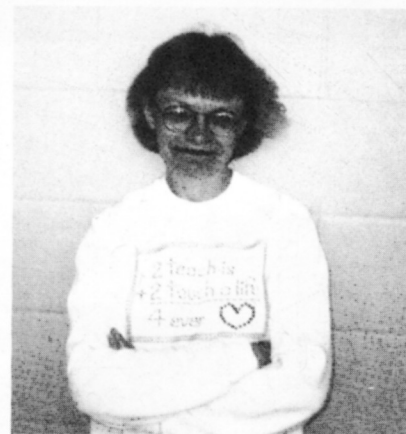
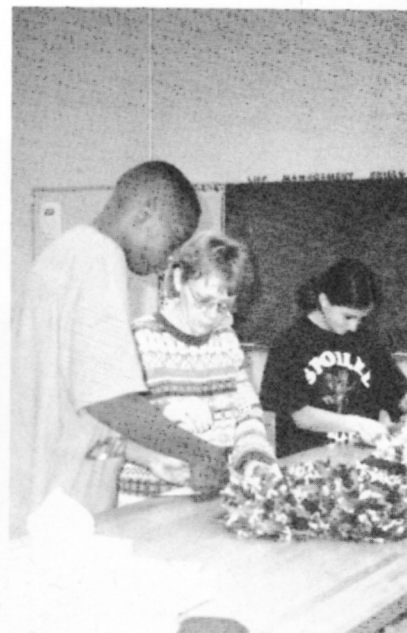


White Columns



Class of 1997

Dedication



Mrs. Roberta Dietz, known as Bobbie, is truly a dedicated teacher who has influenced all of us in numerous ways. She teaches Food Services, Daily Living Skills and helps out with the Work-Study Program. She also serves as advisor to the Student Cooperative Association. For these reasons, the yearbook is dedicated to her and we will always remember her.

-The Yearbook Committee

Administration



Dr. Joe Panko, Superintendent



Thresa Lindsay, Secretary to the Superintendent



Debbie Burns, Secretary to the Superintendent

The Principal's Office

Rachel Bavister, Principal
An English teacher last year, she was promoted
and has now completed her first year as Principal.



Ann Rosen, Secretary



Tracey Mawyer, Clerical Aide

Support Staff



Nancy Bowman
Human Resources



Patsy Grant, Payroll and Estelle Campbell, Accounts Payable



Maxine Pingley
Senior Accountant



Oneida Hagenlocker
Cashier



David Buchanan
Central Office



Brent Hisey
Dietitian

The People Behind the Scenes



Infirmery--Sue Fultz, Susan Hartley, and Mae Carpenter



Housekeeping--Kneeling: Gracie Grayford; Back Row: Phyllis Starrett, Sandra Goff, Karen Ferguson, Doris Mawyer

Maintenance--Front Row: Bill Taylor, Gene Harmon, Marvin Mahler, Ralph Simmons; Back Row: Roger Perry, Clay Back, Coda Hurst, Ray Cason, Robert Cason



Student Life Office



Mary Murray, Director



Front Row (L-R): Mark Fletcher, Ric Bowles; Middle Row: Regina Kidd, Kathy Hughes, Tracy Waddell; Back Row: Heather Patterson, Dan Paratore, Stanley Byers



Janet Buchanan



Eva Whitley

Teachers

Gabriel Adepoju, English
Kim Akens
Program Assistant
Wanda Biser
Program Assistant
Linda Blehm, Science
Neil Carrington
Physical Education
Paula Cash, Elementary

Chris Colbert
Curriculum Coordinator
Darlene Coleman, Counselor
Janice Couch, Elementary
Martha Daggy
Program Assistant
Donna DeVito, Reading
Bobbie Dietz, Food Services

Barbara Ferguson, Elementary
Suzy Freels
Program Assistant
Wayne Frick, Mathematics
Laurie Hensley, Elementary
Amy Hepler
Program Assistant
Richard Koch, Social Studies

Mary Kraus, Elementary
Kristan Lachance, Toddlers
Jeff Lawson, Wood Working
Frances Marzolf
Law-Related Education
Mike Marzolf
Chemistry/Biology
Casey Morehouse
Audiologist

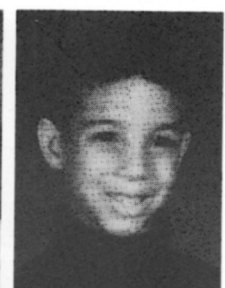
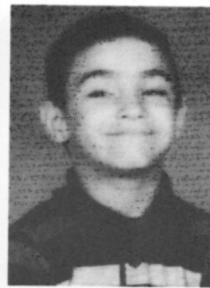
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Debbie Oldman-Brown
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Connie Roe, Mathematics

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Donna Wait, English

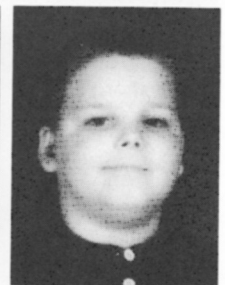
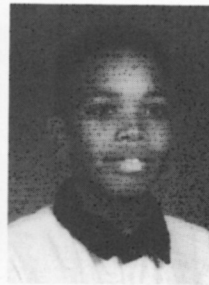
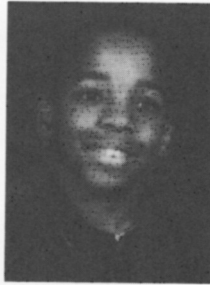


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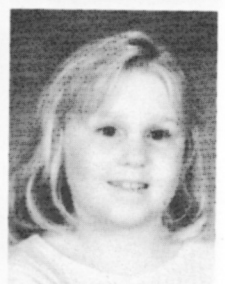
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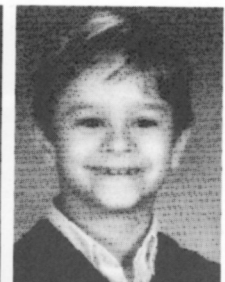
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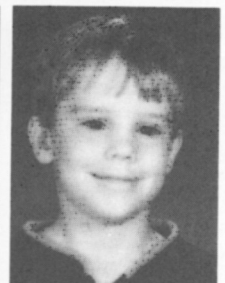
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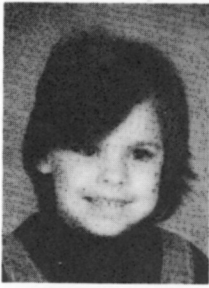


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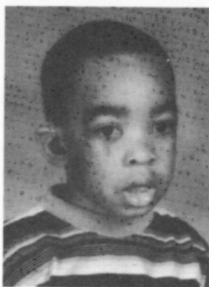
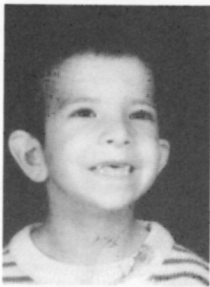
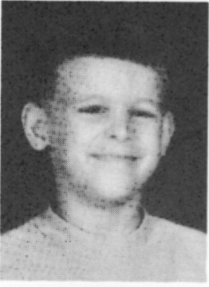
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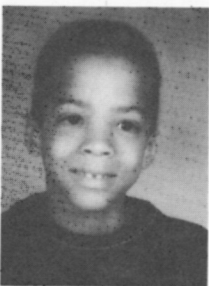
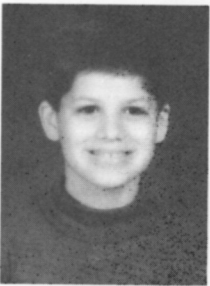
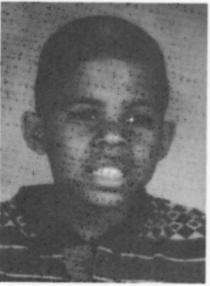


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Jamie Mercier
Kim Metz



Robbie Meyers
Allison Michael
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James Rowell
Robert Strickler
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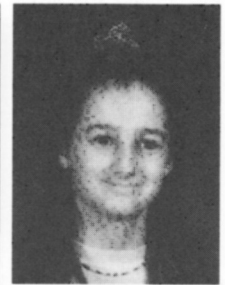
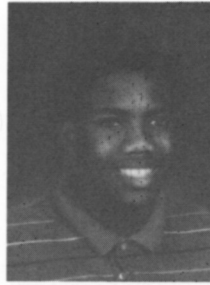


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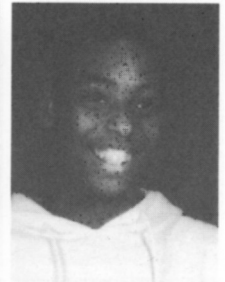
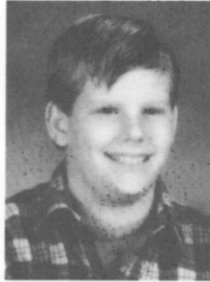


