PIECES OF THE PUZZLE

2013
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Seniors 2

Underclassmen 48

Sports 60

Academics 96

Clubs & Events 112
SENIORS
Girls Lacrosse 3, JV Basketball 1, Musical 1-3, Prom Committee 3, Softball 1-2 & 4
'I make my weaknesses my strengths, and my strengths stronger.' -Lisa Fernandez, USA Pitcher
'I guess I got my swagger back.' -Jay-Z
Molly, We love you! We could not have asked for a better daughter! Proud of you! OXOXO Mom & Dad

"There will not be a better tomorrow, if you can't move on from today."
'Shoot for the moon. Even if you miss, you'll land among the stars.'
Dear Jenna, We are very proud of you and all you have accomplished. We love you very much and know that you have a very bright future ahead of you and will go far, you have the drive and tenacity that it takes... Always remember 'We learn from our own experiences. Often, our experiences turn out to be the most enriching moments of our lives.' Love, Mom & Dad

Debate Team 4, Math Team 3-4, Neuroscience Team 4
'The play is over, applaud!' -Augustus Caesar
'All the world's a stage, and all the men and women merely players: They have their exits and their entrances; And one man in his time plays many parts.'
-As You Like It.

"He who is not courageous enough to take risks will accomplish nothing." -Muhammad Ali
'When people say I can't or I mustn't, I always say I can and I will.' -Oscar De La Hoya
Sometimes a facial expression shows vision, character and honesty.
Love,
Dad and Mom

Jenna Arthers
Addison

Kristian Ryan Ashley
Buckwheat, Kris,
Mr. Perfect
North Ferrisburgh
Chase Atkins
Chaser, Hoss
Ferrisburgh

Erik Averill
Hobbit, Rick
North Ferrisburgh

Band 1, FFA 1-4, Ferrisburgh Volunteer Fire Department
1-4, Mock Crash 3, Wrestling 1-2

‘Life on a farm is a school of patience; you can’t hurry the
plants or make an ox in two days.’ -Henri Alain

Dear Chase,

We are so very proud of the young man that you have
become. Congratulations on your achievements. We look
forward to sharing your journey with you!

Love, Dad & Mom

Community Service 1-4, Football 1-4, Hockey 1-4,
Lacrosse 1-4

‘A coward dies a thousand deaths, a soldier dies, but
once.’ -Tupac

Indoor Track 2-4, Math Team 2-4, Outdoor Track 1-4,
Rowing 4

‘What a wee little part of a person’s life are his acts
and his words! His real life is led in his head, and is
known to none but himself.’ -Mark Twain

‘I don’t know where I’m going from here, but I promise
it won’t be boring.’ -David Bowie

Abigail Baker
Baker, Gail,
Gail$wag, $wag
Ferrisburgh

Austin Beamish
Aussie Po, Aust, Beam,
Be Amish, Ozz
Panton
Isaac Bicknell
Esther, 1-man
West Addison

Loves fishing and hunting with his grandfather.

"If you were a blackberry, you could talk your way out of a hungry bear's mouth."

Lacrosse 3-4, Soccer 1-4

"Only fear fear itself."

Kenneth A. Bell
2-E, Kenny Addison

ART 3-4, Band 1-4, Chorus 1-4, Commodore Jazz 1-4, Commodore Singers 2-3, GSA 1-4, GSA President 4, Musical 2-4

"It will be okay in the end. If it isn't okay, then it isn't the end."

"Quid rides? Mutato nomine de te fabula narratur."

Commodore Singers 2-3, Concert Choir 1-2, Hannaford Career Center 3, JV Softball 1, Mission Trip to Portugal 2, United Way Days of Caring 3, Varsity Cheerleading 4

"Cherish those you have in your life because you never know when they won't be there anymore."

"Life is like photography, you develop from the negatives."

Elyzabeth, it’s hard to believe this day is here. First, I want to tell you I love you and am so proud of you. Love, Mom

Achieving your LNA at the age of 17 is incredible. We are so proud of you. The next chapter in your life is just beginning. You will be great at your career. What a beautiful, smart and loving young lady you have become. We will always be here for you! We love you very much. Love, Mom, Addie, Josh + Brianna

Isaac Bigelow
ILL
N. Ferrisburgh

Elyzabeth Diana Bodington, LNA
Lisa, LizBod, Lizzie, Reunzel Vergennes
Dustin Brace
Ferrisburgh

Alexandra Brinkman
Alex, Brink, Brinky,
Megabrinktoise
Vergennes

FFA 1-4, Soccer 1-3
'Crops are green, tractors are red.'

'Hang onto your hat, 'cause here we go!' Love you
Bubby!

'Freedom is standing in the light of the sun, and standing there as
long as you can.' -Syn Ferguson

'Change is the essential process of all existence.' -Mr. Spock

Wow. 18 years has flown by like a swift breeze. You are a
beautiful, confident young woman who will achieve all of your
goals. Of this I have no doubt. All of your challenges you have
turned into opportunity, and for that, you deserve respect and my
deepest admiration. I love you. Now go fly, little one.

Community Service Rep 1-4, Varsity Cheerleading 1-4,
Yearbook 2

'Stand up for what is right even if you're the only one
standing.'

'Let your smile change the world, but don't let the
world change your smile.'

Casey Lynn
Brinkman-Traverse
Queso, Caseface
Vergennes

Chorus 1-4, Commodore Singers 3-4, GSA 3-4, Musical 1-2,
Rowing 3-4

All State Music Festival 2-4, Band 1-4, Chorus 1-4, Debate Team 4,
Environmental/Composting Club 3-4, Governor's Institute of Vermont 4,
Green Mountain Musical Festival 1-4, GSA 2-4, Jazz Band 1-4, Literary
Society 2-4, Math Team 2-4, NHS 3-4, Peace One Day 2-4, Science Club
2, Stage Manager (Musical) 2-4

'If you wish to bake an apple pie from scratch, you must first invent the
universe.' -Carl Sagan

'Somewhere, something incredible is waiting to be known.' -Carl Sagan
We Are all Star Stuff but some shine brighter than others. I have adored
you since day one and I always will. Now it's time to go exploring the
universe. Make it so #1. Love, Mama & Peter (Dodo)

Capricia Burbo
Capii, Cap-Cap,
Cinderella, Zardashia
Vergennes
Gary Caldwell
Garbear, Garyboy
Ferrisburgh

Alaina Katherine
Cannon
Panton

Wash stuffed dogs in the washer and dryer
Scissors go up one drawer higher
Watch Lion King for the fifteenth time
Wakes up at five, naps by nine
There's shampoo in the puppy's hair
Pink nail polish on the love seat there
Been silly all day long
And its only Monday, where's my mom?

Right here.

Band 1-3, Basketball 1-4, Basketball Captain 3-4, Cross Country 1-4, Cross Country Captain 3-4, Math Team 1, Musical 1, Student Council 1-4

"As you go through life, you've got to see the valleys as well as the peaks."
-Neil Young

"There is nothing like looking, if you want to find something. You certainly usually find something if you look, but it is not always quite the something you were after."

Here's to all the elaborate forts you built, races you won, hoops you made.
Props to the concerts you performed, the teams you captained, and the character you show.
We have always been blessed to call you our son. -Mom and Dad

Football 2-4, Football Captains 4, Lacrosse 2-4, Sandy Relief 4, Sandy Relief Team Leader 4, Walden 3-4

"3rd & 15"

"A man who views the world the same at 50 as he did at 20 has wasted 30 years of his life." -Cassius Clay Jr.

"So be sure when you step, Step with care and great tact. And remember that life's A Great Balancing Act. And will you succeed? Yes! You will, indeed (98% and ½ percent guaranteed) Kid, you'll move mountains."

-Dr. Seuss; Oh, The Places You'll Go!

Gary- I love being your Mom. Always remember that no one is in charge of your happiness but you! Couldn't be prouder! Love you, Mom
Cross Country 1, JV Baseball 2, JV Basketball 1-2, Soccer 1, Track 1, Varsity Basketball 2-4

"When each day is the same as the next, it's because people fail to recognize the good things that happen in their lives every day that the sun rises." -Paulo Coelho

"The only thing to fear is fear itself."
- Franklin D. Roosevelt

"If I had words to make a day for you, I'd sing you a morning, golden and new.
I would make this day last for all time.
Give you a night dipped in moon shine.
Good luck, Nate.
Love, Mom

Nathaniel James
Cannon
Cannonball, Nate, Nathan
Panton

Shepherd Jamison
Carter
Shep
Panton
Chorus 3, Lacrosse 1-4, Snow Board Team 1, Soccer 1, Varsity Basketball Manager 4

'If you want your dreams to come true, don't sleep!' -Some guy

'Light up the darkness.' -Bob Marley

Son, Watching you grow has been an amazing and emotional journey and as you move on always remember stay true to yourself, question authority when in doubt and persevere. We are so proud of you!

Luv u
Mom & Dad

JV Basketball 1-2, JV Soccer 1, Varsity Basketball 3-4, Varsity Soccer 2-4, Varsity Softball 1-4

'I have heard there are troubles of more than one kind. Some come from ahead and some come from behind. But I've bought a big bat. I'm all ready, you see. Now my troubles are going to have troubles with me.'

-Dr. Seuss

'Enjoy the little things,'

Cross Country 1, Soil Freight Project 4, Walden Garden Manager 3

'When they say anything say 'why is it?' Class is in session until the teacher gets a pink slip.'

AFS 3, Congress-Bundestag Youth Exchange 3, GSA 1-4, Hygiene Council 3-4, Girls Lacrosse 3-4, Girls Lacrosse Captain 3-4, National Honor Society 4, Set Crew 1&3, Student Council 1-4, Student Council Vice President 1

'Lass dich nicht entmutigen!' -Susanne

'This is the beginning of a new day... I want it to be gain and not loss; good and not evil; success and not failure; in order that I shall not regret the price I have paid for it.'
Band 3-4
"If you open your mind too much, your brain will fall out." - Tim Minchin

Rowing 1-4, Tech. 1-4
"Boredom leads to Creativity."
"Ask me no questions and I'll tell you no lies."

AA/II Basketball 1st/3rd, All New England Band 3rd, All State Band 2-4th, Basketball 1-4th, Commodore Jazz Ensemble 2-4th, Districts Band 1-4th, German Club 2-4th, Math Team 1-3th, Musical Pit Ensemble 3-4th, Symphonic Band 1-4th
"It's kind of fun to do the impossible." - Walt Disney
"Only those who risk going too far can possibly find out how far one can go." - T.S. Eliot
Morgen, you have amazed me since your very first breath and I have no doubt will amaze me until my very last. Your generosity, warmth, determination and love have made me so proud and inspired. I'm honored to have had the chance to raise you. Love you, Mom

Morgen, You ALWAYS have done your best in all that you do and it shows!!! There is no end to what you can do and where you will be. I know one day you will make a discovery that will change many lives. There is not a father out there PROUDER than I am of you!!! Love you Baby Girl, Dad

Basketball 3-4th, Musical 1-4th, Prom Committee 3rd, Softball 1-4th, Walden 3-4th
"I will not play at tug o' war. I'd rather play at hug o' war, where everyone hugs instead of tugs, where everyone giggles and rolls on the rug, where everyone kisses, and everyone grins, and everyone cuddles, and everyone wins." - Stief Silverstein
Amanda-Panda Bear,
I love you and am so very proud of the young woman you have become. Your kindness and compassion towards others is a beautiful gift, along with your wonderful sense of humor. May you always carry those through your lifetime and know that I am always here for you.
Congratulations! All my love, Mom

Joshua Cook
Cooker, Fish, Cook, Chris, Josh
Panton

Amanda Lillian Cota
Buffalo, Poke
Ferrisburgh
Alexandria Crowell
AL, Alex, Al-pal, Allycans, Crowell, i i Vergennes

Ryan Crowningshield
Italian Stallion, Ry, Ry Guy, Ry Man, Rye Bread Vergennes

Debate/Forensics Team 4, Champlain Young Writer's Con. 2, Chorus 1-4, Chorus 1 Lib. 3-4, Davro Club 3, GSA 3-4, Sec. of GSA 4, Green Mtn. Music Dist. Festival Ed.
Society 2-4, Pres. of Lit. Society 3-4, Musical 1-4, NLYW Con. 2-3, Most Student NEYW Con. 3, Peace One Day 1-4, VT Young Playwrights 2004

"The human adventure is just beginning."
"To be nobody but yourself in a world which is doing its best, night and day, to make you everybody else means to fight the hardest battle which any human being can fight and never stop fighting." - E. E. Cummings

As one assignment in AP asks: What is love? It can be described as trust, admiration, acceptance but in all its forms, the sweetest, most enduring is the love for your child. Alexandria Crowell, our love holds no expectations, nor limitations. It is eternal, and you will always be cherished.

Band 1-2, Chorus 2-4, Musical 2-3, Varsity Soccer 1-4,
VUES Musical Director 4

"Nothing great can be accomplished without enthusiasm."

