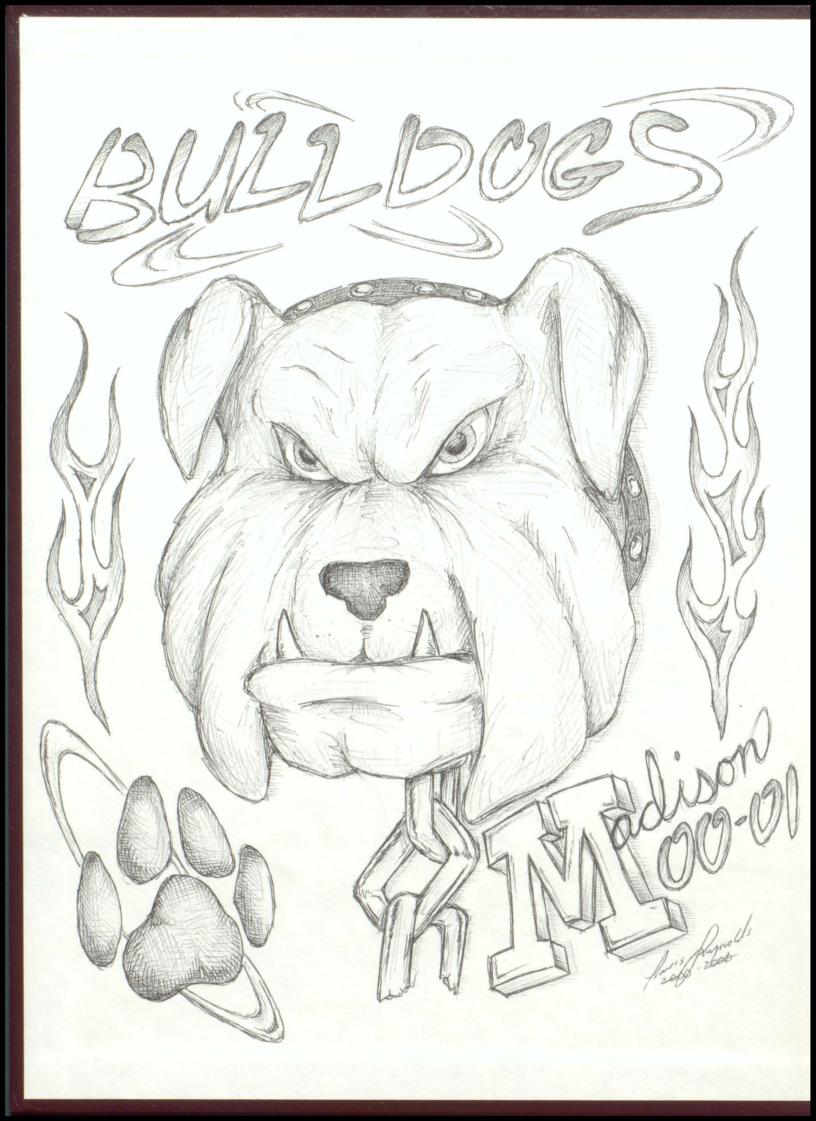


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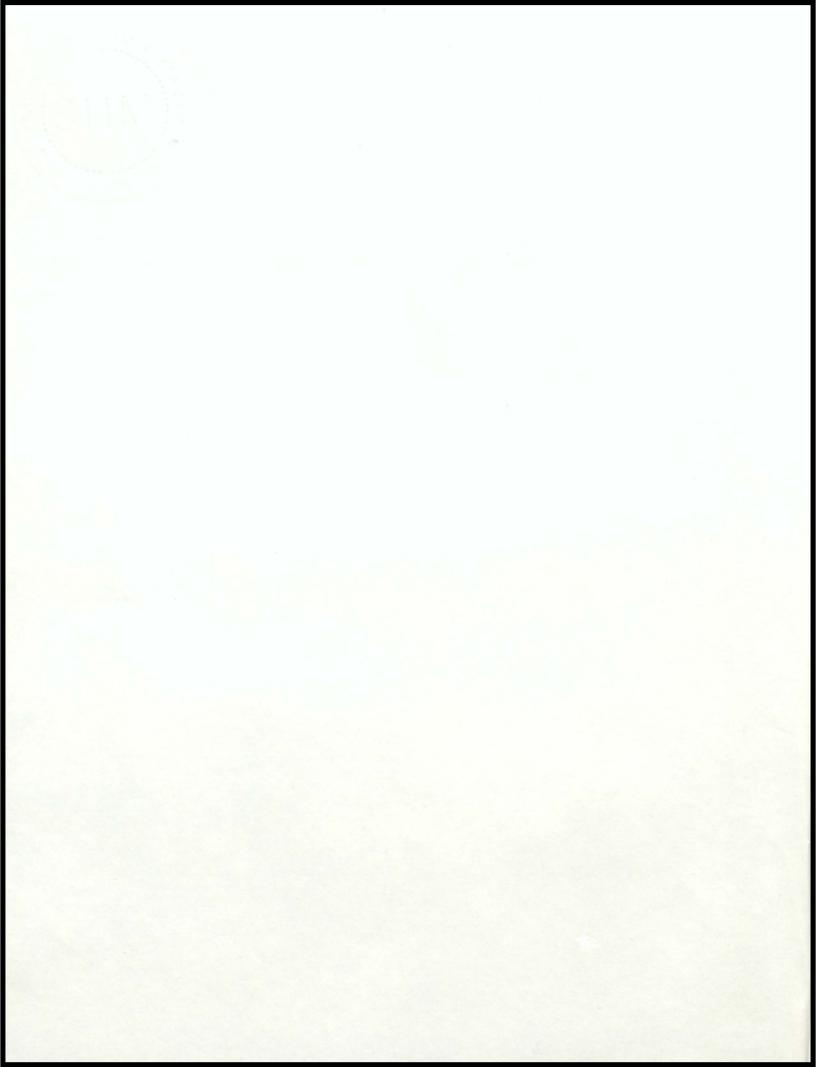
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The Bulldog

"YOU JUST HAD TO BE THERE" STUDENTS: 505 TEACHERS: 36



Smiling Pretty... Courtnie Beck, Paul Green, Jason Daniels, and Shane Evers smile for the camera during a girls basketball game.

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Where Do I Sign Up?...

Tiffany Draper and Kimberly Crownover ask many questions during Orientation, their first day of school.





Look at Me!...

Lisa Stien shows off her amazing talent of balance to her classmates.

Another Day in Government...

Kevin Logan, Jamie Hawk, Angela Hegdahl, Josh Diaz, Audrey Mullenberg, Annie Gustaf, Andrea Janke, Kristen Osterberg, and Jake Stefek relax while waiting for class to start.

Laughing in the Face of Danger...

Jake Stefek, Trey Faircloth, and Kyle Maurer try to hold a straight face in front of Mr. Dorman.

I Am the King... Says Matt Nipe as he walks in front of his classmates during the girl's basketball districts game.

Working Hard in the Hall...

Sophomore, Debra Margeson quietly tries to get the last of her work done in between classes.





Another Day in Accounting... Kindra Norby ponders on what to do when she finally gets all her work done.

Can't Look Much Better ... Angie Madison, Katie Lembcke, Brigette Oswald, Jamie Hawk, J.D. Hanson, and Kaylynn Bruns smile pretty during the class olympics.







you just had to be there

Walking into the school building is something some of the seniors have done over 2,000 times, no exaggeration. They've attended classes for at least 1,000 days. When you spend so much time in one place, you are bound to make some memories. 9,000+ hours with the kids in your class isn't something you can take lightly. You make friends, break friends, laugh, cry, sleep and even learn. You participate in extra curricular activities, go to dances, and go to parties with your high school friends. And, frankly, to make these memories, you just had to be there!

How Much Cuter Can We Be?...

Tyler Schuurmans, Adam Miller, Jimmy Materese, Tyler Hansen, Jake Stefek, and John Miller smile for a picture during halftime of a girl's basketball game.





Look At My Kitty... Jason Hodne shows off the wandering cat he and the rest of the shop class found.





Want a Bite?... Maxon Keating, David Hollister, and Luke Garry try to share their ice cream with friends.

Like My Smile?... Tori Bertness and Kendra Finck take time out of watching the game to smile pretty.

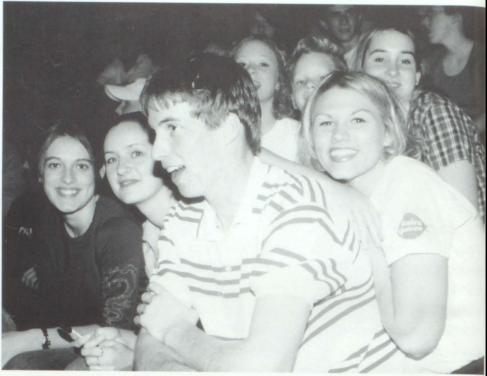
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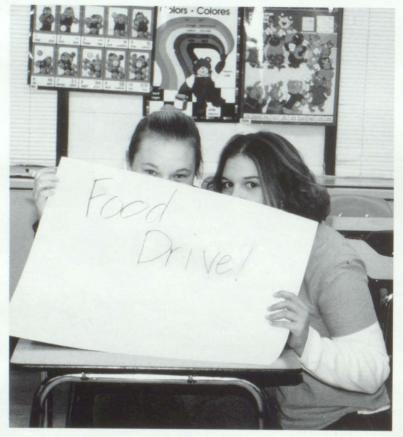
There's a crowd of women following Grant Jaspers wherever he goes. Today, the fine ladies are: Sarah Higgins, Audrey Muellenberg, Kaylynn Bruns, Amanda Bruns, and Kari Ullom.

Layin' the Smack Down

Andrew Ellsworth and Micheal Bergan stare down some naughty little freshman during homecoming.







Bigger Isn't Always Better

Although they aren't flashy, Lia Eastman and Allison Weiland are big supporters of the food drive. How can you not donate to their cause?

Mom, Look What I Made ...

Physics has taught Andy Kenyon the art of constructing unusable objects out of PVC pipes.



Student Life... Just for Fun



Too Much Fun on the Fan Couch

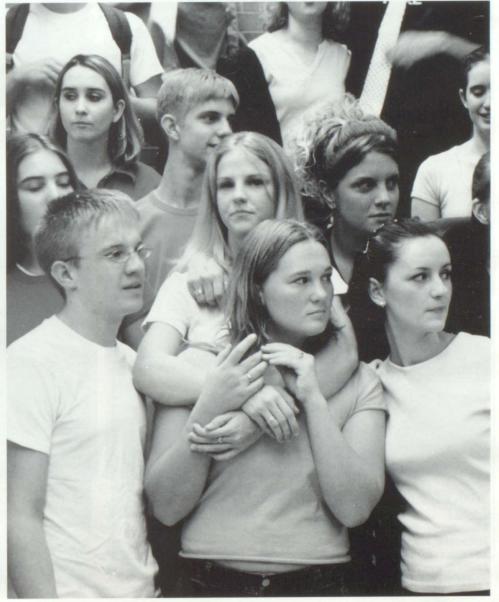
Because of their excessive rioting during the girls' basketball game, Paul Hanson and Jason Hodne got so hot, they took their shirts off. And I mean HOT.

Going with the Flow

Show choir has taught Kelly Wetzbarger, Kari Ullom, John Bergan, Kendra Finck, Kari Anderson, Sarah Peterson, Matt Nelson, Maggie Feige, and Audrey Muellenberg the art of synchronization.



King of Pokemon 2000 On a pit stop during the Bio II trip to Brookings, Todd Feige takes time out to enjoy his reign over Japanese animated characters.



The Wonderful World of Work

Most high school students not only go to school, but have an after-school job as well.

What do students do after school? Well, aside from after school sports, work is the most common pastime. Those of over the age of sixteen often need an extra source of income, other than their faithful parents. The average high school student has car and insurance payments to make, clothing to buy, food and other necessities to buy, and save for the inevitable college. There are lots of reasons to go job hunting, but unfortunately, there aren't a lot of opportunities for the student worker. On an after-school to close shift, you will find mostly cashiers, shelve stockers, fast food culinary artists, or janitors. And after all the grunt work the night shift has to go through, most of the high school work force walks away with little more than minimum wage.

One downside to having an after school job is that it takes away from homework time. Getting off work at nine or ten can mean a late night of studying if you've got a test the next day. That doesn't seem to phase us, though, because it's all worth it when pay day comes around.



What's the Key to Good Food?

Cleanliness, that's what. Christi Halverson knows. Even when she's not making the food at Dairy Queen, she's making sure everything is spic and span.

A Farewell Kiss

Elliot Quam gives this deer head a smooch to say goodbye. He and coworker Paul Even work at Jack's Cold Storage. Sometimes, in this line of work, it's easier if you don't get too attached.

Keepin' It Clean

Tyler Hanson manages a big smile even when he's up to his elbows in his work at Prostrollo's.





Pages by Angie Hegdahl



Didn't I Just See You in Government?

Kari Ullom waits on Mr. Jensen at Jubilee. You know he's a great teacher when Mr. Jensen goes out of the school building to help his students.

Taking Out the Trash

Annie Gustaf makes sure she gets it all at the Courthouse where she works.





<u>Move Over Martha Stewart...</u> Here comes Robert Souhrada. Who wouldn't want to eat one of those mouth watering sandwiches Robert's making?



It really doesn't bother me to mow at all. I just fall into my groove and drift into deep philosophical thought. When I'm done, I can look back and admire how good the lawn looks.

Andrew Ellsworth

Wet towels, crazy drivers, and weird college students. Plus, our boss Tom is crazy and bald. Pizza Ranch kicks HutIIII







My years of having SRP in the MHS library encouraged me to get my current job as a page at the public library. Spending nights surrounded only by books and a select few living organisms has increased my knowledge by osmosis and became my only educational source outside the school.

Emily Hodne

Musical Prodigy

Jason Janssen has some mad trumpet skills. He participates in marching band and has had the time of his life.

<u>Jason Lends a Helping</u> <u>Hand</u>

One of Jason's strategies is to get on the janitors' good sides. He thinks they'll be there when times get rough.

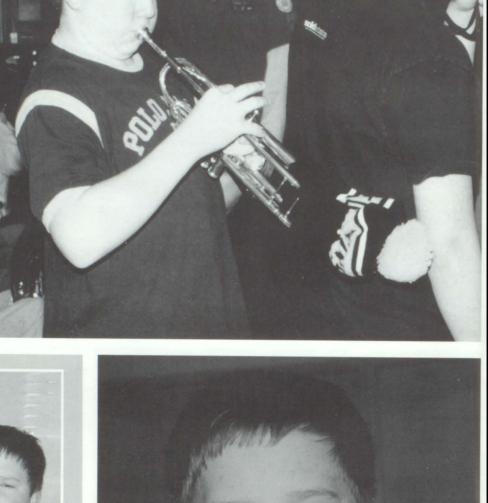


What is the funniest thing that has happened to you in high school so far?

On a band trip to Sioux City, Billy Osterberg was beating the crap out of Pat Offert. They both went rolling down a really big hill. I thought it was cool that a freshman could beat up a senior. Oh man, that was funny.

> Jason Janssen





<u>All Worn Out</u> After a taxing day of high school, Jason is beat and ready to go home. He can barely keep his eyes open any longer.

Feeling the Wrath

Jason realizes that the seniors have complete control over him. He has decided to surrender to the vice grip of Trey Faircloth and worship him as a god.



Social Skills

Jason Janssen has learned that the only way to get girls is to smell good and keep clean. He takes a shower three times a day, hoping to find a high school sweetheart out there.



A Day In the Life....

of a Freshman

Three years ago, the seniors were walking the halls as freshman. For some of the upper classmen, it's hard to remember back that far, so we're giving you a glimpse into the past. We picked one little freshman to spend a day with, to see what happens in a day in the life of a freshman.

As you may have noticed, all the pictures on this page are of Jason Janssen. He is the Chosen Freshman; the one that can give us a glimpse into our lives years ago.

Jason lives with his mom, dad, and sister Jessica. His dad is a pilot. Jason likes sports -- he watches them on television and also plays golf and is on an IBA team. He thinks high school classes are way too long, especially during Algebra because he "hates that class, man". Jason's favorite class is Exploring Foods, a favorite of many freshman. Outside of school, Jason is employed at the Ramona diner where he works as a waiter.

Jason likes the atmosphere of high school because you get to be with kids from different age groups. He was scared the first day, because he had no idea what to expect. After he walked into his first class, Marching Band, he wasn't so scared anymore. He had already bonded with the upper classmen during marching band camp. It was there that Jason earned his nickname "Fire Crotch", because of his red hair.



Hush Little Freshman

When Jason can't bear to leave, he sometimes finds a nice cozy locker to sleep in. He'll wake up to a big surprise when tomorrow's gym class goes into the locker room to change.

Like Totally

Valley girls, Kari Anderson and Kari Ullom are just a couple of girls thrown back into the 1980's with everything from crimped hair to short skirts.

Hula Skirt Wishes and Pineapple Dreams

Angie Hegdahl and Annie Gustaf are pictures of Hawaiian perfection in their great getups.

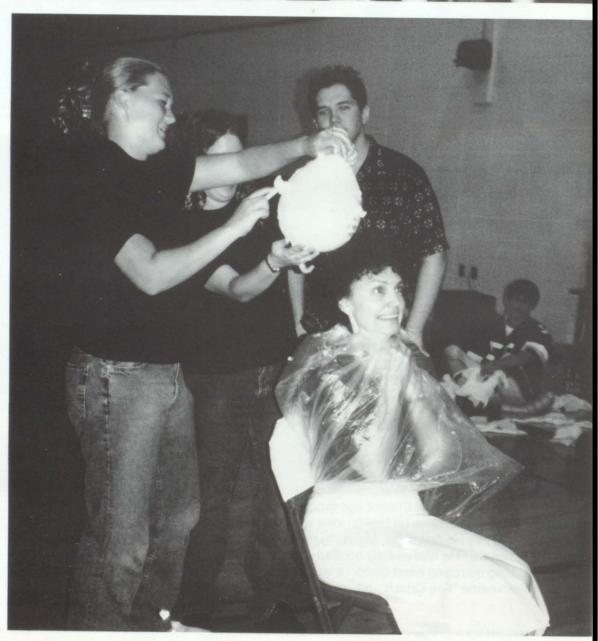


Homecoming Initiation?

Gordon Kent watches from a safe distance as Maggie Feige and Ginger Finch hold a balloon covered in shaving cream over Mrs. Stapert's head. What a way to welcome our new principal into the homecoming festivities.







Hawaiian Fever

Dress Accordingly

Hawaiian Nights, the homecoming theme, set the feel for homecoming week. Palm trees and bamboo adorned the playhouse for coronation Monday evening. Earlier in the day, the presence of leis and hula skirts turned the boring cold school into a Hawaiian getaway. Tuesday students dove a little deeper into the Hawaiian theme with Under the Sea Day. People were dressed from everything from mermaids to seaweed. Wednesday brought some horrific fashion as everyone dressed for Tourist Day. The number of cheerleaders increased Thursday because it was Valley Girl/ Surfer Dude Day. Spirit Day was Friday and everyone was encouraged to wear maroon and white. The afternoon was spent participating in the class olympics, which was won by the senior class and concluded with the homecoming football game. Aloha to homecoming for another year.



<u>It's Better Down Where It's Wetter</u> Jennifer Schultz and Lia Eastman do their very best to appear to be from under the sea.

Enjoying the Sites

Tessa Cox has the entire tourist look and the sunscreen on the nose just gave it that final touch.







Cool As a Polar Bear Hannah Goldammer is bundled up for touring that ice cap of a continent we call Antarctica. She won best costume on Tourist Day.



Almost There

Yes, that is a plunger in Danny Meyer's hands as he makes his way to the end of the gym in the class olympics. Oh what we do to show our school spirit.

Were # 1! Were # 1!

After John & Michael Bergan finish their piano duet called "Get up and Go", they give off an air of satisfaction when the two realize they have won first place in the talent act.





"Whole Again"

Kelly Wetzbarger and Maggie Feige serenade the audience with Jeff Reed as their guitarist. Their song, "Whole Again" earns them a third place finish.

A Human Video

Second place winners, Jonathan Stetler and Katie Reuter, perform a human video called "For Future Generations" by 4 Him.



And the King and Queen Are... a very happy Jennifer Grimm and very relaxed Paul Fischer.

Coronation

The night we've all been waiting for ...

On the night of the coronation, people filed into the Playhouse; some for the talent acts (whether performing or watching), and some to watch the crowning of the homecoming king and queen. No matter what you came for it was great.

Mitchell Walker and Grant Jaspers were the masters of ceremonies, and were extremely entertaining. All of the talent acts were tremendous. Most people agreed that they would not want the job of judging the acts.

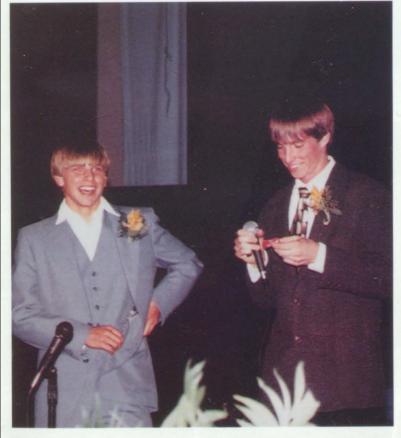
After the talent acts, the candidates for king and queen began their journey toward the stage. As they made their way to the front, their achievements and future plans were highlighted. Finally after everyone was up on stage, last year's queen, Karli Threadgold, revealed the new royalty. Leis of flowers, instead of the traditional crowns, were used to crown the new queen, Jennifer Grimm, and the new king, Paul Fischer.







