

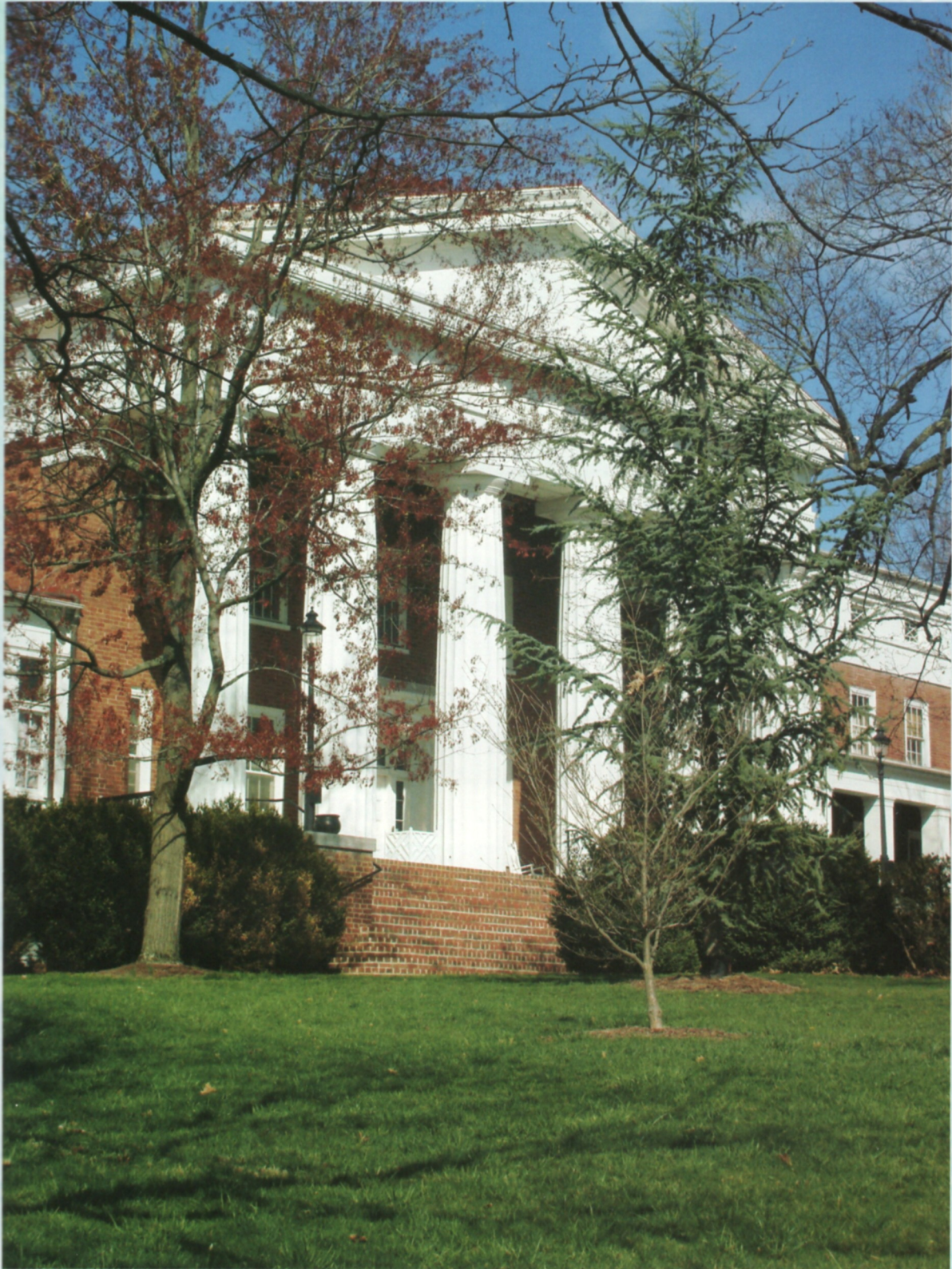
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PERSPECTIVES

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Dedication



Theresa Stojek was born on November 25, 1940. She started working at the school on November 1st, 1988, and passed away on September 30th, 2004. Theresa always helped a student when she thought they needed help, even when she did not have to. She was a positive person, so when a student was in the office and angered about something, she was able to calm them down, keeping them out of trouble. She worked hard for everyone in the school to make them happy and do what they needed. She spent a lot of spare time with students, going out to lunch and dinner when they did something really well. Theresa was always outgoing, happy and positive with every one all the time, even towards the end of her time and life here at this school.

Bobbie Dietz is loved by staff and students alike. She supports Deaf culture and encourages her students to be proud of who they are. She is also supportive of students in other ways. She is always willing to talk with them about their lives and futures. Bobbie cares for students and is always willing to help. Bobbie has high expectations for her students. She encourages them to become honest, responsible, and caring people, and to lead independent lives.



