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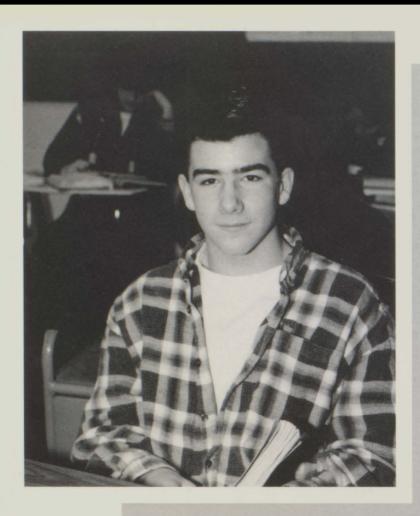
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Adrienne Cournoyer Jason Cournoyer Keith Coutu Jason Couture Christopher Covill Amanda Cramer

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What, Me Worry?

What do you worry about the most?

Freshmen worry about a lot of serious issues. Some of the biggies are AIDS, death, violence, nuclear war, and just making it to graduation. Whoa! That's pretty heavy stuff. If they keep thinking like that, the whole class will end up in bed with ulcers. Hey, maybe that wouldn't be so

bad ... Then they can think about being upperclassmen, when they have to worry about the RE-ALLY important stuff: getting a date, dumping a date, finding a prom dress, avoiding speeding tickets, getting a ride to Taco Bell ... Yup, the freshmen sure have it easy!

— The Immortal Canker Worm



Jonathan Cyr Jacob Dalton Jessica Dauphinais Peter Dawson Peter De Fazzio Meagan De Fedele

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Jennifer DiCarlo Kristi DiCenzo Joshua DiGregorio David DiMeglio Ernest DiMicco Bianca Dino





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Jeremy Dufault Megan Duffek Jeffery Dunn Margaret Dunning Bethany Dyl Nicholas Edwards

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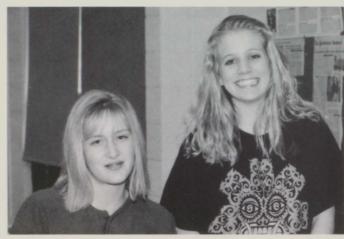


Place the Blame

It's always the freshmen to blame. It's always their fault, isn't it? The traffic jams in the hallway, the leftover food on the tables at lunch, the extra space they take up in the yearbook, the bad weather, and anything else that goes wrong in your day—just pin it on the freshmen. It's not fair! Hey, who ever said that life was fair? Be-

sides, everyone has to be freshman once in their life. It's an inevitable tradition. When the class becomes sophomores, they can carry on the blame game with a new horde of frosh. Isn't revenge great? What the — Eewww! Who put chewing gum under this desk? Its all their fault!

- Dentist



Ryan Galitskie Heather Gammon Daryl Gast Frank Gauvin James George Robert Gibbons

Melinda Gilmore Evangelos Giovanis Amy Gizienski Danielle Godin Jeffrey Goodwin Tabitha Gosselin

William Grandchamp Alan Greene Melissa Grover Kerri Grundi Beth Gudas Scott Guidon





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Christopher Haskell Susanne Hatton April Hazard Herbert Hicks, Jr. Tricia Hill Jonathan Hogan

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Jessica Hoxsie Jennifer Huey David Hughes John Hughes Elisha Jackson Jaclyn Jacques

Tanya Jankowski Tammie Jarvis Kristine Keenan Sara Kennedy Susannah Kenyon Michelle Kiernan

Ryan King Kerri-Lyn Kirchmeyer Steven Kirton Valerie Kirton Jeffrey Klein Kelli Knight

Brian Korus Kimberly Krzan Nina Labanara Adrienne Labranche Daniel Lacroix Billie-Jo Lagerstrom



Gym Gripe

One of the things I hate most about high school is gym every other day. It should be an elective. Why not? Who really likes gym besides jocks? Not me! What a trip — sweating for a half hour while you bounce a ball down the court or roll around on a grungy wrestling mat. Personally, I'd rather have a study hall where I could

get my homework out of the way. That's exercise! I have to lift my calculator. My fingers have lost weight lately. The only thing worse than gym is gym FIRST THING in the MORNING. Now I can get all gross before eight o'clock. I say we kill the fat old men who decided we have to take gym!

- A Sweaty Student



Timothy Lambert
Julie Lang
James Langford
Jason Lapearl
Gregory Lautieri
Amy Lavoie

Brendan Law Tracey Lawrell Dawn Leary Kimberly Lafebvre Jennifer Legacy Jennifer Legault

Lori Legualt Eric Levesque Kelly Levesque Amanda Lima Joseph Lindsay Michael Lindstrom





Melissa Long Jennifer Longo Nathan Lowe Heather Luchka Steven Lucia Bethany Lynch

Cory Macdonald David Mackey Kerry Magnan Christine Maguire Nicole Mann Anthony Mansour III

Scott Marchessault David Marino Kevin Marsh Paul Marsocci Mark Martin Wade Mattscheck

Debbie McCallum Shaun McDonnell Shannon McLellan Michael McManus Brian Medieros Melanie Medieros

Michelle Medieros Robert Medeiros Erin Meenaguh Demetrios Melanis Gregory Milburn Christina Miller

Destiny Mills Laura Mitchell Melanie Moffitt Christina Monroe Jo-Anne Montalbano Christian Moore

Jeffrey Moore Jennifer Moore Wendy Morgan Stephanie Morin Neil Morris Barstow Morton



A Quest

Would it be to find the door to the yearbook office? Or to sail around the world with someone you love? Freshmen want to do a lot. Some want to live life to the fullest. (So they've finally decided to stop at a red light and do the Chinese fire drill, huh?) Others wish for true happiness. That's easy — just win the lottery or find bur-

ied treasure with all th jewels that you have ever wanted. One brave soul wants to fight dragons and get rid of all the evil knights in the world. A few other answers were to just make it through to graduation. There are so many quests to choose from, if only wishes could come true! — The Immortal Canker Worm



Adrienne Mottau Jessica Mouchon Merelise Murdock Angela Musco Dawn Myers Danielle Nagy

Nicole Nardella Norman Nelson Erin Nicholson Samantha Nievera Alicia Nolette Jeanmarie Olivera

Joseph Olivera Holly Osberg Marissa Ozel Daniel Padykula Vanessa Palardy Jami-Lyn Pardee





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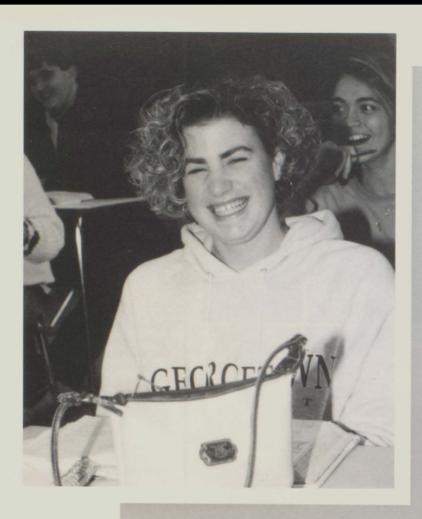
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Robert Regal Sheri Rego Nicolette Ricci Michael Richard Cheryl Richards Jeffrey Richardson

Jennifer Richer Nicole Robitaille Ryan Rocchio Holly Roffo Audrey Rogers Desiree Rojas



Mysteries of CHS

There are lots of riddles in the school that freshmen must solve by themselves. The upperclassmen don't help. They already have the answers. Where IS the yearbook office? What's that door by the auditorium used for? What are those annoying beeping sounds in the hallway after school? Must be aliens trying to make contact. Third

floor? What third floor? Who's roaming around in the air ducts, and why do the lights dim when science classes are doing labs? Where's that skyway to heaven? It's all right here at CHS! How many licks does it take to get to the tootsie roll center of a tootsie pop? The world may never know.

- The Dynamic Duo



Suzanne Romano Gregory Rondeau Toni-Jo Rotelli Christine Roy Jasmin Roy Melissa Rush

Christopher Russel Michael Saenko Christopher Salem Jessica Salemi Roxanne Salvas Robert Samways

Veronica Schenck Niessen Schiller Erin Schleif Melissa Schmitt Heather Shibely Brandy Silva





Corey Silva Julia Silvaggio Nathan Silvaggio Eric Simmons Paul Simmons Barbara Simonelli

Daniel Simpson Sandra Simpson Jennifer Smeal Laura Smith Shari Smith Gregory Soscia

Kenneth Sprague Jr. Danielle St. Amand Jeffery Stevens Jennifer St. Germain Jesse Stoddard Allan St. Onge

Eric St. Onge Nat Syarath Bonnie Tanguay Frederick Tarbox Jr. Vincent Tedesco Audra Tellier

Melissa Tessier Frederick Tessitore Nicholas Tetreault Michaela Thompson Jeremy Tonet Matthew Trabucco

Kristina Triggs Jessica Trombley Jennifer Tuchon Robert Tumminelli Brian Turgeon Jaime Vadovsky

Rose Vallier Peter Valois Philip Van Hest Eric-Paul Vancouyghem David Verducci Beth Very

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Jodi Heroux Jason Hodge Roberty Houghton Gina Inserra Jesse Jamnik Rosemary Johnson Thomas Johnson Bernard King Lindsy Lachance Scott Langen Jesse Laroque Aimee Leclerc George Lima Joseph Magnanti Thomas Maher Norman Martin, Jr. James Matteson Michael McCov Matthew Medeiros Allen Morris Justin Myers Micheal Nakopinski Brian Nicholson Derek Noel Melissa Noel Joshua Nye Timothy Pacheco Kristen Packer Charles Palardy Daniel Peckham Joshua Pepin Todd Petschke Youphine Phimmasah

Matthew Picotte Shawna Pierson Geoffrey Potvin Keith Pruenca David Pulsifer David Ralph Charles Reis, Jr. Andrew Rich John Rourke Gregory Sanderson Kelley Schwartz John Sungio Ferndinando Senerchia Leonard Sherman Justin Smith Rachel Smith Kristie Soscia Randy Starrett Stephanie Suffoletto Nicholas Sullivan Sean Sullivan Shane Sutherland Kandi Swanson Justin Swart Timothy Trafford Manuel Vital Andrew Whipple James White Scott Wilbur Wendy Woods Gary Yates Jessica Young Jennifer Zimmerman

Leavy Vicars Michaela Wadbrook Thomas Walker Lee Walshe Alicia Ward Aaron Watson

Christopher Watson Ryan Webb Michael Wheeler Heather Whitford Audra Wisnieski Michelle Wolf

Christopher Woodcock Wu Chee Kin Shannon Wunschel Thomas Zannini Vanessa Zecchin





(top left:) Kevin Marsh says, "Wooh, dude, that was so disgusting I think I am gonna blow chunks!"