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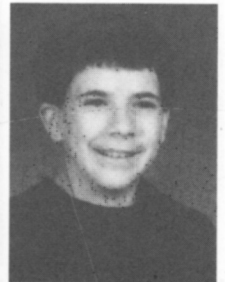
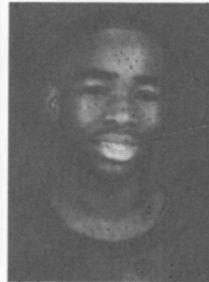
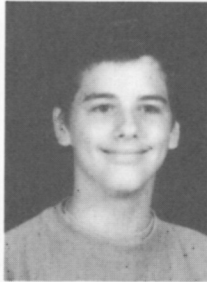
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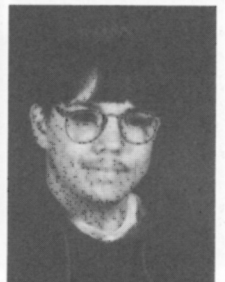
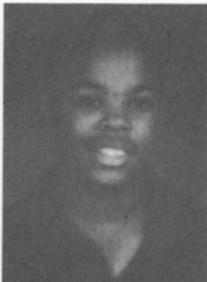
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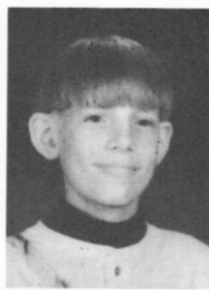
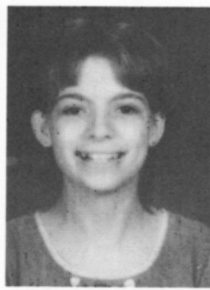


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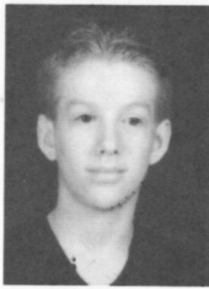
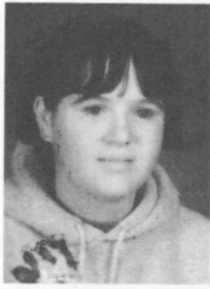
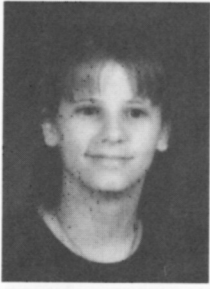


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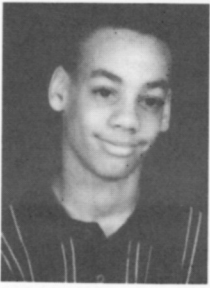
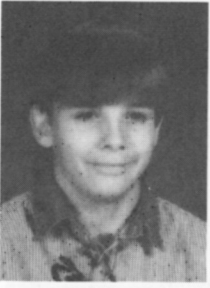




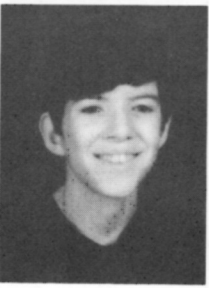
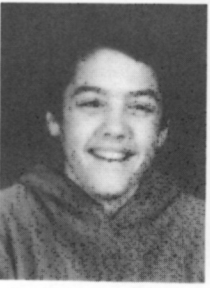
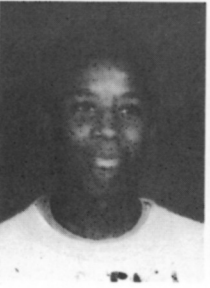
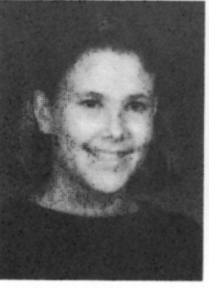
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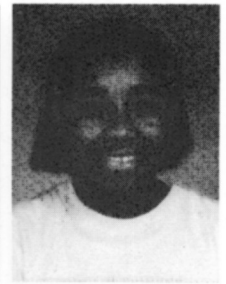
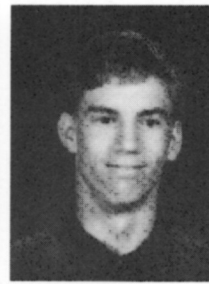
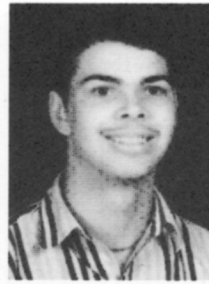
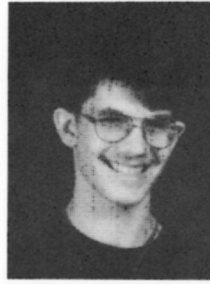


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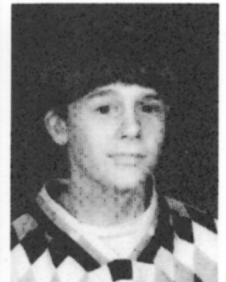
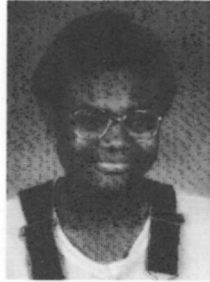


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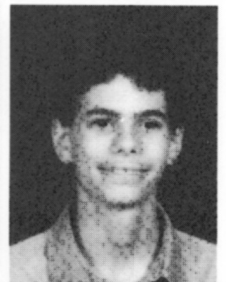
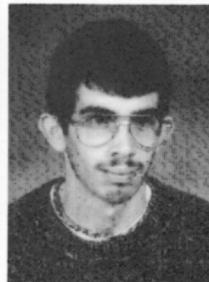
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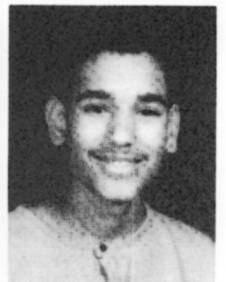
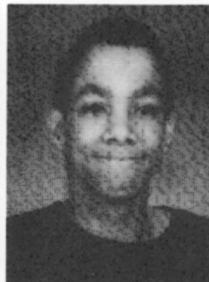
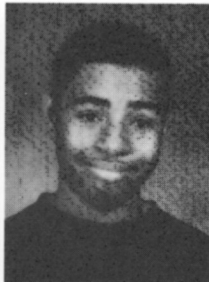
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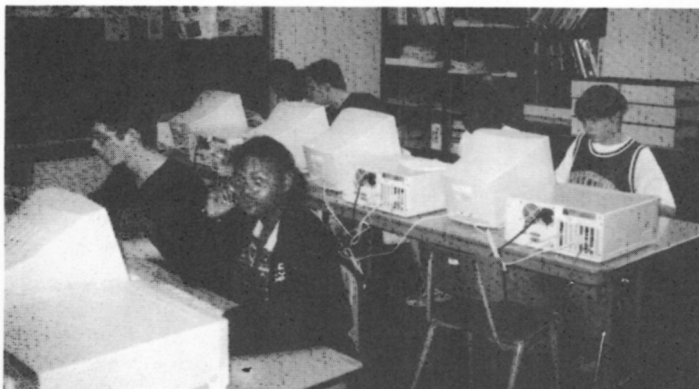
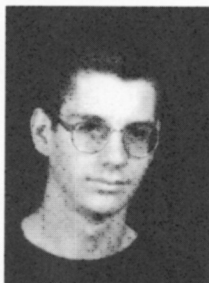
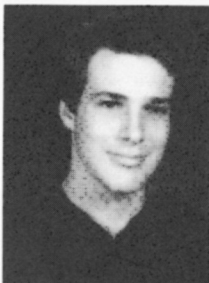
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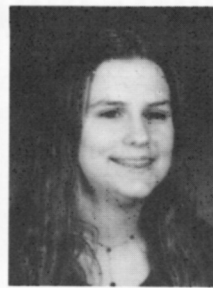
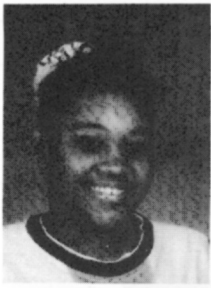


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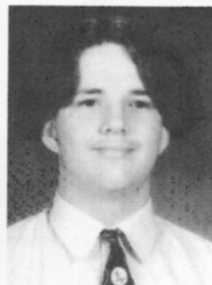
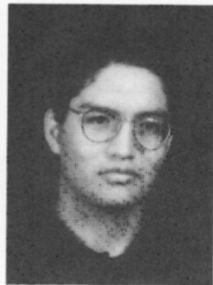
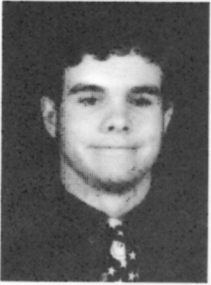
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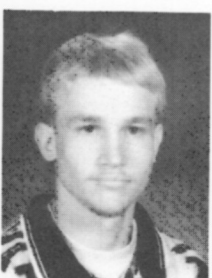
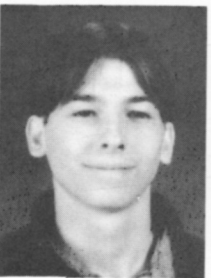
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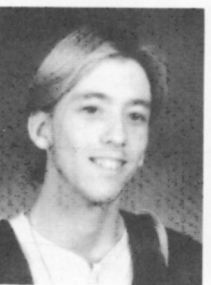