Audrey Muellenberg, Renee Halgerson, Sarah Higgins, Annie Gustaf, Jake Stefek, Tyler Schuurmans, Josh Diaz, and Todd Feige pose with King, Paul Fischer and Queen, Jennifer Grimm.



Is That All the Better You Can Do? Mitch Walker and Grant Jaspers try hard to fulfill their duties as Masters of Ceremonies... with candy wrapper jokes?



Congratulations Sarah Higgins, Audrey Mullenberg, Annie Gustaf, and Renee Halgerson take a moment to congratulate Jennifer Grimm.

Kiss 'de Girl

Under the Sea

Winter Formal 2000 started off with boys picking up their dates and thinking about the theme for the dance this year, "Kiss 'de Girl." Some were a little skeptical as to if they wanted to kiss their dates when the night was over. Wyatt Cole said, "Winter Formal was a night to remember, all I could think about was my good night kiss."

Lindsey Karlson and other FBLA members put a lot of work into the decorations to fit the theme. The hardest part was the background for the pictures but they did a great job. An octopus in front of blue Saranwrap gave an allusion of being under water. A beautiful castle covered one wall as fish looked like they were swimming under the sea.

With all the preparations and time spent working on decorations, the formal was a complete success. People will always remember "Kiss 'de Girl" Winter Formal 2000. Pages by Kari Finck



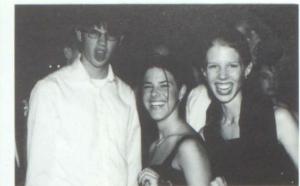
























Smile

Emily Neville, Megan Johnson, and Carly Seitz take a break from dancing and smile for the camera during the Kiss 'de Girl Winter Formal.

Enjoying the night

Lisa Stien and her date smile and laugh the night away.

You want me to kiss who?

Jeff Reed gets a surprised look on his face after Cassy Knapp and Megan Nelson ask for a kiss.

Please!?

Kaylynn Bruns stops for the camera while wishing her date, Ben Kapelle, would be Kissing 'de Girl! It looks like Mike Palmquist is more interested.

What did you eat?!...

Franko Hudson asks Angie Hegdahl after she tries to kiss him.

Singing the night away

Bethany Friedow and Adam Vanhove sing to one another their favorite songs ignoring the sight of a camera.

Now or later?

Tyler Schuurmans ponders on whether he should kiss his date Paul Ebsen now or when no one is looking!

Do you want to dance?

Lindsey Prostrollo, and Jenna Nielsen dance with their dates as the night passes them by.

Also Attending the Dance were...

Tiffany Draper and Christopher Freet, Tara Gabrielson, Amber Eich, Marlee Moe and Jessica Jensen, LeAnn Dixon, and Karli Kalvig.

Striking a Pose: It's not as Easy As it Looks

You know those awful, candid shots of yourself when you didn't know someone was taking a picture of you? Everybody has them, and everybody hates how they look in them. That is why many people develop a certain pose that they preform when they see a possible photographer.

You may use a certain semi-closedmouth smile to cover up bad teeth or suck in your stomach to hide your gut. Whatever your tactics, you are not alone. Everybody tries to look cool in front of the camera. You might grab a bunch of people, make a funny face or use an obscene gesture to make people laugh.

We picked a couple of our best "posed-people" pictures and put them on display. If you are a poser for the camera, these pages are for you.



Valley Girl Poses Maggie Feige and Dani Heinemeyer like to strut their stuff when they pause for a picture between cheers.

Hey, at Least I've Got My Planner

You can really go anywhere in the building as long as you have a planner with you. Steve Allen can even go into the trophy case.

Oh Happy Day

Josh Diaz shows some fake excitement while posing after he was the winner of our "It's My Day" contest.







Subtle We Are Not Kellie Stout and Amanda Reynolds win the prize for the most obviously posed picture.

Beautiful Girls

Lana Elpert, Renae Steichen, Sara Ebsen, Natalie Muellenberg Courtney Beck, Mary Lindsey, Li Wenk, and Bobbi Jo Olson strike a pose during band.



How do you pose for a picture?



I open my eyes really wide so I don't blink.

Jennifer Johnke

How do you pose for a picture?



Sometimes I smile.

Matt Falor

How do you pose for a picture?



I don't know about you, but we just usually smile.

Lana Elpert and Carrie Threadgold

How do you pose for a picture?



I brush my hair 300 times on each side to make sure that I look my best.

Marli Moe

How do you pose for a picture?



Everything I do just comes natural to me because I'm so cool.

Tom Weismantel



Will you remember your favorites in the future? Of course not, so here they are!

What Do You Like?

What was the student's point-of-view on their favorite bands, pop, food, T.V. shows, actor, actresses, etc. 100 students were surveyed by manal tabulation. Some students wouldn't take the survey for fear of somebody making fun of them. (Some were just plain stubborn.) But come on, their names weren't even on the surveys. All that was needed were the cold hard facts, and finally all 100 of the surveys were collected. From the surveys, top answers were chosen. A big "thank you" to the nice students who were willing to take time out of their busy school schedules to fill out the survey. You will be quite interested in the results.





Caffeine is Good!

Mountain Dew does contain Orange Juice, which makes it a perfect morning drink for Chelsea Pulford.

Sweat

Nick Poppen goes for a lay-up in his favorite sport, basketball. Jon Bundy is there to cheer him on.

Working Hard

For their favorite class, Albert Woods, Kristen Grimm, and Ben Puthoff, are willing to type their fingers to the bone.







And the Survey Says. . .

Category

Favorite

Рор	Mountain Dew
Food	Pizza
Football Team	Vikings
Song	Butterfly- "Crazytown"
Band	Blink 182
Class	Art
Color	Blue
Place For Lunch	Home
Restaurant	Dairy Queen
Brand of Clothing	Old Navy
Sport	Basketball
Board Game	Monopoly
Car	Mustang
Book	A Child Called It
TV Show	7th Heaven
Actor	Ryan Phillipe
Actress	Julia Roberts
Movie	Gone in 60 Seconds
Season	Summer
Holiday	Christmas
Type of Music	Rock
Store	Hot Topic

Mmmm Good

That's what Jason Janssen says when some of his friends hand-feed him some of his favorite snacks.

King and Queen of Prom King Tyler Schuurmans and Queen Renee Halgerson reign over prom.

Aren't They Lovely Emily Neville, Megan Blake and Courtnie Beck love they way they look for prom.

Twist and Shout

Getting into the swing of things are Megan Blake and Justin Zerfas.





Can You Do This? Sandra Skinner asks her date Jason Uthe, "Can you do this?".

Jackets, What Jackets? Steve Allen, Adam Miller and John Miller shed their jackets for a cooler prom experience.





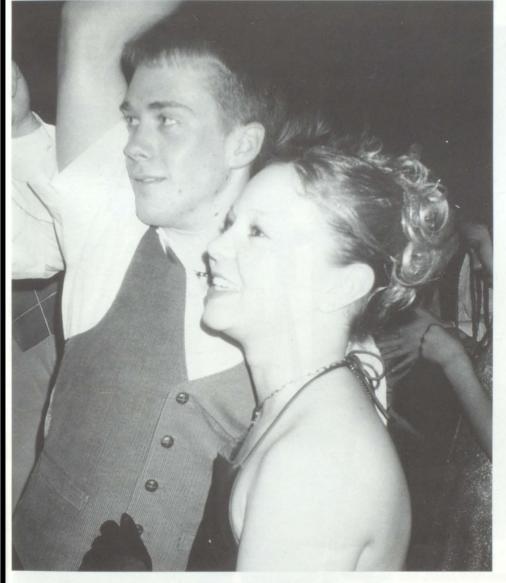
Wild Things

Soo Coool!

Tony Heeney shows the rest of the world just how cool he is. How could you not enjoy prom with friends like, Holly Drake, Kaylynn Bruns, Jenny Haiar, Dustin Shoenrock, Becky Eich, Kari Ullom, Dani Skluzacek, and Renae Neuman?







Prom Is The Greatest Paul Ebsen and Amanda Bruns are really enjoying their senior prom by dancing the night away.

Prom 2001

Stairway to Heaven

On April 7 2001, boys rushed their vehicles to the car wash while the girls ran to the salon to get their hair fixed. Everyone wanted to get ready for the perfect evening. The theme "Stairway to Heaven" was perfect for the clear starry night.

There was no stopping the juniors and seniors from having a great time. There was never a dull moment on the dance floor. The music blared as the night was danced away. It was as if they never wanted the night to end. It almost felt as though heaven was with us with the beautiful decorations and the giant staircase in the background.

King, Tyler Schuurmans and Queen Renee Halgerson were crowned as the night went on to add to the fun.

Following the grand march, students stayed for the after prom party where there were many games and enough food to last all night. It was a chance to just hang out with fellow classmates and have a good time while still being safe. As morning approached, people filed out of the Field House to go home to their nice warm beds. After a long and fun night, it was the perfect stairway to heaven!

Singing Away

Amanda Bruns and Tyler Campbell sing for the crowd one of their favorite songs during the show choir performance.

Taking a Break

Erin Iwen and Sarah Skinner sit for a few minutes after the hard work of putting tape on decorations for winter formal.







The Beautiful Sound of Music

The beautiful voices of Kaylynn Bruns, Katie Ihler, and Zach Hill can be heard caroling in the halls, while others are still trying to concentrate in class.

Want To Play My Trombone?

Angie Hegdahl and Andrew Ellsworth give each other a good luck hugs before the big marching band performance.



Organizations .. Just Because



Want to Dance?

Student Council members Marlee Moe, Karli Kalvig and Megan Hoffman get the student body in the mood to dress Hawaiian.

Left, Right, Left, Right

A cool crisp march down main street is how the Marching Band participates in the Dakota State University's homecoming parade.







Attention!

Standing at attention while waiting for the command to march, Jina Lembcke enjoys the homecoming parade.

<u>Give It Back!</u> Michael Bergan and Justin Whitcomb perform "The Importance of being Earnest" for one-act play with such great enthusiasm!

Marching Band

The music and motion of blood, sweat and tears.

For three days in August, band kids stagger around the parking lot try to make eye-catching shapes out of people and play beautiful music at the same time. There are four pages of music to memorize along with all the marching that goes with it. Shouts of "detail, atten hut" and "horns up, horns UP" can be heard coming from the drum majors. This may seem absurd to most people, but to band students, it's a way of life.

Hours and hours of gruelling practice go into a marching band show that lasts about eleven minutes. Why would anyone actually want to be in marching band?? Well, it could be because of the incredible high you get after a great show, or maybe because of all the people you meet and the friends you make. Whatever the reason, 216 dedicated people participated in marching band this fall and had a great season.



Dude, Where's My Jacket? Paul Hansen looks exasperated as Kenny Rahn asks him if he's seen his marching band jacket. Last weekend, Kenny was wondering where his pants were.

Leader of the Brass

Karissa Rogers stands at attention as perfect example for the freshman who are hopefully watching.

Hhmmmmmmmmm

"What's my next move?" wonders Jenna Neilsen as she gets ready for the next song.







Life, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Happiness Greg Garry, Liz Wenk, Adam Breuer, and Mitch McNary attempt to display the flag so the band can salute it.

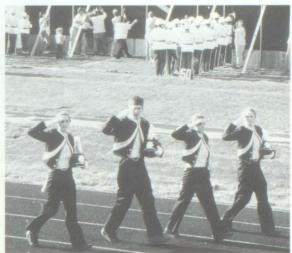
Spirit Of Madison Color Guard

Back: Jackie Thomson, Erin Iwen, Kayla Hill, Allison Kreul, Kim Crownover, Jina Lembke, Elisa Wede, Abby Brown, Lauren Esser, Kari Anderson, Becky Eich, Emily Neville, Lindsey Higgins, Katie Brown, Charis Vetter, Carly Seitz, Amanda Bruns, Jenessa Goeman, Jenna Lucas, Amanda Harmon, Megan Johnson, Jenna Nielsen, Jenny Haiar, Carrie Threadgold, and Renee Halgerson.



All Hail the Drum Majors

Those who control the marching band are Audrey Muellenberg, Andy Kenyon, Kari Ullom, and Annie Gustaf. Who would mess with this intimidating set of drum majors?





Spirit Of Madison Marching Band

FLUTES: Susan Farrell, Maggie Feige, Kasey Kroger, Jeff Amert, Janna Hanson, Dani Heinemeyer, Rachel Miller, Michelle Olinger, Bobbi Jo Olson, Sara Ebsen, Megan Hoffman, Keri Macziewski, Natalie Muellenberg, Jodie Wilkens, Amy Cameron, Jeremiah Johnson, Abby Kittleson, Sarah Klingbile, Sarah Lemair, Sarah Rahn, Kari Schaefer, and Amber Smithers. CLARINETS: Rebecca Brookshire, Jennifer Grimm, Sandra Skinner, Nicole Souhrada, Lori Weismantel, Megan Blake, Ashlei Fawbush, Teresa Hopf, Stephanie Kittleson, Marin Moran, Marissa Nighbert, Tiffany Rice, Jenny Uthe, Tori Bertness, Bethany Friedow, Cassandra Kotten, Lisa Stein, Kristin Thill, Jennifer Anderson, Traci Gabrielson, Sunni Gross, Kimber Lambert, Chelsea Lee, Anna Oswald, Matthew Riegert, Alishia Salmen, and Amanda Shaver. SAXOPHONE: Andrew Graham, Patrick Olfert, Jake Stefek, Brent Dietterle, Lana Elpert, Andrea Tucker, Justin Zerfas, Becky Bessman, Michael Brozik, Shannon Ahern, Allison Johnson, Tiffany Draper, Chris Freet, Tiffany Oswald, Kristen Schaefer, and Kevin Johannsen. TRUMPETS: Matt Nelson, Stefanie Richardson, Grant Jaspers, Lori White, Maxon Keating, Tara Gabrielson, Allison Weiland, Kyle VanDerWerff, Beth Feistner, Lisa Ihler, Kaylyn Bruns, Ross Schmit, Lori Hegdahl, Kristen Grimm, Christine Amert, Jason Janssen, Kevin Logan, Dani Skluzacek, Ben Piehl, Kelsey Ahrendt, Erin Blom, Angie McGillivray, Kalie Whealy, Jason Kuhl, Kristen Osterberg, Jessica Jensen, Jason Lambert, Miranda Martin, Clay Campbell, Sarah Skinner, and Justin Bauer. FRENCH HORNS: Jennifer Schultz, Lisa Satter, Michelle Caron, Hannah Goldammer, Alexa Nagel, Jessica Fjerstad, John Bergan, and Lisa Rogers. TROMBONES: Andrew Ellsworth, Josh Fritz, Lucas Hofman, Jacque Kuyper, Kenny Rahn, Jason Hodne, Lia Eastman, Megan Jordahl, Travis Patch, Angie Hegdahl, Andrea Janke, Lindsey Karlson, Kindra Norby, Paul Hansen, Kenny Reed, Tom Weismantel, Heather Namken, and Christopher Uthe. BARITONES: Karissa Rogers, Trey Faircloth, Emily Hodne, Paul Even, Paige McCracken, Jon Bundy, and Billy Osterberg. TUBAS: Justin Whitcomb, Chad Blasius, Brad Plack, Nick Schultz, and Dusty Skluzacek. DRUMLINE: Michael Bergan, Chris Bordewyk, Todd Miller, Renae Steichen, Robbie Cundy, Karli Kalvig, Kyle Maurer, Jimmy Materese, Ryan Holt, Mitchell Walker, Tyler Schuurmans, Josh Meyer, Russell Wiese, Josh Phelps, Jeremy Bauhmuller PIT: Tim Adams, Courtnie Beck, Adam Breuer, Greg Garry, Drew Jones, Bobby Langner, Mary Beth Lindsey, Mitch McNary, Marlee Moe, Liz Wenk, and Kim Helling.

Follow the Leader

Mr. Hegg conducts the band while Dani Heinemeyer, Annie Gustaf, Emily Neville, Janna Hanson, and the rest of the band follow along.

Workin' Hard?

Justin Whitcomb, Josh Fritz, Andrew Ellsworth, Angie Hegdahl, Lia Eastman, and Brad Plack all prepare for their entrances, while Tom Weismantel flashes the peace sign, missing the entrance.









Are You Done Yet? Todd Miller poses for a picture, not paying any attention to one of Mr. Hegg's stories.

Ready... Set... Marlee Moe readies her mallets for her big entrance.



<u>Textbook Playing</u> Brad Plack plays the bass in his usual top quality form.

Best of the Best

Making the Final Cut

Some things to remember when trying out for All State Band: hard work and long, almost excessive practicing all play a large role in succeeding. Due to some talented competition, the chances of making all State is about 1 in 6. Two All Staters have made it all four years of their high school career; Jennifer Grimm (clarinet) and Karissa Rogers (baritone). Madison High School is the only school in the state to have more than one musician make it for four years.

Auditions were held in January. Ten students made up the All State group and only two other schools had more than ten people. The selection of music that was played was *The Divine Comedy* by Robert Smith.





"It was hard work, but it worked."

Karissa Rogers

What does it feel like to make four years of All State Band?

"It felt pretty wonderful"

Jennifer Grimm



The All Staters

All State Band members, John Bergan, Matthew Nelson, Jennifer Schultz, Karissa Rogers, Andrew Ellsworth, Lori Weismantel, Jennifer Anderson, Alishia Salmen, Jennifer Grimm, and Bethany Friedow all celebrate in the teacher's lounge with a cup of coffee.



Gold Band

Gold Band is back with its usual junior and senior assembly, its great sound and superb music.



Wind Ensemble

The Wind Ensemble is an elite band with its top players making brilliant music.



<u>Maroon Band</u> Maroon Band is full of many new students who create a gracious sound with excellent music.

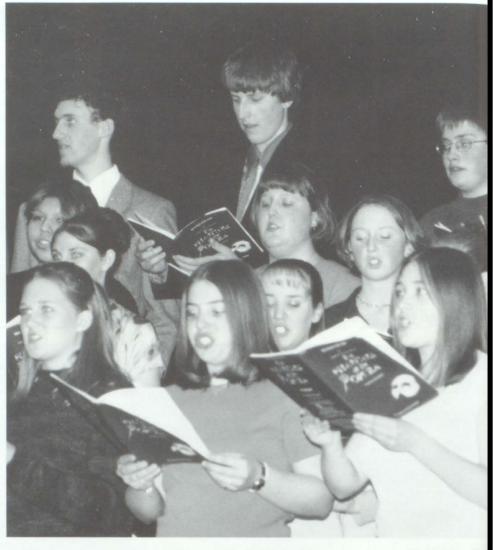
Look at Those Smiles!

Are Kevin Logan, Luke Garry, Eric Kaufmann, Jamie Hawk, Lindsay Grogan, Erin Kock, Renae Neuman, Maggie Feige, Kelly Wetzbarger, Kristi Cecil and Beth Feistner singing in a choir concert or participating in a lemon eating contest?

Opening A Can...

It takes a tough woman to manage all of those rowdy choir kids and direct at the same time. Mrs. Hegg fits the position well.





Celestial Chorus



"B" Choir

Back: Charity Nelson, Kim Ekberg, Anna Winter, Amber Eich, Traci VanDenHemel, Anna Baughman, Kelli Kock, Sarah Janssen, Amy Berglund, Bernadette Capulong, Rachel Miller, Jennifer Erickson, Jolon Beck, Kaci Cecil.



"A" Choir

Back: Matt Nelson, Wyatt Cole, Craig Falor, Kris Bahr, Allison Weiland, Jamie Hawk, Luke Garry, Eric Kaufmann, Ryan Walters, Dan Rislov, David Rislov, Zach Hill, Nik Killion, Henry Morgan, Josh Uecker, Kevin Logan, Josh Eide, Ryan Holt, Erin Kock, Rita Smithers. Sara Stewart, Amber Pederson, Courtney Quam, Amanda Bruns, Kar Ullom, Annie Gustaf, Kaylynn Bruns, Justin Whitcomb, Jennifer Lucas, Victoria Bertness, Mary Lindsey, Megan Nelson, Audrey Muellenberg, Lindsey Grogan, Renae Neuman, Ginger Finch, Marin Moran, Kari Anderson, Kendra Finck, Katie Ihler, John Bergan, John Stetler, Dani Heinemeyer, Jessica Jensen, Charis Vetter, Hannah Goldammer, Kristi Cecil, Maggie Feige, Kelly Wetzbarger, Josh Fritz, Beth Feistner, Susan Farrell, Andrew Ellsworth, Mitch Walker, Tyler Campbell.

More Than a Mouthful of Melodies

Chorus Isn't Just Singing Anymore

"Chorus.. umm...uh.. in a few words would best be described as not only a chance to sing but also a chance shake my thang." said Maxon Keating.

Through many hours of diaphragm bending, voice box stretching, and dance move finessing; some seventy-five harking angels produced yet another astounding year in music. Performing Fall, Christmas, Spring, Large Ensemble and Small Ensemble concerts; the little village of Madison had plenty of opportunities to hear sweet sounds.

Once again the show choir performed for the student body at the Homecoming game leaving many people amazed at their dancing prowess. "Those kids took footloose to a new level; Tyler Campell's moves were so impressive that I felt a warm sensation up and down my spine!, " said John Miller. "Show choir was the best, especially when I finally got to prove, not only to school, but also to the world, that I AM THE LORD OF THE DANCE!!!" said Aaron Manthey after his amazing performance at the show choir concert.

The choir was packed with superior singing ability, sending an impressive eight people to the All-State Chorus competition. The diaphragm all-stars were comprised of; Matt Nelson, Audrey Muellenberg, Mitch Walker, Kelly Wetzbarger, Andrew Ellsworth, Beth Feistner, John Stetler, and Maggie Feige.



