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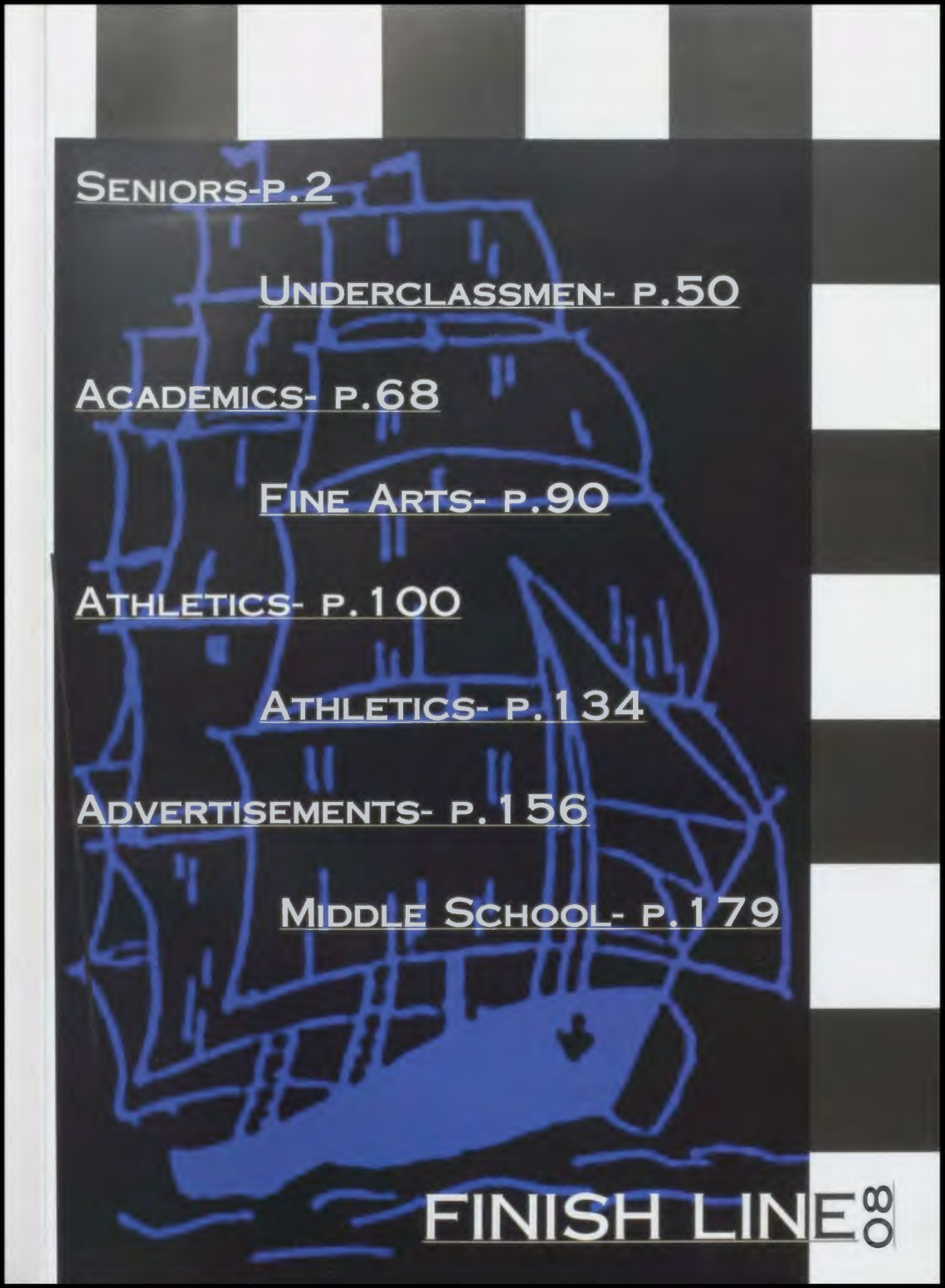
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"I AM THE GREATEST"







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THE CLASS OF





LILLI ROSE ALLEN Lu

ACTIVITIES:
WIZARD OF OZ 1,
CHORUS 1, VIRGINIA TRIP
1, JV CHEERLEADING 1,
VARSITY CHEERLEADING
2-3, CHEERLEADING
STATE CHAMPS 2-3,
GERMAN 1-2,4, GERMAN
EXCHANGE 4, JOHN
GRAHAM VOLUNTEER 3-
4, BLOOD DRIVE
VOLUNTEER 2-3



"WILL YOU COWER IN
THE CORNER AND
ALWAYS DO WHAT YOU
ARE TOLD? CHOOSE
THE CHAIN THAT LINKS
YOU 'THORN OR
FLOWERS, IRON OR
GOLD."

-THOUGHTS

"I HOPE TOMORROW IS
LIKE TODAY."

-GUSTER

BRYAN ANDREWS Pedro

ACTIVITIES:
VOC EXPEDITION 1,
AUTOMOTIVE I 3,
SCHOOL TO WORK 3,
AUTOMOTIVE II 4

"LIVE LIFE ON THE EDGE
WHERE THERE'S NO
REGRETS, FEAR IS FOR
PEOPLE THAT DON'T
KNOW WHAT THEY'RE
MISSING."

WELL YOU MADE IT!!
WATCHING YOU
GROW FROM A
TROUBLE MAKING
HELLION TO A KNOW
IT ALL TEENAGER, I
HAVE GROWN QUITE
A FEW GRAY HAIRS.
BUT, TODAY I SEE A
GROWN MAN THAT I
COULDN'T LOVE
ANYMORE THAN I DO,
NOW AND ALWAYS
WILL.
LOVE,
MOM



KYLE BRADLEY BENJAMIN KB

ACTIVITIES:
SOCCER 1-2,
BASKETBALL 1-2,
LACROSSE 1-4



"THE WORLD AIN'T ALL SUNSHINE AND
RAINBOWS. IT IS A VERY MEAN AND NASTY
PLACE AND IT WILL BEAT YOU TO YOUR
KNEES AND KEEP YOU THERE PERMANENTLY
IF YOU LET IT. YOU, ME, NOBODY IS GONNA
HIT AS HARD AS LIFE. BUT IT AIN'T HOW
HARD YOU HIT; IT'S ABOUT HOW HARD YOU
CAN GET HIT AND KEEP MOVING FORWARD.
HOW MUCH YOU CAN TAKE AND KEEP
MOVING FORWARD. THAT'S HOW WINNING IS
DONE..."

-ROCKY BALBOA

I CAN'T BELIEVE MY LITTLE BOY IS
NOW A YOUNG MAN, GRADUATING
FROM HIGH SCHOOL. HOW FAST
TIME GOES BY. I WANT YOU TO
KNOW HOW TRULY PROUD I AM OF
YOU! I LOVE YOU SO MUCH!

LOVE,
MOM

JUSTIN E. BAKER
Chester, Baker, Pippy,

Susan

ACTIVITIES:

STICKIN' IT TO THE MAN 1-4

"WHEN IN DOUBT, DUCK. WHEN CERTAIN, DON'T BOTHER 'CAUSE YOU'RE ALREADY SCREWED."

-CHICKEN SOUP

"YOU LAUGH 'CAUSE I'M DIFFERENT. I LAUGH 'CAUSE YOU'RE ALL THE SAME."

-UNKNOWN

"HUMAN KIND CANNOT GAIN ANYTHING WITHOUT FIRST GIVING SOMETHING IN RETURN. TO OBTAIN, SOMETHING OF EQUAL VALUE MUST BE LOST."

-FULL METAL ALCHEMIST

JUSTIN, WE ARE SO PROUD OF YOU! YOU'VE COME SO FAR, YET YOU'VE ONLY JUST BEGUN ON LIFE'S JOURNEY. YOU HAVE A BIG HEART AND A LOT TO OFFER THE WORLD! DON'T SETTLE FOR SECOND BEST! KEEP YOUR EYES ON THE LORD AND HE WILL MAKE YOUR PATHS STRAIGHT. REMEMBER YOUR ROOTS AND ALWAYS REMEMBER THAT WE LOVE YOU MORE THAN ALL THE STARS IN THE SKY!

LOVE, MOM, DAD, ANNA,
 MAGEN & ABBEY



JAMISON BANNISTER
Jamo

ACTIVITIES:

WALDEN 2, WALDEN 3/4

"BELIEVE NOTHING, NO MATTER WHERE YOU READ IT, NO MATTER IF I HAVE SAID IT, UNLESS IT AGREES WITH YOUR OWN REASON AND YOUR OWN COMMON SENSE."

-BUDDHA

"IT'S CRAZY TO SEE PEOPLE BE WHAT SOCIETY WANTS THEM TO BE, BUT NOT ME..."

-N.W.A.

ELISABETH,

IT SEEMS LIKE JUST YESTERDAY YOU WERE STARTING KINDERGARTEN, AND NOW YOU ARE ABOUT TO GRADUATE. WE ARE PROUD OF YOUR ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND WE TRUST THAT GOD WILL GUIDE YOU IN ALL YOUR FUTURE ENDEAVORS. ALL OUR LOVE, MOM AND DAD



ELISABETH KATE BEENEN

ACTIVITIES:

BASKETBALL 1-2, TRANSFER 3, CVCRC YOUNG PEOPLES 1-4, YP SECRETARY 3-4

"WHEREVER YOU ARE, BE ALL THERE. LIVE TO THE HILT EVERY SITUATION YOU BELIEVE TO BE THE WILL OF GOD."

-JIM ELLIOT

DUSTIN BENNING

Dusty

ACTIVITIES:
YEARBOOK 3, OVX 1, SOCCER
3, TRACK 3

"THIS PAPER MAY
CRUMBLE, THE INK
MAY FADE, BUT
NOTHING WILL HAPPEN
TO THE FRIENDS I'VE
MADE."

DUSTIN,
CONGRATULATIONS
ON A JOB WELL
DONE. WE KNEW
YOU COULD DO IT.
CONTINUE THE
SUCCESS IN YOUR
FUTURE.
LOVE,
MOM AND DAD



ABBY RICHARDSON BENTON

*Absl, Abster, A-Cat, Fresh,
Baby Benton*

ACTIVITIES:
VARSITY SOCCER 1-4, VARSITY
BASKETBALL 1-4, VARSITY GOLF 1-4,
STUDENT COUNCIL 1-4, BAND 1-4, JAZZ
BAND 2-4, NHS 3-4, RYLA 2, NYLC 3,
GIRL'S STATE 3, V-TOWN TENNIS CLUB
4, VALC 2, RING COMM. 2, PROM
COMM. 3, Yo-Yo CLUB 3-4, NUTRITION
COMM. 3-4, STUDENT TUTOR/MENTOR 3-
4, SCHOOL BOARD REP. 3-4, GERMAN
EXCHANGE 4, MATH TEAM 4, PEP BAND 4

"LIFE JUST IS...GO WITH IT, GROW WITH
IT. LIVE AND LET LIVE."

"CELEBRATE WE WILL, BECAUSE LIFE IS
SHORT, BUT SWEET FOR CERTAIN. WE'RE
CLIMBING TWO BY TWO, TO BE SURE THESE
DAYS CONTINUE. THESE THINGS WE CANNOT
CHANGE." -DMB

DEAR ABBY,

WHAT A RIDE IT HAS BEEN SO FAR! YOU
HAVE SUCH DETERMINATION AND SO
MANY TALENTS THAT IT HAS BEEN A
JOY TO WATCH YOU MATURE INTO A
YOUNG ADULT. YOU HAVE ENTERTAINED
US OVER THE YEARS AND MADE US SO
PROUD, WITH YOUR ATHLETICISM,
MUSIC, LAUGHTER AND SHARP WIT. WE
CAN'T WAIT TO SEE WHAT YOU MAKE
OF YOUR FUTURE...
WE LOVE YOU,
MOM AND DAD

ABS,
CONGRATULATIONS! YOU ALWAYS WERE
THE SMART ONE. ALWAYS REMEMBER...
YOLO.
LOVE YOU,
ELIZA AND WILL



KAYLA MARIE BESSETTE

Kaybug

ACTIVITIES:
JV CHEERLEADING
1

"LIFE GOES
ON."



KAYLA B:
IT WAS TOUGH AT
TIMES, BUT YOU
MADE IT. WE'RE SO
PROUD OF YOUR
ACCOMPLISHMENTS.
LOVE,
MOM AND
MIKE,
RYAN AND
THE GIRLS

TYLER BOWLES

Tyrone

ACTIVITIES:

CREATIVE WRITING 1-4,
THEATER ARTS 3-4,
COSMOTOLOGY 4,
TRUMPETING 1-4

"SUPPLEMENTS ARE THE
FOOD FOR THE MASSES."

DEAR TYRONE,

IT WAS ONLY A MOMENT AGO THIS
BABY BOY WAS TWINKLING AND
GIGGLING WITH EXCITED JOY AND
NOW HIS SHINING EYES LINGER
BEHIND HIS GOLDEN STRANDS OF
FLAXEN HAIR. BE BOLD IN YOUR
NEXT STEPS TYRONE.

-VUHS STAFF AND ABBEY
PLANKEY

TWENTY YEARS FROM NOW
YOU WILL BE MORE
DISAPPOINTED BY THE THINGS
YOU

DIDN'T DO THAN BY THE ONES
YOU DID DO. SO THROW OFF
THE BOWLINES. SAIL
AWAY FROM THE SAFE
HARBOR. CATCH THE TRADE
WINDS IN YOUR SAILS.

EXPLORE.

DREAM. DISCOVER.

-MARK TWAIN



SARAH E. BOTALA

ACTIVITIES:

FFA 1-4, PLANT AND
ANIMAL SCIENCE,
AGRICULTURAL
BUSINESS
TECHNOLOGY

"GO PURPLE!"

MY DEAREST
HESTER SUE,
BOOYAH! I KNEW
YOU COULD DO IT.
FOLLOW YOUR
DREAMS BABE, AND
BE HAPPY.
LOVE ALWAYS AND
FOREVER,
MOM

SARAH,

I KNEW YOU COULD DO IT
IF YOU PUT ALL YOU GOT
INTO IT. AIM HIGH FOR THE
FUTURE AND YOU WILL
SUCCEED.

LOVE,
DAD



"FOR A LONG TIME IT HAD SEEMED TO ME
THAT LIFE WAS ABOUT TO BEGIN-REAL
LIFE. BUT THERE WAS ALWAYS SOME
OBSTACLE IN THE WAY, SOMETHING TO BE
GOTTEN THROUGH FIRST, SOME UNFINISHED
BUSINESS, TIME STILL TO BE SERVED, A
DEBT TO BE PAID. THEN LIFE WOULD
BEGIN. AT LAST IT DAWNED ON ME THAT
THESE OBSTACLES WERE MY LIFE."

-ALFRED D. SOUZA

"I WANTED A PERFECT ENDING... NOW, I'VE
LEARNED THE HARD WAY THAT SOME
POEMS DON'T RHYME, AND SOME STORIES
DON'T HAVE A CLEAR BEGINNING, MIDDLE
AND END. LIFE IS ABOUT NOT KNOWING,
HAVING TO CHANGE, TAKING THE MOMENT
AND MAKING THE BEST OF IT, WITHOUT
KNOWING WHAT'S GOING TO HAPPEN NEXT."

-UNKNOWN



ALISON B. BOURDON

*Ali, Blanch, Fresh,
Bourdon, B*

ACTIVITIES:

VARSITY SOCCER 1-4, JV BASKETBALL
1, VARSITY BASKETBALL 2-4, VARSITY
SOFTBALL 3-4, STUDENT COUNCIL 1-
4, HOMECOMING 1-4, PROM COMMITTEE
3, RING COMMITTEE 2, SPIRIT
COMMITTEE 1-4, GIRL'S STATE
DELEGATE, VERMONT ATHLETIC
LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE 3, GERMAN
EXCHANGE 3-4, MATH TEAM 4,
PROJECT GRAD 4, GRADUATION
COMMITTEE 4, NHS 4

TANYA BRACE
Tanya

ACTIVITIES:
SOFTBALL 1-2+4,
CHEERLEADING 3-4

"I HEAR AND I
FORGET, I SEE AND I
REMEMBER, I DO
AND I UNDERSTAND."



WE HAD OUR UPS
AND DOWNS, BUT
REGARDLESS, DAVE
AND I ARE REALLY
PROUD OF YOU FOR
STAYING IN SCHOOL,
AND BEING ALL YOU
COULD BE.
CONGRATULATIONS.
WE LOVE YOU.
-MOM AND DAVE



REVA BRASSARD
*Reevie, Rever, Reva
Shayne*

ACTIVITIES:
FBLA 1,3-4

"EVERYTHING HAPPENS
FOR A REASON."

"LIFE IS FULL OF CHANGES,
YOU JUST HAVE TO DEAL
WITH THEM AND MAKE THE
BEST OF THE SITUATION."

CASEY RAYE BRIGAN

ACTIVITIES:
BASEBALL 1-4

"NEVER WORK JUST FOR
MONEY OR FOR POWER.
THEY WON'T SAVE YOUR
SOUL OR HELP YOU SLEEP
AT NIGHT."
-MARIAN EDELMAN



DEAR CASEY,
IT IS HARD TO BELIEVE THAT YOU ARE
GRADUATING FROM HIGH SCHOOL AND
GETTING READY TO GO TO COLLEGE.
WHERE DID THE TIME GO? YOU HAVE
ALWAYS BEEN THE MOST EASY GOING
PERSON, NOTHING SEEMS TO RATTLE
YOU AND WE SO RESPECT THAT. YOUR
PERSONALITY WILL BE A VERY POSITIVE
ASSET TO YOU AS YOU APPROACH
COLLEGE. DAD AND I KNOW THAT
WHATEVER YOU DECIDE TO DO WITH
YOUR LIFE, YOU WILL BE SUCCESSFUL
AND HAPPY DOING IT. TAKE ADVANTAGE
OF YOUR NEXT FOUR COLLEGE YEARS
TO DISCOVER WHAT LIFE HAS TO OFFER
YOU AND ENJOY IT! WE LOVE YOU SO
MUCH AND ARE SO PROUD OF YOU
CASE-MAN.
TONS OF LOVE,
MOM AND DAD

COLIN A. BRISTOW

ACTIVITIES:

SOCCER 1-4, BASKETBALL 1,
STUDENT COUNCIL 1-4,
BOY'S STATE 3, GOLF 1-4

"PHOTOGRAPHS CAN
CAPTURE MOMENTS,
BUT ONLY YOU CAN
PAINT YOUR LIFE
PICTURE."

COLIN,

YOU ARE THE MOST
DETERMINED AND
DEDICATED YOUNG MAN
WE KNOW. FROM
LEARNING TO YO-YO TO
JUGGLING FIRE, YOU
MASTER EVERYTHING
YOU SET OUT TO
ACCOMPLISH. KEEP IT
UP AND YOU WILL GO
FAR. THE WORLD IS
YOUR LENS. WE LOVE
YOU.

LOVE,
MOM, DAD, RUMSEY
AND BEN



KELLY BURKETT

Pail, Kel

ACTIVITIES:

VARSITY SOFTBALL 1-4, JV
BASKETBALL 1-2, VARSITY
BASKETBALL 2-4, PEACE
ONE DAY 3-4, VERMONT
TEEN LEADERSHIP COUNCIL 2-
4, AAU BASKETBALL 1-2,
AAU SOFTBALL 2-4,
BAND/CHORUS 1-4,
HOMECOMING COMMITTEE 1-
4, MENTORING 1-4, TUTORING
2-3, VENTURING 1-2

"OH WHEN YOU WERE YOUNG DID
YOU QUESTION ALL THE ANSWERS?
DID YOU ENVY ALL THE DANCERS
WHO HAD ALL THE NERVE? LOOK
AROUND YOU NOW, YOU MUST GO
FOR WHAT YOU WANTED. LOOK AT
ALL MY FRIENDS WHO DID AND GOT
WHAT THEY DESERVED! SO MUCH
TIME TO MAKE UP EVERYWHERE YOU
TURN. TIME WE HAVE WASTED ON
THE WAY. SO MUCH LOVE TO MAKE
UP EVERYWHERE YOU TURN. SO
MUCH WATER MOVING UNDERNEATH
THE BRIDGE. LET THE WATER COME
AND CARRY US AWAY."

-CROSBY, STILLS, AND NASH

I HOPE YOU NEVER FEAR THOSE
MOUNTAINS IN THE DISTANCE. NEVER
SETTLE FOR THE PATH OF LEAST
RESISTANCE. WHEREVER ONE DOOR
CLOSES, I HOPE ONE MORE OPENS. AND
WHEN YOU GET THE CHANCE, I HOPE
YOU'LL DANCE. YOU'VE GOT TO GET UP
EVERY MORNING WITH A SMILE ON YOUR
FACE. YOU'RE GONNA FIND, YES YOU WILL,
THAT YOU'RE AS BEAUTIFUL AS YOU FEEL.
MUCH LOVE,
MOM & DAD

JUSTIN,

OVER THE YEARS WE HAVE WATCHED YOU
GROW INTO AN AMAZING PERSON. YOU STRIVE
AND SUCCEED AT WHATEVER YOU DO. BECAUSE
YOU ALWAYS STICK WITH IT, NO MATTER WHAT.
YOU'RE A FLUTIST, A MARTIAL ARTIST, A VIDEO
GAMER, A GREAT DEBATER, A GUITAR PLAYER,
AND WE ARE SURE THAT YOU WILL HAVE MANY
MORE TALENTS TO ADD TO THE LIST AS THE
YEARS GO BY. YOU MARCH TO THE BEAT OF YOUR
OWN DRUM, AND WE RESPECT AND ADMIRE THAT.
KEEP ON MARCHIN' AND NO MATTER WHERE LIFE
LEADS YOU, REMEMBER TO BE HAPPY AND THAT
WE WILL ALWAYS BE HERE FOR YOU.

LOVE MOM AND DAD

HEY IT'S ME BIG BROTHER, AND I JUST WANTED TO SAY I AM
REALLY GOING TO MISS YOU. THANKS FOR HELPING ME WITH
MATH ALL THESE YEARS I DON'T THINK I COULD HAVE
SURVIVED ALL MY MATH CLASSES WITHOUT YOU. YOU ARE
REALLY A WONDERFUL BROTHER. YOU HAVE ALWAYS BEEN
KIND, OPENED MY EYES TO NEW THINGS, A GREAT PERSON TO
TALK TO, AND I ALWAYS KNOW THAT YOU'LL HAVE MY BACK. I
WON'T FORGET OUR LONG TALKS IN THE WEE HOURS OF THE
NIGHT DURING THE SUMMER. ALSO I JUST WANT TO MAKE
SURE THAT YOU KNOW THAT I WILL ALWAYS HAVE YOUR BACK
TOO, LOVE ASHLEY.

P.S. I LOVE YOU TOO! YOUR TRUSTY COMPANION. WILLIE!
Woof!



JUSTIN BRUNET

Bruno, Waldo, Brunet Kid, Brunet

ACTIVITIES:

ANIME CLUB 2-4, MUSICAL 1-3, MATH
TEAM 1-2, BAND 1-4

"KU" -ANONYMOUS
"ALL IS ONE AND ONE IS ALL."
-FULL METAL ALCHEMIST
"I THINK, THEREFORE YOU ARE."
-ERYO PROXY
"ASAGAO NI, TSURUBE
TORARETE, MORAI MIZU"
-KAGA NO CHIYO

**KAITLYN MARIE
BRUNET**
Kaitie, Kaitiebug, Legs

ACTIVITIES:
HISTORY DAY 1,
SOFTBALL 1-2

"THINGS TURN OUT
BEST FOR THE
PEOPLE WHO MAKE
THE BEST OUT OF
THE WAY THINGS
TURN OUT."



KAITIE,
YOU HAVE
DEVELOPED INTO A
BEAUTIFUL YOUNG
WOMAN. WE ARE SO
PROUD OF YOU. WE
KNOW YOU WILL
SUCCEED IN
ANYTHING YOU DO IN
LIFE.
LOVE,
MOM AND DAD



JASON D. CASSIDY

"IT IS NOT DOWN IN
ANY MAPS; TRUE
PLACES NEVER ARE."
~HERMAN MELVILLE

**JOSEPH DANIEL LOUIS
CHUGG**

ACTIVITIES:
WALDEN 4, SOCCER 1-4,
CLAMPS 1-4, MUSICAL 1-4,
SNOWBOARD TEAM 3-4,
PEACE ONE DAY 2-4, HONEY
SANDWICH 4, CHEESE CLUB
1-4

"PATIENCE HAS ITS LIMITS.
TAKE IT TOO FAR, AND IT'S
COWARDICE."



"SAD, LARRY, SAD, SAD LARRY!--
LIFE IS TO BE ENJOYED NOT
ENDURED" FROM DAD AND DUMMA

I MARVEL AT YOUR COURAGE AND
CONFIDENCE. YOU HAVE A PASSION
FOR PEACE AND FAIRNESS - QUICK
TO DEFEND OTHERS AND IDEAS. MY
HEART MELTS FROM THE LOVE AND
CARE YOU EXPRESS WHEN YOU SAY
YOU'LL BUY ME A NEW HOUSE OR
CAR WHEN YOU GET RICH!
WHenever you find you are in
NEED OF COMFORT, COME HOME TO
CHUGG PALACE. I'LL BE HERE
WAITING ALONG WITH GLADYS AND
RITZ BITS WITH CHEESE. I LOVE YOU
JOSEPH DANIEL LOUIS CHUGG.
"JOANNE"

**KEENAN M.
CLAYTON-HALL**

**ACTIVITIES:
WALDEN 4,
STUDENT BAND 1-4**

**"I AM NOT AN
ADVENTURER BY
CHOICE, BUT BY FATE."
-VINCENT VAN GOGH**

**"SNOW ON TREETOPS:
WHAT COULD BE
BETTER?"
-ZEN SAYING**

**KEENAN,
YOU CAME INTO THIS
WORLD HAPPY AND
CONTENT AND SO
FAR YOU HAVE LIVED
BY THOSE WORDS.
YOU ARE EVER
EVOLVING INTO AN
AMAZING, TALENTED
AND CREATIVE
YOUNG MAN.
CONTINUE!
LOVE,
MOM AND STEVE**



**KELLI M. COGGER
*Bert, Kelbert, Berta***

**ACTIVITIES:
JV CHEERLEADING 1,
VARSITY CHEERLEADING 2-
3, ART CLUB 4, HUMAN
SERVICES 3**

**"LIFE'S TOUGH, GET A
HELMET."
-BOY MEETS WORLD**

**KELLI-
HOW COULD THE YEARS GO
BY SO FAST!?! WE FEEL LIKE
IT WAS JUST YESTERDAY
WHEN YOU DRESSED UP-PUT
ON THE MUSIC-AND ASKED
US TO WATCH YOU DO YOUR
DANCE! TOO CUTE. NEW
DOORS ARE OPENING, DON'T
BE AFRAID TO SEE WHAT'S
ON THE OTHER SIDE. YOU'VE
GROWN TO BE A
WONDERFUL YOUNG LADY
AND WE LOVE YOU
"INFINITY."
"KELBERT" FOREVER!
LOVE,
MOM, DAD, STEPHANY &
CORINNE**

DEAR ERIN,
I DON'T THINK WE CAN ADEQUATELY PUT INTO
WORDS OUR THOUGHTS AND FEELING AS YOU
TURN 18 AND GRADUATE FROM HIGH SCHOOL.
THE FIRST THAT COMES TO MIND IS A SENSE
OF LOSS. YOU ARE LEAVING VUHS AND
BEGINNING YOUR COLLEGIATE CAREER. THIS,
OF COURSE, ALSO MEANS LEAVING HOME.
ANOTHER FEELING IS THAT OF EXCITEMENT:
FOR THE PLACES YOU WILL GO, THE THINGS
YOU WILL SEE AND DO AND FOR YOUR FUTURE
CAREER CHOICE. DON'T BE AFRAID TO DREAM!
BELIEVE IT OR NOT, YOU WILL ONLY BE
"YOUNG" FOR A VERY SHORT TIME. USE THOSE
YEARS TO FOLLOW YOUR WILDEST DREAMS!
THE WORLD IS YOURS AND THE CHOICES ARE
LIMITLESS. BUT, ABOVE ALL, USE YOUR
YOUTH TO HELP MAKE THIS WORLD A BETTER
PLACE. WE WILL ALWAYS GREET YOU AT
HOME WITH OPEN ARMS AND LOOK FORWARD
TO TALES OF YOUR MANY ADVENTURES.
ALWAYS KNOW THAT WE LOVE YOU!
LOVE, MOM AND DAD



**ERIN ELIZABETH
CONWAY
*Conway, G-Fizzle***

**ACTIVITIES:
MUSICAL TECH CREW 1, STUDENT PRESS CONFERENCE
WITH THE GOV. 2, HISTORY CLUB 2-4; TREASURER 3;
PRESIDENT 4, PROM COMMITTEE 2-3, RING COMMITTEE
2, YEARBOOK 3-4, GIRLS STATE 3, GIRLS STATE
ESSAY WINNER 3, VOD 2-4, HISTORY DAY 2-4, NHD
2, GOD, FLAG, AND COUNTRY 2, LEGION ORATORICAL
3, NEWSPAPER 4, PROJECT GRAD 4, YOUTH ALIVE 4,
SENIOR VIDEO 4, MENTORING 1-4; CO-CHAIRPERSON 3-
4, FRENCH CLUB 3-4, ROTARY SPEECH 3-4, TUTORING
3-4, NYLFS 4, DISTRICTS 1-2, VBS 3-4, VCB 1-4,
BAND 1-4, NHS 4**

**"A MAN CAN NO MORE DIMINISH GOD'S GLORY BY REFUSING TO
WORSHIP HIM THAN A LUNATIC CAN PUT OUT THE SUN BY
SCREAMING THE WORD, 'DARKNESS' ON THE WALLS OF HIS
CELL."
-C.S. LEWIS**

**"DOUBT THOU THE STARS ARE FIRE; DOUBT THAT THE SUN
BOTH MOVE; DOUBT TRUTH TO BE A LIAR; BUT NEVER DOUBT I
LOVE."**

SHAKESPEARE, HAMLET

ASHLEY HEATHER COUSINO

ACTIVITIES:

SOFTBALL 1-3, CAPTAIN
1-2, ASSET's 3-4,
PROM COMMITTEE,
HOMECOMING FLOAT
BUILDING 1-4, PROJECT
GRAD, WINTER BALL
COMMITTEE, CHORUS 1-
4, TREASURER 2-4,
FRENCH TRIP 3, VOICES
OF DEMOCRACY 1-3,
ROTARY SPEECH
COMPETITION 2-3,
BLOOD DRIVE
VOLUNTEER 2-4, ART
CLUB 4



"...WHEN YOU WANT TO ENJOY
SOMETHING, YOU MUST NEVER
LET LOGIC GET TOO MUCH IN THE
WAY."

-JERRY SEINFELD

SHANE M. COYLE *Dago, Shmoo*

ACTIVITIES:

WRESTLING 1-3, LACROSSE 2,
FERRISBURGH VOLUNTEER FIRE
DEPARTMENT CADET PROGRAM 1-
4, PHCC PROTECTIVE SERVICES
2

"FAMOUS LAST WORDS,
WATCH THIS!"

SHANE,

LOOK HOW FAR YOU HAVE
COME, YOUR JOURNEY IS FAR
FROM OVER. THE NEXT CHAPTER
IS PREPARING ITS BEGINNING.
GOOD LUCK FROM DAD AND
MOM. YOU HAVE MADE US SO
PROUD AND NO MATTER WHAT
YOU CHOOSE FOR YOUR ROAD
AHEAD OF YOU, WE ARE ALWAYS
THERE FOR YOU.

LOVE, MOM AND DAD

SHANE,

HAVE A BRIGHT AND
SAFE FIREFIGHTING
FUTURE.

LOVE,
GRAMP AND GRAM



JOSHUA MICHAEL CUNNINGHAM *Josh*

ACTIVITIES:

ROWING 1-4, BASKETBALL 2,
BOAT BUILDING 2, BIRD
BANDING

"PULL YOUR OWN
OAR, CARRY YOUR
OWN LOAD."
-DAC



GOOD LUCK, SON.
I'M PROUD OF YOU.
DAD

JOSH- CONGRATULATIONS!
WE ARE SO PROUD OF YOU.
BEST WISHES IN THE
FUTURE. WE LOVE YOU VERY
MUCH.

