

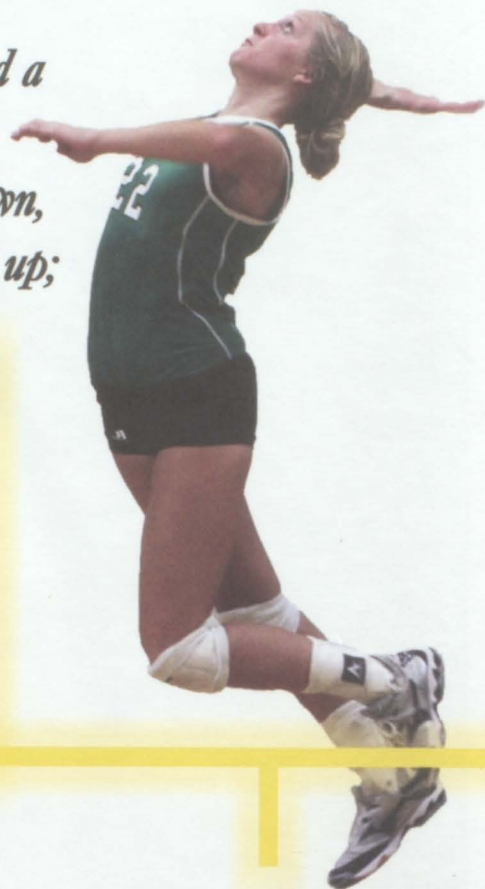


*A Time to*

*For everything there  
is a season, and  
a time for every  
matter under heaven:*

# *Ecclesiastes 3: 1-22*

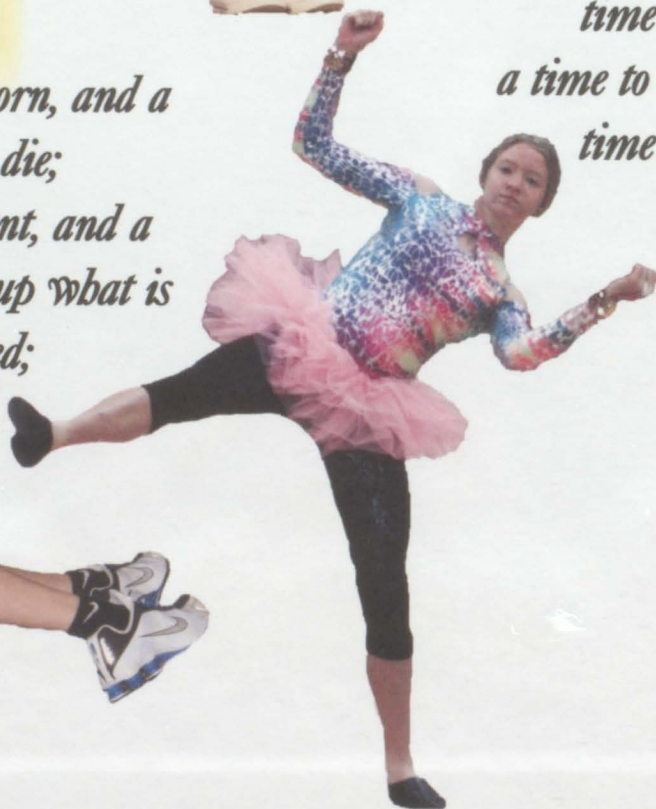
*a time to kill, and a  
time to heal;  
a time to break down,  
and a time to build up;*



*a time to be born, and a  
time to die;  
a time to plant, and a  
time to pluck up what is  
planted;*



*a time to weep, and a  
time to laugh;  
a time to mourn, and a  
time to dance;*



*a time to cast away  
stones, and a time to  
gather stones together;  
a time to embrace, and  
a time to refrain from  
embracing;*



*a time to rend, and a  
time to sew;  
a time to keep silence,  
and a time to speak;*



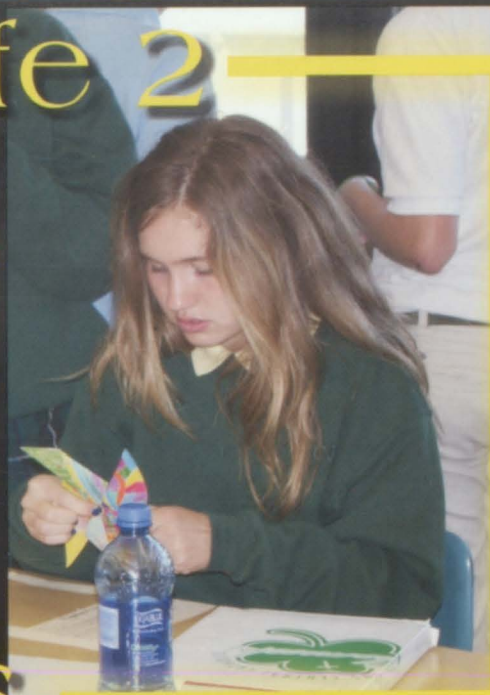
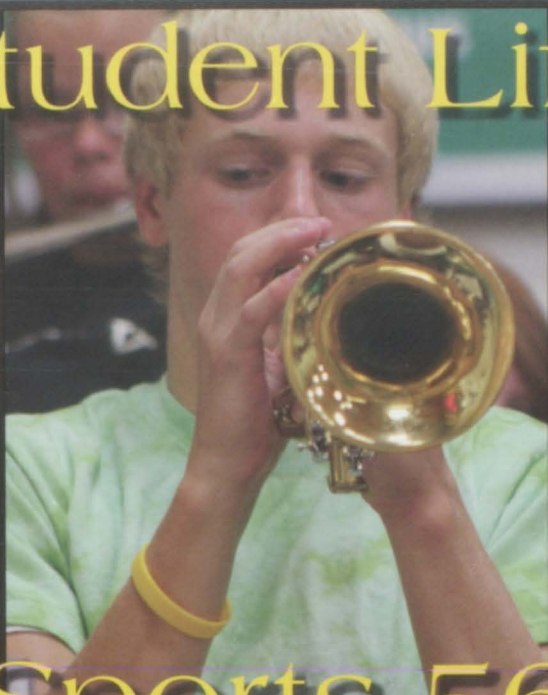
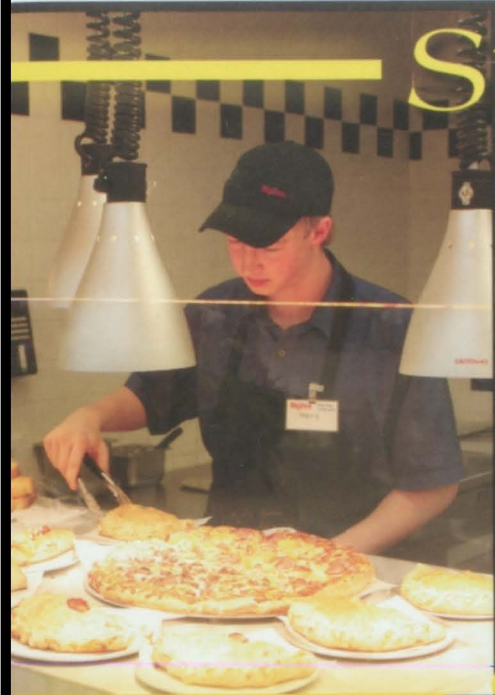
*a time to seek, and a  
time to lose;  
a time to keep, and a  
time to cast away;*



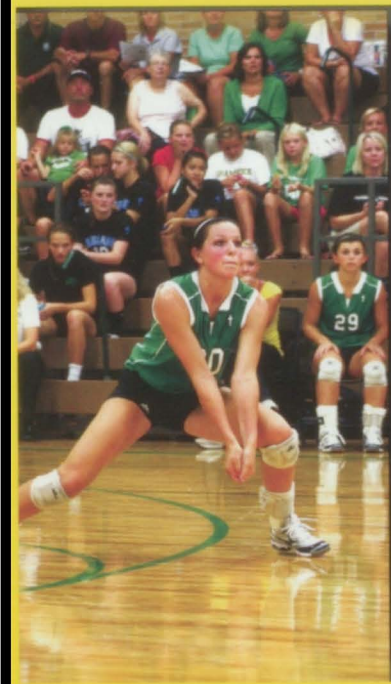
*a time to love, and  
a time to hate;  
a time for war, and  
a time for peace.*



# Student Life 2



# Sports 56



# People 100



Life

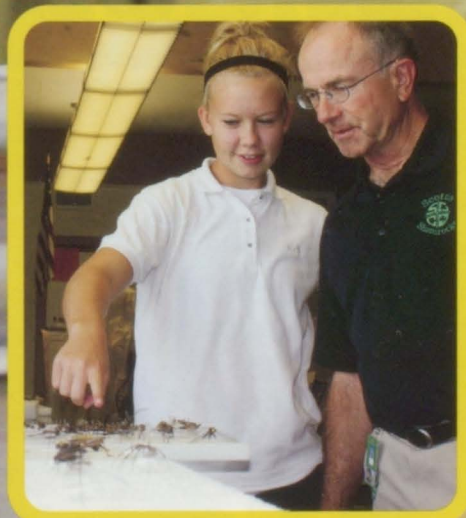
Student



Eighth grader Zoe Casarez concentrates intently on a homework assignment.



Senior Bill Cremers rocks a beat on the drums.



Mr. Younger and sophomore Claire Fuchser inspect insects in biology class.

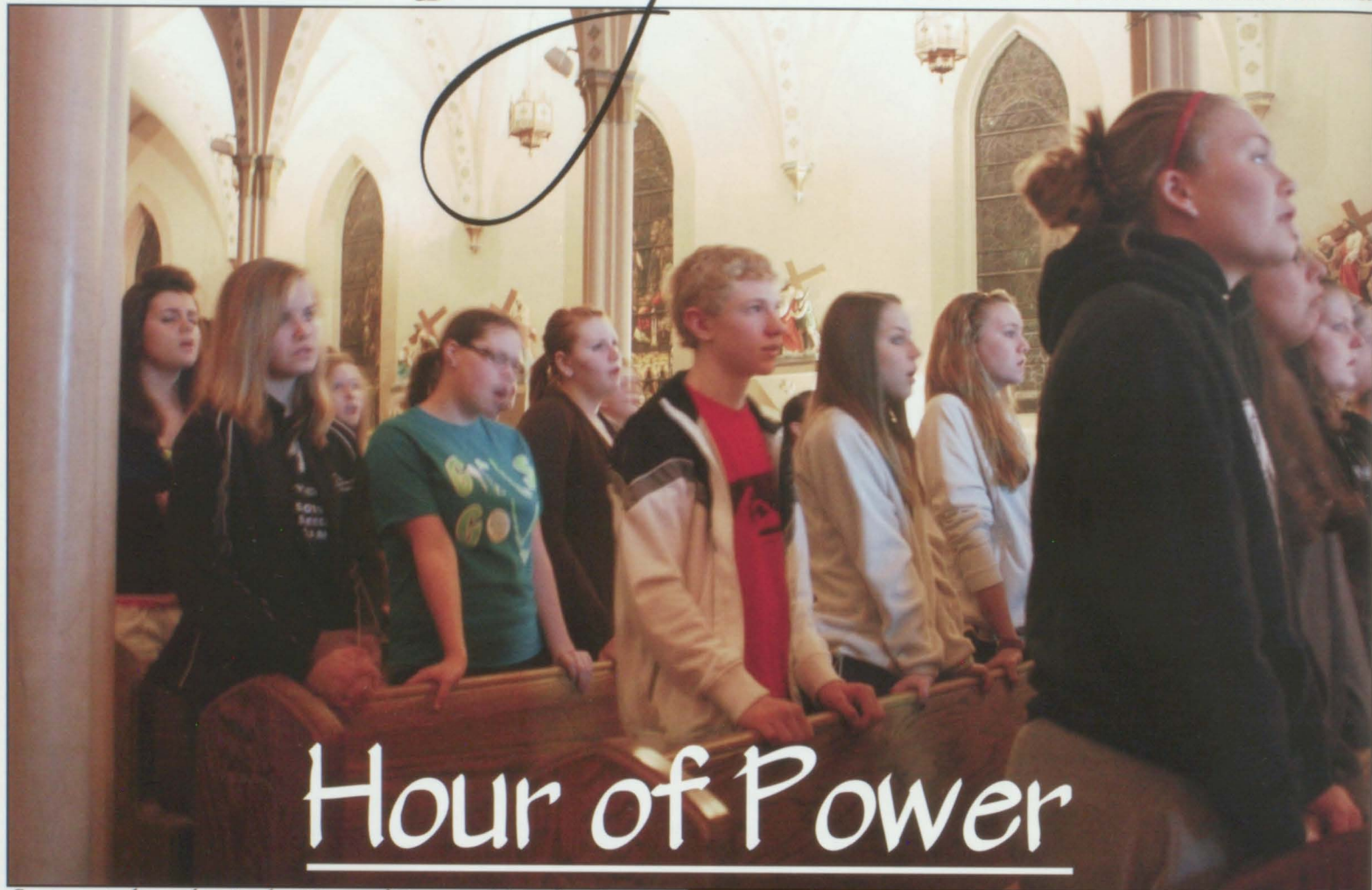


Freshmen Liz Smith and Clare Bohac blow on pinwheels in association with the Pinwheels for Peace movement.

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# Worship

"The purpose of Catholic education is to provide young people with a strong religious foundation upon which to build the rest of their lives."  
Scotus Mission Statement.



## Hour of Power

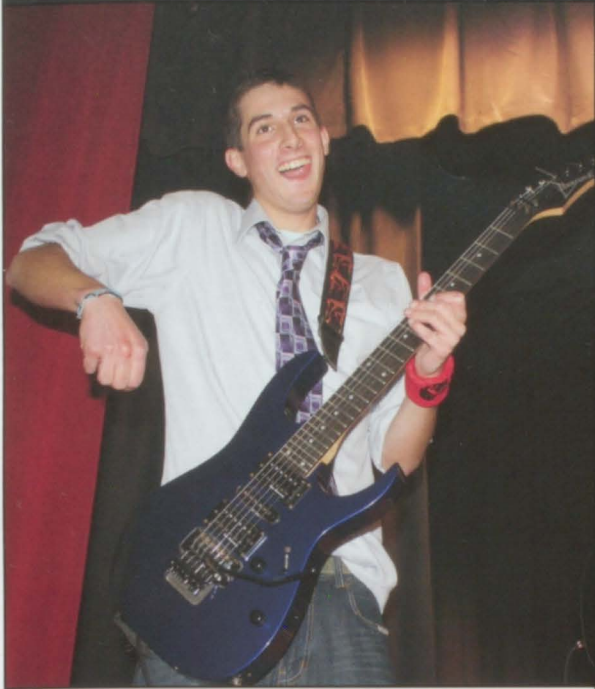
Scotus students begin the Hour of Power with reflective Christian music.

At the Hour of Power, students gather once a month to worship the Lord through adoration and song. Scotus students play modern Christian music, some of which is collected from the Steubenville Conference. In addition, one student each month gives witness to their faith by speaking about how God has worked in his or her life. The Hour of Power is followed by ice cream in the St. Bonaventure Social Hall.

Freshmen Melissa Thalken, Valerie Borer, and Ashlea Rinkol dance to Social Contradiction at the Hour of Power.







A member of Social Contradiction rocks out on the bass at the Hour of Power.

The Hour of Power had the special privilege of hosting Social Contradiction, a band formed by students of Mt. Michael High School in Omaha. After the regular hour, the band played a series of Christian rock songs and an ice cream social was held in the St. Bon's Social Hall.



# Godparents

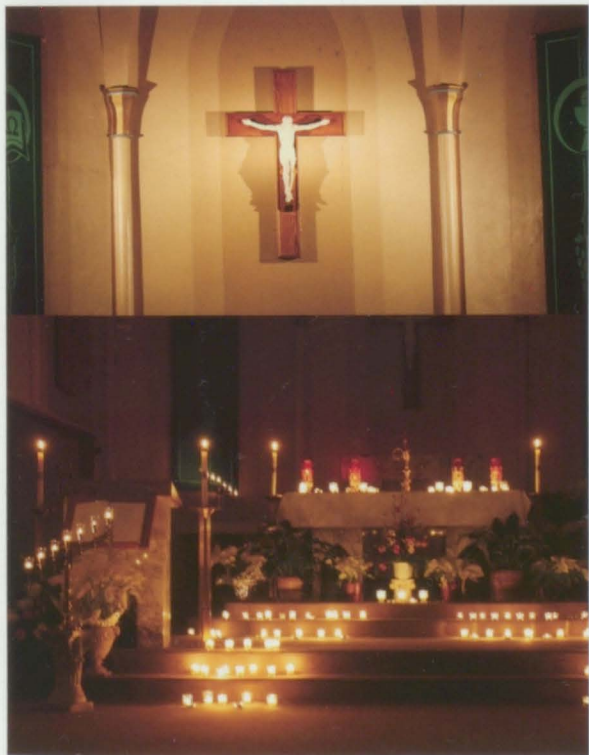


Catholic teens around Columbus gather at their assigned Godparents' homes to discuss and practice their faith. Godparents always begins with a prayer and ice-breaker followed by faith-filled activity. Teens also write in a journal about the way faith is important in their lives. Many Scotus students belong to different Godparent groups.

# Youth Group

The St. Isidore Youth Group was revamped with new leadership this year by Molly Lenihan.

The high schoolers meet weekly at the CHS cafeteria or at members' homes to watch and discuss faith-based films or do service projects within the community.



At the Hour of Power, the church is decorated with many candles and dimly lit to create a prayerful atmosphere.

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# Pilgrimage



Seniors Sam Ebner, Jacy Gasper, and Katie Ohnoutka kneel at the Tabernacle in a Cathedral.

## March for Life



Sophomores Morgan Benesch and Hannah Harrington and Junior Abbey Schieffer shout their pro-life cheer.

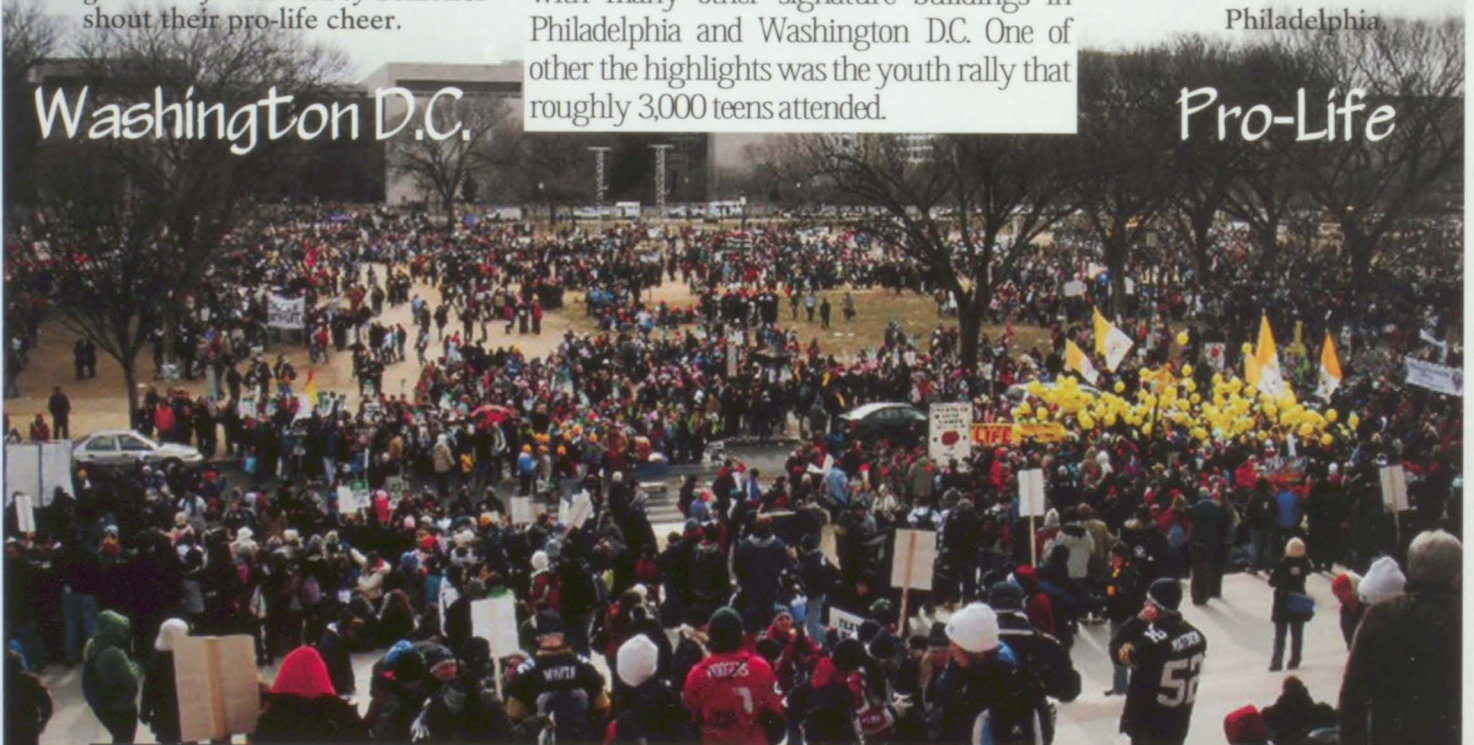
37 Scotus students set off on a true pilgrimage with the hope of changing people's minds about abortion. As shown in the picture below, many people feel strongly about this topic even to the point that they would travel cross country by bus to stand outside in the cold January weather. This trip was not just a sacrifice, but it was also an eye opening experience. The students were able to see the largest cathedral in America, along with many other signature buildings in Philadelphia and Washington D.C. One of other the highlights was the youth rally that roughly 3,000 teens attended.



Senior Jacy Gasper and Junior Joel Ostdiek pose in front of the National Art Museum in Philadelphia.

Washington D.C.

Pro-Life



"In order to be pro-life, you have to start with yourself. You have to celebrate life."

"I go every year because it brings you closer to God and gets you excited about your faith. It's really fun to spend time with God alongside thousands of teens that are just as into their faith." Megan Wright

# Steubenville

Springfield, MO



Each summer thousands of teens gather at multiple locations around the US to participate in the Steubenville Conference. The Conference is a time in which students have the opportunity to focus their lives on God and strengthen their faith. The experience revolves around community, adoration, praise, and worship.

"The first year I went because my sister wanted me to go. The second year I went because I knew the experience was completely worth it." Catherine Swope

# Mission Trip

St. Isidore Youth Mission does not only pertain to the trips to specific destinations. It takes months of work before the actual pilgrimage to help out the less fortunate. Youth Mission has meetings every month in order to plan fundraisers. The common ways they raise money are pancake breakfasts, raffle tickets, car washes, and rummage sales. They also sell items such as Hy-Vee coupon books, Butter Braid Bread, religious t-shirts, and candles. Mission trips are a good way for teens to give to the community in a way that is faith-filled.

"The highlight of the trip was singing Lady Gaga songs to the Native American children while we painted houses." Jaci Beauvais



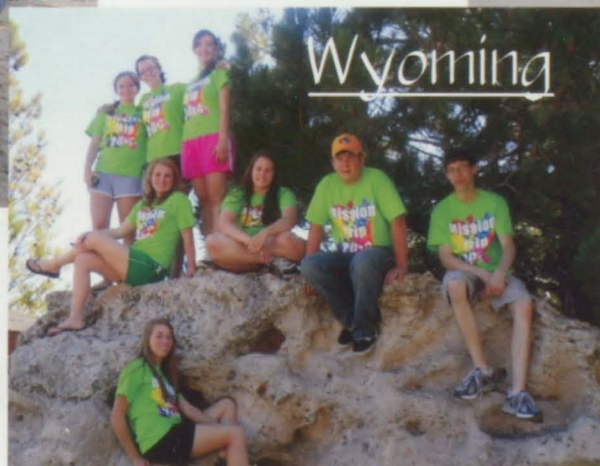
Alabama

"I made so many new friends who shared their incredible faith stories. We also painted an entire 2-story house in 1 day!"  
Vanessa Cox



Chicago

"I got to spend a whole week with my dad helping other people and doing other activities that brought us closer together."  
Tessa Stuart



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# Pray Campus Ministry



Senior Levi McPhillips falls to the ground under the weight of the cross.



Senior Jaci Beauvais gives out the Eucharist at Mass.

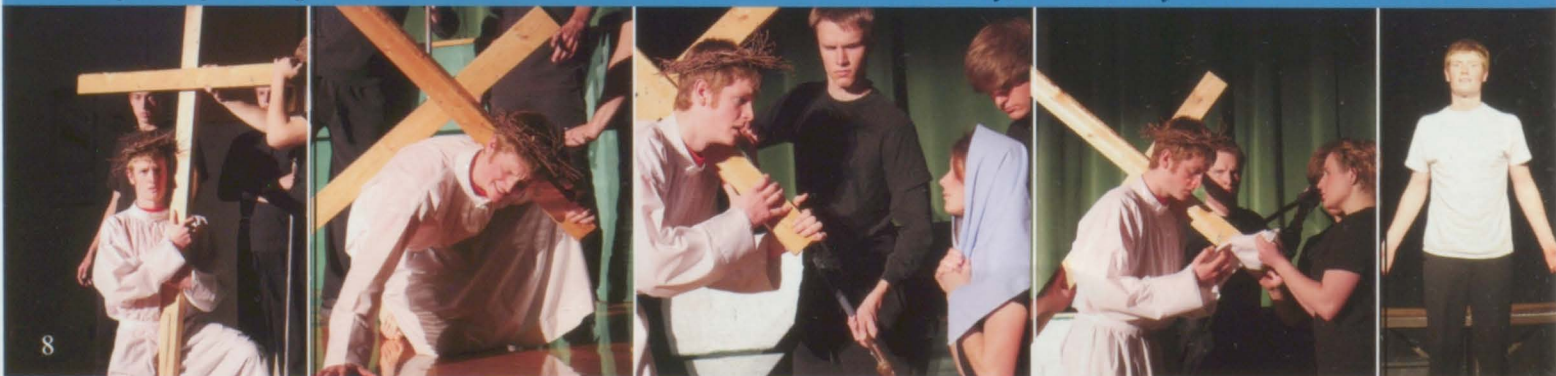
Praying before and after school, lecturing and EMHCing at Mass, Stations of the Cross; Campus Ministry acts behind the scenes, creating the school community. Beginning and ending the day with prayer brings Jesus into the whole day. Campus Ministry participants write and say prayers over the intercom before and after school.

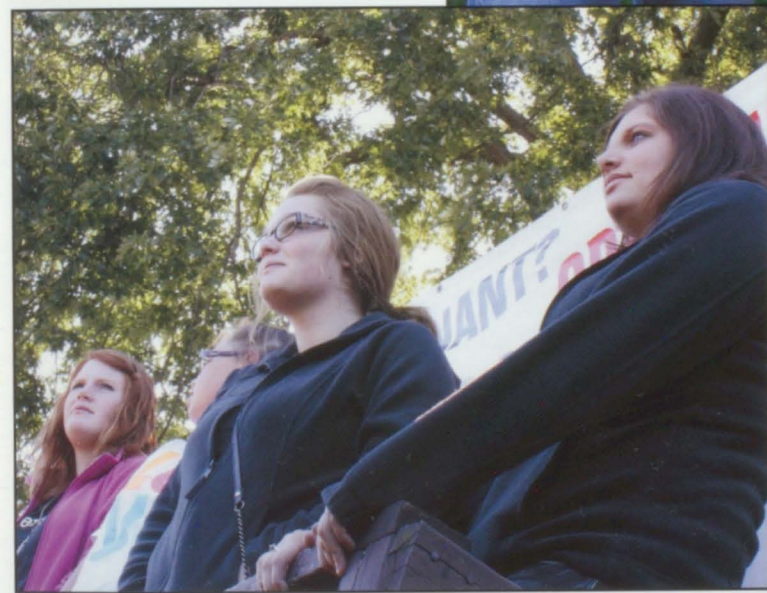
Lectors and EMHC's are also considered to be a part of Campus Ministry. To become one of these, students attended an evening session in the fall and a Mass in Norfolk.

Campus Ministry also holds Stations of the Cross before Easter. This year the focus was from Jesus' and Mary's points of view.

Campus Ministry adds to school life by incorporating faith into everyday life.

In the Stations of the Cross, senior Levi McPhillips portrays Jesus. Seniors Cale Albracht, James Euteneuer, Dana Fuchs, and junior Jens Paprocki are the soldiers. Senior Olivia Sonderman is Mary, and senior Jaci Beauvais is Veronica.





Freshmen Valerie Borer, sophomore Katie Breidenbach, and junior Abbey Schieffer protest at an abortion clinic. (top left) Freshmen Emily Allen and Samantha Patocka-Brewster hold a pro-life sign at Life Chain.

Sophomore Sara Legler takes her voice away during the silent day. (top right) Sophomores Hannah Harrington, Shayla Wieser, and junior Kelly Augustine pray at an abortion clinic.

## Teens for Life

One of the many positives of attending a Catholic school is being able to stand up for beliefs. Teens for Life is a unique organization that stands for pro-life. This year the group traveled to an abortion clinic in Lincoln several times to protest the killing of the unborn. Members of Teens for Life also held signs on the side of the road for the Life Chain. They organized a silent day in which members wore red tape over their mouths to symbolize the children whose lives have been taken away by abortion. This year Teens for Life sold pro-life items such as silly bands, wristbands, necklaces, and bumper stickers.

# a time to *Retreat*



(above) Seniors Rebecca Hall, Dana Fuchs, and Jenn Gokie attempt to direct their teams to the finish line. Groups had two long pieces of duct tape stuck to their feet.



Bill Cremers (left) shares the sign of peace with Levi McPhillips at Mass during the senior retreat.



(left) Senior Jaci Beauvais works her way through the high ropes course. (above) Senior Jacy Gasper ziplines to the ground after conquering the course.

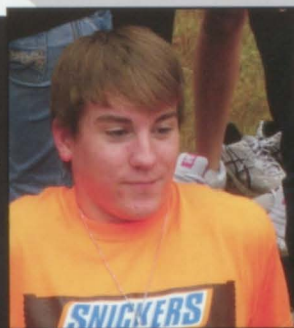


Junior Kelsey Newman, Stacia Rawhouser, Jenna Dubas, and Jordan Chohon hold each other up supported only by their hands. Many groups competed with different strategies, but this group won the junior competition.

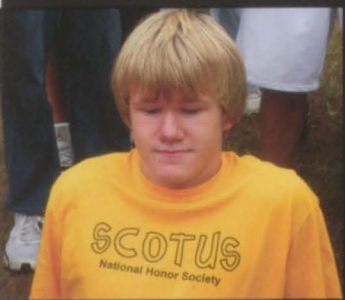


At the various class retreats, students grow in communion with each other and have fun in the process. Common activities at retreats are competitions requiring teamwork and leadership. The togetherness of the experience carries over into the school year.

"I thought it was a lot of fun. Fr. Roza always knows how to keep a rowdy bunch of juniors entertained. My favorite part was the free time after lunch."  
-Ben Heusinkvelt



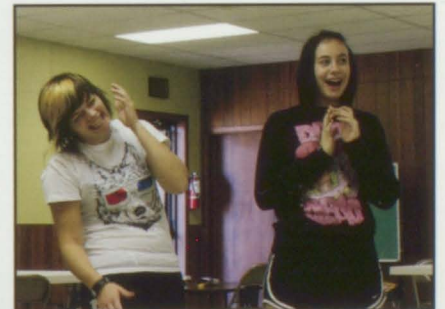
"We did an activity to prove that our class can cooperate. We failed the first time. We kept on doing it until we got it right. Soon everyone was yelling at each other in frustration. So yeah, that activity proved we couldn't cooperate."  
-Thomas Schumacher



Sophomore Taylor Johnson, blindfolded, is guided by his group.



Sophomore boys congregate around Jacob Ruskamp after he caught a snake.



(left) Sophomore Dylan Kuta plays soccer.  
(above) Quinn Goodrich and Ashley Newman play a game of Ninja.

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# Learn Hands On

Some students say that it is easier for them to learn in a way where they are able to touch, feel, and see what they are learning. This year, teachers are trying add more hands-on activities into their curriculums. Mrs. Tooley, who teaches health, explained, "I believe the lessons become personal and obviously have a greater impact on the learner."

Students enjoy this type of learning because it gives them a break from their cramped cluttered desks and boring, wordy textbooks. Classes such as

sci-comm, art, band, health, modern technology, web page design, and several other classes have multiple activities that involve hands-on experiences. Mrs. Lahm, who teaches sci-comm, said, "Some students are kinesthetic learners and need hands-on activities to activate their brains."

For many students here at Scotus, it is harder to remember text book material than to remember fun activities that were done in their classes. Mrs. Lahm also stated, "This way of learning allows students to change variables and solve problems easier."

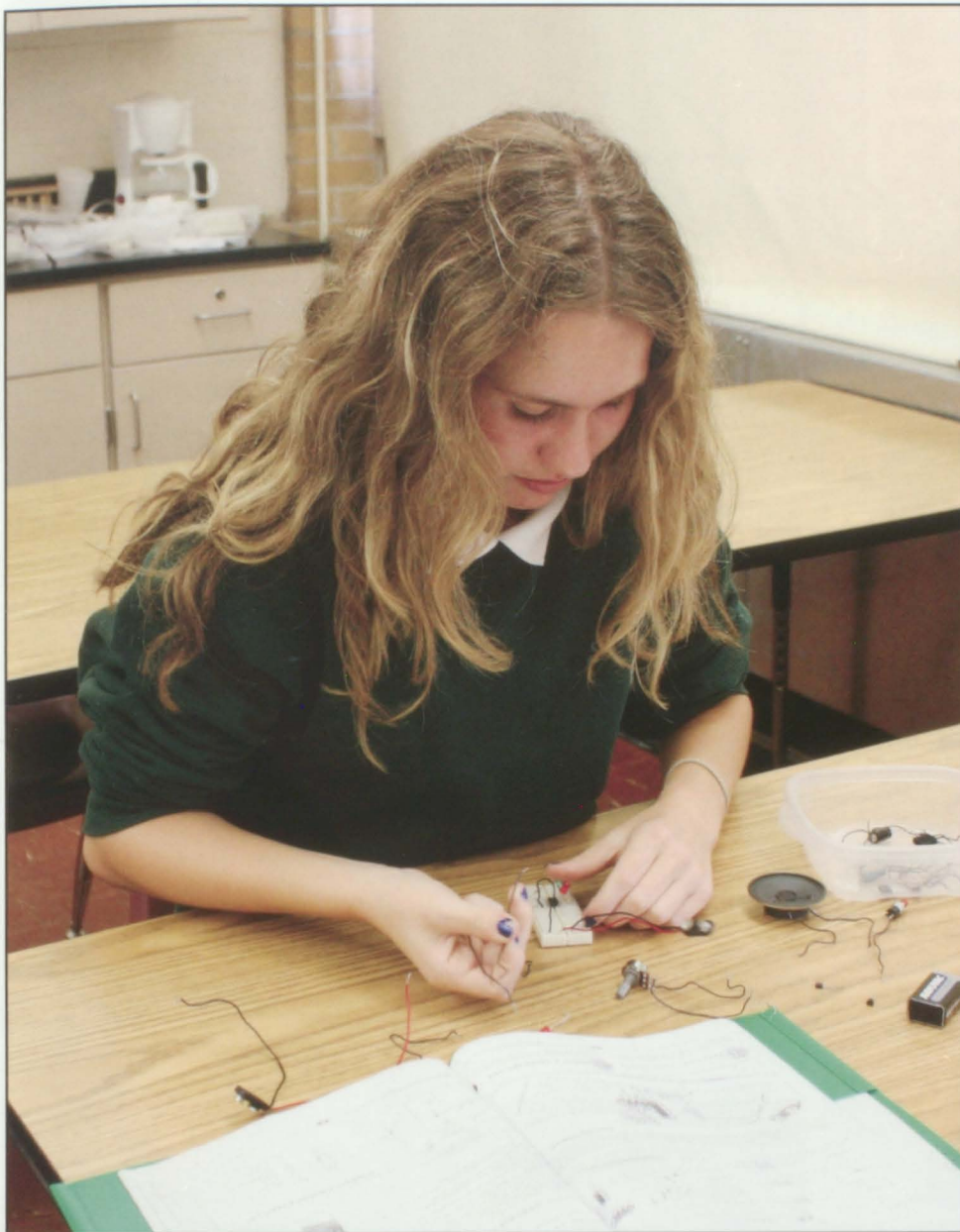
Eighth grader Lucas Cox plays the trombone in band. The band participated in multiple events this year and was successful.



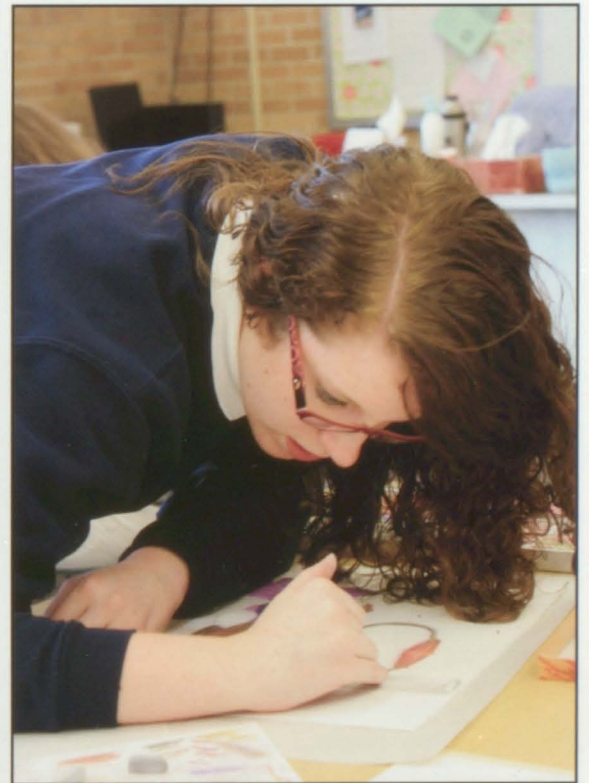
Freshman Mikayla Gasper places pinwheels into the ground in front of school. Mrs. Shadle organized Pinwheels for Peace in the month of September.







(left) Freshman Brooke Olmer works on a project during Mrs. Lahm's sci-comm class. Students were asked to use their hands-on skills to understand how science and the community interact.



(top) Senior Kenzie Leu attempts to walk in a straight line while wearing fatal vision goggles. Officer Mashmeier brought these goggles to health class to show students how alcohol can put everyone in extreme danger.

(bottom) Senior Alise Perault works on a project for art class.



Junior Rachel Rambour pours hydrogen peroxide into a graduated cylinder for a chemistry lab. This lab helped them better understand gas release and exothermic energy changes in chemistry.

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# Present

Why do teachers make their students put in so much work to gather information, write essays or poems, and give a two minute presentation about what the student did? Is it actually worth it to put many hours into a project, then present it in such a short amount of time? Mrs. Rusher said, "There is a saying, you never truly learn a topic until you have to teach it."

Presenting makes the student understand the topic they are presenting better, and the information becomes more effective in the long run.

Mrs. Schaad stated, "Students learn to organize their ideas, use technology, and express their opinions through

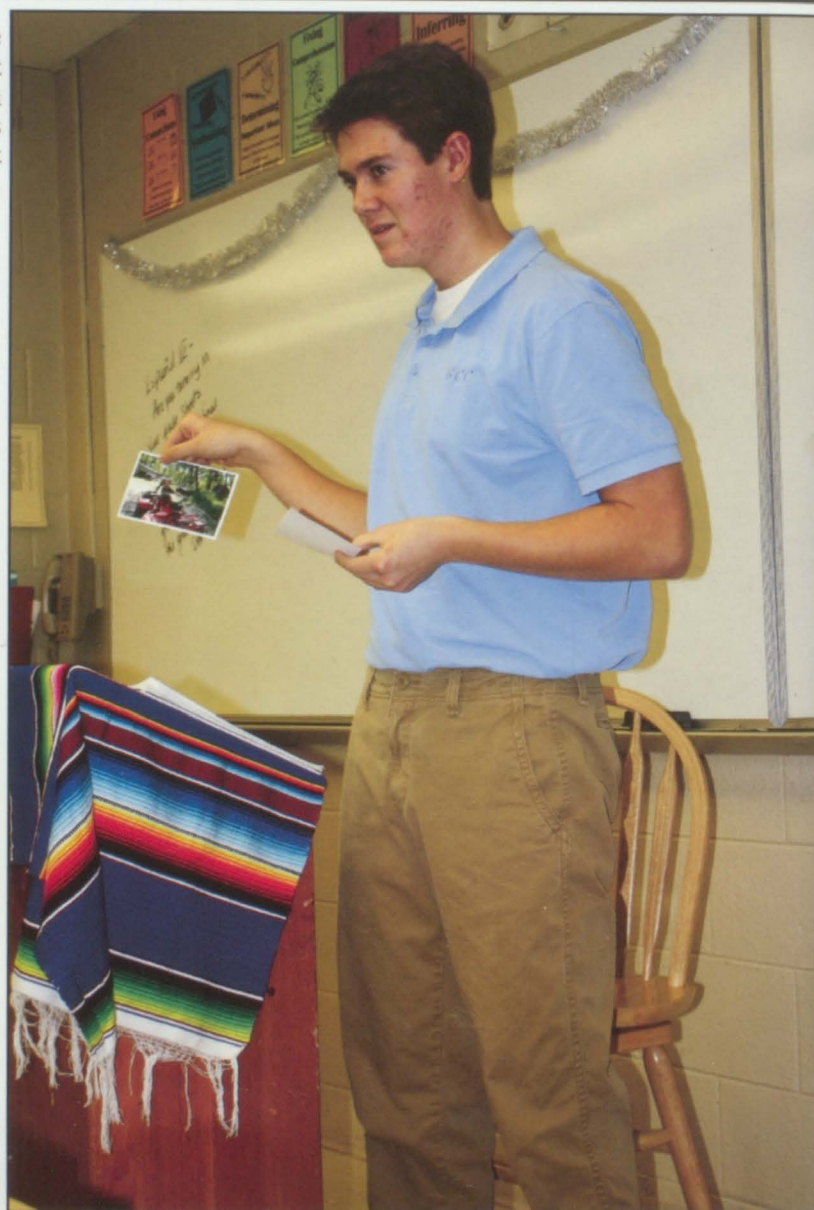
persuasion to support their beliefs. They also become confident and articulate in front of others."

