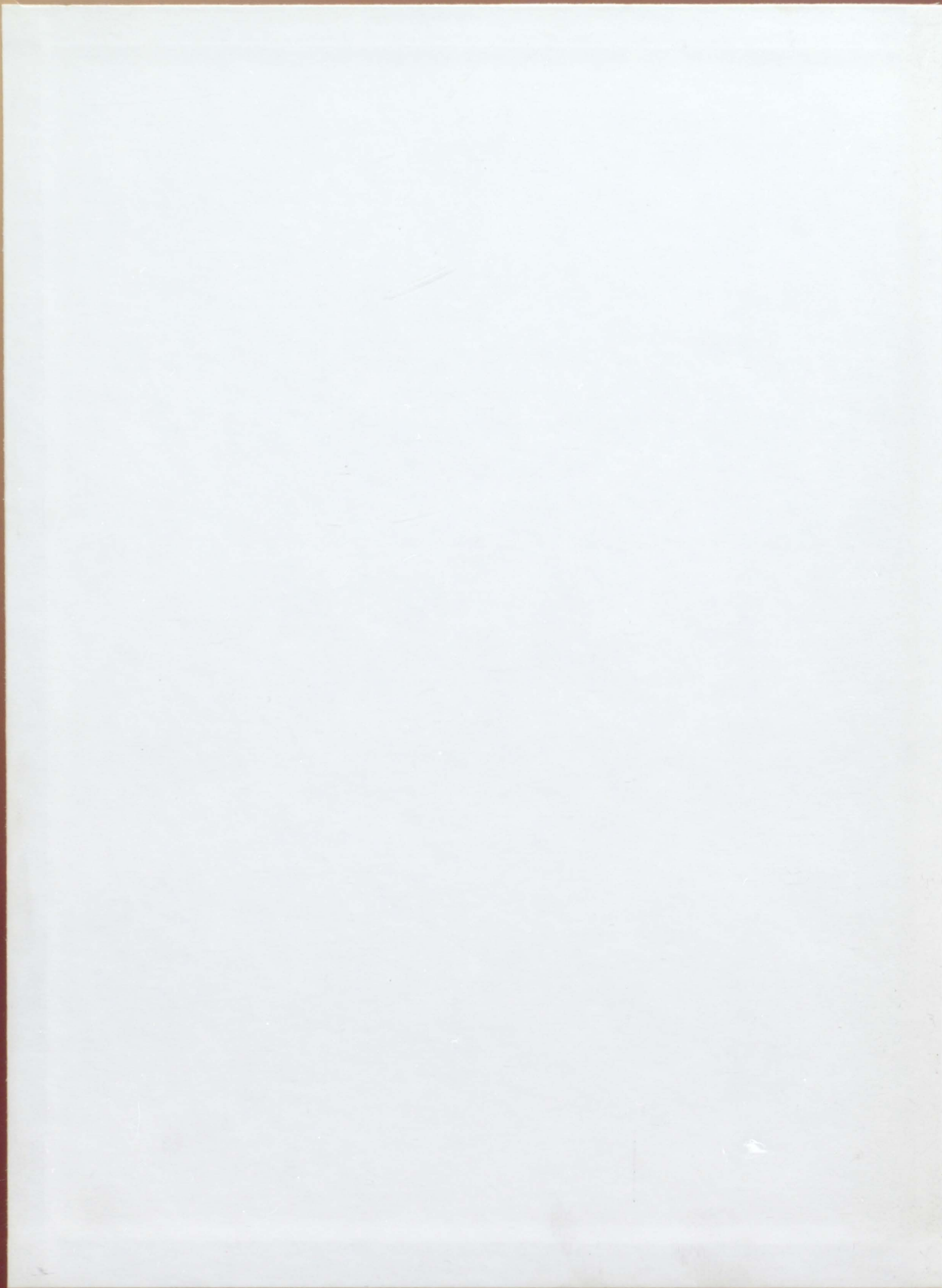


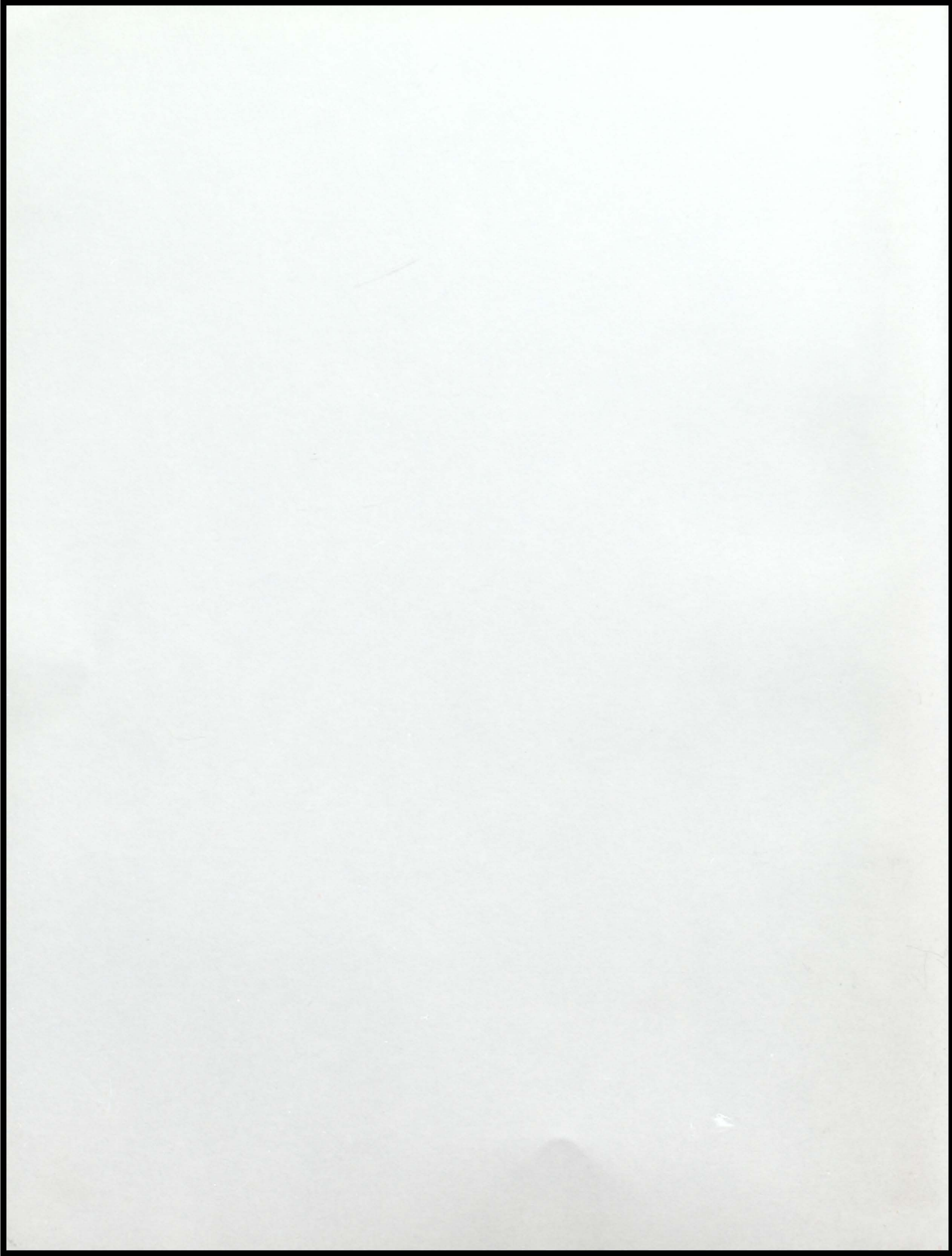
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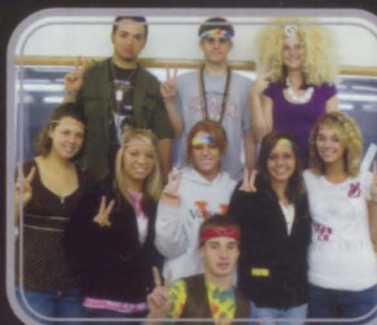
