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The new law requiring all newly licensed drivers to have a course in driver education has necessifafed a slep-up in the driver training program.

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When you arrived at MHS on a sunny day in late August, just over a year ago, you already knew it. As you stood there in your new Adidas with your Eddie Bauer backpack slung over one shoulder, squinting at the sun, you could somehow tell that something had changed. It didn't look different, it didn't smell different, it didn't sound different, yet somehow you knew that it was DIFFERENT you could just feel it. From the moment you stepped out of the passenger side of your mom's blue Festiva you could sense it. Sure, you were a year older and a little wiser. You, yourself, had changed over the summer - you had tossed your glasses and opted for contacts, shed your braces - but you were certain that it wasn't you. And with that eerie sense of uneasiness you slunk through those doors for the first time in three months.

When the 1999-2000 school year kicked off last fall it brought with it some fairly radical changes. The faces of many new teachers,
including: Ms. Hardy, Ms. Huckstein, Mr. Griffith, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Hall and Ms. Evely, mixed with those of new students and incoming freshmen greeted us in the hallway. We welcomed a new Principal, Mr. Behrenwald, as well as a new Assistant Principal, Mr. Dahlinger, and Officer Libbrecht, the new MHS police liaison. These changes, along with all of the Y2K/end of the world hype, were almost too much for any unassuming, Abercrombie clad, student to handle.
When you crossed that threshold, it was like you were transported to another galaxy. What you faced was a whole new world - a strangely exotic world filled with new faces and challenges. The world as you knew it was over. Everything that you had grown accustomed to over the years had changed. But as you sat there shaking in your A\&F cargo shorts, you thought to yourself, "It may be 'THE END OF THE WORLD AS WE KNOW IT' ... but 'I FEEL FINE."


The Cream Of the Crop Marshall High's "top 10" teachers as chosen by the top 10 students. Front Row: Laura Brownell, Gloria Wheeler, Carol Edwards. Back Row: Dan Luciani, Ruth Berryhill, Kendra Magnus, John Ickes.


The hand is quicker than the eye Danae Huggett amazes Ms. Hardy with one of her in famous disappearing tricks. Much to the dismay of the student Danae made disappear, her skills were a bit rusty and it took her nearly 4 hours to make him reappear.

Bad Boys Law offenders beware, there's a new enforcer in town. This year MHS welcomed Officer Libbrecht to the school as the new police liaison. Since her addition last fall, our crime rate has decreased by an astounding $47 \%$ !


Head - Ross Lukje, Tongue - Travis Sims, Torso - Matt Crowle, Guitar - Jon Marshall, Legs - Julie Ballard.

Where's my crew? Jeff Covert stops to ask his friend Tim Hecox where his BMX Posse has gone. After a few minutes of deliberation, Tim and Jeff realized their crew was still thrashin' mud at Dixie Trails in Homer. Tim got bored and went home, and Jeff had to go lift weights.

Buy one Somehow, the sophomores won the Homecoming events this year with an unprecedented first place in the float building category. Victorious sophomores Megan Adams, Amanda Holibaugh, and Becca Riser sell carnations during lunch for Homecoming To show their school spirit, the girls rubbed red carnations all over their faces and lips.

Magic bus ride Emily Whittaker Molly Lazar, Emily Kleinschmidt, Cam Phillips, Courtney Wheeler, and Summer Jo Quada all laugh and play the day away. To their dismay, a gray Chevrolet van has a man with a plan to expand his space in this race to the place where you and me like to snowboard and ski. These good kids enjoy an exciting van ride to Bittersweet Ski Area for another fun evening of skiing and snowboarding.


Put some barbecue on that! This display of teamwork may not be from a sports team, but from a team of dignified individuals who love to grill. The MHS Barbecue Team consists of T. John Sims, Aaron Ebner, Jeff Hammer, Jeff Cox, and anyone else who sits around the mini-grill at the games.

## What Are WE Doing Here?

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Fireworks, music, and high spirits guided most Marshall High School students through New Year's Eve into the new, yet unsure, year. The suspected catastrophes of New Year's were nothing more than unsettling thoughts. Some students were prepared for the worst, while others felt carefree on New Year's Eve.
"I wet my pants," exaggerated Tony Barroso when asked what he did for New Years. He joked about the Y 2 K Bug and laughed,'"I wasn't worried at all on New Years!" Tony also added, "I had planned to buy an eight-food beef stick and eat it through the night into the new millennium." Sadly, he got caught up in the night's festivities and couldn't fulfill his plans.


For some students, on the other hand, the millennium was a time of tension. A number of MHS students' families were prepared for such things as the Y2K Bug or a massive power outage. Stockpiling water and batteries seemed to be a favorable tactic for overcoming such problems.
The worries are now over, and with no major problems to overcome, we enter this landmark year with fresh thoughts and new technologies that may break through any mental or physical barricades. Now we, as a part of the MHS student body and as pioneers of an innovative time, can look ahead to a better future.


Over there Ryan O'Connell points and explains to Ben Burl Brott that the line is not over there. Ben stops to ponder this information, and he quickly realizes he is too thirsty to wait in line anyway. Although Ryan did not know where the water was, Ben found it and quenched his thirst.


Barb Bonte
Rhonda Britten


Anita Clark



Daniel Coddens

What Are Your Top 5 Memories At M.H.S. In The 90's? 1. WHEN THE FOOTBALL TEAM WON THE (LASS BB STATE (HAMPIONSHIP in 1996.
2. STATE FHNALS MN BASKETBALL, FOOTBALL, AND SOCCER.
3. THERETREMENT OFMR, MRCHATA,MR, KELLT, MR.ICRES. ANDMR. DAVIS
4. Changing To The 8 Block Schedule 5. The Hepatitis A Outbreak Of 1997



Mike Dahlinger


Peter Delmotte


Nicholas Dent


Susan Driscoll


Thomas Duffey


Sharon Eash

Give peace a chance Mr. Dent wants no violence in his Spanish class. When he sees a brawl about to start, he's quick to flash a peace sign to let students know that he wants no fighting in his classroom.


Carol Edwards


Earth to Mr. Telfer Mr. Telfer and Nicole Hopkins have their minds somewhere other than the classroom. Mr. Telfer takes a minute to think about all the good times he's had with his debate classes and all of the trophies he's won. Some of them are pictured in back.

Teachers are people too As hard as it may be to believe, teachers are people too and they need to take a break every once in a while. Mrs. Bonte takes a break from all the hard work in her art class and cooks her lunch in the teacher's lounge.


Saundra Hainline
Toby Hall


John Hamlin
Angela Hardy


Cathline Hathaway Jim Hendershot


Jefflyn Herioux


Linda Hoover
Eleanor Houseman
Mary Hovarter


Diane Long


Kendra Magnus
John Malinowski


Kevin McCauley


Robbin Osborn


Margaret Pahl

## Weep On Tickin?

The new millennium has come upon us, and students here at M.H.S. are living it up to the fullest. But where do all the teachers stand in all of this? What do they think about it all? When asking Mr. Williams what he thought, he stated, "When I was in 3rd grade, I thought to myself, man, I'm gonna be really, really old then. And now that it's here, I'm really, well, nevermind!"

A lot of the more experienced, older teachers here at M.H.S. may think that they're aging a bit with all of these new teachers coming in. Quite a few of the teachers here have even taught many of the new teachers! Mr. Fitzpatrick, a new teacher this year remembered when he had Ms. Magnus for his English teacher his senior year. He replied, "It's sort of weird though, because I still call her Ms. Magnus!"
But don't worry all you new teachers, we think you're swell! Mrs. Long, a teacher for 17 years now, but new here at Marshall, commented that, "I may have taught on and off for 17 years, but that doesn't mean I'm an old teacher! I'm still goin' strong!"

So all you teachers, new and old ... keep up the good work!


David Palmer


Jewell Palmer


Kathryn Petrich


Maggalene Petroff

C. Lee Ralson


Tom Reynolds


Beth Ruddock


AS THE STAEF OE M.H.S. GOES THROUGH THE NEW millenvillm...-THe'ré Still Tickin!


I Didn't Do It! Says Renz as he ties up Kyle Kalinowski up in knots! Mr. Reynolds says that he sometimes gets jealous of Kyle's mad skills on the golf clubs ... he sometimes pretends to be him!


Hey there baby! Says Mr. "Mike" Fitzpatrick as he desperately tries to look smooth for the cameras! Mr. Fitzpatrick says that he loves to bring his smooth vibe here to the halls of M.H.S.

Teresa Washburn


Johnnie Weakley


Gloria Wheeler



Annette Zuehlke


Catherine Wigent


Kelly Williams


Pam Wingerter


Barbara Wise


Tim Wise


Steven Wissink


Sue Woodcock

Missing photos:
Leslie Anthony
Bill Attleberger
Cassandra Arnold
Dana Bergstesser
Mark Vandenheede

Dustin Boggess Anthony Boyd Jamie Bradshaw
e Jonathon Briege Norrisha Brown Chelsea Brubaker Timothy Budas

Antonio Barroso Jim Bedford Lorelei Beron James Biggs - Joshua Billings Sarah Boehmer


Look, he's pulling a Tanner Joshua Allmond does the quintessential "caught by the camera when you least expect it" pose. Joshua had no reason to be upset though, his friend Tanner had the same problem

What the heck is that?!? It's just a regular day in Social Issues class, until something evil emerges. No, it wasn't Liz Forester, it was that thing to the right of her. Absolutely terrifying.


Meghan Adams Joshua Allmond Shannon Altic Daniella Amaro

Cristopher Anderson Branigan Anthony Nicole Applegate - Benjamin Arnold Jesse Baker


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So I says to Mable, I says ... "Carrie Schroeder takes a break from class and tells her classmates an amusing story. Judging by the expression on Carrie's face, the story must have been a good one. It's too bad the teacher wasn't as amused.

cole Burmeister Cassidy Burns Jennifer Buttrick ${ }^{\circ}$ Jessica Byrd Brittany Byrens Derek Carey Patrick Carrington

# Who Would Bear The Whips And Scorns of Time? 



Girl Talk Steve Weaver and James Biggs converse with Alison Jenks about some dreamy guys, like that Tony Barroso. Ken Sink tried desperately to listen in on their conversation but failed to gain any information.

It's official, the class of 2003 is $59 \%$ without fear. A survey showed that $4.5 \%$ of Freshmen fear Seniors, $4.5 \%$ fear Senior's Moms, $4.5 \%$ fear all upperclassmen, $4.5 \%$ fear Rich Baker and Seth Shubert, 23\% fear Juniors, and a whopping $99 \%$ fear no one. That is very brave for a class of Freshmen, considering the fact that they all knew the results would be published in the yearbook. Even though the survey was a multiple choice, with the possible answers: Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors, the class of 2003 broke free of the chains of limited answers and proved their courage once again by gallantly writing in their own answers. Was this a conspiracy against the yearbook staff? A chance to show off to their friends? Or was it a message to all who looked down on the Freshmen, a message that rang out, loud and clear, that the Freshmen class of 2003 are not cowards, weaklings, pansies, or anything remotely like that. They are truly an unstoppable force that will continue to march on, no matter what the circumstances. What matter wounds, for each time they fall, they will rise up and woe to the wicked. Class of 2003, you are truly a brave bunch of Freshmen.

George Face Ashley Fast Jesse Faurot Elizabeth Foerster Aurorita Garza Brandon Gill

Alex Guerra Tyler Hallock Merranda Hamilton Myra Hamilton Jonathan Hammond Adam Hankey Matthew Hart

MMM ... I'm hungry Brad Polcyn, Jon Hammond, and Derek Carey chow down on what looks to be good grub! They peacefully enjoy their lunch.

In practice aren't you supposed to practice? "Working hard" Jamie Bradshaw and Liz Foerster pretend to play tennis. They're taking a break.


Sara Jones Jennifer Jorgensen - Joseph Kalisz Justin Kazmar

Kara Kiebala Kristi King Elizabeth Klein Troy Kopulos Kolleen Kowalske

Abilyn Lake Andrew Lake Susan Lambrix Zackry Langford AnnMarie Lautzenheiser Keith Lawhead

Michael Leach Jessica Leahy Owen Leonard James Leung Vanessia Lindsey Jennifer Litton Amanda London



Me and DRE dippin' again Tony Magiera is feeling chill now that him and Dr. Dre are homies again. Every day after school Tony, Snoop, Dre, and Slim Shady all go dippin' (cruising) in their lowrider cars to the Compton Swapmeet.


Down by the water hole Charlie Hoekstra just got done running in the halls so he needed to stop for a drink. Laura Maher also needs a drink, but she won't use the other drinking fountains because there is bubble gum in them.


Grrrrrr! Kealey Cottrell is raging mad because she jus missed an easy backhand, but Danielle Post is laughin because she went to classes to learn how to deal with he anger in a positive way.


Ashley London Monica Long Kristina Lord Shane Lorenz Anthony Magiera Laura Maher Ariana Mankerian

Brandon Mann Ashley Markovich Amber Maurer Daniel McConnell James McKenzie Danielle Mees

Nicholas Monawek
Derick Monroe
Jason Moore
Anna Morgan


Fresh
Start


Cheers Good times, old friends and plenty of chocolate milk for everyone. Countless laughs, and tears have been had at the MHS cafeteria over the years and Tanner Vincent plans to continue this tradition with the infamous freshmen chocolate milk-slamming contest.

This Yearis Frosh Stampede Into The High Sehod, leaving MMS In Theirs Dust.

Every year an amazing cycle occurs in the "food chain" of Marshall High. The lions of the jungle pass their crown to the juniors. This, of course, leaves an opening for a new gang of those little creatures called "the frosh." For many graduated eighth graders, the journey up to the high school can be a traumatic experience. They have all sorts of things to worry about such as name calling, getting spit on, puked on, kicked, punched, beaten up, laughed at, and possibly run over.

But in reality, most of these things don't happen. So I tracked down a few of the newcomers to separate the facts from the myths. The first question I asked was what did you hear would happen to you in high school, and what really did happen? Carrie Jones commented, "I heard the upperclassmen would duct tape me to the wall, but I'm here now, and that hasn't happened yet. I've only been scotch taped to the wall." So then I wondered just what is so different about high school and middle school. Ashley Markovich proclaimed, "High school is like, so way far out to the extreme better than middle school! One like totally awesome thing is I actually get treated like a human being or something." Since they thought high school was so great, I wanted to know what they thought was the best part. Kristi Miller simply replied, "Seminar - nuff said." Finally, I asked Jaime Morrison the same question and she stated, "The coolest part about high school is definitely getting to see my manly, hairy-chested, stud cousin Ryan Varner."
So it looks like ol' MHS isn't as bad as the frosh thought it would be. So look out everybody! Because before you know it, the puny little frosh will be the big, strong upperclassmen.


Jaime Morrison
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Bradley Polcyn Danielle Post Nathan Pritchard Bradley Quinn Ashley Ramos Bradley Reinhold Alyssa Reniger


Kimberly Odette Hayley Osborn Steven Osborn Tiffaney Palik Colleen Pierce Tiara Pierce


"Never Let It Drop" Andrew Steele concentrates hard, making sure the hackey-sack never touches the floor. He has to get in his daily practice during lunch so he doesn't lose those mad skills of his.


## THE BOTTOM DE THE TOTEM -POLE

## 3\% - Bigger School

$\mathbf{8 \%}$ - Mlore Sports Seleciion
27\% - More Freedom
30\% - VARIETY DE PEOPLE

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Traci Stacy Andrew Steele Thomas Stefan Kraig Stevenson

Heather Stone Kimberly Stone Joshua Swan Trevor Sweet Chris Taft


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Andrew Tarmnel Benjamin Taylor Nicholas Tefft Jonathan Theodorovich Devin Thomas Angela Thurston

Brice Travis Elijah Valentine Justin Vanderberg Douglas Vandyke - Eva Vaughn Tanner Vincent Fernando Viso
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Caught ya red-handed! Freshman Necole Hopkins quickly reaches to try and conceal her illegal headphones. She must have forgotten that wearing headphones at MHS is a crime punishable by time in ISS.


All work and no play Freshman Ashley London works diligently seminar under the watchful eye of Mr. Walton. Even though As ley is a good student she finds time to have fun.

Freshmen: Srinivasan-Viso
By Dana Reynolds


Andrew Vroman Donald Wallace Jennifer Wallen Kurtis Washburn Angela Wass Jacqueline Weakley Phillip Weare


Shawn Wright Angela Wyatt Nathan Wycihowski Elizabeth Winkler Christopher Winter Christopher Wintersteen
Heather Wolf Travis Woodcock

First-day fears may have initially paralyzed the freshmen, but soon they realized that it wasn't the end of the world.


## We Were Merel y freshmen

It is an overcast, dreary day. The rain falls silently on the bleak landscape. You stare out the window of your mom's blue Festiva at the ominous brown building on the horizon. You swallow, trying to suppress the evergrowing butterflies in your stomach. With every turn of the wheels, terror surges through your being. The car screeches to a halt. You fiercely grip the door handle, your knuckles turning white from the force. The look on your face is one of absolute horror. You slowly step out of the car, placing your foot in a giant mud puddle. "How fitting," you think to yourself. You slam the door shut and groggily trudge your way into the prison which will be your home for the next four years, a prison they call MHS.

Okay, so maybe none of this year's freshmen were quite this terrified on their first
day of school, but for some the idea was a little intimidating.
"After 'heck night' at band camp, I was ready for anything," stated Ken Sink. "The seniors duct-taped us, ordered us to run laps, then beat us on the head with the butts of their water guns when we tried to move," he continued, his eyes tearing-up. For Joshua Billings the experience was similar. "I had no fears after the first day," he joked. "The seniors beat the fear out of me!"

For other freshmen the adventure was a positive one. "I thought the upperclassmen would try to sell me elevator passes," exclaimed Necole Hopkins, "but my year thus far has been uneventful. Thanks guys!"

Whether your freshman journey was good or bad, everyone can agree that it is definitely a year to remember.

Megan Adams Nichol Adkins - Steven Albaugh Justin Almond Alexis Amparo Justin Amparo Jason Anthony

Lauren Arizmendi Deborah Armour Matthew Bailey Phillip Baranowski Joshua Barer Kristen Barnes Matt Barnes

- Robert Barnes

Megan Reg - Alexander Bishard Cherise Blakeney - Nicole Blauvelt Eric Blum Emilae Bonaire

Jonathan Booth Daniel Boyer Tyler Bradshaw - Shelby Breckenridge Jessica Britten Samantha Brockman Christopher Bryant

Samuel Buczynski Melissa Budas Kara Byre Tyler Candelaria Shay Carom - Megan Casarez - Sara Casarez


Id Like To Teach The World To Sing.
SOPHOMORES GOT A (HAnce To Pick THE SONG THAT BEST DES (RibS THEIR (LASS

We are the champions - 66\%
SAY A LITTLE PRAYER FOR YOU - $\mathbf{1 5 \%}$
Back that thang up $\mathbf{~ = ~ 1 3 \% ~}$
Magic dance - 6\%

Vroom Vroom ... As the sophomore "Moped Crew", Tyler Candelaria, Trevor Endsley, Jason Wirth, and Ian T. Stewart ride up to visit their very good friend Danae Huggett, they took a moment out to look at the pretty flowers in her yard.


The other white meat Jessica Neal decides to show off her sporty new duds on pajama day during Homecoming week with her friend Alicia Collier. Many students participated in the dress up days, it was hysterical to see the get-ups people came up with.

Whobasaywhat? Chelsea Mead and Essie Galloway sit in Mr Dent's Spanish II class and try to understand what the heck he is saying. Spanish what? Sorry Mr. Dent, we speak Ingles.


Samantha Christie
Rebecca Clutter
Philip Coats
Alicia Collier
Kelly Collins

Sophomores: Christie-Crawford By Katie Murphy

- Pietro Cruz

Jacquelyn Daly - Brandon Davenport \& Melinda Davids Larry Davis Mark Davis Taylor Day

Todd Day Tiffany Dean Kiann Delaney Jaclyn Deweese Sarah Dewolf Andrew Dillon Sarah Dominique
${ }^{\bullet}$ Michael Driscoll - Charles Duckwall - Terry Duff - Shannon Duffey d Joshua Dunn Patrick Dyer - Amy Eaton

Aaron Ebner Natalia Embry - Trevor Endsley

- Todd Everest Nickolas Fast

John Fear Jordan Feldpausch

Heath Fields David Fish Brandon Fry Jason Fry - Essie Galloway Megan Gilman - Amber Goodrich


## Who Can Take The Sunsine And Sprinkle It With Dew? The Candy Man Can!

That's right, the Candyman can because he sprinkles it with love and makes the world taste good; just like the sophomores. Well, maybe not just like them. However, the sophomores can make the world taste good through their hard work at the concession stand.

For those of you who don't know, a group of sophomores work the concession stand in the fall at the football and basketball games. The workers consist of student council members and others chosen by Mr. Burns.

The students were led by Mr. Burns and Ian Schnaitman. Going by the motto of "A.S.A.P." they wore shirts that stated, "Be-
fore you know it ... we're there." The sophomore class set a record in money earned this year. "Our hard work paid off. All in all, it was very successful," confirmed Jenny Stulberg. Most importantly, they enjoyed it. "I had a lot of fun working together with my classmates and we worked well as a team," expressed Kelsey Schnaitman.

Doing Concession is not all fun and games. The workers frequently have to arrive an hour or so before the games to get ready. Also, it can be very chaotic at times. Class President Ian Stewart agreed, "It was really stressful sometimes, but it all turned out well."

Evil Is His One and Only Name Since Matt Slone is done with his homework, he plots his evil scheme against Todd Segar. As Matt smiles contentedly, Todd continues to work diligently with no knowledge of Matt's evil ways. That is, until Matt brought his pinky to his lips and began laughing obnoxiously in the way of his mentor, Dr. Evil.



Jayna Goodrich Morgan Goodwing
Ethan Gordon
Mehgan Gore
Crystal Gould


Elise Grantier
Tasha Grove
William Hagerty
Brittany Hainline
Gregory Hallock

Workin' All
Week... 9 to
5 for her
money,
Aubrey McCauley
sings, "I got
it goin' on
baby and I'm on fire." In
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concession
stand, many
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workers can't
stand the all
of the
pressure and
find their
nirvana is
singing.

Jessica Hamaker Karissa Hamaker Bruce Hamilton Jeffery Hammer Anthony Harrington Michele Hayes Caroline Head

Cheryl Hedges Jonas Heirman Brenda Hillman * Michael Hinshaw - Heather Hoag Chad Hoffman - Amanda Holibaugh

- Stacy Holmes - Katie Howard Jason Huffman - Danae Huggett Jason Huggett © Jason Hummel Rachel Hummel

Jennifer Herd Steven Hyland Nathan Isaacs - Justin Jarvis Keri Jenks Beth Johnston Joshua Johnson

Jacob Jorganson Michael Kiewiet Craig Kimerer Tyler LaFountain Richard Kopulos Katherine Lang Rebecca Lathers




Wow, am I bored In a daze, Dan Boyer sits in the parking lot waiting for something exciting to happen. He will probably be waiting there for a long long time!

## And the winner is...RED?

The top five class ring colors are:
1.) red
2.) light blue
3.) PURPLE
4.) black
5.) white


Concentrate, Concentrate Ryan Norton and Jessica Simmons are in art class working on block prints. They hope that they will finish before the bell rings.


Oh Yea! Mark Stark is so excited to go to his next class he books it down the hall so that he can make it on time. Luckily, even after posing for the camera, Mark managed to make it to class.

Smile and Say Cheese! After lunch, Sara Cazaraz, Amber Goodrich, and Jessica Oswald are talking in the hall, but they decide to take a break and say cheese to the camera.


Sophomores: Laws-McCauley By Nikki Sheeks

Robert McCreary Michael McKim Chelsea Mead

- Ryan Meeder - Ashley Miller -Stephanie Minniear Cindy Moore

Rikki Morris Amanda Murphy e Jessica Neal , Cori Neeley - Jessica Newsome Jessicalin Newsome Claire Nichols

Ryan Norton - Hillary Osborn Jessica Oswald - Sonja Ott Ryan Ours Brittany Owens David Palchak

Bradley Palik Brandon Palik Emily Palik Jared Palmer - Curtis Pennington Joshua Petty Sadie Piepkow

Anthony Posler Nathan Powers Seth Presley - Nikki Quada Brian Quilhot Shae Redfield Rebecca Riser


## AS THE WORLD TURNS

Forget The So Called "Sophomore Slump", Life In The 10th Grade Can Be A Veritable Soap

"Being a sophomore is kind of awkward because even though you're above the freshmen, you're still below the upperclassmen," explained Patrick Dyer. That's right, in the midst of what some call the "Sophomore Slump," tenth graders find themselves neither the baby nor the oldest child of the high school family, but more of a Jan Brady a.k.a. the dreaded "middle child." They are too old to maintain the wide-eyed wonder of freshmen, too young to enjoy the privileges of juniors and seniors. Billy Romano mused, "Life as a sophomore is pretty boring because you get to pick on the freshmen, but you still get
picked on by older students." But do not despair, sophomore year can be a totally awesome experience.

And how is that possible? Four words my friends - driver's licenses and class rings. Dave Carroll of the Herff Jones Company becomes an all too familiar announcement and presence in the halls, as do new drivers in the parking lot. "At first I thought this year was going to be pretty boring, but now I have my license, so it's not that bad," reasoned Shannon Duffey. So with a positive attitude and a little luck, anyone can turn a Sophomore Slump into a world of memories.


Inside Joke Kelsey Schnaitman giggles to herself at the sheer wit of Steve Hyland. As exemplified by these two, many students attend sporting events not only for the intense action on the court, but for the scintillating conversation as well.

You're my brown-eyed girl Yes, in real life Meghan Smith has beautiful, baby BLUE eyes, not brown. But there are no good songs written for we girls with blue eyes, and since this a black and white photo, no one will ever know the difference. Except maybe Meghan.



Three Blind Mice Chelsea Mead, Stephanie Minniear and Becca Riser sit with their eyes glued to the court during a volleyball game. Evidently, Becca was under the impression that they were attending a BEACH volleyball game and wore her shades

Diet Coke Break Cheryl Hedges, Shannon Duffey and the back of Morgan Goodwin's head enjoy a leisurely lunch between classes. But what has Shannon so mesmerized? Could it be a buff construction worker removing his shirt? You never know


Kail Robinson
Vanessa Rodgers
William Romano
April Rose
Eric Rozell

Tessa Sanchez
Sherry Sanderson Christopher Sayers 0
Michael Sayles
Elizabeth Scherer

- Nicole Scheisser - Kelsey Schnaitman Matthew Schoch Wesely Schoenherr Joshua Schug Todd Segar Shaina Shamam
- Heather Shepherd Erin Simmons Travis Simpson Matthew Slone Meghan Smith Ashley Sobel Daniel Sommers
- Mark Stark - Kevin Starring Ian Stewart Jennifer Strand Jennifer Stulberg Anthony Swafford Brittany Syer

Elizabeth Tarmnel Dustin Thomas ${ }^{0}$ Matthew Thomas Timothy Thurston James Ryan Trapp - Darek Van Dusen Matthew Vanderemeulen

- Collin Vincent Christina Walbeck Nikki Walters Ryan Watson Gabriealle Weakley - Rueben West Gregory Wicklund


With New Licenses In Their Hands, Sophomoser Are Far From Reachinf......... THEE ENDOETHEROAD!

# What Kind Of Car Do You Have? 

The Mask of Ian When the sophomores found themselves in need of a crowd-pleasing display of violence to pull ahead in the Homecoming competition, Ian "Zorro" Stewart knew just what to do. He trained his fellow classmates in the fine art of sword fighting, enhanced with mind-blowing special effects. But unfortunately, the M-Pact studio here at MHS is not equipped to handle such an involved task.


Shut your mouth ... and cover it up with your hand. And that's just what Jason Huffman is doing. During times of strife Jason has been known to babble with his mouth chock full of cafeteria food. "Jason," his friends say, "shut your mouth and cover it up with your hand."


Cy Willavize Jason Wirth Danielle Woods
Jodi Woods
Steven Woods

Alexandre Wright Adriana Young Sarah Younkman Nicholas Zalewski Jonathan Ziskal ?

Missing Pictures: Carl Clemons Matthew Duckham Leslie Getter Regina Gipson Cory Hastings Joseph Klein Kevin Murphy Matthew Ruddock
Kara Scears

## King Of The Silver Screen

The Movie That The Junior Class Liked The Most Is..........



Amy Bibler Traci Boyd Heidi Bramble Ryan Bridges Lorraine Britten Benjamin Brott Benjamin Buczynski


Oh Behave! Kristin Dominique has a mischievous smirk on her face as she thinks of a trick to play during lunch. Maybe starting a food fight would be a good one.


Smile for the camera ... Emily Taylor and Jessica Dally were very excited to have their picture taken with a cake that had a spider on it. The cake was made for Mrs. Knaack's Fun and Fancy Cooking class.

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Junior's Slarl Making lol/lege Decisions

TOP FIVE COLLEGES PICKED BY THE CLASS OF 2001

1. Michigan State University
2. Western Michigan University
3. University of Michigan
4. Kellogg Community College
5. Central Michigan University


I can finally rest With rosy cheeks and sweat running down her face you can tell that junior Molly Miller flew by her opponents this year. Even though it was Molly's first year she was one of the teams top runners.

Twinkle toes When junior Derek Van Dusen pulls out his hackey-sack, he immediately draws a crowd with his fancy foot work and dazzling skills. For most this is a common scene as Derek routinely plays hackey-sack during lunch.


That's me Junior Ben Brott looks at the newspaper in amazement as he sees his name in the paper for his awesome soccer skills. This is not the only time Ben's name had appeared in the paper as he has many other talents.

Juniors
By Marissa Long


Abigail Conley Andrew Corralez
Lindsey Cox Karen Crapo
Jessica Croff


Sheena Cross Catherine Crouse Brian Dadow Jessica Dally Paul Daly Joseph Darling


Does anyone have any ideas? Junior Erica Eash scrambles to finish her paper on time. As you can see by her shirt she was preparing for her volleyball game that evening


SHHH Junior Cody Burghdorf awaits silence from his enthusiastic fans hoping the slightest stir or sneeze will not distract his concentration from knocking down this easy putt at one of this years golf meets.

Juniors: Conley-Hecox
By Marissa Long
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## 上itgh school Confídential

How Much Do You Think You Know About Yours fellow Claw unates?

1. This intelligent student was once caught red-handed wearing a security guard outfit to school.
2. This girl has won two district honors, one all-area, one all-region, and honorable mention all-state awards in soccer.
3. "Once I ran over my guitar with my car."
4. This person slipped on ice and hit her head on Sheena Cross's car bumper.
5. 'I was watching the movie 'Saving Private Ryan', and I actually thought the guy's first name was 'Private'."
6. This kid's nickname is Nugget.
7. "I once went skinny dipping at $3: 00$ in the afternoon in the middle of a lake."
8. "Once I asked what was on a meatball sub, and how many eggs were in a three egg omelet."
9. She has been in dance for 10 years.
10. "My boyfriend and his friends call me 'Buns'."
11. "I got my head shaved at a party once."
12. "I fell down the stairs my freshman year."
13. "I hold the record, 26 straws in one slush."
14. "I left my keys in my car while it was running all day at school once."
15. This junior likes rap music.
16. This young lady went to meet her date's parents. As they got to the "open" door she challenged her date to a race. Little did she know it was a glass door. Ouch!
17. "I ran butt naked down the street in front of a bunch of people."
18. "I like pop."
19. "When I drink coke I can burp at will."
20. "I ran over my little brother with a golf cart."
21. "On New Year's Eve I had an accident in my pants."
22. This person's favorite movie is The Matrix.
23. "My favorite song is the "Thong Song".
24. "I was sucking on a helium balloon and the phone rang. I had to answer it with a really high pitch voice."
25. "I passed out in front of my fifth grade class while reading a book report."


