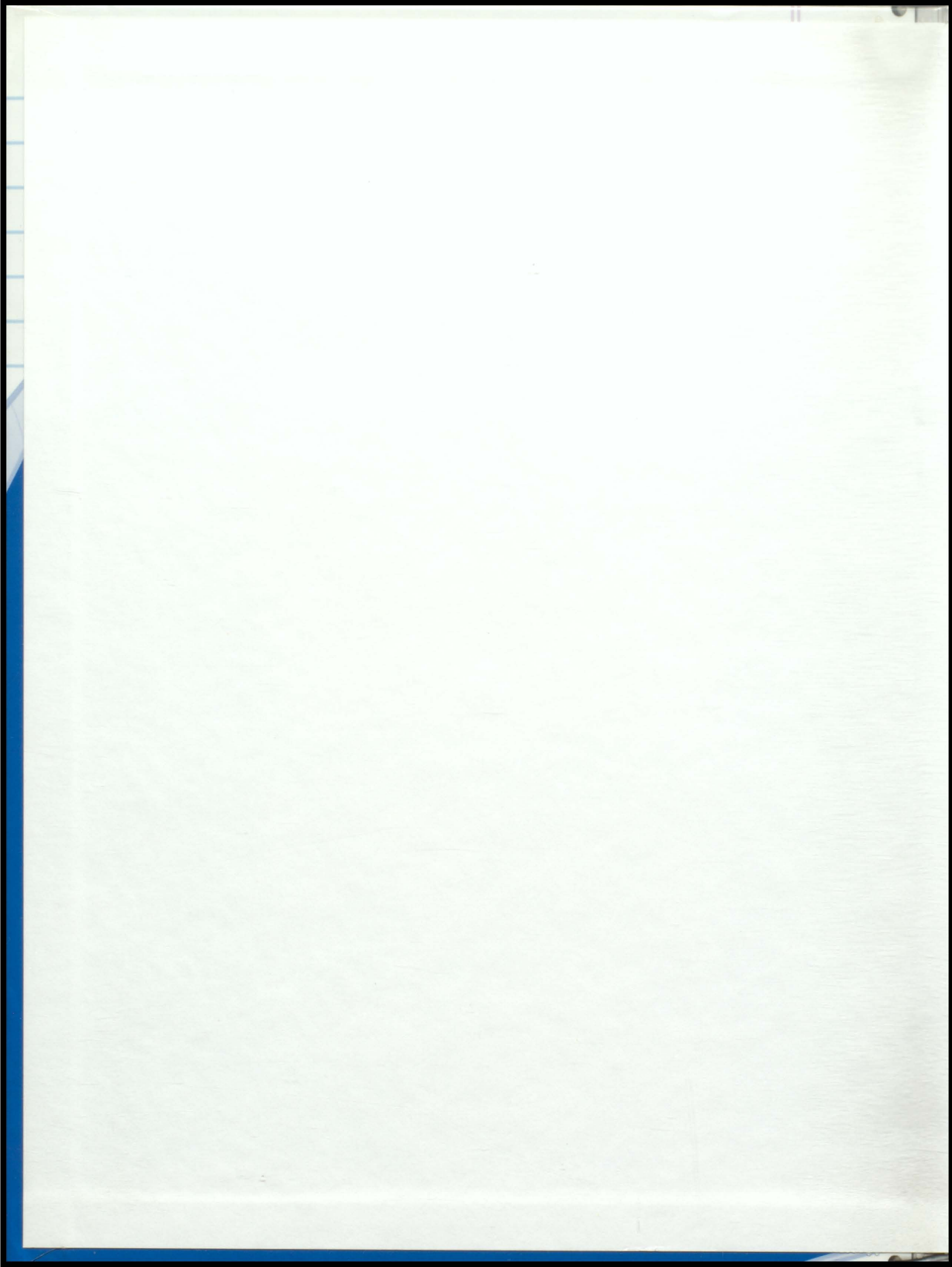
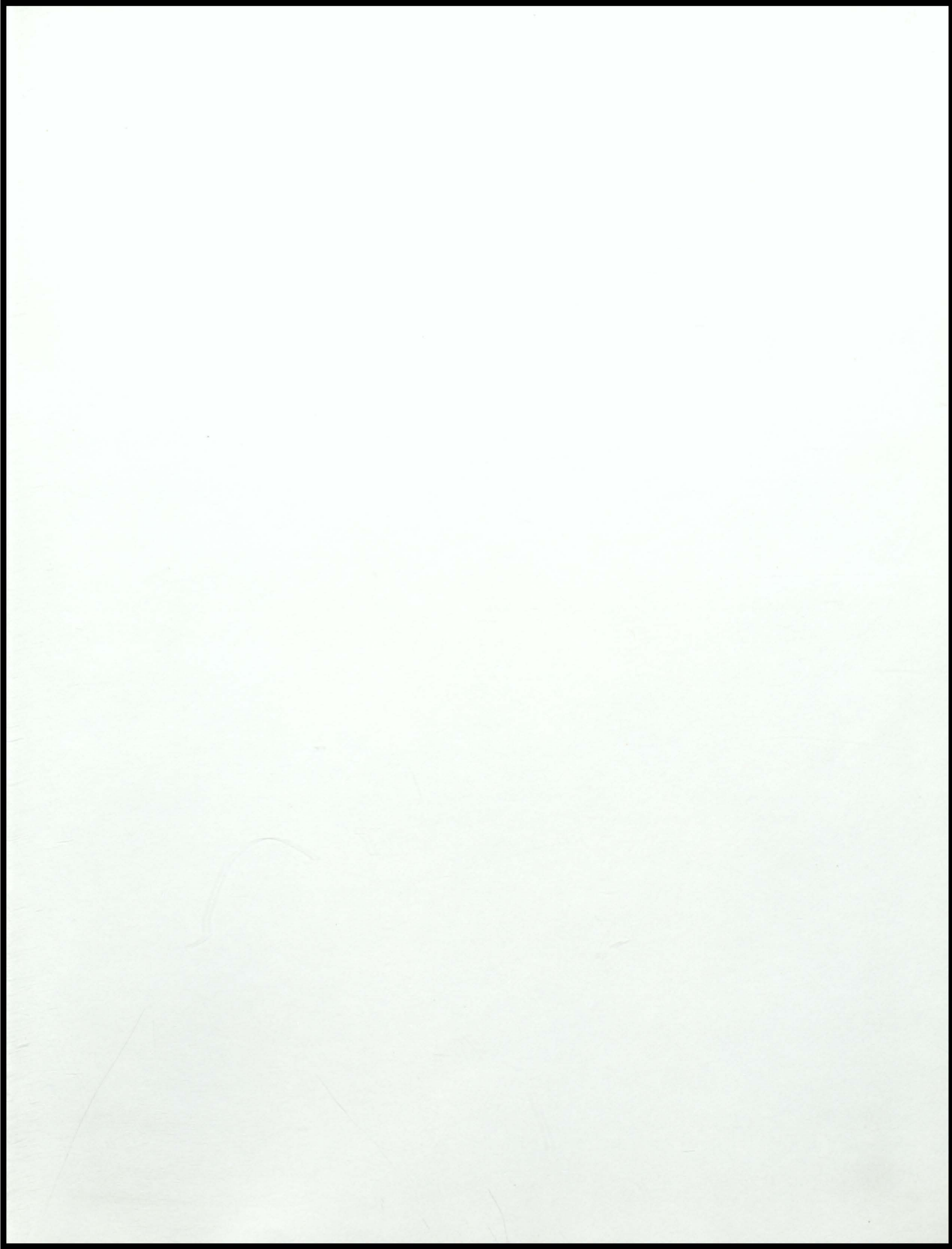


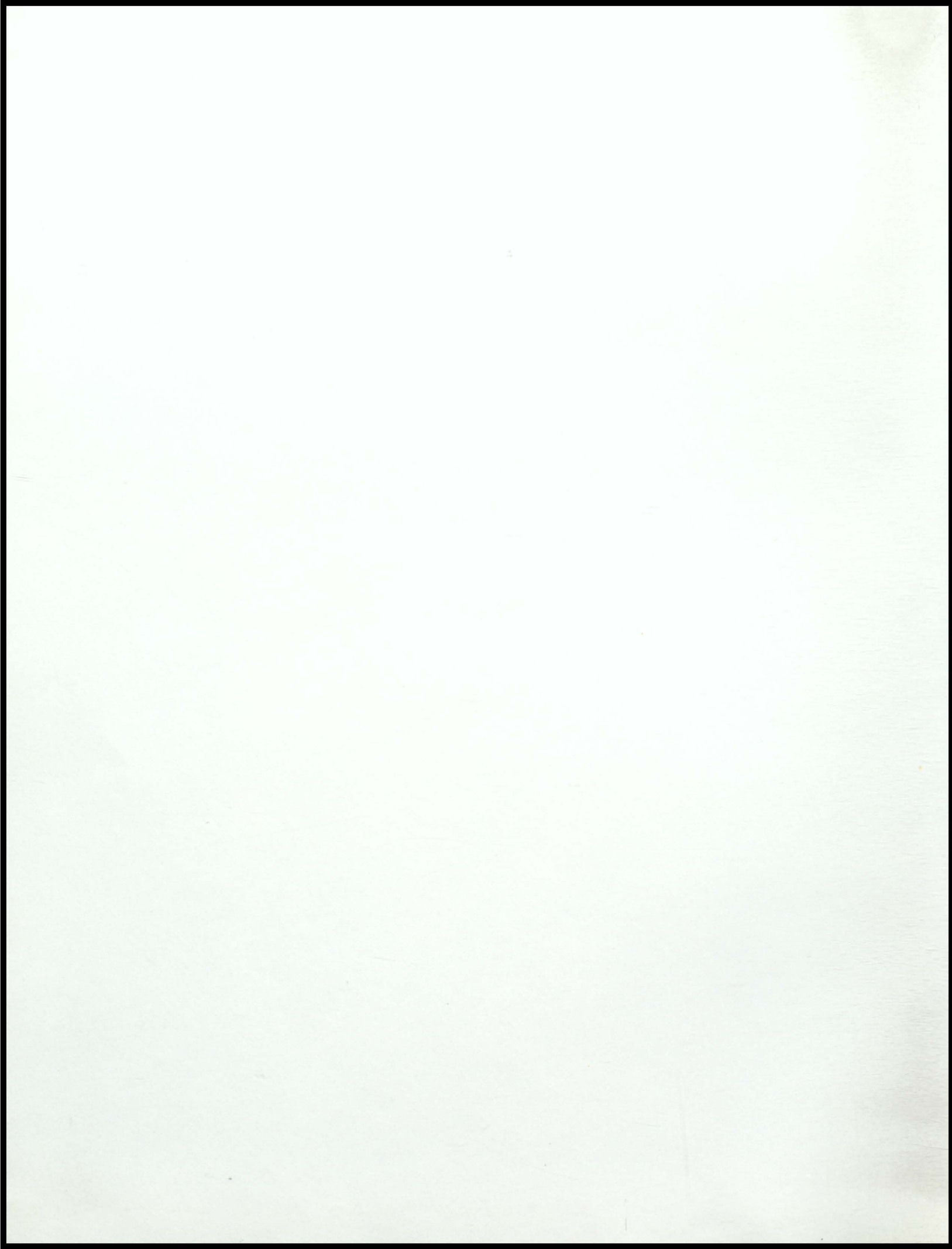
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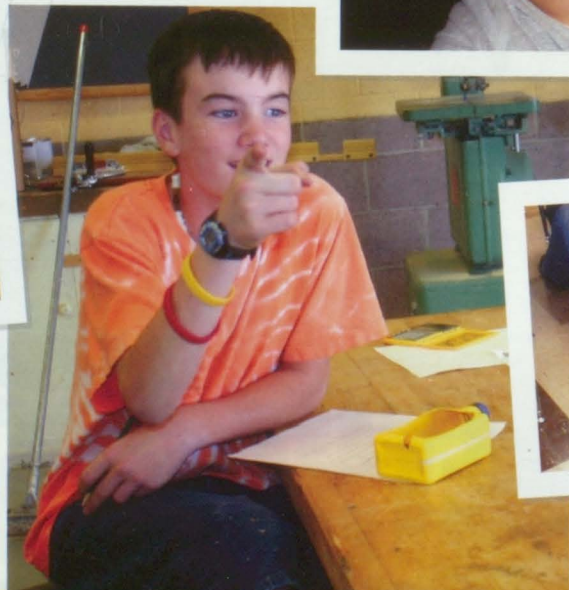
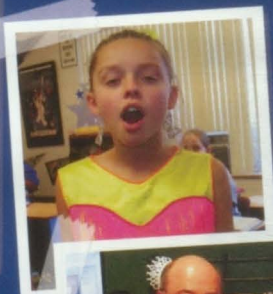
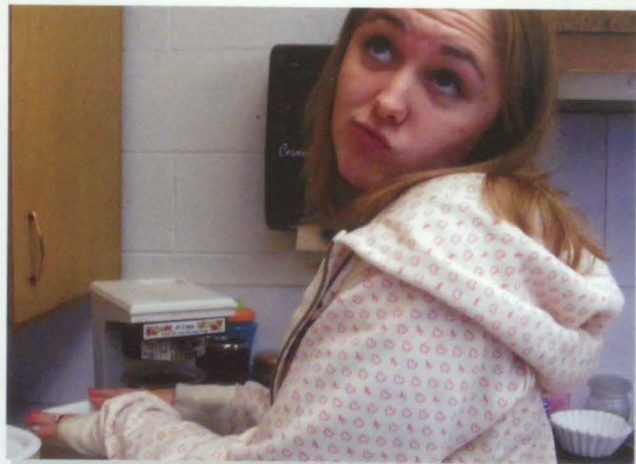
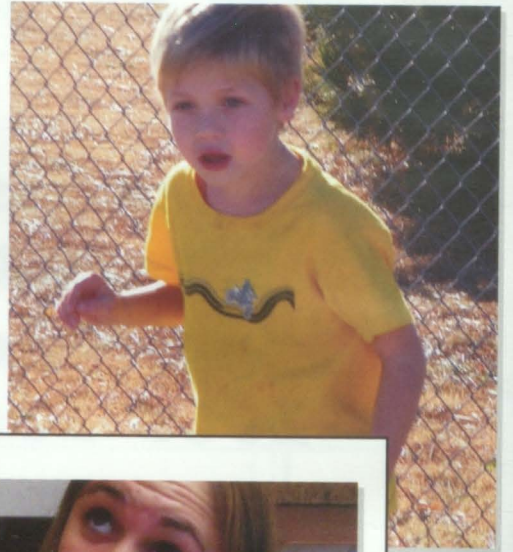


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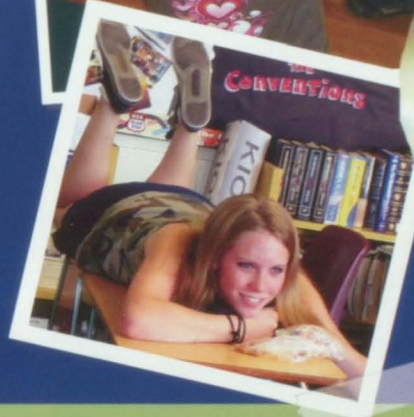
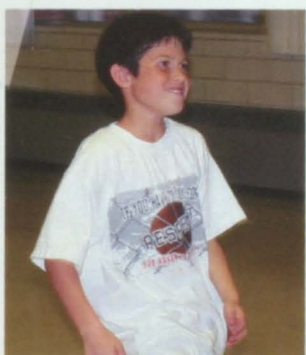


THERE'S MORE

More to Life...



Movie at my
house tonight.



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Summer '08

Below: Shaneise Crow, Natalya Weber, Lauren Weber, and Jordan Trujillo take a moment to pose for a quick picture while participating in Rebecca Gomez's quincinera.



Below: Joanna Specht worked for her dad over the summer and took her cousin, Keaton, on a tractor ride.



Above: Bjorn von Dressler and a friend stopped long enough to take a picture with an 'invisible' pedestrian on the street. *Left:* Garret and Dave Crownover love their monster trucks. *Right:* Mr. Pape gets his picture taken at Yankee Stadium—one of the last games for the 85-year old ball park and an ending to a memorable trip to Boston and New York City.



"My summer was really busy with my playing softball, working on 4-H stuff and working. But I always tried to find the time to goof off with my sisters or call my friends to go see a movie or hang out. :)"

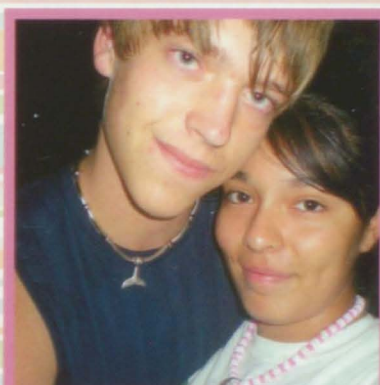
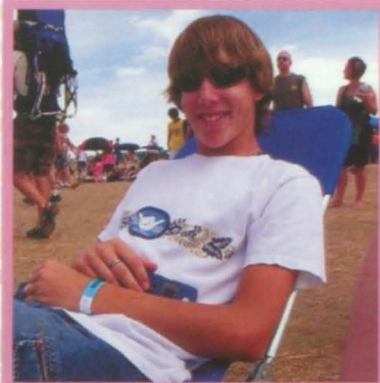
-Lauren Weber



Right: Kirbi Stum spent time in Denver attending the Heaven Fest.

Below: Kirby Crowover goofed around in the stores every chance she got.

Below Right: Jason Specht enjoyed the company of Alex Rodriguez over the summer.



Above: Lauren and Natalie Weber ponder what the coming school year will bring—either that or there is a bird in that tree that is simply "mezmorizing".

Left: The high school and junior high cheerleaders attended the NCA Cheer Camp in Lamar.



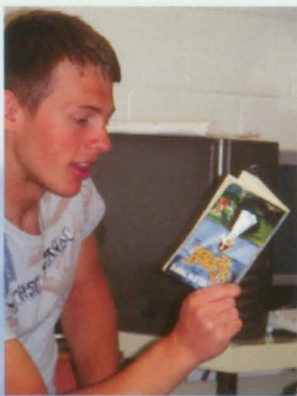


Above: Jason Specht--engaging in one of his hobbies, chess, thinks intently about his next move while Bjorn von Dressler patiently waits, planning his strategy. **Right:** Thomas Specht and Joel Lehman show who is winning in their chess match--one that looks like it might go on a while.

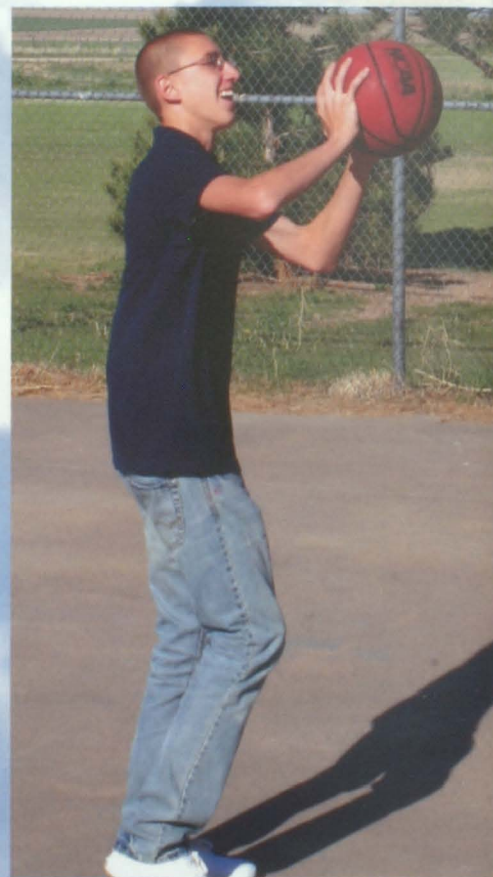


Left: Daniel Lehman plays quarterback on his team during P.E., demonstrating one of his favorite activities and showing why it is a rare occasion to see him without a football in his hand.

Below: Most of the students at PHS enjoy reading. Bjorn von Dressler is still trying to figure out how. **Bottom:** The 4-H kids enjoy their biking trip as they participate in the Cystic Fibrosis Bike-A-Thon.



Hobbies



Above: Steven Chuma shows us his skills when it comes to his "hobby": basketball. Go, Chuma, you can make the shot! **Below:** Mr. Pape enjoys a hobby of sorts--reading to the elementary kids on Dr. Sues Day. **Below That:** Natalya Weber enjoys some quality time with her horse, Amy.



Prepare for Concession Stand.

Paige Specht is in the kitchen getting ready to feed patrons before, during, and after another game.



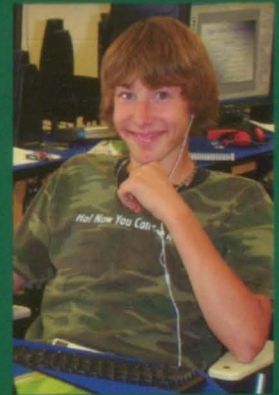
Coloring a Poster.

What's up, Kirby? "Uh...right now it's you." Kirby Crownover has her bucket of markers ready to go.



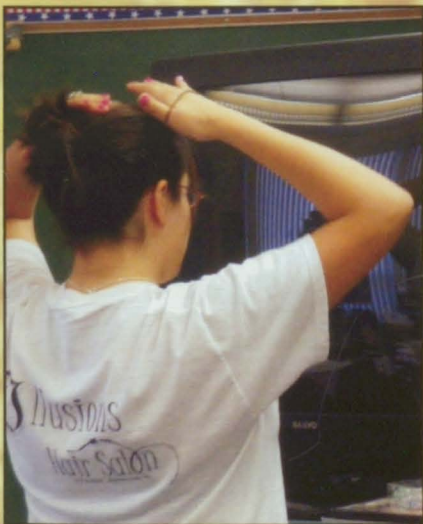
Get Dressed!

Caynen Hansen poses in a cheer uniform before a home volleyball game.



Listen to music.

No student's life would be complete without it. Kirbi gives a goofy grin as he works and listens.



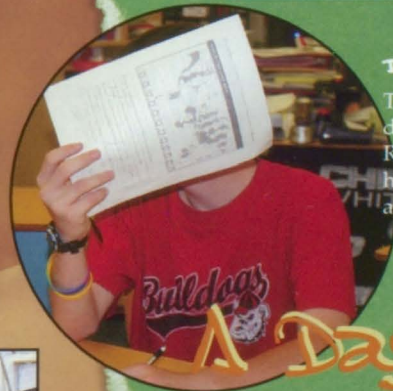
Do your hair.

Shaneise uses the latest in mirror technology to make sure every hair is in place.



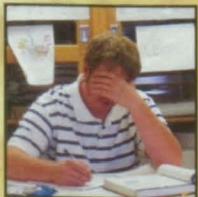
Participate in class.

Natalya Weber talks over... I mean answers Mr. Pape.



Deny the picture.

The camera is an everyday dilemma to some. Here Ryan Scott resourcefully uses his homework in order to avoid the paparazzi.



Study hard, Vincent!



No use hiding your smile, Bjorn.



Mariah Priddy spends a little part of her day smiling.



Leann Morris and Anna Froese do a little cooking.

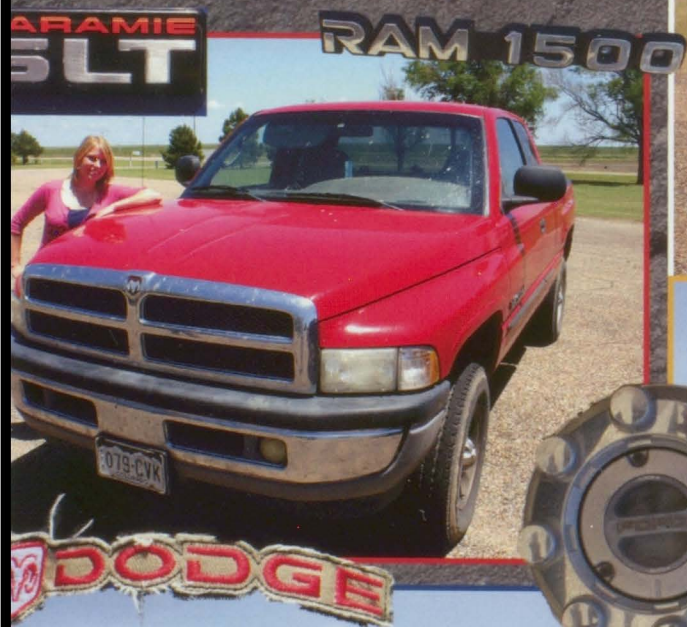
A Day in The Life of A Student

HOT RUNS OF PHS

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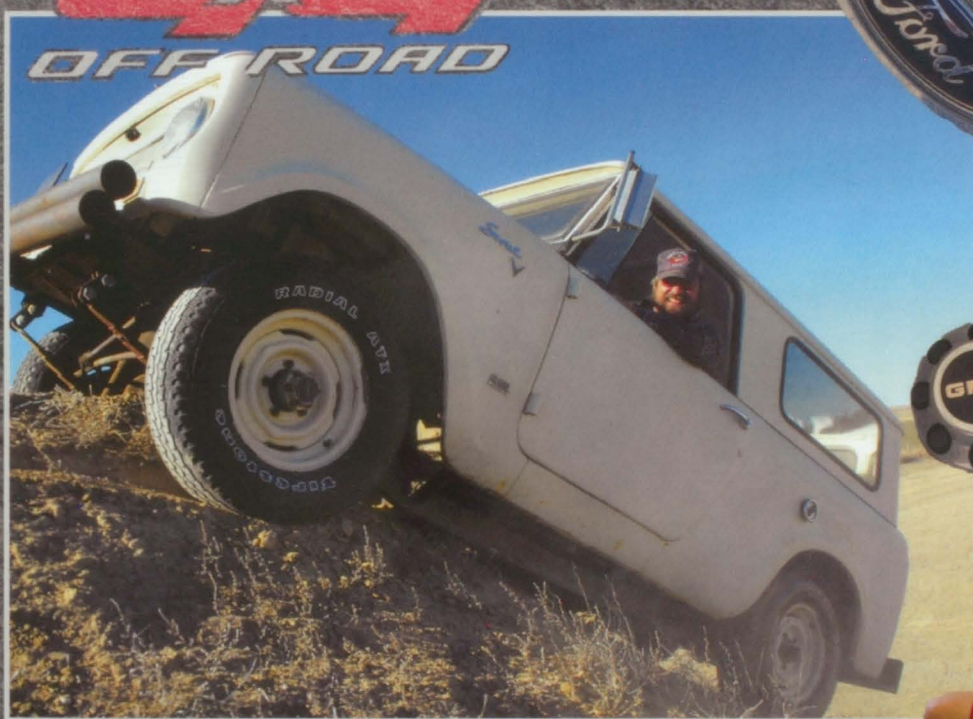


Top right: Who's the guy in the shades? Why it's Mr. Pape (circa 1983) and his high school ride, a 1977 Ford Mustang. Right: Vincent with his (dad's) 1998 GMC Sierra. Below: Lauren leans on her 2001 Dodge Ram 1500. Far Bottom: Kirby sits on his 1999 Dodge Ram 1500 after climbing a hill. Below Right: One of Plainview's new school buses, a ride which the majority of the students take to and from school.





4x4
OFF ROAD



Far Top: Vincent poses with his dad's 1980 Chevrolet Diesel pickup. Top Right: Kirby shows how his 1964 Chrysler New Yorker can spin the wheels. Above: David Crownover stops at the top of a hill with Garrett's 1967 International Scout. Right: Steven Chuma drives his five-wheel drive, leather interior, souped up chair. Below: Joanna Specht lies across the hood of her trusty 1997 Lincoln Towncar.

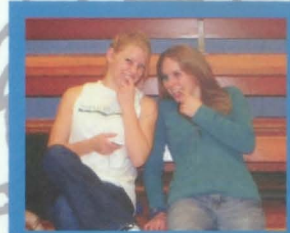


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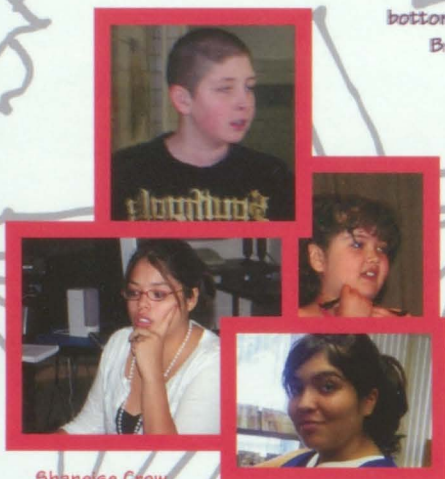
The Wagners (top-bottom): Christy, Hope, Bryce, Andrew, and Justin.



Mikayla and Alex Schmidt



Lauren and Natalya Weber



Shaniese Crow, Jordan Trujillo, Justin Rodriguez, and Kayden Moser.

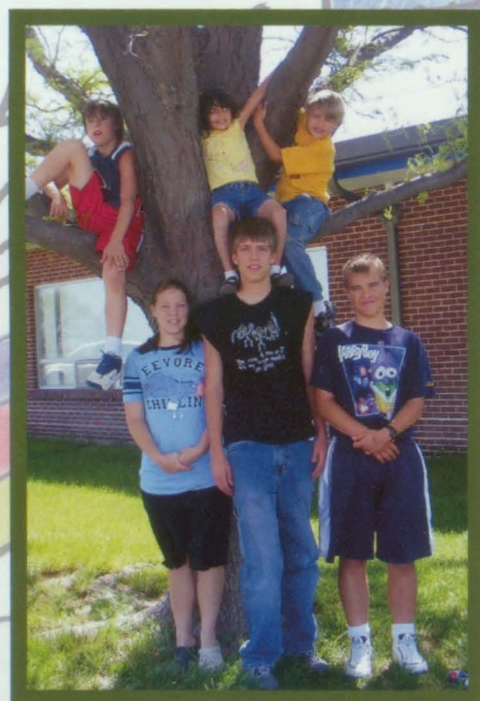


JoAnna and Dawn Beightel

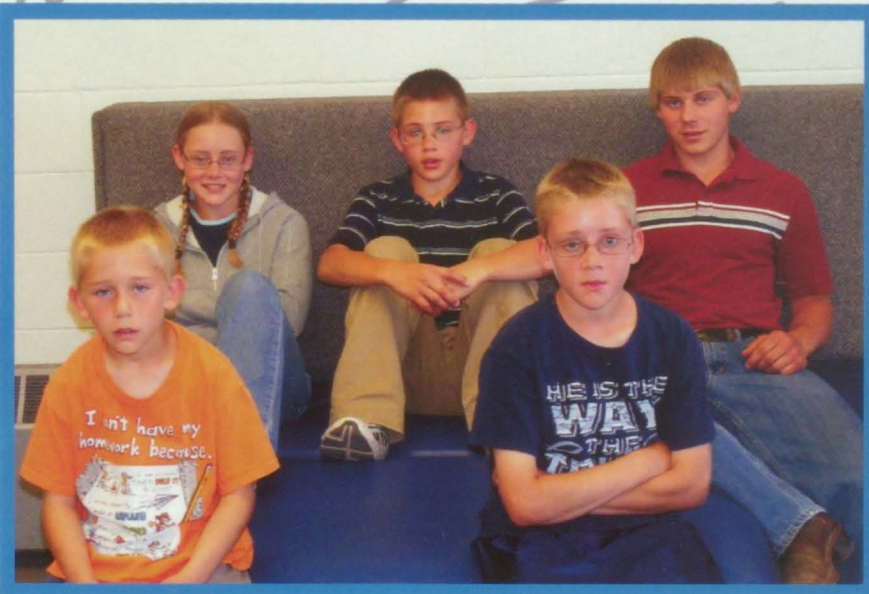


Krystle Chuma, Cameron Holmes, Steven Chuma, William Holmes, and Collin Holmes

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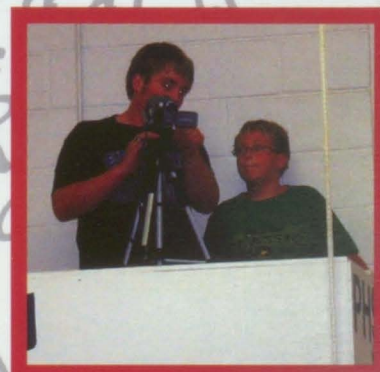
Thomas, Paige, Olivia, Jason, Grant, and Luke Specht



James, Mercy, Joel, Timothy, and Daniel Lehman

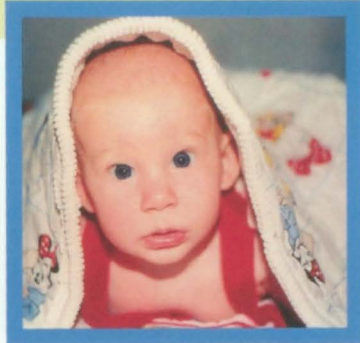


Kirby and Garrett Crownover



Vincent and Ryan Koeller

Pssst... there's more where this came from



Left: Joanna Specht tries on her daddy's hat...I think it might be a little big. **Top:** Are you talkin to me? Kirbi Stum looks slightly startled.

