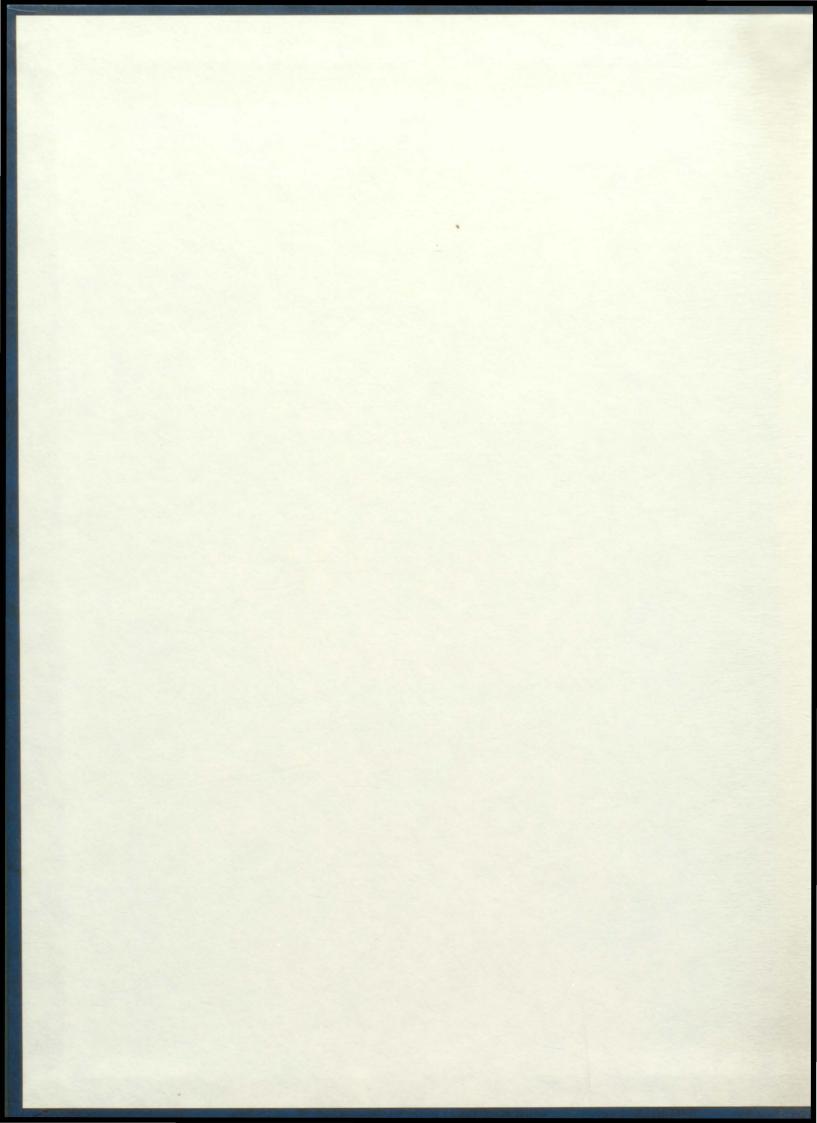
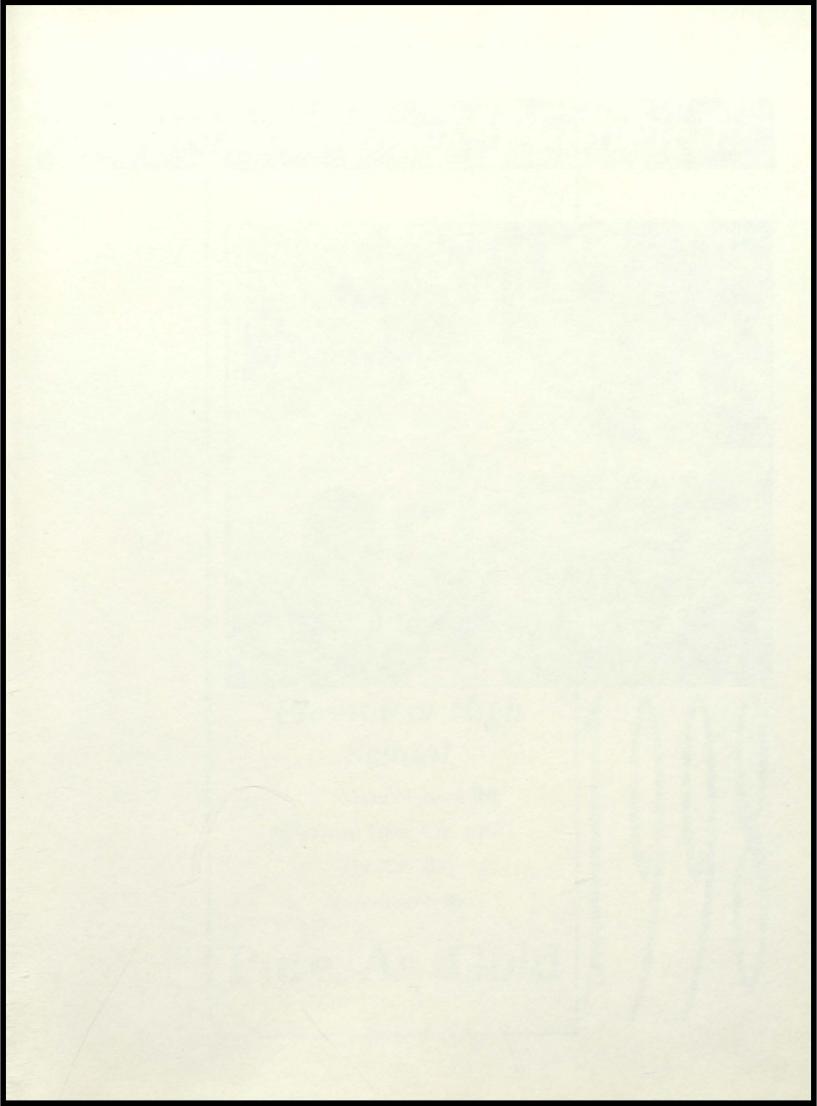
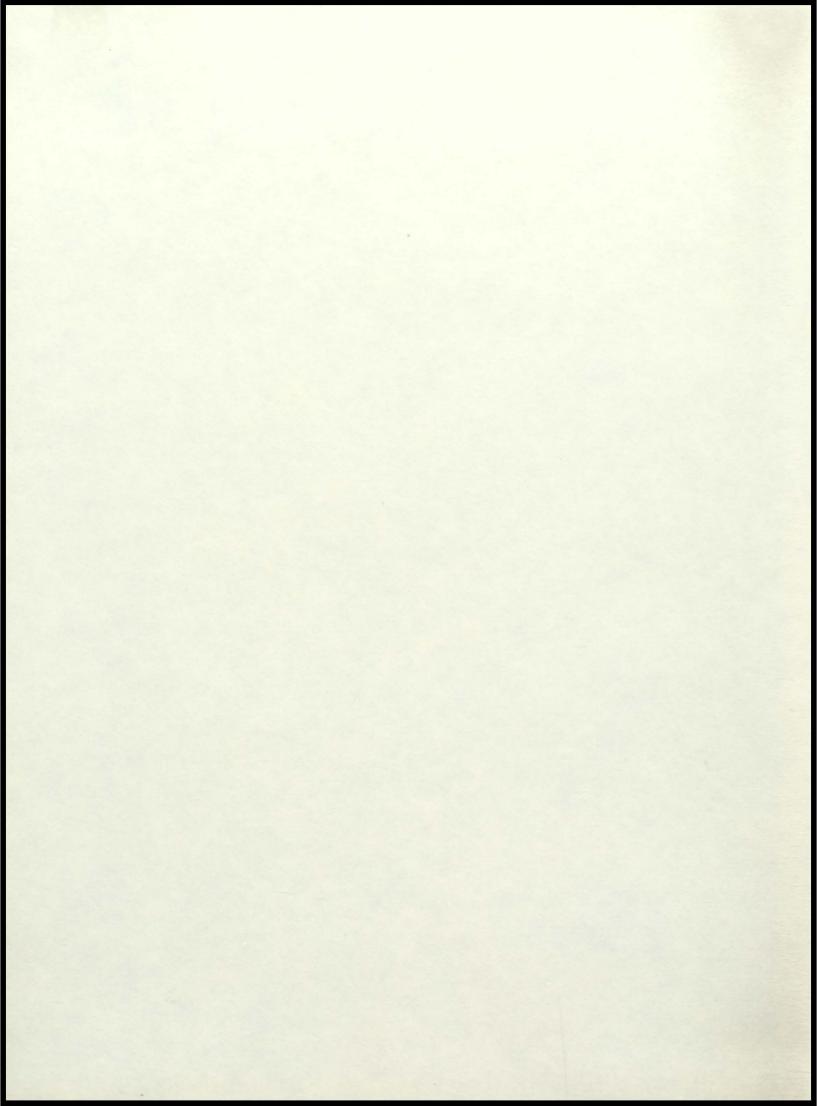


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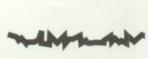
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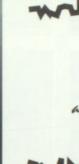
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Class of 199

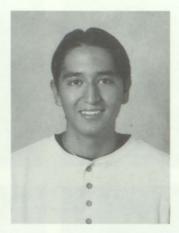
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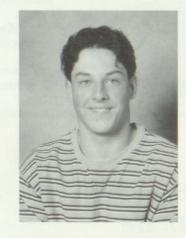




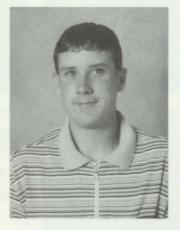


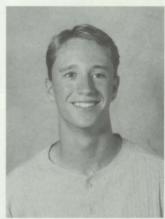


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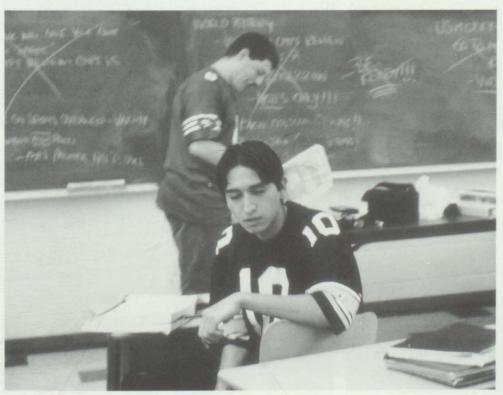
















Chris shows that he has all thirty-two of his teeth.