Did You Hear The News? Phillip Doud tells his friend Dave Richardson the latest news about the dance team. Dave just doesn't believe that Mr. Beherenwald is leading the dance though!

Don't Be a Crab-baby! Perhaps the expression on Katie Schaum's face is because this little crab just pinched her. Katie knows how to handle the pain though, since she plays Marshall volleyball.


Stop Cheating! Doug Rasher is hard at work finishing his girlfriend's homework for her before the bell rings. "I know she'd do the same for me," explains Doug.


Do You See What I See? Travis Sims concentrates on recording the perfect picture. Travis enjoys video taping for different sports events, and makes some funny Spanish videos as well.


## HigH school (ONEIDENTIAL

## How Mued Did You Kraw Alout Your fellow Clannstes)

1. Rob Backlund sported his security guard outfit during basketball season last year.
2. Marissa Long played varsity soccer as a freshman and is continuing to do well.
3. "I was showing someone my new CD player," explained Emzy Collins.
4. Fawn Aalbregtse may be able to walk down the runway gracefully, but don't be deceived; she's not as graceful on ice.
5. Erica Eash exclaimed, "I didn't know his first name wasn't Private! I felt so stupid!"
6. Ross Lukje aka Nugget
7. Kari Searles mumbled, "I forgot my suit."
8. Tonya Dawson can get a little confused when she gets hungry.
9. Jenny Rodgers is a very talented dancer.
10. "I do work out," Andrea Twiss mentioned.
11. Eric Hecox stammered, "I was like ... shoot ... Then they were like dude ... Then we were like whoa."
12. Mike Dillon mumbled, "And a bunch of really cute girls saw me fall."
13. Joe Wilson's record still holds true.
14. Ryan Bridges then had to call his mom to get a spare key.
15. Matt Bennett mentioned, "I like rap music, a lot."
16. Don't worry Abby Conley, first impressions aren't everything.
17. Brad McCormack, yes they call him the streak.
18. Marc Mead likes pop.
19. Katie "Scaum" Schaum has many talents.
20. Beth Weare exclaimed, "It wasn't my fault! The brakes don't work very well!"
21. Amy Bibler couldn't find the bathroom in time.
22. Brad Wallen shouted, "Neo is the best!"
23. Hailey Casarez enjoys various types of music.
24. Keely, Sedgman added, "Plus, my voice is high anyway."
25. Molly Miller mumbled, "So I was a little nervous!"

I Can See! David Richardson looks around in amazement at the new clarity Keegan's glasses have given him. Not really. He's actually laughing at the fact that he can't see Keegan who is sitting right in front of him, because of the strong prescription of his glasses.


## Froggie Football

 Jamey Frye and Catherine Crouse entertain themselves with the little blue frog during English. It turned out that the little froggie was quite a hopper as he jumped right over Jamey's desk.

What is that!? Ian Root and Ross Lujke curiously examine their little piggy's insides. This is a required part of the Anatomy class. Though it did get kind of messy, and they didn't smell too good afterwards, they did admit that it was very interesting.


Hole in one! Joe Hutchings perfects his putt on the practice green, making a hole in one. While it doesn't take much talent to make a hole in one on the practice green, it does require a lot of skill to play golf, which Joe has plenty of.



Hard at work. Heidi Bramble scrambles to finish her homework before the bell rings. Well, sometimes I forget that I have homework," she remarks. "And then I have to do it during lunch, which takes away from my eating time!"


Hit me, I dare ya! Kristin Dominique and Jenny Yang prepare themselves to receive the hit from their so-called "opponent". "They can hardly be called an opponent! ${ }^{\prime}$ Jenny exclaimed. "They're no match for us!'" And she was right. Krist in and Jenny easily beat the girls from the opposing team.

Night of the Living Dead Matt Nofs was a participant of this year's Mock car accident for Prom Promise. The junior and senior class watched what would happen in the event of a car crash from drinking and driving. The accident was complete with police, ambulance, fire fighters, and even a helicopter.

Are you Tuff Enough? Jason Huggett is ready to face his next victim during the arm wrestling competition. Homecoming week is always a competitive time for students to prove their strength as a class, and individually.


Yummy in the Tummy "Or not so yummy in the tummy," thinks Junior Doug Rasher. Good thing fellow classmate Ryan Bridges is enjoying his personal sack lunch immensely. Doug only wishes his mom would have made him a lunch like Ryan's.


Die Ants Die! Molly Miller tries to eliminate all the creepy crawlers in the hall with her miniature magnifying glass. Molly forgets the fact that you need sunlight to start the actual frying process. Molly tends to hide her true violent side with a very deceiving sweet and innocent personality.


Did You Hear ... Andrea Twiss and Tonya Dawson catch up on the latest Marshall drama-gossip in between classes. The new rumor is that Dan Coddens has been dating Ms. Osborn. "Oh my gosh, is it true? I hear wedding bells!" Exclaims Andrea.


"Hey You Guys!" Mark Loyer is caught in the act trying to impersonate Sloth, his most favorite character from the movie, The Goonies. Geno Klisiak is embarrassed by his friend's behavior, and tries to hide himself underneath the trophy case.


It's a Bird ... It's a Plane ... No it's a clique! Not just any clique, but a Nichole Ann Riggs, Stacey Roberts, Travis "PePe" Sims, Peter Vanzandt, and Jessica Johnson clique! These supporting fans love their team, but don't know where to look with all the excitement. That's alright because Pete is just "chillin"

Juniors: Schaum-Younkman By Bethany Theresa Weare

## As their high school careers draw to a close, seniors leave the sidewalk behind and hit the road to pave their own paths



David Albaugh


Sebastien Antal


Brian Barnes


Tyler Amaro


Heather Applegate


Jason Barnes


Adrian Anderson


Ronnie Ashby


Abigail Bedient


Jacqueline Anderson


Richard Baker


Rebecca Billings


Katherine Andrysiak


Eli Banister


Matthew Blodgett


Sara Boedecker


Courtney Burns


Scott Conant


Jeffrey Covert


Christopher Davids


Jamie Boone


Kari Burrows


Clifton Conklin


Jason Cox


Emily Davis


Elisa Brigham


Steven Chapman


Adam Cook


Valerie Cranmore


Scott Davis


Cali Burdette


Dustin Coleman


Kevin Cook


Matthew Crowle


Ainah De Carvalho

Michael Burger


Jamie Collier


Matthew Coulson


Andrew Darling


Emily Driver


Matthew DuBois


Matthew Fish


Christine George


Cara Griffin


Timothy Hecox


Lindy Duff


Sarah Fitzpatrick


Irma Gonzalez


Robert Hamaker


Matthew Hedges


Lynelle Endsley


Jason Flanders


Jarrod Goodrich


Michelle Harrington


Matthew Heppner


Jeffrey Fausey


Tiffany Freds


Matthew Gordon


Nathan Hazen


Chad Hile


Daniel Fingas


Adam Fuller


Jennifer Grades


Adam Hecox


Eric Hutchins


Eddy Jenks


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Katherine Kinney


Jennifer Lawrence


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Kyle Kalinowski


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Lauren Kleinschmidt


Amber Leonard


Andrew Lord


Elizabeth Kane


Elise Killewald


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Sofia Lindgren-Wulff


Rachel Lortz


Melissa Lough


Kristine Martz


Erin McDonagh


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Kristin Milliken


Justin Moss


Christine Maher


Neil Maurer


Brooke McKenney


Melissa Monk


Brian Murphy


Gregor Maretzke


Benjamin McCann


Ryan Mead


John Moore


Elissa Murphy


Jonathan Marshall


Kevin McConnell


Preston Meeder


Ryan Morford


Kelly Murphy



Joseph Reynolds


Brandon Robishaw


Katherine Schaffer


Katherine Shalley


Chirista South


Ryan Rhodes


Laurie Romanowski


Maxi Schallschmidt


Elizabeth Sharp


Andrew Somsel


Brett Riser


Marilyn Rush


Jessica Schnitzler


James Shepard


Amanda Soltis


Melissa Riser


David Saber


Kristen Schook


Seth Shubert


Melissa Smith

Anthony Robertson


Michael Sachjen


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Erik Smalek



Jacob West


Kelly Willbrandt
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Katherine Weston


Janeen Willis


Carol Woolley


Allen Weyer


Noah Wilson


Akio Yotsumoto


Courtney Wheeler


Nicole Woodcock


Dawn Zink


Emily Whittaker


Sara Woods


Benjamin Zuehlke

## Where The Sidewalk Ends

There is a place where the sidewalk ends And before the street begins, And there the grass grows soft and white, And there the moon-bird rests from his flight To cool in the peppermint wind.

Yes we'll walk with a walk that is measured and slow,
And we'll go where the chalk-white arrows go,
For the children, they mark, and the children, they know
The place where the sidewalk ends.

Let us leave this place where the smoke blows black
And the dark street winds and bends
Past the pits were the asphalt flowers grow
We shall walk with a walk that is measured and slow,
And watch where the chalk-white arrows go
To the place where the sidewalk ends.




## THIS YEAR'S EXCHANGE STUDENTS HAVE COME TO MARSHALL TO DISCOVER.........

## A wHOL NEW wORLD

"Marshall is (such a) pretty town! The houses are old, but I can feel their historical atmosphere. I was so impressed with the downtown - (it) reminds me of an old movie ... so romantic!" - Ai Uema, Japan
"At first (my reason) for coming to the US was to see, with my own eyes, Pamela Anderson. But after, I realized that it would be a good experience to (increase) my maturity and my education, and because it's a great adventure." Sebastien Antal, France
"When I go home I have to take my last year one more. But hey, it's my graduating year - it'll be fun. And besides, I get to spend a year in America!" - Sophia Lindgren-Wulff, Sweden
"For me the situation is different. My parents are both American and my dad graduated from Marshall, (which) is why I decided
to come here. I am staying here for two years and finishing school." - Jonathon Hausler, Australia
"The food here is very different (as well as) the mentality of the people. I think that the American people are is some ways more open-minded and more hospitable." - Maxi Schallschmidt, Germany
"What I miss most about my hometown are the people, the parties, the pubs and the discos. I love being in Marshall, but the atmosphere is so much different than (that of) Germany." - Maya Reda, Germany
"At first I thought that Marshall was going to be like New York" -Akio Yotsmoto, Japan
"I will never forget the power of FOOTBALL in a small town like Marshall!" - Sebastien Antal, France


Picture Perfect Maxi Schallschmidt and Maya Reda, both from Germany, stop for a quick picture in front of the fountain, the symbol of Marshall. After the camera flashed, the girls took off their shoes and went for a quick dip in the cool water.

Monkey See, Monkey Do When Susan Lambrix saw Haruko Uchita putting on her kimono, she couldn't wait to put on her kimo-no-like pajamas, and join in on the fun. It's not everyday that a host sister and an exchange student can share in a moment of matching attire.


I choked on a piece of popcorn, but I'm still smiling That's right. Before the football games, Marshall cheerleaders have been known to gobble down popcorn, but this corn fest has gone awry. Nesrin Semen has choked on an obtrusive kernel and must rely on Jamie Kendall and Jamie Boone to perform the Heimlich. Too bad for Nesrin that Jamie's version of the Heimlich is around her neck.

Don't go chasing waterfalls Ainah DeCarvalho, from Brazil, and her host sister Alicia Johnson, take a break from their high intensity game of miniature golf, and sit on the man-made rocks. After this picture was taken, the girls fell into the foaming, swirling waters while trying to look for Ainah's earring.


Front Row: Ai Uema. Second Row: Nesrin Semen, Sebastien Antal, Maxi Schallschmidt, Sofia Lindgren-Wulff, Ainah DeCarvalho, Akio Yotsumoto. Back Row: Maya Reda, Haruko Uchita, Gregor Maretzke, Jonathon Hausler.


Family Reunion Ai Uema, from Japan, and Sofia Lindgren-Wulf, from Sweden, pose for a picture with their host family, the Boleys. They were joined by some of the Boleys previous exchange students and their favorite K-9 pal, Jasper.

I wonder what time it is? Gregor Maretzke doesn't know what time it is because he is too busy smiling for the camera to look at his velcro watch. Maxi Schallschmidt doesn't care what time it is because time flies when you're havin' fun. And there's lots of fun to be had here in Marshall, as the exchange students are finding out.

Sunset Cruise Akio Yotsumota, from Japan, takes time out of his trip to Lake Michigan with his host family, the Dyers, to smile for the camera. After this picture was taken, the boat struck an iceberg and Akio drifted in Lake Michigan on a piece of wood for days until the waves washed him ashore.

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Fall is a time for leaves to change color, football games, and warm apple cider. It also happens to be Emily Taylor's favorite season. "Fall is my favorite time of the year. I love going to football games, bundling up in cozy sweaters, and seeing all of my friends," she remarks about why she loves this season. A still child at heart, Amanda Holibaugh mentions, "I love running through piles of fallen leaves! The many colors of the leaves are so pretty." But the leaves aren't the only things that are changing this fall.

Many students have undergone some changes from last spring. Marissa Long is one of them, she said, "I've realized it doesn't take much to be nicer to people. What goes around, comes around. If you're mean to people, it's going to come right back to you" Andy

Rosko mentioned, "I feel like I have matured over the last year in how I treat the people around me." Doug Rasher, a little sarcastically stated, "I've changed in that my whole wardrobe doesn't consist of all Abercrombie and Fitch clothes."

All of the changes haven't occurred just yet. Many students are trying to change, or at least wanting something to be different. Aubrey McCauley mentioned, "This year I hope to be more involved with everyone.' Katie Schaum stated, "I would like to change by only letting the things that are important to me, matter to me."

Like the changing of the leaves in the fall, MHS students have undergone some changes themselves, and it appears that these changes are for the better.

Set, hut The Marshall Varsity Football team gets ready to carry out one of their unstoppable plays. The football team had an awesome season this year, dominating over most of their opponents.


Splish, splash, she was taking a bath No she wasn't! Actually, Kolleen Kowalske was swimming the backstroke in the 200 Individual Medley. The splashing you see going on is not from bathing, but from the swift movements of her strong legs propelling this talented swimmer through the chlorinated water.


Take that! Matt Tarpley spent the day whacking away at golf balls. Well, not the whole day, just during practice. He resolved, "Not only is it good practice, but it's also a good outlet for my anger.'


Get out of my way! Katie Andrysiak effortlessly maneuvers around her two Sturgis defenders. They should have known better than to try and stop the All Mighty Andrysiak; it just can't be done. She impressed the two Trojans with her amazing skills so much that one just stood there in awe.

Foxy Ladies! Aubrey McCauley, Ryan Varner, and Jaime Loughrige take advantage of Homecomings Crazy Day to show off their wild side. The three chicas received many
compliments along with a few awkward stares at their sexy ensembles compliments along with a few awkward stares at their sexy ensembles.


Bet you can't get that one! Liz Forester and Jamie Bradshaw quietly laugh to themselves as their opponent attempts to return Liz's "impossible to get" hit. Both Liz and Jamie usually play singles, but teamed up to play doubles.


Look at me, I'm running! Amanda Holibaugh flies through the course at Harper Creek. Amanda boogied her way on up to consistently be the third runner on the team this season. This may have been due to the fact that she was a "special" runner this year.



Can I join in? Adam Hecox sadly stares at his shoes while Ryan Bridges and Ben Brott continually pass the ball back and forth between them. They eventually let Adam join in their pre-game warm up, then together kicked their opponents' butts, as usual.

The leaves are changing and so are MbSs STZIDENTS



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Some wars are fought with nuclear weapons. Others with germs or even words. But at Marshall High School, there is only one way to settle the score - with competitive games. Representatives from each class spider crawled, arm wrestled, football hiked, wheelbarrow raced and cheered their way to the top. They chugged Mountain Dew, choked down Big Macs and in some cases, threw up. They brought in canned goods for MACS, pet food for the Humane Society and money for the United Way. They faced cold, wind and rain for the sake of lawn displays. There would be no cease-fire, no peace treaty, no common ground reached in this war. There could be only one winner - but who would it be?
In the games, MACS and Humane Society, seniors dominated over
all. But the sophomores were nipping at their heels after winning the United Way drive. It would all come down to one thing - the floats. "It was fun to see the 'Redskin Fury' come together," commented Sophomore Nick Zalewski. "We knew that if we wanted to win we had to work hard as a team." The frosh float featured a "Cardinal Hunt, " and came in last place. "We had a lot of good ideas but we just couldn't manage to produce," stated Andy Tarmnel. The junior float had a Nintendo theme, and the senior float featured a moonscape. In the end, the freshmen came in fourth place, the juniors brought in third and thanks to their impressive float, the sophomores won out over the second place seniors.
One would assume that there was a considerable amount of bitterness after the surprising verdict was announced. But perhaps the best part of homecoming is the togetherness and unity created when it comes to an end. Junior Paul Mestemaker agreed, "The Homecoming games ignite class pride in the Redskins of MHS. The bonds formed during these activities unite each of the four classes. While the competition brings out our fighting spirit, we are all proud to be Redskins in the end."

Caveat Emptor For those of you who haven't taken Latin or Economics, this fun to pronounce phrase means "buyer beware." This certainly seems to be the message Junior Jason Huggett is sending to his sophomore adversary Ryan Meeder. Although this look of death would understandably strike terror into the hearts of most men, Ryan stepped up to the challenge and triumphed over Goliath.

Winners at Heart This mob of seniors demonstrate what Homecoming is all about class spirit and blue hair. Although the class of 2000 broke the tradition of senior domination, they made their last Homecoming truly memorable.


Chubby Bunny. Andy Rosko puts a new twist on the ole round-the-campfire marshmallow game with a macerated Big Mac. Watching other people shove down food is a favorite event of all during Homecoming week. Unless they throw up. Throwing up is not a favorite event.



Ginger Spice Wanna-Be Travis Sims belts out the lyrics to his favorite song, "Wan-na-Be," while Pete VanZandt, Asylinn Anthony, Kari Searles, Katie Schaum, Liz Morgan and other members of the junior class look on in admiration. When Ginger Spice retired, Travis had hoped to fill her 4 inch platform shoes, but had to settle for entertaining his class while they waited for their event.

Did it, done it. Liked it, loved it. Senior diva Ann Loomis battles against the clock and underclassmen fledglings in the Mountain Dew chug-a-thon. A virtual expert in the art of chugging, Ann plans to use her skill in a future career.


Strong as steel Freshman Christine Schaum takes on Sophomore Morgan Goodwin in a competition of brute strength and mind control. Not only do these girls have rock-hard biceps, they have mental control to boot.

This ain't no jitterbug Abby Bedient, Missy Riser, Emily Driver, Sunny Quada and Chrissie George train for the spider crawl during "the big assembly." The girls spent months preparing for this sacred event and finally realized their dream by coming in first.

Homecoming Activities
By Sara Boedecker

## In the Iorte of the night

Homecoming 1999 was very interesting for most people. Some went single, others went with dates, and the rest went with friends.

Tony Barroso, a freshman, reflected on his first formal dance. Tony decided to go with a group of guys and chill for a

## As the night goes on and its about <br> to end, keep the memories in mind

ent problem. According to Cliff, he was the envy of every guy at the dance. He remarked, "I had a lot of fun at Homecoming '99, but my only problem was that all the guys were jealous of me because my girlfriend, Miranda Hamilton, was so drop dead gorgeous."
Most people went to dinner after picking up dates or friends. Keri Jenks stated, "What a relaxing dinner, and no one to bug us!" After it was all over, people realized that the last Homecoming of the 90s will forever stay in their memories.

Pretty in Pink Looks like Megan Robertson and Ryan O’Connell planned their complementary wardrobes around each other. These two attendants were firm believers in the postulate of matching attire. Too bad the kids in the background didn't get the message.


Shock Therapy Sam Case gets a taste of this good old-fashioned medicine when surprised by a photographer. Sam and her date, Dustin Thomas, had a great time except for one thing. "After eating at Pizza Hut, I left my corsage there and we had to go back. We finally got to the dance after all that trouble," remembered Sam. Looks like Sam found that corsage.


Lady in Red Miranda Hamilton puts a new twist on the old song as she wears her red on top of her head. Miranda and her date, Cliff Conklin, knocked the socks off every one at the dance with their flashy attire.



Hula Hula Amy Hoffdahl and Beth Weare bust some Hawaiian moves on the dance floor. Unfortunately, Marshall is not as warm as Hawaii, and the cool 'late of the night' forced these girls to retire.

Strike A Pose Jenny Stulberg, Aubrey McCauley, Amanda Halibaugh, Kelsey Schnaitman, Stephanie Minniear, Katie Howard and Danielle Woods are ready to boogey down with the guys after some camera action. Look out guys, here they come.


Walking Into the Light Crystal Gould is shining bright and having a wild time with her friends. She turned her head just in time to flash her pearly whites.



Dancing in the ... cafeteria light? David Fish and Sherry Sanderson are not "Dancing in the Moonlight," as the song goes. They're busting a move under the flattering fluorescent lights of the caf. Who needs moonlight, when you've got electric light?


Pucker Up Keely Sedgemen and her friends, Catherine Crouse and Katie Kinney, get ready to give the camera some lip. These girls had a blast dancing the night away.

## Somefay My Prille Mill Come

Long ago, in a land far, far away, there once lived five pretty princesses. The girls (Megan Robertson, Jessi Petty, Danielle Redfield, Devin Thomas, Cheryl Hedges) lived lives of luxury, with everything that money could buy, yet they were unhappy. There was one thing missing from their lives. Meanwhile, in another land far, far away there lived five handsome princes (Seth Clark, Ian Stewart, Matt Heppner, Ryan O'Connell, Erik Smalek). Like the

Homecoming Court was like a dream come true. "For me, the best part about being on the court was getting to dance with Ryan," recalls Junior Megan Robertson, a smile spreading across her face. Senior Jessi Petty stated, "It was an honor to represent my class. I never thought I would be on the court and it was a total shock when I was nominated. Overall it was a wonderful and exciting experience!" "The support from the student body and the community

princesses, they felt that something in their lives was lacking.

One day while the girls were on a walk they fell prey to a band of gypsies. It just so happens that the princes were nearby and rushed onto the scene when they heard the cries for help. As soon as they saw the girls they knew that this was what they had been

> Once upan a time in a land called Marshall, five beautiful princesses awnited the arrival of their handsame princes. missing. They rescued the girls from the gypsies and and they all lived happily ever after.

Okay, so maybe this story was a bit on the fictional side, but for many of the members, being on

was more than I could ever have expected. It was incredible!" announced Danielle Redfield with a sigh.

The King and Queen - Matthew Heppner and Danielle Redfield


The Senior Escort and Attendant - Erik Smalek and Jessi Petty

Together at last! Front Row: Devin Thomas, Megan Roberts, Danielle Redfield, Jessi Petty, Stewart.


The Freshman Escort and Attendant - Seth Clark and Devin Thomas

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"Am I Adorable Or What?!" Says Annie Stulberg as she desperately tries to get Brittany Byrens hair to stay in her braids! Annie would always lend a helping hand with people's hair and make up!


Fall Play
By Megan Adams

Mmm Mmm Good! Joan Saber and Bethany Kane like to sneak away from rehearsals every once in a while to be chowhounds! Beth and Joan played a HUGE part in helping out with just about everything! Keep up the good work girls!



I'm Sleepy Daddy ... remarks Brittany Byrens (Anne Frank) to her father David Saber. This was Brittnay's first big show, and she stated, "I loved every second of it!".


Flash those pearly whites! Elise Killewald, Annie Stulberg, and Irma
Gonzalez are all smiles af ter their opening night of the show. All the girls remarked that they had a blast working with each other!


Bow down to the Big Dogs! Ian Unterbrink, David Saber, and Aj Somsel aren't complaining about their break! These boys took a break on the "special couch" whenever they had a chance!

# 2000 Rehearsals 

Some might say that The Diary of Anne Frank was a little disappointing, a little long, and maybe not really a go-getter. But this certainly was not the case. Hundreds of people walked through those auditorium doors on November 12th, 13th, and 14th, not really know-

## THESE KIDS REHEARSE THEIR WAY

## iNTO THE New Millemvillm

"This show was tough to do, but it was a blast sneaking off stage to watch movies!' - Jon Byrd ing what to expect. Hundreds of those people came back out those doors, in tears. Now if a high school play can do that to all of those people, it must have been a pretty good show!

More than 25 students, teachers, and parents helped in some way or another. Megan DeJong, of the lighting crew stated, "I was there at every rehearsal and noticed all of the support people gave. We couldn't have done this show with out all of those people there!" Everyone came together to make this one heck of a show!

The Diary of Anne Frank is about a Jewish family trying to survive during the Holocaust. The Van Daan family moved in with the Frank family in an upstairs attic so they wouldn't be caught and taken to a concentration camp. "This show felt so real, it felt like we were actually living their lives whenever we were on stage," explained Emily Bonnaire.


Pucker up! Brittany Byrens (Anne Frank) and Jeff Tarkewitz (Peter Van Daan) had to practice this scene many times to get it up to Ms. Ralston's satisfaction! All Brittany had to say about it was, "is it supposed to be like that?!'


The cast and crew of The Diary of Anne Frank
Dave Richardson, Annie Stulberg, A.J. Somsel, Brittany Byrens, Dawn Estep, Billy Romano, David Saber, Jared Palmer, Cassie Treat, Gregor Maretzke, Tony Barroso, Jeff Tarkewitz, Nate Powers, Megan DeJong, and Irma Gonzalez.


## They're hig B-H-H, They're haid, B-I-ID, and Thej're hoss, 

They're not only big, bad, and boss they also are the Twin Valley Champs. This year the Marshall Football team had 8 wins and 3 losses. They made it to the District Finals game against arch-rival Harper Creek, where they lost a heart breaker. Even so, they did have a great season ending up Twin Valley Champs. The captains of the 1999 season were Justin Moss, Trevor Kelly, D.J. London, and Noah Wilson. These guys led their team through every grueling practice and every Friday night grid iron match up. Justin Moss stated, "We would have liked to have gone further, but we can't be disappointed with a Twin Valley Championship." Those are the
words of a true leader Coach Hulkow commented, "There was never a practice that one person didn't try. This year's team had a lot of talent." The Marshall fans would probably agree with Coach Hulkow because every Friday night the stands were full with die-hard Marshall Football fans. The senior girls showed their spirit by wearing the numbers of all the senior players on the team. Most fans painted their faces or wore red and black, the colors of the Redskins. "For we seniors it was a lot of fun, since we were all friends. It was nice to hang out with each other every day and it turned out we were pretty darn good," expressed Jason Cox - and that they were.


The four stooges Trevor Kelly, Noah Wilson, Justin Moss, and D.J. London were the captains of the 1999 Varsity football squad. These guys led the team to many victories.

Run Geno Run Geno Klisiak (\#23) can run like the wind. When the team was in any sort of trouble they would give the ball to Geno, and he would take it down to the other end of the field and usually get into scoring position. He will be back next year, hopefully for an even better season.


Where do I go coach? The team usually has to help Seth Shubert out because he sometimes forgets that he has to stay on the field during the game. Seth always received great catches at key times during the game. Seth received the MVP award this year.


They can't catch me!! Justin Moss (\#80) is one of the captains of the football team. He made a lot of exciting plays throughout the season Even though he is small he sure can run.

Boys Varsity Football Front Row: Matt Heppner, Nathan Hazen, Jason Cox, Richard Baker, Noah Wilson, Trevor Kelly, Justin Moss, DJ London, Matt Fish, John Litton. Second Row: Mike Waidelich, Mike Burger, Eric Weberling, Brett Riser, Ben McCann, Joe Weakly, Seth Shubert, Eric Smalek, Matt DuBois, Paul Dally. Third Row: Trainer Chuck Middleton, Coach Ben Armstrong, Head Coach Rich Hulkow, Coach Doug Burger, B.J. VanDyke, Marc Mead, Jeff Covert, Brian Bailey, Andy Corralez, Coach Jerry Triece, Coach Jeremy Brown, Coach Mike Fitzpatrick Fourth Row: Ryan Rhodes, Brian Barnes, Keegan Robbins, Geno Klisiak, Ben Hughes, Travis Sims, Jon Booth, Patrick Clark, Matt Nofs. Back Row: Scott Stone, Joe Darling, John Moore, Kyle Albrecht, Brian Leininger, Chris Robinson. Missing from picture: Randy Day, Joe Sharrar.


He can't be stopped! B.J. Van Dyke (\#15). B.J. is one of the key players on the High School Football team. This year B.J. had an irritating injury to his ankle, but he still contributed a lot to the team


# Hit Me WITH YOUR BEST SHOT 

Pump up boys The J.V. team riles themselves up to pull through another victory, Collin Vincent leapt on the top to be king of the pack.

## FRESHMAN TEAM ALWAYS HAD "FAITH" AND J.V. STARED AT THE OPPONENT WITH AN "EYE OF THE TIGER"

Through all the ups and downs both the Freshman and J.V. football team had a good year. Fighting through the injuries on the Freshman team and the concussions on the J.V. team, they both came out and won the Twin Valley Championship.

The Freshman captains were Justin Hughes, Jesse Faurot, Bill Sleeper, and Justin Newsome. Justin Hughes and Jesse Faurot were the main cheerleaders. Bill Sleeper was the pastor, leading the team with prayers. Two of the team captains were asked how they liked being of a leader to the team and they replied, "Heck, yeah! I enjoyed it. It had a lot of fun leading my team to the Co-Twin Championship," stated Justin Hughes. "Yes, I enjoyed being one of the team captains, it was fun helping the team through the season," replied Bill Sleeper. Thanks to the
team song, "Faith" by Limp Bizkit, the team always kept their faith.

The J.V. team captains were Tyler Bradshaw and Matt Vandermeulen. The team picked both Tyler and Matt, not just for their playing abilities but for their leadership skills. When asked about being a team captain Tyler responded, "I felt the team relied on me to keep them not only focused, but also to help them with what their jobs and responsibilities were." Matt Vandermeulen added, "This year was very fun and challenging, but I loved the challenge because it made both mine and the team's skills improve." The JV team song "Eye of the Tiger" from Rocky gave them motivation. Both teams had an excellent season that culminated in a twin valley championship.



Hmmm ... I want that one. Here is Justin Hughes, picks out his next enemy from Sturgis to be tackled. Justin was also a main contributor to the freshman team.
J.V. and Freshman Football By Katie Murphy

Freshman Football Front Row: Kraig Stevenson, Bill Sleeper, Tanner Vincent, George Face, Brad Reinhold, Nick Zuehlke, Adam Hankey, Chris Wintersteen. Second Row: Andy Tarmnel, Matt Moss, Joe Kalisz, Phil Weare, Nick Monaweck, Justin Hughes, Jim Bedford, DJ Dice, Jimmy Biggs, Anthony Huffman. Third Row: Coach Mark Minkwic, Coach Kelly Williams, Coach Jim Hendershot, Cris Anderson, Seth Clark, Jesse Faurot, Ben Taylor, Justin Kazmar, Justin Newsome, Doug VanDyke, Dan Arriauga. Back Row: Eli Valentine, Clint Edwards, Nick Tefft, Matt Hart, Andy Lake, Steve Weaver, Ben Jones, Scott McKenzie.

J.V. and Freshman Football

## Where my cirls at?

"Ahhhhhhhh ... Work together! Win together! Let's go Skins!" This powerful cheer can be heard echoing throughout the gym as the 1999 Girls' Varsity Basketball team forms a circle in the middle of the court. Everyone
knows what comes next, a great game and a win! The LadySkins are coached by Sal
Konkle, a new head Varsity coach, and assistant Doug Riegal. Part of the girls' success comes from their supportive parents and fans. Every game the devoted parents could be spotted in their bright red LadySkins sweatshirts. "We appreciate all the support, especially from our fellow students. It was really cool when Mr. Coddens let all the students get in free to our home game against Lakeview if they painted their faces. Oh, we won that game by the way!" Remarked junior guard Marrisa Long. "The
whole community is behind us," contributed center Missy Lough. "So many people wish us luck, it's a really nice feeling."