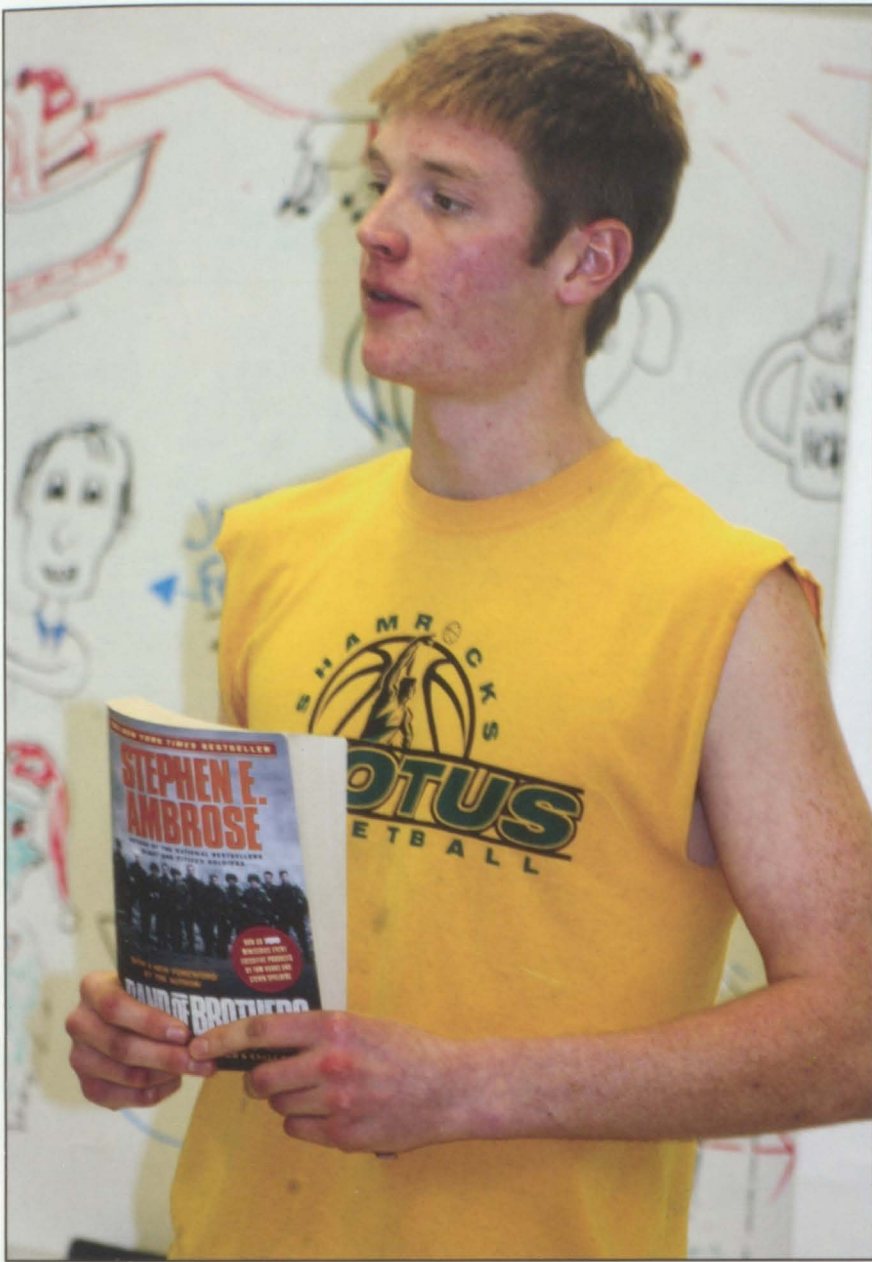
Presenting a project helps students come out of their shell and be able to have self confidence in front of their classmates. Speaking skills, creativity, and self confidence become stronger traits throughout junior high and high school. Having presentations included in many classes is an advantage to the student. Speaking in front of others is a necessary life skill. On the other side of this, listening is part of presentations. During presentations, students can sit back, relax, and listen to what other students have to say.

(right) Junior Fritz Hoppe presents a picture of his past through his photograph in Spanish. Spanish III students spoke about an item that meant something to them.

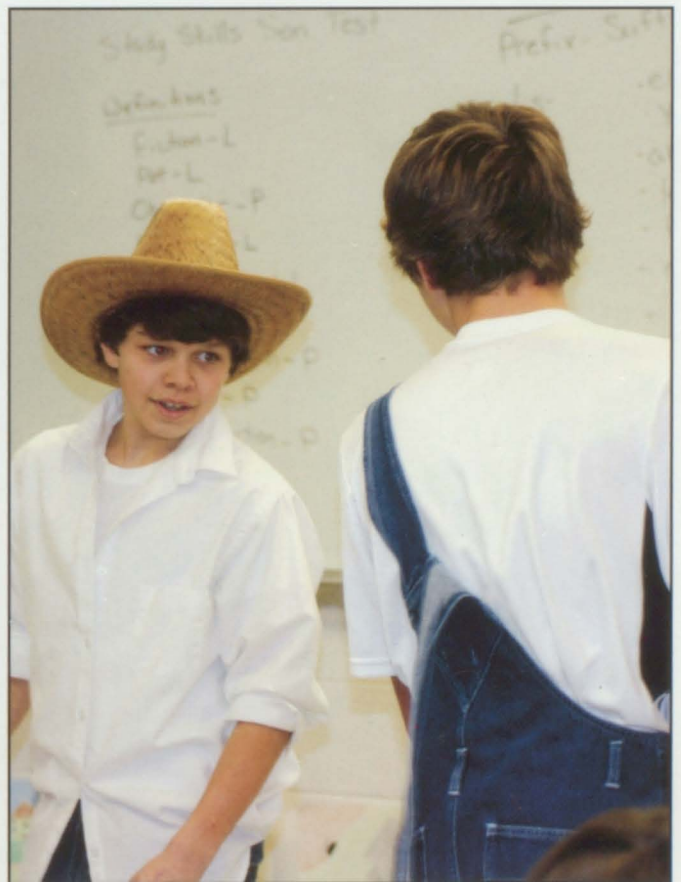


Senior Amber Ewers presents a book she read that pertains to her life. The senior class's archdiocesan project was to pick a book that portrayed their personal lives and give a presentation on how it related to them.

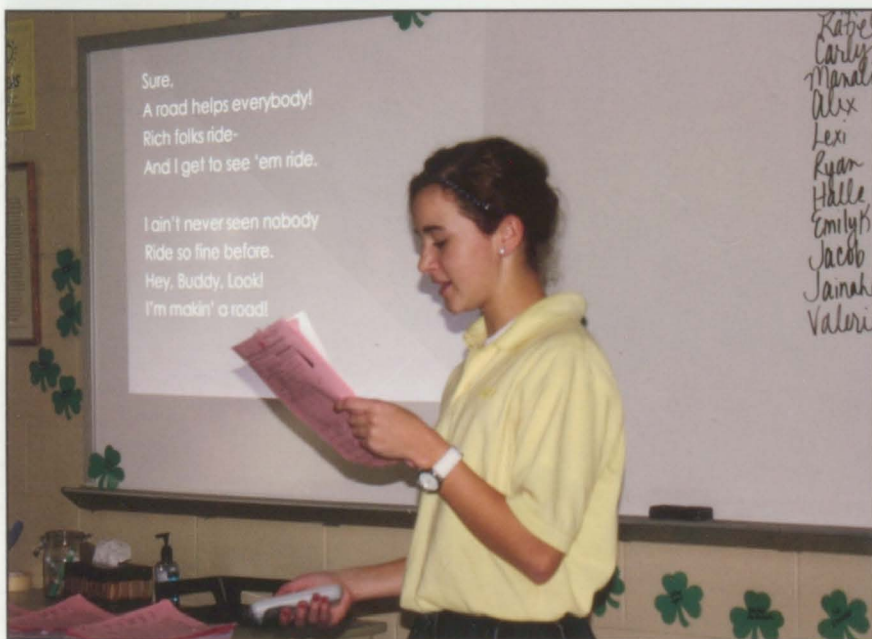




(left) Senior Levi McPhillips presents his book that relates to his life. Levi chose to talk about working hard and building character.



7th graders Cole Harrington and Quinn Blaser present their mock skit of *The Adventures of Tom Sawyer*.



Freshman Katie Reisdorff presents her poetry project in English class. The freshmen chose a song and a poem that were related. Poetry in freshmen English is an important part of the curriculum.

(top) 7th grader Adam Smith presents his poem to his English class. They were required to express themselves through their own writing.

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# Create

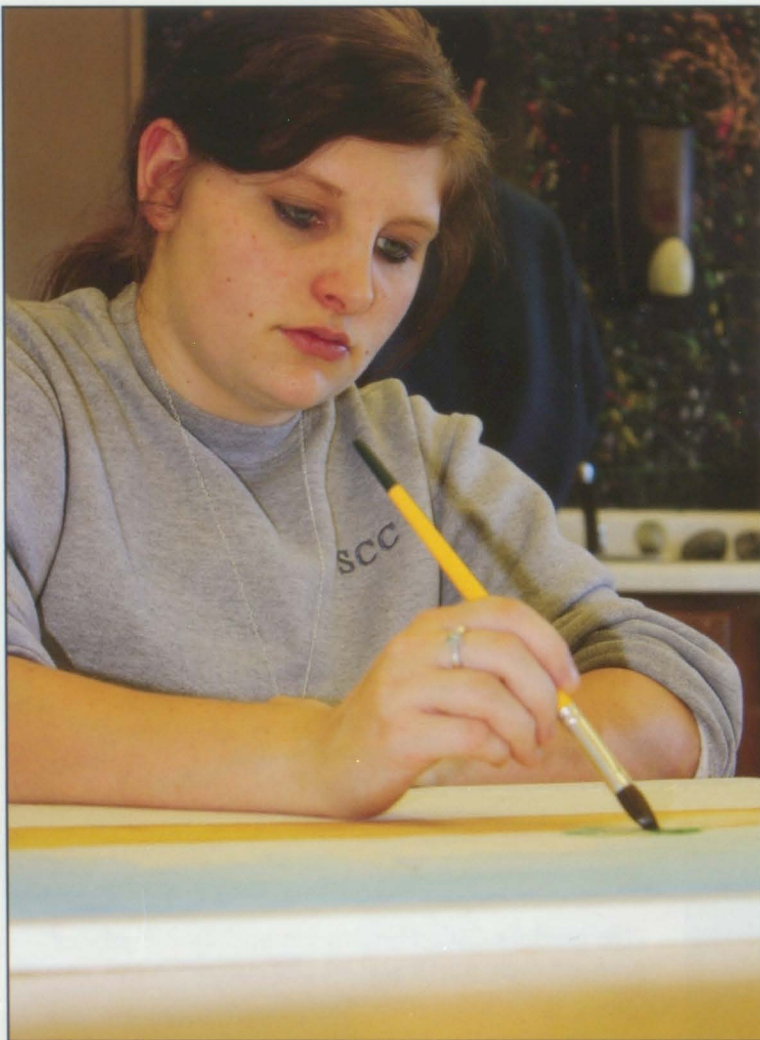
The definition of create: to cause to come into existence; to make or originate. Creating something from nothing helps students use their imagination in a different way. Projects that involve creations are a good way to dive into student's minds. Students create objects to broaden their thinking and ability to learn. Bringing two-dimensional objects into three dimensions helps students understand the full effect of a featured lesson.

Mrs. Dusel explained, "Creating helps the students apply

the concepts they are learning in their chapter."

Having hands on experience has a great effect on learning. Mrs. Dusel also mentioned that she enjoys many different labs, but her favorites are the metric munchies, where the students make puppy chow, and the tie dye lab, where the students make tie dye shirts to take home. Creations are a brilliant way to make learning come to life. Students are excited to create and in doing so they enhance their learning abilities.

(right) Junior Steph Jarecke is involved in journalism class where she helps create the newspaper. Not only does she receive a grade for her creations, but she also is able to express herself through the articles she writes.

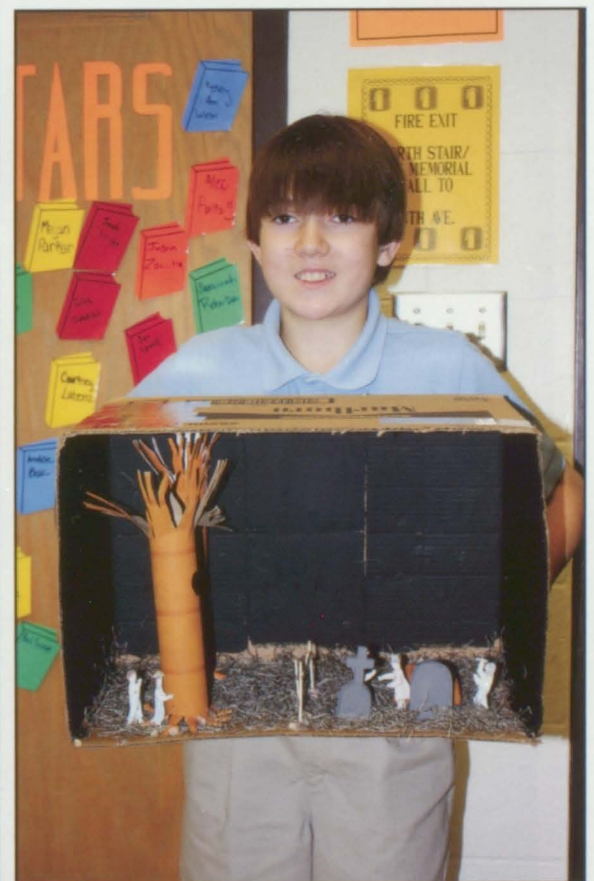


Junior Abbey Schieffer creates a painting during an art class.



(left) Senior James Euteneuer creates peanut brittle in chemistry class.

(below) Sophomores Brennan Brockhaus and Katie Breidenbach present the homemade armor for their jousting competition held in Mrs. Schaad's English class.



Sophomore Hailey Luebe cuts material in textiles and clothing class to create a pair of pants for herself.

Seventh grader Trey Rombach shows off a creation he made for an English project.

Journalism

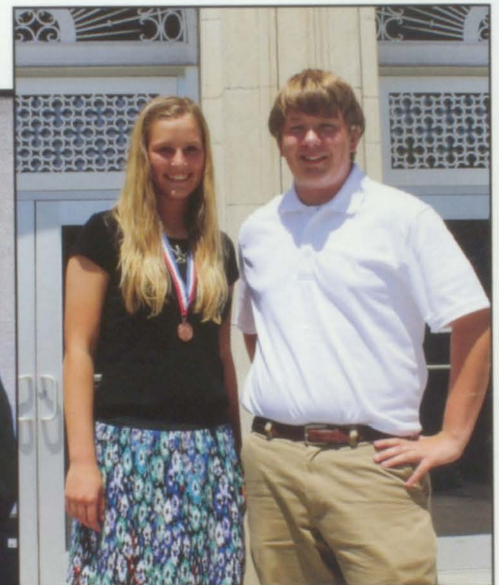
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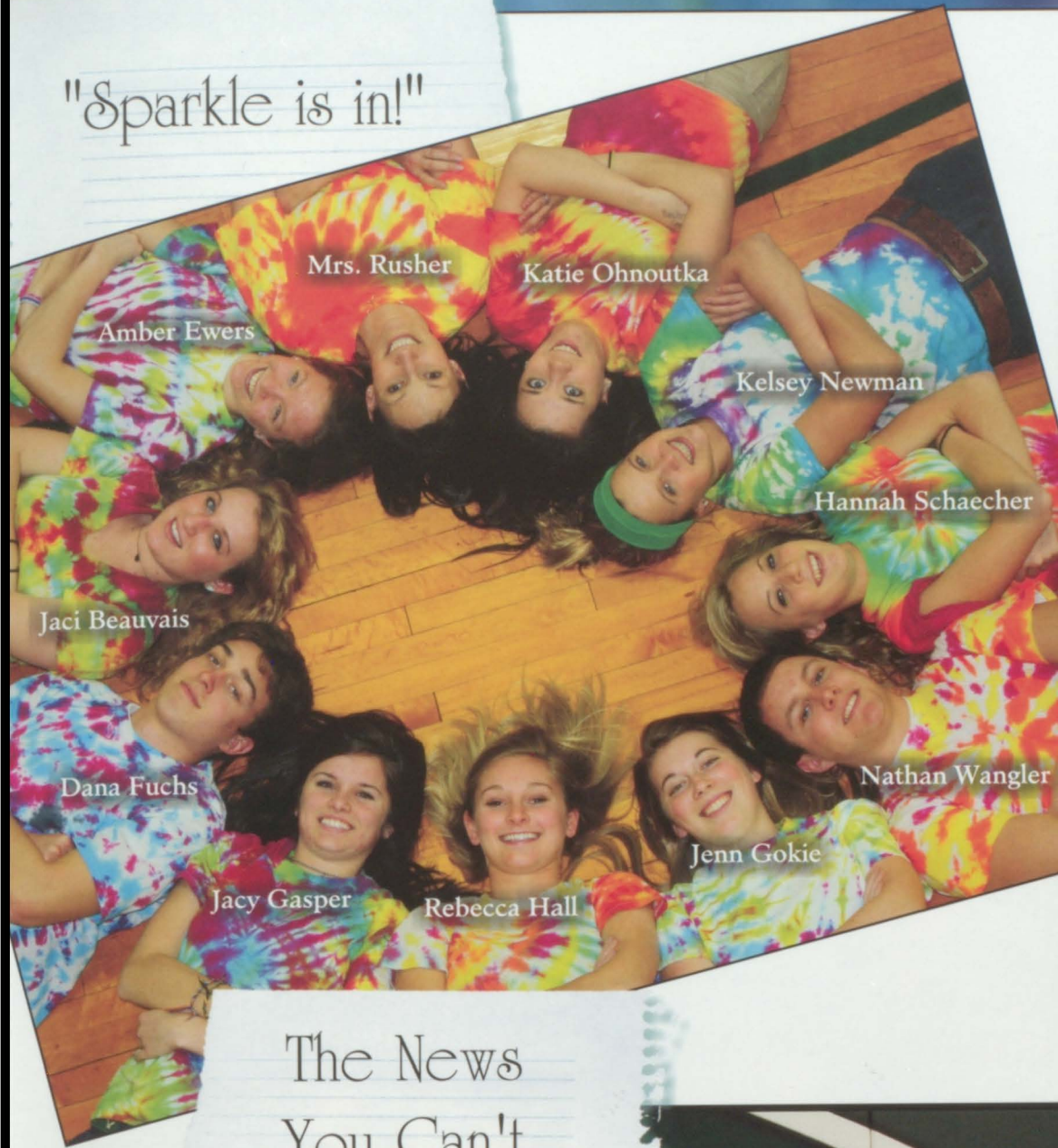
Here's a story...



Juniors Steph Jarecke and Michael Albin pose in front of the Student Union on the UNL Campus following the awards ceremony at State Journalism. Steph placed third all-class in Newspaper Layout.

This was a year of firsts for Scotus' media groups. *The Rock Bottom* newspaper got a makeover and was published in color for the first time ever in February 2011. The journalism class made a switch of companies, now printing with the *Norfolk Daily News* instead of the *Columbus Telegram*. Journalism sponsor Angie Rusher explained, "Printing with the *Norfolk Daily News* makes the paper more current because we have next day delivery instead of a four day wait. The color pictures are higher quality, and two staff members from the *Norfolk Daily News* assist us in adjusting our photos, so they print better."

# "Sparkle is in!"



Mrs. Rusher

Katie Ohnoutka

Amber Ewers

Kelsey Newman

Hannah Schaecher

Jaci Beauvais

Dana Fuchs

Nathan Wangler

Jacy Gasper

Rebecca Hall

Jenn Gokie

The yearbook was revamped since previous years. Again sponsored by Angie Rusher, the yearbook used a fancy online program with the Josten's company instead of Walsworth which was used in previous years. Josten's program allows for faster submittance of the yearbook spreads. Time and money was saved by having Josten's representatives travel to Scotus instead of the yearbook class attending a conference. Also, in gratitude for Scotus recommending the Josten's program to another school, the yearbook class will be given a brand new long lens as a gift to add to its three-camera collection.

# The News You Can't Refuse!

The Shamrock Factor, a class taught by Aaron Sasges, was challenged with creating a news segment each week to be aired on a projector screen during lunch. Topics covered by the crew were the latest Scotus events in arts, sports, and human interest pieces. Popular clips included asking Dr. G-Money, junior Grant Pontow, to answer questions or give advice and "Super Wang Time" skits produced by junior foreign exchange student Huangng (Mike) Wang.



Junior Kelsey Newman shows some Christmas spirit with her co-anchor "Ron Burgandy" a.k.a. junior Jake Kratochvil while junior Adam Moore films.

# a time to *Work*



Junior Morgan Prokupek tenders cash from a customer at Valentino's.



Junior Trey Stuthman dishes up pizza in the HyVee food area.



Senior Paige Sprunk fills an ICEE cup at the movie theatre.



Senior Lindsay Staroscik serves a customer at Valentino's.





Junior Hannah Spencer and senior Tayler Merrill take orders at Runza.

Senior Stephen Pandorf bags groceries at HyVee.



Senior Katie Hilton prepares a dressing room for a tux fitting at J.Patricks.



Senior Cale Albracht and junior Mark Ternus take a break from working at Taco John's to smile for the camera.

Many Scotus students are involved in school activities from sports, to theatre and drama, and the numerous clubs. In addition to these time commitments, students are also obligated to their jobs. Students have found ways to earn money at various workplaces, ranging from farming jobs and clothing stores, to fast food restaurants in town. It seems crazy how students have found enough hours in a week to work and balance this task with all the other conflicts that high school offers.

## Candidates

*First thoughts after winning...*

James Euteneuer... "Really?"

Lindsay McElhose... "I was shocked - it seemed unreal, but it was an awesome feeling."

*First thoughts when elected...*

Jaci Beauvais... "Surprise, then excitement to put together a snazzy ensemble."

Cale Albracht... "I was excited to participate in candidate activities."

Katie Ohnoutka... "I was excited and surprised - it was a great final homecoming experience."

Ryan Becker... "I was pleasantly surprised!"

*How it affected your wardrobe choice when elected...*

Becky Hall... "I got a long dress rather than a short one and also a dark color."

Dana Fuchs... "I hadn't thought about it until after coronation."

Alise Perault... "That fact didn't change anything; I would have dressed fabulously anyway."

Alex Beller... "My wardrobe was GREATLY effected. I had to rethink everything and find a sexy tie."

*How it affected your school day when elected...*

Levi McPhillips... "I was inspired to run for mayor."

Olivia Sonderman... "I was honored, and my day went pretty super after that."

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To Infinity and  
Beyond...

FLY



Homecoming candidates, from left to right (back row) Ryan Becker, Alise Perault, Cale Albracht, Levi McPhillips (second row) Jaci Beauvais, Lindsay McElhose(queen), James Euteneuer(king), Olivia Sonderman (front row) Alex Beller, Katie Ohnoutka, Becky Hall, Dana Fuchs

Homecoming had a bumpy start with a loss against David City, but the night soared from there. James Euteneuer and Lindsay McElhose were crowned Homecoming King and Queen. The theme, 'To Infinity and Beyond,' was easily appropriate for the excitement that flew across the dance floor. Conspiracy also struck the dance floor when there were a number of complaints about students' dirty dancing and showing PDA. A new rule was proposed for the dancing problem, and also a dress code for the high school girls. No new rules were established or enforced this homecoming dance, but it will be different for future dances. The set up and music were a success thanks to two Scotus graduates, Peter Heusinkvelt and Eric Diamond. As always, the night seemed to go by too fast, but all had fun as they rushed to have their early morning breakfasts.

Seniors  
Lindsay  
Staroscik,  
Jenn Gokie,  
and Sam  
Ebner dance  
together at the  
Homecoming  
Dance.

James Euteneuer showing off his 'kingly' moves with Dana Fuchs following suit.



# Homecoming Week

GEEK



Seniors Paige Sprunk and Cale Albracht get excited while learning about finances.

Wild Life Generation



Junior Joel Ostdiek strikes a pose in the classroom dressed as a hippie.

Toy Story



Mr. Coulter pecks at the drinking fountain while in his bird costume.

Spirit

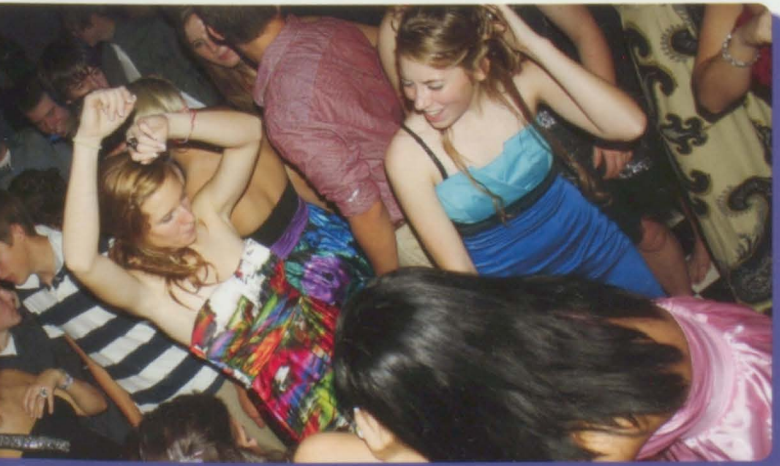


Junior Jordan Chohon, dressed as Little Bo Peep, is caught eating in class.

Spirit



Freshman Mary Bravo throws a thumbs up sign while cheering on the volleyball team.



# Random Facts

"Chapstick is a necessity at ALL times."



Lindsay

"I have the ability to grow long hairs on my neck."



Kyle

"My cousin and I were born on the same day of the same year and our moms are twins."



Hannah

"I plan on joining the United States Marine Corps."



Nathan

"I have been to 44 of the 50 States."



Jacy

"I got a 13% on a science quiz in third grade."

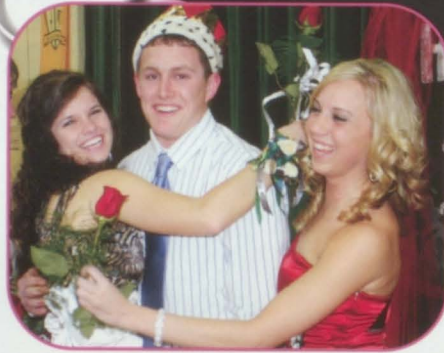


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Seniors (left) Jacy Gasper and (right) Hannah Schaecher congratulate the Sweetheart king, Nathan Wangler



The line of queen candidates (left to right) Morgan Duren, Jacy Gasper, Jenn Gokie, Kenzie Leu, Hannah Schaecher, and Lindsay Staroscik



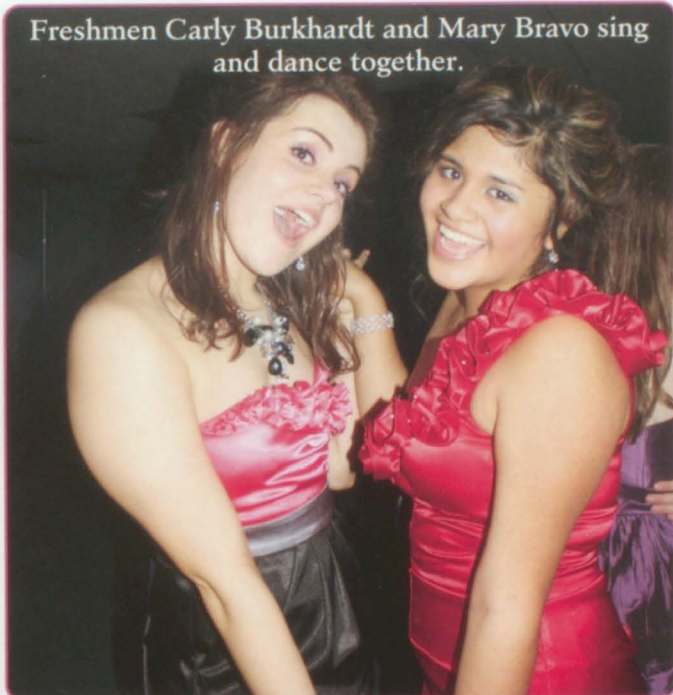
Front Row (L-R): Calder Obal, Mia Stuart, Lyndon Obal  
 Second Row (L-R): Morgan Duren, Jacy Gasper, Lindsay Staroscik, Tiffany Wieser (previous queen), Jenn Gokie (queen), Nathan Wangler (king), Kyle Benesch (previous candidate), Hannah Schaecher, Kenzie Leu  
 Back Row (L-R): A.J. Bose, Kyle Baumgart, Brady Vancura, Devin Iwan, Bill Cremers.

Sweetheart had an exciting start as Nathan Wangler and Jenn Gokie won king and queen. New rules such as no grinding and no inappropriate dresses were issued for this year's Sweetheart dance, and they were enforced as some students tried to ignore them. Once again two Scotus graduates, Peter Heusinkvelt and Eric Diamond, DJed using great lights and music that made the night enjoyable. Unfortunately, because of the new rules, many people left before the night was over, but those who stayed had a blast to the end.

Junior Trey Stuthman and sophomore Pricila Robledo lead a crew of dancers on the dance floor.



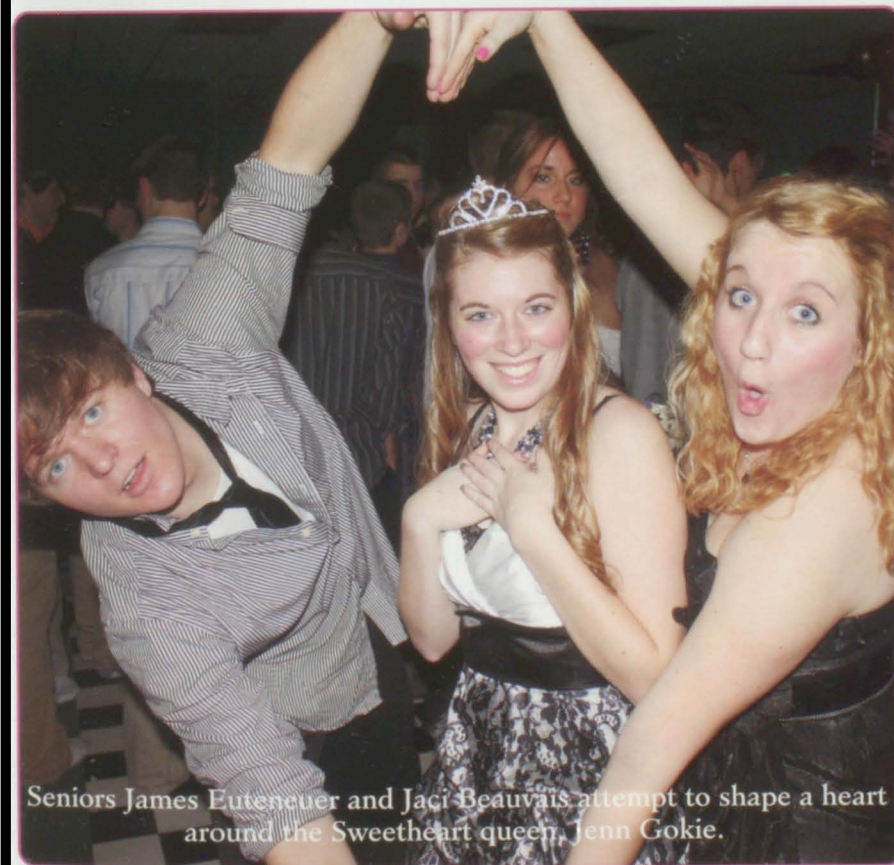
Freshmen Carly Burkhardt and Mary Bravo sing and dance together.



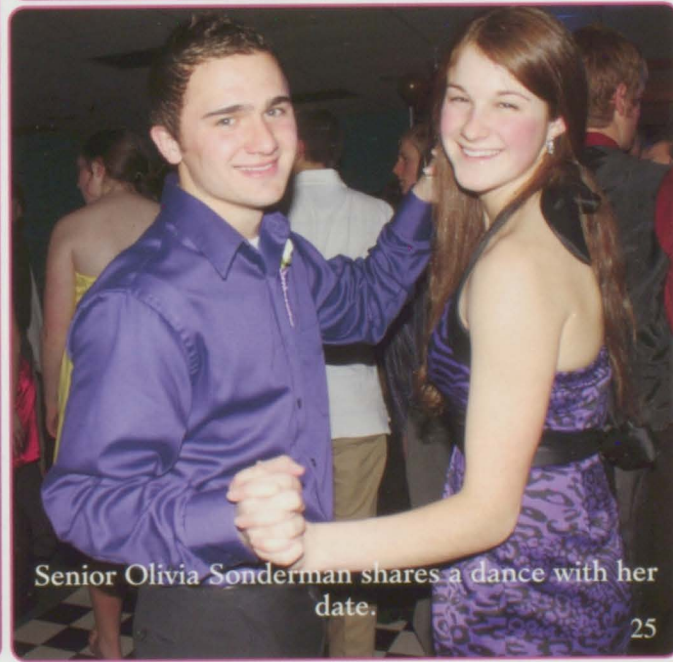
Senior Alise Perault serenading on the dance floor.



Senior Cale Albracht showing off his creepy side.



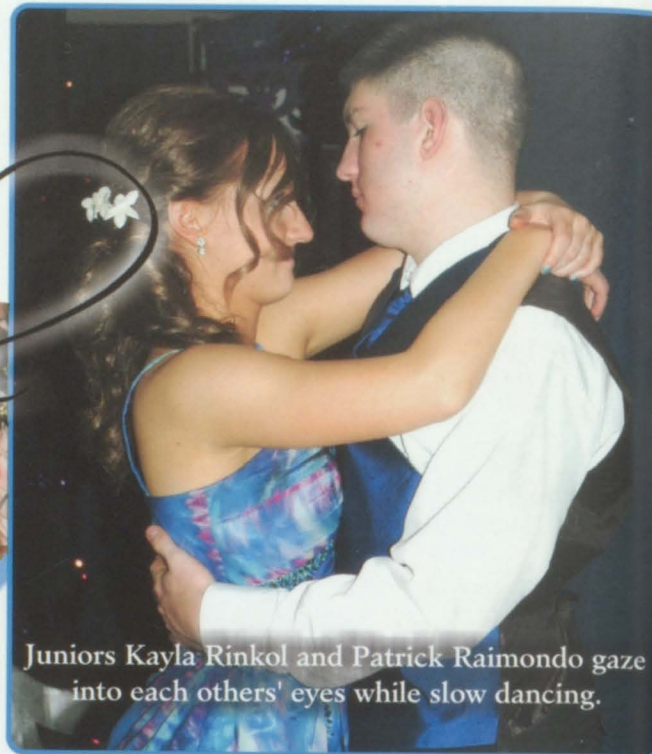
Seniors James Euteneuer and Jaci Beauvais attempt to shape a heart around the Sweetheart queen, Jenn Gokie.



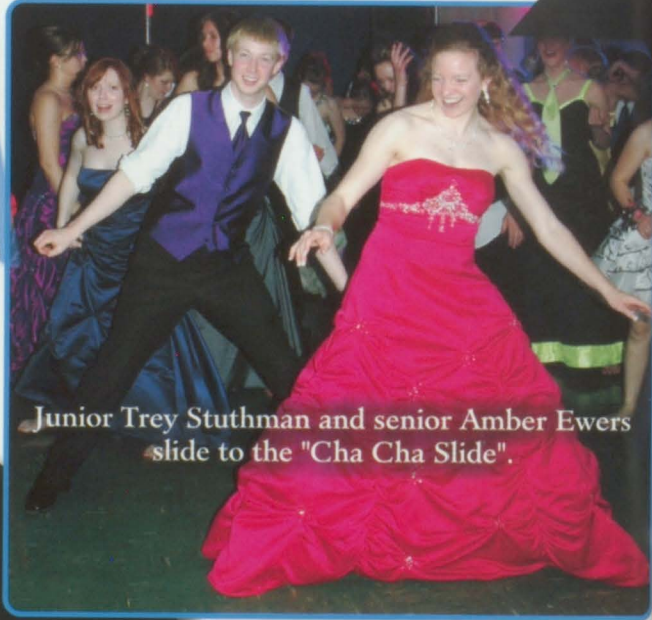
Senior Olivia Sonderman shares a dance with her date.

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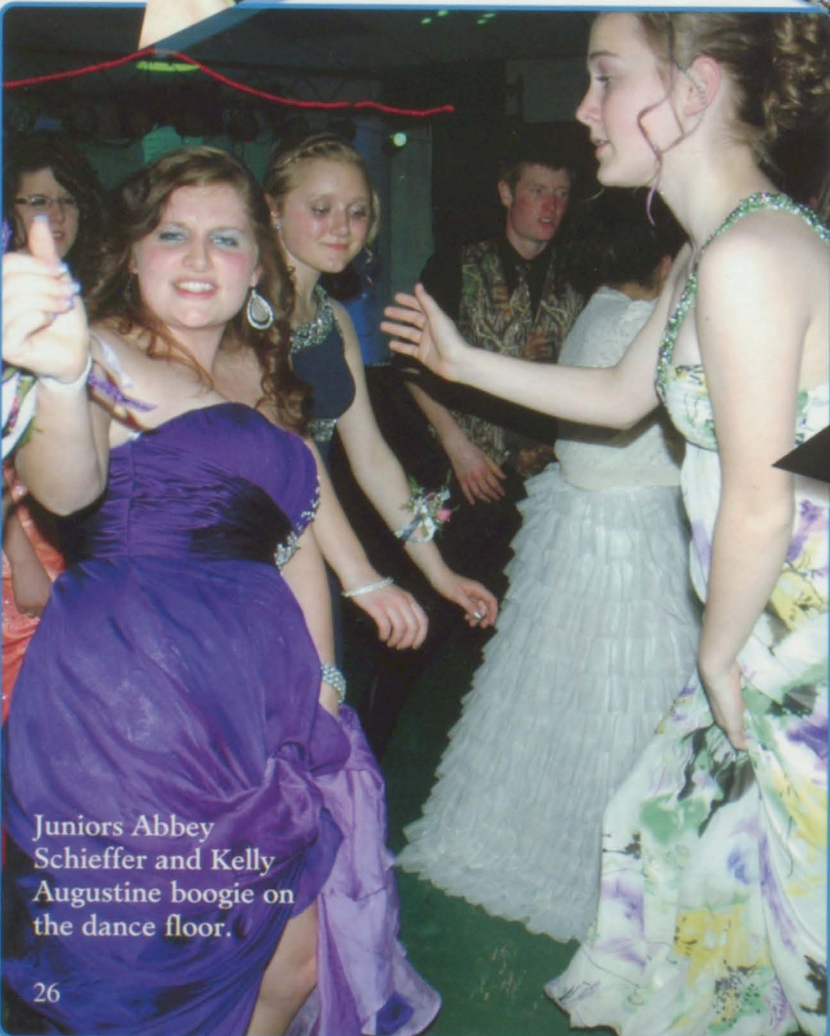
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Juniors Kayla Rinkol and Patrick Raimondo gaze into each others' eyes while slow dancing.

