WE are Vergennes Union High School 2011
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2011 Commodores
Kyle Adams

When the rain's rage wets the poor school
Jr. Soccer 1-3, Sandlot Team 1-3
Moments may be lost in time,
But the sweetest memories are never left behind.
For the great things you will do,
I'll be blessed cause you my son
But I'll always see the boy
In the man you've become.
It's hard to know when to let you spread your wings
When to let you face the challenges life brings
But you're grown so fine.
And come as far
Keep wishing on the stars
I love you, Mom

Greg Alexopoulos

Greg

I don't wanna talk to you no more, you empty headed animal food trough
wiper. I fart in your general direction. Your mother was a hamster and your
father smelt of elderberries!
-Monty Python Frenchman

'An eye for an eye only ends up making the whole world blind.'

Lacrosse 1, Tech Club 2, Science Club 4, Soccer 1, Yearbook 4,
Homecoming 4, Float Building 4.

Allen Amery

A-Dog, Big-A, Al, Double A, Amery

From one beginning's end comes another beginning's start.

"If I didn't do it, then I wouldn't know it was wrong now."
"Semper fidelis (always faithful) - United States Marine Corps"

Variety Wrestling 2-4, Varsity Football 4
Shawna Arthers
Bug, Shanoobie, Shawzzna, Shawn

The best and most beautiful things in the world cannot be seen or even touched. They must be felt with the heart. - Helen Keller

Shawna Bug
You have become a loving and caring young lady. We are so proud of you.
Love xoxo

Mom, Dad & Jenna

Baby Girl Sherry Berry & Oden
Shawna

You're an amazing girl. Keep following your dreams and be the person you want to be. Congratulations, you did it.
Love, Shane

Victoria Anguish
Tori, Vicky-T, Tor

"If you find it in your heart to care for somebody else, you will have succeeded." - Maya Angelou

Failure teaches us that life is but a draft, an endless rehearsal of a show that will never play." - Hipólito 'Amélie.’

Musical 2-4, Yearbook 1

Arlene Atkins

Each day has a new beginning, a middle and an end. What is important is the value we place in the day as it occurs.

Vocational 2-4, Community Service 1-4, Homecoming 3
Daniel Charles Averill
Dan

"Life is a journey best taken among the comfort of friends." Hemingway

Rowing 1-4, Baseball 1

Senior 2011
Michaela Bicknell
Micky C, Doodlebug, Mochilla

To our wise, fierce, loyal, independent, loving and splendidly silly girl Michaela. We wish you great joy and success. Work hard and remember to play in the rain!

We love you and are so very proud, Dad and Mom

Me, E.E. Cummings wrote, it takes great courage to grow up and become who you really are. You are one of the truest people we know, a girl of great courage, one who defines her own life. Congratulations, love, hugs and up, up, up! Gavin, Isaac and Delaney

Theme
Days
Jamie Lee Blanchard

Community Service 1-4, Homecoming 3-4
"Life is not about the moments we breathe, it's about the moments that take our breath away."

Brooke Bougor
Brooker, Brookster, Brookie

"Nobody said life would be easy, they just promised it would be worth it."

JV Basketball 2, Varsity Basketball 3-4, 4A Basketball 1-3,
History Day 1, Homecoming Float 1-4, Homecoming Parade 1-3,
Blood Drive 3, Senior Walk-4, Than 4, Community Service 1-4,
DUO 2-4, Project Graduation Committee 4

Dustin Bradford

"Don't worry, wait, watch or drum clock to see what time it is."
"From the moment I wake up I just live being with my friends."
"We always get by, but have the best times and hope it never ends."

German Exchange 3, German Club 1-3, Theatre Arts 2 & 4, German Host 4, JV Soccer 1

Dustin

I can't believe you're graduating from high school. I'm so proud of you. You have grown into an amazing young man. As this chapter of your life ends, new and broader horizons will open for you. Embrace all the that you've learned and trust in what you know and you will go far in this life. I love you very much. And you're crying as I'm saying this.

Love, Mom

PS

Prop. I love you. Prop.

Love, your Ignor Belle (aka your poop)
Nicole Brown

"You have to be unique and different, and shine in your own way." - Lady Gaga

"In three words: I can sum up everything I've learned about life: it goes on." - Robert Frost

Nicole

Dad & I are so very proud of you. It seems like yesterday we were walking you to your first day of school and now we will be with you for your best. You can do anything you set your mind to. Never forget we are here for you. Always and Forever.

Love you more than you can imagine.

XXX Mom & Dad

Ashley Elizabeth Brunet

Ash, Crashly

"Always be yourself, because life is to short to be anybody else."

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

JV Soccer 1, Junior Varsity 1, Basketball 1-2, Fast Building 1-4, Varsity History Day 2, Varsity Soccer 2-4, Varsity Soccer Captain 1, Prom Committee 1, Blood Drive Volunteer 3-4, Yearbook Committee 4, Winter Ball Committee 4, Graduation Committee 4, Project Graduation 4, German Club 4, German Club Exchange 4, Grad Committee 4

You are an incredible young woman and we are so proud of you. We admire the hard work and determination you put forth to reach your goals. These qualities will serve you well in your future endeavors, whatever they may be.

We know that you are ready for the next stage in your life - college. Enjoy your college experience and remember every experience in life, good and bad helps us grow as a person. Always know that we will be there for you. We love you so very much! Love, Mom

You are a kind, loving and thoughtful daughter, and the sunshine in our lives. Throughout the years I have seen that you set your goals high and I know you will achieve whatever you set out to do in life. Love, Dad
John Burke

'All you have to do is to decide what to do with the time given to you.' - Gandalf

Lacrosse 3-4, Community Service 1-4, Homecoming 3-4

Abigail Campono

Abby, Crabby, Tiny

Everybody picks on me for being short, but short is where it's at.

Chorus 1-4, Commodore Singers 3, Colorguard 1-4, Blood Drive 3-4, JV Softball 1-2, Drama Club 3, Districts 3, Homecoming 1-4, Senior Walk-A-Thon 4, DUO 1-4, Project Grad 4, Musical 1-4, Salvation Army Volunteer 4

Alaina Cannon

Angie Springer, Dora too
John Deere, Simba, Hulk, Blue
Christina, Nate, Basketball
Lily, Autumn, Babs, Doll
Reggie Rocket, Pinky Swear
Chiu Chiu, Holy, Fancy Hair
Peachy, Sasha, Willie Hay
Shimmer, Flowers, Linda, etc.
Nanny, Goat, Side Table Drawer
I love you sunshine more.

Mom
Zachary Castillo
Zacharia, Casta, Mexican, Zachy-poo

"Safety Meeting" - D
"Spontaneous Combustion" - Gender Child
JV Lacrosse 1, JV Soccer 1, Varsity Soccer 2-3,
Varsity Lacrosse 2-3, Indoor Lacrosse 1, 2, 4, Indoor
Track 4

Clayton Childers
Clay, Claytrain, C-Dawg, The See-Unit

"Just breathe." - Pearl Jam

Wrestling 1-4, Wrestling Club 1, Soccer 3, Outdoor
Track 4, Musical 2-4, Climbing Club 3, Racing 3-4,
U-Dawgs Captain 2-4, Addison County Ruffians 1-4

Ann Clancy

Beyond the born of mortal men, beneath the wind and waves there lies a land of shells and sand of ancient
ruins, and caves. Where sand castles crumbled and sea, where every seaman grew and all around without a
scent the ocean current flows
- Grace Poas's "The Sign of the Seaweed"

Community Singers 3-4, Classes 1-4, Classes Districts 1-4, Musical 1-4, Pep Band 3, Cross Country 3-4,
Indoor Track 3-4, Outdoor Track 1-4, Science Club 2-4, 95 2 3, Elementary Math Team Coach 4

My princess. My angel baby girl. Do you hear me in the world remember these things? When you get the
chance to be kind - take it. No matter what Mama knows you. And I'll remember your pictures on birthdays
"sterio" playing games on snow days, your singing in the shower, your cute little nose when you really really
laugh.
Jarrett Clark
Shrek, Bear-Bear

"Black and white are just shades of gray." - Unknown
Rowing 1-4, Rowing Captain 3-4, Champion Discovery 1, Band 1-4,
Jazz Band 1-4, Districts 1, 3-4, Lacrosse 2-4, Winter Lacrosse 2-4,
Duo 4, Pep Band 3-4, Pep Band Captain 4, City Band 2-4, Homecoming
Jarrett,
Congratulations! We are so proud of you. Always remember, do what you have
to do to get by. Do what you love to do to enjoy the ride!
All our love,
Mom, Dad, Rach, Zeke, & Mitch

Morgan Ashley Correia
Morgie Pie, Morgan, Mogan

"Don't cry because it's over, smile because it happened." - Dr. Seuss
JV Soccer 1, Varsity Soccer 2-4, Addison United 1-4, Prom Committee 3, Homecoming Float
1-4, Yearbook Committee 4, Duo Recognition Award 3, 4-H 1-4, Washington Citizenship Fun
3, German Exchange Student Host 4
Morgan,
You have become a smart, caring, strong, and independent young woman who is a joy to be
near. These qualities are going to take you far in life. We are proud of you and all your
accomplishments. Best of luck in whatever you choose for your future and we wish you all the
success in the world. We love you! You will always be my baby girl!
Love,
Mom, Dad & Bradley

Kory Cousino
Cousino

"A good friend will bail you out of jail... but a true friend will be
sitting next to you saying, "Damn... that was fun!"
"Success is the ability to go from one failure to another with no loss
of enthusiasm." - Sir Winston Churchill
"Do not follow where the path may lead. Go instead where there is
no path and leave a trail." - RME

National History Day 2
Jennifer Cunningham
Jenn, Lil Jenn

Fearless is not the absence of fear, it's not being completely unafraid.
Fearless is having fears, Fearless is having doubts, lots of them.
Fearless is living in spite of those things that scare you to death.”

Varsity Cheerleading 1-4, Varsity Cheerleading Captain 3-4, All-American Cheerleading 4, Youth Cheer Coach 2-4, Boys & Girls Club Volunteer 1-3

Congratulations! I am very proud of you and all of your accomplishments. I have enjoyed watching you grow into the independent young woman that you are. I love you very much.

