Act received runner-up at districts and conference. They did not make it to state but hope that next year is a different story.



Front Row: Brian Ackman, Taylor Baumgart, Alise Perault, Adam Moore, Abby Schademann
 Middle Row: Summer Kresha, Kelsey Jochum, Andy Heusinkvelt, Kris Fleeman, Trey Stutzman, Ben Heusinkvelt, Bill Cremers
 Back Row: Peter Heusinkvelt, Cale Albracht, Levi McPhillips, Mrs. Bernt, Eric Diamond, Holly Broxterman, Aaron Wrigley, Callen Schwank



Left: Alise Perault and Andy Heusinkvelt get ready to leave together



Left: Alise Perault welcomes her guests, Adam Moore and Kelsey Jochum.
 Right: Aaron Wrigley is confused by something Andy Heusinkvelt said.

National Honor Society

National Honor Society had 55 members this year. The meetings were run by President Jared Ostdiek. The other officers were Vice-president Amy Steiner, Secretary David Gokie, Social Director Kelli Schumacher, and Developmental Director Lori Fehr. They started out the year by providing teachers with refreshments the first week back to school. They continued with many activities including the Holiday Co-op, Blood Drive, and candy cane sales. They also helped raise money for the Annual Appeal by taking turns calling various supporters, earning enough money to refinish the gym floors.

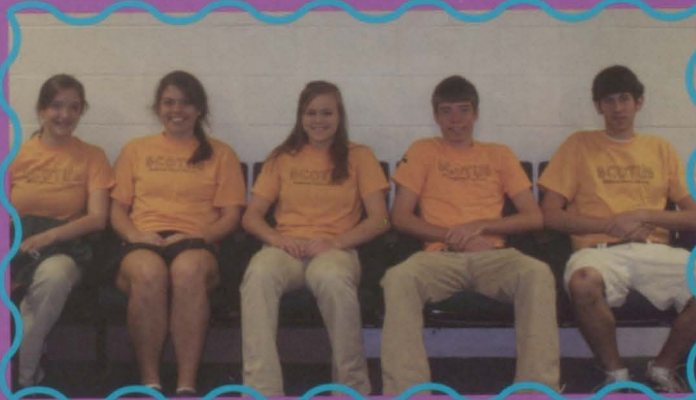


Front Row: Holly Broxterman, Chelsea Bartholomew, Jay Klimes, Liz Zabawa, Schalise Vancura, Jared Ostdiek, Amy Steiner, Kelli Schumacher, Lori Fehr, David Gokie. 2nd Row: Mrs. Dusel-Misfeldt, Clar Adelman, Jen Hall, Molly Forney, Kathy Smith, Ashley Paprocki, Whitney Ebel, Taylour Kumpf, Bill Kurtenbach, Arturo Spindola, Simon Schacher. 3rd Row: Katie Ohnoutka, Jacy Gasper, Tiffany Haney, Becky Svatora, Monica Boeding, Laura Zach, James Landholm, Steven Pandorf, Shawn Schumacher, Tony Duren. 4th Row: Amber Wiers, Laura Salyard, Alise Perault, Nick Raimondo, Eric Diamond, Brian Ackman, Mitch Kwapioski, Aaron Wrigley, Cameron Wiehn. 5th Row: Amanda Newman, Jenn Gokie, Bill Cremers, Matt Pandorf, Cale Albracht, Dillon Clarey, Olivia Sonderman, Levi McPhillips. 6th Row: Morgan Duren, Tori Engquist, Kelsey Jochum, Derrick Dierman, Jaci Beauvais, Lindsay McElhose, Becky Hall, Taylor Suss.

National Honor Society



New NHS students read their pledge to the organization on induction night.



NHS officers: Amy, Lori, Kelli, Jared and David are ready to lead the meeting.



NHS sponsor Mrs. Dusel donates blood at the blood drive that NHS helps run every year.



NHS students package the candy canes they have sold.

Mock Trial



Above: Juniors Maggie Hellbusch, Monica Boeding, Shelby Johnson and Senior Kathy Smith.

Below: Freshmen Mock Trial Team: Jordan Chohon, Rachel Rambour, Hannah Fuchs, Brad Steiner, Kelcey Robak, Tom Schumacher, Sarah Dolezal, Trenton Kuta



Senior team after their District win.



Monica and Kathy look over their case.



Scotus had four mock trial teams this year. The teams consisted of one senior team, one junior/senior team, one sophomore team, and a freshman team. They all competed at the District tournament in November. This year's case was a criminal case, which involved the Defendent procuring alcohol for a minor. Each team worked very hard in preparing for the competition. The senior team made it to the District finals, where they beat CHS. There they were named District Champions and moved on to State. At State they competed three more times and enjoyed getting to know other teams. They ended up getting 9th place and received an honorable mention.



Senior team waits for the mock trial banquet to start.

Mock Trial



Senior team and attorney coach Gene Schumacher take their last picture together after their final round at State.



Waiting for the state results in the jury box.



Above: Senior Mock Trial Team: Nathan Hotovy, Sara Baer, Kelli Schumacher, Kaitlynn Klaassen, Kirby Reardon, Chelsea Bartholomew, David Gokie, Taylour Kumpf.

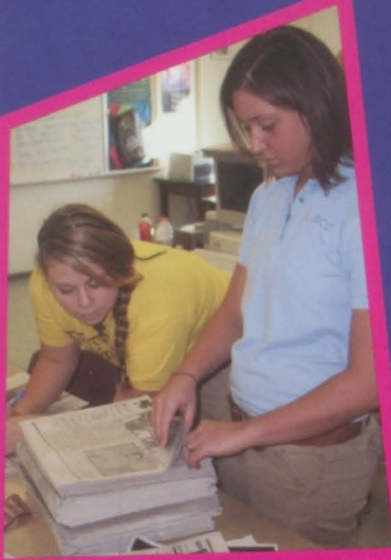


Kelli, Taylour, and Nathan prepare for their trial at state.



Right: Sophomore Mock Trial Team: Morgan Duren, Sam Ebner, Tiffany Haney, James Euteneur, Connor Sackett, Dana Fuchs, Jenn Gokie, Amber Ewers, and attorney coach Mr. Dierman

MSIA JOURNALISM



Taylor Kumpf and Megan Kresha count newspapers for each class.



Front row from left to right: Callen Schwank, Aaron Wrigley, Arturo Spindola, Kyle Benesch, Taylour Kumpf, Megan Kresha. Back row from left to right: Brian Ackman, Adam Niedbalski, Kelsey Jochum, Chelsea Barthlomew.

This year the Journalism class was made up of a good group of people to get the newspaper going again. Their theme was "The Return of the Rock Bottom," and Kyle Benesch expressed his feelings by saying, "Returning the Rock Bottom was like returning a piece of Scotus". Thanks to Mrs. Rusher, Scotus was able to revive the newspaper, and let these students learn the ways of the newspaper. Mrs. Rusher said, "Even though we had many arguments and the dynamics in class were sometimes challenging, I think it is what made the paper better." This staff did a great job getting the news out while still keeping the newspaper fun.



Brian Ackman and Kelsey Jochum display their certificates at the State Journalism Contest. Brian competed in sports feature writing, and Kelsey placed sixth in news writing.

Green Club



Macey, Taylour, and Whitney pose for a picture while recycling paper.



Sam Thalken, Jake Huss, and Kevin Donoghue crush used cans and cardboard in the cafeteria.

Green Club recycles many things around school. Paper, plastic, cardboard, and tin are among the recyclable materials. Every Thursday morning, green club members go around to all the classrooms and pick up the paper. Also, every day after lunch a few members pick up the cardboard from the cafeteria and take it to the recycle bins located outside of school. A special thanks to Mrs. Shadle and Mrs. Lahm who are the ones in charge of green club.



Macey Fuhr and Taylour Kumpf empty their buckets into the recycle bin outside of school.



Tony Duren changes the bags in the pop bottle recycle bins.

What was your favorite performance this year?

Let's Dance--Emily Schieffer

Stronger--Amber Ewers

Let's Dance--Schalise Vancura

Stronger--Molly Forney

Stronger--Kaitlyn Robak

Flag Corps



Left:
The flag corps performing at a boys' basketball game, doing a kickline.



Right:
Abbey Schademann and Emily Schieffer pause for a picture during a parade.

Below: The 2008-2009 Flag Corps Team. Front Row: Jen Hall, Jenn Gokie, Amber Ewers, Catie Wiese, and Schalise Vancura. Second Row: Molly Forney and Sadee Lassek. Back Row: Abby Schademann, Emily Schieffer, Morgan Gilson, Amy Steiner, and Kaitlyn Robak.



Go's PHOTOGRAPHY

Flag Corps



Above: The flag corps perform a routine at the first football game of the season. Below: "Let's Dance", the flag corps members strike a pose in front of the Sweetheart backdrop.



Left: The flag corps strikes a pose at the end of a dance at the last home boys' basketball game.



Members of the "Best Days of Our Lives" dance camp.

Aiming For Goals

The 2008-2009 Scotus Flag Corps started off the year with a routine to "Imma Shine". They continued to entertain at pep rallies and during half time of football and basketball games. The flag corps also held their second annual dance camp this year for the fifth and sixth graders of the Catholic Elementary Schools. They also performed at Jam The Gym and had very good reviews.

Junior Kaitlyn Robak and Sophomore Amber Ewers say performing at the football games was the biggest highlight of this year's season. Most of the flag corps members agree that they would like to see more dancing without the flags as well as more complex dances. The sponsors this year were Mary Powers and Kristen Cox.

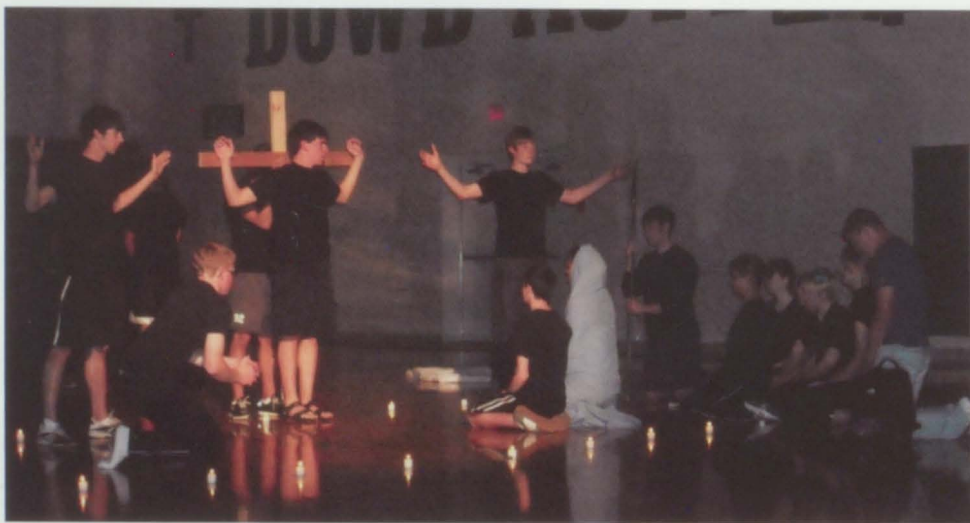


Right: Some members of the flag corps stretch before a performance.



Left: The marching members of flag corps.

Campus Ministry



Students act out the Thirteenth Station of the Stations of the Cross: Jesus (Nicholas Raimondo) dies on the cross along with two criminals and a crowd watching.

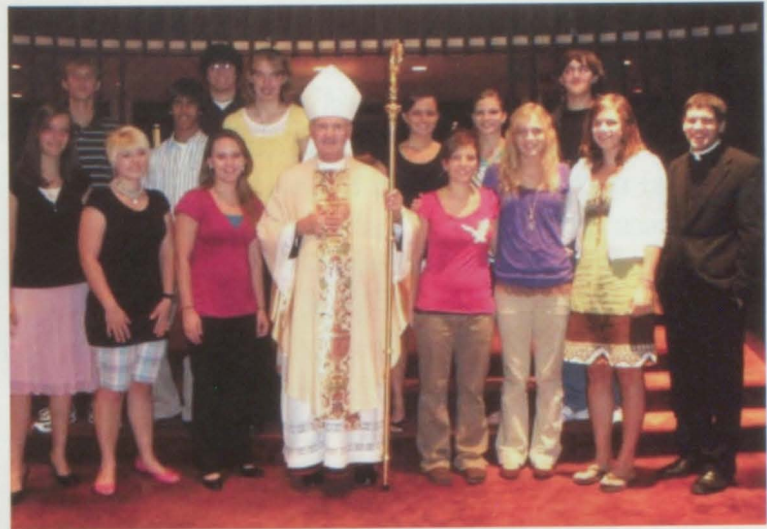
Campus Ministry was busy at work this year with a number of faith-filled activities. At the beginning of the school year, thirteen students from Campus Ministry traveled to Norfolk to be inducted as EMHC's and Lectors. During the course of the Lenten season, students participated in weekly prayer groups, a food drive, and the Stations of the Cross. Each week the men and women met separately on Thursday mornings for Scripture reading and contemplative prayer. For a week during Lent, the entire school brought food that was given to the Simon House to help stockpile their supplies for the people in the community needing a little extra help. The Lenten season for Campus Ministry culminated with a reenactment of the Stations of the Cross by a number of students led by Nicholas Raimondo as the director and lead actor as Jesus. Although this was not the best year to 'look back' on for Campus Ministry in terms of activity, Fr. Roza is 'looking forward' to a strengthened Campus Ministry in the years to come.