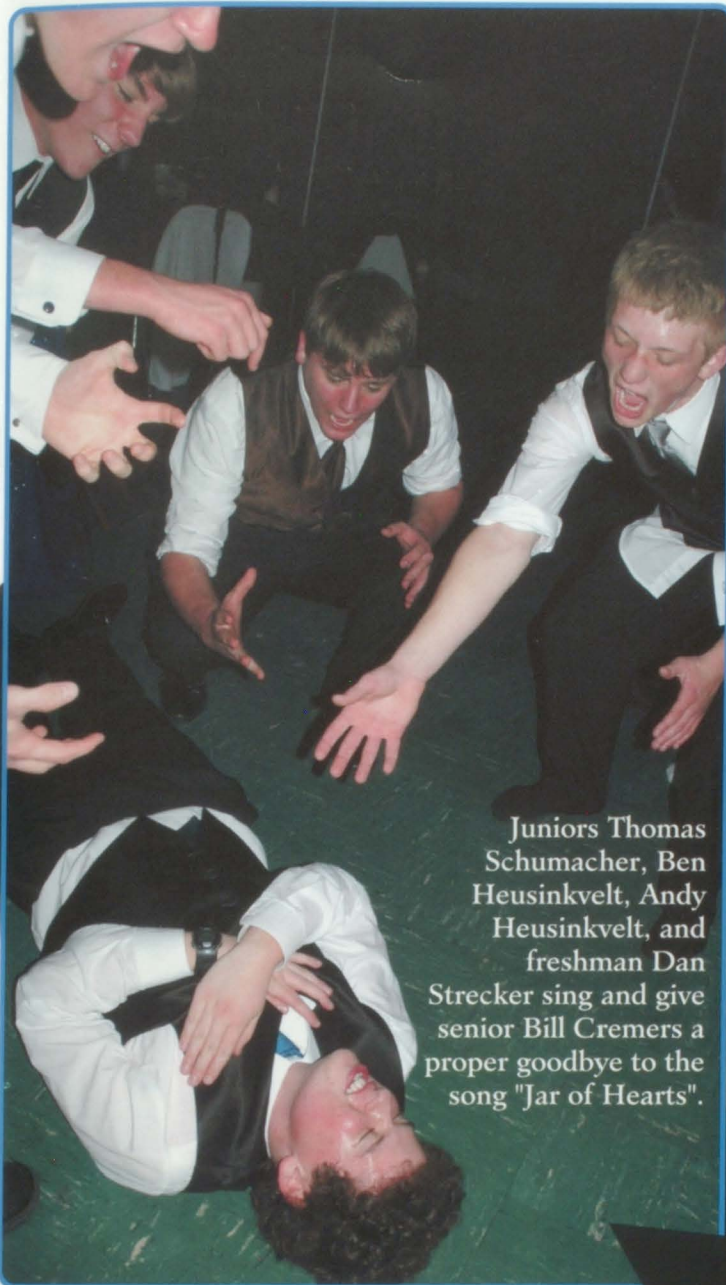


Junior Trey Stuthman and senior Amber Ewers slide to the "Cha Cha Slide".

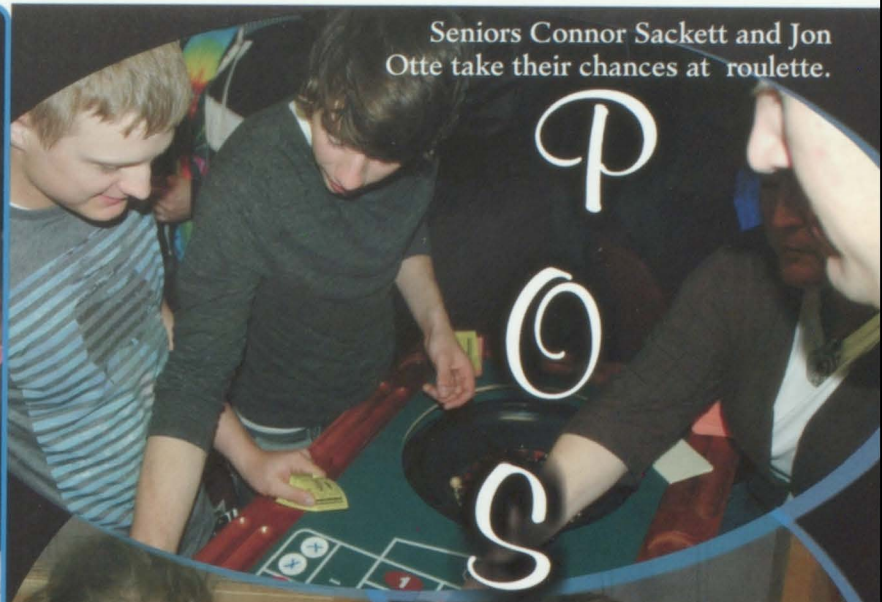


Juniors Abbey Schieffer and Kelly Augustine boogie on the dance floor.

Prom was exciting as usual as it was flooded with the bright colors and patterns of dresses and tuxes. The food was more than delicious, and the cafeteria was buzzing with conversation as the juniors and seniors feasted. The music was greatly improved from the last couple dances as Peter Heusinkvelt and Eric Diamond gained more experience being the DJ's. The most memorable part of the dance was when everybody joined in to form a giant circle while singing "Don't Stop Believing". Post Prom was also quite enjoyable with the endless prizes and food provided. The hypnotist, however, was a little disappointing, as a last second back-up was sent to do the show because of an illness. Fortunately, that did not stop the high schoolers from having a blast.



Juniors Thomas Schumacher, Ben Heusinkvelt, Andy Heusinkvelt, and freshman Dan Strecker sing and give senior Bill Cremers a proper goodbye to the song "Jar of Hearts".



Seniors Connor Sackett and Jon Otte take their chances at roulette.

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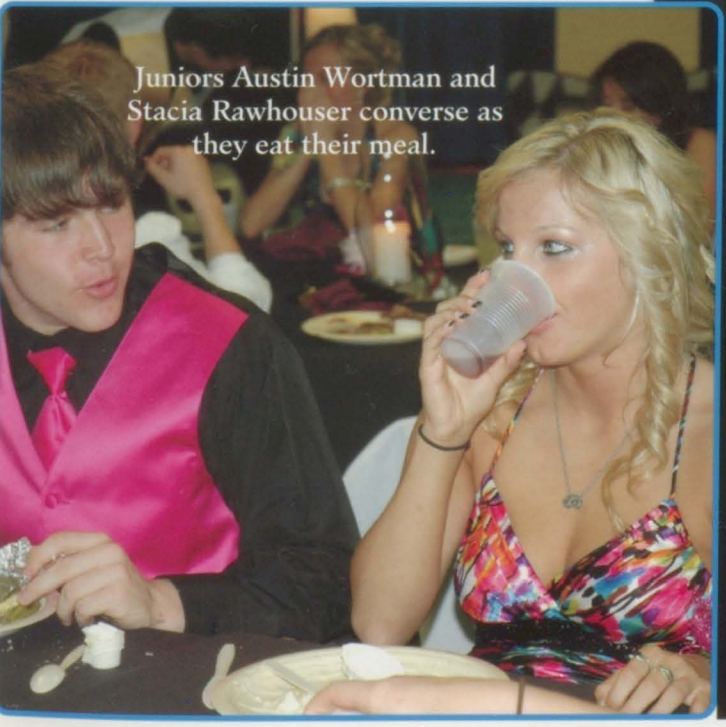


Senior Olivia Sonderman and junior Kelsey Newman snatch bills in the money grab.

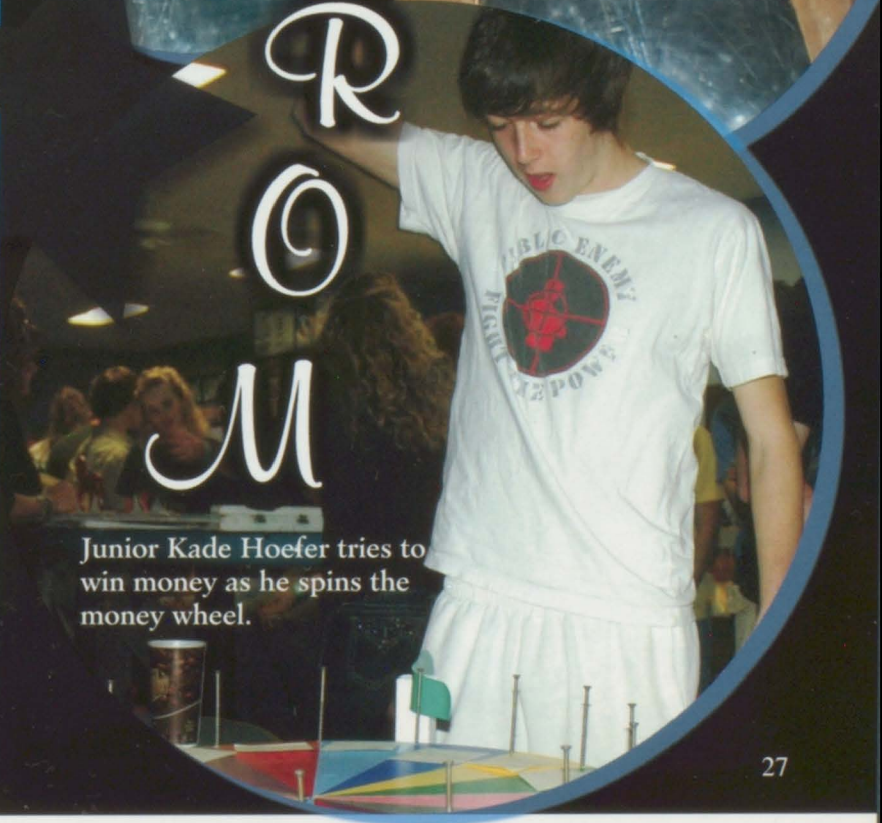
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Juniors Austin Wortman and Stacia Rawhouser converse as they eat their meal.



Junior Kade Hofer tries to win money as he spins the money wheel.

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# Make Music

Band is more than just a class. It is a family. The members of the Scotus Band argue and joke like any other family would, the only major difference is that it is a 47 member family. Throughout the year, band members bond through the long marching season, playing pep band, and preparing for their three concerts and District Music.

The year started with the Columbus Days Parade and football and volleyball games. The band also marched in the Harvest of Harmony Parade in Grand Island. Pep band hit a climax at state volleyball in November.

As the holidays rolled around, the band held their annual Christmas concert. High school band performed two Manheim Steamroller pieces. Two months after their first concert, the largest concert, the dinner concert, was held. The theme of "A Bit 'O Ireland" set the tone for the evening. The band wore marching uniforms and the gym and cafeteria were decorated in green Irish memorabilia. The senior MCs entertained in between groups with Irish facts. As always, the dinner concert was successful and entertaining.

Spring is a busy time for band with marching, wrapping up pep band, and preparing for District Music and the spring concert. District Music is comparable to state sporting events. Judges listen to the music and give ratings. Full band received a II, meaning excellent, and most of the other ensembles, solos, and duets received Is, meaning superior.

The band was successful this year, not only at parades and at District Music, but as unifying to form a family.



Senior Cale Albracht plays mallets at the dinner concert.

## Pep Band

## Christmas Concert

## Dinner Concert



Senior Bill Cremers rocks out on the drum set.



Junior Trey Stuthman performs with jazz band on his tenor saxophone.



The trumpet section plays an Irish piece in unison.





Freshman Hannah Merrill concentrates on her music at the Christmas concert.



Sophomore Derek Lahm blasts pep band songs before a volleyball game.



The band practices marching in line and in step before a parade.

### District Music

### Spring Concert

### Seniors



Junior Joel Ostdiek plays his piano solo from District Music.



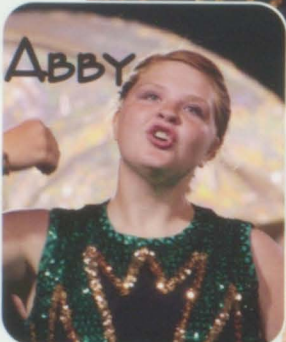
The seniors and Mrs. Cox after their last concert.

Seniors Amber Ewers and Laura Salyard play in Mass Group.

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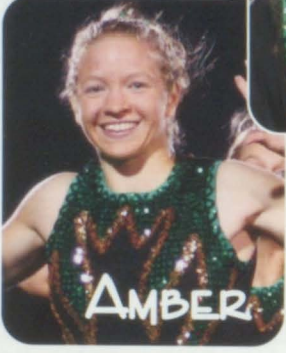
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# Twirl SENIORS

The Scotus Flag Corps team was bigger than ever this year consisting of sixteen members. There were six dances performed, which was more than usual for the flag corps team. It was an exciting year with four seniors, two juniors, eight sophomores, and two freshmen. There were three additional unique performances added to this year's schedule. The first was the little kid camp where girls in gradeschool who eventually wanted to join the team performed along side with the high school girls to "Jingle Bells." Next, never done before, was a performance with the drumline to the song "Drummer Boy." Lastly, there was a long-anticipated guy-girl performance to the song "I Gotta Girl". Overall, it was a successful and exciting year for the Flag Corps team, and all are eager to see the new ideas to come next fall.



Junior Sadee Lassek excited to perform during a pep rally.

## GUY-GIRL DANCE



(above) The boys attempt a synchronized kick line as the girls twirl the flags behind them.



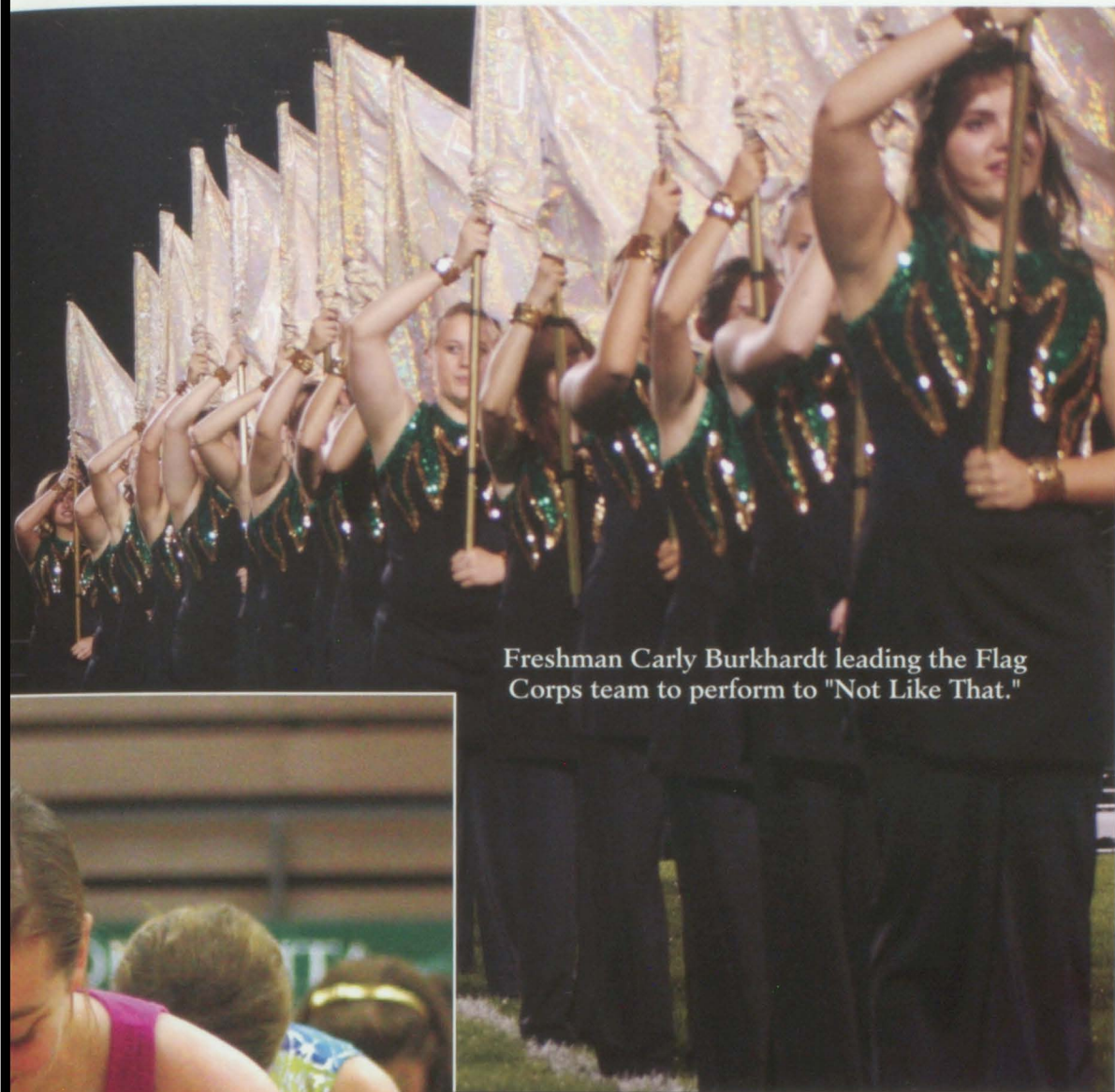
(left) Senior Levi McPhillips shaking to the music.



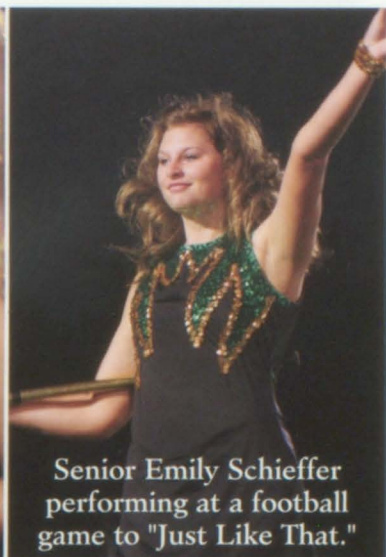
(right) Sophomore Kyle Bonk merrily kicks his leg during the guy-girl performance.



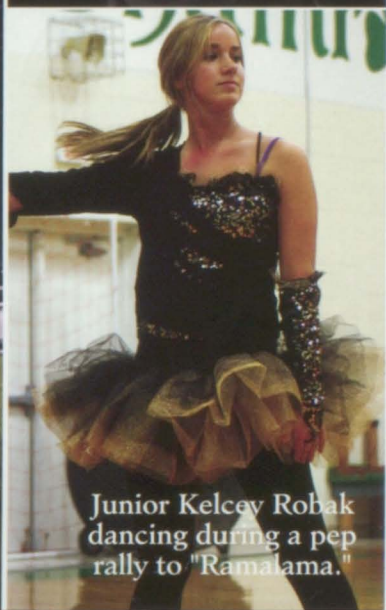
Senior Jenn Gokie leading the song "Ram-



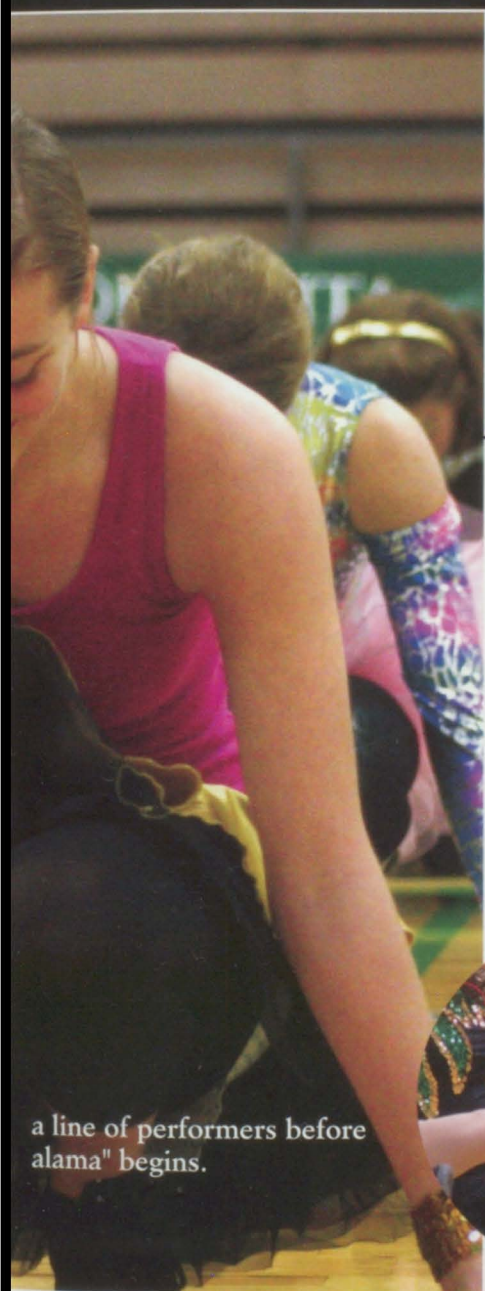
Freshman Carly Burkhardt leading the Flag Corps team to perform to "Not Like That."



Senior Emily Schieffer performing at a football game to "Just Like That."



Junior Kelcey Robak dancing during a pep rally to "Ramalama."



a line of performers before "alama" begins.

## FLAG CORPS CAMP



The girls twirl their flags in admiration of the high school flag corps.



The grade school and high school girls coming together to perform a kickline.



Senior Amber Ewers dancing with her two campers.

a time to *Sing*



Juniors Trenton Kuta and Joel Ostdiek perform at the Spring Vocal Concert.



Junior Summer Kresha and Sophomore Lauren Kuta harmonize together during the Christmas Concert.

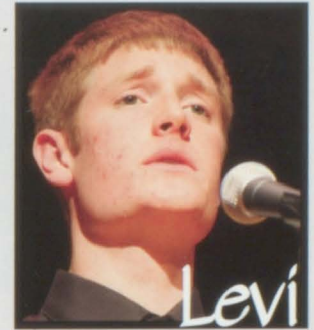


(left): Mike Albin sings a solo to the song Mr. Grinch.



Sophomore Megan Wright, juniors Summer Kresha and Whitney Hank, and Senior Laura Salyard sing together during the Christmas Concert.

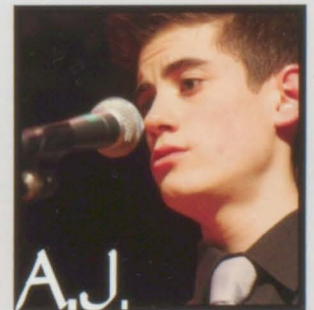
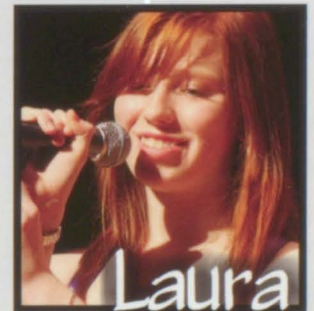
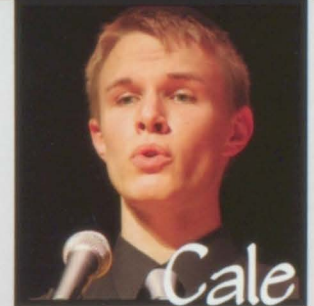
# SENIORS



The entire Shamrock Singers group performing at the Spring Vocal Concert.

## SHAMROCK Singers

This year there are eighteen students involved in Shamrock Singers. The group's activities include singing the Star Spangled Banner at sporting events as well as social gatherings. The singers also attended the Boone Central Choral Clinic in January and competed at District Music in April, in which Scotus took thirteen vocal music honors. The singers came through and had eight superior ratings as well as five excellents. Junior Summer Kresha said, "District music is a really fun experience that I'm glad I get to take part in every year." Scotus had four students, Lauren Kuta, Taylor Sprunk, Taylor Wiester, and Joel Ostdiek, who performed at All State Choir which was held at the Lied Center in Lincoln. "Among the most memorable things this year was seeing our four students perform in the All State Chorus. I was and am proud of their accomplishment," said Ms. Gardner. The Shamrock Singers wrapped up their year by singing at the Senior Mass.



Juniors Trenton Kuta, Joel Ostdiek, Jessa Gaspers (top), and seniors A.J. Bose, Laura Salyard, and Levi McPhillips (bottom), perform at the Senior Mass. This was their the last performance of the year.



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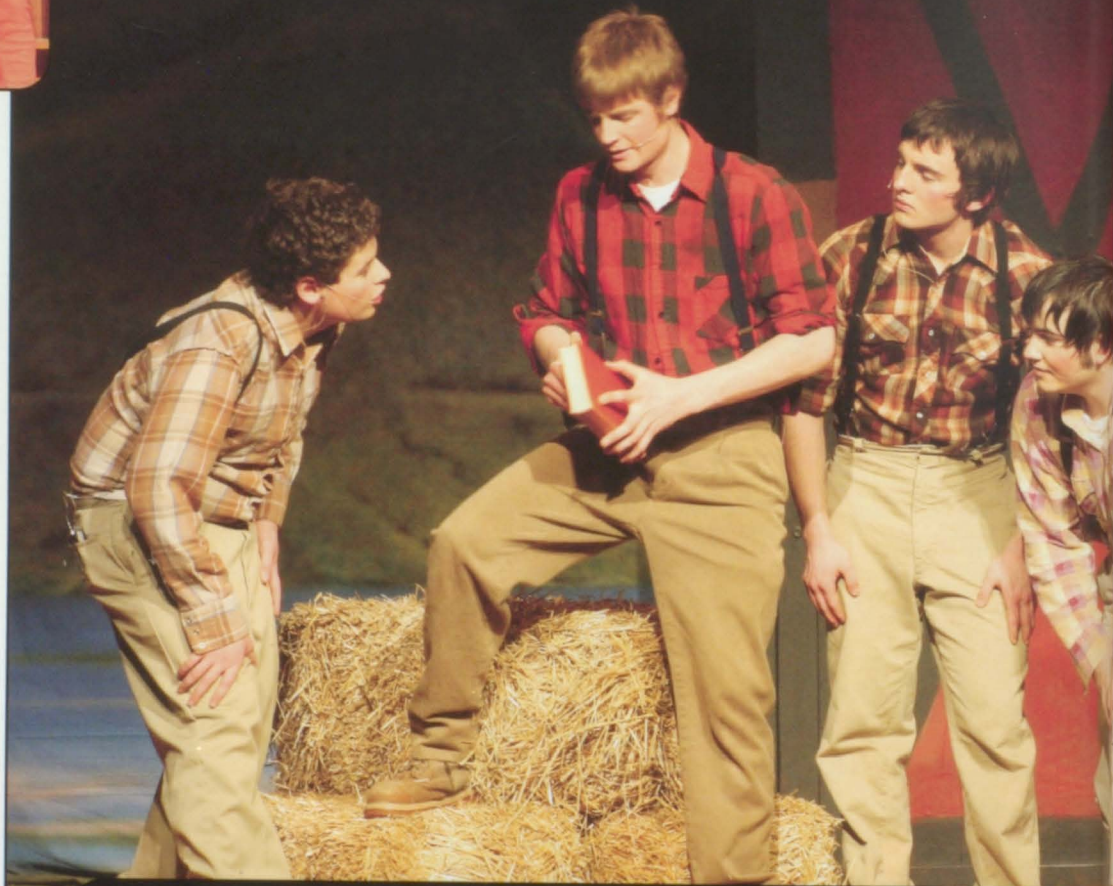
# Go Courting



Seniors Cale Albracht and Bill Cremers and freshman Daniel Strecker are caught in their underwear.

## Seven Brides for Seven Brothers

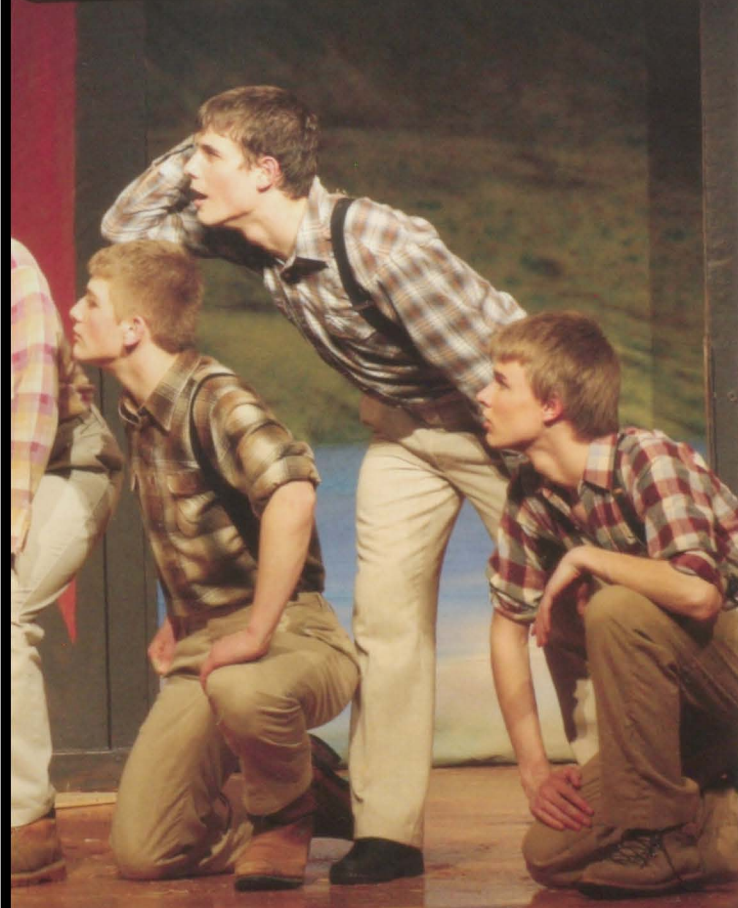
The winter musical *Seven Brides for Seven Brothers* follows Adam Pontipee and his six brothers in 1850's Oregon on their quest to find love. Adam, played by senior Levi McPhillips, seeks to find a wife who will work and care for his younger brothers. Milly, played by senior Olivia Sonderman, is tricked into the relationship. Appalled by the brothers' piggish behavior, Milly vows to transform them into gentleman so they can woo the women of their dreams. Conflict arises because the wanted girls are already claimed by other men. The Pontipee boys go about solving the problem by kidnapping the women. An avalanche blocking the road prevents their return which allows for the men to court them and earn their eternal affection.



Milly, played by senior Olivia Sonderman, reveals her plans for a quick marriage. Freshman Jenny Ryan, sophomore Claire Fuscher, junior Summer Kresha, and seniors Alise Perault, Laura Salyard, and Jaci Beauvais are shocked by the news.



(above) The brides' suitors, played by juniors Andy and Ben Heusinkvelt and freshman Ian Ostdiek, are led in prayer by the reverend, freshman Jacob Neinaber.



(left) Senior Bill Cremers, juniors Jens Paprocki and Trenton Kuta, freshman Daniel Strecker, junior Joel Ostdiek, and senior Cale Albracht listen attentively as senior Levi McPhillips reads to them about sobbin' women.



Alise Perault and Jaci Beauvais steal glances at the Pontipee brothers.



Levi McPhillips and Olivia Sonderman cling to each other lovingly.



Sophomores Christine Reiners and Megan Wright and freshman Hannah Merrill dance gaily at the social dance.



Cale Albracht, Joel Ostdiek, and Levi McPhillips pig out on Milly's cooking.

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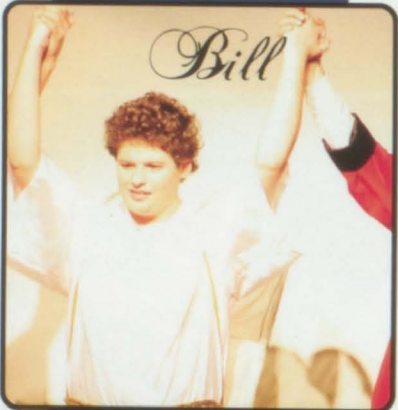
Alise Perault and Ben Heusinkvelt lovingly join hands as they gaze into each others' eyes.



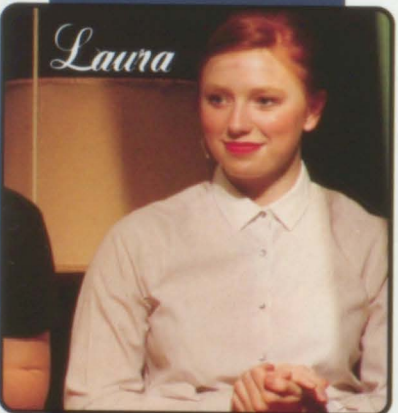
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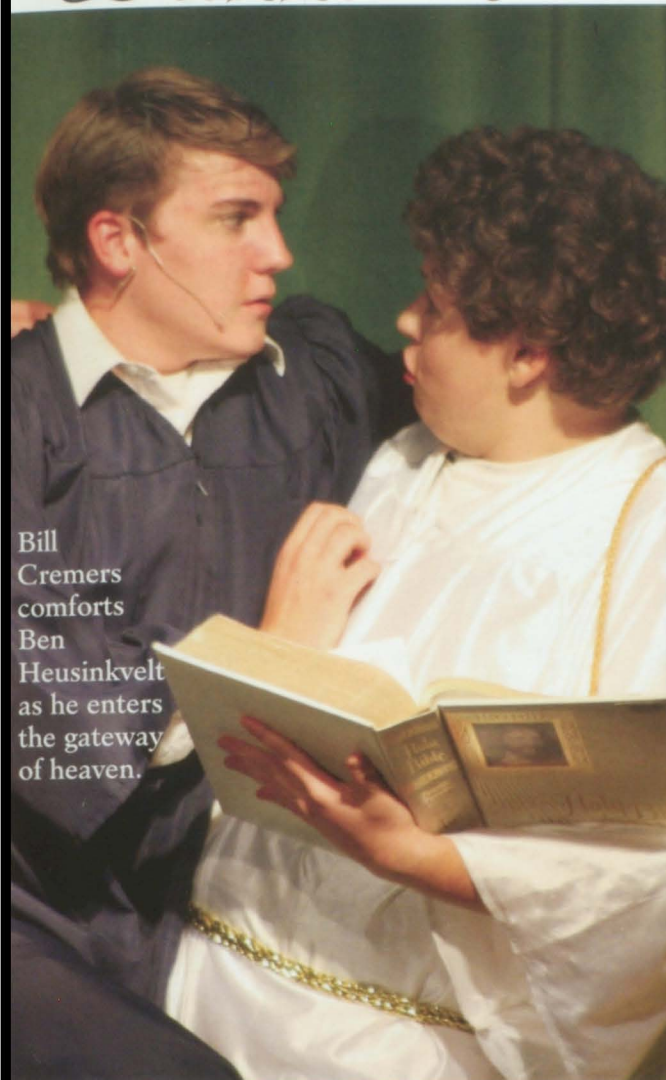
Joel Ostdiek tries to conceal his guilt as the husband of his secret lover walks in the room.



Alise Perault ponders the assassination of her husband.



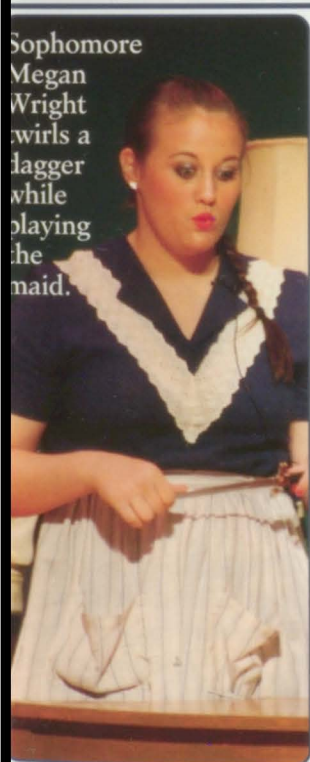
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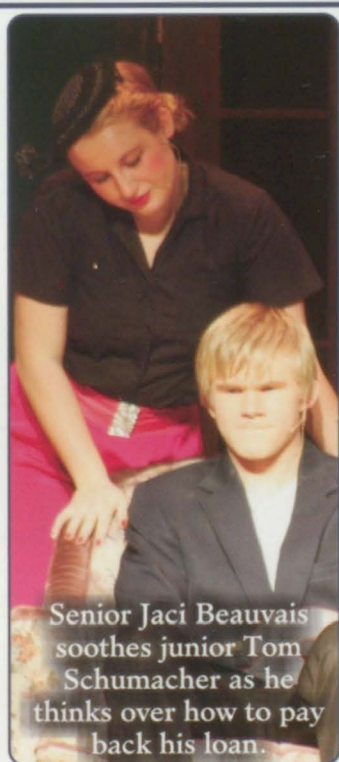
Junior Joel Ostdiek and seniors Alise Perault and Laura Salyard laugh merrily at a comical joke.



This year's fall play *Who Dunnit?* was a complete success. The turnout on opening night definitely reflected this success. The new year also came with new equipment. This included the headset microphones that made each actor/actress easily heard on stage. The play consisted of a murder investigation done by the victim himself. This, the lead role, was played by junior Ben Heusinkvelt. Overall, the production was humorous, witty, mysterious, and exciting, and all were relieved to finally discover "who dunnit".



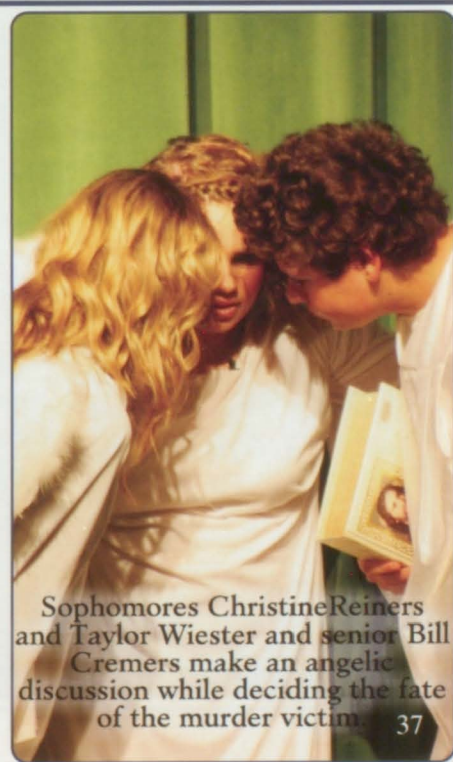
Sophomore Megan Wright whirls a dagger while playing the maid.



Senior Jaci Beauvais soothes junior Tom Schumacher as he thinks over how to pay back his loan.



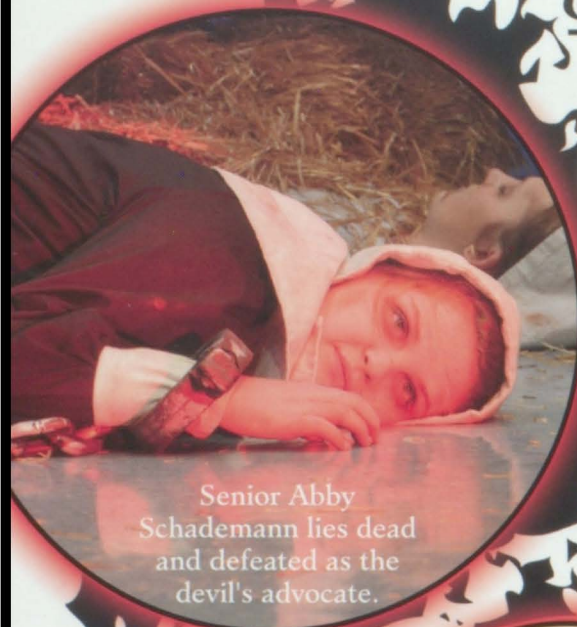
Junior Andy Heusinkvelt threatens junior Ben Heusinkvelt with a dagger.



Sophomores Christine Reiners and Taylor Wiester and senior Bill Cremers make an angelic discussion while deciding the fate of the murder victim.

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# Hang Witches



Senior Abby Schademann lies dead and defeated as the devil's advocate.



Junior Joel Ostdiek acts as senior Alaric Bose's conscience and strangles him in temptation.

Sophomore Taylor Wiester prays to be saved from damnation.



Senior Cale Albracht argues in favor of calling on Satan to save the townspeople from being hanged.

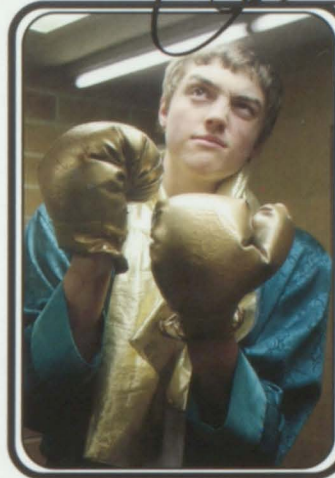


Mrs. Bernt casts her magic on the One-Act cast.

The devilish One-Act performance required extra stamina and dedication this year. The thirty-minute play *After Midnight Before Dawn* shocked audiences with its serious plot-line, reflecting moral conflict during the Salem witch trials. The cast included townspeople set in jail who were accused of worshipping Satan and summoning evil demons. While at first claiming to be innocent, one of the prisoners, portrayed by senior Abby Schademann, manipulates the others into believing that they, too, are witches. One brave girl, played by junior Jenna Dubas, takes a stand and fights for her faith until her ill-fated murder by the other prisoners. The wicked tone brought chills to the judges, and the One-Act group earned 5th place at districts in Wayne, Nebraska.

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# Stand Still



(left) Rocky Balboa, portrayed by freshman Jacob Nienaber, flaunts his golden gloves.



(right) Freshman Mary Bravo poses as a flirtatious flapper.



(left) As Frodo from LotR, freshman Phil Levos is awe-stricken by the "precious" ring.

Senior Cale Albracht strangles junior Jenna Dubas during the One-Act Play.



Senior thespian Olivia Sonderman plays up senior James Euteneuer's eyes with mascara.



Each year, the Thespian Troupe #1909 raises interest in the fine arts during an activity-filled initiation week. The eleven 2011 initiates were required to perform tasks that stretched their acting abilities and, at times, their dignity. Challenges included a scavenger hunt, performing a speech while bombarded with distractions, greeting Scotus students while in character, and following tradition, posing as characters frozen in place during passing periods while on display in the 2nd floor glass cases.



Junior Summer Kresha applies foundation make-up to initiate sophomore Claire Fuchser.



Juniors Andy and Ben Heusinkvelt perform a duet about brothers feuding over the contents of their parents' will.