(top right:) Is this a conga line or what? Some freshmen congregate outside the cafeteria.





(bottom left:) "Oh my God! Did you see him? What a hunk!" (bottom right:) Kelly Fagan looks disgusted while Annie Driscoll sports a winning smile.



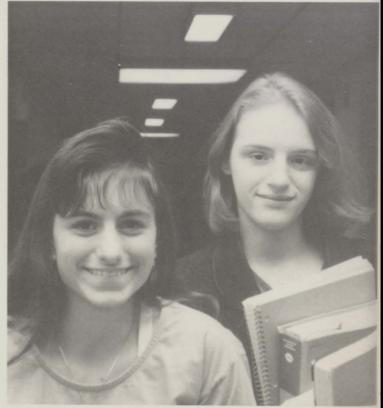
(top left:) Alfredo Toj, the wonderous ESL student, amazes us by simultaneously both writing and fantasizing with his eyes closed. We wouldn't be surprised if he was fantasizing about warmer places after a cold and snowy winter.



(top right:) Christy Socia and her friend Amanda Lima take a moment to compare shoes. Whose are better?



(bottom left:) Michelle Kiernan and Jen Legault pay more attention to the camera than they do towards their school work. People will look for any reason to ignore the teacher. (bottom right:) While on their way to class, Beth Very and Desiree Rojas stop for a photo shoot. They get high marks for their enduring smiles.





(top left:) Kristen Avery shows how well decorated some of our school's lockers are to an admiring audience. Graffiti is no stranger to CHS.



(top right:) Shannon McLellan decides to relax and enjoy herself while in the middle of class. Wouldn't school be great with sofas in every classroom?





(bottom left:) Randy Arel gets giddy and strikes a pose to attract some companionship. Go Randy and good luck! (bottom right:) Aaron Watson and Dan Bjorkland are teaming up to discuss ways to conquer the female persuasion. Hopefully their prayers will be answered.

The Guiding Light

Top Left: Mr. Fargnoli, one of the several industrial technology teachers, shows his students the correct way to glue together their assignments. That is he is showing them the correct way to alue their fingers together. Top Right: No this is not Dr. Frakenstein, or a member of the Monty Python cast, it's even better, because it's our own Mr. Whetstine. This man is the Thomas Bailey of history. Just look at this expression and you know that it is going to be an interesting class discussion Bottom Left: Mrs. Seemuller is seen here giving a caring personal help session to one of her students. Or is she just strangling this poor defensless student, who is undoubtedly a model student. Bottom Right: Is Mrs. Baxter cowering behind her podium, or just about to fall into a laughing fit?

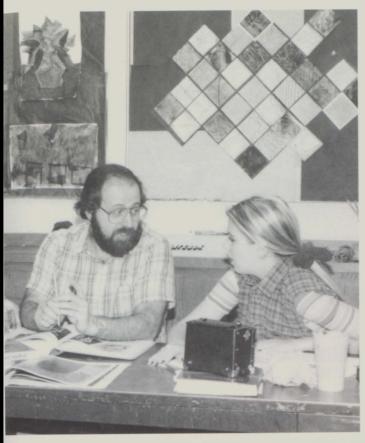
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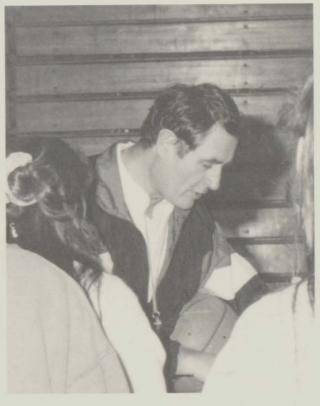






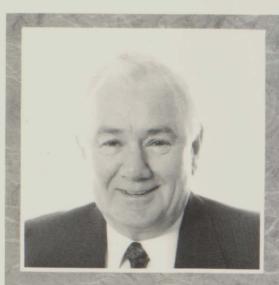






Top Left: Mr. Mello looks on in awe over the sheer genious of the talented artist to his left. This talented artist is none other than Jody Eastman, who happened to have been nominated class artist along with Dave Rull. Top Right: With a charming smile, Mr. Haid points out the finer points of grammar to one of his diligent students. Bottom Left: If you think a mole is a peculiar little hairy creature that lives primarily under the ground, I suggest having a good sit down chemistry talk with this vivarant teacher. Mrs. Collins is not only a chemistry teacher, but she is also advisor to the senior class, as well as advisor to the Recycle Club. Bottom Right: Mr. Murphy is seen here taking role call, before he teaches them the finer points of basketball. Just remember not to look at the ball while you are dribbling!

Faculty



Raymond Spear Superintendent



School Committee: Edward Madonna, Jospeh Butler, Sr., James McArdle, and William Potter.



Dear 1994 Oaker Graduates:

It is with great pleasure and enthusiasm that I offer each of you congratulations on this important occassion of your graduation. I also extend congratulations to the entire faculty and staff of this outstanding high school.

I trust you have enjoyed your career here and have taken full advantage of the numberous academic and extra-curricular experiences offered you. There are few secondary schools capable of the educational opportunities offered to their students like that of Coventry High School. It has been gratifying to see that the overwhelming majority of you have participated in our co-curricular programs, clubs, athletic program and organizations. While the skills you learned from these activities are important, the abilities you have mastered in the classroom are the single purpose of a high school education. Put these to good work! Of equal importance is the personal quality of integrity. We hope that you have developed and demonstrated this most important trait. It will distinguish you for life. Our world expects a great deal from each of you and in an important way, the world depends on the abilities of each and every graduate. Therefore, it becomes imperative that your education never end. Be life-long learner.

As you move from student to alumnus, I wish you the very best!

Sincerely, John E. Deasy



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Denise Calise Foreign Language



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Linda Caparelli Art



John Casey Mathematics



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Raymond Coppa Science Chairperson



Eileen Coyle Foreign Language



Nancy Cyr Social Studies Chairperson



Lucille DeBlois Foreign Language



Donna Della Porta Special Education



Pamela DelVecchio Foreign Language



Ernest Dimicco Science



Giuseppina DiPrete Foreign Language



Annette Dunkleman Art



The definition of history IS ... Mr. Piascik

Do you know the definition of history? Well, Mr. Piascik certainly can rattle it off in record time period. How about the ten steps of the Great Revolution? With Mr. Piascik's great tests, and impossible matching you'll be sure to fail. Every class is an adventure; it's like entering a movie theater for a different movie each time. Mr. Piascik takes all the rules. He shares with his classes: his political views about Bubba, Hillary and their cat Cheshire, among other zany topics. Make sure you don 't sit in the front row of his class because once during the year,

your desk is bound to be turned sideways or maybe even upside down. And everyday there are frequent invasions of upperclassmen, who have been effected mentally by Mr. Piascik, and can't run away from his grasp. ROTC students beware, you might have to know the shooting range of a brown bess rifle from the American Revolution. Overall, Mr. Piascik is one of the best (and most unusual) history teachers that the world will ever find. Just don't get him started on Japanese imports!!!

-Dentist



Top: Mr. Piascik, who is the subject of the story on this page, has a little fun with his students. No matter what kind of day you had this class is sure to please. It is a lot of work, but it's worth it.

Above: Mrs. Avedesian is pictured here diligently working with one of the students in the Whashington Annex section of CHS. Thier hard work does not go unnoticed.



Above: Here Mr. Rinaldi instructs a couple of students on the correct way to use the equipment in the iindustrial technology wing. In other words he is warning them to watch out and saying he does not want to be rushing somebody to the hospital to sew their finger back on.



Joseph Fargnoli Industrial Technology



Richard Fava Special Education



Diane Fusco Mathematics



Paul Gallo Foreign Language



Shirley Girard English



Kenneth Grady English



Robert Haid English



Lucy Hargraves English



Rene Horent Industrial Technology



Christine Haskins Foreign Language



Pamela Howell English Chairperson



Nancy Huling English



Evelyn Inman Librarian



Mary Kelley English



Patricia Kelly Special Education



Alan Kornicki ROTC



Norman LaButti Physical Education



James Leach Science



Susan Leavey Nurse



Richard Lebel ROTC



Donald LeBlanc Mathematics



Maureen LeClair Special Education



Claire Lepore Home Economics



John MacDonald Mathematics



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The bright light of our faculty

The Inner Sanctum

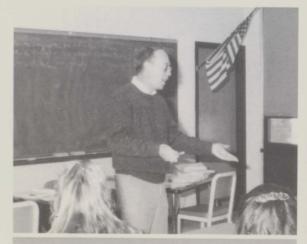
The inner sanctum sanctorium, the forbidden land, the blackest of black holes, THE TEACHER'S AREA! Beware any student who darkens the door of their private hangout! The faculty of CHS is very possessive of their desk photos and coffee mugs. Don't interrupt them. Any student who walks in there will never come out the same. They stare you down like you were wearing a chicken on your head. It's enough to make most teens run out in terror - as fast as their feet can carry them. Yet some brave explorers pass through when they are away . . . What an odd world unfolds! Each

teacher has their own mark. Some desks are cluttered. Others are impeccably neat. Pictures of family and friends are all over the place. On one desk, Mel Gibson is all over the place. What teacher could thbat be? Feminist articles adorn another one of the desks. I wonder who that desk belongs to - Mr. Diprete's bright smile is all over it. The foreign language corner is quite obvious with it's sombrero and such. The brave student must leave quickly, before one of the faculty come back. They would never let that person see the light of day again! They would - OH NO! AAAAAH! -Mary Poppins



Top: Carol Burke, who is one of the clerk's in the Assisstant Principal's office, is patiently waiting for the rush of late students looking for a pass to their next class.