LOVE, MOM & SAM

JOSHUA- WHEN LIFE GIVES
YOU LEMONS... FIND
SOMEONE WHO'S LIFE GAVE
THEM TEQUILA AND THROW
A PARTY!!

<33 JENN

GWENDOLYN ELIZABETH DELGADILLO

*Gwen, Gwennie, Gwendolyn,
Gwee, Gweenda, Natalie~
Yvonne*

ACTIVITIES:

MUSICAL 1-3, GREEN MTN. CHORUS 1-3, ALL STATE CHORUS 1-3, ALL STATE VOCAL SCHOLARSHIP 2, NEW ENGLAND CHORUS 2-3, COLOR GUARD 1-3, GERMAN CLUB 3-4

"MUSIC IS WHAT FEELING SOUND LIKE." -UNKNOWN

"NONE OF US WILL EVER ACCOMPLISH ANYTHING EXCELLENT OR COMMANDING EXCEPT WHEN HE LISTENS TO THIS WHISPER WHICH IS HEARD BY HIM ALONE." -RALPH WALDO EMERSON

"NEVER BE LIMITED BY OTHER PEOPLE'S LIMITED IMAGINATIONS." -DR. MAE JEMISON

"SOMEWHERE, SOMETHING INCREDIBLE IS WAITING TO BE KNOWN." -CARL SAGAN

DEAREST GWEN,
AS YOU GROW AND
CHANGE SOME THINGS IN
YOUR LIFE WILL ALWAYS
STAY THE SAME; WE'LL
ALWAYS LOVE YOU.
WE'LL ALWAYS HUG
YOU. WE'LL ALWAYS BE
ON YOUR SIDE. "LIVE
LONG AND PROSPER!"
LOVE,
MOM AND DAD



HILARY S. DeVos

ACTIVITIES:
NEW ENGLAND WRITERS
CONFERENCE 3-4,
WALDEN 3-4

"WE'RE NOT OUR SKIN OF
GRIME, WE'RE NOT OUR DREAD
BLEAK DUSTY IMAGELESS
LOCOMOTIVE, WE'RE ALL
GOLDEN SUNFLOWERS INSIDE,
BLESSED BY OUR OWN SEED
AND HAIRY NAKED
ACCOMPLISHMENT..."
-ALLEN GINSBERG

HILARY,

SINCE THE VERY FIRST MOMENT
YOUR DAD AND I SET EYES UPON
YOU WITH YOUR
SPIKEY BLONDE HAIR AND BIG
BLUE EYES WE KNEW YOU WERE
SPECIAL. WE HAVE ENJOYED
ALL OUR TIME TOGETHER AND WE
WILL MISS YOU SO MUCH AS YOU
HEAD OFF TO YOUR NEW
ADVENTURE, COLLEGE! JUST
KNOW WE WILL ALWAYS BE HERE
FOR YOU WHAT EVER YOU MAY
NEED.
WE LOVE YOU.
MOM AND DAD



CONGRATULATIONS KAITLYN ELISE, YOU
MANAGED TO COMPLETE HIGH SCHOOL
WITHOUT PUSHING US COMPLETELY OVER THE
EDGE. THERE WERE SO MANY DAYS AND TIMES
YOUR QUEST FOR DOING ALL THINGS (ALL
WITH PERFECT PRECISION...) HAD US THERE,
BUT WE SURVIVED AFTER ALL AND ARE HAPPY
TO SEND YOU OFF ON THE NEXT PHASE OF
YOUR LIFE.

THAT SAID, WE COULD NOT BE MORE PLEASED
WITH YOUR FOCUS AND DETERMINATION AS IT
IS WHAT MAKES YOU SO SPECIAL. THIS
NUCLEAR POWER WRAPPED IN SILLINESS AND
FUZZY SLIPPERS IS ALMOST ALWAYS A TREAT
TO BE AROUND. : WE HOPE YOU NEVER
CHANGE.

YOU ARE A PASSIONATE THINKER AND
WORKER WHO WILL SURELY MAKE A
DIFFERENCE IN THIS WORLD. REMEMBER TO
TAKE EVERYTHING IN PERSPECTIVE, CHASE
WORTHWHILE DREAMS, AND ENJOY ALL THE
AMAZING MOMENTS LIFE HAS TO OFFER WITH
THE ONES YOU LOVE.
LOVE MOM, DAD, AND ERIKA



KAITLYN E. EVARTS Tall Girl, Tweegee, Teegee

ACTIVITIES:

STUDENT COUNCIL 1-4, CLASS PRESIDENT 1-4, EDGE
SWIM TEAM 1-4, TEAM CAPTAIN 2-4, NATIONAL HONOR
SOCIETY 3-4, NHS PRESIDENT 4, PROM COMMITTEE 2-3,
MUSICAL STAGE CREW 1-4, STAGE CAPTAIN 3-4, STUDENT
TUTOR CENTER 3-4, MATH TEAM 3-4, WINTERBALL
COMMITTEE 4, SOPHOMORE SUMMIT 2, ROTARY YOUTH
LEADERSHIP AWARDS 2, VT HUGH O'BRIAN YOUTH
LEADERSHIP 2, HOBY WORLD LEADERSHIP CONGRESS 3,
VT HOBY JR. COUNCILOR 3-4, GREEN MOUNTAIN GIRLS
STATE 3, RING COMMITTEE 2

"IF YOU WANT TO VIEW PARADISE, SIMPLY
LOOK AROUND AND VIEW IT. ANYTHING
YOU WANT TO, DO IT. WANT TO CHANGE
THE WORLD? THERE'S NOTHING TO IT."
-WILLY WONKA

TARA ANNE EXTER

ACTIVITIES:

DISTRICT MUSIC FESTIVAL
1-4, PIT FOR SOUND OF
MUSIC 4, TUTORING 3-
4, STUDENT MENTORING 1-
4, NATIONAL HONOR
SOCIETY 3-4, BAND 1-4

"WE ARE MADE TO LOVE
THE RIVER AND THE
MEADOW, AS THE WIND
TO RIPPLE THE WATER." -
HENRY DAVID THOREAU



"IF I SPEAK IN THE TONGUES
OF MEN AND OF ANGELS
BUT DO NOT HAVE LOVE, I
HAVE BECOME A SOUNDING
PIECE OF BRASS OR A
CLASHING CYMBAL. AND IF I
HAVE THE GIFT OF
PROPHECYING AND AM
ACQUAINTED WITH ALL THE
SACRED SECRETS AND ALL
KNOWLEDGE, AND IF I HAVE
ALL THE FAITH SO AS TO
TRANSPLANT MOUNTAINS,
BUT DO NOT HAVE LOVE, I
AM NOTHING."
1 CORINTHIANS 13:1-2



LANCE FAIRBROTHER *Lancer, Mitsu*

ACTIVITIES: VOCATIONAL 3-4

"TUNING ISN'T A
CRIME!"

CAITLIN VIRGINIA FERLAND *Cote, Ferlander*

ACTIVITIES:

JV SOCCER 1-2, VARSITY SOCCER 3-4,
TRACK 3-4, INDOOR TRACK 3-4, GERMAN
CLUB 2-4, PARIS 2007

"OUR ABILITY TO LIVE IN PEACE WITH EACH OTHER
DEPENDS FIRST AND FOREMOST ON OUR ABILITY TO
ACCEPT ALL THAT IS DIFFERENT BETWEEN US. I WANT TO
GET CLOSER TO YOU, BUT LET ME BE WHO I AM. I
WELCOME YOU COMING CLOSER TO ME, WHILE
RESPECTING WHO YOU ARE. ON OUR OWN INDIVIDUAL
PATHS, WE ARE LOOKING FOR THE BREAD, THE WATER,
THE WIND AND A DISCARDED LIFE. AND YES, WE ALL
CLING TO LOVE.
IOAN RAICHEL



YOU COME FROM A LONG LINE OF
ANCESTORS WHO WORKED TO BETTER
THEIR LIVES. FROM FRANCE, SCOTLAND,
IRELAND AND ENGLAND, THEY TRAVELED
ACROSS THE ATLANTIC TO SETTLE IN
CANADA AND NEW ENGLAND. SOME
FOUGHT IN REVOLUTIONS AND BATTLES FOR
THEIR NEW COUNTRY AND OTHERS BUILT
BUSINESSES, FARMED, BRED HORSES,
SUGARED OR LOGGED THE FORESTS. YOUR
GREAT GRANDMOTHER'S HOMEMADE SOAP,
THE BRICK FAY HOUSE, YOUR GREAT
GRANDFATHERS AX, AND EWING'S FARM ARE
ALL CONCRETE REMINDERS OF YOUR
ANCESTOR'S PERSEVERANCE. JUST LIKE
YOUR ANCESTORS, YOU ARE NOW POISED
TO BEGIN YOUR OWN JOURNEY. REMEMBER
HOW YOU ANCESTORS PERSEVERED AND
KNOW THAT DAD, PETER, AND I LOVE YOU
AND ARE ALWAYS HERE FOR YOU!

DANIEL FLYNN JR.
*Flynie, Flynn-dawg, The
 Fridge, Dan, Big D*

ACTIVITIES:

BASKETBALL 1-4, GOLF 1-4,
 PROM COMMITTEE, MUSICAL,
 FFA, HOMECOMING 1-4, PROM
 KING '07

"A DAY WITHOUT LAUGHTER
 IS A DAY WASTED."
 ~CHARLIE CHAPLIN

DANIEL,

YOU KNOW HOW PARENTS
 ALWAYS SAY "WE ARE SO PROUD
 OF OUR SON", WELL IT'S SO
 TRUE, WE COULDN'T BE PROUDER
 OF YOU. YOU ARE EVERY
 PARENT'S DREAM OF WHAT THEIR
 CHILD WILL TURN OUT TO BE,
 HONEST, COURTEOUS, HELPFUL,
 FRIENDLY, AND JUST AN ALL
 AROUND GREAT PERSON. YOU
 ARE THE RIGHT COMBINATION OF
 GOODNESS AND
 MISCHIEVOUSNESS. CHANGE
 ENOUGH TO GROW AS A PERSON,
 BUT NOT SO MUCH THAT YOU
 LOSE YOURSELF. WE KNOW YOU
 WILL DO GREAT IN WHATEVER
 YOU CHOOSE AS YOUR PATH IN
 LIFE, KEEP ON SMILING. WE LOVE
 YOU AND LOOK FORWARD TO
 SEEING YOU TURN INTO THE MAN
 WE KNOW YOU WILL.

LOVE,

DAD & MOM



RYAN J. FORTUNE
Kipo

ACTIVITIES:

JV BASEBALL 1-2, JV
 SOCCER 1-3, VARSITY
 WRESTLING 1-4,
 LACROSSE 3-4

"WHAT'S THE USE OF
 LOOKING BACK? WHAT'S
 THE USE OF LOOKING
 AHEAD? TODAY'S THE
 DAY! THAT'S MY
 PHILOSOPHY....TODAY."

CONGRATS

RYAN WE ARE SO PROUD
 OF YOU. REMEMBER YOU
 CAN DO ANYTHING YOU SET
 YOUR MIND TO. STAY TRUE
 TO YOURSELF. LIFE'S OUT
 THERE FOR THE TAKING.

LOVE YA,

MOM, KEVIN, JEFFREY,
 ALYSIA

RYAN,

WATCHING YOU GROW AND
 MATURE HAS BEEN A JOY.
 WE LOOK FORWARD TO
 WATCHING WHAT YOU DO
 FROM HERE. HAPPY FISHING
 HUCK.

DAD & CRISTY

"LONELINESS ADDS BEAUTY TO
 LIFE. IT PUTS A SPECIAL BURN OF
 SUNSETS AND MAKES NIGHT AIR
 SMELL BETTER."

~HENRY ROLLINS

ELIAS,

YOU KNOW THAT YOU CAN
 TAKE YOUR ABILITY TO
 "CHARM" THE WORLD - ADD
 YOUR SMILE AND HARD WORK
 AND YOU CAN ACCOMPLISH
 ANYTHING AND EVERYTHING
 YOU CHOOSE TO DO. WE LOVE
 YOU AND WE ARE PROUD OF
 YOU.

LOVE,

MOM AND BILL



ELIAS GALLIEN
*Eli, E-Train, Train,
 T-rain, Elias, YoYo,
 Matador, Bamecat, AK*

ACTIVITIES:

LACROSSE 2-4,
 BASKETBALL 1-3, SOCCER
 1-4, JAZZ BAND 3-4, RICK
 SAVAGE FAN CLUB 1-4,
 VARSITY PEP BAND 4

ARICA GEVRY

CONGRATULATIONS
ARICA.

WE KNEW YOU
COULD DO IT!

WE ARE VERY
PROUD OF YOU! WE
LOVE YOU AND WISH
YOU THE BEST IN
WHATEVER YOU
DECIDE TO DO.

LOVE,
MOM AND ROGER



CHARLES GLASSBERG

*Charlie, Char Bar, Squirrel,
Shabba-labba-ding-dong*

ACTIVITIES:

SOCCER 1-4, GIV YOUTH ACTIVISM
AND CURRENT EVENT 2, GIV ASIAN
CULTURES 3-4, GLOBAL VILLAGE
PROJECT 3, BAND 1-4, PIANO 1-4

"HE STAYED THAT WAY FOR A LONG
TIME AND WHEN HE AROUSED HIMSELF
AND AGAIN LOOKED OUT OF THE CAR
WINDOW THE TOWN OF WINESBURG
HAD DISAPPEARED AND HIS LIFE THERE
HAD BECOME BUT A BACKGROUND ON
WHICH TO PAINT THE DREAMS OF HIS
MANHOOD."

SHERWOOD ANDERSON,
WINESBURG, OHIO

CHARLIE:

YOU HAVE KEPT US AMUSED,
AMAZED, AND ALWAYS PROUD. THE
RANGE OF TALENTS AT YOUR
DISPOSAL - MUSICAL, ATHLETIC,
ARTISTIC - HAVE HELPED YOU
BECOME THE KIND, THOUGHTFUL AND
SINCERE MAN THAT YOU ARE. YOUR
SENSE OF ADVENTURE, FROM
MOUNTAINTOPS IN VERMONT, TO THE
SHORES OF GHANA, TO THE
SOCCER PITCH IN EUROPE, AND NEXT
YEAR TO CHINA, HAVE ALLOWED
YOU TO DEVELOP A KEEN SENSE OF
THE WORLD AND THE PEOPLE
AROUND YOU. YOUR EMPATHY FOR
OTHERS IS A TRAIT WE CHERISH.
YOU WILL GO FAR, AND WE ARE
HAPPY TO BE ALONG FOR AT LEAST
PART OF THE RIDE.

LOVE YOU,
M & P



JOSEPH M. GOYETTE

Squirrel

ACTIVITIES:

TRACK 1-2, SOCCER 1-4,
BASKETBALL 1-3,
LACROSSE 2-4,
WRESTLING 3-4

"I WORK LIKE A SLAVE
SO I CAN EAT LIKE A
KING."



JOSEPH,

IT HAS BEEN A PLEASURE
WATCHING YOU GROW AND
MATURE DURING YOUR SCHOOL
YEARS. YOU HAVE TESTED
YOURSELF IN SPORTS AND
PUSHED YOURSELF
ACADEMICALLY AS WELL AS
BEING A GREAT HUNTING
PARTNER. ALL THE BEST TO
YOU IN YOUR FUTURE.

MOM & JOE

CAMERON
GREGORY
Cam, Vash

ACTIVITIES:
ANIME CLUB 1-4;
FOUNDER

"LIFE IS JUST TOO
UNCERTAIN TO HAVE
REGRETS...EVERYTHING
THAT HAPPENS MIGHT
JUST ALWAYS BE FOR
THE BEST."



CHRISTOPHER L.
GRIFFIN
Griff, Griffin, Chris

ACTIVITIES:
ROWING 1, LEAD AMERICA MEDICINE
AND HEALTH CARE CONFERENCE 3,
GERMANY TRIP 4, GERMAN
EXCHANGE HOST 1&3, CHURCH
CHOIR 4, STUDENT TUTOR 3, SWM
TEAM 1

"THAT IF THOU SHALT CONFESS
WITH THY MOUTH THE LORD JESUS,
AND SHALT BELIEVE IN THINE HEART
THAT GOD HATH RAISED HIM FROM
THE DEAD, THOU SHALT BE SAVED."
ROMANS 10:9



CHRIS,
WE KNOW YOU WOULD BE
WONDERFUL AT WHAT EVER YOU
DO IN LIFE. WE ARE VERY
PROUD OF YOU AND YOUR
ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND
ACHIEVEMENTS IN YOUR LIFE. I
NEVER HAD A DOUBT THAT YOU
WOULD SUCCEED. YOUR FAITH IN
GOD AND SEEKING HIS WILL IN
YOUR LIFE BLESSES YOUR
FATHER AND ME. CONTINUE TO
SEEK GOD AND HIS WILL AND HE
WILL ALWAYS BE THERE FOR
YOU. WE LOVE YOU SO MUCH.
-MOM AND DAD

COREY, COR, CORGEL,
BUDDY.

WE COULD NOT HAVE
ASKED FOR A BETTER
LOVING SON THAN YOU.
WE ARE SO PROUD OF
YOU, IN ALL THAT YOU
HAVE ACCOMPLISHED IN
SCHOOL AND IN SPORTS.

WE WILL ALWAYS
SUPPORT YOU AND BE BY
YOUR SIDE FOR YOU.
SMILE AND ALWAYS BE
HAPPY.

WE LOVE YOU.
MOM AND DAD



COREY W. HAIGHT
*Cor, Debbie, Cordul,
Haight, Paper hole punch*

ACTIVITIES:
SOCCER 1-4, VARSITY
2-4, BASKETBALL 1-
4, BASEBALL 1-4,
Varsity 2-4

BELINDA J. HALL
B. Mouse

ACTIVITIES:

Varsity Cheerleading 2-4, JV Cheerleading 1, Division II Champs 2-3, Yearbook 1, Musical 2-4, Leadership Group 2-4, Vermont Youth Of The Year 4, Band 1-4, Chorus 3-4-

"PAIN IS TEMPORARY,
PRIDE IS FOREVER"

BELINDA,
YOU ARE AN AMAZING
GIRL, BUT YOU'LL
ALWAYS BE OUR
"MOUSE." WE KNOW
YOU WILL SUCCEED IN
ANY OF LIFE'S
CHALLENGES.
WE LOVE YOU,
MOM, DAD, SCOTT,
ELIZABETH,
LAWRENCE AND
DONALD



JESSICA L. HODDER
Jessie

ACTIVITIES:

VYOA 1, VTLSP 2-4, VTLSP
PRESIDENT 4, GOVERNORS
YOUTH LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE
3-4, . PEACE ONE DAY
COMMITTEE 3-4

"IF ONE ADVANCES
CONFIDENTLY IN THE
DIRECTION OF HIS DREAMS,
AND ENDEAVORS TO LIVE THE
LIFE WHICH HE HAS IMAGINED,
HE WILL MEET WITH A
SUCCESS UNEXPECTED IN
COMMON HOURS." - HENRY
DAVID THOREAU

JESSIE,
LIVE CONTENT WITH SMALL
MEANS, SEEK ELEGANCE
RATHER THAN LUXURY, AND
REFINEMENT RATHER THAN
FASHION. BE WORTHY, NOT
RESPECTABLE, AND BE
WEALTHY, NOT RICH. AND
FINALLY, LET THE SPIRITUAL,
UNBIDDEN, GROW UP
THROUGH THE COMMON.
LOVE MOM, DAD, AND NIKKI



**CHRISTOPHER
HOLWAGER**
Chris, Topher

ACTIVITIES:

BASKETBALL 1-4,
GOLF 2-4

"LIVE EACH AND
EVERY MOMENT TO
THE FULLEST."



CHRIS,
WE WISH YOU ALL
THE BEST IN LIFE.
WE'RE VERY
PROUD OF YOU!
LOVE,
MOM AND DAD

KATEE M. INGRAM

*Katelyn, Kate, Whirlwind,
Katherine, Eum*

ACTIVITIES:

CHEERLEADING 3-4, CAPT. 3,
BASKETBALL 1-2, SCHOOL PLAY 3,
ROTARY SPEECH COMP. 2, GERMAN
TRIP 4, PROM COMMITTEE 3, PROM
QUEEN 3, TUTOR 2-3, PEACE ONE DAY
4, RING COMMITTEE 2

"TAKE MY HAND, WE'LL MAKE IT I
SWEAR," -BON JOVI

"I CLOSE MY EYES AND ALL I SEE IS
YOU, I CAN RUN AND HIDE UNTIL THE
DAY I DIE, BUT YOU'LL FOLLOW ME,
YOUR LOVE IS HAUNTING ME."

-JOSH BROOKS

WHIRLWIND,

YOU CAME INTO MY LIFE
LIKE A WHIRLWIND WITH ALL
YOUR GIRLY GIRL WAYS AND
YOU TOOK ME BY SURPRISE
NOT KNOWING HOW TO DEAL
WITH YOU, BUT IN 3 YEARS
YOU HAVE TURNED INTO
QUITE A YOUNG LADY WITH
A LOT MORE TO GIVE THIS
WORLD. KEEP GOING ON
THE PATH YOU'RE ON.
GOOD LUCK WITH LIFE AND
REMEMBER YOU CAN
OVERCOME ANYTHING.
HAVE FAITH AND BE
STRONG.
LOVE YOU,
MARY



KASEE M. INGRAM

Spenny, Ingram K2, Jill 2, HGH

ACTIVITIES:

BASKETBALL 1-4, PROM COMMITTEE 3,
GERMAN CLUB 3-4, PROM QUEEN'S TWIN 3,
SCHOOL DANCES 1-4, YOUNG LIFE 3-4,
GIRL SCOUTS 1, PEER TUTORING 2-4, PEER
MENTORING 3-4, WINTERBALL COMMITTEE 4,
PROJECT GRAB 4, GRADUATION COMMITTEE
4

"SO MANY FACES IN AND OUT OF MY LIFE:
SOME WILL LAST, SOME WILL BE JUST
NOW AND THEN. LIFE IS A SERIES OF
HELLOS AND GOODBYES, I'M AFRAID IT'S
TIME FOR GOODBYE AGAIN."

KASEE, YOU HAVE GROWN INTO SUCH AN
AMAZING YOUNG LADY. YOU ARE SO
SMART AND I KNOW YOU CAN MAKE IT
THROUGH ANYTHING BECAUSE YOU ARE
VERY STRONG WILLED AND YOU KNOW
WHAT YOU WANT. I'M SO GLAD WE
BECAME FRIENDS THREE YEARS AGO. ROCK
OUT IN COLLEGE! MUCH LOVE!

-DAMI RAYMOND

P.S. MAKE SURE YOU KEEP IN TOUCH!

KASE, IT'S REALLY ALREADY HERE?
Wow...How HAVE YOU COME SO FAR SO
FAST? I REMEMBER FLYING YOU "LIKE
AIRPLANE" AND SITTING ON YOUR ARMS AND
TICKLING YOU UNTIL YOU HAD TEARS
ROLLING DOWN YOUR FACE, LIKE IT WAS
HONESTLY ONLY YESTERDAY! YOU'VE
CHANGED SO, IN SO MANY WONDERFUL
DIFFERENT WAYS. I REALLY WISH MOM
COULD'VE BEEN HERE, SHE'D BE SO PROUD,
SHE'D DEFINITELY BE BRAGGING ABOUT YOU
AND YOUR FUTURE, I DO! CONTINUE DOWN
THE PATH THAT YOU'RE ON. IT HOLDS
WONDERFUL SURPRISES AND
OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOU. I'M SURE MOM
WILL CONTINUE SMILING ABOUT THE
DECISIONS YOU'VE YET TO MAKE! EAT AN
APPLE A DAY.

P.S. I DON'T KNOW WHERE I WAS GOING
WITH THAT!

LOVE ALWAYS 'N FOREVER
YOUR SIS, KELLY

"PLAY, EAT, SLEEP,
THINK, LOVE, LAUGH,
ENJOY, GIVE MORE THAN
YOU TAKE."

...VERY PROUD OF YOU
MITCH...TAKE GOOD
CARE OF YOUR
CHARACTER.



**MITCHELL CAIN
JACKMAN**
Mitchy, Mitch, Mitchell

ACTIVITIES:

WRESTLING 1-4,
CROSS COUNTRY 1-4,
TRACK 2-4,
BASEBALL 1-2,
LACROSSE 4,
CRICKET 4

ANDREW D.
JACKSON
Andy

VOCATIONAL 3-4,
FFA 1



JENNIFER LYNN
JOHNSON
Jen, Jenny, Jennyfer

ACTIVITIES:

JV CHEERLEADING 1, VARSITY
CHEERLEADING 2-4, CAPTAIN 4, STATE
CHAMPS 2-3, VTLSF 2-3, WALDEN 4,
HOMECOMING FLOAT 1-2, NEYWC 3,
MENTORING 1-2+4, FRENCH TRIP 3,
BAND 1-3, DISTRICTS 1-2, BOYS &
GIRLS CLUB YOUTH CHEERLEADING
PROGRAM 3-4

"IN ORDER TO BE IRREPLACEABLE, ONE
MUST ALWAYS BE DIFFERENT."
-COCO CHANEL



GET EXCITED ABOUT WHO YOU ARE, WHAT
YOU'VE ACCOMPLISHED AND WHAT CAN
STILL BE AHEAD FOR YOU. BE INSPIRED
SEE THAT YOU CAN GO FAR BEYOND
WHERE YOU ARE RIGHT NOW."
LOVE YOU, DAD & BRENDA

JENNY, YOU HAVE EVOLVED INTO SUCH A
REMARKABLE YOUNG WOMAN, BEAUTIFUL
INSIDE AND OUT. AS I TOLD YOU WHEN
YOU WERE YOUNG, YOU CAN DO ANYTHING
YOU WANT. YOU'VE ALREADY SHOWN THAT
SO MUCH, NOT ONLY IN YOUR ACADEMIC
ACHIEVEMENTS, BUT MOSTLY IN THE WAYS
YOU HAVE DEALT WITH ADVERSITY...THE
TRUE MARK OF MATURITY. YOU ARE GOING
TO DO GREAT IN WHATEVER YOU DO AND
WHEREVER YOU GO.
ALL MY LOVE AND MORE, MOM

JENNY, I AM PROUD TO BE YOUR
STEPFATHER AND KNOW THAT YOU WILL
MAKE A PATH FOR YOURSELF IN LIFE AND
SUCCEED IN WHATEVER YOU DO. YOU ARE
BEAUTIFUL AND I LOVE YOU VERY MUCH.
LOVE, CATCH

KATHERINE M. JORDAN

ACTIVITIES:

MUSICAL 1-4, DISTRICTS
1-4, ALLSTATE 1-4,
NEW ENGLAND'S 1-4,
ALL-EASTERN 3, NHS 3-
4, COMMODORE
SINGERS 2-4,
COMMODORE YOUTH
ORCHESTRA 1-4, DRUM
MAJOR 3-4



"ALL THAT IS NOT
PERFECT DOWN TO
THE SMALLEST
DETAIL IS DOOMED TO
PERISH."
-GUSTAV MAHLER

DAVID RAYMOND KAUFFMAN

Davey, Daveybabey, Timol

ACTIVITIES:

BASEBALL 2-4, BASKETBALL 1-4, BAND 1-4, JAZZ BAND 1-4, RICK SAVAGE FAN CLUB 1-4, TYLER BOWEL'S MOVEMENT AND THE BURNSIDE'S ELECTRICITY GIRL'S CRICKET TEAM 4

"I'M DROWNING, BUT I DON'T CARE,
WHEN YOU GOT, WHAT I GOT,
WHAT I GOT, WHO NEEDS AIR?"
-THE CLASSIC CRIME

DAVID:

LOOKING BACK AT YOUR PICTURES,
AND THINKING ABOUT YOUR LIFE, IN
SOME WAYS, YOU ARE STILL THE
SAME: YOUR DEVILISHLY GOOD
LOOKS, YOUR WIDE-EYED WONDER
FOR YOUR WORLD, YOUR SIXTH
SENSE (HUMOR), AND YOUR
MAGNETIC PERSONALITY.

IN OTHER WAYS, YOU'VE GROWN SO
MUCH. WE ARE PROUD OF YOUR
DETERMINATION, YOUR INITIATIVE,
CONVICTION AND PASSION. YOU ARE
BECOMING A GREAT YOUNG MAN,
AND THESE TRAITS WILL SERVE YOU
WELL IN WHATEVER GOD CALLS YOU
TO DO. REMEMBER TO :LISTEN TO
COUNSEL AND RECEIVE INSTRUCTION
THAT YOU MAY BE WISE IN YOUR
LATTER YEARS" (PROV. 19:19).
DAVID. REMEMBER WHO YOU ARE.
WE LOVE YOU.
MOM AND DAD



MARGARET KENNEDY

ACTIVITIES:

CHICKEN PATTY FAN
CLUB 1-4, ART CLUB 3-
4, ZAC EFRON FAN
CLUB 2-4, S.A.M.M. 1-
4, FOOTLOOSE 1-4

"OH WHAT A FEELING
WHEN YOU'RE DANCING
ON THE CEILING."
-GLENN STORY

"WE'RE BREAKIN' FREE."
-TROY BOLTON

I LOVE YOU! YOU ARE
GREAT! GRAB THE WHEEL
AND HOLD ON TIGHT
YOU'RE IN FOR THE RIDE
OF YOUR LIFE. DON'T
FORGET TO PRAY!
CLOTHED IN STRENGTH
AND DIGNITY!

ALLYSON,

YOUR INNER STRENGTH
AND BEAUTY WILL ALWAYS
AMAZE US. WE HAVE
WATCHED YOU GROW INTO
AN ACCOMPLISHED YOUNG
WOMAN. WITH YOUR
DETERMINATION, THE
GOALS YOU HAVE SET FOR
THE FUTURE WILL BECOME
A REALITY. THE WORLD IS
WAITING FOR YOU...MAKE
IT SHINE!

LOTS OF LOVE,
MOM AND DAD



ALLYSON DEE KILBRIDE

Ally, Ally K., Kilbride

ACTIVITIES:

MENTOR 2-4, CHEERLEADER
2-3, CLASSROOM ASSISTANT
3-4

"A FRIEND IS SOMEONE
WHO DANCES WITH
YOU IN THE SUNLIGHT
AND WALKS BESIDE
YOU IN THE SHADOWS."

ALLEN ROSS LABERGE *Big-a*

ACTIVITIES:

BAND 1-4, JAZZ BAND 1-4, JV
BASKETBALL 1-2, VARSITY
BASKETBALL 3-4, JV BASEBALL 1,
BSA NATIONAL YOUTH LEADERSHIP
TRAINING 3, BSA SCOUTING 1-4,
BSA EAGLE SCOUT 4

"SEIZE THE OPPORTUNITIES AND
MAKE THE CHOICES THAT ARE
REWARDING AND SATISFYING TO
YOU. THAT IS OUR WISH FOR
YOU! WITH OUR LOVE AND
SUPPORT..."

MOM AND DAD

"AT A TIME WHEN WE STAND AT THE
BRINK OF OUR OWN DESTRUCTION-
STRENGTHEN YOUR BELIEF IN
YOURSELF, IN THE FUTURE OF
HUMANITY, IN THE THINGS OF THIS
WORLD WHICH CANNOT EASILY BE
PERCEIVED, AWAKEN THAT WHICH
LIES DORMANT NOW WITHIN YOUR
SOUL. RE-IGNITE THE FLAME OF
YOUR CONSCIOUSNESS, AND
MEASURE THE STRENGTH OF YOUR
CONVICTION. SEEK, FIND, AND
EMBRACE THE TRUTHS YOU ARE
FORTUNATE ENOUGH TO DISCOVER.

CHERISH THEM. USE THEM TO
ANCHOR YOU IN THE SEA OF CHAOS
THAT IS THE WORLD WE LIVE IN."

-DAVID DRAMAN

"I'M COLD, IS IT TIERED IN HERE?"

-ALEX HARRIS



JESSE LALUMIERE *Lumis, Lola, Lumi, M.J., Uncle Jesse*

ACTIVITIES:

TRACK 1, JV BASKETBALL
1, VARSITY BASKETBALL 2-
4, ADDISON COUNTY ALL
STATE BASKETBALL 3,
LAKE DIV. 2ND TEAM 3,
GOVERNOR'S INSTITUTE
SCIENCE/TECHNOLOGY 2,
MUSICAL 1-4, SWIMMING 1-
4 CAPT. 4, BOY SCOUTS
1-3, BOYS & GIRLS CLUB
3-4, MATH TUTOR 4

JESSE,

YOUR DETERMINATION AND
DOING YOUR BEST IN
WHATEVER YOU ATTEMPT
HAS MOLDED YOU INTO WHO
YOU ARE TODAY. LET THESE
TRAITS HELP YOU BECOME
THE MAN YOU WANT TO BE
AND REACH ALL THE GOALS
YOU SET FOR YOURSELF
THROUGHOUT LIFE. YOUR
INDEPENDENCE IS A GOOD
THING. WE ARE PROUD OF
YOU.