Jump, Jive, and Wail The members of the Show Choir strike a pose at the grand finale of their concert.

Magnificent Music



Show Choir

Show Choir is a real energetic group. These kids can dance and sing, a real bunch of swingin' hipsters. Back: John Bergan, Luke Garry, Wyatt Cole, Audrey Muellenberg, Matt Nelson, Kari Ullom, Craig Falor, Amanda Bruns, Ryan Holt, Mitch Walker, Tyler Campbell, Jon Stetler, Allison Weiland, Kari Anderson, Kendra Finck, Maggie Feige, Aaron Manthey, Susan Farrell, Kelly Wetzbarger, Kristi Cecil, Andrew Ellsworth.



All-State Choir

"This year's state choir concert was great! I finally realized what personal satisfaction one could gain from singing with the areas' best choir students," says Andrew Ellsworth. While the fury of an early November blizzard took center stage, choir students sat back and let mother nature do her thing while thoroughly enjoying the wonderful city of Sioux Falls. All-state chorus members are: Matt Nelson, Audrey Muellenberg, Mitch Walker, Kelly Wetzbarger, Andrew Ellsworth, Beth Feistner, Jon Stetler, Maggie Feige.

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A Balanced Diet

Mrs. Lynch only allows one apple for every two students on Student Council. Jennifer Grimm and Grant Jaspers know that an apple a day keeps the doctor away.





Practicing Up

Mitch Walker is boning up his skills for the upcoming year of Student Council as he commands Heather Lingle, Jessica Jensen, Andrew Ellsworth, Allison Weiland, Lia Eastman, Nick Schultz, Karli Kalvig, Renae Steichen, Xin Wang, and Jennifer Schultz how to eat lunch.



l am an insane human that likes spending Fridays cleaning up after the student body.

Jennifer Schultz



Student Council is better than a good old swig of formaldehyde!! Andrew Ellsworth



Student Council gives me a chance to be with a lot of cool & fun people!





Lia Eastman can never seem to keep her mouth shut, even when she's eating. Anybody up for a lettuce

Too Busy For Food

salad?

Yin Wang would rather work then eat. Renae Steichen in the background should be taking notes.





Beware of Mrs. Lynch Mrs. Lynch knows that in a room full of hungry kids, you have to be on guard at all times. Nobody is going to steal her salad.



It's an enlightening experience that allows me to better serve the school. Michael Bergan

Why are you a member of Student Council?

Seafood

Most of us never think about the people who organize all the school's fun events like coffee houses and dances. These pages are dedicated to those students who work hard to make these events happen.

Student Council

Lunch Period Pals

"Pass the doughnuts and juice!" could be heard when the student council met sometime last August at Mrs. Lynch's house. It would be the first of many, many meetings throughout the year that would involve eating food. There were meetings during lunch on most Mondays, and there were even some evening meetings with pizza. However, there's more to the meetings than just eating food. The student council had to plan activities for the year, which included homecoming, coffeehouses, dances, and spring fling. There were also many other things to decide and run, such as Matchmakers for February and solving issues such as open campus for seniors. The student council even had a constitutional convention, and updated some of their constitution.

Why do the student council members commit so many hours, long with sweat, blood, and tears? "Because of Student Council camp," said sophomore Marlee Moe. "I aspire to a mission of service and involvement, not to mention my need to appease my thirst for power," said Michael Bergan.

involvement, not to mention my need to appease my thirst for power," said Michael Bergan. Andrew Ellsworth said, "I look forward to taking action to help make the school day better for my fellow classmates. Although the administration doesn't give the council much power, at least the students have a voice. It could be worse -- Mitch Walker could end up in charge. Jen Schultz did a pretty darn good job as Student Body President. She put a lot of time and work into it all. As Class President, I just did what's in the best interest for the seniors, and ate a lot of food at the meetings!"





Order, I Said Order

Jennifer Schultz tries to lay the smack down on the rowdy group of Student Council kids. No matter what she tries, she just can't keep them under control, especially Heather Lingle and Jessica Jensen in the background.

Back it Up

Gordon Kent directs Corey Johnke where to go during the homecoming activities put on by the Student Council.





Typical Meeting John Bergan works as Andrea Tucker, Gordon Kent, Jennifer Uthe, and Michael Bergan slack off.

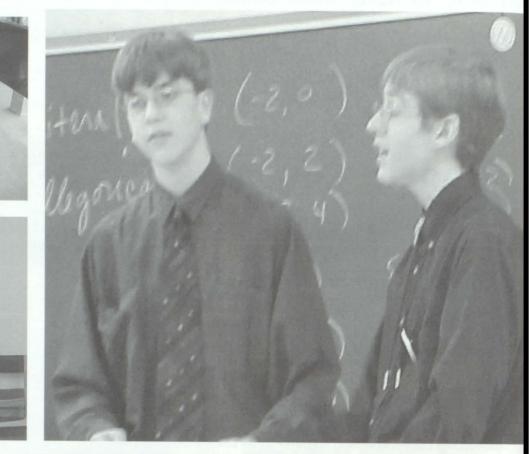
The Kids of Student Council Back: Jennifer Schultz, Gordon Kent, Michael Bergan, Xin Wang, Andrew Ellsworth, Jennifer Grimm, Mrs. Lynch, Grant Jaspers, Jennifer Uthe, Andrea Tucker, Heather Lingle, Renae Steichen, Megan Hoffman, Allison Weiland, Nick Schultz, John Bergan, Chris Uthe, Cassandra Kotten, Karli Kalvig, Laura Smith, Alishia Salmen, Jessica Jensen, Marlee Moe, and Lia Eastman.

Practice, Practice, Practice

Debate and Oral Interpers prepare and practice wherever and whenever. Just ask Josh Uecker.

Daring Duet?

In the daring duet event, Chris Uthe and Brett Kearin try to carry on their conversation without looking at each other.



Smile!

A great smile will help out in any situation as Dani Ciancio demonstrates.

Oral Interpretation

Back: Randy Barrett, Gordon Kent, Dani Ciancio, Wayne Booze, Amber Eich, Laura Smith, AJ Severson, Josh Uecker, Megan Hoffman, Lindsey Karlson, Justin Haar, Mrs. Benning, Tessa Cox, Alexa Nagel, Jessica Jensen, Dani Heinemeyer.





Talking Dogs

Debate and Oral Interp help some Bulldogs speak their minds.

Where in high school can you talk as much as you want and argue with some of your best friends and not get detention? In Debate and Oral Interpretation.

How does this come about? Our debaters and interpers prepare for and compete in Interp and Debate Tournaments around the state. They compete in Extemporaneous Speaking where speeches are based on events that happen in the news domestic, foreign and novice. In Original Oratory each competitor creates their own selection to present, compared to non-Original Oratory where speeches are read from selections that others have written.

Poetry is the event in which participants read a selected piece of poetry. The category of Drama gives individuals the chance to deliver a dramatic selection, compared to the Humorous event where humorous pieces are delivered. Prose is the category in which selections from a book are read. Finally Duets involved two people delivering a piece without being able to look at each other.

By the end of the Debate and Interp season, our talking dogs have expanded their knowledge and gained a lot of confidence.



Research Never Ends Jeff Amert continues his research that seems to never end.



And the Winners Are . . .

Back: AJ Severson, Wayne Booze, Josh Uecker, Andrew Ellsworth, Brett Kearin, Jeremiah Johnson, Emily Smith, Jeff Amert.

Debate

Back: Abby Kittelson, Jeremiah Johnson, Chris Uthe, Dani Ciancio, Gordon Kent, Andrea Tucker, Tim Adams, Andrew Ellsworth, AJ Severson, Josh Uecker, Brett Kearin, Justin Haar, Amanda Maas, Laura Smith, Megan Jordahl, Lori Weismantel, Tessa Cox, Wayne Booze, John Bergan.



The Importance of Being Earnest

Who is Earnest? There's Something in That Name

It was a great opportunity that the tech crew could be up for such a great award this year. It was "the bomb" making state history like that.



Jessica Jensen



Take It Back

Alexa Nagel (Lady Bracknell) tells Megan Nelson (Lane) that the tea is unsatisfactory while Dani Heinemeyer (Gwendolyn) looks on.

Are You Being Served?

When you ring, Trey Faircloth will be there, ready and waiting. You can't get better service from a guy with a turban anywhere else.

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Mr. James Miller chose "The Importance of Being Earnest" for the One-Act Play, which was a comedy written in the early 1900's by Oscar Wilde. The play describes trials of two women who will only marry men who's names are Earnest, and about two men who will do anything to marry those women, even if it means changing their names.

At the regional competition, Justin Whitcomb and Michael Bergan received superior ratings. The cast and crew also received a superior rating which allowed them to travel to Sioux Falls for the State Festival. During the state competition the cast as well as the tech crew gave a wonderful performance, earning the play a superior trophy. Dani Heinemeyer and Justin Whitcomb were both awarded superior ratings.

The tech crew's hard work finally paid off when they made state history by receiving an outstanding performance award, a feat that had never been done before. It awarded their quickness and organization during the play's scene change.



Sparks are Flying You can feel the chemisty between Dani Heinemeyer(Gwendolyn) and Justin Whitcomb(Earnest) right before he pops the question.



With Adoring Eyes

Sarah Peterson (Cecily) doesn't care what Micheal Bergan's (Algernon) real name is, she can't tear herself away from his loving smile.

Do You Care to Dance?

Gordon Kent (Chaucable) is ready to take off with Megan Hoffman (Miss Prism) on the waltz of a lifetime.



Cast and Crew

Members of the One-Act play were: (Back) Stephanie Kittelson, Josh Uecker, Megan Nelson, Justin Whitcomb, Dani Heinemeyer, Megan Hoffman, Gordon Kent, Trey Faircloth, Andrew Kenyon, Keaton Whitcomb, Alexa Nagel, Joshua Fritz, Sarah Peterson, Micheal Bergan, Cassy Knapp, Michelle Caron, Jessica Jensen, Tori Bertness, Laura Reed, Tiffany Rice, Teresa Hopf, and Emily Bruns.



"Who Are You?" Justin Whitcomb asks Dani Heine

Justin Whitcomb asks Dani Heinemeyer while sitting on his mushroom

Getting All Gussied Up

Laura Reed helps Josh Uecker get ready for the play





Cast and Crew

Members of the Spring play were: (Back) John Bergan, Michael Bergan, Beth Feistner, Susan Farrell, Chris Bordewyk, Andrew Ellsworth, Dani Heinemeyer, Alexa Nagel, Megan Nelson, Megan Hoffman, Josh Uecker, Lori Weismantel, Mitch Walker, Justin Whitcomb, Kelly Wetzbarger, Allison Weiland, Karli Kalvig, Michelle Caron, Josh Fritz, Bethany Friedow, Jon Stetler, Amber Eich, Jessica Jensen, Amanda Maas, Lindsey Karlson, Laura Reed, Teresa Hopf, Hannah Goldammer, Tori Bertness, Charis Vetter, Lara Clever, Sarah Peterson, Andrea Tucker, Tiffany Rice, Stephanie Kittelson, Jeremiah Johnson, and Justin Haar



Alice in Wonderland

After years of mature audience orientated plays, Madison Theater Department decided to take a different angle. This spring, Madison High School produced *Alice in Wonderland*. The play was written for a young audience, and the cast of *Alice* decided to produce it in the same way it was written. The colorful set was full of bright characters and bold backdrops, and anyone in the audience couldn't help but notice the abundance of small children. Even the intermissions were scheduled with the young children in mind. It was a huge success and the children were delighted at a chance to meet the characters afterwards.



<u>Welcome All to Wonderland</u> As Dani Heinemeyer greets the children she points out all the wonderful things in her Wonderland.



All Smiles For the Camera

Top: Alexa Nagel and Chris Bordewyk; John Bergan and Michael Bergan. Bottom: Megan Hoffman and Andrew Ellsworth; Mitch Walker and Allison Weiland.

The People Behind the Curtains

Back: Bethany Freidow, Stephanie Kittelson, Teresa Hopf, Laura Reed, Michelle Caron, Lindsey Karlson, Karli Kalvig, Jeremiah Johnson, Tiffany Rice, Josh Fritz, Justin Haar, and Amanda Maas



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FBLA 2000-2001 Officers

CO-PRESIDENTS-Erin Iwen & Sandra Skinner VICE-PRESIDENT-Becky Eich SECRETARY-Angie Madison TREASURER-Carly Seitz REPORTER-Lindsey Karlson HISTORIAN-Annie Gustaf PARLIAMENTARIAN-Alexa Nagel

We Are The Leaders of Tomorrow

FBLA has had another exciting year representing the more businesslike side of MHS at various activities and events.

Members kicked off the year with the Fall Leadership Conference at Dakota State University here in Madison. They also attended the National Fall Leadership Conference in Milwaukee, WI, for the first time.

FBLA's Winter Formal theme, "Under the Sea", was a success. Cold winter temperatures were forgotten as everyone dance in the aquatic decor.

FBLA Week was held February 11-17. The various activities throughout the week, such as hat a slipper day, sucker day, and selling Valentine treat bags benefited the March of Dimes.

The finale of their year is the Spring Leadership Conference where members take tests and compete against other chapters in the state. Kindra Norby placed 5th in Accounting II.

All of the members would like to say thank you to Mrs. Ustad, who has been a wonderful instructor and friend. She will be missed!



<u>I'll Blow Them Up If You Tie</u> Them

Megan Johnson, Kari Ullom, and Carly Seitz tackle the big job of blowing up the balloons for Winter Formal.

Dressed For the Occasion

The FBLA Chapter all dressed for the state banquet: Edward Wendel, Megan Johnson, Lindsey Karlson, Kindra Norby, Ann Kapelle, Mary Beth Lindsay, Carly Seitz, Greg Garry, Erin Iwen, Sandra Skinner, Marin Moran, Marisa Nighbert.



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Here's What Co-Presidents Do

Chapter co-presidents Sandra Skinner and Erin Iwen endure the long bus ride to Milwaukee to the National Fall Leadership Conference.



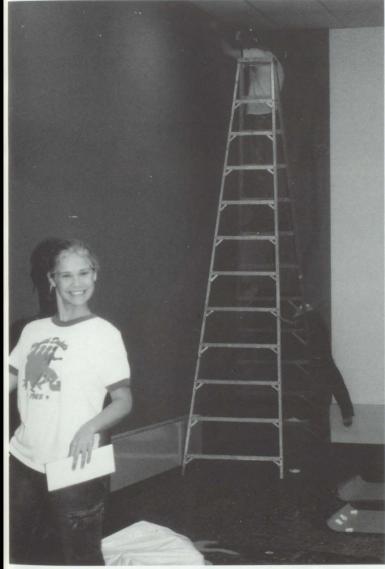


No, It's Not The Ocean

It's Lake Michigan. The sightseeing group of Mrs. Ustad, Erin Iwen, Jennifer Uthe, Marin Moran, Michelle Olinger, Lindsey Karlson, Danielle Statley, Sandra Skinner, Alexa Nagel, Marisa Nighbert, Jessica Jensen, and Ann Kapelle.

Future Business Leaders of America

Back: Edward Wendel, Mary Beth Lindsay, Kindra Norby, Megan Johnson, Carly Seitz, Kari Ullom, Annie Gustaf, Adviser Mrs. Ustad, Sarah Skinner, Lindsay Grogan, Ann Kapelle, Marin Moran, Danielle Statley, Sandra Skinner, Jennifer Uthe, Marisa Nighbert, Alexa Nagel, Jessica Jensen, Lindsey Karlson, and Erin Iwen.







<u>I'm Such A Great Help</u> At least Megan Johnson is giving Edward Wendel and Sandra Skinner her moral support while they use the "great" ladder to decorate for Winter Formal.

We Are a Studious Bunch

All ready to test and learn at the State Conference is (front) Edward Wendel, Marin Moran, Ann Kapelle, Marisa Nighbert, Mary Beth Lindsay, Megan Johnson, Carly Seitz, Kindra Norby, Greg Garry, Lindsey Karlson, Erin Iwen, Sandra Skinner and Mrs. Olson.

May We Serve You?

At the annual pie and ice cream social, Becca Brookshire and Jill Pruitt are there to serve.





Becky Bessman

Becky Bessman was elected District III Co-chair for the up-coming year and is running for the Financial Fitness PEER Education State team. She also prepared and organized activities for the State meeting as the State Junior High Representative.

FFA Active and Awarding

The FFA Chapter had a very active and rewarding year participating in local and state competitions. The year began in September with the annual land judging contests. The land judging team completed the season in 5th place.

In the Spring, the FFA members competed in numerous area Career Development Events culminated at the State FFA Convention. At the Convention Emily Hodne, Ryan Fedeler, and Becca Brookshire received their State FFA Degrees. The horse judging team of Becca Brookshire, Christine Hansen, Jill Pruitt, and Paul Fischer earned State Championship honors and competed in the national FFA Convention in Louisville, Kentucky. Also placing at the State Convention were Ryan Fedeler, 2nd in Sheep Proficiency; Matt Phelps, Matt Pulford, and Jason Martin, 11th in Ag Mechanics; Emily Hodne, Jason Hodne, Greg Wettlaufer, and Ryan Fedeler, 8th in Team Livestock.

The year concluded with the annual FFA Awards Banquet where numerous awards were received and former FFA member, Mike McIntrye addressed the audience. Top awards presented were: the Star Greenhand to Christine Hansen; the Star Chapter Farmer to Ryan Fedeler; and the Dekalb Award to Emily Hodne.



What Leadership FFA Officers Christine Hansen, Paul Fischer, Jill Pruitt, and Becca Brookshire lead a fine group of FFAers.

e're Having Fun Now

tephanie Kittelson, Stefanie Richardson, and Keri Macziewski help ome youngsters work with the finer aspects of tractors and building locks.



FCCLA Exceeds Expectations

Seventeen FCCLA members have focused this year's program of work on service. Working with the FACS classes has helped accomplish some of the projects. We began the year with Becky Bessman and Mrs. Goldammer going to Pierre for the "Stop the Violence Workshop" that has been incorporated into workshops for parents.

FCCLA provided "Night Care" for the children of the parents while they were in conferences. School bags for the third world children were made in the Sewing classes and distributed through World Relief programs. A "Quilt 'Til You Wilt" night was held in the FACS room and 75 quilts were assembled. These quilts were delivered to the Ronald McDonald House, Children's Inn, Safe House, Head Start, County Health, and Police Department.

This years officers were Lori White, President; Laura Reed, Vice-President; Amber Jepsen, Secretary; Elizabeth Miller, Treasurer; Tiffany Rice, Historian; and Stephanie Kittelson, Reporter.

All of the members completed their five Power of One Units: A Better You, Working on Working, Speak Out for FCCLA, Family Ties, and Taking the Lead.

"This chapter started off at a normal pace and has by far reached beyond my expectations. The projects they have accomplished have made a difference in many lives and that's what FCCLA is all about. I am so proud of each member," Mrs. Goldammer said.



Family, Career and Community Leaders of America

Back: Jody Wilkens, Keri Macziewski, Stefanie Richardson, Laura Smith, Cindy Keenan, Samantha Friede, Kaci Cecil, Anna Baughman, Melissa Ullom, Alicia Diaz, Adviser Mrs. Goldammer, Lori White, Laura Reed, Amber Jepsen, Elizabeth Miller, Stephanie Kittelson, Tiffany Rice and Becky Bessman.



Future Farmers of America

Back: Wyatt Cole, Paul Fischer, Greg Wettlaufer, Matt Phelps, Jason Hodne, Lindsey Prostrollo, Andrew Paul, Jason Martin, Mike Fonder, Russell Wiese, Chris Fonder, Tony Heeney, Keefe Nelson, Ryan Fedeler, Emily Hodne, Jenny Johnke, Christine Hansen, Jill Pruitt, Becca Brookshire, Verlene Hutchinson, Paul Ebsen, Verlend Hutchinson, Greg Jung, Matt Pulford, and Cory Johnke.

Q & A WITH THE EDITORS

Andrew Ellsworth

Q. Why did you become a co-editor with Wyatt Cole?

A. We decided somebody had to do it !!

Q. What is the best part about being on the newspaper staff?

A. I really enjoy the challenge, it looks great on scholarship applications, and who wouldn't want to spend more time with Mr. Lynch. But beware of the smack!! He can be quite ferocious.

Angie Hegdahl

Q. Why did you become co-editor with Kari Finck?

A. I'm co-editor?

Q. What your favorite thing about yearbook?

A. Being able to choose who goes in the yearbook. Ten years from now when you look back on the yearbook, it was my decision who made it in. Sorry if you didn't make it, or if the whole yearbook just sucks. Working Hard, Still Lookir Good

Angie Hegdahl lays out another great yearbook page.





They Got Their Ducks In a Row

Amy Youmans, Kris Bahr, and John Stetler take in a newspaper meeting.



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Yearbook Staff

Back: Mrs. Olson, Kari Finck, Angie Hegdahl, Alishia Salmen, Kellie Stout, Jessica Jensen, Gordon Kent, Amanda Reynolds, Anna Winter (Not Pictured) Rachel Wiken

Maroon Staff

Back: Mr. Lynch, Michael Bergan, Angie Hegdahl, Andrew Ellsworth, John Stetler, Kris Bahr, Amy Youmans, Jennifer Schultz, Alexa Nagel, Emmeline Elliott, Wyatt Cole



Yearbook Editors

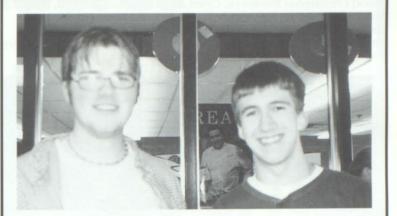
Newspaper Editors

<u>Oh Captain, My</u> Captain

Yearbook editors Angie Hegdahl and Kari Finck head up the staff of courageous yearbook workers.