JV Baseball 1, JV Football 2, JV Soccer 1, Varsity Baseball 2, Varsity Football 4, Varsity Hockey 1-4,
Varsity Lacrosse 3-4, Varsity Soccer 3

"To succeed... You need to find something to hold on to, something to motivate you, something to inspire you." - Tony Dorsett

'Simple as that.' - Karl Steen

'If one advances confidently in the direction of his dreams, and endeavors to live the life which he has imagined, he will meet with success unexpected in common hours.' - Henry David Thoreau

Michael Vincent
Danyow
Miggle
N. Ferrisburgh

Dale Davis
Lacrosse 2 & 3-4, Indoor Track 2-4, Outdoor Track 1-2

'I didn't choose the thug life, the thug life chose me.' - Tupac

'There's no better feeling in the world than a warm pizza box on your lap.' - Kevin James

Band 1-4, Band Pres. 4, Boys State 3, Class Pres. 1-4, Drum Major 3-4, Exec. Council 2-3, Indoor Track 2-4, Indoor Track Captain 3-4, Jazz Band 1-4, Jazz Band Manager 2-4, JV Soccer 1, JV Soccer Capt. 1, NHS 3-4, NHS Pres. 4, Outdoor Track 2-4, Outdoor Track Capt. 3-4, Rotary Club Rep. 3-4, Student Council 1-4, UCC 4, UPL 4, Varsity Soccer 2-4, Varsity Soccer Capt. 2-4

'Friendship is not something you learn in school. But if you haven't learned the meaning of friendship, you haven't learned anything.' - Muhammad Ali

'There are lots of words we want to say and lots of thoughts to express, but it's all basically summed up with this: You ARE freaking Awesome!!!

Love you always and forever,

Mom, Dad, Britt, Cassie and all the rest of our family

Musical 1 & 3-4, Rowing 1-2, Tae Kwon Do 2-4, Youth Alive 1-4

'Enjoy the little things, for one day you may look back and realize they were the big things.' - Robert Bruley

'Duty cannot exist without faith.' - Benjamin Disraeli

Kelsey, We are immensely proud of all you've accomplished and for the man you are becoming. You're an inspiration and the world is yours!

Always remember...

Follow after God, it's your greatest challenge and highest calling. Live courageously, Give generously, Speak graciously, Fear nothing. And above all, Love fiercely with total abandon.

Love always, Mom and Dad

Lacrosse 1-3, Rowing 2-3
Tech Club 1-4
"The time you enjoy wasting is not wasting time."

All American Cheerleader 1-4, Fall Cheerleading 4, National Technical Honors Society 3-4, Soccer 1, Softball 1-2, Varsity Cheerleading 1-4, Varsity Cheerleading Captain 4, Vergennes Rescue 4, Vermont Semi-Pro Ice Storm Cheerleading 4

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

You have grown up to be a strong young woman and I couldn't be more proud of you! Always move forward and I know you will be a success in whatever you choose! Love, Mom

Cheerleading Manager 1-3
"Dream as if you will live forever. Live as if you will die tomorrow."

You are such a gifted young woman! Always follow your heart and you will be a great success in any career you choose. I am proud to have you as my daughter. Love, Mom

Abigail Suzanne Gendreau
Ab, Abbs, Abbey, Abbey Sue
Vergennes

Alicia Marie Gendreau
Bug, Gendreau, Leash, Leti, Lita Bug
Vergennes
Chorus 1-4, Districts 3-4, Environmental Club 3-4, Gospel Choir 1-4, Musical 4, Youth Alive 1-4

“For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers, neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.” Romans 8:38-39

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

“Out of control is the way I roll.”

“Riding is solitude and escape from everyday life.”

Jordan, You have grown into a strong young man with a big heart and strong work ethic. Follow your dreams, keep working hard and you will achieve great things. We are so very proud of you, love you very much and wish you lots of luck.

All Our Love,
Mom, Dad and Chelsea

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Rowing 1-4

Band 1-4, Band Librarian 1-2, Band Secretary/Treasurer 3, Castleton Honors Band 3, JV Softball 1-2, Pep Band 1-4, Pep Band Captain 4, Varsity Softball 3-4

“Forget about style, worry about results.” -Bobby Orr

“If you want to succeed as much as you want to breathe, then you will succeed.”

Becca, It is with great love and pride we have had in watching you grow to be a very special young lady, with many goals. Our wish for you is to follow your dreams and live life to the fullest. Love you with all our being, baby girl. Love Mommy and Daddy.

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Jordan Grant
Bull, Grant, Ordon
Addison

Rebecca Hardin
BB, Becca, Becker, Becs
Addison
FFA 1-4, Fire Department 1-4

Drive it like you stole it!

Basketball 1, Chorus 3-4, Commodore Singers 4, Musical 3, Soccer 1-2, Theater 1

"Two roads diverged in a wood and I took the one less traveled by, and that has made all the difference."
"Insert quote here."

"The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom, and knowledge of the Holy One is understanding." Proverbs 9:10

"Wisdom is the principal thing; therefore get wisdom and with all thy getting get understanding." Proverbs 4:7

Peter, we are so proud of you and we love you!

Peter Francis Hebert
Sherbert, Uncle
Sherbert
Vergennes

Cynthia Lynn Holler
Addison

AAU Basketball 1-4, JV Basketball 1, Math Team 3-4, Student Council 4, UCC 4, UPL 4, Varsity Baseball 1-4, Varsity Basketball 2-4, Varsity Soccer 1-4, Varsity Soccer Captain 4

"I can relate to anyone. I can hang out with stoners, skaters, surfers, stockbrokers, lawyers, athletes and rappers. I feel I can hang out with any group of people and find common ground to talk with them." -Barry Zito

"I swing big, with everything I’ve got. I hit big or I miss big. I like to live as big as I can." -Babe Ruth

Your journey is just beginning. Continue to work hard and follow your dreams. Believe in yourself and you can accomplish anything. ‘Go neon on bother feat.’ Love, Mom and Dad

Cheerleading 1-4, Climbing Club 2, Fall Cheerleading 4, Lacrosse 4, Rowing 4, Softball 3, Youth Risk Behavior Survey Analysis Team 1-4, Youth Risk Behavior Survey Analysis Team Leader 3-4

"I would never die for my beliefs because I might be wrong." -Bertrand Russell

Cynthia, you have become such a strong, determined young lady with focus and strength that is inspiring and will help you succeed in your future. We look forward to watching you continue to grow as you enjoy the many more experiences to come. Having watched you set your mind on your goals and having seen you succeed, we know that you can achieve anything in life you put your mind to and that is why we are so proud of you and will always be no matter what you do! Love Always, Dad and Mom
"If you always do what pleases you, at least one person is pleased." - Katherine Hepburn

GSA 3-4, Math Team 3-4

Indoor Track 3, Lacrosse 2-4, Rowing 2-4, Wrestling 4

Chorus 1-4, Lights for Musical 1-4, Rowing 1-4

Community Service 1-4, Cross Country 2-3, JV Track 2

'Go confidently in the direction of your dreams. Live the life you have imagined.'

Josh, It has been the most amazing, wonderful adventure to watch you grow into the young man you are. You have made us so proud. We know that whatever you choose to do, you will succeed. Always remember that we are here for you. We love you more than the stars, the moon, sun, milky way, black hole, and everything that ever existed. We won't!

Love forever and always, Mom & Dad

Josh, Your the best brother a girl like me could ever have. Good job Josh!

I love you! Love, Liver

Cody Hutchins
Core, Cory
Addison

Joshua J. Hutchins
Hutch, Hutty
West Addison
Marissa Alyce Jochum
Mariss, Riss
Addison

David Johnson
Panton

Band 1-3, Girl Scouts 1-4, Girls State 3, German Club 1-4, German Exchange 3, Math Team 3-4, National Honor Society 3-4, National Honor Society Treasurer 4, Silver Hooves 4-H Club 2-4, Silver Hooves 4-H Club President 4, Tutoring 2, Yearbook 2-4, Yearbook Co-Editor 3, Yearbook Editor 4

"No hour of life is wasted that is spent in the saddle." - Winston Churchill

We are so proud of you, Mariss! You will accomplish great things in life ... and we look forward to sharing those moments with you! We love you! Mom, Dad and Kristina

Ferrisburgh Fire Department 1-4, FFA 1-4, Soccer 1-2, Snowboard Team 1, Wrestling 4

'Choose a job you love and you will never have to work a day in your life.' - Confucius

David, I am very proud of all that you have accomplished in many areas of your life! You are everything I could ever want in a son and I feel very lucky and proud to have you as my son! Love Dad

David, You made it! I am very proud of your accomplishments and the young man you have grown into. I am so excited for you to embrace this next phase of life. Have fun, work hard, and enjoy every single day. I love you my son very much and thank you for the best 18 years of my life. - Mom

Conedy Club 1-4, Conedy Club Pres 4, Class Treasurer 1-2, Community Serv Rep 1-4, Exec Council 3, Girls State 3, JV Boys Lacrosse 1, JV Soccer 1-2, Math Team 3-4, NHS 3-4, NHS Vice Pres 4, Prom Committee 3, School Board Rep 3-4, Student Council 1-4, Swim Team 1-4, Track 2, Tutor 2, Varsity Soccer 3-4

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'Those who don't believe in magic will never find it." - Roald Dahl

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Good luck in college next year! - Love, Peyton

You impress me everyday. Can't wait to see what you have in store for us in the future! - Love, Dad

Band 1-4, Band Librarian 3, Band Vice President 4, Class Vice President 4, Drum Major 4, Executive Council 2-4, Indoor Track 4, Math Team 1-2, Student Council 1-4, UCC 4, Varsity Soccer 1-4, Varsity Soccer Captain 3-4, Walden Gardens 1-2

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Casey Ann Jones
Vergennes

Tim Johnston
Beach Boy, Johnny, Johnny O, Timmy
Addison

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Casey Ann Jones
Vergennes
Karizma A. Joyal
K-Rez, Kriz, Monkey, Poo, Rizzma
Vergennes

Lane Kessler
Butterfeet, Kessy
North Ferrisburgh

Band 1, Rowing 1, Softball 2
‘I love you like all little children love pennies’ - Alan Jackson
‘Use your head, don’t be stupid.’ - Dad
Karizma, We love you very much. You worked hard to get
where you are. Seems like yesterday you were a little girl,
now you’re a senior in high school. Soon you will be going
off to college. We are very proud of you.
Love, Mom & Dad

‘What lies behind us and what lies ahead of us are tiny
matters compared to what lives within us.’
Henry David Thoreau

Commodore Singers 4, Indoor Track 1-2 &4, Musical 4,
National Honor Society 3-4, Outdoor Track 1-4,
Recreational Tennis 1, Soccer 1-4, Student Council 1-4
‘We are what we believe we are.’ - C.S. Lewis
May God bless and keep you always
May your wishes all come true
May you always do for others
And let others do for you.
Love, Dad and Mmaaaaah...

FFA 2-4, FFA Vice President: Chapter 4, Contested for
Student Council Vice President 4
‘Our means of receiving impressions are absurdly few, and
our notions of surrounding objects infinitely narrow. We
see things only as we are constructed to see them, and can
gain no idea of their absolute nature. With five feeble
senses we pretend to comprehend the boundlessly complex
cosmos.’
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David King

Alexander John
Antonio Korth
Korth
Addison
Community Service Representative 1-4, Cross Country 1, H.O.B.Y., 2, JV Basketball 2, Rowing 2, R.Y.L.A. 2, Varsity Lacrosse 1-4, Varsity Lacrosse Captain 2-4, VT Lacrosse Showcase 3, VTribe Lacrosse 3, Wounded Warrior Project Run 3-4

'The only limit is the one you set yourself.' -RB

'...whatever is true, whatever is noble, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is admirable—if anything is excellent or praiseworthy—think about such things.' Phil 4:8

I am so proud of you! Love, Mom

Class Secretary 1& 3-4, PCS Drama Program Volunteer 3, Girls State 3, Independent Study/Sailing Trip 2, John Graham Shelter Volunteer 1-4, New England Young Writer's Conference 3-4, National Honor Society 3-4, National Honor Society Secretary 4, Peace One Day 1& 3-4, Prom Committee 3, Student Council 1& 3-4

'The greater danger for most of us lies not in setting our aim too high and falling short; but in setting our aim too low and achieving it mark.' -Michelangelo

Dear Mary, We have had so much fun together as a family. Remember your humble beginnings. Be kind, Practice gratitude. Seek beauty. Wear sunscreen. Take your vitamins. Drink your milk, and remember, it's usually not a good idea toitch-like. Be safe. Oh yeah, have fun!

Love you best of all, Mom and Dad

Band 1-4, Castleton Honors Band 2, Champlain College Young Writer's Conference 2, City Band 1, Districts 2-3, Environmental Club 3-4, Girls Lacrosse 3-4, Literary Society 3-4, Musical 1-4, New England Young Writer's Conference 3, Yearbook 2

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

'Sometimes you wake up. Sometimes the fall kills you. And sometimes when you fall, you fly.'

Logan, you have grown into a beautiful, caring, and independent young woman that we are so proud of! Follow your dreams and always stay true to who you are. Remember we will always be here to support you and love you unconditionally. All our love, Mom, Dad, Jerret, Nick & Jacob.

'A rose by any other name would smell as sweet.' -Shakespeare

'To die would be a very big adventure.' -Peter Pan

'I'll Love you forever, I like you for always as long as I'm living my baby you'll be' All my love, Mama!