Right: 'Did you say 'candy?!' Kirby Crownover smiles big for the camera.

Far Top right: Lauren Weber seems awfully excited about something--

Far Lower Right: Kathy Specht and her mother wandering the garden.



Left: Garrett Crownover was ornery even at a young age--here he is sitting on some wicker chair talking away.

Far left: Mr. Pape at four and a half months--so it's official--Mr. Pape was cute at one time--**and** had a good hair day on February 15, 1965. All we can say is that apparently, the sixties weren't all bad.

Bottom Left: Ms. Fees gets a little help from her dad as she is given her first lesson on fishing and no doubt correcting everyone's grammar even back then.

Bottom Middle: 'I didn't do it! Honest!' Vincent Koeller gives the camera an innocent look. **Bottom Right:** Bjorn von Dressler is excited about his afternoon snack.



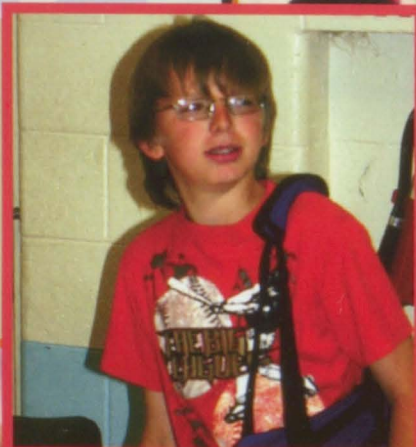
"24 equals MC squared."

-Kaylee Wilson



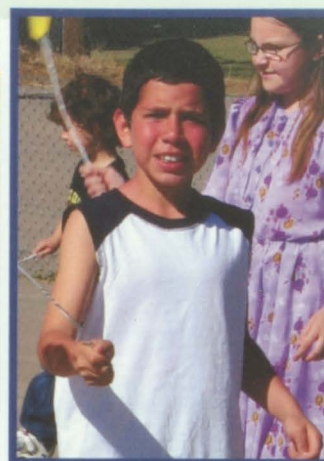
"A closed mouth is what Garrett should have."

-Seth Splitter



"The only thing we have to fear is bigfoot."

-Jared Wanderlingh



"The road to school is paved with good intentions."

-Bobby Morris



"All is fair in school and recess."

- Nicholas Crum



"A friend in fire is a friend indeed."

-Kayla Wanderlingh



This year the Journalism Class handed out surveys to the elementary students with instructions to fill-in-the-missing-word on some popular and some not-so-popular sayings. These are some of the humorous and interesting responses we received. We hope you enjoy reading them as much as we did.

"A penny for gumsticks."

-Hope Wagner

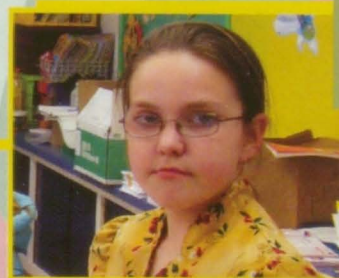
"A drowning man is not bothered by taxes."

-Tim Lehman



"Fourscore and seven months ago..."

- Eva Froese



"Nick is not to blame for two people falling in love."

- Dennis Miller



KIDS SAY THE DARNDEST THINGS!



More to Know About Us... Most Likely To / Best

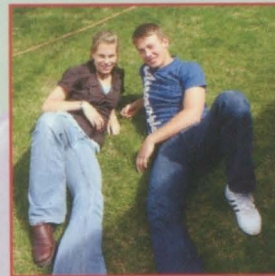
Most Likely To Marry a Celebrity
Daniel Lehman and Shaneise Crow

Best Dressed
*Bjorn vonDressler and
 Joanna Specht*

Best Grades
*Vincent Koeller and
 Joanna Specht*



Best Singing Voice
*Vincent Koeller and
 Joanna Specht*



Best Personality
*Kirbi Stum and JoAnna
 Beightel*

Prettiest Eyes
*Daniel Lehman and
 Lauren Weber*



Funniest Laugh
*Garrett Crounover
 and Shaneise Crow*

Best Looking
*Bjorn vonDressler and
 Kirby Crounover*

Cutest Couple
*Kirbi Stum and
 Shaneise Crow*

**Best
 Manners**
*Daniel and
 Mercy Lehman*

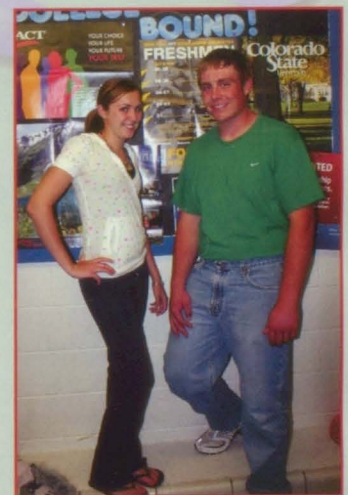
**Most Likely To
 Trip**
*Garrett Crounover
 and Lauren Weber*

This year the Journalism class decided to conduct a survey to see how the students rate. We asked students to give us their impression about who was either the most likely to do something—either now or in the future, or who was the 'best' in some random category. These were the individuals cited the most in these categories.

Most Competitive
*Vincent Koeller
 and Natalya Weber*

Best Hair
*Bjorn vonDressler
 and Joanna
 Specht*

**Most Likely To
 Have More than
 6 Kids**
*Jason Specht and
 Jordan Trujillo*



**Most Likely To
 Succeed**
*Vincent Koeller and
 Kirby Crounover*

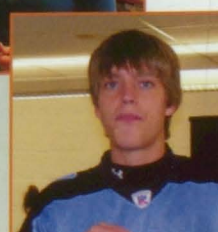
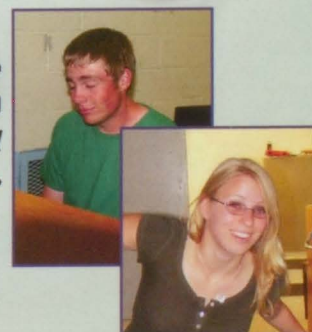
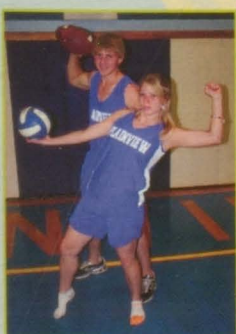
Most Outstanding Smile
Jason Specht and JoAnna Beightel

**Most Likely to be
 Bald by Age 30**
*Vincent Koeller and
 Lauren Weber*

**Kindest and
 Most Outgoing**
*Kirbi Stum and
 Mikayla Schmidt*

**Most Likely To Be a
 Millionaire and Most
 Likely To Live
 Beyond 100**
Jason Specht and Lauren Weber

Most Athletic
*Daniel Lehman
 and Lauren Weber*



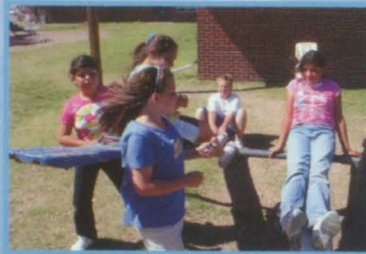
Pssst... Wanna Come Play With Us?



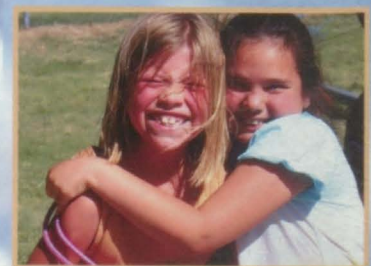
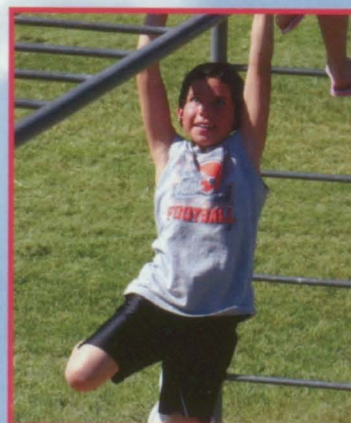
Above: Athena Crum Takes a break at the end of the slide.

Far Right: Ethan Foley drives the lane. Middle: Jacob Foley shows Kaylee Wilson he doesn't need a swing. AT Right: Jennifer, Cameron, Ryan, and Leann play on the Teeter-Totter. Below (l-r):

Stephanie, Nicholas, and Benji play on the Tennis court and Gabbi, Elizabeth, Amber, Ky, and Rooney Take a rest on the merry-go-round.



(L-R): Kayla gives the camera a goofy grin; Leann Takes a break at recess; Bobby swings across the monkey bars; Olivia enjoys the break; and Gabbi gets a hug from Leann.



Elementary Playground Fun



Far Left: Lydia crosses the monkey bars. Middle: Alex, Benjamin, and Ky get ready to go down the slide. Above Left: Everyone lines up before going inside. AT Left: Curiosity draws quite a few to watch a hole being dug. Below (l-r): Kaylee and Lydia see who can swing the highest; and Rooney, Benjamin, and Friends play in the white tire.



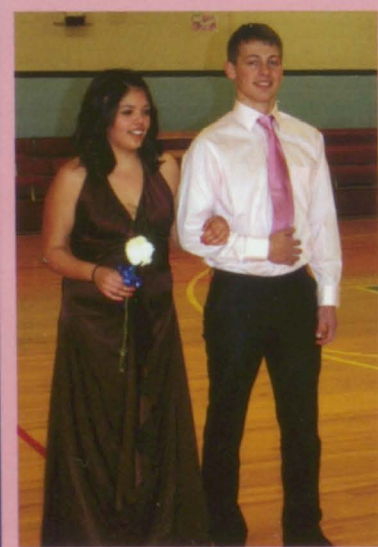
(L-R): Jacob and Nicholas play a little basketball during recess; Stephen dreams of playing for the Nuggets; and Jacob shows his climbing skills off to the rest of his classmates.



More To...



LEFT: OUR HOMECOMING KING, (JASON SPECHT) QUEEN, (KIRBY CROWNVER) RING BEARER (ROONEY FEHR) AND FLOWER GIRL (AMBER KOPASZ) POSE AFTER CORONATION.



TOP RIGHT: KIRBY CROWNVER, MIKAYLA SCHMIDT, NATALYA WEBER AND JOANNA SPECHT LAUGH AS THEY WATCH FELLOW TEAMMATE LAUREN WEBER TRYING TO GIVE A SPEECH AT THE HOMECOMING PEP RALLY.

LEFT: JUNIOR ROYALTY SHANEISE CROW AND BJORN VON DRESSLER SMILE FOR THE CROWD DURING THE HOMECOMING CEREMONY.



FAR RIGHT: THE WINNING HOMECOMING "TEAM" DURING HOMECOMING ACTIVITIES SHOWS HOW WELL THEY POSE TOGETHER.

MIDDLE: "LEPRECHAUN" NATALYA WEBER AND "CUPID" MIKAYLA SCHMIDT SHOWED THEIR HOMECOMING SPIRIT.

RIGHT: FRESHMAN JOANNA BEIGHTEL AND JUNIOR KIRBI STUM

Psst... it's



ABOVE: LAUREN WEBER WATCHES AS MIKAYLA SCHMIDT "BLINDLY" PUTS MAKEUP ON THE UNSUSPECTING AND UNDERSTANDABLY ANXIOUS JOANNA BEIGHTEL DURING FRESHMEN INITIATION ACTIVITIES.



TOP RIGHT: JOANNA BEIGHTEL APPLIES SOME BLUE EYE SHADOW AND IS ABOUT TO "BRUSH UP" ON HER MAKEUP-APPLYING SKILLS WITH THE HELP OF A MUCH TOO HAPPY MIKAYLA SCHMIDT DURING INITIATION.

RIGHT: NATALYA WEBER SPITS WATER INTO THE CUP, TRYING TO HELP HER TEAM TO BE THE FIRST ONES TO MAKE THE PING PONG BALL FLOAT OVER THE TOP OF THE CUP.



LEFT: NATALYA WEBER SHOWS OFF HER NEW "LOOK" TO THE PLAINVIEW FAITHFUL. **MIDDLE:** NATALYA WEBER, MIKAYLA SCHMIDT, AND JOANNA BEIGHTEL POSE WITH THEIR NEW FRIEND—THE DUMMY FOR THE BONFIRE. **RIGHT:** MIKAYLA SCHMIDT LOOKS BEAUTIFUL, DOESN'T SHE?





LEFT: STEPHEN WILSON, RYAN KOELLER, AND TY WILSON ENJOY MAKING COOKIES FOR THE THANKSGIVING DINNER.

4H Fair



FAR LEFT: ZACH DOYLE AND STEPHEN WILSON ARE WAITING PATIENTLY TO PRESENT THEIR PROJECTS TO THE SCHOOL. LEFT: THE SHERIDAN LAKE LIVEDIERS ARE PROUD OF THEIR AWARD WINNING FLOAT.



FAR LEFT: KAYLEE WILSON TELLS THE OTHER 4H KIDS HOW TO PUT THE FROSTING ON THE COOKIES. LEFT: ZANE SCHROEDER CLOWNS AROUND WITH HIS "BALLOON" BOYTIE DURING THE ST. PATRICK'S POTLUCK.



ABOVE: THE 4H KIDS PRESENT THEIR PROJECTS—RANGING FROM WOODWORKING TO CAKE DECORATING TO "DECORATING THEIR DUDS" TO A CAPTIVE AUDIENCE IN THE SCHOOL GYM.



ABOVE: KARA WILSON ENJOYS THE COOKIES THE 4H KIDS JUST FINISHED MAKING—WE HOPE SHE SHARED.



ABOVE: RYAN SCOTT GETS OUT THE TOWEL IN ORDER TO GET HIS FELLOW "4HERS" TO WORK AT THE CONCESSION STAND DURING THE KIOWA COUNTY FAIR.



ABOVE: STEPHEN WILSON AND HIS MARKET SVINE



ABOVE: VINCENT KOELLER AND HIS MARKET SVINE

Break Time!



Cafeteria

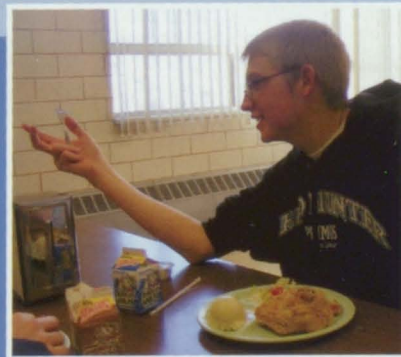


Above: Jason Specht sits on Shaneise Crow trying to kill her but at the same time save her shoes--trust us, that is what he is trying to do. Left: Shaneise Crow, Natalya Weber, and Jordan Trujillo waiting for the bell to ring. Below Right: Garrett Crowover enjoying a good game of pool. Below: An empty "couch" in the student lounge means "nappytime" for Kirby Crowover.



Student Lounge

Below Left: Daniel Lehman waits patiently for his turn to play pool. Below Right: Hurry! Kirby Crowover and Joanna Specht have to finish their homework for the next class--and the student lounge is just the place to get the job done.

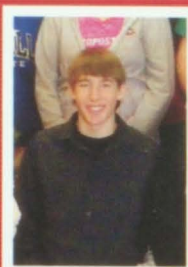


Left: Garrett Crowover is telling one of his never-ending stories while other people want to eat. Below: Thank you to our lunch ladies Barb Wanderlingh and Sharon Scott shown here cleaning up the kitchen after yet another day of feeding the students and staff of Plainview School.





President
Vincent Koeller



Vice-President
Kirbi Shum



Secretary
Joanna Specht



Sponsor
Ms. Greenfield

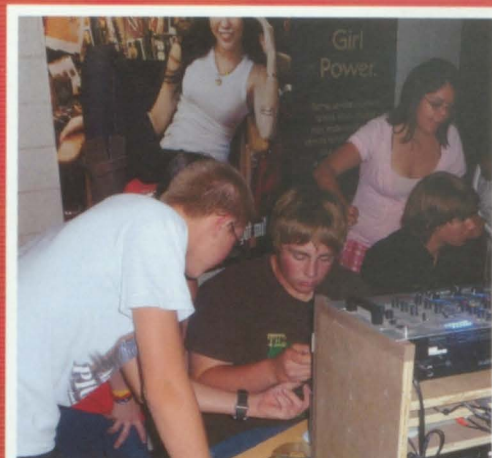
STUDENT COUNCIL



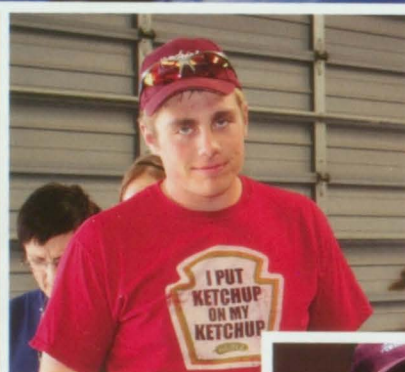
Left: Is this movie ever going to start? The high schoolers wait anxiously for the show.

Right: Garrett shows Vincent which song he should play next.

Below: The elementary enjoys the community barbecue which STUCO helps with.



▲ The attendees of the Fall Fling attempt to play Twister.



Above: Vincent pauses to ask, "Is this photo really necessary?" Right: Vincent, Shades Koeller and Kirbi Cool Man Shum stare down the camera at the barbecue.



▲ Alyssa Splitter shows how crazy the party got at Student Council's Fall Fling dance.



▶ Everyone seems to be very interested in whatever movie is playing. Garrett Crownever gets his pillow in place for the show.



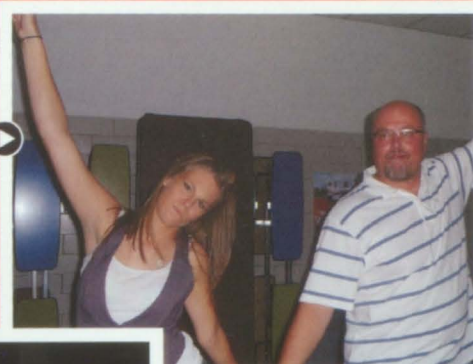
▶ The high school finally gets to go through the line at the community barbecue.

DANCES AND PARTIES

At Right: Jordan Trujillo and sister Shanelse Crow attempt a line dance.

At far right: Bjorn and Lauren prove to be quite stunning as they dance the night away.

At right: Joanna and Mr. Pape are getting down at the Fall Fling, proving once again that disco is indeed not dead.



At Right: The attendants of the 2009 Homecoming Dance pose for the camera (back row left to right): Vincent Koeller, Jason Specht, Issao Wilson, Bjorn von Dressler, Garrett Crownover, Daniel Lehman, Jose Moreno, and Kirby Stum; (girls back row): JoAnna Beightel, Joanna Specht, Kirby Crownover, Shanelse Crow; (girls front row): Natalie Weber, Katie Sanders, Alex Rodriguez, and (lying down in front) Jonathan Splitter.

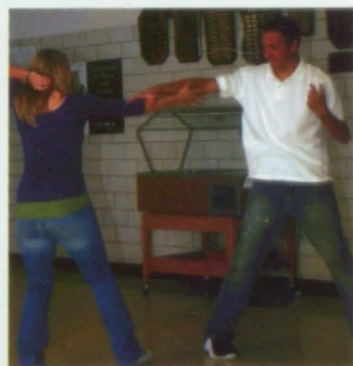
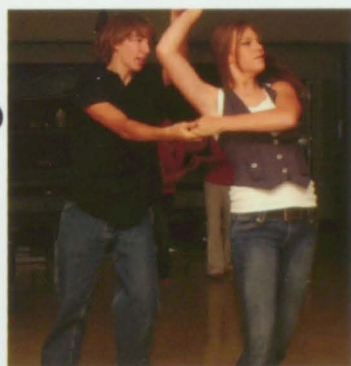


At Left: Katelyn Wanderlingh and Alyssa Splitter get "funky" at the dance.

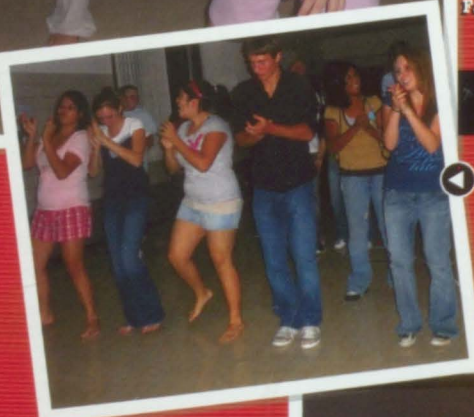
Pro's vs. Joe's:

At Right: Kirby Stum and Joanna Specht demonstrate the correct way to swing dance.

Far Right: Keaton Lang and Lauren Weber are poorly attempting...something



At Left: The whole gang attending the Fall Fling get together for a group line dance.



Dancing at Last. Homecoming Queen Kirby Crownover at long last convinces "dance-holdout" Vincent Koeller to "enthusiastically" agree to a slow dance with "royalty."



At left: Homecoming King and Queen Jason Specht and Kirby Crownover glance over at the camera during their special "royalty rumba."



At right: Kirby, Joanna, and Jordan are singing to the tunes in the Karoke spirit of the evening during the Fall Fling.

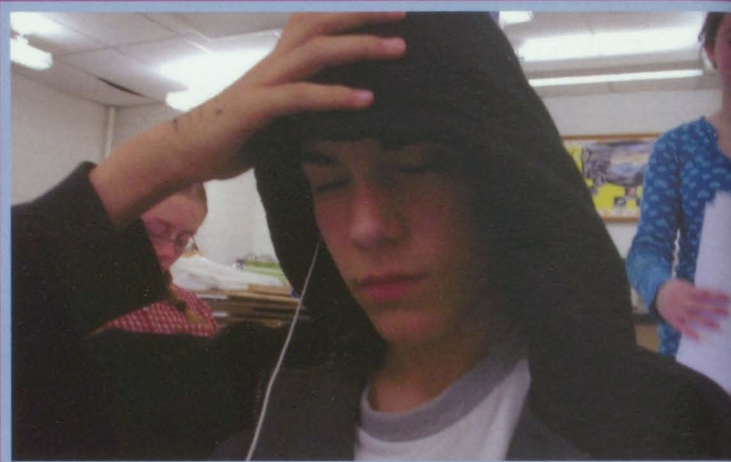
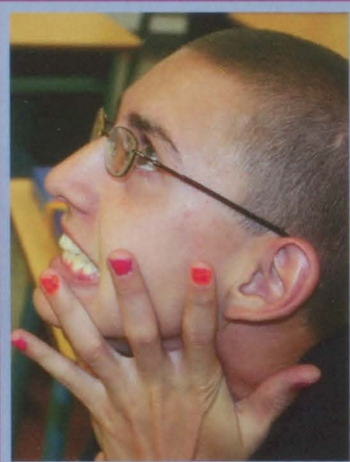


Peet...



This is our Fashion :)

Top row (l-r): Kirby models the "shorts and two-toned cowboy boots" look, while Bjorn shows off the very popular Aeropostale brand. Right: Steven shows off his brand-new painted nails, and Collin looks relaxed in his hoodie as he listens to music, a part of every student's wardrobe. Below (l-r): Amber shows off her wacky hair-do--"Early American Feather Duster"; Jason, Shaneise, and Joanna model their "stylish" plaid shorts; and Shay shows off her "Red" shoes.



Below (l-r): Jason seems to flaunt his "jersey and leather jacket" look for the camera, Kirby shows us the bottom of her boots, and Austin looks cool in his leather jacket.



CAUTION:
Crash Sites



Uh-Oh... Don't Try This

What Not to Eat or Do

CAUTION:
Crash Sites



General Words of Advice

"Brush your teeth and wear deodorant."

"Do not laugh while drinking."

"Engage your brain before opening your mouth."

"Remember that unless you are home alone, someone else is watching."

"Food comes before men. Be yourself."

"Don't laugh with pudding in your mouth."

"Don't make noises and chew with your mouth closed."

Personal Experiences

This year the Journalism Class asked students and teachers what they would not recommend doing or eating. These are the results of the survey. We received many interesting responses. (The people in the pictures aren't necessarily the ones who made these klutzy moves; in other words, we have changed the faces and deleted the names to protect the "innocent.")

Don't Put This in Your Mouth



"Do not eat sauerkraut -- it's disgusting."

"Tripe is not a good thing to eat. I tried it -- only one bite." Mushrooms are totally gross. "Squid... is not meant to be consumed, at least not by yours truly."

Liver is the "grossest thing I've ever seen someone consume. It's nasty."

"I ran into a pole one time and had a big bruise on my head."

"I fell off my ladder and broke my leg."

"Once I ran into the wall during basketball practice for absolutely no reason."

"I fell up the stairs and split my knee open."

"I went to open a door and hit myself in the face with it."

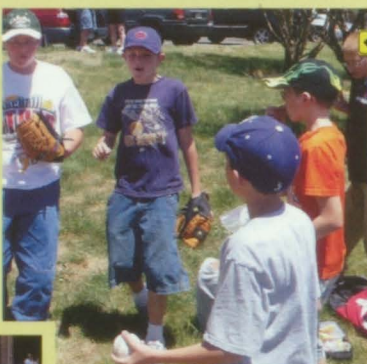
"I tripped up my front step."



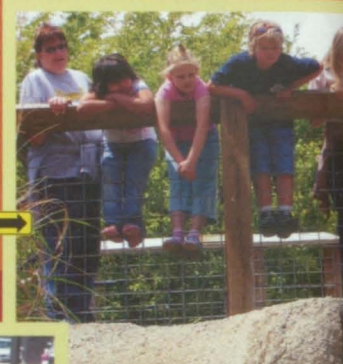
Elementary Fieldtrips...The Places We Go



Kayla Wanderlingh, Kaylee Wilson, Dennis Miller, Bobby Morris, Zane Schroeder, and Nicholas Crum pose in front of the elephants at the Garden City Zoo during a springtime field trip.



Ryan Koeller, Zach Doyle, Seth Splitter, and Stephen Wilson get ready to play catch before a Sky Sox game. Mrs. Carney, Kayden Moser, Anna Froese, Zane Schroeder, and Mrs. Lehman see something amusing at the zoo.



Seth Splitter, Joel Lehman, Ryan Koeller, Zach Doyle, Benji Davis, and Stephen Wilson at the Sky Sox game.



Seth Splitter throws the ball to a fellow classmate outside the Sky Sox stadium before the start of the game.



Athena Crum, Dennis Miller, and Lydia Splitter appear to be trapped in a cage at the zoo.

Seth shows Joel what he found.



Seth Splitter, Joel Lehman, Ryan Koeller, Zach Doyle, Mr. Wilson, and Stephen Wilson wait in line to get tickets at the Sky Sox game.



Kayla Wanderlingh poses with the giraffe.

Ryan Koeller tries to convince a Sky Sox player to part with a baseball in between innings--it worked!



Seth Splitter spins the Sky Sox prize wheel after the ballgame.

Ryan Koeller watches the action intently--hoping for a home team victory.

Seth Splitter and Joel Lehman watch the Colorado Springs Sky Sox play host to the Omaha Royals.

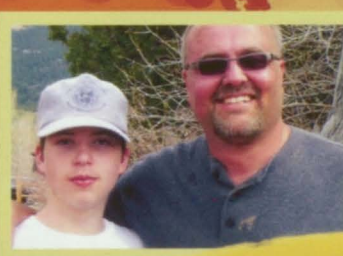
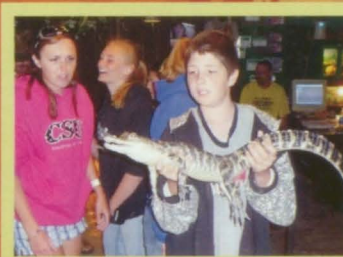
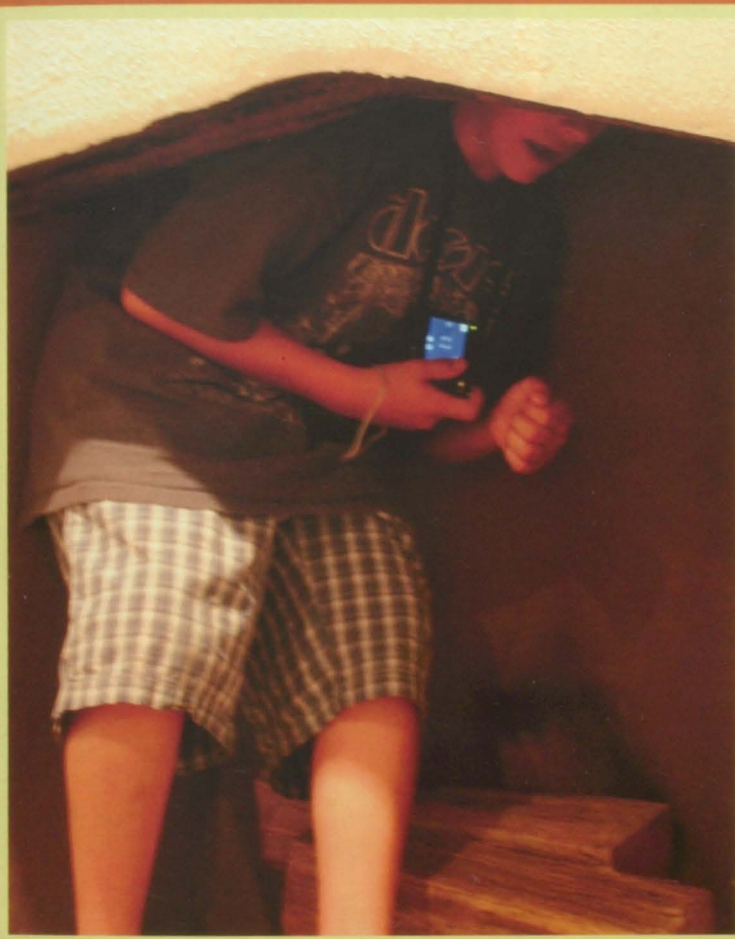




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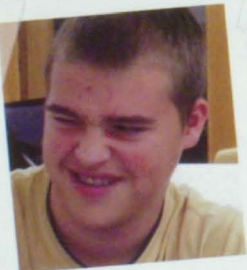
to Alamosa



The Plainview junior high and high school went on a two-day field trip to The Great Sand Dunes National Park near Alamosa. While there we took in an alligator farm, a mushroom farm, and Fort Garland. We had a little bus trouble but all-in-all it was a great time-rolling down the sand dunes was a blast! They say a picture is worth a thousand words-so this page should be a real conversation-starter for anyone who went. Thanks to all who donated their time, efforts, and resources in order to make it possible-we greatly appreciate it.



More To Smile About...