Administration



Nancy Armstrong



Tanya Faidley



Pattye Leslie



Bob Whytal



Faculty and Staff

Deaf Department Teachers



Linda Blehm



Michelle Butcher



Paula Cash



Martha Daggy



Pat Davenport



Marianne Dunham



Heather
Emery-Coleman



Erin Fernsler



Beth Hamilton



Heather Holmberg



Anna Hoover



Rhonda Jennings



Kate Johnson



Leslie MacFarland



Jamie Morris



Debbie
Oldman-Brown



Delania Robinson



Roberta Rosson



Rick Snyder



Tina Steele



Harry Wood

Blind Department Teachers



Elaine Goss



Donna Marchand

Student Life Office



Wanda Biser



Brenda Bourne



Ric Bowles



Stanley Byers



Kathy Hughes



Regina Kidd



Anita Robinson



Cheryl Siron



Cafeteria



Mary Allen



Mrs Frye



Mrs Lemons

Faculty



Sue Fultz



Wayne Hite



Margaret Robison



Sarah Shreckhise



Jen Smart

Program Assistants



Miss Burrows



Rachel Effinger



Jodi Hale



Ms John



Ms Shook

Substitute Teachers



Daphne Thompson



Brandy Wood



Harriet Koch



Richard Koch



Diane Eckstein is the new Deaf Department secretary. We are so happy she is with us!



Preschool



German
Amayo-Castro



Ciesha Carter



Thelrose Hove



Anika Kessler



Joshua Lavigne



Treanna Pinnock



Sergey Silvers



Hailey Snodgrass



Elementary School



Kindergarten



Mario Moore



Katy Silvers

Third Grade



Hannah Mills



Joli Roberts

Fourth Grade



Justin Broxton



Kahji Dabney



Breanna Garcia



Thomas Jackson



Miranda Minor



Aaron Quillen



Britni Witter

Fifth Grade



Javier Alcazar



Sierra Campbell



Earl Edwards



Aaron Kincaid



Khai Llewellyn



Victoria Proctor



Rudy Proffitt



Kelsey Ryan



Nick Shafer



Dakota Shifflett



Timothy Smith



Stephen Wessely



Caleb Wimble



Middle School



A large purple star with the number '6' in yellow and 'th' in yellow, with 'GRADE' written in black below it.

Sixth Grade



Timothy Bernardo



Jonathan Estes



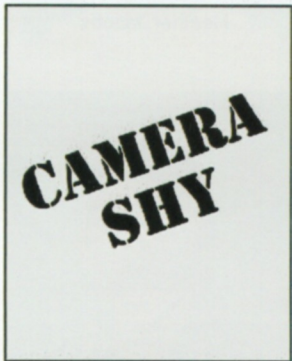
Sierra Hodges



Devyn Johnson



Kendra Lewis



Steven Martin



Mynor Moore



Deanna Mutz



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Seventh Grade



Keaunna Bolden



Jonathan Branch



Cortez Briggs



Shanteia Callaway



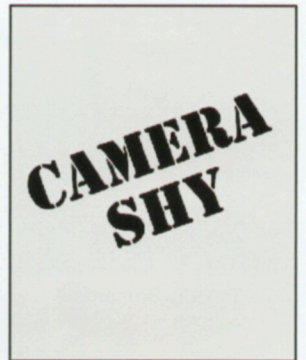
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Crystal Guerrero



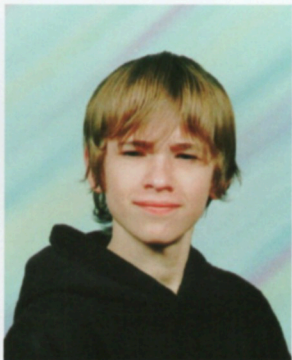
Heather Jacobs



Lisa Parker



Lauren Sellers



Michael Turner



Michael Watson



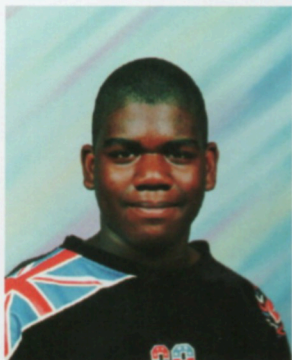
Kimberly Zepeda



Charlotte Austin



Allyssa Cook



LaQuincy Ferrell



Tyler McDonald

Eighth Grade



Hope Adkins



Madelin Allen



Dennis Ameyaw



Najah Bell



Justin Christian



Clinton Colquhoun



Amanda Deverick



Cara Eason



Amber Hughes



Michael Moses



Rosa Santana



Cody Stringfellow



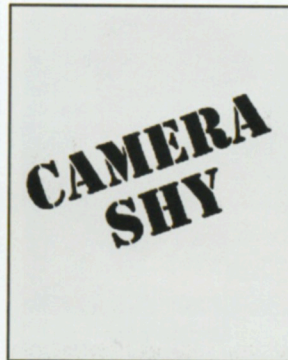
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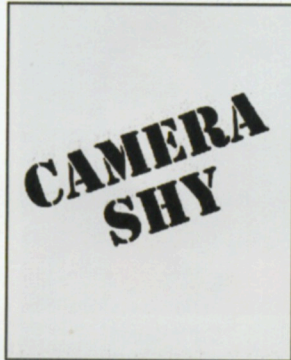
Kierra Davis