Jared Ostiek, David Gokke, Nathan Hotovy, and Fr. Roza holding food collected for the Lenten Food Drive for the Simon House.

Campus Ministry

Men's Lenten Prayer Group meeting for a study of the upcoming Sunday Gospel. (Left to Right) Fr. Roza, Andy Heuschmidt, David Goke, and Tony Duren



Campus Ministry Members: (Front Row: L-R) Amy Steiner, Mikayla Karel, Kelsey Seckel, Tiffany Weiser, Laura Zach, Maggie Hellbusch, and Fr. Roza; (Back Row: L-R) Eric Diamond, Kyle Benesch, Aaron Wrigley, Holly Broxterman, Whitney Ebel, Andrea Odbert, and Merle Mapes - posing with Archbishop Elden Curtis at Lector and EMHC Induction.

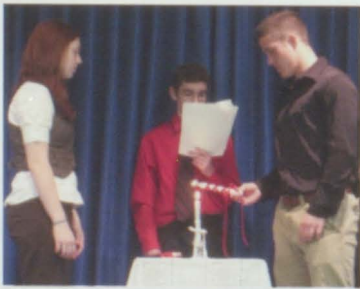
Nicholas Raimondo acts as Jesus and accepts his cross from St. Longinus (Tony Duren).



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FBLA had many activities that they participated in throughout the year. This included: Highway Litter pick-up, concessions at home football games, pumpkin decorating contest, Secret Santas, Senior Citizen's Sweetheart Ball, Fall Leadership Conference, and State Leadership Conference. FBLA Week was also a main activity during the year. They held a food drive and the winner received a free dress down day. This year there were 68 members total. The officers were President Callen Schwank, Vice President Laura Salyard, Secretary Merle Mapes, Treasurer Abby Schademann, Reporter Katie Hilton, and Historian/Parliamentarian Emily Schieffer. The advisors were Mrs. Salyard and Mr. Sasges.

Callen Schwank induces Laura Salyard as the new FBLA President.



Laura Salyard, Trenton Kuta, Alise Perault, and Mark Ternus show off their awards at SLC.



SLC Participants

Kelsey Newman, Laura Salyard, Abby Schademann, Hannah Spencer, and Ben Heusinkvel learned to tie a tie at the FBLA week Olympics.



FBLA Members

Front (left to right): Abby Schademann, Laura Salyard, Emily Schieffer, Callen Schwank, Merle Mapes
 Middle (left to right): Mark Ternus, Brett Brune, Jaci Beauvais, Aaron Wrigley, Amber Ewers, Catie Wiese
 Back (left to right): Mr. Sasges, Sara Baer, Macey Fuhr, Laura Zach, Theresa Thalken, Taylour Kumpf, Mrs. Salyard

FBLA Week

Sunday: FBLA members went bowling

Tuesday: FBLA members wore T-shirts and received a free bottle of pop

Wednesday: Advisor Appreciation Day and FBLA members held a Faculty Appreciation breakfast

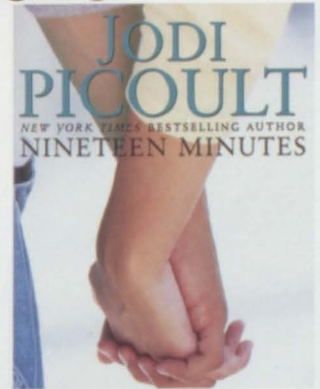
Thursday: Business Olympics where participants separated paper clips, tied neckties, and delivered a glass of water while wearing stilettos

Friday: members received prizes

Sunday: FBLA members helped at the Senior Citizen's Sweetheart Ball.

Senior Book Club

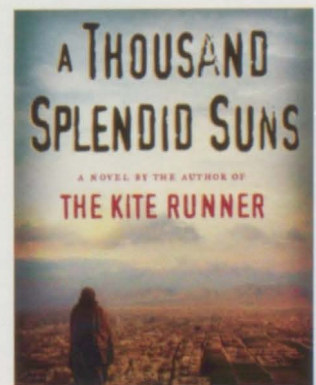
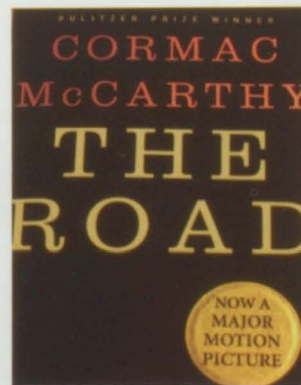
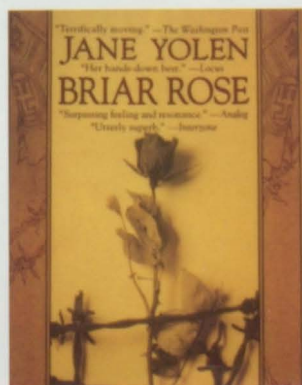
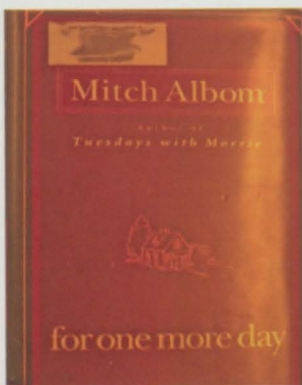
Senior Book Club had many members this year. They met five times with Mrs. Podliska, in the Library during second lunch. The five books the book club read this year were A Thousand Splendid Suns by Khaled Hosseini, The Road by Cormac McCarthy, Briar Rose by Jane Yolen, For One More Day by Mitch Albom, and the class's favorite Nineteen Minutes by Jodi Picoult.



Voted #1 by Senior Book Club



Front (left to right): Clar Adelman, Sara Baer, Kaitlynn Klaassen, Hannah Bolte, Janessa Ellis
 Back (left to right): Chelsea Bartholomew, Adam Niedbalski, Mrs. Podliska, Nathan Hotovy



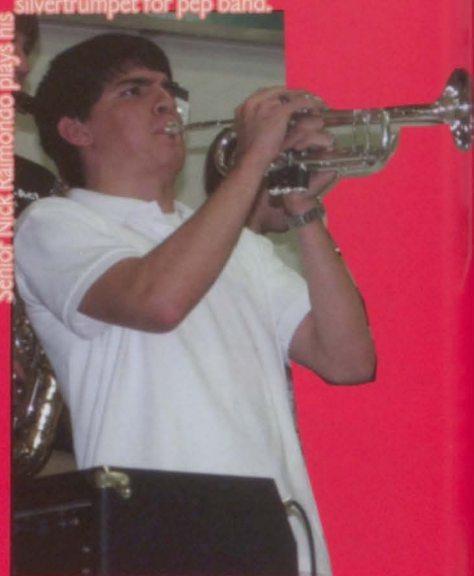
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band

The Scotus Central Catholic Band this year went to many competitions, just as they have in past years. The major change that happened was at home volleyball and basketball games the band was moved from the far end of the gym to the opposite end, being closer to the student body. At the Harvest of Harmony Parade the band recieved an excellent rating, and at the St. Pat's Parade as well as the Melody Round-Up Parade, they received superior ratings. This year Scotus hosted the Centennial Conference Music Festival where ten of the band members were selected to be in the honor band. Some other achievements of the band were entertaining over 800 people at the annual dinner concert and having

drummer Bill Cremers recieve the All-State Band award. At the District Music competition held at Central Community College this year, the Scotus Band recieved an overall superior rating. Other superior ratings were given in clarinet quartet, flute and bass clarinet duets, saxophone and percussion ensembles, mass group, piano solos, flute solo, saxophone solos, bass clarinet solo, trumpet solo, and xylophone solo. There were two excellent ratings in a violin solo and snare drum solo, which included thirty of the band

Senior Nick Raimondo plays his silver trumpet for pep band.



Some members of the band stand at attention before a parade.



Right: The percussions of the band plays during the State Volleyball Tournament.

Revenge

Was music just for prodigies?

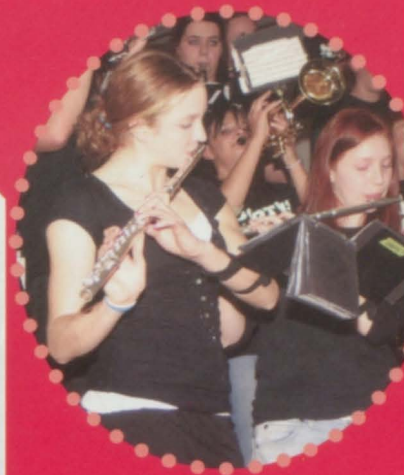
of the

Long notes and tedious songs?

Band

Not at this school!

Band



Above: Sophomores Amber Ewers and Laura Salyard play the flute during a game.

Below: Band members crowd around a parade official.

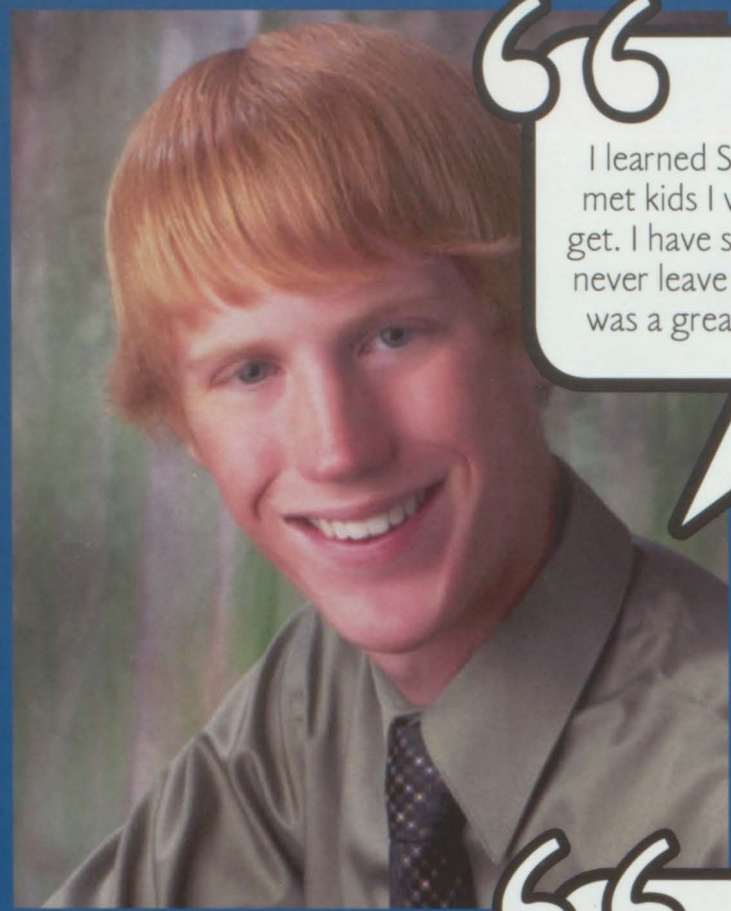


Above: Front Row: Eric Diamond, Cale Albract, Andy Heuskinvelt, Molley Forney, Bill Cremers, Morgan Gilson, Jens Paprocki, Brad Steiner, and Adam Moore. Second Row: Mrs. Powers, Jenna Moore, Kelsey Seckel, Laura Salyard, Amy Reisdorff, Amber Ewers, and Mrs. Cox. Third Row: Nicole Jasper, Sadee Lassek, Kelcey Robak, Brittany Bader, Catie Wiese, and Amy Steiner. Fourth Row: Sarah Swope, Trenton Kuta, Nick Preister, Ben Heuskinvelt, Holly Broxterman, Trey Stuthmen, and Marina Karel. Fifth Row: Taylor Baumgart, Mark Ternus, Nadia Morales, Kelly Augustine, Nick Raimondo, Joel Ostdiek, Taylor Case, and Mikayla Karel. Back Row: Abbey Schademann, Schalise Vancura, Michael Albin, Emily Schieffer, and Jenn Gokie.



Left: The Shamrock Pep Band plays before the Volleyball State Championship Match at the NU Coliseum.

Boys and Girls State



“ “ ” ”

I learned SO much and met kids I will never forget. I have stories that will never leave me. Overall it was a great experience.

Adam Niedbalski

“ “ ” ”

I was glad I went. It was a reasonably fun week, and I learned a little. At the same time, I didn't want to stay forever or anything.