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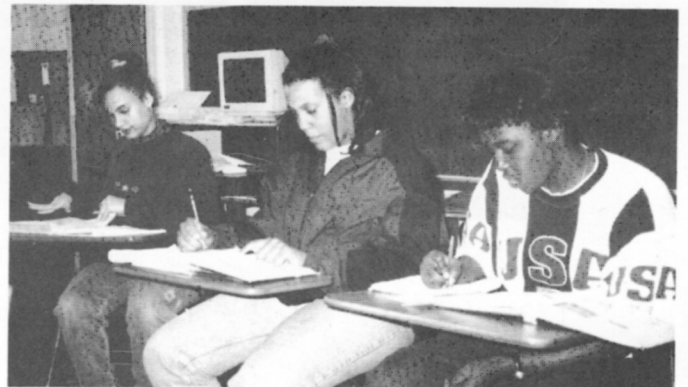


Junior Class

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Student Organizations . . .



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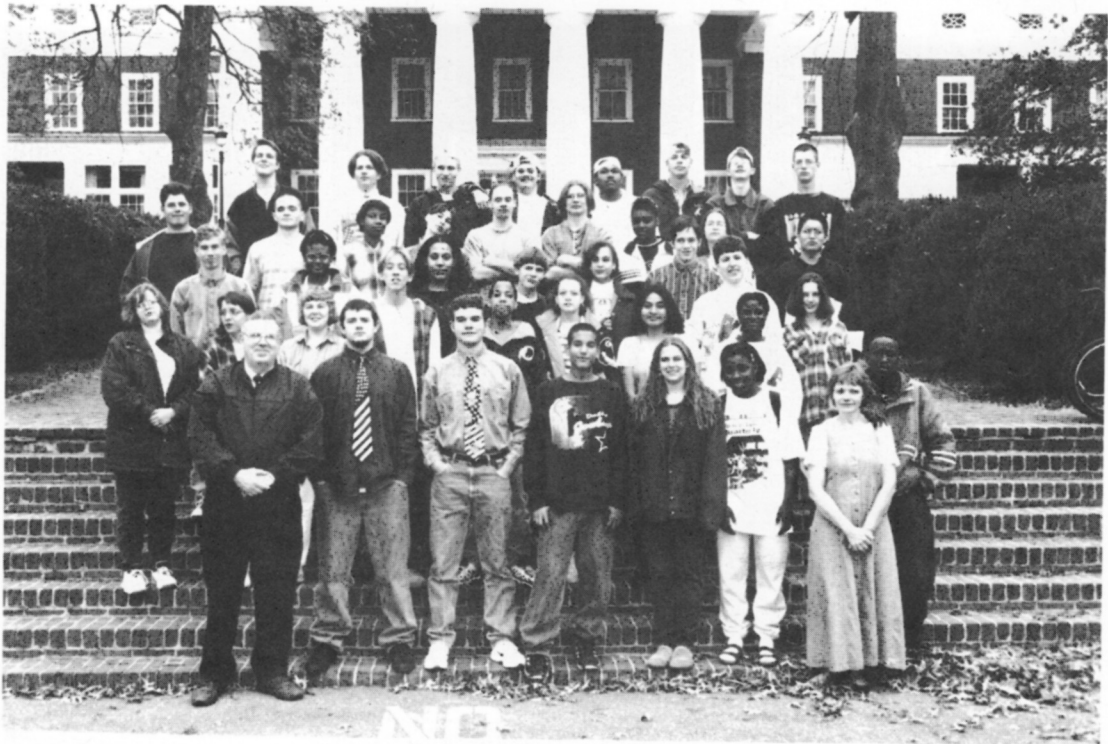


Middle School SCA

Student Organizations . . .



Junior NAD



High School SCA

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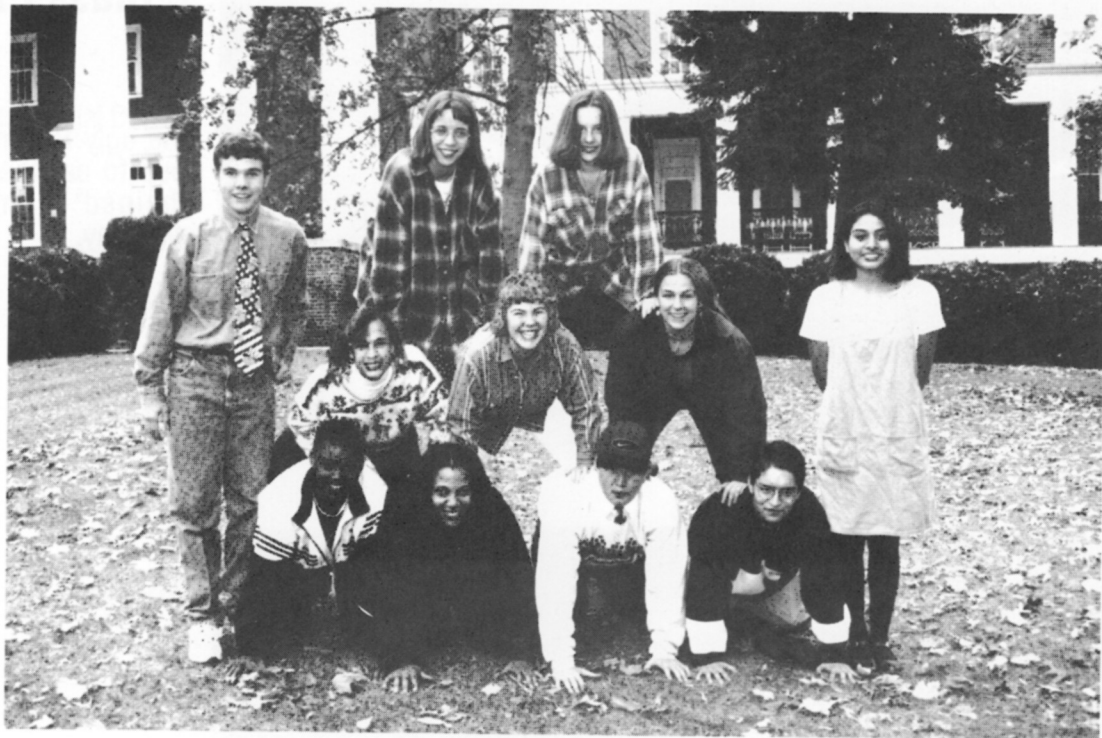


Cardinal Letter Club



Freshman Class

Student Organizations . . .



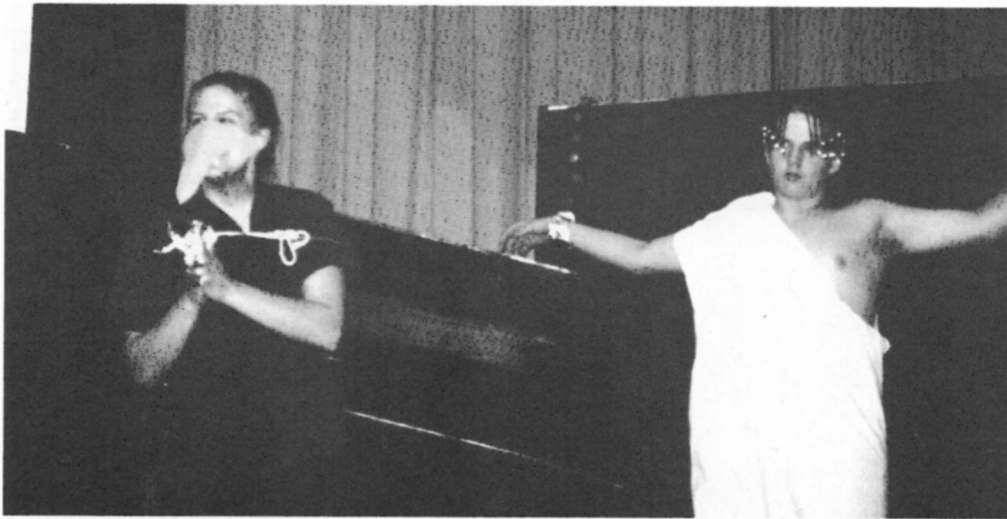
Sophomore Class



Junior Class

Prometheus, a Class Play

The ugly Raven is anxious to eat the liver of chained Prometheus everyday.