Justin Soloman



Noah Stellick



Monica Strand



Ahman Subhi



Eric Vechery



graduation memories
dreams
new beginnings
tomorrow

HIGH SCHOOL



dreams
view
new beginnings
tomorrow

freshmen



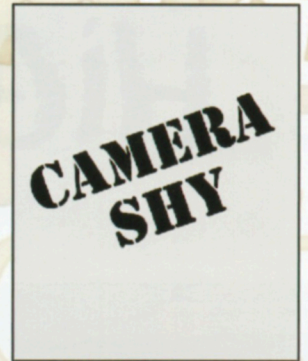
Shaniece Belle



Emylou Chute



Tony Dixon



Tabitha Fuller



Joshua Harvey



Roy Lunsford



Ivory Robinson



Michael Sprouse



Jesse Bradley



Dustin Lawrence



Ryan Mann



Brittany Savage



Tashia Schmelling

freshmen



SOPHOMORES



Terra Harris



Justin McDorman



Francisco Pineda



John Saunders



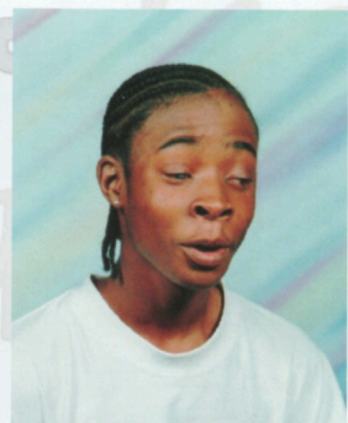
Bruce Brock



Tylaher Dailey



Coley Evans



Eric Peterson

Sophomores



juniors



Marc Belton



Kathryn Canup



Mark Dziemen



Matthew Glass



Adam Gold



Kamron Greene



Britt Hernandez



Teran Justice



Rebecca Martin



Travis Martin



Erica Pridgen



Adam Rogers



Maria Rogers



Robert Strickler



Stephanie Leason



Adam Puckett



Kaitlyn Pupek

juniors



CLASS OF 2006



Danielle Denise Amburn

Birthday: March 19, 1987

My favorite moments at VSDB were making new friends and spending time with my boyfriend.

I am sweet, quiet, and funny.

Sports/Activities: Manager of Basketball and Volleyball teams

Christopher Andrew Fitzwater

Birthday: December 1, 1986

My favorite moment at VSDB will be graduating and getting out of V.S.D.

I am smart, neutral, and cool.

Sports/Activities: Basketball, Baseball, and Golf



Ronald Garrison

Birthday: July 3, 1987

My favorite moment at VSDB was going in the girls' dorm back in 2002.

I am crazy, nice, and wild like an animal.



CLASS OF 2006



Buffy Henderson

Birthday: July 4, 1988

My favorite moments at VSDB were fun times with my friends and going on school trips.

I am punk, silly, and wild.

Sports/Activities: Basketball and Volleyball

Stephanie Y. Kirby



Birthday: October 10, 1987

I have too many great moments at VSDB to tell what my favorite is.

I am sleepy, hyper, and a comedian.

Sports/Activities: Volleyball and Basketball

Michael Kryszewicz



Birthday: May 6, 1988

My favorite moment at VSDB was when I did a prank on Adam Gold with two hidden cameras. He got PUNK'D!

I am crazy, sweet, and funny.

Sports/Activities: Baseball, Basketball, and Soccer. I joined a few clubs, including Drama, Yearbook, and Technology Club. I was president of the VVTC Auto Body class for two years.

CLASS OF 2006



Jamie Mercier

Birthday: June 26, 1985

My favorite moments at VSDB were going outside to play basketball on the playground, our volleyball championship at the Mason Dixon Tournament in 2003, and walking downtown in Staunton.

I am an energetic, athletic person. I am a quiet girl, but sometimes wild, depending on my mood.

Sports/Activities: 4 years of Basketball, 4 years of Volleyball, 2 years of Soccer, SCA Treasurer, Senior Representative, Yearbook

Kristopher Lee Morris

Birthday: July 26, 1985

My favorite moment at VSDB was one time, back in middle school, when Robert and I were chatting about karate. I picked up a cracker, held it in my hand, and acted like a person who does karate. When I lightly hit the cracker, all of a sudden, the cracker exploded everywhere, evening my face! I am wild, very soft-hearted, and very friendly.