Mary Langworthy
Ferrisburgh

Katelyn Lapell
Kat, Katie, Kay, Sissy
Vergennes
Kaitlin M. Leroux  
Kaiti, Kaiti-Doodle,  
Thumper  
Vergennes

Dylan Lorrain

Chorus 1-1, Commodore Singers 3-1, Musical 1-2 & 4  
The Lord is my shepherd, there is nothing I shall want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures, He leadeth me beside still waters. He restoreth my soul: He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake.' Psalm 23:1-3  
'Music. It's powerful stuff.'  
To my beloved first, chosen daughter: Wishing you the best in life. I admire your courage, perseverance, determination, self-advocacy, resilience and work ethic. Despite our differences and challenges, you are greatly loved.  
Mama (BonniceRita)  
Kaitlin -- Be calm  
Be kind  
Be patient  
(and slow down!) -- Dad

Vergennes Champs Swim Team 1  
'Imperfection is beauty. Madness is genius. And it's better to be absolutely ridiculous than to be absolutely boring.'  
Abigail,  
You are and will always be my sweet 'Peachtree.' You are such a strong and loving person. I am very proud of you Abigail. I know that you can do anything you put your mind to, I can't wait to see what life brings to you.  
Love you very much,  
Mom XOXO

Dylan,  
From the moment you were born I knew you were special. From watching you make a fishing pole out of anything and all the energy you have. Not to mention the ethics you possess. Those qualities will bring you far in life. But I hope not far from me.  
Love,  
Mom

Band 1-2, Cheerleading 1-3  
'Being happy doesn't mean that everything is perfect. It means that you've decided to look beyond the imperfections.'  
Ashley,  
We are so proud of the person you have become. As you enter this new chapter in your life, we hope your dreams take you to the corners of your smile, to the highest of your hopes, to the windows of your opportunities, and to the most special places your heart could imagine.  
Love, Mom, Dad, Megan

Abigail Nicole Marshall  
Abbs, Abby, Gail,  
Marshall  
Vergennes

Ashley Martin  
Ash  
Ferrisburgh
Jack P. McCarthy
McKilroy, Rikert, Rumpfeld
Ferrisburgh

Daniel McGrath
Dan
Ferrisburgh

Cross Country 2, Indoor Track 2-4, Literary Society 2-4, Outdoor Track 2, Walden 4
'Do not go where the path may lead, go instead where there is no path and leave a trail.' - Ralph Waldo Emerson
'Go confidently in the direction of your dreams. Live the life you have imagined.' - Henry David Thoreau

Basketball 1-3, Cross Country 4, Indoor Track 4, Outdoor Track 4, Soccer 1-2
'Indulgence says, 'Drink your way out.' Philosophy says, 'Think your way out.' Science says, 'Invent your way out.' Industry says, 'Work your way out.' Communism says, 'Strike your way out.' Militarism says, 'Fight your way out.' Christ says, 'I AM THE WAY OUT.'

Community Service 1-2 &4, JV Basketball 2, Varsity Basketball 3-4, Varsity Football 2-4
'You can't change the world until you change yourself.' - Christopher George Latore Wallace

Anime Club 1-3, Chorus 1-2, Musical 2, Walden 3-4

Jared Miedema
Miedema
Waltham

Jodi Moore
Jo-Jo, Luna, Runzi
Ferrisburgh
Jennifer Lynn Morley
Ferrisburgh

Emily Morrill
Bemi(y, Em Ferrisburgh

Band 1-2, JV Basketball 1-2, Math Team 2-4, Varsity Softball 1-3
"Ever notice that anyone driving slower than you is an idiot, but anyone driving faster than you is a maniac?"
-George Carlin
"The good thing about science is that it's true whether or not you believe in it." -Neil deGrasse Tyson

Jennifer, We are so proud of what you’ve accomplished and the person you’ve become. We know your potential is limitless and that this will become a much better world with you out there in it.
Love, Mom, Dad and Lindsay

Chorus 1-2, Essex Tech 3, Varsity Cheerleading 1 & 4
"If you are always trying to be normal you will never know how amazing you can be." -Maya Angelou
"I didn’t choose the thug life, the thug life chose me." -Tupac

Dear Gabby, It has been a privilege and honor to watch you grow up to become such an incredible young woman. We believe that you will go far in life. Remember success isn’t a result of spontaneous combustion. You must set yourself on fire. Live life to the fullest. Shoot for the stars because even if you miss, you’ll land among them. Stay cool, stay beautiful. You go girl. Love, Dad

Community Service 1-4, Compost 3, GSA 4
"Change your thoughts and you change your world."
-Norman Vincent Peale
"Believe you can and you’re halfway there." -Theodore Roosevelt

Emily, I love you for not only who you are but for the beautiful young woman you have become. I’m very proud of you and I hope all your dreams come true. Love you -Mom

"You never know how strong you are until being strong is the only choice you have." -Bob Marley

Salge, It seems like yesterday you and Halley Beth were stepping on the bus for your first day of school. I am super proud of your accomplishments along the way. You have trudged down your path with determination and your head held high. You are an amazing young lady with a great deal to offer this life and Tuck. You are very loved and Grampie would be extremely proud of his girl.

Best, Mom & Tucker

Dear Salge, 2013 is here and you are graduating! We are very proud of the young woman you have become. We wish you all the best and will be here for you always. Remember, ‘Be the change you want to see in the world.’ -Ghandi

Love, GramCracker and Pop

Gabriella Mutini
Gabby, Gabs
Ferrisburgh

Saige Elizabeth Nimblett
Ferrisburgh
Stay far from timid, only make moves when your heart’s in it, and live the phrase ‘sky’s the limit.’ -Notorious B.I.G.

To be yourself in a world that is constantly trying to make you someone else is special. Forever cherish who you are and always hold on to what you love. You have the ingredients to live a Beautiful, Happy & Successful life. We’ll see this to the end together. -Your Grateful & Loving Brother

Dana Girls: As I stand back & watch a Beautiful, strong minded, very independent little girl turn into a woman that will absolutely conquer the world. Please don’t ever compromise your integrity and beliefs. Stay true to yourself, believe in God and don’t allow anyone to ever say ‘you can’t do it.’

Love you, Dad

Addison United 1-2, JV Basketball 1-2, JV Soccer 1, Synergy FC 3-4, Varsity Soccer 2-4

‘Impossible is just a big word thrown around by small men who find it easier to live in the world they’ve been given than to explore the power they have to change it. Impossible is not a fact. It’s an opinion. Impossible is potential. Impossible is temporary. Impossible is nothing.’ -David Beckham

Never settle for anything less than your dreams. Someday you will find them. Work hard, do what is right and not what is easy. Love your family with all your heart. They will always be there for you. And, don’t forget that there is someone up above.

Love Mom, Dad, Josh, Michael and Erin

Baseball 1-4, Basketball 1-4, Soccer 1-4

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

Zach, It has been exciting watching you play your sports over the years. You are an amazing athlete, smart student and a handsome young man. I have watched you grow into this person you have become and I’m proud to say I’m your mother. I love you more than life! <3 Mom

Days of Caring 3-4, Hannaford Career Center 3-4, Ferrisburgh Fire Department 1-4

‘Those who have long enjoyed such privileges as we enjoy-forget in time that men have died to win them.’-Franklin D. Roosevelt

Trev, My dream for you is the same now as the day you were born, I want you to live a happy, healthy life. Now is the time for you to live your dreams, experience life, discover what makes you happy and then go for it and never give up.

Congrats on your success, hard work, and endless giving to your community. You are a remarkable young man and I am very proud of you. Remember, you will always be my… sweet heart boy. Love you, Mom

Trev, ‘Lets blow this popsicle stand’ I am proud of you! Love, Dad

Steven Paquette
German, Steve, Steveo
Ferrisburgh

Trevor Patterson
Peckerson
Ferrisburgh
Lindsey Pentkowski
Kowski, Linds
Vergennes

Joanna Perez
Booty, Coolest Person
Ever, Jojo, Nana
Riverside, CA

Clean up of local State Parks 1-4, DUO 3-4, Volunteer
at Humane Society of Chittenden County 1-3, Volunteer
at Ronald McDonald House 1-4, Yearbook 2
‘Be the change you wish to see in the world.’ -Gandhi
‘Life is what happens when you are busy making other
plans.’ -John Lennon

Basketball 1, Cheerleading 4, Chorus 1-3, Lacrosse 3-4, Musical
1-4, National Honor Society 1, Soccer 1-3, Student Council 1-4
‘A journey of a thousand miles begins with a single step.’ -Lao Tzu
‘It’s choice- not chance- that determines your destiny.’ -Jean
Nidetch
We are so proud of you for choosing the military track, Kristin. No
matter what you set your mind to, we know you will try hard to
succeed. We love you so much, princess! Congratulations! Love,
Mom and Dad
P.S. I’ll miss you, big sis Love Ashli

Kristin Pike
Kippy, KP, Krissy, Pike, Piker
Panton

Chorus 3-4, Forensic 4, Talent Show 4

Band 3-4, Cross Country 3-4, National Honors Society
4, Soccer 1-2, Theater 1, Youth Alive 3-4, Young
Peoples 1-4
“The LORD is my light & my solution; whom shall I
fear? The LORD is the stronghold of my life; of whom
shall I be afraid?” Psalm 27:1
‘I know you can fight. But it’s our wits that make us
men.’ -Malcom Wallace, Braveheart

Noah Christopher
Praamsma
Brother Noah
Ferrisburgh
Cody Quattrocci
Binks, Co-Co, Codes, C-Jo, J.J., Q, Quatty
Ferrisburgh

Jenna Rao
Jenna, Mexican, Rao
Ferrisburgh

AAU Basketball 1-3, Baseball Manager 4, Student Council 1-2,
Tutor 1-2, UCC 4, Varsity Basketball 2-4, Varsity Soccer 2-4
'Don't tell me our youth is running out, it's only just begun.' -Foxes
'One good thing about music, when it hits you, you feel no pain.'
-Bob Marley
Cody, It is so inspiring watching you step-by-step with your soft spoken confident way. In a seemingly seamless stride through every stage of life, taking on every obstacle as a challenge to be overcome. With great friends and wise choices, there's no limit. With great pride, Love Dad

It was a long road but you did it! We love you!
~Gramma Sue

Days of Caring 3-4, FFA 3-4, Softball 1
'Dream as if you will live forever, Don't live as if you will die tomorrow.'

Travis K. Reed
Vergennes

Firefighter 1-4
'I have to laugh because I know I'm going to die.'
"The opposite of love is not hate it is indifference."
-Gandhi
Your mind is your own monster. Reality is what you make it." -Evedca

Congratulations! Hard to believe it’s been 18 years and you’re about to graduate and enter the next phase of your life - live it to the fullest and follow your dreams. We are proud of the man you’ve become. We love you bud! Mom & Dad

"So what, you fell down. You gonna sit there and cry about it or get up and try again?"

Basketball 4, Basketball Manager 3, Soccer 2, Soccer Manager 4

"Be the change you wish to see in the world." -Gandhi

Katie Lady- It has been the greatest honor watching you grow into a beautiful, compassionate young woman. We are so proud of all that you have accomplished, and look forward to your future endeavors. Be brave and live life. We love you to infinity and beyond. Mom & Dad

"Git-R-Done."

JV Basketball 1, Varsity Baseball 1-4

Amanda Rogers-Wilson
Bean, Manda Ferrisburgh

Brittney Rogers-Wilson
Britt, Britty Ferrisburgh
Lois Irene Rood  
Lobo, Lola, Lo,  
Roodster  
Vergennes

Jason Michael Russin  
Big Baby J, Jase, Jay, Jay  
Russ, Russ, Russin, Rusty

Golf 3, Varsity Basketball Manager 4  
"One doesn't have a sense of humor. It has you."  
-Larry Gelbart

"Life is half spent before we know what it is."  
-George Herbert

Band 1-4, Indoor Track 1-4, Lacrosse 1, Math Team 1 & 4,  
Musical Crew 2, Soccer 3-4, Student Council 1-4, Track 2, UCC 4  
"To understand is to perceive patterns." -Isaiah Berlin

Harrison, It's not what you do in life. It's how you do it.  
Love, Dad & Jeanne

Harry: Fun, quiet, smart, determined, friendly. You are quite a young man. Do big things and travel to faraway places.  
Congratulations on doing a great job. We Love You, Mom and Mark.

All Easterns Choir 4, All St. Band 3, All St. Chorus 1-2 & 4, Band 1-4,  
Band/Chorus Pres 3-4, Castleton Honor Band 2-4, Class Secretary 2, Chorus 1-4, Commodore Singers 2-4, Comm. Singers Man.3-4, Days of Caring 3-4,  
Dist. Band 1-4, Dist. Chorus 1-4, Madrigal Fest. 2-4 NE Chorus 2-4, Pep Band 1-4, Pep Band Capt. 3-4, Student Council 1-3, Youth Alive Pres 1-4  
The very fact that a holy, eternal, all-knowing, all-powerful, merciful, fair and just God loves you and me, is nothing short of astonishing" -Francis Chan

Precious Lois, What joy you have brought us each day with your radiant personality and the love you pour out on all those around you! We are so proud of the beautiful lady you have become. May Christ continue to shine through you. We love you! -Mommy and Poppy

Basketball 1-4  
"Yesterday you said tomorrow. Today is the tomorrow that you promised yourself yesterday. So get started right now."  
-Nike

Stanley, We are so proud of the person you have become. We have enjoyed watching you grow and how you handle difficult tasks. We can’t wait to watch what this next chapter in your life is going to bring.  
We love you, Mom & Kris

Stanley Salley III  
Stan the Man  
Ferrisburgh

Harrison Austin  
Senesac  
Harold, Harry, Son, Xobi  
Waltham & North Ferrisburgh
Travis Jermaine Simpson
T.J.
Ferrisburgh

Rachel Sorrell
Rach
Ferrisburgh

Baseball 1, Wrestling 3-4
“You Only Live Once” - Drake
I’m going for gold, my heart is in control, my mind is on
success, and I am in the lead.” - Lil Wayne
TJ, We are so proud of you, we know you have a bright
future ahead of you! Congratulations!!!
Do not go where the path may lead, go instead where there
is no path and leave a trail.” - Emerson
Love, Mom and Dad

Cheerleading 1-4, Chorus 1, Soccer 1-4
’Most of the shadows of this life are caused by our standing in
our own sunshine’ - Ralph Waldo Emerson
To my beautiful, funny, strong, and wise daughter Rachel. Just
look at what you have accomplished! It hasn’t been an easy road
for you, but the path you are on is certainly leading you in the
right direction. I can’t express in words the joy that you have
brought to my life. I am proud to be your mom, and I know your
Dad, looking down on you from heaven, is proud too.
Love, Mom

Varsity Soccer 1-4, JV Basketball 1, Varsity Basketball 2-4,
Varsity Baseball 1-4, Baseball State Champion 3, Band 1-4
I’d walk through hell in a gasoline suit to play basketball.” - Pete Rose
’talent is cheaper than table salt. What separates the talented individual
from the successful one, is a lot of hard work.” - Stephen King
To Charles, We are so thankful God chose to bless us with a handsome,
thoughtful, quiet young man to be a part of our lives. To live a life of
victory and fruitfulness to the glory of God. We are so proud of your
achievements and immensely grateful for the treasured memories and
years of love you have given us. Sent from our hearts.