LOVE,

MOM, DAD, JUSTIN AND
JASON



GRACE LANGE *Gracie, Grace Face, Langerz*

ACTIVITIES:

SOCCER 1-4,
CHEERLEADING 1-3,
STUDENT COUNCIL VICE
PRESIDENT 1-4,
FRANCE EXCHANGE 4



"DETERMINE TO LIVE LIFE
WITH FLAIR AND
LAUGHTER."

-MAYA ANGELOU

WILLIAM LARROW
Bill

ACTIVITIES:
VOCATIONAL
CENTER 1-4,
ROWING 3

"HATE ME IF
YOU WANT TO,
BUT LOVE ME IF
YOU CAN."

WILLIAM,
YOU HAVE WORKED
VERY HARD TO
ACHIEVE YOUR GOALS-
WE ARE VERY PROUD
OF YOU. ALWAYS
REMEMBER WE ARE
HERE FOR YOU.
LOVE,
YOUR FAMILY



**ELIZABETH MARY
LIVINGSTONE**
Ellie, El, El Bell

ACTIVITIES:
VARSITY CHEERLEADING 1, MOST
IMPROVED CHEERLEADER 1, TOP GUN
STATE CHAMPIONS 1, HONOR ROLL 1-4,
CHORUS 1, MUSICAL 2, HUMAN SERVICES
3, NATIONAL TECHNICAL HONOR SOCIETY
3-4, FUNKY JAZZ 1-2, ADVANCED FUNKY
JAZZ 3-4, TEEN TAP 2-4, ART CLUB 4,
SNOWBOARDING TEAM 4

"IF YOU LOVE SOMEONE DEEPLY
ENOUGH, ANYTHING IS POSSIBLE."

-BRIGADOON
"WHEREVER YOU GO, GO WITH ALL
YOUR HEART."

DEAR ELLIE,

YOU WERE SUCH A UNIQUE AND
WONDERFUL LITTLE GIRL. YOU BROUGHT
JOY TO US ALL, AND ALWAYS MADE
EVERYTHING SO INTERESTING. A
GENUINE, LOVING, DAUGHTER, AND A
TERRIFIC SISTER. YOU'VE ALWAYS HAD
SUCH A GREAT STYLE ABOUT YOU. I'VE
LOVED WATCHING YOU GROW UP, AND
I'VE LOVED BEING YOUR FATHER.

YOU'RE NOW A SMART, BEAUTIFUL,
TALENTED YOUNG WOMAN, AND I'M SO
PROUD OF YOU. CONGRATULATIONS ON
YOUR GRADUATION. YOUR FUTURE IS
VERY BRIGHT.
LOVE, DAD

ELLIE,

YOU ARE THE LIGHT OF MY LIFE. EVERY
DAY YOU AMAZE ME WITH YOUR SMILE,
LAUGH, BEAUTY, SENSITIVITY, AND
DEPTH OF UNDERSTANDING OF THE
WORLD AROUND YOU. I ALWAYS KNEW
YOU'D BE AN AMAZING ADULT!
CONGRATULATIONS!
LOVE, MOM

DERRICK MARDIN

ACTIVITIES:
JV BASKETBALL 1,
VARSITY BASKETBALL
2-4

"EVERYBODY'S AT
WAR WITH
DIFFERENT
THINGS...I'M AT WAR
WITH MY OWN HEART
SOMETIMES."
-TUPAC SHAKUR



JOSEPH BRANDON MARSZALKOWSKI

JoJo, Joe, Joey

ACTIVITIES:
FFA 1-4, ACM 2-4,
MENTORING 3-4,
WRESTLING 4

"A MAN'S WORK IS
NOTHING BUT THIS
SLOW TREK TO
REDISCOVER,
THROUGH THE
DETOURS OF ART,
THOSE TWO OR
THREE GREAT AND
SIMPLE IMAGES IN
WHOSE PRESENCE
HIS HEART FIRST
OPENED."

-ALBERT CAMUS



ANDREW MARTELL

Andy

ACTIVITIES:
BASKETBALL 1, SOCCER
1, VOCATIONAL 3-4

"I COULDN'T LIVE
WITHOUT DISTURBING
SOMEBODY."

ANDY,
TO OUR DIAMOND IN THE
ROUGH! WE ARE SO
VERY PROUD OF YOU.
YOU'RE GROWING INTO A
FINE YOUNG FELLOW.
ALWAYS MAKE YOUR
CHOICES WISELY AND
ALWAYS TRY TO TAKE
THE BEST ROUTE
POSSIBLE IN LIFE.
CONGRATULATIONS TO
YOU!

ALL OUR LOVE AND
BEST WISHES ALWAYS,
MOM, DAD, AMANDA,
TONE' AND ZANDER
TOO...



RYE THOMAS MATTHEWS

Ryeguy

ACTIVITIES:
JV SOCCER 1, VARSITY 3-
4, TRACK 1, JV BASEBALL
1-2, VARSITY GOLF 3-4,
HANNAFORD CAREER
CENTER 3, SKILLS USA 3,
NEYWC AT BREADLOAF 3-
4, STUDENT BAND 1-4,
OPEN MICS 2-4, WALDEN 4



"MY BODY IS THE
EARTH, BUT MY
HEAD IS IN THE
STARS."

-HAROLD AND
MAUDE

RYE,
CARPÉ SKIUM!
LOVE,
MOM

LILY MAXHAM

Lil

ACTIVITIES:
VARSITY CHEERLEADING
1-4, FLOAT BUILDING 1-
4, TEEN CONGRESS 1-
2, JV SOCCER 1-2, 4-H
1-2, GSA 3-4, HISTORY
DAY 1 & 3, NUTRITION
COMMITTEE 3-4, STEP IT
UP DAY 4

"THERE IS NO WAY TO
PEACE, PEACE IS THE
WAY."

-AJ MUSTE

"NOT ALL THOSE WHO
WANDER ARE LOST."
-JRR TOLKIEN

TO LILY:
IN THE WORLD,
YOU ARE ONE
PERSON; BUT TO
YOUR PARENTS,
YOU ARE THE
WORLD.
LOVE, MOM AND
DAD



MELISSA BRITTANY MERTENS

Missy

ACTIVITIES:
BAND 1, CHORUS 1-3, KNITTING CLUB
1, UP TO FRENCH IV

"TODAY IS THE GREATEST DAY I'VE
EVER KNOWN. CAN'T LIVE FOR
TOMORROW, TOMORROW'S MUCH
TOO LONG."

"TODAY, THE SMASHING PUMPKINS

"I DON'T WANT TO FARE YOU OUT,
TAKE OR BRAKE OR FORSAKE YOU
OUT. I AM LOOKIN' FOR YOU TO
FELL LIKE ME. SEE LIKE ME OR BE
LIKE ME. ALL I REALLY WANT TO
DO, IS, BABY, BE FRIENDS WITH
YOU."

"ALL I REALLY WANT TO DO, BOB
DYLAN

THIS IS MY MESSAGE TO YOU AS YOU ARE GRADUATING
FROM SCHOOL/CHILDHOOD AND BECOMING AN
INCREDIBLE YOUNG WOMAN THAT I AM SO DEEPLY PROUD
OF! YOU HAVE THE POWER AND SPIRIT TO ACHIEVE
ANYTHING YOU SET YOUR HEART ON MISSY...EMBRACE
THAT PASSION AND LIVE YOUR DREAMS!!
I LOVE YOU,
MOMMY

MY DAUGHTER
YOU'LL NEVER REALLY KNOW, MY DEAR,
JUST HOW MUCH YOU MEAN TO ME.
A MOTHER'S LOVE, NEVER SO DEEP,
THAT ONLY MY HEART CAN SEE.

WHEN I SLEEP AND REALLY THINK OF YOU,
ALL I CAN DO IS CRY,
SOMEBODY DOWN DEEP INSIDE,
I SEE MYSELF WITH YOU.

I'D NEVER CHANGE A THING IF I COULD.
I THANK GOD THAT YOU'RE SO FINE,
EVEN WHEN YOUR AT YOUR WORST,
I'M SO PROUD THAT YOU ARE MINE.

THE ROADS WE HAVE TRAVELED,
WERE NOT ALWAYS THAT GOOD,
I WOULD HAVE SAID ALL THE PAIN YOU'VE FELT,
ONLY IF I COULD.

I KNOW THAT I'M NOT PERFECT,
IT'S THE BEST THAT I CAN DO,
BUT EVERYDAY, I THINK THE LORD,
FOR A DAUGHTER AS SPECIAL AS YOU.

SARA BETH MESSENGER

Sadie

SADIE...
-WHAT LIES BEHIND US
AND WHAT LIES BEFORE US
ARE TINY MATTERS
COMPARED TO
WHAT LIES WITHIN US-

CONGRATULATIONS! WE
LOVE YOU AND ARE PROUD
OF YOU.
BESOS,
MOM, DAD, AND CLAY



ACTIVITIES:
BASKETBALL 2, SOCCER 2,
DANCE 1-4, VTLSP/SADD
1, ART CLUB 1, PROJECTO
NINAS 1-2, MWB'S 2-3,
DANCE CLUB 1

"THE PRIVILEGE OF A LIFETIME IS
BEING WHO YOU ARE."

-JOSEPH CAMPBELL

JOSHUA A. MILLER

Shmilla

ACTIVITIES:
ANIME CLUB 2-4

"AS IF YOU COULD KILL
TIME WITHOUT INJURING
ETERNITY."

-HENRY DAVID THOREAU



SAMANTHA JULIA

MARIE MILLER

Sam, Sammy, Samalama

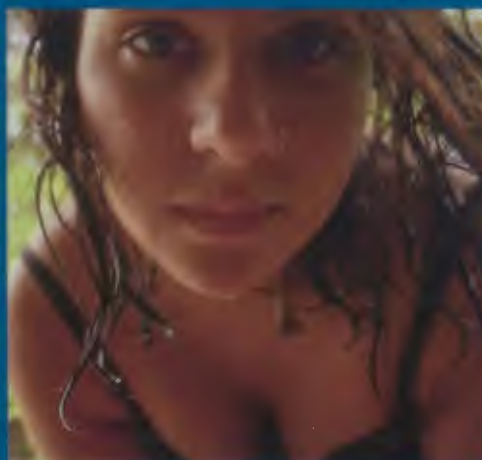
"FRIENDSHIP IS ONE MIND
IN TWO BODIES."

"NO BOY IS WORTH
CRYING OVER AND THE
ONE WHO IS WON'T
MAKE YOU CRY."

DEAR SAM,
YOU ARE THE LIGHT
OF MINE AND YOUR
BROTHER'S LIFE. AS
YOU MOVE FORWARD
IN LIFE ALWAYS
FOLLOW YOUR
DREAMS, EVEN IF
PEOPLE TELL YOU
YOU'LL FAIL. THEY
ARE JUST TOO SCARED
TO FOLLOW THEIRS.
AS LONG AS YOUR
LIFE IS FILLED WITH
LOVE AND LAUGHTER
YOU WILL BE
SUCCESSFUL.
WITH LOVE AND PRIDE,
MOM AND NICK



JESSICA A. MORRISH



DYLAN K. MYRICK

Dyl. Spyrick

ACTIVITIES:

HCC 1, WRESTLING 2, PAINTBALL
1-4

"LOOK AT THE FACTS OF THE WORLD. YOU
SEE A CONTINUAL AND PROGRESSIVE TRIUMPH
OF THE RIGHT. I DO NOT PRETEND TO
UNDERSTAND THE MORAL UNIVERSE; THE ARC
IS A LONG ONE; MY EYE REACHES BUT LITTLE
WAYS; I CAN NOT CALCULATE THE CURVE
AND COMPLETE THE FIGURE BY THE
EXPERIENCE OF SIGHT; I CAN DIVINE IT BY
CONSCIENCE. AND FROM WHAT I SEE I AM
SURE IT BENDS TOWARDS JUSTICE. THINGS
REFUSE TO BE MISMANAGED LONG."

-UNKNOWN

TOO MUCH FUN, WHAT'S
THAT?

-EVAN PAYNE

DYL,

EVERY MAN HAS HIS OWN
THOUGHTS, BELIEFS, VALUES, AND A
DEGREE OF STUBBORNNESS. ANY
MAN WHO STAYS TRUE TO THEM HAS
MORE THAN THOSE WHO "JUST PLAY
THE GAME." YOU'LL DO WELL
BECAUSE WE THINK YOU WANT TO.
THE YEARS OF PARENTAL NAGGING
ARE WINDING DOWN, BUT GOOD
ADVICE WILL ALWAYS BE THERE FOR
YOU TO USE AT YOUR DISCRETION.
WE LOVE YOU DYL, AND ARE VERY
PROUD OF YOU EVERY DAY.

LOVE,

MOM AND DAD



CODY NARY

Narwal, Narbaby

ACTIVITIES:

BASKETBALL 1-3,
TRACK 1, WRESTLING
4, LACROSSE 2-4

"YOU HAVE TWO EARS
AND ONE MOUTH, THAT
MEANS YOU NEED TO
LISTEN TWICE AS
MUCH AS YOU TALK."

CODY,

REMEMBER STARTING AT
VERGENNES? (MOMMA I'M COMIN'
HOME...) THE LONG TRIPS BACK AND
FORTH TO CHELSEA WERE TOUGH BUT
YOU WERE TOUGHER. YOU DIDN'T
COMPLAIN DESPITE STAYING AT A
DIFFERENT HOUSE, BUS, ETC. WEEK
AFTER WEEK.

SIX YEARS HAVE FLOWN AND YOU
HAVE GROWN, FROM BOY TO MAN.
YOUR LEADERSHIP IN SPORTS HAS NOT
GONE UNNOTICED - CAPTAIN IN
BASKETBALL AND LACROSSE. YOUR
QUIET STRENGTH HAS EARNED THE
RESPECT OF MANY BUT NONE MORE
THAN YOUR TWO LITTLE BROTHERS.

IT IS NOT OFTEN THAT YOU NEED
HELP BUT YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS
WILL ALWAYS BE THERE WHEN YOU
NEED THEM (TO PROTECT YOU FROM
KILLER TARPON FOR INSTANCE).
WE LOVE YOU AND ARE PROUD OF
YOU.
MOM AND DAD



MINDI "MIN",
WOW! ALL THE MEMORIES
WE HOLD OF OUR LITTLE
GIRL AND NOW SHE'S
BECOME A BEAUTIFUL
YOUNG LADY! WE KNOW YOU
WILL BE VERY SUCCESSFUL
IN LIFE. BELIEVE IN
YOURSELF AND SET YOUR
GOALS HIGH. WE ARE
EXTREMELY PROUD OF YOU
AND YOUR
ACCOMPLISHMENTS! WE
LOVE YOU SO MUCH!

LOVE,

MOM, DAD, ANDREW AND
HALIE



MINDI L. NOLAN

Min, Babygirl

ACTIVITIES:

JV SOCCER 1-2, VARSITY SOCCER 3-
4, STATE CHAMPION 3, JV
BASKETBALL 1-2, VARSITY
BASKETBALL 4, YEARBOOK 4,
VOCATIONAL 3, FLOAT BUILDING 1-4,
TEACHER HELPER 4

"LIFE DOESN'T ALWAYS GO THE
WAY YOU WANT BUT LIVE IT TO
THE FULLEST, YOU NEVER KNOW
WHAT TOMORROW MIGHT BRING."

KODY S. NORTH *Big North, Viking*

ACTIVITIES:

WRESTLING 2-4, SAILING,
BIKING, MOUNTAINEERING,
DIVING, SEA CADETS 2-4,
SWONEC (SPECIAL
WARFARE OPERATIONS
NEW ENGLAND
CANDIDATES), SWIMMING



"BUT WHEN A LONG
TRAIN OF ABUSES
AND USURPATIONS,
PURSUING
INVARIABLY THE
SAME OBJECT,
EVINCES A DESIGN
TO REDUCE THEM
UNDER ABSOLUTE
DESPOTISM, IT IS
THEIR RIGHT, IT IS
THEIR DUTY, TO
THROW OFF SUCH
GOVERNMENT AND
TO PROVIDE NEW
GUARDS FOR THEIR
FUTURE SECURITY." -
THE CONSTITUTION
OF THE UNITED
STATES OF AMERICA

WILLIAM D. NORTHROP *Billy, B-Nutz, Northrupion*

ACTIVITIES:

SNOWBOARD TEAM 2-4,
HOMECOMING FLOAT 1-4, OPEN
MIC 3-4, PEACE ONE DAY 2-4,
YEARBOOK PHOTOGRAPHER 2-4,
VERGENNES SKATE PARK
COMMITTEE 2-4, GERMAN
EXCHANGE 3-4, PEACE
COMMITTEE 2, TOWN SKATE
PARK COMMITTEE 3-4,
HURRICANE KATRINA RELIEF 2

"LOVE YOUR LIFE."
~ATMOSPHERE

"FEAR NOTHING, TAKE
CHANCES." ~JOHN CENA

HEY GUY,
WE ARE PROUD OF YOU
AND ALL THAT YOU
HAVE DONE. GROWING
UP IS HARD AND WE
WOULD ALL LIKE TO
STAY KIDS. YOU ARE A
FINE YOUNG MAN AND
WE KNOW YOU WILL
HAVE A GOOD LIFE.
LOVE YA,
PAPA AND MAMA



DYLAN R. OUELLETTE *Dyl, Dylt, Pickle, Dylster*

ACTIVITIES:

VOCATIONAL 1, 3-4,
AUTOMOTIVE TRADES 3-4

"THERE'S SOMETHING
WOMEN LIKE ABOUT
A PICK UP MAN."



DYLAN,
YOU HAVE BROUGHT A
GREAT DEAL OF JOY TO
MANY LIVES. GO FOR WHAT
YOU WANT IN LIFE. IT HAS
BEEN A PLEASURE WATCHING
YOU BECOME WHO YOU ARE
TODAY. WE ARE PROUD OF
YOU. ALWAYS REMEMBER TO
LAUGH.
FOREVER,
MOM AND SAIGE

DYLAN,
ALWAYS REMEMBER
GRANDMA'S HAPPY PIE!
LOVE,
GRANDMA AND POPPI

JASMINE E. PARKS

Jas, Jazzy

ACTIVITIES:

SOFTBALL 1, STUDENT
COUNCIL 1

"LIFE'S MOMENTS ARE
NOT MEASURED BY THE
NUMBER OF BREATHS
YOU TAKE, BUT BY THE
MOMENTS THAT TAKE
YOUR BREATH AWAY."

BABY GIRL,

YOU ARE AND ALWAYS
HAVE BEEN LOVED FROM
THE 1ST DAY. I AM VERY
PROUD OF YOU FOR
HANGING IN AND
FINISHING WHAT WE
STARTED. GO FORTH
WITH GREAT
DETERMINATION!!

AS ALWAYS,
LOVE, MOM

"TO WHICH REALM SHALL
I BE QUEEN?" SHE
ASKED. THEY
ANSWERED, "WE ASK
ONLY THAT YOU SHOW
KINDNESS, TRUTH AND
LOVE TO YOUR LOYAL
SUBJECTS."



MARYBETH PARTINGTON *Bethel*

ACTIVITIES:

GERMAN CLUB 2-4,
UPWARD BOUND 1-4,
MUSICAL 1, BAND 1-4,
PROJECT GRAD 4,
GRADUATION
COMMITTEE 4

"THE EARLY BIRD GETS
THE WORM. THE SECOND
MOUSE GETS THE
CHEESE."

"PEOPLE DON'T CHANGE
THINGS, THINGS CHANGE
PEOPLE."

MARYBETH:

YOUR INSIGHT INTO PEOPLE
AND ABILITY TO BE A
PEACEMAKER ARE 2
STRENGTHS THAT I ADMIRE IN
YOU! YOU MAKE A DIFFERENCE
TO THOSE AROUND YOU. I AM
VERY PROUD OF THE PERSON
YOU HAVE BECOME. BE GOOD
TO YOURSELF AS THE NEXT
CHAPTER IN YOUR LIFE
BEGINS.
LOVE,
MOM

MELISSA:
I AM SO PROUD OF YOU AND
WHAT YOU HAVE
ACCOMPLISHED IN HIGH
SCHOOL. YOU HAVE STAYED
TRUE TO YOUR BELIEFS AND
STOOD TALL FOR WHAT IS
RIGHT. YOUR WILLINGNESS TO
WORK HARD WILL MAKE YOUR
DREAMS COME TRUE.

REMEMBER TO ENJOY THE
JOURNEY THAT YOU ARE ON.
ALL MY LOVE,
MOM



MELISSA PARTINGTON *Tingo, Ting-Ting*

ACTIVITIES:

HISTORY DAY 1-2 & 4, UPWARD
BOUND 1-4, YOUTH GROUP 2-4,
GRADUATION COMMITTEE 4,
PROJECT GRAD 4

"MY BOXES GIVE ME A
WORLD OF COMPLETE
HAPPINESS."
-JOSEPH C.

KYLE R. PIXLEY PIX, MEGAN-PIXEL

ACTIVITIES:

BAND 1-4, GERMAN EXCHANGE 4,
EAGLE SCOUT, PEOPLE TO PEOPLE
STUDENT AMBASSADOR PROGRAM
JAPAN TRIP 2007

"PARENTS ARE THE LAST PEOPLE ON
EARTH WHO OUGHT TO HAVE
CHILDREN." -SAMUEL BUTLER

"I INTEND TO LIVE FOREVER. SO FAR,
SO GOOD."

-STEVEN WRIGHT

DEAR KYLE,

YOU ARE A ONE-OF-A-KIND
SON. WITH YOUR UNIQUE
SENSE OF HUMOR, YOU
HAVE FILLED US WITH
TEARS OF LAUGHTER. WE
WISH YOU THE BEST OF
LUCK IN ACCOMPLISHING
ALL YOUR DREAMS. MAY
YOUR HEART BE FILLED
WITH PEACE AND LOVE
AND ALWAYS REMEMBER
GOD LOVES YOU.

LOVE,

DAD, MOM, MATT &
KAYLA

P.S. Wait! What?



ABBEY PLANKEY *Abbeyplankey. Plankey. Abbs*

ACTIVITIES:

SOCCER 1-2, ART CLUB 3-4,
TOTAL BLAZER 1-4, PIRATIEST
1-4, TOP NINJA 1, ZAC
EFRON FAN CLUB 1-4, LOSER
1, CHICKEN PATTY FAN CLUB
1-4, BAKERS OF BOMBASTIC
COOKIES 3-4, FOOTLOOSE 1-
4, FLUTTER BY CHASING CLUB
3, A.R.T. 3-4, S.A.M.M.
CLUB 1-4, YEARBOOK 3-4,
PEACE ONE DAY 1-4, HUG
DAY 2-4

"WE'RE BREAKIN' FREE!" -ZAC
EFRON

"YES. SPINAL TAP. GOOD
MOVIE!"

-GLENDA STORY

"EXPECT EVERYTHING FOR THE
UNEXPECTED WON'T HAPPEN."
-THE PHANTOM TOLLBOOTH

AB,

TO MY BLUE AND YELLOW
SHOE GIRL. YOUR ONE OF A
KIND, A TOTAL INDIVIDUAL.
NEVER CHANGE. REACH FOR
THE STARS AND YOU'LL
BECOME ONE. GOOD LUCK
AND BEST WISHES WITH ZAC
EFRON.
I LOVE YOU,
MOMMY

EMILY V. POQUETTE *Emmy-Wemmy, Michiko*

ACTIVITIES:

DISTRICTS 1-4, MUSICAL BACKSTAGE 1,
MUSICAL PIT 3-4, VYO PHILHARMONIC 4,
HISTORY CLUB 2-4, HISTORY DAY 2-4,
ALL STATES 3-4, BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB
VOLUNTEER 4, BAND/CHORUS PRESIDENT
4, NEW ENGLAND FESTIVAL 4, PLYMOUTH
BAND FESTIVAL 4, GRADUATION
COMMITTEE 4, BAND 1-4, CHORUS 3-4,
SCHOOL-TO-WORK 4, VARSITY PEP BAND
4, ANIME CLUB 3

"MUSIC IS THE DIVINE WAY TO TELL
BEAUTIFUL, POETIC THINGS TO THE
HEART."

-PABLO CASALS



"MUSIC IS MORAL LAW. IT GIVES SOUL TO THE
UNIVERSE, WINGS TO THE MIND, FLIGHT TO
THE IMAGINATION, AND CHARM AND GAIETY TO
LIFE AND TO EVERYTHING."

-PLATO

DEAR EMILY,

WELL, 18 YEARS HAVE GONE BY SO QUICKLY.
I KNEW THE MINUTE YOU WERE BORN AND
DEMANDING TO BE FED THAT YOU WERE GOING
TO BE A WOMAN WITH A MIND OF HER OWN.
YOU HAVE SHOWN ME WHAT AN AMAZING AND
TALENTED PERSON YOU ARE. YOU HAVE
ALWAYS HAD AN UNUSUAL ATTENTION SPAN
AND THAT HAS SHOWN IN THE FACT THAT YOU
COULD READ BEFORE YOU STARTED
KINDERGARTEN, YOUR ARTISTIC ABILITIES AND
YOUR MUSICAL TALENT. IT SHOWS THAT
THERE IS A LOT MORE TO YOU THAN JUST
BEAUTIFUL RED HAIR. SO EMILY, I KNOW THAT
YOU ARE GOING TO SUCCEED IN WHATEVER
PATH YOU CHOOSE AND I WILL BE HERE TO
SUPPORT YOU. ENJOY YOUR COMPANY AND
WATCH YOU GROW INTO A LOVELY WOMAN.

I LOVE YOU,
MOM

**ALLISON DANIELLE
PREDOM**
Allie, Ferris

ACTIVITIES:

CHEERLEADING 1-3, STATE CHAMP
2-3, GSA 3, ART CLUB 4

"BOYS ARE OKAY, BUT I LIKE
SWIMMING BETTER."

-DR. JOSEPH D.L. CHUGG

"THEY SAY THE PEOPLE IN YOUR LIFE
ARE SEASONS, AND ANYTHING THAT
HAPPENS IS FOR A REASON."

-KANYE WEST

ALLISON,
THESE TWO QUOTES
FROM WALT DISNEY SUM
IT UP.

"ALL YOUR DREAMS CAN
COME TRUE IF YOU HAVE
THE COURAGE TO PURSUE
THEM."

"THE MORE YOU LIKE
YOURSELF, THE LESS YOU
ARE LIKE ANYONE ELSE,
WHICH MAKES YOU
UNIQUE."

WE ARE PROUD OF YOU
AND WE LOVE YOU.

-DAD, SHELLY, JESSICA
& SIERRA



JOSHUA B. PRESSON
*Preston, Morning Dove,
Elvis, Beauregard*

ACTIVITIES:

LACROSSE 2-4, SOCCER 1-
4, STUDENT COUNCIL 3-4,
DRUM MAJOR 2-4, JAZZ
BAND 1-4, HOCKEY 1-4,
INDOOR LACROSSE 3-4,
BAND 1-4, BAND BUS
CAPTAIN, HOMECOMING 1-4,
PROM COMMITTEE CO-
CHAIR, CHAMPLAIN
DISCOVERY, VUHS PRANK
TEAM, BAND RECYCLING
CAPTAIN

"YOU'VE GOT TO GO TO THE NET
IF YOU WANT TO SCORE."

-TOM MCVIE

JOSH,
YOU'VE ACCOMPLISHED GREAT
THINGS IN HIGH SCHOOL, AND HAD
A LOT OF FUN WITH A FANTASTIC
GROUP OF FRIENDS. BUT MOST
IMPORTANT, YOU'VE GROWN INTO
A THOUGHTFUL, FUNNY,
COMPASSIONATE YOUNG PERSON
WITH THE CAPACITY TO DO
WHATEVER YOU WANT IN LIFE.
WE ARE VERY PROUD OF YOU
AND WISH YOU ALL THE BEST IN
LIFE AFTER HIGH SCHOOL.
LOVE, MOM AND DAD

DEAR TANNER,

OVER THE PAST 17 YEARS YOU'VE TAUGHT
ME THAT PARENTING IS A TRICKY BALANCE OF
HOLDING ON AND LETTING GO. IN THE
BEGINNING I FELT LIKE I WAS FLYING BY THE
SEAT OF MY PANTS, BUT SOON CAME TO
REALIZE IT WAS REALLY MORE LIKE FEELING MY
WAY THROUGH THE DARK. HOPING THAT EVER
DECISION I MADE WAS THE "RIGHT" ONE AND
WOULDN'T SOMEHOW SCAR YOU FOR LIFE!
ALTHOUGH AT TIMES IT WAS DIFFICULT FOR ME
TO FIND THAT BALANCE, EACH PHASE SEEMED
A NATURAL PROGRESSION FOR YOU AS YOU
DEVELOPED INTO A CONFIDENT, CREATIVE, AND
CARING YOUNG MAN. LOOKING AT YOU NOW I
CAN'T HELP BUT THINK I MUST HAVE DONE
SOMETHING REALLY GREAT TO DESERVE A SON
LIKE YOU. I THANK GOD EVERY NIGHT FOR
SENDING YOU TO ME. I'M VERY PROUD TO BE
YOUR MOM.

I LOVE YOU.

-MOM

P.S. ALWAYS BE YOURSELF-UNIQUE IS GOOD.



TANNER PRICE
Tan-butt

ACTIVITIES:

BASEBALL 1-4,
BASKETBALL 1,
SNOWBOARDING 2-4, ART
CLUB 3-4

"DAVID HASSELHOFF IS
HUGE IN GERMANY!"

-MR. DEBLOIS

ERIN A. PROVOST

Er Bear, Bear, Erin Audrey

ACTIVITIES:

JV BASKETBALL 1, VARSITY BASKETBALL 2-4, BASKETBALL STATE CHAMPION 2, BAND 1-4, BAND TREASURER 3-4, MUSICAL 1-4, YEARBOOK 4, AAU BASKETBALL 1-4, LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE 2, OUTDOOR TRACK 1-2, BLOOD DRIVE 4, AMERICAN LEGION LAW ENFORCEMENT CADET TRAINING PROGRAM 3, NHS 4, PEACE ONE DAY 4, CRICKET 4, PEP BAND 4

"TO BE NOBODY BUT YOURSELF IN A WORLD THAT'S DOING ITS BEST TO MAKE YOU SOMEBODY ELSE, IS TO FIGHT THE HARDEST BATTLE YOU ARE EVER GOING TO FIGHT. NEVER STOP FIGHTING."

-E. E. CUMMINGS

ERIN, WE ARE VERY PROUD OF THE YOUNG WOMAN YOU ARE BECOMING. WE KNOW THAT YOU WORK VERY HARD NO MATTER WHERE YOU ARE: IN THE BAND ROOM OR ON STAGE, BACKSTAGE DURING A PLAY, ON THE BASKETBALL COURT, AT YOUR JOB, AND OF COURSE IN THE CLASSROOM. WE WILL CONTINUE TO SUPPORT YOU IN YOUR FUTURE ENDEAVORS AND WE LOVE YOU VERY MUCH.

-DAD & MOM

I COULD NEVER ASK FOR A BETTER SISTER. YOU HAVE HELPED ME THROUGH SO MANY PROBLEMS, BIG AND SMALL. I KNOW THAT I CAN TALK TO YOU ABOUT ANYTHING AND YOU WILL ALWAYS GIVE ME YOUR OPINION WHETHER I LIKE IT OR NOT. YOU ENCOURAGE ME IN EVERYTHING I DO AND I WILL ALWAYS SUPPORT YOU IN THE THINGS YOU DO. THANK YOU SO MUCH BEAR! LOVE YOU FOREVER!

-ALLIE



DANIELLE ASHLEY RAYMOND

Dani, Jill 1

"LAUGH YOUR HEART OUT AND DANCE IN THE RAIN. CHERISH THE MEMORIES, IGNORE THE PAIN. LOVE AND LEARN, FORGET AND FORGIVE BECAUSE REMEMBER YOU ONLY HAVE ONE LIFE TO LIVE."