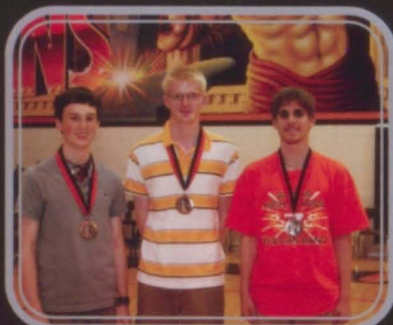
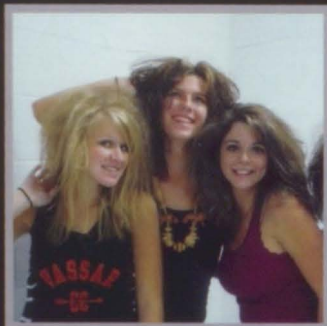
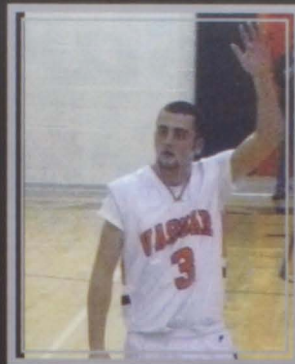
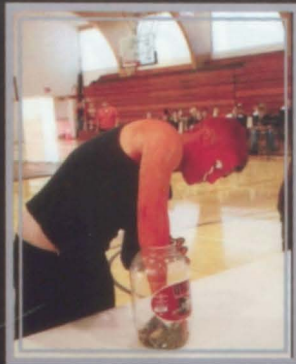
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