Chelsea Bartholomew



Boys and Girls State is a week-long conference consisting of incoming senior boys and girls from all over the state coming together in their political interests. The two seniors that represented Scotus this year were Adam Niedbalski and Chelsea Bartholomew. Adam said he was influenced to apply by his mom because she went in high school, and government and politics are among his top interests. Chelsea said she heard it was a good experience, and is also quite interested in politics and government. Boys State and Girls State are separate for the most part, with a few exceptions. These exceptions include a dinner and a dance one evening of the week. Adam said the boys there were diverse in their opinions and got very passionate, which made for great debates. On the other hand, both agreed that they missed home. They would both say it was a great choice to go, and if they could go again, they most definitely would.

Art Club



Laura Zach creates a beautiful glass piece with her painting skills.



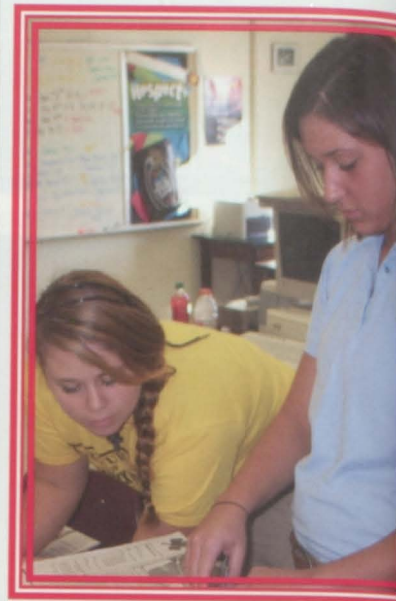
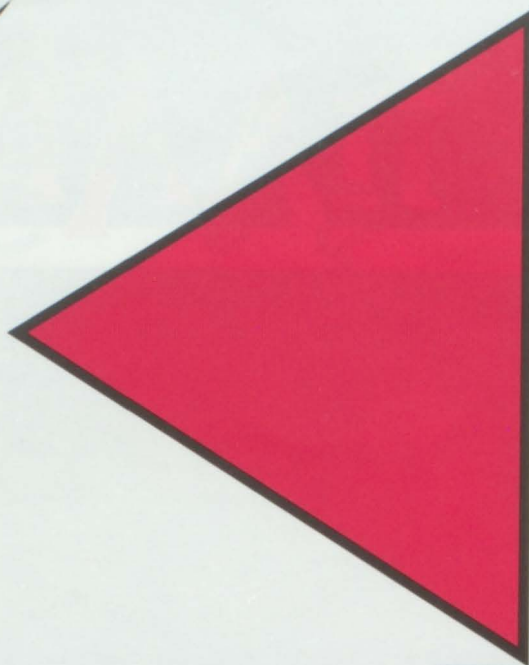
Annette Hash paints her glass.

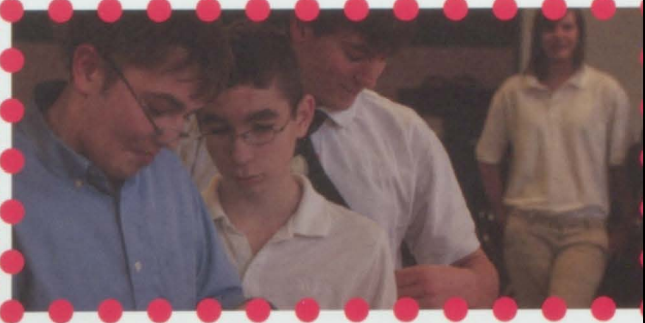


One of the finished products of a glass painting

Art Club this year started off with a meeting in October that had a showing of roughly twenty people. Mrs. Shadle renewed her title as Art Club Sponsor with Taylour Kumpf at her side as the new Student Coordinator. The main event this year was glass painting, which is shown in the featured pictures. Mrs. Shadle met with the Art Club members on a Monday night who all brought glass objects to paint. There were other ideas discussed at the meeting, and painting white shoes.

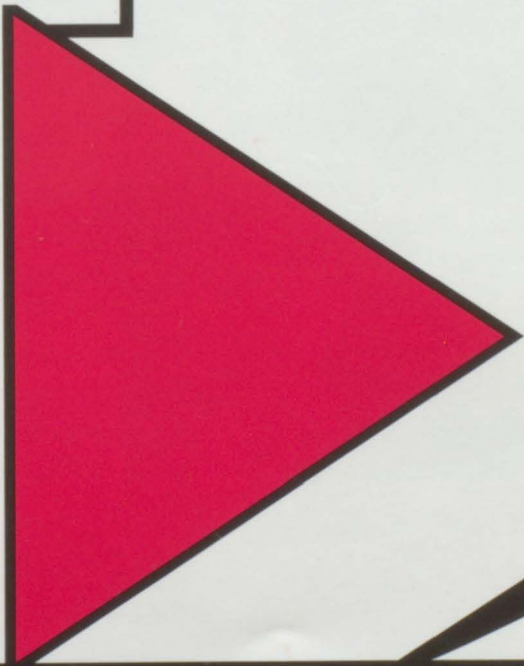
Activities





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Activities





AJ Bose receives the Knights of Columbus Campus Ministry Scholarship from Myrle Hadcock.



Nicholas Raimondo receives his senior honors from Mrs. Gibson and his NHS stoll and tassel from Mrs. Dusel.



Mrs. Weir receives her ten year award from Tom Wrigley.

W A S H I N G T O N A



Above: Catie Wiese receives junior honors from Mrs. Schaad.

Below: Lori Fehr receives the Masonic Temple Scholarship from Lynn Higgins.



Kaitlynn Klaassen receives her senior awards from Mrs. Gibson.

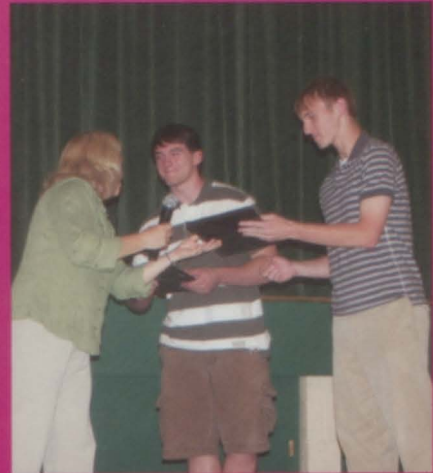


Mrs. Bomar receives the Student Council Teacher of the Year Award from Student Council President Taylour Kumpf.

This year the Scotus Central Catholic Awards Night was held in the Memorial Hall at 5:30 p.m. The host of the night was Mrs. Pam Weir. The night began with the presentation of the local awards and scholarships. Following the local awards were the Staff Employment Awards. The Scotus Special Awards were presented after that, with Mrs. Bomar receiving the Student Council Teacher of the Year. The evening concluded with members of each grade receiving academic and fine arts awards.



Morgan Duren receives her sophomore awards from Mrs. Tooley.



Peter Heusinkvelt and Eric Diamond receive the Top Student Council Member Awards from Mrs. Lahm.



Mrs. Cox receives her 15-year award from Tom Wrigley.

Awards Night

Right: Laura Salyard receives one of the three Eldora Schrad Music Recognition Scholarships from Eldora Schrad. Other recipients were Bill Cremers and Molly Forney.



Whitney Ebel receives her senior honors from Mrs. Gibson and her NHS stoll and tassel from Mrs. Dusel.



Mike Fuhr receives the Paul Joseph Gutzmer Scholarship from Mike Gutzmer.



Bill Cremers receives his sophomore honors from Mrs. Tooley.



Cale Albracht receives his sophomore honors from Mrs. Tooley.

P.E.

The most dramatic change in school this year took place in the Physical Education Department. For the first time in forty years, Mr. Younger is no longer the eighth grade P.E. teacher. Mr. Sasges was over his position. Mrs. Tooley is still trying to achieve "bigger, faster, stronger" seventh and tenth grade classes. Health class is also a popular class with her this year. Freshmen P.E. is still taught by Mr. Puetz which focuses mainly on weight lifting. Mr. Puetz teaches a strength training class as well.

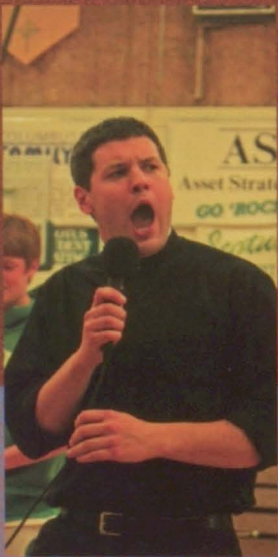
Far Right: Mrs. Tooley shows Emily Jarecki a smoking demonstration in Health Class.

Right: Chris Hernandez, Pat Raimondo, and Lucas Sinovic play basketball during P.E.



noigiləy religion

A new addition was made to the Religion Department this year. Father Roza is the latest addition to Scotus at the ripe age of 28. Not only does he teach the eighth and senior religion classes, he provides a semester of a college course, Introduction to Ethics, for the senior class. He was also properly inducted into the Scotus staff this year by having to kiss the pig at the spring pep rally. Mrs. Rambour helps Father Roza with the eight grade class while also teaching the seventh and tenth grade. Mrs. Johnson goes through the centuries of Christianity from the very beginning with the freshmen class. The eleventh grade class is able to learn about the multiple religions of the world with Mr. Salyard.



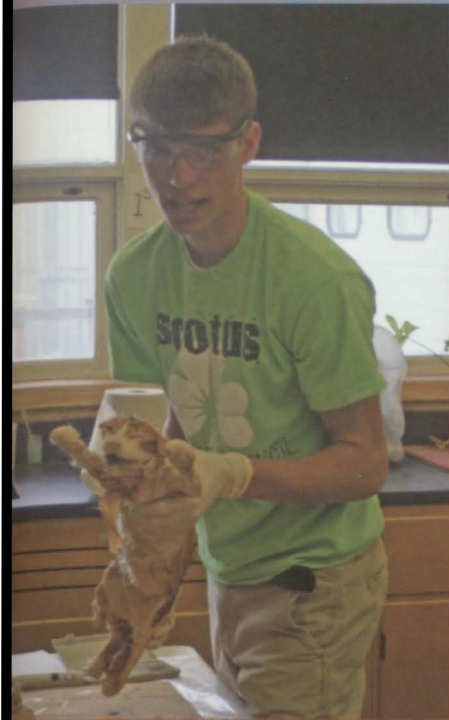
Fr. Roza during and after he kisses the pig at the Spring Pep Rally



Students at Pro-Life Rally in Lincoln

science

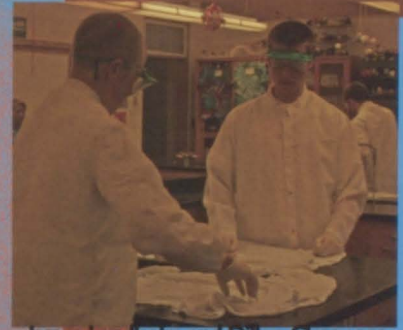
For the last fifteen years, the Science Department has been made up of the same five teachers. Mrs. Malicky teaches Life Science to the seventh grade. Mrs. Dussel-Misfeldt provides Chemistry and also for a bonus, double-period Accelerated Chemistry. Mrs. Lahm teaches Physical and Earth Science. Mr. Salyard has his physics students calculating why only a portion of his new beard is white. While Mr. Younger, now part-time, is still collecting insects for Biology and dead cats for Physiology.



Red Ostdiek poses with a cat while the Physiology class dissects cats.



Arturo Spindola and Katie Beiermann get help from Mr. Younger while dissecting cats in Physiology.



James Landholm and Dillon Clarey prepare t-shirts for tie-dyeing in Accelerated Chemistry.

social studies

The Social Studies Department is headed up by three male teachers. Mr. Ohnoutka takes care of the ancient and modern worlds with Ancient Civilizations for the seventh grade and Modern World History for the sophomores. Mr. Wickham provided the history of America and the knowledge of all ninety-three Nebraska counties with American History in eighth and eleventh grade. Mr. Brockhaus teaches the seniors about government in Modern Government and also provides Psychology and Sociology.



Above: Mr. Wickham grading papers for his History class.

Far Right: Jenna Roh and Andrea Odbert at Hannah's Suitcase workshop.

Right: Dillon Thompson, Kyle Benesch, and Eric Tubbs acting out a scene during the Hannah's Suitcase workshop.



2011 Art/FCS



Kathy Smith shows off the pot she made in Pottery.

This year for Family and Consumer Sciences a new class appeared, Textiles and Clothing II. Mrs. Johnson was still the lone teacher to teach FCS, and Mrs. Shadle was the lone teacher to teach art. Pottery was not offered anymore because Mrs. Shadle's lungs were affected by the art materials. Students still got their fill of art, for a print design class was offered instead.

Family and Consumer Science Teacher: Mrs. Johnson

Art Teacher: Mrs. Shadle



Hannah Bolte and Sara Baer show off their children they received from the class Child Development.