Charles Edward Stapeford
Chuck, Char, C-Stapes
Vergennes

Abigail Stearns
Abi, Abbie, Stearns,
Abbie- Linguine
Addison

JV Basketball 2-2, Varsity Basketball 3-4, FFA 2-4, Band 1-4, Addison
Volunteer Fire Dep. 3-4, AAU Basketball 3-4
‘Some days you have it all together you swear you have it all figured out,
other days you’re stumbling and wonderin what the hell it’s all about, it’s
kind of funny like that. Sometimes you’re the dog, sometimes you’re the
cat all you can do is just keep going and thank god for what you have.’
-Luke Bryan
Congratulations Abbie! We are so proud of you for always staying true
to yourself. Remember these things…always follow your heart, follow
your dreams and enjoy life to its fullest! We love you!
Love, Mom, Dad and Nicole
"It's all good.
It is what it is."

American Legion Baseball 2-4, Baseball 1-1, Baseball State Champion 3, FFA 1-2, Football 2-4, Varsity Baseball Captain 3, Varsity Football Captain 4
"You need to try on many shoes before you find the right fit." - Paul Steele
"Just gotta keep on keeping on." - Joe Dirt
Wade... We couldn't be more proud of the incredible young man you have become. Big heart, kind, thoughtful... You're an incredible athlete that we have enjoyed watching over the years. We just know this next chapter in your life will be filled with success and adventure! You are off to great places!
Can't wait to sit back and enjoy the ride...
All our love... To the moon and back, forever and a day...
Mom, Dad, and Cody

Band 1-2, Day of Caring 4, JV Soccer 2-3, Hannaford Career Center 4, Varsity Cheerleading 1&4
"The most wasted of all days is one without laughter." - E.E. Cummings
"Live like there is no tomorrow. Sing as if no one can hear. Love like you have never been hurt. Dance as if no one is watching. Laugh like no one is listening."
Megan, I am so proud of you! I wish you much success in all that you do! No matter what you choose, find the passion in life that makes YOU happy! Lots of Love, Mom
Megan- Always hoped you would stay little forever but look at you now, graduating high school. We are all so proud of you. Congratulations. We love you and will always be here for you! Love Dad, Sara, Dylan, Kyla, and Angie

AAU 3, Basketball 1-4, Lacrosse 1-4, Soccer 1-4
"If we are ever to enjoy life, now is the time, not tomorrow or next year...Today should always be our most wonderful day." - Thomas Dreier
When you put your mind to do something you do it. You have a passion to do well and you accomplish it everytime. I know what ever you do in the future you will do well. You won't let anyone or anything get in the way. We are so proud of you. We look forward of what you have plans to do next.
Love MOM and DAD

Wade Louis Steele
Addison

Ashley Stearns
Ash
Vergennes

Megan Marie Stearns
Meg, Meg-a-bucks,
Meggie, Megs, MMS,
Stearnsie
Ferrisburgh

Justin Strona
J Stone, Strona, Stoner, Sweet Stroke Strona
"If a man does not keep pace with his companions, perhaps it is because he hears a different drummer. Let him step to the music which he hears, however measured or far away."

~Henry David Thoreau

Art Club 3-4, Community Service Rep 1-4, Lacrosse 3-4, Softball 1
'Come to the water's edge. I rest in Your promises that all You ever wanted was me here. And if there's nothing more that I can do to earn the love I need from You, then all that's left is to want is to be near. So I come when you say come.' ~Lindsey McCaul

Dear Victoria, When we looked at your baby pictures again, we were reminded how quickly the years go by and our adorable little girl turned into a lovely young woman! We thank God for you and the joy and artistic dimensions you've brought to our family. We hope that as you continue on the adventure of this life, that you will stay close to the Bright and Morning Star, in whose hands you are secure. (H.C. Q&Q.A.#1) All our love, Dad and Mom

Stephen J. Van Wyck
Steve
Ferrisburgh

Victoria Verburg
Tori, Vic, Vicky
Ferrisburgh

Justus Sturtevant
J-Smooth, Smooth
Ferrisburgh

Nickolas Thompson
Jonathan Welch  
Dubs, Jack, JC, Jon  
Vergennes

Jesse Whitney  
J Whit  
Vergennes

Jesse Whitney  

Basketball 1-2, Indoor Track 3-4, Math Team 1-4, NHS 3-4, Outdoor Track 1-4, Rowing 3-4, Student Council 1-4

'If the world was perfect, it wouldn't be.' Yogi Bear

Baseball 1-2, Basketball 3-4

'Set your goals high and don't stop till you get there.' -Bo Jackson

'You have to be able to center yourself, to let all of your emotions go. Don't ever forget that you play with your soul as well as your body.' -Kareem Abdul-Jabbar

Jesse, It hasn't been easy but you made it and we are so proud of you. We hope whatever you choose to do, you will be happy. May all your dreams come true. Congrats!

We love you,
Mom, Patrick & Ian

Skyla Wilson  
Sky  
Ferrisburgh

Alex Woods  
AWood  
Ferrisburgh

JV Softball 1, Varsity Cheerleading 1

"To be the strongest is to live with a weakness and turn that weakness into a strength."

FFA 1-4

"Yesterday is history, tomorrow is a mystery, today is a gift of God, which is why we call it the present.'

-Bill Keane
Most Gullible: Kaitlin Leroux and Nate Cannon

Inseparable Friends: Left: Megan Stearns and Liz Bodington Right: Josh Cook and Chris Fish

Most Likely to Have High Car Insurance: Chase Atkins and Rachel Sorrell

Most Likely to Take Over the World: Alex Korth and Alex Brinkman
Superlatives

Most Outgoing: Steven Paquette and Molly Ambrose

Most Photogenic: Charlie Stapleford and Cynthia Holler

Most Random: Jason Russin
Missing: Amanda Cota

Nicest: Justice Gilbert and Trevor Patterson

Best Dressed: Abbey Baker and Cody Quattrocchi

Best Vehicle: Abbie Stearns and Chris Dayton

Best Hair: Alex Crowell and Jared Miedema

Nicest Eyes: Abbey Gendreau and Austin Beamish
Class Clowns: Capricia Burbo and Dylan Lorraine

Born to Shop: Ashley Martin and Hunter Casey

Best Smile: Alicia Gendreau and Lane Kessler

Most Musical: Michael Danyow and Casey Brinkman-Traverse

Best Laugh: Gabby Mutini and Travis Reed

Most Likely to Succeed: Morgen Clark and Jon Welch

Most Talkative: Justin Strona and Marissa Jochum

Class Flirts: Tim Johnston and Kristin Pike

Class Couple: Kris Ashley and Karizma Joyal
Most Outdoorsy: Chelsea Fuller and Damian Chamberlain

Most Artistic: Skyla Wilson and Jordan Grant

Best Tractors: Dustin Brace and Jenna Rao

Most Creative: Mary Langworthy and Jack McCarthy

Teacher's Pet: Nick Richer and Becca Hardin

Best to Bring Home to Mom and Dad: Victoria Verburg and Stephen Van Wyck

Most Likely to be Late to Graduation: Dan Hawkins and Emily Morrill

Most Athletic: Zach Ouellette and Cat Chaput

Most School Spirit: Casey Jones and Eddie Devino
SENIOR WALK-A-THON 2012
FOR KERI KINSEL
"I felt that the walkathon brought our senior class closer and closer as we walked farther and farther, and climbed to the top of Mt. Philo."

- Clara Childers
Teacher of the Year

The word theater comes from the Greeks. It means the seating place. It is the place people come to see the truth about life and the social situation. ~ Stella Adler

Every day the stage is set for hilarity, creativity and engagement. The script is written on the spot and everyone is the lead actor and the students settle into the dialogue of craft and direction of the story. Sometimes they hit a road block called punctuation and other times they focus on a grave issue called grammar. They read, debate, speak, write, reflect and share their insights, often changing the tone and inflection of their deliveries. The lights shine on the stage and the spotlight shifts to each student in turn as the cast learns their lines, reads classic lines and explores creative writing of more. They experience hands-on the wonders of the stage, the power of the word and the persuasion of the actor guiding them along.

This sounds like a wonderful skit for an up and coming theater performance, but it is in fact the daily occurrences in the classroom of Christopher Wyckoff, VUHS Teacher of the Year for 2011. With an infectious laugh, a sense of wonder about the world, and an arsenal of skills including repartee, music, persuasion, and love of language, a journey into English with Mr. Wyckoff is a never ending road of infinite possibilities. Each day is new, each class different and the man with the plan stands ready to challenge and turn the most dismal mood into a smile and engagement.

VUHS is proud to recognize this one of a kind educator and proud to add his names to the ranks of those named before him as professionals that challenge, demand and inspire learning from all their students.

All the world is a stage, but VUHS is lucky enough to have a one of a kind in Christopher Wyckoff.
"People are like stained-glass windows. They sparkle and shine when the sun is out, but when the darkness sets in, their true beauty is revealed only if there is a light from within." - Elisabeth Kubler-Ross

Rebecca Coffey instructs her students that history teaches lessons. She encourages her students to see that that perseverance and persistence pays off. She meets her students at the door of her room or stops them in the hall to check on their well-being or to see what is needed to put a smile on their face. She challenges her students to think beyond the day, past the known and to move toward the currently defined as impossible. She showers her classes with a sprinkling of humor, a backbone of steel, and a love of the past that is present in each presentation and meeting. Most importantly she measures success individually and one learning activity at a time.

The 2013 Senior Class has been blessed with several leaders in their lives and many have helped shape them. But when the votes were all cast, the Class of 2013 proudly selected one person to dedicate their 2013 Blue & White to Rebecca Coffey. Thank you, Mrs. Coffey; for going the extra mile, believing in each one of us, helping us through countless papers, DBQ’s, and for never once letting us stop learning that all is possible with a lot of work and a strong belief. With pride, the Class of 2013 recognizes Mrs. Rebecca Coffey for her role in our education and our lives.
Deer Camp
Prom Court (L-R): Clara Childers, Dan McGrath, Molly Ambrose, Eddie Devino, Chelsea Fuller, Tim Johnson. Amanda Cota. Missing: Shep Carter
Juniors

Kamman, Rowan
Kauffman, Alix
Kayhart, Jamie

Kelly, Justin
Kilburn, Brook
LaFleche, Jarret

Lapan, Breanna
Lawrence, Shane
Leach, Megan
Leone, Tasha
Loven, Kailynn
Lumbra, Ross

Mailloux, Kyle
Mailloux, Rachel
Maloy, Megan
McGrath, Greg
Miller, Sheana
Miller, Sloan

Morigioni, Ryan
O’Brien, James
O’Connor, Grady
Ouellette, Marissa
Palmer, Matteo
Paquette, Taylor

Parker, Devin
Patterson, Emily
Plank, Phoebe
Poquette, Brady
Poynter, Haley
Rheaume-Fox, Hailey

Richards, Brandon
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The world’s a puzzle, no need to make sense out of it. - Socrates
Ambrose, April
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Campbell, Derek
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Dion-Johnson, Caleb
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Godfrey-Jolicoeur, Liam

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Gould, Isabella
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Stinchfield, Luke
Stolen, Paige

Tichonuk, Emily
Valiquette, Ryan
VanderWey, Mikayla

Wagner, John
Warden, Cooper
Weber, Emily
Wildasin, Ashley
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There are no exact pieces in the universe; everything is more because he or she has a place to put and every piece must fit.

Deepak Chopra

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"No way of thinking or doing, however ancient, can be trusted without proof. What everybody echoes or in silence passes by as true today may turn out to be falsehood tomorrow, mere smoke of opinion, which some had trusted for a cloud that would sprinkle fertilizing rain on their fields." - Thoreau
Damian Chamberlain, Grace Corbett, Canoe Guide Weston, Jakob Norton, Jodi Moore, Mac Roche, Jack McCarthy, Chelsea Fuller, Aran Self, David King, Gary Caldwell, Marissa Ouellette, Justin LaFountain-Zirk, Nick Thompson, Katlyn Lapell, Kieran Dougherty, Rachel Duke, Dale Davis, Becky Dowdy, Matt Schlein

Missing from photo: Amanda Cota
"Some want it to happen, Some wish it would happen, Others make it happen."
-Sheana Miller
Playing a sport is like solving a puzzle, you need all the pieces for it to work.
The baseball team had a great season this year. Although they struggled through some early season injuries and absences, others stepped up to the challenge. The team used their great team work to come together during the State Quarter Final, Semi Final and Championship games to beat their rivals Mount Abe, Otter Valley and finally Mississquoi; a team that had knocked them out the previous year. With these amazing victories the team won the State Championship at Centennial Field and enjoyed an exhilarating parade through town.