Above: Mr. Winslow is teaching one of the many industrial technology classes. These classes give the students a good chance at hands-on experience in many different fields of technology.



Above: Mr. Gallo, known as senor to all his adoring students, stands in front of one of his first year spanish classes. Listen to what he has to say and you won't just learn that he is a great spanish teacher, but also that he is a lot of fun and loves a good joke.



John Munko Business



Lance Murphy Physical Education



William O'Connor Social Studies



Mary Jane Murphy Social Studies



Victor Osterman Mathematics



Elaine Petrocelli Mathematics



Richard Piascik Social Studies



Ernest Pike Social Studies



Gail Pike English



Ronald Price Mathematics



Gail Proulx English



Diane Ricci English



Kathleen Richardson Science



Brian Sampson Special Education



Margaret Schwab English



Vivian Seemuller Mathematics



Francis Short Mathematics



Carol Spaziano Mathematics



Barbara Sprague Business



Stephen Sprague Science



Robert Springer Science



Peter Stetson Science



Richard Stoutzenberger Guidance



Thaddeus Symkowicz Social Studies



Gerald Tebrow Mathematics Chairperson



David Thompson Social Studies



Jamie Trillo Foreign Language



Irene Wade Mathematics



Christopher Warner School Psychologist



Luther Whetstine Social Studies



Formality becomes a ...

"Casual"tee

Whoa! Teachers in jeans and sneakers — on a school day?! It's not every day that teachers get to blend in with the students. In fact it's only on Fridays in February. This year, teachers who donated to the Ronald McDonald House were able to relax and throw on sweatshirts, jeans, sneakers, and T-shirts. Watch out! Ms. Calise and Dr. Girard blend in so well in their jeans, you may not even notice if they are in the room! Mr. Hai, unrecognizable out of his normal suit, nearly shocked some students right out of their desks. On the other hand, teachers thought that dressing down meant

wearing nice slacks, a dress jacket, tie and shoes. Come on, we know you have to own a pair of Levi's somewhere! Thin, there's that one group of the faculty that loves to spend money and admittably show it off with their wardrobe. Certain teachers will never let themselves be caught out of their professional outfits! The next thing you know, they'll be having dress up days during the week for students, and the students can dress down at the same time. Then at least we'll be able to tell them apart from our fellow classmates. Mary Poppins



Top: Mr. Casey, one of the more eccentric math teachers, does the one thing in the world that just about every student hates. That's right he is looking over a students shoulder at what they are doing.

Above: Mr. Szymkowicz, who received the position of athletic director, sits in quiet meditation. For once he does not have a thousand and one different teachers and students screaming for his attention.



Above: Mrs. Huling stands in front of one of her english classes. This group of seniors already look like they are suffering from a bad case of senioritus. But as we all know we have to get through this year before we can look forward to the wild and wooly world of next year.



Don Winslow Industrial Technology



Kathleen Woodard Business



Louise Workman Science



Nancy Barry Aide







Carol Burke Clerk



Mary Ann Cantino Secretary



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Jackie Jaeger One-on-One Aide



Linda Langlois Clerk



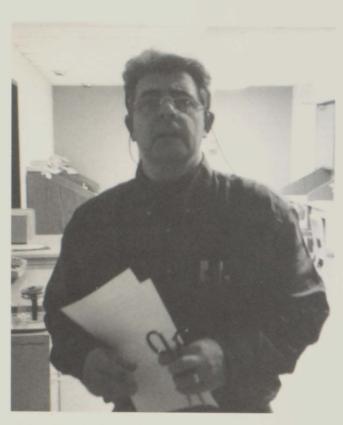
Doreen Lippitt Library Aide



Cindy Phillips Assistant



Jean Ward Clerk



Above: Who is that shadowy character, and why does he have that pair of scissors? Oh! It's only Mr. Labutti emerging from the faculty area, fully equipped for his next class.



Above: Mr. Coppa is working after hours with several of his "stewdants" to help better them in chemistry. Remember Coppa is his name and chemistry is his collective game. Let mankind rejoice that one so great has existed.



Above: "Don't point that finger at me young lady," cries Mr. Short, as Catharine Castenson makes her point clear. This teacher really is not a harsh guy, and you just know that by the way he breaks the tension with his "Short" jokes.

Right: Andrea Marchassault receives some helpful photography hints from Mr. Marcure. Mr. Marcure was the chairman of the arts and industrial technology department, a department which gives many students a sneak preview of some possible career choices.





Above: Now you may say that is an awful lot of balls, but Mr. Hopkins knows that they don't go a long way in the large gyms which we have at CHS. Many times the six nets will all have a group of students warming up at them.



Above: Mr. Osterman will tell a long winded story that seems to have absolutely no tie in to the lesson being learned until the last line which clears up the entire concept.





Above: Pointing out the correct way to exit the building, in case of fire, Mr. Sprague begins the new school year off the safe and smart way. Mr. Sprague is a typical scientist, in that he always wears his lab coat. Left: Mrs. Langlois, being busy as a bee as always, reaches for the ringing telephone which has interupted her busy schedule. Mrs. Langlois is in charge of many different duties including the grade entering and other such tasks around report card time.



Alfred Berard Director

West Bay

What does West Bay mean to me? Kelly Thurber replied: "I wanted to experience the job I'll be doing in the future." Sheryl Tondreau said: "the teachers are nice and in Child Care, we get to do a lot of projects." Chantel Hains responded: "You just don't sit down and read a book, you learn physically." Amy Reichstetter concluded: "I like the hands on training and the freedom!" Melissa Fontaine stated: "the halls aren't crowded. You can actually move in them!" Brenda Legault liked "the hands on training for a job you want in the future." Christine Testa enjoyed West Bay "because I love my teachers. They are both great! I like being with my classmates and Vo-Tech gives me a chance to see what the real world of nursing will be like." One student, who asked not to be identified replied: "I feel free! I like going in at 8 AM and getting out at 1:15 PM. I like my friends and the teachers. It gives me a break from the high school."



Ted Butzbach Cilinary Arts



Robert Colardo Resource



David Commolli Carpentry



Thomas Cook Automotive



Robert Cribari Culinary Arts



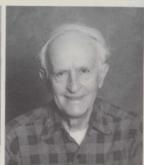
Stephen Delpozzo Environmental Resources



John DeSisto Carpentry



Barbara Erno Printing Assistant



Arthur Fillo Carpentry Assistant



Catherine Harring Clerical



Michael Haynes Carpentry Assistant



Michael Isabella Automotive



Cynthia Johnson Nursing Assistant



Janie Klein Public Relations



Raymond Mann Auto Body



Karen McGuire Guidance











Susan Meriano Aide



Rose Morris Head Custodian



Dana Rockwell Printing



Susan St. Armand Nursing



Arthur St. Jean Electronics



Shirley Senerchia Clerical



Linda Springer One-on-One Auto Aide



Diane Thompson Child Care



Francis Trigo Welding



Gerald Zannella ALP Teacher

A World of Games

Sports, sports, and more sports. CHS has a wide world of sports: there's wrestling, basketball, soccer, and many other sports. Stuffing a head into the mat must be fun, but you won't find any unsportsmanlike conduct on our team. While fighting for the ball in soccer, it rolls here, there and everywhere. Then, the goalies are forced to ward off an attack to their goal, saving their team from having to make up a point. I just want to know how they can stand the pain of hitting it off their heads?! And how do they keep track of that ball when they get all jumbled up? And in basketball, look at how high those boys and girls can jump to get a basket. It's like they have rockets strapped to their shoes, or as though they know how to defy the law of gravity. In football, a player must run for the endzone, while making sure they don't make a fumble ...









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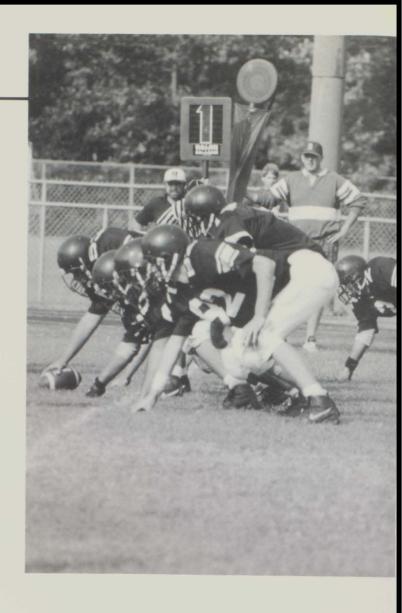
and try not to get tackled by the oncoming defense. Football players use their strength and power to the most. Volleyball is quite the sport at CHS. The team is enthusiastic in their attempts to keep the ball from the floor. They have been known to dive headfirst into the floor. As the excitement of the game intensifies many of the Oakers will jump up for an inyour-face spike. Following the movements of a volleyball is quite a challenge. CHS has an overabundance of students trying out for our excellent sports teams. We all try our best to encourage our brave athletes. Many fans can be seen braving the cold weather to cheer on their Oaker athletes. This year's Thanksgiving game was so cold that there was ice on the bleacher ramps, making it very difficult to get into the stands. Everywhere you looked people were wrapped up like sardines. Some band members complained that their lips were freezing to their instruments, OUCH! Now that's a fate worse then death. All in all Oaker athletics and fans are tops!