It takes a lot of devotion, practice, and cooperation to become the successful team that these girls have become. Despite their busy schedules of homework, basketball, friends, and family, the stress does not affect their game. These girls mean business when it comes to basketball. The senior girls on the team have been playing together since fourth grade. 'It's easy to play with these girls. We're all so used to each other, and work well with one another," stated captain Katie Andrysiak. Over this period of time, they've developed very close relationships and some awesome basketball skills. Overall, Marshall's 1999 Girls' Varsity Basketball team ended with the outstanding and impressive season record of 22 and 2 . They were Twin Valley Champions and District Champs as well. No doubt about it, they had a wonderful year.



Delightfully Dangerous As they say, "Don't judge a book by it's cover." This is very true when it comes to the LadySkins. They may look cute and seem innocent, but on the court they're mean and tough. Don't let their smiles deceive you.


Way To Go "LO"! \#4 Laurel McKenna holds her perfect followthrough. Please don't mess with her when it comes to 3-pointers. Laurel is known for her extremely accurate and dangerous shots, and leads the LadySkins in 3-pointer land.

Triple Threat All-star Morgan Peters is tak ing care of the ball. Morgan's real specialty is blocking, but she is also known for some awesome defense.


Girls' Varsity Basketball
Front Row - Assistant coach Doug Riegal, Laurel McKenna, Katie Andrysiak, Morgan Peters, Missy Lough, Catie Neidlinger, Head coach Sal Konkle. Back Row - Jenny Rodgers, Corrie Edwards, Kari Searles, Katie Schaum, Bethany Weare, Tonya Dawson, and Marissa Long.


America Is "Behind" You As point guard Catie Neidlinger (\#5) shoots over Hillsdale's 6foot center, the American flag can be seen waving in the background. The community supports "Neids," as well as the country. Catie is one of he three tri-captains, along with Laurel McKenna and Katie Andrysiak.


Girls Varsity Basketball By Bethany Weare

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Freshman and J.V. Basketball Teams Take The Heat For A Win

The Girls Freshman and JV Basketball teams surpassed their expectations this season. The J.V. team had an awesome year; they had all the ingredients for a great season. The best part was all twelve girls had a very important role. With their nothing but net shots and tenacious defense they all could contribute a great amount when on the court. "Everyone on the team has progressed tremendously! We work well together as a team, and have fun!" Beth Scherer commented enthusiastically. The Freshman team also had an outstanding season with a record of 14-3. With a mix of ex-
perienced and inexperienced players the girls ended up blowing teams away. "We had a lot of fun, worked hard in practice, and got along well." remarked Beth Anne Murphy. For the first time the Freshman team participated in the Twin Valley Tournament, they played very well and made it all the way to the final game before losing to Lakeview 50-13. Both teams played outstanding throughout the entire season. The girls worked hard everyday in practice and they all improved tremendously. "All the hard work really paid off," Monica Long mentioned looking back on the season.

I Believe I can Fly! Freshman Monica Long, \#32, gets ready to play some defense during one of this years Freshman Basketball games. Monica stole the ball from this Sturgis Trojan and sprinted down the court for the easy bucket.



Girls Freshman Basketball Front row: Ariana Mankerian, Chelsea Brubaker, Kristina Lord, Beth Murphy, Amber Huff man, Annemarie Lautzenheiser, Ingrid Edwards. Back row: Coach Nick Dent, Jessica Byrd, Maggie Adams, Monica Long, Tiffany Palik, Alison Jenks, Amanda London, Christa Chapman.

Girls Freshman/JV Basketball
By Marissa Long

Box-out Kristen! Waiting for a Sturgis Trojan to take a free throw, Sophomore Kristen Barnes gets ready for the rebound. On her toes and in great position Kristen uses her muscles to get this rebound and many others.


Ready, Set, Fire! Thanks to Morgan Goodwin's strong moves to the basket her opponent had no choice but to foul her. Morgan confidently walked up to the charity stripe and sank both free throws.

Girls J.V. Basketball Front row: Shannon Duffey, Megan Casarez, Coach Dan Coddens, Sara Casarez, Kristen Barnes. Back row: Beth Scherer, Jenny Stulberg, Morgan Goodwin, Elise Head, Cheryl•Hedges, Jayna Goodrich, Erin Simmons.



Get Open! Kristina Lord, \#24, looks for an open teammate to whom she could pass. Her speed and accuracy from three-point land helped the team tremendously.


Girls Freshman/J.V. Basketball By Marissa Long


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When compared to music, a soccer team has more a sense of totality. The goalie would be the backbone, or the beat. Supporting the beat would be the rhythmic defenders. And while the midfield plays a strong melody, the forwards keep their harmony. Whether playing like music or forming like Voltron, this group of
were running in endless soccer-circles on the lush greens of Wattles Park.

It's the little things that kept this team solid. Knick-names, sports taps, and pre-game meditation were among the team's solidifying traits. Also, Ben Brott's melodramatic antics kept the team on their toes because prior to the game,

## Form LikeVoliron

guys was the epitome of unity.
The 1999 Marshall High School Varsity Soccer team came together as one and played a great season. Within most sport teams, there is a slight sense of rivalry, but these boys have been buddies since they

Ben would wrestle a soccer ball to the ground.

I asked Ben about this uncanny activity and he said simply, "It is a deep statement of what soccer is truly about: man vs. sport."

Is that the silverdome? No, it's only Matt DuBois' impact cushion chrome dome (AKA - goalie helmet). The helmet proved to be self-sufficient fuel for Matt's tenacity during this year's games. He ended the season with an awesome average around 1 goal-against per game.


Flare what?! Who can finagle his way through three soccer enemies and, all the while, dodge his own hair? Most people would have guessed Cousin It, but the true answer to this riddle is Marshall's very own Adam "Flare-it" Hecox. He uses a special force known as "flower power."

Ball, meet Josh Josh Petty punches the ball to the ground with authority from his chest. After giving the soccer ball something to think about, Josh worked his way to the end of the field for a routine, crowdpleasing play.



We're glue Some veritable force brings this excellent team together. Is Matt DuBois' chrome-dome an intensity magnet or are they just pretending to be the Thundercats and form a giant feline robot? The actual reason is that Rob Backlund's mom made a fresh batch of brownies for the team on a first-come/first-serve basis.

Ain't no half-steppin' Ryan "OC" O'Connell stops, turns, and kicks in a shot against the Comstock goalie. OC was so good at taking shots this year, his teammates gave him the moniker "Shots O'Connell.'


Boys Varsity Soccer Front row: Brad Quinn, A.J. Somsel, Ian Unterbrink, Matt DuBois, Nick Kilgren, John Lambrix, Ryan O'Connell. Second row: Ryan Bridges, Ben Brott, Jeff Fausey, Josh Petty, Greg Owen, David Palchak. Third row: Doug Rasher, Ross Lukje, Dave Richardson, Sebastien Antal, Rob Backlund, Adam Hecox. Back row: Coach Barry Phillips, Kail Robinson, Brad McCormack, Andy Rosko, Kevin Cook, Coach Kevin McCauley

"After having the great season las year that we did, no one expected us to go anywhere. Even so, everyone on the team this year believed that we would prove those who doubted us wrong. Though our record (12-7 didn't show the talent we possessed, I'm proud of everyone and everything we did."

- Brad McCormack, tri-captain



## Set Your Motor To Run, Get Ready To Gun......

## Kick_It Out

"We had a really good season, but hopefully it will be even better next year," stated Matt Thomas of the Marshall High School JV soccer team, and most people would have to agree that they had a really good season because they did not lose any of their games.

The boys played hard to maintain their undefeated streak. Cam Miller proudly commented, "We kicked Lakeview's well, you know." And while being delicately put, this is very true. Marshall was very
happy to beat Lakeview's team since Lakeview was the only team to beat them last year. Lakeview ended up with 0 goals the first game, and only 1 goal in the last game. Marshall won both times with 1 goal the first game, and 2 goals the last game.

Nick Zalewski summed it up best when he stated, "We did really good and had a lot of fun." When asked about future soccer seasons he finished with "The next couple of years will be very great." And Nick, we could not hope for more.

In a league of his own Being the only junior on the team, Ian Root feels it is his responsibility to be a leader. Ian takes a break and watches his team proudly. "Every JV team needs a Junior leader," he stated


Cam, what large ... eyes you have Cam "I'm dang smooth" Miller and Anthony Posler compare and contrast soccer balls while Chad Duckwall, Matt Thomas, Josh Allmond, Collin Hoffmann, Justin Sauerbrey, and Josh Deno watch the game. When Cam was asked what he thought about this year's soccer season he replied "I wanna be sedated." As usual, no one had any clue what he was talking about. Cam scored one goal this season.


Blocked! Aaron Ebner eagerly awaits the oncoming ball. The ball was successfully blocked and returned to the field for the JV soccer team to deal with.

Boys JV Soccer Front Row: Matt Thomas, Collin Hoffmann, Ian Stewart, Seth Presley, Ian Root, Justin Allmond, Fernando Viso. Second row: Cam Miller, Derek Schook, Ryan McCann, Greg Wicklund, Josh Almond, Josh Deno, Justin Sauerbrey. Third row: Jon Hammond, Navin Srinivasin, Jeff Cox, Nick Zalewski, Chad DuckwaH, Jeff Hammer. Back Row: Coach Beckland, Brad Polcyn, Anthony Posler, Matt Shook, Aaron Ebner, Coach Huggett.


The notorious lollipop prance Navin Srinivasan demonstrates for his teammates how to successfully execute the lollipop prance. It's the team's best defense against their opponents.


Huddle! The JV soccer team huddles up before returning to the battlefield. While playing a tough opponent, the JV boys had no fear. They huddled to raise their spirits and went on to win the game.

## THIS YEAR'S VARSITY GIRLS SAY WHO NEEDS "LOVE" WHEN YOU'VE GOT.

 MatchpointIt's that time of the year again. The shrine behind the teacher's parking lot and across from the baseball field starts to reek of hardcoreness and intensity. The ladies around school start to get a little jumpy and are ready and willing to wreck anybody who looks at them cockeyed. Yes ladies and gents, it's girls tennis season again. Now, I know what you're thinking; "Varnz es loco"; tennis isn't hardcore. The way I would reply to that is, "You're absolutely wrong, homies!" Witnesses have reported balls smoking through fences and shrapnel from rackets being embedded in the heads of small children. When Marc Mead was asked why he goes to the matches he responded, "It's the intensity, brother!" Mark Loyer was asked the same question, and replied, "There's actually two reasons: Dillon's cat Nibbles climbing up the fence, and girls in lollies." A lot of people (guys mostly) don't know what lollies are. So I asked a member of the team to explain. Erica Eash revealed that they're "cute decorated undies with pockets." Now that we have the important stuff out of the way, I thought I'd ask some questions about their season. I asked Kate Weston who she and Kelly Triece's biggest rivals were and how they did against them. She replied, "Jackson County Western and we lost in a very tight match."
Many of you fans out there have probably noticed the Matchpoint logo on the back of the team's shirts, but some people don't know what it means. Neither did I until Sunny Quada explained, "The match represents the beginning of the fire, and the flame is the point where we're gonna burn you!'

So when you're sitting around on some hot day next summer drinking a pop and eating your favorite brand of potato chips, think about this year's girls tennis team ... What a bunch! They were not as ladylike as you might have thought. Surely, they'll go into Redskin history.


What goes through her mind? I'll tell you what's going through her mind - Sit ' $n$ ' Spin. You know those little round things that you sit on, and then turn the wheel, and you spin around. Even though it has nothing to do with tennis. Emily Kleinschmidt loves Sit ' $n$ ' Spins - doesn't everybody?

Hail to the Victors This years valiant girls won the 1999 Pennfield Invitational in typical Redskin fashion, destroying any unlucky opponent that dared cross the warpath. All the girls received medals for their first place effort, and the team was given a trophy, which will be permanently installed in our beautiful new trophy cases ... as long as they don't crowd the football section.


Look, up in the sky! Sunny Quada points to the sky with a look of concern, as a giant tennis ball falls from the heavens. Luckily we were able to get this great action shot seconds before a yellow, furry monster destroyed the world.

Girls Varsity Tennis Front row: Sunny Quada, Kate Weston. Second row: Jessi Johnson, Emily Kleinschmidt, Emily Davis, Amber Leonard, Sara Boedecker, Emily Driver, Kelly Triece, Becca Riser, Stacey Roberts, Erica Eash, Brooke McKenney, Essie Galloway. Back row: Coach Foreman. Missing: Elisa Brigham


Academics before Athletics Brooke McKenney and Essie Galloway show that they can hit the books as well as they can hit the tennis ball. These two gals are often spotted skipping practice just to get in a few more math problems. We know you love school ladies, but sometimes enough is enough! Remember, athletics before academics ... or something like that.

"What's my name fools? S-T-A-C-E-Y. That's right, and when I'm out on the court with my TRU homies, and roledoggs I hit switches on snitches like I've been fixed with hydraulics. Don't step, or your bound to get smoked!" Stacey (the ice cream girl) Roberts


Girls Varsity Tennis By Ryan Varner

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A little bit a Jessica Jessi Johnson's cold stare lets her victims across the net know whose court on which they are standing Jessi dominated her competition as she alternated between fourth singles Varsity and first singles JV.

She loves me, she loves me not. There were so many girls, so little time and so much to learn.

With a mix of freshman, sophomores, juniors and seniors, the Girls JV Tennis team had an outstanding season. Due to great interest, the girls were split into two teams by ability: JV A and JV B. The team's grueling practices started in August and lasted until midOctober. For many, this was their first year playing tennis, including Junior Kristin Dominique, "I learned a lot for my first year. We had a great season!" Under the direction

## With the Millennimm, the

of second year coach James Mazo, the team racked up wins against Albion, Coldwater, Lakeview, and Battle Creek Central. While beating up on these Twin Valley rivals, the girls also managed to compete in four tournaments.

Their talent, skill and athleticism made them close to unstoppable. In Junior Jenny Yang's LOVIN, season, and tennis balls whizzing bj, the gals put a new spin on SUMMER words, "They're going down!" Many girls would probably agree with Freshman Jessica Leahy's comment on the season, "It was a fun experience and I'm looking forward to playing next year."


Fry those eggs! Emily Davis takes a stroll down memory lane back to the days of aerobisizing with Mrs. Covert and '80's fashion styles. As Emily and her partner Sara Boedecker discovered, crimped hair, leggings and bandanas tied at the knee can be a huge advantage in defeating one's opponent.

You put your right arm in When things get boring on her side of the court, Nicki Riggs entertains herself with the Hokey Pokey. As Nicki can attest to, this silly dance not only passes time while the opposing gals run down the ball, but speeds metabolism and tones muscle.


Kiss your bicep If she's heard it once, she's heard it a thousand times - follow through high. But the idea of wrapping her arm around her neck while hitting a ball didn't seem to appeal to Katie Wheat. She preferred to keep her racket where it belonged - directly in front of her.

Girls JV Tennis Front Row: Kristin Dominique, Jaime Morrison, Jamie Rush, Vanessa Rodgers, Courtney Loyer, Lauren Arizmendi. Second Row: Jenny Yang, Kealey Cottrell, Liz Foerster, Ashley Wilson, Chelsea Mead, Katie Wheat, Amber Maurer. Back Row: Emily Taylor, Nikki Riggs, Brittany Syer, Jamie Bradshaw, Jessica Leahy, Devin Thomas, Samantha Hughes, Anna Morgan, Danielle Post, Maxi Schallschmidt, James Mazo.


Holy Toledo! Singles player Emily Taylor practices her killer serve in slow motion, much to the delight of her fellow teammate, Jenny Yang. Jenny struggled to master the sacred "sidearm" serve all season and reacted with child-like enthusiasm whenever she found a willing demonstrator.

I'm a Barbie Girl, in a Barbie World Devin Thomas practices her impression of Tennis Pro Barbie while anticipating the arrival of the ball. But don't let her sweet smile deceive you - Devin has been known to scale the net and destroy anyone who got in her way.


## Swinging into the new millanniom

## "THEY (ALL ME THE PATHFINDER"-(INKNOWN

While swinging into a new millennium, the boy golfers stayed warm without one snow-out the whole season. "Next year we can be good, as long as some of our No Limit boys get going," declared Matt Bennett. "We shared a ton of good memories this season that I'll remember for a long time. It's going to be very hard to replace our seniors, they will be missed," Joe Hutchings expressed.

Golf isn't quite as easy as everyone makes it out to be. It is very intense, but that might be because of Mr. Reynolds. "They call me the pathfinder. Well, I call me the pathfinder," Mr. Reynolds said while directing Preston Meeder where to hit the ball.

The game of golf depends a lot upon your skill and your luck. So if you might not be the best with a club, but you are tremendously lucky and have some skill, then tryout next year for Marshall "No Limit" Redskins golf.


Picture perfect Kyle Kalinowski hasn't got the feeling to let loose on it yet. The perfect placed pitch shot, a bump and run, or a skull what will it be?

Can you take me higher Joe "Hutch" Hutchings is at his ultimate high with a little guided practice from the "pathfinder" himself.


Gone with the wind Along with the ball being gone with the wind, Paul Mestemaker's hair is flowin'. He uses top of the line hair products to get his mullet to complete satisfaction.

A full extendo Matt Tarpley demonstrates what it means to have a full turn.


Concentration In the game golf if you were to lose your concentration, it would be like losing your golf ball. Concentrate, Cody, concentrate.

Boys Golf Front Row: Owen Leonard, Travis Woodcock, Josh Coles, Justin Venderburg, Josh Billings. Second Row: Dennis McCullin, Travis Simpson, Eric Reid, Kelly Peterson, Chris Sayers. Third Row: Coach Reynolds, Brad Torrey, Cody Burghdorf, Pete Van Zandt, Kyle Kalinowski. Back Row: Preston Meeder, Matthew Tarpley, Joseph Hutchings, Paul Mestemaker, James Shepherd. Missing from picture: Matt Bennett


You should be dancin', yeah! "This year I decided to practice my dance moves instead of practicing what I need work on ... my golf game." - Paul Mestemaker


# Explosive when wa世 

## The swimmers and divers push their limits to make it to state

The girls swam and dove extremely well this season. They knew what they had to accomplish and they set their hearts on doing it. The best part was that everyone pulled together and got along right from the start of the season and held it together all the way to the end. "Even though this was my first year on the diving team, everyone helped me fit right in. I had a blast," Danielle Woods remarked after having a wonderful first year. The girls finished their season out strong with an outstanding 6-2 record. The girls worked extremely hard pushing themselves at every practice and breaking their personal goals at almost every meet. "Being a captain was extremely fun this year, I had an awesome team to work with," commented Chrissie George looking back on the season with no regrets. The whole team was determined to have no regrets through-


Nothing but smiles After a long hard day of swimming the girls were awarded with a 1999 Marshall Quad Meet trophy. All their hard work really paid off.
out the whole season. Many of our girls qualified for the State meet at Eastern Michigan University, and did very well. "Making it to the state meet at Eastern was a great way to finish out my senior year," Rachel Lortz commented after a long wonderful season. The girls finished their season out with outstanding times.

Breathe Jacie Deweese glides through the water swimming the 100 breaststroke using all her strength to pull herself closer and closer to the finish to end the season out with a strong swim and a great time.


Flying to be first Coming up for a breath, Freshman Carrie Jones swims her heart out, pushing her limits to finish the 100 butterfly with an outstanding time.

Ready, Set, Go! Waiting for her teammate to touch the wall, Senior Carol Woolley gets ready to dive in. Carol exploded off the blocks and pierced through the water like a rocket and had a great swim as usual.


Quiet for the diving Senior Rachel Lortz, reaches high and throws an outstanding reverse one and a half. Rachel finished first at the and broke her own personal record.

Girls Swim Team Front row: Shannon Altic, Becky Lathers, Carrie Jones, Brittany Hainline, Carrie Schroder. Second row: Kolleen Kowalske, Danielle Mees, Ashley Heitmeyer, Jenny Litton, Kristi Miller, Jenny Henry. Third row: Crystal Gould, Ashley Sobel, Kara Byrne, Katie Howard, Sam Case, Jacie Deweese, Liz Tarmnel, Danielle Woods, Aubrey McCauley. Fourth row: Sofia Lindgren-Wulff, Chrissie George, Michelle Harrington, Nicole Woodcock, Rachel Lortz. Back Row: Maureen Palchak, Jackie Anderson, Sally Tarmnel, Carol Woolley, Jenny Kish.



Pulling towards the finish Chrissie George is swimming her heart out and doing awesome in the 200 individual medley. She focuses on perfecting all her strokes to cut her times while swimming. Chrissie is pushing as hard as possible and is ready to win.


Girls Swimming and Diving

## START AT THE FIINISH

## These guys will Cast longer than the millenninm

"The faster you run, the faster you're done," the inspiring words of Phil Baranowski. Yet Phil's talent is not only limited to quoting, he is also a very talented athlete. Then again, the entire Boys Cross Country team is a group of talented guys.

Take Brandon Robishaw for instance, who inspired with these words, "No matter how hard the opposing force presses down on me I keep going. I know that surrendering is the first step to failure."

Apparently Brandon speaks for the entire team when he says that, because these guys didn't give up this year. At Regionals they ended up in 11th place out of 15. So it was a good year for them.
"It was a pretty fun experience to do two sports at the same time. Cross Country is fun," Jordan Feldpausch summed up. The 1999 Marshall Cross Country team is, without a doubt, a force with which to reckon.


Pep talk The team stands in silence as Coach Unruh gives a quick speech. This scene was very quiet and serious. Until Brandon put on his hat.


Scenery: Friend or Foe? Joe Kubicek keeps us with his opponent at Cross Country meet. Not even the beautiful scenery could break Joe's concentration. Oh well, that's one strategy the other team can rule out for next year.


Quintessential, big word Brandon Robishaw thumbs his nose at Sturgis runners everywhere with his quintessential "number one" post. Even though Brandon took time to pose for the camera, he succeeded in keeping up with his fellow teammates and opponents. It's safe to say that Brandon should receive extra style points for this one.

Boys Cross Country
Front row: Pete Cruz, Doug Potter, Ryan Norton, Devin Hurst.
Back row: Coach Unruh, Wes Schoenherr, Joe Kubicek, Ben Walters, Brandon Robishaw, Phil Baranowski.
bow of team spirit. Either that or a whole bunch of sweaty guys from Eaton Rapids and Marshall.


## The end is nearl"

While going to Cornwell's, you spot a pack of girls running like crazy. You frantically search for a reason to why they are running. Are they running from a loose Rottweiler? No my friend, this is the Marshall Girls Cross Country team racing on their home course. Abby Bedient and Elissa Murphy lead the girls as their captains. At each meet they run their hearts out for 5000 meters (3.1 miles.) You may ask yourself what keeps these girls motivated. "I just think that the faster I run," Abby Bedient stated, "the faster I'm done." Molly Miller added, "Singing works a lot."

Despite many injuries throughout the season and a young team, the girls did

> The girls cross country team runs bach race maiting for one glorions momeit....to cross the finish line
well. Their best finish occurred at the MSU Invitational where they placed fifth. They had four wins and six losses out of their dual meets. Unfortunately, the team did not make it to the State meet. However, Andrea Twiss was able to run at the State meet where she placed 68 th out of 280 runners.

The girls expect to have a strong team next year.
Amanda Holibaugh agreed,
"We're losing a couple seniors, but we should have a lot of potential for next year." One thing for sure is that the girls enjoyed their season. Heidi Bramble confirmed this by remarking "Everyone's times have improved and we've had a lot of fun."


Follow the Leader Here we see Sophomore Shae Redfield caught up in a game of "Follow the Leader." Unfortunately, Shae was not chosen to be the leader. After her first year in cross-country she stated, "I like running because everyone's really supportive because they know it's the worst pain you've ever felt in your life.'

Over the River ... and through the woods Sophomore Amanda Holibaugh recalls the old saying "Step on a crack and you break your mother's back." Since her mom was there watching her she tried extra hard to step between the cracks on the bridge. Still, she managed to unintentionally step on one but her mom was just fine.

Don't Look Now ... but I think we're being followed. As Freshman Heather Wolf quickly ran past Coach Wissink, he checked to make sure that no one was following her. Luckily, because Heather was so speedy, she lost the other runners back in the forest.


Mach 10 As the competition falls behind, Andrea Twiss keeps running faster and faster until she breaks the sound barrier. Well, maybe not quite that fast. However, all of her opponents were not able to keep up with her. All of her hard work paid off as she qualified for the State meet where she ran in a time of 20:12.70


Girls Cross Country Front Row: Heidi Bramble, Amanda Holibaugh, Heather Wolf. Second Row: Cindy Moore, Abby Bedient, Shae Redfield, Andrea Twiss. Back Row: Gabby Weakley, Elissa Murphy, Molly Miller, Tiffany Freds, Coach Wissink.



Shut Up and Run Through the freezing cold air, Senior Tiffany Freds forces herself to run harder. Tiffany thought about taking a shortcut across the frozen pond. Conveniently, she changed her mind when she discovered that actually it wasn't frozen. Nevertheless, it was still mighty cold out there.


## Cheers to the new millennium. Redskin cheerleaders

## are bouncing through a new season.

The cheerleaders toasted new uniforms this year, while having more unity on the squad this year. "The season was better this year than last year, because when it came down to getting things done we all pulled together," recalled Sheena Cross. The captains this year were Shandra Thomas, Cassie Treat, Nichole Madry, and Jamie Boone. The varsity cheerleaders had an awesome season as well as the football team.

The Freshman cheerleaders had an excellent season, with only one injury. During a cheer, Hanna Nietzka attempted an X-jump, but she landed wrong and sprained her ankle. She was very embarrassed that it happened on such a simple jump. She commented, "Cheerleading was very fun especially at games, but practice would get frustrating at times." All of the cheerleaders are looking forward to next season so they can cheer again.


Pump it up Lori Britten, Nichole Madry and Jamie Boone are cheering to pump up the guys to beat the Beavers, but the varsity football team did not succeed. Even though they did not win, these girls did their part and cheered on the guys.

Varsity Cheerleading Front row: Nichole Madry, Adrian Anderson. Second row: Jamie Kendall, Jamie Boone Third row: Sheena Cross, Cassie Treat. Back Row: Crystal Finch, Shandra Thomas.



Give me a V Cheering the freshmen football team to a winning victory against Harper Creek, Hanna Nietzka cheers her loudest as Nesrin Semen backs her up all the way. They had a lot of fun that day, thanks to the beautiful weather.


Cheering to a victory Kim Stone replied, "This year was really great, because it was my first year that I got to cheer at the big games." Their squad led the freshman football players to another victory.


JV/Freshmen Cheerleading Front row: Nesrin Semen, Hanna Nietzka, Shauna Dunford. Back row: Angela Thurston, Lacy Rozell, Norrisha Brown, and Kimberly Stone.


Don't be shy, stand and give your battle cry Rooting on their favorite team Kim Stone and Lori Britten cheer the team on against Harper Creek, the Redskin rivals. It looked hard for the girls to get on each other's shoulders, but they succeeded without complications!

Taking time off Resting from a really energetic cheer, the cheerleaders take a break while they wait for their next cheer to get the guys going. Nichole Madry, Adrian Anderson, Jamie Kendall, Jamie Boone, and Krystal Finch rested up and went back to cheer on the guys.

Football Cheerleading
By Nikki Sheeks


## Riding till the end of time T

The Equestrian Team had another great season as they ended up 15 th in the state and 1st in the "A" team district. After being started and organized in 1996 by Pamela Weakly, the Equestrian Team has had three great seasons. This year's captain was Joe Weakly, a returning senior.

This year's team consisted of ten riders: Joe Weakly, Cassie Treat, Wendy Hamilton, Claire Nichols, Ashley Fast, Ashley Ramos, Katie Reed, Brittany Byrens, Laura Howland, and Myra Hamilton. Each competed with great team spirit, even if it meant being competitive towards each other. Brittany Byrens commented "We had a great team this year! I really hope the team next year and the year after keep getting better. We
had some of next year's freshman riders come with us to some of the meets and they are excited to come to the high school and be on the team. I'm excited too, because, not only do we have a great bunch of riders now, but we have more good riders coming!" Ashley Ramos remarked, "The season was a lot of fun, especially the state meet! I hope every one had as much fun as I did." Laura Howland also commented, "I thought we did really well this season. I really hope every one works hard over the off season so we can be even better next year!"

Overall, the team was very hard working and productive. They prepared for the state meet by striving to be their best. They had an excellent season.


All Smiles Grooming is a big part of showing a horse. Here Ashley Fast and her father, Roger, put the final touches on Ashley's horse, "Pete."


Those crazy kids and their horses ride through another great season

Ride it my pony At the state meet in Detroit, Brittany Byrens rides her horse "Sassy" into the show arena. Brittany was slightly nervous for this major event, as her teammates were depending on her.



Marshall Equestrian team Front row: Ashley Fast, Wendy Hamilton, and Cassie Treat. Back row: Katie Reed, Ashley Ramos, Claire Nickols, Laura Howland, Brittany Byrens, Myra Hamilton. (Not pictured is Joe Weakly.)

C'mon time is wasting, when will it be my turn? Freshman Ashley Fast shows her horse, "Pete." "The state meet was lots of fun, I can't wait until next year!" exclaimed Ashley Fast.


Giddy-up, ride 'em cowgirl On her horse "Poko," Wendy Hamilton waits to display her talent got in the show ring.

Watching the clock Captain Joe Weakly works hard getting his horse, "Winds Of Solid Gold" ready to show at the state meet in Detroit.

When I look into your eyes On a trip for ski club, Matt Blodgett stares across the bus aisle with a look of new found love in his eyes. Is he in love? Yes, as a matter of fact, Matt has fallen in love with his Blues Traveler CD. The only thing Matt managed to say was, "I ain't tellin' you no lie. The hook brings you back, on that you can rely."



Backyard boogie oogie oogie Akio, an exchange student from Japan, shows us the popular Japanese dance moves. He then decided to surprise us all and show us his break dancing skills. To our disappointment, he had no idea what he was doing and ended up knocking the drinking fountain right of $f$ the wall.

Oh say can you see? Lorraine Britten, Nesrin Semen, Kaity Adams, Krystal Finch, Nichole Madry, and Adrian Anderson stand in line as the "Star Spangled Banner" plays. Although none of them were thinking about the song they appeared intimidating. This is because they all were thinking about their upcoming task, to help the basketball team to a victory.



Back that thing up Tyler LaFountain gives the Jackson County Western player an evil look. After putting up with him all game, Tyler could not stand him and decided to start a staring contest. His opponent could not take the pressure and turned away, but Tyler just kept staring.

Winter Division By Nick Zalewski

## Despite Michigan's cold winters, Marshall high school students find a way to......

## Buncin Baby Buin!

For us Michiganians, winter always brings to mind freezing cold days with snowfalls that could completely cover someone like Mini-me. Every morning we hope to hear those two hallowed words, "No School!"

However, those words do not come often and although we would rather be lazy all day, we have to make the best of those wintery days.

Many Marshall students choose to make winter pass faster by playing one of the many sports. The high school offers basketball, swimming, cheerleading, wrestling, and volleyball. Also, there is a club for bowling. Now, I know you are thinking, "But what if I don't play any of these?" Well, the high school also has an intramurals league and a ski club. Intramurals are very popular among the rest of the students who may not be as athletically gifted as those who play sports. Derek Schook agreed, "Even though we can’t make the real basketball team, it's great to still have a
chance to play." Emily Fraley also concluded, "It was fun, even though we lost every game."

The ski club is also popular with those students who like to be outside in the winter. Some students are just beginners and yet some are almost experts. The ski club not only involves skiing, but snowboarding as well for those who prefer to do that. Still, ski club can be dangerous and Matt Bennett warned, "It's all fun and games until I put someone's eye out."