"One of the focuses of the year was working together and making sure that individual players did not feel isolated."

Coach Peter Stapleford
Back Row (L to R): Coach George Ringen, Timothy Shea, Will Vaughan, Wade Steele, Charlie Stapleford, Nick Paquin, Devin Hayes, Nick Ricker and Austin Burnett

Front Row (L to R): Dylan Raymond, Aaron Rowell, Justus Sturtevant, Collin Curler, Colin Babcock, Zach Ossellette, Thomas Lee Hoadley III and Lucas Paquin

Missing from photo: Christopher Leach

Captains:
Collin Curler and Wade Steele

Division II State Champions!
This lacrosse season started out with a lot of promise. Many of the key players returned and were committed to improving from the previous season. There was a ton of excitement from the first day of practice followed by their easy win over Otter Valley, their most memorable game. It was the first win for the team in two seasons. Although there were only two wins this season, several losses were only by one or two goals. The team worked hard every day and improved tremendously from the start of the season. Seniors through freshmen worked alongside each other. The captains did an exceptional job bringing the different personalities, skill levels, and ages together to form one team. By the end of the season the team work was phenomenal.
Back Row (L to R): Gary Caldwell, Joe Krayewsky, Christopher Dayton, Stephen Van Wyck, Justin LaFountain-Zirk, Jake Thompson
Middle Row (L to R): Coach Ed Cook, Cody Hutchins, Dustin Benoit, Jordan Grant, Erik Eisenhower, Justin Strona, Ryan Crowningshield, Tucker Babcock, James O'Brien, Brice Bean, Bailey Dieterle, Jordan Dieterle, Coach Tim Hodsdon
Front Row (L to R): Hunter Casey, Erik Averill, Brady Paquette, Keighlin Lynes, Ben Thompson, Daysha Mashak, Geoffrey Grant, Anthony Plunkett, Brad Russett

Captains (L to R): Tucker Babcock, Steven Sickles, Joseph Krayewsky
The 2012 softball season was great! They had an overall record of 14 wins and only 5 losses. It was one of the best seasons in years! The Vergennes softball team ruled over Addison County; beating Middlebury, Otter Valley, and crushing Mt. Abe 24-2. After a three-hour bus ride, the team destroyed St. Jay with a 13-0 victory in the play-offs. This team was extremely committed and hardworking with the common goal of being successful.
Back Row (L to R): Coach Laura Paquette, KC Ambrose, Danielle Brown, Caitlin Chaput, Taylor Paquette, Emilee Trudo, Coach Mike Paquette
Middle Row (L to R): Katelyn Mulhis, Sierra Lane, Tabatha Danyow, Jennifer Morley
Front Row (L to R): Megan Paquin, Cynthia Holler, Phoebe Plank

Seniors: Megan Paquin, Katelyn Mulhis, Sierra Lane, Tabatha Danyow

Captains: Megan Paquin, Katelyn Mulhis, Tabatha Danyow
The highest point during the outdoor season was Jon Welch winning the State Championship in the 110 hurdles and 300 hurdles. By the end of the season VUHS was a stronger and faster track team.

"We have built a base of fast, disciplined runners who will help to make this team bigger and even more competitive every year. We have a great team. The great thing about track is that even though you are competing alone you cannot reach your potential without the support and encouragement of your teammates. We train hard together so that when we are competing we know that we have been challenged to accept the challenge of the rest of the state."

-Coach Jeff Kauffman
Back Row (L to R): Zachary Gebo, Lane Kessler, Edward Devino III, Austin Beamish, Julian Hattler, Jonathan Welch, Coach Jeff Kauffman, Coach Brad Castillo

Front Row (L to R): Joanna Tatlock, Samantha Kepes, Paige Stolen, Evan Myers, Tia Hunt, Allyson Stearns, Samara Sausville, Sebastien Crowell

Captains: Edward Devino, Jon Welch, Samara Sausville.
Even though the girl’s lacrosse team did not win a game this year, every day their skills improved. The girls never let the fact that the game was new to them keep them down and their confidence grew as a result. When Ruby Dombek scored the first goal of the first game, the team’s pride skyrocketed. Throughout the entire season the girls supported each other, praising each other’s success.
Back Row (L to R): Nicole Stearns, Tamara Aunchman, Natalie Salley, Sarah Poirier-Thayer, Nikkalette Salley, Baley Bissonette, Coach Mike Martin
Front Row (L to R): Ashli Pike, Nyomi Bear, Felicita Armell, Brianna Gebo, Karina Tarte, Megan Martin

Back Row (L to R): Coach Peter Stapleford, Brynn Kessler, Josh Siekles, Matt Mullin, Dylan Bouguer, Hunter Smith, Tyler Wood, Camden Bushey, Nick LaFleche
Front Row (L to R): Jacob Case, Nate Rowell, Jacob LaFleche, Hunter O'Conner, Kyle Kingsley, Tim Mitchell, Devon Kimball
The Varsity Girls soccer team had a pretty good season this year. They beat Mt. Abe not once, but twice, even at their away game. Even though they lost to Enosburg, they kept their confidence high. With so many younger players it was hard for the team members to cooperate sometimes. Yet they still managed to pull it together at important games. The season ended roughly with a heartbreaking loss to Hartford in the first round of the playoffs. However, with so many young players they are looking forward to a bright future!
Back Row (L to R): Rachel Sorrell, Karieen Vorsteveld, Samara Sausville, Taylor Paquette, Haley Paquette, Tia Hunt, Ruby Dombek, KC Ambrose, Samantha Kepes, Julia Johnson

Front Row (L to R): Keyannah Smith, Tea Kiefer, Montana Mackey, Phoebe Plank, Caitlin Chaput, Casey Jones, Amanda Cousino, Abigail Baker

Captains: Ruby Dombek, Caitlin Chaput, Phoebe Plank
This year, the boys on the varsity soccer team worked very well together to make their season a great one. Some of their highlighted moments were winning in over time against Mt. Abe and the senior game against Rice. Not every game ended in victory, but the memories of each game were what was important.

-Coach Kevin Hayes
Boys Varsity Soccer

Seniors: Jordan Grant, Charlie Stapleford, Steven Paquette, Michael Danyow, Zach Ouellette, Harry Senesac, Isaac Bigelow, Lane Kessler, Justin Strona, Cody Quattrocchi, Justus Sturtvant, Timmy Johnston, Devin Hayes, Edward Devino

Back Row (L to R): Jordan Grant, Jake Drumheller, Jordan Stearns, Ryan Morglioni, Steven Paquette, Charlie Stapleford, Josh Benning
Third Row (L to R): Lane Kessler, Shane Lawrence, Liam Hayes, Harry Senesac
Second Row (L to R): Ryan McEntee, Justus Sturtvant, Justin Strona, Jared Birchmore, Isaac Bigelow
Front Row (L to R): Manager Tucker Babcock, Timmy Johnston, Devin Hayes, Cody Quattrocchi, Edward Devino

Captains: Devin Hayes, Timmy Johnston, Cody Quattrocchi and Edward Devino
The Mount Abe/Vergennes Co-Op football team had a very successful 2012 season at both the Varsity and JV levels with both teams having winning records. The Varsity finished the year with a 6-4 record, did not lose a home game all year, making the Division III playoffs for the second straight year. The Varsity lost in the first round of the playoffs to the eventual state champion Woodstock Wasps. Vergennes student athletes were a big part of the success of this program which is in its 3rd year of existence.

Leading the way this year were captains Wade Steele (offensive tackle/defensive tackle) and Gary Caldwell (offensive guard/defensive end). Other seniors from VHHS included Dan McGrath (split end/defensive end), Ryan Crowningshield (tight end/linebacker) and Erik Averill (defensive back). Juniors on the team were Tommy Lee Hodsden (tailback/defensive back), Aaron Rowell (flanker/defensive back) and Kyle Mailloux (split end/defensive back). Erik Eisenhower (offensive guard/defensive end) was the lone sophomore from Vergennes on the team.

Vergennes players were also awarded some post season all-state awards. Wade Steele was named to the Vermont Shrine Team as a defensive lineman as well as being named a Division III 1st team all-state team as an offensive lineman and 2nd team as a defensive lineman. Dan McGrath was named a Division III all-state 2nd team as a receiver and Tommy Lee Hodsden was named Division III all-state 1st team as a kick returner.

The junior varsity team also had a very successful year going 7-1 with the lone loss coming to CVU 8-6 in the first game of the year. What is more impressive is that the Mount Abe/Vergennes football team is a Division III program and at the JV level most of the teams played were Division I or Division II programs. Vergennes players on the team were sophomore Capt. Erik Eisenhower (offensive guard/defensive end). Freshmen on the team included Bradley Sturtevant (tight end/defensive tackle), Kyle Dow (split end/defensive back), Tyler Crowningshield (running back/linebacker), Jeb Hodsden (running back/linebacker), Nathan Rowell (running back/defensive back), Jack Eisenhower (offensive and defensive lineman), Broc Clark (offensive and defensive lineman) and Ryan Paquin (running back/linebacker).

"We as a coaching staff were extremely proud of the effort and camaraderie that this great group of young men showed year long." - Ernest Senecal
Captains: Gary Caldwell, Cody Alexander, Cody Driscoll and Wade Steele.

Junior Varsity Roster
16~ Kyle Dow
18~ Nathan Rowell
34~ Tyler Crowningshield
42~ Ryan Paquin
47~ Jeb Hodsden
54~ Jack Eisenhower
76~ Erik Eisenhower
65~ Broc Clark

Varsity Roster
10~ Kyle Mailloux
15~ Erik Averill
80~ Ryan Crowningshield
88~ Aaron Rowell
66~ Wade Steele
24~ Tommy Lee Hodsdien
25~ Daniel McGrath

Vergennes Seniors: Back Row (L to R): Gary Caldwell, Wade Steele, Daniel McGrath
Front Row (L to R): Ryan Crowningshield, Erik Averill
The cross country team this year was one of the closest and most supportive teams around. Through terrible injuries and long races the team members remained optimistic and encouraged each other to the very end. The state meet was tough due to all the injuries, but they put in the effort and pulled through. Their highest point was the Middlebury Invitation because everyone was relatively healthy and ran a good race.

"The support they showed for each other and for me as coach was the most rewarding part of the season."

-Eric Carter
Back Row (L to R): Jared Miedema, Matteo Palmer, Wesley Miedema
Front Row (L to R): Silas Mullin, Jesse Barnes, Jarret LaFleche, Shepard Carter, Sebastien Crowell, Coach Eric Carter, Noah Praamsma
Captains: Jared LaFleche, Shepard Carter, Matteo Palmer
This year the JV boys worked great together and improved with each and every game. Their highest point of the season was when they won their last home game of the year. The team members got to play different positions and had a blast. The season ended with ten wins, two loses, and four ties.

The JV girls had a wonderful season this year. They came together as players and finished as a family. Halfway through the season the team members decided on a different formation and pulled together better than they expected. They grew an unstoppable confidence and ended the season growing not only as players, but as better people.
"Had a lot of fun with the sophomores on the JV team."
-Aaron Gaines

Back Row (L to R): Coach Kelly Trayah, Téa Kiefer, Hannah Hatch, Tamara Aunchman, Jane Russell, Sara Stearns, Natalie Salley, Stephanie Praamsma, Paige Coyle, April Ambrose, Amber Dow
Front Row (L to R): Sheana Miller, Megan Wood, Felicia Amnell, Brianna Gebo, Paige Stolen, Kayla Charron

"I thought this season was great compared to last. We had an amazing team."
-April Ambrose
The Varsity girls had a pretty good year. The highest point of the season was the last game against Middlebury because the team worked hard and ended the season on a high note. The worst part of the season was when it ended because it was the last time the seniors would be playing. They basically had a totally new team this year and considered this a rebuilding year, but after they beat Missisquoi the team started to come together. The teamwork in this season was really good, the team worked until they could perform together well. The team improved dramatically and in the end could play together well. The season ended nicely in the sense that the girls gave it their all, but to them, it ended too soon!
Seniors (L to R): Amanda Cota, Morgen Clark, Caitlin Chaput, Abigail Stearns, Katelyn Robinson

Back Row (L to R): Taylor Paquette, Abigail Stearns, Nikkilette Salley, Amanda Cota, Sarah Poirier-Thayer, Morgen Clark, Caitlin Chaput

Front Row (L to R): Katelyn Robinson, Breanna Lapan, Ruby Dombek, Samantha Kepes, KC Ambrose

Captain: Morgen Clark
Coach: Billy Waller
The Varsity boys had an incredible season this year! The team worked together wonderfully and practiced hard. The season ended fantastically with the team winning the State Championship with an undefeated season (24-0). The seniors were thrilled to end their last basketball season on a high note. Vergennes is proud to have such talented student athletes.

"Champions are not born, boys, they are made and grow into that role. May these skills go with you beyond our walls and into life!"