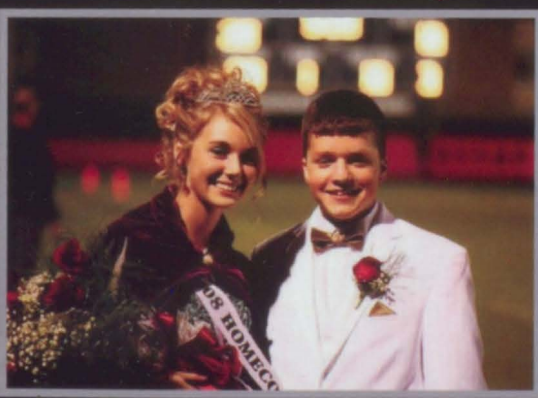
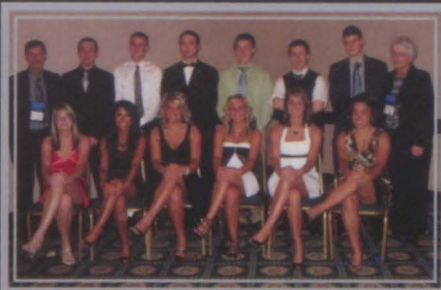
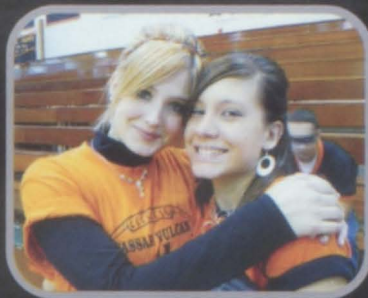
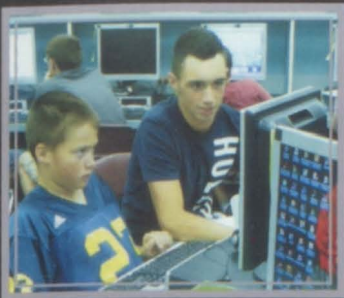