Love Mom

Kaitlyn Cusson
Kate

“Bananas are yellow”
Band 1-4, Commodore Jass 2-4, Play 2-4

Katie

Where has the time gone? I can still hear your first cry on the day you were born.
Now when I look at you my eyes see a beautiful young woman preparing for college but in my heart I still see my little girl skipping off to kindergarten with her Barbie backpack.

Our advice to you is to believe in yourself; work hard, be safe but don’t forget to have fun! We love you and are very proud of you.

Mom and Dennis

Laura Dam
Laura Wilma Dam, Laura Van Dam

“Fearless is not the absence of fear - it’s living in spite of the things that scare you to death.”

“I'm just a girl trying to find a place in this world.”

“Awake the stars cause they're all around you, wide eyes will always brighten the blue, chase your dreams and remember me.”

Band 1-4, Piano 1, Dance 1-2, 4, Homecoming 1-4, Mentoring 2, Art Work 1-4, Climbing Club 3, Helping Kindergartners 3, Senior Walk 4

Laura, Congratulations! We are so proud of you. Remember that you are a great person who is smart, determined and unique. You have many talents. Thanks for being a great sister for Josh. Love, Mom and Dad
Hannah Katherine DeGraaf
Han. Hanner, Big Hannah, Big H. Big, Banana

Never tried, never failed. No matter. Try again. Fail again. Fail better. — Samuel Beckett
Be pretty if you can, but if you can’t, be gracious if that hurts you, — Elcor de Wolfe
We are what we repeatedly do. Excellence, therefore, is not an act, but a habit. — Aristotle

Student Council 1-4, Class President 1-4, Dental Shadow Day 1, Cheer 1-4, Treasurer 2-3, Cross Country Singer 3-4, Musical 2-4, Cross Country 3-4, Captain 4, Indoor Track 3-4, Captain 4, Outdoor Track 3rd, Pin Committee co-chair 2-3, Rotaract, Local Speech Champion 1, Rotaract representative 2, Green Mountain Girls Ski Governor 3, Dunbridges Army 2-4, National Honor Society 2-4, Vice President 3, Math Team 1-3

Hannah. We are so proud of who you have become and the role model that you are to your siblings. You grew up... too fast. We will miss you next year! Love Mom, Dad, Kristen, Madeleine, and Warren

Listen to the rustlers, child. Listen to the law. Listen to the impossible. The world listens the never loves, then listen close to me. Anything can happen, child. Anything can be...
— Shel Silverstein

Ryan Delisle
Rybot

"The man who goes alone can start today, but he who travels with another must wait till that other is ready." — Thoreau

Walden 3-4

Aaron Desabrais
Dubbers, Desy, Des, Desabrais

If winning isn’t everything, why do we keep score?
— Vince Lombardi

Varsity Football 2-4, Football Captain 4, Varsity Wrestling 1-4, Varsity Lacrosse 1-4, People to People
Ambassador Program 1

“People will say: ‘You will never be able to do that!’ I will say: ‘Watch me do it!’” — Vincent Thomas Burke
Cassandra Devino
Cass, Cassie, Cassange, Cassicandra, Snassic

"...to believe our Baby Girl is graduating high school already! You are such a beautiful person both inside and out. No matter where life takes you, always remember to be true to yourself and you will continue to make us just as proud of you as we are today.

Much love forever and always. Mom, Dad & Eddie

Dana Entrott
Dain, Dainsu, Friend, Dain Dain

"For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life." - Jesus Christ, John 3:16

Community Service for the Christmas Loft 3, Yearbook Committee 4

You have always exceeded my expectations & I know you always will. Take pride in your accomplishments & always appreciate what you have. Stay true to yourself & never forget that I am not only your mother, but I will always be your friend. I love you girls & am very proud of you!

Congratulations!

Congratulations Sweetheart! I am so proud of you! I know how important your senior year has been to you and how much hard work you have completed to get here. You will be so successful in life and will always have me there to support you! Love You Dana!

Good job Sisters! I love you! Savor this pop quiz again.

Congratulations! I'm proud of you. Love Joe

Jacob Firlik
Firlik, Jake, Jacoby, Cobsky, J-Love

JV Basketball 1-2, Varsity Basketball 3, Varsity Soccer 2-4, Soccer Captain 4, Varsity Track 3-4, JV Lacrosse 2, GSAS 3, Community Service 1-4

"I ain't takin' too fast you're just babbling too slow." - Lil Wayne

To Jacob John Sweet Heart

No matter where you are, some things will always be... Our Belief in You. We know you can do anything you put your mind to! Our Pride in all of your accomplishments! Our Unconditional Love & Acceptance. For you we love you and your Encouragement whenever you need support and... Our Anticipation of your Greatness in the future! All Our Love & Support always. We Love You XOXO

Momma & John

Thanks for the Memories - you have blessed and honored us with your love, respect, determination &seat for life. Best of Luck Always. Neen & Pip
Alexander Gendreau
Gendreau, Gender

"Today is filled with anger, fueled with hidden hate, scared of being outcast, afraid of common fate. Today is built on tragedies, which no one wants to face. Nightmares to humanity and morally disgraceful. Tonight is filled with rage, violence in the air, children bred with ruthlessness because no one at home cares. Tonight I lay my head down but the pressure never stops, knowing at my sanity content when I am dropped. But tomorrow, I see change, a chance to build a new. Built on spirit, intent of heart, and ideals - based on truth and tomorrow I wake with second winds and strong because of pride to know I fought with all my heart to keep my dream alive."

Soccer 1, Varsity Wrestling 1-2, Lacrosse 1-2, Varsity, Lacrosse 3-4

Thomas R. Gould
Tom, Tommy

May you always have work for your hands to do.
May your pockets hold always a coin or two.
May the sun shine bright on your window pane.
May the rainbow be certain to follow each rain.
May the hand of a friend always be near you.

Vocational 3-4

Jeremy R. Greenhaus
Jer, J, Jerbear, J-Green

"Some people want it to happen, some wish it would happen, others make it happen." - Michael Jordan

JV Soccer 1-2, JV Basketball 1-2, Band 1-4, Commodore Jazz 2-4
Middle School Jazz 1, High School Musical 2-4

Go out there and live your life well
Love you.
Mom, Gary, Rae, and Meg
Nicole Hamer

"It's been a book you read in reverse, so you understand less as the pages turn."

"Change is the law of life. And those who look only to the past or present are certain to miss the future."

"Nicole,

It has been a long hard last few years but it has been worth it. I am very proud of you and encourage you to take control of your future by being the best you can be...at work, in college and in your life.

You have grown to be a beautiful young lady and I will enjoy watching you continue to grow over the next few years at college. Love always and forever, MOM"

Isabel K. Hamilton

"But I don't want to grow up." - Lily Hamilton

New England Young Writer's Conference 3-4, Cross Country 1-3, Indoor Track 3-4, Indoor Track Captain 3-4, Outdoor Track 1-4, Outdoor Track Captain 4, BSA 2-4, Art Club 1-2, Daughters' Army 3-4, Writing Club President 4, Tutor Mentor 3-4

"Dear Isabel,

You are amazing! From your first days of school to this last year, you have shown us that you are an intelligent, creative, artistic, comical and loving person. You are destined to succeed in all that you do. Oh the places you will go..."

Love, Mom and Dad

Lillian Hamilton

"In order to be remembered leave nothing behind but good memories." - Norman Lear

"Life is short, break the rules, kiss boldly, love truly, laugh uncontrollably, never regret anything that made you smile." - Unknown

FBS 1-3, Cross Country 1-3, NTHS 3, Peace One Day 4, Focus on Health Care Careers Conference 3

"Dear Lily,

You are amazing! Through these eighteen years your wit, charm, intellect, compassion and determination have made us so proud. Your future holds no bounds.

Oh the places you will go..."

Love,

Mom and Dad
Alexa Marie Higbee

"Success comes from knowing that you did your best to become the best that you are capable of becoming." - John Wooden

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

Varsity Soccer 1-4, JV Basketball 1, Varsity Basketball 2-4, GSA 3
Addison United 1-4 Next Level Athletics Basketball 1-3, Vergennes
Vikens 4AA BBall 1-2, Science Club 1-2

Brandon Hoose

"Friendship is like peeing on yourself, everyone can see it, but only get the warm feelings that it brings."

"There is no place you can touch a woman that will drive her crazy he heart."

"I told my wife that a husband is like a fine wine; he gets better with age."

"The next day, she locked me in the cellar."

"Love is like a booger. You keep picking at it until you get it, then wander what do with it."

JV/Varisty Baseball 1

Kelsey Howard

Cheerleading 1-2, Community Service 1-4, Homecoming 1-4
Congratulations on making it through school and graduating. You have bright future ahead of you. Always do your best, and have fun. Good luck. I will always be here to support you.

Love, your Big Sis Kyresten

Kelsey you are a great person. I am so proud of you. Congratulations, you have a bright future ahead of yourself.

Mom

"6 down, one to go."
Reece Jaring
Reese's Pieces. Reese's

"Nobody can go back and start a new beginning but anyone can start
today and make a new ending."
Yearbook 4, Project Grad 4

Time has passed so quickly you grew up in a blink of an eye. We
wouldn't be prouder with the way you have turned out. You are a respected
hard-working young man. Your sense of humor & drive to succeed will
lead you far in your career choice. Congratulations. We support & love you
always.