The other activity that one will find Marshall students preparing for is the Valentine's Dance. This is the dance where the girls get to ask the guys on a date. Many students enjoy this because it is the last formal dance before Prom.

Even though the harsh Michigan winters may seem intimidating, there are numerous activities to participate in at Marshall High School. So don't just sit around, get out and play a sport or join a club.


I'm going bowling baby Brian Dadow can't help but show his excitement as he is about to let the bowling ball go speeding down the lane. Joe Wheeler, meanwhile trying to be like his hero Babe Ruth, points where Dadow's ball is going, down the lane. After the ball did exactly as Joe predicted, Joey Hutchings, Dawn Zink, Cali Burdette, and Jessica Oswald just stood in disbelief.


Back at One Head of intramurals, Mr. Reynolds signals to Matt Heppner that it is time to start back at one. Matt got the signal confused and thought it was step four, to repeat steps one through three. That was when the chaos all started. In the end, they just decided to communicate verbally.

## Hearts On Fire

## A LOOK AT THE fiRST VALENTINE'S DAN(E DE THE 21ST EENTURY

Hershey's Kisses, close dancing, and loud music. These are just some of the things you saw if you were at the Valentine's Dance. There was fun, romance, and adventure all rolled into one action-packed night.

Some people thought this was the best night of their lives. "That night was so much fun because everyone seemed so happy," exclaimed Junior Sam Case. Others wanted the night to end immediately and forget the whole thing happened. "After my feet started to hurt, the night began to fall apart, piece by piece," complained Nichole Madry, a junior. If you walked through the dance and looked at all the smiling faces, you'd honestly think there was not one per-

son in the dance that wasn't really having a great time. Well boys and girls, it's true. School is as fun as you make it, and what could possibly be more fun than a dance!?! (Don't answer that).

For freshmen, this year was their first Valentine's Dance and after listening to upperclassmen's previous experiences, they didn't know what to expect. Freshman Katie Murphy commented, "For me, the Valentine's Dance was more fun than Homecoming because everything was more laid back." Whether it was a good experience or a bad one, most everyone will never forget their first Valentine's Dance.

Let's huddle! Wondering if she is, on the football team, Sophomore Katie Lange scans over the dance to see if there is anyone she can join that is not in a huddle. She quickly left the group and found some normal people.



Dance with me Senior Trevor Kelly romanced his date all night with his smooth dance moves. Here he is dancing to "Mambo \# 5."


So that's how the camera works!?! Having a tough time trying to get the camera to work, Seniors Jenny Grades and Ryan Mead finally figured it out. Their night was a blast after they were able to take some pictures.

Smiles Galore! A group of Seniors at the Valentine's Dance are full of smiles. They decided that it would be fun if they posed for the camera. Smile pretty!


I see you! Senior Matt Crowle and date Sophomore Megan Adams laugh the night away. Matt gives the camera a sly look wondering when they'll stop taking pictures of him.



Cheese! Freshmen Eric Heald, Nicole Derusha and Sophomores Rebekah Cottrell and Eric Rozell along with Freshman Lacy Rozell all stopped to "vogue" for the camera. Strike a pose!


The Swan Princesses Sophomores Aubrey McCauley and Danielle Woods show off their beautiful dresses to the camera. The girls had a hard time "shooting" the guys away the whole night.

Valentine's Dance

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I hope I don't fall... I'd look really stupid Says Keith Carver to himself as he troddles on up the bunny hill. Keith often wonders once he's half way up why he even takes the time out to go up the stupid rope-pull when he could easily just go up the chair lifts. Why, Keith, why?

I'm flyin' high now! Exclaims Kevin McConnell as he looks down on all the "little" things in life ${ }^{\prime}$ Kevin really likes to find himself when he's high up there. The air is torn up as he flies through on his brand new ski blades. You go boy.


Ski Club Members: Hayley Osborn, Felicity Osborn, Hilary Osborn, Nick Kilgren, Jeff Covert, Molly Lazar, Sunny Quada, Emily Whittaker, Tim Hecox, Aubrey Thompke, Courtney Wheeler, Shannon Altic, Jeni Grades, Joe Wilson, Becca Riser, Doug Rasher, Eric Hecox, Janine Woods, Jenny Yang, Emily Taylor, Colleen Pierce, Beth Hodge, Todd Everest, Gregor Maretzke, Alicia Colliear, Julie Ballard, Devin Thomas, Chad Duckwall, Ryan Mead, Cody Burghdorf, Jason Cox, Megan Adams, Chris Toyzan, Nate Powers, Chrissie George, Ryan Ours, Brian Leininger, Sebastian Antal, Justin Vandenberg, Cam Miller, Danny McConnell, Keith Carver, Aaron Newsome, Josh Allmond, Rob Backlund, Brad Quinn, Ai Uema, Anthony Posler, Derek Schook, Nick Monaweck, Ben Jones, Clint Edwards, Matt Moss, Ryan Quinn, Matthew J. Blodgett, Lindsey Cox, Stacey Roberts, Jaci DeWeese, Kara Byrne, Kyle Cox, Sara Dominique, Sara Dewolf, Susan Lambrix, Haruko Uchita, Tommy Edwardson, Ryan "O.C." O'Connell, Noah Wilson, Justin Moss, Seth Shubert.

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Why can't I move?! As Tim Hecox desperately tries to move from his snowboard, he still tries to "mack it" with the ladies. Then he realizes he has to "unhook" his feet from the board. Almost Tim ... Almost.

Should I jump, or shouldn't I jump? That was just one of the many thoughts that ran through some of the students' minds on the way down the hill. Whether they were new to ski club, or a member from previous years ... nobody seemed to care. Everyone was all about jumping this year! Emily Whittaker and Courtney Wheeler were first time snowboarders this year, but that didn't seem to faze them. They stated, "It was easier and a whole lot more fun to just go on the biggest hill and just jump. And Courtney's frostbite never even slowed us down!" Many others agreed with them.

But ski club did have its downs including quite a few injuries. A lot of people got some pretty bad boo-boos. Jenny Yang broke her hand, Becca Riser broke her pinky finger, Courtney Wheeler got a bit of frostbite, and many others had jammed fingers and sore little butts. But they were all still goin' strong the next week. "You really shouldn't ski with your eyes shut ... it really sucks when you fall," remarked Molly Lazar.

Everyone needs to give out serious thanks to Ms. Zuehlke. If it were not for her, there wouldn't have even been a ski club this year. She said she had a blast just chillin' in the lodge, watching everyone fall down the hills. Even though she never skied, she was a big help. She was always there for people, whenever they needed money, advice for picking up boys, and to tell stories by the fire for when people came in with a chill. She was just an all around great ski lady!

So, to all of you who wanted to do ski club this year and chickened out, make sure you roll on by next year. There will probably still be plenty of brokeri bones flyin' around and good ol' Ms. Zuehlke still sitting in the lodge. Don't worry, it's a good bonding experience. Feel the love ... Feel the snow ... Feel it ...


Bust a move As Courtney Wheeler decides to break it down on the slopes, she gets a little too excited and falls on her bottom. She can't seem to get that German techno tune out of her head. Shake yo thing girl.

I Want To Be A Baller Matt "the shot-caller" Bennett easily slips by his fraudulent foe Kevin McConnell. Kevin's defensive tactic was to quickly duck while his opponent went after the ball. Upsettingly, Kevin's strategy failed to gain him possession, but his hard work did help the team leave with a victory.



There is some veritable force that bonds humans with balls. It isn't a scientific force or some magical force, but more of an instinct. Throughout history this force has created games upon games for people of all backgrounds to spend their time battling with each other. Ball games will always be a part of our world whether played for fun, money, or life.
At Marshall High School, there is one Monday night ball game that rises above the rest ... Intramurals. The word itself brings on a feeling of fun and good times to most MHS students. "Intramurals is all about fun, man. Winning is only icing on the cake," remarked Andy Corallez. Andy's team, the Detroit Pistons, was one of the basketball teams trying to create fun for themselves as well as their opponents and fans. There aren't too many people who can say they joined intramurals for the sole purpose of winning.
Whenever people attend an athletic event, they are considered to be fans. The fans are the purest form of inspi-

"Sports are more fun when your team is made up of your best friends. All backs, no frontin - that was my team's strategy Herbal "Essence represent!"
Sunny Quada

Scheming and plotting While Ryan "OC"' O'Connell tends to put out the vibe, Corrie Edwards is moving in with her sweet charm in hopes to coax Ryan into changing the score. Corrie is oblivious to Nick "Dare Me" Zuehlke, who quietly shuffles onto the scene to keep the score in check. OC is the only one who can get away with cheating here, because he is the scorekeeper keeping score with the ladies. Cheating is bad.

ration for the intramural teams. think that the louder I cheer the teams on, there is more intensity and drama, which in turn creates more fun," pondered Ryan Mead. Ryan received praise from the masses for being the greatest fan in MHS Intramural history.

The intramural season for the year 2000 was definitely packed with intensity and drama. With ups \& downs, ins \& outs, and all the good \& bad breaks the teams shared a great experience. Only one team went away from the season undefeated; yet all of the team left their last games with good heads on their shoulders. It will be the fondest memory held by all the people who have participated in it.
As much as most people hate the beginning of the week, intramurals was a good way to make fun out of the constant drone of school. A final thought from Jenny Grades sums up the season perfectly, "It gave me something to do on those boring Monday nights."


They say "jump", you say "how high?" Benny McCann throws up a "J" from three-point range over his fragile contender Emzy Collins. Ben was once heard saying, "Good things come in threes." He must have been talking about himself, because he ended the season with well over twentyfive "tre's". Emzy got Mono.

I'm hurt Courtney Burns tries really hard to crack a smile even though she is suffering severely from a jammed thumb. Courtney's accident didn't happen during play, but during warm-up when she tried to execute a "mullet pass", also known as the neck pass.


Here they come ... For some odd reason, many of the kids that participated in intramurals all decided to stand outside of the school and look up at the balcony while someone was trying to take a picture of the sidewalk. How weird is that? There are a lot of kids that took part in MHS Intramurals, and a lot of them didn't show up for the picture because it was Chili Dog Thursday at Saylor's.


Samurai Showdown Greg "GO" Owen executes one of his grasshopper-panda-bonsai-kicks on an unlucky Pete Van Zandt. Greg uses the kick only when his team is down by seven points, and when the clock hits exactly $2: 58$. Greg's teammate Nathan Hazen uses his whispering-wind hand-raising technique to guide Greg through his spiritual kicking. Though it looks like a spiritual moment, neither of the two teammates left the ground.


Intramurals

Slam Dunk Matt Fish hurdles the ball into the air and deposits it (chaching) into the basket while Trevor Kelly waits back on the safe ground watching up in awe. "White man can't jump?" Matt Fish proves this famous cliche wrong. Booya!!


Boys Varsity Basketball Front row: Matt Heppner, Jason Barnes, Seth Shubert, Trevor Kelly, Matt Fish, Kyle Kalinowski, Jon Marshall, Erik Smalek. Back Row: Coach Coddens, Ben Hughes, Brad McCormack, Joe Kubicek, Ryan O'Connell, Jon Hausler, Coach Luciani.
Huddle it up Mr. Dent calls a time out to give his players a few pointers so they can go back out and defeat the other half of their team during the Red and Black game. The players know all of each other's moves so it makes it challenging to out smart one another.


One on One These two junior all-stars, Brad McCormack and Ryan O'Connell, go one on one during the Red and Black game showing off their mad skills to the Marshall crowd. They are always competing to see who's got better game, wonder who won this time?




Boys Varsity Basketball
By Aubrey McC.

## Let's play bal1!

## Boys Yarsity B-bal1 practiced long and played hard to finish with a great season

The Boys Varsity Basketball team had an awesome season with twelve devoted players lead by team captains Trevor Kelly and Matt Fish, and outstanding coach, Mr. Coddens. The team ended up with an overall record in the Twin Valley of 14-10. Also the team went on to become District Champions. "The best part of the season was our last home game. Beating Pennfield for the fourth year in a row during the playoffs, and this time for the District Championship, was awesome," exclaimed Coach Coddens. After districts the boys went on to play a very tough game at Western Michigan against Paw Paw, only losing by three
points. "It was very upsetting to lose in the finals but we had an outstanding season, I have no regrets. This is the way I like to finish out my senior year on the team!" stated Seth Shubert. Seth was voted Most Improved at the end of the season. Matt Fish was awarded Coach's Award, and Trevor Kelly was awarded MVP and also got All Conference 1st team. The players put forth $100 \%$ effort every game and it showed in the end. They had some very close games losing by only a point or two, but they made up for it by blowing some teams out of the water. Everyone was very proud of the way this team played.

Yeah, give it up boy Matt Heppner gets all the players pumped up before they go out onto the court to be introduced. Matt has his own personal ritual he does for each player before every game the boys play.




It's all me Trevor Kelly travels the ball down the court leading his team to a victory. Trevor was one of Marshall's captains and was awarded the Most Valuable Player.

Oh say can you see The Redskins line up preparing to duke it out with the opposing team. They stand patiently thinking of how many ways they can outsmart and defeat the team they are about to meet on the battlef ield.

Swoosh! Tyler Bradshaw shoots and scores a three pointer during warm ups before the Western game. Teammate Josh Petty watches in awe as Tyler holds his perfect follow through.


Sure, Sure, Sure ... Unsure, Unsure, Unsure! Freshman Joe Kalisz (\#20) is very "sure" he will get the rebound. Justin Newsome (\#55) is not so "sure" and is there to help Joe if he needs it.


Stare Down Joshua Coles is ready for the rebound and stares down his opponent with an aggressive eye. Intimidation is a key to basketball and Joshua has mastered this skill.



Boys JV and Freshman Basketball By Bethany T. Weare


JV Boys Basketball Front Row: Kevin Murphy, Greg Wicklund, David Palchak, Josh Petty, Matt Bailey, Jon Booth Back Row: Collin Vincent, Tyler Bradshaw, Matt Vandermeulen, Jordan Felpaush, Anthony Harrington, Tyler La Fountain, Coach Doug Riegel.

# Life's Just a Ballgame 

 JV and Freshmen skins live, breathe and play basketball"These boys can play," sums up coach Dent after being asked about his Freshmen basketball team. Making the team was a challenge in its own this year since so many guys tried out. Only 13 boys conquered this task with the same drive and attitude that allowed them to conquer their opponents. Over all the freshmen ended with the record of 5-15. "I had lots of fun with the boys this year," continued Dent, "They were truly devoted and fun to be around as well." The freshmen gained much experience through this season, and are ready for next year.

The JV team also had an exciting season. Despite some very close games where they lost by only one or two baskets, the JV team did well and finished $8-12$ overall and 6-8 in the conference. "I was happy with the efforts these guys put in," explained coach Riegel. "They just got better and better each day." There were some outstanding players on this year's JV team, including Josh Petty and Greg Wicklund. Both sophomores got the opportunity to play a little Varsity ball during Districts this season. They proved themselves worthy during the Districts game, when they both scored three points in the last minutes of the game. "It was so exciting getting a chance to play in front of all those people," commented Josh. "When Coddens told Greg and I we were going in my heart skipped a beat. It was awesome!" Greg agreed with Josh adding, "Next year is going to be twice as good. We're hoping to do well and win districts again, and this time all the guys can get the opportunity and experience to play on Varsity." Both the Freshmen and JV boy's basketball teams agree that life's just a ballgame, and they're ready for another season.


It's a Bird, It's a Plane ... "No it's just the ball!" thinks sophomore Tyler LaFountain. But before the opponent could figure out what it was Tyler jumped up and got the rebound.


Time OUt "Ok team, we need to go out there and show them what we're made of," exclaims Coach Dent who cannot be seen inside the huddle. The freshmen boy's basketball team uses their time outs wisely to strategize and come out with the win.

"We are Marshall" The Varsity Cheer Team; Shandra Thomas, Adrian Anderson, Nichole Madry, Lori Britten, Nesrin Semen, Kaity Adams, and Krystal Finch shout to the crowd proclaiming their pride in their school. They keep the crowd hoppin' to pump up the players and get ready for the victory they are about to achieve.

Ready, set!!! Dawn Estep, Katie Reid, and Shauna Dunford stand watching the play ready to back the players up when they are in need of support. They watch the play closely thinking of a good cheer to get the crowd involved.


We've got the beat ... Nichole Madry stays very concentrated on their tough hand jives. Nichole is a dedicated cheerleader making sure to bust out her best effort for every game.


Girls J.V. Cheerleading Front row: Dawn Estep Back row: Shauna Dunford, Ashley Maisner, Katie Reid.

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## 'IHIS YEAR, 'IHEY'RE DOING AWAY WI'IH 'IHE BASIC CHEERS ANI) MAKING WAY FOR MORE COMPLICATEID S'IUNIS.

After school as you stroll down the halls of Marshall High and glance into the South cafeteria, you see some very talented and energetic Marshall cheerleaders. These ladies do not just make their appearances at the basketball games; they spend many strenuous hours preparing locker signs for the boys. They also practice their stunts and cheers, which can be heard over the roaring crowd. The girls were asked what they liked best about the season this year. Nichole Madry quoted, "We worked really hard and had a lot of fun, but it took a lot to strengthen our abilities." Lori Britten added, "Achieving our goals was the best reward at the end of the season.' Dawn Estep, replied "Cheering for basketball was much better because we didn't have to stand out in the cold to cheer and have fun, we now are able to pump up the crowd and stay warm in the gymnasium."


Don't drop me Performing a lift, Adrian Anderson relies on her fellow teammates not to drop her. Once again they performed another successful stunt.


Girls Varsity Cheerleading Front row: Adrian Anderson, Lori Britten, Nichole Madry. Back row: Kaity Adams, Krystal Finch, Nesrin Semen.

"How much longer do I have to be up here?" Adrian gets a little queasy after being thrown up in the air numerous times, but she will do anything to support the players. She has been showing off her awesome stunts for three years now.

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#### Abstract

My Dearest Dana, You have alway You have always been beautiful to me from the time you were born. You have always been a Christian lady and exemplified your beliefs. Your trustworthiness and trustfulness are the benchmarks of your outstanding character. Your work ethic has been rewarded by being the Valedictorian of your class. You are the most focused person I know, and I really respect your ability to stand alone if that's what the situation warrants. I want you to know how proud I am of all your accomplishments. They are too numerous to mention here, so I won't even try. However, as proud as I am of all these external capabilities, I am even more proud of the type of person you are on the inside. You care about others and your willingness to help them will never be forgotten. You will always be there for others and that is truly a beautiful characteristic. You are one-of-a-kind and I am so very proud of that. I wish you the best at Valparaiso and may God watch over and protect you always. You have my undying love and respect.


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## DANA

Ice Princesses Dana's 13th Birthday party at the Rink. Front Row: Sarah Noneman, Kristine Martz, and Danielle Redfield. Back Row: Rebecca Billings, Lindsey Reynolds, Dana Reynolds, Andrea Thomas, Jackie Anderson, and Tiffany Freds.


Yankee-Doodle Dandy Uncle Barclay at the 4th of July Pet Parade.


Raffle Page
By Dana Reynolds


Bathing Beauties Sarah Noneman's 14th Birthday party. Front Row: Jackie Anderson, Dana Reynolds, Rebecca Billings, Kristine Martz, and Danielle Redfield. Back Row: Jenny Kish, Lindy Duff, and Sarah Noneman.


Homecoming 1999 Sara Woods, Kate Schafer, Lindy Duff, Jackie Anderson, Dana Reynolds, and Jenny Kish.

Sisters Dana at age 6 and Lindsey at age 1


Hide and Seek Prom 2000: Lindy Duff, Amber Leonard, Kate Schafer, Dana Reynolds, Sara Boedecker, and Emily Davis.

## Reynolds



Tee-Time Dana's 12th Birthday party: Andrea Thomas, Jenny Kish, Dana Reynolds, Kristine Martz, and Lindsey Reynolds.

Happy Family The Reynolds family in 1988: Tom, Lindsey, Dana, and Debbie.


Masquerade Dana's 4th grade Halloween Party: Jenny Kish, Dana Reynolds, Kristine Martz, Jackie Anderson, and Andrea Thomas.


I got it! Junior Beth Weare lets her teammates know she has got this ball. Of course, Beth had an awesome bump which led to an awesome spike and racked up yet another point for the 'Skins!


Dig this! Second year Varsity player Katie Schaum has definitely perfected her spike and has sure made the opponents think twice about Lady 'Skins Volleyball. Katie had the top kill efficiency on the team.



Girls Varsity Volleyball Front row: Kristin Dominique, Erica Eash, Christa South, Kelly Triece, Kari Searles. Back Row: Coach Jon Morris, Ainah De Carvalho, Maureen Palchak, Molly Miller, Katie Schaum, Missy Lough, Katie Andrysiak, Laurel McKenna, Katie Lang.

Give me five! Junior Molly Miller flies through the air hoping all of her efforts will lead to another awesome kill. The opponents had no idea what to do with these hard driven balls flying over the net.


## TOP OF THE WORLD

## Lady Skins Are Sittin' On Top Of Their Game

Hard work and intensity are the name of the game and the Varsity Volleyball team proved that this year. This group of fourteen volley-playin' ladies surpassed all expectations. They played exceptionally the entire season and racked up huge wins against Hillsdale, Coldwater, and Albion. The Lady 'Skins didn't just beat the Hornets, Cardinals, and Wildcats, they smoked them, due to their intensity and hard work at practice. It all definitely paid off in the biggest game of the year. This Twin Valley smash came against archrival Harper Creek. It took the Lady 'Skins five games to do it, but they triumphed, and in front of a packed house in Redskin Country! "It was really exciting to finally beat Harper Creek. It was an intense game and we all worked really well together," commented Molly Miller. Tremendous setters, spikers and back row players blended together for an unstoppable team that pounced on every ball that came over the net. "We had a re-
ally awesome season with many ups and downs, but despite those problems we are awesome," expressed Junior Katie Schaum. The returning juniors hope to lead the team to a league championship and even a district title next year. With the intensity and determination the girls showed this year, these goals are definitely attainable. Looking back on the season Kristin Dominique mentioned, "The seniors will be greatly missed but the junior class is ready to dominate the court in the upcoming season. We know what we are ...!"


Huddle Up Katie Andrysiak, Erica Eash, and Kristin Dominique come together for a quick huddle to devise a plan to crush their opponent. That huddle helped the 'Skins earn a hard fought victory against the rival Beavers from Harper Creek.


Flying High! As a first year Varsity player, Erica Eash sure didn't show it. She wasn't intimidated and made her presence known on the court. Her efforts this year helped the 'Skins dominate the Twin Valley.

A-C-E Ace! Erin Simmons sends her killer serve over to the opposing team, confident that they will not be able to return it. As it turns out, she consecutively scored five more points in a row after that one, all of which were aces. Not only is she an awesome server, she is also an incredible setter. She racked up even more assists than aces this season.



Girls Freshmen Volleyball
Front: Kristina Lord, Katie Murphy, Maggie Adams Middle: Liz Forester, Jamie Bradshaw, Tiffany Palik, Cassidy Burns, Christine Schaum Back: Coach
Summer Shubert, Sara Beamer, Alissa Reniger, Amber Huffman, Ingrid EdJamie Bradshaw, Tiffany Palik, Cassidy Burns, Christine Schaum Back: Coach
Summer Shubert, Sara Beamer, Alissa Reniger, Amber Huffman, Ingrid Edwards

## Girls JV Volleyball

Front: Jayna Goodrich, Beth Scherer, Erin Simmons, Stephanie Minniear, Amber Goodrich, Beth Anne Murphy Back: Coach Gina Loveless, Corrie Edwards, Kristen Barns, Morgan Goodwin, Shannon Duffy, Beth Weare, Cheryl Hedges, Aubrey McCauley


| Team | JV Scores | win-loss |
| :--- | :---: | ---: |
| Marshall Tourn | $8-4$ |  |
| Jackson Lumen | $2-1$ |  |
| Christi | $8-5$ |  |
| Bronson Tourn | $2-0$ |  |
| Albion | $1-2$ |  |
| Sturgis | $8-4$ |  |
| Dexter Tourn | $2-0$ |  |
| Jackson County | $10-4$ |  |
| Western | $0-2$ |  |
| Marshall Tourn | $2-6$ |  |
| Coldwater | $0-2$ |  |
| Marshall Varsity | $1-2$ |  |

# Hítiing like a girl doesn't mean what it used to. 

To many, volleyball is a very confusing sport. To a volleyball player, it is art in its purest form. Katie Murphy remarked, "It's a fun sport and you don't have to do tons of exercise ... We also had an awesome season." Erin Simmons agreed, adding, "It's fun to play in an intense, close game and come out on top." Now how many people have really stopped to think about the sheer beauty of a spike, the exquisiteness of a dig, or the elegance of a set. Probably not too many. Now to fully appreciate the artistry of volleyball, one must understand how the game of volleyball is played.
It all starts with a serve, which leads to a pass from the other team to the setter, who sets the ball to a hitter, who spikes it at the other team in hopes that they will now be able to return the ball, therefore resulting in a kill. Now you may be thinking that sounds rather


Spank it! Jamie Bradshaw uses her brute strength - which she acquired from Chuck's program - to send the ball hurling over the net for the game point. In response to the opposing team's agonized look for their loss, she roared, "I am woman!"
simple, but I have not yet mentioned what also goes on during the bumping, setting, and spiking. There is a lot of movement going on while players are transitioning from defense to offense and back to defense again. There are also the troubles of trying to block the ball and read the hitter so you are able to dig her hit. It gets even more complicated when plays are thrown in, such as running quicks, shoots, and slides. Now I have not even gotten into the depths of volleyball, and I am not going to because I have neither the time nor the space to tell you about it.

So maybe now you will look at these freshmen and sophomore volleyball players in a whole new light, and marvel at not only their ability to play this complicated sport, but also their ability to play it really well; for they had awesome seasons, grinding their opponents into the ground.


Never underestimate the power of the Freshman Beth Anne Murphy attacked the ball with full freshman force. She survived the playful teasing of being the only freshman on the JV team to greatly contribute to the ritual kicking of the opponents' butts.

You can't get through the wall Oops! Well, I guess this time they did. Cheryl Hedges and Aubrey McCauley attempt to block the ball, but due to a slight miscalculation, they missed it.

We're lined up, and we're preparing to fight The boys state swimmers prepare to swim their toughest meet of the season, the state meet. The boys did awesome; overall they came out in 8th place.

Nighty Night After a hard day of swimming Brad Palik and Jeff Cox settle down to take a quick nap before getting into the icy water for another swim. These boys dedicated their hearts to swimming, they are not only dead tired after meets but also after practice.


Dive like there's no tomorrow Steve Weaver dives into the pool to warm-up before the big swim meet. Steve was one of the stat swimmers and participated in many relays all season.



Boys Swimming and Diving By Jen Henry


Boys swimming and Diving: Front Row: Trevor Sweet, Patrick Carrington, Phil Doud, Jeff Cox, Ian Stewart. Second Row: Kyle Albrecht, Mike Driscoll, Anthony Posler, Brian Leininger, Andy Dillon, Phil Weare. Third Row: Jeff Hammer, Nick Heitmeyer, Aaron Ebner, Brad Palik, Andy Tarmnel, Matt Thomas, Seth Presley, Coach Dave Karns. Back Row Chris Robinson, Ted Powers, Keegan Robbins, Akio Yotsumoto, Adam Cook, Ian Unterbrink, Scott Conant, Steve Weaver, Matt Nofs.

## Eat my wake!

## if swimning's good for Yold. HOW DD YOU EXPLAITV WHALES?

This year's Boys' Swimming and Diving team had a terrific season with an end of the season score of 5 wins and 1 loss. Also, at many of the relays and invitationals, the boys almost always finished 1st or close to it. They took 3rd place at the Championship League meet. The team did great as 10 team members qualified for the big state meet. The team consisted of 23 swimmers and 3 divers.

For the 400 Freestyle Relay, Steve Weaver, Aaron Ebner, Mike Driscoll, Brad Palik, Phillip Doud, Ian Unterbrink, Adam Cook, Keegan Robbins, and Matt Nofs qualified for state. Everyone who qualified for the 400 Freestyle Relay also qualified in the 200 Medley Relay. Qualifying in individual events were Steve Weaver in the 500 Freestyle, Ian Unterbrink in the 100 -Breast Stroke, Adam Cook in the 100 frees-


All bow down to Cookie Adam Cook, "Cookie" puts fear into the opponent as his team bows down to show his power. Cookie Monster from Sesame Street is Adam's Mascot. He exclaimed, "C" is for cookie good enough for me!"
tyle and the 100 backstroke, and Matt Thomas in the diving competitions. Overall the boys swim team ended a great season as 8th in state. "We had a good season and I'm proud of the guys," stated Coach Dave Karns. "I just want to say that, WE ROCKED THE POOL!" proclaimed Steve Weaver.


Don't worry guys, I have this situation under control Ian Unterbrink dives into the icy cold water for his part in the Boys 200 Freestyle Relay. He mostly swims breaststroke.

Do it for the Worm! Jonny (Jigga J-Z) Ziskal pins a physically inferior adversary and dedicates the win to his big bro "The Worm."


Boy's Wrestling
First row: Tim Thurston, Bill Sleeper, Nick Zeulhke, Fernando Viso, Cy Willavize, Jon Ziskal. Second row: Eli Valentine, Seth Clark, Jesse Ferot, Steve Osborne, Vaughn Kasdorf, Ben Taylor, Andy Lake, Jake West, Nick Teft. Third row: Brett Riser, Josh Damron, Mike McKim, Randy Day, Andy Corralez, Patrick Clark, Richard Baker, Joe Sharrar, Joe Weakly, Lance McCreary, John Moore, Jeremy Scott. Back row: Coach MacCauley, Coach Goodman, Coach Damron, Coach Damron.

Varsity Wrestling By Ryan Varner

# REIDSKIN GRAPPLLRS THROW DOWN 

Can you smell what the skins got cookin'?

Although the wrestlers did not hold up to the usual expectations of winning the Twin Valley, they did do better than most normal teams could even dream of. Brett Riser looked back on the year and reminisced, "Just because we didn't win the conference, some people feel it was a disappointing season for us, but it wasn't a disappointment. Most teams would do anything to have a season like we did; we just have higher expectations.'

Two of the guys competed in the state meet this year: Captain Noah Wilson, and Joe "Goose" Weakley. Noah was put out early in the season with a separated elbow, but worked hard and came back, still managing to place 7th in the state meet, while Joe made an impressive showing with an 8th place finish. Noah commented, "I was disappointed to have a bad injury my senior year of wrestling, but I worked hard to come back and I was happy with my high school career in general." Joe Weakley
stated, "I was happy with our team's effort this year, and I'm looking forward to watching the future wrestlers dominate the conference like we have."
The seniors were not the only guys to do well this season. Sophomores Jon Ziskal and Cy Willavize won the T.V. in their weight classes and claimed the honor of being the "big little guys". Jonny "Hardknock Life" Ziskal commented, "Overall we were pretty good. We're a young team, and the competition was tough. You can look for us to be strong in the next couple of years."
Overall, the Skins had their usual great season, and all the fans out there can look forward to many more in the future with some dynamite underclassmen ready to take the helm next year. Sophomore Mike McKim handed out a quick warning to future opponents by simply stating, "We'll be back."


Wha'd you say about my mamma?! Brett Riser throws an unsuspecting opponent to the mats for saying that his mamma wears combat boots. It is a well known fact in the halls of Marshall High that no one talks about Rizzo's mamma.


Put your thinking caps on Joe Weakley and his Coldwater opponent put their heads together to try to figure out how to get those ear things off. After hours of thinking, they finally got it you undo the strap!!!