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CLASS OF 2009



Courtney Abbs

Basketball-Captain, Softball, Wrestling Manager, YIG-Secretary, NHS-President, Symphonic Band, Marching Band, Color Guard, Jazz Band, Choir, Cap and Gown Committee, Academic Letter, Varsity Letter, Prom Princess, and Varsity Girls' Basketball Coaches Award.



Mary Anthony

Spring Play, Fall Musical, Thespians, Drama Club, Choir, Viva Club, Art Club, Book Club, Drama Participation, and Gypsy Award.



Mackenzie Bellamy



Alicia Bierlein

Basketball, Softball, Volleyball, 7th grade Boys' Basketball Manager, Girls' Varsity Basketball Manager, Homecoming Court-Junior Representative, Ice Fest Court Senior Representative, NHS, French Club, Top Ten French, Top Ten, Academic Letter, and Varsity Letter.



Lauren Bradley

Basketball, Softball, Wrestling Manager, 7th grade Boys' Basketball Manager, Homecoming Court, NHS, Choir, French Club, Top Ten French, Academic Games-Math, Top Ten-9th and 10th grades, and Academic Letter.



Tiffany Briggs

Spring Play, Fall Musical, Thespians, Drama Club-Secretary, NHS, SADD, Symphonic Band, Marching Band, Color Guard, Solo/Ensemble, Tri-County Honors Band, Jazz Band, Choir, Honors Choir, Book Club, Prom Committee, Class Officer-VP, Yearbook Staff, Newspaper Staff, Academic Letter, and Varsity Letter.

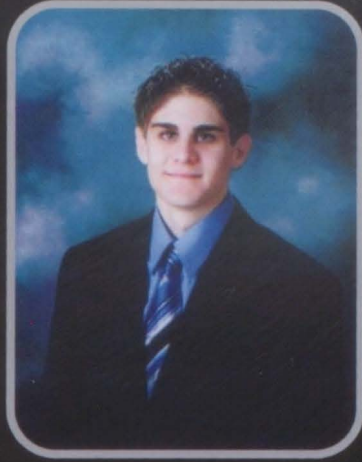


Gretchen M. Call

Basketball, Softball, Volleyball, SADD-Treasurer, Symphonic Band, Marching Band, Color Guard, Solo/Ensemble, Jazz Band, Choir, Book Club, and Academic Letter.



Samantha M. Campbell



Meghan Case

Martin Chelekis

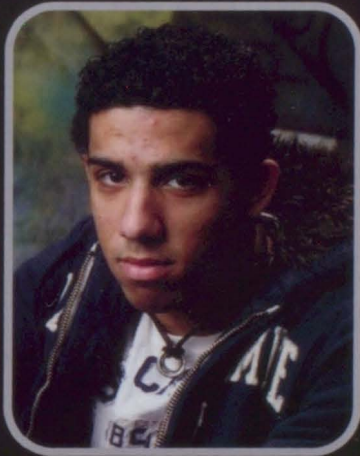
Ashley Clark

Matt Cook

Basketball, Softball, Freshman Boys' Basketball Manager, JV Girls' Basketball Manager, Varsity Softball Manager, Varsity Girls' Basketball Manager, YIG-VP, NHS, Choir, Honors Choir, French Club, China Club, Class Officer-VP, Yearbook Staff, Newspaper Staff, Academic Letter, Varsity Letter, Scholar Athlete, 2007 Division 3 All District Softball Team Honorable Mention, 2007 Second Team All-Conference, 2008 Division 3 All District Softball Team 1st, 2008 Saginaw News All Area Class B Softball Team, 2008 Tuscola County Advertiser All Area Softball Dream Team, 2008 Voted MVP, 2008 First Team All Conference, 2009 Ice Fest Queen.

Track, Golf, Spring Play, Fall Musical, Thespian, Honors Thespian, Drama Club-Treasurer, NHS, Symphonic Band, Marching Band, Solo/Ensemble, Tri-County Honors Band, Jazz Band, Choir, Honors Choir, Rocket Team, Prom Committee, Cap/Gown Committee, Student Senate, Class Officer-President and Treasurer, Academic Games-Captain, Top Ten, Yearbook Staff-Ads Editor and Ads Sales, Newspaper Staff-Ads Editor, Academic Letter, and Alpha Beta Award.

Basketball, YIG-President, and Academic Games.



April Cooper

Ariel Cooper

Dontay Crist

Kirk Datz



Luke Denome

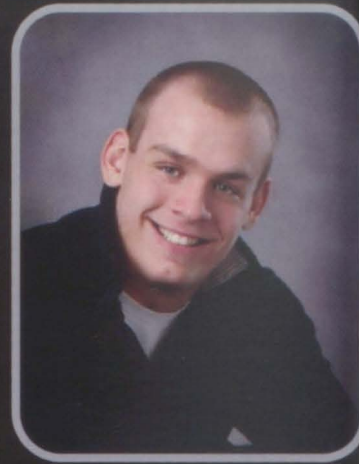
Football, Basketball, NHS,
and Varsity Letter.



Brittany Dillingham



Eric Drew



Josh Dubois

Football-Captain, Basketball,
Baseball, Wrestling,
Homecoming Court, Varsity
Letter, First Team All-
Conference Football
Linebacker, and Hammer
Award Football.



Kimberly Eastman



Andrew Einhardt

Basketball, Wrestling, and
Varsity Letter.



Andrew Emerson



Rebecca Ann Fall

Volleyball-Captain, Track,
Gymnastics, NHS, SADD,
Choir, French Club-Secretary
and Treasurer, Top Ten
French, Academic Letter,
Varsity Letter, CNA license,
and Perfect Attendance.