"LIFE COMES WITH NO GUARANTEES, NO TIME OUTS, NO SECOND CHANCES. YOU JUST HAVE TO LIVE LIFE TO THE FULLEST. LAUGH AS MUCH AS YOU CAN, DARE TO BE DIFFERENT, FALL ASLEEP WATCHING THE SUN COME UP, SMILE UNTIL YOUR FACE HURTS, DON'T BE AFRAID TO TAKE CHANCES AND MOST OF ALL LIVE IN THE MOMENT BECAUSE WHEN YOU LOOK BACK SOMEDAY KNOWING YOU HAVE NO REGRETS IT'S GOING TO BE WHAT MAKES YOU SMILE."

DANIELLE (PRINCESS).

AS I REMEMBER YOU GROWING UP, TRIPS TO THE EMERGENCY ROOM KEEP POPPING INTO MY HEAD. A BUTTON UP YOUR NOSE, A FISHHOOK, AND KAYLA'S BIKE RIDE! IT'S HARD TO BELIEVE YOU'RE GRADUATING! YOU'RE MOM WOULD HAVE BEEN SO PROUD, BUT ALWAYS REMEMBER, NO MATTER WHERE YOU'RE DREAMS MAY TAKE YOU, I LOVE YOU.

LOVE,
DAD

HEATHER M. REGNAUD

Heath, Heather Lynn

ACTIVITIES:

JV CHEERLEADING 1, JV SOFTBALL 1-2, SNOWBOARD TEAM 2-4, SPRING FLING COMMITTEE 1, ART CLUB TRIP 3-4, ART CLUB 4, HOMECOMING FLOAT BUILDING 2-4, HOMECOMING PARADE 2-4

LIVE A GOOD LIFE. IT'S NOT HOW MANY YEARS ARE IN YOUR LIFE, IT'S HOW MUCH LIFE IS IN THOSE YEARS.



HEATHER, WE ARE SO VERY PROUD OF YOU. YOU ARE AN INTELLIGENT, RESPONSIBLE, CREATIVE YOUNG WOMAN.

YOU CAN ACCOMPLISH WHATEVER YOU SET YOUR MIND TO. YOU HAVE A GREAT DEAL TO OFFER THIS WORLD. BELIEVE IN YOURSELF AND FOLLOW YOUR DREAMS. KEEP SMILING SWEETIE, WE LOVE YOU AND WE WILL ALWAYS BE THERE FOR YOU.

LOVE,
MOM & DAD

JORDAN L. ROBERTS
Jorge

ACTIVITIES:
ART CLUB 3-4,
CHEERLEADING 1,
ADMINISTRATIVE ART
ASSISTANT 4



RUTH ROBTOT

ACTIVITIES:
GERMAN CLUB 2-4,
NHS 3-4, GERMAN
EXCHANGE 3-4

MY DOG IS SMARTER
THAN YOUR HONOR
STUDENT.

LOVE AP BIOLOGY!

RUTH,

IT SEEMS IMPOSSIBLE TO THINK
18 YEARS HAVE PASSED. YOU
WERE A VERY BEAUTIFUL BABY.
YOU HAVE BECOME AN EVEN
MORE BEAUTIFUL LADY. YOU
HAVE CONQUERED MANY TRIALS
AND HARDSHIPS AND STILL
REMAIN SWEET, KIND, AND
LOVING. THESE HAVE HELPED TO
FORM YOU INTO A STRONG
PERSON WHO CAN BE TRUE TO
YOURSELF AND FAIR TO OTHERS
AT ALL TIMES. YOUR SENSITIVITY
AND INSIGHT INTO ANIMAL'S
FEELINGS WILL HELP YOU GO
FAR IN YOUR VETERINARY
CAREER. I AM SO PROUD OF YOU!
LOTS OF LOVE,
MOM



AMANDA J. ROORDA
Mandy

ACTIVITIES:
FFA 2-4

"OH MAN WE WERE LIVIN,
SITTIN' THERE REMINISCING
YEAH, WE SANG AND
TALKED AND TRAVELED
BACK IN TIME. WE
LAUGHED UNTIL WE
CRIED."

-JASON ALDEAN



REBECCA D.
RUGGLES
Becky, B Ruggs, Reba



ACTIVITIES:
VARSITY
CHEERLEADING 1,
SNOWBOARDING
TEAM 2-4, GSA 3-
4, ART CLUB 4,
SOFTBALL 1-2

"WHAT LIES
BEFORE US AND
WHAT LIES AFTER
US ARE TINY
MATTERS
COMPARED TO
WHAT LIES WITHIN
US."

CHRIS SANFORD
Buddy

"HOW I WISH, HOW I
WISH YOU WERE HERE.
WE'RE JUST TWO LOST
SOULS, SWIMMING IN A
FISH BOWL, YEAR AFTER
YEAR. RUNNING OVER
THE SAME OLD GROUND,
ON HOW WE FOUND, THE
SAME OLD FEARS, WISH
YOU WERE HERE."

PERSPECTIVE
JUSTIFICATION
VALUE
SOCIETY?

CHRIS IS A GOOD
SOUL WITH THE
POTENTIAL TO BE A
MAN WHO MAKES A
POSITIVE DIFFERENCE
IN THE WORLD. I
LOOK FORWARD TO
SEEING IT HAPPEN.
~MEGAN COFFEY



STEFANIE E.
SCHMIDT

ACTIVITIES:
YOUTH ALIVE CLUB LEADER,
DRAMA TEAM, WORSHIP
TEAM, CHORUS 4

JESUS ANSWERED, "I AM
THE WAY AND THE TRUTH
AND THE LIFE. NO ONE
COMES TO THE FATHER
EXCEPT THROUGH ME."
JOHN 14:6



DEAR STEFANIE,
THIS IS SUCH A BIG
ACCOMPLISHMENT--YOUR
GRADUATION FROM HIGH SCHOOL.
WE ARE SO VERY PROUD OF
YOU. IT IS A MILESTONE, A
PULLING AWAY, GROWING UP.
IT'S HARD TO SEE YOU ALMOST
GONE FROM BEING "OUR LITTLE
GIRL" BUT OH SO NECESSARY
FOR YOU. WE THANK OUR GOD
(AND YOUR GOD) FOR WATCHING
OVER YOU ON THIS JOURNEY.
NO MATTER THAT YOU'RE
GROWING UP; YOU WILL ALWAYS
BE "OUR STEFFIE".
LOVE YOU ALWAYS,
MOM AND DAD

**JACLYN
SCHOONMAKER**
Jacky, Jack Jack

ACTIVITIES:

KNITTING CLUB 1, JV CHEERLEADING
1, VARSITY CHEERLEADING 2-3, FALL
MUSICAL 3, ART CLUB 4, FLAG TEAM
2-4, STUDENT MENTORING 3-4,
PROJECT GRAD, 4, GRADUATION
COMMITTEE 4, WINTERBALL COMMITTEE

"I HOPE YOUR DREAMS TAKE YOU TO
THE CORNERS OF YOUR SMILES, TO THE
HIGHEST OF YOUR HOPES, TO THE
WINDOWS OF YOUR OPPORTUNITIES AND
TO THE MOST SPECIAL PLACES YOUR
HEART HAS EVER KNOWN."

JACKY,

NO WORDS COULD EVER SAY
HOW PROUD WE ARE OF YOU.
YOU HAVE SO MANY SPECIAL
GIFTS TO OFFER, AND BECAUSE
OF THAT, AS YOU BEGIN YOUR
LIFE'S JOURNEY WE KNOW YOU
WILL SUCCEED AT WHATEVER
YOU DO. IT HAS BEEN SUCH A
PLEASURE TO WATCH YOU
GROW INTO SUCH A BEAUTIFUL
YOUNG LADY. WE LOVE YOU
TO THE MOON,
MOM AND DAD

YOU GO GIRL, WE ARE SO
PROUD OF YOU.
LOVE,
JAY, JUSTIN, JULIE,
MARCELLUS AND SOPHIA



**ROBERT
SOKOLOWSKI**
*Rob, Bobby, Bobby Sox,
Sox, Sokulshanski,
Sokamalooski, The 4th
Juvenile, Shanski, Ginger*

ACTIVITIES:

JV BASEBALL 1-2,
LACROSSE 3-4,
COMMODORE JAZZ
ENSEMBLE 2-4,
GOVERNOR'S
INSTITUTE 2,
MIDDLEBURY SKI CLUB
1-4, HIGH SCHOOL
SKIING 2-4, INDOOR
LACROSSE 3-4,
HOMECOMING 1-4,
LEADERSHIP
CONFERENCE 2,
CHAMPLAIN
DISCOVERY 1-2,
OPEN MIC 2-4, LONG
TRAIL EXTENSION 2-4

"YOU GAIN STRENGTH, COURAGE, AND
CONFIDENCE BY EVERY EXPERIENCE IN
WHICH YOU REALLY STOP TO LOOK
FEAR IN THE FACE...YOU MUST DO THE
THING YOU THINK YOU CANNOT DO."
-ELEANOR ROOSEVELT

DEAREST MARIA,

YOU ARE TRULY A GIFT FROM GOD. SINCE
THE MOMENT YOU WERE ENTRUSTED TO
US, YOU HAVE BEEN A TREMENDOUS
BLESSING ON OUR LIVES. WE HAVE
TREASURED EACH AND EVERY DAY WITH
YOU, WHILE WE QUIETLY SUFFERED WITH
YOU THROUGH THE STRUGGLES AND
SACRIFICES OF ADOLESCENCE, WE NOW
REJOICE WITH YOU AS YOU REAP THE
REWARDS OF THE HARD WORK AND
SACRIFICES THAT YOU HAVE MADE.
AS YOU PREPARE TO SPREAD YOUR WINGS
AND FLY, KEEP YOUR EYES ON CHRIST AND
HE WILL DIRECT YOUR PATH.



MARIA RAQUEL STAPLEFORD
Mai

ACTIVITIES:

MUSICAL 1-4, NHS 3-4, YOUTH ALIVE
3-4, BOLIVIA MISSION TRIP 2005,
YOUTH GROUP 1-4, MATH TEAM 3-4,
CHAMPLAIN DISCOVERY 2, TUTOR
CENTER 2-4, BAND 1-4,
HOMECOMING FLOAT 3-4, VARSITY PEP
BAND 4, YEARBOOK 4

"THE MOST WASTED OF ALL
DAYS IS ONE WITHOUT
LAUGHTER."

-E. E. CUMMINGS

RACHEL ERIN

STEPONAITIS

*Rocky, Rachelle, Curly Top, LaLa,
Hurricane, Q-Tip, Sachmo*

ACTIVITIES:

ROWING 1-3, OTTER CREEK
BASIN HISTORY CLUB 1-4,
CHORUS 2, VERMONT HISTORY
DAY 1-3, VFW VOICES OF
DEMOCRACY SPEECH 1-4,
ROTARY INTERNATIONAL SPEECH
EQUESTRIAN CHALLENGES
VOLUNTEER 1-4, DAR ESSAY
STATE WINNER 2, VT. NATIONAL
TEEN CONTESTANT 3



"THE ESSENTIAL JOY OF BEING WITH
HORSES IS THAT IT BRINGS US IN
CONTACT WITH RARE ELEMENTS OF
GRACE, BEAUTY, SPIRIT AND FIRE."
-SHARON RALL LEMON

RACHEL,

YOU SEE WITH YOUR HEART, HEAR
WITH A SENSE OF WONDER, AND
DREAM OF ALL THAT IS POSSIBLE IN
PEOPLE. YOU SEE BEAUTY IN
NATURE, HEAR THE SOUNDS OF THE
WIND, AND GAZE IN AWE AT A
STARRY NIGHT. YOU WISH FOR
RAINBOWS, WARM SUNSHINE AND
BLESSINGS FOR THOSE YOU LOVE.
YOU BRING TO THIS WORLD PURE
JOY. WE LOVE YOU AND CAN'T
AWAIT YOUR NEXT CHAPTER OF LIFE.

LOVE,

YOUR MOM & DAD



BRITANY STRALEY

Brit, Mite, Ani

ACTIVITIES:

SOCCER 1-4, BASKETBALL 1-3,
SOFTBALL 3-4, TRACK 1-2,4,
NUTRITION COMMITTEE 3-4, ART
CLUB 3-4, MUSICAL 2-4

"THESE ARE THE DAYS WE WILL REMEMBER
THESE ARE THE DAYS WE WILL REMEMBER
AND THESE ARE THE DAYS WE WON'T
FORGET
THESE ARE THE DAYS WE WON'T FORGET
THESE ARE THE TIMES WE'VE SHARED
THESE ARE THE PROMISES WE'VE MADE
THESE ARE THE DAYS
THAT WE WON'T FORGET

YEAH WE CARRY ON CONVICTIONS
LEARNING AS WE GO
LIVING OUT THE ONLY LIFE WE KNOW"
-STORY OF THE YEAR

BRIT,

YOU ARE AMAZING! WITH SUCH AN
INCREDIBLE THIRST FOR KNOWLEDGE
ALONG WITH A HEART THE SIZE OF
THE UNIVERSE YOUR CHOICES ARE
ENDLESS! YOUR UNIQUE STYLE,
SPIRIT, WIT, INSIGHT AND
DETERMINATION WILL AFFORD YOU
NO LIMITS. WEAR THE BRIGHTEST
COLORS AND IN ANY WAY YOU WISH
AND...STOP AT NOTHING!
OUR LOVE, SUPPORT AND VERY
BEST ALWAYS,
-MOM AND DAD

"WE'VE SEEN YOU CRAWL, WE'VE
SEEN YOU STUMBLE. NOW WE SEE
YOU WALK WITH STRENGTH AND
GRACE. THROUGH LIFE - WALK ON."
-DAD

LARRY A. SWAN JR.

Jr., Swany

"ARE WE DONE YET?"

-LARRY SWAN



LARRY,

I CAN'T BELIEVE THAT I'M
WRITING THIS LETTER TO
YOU AS A SENIOR IN HIGH
SCHOOL. I HAVE WATCHED
YOU GROW FROM A LITTLE
BOY INTO THE MAN YOU
ARE TODAY AND I'M SO
PROUD OF YOU FOR ALL
THAT YOU HAVE
ACCOMPLISHED.

I LOVE YOU.

LOVE,
MOM

THOMAS SWENOR
*Tom, Birdman, Squirrel,
 Dreamy Blue Eyes
 (Thanks to DeBlois)*

ACTIVITIES:
 VERMONT HISTORY DAY, "RUDE
 AWAKENING" PAINTBALL TEAM

"A MAN CAN BE FREE WITHOUT
 BEING GREAT, BUT NO MAN CAN
 BE GREAT WITHOUT BEING
 FREE."

"IF WE ARE NOT SUPPOSED TO
 EAT ANIMALS, THEN WHY ARE
 THEY MADE OF MEAT?"

HAPPY IS THE MAN
 WHO FINDS WISDOM,
 AND THE MAN WHO
 GAINS
 UNDERSTANDING.
 PROVERBS 3:13
 TOM, WE ARE SO
 PROUD OF YOU!
 LOVE,
 MOM AND DAD



DYLAN NIKOLAUS TEER
Dill Bill, Mr. Deebz

ACTIVITIES:
 CROSS COUNTRY TRACK 1-2,
 INDOOR TRACK 1-2, TRACK
 AND FIELD 1-2, BAND 1-2,
 CHORUS DISTRICTS 2,
 MUSICAL 1-4, COMMODORE
 SINGERS 2-4, WALDEN 3-4

"NOW THERE'S A LOOK IN YOUR
 EYES, LIKE BLACK HOLES IN THE
 SKY. ALL THAT'S TO COME AND
 EVERYTHING UNDER THE SUN IS IN
 TUNE, BUT THE SUN IS ECLIPSED
 BY THE MOON. FOR LONG YOU
 LIVE AND HIGH YOU FLY, BUT
 ONLY IF YOU RIDE THE TIDE AND
 BALANCED ON THE BIGGEST
 WAVE." -PINK FLOYD

DYLAN,
 YOU HAVE GROWN STRONG
 AND BRIGHT. WITH FIRM ROOTS
 YOU WILL BRANCH OUT, REACH
 NEW HEIGHTS, EXPLORE YOUR
 POTENTIAL AND CONTRIBUTE
 GOOD THINGS IN THIS WORLD.
 SET YOUR MIND ON YOUR
 GOALS, AND WITH
 DETERMINATION AND GOOD
 SENSE, YOU WILL ACHIEVE THE
 BEST OF THEM. ALWAYS BE
 THE CARING PERSON YOU ARE.
 ABOVE ALL, BE HAPPY! YOU
 ARE OUR PRIDE AND JOY. WE
 WILL ALWAYS BE HERE FOR
 YOU.
 LOVE,
 MOM AND DAD

"I'LL BUILD A STAIRWAY TO PARADISE WITH
 A NEW STEP EVERY DAY! I'M GONNA GET
 THERE AT ANY PRICE; STAND ASIDE, I'M ON
 MY WAY! I'VE GOT THE BLUES AND UP
 ABOVE IT'S SO FAIR. SHOES! GO ON AND
 CARRY ME THERE!"
 -GEORGE GERSHWIN

OLIVIA,

YOU HAVE GROWN STRONG AND
 BEAUTIFUL. YOU HAVE COME SO FAR.
 YOUR POTENTIAL IS BOUNDLESS AND
 YOU ARE JUST BEGINNING TO EXPLORE
 IT. REMEMBER YOUR ROOTS, REACH
 FOR YOUR DREAMS, AND BE HAPPY! IN
 YOUR CARING WAY, WITH
 DETERMINATION, YOU WILL REACH YOUR
 GOALS AND MAKE THE WORLD A BETTER
 PLACE. YOU ARE OUR PRIDE AND JOY.
 WE WILL ALWAYS BE HERE FOR YOU.

LOVE,
 MOM AND DAD



OLIVIA A. TEER
Living, The VM, Lives

ACTIVITIES:
 CHORUS 1-4, BAND 1-4,
 GIRLS STATE DELEGATE 3,
 GIRLS STATE GOVERNOR 3,
 MUSICAL 2-4, CHORUS
 DISTRICTS 2, CLASS
 MARSHALL 3, VARSITY TRACK
 AND FIELD 1-3, CROSS
 COUNTRY 2, JV BASKETBALL
 1, JV SOCCER 1, AMERICAN
 LEGION ORATORICAL 3-4,
 ROTARY SPEECH COMPETITION
 2-4, WINNER 3, MENTORING 2

STEPHANIE TERRY

*Steph Stephy poo poo, Stephy,
Stephy-wephy*

ACTIVITIES:

YEARBOOK 3, HISTORY CLUB 3-4, GOD,
FLAG AND COUNTRY 2, JV CHEERLEADING
1, MENTORING 1-4, FLAG TEAM 1-4,
CHORUS 1-2, HISTORY DAY 3-4, MUSICAL
2



"OUR HEARTS ARE DRUNK WITH
THE BEAUTY OUR EYES COULD
NEVER SEE." -GEORGE W.
RUSSELL

"DEEP INTO THE DARKNESS
PEERING, LONG I STOOD THERE,
WONDERING, FEARING, DOUBTING,
DREAMING DREAMS NO MORTAL
EVER DARED TO DREAM BEFORE."
-EDGAR ALLEN POE

STEPHANIE,

IT SEEMS LIKE YESTERDAY THAT I GRADUATED
FROM VUHS AND NOW ITS YOUR TURN AND I
CAN'T BELIEVE IT. WE ARE SO PROUD OF
EVERYTHING YOU HAVE BECOME AND
EVERYTHING YOU WILL BECOME IN YOUR VERY
BRIGHT FUTURE. XOXO LOVE FOREVER,
MOM AND DAD

STEPHY-POOZLE,

AFTER SIX YEARS OF BEING FRIENDS, YOU
WOULD THINK I WOULD KNOW HOW TO SAY
WHAT I NEED TO IN A WAY THAT MAKES
SENSE, BUT I CAN'T THINK OF ANY WORDS
THAT CAN BE STRUNG TOGETHER TO VOICE
THE THOUGHTS IN MY MIND. YOU'VE BEEN
THERE TO MAKE ME LAUGH (SILLY RABBIT
FACES,...), TO KEEP ME FROM FALLING TO
PIECES, AND TO REMIND ME THAT IT'S NEVER
AS BAD AS IT SEEMS. THANKS FOR ALWAYS
BEING THERE.

ERIN



DEREK M. THOMAS

*D-Man, Durk, D, D-
Rock*

ACTIVITY:
WRESTLING 1-2

"SHOW ME A GUY WHO'S
AFRAID TO LOOK BAD, I'LL
SHOW YOU A GUY YOU CAN
BEAT EVERY TIME."
-LOU BROCK

DEREK,

ON THE DAY YOU WERE BORN
WE NEVER IMAGINED OUR PRIDE
AND JOY COULD GROW WITH
EACH PASSING DAY... BUT IS
HAS.

YOU ARE OUR PRIDE AND JOY.
ALWAYS REMEMBER:
BE TRUE TO YOURSELF,
LISTEN TO YOUR HEART,
CHASE YOUR DREAMS,
AND NEVER STOP BELIEVING IN
YOURSELF. WE'LL NEVER STOP
BELIEVING IN YOU. WE'LL
ALWAYS BE HERE FOR YOU.
WE LOVE YOU SO MUCH
MOM, DAD, MAJKEN,
SHANNON, JEREMY AND LOGAN

D,
YOU ARE MY PRIDE AND JOY.
DAD

ELIZA L. THOMPSON

Liza

ACTIVITIES:

GERMAN CLUB 2-4, MATH
TEAM 2-4, CHORUS 1

OUTSIDE OF A DOG
A BOOK IS MAN'S
BEST FRIEND. INSIDE
OF A DOG, IT'S TOO
DARK TO READ.
-GROUCHO MARX



CAITLIN TORREY

Betty, Cait

ACTIVITIES:

MUSICAL STAGE MANAGER 1-4,
STUDENT COUNCIL 4, GOVERNORS
INSTITUTES 3, BAND 1-4, CHORUS 4,
TRACK 2-3, INDOOR TRACK 2-3,
DISTRICTS 2-4, HOMECOMING FLOAT 2
4, GERMAN EXCHANGE 3-4, WOMEN
CAN DO CONFERENCE 1, ROWING 1,
JAZZ BAND 4, CITY BAND 1-2

"A THOUSAND MILES SEEMS
PRETTY FAR, BUT THEY'VE GOT
PLANES AND TRAINS AND CARS,
I'D WALK TO YOU IF I HAD NO
OTHER WAY."

-PLAIN WHITE T'S

CAIT,
WE ARE SO PROUD OF
YOU! YOU ARE A
STRONG AND
BEAUTIFUL WOMAN
WITH THE
DETERMINATION TO
TAKE YOU WHENEVER
YOU WANT TO GO. WE
WILL ALWAYS BE
THERE FOR YOU (BUT
NOT TO FEED THE
SNAKES!)
LOVE,
MOM AND DAD



ERIC VAN WYCK

ACTIVITIES:

BASKETBALL 1-2,
NORWICH BRIDGE
BUILDING 1-2,
TRANSFER 3

"YOU'VE GOT TO BE
YOUR OWN MAN NOT A
PUPPET ON A STRING.
NEVER COMPROMISE
WHAT IS RIGHT AND
UPHOLD YOUR FAMILY
NAME. YOU'VE GOT TO
STAND FOR SOMETHING
OR YOU'LL FALL FOR
ANYTHING"

-AARON TIPPIN

ERIC,

YOU HAVE BEEN A SOURCE
OF PRIDE AND JOY, AND WE
HAVE BEEN DELIGHTED
TO WATCH YOU GROW INTO
A YOUNG MAN. WE PRAY
THAT THE LORD WILL GUIDE
YOU IN HIS PATH FOR YOU
IN THE YEARS AHEAD.
KEEP THAT GREAT
SMILE.
LOVE, MOM AND DAD



KIMBERLY-
CONGRATULATIONS!
YOU'VE DONE A GREAT
JOB. WE ARE PROUD OF
YOU. FOLLOW YOUR
DREAMS AS YOU MOVE
ONTO YOUR NEXT
JOURNEY. WE LOVE
YOU!
MOM AND DAD



KIMBERLY MARIE VINCENT *Kim*

ACTIVITIES:

SOFTBALL 2-4, BASKETBALL
2

"THERE'S NOTHING LIKE THE
DEEP BREATHS AFTER
LAUGHING HARD. NOTHING IN
THE WORLD LIKE A SORE
STOMACH FOR THE RIGHT
REASON."

-THE PERKS OF BEING A
WALLFLOWER

CHARLOTTE M. VOLK

Char

ACTIVITIES:
YEARBOOK 4, CHORUS 1-2,
HISTORY CLUB 4

I GIVE MYSELF VERY
GOOD ADVICE, BUT I
VERY SELDOM FOLLOW.
BE PATIENT, IS VERY
GOOD ADVICE, BUT THE
WAITING MAKES ME
CURIOUS.*



CHARLOTTE,

WE ARE SO THANKFUL THAT GOD
BLESSED OUR FAMILY WITH YOU! WE
HAVE WATCHED YOU BLOOM INTO SUCH
A BEAUTIFUL YOUNG LADY.
BE PROUD OF THE 17 YEARS YOU HAVE
LIVED, BECAUSE YOU HAVE LIVED THEM
WITH GRACE, STRENGTH AND DIGNITY.
BE EXCITED FOR THE MANY YEARS TO
COME, BECAUSE WE KNOW YOU WILL
LIVE THEM WITH THE SAME COURAGE,
CONVICTION AND DETERMINATION. YOU
WILL SUCCEED AT ALL THAT YOU PUT
YOUR HEART AND MIND TO. YOU ARE
ALL WE COULD EVER HOPE FOR AND WE

LOVE YOU SO MUCH!

CONGRATULATIONS!

LOVE,

MOM, DAD AND CHAD



PETER DULSKY

WATKINS

*P. Watt, Peto, Pepito,
Mighty*

ACTIVITIES:

JV SOCCER 1-2, VARSITY XC 3,
VARSITY INDOOR TRACK 3-4, VARSITY
TRACK 2-3 (MOST IMPROVED 2),
CHORUS 2-4 (SECRETARY 4),
COMMODORE SINGERS 4, MUSICAL 2-4
(LEAD 3-4), RING COMMITTEE 3, LVM
WRITING COMPETITION WINNER 2,
SPANISH AWARD 2, ST. MICHAEL'S
COLLEGE BOOK AWARD 3, NHS 3-4
(TREASURER 4), NEW ENGLAND YOUNG
WRITER'S CONFERENCE (HOST
STUDENT) 3-4, ACC FOR MIGRANT
FARM WORKERS 3-4, STUDENT TUTOR
IN ESL (SCIENCE, MATH, ENGLISH,
HISTORY) 1-4

"YOU CAN BLOW OUT A CANDLE,
BUT YOU CAN'T BLOW OUT A
FIRE. ONCE THE FLAME BEGINS TO
CATCH THE WIND IT WILL BLOW
HIGHER.*

*PETER GABRIEL

PETER,

FROM THE BEGINNING YOU
HAVE BEEN FUNNY, WISE AND
CALM. YOU REALLY ARE THE
NICEST ONE IN THE FAMILY.
BUT REMEMBER, YOU ARE
STILL ONE OF US. WE KNOW
THAT YOU WILL HAVE A
CREATIVE AND EXCITING
FUTURE. WE ALSO KNOW
THAT YOU WILL ALWAYS KEEP
FIGHTING FOR WHAT IS RIGHT.

OUR LOVE TO YOU,
MOM, DAD, ELLEN AND JAME

ROBERT GERALD WEBB

Rob, Roberto

ACTIVITIES:
OUTDOOR TRACK 1-4,
INDOOR TRACK 1,4,
SOCCER 1-2, MUSICAL 1-2,
BAND 1-2

"HE WHO PURSUES
RIGHTEOUSNESS AND
LOVE FINDS LIFE,
PROSPERITY AND HONOR.
PROVERBS 21:21



DEAR ROB,
WE HAVE ENJOYED THE
SPECIAL TIME SPENT
WITH YOU THESE PAST
2 YEARS, OUR LAST
CHILD AT HOME. YOU
HAVE GROWN INTO A
MATURE YOUNG ADULT
AND WE ARE VERY
PROUD OF YOUR MANY
TALENTS AND
STRENGTHS.
LOVE MOM & DAD

MELANIE WILBER

ACTIVITIES:
BAND 1-4

AND WHAT IS A MAN
WITHOUT ENERGY?
NOTHING - NOTHING
AT ALL.
-MARK TWAIN

THE PRICE OF SUCCESS
IS HARD WORK,
DEDICATION TO THE JOB
AT HAND, AND THE
DETERMINATION THAT
WHETHER WE WIN OR
LOSE, WE HAVE APPLIED
THE BEST OF
OURSELVES TO THE
TASK AT HAND.
VINCE LOMBARDI

CONGRATULATIONS
MELANIE!
- YOUR FRIENDS



TYLER J. WRISLEY
WRIZ

ACTIVITIES:
GSA 3,
WALDEN PROJECT 4

"SUCCESS IS
OBEDIENCE TO A
STRUCTURED WAY
OF LIFE. YOU
CAN'T IGNORE THE
STRUCTURE
BECAUSE WE'RE
ALL WITHIN ITS
SIGHT."
-OPERATION IVY

"WHY CAN'T I
WALK DOWN THE
STREET FREE OF
SUGGESTION?"
-FUGAZI



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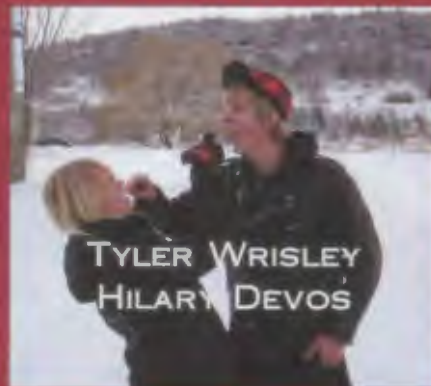
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MITCH JACKMAN
ABBEY PLANKEY



TYLER WRISLEY
HILARY DEVOS



HALL ROAMERS

KELLI DOGGER

DAN FLYNN
LET ME
OUT!!