Michael Miya works on an art project.

Language/Math

English Teachers
Mrs. Ohnoutka
Mrs. Schaad
Mrs. Rusher
Ms. Ploetz

Math Teachers
Mrs. Blaser
Mr. Petersen
Mr. Lahm
Mr. Salyard

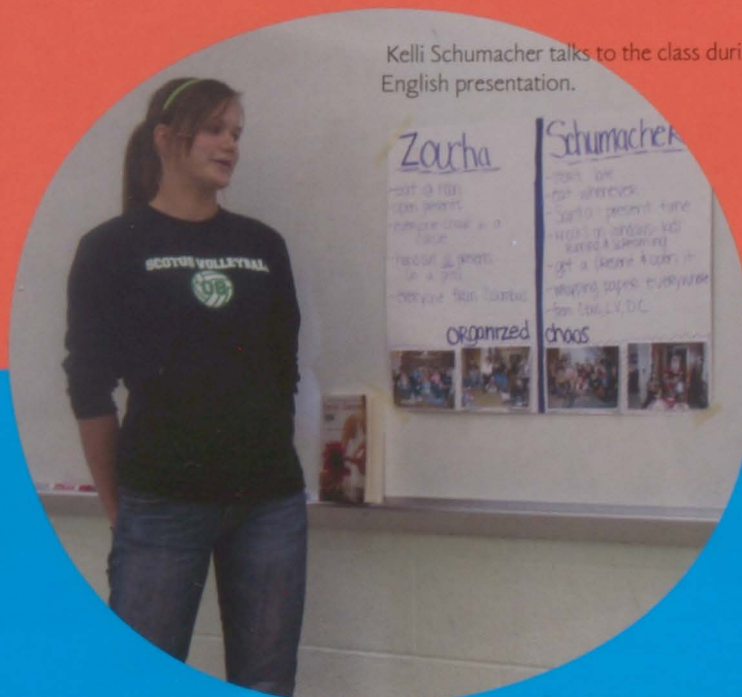
Spanish Teachers
Mrs. Bomar
Mrs. Gibson

Not too much changed this year in the math and language departments. In language, the Seniors and Sophmores startd their memory books, and the Juniors experienced their first term paper. This year, two new teachers came into the scene: Mrs. Ploetz and Mrs. Bomar. Students loved them both and were glad they came to Scotus.

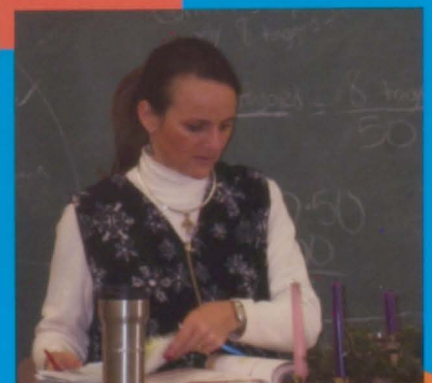
Math is highly 'differentiable' from languages. The highest form of math offered here is Calculus, and the first semester consisted of finding the derivative. This is just a few steps up from the 7th grade math classes, considering they are dealing with the simplest foundation of math functions.

These might be different from one another, but they are both essential to furthering our education.

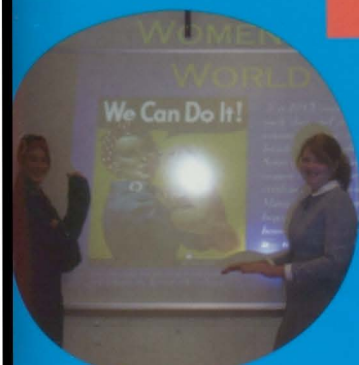
Kelli Schumacher talks to the class during her English presentation.

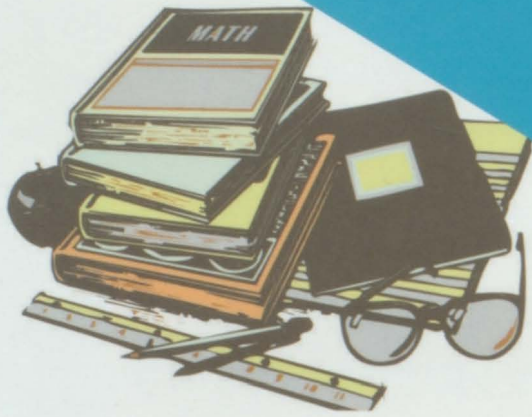


Mrs. Blaser teaches a math example from the book.

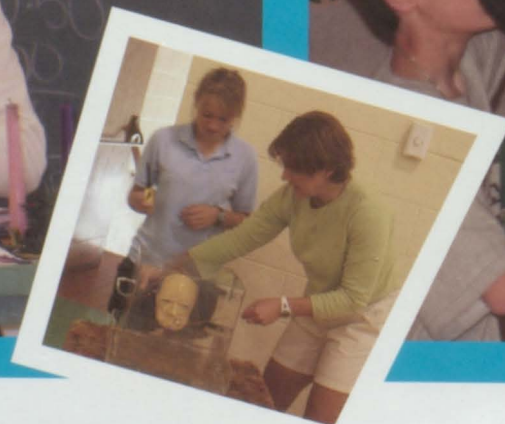
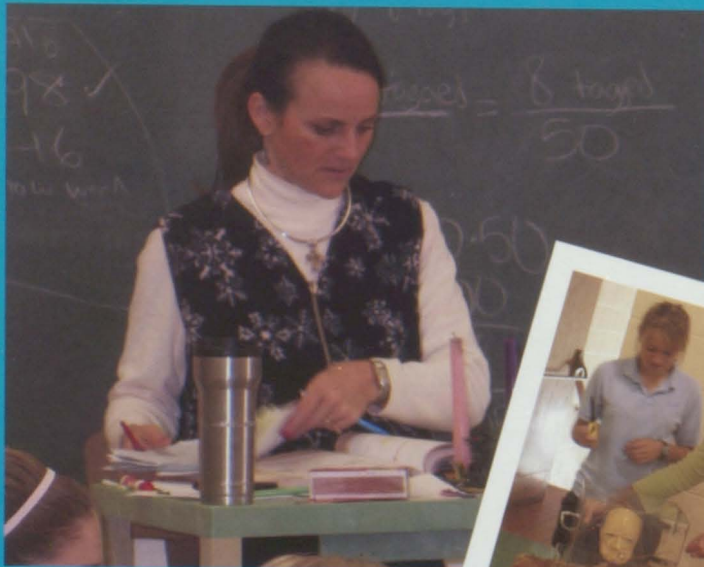


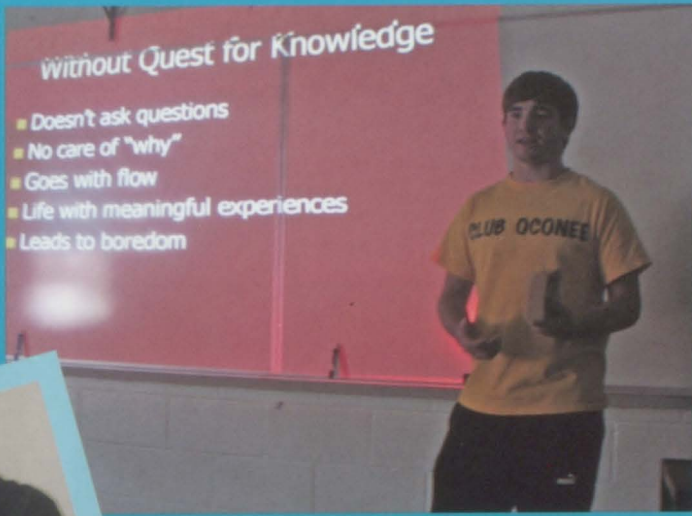
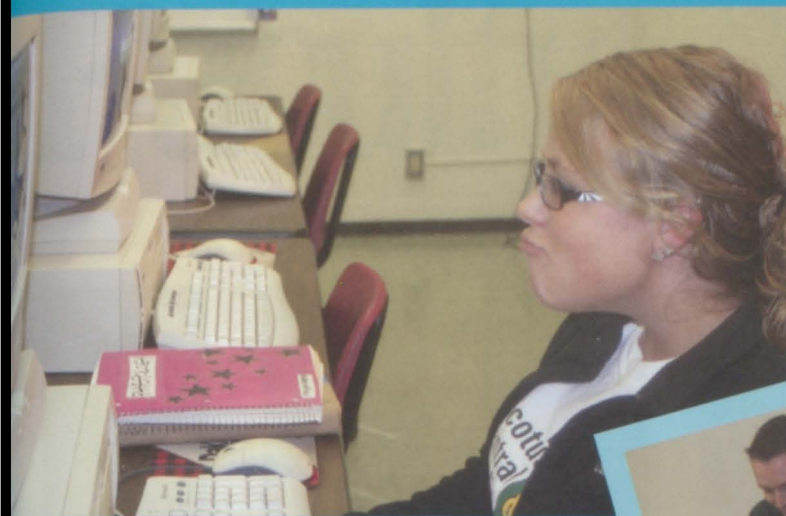
Olivia Sonderman and Abby Schademann pose during their english presentation.





Academics





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Academics



Faculty



Vern Younger



Sean Wickham



Pam Weir



Janet Tooley



Nancy Shadle



John Schueth



Kelly Schaad



Aaron Sasges



Mr. Wickham and his son Will playing before the State Volleyball C-1 Championship Game.



Tom Salyard



Patti Salyard



Angie Rusher



Fr. Andrew Roza



Cheryl Rambour



Gary Puetz



Cathy Podliska



Anneliese Ploetz



John Petersen



Jeff Ohnoutka



Deb Ohnoutka



Barb Malicky



Mr. Puetz, Mr. Brockhaus, Mr. Sasges, Mr. Wickham, Mr. Lahm, Mrs. Rambour, Mrs. Rusher, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Salyard, and Mrs. Schaad eating at the lunch table.

Faculty



Mr. Sasges, Mr. Brezenski, Mrs. Tooley, Mrs. Rusher, Mrs. Blaser, and Fr. Roza preparing for battle at the Dodgeball Tournament.



Oliver Loseke



Merlin Lahm



Joan Lahm



Diane Kudron



Kathy Kruse



Carmen Johnson



Annette Hash



Ed Goerlinger

Each year the teachers come back "looking forward" to another year, while "looking back" on all of the memories of years past. They teach their students more than just the basics; they teach us life lessons and are there whenever we need anything. This year we have a few new faces. Most notably are the replacements of Fr. Loseke with the energetic Fr. Roza, and the upbeat Mrs. Bomar in place of Mr. Dierman.



Connie Gibson



E.J. Gardner



Bonnie Eikmeier



Jane Dusel-Misfeldt



Kristen Cox



Pat Brockhaus



Gail Bomar



Julie Blaser



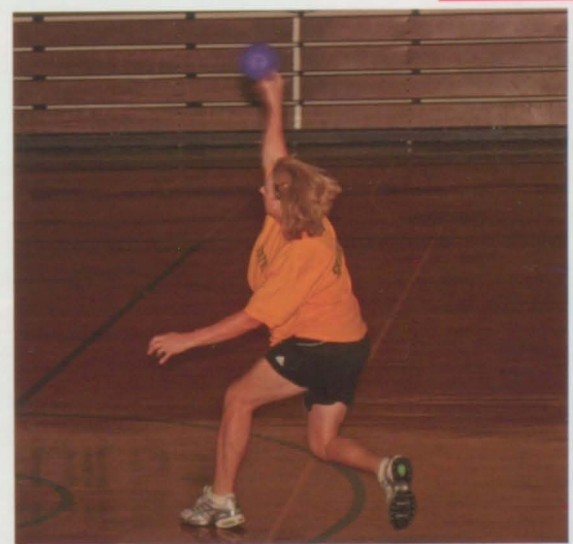
Sandi Bernt



Karen Beck



Mrs. Cox hard knocking the keys.



Mrs. Lahm aiming and firing a dodgeball.

We are looking forward to...

Ft. Roza next year for Religion.

Not being the smallest in the school

A top locker!

7th Grade

New teachers

Having more electives.



Tony Zoucha

Cody Zimmerman

Nicholas Zakrewski

Trey Wortman

Alex Wieser

Alexander Wallick

Breanna Walker



Teresa Tremel

Jenna Thiele

Melissa Thalken

Daniel Strecker

Zach Spencer

Callie Sokol

Elizabeth Smith



Anthony Smith

Chantel Shanle

Blake Schroeder

Jennifer Ryan

Ashlea Rinkol

Katie Reisdorff

Kate Rambour



Jackson Prokupek

Amy Price

Samantha Patocka

Gabrielle Paczisa

Ian Ostdiek

Brooke Olmer

Kristen Ohnoutka



A group of 7th grade boys shows off their green pride.