## Relling into history

## In only their 2nd year, Redskin Bowlers are already tearin' up the lanes.

The crack of the ball hitting the pins, the thick smell of smoke and nachos. The skill cranes, and the vending machines. These sights and sounds are all very familiar to most of you ... Yeah, it's the bowling alley, and not just any bowling alley ... it's Marshall Lanes! Last year was the Skins bowling team's inaugural season so they weren't sure what to expect. Joe Wheeler stated, "It was just like, Well, here goes nothing!"
Well they must have done something right because they performed like seasoned veterans, showing opponents that Redskins are never "rookies" they just have to adjust a little bit. The varsity team had mondo experience with members such as Kelly Peterson and Joe Hutchings, who contrary to popular belief, don't live at the bowling alley, but do make it their second home. Their scores reflect it. Stephanie Gibson led the girls team with her gracefulness and pure power.
The bowlers by no means had a bad season, but they're looking to improve next year, and someday have a shot at the "the big lebowski" (state title). Joe Wilson explained, "It's not what's in your balls, it's how you handle the grease in the alley." Joe was also one of the premier strikers on the varsity team. One other thing opponents have to fear is Amy (the human ball) Bibler. She often volunteers to throw herself down the alley and knock down all the pins, but I guess it's against the rules or something. Amy was once heard shouting, "Balls!?, we don't need no stinking balls!!"
So bowlers around the world, look out! The Skins are in town.

Big Tymers Two of the Skins top guns quit smoking everybody in practice for a minute to give each other some love.


One of a kind Coach Hutchings takes time from practice to smile perdy for the camera, and make all the boys blush while she's at it.

Pistol Pete Pete (Peder) VanZandt not only earns a living working his tail off in the book store, he also manages to carry the Redskins bowling team to a victory now and again. You can't stop Pido, you can only hope to contain him.


Bowling
By Ryan Varner


Girls night out When these beautiful gals aren't hanging out at the bowling alley they like to paaaaartey, but they are at the bowling alley, so I guess they can't party.




Quick, take a picture! Casey Nickels acts like he's actually bowling for a second so he can get his picture in the yearbook... He also asked me to make a poster-sized copy for the door in his room.

The Predator Girls on the team call Courtney Burnette The Predator because, well, ok they don't call her the predator, but it would be cool if they did!
Now that's how you do it! Brian Dadow shows one of his teammates the position one must be in to throw the "Dadow Deluxe". She obviously doesn't care because we all know that Brian doesn't have a Dadow Deluxe, he just wishes he did.

Detroit What?! Aaron "Ghandi" Wendt came strait outta Compton just so he could play tennis in Marshall. At first he was intimidated, but now his ghetto roots are shining through.

Strike a Pose Britt ney Byrens and Kristi Budnick ditch their dates so they can get some time with the press, and hopefully get a modeling contract, so they don't have to hang out with the "small people" next year


Get a clue Ashley Coach Bischoff explains to Ashley Heitmeyer that you're supposed to run to first base after you hit the ball ... not third.

Y'all just ain't ready for this! Freshman superstar Justin Saurbrey shows why he is on Varsity this year, and why you don't wanna have to play him.

Your Wu-tang Sword is no match for my tiger style Ryan Bridges gets ready to go to war with the opposing team. Little to they know that "Sticky" has mastered the art of Tiger Style.


Fore!!! Sonya Ott rips the ball to the next area code and hopes it doesn't fatally injure someone when it gets there.

# Sppreiunge is iun the aiure: 

The snow slowly drips from the trees. Ice on the lakes cracks apart and a few ice fishermen begin falling in, mud puddles are everywhere, and every now and again you spot a robin's orange belly for the first time in a long time. Yes, it's spring, and everybody at Marshall High is just a little bit happier. The dark circles under their eyes begin to fade as the heavy effects of winter begin to wear off.

Feeling enlightened, Marshall students can't wait to get back on the courts, fields, tracks, and courses to finish the school year with a


The stresses and annoyances of the big dance were, as usual, well worth the struggle to find a tux or dress, and get the thousands of pictures, and flowers that everyone has to do. The theme this year was "A Night in Heaven" and it was held at the Heritage Dome in Battle Creek. Mike Dillon summed up the prom stating, "It was kind of crowded, but the juniors had it set up really nice, and my dinner was the bomb explosive!"

As the school year ended, the seniors were leaving, class night and graduation behind them. The juniors prepare to take the helm of Marshall High next year. Ryan Quinn relived his high school experience and said, "There were good times as well as bad, but I sure am gonna miss this place." Of course we all know that he's lying, but we'll miss those guys anyway. Let's just have a good time while we can because spring is here! field next year." All the teams turned out the usual excellent Redskin performances.


Sweet Home Alabama Zack Langford was born and raised in Alabama. Here, he shows the Harper Creek Beavers how they play stick in the "Dirty South."

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## Don't feed the plants!

A barrage of bizarre songs and a crazy cast of characters made the show Little Shop of Horrors a major success at Marshall High School. The story follows Seymour Krelborn, (David Saber) a young botanical genius who discovers a new breed of plant life, the Audrey 2 (pod \#1 puppet mastered by Brent Root.) He names this mischievous plant after Audrey, (Christa South) his co-worker/girl of his dreams. The only reason that Audrey doesn't return Seumour's feelings is because she is currently involved with Orin Scrivello, (Matt Crowle) a motorcycle riding dentist. It's clear to see that Seymour and Mr. Mushnik, (A.J. Somsel) Seymour's boss/foster father, don't NINE YEATS SHNCE HTS DEBUT, HETTLESHOR KS REPRISED AT MHS
played Customer \#1) said before I graduated." classmen." bragged. care much for Orin or the way he's treating Au-

Matt Crowle also added about his part, "I've always loved that show. I was thrilled when I heard we were going to put it on here. The show was a blast, and I'm glad that I got to do it

Christa South commented, "It was an exciting part, lots of fun. It's neat because you get to work with under-
"I got to kiss Christa," David Saber
Little Shop of Horrors was truly a wonderful show, full of comedy, starcrossed lovers, and a giant man-eating plant. From drey. It's also clear to see that even Audrey 2 (pod \#3 and \#4 puppet mastered by Jared Palmer, voice by Tony Barroso) doesn't like Orin's attitude and wouldn't mind having him for dinner. Sound odd? Well, that's just the first act.
"Little Shop of Horrors is a completely exaggerated freak show, so cool. Extremely funny and great lyrics. I loved to do it, and it was a great contrast to the other play of this year (The Diary of Anne Frank)," Gregor Maretzke (who
how was a non-stop at intermission, of course

Say "Ah" Orin Scrivello DDS (A.K.A. Matt Crowle) sings about his fascination with human pain and suffering. Matt has been preparing this part ever since he saw the original cast do the show in 1991. It's safe to say that his hard work paid off.



Skid Row The resident urchins of Skid Row tell the audience their problems that come with their everyday life. They didn't worry for long though because when Audrey 2 got noticed, their little street quickly got better. But then the plant ate everything, and that's when it got quickly worse.


Is That Cher? Beth Kane, Heather Nicholls, Irma Gonzalez, Elise Killewald, Anne Stulberg, Ann Loomis, and Janine Woods warn the audience of bad things to come. All seven of these talented ladies did a marvelous job with their parts. That might explain why they were one of the few characters not eaten by the plant.

It's Suppertime The sinister Audrey 2 (puppet mastered by Jared Palmer, voice by Tony Barroso) tricks the unsuspecting Audrey (Christa South) into becoming his snack for the evening. This scene was followed by a tear-jerking reprisal of "Somewhere That's Green" as Audrey died. There wasn't a dry eye in the whole house; except for all the people who came to root for the plant.


Front Row: Meghan Smith, Jeff Tarkiewicz, David Richardson, David Saber, Crista South, Brittany Byrens, Ian Unterbrink, Ashley Nichols, Megan Adams, Melissa Riser, Cynthia Hookway, Felicity Osborn, Jamie Boone, Natalie Port. Second Row: Megan DeJong, Irma Gonzalez, Anne Stulberg, Elise Killewald, Ann Loomis, Beth Kane, Heather Nicholls, Janine Woods, Krinn Hess, Erin McDonagh, Hope Garza, Katie Wheat, Jenny Yang, Danielle Redfield, Brent Root, Matt Crowle. Back Row: Nathan Powers, Jared Palmer, John Fear, Gregor Maretzke.

Don't Worry, It's Fake Mrs. Luce (Danielle Redfield) gets down to the song "The Meek Shall Inherit." Despite popular belief, Danielle's posterior in this show was fake. Thank goodness.


A Three Course Meal Mushnik (A.J. Somsel), Audrey (Christa South), and Orin Scrivello (Matt Crowle) were just three of the four main characters eaten by Audrey 2. Seymour (David Saber) completed the meal.

Batter Up James Shepherd intently watches for the next pitch from the opposition. James' eagle eye and speed made him a vital part of this year's team.


Watch out, here it comes Junior all-star Ryan Bridges winds up to throw another one of his tricky curve balls. Ryan's strong arm on the mound has boosted the 'Skins to numerous victories.


It's outta here Matt Fish watches as he sends yet another ball out of the park. Matt's awesome batting skills have put him at the top of the batting order


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| Opponent | Us | Them |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Mason | 7 | 3 |
| BC Central | 4 | 3 |
|  | 8 | 1 |
| JC Western | 4 | 2 |
| Lincoln Park | 5 | 4 |
| Hastings | 10 | 0 |
|  | 7 | 0 |
| St. Phil | 5 | 2 |
|  | 8 | 0 |
| Albion | 10 | 4 |
| JC Western | 2 | 0 |
| Gobles | 10 | 0 |
| Spring Lake | 5 | 8 |
| Lakeview | 0 | 7 |
| P. Central | 2 | 13 |
| Coldwater | 1 | 2 |
|  | 4 | 7 |
|  | 16 | 0 |
| Hillsdale | 7 | 4 |
|  | 12 | 2 |
|  | 2 | 5 |
| Lakeview | 2 | 0 |
| Harper Creek | 2 | 7 |
|  | 9 | 11 |
| Sturgis |  | 8 |
|  | 0 | 10 |
| Harper Creek | 0 | 10 |



Varsity Baseball Front row: Coach Jim Hendershot, Adam Roth, Ryan Bridges, Mike Dillon, Nick Heitmeyer, Coach Mark Gibbs. Back row: Ben Zuehlke, Matt duBois, Seth Shubert Matt Fish, Trevor Kelly, Kyle Kalinowski, Nathan Hazen, James Shepherd, Greg Owen, An drew Lord.

Swing batter, batter, batter ... Senior Kyle Kalinowski focuses on the next pitch. Kyle not only helped the 'Skins batting, but on the mound as well.


## Put me in coach, I'm ready to play today.

It's the bottom of the seventh inning, two outs, the score is tied, you're up to bat. What would you do? Just ask one of the members of the Varsity Baseball team, as hitting was one of their strengths this season. These guys proved they could not only hit the ball out of the park, but had excellent pitchers and base runners, making them almost unstoppable. "I didn't get to play much, but I was with a great group of guys, and it was a lot of fun," commented Greg Owen. Showing no mercy on their opposition, the team clobbered Twin Valley foes of Albion, Hillsdale, and Lakeview. The
team also took first place in the Marshall Sports Fest and second at the Gobels Invitational. "I've dreamed of winning Sports Fest since I was a freshman. Now I can move on with my life," expressed Mike Dillon. With a team consisting of primarily seniors, these guys worked extra hard to make their last season a memorable one as their high school careers drew to an end. Summing up the season Senior Matt duBois stated, "Our team was filled with talent. We've all played together since eighth grade, and this was a great way to go out."


Just try me Senior Matt duBois intently watches for the next hit of
the opposition. Matt was not only an outstanding third baseman but had one of the top batting averages on the team.


He's out Trevor Kelly makes another outstanding play at home plate. Trevor's talent and leadership will be greatly missed next year.


The JV and Freshmen Baseball teams had a fantastic year. Each team consisted of 12-13 team members; each participated in making their team winners out in the field and up at bat. Both teams came out with an overall JV winning record of 14-7. Brad Palik sumed up the JV year, "In the beginning it was all about making the team individually, after making it, it was about winning as a team all together, and now that everyone looks back on it, it
was about making the coach proud doing it." Collin Hoffmann commented on his freshman year of baseball, "I'm happy I was able to make such a fun team. I was able to look at baseball in a new way after it was over and I am very grateful I could be on this team.' ${ }^{\prime}$ Freshman and JV Baseball has had great years in the past, and hopefully in the future there can be even more great seasons and great players.

We want a pitcher During an intense game, Brad Palik throws a mighty ball over home plate possibly striking the opposite team out. Brad also had the best batting average on the team.


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| :--- | ---: | ---: |
|  | JV Baseball |  |
| Opponent | Us | Them |
| Mason | 15 | 11 |
| Battle Creek | 17 | 7 |
| Hastings | 9 | 2 |
| Albion | 8 | 3 |
| Western | 21 | 7 |
| Alma | 8 | 5 |
| Lakeview | 5 | 6 |
| Portage Central | 12 | 2 |
| Coldwater | 3 | 13 |
| Albion | 6 | 3 |
| Hillsdale | 2 | 3 |
| Western | 12 | 1 |
| Lakeview | 18 | 5 |
| Harper Creek | 5 | 0 |
| Sturgis | 5 | 6 |
|  | 8 | 5 |
|  | 7 | 8 |
|  | 3 | 4 |
|  | 6 | 8 |
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Junior Varsity Baseball Front Row: Andy Dillon, Will Hagerty, Mike Kiewiet, Michael Sayles, Travis Simpson, Brad Palik. Back Row: Assistant Coach Mike Loveless, Alex Wright, Tyler LaFountain, Greg Wicklund, Matt Bailey, Jon Booth, Craig Kimerer Coach Jerry Triece.

I am ... The bat boy Mike Sayles' little brother, the official bat boy, picks up the bats in a hurry so the bats don't interrupt the intense game.

Wow, that was a grand slam Zack Langford watches as the ball, hit by the opponent, soars through the air collapsing into the giant out field. In the beginning Zack was on the Freshman team, then he was moved up to JV, and upon districts he was moved up once more to be on varsity.



Freshman Baseball Front Row: Tyler Randall, Josh Coles, Collin Hoffman, Fernando Viso, Nick Zuehlke, Bill Sleeper, Ian Loughrige. Back Row: Coach Adam Kiebala, Justin Hughes, Zack Langford, Doug Vandyke, Kraig Stevenson, Justin Newsome, Ben Jones.

Fair Ball Andy Dillon hits a grounder to first base. Not exactly a smart hit but Andy has a nice hustle. Run Andy, run.
He's Safe Mike Sayles throws the ball back to the pitcher after finding out the guy he wanted to get out was safe. Greg Wicklund stands ready making sure Mike does everything correctly and doesn't need help.

C'mon, toss it over Junior Courtney Burdette eagerly waits for the ball to be pitched her way so that she can send it into orbit. She has played softball for most of her high school career.

Young Talent Erin Segar, a sophomore plays her heart out this season. Erin was a great example of a team player; she has a positive attitude, and teamwork is her number one rule.

What's my next move? As one of the captains, Senior Jackie Anderson keeps the team going when the scores are down. She really really demonstrated exactly what a captain should do; a captain is someone who pulls the team together especially through the tough times


Varsity Softball Front Row: Elisa Brigham, Stephanie Minnear. Second Row: Erin Segar, Tiffaney Palik, Emily Fraley, Krystal Finch, Hailey Casaraz, Julie Ballard. Back row: Coach Bob Bischoff, Amanda Bischoff, Jackie Anderson, Amy Hoffdahl, Katie Schaum, Jackie Ullman, Sarah Amaro, Courtney Burdette, Laurie Romanowski, Jamie Collier

Varsity Softball By Sheena Cross
"Strike three ... you're out!" If you attended a few of our Ladyskins Varsity softball games, those were words that you rarely heard (unless it was being said to the opposing team). The softball team worked hard all season, playing game after game, running the bases and scoring points. When asked what the best part of the season was, Junior Katie Schaum replied, "The entire season was great when we worked together as a team."
The team was full of talented players. During tryouts, the girls all proved themselves and made the team. "We had the potential to make a great team and win all the games, but luck wasn't on our
side this season," commented Emily Fraley, a junior. Hard work, endurance, determination, persistence, and heart are the ingredients needed to make a good team player, and the girls definitely have that and more. Junior Courtney Burdette agrees by adding "We are an awesome team, we just need to believe in ourselves in order to make things happen."

After watching a few of the games, I was shocked because I never knew that MHS Varsity Softball had the power to play like that, but they left me in awe.

## Hard headed women



Let's get this party started Hailey Casarez, a junior, is ready to get the game going so she can hit a home run. Although Hailey never got to hit that home run, she contributed a lot to the team.


Maybe next time Sophomore Stephanie Minniear misses the ball and gets a strike. After getting warmed up,she got better and later redeemed herself and the entire team.

Shhh ... The team comes up with another plan that will hopefully win the game. Unfortunately, it doesn't win them the game, but it scores them an extra point or two.

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Trapped While playing Harper Creek an unlucky Harperette got stuck between Ashley Miller and Jennifer Litton. Because the girls reacted so quickly, they were able to get an out. Or was she safe? Oh well, good job anyway.


Don't make her mad Equipped with her trusty bat, Elizabeth Foerster takes the plate. Right after this picture was taken Elizabeth sent the ball out so far that it hit a passing semi-truck on the highway, causing it to skid out, leap high into the air, and land right on the field. Too bad the photographer ran out of film.


Opponent
Western
Lakeview
Coldwater
Albion
Hillsdale
Western
Harper Creek
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JV Softball Front Row: Elizabeth Foerster, Jennifer Litton, Nicole Burmeister. Second Row: Kristi Miller, Jennifer Henry, Ashley Heitmeyer, Nicole Applegate, Angela Wyatt. Back Row: Jessica Newsome, Megan Casarez, Sadie Piepkow, Alicia Collier, Ashley Miller, Alyssa Reniger, Mr. Reniger

## Tanke me mat te the lonllajamee

Ready to strike someone out Jessica Newsome prepares for another powerful pitch. If only Jessica could pitch like Bugs Bunny did in his old cartoons. That would be cool.

The crack of the bat on the ball has always excited a crowd at a game. In this case, though, the crack is replaced with a much safer muffled "thump", but the excitement is still there in the crowd. No matter what sound emanates from the game, the JV softball team stuck together. The ladyskins were quite an impressive force when they took the field. Just one look at these fierce warriors would make even the bravest softball player's blood run cold with mortal fear.
"It's good to be part of a team that has the winning attitude and
cares about how we represent Marshall High School," Necole Hopkins commented.

Jenny Henry also stated, "It was fun because it didn't matter what we did wrong because it was just the girls."

Even if it was "just the girls" they did a spectacular job this year. Ending with a record of 5-14.

Elizabeth Foerster summed it up by adding, "Softball was fun this year, because we weren't very good. That doesn't sound right, but what I mean is that there wasn't as much pressure to win, so we had fun."

The lady skins this year are the best his millennium



She's either ready or tired Ashley Heitmeyer waits eagerly in the outfield. Ashley will soon be featured as Quasimodo in the school's production of The Hunchback of Notre Dame.


Nice catch, she's got the job Sadie Piepkow does her job (self-explanatory). It's always easy to spot Sadie when she's on the field. She's the one in red.

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Concentrate Adam Hecox waits for the speeding ball to come toward him at any second, but no worry with his skills, he and his racket will kill anything that comes in sight.


Oh Come On! Matt Parker can't believe that the ball didn't make it over the net. He doesn't mind, because he knows there are plenty more where that one came from!



Ready, set, slam! Paul Mestemaker gets ready to pound the ball into the rival's face. And he did it oh so well.


Varsity Tennis Front Row: Josh Petty, Adam Hecox, Justin Sauerbrey, Brad Torrey, Tim Hecox, Ross Lukje. Back Row: Kelly Peterson, Jeff Fausey, Aaron Wendt, Matt Parker, Paul Mestemaker, Ian Unterbrink, Coach Crandall.

## Aint no stoppin' us nowI

What's that smell? That's not the smell of sweat that's the smell of sweet success! The Marshall guys varsity tennis team is about success, playing hard and having fun. They did great this year and made it all the way to state.

Justin Sauerbrey remarked, "The reason I like tennis so much is that I know I will be able to play it for the rest of my life, because know mater how old you are, you can always play tennis." "This year is unfortunately my last year in the U.S., and my
tennis team gave me wonderful memories, not only of our record, but also our friendship," shared Ross Lukje. This year's tennis team didn't get where they are now by just sitting around and hitting a few balls back and forth every now and then. Instead, they spent their afternoons intensely performing some excruciating
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 looking death stare. He's preparing to take the fur off the tennis ball.

## The varsity tennis

## team just won't stop!



Heads Up! Ryan McCann concentrates on making the perfect JV tennis serve. With much focus and determination, a beautiful ace is served. Ryan owes his perfection to an awesome coach and friend ... Mr. Jody Foreman.

In-tennis-ity! This is Aaron Ebner and his quote for life, which is Marshall JV Tennis. Aaron doesn't believe in trainer Chuck's work-out, so he decides to make his own. "I put the racket in my mouth so I can be one with the game. As my muscles are developing, so is my understanding of tennis."

I Play Tennis As Andy Rosko aims high for the ball, a silence falls over the impressed crowd. His serve is just so amazing! Andy is a major contributor to his team, and is number one singles player.


Front Row: Jonathan Theodorovich, Jared Palmer, Ryan McCann, Joseph Hutchings, Derek Schook, Kail Robinson, Eric Hecox. Back Row: Nick Zalewski, Keegan Robbins, Adam Cook, Jeff Cox, Aaron Ebner, Matt Bennett, Andy Rosko, Owen Loenard, and Coach Foreman.

JV Tennis
By Bethany Weare

## Just for the

"There is a high level of in-ten-nis-ity on this team," remarked Aaron Ebner when asked about the JV Marshall Tennis team, "You're not on a team, you're in a family." This sums up the season, and the feelings that the players had about this year. "When you join JV tennis, you join the NoLimit Soldiers." chipped in friend and teammate Matt Bennett. This also is true since the guys work so hard to achieve their goals. With intense practicing, a lot was achieved this year. "These guys are lots of fun and have tons of
tennis potential," bragged Coach Foreman, "I'm proud of their season and looking forward to next year." The JV's overall record was nine wins, one loss, and one tie. They finished first in the Twin Valley Tournament. The team also faced a few Varsity tennis teams this year such as Brookly C.C, Jonesville, and Eaton Rapids. No matter how great the challenge, more victories were won. The boys had an excellent year and they play Just for the Love of It. In the wise words of Eric Hecox himself, "JV Tennis Rules!"

## THE J.V. TENNIS TEAM DOES WELL IN THE TWIN VALLEY.



Celebrate Good Times ... come on! Fourth doubles partners and undefeated champions Aaron Ebner and Jeffrey Cox jump for joy after winning again! After every point that they score you can catch these guys doing their celebration dance after throwing their rackets on the ground.


A Taste of Love Kail Robinson takes no mercy on his opponents or the ball. As he gives them a little taste of his Love they realize they cannot score. Kail is known as the "Love" machine, and he's not ashamed to show it.

Put your right foot in ... Molly Miller decides to do the "Hokey Pokey" instead of playing soccer. Her Grand Ledge opponent could not follow directions and tried to get away with putting her left foot in. Molly was awarded the "Hokey Pokey" Player of the Day award.

When Worlds Collide Marissa Long and this goalkeeper demonstrate what it is like when worlds collide. In all their excitement, they forgot to go for the ball and ended up knocking each other flat on the ground. However, they did make it onto Fox's "When Soccer Players Collide."


Front Row: Sofia Lindgren-Wulff, Kate Weston, Morgan Peters, Kelly Triece, Catie Nei dlinger, Lauren Kleinschmidt. Second Row: Jenny Stulberg, Catherine Crouse, Kari Searles Janine Woods, Jaime Gomez, Lindsey Cox, Corrie Edwards. Back Row: Bryant Phillips, Monica Long, Andrea Twiss, Molly Miller, Beth Weare, Jessi Johnson, Marissa Long, Kristina Lord, Heather Wolf, Barry Phillips.

Go Speedracer! Catie Neidlinger uses a quick move and burst of speed to get by her opponent. "Neids" was inf amous for her speed. Some say it is a natural talent. While others argue that it is the doing of her red Diadoras. The world may never know her secret.


Unleash the Dragon Although she appears to be an angel, Beth Weare shows that she can be rough and tough. Her opponents all learned that Beth is not one to mess with. All that Beth was quoted as saying was "I know you don't really want to unleash the dragon."

The varsity girls' opponents face destruction as soon as they...

As the opposition steps off their bus filled with excitement and energy for their upcoming game, they quickly begin to realize that it will not be so easy. As they overlook the Redskins warming up, they start to become very tense and they think that maybe it would be better to just leave. As they glance at the large crowd that is starting to assemble, they grow even more apprehensive. This is what it feels like when other soccer teams step into Redskin Country.

The girls showed their strength immediately in the season when they won their first games convincingly. The team picked up many younger girls this year. Three of these young girls are freshmen. Fresh-


Is this the end? Heather Wolf gives all she has in order to keep the ball in. Just as everyone was thinking that the ball was going out Heather surprised all of them. When she had saved it, there was no one around and she dribbled down the field with ease.

Holy Moly, what a goalie! The JV keeper, Kari Schroeder, punts the ball down the field after making an impeccable save. This being her first year as a goalie, she has done an amazing job keeping the ball out of her territory. In fact she's had 13 shut-outs this season.

and scores bare the birl has a and scores before the girl has a chance to even realize what has happened. Colleen plays forward on the JV team and has scored many goals, contributing greatly to the team's success



Girls JV Soccer
Front: Jenna Hurd, Colleen Pierce, Erin Simmons, Kari Schroeder, Jacie Deweese, Kealey Cottrell, Jamie Rush. Middle: Ashley Hill, Jaime Morrison, Amber Maurer, Amber Huffman, Ingrid Edwards, Beth-Anne Murphy, Devin Thomas, Kolleen Kowalske, Bethany Hodge. Back: Coach Kevin McCauley, Maggie Adams, Jaime Bradshaw, Sarah Boehmer, Danielle Post, Beth Scherer, Jacquelyn Daly, Kara Kiebala

Go long! Shouts co-captain Erin Simmons to one of her teammates as she sends them one of her long throw-ins. Erin's throw-ins have been a big help to the team's success as the opposing team always seems to pause in amazement and ponder how such a small girl can throw such a long ball.


# STUFE THAT DREAMS ARE MADE OF 

"Coaching JV, we always have to start from scratch," offered the head coach of the girls JV soccer team, Mr. McCauley. This is especially true this year with nineteen freshmen making the team along with eight or nine girls who have never played before. Kari Schroeder, one of the rookies, happens to be the starting goalie and has had to acquire her skills along the way. Though she's still learning, she has improved immensely and has played really well.
Coach McCauley knew they
needed a lot of practice and had a lot to learn, but he knew they would improve, which they have tremendously. He stated, "I think that the goal for the season was that every time the kids took the field, they will have improved their skills." With only losing two games so far this season, they have clearly attained this goal.

Co-captain Erin Simmons pretty much summed it up when she mentioned, "We started off with a really inexperienced team, but we've worked together and have achieved our goals."


Oh no! Co-captain Jacie DeWeese freezes, shocked that her opponent actually got a foot on the ball. Don't fret my friends, she recovered quickly, stole the ball back, and scored a beautiful goal.


Wait for me! Beth Scherer chases the ball down the field, which she just stole from an opponent moments earlier. Players can't get around her, and also can't keep up with her. She has dominated the mid-field this season, stealing and beating her opponents to the ball.

Hiya! Sarah Boehmer boots the ball down the field, way past her opposing players and prepares to karate chop anyone who gets in her way. As the starting middle defender on the JV team, she has to make sure that no one even takes a shot on their goal. Thanks to her exceptional soccer skills, she hasn't had to pull our her deadly karate skills on anyone.

Girls JV Soccer

Stridin' to the finish Jon Marshall not only kicks up dirt in the opponent's face, he even throws up a little track to add in. Jon always had the endurance to speed in front, no matter how far behind were.


Excuse me, this is a passing lane right? Heading for the finish line Wesley Schoenherr kicks it in even harder at the last straight away during the two-mile relay. The relay consisted of Joe Kubicek, Jon Marshall, Wesley Schoenherr, and Joe Weakley.


Hhmm look at him run Seth Clark is in complete awe as he watches his teammates smoke all of their opponents in every race. Seth is daydreaming that he will one day become the track star of Marshall High School.



Front row: Ryan Sims, Cody Lepper, Nate Powers, Sebastien Antal, Gregor Maretzke, Ryan Norton, Jon Hausler, Tom Stefan. Second row: Akio Yotsumoto, Mike Driscoll, Wesley Schonherr, Devin Hurst, Doug Potter, Josh Deno, Kurtis Washburn, Ryan Ours, Clint Edwards. Third row: Seth Clark, Phil Weare, Phil Doud, Nick Kilgren, Steve Hyland, Jeff Hammer, Phil Baranowski, Ben Taylor, Mike Hinshaw. Fourth row: Coach Unruh, A.J. Harrington, Austin Lortz, Ryan Meeder, Joe Kubicek, Greg Owen, Chris Robinson, Steve Weaver, Alex Bishard, Coach Morris. Back row: B.J. VanDyke, Travis Sims, Pat Clark, Geno Klisiak, Justin Moss, Jon Ziskal, Jeff Covert, Joe Weakley, Richard Baker, Matt Moss, Ben Hughes, Jon Marshall.

## Hand me down my jogging shorts.

The boys track team this year had a successful season with 5 wins and 2 losses. The top performers this year were Greg Owen, Jeff Hammer, Joe Weakley and Jon Marshall. Like many of the sports teams from talented Redskin country, the boys track team is overflowing with talent this year as they outrun their rivals and competitors. It is the athletes that define a sport from their skill level to

## DON'T BLINK ORTHESE GUYS WILL RUN RIGHT BY YOU.

ented abilities. "We had an awesome season this year, I feel that we had much more team unity than any other years that I have participated in track," quoted B.J. VanDyke. "This year seemed to be much more competitive for me because I felt my teammates were always pushing and striving for the gold along with me," exclaimed Jeff Hammer. "My first year of track was so fun, even though I their will - they are the ones that are working to bring hurt myself, the guys still made me feel like a part of the forth success, and what a group of athletes we have to team. They never left me out of anything - now that is gawk at this year. This team isn't composed of just a team unity!" replied Tom Stefan.
few incredible athletes, it's completed with each and every member, they all contribute a piece of their tal-


He's a jumpin' machine Greg Owen shows off his incredible ability in the men's 110 hurdles. Greg is once again the leader of the pack.


Boys Track By Katie Murphy

No pain no gain Joe Weakley pushes himself past the point of exhaustion to give the skins another victory. Joe Weakley will be greatly missed next year by the Men's Marshall track team.

Up and over Up, up, and away, Gregor
Maretzke soars up high and clears his personal record. Gregor was one of the top three pole-vaulters.

Number 1 baby Elissa Murphy and Tiffany Freds show the crowd how well they did at their home meet. Both these seniors are awesome runners so it's no surprise they took first.


She's going the distance Sophomore Amanda Holibaugh pushes herself to finish the race. Amanda also ran Cross-Country in the fall so this is no sweat for her

## Run for the roses

Girl's Track is a sport that requires a very dedicated athlete. The girls ran through rain or shine. The girls were faced with a very hard season this year. Losing last year's seniors really hurt them, but they pulled through. Even though their record may not show it, the girls really worked hard and accomplished a lot. The girls always showed up to meets ready to give it their all and win the race. The girls never gave up. They always finished every race no matter what place they were in. The girls finished seventh at Regionals and eighth at league. All together the season was a
blast. "Track is a good way to stay healthy and fit and work on my tan at the same time," replies Cheryl Hedges after being asked why she was so tan. Although track is hard work it can also be a lot of fun. "Track is a good way to stay in shape and have a blast with your friends," expressed Morgan Goodwin. "My first year of high school track was a blast, I got to be outside and have tons of fun with my friends every day at practice," explained Freshman Katie Murphy. Good season, Ladies.