Two of a Kind Newspaper Editors Andrew Ellsworth and Wyatt Cole lead the fearsome writers that make up our very own Maroon.





Women at Work Kellie Stout, Anna Winters, and Amanda Reynolds quickly close their Solitaire game as Mrs. Olson comes over to check on their work. **<u>I Just Don't Understand</u>** Jessica Jensen tries to explain the fine art of yearbook layouts to Rachel Wiken.

New National Honor Society Inductees

(Back) Christopher Bordewyk, Grant Jaspers, Janna Hanson, Greg Garry, Andy Kenyon, Ryan Holt, Courtnie Beck, Megan Blake, Mirza Hassan Javed, Ashlei Fawbush, Hannah Goldammer, Lana Elpert, Michelle Caron, Danielle Heinemeyer, Stephanie Kittelson, and Lindsey Karlson try to look intelligent as the pose for the camera.



Wait, There's More of Us

(Back) Bobbi Jo Olson, Todd Miller, Matthew Nipe, Angela Thayer, Jennifer Uthe, Elizabeth Wenk, Mitchell Walker, Kindra Norby, Renae Steichen, Andrea Tucker, Kelly Wetzbarger, Alexa Nagel, Megan Nelson, Rachel Wiken, Heather Lingle, Emily Neville, Cassy Knapp, and Mary Beth Lindsay.





Leader of the Pack Mrs. Crystal Benning puts the HONOR in National Honor Society. Hats off to you, Mrs. Benning.



Boys' State Delegates This year's lucky boys are: Back- Christopher Bordewyk, Mitchell Walker, Justin Zerfas, Jeffrey Amert, Greg Garry, and Brent Dietterle.

MHS Awards

Hard Work Will Always Payoff

For some students school can be a very difficult thing. While for others, it's just a simple accomplishment. Some students can pay attention in class, do their homework, and study for those tests, but they still don't have what it takes to be the perfect student. To others, being smart comes naturally. Yes, they all do their work but with a little less effort than most. They pay attention in class and do their work but it seems that they have what it takes to be the best.

Forty-two juniors were inducted into the National Honor Society (NHS) this year. It is something they are all proud of and have worked very hard for during their high school days.

Madison graduated ten Top Scholars this year that walked across the stage with their National Honor Society cowls and with smiles on their faces. They made a big accomplishment and are proud to be a part of Madison High School.





Top Ten Scholars

Audrey Muellenberg, Angie Hegdahl, Sarah Higgins, Lisa Satter, Katie Reuter, Michael Bergan, Lori Weismantel, Andrew Ellsworth, Xin Wang, and Renee Halgerson. Congratulations on your hard work scholars.

KMO Kids

Josh Uecker, Lisa Satter, Michael Bergan, Renee Halgerson, Audrey Muellenberg, Andrew Ellsworth, Renae Steichen, Lia Eastman, Laura Smith, John Bergan, Tim Adams, Tom Weismantel, Dani Heinemeyer, Megan Nelson, Matt Nelson, Gordon Kent, Lori Weismantel, Mitch Walker, Andy Kenyon, Bobbi Jo Olson, Matt Nipe, Jeff Amert, and Chris Freet.



Girls' State Delegates

Lana Elpert, Megan Blake, Mary Beth Lindsay, Megan Nelson, Kindra Norby, and Emily Neville can't wait to participate in government related activities at Girls' State. They are pictured with Girls' State chairperson Ruth Bagley.



Warming Up For the Big Match

Paul Ebsen and Greg Garry really know how to psych themselves up before a wrestling meet.

Single File

Jordan Zens, Jason Hodne, Dustin Shoenrock, Mike McGillivray, Jerae Wire have their game faces on before the match.





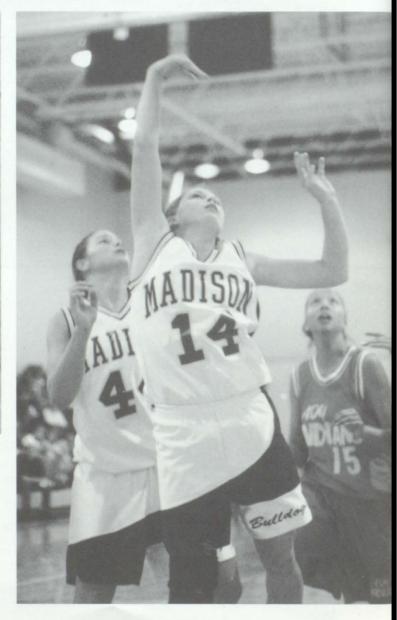


Ready...Break

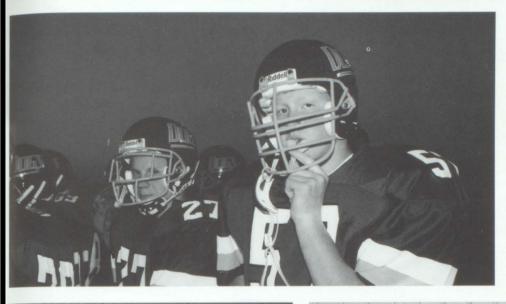
The cross country girls' team listens intently to the pep talk given by their assistant coach Eric Cummings

It's All In the Form

Kristen Schaefer has it all: the extended arm, the bent wrist, and the helping, supporting hand. Jacque Kuyper looks on in awe.



Sports ... Just Do It



Put Me In Coach

Kelly Koch and Robbie Thuringer are members of the freshman team, waiting to play varsity.



ACE

Karissa Rogers, Sarah Higgins, Alison Kreul, Lisa Satter, Renee Halgerson, Audrey Muellenberg, and even Megan Martin in the background are getting into the spirit of the game.



"Sorry Coach"

Says Brent Dietterle, "I forgot my shoes today for the game. At least I remembered to tuck in my shirt though," as Earl Cross, Micahel Brozik, and Robbie Cundy look on.



Girl's Squad

Back: Carly Seitz, Renae Steichen, Heather Lingle, Megan Nelson, Andrea Janke, Kindra Norby, Megan Blake, Jessica Fjerstad, Hannah Goldammer, Amanda Shaver, Michelle Caron, Cassy Knapp, Mallory Nelson, Jessie Cole, Hope Smith, Kim Helling, Christine Hansen, Kristen Grimm, Whitney White, Brooke Postma, Brittany Postma, Sarah Johnson, Chantel Fischer, Jill Bickett, Miranda Johnson, Christine Banks, Kristen Osterberg, and Kari Schaefer.





Boy's Squad

Back: Bradley Plack, Tyler Hansen, Matthew Falor, Tyler Wipf, Adam Schladweiler, Jeremy Bartel, Grant Jaspers, Christopher Freet, Bobby Langner, Travis Patch, Danny Meyer, Paul Ebsen, Mitchell Walker, Jared Wire, Matt Nipe, Austin Slaughter, Tyler Patch, Kyle Lingle, Jordan Zens, Justin Bartel, and Paul Hanson.





What a Relief! Austin Slaughter and Bobby Langner take a relaxing stroll after a hard day of competition.

Go Get 'Em Girls

Brooke and Brittany Postma, Carly Seitz, Heather Lingle, Kari Schaefer, Jessica Fjerstad, and Kindra Norby are ready to run thanks to Coach Cummins' inspiring words.

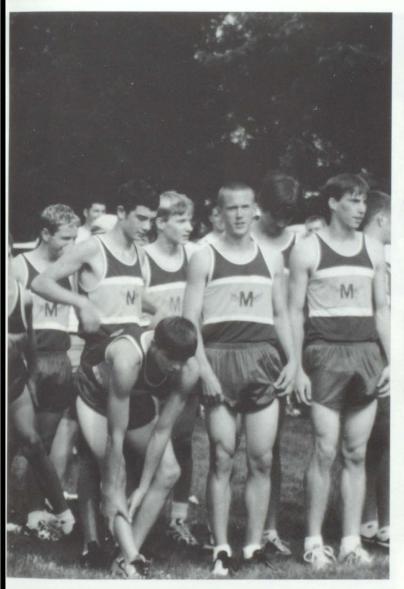
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State Champs

A Record Setting Year

The 2000 cross country teams found out what miles and miles of footwork can achieve. The girl's varsity team strided their way into history, bringing home the first girl's state championship. This along with the boy's second place showing, resulted in another Combined State Championship.

What does it take to achieve this kind of success? Lots of hard work and dedication is what brought this honor to the cross country team. With the leadership of Tyler Hansen and Kristen Osterberg, nothing could stop these diehard athletes from running in rain or shine.







Pump Those Arms Carly Seitz is still going strong way after the starting line. She knows the finish line is in sight.

On Your Marks

The boy's varsity team does their final stretches before another race. Tyler Hansen has his state of mind set to win this race.

Run, Forest, Run

Tyler Hanson is living up to the standards of his favorite t-shirts. There is no stopping him.

You Keep the Pace

Kari Schaefer and Jessica Fjerstad keep each other going during their 4K race.



Scoreboard

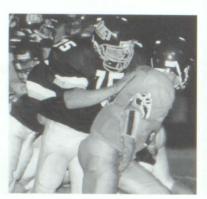
Madison Invite Boys 2nd place Girls 2nd place O'Gorman Dual Boys 1st place Girls 1st place Mitchell Invite Boys 4th place Girls 7th place **Vermillion Invite** Boys 1st place Girls 1st place Black Hills Interstate Quad Boys 2nd place Girls 3rd place West Central Invite Boys 1st place Girls 1st place Madison Night Owl Boys 1st place Girls 1st place Regions Boys 1st place Girls 3rd place State Meet Boys 2nd place Girls 1st place

Bombs Away

Jimmy Materese demonstrates his throwing ability by passing a hail-Mary.

Not a Chance

With Paul Fischer on the field, nobody dares to come through the line.



"Um... Greg Can I Hand You the Ball?"

Maxon Keating contemplates handing the ball off to Greg Garry







Leaping Lizards Tae Kwan Do moves is Todd Feige's style during the big game.

Chimmy-Size

As Cale Corbin rumbles downfield with chimp-like moves, Tyler Schuurmans throws a massive block.



Garry's Giants

Back: Kaylynn Bruns, Kari Finck, Erin Iwen, Becky Bessman, Kari Anderson, Amanda Bruns, Nicole Souhrada, Nick Schultz, Luke Garry, Travis Reynolds, Nick Goth, Elliot Quam, Todd Feige, Andrew Ellsworth, David Hollister, Craig Falor, Tyler Barrick, Paul Fischer, Jason Martin, Joe Fischer, Ben Kapelle, Matt Voeltz, Mike Voeltz, Lucas Hofman, Tony Heeney, Adam Rhodes, Derrick Nielsen, Zach Hill, Braxton King, Mark Poncelet, J.D. Hanson, Adam Hanson, Edward Wendel, Adam Vanhove, Jason Hodne, Jon Bundy, Kelly Koch, Greg Garry, Dusty Skluzacek, Andy Williams, Mike Palmquist, Tyler Schuurmans, Robbie Thuringer, Cale Corbin, Josh Leighton, Brent Dietterle, Jimmy Materese, Maxon Keating, Billy Osterberg, Tyler Campbell, Jerae Wire, Todd Miller.



Score	600	rd
	MHS	Them
Milbank	37	28
Webster	7	0
Lennox	14	27
Vermillion	20	34
Tri Valley	16	6
Flandreau*	8	15
Winner	8	15
West Central	6	39
* Homecoming	9	

Gridiron Tough

Bone Crunching Fun ...

Starting the season with two-a-day practices, the Bulldogs were off and ready. Days started out with rolling around in wet cold grass, followed by workouts in the blazing sun. Working out twice a day doesn't seem like too much fun, but the guys loved it. Tyler Schuurmans said "it was two weeks of girdle chaffing fun!"

The team started out to an explosive start. A near victory against the number one rated Vermillion Tanagers proved that the Dogs could go up against anybody. It was a well oiled machine, until injuries plagued the Dogs offensive unit and put a damper on the rest of the season.

With some hard work during the off-season and Coach Milne's work ethic, the Dogs will be back. They have the potential to be some hard-hitting thoroughbreds.

Awards

MVP- Paul Fischer Offensive MVP- Tyler Schuurmans Defensive MVP- Greg Garry Hardest Hitter- Paul Fischer Most Improved- Tyler Barrick Super Scout- Jason Hodne Unsung Hero- Jimmy Materese Hustler Award- Jason Martin



Run, Baby Run! Tyler Schuurmans flies down the field as Paul "The Punisher" Fischer looks for his next opponent to crush.

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Scoreboard

MHS Them

Dell Rapids	41	62
Harrisburg	53	41
Flandreau	48	51
Lennox	51	58
West Central	58	57
Howard	55	38
Indians	91	23
Deuel	67	35
Sioux Valley	36	53
Hamlin	60	55
Sisseton	64	68
Vermillion	42	53
Indians	89	24
Tri-Valley	51	68
Clark	40	52
E.P. Jefferson	49	61
Milbank	47	62
DeSmet	52	49
Distri	icts	
Flandreau	57	55
District Char	mpions	<u>hip</u>
Sioux Valley	38	49

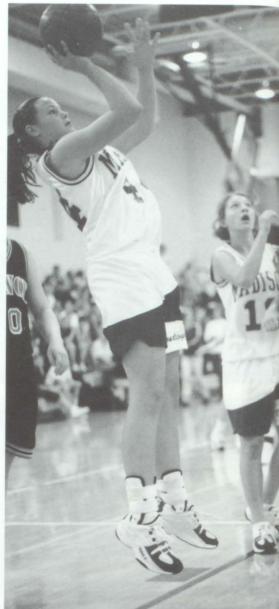
Total Tank!!

Jacque Kuyper, aka Tank, avoids the defense with a fade-away jumper.

Going Baseline!

Driving baseline past the Sioux Valley defense, Lindsey Higgins goes in for a lay up in the closing seconds of the third quarter.







Girls With Game

The starting five for the Lady Bulldogs prepare for battle at the District Championship in Brookings.

JV Lady Bulldogs

Back: Natalie Muellenberg, Bobbi Jo Olson, Allison Kreul, Jenna Nielsen, Kristen Schaefer, Coach Unterbrunner, Cassandra Kotten, Katie Brown, Jenessa Goeman, and Lisa Ihler.

Pages by: Jimmy Materese



Girls With Game...



This Is Our House!

The **YOUNG** and **ATHLETIC** Lady Bulldogs finished their season at 9-11. The Lady Dogs played a very tough schedule. With the loss of seven seniors from last year, they were limited on experience, but proved they could play the game of basketball.

The Lady Dogs won some big games, and were knocking on the door of quite a few others. Just how good they were was evident by the four point loss to Sisseton in an overtime game. Sisseton went on to became State "A" Champions.

"This was an awesome season and I was glad to be apart of it," said Jacque Kuyper. The Lady Dogs had only one senior starter, so they will be a team to be reckoned with in the next few years, so watch out......

Give It To Me!!

Karissa Rogers and Allison Kreul are fighting for the rebound in the first round of Districts at Flandreau Public.

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2000 Lady Buildog Awards

Hustler: Lindsey Higgins Tough Dog: Jacque Kuyper Sparkplug: Ashlei Fawbush Unsung Hero: Lindsey Higgins Best Defensive: Karissa Rogers Most Improved: Jacque Kuyper Best Offensive: Ashlei Fawbush MVP: Ashlei Fawbush Most Dependable: Ashlei Fawbush Captains: Ashlei & Karissa

Lady Bulldogs

Back: Coach DeCurtins, Lisa Satter, Janna Hanson, Allison Kreul, Jacque Kuyper, Bobbi Jo Olson, Jenna Nielsen, Coach Unterbrunner, Kristen Schaefer, Jenessa Goeman, Karissa Rogers, Lindsey Higgins, Natalie Muellenberg, and Ashlei Fawbush.

Boy's State Qualifiers Already for state are Marwan Karroum, Michael Brozik, James Green, Robert Erikson, Paul Green.

Boy's Golf		
	Us	Them
Lennox	153	162
Sisseton	335	375
Huron Invite	348	316
Madison Quad	331	307
Brandon Valley	175	181
Brookings Invite	340	318
Madison Invite	343	323
SF Roosevelt	172	155
Mitchell Invite	332	295
Watertown Invite	340	302
Waterwon Quad	327	303
West Central	165	196
Big "3"	320	318
RegionIA	323	297
State Meet		
James Green	19th	
Paul Green	28th	
Robert Erikson	59th	

I Got That One! Robert Erikson gets a hold of the ball and launches it down the fairway.





Young Dogs We're Learning, We're Growning

The boy's golf program consisted of many young and promising golfers. Participant's this year were: seniors, Bobby Bessman, Josh Eide, Jason Kuhl and Jeff Reed; juniors, Chris Bordewyk, Jason Daniels, Paul Green and Ben Piehl; sophomores, Jeremy Bahmuller, Mike Brozik, and Nick Poppen; freshman, Adam Breuer, Jason Janssen Kevin Johannsen, Mike Jongeward, Marwan Karroum, Matt Riegert, Kyle VanderWerff and David Wolf. Paul Green was voted MVP by his teammates.

The girl's golf season was shortened once again by the unseasonably cold, windy, and a wet spring. They finally got out on the course at the end of April. The girl's played well considering the youth and lack of experience on the team. After some switching around of the varsity players, by the end of the year the varsity team consisted of Liz Wenk, a junior; Amy Cameron and Tiffany Draper, freshman, and Amy Zerfas and Meagan Lee, eight graders. The team went to Regions as a team in Brookings and Liz Wenk and Amy Cameron qualified for the State Meet in Spearfish. Despite the adverse weather conditions both computed very hard both days. At the end of the season Liz was voted MVP by her teammates.



Where Did It Go? Robert Erikson watches Marwan Karroum's ball soar down the fairway.



Here's How You Do It Mr. Postma demonstrates proper chipping techniques to Amy Cameron and Liz Wenk.



Girl's Team

Back: Tiffany Draper, Amy Cameron, Ann Kapelle, Amy Zerfas, Chelsea Lee, Meagan Lee, Marlee Moe, Lia Eastman, Liz Wenk.





Rough Wrestlers Coach Waba, Erin Iwen, Kari Finck, Dustin Shoenrock, Jason Hodne, Cory Stien, Mike Palmquist, Adam Hanson, Greg Garry, Paul Fischer, Coach Swenson, Monte Wire, Paul Hansen, Mike McGillivray, Jordan Zens, Mitch Walker, Jerae Wire, Megan Blake, Emily Neville, Carly Seitz, Maggie Feige, and Lisa Stien.



Booyah

Wrestling Their Way To State

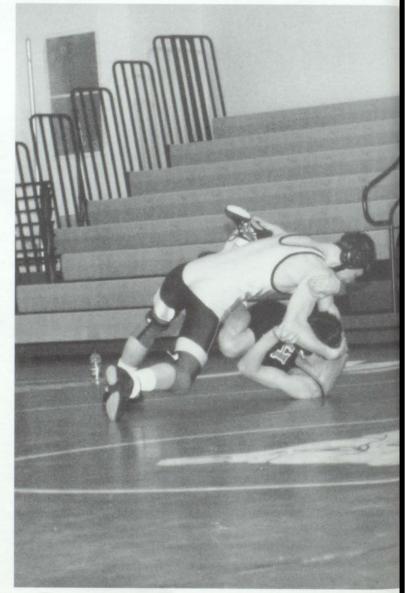
Six seniors, four juniors, five sophomores, three freshman and one eighth grader made up the Varsity Wrestling team. Because of their great efforts at regions, a 2nd place trophy, Madison was able to take the full wrestling team to state for the first time ever. The team placed 5th at the duel tournament and had six state place winners with an 8th place total for the individual tournament.

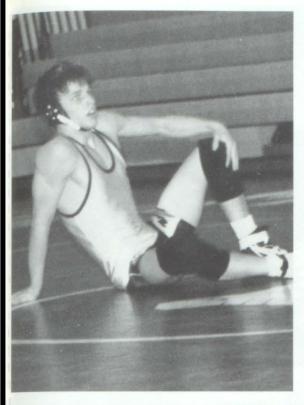
The success of these boys could very definitely be the hard work and practices they have overcome. A week long summer camp in Colorado helped to improve their skills and also become closer as a team. Practices everyday over Christmas vacation also helped bring them to their success.

All the hard work really paid off by season's end of the season with a record of: 2nd at the Kimball Invitational, the Brookings 16 Team Invitational and the Region 1A Tournament. The Bulldogs placed 1st at the Watertown Dual Tournament, the Central Lyon Dual Tournament, and the Arlington Invitational. There were 362 individual wins this season with only 181 individual losses.

Jordan Zens, team captain, won his 3rd straight state championship this season with his co-captian Jerae Wire grabbing the 5th place award. Jordan and Jerae showed a lot of leadership this year and helped the team.

Seniors this year were Mike McGillivray, 20-13; Cory Stien, 28-18; Paul Fischer, 36-5; Jordan Zens, 34-0; Paul Ebsen, 13-4; and Jason Martin 9-4.





By How Much?

Mitch Walker looks at Coach Waba with a confused look and tries to catch his breath before finishing his match on Madison Square Garden Night.