The transition from Elementary School to Jr. High was a good transition for most of the 7th graders. Some like Katie Reisdorff expected it to be scary, but others knew it would be exactly what they thought because of older siblings. Our favorite memories would include State Volleyball, the sports seasons, and the Jr. High dances. The things we enjoy most about Scotus is being able to walk from class to class. Overall the class of 2014 is excited for the years to come.

7th Grade



7th grade girls show their shannock spirit

The classes we enjoy are...

Life Science

Art

Math

P.E.

Ancient Civilization

Music



Jacob Nienaber Alexis Mullinix Conner Moran Nick Modde Megan Miksch Laura Miksch Hannah Merrill



Sean McGuire Nicholas McElhose Jessica Martys Alex Lyons Conner Lusche Phillip Levos Michael Kurtenbach



Emily Kosch Alyssa Kobza Derek Kaslon Zachary Jepsen Cameron Jakub Jack Hoppe Aspen Held



Adam Gilmore



Mikayla Gasper Ryan Fuchs Halle Fuchs Marcus Forney Ethan Forney Carly Foltz Austin Ewers



Nathan Ebner Peter Dolezal Brandon Cook Colt Clarey Payton Chohn Carly Burkhardt Annabel Buggi

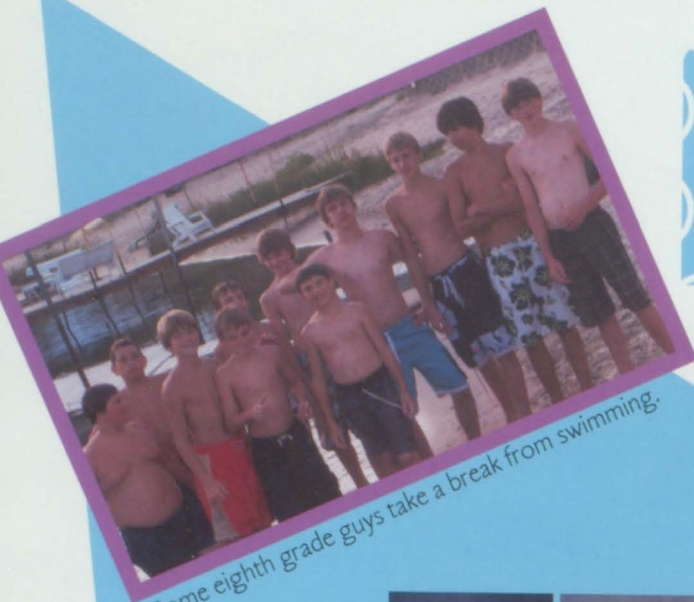


Marielena Broavo



Alli Bos Valerie Borer Shelby Beller Hannah Beerbohm Alycia Alt Emily Allen Cole Alexander

Eighth Grade



Some eighth grade guys take a break from swimming.

A new year has rolled around and the eighth graders have found a few new things. Many of the students enjoy Ms. Ploetz's English class along with Fr. Roza's Religion class. As they rose from the youngest in the school to the oldest in junior high, they are most looking forward to next year. Although they are still new to Scotus, they have begun to get their feet in the door.



Charrissa Zuerlein



Zachary Zarek



Megan Wright



Kyrsten Wood



Taylor Wiester



Shayla Wieser



Austin Wendt



Joseph Warth



Teresa Tira



Sam Thalken



Catherine Swope



Kelcey Stutzman



Tessandra Stuart



Adam Strecker



Brittany Steiner



Tara Starzec



Kylee Souilliere



Allison Smith



Nathan Schacher



Jeremiah Salyard



Jacob Ruskamp



Ian Robak



Anna Perault



Nicholas Pandorf



Marshal Obal



Ashley Newman



Cole Nelson



Brenna Nelson



Kara Moore



Luke Modde



Taylor Merrill



Hailey Luebe



Larissa Loeffler



Sara Legler



Derek Lahm



Lauren Kuta



Dylan Kuta



Taylor Johnson



Jacob Huss



Taylor Hladik

Eighth Grade

Brenna, Taylor, and Ashley take time out of the school day for some memories.



Lauran Hellbusch



Hannah Harrington



Paige Harmeier



Jonathon Hanson



Brandon Hahn



Quinn Goodrich



Jacob Gilson



Alivia Galley



Claire Fuchser



Brook Frewing



Alyssa Foltz



Alex Ernst



Colby Engquist



Kevin Donoghue



Christopher Dimas



Melissa Diamond



Vanessa Cox



Kiel Brunken



Bridgette Brune



Brennan Brockhaus



Ashlyn Brockhaus



Katie Breidenbach



Regina Bose



Kyle Bonk



Jill Bonk



Morgan Benesch



Katelyn Baumgart



Ian Baumgart



Carrie Bartholomew



Craig Ackman



Eighth graders take a breather from their Confirmation retreat.



The volleyball team poses after a game.

Rachel Rambour and Jordan Chohon show off their dance moves at homecoming.



Freshmen



Tyler Zimmerman Austin Wortman Angie Wieser Caitlin Wiehn Mark Ternus



Trey Stuthman Brad Steiner Taylor Sprunk Josh Spenner Hannah Spencer



Lucas Sinovic Jesse Shanle Tom Schumacher Keaton Schmidt Abbey Schieffer



Karsen Rombach Kelcey Robak Trev Rawhouser Stacia Rawhouser Rachel Rambour



Patrick Raimondo Morgan Prokupek Nick Preister Grant Pontow Cody Placzek



Mitchell Peterson Morgan Pernicek Jens Paprocki Mackenzie Paczosa

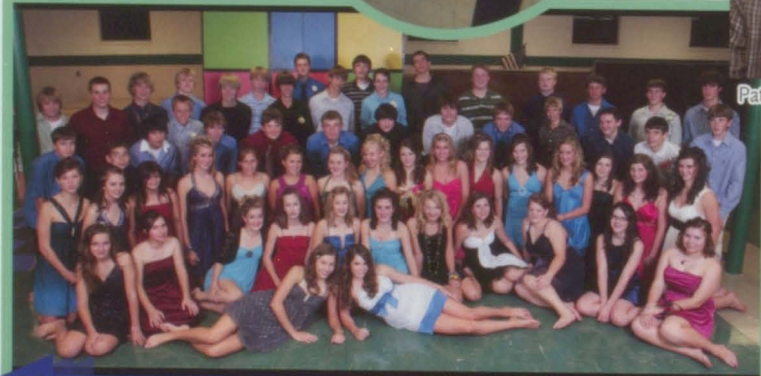
Levi Gasper, Allison Jepsen and Kade Hoefler during the Alumni Dodgeball Tournament.



Whitney Hank and Summer Kresha



Left: The Freshmen class picture at Homecoming.



Freshmen

The Freshmen this year were different but yet the same from other Freshmen. The second floor halls were always filled with noise. They enjoyed being able to attend the formal dances. Also to be a

part of the high school life, being a part of a more variety of sports as well as feeling like the upperclassmen paid attention to them. Hannah Spenceri says that, you get to travel on the same bus with everyone is a nice change. For some people it is a huge change while for others it is not as big of one. Ben Heusinkvelt will remember Mrs. Rambour 'stink bombing' the halls as well as getting yelled at by Mrs. Rusher from freshmen year.



Joel Ostdiek Ryan Ohnoutka Emmie Odbert Brandon Nichelson Kelsey Newman Jenna Moore Adam Moore



Ryan Miksch Sadee Lassek Trenton Kuta Chloe Kucera Summer Kresha Jake Kratochvil Allison Jepson



Steph Jarecke Seth Janicek Fritz Hoppe Kade Hoefler Ben Heusinkvelt Andy Heusinkvelt Chris Hernandez



Whitney Hank Jessa Gaspers Nicole Gasper Levi Gasper Hannah Fuchs Shelly Frauendorfer Ryan Fehr

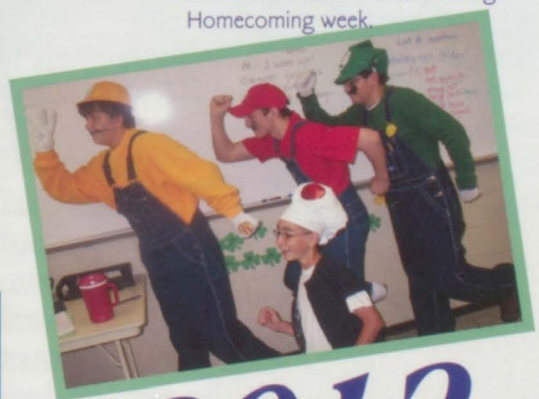


Michael Esch Jenna Dubas Sara Dolezal Jordan Chohon Taylor Case Forrest Casarez



Calvin Borer Alex Bolte Kiley Bierman Kelly Augustine Aaron Alexander Michael Albin

Michael Albin, Jens Paprocki, Trenton Kuta and Mark Ternus during Homecoming week.



2012

sophomores



Amanda Newman, Jenn Gokie, Jacy Gasper, and Amber Ewers strike a pose for the camera during Homecoming Week.



Nathan Wangler



Brady Vancura



Michael Tremel



Theresa Thalken



Rebecca Svatora



Lindsay Staroscik



Paige Sprunk



Olivia Sonderman



Molly Smith



Emily Schieffer



Hannah Schaefer



Abby Schademann



Laura Salyard



Connor Sackett



Alise Perault



Katie Ohnoutka and Morgan Duren smile for the camera without missing a step during a dance.



Stephen Pandorf



Matthew Pandorf



Jonathan Otte



Katie Ohnoutka



Amanda Newman



Levi McPhillips



Lindsay McElhose



McKenzie Leu



Casey Kessler



Marina Karel

Sophomores



Devin Iwan



Katie Hilton



Tiffany Haney



Rebecca Hall



Jena Grubaugh



Jennifer Gokie



Jacy Gasper



Dana Fuchs



Amber Ewers



James Euteneuer



Samantha Ebner



Morgan Duren



Bill Cremers



Zach Christiansen



Brett Brune



Alaric J. Bose



Alex Beller



Ryan Becker



Jaci Beauvais



Kyle Baumgart



Cale Albracht



Levi McPhillips does his best hunchback during homecoming week



Abby Schademann plays her role in Theater class.

The dreaded sophomore year... "What could be worse?" most would ask. With speech class, biology, and Mrs. Schaad's English, the year can almost be overwhelming. With the increase of work comes the increase in responsibility, but the teachers also give the students more leniency as well. The sophomores also realized that they are becoming more involved with activities that go on around the school.

2010-11



Pat McKay shows his limbo skills during lunch on Catholic School's Week.



Maggie Hellbusch, Tiffany Weiser, Katelyn Kerkman, Lindsey Gasper, Andrea Odbert, Laura Zach, and Emily Jarecki pose in front of Applebee's.

This year, juniors got a good feel for being close to "top dog". They had the chance to work with the new English teacher, Mrs. Ploetz. They seemed to have taken quite a liking to her and she has done them well. The class has grown closer together over the years and can't wait to finish out this year. A new addition to their class was Michael Miya, who came from Tanzania. He said this year wasn't quite what he expected and that it was a lot more challenging than he thought it would be. He's up for the challenge and is a new addition to a welcoming class. They have many challenges ahead, and they're ready to face them all.



Laura Zach



Tiffany Wieser



Catie Wiese



Cameron Wiehn



Austin Wallick



Eric Tubbs



Vincent Tira



Dylan Thompson



Trevor Thiele



Sarah Swope



Michaela Streit



Amy Steiner



Samantha Sorell



Shawn Schumacher



Jenna Roh



Kaitlyn Robak



Amy Reisdorff



Tom Rambour



Matthew Puckett



Amy Pekarek



Andrea Odbert



Trace Murray



Nadia Morales



Michael Miya



Patrick McKay

Juniors



Juniors show their support at State Volleyball.