Mr. Kloster is looking at a prom order sheet.

Evan demonstrating attentiveness in Band Class.

Mikey at a basketball game.

Brennan honing his typing skills in Ms. Fees' class.





Chad strolling down the hallway.

Robert attempting to channel the ghost of Elvis.

Aaron, as usual, is sponsored by Nike.

Sophomores class of 2000

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Anson Nolan Vice president

> Mary Lou Church Secretary

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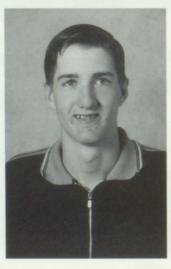


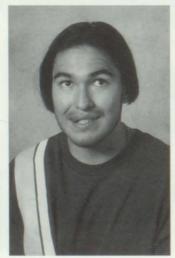
Bret Harkness

Peter

Jeana Schroeder

Mr. Rink Class Sponser









Having fun as always and living life to the full extent.





Top left: Class picture.

Top right: Stephanic playing ber flute.

Bottom right: Josh, and Ty, and Bret banging out.















Right: Anson having some fun as usual.
Right middle: Jeana making funny faces.
Top middle: Brandy watching carefully.
Bottom middle: Kayla working hard.

class of 2001

Jamie Carney President Randy Williams V. President Misty Stum

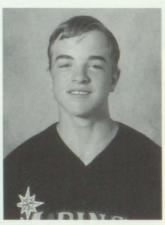








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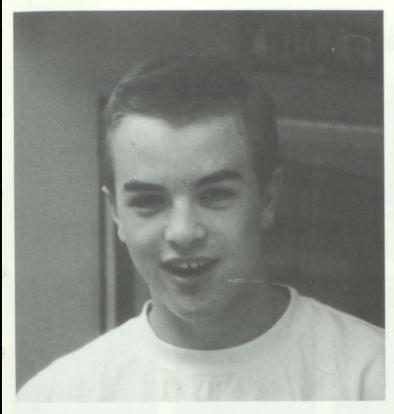




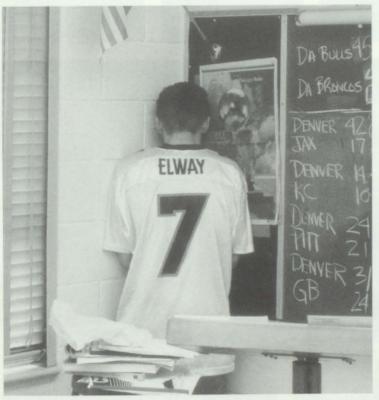




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At left: Justin and Randy working hard in science class.

Jop Left: Christy is itching her neck in class.

Jop Right: Misty doing nothing in class as usual.

Lower Left: Randy gets in trouble again.

Middle Right: Johnny eagerly anticipating the bell.

Lower Right: Jamie cheerfully penning her memoirs.

8th Grade Class of '02

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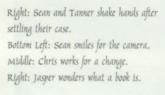






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7th Grade Class of '03









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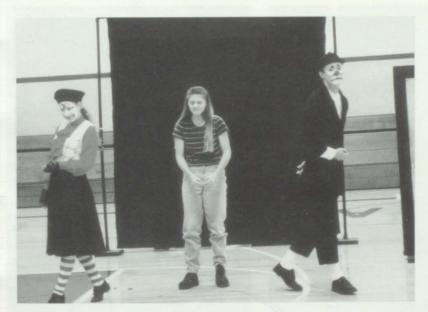


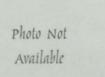


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Brady Butler
Trevor Carney
Brandy Cook
Robert Crain





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The Sixth Grade Class

Jamie Crowell

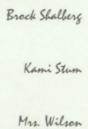
Matthew Harkness

Kristin Henson













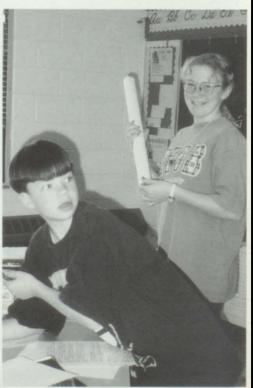












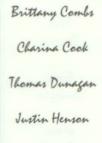
The Fifth Grade Class



















Vicki Specht Miranada Weber Amanda Winkler Mrs. Hopkins









above right: Vustin get to work. Thomas working diligently

above left:Amanda what are you doing, Charina looks bored

Bottom right: Amanda pay attention, Mirana is working bard

The Fourth Grade Class

Mike Bergren

bensy Dunagan

> jason Freoul

Cassie Jo Harris

Felisha nolan

Ms. Greenfield



















above right: Mike is
playing his alto
above right: Felisha
playing violin.
above left: Cassie looks
bord. Mike and Henry
working!
bottom middle: The boys
are quiet.
Bottom left: This is fun





The Third Grade Class









Jessica Armstrong Becca Specht Erin Specht Alanna Weber









Miss Greenfield

The Second Grade Class

Elizabeth Armstrong Heather Dungan Larry Herbert







Brandy Turcott Jose Tovar Mrs.Carney



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The First Grade Class















Megan Linder

Mrs. Carney

Megan during a

Spanish session



The first graders and the Spanish class working together.

Jayme and Jason sitting at the back table waiting for the Spanish class to come.



The Kindergarten Class

Shelby Harris Sheldon Herbert Vincent Koeller

Kirbi Stum









Steven Harkness Heather Arms Joanna Specht Mrs. Reinert



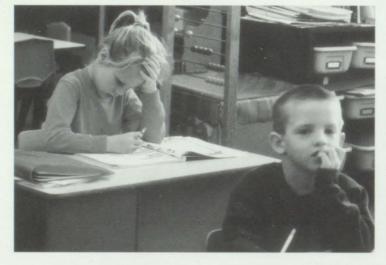






From left to right: Joanna and Steve working in class.

The Kinders going back to their room after P.E.





From left to right:

Steve sitting down in P.E.

Sheldon looking bored in class.

Kirbi standing with his friends during P.E.







ACTIVITIES





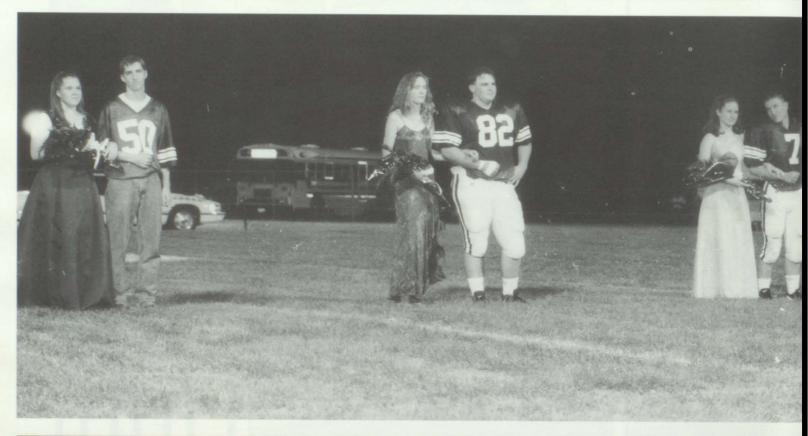




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Homecoming

The 1997 Homecoming same was held on September 26 against Miami-Yoder. Homecoming King and Queen were Steve Lening and Jamie McDaniel. Spirit days for the week were as follows: Monday, Hat day; Tuesday, Homey day; Wednesday, Baby/PV day; Thursday, 60's day; Friday, Blue and White day. The elementary, junior high, and high school all enjoyed the game activities at the end of every day. The Senior class was rewarded "the most spirited" class after the community per rally on Wednesday night. The exciting week ended with the dance on Saturday the 27th and Dustin Meyers as the Deejay.