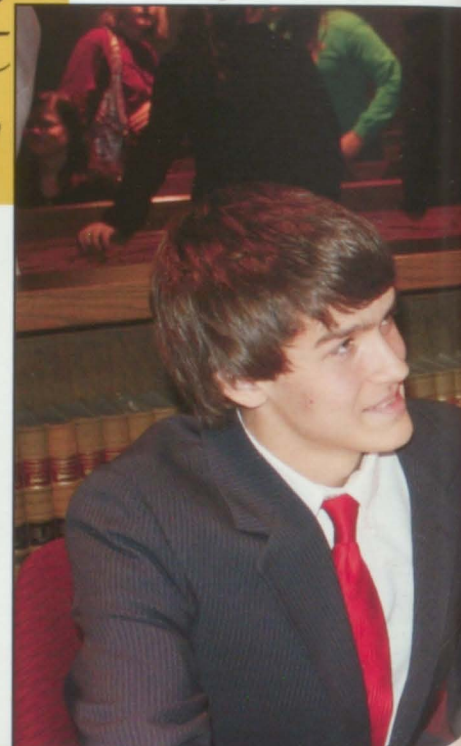
During her informative speech, sophomore Valerie Borer discusses the controversy of designer babies.

The speech team had a surge in numbers this year along with a surge in success. Coaches Anneliese Ploetz and Jeremy Fajman were more than pleased with the team's success. Highlights of the season include the first-ever Scotus hosted speech meet, and the team earning 2nd place overall at Conference. Three speech veterans advanced to state including senior Cale Albracht (Poetry) and juniors Tom Schumacher (Humorous Interpretation) and Joel Ostdiek (Persuasive and 1st place Entertainment). "I was proud of how well represented Scotus was at state," Joel raved. "It was rewarding to have all of the countless hours of hard work and practice pay off."

## a time to *Articulate*



Junior Joel Ostdiek asks the audience to examine various perspectives in his entertainment speech.



In a duet, senior Alise Perault plays a sly older woman who scolds an insurance agent, played by junior Tom Schumacher, for killing her precious cat Pandora.



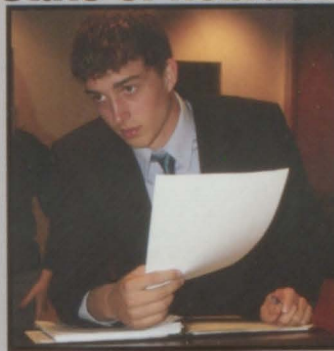
Senior members of the speech team pose dramatically in the courtyard. Senior members include Alise Perault, Alaric Bose, Abby Schademann, and Cale Albracht.



Sophomore Lauren Kuta is questioned as a witness.

Senior Dana Fuchs lays down the law while junior Rachel Rambour acts as the accused killer who suffers from ADHD.

## State of Nebraska v. Alex B. Toakliss



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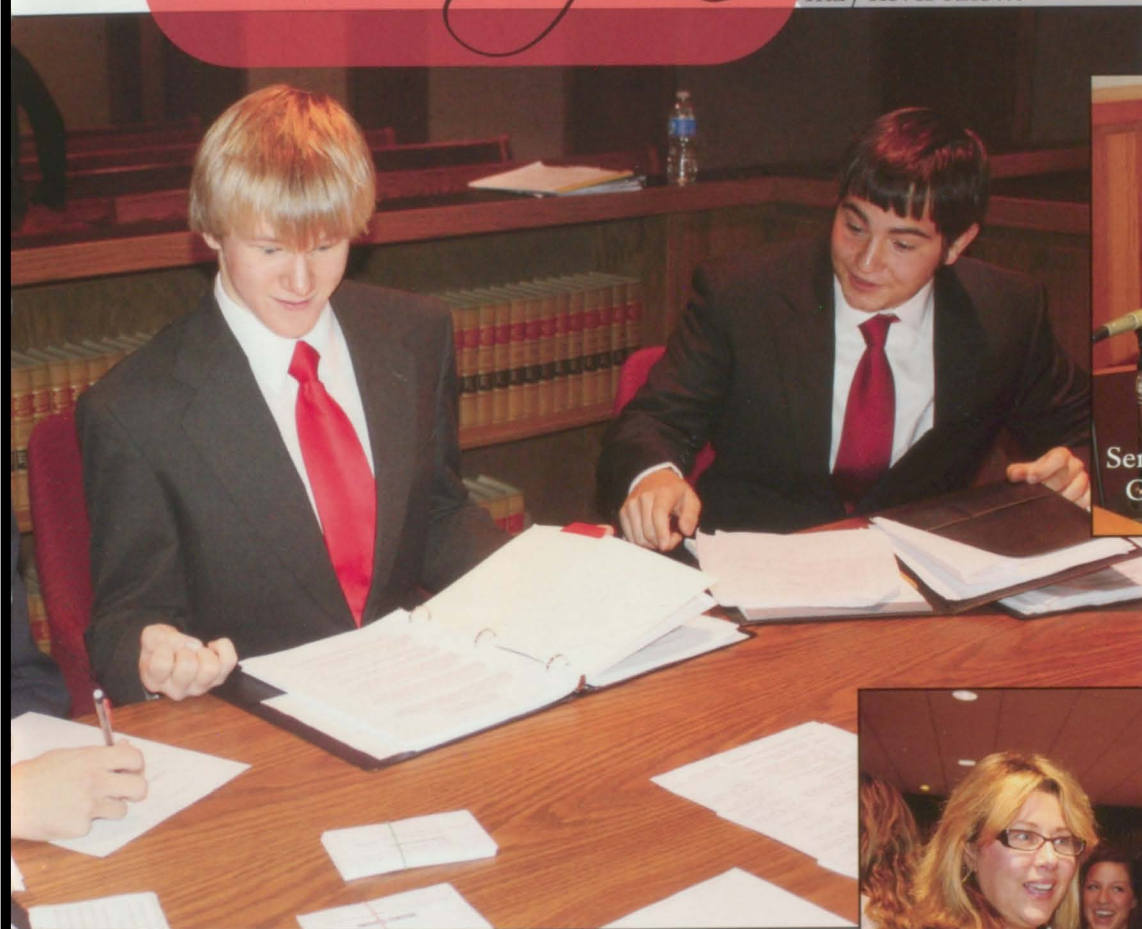


**Defense**

The mock trial case for 2010 concerned an annual Halloween party held by three roommates. Tradition has the roommates dressing up as grim reapers. At midnight, the grim reapers pass out the drinks, and one has a "little something extra" added to it. This year, the something extra killed the "chosen one", Dana Dane. Who really put the drug in the drink? The world may never know.

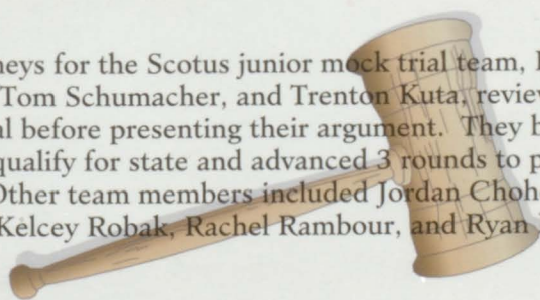
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Senior Jenn Gokie acts sassy as Drew Goker, a roommate of the accused killer.

Attorneys for the Scotus junior mock trial team, Brad Steiner, Tom Schumacher, and Trenton Kuta, review their material before presenting their argument. They beat 4 teams to qualify for state and advanced 3 rounds to place 5th overall. Other team members included Jordan Chohon, Sara Dolezal, Kelcey Robak, Rachel Rambour, and Ryan Miksch.



Senior James Euteneuer argues with Mrs. Rambour about something non-sensical while fellow senior Tiffany Haney guffaws at their ridiculousness.

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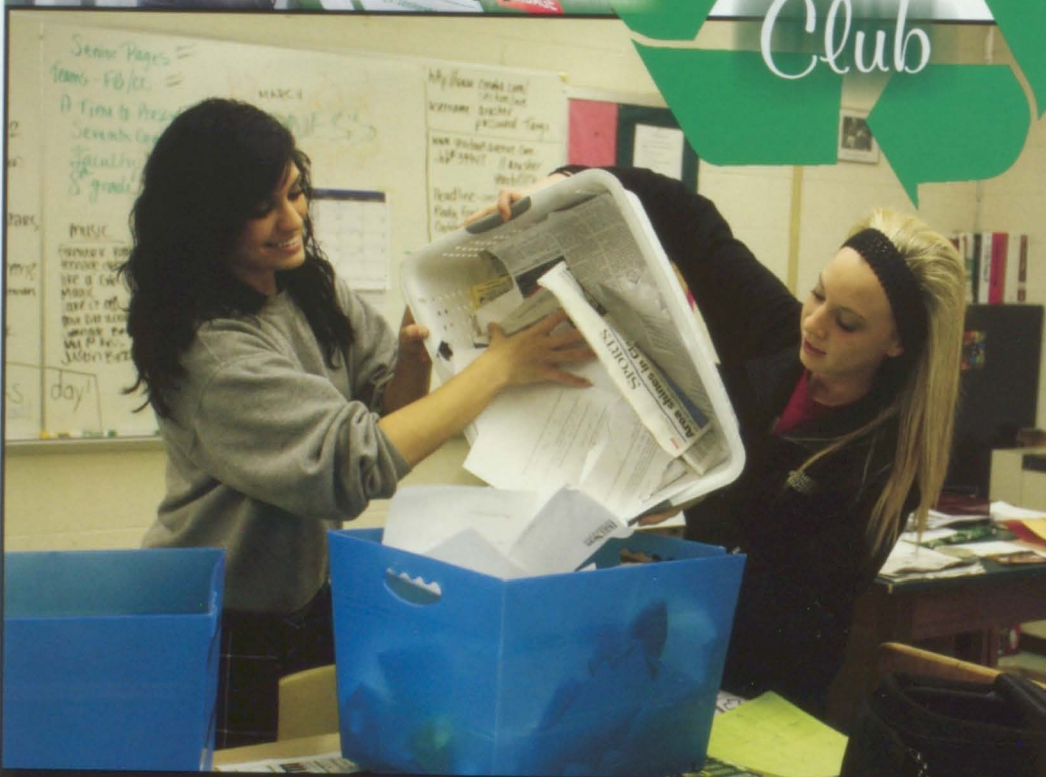
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Senior Jacy Gasper transports the paper outside.



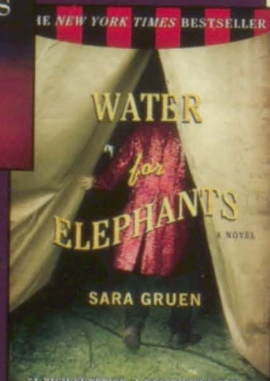
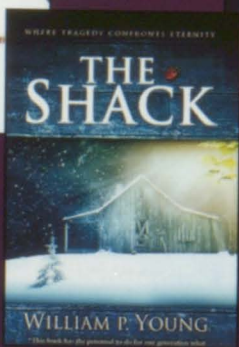
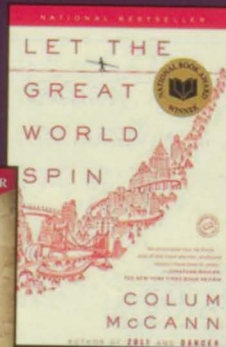
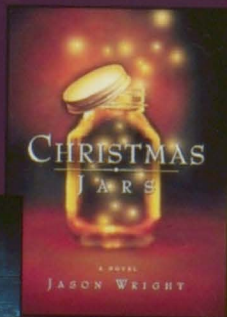
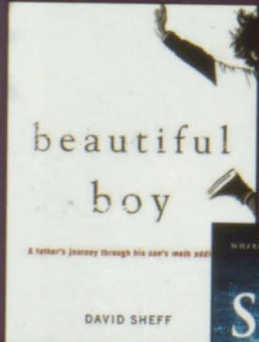
Every Friday morning a group of students scout the halls in search of baskets overflowing with paper in each classroom. The seniors took control and made sure the job was done each week.



Seniors Hannah Schaecher and Sam Ebner empty recycled newspapers.



Senior Jaci Beauvais recycles.



Senior Book Club



Freshman Trey Wortman works on his oil pastel flower.



Senior Amanda Newman paints a watercolor landscape.

Art club is a time to relax and work on any type of art desired. Students met after school on Tuesdays and had the chance to either catch up on projects they were working on in class or take on a whole new project. It was held in Mrs. Shadle's room which is always known to be relaxing and care-free. The club was mostly made up of freshmen along with a few upperclassmen. Art club gives students the opportunity to expand their artistic abilities while having fun in a laid-back environment after a long day at school.



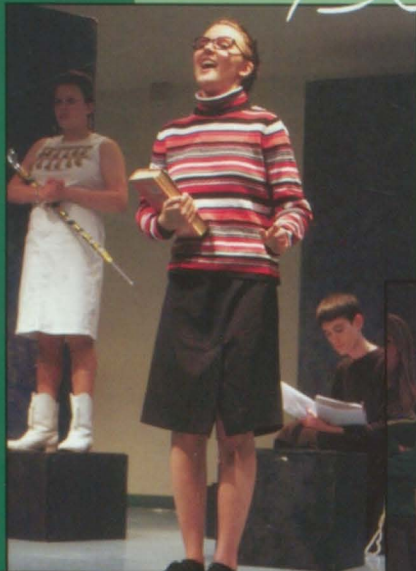
A group of seniors show off their 3-D letters they made in class.

*"The group of students that participated have been AWESOME! I know I will use this group in the future as the standard to be matched."  
-Mrs. Podliska*

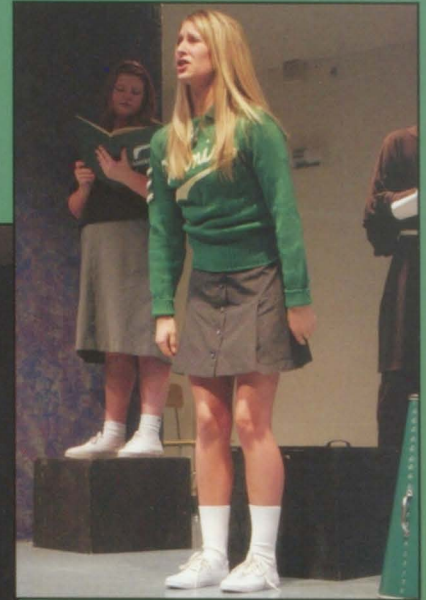


The senior girls gather to discuss the books they have read throughout the year during lunch.

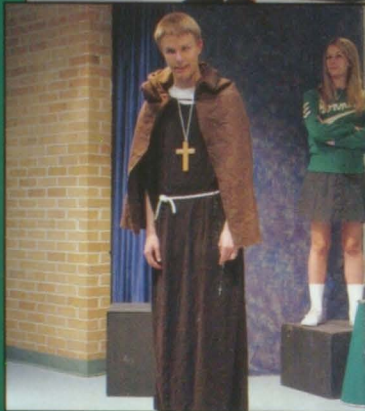
# a time to *Be Proud*



(left) Junior Jenna Dubas performs as a nerd.  
(right) Sophomore Christine Reiners acts as a distressed cheerleader in the John Duns Scotus play.



Senior Cale Albracht plays the role of Blessed John Duns Scotus in chapter 3 of the John Duns Scotus play.

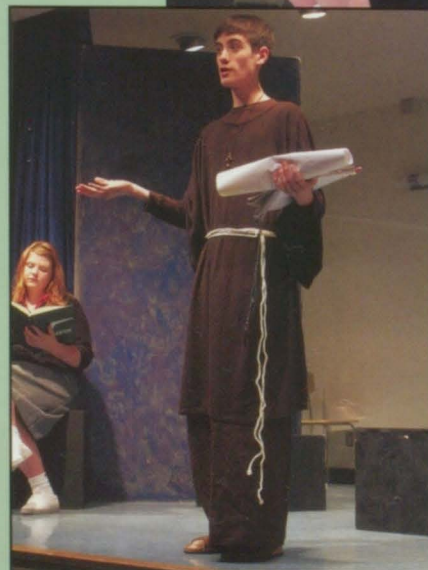


Sophomore Taylor Wiester is a drum major from the St. Bonaventure class of 1965.



(above) Senior Abby Schademann performs as a gossip queen from the St. Bonaventure High School class of 1965.

(left) Senior AJ Bose gestures during his part as the last Franciscan superintendent of St. Bonaventure High School.



The question: "Where did the name Scotus come from?" seems to be asked by many people. Three years ago, Mrs. Bernt's ninth period Drama class decided to put a stop to the questioning of the school's name.

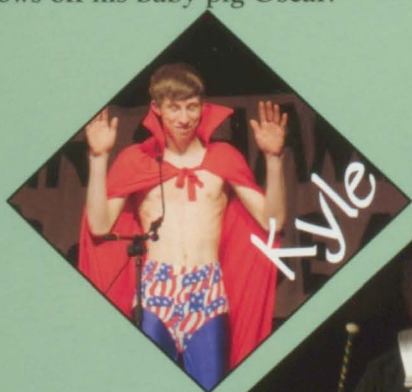
Last school year, the ninth period Drama class, along with junior Joel Ostdiek, created and performed a song that explained who Blessed John Duns Scotus was. The song was part of the chapters about John Duns Scotus that the Drama class has put together over the past three years.

This year each student in the Drama class visited with an alumni from the last class to ever attend St. Bonaventure High School in 1965. After listening to all the worries and changes that the alumni had, the Drama students put a script together. The play was set up so that each actor or actress would give a speech on their characters perception. They would take time to practice every day during their ninth period Drama class. The final performance was put on during ninth period on Wednesday, May 4th.

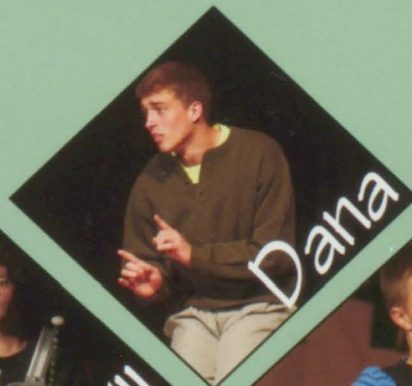




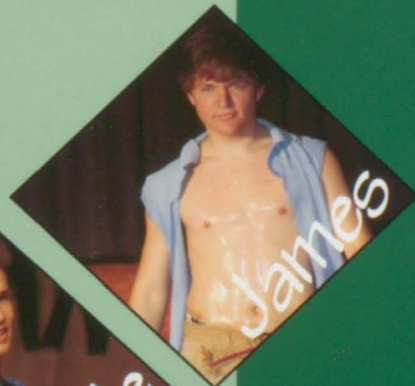
Senior boys start off the annual Mr. Shamrock Pageant with a creative dance.  
 (right) After winning the title of Mr. Shamrock, Levi McPhillips shows off his baby pig Oscar.



Kyle



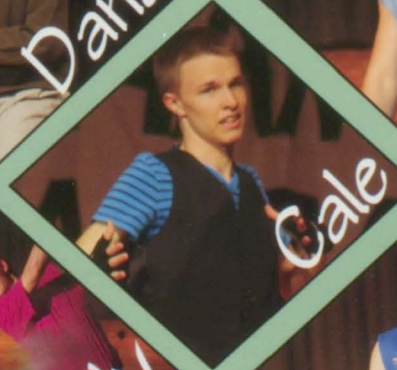
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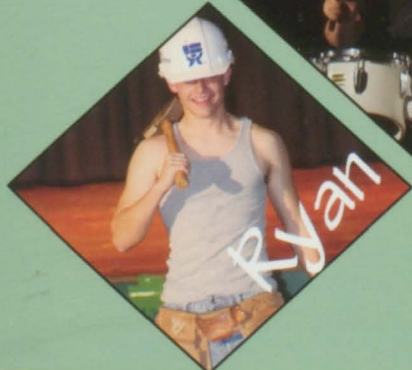
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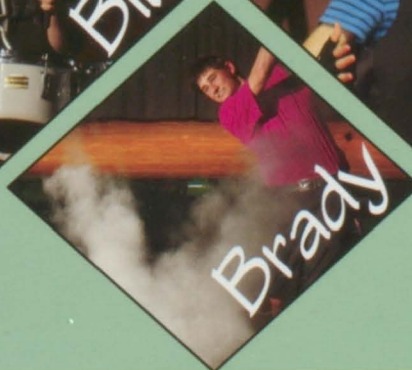
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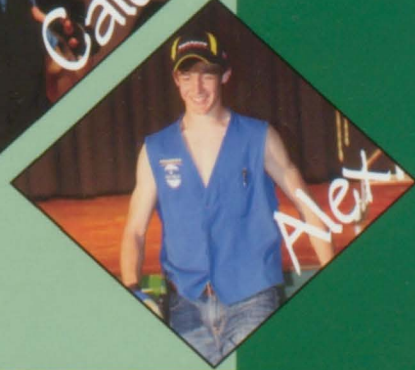
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Alex

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# Bleed Green



(above) Senior Dana Fuchs intimidates the opposing team at a Scotus volleyball game.  
(right) The student body cheers for their volleyball team at State.



Junior Mitch Peterson, seniors Jon Otte and Connor Sackett, and junior Nick Preister show their Krat-pride at a Scotus football game.



(left) Sophomores Ian Robak, Brennan Brockhaus, and Joe Warth yell for the Scotus Volleyball team.  
(below) Senior Hannah Schaecher shows her school pride with her fellow students at a Scotus Volleyball game.  
(bottom left) Seniors Ryan Becker and Connor Sackett chant their school pride.  
(bottom right) Senior Bill Cremers represents his school pride with his famous green afro.



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## Honors Night

Like Honors Nights from years past, students and parents congregated in the Dowd Activity Center.

Students were awarded scholarships, teachers were recognized for their time and service at Scotus, and students were recognized for their many achievements.

Although the gym was sweltering, the night moved quickly.

# Shine

## Milestone Awards

10 years- Cheryl Rambour

15 years- Kelly Schaad

20 years- Julie Blaser, Diane Kudron

25- Merlin Lahm

Teacher of the Year- Vern Younger



Senior Levi McPhillips receives the Cargill Community Scholarship.

## National Honor Society

NHS is an organization that is found in high schools all over the U.S. Students must have a 93.0 gpa or higher to be invited to join, and must be a sophomore or older. An application must be filled out, and those who are accepted are inducted in early November. The main fundraiser for NHS is the candy cane sales in December. The money that NHS makes during the year is donated to a charity or charities at the end of the school year.



A Red Cross nurse tells sophomore Hannah Harrington how to take care of herself after donating blood.



Juniors Joel Ostdiek, Ryan Miksch, Andy Heusinkvelt, and sophomore Megan Wright recover from giving blood by eating doughnuts, sandwiches, and cookies, and drinking water or orange juice.

National Honor Society sponsored the annual blood drive once again, and it was a success. 103 units of blood were collected by the Red Cross, 3 units over the goal. Students 16 and older are able to donate, though there are other specifications. 70% of seniors, 56% of juniors, and 46% of sophomores donated. Donating blood is an easy way to help others in need, as each pint of blood can save three lives.

(top left) Junior Stacia Rawhouser receives the Curt Tenopir Memorial Scholarship. (top right) Senior Lindsay McElhose receives the UNL Alumni Scholarship. She was also awarded the Columbus Optimist Club Scholarship. (bottom) Senior Laura Salyard receives the Scotus Teachers Organization scholarship.



## Girls State



Senior Rebecca Hall was chosen to represent Scotus at Girls State last July. Her favorite part was being able to meet new people from different schools.

Girls and Boys State is a week-long program which is available to an incoming senior male and female. It is held at the University of Lincoln and is a government-based program. During the week, the attendees attended seminars given by government officials, visited the capital building, and sat in on a state congressional session.

## Boys State



Senior Dana Fuchs participated in Boys State for Scotus. He enjoyed listening to the speakers and learned about getting involved and having self-confidence. 49



Sophomore Quinn Goodrich cringes as the needle is inserted into her arm.

## Athletic Banquet

The Athletic Banquet was held after Honors Night in the cafeteria. It was a long, but enjoyable night. Those attending ate food catered by Hy-Vee and then listened to the coaches talk about their seasons and recognize the letter-winners and important athletes of their sports. Awards and scholarships were given to student athletes at the end of the banquet.

## Award and Scholarship Recipients

Shamrock Club Scholarships- Connor Sackett and Jacy Gasper

Gene Witt Scholarships- Cale Albracht and Rebecca Hall

Eleanor Loshbaugh Scholarship- Ryan Ohnoutka

Jeff Podraza Scholarship- Jordan Chohon

Lifters of the Year- Ryan Becker and Olivia Sonderman

Babe Ruth Awards- Nathan Wangler and Morgan Duren

KLIR Athletes of the Year- Brady Vancura and Tiffany Haney

Sertoma Athletes of the Year- Ryan Becker, Tiffany Haney, and McKenzie Leu

Scotus Athletes of the Year and Hroza Family Scholarships- Brady Vancura and Amber Ewers

## Future Business Leaders of America

FBLA is an organization that prepares students for the business world. Even if students are not interested in a business career, it is an organization that promotes service and good managing skills. FBLA heads the concessions at football games, volunteers at rest homes, and holds a week for the awareness of the business world.



Freshmen Emily Allen and Valerie Borer play St. Nicholas as they fill shoes with candy. This was sponsored by FBLA.



Freshmen Phil Levos and Melissa Thalken, senior Laura Salyard and sophomores Charrissa Zuerlein and Jeremiah Salyard show off their awards from SLC.

Eleven FBLA members attended the State Leadership Conference in Omaha. At SLC, they attended seminars given by various speakers, took tests that showed their proficiency in the business world, and met people from schools across the state.



Lifters of the Year- Ryan Becker and Olivia Sonderman



Babe Ruth Award- Morgan Duren and Nathan Wangler



KLIR Athletes of the Year- Tiffany Haney and Brady Vancura



Scotus Athletes of the Year- Amber Ewers and Brady Vancura



Sophomore Alivia Galley and freshman Phil Levos concentrate on their tests at SLC.



Junior Trenton Kuta and senior Levi McPhillips compete in a "rock-paper-scissors" contest held by FBLA.

At SLC, sophomore Charrissa Zuerlein placed 5th in Keyboarding Knowledge and received Honorable Mention in Proofreading. Other Honorable Mention awards went to senior Laura Salyard in Business Calculations, Business Communications, and Business Procedures; junior Trenton Kuta in Accounting I, Business Calculations, and Personal Finance; sophomore Jeremiah Salyard in Keyboarding Knowledge and Word Processing II; and freshman Melissa Thalken in Keyboarding Knowledge.

## One Acts



Front Row (L-R): Mary Bravo, Melissa Diamond, Taylor Wiester, Jenna Dubas, Hannah Schaecher. Second Row: Amy Price, Jens Paprocki, Austin Wortman, Joel Ostdiek, Phil Levos, Jessa Gaspers. Third Row: Mrs. Bernert, Olivia Sonderman, Tara Starzec, Kelcey Stutzman, Christine Reiners, Abby Schademann, Callie Sokol. Fourth Row: Andy Heusinkvelt, Trey Stuthman, Cale Albracht, Ben Heusinkvelt, Alise Perault, Alaric Bose.

## Thespians



Front Row (L-R): Tara Starzec, Gina Bose, Olivia Sonderman, Vanessa Cox, Jenny Ryan, Abby Schademann. Second Row: Megan Wright, Taylor Wiester, Melissa Diamond, Jessa Gaspers, Phil Levos, Summer Kresha, Mark Ternus. Third Row: Alise Perault, Andy Heusinkvelt, Claire Fuschler, Kevin Donoghue, Christine Reiners, Jacob Nienaber, Mary Bravo, Mrs. Bernert. Fourth Row: Bill Cremers, Cale Albracht, Levi McPhillips, Trey Stuthman, Ben Heusinkvelt, Alaric Bose.

## NHS



Front Row (L-R): Amanda Newman, Jacy Gasper, Rebecca Hall, Jenn Gokie, Levi McPhillips, Joel Ostdiek, Andy Heusinkvelt, Ryan Miksch, Lindsay McElhose. Second Row: Kyle Baumgart, Bill Cremers, Matt Pandorf, Nick Preister, Cale Albracht, Jaci Beauvais, Morgan Duren, Amber Ewers, Olivia Sonderman, Becky Svatora. Third Row: Morgan Prokupek, Jenna Moore, Angie Wieser, Summer Kresha, Brad Steiner, Ryan Fehr, Kenzie Paczosa, Sara Dolezal, Kelcey Robak, Jessa Gaspers. Fourth Row: Christine Reiners, Taylor Wiester, Lauren Kuta, Vanessa Cox, Tara Starzec, Charissa Zuerlein, Thomas Schumacher, Jesse Shanle, Trenton Kuta, Trey Stuthman. Fifth Row: Bridgette Brune, Shayla Wieser, Anna Perault, Kara Moore, Catherine Swope, Morgan Benesch, Gina Bose, Carrie Bartholomew, Katelyn Baumgart, Craig Ackman. Sixth Row: Nick Pandorf, Dylan Kuta, Quinn Goodrich, Ashley Newman, Austin Wendt, Derek Lahm, Ian Robak, Kevin Donoghue, Colby Engquist.

## Art Club



Front Row (L-R): Amy Price, Jenny Ryan, Alise Perault. Second Row: Sean McGuire, Sammy Patocka-Brewster, Jacy Gasper. Third Row: Mrs. Shadle, Amanda Newman, Becky Svatora.

## Mock Trial



Front Row (L-R): Trenton Kuta, Nick Preister, Katie Ohnoutka, Amber Ewers, Morgan Duren, Jenn Gokie, Tiffany Haney. Second Row: Austin Wendt, Lauren Kuta, Katelyn Baumgart, Carrie Bartholomew, Steph Jarecke, Kelsey Newman, Megan Wright. Third Row: Jenna Moore, Casey Kessler, Mitchell Peterson, Sara Dolezal, Kelcey Robak, Jordan Chohon, Ryan Miksch. Fourth Row: Liz Smith, Brooke Olmer, Emily Allen, Hannah Merrill, Carly Burkhardt, Mike Kurtenbach, Kristen Ohnoutka.



## Student Council



Front Row (L-R): Alyssa Foltz, Jaci Beauvais, Lindsay McElhose, Morgan Duren, Katie Ohnoutka, Steph Jarecke, Amanda Newman. Second Row: Lauran Hellbush, Angie Wieser, Hannah Harrington, Jenna Moore, Morgan Benesch, Kara Moore, Joel Ostdiek, Austin Wendt. Third Row: Mrs. Lahm, Carley Foltz, Kristen Ohnoutka, Alli Bos, Mikayla Gasper, Carly Burkhardt, Liz Smith, Andy Heusinkvelt.

## Shamrock Singers



Front Row (L-R): Laura Salyard, Gina Bose, Joel Ostdiek, Whitney Hank, Taylor Sprunk. Second Row: Ms. Gardner, Carrie Bartholomew, Trey Stuthman, Taylor Wiester, Lauren Kuta. Third Row: Alaric Bose, Megan Wright, Levi McPhillips, Sumner Kresha, Cale Albracht, Kelly Augustine, Trenton Kuta.

## Teens for Life



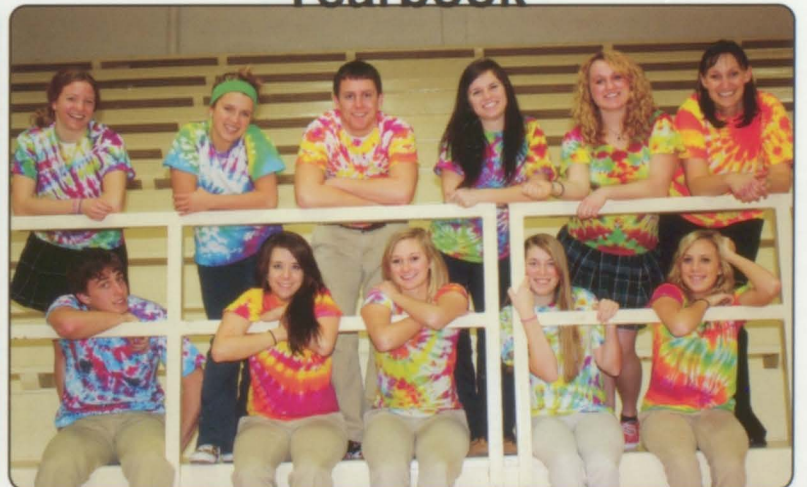
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## Campus Ministry



Front Row (L-R): Theresa Thalken, Molly Smith, Lindsay McElhose, Lindsay Starosciak, Jaci Beauvais, Hannah Schaecher. Second Row: Thomas Schumacher, Samantha Ebner, Amber Ewers, Angie Wieser, Andy Heusinkvelt, Morgan Duren, Ben Heusinkvelt. Third Row: Bill Cremers, Trenton Kuta, Mark Ternus, Trey Stuthman, Alaric Bose, Abby Schademann.

## Yearbook



Front Row (L-R): Dana Fuchs, Katie Ohnoutka, Rebecca Hall, Jenn Gokie, Hannah Schaecher. Back Row: Amber Ewers, Kelsey Newman, Nathan Wangler, Jacy Gasper, Jaci Beauvais, Mrs. Rusher.

## Cheerleaders



First Row (L-R): Jenna Thiele, Stacia Rawhouser, Sam Ebner, Chloe Kucera, Hannah Schaecher, Sara Dolezal, Alycia Alt. Second Row: Abbey Schieffer, Kelly Augustine, Jenna Dubas. Third Row: Liz Smith, Hailey Luebe, Katie Breidenbach, Quinn Goodrich, Taylor Merrill, Mary Kate Rambour. Back Row: Clare Bohac, Hannah Merrill, Jessica Martys.

## Flag Corps



First Row (L-R): Emily Schieffer, Jenn Gokie, Amber Ewers, Abby Schademann. Second Row: Brittany Steiner, Sadee Lassek, Teresa Tira, Kelcey Robak, and Christine Reiners. Third Row: Vanessa Cox, Tara Starzec, Megan Wright, Taylor Wiester. Back Row: Amy Price, Carly Burkhardt, Shelby Beller.

## Band



Front Row (L-R): Shelby Beller, Megan Wright, Sadee Lassek, Cale Albracht, Abby Schademann, Joel Ostdiek, Jenn Gokie, Christine Reiners, Tara Starzec. Second Row: Emily Scheiffer, Mrs. Powers, Marina Karel, Teresa Tira, Carrie Bartholomew, Sara Legler, Bre Walker, Halle Fuchs, Brittany Steiner, Amber Ewers, Laura Salyard, Taylor Case, Gina Bose, Melissa Diamond, Vanessa Cox, Alli Bos, Mrs. Cox, Kelcey Robak. Third Row: Jenny Ryan, Alivia Galley, Emily Allen, Mary Bravo, Amy Price, Hannah Merrill, Jessica Martys, Bibiana Lopez, Melissa Thalken, Mark Ternus, Jeremiah Salyard, Conner Moran, Phil Levos, Colby Engquist, Charissa Zuerlein, Taylor Wiester. Last Row: Ashlea Rinkol, Megan Miksch, Katie Reisdorff, Carly Burkhardt, Valerie Borer, Daniel Strecker, Jacob Nienaber, Craig Ackman, Trey Stuthman, Joe Warth, Kevin Donoghue, Bill Cremers, Derek Lahm, Taylor Johnson, Kelly Augustine.

## Green Club



Front Row (R-L): Eduardo Lopez, Alise Perault, Hannah Schaecher, Michael Tremel, Jaci Beauvais, Jacy Gasper, Amanda Newman. Second Row: Cade Nicholson, Jon Otte, Samantha Ebner, Tiffany Haney, Morgan Duren, Olivia Sonderman, Katie Ohnoutka, Christian Stutzman. Last Row: Mrs. Joan Lahm, Lucas Cox, Brett Brune, Nathan Wangler, Lindsay Staroscik, Brady Vancura, Mrs. Nancy Shadle.

## Speech



Front Row (L-R): A.J. Bose, Abby Schademann, Cale Albracht, Alise Perault. Second Row: Jackson Prokupek, Jenny Ryan, Quinn Goodrich, Jessa Gaspers, Hannah Spenceri, Kiley Bierman, Miss Anneliese Plotz. Third Row: Mr. Jeremy Fajman, Joel Ostdiek, Ben Heusinkvelt, Melissa Thalken, Phil Levos, Jacob Neinaber, Andy Heusinkvelt, Tom Schumacher. Back Row: Emily Allen, Taylor Wiester, Mark Ternus, Tara Starzec, Stacia Rawhouser, Mary Bravo, Valerie Borer, Claire Fuchser, Gina Bose.

## Journalism



Front Row (L-R): Alise Perault, Kelcey Robak, Stacia Rawhouser, Steph Jarecke, Kelly Augustine, Mrs. Angie Rusher. Back Row: Mike Albin, Casey Kessler, Levi McPhillips.

## Book Club



Front Row (L-R): Morgan Duren, Hannah Schaecher, Olivia Sonderman, Abby Schademann, Jaci Beauvais, Alise Perault. Back Row: Jacy Gasper, Laura Salyard, Amber Ewers, Amanda Newman, Mrs. Podliska.

## Musical



Front Row (L-R): Mr. Jeremy Fajman, Nichole Gasper, Jenny Davila, Tara Starzec, Christine Reiners, Adam Moore, Craig Ackman, Jeremiah Salyard, Nick Preister, Phil Levos, Amy Heusinkvelt, Ms. E.J. Gardner, Kaitlyn Baumgart, Alivia Galley, Melissa Diamond, Angie Wieser, Trey Stuthman, Kelsey Newman, Shayla Wieser. Second Row: Vanessa Cox, Katie Breidenbach, Catherine Swope, Emily Kosch, Hannah Harrington, Morgan Benesch, Whitney Hank, Amber Ewers, Tiffany Haney, Becky Hall, Katie Ohnoutka, Laura Salyard, Olivia Sonderman, Levi McPhillips, Bill Cremers, Jaci Beauvais, Alise Perault, Cale Albracht, A.J. Bose, Abby Schademann, Zach Christensen. Back Row: Valerie Borer, Carrie Bartholomew, Bre Walker, Hannah Merrill, Mary Bravo, Gina Bose, Kelly Augustine, Brooke Olmer, Daniel Strecker, Megan Wright, Nathan Wangler, Summer Kresha, Ben Heusinkvelt, Ian Ostdiek, Jacob Nienaber, Jenny Ryan, Claire Fuchser, Jens Paprocki, Trenton Kuta, Joel Ostdiek, Andy Heusinkvelt, Sam Patocka-Brewster, Jessa Gaspers, Lauren Kuta.