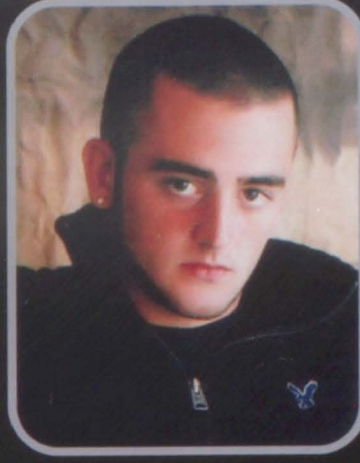


Emily Finta

Symphonic Band, Marching Band, and Art Club.



Macey Funsch



Zachary Germain



Andrew Gohs



Jacob Green



Stacy Harper



Nicole Hartung

Cheerleading-Most Improved; Soldier Award; Coaches Award; Athlete of the Week; Athletic Scholar, Competitive Cheer, Color Guard-Captain, Ice Fest Court, Spring Play, Fall Musical, Thespians, Drama Club-Gypsy Award; Best Dancer; and Most Improved Actress, NHS, Symphonic Band, Marching Band, Solo/Ensemble, Choir, Cap/Gown Committee, Academic Letter, and Varsity Letter.



Tom Hazen

Track, Homecoming Court, Ice Fest Court, Spring Play, Fall Musical, Symphonic Band, Marching Band, and Book Club.



Aaron Hecht



Jessica Hecht

Basketball-Captain, Softball, Homecoming-Queen, YIG-President, NHS-Secretary, SADD, Symphonic Band, Marching Band, Color Guard, Choir, China Club, Cap/Gown Committee, Top Ten, Yearbook Staff, Newspaper Staff, Academic Letter, Varsity Letter, Basketball MVP and Honorable Mention All-Conference.



Samantha Helsel

Cheerleading- Manager, Spring Play, Fall Musical, Drama Club, Symphonic Band, Marching Band, Choir, Art Club, Book Club, Prom Committee, Academic Letter, and Varsity Letter.



Mitchell Hendry



Andrew Hildner



Ryan Huber

Football, Basketball, Track, Golf, Ice Fest Court, Spring Play, Fall Musical, Thespian, Symphonic Band, Marching Band, Jazz Band, Choir, Book Club, Academic Letter, and Varsity Letter.

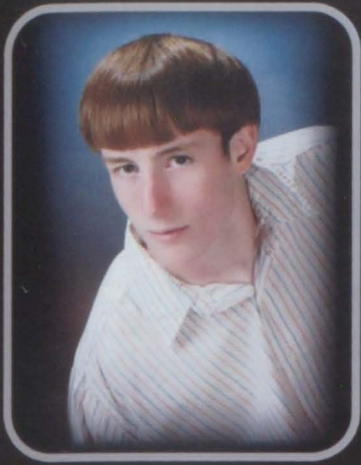


Tyler Jenkins

Basketball, Baseball, Cross Country, Wrestling, YIG, NHS, Viva Club, Book Club, China Club, Student Senate, Class Officer-President, Yearbook Staff, Newspaper Staff, Academic Letter, Varsity Letter, and Best Defense Attorney (MJP).



Kari Johnston



Samuel Kennard



Hans D. Kern

Football, Track, Rocket Team, and Varsity Letter.



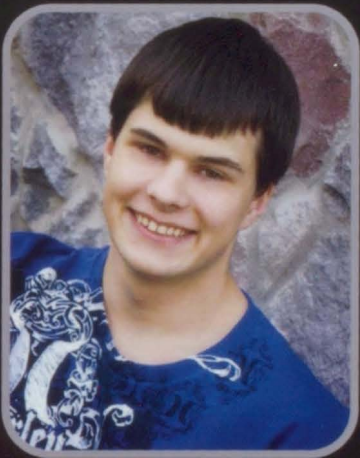
Kayla King



Jake Kokowicz



Shannon Kyritz



Casmier Lackowski



Mallory Makl



Alicia McClenathen

Basketball, Softball, Cross Country, NHS, SADD, Symphonic Band, Marching Band, Book Club, Academic Games-Captain, Top Ten, Academic Letter, and Varsity Letter.