-Mrs. Step
Captains: Zach Ouellette, Shep Carter, Cody Quattrocci

Seniors: Devin Hayes, Daniel McGrath, Charles Stapleford, Jordan Grant, Stanley Salley, Nathaniel Cannon, Jesse Whitney, Zach Ouellette, Shepherd Carter, Justin Strona, Cody Quattrocci

Back Row (L to R): Coach Peter Quinn, Cody Quattrocci, Devin Hayes, Stanley Salley, Charles Stapleford, Daniel McGrath, Hunter Casey, Jason Russin
Front Row (L to R): Nathaniel Cannon, Justin Strona, Shepherd Carter, Zachary Ouellette, Brendon Huestis, Jarret LaFleche, Jesse Whitney. Missing from Photo: Josh Benning

24-0, UNDEFEATED!!!

STATE CHAMPS!!!
The Vergennes Wrestlers had a really good season this year. Their high point was when they took second place at an Otter Valley tournament with only a few wrestlers. Although sometimes at practices they fooled around, they gave it their all when it mattered most. The season ended rather successfully, even with all of their younger members. When it came to states, five out of seven Vergennes wrestlers placed. According to Travis Simpson, every time a Vergennes student went to wrestle was a memorable moment.

"We all went to battle once we stepped on the mat."

Travis Simpson
Seniors (L to R):
Cody Hutchins, Travis Simpson, Dylan Lorrain, Jordan Grant, David Johnson

Back Row (L to R): Nathan Kittredge, Erik Eisenhower, Greg McGrath, Travis Simpson, Jordan Grant, David Johnson, Josh Litch, Ryan Paquin, Coach Mark Eisenhower
Front Row (L to R): Coach Eugene Stearns, Dylan Lorrain, Cody Hutchins, Lucas Stinchfield, Rodney Simpson, Ethan Reardon, Leonardo Orsini, Nathan Rowell, Kyle Dow, Coach Scott Bissonette
A good season this year for Cheerleading, considering they started off the season with only seven Varsity girls and nine girls who had not been on the team before this year. Despite this, they managed to work hard, correct mistakes if they made them, and become more talented than they already were. This is a very difficult obstacle to overcome, yet overcome it they did! What a great way for the seniors to end their last season, and let them keep in mind that, whether as mentors or as friends, they will be missed. Congratulations on a great year, Vergennes Cheerleaders!

"This season wasn't about winning, it was about walking off that mat and knowing that you did the very best you could, nothing else mattered."

-Rachel Sorrell

Captains: Cynthia Holler, Abigail Gendreau, Gabriella Mutini, Rachel Sorrell

Seniors: Kristin Pike, Megan Squires, Capricia Burbo, Rachel Sorrell, Gabriella Mutini, Abigail Gendreau, Cynthia Holler, Elyzabeth Bodington.
Rowing

90 Pieces of the Puzzle
Pep Band
Middlebury Varsity Ice Hockey
Member-to-Member Program

"We had a fun year. Beating Spaulding in a playdown game in playoffs and advancing to the quarterfinals against South Burlington topped the season off. We made a lot of good memories and we'll never forget it!" ~ Jordan Steams

Top Row (L to R): Ryan Crowningshield, Jordan Stearns, Sean Goodell
Bottom Row (L to R): Erik Averill, Tyler Crowningshield

Freshman Boys Basketball

Back Row (L to R): Coach Ben LaFlam, Dylan Boug, Joshua Lorrain, Broc Clark, Silas Mullin, Tyler Kepes, Levi Baldwin, Xavier Provencher
Front Row (L to R): Bradley Stutevant, Joshua Sickles, Lathrop Brownell, Tyrell Montani
Missing: Quinnas D Andrea and Josh Newton

Captains: Joshua Sickles and Lathrop Brownell
Vermont Champion: Stephanie Anderson wins DAR writing Contest for second year

In her essay, Anderson looks not only at the physical path taken by the explorer, but his religious faith, tenacity and impact of his arrival on a new land. Tipping the balance of power in Europe, Columbus's adventures were a turning point and a catalyst of change that heralded in the age of European exploration and colonization of the world Columbus explored in four separate voyages. Looking at him through the lens of past and present, Anderson placed Columbus not only in the historical context of his time, but what his legacy and approach to life makes her think of in the modern world. This marks her third win in this contest and her past entries have gone on to win state, New England and reached national levels of competition. For Anderson, Columbus is more than a person out of time and from the pages of history books. He represents a way to look at people then and now as to their motivations, internal beliefs and passion for change.

Stephanie Andersen wins Lions Club Speech Contest

With a focus on literacy and the power of words, Stephanie Anderson took home top honors in the local Lions Club competition in January. Focusing on staggering statistics and realities around the percentage of Americans that can not read, Stephanie's speech was a wake up call and a challenge to people of all ages to rise to the challenge of getting books and training into the hands of Americans who can not read materials for job applications or even enjoy the power that reading brings to us. As a junior, Stephanie is eligible to compete again next year as she was away on a school trip to Georgia during the next level of competition.

Essay Winner: Liam Hayes is finalist in Senator Sanders State of the Nation Contest

Altogether, more than 300 high school students from dozens of high schools throughout Vermont submitted essays on what they consider the major issue facing the United States and how they view the state of the union. "I am pleased that we had more students participating this year than last," Sanders said. "I hope, in the years to come, the number of students and schools that participate continue to grow. We need our young people to be engaged, to help find solutions for the problems that confront us, and to think about the future of our country. This is what democracy is all about." Selected as one of the 20 finalists was VUHS Sophomore Liam Hayes. At a round table discussion on March 9th at South Burlington High School the finalists learned that their essays were entered into the Congressional Record.

Leonardo Orsini takes top honors at local American Legion Oratorical Contest

With a daunting task of writing, remembering and delivering over twenty minutes of oration on the topic of the US Constitution, VUHS sophomore Leonardo Orsini took home the top honors at the local level and then advanced to the district level where he was edged out by Middlebury High School senior Erin Connor. This was Leonardo's first oratorial competition and will certainly not be his last. The judges were astounded with his delivery and knowledge on his topic. Congrats Leonardo!

Emilee Trudo Takes Top Honors in Veterans of Foreign Wars Contest

Emilee Trudo is no stranger to public speaking, but this venue was different because you write and record your speech and send it away to be scored. Writing on the topic of why patriotism is important in America, Emilee took top honors at the local level and her essay went on to the state level for judging.

Marissa Joehum took bronze on the National American Association of Teachers of German Level 4 Exam.

Arianna Duprey wins local Rotary International Speak Out Contest

Arianna Duprey edged out eight other competitors for the honors of the top local spot in the Rotary International Speak Out Contest. Selected for her theme, delivery and message, Arianna went on to represent VUHS and the local at the district level. This was Arianna’s first competition and first win.

Last June, Phoebe Plank and Glen Childers attended the Rotary Youth Leadership Awards Conference after being selected from a pool of students that applied from VUHS. The conferences focused on fundamentals of leadership, ethics of positive leadership, importance of communication skills in effective leadership, conflict management and problem solving, building self-esteem and self confidence, elements of community and global citizenship, and Rotary's purpose of service to the community and world. Phoebe and Glen represented VUHS very well!
That tarted from a little town. aboard a big pink bus.
The mates were mighty traveler dudettes, Step and Taylor by name.
Seventeen passengers set off that day for a one week tour. A one week tour.
The weather was downright nice and the miles did fly by.
The group embarked on Savannah soil and saw the south, time traveling a try.
They went to plantations, theaters, light houses and heard oral stories true.
Even spent some dark nights in gravesights talking with spirits too.
The Jamestown site had a ship and quinine was sipped for fever.
The group learned to handle a pike, make a canoe and wore some armor new.
The Home of George Washington was impressive in sight and size, challenging
the imagination of how
the men of statues come alive.
The nation’s capital was the last stop and two days they did spend. They
sought for the past to come alive and it did again and again.
So join us here each year my friend, you are sure to get a smile.
As history club goes adventuring, here at VUHS and logs miles.
This trip was 2548 miles.
Our purpose as a school community is to develop knowledgeable, responsible, respectful, and healthy individuals who flourish in, and contribute to, an ever-changing society.
Superintendents Office

Back Row (L to R): Bob Owens (Educational Technology Coordinator), Linda Doreville (Special Education Assistant), Carol Andersen (Assistant Business Manager), Glory Martin (Superintendent’s Administrative Assistant), Tom O’Brien (Superintendent), Kathleen Cannon (Business Manager)

Middle Row (L to R): Cecile Gebo (Secretary/Receptionist), Alyson Cota (Curriculum Administrative’s Assistant), Pamela Preston (Business Office Administrative Assistant)

Front Row (L to R): Betty Lewis (Director of Instructional Support Services), Carol Spencer (Director of Curriculum and Staff Development)

Ed Webbley, Co-Principal

Peter Reynolds, Co-Principal

Peter Maneen, Activity Coordinator & Athletic Director

Vergennes Union High School
English
Karl Steen (Left)
Tim Maynes (Right)
Chris Wyckoff (Bottom Left)
Michael Thomas (Bottom Right)
Jennifer Lawson (Middle Left)
Matthew Schlein (Middle Right)

History
Rebecca Coffey (Left)
Roberta Steponaitis (Right)
Steve Orzech (Bottom Left)
Pamela Taylor (Bottom Right)

Social Studies Student Teachers:
Anthony Lania (Bottom Middle Left), Chris Sheehan (Middle), and Harrison Shulman (Bottom Middle Right)
Mathematics
Lynn Kayhart (Left)
Leo Racht (Right)
Nancy Ambrose (Bottom Left)
Glenn Story (Bottom Right)
Teresa Smith (Middle)

Science
Mark Powers (Left)
Michael Mazzella (Right)
Rebecca Dowdy (Bottom left)
Christine Clark (Bottom Middle)
Sarah Thompson (Bottom Right)

Science Student
Teacher:
Sarah Coon
Guidance

Clinicians

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German

Spanish

Margaret Ottinger
Tom Fontana
Leila McVeigh
Kristine Kirkaldy

John McGuire
Melanie Bouchard
John DeBlois
Janet Kepes

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Technology

Bob Owens  Steve Orzech  Thomas Heller  Wendy Bruso

Library

Gail Martin  Christopher Brady

Physical Education

Ed Cook  Sarah Cook  Lisa Newhard
Special Education

Melissa Vorsteveld  Meghan Olsen  Elizabeth Adreon  Kara Griswold

Laura Husk  Heather Paquin  Michelle Chamberlain  Eileen Clark

Jeff Meyers  Diane Barrows  Kim Lunna  Kelly Palmer  Tricia Leone

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Pieces of the Puzzle
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Health

Kathleen Scacciaferro, RN

Michelle Racine, RN
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Jeffrey Spencer

Leah Hammond

Music

Karen Jordan

Susan O'Daniel
Facilities

Roland Guyette  Gerald Grant  Ernest Benoit  John Terry  Ricky Thomson

Pat Brace  Steve O'Bryan

Angela Gilbeau  Anne Vincent  Dianne Marcotte  Jill Grant  Rose Russett

Transportation

Jackie Terry  Wayne Marcelle  Kathy Kennett  Dawn Marzalkowski  David Jackson
Band

Piccolo: Casey Lynn Brinkman  Oboe: Becca Hardin
Flute: Alissa Barlow, Noah Dart, Peter Ferland, Mary Flood, Isabella Gould, Hannah Hatch, Logan LaFleche, Emily Lalumiere, Kailyann Loven, Ryan McEntee, Lois Rood, Samara Sausville, Kayla Sawyer, Abbie Sterns, Emily Tichonuk
Alto Saxophone: Issac Bicknell, Bailey Missonette, Jake Dombek, Sammy Kepes, Phoebe Plank, Charlie Stapleford
Tenor Saxophone: Christian Austin, Téa Kiefer, Justus Sturtevant  Baritone Saxophone: Daniel Clark, Isaiah Goff
Trumpet: KC Ambrose, Lathrop Brownell, Nora Hubbard, Tyler Kepes, Jarret LaFleche, Matteo Palmer, Noah Praamsma
French Horn: John Duke, Joanna Tatlock  Trombone: Sebastien Crowell, Ruby Dombek, Aaron Rowell, Nathan Rowell
Baritone: Dana Ambrose, Edward Devino III, Liam Hayes, Tim Johnston, Silas Mullin, Harry Senesac  String Bass: Jeb Hodsdon
Percussion: Keegan Bosworth, Glen Childers, Aaron Gaines, Eddie Haskell, Tommy Lee Hodsdon, Elan Hugo, Rowan Kamman, Alex Krumrie, Ashli Pike, Tyrell Montani, John Tatlock, Nathan Unger
Soprano: April Ambrose, Casey Lynn Brinkman, Ericka Delisle, Kyra Duggento, Justice Gilbert, Emmalea Hearthstone, Emily Lalumiere, Kaitlin Leroux, Alyssa McClay, Ashli Pike, Stephanie Praamsma, Lois Rood, Samara Sausville, Joanna Tatlock, Emilee Trudo

Alto: Britney Aldrich, KC Ambrose, Alex Brinkman, Rachel Clark, Alex Crowell, Emma Gardner, Alix Kauffman, Megan Leach, Emily Martin, Joanna Perez, Phoebe Plank, Ally Stearns, Anna Willenbaker, Victoria Verburg, Marinna Wojciechowski

Tenor: Isaac Bicknell, Keegan Bosworth, Michael Danyow, Jake Dombek, Isaiah Goff, Eddie Haskell, Chris Leach, Evan Myers

Bass: Chris Castillo, Kelsey Dobson, Evan Goldring, Peter Hebert, Alex Hulfish, Lane Kessler, Matteo Palmer, Tyler Woods
Commodore Jazz Band

Back Row (L to R): Keegan Bosworth, Nathan Unger, Alix Kauffman, Rowan Kamman, Matteo Palmer, Glen Childers, Casey Lynn Brinkman, Jarret LaFleche, Kathleen Ambrose, Isaiah Goff

Middle Row (L to R): Thomas Lee Hodsden III, Edward Devino III, Ruby Dombek, Aaron Rowell, Joanna Tatlock, Mrs. O'Daniel

Front Row (L to R): Morgen Clark, Isaac Bicknell, Phoebe Plank, Jacob Dombek, Evan Myers, Tea Kiefer

Missing from photo: Justus Sturtevant
Commodore Chorus

Back Row (L to R): Emilee Trudo, Kelsey Dobson, Peter Hebert, Lane Kessler, Matteo Palmer, Keegan Bosworth, Isaac Bicknell

Front Row (L to R): Kaitlin LeRoux, Joanna Tatlock, Lois Rood, Alix Kauffman, Alex Brinkman, Alex Crowell

Missing from photo: Michael Danyow
Two army buddies start out by entertaining the troops in WWII. Eventually they become big Broadway stars. They meet two aspiring singers and work together on a show to bring to an inn in Vermont. The inn, run by the men's former army general, is in decline. Along the way the couples fall in love, have misunderstandings and get back together at the end. After all, this is a musical.
"This is Vermont. We're individuals up here!"
-Martha

"Scum, every last one of them!"
-Martha
"Here at Vergennes, Peace One Day is an opportunity to recognize ways we as people find peaceful solutions to conflicts." ~ Mr. Story
When asked about how they thought Peace One Day turned out, students stated that they thought it went well. They also said that they thought the speeches given were interesting.