## Fall Play

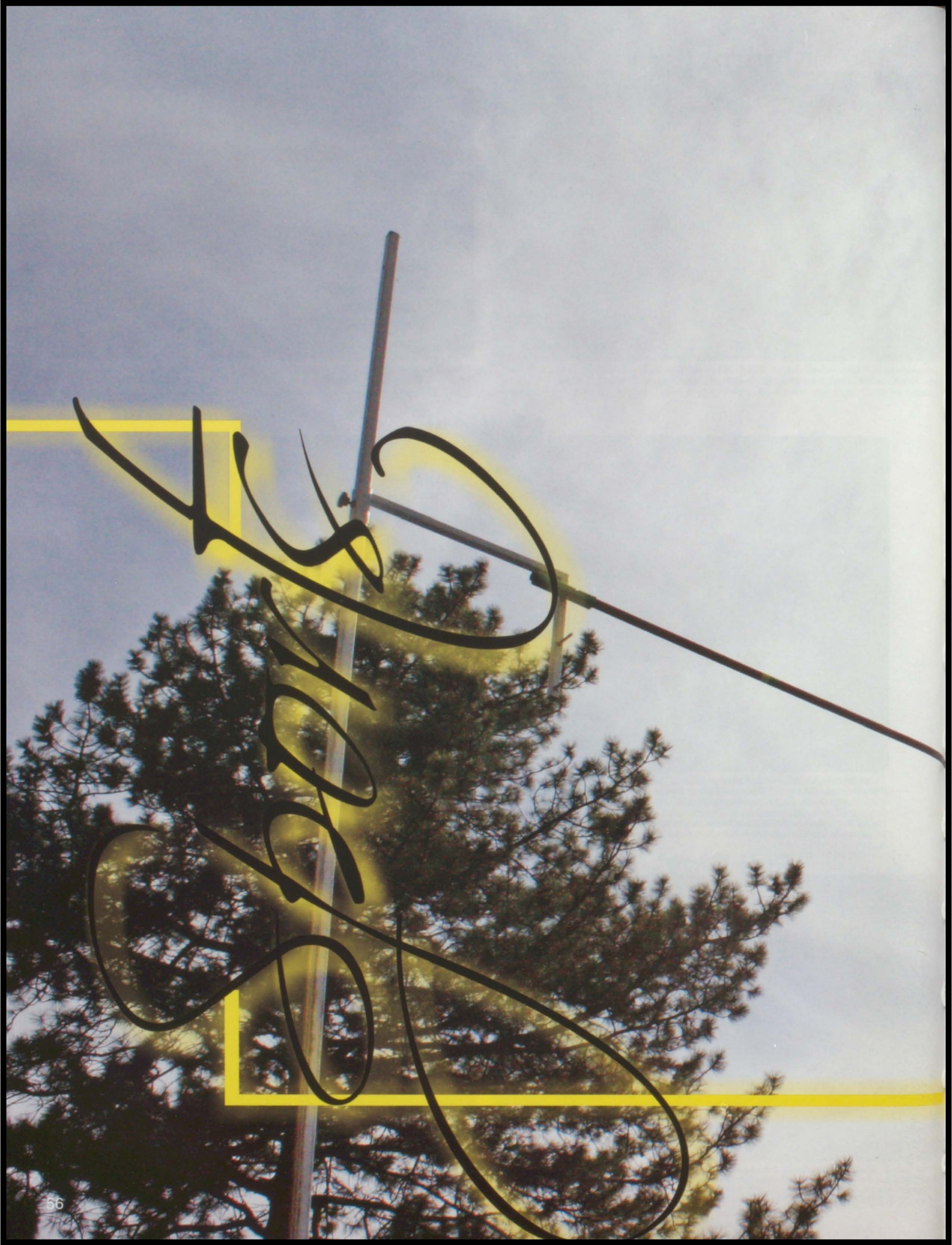


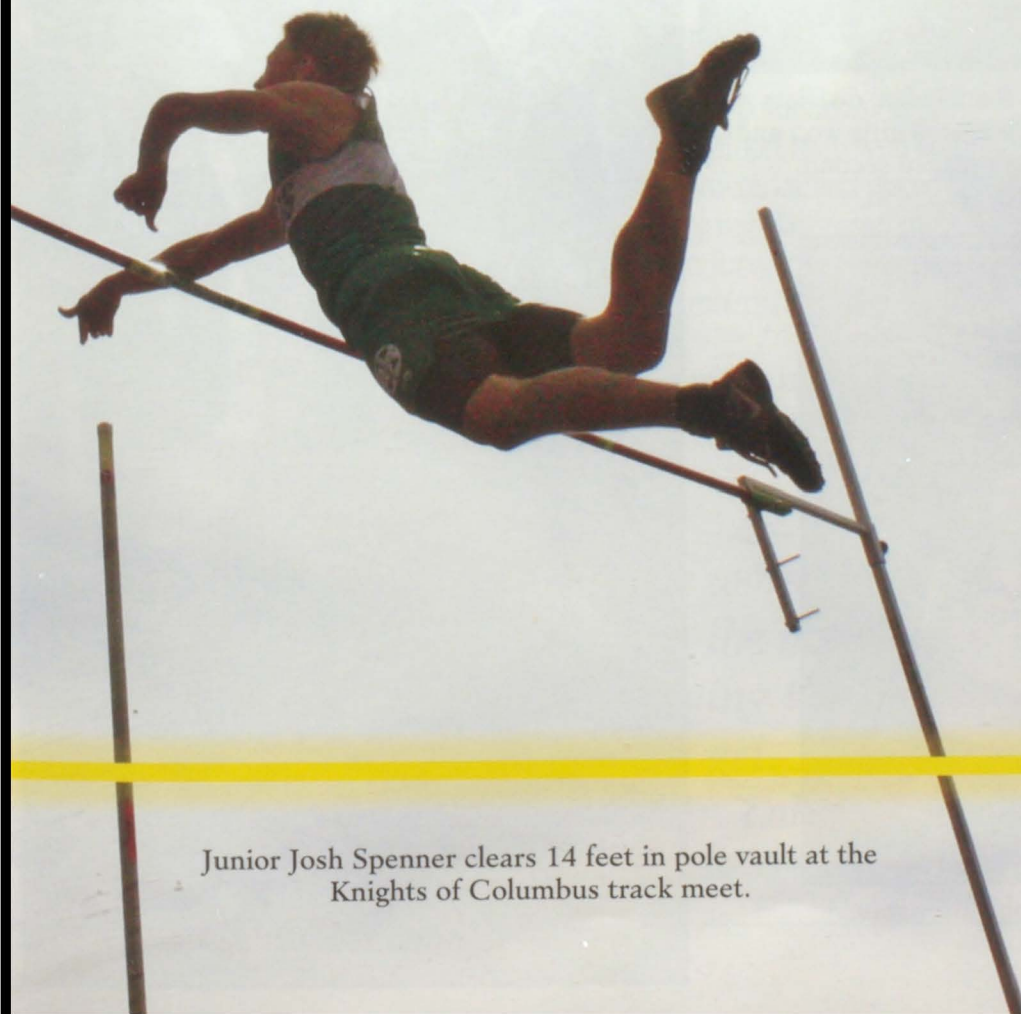
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## FBLA



Front Row (L-R): Melissa Thalken, Melissa Diamond, Lauren Kuta, Theresa Thalken, Katie Hilton, Laura Salyard, Trenton Kuta, Jeremiah Salyard, Mark Ternus. Second Row: Jaci Beauvais, Amber Ewers, Sammy Patocka-Brewster, Callie Sokol, Katie Ohnoutka, Morgan Duren, Bridgette Brune, Megan Wright, Hannah Spencer. Back Row: Tiffany Haney, Alivia Galley, Jessa Gaspers, Emily Allen, Valerie Borer, Carly Burkhardt, Liz Smith, Charissa Zuerlein, Jill Bonk.





Junior Josh Spenner clears 14 feet in pole vault at the Knights of Columbus track meet.



Senior Abby Schademann prepares to launch her shot over the water.



Senior Brett Brune surfaces for a breath during a freestyle stroke.



Sophomore Dylan Kuta heads a soccer ball over an opponent.

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# Race

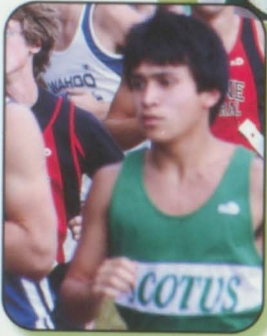
## Cross Country



Senior Cale Albracht strives to stay in the head of his pack.



Freshman Brooke Olmer competes in the Scotus Invite.



Junior Chris Hernandez attempts to gain better position during a race.



Varsity teams after districts at Boone Central: girls won and boys placed second.



The girls' team with their runner-up trophy after state.



(left) The boys' team has a team meeting before their race begins.

"Cross country is pretty much the funnest sport ever, but we still work hard and succeed. You can't really beat that." - Catherine Swope



(above) Senior Morgan Duren elbows her way past another runner.

(left) Sophomore Tessa Stuart takes a painful breath while running at the Scotus Invite.



Senior Amber Ewers and sophomore Morgan Benesch struggle through the middle of the race.

## A time to laugh

The "boxing balloons" from Mrs. Tooley at districts

"Cross country runners don't eat calories!"

"Scatter!" on the stage at conference

Leaving Jordan at Pawnee Park

Running through sprinklers

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Nick eating the bee

"We get \$20- are you sure this is legal?"

Trying to get the sticky hands stuck on Swope's vehicle from the bus

Our team dog

Rolling down the big hill at Kearney

Playing tag in the hallways for premeet



Nick Preister, Ivan Chilapa, Joel Ostdiek, Adam Moore, and Jon Otte begin a race by running in a pack.

## Running To Success

Success is a relative word. It does not necessarily mean winning the meet or even placing, but instead is about improving and challenging yourself.

In terms of statistics, both the boys' and girls' cross country seasons were successful. Both teams made it to state, a first in many years.

The girls' team was led by senior Amber Ewers and sophomore Morgan Benesch. Morgan placed second at state and Amber fifth. Freshman Brooke Olmer was consistently the third runner, followed by the changeable order of sophomores Tessa Stuart, Bridgette Brune, and Shayla Wieser. Senior Morgan Duren was the alternate for districts and state, and junior Mackenzie Paczosa and sophomore Catherine Swope were the JV runners.

The girls' team finished second in state

Class C, only two points away from winning. In addition, they won both districts and conference, and placed highly at every regular season meet. The team looks forward to four of the five varsity runners returning next year.

The boys' team was large this year with seventeen participants.

*"The worse you are, the more playing time you get."*

*- Mr. Lahm*

They were led by freshman Ivan Chilapa and junior Joel Ostdiek. At the end of the season the other four varsity runners were Jon Otte, Nick Preister, Adam Moore, and Cale Albracht. Brad Steiner and Chris Hernandez were the alternates for districts and state.

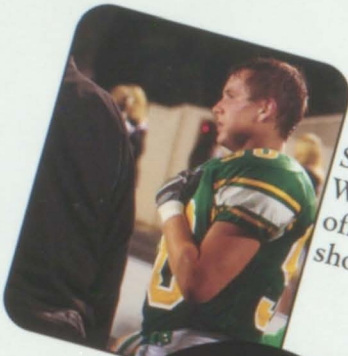
The boys were runner-up at districts and made it to state for the first time in five years. They placed sixth at state, accomplishing their goal of finishing in the top half.

Although not always recognized, the JV runners of both teams contributed greatly to the success of the varsity teams. They pushed the varsity runners and forced them to earn their spots.

In cross country, success is not only measured by how well a single person or the team places, but improving times and making yourself and the team better.

# a time to *Tackle*

## Senior Captains



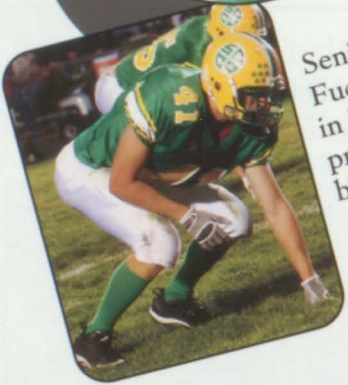
Senior Nathan Wangler comes off the field for a short break.



Seniors Ryan Becker and Casey Kessler block for Junior Ryan Ohnoutka as he returns a kickoff.



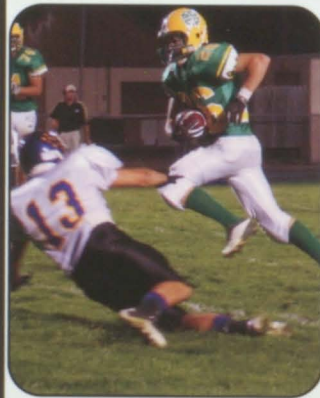
Senior Levi McPhillips watches his teammates out on the field.



Senior Dana Fuchs gets set in his stance preparing to block.



Junior Josh Spenner talks to his offense in the huddle before a long shamrock drive.



Sophomore Jake Huss catches a pass and tries to run away from Tekamah-Herman defenders.



Junior Kade Hoefler waits on the line of scrimmage for the ball to be snapped.

Seniors Levi, Dana, and James celebrate after their huge victory over cross-town rival Lakeview.







Junior Austin Wortman breaks through Pierce defenders looking for room to run.



Junior quarterback Josh Spenner drops back and throws to one of his open receivers during a game against Tekamah Herman.



Junior Ryan Ohnoutka chases down the Pierce ball carrier.



Senior Ryan Becker uses his entire leg on a kickoff.

The Shamrocks came into this year's season ready to show everyone that they would not be walked over. The coaches brought with them a new offense and defense that challenged the team, but they learned to execute it to perfection. They had a tough schedule that challenged them from week to week. Coach Krienke said he was proud of the way his team bounced back after some of their losses with a great and competitive attitude. By the end of the season all of the coaches said they were proud of the team's effort. The entire team felt like they had taken some big steps from week one.

If anyone was to ask the team which game was the most important to them, they would all easily say the Lakeview game. With a suspenseful battle throughout the game, the Shamrocks fought until the last seconds and won the game by a field goal. Coach Krienke told everyone that they must play their best football at the end of the year, and that is what they did. The Shamrocks finished out the season with a final loss to Ashland-Greenwood in the first round of the state playoffs.



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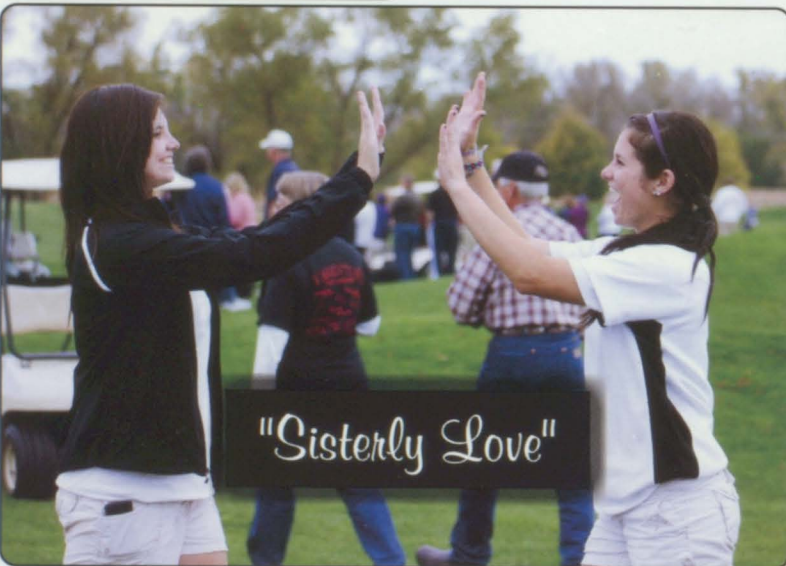
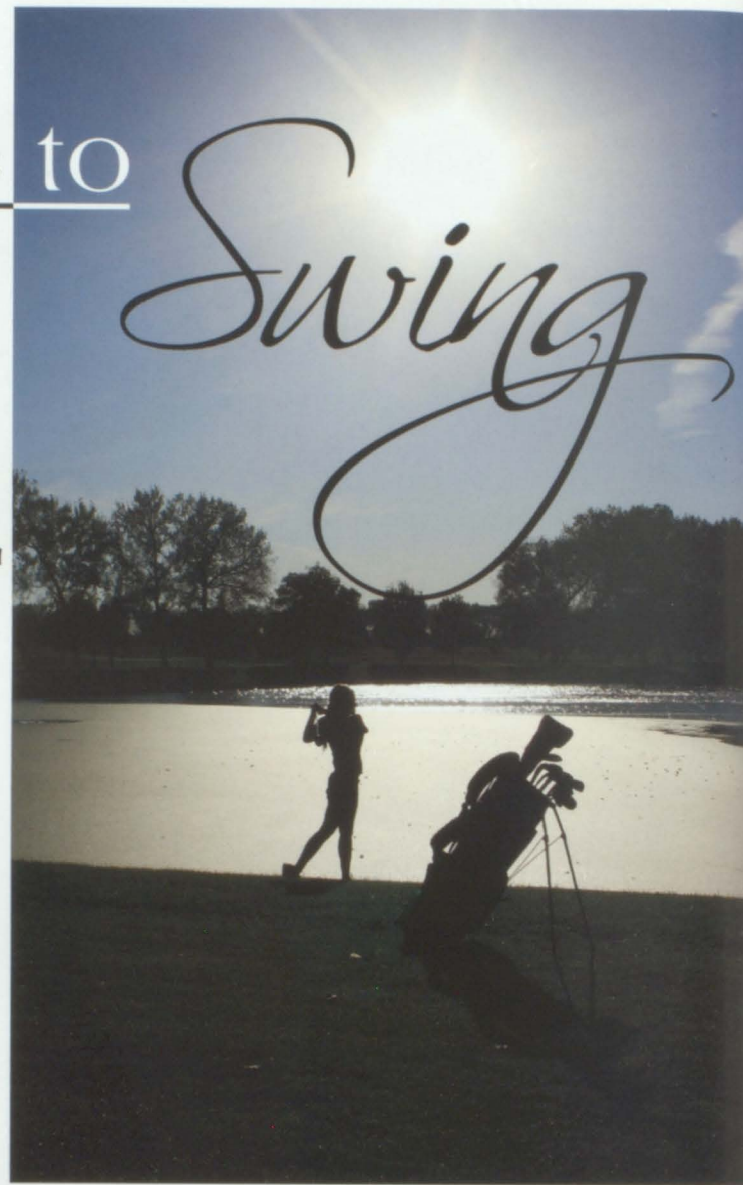
# Swing



"Hit them straight, but not very often."  
-Al



The competition is always close at state golf. It attracts fans from all over who come to watch in anticipation of how it will all play out. Whether the spectator understands golf or not, they always want to be up close and personal with the players.



"Sisterly Love"

"Jacy Gasper led the Shamrocks while sister Nicole also medalled..." The *Telegram* loved to start off their articles this way. "I'm always compared to her, which is why I can't wait for next year." Three golf seasons together led to sibling drama, but it also meant more bonding. "The Gasper girls" have also come to realize how alike they are despite how hard they try to deny it. They always brought double the trouble to each day on the course.

Being new this year, Marina still "calculates (adds) her points (strokes)." Below she is on the verge of tears after she broke her club. And yes Marina, a "pw" does mean Pitching Wedge.

## Members & Memories



There was never a dull moment with the spunky new freshmen Emily and Amy. (right) Amy was labeled as Jacy's follower and Abby's shadow.



Abby's devious sense of humor is shown through her demented laugh and creepy comments (top left). Jena brought life to the team especially when she changed her hair (top right).

"Everything happens  
for a reason."

## Girls' Golf

All of those tears of disappointment turned into tears of joy because of one reason: it was all part of the plan. The girls' golf team had to overcome many obstacles before positive results started to appear. Overall the season went well, but the team struggled to "complete" a meet. Someone ended up having an off day while others would shoot their low. Reaching their highest potential sparked up pressure among the players.

The Shamrocks started out with a bang after winning 2 out of their first 3 meets. The middle of the season brought some tough days, but the girls stuck it out and kept trying. The freshmen showed nothing but dedication and always put forth their best effort. The seniors led the team by having 3 full-time varsity players. The team ended up winning 4 meets, placed 2nd at districts, and finished 3rd at state.

Super Senior Jacy Gasper had to wait it out through a long season before a breakthrough finally came. She was a medalist at 4 meets, but didn't play her best golf until the last day at state. She fired a 74 which allowed her to tie for runner-up and capture records. Jacy was the first Scotus golfer to medal all 4 years at state, she beat the school record, and she tied for the highest placing at state golf.

Lakeview Invite (first) Amy Price, Nicole Gasper, Abby Schademann, Jacy Gasper, and Emily Allen.



Jena Grubaugh, Abby, Nicole, Jacy, and Amy sit in front of their decorated van at District Golf.



Carrie Bartholomew picks her ball out of the hole after a long round of golf.

## Varsity



Oakland-Craig Invite (first) Amy, Jena, Jacy, Abby, and Nicole

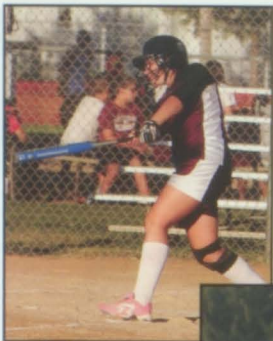
## Seniors

Making up half of the team, the seniors formed a special bond throughout the season. Being nice to the younger players was never their top priority, but that was the way they showed how much they truly cared about them. This year's seniors put Coach Niedbalski into tears during an interview on the final day at state.



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# Reach Goals



Junior Summer Kresha takes a swing, aiming for the fence, against GICC.



Sophomore Allison Smith pursues the ball while playing short-stop.



Freshman Jenny Ryan is ready to take off third base to score for the Discoverers during the game against GICC.

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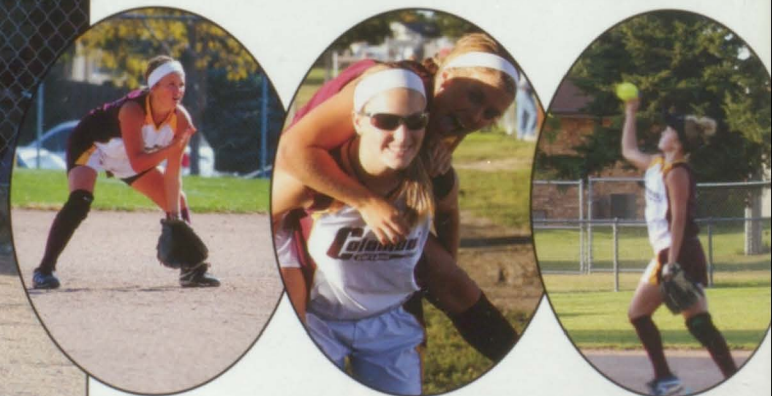
The Columbus High softball team set the bar high for this year's season. Their three major goals were: winning all home games, breaking the school record for wins, and being conference champions. Coach Braun said, "The girls knew exactly what they wanted to accomplish this season, and so they were focused off and on the field. I believe that is why we accomplished those goals."

Scotus had two starting varsity players: juniors Steph Jarecke and Kelsey Newman. They both contributed to the team. Junior Steph Jarecke said, "I knew this year was going to be a good season because we had the talent, and when we put it together, we were unstoppable!" The Discoverers were rated number ten at the beginning of the season in the *Omaha World Herald*, but the *Lincoln Journal Star* labeled them as "mish mosh." "The team was pretty upset when we heard that we were called "mish mosh," but it just made us want to try harder," said Newman. As the season went on, the Discoverers proved to the *Lincoln Journal Star* as well as the *Omaha World Herald* that they deserved to be number eight in the state.

The Discoverers won their conference, and the success of the team carried over to districts in Millard. The Discoverers went 3-2, losing to Millard South in the District Championship. The girls ended the season with 24-10 record.

Ten Scotus girls participated in softball this year. This is the most Scotus has ever had play in CHS uniform. The team as a whole accomplished their goals and set the bar even higher for next year.

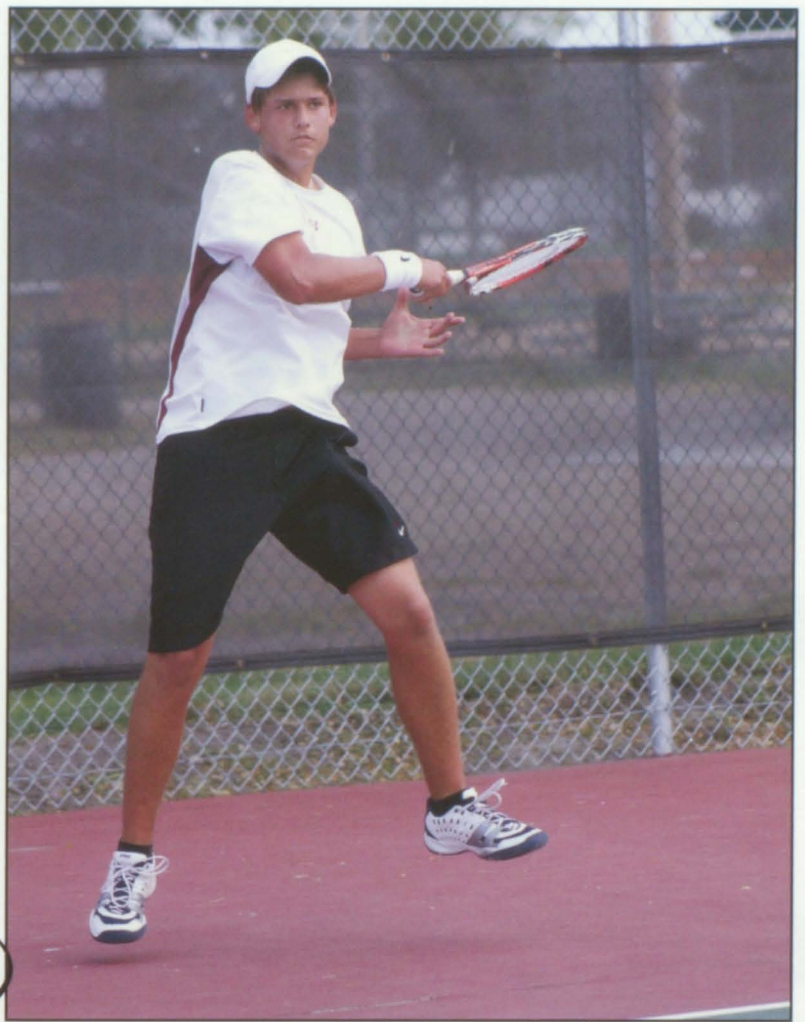
(below) Junior Steph Jarecke gets ready to lay down a drag bunt during the District Championship game.



Kelsey Newman and Steph Jarecke have some fun during a double header at home.



Sophomore Craig Ackman serves the ball to his opponent during a varisty match.



Junior Ryan Fehr concentrates on returning the ball over the net during a match.

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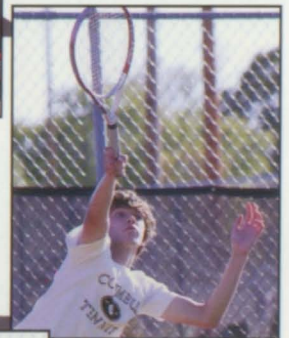
# Rally

This year the boys' tennis team had an exciting season. This sport also co-op's with the Discoverers. Scotus had five of the fifteen players. Junior Ryan Fehr was the number one singles player with a record of 18-15. Ryan said, "It wasn't my best year, but I believe with a little improvement I should be pretty good next year." Ryan placed in the top three at the Northstar Invite, Pius Invite, and at Elkhorn South. Going into the state tournament, Ryan was not ranked. Despite this, he beat the number eight seed in a match 6-0 and 6-0. Ryan then competed in the second round. "I knew that my first match at state was going to be difficult, but I also knew that I needed to play my best, so I did," said Fehr. Ryan also held the number one spot in the doubles team with his partner Joshua Walkenhorse; their record was 8-1. Ryan said, "I am looking forward to next year because we should have more experienced players."



(left) Ryan Fehr focuses on the ball during an intense match.

(right) Craig Ackman serves the ball to his opponent during the Columbus Invite.

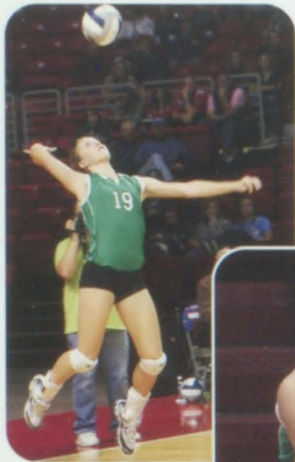


(left) Ryan Fehr serves the ball to his opponent from Norfolk during the Columbus Invite.

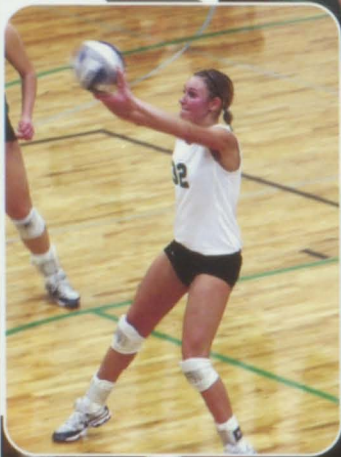
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# Volleyball



(top left) Sophomore Lauran Hellbusch jump serves at the state tournament. (left) Junior Rachel Rambour low ball passes in a subdistrict warm up. (bottom left) Senior Becky Hall digs the ball during the Skutt match. (below) Senior Kenzie Leu digs a ball.



Junior Jordan Chohon jump sets a tight pass as a GICC player reaches across the net attempting to put the ball down in the second round of the state tournament.



The team celebrates after winning the subdistrict game against cross-town rival Columbus Lakeview.

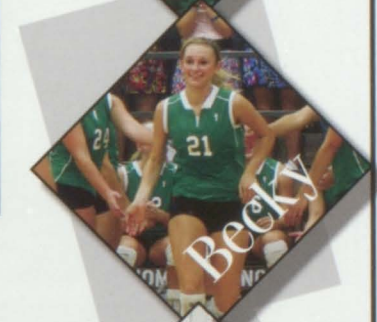


Junior Emmie Odbert serve receives before a home game.



Senior Lindsay McElhose performs a jump serve, attempting for an ace.

# Seniors



Junior Jordan Chohon jumps up for the block against GICC while Senior Olivia Sonderman closes the seam of the block during the district final game in York.

Scotus Volleyball has achieved many years of tradition and success, and this year the goals were set high as usual. The team started off the season on a good note by winning the the Shamrock Invite . Throughout the season the team struggled in the games against GINW, Seward, and GICC, who ended in the top rankings of the state.

At State they came out ready to play and killed Ogallala in the first round of state, proceeding to the second round against rival GICC. After a heart-breaking loss to GICC, the girls recovered and played Sandy Creek for the 3rd place medal. After winning the game, the team was ranked 2nd in Class C1.

Overall the Rocks had a successful year, improving continuously through the season and reaching their full potential by the end of the year. Throughout the course of the season "team unity" was a motto, and all of the girls wore green bracelets that faded as the season did.



Senior Tiffany Haney passes the ball in a serve receive against Omaha Skutt.

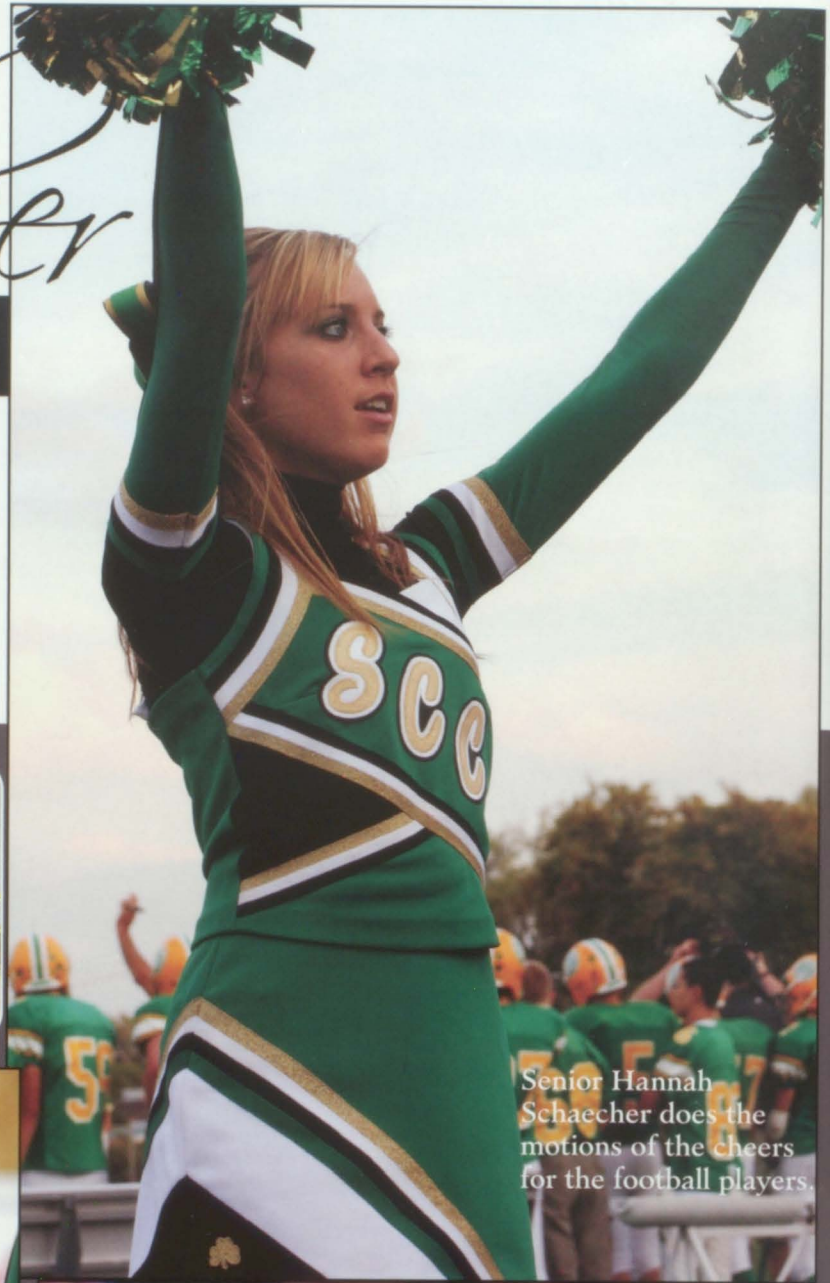
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# Cheer

## Cheerleading



Freshmen Jessica Martys and Kate Rambour, juniors Chloe Kucera and Sara Dolezal perform the homecoming dance learned at the KC Chiefs game.



Senior Hannah Schaecher does the motions of the cheers for the football players.



(top) Sophomore Katie Breidenbach smiles during a cheer at a time-out for a boys' basketball game. Basketball season was a good chance for the cheerleaders to show off their new improvements.



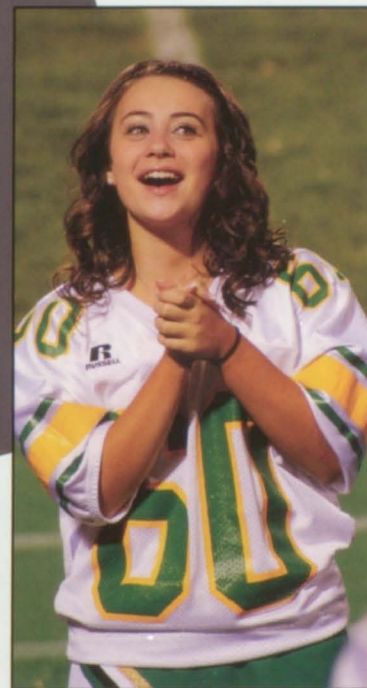
(left) Junior Chloe Kucera, senior Hannah Schaecher, and junior Sarah Dolezal were chosen to be on the All-American Cheer Team at summer camp. This was a three-day camp located at UNL.





(left) Senior Sam Ebner leads a cheer at one of the home football games. Sam and Hannah were captains for the second year in a row.

(below) Freshman Alycia Alt cheers loudly at the homecoming football game. This was the freshman's first homecoming game as a cheerleader.



## More Opportunities Equal More Involvement

The Scotus cheerleaders participated in many activities this year. They had many opportunities and took full advantage of them. Katie Breidenbach said, "My favorite event is the little girl cheer camp. It's awesome having little girls look up to us and teaching them cheers."

The cheerleaders attended an NCA cheer camp held at UNL. This was a big highlight and an important start to the new school year. The 19 girls who went were able to learn new cheers and routines that opened the eyes of those who watched them at the first football game in the fall.

In August, the cheerleaders attended an all-day dance clinic in Kansas City. Those who participated in this event danced at the half time show for the Kansas City Chiefs' second pre season game with the famous Chief Cheerleaders. This was an exciting opportunity for the squad because

they performed in front of almost 30,000 people.

At homecoming, the cheer squad performed the dance routine that was learned in Kansas City. The cheerleaders were able to show off their hard work and dedication and were respected for it.

Near the end of February, the cheerleaders competed in the Nebraska State Cheer and Dance Competition. This was the third year they attended. This year was by far the best. Finishing in sixth place in the non-building division was the cherry on top of the cake to end a great and successful year.

Sweat, tears, and dedication are three factors that are usually not associated with cheerleading, but the 2010-2011 squad worked hard and proved to many people that cheerleading is a sport that takes hard work all the time.

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# Shoot

**BOYS' BASKETBALL**

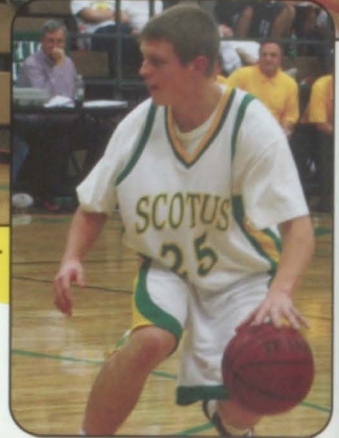


Senior Connor Sackett drives around defenders towards the basket.

Senior Brady Vancura protects the ball from Lakeview defenders.



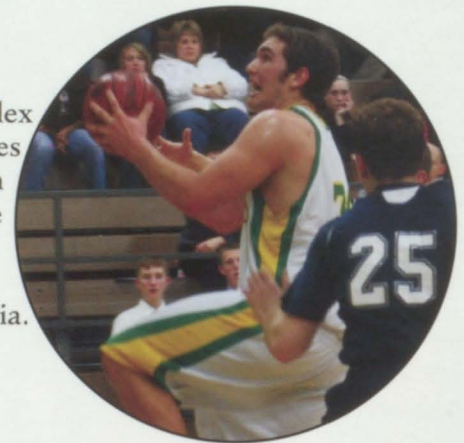
Junior Josh Spenner dribbles around the top of the key.



Senior Connor Sackett looks for an opening to drive through.

## ALL IN

Junior Alex Bolte goes up for an aggressive lay-up against Concordia.



This year's basketball team was a little different than past years because of how young they were. The team lacked some depth, but they set a goal to get ten wins, and as the season went on, younger players stepped up to help fill out the roster. Before the season started, they knew that they would have to come out each game and establish a good outside shooting presence. In one of their first games against top ranked Hastings Saint Cecilia, the Shamrocks definitely had their work cut out for them. Saint Cecilia was a topped ranked team coming to play a young but talented team. For four quarters they slowed down the Saint Cecilia offense and came away with probably the biggest win of the season. The rest of the season was full of ups and downs that challenged the Shamrocks to work even harder day in and day out to become the team they knew they could be. As senior Brady Vancura said, "We have had many struggles to overcome against tough teams, but it has only made us better." The one game that everyone was looking forward to as they do every year is the Lakeview game. The Rocks came into the the game very confident and knew what they needed to do. The first half of the game was not one of their best, but after halftime they came out ready put themselves back into the game. By the end of the game the Shamrocks had proven themselves and came away with a 59-47 victory over their cross town rival. This game was a great way to end the regular season, but, unfortunately, the Shamrocks lost their first round of subdistricts to Lakeview who they had beaten a week before.



Brady Vancura shoots over a player from Wahoo.

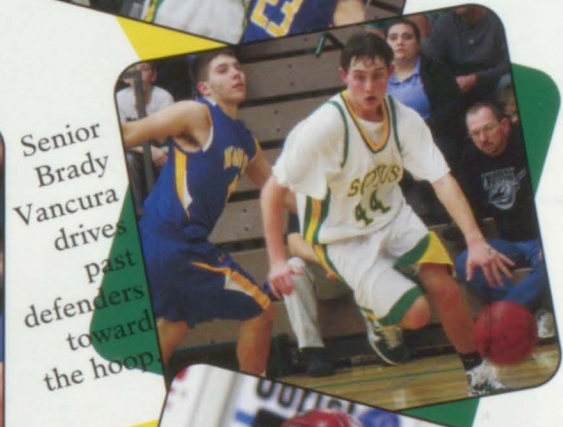
Junior Alex Bolte pulls up for an outside shot against Concordia.



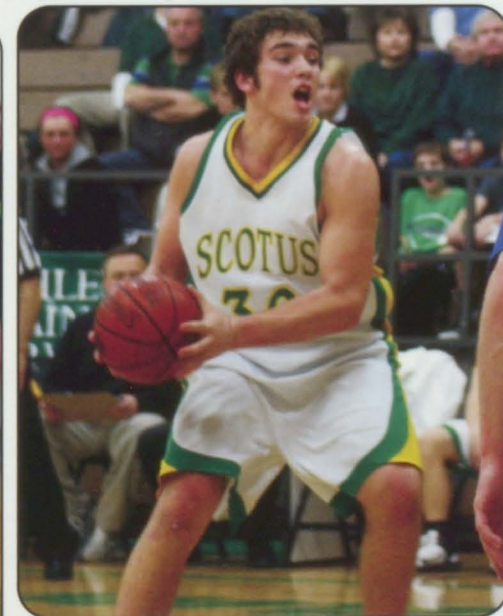
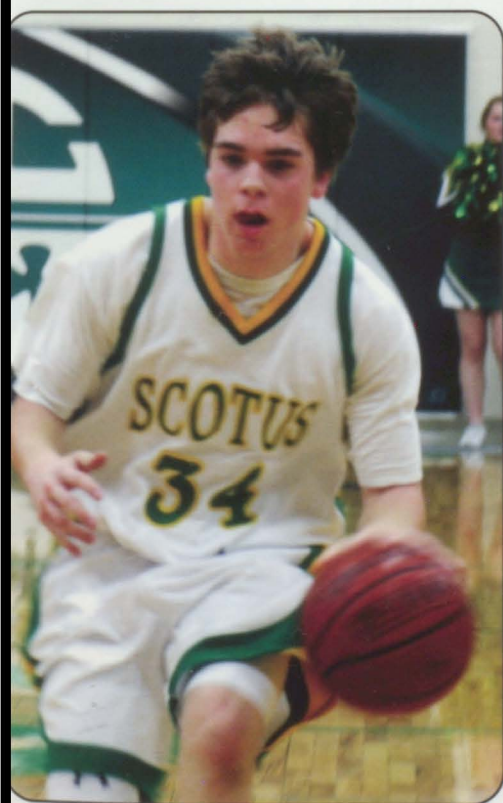
Sophomore Derek Lahm drives the ball toward the hoop.



Junior Josh Spenner tries to shoot over a Wahoo defender.

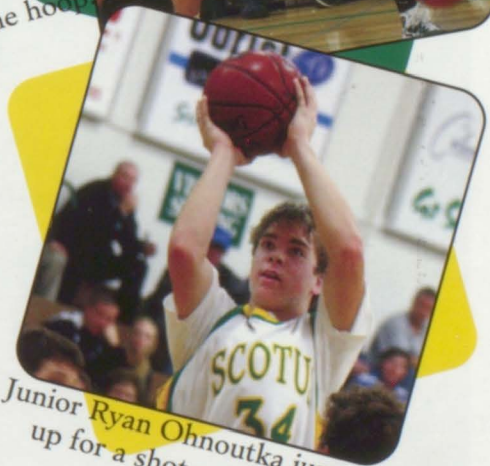


Senior Brady Vancura drives past defenders toward the hoop.



Junior Alex Bolte jumps through defenders toward the basket.

(left) Junior Ryan Ohnoutka rushes the ball down the court.



Junior Ryan Ohnoutka jumps up for a shot against St. Cecilia.

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# Defend

## Girls' Basketball



(top left) Senior Tiffany Haney calls out a play.



(left) Junior Steph Jarecke protects the ball.



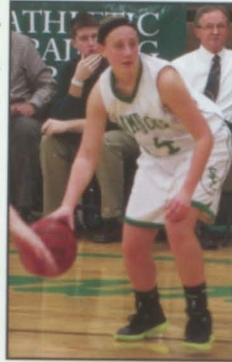
(bottom left) Sophomore Alyssa Foltz drives to the basket.