Sports/Activities: SCA President (senior year), and Jr. NAD President (senior year). I was involved in Global Deaf Connection Walk and was one of two seniors nominated for Homecoming King.



Tiffany J. Sivell

Birthday: April 1, 1988

My favorite moments at VSDB were playing on the playground, walking downtown, playing around with my friends, and when the VSDB volleyball team won the championship in 2003. I will miss VSDB when I graduate. I am friendly, wild, and talkative.

Sports/Activities: 4 years of Volleyball, 3 years as Vice President of the Class of 2006, Treasurer of Jr. NAD, Food Committee, and Senior Representative to the SCA



CLASS OF 2006



Sean Dugas

Birthday: January 6, 1986

My favorite moments at VSDB were playing goalball and representing VSDB-S. I also enjoyed going downtown with James Foster, Mrs. Meeks' classes throughout the years, Mrs. Knopp's fun classes, and the trip to the Science Museum in Roanoke.

I am helpful, real, and fun.

Sports/Activities: 5 years of Goalball, 2 years of Soccer, 3 years of Chorus, 4 years of Work Program, 1 year of Yearbook

Jennifer Finley



Birthday: March 1, 1987

My favorite moments at VSDB were voice lessons with Ms. Marchand, singing "One Moment in Time," and the chorus trip to sing at a local nursing home.

I am happy, loud, and perfumed.

Sports/Activities: 3 years of Chorus, Voice Lesson, Dorm Dolls, Church Youth Group



James Monroe Foster

Birthday: November 4, 1986

I always love the start of a school year. Oddly enough, my favorite year was my fifth year. This was the year blind boys stayed in Price Basement. My best moment was when I made friends with Sean Dugas. He is one of the best friends I have had at this school, along with Ryan Mann. (Sean, Ryan, James, friends for life.) I am friendly, active, and smart.

Sports/Activities: Yearbook, Goalball, Blue Ridge Community College, Sound engineering as DJFARENHITE, Chorus, Valley Vocational Technical Center, Campus Maintenance, VSDB Luggage Service

Superlatives

Most Wild
Adam Gold and Emylou Chute



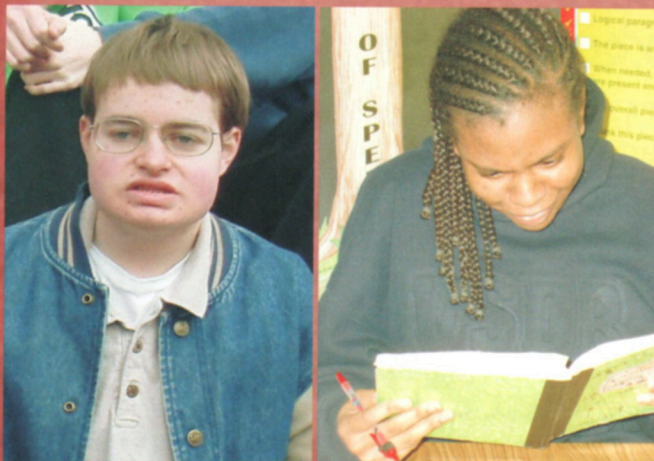
Most Busy
Michael Sprouse and Maria Rogers



Most Athletic
Roy Lunsford and Buffy Henderson



Most Focused
Adam Rodgers and Shaniece Belle



Superlatives

Most Fun
Kris Morris and Terra Harris



Best Dressed
Francisco Pineda and Emylou Chute



Most Funny
Adam Gold and Stephanie Kirby



Most Flirtatious
Ron Garrison and Britt Hernandez



Superlatives

Most Artistic
Kamron Greene and Stephanie Kirby



Best Dancers
Roy Lunsford and Tabitha Fuller



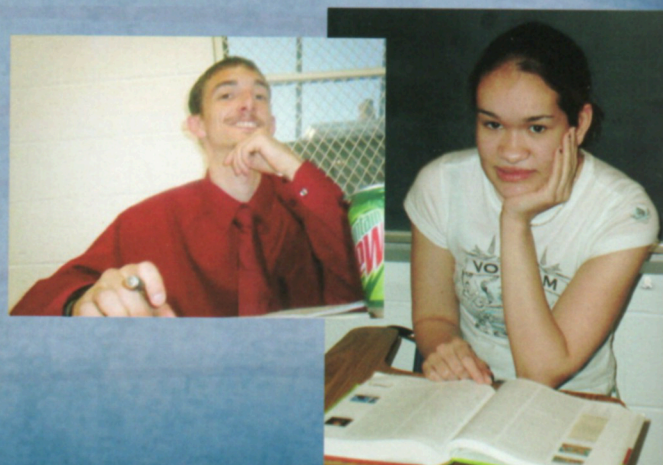
Most Dramatic
Matt Glass and Tiffany Sivell