"I like the idea that your generation is aware of the importance of peace in this world...That you understand that youth causes change. Even influencing one person at a time makes a huge difference." ~ Ms. Taylor
Music Awards

Districts: Isaac Bicknell, Alex Crowell, Ericka Delisle, Kelsey Dobson, Emma Gardner, Peter Hebert, Alix Kauffman, Lane Kessler, Christopher Leach, Matteo Palmer, Lois Rood, Joanna Tatlock

Chorus All States: Isaac Bicknell, Alix Kauffman, Kaitlin LeRoux, Lois Rood, Joanna Tatlock
Band All States: Casey Lynn Brinkman, Morgen Clark, Jacob Dombek, Ruby Dombek, Thomas Lee Hodsden III

Symphonic Band: Casey Lynn Brinkman, Jacob Dombek, Lois Rood, Peter Ferland, Siobhan Haggett, Morgen Clark, Isaiah Goff, Jarret LaFleche, Joanna Tatlock, Ruby Dombek, Edward Devino III, Thomas Lee Hodsden III

All Eastern Orchestra: Ruby Dombek
All Eastern Chorus: Alix Kauffman, Lois Rood
New England Band and Chorus: Morgen Clark, Jacob Dombek, Joanna Tatlock
Chorus NE Music Festival: Lois Rood, Joanna Tatlock
Art

Pieces of the Puzzle
Groups/Clubs

National Honors Society

Composting/Environmental Club
Debate Team

Brain Bee Team

Gay-Straight Alliance
New England Young Writers

Literary Society

German Club
Math Team

*Missing from photo: Stephanie Anderson

math puns are the first SINE OF MADNESS

High Scorers for the 2013 Math Team:
Arithmetic: Justus Sturtevant
Geometry: Hannah Hutch
Algebra: Jon Welch
Adv. Math: Simon Anguish

Youth Alive
Senior Class Officers:
Edward Devino III
Timothy Johnston
Harrison Senesac
Mary Langworthy

Junior Class Officers:
Mark Dion-Johnson
Emilee Trudo
Joanna Tatlock
Taylor Paquette

Sophomore Class Officers:
Emily Tichonuk
Tyler Proulx
KC Ambrose
Emily Weber

Student Council
This year's FFA Chapter traveled to Indiana for the national FFA competition, and while the journey was entertaining and full of challenges, both teams did well in competition. The Ag Mechanics team, comprised of: Andrew Kayhart, Devin Parker, Joey Gould and Jordan Fleming, took Bronze in their category. The Parliamentary Procedure team, comprised of: Alex Korth, Alex Woods, Dan Hawkins, Chase Atkins and Mikayla VanderWey also took Bronze in their category. Good work competitors!
Back Row (L to R): Joshua Cook, Mary Flood, Stephanie Anderson, Kailyann Loven, Megan Leach
Front Row (L to R): Advisor Kim Lunna, Editor Marissa Jochum, Kayla Sawyer
Special thanks to Rachel Clark, Alex Crowell, and Kelsey Dobson for their help!
Students traveling to Ghana had the opportunity to immerse themselves into an exchange of knowledge and culture with similarly aged Ghanaian students enrolled in the Trinity Yard School. The trip consisted of one main project and several individual projects. This year's main project was an academic writing course in English Composition for students enrolled in the TYS. The Writing course was designed by our visiting group of students and adults. In return, the TYS students offered a course in Batik tie and dye and traditional Kente weaving. In addition to the academic and vocational exchange, visiting students took part in the daily life of the Yard by helping with the school's daily chores and living without running water, electricity and machines. It was a true exchange of knowledge and culture.
A Special Thank You to the following for their contributions to the 2013 Yearbook:

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A HUGE Thank you to Keith Darwin for sharing so many wonderful photos with us!
Caitlin Chaput for the Career Center

"The course helped give me an experience that I thought I would never have. I was able to create things that before I was only able to see in my mind."

Science
Technology
Engineering
Math Academy

STEM programs focus on the following:
- Engineering Design
- Architecture
- Green Building
- Renewable Energy
- Automotive Technology
- Industrial Design (mill, lathe, welding)

Lois Rood for the Career Center

"The artistic opportunities the Career Center offers are sensational. Throughout my two years of attendance I have learned not only how to improve my product (in theater, writing, music and modeling) but how to analyze my process and grow as an artist. The artistic areas I was encouraged to explore were not contained to the class I was enrolled in. By far the greatest artistic experience I encountered was through my capstone project for National Arts Honors Society where I delved into the depths of my own attachment to music and discovered the beauty in relating what I loved most in the fine arts - singing, acting and play-writing. There are no limitations at the Career Center; you are motivated each day to bring to life the artist within you."

Arts & Humanities Programs

Theater Programs: ART: Technical Theater, ART: Performance Theater
Graphic Design Programs: Design & Illustration, Visual Communications
I think that the Medical Professions class is great. It is an experience that can give you a head start on any medical career you are thinking about pursuing in your future. Our class becomes very close, like a family in a short amount of time. This class will provide you with an opportunity to learn and try all kinds of things you never imagined you would be learning in high school.

Vin Parker

Business & Services Academy

I became interested in agriculture as a young boy. My grandmother must have seen some kind of a spark in me when I was around a farm or tractors, and encouraged me to become a farmer. We need to follow our passions in life, like my grandmother did by running her own snack bar. I joined the FFA at VUHS and took agricultural classes with Mr. Van De Weert. Now I am enrolled in Sustainable Agriculture at the Hannaford Career Center and am finding the class to be just what I was looking for. I am learning about animal nutrition, soils, and grazing management. I plan to save up my money and buy a substantial piece of land to start a small beef cattle and pig operation. My time in the Sustainable Agriculture program at HCC allowed me to evaluate how I want to begin a career in agriculture.

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Culinary Arts
Human Services

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Programs:
Diesel Power Technology
Forestry & Natural Resources
Sustainable Agriculture
Plant & Animal Science
Mechanical Science
Boy bands, which haven’t been wildly popular since the late 1990s, make a triumphant return to pop music with acts such as One Direction, The Wanted, Big Time Rush, and a reunion of the former kings of choreography, the Backstreet Boys.

Boy Bands

Legions of Teenage Girls Control the Music Industry

A mash-up of new words is added to Merriam-Webster’s Collegiate Dictionary, including cloud computing, e-reader, flexitarian, energy drink, aha moment, earworm, bucket list and mash-up.
ALL WE WANTED FOR CHRISTMAS

- Apple iPad
- Computer
- Nintendo Wii U
- Apple iPhone
- Smart TV
- E-Reader
- iPad Mini
- Android
- Kindle Fire
- iPod Touch
- Xbox 360 Kinect
- Samsung Galaxy
- Sony PlayStation 3
- Nintendo Wii
- Nintendo 3DS
- PlayStation Vita
- Microsoft Surface

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Temple Run 2

DrawSomething

NBA Jam

Turntable.fm

GoPro

Angry Birds: Star Wars

Facebook Camera

Cartoon Network

Go HD

NPR Music

FixYa

Audible

Pair

Facebook

Google Maps

Slices for Twitter

Action Movie FX

Need for Speed: Most Wanted

Scribblenauts

Tiny Wings 2

Angry Birds: Star Wars
On August 6, 2012, NASA’s Martian roving laboratory Curiosity finishes its 104-million-mile journey from Earth with a dramatic landing on Mars. The Rover begins its 98-week mission hunting for signs that Mars has ever sustained life forms, sending photos and data back to scientists on Earth.

In November, 2012, The Walt Disney Company pays $4.05 billion to George Lucas for his production company LucasArts, which produced the Star Wars and Indiana Jones film series.

Unseasonably warm winters continue as an ongoing drought in North America causes crops to fail and food prices to rise.

As more Americans enjoy healthier diets, sales of snack foods decline, threatening the future of the Hostess Bakers, makers of CupCakes, Ho Ho’s and the iconic Twinkie. In efforts to keep the brand alive, Hostess receives bids from companies interested in buying all or part of their assets, especially their recipe for delicious cream-filled cakes.

Hurricane Sandy pummels the Eastern Seaboard, doing significant damage to New York and New Jersey, affecting more than 50 million people.

Textbook publishers, technology companies and schools work together to bring electronic textbooks to more US classrooms in efforts to improve the quality of education while lowering the costs to the schools and cutting paper consumption.
Astronomers discover a planet orbiting Alpha Centauri B, a: Alpha Centauri Bb, as the new planet is known, has a mass about the same as Earth and is likely rocky and roasting at 2200°F.

To celebrate 60 years of the reign of Queen Elizabeth II, Buckingham Palace coordinates spectacles of epic proportions all over the UK and the Commonwealth, illustrating the public’s appreciation of her unwavering commitment during her reign. Events include parties large and small, horse races, parades, a river pageant, and a grandiose music concert featuring Sir Elton John, Sir Paul McCartney, and “Sir Duke,” Stevie Wonder.

Massive Online Open Courses shake up the higher education world by offering top-tier courses from institutions such as Stanford, Princeton, MIT, and Harvard at no cost to any student anywhere. Over a million people enroll in over 200 courses offered, and a new breed of online education is born.

After being stripped of his seven Tour de France titles, abandoned by his sponsors and banned for life from the sport of cycling, Lance Armstrong resigns as chairman of his Livestrong charity. During an interview with Oprah Winfrey, Armstrong confesses to using banned substances throughout his cycling career.
With over 50 million Facebook fans, more than 33 million Twitter followers and an incalculable number of YouTube views, social media plays a huge part in Justin Bieber’s global fan base. His tour in support of his album Believe is expected to play over 80 sold-out shows in North America, Europe, Africa, and Asia, allowing him to reach millions of die-hard “Beliebers” in person.

**Justin Bieber**

It’s His World, and He’s Decided to Tour It

**SPOTIFY APPS PANDORA**

Get Your Music From The Stream

Streaming music services like **Pandora** and **Spotify** soar in popularity, allowing users to create music channels and playlists of streaming music for free, without having to purchase individual songs or albums.

**SKRILLEX**

**Watch Your Step, This Stuff Is Everywhere**

With his trademark hairstyle and glasses, producer **Skrillex** has as much of a signature look as he does a signature sound. Poster boy of the post-dubstep movement, his popularity has spurred other pop artists to interject dubstep breaks into their songs, taking dubstep mainstream.

**MIRANDA LAMBERT**

**“Fastest Girl in Town” Shows Things Down**

CMA's Song of the Year belongs to Female Vocalist of the Year **Miranda Lambert** and her husband Blake Shelton, who co-wrote the Ballard “Over You” about the tragic loss of Blake’s older brother to a car accident.

**Taylor Swift**

Pop Goes the Country Star

**Tornado Rips Through Nashville**

**Little Big Town’s fifth studio album**

Tornado debuts at number 2 on the Billboard 200 Albums chart, and climbs to number 1 for five weeks.

**Adèle**

Adèle is a Bond Girl

British pop diva **Adele** can add “Academy Award Nominee” to her list of achievements, as her titular song from the “Skyfall” soundtrack is given the Oscar nod as well as the Golden Globe Award for Best Song.

**Usher**

Usher Finds His Sex

Usher’s seventh studio album, **Looking 4 Myself** debuts at the top of the US Billboard 200 chart, and sees the R&B artist collaborate with several producers and guest vocalists for a diverse mixture of genres and styles. 2013 also sees Usher fill one of the big red chairs as a coach on NBC’s reality talent show “The Voice.”
We've Got Your Number
Hey, we just met you and this is crazy! Carly Rae Jepsen's debut single "Call Me Maybe" tops the US charts for nine weeks. She keeps her momentum going with "Good Time," a collaboration with Owl City.