Nineteen Ninety-seven















High School Memories















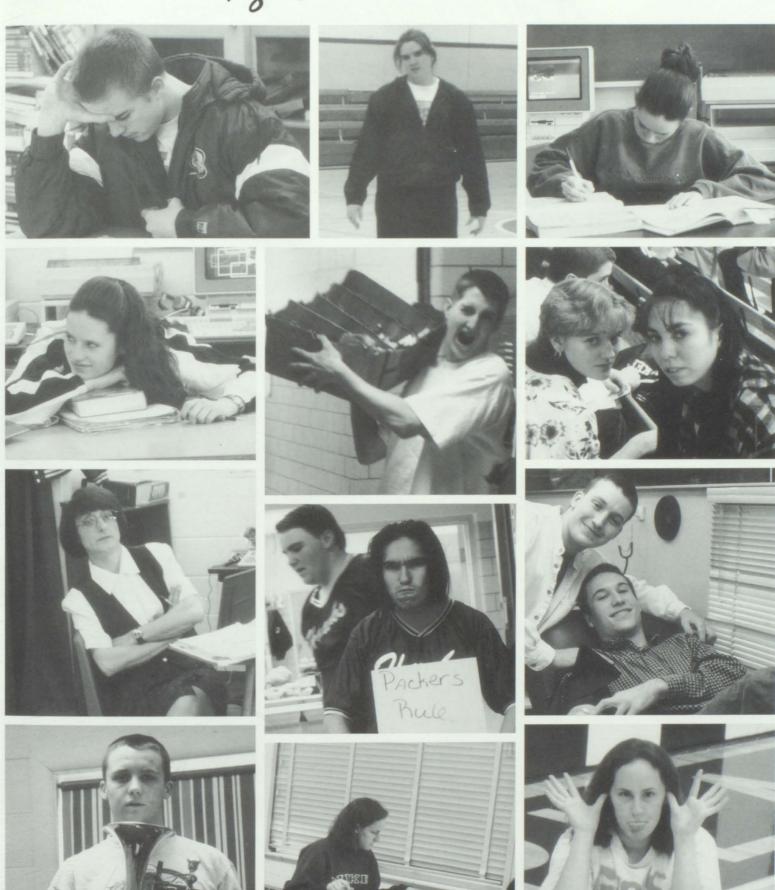








High School Memories



Knowledge Bowl













BAND









You're a Good Man Charlie Brown







CAST

Charlie Brown - Brennan Turner

Snoopy - Steve Lening

Schroeder - Manny Vazquez

Linus - Matt Miller

Linus - Willi Willer

Lucy - Katie Williams

Patty - Roni Giest

Sally - Jessica Barnes

Piano accompaniment by Bob Seay



High School Choir





Above:Steve singing at the solo ensemble.

Left: Choir sings around the piano.

Bottom left:Katie sings at the solo ensemble.

Below: Choir sings at the

Christmas concert.





Senior

Class

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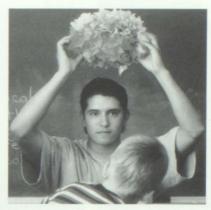




The Spanish Class







Far Beft: Matt and Jason working on a project.

Middle Beft: Katie and Heather work together.

Direct Geft: Manny holds his hat over his head.



Above: Manny and Matt and the first praders hard at work.



Above: Laurie shows us her candy.

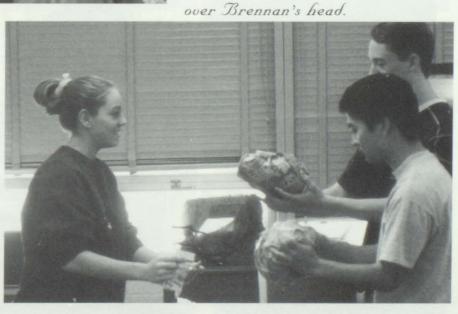
To the left: Barry holds his "hat"



Above: Miss Fees and Brandy work with the first graders.



work together.



Junior High Memories

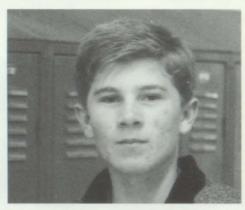




















Elementary Memories



















Athletic Awards





From above (Going around clockwise): Coach Kloster speaks to the masses; The football team receives their letters from Coach Splitter; The girl's basketball team is recognized by Coach Q; "Coach G. Q."; Lori Shalberg gives the keynote speech; and Coach Q wrapping the evening up.









Academic Awards









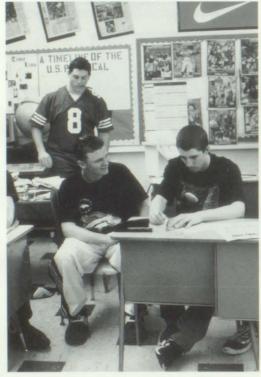


Top Left: Steve Lening receives a math award from Mr. Rink. Mr. Pape gives Colorado Close-Up certificates to the Seniors. Matt Miller walks home with an award from Mrs. Palmer. Mr. Seay congratulates Larry Keoller. Senior Laurie Butler is congratulated by Verna Hallek.

JOURNALISM



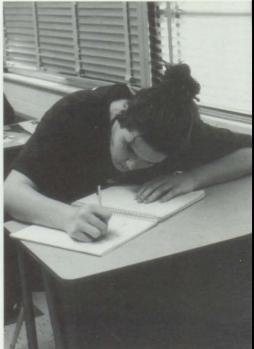




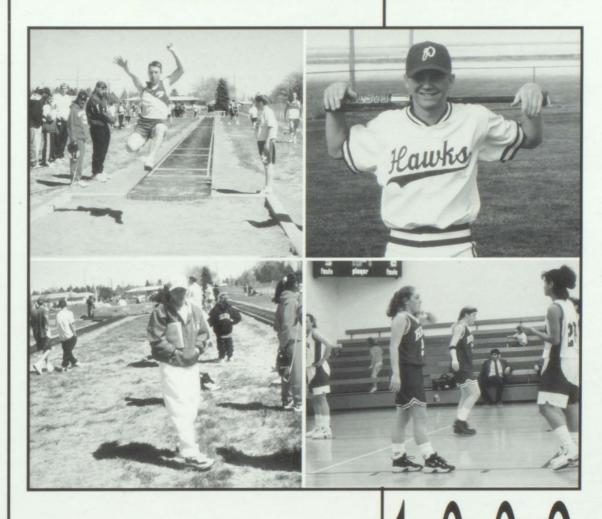








SPORTS



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Top Row Left Right:Larrry Koeller, B.J. Dunnigan, Evan Hopkins, Chad Lawrence, Fickenscher, Manny Vasquez, Coach Philip Splitter, Middle Row Left to Right:Chris Eck, Mikey Crain, Bret Harkness, Justin Crain, Seth McVicker Bottom Row Left to Right:Ethan Harkness, Randy Williams, Jay Stum, Matt Miller, Steve Lening, Anson Nolan





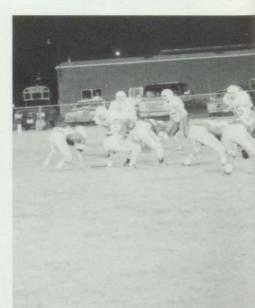
SCOREBOARD

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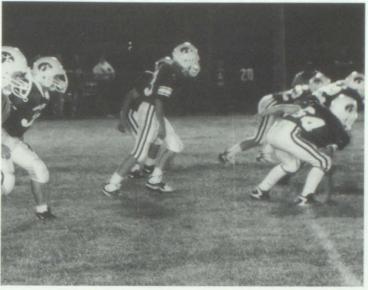
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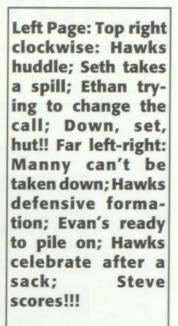
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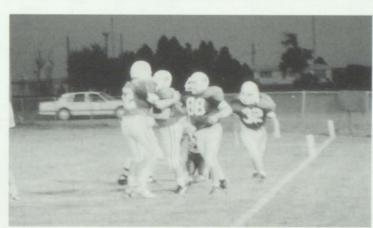


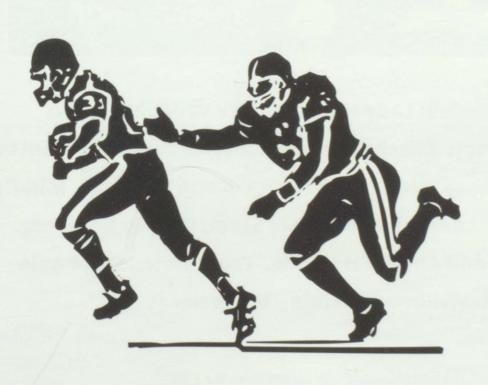














LADY HAWK VOLLEYBALL



The 1997 Plainview Lady Hawk Varsity Volleyball Team
From Left (Standing): Coach Quinones, Jessica Barnes, Veronica
Geist, Kayla Lawrence, Jamie Carney, and Katie Williams. Middle
Row (Kneeling): Laurie Butler, Misty Stum, Brandy Shalberg,
Candace Crain, and Christy Hopkins. Front Row: Stephanie
McVicker and Jamie McDaniel.



Misty Stum goes for the ball as Jamie, Brandy, and Katie Look on.



The Lady Hawks playing defense.

High School Boys Basketball











Very top: Bret lays it up. Top Right: Nice shot, Steve! Top far right: Great boxout, Peter. Above: JV is playing defense. Above right: Hawks are getting ready for "Break" Right top: Chad goes for the hoop. Right bottom: Great defense guys. Far right: Great block Robert!