BEST DRESSED

JOSH PRESSON
OLIVIA TEER



QUIETEST

ELIZA THOMPSON



DERRICK MARDIN

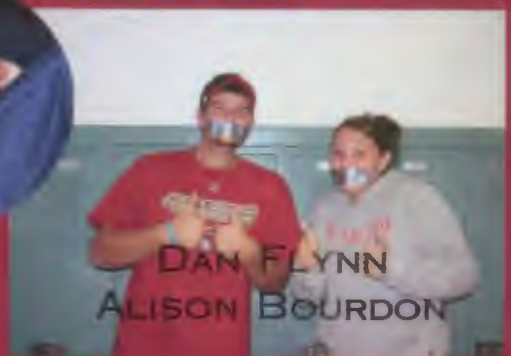


RUTH ROBTOT



LOUDEST

DAN FLYNN
ALISON BOURDON



INSEPERABLE FRIENDS

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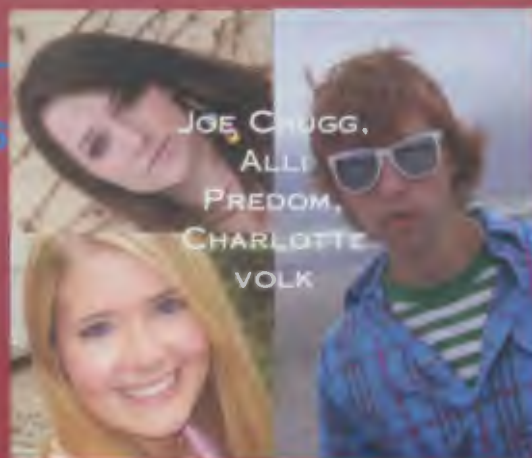
DUSTIN
BENNING

**NICEST
SMILE**



DYLAN TEER, ELLIE LIVINGSTONE

**NICEST
EYES**



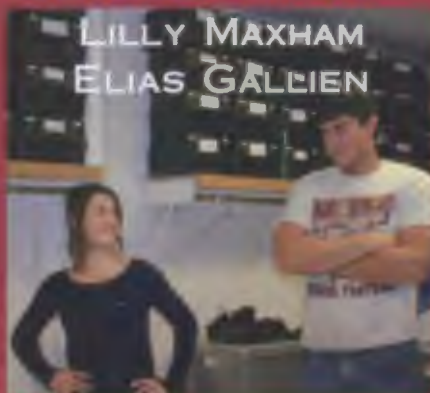
JOE CRUGG,
ALLI
FREEDOM,
CHARLOTTE
VOLK

CLASS OPPOSITES



TARA EXTER
JOEY MARZALKOWSKI

CLASS FLIRTS



LILLY MAXHAM
ELIAS GALLIEN

BEST LAUGH



ALISON BOURDON

ANDY JACKSON

MOST ARTISTIC



TANNER PRICE
JORDAN ROBERTS

MOST MUSICAL



DAVID KAUFFMAN

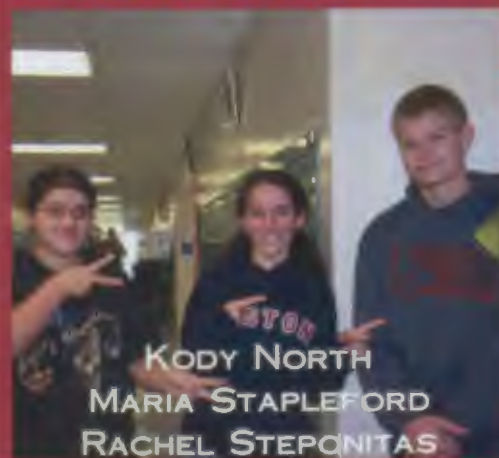
KATIE JORDAN

MOST ATHLETIC



ABBY BENTON
COREY HAIGHT

**MOST WILLING TO
LEND A HAND**



KODY NORTH
MARIA STAPLEFORD
RACHEL STEPONITAS

**MOST LIKELY TO
SUCCEED**



KAITLYN EVARTS

PETER WATKINS

**MOST CHANGED
SINCE 7TH GRADE**



MISSY MERTENS

KYLE PILLEY

THERE IS A FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH: IT IS YOUR MIND, YOUR TALENTS, THE CREATIVITY



YOU BRING IN YOUR LIFE AND THE LIVES OF PEOPLE YOU LOVE." ~ SOPHIA LOREN



that you always carry in your heart." ~ Raisa M. Gorbachev

PIRATES AND NINJAS





WINTER BALL 2008



King & Queen



Dan Flynn

Tanner
Price

Katee
Ingram

Erin
Conway

Charlotte
Volk

Josh
Presson

Kelly
Burkett

Joe Chugg





Elisabeth Beenan ~ Lilli Allen ~ Jamison Barister



Tyler Bowles ~ Alison Bourdon



Justin Baker ~ Kyle Benjamin ~ Bryan Andrews ~ Dustin Benning ~ Abby Benton ~ Kayla Besette



Grace Lange ~ Elias Gaffien ~ Allen Laberge ~ Keenan Clayton-Hall ~ Dan Flynn



Alison Bourdon ~ Sarah Borata ~ Hilary DeVos ~ Shane Coyle ~ Ashley Cousins ~ Kelli Coager ~ Arica Gevry



STUDENT COUNCIL



Joe Chuagay ~ Kaitlyn Evans ~ Gwen Delgadillo ~ Josh Cunningham ~ Erin Conway

Rob Webb

Robert Sokolowski

Caitlin Torrey

Kim Vincent

Peter Watkins

Britany Straley

Rachel Steponaitis

Eric Van Wyck

Melanie Wilber

Tyler Wrisley

Larry Swan

Tom Swenor

Dylan Teer

Charlotte Volk

Stephanie Terry

Stefanie Schmidt

Becky Ruggles

Chris Sanford

Jason Cassidy

Andy Martell

Derek Thomas

Eliza Thompson

Jacky Schoonmaker

Livy Teer

Maria Stapleford

Cody Nary

Lily Maxham

Amanda Roorda

Caitlin Ferland

Emily Poquette

Kyle Pixley

Jordan Roberts

Heather Regnaud

Josh Miller

Abbey Plankey

Dani Raymond

Jasmine Parks

Jessica Morrish

Josh Presson

Melissa Partington

Derrick Mardin

Dylan Myrick

Erin Provost

Missy Mertens

Samantha Miller

Tanner Price

Allison Predom

~Justin Brunet



Belinda Hall

Tanya Br...

SENIORS 2008



Ellie Livingstone

Sadie Messenger

Rye Mathews

Joe Marzalkowski

Chris Holwager

Chris Griffin

Billy Northrop

Minli Nolan

Joe Goyette

Kody North

Corey Haigfu

Marybeth Partington

Alison Kilbride

Cameron Gregory

Lance Fairbrother

Ruth Robtoy

Casey Brigan

Kelly Burkett

Andy Jackson

Cofin Bristow

Dylan Ouelette

Raya Brassard
Ryan Fortune

Kate Inman ~ David Kauffman ~ Charlie Glassberg
Kaitlyn Brunet ~ Kasee Inman

TEACHER OF THE YEAR



When teachers and colleagues speak of JAY STETZEL, words like "dynamic," "dedicated," "student-centered," "powerful," "friendly" and an all-around stellar human being come into play. When you know VUMS, you are at once greeted by his smile and within his care and attention to all of the 200 plus students. We at VUMS and VUMS celebrate his contributions to our school and are thankful that we can call him one of our own.



"Listening is a magnetic and strange thing, a creative force. When we really listen to people there is an alternating current, and this recharges us so that we never get tired of each other. We are constantly being re-created." Brenda Delano



Coloring Our World and Challenging Our Minds

In
Dedication
from the
Class of
2008





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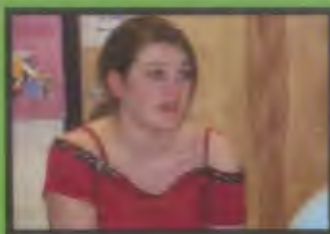
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CLASS



JUNIORS

SCOTT ANDERSON
SARAH ANDREWS
LEA ARMELL
KELLEY BARROWS
TYLER BIRCHMORE
SARAH BISSONETTE



TIMOTHY BOSWORTH
KRISTEN BROWN
MELISSA BROWN
JOHN BRUCE
JOSHUA CARTER
KELSEY CHAFFEE



ELIZABETH CHILDERS
BENJAMIN CHUGG
AARON CLODGO
NATHAN COHN
CASSANDRA COTA
ELIZABETH COTA



HELEN COWAN
CAMERON CURLER
KATHERINE CURLER
ERICA CURTIS
ANDREW DARWIN
KATHEREN DESJARDIN



BRITTANY DEVINE
NICOLAS DOOLEY
JULIANNE EDWARDS
HARLEY ERIKSEN
MASON EVARTS
CHARLIE FELDMANN



ROY FETTERS
ADAM FLYNN
DILLON FLYNN
SAMANTHA FLYNN
TYLER FLYNN
RYAN FULLER





THE CLASS OF 2009



JOSEPH FURMAN
CHASE GALLISON
ALLISON GEE
TIMOTHY GLASSBERG
KARA GOODMAN
KRISTEN GRANT



SEAN HAGEN
LAWRENCE HALL
ANNA HAMER
ALEXANDRIA HARRIS
DAVID HAWKINS
LEIGH HIGBEE



GARRETT HOLLER
KATHERINE HOUSKEEPER
BASIL JERGER
KYLE KARZMARCZYK
KELLY KAYHART
KARL KRAHN



DAVIS LALUMIERE
JACKSON LALUMIERE
JUSTIN LALUMIERE
SILAS LARSON
JOLIE LAVIGNE
ROBERT LOOBY



SARAH LUCIA
MICHAEL MCENERNEY
SHANE MONTANI
BRITTANY NEVINS
BENJAMIN NEWKIRK
DANA O'BRIEN



MEGHAN O'DANIEL
HEATHER OSICKY
AARON PAQUETTE
PHILLIP PIDGEON
JESSE PLOOF
ELIZABETH POQUETTE



JUNIORS

JON PRICE
BRITTANY QUATTROCCI
JOHN RAO
ANJA RIECKEN
JULIA ROBINSON
JOSHUA ROLLET



JOHN ROOD
JOSEPH RUSSETT
BRYAN SAWYER
MEGHAN SCOTT
ELECTRA SHEA
MICHELLE STARK



MARK STEADMAN
CHARLES STINCHFIELD
DAMIAN STRONA
MICHAEL STRONG
KATE STRUHAMMER
JESSICA STURTEVANT



JAMES SULLIVAN
STEPHANIE TORREY
SHANNON TRAYAH
JON-TAYLOR VINCENT
KRISTA WESTENFELD
KORINE WHITNEY



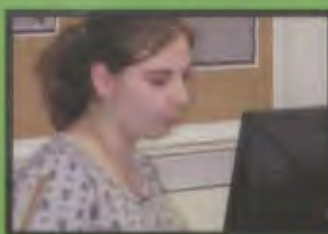
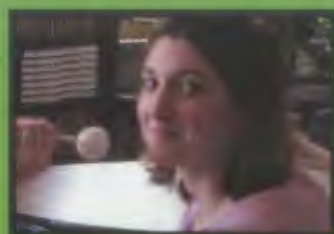
BENJAMIN WOODARD
ROBERT WORLEY
BRIDGET YANTZ





THE CLASS OF 2009





SOPHOMORES

JACKSON ALEXANDER
TYLER ALGER-WACKETT
COURTNEY ANDERSEN
HANSSA ANDERSEN
DANIEL AYERALL
ETHAN BALDWIN



KATRINA BENDT
GAVIN BICKNELL
MCKAYLA BENYENIE
KYLE BIRCHMORE
JENNIFER BOLODK
MOLLY BRIGATI



KAMERON BRIDGES
ADAM BURRIS
JOSHUA BURRIS
NICHOLAS BURSELL
TRESTAN BIRNEY
ASHLEY BUTLER



ALANA CANNON
DOROTHY CANNON
EMILY CANNON
GENEVIVE CONN
MATTHEW CORMAN
ROBERT DANKOW



DUSTIN DATTAG
TROY DAUDMAN
MADALINE DELANEY
GABRIEL DILLGARD
HARVEY DUBBY
JEREMY DUBBLE



BARBARA DEUSE
MERIGAN DENTON
JOHN DUNN
ASHLEY ERIKSEN
EMORY ELYN
JEREMY FORTUNE





THE CLASS OF 2010



PAULITA TYGI
PRESTON GAGE
ALYSSA GALUSKA
JOHN CLBERT
MICHAEL GOVETTE
CART GRANT



SAMUEL WASTLEY
TUCKER HARTWOOD
JESSIE HAWKINS
TARA HOLLY
DANA HIGGS
TREVOR HOWARD



KATRINE JACKSON
ASHLEY JENGA
YVONNE JOYAL
JONATHAN KALBRIHAN
MARGARET KERSCHNER
BRIAN KESAGE



DAVINA LAFAYE
DEVIN LANE
KEO LUPERA
AARON MALONEY
SAMANTHA MARCOLE
JASON MARSHALL



DAVID MATTHEWS
BENJAMIN PALMER
PATRICK MCCARTHY
NATALIE HOLLAY
BRITTANY MERRITT
WHITNEY-DALE HENKES



CONNOR PERKINS
SHANE PILLER
THOMAS PILLER
THOMAS PILLER
BRITTANY NOLAN
CHRISTOPHER PARRITT



SOPHOMORES

TAYLOR HINDEN
CHELSEA RUOFF
BRISBLY PRATT
MARGARET DUNN
STACY ROBERTS
TREVOR LARSON



HILARY GUTLICK
COREY MALEX
RYAN INGLEMAN
BRITTANY SHORTLEAVE
HARRY SMITH
KATHARINE SONOLWISK



KIONA SPENCER
MAVE STANDERAY
CODY STEELE
JACOB STEPONAKIS
CHRISTINA STRICKFELD
MELINDA SYMON



LEANN THOMPSON
JILL THIAN
KATHLEEN VAN WYCK
BRIAN VANDEWEERT
SHELLEY VANDEWEERT
DAVID VECCHI



BRITTANY WARNER
ELLEN WATKINS
JOSHUA WEST
HANG WESTERFELD
JAHANNAH WILLARD
JOSHUA WILLIAMS





THE CLASS OF 2010





FRESHMAN

KYLE ADAMS
GREGORY ALLANPOULOS
THERESA ANDER
VICTORIA ANGLISH
SHAWNIA ANTHEAS
MICHAELA BICKNELL



BROCKE BOUNON
DUSTIN BRADFORD
DYLAN BRESNICK
NICOLE BROWN
ASHLEY BRUNET
ANGEL CAMPANO



ALANA CANNON
ZACHARY CASTELLO
CLAYTON CHILDERS
AMM CLANCY
JERRETT CLARK
MORGAN CORREA



KORY DOUBINO
JENNIFER DUMBINGHAM
KAITLYN CLISSON
JALISA DAM
HARRIEN DEGRAAF
RYAN DEUBLE



JARON DESABRAC
KASSANDRA DEVINO
JACOB FIERL
KALOB GAYNON
ALEXANDRA GENDREAN
THOMAS GORD



JEREMY GREENHALE
NICOLE HAMER
SABEL HAMILTON
LEAH HAMILTON
ALEX HOBBS
BRANDON HODOL





THE CLASS OF 2011



KELSEY HOWARD
ASA HUNT
MARGARET JOHNSON
RICHARD KACZMAREK
ALYSSA KAUR
GRETA KRAHN



WILLIAM KUHN
BABELLE LANGROCK
SAMUEL LANGROCK
JESSICA LAUGHLIN
ANDREW LUCA
SKYLER MACDON



WILLARD MACDON
SAMANTHA
MARZALKOWSKI
PETER MCDERMERY
REBECCA MILLER
KENDALL NEWBORN
RAYMOND HILL



HALE NOLAN
EMILY NISUE
LISA PORTER
ALLISON PROVOST
RYAN PUTNAM
BRIAN RICHER



SIERRA ROBERTS
ALEX RUSSETT
ANDREW RUSSETT
TYLER SAWYER
SHELLY SHEEHAN
MONIQUE SIMPSON



ANNA JO SMITH
HANNAH SMITH
RACHAEL SMITH
ARIC SMITH
JAZMIN SPEAR
DANIELA STARLEFORD



FRESHMAN

TIMOTHY STEARNS
MORGAN STACHEL
HANNAH STURTEVANT
ADAM TERRY
KATELYNN WIL
ROBERT WHALEN



EMILY VANDERKAMPE





THE CLASS OF 2011





ACADEMICS

Special Education

Commodore Singers

Guidance

Jazz Band

Chorus

HANNAFORD CAREER CENTER

LANGUAGE

ADMINISTRATION

Library

Math

Business

Art

Band

History

DRIVER EDUCATION

Agriculture

English

Physical Education

Science



Thomas O'Brien:
Superintendent of Schools



Ms. Sally Bushey: Administrative
Assistant



Donna Cocoran: Business
Manager, Carole Anderson:
Accounts Payable



Robert Owens: Educational
Technology Coordinator

Steering the Ship: Administration

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From 48 Main Street to the District



Elizabeth Lewis: Co-Curriculum Director, Alyson Cota: Administrative Assistant, Carol Spencer: Co-Curriculum Director



Thelma Oxholm: Dir. Instructional Support Services



Linda Douville: Administrative Assistant



Cecile A. Gebo: Secretary/Receptionist

A Administration



Mr. Ed Webbley:
Co- Principal



Mr. Peter
Reynolds: Co-
Principal

S Secretaries



Mrs. Glory Martin



Ms. Lisa O'Brien



Mrs. Rose Russett



Mrs. Jill Grant



Mrs. Dianne
Marcotte

Guidance



Virginia Cole-Levesque
Director of Guidance
and Student Services



Susan Husk:
Guidance
Counselor



'Doc' Carol
Spencer: Asst.
Superintendent



Laurie Steadman:
Student Support



Dennis West:
Student/Community
Learning



Kathleen
Scacciaferro: School
Nurse



Peter Maneen: Athletic
Director





Ms. Robin Roy
Speech Language



Special Educators: Beth Adreon, Suzanne Buck, Lee Shorey, and Jessica Buchanan



High School Para-Professionals: Eileen Clark, Nancy Kuhns, Laurie Bissonette, and June Stansbery



Ms. KC Carr
ELL Teacher

**SPECIAL EDUCATION: GOING THE DISTANCE TO SEE
EACH CHILD TO THE FINISH LINE**

ALTERNATIVE COLLABORATIVE TEAM



Mrs. Lee Shorey
Mr. Ralph Bernadini
Ms. Heather Desjardin
Ms. Tina Regas

LIBRARY MEDIA: CONNECTING OUR WORLD & MAKING US MEMBERS OF A GLOBAL COMMUNITY

Ms. Wendy Cusson:
Computer Systems

Mr. Chris Brady: Library,
Media & Technology



Ms. Lenore Morse: Assistant
Librarian

Tom Heller: Computer
Technology



SCIENCE DEPARTMENT

ELIZABETH JAMESON

DEEP ECOLOGICAL AWARENESS...RECOGNIZES THE FUNDAMENTAL INTERDEPENDENCE OF ALL PHENOMENA AND THE FACT THAT, AS INDIVIDUALS AND SOCIETIES, WE ARE ALL EMBEDDED IN (AND ULTIMATELY DEPENDENT ON) THE CYCLICAL PROCESSES OF NATURE.

FRIEDRICH CAPPA

MARK POWERS

THE NOBLEST PLEASURE IS THE JOY OF UNDERSTANDING.

LEONARDO DA VINCI

SARAH THOMPSON

SCIENCE MAY HAVE FOUND A CURE FOR MOST EVILS; BUT IT HAS FOUND NO REMEDY FOR THE WORST OF THEM ALL - THE APATHY OF HUMAN BEINGS.

HELEN KELLER

JUDY WIGER

SCIENCE AND ART BELONG TO THE WORLD, AND BEFORE THEM VANISH THE BARRIERS OF NATIONALITY.

GOETHE

"YOU CANNOT TEACH A MAN ANYTHING; YOU CAN ONLY HELP HIM FIND IT WITHIN HIMSELF."

GALILEO GALILEI



Ms. JUDY WIGER



Mr. MARK POWERS



Ms. SARAH THOMPSON



Ms. ELIZABETH JAMESON



MATH DEPARTMENT



Ms. NANCY
AMBROSE



Ms. TERESA SMITH



Mr. GLENN STORY



Ms. LYNN KAYHART



Mr. LEO RACHT

THE MATH DEPARTMENT WELCOMES TERESA SMITH WHO REPLACES MR. HELLER. SHE IS A RESIDENT OF PANTON AND VETERAN TEACHER FROM GAILER SCHOOL.

WE ARE EXCITED TO INTRODUCE STATISTICS AS A NEW COURSE THIS YEAR. ANY STUDENT WHO HAS TAKEN INTEGRATED MATH IV CAN ENROLL IN IT. WE STARTED THE YEAR OFF WITH A NECAP REVIEW FOR JUNIORS DURING CALLBACK. THAT WAS FOLLOWED BY AN SAT PREPARATION SESSION, AGAIN DURING CALLBACK. THIS TIME IN THE SCHOOL DAY WILL ALLOW THE MATH TEACHERS EXTRA TIME TO WORK WITH ALL STUDENTS IN MATH. THE TEACHERS ARE WORKING ON MAKING ALL STUDENTS SUCCESSFUL IN THEIR MATH CLASSES.



ENGLISH DEPARTMENT

ALLEGORY, METAPHOR, AND HYPERBOLE ARE WORDS WHICH CHALLENGE YOU TO THINK BEYOND WHERE TO START A SENTENCE AND HOW TO END IT BEST. WORDS ARE POWERFUL TOOLS AND IN THE HANDS OF A SKILLED STUDENT, THEY CAN BECOME MYSTERIOUS, STARK, JOYOUS, OR EVEN SCATHING. THIS YEAR THE ENGLISH DEPARTMENT HAS FOCUSED ON THE WORD, WRITTEN AND SPOKEN, WITH ALL ITS POWER AND POTENTIAL. EACH STUDENT HAS TAKEN CLASSES DESIGNED TO MAKE THEM THINK AND EACH TEACHER HAS EXPLORED, EXPOSED AND CREATED ALONG SIDE IN A JOURNEY THAT WILL TRANSCEND TIME, PLACE AND WILL CARRY BOTH FAR.

"WORDS, THEY'LL CLIMB ALL OVER YOU, 'TIL THEY UNCOVER YOU FROM WHERE YOU HIDE." PETER GABRIEL

"IT MAKES A GREAT DIFFERENCE IN THE FORCE OF A SENTENCE, IF A MAN IS BEHIND IT OR NOT." RALPH WALDO EMERSON.

"WORDS STRAIN, CRACK AND SOMETIMES BREAK UNDER THE BURDEN."
T. S. ELIOT



MS. MEGAN COFFEY



MR. CHRIS
WYCKOFF



MS. ANN
SULLIVAN



MR. KARL STEEN:
DEP. CHAIR



MS. CATHERINE
SPAULDING



HISTORY DEPARTMENT



MS. REBECCA
COFFEY



MS. PAM TAYLOR



MS. COOKIE STEP



WHETHER STUDYING THE PAST OR THE PRESENT, THE VUHS HISTORY DEPARTMENT STRIVES TO PROVIDE OPPORTUNITY AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES THAT HELP FORGE LINKS BETWEEN STUDENTS, THE PAST, AND THE PRESENT. WITH A LIST OF COURSE OFFERINGS THAT INCLUDE WORLD CULTURES, US HISTORY, PSYCHOLOGY, WORLD CONFLICTS, WORLD GEOGRAPHY, VERMONT DESIGNS, CURRENT EVENTS, GLOBAL RELIGIONS, CIVICS, NATIVE AMERICAN HISTORY, AFRICAN-AMERICAN HISTORY, AP EUROPEAN HISTORY AND AP US HISTORY, VUHS STUDENTS HAVE MANY CHOICES AND CHANCES TO EXPLORE THE HISTORY OF OUR REGION, COUNTRY OR PLANET. STUDENTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO FIND FOR THEMSELVES CONNECTIONS AND EXPLORE THE RICHNESS OF HISTORY FOR THEMSELVES.

"HISTORY IS FILLED WITH THE SOUND OF SILKEN SLIPPERS GOING DOWNSTAIRS AND WOODEN SHOES GOING UP." VOLTAIRE

AGRICULTURE & BUSINESS DEPARTMENTS



MR. HARMON BOYCE



MR. RALPH
PAQUETTE



"IF I HAVE SEEN FURTHER, IT IS BY STANDING ON THE SHOULDERS OF GIANTS." WHILE SIR ISAAC NEWTON DIDN'T TAKE AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE FROM MR. BOYCE, NOR DID HE STUDY FINANCIAL SURVIVAL AND THE JUDICIAL SYSTEM FROM MR. PAQUETTE, IT SURE WOULD HAVE MADE A DIFFERENCE IF HE HAD. WITH COMBINED YEARS OF EXPERIENCE IN THE FIELDS OF BUSINESS AND AGRICULTURE OF SEVENTY-FIVE PLUS YEARS, EACH TEACHER BRINGS TO THEIR CLASSROOM A UNIQUE AND POWERFUL PERSPECTIVE. STUDENTS LEARN BY LISTENING, PARTICIPATING AND SEEING FROM THE WISDOM AND PRACTICAL APPLICATIONS LEARNED IN THE FIELD. IF YOU DOUBT THIS, THINK SERIOUSLY ABOUT THE TWO QUOTES THAT FOLLOW. "WHEN YOU OPEN UP THAT CREDIT CARD APPLICATION, ALWAYS REMEMBER, NO ONE LOVES YOU THAT MUCH" (RALPH PAQUETTE) "IT ISN'T DIRT, ITS SOIL, AND IT CAN DO SOME PRETTY AMAZING THINGS!" (HARMON BOYCE)



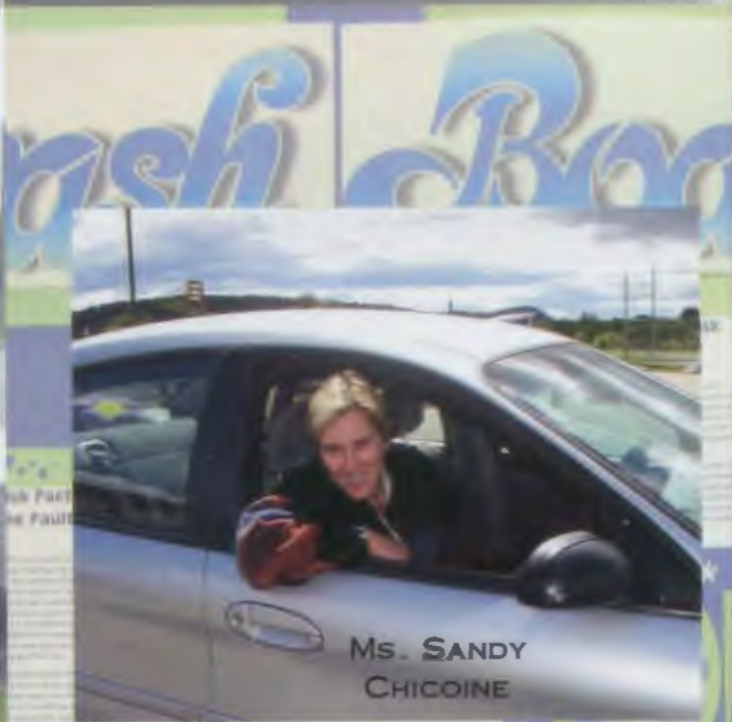
CLICK IT OR TICKET

DRIVER'S EDUCATION



IT IS TRULY A MILESTONE IN EACH OF OUR LIVES WHEN WE EARN THE RIGHT TO SIT BEHIND THE WHEEL AND OPERATE A CAR. IT MEANS WE ARE GROWING UP AND HAVE MORE FREEDOM. IT

ALSO MEANS WE HAVE KNOWLEDGE AND MORE RESPONSIBILITY TO BE SAFE AND A GOOD DRIVER. IT IS ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT LESSONS LEARNED AT VUHS



Ms. SANDY
CHICOINE

"ALWAYS KEEP YOUR EYES ON THE ROAD...LOOK AT THOSE TURKEYS!" -SANDY CHICOINE

Reflective
Questions...???

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

IT ALL STARTS WITH A MILE, OR EVEN SMALLER A DISTANCE THAN THAT. THE STUDENTS OF VUHS ARE ALL CHALLENGED TO LOOK INSIDE AND FIND THOSE POINTS THAT ARE THEIR COMFORT ZONE. THEN THEY ARE ENCOURAGED TO STRETCH THEM. WHETHER IT IS LEARNING THE RULES OF BADMITTEN, RUNNING A MILE, MAKING A LAYUP OR SETTING A PERSONAL BEST IN PUSHUPS AND SIT UPS, THE PHYSICAL EDUCATION TEACHERS ARE THERE TO ENCOURAGE, TUTOR AND MODEL WHAT IT TAKES TO LIVE A HEALTHY LIFE STYLE. IT ALL STARTS WITH A DECISION TO CHANGE A PATTERN AND THEN THERE IS NO STOPPING!



Ms. LISA NEWHARD



Ms. SARAH COOK



Mr. ED COOK





CAPSULE



Mrs. Laura Husk



Sandi Isherwood, Diane Barrows and Marcy Lynch

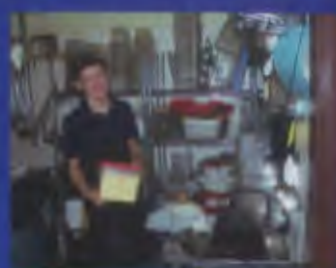


DUO Do Unto Others

The Golden Rule: We all know it. We all have heard it. At VUHS we work on living it. The DUO program was began by Dennis West as a way of reaching out and linking community and students. Each day students go to businesses around the towns and work as a volunteer. They learn to communicate and work with others, while the townspeople see the desire of the teens to learn and to work. The connections made last far beyond the semester. They are the golden rule in real life.



Dennis West:
Ringmaster
Extraordinary



Hannaford Career Center



the Hannaford Career Center offers fourteen technical and six foundational programs.

Our Technical Programs are divided into the following Academies: Agriculture (Forestry and Natural Resources, Sustainable Landscapes/Food Production/Turf Management, Agribusiness Technology, Diesel Power Technology)



Technology (Industrial Design & Fabrication, Pre-Engineering/Architectural Design, Automotive Technology, Construction Technology)

Arts and Humanities (Addison Repertory Theater, Video Tech Arts)

Business and Services (Business, Finance and Marketing Management, Culinary Arts, Human Services, Protective Services)

Foundational Programs (Visual Communications, Intro to Technology, Mechanical Science, Plant & Animal Science, Intro to Agriculture, Intro to Business & Services)



THE WALDEN



"Do not go where the path may lead, go instead where there is no path and leave a trail." - Ralph Waldo Emerson



PROJECT

VIII



"It's not what you look at that matters,
it's what you see." - Henry David Thoreau



FOREIGN LANGUAGES



MR. MATT DEBLOIS



MS. JANET KEPES



MS. KRISTINE
KIRKALDY



The people of the world speak many languages and it is important to be able to communicate with all of the citizens of the world. Thank you to all the language teachers for providing the opportunity for us to learn and experience the languages and the cultures from around the world.

PEOPLE WHO KEEP OUR WORLD RUNNING & MOVING



THE ABBEY GROUP & OUR CUSTODIANS



Theresa Gorman, Manager for the
Abbey, Business Center and Gate
Custodian



OUR INTREPID
TRANSPORTATION
DEPARTMENT :
WAYNE, KATHY,
DAWN AND JEFF



VERGENNES UNION HIGH SCHOOL SYMPHONIC BAND

SUSAN O'DANIEL, CONDUCTOR



BAND OFFICERS



DISTRICT FESTIVAL PARTICIPANTS



PLYMOUTH FESTIVAL
PARTICIPANTS





FLUTES



CLARINETS AND OBOE



ALTO AND BASS
CLARINETS



SAXOPHONES



TRUMPETS



FRENCH HORNS



TROMBONES



TUBA AND BARITONES



PERCUSSION

FLUTE

JUSTIN BRUNET
KAITLYN CUSSON
LAURA DAM
CASSIE DEVINO
KATILYN EVARTS, LIBRARIAN
TARA EXTER *
DILLON FLYNN
MAGGIE JOHNSTON
ALYSSA KILBURN
GRETA KRAHN +
NATALIE MCCLAY
JULIA ROBINSON +
RACHEL SMITH
KATIE SOKOLOWSKI
JAZMIN SPEAR
MARIA STAPLEFORD, + V.P.