Pandora is happy when she hears a marriage proposal from Epithemeus.



The cast of Prometheus taking a final curtain bow.

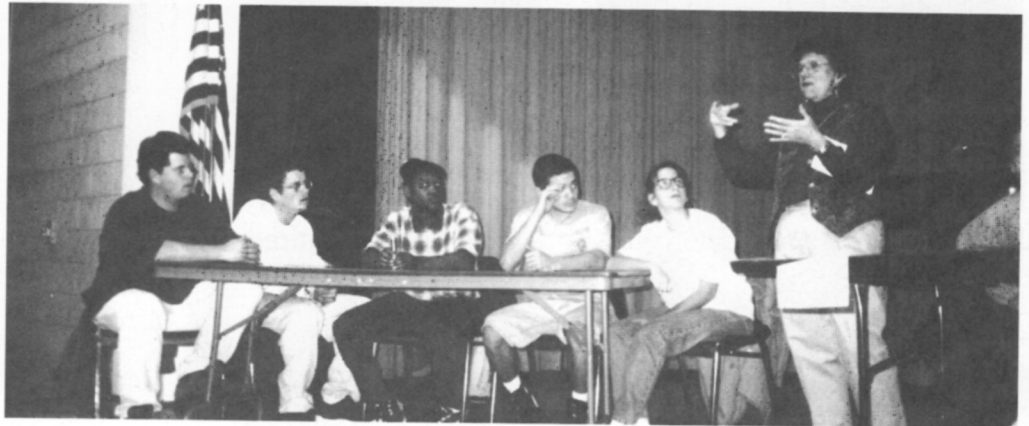


Some of the Special Events . . .

A Mock Presidential Debate



A Christmas Quiz Show



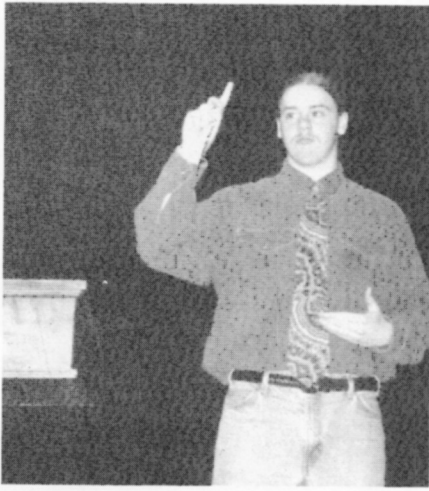
A Debate--Should Uniforms Be Worn in Schools?



Black History Award Program



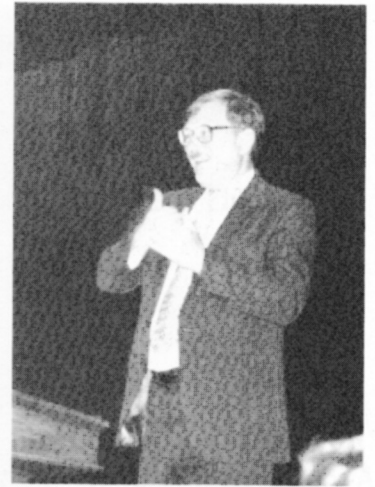
Dedication of the Yates Library



Joseph Davis, Master of Ceremonies



Alice Frick, a retired teacher, making some comments about Fred Yates



Dr. Joe Panko, Superintendent speaking on behalf of the school



Fred Yates accepting the plaque which reads:
"For Dedicated Love
and Service to All People
April 25, 1996"

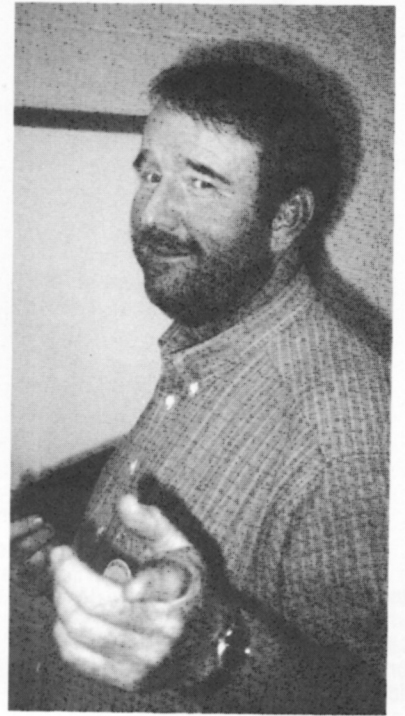
Odds and Ends . . .



Our Own Dennis Rodman



Our Own Betty Boop



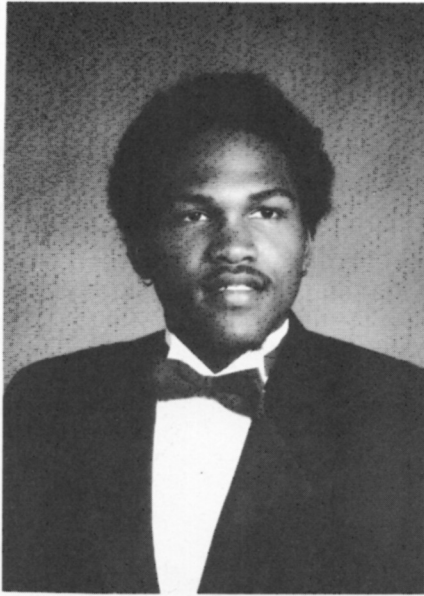
Our Own Campus Comedian



A Rather Surprised Greg Buss



What's so special? Huh? All teachers are being fired?



William Whittfield

William Whittfield

Son of Valerot Whitlow and William Hawthorne of Richmond

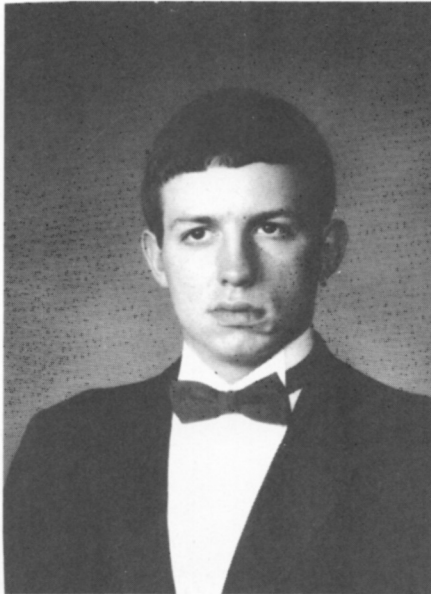
Accomplishments: Basketball for 5 years, track, Most Valuable Player 2 times, Best Rebounder Award, 3rd Team Deaf All-American, member of Cardinal Letter Club for 5 years, member of Jr. NAD, SCA representative for 3 years, Junior Class President, Senior Class President

Hobbies: Basketball

Favorite Saying: "I'll accept it!"

Favorite Foods: I eat just about anything!

Future Goals: Go to college. I don't know where, but I will get a good job for a successful life!



Christopher Morrison

Christopher Morrison

Son of Sandra Slifer and Charles Morrison of Winchester

Accomplishments: Middle School State Champion in wrestling three times. Qualifier for the High School State Championship in wrestling

Hobbies: Writing, wrestling

Favorite Saying: "If it isn't broken, don't try and fix it!"

Favorite Foods: Tacos and ribs

Future Goals: Graduate from college and get a good job so I can buy my mother that house she's always dreamed of.



SENIOR
 of 197
 Joseph Davis



*Alina Henry**

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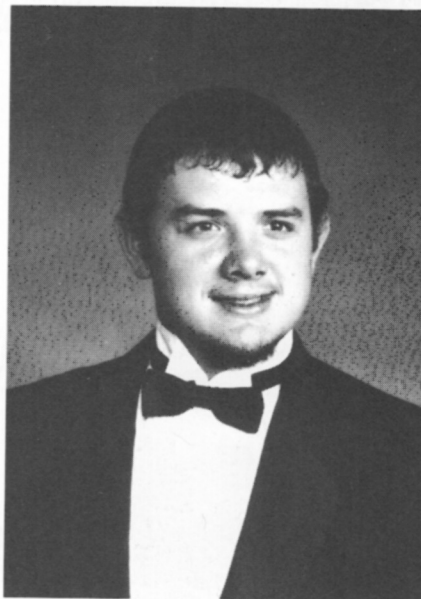
Daughter of Allen and Viola Henry of Bedford

Accomplishments: Volleyball manager for 4 years, basketball manager for 3 years, basketball team for one year, Homecoming Queen, Rotary Code of Ethics, SCA secretary, Senior Class secretary

Favorite Saying: "I don't know"

Favorite Foods: Pizza and Chinese food

Future Goals: Go to CVCC in Lynchburg and then get a good job and have a good life.