Sports

Oakers look to the **Future**

The Oaker football team started off with a win on Homecoming against the La-Salle Academy Rams. Tackles were made by Ed Jencks and Vincent Apolonio, along with many other plays by talented players. Leading the Oakers offensively were quarterback Mike Voelker and runningback Chris Case. As the season continued the Oaker team swallowed large rocks of defeat. For example, the annual Thanksgiving game was a loss, but the Oaker team had their heart in the game. They had to, since it was one of the coldest

days this year! The band and fans were there cheering them on. The Oaker captains, Mike Voelker, Brian Fecteau, Ed Jencks, and Chris Case led the rest of the Oaker team throughout the season, inspiring their team mates for every game. Overall, the football team had a rather disappointing season but, we wish you all good luck next year. With all the very talented Oakers on this Coventry High School football team next year is bound to be great. It's not the end of the world for these Oaker players.





Cheerleaders. Back Row: Danielle St. Amand, Emily Finch, Emily Warrender, Jamie Windrow, Kim Albro, Taryn Bjorkland, Jen Bowes, Byron Dowliing, Liz Jaeger, Kerri Darnbrough, Kristen Hoffman, Melissa Hadley, Danielle Godin, Jessica Bealieu.



(top) The Oakers prepare for their next run on the line of scrimage. (above) Mike Voelker and Brian Fectau, two of our finest players, make their way off the field after an exhausting game.



(left) The Oaker offense makes a mad charge through LaSalle's defensive forces. (below) The anxoius players watch the rest of the Oaker squad play a fierce game.





Coach O'Donnel led the Coventry Varsity football team through many tough games.



Mike Voelker (capt), Chris Case (capt), Ryan Cassavant, Rick DeLauro, John Riley, Mert Greene, Chris Voelker, Matt Heterick, Brendan Opiekun, Bruce Sullivan, Nathan Bagshaw, Bob Cahoon, Tony Clarke, Chriss Fiorillo, Matt Gagliano, Eric Joubert, Anthony Nardilillo, Mike Uhrig, Mike Saccoccio, Jason Chevalier, Scott Mills, Erik Marcotte, Frank Hames, Paul Blanchette, Brian Fecteau (capt), Ray Johnston, Joe Dudley, Tom McCarthy, Stephanie Sullivan, Vin Apollonio, Chris Loranger, Ed Jencks (capt), Dan Garthwaite, Carl Schleif, Mike Cawley, Ryan Scott, Jesse Shibley, Jacob Brunette, Ben Gallo, Peter Rojas, Julio Gomes, Ed Morgan Ernie Nardilillo.

State Champs

The Lady Oakers expressively displayed their superb skill in the 1993 season. Coach Frank Short and assistant coach Joe Symkowicz were the brilliance behind their performance. April Nunes, Tara Znoj, Lisa Horlbogen, Shannon Gallogly, who were the Lady Oaker captains, steered the team to 16 outstanding wins against their rivals. The Lady Oakers went on to become both Division and State Champions for the 1993 season. The Lady Oakers, by triumphing over Mount Hope High, became the first girls' soccer squad in Coventry High history

to win a soccer championship. Coventry finished the season 16-1-2 record, making the team the winningest girls soccer team ever in the school's history. The team was lead by underclass stand-outs such as Dawn Frizzle, Most Valuable Player of the championship game and an all-stater, and Ellen Roch, who also received All-State honors, Sarah Dyl, Megan Dlugus, Melissa Blount, Becky Pelletier, Danielle Hazelip and many others. This season was definitely a season to remember for the girls soccer team.





The bench calls out cries of support and some sideline coaching to the rest of the team.



(top) Michaela Zabbo quickly moves the ball upfield. (above) Dawn Frizzle fights off a well-matched adversary for possession of the ball.



(left) Melissa Blount takes control of the play with some fancy footwork. (below) Tara Znoj looks downfield in preparation for the onslaught of the offense.





Our outstanding Oaker goalie walks triumphantly off the field. Few balls flew by her fast moves.



Back Row: Coach Short, Danielle Hazelip, Shannon Gallogly, Shona Shunski, Melissa Blount, Melissa Soares, Lisa Horlbogen, Dawn Frizzle, Nikki Karwoski, Michaela Zabbo, Tina Mickett, Heather Shibley, April Nunes. Coach Joe Symkowicz. Front Row: Stacey Snyder, Tara Znoj, Becky Pellitier, Sarah Dyl, Ellen Roch, Holly Bodwell, Sonja Beauchaine, Megan Dlugos, Beth Robertson, Michaela Thompson.

A year of rebuilding for the Oakers

The boy's varsity soccer team had an absolutely sensational season last year. This year the soccer team strove in vain to try and match up to the same high standards of last year. Due to the fact that many outstanding players graduated last year, the boy's soccer team faced the difficult task of rebuilding. This difficulty consequently slowed down the team throughout the season. However, there are two up-and-coming sophomores Brian Znoj and Mike Arrigan who helped pick the team up and bring them together. Hopefully,

their great playing abilities will bring the Oaker soccer team to new victories next season. Even though the team did not reach the championship this year, they put in a lot of hard work and effort. Throughout the season the Oakers faced many an opposing foe. It will be a sad good-bye to the many talented seniors who will be graduating this year including Mike George, Joe Strauss, Jeff Puckett, Matt O'Connor, and Greg Roch. We wish all the seniors the best of luck in their future.

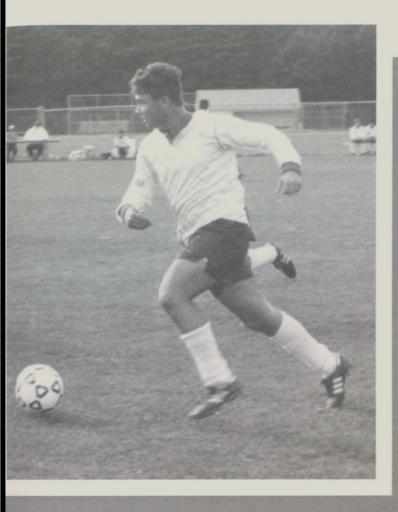




Back- Gina Calderone, Melissa Gabriele, Kelli Soscia, Beth Vanasse, Jennifer Eden, Jillian Argall, Center- Melissa Flynn, Lindy lanucci, Lenore Carr, Jessica D'Abrosca, Kerri Venezia, Front- Captains Melissa Downey, and Carrie Orlando.



Top- Greg Roch dazzles his opponents with fast feet and magnificent moves as he swiftly guided the ball toward the goal. Above-This is a rare moment in Oaker soccer history! The ball isn't in play.



Left- James Pardee races downfield with the ball, looking for a teammate to pass to. Below- Brian Znoj and Mike Marinello defend the ball as they pass it for a goal attempt.





Coach Richard Keenan shouts playing strategy and cheers on the Oaker team.

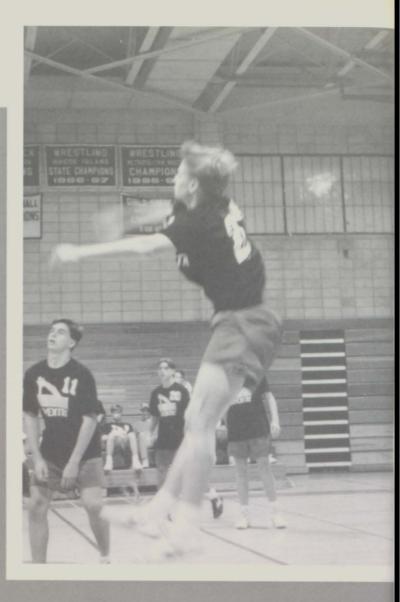


Dennis St. Armand, Greg Roch, Jeff Puckett, Matt O'Connor, Joe Strauss, Mike George, Ben Estock, David Oakes, Josh Bruns, Israel Cortes, and Darryl Fish, Danny Linderman, Brian Znoj, Larry Biegal, Mike Arrigan, Dan Goodin, James Pardee, Lee Walsh, Matt Vanesse, John Corose, Josh Lovitz.

The Oakers spike into Championship

While the rest of the CHS students were trying to make the most of their summer's, the mighty Oaker boys volleyball team was practicing out in the heat. This group of Oakers really know how to spike! No one who enjoys life should even attempt to be on the receiving end of one of these spikes. This year was coach Bob Sherburne's first season with the Oakers of CHS. He started early to get the boys working up to potential. He soon has his sights set on the state championship. The same state championship which has eluded

the boys in previous seasons. The team learned something which in past years has been lacking, and that is team work and effort. The senior team members included Josh Valle, and Chris Curran who is co-captain and was also named an all-state candidate. These two players will be missed next year. The other co-captain is the outstanding Ray Nalette, who was named to the all-tournament team. The boys not only won the CCRI state Championship, but also the Bess Eaton volleyball Invitational.

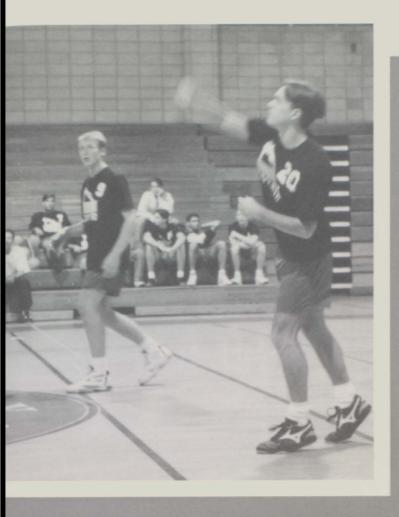




The Oakers look on to scout out important plays that can be used in future games.



top- This energetic player goes for a spectacular spike as teammates look on, above- The Oaker volleyball team gets big cheers at the Thanksgiving pep rally.



left- The Oakers proceed to pulverize the opponent. below- this player narrowly avoids hitting the photographer in his valiant.





his super volleyball setter passes the ball to teammate in a rousing home game.