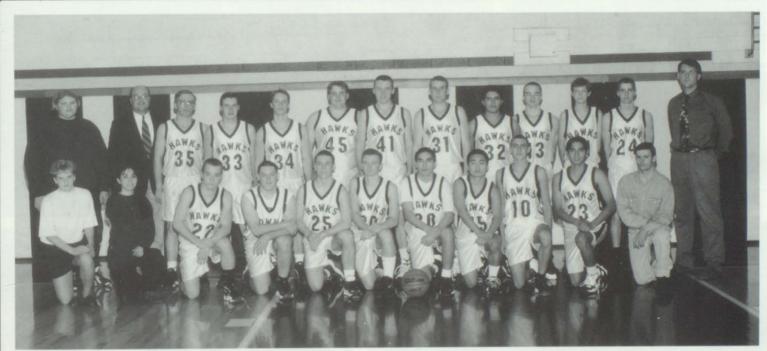








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	Opponent	Us
Springfield	Tournament	
Garden City	66	49
McClave	58	62
Lamar JV	49	71
	l Games	
Manzanola	33	71
Weskan, KS	72	48
Kit Carson	76	66
Campo-Vilas	54	77
Cheraw	84	45
Cheyenne Wells	67	60
Manzanloa	48	82
McClave	45	47
Holly	79	66
Karval	82	58
Sharon Springs	63	73
Granada	08	58
Wiley	79	60
Eads	89	60
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Standing Left to Right: Josh Galloway (manager), Coach Pape, Larry Koeller, Seth McVicker, Matt Miller Evan Hopkins, Ty Fickenscher, Chad Lawrence, Manny Vazquez, Justin Crain, John Crowell, Bret Harkness, Coach Kloster. Kneeling Left to Right: Heather Winkler, Liz Lopez (managers), Mike Crain, Ethan Harkness, Steve Lening, Randy Williams, Peter Lopez, Brennan Turner, Chris Eck, Robert Vazquez, Jay Stum.

High School Girl's Basketball

This year's Lady Hawk's Basketball season was really fun and exciting. Although the 1-3 start at the Springfield Tournament was a rough beginning, we were able to rebound with some memorable performances. The most exciting game was the contest at Eads, where we won by two points on a last-second three-pointer. Everyone pulled together and played a good game, showing that hard work and a determined effort is the key to success.









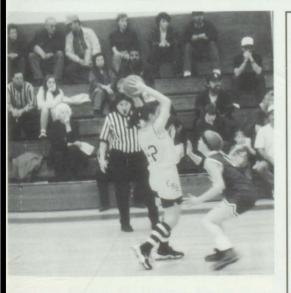












Top pictures feature the Lady Hawks playing in the district tournament against Eads. Team Picture (above) Top Left: Jessica Barnes, Kayla Lawrence, Jeana Schroeder, Laurie Butler, Katie Williams, and Coach Quinones. Bottom Left: Brandy Shalberg, Candace Crain, Jamie Carney, Stephanie McVicker, and Christy Hopkins. At Left: Laurie playing defense.

1997-98 Lady Hawks

(Us - Opponent)

Springfield Tournament

Springfield JV 41-46

46-52

51-39

Springfield

Garden City

Manzanola 51-42

Weskan 26-89

Kit Carson 52-37

Campo-Vilas 47-43

at Cheraw 44-100

Cheyenne Wells 37-39

at Manzanola 49-47

McClave 45-66

Holly 52-46

at Sharon Springs 34-61

at Granada 32-84

at Wiley 31-48

at Eads 39-38

District Tournament

Eads 34-59

Going, Going, Gone





















Row One, Left: Good eye? Middle:3 up. 3 down. Right:Steve comes in after a hard inning of defense. Row 2, Left:Robert stays alive. Middle:Jay gets a base hit. Right: Who do you think you are, Griffey? Row 3, Left: Manny in the wind-up. Right:Take one for the team. Far Left:Katie takes ball four.Left:Steve gives the signal.

Hawks Have A Fun Year









Far left top: Manny awaits the pitch. Left: Keep your eye on the ball. Top: Mike encourages the team. Far Left: Manny scores another run.



Back Row: Coach Mike Lening, Manny Vazquez, Larry Koeller, Bret Harkness, Ty Fickenscher, Chad Lawrence, Evan Hopkins, Robert Vazquez, Seth McVicker, Coach Craig, Williams. Front Row: Ethan Harkness, Mike Crain, Candy Crain, Katie Williams, Jay Stum, Steve Lening, Randy Williams, and Christy Hopkins.

RUN, JUMP, WIN

















From Left (Back Row): Steve Lening, Matt Miller, Bret Harkness, Chad Lawrence, Ty Fickenscher, Evan Hopkins, and Peter Lopez. Front Row: Christy Hopkins, Jeana



Schroeder, Jamie Carney, and Coach Quinones.

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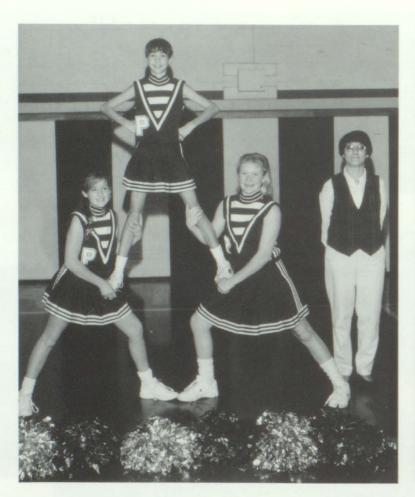








Junior High Cheerleading











Above right: Chrissy Henson, Jamie Crowell, Kami Stum, Ms. Fees. Above left: Jamie Crowell, Kami Stum, April Breadley, Chrissy Henson, and Ms. Fees. Below right: Kami cheering on. Below middle: The cheerleaders. Above left: Goofing around.

High School Cheerleading



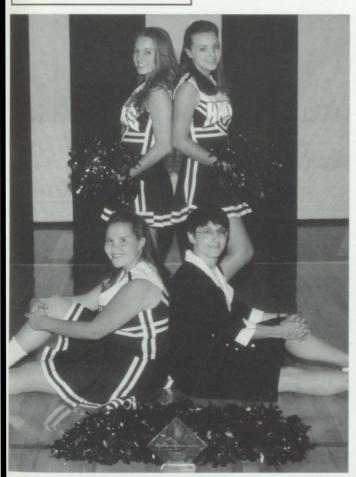
Brandy Shalberg showing her spirit.



From left to right: Brandy Shalberg, Miss Fees, and Stephanie McVicker.



Stephanie McVicker having Fun!







Top Left (Standing): Brandy Shalberg and Stepanie McVicker; (Sitting):
Mary Lou Church and Miss Ruth Fees. Top Right: The Cheerleaders
showing their patriotism. Bottom Right: Stephanie and Brandy lead the
Hawks in a cheer.









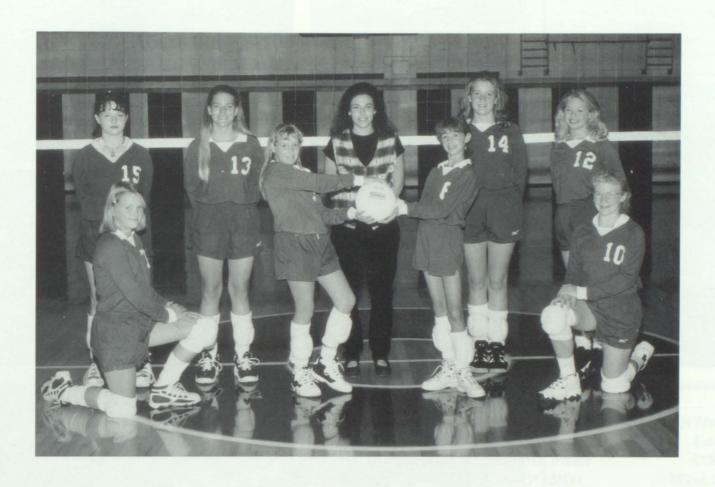


The 1997 Plainview Hawk Junior High Football Team

Back Row: Cecil Colgin, Tanner Nolan, Casey McDaniel, Sean Harkness, Chris Stum, Jasper Church, and Coach Splitter.

Front Row (kneeling): Robert Crain, Brady Butler, Trevor Carney, Matt Harkness, and Brock Shalberg.

Junior High Girls Volleyball



The 1997 Junior High Lady Hawk Volleyball Team

From Left (Back Row): April Bradley, Katy Kraft, Coach Quinones, Megan Fickenscher, and Sarah Galloway. Front Row (Kneeling and holding volleyball): Tina Dunagan, Kristen Henson, Jamie Crowell, and Kami Stum.

Junior High Boys Basketball

Clockwise: Sean shoots the ball. Brock takes the jumpshot. Sean, Matt, and Justin await the rebound. Brady gets ready for his freethrows. Jasper and Sean push the ball down court.











Scoreboard		
HAWKS	OPPONENT	
W	KIT CARSON	
L	GRANADA	
W	CHEYENNE WELLS	
L	EADS	
L	MCCLAVE	
L	TRIBUNE	
L	CHEYENNE WELLS	
W	KIT CARSON	
L	HOLLY	
W	SHARON SPRINGS	
L	TRIBUNE JV	



The Plainview Junior High Hawks: Back Row (Standing): Chris Stum, Casey McDaniel, Sean Harkness, Tanner Nolan, Jasper Church, and Coach Quinones. (Kneeling): Trevor Carney, Cecil Colgin, robert Crain, Brady Butler, Brock Shalberg, and Matt Harkness.

Junior High Girls Basketball



Top Right:
Kami shoots up the basketball.
Top Left:
Kami and Katy come up the basketball court.





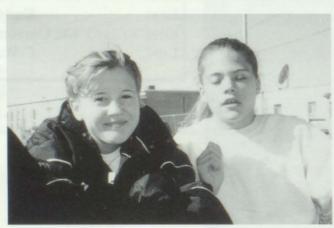
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Lost	Eads	
Lost	C.W.	
Lost	Weskan	
Won	Tribune	
Lost	Granada	
Lost	Kit Carson	
Lost	Eads	
Lost	Kit Carson	
Lost	C.W.	