The girls track team did their best, and it paid off.


Wait, I'm coming! Christine Schaum runs across the field trying to get to the starting line before they start without her. Christine is always late or on the go.


White girl CAN jump Becky Lathers watches while Morgan jumps and goes the distance. Morgan is an awesome long jumper and a good role model.


And they're off The girls have awesome form coming off the blocks with their eyes set on the finish line they will soon cross. Starting off the race is such a rush you want to just leave everyone in the dust.


Wow that's bright Freshman Alison Jenks tries to watch her teammates and cheer them on but the sun is so bright she doesn't know who she's supposed to be yelling for, nice effort though Alison. Alison was a very dedicated teammate on the track team this year, she was a very valuable runner.

They've done it AGAIN These six lady golfers Chrissie George, Kristen Schook, Adria Anderson, Sara O'Leary, Nicole Woodcock, and Emily Whittaker have done it again. Th have won the Regional Championship for the second consecutive year. Now that's somethi to be proud of


Marshall Girls Golf Front Row: Adrian Anderson, Sarah Scamihorn, Alex Guerra, Sara Kidder, Kari Kidder. Danielle Woods, Sonja Ott, Jessica Oswald. Second Row: Coach Hamilton, Ashley London, Katie Reid, Kristen Schook, Nicole Woodcock, Sara O'Leary, Emily Whittaker, Mindy Davids, Chrissie George.


When you think about golf, you probably picture one of these boring golf shows on television, but this year's golf teams proved they were far from boring. They stepped up and swung their way into an awesome season. They had a pretty big team unlike some years in the past.
"Golf was tons of fun this year, I really got a good chance to get to know many of the girls that I didn't know much about before," explained Sonja Ut. The girls had lots of fun during the golf season. "Golf practice is a

## The girls gal team were dedicated swingers.

good way for me to get out in the sun and catch up with my friends," mentoned Danielle Woods. But golf isn't as easy as you may think. Golf consists of long hard practices, and dedication to the sport. One bad thing about golf is the weather, it doesn't always want to cooperate with the lady golfers. Overall this year's golf team did excellent! "We had a wonderful season, this is the way I like to go out," expressed Senior Chrissie George.


Fore Sonja Ut hits the ball and watches as it soars through the air Sonja improved a lot this year and now is an even better gofer.


Follow Through Danielle Woods swings at the ball with her perfect formation and sufficient follow through. The ball goes exactly were you want it to when you know what you're doing.

Masters of knowledge Derek Schook, Brian Murphy, Andy Rosko, Janine Woods, Paul Mestemaker, Phillip Doud, and Jonathon Hausler are watching the television screen waiting for the next question to come up in the Marshall Middle School Learning Resource Center. Derek's mind wanders as he recalls some of his Middle school days. Recess, short classes, malts at lunch, Mrs. Peterson, cheese filled pretzels ... these are all things that this years freshmen miss about Middle School.


Ok Computer The fast-typing Paul Mestemaker was assigned the job of "typist" at this years Knowledge Master Open. "Opponents envy the gracefulness of my fingers on a keyboard." Paul boasts to his friends as he types in the answer at an alarming rate.



My parents own the bowling alley Can you see the look of conf usion on Joe Hutchings face? It is there because he cannot believe that Gregore Maretzke got into the knowledge master open based only on the fact that he is a German exchange student. "Is that legal?" the bewildered Joe asked. "Of course not" Gregore replied. "How did you get here?" "My parents own the bowling alley."


Those who participated in the Quiz Bowl picture: David Richardson, Janeen Woods, Paul Mestsmaker, and Dana Reynolds. They were probably some more people in Quiz Bowl, but they didn't come to the picture.

# LITTLE WONDERS 

I can quit anytime I want, I swear Jonathon Hausler, has a problem: he is a nail biter. It is a problem that many kids have. When they get nervous, they bite their nails, and when they bite their nails, theyget nervous, etc.

The people who participate in these activities are young and smart, so as David Bowie might dub them, they are "little wonders".

"The best part of Quiz Bowl is working together as a team to answer the mind boggling questions. It really brought us a lot closer."

- Dana Reynolds

"I am smart. Someday, I am going to be a doctor like my father."
- Dave Richardson



Front row: Dave Richardson, Janine Woods, Darek Shook, Back row: Joe Hutchings, Dana Reynolds, Paul Mestemaker. When the yearbook tried to get a Knowledge Master Open picture, they didn't have the best of luck. It would have helped if a few more people would have shown up. Those who thought they were too smart to come to the picture were Matt Crowle, Erica Eash, Jonathon Hausler, Erik Smalek, Jenny Yang, Brian Murphy, Ian Unterbrink, Jenny Kish, Gregor Maretzke, Abby Bedient, Morgan Peters, Lindy Duff, Kristine Martz, Laurel McKenna, Dawn Saylor, Danielle Redfield, Andy Rosko, Eric Blum, Matt Blodgett, Patrick Dyer, Darek Shook, Molly Miller, Sara Boedecker, Cheryl Hedges, Catie Heidlinger, Justin Allmond, Ann Loomis, Phil Doud and Jacie Dewease.


Nail biting is contagious Taking after Jonathon Hausler, David Richardson is biting his nails. Dave, though, is much more precise in his nail biting that Jon. "Nail biting is an art," he said with pride, "and I have mastered it." Summing up this year's Knowledge master open, Dave said, "The fact that my dad is Keith Carver's doctor really helped me at this year's knowledge Master Open."

Holla Holla Kristi Budnick yells as loud as she can into the microphone during the first-ever-yelling contest at this year's prom. There were three categories: shrill scream, yells, and loudest overall. Many students thought this was a horrible idea because it was. Only five people competed in this fictitious competition. Kristi finished first place in the shrill category. After the screaming contest was a karaoke session with over three thousand songs to choose from. Kristi also participated in the karaoke.

That's what friends are for Seth Shubert is extremely happy because his home slice Mr. "Daz" Dahlinger lent him his sunglasses for this photo. Mr. Dahlinger is full of glee because he got to wear his new tie for the special occasion. The flash of the camera blinded "Daz", and Seth ran off to a brighter future with his new shades.

Baby got back The theme for this year's prom, "A Night in Heaven", was the brainchild of the Junior Prom Committee. It was a good theme, but a more fitting theme might have been "Backless in 2000". Here, Christa South sports a fashionable baby-blue backless top. Even though this fashion is accepted in women's clothing, it is slowly catching on as a men's swimwear trend. The backless clothing turnout at next year's prom is expected to be a big one.


We are the world People of all cultures traveled to Battle Creek, Michigan to attend this heavenly event. Aubrey McCauley came all the way from the West Side to make an appearance at the Heritage Center in downtown Battle Creek. Beth Weare had to leave her hometown of Pointing, MI where people always point at things. Shannon Duffey is from Silenticity, where noise does not exist. It's wonderful to see one event bring so many characters together for a good time.


Where's the beef? Jon Marshall, Erik Smalek, and Derold James London all left their dates to go look for a good fight. What they didn't know is that there was no fighting allowed in the Heritage Center. After realizing they couldn't rumble with anyone, they played countless games of pea-knuckle. Derold won almost every game.

Woula you knors my name...

Every year, Marshall High School has a prom for the Junior and Senior classes. This year's prom was so much more special than many others were. In fact, it was so special that some college freshman came back to their native school to attend the extraordinary event. Rich Huggett, a freshman at Central Michigan University exclaimed, "Prom 2000 was awesome!!!!" Kellogg Community College freshman Josh Bennett remarked, "I didn't go to prom while I was in high school, but this year's prom was too amazing to pass up." It's good to see people of all types coming to this event to show their intense Redskin pride.
During that day, before the festivities, many students could have been found at the hairdresser getting their locks styled just right for the occasion. Some students, one the other hand, might have been driving around in their cars running errands to get everything ready so that their night flows perfectly. All the small things that went into this big party made up half the fun. Whether picking up a tux, or buying rolls and rolls of film, anybody could have had a fun day getting ready for that festive night. But before they could even think about sitting down for a fine dining experience, the group had to make their rounds for the obligatory pictures.
The Junior class was in charge of putting this whole promenade together. They had to come up with a theme, a place to have it, and activities for student participation. The theme of MHS Prom 2000 was "A Night in Heaven", and what better place to host the event than the Heritage Center in Battle Creek. Inside the Heritage Center was a
large staircase that went up to the dance floor, kind of like angels going up to heaven. Some activities besides the standard dancing and gossiping about who was with whom and who left with whom, were karaoke, food \& beverages, and a giant screen for cartoons. (Did any of you catch the fine stylings of Dave Sabre, Ben Walters, Al Weyer, and Dan Fingas? Who needs a DJ when you've got these guys?)

After a night of fine food, friends, and assorted festivities, most couples left to continue with movies and more

Radar love Hayes Sunderman gears up to use his "Love Gun". Hayes couldn't handle having just one girl for prom this year ... he wanted them all. One would think a plastic gun alone can't win the hearts of all those ladies, but Hayes is a pro love gunner and he knows this. Watch out ladies, because here comes the Love Gun



Who are you Andrew Darling and his date Jackie Anderson are looking for a laugh, and a laugh is what they found. Their buddy, who isn't from MHS, heard it through the grapevine that our own Jonny Marshall was extremely funny, so he did his best impression of him. Everyone laughed.
"Ewww, Rich stop touching me!" Exclaims Matthew James Blodgett to his date Richard Marvin Huggett. Richard and Matthew shared a wonderful evening together at prom 2000. Rich stated his favorite part of the night was how great Matt looked in his mustard yellow tux!


Do ah didi didi dum didi do! Belts out David Saber and friends. They all stated they had a wonderful time at prom. The kareokee made the night special!


My night and shinning armor! Kelly Triece would of ten get tired throughout the evening from all of the dancing that she and her date B.J VanDyke would do. So B.J. would just pick her up to let her rest her feet! These two lovebirds shared a wonderful prom 2000.
"Wow! I really like this one!" Exclaims Matt Crowle as he takes a break from the dance floor and his date to go watch his favorite cartoons! Matt said he enjoyed prom a great deal ... especially because of the cartoons!

"Does the color of my vest bring out my eyes? Asks Michael Dillion as he runs to sport his new tux in front of the cameras. Mike was taking pictures of himself all night he showed up to the dinner an hour late! Mike loves to be fashionably late!


Talk to the hand! These girls had to whip out the "hand" all night as boys came running over to them to see if they could slip in a dance. Emily Davis and Lindy Duff figured they should spend some of the evening with their dates, though!

Ryan-me-studly Reporting for duty, I mean, my date. States Ryan Varner as he shows up for pictures two hours late! Ryan also enjoys to be fashionably late along with Mike Dillion! These two boys had a wonderful time taking pictures in the dark!

What food will I give up this year? Or will it be pop? Will I-try to exercise everyday? Many students at Marshall ponder these questions as the New Year rolls around; and what are these questions that suddenly appear on December 31? Yep! That's right, they're New Year's resolutions. No matter how hard you try or no matter how many times you tell yourself you can't break them, by the time February or March rolls around, you find yourself in the same boat you were in last year, whether it's eating junk food, drinking pop, or just not exercising. But for some students at MHS, the new millennium brought some inspiration and they thought they would ring in the 21 century with the right resolution. One of these students is senior Kate Weston who exclaimed "No regrets!" Many students are making resolutions, but so are the various clubs and organizations at MHS. Student Council member

Kari Searles commented, "We are going to get more school involvement and do things that get everyone involved. But we do keep ourselves busy with community services, like helping the elderly and going to the soup kitchen." As the Student Council spends their time

> The new millenniam brings many positive changes in the soup kitchen, SADD members are also planning various activities throughout the year. One of these activities was Prom Promise 2000, which was a reminder to all students not to drink and drive the night of Prom or any other time. Many students at MHS thought it was worthwhile, including junior Molly Miller who mentioned, "I think it will remind people to think twice about their decisions." All in all, MHS students are working hard to make this year successful.


Snack time Annie Stulberg works on her Calculus homework while snacking on her candy necklace. Annie is involved in numerous clubs and organizations. This busy schedule can wear anyone out, so Annie relies on a quick sugar fix during her Calculus class to keep her going.

I wanna be on T.V. Junior Jon Byrd closely looks over his television broadcasting speech in Mr. Telfer's room, as he prepares for the upcoming debate tournament. All of Jon's work paid off as he qualified for state this year.


Look at me! Senior Matt Heppner patiently waits to have his make up done for the mock car accident SADD presented to the Juniors and Seniors. This real life experience will always remind students not to drink and drive.

Two heads are better than one Sophomores Jenny Stulberg and Erin Simmons work together on a grueling French assignment. Besides their French homework, these two talented ladies keep themselves busy with soccer, dance, and basketball.


Say what? Aubrey McCauley looks on in astonishment as she hears some new Yearbook gossip. Yearbook is a fun and rewarding experience for most, including Aubrey.


Hangin' with the kids Senior Sara Boedecker takes time out of her busy schedule to read to the students at Gordon school. This is one of the many projects Yackers do to get involved in the community.

## Working Together

 Pete Vanzandt and Mr. Burns plan for an upcoming Student Council meeting. These meetings can be strenuous, but in the end it's all worthwhile as the Student Council presents the students at MHS with awesome assemblies and many other events.What's so funny? Sisters Elissa and Beth Anne Murphy enjoy telling their jokes to friend and fellow band member Steve Weaver These three all work very hard and are dedicated but sometimes Steve gets a little out of control.

Year Round Division

> They may mot be saving the world, but Student Council sure does a lot for M. H.S.

Some people often wonder what the 1999-2000 Student Council committee does all the time. They don't just sit around and come out at assemblies. There's much more than that. When they're not helping recycle after school or helping out with school wide events, they're plenty busy with volunteering at the soup kitchen. Jon Marshall states, "It's a good experience for me to get to work with others around the community." The Student Council donates every 1st Thursday of the month to go help out people who are in need at the soup kitchen.

Student Council members are also very busy during the holidays. Every year they adopt a family
and buy presents and food for them. Devin Thomas says, "I'm very glad that I get to have this experience to help people out who need it."

And it's not just people that the Student Council help out throughout the year, they help pets too. Every year, Student Council members donate dog and cat food to the humane society. They get more food from students here at MHS than any other committee around. Mr. Burns exclaims, "I especially like this fundraiser because I get to help out the little fury animals around town!'' So you see, Student Council members do a whole lot more than you think.

## SAVING THE WORLD....ONE <br> SEmiNAR AT A TIME.



Darn lunch trays! "Geez, I hope I didn't get anything on my pants," mumbles Rob Backlund as he picks his lunch tray back up. Rob is head leader of the lunch tray committee in Student Council. Good job, Rob, good job.

Mmm ... What's that smell? As Erica Eash approaches Mr. Burns, she can't help but notice that wonderful smell of neon rice on his plate. Mr. Burn's favorite part of Student Council is the fact that he can have as much neon rice as he wants.

"I need tape! Hurry!" exclaims Kari Searles as she jolts to the window where she sees a sign about to come off. Kari's always looking out for others in Student Council. Way to go Kari.

Student Council
By Megan Adams
"Why are you looking at me? Quit taking my picture. Why do people always take my picture when I'm eating? Don't look at me," mumbles Jeff Covert as he eats more popcorn. Jeff does a super job in Student Council.


Student Council Front Row: Pete VanZandt, Heather Nichols, Corrie Edwards, Kari Searles, Carrie Jones. Second Row: Cody Burghdorf, Jeff Cox, Ian Stewart, Chrissie George, Kara Byrne, Justin Moss. Third Row: Dave Palchak, Doug Rasher, Josh Petty, Janine Woods, Brittany Hainline. Back Row: Tyler Candaleria, Justin Hughes, Beth-ann Murphy, Jamie Bradshaw, Devin Thomas. Missing from picture: Ryan Mead, Jeff Covert, Mo Palchek, Jonny Marshall, Matthew Blodgett, Rob Backlund, Keegan Robbins, Justin Allmond.

"Ryan Mead has been a great influence on me I hope I can be a good of a President as he is some day." -Jeff Cox
"Oh no! Does someone need the President's help?" exclaims Ryan Mead as he desperately tries to get buff for Student Council. Golift more weights Ryan. Go Bearcats.


Student Council By Megan Adams

Senior Members Front Row: Jessi Petty, Emily Driver, Sara Woods, Danielle Redfield, Elissa Murphy, Kate Weston, Lindy Duff, Jackie Anderson, Dana Reynolds, Chris Maher, Emily Davis, Matt Crowle. Second Row: Scott Conant, Jenny Kish, Molly Lazar, Annie Stulberg, Sara Boedecker, Jeni Grades, Ann Loomis, Kelly Willbrandt. Third Row: Joe Weakley, Christa South, Richard Baker, Scott Kiewiet. Back Row: Chris Toyzan, Kelly Peterson, Matt Parker, Sarah Noneman, David Saber, Ian Unterbrink. Missing from picture: Katie Andrysiak, Abby Bedient, Emily Kleinschmidt, Lauren Kleinschmidt, Missy Lough, Neil Maurer, Laurel McKenna, Justin Moss, Catie Neidlinger, Sara O'Leary, Morgan Peters, Laurie Romanowski, Marilyn Rush, Katy Shalley, Erik Smalek, Tracy Sweet, Sally Tarmnel, Shandra Thomas.


## The World is Dour Oyster

## NHS inducts students with bright futures on the horizon

Dazed and Confused While waiting for new victims to run the gauntlet of handshaking, NHS members practice many rituals to get psyched up for the big event. As seen here, Matt Crowle plays with his shirt, Sara Woods relaxes her wrists, Abby Bedient throws salt over her shoulder for luck, Kelly Peterson grasps his elbow and Jessi Petty practices her million dollar smile. Unfortunately, none of this adequately prepared Kate Weston for a face to face meeting with the Andy Rosko.


Junior Members Front Row: Julie Ballard, Dave Richardson, John Lambrix, Kari Searles, Erica Eash, Jamie Gomez, Andy Rosko, Emily Taylor, Sarah Matako, Heidi Bramble, Nick Kilgrin. Second Row: Andrea Twiss, Stacey Roberts, Molly Miller, Jenny Rogers, Corrie Edwards, Paul Mestemaker, Jon Hausler, Krisitin Dominique, Janine Woods, Jenny Yang, Joe Hutchings, Paul Daly. Third Row: Catherine Crouse, Phil Doud, Joe Darling, Doug Rasher, Rob Backlund, Ryan Bridges. Missing from picture: Stephen Albrecht, David Travis.


Pete and Repeat No, Dana Reynolds isn't telling old jokes during the induction ceremony! She is asking members to repeat the
pledge of the national Honor Society after her. Luckily, senior members had the words in front of them, otherwise the whole thing could have gone up in flames. Hmmmm


Listen my children and you shall hear Annie Stulberg puts her reading skills to good use and speaks to the newly inducted on the quality of scholarship. NHS members are selected on the basis of scholarship, service, leadership and character, which are explained by current members at the induction.


Say my name Missy Lough was awarded the difficult task of reading names of candidates recommended for membership. Not just anyone can handle pronouncing names such as "Dominique" or "Mestemaker," but having a commonly mispronounced name herself, Missy was up for the challenge.



A word to the wise Local psychologist, (and more importantly, Ann's mom), Dr. Martha Loomis-Kendall addressed the audience on the importance of the Society's ideals in real life. At every induction, a guest speaker is invited to share his or her pearls of wisdom with the students.

## The screamin' tires,

## the bustin' glass

"I joined SADD because I don't believe in alcohol," stated Megan Adams. This has been a common response to why kids are joining SADD (Students against driving drunk). Many feel that alcohol should be banned in all fifty states but if that can't happen, they would just like to prevent drinking and driving by their fellow classmates. They have done so by using many non-violent activities to make students aware of the consequences and repercussions that drunk driving can bring about.
One of the many activities that SADD has used to teach the truth to the young Marshall youth was a mock car crash. Eight SADD participants acted as kids who were returning home on prom night and got into a car accident. Justin Moss played the drunk driver. "I only drunk drive for pretend, and I think I do it very well," Justin claimed. Beth Weare was very
happy about the successfulness of the mock car crash "One of my favorite things about SADD this year was the mock car crash because I felt that it affected a lot of people." It also affected Ryan McCann greatly, who is also a SADD member. "It was very emotional for me" he remembered, "but I didn't cry because I'm a man!"

## LET THIS NOT BE

the painful scream
YOU HEAR LAST

Overall it was a very successful year for SADD, they educated and on the side they had a little fun.
Saving lives is a tiring job, and this years participants need to rest, so until they are seen again in action next year, here is a quote from Susan Lambrix, "I thought it was a good idea for me to be in SADD because it is important for me to make the right choices about drinking."


Living Dead Matt Heppner, Christa South, Katie Andrysiak, Justin Moss, Matt Nofs, and Erica Eash got made up all pretty for the mock car crash in April. If for no other reason don't drink and drive because it will make you look like this.

Sent From Heaven EMS workers are glowing as they try to save one of the survivors of the mock car crash 2000. "Are you an angel?" the victim asked in a daze. "No, I'm just a man doing his job," the worker replied proudly. There were no heavenly bodies at this year's mock car crash, just a lot of good pretending. SADD puts on this program every three years to demonstrate what might happen in a real accident involving alcohol.


Lazy Eye Sometimes, when people are talking to Katie Andrysiak, her eye wanders off in the other direction. Just be polite and say, "It's barely noticeable."

Rescue from above Christa South is getting loaded into the helicopter because she needs immediate medical attention. Helicopters are a lot faster than cars, definitely. They are probably a lot more fun to ride in. You should have saved more Pepsi Points and got that helicopter they had in their commercial a few years ago.

Day Sleepers Erica Eash and Mott Nofs take a power nap while waiting for the mock car crash to begin. It took a lot out of them getting all that freaky makeup on.



SADD Front row: Aubrey Thompke, Laura Hoag, Christa South, Emily Taylor, Andrew Rosko, Kristine Martz, Krystal Finch, Kaitlin Adams. Second row: Timothy Hecox, Kathleen Wheat, Jessica Leahy, Jaime Loughrige, Lindsay Cox, Bethany Weare, Stacey Roberts, Chris Maher, Danielle Redfield, Joseph Weakley. Third row: Rebecca Riser, Susan Lambrix, Laura Maher, Thomas Stefan, Paul Mestemaker, Ryan McCann, Shannon Howard, Megan Adams, Nicole Hopkins, Eva Vaughn. Don't these beautiful smiles make you want to stay from alcohol?


High On Life Danny "the Manny" McConnell is proud to be wearing the bracelet he got from SADD participants reminding him not to drink and drive on prom night "I wouldn't have drank on prom night anyway, I have enough fun when I'm sober."

SADD


Recycling. Adopt-a-Family. Grant Cycles. Christmas parades. Building restoration at the fair. Teaching 4th graders. All of these projects are tied together by a common thread - the Youth Advisory Council. Senior Chrissie George elaborated, "YAC is great because it helps us become more active members of the community through the many fun things we participate in. We can also aid many youth programs and are able to see a quick and direct result of our efforts." Chad Duckwall agreed, "I like being part of YAC because it gives me a chance to impact my community."

But why was YACkers created? It all boils down to one thing - grants. "The way that the grant system works is organizations submit proposals to the Community Foundation. Then the grants pertaining to youth programs are deferred to the YACkers. After much debate and research, we vote on which organizations should receive funds," explained Dana Reynolds. This process gives YACkers a great deal of influence on what goes on in our community.

This year, along with their task of designating funds, YACkers also participated in a variety of community service projects. For the first time, they spread out recycling duties among other school clubs. They joined together with other YACs in a county-wide project to restore the Boys and Girls Building at the fair. They taught 4th graders at Madison about equality and philanthropy through the Dollars for Deeds program. One of favorite activities was Adopt-a-Family at Christmas. Devin Thomas agreed, "I enjoyed taking presents to our adopted family. It made me feel like I was making a difference."

## If I Could Change the Woold <br> 號

## YACkers change the World $\mathrm{As}_{\mathrm{s}}$ We know II for the better

Yipee! New YACker Alison Jenks can barely contain her enthusiasm for the new grant cycle, whereas Steve Weaver manages to suppress his intense emotion. Veteran Chrissie George beams down at the two, happy that she can pass on the joy of grants to a new generation of YACkers.

Talk to me President Annie Stulberg, YAC Advisor Sandi Dobbins and Vice President Catherine Crouse preside over a seminar meeting in Mrs. Knaack's room. Yackers have mandatory meetings twice a month plus participate in out-of-school activities.


Joy to the World YaCkers Alison Jenks, Dana Reynolds, Emily Davis, Annie Stulberg, Chrissie George, Sara Boedecker, Devin Thomas, Emily Driver, Mo Palchak, Abby Bedient and Jessi Petty bring joy (and presents!) to their adopted family. Food and gift shopping, cookie baking and present wrapping are all done by these little elves over their vacation in time to be delivered to the family for Christmas Eve.


Youth Advisory Council Front Row: Sara Boedecker, Katy Shalley, Jessi Petty, Dana Reynolds, Andy Rosko, Abby Bedient. Second Row: Alison Jenks, Kelly Collins, Molly Lazar, Annie Stulberg, Chrissie George, Devin Thomas, Julie Ballard, Anna Morgan. Back Row: Chad Duckwall, David Saber, Jason Wright, Steven Weaver, Dawn Saylor, Catherine Crouse, Kelly Sedgeman. Missing from photo: Dan Boyer, Emily Davis, Emily Driver, Maureen Palchak.

## You've

 Peer listeners put anew twist on the
old James Taylor
song and show their
willingness to help
others.


Oh baby bring it all to me Jeanine King, the Peer Listening trainer, is ready to sympathetically listen to any problems one might have. While she may look the opposite of sympathetic, Jeanine was actually very helpful and worked with Peer Listeners on ways to deal with stress. It just goes to show that looks can be deceiving.

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You've got a serious problem and you feel like there is no one left to turn to. Where do you go? To the Peer Listeners. You would like to learn the skills of an active listener or learn to cope with stress. Who do you turn to? You guessed it, the Peer Listeners. Many students are discovering the advantages of Peer Listening, both on the giving and the receiving end of the deal.

In order to become a Peer Listener, a prospective clubbie must pass the informative rite of passage known as Peer Listening Training. In this full day workshop, students learn the rules of Peer Listening, how to recognize distress signs, and the qualities of an understanding listener. "The training was really easy and helpful," stated Nick Heitmeyer, a Peer Listener from the very beginning. "It was nice to get out of school."


Heater Hot Spot Megan Adams and Ross Lukje had better watch their backs. Sitting on the coveted heater could get them some cold, jealous enemies in just one, hot minute. But wait, they don't need to watch their backs - the wall is on guard for them. Just one of the many perks of sitting on the heater.

An arm and a leg Mike Dillion literally uses his arm to block Jenny Rodgers' line of sight. He may not be actually giving an arm and a leg, but Mike would do just about anything to uphold the Peer Listeners' top priority: confidentiality. Even if he is only filling out his address, he is setting an example for all present and future listeners.


Peer Listening Front Row: Ross Lukje, Megan Adams. Second Row: Christa Chapman, Emily Taylor, Andy Rosko, Missy Riser, Ryan Mead, Irma Gonzales. Third Row: Corrie Edwards, Devin Thomas, Jeff Fausey, Kate Weston, Jaime Gomez, Mike Dillion, Ryan Trapp. Fourth Row: Megan DeJong, Kristen Dominque, Emily Davis, Jenny Rodgers, Tim Hecox, Cody Burghdorf, Lindsey Cox. Back Row: Brooke McKenney, Abby Bedient, Abby Lake, Liz Foerester, Jaime Loughridge, Miss. Snodgrass.

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# If I could tell the world just one thing 

We are the champions! These shiny, gold plated trophies are just a few of the awards that the Debate and Forensics teams have won recently. Mind you, these are trophies that the team has won. Not pictured are the individual trophies that the students have been collecting.

The Debate and Forensics teams have had another successful year. With five students qualifying for state, they are sure to display the talent we have at Marshall and impress everyone with their impeccable speaking skills. The five state qualifiers are as follows: Dan Fingas and Scott Conant in Impromptu, Aaron Musselman in Extemporaneous speaking, Jon Byrd in Television Broadcasting, and Matt Crowle in Dramatic Interpretation. Those five students also made it to Reginals along with Kristin Budnick, Necole Hopkins, Katie Kinney, Emilae Bonnaire, Amy Conant, Kristine Martz, and Patty Fedak.

Some other highlights of the year were when Dan Fingas and Scott Conant competed in the prestigious John S. Knight scholarship competition at $U$ of $M$. They qualified for this competition by being the top speakers at the district. Also, at the Lakeview Invitational, Jon Byrd received third place in TV Broadcasting, Aaron Musselman received third place in Extemporaneous speaking, Matt Crowle received second place in Dramatic Interpretation, and in Impromptu, Dan Fingas received third place and Scott Conant re-


Forensics Front: Catherine Crouse, Katie Kinney, Aaron Musselman, Dan Fingas, Jon Byrd, and Patty Fedak. Back: Emilae Bonnaire, Matt Crowle, Kristin Budnick, Kristine Martz, Necole Hopkins, and Brian Murphy.
ceived first. These are all great accomplishments especially considering there are usually 300 to 400 participants in the invitationals. The students have had a lot of fun competing and are very proud of their achievement. Matt Crowle stated, "My only regret is that I didn't get involved in this a long time ago. I don't usually get involved in school activities and it has been a pleasure to get to know these crazy forensics people. Telf is the man!!!"

Over all, the Debate and Forensics teams have had a fantastic year and are hoping to improve it even more at State, which will be held at the University of Michigan.
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Nothing to say Aaron Musselman is speechless after qualifying for state in the Extemporaneous event. He has done very well this year, winning many awards in the numerous invitationals he has attended.

Say my name, say my name ... Dan Fingas chatters on about why Mr. Telfer is "the Man" but has failed to mention his name, leaving everyone wondering who he was talking about. Dan Fingas is one of the top debaters and has qualified for state in Impromptu.


The Thinker Scott Conant sits quietly preparing for his speech in the Impromptu event. He has done very well this year, making the semis at every invitational and winning many awards. He also is one of the five state qualifiers.

"Once more unto the breach, dear friends, once more" Henry V III.i. Matt Crowle crouches down to begin his interpretation of Shakespeare's King Henry V. This is Matt's first year in Forensics and he has impressed everyone with his exceptional skills. He also is going to state for which he qualified for in Dramatic Interpretation.


And today in the news ... Jon Byrd displays his skills in TV Broadcasting as he informs his listeners of the news. Jon has also done well this year as the only junior who has qualified for state.

## Debate

Front: Aaron Musselman, Dan Fingas, Jon Byrd, and Patty Fedak. Back: Brian Quilhot, Necole Hopkins, and Brian Murphy.

## FFA = FRIENDLF, YIIN \$ACTIVE

All you jocks think you're pretty busy, huh? School, practice, games, and homework, no time for anything right? Well, you're not the only students who are busy outside of school. The FFA finds themselves constantly on the go just as an athlete would. This year a main fundraiser was the Kiss the Pig contest where the teacher with the most money donated by stu-
computer skills at local nursing homes such as Maplewood and Tendercare. Competitions such as salesmanship and landscaping also help create an active year for the members. The FFA is also known for their studies of agriculture, raising animals for the fair and fundraisers such as the Kiss the Pig contest. "I enjoy working with my students, and they're a fun group to be around," re-

## AND YOU 'IHOUGHT' YOU KNEW WHAT THE FTA STOOID FOR

dents had to kiss a pig. The money that was raised to help the Michigan FFA foundation was presented at Michigan State University State FFA convention on March 6 this year. Mike Dahlinger, new assistant principal, was the lucky winner of the beneficial contest. Students also find themselves busy with the Legacy of Learning program where volunteers help the elderly adults with
marked teacher Mr. Beneker. "They try hard and do some volunteer work that many other students at MHS don't have the opportunity to get involved in." Remember, these guys are the Future Farmers of America, and they don't just get to be called that for nothing. The FFA is an excellent example of teamwork and participation of students from Marshall High School.