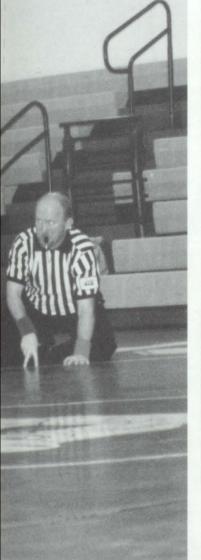
Helping The Team

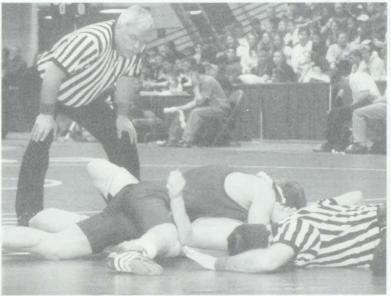
The girls behind the scenes of wrestling, handling all of the stats are Carly Seitz, Megan Blake, and Emily Neville.

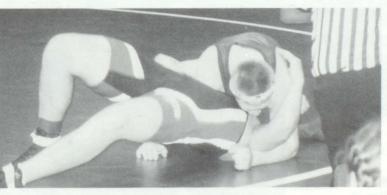
Focus, Focus, Focus...

Coach Waba tries to stay focused before the matches begin on Madison Square Garden Night.









That's Five! Dustin Shoenrock uses all his strength to ankle pick his opponent, in perfect form, onto his back.

Pin Him!

Jordan Zens works to pin his opponent at State. Jordan won the first place trophy in Rapid City.

<u>I've Almost Got Him</u> Paul Fischer uses all his muscles to pin his opponent at the State Wrestling Tournament.

What is your best memory of state wrestling this year?

"The kids did a great job this year! They all worked hard and bonded as a team. It was exciting to watch!"

-Coach Waba

"Winning my 3rd straight state title and making it to state as a team. It was a great experience having the whole team at state my senior year!"

-Jordan Zens

"We had a lot of fun this year at state. Having the whole team in Rapid City was really neat and everyone did their best! -Jerae Wire

Can't Hide Our Pride!

Wrestling cheerleaders Lisa Stien, Maggie Feige, Erin Iwen, and Kari Finck cheer for the Bulldogs wrestling team on their way to the State Competition. We've Got The Spirit

Erin Iwen, Kari Finck, Nicole Souhrada, Kari Anderson, Kaylynn Bruns, Amanda Bruns and mascot Becky Bessman cheer on the Football team.









Let's Hit It!

Dani Ciancio and Rita Smithers wait for the perfect count before starting the dance.

Pumped Up And Ready To Cheer

Girls Basketball Cheerleaders Dani Ciancio, Miranda Martin and Amanda Harmon get the crowd going before the big game!

Let's Go Bulldogs!

Kari Finck, Maggie Feige, Lisa Stien and Erin Iwen are ready to cheer for the wrestlers at the West Central Duel.





Can't Hide Our Pride!!

All Drill Dance Team

This year, for the very first time, the Madison cheerleaders had an all drill dance team. This dance team consisted of all squads and all girls that participated in cheerleading. During camp this summer, the cheerleaders learned many new things: new jumps, cheers, and a brand new dance. This dance is the one shown at every parents night of each season. It was done a total of four times. "It was a lot of fun and we learned team work!" said Erin Iwen.

During the summer many fund-raisers were held for the new warm-up uniforms that were bought this year: a car wash, selling of products door to door, a concession stand at Prairie Village, and a little girls cheerleading camp were some of the things we did.

With all the hard work of practicing and numerous injuries, the cheerleaders made 2000-2001 a memorable year for each sport. With ten seniors leaving the cheerleading squads, Madison will need many newcomers to carry on the traditions of the high school.



Stand Up And Cheer Getting the crowd on their feet at a wrestling match are Lisa Stien, Maggie Feige, and Erin Iwen.

Leading The Pack

Dani Ciancio, Shanda Werkmeister, Rita Smithers, Jill Heibult, Miranda Martin, Amanda Harmon led the girls basketball team in cheers.





Teachin' The Kid's Sarah Lemair, Nicole Souhrada, Maggie Feige, Amanda Bruns, Kari Finck, Erin Iwen, Kaylynn Bruns, Amanda Harmon, Miranda Martin, Shanda Werkmeister, Becky Bessman and Jill Heibult help teach the fun of cheerleading at camp during the summer.

I Am The Bulldog

Becky Bessman gets the crowd going during the football game with a little help from her fellow cheerleaders Kari Anderson, Amanda Bruns, and Kari Finck.

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What did you think of the State meet?

"It was a great experience for me in Rapid City. My start on the bars gave me a big boost going into the other events."

Jenessa Goeman

"I was in pain the whole day. I just tried to work through it and do the best that I could." Kristen Osterberg

"We were very proud of the girls, they pushed themselves in making their all-time high and school records."

Coach Collignon



State Champs Again

For the seventh year in a row, the Madison team took state. This year's team consisted of: Stefanie Richardson, Jody Wilkens, Mrs. Braskamp, Brooke Postma, Kari Schaefer, Shannon Ahern, Amanda Harmo Kristen Osterberg, Katie Reuter, Jenessa Goeman, Lindsey Prostrollo, Michelle Olinger, Kim Helling, Brittni Postma, Abbie Brown, Michelle Cundy, Heather Namken, Lana Elpert, Lia Eastman, and Mrs. Collignon.

A Time To Say Good-Bye

Reflection of the Years

As another gymnastics season comes to an end, we say good-bye to our senior girls as well as two coaches that have impacted the gymnast lives forever. Mrs. Collignon and Mrs. Braskamp have decided to call it quits after seven straight gymnastics titles. "I just figured that it was the right time to make the decision," said Collignon. "Whatever the reason we would like to just say thank you for a wonderful ten years."

At the state meet, Madison had covered four of the top five slots in all-around competition. Kristen Osterberg finished her career with state-record 14 all-around/individual championships. Osterberg and Katie Reuter also earned Academic All State Honors.

Although the Bulldogs came up less than a point away from its preseason goal they were very proud of what they accomplished. Collignon added, "Everyone thought of the team, they showed their true colors and true characters. They did their best, and for that I am grateful."

Scoreboard

	<u>Finish</u>	<u>Points</u>
West Central	1st	125.000
Wagner Invite	1st	132.700
Brookings Invite	7th	132.250
Vermillion	1st	126.150
Madison Invite	1st	135.975
Brandon Valley	1st	132.750
Huron	1st	135.200
Watertown	Зrd	134.700
Brookings Invite	Зrd	134.700
Regions	1st	135.150
State Meet	1st	139.135







Up, Up, and Away Katie Reuter gets a ton of height as she jumps on the balance beam. Who else could pull this move off and land it?

Take It From Us

Jessica Fjerstad takes some senior advice from Kristen Osterberg and Lindsey Prostrollo.





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Ready to Roll

TOP: Kim Helling, Kari Schaefer, Erin Blom, Abbie Brown, Amber Jepsen, Amanda Harmon, Shannon Ahern, Jessica Fjerstad, Michelle Olinger, Jenessa Goeman, Katie Reuter, Kristen Osterberg, Lindsey Prostrollo. SEATED BACK: Stefanie Richardson, Lana Elpert, Lia Eastman, Heather Namken, Jody Wilkens, Jessi Cole, Brooke Postma, Michelle Cundy, Brittni Postma, and Whitney White

Like Walking a Tight Rope

Amber Jepsen keeps her balance as she makes her way across the four-inch balance beam.

BULLDOG VARSITY

Back: Coach Sims, Todd Miller, Maxon Keating, Jason Lambert, John Spotanske, Craig Falor, Aaron Nelson, Coach Thurow, Steve Allen, Matt Nipe, Grant Jaspers, Robbie Cundy, Josh Leighton, Jimmy Materese



JV SQUAD

Back: Michael Brozik, Luke Garry, Jason Lambert, David Hollister, Michael Voeltz, Coach Thurow, Earl Cross, Josh Leighton, Robbie Cundy, Aaron Nelson, Matt Nipe

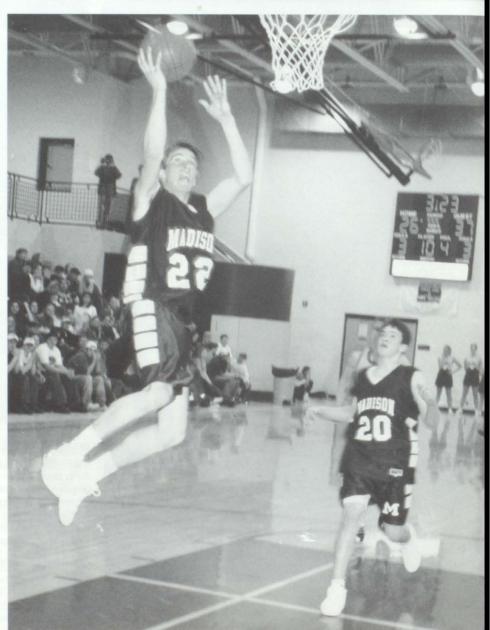




UH OH...Maxon's Got a Layup! Jimmy Materese eyes down Maxon Keating for a wide open layup against Luverne.

HIGH RISER

Grant Jaspers soars through the gym while Todd Miller watches him score an easy two points.



Shoot For Two

Todd Miller glides by two Flandreau defenders on his way to score two easy points.



	Dogs	Them	D	ogs	Them	
Indians	80	85	Tri-Valley	50	38	
Milbank	55	53	Flandreau	50	57	
Lennox	51	65	Deuel	60	46	
Clark	33	52	West Central	65	101	
DeSmet	64	40	Luverne	68	57	
Hamlin	60	46	Sisseton	61	43	
Canton	61	46	Vermillion	49	58	
Parkston	41	57	Harrisburg	67	51	
Howard	58	50	Sioux Valley	45	84	

Scoreboard

Districts Madison 47 Flandreau 60

Basketball Jones

Bulldog Round-ball in Review

This season for the Bulldogs was a little bit different. With the loss of eight seniors, this team came into the season with very little experience. But the team of three seniors, four juniors, and five sophomores came through and proved a lot of people wrong. The team had their ups and downs just like every other team does. "Overall we had a really good season, we had our chances to win more games then we did, we just didn't get it done," said Craig Falor.

The Bulldogs ended their season at 10-9. With a loss in the final game of the first round of districts to Flandreau Public, the team ended their season. The Bulldogs had a very tough schedule and played three out of the eight teams that made the State "A" tournament. The team has a lot to look forward to in the next few years, with bright young b-ball players coming up the ranks. Mr. Sim's hoopstars had a very successful season and they had a lot to be proud of. "It was a very fun season, especially when I tried figuring out what Maxon was trying to say.

Awards & Honors

Most Valuable Player CRAIG FALOR Best Defensive Player TODD MILLER Most Improved Player JASON LAMBERT Mr. Hustle GRANT JASPERS

Mr. Clutch JIMMY MATERESE Blue Collar Player JOHN SPOTANSKE Big 8 All Conference JIMMY MATERESE & MAXON KEATING



Give It To Me!!

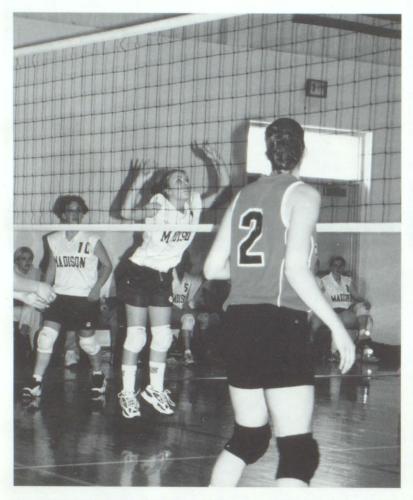
Maxon Keating is keying in on that "Spalding" as he moves his way in for the steal, as the Bulldogs go onto victory against the Hamlin Chargers 60-46.

Pages by: Jimmy Materese and Steve Allen

Not Just Teammates

Here We Go!

Jenny Haiar sets one up to an unseen attacker while Kasey Kroger looks on.



But Friends Forever

The Lady Dogs Volleyball team had, and continues to have, a unique togetherness. With nine seniors, along with t many underclassmen, this team was filled with tons of laught and huge smiles. Every locker room that was occupied by th group was never the same after the team left. Either the wal were cracked by the blasting music or the floors were crushe by the numerous rehearsals of the lineup cheer.

Many memories, along with long lasting friendships, were made during the volleyball season. These memories a friendships will never be forgotten.



"My favorite memory of the volleyball season is dancing in the locker room to our homemade volleyball cd; especially to Baby Got Back' and Shoop !

Sarah Higgins



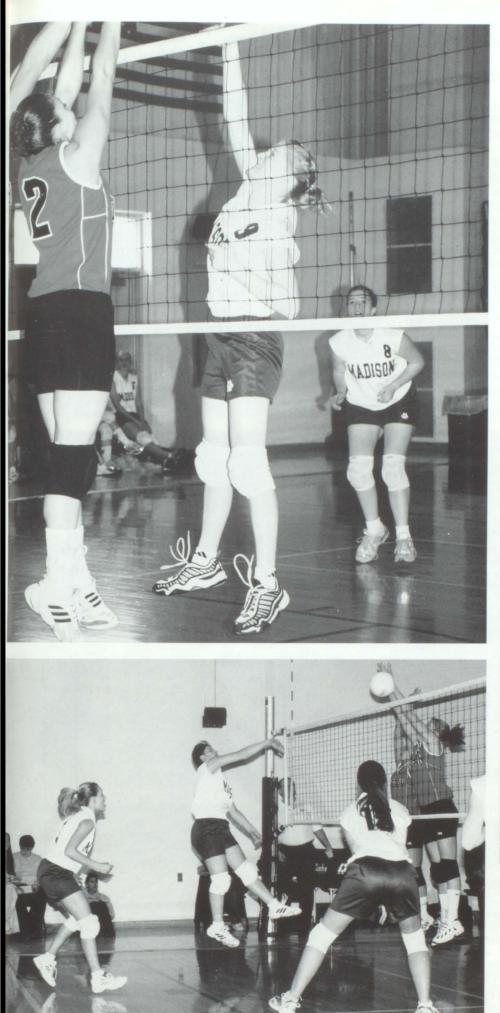
JV Team

Back: Coach Mike Lynch, Jenna Nielsen, Ashlei Fawbush, Jenny Haiar, Cassandra Kotten, Lara Clever, Janna Hanson, Lisa Rogers, Verlene Hutchinson, Natalie Mullenberg, Lindsey Higgins, Katie Brown.



Varsity

Back: Susan Farrell, Coach Mike Lynch, Kelly Kock, Jenna Nielsen, Allison Kreul, Sandra Skinner, Coach Joyce Farrell, Kristin Thill, Sa Stewart, Kasey Kroger, Renee Halgerson, Lisa Satter, Karissa Rogers Ashlei Fawbush, Lindsey Higgins, Sarah Higgins, Audrey Mullenberg Emily Hodne, Megan Martin, Jenny Haiar.



Finishing It Up!

Megan Martin gets backup from Emily Hodne during the bump-set-spike routine.

Scoreboard

Opponent	Won	Lost	Points
Clark		*	0
Deuel		*	0
Castlewood	*		2
Deubrook		*	2
Lennox		*	2
Lennox		*	0
Milbank		*	0
Sioux Valley	*		2
Philip		*	0
Sisseton	*		2
Miller		*	0
Lennox		*	0
Howard	*		2
Chester		*	0
West Central		*	0
Flandreau		*	0
Redfield	*		2
Clark		*	0
Arlington		*	0
Hamlin		*	0
DeSmet	*		2
Duel	*		2
District 4A			0
Flandreau Public		*	0
Flandreau Indian	*		2
Sioux Valley		*	0
Total 9 wins	13 los	sses	Sec. 1

Down and Ready Renee Halgerson and Allison Kreul are ready to get whatever comes to them while Lisa Satter goes for the kill.

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New Venue; Same Result

Madison Grabs Second Straight Title

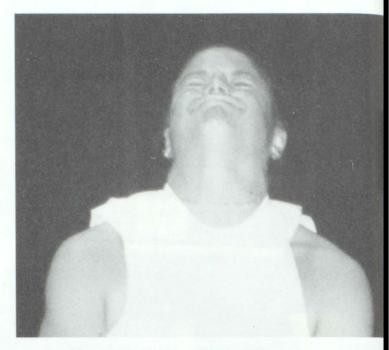
With the state powerlifting meet moving from the high school gym into the spacious stadium seating of the auditorium, fans all around watched Madison win their third team title in four years.

After a strenuous six-and-a-half hours of intense competition under utter concentration, the Bulldogs emerged with four individual first place finishers. "Obviously, I was pleased with our teams performance," said Tom Milne, Powerlifting coach. "I expected Edward and Karissa to win their Outstanding Lifter titles." They did as he expected, both achieving individual titles (Wendel 220 lb class - 1,730 lb total) (Rogers girls division - 700 lb total) and outstanding lifter titles for an astounding two consecutive years. Other individual titles were captured by Paul Hansen (123 lb class - 515 lb total) and Elliot Quam (165 lb class - 1,045 lb total).

The Bulldogs also got runner-up displays from: Jerae Wire (148- 935 lbs), Monty Wire (114-560 lbs), and Ted Peterson (165- 800 lbs). Fourth place finishers included; Jacque Kuyper (650 lb), Brent Dietterle (148-850 lb total). Andy Williams (148-800 lbs) and Jason Martin (HWT-1175 lbs) were fifth place finishers, while Paul Fischer earned sixth place (HWT-1170 lbs).

Is That Sour or What?!!!

Showing off her most bitter face, Jacque Kuyper attempts to lift roughly her own body weight.





A Special Talk With Brent Dietterle

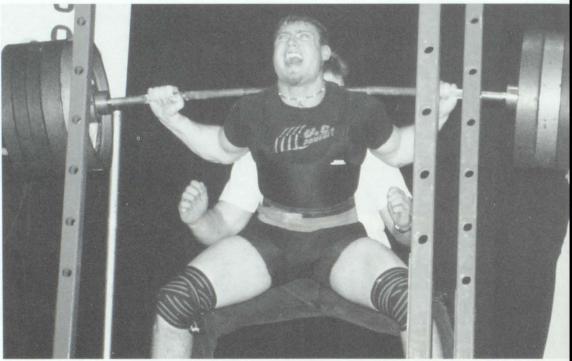
What was "really" going through your mind when you were squatting?

"I was hoping I would be able to get the weight up, but in the back of my mind I kept singing the Outkast song, Bombs over Baghdad."

Were you excited to wear a spandex singlet? How would you describe the feeling of this wonderful fabric?

"I was very excited to have the privilege to be issued a spandex singlet." "The feeling was unexplainable, yet amazing, kind of like a warm apple pie!"

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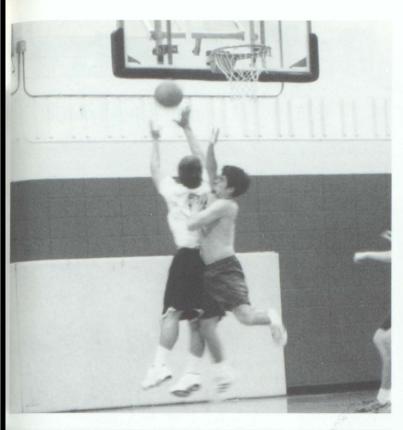
Duck! He's Gonna BLOW!!!

Successfully lifting the weight of a small compact car, Edward Wendel breaks the state squat record with an impressive 745 lb clean and jerk; Not too Shabby!!

Happy Campers

Showing their stuff one last time, Madison's two-peat champions pose for a quick meet-ending photo. Back: Jeremy Bahmuller, Brent Dietterle, Jacque Kuyper, Ted Peterson, Jason Martin, Paul Fischer, (Coach of the Year) Tom Milne, Paul Hansen, Monty Wire, Jared Wire, Ed Wendel, Jerae Wire, Andy Williams, and Elliot Quam





Can I Get a Foul?

Contrary to popular belief, IBA isn't just a fouling competition. Bryan Hentges demonstrates this as he carefully tries to block Matt Voeltz under the basket.

I Can't Reach it!

In an attempt to rebound a missed shot, Kevin Logan reaches slightly out of his opponents reach and does eventually snag the ball.



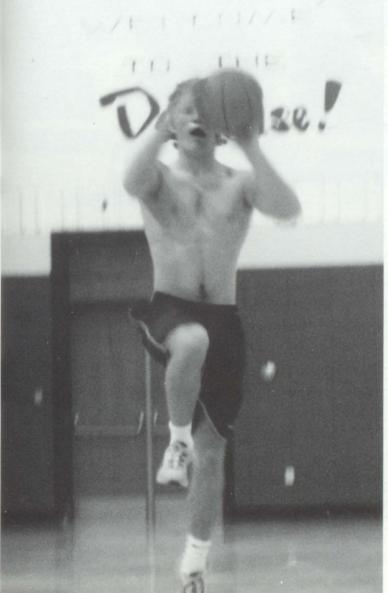
From the Driveway to the Gym

IBA Brings Out Hidden MHS Potential

The Intermural Basketball Association yields yet another crop of fine tuned athletes. There were thirty-two participants this year, one of which was a female, who thought they had what it took to make it through the extremely physical and strenuous season and win the championship. In the end, after seven painful weeks of practice, games, and basketball dreams there emerged only one championship winning team among the five: Kung Fu. Bryan Hentges is captain of King Fu assisted by Ryan Walter, Ben Piehl, Adam Vanhove, Ryan Holt, Adam Breuer, and Bradly Plack.

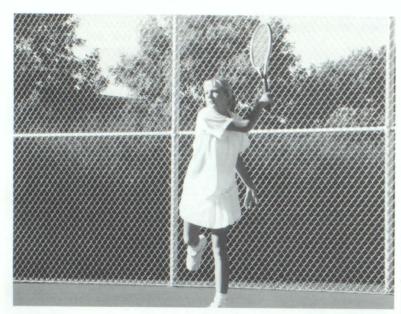


Going for the Three! On a fast break Cale Corbin decides theres not enough time to make it to the basket so he tries his luck at the three point line. Takin' a Break While waiting for the IBAers to get warmed up Mr. Collignon and Mr. Postma, the referees for today's games, take a load off their feet.