Left to Right Back Row: Tina Dunagan, Candy Pappan, Katy Kraft, Megan Fickenscher, Sarah Galloway, Coach Quinones Front Row: Krissy Henson, Kami Stum, Isal Pappan, Jamie Crowell

1998 Plainview Junior High Track



















Elementary Field Day





















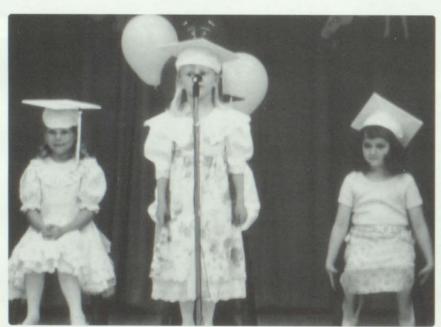




Kindergarten Graduation











Eighth Grade Graduation



















Eighth Grade Graduates (From Left to Right): Sarah Galloway, Sean Harbness, Casey McDaniel, Chris Stum, and Tanner Nolan.

"Truly, Madly, Deeply" 1998 Plainview High School Prom





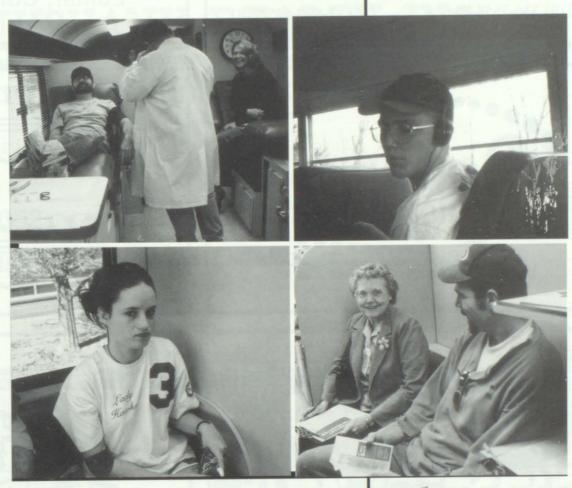








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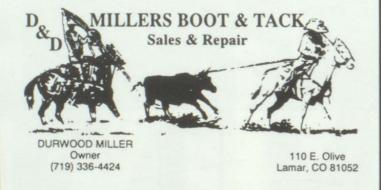
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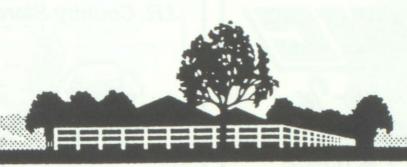
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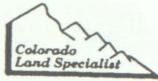
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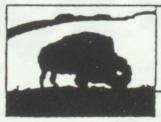
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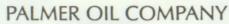
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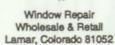






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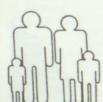
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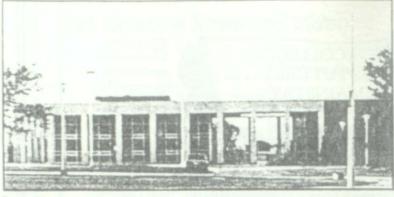
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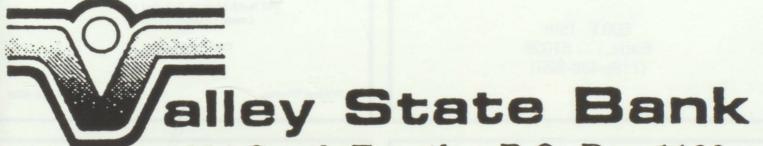


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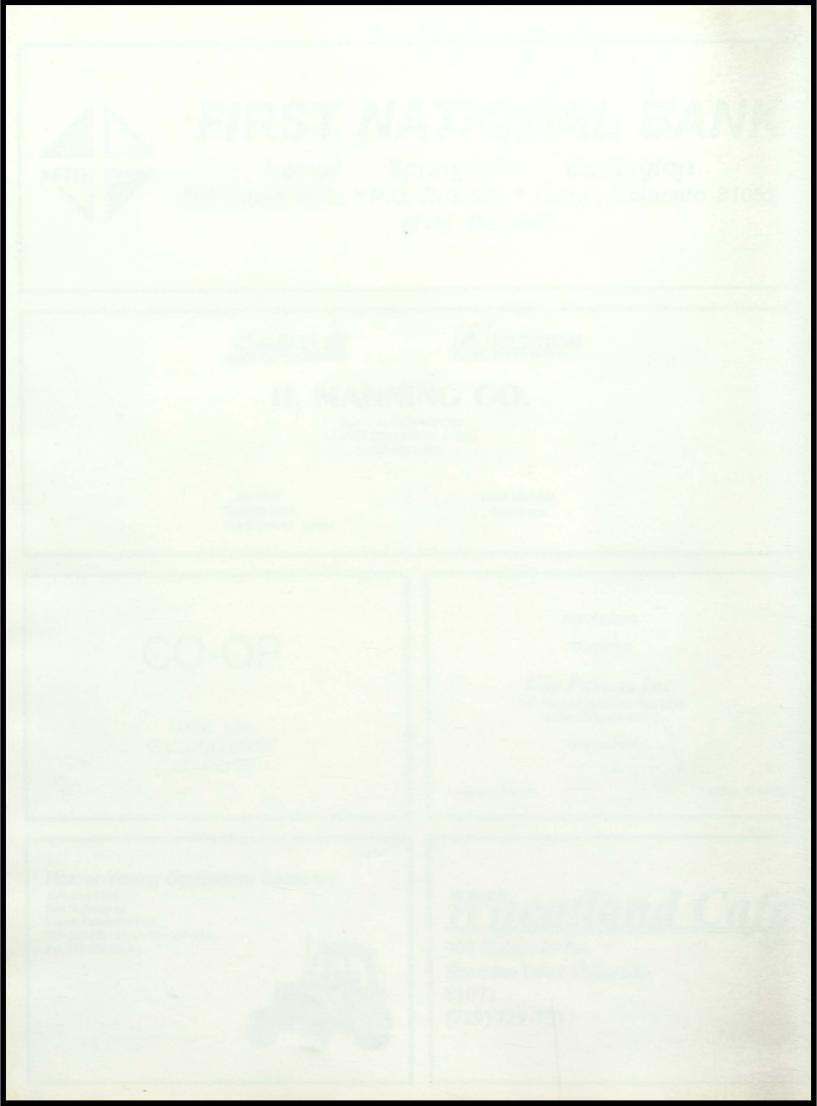
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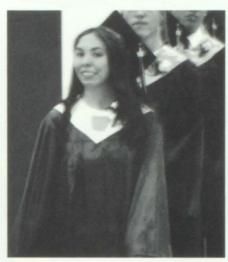
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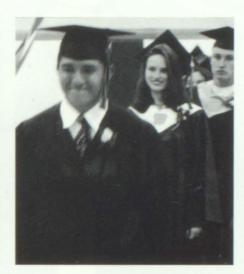


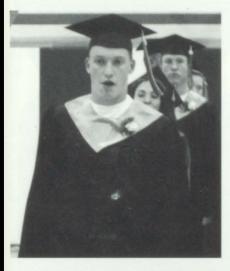


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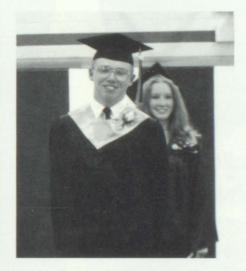
















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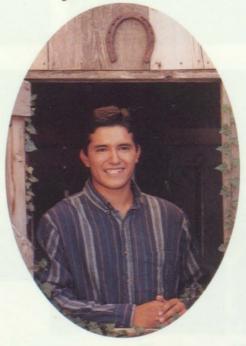
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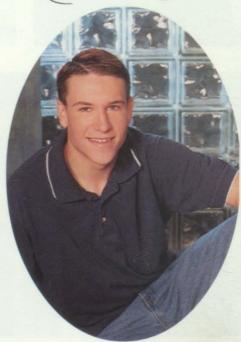
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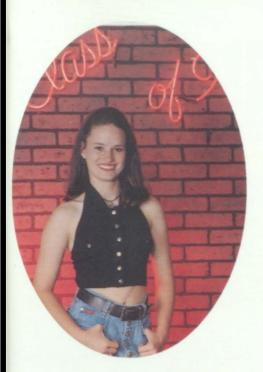
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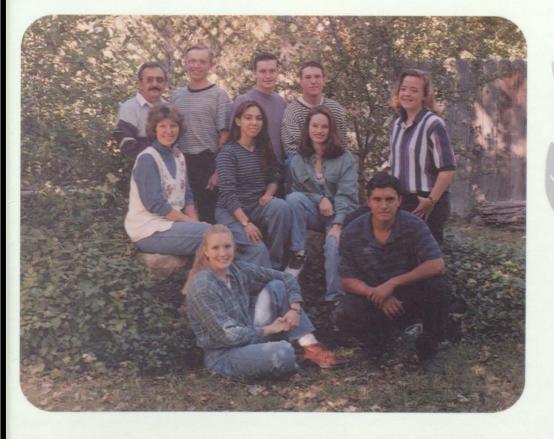
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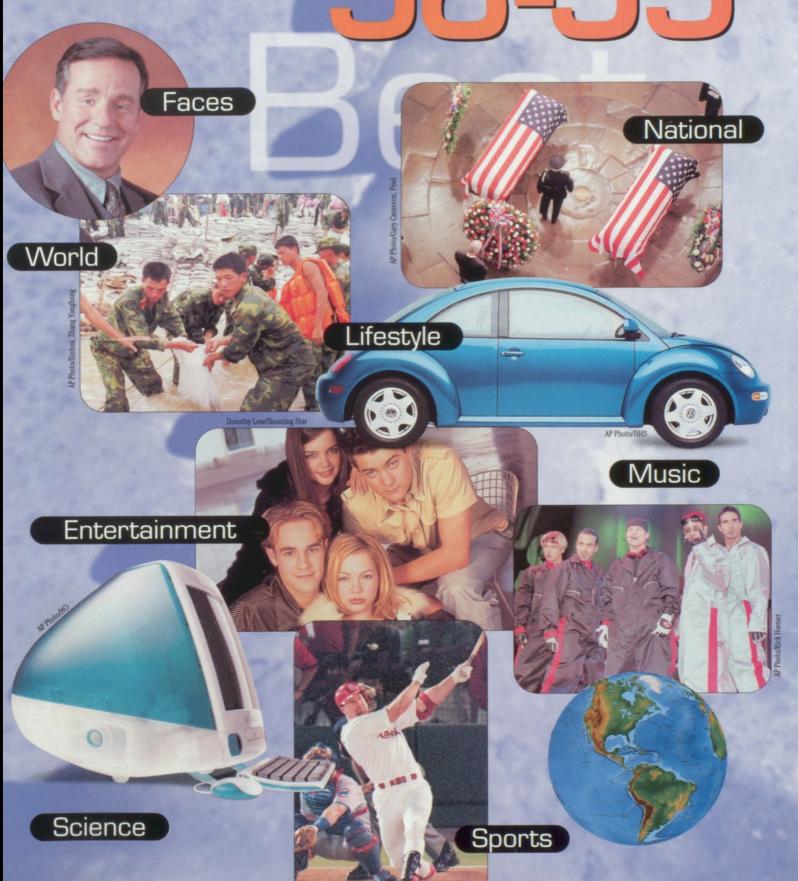