OBOE

ALLIE PROVOST

CLARINET

MEREDITH BIENVENUE
ASHLEY BRUNET
KATIE CURLER
BELINDA HALL
ALEXA HIGBEE
DARA HIGGINS
JOLIE LAVIGNE
SAMANTHA MARSZALKOWSKI
EMILY POQUETTE *+P, A B/C PRINC.
DANIELA STAPLEFORD +
OLIVIA TEER

ALTO CLARINET

ERIN CONWAY

BASS CLARINET

MARYBETH PARTINGTON, LIBRARIAN

ALTO SAXOPHONE

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GENEVIEVE COHN
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JEREMY GREENHAUS
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CHRIS PARFITT +
ROB SOKOLOWSKI
BRITANY STRALEY, LIBRARIAN

TENOR SAXOPHONE

JULIE EDWARDS +
WILL KUHN +

BARITONE SAXOPHONE

JOHN BRUCE
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ELIAS GALLIEN *+

TRUMPET

TYLER BOWLES
NICHOLE HAMER
MARGY KERSCHNER +
MEGHAN O'DANIEL *+P, A
ERIN PROVOST, TREASURER
CAITLIN TORREY +
ELLEN WATKINS

FRENCH HORN

KATIE JORDAN *+P, A DEPUTY MAJOR
KATE STRUHAMMER *+P, A
KRISTA WESTENFELD +

TROMBONE

TIM BOSWORTH
SAM HARTLEY
ALLEN LABERGE
CODY NARY
ALEX RUSSETT *+

BARITONE

BEN CHUGG +
JONATHAN KAUFFMAN

TUBA

JOSH PRESSON, DEPUTY MAJOR

PERCUSSION

GAVIN BICKNELL
JENNY BOLDOC
ANDREW DARWIN *+P
NICK DOOLEY *+P LIBRARIAN
CHARLIE GLASSBERG
KARL KRAHN
JUSTIN LALUMERE
CONNOR MERRILL
KYLE PIXLEY
BRIAN RICHER
JOHN ROOD
ANDREW RUSSETT
RAYCE TUPER

A- ALL-STATE
* PRINCIPAL
+DISTRICTS
P- PLYMOUTH
BAND FESTIVAL



VERGENNES UNION HIGH SCHOOL CONCERT CHOIR





DISTRICT FESTIVAL
PARTICIPANTS

SOPRANOS

COURTNEY ANDERSON
MARISSA ANSERSON
KRISTINA BENOIT
KELLY BURKETT
ANN CLANCY
HELEN COWAN
MADDIE DELANEY
KATIE JORDAN
MARGARET KENNEDY
DEVON LANE
GINGER MATTHEWS,
ALLISON PROVOST
ANJA RIECKEN
JAZMIN SPEARS
LIVY TEER
SHANNON TRAYAH
KRISTA WESTENFELD
KELSEY WILDASIN

BASSES

TIM BOSWORTH
TYLER BOWLES
JESSE LALUMIERE
JOHN ROOD
PETER WATKINS
JAMES SULLIVAN
RAYCE TUPER
ALEX RUSSETT



OFFICERS

ALTOS

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ABBY CAMPANO
HATTIE CHILDERS
ASHLEY COUSINO
HILARY DELISLE
BELINDA HALL
ISABEL HAMILTON
LILY HAMILTON
TARA HEALY
KATE HOUSKEEPER
ISABELLE LANGROCK
JOLIE LAVIGNE
BRITTANY NEVINS
MEGHAN O'DANIEL
EMILY POQUETTE
HANNAH SMITH
KATE STRUHAMMER
CAITLIN TORREY
ELLEN WATKINS
HANNAH DEGRAAF

TENORS

ADAM BUNDE
BEN CHUGG
WILL KUHN
STOWE MILLER
MICHAEL MCENERNEY

THE COMMODORE JAZZ ENSEMBLE

CONDUCTED BY SUE O'DANIEL



ALTO SAXES

DAVID KAUFFMAN*
ROB SOKOLOWSKI
CHRIS PARFITT
GEN COHN

TENOR SAX

ABBY BENTON
TOM MILLER
WILL KUHNIS

BARI SAX

ELIAS GALLJEN

TRUMPET

RICK SAVAGE
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KRISTA WESTENFIELD
LIZZY COYA

CAPLIN TORREY

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CODY NAITY
JOSE PHESSION
ALEX RUSSETT

BARITONE

BEN CHUGG
JONATHAN KAUFFMAN

PIANO

KATIE JORDAN

GUITAR

KARL KRAHN

BASS

ANDREW DARWIN

DRUMS

NICK DOOLEY
JOHN ROOD

*- MANAGER





Left To Right: Katie Jordan, Katie Curler, Ginger Matthews, Helen Cowan, Joe Chugg, John Rood, Pete Watkins, Dylan Teer, Mike McEnerney, Ben Chugg, Will Kuhns, Ellen Watkins, Meghan O'Daniel, Emily Poquette, Brittany Nevins.



Art Department

HOW IS ART A LANGUAGE?

STUDENTS SPEND HOURS EXPERIENCING DIFFERENT MEDIUMS AND TECHNIQUES, AND THEY EXPRESS BY ART BY USING IT TO DEFINE. WHY ART IS INDEED A LANGUAGE. WITH THE GUIDANCE OF MS. HAMMOND AND MR. SPENCER, STUDENTS CREATE A HALLWAY FILLED WITH PAINTINGS, MURALS JUST FOR FUN, CLAY FIGURINES, PAPER MACHE, SCULPTURES, AND SIMPLE GRAPHITE SCULPTURES. EACH PRODUCT IS A WORK OF ART, CREATED WITH CARE AND A OODLES OF EFFORT. AND EACH GUIDES STUDENTS TO THE NEXT PUBLISHING QUESTION: HOW IS ART A LANGUAGE?



MS. LEAH HAMMOND



MR. JEFF SPENCER



EVERY ARTIST DIPS HIS BRUSH IN HIS OWN SOUL, AND PAINTS HIS OWN NATURE INTO HIS PICTURES.
-HENRY WARD BEECHER



ART IS AN EXPRESSION OF WHO YOU ARE.
KIM CATTRALL



"IMAGINATION RULES
THE WORLD."
-NAPOLEON BONAPARTE





The Stage filled our hearts with the
SOUND OF MUSIC and we sang
once more..





How do you solve a problem like Maria? What are a few of your favorite things? For three nights, the stage at VUHS resonated with the sound of music, and the performances amazed the audience. On November 8th, 9th, and 10th, we climbed every mountain and were transported to a world where beauty is found in the hearts of people who stand against oppression.



V-TOWN



SPORTS

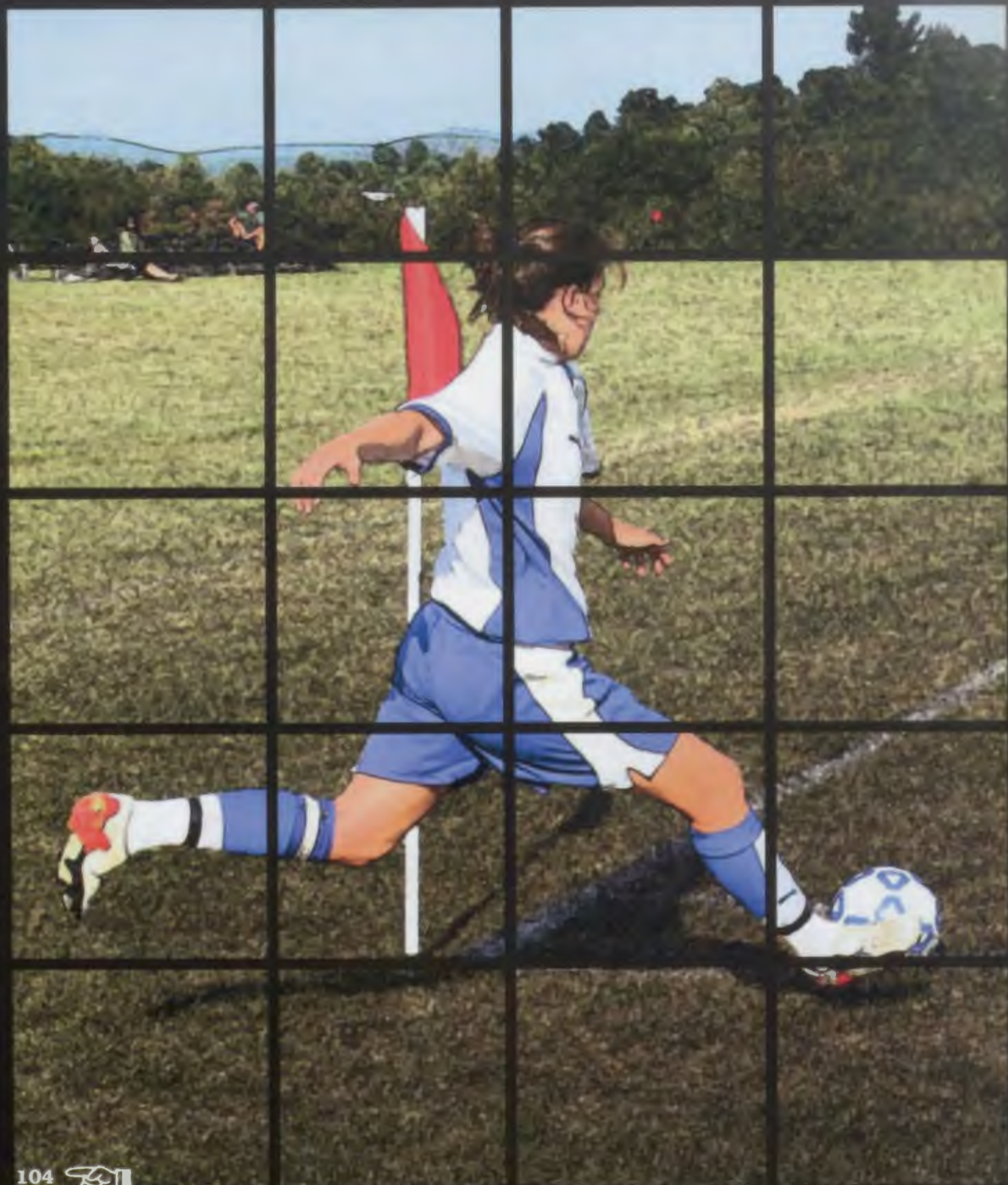
V ERGENNES ARSITY BOY'S SOCCER





Back Row (Left to right): Barney Bristow, Joe Chugg, Silas Larson, Corey Haight, Elias Gallien, Joe Goyette, Josh Presson, Charlie Glassburg, Chuck Stinchfield, Tyler Birchmore, Tim Lindenmeyr. **Front Row (Left to Right):** Colin Bristow, Kyle Birchmore, Dustin Datillio, Aaron Paquette, Jackson Alexander, Ben Chugg, Joe Chugg

VERGENNES ARSITY GIRL'S SOCCER



SENIORS



Back Row (Left to Right): Pete Maneen (Coach), Sarah Lucia, Genevieve Cohn, Molly Brigan, Alison Bourdon, Gracie Lange, Meghan Scott-Tisbert, Brittany Nevins, Daniela Stapleford, Rikki Cloutier, Micheala Bicknell, Jon Yarnell (Goalkeeping Coach), Greta Krahn, Dwight Irish (Coach) **Front Row (Left to Right):** Natalie McClay, Caitlin Ferland, Britany Straley, Abby Benton, Lexa Higbee, Mindi Nolan, Margaret Quinn.

VERGENNES

JV Boys Soccer



2008 JV Soccer Team: Kyle Birchmore, Dustin Datillio, JP Price, Bryan Kilbride, Cody Steele, Sam Langrock, Kyle Adams, Aaron Malaney, Ricky Karzmarcyk, Zach Catsillo, Jeremy Greenhaus, Morgan Stinchfield, Will Kuhns, Simon Flynn, Greg Alexopolous

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ERGENNES

JV GIRLS SOCCER



Back Row (Left to Right): Annie Wilson (Coach), Ginger Matthews, Shawna LaFave, Morgan Correia, Cassie Devino, Shelly Van De Weert, Dan Flynn (Manager), Katie Curler, Allison Provost, Emily Pelsue, Sam Marszalkowski, Hilary Delisle, Anna Jo Smith. **Front Row (Left to Right):** Maggie Johnston, Allyssa Galuszka, Brittany Nolan, Christina Stinchfield, Kim Pratt, Meredith Bienvenue, Hannah Sturtevant, Ashley Brunet

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ERGENNES

CROSS COUNTRY



Back Row (L to R): Karl Krahn, David Hawkins, Josh Carter, Mitch Jackman, Chris Parfitt, James Sullivan. Front Row: Izzy Hamilton, Lily Hamilton, Ellen Watkins, Julie Edwards, Julia Robinson, Avery Cook.

VERGENNES

INDOOR TRACK



2008 Vermont State
Champions 4/800:
Avery Cook, Julie
Edwards, Hannah
Sturtevant and
Caitlin Ferland. For
Avery, Julie and
Caitlin this was a
second straight title.

V ERGENNES ARSITY BOY'S BASKETBALL





Back Row (L to R): Asst. Coach Ben Epstein, Jesse Lalumiere, Allen Laberge, Dan Flynn, Cam Curler, Derrick Mardin, Corey Haight, Adam Flynn, Connor Merrill, Head Coach Pete Quinn. Front Row: David Kauffman, Josh Carter, Logan Williams, Jackson Lalumiere, Chris Holwager.

VERGENNES ARSITY GIRL'S BASKETBALL





SENIORS



BACK ROW (LEFT TO RIGHT): MANAGER MORGAN DENTON, BRITTANY QUATTROCCI, ALISON BOURDON, ABBY BENTON, BRITTANY NEVINS, KELLY BURKETT
FRONT ROW: MARGY KERSCHNER, MINDI NOLAN, BRITANY STRALEY, ALLISON PROVOST, AND ERIN PROVOST
MISSING: ASST. COACH MARA MUELLER, ASST. COACH LISSA GEBE AND HEAD COACH BILLY WALLER

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ERGENNES

JV BOY'S BASKETBALL



CAPTAINS



Back Row (L to R): Kam Brooks, Brian Van De Weert, Tyler Flynn, Justin Lalumiere, Josh Bushec, and Jon Kauffman
Front Row: JC Dugan, Cody Hawkins, Jesse Tynan, Jackson Alexander, Jacob Firlik, Kyle Birchmore, and Jeremy Greenhaus

VERGENNES

JV GIRL'S BASKETBALL



Back Row: (L to R): Daniela Stapleford, Kathleen Van Wyck, Katie Curler, Samantha Flynn, Coach Lisa Gebo
Front Row: Hilary Delisle, Genevieve Cohn, Lexa Higbee, Elizabeth Poquette, AnnaJo Smith



VERGENNES ARSITY CHEERLEADING



The 2008 Vergennes Cheerleading Team: Asst. Coach: Dani Hausler, Jacky Schoonmaker, Katee Ingram, Nicole Hammer, Jenny Johnson, Coach Deb Hall, Michelle Stark, Dana O'Brien, Belinda Hall, Lily Maxham, Anna Hammer, April Karzmarczyk, Katie Viau, Jessica Loughtlin, Shelby Sheean, and Jennifer Cunningham.





SENIORS



CAPTAINS



Just how high can you fly?



VERGENNES

VARSITY PEP BAND



Quad Captains:
Josh Presson, David Kauffman, Elias Gallien, and Robert Sokolowski

VERGENNES

VARSITY PEP BAND

EST. 2007



From Left to Right, Back to Front: Mrs. O'Daniel, Chris Parfitt, Tucker Harwood, Nick Dooley, Dennis Bruso, Will Kuhns, Andrew Darwin, Kaitlyn Evarts, Lizzie Cota, John Bruce, Joe Chugg, Charlie Glassberg, Elias Gallien, Margy Kerschner, Maria Stapleford, Britany Straley, Emily Poquette, Dillon Flynn, Ben Chugg, Meghan O'Daniel, Erin Provost, Krista Westenfeld, David Kauffman

Missing: Josh Presson, Robert Sokolowski, John Rood, Julie Edwards, Abby Benton, Katie Jordan, Greta Krahn, Justin Brunet

WE DIDN'T START THE FIRE!

...It was always burnin'
since the world's been turnin'

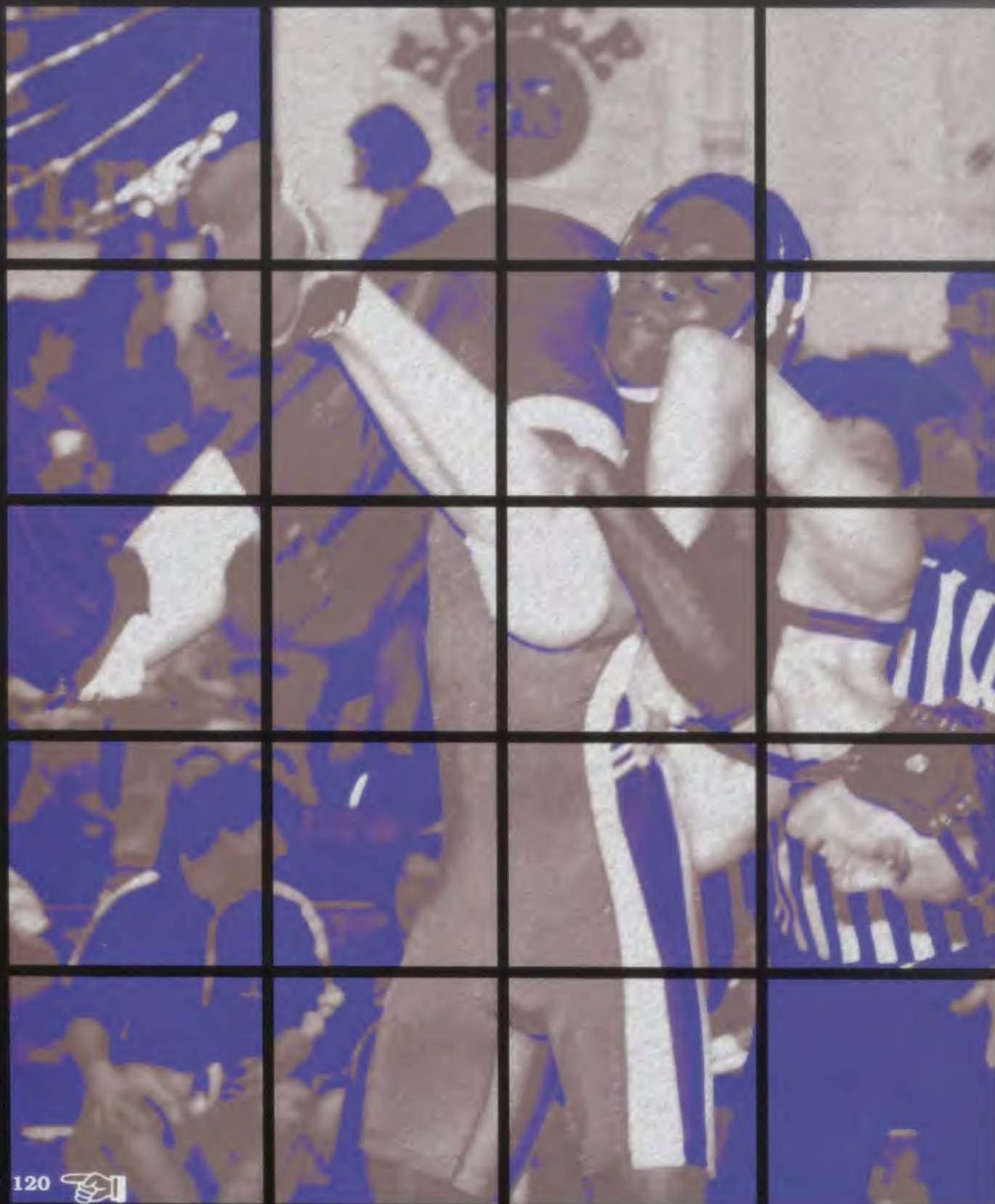
VERGENNES

SNOWBOARD TEAM



Back Row (L to R): Jason Marshall, Jacob Ouellette, Charlie Feldmann, JP Legault, Joe Furman, Bill Northrop, JT Vincent, Joe Chugg, Tanner Price, Dustin Datillio, Nick Dooley. Front Row: Britany McGrath, Harley Eriksen, Christina Stinchfield, Heather Regnaud, Head Coach Meg Coffey, Kelly Kayhart.

VERGENNES WRESTLING





Back Row: Christina Stinchfield, Ryan Fortune (Captain), Mitch Jackman (Captain), Joe Goyette, Kody North (Captain), Mike Strong, Davis Lalumiere, Chuck Stinchfield, Sarah Bissonette, Travis Kilborn, Brian Bishop, Ricky Karzmarzyck, Alex Gendreau, Morgan Stinchfield, Bobby Worley (Captain), Damian Strona, Simon Flynn Missing: Spencer Howard, Alex Russett,

VERGENNES VARSITY GOLF



The 07-08 linksters will be fondly remembered in the annals of VUHS golf history. The squad was loaded with Varsity players finishing up their illustrious sports careers eager to make their final contributions to their alma mater. Dan Flynn and Chris Holwager both four year lettermen led the way assisted by able contributions from their compatriots Rye Matthews, Colin Bristow and Joe Chugg. These five long straight drivers will be long remembered for their imaginative play, great sportsmanship and good humor.

The VUHS lady linksters led by senior Abby Benton joined by sophomore Christine Stinchfield had another successful season. Abby has been a top performer in high school golf since overcoming a freshman year injury and has finished in the top ten at the girls' state championship, qualifying for the New England championship three years in a row. Abby holds the distinction of VUHS' top woman golfer in recent memory and brings an extremely strong game to the course at every match.



The legacy the program is in the hand of enthusiastic returning sophomores Cody Hawkins and Jesse Tynan. In their debut freshmen year Cody and Jesse advanced quickly to varsity starting positions and improved rapidly over the season.



VERGENNES

INDIVIDUAL ATHLETES

Silas Larson & Josh Presson- Hockey, **Sam Robtoy- Football**, Greta Krahn & Robert Sokolowski- Skiing, **Karl Krahn, Kaitlyn Evaris, Chris Parfitt, Meghan O'Daniel-**



Swimming

V ERGENNES ARSITY BASEBALL





SENIORS



CAPTAINS



Back Row (Left to Right): Head Coach George Ringer, Gian Samaritoni, Ben Chugg, Mgr. JT Vincent, Asst. Coach Dwight Burkett. Middle Row: Logan Williams, Corey Haight, Tanner Price, Adam Flynn, Shane Montani, Cam Curler. Front Row: Zane Leno, Ryan Devine, David Kauffman, Dustin LeBlanc.

VERGENNES ARSITY SOFTBALL





SENIORS



CAPTAINS



Third Row (Left to Right): Megan Marcotte (Assistant), Lisa Gebo (Coach), Kimberly Vincent, Chelsea Montani, Alison Bourdon, Sheila Burlock (Assistant). **Second Row (Left to Right):** Rachel Ruggles, Tawnee Deyette, Kim Prime, Amber Braun, Bridget Bolduc, Morgan Denton (Manager). **First Row (Left to Right):** Elizabeth Paquette, Andrea Gauthier, Elizabeth Goyette, Kelly Burkett, Brittany Nevins.

V ERGENNES JV BASEBALL



Back Row (Left to Right): Coery Shalleck, Jon Kauffman, Head Coach Matt Deblois, Kam Brooks, Tyler Flynn, Dan Averill. **Front Row (Left to Right):** Cody Steele, Margy Kerschner, Hans Westenfeld, Travis Kilbride, JC Dugan.

VERGENNES JV SOFTBALL



Back Row (Left to Right): Alyssa Galuszka, Molly Presson, Lizzie Cota, Katie Curler, Virginia Joyal, Brittany Quattrocci, Tiffany Roberts, Dan Flynn, Hillary Sedelnick, Sam Flynn. **Front Row (Left to Right):** Mindy Swenor, Sammy Willard, Ashley Ericson, Erika Curtis, Sarah Bissonette, Erica Flynn (Coach)

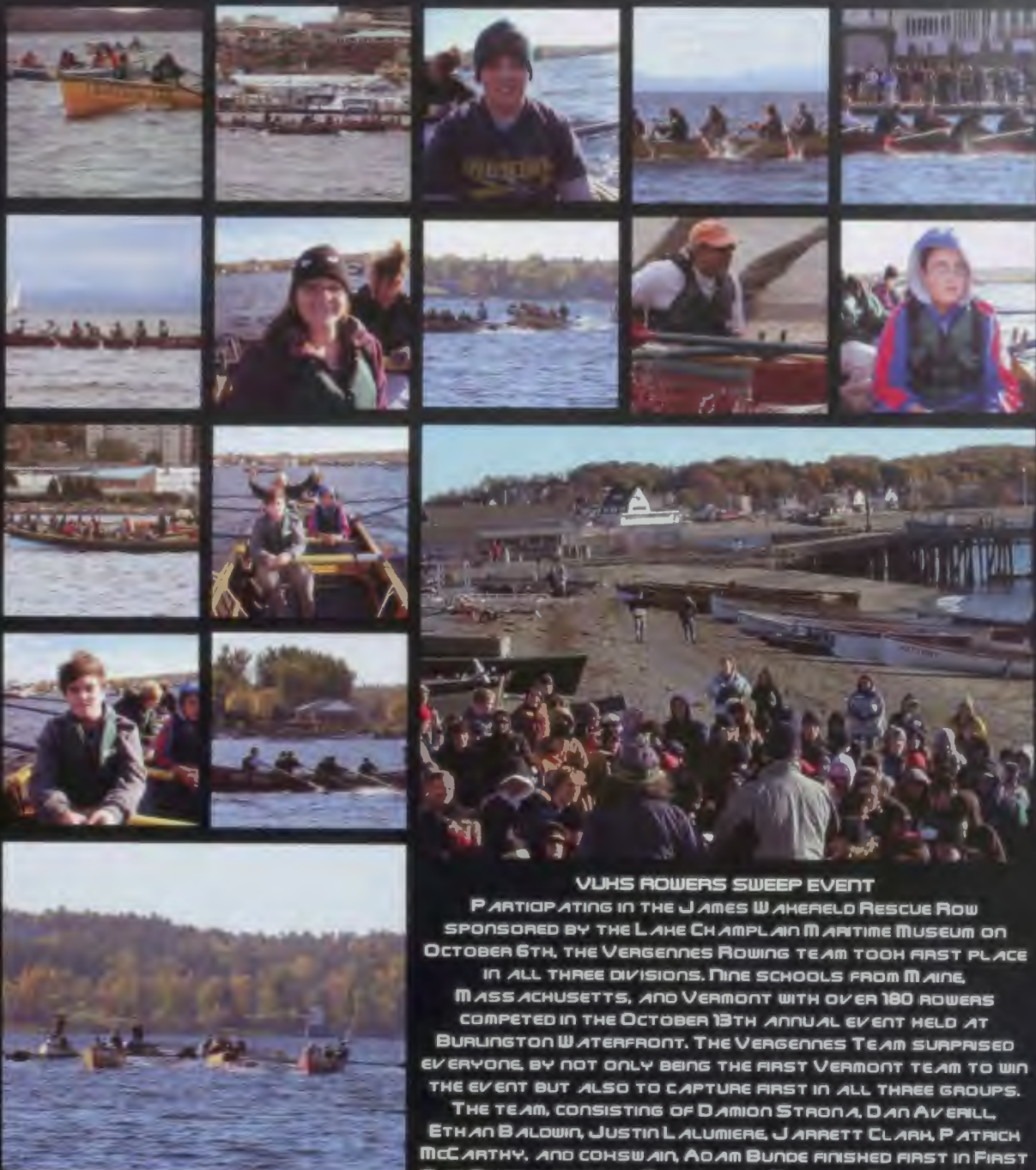
VERGENNES LACROSSE





Back row (left to right): Rory Cartwright (Coach), John Gilbert, Ethan Baldwin, Brian Kilbride, Nick Bushell, Mike Strong, Bobby Worley, Nate Cohn, Justin Lalumiere, Robert Sokolowski, Elias Gallien, Harry Smith, Silas Larson, Adam Bundi, Trevor Sampson, Chuck Stinchfield, Cody Nary, Ryan Fortune, Kyle Benjamin, Tim Hodsen (Ass. Coach), Tim Glassberg. Front Row (Left to Right): Joe Goyette, Joe Russett, Dan Adams, Josh Presson, Shane Coyle, Mitchell Goyette, Philip Pidgion.

VERGENNES ROWING CLUB



VJHS ROWERS SWEEP EVENT

PARTICIPATING IN THE JAMES WAHERFIELD RESCUE ROW SPONSORED BY THE LAKE CHAMPLAIN MARITIME MUSEUM ON OCTOBER 6TH, THE VERGENNES ROWING TEAM TOOK FIRST PLACE IN ALL THREE DIVISIONS. NINE SCHOOLS FROM MAINE, MASSACHUSETTS, AND VERMONT WITH OVER 180 ROWERS COMPETED IN THE OCTOBER 13TH ANNUAL EVENT HELD AT BURLINGTON WATERFRONT. THE VERGENNES TEAM SURPRISED EVERYONE, BY NOT ONLY BEING THE FIRST VERMONT TEAM TO WIN THE EVENT BUT ALSO TO CAPTURE FIRST IN ALL THREE GROUPS.

THE TEAM, CONSISTING OF DAMION STRONA, DAN AVERILL, ETHAN BALDWIN, JUSTIN LALUMIERE, JARRETT CLARK, PATRICK MCCARTHY, AND CONSWAIN, ADAM BUNDE FINISHED FIRST IN FIRST OAR SIXES CATEGORY. THE TEAM OF MARLENA DEUSLE, ASHLEY ERIKSON, PETER MCDURFEE, JOSH WEST, AND CONSWAIN, MAVIS STANSBERRY FINISHED FIRST IN NOVICE OAR FOURS. BEING THE YOUNGEST ROWERS AT THE EVENT THE TEAM OF JESSE BUNDE, ROBERT BURBO, MAH CAMPOBO, DALE ERIKSON, DEV AN ROBERTS AND JOHN GILBERT FINISHED FIRST IN NOVICE OAR SIXES. THE TEAM'S NEXT EVENT WILL BE THE ICEBREAKER NORTHEAST REGIONAL YOUTH OPEN WATER ROWING CHAMPIONSHIPS, TO BE HELD IN BOSTON NOVEMBER 17TH

V ERGENNES CHAMPIONS

V-TOWN CHEERLEADING 3RD STRAIGHT STATE CHAMPIONSHIP



RYAN FORTUNE

215 LB. WEIGHT CLASS STATE CHAMPION



V-TOWN GIRL'S 4x800 RELAY TEAM VERMONT STATE INDOOR AND OUTDOOR TRACK CHAMPIONS



V-TOWN BASEBALL

FIRST EVER STATE CHAMPIONSHIP



JOE CARTER

STATE CHAMPION 800 METERS

HILARY SENESAC

STATE CHAMPION POLE VAULT



ACTIVITIES

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Go Blue or Go
Home!



KAITLYN EVARTS



ABBY BENTON



PETER WATKINS



MARIA STAPLEFORD



CHARLIE GLASSBERG



ERIN CONWAY



ERIN PROVOST



JESSICA HODDER



KELLY BURKETT



ALISON BOURDON



JOSEPH CHUGG



NICOLAS DOOLEY



JULIE EDWARDS



JESSICA STURTEVANT



MEGHAN O'DANIEL



KRISTA WESTENFELD



BRITTANY NEVINS



HELEN COWAN

NOT SHOWN:
RUTH ROBOY
TARA EXTER
KATIE JORDAN

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

NHS Officers

President Kaitlyn Evarts
Vice President Abby Benton
Secretary Katherine Jordan
Treasurer Peter Watkins





BROOKE CONNOR
SECRETARY



OTTER CREEK BASIN STUDENT HISTORY CLUB



DAR STATE AWARDS

HISTORY IS ALIVE



ERIN CONWAY
PRESIDENT



VERMONT HISTORY DAY 2007



**BOBBY WORLEY TREASURER,
MEGHAN O'DANIEL, ERIN CONWAY**



BOB AND ELLIE MITCHELL
VERMONT HISTORIANS



JESSICA STURTEVANT
VICE PRESIDENT



**EMILY POQUETTE, STEPHANIE
TERRY, ERIN CONWAY**



SCARY STORIES AT THE BIXBY



**JACOB STEPONAITIS
AND COOKIE STEP,
ADVISOR**



RACHEL STEPONAITIS

**HISTORY CLUB PROJECTS
FOR 2007-2008 INCLUDE
VOICE OF DEMOCRACY SPEECH
CONTEST, AMERICAN LEGION
SPEECH CONTEST, VERMONT
HISTORY DAY, AND A
VERMONT VETERANS BOOK.**



Art Club

Whether it is trekking to Bowlen to see the latest in art, or walking the streets of Barrington to see the newest art, Mrs. Hammond and her group are dedicated to finding, exploring and working with all mediums of art. Hence, pottery, ink, acrylic, oils, clay and wood are all in use. Some people respect art, but this group loves art.

Art Club Members: M. Benken, T. Priez, J. Chugg, R. Matthews, B. Suggles, K. Grant, L. Johnson, M. K. Dack, J. Messenger, H. Ingram, T. Towle, J. Robinson, C. Paquette, B. Straley and Mrs. Hammond.

Clubs

German Club

Deutsche Verein erforscht die Kultur und die Landschaft von Deutschland. Sie erhalten über Gewohnheiten, Traditionen und nach Deutschland besonders reisen aufgelegt.

German Club Members: M. Powers, E. Thompson, M. B. Parlington, T. Priez, F. L. Erickson, C. Ferland, K. Ingram and missing F. Kepes.



French Club

Le club français est magistralement mené par Matt DeBlois et absorbe la culture française, la nourriture et la langue avec la facilité. Ils voyagent en France une fois que tous les deux ans et apprécient le peuple, le voyage et l'expérience qui est vraiment la France!

French Club Members: N. Dookay, C. Glassberg, J. Presson, T. Priez, S. Larson, J. Couano, C. Haight, R. Evans, C. Conway, C. Ferland, G. Matthews and Mr. DeBlois.