Best Actors
Mike Krysiwicz and Emylou Chute



Most Likely to Succeed
Chris Fitzwater and
Britt Hernandez



Teacher Superlatives

Most Strict
Bobbie Dietz



Most Flexible
Barbara Ferguson



Most Laughing
Kate Johnson



Most Funny
Rhonda Jennings



Most Busy
Marianne Dunham



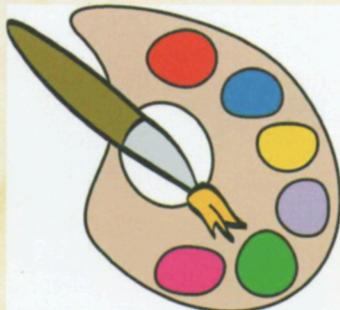
ART

VSDB's new art teacher, Tina-Margaret Steele, has made a great impact this year! Students from both the Deaf Department and the Blind Department were able to participate in her classes. Her students made beautiful and colorful pieces of art. We were able to enjoy their art in our hall and in our library. Sorenson Communication held an art contest this year, and some of our students entered their work. The VSDB students' artwork was chosen from over 300 entries from deaf and hard of hearing students from all over the states in North America to receive awards! Our VSDB students received a cash prize because of winners' awesome artwork. The art students also did a beautiful job decorating our school with artwork for the Academic Bowl. Many pieces showed great pride in Deaf Culture.

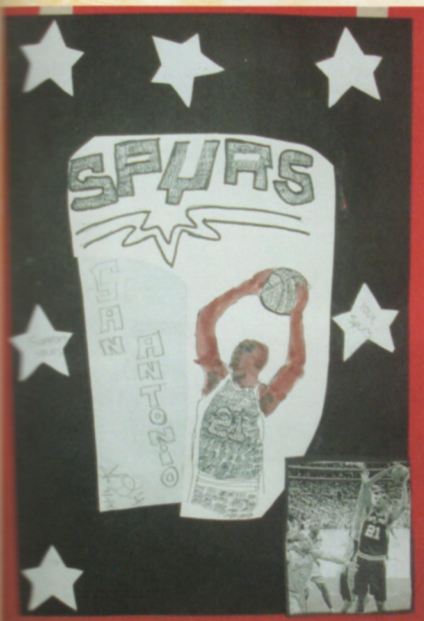
Sorenson Winners



Honorable Mention
Colorful Friends



Anthony Dixon,
Robert Strickler,
Emylou Chute



Volleyball

High School Girls



Tiffany Sivell #8, Emylou Chute #1, Stephanie Kirby #5,
Rebecca Martin #3, Erica Pridgen #10, Maria Rogers #12,
Terra Harris #14, Brittany Hernandez #4, Tabitha Fuller #6,
Shaniece Belle #15, Buffy Henderson #11,
Rosa Santana #2, Cara Eason #7

Jamie Mercier, Manager
Danielle Amburn, Manager
Chris Fitzwater, Scorekeeper

Coaches

Kathy Campbell, Head Coach
Rhonda Jennings, Assistant Coach
Anita Robinson, Helper



Basketball

Middle School Girls

Coach:
Irene McCabe

Hope Adkins, Madelyn Allen, Najah Bell, Keaunna Bolden,
Shanteia Callaway, Amanda Devericks, Sierra Hodges, Amber Hughes,
Heather Jacobs, Kendra Lewis, Ciara Willard, Kimberly Zepeda



Basketball

High School Girls



Emylou Chute, Cara Eason, Rebecca Martin, Rosa Santana,
Tiffany Sivell, Shaniece Belle, Stephanie Kirby, Buffy Henderson,
Erica Pridgen, Terra Harris

Statistician: Brittany Hernandez
Manager: Jamie Mercier

Coaches:
Thomas Knopp
Barbara Knopp



Basketball

Middle School Boys

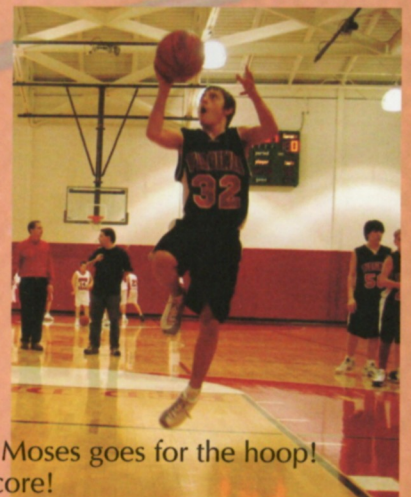


Dennis Ameyaw, Timothy Bernardo, Jonathan Branch, Timothy Cave, Justin Christian, Jonathan Estes, Mynor Moore, Michael Moses, Cody Stringfellow, Michael Watson

Devyn Johnson - Manager
Steve Martin - Manager
Kris Morris - Statistician



Despite a red face and bandaged knee, Mike Watson aka 'Mop', gets ready to clean the floor against three defenders again!