Boys Varsity Volleyball Team

The Lady Oakers make the **State Finals**

When it comes to basketball, our Oakers have the determination to conquer the world. The Oakers tromped over the Bulldogs from Westerly on January 7 with the final score 67-40. Head coach, Mr. Morin said that their defense was their best overall effort of the year. Meleah Hall was named MVP for the all-tournament team. Many of the talented players, including Beth Paronto and Cathy Castenson gained the needed points to defeat their opponents during the season. Maggie Guidry, a talented front line

player, gained a career high of 25 points during a challenge against North Kingston High. Morin said that Lisa Horlbogen, Sue Lynch, and Cathy Castenson are great inspirations to the rest of the team. An amazing tolerance of pain was shown by Sue Lynch after she refused to admit to the anguish. She had broken her right wrist two minutes into the Holiday Tournament against West Warwick, but continued to play towards a team victory. In the final game against Ponaganset only two points stood in their way for a victory.

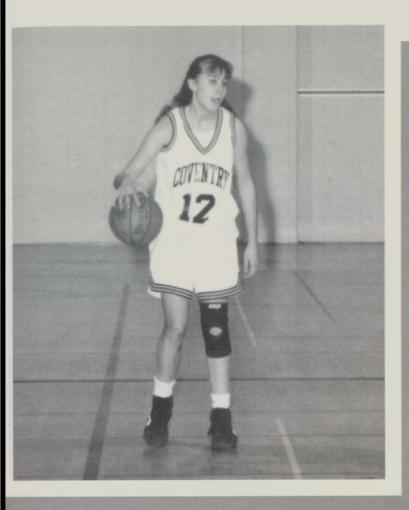




Meleah Hall demonstrates that girls basketball is a contact sport



Top- Maggie Guidry devilishly skirts around her opponent without ar sign of difficulty. Above- Mr. Moran crouches in deep conference withis Lady Oakers on the bench.



left- Beth Peronto hesitates for only a second to survey the court before her. below- Senior captains Lisa Horlbogen, Sue Lynch, and Cathy Castenson pose for a picture in the locker room.





Emily Nester catches some air on her journey to the basket.

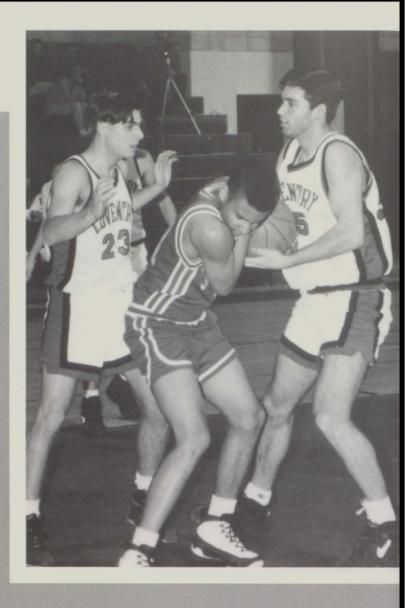


front row- Beth Paronto, Emily Nester, Lisa Horlbogen, Cathy Castenson, Maggie Guidry, Heather Shibely, back row- Wendi Paul, Nikki Karwoski, Heather Norbrega, Susan Lynch, and Meleah Hall.

Oakers make it to the 1/4 Finals

This season's Boy's Varsity Basketball Team trained hard and long in order to be the best. Coventry High School's head coach is Ted Szynkowicz, he pushed the boys to their highest potential. Senior captains are Matt O'Connor, and John Gallogly who is an all-state and best shooter from the perimeter player. These two seniors led the team through various plays on the court. During the annual Coventry Credit Union Classic, the mighty Oakers beat the Exe-

ter West Greenwich Scarlet Knights by 40 points in order to play the West Warwick Wizards. Both Josh Selby and Darryl Fish aided spectacularly in Ray Nalettes absence due to injury. The boys brought home the Class V trophy with pride. Next the Oakers upset Rogers High to gain an 8-8 record. Later in the season, the boys had a 12-10 overall record after losing to LaSalle. The boys basketball team finished their season in the quarter finals bought.





The Coventry Oakers Basketball team raise their hands in anticipation of another victory.



Top- Ray Nalette with the assistance of fellow teammates rushes viciously to steal the ball. Above-Heather Bruno, Rachael Cahoon, Kerri Veniezia, Ambor Finley, Jen Bradford, Kristy Soscia.



left- Darryl Fish pounds across the court with amazing energy. below- From the foul line, Steve Clarke searches for an Oaker to pass the ball to.





 $\ensuremath{\mathsf{Mr}}.$ Symkowicz joins his players for a moment of coaching and inspiration.



Jeff Wade, Jeremy Rainha, Ray Nalette, Toby Guidry, Darryl Fish, Steve Clarke, Al Vigneau, Aaron Lapointe, Josh Selby, Jay Magnum.

Oakers win 13th straight Championship

Oakers once again prove themselves to be the pinnacles of athletic power. Coventry won their 13th state championship in a row. Nothing seems to be beyond their grasp with coaching, by Bob Smith, and relentless devotion by the Oakers and their outstanding record. Coach Smith always produces the perfect athlete to overcome the opposing team. Ed Jencks, also known as "Mr. Personality", showed the spectators his outstanding ability by producing an undefeated record of 26:0. He went on to the New England Championships to also win in his division. Aaron Becker also displayed unique talent throughout the year, beating any opponent willing to challenge him. He also went to the New England Championships, crushing his adversary and attaining the New England title at 125. Dan Garthwaite also displayed his moves during the season, similarly winning a title at the New Englands. Many other Coventry wrestlers went to the New England Championships as well. Coventry wrestling has become an institution not likely to be equaled.

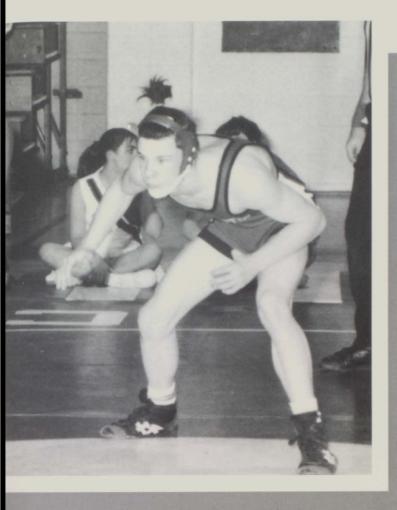




This Coventry wrestler never blinks while wishing his antagonist good luck. (he'll need it!)

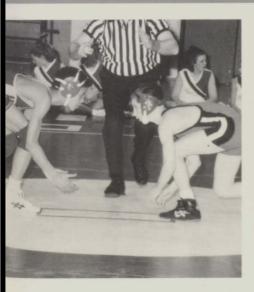


top- Teamster Aaron Becker uses his strength to stuff his opponents head into the mat for a taste. above- Mr. Smith watches with a trained eye as his Oaker's sweat for their 13th state championship.



left- With an evil eye Adam Labor lies in wait to psych his opponent. below- Kneeling for a better look, Oaker cheerleaders clap with enthusiasm.





One of the Oakers hunch in preparation of a rueling match.



S. Mills, A. Labor, A. Becker, D. Rull, V. Appolonio, D. Garthwaite, E. Jencks, Coach Robert Smith, A. Thomas, C. Mao, K. Fregeolle, M. Bucacci, J. Skaliny, K. Hennessee, J. Richard, Coach Charles Gafney, Coach Brian Smith, M. Pluvious, J. Blanchette, R. Flammand, J. Audette, C. Voelker, J. Walker, R. Rocchio, M. Pearson, D. Harper, L. Guadianno, R. Rull, S. Bucchie, B. Fenhly, B. Sullivan, and the CHS wrestling cheerleaders.

The Oakers are on the Cutting edge

The mighty Oakers faced another season on the ice. The coach George Eagan kept his team on their blades. Forcing his players to skate to their fullest potential. Egan made their losses their wins, by explaining what went wrong, and devising new strategies. His work on the sidelines kept the Oakers working as a team through the good times and the bad. Some of the outstanding skaters included Peter Wawrzycha, Gregory

Guillette, Mathew Morse, and the senior Jeff Andrews. Jeff Andrews absence is going to be felt by the team next year, he is an integral player on the team. The boys hockey team skated with amazing endurance and skill, while leading their team to victory. Through the thick and the thin, the hockey cheerleaders were always on hand to give an enthusiastic cheer for their team.





The rest of the team warms the bench, while catching their breath, and allowing other Oakers into the game.



top- The team goal keeper attempts to defend the goal from the vicious predators of their opposing teams, above- The cheerleaders encourage the fans to cheer on the boys.



left- An Oaker gets into close competition with a Moses Brown player for possession. below- An Oaker rushes into the fray, stick ready to reach it's goal.





Gregory Guillette sets up himself to receive the puck and skate it to the goal.



front- Adam Hendricks, Matt Morse, Phil Brodeur, Mike Cacchiotti, Greg Guillette, Peter Warzycha, Joe Hachadorian, back- Coach George Eagan, DJ Poirier, Jason Derek, Howard Hopkins, Kevin Marsh, Chris Moore, Brian Cadieux, Sean Harris, Jeff Goodwin, coach Payne.

left- Aaron Becker and teammates warm up before the run ahead of them. below- An Oaker runner stretches his endurance to the limit as he runs for the finish.