Mom & Dad

Margaret Spencer Johnston
Maggie, Mags, Magg Muff, Johnston, Maggie May

He who asks a question is a fool for five minutes; he who does not ask a question remains a
fool forever.” - Chinese Proverb

V Soccer 1-2, Varsity Soccer 2-4, Math Team 2-4, Vermont History Day 2-3, Hip Hop Dance Class 2-3
and History Day 2, Prom Committee 2-3, Band 1-4, Addison County Soccer 1-3, National Honor Society 3-4,
Tutoring 2-4, Youth Representative, Church Support Committee 2, Vergennes Area Rescue Squad 3-4,
Inter Roll Committee 4, Science Club 4, DCC 3-4, Peer Mentoring 1-4, Band Secretary 3, Band President 4,
YDPS Committee Leader 2-4, Blood Drive 2-4, High Honors 1-4, Spanish Effort Award 1, English
Achievement Award 2, Critchman Academic Scholarship 2, Habitat for Humanity Volunteer Improving/Starting
the Peer Mentoring Program 1-4

Maggie, We are so proud of the passion and persistence you devote to each and every
challenge. Congratulations! Much love. Mom and Dad. Timmy and Caroline
Richard Karzmarczyk
Ricky

"Sacrifice is giving up something good for something better."
Soccer 1-2, 4, Wrestling 1-4

Shara Kauffman
Shar-Shar, Sharita, Sharita Maharoshi, Share Bear

"With God all things are possible" - Matthew 19:26
I am a success today because I had a friend who believed in me and I didn't have the heart to let him down." - Abraham Lincoln

"It's not sufficient just to want, you have to ask yourself what you are going to do to get the things you want."
FDR
Track and Field 3-4, Musical 4, Track 4, Piano 3-4, Friend of Music 1-4

Benjamin Kelly
Ben, BK, Burger King

"Don't expect anything more of me than I should of you!"
"Don't live life worrying about what other people think."

School Musical 4, Hannaford Career Center 4, Youth Alive 3-4
Everyone likes pie. But people like pie a la mode. In the pie of life, art is the ice cream. Peter Krause

Art Club 3-4, History Day 1-2, Band 1-4, Homecoming Floats 1-4, Blood Drive 3-4, JV Softball, Varsity Softball 2-4, Portfolio Day 3-4

Max Kinlund

I went to the woods because I wished to live deliberately to front only the essential facts of life, and see if I could not learn what it had to teach and not, when I came to die, discover that I had not lived.

Henry David Thoreau

Walden 3-4, School Choice 3-4

Greta Krahn

"Recall it as often as you wish, a happy memory never wears out." - Libbie Fudin
"Today you are you, that is truer than true. There is no one alive who is youer than you." - Dr. Seuss
"No one can make you feel inferior without your consent." - Eleanor Roosevelt

Varsity Soccer 1-3, Musical 1-4, GHN 1-4, Alpine Skiing 1-3, Eastern Ski Team 3, Swimming 1-2, All State Music Festival 3-4, Vermont History Day 1, National History Day 1, Girls State 3, Pep Band 1-2, National Honor Society 3-4, Student Council 1-4
William Kuhns III
Will, Billy, Will-yum, J-dog

Music speaks what words can not express, soothes the mind and gives it rest, heals the heart and makes it whole, flows from heaven to the soul.

Yearbook 1-4, Musical 1-4, Band 1-4, Jazz Band 1-4, Marching Band 1-4, Commodore Singers 1-4, Chorus 1-4, Drum Major 1-4, Pep Band 1-4, Pep Band Captain at District Chorus & Band 1-2, All-State Chorus 1-2, All-North England Chorus 1-4, National Honor Society, 3-4

William
We are so proud of you. You have accomplished so much already and we know you are destined for great things. You have been a joy to our lives and we love you very much. Your musical talent is amazing and we look forward to what you will do with that talent as you start the next phase of your life. Good luck in all you do and never forget...

We Love You

Isabelle Langrock
Izzy, Hobbit, Hobby, Hobbs

"For there is nothing either good or bad but thinking makes it so"—Hamlet by Shakespeare

"All you need in life is love. But a little chocolate every now and then doesn't hurt"—Charles Schulz

Commodore Singers 4, Science Club 2-4, Math Team 2-4, National Honor Society 3-4, National Honor Society President 4, Musical 1-4, Art Club 1-4

Sheila Larrow

"Red Neck Woman"

Sheila

From this day forward you can look back on all of your accomplishments and be proud of who you are and what you've become. I know we are proud of you and love you with all our heart and wish you the very best in the future.

With love,  Dad & Mom
Jessica Marie Laughlin
Jess, J-Train

Varisty Cheerleading 1-3, State Championship 1-2

"Common sense is a flower that doesn't grow in everyone's garden."

Andrew Lucia
Lu

I never blame myself when I'm not hitting. I just blame the bat and if it keeps up, I change bats. After all, if I know it isn't my fault that I'm not hitting, how can I get mad at myself? - Yogi Berra

J/VIarsity Baseball 1-4, Homecoming 1-4, Community Service 1-4

Skyler Evan Magoon
Evan, Sky Dumb

"Sticks and stones may break my bones, but I will kick you repeatedly..." - Will Ferrell

Community Service 1-4, Racing Club 3-4, Addieon Country Gruffians 1-4
Aaron Christopher Malaney

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

Be who you are and say what you feel because those who mind don’t matter and those who matter don’t mind. - Dr. Seuss

Dear Aaron-

May your unique personality, kind spirit, sharp wit, unflinching sense of integrity, and determination to achieve be an inspiration to those around you today and in the future. Stay focused, choose wisely, enjoy life, and always be yourself. You have made us proud and we love you dearly. - Mom, Dad & lady

Samantha Marszalkowski
Sam, Marzo, Easter Bunny

"But I don’t want to go among the mad people," Alice remarked. "Oh, you can’t help that," said the Cat: "Everyone is mad here." - Lewis Carroll

"Still round the corner there may wait a new road or secret gate, and though I oft have passed them by, I stay till come at last where I shall take the hidden pathes that run West of the moon. East of the sun." - J.R.R. Tolkien

"Time is but a stream I go fishing in." - Henry David Thoreau

Walden 4, JV Soccer 1, JV Softball 1, FFA 1-4, FFA State Officer 4, FFA President 3-4, Washington Leadership Conference 3, Nutrition Committee 4

Peter McDurfee

Firefighting - one of the few professions left that still makes house calls.

Firefighters save hearts and homes.

FFA 1-4, Nationals 3-4, Vergennes Fire Department Cadet Program 2-3, Vocational 3-4, VFD Member 4, Community Service 1-4, Rooftop Tree 4,
Raymond Edward Nill
Ray

"Oh, I wish I understood why... why I should care?" - Zapp Brannigan

"How exactly is this happy meal toy going to destroy a giant death sphere?" - Bender Rodriguez

Lawn Care 1-4, Parish Volunteering 1-4, Snow Removal 1-4
Varsity Golf Team, Assistance of Community Members 1-4, VOD
Speech Winner 4, National Honor Society 4

Halie Nolan
Turk, Hal, Hailstorm

"Do what makes you happy, be with who makes you smile laugh as much as you breathe, love as long as you live." - Unknown

"No boast doesn't hurt" - Daddy

Softball 2, History Day 3, Float Building 1-4, German Exchange 4

Halie/Turk

You are such a wonderful person with a heart of gold. Your determination in life will get you far. Keep reaching for your goals, we know you will be very successful.

We love you!

Hannay & Daddy
and Lucy, Molly, Brady
Nathan T. North
Nate, Monkey Face

"Pain is temporary, but quitting lasts forever. - Lance Armstrong
"You aren't wealthy until you have something money can't buy." - Garth Brooks

Emmaleigh Pelsue
Em, Miss Daisy

"Your mind is your own monster, reality is what you make it" - Eddie Van Halen
"Imperfection is beauty, madness is genius and it's better to be absolutely ridiculous than absolutely boring." - Marilyn Monroe

Soccer 1, Track & Field 2

Dear Em and Suzanne,
Our forever evolving girl...
Sometimes the lemonade is bitter sweet but there will always be more - always wear the dress that twirls!

Jonathan Philbrick
Ketchup, Jon, Philbrick, Philsophicalphylis, J-Phil, J-Dog

"Happiness often sneaks in through a door you didn't know you left open."
"The ocean as a body of water occupying about two thirds of a world made for man - who has no gills."

Community Service 1-4
Lisa Porter

"We all take different paths in life, but no matter where we go, we take a little of each other everywhere."

Vocational 1-4

Allison Ann Provost

"A friend is someone who knows the song in your heart and can sing it back to you when you have forgotten the words." - Unknown

Vocally: Basketball 1-4, JV Soccer 1-2, Science Club 2-4, NHS 3-4, Musical 1-4, Community Singers 2.

Vocally: Soccer 2, Pep Band 1-4, Band 1-4, Choir 1-4, Homecoming Court 1-4, Blood Drive 2-4, Taylor Vigne Memorial Tournament 1-2, 4M Basketball 1-3, 4M Soccer 1, GH Districts Band and Choir 1-4.

We are very proud of your accomplishments at WAMS. Your involvement in the band, choir, plays, soccer, basketball and other volunteer activities have made you a strong, responsible young lady. We know you also work hard in the classroom and are confident you will continue to do that in college. Keep up the good work.

Love, Mom & Dad

You are such an amazing sister and friend. It has been such a blessing growing up with you and seeing you become this beautiful successful young woman. I am so proud of you. I know that your smile, your laughter, and your wonderful character will light up any room in college. I love you and wish you all the best in the future.

Love always and forever, Erin

I am so thankful for you being in my life. I love you most friend. I will miss you next year. Love, Bella
Ryan David Bennett Putnam
Putnam, Put Put

"Pain is just weakness leaving the body."
JV Lacrosse 2-3, Varsity Football 3-4, FF4 3-4

We can't believe graduation time is already here, and our little boy has grown to be a brave and caring man. You have matured so much over the last couple of years. You have been and always will be a wonderful son and brother. We are so proud of you for trying so hard in school all of these years and getting accepted to college. You have accomplished a lot through your high school career and we know you will do the same in your college career. We know you'll have a wonderful life and we love you so much! We are so PROUD!

We love you very much, Mom, Dad & Cole

Brian Richer
That Guy

"The man who smiles when things go wrong has thought of someone to blame it on."

Boys & Girls Club 1-4, Homecoming 1-4, Community Service 1-4

Sierra Lynn Roberts

"Love all. Trust few. Do wrong to no one." - William Shakespeare
I don't want you to go. I'll eat you up. I love you so." - Where the Wild Things Are

Homecoming 1-4, JV Softball 2, Spotlight on Dance 2-3, Prom 3, Blood Drive 3, Mentoring 3-4, Hannaford 4, Winterball 4

Sierra,
I am so very proud of you Sierra. We have been through so much together and you are a strong young lady. You have brought so much happiness and joy to my life! I love you with all my heart! Spread your wings and explore the world and please know I will always be here for you.