The Best of The Best Pictured here are Marshall FFA's delegates to the National FFA Convention in Louisville. The Chapter received a two star National Chapter Award.

We're Number One Marshall FFA County Fair educational exhibit received first place. Aaron Krummrey and Mr. Beneker accept their award with smiles. The exhibit showed how soybeans were used to make many products.


What A Chick! Christine Martz is not the only chick in the picture. She is one of many FFA students who participated in a project that involved raising little chicks. This was one of the favorite activities they did.

Living the Legacy Marshall FFA member Brittany Owens teaches a senior citizen how to use a computer under the watchful eye of project coordinator Bev Zalewski. FFA members teach about 100 senior citizens how to use the new technology under the Legacy of Learning program.


FFA Front Row: Samantha Christi, Nicole Burmeister, Alyssa Reniger, Hope Garza, Katie Wheat, Kristine Martz, Laurie Romanowski, Wendy Hamilton. Second: Patrick Carrington, Troy Koplus, Billy Wilson, Amy Bibler, Mindy Smith, Kari Hammaker, Erin Segar, Myra Hamilton, Kurtis Washburn. Third: Pamela Schnitzler, Brandon Palak, Nate Pritchard, Levi Shreve, Matt Tucker, Danny Sommers, Jason Fry, Randy Day, Bryan Dadow, Jack West Fourth: Mr. Griffith, Matt Heart, Chad Hoffman, Rubin West, Nick Collins, Steve Chapman, Todd Segar, Aaron Krummery, Jarrod Goodwich, Mr. Beneker. Back Row: Christopher Robinson, Chip Ousley, Taylor Day, Andy Tarmnel, Matt Hedges, Ryan Sims, George Face, Jason Flanders, Sally Tarmnel

FFA Friends Matt Tucker and fellow FFA friend, Ryan Rhodes are having fun working with fish "Boy George". They are seen here at the Kiwanis Club Nature Center, where they teach about the harmful pollutants in water.


Yo Soy ... Boy! Todd Seger posses with an extremely large soybean during an annual FFA competition. This project was fun for Todd and other participants from the FFA were also active in the event.

I found the problem Ronnie Ashby tries to fix the car's wheel all by himself. Ronnie is a very independent worker and is always getting into something. Good thing he's good at what he does.

## Learn how to live.

CATC (Formerly known as Vo-Ed) is located at Kellogg Community College. Students from many different schools come together to learn job skills in fields that are not available in their high school academic programs. CATC teaches students specific job skills that can help them advance in the career they hope to follow. "I enjoy CATC because we do real life situations," explained Garrett Lawrence. The Calhoun Area Technology Center offers many classes ranging from automotive technology to food preparation to floral work. The students are dis-
missed from their high schools after third and fourth blocks and stay at CATC until 2:30. "I enjoy getting out of our high school and entering a new environment everyday," expressed Sally Tarmnel. In that period of time they do both book and hands-on activities. "CATC is much better than high school because we do so much more hands on work that it's a much better experience and you learn a lot more," says Michelle Harrington. This is a great learning experience for those who know where they want to go in life.



Be Careful Larry Sheperd is very excited to be working on his new project. Larry is very precise when using this new machine to cut the metal.


WOW Michelle Harrington stares into her computer with amazement; there's so much to learn. Michelle attends a few of the medical classes that are offered at CATC, so she can follow her dream of becoming a doctor someday.

They must be thirsty today Jenny Lawrence waters the plants once again today. In this floral class they learn all sorts of skills for tak ing care of and growing beautiful plants.


Which wire do I cut? Steve Chapman concentrates very hard deciding which wire goes where while he tries not to blow us all up. Actually it's not a bomb, it's just some wires Steve was working on for his Electricity class. You can relax now The lights may flicker, but everything is okay. BOOM!


CATC Front Row: Ben Zeuhlke, Mike Burger, Adam Hecox, Brandy Masters, Justin Stephens. Second Row: Sally Tarmnel, Michelle Harrington, Kari Burrows, Jessica Schnitzler, Larry Sheperd, Lance Coleman. Third Row: Joe Weakly, Bryan Dadow, Garrett Lawrence, Matt Tucker, Daniel Wilkinson, Casey Nichols, James Newman, Robert Miller.

With a new teacher, new members, and more fun than a barrel of monkeys, Yearbook is definitely...

## Where It's At

You stroll down the hall during eighth block, hall pass in hand, on your way to the bathroom. As you turn the corner, you hear faint sounds of a familiar tune. Taking a detour from the bathroom, you walk toward the thumping rhythm and harmonica melody. As you get closer, you recognize the song as Blues Traveler's "Hook." You're nearer now, and you can hear laughter above the music. You think to yourself, "What class could possibly be that fun, besides sports psychology?" Your thoughts are suddenly interrupted by a voice, somewhat resembling the cries of a dying cat, as it belts out the chorus, "The hook brings you back ..." You step into the room to find Matt Blodgett (the source of the caterwauling) standing on his chair singing into his pen cap while the rest of the class laughs at his childish antics and continues their work.
What class could possibly be this great? That's the question I'm sure many of you are asking yourselves right now. Well, ladies and gentleman, this fine course is none other than Year-
book! The class which single handedly put together this fine publication you have in your hands.
"Yearbook is definitely where it's at!" exclaims sophomore Jimmy Macnamera. "I've had more fun in this class in the last semester than I have in all of my other classes combined!" Now for those of you who may be thinking, "Yes! Another slack class, sign me up!" You thought WRONG! Ask any member of the staff, this year has been quite a challenge, what with 2 new teachers, many new and inexperienced members, and the difficulties of getting the new computer system up and running. But despite these difficulties, the members prefer to look on the bright side. "It was my first year in yearbook. At times it was a little hectic, but it was lots of fun," relates sophomore Nick Zalewksi. I think senior Sara Boedecker summed it up best when she confidently stated "I won't say that this year wasn't a challenge - but by the time you're reading this, we will have a yearbook and that makes it all worth it."

Where's Waldo? or better yet, where's Emzy? Junior Emzy Collins sits patiently at his computer reviewing his yearbook copy. Rumor has it that, shortly after this picture was taken, Emzy hitch-hiked to Russia to join a band of travelling circus clowns.

The Right Stuff Senior Emily Davis shows off her awesome envelope stuffing skills. Emily actually broke the world record for the time taken to stuff one envelope. She folded, stuffed, and sealed in an amazing .97 seconds.



Caution: Contents Under Pressure In the fast-paced, high-stress world of yearbook it can be incredibly difficult to stay sane, but for having only been here five months, Mrs. Long seems to be coping very well. When asked what the most memorable event of the year has been so far, she responded, "Computer failure on a consistent basis.'

On My Signal Sophomore Nick Zalewski checks his layout one last time to make sure everything has been done correctly. But this seemingly harmless act is really Nick's signal to tell his alien comrades that the coast is clear, and it is time to invade. Fortunately, they confused it with the sign to turn and flee leaving the world safe for another day.


One Big, Happy Family Front Row: Katie Murphy, Megan Adams, Dana Reynolds, Jenny Henry. Second Row: Yearbook Advisor Diane Long, Sara Boedecker, Marissa Long, Keith Carver, Ryan Varner. Back Row: Nick Zalewski, Molly Miller, Beth Weare, Matt Blodgett. Missing from photo: Emily Davis, Aubrey McCauley, Sheena Cross, Tony Barroso, Nikki Sheeks.

Get the Picture Sophomore Megan Adams checks out a new batch of yearbook pictures, searching for the perfect photos for her page. But the search was difficult because the only pictures she would find were of Joey Wilson doing inappropriate things with bowling balls.


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SECTION EDITORS: Molly Miller
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## Dill hanl|hear Thelerens? <br> 

She's the cheese, and I'm the macaroni Courtney Burdette and Mike Waidelich combine their layout design skills to create another awesome issue of Smoke Signals. They cut enough paper to turn a tree into a tree trunk, yet at MHS, students and staff always recycle the paper that isn't used. Layout design is a key skill to have in the journalism class.

## I separate the good stuff from the junk

Mrs. Diane Long runs Mo Palchak through her freshly written story correcting errors along the way. Mo used big words like 'infinitesimal' and 'behemoth'. In this class, students learn to use more superficial worlds like 'small' and 'big', which serve to get the essential information of a news story across to the reader easily.


## Money makin' putting us to the test

For a newspaper to get printed, it must be funded. Ad sales bring forth much of these necessary funds. Joe Darling studies ad placement and design, while Cate Neidlinger figures the sizes and prices of the ads in Smoke Signals. When it comes to school newspaper ad sales, Cate and Joe are the best.

A new story starts in a computer lab full of students and their inquisitive, young minds. It is then taken to a master computer on a floppy disk to be transformed into a laser-printed page. This page is given to the layout designers, who slice the stores into twoinch columns and strategically place them on the final layout sheet. This sheet is taken to the Marshall Chronicle located in Albion where last minute editing takes place just before the page is printed Around 11:30 on a Friday, a brand new edition of Smoke Signals is released in the Marshall Chronicle. "It feels good to be part of such a productive class," exclaimed Joe Darling about the whole process.

Out with the old and weak, in with the new and strong', is Morgan Pe ters' idea of how this class has run since the end of the first marking period. A change in teachers dramatically reversed the 1999-2000 journalism class for the better. Mrs. Long, the journalism teacher, has helped the class go from releasing an issue once every two weeks to releasing one full spread in the local newspaper every Friday. She also worked to get important facilities like a light table and a hot wax roller.
'I like to write, so this class is perfect for me", remarked Mo Palchak, who entered the class in the second semester. Effort and a liking for writing are the best possessions to possess when starting to work on the Smoke Signals staff. It is an amazing feeling for a group of kids who have worked hard all week to see their effort printed on a full page of the local newspaper.

Do it for the team
No, these girls aren't playingSuper Jet Ping-Pong against their online buddies. Instead, they are in a thoughtful story writing session. Jamie Boone, Courtney Burdette and Dawn Zink are three of many mas terminds carefully writing a collection of informative sto ries for each issue of Marshall High School's very own newspaper.


I love to take a photography
Someone once said that photos look worse in black and white. That person was definitely not talking about photojournalism. Matt Blodgett captures Jason Cox on the digital camera for a feature story entitled "The Rock: A Solid Man". Jason refused to smile.


This one's on me
To the students and staff at MHS. Smoke Signals is a free source of what is happening in our exciting town. However, to other readers, it costs a little more than nothing to get their daily dose of information. Staff writer Brad "Be-Rad" McCormack distributes an issue to his friend Jessie Johnson.


Smoke Signals Staff
Front Row: Aubrey Thompke, Nickie Borden, and Jessica Petty. Second Row: Dawn Zink, Catie Neidlinger, Laurel McKenna, Jamie Boone, and Amy Hoffdahl. Third Row: Mrs. Long, Todd "Matt" Blodgett, Morgan Peters, and Courtney Burdette. Missing from picture: Joe Darling, Mindy Davids, Jenni Goodman, Kevin McConnell, Brad McCormack, Shannon Miller, Maureen Palchak, Alexis Posler, Mike Waidelich, and Janeen Willis

## We got the beat

From the first home football game to the last, the band continues to do their best. Besides the cheerleaders, they get the crowd roaring before and during the game. They always have so much spirit. "If it weren't for us, the football games would be really boring," quoted Megan Adams. At their festivals they mostly obtained 1 s , which is the highest score one can receive. When the football season was over, they didn't stop there. They also participated by playing at the home basketball games.

## We're the band

Color guard also did a fantastic job entertaining the crowd as they showed off their skills. "We helped the band put spirit into the crowd, and they know it," stated Ashley Sobel. Band was also the best part of their year. "Band was the highlight of my year!" exclaimed Keith Carver. The band has spent many years entertaining and wowing the crowds, and hopefully they will continue.


We got spirit yes we do The color guard dances a little jig to get the crowd hoppin’ during a football game. They never seem to run out of spirit and always have energy. The girls are taking a small break before their next sensational performance.

I've got you now my pretty Corrie Edwards has no idea about Ian Root's master plan to take her away, but AJ Somsel knows exactly what's going on. But these 2 guys are so sly they keep their master plan to themselves so it is not spoiled.


Toot toot toot During basketball season the "Pep Band" puts a little spirit into the crowd. John Fear and Elissa Murphy do their best to play their way through the noisy crowd.

Ready, 123 march Jonathan Gray and Adam Cook prepare to march again in one of their great performances. As they wait for their command to march they think 'Left, Right, Left.'


Band First Row: David Saber, Heidi Bramble, Alexis Posler, Kristine Martz, Michelle Harrington, Jennifer Kish, Danielle Redfield, Elise Killewald, Jackie Anderson, Christine Maher, Megan Adams. Second Row: Jennifer Strand, Ashley Miller, Sadie Piepkow, Thomas Stephan, Alice Cavinder, Susan Lambrix, Kathleen Wheat, Eric Blum, Laura Maher, Nathan Powers, Kathleen Burr. Third Row: Patrick Carrington, Andrew Darling, Sarah Noneman, Ariana Mankerian, Ashley Sobel, Amy Eaton, Jacquelyn Daly, Jason Wright, Corrie Edwards, Megan DeJong, Ai Uema, Dawn Estep, Westly Schoenherr, Tiffany Freds. Fourth Row: Patrick Dyer, William Sleeper, John Lambrix, Kenneth Sink, Devin Hurst, Gordan Toyzan, Randall Sims, Nathan Issacs, Eva Vaughn, Sara Jones, Elissa Murphy. Back Row: Scott Conant, Theodore Powers, Jonathan Gray, Joseph Kubicek, Adam Cook, Steve Weaver, Kriag Stevenson, Kurtis Washburn, Keith Carver, Andrew Steel, John Fear, Kay Mestemaker.

Ready ... HUT The Brass section of the band prepares to jog down the field in performing their great fulfilling scene for the crowd's enjoyment.


You wish you were.. in the band Some of the members of the band march to their appropriate spot on the football field where they will form the great letter ' M ' to represent Marshall.

## Let me sing....

If you walk through the halls of Marshall High School in the bright early morning, you may hear the sounds of harmonious voices coming from the announcements. The sounds make you go to a different world and experience the magic of music. The students who participate in choir look forward to coming to this different world to escape everyday struggles and express what they are feeling through their voices.

The choirs went to New York to compete with other students, and were able to experience the magic of a Broadway show Heather Nicholls exclaimed, "I can't wait to go to New York and compete, but I am really excited about going to a real live Broadway show!"

Many people went to compete
in districts this year. Hope Garza and Krinn Hess did a duet together and received a " 1 ". Necole Hopkins went to districts to compete and scored a "2" for a single. The

## And J'm

happy whole group went to the District Coral Festival and obtained a "2". Hope Garza commented, "This year has been a blast, and it has been really fun competing."

Ken Sink replied, "I can't wait to go to New York! It's going to be a great experience. This year has been really fun." Travel x competition + music + fun=Marshall High School Choir ... The formula for melodious success.


Singers Front Row: Cindy Moore, Beth Kane, Bill Ramono, Elise Killewald, Missy Riser. Second Row: Sarah Matako, AJ Somsel, Ken Sink, Laura Hoag. Back Row: Irma Gonzales, John Moore, David Saber, Andy Rosko, Karen Crapo.

Hit It Fellas! Watch out Backstreet Boys, here comes Ken Sink and David Saber to take over the music scene. These guys can re ally sing!


Lalalalala Ann Loomis, Beth Kane, and Cindy Moore get in tune and show off their wonderful ability to make mysterious music that soothes the soul.

Women's Ensemble Lori Britten, Annie Stulburg, Beth Kane, Nesrin Semen, Ashley Nichols, Missy Riser. Second Row: Sarah Matako, Katie Adams, Sofia Lindgren-Wulff, Jamie Gomez, Crystal Finch, Adrian Anderson, Cali Burdette, Erin McDonagh. Back row: Dawn Zink, Kari Hamaker, Heather Nicholls, Megan De Jong, Maya Reda, Karen Crapo, Laura Hoag, Kristin Budnick.


Nobody Move! In a high level of concentration Elise Killewald, Missy Riser and Irma Gonzalez practice to be perfect and don't move an inch. Not even the flash of the camera could not disturb the intense concentration of these girls.


Mixed Choir Front row: Felicity Osborn, Hope Garza, Necole Hopkins, Rose Norton, Justin Jarvis, Jessica Hamaker, Nicky Applegate, Kara Kiebala. Second Row: Stacy Roberson, Krinn Hess, Stacy Cole, Tommy Edwards, Bonnie Cole, Courtney Burdette, Tiffany Dean. Back Row: April Rose, Cynthia Hookway, Maxi Schallschmidt, Dawn Estep, Brandon Robishaw, Kathleen Burr, Beth Newton, Natalia Embry, Christie Paavo.


Where's My Position? John Moore scurries to his position in class so he can get creative and express his talented voice to get ready for competition. After he gets settled in, he pulls out his magical voice, and puts everyone in an awe.

# Add some music to your day 

Students of all ages at MHS experience the most enjoyable part of participating in orchestra. Students have looked forward to orchestra to provide a '"relief'' hour in the day, a time when

## And you will see what we can play

more freedom and lets you feel more comfortable, therefore it allows you to produce music much better," replied Clinton Edwards. Laura Howland summed it up best when she chanted, "I feel that the most excitthey can relax
and make beautiful music. Mr. Keranen has been the mastermind behind all of this outstanding music for four years. The Marshall orchestra has a reputation of excellence throughout the area, with this tradition they receive great respect. "I feel that orchestra up at the big house (high school) gives you much
my day is first block orchestra, where I can let loose and become one with the instruments." "This year has been a blast, I'm not saying I'm not looking forward to the year coming to and an end, but I know I will miss the relaxation that I can always count on in first block," exclaimed Ken Sink.


Concentration Clinton Edwards studies his bow, while intently listening to Mr. Keranen. Hopef ully no one will interrupt his deep thinking mode.

All play and no work Getting extremely involved in playing her favorite instrument, Maya Reda plays her cello. Maya is an exchange student with extraordinary talent.


1, 2, 3 HIT IT! Justin Vanderburg and Double J Nelson start busting' a move while Mr. Keranen directs them. Ok maybe not bustin' a move, but we can sure pull some strings.


Practice makes perfect Playing in symphony Laura Howland and Brittany Byrens readily enjoy the sweet sounds of success. These girls can really play, that's how they get their names "true playas!"


Front Row: Jennifer Tulett, Crystal Gould, Natalie Port, Brittany Byrens, Jennifer Kish, Elise Killewald, Danielle Redfield, Chris Maher, Ai Uema. Second Row: Chrissie George, Janine Woods, Laura Maher, Kelly Willbrandt, Ken Sink, Andrew Darling, Tiffaney Freds, Elissa Murphy, Sara Noneman. Third Row: Jeff Fausey, Kara Byrne, Clinton Edwards, Justin Vanderburg, Ryan McCann, Samantha Hughes, Laura Howland, Ashley Nicholls, Catrina Rome, Ryan Ours, Shay Caron Fourth Row: Becky Hodge, Beth Sharp, Jacie DeWeese, Andrea Twiss, David Saber, Michelle Harrington, Nesrin Semen, Maya Reda, Kevin Cook Back Row: Alexis Posler, Sally Tarmnel, Christopher Ousley, Patrick Dyer, Lorlei Beron, Andy Tarmnel, Kraig Stevenson, Scott Conant.


Sshh, silence! Kara Byrne and Sally Tarmel reach deep into their souls to bring out their wonderful talents of playing the cello. The cello helps them bring out the music of their
soul.

What is that noise? Shay Caron looks strangely at one of his classmate as they strangle a cat to get catgut, because theirs is just not working very well.


## BABY i GOT YOUIR MOMEY

Do you want more? Noah Wilson hands Mr. Burns his high quality MHS mouse pad that his Junior Achievement class sold. Mr. Burns had been waiting all day to get his hands on his new pad. He immediately threw away his old pad and tested out his new one. Just as he had hoped, it was slicker than snot on a doorknob.

If you are not a senior, then you probably have no idea what Junior Achievement (JA) is. Well, my friend, do not feel alone. However, you probably know what they do. You know all of those posters advertising different products that hang in the sacred halls of MHS? That is what the JA classes do.

The classes start by thinking of something to sell that people are going to buy. This idea is then researched to find out how much it would cost to produce. Next, stocks are sold to gain money towards the production of their product. Then if all goes well, they hope to repay the stockholders and give some of the profit to charity.


No alibi Brad Torrey and Matt DuBois check on the performance of their stocks for their class. Because they do not like to lose, they had to do a little editing. When they left, they were in a comfortable first place.

Sound exhaustive? It is, Matt Fish agreed, "It was a lot of work but we were successful." But that is just the real world. You see, what they do is operate exactly like a real business. Mr. Jodi "'Mac" Foreman explained,
"Everything we do is just like it is done with real businesses. Basically, we are setting up a small business." The world of business is a confusing one but JA attempts to help students understand it all with hands-on experience. Matt Blodgett confirmed, "JA made a boring subject seem actually, kind of fun.'


First semester JA Front Row: Lauren Kleinschmidt, Missy Lough, Elizabeth Kane, Chrissie George, Katy Shalley. Second Row: Sofia Lindgren-Wulff, Beth Sharp, Mel Smith, Sara O’Leary, Ryan Mead.

Put it in your mouth Aaron "Gandhi" Wendt attempts to shove his whole doughnut in his mouth while Sunny Quada sits by him happily. Sunny was practicing perfect posture and could not turn her head to even glance at Aaron but she managed to catch a glimpse out of the corner of her eye. Aaron was unsuccessful but it was still a nice effort.


Second semester JA Front Row: Jeni Grades, Danielle Redfield, Jenny Kish, Haruko Uchita, Marilyn Rush. Second Row: Joe Weakley, Laurel McKenna, Catie Neidlinger, Emily Kleinschmidt, Abby Bedient, Annie Stulberg. Back Row: Richard Baker, Chris Toyzan, Neil Maurer, Gregor Maretzke, Aaron Musselman, Justin Moss.

Sky's the limit Greg Owen hangs one of the many posters for Junior Achievement above the bookstore. Greg decided that because many students grab a snack from the bookstore at lunch that it would be a prime location for the poster. On account of Greg's great analytical skills he was able to hang the rest of the posters.


Young girl blues Kate Schafer excitedly ruffles through her Junior Achievement envelope. She had not felt this girlishly giddy since she was a little child running to open Christmas presents

Ja/Econ

Celebrity sighting Emily Fraley smiles and poses with congressman Nick Smith. Although many people wouldn't consider a congressman to be a celebrity, many others would. Look at Sonny Bono for instance, he was a congressman and everybody seemed to know him.


That's taller than Mr. Dahlinger The Washington Monument does what it does best, just stand there. Too bad people can't make a living that way.

What's in that sweater? Nichole Madry hides something from the camera. One can't help but wonder what it was that Nichole was keeping from her Close-Up friends. Whatever it was, it sure looked interesting.


Video games in a school program? Jonathan Byrd and Nichole Madry rebel against the system by taking some time out and playing a few arcade games. So that's where all the funds for the trip went.


Close-Up Front: Joseph Hutchings, Emily Fraley. Back: Nichole Madry, Jessica Johnson, Mr. Foreman, Jamie Loughridge, Jonathan Byrd, David Richardson.

## I'm

The CloseUp program sent a few lucky students to Washington D.C. this spring. Close-Up is a trip that juniors are eligible to take if they're interested in law, politics, government, and other related subjects. The students spent roughly a week in the Nation's Capital.
"I thought the people who ran Close-Up did a great job educating us on the workings of our system
whole time too.
Joseph Hutchings added, "The Close-Up staff kept us busy all week long with a lot of different activities to do. It was an awesome trip and experience. I highly recommend it to all juniors."

Jonathan Byrd summed it up by concluding, "The Close-Up trip was an excellent experience. We learned how the government functions and how to make a differ-


It's Honest Abe, honest Former president Abraham Lincoln sits proudly and watches over the passerby. One would imagine that sitting in that same position for so many years would eventually get uncomfortable. Abe had no comment.

## M.H.S. students take a journey to enrich their knowledge

of government because a successfut democracy depends on the education of the people involved," David Richardson expressed his opinion.
The participants of CloseUp didn't listen to lectures and learn the whole time, they got a chance to see a show, visit some historical landmarks, and even eat out. It would probably be awkward for the students to have to pack 21 meals and keep them fresh the


Shadow dancing Emily Fraley and Jessica Johnson take a break and get down with their bad selves. Maybe they should have picked a more appropriate place to dance than the Lincoln Memorial though. Abe had no comment.


Peace David Richardson and Jon Byrd flash people the "peace sign" with some of their new friends. Those two men look very familiar. Perhaps Santa Claus and Tommy Chong?

Stylin' David Richardson shows off his hot new duds to his fellow Close-Up members. David's suit not only made him look good, it also made him look very businesslike. The snazzy name tag really complated this ensembe.

## And the beat goes on...

"Um, I'd like one bag of popcorn, some peanut M\&Ms, and a bottle of water." You've probably said something similar to that yourself when you've been dealing with Marshall's finest: M-Club.

You can see the group of young people working hard during basketball games. They move faster than the speed of light, bringing you the best of fresh food. "We always try our hardest to provide satisfaction in whatever we do," explains Senior Shandra Thomas.

The drinks are nice and cold, the popcorn is always fresh, and the pizza is always warm. All the workers are extremely friendly and they really know
how to serve the public. Senior Jamie Kendall states, "Attitude is the number one key to making a good salesperson. If you have a bad attitude, people won't buy anything from you!"

Led by Mr. Armstrong, this talented bunch goes to great lengths to deliver the goods to their fellow Redskins. Brian Leininger, a junior, feels, "The MClub does an awesome job when it comes to serving the public." We can definitely agree with that!

Whenever you are at a sporting event and you get the itch for some pizza, go on over to the M-Club and let them serve you!

## The M-club does it again!

Hey, buy from me! Senior Matt Heppner shows off his great salesman skills with a nice smile and a thumb up. People couldn't resist that flashy attitude that Matt sent off. He made sales all day long.

Come and get it! Matt DuBois, a senior, is also another great salesman for the M-Club. He made all of his sales with a nice face and a friendly attitude. You go, Matt!


Taste the rainbow Laurel McKenna, also a senior, lets the customers know what the good buys are. Skittles are one of the top-selling snacks that the M-Club had to offer. Laurel suggested that Skittles were the way to go!

Where is everyone? While standing and waiting for the crowd to rush in, Senior Joe Weakley glances to the side to check out some girls. When the girls walked past, Joe immediately began showing off his special M-Club skills.


I want candy ... Seniors Maureen Palchak and Emily Driver are very enthused about being a part of M-Club. They kept the money rolling in all season long.



M-Club Members Front Row: Amber Leonard, Cara Griffin, Kristin Millikin, Jessi Petty, Sunny Quada, Heidi Bramble, Chrissie George, Christa South, Missy Lough. Second Row: Emily Whittaker, Katy Shalley, Shaundra Thomas, Adrian Anderson, Danielle Woods, Amanda Hollibaugh, Laurel McKenna, Catie Neidlinger, Abby Bedient Third Row: Ben Zeulke, Mike Burger, Matt duBois, Cody Burghdorf, Jeff Fausey, Brad Torrey, Noah Wilson, Joe Weakley, Nathan Hazen, Matt Fish, Justin Moss. Fourth Row: Jenny Henry, Brittany Hainline, Ashley Sobel, Becky Lathers, Brad Palik, Ryan Rhodes, Stacy Roberts, Beth Weare, Katie Schaum. Back Row: Sara O’Leary, Kristin Schook, Rachel Lortz, Nicole Woodcock, John Litton, Brian Lenninger, Joe Hutchings, Rob Backlund, Jamie Kendall, Jamie Boone, Kari Searles, Katie Andrysiak.

Proud to be ... The seniors are taking a break to pose for a picture. Maureen, Joe, Matt D. Emily, Matt H., Richard, and Laurel were proud to have participated in something so great.


## A Short History of the End of the World

Which English and Social Studies Classes

Do
You
Like?


"I like Social Issues because it gives me a chance to write about things I'm interested in and tell other people my opinions." - Justin Sauerbrey

"My favorite English class was Mr. Luciani's my Freshman year. We did lots of projects and he sang "Don't Go Chasin' Waterfalls" to us on Fridays." - Heidi Bramble


You want to take my picture Wendy Hamilton and Kay Mestemaker dutifully complete their English assignment under the watchful eye of Ms. Huckestein. Luckily, they managed to tear themselves way long enough to beg for this photo op, thus making it into the yearbook.


Image is Nothing Owen Leonard obeys his thirst while writing a paper for Social Issues. Owen was devastated by the sudden disappearance of Crystal Clear Pepsi a few years ago and has tried to fill the void with Sprite ever since. But that is a big void to fill my friends.


Is that your FINAL answer? Emily Davis and Tiffany Freds, a.k.a. "Regis and Philbin," interrogate contestant Al Weyer during "Who wants to be a Millionaire" - NATO Edition. Government presentations are enjoyed by all in that they provide an influx of candy and homemade videos - and a reduction in notes.

## ' <br> est <br> la vie

trip, we sold pizza packages. Many teachers and friends seemed interested and made our sales successful," explained Julie Ballard.

The Latin club, however, chose to concentrate on a different goal. An emphasis was placed on using a knowledge of Latin when taking standardized tests and finding Latin elements in everyday life. "Latina linqua
Parlez-vous Francais? Usted hablan Espanol? Dicitisne Latinam? If you recognize these all too familiar phrases, you have probably dabbled in the foreign languages. In the words of our good friend Michael Jackson, "You are not alone." Many students at MHS have taken language classes or participated in either the French, Spanish, or Latin Clubs.

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French club sponsored the ever-popular computerized match maker to
earn its way across the Atlantic Ocean and into the heart of France. "The group of kids going to France," commented Mrs. Berryhill, "has been really motivated to earn money and has worked really hard.'

Like the French club, the Spanish club also placed earning money for the annual trip oversees as a top priority. "To raise money for the Spain 2000

> This year, foreign language clubs have their hands full With the duties of planning reips abroad hodie vivit," Anthony Swafford exclaimed. In other words, the "Latin language lives today." The Latin club has proven this quotation to be true.
Whether they were working hard to raise spondulicks or finding new uses for their respective languages, foreign language clubs and classes have put in yet another good year here at MHS Fin. El fin. Finis. The end.


Eagle Eyes Every so often, once a year in fact, a Kodak moment such as this one presents itself. In honor of the French holiday, Mardi Gras, these students tried their hands at ophthalmology and constructed some sharp lookingglasses. Here's looking at you, kid.

Channel One, anyOne? Although the Hacienda provides an abundance of applicable worldwide knowledge, Pat Carrington chooses to opt out of the optional programming and focus his attention on the ceiling. It was during these fifteen minutes of quiet time that Pat devised a formula for determining the number of tiles on a ceiling. But he didn't just compose this equation, he composed it in Latin. That's dedication.


Takin' Care of Business In this Spanish IV Independent Study there's no time for any siestas. The topic of conversation? Prom 2000. En Espanol, of course. Cali Burdette ate at Hudson's, Dan Fingas ate at Applebee's, but where did Speedy eat? Don Pablo's Mexican Kitchen.