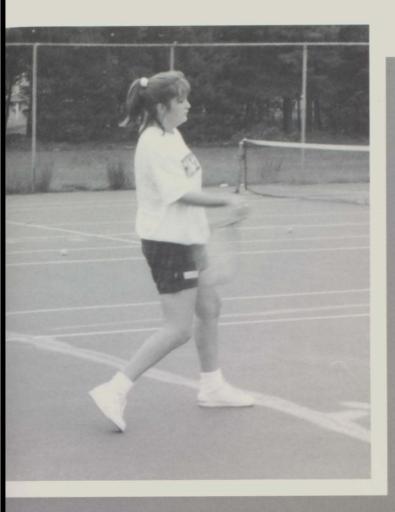




front- Coach Mr. Labutti, Derek Oberg, Mark Wendoloski, Aaron Becker, Matt Lebranche, Don Dunning, back- Rqyan Lavoie, Justin Richards, Forest Handford.



A mighty Oaker pushes one foot in front of the other to run with endurance and speed.



left- Lisa Barry prepares to give the tennis ball a striking blow. below- Adrienne Rupp, with a determined doublehanded swing, keeps her opponent on her toes.





Illyson Langlois, in a moment of fury, keeps ne ball in play.



back- Coach Mr. Macomber, Melanie Moran, Allyson Langlois, Amy Mroz, Lisa Macomber, Jen Bowen, Kristen Nester, Adrienne Rupp. front- Heather McArdle, Michelle Lambert, Wendi Paul, Tracy McManus, Amanda Campopiano, Erin Jeranian.

At the end of the day

Lussier, Steve Mitchel, Aaron Labor, and Karen Chabot smile for the camera in hopes that the student population will buy out the school store during lunch period. The school store is run by CHS's own chapter of DECA. This shows a great idea in entrepreneurship. top right- Anthony Bardi says, "Hey wait for me! Rudolph, Prancer, Santa! I want to go for a ride in the sleigh." Acting as Santa's helpers many students at CHS work on the **DECA** project which gives gifts to needy children. bottom left-Candy Castro and a friend flash their smiles during the Senior-Junior Christmas Dance. which proved to be a fun night for all. Except for of course that scary chicken. Remember be safe, stick to the salad. bottom right- Kevin Marsh, Todd Hudson, Jed Talbot, and Randy Polian are all excited to be at their ROTC staff meeting. The ROTC of CHS win high awards.

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top left- Cathy Castenson, Brian Fecteau, Rick Thompson, Jay Clarke, Derek Oberg, Dave Giroux, Jon Gunnip, and Keith Aubin are all members of the National Honor Society. These loyal members are all psyched up to drive up the parade route on their homecoming float ... and then engage in battle with the Yearbook Crew. And yes there was some bloodshed, by the fearless yearbook editor-in-chief, but she strove on through the rest of the route. Munchkins Rule! top right-Majorette Kim Shanley, is pictured leading the CHS band in time up the Homecoming Parade route. bottom left- Laura Donnelly looks for a place to set down another pile of gifts among the many others already delivered to CHS by generous Santas for the DECA Christmas project. bottom right- Jaime Windrow, Emily Warrender, Melissa Hadley, and the other CHS cheerleaders psyche up the crowd, during the annual Thanksgiving Pep Rally. And believe me, if you have ever attended one of the CHS pep rallies you know we need all the psyching we can get.

Student Life

Spanish-Italian Christmas Dinner

This year in December, the annual Italian/Spanish Christmas dinner was held in the cafeteria. Greetings and speeches were made by Jennifer Carlson, president of the Italian Club and Karen Chabot, president of the Spanish Club. Other speeches were given from Jessica Skuroski, Sue Tortolani, Dustin Damota and Valerie Farren. After the speeches the traditional play, "La Befana," was put on by

second year Italian students. The play tells the story of La Befana, the Italian equivalent to Santa Claus. She is a good witch who travels around on the eve of Epiphany to leave presents to the good Italian children. After dinner the pinatas were broken and all the children dove for the candy. Everyone went home with good spirits and a full stomach that night.



Italian Club President- Jennifer Carlson, Vice President- Jessica Suraski, Secretary- Jennifer Evangelista, Treasurer- Gina Chianesi, Representative-Amy Gallo.



French Club President- Bryan Fecteau, Vice President- Richard Thompson, Secretary- Jennifer Bebjl, Student Council Rep- Nicole Poirier.















CHS gets into ...

Volunteerism

Community service and volunteerism is blossoming at CHS. Whether a student is filling their thirty hours of community service for psychology, or through clubs like the National Honor Society or the new to the school Interact Club, Coventry students are learning by helping others. A skill which should not be taken lightly. Amy Prata helps the elderly while at the same time she is

gaining some training in the physical education at Coventry Medical center. While many other students fill up their hours with other projects. The National Honor Society went to the Foodbank, WSNE, and had a bake sale. interact assisted the Ronald MacDonald House, and teacher dress down days. These are only a few of the many projects which students at CHS devote their time to.



National Honor Society President- Sue Lynch, Vice President- Sarah Buckley, Secretary-Catherine Mageau, Treasurer- Catharine Castenson



Interact
President- Jamie Gauvin, Vice President- Kerri Perschau, Secretary-Soledad Barreto, Treasurer- Kim Shanley, Executive Board- Shannon Gallogly, Heather Deware















The Truth Behind

Student Council

Student Council has been called the "heart of CHS" but its more like the brain because it the organization that every club, organization and event is connected to. This year was no exception. The fun started with Homecoming, including the colorful parade and the election of king and queen . Student Council was the force that pushed everyone to cheer on the football to a great victory over the Rams!

And who could the Thanksgiving Pep Rally with the comical appearance of "Little Red Oakerhood." But nothing could top "Night Fever" this years premier variety revue. Comical skits and several very talented dancers and singers graced the stage. If you look back it may be hard to remember seeing Student Council because they were behind the scenes.



Student Council President- Matt Weinand, Vice President- Sharlene Papa, Corresponding Secretary- Danielle Martin, Recording Secretary- Tracey Klein, Treasurer- Andrea Marchesault



Chemistry Team















Visions Of

Sugarplums

This year's Jr-Sr Christmas Dance was held at the 1025 Club on Friday, December 17. This year's theme was "Visions Of Sugarplums." We were fed salad and pasta and chicken (we think.) But many people seemed unsure of whether or not it was actually chicken and decided to disect it rather than eat it. We learned not to ask for a second pitcher of soda before our time had come. Despite the quality of the food

everyone seemed to have a good time grooving to the music. The musical tastes of these classes seemed to be in a time warp as old classics like "YMCA" were played. CHS alumnus Larry Chase returned to do repeat performance of his dance to "I'm too Sexy." All and all this year's Christmas Dance was greatly by all who attended this festive occasion.

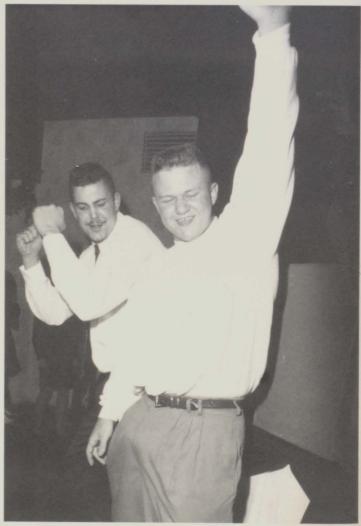


Photo Club Tracey McManus, Sue Zawadski, Danielle Martin, Kelly Purvis, Cathy Mageau, Cory Mann.



WCVY Program Director- Dan Fisher, Music Director- Eric Lichtenberg, Production Director- Seth Kelley, New Director- Gisele Laliberte.















Get an early start with

DECA

DECA has not failed in their annual effort to spread the Christmas spirit this year! In co-operation with 'Tis the Season, the Adopt A Family project raised a great deal of money and collected gifts to make many a Coventry family's Christmas brighter. Many DECA members and Mr. Macomber's students spent grueling hours collecting and sorting the huge amount of gifts that filled the upper auditorium. Then

they packed it all in their cars and deliverd them like a horde of crazy Santas! DECA students also became Santas when they sponsered the annual Reach Out Party. All the guys and girls got most of what was on their list, including a dance lesson. Students did all this plus running the School Store which is another big project DECA takes part in every year,



Reach Out Amber Hall, Erin Shurtleff, Erin Field, Debbie Samways, Jay Adams, Melissa Ferreira



Science Fair Winners Autumn Fiske, Carolyn DiCarlo, Jennifer DiCarlo, Steven Milburn, Cathy Castenson, Ernie DiMicco Jr.















CHS cheerleaders give a

Cheer!!!

You're at a CHS sporting event, and you hear an enormously loud chant. It's the cheerleaders. No matter what sporting event your at, whether it be football, soccer, wrestling or hockey they will be there. These girls could be called experts in projection, gymnastics, and dance. In order to be a good cheerleader a girl must have perfect timing, strong muscles, and the ability to bust a move.

Last years competition team won the state championship, and this year they went down to Florida and placed well in the standings against the best squads from all over the United States. Without their enthusiasm and determination, our sports activities and pep rallies would seem frightfully dull and lifeless. Let's face it at times they are the only good thing to watch!



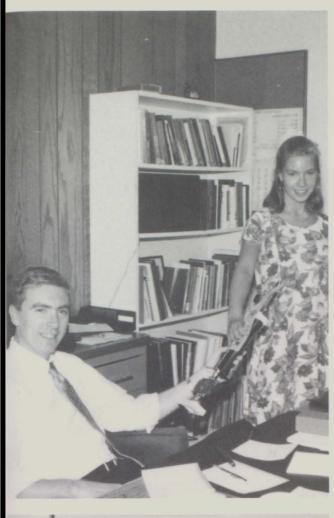
Girls Cross Country Team Coach Soscia



Environmental Club Advisor- Mrs. Collins















More than a uniform?