Jessica J. Miles

Softball, Homecoming Court, and Cap/Gown Committee.

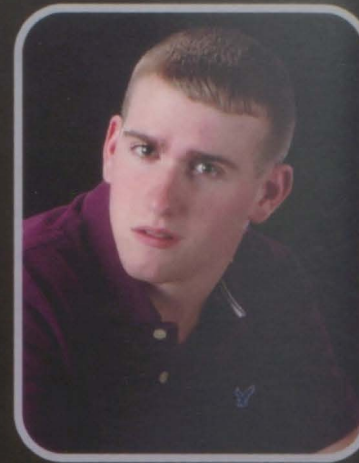


Justin Muntz

Track-Captain, Cross Country-Captain, Wrestling- Captain, Spring Play, Fall Musical, Ice Fest Court, Homecoming King, Choir, French Club, Book Club, Student Senate-President, Academic Letter, and Varsity Letter.

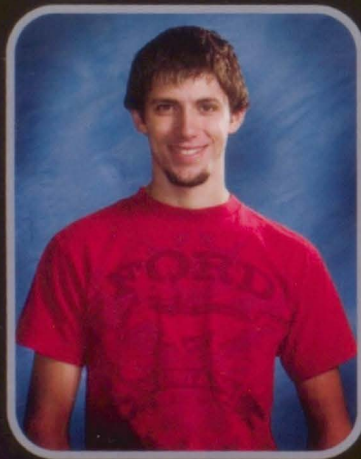


Alyssa R. Nelson



Steven Neumann

Football, Golf, Rocket Team, U.S. Army Delay Entry Award, and U.S. Army Future Soldier Award.



Daniel L. Noyce



Michelle Opperman



Cody L. Otter

Football, Basketball, Baseball, Golf, and Varsity Letter.



Brittany Lee Partridge

NHS, SADD- Secretary and President, Book Club, Student Senate, Certified Nursing Assistant Certificate.



Alex Pero



Jamie Perry

Cheerleading, Spring Play, Thespians, Fall Play, Honors Thespian, Drama Club, Choir, Honors Choir, Book Club-Captain, Academic Letter, and Varsity Letter.



Jenna Peter

Volleyball, NHS, Top Ten, Yearbook Staff, Newspaper Staff, Academic Letter, and Art Club.



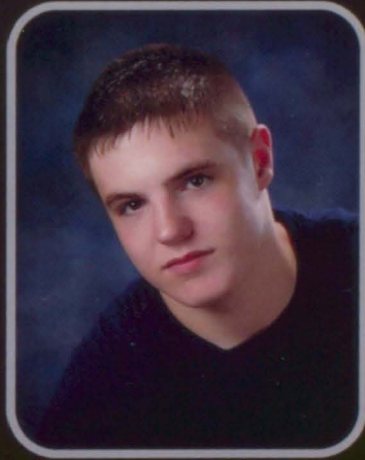
Heather Porritt



Anthony Pudelko



Jessica Reif



Shawn Richard



Kayle Ridley

Baseball, Track, Gymnastics, China Club, Varsity Letter, and Most Improved Player for Gymnastics.



Nichole Roney



Amanda K. Rupprecht

Volleyball, Track, Ice Fest Court, NHS, SADD, Viva Club, Academic Letter, and Varsity Letter.



Brandi Rupprecht

Basketball-Captain, Softball-Captain, Baseball, Volleyball-Captain, Girls' Basketball-Manager, NHS, SADD, Choir, French Club, Top Ten French, Cap/Gown Committee, Academic Games, Top Ten, Academic Letter, Varsity Letter, French II Award, Algebra II Award, Trigonometry Award, Honorable Mention, and All-Conference Volleyball.



Morgan Sarazine



Jennifer Schiefer

Track, NHS, Class Officer, Academic Letter, Varsity Letter, Camp Hartley Counselor, Golden Hammer, and 2nd Place in the Industrial Arts Fair.

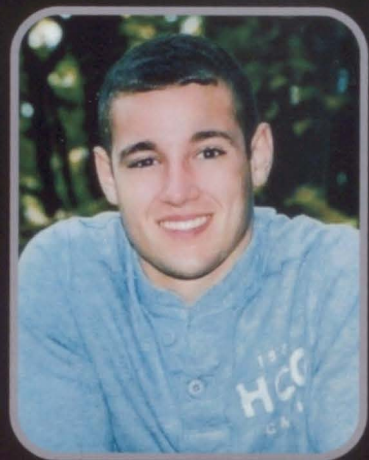


Christopher Sergent

Baseball, Track, Spring Play, Fall Musical, Thespians, Drama Club, Rocket Team, Academic Letter, Varsity Letter, Regionals 1st place at MITES and 2nd place at States.