Michael Moses goes for the hoop! Shoot, score!

Basketball

High School Boys



Michael Krysiwicz - Statistician
Stanley Byers - Assistant Coach
Mark Fletcher - Head Coach
Joshua Harvey - Manager

Travis Martin #30, John Saunders #14, Mark Dzieman #32,
Roy Lunsford Jr. #24, Ivory Robinson #12, Adam Gold #20,
Anthony Dixon #52, Francisco Pineda #44, Marc Belton #10,
Chris Fitzwater #34



GOAL BALL



Coaches:
Head Coach-
Kristy McClain
Asst. Coach-Cheryl Baker
Asst. Coach-J. H. Cline

Boys Team:
LaQuincy Ferrell # 1
Sean Dugas # 3

Girls Team:
Brittany Savage # 3
Tashia Schmelling #4
Allyssa Cook # 5
Kierra Davis # 2
Britni Witter
(up-coming player)

Manager:
Monica Strand

Virginia Chiefs



GOAL BALL



DRAMA CLUB



Sponsors: Rhonda Jennings; Marianne Dunham
Co-Sponsor: Tina-Margaret Steele

Students: Jonathan Branch, Dennis Ameyaw, Teia Callaway, Amber Hughes, Keaunna Bolden, Madelyn Allen, Heather Jacobs, Mike Watson, Timothy Cave, Cody Stringfellow, Najah Bell, Rosa Santana, Clinton Colquhoun, Justin Christian, Crystal Guerro, Amanda Devericks, Cara Easton, Mike Krysiewicz, Mike Sprouse, Emylou Chute, Matt Glass, Kris Morris, Justin McDorman, Tiffany Sivell, John Saunders, Roy Lunsford, Adam Gold, Tony Dixon, Stephanie Kirby, Brittany Hernandez, Robert Strickler



Jr. NAD



Sponsor: Beth Hamilton
Kris, President
Roy, Vice President
Emylou, Secretary
Tiffany, Treasurer

Madelyn Allen, Michael Sprouse, Emylou Chute, Terra Harris, Roy Lunsford, Tiffany Sivell, Amber Hughes, Amanda Devericks, Katy Canup, Michael Watson, Matt Glass, Kristopher Morris, Cara Eason, Adam Gold

Student Council Association - High School -



Sponsors:

Harry Wood and Barbara Knopp

Officers:

Kris Morris, President

Robert Strickler, Vice-President

Chris Fitzwater, Secretary

Jamie Mercier, Treasurer

Freshmen Class Representatives:

Emylou Chute and Roy Lunsford

Junior Class Representatives:

Marc Belton and Mark Dzieman

Sophomore Class Representative:

Justin McDorman

Senior Class Representative:

Tiffany Sivell

Student Council Association - Middle School -



Sponsors: Karen Stinson and Linda Blehm

Madelyn Allen, President
Sierra Hodges, Vice President
Lauren Sellers, Secretary
Deanna Mutz, Treasurer

Food Committee:
Michael Watson, Dennis Ameway

6th Grade Representatives:
Ciara Willard, Mynor Moore (alternate)
7th Grade Representatives:
Keavonna Bolden, Crystal Gierrero (alternate)
8th Grade Representatives :
Najah Bell, Amanda Devericks (alternate)

Technology Club



Sponsors:

Harry Wood, and Kate Johnson

Club Members:

Emylou Chute, Anthony Dixon, Stephanie Kirby,
Michael Krysiwicz, Roy Lunsford,
Justin McDorman, Kris Morris, Michael Sprouse,
Robert Strickler, Tiffany Sivell

TLC Teen Literacy Club

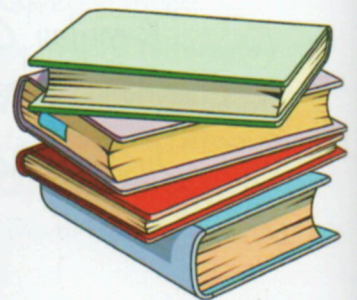
Members:

Ciara Willard
Crystal Guerreo
Danielle Amburn
Deanna Mutz
Devyn Johnson
Heather Jacobs
Jonathon Estes
Kaity Canup
Kendra Lewis
Mike Watson
Michael Sprouse
Mynor Moore
Shaniece Bell
Sierra Hodges
Taylor Yopp
Timothy Bernado
Timothy Cave

President: Michael Sprouse
VP: Danielle Amburn
MS rep: Sierra Hodges

Sponsors:

Margaret Robison,
Linda Jones-Oleson,
Sarah Shreckhise,
Heather Emery-Coleman



Yearbook



Staff:

Sean Dugas
James Foster
Brittany Hernandez
Stephanie Kirby
Mike Krysiwicz
Robert Strickler

Advisors:

Heather Holmberg
Kate Johnson

Photographers:

Jamie Mercier
Tiffany Sivell



Academic Bowl



VSDB -- Winners of the Outstanding Sportsmanship Award in the Buff Pool

Robert Strickler- captain
Justin McDorman
Michael Sprouse

Coaches
Rhonda Jennings
Kate Johnson



Reading the questions



THANK YOU, Marianne Dunham and Rachel Bavister, for all of your hard work!