(right) Senior Tiffany Haney drives into the lane for a lay-up against Lakeview. (below) Senior Kenzie Leu goes up for a shot against Lakeview.



Sophomore Alyssa Foltz gets into the defensive stance against David City Aquinas.

Senior Morgan Duren dribbles the ball down the court in the game against David City Aquinas.



Sophomore Kara Moore runs the ball down the court against Wayne.



# Seniors



Tiffany



Morgan



Kenzie



Rebecca



Katie



Junior Jordan Chohon fights for the possession of the ball in a home game against Wayne.

Scotus girls' basketball lost the first four games of the season, but came out of their slump by beating some top teams, including Wayne, Norfolk Catholic, and Boone Central, through the holiday stretch.

One of the key aspects of the girls' basketball team that led to those major wins was their effort on defense. The girls worked every day in practice on their quick paced defensive slides. All the hard work at practice finally paid off when the girls celebrated their victorious wins against the highly skilled teams.

"There were six seniors out for basketball this year who showed great leadership throughout the entire season," Coach Ridder explained.

Each senior made sure that every player

on the team was doing their part to make the team better. The girls gave each other great support and were constantly trying to help each other become the best player that they could be.

The girls' basketball team ended up making it to the district final game against Hastings St. Cecilia.

Coach Ridder stated, "It was great to see how hard the girls played and how they really worked together as a team."

The girls worked hard at practice for a week trying to prepare for what they thought would be revenge against Hastings St. Cecilia. It was a devastating loss for the team, but they were still proud of what they had accomplished.

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# Seniors



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Scotus swimmers brought huge success to the CHS swim team this year. The team was well represented with brother and sister team, Laura and Ryan Miksch, as well as the other sixteen swimmers that Scotus had to offer. The Discoverers started off strong at the first home dual against the Fremont Tigers with Ryan Miksch breaking his 50 yard freestyle record.

Miksch said, "I just went out there and gave it my all and took my turns and strokes seriously." Ryan was not the only one who started off strong; many more swimmers from Scotus broke their own personal bests.

Junior Kelsey Newman said, "I believe this year was harder than last year; our coach gave us harder workouts and pushed us more."

Five of the Scotus swimmers qualified for state. Ryan was the leading scorer for the Discoverers. Ryan competed at the state meet in the 200 medley relay, 400 medley relay, 50 yard freestyle, and 100 yard freestyle. Of those four events Ryan brought home the gold in the 50 yard freestyle with the time of 21.29 sec, and in the 100 yard freestyle with the time of 48.08 seconds. Keeping up with the family success, Laura was one of the leading scorers for the women Discoverers and also ended up in the top six during her 100 yard breaststroke.

Overall the boys and girls competed well at state. The girls finished 7th, and the boys finished 5th. Next year will not be the same without seniors Brett Brune, Molly Smith, Teresa Thalken, and Marina Karel, but there will be twelve swimmers returning to the pool.



Junior Kelsey Newman takes a big breath before taking another stroke during the 400 meter relay.

# Team Miksch



Freshman Laura Miksch races to the finish during her 100 yard breaststroke.



Junior Ryan Miksch swims the 100 yard freestyle during a home dual.



(left) Freshman Carly Burkhardt swims the breaststroke during a home dual.

After not having diving for the last five years, CHS decided to get in the groove and start competing in diving again. Scotus had two girls on the diving team, junior Kelsey Newman and sophomore Brittany Steiner. Newman was the first to bring home some hardware for diving during the first Hastings Invite. This year was more focused on technique and getting the basic dives down.



# DIVING

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# Practice



Sophomore Marshal Obal watches other players on the green waiting for his turn to putt.



Senior Brady Vancura makes a big swing on the tee box.



Freshman Connor Lusche watches his ball fly through the air.



## Boys Golf

Sophomore Marshal Obal chips his ball on to the green.



Senior Brady Vancura bombs his tee shot.



Freshman Connor Lusche hits his tee shot.

Senior Nathan Wangler watches his ball roll toward the hole.



Junior Ryan Fehr takes a shot by the green at the Lakeview Invite.





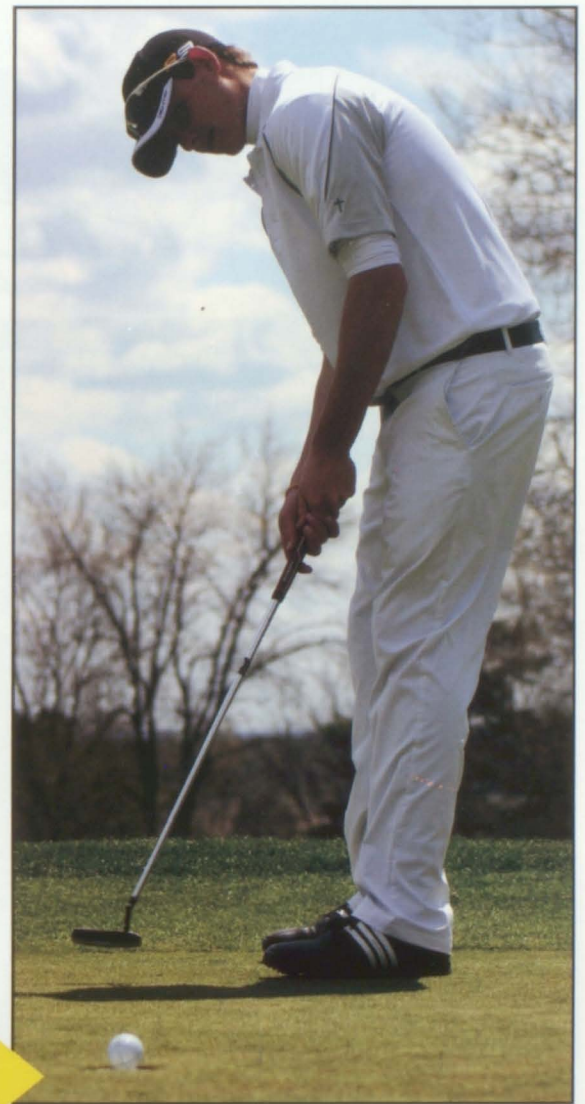
The four seniors on the 2011 golf team with Coach Dierman.



Senior Nathan Wangler watches his tee shot.



Junior Ryan Fehr looks for a good line to putt his ball.



Senior Brady Vancura drains his putt.

## Shamrock Golf

The Shamrock golf team was expected to be a great team this year after having a great season the year before. Most of the varsity team returned from the year before. One difference this year was that the team moved up to class B and would face stiffer competition. Brady Vancura was still the leading golfer on the team, but he had Nathan Wangler, Ryan Fehr, Marshal Obal, and Connor Lusche to help him lead the team to many great wins throughout the season. The varsity team held on to its record of being undefeated in duals and triangulars for the past two years. The team peaked towards the end of the season like Coach Karl Dierman was hoping. The highlight of this year's season was when the varsity team placed second in their conference tournament and also had three members of the team place in the top ten to make all-conference honors. As districts drew closer, the team felt like they were well prepared and hoped to make it back to state for a second year. The Shamrocks came up just short of their goal and placed fourth in Districts. They did not achieve their goal, but they felt like they had very successful season. Even though the team did not go to state, Brady went as an individual and won class B with a score of 70.


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# Rally

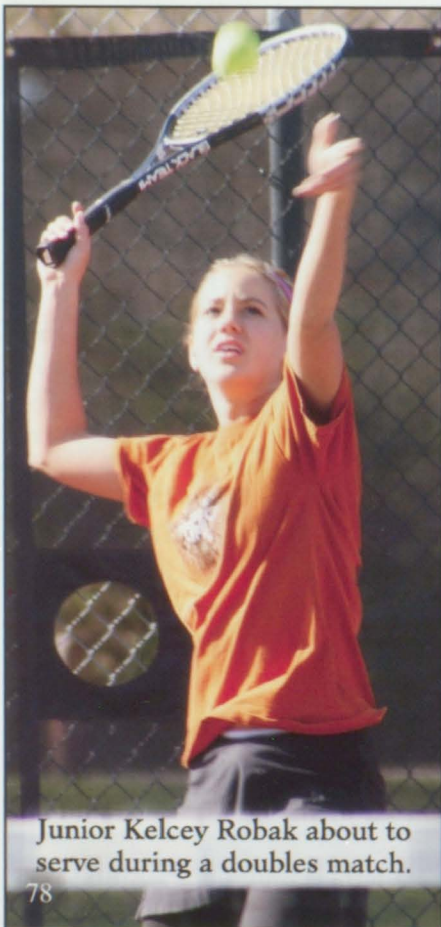
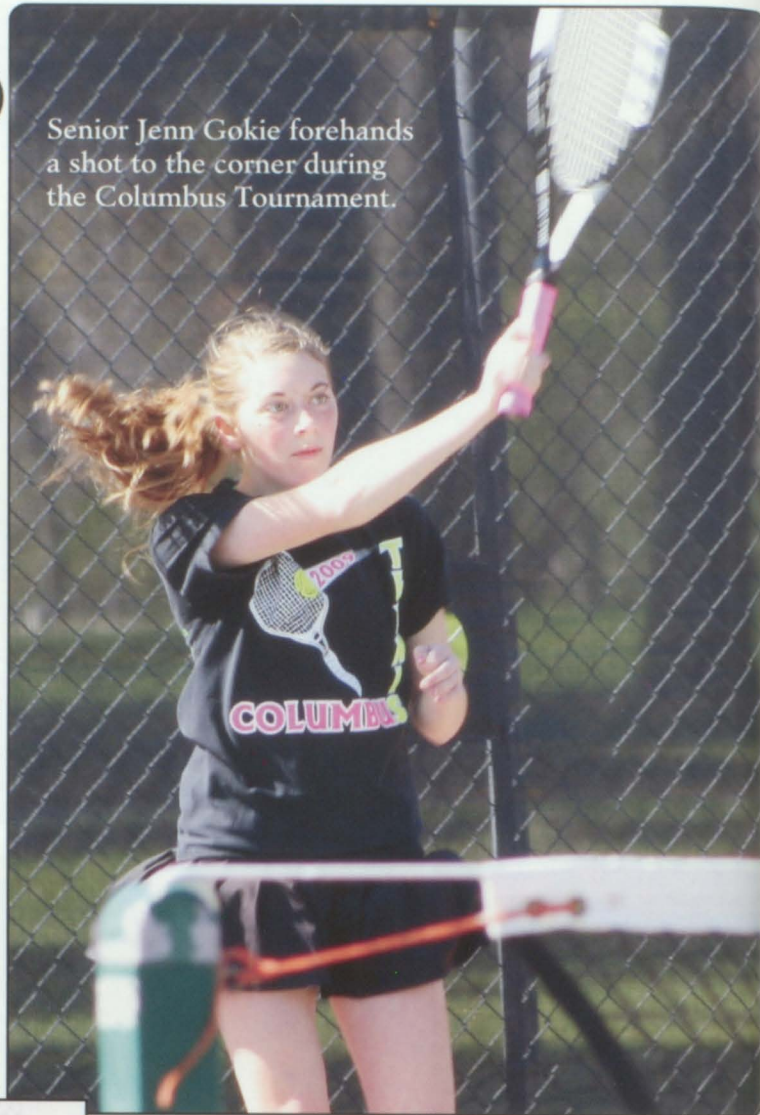
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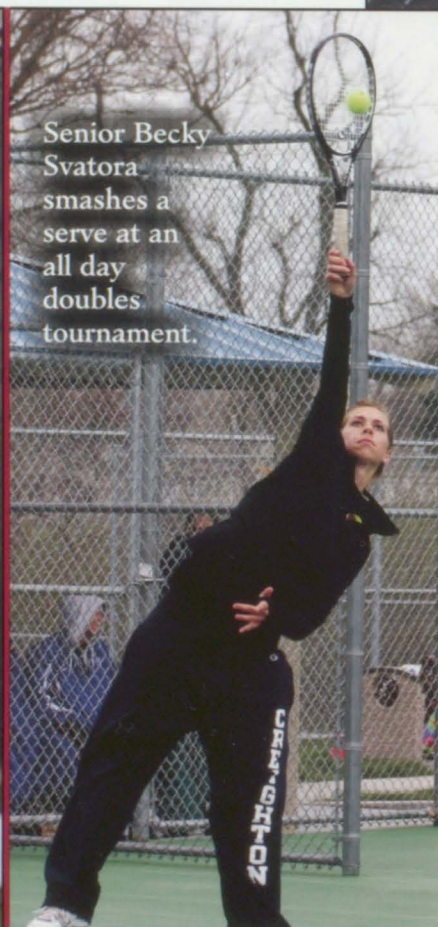
(top) Becky Svatora playing #1 doubles, (middle) Jenn Gokie playing #2 singles, and (bottom) Kelcey Robak playing #2 doubles.

||  means nothing in tennis! ||

Senior Jenn Gokie forehands a shot to the corner during the Columbus Tournament.



Junior Kelcey Robak about to serve during a doubles match.



Senior Becky Svatora smashes a serve at an all day doubles tournament.

The tennis team had more girls from Scotus than they have had in a long time. There were eight girls that made the team including freshmen Carley Foltz and Amy Price, sophomore Brittany Steiner, juniors Hannah Spenceri, Caitlin Wiehn, and Kelcey Robak, and seniors Becky Svatora and Jenn Gokie. Half of the girls who tried out were playing tennis for the first time, and it was remarkable how well they played when they started and how much they had improved by the end. One that particularly stood out was Caitlin, as she made it to the top of the junior varsity right off the bat. Another player that stood out was Jenn when she broke her second record of wins for her career ending with a total of 59 wins.

Another record was broken with the help of the entire team going 8-1 in duals for the season. All three Scotus players on varsity were seeded in the top twelve in the state. Becky playing #1 doubles ranked 12th, Kelcey playing #2 doubles ranked 12th, and Jenn playing #2 singles ranked 4th. All easily passed the first round at state. As the second round came, both Becky and Kelcey played teams ranked higher than themselves and went down fighting. Jenn played a non-ranked player and went to the third round. After a battle with Lincoln Southwest, Jenn lost in a close match. The team went farther in the state tournament this year compared to the last couple decades. 2011 was definitely a success for the girls' tennis team.

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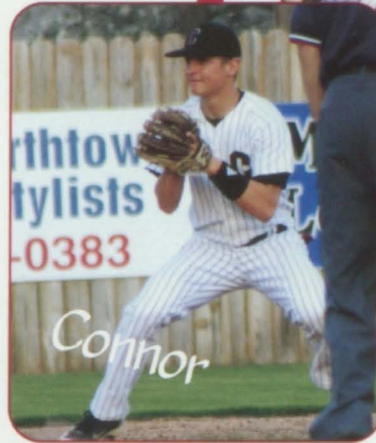
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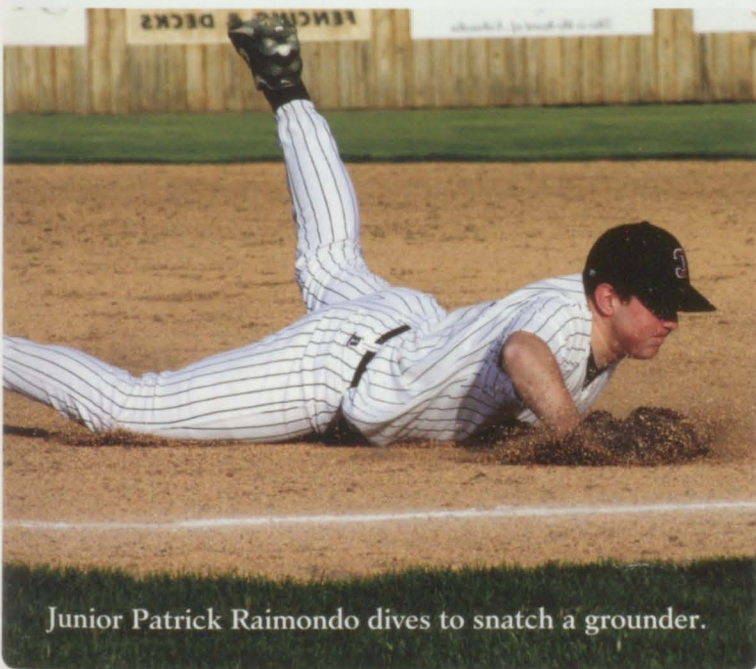
Senior Connor Sackett drops his bat as he begins to run to first base.



Connor

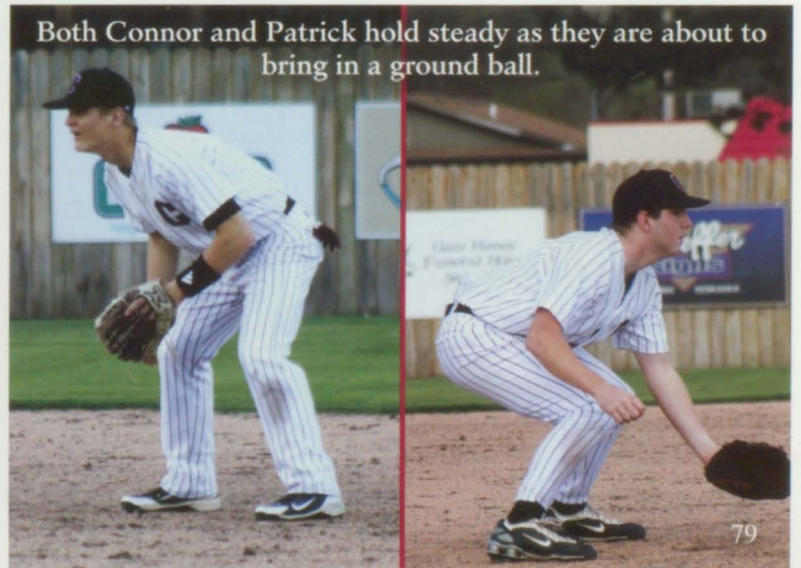
The baseball team was flooded with newcomers this year, as seven freshmen joined the team along with three sophomores, three juniors, and one senior. Out of the reserves, junior varsity, and varsity teams, the varsity definitely stood out as they ended the season with a record of 17-8. Even though there were some rough patches, the season went very well overall.

When districts rolled around, the varsity team played hard, but lost fighting in the first round 2 to 3. The lone senior, Connor Sackett shined throughout the year and was credited most valuable player. Connor was also a letter winner along with Patrick Raimondo, the only letter winners from Scotus. The Scotus players were a big help to the Discoverers baseball team and all hope to see the numbers continue in the years to come.



Junior Patrick Raimondo dives to snatch a grounder.

Both Connor and Patrick hold steady as they are about to bring in a grounder.



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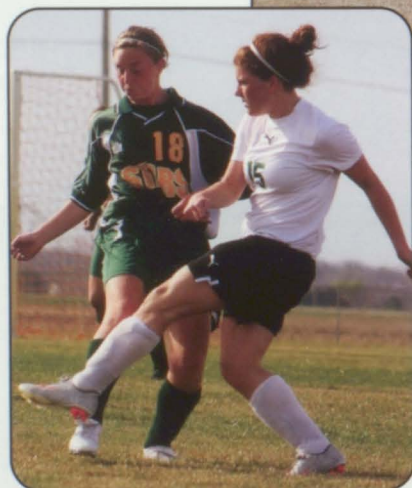
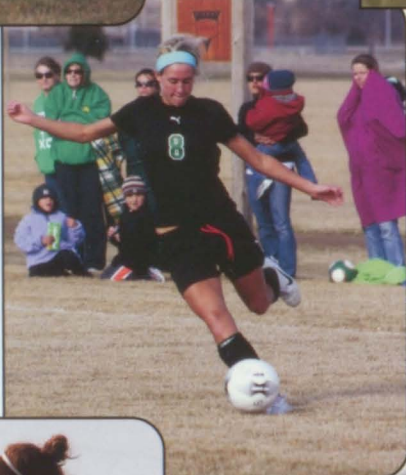


Senior Olivia Sonderman dribbles the ball around the opponent.



Sophomore Kara Moore clears the ball out of pressure during the first round of the district tournament.

Junior Rachel Rambour crosses the ball into the center of the goal hoping for a finish against Lakeview.



Sophomore Shayla Wieser passes the ball through Kearney Catholic's defender.



Senior Captain Tiffany Haney hustles to take the ball away against Elkhorn South at the Elkhorn Invite.



Coaches Kristie Brezenski, Cindy Kosch, and Fr. Roza give a pep talk during half time of the district final game at the home turf, Wilderness Park.



Junior sweeper Jordan Chohon clears the ball out of pressure in the Elkhorn Tournament where the Lady Shamrocks finished in 3rd place.

## A New Face

Last year's head coach, Kevin Stout, left the girls' soccer team and moved to Texas, leaving the reins to assistant coach, Kristie Brezenski. The players were excited to have a new coach on the staff. Senior captain Olivia Sonderman said, "I loved having Kristie as our new coach this year. She really helped us improve our ball skills, passing, shooting, and other fundamentals. I enjoyed her passion for the game too!"

Coach Brezenski was always pumping up her team before the game, on the sidelines, during half time, and after the game. All of the players loved having her coach them throughout the season and on to the state tournament.

The Shamrocks had many ups during the season. After beating the number one team in the state, Gretna, 4 to 1, they were thought to be unstoppable. The girls' soccer team was ready for any competition to come their way.

After the team won the district tournament,



After winning the district tournament against the Schuyler Warriors, the girls' soccer team celebrates by holding up the championship plaque.

the girls were off to Morrison Stadium hoping to bring home a state title. In the first round, they beat Pius X 1 to 0, taking revenge on their loss to them earlier in the season. This led to the semi final round where they played the Skutt Catholic Skyhawks. It was a disappointing end to the season when the Shamrocks lost 3 to 1.

Senior Captain Tiffany Haney said, "We had team unity which ultimately led us to the state tournament. Even though we didn't end the season as champs, I wouldn't trade the season or my team for the world. It was an awesome year!"

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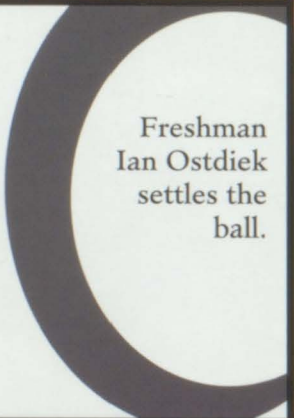
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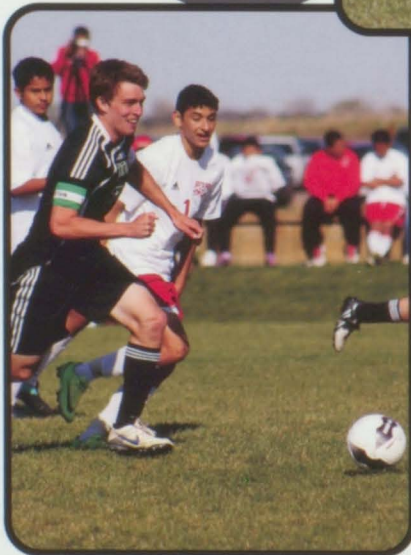
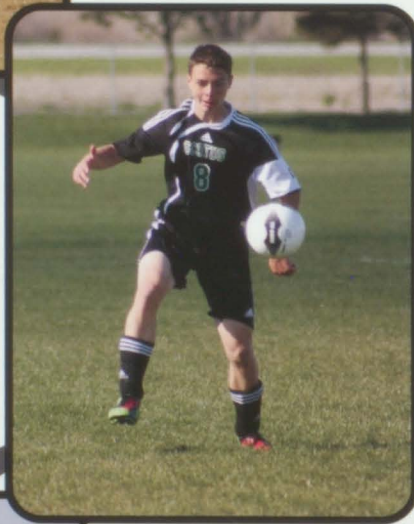
Senior Devin Iwan passes the ball up field.



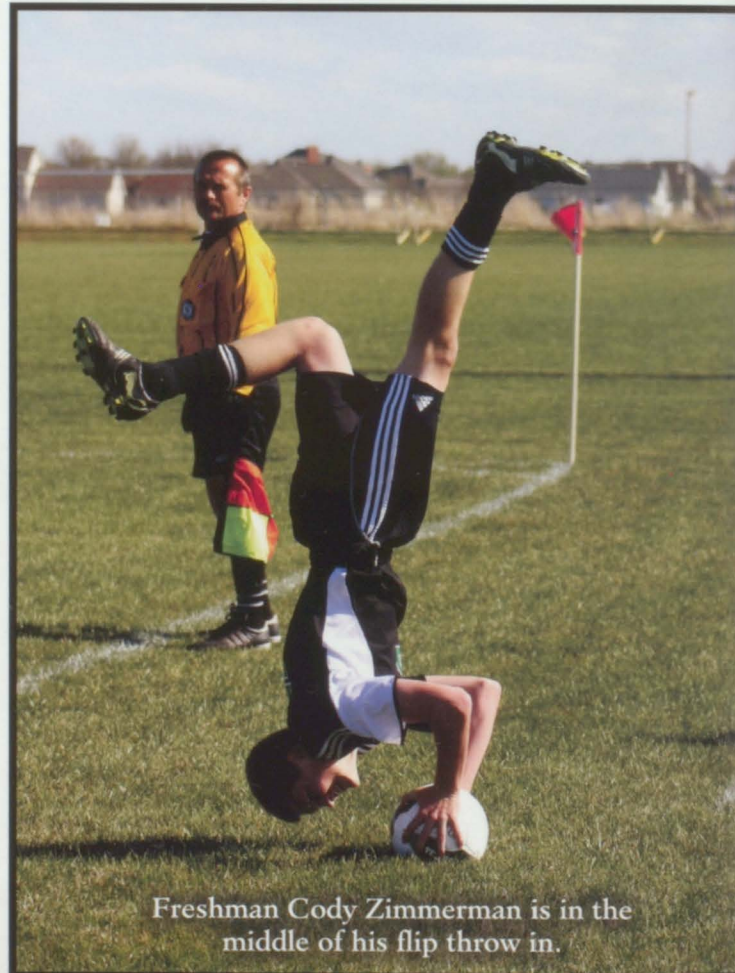
Senior Ryan Becker takes a powerful kick for a long shot down the field.



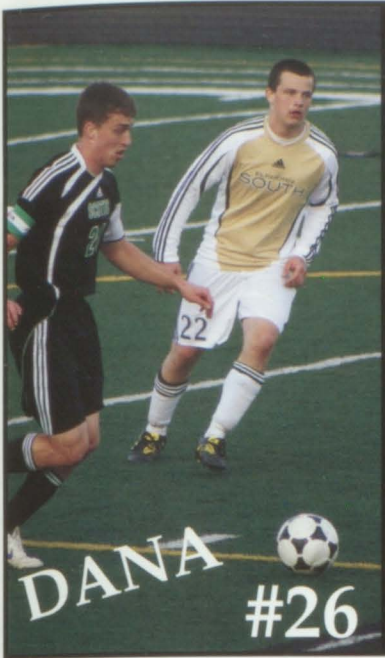
Freshman Ian Ostdiek settles the ball.



Senior Dana Fuchs runs the ball up the field while the opponents trail behind him.



Freshman Cody Zimmerman is in the middle of his flip throw in.



**DANA #26**



**DEVIN #17**



**ALEX #9**



**RYAN #7**

This year's boys' soccer team had a lot of potential but could not make all the pieces fit together. The boys went four and ten, winning their first game of the season at the Elkhorn tournament against Elkhorn South.

Junior Chris Hernandez said, "Starting off with a win I thought that we had a good shot at doing well this season, but we knew as a team we were going to have to step it up."

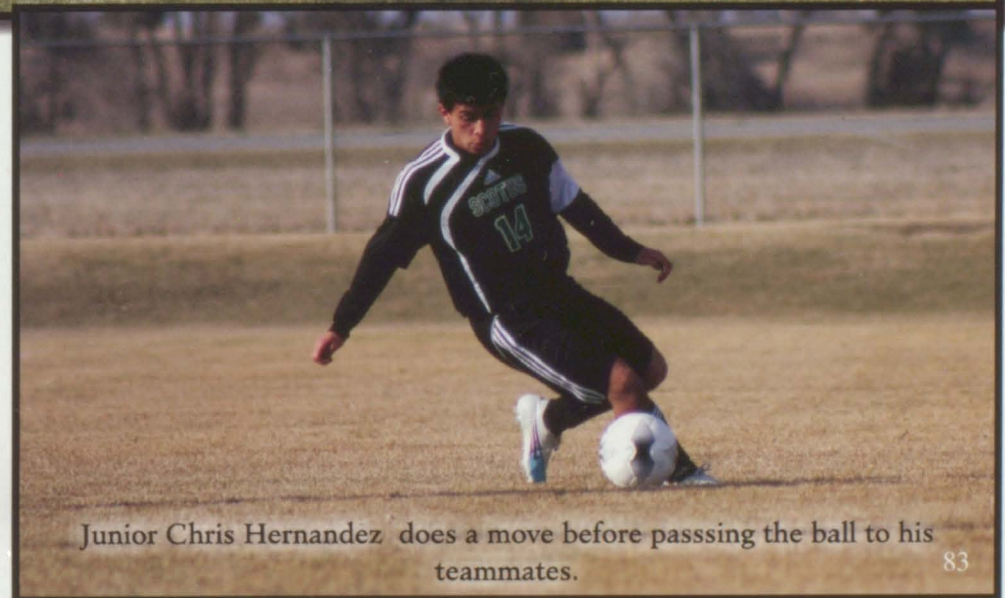
There was a great deal of competition that kept the Shamrocks on their toes. The boys ended up playing their rivals, Lakeview Vikings and Schuyler Warriors several times and could not pull away with a win.

"It seemed as if we just could not get those one or two goals in the back of the net, I swear we always lost by one," Hernandez said.

Unfortunately, they could not get past South Sioux in the first round of districts. However, the team ended the season with more experience and excitement for next year.



Senior James Euteneuer throws the ball to his teammates during a home game at Wilderness Park.



Junior Chris Hernandez does a move before passing the ball to his teammates.

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## Varsity Track and Field



Sophomore Katelyn Baumgart soars through the air as she long jumps into the pit.



(above) Freshman Laura Miksch runs the 2nd leg of the 4x4 at the state meet.  
(left) Freshman Teresa Tremel lands in the pit after triple jumping.



Sophomore Tara Starzec pole vaults at the district track meet where she qualified for state.



Freshman Kristen Ohnoutka uses her triple jumping technique as she jumps into the sand.



Freshman Brooke Olmer runs the 3rd leg of the 4x8 at districts where the team ran their fastest time.



Senior Becky Hall high jumps at the district track meet where she qualified for the state meet.



Senior Amber Ewers runs at the district track meet, where she qualified for state. At state she was the champion in the Class B 400 meter dash.



"It's a great day to be a Shamrock"



(left) Junior Stacia Rawhouser crosses the finish line after running the 100 meter dash.



Senior Kenzie Leu follows through on her shot put throw; she went to state in the shotput.

The 2011 girls' track team had to overcome diversity this year in order to be successful. With many valuable athletes out due to injuries and sickness, the team had to step up and compete. The team came out strong right away at the two indoor meets where they were the champions of both meets. They continued the rest of the season gaining three runner-ups and five more champion titles including the conference and district meets.

There were thirteen girls who went to the state meet at Burke to compete; this is the most competitors Scotus girls have had at state track for a number of years. Senior Amber Ewers received the gold medal in the 400, 3rd place in the 100, and 6th place in the 200 to finish her highschool track career. It was a great season for Scotus girls' track; no matter what: meet or practice, rain, shine, or blizzard, it was always a great day to be a Shamrock.

### 2011 Girls' State Qualifiers:

**Seniors:**

- Amber Ewers
- Becky Hall
- Kenzie Leu
- Sophomores:
- Katelyn Baumgart
- Morgan Benesch
- Bridgette Brune
- Tara Starzec
- Alyssa Foltz

**Junior:**

- Stacia Rawhouser
- Freshmen:
- Mikayla Gasper
- Laura Miksch
- Kristen Ohnoutka
- Brooke Omer

"Hurdles are something that I really hope to get better at. Its all about time and repetition. As I would say, 'They're just hurdles...GET OVER IT!' No pun intended." - Sophomore Alex Ernst



## Field Events

Junior Kade Hoefer flies high in triple jump.



Senior thrower Stephen Pandorf launches the discus.

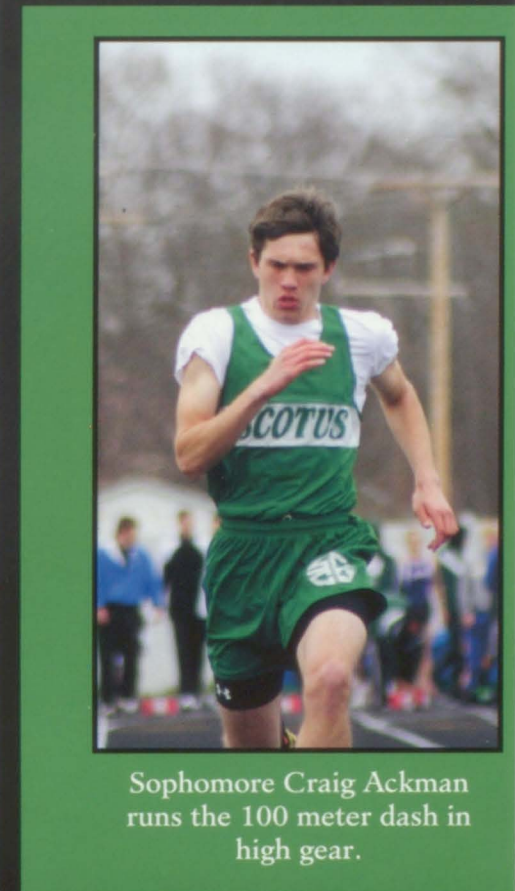
Boys' Track had a great finish to the 2011 season. The boys won the Lakeview Invite and the Boone Central Invite one after the other. Following these two victories, the boys track team continued to perform, achieving a runner up at both the conference and district track meets. The team qualified eight competitors for state, most of which were underclassmen. Junior Kade Hoefer took 7th place in triple jump followed by sophomore Derek Lahm who placed 8th in the event. Junior Alex Bolte earned 6th place in discus. This is an exciting prospect for Coach Lahm who looks forward to the boys' performance next year.

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Senior Zach Christensen competes in pole vault.



Sophomore Craig Ackman runs the 100 meter dash in high gear.

Junior Josh Spenner attempts to clear the bar in pole vault.

### State Qualifiers

- Josh Spenner - Pole Vault, 300 m Hurdles
- Joel Ostdiek - 3200 m
- Derek Lahm - Long Jump, Triple Jump, 800 m
- Ryan Miksch - 300 m Hurdles
- Joe Warth - Shot Put
- Kade Hoefler - Triple Jump
- Alex Bolte - Discus
- Austin Wortman - Discus



Sophomore Derek Lahm makes his mark in triple jump.

# State Track

## 3-9

Them	Us	
37	6	Aquinas
48	13	Battle Creek
42	7	Pierce
0	49	Raymond Central
20	3	Tekamah Herman
8	28	North Bend
40	6	David City
21	23	Lakeview
17	7	Ashland Greenwood



Front Row (L-R): Casey Kessler, Stephen Pandorf, Dana Fuchs, Levi McPhillips, Zach Christensen, Devin Iwan, Ryan Becker, Nathan Wangler, James Euteneuer  
 Second Row (L-R): Brandon Nichelson, Alex Bolte, Cody Placzek, Aaron Alexander, Austin Wortman, Ryan Ohnoutka, Josh Spenner, Kade Hoefler, Tyler Zimmerman, Levi Gasper  
 Third Row (L-R): Grant Pontow, Fritz Hoppe, Jake Kratochvil, Taylor Johnson, Nathan Schacher, Brook Frewing, Adam Strecker, Jake Gilson, Jens Paprocki, Alex Ernst  
 Fourth Row (L-R): Nick Pandorf, Brennan Brockhaus, Huang Wang, Zach Zarek, Jacob Ruskamp, Austin Wendt, Jake Huss, Derek Lahm, Joe Warth, Kyle Bonk, Ian Baumgart  
 Back Row (L-R): Coach Brezenski, Coach Krienke, Coach Brockhaus

Front Row (L-R): Phil Levos, Ryan Fuchs, Trey Wortman, Cody Zimmerman  
 Second Row (L-R): Jacob Nienaber, Anthony Zoucha, Conner Lusche, Mike Kurtenbach, Nicholas McElhose, Austin Ewers, Zach Spencer, Sean McGuire  
 Third Row (L-R): Adam Gilmore, Blake Schroeder, Alex Lyons, Jack Hoppe, Colt Clarey, Nathan Ebner, Alex Wallick



Front Row (L-R): Brandon Johnston, Trey Rombach, Jon Lovell, Boston Goodrich, Gage Speicher, Miles Putnam, Jackson Kumpf, Quinn Blaser  
 Second Row (L-R): Cole Harrington, Alec Foltz, Caleb Ostdiek, Mason Brandenburg, Justin Brockhaus, Adam Smith, Dana Hoppe, Marshall Dreifurst, Brenden Martinsen  
 Third Row (L-R): Seth Gutzmer, Jake Boss, Baeley Pelster, Zach Smith, Brady Przymus, Carson Fuchser, Ross Bonk, Bailey Braun, Sam Novicki  
 Back Row (L-R): Ryan Mustard, Jacob Wright, Justin Zoucha, Austin Svehla, Justin Shank, Tanner Spencer



Front Row(L-R): Trey Hamling, Jared Donoghue, Trevor Placzek, Grant Lahm, Joey Nyffeler, Garrit Shanle  
 Middle Row(L-R): Christian Stutzman, Jared Duren, Tucker Ramaekers, Toby Tooley, Chase Korger, Tyler Morton, Alex Pandorf  
 Back Row(L-R): Ryan Ruskamp, Teddy Paprocki, Jaime Gasper, Lucas Cox, Adam Starzec, Eduardo Lopez



## Boys' Cross Country



First Row (L-R): Ian Ostdiek, Jon Hanson, Jordan Zoucha, Chris Hernandez  
 Second Row (L-R): Coach Lahm, Dylan Kuta, Nick Preister, Joel Ostdiek, Adam Moore  
 Third Row (L-R): Ivan Chilapa, Derek Kaslon, Kevin Donoghue, Jon Otte  
 Fourth Row (L-R): Sam Thalken, Alex Beller, Brandon Hahn, Brad Steiner, Cale Albracht

### 93-25

Boone Central	5th
Lakeview, Neumann Triangular	1st
Wahoo Invitational	5th
Scotus Invitational	2nd
Boone Central Individual	2nd
UNK Invitational	7th
Aquinas Invitational	2nd
Conference @ Lincoln	3rd
Districts @ Boone Central	2nd
State @ Kearney	6th

## Girls' Cross Country



Front Row (L-R): Brooke Olmer, Catherine Swope  
 Middle Row (L-R): Coach Lahm, Tessa Stuart, Bridgette Brune, Shayla Wieser,  
 Morgan Benesch, Amber Ewers  
 Back Row (L-R): Morgan Duren, Becky Svatora, Mackenzie Paczosa

### 113-6

Boone Central	2nd
Lakeview, Neumann Triangular	1st
Wahoo Invite	1st
Scotus Invitational	1st
Boone Central Individual	1st
UNK Invite	3rd
Aquinas Invitational	2nd
Conference @ Lincoln	1st
Districts @ Boone Central	1st
State @ Kearney	2nd

# Varsity Volleyball

22-7

Arlington	W
Wahoo	W
Lakeview	W
GICC	L
North Bend	W
Hooper	W
DCA	W
Schuyler	W
York	W
Hastings	W
GINW	L
Lakeview	W
North Platte	W
CLV	W
Seward	L
Wahoo	W
St. Alberts	W
GICC	L
Lincoln Lutheran	W
Lincoln Christian	W
Hastings St. Cecelia	W
Lincoln Luthern	W
Omaha Skutt	L
Utica Centennial	W
Lakeview	W
GICC	L
Ogallala	W
GICC	L
Sandy Creek	W



Front Row (L-R): Amanda Newman, Tiffany Haney, McKenzie Leu, Olivia Sonderman, Lindsay McElhose, Becky Hall. Middle Row: Emmie Odbert, Caitlin Wiehn, Rachel Rambour, Kara Moore, Lauran Hellbusch. Back Row: student manager Bibiana Lopez, Coach Held, Jordan Chohon, Jenna Moore, Coach Petersen, Coach Tooley, and student manager Allison Jepsen.



Front Row (L-R): Hannah Harington, Emmie Odbert, Stacia Rawhouser. Middle Row: Kara Moore, Alyssa Foltz, Quinn Goodrich, Ashley Newman, Kelsey Stutzman. Back Row: Coach Held, Anna Perault, Rachel Rambour, Kyrsten Wood, Jenna Moore, Caitlin Wiehn, Coach Tooley, and student manager Bibiana Lopez.



Front Row(L-R): Carley Foltz, Allison Bos, Mikayla Gasper. Middle Row: Emily Kosch, Bre Walker, Kate Rambour, Gabrielle Paczosa. Back Row: Coach Wessel, Kristen Ohnoutka, student manager Ashlea Rinkol, Lexi Mullinix, Payton Chohon, Hannah Merrill, Jessica Martys, and Coach Blaser.