ROTC

The squadron is run by the cadets, under supervision of the Aerospace Science Instructor. He is responsible for the many events that the unit does. The cadets hold their own formal dance called the Military Ball, as well as two banquets a year. The RI 81st also helps the community. This year they helped needy families have happy holidays by donating food and presents. ROTC keeps Oaker pride and shows it. Our

female Color Guard and Drill Team are known regionally and nationally. The RI 81st has it's own honor society called the Kitty Hawke Air Society. The KHAS is a group of students who do well academically, and who help other students by tutoring them in various subjects. Next time you see a cadet look past the uniform, things may not appear as they seem.



ROTC Staff Sergeant C/SSGT- Frank Gauvin, C/A1- Peter Dawson, C/Airman- Mike Pluviose, C/AB- Mike Saenko, C/AB- David Anctil, C/AB-Joe Olivera, C/Airman Ron Befort, C/SSGT Tom Little



Academic Decathlon Captain- Jon Gunnip





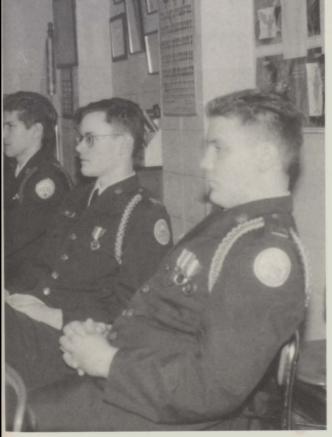


Band President- Mike Mello, Kim Shanley, Vice President- Jason Adams, Secretary- Shanon Pimental, Treasurer- Billy Leeman, Student Council Rep.- Jaime Lavoie













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The end of

This World ...

Whew! The 1993-1994 school year was truly a year where the world as we knew it was turned upsidedown. Our microcosm in CHS was kicked off with a new principle and a new six-period schedule. The Freshman adapted to the wild life of CHS (well, sort of), and the seniors counted down until the day that they could walk out those doors for the last time. In between, there were lots of adventures. For the first time in six years, we had a snow day. Not just one snow day but a grand total of four snow days! Is another ice age coming? And who can forget the teacher dress down days? Definitely a new era in

education. Some of our sports teams were reborn into success — and some carried on a tradition of over a decade of championships. This season will never be forgotten. Certainly, the seniors will never forget all of the new privileges that they earned this year, including senior study halls. Hmmm . . . maybe next year the seniors will get Friday's off! In any event, we made it. Through all of the interruptions, rescheduling, and panic, the staff and students of CHS had a fantastic year.

The world outside matched the turmoil of school. It really DID seem like the end of the . . .













... and onto

The Next ...

world as we bore witness to tragic earthquakes, floods, and storms that plagued people all across the map. Yet spirits were NOT kept down. Out of despair rose team spirit and hope. The Olympics in Lillehammer, for the first time not held in the same year as the summer games, carried forth this team spirit and won the USA more medals that ever earned by our country before in the Winter Games. And how could we forget movies like "Schindler's List", which showed us that one person CAN make difference? The members of CHS experienced all this and more this year. They kept up with it all, and came out

shining. The world may be having its ups and downs, but in the end all CHS students know that they can tackle it head-on and roll with the punches. The future is what we make of it.

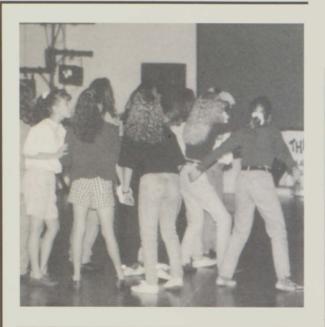
Where will we be in the future? Still in Rhode Island? Commuting to the moon? Will it be like "Back to the Future", where we joyride around the world by hovercar? Will we achieve world peace? More importantly, will we ever be able to answer the question, "Can whales live in Jello?" CHS graduates will answer all of these questions, and more!











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Nov. 5th 1993 Mid-Night **Madness** Dance



On November 5, 1993 the Class of 1996 sponsored the second annual Midnight Madness Lock-in Dance. The event held from 7 at night until 7 in the morning included besides dancing, a ninety foot Karaoke screen, velcro jumping, human bowling, movies, games, sports and various competitions for Providence

Bruin's tickets. Over three hundred Sophomore students attended this years Lock-in. With that much interest next year's Lock-in promises to be the event of the year.

Sophomore Class Advisor: **Matthew Brissette**





Congratulations Ronny Judd



I'm extremely proud of the young man you have become. The long winding road of high school has come to an end. May life be kind to you and may all your dreams come true.

> Love **Mom**

Congratulations Rick Thomson



Your fine qualities
And positive attitude
Will take you far
On your exciting journey
Through college
And Life . . .

With love

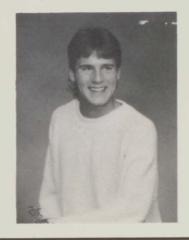
Dad, Mom Michelle, Jen

Congratulations Randy Brayton

We are so proud of you, you have worked hard all of your years in school and it has paid off. You are very special to us and will always have a special spot in our hearts. Always remember, we will be there for you.

Love,

Dad, Mom & Ronnie



Congratulations Ronnie Brayton



You are and always will be unique! Memories are not forgotten but the future is endless to explore. May you only have to look at a newspaper for pleasure. Good health, happiness and success be with you always.

Love,

Dad, Mom & Randy

Congratulations Class of '94

It's the End of the World as You have known for the past four years and the Best is Yet to Come! The past was just a preparation for the future. Be the best that you can be. Happiness and Success to You All.

Congratulations "Madame Editor"



Triangle man - You've coma a long way and made me so proud. Your strength and personality will always see you through - depend on them and on me. Love, Particle Man. You've grown to be a very intelligent and responsible person. I'm proud to call you my daughter.

Love, Mom

It Seems Like Only Yesterday!

Jess, we are so very proud of the person you have become and all that you have done. You can and usually do whatever you set your mind to. May God continue to bless and guide you your whole life through.

We love you very much!

Mom, Dad & Susan



Congratulations Christian

We are very proud of your achievements and the wonderful person you have become. Your dedication and kindness will help you fulfill all your dreams in life.



Mom - Dad - Bryan



Chris, You Did It!

It wasn't easy, but you did it. Through all the adversity, you did it. We are very proud of the person you are. We all love you -Son, Brother, Uncle, Grandson Chris!!!

Mom, Dad, Mike Julie, Kyle, Nana



Congratulations Melissa Ann Downey

To our Honeybee: You are a very special Daughter. We are very proud of you and wish you health, happiness and success in whatever you do. Good luck at college.

Love, Mom & Dad Matthew & Colleen



Jaime

From Music Lessons
to Rock Concerts
From Walks to MacDonald's
to Midnight Suppers at Applebee's
From Bike Rides to Dunkin Donuts
to Adventures in Boston
From Carpools to School Dances
to Limousines to the Proms From Nursery School
through High School,

Love,

Mom & Dad



Gina Wina

We can't believe when we look at you, you're not a little girl any more, but a beautiful young woman. You've reached many goals and always added excitement to our lives! We're so proud of you and we'll always be there for you.

We love you,

Mom, Dad, & David



Congratulations Bri!



I'm so happy for you, a little sad for me. For my little girl you will no longer be. You're all grown up now with a bright future ahead. Though I'll always miss the sweet little girl I put to bed.

l love you.

Love Mom & Charlie

Jennifer



Once a cheerleader, always a cheerleader!! It's been a long exciting 4 years. One life is coming to a close and other doors are opening wide. We love you and we'll miss all the hectic craziness that has been part of your life forever.

Love.

Mom and Dad

"You're the Best"



You've made us proud. Your unselfishness and hard work has paid off. Go out and be the best - The Very Best!

Love,

Mom & Dad

Congratulations Erica And Keep Smiling!



We couldn't ask for a nicer person to call "our daughter." You have always made us so very proud . . . Keep up all that positive energy & determination & you'll continue to achieve all your dreams.

We Love You, Mom & Dad

Adrienne



As single notes blend to create a symphony, you have grown into a talented and beautiful young woman who always has been music to our ears. All our love and support forever! And have fun!

Mom, Dad & Lauren

The Best



Lisa: Mom and I are so very proud to see what a wonderful person you have grown to be. From that first moment we saw you, we knew that you were special and you have been special all of your life. Always remember, we are here for you.

Love.

Mom and Dad

Congratulations Tracey

For all you have accomplished, For what you are today, For all you will be! We are so proud.

Love.

Mom & Dad

Congratulations "Chelly"

16 short years ago our lives were so empty - then you arrived! - Now you are graduating High School and soon will be starting College! You are growing up too fast - We are so proud of you! Love, Mom & Dad. PS. Matthew says: "Happy Graduation!"



Congratulations Bryan!



You should be as proud of yourself as Dad and I are. You have grown up to be a fine young man. Continue to work hard and do your best and success will be your reward. Remember, we love you very much!

Mom, Dad & Randy

Congratulations Jaimie!!!

We are so proud of you. We hope all your future hopes and dreams will come true.

Love

Mom, Dad & Fluffy



Congratulations, Number 21!

We wish every parent was blessed with a special daughter like you, Tara. May God continue to guide and bless you as you journey through life. With lots of love and pride,

Mom and Dad Brian, Chad, Katie Cookie and Hershey





You Did It Your Way!

You are someone special, who had a goal. You did all you had to, to achieve it. I'm so proud of you.

With Love and Thanks

Mom

Heather Joy



Hurray and Congratulations!
Bravo, well done and salutations
You're on your way
To Graduation Day.
Buena Suerta in all you do!