Love, Mom
Alex Russett

"Live all Trust few. Be wrong to no one." - William Shakespeare.
"I don't want you to go. I eat you up. I love you eat." - Where the Wild Things Are.


Dear Alex,

Can it be true that you are graduating high school? The time has flown by so fast - too fast. Alex you are a terrific son and one of the funniest people I know. I know you will go far in your life with your intelligence and your quick wit. but not to mention your extraordinary musical talent but know that Mom and Dad will be here for you always. We love you so much and are so very proud to call you our son. Congratulations! You made it.

Love always and forever,
Mom and Dad

Andrew Russett

"Fill what's empty, empty what's full, and scratch where it itches."

Homecoming 3-4

I wish you the best in your journey through life. Stay true to your heart, and keep your mind open. I love you Andrew. - Mom

Tyler J. Sawyer
Big T, Ty, Ty-Ty

"A pessimist sees the difficulty in every opportunity; an optimist sees the opportunity in every difficulty." - Winston Churchill.
"To accomplish great things, we must dream as well as act."
"I intend to live forever. So far, so good." - Steven Wright.


Tyler:

We are so proud of you. Good luck in the future. we know you will be successful in whatever you choose to do. Love, Mom and Dad. Bryan and Kyle - The Hazeltons.
Hayden Senesac

"There may always be another reality to make fiction of the truth we think we've arrived at."

Homecoming 1-4, DUO 3-4, Float Building 3-4, History Day 3

From the sweet young boy with the widest smile, to the young adult with the biggest heart, your mind is shining brightly now, so reach for the stars!

Love Mom and Mark

Corey Shalek
Shalak Attack

"Age wrinkles the body, Quitting wrinkles the soul."

Baseball 1-4, Student Council 3, Project Graduation Committee 4

Shelby Lynn Sheehan
Shelbs, Shelbaby.

"Love is a promise; love is a covenant; once given never forgotten never let it disappear." - John Lennon

Each friend represents a world in us, a world possibly not born until they arrive, and it is only by this meeting that a new world is born." - Hans Morberg

Cheerleading 1-4, Climbing Club 1-3, State Champions 2-3, Homecoming 1-4, Community Service 1-4, Prom Court 3, Prom Committee 3

Shelby, You have turned into such a bright shining star. Bob and I are so proud of you. Your accomplishments are great with so many more to come. Enjoy your next chapter of your life and remember to always stand up for yourself and get the most you can from life. Continue to help others and give back as this is also part of that giving heart you have. Shelby, the honor has been ours, we love you. Mom and Bob
Monique Simpson
Moe, Mosaic, Moe-Moe, Nikwa, Unique, Mona

“Truth is taking the first step even when you don’t see the whole staircase.” - Martin Luther King Jr.

“When one door of happiness closes, another opens. But often we look so long at the closed door, we do not see the one which has been opened for us.” - Helen Keller

“Light up the darkness.” - Bob Marley

Soccer 1, Softball 3, United Way Youth Board 1, Vermont Youth of the Year 1, Vermont History Day 1, Peace One Day 1, Blood Drive 2, 4: Student Council 5, 4, Community Service Rep 5, 4, Science Club 3, 4.
Homecoming 1, 4: Prom Committee 3, Community Service Award 8: A BET Group 3: Cheerleading 2, 4.
Graduation Committee 4, Winter Ball Committee 4, New England Youth Nominee 1.

Rachael Jean Smith
Rach, Rachie

“See the good in everything around you even if you have to squint”

Band 1-4, AHEC Shadow Day Program 2

Rachael

It is such an honor having a daughter as wonderful as you. You amaze us with the strength and determination that leads you to excel in everything you do. We look forward to seeing where your life takes you. We are so proud of you. Love, Dad and Mom

Hannah Smith
Hannah Kitti

“It’s not a unicorn! It’s a horse with a sword on its head, and it’s protecting my hopes and dreams.”

“Do if you could kill time without injuring eternity.” - Henry David Thoreau

“I’m not interested in money. I just want to be wonderful.” - Marilyn Monroe

Walden 3-4, Photography 1-4, Chorus 1-2, 4, Candy Club 1-4, Art Club 1-2
AnnaJo Smith
AJ, Mojo, Apple Juice, Jobee

“This is the point. This is where my life changed. What happened next turned everything I had ever known, everything I had ever believed in, everything I had ever thought to be real, totally inside out. I got sucked into the rabbit hole and I was headed for Wonderland.”

Student Council 1-4, FFA 1-4, FFA State Officer 4, National Technical Honor Society 3-4, Dairy 4-H 1-4, Horse 4-H 1-4, New Haven Vol Fire Dept. 3-4

AnnaJo

Can’t believe you are a senior already. The last few years you have really grown. Just don’t grow up too fast, enjoy being young. Take the bad things and make them good. Good luck MoJo. Love, Darin

Arie James Smits

“Don’t aim for success if you want it; just do what you love and believe in, and it will come naturally.” - David Frost

FFA President 4, FFA 1-4, FFA Nationals 2-4, FFA Region 2-4, FFA State Star Farmer 3, Vermont History Day 2, National History Day 2, Holy Speech Contest 1, Rotary Speech Contest 1-4, Land Judging Competition 2-3, Lions Speech Contest 4

Jazmin Spear
Jaz, Jazzy, Jazziekins

“What lies before us and what lies behind us are small matters in comparison to what lies within us.”

Band 1-2 Chorus 1-4, Blood Drive 3-4

Jazzy

Our first musician in the family who would have known. How we will miss your sweet flute playing at 2 AM. We are so proud to be your parents. A career working with children will make the world a better place. You will always have our love and support. Go change the world! Spear

Love
Mom, Dad, Sarah, Kaci, and Dakota
Mavis Stansbery
Moovis

"Be kind for everyone is fighting their own battles."

Rowing 1-2, Yearbook 1, Art Club 4

Mavis, you are a strong and independent girl. We have been through a lot together, and I could not be more proud of the young woman you have become. Mom

Daniela Stapleford
Dani, Ella, Bella

You have one life. Make sure it's what you want to do before you do it and also dream. -Taylor Vigne

Varsity Soccer 1-2, 4 Jv Basketball 1, Varsity Basketball 2-4, Captain 4, Varsity Track and Field 3, Blood Drive Volunteer 1-4, Yearbook 1-4, Editor 4, Musical 2-4, Student Council 2-4, National Honor Society 4, Prom Committee 2-5 Girls State Delegate 3, Tutor 2-4, Commodore Singers 4, Vermont History Day 1-2, LLB 1-4, Concert Band 1-4, Concert Choir 2-4

Addison Unified Soccer 1-3.

We feel so blessed to have been chosen as your parents. You are a wonderful gift from God. You fill our lives with joy, music, dance, and laughter. You are our little bundle of energy grown into a beautiful, determined, creative, strong woman. May the Lord bless you and keep you and may His face shine upon you. God bless you and be with you.

You made us so proud. We love you always.

Mama and Papa

Timothy Stearns
Tim

"Make me a sandwich, I luhhh dat!"

Cross Country 3-4, Homecoming 3-4, Community Service 3-4
Morgan Stinchfield
Stinky

"You may not be able to control the situation, but you can control your reaction to the situation."

JV Soccer 1, Varsity Soccer 2, Varsity Wrestling 1-4

Hannah Sturtevant
Lit Han

"Keep a watchful eye on the insects when I was little and now that I no longer live in them again I can find a single ant I knew they have not been exterminated otherwise I should have been told" - Clarice Lispector

JV Soccer 1-2, Varsity Cross Country 3-4, Musical Crew 3-4, Math Team 1-4, Art Club 1, 2, Student Council

Dear Hannah,
You have become such a beautiful, independent woman. We are so proud of you. We love your passion and how you approach life. We know you will leave your mark on this world. Our love and prayers go with you wherever you go.

Mom and Dad
Adam Terry

"Life's a book; Everything is predictable." - Adam Terry

Kelsey Wildasin

Kels, Kelsface, Kelso, Santi, Stick

"It's not time to shine through the drab, glorified by what is ours." - The Usual
"The only way to challenge corruption" - Kurt Cobain

"Kids mean to what thinking for themselves. Not to be like their friends that think they're individuals. I don't want you to be like me. I want you to be like you." - Marilyn Monroe

Chorus 1-4 Costa Rica 2

Remember the places you've been. Costa Rica | California | Cosumel | and we're excited to see the places you'll go. Your biggest journey is right around the corner and we know you'll reach for the stars. Keep it on the road and enjoy the ride!

Love, Mommy & Daddy

Katelynn Viau

Katie

"Remember yesterday, dream about tomorrow, but live for today."

Cheerleading 1-4, Cheerleading Captain 3-4, Cheerleading State Champions 2-3, 4th American Cheerleader 1-4, Top All American 4, Macy's Day Parade All Star 4

We are so proud of the young woman you have become! Live life to the fullest! Go for your dreams! Take each day and make the most of it! We love you very much, and want you to reach for the stars! You can do anything in life, all you need to do is dream! What a pleasure it has been to watch you grow into this lovely young lady you are! Your family values, that beautiful smile, and happy personality make you such a pleasure! We look forward to the adventures you have ahead!

You are the best!

Love Mom, Dad, Justin, Aunt B., and Marilla
Skyler Magoon & Monique Simpson

Asa Hunt & Sierra Roberts

Isabelle Langrock & Andrew Russett

Jeremy Greenhaus & Sierra Roberts

Greta Krahn & Tyler Sawyer

Ryan Putnam & Allison Provost

Cassie Devino & Seth Stone

Kendall Newkirk & Tim Stearns

Ashley Brunet & Jacob Firlik

Kendall Newkirk & Tim Stearns

Isabelle Langrock & Andrew Russett

Jarrett Clark & Kate Cusson

Anna Jo Smith & Arie Smits

Ryan Putnam & Allison Provost

Ashley Brunet & Jacob Firlik

Best Tractors

Most Musical

Most Creative Writers

Most Musical

Most Likely to Take Over the World

Nicest

Most Creative

Born To Shop

Most Outgoing

Most Fashionable

Class Couple

Class Clowns

Superlatives

Commodore
Winter Ball
A Prom to Remember

A Starry Night at Basin Harbor

Prom King and Queen

Ilsa Hunt Cassandra Devino

Commodores
What a great year for VUHS teachers. Not only was Science Department Chair Sarah Thompson selected as the VUHS Teacher of the Year and celebrated for her outstanding leadership and creativity, but VUMS teacher Jennifer Lawson was honored by all her peers by being chosen as the Vermont Teacher of the Year. Her year will take her across the state and country, showcasing that which we all know! VUHS has some of the best teachers ever.
Dedication from the Seniors

With a smile and her normal statement of, “This is not a dress rehearsal, this is life!” Mrs. Step has led, prodded, cajoled and pushed the members of the senior class toward excellence all four years of high school. As a class advisor, she has encouraged and even demanded that we look into options, apply to college, challenge ourselves and even take on causes beyond our school and our town. As we leave VUHS, our lives have been touched by many, but none have so consistently made us think about our choices, our possibilities and our future. The Class of 2011 dedicates the Blue and White to Mrs. Cookie Steponaitis.