Perfect Form

Courtnie Beck practices her form in preparation for an upcoming match. Courtnie's final record was 4W - 3L.



BOOM

Justin Zerfas smashes the ball across the court during a vigorous practice session.

Takin' Aim

Chad Carmen sets up to kill the tennis ball gently bouncing onto his side of the court.





team was very satisfied with their accomplishment and even Mr. Sims was impressed. Since the team is relatively young, having only one senior, three juniors and two freshmen, hopefully we can look forward to another great year to come. To what can we give credit to the team playing so well this year? Maybe it's because of the addition to the old tennis courts. This year, four new courts were finally completed after some minor construction problems were identified and corrected. The new courts have drawn much attention back to the sport of tennis, drawing more spectators to the meets and daily players who come to the courts to play the game that they've learned to love

Ball Control





Girls Tennis

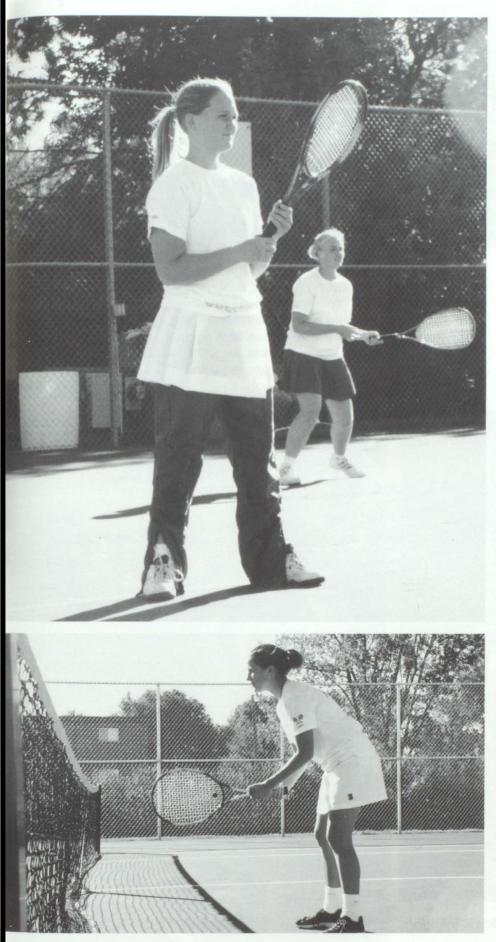
Front: Sandra Skinner, Amy Youmans, Lori Weismantel, Maggie Feige, Angie Madison, Traci Gabrielson, Courtnie Beck, Stefanie Richardson, Lisa Stein, Shannon Ahern, Kelsey Campbell, Jenny Anderson, Amy Cameron, Lori Hegdahl, Tara Gabrielson, Anna Oswald, and Allison Johnson and Coach Orlyn Larson.



Boys Tennis

Back: Coach Doug Sims, Dallas Tucker, Chad Carmen, Paul Green, Justin Zerfas, Mitch Walker, Jared Wire, Aaron Brookshire, Assistant Coach Chris Finck, Jeremy Bahmuller, Tom Weismantel, Jim Materese Ryan Holt, Kevin Logan.





Q Girl

my Youmans stands waiting for the return. Amy's record for the season was W - 4L, she was also letter winner.

We're Ready

Maggie Feige and Sandra Skinner stand ready for their opponents to make their move. Maggie and Sandra were 4 - 13 in doubles matches.

Scoreboard			
Boys Tennis			
	Us	Them	
SF Roosevelt	3	6	
RC Stevens	0	9	
Yankton	5	4	
Brandon Valley	7	2	
Mitchell	7	2	
Huron	7	2	
Sturgis	7	2	
SF Washington	0	9	
Vermillion	9	0	
Mitchell	8	1	
Yankton	7	2	
Watertown	1	8	
Huron	7	2	
Brookings	1	8	
Pipestone	4	5	
Watertown	0	9	
Vermillion	9	0	
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Brookings	0	9	
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Yankton	3	6	
Watertown	4	5	
Vermillion	4	5	
Pipestone	2	7	
SF St. Mary	5	4	
Vermillion	3	6	
Watertown	1	8	
Yankton	3	6	
Brandon Valley	2	7	
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Pipestone	1	8	
Todd County	9	0	

GIRLS:

MVP - Lori Weismantel Most Improved - Traci Gabrielson Best Record - Anna Oswald (17W - 2L) State Meet: 131 points / 16th place

AWARDS

BOYS:

MVP - Paul Green Most Improved - Jim Materese State Meet: 204 points / 11th place [1st among Class A Schools]



Girls Team

Back: Megan Blake, Kari Schaefer, Lindsey Higgins, Jacque Kuyper, Dani Skluzacek, Sarah Higgins, Kristen Osterberg, Karissa Rogers, Jenessa Goeman, Jessi Cole, Shannon Ahern, Sara Ebsen, Carly Seitz, Amanda Harmon, Heather Lingle, Brianne Sullivan, Brittini Postma, Jessica Fjerstad, Jenna Nielsen, Kristen Schaefer, Tessa Cox, Abby Freisen, Jenna Lucas, Megan Jordahl, Brooke Postma, Jessica Rogers, Bobbi Olson, Amber Smithers, Abby Brown, Jenny Anderson, Alishia Salmen, Mallory Nelson, Danielle Kuyper.



Jim Morrison??

Adam Schladweiler, the unsung hero of the track team, is caught here demonstrating just one of the many ways to have fun between events at the meet. We Have To Go How Far? Kari Schaefer and Brooke Postma try to stay loose as they finish another long race.



Boys Team

Back: Mike Voeltz, Craig Falor, Paul Fischer, Edward Wendel, Jason Martin, Tyler Hanson, Adam Schladweiler, Adam Miller, Tony Heeney. Tyler Schuurmans, Grant Jaspers, Robert Langner, Travis Patch, Chris Freet, Paul Hanson, Matt Nipe, Gregor Garry, Nick Schultz, Mike Brozik, Danny Meyer, Justin Bartel, Robbie Cundy, Maxon Keating, Austin Slaughter, Kelly Koch, TJ Hauck, Brent Dietterle, Matt Falor.



<u>I'm a Superstar</u> Kristen Schaefer takes a giant Jeap for woman kind



They're Going the Distance

They Deftly Maneuver, Striving for State

This years track team was full of potential and vigor. With an all around power house of runners. Some of these thoroughbreds have gazelle-like speed and some have dedication and stability. Many people don't really know some of the phenomenal athletes that pole vaulters are, but they are the unsung heroes of the track team. Adam Schladweiler, Paul Hansen, Shannon Ahern, Karissa Rogers, and Amanda Harmon are all definitely striving for state. Adam Schladweiler says, "Sure, anyone can run in circles, but it takes a real athlete to pole vault." Day after day these pole vaulters push themselves harder and harder to get higher than any other person.

Scoreboard

Boys Girls

Lennox Invite Brookings/	2nd	3rd
Huron	2nd	3rd
Barker Relays 1st		1st
Big 8	1st	2nd
Region IIA	2nd	1st
State A Meet	8th	4th







Ready, Set

Greg Garry spots Jenna Nielson as she gets ready to take off for another victorious race.

And They're Off! Adam Miller, Brent Dietterle, and Edward Wendel take off like gazelles running from the almighty lion.

Pages by Joe Colombe and John Miller

<u>Snack of Champions</u> Tyler Schuurmans enjoys a nice potassium filled treat between

events.

And The Pitch

Robbie Thuringer pitches the ball during one of the home games at Flynn Field.

What To Do?

Kris Bahr sits back and thinks to himself, "What is the meaning of life?"



The First Years

Baseball Starts in South Dakota

Another sport has been added to the family of sports here at MHS. This year baseball was added as a club sport through out the state of South Dakota. Schools from around the state competed in the first year of spring baseball. Before this year, South Dakota was one of only three states that didn't have baseball at the high school level.

"I am so happy that baseball has finally been added as a sport in high school," said David Neu, "even if it is just at the club level."

The difference between a regular sport like football and basketball and a club sport like baseball was, is that the club sport has no affiliation with the school other than name. The school provides no money, uniforms, equipment, or anything like that. The name is all they get.

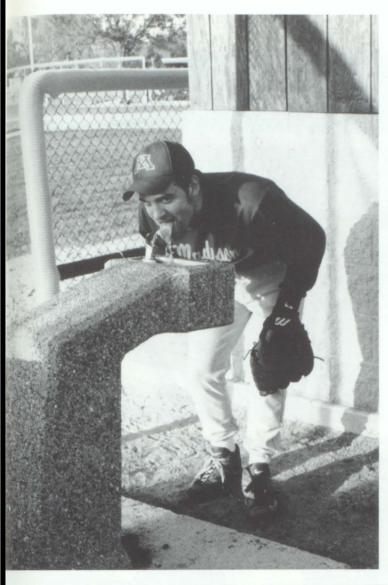
Hopefully, the state will sanction baseball, catching South Dakota up with the rest of the country, and it will join gymnastics and track as a regular sport in high schools across the state.





2001 Diamond Dogs

(Back) David Neu, Keaton Whitcomb, Robbie Thuringer, David Hollister, Andy Paul, Jon Bundy, Jeremy Bahmuller, Randy Barrett, Josh Leighton, Ben Piehl, Brian Tweet, Dustin Skluzacek, Billy Osterberg, Kris Bahr, Bryan Hentges, Mitch McNary, Russell Halgerson and Todd Miller.



NEED WATER!

Bryan Hentges shows that even getting a drink is fun when you are playing baseball.



Watch And Learn

Todd Miller stands in to bat while David Hollister, Ben Piehl, and Bryan Hentges look on.

What A Game

Mitch McNary and Ben Piehl watch on and think about what a great game they get to play.



Scores

	Dogs	Opp.
Lincoln	1	10
Vermillion	n 14	4
Roosevelt	0	11
Lincoln	3	5
Washingto	on 5	9
O'Gorman	6	10 (9)
Washingto	on 2	6
Lennox	5	4
Groton	7	8
Baltic	7	18
Colman	2	1
Final Reco	ord	3-8

Untitled Baseball Poem

This is my poem, about the Bulldogs and me They're my baseball buddies, this you can see We play catch a lot, and tear up the field We play friggin hard, until the game's sealed We love this game, and we have all our lives We'll play till we're old, and have kids and wives Kris got a new bat, and boy is it swell It's a part of our family, his new name is Mel We're gonna get hits, all season long Cuz if we didn't do this, that would be wrong We'll trot around the bases, and score lots of runs What can you expect, our arms are like guns They're lethal like weapons, giant like trees We'll pitty da poor fool, get down on your knees When we're leaving the field, after winning our game They'll remember that day, they'll remember our name We are the Madison Bulldogs, We're an unstoppable team When you finally beat us, you'll wake from your dream

-David Neu and Kris Bahr

Academics...Just Think

Going The Distance

Jeff Amert launches a ball in his physics class hoping to get the greatest distance.

I Got It ...

Craig Falor yells to his partner during a pickle-ball game in his P.E. Elective class.

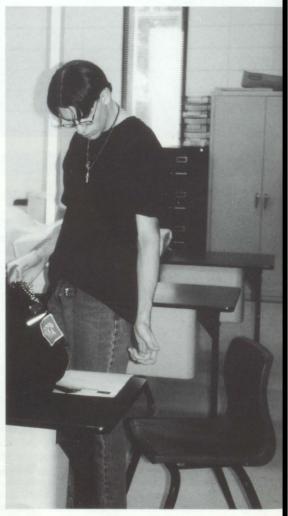






I Still Works Though!

Ben Kapelle tells Mr. Swenson, after being asked if he needs a new pencil, that he is trying to finish his Physical Science homework with a broken one.



What Do I Do Now? "I got all my homework done and now I have nothing left to do!" Wayne Booze tells himself after finishing his paper in accounting class.

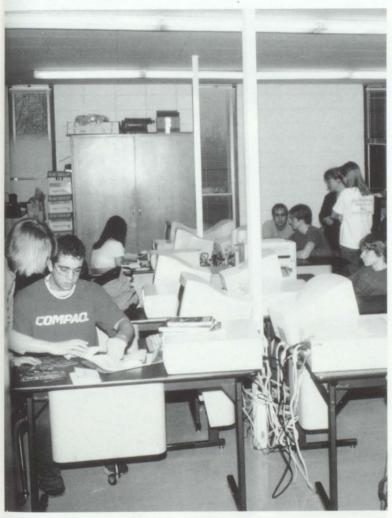


What Do I Do Now?

Jared Wire works on the computer in accounting class.

Where Should I Put This Picture? Kari Finck thinks to herself while trying to put together another yearbook page.





Working Hard In Desktop Class

Katie Brown, Jimmy Materese, Holly Elkin, John Miller, Adam Miller, Mrs. Olson, Kari Finck and Danny Meyer work hard to get the pages done for the yearbook.



It's A Lot Harder Than It Looks Nicole Johnson talks to a fellow art student about how hard it is to flatten the clay with a rolling pin.

That Is Amazing!

One of the very outstanding projects that Mr. Moller is carefully grading.

Do You Think It Will Work?

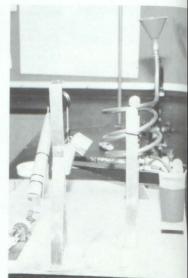
Wyatt Cole and Kevin Logan look at one of the many projects that are being done for physics.

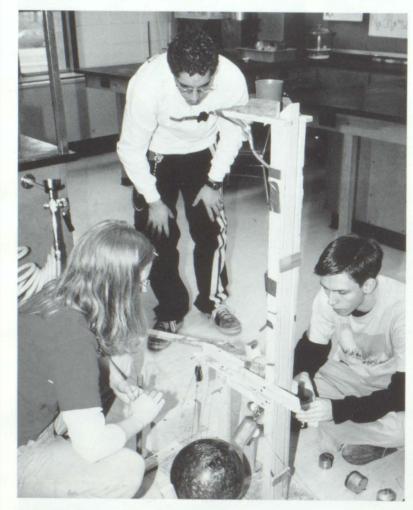






Just one example of the many projects that students are completing for class.

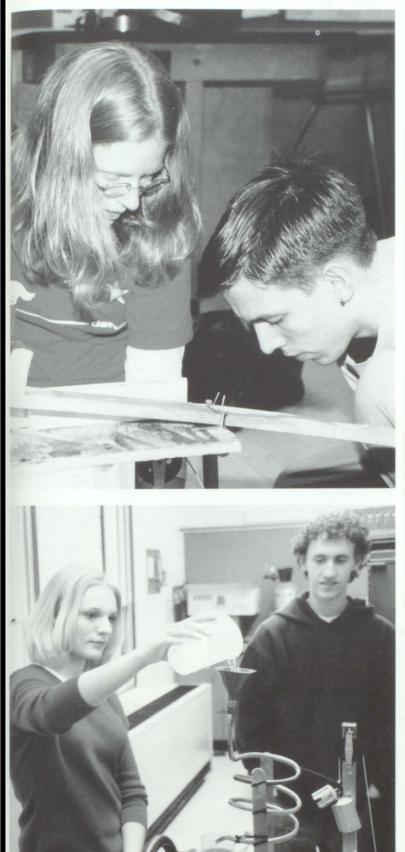




So, If I Do This... Jon Stetler, Josh Fritz, and Andrea Tucker make some last minute adjustments to their project.

Wow, Look At Them Go Rachel Wiken and Kevin Logan have some fun with one of the projects while waiting to show their stuff.





Look At Her Pour Renee Halgerson demonstrates how her project works, as Kevin Logan looks on.

What Do We Do Now?

Andrea Tucker and Josh Fritz talk about what they what this thing to do.

Almost Done

Mirza Hassan Javed sets up his project before he makes his final run.



A bit of competition added to Class

Students Learn Physics can be Fun

This year, Mr. Swann decided to add a little bit of excitement to his physics class. He added competition to the class. Students built such physics devices as mousetraps, cars and golf ball launchers.

Wyatt Cole said, about the fun added to physics, "It really helped to break up the work that we do. It made class fun and kept things interesting."

Keeping the class interesting is a very important to students, especially in a tougher class like physics. With long lectures and monotonous problems, student's attention spans tend to get short, adding the flare of competition breaks up the class and helps students to get into physics.

Many students commented on the way that the competitions were graded, but Mr. Swann has already said that the grading will have to go though some tinkering to get it just right.

Most of the students love the excitement of competition and thought that it should be kept a part of the class. When Susan Farrell was asked if Mr. Swann should keep the competition she said with no hesitation, "Yes, definitely!"

Industrial Education

Industrial Art for Industrial People

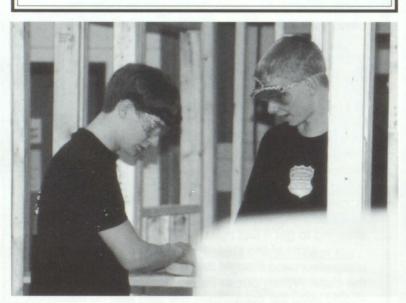
Picture yourself standing in a large room, with all of your senses being attacked at the same time. The smell of pine and other various woods, as well as the combination of molten aluminum and burning oil. The sights and sounds of saws and other assorted powertools, the banging of hammers and the scraping of sandpaper. And you can almost taste the sawdust in the air. No, you're not at a Chevy dealership. You're in one of the Madison High School shop classes.

Shop classes are very good hands-on experiences in a variety of the industrial arts. They give you the ability to decide if you want to follow a career in any of the areas that are available.



" I think that shop class is a good hands-on experience. It does get boring sometimes but everyone needs a nap."

Ryan Goth



Are You Sure ? Ross Schmit and Mike Fonder discuss the methods they are using to build their wall.

Drilling Machine... Rowdy Walker is busy drilling multiple holes in a board. Is it just an attempt to look busy?

Don't Look Down...

Ted Tisdale stretches to hold a tape measure to the edge of the wall while his partner Chris Inhofer finds the measurement.





Folding Metal?

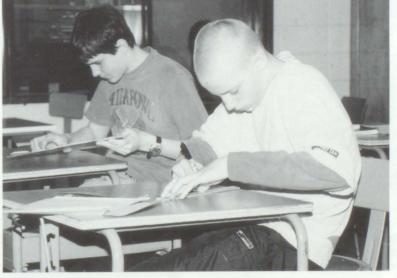
Nick Sheeks works on forming a piece of sheet metal into a highly complex dustpan.

Almost There. . .

Jared Jaratowski puts the finishing touches on a gun rack he is working on for woodworking class.







Back Off !! Justin Kinsella threatens the camera with a harmless unplugged drill. Quiet Please... Verlend Hutchinson and Greg Jung work diligently on the plans for a metal dustpan.



Say Cheese... Dustin Pape takes time to smile for the camera while classmates Michael Capulong and Michael Koch continue to working quietly.

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Check'n It Out

Drew Jones and Laura Smith are scoping out the baritone to get the right angle on it.



Creativity Using Self-Expression Through Art

When it's time to fill out schedules for next year, many students choose Art as one of their classes. Art sounds like an easy class, however, many find out how difficult Art really is. Others totally enjoy the creativity and selfexpression they can show through art.

Many students have a natural ability for art. Jason Kuhl was asked if he is planning to pursue art after high school. He said, "I am hoping to major Graphic Design."

There is an Art Show every May at the Public Library. Mrs. Fredrick chooses student's art work for display at the show. The show includes hundreds of pieces with a wide variety of mediums, sculptures, stained glass, drawings and paintings. The show lasts for several weeks. Many students from other schools come to observe the art. We are very proud of our Art Show and especially our talented artists.



Get Ready, Begin

Robbie Thuringer is already confused only ten minutes into class. Chad Patch, on the other hand, is for once working hard.



Show Them How It's Done

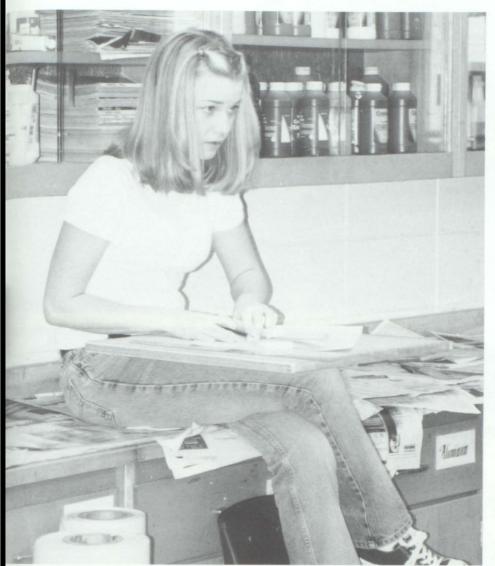
Jason Kuhl, while mentoring in an Art I class, is finishing his piece of Marilyn Manson.



Finishing Touch Elizabeth Miller is focused intently on making her finishing touches on her sketch.

Hope That This Newspaper is Dry

ina Lembcke is hoping that the newspaper is not going to leave black marks on her bottom.



Perfecto

Joe Fisher is concentrating hard on perfecting his work.

Looking Good

Can you look good in an apron and gloves? Megan Johnson can.







What do you like most about Art class?

"I like that you can express yourself through art and there are no restrictions."

Lindsey Higgins



ra Clever is working hard on her batik and hoping nobody is going to distract her.