Front Row (L-R): Sam Legler, Jade Mostek, Allison Anderson, Abbie Alt, Elizabeth Preister, Sarah Slegl, Jessica Schaecher, Jamie Beauvais. Middle Row: Andrea Cardenas, Joslynn Afrank, Samantha Braun, Carly Cremers, Justina Wemhoff, Carly Larsen, Briana Kouma, Kelsey Kessler. Back Row: Kelly Kamrath, Erin Kwapnoski, Tori Rinkol, Fallon Case, Erica Ernst, Shannon Spulak, Hannah Krings, and Allison Beiermann.



Front Row (L-R): Megan Parker, Kimberly Stutzman, Kirsten Peterson, Bailey Honold, Courtney Labenz, Leah Engquist, Amy Heusinkvelt, Paige Vance, Alyson Stuart. Middle Row: Anna Wickham, Maddie Hahn, Morgan Thorson, Victoria Sprunk, Mikayla Nienaber, Jenna Zywiec, Courtney Brockhaus, Olivia Rath. Back Row: Kelsey Wiehn, Allie Johnson, Jessica Lahm, Sarah Schumacher, Maeghan Pieper, Hannah Thomazin, Megan Meyer, Jennifer Belsan, and Lydia Schaecher.

# Girls' Golf



Front Row (L-R): Jena Grubaugh, Abby Schademann, Jacy Gasper, Marina Karel. Second Row: Carrie Bartholomew, Coach Niedbalski, Nicole Gasper. Third Row: Amy Price, and Emily Allen.

Norfolk Catholic Dual	1st
Lakeview Triangular	1st
Lakeview Invite	2nd
GICC Invite	4th
Aurora Invite	1st
Blair Invite	3rd
Boone Central Triangular	2nd
Boone Central Invite	2nd
Wayne Invite	4th
Scotus Invite	1st
Oakland-Craig Invite	1st
Districts	2nd
State	3rd

# Boys' Golf



Front row (L-R): Manager Marshall Dreifurst, Anthony Smith, Conner Lusche, Michael Kurtenbach, Alex Lyons, Adam Gilmore, Blake Schroeder, and Conner Moran. Back row: Mike Albin, Nathan Wangler, Jon Otte, Casey Kessler, Brady Vancura, Ryan Fehr, Jake Kratochvil, Seth Janicek, Marshal Obal, and Coach Dierman.

Pius Invite	5th
HSF Dual	1st
Ashland Invite	7th
Staton Dual	1st
Schuyler Dual	1st
Scotus Invite	3rd
Twin River Dual	1st
Lakeview Invite	4th
David City Triangular	1st
Hooper Logan View Invite	3rd
Centennial Conference	2nd
Hill Valley Cup	2nd
Districts	4th
State	1st

# Girls' Basketball

## 14-10

St. Cecilia	L	32-41
West Point CC	L	31-43
GICC	L	32-36
Concordia	L	37-39
Pierce	W	36-21
Battle Creek	W	36-28
Wayne	W	50-37
Twin River	L	28-30
Schuyler	W	38-24
Bishop Neumann	L	33-40
Schuyler	W	59-27
Lincoln Christian	L	38-51
Norfolk Catholic	W	44-39
Boone Central	W	46-43
St. Albert	W	46-26
Aquinas	L	28-37
Lincoln Lutheran	W	40-18
Aquinas	W	45-39
Lutheran High NE	L	40-54
Lakeview	W	53-32
Lincoln Lutheran	W	35-29
Lakeview	W	37-15
Raymond Central	W	42-18
St. Cecilia	L	31-33



Front Row(L-R): Emmie Odbert, Kara Moore, Katie Ohnoutka  
 Middle Row(L-R): Morgan Duren, Tiffany Haney, Rebecca Hall, Alyssa Foltz  
 Back Row(L-R): Coach Petersen, McKenzie Leu, Coach Coulter, Steph Jarecke, Jordan Chohon, Anna Perault, Coach Ridder, Caitlin Wiehn, and student manager Kelly Augustine.



Front Row(L-R): Lexi Mullinex, Kara Moore, Carley Foltz, Kristen Ohnoutka, Morgan Benesch  
 Back Row(L-R): Coach Coulter, Emmie Odbert, Steph Jaraecke, Kyrsten Wood, Payton Chohon, Anna Perault, Caitlin Wiehn, and student manager Kelly Augustine.



Front Row(L-R): Kristen Ohnoutka, Alli Bos, Gabriella Paczosa, Carley Foltz  
 Back Row(L-R): Coach Petersen, Megan Miksch, Shelby Beller, Payton Chohon, Lexi Mullinex, and Teresa Tremel.



Front Row(L-R): Elizabeth Preister, Sam Legler, Jessica Schaecher, Jaimee Beauvais,  
 Middle Row(L-R): Briana Kouma, Hannah Krings, Sara Slegl, Kelsey Kessler,  
 Allison Beiermann,  
 Back Row(L-R): Justina Wemhoff, Erica Ernst, Shannnon Spulak, and Abbie Alt.



Front Row(L-R): Eeve Birkel, Jennifer Belsan, Mikayla Neinaber, Hannah Thomazin, Megan Meyer  
 2nd Row(L-R): Alli Johnson, Kimberley Stutzman, Olivia Rath, Courtney Brockhaus, Alyson Stuart  
 3rd Row(L-R): Jessica Lahm, Meghan Pieper, Morgan Thorson, Sara Schumacher  
 Back Row(L-R): Kelsey Wiehn, Maddie Hahn, Anna Wickham, and Bailey Honold.



# Boys' Basketball



Front Row(L-R): Taylor Johnson, Brennan Brockhaus, Nick Preister  
 Middle Row(L-R): Derek Lahm, Josh Spenner, Conner Sackett, Jacob Huss, Ryan Ohnoutka  
 Back Row(L-R): Coach Ohnoutka, Aaron Alexander, Levi Gasper, Alex Bolte, Brady Vancura, Zach Christensen, and Coach Sasges.

## 9-14

St. Cecilia	W	40-35
West Point CC	L	40-65
GICC	L	35-54
Concordia	W	63-38
Pierce	L	34-47
Battle Creek	W	45-41
Wayne	L	51-75
Twin River	L	50-59
Schuyler	W	35-34
Lincoln Christian	W	38-29
Norfolk Catholic	L	41-57
Boone Central	L	45-68
Archbishop Bergan	W	68-61
St. Cecilia	L	54-65
Mount Michael	L	38-52
Benedictine	L	27-52
Bishop Neumann	L	44-65
Lutheran High NE	W	56-47
Wahoo	L	40-64
Lincoln Lutheran	L	42-52
Lakeview	W	59-47
Aquinas	W	49-43
Lakeview	L	40-45



Front Row(L-R): Taylor Johnson, Nick Preister  
 Middle Row(L-R): Brennan Brockhaus, Dylan Kuta, Jacob Ruskamp  
 Back Row(L-R): Coach Vun Cannon, Nathan Ebner, Aaron Alexander, Levi Gasper, Adam Strecker, Jake Huss, and Coach Sasges.



Front Row(L-R): Alex Lyons, Ian Ostdiek, Ryan Fuchs, Colt Clarey, Cody Zimmerman, Peter Dolezal,  
 Back Row(L-R): Coach Brockhaus, Nicholas McElhose, Jack Hoppe, Derek Kaslon, Anthony Zoucha, Nathan Ebner, and Jacob Nienaber.



Front Row(L-R): Joey Nyffeler, Joseph Sonderman, Riley Gilson, Alex Dolezal, Tyler Morton, Jared Donoghue  
 Middle Row(L-R): Christian Stutzman, Cade Nichelson, Tucker Ramaekers, Toby Tooley, Jared Duren, Noah Schacher  
 Back Row(L-R): Ryan Ruskamp, Jaime Gasper, Grant Lahm, Garrit Shanle, Lucas Cox, and Eduardo Lopez.



Front Row(L-R): Brandon Johnston, Austin Svehla, Jacob Wright, Adam Smith, Bailey Braun  
 2nd Row(L-R): Justin Zoucha, Quinn Blaser, Tanner Spenceri, Dana Hoppe, Justin Brockhaus  
 3rd Row(L-R): Caleb Ostdiek, Cole Harrington, Miles Putnam, Brady Przymus, Sam Novicki  
 Back Row(L-R): Jake Bos, Brenden Martinsen, and Ryan Mustard.

## Softball

24-10

1-1 Lincoln Northeast  
 2-1 LPS Invite  
 W Schuyler  
 2-0 Lincoln North Star  
 1-2 Norfolk  
 2-0 Lincoln East  
 2-0 Lincoln High  
 6th Columbus Tournament  
 L Lincoln Pius X  
 1-1 Grand Island  
 2-0 Kearney  
 2-0 Norfolk  
 2-0 Fremont  
 1st Conference  
 2nd Districts



Front Row (L-R): Kelsey Newman, Jenny Ryan, Sammy Patocka-Brewster. Back Row: Alivia Galley, Claire Fuchser, Steph Jarecke, Teresa Tremel, Laura Miksch.

## Baseball

17-9

W Norfolk  
 1-1 Mount Michael  
 0-2 Skutt  
 2-0 Lincoln East  
 2-0 Grand Island  
 L Norris  
 W Elkhorn South  
 W South Sioux  
 W Waverly  
 W WP Catholic  
 2-0 Gross  
 2-0 Platte Valley  
 W Blair  
 2-0 Bergan  
 W Omaha South  
 W Norfolk  
 0-2 Lincoln Northeast  
 2-0 Wayne  
 L Lincoln Southeast  
 W Pius  
 2-0 Lincoln High Tourney  
 1-1 Omaha North  
 W Grand Island  
 L Lincoln East



Front Row (L-R): Jacob Nienaber, Aaron Alexander, Patrick Raimondo, Connor Sackett, Levi Gasper, Cole Alexander. Back Row: Colt Clarey, Jacob Ruskamp, Derek Kaslon, Ian Baumgart, Austin Wendt, Nathan Ebner, Austin Ewers, Nick McElhose.

## Girls' Tennis



Front Row (L-R): Carley Foltz, Hannah Spenceri, Jenn Gokie, Amy Price. Back Row: Kelcey Robak, Caitlin Wiehn, Becky Svatora, Brittany Steiner.

### Tennis

Norfolk	W
Lincoln Southeast	L
Grand Island	W
Hastings	W
Kearney Invite	4th
Fremont	W
Lincoln North Star	W
Columbus Invite	2nd
Capital City Invite	2nd
Lincoln	W
Gnac Tourney	3rd
York	W
Lincoln Northeast	W

## Boys' Tennis



(L-R): Trenton Kuta, Ryan Fehr, Craig Ackman, Mark Ternus.

### Tennis

Grand Island	L
Elkhorn/Elhorn Inv	3rd
Elkhorn	L
Lexington	L
Holdrege	L
Kearney	L
Fremont Invite	8th
Norfolk	L
Papillion LaVista Inv	21st
Lincoln North Star	5th
Norfolk	W
Conference	6th
Big Tree Tourney	L
State	17th

# Boys' Soccer

4-10

Them Us

0	4	Elkhorn SE
5	0	Skutt
3	1	Lakeview
1	2	York
1	3	Pius
1	2	Lincoln Luthern
2	3	Lincoln NE
0	7	Kearney Catholic
1	7	GICC
2	0	MT Michael
6	0	Schuyler
5	0	Schuyler
3	2	Westside
5	0	South Sioux City



Front Row (L-R): Chris Hernandez, Cody Zimmerman, Ian Robak, Zach Zarek, Zach Jepsen, Peter Dolezal. Second Row: Coach Hake, Ryan Becker, James Euteneuer, Jake Gilson, Taylor Johnson, Dylan Kuta, Ryan Fuchs, Ian Ostdiek. Back Row: Father Roza, Nick Pandorf, Jake Huss, Mike Wang, Alex Beller, Devin Iwan, Dana Fuchs, Tony Zoucha, Coach Brezenski.

# Girls' Soccer

14-3

Them Us

2	0	Elkhorn South
0	3	Skutt
0	1	Lakeview
0	1	York
1	0	Pius
1	8	Lincoln Luthern
0	7	Lincoln NE
0	8	Kearney Catholic
0	4	Omaha Duchesne
1	4	Gretna
0	3	Schuyler
0	3	Schuyler
2	3	Westside
0	6	Blair
0	4	Schuyler
0	1	Pius
3	1	Skutt



Front Row (L-R): Morgan Thorson, Kelcey Stutzman, Tiffany Haney, Morgan Duren, Hannah Schaecher, Lindsay Staroscik, Olivia Sonderman, Catherine Swope, Sarah Slegl. Middle Row: Kara Moore, Sam Slegl, Steph Jarecke, Jordon Chohon, Bailey Honold, Jenna Moore, Rachel Rambour, Kelsey Newman, Shayla Wieser. Back Row: Emily Kosch, Hannah Harrington, Kayla Rinkol, Coach Brezenski, Alexus Mullinix, Payton Chohon, Coach Kosch, Lauran Hellbusch, Father Roza, Kate Rambour, Alli Bos, Gabrielle Paczosa.

## Boys' Track



Front Row (L-R): Jordan Zoucha, Alex Wallick, Zach Spencer, Phil Levos, Brandon Cook, Nick Preister, Joel Ostdiek, Ivan Chilapa, Nick Modde, Brennan Brockhaus, Brook Frewing. Middle Row: Coach Starzec, Josh Spenner, Jack Hoppe, Kade Hoefler, Craig Ackman, Zach Christensen, Thomas Schumacher, Ryan Miksch, Alex Ernst, Adam Strecker, Derek Lahm, Ryan Ohnoutka, Austin Wortman, Trey Wortman, Coach Grubaugh. Back Row: Coach Tooley, Coach Lahm, Brad Steiner, Brandon Nichelson, Cale Albracht, Stephen Pandorf, Cody Placzek, Alex Bolte, Brandon Hahn, Joe Warth, Kyle Bonk, Fritz Hoppe, Coach Krienke, Coach Wessel.

### Boys

Concordia	6th
Wesleyan	1st
Scotus Relays	4th
Wayne	3rd
KC Meet	3rd
Schuyler	4th
Lakeview	1st
Boone Quad	1st
Conference	2nd
Districts	2nd

## Girls' Track



Front Row (L-R): Kelly Augustine, Jacy Gasper, Lindsay McElhose, Rebecca Hall, McKenzie Leu, Amber Ewers, Sara Dolezal. Second Row: Coach Starzec, Quinn Goodrich, Brooke Olmer, Katelyn Baumgart, Claire Fuchser, Bridgette Brune, Bre Walker, Teresa Tremel, Kristen Ohnoutka, Tara Starzec, Coach Wessel. Third Row: Coach Tooley, Morgan Benesch, Tessa Stuart, Stacia Rawhouser, Samantha Patocka-Brewster, Angie Wieser, Mikayla Gasper, Jill Bonk, Laura Miksch, Alivia Galley, Melissa Diamond, Emmie Odbert, Coach Grubaugh. Back Row: Coach Lahm, Summer Kresha, Alyssa Foltz, Melissa Thalken, Charissa Zuerlein, Krysten Wood, Ashlea Rinkol, Mackenzie Paczosa, Megan Wright, Emily Allen, Jessica Martys, Coach Krienke.

### Girls

Concordia	1st
Wesleyan	1st
Scotus Relays	2nd
Wayne	1st
KC Meet	2nd
Schuyler	2nd
Lakeview	1st
Boone Quad	1st
Conference	1st
Districts	1st

# Swimming



Front Row (L-R): Molly Smith, Kelsey Newman, Brittany Steiner, Liz Smith, Megan Wright. Seond Row: Theresa Thalken, Marina Karel, Katie Breidenbach, Shayla Wieser, Bridgette Brune, Melissa Thalken. Third Row: Laura Miksch, Emily Allen, Carly Burkhardt, Jill Bonk, Catherine Swope. Back Row: Zach Spencer, Ryan Miksch, Brett Brune, Brandon Hahn.

Boys			
Fremont Dual	W	Norfolk Dual	L
Hastings Invite	4th	Grand Island Dual	W
Elkhorn Invite	2nd	Millard South Invite	6th
South Sioux City Dual	W	Pius X Invite	W
Lincoln High Dual	W	Conference	3rd
Beatrice Dual	W	State	5th
Hastings Dual	W		

Girls			
Fremont Dual	W	Beatrice Dual	W
HASTINGS Invite	2nd	Hasting Dual	W
CHS Relays	1st Tie	Norfolk Dual	L
Elkhorn Invite	5th	Grand Island Dual	W
South Sioux City Dual	W	Pius Dual	W
Lincoln High Dual	W	Conference	2nd
Millard North Invite	5th	State	5th



Front Row (L-R): Marshall Dreifurst, Gage Speicher, Mason Brandenburg, Alec Foltz, Cole Harrington, Toby Tooley, Tanner Spencer. Middle Row: Riley Gilson, Christian Stutzman, Baeley Pelster, Jackson Kumpf, Michael McGuire, Dana Hoppe, Nathan Tworek, Joey Nyffeler. Back Row: Coach Brandenburg, Coach Gutzmer, Quinn Blaser, Seth Gutzmer, Lucas Cox, Ryan Mustard, Brady Przymus, Boston Goodrich, Jake Bos, Coach Dodson.

# Junior High



7th Grade Track

Front Row (L-R): Brady Przymus, Ryan Mustard, Adam Smith, Carson Fuscher, Darin Rinkel, Ross Bonk. Second Row: Quinn Blaser, Jackson Kumpf, Justin Shanle, Alec Foltz, Dana Hoppe, Justin Brockhaus, Tanner Spencer, Baeley Pelster. Back Row: Cody Siemek, Mason Brandenburg, Austin Svehla, Jared Hanson, Justin Zoucha, Zach Smith, Paul Swope, Cole Harrington, Boston Goodrich, Gage Speicher, Bailey Braun, Jonathan Lovell.



Front Row (L-R): Jenna Zywiec, Jennifer Belsan, Eeve Birkel, Lydia Schaecher, Kirsten Peterson, Mikayla Nienaber, Olivia Rath, Savannah Robertson. Middle Row: Victoria Sprunk, Leah Engquist, Paige Vance, Megan Parker, Courtney Brockhaus, Maddie Hahn, Allie Johnson, Anna Wickham. Back Row: Emma Zeller, Amy Heusinkvelt, Rachel Miksch, Alyson Stuart, Courtney Labenz, Jessica Lahm, Kelsey Wiehn.



8th Grade Track

Front Row (L-R): Queze Campos, Michael McGuire, Jared Donoghue, Keaton Swanson, Joseph Sonderman, Chase Korger, Toby Tooley, Joseph Nyffeler, Jared Duren. Second Row: Adam Starzec, Trevor Placzek, Lucas Cox, Grant Lahm, Jaime Gasper, Ryan Steiner, Ryan Ruskamp, Mac Mapes. Back Row: Trey Hamling, Trevor Pandorf, Eduardo Lopez, Garrit Shanle, Teddy Paprocki.



Front Row (L-R): Kelsey Kessler, Allison Beiermann, Elizabeth Preister, Jaimee Beauvais. Second Row: Abbie Alt, Shannon Spulak, Abby Allen, Briana Kouma, Samantha Legler. Back Row: Justina Wemhoff, Erica Ernst, Hannah Krings, Tori Rinkol, Jordan Engel, Sam Braun.



The "blacked out" student section jerks around a loop de loop during the roller coaster cheer at state volleyball finals.



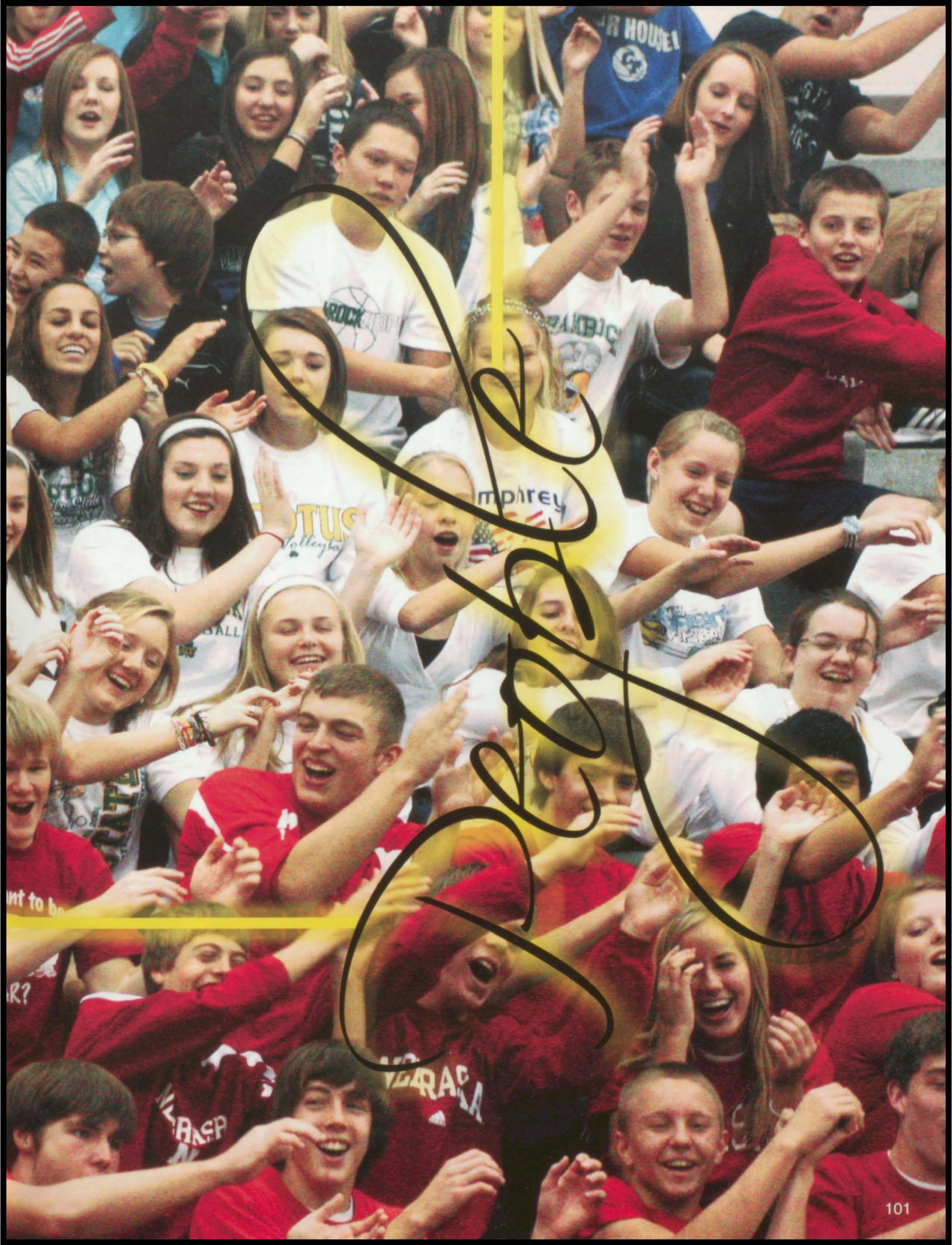
Seniors James Euteneur, Levi McPhillips, and Bill Cremers lead the Green Machine in singing "Table of Plenty".



Sophomore Tessa Stuart and juniors Brandon Nichelson, Brad Steiner, and Jenna Dubas shout excitedly during a heated rally.







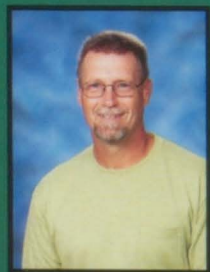
Has anything popular or any kind of fashion come back into style that you had while you were in high school?



"Wearing long sleeved shirts under short sleeved shirts."  
- Mrs. Tooley



"Empire waists and high kneed boots."  
- Mrs. Shadle



"Low rise pants, hip huggers."  
- Mr. Lahm

one two three four five six seven eight nine ten eleven twelve

# Faculty



Shelly Adams  
Karen Beck



Sandie Bernt  
Julie Blaser  
Gail Bomar



Patrick Brockhaus  
Wade Coulter  
Kristen Cox  
Jane Dusel-Misfeldt



Teachers "grow" with their years of service.





Diane Kudron  
Joan Lahm  
Merlin Lahm  
Oliver Loseke  
Peg Morfeld  
Wayne Morfeld



E.J. Gardner  
Ed Goerlinger  
Annette Hash  
Cathy Hoops  
Carmen Johnson  
Kathy Kruse



Deb Ohnoutka  
Jeff Ohnoutka  
Larry Pallis  
John Petersen  
Anneliese Ploetz  
Cathy Podliska



Gary Puetz  
Cheryl Rambour  
Stephanie Ress  
Angie Rusher  
Patti Salyard  
Thomas Salyard



Aaron Sasges  
Kelly Schaad  
Nancy Shadle  
Janet Tooley  
Pam Weir  
Vern Younger

What's the  
craziest, funniest,  
or most  
embarrassing  
thing that has  
happened to you  
at school?



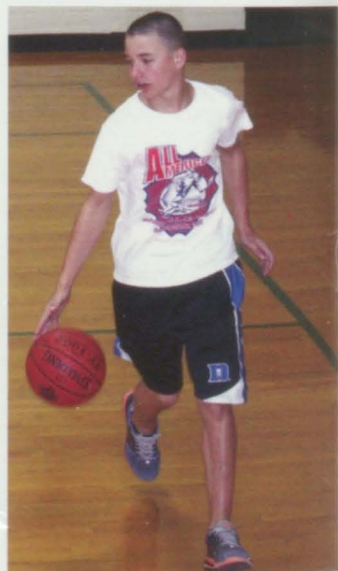
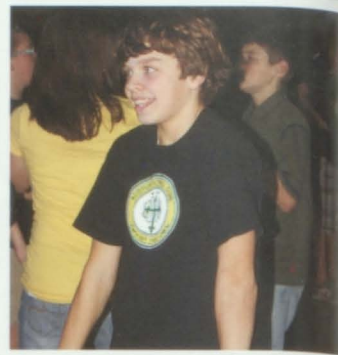
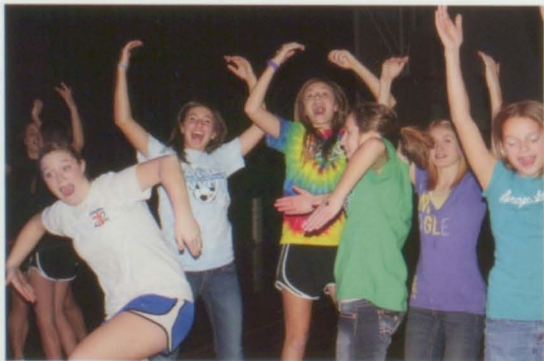
"Getting a ride  
on Ed  
Goerlinger's  
Harley Davidson  
motor cycle  
during a pep rally!  
- Mrs. Shadle

Where's Fr. Roza?



Fr. Roza has  
been excluded  
from the school  
picture group  
because he has  
failed to take a  
school picture  
for the past 2  
years.

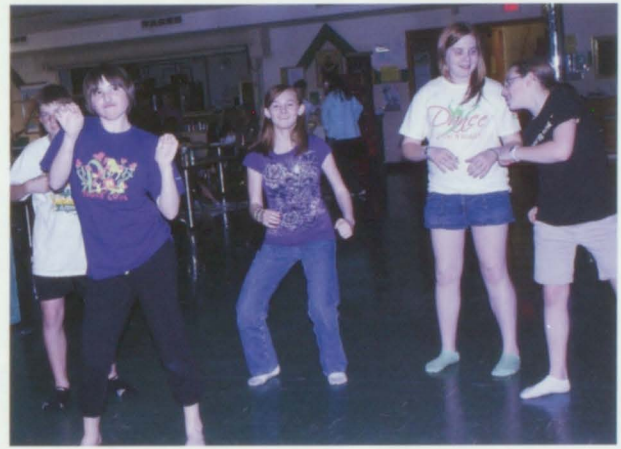
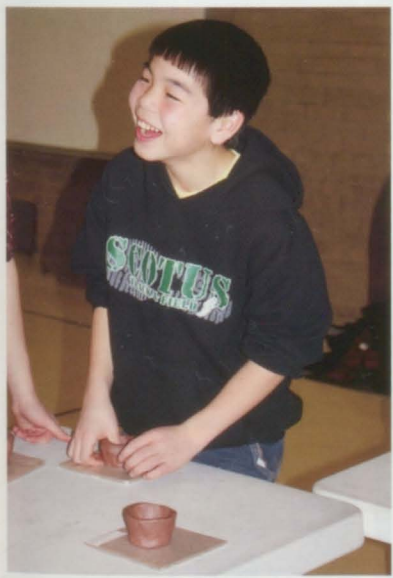
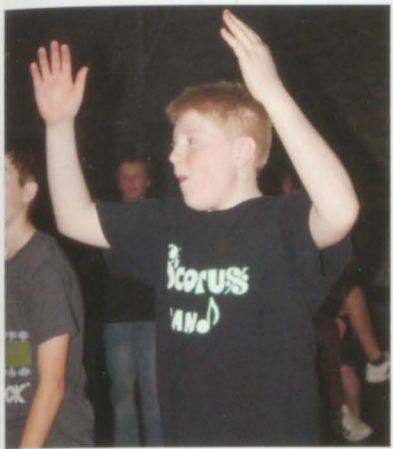




2010

Junior  
High

2011



Describe a trait that most people don't know about you.



"My birthmark is almost half of my back."  
- Keleey Wiehn



"I have a secret hideout, and you will never find it. Hahaha!"  
- Gage Speicher



"I like some girly movies and shows."  
- Cole Harrington

# Seventh Grade

Going from being the oldest in elementary school to the youngest in high school can be quite a scary thought, but for this seventh grade class it was a great new experience. The seventh graders filled the halls on orientation day trying to open their locks, shoving their supplies into the lockers, and memorizing the classrooms so they would not get lost the next day. Even though coming to a new school can be stressful, it is also exciting.

Adam Smith stated some of the good things that come with being a seventh

grader. "Lockers make it so much easier to organize and find all my supplies and books."

However, it was not just the handy lockers that made coming to Scotus so much better. Courtney Brockhaus stated, "I've made a lot of new friends here, and I also still get to be with my old friends too."

Now that the seventh graders have made their transition into Scotus, they are given the responsibility and independence that comes along with it, and from what they have to say, they are ready for it.



Christoffer Archer  
Jennifer Belsan  
Eevee Birkel  
Quinn Blaser  
Ross Bonk  
Jake Bos

Analise Bose  
Mason Brandenburg  
Bailey Braun  
Courtney Brockhaus  
Justin Brockhaus  
Marshall Dreifurst



Leah Engquist  
Alec Foltz  
Carson Fuchser  
Boston Goodrich  
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Bailey Honold  
Dana Hoppe  
Allie Johnson





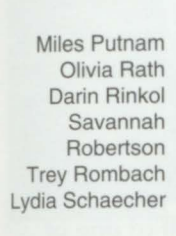
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Rachel Miksch  
Ryan Mustard  
Mikayla Nienaber  
Sam Novicki



Brandon Johnston  
Jackson Kumpf  
Courtney Labenz  
Jessica Lahm  
Jonathan Lovell  
Brenden Martinsen



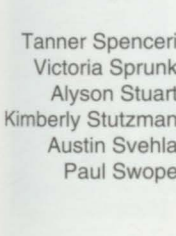
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Megan Parker  
Baeley Pelster  
Kirsten Peterson  
Maeghan Pieper  
Brady Przymus



Miles Putnam  
Olivia Rath  
Darin Rinkoh  
Savannah  
Robertson  
Trey Rombach  
Lydia Schaecher



Sarah  
Schumacher  
Justin Shanle  
Cody Siemek  
Zach Smith  
Adam Smith  
Gage Speicher



Tanner Spenceri  
Victoria Sprunk  
Alyson Stuart  
Kimberly Stutzman  
Austin Svehla  
Paul Swope



Hannah Thomazin  
Morgan Thorson  
Nathan Tworek  
Paige Vance  
Anna Wickham  
Kelsey Wiehn

# Class of 2016

Jacob Wright  
Emma Zeller  
Justin Zoucha  
Jenna Zywiec



If you could  
have any super  
power what  
would it be?



"Transform into  
a plane."  
- Alec Foltz



"Super Speed!"  
- Miles Putnam



"Teleconiosis or  
invisibility or  
both!"  
- Megan Meyer

If you were in control of the world for one day, what is the first thing you would do?



"I would give everyone cake because everyone loves cake!"  
-Jaime Gaepfer



"Make P.E. illegal."  
-Nieve Johnson

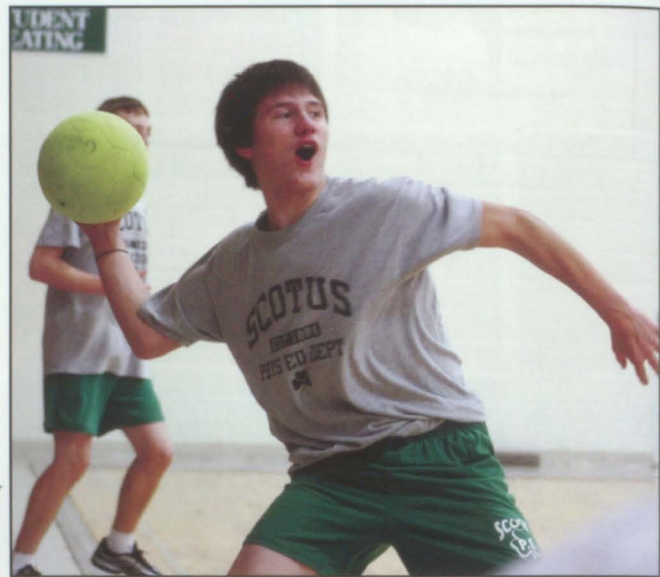


"Get my bunny back!"  
-Kelsey Kessler



# Eighth Grade

An activity that is continuously on the eighth graders mind this year come P.E. time is the new and exciting game of matball. Matball is an activity that derives from the game of kickball, but has some extra twists and rules that the players have to follow. Instead of running around the bases once, the players must run around the bases twice. The bases that are normally used in kickball are changed as well. The players use the tumbling mats instead of baseball bases, and they must keep both feet on the mat or they are forced to run to the next spot. When talking with the eighth graders, they were ecstatic about the game, and they stated how every time P.E. comes



Lucas Cox gets ready to throw the ball to one of his teammates during the famous P.E. game of matball.

around, they hope and wish that is is the day where they get the chance to play the game they love and adore so much.



Samantha Braun  
Queze Campos  
Andrea Cardenas  
Zoe Casarez  
Fallon Case  
Lucas Cox



Joslynn Afrank  
Abby Allen  
Abbie Alt  
Allie Anderson  
Jaimee Beauvais  
Allison Beiermann



Carly Cremers  
Alex Dolezal  
Jared Donoghue  
Jared Duren  
Jordan Engel  
Erica Ernst



Jaime Gasper  
Riley Gilson  
Trey Hamling  
Nieve Johnson  
Kelly Kamrath  
Kelsey Kessler



Chase Korga  
Briana Kouma  
Hannah Krings  
Erin Kwapnoski  
Grant Lahm  
Cally Larsen

Sam Legler  
Eduardo Lopez  
Mac Mapes  
Michael McGuire  
Tyler Morton  
Jade Mostek



Cade Nichelson  
Joey Nyffeler  
Trevor Pandorf  
Alex Pandorf  
Teddy Paprocki  
Trevor Placzek

Elizabeth Preister  
Tucker Ramaekers  
Tori Rinkol  
Ryan Ruskamp  
Noah Schacher  
Jessica Schaecher



Garrit Shanle  
Sarah Slegl  
Joe Sonderman  
Shannon Spulak  
Jainaha Srikumar  
Adam Starzec

Ryan Steiner  
Christian Stutzman  
Keaton Swanson  
Toby Tooley  
Amme Walnofer  
Justina Wemhoff



# Class of 2015

What is one thing  
you really want  
to do before you  
die?



"I wanna see a  
Chinese guy  
jump out of my  
trunk and beat  
me up!"  
-Alex Pandorf



"Go storm-  
chasing."  
-Samantha Braun



"Get an RV filled  
with pudding and  
pick up homeless  
people."  
-Allie Anderson

If you had to live with one person from Scotus for the next 10 years, who would it be?



"Mrs. Shadle because she's very creative and we always have nice conversations."  
-Emily Kosch



"Fr. Roza because Jesus and him have a special connection."  
-Liz Smith



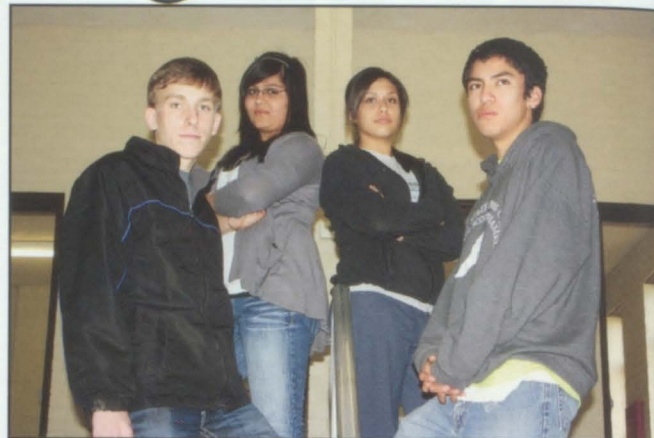
"Mrs. Johnson because she will tell me that everything will be okaaaaaaaaaay."  
-Sean McGuire



"Mrs. Rambour because you will never get bored."  
-Valerie Borer

# ! Ninth Grade

Freshman year is always a time for a new start, especially for those who are at a whole new school. Four students in the freshmen class experienced a brand new beginning when they enrolled at Scotus this year. Luckily for Scotus students, adjusting to high school is not too difficult. Clare Bohac came to Scotus for a better education and realized that it was easy to adjust especially because of the helpful teachers. Clare and Jordan came from Schuyler while Ivan transferred



The new freshmen, Jordan Zoucha, Manali Patel, Clare Bohac, and Ivan Chilapa, show their attitude from the public school system, and Manali came from Immanuel Lutheran. Scotus students are welcoming overall, which is what stood out to the new students.



Cole Alexander  
Emily Allen  
Alycia Alt  
Jose Arcos  
Shelby Beller  
Clare Bohac

Valerie Borer  
Alli Bos  
Mary Bravo  
Carly Burkhardt  
Ivan Chilapa  
Payton Chohon



Colt Clarey  
Brandon Cook  
Peter Dolezal  
Nathan Ebner  
Austin Ewers  
Carley Foltz

Halle Fuchs  
Ryan Fuchs  
Mikayla Gasper  
Adam Gilmore  
Jack Hoppe  
Zach Jepsen





Derek Kaslon  
Emily Kosch  
Mike Kurtenbach  
Phil Levos  
Conner Lusche  
Alex Lyons

Jessica Martys  
Nicholas McElhose  
Sean McGuire  
Hannah Merrill  
Laura Miksch  
Megan Miksch



Nick Modde  
Conner Moran  
Lexi Mullinix  
Jacob Nienaber  
Kristen Ohnoutka  
Brooke Olmer

Ian Ostdiek  
Gabrielle Paczosa  
Manali Patel  
Sammy Patocka-  
Brewster  
Amy Price  
Jackson Prokupek



Mary Kate  
Rambour  
Katie Reisdorff  
Ashlea Rinkol  
Jenny Ryan  
Blake Schroeder  
Chantel Shanle

Anthony Smith  
Liz Smith  
Callie Sokol  
Zach Spencer  
Daniel Strecker  
Melissa Thalken



Jenna Thiele  
Teresa Tremel  
Bre Walker  
Alex Wallick  
Trey Wortman  
Cody Zimmerman

# Class of 2014

Anthony Zoucha  
Jordan Zoucha



If you could  
create a national  
holiday, what  
would it be?



"Justin Bieber is  
Beautiful Day"  
-Liz Smith



"National Gingers  
DO Have Souls  
Day"  
-Valerie Borer

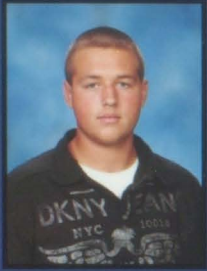


"National Asian Day"  
-Halle Fuchs



"National Pink Day  
on a Wednesday  
because on  
Wednesdays we  
wear pink! (Mean  
Girls)"  
-Mary Bravo

If you could switch places with one other person at Scotus, who would it be?



"Kyle Bonk so I could be a mega-super-beast."  
-Joe Warth



"Amanda Newman"  
-Ashley Newman

What would you do if you were Mr. Morfeld for a day?



"Change the rules about hair."  
-Quinn Goodrich

# Tenth Grade

One way the sophomores have created themselves is through religious activities and pilgrimages. Many of the sophomores have gone to Steubenville, NCYC, Mission Trip, Quest, The March for Life, etc. The interest was sparked mainly by the influences of others especially older siblings. The word was then spread throughout the class which gives them some common ground. "They bring us together and make our class excited about our faith," stated Catherine Swope.



Hannah Harrington, Shayla Wieser, Alyssa Foltz, and Anna Perault pose at Steubenville. Megan Wright added, "Sometimes that support and encouragement from people your age is what you need to keep your faith strong." The sophomores have been reliable when it comes to representing Scotus and what it stands for as being Catholic.