"I don’t want to be famous. I just want to be marvelous." A favorite quote from Marilyn Monroe.

"I am very honored to receive this award and yet humbled because there are many teachers including counselors and special educators that I believe deserve the honor of this type of recognition. I see it as an opportunity to share with adults who work with young people, particularly in the school setting, practices and approaches that I over time have seen to be effective with helping and teaching students of all different walks of life. This award is totally a result of the students’ impact on my life and the courage to teach comes from them, their parents, and my colleagues." Jennifer Lawson 2011 Vt. Teacher of the Year
Juniors Are

Eccentric

Caring

Stellar

They're Unbelievable
The Class of 2012 is rising...
Juniors Explore Options
Sophomores
Class of 2013

Sophomores are... athletic and above the influence!

What do you want to be when you grow up?
"I want to be a space cowboy who fights fires."

"I want to be a treasure hunter."
"I want to be a personal trainer!"

"I want to be FAMOUS"
-- Mr. Steen
“My Garments are hanging wrong.”
We are...
enthusiastic and powerful!

"The sophomore class is goodlooking."
Freshmen Are...

Energetic
Unique
Exciting
Loud
Entertaining
Outgoing
"The opposite of great is small."

"Never take life seriously; nobody gets out alive anyway."
"High school is better than middle school...awesome."

"High school is harder than middle school and more fun...different."

"The classes are long."

"Love is in the air."
- Ms. Taylor's morning meeting
Are ETIC.

Girls Varsity Soccer

Back row: Coach Peter Maneen, Hannah Curler, Daniela Stapleford, Allison Provost, Lily Haigis, Tabby Danyow, Coach Dwight Irish
Middle Row: Ruby Dombek, Maggie Johnston, Ashley Brunet, Casey Shea, Kenadi Dattilio, Monica Birchmore
Front Row: Lexa Higbee, Michaela Bicknell, Morgan Correia, Abby Baker, Allison Straley

Left: Captains Michaela Bicknell and Ashley Brunette.
Right: Seniors Cassie Devino, Morgan Correia, Ashley Brunet, Maggie Johnston, Michaela Bicknell, Lexa Higbee, and Allison Provost to the right. Missing Daniela Stapleford.

SUN'S S out GUNS out!! "You can't just beat a team impression in their minds you again"
you have to leave a lasting so they never want to see
- Mia Hamm

"LET'S GET SOME!"
Anyone who has never played soccer has missed out on one of life's best games of sport and skill. Soccer is about the whole approach."

"The rules of soccer are very simple, basically it is this: if it moves, kick it. If it doesn't move, kick it until it does."

Phil Woosnam

Eyes on the ball and keep on striving!
Back Row: (L-R) Meghan Cousino, Meghan Stearns, Pheobe Plank, Rachael Sorrell, Bayli Bievenue, Megan Paquin, Casey Jones, Jamie Kayhart
Middle Row: Megan Saathoff, Katie Robinson, Samara Sausville, Amanda Cousino
Front Row: Taylor Pauquette, Kristin Nolan, Keyanah Smith
Boys Varsity Soccer


Left:
Captains: Rick Karmarczyk, Eddie Devino and Max Flynn.
Right: Seniors: Ricky and Asa Hunt.

Switching and
Boys JV Soccer

"We worked hard on switching and passing the ball."

"Some games were a struggle, but when we worked together like a precision team it was great."
2010 Eagles Football Team Roster

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"Football is like life—it requires perseverance, self-denial, hard work,
The 2010 Mount Abraham Football
Coaches-Matt Senecal, Eric Hartman, Mike
Crane, Ernie Senecal and Lee Hodsden

sacrifice, dedication and respect for authority.”- Vince Lombardi
Varsity Cheerleading

Front Row: Abby Gendreau, Kenadi Dattilio, Keyanah Smith, Katie Viau, Jenn Cunningham, Ashley Martin, Kelsey Howard

Middle Row: Alicia Gendreau, Brittany Ouellette, Amanda Cousino, Kim Russett, Alysia Coyle, Stephanie Anderson, Shelby Sheehan, Miranda Sampson, Coach Deb Hall

Back Row: Anthony Woods, Michaela Sorrell, Capricia Burbo, Rachel Sorrell, Cynthia Holler

Left: Captains: Katie Viau, Michaela Sorrell, Shelby Sheehan, & Jenn Cunningham

Right: Seniors: Katie Viau, Kelsey Howard, Shelby Sheehan, & Jenn Cunningham

LAKE DIVISION
Boy's Varsity Basketball

Front Row: Collin Curler, Zach Ouellette, Shep Carter, Cody Quattrocchi, Nate Cannon
Back Row: Manager Lily Haigis, Jacob Bushee, Devan Hayes, Charlie Stapleford, Nick Paquin, Stanley Salley, Jacob Burmania, Coach Peter Quinn, Missing Tyran Sprauve.

Left: Team Captains: Collin Curler, Nick Paquin, & Jacob Bushee
Right: Coach Peter Quinn & Radio Station 92.1

"Moments of Greatness"
A Title Team in the Making?
Front Row: Tommy Lee Hodsden, Aaron Rowell, Greg McGrath, Justin Strona, Brendon Huestis, Jarett LaFleche.
Back Row: Coach Wayne Jones, Kyle Mailoux, Jamie DeVries, Steven Paquette, Joe Krayewsky, Jordan Grant, Daniel McGrath, Josh Benning
Front Row: Lexa Higbee, Allie Provost, Allie Straley, Megan Paquin
Back Row: Manager Mickayla Myers, Hannah Culer, Chelsea Grant, Brooke Bougor, Tabby Danyow, Amber Dow, Daniela Stapleford

Left: Seniors: Daniela Stapleford, Lexa Higbee, Allie Provost, & Brooke Bougor
Right: Captains: Daniela Stapleford, Lexa Higbee, & Allie Provost

In The
Girls JV Basketball
Front Row: Ruby Dombek, Jennifer Morley, Taylor Paquette  
Back Row: Coach Kelly Trayah, Abigail Steams, Morgan Clark, Karizma Joyal, Erica Beer, Breanna Lapan.

Seniors: Ann Clancy, Hannah DeGraaf, and Hannah Sturtevant
Captains: Ben Parsons and Hannah DeGraaf

"A lot of people run a race to see who is fastest. I run to exhausting pace, and then at the end, punish..."
see who has the most guts, who can punish himself into himself even more." - Steve Prefontaine
In every sport there is the thrill of victory and the agony of defeat. There are those who rise to the challenge and show their true mettle.

Proud to be Commodores!
Varsity Track and Field

Back Row (L-R): Hannah DeGraaf, David Clancy, Chris Parfitt, Jacob Firlick, Austin Beamish
Middle Row: Daniela Stapleford, Abbey Baker, Ann Clancy, Shara Kauffman, Ellen Watkins, Austin Nary, Coach Jeff Kauffman
Front Row: Isaac Bicknell, Chris Dayton, Lane Kessler, Jon Welch, Nicholas Symula

Captains and Seniors:
Ellen Watkins and Chris Parfitt

"Real athletes run, others just play games."
Indoor Track


Ice Hockey

Colin Babcock, Erik Averal, Jordan Stearns, Ryan Crowingshield, Timmy She

Division II Champions

"All hockey players are bilingual. They know English and profanity." -Gordie Howe

Seniors: Trevor Sampson, Riley Laberge, Gary Grant, Ethan Baldwin, Brian Kilbride and Mitchell Goyette.

Senior Captains: Trevor Sampson, Ethan Baldwin and Brian Kilbride.

Best Game
was against GMVS!
"Too many people overvalue what they are not and undervalue what they are."

This is a growing sport that continue to evolve and show promise at VUHS. It is a sport on the rise.

"Lacrosse: Legally beating men..."
Names: Coach Mr. Cook, Hunter Casey, Ryan Putnam, Nathan Fleming, Athony Plankey, Devin Roberts, Robert Burbo, (bottom row) Justin Lafountain, Justin Strona, Harrison Sunesac, Nickolas Thompson, Casy Jones, Jake Thompson
Back: Coach Mike Sullivan, Cat Chaput, Brittney Aunchman, Tabby Danyow, Devone Lane, Jennifer Morley, VL Joyal, Nicole Brown, Alyssa Kilburn, Margy Kerschner, Megan Paquin, Sierra Lane, Coach Morley.

Seniors: Margy Kerschner and Devon Lane.
Senior Captains: Devone Lane, Margy Kerschner, and VL Joyal.

Team work whether
in the field or at bat!
"While there is no I in the word team, each of us works hard to improve individual skills to make the team better."

"Again and again. Drill and repeat. Practice makes perfect. Practice makes a team."
Back: Amanda Cota, Victoria Verberg, Chelsea Ross, Coach Trayah, Kate Mullis, Becca Hardin, Casey Shea, Molly Ambrose, Bailey Bievenue, Amber Dow, Cara Strona, Abby Gendreau, Elyzabeth Bodington, and Manager Megan Cousino.
Varsity Baseball


"Baseball is ninety percent mental"
and the other half is physical."
JV Baseball

"JV is a place where you set your goals, perfect your skills and even try out new positions on the team and in the field."

"Even if baseball isn't life, the lessons learned on the field and on the diamond carry over into life. Teamwork has no boundaries."

"The other sports are just sports."