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Mr. Harmon
Boyce &
The FFA
National
Team

Editor of the
Commodore
Chronicle:
Jessy Sturtevant



Youth Alive



2007-2008 VUHS STUDENT COUNCIL

LEADING THE WAY



The Class of
2011



The Class of
2010



The Class of
2009



The Class of 2008

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VERGENNES UNION HIGH



Supreme Dictator: David Kauffman



Senior Section Head: Erin Provost



Underclassmen Section Head: Maria Stapleford



Editor 2009: Jessy Sturtevant



Photography Staff: Billy Northrop, Abby Plankey and Kristin Grant



Every person in their life knows the feeling of elation when the Finishline is crossed and the race is done. In the case of the Yearbook staff, this year was a first of its kind, because we were designing in color and wanted to capture the colors of life at VUHS. Each new page was a challenge and each new deadline was met with the creativity of a talented staff. As you journey through the year with us remember that our finishline is really just the beginning of new races yet to be run and new adventures yet to be had. Join us as we celebrate life at VUHS.

Enjoy! Step & The Staff of 2008

The staff wishes to thank with a great deal of gratitude the camera and skill of Keith Darwin.



Editor 2010: Tucker Harwood



Cookie Step: Yearbook Advisor

2008 YEARBOOK



FRIDAY THE THIRTEENTH OF APRIL, 2007: 13 PEOPLE LEFT SNOWY VERMONT AND ARRIVED IN HUMID FRANCE AFTER AN EIGHT HOUR FLIGHT (THE FIRST ONE FOR TWO OF US) AND SOME INTERESTING COUSINO QUOTES. JET LAG, WALKING TOURS, AND THE MEETING OF THE TRI DELTAS ENSUED. THE REST OF THE TRIP WAS FILLED WITH MEMORABLE QUOTES FROM TIM AND JOSH, SMELLY CHEESE FACTORIES, HOTEL ROOMS OVERRUN WITH ANTS, NIGHT SWIMS, DANCE PARTIES ON THE BUS, THROWING PAPER AIRPLANES INTO OPEN WINDOWS (JENNY, WILL YOU GO TO PROM WITH...), RACES UP SACRE COEUR AND DOWN THE EIFFEL TOWER, BEACH RUNS AND FIGHTS, NIGHTTIME TERRORS, POKER, AND CREEPY OLD WOMEN WHO WANT CIGARETTES (WONDER IF SHE'S STILL WAITING FOR PHILIPPE IN THE CAFE?).

French Trip 2007: Go Euro or Go Home



BACK ROW (L-R): ERIN CONWAY, ASHLEY COUSINO, RYAN HOUSTON, DEBLOIS, MRS. HOUSTON

MIDDLE ROW (L-R): CAITLIN FERLAND, BRITANY STRALEY, JENNY JOHNSON, SETH COWAN, MR. FERLAND, JOSH PRESSON

FRONT ROW (L-R): PHILIPPE, COLIN BRISTOW, LILY MAXHAM, ASHLEY BUSHELL, GRACE LANGE, TIM GLASSBERG, SOPHIE LARSON



When An Idea Takes Root



Change begins in powerful ways



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BLOOD DRIVE



93 Pints Donated

100% Volunteer

107 Blood Donors

51 First Time Donors

Exchange Students

Arizu
Fukuchi
Japan



Anja
Reicken:
Germany



Charlie
Feldmann:
Germany



When the world is seen through the eyes of a teenager, there are not the boundaries, issues and problems. What is seen and felt is powerful and positive.

A recipe for homecoming: Take 4 haywagons, Add 400



6 goals scored by Vergennes and zero by Mt. Abe and

students, numerous gallons of paint, 4 seasons, one

plucked eagle with one scorched t-bird, subtract a few



hundred bucks, add a parade heard around town, and



8 Easy Steps to World Domination

(Inspired By John Bruce)



World Domination Checklist

- US Presidency
- Beat Canada at Hockey
- Allow all Mexicans to be US Citizens
- Karate Chop Japan
- Beat Europe, and Brazil at Soccer
- Beat Russia at Chess
- Beat China at Ping-Pong
- Instill fear in the lives of every other country so that they give up



"Gee, Brain. What are we going to do tonight?"

"What we do every night, Pinky. Try to take over the world."





Erin Conway:
Winner Voices of
Democracy Speech
Contest



Jessica
Sturvetant:
Winner Lions
Club
Oratorical



Olivia Teer: Winner
Rotary International
Speech Contest &
Vermont Jr. Miss
Delegate

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**2007 Boys State
Delegates:
Charles Glassberg
Peter Watkins
Colin Bristow**



**2007 Girls State Delegates:
Olivia Teer, Erin Conway,
Abby Benton, Kaitlyn
Evarts**



**New England Young Writers
Conference 2008:**

Jessica Sturtevant, Erin Conway,
Kristen Grant, Samantha Schlein,
Joseph Chugg, Keenan Clayton-Hall,
Rye Matthews, Matthew Schlein
Not shown: Peter Watkins



**2007 HOBY
Delegate:
Margy
Kerschner**



**2008 DAR
Good Citizen
Award:
Abby
Benton**

Community Service...



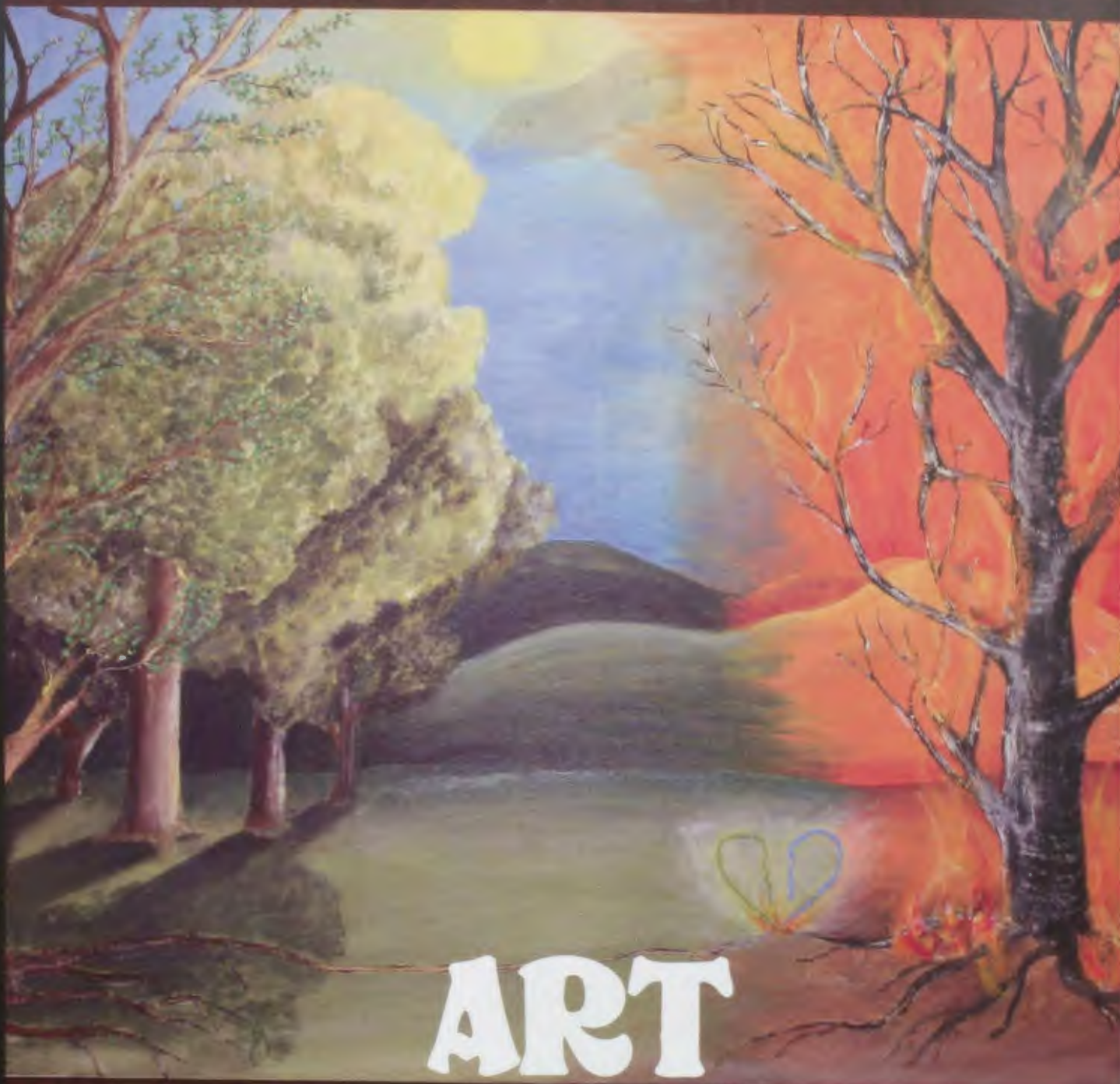
COVERING THE FIVE COMMUNITIES



WANT TO CREATE A UNIQUE AND ONE OF A KIND RECIPE? TRY THIS. TAKE THREE HUNDRED STUDENTS IN GRADES 9, 10, AND 12. ADD THEM TOGETHER WITH ADULT SUPERVISORS, FIVE BUSES, TWO COLLEGES AND TWENTY-FIVE DIFFERENT SITES AND ADD A MEASURE OF GOOD WEATHER. NOW FOLD IN COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECTS OF ALL SHAPES AND SIZES. STIR TOGETHER FOR NINE HOURS AND STAND BACK TO SEE WHAT YOU HAVE CREATED. THE RESULTS WILL BE ASTONISHING.

OCTOBER 9-11TH SAW THE PREMIER OF A NEW PILOT PROGRAM IN COMMUNITY BASED SERVICE AT VUHS. DURING THE TESTING DAYS FOR NEASC, WHERE THE ELEVENTH GRADERS WERE DILIGENTLY INVOLVED IN TESTING, THE FACULTY LEADERSHIP GROUP DEvised A PLAN TO CONTACT AND SEND VUHS FRESHMAN, SOPHOMORES AND SENIORS OUT INTO ADDISON, PANTON, WALTHAM, VERGENNES AND FERRISBURGH TO COMPLETE COMMUNITY SERVICE WORK. AFTER CONTACTING TOWN LEADERS, SELECT BOARDS, LOCAL CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS AND CHURCH LEADERS, THE GROUP ASSEMBLED A LIST OF LOCATIONS, PROJECTS AND DESIRED OUTCOMES FOR EACH MORNING MEETING GROUP AT VUHS. ONCE THERE THEY WOULD RAKE, PAINT, CLEAN, CLEAR, POLISH, PLANT, OR COMPLETE WHATEVER TASK THEY WERE ASSIGNED. THEY WOULD THEN RETURN TO SCHOOL BY LUNCHTIME.

FEEDBACK FROM THE COMMUNITY, PARENTS, STUDENTS AND TEACHERS HAS ENCOURAGED VUHS TO MAKE THIS AN ANNUAL EVENT AND DISCUSSION IS UNDERWAY ABOUT A FOLLOW UP DAY OF COMMUNITY SERVICE IN MAY.



WORKS BY HEATHER REGNAUD, JORDAN
ROBERTS, JULIA ROBINSON AND RYAN FULLER

ART EVOKES MYSTERY WITHOUT WHICH THE
WORLD WOULD NOT EXIST. RENE MAGRITTE





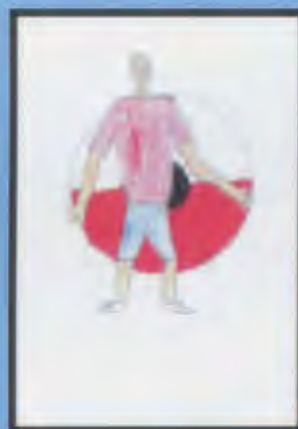
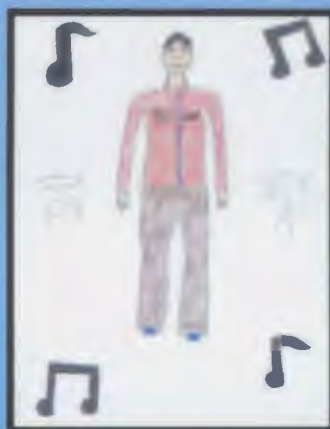
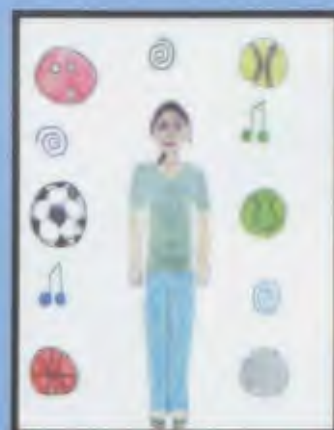
THE ART



YESTERDAY I WAS,
TOMORROW I WILL
BE,
TODAY I AM
CHANGING.
WHO DO YOU SEE?
DO YOU EVER
WONDER?
WHO WE WILL
BECOME?
WE ARE STILL
CHANGING.



OF ADOLESCENCE



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by Colin Bristow

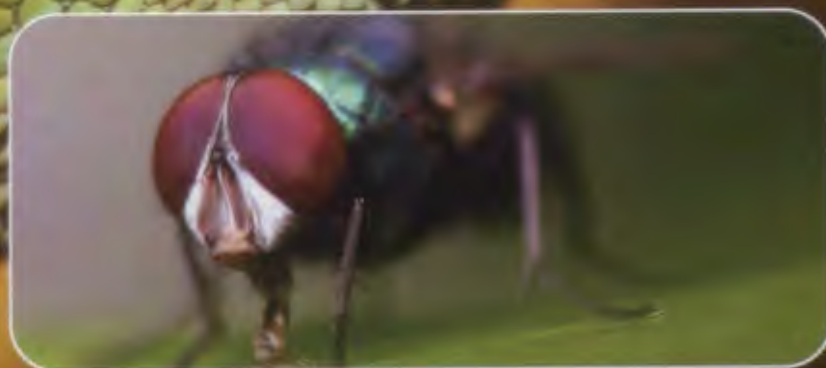


"Nature will bear the closest inspection. She invites us to lay our eye level with her smallest leaf, and take an insect view of its plain."

-Henry David Thoreau

"Nature is an infinite sphere
of which the center is
everywhere and the
circumference nowhere."

-Blaise Pascal



National Youth Leadership Forum on National Security



Leadership is much more than an art, a belief, a condition of heart, than a set of things to do. The visible signs of artful leadership are, expressed ultimately in its practice. Max DePree What do the Dali Lama, President Bush, The CIA, Ambassadors from Europe, Bobby Worley, Meghan O'Daniel and Erin Conway have in common? They all spent a week together in Washington D.C. in a leadership summit designed to promote world awareness and to study the issues of foreign diplomacy and foreign policy!







POETRY

A dangerous anaconda
slithers unknown
Never far behind
and when you least expect it
It strikes....
Suffocating you
Suffocating all other reason or
thought.
It takes you down making you
feel like there is no way out.
It swallows you whole.
And there is no way out
Without someone who cares
To lend a hand
Without a tool of your own
To save you.
You can never escape the wrath
of your anger.
K. Burkett

Storm Clouds Cover the Bright Sun

Lightning Flashes,
Thunder Roars,
Painful Raindrops Fall,
Causing the Waves to Swell
Eave After Wave.
Crashing Down Upon You
Taking Your Breath With Them,
How much longer can you live with
water
choking the life from you?
You tread the raging sea,
Trying to ride out the storm,
You are close to shore,
But don't realize you can stand
and walk to safety.
So You Drown...

David Kauffman

No Room in My Heart

There is no room in my heart for
revenge or hate,
for it ages my mind, and constrains
my soul.
I have no time for fear, or doubt,
it only inhibits my future.

The rhythm of life sweeps us away
as the litany of time carries us
forward, overwhelming us.
The news of the day and violence
of the hour numb our hearts and
cloud our vision, stealing the
air from our lungs, the air that
surrounds us, the air we all breathe.

Let's take a moment to catch our
breath,
lay down our guns
and acknowledge our peers, as
brothers

For a minute, we come together – a
remarkable sight.
We give life another look – allow to
see another side of ourselves.
Like wind-blown leaves, we must
move on.
But today, we are one, we are
beautiful.

So leave no room for hate,
you have no time for doubt
and if only for today,
let there be peace in your heart.
Olivia Teer

*"The richness I achieve comes from nature, the source of my
inspiration"
-Claude Monet*

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"I was
determined to
know beans."
-Henry David
Thorough

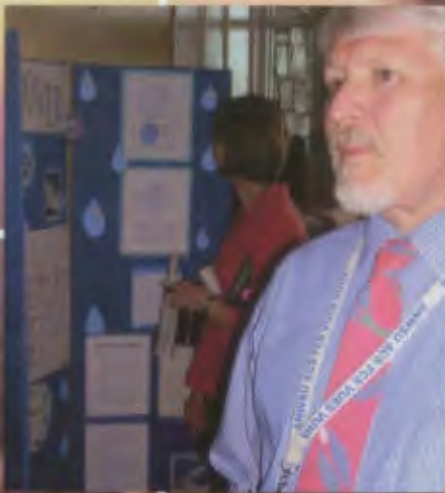
MIDDLE SCHOOL



I am Mike G. I bring strength.

I am Sadie Norton, I bring WHIMSY.

I am Alexis Lauko I bring happiness



Explorations in Learning 2007



Kara Griswold:
Special Educator



Robin Brigant:
Para Professional



Monica
McEnerny: Team
Odyssey



Chris Napolitano:
Farside



Jennifer Lawson:
Team Farside



Co- Principal:
Peter Reynolds



Jay Stetzel:
Guidance



Guess who?

An All- Star Cast

Odyssey Farside



Daryl Hatch:
Team
Millennium



Melissa Muzzy:
Team Odyssey



Kris Mueller:
Team Odyssey

Of Teachers & Paraprofessionals

Millennium

Capsule



Deb White:
Odyssey



Bobbie Goldstein:
Spec. Education



Chris Oxley: Team
Millennium



Eric Fries: Team
Millennium



Sean Nary: Team
Millennium

TEAM FAR SIDE

COLIN BASCOCK
KENNETH BELL
MICHAEL BLACKWELL
HUNTER CASEY
RYAN CROWNINGSHIELD
MICHAEL DANYOW



TABATHA DANYOW
KYLE DARWIN
JASON SAMPSON
DOMINICK SIMPSON
PETER SMITH
WADE STEELE



CARA STRONA
JUSTIN STRONA
MOLLY STRUHAMMER
CASEY TRAVERSE
MELISSA WEBB
STARR WHITNEY



MAXWELL FLYNN
MICHAEL GAGNON
REBECCA HARDIN
CYNTHIA HOLLER
ALEXANDER HULLISH
ANDREW KARZMARCZYK



MATTHEW KARZMARCZYK
JOSEPH KRATIEWSKY
LOGAN LAFLECHE
MARY LANGWORTHY
BENJAMIN LAPELL
JOSEPH LAPERLE



DAVID LASELL
SARA MITCHELL
JODI MOORE
JENNIFER MORLEY
EMILY MORRILL
NATASHA MOUTON



SAIGE NIMBLETT
KRISTIN NOLAN
ZACHARY OUELLETTE
BENJAMIN PARSONS
CODY QUATTROCCI
JENNA RAD



KELSEY DOBSON
ANDREW EDWARDS



*It all began with a hike
up Snake Mountain*



Farside







Odyssey

Team Captain
Team Member
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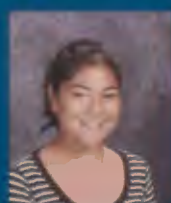
A Journey that Begins with Friends



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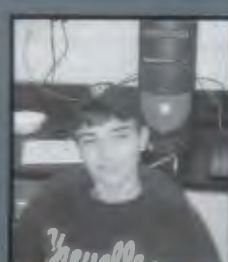


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Teaming It up for Success

Ashley Stearns
Allison Straley
Justin Sturges and
Jake Thompson
Will Vaughan
Jaxon Vossvaldt





Meet Mighty Millenium

Daisy Alexander
Jaskia Atkins
Derick Benoit
Isaac Bicknell
Monica Birchmore
Elyzabeth Bodington



Kyle Bradley
Alexandra Brinkman
Jesse Bunde
Jacob Burmania
Devon Campbell
Nathaniel Cannon



Carlin Chapin
David Clancy
Joshua Cook
Amanda Cola
Alex Coyle
Collin Curler



Adam Delisle
Amanda Delphia
Edward Devino III
Dale Enkson
Nathan Fleming
Alicia Gendreau



Justice Gilbert
Colin Giordano
Chelsea Grant
Geoffrey Grant
Jordan Grant
Lillian Haigs



Daniel Hawkins
Davin Hayes
Forrest Hentschel
Lillian Hubbard
Brittany Huestis
Cody Hutchins





David Johnson
Chen Katzmarczyk
Nathan Katzmarczyk
Alexa Kayfort
Morgan Kimball
Alexander Korth



Kallyn Lapell
Dylan Lortain
Alexis Louko
Emily Magoon
Abigail Marshall
Ashley Martin



Jack McCarthy
Alex McClellan
Andrew Miller
Jennifer Morley
Jesse Morris
Scott Mullin



Katelyn Mullins
Austin Nary
Dana Opra
Brittany Ouellette
Steven Paquette
Lindsey Pentkowski



Dallas Philips
Anthony Preston
Ariana Price
Travis Reed
Nicholas Richer
Devan Roberts



Chelsea Ross
Kimberlee Rossen
Jason Russo
Megan Saathoff
Casey Shea
Megan Smith



Michaela Sorrell
Megan Stearns
Katelyn Stone
Nickolas Thompson
Jonathan Welch

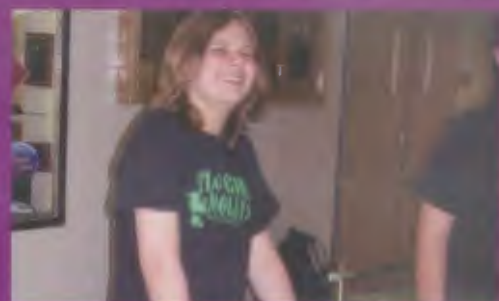


Millenium



Good Times. Good Friends.





Middle School: Growing, Changing & Exploring



The Middle School is part of Vergennes Union High School, but has a unique energy of its own. Our Middle School students bring enthusiasm to the athletic field, the stage, and into the classroom.



The Middle School is an Expeditionary Learning School. We provide active learning opportunities, a focus on character growth and foster high achievement through teamwork. We are crew, not passengers. Is a phrase coined by Kurt Hahn, a founder of Expeditionary Learning.



In an expedition, students create a realworld product that is a culmination of investigations into a topic. Our expeditions have tackled the issue of global warming, seasonal affective disorder, the rainforest and have found ways to make our school more environmentally friendly.



Our most recent expedition was middle school wide. We, myself and I helped students explore who they really are- what they look like on the outside and who they are on the inside, their learning styles, their goals, and how they can contribute to our school community.



Our students have created a Code of Character to guide their behavior each day and they are encouraged to strengthen habits of Learning that will carry them through high school and life.





GIRLS' BASKETBALL





Boys' BASKETBALL



CLUBS AND TEAMS

BASKETBALL A



BASKETBALL B



WRESTLING



GIRL'S GROUP



MAN CLUB - A VOLUNTARY GROUP OF (YOUNG) MEN BREAKING DOWN STEREOTYPES. WE ARE USING THE SKILLS WE HAVE DEVELOPED TO EDUCATE OTHER MEN ABOUT HOW TO BE RESPECTFUL INDIVIDUALS. WE ARE POSITIVE ROLE MODELS FOR OTHER STUDENTS. WORKING ON CHALLENGING OTHER YOUNG MEN TO STEP OUTSIDE THE "MAN BOX" SOMETIMES. IF YOU DON'T KNOW WHAT THE "MAN BOX" IS, ASK ONE OF THE GROUP MEMBERS.

GROUP

ADAM FLYNN

COREY HAIGHT

BOBBY WORLEY

RYAN PUTNAM

JACOB FIRLIK

JOE RUSSETT

JOE GOYETTE

AARON DESABRAIS

MORGAN STINCHFIELD

MARK STEADMAN

BOY'S GROUP





CHEERLEADING



Under the leadership of coach Kaylee Cota, the 2007-2008 Middle School Cheerleading Team had a great season with stunts, cheers and chants for all the Commodore Teams!

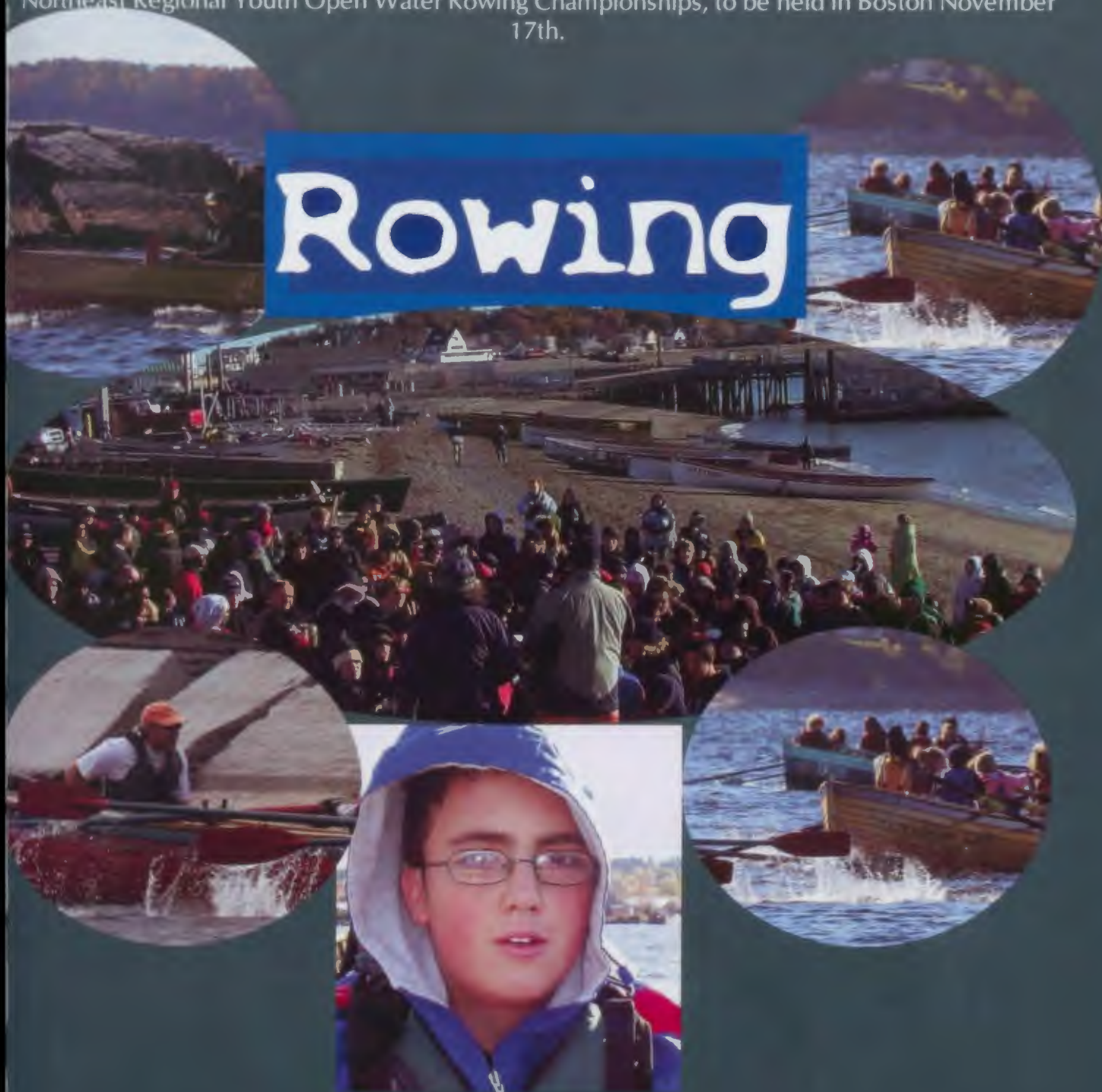


TRACK & CROSS COUNTRY



Participating in the James Wakefield Rescue Row sponsored by the Lake Champlain Maritime Museum on October 6th, the Vergennes Rowing team took first place in all three divisions. Nine schools from Maine, Massachusetts, and Vermont with over 180 rowers competed in the October 13th annual event held at Burlington Waterfront. The Vergennes Team surprised everyone, by not only being the first Vermont team to win the event but also to capture first in all three groups. The team, consisting of Damion Strona, Dan Averill, Ethan Baldwin, Justin Lalumiere, Jarrett Clark, Patrick McCarthy, and coxswain, Adam Bunde finished first in First Oar Sixes category. The team of Marlena Delisle, Ashley Erikson, Peter McDurfee, Josh West, and coxswain, Mavis Stansbery finished first in Novice Oar Fours. Being the youngest rowers at the event the team of Jesse Bunde, Robert Burbo, Max Campono, Dale Erikson, Devan Roberts and John Gilbert finished first in Novice Oar Sixes. The team's next event will be The Icebreaker: Northeast Regional Youth Open Water Rowing Championships, to be held in Boston November 17th.

Rowing





GIRLS' SOCCER

A-Team Soccer

Mougen Birchmore
Megan Causmo
Hannah Curler
Tahilla Dawson
Kemah Daulton
Amber Dow
Kelley Fitts
Chelsa Grant
Lillian Haighs
Sara Mitchell
Kirsten Nolan
Chelsea Ross
Megan Saathoff
Casey Shea
Megan Smith
Allison Stadel

B-Team Soccer

Molly Ambrose
Abbey Baker
Caitlin Chaput
Chelsea Fuller
Casey Jones
Mary Langworthy
Gabby Mutini
Sage Nimblett
Katie Robinson
Rachael Sorrell
Megan Stearns
Hayli Bievering
Briana Plouf
Kathryn Stone
Amanda Cota
Autumn Harvard
Hanni Muffour

Middle School Sports
are the building blocks
for the Connecutors
Champion Teams.
This year the soccer
players were especially
DEDICATED to
their sport. Keep an
eye out on the horizon
for future banners that
will carry the names of
these athletes as they
advance in age, skill
and make our
Connecutors sports
program proud!

Andrew Edwards
 Captain
 Stephen Cook
 Harold Cook, Josh
 Scott, David
 Johnson, Devin
 Hayes, Dustin
 Haggard, Thomas, Eric
 Worrell, Perry
 Simmons, Harvey
 Carter, Jonathan
 Welch, Jordan
 Saint, Justin Strain,
 Julius Sturtevant,
 Michael Danyew,
 Peter Hoberg, Ryan
 Cummings, Todd
 Timmy Johnson,
 Zachary Ouellette,
 Ben Parsons, Brenden
 Roberts, Colin
 Bahense, Collin
 Carter, Domonic
 McElroy, Jason
 Vorseveldt, Joseph
 LaPelle, Brian
 Hattler, Mac Flynn
 and Tony Plakow



BOYS' SOCCER



CHORUS

Alto: Daisy Alexander, Chase Atkins, Brittany Aunchman, Dustin Booska-Moulton, Shep Carter, David Clancy, Hannah Cuder, Kelsey Dobson, Tim Johnston, Chen Karzmarczyk, Morgan Kimball, Mary Kittredge, Emily Magoon, Alexan McClellan, Emily Morrill, Lindsay Pentkowski, Casey Shea, Kaitlyn Zinge, Jason Vorsteveld. Baritone: Max Campono, Jack Daves.

Middle School Chorus: Karen Jordan, Director

Katie Jordan, Accompanist

Soprano I Jodi Moore, Matthew Kimmell

Molly Ambrose Gabby Mathis

Abby Baker Soprano II

Amanda Delphia Amanda Clark

Becca Hardin Alex Cusack

Justice Gilbert Abby Goodman

Cynthia Holler Emma Harris

Marissa Jochum Morgan Kimmell

Katlyn Lapell Benjamin Lewis

Alexis Loukin Patricia Mathis

Lois Rood Abby Thomas

Megan Smith Jonathan Murley

Kate Smith Abby Thomas



CHORUS



Leaders of the Pack: Director:
Karen Jordan and Katie
Jordan, Accompanist



BAND



District Jazz: Lillian Haigis & Kyle Darwin



BAND

A huge part of the Middle School experience is participation in the Music Program under the direction of Mrs. Susan O'Daniel. For our budding instrumental musicians it is all about finding the best and making music a part of their daily lives.





On January 19th, 1927, the Vermont State Basketball Championship was held at the University of Vermont. The Vermont State Basketball Team, coached by Howard Martin, defeated the University of Vermont team by a score of 21-19. The Vermont State Basketball Team was composed of the following players: Albert Hamel, Roger Brink, David Ryan, Ralph Beeth, Eddie Vasser, Charles Ryan, Alec Lovelock, and Thomas.