School Pics Tomorrow

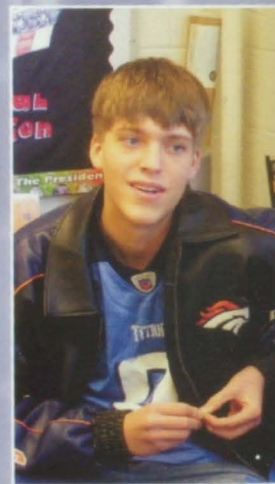
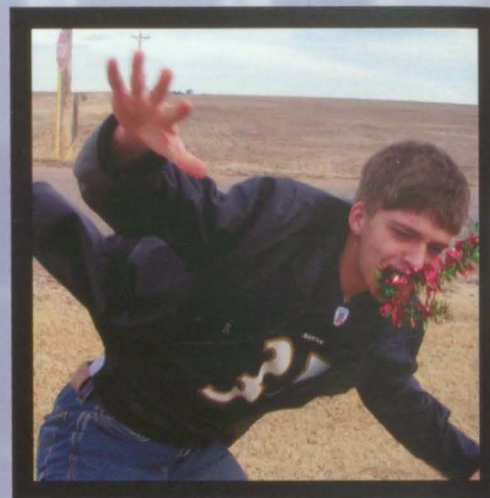


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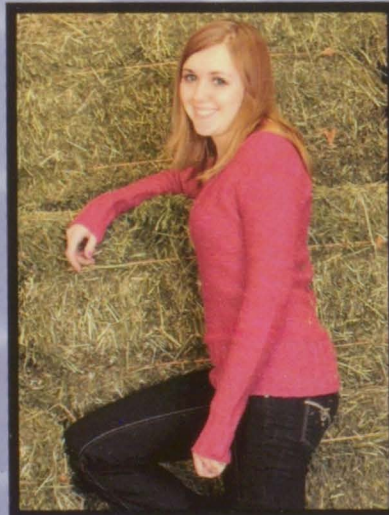


Psst... There's more to come!

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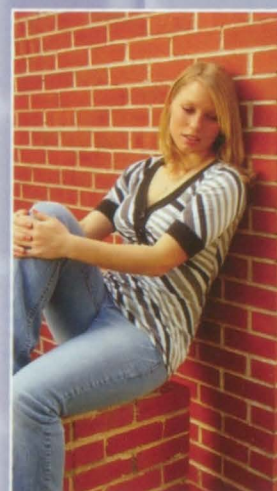
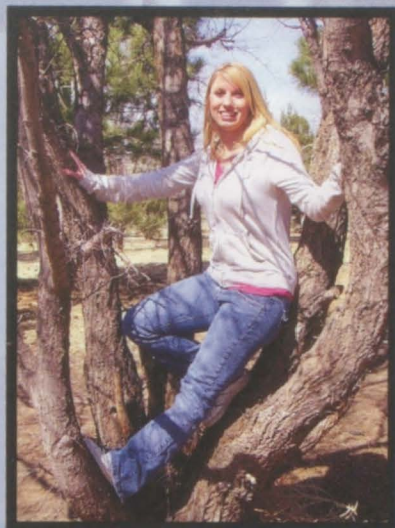


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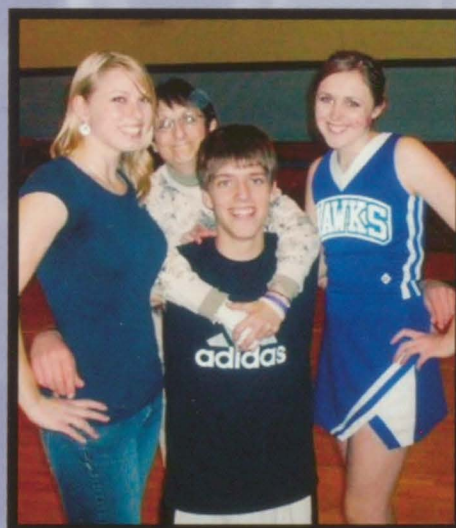


LAUREN

Weber



Miss Fees



Class of 2009

Class of 2010

The Study Six



**Shaneise
Crow**



**Vincent
Koeller**



**Dan
Lehman**



**Joanna
Specht**



**Kirbi
Stum**



**Bjorn von
Dressler**

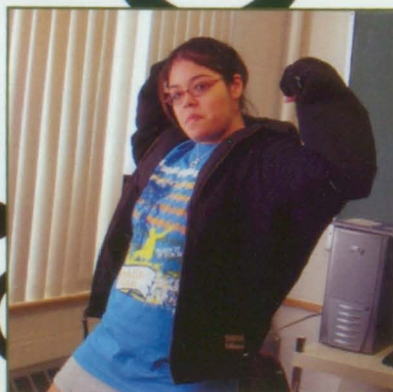


**Mr. Pape
Sponsor**



**Steven
Chuma**

Below: Jo looks amused at a pep rally. Below Middle: Daniel gives the camera the evil eye as he works on the sign. Below Far Left: Shay shows off her guns to the camera and the class. Below Mr. Pape: Kirbi threatens the life of the picture popper. Left: The Junior Class of 2010.





Paige
Specht



Garrett
Crowner



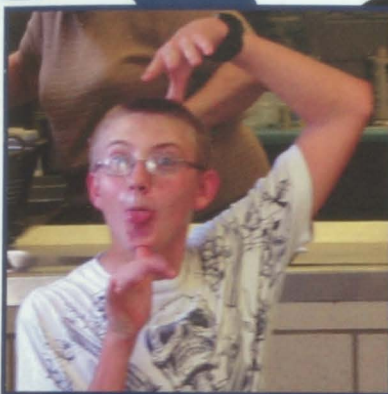
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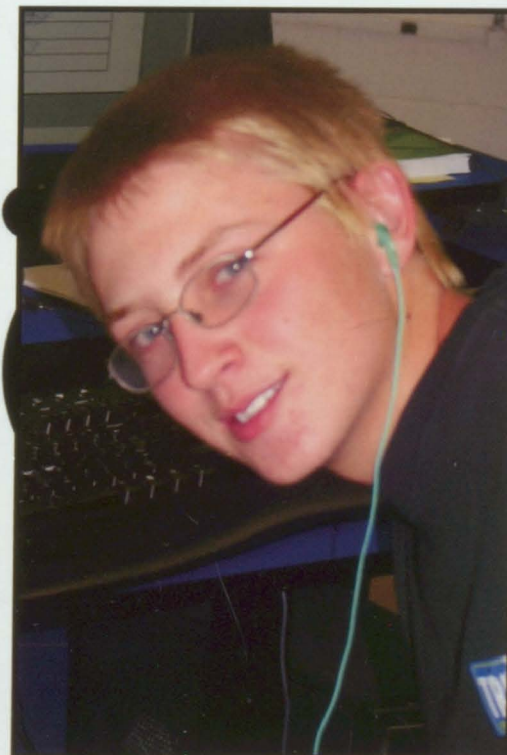
Krystle
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Mr. Hamilton
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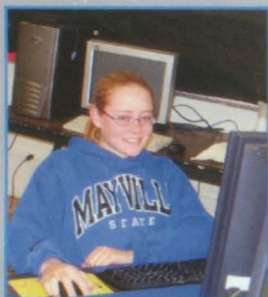


Above (l-r): Garrett is... being Garrett. Paige looks like she didn't like her drink very much. Amber sleeps and listens to music at the same time—film at eleven. Garrett gets ready to take a picture. *Right:* Krystle Chuma plays a game of pool during break. *Far Right:* Paige Specht looks a little nervous before giving her speech. *Bottom:* Amber Frank is bored during another one of Mr. Pap's lectures. *Bottom Right:* Garrett Crowner tries to figure out what is wrong with his computer.



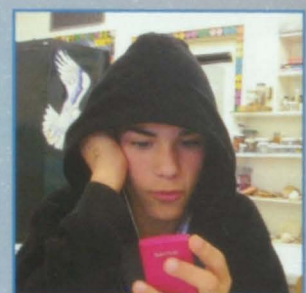
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The Freaky Freshmen

Class of 2012



Sponsor
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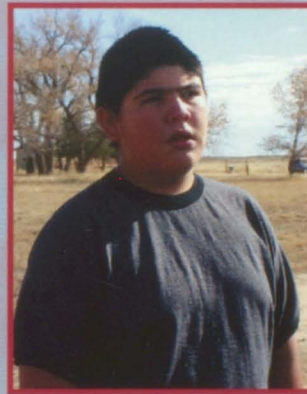
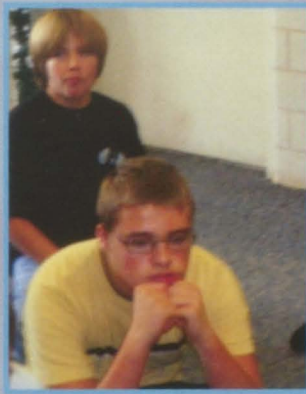
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Post...We're On Our Way

THE SEVENTH AND EIGHTH GRADE



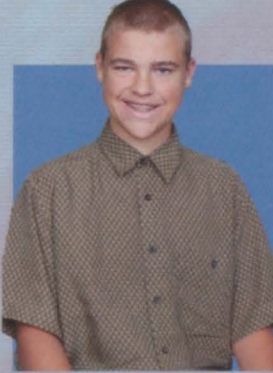
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Mr. Wilson



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Ojeda



Alyssa
Splitter



Katelyn
Wanderlingh



Sponsor
Mrs. Crow



The Young Uns



4th GRADE



Jared
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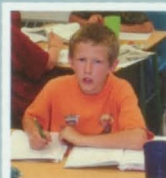
Stephanie
Ojeda



Cameron
Holmes

5th GRADE

Mrs.
Hopkins



Clockwise from above: Cameron, Ryan, and Stephanie play on the teeter-totters with a friend; Seth gives the camera "the eye" as he gets ready to play baseball; Justin pauses at his locker; (small four pics) Jared, Timothy, and Stephen work hard at their desks, while Cameron seems very happy not to; Seth tries to block Stephen's shot; Ryan eyes his opponent as he walks across the court; and Ethan, Hope, Ryan and Stephanie get ready to play a game of basketball.



Thomas
Specht



William
Holmes



Mariah
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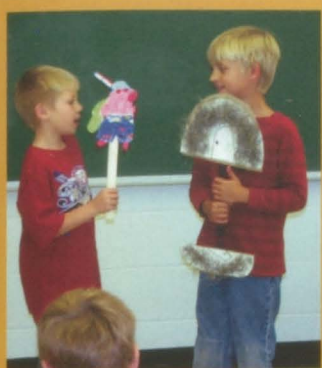
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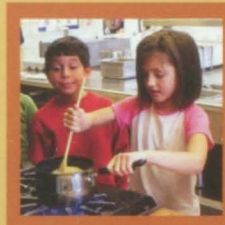
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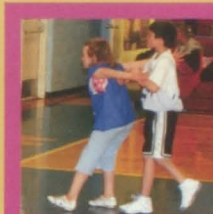
"Little Rascals"-- 2nd & 3rd Grade



Left: Grant Specht holds the little pigs house, while Benji Davis continues acting out the story for the other classes.



Left: Kayla Wanderlingh stirs the fudge mix while Bobby Morris waits with great anticipation.



Left: Lydia Splitter boxes out fourth grader Stephen Wilson during the elementary basketball game, in hopes of helping her team score some points.



Above: Zane Schroeder shows off his "stunna shades" on the bus.



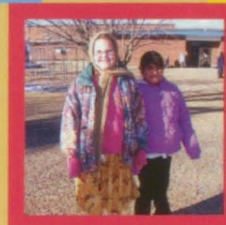
Left: Kaylee Wilson strikes a pose after showing off her amazing basketball skills in the Nuggets Challenge (which she takes 2nd in sectionals).



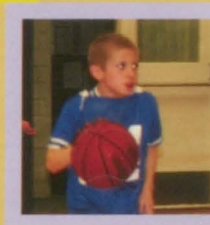
Left: Looking at his classmates, James Lehman enjoys his snack.



Left: The second and third graders pose with their helper, Kirby Crowover, for a picture during the Plainview Community Barbecue.



Left: Eva Froese and Jennifer Ojeda pause for the camera while at recess.



Above: Nicholas Crum looks at his teammates during the elementary basketball game.



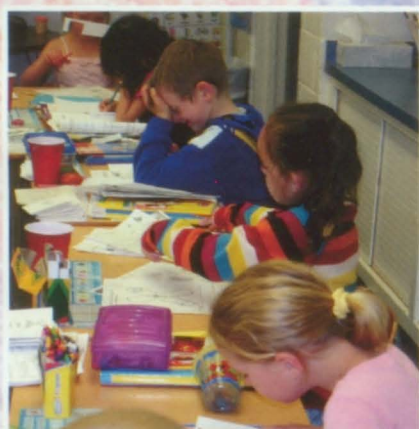
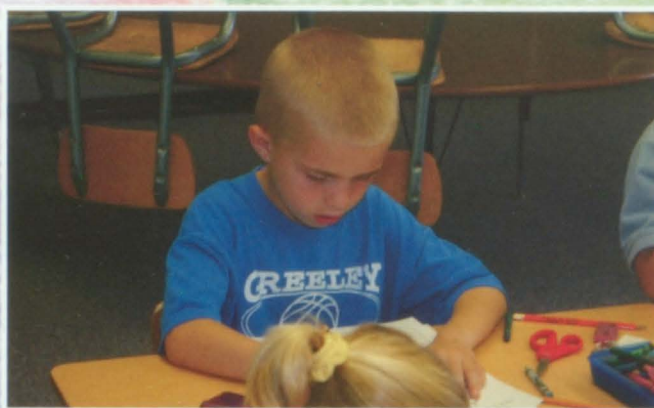
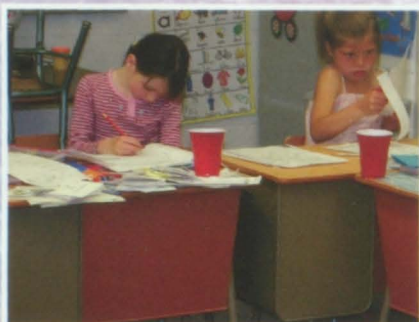
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Jacob Foley
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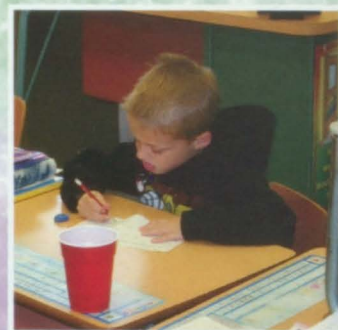
Zane Schroeder
Grant Specht
Lydia Splitter
Bryce Wagner
Ms. Greenfield



Kindergarten and 1st Grade



Top left: Savannah Stum works hard at her desk
 Top Middle: Rooney Fehr colors in a worksheet
 Top Right: Amber Kopasz pauses a moment to find the right answer.
 Left: Mrs Carney's class working hard
 Right: Alex Schmidt diligently works out a problem
 Below Left: Dakota Miller and Elisabeth Froese are determined to get their work done before recess
 Below: Japheth Frey puts his heart into his lesson
 Below Right: Mrs Carney's class listens for more instructions



Athens Crow



Japheth Frey



Dakota Miller



Kayden Moner



Alex Schmidt



Olson Spacht



Benjamin Splitter



Savannah Stum



Andrew Wagner



Rooney Fehr



Sally Foley



Elisabeth Froese



Amber Kopasz



Ky Kurtz



Mrs. Carney

Pre-school



Top left: Ty Wilson laughs during story time
 Top Middle: Kyndal Mozsek plays with Sox the Fox
 Top Right: Mrs. Kraft plays for tomorrow's lesson
 Left: The pre-schoolers listen to a story
 Right: The boys get ready to read a good book
 Bottom Left: Casy Stum helps Ashley Miller
 Bottom Middle: All of the pre-schoolers get their hands dirty and have fun at the same time
 Bottom Right: Kyndal Mozsek and Ashley Miller play dress-up with Kyndal's grandma



**Ashley
Miller**

**Kyndal
Mozsek**

**Casy
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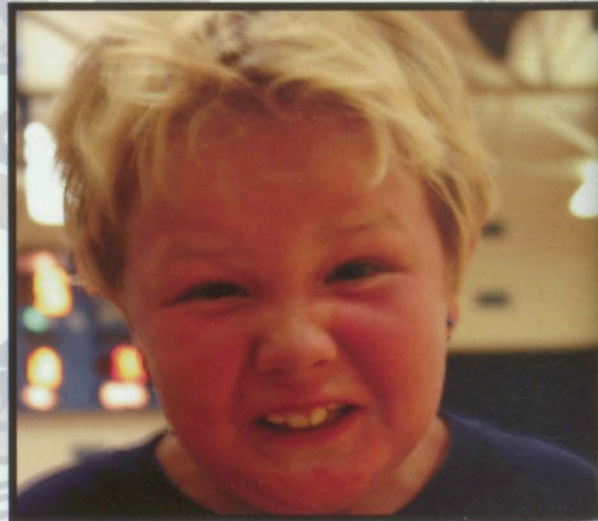
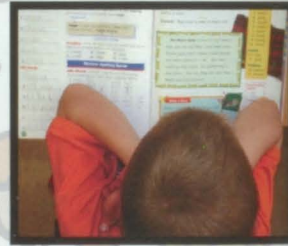
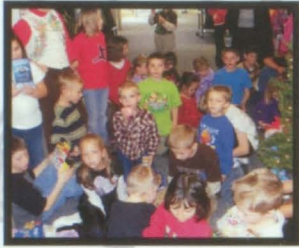
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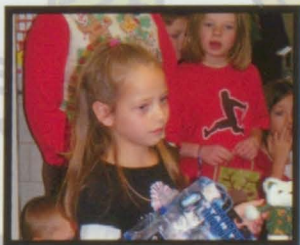
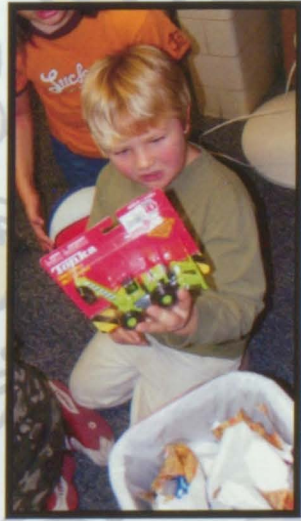
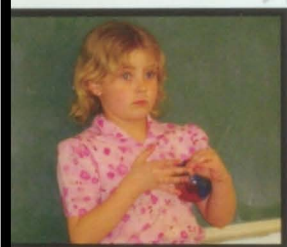
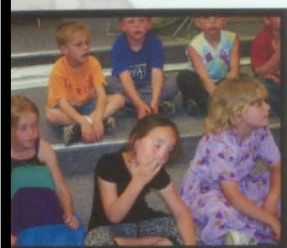
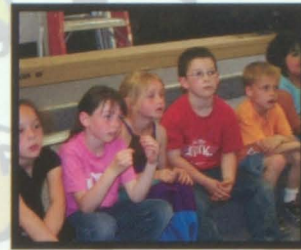
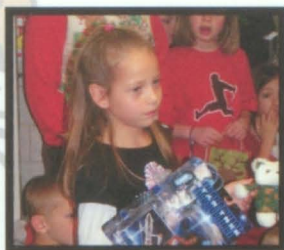
**Ty
Wilson**

Mrs. Kraft



Awww... Remember This?





Those Who Strive To Make Us More...



Jan Carney
Kindergarten/1st Grade



Mr. Garry Coulter
Superintendent



Jennifer Crow
Business/Computer/FBLA



Ruth Fees
English/Spanish/Newspaper



Brenda Fickenscher
Science/JH P.E./Coach



Susan Greenfield
2nd/3rd Grade



Marvin Hamilton
Math/JH Reading



Linda Hamilton
Title 1 Reading Instructor



Cheri Hopkins
4th/5th/Asst. Administrator



Tina Kraft
Pre-School



Thomas Pape
Social Studies/Yearbook/Reading



Jay Wilson
P.E./Coach/Shop



Sharon Wilson
Counselor



Garold Dolnos
Maintenance/Bus Driver



Zolpha Dolnos
Bookkeeper/Bus Driver



Katerina Fehr
Custodian



Sharon Scott
Assistant Cook



Barb Wanderling
Head Cook/Bus Driver





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Mrs. Fickenscher is happy that one of her students found the right answer.

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Mrs. Kraft reads Dr. Sues to her students.

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Sharon Scott flashes a smile while watching a volleyball game.



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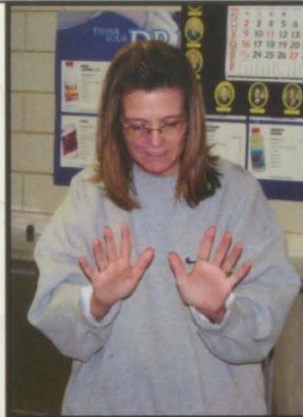
A rare photograph indeed: Mr. Pape teaches the day's lesson without a tie!

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Mrs. Wilson looks as if she is warming her hands over the fire in the cafeteria. What she is actually doing probably involves one of her children.

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Mrs. Crow attempts to help one of her students with a computer problem.



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Mr. Wilson is about to throw the ball he holds in his hand at the photographer, while his son Ty has his sights set on something else entirely.

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Ms. Fees doesn't seem very happy about the homework she is correcting.



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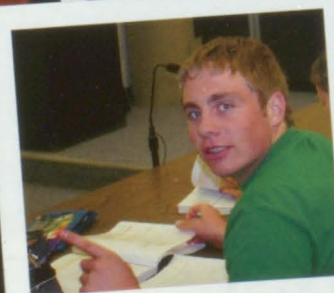
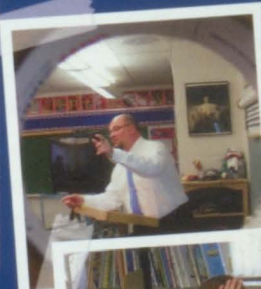
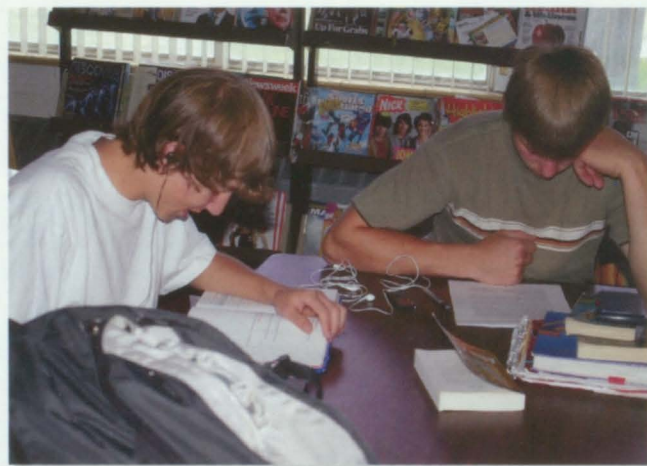
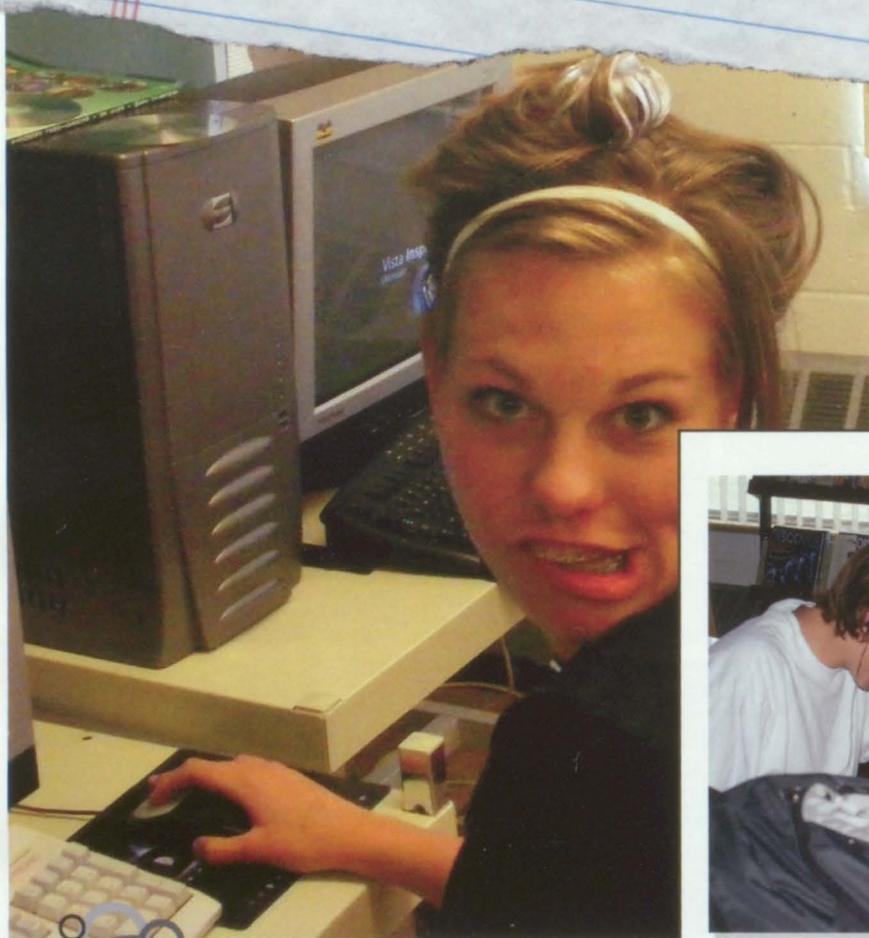
Mrs. Hopkins and Mr. Hamilton hand out awards to junior high and elementary students at the end of the school year..

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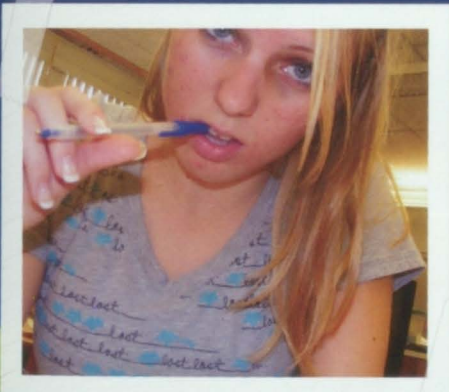
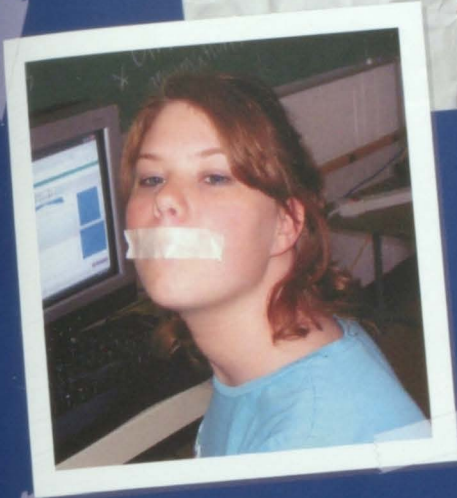
Ms. Greenfield watches Benji Davis as he stirs up something delicious in the kitchen.



More To Think About...



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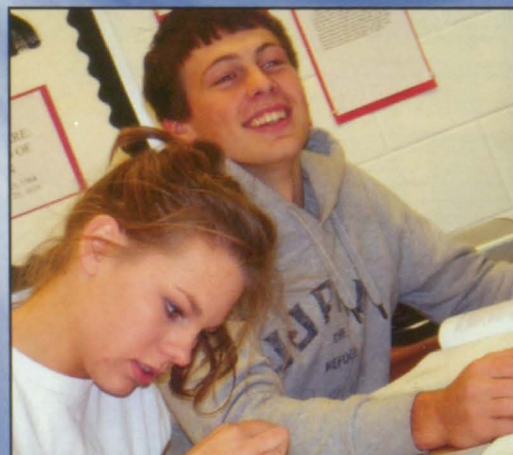
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The Languages We Speak

English and Spanish

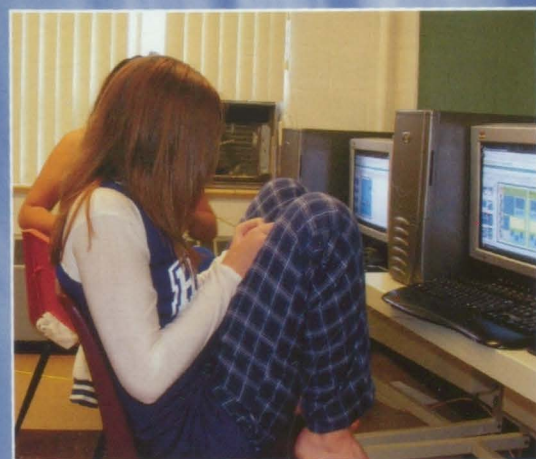


Top (l-r): Mercy Lehman shows off a rare smile in Ms. Fees's room; Paige Specht laughs at the story she's reading; Lauren Weber ponders whether or not she has the right answer; the Spanish I class collects candy after breaking their pinatas. *Top Right:* Mikayla, Mercy, and Jordan have fun breaking their pinata. *Above:* Bjorn works while Garrett stares down the camera man. *Far left:* Ms. Fees takes a picture of one of her many classroom activities. *Left:* Joanna works on homework and Bjorn laughs at something that was said.



The Class Behind This Book

Journalism



Top (l-r): Amber takes a break to glare at one of her classmates; Vincent 'Robot Eye' Koeller takes pictures; JoAnna Baightel works on one of her pages; and Joanna Specht gets yet another picture. Above Top: Mr. Pape seems to be praying that the yearbook gets done before July. Above: Kirby perfects one of her pages. Above Right: Vincent Koeller searches for the right cd while Bjorn takes his nap. Far Right: Lauren is intent on working on her page. Right: Kirbi looks at the camera before sitting down to get to work.

Advisor: Mr. Pape

Editors: Vincent Koeller, JoAnna Specht, and Lauren Weber

Staff: JoAnna Baightel, Steven Chuma, Kirby Crownover, Amber Frank, Daniel Lehman, Jason Specht, Kirbi Stum, and Bjorn von Dressler.





At Left: "Say 'ello to my lil'friend!" Joanna Specht shows us "Pebblez"-- her favorite classmate. **Below:** Mikayla Schmidt smiles right along with the frog's head she has just dissected. **Below Left:** The frog before it was decapitated. **Below Right:** Vincent Koeller displays his engineering skills in designing a rollercoaster. **Bottom Left Cutouts:** Vincent's "windcar"-- all he has to do is talk and off it goes! Freddy the Frog has seen better days--no thanks to the "blue-gloved one."



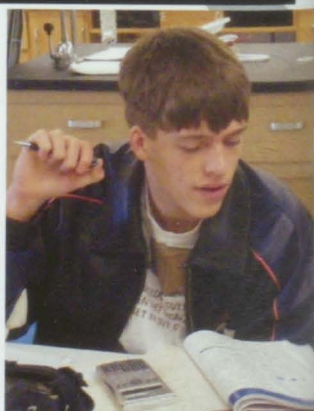
Mrs. Fickenscher explains what to do.



Kirbi Stum tries to stay awake.



Jordan and Paige get to work.



Jason Specht figures things out.



...More To Dissect, Build, Calculate, Analyze, Theorize, Hypothesize...



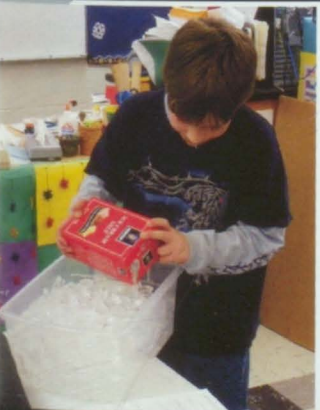
Austin Scott and liquid nitrogen.



Joel Lehman demonstrates gravity.



Kirbi Stum and his hovercraft.



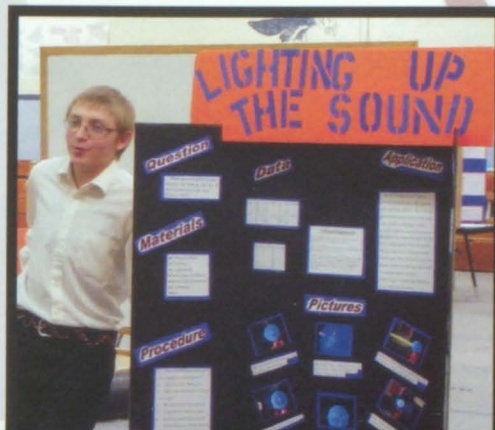
Thomas Specht tests his hypothesis.

At Right: Garrett Crowover answers questions about his light and sound science fair project that went to state.

Below: Plainview was well-represented at the Regional Science Fair in Lamar.

Bottom: Justin Rodriguez demonstrates what happens when root beer is combined with mentos.