Baseball is life!
David Clancy, Jarrett Clark, Co-Captain, Morgen Clark, Kate Cusson, Kyle Darwin, Lily Halgla, Becca Hardin, Tommy Lee Hodsden, Rowan Kamman, Will Kuhns, Co-Captain, Ben Parsons, Co-Captain, Phoebe Plank, Allie Provost, Co-Captain, Lois Rood, Alex Russett, Harrison Senesac, Joey Tatlock, Nathan Unger. Adult Players!
Mrs. O'Daniel, Mr. Bruso, Mrs. Darwin.
BACK ROW: Left to right Karina Tarte, Rachel Duke, Kelsey Coleman, Nora Hubbard, Stephanie Anderson, Anthony Woods

FRONT ROW: Emily Lalumiere, Kira Johnson, Megan Martin, Bethany Anderson, Rachel Mailloux, Emily Patterson
Back row: Coach Kittredge, Nate Karzmarczyk, Dylan Lorraine, Max Flynn, Alex Gendreau, Jessie Morris, Stephanie Commo, Daysha Mashak, Scott Bissonette, Aaron Desabrais, Ricky Karzmarczyk, Morgan Stinchfield and Geoffrey Grant. Missing Cara Strona.

"It is not the critic who counts; not the man who points out how the strong man stumbles, or where the doorknob could have been done better. The credit belongs to the man who is actually in the arena, whose face is marred by dust and sweat and blood; who strives valiantly; who errs, who comes short again and again, because there is no effort without error and shortcoming; but who does actually strive to do the deeds; who knows grant enthusiasm, the great devotion, who speaks himself in a worthy cause; who at the best knows in the end the triumph of high achievement, and who at the worst, if he fails, at least fails while daring greatly, so that his place shall never be with those cold and timid souls who neither know victory nor defeat."

*Theodore Roosevelt*

That credit belongs to the
The records just keep on coming and the opponents just keep on falling.

man who is in the arena.
Each member of the younger wrestlers set a goal of personal excellence and worked hard to perfect the skills needed for Varsity level competition.
The Varsity Golf team had a great season thanks to the efforts of its mainstay players: Raymond Nill, Mac Sullivan, Kyle Charron and Dylan Cross. Coaching the team was Chris Brady.

practice, practice, practice.
The VUHS ROWING TEAM: Chelsea Ross, Dale Erikson, Jesse Bunde, Robert Burbo, Kelsey Dobson, Jarret Clark and Cody Hutchins. Leading the teams every stroke is Coach West.

Otter Creek Challenge 2010
Along with 12 other teams, VUHS participated in the Otter Creek Challenge. The race consisted of racing 1.75 miles on Otter Creek, ending at the Vergennes Falls. The team of Emily Weber, coxswain, who was filling in for Chelsea Ross, Dale Erikson, Jesse Bunde, Robert Burbo, Rachel Clark, Kelsey Dobson and Bailey Dieterie, also subbing for Jarret Clark, literally smoked the other eleven boats. VUHS took the lead from the first stroke and never gave it up. VUHS finished the day a full two minutes ahead of the nearest boat. Way to row, Commodores!

Champions now!
After an impromptu send off by Mrs. Shorey and the crew, Vergennes rowers headed for Boston on 11/19 for the 2010 season, ending the New England Youth Rowing Championships. The largest meet of the season consisted of over 300 rowers from all over New England. Twenty-three schools were represented. Rowers faced high winds of up to 35 mph. The VUHS team of Chelsea Ross, Robert Barbo, Jarret Clark, Jessie Bunde, Cody Hutchins, Kelsey Dobson, Rachel Clark, and Dale Erikson finished in second place in the first oar division. In the nautical mile, the team finished third.

VUHS second team, consisting of Jade Houston, Nick Bemish, Josh Cook with Kelsey Dobson and Cody Hawkins doing double duty finished seventh respectively in the four oar division.

The team entry for VUMS consisted of Kyle Dow, Baily Dieterle, Emily Weber, Ari Depree, Emily Delgadillo and Ann Tatlock surprising everyone with a strong second finish in the Novice Six Oar Division.

Once again the VUHS & VUMS teams set strong records and showed the depth of the VUHS program.
"Learning is a treasure that will follow its owner everywhere."

- Chinese Proverb
Whether it is Calculus, Welding, Voices, Chorus, World Cultures, French IV, Physics, Spanish, or DUO, VUHS students seek challenges. On tests, assignments, and in every field trip and challenge, VUHS students take on the task of being their personal best. Academics is more than a series of graduation requirements and credits to earn. It is a personal journey that all students takes to find out who they are and what their dreams are for the future.

Guided by a caring faculty and a supportive community, VUHS is a place to learn, grow and see the potential in each person.

At the end of the day, we can all honestly say, WE ARE A COMMUNITY OF LIFE LONG LEARNERS.
Mr. Webbley is always reading, always thinking, and always engaging those around him in the ever-changing world of education.

"The world is a book and those who do not travel read only one page." - St. Augustine

Looking for Peter Maneen? Well, let's see. He was just here a minute ago. Or was it on the fields? Or maybe in the gym? Or on the phone? Or getting students out of class to talk about grades? Or maybe he is catching up with the bus drivers about the schedule changes. The fact is, being Athletic Director puts him in at least fifty places a day and keeps him on the move.

Activities & Athletic Director Peter Maneen leads the VUHS athletic programs and activities.

Co-Principals Ed Webbley and Peter Reynolds lead VUHS into the future of education.
From Green Street to Four Schools in the District

Left to Right
Kathleen Cannon - Business Manager
Cecile Gebo - Secretary/Receptionist (P/T)
Alyson Cota - Administrative Assistant to Director of Curriculum
Carol Spencer - Director of Curriculum
Glory Martin - Administrative Assistant to the Superintendent
Tom O'Brien - Superintendent of Schools
Elizabeth Lewis - Director of Instructional Support Services
Linda Douville - Administrative Assistant to the Director of Instructional Support Services
Carol Andersen - Assistant Business Manager
Pamela Preston - Accounts Payable/Receiveable/Payroll Officer
Bob Owens - Technology Coordinator

"All life is an experiment. The more experiments you make the better."
Ralph Waldo Emerson

Vermont
Superintendent of the Year: Thomas O'Brien
Secreto ies

VUHS celebrates the secretaries who keep VUHS moving and functioning: Rose Russett, Jill Grant, Lisa O'Brien, Angela Gilbeau, Dianne Marcotte and Anne Vincent. Thanks,

"The trouble with doing something right the first time is that nobody appreciates how difficult it was."
Guidance is a place where students can come to talk about opportunities at VUHS and beyond. It's also a place for students to talk about strengths and challenges, life and dreams they have for their future.

Tammie Johnson

Helping guide the next generation are Tammie Johnson, Jay Stetzel, Susan Husk, Angela Gilbeau and Jill Grant.

School Based Clinicians

Doug Todd

Tom Fontana

Margaret

Peter Quinn

Commodores
Special Education

Kara Griswold, Beth Adreon, and Suzanne Buck work with students on all levels and in all classes.

Para-professionals

Nancy Kuhns and Eileen Clark.

Para-professional and official mistress of fun Michelle Chamberlain.

High School Special Educators Kara Griswold, Beth Adreon, and Suzanne Buck work with students on all levels and in all classes.

All students have their own ways of learning and need to develop a set of skills to help them be life long learners.

One thing that makes the day more powerful is to try to have a little bit of fun each day.
The Resource Response Center's purpose is to provide support to students and teachers when students receive disciplinary referrals. The use of Positive Behavior Intervention Supports (PBIS) for students placed on Tiers 1, 2, and 3 and positive student recognition will be major tools used to influence and improve student behavior. The RRC should be considered a "Learning Center" for VUHS Five Guidelines instruction.

RCC Personnel include Lee Shorey. She is the Positive Behavior Intervention Supports Coordinator. She also serves as a Special Educator. Laurie Steadman is a Para Educator who serves as a receptionist, manages data collection and retrieval, and works closely with students and parents who are involved with RCC. Ralph Bernadini is a Math Teacher who provides RCC and AYP support. John McGuire is a CSAC Behavior Interventionist who will support students and teachers in and out of the classroom. Jill Grant serves as a Special Education Secretary and as an RRC Assistant.
Leading students into the world of science are: Mark Powers, Elizabeth Jameson, Angela Cote, Bill VanDeWeerl, Sarah Thompson, Mike Mazzella, and Rebecca Dowdy.

"Science is where curiosity rules supreme." — Mark Powers

"Science is the most important of all the disciplines because it combines mathematics and science. It's two disciplines in one!" — Mike Mazzella
Exploring the complex world of mathematics with students are Glenn Story, Leo Racht, Teresa Smith, Lynn Kayhart and Nancy Ambrose.

"How can mathematical thinking be an all purpose skill that can be applied throughout a lifetime to recognize and clarify problems, locate and interpret relevant information, and explore alternate solutions?" Glenn Story

Math

What do you mean no calculator?

"Mathematics is Power!"
Lynn Kayhart
Leading students into the pages of literature and the amazing world of grammar, theater and prose are Matt Schlein, Karl Steen, Tim Maynes, Michael Thomas and Lee Dowling.

English is love. Language, literacy and the key to understanding society and self.

When I write and create, I become a stronger me!

When I write and create, I become a stronger me! English

Who is your intended audience. Are you writing for me? Are you writing to express an idea? Who are you writing for and what message are you sharing?

(I love alliteration!) Chris Wyckoff

Commodores
Once upon a time in a far away land
people had many adventures.
Leading students on a quest to learn
about them are Pamela Taylor,
Cookie Steponaitis, Becca Coffey
and Steve Orzech.

"There are these ancient
artifacts called books.
They have pages and
words, and they existed
BG. (Before Google)"

"Technology is what our hands create when
our minds are engaged.
Social Studies are our attempt to define what
means to be human.
History is our best guess at where we came
from." Steve Orzech

"We Can Do It!"
Being the third generation in his family to be involved with farming and agriculture, Mr. Bill VanDeWeert brings to the VUHS agricultural sciences the perfect blend of knowledge, practical experience and love of the land. Being a VUHS alumnus, he knows the program from two sides of the desk.

For those of you who think farming is all about tractors and cows, check out the offerings in the agricultural sciences at VUHS and try your hand at genetics, welding, FFA, and earth, plant and soil sciences.