Love.

Mom, Dad and Scott

Congratulations, David



Dave, set your goals-aim high, the opportunities are endless for those who venture out. Do not loose your willingness to help others as you so often now do. Your smile and personality can open many doors for you and your accomplishments can only be measured by your striving to succeed and not give up.

We Love You,

Mom, Dad, DG, Merf & Kris

Congratulations Amy Blackmore

We are all so Very Proud of you!

Never stop reaching for you goals!

Always Remember

if you Think You Can

You Can!

Good Luck in College!

We Love You very much.

Mom, Dad & Allison

Congratulations Emily!

We Love You.

Love

Dad, Mom, Laura, Dan, Brenda & Chelsea

Congratulations Catherine

We wanted to give you two things as you grew up. First, you needed roots for developing and learning. This you have done so well and we are very proud of you. Second, you needed wings for making your own life. We're confident that as you try your wings in the next phase of your life, you'll be successful at whatever you attempt. Remember your roots and stretch your wings to the fullest to lead a happy life.

Love and Good Luck

Mom, Dad, and Karen

Gisele

Always a joy to behold
As you've matured
Into a fine young woman.
We know you are destined for
A wonderful future.

Good luck,

Mom, Dad & Nicole

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Love, Mom

Congratulations Dianna

We are so proud of you! Best wishes for the challenges that lie ahead and may al your dreams for the future come true. Just remember, you will always be our *little girl*.

Love,

Mom and Dad.

Congratulations Kimba Shanley

I am so proud of you. You are truly a wonderful young woman with many talents. Your ability to care for and help others is your strongest asset. Never change and you will find happiness in life. May God bless you. I will always be there.

Love,

Mom

Congratulations Keith Dyson

We're very proud of you. All of us are wishing you an easy road ahead, in pursuit of your own dreams. Don't ever lose your sense of humor; it is unique. Our love and support will always be with you. Best Wishes on a successful future.

Love ya,
Mom, Dad & Jeff
Oreo too.

Congratulations! Bryan Fecteau

The football games, track meets, Proms, Honors Nights, college preparation, and your friends just hanging out - it's been a fun four years. We are sure success will follow you in college and beyond. Continue the hard work and continue being you!

Love,

Mom, Dad, & Greg

Donny Congratulations! The future will bring many changes we're sure you'll confront the challenges and succeed. It's time to make your mark. Love Mom Dad & Jesse

Jaime! We are proud of the person you have become, stay as sweet and loving as you are. We wish you all the best, Love: Dad, Mom & Holliane

Melissa C. We are very proud of you! May all your future dreams become reality. Good luck in college, Love: Mom, Dad and Heather

Amy, You are a very special daughter. May all of your dreams come true. Congratulations. Love: Mom, Mike and Alicia

Josh; You've worked hard and we are proud of you. May all that you dream of become a reality. We will always be there for you! Love: Mom and Dad

Kerrie! Always believe in yourself as much as we believe in you, and your life will be filled with success. We're proud of your achievement. Love: Mom, Dad, Cameron & Scott

Mike Your first Love has always been Basketball. Keep aiming high and shoot for the stars. They can all be yours. Love always Mom & Dad

Congratulations Catherine Mageau! Believe in yourself no matter what life brings your way. We're all very proud of you. Love: Mom Dad and Dave

Marc! We are so proud of you. Your faith, courage and strength has paid off. We love you very much. Love: Mom, Dad, Melissa and Matt

David L. We're very proud of you. The best is yet to come. Love: Mom and Dad.

Congratulations Greg! We're very proud of you and your achievements. May all your hard work bring you happiness and success! Love: Mom, Dad, Brian & Renee

Jenn Congratulations! You id it. We are very proud of you. Good luck in your future years. Love: Mom & Dad

Mandy! You made it. The world is at your feet. Only you can stop yourself from reaching any goals. Always proud, Love: Mom, Dad & Mark

Congratulations Jenn on your graduation. Best of Luck in your future years. Love: Memere

Melissa! You're one in a trillion. We're proud to say you're our daughter, sister and friend. Never change; We love you: Mom, Tom, Jessica & Kitties

Dear Micki! May all your dreams and wishes come true! We are so proud of you. Love: Mom & Dad

Congratulations on your graduation Jenn! I wish you success in your future endeavor. Love: Grandma

Picozzi! Over the years I've seen you grow into a fine young man. I hope you get everything you want out of life. I'll always be here for you and wish you all the luck and love in the world. I'm proud of you always. Love: Ma & your family

Dave Rull. Congratulations! I'm proud of you and I wish you the best of everything. You deserve it. I love you, always, Amber.

Brownie - the Yearbook Goddess - I will really miss you. I wish you all the luck in the world. Call me when you start teaching and advising at CHS. Love, Mr. P.

Congratulations Scott

May life give you all the happiness that you have given us. You are very special to us.

With all our love & pride.

Mom, Dad & Debbie



Congratulations David Rull

Since the moment you were born, you've been my pride and joy.

I've always been very proud of you. This, your graduation day, is the most memorable moment to date. I wish you all the best in life. I'll always be here for you.

Love Always,

Mom

Soledad Barreto

No so tros estamos muy arguilosos de que Dios nos alla dado una hija como tu y te deseamos lo mejor de esta mundo por que tu te lo mereces y te lo as gando con tu propio esfuerzo con todo carino y muchas Felicitiaciones de

Papa y Mama

Congratulations Matt!!

You have worked hard and now you are there. We are proud of what you have accomplished. Be the very best that you can be.

> Love. Mom, Dad, Kelly & Mindy

Congratulations **Andy Edwards**

You made it! Our little rug rat has grown up into a fine young man. We are both very proud of you and you are special to us. Drew, remember that we are always here for you, whenever you need us.

Love, Mom and Dad.

P.S. Is your homework done.

Amy Very
Our love and best wishes for a happy and successful life. May all your dreams be realized.

Mom, Dad, Philip & Beth

Tracy! We are so proud of you. You light up our lives. Love: Mom, Dad, Alyssa & Jeffrey

Congratulations Becky! We hope your future will be blessed with all the success and happiness that you are so deserving of. We love you: Dad & Mom

Stacy! Congratulations: We are so proud of all that you have accomplished and the special person you have become. Never stop reaching for you goals. Love: Mom, Dad & Joe

Jenn C. Congratulations on a job well done. We are very proud of you. Love: Mom, Dad & James

Beebo! No graduating until your room is cleaned! so don't forget to tell everyone, "She's at it again!" I'll love you anyway, no matter what. Love: Mom

Congratulations Andrea Marchessault! Dad and I are very proud of you. We always knew you could do it. You have that determination and drive that marks success. We are certain that you will excel in whatever career you choose. Good Luck in college. Love: Mom & Dad

Congratulations Stephanie! We are so proud of you. Always Follow your dreams. Love: Dad. Mom & Jennifer

Chris! I am so proud of the accomplishments you have made this year. You have a bright future. Love: Mom

Joey! Congratulations, We love you and are very proud of you. May all your dreams come true. #52! Keep up the good work in college. Love: Mom, Dad & Matthew

Dear Sue! We are so proud of you and your accomplishments. Keep up your enthusiasm for life. We wish that all your dreams come true. Love: Mom, Dad, Beth & Poody



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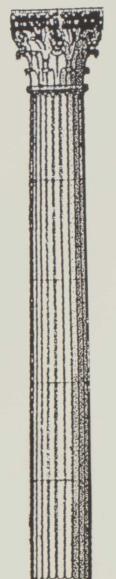
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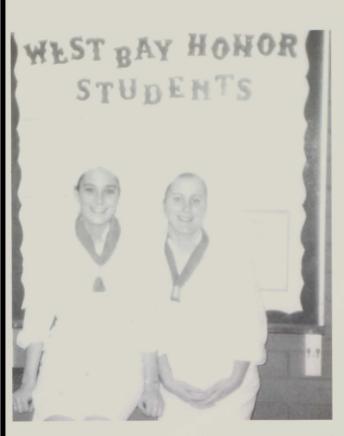
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Above: Crystal Lineham and Chantel Hains, which are two of our West Bay culinary arts students, glow with a smile of pride as they glory in being honor students.



Above: This student works in the automotive division of West Bay Voc-Tech. Students can get a head start in their fields of interest. These fields include nursing, culinary arts, child care, printing, carpentry, welding, etc.



Above: You mean I was supposed to put blocks behind the tires? Actually, these guys take their work seriously it's just not school to them it is a head start on their careers, and it can be a lot of fun at times. Right: Mrs. Klein has an expression of great joy as she catches up on a bit of work at her desk. Mrs. Klein teaches printing at West Bay. Her expression shows how much fun a job at West Bay really is, it is not just another sit down class, but a hands on kind of job.



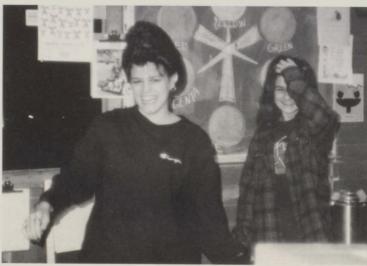


Above: This West Bay Voc-Tech student is caught in a daydream that the life size "bug" in back of him would mystically change into the model which he has in his hands. Back to reality he quickly plumets, upon seeing the bug.



Mrs. Erno shows that teachers perform those rebellious thin too. She is caught in the act of making a photo copy of hand. Mrs. Erno is the printing assisstant.





Above: Renee Crowley makes her classmate make a disgusting factor is it the other way around? These two fun gals know how to have a good time.

Left: Rocco Lavaglio, one of the culinary arts students, proclaims, already washed my hands...but, that was after I touched the food! 0, you mean I was supposed to throw out the egg shells!" Seriously, the culinary arts division are well known for their great talents.