Matthew Hamilton

Matthew Hamilton

Son of Jerry and Charlotte Hamilton of Fredericksburg

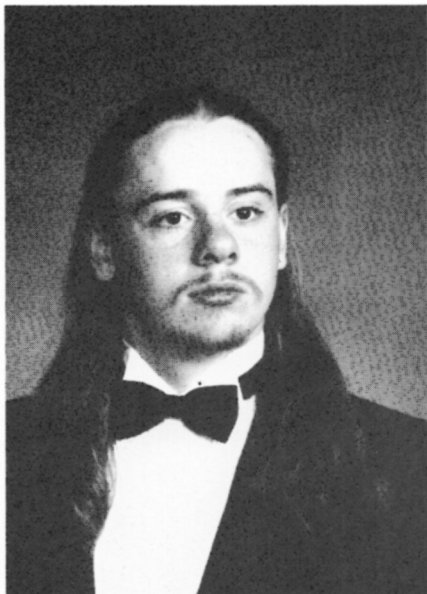
Accomplishments: Basketball for 4 years, Jr. NAD Vice President, SCA representative, Junior Class President, Senior Class Treasurer

Hobbies: Hanging out, join organizations, play sports

Favorite Sayings: "Smokin", "Cool", "Peace", "Get Lost", "Oh, well"

Favorite Foods: Italian, Chinese, and country home cooking

Future Goals: Get into college, get rich and have a peaceful life



Joseph Davis

Joseph Davis

Son of Iris Ko and James M. Davis of Kenbridge

Accomplishments: SCA representative for 3 years, SCA President, member of Jr. NAD for 2 years, Jr. NAD President, Junior Class Vice President, basketball for 4 years, co-editor of White Columns

Hobbies: Drawing, collecting and reading comic books, collecting basketball cards, and sports

Favorite Saying: "Who cares?"

Favorite Foods: Seafood

Future Goals: Attend NTID and RIT and get a degree.

Sheldon Maley

Tony Maley

Son of Norman and Dorothy Maley of Brandy Station

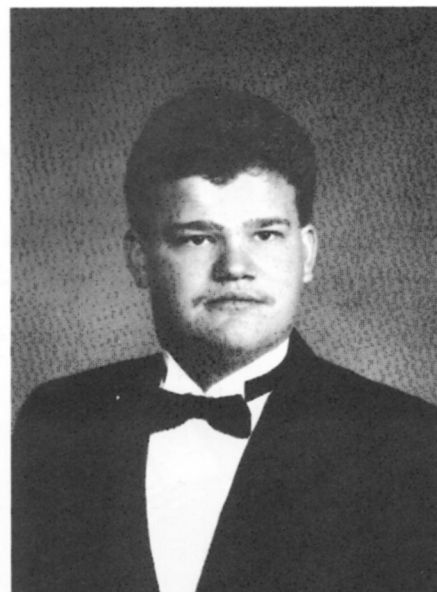
Accomplishments: Jr. NAD, Boy Scouts for 4 years, basketball manager

Hobbies: Drawing, antique automobile models and repairing engines

Favorite Saying: "What's up?"

Favorite Foods: Deer meat, Chinese and Mexican food

Future Goals: Get a job in autobody, get a Chevy/GMC truck and a V-8 Chevy car



Bonita Wimbush

Bonita Wimbush

Daughter of Neal and Edith Wimbush of Chatham

Accomplishments: Work-study program

Hobbies: Sewing

Favorite Saying: "I know"

Favorite Foods: Pizza and hamburger

Future Goals: Work in a restaurant

Daniel Whetzel

Daniel Whetzel

Son of Steve and Nancy Whetzel of Louisa

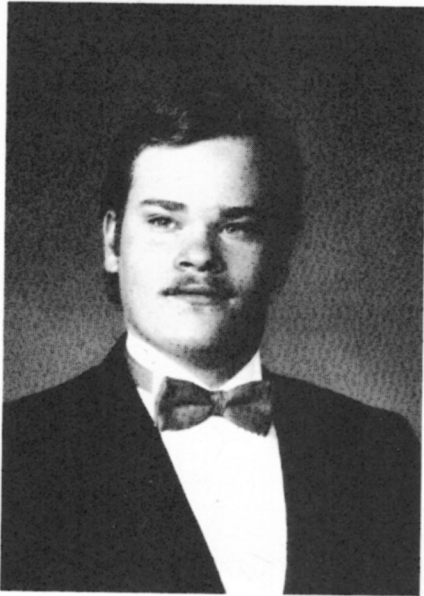
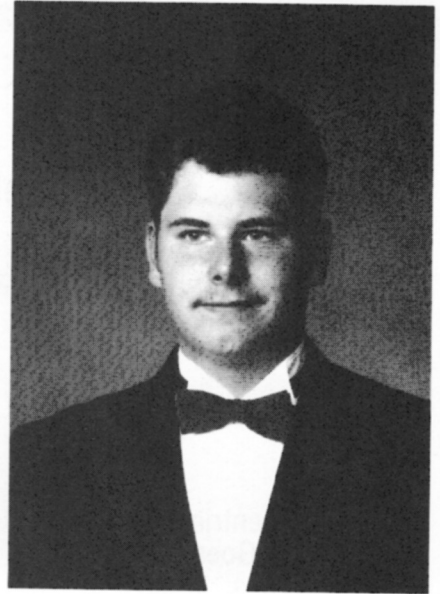
Accomplishments: Jr. NAD for 2 years

Hobbies: Fishing, hunting, hot rod, four-wheel-drive vehicles

Favorite Saying: "I don't care"

Favorite Foods: Steak and seafood

Future Goals: Lay bricks and repair engines



Shawn Moton

Shawn Moton

Son of Larry and Peggy Moton of Mt. Jackson

Accomplishments: Jr. NAD for 4 years, SCA representative

Hobbies: Model cars and trucks, hunting, autobody, hot-rod

Favorite Saying: "So what?"

Favorite Foods: Deer steak

Future Goals: Autobody

Brian Davis

Brian Davis

Son of Patricia Davis of Ashland

Accomplishments: Basketball for 3 years

Hobbies: Ancient warfare/history

Favorite Saying: "It doesn't matter"

Favorite Foods: Roast beef sandwich at Arby's, pizza, corn, chicken breast and soup

Future Goals: Work in a restaurant



Spirit Week 1996

A Week-Long Series of Events Leading up to Homecoming

Some of the entries
in "Anything Goes"
(L-R): Ben Vess, Ryan
Moats, Carrie Suggs, Elsie
Ritchie and Michael Jenkins



Donna Wait congratulating
the winners of one event
during the Spirit Week

Alien Day



Can you imagine this--the whole Freshman Class posing as aliens?

The Sophomore Class reliving the old days of "Deaf President Now"



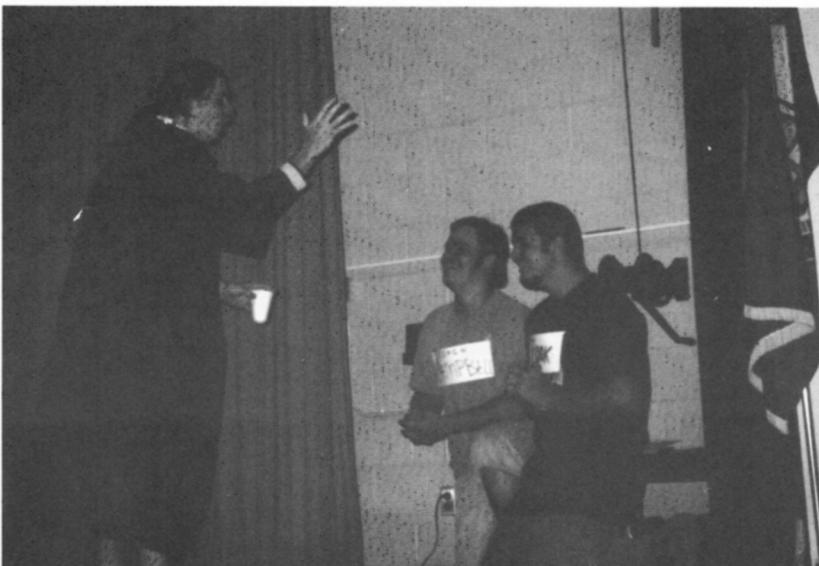
The Senior Class behind a make-shift spaceship

Pep Rally



Three judges (Principal Rachel Bavister, Dianne Stenz and Robert Whittaker) having a hard time judging the skits during the pep rally.