Mumford & Sons
A Testament to the Enduring Appeal of Banjo Music
Babel, the highly-anticipated sophomore album from Mumford & Sons debuts at number 1 on the US Billboard 200 chart, and is the biggest selling debut of any album in 2012.

Blake Shelton
It's a Twitter Smack-Down
Country superstar Blake Shelton is 2012's CMA Male Vocalist and Entertainer of the Year, and has always carried a strong voice and a string of number one hits. But he hits hardest when trading jabs with fellow coach of "The Voice" Adam Levine of Maroon 5.

Kelly Clarkson
She Gets Stronger Every Year
Kelly Clarkson's "Stronger" was nominated in three categories for the 55th Grammy Awards in 2013: Best Pop Vocal Album, Record of the Year, and Best Pop Solo Performance.

One Direction
Fun Period.
The quirky, melodic hooks of the band Fun. dominate music downloads for seven weeks in 2012 and garner them six Grammy nominations, including Best New Artist, Record of the Year and Song of the Year for "We Are Young," and Album of the Year for Some Nights.

Psy
South Korea Conquers Internet
South Korean pop sensation Psy strikes internet gold with "Gangnam Style." The infectious music video is the most watched YouTube video of all time, first to reach over one billion views worldwide, and generates over $5 million in advertising deals, including a Super Bowl commercial.

Maroon 5
More of an Admission of Guilt Than an Album Title
When your ubiquitous frontman is one of the stars of TV's hottest reality talent show and a recurring character in American Horror Story: Asylum, Overexposed seems like the perfect title for the latest album from Maroon 5.
Director Christopher Nolan’s gritty Batman trilogy comes to a close with *The Dark Knight Rises*, where Batman comes out of an 8-year sabbatical to face Bane, a brutally ruthless terrorist whose plans for Gotham City leave Bruce Wayne with little choice but to don the cape and cowl and rise again.

*The Avengers* - Four Fantastic Films Assemble Into Marvel’s Mightiest Movie

In what could be called a sequel to previous Marvel Universe movies, Nick Fury recruits heroes Iron Man, Captain America, Hulk, and Thor to form *The Avengers*, a team that must stop Thor’s pesky brother Loki from conquering Earth.

Hobbit Bilbo Baggins must reclaim the lost Dwarf Kingdom of Erebor from the fearsome dragon Smaug in director Peter Jackson’s first of a trilogy of films adapting J.R.R. Tolkien’s novel *The Hobbit*.

There was never just one

The fourth film in the *Bourne* series doesn’t focus on Jason Bourne at all, but Aaron Cross, a genetically-modified agent on the run from the intelligence agencies who created him.

Weirdinger Saga Starts Over

A slightly darker, edgier reboot of the Spider-Man film series, *The Amazing Spider-Man* re-imagines how teenage outcast Peter Parker becomes the wise-cracking, wall-crawling superhero, and pits him against Dr. Curt Connors’ mutated alter-ego The Lizard. The film also sees Peter fall for his high school crush Gwen Stacy, while avoiding conflict with her father, Police Captain George Stacy.

Piccadilly Circus Isn’t That Kind of Circus

Alex, Marty, Gloria and Merrin are still fighting to get home to New York. Their journey takes them through Europe where they find the perfect cover, a traveling circus.
Britain's globally-revered superspy first hit the silver screen on Oct. 5, 1962, when Dr. No opened in theaters, introducing author Ian Fleming's sophisticated 007 to the masses. In the 50 years since, we've seen James Bond evolve into an explosive - yet still suave - action hero. Skyfall is the 23rd film in the series, and the highest grossing Bond movie to date. In it, Bond investigates an attack by a former agent on M16 targeting the head of the British Secret Service, M.

Life of Pi follows Pi Patel's epic journey of adventure and discovery after a shipwreck leaves him floating across the ocean with another survivor - a fearsome Bengal tiger.

In a magical arcade in which video game characters come to life after hours, Wreck-It Ralph is a villain who wants desperately to be a hero. When he leaves his game to fulfill his dream, he inadvertently brings chaos to the arcade and must make things right or it's "Game Over" for all the residents of Litwak's Arcade.
**The Office**

After nine seasons of peddling paper and printers to the people of Scranton, PA, Dunder Mifflin/Sabre closes up shop, forcing us to find another supplier for our interoffice romances and quirky beet farmers.

**Revolution**

Fifteen years after an unknown phenomenon disables all electricity on the planet, people are forced to adapt to a dystopian world ruled by warlords and militias in NBC's Revolution.

**Dancing with the Stars**

The All-Star season of Dancing with the Stars brings back former contestants for another chance to win it all, and Season 8 alum Melissa Rycroft defeats Shawn Johnson to take home the trophy.

**Community**

Attention students: Your favorite study group will now be meeting on Thursday nights, in a time slot that used to be occupied by 30 Rock.
23-year-old singer Cassadee Pope of Los Angeles becomes the first female winner of NBC’s singing competition The Voice.

The fice

The 10th season of CBS’s mega-popular crime drama NCIS proves to be the show’s strongest ever, attracting over 22 million viewers and smashing its previous ratings records.

You are Being Watched
Using pattern recognition software to identify people about to commit violent crimes, a software genius and ex-CIA agent team up to stop criminals before they strike in CBS’s Person of Interest.

Parks & Recreation
Greetings from Pawnee, Indiana
Plenty of people prefer Parks & Recreation for the preposterous antics of Pawnee’s public officials as they pursue projects to improve their precinct and promote Pawnee as the perfect place to perch.

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Big Bang Theory
The Big Bang Theory has made physics popular and nerd culture chic. Now if they could just create a show that does the same for math, history, chemistry and literature we’d all be straight-A students.

iCarly
So Long, and Thanks for the Spaghetti Tieor
After 5 years and over 100 episodes, Nickelodeon’s iCarly says “iGoodbye” with the touching-but-still-goofy series finale. We’ll miss the Penny Tees, random dances and feeding Baby Spencer. And we’ll look forward to Sam Puckett’s spin-off show, “Sam and Cat” with Cat Valentine of “Victorious.”

Dr. Who
It’s What Happens When Science Fiction Meets Science Fashion.
A British television staple for 50 years, the BBC sci-fi saga Dr. Who finally gains some traction with US audiences, thanks in part to the BBC America channel, Netflix, DVD sales, and no shortage of Dr. Who novelty items available for sale at ThinkGeek.com.

Duck Dynasty
Reinvent Rags to Riches
Hey, Jack! The Robertsons are America’s favorite southern-fried, big-bearded, camo-clad family. Not your average millionaires, this family of duck call makers is just as busy goofing off and staying true to their rugged outdoorsman lifestyle as they are growing the family business into a national, multi-million dollar empire.
The Indiana Fever are often playoff contenders, and in 2012 they advance to the WNBA Finals, where they defeat the Minnesota Lynx, 3 games to 1 to bring home their first championship.

The San Francisco Giants defeat the Detroit Tigers in a thrilling, extra-inning 4-3 win in Game 4 of the 2012 World Series to sweep the series.

Unable to win a decision in their first three fights, Juan Manuel Marquez knocks out Manny Pacquiao in the sixth round of their WBO world welterweight fight. Marquez is the first person to knock out the highly-acclaimed Pacquiao since Medgoen Singsurat did it in 1999.

The Los Angeles Angels of Anaheim sign former MVP power hitter Josh Hamilton to a five-year, $125 million contract where he joins slapers Albert Pujols, Mike Trout and Mark Trumbo in an imposing Angels lineup.

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Due to a labor dispute between NHL players and team owners, the 2012-2013 hockey season is delayed during a 113 day lockout until both sides reach a verbal agreement on a tentative framework for a new Collective Bargaining Agreement. The shortened season commences on January 19, 2013, after sacrificing a total of 625 regular-season games.

Two Hafouk brothers face each other in Super Bowl XLVIII, with Jim coaching the San Francisco 49ers and older brother John in charge of the Baltimore Ravens. After a 34-minute power outage in the New Orleans Superdome, the 49ers almost come back from a 22-point deficit, but the Ravens hold them off to win 34-31.

The 23-year-old snowboarder Elena Hight is the highlight of Winter X-Games Aspen 2013 when she flawlessly executes a trick never before introduced in competition by a male or female – the Double Backside Alley-oop Rodeo.
MIGUEL CABRERA

The Crown Prince of Baseball

Detroit Tiger Miguel Cabrera becomes only the 15th player to win the Triple Crown for leading the National Baseball League in three hitting categories, with a batting average of .330, 44 home runs, and 139 RBIs. Cabrera is the first Triple Crown winner in the major leagues since Boston's Carl Yastrzemski in 1967.

FIERCE

From "Fab" To "Fierce"

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THE ROUGH START TO THE FOOTBALL SEASON

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Nintendo launches their Wii U gaming console, with a highly interactive touchscreen controller that borrows technology from both the Nintendo DSi and the original Wii to push game control inputs forward and bring portability to their platform.

Amazon announces the second generation of their Android-based tablets, the Kindle Fire HD. The new e-reader is available in 7" and 8.9" sizes, and adds a beautiful HD display, stereo speakers, a front-facing camera and integrated support for Facebook, Twitter and e-mail.

Sifteo Cubes are amazing little motion-aware blocks with full-color touchscreens that interact with users and each other when they are shaken, tilted, rotated and placed next to one another. Download apps and combine up to 12 cubes to amplify the fun.

Boston Dynamic's SandFlea is a robot that drives like any other RC car on flat terrain, but can jump up to 30 feet into the air to overcome obstacles, high enough to land on the roof of a house. Now if only it could retrieve lost frisbees and footballs from the roof.

Sony's portable PlayStation Vita is WiFi, Bluetooth and 3G enabled, so you can take video games with you everywhere you go. Packed with features like dual analog sticks, front and rear cameras, multi-touch rear pad, GPS, and a stunning multi-touch 5-inch display, the only thing this system can't do is sit still.

The highly anticipated release of Radio # results in the biggest US entertainment launch of 2012, taking in $220 million on release day. And with over 40 chart-topping tracks and the all new crowd-pleasing Battle Mode, Just Dance 4 is the perfect catalyst for the best parties.

Angry Birds stays at the top of the games chart, and keeps its brand fresh by releasing special editions, including Angry Birds Space and Angry Birds Star Wars. But it's Instagram that populates more pockets than any other app, dominating app downloads on the iOS and Android platforms after being bought by Facebook for $1 billion.
With oodles of life-simplifying features, including technology that lets you share media by tapping two phones together, the Samsung Galaxy S III raises the bar for smartphones.

**Beats Solo Color Headphones**

**KMAX Chopper**

The Karman K-MAX Rotorless helicopters can autonomously haul 6,000 pounds up to 250 miles. Their deployment in Afghanistan has resulted in over 2 million pounds of essential supplies delivered to US soldiers.

**Heroic Resolution**

If you drive, ride, skate, surf or ski as a sport, then you already know that the GoPro HERO3 is the must-have camera for capturing action footage. Smaller, lighter and more powerful than its predecessor, the HERO3 mounts anywhere and captures 1080p video and 12 MP photos.

**Parrot AR.Drone 2.0**

Take Your Photos and Videos to a Higher Level

The Parrot AR.Drone 2.0 remote-control quadricopter is controlled by your iPhone or iPad, allowing you to play augmented-reality flying games and features a high-definition camera that enables you to record aerial video and photos while in flight and directly share them on YouTube and Picasa.

**Coordinates With Yellow Submarine, Purple Rain and White Christmas**

Crystal clear high tones and low, rumbling bass tones separate Beats Solo HD headphones by Dr. Dre from the rest of the cans out there. And picking from eight distinct colors will separate you from the crowd, too.

**Microsoft Surface**

Kick Back and Relax

With a distinctive design that boasts a kickstand and snap-on keyboard covers available in many colors, the Microsoft Surface makes a splash in the tablet market.

**iCade Gaming System**

Invert Coin, Select Player

Discover what it was like growing up in the 1980s with the iCade, a retro-styled iPad video game console that can run over 100 classic Atari titles. Jelly bracelets and Van Halen cassette tapes sold separately.

**iPad Mini**

Apple Tries To Extinguish Fire

Apple releases a smaller, 7.9-inch version of their tablet, the iPad Mini, in an effort to compete with the growing popularity of the Kindle Fire.

**iPhone 5**

Mom, I'm 5, Do I Look Taller?

The iPhone 5 grows tall enough to add a row of apps to its screen, yet weighs 20% less than its predecessor and connects to super-fast LTE networks, making it the thinnest, lightest, fastest iPhone to date.

**SoundCube**

It's Hip to be Square

The TDK Sound Cube provides powerful, multi-directional sound in a distinct, compact ten cubic inches that works anywhere, inside or out. You can even plug in your guitar or microphone and jam along with other music sources.
Colby's post-high school plans have long been that he and his best friend Beth would tour with her band, then spend a year in Europe. But when he announces that he will start college just after the tour, Colby struggles to understand why she changed her mind and what losing her means for his future.

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The second book in Veronica Roth's dystopian Divergent trilogy, Insurgent keeps the fast-paced action going as Tris Prior must continue trying to save those she loves—and herself—while grappling with haunting questions of grief and forgiveness, identity and loyalty, politics and love.

Sixteen-year-old Hazel, a stage IV thyroid cancer patient, has accepted her terminal diagnosis until a chance meeting with a boy at support group forces her to reexamine her perspective on love, loss, life and the legacy we leave behind.