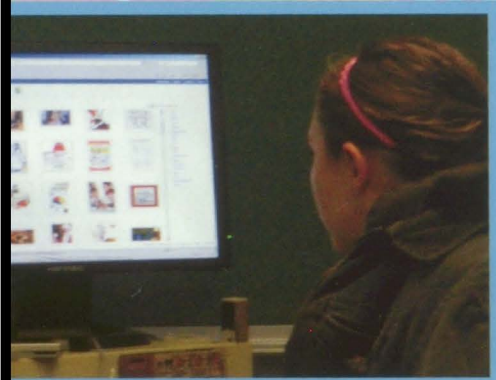
Bottom Right: Caynen Hansen shows off his science fair board and the certificate he was awarded for his experiment in "junc musik" (music made from junk).



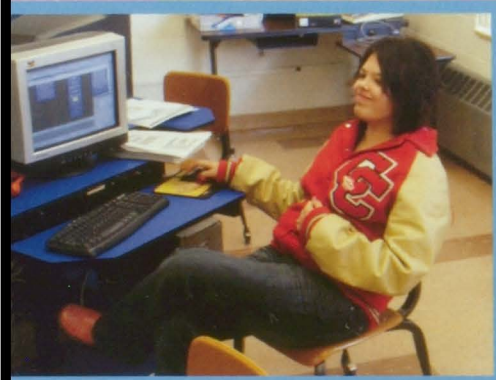
...Test, measure, demonstrate, explain, gather, construct...

COMPUTERS

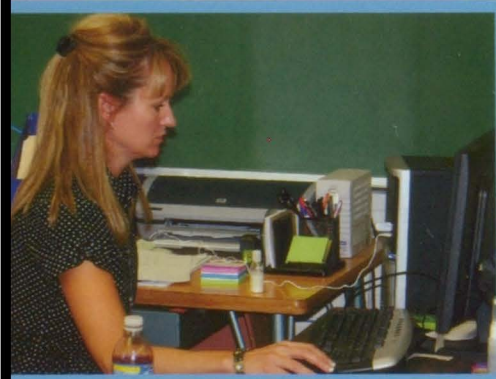
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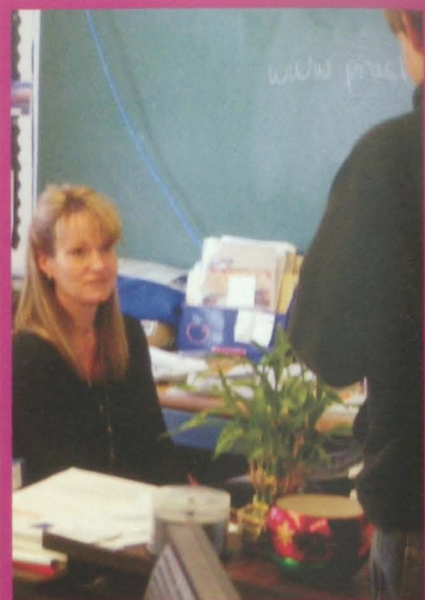
ABOVE: KIRBY CROWNOWER LOOKS ON THE WEB FOR INFORMATION.



ABOVE: SHAY IS KICKED BACK AND ENJOYING COMPUTER CLASS.



ABOVE: MRS. CROW WORKS HARD ON THE PHS WEBSITE, WHICH LOOKS GREAT!

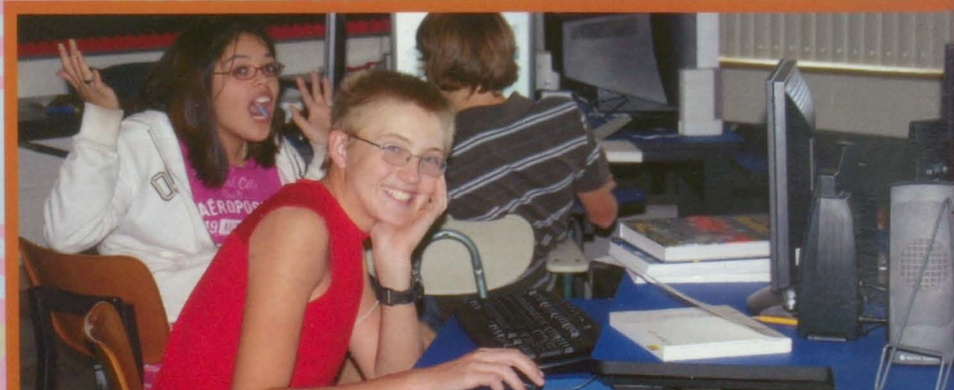


ABOVE LEFT: NATALYA WEBER ATTEMPTS TO PROTECT HER IDENTITY—HENCE THE HAND BLOCKING HER FACE—WHILE WORKING ON THE COMPUTER—WHILE AT THE SAME TIME MIKAYLA SCHMIDT PEEKS OVER HER.
ABOVE: MRS. CROW PATIENTLY ANSWERS ON OF HER STUDENTS' INQUIRIES.
LEFT: BJORN VON DRESSLER LOOKS TO HAVE TROUBLE WITH HIS COMPUTER.



RIGHT: PAIGE SPECHT WORKS HARD ON HER ASSIGNMENT IN COMPUTER CLASS.... OR IS SHE JUST PLAYING GAMES—THE WORLD SHALL NEVER KNOW. OUR GUESS IS THAT SHE IS WORKING.

BELOW: GARRETT CROWNOWER POSES FOR THE PICTURE AS IF TO SAY, "THIS COMPUTER STUFF IS SO EASY," WHILE SHANEISE CROW HAS THAT "I'M NOT A COMPUTER VIZ" LOOK. KIRBI STUM, ON THE OTHER HAND, EITHER GREW A HUGE BEARD OR THAT'S JUST THE BACK OF HIS HEAD—WE'RE GUESSING IT'S THE BACK OF HIS HEAD.



FBLA

2008-09

GROUP ACTIVITIES

FBLA COMPETED IN THE DISTRICT COMPETITIONS THIS YEAR; AND LAUREN WEBER, JOANNA SPECHT, KIRBY CROWNOVER, VINCENT KOELLER, AND GARRETT CROWNOVER MADE IT ON TO STATE.

FBLA MEMBERS

VINCENT KOELLER, KIRBY CROWNOVER, JOANNA SPECHT, BJORN VON DRESSLER, JOANNA BEIGHTEL, LAUREN WEBER, KIRBY STUM, AMBER FRANK, JORDAN TRUJILLO, SHANEISE CROW, GARRETT CROWNOVER, AND SPONSOR MRS. CROW

ABOVE: JOANNA SPECHT "BUSTS A MOVE" IN A "KUNG FU PANDA" GAME.
ABOVE RIGHT: A "SPIFFY" BJORN VON DRESSLER IS ONE OF THE MANY PLAINVIEW STUDENTS WHO PLACED AT DISTRICTS.

RIGHT: VINCENT KOELLER CONTEMPLATES ONE OF THE MANY AND IN MOST CASES NOT UNUSUAL GARRETT CROWNOVER GOOFY STATEMENTS.



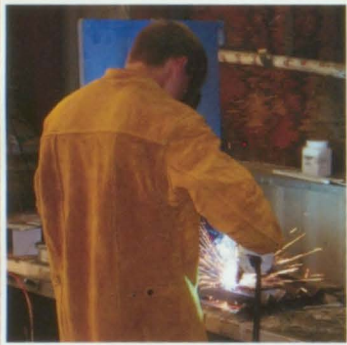
LEFT: LAUREN WEBER ALLOWED MICHAEL WEBER TO PRACTICE A COUPLE OF HIS PICK-UP LINES ON HER.
BELOW: THE FBLA GROUP GETS THEIR PICTURE TAKEN OUTSIDE THE BUS ON THEIR WAY BACK FROM A SUCCESSFUL DISTRICTS COMPETITION IN WHICH THEY DID VERY WELL—NOT TO MENTION HOW THEY ALL REALLY DRESSED AND LOOKED LIKE "FUTURE BUSINESS LEADERS."



"FBLA THIS YEAR WENT GREAT. THE WHOLE GROUP HAD FUN AND A FEW OF US EVEN MADE IT TO STATE COMPETITION!"

—VINCENT KOELLER

Hey- Run For Your Lives! High School Shop



Moves Vincent cuts some metal while Kirin looks on.
For Left: Bjorn uses the wire welder.
Left: Mr. Wilson instructs Jaanna as to how to use the welder. Below: Jaanna attempts to weld a piece of metal.
Middle: Kirin, David, and Mr. Wilson nail down the roof on the new Hanks Nest. Middle Left: Vincent makes a door frame. Bottom (L-R): The shop does and their assortment of arc welders and wire welders: the hood of the unknown welder, Jaanna (arc welding), Kirin, Jaanna (wire welder), and Mr. Wilson and David.



Junior High Shop & Life Skills



Above: Thomas Specht and his introduction of a new piece of gymnastics equipment: the pommel stool.

Below: Alyssa Splitter and Katelyn Wanderlingh celebrate their success with the dreaded "ty-dye shirt-making" project.

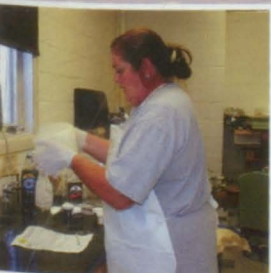


Above: Mr. Wilson does his best to get away from the little gray mouse. (Just kidding)



Above: Mr. Wilson attempts to figure out whether or not his junior high students' shop projects are going to work.

Right: Eureka! Caynen Hansen figures out what the little marks mean on the ruler. Bottom: (Left to Right) Mrs. Fickenscher cleans up after a successful project in Life Skills class; Dee Dee Beightel models the latest in lab attire--a lovely white apron with the signature light blue plastic glove; Mariah Priddy flashes a smile as she begins the task at hand; and Mr. Wilson helps Austin Scott measure something in the shop before cutting it.



High School *MORE TO THINK ABOUT* Knowledge Bowl

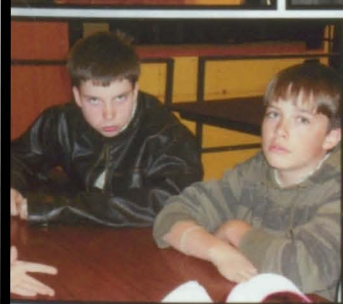


Clockwise from above: Vincent, Jason, Paige, and Joanna get ready for the next question; the team works hard on the written test; Joanna "chills" before the next round; Vincent ponders the answer in his head; Garrett "rocks out" to some music between rounds; Joanna shows just how "bright" she is in the picture; and the regional champion / state third place Crownover.





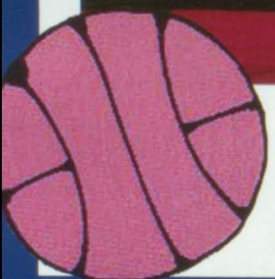
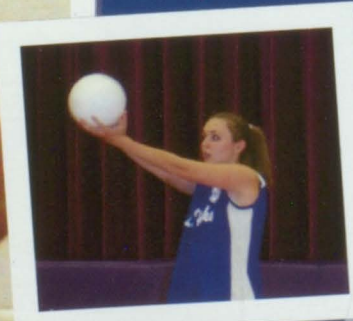
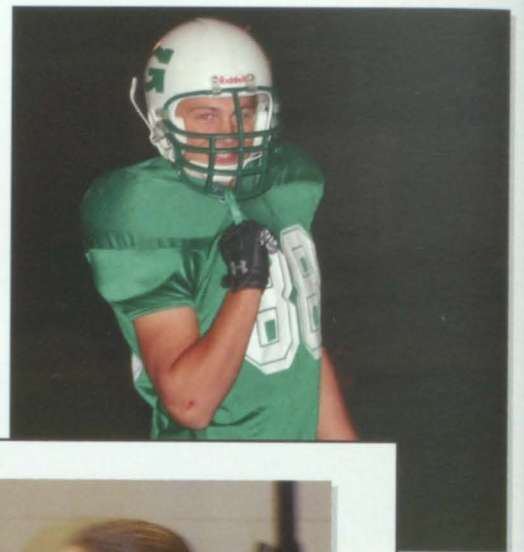
JUNIOR HIGH



Far Above: The high school knowledge team.

Clockwise from above: Austin and Caynen look a little perturbed; Alyssa thinks "Duh, I knew that"; Austin, Caynen, Alyssa, and Ryan look at the camera during the round; Caynen looks impressed at their victory; The team glares at the camera; Austin converses with his team during the written round; the junior high knowledge team following a victory
(l-r): Alyssa Splitter, Ryan Scott, Caynen Hansen, and Austin Scott.

More Than Just A Game.



Practice @
3:00



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High School Volleyball

Lady Hawks Volleyball 2008

PHS



Lauren Weber



“VOLLEYBALL IS A LOT OF FUN; IT WAS GOOD TO PICK UP THE PACE AND COMPETE, EVEN BETTER TOWARDS THE END OF THE SEASON. I’LL REALLY MISS IT NEXT YEAR!”

Kirby Crownover

“I REALLY ENJOYED THIS SEASON AND I’M GOING TO MISS PLAYING WITH THE GIRLS NEXT YEAR!”



Joanna Specht



“I HAD A GREAT TIME THIS SEASON. WE IMPROVED A LOT THROUGHOUT THE SEASON AND I AM LOOKING FORWARD TO NEXT YEAR! WE WILL MISS LAUREN AND KIRBY, THOUGH!”

Paige Specht

“I AM LOOKING FORWARD TO NEXT YEAR AND WE WILL MISS OUR SENIORS! BUMP, SET, SPIKE! HIT THE FLOOR!”



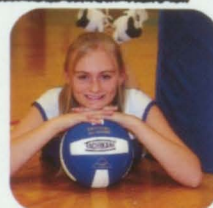
Natalie Weber



“A TEAM THAT SWEATS TOGETHER STINKS (STICKS) TOGETHER!”

Mikayla Schmidt

“VOLLEYBALL WAS A LOT OF FUN THIS YEAR. CAN’T WAIT FOR NEXT YEAR!”



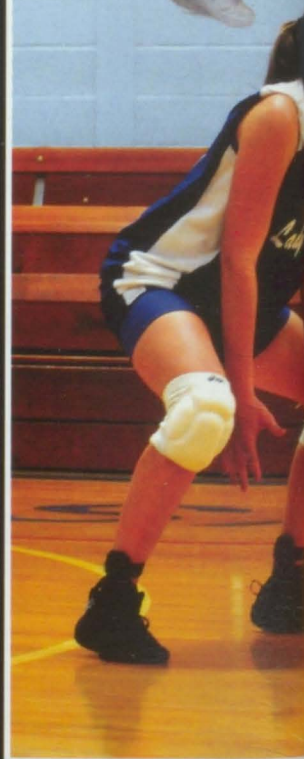
Coach Jay Wilson

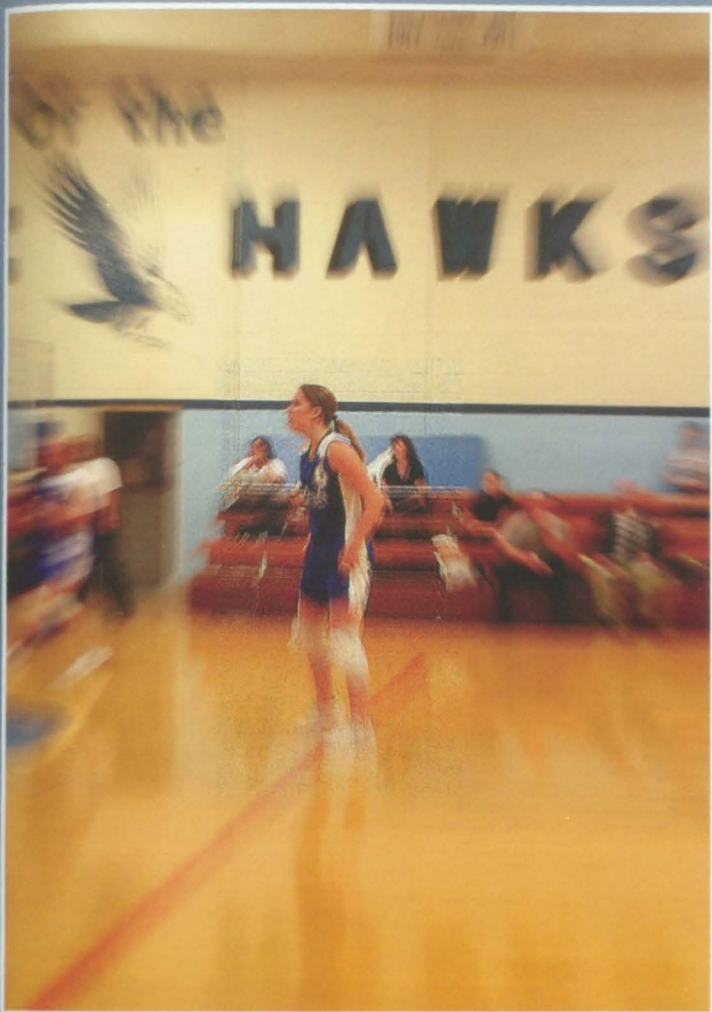


“WE SAW THE BALL, WE BUMPED THE BALL, WE SPIKED THE BALL. IT WAS A VERY FUN TEAM TO BE AROUND- LOTS OF HUSTLE AND HEART.”

Assistant Coach Tom Pape

“THIS TEAM WAS FUN TO WATCH - THEY WENT AFTER EVERY POINT AND IMPROVED WITH EVERY GAME. I WAS PROUD OF THEIR EFFORT.”





Far Left: Mikayla Schmidt takes her turn at serving.

Far Left Bottom: Natalya Weber sets the ball, hoping for a killer spike.

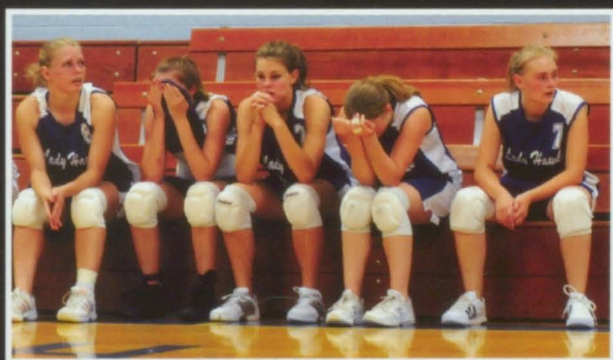
Left: Natalya Weber watches and waits for the ball to come over the net.

Below: Paige Specht gets low, ready to receive a spike. **Below Right:** Joanna Specht spikes the ball.



TEAM	US	TEAM
WALSH	L	W
McCLAVE	L	W
SOUTH BACA	W	L
SPRINGFIELD JV	W	L
KIM	W	L
BREWSTER	L	W
WESKAN	L	W
BETHUNE	L	W
MANZANO	W	L
WESKAN	L	W
INGALLS	L	W
TRIBUNE	L	W
GRANADA	W	L
CHERAV	L	W
KIT CARSON	L	W
KARVAL	W	L
C. W.	L	W
EADS	L	W
KIT CARSON	L	W

Lady Hawks



Left: Kirby Crownover stays down and ready in anticipation of the next pass. **Above:** The team takes a breather while waiting for the next match. **Right:** Lauren Weber puts up a set for the hitters. **Below:** The team lines up before the game to wish Eads good luck.



|| This was my favorite team to be on in my four years of volleyball. I love how we worked together and improved to reach our goals. I'll miss it in college! ||

-Lauren Weber

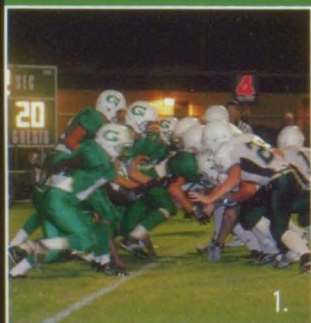
High School Football



Top Right: Bjorn von Dressler tackles a Wiley Panther on his way to what he thought was a touchdown. Right: Dustin Bohlander ends his run leaning forward and ready to knock any defender on their back who tries to stop him. Below: Senior Dustin Bohlander is leading the Bobcats on the field after halftime. Bottom: Junior Daniel Lehman stops a Wiley running back in his tracks on his way to another tackle.



Across the Bottom, Left to Right: 1. The defense of the Bobcats tries to stop the run. 2. Daniel Lehman gets ready to sack the Holly quarterback. 3. Bjorn von Dressler makes the catch over two Holly defenders. 4. Tyson Thrall and Cody Baker converge on a Springfield running back as he is tackled out of bounds. 5. Jason Specht clears the way for quarterback Tyndan Marquez as he gets ready to turn up the field. 6., 7., and 8. Bjorn von Dressler and Jason Specht get off the line quickly in hopes of making a key play on offense, while Daniel Lehman finds a seam in which to rush the quarterback. 9. Wideout Jason Specht runs onto the field to start the game. 10. Bobcat quarterback Traegon Marquez gives the next play to his teammates in the huddle.





The 2008 Granada Bobcat Football Team.

Back Row (left to right): Assistant Coach Carlos Huerta, Christian Dulac, Cody Harris, Cody Baker, Riley Widener, Jason Specht, Tyson Thrall, Tyndan Marquez, Bjorn von Dressler, Eric Galan, Assistant Coach Manuel Gonzales, Jr., Head Coach Manuel Gonzales, Sr. Middle Row: Brady Rink, Jose Dominguez, Leo Dominguez, Kyle Hartshorn, Dustin Bohlander, Michael Ortiz, Aaron Vega, Chris DeLeon, Daniel Lehman, Bottom Row: Manager Brian Gonzales, Manager Tanner Grasmick, Traegon Marquez, Tony Esquibel, Juan Morales, Chris Pizarro, Manager Antonio Huerta, and Manager Kolby Palmer.

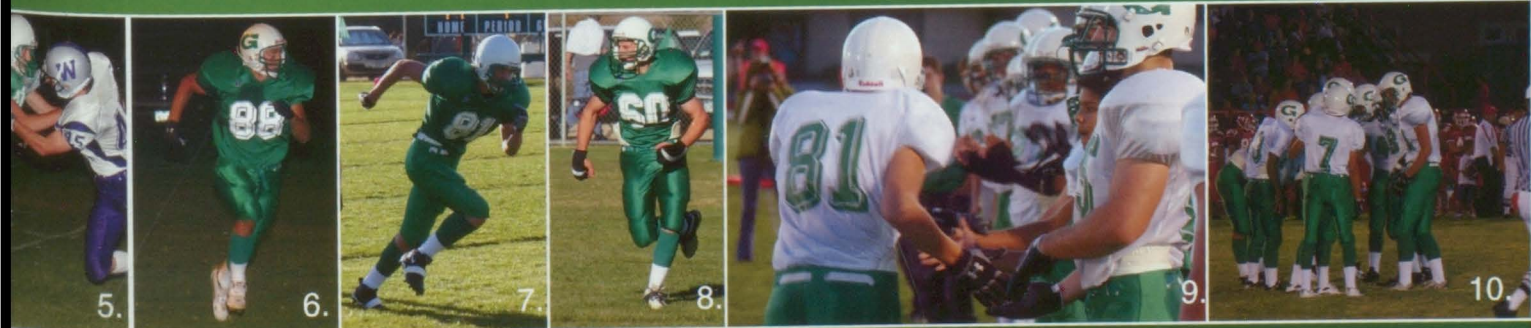
Below: The Granada Bobcats offensive line and quarterback Tyndan Marquez get ready to roll over the Walsh Eagles. Right: Jason Specht runs a route and is ready for the pass to come his way.



Us Them

15	35	Daysprings
22	34	Stratton
50	0	Cheyenne Wells
44	0	Springfield
42	22	Walsh
28	37	McClave
49	0	Wiley
50	12	Holly
43	0	Swink
51	18	Dove Creek
26	61	Daysprings

Overall Record:
8 wins; 5 losses



Girls' High School Basketball 2008-09

Below: Kirby Crowmover fights for the ball in a game against the Eads Eagles. *Right:* Lauren Weber gets ready to rebound on a free throw. *Below Right:* Paige Specht shoots for two.



Lauren Weber



Kirby Crowmover



Joanna Specht



Paige Specht

Above Left: Natalya Weber practices her fakes against Coach before the big game. *Above Right:* Joanna Specht goes up for a layup in the District game against Kit Carson. *Right:* Lauren Weber makes a move to the inside.





Mikayla Schmidt



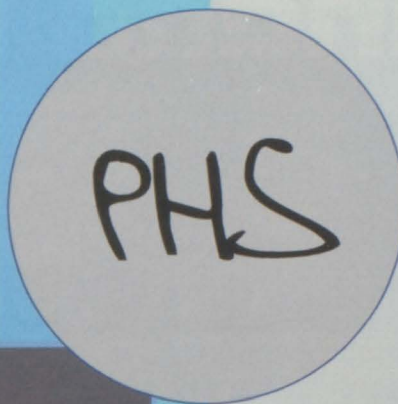
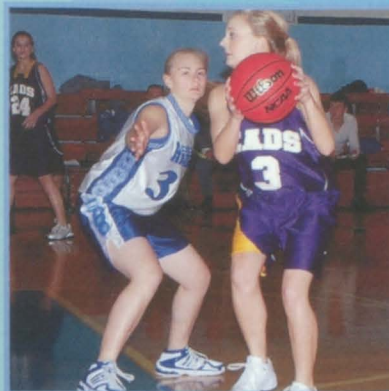
Natalya Weber



Coach Wilson



Coach Pape



Season Record

Team	Us	The m
Kim	8	62
Lamar JV	34	38
McClave JV	16	19
Wiley	30	16
McClave	15	60
Manzy	39	14
Walsh	34	30
Eads	26	50
Cheraw	37	38
Kit Carson	38	33
McClave	14	21
Springfield	24	35
H. Christian	43	9
Manzy	75	18
C.W.	27	38
South Baca	53	35
Granada	51	11
Karval	61	29
Kit Carson	28	32

Top: Mikayla Schmidt plays defense against Eads.

Middle: Joanna Specht goes for the tip in a game against Lamar while Kirby Crowner and Nat Weber are ready to 'get it and go' *Left:* Joanna Specht shoots free throws after a foul. *Far Left:* Paige Specht shoots free throws. *Left Bottom:* Kirby Crowner drives to the rim.



Granada Hoops

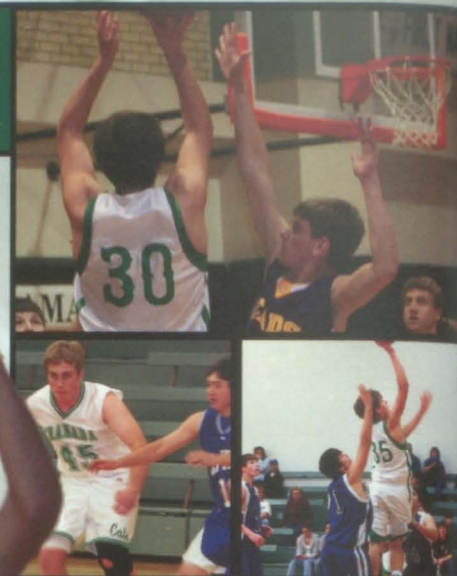
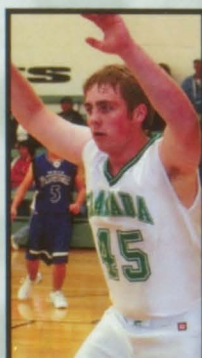
High School Boys Basketball

This year the Plainview Hawks fell just short of having a high school boys basketball team. The boys who really wanted to play basketball decided to walk across to Granada and play for the Bobcats.

Granada had a very successful season, eventually placing third in 1-A in the state of Colorado. The boys who traveled to Granada for the entire season were Jason Specht and Vincent Koeller. Bjorn von Dressler, who spent most of the season recuperating from an injury, was able to join Jason and Vincent for the end of the season. The boys had a great time this year.

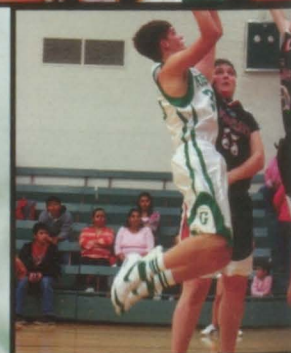
Them	Us	Opponent
39	64	Las Animas
52	82	Manzanola
66	81	Keyes, OK
28	68	Walsh
37	58	Wiley
37	41	Kit Carson
44	56	Springfield
53	73	Wiley
50	43	Kit Carson
53	71	South Baca
44	76	Holly
37	38	Eads
49	72	Walsh
44	81	Kim
47	53	Karval
51	58	Cheyenne Wells
65	56	McClave
41	88	Cheraw
48	86	Cheraw
32	44	Eads
49	42	Kit Carson
54	70	Pirmero
45	57	Ouray
50	53	High Plains
64	47	Caliche
66	75	Otis

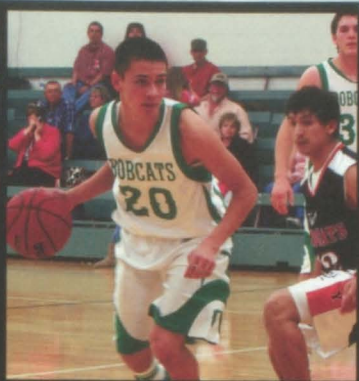
Below: Vincent plays ferocious defense.



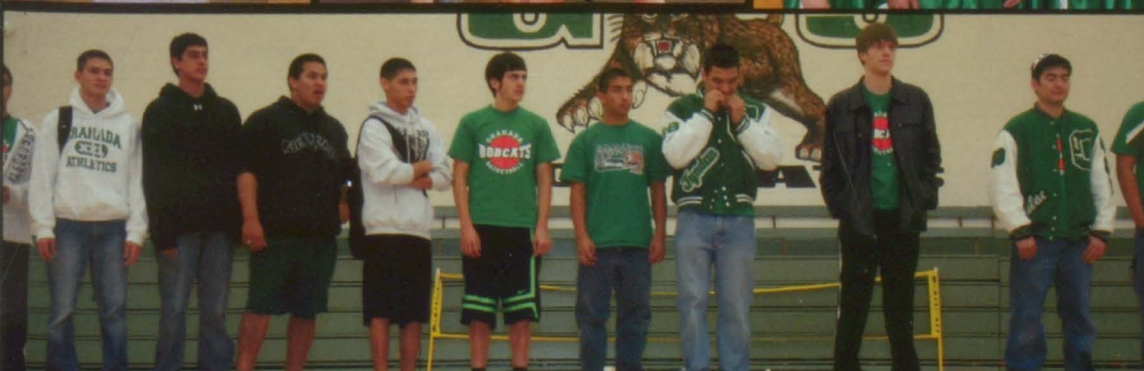
Top Down: Riley Widener shoots over the Eads defense; Vincent Koeller takes care of the ball; Jason Specht scores two points on a layup; Jason prepares to shoot the ball over his defenders; Jason does a power layup; and Aaron gets some air for a layup. Below: The Granada team huddles before taking the court.

Left: Jason skies for two points.





Far Left: Vincent Koeller takes the ball to the basket. **Left Top:** Traegon Marquez dribbles, looking for an opening. **Left Bottom:** Bjorn von Dressler gets ready to rebound after the free throw. **Below:** Tyson Thrall jumps over and around his defender in order to get to the rim. **Below Left:** Under intense pressure from the defense, Bjorn von Dressler looks for an open team mate.



Far Left: Bjorn von Dressler shows that free throws are all about form as he lets one fly. **Above Middle:** Vincent Koeller takes a shot from the paint. **Left:** The Granada team before the long trek to state in Greeley. **Above:** The Bobcat team after placing second in the district competition held at the Lamar Community Building.

PLAINVIEW

TRACK

Below: Natalya Weber did well in long jump this year.

Middle Left: Joanna Specht was one jump from going to state in the high jump. **Middle Right:** Paige Specht throws the shot put. **Right:** Shaneise Crow runs the first leg of the 4X100m. **Right Side Top:** Shaneise Crow throws discus. **Right Side Bottom:** Bjorn Von Dressler works up speed in the long jump.