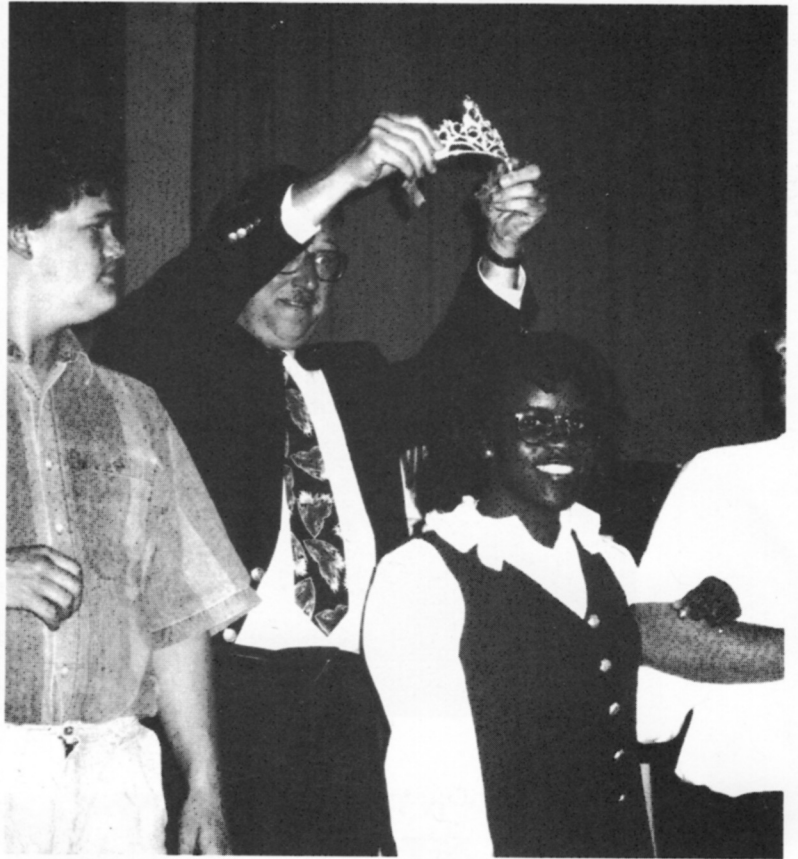
Enthusiastic cheerleaders leading some cheers



Priest Joseph Davis baptizing two coaches, Matt Hamilton and Shaun Moton in the winning skit

Homecoming 1996

Superintendent Panko crowning Alina Henry as the 1996 Homecoming Queen



Alina Henry, Homecoming Queen and her Court, Jowanna Gordon, Alissa Conover and Bonita Wimbrush

Halloween 1996



Dede Norder's Class celebrating Halloween by making a Jack-o-Lantern



The Annual Halloween Parade

Halloween, a Popular Tradition . . .

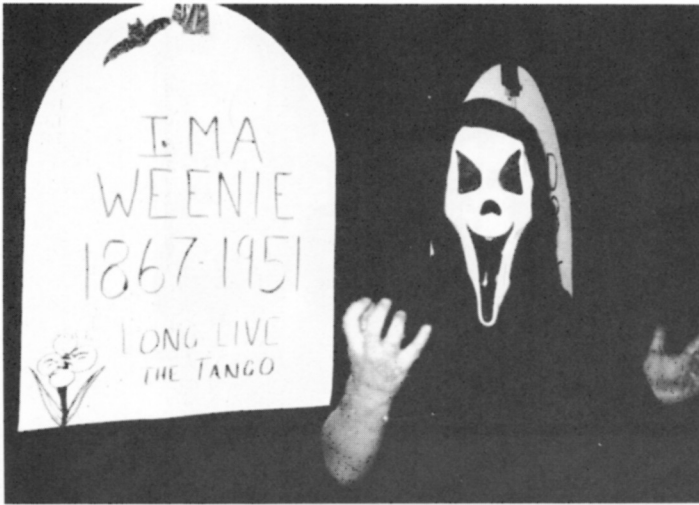


Some of the onlookers at the parade



The Halloween gang posing for some group shots after their annual parade

The Annual Halloween Party



One of the hosts at the party



Beware! Beware!



The one on the right is Mary Murray

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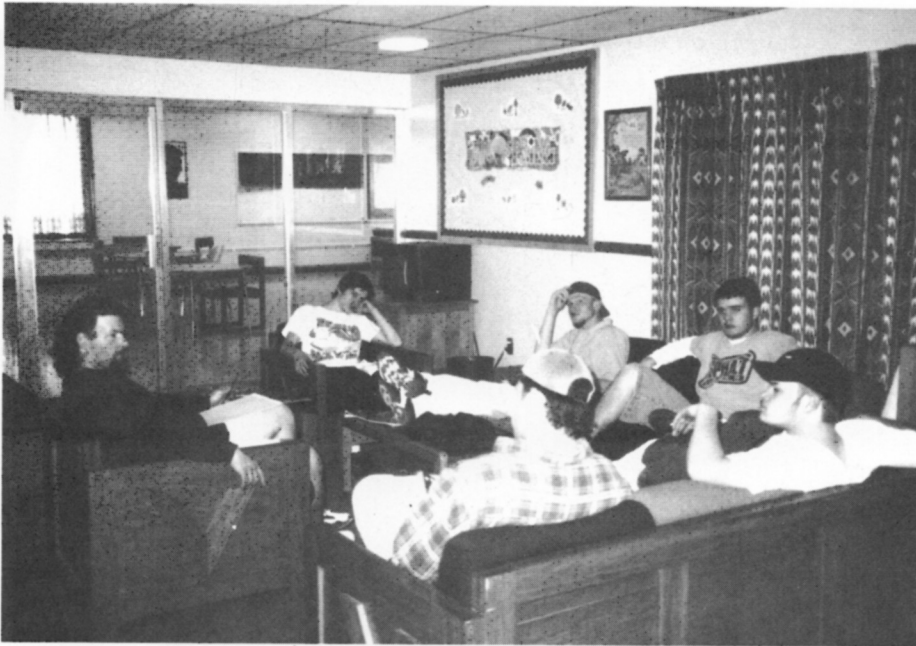


When the ghosts and goblins roam, beware!

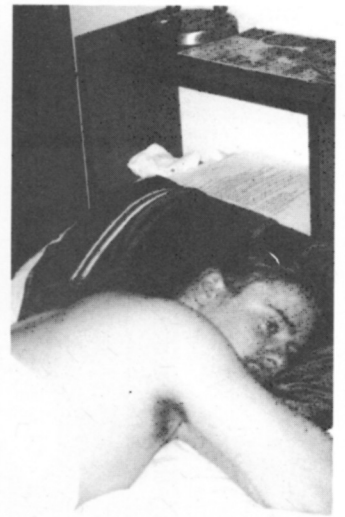


Refreshments at the end of the party

Dormitory Life



Everybody is really relaxing and "shooting the breeze"



Alert! Alert! Joseph is awake!



Jim thinks he is really Michael Jordan



Two of the favorite past times--TV and video games

Soccer--a New Rage on Campus



The 1996 Soccer team--they had compiled a 1-8 record. The younger group came out with a 0-9 record.



Elsie Ritchie making a kick with Ben Vess looking on



Trying to make some headway with the ball

Girls' Volleyball 1996



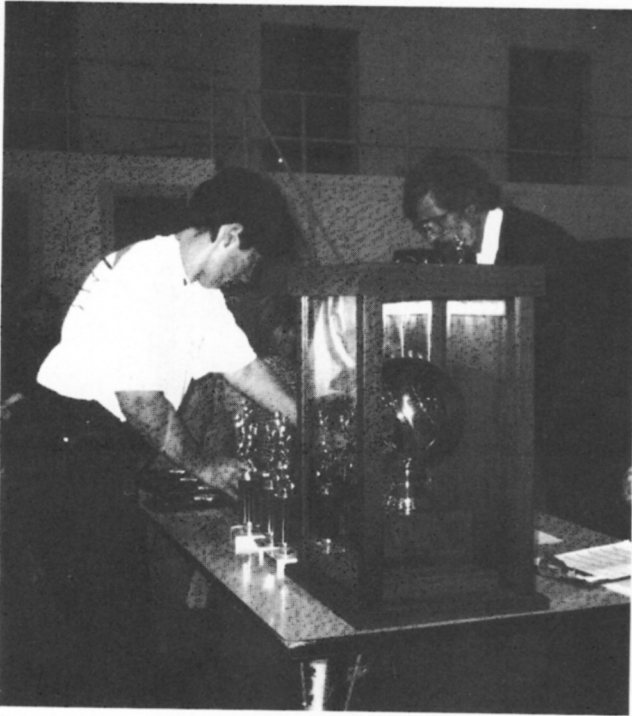
(L-R): Celena Long, Alissa Conover, Michelle Durrett, Monika Hundley, Latoyer Cabell, Veronica Melchor, Sarah White, Brandy Buchanan, Charity Reid

The record is 1-10.

The volleyball team in a defensive stance.