Punky, our mascot

Photos (pages 50 - 51) courtesy of Gallaudet University

learn STUDY grow

On March 30, hundreds of people descended on the VSDB campus to participate in the Mid-Atlantic Regional/At-Large Academic Bowl competition. It was fun to challenge our minds and meet new friends.



Between rounds, we need a break!



Punky guides the way!



Oh, that's the answer!



Please, please get the answer!



Here come the people!



VSDB's team works hard together.



Our faithful fans



Even the adults had fun during the social at "Pump It Up!"



After a long weekend of hard work, Punky gets attacked by Rhonda's cat.

SPIRIT WEEK



The week of September 26th through 29th was so groovy, man! The theme was the 70's, so all the guys went around in afros and bell-bottom pants while all the girls wore tie-dye shirts and sandals. Monday's theme was the history of the 70's, which brought back old TV shows and traditions. Tuesday was filled with people totally dressed with clothes from the 70's. On Wednesday, everyone was blasted back to the 70's and danced like the 70's never ended! Thursday was black and red and, of course, in the 70's also! Everybody had a rockin' time! Spirit Week brought the 70's back, disco that was supposedly dead, fond memories, awesome secret visitors, and much enjoyment out of VSDB students!

Middle School:

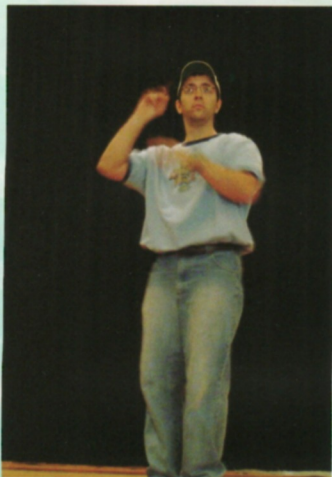
- 1st Place - Class of 2012
- 2nd Place - Class of 2011
- 3rd Place - Class of 2010

High School:

- 1st Place - Class of 2009
- 2nd Place - Class of 2008
- 3rd Place - Class of 2007
- 4th Place - Class of 2006



SPiRiT WEEK



Homecoming



King and Queen:
Christopher Fitzwater and Tiffany Sivell
Senior Prince and Princess:
Kris Morris and Jamie Mercier
Junior Princess: Brittany Hernandez
Sophomore Princess: Terra Harris
Freshman Princess: Emylou Chute



Christopher Fitzwater was escorted by Rhonda Jennings. Tiffany Sivell was escorted by Roy Lunsford. Kris Morris was escorted by Stephanie Kirby. Jamie Mercier was escorted by Ron Garrison. Brittany Hernandez was escorted by Travis Martin. Emylou Chute was escorted by John Saunders.



Deaf Awareness Week

On the week of September 19-23, 2005, there was a week-long celebration of Deaf Awareness.

There were excellent events such as the deaf panel, where the blind dept asked the deaf students questions.

There were also mind-boggling Power Point games, the Deaf Awareness Walk and BBQ, and a Deaf Scavenger Hunt. We ended with an traditional ASL story-telling. It was a cool week.



HALLOWEEN







Space Camp

Space Camp for Interested Visually Impaired Students (SCIVIS)

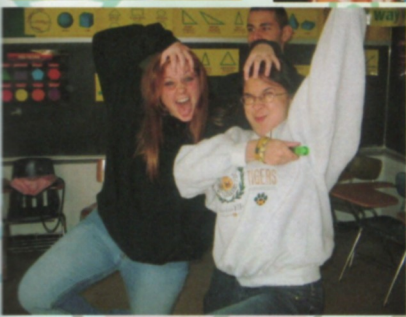
This is a six-day program jam-packed with astronaut training for young people. Activities include simulated Space Shuttle missions, IMAX movies, training simulators, rocket building and launches, scientific experiments, and lectures on the past, present, and future of space exploration.

Here at VSDB in Staunton, the students compete for a chance to go to Space Camp. They write an essay on why they want to go as well as an essay on something they have accomplished that demonstrated responsibility. They also complete a research paper on some aspect of the space program. Then a teacher committee chooses the students they feel are most qualified to represent the school.

In the fall of 2005, Tashia Schmelling, Brittany Savage, Adam Puckett, and Sean Dugas attended SCIVIS. Tashia participated in Space Academy, Brittany and Adam took part in Advanced Academy, and Sean was a member of the Aviation Challenge program, a flight training program. They were accompanied by Anne Knopp, the Science teacher, and Cheryl Baker, Orientation and Mobility specialist. All four students performed extremely well and represented VSDB admirably. Sean was awarded Aviation Challenge's highest honor, the Top Gun award. Brittany and Adam's Advanced Academy team won an award for their performance on their final mission. Tashia was chosen to be commander of the space shuttle for her team. The students worked hard as well as had lots of fun and made many new friends!