Above: Shaneise Crow, Mikayla Schmidt, and Paige Specht have fun at the track meet. **Below:** Lauren Weber gets ready to throw shot. **Bottom Right:** The Plainview Track Team of 2009.





Above: Mr. Wilson and Mr. Pape watch the events unfold. **Upper Left:** Shaneise Crow runs in the 4X100 meter relay. **Left Center:** Mikayla Schmidt sprints her hardest. **Left:** Collin Holmes runs for distance. **Far Left Center:** Paige Specht, Shaneise Crow and Mikayla Schmidt sprint the 100 meter dash. **Far Lower Left:** Kirbi Stum and Steven Chuma consistently placed well in their one mile and two mile. **Lower Left:** Bjorn von Dressler gets a good start in his race.



At Left: Kirbi Stum runs at the state meet in Jeffco Stadium in Denver. **Above Middle:** Mikayla Schmidt and Mercy Lehman sprint the 400m. **Above Right:** Bjorn von Dressler sprints his 400m. **Above Right Cutout:** Daniel Lehman speeds around the track.





This year Plainview had one student, Vincent Koeller, travel to Granada to play baseball. As luck would have it, this was Granada's year to shine and Vincent got to be part of the state champion baseball team. **Left Group of Pictures Clockwise from top left:** Christian Dulac fires a pitch, Chris DeLeon gets ready to strike out a batter, Nathaniel Adame stands ready, Vincent Koeller gets ready for any ground balls, Jose Dominguez fights the sun, and Chris Pizzaro is ready for anything that comes his way. **Right group of Pictures Clockwise from top left:** Riley Widener gets ready to hit the ball, The Bobcats celebrate after taking the state title, Dustin Bohlander gets directions from Coach Hopper, Tyndan Marquez is ready to make the play, Tyson Thrall takes a good cut at a pitch, Leo Dominguez gets ready for whatever happens, and the 1A State Trophy.



Bobcat



BASEBALL

BASEBALL

Baseball



The 2009 Granada Bobcats Varsity Baseball Team. Back row (l-r): Coach Gonzales, Traegon Marquez, Dustin Bohlander, Tyndan Marquez, Riley Widener, Tyson Thrall, Christian Dulac, Cody Harris, Vincent Koeller, Coach John Hopper. Front row (l-r): Nathaniel Adame, Chris Pizzaro, Chris DeLeon, Mike Ortiz, Miguel Martinez, Kyle Hartshorn, Aaron Vega, Brady Rink.

Junior High Volleyball...Bump, Set, Spike

Team	Result
Holly	W
Holly JV	L
Walsh	L
Granada	L
Granada	L
Cheyenne Wells	L
Cheyenne Wells	L
Cheyenne Wells JV	L
Cheyenne Wells	L
Kit Carson JV	L
Kit Carson	L
Eads JV	W
Eads	L



Clockwise from far left: Mariah serves the ball; Caynen gets ready to rocket the ball over the net; Mr. Wilson and Mr. Pape give the team a few pointers during a timeout; The volleyball team back row (l-r): Caynen Hansen, Austin Scott, Luke Specht, Coach Fickenscher, Ryan Scott, Seth Splitter, Joel Lehman. Front row (l-r): Zach Doyle, Katelyn Wanderling, Mariah Priddy, Alyssa Splitter, and Thomas Specht. Coach Fickenscher gives her team a pep talk.



Ryan Scott



Luke Specht



Thomas Specht



Alyssa Splitter



Seth Splitter



Zach Doyle



Mariah Priddy



Caynen Hansen



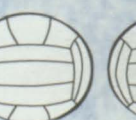
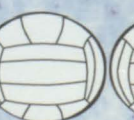
Austin Scott



Katelyn Wanderling



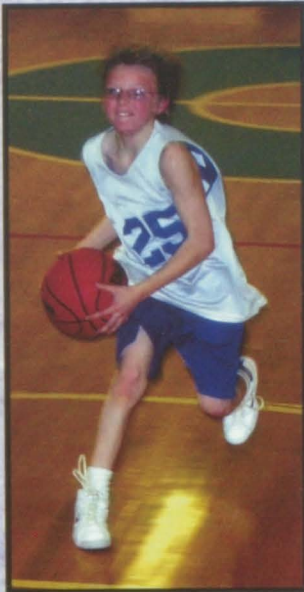
Joel Lehman



Junior High Basketball...Pass, Dribble, Shoot



Clockwise from Above: Caynen looks for an open teammate to throw the ball to on an inbound play; Luke overcomes the Cheyenne Wells defenders to throw the ball to his teammate; Seth confidently takes the ball to the rim; Thomas passes the ball around the perimeter in order to look for a good shot; The basketball team (l-r): Seth Splitter, Coach Wilson, Stephanie Ojeda, Luke Specht, Mariah Priddy, Ryan Scott, and Thomas Specht. Not pictured: Caynen Hansen.



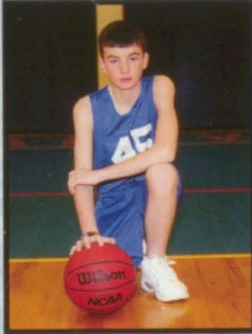
Team	Result
Granada	L
Cheyenne Wells "C"	L
Burlington "B"	L
Cheyenne Wells	L
Walsh	L
Eads	L
Kit Carson	L



Caynen Hansen



Mariah Priddy



Ryan Scott



Luke Specht



Thomas Specht



Seth Splitter



Junior High Track and Field

Far right: Caynen Hansen seems to be running on air as he strives for distance in the long jump. **At right:** Alyssa Splitter bends to get over the bar in the high jump.

Below far right: Thomas Specht and Mariah Priddy rest along the long jump pit.

Below right middle: Justin Rodriguez is determined to place.

Below: Joel Lehman pushes himself to the end.

Below: The 2009 Plainview Junior High Track Team (back row, l-r): Joel Lehman, Ryan Scott, Caynen Hansen, Justin Rodriguez, Thomas Specht, and Luke Specht; **(front row, l-r):** Katelyn Wanderlingh, Mariah Priddy, and Alyssa Splitter.



Far right: Katelyn Wanderlingh gets ready to leap over the high jump bar. **Middle right:** Luke Specht launches the shot put into the air.

Right center: Ryan Scott (45) runs one of his specialties, the mile run.

Top right: Seth Splitter seems determined to leave it all on the track. **At right:** Mariah Priddy finishes her leg of the relay.

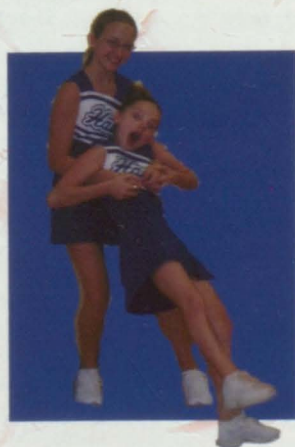
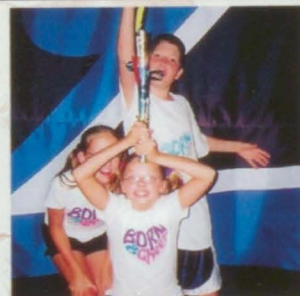
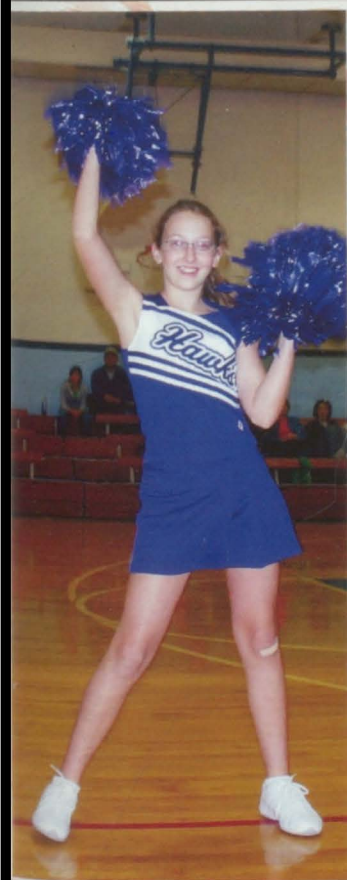


More to Cheer About: Junior High Cheerleading



Far left cutout: All the cheerleaders show their spirit on the first day of school. **At left:** "I had so much fun, it was a blast!" exclaimed Katelyn Wanderlingh, one of the seventh-grade cheerleaders.

Below: Caught on camera during a routine, Alyssa and Katelyn work in sync during a halftime presentation.



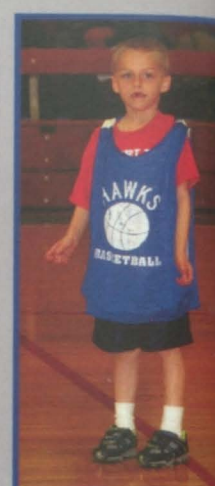
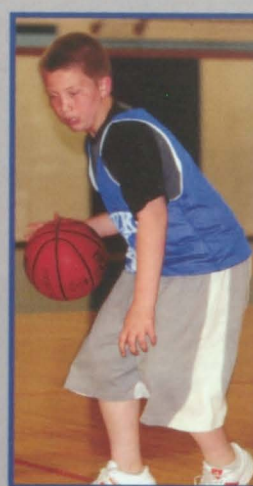
Upper far left: Justin Rodriguez, sponsor Ms. Fees, Alyssa Splitter, and Katelyn Wanderlingh form the junior high cheer squad.

Upper center: Justin, Katelyn, and Alyssa with the spirit stick at summer cheer camp. **Above:** Alyssa and Katelyn.

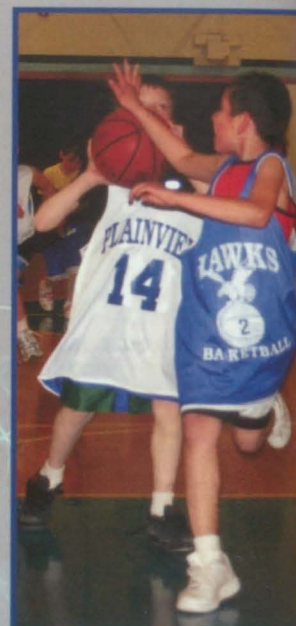
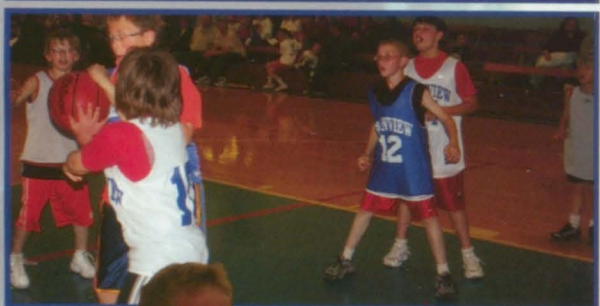
At far left: Katelyn smiles as she tries to get her fellow classmates to show some spirit during a pep rally. **Middle left:** Katelyn and Alyssa clown around during a timeout on the sidelines. **At left:** "A.W.E.S.O.M.E., GO HAWKS, GO!" shouts Alyssa Splitter, the other half of the seventh-grade cheerleading team.

Past... Don't Forget! Well

Elementary Basketball 2009



Clockwise from Left: Kayla, Kaylee, and Rooney chase the ball; One of the fierce teams: Gabbi Foley, Athena Crum, Kayla Wanderlign, and Ky Kurtz scramble for the ball; Ethan Foley dribbles against the defense; Alex Schmitt waits to receive the pass; Bobby Morrie tries to block Jacob Foley's shot; Savannah Stum plays tough defense; Nicholas Crum shoots a free throw while Seth Splitter watches; and Timothy Lehman boxes Hope Wagner out while everyone else fights for the ball.

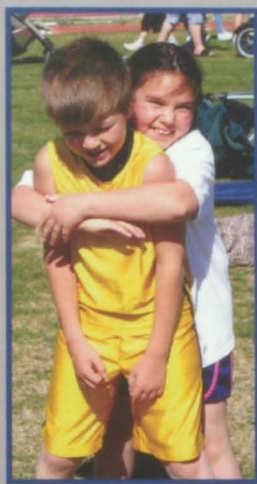


Left to Right: Ryan Koeller hustles down the court to help his team score; Ky Kurtz displays great form as he shoots the ball; Bobby Morrie, Ky Kurtz, Olivia Specht, and two other players guard Jacob Foley as he dribbles; and Officiating the games and in various pictures were Kirby Stum and Bjorn von Dreeeler.



Fast... Don't Forget Us!

Elementary Field Day



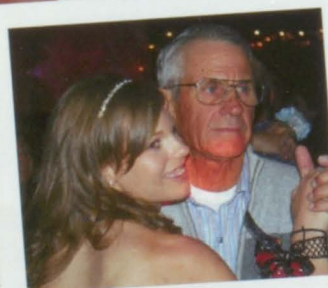
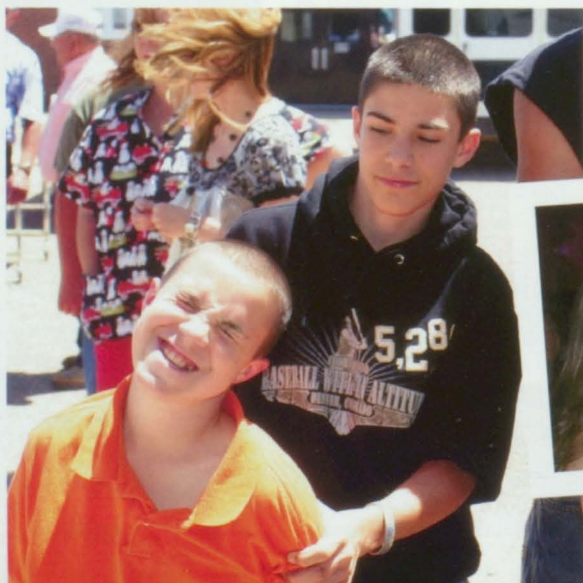
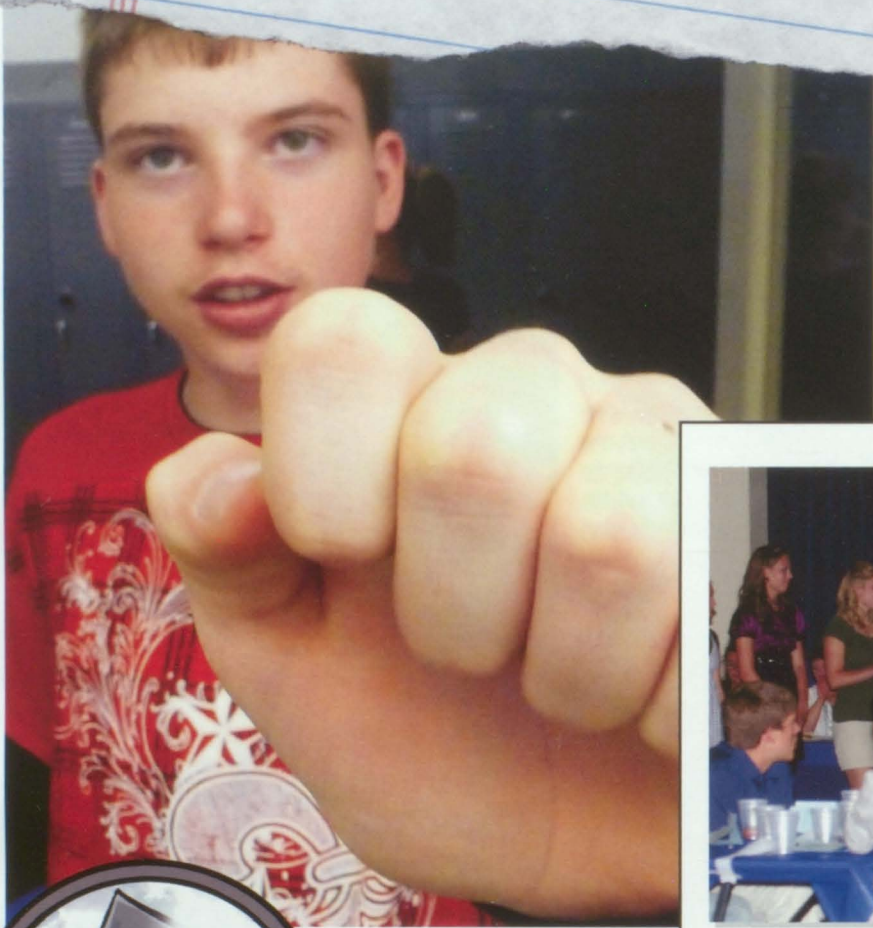
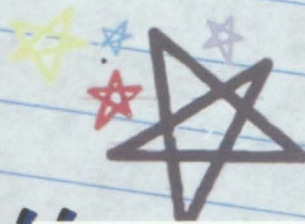
Clockwise from Top Left: Ryan Koeller runs hard to the end of his race; Dennis Miller gets a hug from Leann Morris; Olivia Specht is happy to do well in her race; Gabbi Foley sprints out her event; Leann Morris is close to the finish line; James Lehman runs hard during his leg of the relay; Hope Wagner looks determined to finish her race; members of the elementary track team taking a minute to relax; Lydia Splitter pushes herself to blazing speeds; and Japheth Frey prepares to launch himself into the air during the long jump competition.



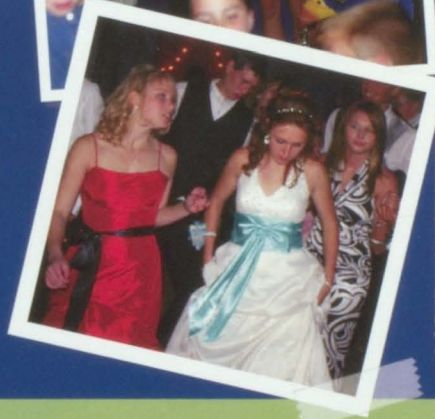
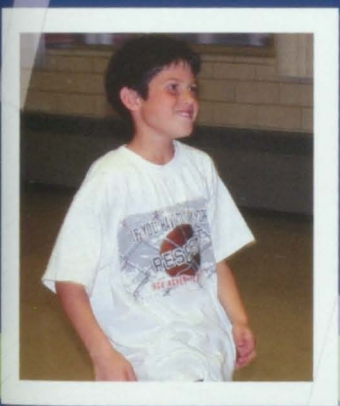
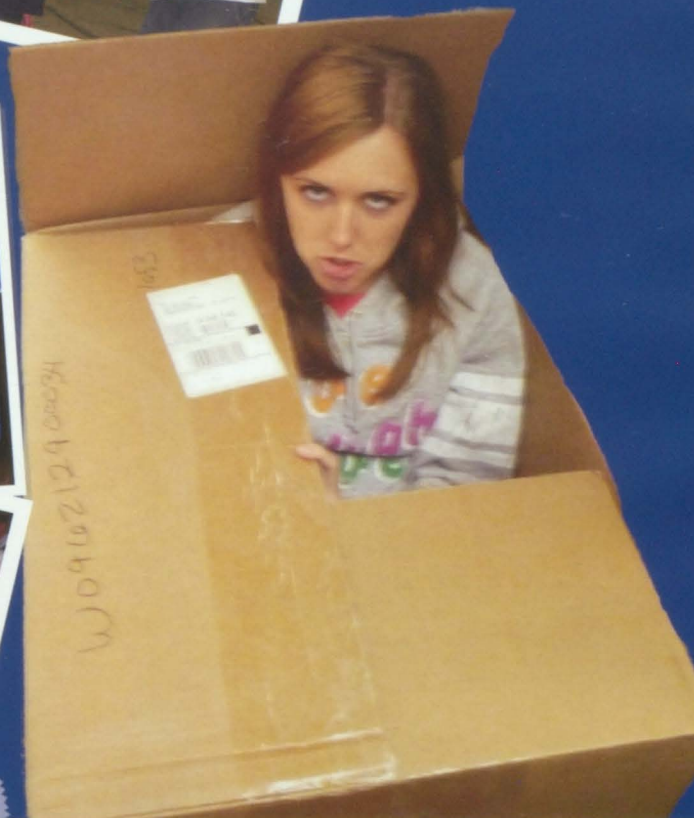
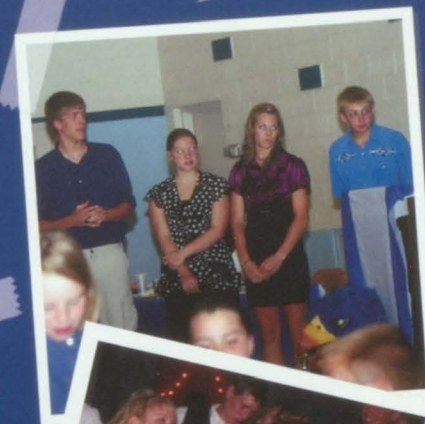
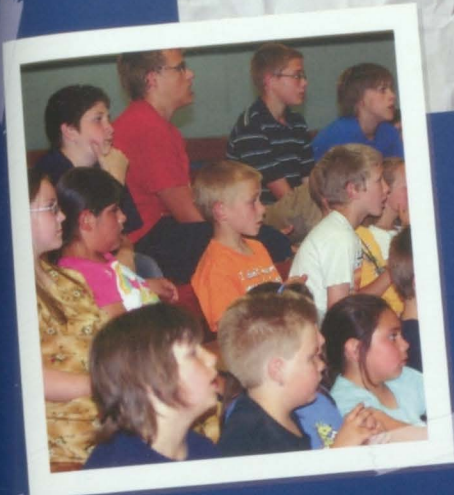
Below Left to Right: Seth Splitter leads his race; Stephanie Ojeda runs fast during her dash; Nicholas Crum listens intently to the starter's instructions; Amber Kopasz throws the softball; and Andrew Wagner flies through the air during the long jump competition.



More to Come...



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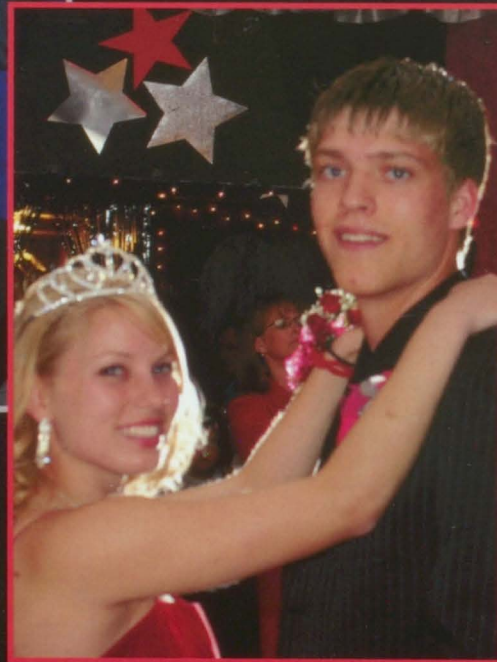
At left: Sophomore Garrett Crownover dances with Katie Sanders.



At left: Natalia Weber shows enthusiasm while dancing with junior Steven Chuma.



Below: Prom King and Queen Jason Specht and Lauren Weber share the royalty dance.



Above: Mr. Pape shows off his 'groove thing'.



Above: Kirby Stum, Shari Crow, and Kyle Rodriguez dance to their favorite Spanish song.

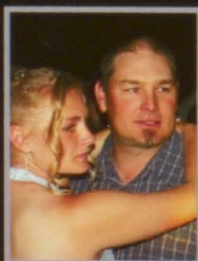


Above: Joanna Specht, Kyle Rodriguez, and Bobby Jo McClave take a breather.

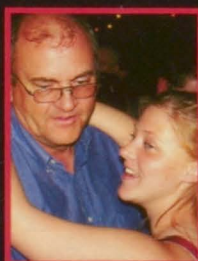
"A Hollywood Moment"



Kirby and Linda Stum smile for the camera during the mother-son dance.



Mikayla Schmidt watches the other dance during the father-daughter dance.



Paige Specht and Jay Specht share the father-daughter dance.



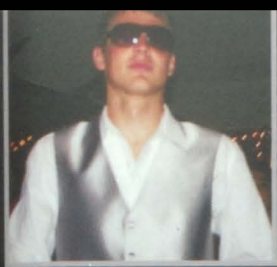
Kirby Crownover poses during the mother-son dance with Stephan Curtis.



Bjorn von Dressler fixes his tie while Lori Pizzaro fixes her dress.



Shari Crow swings her leg to the beat of the music.



Left: Bjorn van Dressler shows his 'stunna shades.'

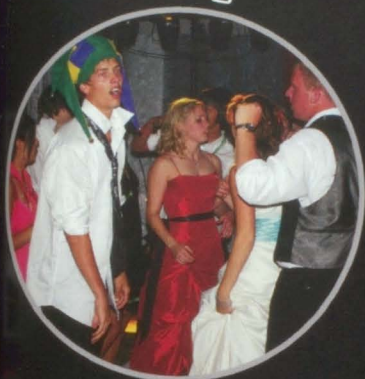
Below: Senior Jason Specht is 'bustin' his moves' with Alex Rodriguez.



Right: Senior Lauren Weber stores in 'aww' at Keaton Lang.



Below: Jonathan Splitter shows a look of confusion while watching the others who are dancing.



At right: Some of the 'partiers' taking a slight break.



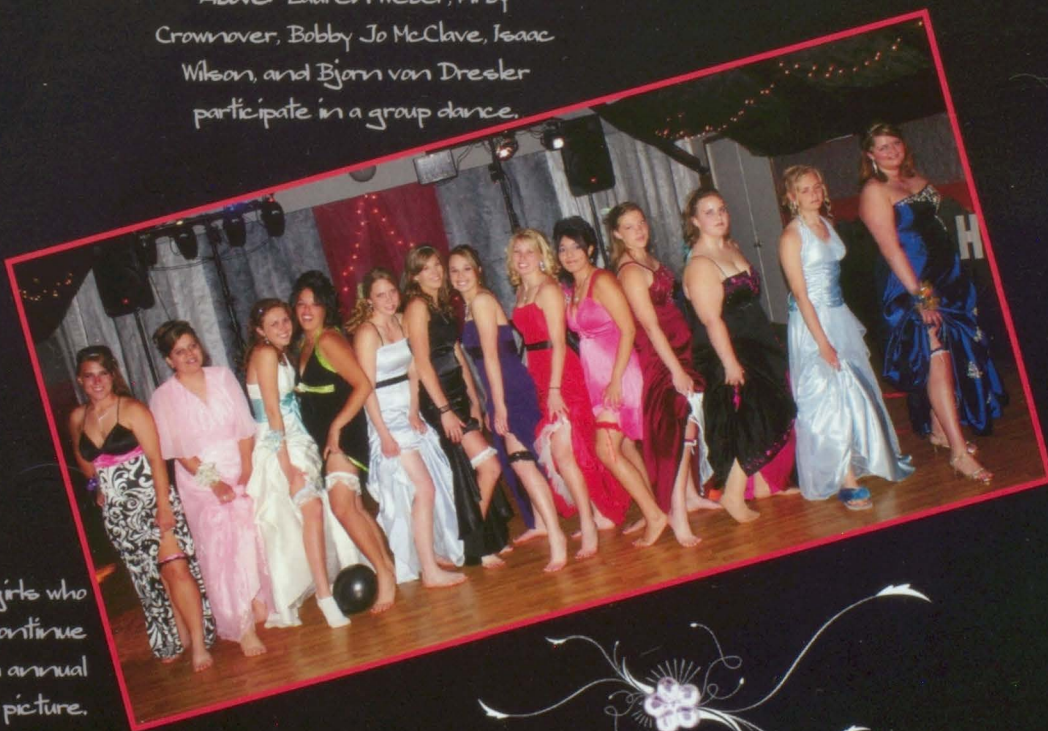
2 DANCE

Above: Lauren Weber, Kirby Crowmover, Bobby Jo McClave, Isaac Wilson, and Bjorn van Dresser participate in a group dance.



At left: Garrett Crowmover slow dances with his date Moriah LeFlore.

Left 1: Bjorn van Dressler, Daug Weirich, and Keaton Lang show off their moves. 2: Jonathan Splitter and Mikayla Schmitt share a slow dance. 3: Wesley Arms and Katie Sanders smile for the camera during a slow dance.



Right: All of the girls who attended prom continue the tradition of an annual prom garter picture.



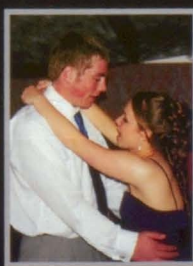
Jonathan Splitter shows us what serving the prom dinner really does to her.



Paige Specht stands aside and watches the others dance the night away.



Kyle Rodriguez and Bobby Jo McClave pose for the camera.



Junior Vincent Koeller dances with Katie Sanders.



Jonathan Specht looks a little confused, or maybe she's eating again.



Kiki Stum is the court jester at prom.

What We Leave Behind: *Senior Wills and Prophecies*

Wills

I, Kirby Crowover, being of sound mind and body, will the following:

Shay: the job of protecting Garrett and being daddy's little girl when I am gone.
Garrett: my ability to take care of the kids so mom doesn't have to all the time.
Nat: the ability to burp even though you already do, but someone has to do it.
Mik: the ability to foul, it's basketball; it's to be expected.
Jordan: the ability to call anytime of the day just to tell me, "Babe, Babe, I freaking love you."
Mercy: my ability to be loud and obnoxious and to scare the boys when we are hiding in the truck.
Kirbi: my ability to share Shay, but I demand to have her when I'm home.
Vinney: my ability not to procrastinate whenever possible; it could pay off sometime.
Paige: my ability NOT to sprain my ankle ten million times; they need you next year!
Jo: my ability to run fast; I'm just kidding. I don't run fast either! And my ability not to hate someone because of their gorgeous eyes.
Daniel-son: the ability not to clothesline myself.
Bjorn: my ability to stretch, but you'll have to find your own judges.
Lauren: my ability not to say there has.
Jason: my non-sponginess so you actually have to study.

I, Jason, being of sound mind and lengthy body, do will the following:

Steven: a couple dozen pounds so that you don't blow away at track meets.
Vincent: the ability to relax more and to stay off of Mr. Pape's blacklist.
Shay: my sunscreen so you won't be sun burnt and peeling when it comes time for next years prom.
Jo: my ability to jump in basketball and to take longer strides when you run. I also will you the responsibility to help Vincent in Knowledge Bowl.
Kirbi Stum: my ability to run less; it is just unnatural for one to run so much.
Bjorn: my ability to keep all of my bones intact and healthy.
Daniel: a little of my spare time since you seem to have none of your own.
Paige: my basketball skills, whether good or bad, and the ability to deal with all of our angelic siblings.
Lauren: Since you are so upset about not speaking at graduation, I will you all of the speeches that I will ever have to give in the future.
Kirby Crowover: my ability to not to break down and cry when you can't find your homework.
The high schoolers of PHS: my ability to absorb every thing in class, write essays very fast, and most importantly I will you guys my height; because I am positive that some of you could use it.

I, Lauren Weber, being of sound mind and body, will the following:

Shay: the blonde hair and blue eyes you've always wanted, but I think you're gorgeous the way you are.
Kirbi Stum: my superhero powers in track. Oh, wait. You already have them!!
Kirby Ann: my ability to greet new students. I'm just glad I didn't scare you off.
Vincent: I will Christy to Vincent, you'll be fine without me to pick on.
BJ: my ability to read German, so I don't need to translate all of your e-mails for you.
Mercy: my ability to stay quiet...we can't get that girl to shut up.
Nat: my ability to be on time.
Mickey: my lucky underwear-- not really, but I think you know what I mean Charlie.
Steven: my running skills because everyone knows how slow Steven is.
Jo: the ability not to get angry with Coach's criticisms although I'm not too good at that either. Also, my ability to survive life-threatening situations (LORDIE!!)
Daniel: my appetite; he doesn't need to watch his figure! AKA the ability to eat other people's food.
Paige: the ability not to kill teammates during basketball practice; he the brat will during games.