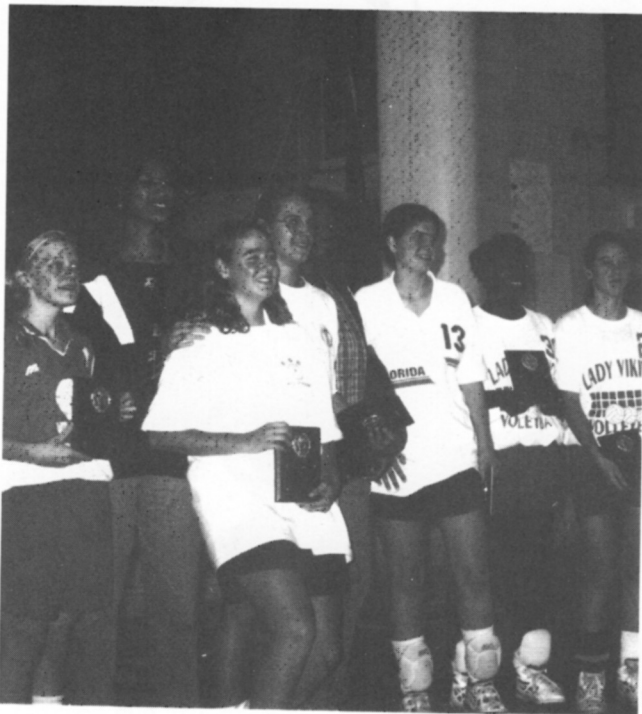
Mason-Dixon Volleyball Tournament



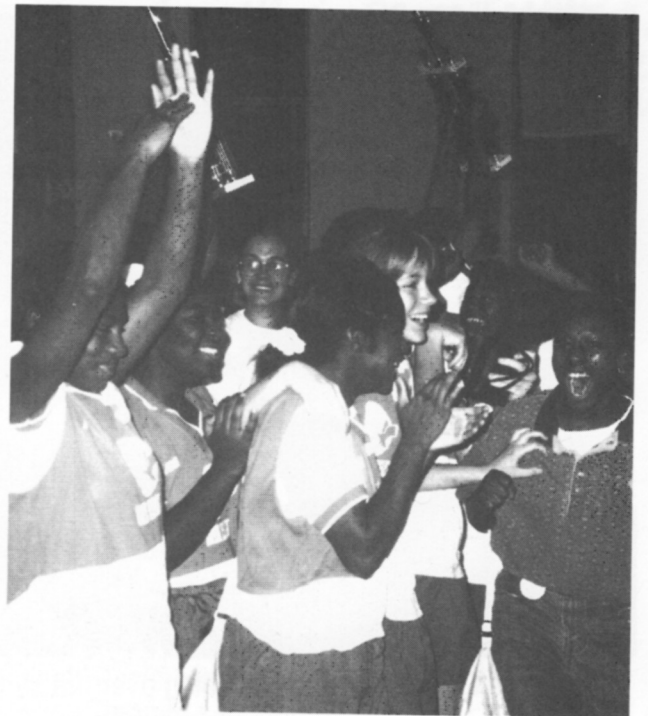
Bobbie Rosson and Stanley Byers getting the trophies ready for the award presentations



Florida, the reigning Champions



All-Tournament Team selections



Louisiana, the second-place winner

Girls' Basketball Team



Front Row: Alina Henry, Holly Foster, LeShea Davis, Alissa Conover, Latoyer Cabell, Monika Hundley, Torii Deaner; Back Row: Shawn Shifflett, Celena Long, Michelle Durrett, Charity Reid, Bonnie Minter, Assistant Coach; Tony Panella, Assistant Coach; Rocco DeVito, Coach
 Won 5, lost 12



Coaches DeVito and Panella going over the game strategy

the scene is too dark



Celena Long making a free throw attempt

Boys' Basketball Team



Front Row: Jamon Freeman, Jason Hill, Joseph Sensabaugh, Joseph Davis, Joseph Templin, Jared Rittenhouse; Middle Row: Anthony Small, Lee Tribble, Rick White, Jason Hall, Junior McKinney, Chris McCarty; Third Row: Ryan Biser, Jonathan Martin, Matthew Hamilton, Tracy Waddell
 Won 7, lost 12

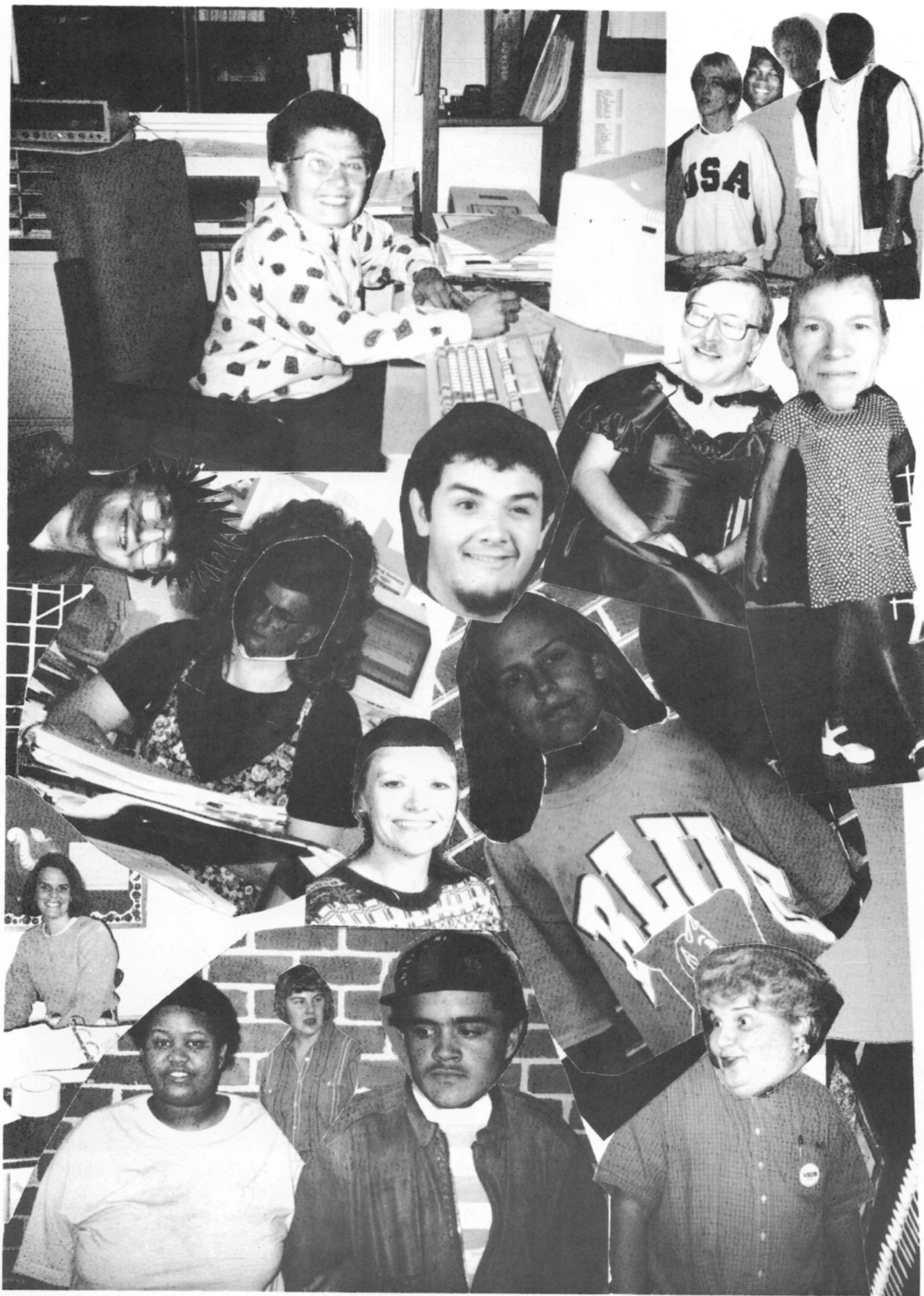
*I was their secret keeper only home games
 William Whitfield did the away games*