Vermont Union High School in 1927



MIDDLE SCHOOL CLUBS



First Picture, back row: Julian Hattler, Chase Atkins, Ben Parsons, David Clancy. Front row: Devin Hayes, Geoffrey Grant, Amanda Delphus, Ben Roe.
Students involved in Mathematics, back row: Simon Angutah, Jon Walsh, Julian Hattler. Front row: Austin Nary, Devin Hayes, and Justin Sturtevant. Students involved in VKAT/Prevention Council, back row: Marissa Jochum, Kiana Robinson, Amber Drew, Jake Thompson, Chantal Hawkins. Front row: Bayli Bienvenue, Jenna Rao, Teacher Monica McEneroy, and Annika Harvard.

Congratulations To The Class of 2008
*May All Your Dreams Come
True*



"The Legion Family"

American Legion Post No. 14
American Legion Auxiliary Unit No. 14
Sons of the American Legion
Squadron 14

Fraternal Order of Eagles



Addison Aerie &
Auxiliary #3801

"We are people helping people."

Congratulations on your
accomplishments, Class of 2008!



Community...

"A community is a group of people who have
come together, and they work and they live
to try and improve the standard of living and
quality of life." William Baldwin



The Girls



The Boys

The Little Guys



The End

CONGRATULATIONS
CLASS OF 2008

Champlain Valley Orthopedics

VERGENNES UNION
HIGH SCHOOL



Eric B. Benz, M.D.
Orthopedic Surgery



George M. Connelly, PA-C
Physician Assistant



Benjamin N. Rosenberg, M.D.
Orthopedic Surgery & Sports
Medicine



Champlain Valley Orthopedics
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Middlebury, VT 05753
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Celebrating the Harmon Boyce

A N

"I took a temporary position here and stayed until it became more permanent." With these modest words, Harmon Boyce explains how his path crossed with VUHS in the summer of 1969. We are certainly glad it did. Known to the whole five town community as simply Harmon, he is a fixture in the lives of those involved with agriculture. With his caring, persistence and dedication to his school, his church, his students and the field he loves so much, he leaves behind an untouchable legacy of success, love and proof that the simple fact is that , " the roots go down and plant goes up and no one knows why or how, but we are all like that." For those who have crossed his path, their lives are forever richer. For this school, our lives are forever enhanced. Thank you, Harmon Boyce. With love and smiles, The Students of the Past 39 Years



Careers of...

Daryl Hatch



Mrs. Daryl Hatch has touched so many lives here at VUHS. Her dedication and devotion to her students is unparalleled. Who else but Mrs. Hatch would find a musher and a dog team to come to VUHS and give rides to her students to provide experiential learning during their study of "Call of the Wild"? Mrs. Hatch has dedicated over twenty years of providing life lessons as well as academic lessons to all of her students. Her patience, warm smile, and her encouraging ways have prompted many students to go above and beyond the norm in their academic quests. However, Mrs. Hatch has discovered that she has birches to swing on, roads to choose and beckoning grandchildren and family! Thank you for sharing your gifts of knowledge and of self with all of us! Enjoy your travels:



-Ann Sullivan

Thelma "Kitty" Oxholm

"On behalf of ANWSU we would like to congratulate Kitty on her devotion to students, and her outstanding career in special education."

-Tom O'Brien, Super Intendent of Schools

"To strive, to seek, to find, and not to yield. Congratulations on a wonderful career!"

-Ann Sullivan

VUHS has a long tradition of people in the school community leading quietly, but setting examples of dedication to the needs of the students and excellence in all phases of their careers. This is the case with ANWSU longtime employee Thelma "Kitty" Oxholm. Kitty was hired 9-1-1973 as special educator and she became Director of Instructional Support Services in 1998. During her career at VUHS she has personally managed the cases of over 500 students and worked to have them be successful in school and in life. She has trained and stewarded countless special educators through the first years of their careers and has worked at the local, district, and state level to keep the focus of education where it should be, on each student.

She now will move on to continue her service in the Vermont House of Representatives where her business sense, civic pride, and devotion to children are already earning her the respect of her peers. We could not let her leave the district without a full disclosure of our appreciation and a Commodore salute! Thank you!



VUHS's Benton gets two honors for soccer

VERGENNES — Vergennes Union High School senior Alex Benton

Historic titles, heartbreaks, upsets, tears mark year

By ANDY KIRKALDY
 ADDISON COUNTY AND BRANDON — Athletes from all quadrants of this part of Vermont made history in 2007.
 Teams that had never won state or national championships did so. One wrestler went undefeated in the state, and others won titles and their 100th matches. A basketball playoff game was decided in quadruple overtime. A young man from



VUHS senior tops Independent soccer team



VUHS teens help their towns

Community service efforts draw praise

— and left in their wake a trail of gleaming windows, pruned bushes, fresh paint and neat lawns. All were seniors, sophomores and

teachers. Despite some initial skepticism, the first-year experiment went well, according to both the beneficiaries — town officials, church members and librarians — S administrators. It was Ferrisburgh road in Bull, whose employees VHS students as they e side of Sand Road and

Local rivals

VUHS girls edge Eagles

BRISTOL — In an early-season clash between two local Division II girls' basketball teams playing well, Vergennes outlasted host Mount Abraham Union High School on Dec. 19 51-46

team tourney hosted by Fair Haven. The Commodores have lost only undefeated Montpelier in a close game their season opener and at CVU on Dec. 1

Vergennes rowers compete in "Icebreaker" event



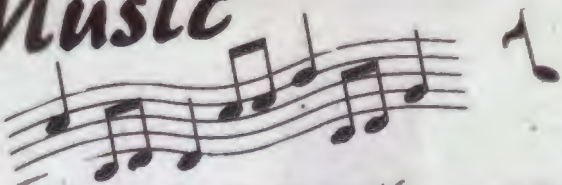
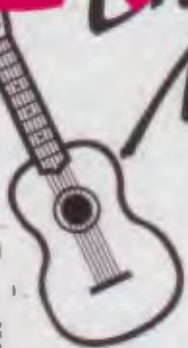
Vergennes rowers streaked to victory during the recent "Icebreaker" event in Massachusetts. The teams from Vergennes Middle and High School did especially well in this north-east region championship.

VUHS IN THE NEWS

Vergennes Union High School

music department presents:

The Sound of Music



Nov. 8, 9 & 10th at 7:00

VUHS boys beat buzzer, topple U-32

Commodores trail early, fight back

Boarders flock to city park

Skate facility open following long wait

All-stars include five Commodores
 By ANDY KIRKALDY
 ADDISON COUNTY — The Vergennes Union High School girls' soccer team didn't expect its unblemished season of 2006, but this fall the



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POPULAR TV SHOWS

American Idol
Dancing with the Stars
NBC Sunday Night Football
CSI
Grey's Anatomy
Samantha Who?
House
CSI: Miami

STARS OF THE WEB

Obama Girl: Girl with "a crush on Obama"
Cris Crocker: "LEAVE BRITNEY ALONE!"
Chocolate Rain
Miss Teen South Carolina
Hand-holding Otters
Philippine inmates dance to "Thriller"
YouTube Democratic Debate Snowman
Nora The Piano Playing Cat



Miss Teen South Carolina



Philippine inmates dance to "Thriller"

POPULAR VEHICLES



Ford F-Series
Chevy Silverado
Toyota Camry
Honda Accord
Honda Civic
Chevy Impala
Nissan Altima
Dodge Ram

BOX OFFICE WINNERS

1. Spider-Man 3 - \$336 million
2. Shrek the Third - \$321 million
3. Transformers - \$319 million
4. Pirates of the Caribbean: At World's End - \$309 million
5. Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix - \$291 million
6. The Bourne Ultimatum - \$227 million
7. 300 - \$210 million
8. Ratatouille - \$206 million
9. The Simpsons Movie - \$183 million
10. Wild Hogs - \$168 million

TOP SELLING DVDs

300
Happy Feet
Transformers
Departed
Ratatouille
Shrek the Third
Night at the Museum
Pirates of the Caribbean: At World's End
Casino Royale
Pursuit of Happyness



POPULAR SONGS ON ITUNES

1. Fergie "Big Girls Don't Cry (Personal)"
2. Gwen Stefani "The Sweet Escape"
3. Plain White T's "Hey There, Delilah"
4. Avril Lavigne "Girlfriend"
5. Fergie "Glamorous"
6. Kanye West "Stronger"
7. Maroon 5 "Makes Me Wonder"
8. Akon "Don't Matter"
9. Timbaland "The Way I Are" (Featuring Keri Hilson & D.O.E.)
10. Shop Boyz "Party Like a Rock Star"

REUNION TOURS

Rage Against the Machine
Smashing Pumpkins
The Police
Van Halen
Genesis
Spice Girls
Led Zeppelin
Spinal Tap



POPULAR TELEVISION COMMERCIALS

Nationwide Insurance: Kevin Federline rockin' the fries.

iPod Nano Video featuring Feist's song "1-2-3-4"

American Express: Tina Fey

Jack Links Beef Jerky: Messin' With Sasquatch

Geico: Cavemen

POPULAR GOOGLE SEARCHES



Oprah Winfrey

Soulja Boy

Britney Spears

Miley Cyrus

Paris Hilton

Chris Brown

Vanessa Hudgens

Jessica Simpson

Rihanna

Tiger Woods

POPULAR RINGTONES

"Super Mario Bros."

- Koji Kondo

"Candy Shop" - 50 Cent

"Rockstar" - Nickelback

"Pink Panther" - Henry Mancini

"Irreplaceable" - Beyonce

"What Hurts the Most"
- Rascal Flatts

"Crazy" - Buckcherry

2008

YEAR IN REVIEW

2007-2008: We'll always remember it as the year...

Well, the year of the what, exactly? It was the year of the high-tech iPhone, but also the year that good old-fashioned letter writing became popular among students. It was the year that Southern California burned while the Midwest was crippled by ice. This year we saw the bottom fall out of the mortgage market and a bridge in Minneapolis. In Washington, Alberto Gonzales and Karl Rove stepped down; in Boston, the Celtics, Sox and Patriots stepped up. In theaters, Bourne, Shrek, Spidey, and Pirates all came back for "Threequels," but our favorite TV shows were cut off after only a few episodes due to the writers' strike.

And so, with Hollywood on hold and nothing good on TV, we decided to focus our attention on re-thinking our lifestyle and coming up with ways to produce less waste and use less energy. Being Earth-friendly became fashion-forward. Champions of planet preservation are hoping that environmentalism catches on as a new lifestyle rather than a flash-in-the-pan fad.

If so, then we may be able to look back and call 2008 "The Year We Saved The Planet."

SOLIDARITY WITH WRITERS



Fuel-friendly flyer

Boeing brings us a super-efficient airplane, the 787 Dreamliner, which uses 20% less fuel than similarly sized airplanes.



Hate to burst your bubble

The housing bubble finally burst, big time. Defaults on subprime mortgages rise steadily. As a result, a slew of mortgage companies fail and financial institutions recognize losses exceeding \$135 billion.

Nobel committee warms up to Gore

Former Vice President Al Gore and the U.N.'s Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change win the 2007 Nobel Peace Prize for their efforts to raise awareness of global warming.



The pen is mightier

Seeking fair compensation for content distributed through the internet and DVD sales, the Writers Guild of America goes on strike against the Alliance of Motion Picture and Television Producers causing reruns, reality TV and game shows to overwhelm the airwaves. The strike costs the entertainment industry over \$1 billion, and forces us to watch even more YouTube than ever before.



Don't eat that action figure!

More than 20 million toys made in China are recalled amid concern over items made with toxic lead paints and magnets that pose a choking risk to children.



"Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows"

The final installment of the Harry Potter series breaks sales records as the fastest-selling book ever, selling more than eight million copies in the first 24 hours following its release. Rumor has it that all eight million copies were read immediately, in one sitting, to avoid having the ending spoiled.



California wildfires

A series of wildfires burns across Southern California resulting in the death of at least ten people, the destruction of over 1,500 homes and leaving over 500,000 acres of scorched earth.



Drew Carey, come on down!

After Bob Barker's retirement from hosting "The Price is Right," Drew Carey steps in to host "America's favorite game show."



"Taps" plays for bottled water

The same people that turned bottled water into a \$15 billion industry are now regretful that 38 million plastic bottles a year are made with 1.5 million barrels of oil. Back to tap water, everybody!





Of mice and men

By rewinding infected mice's skin cells to an embryonic state and manipulating them to create healthy replacement tissue, scientists grow ever closer to curing Sickle Cell disease in humans.



The tides are turning

More and more people, politicians, and scientists are starting to acknowledge the possibility of global warming as a reality, launching a trend to "go green" and take better care of our planet.



The Cat in the Hat turns 50

In 1954, Ted Geisel (a.k.a. Dr. Seuss) was challenged to write a more exciting version of the boring "Dick and Jane" children's reading books. In 1957, "The Cat In The Hat" was born, and Dr. Seuss's famous feline has been teaching kids to read for 50 years.



Oprah's high school challenge

This revealing new program shows us high school as high schoolers see it - challenging issues much deeper than prom or pimples.

One Laptop Per Child

The idea is simple: provide children with opportunities to learn and explore, and they will do just that. The XO laptop developed by OLPC is built just for kids, and is designed to be affordable for every school-aged child in the world.



Queen Rania of Jordan

With lots of press for her philanthropic work advocating women's and children's rights, including appearances on "The Oprah Winfrey Show," Queen Rania is quickly becoming the Queen a lot of young women are looking up to.

Hillary Clinton

John McCain

Barack Obama

The race for '08

John McCain, Hillary Clinton and Barack Obama begin mudslinging through the Presidential primaries in hopes of becoming a candidate for President in 2008.



A smorgasbord of spoof

Don't have time to see all the big movies of the year? Why bother when there's "Epic Movie," which parodies all of the popular box office hits.



Back in black

In "Spider-Man 3," a strange black sludge bonds with Peter Parker and causes inner turmoil (and a sweet new black costume!) as he battles with new villains, temptations, and revenge.



"Hairspray"

Based on the 1988 cult classic about star-struck teenagers on a local dance show, "Hairspray" puts John Travolta in a dress and shows us a side of him we didn't see in "Saturday Night Fever."



The odds are 13 to 1

Danny Ocean and his crew of high-rolling casino robbers are out for revenge in "Ocean's Thirteen," the third installment of the Las Vegas heist series.



Rink of fire

Will Ferrell and Jon Heder star in "Blades of Glory" as two rival ice skaters banned from competition until a loophole is discovered that allows them to reluctantly skate as a pair.



Bourne again

Still seeking clues about his past and possibly his future, Jason Bourne races around the globe while being pursued by a mysterious assassin in "The Bourne Ultimatum."



POPULAR MOVIES

Transformers
I Am Legend
I'm Not There
The Simpsons Movie
300
Enchanted
Hairspray
High School Musical 2
Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix
Into The Wild
Sweeney Todd
Hot Fuzz

One ogre to rule them all

In "Shrek the Third," Shrek's plans to settle down and raise a family are disrupted by the sudden death of King Harold. Rather than take on the duty of ruling Far Far Away, Shrek decides to track down the true heir to the throne, Fiona's cousin, Artie.



Power to the penguin

The penguin has been Hollywood's go-to animal recently. You've seen them march, seen their happy feet dance, and this year, you see them hang ten in "Surf's Up."



"Ghost Rider"

Motorcycle stuntman Johnny Blaze sells his soul to save the life of his beloved, Roxanne Simpson, and becomes "Ghost Rider," a blazing skull-o-justice determined to get his soul back.





Funniest health code violation of 2000

Pixar serves up "Ratatouille," a deliciously funny tale of a French rat named Remy who wants to be a chef despite the obvious problem of being - EEEK! - a rat in the kitchen!

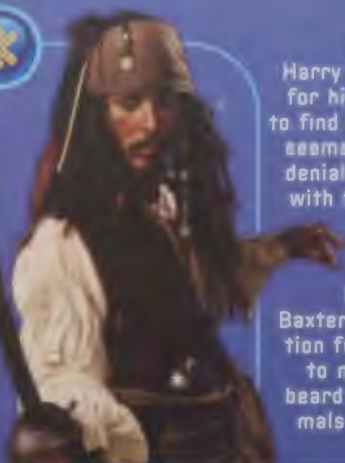


"Hot Rod"

Self-proclaimed (yet lousy) stuntman Rod Kimble prepares for the jump of his life - to clear fifteen buses to raise money for his stepfather's life-saving heart operation.

"Pirates of the Caribbean: At World's End"

Swashbucklers Will Turner and Elizabeth Swann are allied with Captain Barbossa in a quest to free Captain Jack Sparrow from his mind-blowing trap in Davy Jones' Locker.



"Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix"

Harry Potter returns to Hogwarts for his fifth year of studies, only to find that the magical community seems to be in a curious state of denial about his recent encounter with the sinister Lord Voldemort.



"Evan Almighty"

God tells Congressman Evan Baxter to build an ark in preparation for a great flood. God forgot to mention that a lengthy white beard and countless pairs of animals were also part of the deal.



Raking in the D'Oh!

After 20 years of small-screen success, "The Simpsons" blow up the big screen in their first feature-length film. The film grosses over \$500 million, and leaves everyone singing the Spider-Pig theme song.



"Wild Hogs"

Tired of their humdrum lives, four middle-aged friends decide to temporarily ditch their responsibilities and take a motorcycle trip.

The scariest mom since "Psycho"

The epic poem we all have to read in lit class comes to life on the big screen. "Beowulf" saves the Danes from the indomitable monster Grendel and later, Grendel's mother, who begins killing out of revenge.



Motor Trend's Film of the Year

A war erupts on Earth between the heroic Autobots and the evil Decepticons, leaving the fate of mankind in the hands of a kid and his Camaro (with a little help from Optimus Prime).



MOVIES

"Bus driver - move that bus!"

Ty Pennington and his crew of demolition and renovation experts are back for a fifth season of "Extreme Makeover: Home Edition."



"American Gladiators"

A revamp of the 1989 series, the all-new upgraded version pits recreational athletes against fierce warriors wielding giant Q-tips in the ultimate David & Goliath battle.



Can you be Frank with us?

Celebrity impersonator Frank Caliendo gets his own sketch comedy show, "Frank TV," where he showcases the hundreds of voices that live inside his head.



EMMY AWARDED WINNERS:

Comedy Series: "30 Rock"

Variety, Music or Comedy Series:
"The Daily Show With Jon Stewart"

Reality-Competition Program:
"The Amazing Race"

Actor, Drama Series: James Spader,
"Boston Legal"

Actor, Comedy Series: Ricky Gervais,
"Extras"

Actress, Drama Series: Sally Field,
"Brothers & Sisters"

Actress, Comedy Series: America
Ferrera, "Ugly Betty"



"Deal or No Deal"

After three seasons, "Deal or No Deal" has yet to give away the million-dollar prize. As a result they keep adding million-dollar cases, building up to a \$100 million cash prize.

"The Hills" are alive with controversy

Sure, we like keeping tabs on LC, Heidi, and Audrina - but how "real" is this MTV reality show, anyway?



More like "Two and a Half Men"

Since 2003, CBS' "Two and a Half Men" has been a ratings powerhouse. But the older child-actor Angus T. Jones gets, the more they might want to re-think that title.



"Chuck"

One day you're a computer geek working for the Nerd Herd, and the next day your head is full of government intel and you're running secret missions for the CIA ...and you STILL work for the Nerd Herd.



Weirdos in Wisconsin

The CW launches "Aliens in America," a politically incorrect satire about two high school students who just don't feel like they're fitting in - a feeling that 99.9% of high school students can relate to.

"Are You Smarter Than a Fifth Grader?"

Most game shows offer big money, but "Are You Smarter Than a 5th Grader" puts something bigger on the line: pride. Losing contestants have to look into the camera and declare "I am not smarter than a 5th grader."



Bart Simpson is older than he looks

It's a big year for America's Favorite Family, as "The Simpsons" celebrate 20 years on television and 400 episodes.

Holding out for a Hero

With no new episodes in the foreseeable future, fans of "Heroes" turn to the NBC website for "Heroes: Evolutions." Here they get their fix of new stories during the writers' strike.



Bad day at "The Office"

Most of the actors on "The Office" are also the show's writers. Therefore, there are no new episodes produced during the writers' strike, even though scripts had been written.



Sanjaya sits idly as Sparks flies

Seventeen-year-old Jordin Sparks beats out Blake Lewis for the title of "American Idol," while the rest of America breathes a sigh of relief that Sanjaya Malaker was finally voted off the show.

Do you believe in magic?

Uri Geller and Criss Angel head up the search to find America's next great mentalist on "Phenomenon," a reality show where the contestants' talents are mind-boggling.



"Samantha Who?"

After becoming the victim of a hit-and-run accident, Samantha Newly develops amnesia and has to rediscover her life, her relationships and herself.



Karma is a funny thing

What goes around, comes around: Could it be that the reason "My Name Is Earl" wins so many entertainment industry awards is because it makes so many people laugh?



The sew must go on

Fortunate for fashionistas, the Writers' Strike didn't affect production of "Project Runway," now in its fourth season.

Dangerous curves ahead

Indy 500 champion Helio Castroneves and his dance partner Julianne Hough show that they're driven to succeed after they win first place in "Dancing with the Stars."



Ugly never looked so good

After a stellar first season, "Ugly Betty" starts its second season with two Golden Globe awards, an Emmy, and two Teen Choice Awards, among others.





A walk in the park

Linkin Park releases "Minutes to Midnight," an album in which a) they experiment with their established sound and draw influences from a wider range of styles, and in which b) they totally rock.



Fallout unlikely

With their latest album, "Infinity On High," topping the 2007 Billboard charts, Chicago pop-punkers Fall Out Boy spend 2007 teaching us the difference between a scene and an arms race.

POPULAR ALBUMS

Alicia Keys "As I Am"
Common "Finding Forever"
Kanye West "Graduation"
Timbaland "Timbaland Presents Shock Value"
Amy Winehouse "Back to Black"
Radiohead "In Rainbows"
Arctic Monkeys "Favourite Worst Nightmare"
Jay-Z "American Gangster"
Rihanna "Good Girl Gone Bad"
White Stripes "Icky Thump"

Popular before she was popular

Colbie Caillat was a MySpace Music phenom before her first single, "Bubbly," was widely released.



Shawty got low, low, low, low

Flo Rida's club-based single "Low" featuring T-Pain hits No. 1 and becomes a dance-floor jingle selling Apple Bottom Jeans and "boots with the fur."



Justin likes your girlfriend

What better way to impress the ladies than to release the "Deluxe Edition" of your No. 1 album and then put together a world tour that grosses over \$100 million?



Avril doesn't like your girlfriend

Avril Lavigne's third album debuts at number one and her single "Girlfriend" rockets to the top of the Billboard charts. Keep your eyes on your guys, ladies.



Unsigned and still major

Before signing with a record label, Soulja Boy built his following on YouTube and MySpace with a video demonstrating his "Soulja Boy" dance. Crank THAT!



Beyoncé still soaring

With her chart-topping singles and dazzling performance in the movie "Dreamgirls," R&B's leading lady shows us that she's still "irreplaceable."



Gym Class Heroes

They're MTV's Best New Artist of 2007, and they're always picked first for dodgeball.

Big Dog Daddy

Toby Keith unleashes his mega-successful album, "Big Dog Daddy," proving once again that his music is good for more than just selling Ford trucks.



Chris Brown

With acting appearances in "The OC," "Stomp the Yard," and "This Christmas," and a Grammy nomination for "Kiss Kiss," Chris Brown shows that he can do just about anything he pleases.



Plain White T's

Hey there, Delilah, are they America's hottest new band, or just a clever ad campaign for Fruit of the Loom?

How to Carrie a tune

Carrie Underwood releases "Carnival Ride," which is certified double-platinum, and she is named Billboard's Best Country Artist of 2007.

Jason Michael Carroll

Carroll's single "Alyssa Lies" earns him Billboard's Top New Country Artist of 2007.

The poor girl still struggles with algebra

At 18, Taylor Swift already has three No. 1 singles, one of which she wrote in 9th grade math class.

Featuring T-Pain

List the songs you liked this year, and T-Pain probably had something to do with one of them.

Daughtry dominates

Chris Daughtry gets four Grammy nominations and wins three American Music Awards, which he probably keeps next to his 4th Place American Idol trophy.

Pray for rain

Rihanna's single "Umbrella," featuring Jay-Z is named one of the 10 Best Songs of 2007 by "Time" magazine, and Rihanna earns six Grammy nominations in 2008.

Finger Eleven

We all seem to be struck by Finger Eleven's "Paralyzer," the band's second Top 40 hit in 5 years.



MUSIC



Samsung Q1 Ultra

All the power of a PC, all the portability of a handheld. It plays music and movies, it runs Windows XP, and it looks oh-so-sleek. This "little guy" just might revolutionize the contents of our backpacks.

Flytech Dragonfly

Tiny helicopters are yesterday's news. The Flytech Dragonfly is the world's first remote-controlled flapping flying machine, and it's a blast to play with.



The only way to go Blu-ray

Sure, you can watch Blu-ray discs on your PS3, but if you're serious about picture quality, the Pioneer Elite Blu-ray player could be the best thing to ever happen to your plasma screen.

POPULAR VIDEO GAMES



ROCK BAND

It's like Guitar Hero, but adds drums and vocals.



BURNOUT PARADISE

Blazing-fast race game with a wide-open map.



SUPER MARIO GALAXY

Super Mario in outer space!

Send it to my screen

The Slingbox throws your home television controls to any internet-connected computer or cell phone. Now you can watch "Aqua Teen Hunger Force" on your phone, or surf channels from any couch in the world!



Games people play

Whether you want the expandability of the Xbox 360, the exceptional wi-fi and Blu-ray capabilities of the Playstation 3, or the four-player fun of the motion-sensing Nintendo Wii, there's no doubt that home game consoles are bigger and better than ever. And best of all, Guitar Hero III is available for all three platforms.



A little video for everyone

Apple totally redesigned the iPod nano from the ground up, making it shorter and wider. They also added video capability, so you can watch movies, TV shows and music videos on the go.



High interest R8

From Audi comes the all-new R8. Race inspired with it's mid-engine design and high-revving 4.2 liter V8, the new R8 is not only powerful, it's also gorgeous enough to forgive it's 15 mpg fuel rating.



This is your wake-up call

The iPod alarm clock from Boynq is a pretty little bedside accessory that lets you wake up to your favorite song. And the remote-controlled snooze button practically guarantees that you'll never be on time for anything again.



Slide over here and look at these pix

The reason we have to have a Nikon CoolPix S51 is because we can create an in-camera slide-show set to our own music and view it on the huge 3-inch display.



Image is everything

Canon's latest PowerShot SD870IS is ultra-compact in looks only. It features a 3-inch display, 8-megapixel resolution, and face detection technology.



Spion Digital Binocular Camera

What did you expect from a company whose name rhymes with "Spy on?" Binoculars with a built-in digital camera can either get you great close-up shots or a restraining order. Use them wisely.



High-def Sony Handycam

Tired of lugging that big camcorder to the skate park? Sony's ultra-light and compact HDR-CX7 is the best way to capture high-def video on the halfpipe.



Apple's new flat-top

Apple's MacBook Air is the world's thinnest notebook - thin enough to fit in an envelope and slide under a door - and it may start a trend towards totally wireless laptops.



King of the shiny things

People stand in line for hours to get their hands on this highly anticipated cell phone from Apple. This über-gadget combines cell phone technology with a fully functioning touch-screen iPod. The iPhone contains tons of on-board features and looks unlike any other phone on the market, making it the must-have gadget of the year.



Barry Bonds breaks HR record

On August 7, 2007 Barry Bonds hits his 756th home run, breaking the all-time career home run record formerly held by Hank Aaron.



The Stanley Cup gets quacked

The Anaheim Ducks defeat the Ottawa Senators four games to one to win their first ever NHL championship trophy.



Mercury rises

The Phoenix Mercury defeat the Detroit Shock 108-92, clinching their first league title in Game 5 of the WNBA championship series.



Spurs stick it to Cavaliers

The San Antonio Spurs prove they can do no wrong as they defeat the Cleveland Cavaliers to win their fourth championship since 1999.



THIS YEAR'S CHAMPS

NBA: San Antonio Spurs
NFL: New York Giants
MLB: Boston Red Sox
NHL: Anaheim Ducks
MLS: Houston Dynamo
WNBA: Phoenix Mercury
Arena Football:
San Jose SaberCats
NASCAR: Jimmie Johnson
NCAA Football: LSU Tigers
NCAA Baseball:
Oregon St. Beavers
NCAA Men's Hoops:
Florida Gators
NCAA Women's Hoops:
Tennessee Lady Volunteers



Pro before prom

Tadd Fujikawa is one of the youngest golfers to have competed in the U.S. Open, and at 16 announces that he is turning pro.



Yo! Adrian!

Former Oklahoma running back Adrian Peterson plays his first season in the NFL, where he sets a single-game NFL rushing record of 296 yards, and is named the league's Offensive Rookie of the Year.



Giants step on New England

The New York Giants upset the New England Patriots 17-14 to win Super Bowl XLII.



Gators bite back-to-back

The Florida Gators men's basketball team becomes the first college team ever to win repeat championships with the same starting lineup.





Crazy year in the BCS

It's a system designed to calculate a college football team's ranking based on statistics. But until this year, the system never encountered so many upsets by low-ranking or un-ranked teams.



Makes Volunteer work look easy

The Lady Volunteers of Tennessee defeat Rutgers to win their 7th NCAA Women's Basketball championship.



Bench 'em like Beckham

He's head and shoulders above other players, but his injured knees and ankles kept him sidelined for much of his first season with the LA Galaxy.



Jimmie Johnson

With 10 wins in 2007, Jimmie Johnson is NASCAR's Nextel Cup Champion.



The New England Patriots have a perfect 18-0 record until they face the NY Giants in Super Bowl XLII.

The Boston Red Sox win the World Series, sweeping the Colorado Rockies in four games.

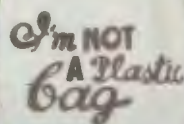
The Boston College Eagles start their season at 8-0 for the first time since 1942, and go on to beat Michigan State in the Champs Sports Bowl.

The boys from Beantown

Ray Allen, Paul Pierce and Kevin Garnett put the Celtics back in the NBA, and the Patriots winning streak is rubbing off on everyone from Boston College to the Red Sox. If you're a Boston sports fan, this is your year.



SPORTS



I'm Not a Plastic Bag

Bringing along a reusable shopping bag reduces waste, and this trendy canvas bag by Anya Hindmarch is wildly popular on both coasts.



Earth-saving vows

This year a popular wedding trend was to have a "green" wedding. Brides and grooms are selecting organic caterers, hybrid limousines, and outdoor garden venues to help reduce our ecological footprint.

Reverb gets good feedback

Eco-friendly musicians turn to Reverb, a company founded by musician Adam Gardner of Guster (right), to help them plan greener tours. Reverb "greens" concert tours by providing biofuel for tour busses, biodegradable catering products, and on-site fan outreach.



Subani, Lelayno Plant



Wal-Mart Stores, Inc.

The only trend that matters

Sure, what you wear, what you buy, and how you style your hair and make-up define the trends of the past year. But the biggest and most ubiquitous trend of 2008 is to "go green." No longer just a niche cause for "tree-huggers," environmentalism goes mainstream and everyone from brides-to-be to major corporations begin doing their part to radically re-think how we can function with less waste, less pollution, and a brighter future for our planet.

Drive a Hummer, plant a tree

"Carbon offsetting" is a method by which people and companies do good deeds such as building turbines, planting trees and converting methane into fuel to make up for the ozone-depleting CO₂ generated by their energy-consuming lifestyles.



The big, green corporate machine

Big businesses across the globe have begun to radically re-think their operations. Subaru's plant in Indiana has achieved zero landfill status. Wal-Mart hopes to one day soon be supplied by 100% renewable energy. Hewlett-Packard, S.C. Johnson and Continental Airlines are among other corporations being applauded for their environmental efforts.

Changing light bulbs


Office buildings and schools everywhere are switching from fluorescent lights to Compact Fluorescent Lights or Light Emitting Diode bulbs. Both last 10 times longer than fluorescent bulbs and can reduce energy usage by 50-80%.

Could a Bushfire save the planet?

Musician Jack Johnson converts the offices and studios of his Brushfire record label into a model of ecofriendliness, with solar power, recyclable CD packaging and energy-saving air conditioners.



TRENDS





"I AM THE GREATEST"