CLASS OF 2006



Seniors' Baby Pictures

Guess Who?

1.



2.



3.



4.

5.



6.



- 1. Mike Kryszewicz
- 2. Jane Horner
- 3. Jennifer Finkley
- 4. Tiffany Swell
- 5. Danielle Amborn
- 6. Brittany Henderson

Farewell, Class of 2006

Best Wishes to the Class of 2006!

You have worked hard to graduate from high school and I wish you all the best. As you leave VSDB, you leave with many memories. Take the good memories with you, along with the love and support of everyone who has been your VSDB family. We are very proud of you!

Now is your time to shine. Take the knowledge and skills that you have worked so hard to develop and contribute to society. Whatever you choose to do, be enthusiastic, have a positive attitude, and be a person of value. As Wendy Wasserstein said, "Don't live down to expectations. Go out there and do something remarkable."

Pattye Leslie

Congratulations to the Class of 2006!

Your hard work and the ability to "Stick to it" has brought you to another level of opportunities to learn, grow, and thrive!

Enjoy your freedom!

Pat Davenport

Seniors,

What can I say? You were with me the longest so far and I have enjoyed teaching you all! You all will be sorely missed! I know you all are going to be "free" but remember, the real world has many challenges. Face them head on, make us proud! Best wishes to you all and keep in touch with us!

RJ

Farewell, Class of 2006

To James Foster:

James, I have taught you since you were in seventh grade, and I can hardly believe you are graduating! We have a lot of funny memories, don't we? Someday, bring your children to VSDB so I can tell them my side! Seriously, it has been a joy to watch you grow up into such a young man as you are today. I know you'll have a wonderful life - always work hard and use your talents to the fullest, and you'll always do well. I wish you all the best in life now and always - don't forget us and come to visit!

Affectionately,

Mrs. Knopp

To Jennifer Finley:

Jenni, I still remember the first day you came to VSDB - you were so excited to be here! And I still see that same excitement about life in you as you graduate. I know you've had your ups and downs, but I have enjoyed your spirit and zest for life. And just think, you traveled alone to Charlottesville and made it safely! Always remember that life is beautiful, and there are good things waiting for you up ahead. Work hard and don't despise any job you are doing. Remember all the things we talked about at Youth Group. Keep in touch and remember I'll be thinking of you!

Fondly,

Mrs. Knopp

To Sean Dugas:

Sean, I'll never forget you and James in seventh grade. You boys almost drove me to distraction! But now it's funny, and we have good memories to look back on. I can remember giving you some verbal ammunition to help you deal with the older boys who were picking on you. I'm so glad that you found Horticulture - it has been such a good match for you. You are a special person, and I hope you'll always keep in touch. Work hard at whatever you are doing, and I know you'll do well in life. Remember that sometimes small things lead to bigger things. Keep in mind all you've learned in Youth Group - keep studying and learning always!

With much affection,

Mrs. Knopp

Farewell, Class of 2006

Thank you for letting me be a part of this exciting time in your lives! I have enjoyed helping Bobbie in assisting you all to make the final preparations for your graduation. I have been impressed by your creativity, motivation, and independence in coordinating spirit week, graduation plans, photographs, senior night, and your senior trip. You each have a bright future ahead of you, and I have enjoyed knowing you. Take care, and best of luck!!!

Anna Hoover

(Apprentice) Senior Class Sponsor

Class of 2006,

Make VSDB proud by getting JOBS and/or going to colleges/trainings. Good luck in whatever you do!

Bobbie D

You guys are a great class and the school won't be the same without you so come back to visit. I hope you work hard and accomplish your dreams!

Barbara Ferguson

Class of 2006,

I still remember when you were freshmen. Now, you have grown and matured. You have become more confident and responsible, and you have learned about yourselves. Soon, you will have new challenges. I know that you will remember what you have learned here at VSDB and build on your successes. Congratulations! I wish you a peaceful and happy future.

Heather Holmberg

Farewell, Class of 2006

Congrats to the class of 2006.

You made it and now you're free to start living your dreams. Whatever they may be and wherever you go, may you follow them to success and happiness!

Love, Marianne Dunham

To the Class of 2006,

Go out into the world and live your best life!
Keep learning...it's what we taught you to do.
Good luck with all that you do. Know that we will miss you, so be sure to visit us sometime!

Fair Winds and Following Seas,
Kate Johnson

Congratulations on graduating!

Enjoy life and make a positive influence on the people you meet!

I wish you all the best!

Harry Wood

Congratulations!

You've made it through high school years.
Good luck with your new chapter in your life as VSDB alumni.

Linda Blehm

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