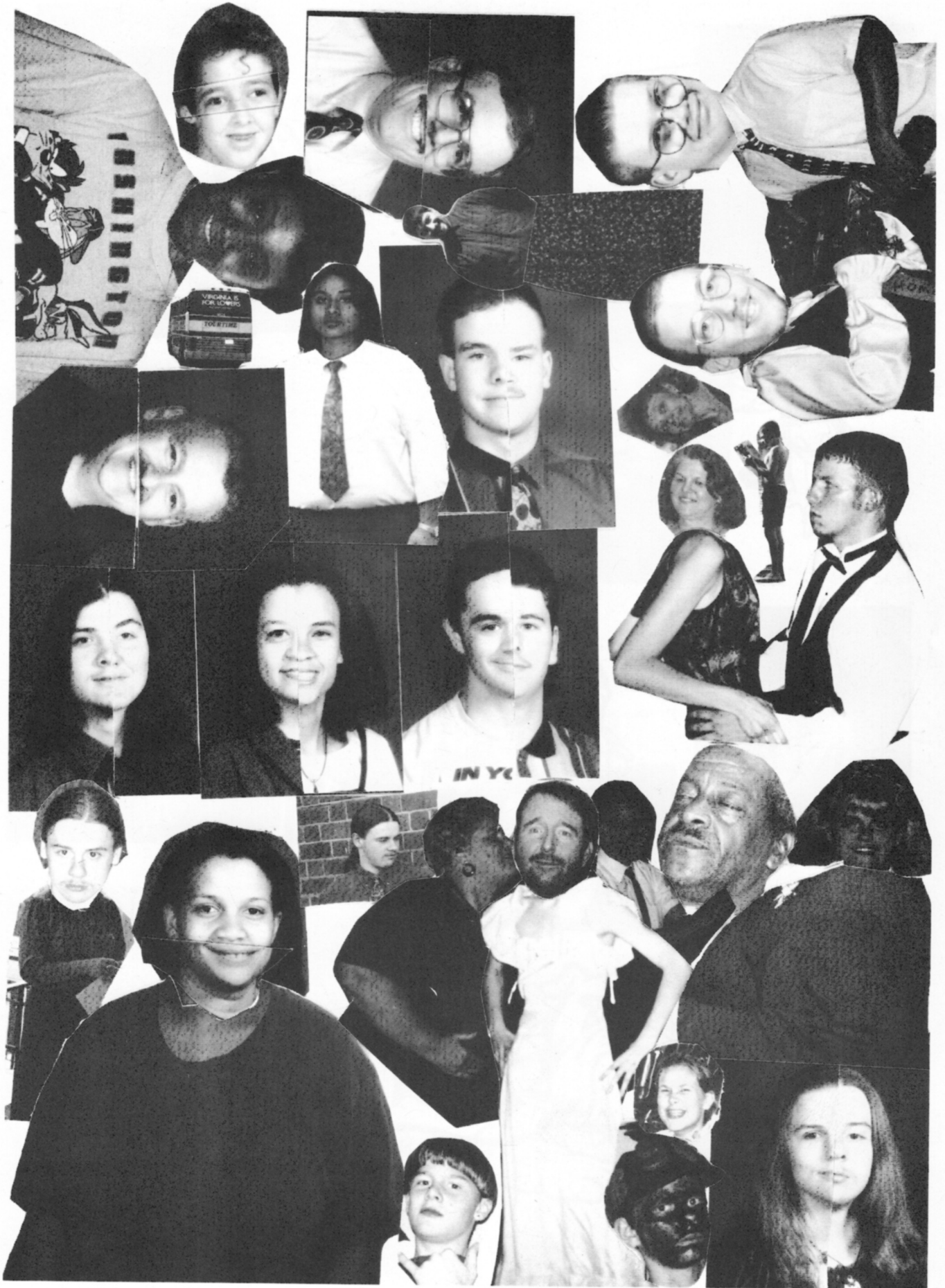


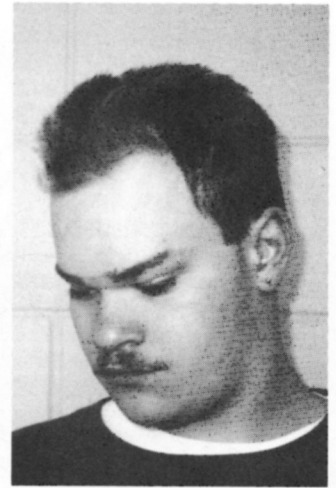
Joseph giving some pointers to teammates Matthew Hamilton and Jason Hill

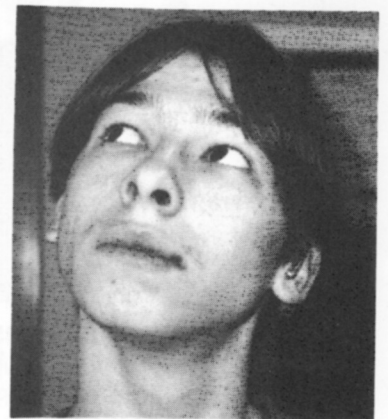
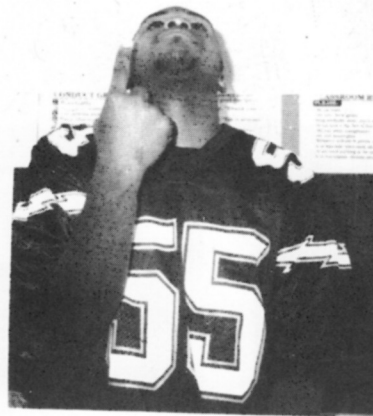
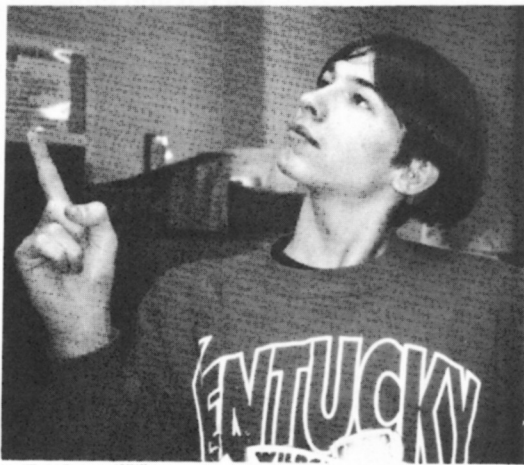
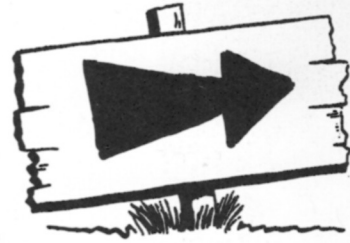


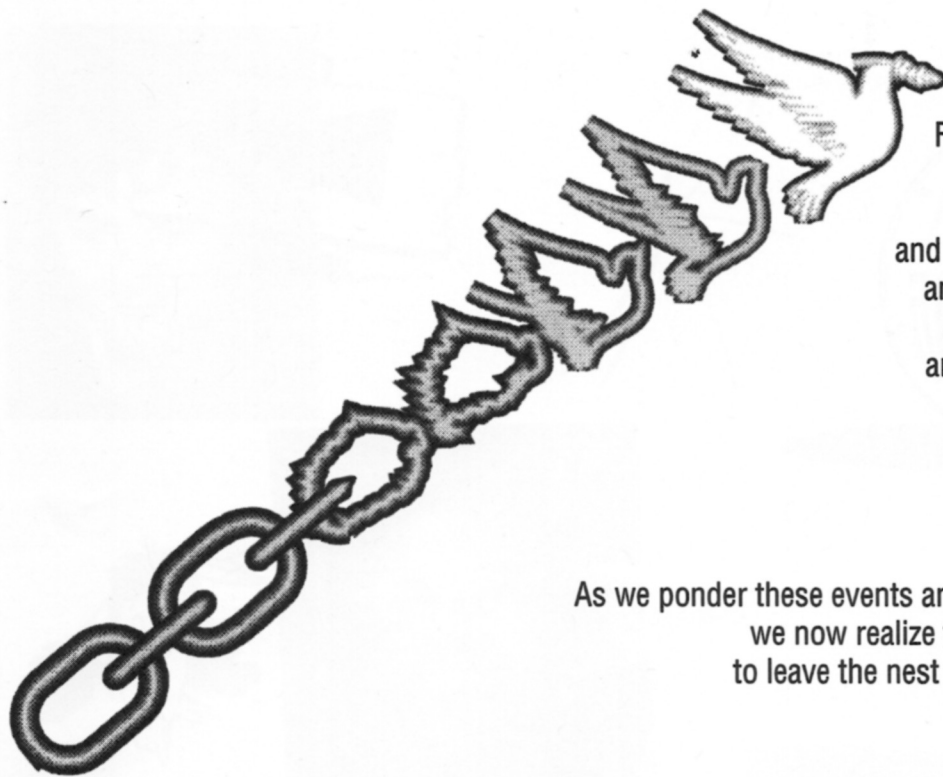
Joseph Davis making a drive for the basket with Joseph Templin standing by











Farewell

What a year it was!
First it was the hurricane Fran.
Then the sewer pipe failed.
And the Spirit Week contests
and the mock Presidential Debate
and the Gallaudet Day Program
and the Christmas Quiz Show
and the new computer network
and the examinations
and the play Prometheus
and the Black History events
and finally this yearbook!

As we ponder these events and the school year as a whole,
we now realize that our time has come for us
to leave the nest to face an entirely new world.

We bid you farewell!

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