Merle Mapes



Dalton Leu



James Landholm



Alex Kuta



Katelyn Kerkman



Shelby Johnson



Kelsey Jochum



Emily Jarecki



Peter Heusinkvelt



Maggie Hellbusch



Jennifer Hall



Morgan Gilson



Lindsey Gasper



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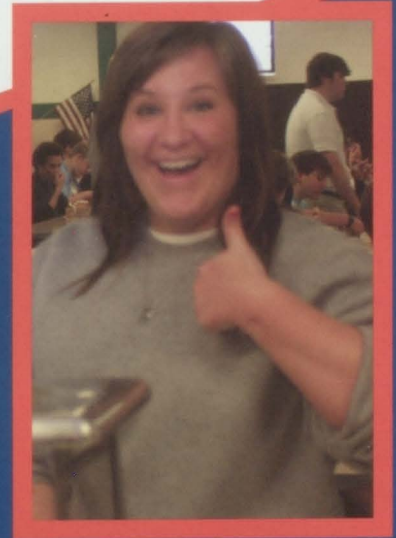
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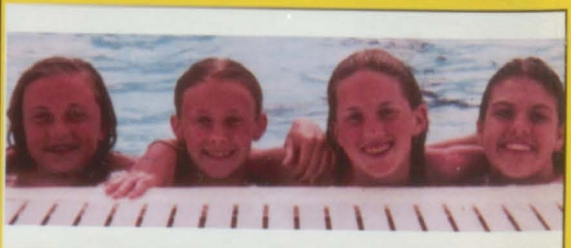
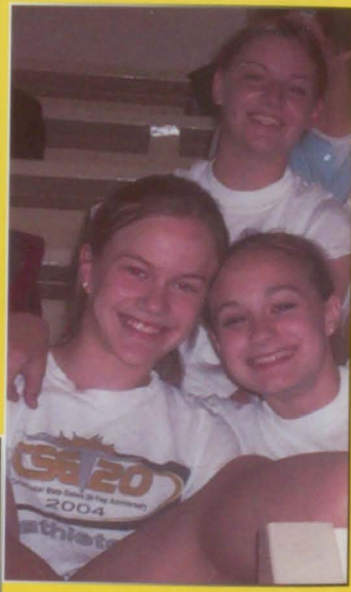
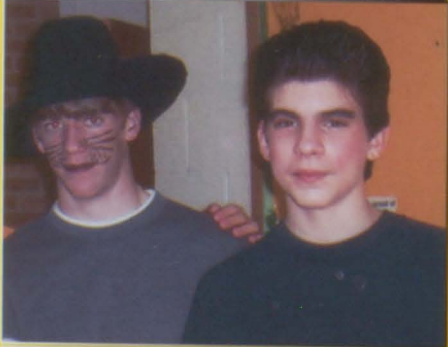


Kaitlyn Robak shows enthusiasm for Catholic School's Week in the lunch line.

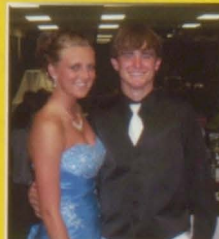
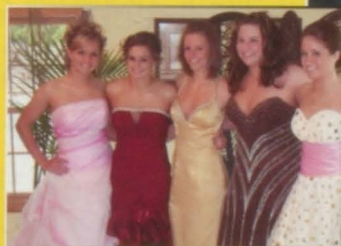
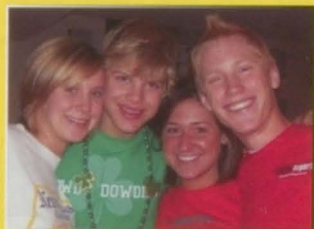
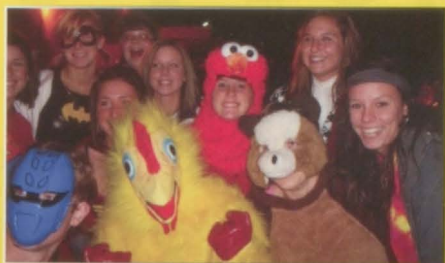


Morgan Gilson, Brittany Bader, and Taylor Baumgart pose during Homecoming Week.

Now Then



WOW Now



Senior Prophecies

Most Likely To:

Amanda Zywiec...brag about giving guys free hamburgers at McDonalds.

Jeremey Zuerlein...buy a unicorn.

Liz Zabawa...hardcore stalk Justin Timberlake.

Aaron Wrigley...become the new voice of the movie trailers.

Jen Williams...manage the U.S. Olympic Volleyball team to an Olympic gold in 2012.

Schalise Vancura...whine about her senior prophecy.

Taylor Suess...spend the rest of his life looking for the Platte County Bridge.

Cassandra Spulak...get a new car for graduation, not like it, and get another one.

Arturo Spindola...be unemployed, but have the nicest stuff out of everyone.

Sami Spenner...get fired for talking back to her boss.

Kathy Smith...swim across the ocean and still have enough energy to talk a billion miles an hour.

Quintin Siemek...win the Medal of Honor.

Kelsey Seckel...fail her senior year so she can come back and graduate with the Class of 2010.

Callen Schwank...die while lifting due to an overdose of creatine.

Kelli Schumacher...not like Jared's Best and Worst for her and eventually change it...NOT

Simon Schacher...have problems with his wife because he couldn't break up with Dan...NO HOMO!!

Josh Ryba...make it through life by claiming, "No! I'm 300 pounds!"

Kirby Reardon...turn into a real robot from doing The Robot so much.

Nicholas Raimondo...take over the *Sopranos* and rename it the Raimondos.

Craig Pekarek...come back to every varsity volleyball game and chew out the Junior High for not cheering.

Ashley Paprocki...prove that Perfect water works to everyone she encounters.

Jared Ostdiek...rub his 20 game winning streak of Hi-Ho Cherry-O in his son's face even if he had to cheat to win.

Luke Olmer...make up an excuse for not having a senior prophecy.

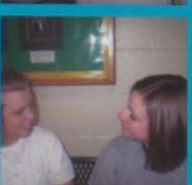
Adam Niedbalski...be shot at while making his patented bird noises outside...or will he??

Krista Mulligan...continue to be stuck in Kansas with the cows.

Matt Maca...be the happiest man in the world no matter what.

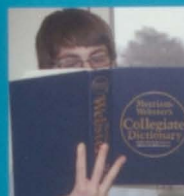
Senior Prophecies

- Mitch Kwapnioski...move to Chicago and go wild.
- Ashley Kuta...create a line of sparkle make-up.
- Bill Kurtenbach...wear his letter jacket longer than his dad.
- Taylor Kumpf...buy the world so it can actually revolve around her.
- Megan Kresha...build a house out of starburst and duck tape.
- Jay Klimes...text people to find out where the class reunion is.
- Kaitlynn Klaassen...marry someone with the last name starting with a "K" so she can still be "Kaitlynn K". (OMG)
- Mikayla Karel...even when she is married still tell people to pronounce her maiden name right.
- Jordan Janda...carry a duffle bag to work instead of a briefcase.
- Moe Jackson...two words...HUMP DAY!!
- Nathan Hotovy...live with Arturo and fight every day.
- Michael Hefti...bring three cheat sheets to a college test and get caught three times in a row.
- David Gokie...move to Dallas to open a bagel shop called "Dirty Dave's Bagels", become a millionaire, but still live on the streets because it's cheaper.
- Macey Fuhr...invent movie night, but never go to them because she has to work.
- Kris Fleeman...come to the class reunion, leave for a couple minutes...then come back.
- Lori Fehr...worry about everything.
- Janessa Ellis...marry a mechanic so he can fix her car.
- Whitney Ebel...own a penguin farm.
- Tony Duren...rock the V-neck for the rest of his life.
- Brad Cheloha...still be annoyed by "Easy Cheloha" 50 years from now.
- Holly Broxterman...become the next leader of St. Isidore Youth Group...if Virgil ever dies...
- Hannah Bolte...wear her green velvet homecoming dress and yellow heels to her wedding.
- Katie Beiermann...not get why she doesn't get her senior prophecy.
- Chase Beiermann...spend his life trying to get people to call him "bebida" instead of Chase.
- Chelsea Bartholomew...read every book ever known, even those not written.
- Sara Baer...think every black Mustang has a hot guy in it.
- Lucas Backman...break his collarbone while brushing his teeth.
- Clar Adelman...die of laughter.



- Amanda Zywiec ~ Most Dramatic
- Jeremy Zuerlein ~ Most Mysterious
- Liz Zabawa ~ Best Smile
- Aaron Wrigley ~ Best Actor
- Jen Williams ~ Best Personality
- Schalise Vancura ~ Most Independent
- Taylor Sues ~ Hardest Worker
- Cassandra Spulak ~ Most Spoiled
- Arturo Spindola ~ Best Sound Effects
- Sam Spenner ~ Most Hyper
- Kathy Smith ~ Best Artist
- Quintin Siemek ~ Most Patriotic
- Kelsey Seckel ~ Most Motherly
- Callen Schwank ~ Biggest Meathhead
- Kelli Schumacher ~ Stealthiest
- Simon Schacher ~ Most Sarcastic
- Josh Ryba ~ Strongest
- Kirby Reardon ~ Most Energetic
- Nicholas Raimondo ~ Best Singer
- Craig Pekarek ~ Most School Spirit
- Ashley Paprocki ~ Best Listener
- Jared Ostdiek ~ Most Competitive
- Luke Olmer ~ Worst Liar
- Adam Niedbalski ~ Most Opinionated
- Krista Mulligan ~ Most Sincere
- Matt Maca ~ Most Polite
- Mitch Kwapnioski ~ Shyest

Best/Worst

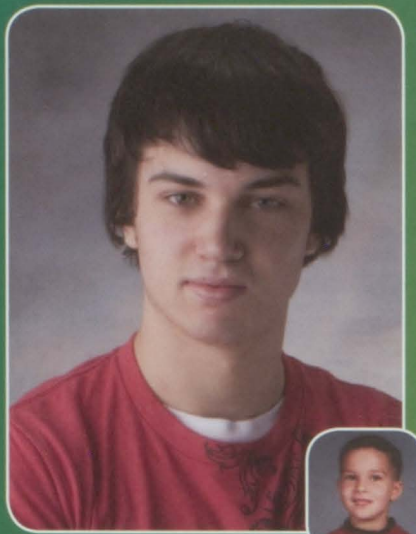


- Ashley Kuta ~ Most Changed
Bill Kurtenbach ~ Most Arrogant
Taylour Kumpf ~ Most Involved
Megan Kresha ~ Best Singer
Jay Klimes ~ Most Helpful
Kaitlynn Klaassen ~ Most Blonde Moments
Mikayla Karel ~ Best Car
Jordan Janda ~ Fastest
Moe Jackson ~ Best Hair
Nathan Hotovy ~ Best Dimples
Mike Hefti ~ Laziest
David Gokie ~ Perfectionist
Macey Fuhr ~ Best Legs
Kris Fleeman ~ Best Musician
Lori Fehr ~ Best Dancer
Janessa Ellis ~ Most Talkative
Whitney Ebel ~ Loudest
Tony Duren ~ Smartest
Brad Cheloha ~ Most "Cheeky"
Holly Broxterman ~ Most Unique
Hannah Bolte ~ Biggest Non-Conformist
Katie Beiermann ~ Biggest Ditz
Chase Beiermann ~ Life of the Party
Chelsea Bartholomew ~ Best Writer
Sara Baer ~ Most Giggly
Lucas Backman ~ Most Athletic
Clar Adelman ~ Best Laugh