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- I, Laurie Deneise Butler, will my Taurus to Liz; my ability to play basketball and not throw a temper tantrum to Mr. Pape; my headband to Stephanie; my ability to know that a tractor doesn't have spark plugs to Ethan; my ability to go to Tribune and chase rabbits, even when they aren't out, to Christy; my ability to play basketball and my love for the game to Brady; and my everlasting friendship to all, but mostly my two best friends.
- I, Candace Ann Crain, will my ability to go out and the town be dead and still have fun to Kayla Lawrence, Jamie Carney, and Christy Hopkins; my ability to know who my true friends are and when to let old ones go to Christy; and my everlasting friendship to my two best friends so we will all keep in touch and never forget each other in the years to come.
- I, Larry Koeller, will my ability to not miss a day of high school to whoever needs it; my ability to have the teachers think that I am a perfect angel to Evan and Ethan; my drumming ability to Katy K.; my height to Brennan; my Fabio-like appearance to Josh; my ability to put in a long, hard day's work to Jamie M., Brandy S., and Kayla; my ability to be organized to Mr. Seay, Mr. Pape, Mr. Shields, and Mr. Rink.
- I, Steve Lening, being of sound mind and a great body, will my #7 football jersey, #25 basketball jersey, and my #2 baseball jersey to Randy; my CH4 (methane) capabilities to Mr. Kloster; my "Stevesta" to Matt adn Bren Bren; my coordination to Larry; my weight to John; my ability to wear something besides a Jerry Rice or Kevin Garnett jersey to Mike; and lastly, my ability to have a parent on the school board to all those who want to get away with everything.
- I, Elizabeth Lopez, will my ability to kill a deer going 55 MPH to Jamie M. and Mr. Shields; my ability to go to bed late and get up early, on my own, to my little brothe, Peter; my shortness to Ty, Chad, Bret, and Evan; my ability to get stopped at 1:30 am. with gogo juice, no license, and no insurance and not get a warning to whoever wants it; my ability to take a joke to Mr. Pape; my ability to remember things when asked to bring them to Mr. Rink; and my ever-loving and lasting friendship to all of my friends, especially to my two best friends.
- I, Jamie Grace McDaniel, will my ability to argue politics daily with Mr. Pape to Evan and Mikey; my ability not to back stab my friends to whomever needs it; my ability to do my own work to the boys; my ability to withstand this school for 13 years to Casey and Christy; my ability to know when I've taken something too far and then shut up to Ethan; my ability to go visit my friends at college to Brandy, so she can come visit me; my ability to be at a party and blow a .0 on a breathalizer to whoever the shoe fits.
- I, Seth McVicker, will my ability to have some muscle on my bones to John; my ability to count to Coach "Q." so that she can keep the correct score of a pick-up game; my ability to evade any and almost all work that is given to the Freshmen class for concessions next year; my ability to make appearances in court to Randy because he's already started his record; my ability not to have a curfew to Brandy; my height to Miss Fees and Brennan; and my ability to make fun of anyone who thinks too much of himself or herself to everyone.
- I, Manuel Vazquez, will my ability to run fast to the future relay teams; my ability to eat all of my food and not complain to Ron; my ability to keep out of trouble to Ethan; my ability to bet and win money to Brennan; my ability to play football to my little brother, Robert, so he doesn't get hurt next year; my ability to control my temper to Katie; my ability to not be the master leg rubber to Johnny; my ability not to get Mr. Pape mad to the class of '99; and my ability to talk to my girlfriend to Bret.
- We, the senior class of 1998, will our ability to be frugal to any sophomore class that has concesions lying before them; our ability to actuially make money on concessions to the class of 2000; our ability to fill the candy machines and make money on them to the class of 1999; our ability to get along with everyone in the class to all the underclassmen; our ability to finish a trash haul to the class of 2000; our ability to have a sponsor that still has hair to the class of 2000 and 2001. We challenge all of the underclassmen to have a class GPA of 3.1 or better.

World Beat 99



World



⇒ French high school students demand more teachers, better equipment and buildings and a lighter course load in an October protest in Paris. The French government designates \$40 million annually over the next four years, as

well as 1,000 new teaching posts.

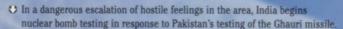
☼ A total collapse of the Russian ruble sends world markets into chaos. Boris Yeltsin asks Viktor Chernomyrdin to head the government to help restore political and economic stability.



A discotheque fire in Goteborg, Sweden, kills 67 teens and injures several more, making it the deadliest fire in modern Swedish history. Arson is the suspected cause of the October fire.



☼ After a U.N. drug summit in which 150 countries endorse an anti-drug campaign, the U.S. vows to spend an estimated \$1 billion over the next five years on anti-drug advertising, corporate and civic partnerships and promotion.



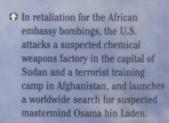


On September 2, Swissair Flight 111 crashes in the sea in Peggy's Cove, Nova Scotia, Canada, killing all 229 passengers and crew aboard. A cockpit wiring fire is the suspected cause of the disaster.





AP Photo/Paul Chiasso



On August 7, powerful bombs explode outside the U.S. embassies in Kenya and Tanzania killing 248 people, including 12 Americans, and injuring more than 5,000.



AP Photo/John McConnice



NASA and Russia will conduct 45 missions to launch and assemble the International Space Station Alpha. Set for completion by 2004, the station will be powered by almost an acre of solar panels and will weigh almost one million pounds.



C President Clinton becomes the first U.S. leader to visit China since the Tiananmen Square massacre in 1989. Many criticize Clinton for his apparent leniency toward China's human rights restrictions.



Hurricane Mitch ravages parts of Central America and kills more than 10,000 people, making it the second deadliest storm in the region's history.

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C The worst summer flooding in China since 1954 kills 3,000 people, destroys 17 million homes and affects one-fifth of the country's population.

After months of negotiations, Swiss banks and Jewish groups reach a \$1.25 billion settlement in a lawsuit filed by thousands of Holocaust survivors to recover lost savings.



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On January 1, 1999, the euro debuts as the new currency in 11 European Common Market countries. It will be three more years before euro coins and cash are officially put into circulation.

Flash

John Hume and David Trimble, Northern Ireland's two main political party leaders, win the Nobel Peace Prize for their efforts to end the violence that has plagued the British province for three decades.

After a stop in Mexico City in January 1999, Pope John Paul II arrives in St. Louis, Missouri, and celebrates Mass with over 100,000 people in attendance.

In January 1999, an earthquake that measures 6.0 on the Richter scale hits Colombia killing over 1,000 people.

King Hussein of Jordan, 63, dies on February 7, 1999, of lymphatic cancer. Hussein's 47-year reign made him the Middle East's longest-serving leader.

Nationallews

President Clinton becomes the second president in history to be impeached. The House of Representatives charges him with two counts of obstruction of justice and perjury. The Senate acquits Clinton after a five-week trial. Convicted killer Martin Gurule escapes death row and is later found drowned in a nearby river. Gurule is the first Texas inmate to escape death row since 1934.



C The U.S. Treasury unveils a new \$20 bill designed to be much harder to

♠ A massive Millennium Clock in New York City's garment district counts down the days, hours, minutes and seconds to the year 2000.



❖ President Clinton declares the entire state of Florida a disaster area after fires burn over 300,000 acres and damage or destroy 150,000 homes. After 50 years of work, the face of Crazy Horse is revealed at the South Dakota monument. When completed, the memorial, carved out of a mountain, will be the largest sculpture in the world.