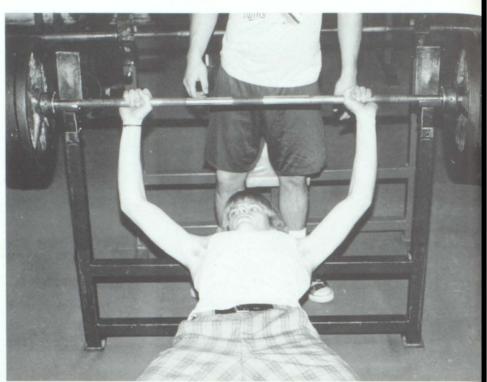
Don't Mess With This Guy!

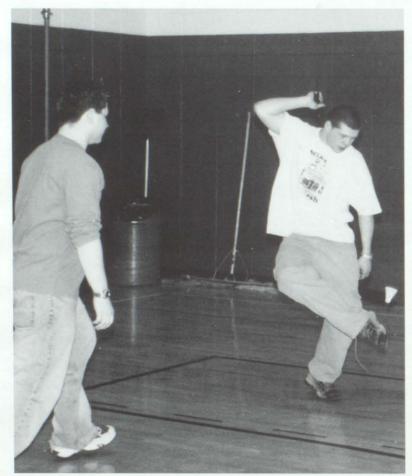
Paul Even hits the weights after he has chugged his daily gallon of creatine.

Watch Out Superman

Diving through the air to intercept the shuttlecock before it hits the ground, is Matt Voeltz.





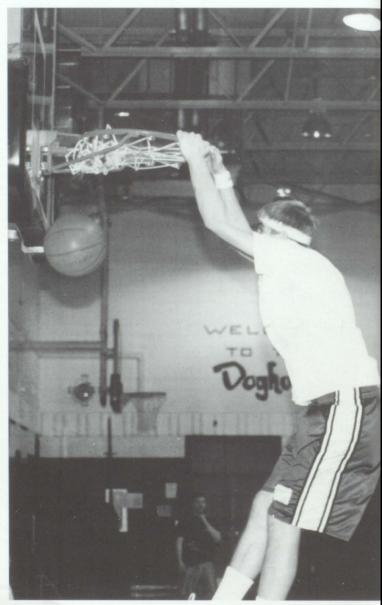


Who Needs A Racquet

Ted Tisdale practices a new way of hacky-sack while Kris Bahr ponders what's going on in that boy's mind.

Dipsy Do, Dunkaroo

Aaron Nelson goes up and throws it down for all the fine ladies watching in the class.

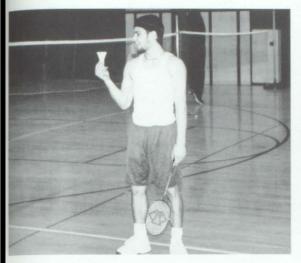


Balls Falling From The Sky?

Becky Eich poised and ready, waits for the ball to come down, while Craig Falor watches patiently.

What Do I Do With This

Josh Diaz admires the game of badminton, while staring at his shuttlecock.







Boom Shockalacka!! Nick Goth, a P.E. Elective legend, shows everybody in the class how high he can actually fly.

Slackers Anonymous

A Class the Whole School Can Take

A class known as P.E. Elective, one wonders what can actually go on there. With a mixture of different students from all grades, except freshman, things can get crazy, and so can Mrs. Farrell. The variation of activities makes the class versatile and an ever changing class of fun. The class includes many favorites such as bowling, pickle-ball, five-base, and badminton.

Since this class is open to the majority of students it seems people encounter it numerous times. As John Miller, a P.E. Elective veteran, pondered on the class he said "I honestly don't think there ever will be a class that can compete with P.E. Elective and Mrs. Farrell."

What do you think about P.E. Elective?



"When this class comes to mind it brings up two things; sleep and Mrs. Farrell."

Adam Miller



"P.E. Elective was great, I always got thrown into trash cans."

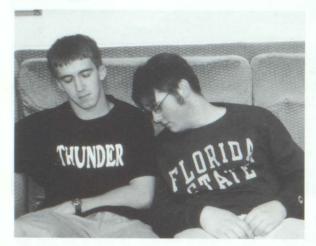
Amanda Bruns

My Smile Is Better!

Allison Weiland and Tori Bertness show off their smiles arguing over who has the best one.

No Snoring In Class!

Andrew Ellsworth and Wyatt Cole take a quick nap after a long government lecture from Mr. Jensen.







You Go That Way And I'll Go This Way ...

Jina Lembcke and Kimber Lambert try to find their way around the big high school looking for all their classes.

What's Going On Over There?

Jason Kuhl, Adam Miller, Jimmy Materese, Tyler Hansen, Joe Fischer, Lara Clever, Lindsey Prostrollo, Ann Kapelle, Jessica Fjerstad, David Hollister, Michael Brozik, Braxton King, Michael Voeltz, and Russell Halgerson all look to see what is happening.



People ... Just Between Us



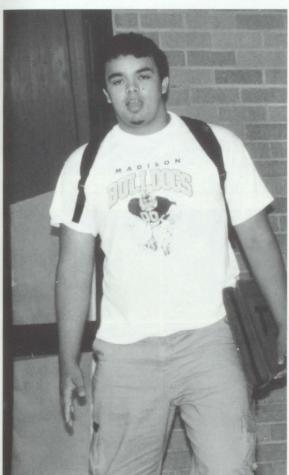
Can I Have A Drink of Your Mountain Dew?

Liz Wenk takes a few minutes out of band to beg Paige McCracken for a drink of her pop. Don't forget to say PLEASE, Liz!!

Don't Worry Jason, Only 15 Minutes Left!

Tyler Hansen assures Jason Martin that there are only 15 minutes left in government class. My how 72 minutes can be a long time listening to Mr. Jensen.





I'm Proud To Be A Bulldog! Randy Barrett dresses to show that he is proud to be a Bulldog.



May I Please Go To The Bathroom?

Ashlei Fawbush sits in class with her agenda book in hand ready for a signature to say she may use the restroom. How long are they going to make this girl wait?



"What exactly is change?" you may ask. Well, the dictionary defines it as: to make something different or; to alter or modify something. A lot of change is EXACTLY what the freshman class experienced during their freshman year of high school. While some of these changes were pretty obvious, some were not so obvious.

"I think the changes weren't as scary as I first thought they would be. The grades aren't as segregated in high school as they were in Middle School," commented Miranda Martin, "in high school you can be best friends with a freshman, senior, or anybody in between. There are also cuter guys in high school!"

Another change the freshmen went through was having only five class periods in a day, instead of eight. Erin Blom says, "I like having five periods because then you don't have as many classes to have homework in each night."

Along with the above changes, and many more, came many choices. One major choice was deciding which classes to take, which started back in eighth grade. For some it was a hard decision and for others a lot easier.

Well, there you have it! As Nietzsche said, "That which does not kill us just makes us stronger." Hey, we survived, didn't we?!?!



What? Another Assembly? Laura Smith and Jackie Thomson dread having to sit through another one of those boring assemblies. Oh, The Memories!

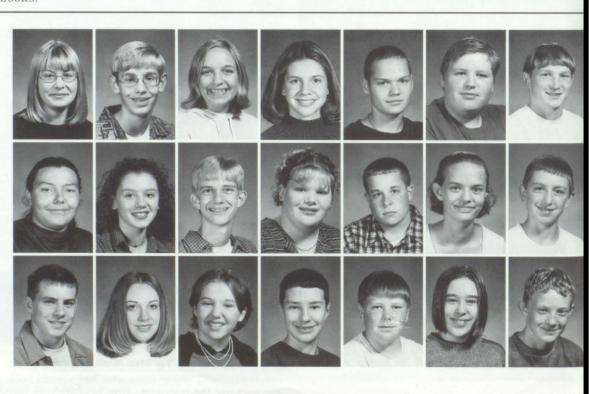
Hope Hemmingson and Cindy Keenan take in the family pics as they check out old year books.

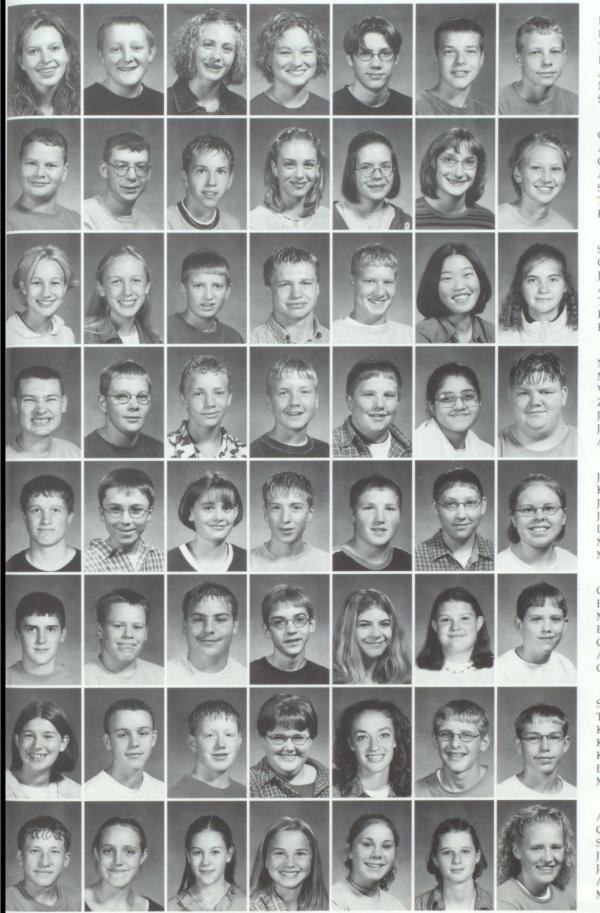


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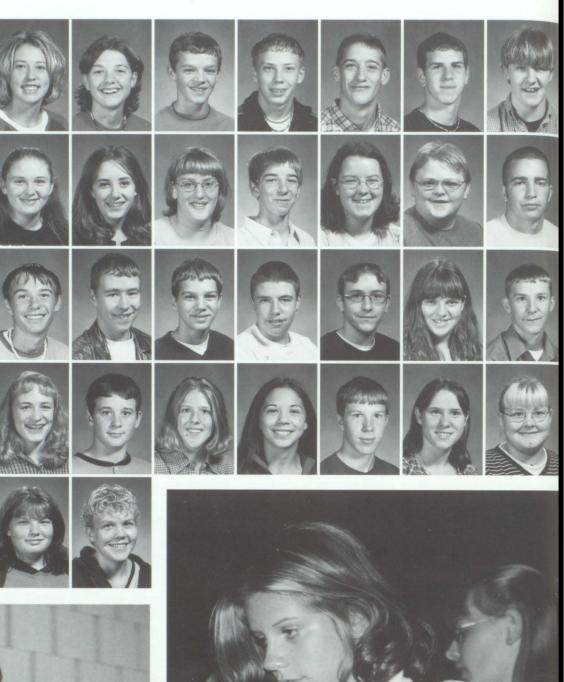
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Amanda Shaver Sarah Skinner





Don't You Dare Take My Picture! Bobby Langner gives the glare for this "once in a liftetime" shot!



Glamour Girl! Jenny Anderson listens intently to what the recruiter has to say about her chances of becoming a model!





<u>I'm So Pretty!</u> Megan Jordahl poses for the camera before going to cheer

on the girls basket-

ball team.



We Are The Boys... No Men At freshman orientation, Brian Tweet, Jim Roth, Tom Weismantel, Kyle VanDerWerff, and Albert Woods begin to realize they are no longer boys but fresh`men'!

I Wish I Had One Of Those!

Mike Larson, Justin Menzel, and Nick Peterson look on in awe at Jordan Zens's 6-pack abs!



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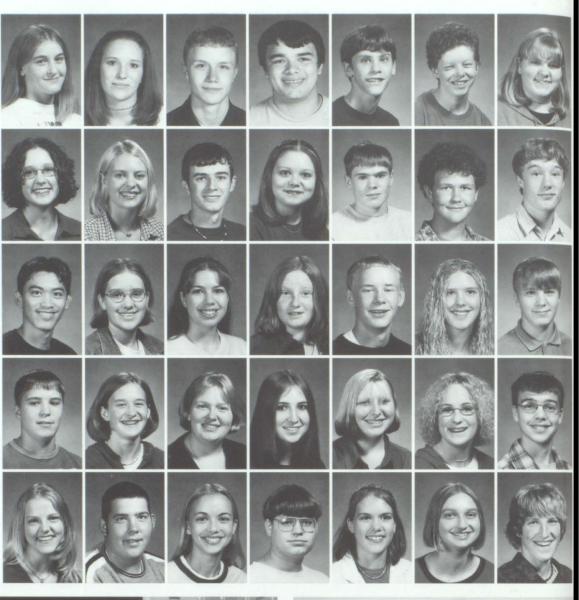
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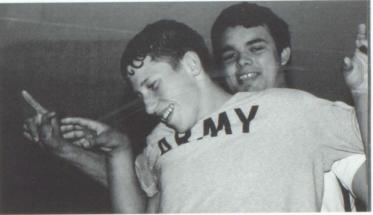
As Amanda Reynolds carefully puts on her creature's wings, she thinks about the great times she's had in Art II.

No Comprende!

Courtney Quam is caught in her usual dumbfounded state of confusion. While all Chelsea Pulford can do is smile. **A Sophomore Seniority**

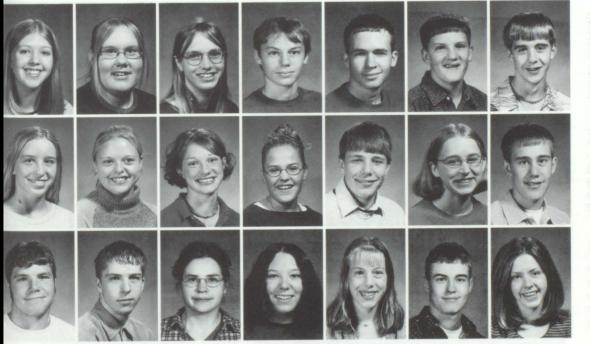
As we make our ascent to the rank of seniors, the class of 2003 is just beginning to see the importance of a good education. It is becoming clear to us that we don't want to live in our parents' basement when we're thirty-five. So we become conscious of the things teachers say and we start some plans to get out into the real world. Most of us have jobs, and though they are time consuming and you might have to pay for your own gas, nothing beats that first pay check. Looking back on freshman year I think most of us are glad to be just that bit more respected, new responsibilities and all. We also notice that this years freshman act even more immature than we ever did, they seem to be despised even more than we were, and don't they just seem smaller? Even if life is more complex, and at times hectic, it is all part of the high school experience, and we love every minute of it.





Man With A Mission Aaron Nelson, just one of the brave sophmores stepping into the world of employment.

David and Goliath Randy Barrett shows Alan Laun (freshman) who's boss!



Jennifer Geier Nikki Gilman Laura Gluhm Ryan Goth Justin Haar Russell Halgerson Paul Hansen

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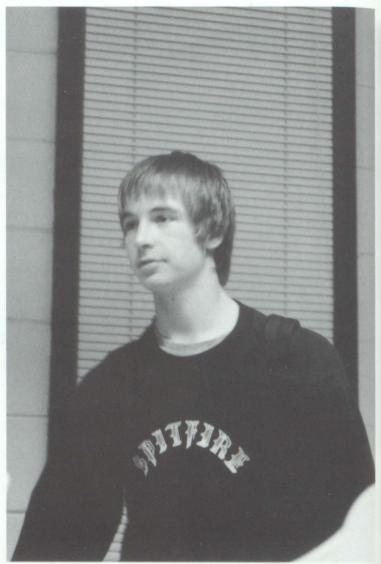
Team Spirit!!

We're thinking Jason Hodne, with his amazing team spirit, should try out for the cheeerleading squad next year.





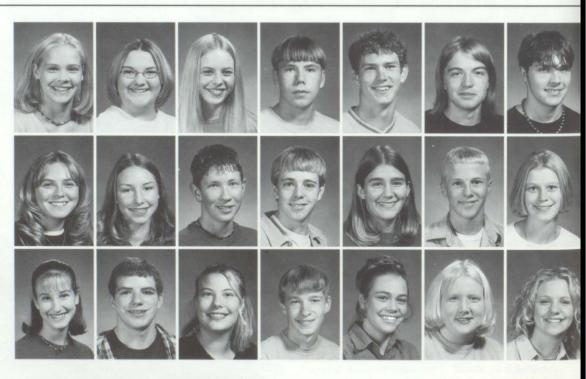
Knowledge Is Power As Lisa Stien wanders off into space, she thinks about how hard her Comp II test is going to be next period. <u>I'm In Command Now!</u> Adam Vanhove takes over his SRP class. Over throwing Mr. Bierschbach and leading us all to freedom.

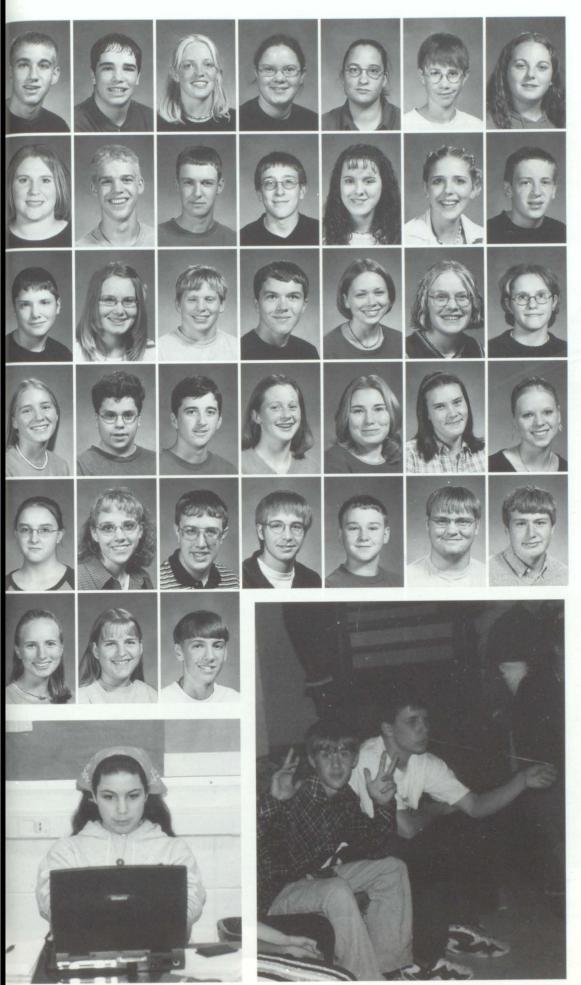


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Aaron Nelson Randy Neu Jenna Nielsen Tiffany Oswald Terra Palo Dustin Pape Allison Patterson

Amber Pederson Ted Peterson Matt Phelps Nick Poppen Chelsea Pulford Courtney Quam Kenny Reed

Aaron Reynolds Amanda Reynolds Adam Rhodes David Rislov Kristen Schaefer Tammy Scholl Melissa Scofield

Carly Seitz AJ Severson Nicholas Sheeks Beth Simpson Kim Smith Lisa Stien Jennifer Stone

Kellie Stout Kristin Thill Joshua Uecker Adam Vanhove Matthew Veltman Mike Voeltz Greg Wettlaufer

Jody Wilkens Anna Winter Justin Wise

I Won!

Paul Hansen, who won the couch during a drawing, loving up the camera while Jason Hodne.... Well.... Jason is just being Jason.

She's No Blonde!

Dani Ciancio, not just a cheerleader, she's got brains too. Hard at work on Debate.

Not Pictured: Clint Paquette Nick Petrone



Plan for the Future!!

Along with a new administration this year, we also received agenda planners. Exactly how does the class of 2002 feel about these little books that are supposed to bring organization and better grades? Instead of the students improving organization skills, most where left feeling mildly hostile about being forced to carry them everywhere. Will they help turn out better students? Only time will tell.





The Boys of Band?

Ryan Holt, Grant Jaspers, Justin Zerfas, and Mary Beth Lindsay, do we need to say more?

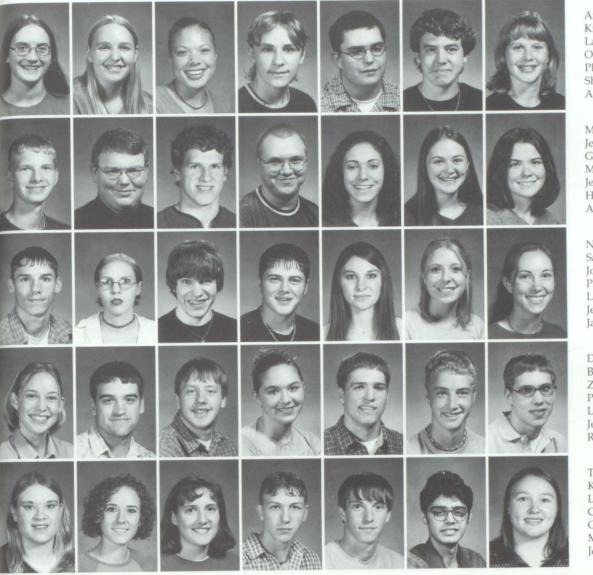
I've Got Mine! Commander-in-Chief Rebecca Stapert shows us the ever present planner.

Cale Corbin Tessa Cox

Jeffrey Amert John Bahr Jeremy Bartel Courtnie Beck Daryl Becker Joe Bergheim Megan Blake

Wayne Booze Christopher Bordewyk Matthew Brooke Adam Cameron Michelle Caron Kristi Cecil Joe Colombe

> Earl Cross **Jason Daniels** Alicia Diaz Brent Dietterle Jade Drause



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Mike Fonder Jeff Foster Greg Garry Mark Gluhm Jenessa Goeman Hannah Goldammer Amber Goodin

Nick Goth Sarah Graham John Green Paul Green Lindsay Grogan Jenny Haiar Janna Hanson

Dani Heinemeyer Bryan Hentges Zach Hill Patricia Hock Lucas Hofman Jeremy Hollingsworth Ryan Holt

Teresa Hopf Katie Ihler Lisa Ihler Chris Inhofer Grant Jaspers Mirza Ahssan Javed Jessica Jensen



Dynamic Duo Dani Heinemeyer and Kristi Cecil give it their all sing at the Homecoming talent show.