"Farming now is so much more than just working hard. It is knowledge of the science and knowledge of the business aspects." - Senior Arie Smits

"From the littlest seeds come some of the world's greatest blooms and discoveries, as farming goes high tech to meet the needs of a growing world population."
Every student at YUHS is touched daily by these individuals who guide us through the maze of technology that facilitates our learning and understanding of the world. We benefit from the skills and talents of Wendy Cusson, Tom Heller, Chris Brady, Steve Orzech and Gail Martin. Also assisting in the library/media center are Mary Kittredge and Emily Magoon.

With a formal plan for integrating technology into the curriculum, the technology committee and I have created learning labs in different parts of the school and are teaching, sharing and facilitating a growing arsenal of programs available to and used by YUHS students as members of the world wide web community.

"It is all about enabling the student to become the researcher and the scholar. Technology gives us the tools to help them look."
*Physical Education*

When it comes to eating right and exercising, there is no I'll start tomorrow.

"Life expectancy would grow by leaps and bounds if green vegetables smelled as good as bacon." -Doug Larson.

Without a doubt one of the most important departments in the school, the Physical Education department, led by Ed Cook, Sarah Cook and Lisa Newhard show each of us how to blend health, knowledge, and personal challenge.
DO UNTO OTHERS (DUO) is a service-learning program which enables students to receive academic credits for working and learning in the community and school. Students choose their own areas of interest and select a DUO site with the help of the Coordinator of Career Development and Applied Learning who monitors and evaluates programs. Placements are many and varied. They include VUHS, local elementary schools, non-profit and government offices and programs, businesses, art programs, etc.
World Languages

Language is an anonymous, collective and unconscious art; the result of the creativity of thousands of generations.
- Edward Sapir

"Con cada lengua que se extingue se borra una imagen del hombre. For every language that becomes extinct, an image of man disappears." - Octavio Paz

World language is an opportunity to see not only something or someone else in a different light, but yourself. It takes you on a cultural endeavor that opens more doors everyday. It allows you to know your limits of time, space and words and do something about it. It allows you to read words as they were intended to be read and speak well. Perhaps most importantly, it teaches you to listen better.

Kristine Kirkaldy, Ch Urban, Janet Kepes and Matt DeBlois.
A class that teaches life or death skills, fun, sometimes scary, confidence building, team building, education, necessary, practical, hands on, unforgettable, academic, cross curricular, a place to learn how to reduce one’s chance of crashing by 80%, a place where you are encouraged to make decisions that will keep you and others safe once you are an independent.

"Every life is to be cherished. To drive is a right, but it carries a huge responsibility."
From our school nurse, to our athletic director, to our speech language people, to our instructional assistants, to the people we see and those behind the scenes, VUHS thanks and celebrates those who work here and keep their focus on the students.
Many of our talented custodians are not pictured here, but day in and day out they take care of us and the building that we call our home. We thank them and want them to know we notice the pride with which this building is maintained.
"I just love making music all day long."

Commodore Band

Band Director: Susan O'Daniel
the heart and the playing is sublime....
Alto
Michaela Bicknell
Alex Brinkman
Abby Campono
Rachel Clark
Hannah DeGraaf
Anna Willinbaker

Alix Kauffman
Shara Kauffman
Mary Kittredge
Isabelle Langrock
Megan Leach
Hannah Smith
Daniela Stapleford

Commodore Chorus

Soprano
Stephanie Anderson
Elyzabeth Bodington
Casey Brinkman
Ann Clancy
Alex Crowell
Justice Gilbert
Lillian Hubbard
Brianna Kelly
Kaitlin Leroux

Jodi Moore
Gabriella Mutinii
Marissa Ouette
Emily Patterson
Allie Provost
Lois Rood
Samara Sausville
Joey Tatlock
Jazmin Spear
Emilee Trudo
Kelsey Wildasin

Tenor
Isaac Bicknell
Keegan Bosworth
Michael Danyow
Alex McClellan
Hank Parker
Will Kuhns

Bass
David Clancy
Kyle Darwin
Jeremiah Delorme
Jack DeVos
Kelsey Dobson
Alex Hultfish
Jarret LaFleche
Austin Nary
Matteo Palmer

Chorus Honors

HS:
Alex Brinkman
Ann Clancy
David Clancy
Michael Danyow
Alix Kauffman
Kaitlin LeRoux
Alex McClellan
Allie Provost
Lois Rood

All State:
Michael Danyow
Alix Kauffman
Will Kuhns
Alex McClellan
Lois Rood
New England
Will Kuhns
Lois Rood
Commodore Jazz Ensemble

Trumpet:
- Lily Haigis
- Jarret LaFleche
- Matteo Palmer
Trombone:
- Alex Russett
- Eddie Devino
- Aaron Rowell
- Joey Tatlock

Piano
- Kate Cusson
- David Clandy
Bari Sax:
- Jarrett Clark
- Morgan Clark

With the flick of a baton and thirty years of leading the band: Mrs. Susan O'Daniel
Under the direction of Mrs. Karen Jordan, the voices are raised in harmony.

Lead by Mrs. Karen Jordan

Commodore Singers

Soprano
Elyzabeth Bodington
Ann Clancy
Allison Provost
Lois Rood
Alto
Michaela Bicknell
Hannah DeGraaf
Isabelle Langrock
Daniela Stapleford
Tenor
Isaac Bicknell
Michael Danyow
Will Kuhns, Manager
Alex McClellan
Bass
David Clancy
Kyle Darwin

POPS CONCERT
Songs sung in the key of life
Each piece is a new expression of the individual.

Exploring

ART

Every day Jeff Spencer and Leah Hammond guide VUHS students grades 7-12 through the world of personal expression and the beauty of art. Taking many forms and shapes, the curriculum allows students to explore new media while learning skills that promote excellence in each type of exploration. Students look forward to each and every class as they learn to be artists.
Leah Hammond and senior Alyssa Kilburn explore the realms of advanced art and together make connections that last far beyond the classroom and the school year.

Portfolios? Art shows? Our VUHS students get to do it all. They create, organize, show and travel to interviews and art shows around the state and New England.
horribly Modern Millie!
"Everything today is thoroughly modern!"
"A man's interest in a single bluebird is worth more than a complete but dry list of the fauna and flora of a town."

The Walden Experience

All this worldly-wisdom was once the unamiold heresy of some wise
Could a greater miracle take place than for us to look through each other’s eyes for an instant?
Clubs

Science Club

Gay Straight Alliance
German Club

Math Team (Competing with Numbers)

Youth Alive
Student Council

Student Council Members:
Grade 12
Hannah DeGraaf
Asa Hunt
Greta Krahn
Monique Simpson
Anna Jo Smith
Daniela Stapleford
Tyler Sawyer
Grade 11
Daisy Alexander

Tabitha Danyow
Erika Evarts
Alexa Kayhart
Brittany Ouellette
Kelsey R-Fox
Ally Straley
Grade 10
Shep Carter
Eddie Devino
Andrew Edwards
Tim Johnston

Cody Quatrocci
Lois Rood
Grade 9
Tucker Babcock
Glenn Childers
Jeremiah Delorme
Justin Kelly
Devin Parker
Hank Parker
Taylor Paquette
Samara Sausville
Growing not only the food of the future, but the leaders in management and use of our natural resources. FFA builds character, leadership and bonds that last far beyond high school. Led by Mr. Bill VanDeweert and Mrs. Susan Buck, VUHS continues its heritage of linking teens to the Vermont way of life.
With the help of these teens and others, the VUHS Blue & White for 2011 was born. Enjoy!
HOMECOMING
2010
Whether a super hero, a super athlete, a super friend, or a super float builder, Homecoming 2010 had something in place for everyone. Seniors led the way through the competitions and held off tough challenges by the juniors, freshmen and sophomores. With a parade of floats, soccer games, and a bon fire, it was simply a great time to be with friends and to be a Commodore. We love HOMECOMING!
Blood Drive Offers Life & Lessons

For Mark Powers and his students, giving blood is more than an annual VUHS tradition; it is a gift of life, offering people more than just a hand or a gift.

Where were you in this picture?

Ready, set, donate!

Blood Drive
A journey of thousands of miles and friendships that last a lifetime.
I wanted to help organize Peace One Day because I believe in it and what we can all take from it, that peace starts in each of us.

Lily Hamilton

Peace One Day began six years ago at VUHS when then senior Andy Recuperio expressed the need to be involved in the pursuit of peace. His involvement sparked an idea that has become a tradition at VUHS. Led this year by advisors Glenn Story and senior Lily Hamilton, the VUHS student body came together to listen, to learn, to reflect, and to bask in a crisp day where freedom is the

Commodores
You may say that I'm a dreamer
But I'm not the only one
I hope someday you'll join us
And the world will live as one

John Lennon

Imagine there's no countries
It isn't hard to do
Nothing to kill or die for
And no religion

With presentations ranging from poems and speeches to heavy metal original performances, the students at VUHS presented an interesting assortment of facts and reflections on Peace One Day. The theme of community was apparent.

One incredible moment came when VUHS graduate and National Guard soldier Leah Highbee shared her experiences of her first tour in Afghanistan and what a nation with no peace is like.
Treasurer: Nathan North
Secretary: Hannah Sturtevant
Vice-President: Hannah DeGraaf
President: Isabelle Langrock

National Honor Society

Top Row: Nathan North, Will Kuhns, Hannah DeGraaf, Hannah Curler, Tyler Sawyer, Raymond
Middle row: Mrs. Kayhart, Erika Evarts, Megan Cousino, Hannah Sturtevant, Greta Krahn, Isabelle Langrock, Monica Birchmore, Ann Clancy.
Bottom Row: Ben Parsons, Nadia Robtoy, Daniela Stapleford, Margaret Johnston, Allison Provost, Julian Hatler, Nicholas Paquin.
Senior
Walk-a-thon

The Seniors of 2011 raised about $5000 for Veterans programs at the Porter Rehabilitation Center, Ellie Martin, RosaLea Hearthstone, and Alex Cole.
Every student conveys ideas, thoughts and feelings through a chosen area, Fine Arts.

Throughout the history of making art, humans have found that communicating a message or feeling is of equal importance to creating beautiful landscapes and portraits. This group of "Art Essentials" students needed very little prompting to take their new skills and turn them into symbolic statements born of their hearts and minds.