Amanda Zywiec



Jeremy Zuerlein



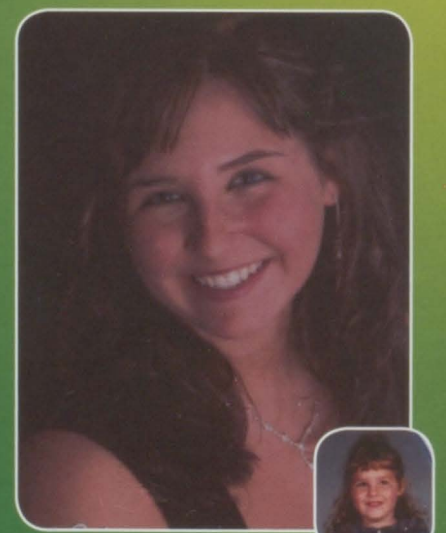
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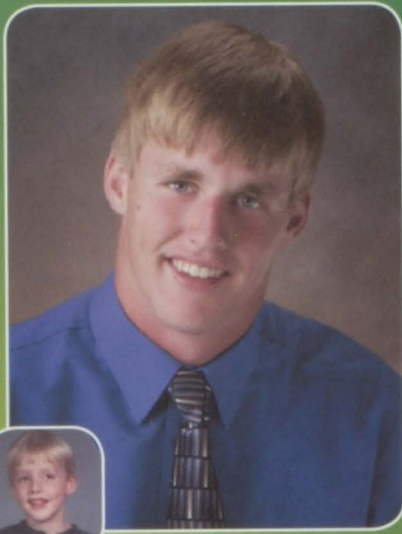
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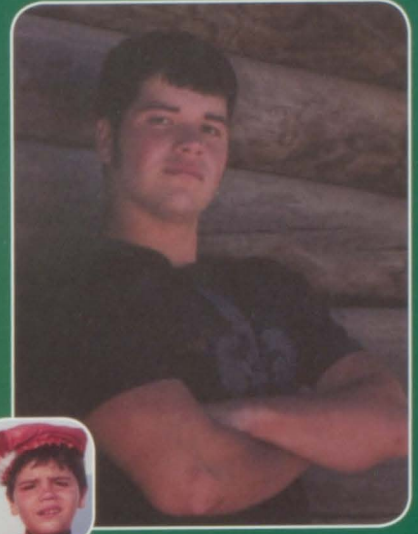
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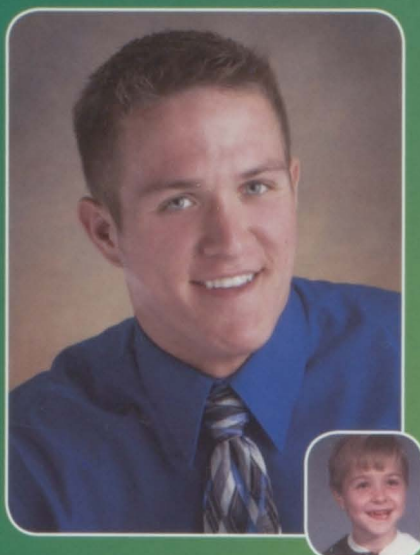
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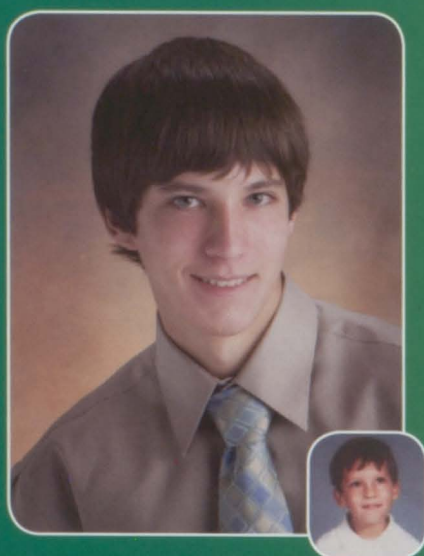
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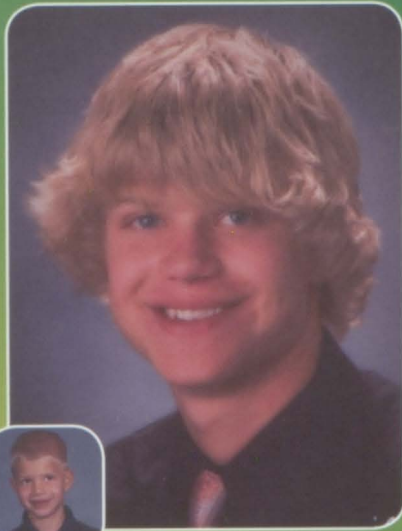
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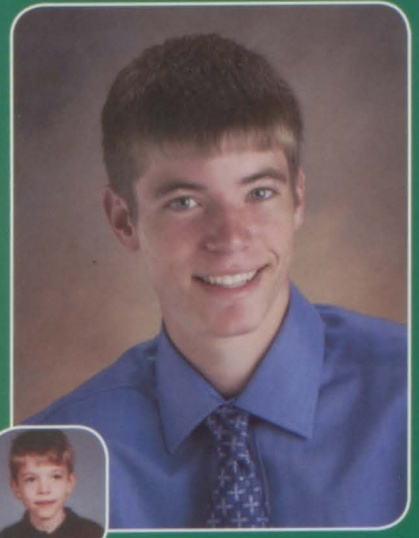
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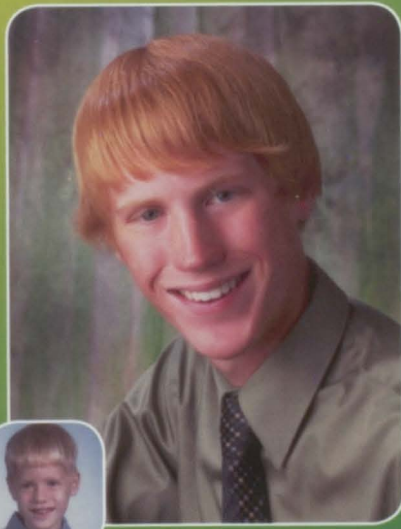
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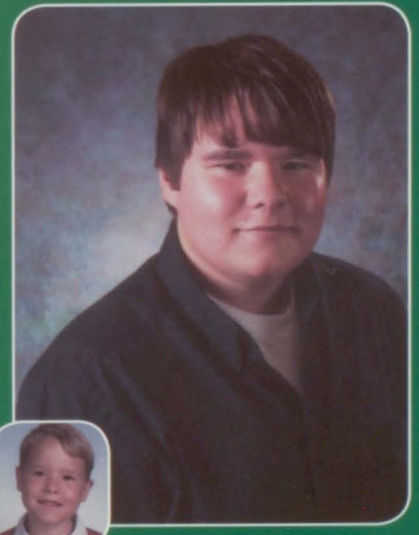
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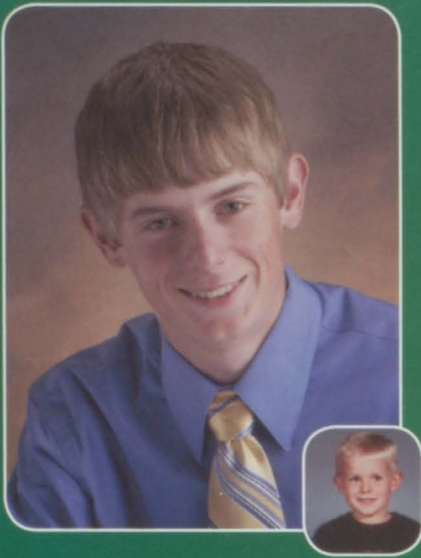
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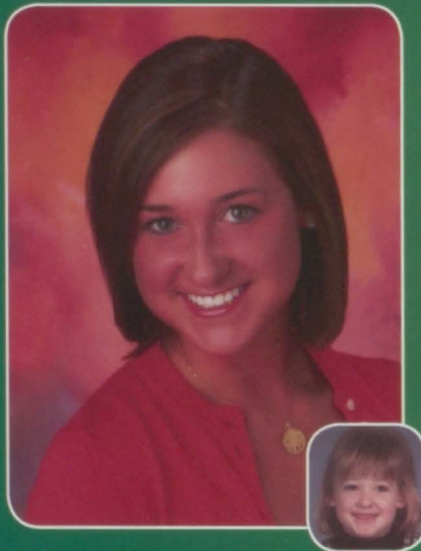
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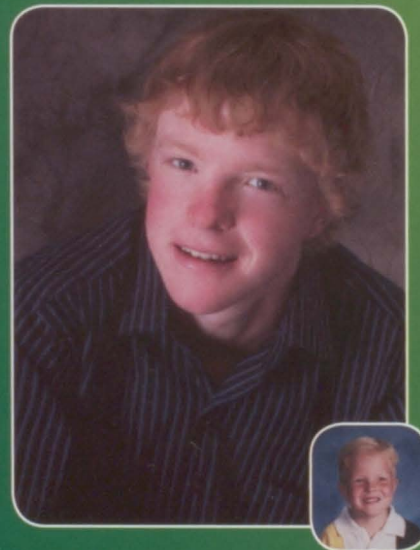
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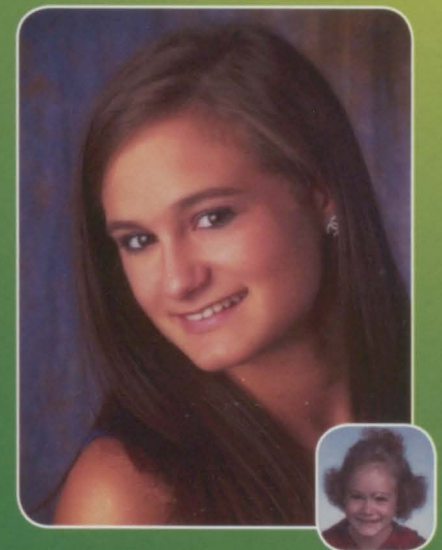