Senior Prophecy 2009: If At First You Don't Succeed, Remember Three's A Charm By Mr. Pape

So here I am once again standing in front of you with paper that a mere forty-eight hours ago was a blank computer screen. I ask myself: Why do I do this? Why not say no, I couldn't possibly write your prophecies this year because I am busier than a one-armed paper hanger. Of course, I would get this blank stare accompanied by the obligatory, Mr. Pape, what is a one-armed paper hanger, and why would having one arm make you any busier than someone with two? And wouldn't the guy with two arms be more likely to get hired to do a job than the guy with one arm? I mean who in their right mind would hire someone with one arm to hang their paper? And you know, it makes perfect sense. I should have used a different metaphor like I couldn't possibly write your prophecies for you because I am busier than a really good two armed paper hanger. It kind of loses something in the translation, however. I remember telling the senior that asked me to write these, "Why don't you have your sponsor write them?" Their reply? Mr. Pape, we think you're funnier than Ms. Fees. Funnier than Ms. Fees.

Gee, now that really is a compliment. I, the social studies teacher, am funnier than the English teacher. That's like saying the six-foot-two inch guy is taller than the five-foot-one inch lady. Oh and by the way, you're a little younger than she is too. What's next? Mr. Pape, you're scalp is the shiniest in school. I might be making a hasty generalization here. I mean, who says an English teacher can't be funny? Let me see, if I were writing jokes for the English teacher, they might go something like this:

Two nouns walk into a bar. One says, You know, it's been a long time since I had any action verbs. Action verbs?!, replied the other noun, why, here comes the usual subjects with two drinks in both hands and I just know he's going to preposition me. Or maybe, This sentence is having emotional problems and goes sees a therapist about her problem. The therapist tells the sentence, your problem is that you're having issues with your tense and to top it off you're of the compound variety. The sentence replied, Oh great, not only am I getting more verbose, I'm developing a complex. My apologies for the lame attempt of writing jokes about a subject I am altogether unqualified to write jokes for: the English language. All the knowledge I have retained on this subject comes from Saturday morning cartoons and Grammar Rock. I did my best.

Nevertheless, in quoting Natalie Weber quoting Mr. Pape quoting Hawkeye Pierce from the 1970s television show, M*A*S*H, "Who writes your material?" So I'm funnier than Ms. Fees that gives me a steep mountain to climb. That's like being told you're the best hockey player in Ecuador that you're the smartest one in your family and you're an only child. Of course, this class wasn't altogether convinced I could pull it off they had wanted both me and Ms. Fees to submit an example of our writing you know, kind of like applying for the job. What was this, American Idol? Its not like I'm going to be discovered here by a big breakthrough Senior Prophecy. Jason, being the analytic judge attempting to not only find merit in each prophecy, but criticizing its every flaw; Lauren, the Paula Abdul-like judge who wouldn't find a negative thing to say about either of our offerings; and Kirby, the Simon Cowell of the three, telling us we both ought to go back to writing wedding announcements and obituaries for the newspaper, because as funny people, we both, in the words of Herbert Hoover, suck. Was that Herbert Hoover or the guy who invented the Hoover vacuum cleaner? Anyways, Plainview American Idol wasn't happening for Ms. Fees and myself so, you have to make a choice and lo and behold, they chose me either by one vote or unanimously I'll never know and they'll never tell. Anyway, here goes nothing.

The Senior Prophecy of 2009

The year is 2034, and I am, hold on to my orthopedic socks, sixty-nine years old. Holy Geritol, somebody get me my oxygen tank. Where did the years go? I remember 2009 almost like it was yesterday, which isn't too surprising since we all know it was my short term memory that went first. I remember decorating for the prom that was to honor the Class of 2009 what great memories planning and decorating for prom. I can't imagine too many things that could have been more painful, and yet more rewarding childbirth comes to mind or performing an appendectomy on myself. Yes, the Class of 2010 was an eclectic bunch, and to think I had the privilege of sponsoring them for six years. I was contacted by none other than Kirbi Stum, the long-distance runner who had temporarily turned into class spokesperson, informing me of the whereabouts and the quarter-century destinations of a group of former students that neither time distance, nor could therapy soon forget. Kirbi had been instrumental in the development of hovercraft technology following his graduation from Plainview, and was one of the primary reasons most of us in America don't use tires anymore as their major component of transportation--at least where the rubber meets the road. No, we just glide along with the greatest of ease, just like they did in the movie Star Wars almost fifty-seven years ago. You see, the seven of us did have some redeeming qualities--thankfully polyester, leisure suits, and platform shoes didn't find their way back into the good graces of society. Kirbi the inventor/entrepreneur still finds time to run various races across the country and still manages to finish just ahead of fellow Plainview grad and President of Texas, Steven Chuma who, over the last quarter of a century, has ballooned to over one hundred and twenty-five pounds. As we chatted, Kirbi informed me of how his former brother from Germany Bjorn von Dressler had become this international media star, and unlike some celebrities who shorten their name, Bjorn actually took Coach Wilson's advice and lengthened his name to Bjorn von Dresslehoferbergoeff. Oddly enough, this odd name change has made Mr. Dresslehoferbergoeff one of the biggest German film stars since David Hasselhoff, who had actually shortened his name from the previous Hasselhoffenburgermeisterheffendorf. And who could blame him? Check writing would have been a real chore as well as a potential health risk with carpal-tunnel syndrome. Daniel Lehman was so successful in the cattle industry and whatever it was that caused him to be in constant phone contact with a number of nameless and faceless individuals that he pursued his love of off-road truck racing. Daniel was such a mild-mannered guy until you put him behind the wheel of a truck, and Dr. Shaneise Crow, who has her PhD. in, of all things, American history, is apparently coming out with her next book, whose thesis analyzes nineteenth century historical figures and how their prominence seems to coincide with the amount of facial hair they had. It should be on bookshelves soon. And Mr. and Mrs. Vincent and Joanna Koeller have become ubersuccessful motivational speakers about matrimonial harmony, organizing marriage retreats all over the world and preaching about the importance of communication in relationships. After I picked myself off the floor, and regained some semblance of my mental faculties mean, who knew? I mean, I thought there was a better chance that I would grow hair on my head or that maybe, just maybe, pigs might fly. Or that world peace wish that everybody seems to have, to be used to it ever really happen? Or colonizing Mars or having a clean desk, or perpetual punctuality those were just pipe dreams. I am stunned. I reminded Kirbi that I was almost seventy years old, and that the old ticker wasn't what it used to be.

Kirbi replied that he would try to keep that in mind, but that he would like me to emcee a Plainview get-together honoring the three graduates of the Class of 2009. Could I tell some jokes? Humorous anecdotes? Emotional tear-jerking stories? Kirbi said that was fine. Lastly, I asked if there would be a dinner in the mix, and that, my friends, sealed the deal. So what had become of the Class of 2009?

Here is their story:

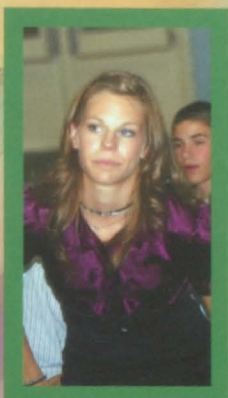
Ruth Fees: At the age of eighty-one, Ruth Fees is finally a retired English teacher. She did not teach at Plainview until she died at her desk as she so often predicted. She retired at the age everyone retires now--a-days seventy-five with many people living well into their eighties. Ms. Fees has enjoyed six years of retirement with her twelfth cat, Mister Whiskers and countless Living Dead Dolls. She did write a best-selling novel about her time teaching on the plains of Southeastern Colorado entitled, *English as a Second Language: My Quest to Educate Rural Colorado One Portfolio at a Time*. I understand she dedicated a chapter to me: *I may be older and shorter, but at least I kept my hair, lard butt*. I am moved by the fact that she remembered me in such a positive light. Now the chapter she dedicates to Mr. Wilson...

Kirby Crowover: Kirby graduated from Plainview second in her class, gave a wonderful Salutatorian Address, detailing her four years at Plainview and the countless memories she had accumulated. Her speech lasted all of five minutes--not that Kirby didn't have a lot of memories and anecdotes, she just talked awfully fast. Her speech was three thousand words long. Kirby went on to Northeast Junior College in Sterling, and earned her Nursing degree and worked in a variety of hospitals helping those in need of care for a number of years. But even though Kirby loved nursing, her real passion was something a little more daring, something a little more dangerous. That something was auto racing--specifically NASCAR. Sure, nursing had its dangerous side, you know, the bedpans, and the sick people, and the giving people shots with needles and all, but that Hippocratic Oath--the do no harm to patients that applies to doctors and even to nurses, it just doesn't get the blood boiling like auto racing. The roar of the engines, the burning rubber, the speed, the crowds, and the fact that there were no right turns had always attracted Kirby to this fast-moving sport. She always believed she had an aptitude for the sport, but never the opportunity to give it a try. Until her wealthy friend Daniel Lehman--you remember the cattle magnate and off-road truck racer looking to invest in the sport, took a chance and put Kirby behind the wheel of one of these tremendous machines. Kirby was a natural weaving in and out of traffic, accelerating to speeds she had not experienced in civilian driving especially since those Stum Hovercrafts were everywhere--they have no wheels!!! And just the power she felt behind the wheel whoever made that comment about women drivers? And even though it contradicted her quiet, reserved, and laid back personality, it offered Kirby the opportunity to finally come out of her shell. Sure, she could belch like a sailor/rook star around her closest friends and relatives, and yes, her voice tended to carry...for miles, but driving in a circle at high rates of speed with other cars doing the same thing with life literally hanging in the balance was the rush that Kirby had been missing as a nurse. And now as the first female NASCAR champion, Kirby endorses everything from milk to motor oil, has made both herself and Mr. Lehman what she would call a "butt load" of money, and devotes a great deal of her free time to charitable causes near and dear to her heart along with her husband and eight children--I mean, who knew? Last month she received the ESPN award for Female Athlete of the Year and her acceptance speech? Well, let's just say some things never change.

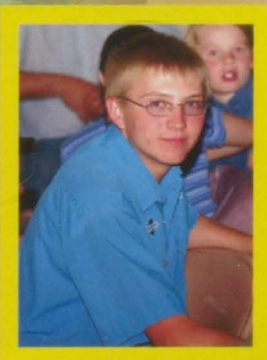
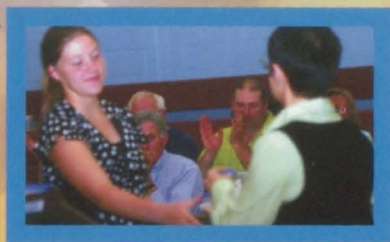
Jason Specht: Jason graduated from Plainview at the top of his class as well as the tallest in his class--not a remarkable achievement considering he had a foot on either Kirby or Lauren both of whom stopped growing sometime in junior high. Jason went to CSU in Pueblo and later attended the Fort Collins campus to get his masters degree in civil engineering. Many of the newer bridges you Stum Hovercraft glides over and a host of other public works projects built recently have been designed by Mr. Specht, who was really inspired by the architectural achievement of the early twenty-first century--his parents house. This structure started out as many homes do on the plains fairly ordinary, rectangular, and with little fanfare. After the folks remodeled, added the concrete walls, the metal roof, and the gun turrets on all four sides of the twelve foot high and five foot wide stone wall surrounded by a moat, Fort Specht was not only the safest structure on the plains, it was also one of the more popular tourist destinations in that part of the state, making Sand Creek, the Weber compound, and the boyhood home of Vincent Koeller seem pedestrian in comparison. Jason became really famous after he tried out for the popular game show Jeopardy: Extreme Nerd Edition, and was a returning champion for one hundred and twenty seven consecutive weeks. Ms. Fees was so proud of her former student bragging to the others in the home that that was her former Knowledge Bowl captain who helped take her team to within four points of winning the state championship, if only they remembered the musical 1776!!!! Argghhh!!!! One thing Ms. Fees still has even at 81--a long, long memory. Jasons celebrity championed the fashion statement he made throughout high school: a football jersey, sweat pants, and of course the obligatory leather jacket. This look catapulted Jason into the realm of fashion designer, coming up with all sorts of casual outfits to wear around the house or down the hallway for that laid back person on the go. His top consultant is his sister Paige, who lends her considerable expertise in this field. (Wearing two of the same foot covering is strictly optional; pajama pants is always preferable to regular pants; and that casual Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays makes everyone more productive) Jason and Paiges Motto: Don't be a slave to fashion; let fashion be the slave to you.

Lauren Weber: Lauren Weber graduated third in her class at Plainview this would have been an impressive feat had her class actually been larger than three students. But nooooo! Some of those kids who had been in her class in elementary school didn't stick around. That's okay Lauren was always convinced that had there been a fourth, fifth, sixth, or even a seventh student in the Class of 09 that she would have been ahead of them as well, making that third place finish something to crow about. I remember Lauren Weber as being one of the most pleasant, kindest, most patient, and understanding student I had in my years at Plainview as long as she had either coffee or chocolate before class began. If not, you needed to look out, because the lovely spring day that Lauren most often resembled quickly turned to Tropical Storm Weber this close to hurricane status. And on those days you did not dare mention anything that she was prevented from doing on account of her age and/or scholastic status because that would set her off on a day or possibly week long diatribe that usually consisted of her proclaiming that teachers think they're always better than you. "I'm not saying you, Mr. Pape, but I'm just saying." I believe there may have been a this is stupid hate this thrown in there. Lauren had senioritis and it seemed more profound the closer it got to graduation. I liked to think it was only Comp class with Ms. Fees, but medically speaking, I believe lack of caffeine had a big hand in it. For the most part, Lauren actually was one of the most pleasant, likeable, and graceful students I ever had. So in this Bizarro World of Senior Prophecy it would stand to reason that Lauren would have become a hardened criminal doing serious time in a womens correctional facility. But that would never have happened to Lauren Weber. Lauren became a very successful author following her years at the University of Northern Colorado where she graduated with honors in a class much larger than three. Her books include the motivational guide to life entitled, You're Not Better Than Me followed by the sequel, *Im Just As Good As You*. She also penned books about relationships that landed on the best seller list including *I Would Care About What You Had To Say If You Made Me Breakfast First and Love Me; Feed Me: Why Life Is More Fulfilling After Lunch*. And her self-help books are great as well none better than her epic *The Path to Happiness Begins With Chocolates, So Shut Up and Give Me a Hersheys Kiss*. I detect a pattern here. Lauren and her sisters host a political roundtable on Sunday morning on FOX: Were Right and Right and Your Left and Wrong and Heres Why. Im hoping they invite me on someday. So there's the twenty-five year bogus prediction regarding the Class of 2009. I thanked Kirbi Stum for the lovely conversation and told him that it was hard keeping up with him because he talks so fast. I would love to come and emcee this reunion, if only to see some of those long lost familiar faces. Oh, and dont forget the food.

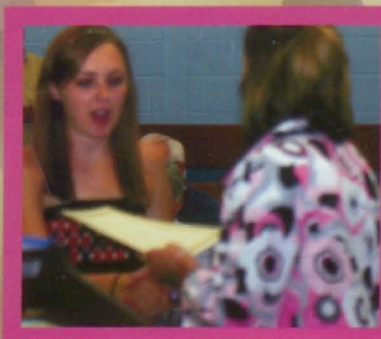
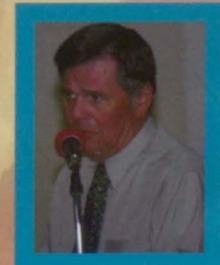
Pssst...See How We Did!



First Row (l-r): Jason Specht receives the physics award from Mrs. Fickenscher; Joanna Specht gets up to receive her award; Mr. Hamilton gives Paige Specht the Algebra II award. **Second Row (l-r):** JoAnna Beightel receives her computer award; Paige Specht receives the English II award; Ms. Fees presents the knowledge team: Vincent Koeller, Jason Specht, Paige Specht, Joanna Specht, and Garrett Crownover.



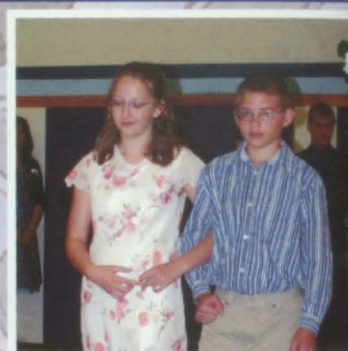
Third Row (l-r): The high school track team; and Lauren Weber walks up front to receive her award as Miss PHS for 2008-09. **Fourth Row (l-r):** Jason Specht receives an award from Mrs. Wilson; Mikayla Schmidt receives a computer award; and Joanna Specht and Paige Specht carefully examine their awards. **Last Row (l-r):** Shanelse Crow receives her cheerleading recognition from Ms. Fees; Mr. Coulter addresses the crowd; Vincent Koeller prepares to receive one of many academic awards; Kirby Crownover receives her FBIA recognition; and Vincent Koeller and Jason Specht receive their knowledge bowl bars from Miss Fees.





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8th Grade Graduation



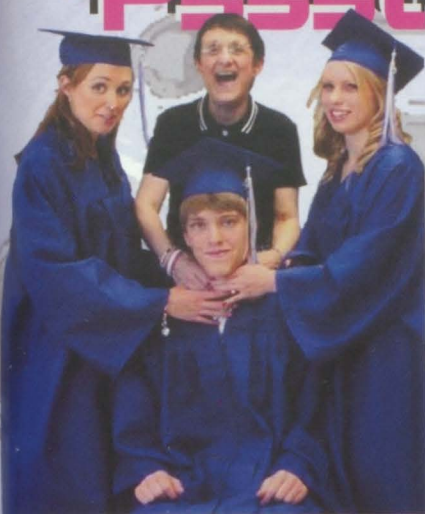
Clockwise from Top Left: The eighth-graders watch the proceedings; Kimberly Austin Ryan and Luke wait for graduation to commence; Joel Lehman and Katelyn Wanderlingh usher the soon-to-be high schoolers in; Ryan receives his certificate from school board vice-president Marvin Koeller; Kimberly receives her certificate; Kimberly processes in; the eighth grade graduates with their sponsor, Mr. Wilson; Kimberly Ojeda, Luke Specht, Ryan Scott, and Austin Scott; Mr. Wilson presents the class of 2013; Luke receives his certificate; Mr. Coulter presents Austin's certificate; Luke walks in; Ryan attempts to look confident; Mr. Wilson announces the first of the graduates; and Austin walks in.



Psst... Look Out World!

Graduation 2009

Class 2009



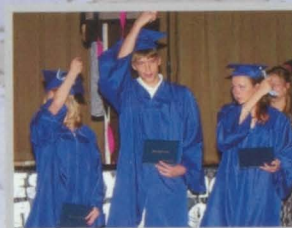
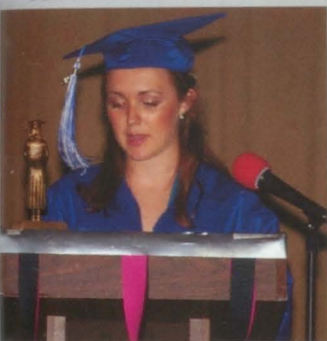
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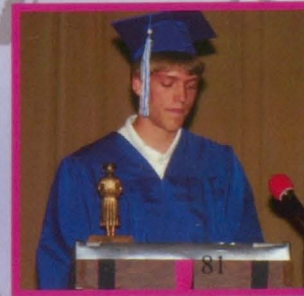
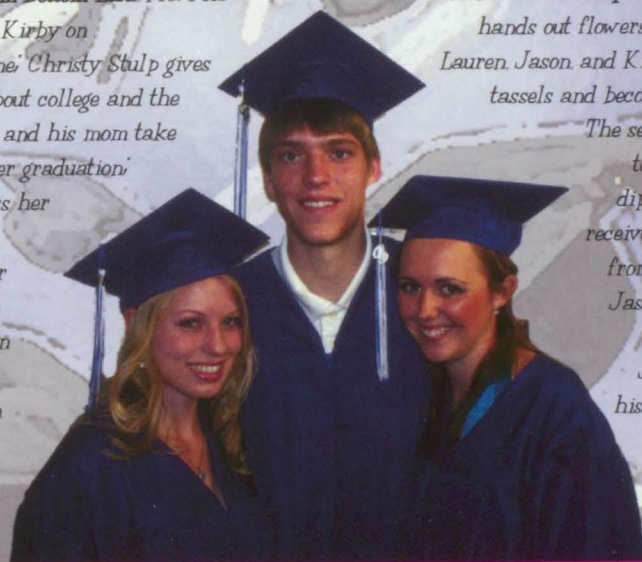


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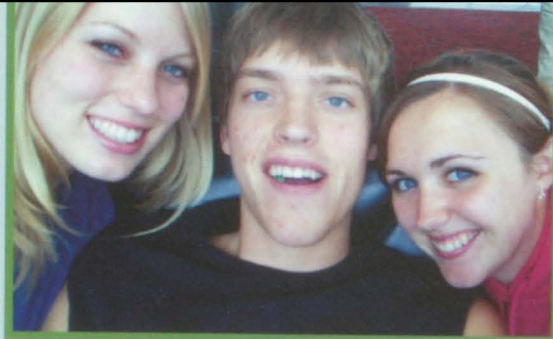
Clockwise from Bottom Left: Ms. Fees congratulates Kirby on a job well done; Christy Stulp gives her speech about college and the future; Jason and his mom take a moment after graduation; Kirby delivers her salutatorian address to her class and the crowd; Lauren receives her diploma from school board president Jay Specht.

Clockwise from Top Middle: Lauren hands out flowers to loved ones; Lauren, Jason, and Kirby turn their tassels and become graduates; The seniors prepare to receive their diplomas; Kirby receives her diploma from Jay Specht; Jason receives his diploma; and Jason delivers his valedictorian address to a very captive audience.



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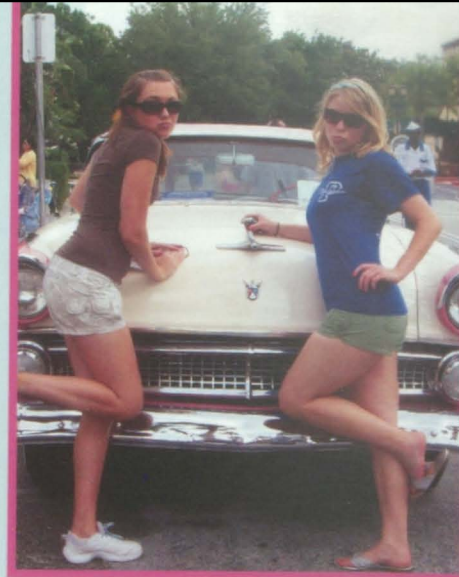
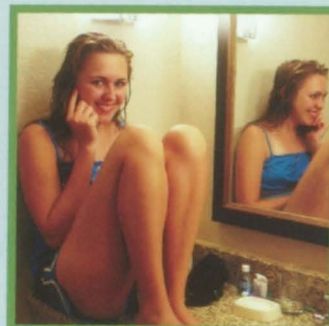
FLORIDA SNEAK



Left: The three seniors are very excited and can't wait for their plane to Florida!!!!

Below left: Kirby Ann and Lauren pose by their birth year sign at Disney.

Below: Kirby Ann sits on the bathroom counter doing what she does best... talking on the phone.



Above: Lauren Weber and Kirby Crownover pose with the white and pink Crown Victoria during their day at Universal.



Above: Jay Specht enjoys his slushy underneath the shade at Disney.



Above right: Lauren Grace has finally found her "Knight in Shining Armor."

At right: Jason shows his muscles next to his birth year sign.
Below right: The class poses with their favorite sunglasses from the Daytona International Speedway.



Kirby Crownover is about to get into a NASCAR for the Richard Petty Ride-along, which is amazing!!!



Lauren Grace shows what happens when you pillow fight with Jason Specht.



Jason Specht shows his "big" catch while deep sea fishing.

"Sneak is a great way to end a wonderful senior year, and it's really the last moments with your classmates."

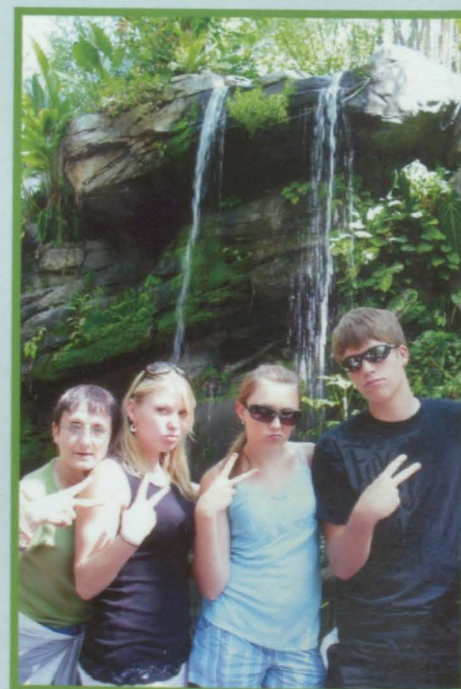


Above left: Susan Specht and Jason Specht show little enthusiasm after a VERY early morning ride to the airport.

At left: Miss Fees rocks out while the others stand around the music memorabilia at the Hard Rock Cafe.



Above: The week brought a little bit of rain, but Lauren Weber and Kirby Crownover didn't let that affect their fun as they shared a poncho to stay dry!



Right: Miss Fees, Lauren Weber, Kirby Crownover, and Jason Specht continue their "peace" style.



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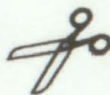
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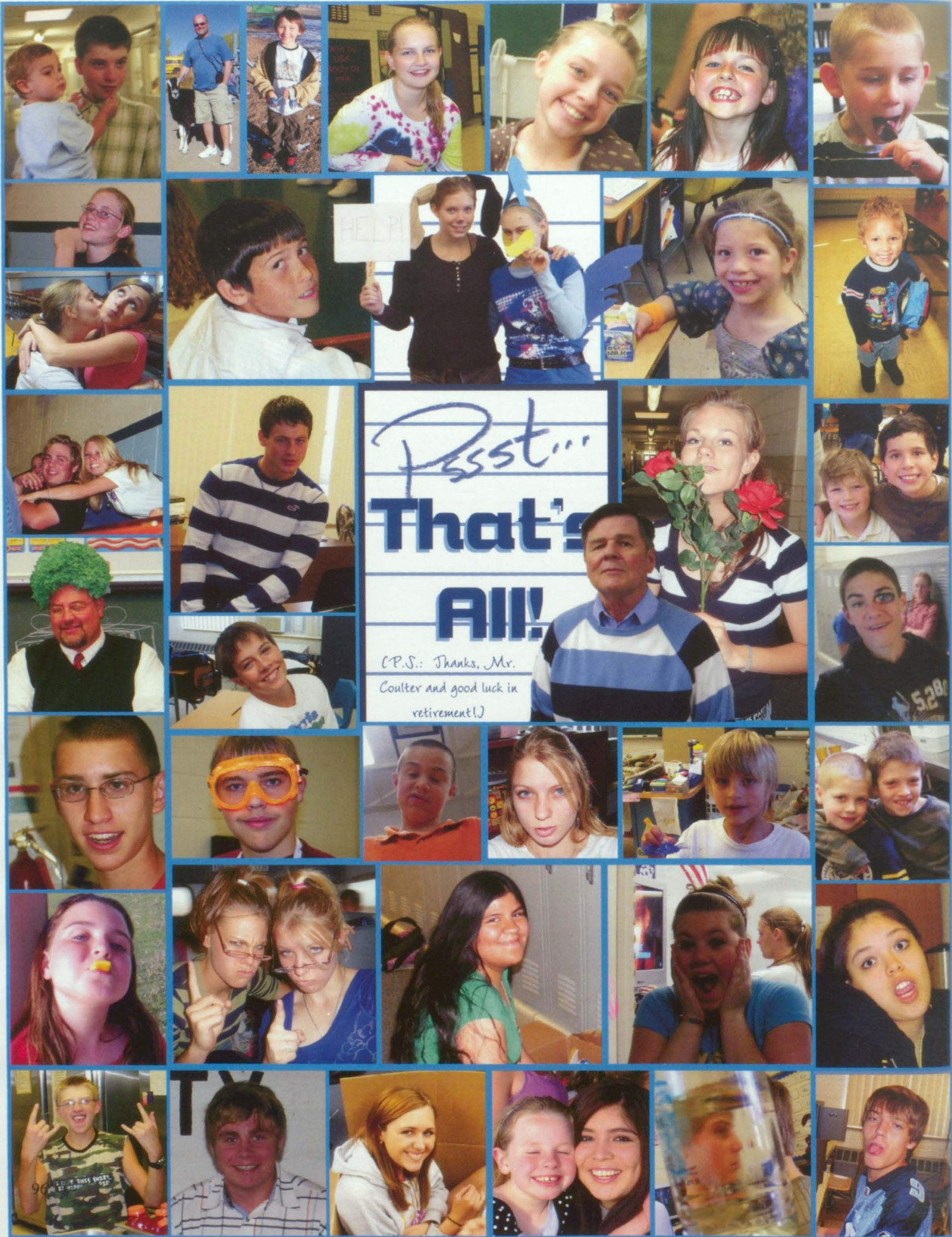
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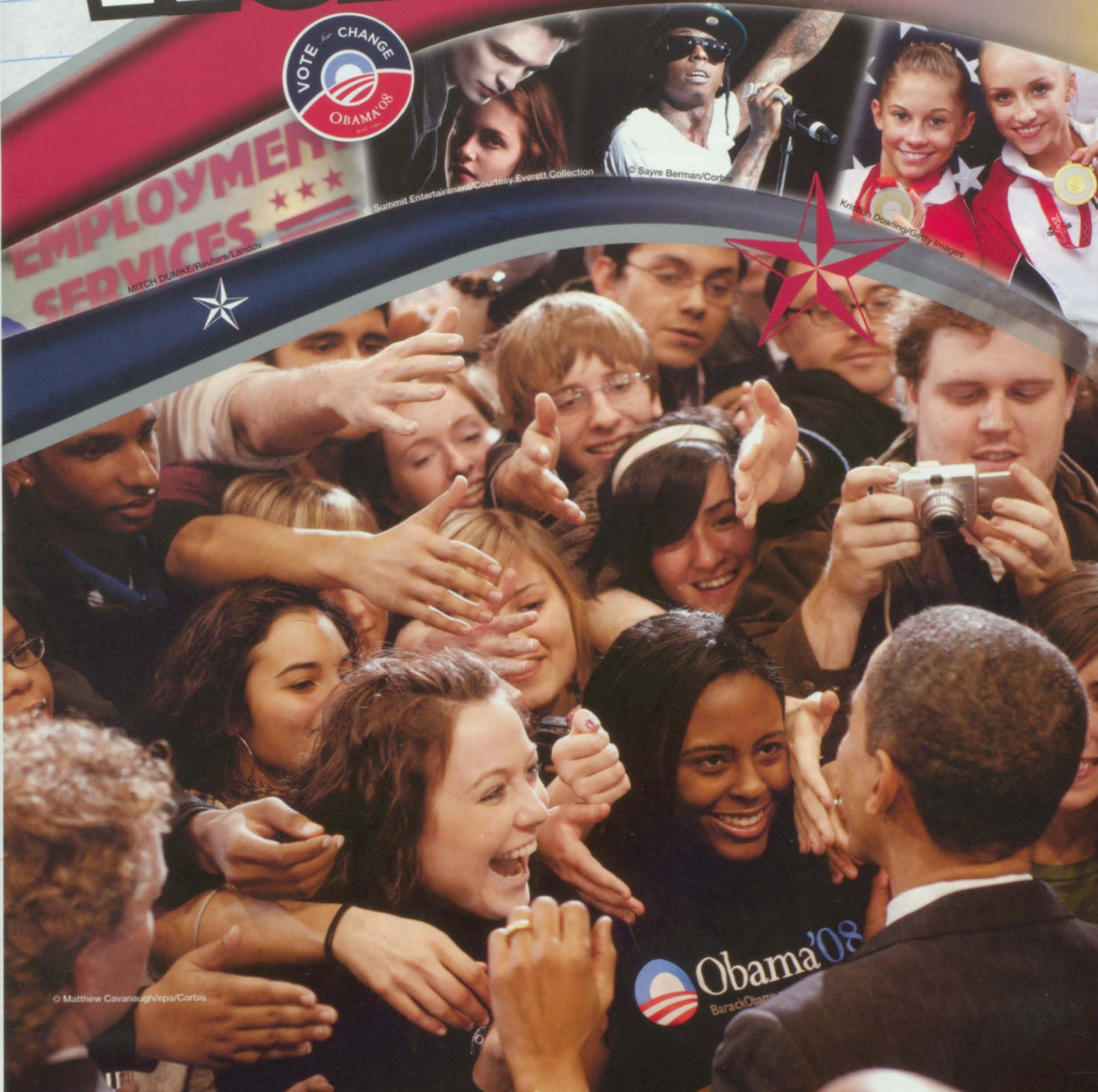
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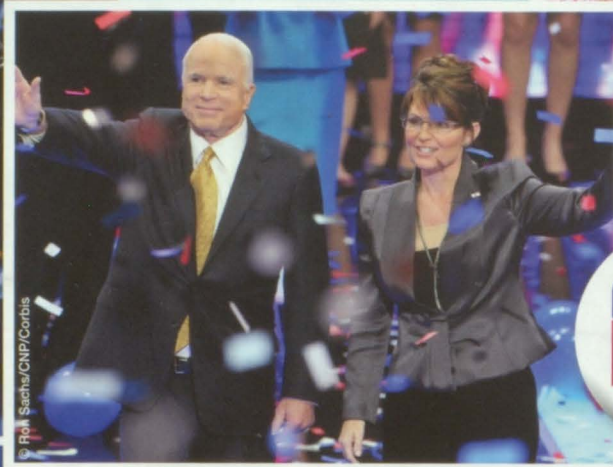


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▼ Arizona Senator John McCain wins the Republican nomination for president and names Alaska Governor Sarah Palin as his running mate. Palin is the Republican Party's first female nominee for vice president.