Craig Ackman  
Carrie Bartholomew  
Ian Baumgart  
Katelyn Baumgart  
Morgan Benesch  
Kyle Bonk

Jill Bonk  
Gina Bose  
Katie Breidenbach  
Brennan Brockhaus  
Bridgette Brune  
Vanessa Cox

Melissa Diamond  
Christopher Dimas  
Kevin Donoghue  
Colby Engquist  
Alex Ernst  
Alyssa Foltz

Brook Frewing  
Claire Fuchser  
Alivia Galley  
Jake Gilson  
Quinn Goodrich  
Brandon Hahn

What is the best/  
most memorable  
thing that has  
happened on  
your birthday?



"Taylor Wiest er  
and I were  
obsessed with  
Elvis Presley in  
grade school. He  
was buried on  
my birthday."  
-Tara Starzec



"My lamb got  
decapitated."  
-Jacob Ruskamp



"My family was  
singing happy  
birthday to me  
and my mom  
sang my  
brother's name  
instead of mine."  
-Charissa  
Zuerlein

Jonathon Hanson  
Paige Harmeier  
Hannah Harrington  
Lauran Hellbusch  
Taylor Hladik  
Jake Huss



Taylor Johnson  
Dylan Kuta  
Lauren Kuta  
Derek Lahm  
Sara Legler  
Larissa Loeffler



Bibiana Lopez  
Hailey Luebe  
Taylor Merrill  
Luke Modde  
Kara Moore  
Ashley Newman



Marshal Obal  
Nicholas Pandorf  
Anna Perault  
Christine Reiners  
Ian Robak  
Pricila Robledo



Jacob Ruskamp  
Jeremiah Salyard  
Nathan Schacher  
Samantha Slegl  
Allison Smith  
Tara Starzec



Brittany Steiner  
Adam Strecker  
Tessa Stuart  
Kelcey Stutzman  
Catherine Swope  
Sam Thalken



Teresa Tira  
Raquel Vazquez  
Laura Velez  
Joe Warth  
Austin Wendt  
Shayla Wieser



Taylor Wiest  
Kyrsten Wood  
Megan Wright  
Zach Zarek  
Annie Zeller  
Charrissa  
Zuerlein



What is your favorite type of art?



"Plain drawing and sketching because I can let my ideas flow without the worry of messing up."  
-Forrest Casarez



"Abstract because you can't tell what it really is, but I love the colors and shapes most artists use."  
-Jenny Davila



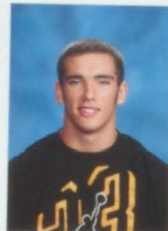
"I like drawing realistic art because it's the most challenging and precise."  
-Whitney Hank

# Eleventh Grade

The Junior class is full of talent whether it is in sports, on stage, or in the classroom, but one hidden talent some of them excel in is done in the art room. Their masterpieces are displayed various places around the school. Fritz Hoppe's comics can be found in several of the *Rock Bottom* issues, while Whitney Hank shines through the backdrops for plays and formal dances. Scotus halls are filled with motivation through art by the signs illustrated by creative cheerleaders.

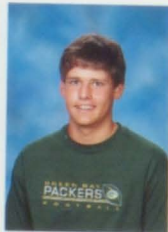


Jenny Davila is displaying her artistic abilities. "It helps me to express my feelings and let go of my emotions," said Abbey Schieffer. Some of the Juniors have turned to art to communicate their true character.



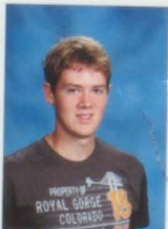
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Sara Dolezal  
Jenna Dubas



Ryan Fehr  
Levi Gasper  
Nicole Gasper  
Jessa Gaspers  
Whitney Hank  
Chris Hernandez

Andy Heusinkvelt  
Ben Heusinkvelt  
Kade Hofer  
Fritz Hoppe  
Seth Janicek  
Steph Jarecke





Allison Jepsen  
 Jake Kratochvil  
 Summer Kresha  
 Chloe Kucera  
 Trenton Kuta  
 Sadee Lassek

Ryan Miksch  
 Adam Moore  
 Jenna Moore  
 Kelsey Newman  
 Brandon Nicholson  
 Emmie Odbert



Ryan Ohnoutka  
 Joel Ostdiek  
 Mackenzie Paczosa  
 Jens Paprocki  
 Morgan Pernicek  
 Mitch Peterson

Cody Placzek  
 Grant Pontow  
 Nick Preister  
 Morgan Prokupek  
 Patrick Raimondo  
 Rachel Rambour



Trev Rawhouser  
 Stacia Rawhouser  
 Kayla Rinkol  
 Kelcey Robak  
 Karsen Rombach  
 Abbey Schieffer

Keaton Schmidt  
 Thomas Schumacher  
 Jesse Shanle  
 Hannah Spencer  
 Josh Spenner  
 Taylor Sprunk



Brad Steiner  
 Trey Stuthman  
 Mark Ternus  
 Huang Wang  
 Caitlin Wiehn  
 Angie Wieser

# Class of 2012

Austin Wortman  
 Tyler Zimmerman



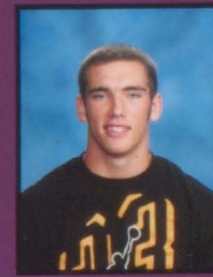
What is the funniest thing that has happened to you at Scotus?



"I fell down a whole flight of stairs, landed on my butt, hit my head on the railing, and dropped my books all because I was wearing slippers."  
 -Kelcey Robak



"Blowing bubbles out of my eye and the whole lunch table started screaming."  
 -Jenna Moore

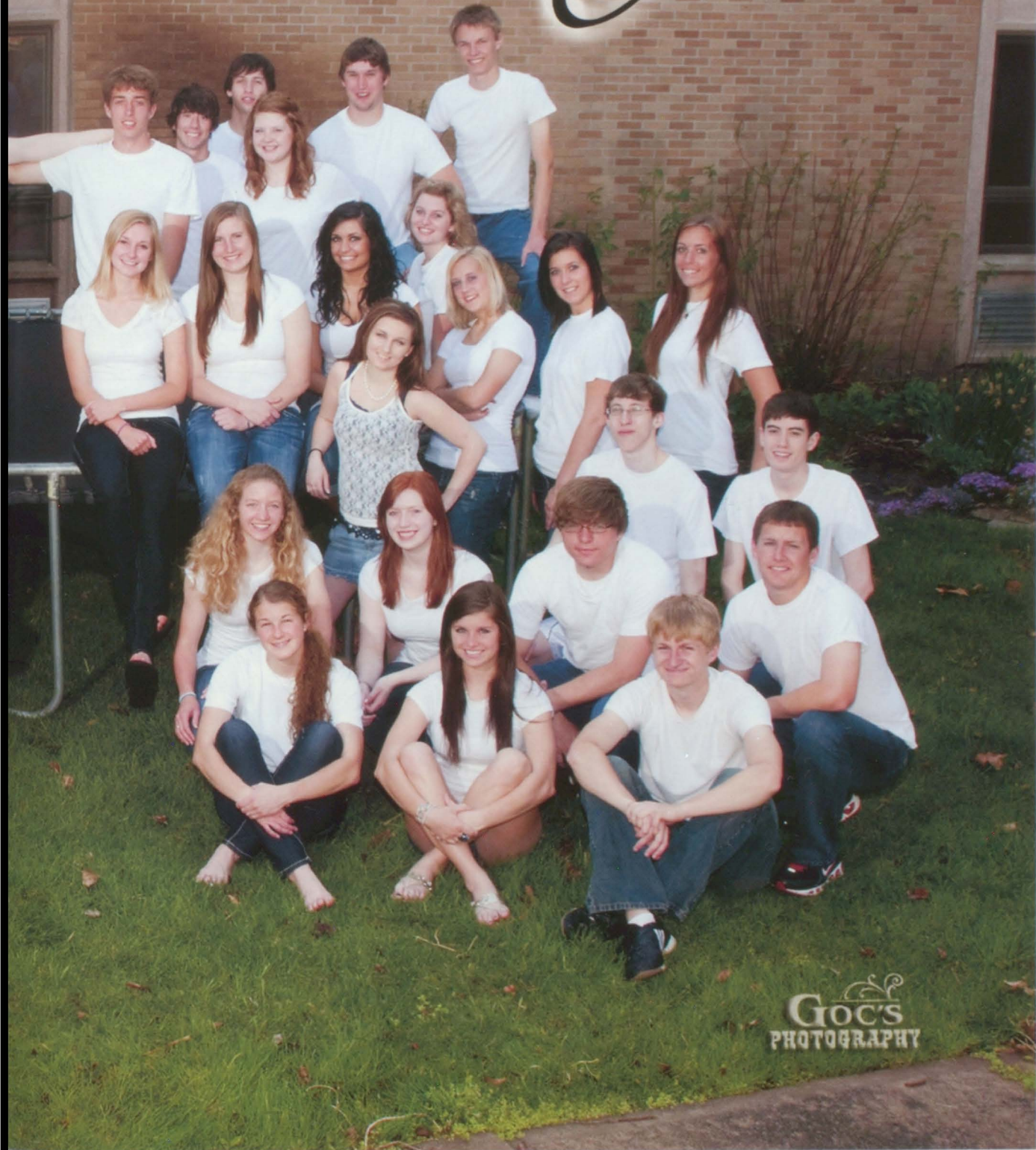


"I fell on the stairs with my hands in my pocket then ended up grabbing some girl's butt in front of me to catch my fall."  
 -Alex Bolte





# Seniors



*Theatrical*

Most likely to devote his life to David Archuleta by being his personal accountant

*Cole Albracht*



*Kyle Baumgart*



*"Like" Argumentative*

Most likely to have an argument with himself to make it interesting

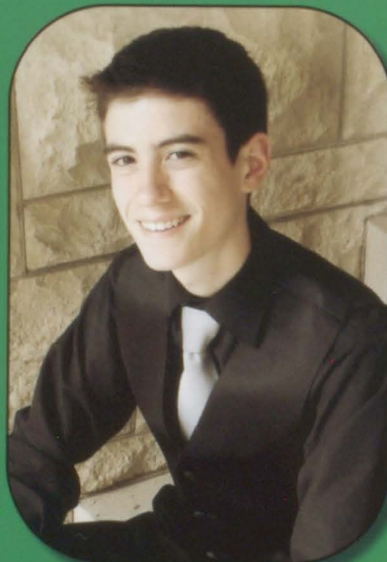
*Most "Apple"*

Most likely to marry Steve Job's daughter to take over the family business

*Alex Beller*



*Aaric Bose*



*Walking Catechism*

Most likely to have a family of girls that he won't let serve at Mass

*Rhythmic Genius*

Most likely to do calculus in pen and succeed

*Bill Cremers*



*Morgan Duren*



*Headstrong*

Most likely to tell the president to "shut up"

## Expressive

Most likely to adopt all of her children and name them after inanimate objects



Jaci Beauvais



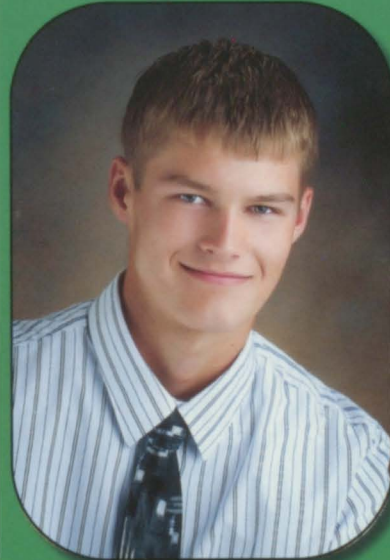
Ryan Becker

## Best Aroma

Most likely to travel to Mexico and call Sra. to help him translate

## Tech savvy

Most likely to say "meh" when his first child is born



Brett Brune



Zach Christensen

## Biggest Flirt

Most likely to forever rock the sports

## Wild Child

Most likely to be on *The Real World* then decide she wants to be an elementary school teacher married to a farmer



Samantha Ebner



James Eufeneuer

## Creepy Charmer

Most likely to make important life decisions based on how funny the outcome will be

*Most Involved*

Most likely to  
OD on water  
and still  
worry about  
being  
dehydrated

*Amber Ewers*



*Dana Fuchs*



*Imaginative*

Most likely to  
travel to ...  
wait-where was  
I going?

*Independent*

Most likely to  
cry out of  
fear because  
she sees  
Abby

*Jena Grubough*



*Rebecca Hall*



*Spunky*

Most likely to  
raise more  
bunnies than  
children and  
grandchildren  
combined

*Nickname-  
Magnet*

Most likely  
to be forced  
to change his  
name to  
Bitsy

*Devin Swan*



*Marina Kavel*



*Blunt*

Most likely to  
get the butt of  
the cake at the  
class reunion

*Free spirit*

Most likely to say "I don't know" when her significant other proposes

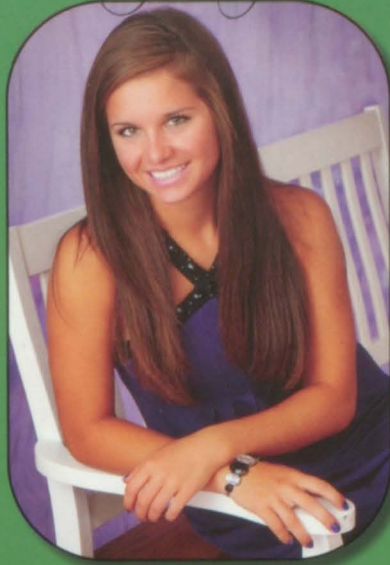
*Feisty*

Most likely to be secretly filmed while singing and get a record deal but not accept it

*Just Chill*

Most likely to streak at a Nebraska football game

*Jacy Jasper*



*Jenn Gorkie*



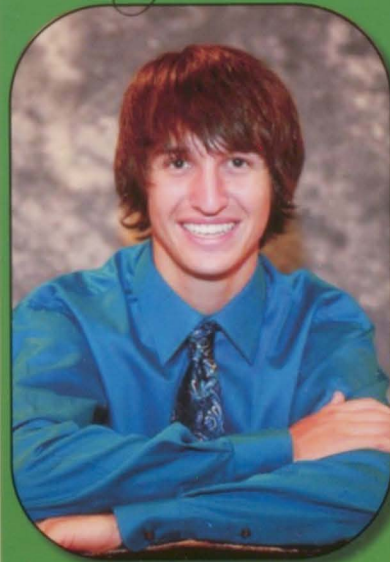
*Tiffany Haney*



*Kate Hilton*



*Casey Kessler*



*McKenzie Leu*



*Biggest Victim*

Most likely to be made fun of by her elementary students

*Generous*

Most likely to feed a third world country with gum

*Animal Lover*

Most likely to continuously buy wiener dogs and name them "Peanut"

*All American*

Most likely to complain that the sun was in her eyes when she accidentally ran over a person

*Lindsay McElrose*



*Levi McPhillips*



*Wholesome*

Most likely to try to spread gingivitis to all the animals that come into his vet clinic

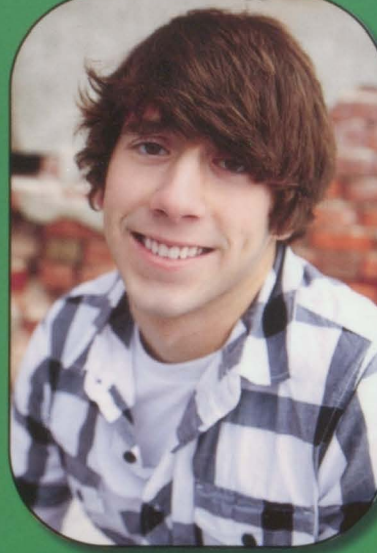
*Girliest*

Most likely to live in a castle, have seven dwarves that wait on her hand and foot, and wait for her prince charming

*Kate Ohroutka*



*Jon Offe*



*Laid Back*

Most likely to abandon the suburban life to live with the otters

*Animated*

Most likely to sing her wedding vows

*Alice Perault*



*Conner Sackett*



*Witty*

Most likely to defeat a nation of zombies (by means of W.O.W.)

*Opinionated*

Most likely to win a bull riding contest and spend her earnings to build a race track

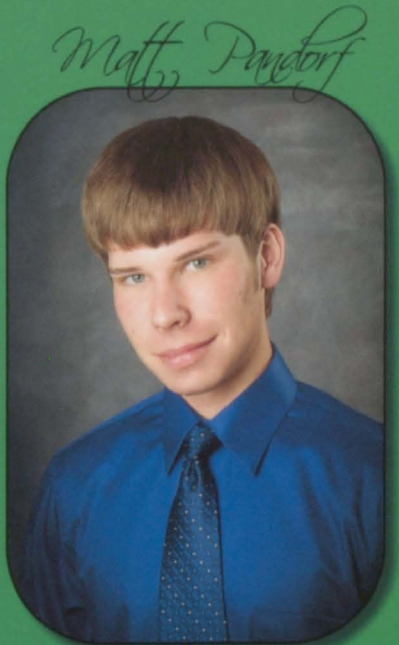


*Changed*

Most likely to have her wedding colors be red, green, and yellow

*Devil's Advocate*

Most likely to take candy from a baby



*Studious*

Most likely to proofread his own obituary

*Proper*

Most likely to strangle somebody by hugging them



*Devious*

Most likely to be hiding in your closet...right now

Compassionate

Most likely to  
tease her  
children's hair  
so it's poofier  
than Snooki's

*Hannah Schaecher*



*Emily Schieffer*



Label Lover

Most likely to  
become a Dallas  
Cowboy  
cheerleader, but  
change her title  
to a Dallas  
Cowboy dancer

Surprising

Most likely  
to make a  
sweater out  
of eyelashes

*Paige Sprunk*



*Lindsay Starosak*



Adventurous

Most likely to  
marry an  
electrineer and  
take extra  
english classes  
to learn them  
things

Sly Fox

Most likely  
to write a  
book about  
his senior  
year in  
graffiti

*Michael Tremel*



*Brady Vancouver*



Self Absorbed

Most likely to  
match on  
mismatch day



Genuine

Most likely to be Catwoman in disguise



*Molly Smith*



*Olivia Sonderman*

Committed

Most likely to live off of peanut butter crackers for the rest of her life

Intrinsic

Most likely to find the cure for cancer but not tell anyone



*Becky Svatora*



*Theresa Thalken*

Courageous

Most likely to drive to Platte Center, break her GPS and never find her way home

Best Smile

Most likely to wreck his van while choking on rice and break his back but still be smiling



*Nathan Wampler*



*Every Now and Then  
I Think About...*

"Mrs. Rambour actually setting the 'Burning Bush of Moses' on fire. 'Yes kids, it is the burning bush.'  
-Jenn Gokie



"Our class getting yelled at after church for taking the ITBS test as a joke in 9th grade, and being made fun of by upperclassmen for the rest of the year."  
-Brady Vancura



a time to

# Remember



"Mr. Lahm falling over while riding his bike at cross country practice. His feet were still attached to the pedals!"  
-Morgan Duren



"Levi proposing to Morgan at the miniature golf course."  
-Jacy Gasper



a time to

# Say Goodbye

The days could not pass by fast enough during the months prior to graduation for the seniors, but once the calendar hit May 15th, 2011 they realized how time actually does fly. As the Class of 2011 lined up and proceeded to their chairs, the thought of graduation finally became tangible. Class President Cale Albracht opened the ceremony with his well-written Senior Class Address. Levi McPhillips followed Cale's address with the scripture reading. Fr. Roza continued the ceremony with a heart-warming homily as he reviewed some of his favorite memories with the Class of 2011. After Olivia Sonderman read the petitions, it was finally time for the anticipated moment. The class lined up to receive their diplomas from School Board Members Rick Haney, Todd Duren, Jeff Hall, and Rex Kumpf. The class then approached their parents to present them with the class flower and also to thank them for all their support given throughout the years. Teachers Vern Younger and Sandie Bernt, along with senior parent Rick Grubaugh, were awarded Outstanding Service Awards. The Alumna of the Year award was given to Mike and Agnus (Pickhinke) Placzek '50. Next the Spirit of Scotus Award was presented to Levi McPhillips which was followed by the senior slideshow. A feeling of completion overcame the Class of 2011 as they exited the gym with bright futures and new beginnings awaiting them.



# Class of 2011

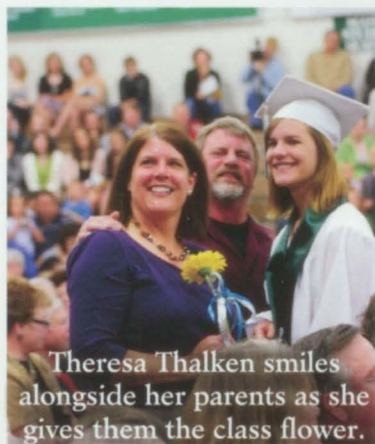
"Don't cry  
because it's over,  
smile because it  
happened."  
-Dr. Seuss



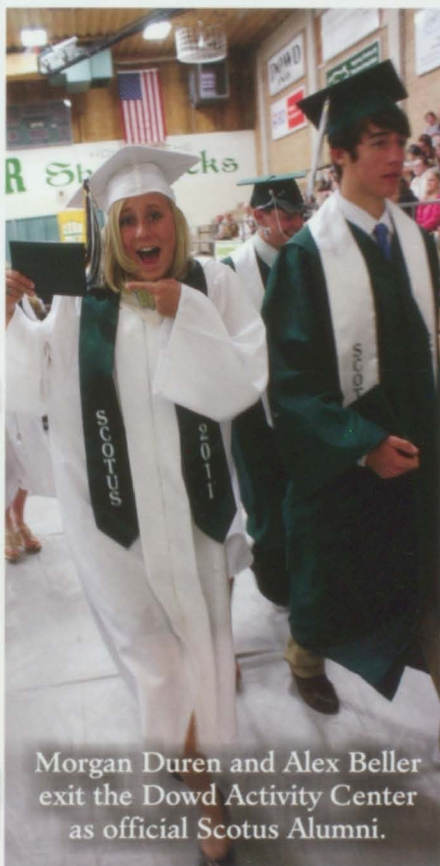
Levi McPhillips poses as he receives the Spirit of Scotus Award.



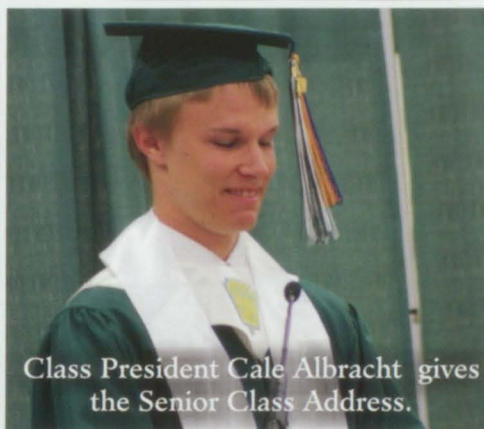
Amber Ewers proudly displays her NHS stole and tassel along with several NHS members.



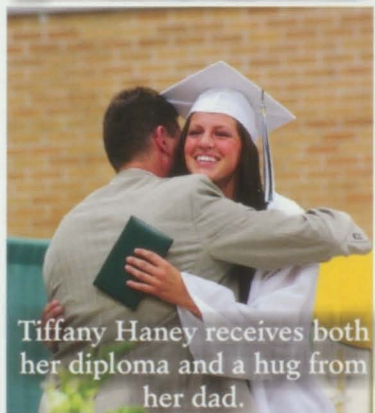
Theresa Thalken smiles alongside her parents as she gives them the class flower.



Morgan Duren and Alex Beller exit the Dowd Activity Center as official Scotus Alumni.

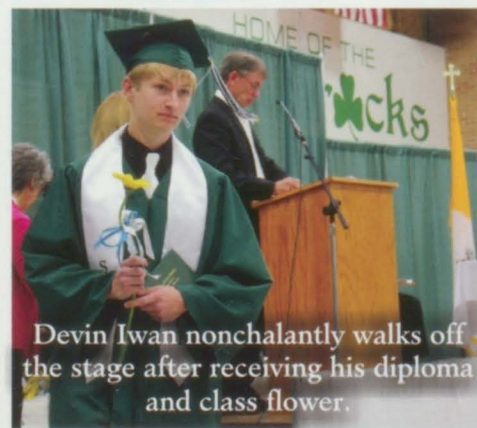


Class President Cale Albracht gives the Senior Class Address.

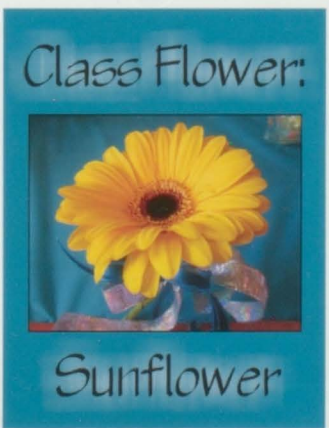


Tiffany Haney receives both her diploma and a hug from her dad.

Class Song:  
"Sweet Disposition"  
by: The Temper Trap  
Class Colors:  
Teal, Silver, & Black



Devin Iwan nonchalantly walks off the stage after receiving his diploma and class flower.



Class Flower:

Sunflower



School Board Member Jeff Hall escorts his daughter Becky off the stage.

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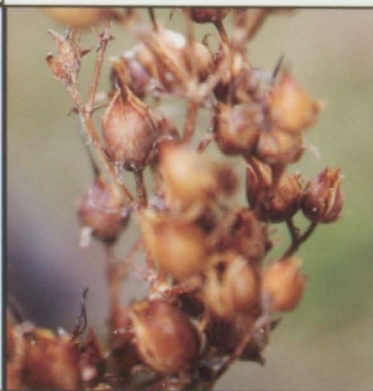
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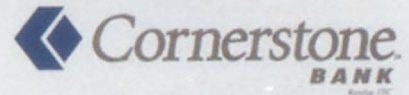


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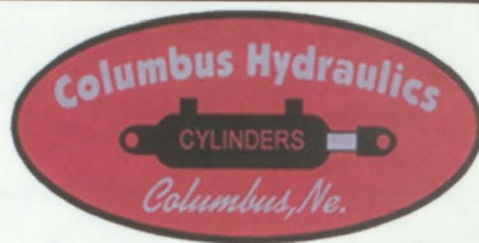
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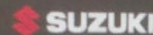
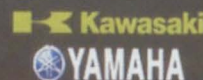
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Paige,  
 Congratulations on all of your accomplishments. We are very proud of you. Keep your faith in God and always believe in yourself.

We Love you!  
 Mom, Dad, Taylor, Victoria,  
 Anthony, and Audrey



The group of students that participated in Senior Book Club have been an AWESOME group!!! I have been amazed at the discussions as well as the books they chose to read. I am thrilled to be discussing WITH them as a group of readers rather than being the teacher leading the group. They have had such wonderful insight into the issues the books have presented. I know each of them will certainly do great things!! (I know I will use this group in the future as the standard to be matched !!!) Thanks so much!!

Mrs. Podliska



Kenzie,  
 High school has been a great ride!

Love  
 Mom & Dad

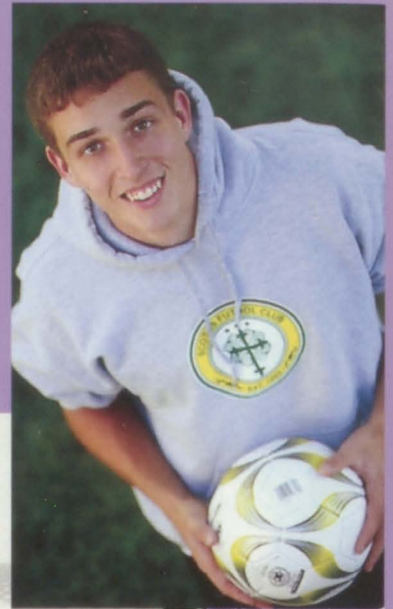
First of all, let me start this off by saying that I am not fond of nicknames. I don't usually use them and don't usually call students by them.

With that being said, I remember coaching Lindsay McElhose and Lindsay Staroscik in 7th grade VB. They were both on the "A" team and I had to figure out a way to have them know who I was talking to. I dubbed Lindsay McElhose as "Mac" and Lindsay Staroscik as "Star". When I see those two young ladies I still think "Mac" and "Star". So much for not using nicknames!

Mrs. Duseel

Dana,  
 We're so proud of you and we'll miss you as you gallop off to college. May God bless you and all of your future endeavors!

Hugs,  
 Mom, Dad, and Halle



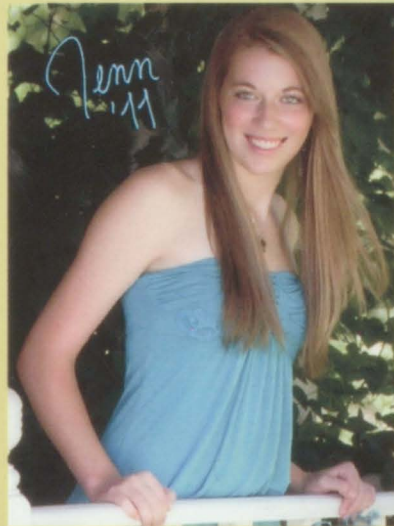
Your class is definitely a melting pot of diversity, but throughout your years at Scotus what I have admired most is your ability to embrace each other's differences and to encourage individuality. I have enjoyed watching you mature in to confident, adult leaders and hope you walk away from my class knowing that each one of you holds a special place in my heart, that my door is always open in the future, and that I thank you for helping me grow as a person both mentally and spiritually through our class discussions and projects.

Mrs. Schaad

Dear Jenn,

Our sweet little girl has grown into a wonderful young woman that we are very proud of! You have given us so much happiness and so many special memories. Keep your strong faith in God, and you'll have a life filled with happiness. We love you so very much and hope all your dreams come true.

Love,  
Mom & Dad



I just remember how frustrated I was with Levi and Dana when they were in my ninth period study hall during their eighth grade year. They know what I'm talking about...Levi has since apologized.

**Ms. Gardner**

Lindsay,

We wish you much success in the dreams and plans God has for you. You are a joy and a blessing in our lives. We are proud of all of your accomplishments and wish you all the best.

Love,  
Mom and Dad

Dear Amber,  
Remember to pursue your passions and chase your dreams. With your determination and speed, you will catch them. Keep laughing and loving life.

Love,  
Mom and Dad



**Mrs. Lahm**

I remember when Levi McPhillips and Nathan Wangler won the Regional Exploravision Contest for their radar hunting gun their freshmen year. A representative from Minnesota came to town to award them prizes and take publicity pictures. It was a huge deal as they were one of six groups in the U.S. to move on to the National competition.



Taylor Merrill came to Scotus as a junior. She was in my Geometry Essentials class 1st period. She was not terribly excited to be at Scotus or to be at any school for that matter. It has been wonderful to see her change from a student who would never complete her homework, much less study for a quiz

Ryan,

We are so proud of you and the wonderful person you have become. Always keep God in your life and he will lead you on the journey to happiness and make many dreams come true!

Love,  
Dad, Mom, Angie, Mark  
Ashlyn, Eric & Lindsey



or test, to a student who cares about her grades and comes in for extra help. I was a bit surprised when she decided to take my Chemistry class as a senior. She has done well and has impressed me with her effort. She is not afraid to be herself and I admire her for that. She has come a long way and I wish her all of the best.

**Mrs. Dusel**

Cale,  
We are proud of all your accomplishments over the years. It seems like only yesterday when it was your first day of kindergarten. Keep sharing your musical talents and keep Christ in your heart.

Love,  
Mom, Dad, and Brent



Going over quotes of the day with a sociology class that will remain period-less.

Mr.  
Brockhaus

Morgan,  
What an amazing young lady you have become. Your growth and achievements have made us very proud. You are truly a blessing in our lives. We wish you much success in your goals and dreams. May God bless you and keep you close.

We love you!  
Mom and Dad  
Tony, Jared, and Mia



Jaci,  
Mom and Dad are so proud of you! You have accomplished so much. Keep God close as you move on to college. We love you.



Dear Lindsay,  
Congratulations! We are so proud of you. We know you will be successful in whatever God has planned for you. Good luck and remember we are ALWAYS here for you. God Bless!

Love,  
Dad, Mom, Nick and Dex  
"KEEP ON CLUTCHIN"



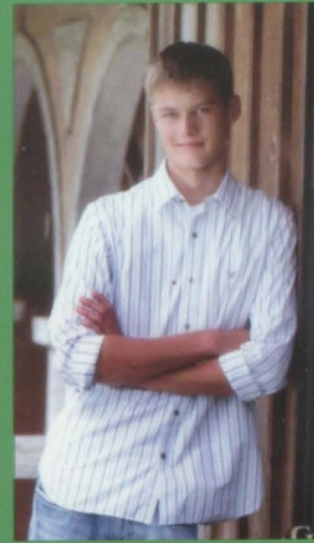
My memory is an appreciation for the growth this class has displayed since entering Scotus as 7th graders. It is a pleasure to see them in senior hall every morning because of the maturity and responsibility they display.

Mr. Morfeld

Jena,  
We have been truly blessed to have you in our lives. Your love for animals has been a tribute of your kind heart and spirit. We love you and are so very proud of you!  
Good Luck,  
Mom and Dad



Tiffany,  
 We are so proud of you  
 and all you have  
 accomplished. We wish  
 you the best in college  
 and your future.  
 We love you-  
 Mom, Dad, and Jen



Brett,  
 We feel so  
 blessed because  
 we were chosen  
 to serve as your  
 parents. You  
 have filled our  
 lives with so  
 much happiness  
 through the  
 years and

Dear Katie,  
 You are an absolutely  
 amazing young woman!  
 We are so proud of you  
 and all your achievements.  
 You deserve the very best  
 life has to offer you.  
 Enjoy!  
 With all our love,  
 Mom and Dad

I will never forget being 8  
 months pregnant and  
 Brady Vancura almost  
 throwing up on me in  
 study hall-good times.

**Mrs. Rusher**

... memories we  
 will treasure forever. We are proud  
 of the person you have become and  
 are confident that you will continue  
 to grow as an individual. Remember  
 to keep faith at the top of your  
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We love you always!!!  
 Dad, Mom, and Bridgette

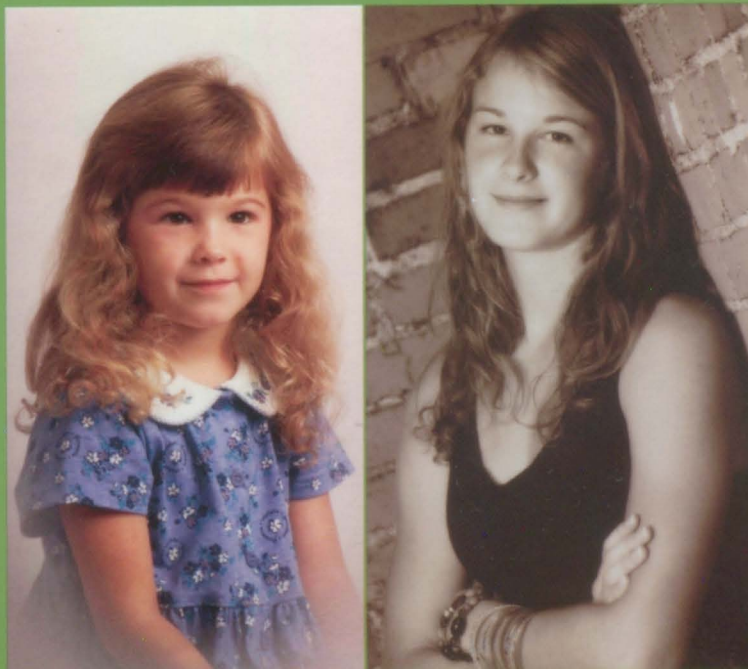


Congratulations Olivia!  
 We are so proud of you. May God continue to bless  
 you in all you do!  
 With Love,  
 Dad, Mom, Katelyn, Joseph, and Will

Katie,  
 From your first day of  
 school to your last. You  
 have always made us  
 proud.  
 Love,  
 Mom and Dad

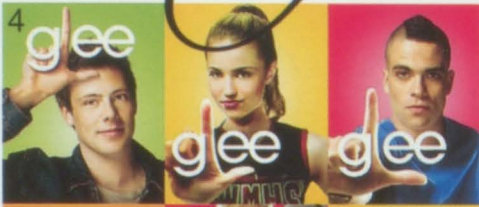
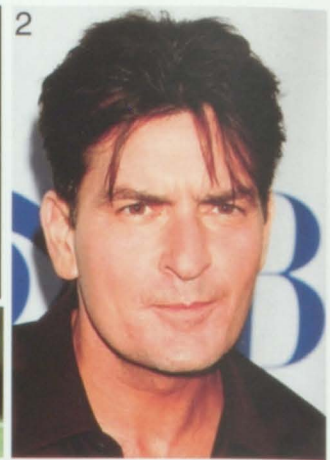
I will never forget the  
 crazy Mat Ball games  
 that went on in  
 Advanced PE--certainly  
 some funny memories!

**Coach  
 Tooley**

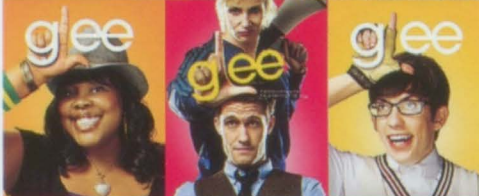


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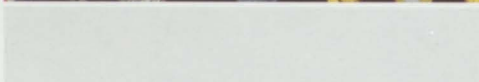
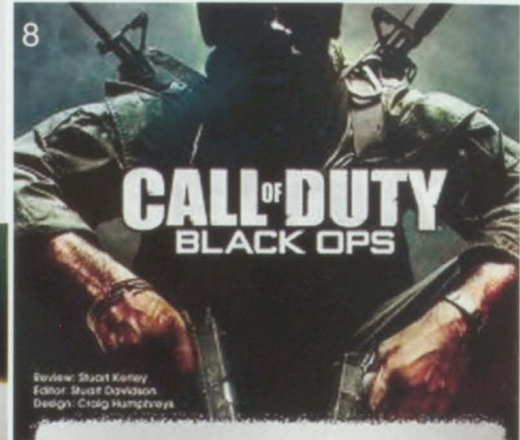
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Charlie Sheen,  
*Inception*



*Glee*, Silly Bandz, *Jersey Shore*, *Black Ops*,  
Superbowl



*Pawn Stars*  
*The Kings Speech*



*Angry Birds*,  
*Pretty Little Liars*



Justin  
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"Friday"



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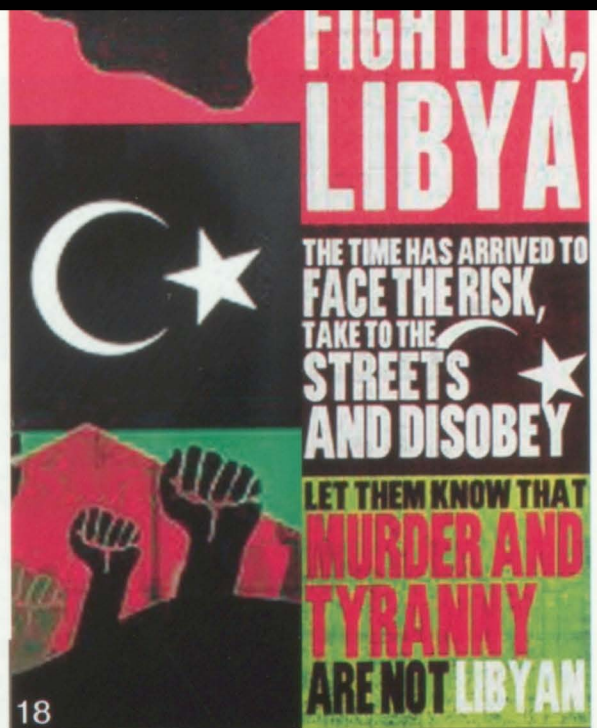
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Congresswoman Gabrielle Giffords was attacked by a gunman on the morning of January 8th 2011. She made a miraculous recovery.

### GULF OIL SPILL

The Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill occurred on April 20th to May 5th of 2010. The disaster was still newsworthy by the start of the school year, and frequently discussed in Government class.

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### REVOLUTION IN LIBYA

Revolution emerged in Libya in February of 2011. The Libyan leader refused to step down after taking oppressive action against his own people. He was countered with heavy opposition from the UN and NATO.



### JAPANESE DISASTER

On March 11th 2011, an earthquake of magnitude 9.0 rocked Japan. The massive tsunami that followed resulted in the deaths of over 12,000 people and displacement of over 15,000 (April 14th). The disaster was prolonged with numerous earthquakes exceeding magnitude of 4.0 as well as complications at the Fukushima nuclear power plant which unleashed radiation into the atmosphere.



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### OSAMA BIN LADEN

On May 1st, 2011 United States Navy Seals stormed Osama Bin Laden's compound in Abottabad, Pakistan. The whereabouts of the 9/11 attack's mastermind were unknown for 10 years.

### CHILEAN MINERS

On August 5th the collapse of a mine in the Atacama desert of Chile stranded 33 miners under 2200 feet of Earth. After spending over two months under ground, each miner was rescued in an operation that was carried out quickly and smoothly. Each miner was greeted by a jubilant crowd upon reaching the surface.



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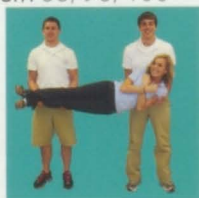
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*We all have our time machines.  
Some take us back, they're called  
memories. Some take us forward,  
they're called dreams.  
- Jeremy Irons*



On the eve of their last day, seniors snuck a trampoline, piece by piece, up a ladder and over the science wing. Mr. Morfeld said that the trampoline was a good idea, and he commended them for their creativity. For liability reasons, students were not allowed to jump on it throughout the day. However, the seniors interpreted the rule loosely.