Commodores
Supporting Our Community

Gaines Insurance Agency Inc
154 Monkton Road
Vergennes, Vt.
(802) 877-2878
Messages and Moments in Our Year

Hannah, We will always love and cherish you for what you are, not for what we would like you to be. You were the greatest gift to us. Fly on wings of love. Love, Mom and Dad.

Assets Prevention Group
WE ARE A PART OF

Our Little City

Preserving our heritage

Here all seasons

Mindful of our past

Sports-minded

Loving the lake!

Portraying famous people

'Proud to be Commodores'

Samuel de Champlain
Know the rainbow

Living the rules of

Living out the seasons of youth in a place called home.
"Let your mind start a journey thru a strange new world. Leave all thoughts of the world you knew before. Let your soul take you where you long to be. Close your eyes let your spirit start to soar, and you'll live as you've never lived before. ~
Expeditions
Meghan McGrath
8th Language Arts

Will Phillips
Anders Budaj
Alex Bushey
Kayla Charron
Peter Ferland

Elan Hugo
Samantha Kepes
Haley Paquette
Marinna Wojciechowski
Luke Stinchfield
The Terminators

Chris Napolitano
8th Grade
Math

Derek Campbell
Zach Gebo
Siobhan Haggett
Nick Jackson
Lindsay Morley
Paige Stolen
April Ambrose
Brice Bean
Grady Clark

Liam Godfrey-Jolicoeur
Tea Kiefer
Jakob Norton
Dana Ambrose
Cassie King

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Endeavor

"The greatest discoveries have come from people who have looked at a standard situation and seen it differently."

– Ira Erwin
Explores
Mrs McEnerny
7th Grade English

Laura Boelens          Dylan Bougor          Gunnar Sondwaldt
Matthew Mullin         Britney Aldridch

Crystal King           John Tatlock          Troy Verburg
Kareena Vorsteveld    Brett Woods
Mr. Fries
7th Grade
Social Studies

Shawna VanderWey
Amber Butler
Broc Clark
Grace Chamberlai
Morgan Delorme
Kyra Duggento
John Duke
Aaron Gaines
Eleanor Hubbard
Emily Lalumiere
Silas Mullin
Dustin Tierney
Ian Shalek
Mr. Nary
7th Grade Math

Jack Eisenhower
Jeb Hodsden
Emily Pentkowski
Timothy Mitchell
Alec Hotte
Ethan Reardon
Nathan Rowell
Natalie Salley

Tamara Aunchman
Bradley Corriea
Kyle Dow
Ryan Paquin

Nicole Stearns
Mrs. Muzzy
7th Grade
Science

Julia Johnson
Paige Freegard
Emma Gardner
Eddie Haskell
Kira Johnson
Taija Fish
Brynn Kessler
Colby Shepard
Joshua Sickles
Megan Wood

Jacob Birchmore
Nayomi Bean
Zac Comeau
Brevin Cushman
Lathrop Brownell

Commodores
Middle School Staff

Susan O'Daniel: Middle School Band

Karen Jordan: Middle School Chorus

Jill Strube: After School Program

Sarah Cook: Middle School Physical Education

Edward Cook: Middle School Physical Education

Lisa Newhard: Middle School PE & Health Commodores
Middle School Staff

Guiding your path, lighting the way...

Jeff Spencer: Middle School Art

Wendy Cusson: Computer Technology Resource Manager

Joann Stockwell: Art Teacher Long Term Substitute

Doug Todd: School Based Clinician

Margaret Ottinger: School Based Clinician

Tom Fontana: School Based Clinician

Commodores
Middle School Staff

Ralph Bernardini: Resource Response Center Staff

Laurie Steadman: Resource Response Center Staff

Jill Grant: Resource Response Center Staff

John McGuire: Behavior Interventionalist

Ernie Benoit: Grounds & Building Maintenance

Gerald Grant: Grounds & Building Maintenance

Commodores
Middle School Staff

Peter Garrecht
Special Educator

Roberta Goldstein
Special Educator

Laura Husk
Special Educator

Diane Barrows
Paraprofessional

Susan Dunne
Paraprofessional

Brett Fiorentino
Paraprofessional
Middle School Staff

June Hallock
Paraprofessional

Kimberly Lunna
Paraprofessional

Erika Lynch
Paraprofessional

Caroline Palmer
Paraprofessional

Aleta Racine
Paraprofessional

Anthony Rodriguez
Paraprofessional
In the Middle School World of Exploration and Change
Activities, Clubs & Sports

Clubs and activities include: Sewing, Homework help, Math Counts, Yearbook, mentoring, Youth Summit, Acting Out, Self-Defense, Digital Photography, Rad Rugs, Vergennes Gamers Group, Bike Works, Knitting, Cooking, MMA Kick Boxing, and more to come.
Principal's Advisory

Activities & Clubs

Math Counts
Middle School Band & Jazz Jammers

Flute
- Allissa Barlow 7
- Merle Beach 7
- Noah Dart 8
- Jake Dombek 8, D
- Peter Ferland 8, D
- Isabella Gould 8, Sec./Treas.
- Hannah Hatch 8
- Emily Lalumiere 7
- Ryan McEntee 8
- Emily Pichonok 8
- Clarinet
- Felicia Armell 7
- Tamara Auschman 7
- Kayla Chapman 8
- Hailey Craig 7
- Siobhan Haggart 8, D
- Tia Hunt 8, Vice President
- Alyssa McClay 7
- Sharanah VanderWey 7
- Emily Weber 8
- Alto Saxophone
- Bailey Bissonnette 7
- Sammy Kepes 8
- Evan Myers 8
- Jake Russell 8
- Michael Safford 7
- Kresse Vosvold 7
- Trombone
- Sebastian Crowell 8
- Nikkelette Salley 7
- Tenor Sax
- Dana Ambrose 8, Librarian
- Liam Hayes 8, D
- Percussion
- Christian Aastad 8
- Bastin Bunde 8
- Grace Chamberlain 7
- Erik Eisenhower 8
- Aaron Gaines 7
- Eddie Haskell 7
- Jeb Hodsdon 7
- Elise Hugo 8
- Alex Krumrie 7
- Tyrell Montani 7
- Jesse Nary 7
- Nathan Rowell 7
- Gunnar Souvaldi 7
- John Teflock 7

Alto Saxophone
- Jake Dombek 8
- Eddie Haskell 7
- Sammy Kepes 8
- Evan Myers 8
- KC Ambrose 8
- Tenor Sax
- Tyler Kepes 7
- Tea Kiefer 8/Silas Mullin 8
- Baritone Saxophone
- Jarrett LaFeche 9
- Bass
- Noah Dart 8/Jeb Hodsdon 7
- Ryan McEntee 8
- Trumpet
- Christian Aastad 8
- Aaron Gaines 7
- Tenor Sax
- Nathan Rowell 7
- John Teflock 7
- Trombone
- Sebastian Crowell 8
- Nikkelette Salley 7
- Baritone Saxophone
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- Alex Krumrie 7
- Tyrell Montani 7
- Jesse Nary 7
- Nathan Rowell 7
- Gunnar Souvaldi 7
- John Teflock 7

Jazz Jammers

Alto Saxophone
- Jake Dombek 8
- Eddie Haskell 7
- Sammy Kepes 8
- Evan Myers 8
- KC Ambrose 8
- Tenor Sax
- Tyler Kepes 7
- Tea Kiefer 8/Silas Mullin 8
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- Jarrett LaFeche 9
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- Noah Dart 8/Jeb Hodsdon 7
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- Jesse Nary 7
- Nathan Rowell 7
- Gunnar Souvaldi 7
- John Teflock 7

Jazz Jammers
GMMD High School Symphonic Band
Casey Lynn Brinkman - Traverse
David Clancy
Jarrett Clark
Morgen Clark
Ruby Dombek
Lillian Halge
Greta Krahn
Jarret LaFleche
Logan LaFleche
Allison Provoet
Lois Rood

GMMD Middle School Concert Band
Liam Hayes
Tea Kiefer
Evan Myers

GMMD Middle School Wind Ensemble
Jake Dombek
Peter Ferland
Isaiah Goff
Siobhan Haggett
Nora Hubbard

Under the direction of Susan O'Daniel
Middle School Chorus

“Singing is such an excellent thing, that I wish all people would sing”.

In concert on December 8th!

MS Chorus Districts
April Ambrose
Kyra Duggento
Emma Gardner
Emmalea Hearthstone
Kylie Leach
Evan Myers
Ally Stearns

Commodores
Soprano
April Ambrose 8, D, President
Laura Boelens 7
Ericka Dillisle 8, Secretary
Kyra Duggento 7, D
Paige Freegard 7
Emmalea Hearthstone 8, D
Emily Martin 7
Alyssa McClay 7*
Natalie Salley 7
Emily Weber 8*
Alto
Britney Aldrich 7
Talja Fish 7
Emma Gardner 7
Eddie Haskell 7*
Deightin Lynes 8
Louissa Rozendaal 8
Sara-Jo Snidle 7
Ally Stearns 8, D, Librarian
Nicole Stearns 7
Marinna Wojciechowski 8
Baritone
Dana Ambrose 8*
Christian Austin 8*
Chris Castillo 8
Liam Hayes 8*
Chris Leach 8
Evan Myers 8* D
Logan Tetreault 8
Tyler Woods 7

Under the skilled direction of Mrs.
Karen Jordan

Commodores 193
8th Grade Basketball

Sports
"Physical fitness is not only one of the most important keys to a healthy body, it is the basis of dynamic and creative intellectual activity."  John F. Kennedy
You don't have to be great to start, but you have to start to be great.
"You can't put a limit on anything. The more you dream, the farther you get."
I'm a Teenager
By Nyomi Bean

I'm a teenager
I sleep in
I hear the alarm
I 'm a teenager

I hate to go to school
But I have to
So I close my eyes and dream
Good night and see you in heaven

I'm a teenager

Adolescence
By Julia Johnson

Adolescents?
Not quite an adult
More responsibility
Just past the kid stage!
Always be a first-rate version of yourself, instead of a second-rate version of somebody.
Artwork by Austin Burnett
VUHS Class of 2012