Sixteen of the 24 glass beads that historians believe were used to buy Manhattan Island from Native Indians in 1626 are donated to the Indian Museum of North America located at the Crazy Horse Memorial.



AP Photo/Crazy Horse Memorial, Robb DeWald, File



and dragged to his death in Jasper,

ties to white supremacists.

Texas, by three men, two of whom have

AP PhotoAvictor R.

Mentally unstable Russell Eugene Weston Jr. charges into the U.S. Capitol building on July 24 and fatally shoots Special Agent John Gibson and Officer Jacob Chestnut.



AP Photo/Gary Cameron, Pool



O A Titanic exhibit tours the U.S. featuring over 200 artifacts and displays chronicling the fateful ship's maiden voyage and tragic sinking.

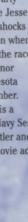


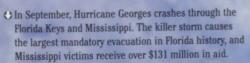
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C In response to family pressure, DNA testing confirms that remains buried in the Tomb of the Unknowns are those of Michael J. Blassie, an Air Force pilot shot down in Vietnam.



In summer 1998, North Texas temperatures exceed 100 degrees for 45 days. The state's heat death toll climbs to 132 and fires burn over 344,000 acres.







AP Photo/Ruth Free

O Matthew Shepard, a 21-year-old gay student at the University of Wyoming, dies five days after being brutally attacked in an apparent hate crime. Vigils in his memory are held across the country.

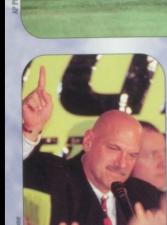


In August, General Motors Corporation and United Auto Workers reach an agreement that ends an eight-week strike.

President Clinton announces the federal government ends the 1998 fiscal year with a budget surplus of \$70 billion, the first surplus since 1969.

More than 280 colleges now admit some or all of their applicants without regard to SAT or ACT scores. Many schools say the system improves the academic quality and diversity of their student bodies.

DNA tests determine that Rebecca Chittum was unknowingly switched with Callie Conley at a Virginia hospital after their births three years ago. This case prompts a national debate on the need for stricter hospital procedures.



C Reform Party candidate Jesse Ventura shocks the nation when he wins the race for governor of Minnesota in November. Ventura is a former Navy Seal, pro wrestler and action movie actor.

SciencRews

NASA's Lunar Prospector finds scattered pockets of ice beneath the lunar surface. The presence of water could enable astronauts to use the moon as a kind of space-based filling station.



☼ An analysis of Eastern Seaboard weather shows it really does rain more frequently on weekends than during the week, an average of 22 percent more. Automobile emission patterns are the suspected cause of the phenomenon.



Apple's translucent aqua-blue iMac personal computer, its first consumer offering in years, is marketed mainly for Internet usage and, therefore, doesn't come with a disk drive. Its popularity soars and it soon becomes available in several other colors.



The comet Tempel-Tuttle causes a meteor storm when it passes by Earth. The comet will be visible again in fall 1999, after which it won't reappear for another 32 years.





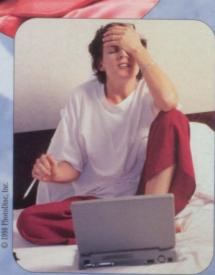
→ A computerized T-shirt, woven with fiber optics and electrically conducted thread, may soon monitor the health of soldiers, rescuers, the elderly and others who are medically vulnerable.



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Columbia University graduate student Elizabeth Brannon and psychology professor Herbert Terrace demonstrate that monkeys can master simple arithmetic on at least the level of a two-year-old child.



A study demonstrates that the more hours people spend on the Internet, the more depressed, stressed and lonely they feel. The USDA announces that a 25-millisecond blast of 270-degree steam applied to meat kills 99.99 percent of the bacteria. This process follows the unpopular method of irradiation.



C Chemistry professor Claude Yoder co-authors

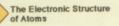
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O Paleontologists in Argentina discover thousands of shards of fossilized dinosaur eggs. Several shards contain the fossilized remains of unhatched embryos and their never-before-seen embryo skin.



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C The FDA withholds medical approval of St. John's Wort, the popular herbal supplement widely believed to relieve depression. However, American consumer demand has led to its use in everything from lipstick to potato chips.

C Researchers discover a gene that may cause the aggressive behavior of "killer bees." This knowledge may help tame African bees, whose sting has deterred beekeepers from tending hives.



Alan Shepard, the first American in space, dies on July 22 at the age of 74.



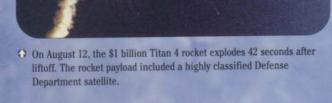
Researchers reveal a new technique that determines the sex of a baby before conception. This technique uses a laser detector that measures the DNA in sperm cells.

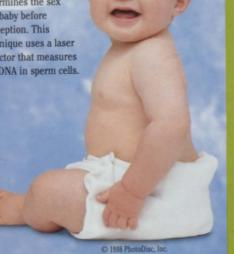
Alabama hairdresser Philip McCory discovers that human hair soaks up oil from water, which prompts NASA to investigate ways to use human hair to

Astronomers discover and photograph a planet outside our solar system that is about 450 light years away from Earth.

In August, renowned Houston heart surgeon Dr. Denton Cooley performs open-heart surgery which is broadcast live on the America's Health Network Internet web site.

David Scott, who lost his left hand in a fireworks accident, receives the first U.S. human hand transplant in January 1999. Scott has regained limited motion





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D Lovegety, a palm-sized matchmaking device, is the latest craze with Japanese teenagers. When it comes within 15 feet of another Lovegety, high-pitched beepers go off, lights flash, and the "love detectors" display whether the users' preset interests match. It's now available in the U.S.

☼ A USA Today investigation reveals that many of the nation's safe drinking water regulations are not being enforced. The report reveals that even the worst violations have just a 1 in 10 chance of drawing legal action.

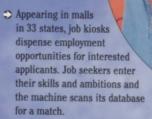


◆ PlayStation's® "Crash Bandicoot: WARPED" supersedes its popular predecessors. Also new is Crash's sister Coco who gallops along the Great Wall of China and cruises through enemy-infested waters.



C Furby, the year's must-have interactive toy, has a vocabulary of 200 words in both English and its own language, "Furbish." Furby knows when it is being petted, when the lights go out, when music starts, and if there's another Furby in the room.

➡ WildEyes contact lenses feature several designs, including a starburst, black eight ball and cat's eyes. The \$165 lenses come in prescription and non-prescription and don't interfere with eyesight.







In December, Selective Service activates online registration. Eighteen-year-olds can now register instantly instead of filling out forms at the post office that take two to three months to process.

Consumer groups demand the recall of Olestra from the market, or at least the adoption of strict guidelines as to its use, after thousands of people become sick from eating the popular fat substitute. However, studies suggest that chips made with Olestra do not cause greater stomach problems than regular chips.







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Cargo pants invade stores and become the must-have piece of apparel for teens across the nation. Butterflies and dragonflies are the hot motif in the fashion world appearing on everything from clothes and bags to hair accessories and jewelry.



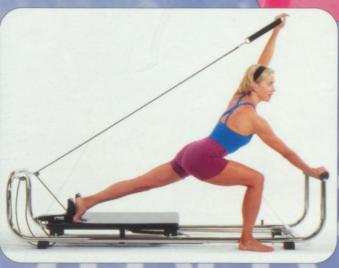
For \$20-30 a day, trained professionals at dog and cat day cares will play with, read to, feed and pamper pets in their care.



Mr. Payroll is the first ATM that can cash a check – even for someone without a bank account. The machine "memorizes" facial features and matches them with a social security number to verify the user's identity.

Photo courtesy of Flash

Pilates, a low-impact form of exercise that uses unique equipment and deep stretching techniques, becomes popular with men and women.



Rollerblade introduces durable, all-terrain in-line skates that can traverse dirt paths and rocky trails. The large-wheeled skates retail for a cool \$600.

In hopes of reducing the divorce rate, the Florida legislature passes the nation's first law requiring that high school students be taught marital and relationship skills.

In the wake of grim automobile accident statistics, California is one of several states to pass stricter teenage licensing laws.

Spurred by fierce competition, colleges and universities are going online to offer students a new way to get an education. Florida State and New York University are a few jumping on board.

The average home Internet user spends 25 hours a year waiting for web pages to load.

Entertainments



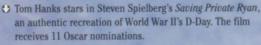
NBC's "Frasier" makes history by winning its fifth consecutive outstanding comedy series award at the 50th annual Emmy Awards. Kelsey Grammer, in the title role, wins his third Emmy as best comedy actor. ☼ Heartthrob George Clooney announces 1998-99 will be his last season on NBC's award-winning television drama, "ER."



♠ In November, ABC's "Spin City" star Michael J. Fox, 37, reveals he has Parkinson's disease. Fox underwent brain surgery in March 1998 in an attempt to relieve severe tremors.



Trail Burner, a hand-held mountain bike racing game, uses motion sensors to turn corners and jump hills and water pits. Crashes make the handlebars vibrate.



Adam Sandler stars
in the surprise hit *The*Waterboy, which earns a
record \$39.1 million in its
November opening weekend.



Britain's best Scrabble players commemorate the popular board game's 50th anniversary in October by playing in London's Wembley Stadium using letter tiles the size of dining tables.



 ★ Karl Malone and Dennis Rodman face off in a World Championship Wrestling tag-team match. The event pits Rodman and Hollywood Hulk Hogan against Malone and Diamond Dallas Page. Walt Disney's A Bug's Life is one of at least 15 animated feature films that will flood the nation's theaters in the next two years.