Waves of Change



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Politics in pop culture

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▼ Democratic Senator Joe Biden of Delaware becomes the 47th vice president of the United States. A member of the Senate since 1973, Biden brings long-time Washington experience to the Obama administration.



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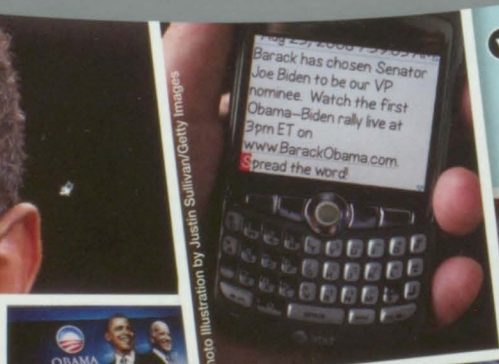


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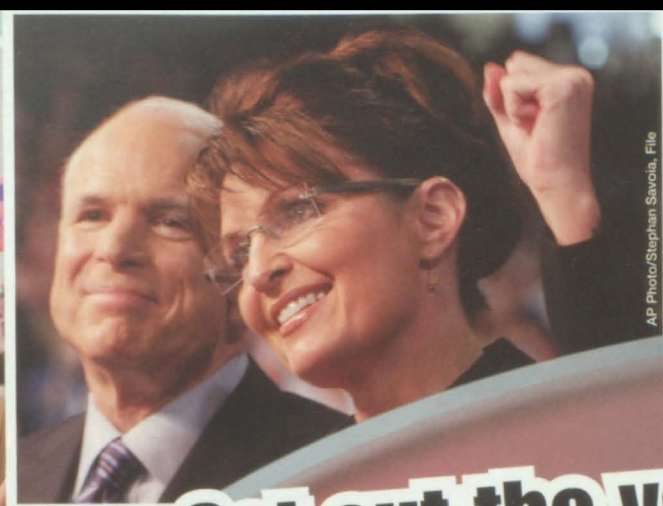


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Get out the vote!



Campaign volunteers



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I Voted

Obama's grassroots organization and innovative Web campaign is credited with inspiring young and first-time voters to participate heavily in the election.

First-time voters



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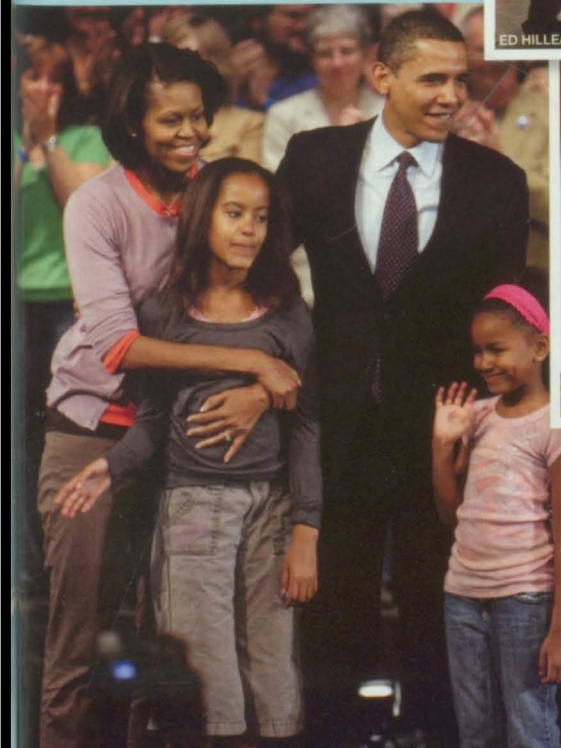
EARLY VOTING



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The values, fashion and personal vitality of the Obama family resonate with Americans. Public interest in the first family rivals that of the interest in the Kennedy family in the 1960s.

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Barack Obama makes history as the first African-American to win the presidency of the United States. The former Illinois senator promises an era of change that captures the imagination of voters nationwide.

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Electoral Votes

Obama	365
McCain	173



New York Times

Obama Wins

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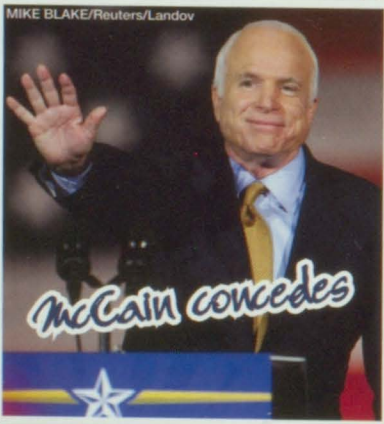
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McCain/Palin run a strong campaign, winning 22 states. But they are defeated 53 vs. 46 percent in the general election and by a substantial margin in the Electoral College.

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Celebrations around the world

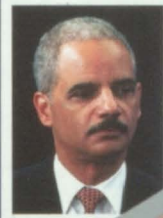


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Obama's Cabinet nominations

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In January 2009, president-elect Obama attends the ultimate power lunch in the White House, meeting and getting advice from President Bush as well as former Presidents George H. W. Bush, Bill Clinton and Jimmy Carter.

Getting prepared for office

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The inaugural parade

Souvenirs

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During the inauguration ceremony, Malia Obama captures the moment from a unique point of view.

Inauguration 1-20-09

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Barack Obama is sworn in as the 44th president of the United States before millions in Washington, D.C. Obama's inaugural address calls for a "new era of responsibility" in the face of economic decline and a pledge to choose "hope over fear."

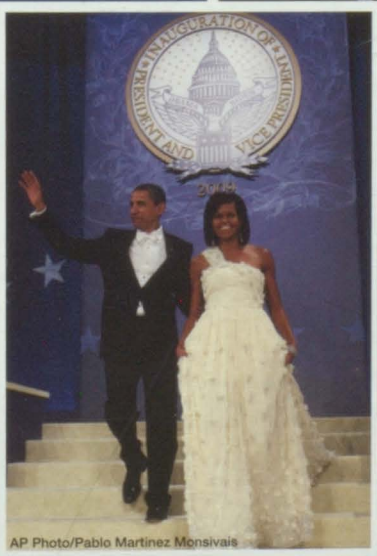
"We have chosen hope over fear..."



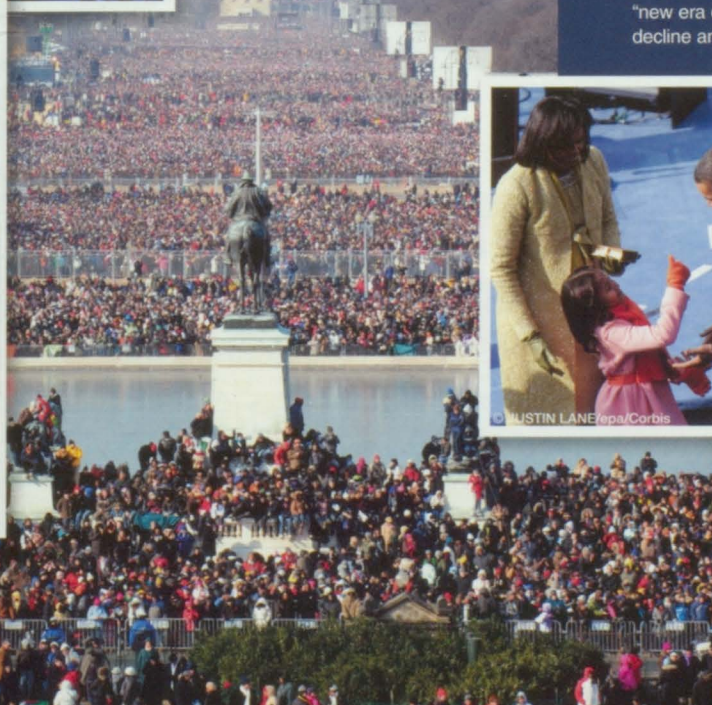
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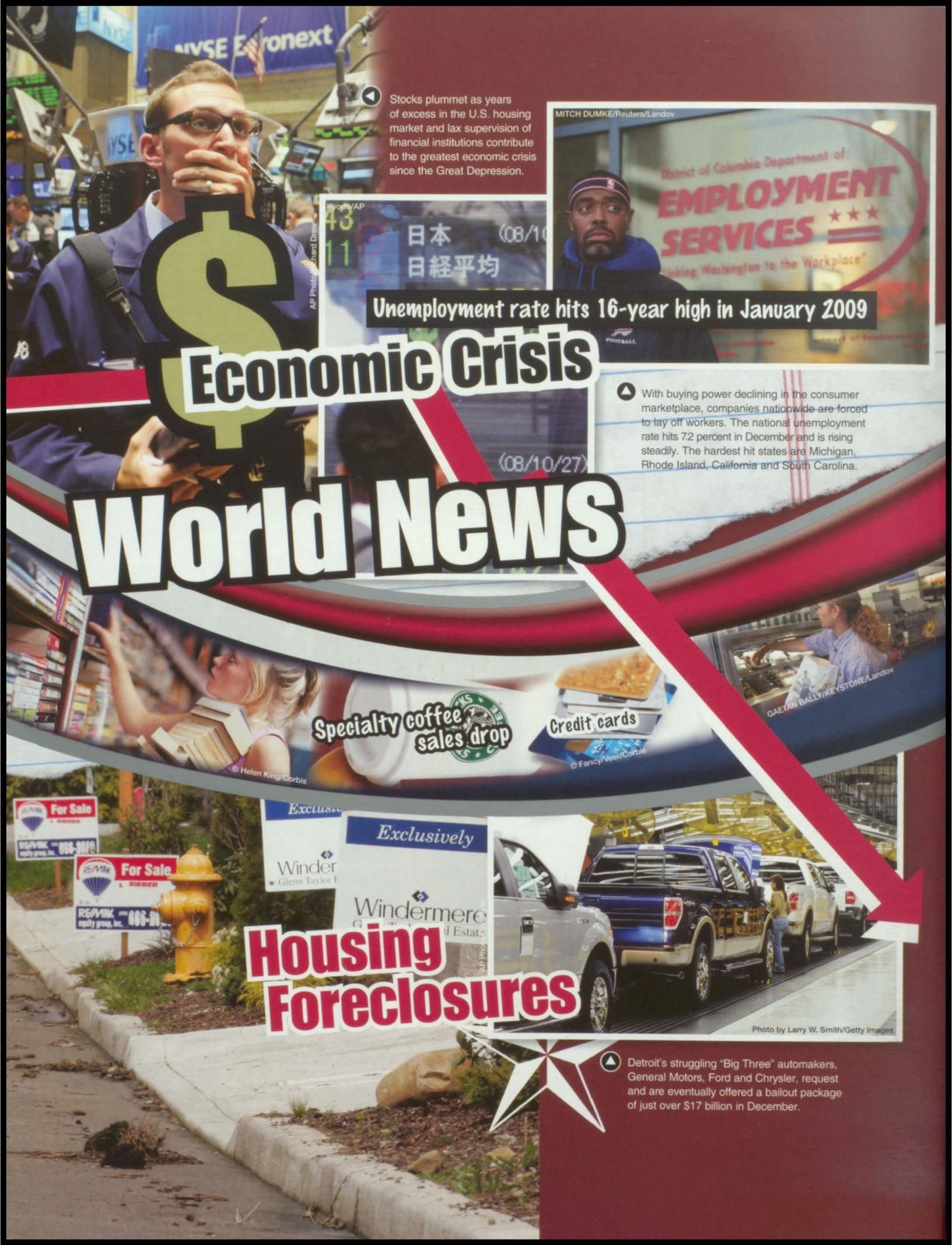


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Stocks plummet as years of excess in the U.S. housing market and lax supervision of financial institutions contribute to the greatest economic crisis since the Great Depression.

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Unemployment rate hits 16-year high in January 2009

Economic Crisis

With buying power declining in the consumer marketplace, companies nationwide are forced to lay off workers. The national unemployment rate hits 7.2 percent in December and is rising steadily. The hardest hit states are Michigan, Rhode Island, California and South Carolina.

World News

Specialty coffee sales drop

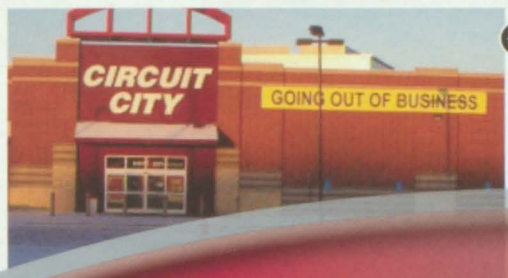
Credit cards

Housing Foreclosures

Detroit's struggling "Big Three" automakers, General Motors, Ford and Chrysler, request and are eventually offered a bailout package of just over \$17 billion in December.

GOING OUT OF BUSINESS

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Many retailers are forced to file for bankruptcy or go out of business after being unable to rebound from the harsh economy and a very disappointing fourth quarter of 2008.

Teens work part-time



Gas prices up and down



The world's "hot spots" center around the Middle East. Israel mounts a major offensive against Hamas in Gaza, the United States continues to oppose the Taliban in Afghanistan and insurgents in Iraq, and in August, Russia attacks its southern neighbor, Georgia, in a dispute over western influence in the area.



Support our Troops

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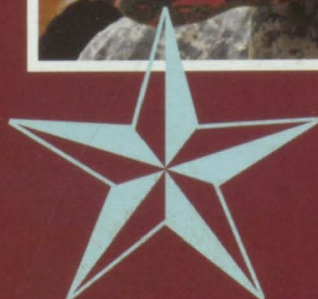
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"Miracle on the Hudson"

GARY HERSHORN/Reuters/Landov



In January 2009, after both engines fail due to ingesting birds, US Airways Flight 1549 ditches in New York's Hudson River. All 155 passengers and crew members are saved, thanks to the skill and courage of pilot Chesley B. "Sully" Sullenberger.



Changing our World

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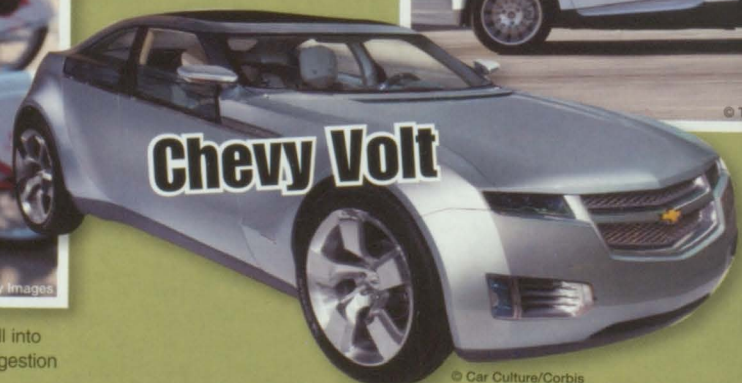
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Tight money and high gas prices push auto manufacturers to investigate super fuel-efficient and electric cars. The Chevrolet Volt is an early contender and the tiny "Smart" car is already on American roads.



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Chevy Volt



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Public bicycle sharing systems, already popular in Europe, roll into American cities like Washington, D.C., to help fight traffic congestion and reduce pollution.



CLEAN ENERGY

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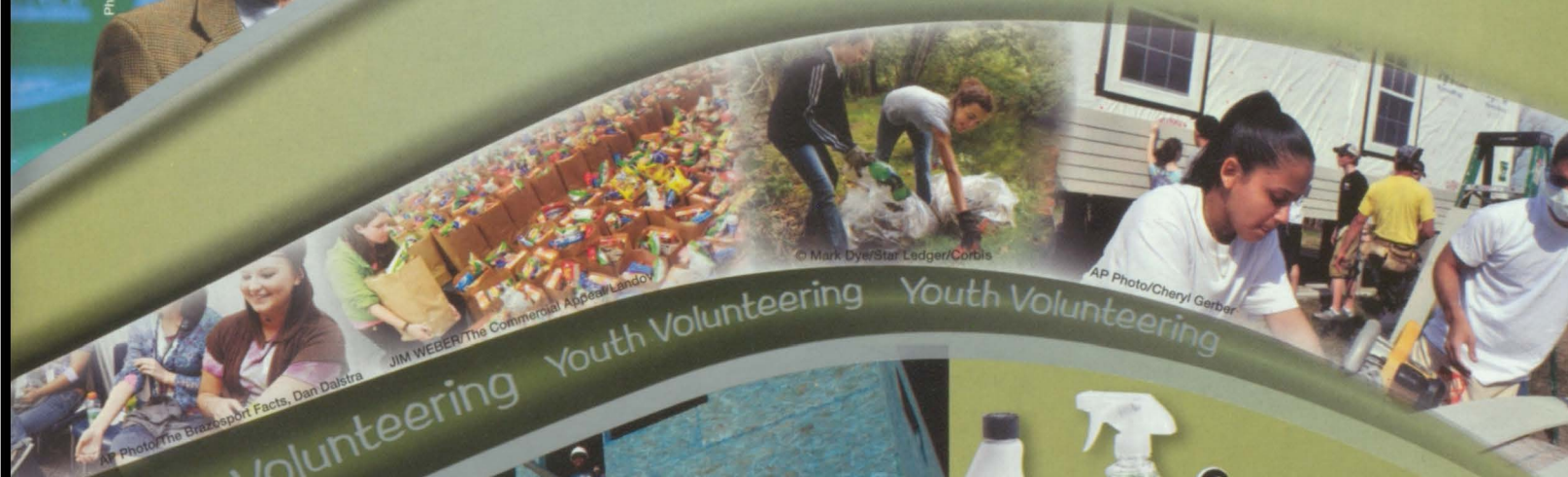


In September, Google and General Electric partner to develop clean technologies. Modernizing the national electric grid to enable wider deployment of wind, solar and geothermal energy will be an early priority.



Environmentally friendly MacBooks

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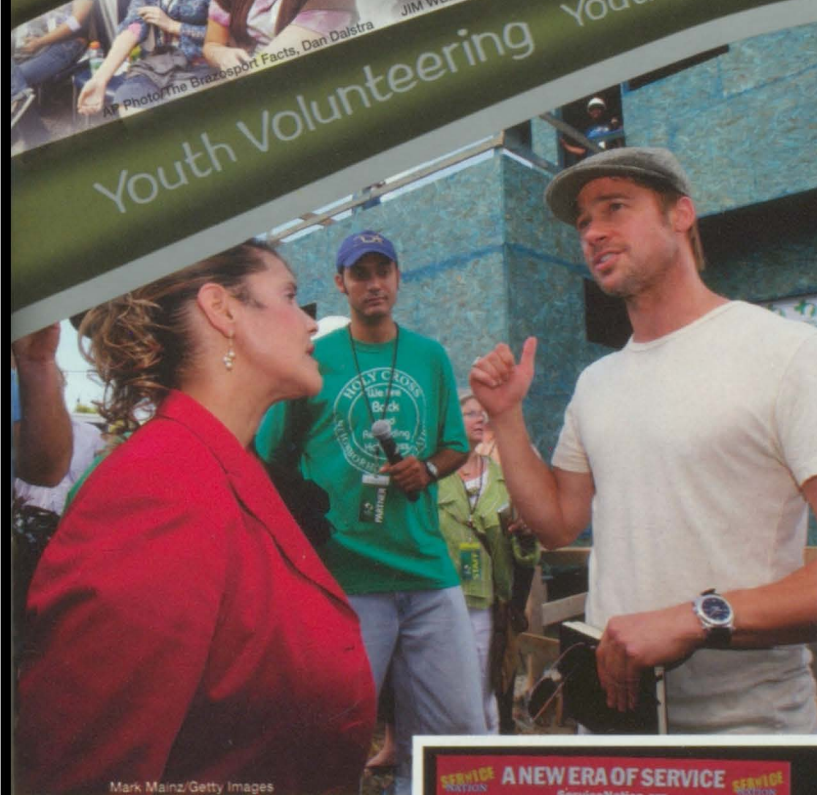
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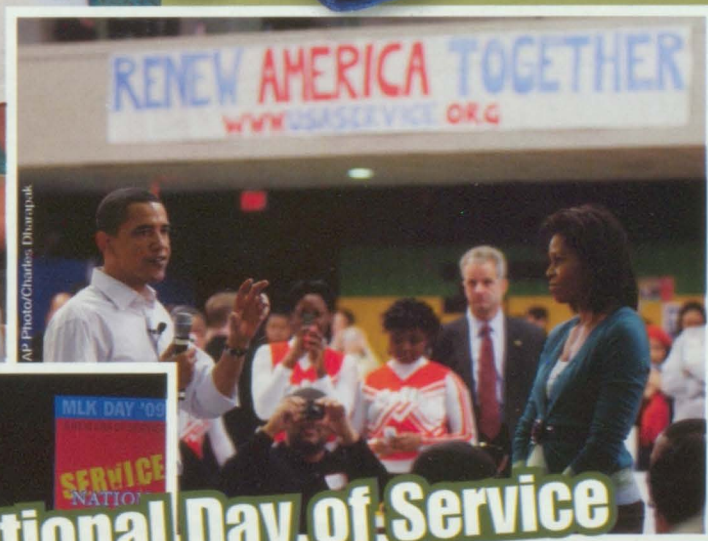


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Brad Pitt launches the "Make It Right" project to build 150 green-sensitive new homes in the New Orleans Lower 9th Ward, which was destroyed by Hurricane Katrina. Pitt contributes \$5 million to the project.



The green cleaning movement gains momentum nationally as environmentally safe non-toxic cleaning products are used in many homes, as well as state and city institutions.



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National Day of Service



President-elect Obama asks all Americans to volunteer their time on the 2009 Martin Luther King Jr. Day of Service, January 19, and to continue throughout the year. More than 12,000 service projects take place across the country.

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American swimmer Michael Phelps makes Olympic history with eight gold medals. Phelps sets three world records in his five individual wins.

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Summer Olympics

The Beijing 2008 Summer Olympics showcase some of the most amazing performances in Olympic history.

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Sports

The Olympic Opening Ceremony

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Red Wings win 2008 Stanley Cup

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World Series

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The Philadelphia Phillies win their second World Series with a five game victory over the Tampa Bay Rays. The fifth game takes three days to complete after a rain delay.



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▶ The Chinese gymnasts take the team title, but Americans Shawn Johnson (floor exercise) and Nastia Liukin (all-around) take individual gold medals for the U.S.

Gymnastics



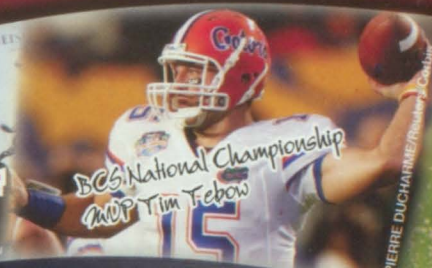
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Venus and Serena Williams

Heisman Trophy winner
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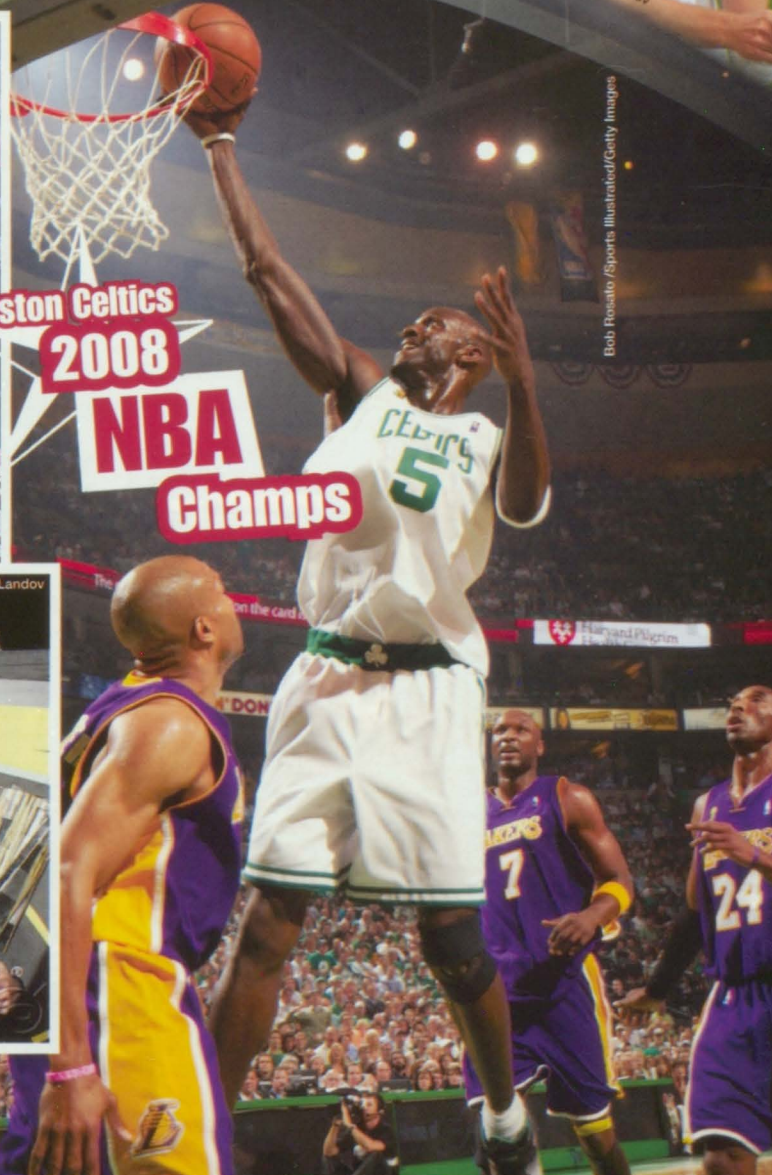
Brock Lesnar

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Super Bowl XLIII

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Boston Celtics
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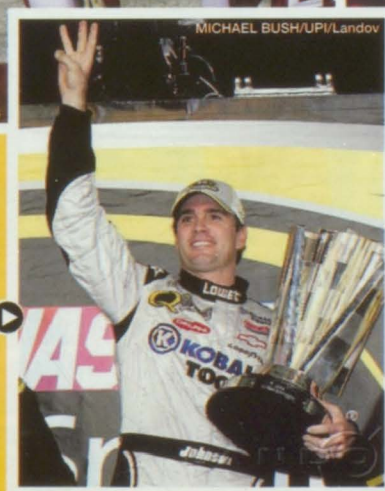
NBA

Champs

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▶ MVP Santonio Holmes makes a tip-toe catch in the corner of the end zone with 35 seconds remaining to lead the Pittsburgh Steelers past the Arizona Cardinals 27-23 in Super Bowl XLIII.

▶ Jimmie Johnson captures the NASCAR Sprint Cup championship for the third straight year in his famous #48 Lowe's Chevrolet Impala SS.



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Stephenie Meyer's runaway best-seller, *Twilight*, becomes a hit movie starring Robert Pattinson and Kristen Stewart as Edward and Bella.



Tina Fey

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Nick and Norah's Infinite Playlist

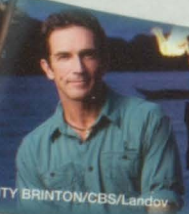
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Reality TV



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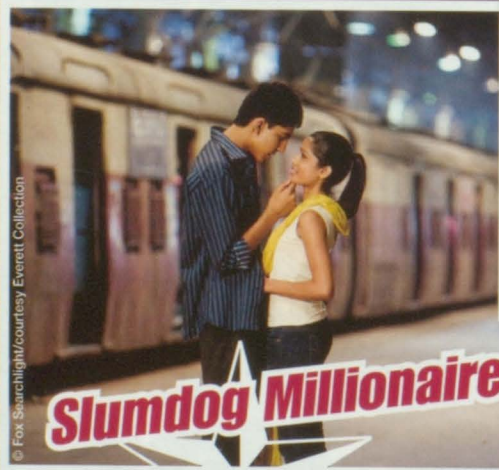
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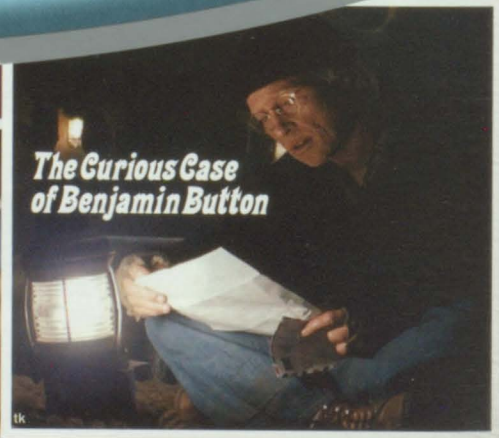
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Slumdog Millionaire

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The Curious Case of Benjamin Button

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Slumdog Millionaire, a surprise entry from India about teen life in Mumbai, and Brad Pitt's *The Curious Case of Benjamin Button*, about a man who ages backwards, monopolize Academy Award nominations with a combined total of 23.





◀ MTV spins off the reality show *The Hills*, following Laguna Beach star Lauren Conrad and her friends to Los Angeles.



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▲ Australian Heath Ledger, in his last film role as the Joker in the Batman epic *The Dark Knight*, wins a posthumous Golden Globe for Best Supporting Actor in a Drama.

Paul Blart: Mall Cop

Bedtime Stories



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MTV

▶ Rapper Lil' Wayne takes home four Grammys, including Rap Album of the Year for *Tha Carter III* and Best Rap Song.

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▶ Due to low ratings, MTV's flagship show *Total Request Live* shuts down in November after a 10-year run.

Lil' Wayne

Music

Jordin Sparks

Bon Jovi

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Fall Out Boy

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▶ R&B singer/songwriter Ne-Yo brings out his third album, *Year of the Gentleman*, which debuts on the *Billboard* 200 at No. 2. The album garners six Grammy nominations.

Beyonce'



AP Photo/Peter Kramer

Ne-Yo

▶ Britney Spears rebounds from years of personal challenges with her fifth No. 1 album, *Circus*. She becomes the only act in Nielsen SoundScan history to have four albums that debut with 500,000 or more copies sold.



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▶ The video for Will.i.am's song "Yes We Can" garners more than 1.3 million hits on YouTube and becomes an anthem for young voters during the presidential campaign.

Classic Rock



Alicia Keys

Jonas Brothers

Pink

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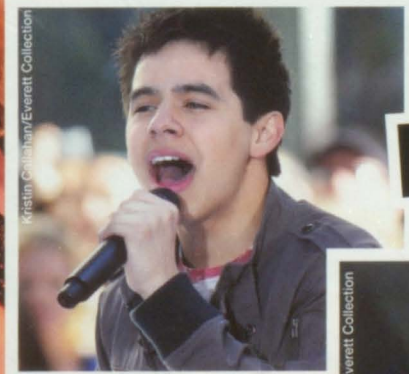
▼ Fox's *American Idol* adds a fourth judge to the popular show. Grammy-nominated songwriter Kara DioGuardi joins regular panelists Randy Jackson, Paula Abdul and Simon Cowell.