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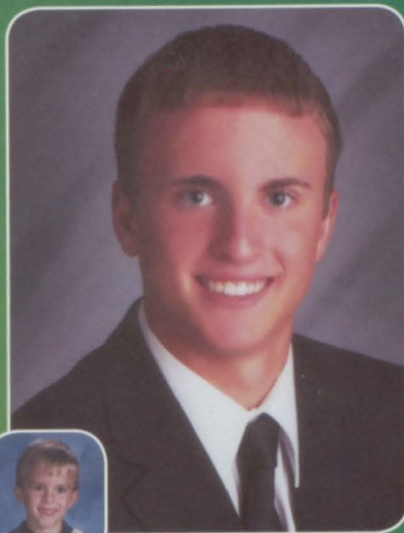
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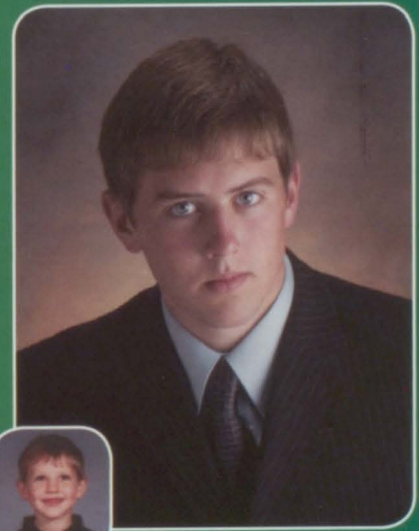
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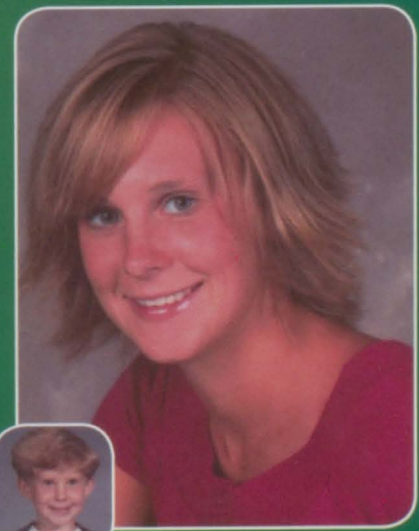
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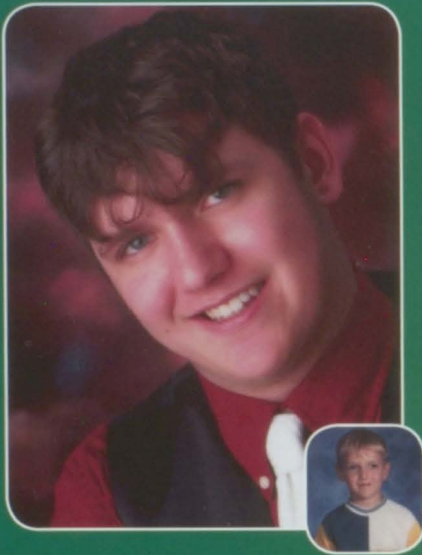
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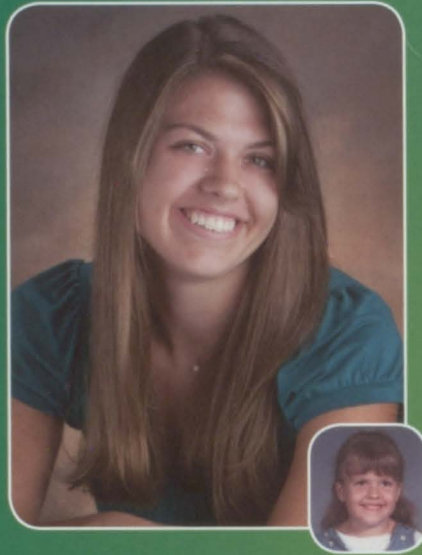
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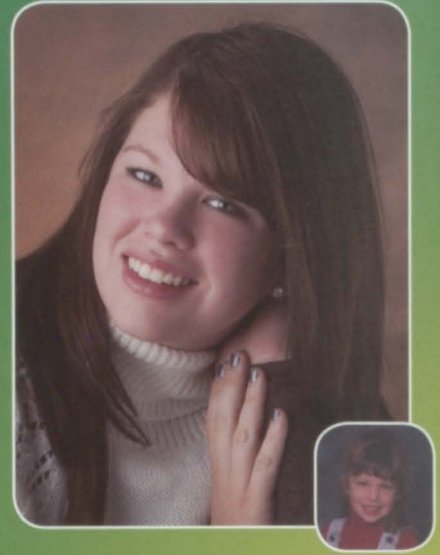
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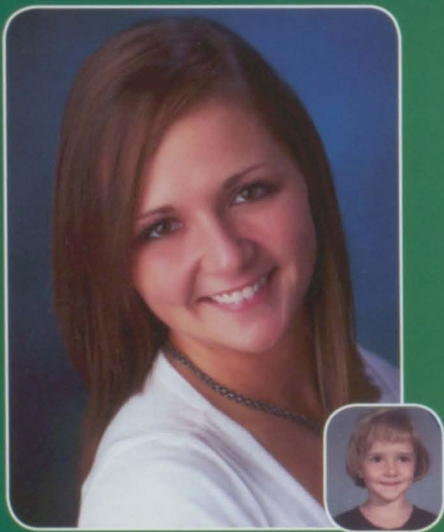
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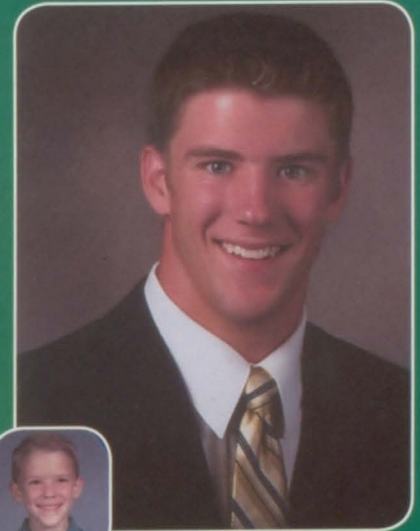
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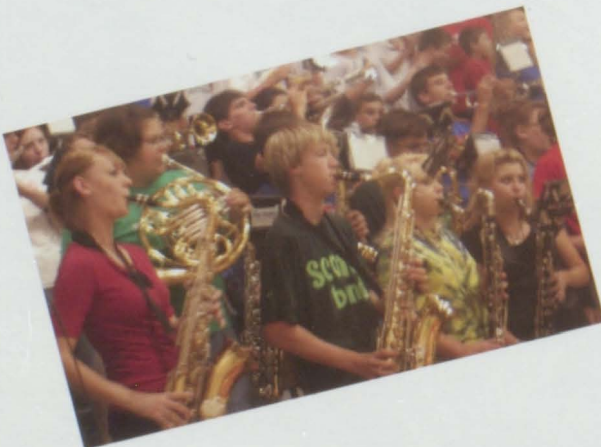
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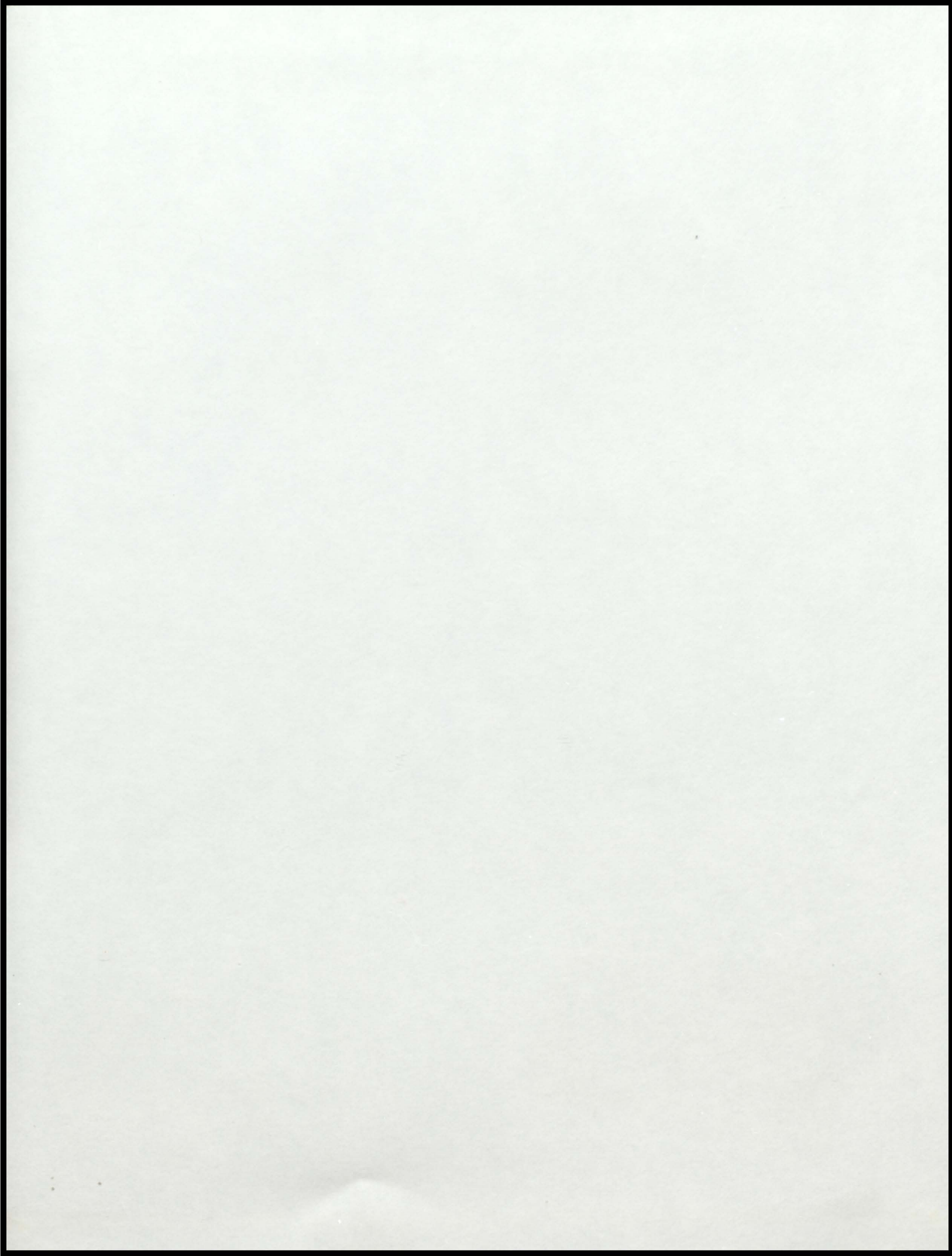
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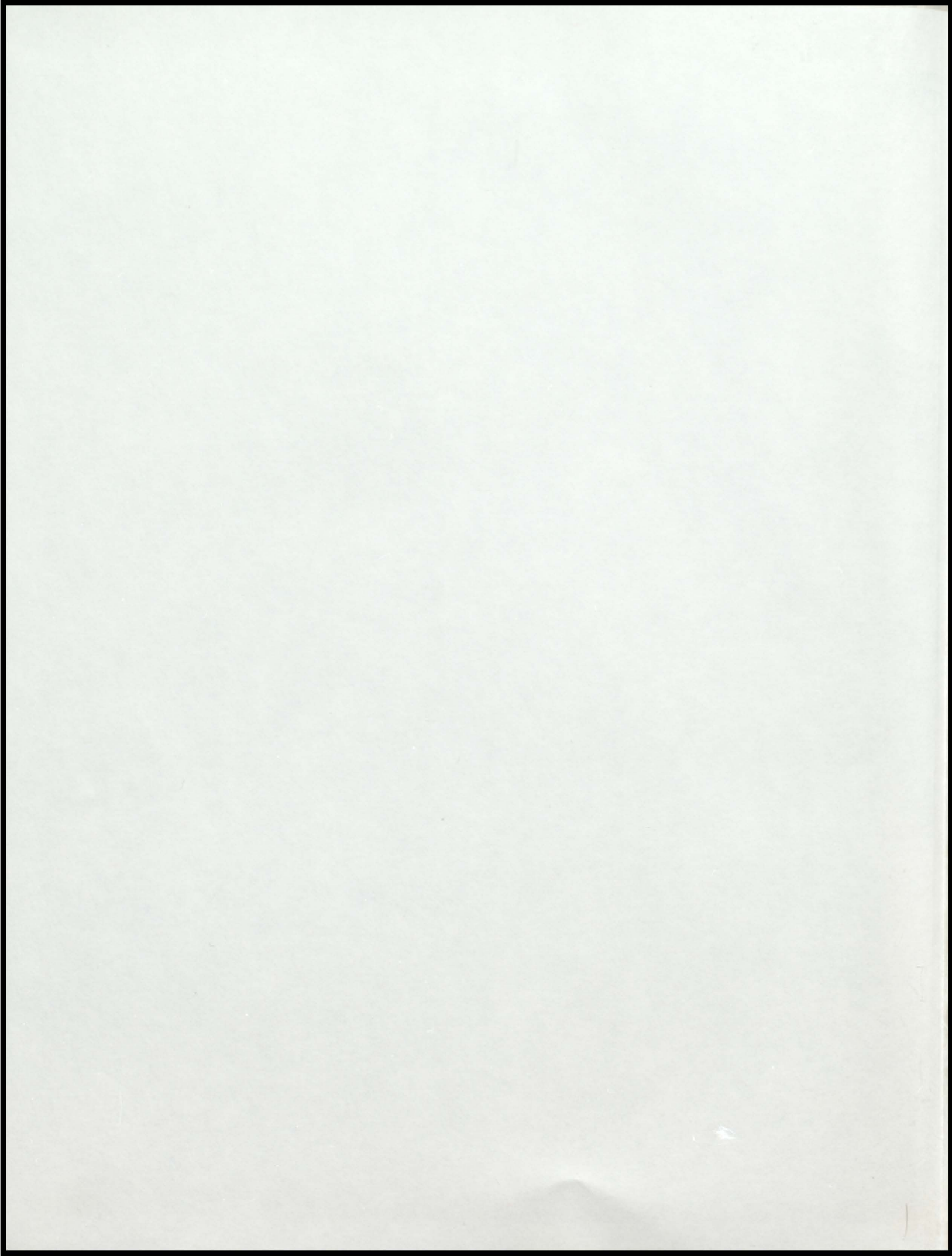
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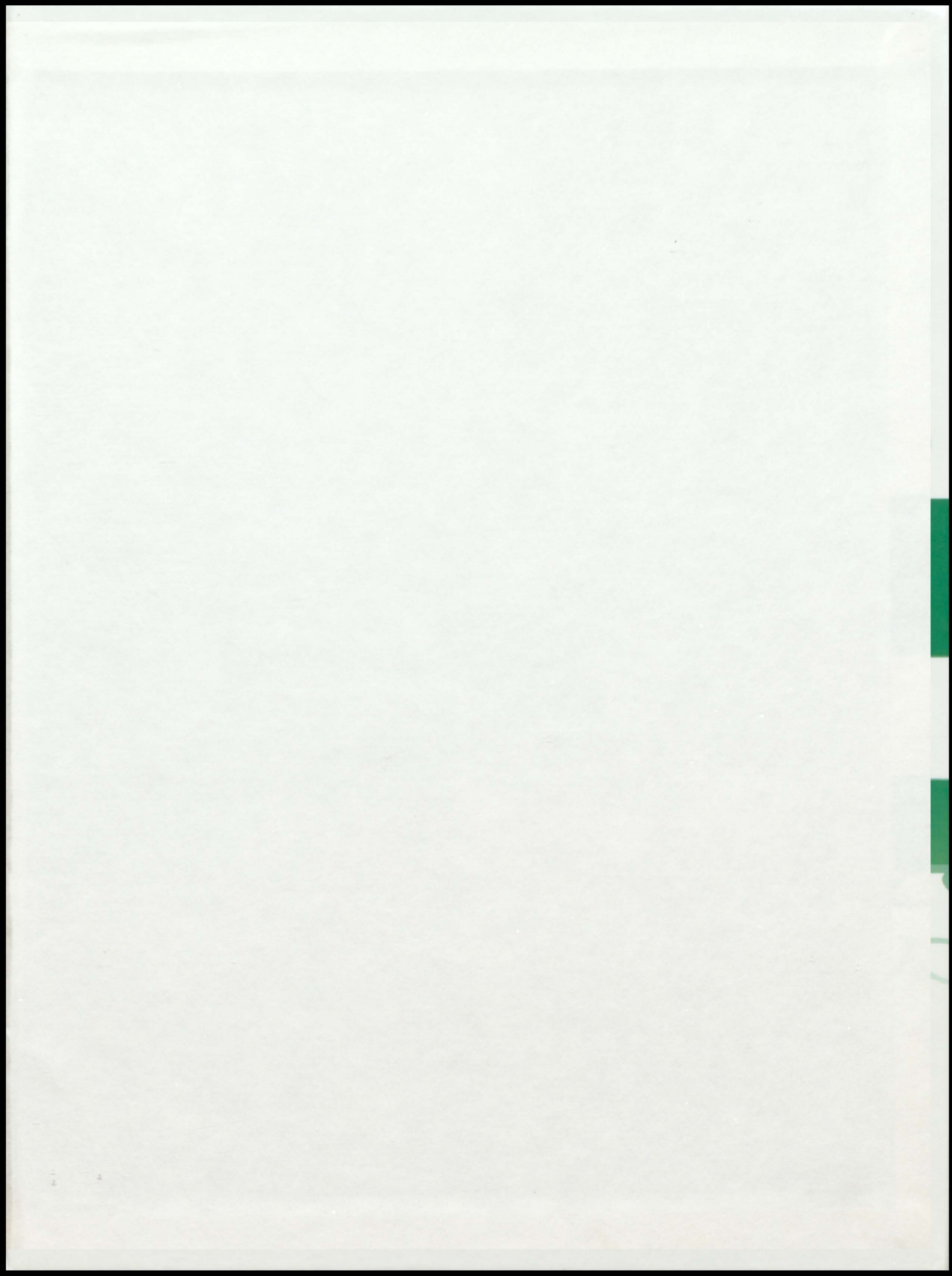
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