<u>Another Dynamic Duo?</u> The junior class seems to come in pairs. This pair includes Hannah Goldammer and Emily Neville.

Katy Jeratowski Richard Jongeward Clint Jorgenson Ann Kapelle Lindsey Karlson Eric Kaufmann Andy Kenyon

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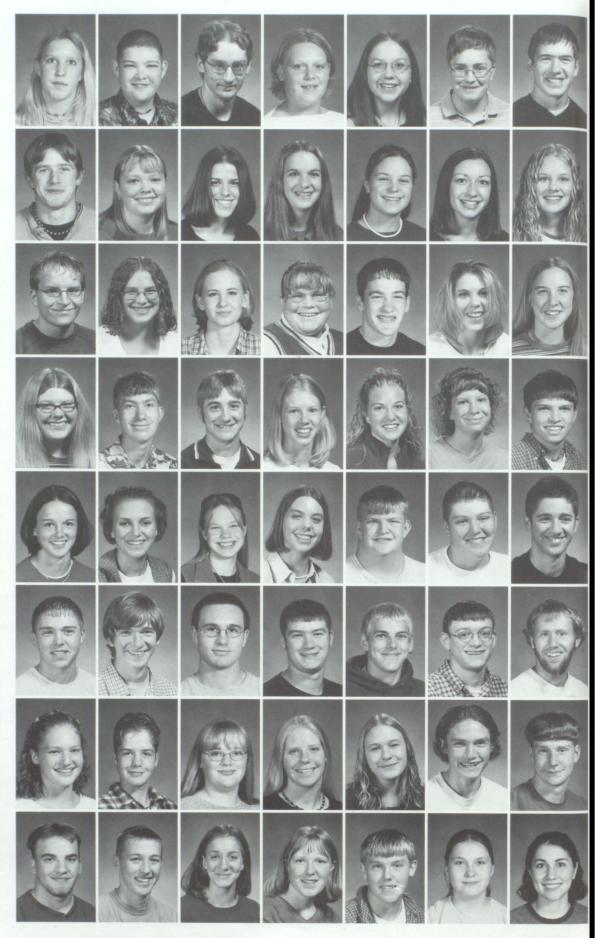
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Laura Reed Travis Reynolds Tiffany Rice Stefanie Richardson Sarah Rohde Adam Schladweiler Ross Schmit

Matthew Scholl Dustin Shoenrock Danielle Skluzacek Katie Smith John Spotanske Danielle Statley Renae Steichen



Feelings Are on the Agenda



If Saved By the Bell doesn't have planners, why should we? ~ Cassy Knapp







Swell Chicks Alexa Negal and Teresa Hopf show off their groovy sweaters.

Megan Nelson, Kelly Wetzbarger, and Rachel Wiken use their intoxicating grins to seduce the

Smile!

camera.



















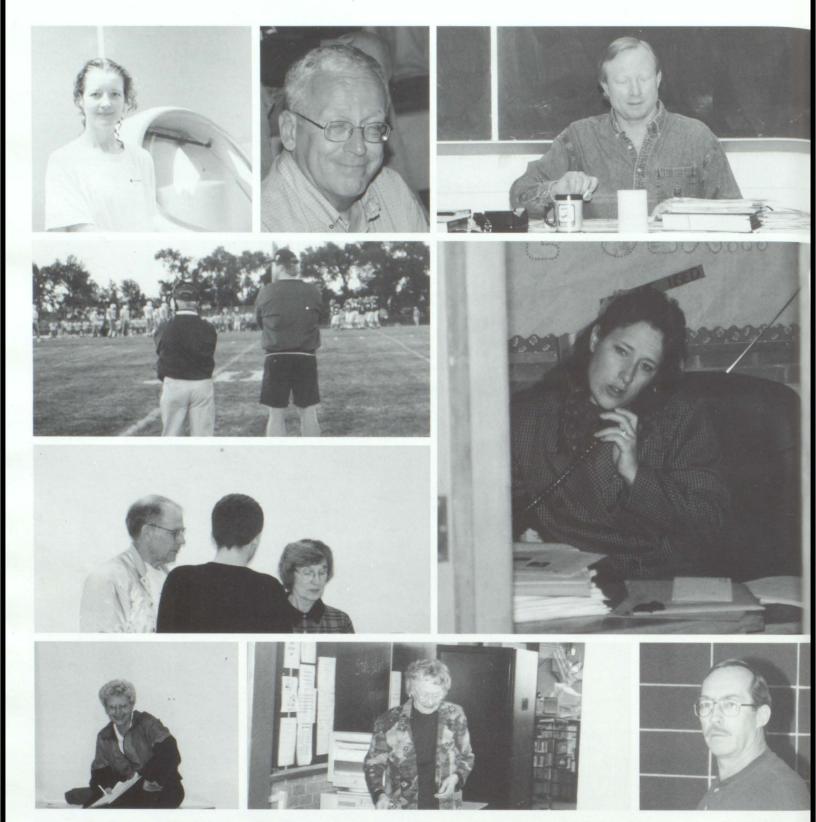
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Not pictured: Jordan Becker



Angie Thayer Jeff Thompson Carrie Threadgold Andrea Tucker Jason Uthe Jennifer Uthe Traci VanDenHemel

Justin Van Ormer Jason Waldner Mitch Walker Elisa Wede Liz Wenk Kelly Wetzbarger Lori White



ffatS Is Staff Backwards

Top and clockwise: Mrs. Unterbrunner while at a field trip to SDSU, shows her students the latest in body fat testing. With a grin like that, you can't help but wonder what Mr. Hegg's up to. Mr. Jensen checks to make sure everything on his desk is in place before beginning his lecture. Mrs. Larson is spotted busy at work, talking on the phone, her normal posture for the day. Wandering through the halls, Mr. Barrett is shocked to see a camera. Mrs. O'Brien, our good computer lab advisor, prints off more of those "No Food or Pop in the Lab!" signs. Mrs. Farrell takes a quick break from her busy day in gym class. Mr. Bohl picks up a few pointers from Mrs. Welbon on how to teach. The official stance for football coaches as shown by Mr. Osterberg and Mr. Milne.

The 2nd String

A day in the life of a substitute

You're comfortably lying in bed when suddenly the phone's annoying ring wakes you at roughly 6:45 a.m. You ponder the thought of whether or not you should answer it, and then you regretfully remember that you're a substitute teacher, and the school may be calling to inform you of your latest mission. After seven or eight spine-tingling rings, you realize that the person on the other end of the line is not going to give up, so you clumsily make your way over to the phone. Unamazed, you find that the caller is Mrs. Stapert, who bears the unfortunate news that "the school needs you." Unable to think of any excuses, simply because it's just too early, you agree to the situation.

You finally get ready and slip on your clothes before heading out the door. When you arrive at the "prestigious" Madison High School, you are informed of where and what exactly you'll be teaching, even though you may have absolutely no previous knowledge of this subject. Entering the designated classroom, you are greeted by an overjoyed group of students and the familiar whispers of "All right, we've got a sub today!" Instantly after that, the sarcastic comments from the disrespectful students begin. And whether it's the red laser pointer aimed directly at your forehead or the spit wad that just grazed your ear, you know you can expect a pretty much average day in the life of a substitute.

I'm sure that none of us have ever thought about just how frustrating and aggravating a substitute's job may actually be. Sure an occassional substitute may feel like a vacation to us, but to them it's anything but that. So the next time you have a substitute teacher, mind your p's and q's, or at least keep the harassment to a minimum. Because remember, they have a very important job in our education.

"Subline" 40 mins. to freedom

"I love substituting simply because of the fact that there is no responsibility except for making sure that the kids don't kill each other."

Mr. Bohl

"You know the day's off to a bad start already when you find out that you're going to be substituting for a bunch of freshman"

Mr. Barrett



Crystal Benning Alan Bierschbach John Collignon Brenda Colombe Jim Dorman Carla Downs

Susan Ellsbury Joyce Farrell Jill Frederick Jerome Garry Carolyn Goldammer Pam Halverson

Barbara Hegg Dennis Hegg Jeremy Hegg Cory Heidelberger Cheryl Heilman Richard Jensen

We Appreciate You ... Really

New Administration Forges Ahead With New Ideas

The teachers have once again survived the year with few casualties. Besides a couple of incidents here and there, they were on top of their game. Adapting to a lot of new administration must have been rough for them, but on the other hand it probably added a little bit more excitement to the usual routine of the school year. They harnessed their chi most of the year and did not blow up on some of the smart-mouthed kids, which we all know exist in this school. For that the teachers do deserve a huge amount of credit. Mrs. Stapert, with one year under her belt, should be able to repeat this successful year into another one next year.



Katherine Kringen

James Miller Thomas Milne Kristie Olson Tom Osterberg

Bud Postma Laurie Rohlck Vern Schmidt Kerri Smith Rebecca Stapert

Darren Swenson **Bill Thurow** Maxine Unterbrunner Joanne Ustad Sylvia Vlasman

Do You Know What Page We Are On?

ir. Jensen teaches diligently, while the students try to comprehend he "Joint of Staff" lecture!

Those Weasely Seniors

Mr. Lynch tries not to laugh at the message a few students left on his abinet.







Is This London?

It may look like London in the fog, but it is just Mike McVeigh working out behind the school.





Boy, I'm Happy Mr. Bierschbach is happy to be o

Mr. Bierschbach is happy to be off to another class to teach his students the complexities of algebra.

Bring It On!

Mrs. Farrell thinks about taking on Mr. Jensen in a little 1-on-1 as he assists her in putting up the volleyball net.

Not Pictured:

Diane Aus Lois George Todd Beutler Diana Larson Charla Callahan John Sweet Christina Trygstad Kathy Warren We came as strangers, we leave as eternal friends

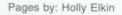
One Last Time

As the seniors walk down the hall for one last time, we will remember all of the memories that captured our lives. We will probably never forget our locker number, SRP teacher, but most importantly we will never forget the friends that have entered our life. "I have made a lot of friends in high school. It was fun getting to know everyone." Kari Finck said. "It will make it even more difficult to say good-bye."

Ya Know We Love Ya Babe!

Andrew Ellsworth and Wyatt Cole flash those smiles and wait for the women to come.







Steve, Allen



Michael Bergan



KariAnderson



Bobby Bessman



Friends For Life

Sarah Higgins and Emily Hodne take time out of their busy day looking at cadavers to pose for the camera.

Good Old Fashion Fun

Kari Anderson, Jill Pruitt, Erin Kock, Becca Brookshire, Holly Elkin and Rita Smithers gather around in Government class for one last group picture.





Kevin Barrick



Tyler Barrick



Amanda Bruns





Kristofor Bahr

Chad Blasius



Rebecca Brookshire



Kaylynn Bruns



Holly Drake



Holly Elkin



Susan Farrell



Ginger Finch



Bernadette Capulong



Jessica Dyer



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Kari Finck



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Paul Ebsen

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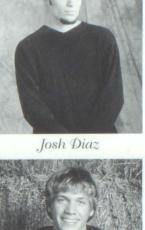
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Josh Eide



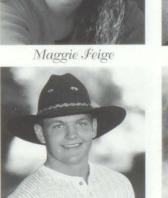
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Beth Feistner



Travis Gilman



Paul Fisher



Josh Fritz





Mike Goth



Christi Halverson



Chris Hedeen



Sarah Higgins



Andrew Jepsen



Andrew Graham



Tyler Hansen



Tony Heeney



Emily Hodne



Corey.Johnke



Jennifer Grimm



J.D. Hanson

Angella Hegdahl

Erin Iwen

Jenifer Kearin



Annie Gustaf



Steve Harmon



Jill Heibult



Andrea Janke



Gordon Kent



Renee Halgerson



Jamie Hawk



Matt Heilman



Mirzą Hassan Javed



Mike Koch

I'm The Man!

Jordan Zens proves that the women do love him. Kari Ullom and Melinda Sisemore each have a place in Jordan's heart

Boys Will Be Boys

yler Schuurmans, Adam Miller, Jimmy Materese, Tyler Hansen, and Jake Stefek show what they are made of at the basketball same.





Class Flower: White Rose with Maroon tips

Is There Something On Your Mind? A Time to Remember

"These past four years have gone by way too fast!"

"Being the mascot and meeting a lot of new people." Jill Heibult

"The freshmen dance, it was so boring!" Mike Goth

"Skipping out on SRP and going to the Smoke House."

"All the road trips and Mrs. O'Brien stealing my pop everyday in the computer lab."

"Complaining about editing in Composition but really not minding it that much."

Kristofor Bahr

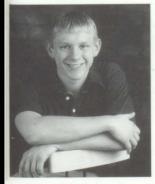
John Miller

"My favorite memory would have to be the Bio. II field trip and seeing actual human cadavers."

Megan Martin



Erin Kock



Aric Lowe



Jason Kuhl



Angie Madison



Pages by: Holly Elkin

Katie Lembcke



Jason Martin



Kevin Logan



Megan Martin



Josh Longino



Jimmy Materese



Kyle Maurer



Audrey Muellenberg



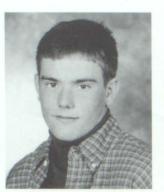
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Jill Pruitt



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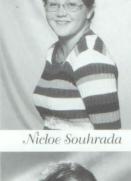


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Rita Smithers







Chelsey Stitz



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Jon Stetler

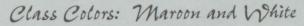


Kari Ullom

Sara Stewart



Matt Voeltz







Once Upon a Time... Mike Goth, Rusty Thompson, Craig Falor, J.D.Hanson, Matt Voletz, Andrew Ellsworth, Amanda, Kari Ullom, Kari Finck, Mike bergan, Shanda Werkmister, Bobby Bessman, Amanda Bruns, Katie Reuter, Annie Gustaf, and Beth Feistner. Boy Scouts of the Future? Jason Waldner, Kevin Logan, Cory Stein, Paul Even, Andrew Jepsen, Jason Kuhl, Ryan Fedler,Matt Nelson, and Josh Eide are the hunks of the boy Scouts.



See The Resemblance? on Stetler and Austin Powers express their love for one another.

How Do I Look?

Erin Kock and Kristen Osterberg take time out of their busy day to pose for the yearbook.





Christiane Walker



Shanda Werkmeister



Stacy Woods



Mark Walker



Justin Whitcomb



Amy Youmans



Xin Wang



Kenn Whittle



Jordan Zens



Lori Weismantel



Russell Wiese



Kasey Kroger



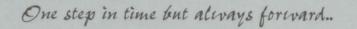
Ed Wendel



Clarissa Wolf

Not Pictured:

Andrew Lutter David Neu Daniel Rislov Robert Souhrada Andy Williams





Tiger Scouts???

Andrew Ellsworth, Todd Feige, Robbie dice, Jeff Reed, Tyler Schuurmans, Justin Whitcomb, Trey Faircloth, Kyle Maurer, and Mike Kock in 1990 boy how much they have changed!





Friends Forever..... Kristen Osterberg and Holly Drake reflect on the times that they snuck candy into the classroom.

Pretty Smile Becky Eich flashes her pearly whites before cornation takes place.

















Reflections Of The Years

Top: Jon Stetler acting his heart out. Matt Voeltz trying to find bubble gum in a pie? Russell Wiese relaxing in government class. Kari Ullom and Mitch Walker on 80's day. Angie Hegdahl wins the hearts of many guys with this outfit. Tyler Hansen scrubs cars for a living at Prostrollos. Justin Whitcomb wearing a bag of chips on his head. Paul Even and Jake Stefek are the cool dudes in dark shades. Angie Patterson, Laci Jones, Katie Lembcke, Ginger Finch, Holly Elkin, Renae Neuman and Maggie Feige at the state FHA meet in 8th grade

All Lined Up!

Graduates wait anxiously for the ceremony to start. Final hugs and handshakes are given.

Let Me Help You "It just doesn't look right!" explains Emily Hodne to Paul Fischer.







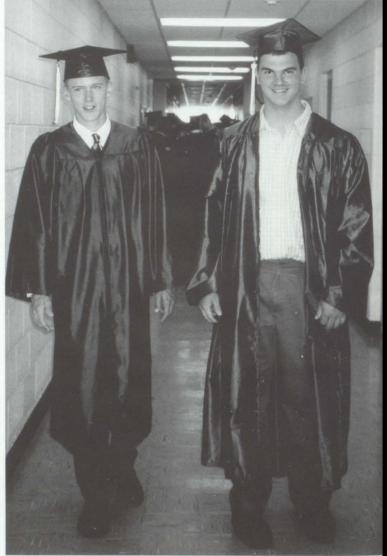
The Class of 2001

We're almost done. All seniors have taken a giant step forward in their lives

When Do We Start?

Ginger Finch and Sandra Skinner are already to take the walk into the future.





I Can't Believe This! Tyler Hansen is already to go. Maybe he can help Craig Falor finish getting ready.



<u>Get The Show On The Road</u> Waiting patiently Chad Blasius, Angela Patterson, and Wyatt Cole wonder when the ceremony will start.



Taking The Easy Way Wearing his banned blades, Jon

Wearing his banned blades, Jon Stetler, wheels his way to the future.

What Are You Wearing?

JD Hanson displays his wild graduation wear.





We Are So Happy! You couldn't find two happier graduates than Beth Feistner and Xin Wang.

We Came As Strangers, We Leave As Eternal Friends

One Step At A Time, But Always Forward

With dreams now not to far out of reach, the graduates of Madison High School walked on the stage may 20, 2001 to receive their diplomas. Hugs were given and tears filled the eyes of many. Some thought about the day, some about the future, and some about the friendships made throughout their lives. When you think about high school most people think "boring", but for this class, it was full of fun, friendships and laughter. "We came to this place as strangers, we leave as eternal friends."

> 2001 MHS Commencement DSU Field House 2:00 pm Sunday, May 20, 2001

We came as strangers, We leave as eternal friends.

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Freshman Girl's Basketball

Back: Allison Weiland, Kimber Lambert, Allison Maurer, Kim Crownover, Kalie Whealy, Sarah Klingbile, Chelsea Lee, Coach Dan Walsh, Angie McGillivray, Christine Amert, Abbie Freisen, Tiffany Draper, Lisa Rogers.



Freshman Football

Back: TJ Hauck, Zach Isakson, Albert Woods, Ben Kapelle, Mitch McNary, Alan Laun, Nick Schultz, Ben Puthoff, Kelly Koch, Justin Bauer, Mike Larson, Keaton Whitcomb, Dusty Ragsdale, Chad Carman, Matt Pagel, Verlend Hutchinson, Cody Kleinschmit, Mike Palmquist, Brain Tweet, Dustin Skluzacek, Adam Hanson, Matt Howard, Ben Milliman, Bill Osterberg, Matt Barrick, Rick Nielsen, Rob Thuringer, Aaron Brookshire, Justin Menzel. Feistner, Beth 25, 28, 29, 36, 103, 107, 111 FFA 40, 41 Finch, Ginger 10, 28, 103, 109, 110 Finck, Chris 68 Finck, Kari 42, 43, 51, 56, 58, 59, 75, 102, 103, 105, 107 Finck, Kendra 3, 5, 28, 29, 90 Fischer, Chantel 48 Fischer, Joe 51, 81, 84, 90 Fischer, Paul 12, 13, 40, 41, 50, 51, 56, 57, 66, 70, 103, 110 Fierstad, Jessica 25, 48, 49, 61, 70, 84,90 Fonder, Chris 41, 87 Fonder, Mike 41, 78, 95, 116 Football 50, 51 Foster, Jeff 95 Franken, Alan 87 Frederick, Jill 99, 116 Freet, Chris 15, 25, 45, 48, 70, 87, Freidow, Bethany 37 Freisen, Abigail 70, 87, 112 Freshman 86, 87, 88, 89 Freshman Boy's Basketball 113 Freshman Football 112 Freshman Girl's Basketball 112 Freshman Volleyball 113 Frewaldt, Erick 90 Friede, Samantha 41, 87 Friedow, Bethany 15, 25, 27, 36, 90 Fritz, Josh 25, 26, 28, 35, 36, 37, 76, 77, 103

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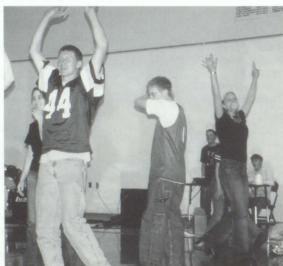
You Just Had To Be There

As the school year ended some students knew they wouldn't be returning to MHS. Although some have a few short years left to make amazing memories. We have all experienced high school. For a few, it was scary, hard or even boring. For others, it was a journey they will never forget. We learned, grew, smiled and made friends. Hold on to your goals and dreams because you never know where life will take you. No matter where it does, never forget the memories that were created at Madison High School!

Anywhere Can Be A Study Place

Even the cold hard hallway floor can be a comfortable place to study as Megan Jordahl demonstrates.







Boy, Is This Fun

FFA land judging can be a lot a fun as Mike Fonder and Verlene Hutchinson find out.

One Big Happy Family

Mrs. Frederick gives guidance to Mitch Walker and Lana Elpert while they help at graduation.





Jump and Shout! Kari Ullom, J.D. Hanson, Matt Nelson, and Angie Hegdahl celebrate as the seniors win another olympic game.

A New Student?

Are the freshman getting smaller and hairier? Wait that's a kitten that came to visit Mr. Schmidt's classroom!

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Mrs. Ustad makes sure that Megan Johnson and Jeremy Bartel get the lockers clean during the annual locker clean out.