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Taylor Swift



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David vs. David



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▶ Rocker David Cook, with 58 percent of the fan votes, beats balladeer David Archuleta in the 2008 finals of Fox's *American Idol*.

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▶ Texting becomes the new writing. Teens everywhere learn to double-thumb miniature keyboards and invent a new language of abbreviations and signs.



Social Networking

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Digital TV

▶ The nation converts to all-digital TV in 2009. The Department of Commerce offers government coupons to make the conversion more affordable.



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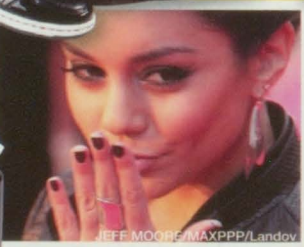
Big Sunglasses

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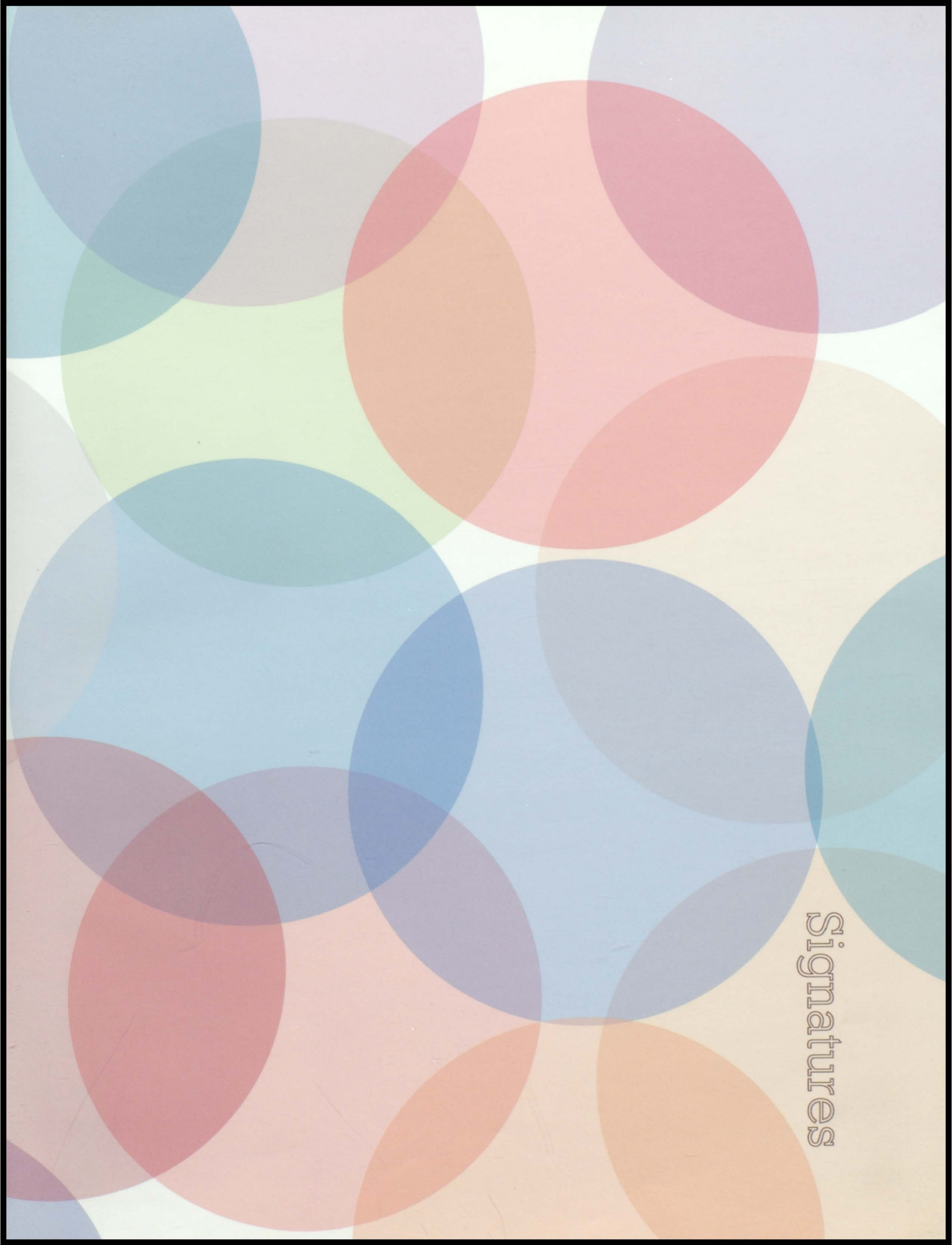
▶ Top style trends this year include baggy pants, oversized sunglasses, designer purses, black nail polish and plaids.

Black Nail Polish

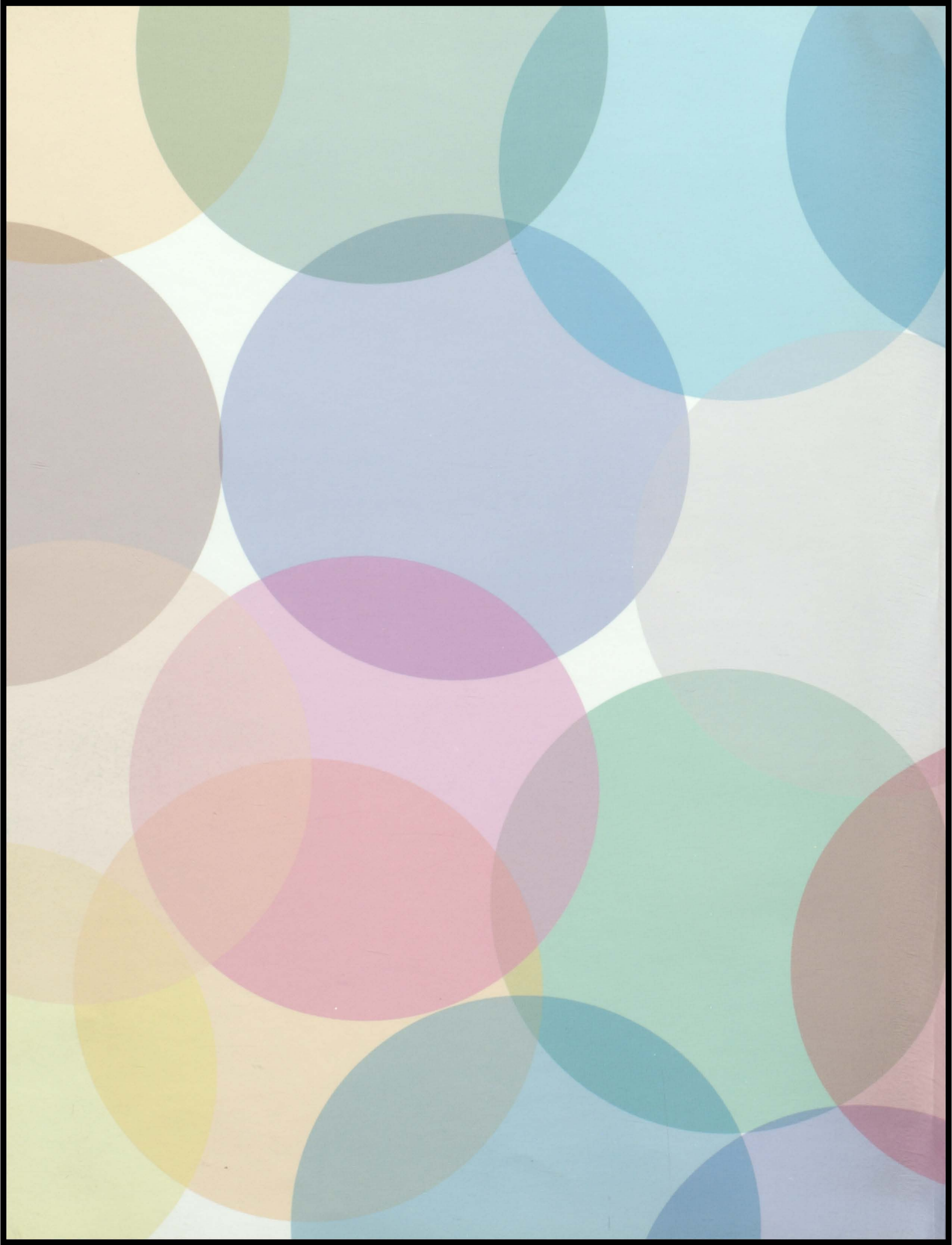



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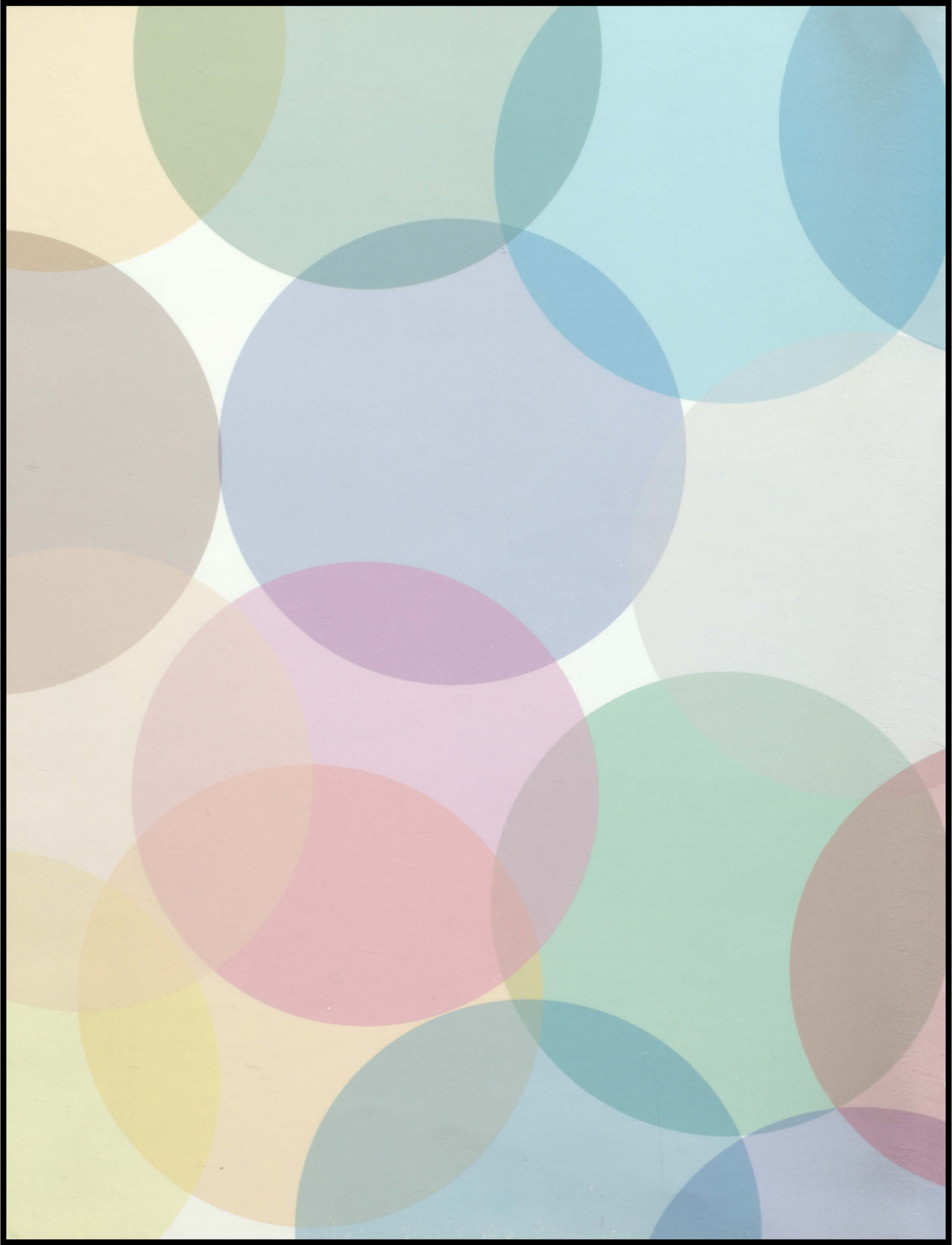



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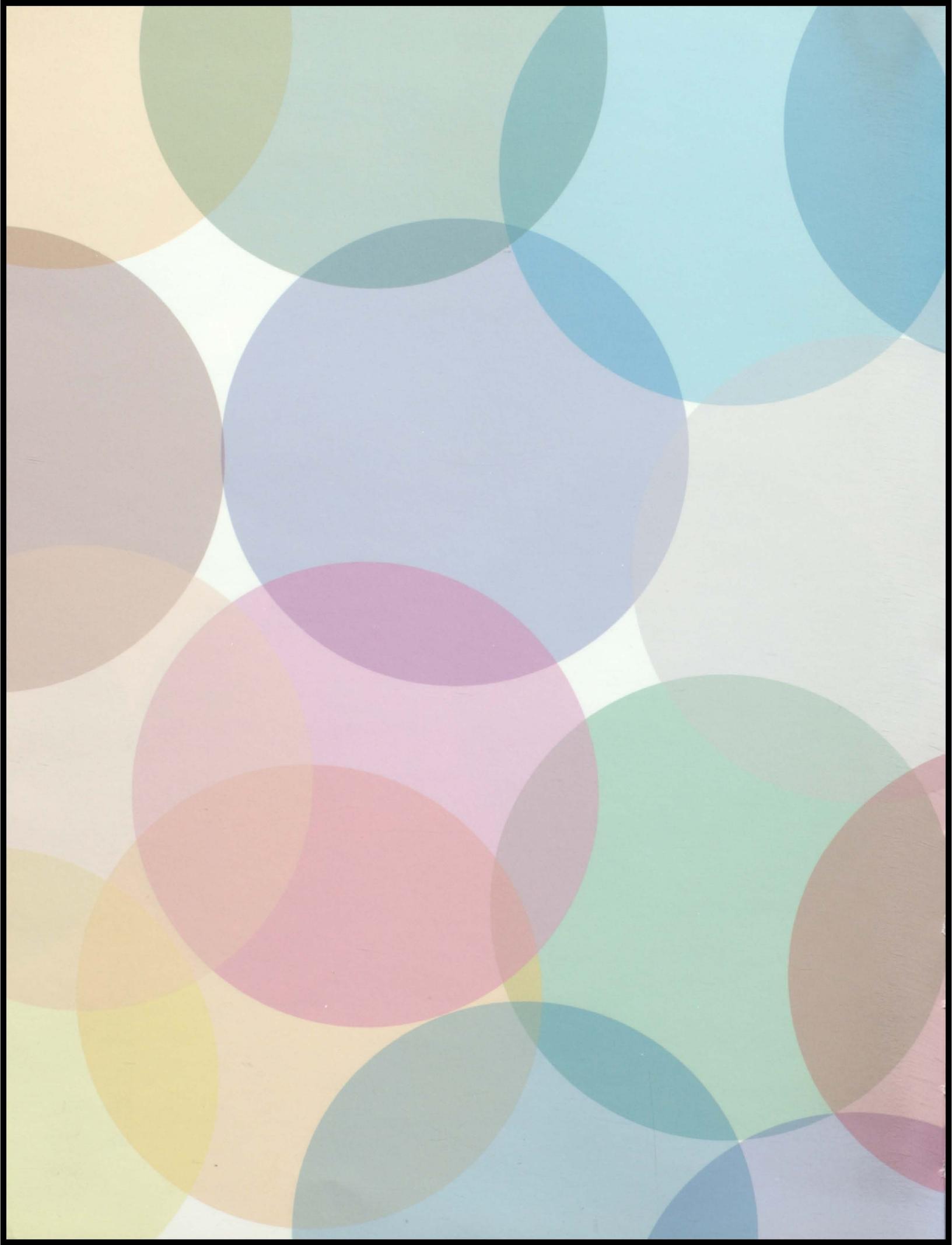



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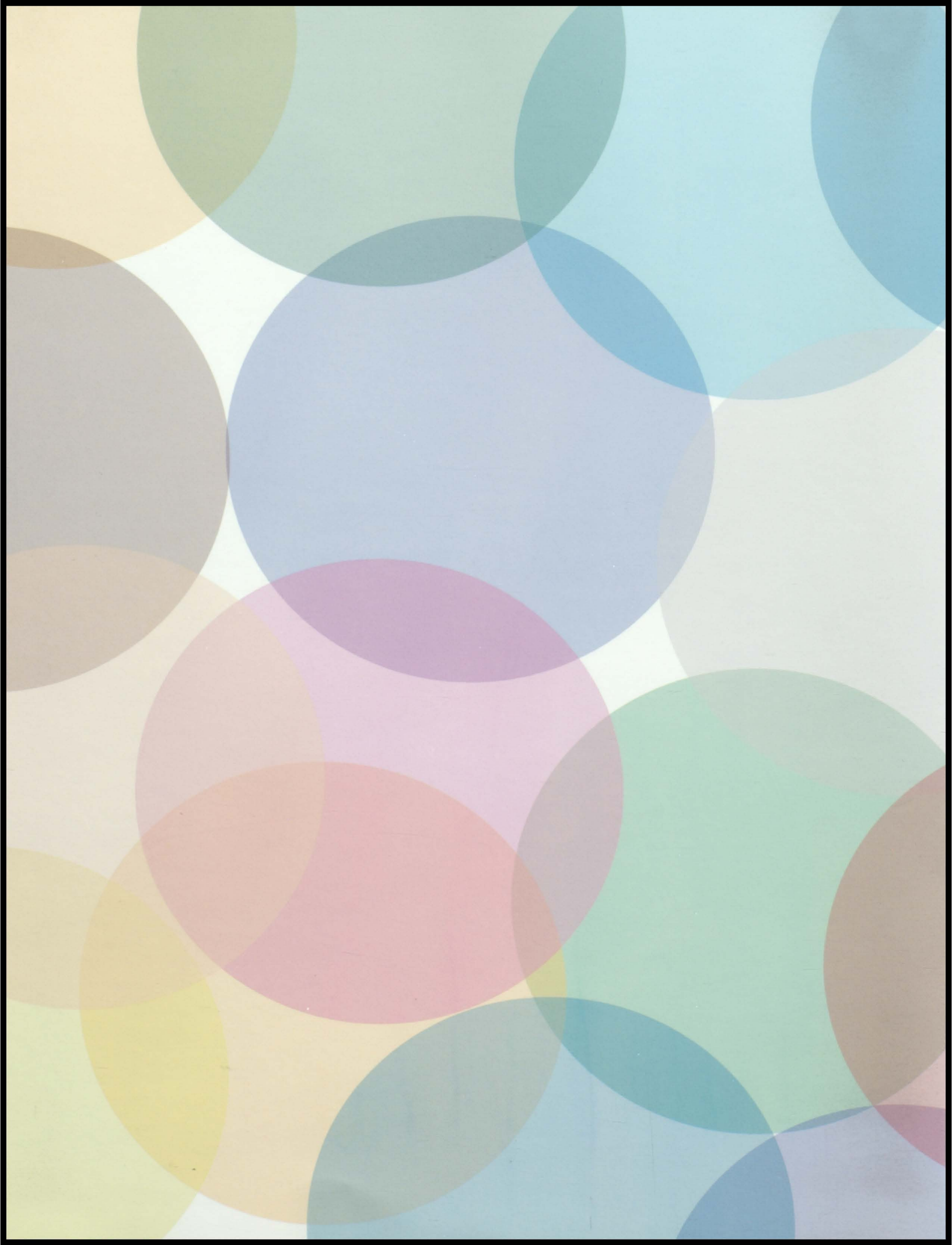


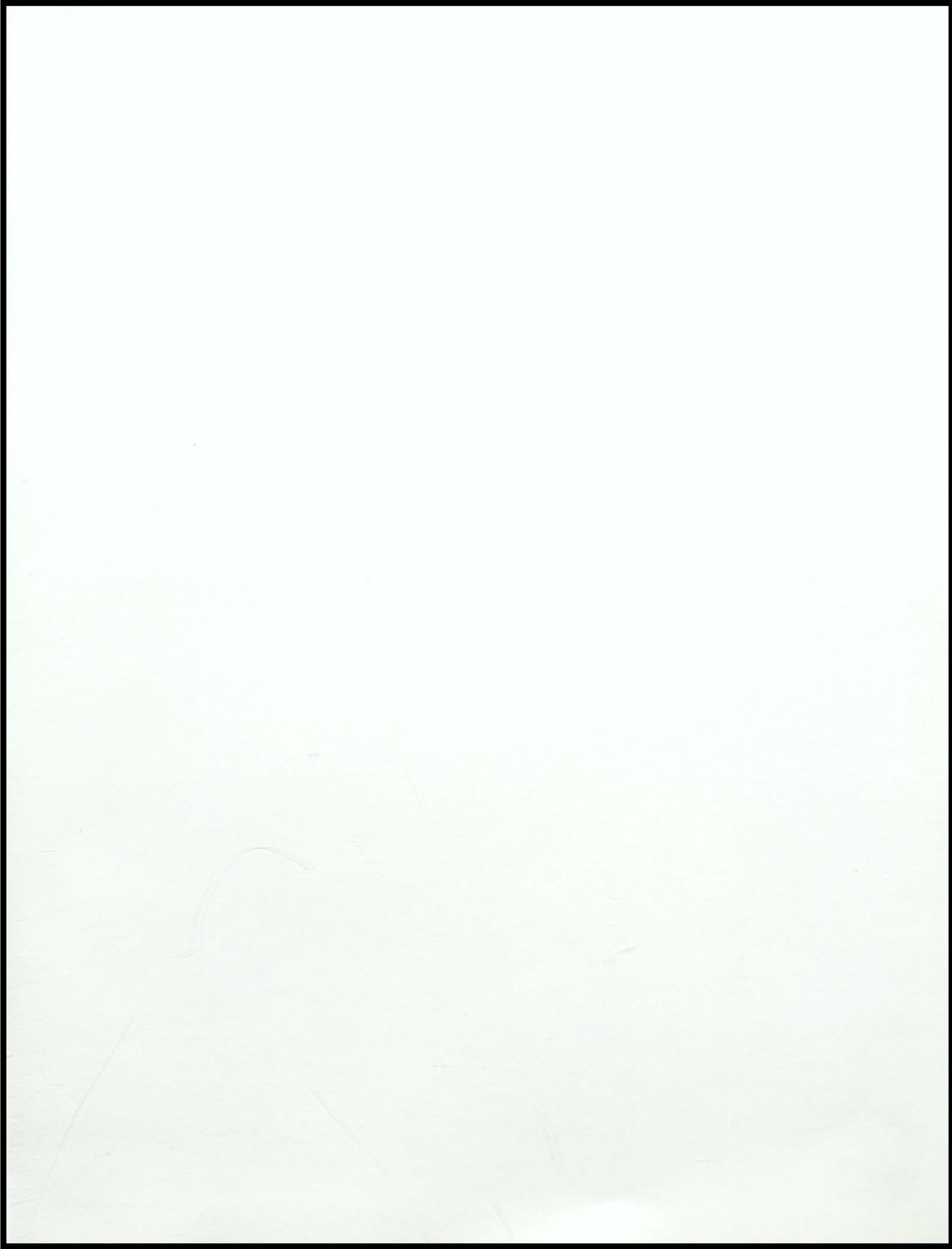
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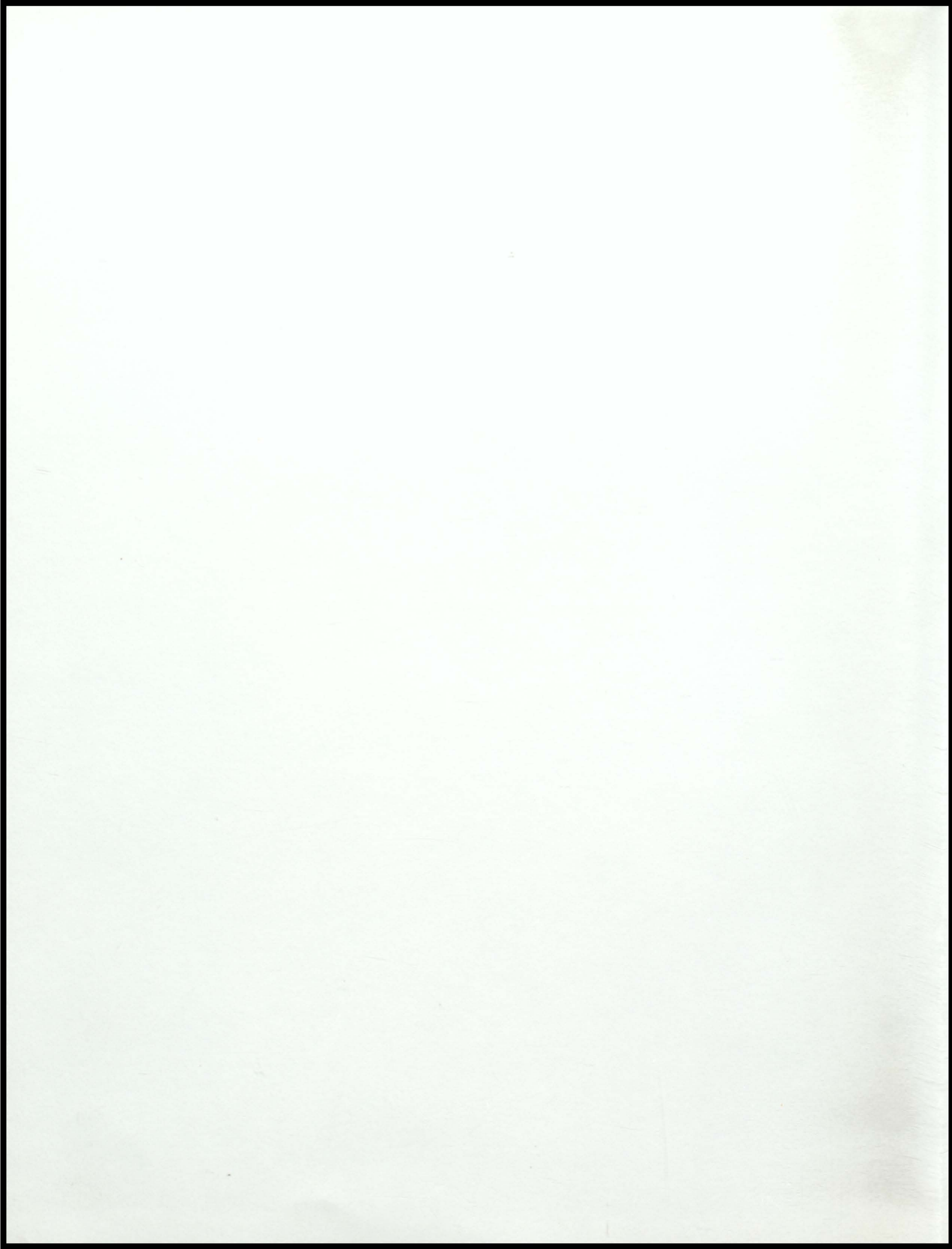


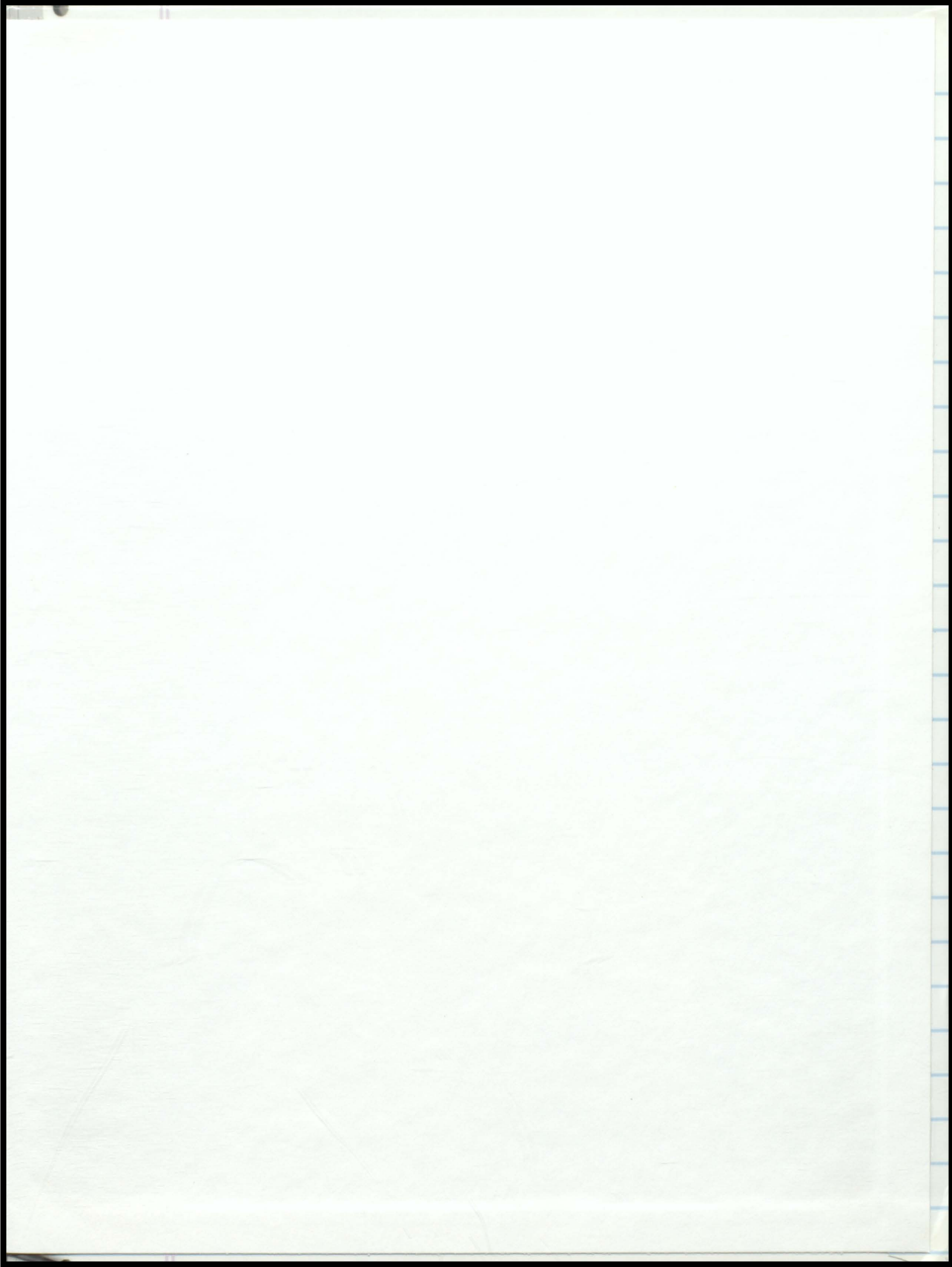


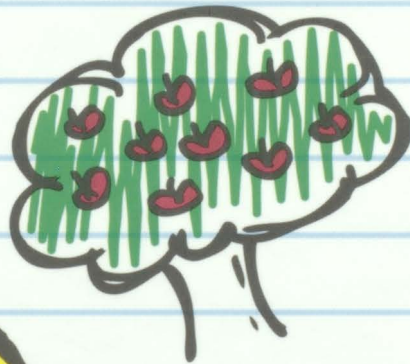
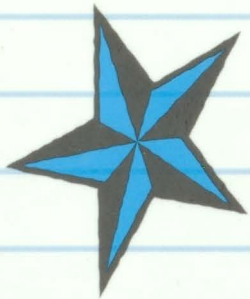
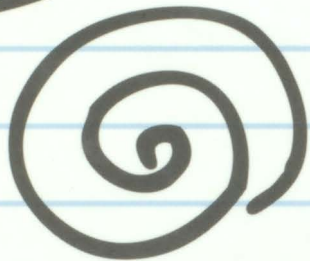
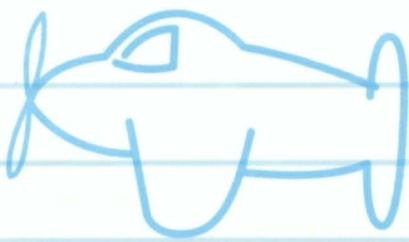
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