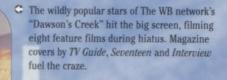




O In May 1998, the much-anticipated movie Godzilla opens to disappointing reviews and box office numbers. The epic leaves theaters quickly.



O Players of Vertical Reality, a combination video game and amusement ride, shoot at moving targets on a 24-foot-tall screen and sit in chairs that rise with each successful hit. The winner rides to the top for a grand view.



C The coming-of-age drama "Felicity" quickly gains popularity with teens. The WB show revolves around a young woman and her new experiences at college.





Megastars Bruce Willis and Demi Moore announce their separation in June after almost 11 years of marriage.

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The American Film Institute rates the top 100 movies of the 20th century. The top ten include: Citizen Kane, 1941

Casablanca, 1942 The Godfather, 1972 Gone With the Wind, 1939 Lawrence of Arabia, 1962 The Wizard of Oz, 1939 The Graduate, 1967 On the Waterfront, 1954 Schindler's List, 1993 Singin' in the Rain, 1952

Fans flock to theaters to see the two-minute trailer for Star Wars: Episode I - The Phantom Menace and many leave without staying to watch the main attraction. The prequel to the wildly popular Star Wars trilogy opens in May 1999.

¡Yo Quiero Taco Bell!

Taco Bell's talking Chihuahua becomes a favorite teen advertising icon and sparks a surge of interest in the breed.

Actor Rick Schroder replaces Jimmy Smits on ABC's "NYPD Blue." The fate of Smits' character in his last episode - he dies when a heart transplant fails - became a source of nationwide speculation.



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of the year.

C Singer and actor Frank Sinatra dies at the age of 82 on May 14, 1998.

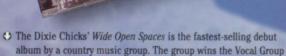


Sharp and Sony introduce portable MiniDisc recorders. This digital alternative to audiocassettes records customized music compilations and doesn't skip when bumped.



C Alanis Morissette's new album, Supposed Former Infatuation Junkie, is released in November and vaults to No. 1. The album sells 469,000 copies in the

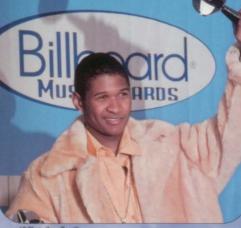
> In January 1999, the group 'N Sync wins Favorite New Pop/Rock Artist at the American Music Awards.



of the Year award from the Country Music Association.



Nineteen-year-old Usher is named Billboard Music Awards' Artist of the Year and R&B Artist of the Year. Touring with Janet Jackson and making television and movie appearances has heightened Usher's popularity.



known as Ginger Spice, announces in May 1998 that she is leaving the popular group for creative reasons.

O Spice Girl Geri Halliwell, better



C Shania Twain wins the **Favorite Female Country** Artist award at the American Music Awards and receives six Grammy nominations.

Jewel scores on two fronts. Her book of poetry, A Night Without Armor, makes the New York Times best-seller list, and her album, Spirit, is released in November.



C Natalie Imbruglia wins Breakthrough Artist honors at the MTV Video Music Awards in September. Her album, Left of the Middle, features hits "Torn" and "Wishing I Was There."



AP Photo/The Hamilto

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Aerosmith's "I Don't Want to Miss a Thing," from the movie Armageddon, becomes the group's first single to hit No. 1 on the Billboard Hot 100 charts.

O In November, Garth Brooks' new album Double Live enjoys first-day sales of over 500,000 copies, the industry's best one-day tally. Brooks makes special TV and Wal-Mart closed-circuit TV appearances to promote the release.



AP Photo/GB Management, Jenny Yates

Psychologists discover a connection between musical training and verbal memory. Children trained to play a musical instrument grow up to have 16 percent better word memory than other adults.

Movie soundtracks account for nearly half of the Gold and Platinum certification. Some of the top soundtracks include Titanic and Return to Titanic, City of Angels, Armageddon, Hope Floats, Dr. Doolittle and The Wedding Singer.

Whitney Houston's My Love Is Your Love is her first studio album in eight years. The album includes the hit duet with Mariah Carey entitled "When You Believe."

Actor/rapper Will Smith wins three American Music Awards, including Favorite Pop/Rock Album, Favorite Soul/R&B Album and Favorite Soul/R&B Male Artist.



The popularity of Lauryn Hill's album The Miseducation of Lauryn Hill leads to 10 Grammy nominations, the most for any female artist in history. Hill kicks off a worldwide tour in January 1999.

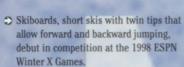
Monica is the only artist in 1998 with two No. 1 hits on the Billboard Hot 100, including "The First Night" and "The Boy Is Mine," a duet

she sings with Brandy.

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Sang Lan, China's 17-year-old gymnastics champion, breaks two vertebrae during a vault at the Goodwill Games in July, leaving her paralyzed from the chest down.

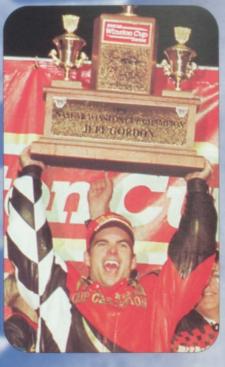




On January 4, 1999, Tennessee beats Florida State University
23-16 at the Fiesta Bowl in Arizona to win the national championship.
It is the first year of the Bowl Championship Series, created to ensure that the highest ranked college teams nationally meet in a bowl game.



❖ ABC's Lesley Visser becomes the first woman to report from the sidelines during "Monday Night Football," the 1998 Super Bowl, the NCAA Final Four and NFL playoff games.



→ Jeff Gordon wins the NASCAR Winston Cup for a second year in a row. Gordon, 27, is the youngest driver to win three Winston Cup championships.



Defending champion Detroit Red Wings win the 1998 Stanley Cup championship, beating the Washington Capitals 4-1. Defenseman Vladimir Konstantinov, severely injured in a car accident after last year's Stanley Cup win, joins the celebration.



AP Photo/Susan A. Walsh



❖ Flamboyant sprinter Florence Griffith Joyner (FloJo), triple gold medalist at the 1988 Olympics, dies at age 38 in her sleep, of suffocation during an epileptic seizure.

AP Photo/Dave Martin

⇒ In a 4-0 sweep against the San Diego Padres, the New York Yankees win the 1998 World Series to claim their 24th championship. The Yankees' 125 total victories is a modern baseball record.

AP Photo/Lenny Ignel

O In July, France beats Brazil 3-0 to win its first World Cup soccer title. During celebrations, a motorist drives through the crowd on the Champs-Elysées and injures 60 people.



C Lindsay Davenport, 22, defeats Martina Hingis in the U.S. Open in September and becomes the No. 1-ranked player in the world.

AP Photo/John Gaps III

AP Photo/Rusty Kennedy



C Olympic gymnast Dominique Moceanu is declared a legal adult after suing her parents, alleging they squandered her earnings and oppressed her for years. Later, Moceanu is granted a protective order against her father for stalking her.

C St. Louis Cardinal Mark McGwire hits home run number 62 on September 8, breaking the record set by Roger Maris in 1961. McGwire ends the season with 70 home runs.

On September 13, Sammy Sosa of the Chicago Cubs also breaks Roger Maris' record with his singleseason 62nd home run. Sosa ends the season with 66 home runs.

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The defending champion Denver Broncos meet the upstart Atlanta Falcons at Super Bowl XXXIII in

Golfer Casey Martin, who suffers from a circulatory disorder in his right leg, wins a lawsuit allowing him to use a cart during PGA and Nike golf tournaments.

Miami. The Broncos win 34-19.

The Chicago Bulls capture their sixth NBA championship by beating the Utah Jazz 87-86 in game six. Michael Jordan earns the Finals MVP award. In January 1999, Jordan announces his retirement from the NBA after 13 seasons.

by withdrawing himself from the Baltimore lineup for that night. NBA owners impose a lockout on July 1

On September 20, Cal Ripken Jr. ends his 16-year streak of 2,632 consecutive baseball games played

that causes almost half the '98 - '99 basketball season to be lost. The labor dispute is settled on January 6.

Tennis star Pete Sampras wins his fifth Wimbledon title and remains the world's No. 1 player for a record sixth straight year, breaking Jimmy Connors' mark for consecutive seasons on top.

The NFL season is plagued with controversial and incorrect calls. Instant replay is not reinstated, but coin toss procedures are implemented.



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Atlantic City. The her hip and plans

Miss Virginia Nicole Johnson is crowned Miss America 1999 in Atlantic City. The 24-year-old diabetic wears an insulin pump on her hip and plans to spotlight diabetes awareness during her reign.



Seventeen-year-old Katie Hnida is named Chatfield Senior High School's Homecoming Queen as well as starting kicker for the varsity football team. The No. 1-ranked kicker in the state of Colorado, Hnida hopes to play Division I college football next year.



Fifty-six-year-old Linda McCartney,

activist and wife of famed Beatle

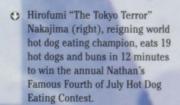
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Paul, dies of breast cancer on

April 17, 1998.

After dropping out of the third grade in 1902 to care for her 11 younger siblings, retired nanny and housekeeper Eugenie Garside finally receives her high school diploma at age 98.







Olympic gold medalist figure skater Tara
Lipinski takes part in an anti-tobacco rally with area school children on Capitol
Hill in May 1998. The

rally is sponsored by the Campaign for

Tobacco-Free Kids.



Minnesotan David Weinlick
"advertises" for a wife and chooses
pharmacy student Elizabeth Runze
from 23 hopefuls who travel to the
Mall of America in Minneapolis for
the event. Runze and Weinlick marry
the same day.



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