French Club Front Row: Angela Thurston, Kristine Martz, Jenny Kish, Danielle Redfield, Sarah Noneman, Kelly Willbrandt. Second Row: Shelby Breckenridge, Danielle Woods, Lorelei Baron, Patrick Dyer, Sherry Sanderson, Catrina Rome, Ashley Hill, Ashley Wilson. Back Row: Dean Clutter, Sarah Jones, Thomas Stefan, Alice Cavander, Brittany Hainline, Eric Blum, Susan Lambrix.


Spanish Club Front Row: Mike Dillion, Jenny Rodgers, Julie Ballard, Amanda Holibaugh, Sara Casaraz, Ryan McCann. Second Row: Tyler Candeleria, Dan Fingas, Aaron Wendt, Brad Torrey, Joe Weakley, Jeff Fausey, Laurel McKenna, Ross Lukje. Third Row: Brittany Hainline, Ashley Sobel, Liz Foerester, Abby Lake, Dan Boyer, Eric Hecox, Matt Blodgett, Megan Adams. Back Row: Jamie Frye, Catherine Crouse, Tim Hecox, Christa Chapman, Cody Burghdorf, Lindsey Cox, Jaime Loughridge, Jamie Gomez, Ryan Trapp.


Latin Club Front Row: Jared Palmer, Ann Loomis, Emily Whittaker, Becca Riser, Anthony Swafford. Second Row: John Fear, Shay Caron, Michelle Hayes, Doug Potter, Jessica Byrd, Myra Hamilton, Patty Fedak. Back row: Danielle Meese, Christina Ruddock, Derek VanDuesen, Will Hagerty, Rob Backlund, Brian Quilhot, Patrick Carrington.

## O.k. Computer

"Accounting is a really fun class. It's a good class to take as a senior because you don't have any out of class work, but you still learn." Emily Driver


Now is a better time than ever to prepare yourself for the world of buisness and computers.....that some call life.
"It's everyone's need today." - Mr. Elyea

"It's a very fun and easy class and we all work together and help each other when we are having trouble on our worksheets. Plus Arn is a great teacher." Kelsey Schnaitman



Free Mumia! Al Weyer, Ben Walters, and Eli Banister work on their "master plan" to free Mumia. Their plan was foiled by an explosion from the self-destructing Sony videotape that was secretly placed on their table.

Ready to run Rachel Lortz snickers to herself as she works on her accounting worksheet, while Emily Driver quietly reads. Rachel is excited that she is finally going to finish her homework before Emily. Emily did not know that they were racing until Rachel screamed, "I beat you!" Unfortunately for Rachel, Emily had already completed hers before class.


Anticipation Natalie Port is poised and ready to go. She set an example for the rest of her class because as you can see, her computer is not even past the Windows startup screen. However, her hard work was well awarded when she was honored with the "Excellence in Readiness" Award.

Follow me now Mike Hinshaw shows fellow classmate Craig Kimerer how to use the computer. Or so it seemed. They were actually involved in a real intense game of Candystand bowling. Craig rejoiced when he bowled his first 300 game.


Here I go again on my own Jessi Petty and Aaron Wendt to their accounting work together. As Jessi remembered how to do the problem, she rapidly began punching away on the calculator. Aaron was a little slower because he could not figure out to turn on his calculator.

'The best part of class is the time I spend with my friends learning my cal-cu-lus." Lindy Duff (Senior)

"The best thing we did in Floriculture this year was making corsages. It was really fun and I loved making them!" Kari Hamaker (Sophomore)

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All For One? Seniors Chris Maher, Dana Reynolds, Ben Walters, and Al Weyer (collectively known as the Math Buddies) usually a very peace oriented group, appear to be having a dispute. What could have possibly caused this Math Buddy meltdown you may ask? "It all started when Ben poked me with the rubber table bumper, then it just skyrocketed out of control!" exclaimed Chris.



Can you repeat the question? Senior Jason Cox stands at the board, chalk raised, ready to take anything that comes his way. Well, almost anything. Jason stood at the board for a good fifteen minutes before he realized that he didn't know what he was supposed to be doing.

Study Buddies Senior Calculus students Lindy Duff and Kate Weston cram for their upcoming test. Thanks to each other's support and their in-depth study sessions, the pair managed to ace all of their tests this past year.


The Face of AP Biology Senior Elise Kilewald furrows her brows in confusion, trying to decide where exactly she's supposed to put the tape. Unfortunately for Elise, she's probably never going to figure out where it goes because this experiment doesn't even require tape.

The Thinkers Seniors Tiffany Freds and Elissa Murphy contemplate a mind-boggling calculus problem. Unable to come up with the right answer, the girls remained in this position for nearly two hours.


Stuck! Junior Paul Mestemaker appears to be giving Senior Christa South a little help with her project. But what the average onlooker may not know is that Christa had spilled a little rubber cement earlier and Paul, in his rush to help, was really stuck to the table

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This ain't nothing but the e-n-d
The end of art class is many people's least favorite part of the school day. It brings on duties such as cleaning and remaining in your seat until the bell rings. Aubrey Thompke scrubs the paint away from her tainted paintbrush. She finished her painting and titled it "Let your soul be free."


The Hibachi's are in the back
While Ben Hughes gets busy on the router, Jordan Feldpausch reminds Ben that he is grilling out after school. Ben made a cutting board for Jordan, so he could cut his steak without ruining his brand new Ginsu knife. Woodshop is the favorite class for all of the Marshall High School students who enjoy grilling.


Mother's day
As Matt Hedges drills around the edges, he creates wedges for the ledges on his new bookshelf. It is truly amazing that one man can create something that will last his entire lifetime. Matt gave this bookshelf to his mom. Bookshelves make great Mother's Day presents.

## How long? That long

His friends know him as the Human Yardstick. He can convert yards to inches as well as feet to kilometers. His name is Chris Davids. Here, Chris stops to ponder how much construction paper is needed to finish his "I Love Unicorns" collage. Chris never misses even the smallest millimeter.



## Back in the day

As Rebecca Billing grows older and matures, she keeps with her one primitive skill known as finger painting. Rebecca explains to Marilyn Rush she uses a different color of paint on each finger to eliminate wasteful hand-washing time Rebecca can fit eight different colors on one hand alone.

Pictures of matchstick men
Art classes at MHS require students to do homework drawings so they can experience art outside of school. Emily Palik and Jenny Stulberg carefully put in their final touches on their last homework drawings. These drawings also give the art student freedom to draw what he/she wants to draw, whether it is stick men or intricate Japanese dragons.

## How do you plan to use art/industry skills in the future?



## I forgot my Kangol

Jon Ziskal sports his safety hard hat and thick work jacket for a drilling exercise in shop class. He wanted to wear his new Kangol hat, but it wasn't allowed during such intense drilling procedures.

## Let's get physical Babies or

## Basketlealls, the



Hack Pack Justin Vanderberg shows off his hacking abilities in gym class. Not shown in this picture are Keith Carver and John Nelson, the other members of the exclusive Hack pack.


Don't Miss Jeff Cox in a state of deep concentration as he prepares to take a shot. Even though it seemed Jeff was under no pressure at the time, he really was. All the students with the red hot pokers are not shown in this picture.

Pink?!? Monica Long looks a little bit embarrassed by the results of a test in Ms. Hoover's Health class. What the test was for, the world may never know, but judging by the look on Monica's and Eva Vaughn's faces it may be best that the world doesn't know.


Pink, But Not Quite As Pink As Monica's Jesse Faurot closely examines his cup of mystery liquid. This is one of many activities Ms. Hoover does with her students.

Two Wild And Crazy Guys Joshua Allmond and Nick Tefft prepare themselves for a rousing game of Eclipse Ball. Even though Joshua and Nick were beaten, they still put up a big fight. That team of 5th grade girls looked tough though.


Time To Learn Ms. Hoover enriches her students' minds with knowledge. It's a well known fact that all students at Marshall High School want nothing more from the world than knowledge, right?


"It was a great class. It gave me a chance to improve my skills in various sports like basketball and other sports. - Kurtis Washburn

"I had a fun time in gym, but Ms. Hendrick's class was much cooler." —Nick Monaweck

"I enjoyed Ms. Hoover’s Health class a lot. She was a very skilled teacher and wouldn't hesitate to help a student in need. I guess the only complaint I had was when my electronic baby woke me up at 3 o'clock in the morning." - Brittany Byrens


Bite His Ear Off Jesse Faurot and Nick Monaweck exchange fake blows while their classmates look on in horror. Nick ended up beating Jesse, and by doing so won the title of best boxer in 6th block gym, featherweight division, of course.

Hey, That's Not A Student One of Ms. Hoover's babies chills out in his handy little carrier. When it comes to chilling, inanimate objects work best.

Health/PE

Busy, busy, busy Julie Ballard, a junior, is busy at work on her assigned meal of the day. She folded and kneaded and put her blood and sweat into her pizza (not really). In the end, she made a really nice dish!


Saucy! Junior Bonnie Cole spreads sauce on some dough for making pizza. Bonnie decided not to have her face shown on this picture (maybe they had a sauce fight). Bonnie says that sauce is a key ingredient to making a great pizza.


Mmm good - or maybe not Seniors Katherine Schafer, Emily Whittaker, and Courtney Wheeler are checking the goods. All but Katherine seemed to have enjoyed the meal by the looks on their faces. Maybe she got a taste of a bad bell pepper.

## We dilin't stirt the iire.....in the kitchen

Big girls don't cry ... Mrs. Knaack instructs the students on cutting an onion. After having made it look so easy, many students volunteered to finish the job for her, but it turned out to be a different story. No one else took the job for a while after that.


## Cookiin' with IIrs. Knaidek

Spaghetti, Pasta Salad, Carmel Corn, and Sticky Buns. These are just some of the many things Mrs. Knaack's Fun and Fancy Cooking class has made. When you're walking down the halls and you catch the aroma of Red Lobster biscuits (and there isn't a Red Lobster for miles around), you'll know that Mrs. Knaack's class is stirring up a meal. They make anything from breakfast to a light snack. In fact, after talking with a couple of students, you'd know that they prefer breakfast and desserts to anything else.
"I like the meals we make, but its better when we bring in our own ingredients. I also think we should make more desserts," commented Ayslinn Anthony, a Junior. The classes have made so many desserts. Strawberry shortcakes, pies, pretzels, and anything else you can think of - the list goes on and on.
Mrs. Knaack is also very giving when it comes to sharing treats. People (specifically Mr. Burns) will smell the sweet aroma coming from the class, and before they can even ask, Mrs. Knaack offers them a serving. "I absolutely LOVE everything that Mrs. Knaack's classes have made for me!" exclaimed Mr. Burns. Fun and Fancy Cooking is the place to be!


Come and get it! Seniors Kevin McConnell and Adam Hecox take time out to show off their prize-winning Calzones (folded pizzas) for Fun and Fancy Cooking. Even though the entire class made the same thing, Kevin and Adam thought their food was the best.


Cookin' it up Junior Dawn Saylor is adding the final ingredients to her folded pizza. Afterwards, she popped it into the oven and let it cook. Later, she en joyed a great meal!

Home Economics

Add some music to your day Jon Marshall adds some music to Tiffany Freds' day as he performs music and lyrics written by none other than himself. Many MHS students gathered to witness this musical event that took place in the cafeteria. It seems as if the caf is the pace to be for displays of the musical nature. (See picture on lower left for more details).


# Can You 

Higher


Fiesta of the 50's In true 50's attire, Danielle Redfiekd struts her stuff on the dance floor/cafeteria. As always, the seniors took students back to a time of poodle skirts, saddle shoes, and greased hair as they participated in the 50's Day tradition. The effort was so totally rad that even John Travolta would have been proud.

As long as there will always be high schools, homework, football games, and graduations, adults will forever lecture kids on the mach speed at which the infamous Senior Year goes by. "You'll see," the parents say, "It'll be over before you know it." This year, the Marshall High School class of 2000 put those words to wisdom to the test, and found that (Gasp) ... the parents were right.
The 1999/2000 school year started off as usual with class schedules and Homecoming assemblies, then seemed as if it would never end when exam week hit. Then, suddenly seniors found themselves ordering caps and gowns and sending out graduation announcements. Seniors hammed it up as Class Night, raked in the big bucks at the Scholarship Assembly, attended the Baccalaureate service, handed Mrs. Sadger their last ever check-out sheets, rode to school on farm equipment, held a cook-out on the lawns of the high school, cleaned out their lockers, threw what seemed to be

15 trees worth of paper, donned caps and gowns, received a diploma, threw their caps in the air, and had a "blast" at the Senior Class Party at Full Blast. Even more impressive is the fact that all these activities took place in just under two weeks. The Class of 2000 has finally experienced first hand what the teachers and parents have been telling them all along: time flies when you're having fun. It is through these unique memories of laughter, tears, Class events, class problems, and finally, goodbyes, that the seniors learned what it meant to graduate from Marshall High School.

With the end of the school year behind them and nothing but new experiences in front of them, these students are now ready to see just how fast the next four years will pass. And after a good 25 years or so, some the seniors will be telling their kids and students, "Be patient. The Senior Year is one of the fastest years." Now that's a scary thought.

Reduce, Reuse, and Recycle? The last day of school for seniors always seems to culminate in a massive paper-throwing fest, and this year was no exception. DJ London, Matt DuBois, and Brian Barnes exert all their physical and mental strength in a joint attempt the centralize the paper. The purpose of this effort remained a mystery - not many people are in the business of giant paper clots.


Bat Outta ... Heck Kyle Kalinowski prepares to take out anything, baseball or otherwise, that crosses his path. It was this take-charge attitude that made Kyle an important part of the team. Such an important role could only be filled by a senior.


Proud to be the Class of $\mathbf{2 0 0 0}$ What do these seven kids have in common? If you named the ties that bind Kate Weston, Matt Blodgett, Mo Palchak, Emily Davis, Catie Niedlinger, Abby Bedient, and Sara Boedecker as Class Night and Senior Edition, you're one smart cookie. The aforementioned productions were brought to you in part by these students, and the letter M.


No Butts About It In an action symbolic of the seniors' progression away from Marshall High, the percussion section of the band marches off the field and into the great beyond. What's in store for them after this, no one knows. Probably a football game and a high school dance.

Senior Division

## I just want to celebrate

People showed up early to stake out their spots in the long line in front of the Middle School which stretched far down the street. They wanted to make sure that they got a good seat at the much anticipated 2000 Class Night, which, as all of you know, turned out to be a big success. The Seniors put on a variety of acts ranging from the paper weight match between Seth Shubert and Trevor Kelly, to the Hooters skit by the Exchange Students, to many vocal solos and dances. Other memorable skits were the "Everybody in Capri Sweats" skit where a group of seniors impersonated a Gap commercial by lip sincing to the song "Mellow Yellow", the "Who wants to be a millionaire" skit where Matt Heppner, aka Daz, answered the $\$ 100$ question, how long does it take to recharge his walky talky battery, wrong, and the "Yo' Mama" rap by Matt Blodgett and Kevin McConnell. They kept the packed crowd in the Middle School Auditorium laughing the entire three hours.

This year they did things a little bit differently; they dropped the tradition of having MC's announce each act. Instead, they had more filler acts, which seemed to work even better. For those of you who don't know what a filler act is, it's a short skit in front of the curtain. The seniors did an excellent job of performing their skits and showing off their talents, many of which were hidden talents that no one knew they had


And the new paperweight champion of the world is ... Seth Shubert! Seth, the challenger, beat the undefeated Trevor Kelly for the paperweight championship. You wonder what prize Seth won, was it money, girls, or a lifetime supply of cheese, no, he got to ride shotgun!

Let's Get it On! Chris Davids seduces the audience with his sexy, soothing voice. Shocked at his marvelous singing skills, the audience thought he might be lip sincing, but no, that was truly a live show.


Where's my Hooters! Exchange Students Sebastien Antal and Gregore Maretzke take a trip to Hooters in hopes to eat some good food. When they asked for their Hooters, Ainah De Carvalho, pointing to herself, proclaimed, "They're right here!"

Sympathy for the Devil Matt Crowle was a major entertainer throughout the night. He showed many of his talents, including singing while some of his friends backed him upin the opening of the second half.


Secretaries Extrodinare Hayes Sunderman, Brett Riser, Seth Shubert, Ben McCann, Camm Phillips, and Eric Weberling stole the show when they impersonated old ladies with their typewriters. While typing, frequent "adjustments" had to be made to continue their typing.



They call them Mellow Yellow Courtney Burns, Emily Kleinschmidt, Ryan Mead, Jeff Covert, Morgan Peters, Lauren Kleinschmidt, Matt Blodgett, Becky Walbeck, and Kevin McConrell were "everybody in Capri sweats" during their Gap commercial impersonation.


Rules, Rules, Rules! Danielle Redfield, Elissa Murphy, and Scott Conant read through the mile long list of things they can't do at Class Night. Despite their warnings, their fellow classmates didn't follow the rules. What a surprise!

Jon Bon Jody! During a special on "The View", Ryan Mead, aka Jody Foreman, displayed his special talents. Ryan's performance got cut short when he fell off the table and broke his arm.

Is that your final answer? Ryan Rhodes asks Matt Heppner a.k.a. Daz for the night, a hundred dollar question. Unfortunately he was misinformed on how long it took to recharge his walky talky batteries. Sorry Daz.


Tap, tap, tap Christa South and Matt Crowle dazzle the audience with their fancy footwork. These two have taken dance classes for many years and all their hard work has paid off.


Is it time yet? Catie Neidlinger works on her stitching right before intermission. Stitching isn't Catie's only skill, as she was a member of the Varsity Basketball and Soccer teams.

Center stage Beth Kane entertains the crowd with her excellent voice. Beth has been involved in the music program throughout her high school career.
Together again Kate
nel One News. This fifty year anniversary brought back many memories for all the guests.



R-E-S-P-E-C-T Emily Davis gives the crowd a look at what yearbook/journalism teacher Mrs. Long is really like. Many will remember her awesome class and crazy laugh.


I want some chocolate Emily Whittaker will do anything for a little bit of chocolate. Thanks to her generous friend Katy Shalley her craving for chocolate was gone.


The class of 2000 opened their wings and flew to-
 wards great heights as they graduated from MHS. Although class speakers Jon Marshall and Matt Crowle gave advice to their classmates, questions still filled their minds, questions about the rest of their lives. "Where are we going to be when we turn 25 ?" asked Dana Reynolds. "Will we think about tomorrow like we think about now?" pondered Matt Fish. "Will we still remember everything we learned in school?" wondered Nathan Hazen. "When we look back will our jokes still be funny?" questioned Annie Stulberg. "Can we survive it out there? Can we make it somehow?" queried Elise Killewald. One thing's for sure, the memories shared will never fade when they leave this small town. Despite all of the sad good-byes, everyone knows it's really a time to fly. So congratulations to the class of 2000, a class that will be remembered for another century to come.


Peace in the USA Akio Yotsumoto, Japanese exchange student, has learned many important lessons from visiting our country. One, eat lots of fast food. Two, Americans love sports. And three, hand signs are "cool"!

Oh Boy! Oh Boy! Kate Weston is just super excited to be graduating from MHS. She tries to hide her feelings, but it's no use. Kate graduated with highest honors and she's ranked in the top ten in her class. She is also a member of the National Honor Society. For all of these reasons, Kate is happy to be advancing to her next challenge in life.


Smile, You've just Graduated! Morgan Peters and Kevin McConnell share a moment together after the graduating ceremony. Both are interested in the art field and were voted "Artsy Fartsy" in the Senior Edition. They show off their smiles and congratulate each other on their achievements.

We're Done! Hats off to the class of 2000. This was an emotional and energetic moment for the seniors as one of their last times together as a class. Everyone knows the throwing of the hats is a memory that will never be forgotten. This same memory will last in the eyes of future graduates and proud families for a lifetime.

Take a Bow Maureen Palchak congratulates herself for completing the extremely difficult task of graduating. "Actually, I thought it was a cinch!" explained Mo as this picture was being snapped. The expression on her face shows her satisfaction and pleasure to be moving on in life.


This Song's For You Jon Marshall was elected by his fellow classmates to be one of the class speakers, which is a tremendous honor. Jon wrote and sang a song to his class entitled, "Time," Unfortunately there were some "technical difficulties" as John accidentally dropped his guitar. The class and spectators loved it thought, and Jon did an excellent job.


One small step for man
One giant leap for Trevor Kelly. Unfortunately, Trevor Kelly was not the only person either on crutches or in a wheel chair on graduation night. Because of a recent baseball injury, Trevor, voted most athletic in his class, had to reccive his diploma on crutches. During the senior parade Trevor and his injured classmates lead their class downtown in wheelchairs with the help of some friends.

Mortarboard smorgasbord Maureen Palchak, Abby Bedient, Dana Reynolds, Kate Weston, Mrs. Long, Sara Boedecker, Morgan Peters, and Catie Neidlinger demonstrate the proper leg-crossing technique, well, Catie decides to show us her tough-guy pose instead. She must not have heard the announcement that the rest of them heard. It's ok Catie


I'll say a little prayer for you "Are you sure my diploma is up there? What if when I ge up there they don't have it?" questioned Laurel McKenna to Brook McKinney "Don't worry Laurel, it has to be up there,' assured Brook.


I think a change would do you good Matt Crowle, one of the student speak ers, gave his wis dom on "change." Matt's speech, complete with tears, made his class mates recognize how much their lives will change. They realized that this would most likely be the last time they would all be together at one time.


Let me see! Let me see! Matt Blodgett tries to look at Sara Boedecker's graduation program to see who is speaking next, because for some reason, Matt did not get one. Sara tried as hard as she could to ignore Matt. However, she eventually gave in and let him see it.

Lookin' at me Tyler Amaro cannot help but to show his funny side during the graduat: ceremony. While many of his classmates listened carefully to the speakers, Tyler was o. thinking about the class party that would be held that night. He could not wait any longer to graduate.


Moving on up Joe Reynolds, Ryan Rhodes, and Brett Riser wait moatiently, as the line slowly moves forward. When they finally ached the front, they were a little disappointed. The only thing they got to do was sit down.


Reaching for the sky As Melissa Monk is wheeled down the track by Mrs. Hainline. Melissa gives a big wave to the crowd. Melissa was a hard worker in school. Still, she was filled with excitement as she was about to graduate.

Hey Jealousy Brad Torrey shows Noah Wilson his own special "honor cords." Brad was jealous of Noah and everyone else who had honor cords, so he improvised. Using silly string and a little elbow grease, he created the best honor cords in Marshall High School history. Then, Brad was no longer jealous and, instead, became the object of everyone else's envy.



Catch a bad one Eric Weberling watches his friend Emily Kleinschmidt, who got a hold of "The Shocker". Many seniors actually paid money to hold on to this thing. The Shocker is truly a test of endurance that numbs anything it touches.


Protoculture Kelly Murphy once said, " I play games by Capcom with a power glove strapped on. Any platform, I don't spend my dough on Phat Farm - Video games? I got many to play. Before my life expires; I'll fulfill my desires." Video games were another ingredient in the recipe for the Senior Class Party.




Phony phranchise Hayes Sunderman, Mike Burger, and Kyle Kalinowski all contemplate their next bet. Everyone can tell by the photo that Benny is just chillin', because he's really not yet old enough to bet. Peace dudes.

Worldwide. The Senior Class Party would have been nothing if it weren't for the outstanding brains and efforts of parents and teachers. Here, the parents came up with the idea to hire guys to act like sumo wrestlers


Jaw gymnastics Timmy "Coot" Hecox just made a dozen knuckle sandwiches for some unworthy opponent. He tries to intimidate his future opponents by opening his mouth really wide after a winning match. During his free time, Tim likes to bear-knuckle box with his buddies, but big-glove boxing proved to be his favorite activity at Full Blast during the Senior Class Party.


Sleepin' on my couch In the class party tradition, the festivities go on throughout the night until early in the morning. For those who can't make it though a solid night of fun, are comfortable couches tucked away from all the noise and clatter of the party. Matt Heppner thought he could handle all of this fun, but he ended up tapping out early for a bit of shut-eye. Matt has been known to take seven-day naps at otha brotha's cribs.

The wacky world of mass transit There was one awesome game at full blast that everyone wanted to play: Bus Driver 2. In this simulation video game, you are the bus driver and you have to deal with freaks and weirdoes getting on and off at every stop. Ronny Ashby had this game mastered by the end of the long night.


Lil' crumb-snatchers Katie Andrysiak yells in anger as she realizes that a little crumb-snatcher has snatched some of her fake money. Kate bought a padded bad with the rest of her fake money, tracked down the suspect, and beat the dirt out of him with her new bat.

Class Party
Class Party
By Skeletor


If you must These girls spent hours brushing their teeth before the class party, so they smiled big to let people know this. Missy Riser uses tartar control paste, while Aubrey Thompke brushes with a flouride formula.


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Keep in touch with your dreams,
Rob and Jan Covert \& Fred and Nancy Hecox


Matt Fish,
Thank you for developing into such a fine, polite, wonderful gentlemen, son and brother. You have provided so much joy and excitement all these years that it is impossible to put into words how much we appreciate it. We wish you all the best things possible, both now and in your unlimited future. Please continue your efforts, and warmth, and be respectful in all things that you do. We all love you very much. Love,
Dad, Mom, Adam, David and Shad


John Litton,
You have made us very proud. We love you very much, whatever you do in the future we are behind you all the way.

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Catherine,
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Mom, Dad, Elizibeth, and Marc

Jason,
You have brought so much joy into our lives and given us many wonderful memories. We are proud of your accomplishments. May happiness be with you always.

Love,
Mom Dad, and Kristen

Laurel,
We are so proud...For all you have accomplished, for all the precious memories you have created, for the lovely person you have become.

We love you dearly, Mom and Dad

Ryan
You DO make me laugh. It has been a joy and an honor to be your mother. Just remember, as powerful as your memories are, your dreams are even stronger. Now, you and Tim get in the car and I'll be there in a minute.

[^1]Eric,
Best of Everything as you leave MHS. What will they do without the webs?! Michelle started in 1984 and you are leaving in 2000. It's been fun!

We love you, Mom and Dad

## Matt,

Congratulations on your acheivements at Marshall High. Wishing you continued sucess at College. We will miss you and the crew. We love you!

## Mom and Dad

## Amber,

Now is the time for you to celebrate the accomplishment of dreams you have worked so hard to realize. Now is the time to begin the next path, to reach out for the next star. Always keep your dreams alive, and keep them coming true.

Love,
Mom, Dad, and Owen

Kevin,
You've made us proud. Your only limits will be your own

Love,
Mom and Dad

Jarrod,
Good luck on all your dreams. May God always bless you.

Love,
Mom, Dad, and
Jayna

## Maureen,

We are so proud of you and your perseverence in accomplishing your goals in the pool and in the classroom. You have been a joy to us.

Love,
Mom Dad Liz and J.D.

Jason,
From the day you were born, our lives have been enriched. We admire your sincerity and gentle nature. You are a kind friend, a caring brother, and a wonderful son. Much happiness always.

Love,
Mom, Dad, Lindsay, and Jeff

## We love

 you Kate!Dad, Mom, and Nick

Dear Sissa,
We couldn't be prouder of the beautiful young lady you are becoming. Keep your standards high, continue to develop your talents and abilities and see where God leads.

> Much love, Dad, Mom, Bethanne,

Katie \& Joel

## Tiffany,

The years flew by so fast. You have given us many proud moments. Congratulations on your many accomplishments.

## Love,

Dad, Mom, and Matt

Jessi,
"Never measure the mountain until you have reached the top, then you will see how low it is." We are so proud of you! Keep climbing those mountains and enjoy life!

> Love, Mom, \& Josh

## Dearest Katie,

We are so very proud of the fine young person that you are. Congratulations on your accomplishments and the best of luck on all of your future endeavors. Remember to keep your head held high and continue to be the shinning star that you are. Never forget that you have inside you the power to do and become anything you desire in life. Never lose your loving and caring attitude of those around you and wonderful things will continue to happen to you. Thank you for being whom you are. We could not be more pleased.

Love Always,
Mom and Dad

When two roads diverged in a wood, you took the one less traveled by. We have always been and always will be proud of you. Always follow your heart.

Love,
Mom, Dad \& Rebecca

## Matt,

Thanks for being such a great son. You've made us proud. We admire your special view of the world. Keep following the road to your dreams. Be careful-Have fun-and always wear your seatbelt.

Love \& Happiness to you always,

Mom \& Dad, Mike and Maya

AJ,
Remember two things:
-Without music life would be a mistake-Friedrich Nietzsche
-Imagination is more important than knowledge- Albert Einstein

You have all you will need for the journey. Enjoy the view.

With much love, Mom, Dad, \& Elizabeth

## Chris,

Congratulations! We are proud of you. Keep on investing in yoursself. Good luck as ypu embark upon your next great adventure-college! Have fun, Be happy!

> Love,
> Mom and Dad

Jackie,

Thank you for the joy you have brought to our family. May all your hard work and dedication bring you success in every endevor. God bless.

Love, Mom, Dad, and Cris

Kristin,
We wish you much success and happiness as you begin your new journey. We love you very much and want to thank you for the wonderful memories you have given us.

Love,<br>Dad, Mom, \& Michelle

Annie,
We hope you know how proud we are of the bright, talented, industrious, responsible, and most of all, caring individual that you've become. We could not love you more.

> Love, Mom \& Dad

## Eli,

You made it! Now you can bask in the glow of success. Congratulations on being a National Merit Finalist.
Your future is bright!

> Love,
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Sonny, Kayla, Vanessa, Ashley, Avery, and Mackenzie


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become over the years! We will always remember your sense of fair play and gentle spirit. We know it was a struggle for you, son, but you've made us very proud. Never, ever give up on your dreams, asking too many questions, or your hunger for knowledge. Never lose your warm smile, your kind hearted nature, or honesty. They will take you anywhere in life you want to go. Now continue on your journey taking with you all our eternal love, best wishes, hopes and prayers on the rest of your journey of life. Mom and Dad


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## Amidst countless changes, students discover

## what a Wonderful World we ive in

When the doors of MHS opened once again in August 1999, no one knew what the coming year would bring. Millennium hype and Y2K paranoia colored our views and caused many to fear the end of the world. And while these issues turned out to be exaggerated, it has in fact been The End of the World as We Know It.

One many argue that the world is far from over. After all, this year was filled with the homework, exams and extra-curricular activities of any other. It may appear that not much has changed. But each person we meet, every experience we undergo, changes us in some way forever. The world that we go to bed with is always different than the one we wake up to. Every moment that passes is an End of the World as We Know It and the beginning to new, won-

said good-bye to Ms. Evely, Mrs. Herioux and Mrs. Wheeler as change directed them to a new place in the world. Exchange students brought us a piece of their world. The Class of 2000 spent one last year in the classrooms of MHS before beginning a new life in the real world. Even underclassmen who may have thought their world would stay the same forever changed and will continue to change over the next few years.
All in all, this will always be the year of sea worthy ships disguised as Homecoming Floats, drug searches, backless shirts, liaison officers, sports triumphs and disappointments, beautiful music, man-eating plants and in the end, good-byes. Through the wonderful, the terrible, and The End of the World as We Know It, "I FEEL FINE." derful world.
Just as in years past, our world at Marshall High School was filled with changes. New teachers, administrators and incoming freshmen brought a fresh perspective to our world. We


I wanna rock'n' roll all night, and party every day Is Mr. Dahlinger picking up the af termath of a natural disaster (the senior's last day), or is he auditioning to be the next member of KISS? Only summer will tell what the elusive Mr. D is up to.


Real World: Marshall After four years of living life inside the gates of MHS, Matt Heppner, Matt Parker and Jason Barnes find themselves on the outside looking in. Every year, a new batch of kids is released into the wild, otherwise known as "The Real World." Will these three survive in the cold, cruel world without anyone reminding them to remove their hats in the building? Stay turned for 2010 : The Reunion.

. . . and I Feel Fine


[^0]:    The Sophomore Escort and Attendant - Ian Stewart and Cheryl Hedges

[^1]:    We love you,
    Mom, Chuck, and Chelsea