Robert Shepherd



Shane Shoens



Timothy Skarbek

Football, Wrestling, NHS,
Viva Club, and Varsity Letter.



Jonathan Smith



Melissa Spencer



Heather Marie Stalsberg

Basketball, Softball, 7th Grade
Boys' Basketball-Manager,
YIG-Newspaper Editor, NHS,
Symphonic Band, Marching
Band, Color Guard,
Solo/Ensemble, Tri-County
Honors Band, Academic
Games, Top Ten, Academic
Letter, and Varsity Letter.

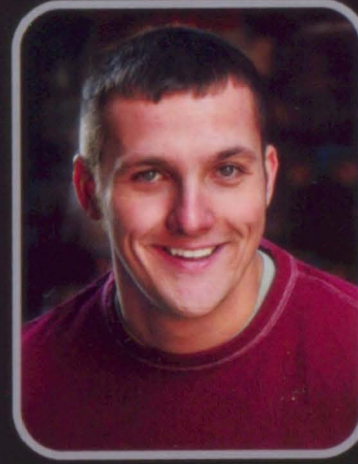


Sara Stelfox



Sydney Strandberg

Basketball-Manager, Track,
Gymnastics, Baseball-
Manager, NHS, Choir,
Cap/Gown Committee,
Yearbook Staff, Newspaper
Staff, Academic Letter, and
Varsity Letter



Ryan Sulicki



Marina Taylor



Michael Tebedo



Zachary Tebedo



Cameron Marland Thorp



Matthew Tompkins

Fall Play, Spring Musical, Thespian, Honors Thespian, National Thespian, Drama Club-VP and President, Symphonic Band, Marching Band, Solo/Ensemble, Tri-County Honors, Jazz Band, Choir, Honors Choir, Book Club, Cap/Gown Committee, Yearbook Staff, Ad Sales, Newspaper Staff-Editor, Camp Hartley Counselor, Eagle Scout.



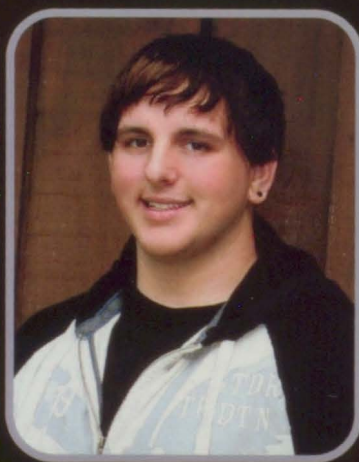
Jackie Torrez

Basketball, Volleyball, Cheerleading, Competitive Cheer, NHS, SADD, Choir, Viva Club, Top Ten Spanish, Academic Letter, Varsity Letter, Perfect Attendance for 2 Years, Straight "A" Award, Best Interview Award, National Technical Honor Society, and Student Forum at TTC. Coaches Award for Cheerleading, Most Improved Player for Cheerleading and Competitive Cheerleading.



Lena Jeanne Truett

Track, Cross Country, Track-Manager, Symphonic Band, Marching Band, Solo/Ensemble, Book Club, Academic Letter, Varsity Letter, and Art Club.

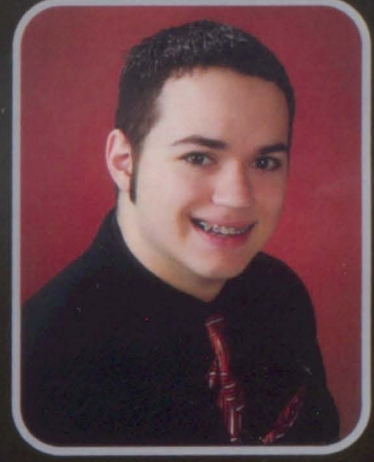


Ryan Waggoner



Kristin Faith Walker

Cheerleading-Captain, Competitive Cheerleading-Captain, Fall Musical, Drama Club, SADD, Choir, Viva Club, Book Club, Varsity Letter, Perfect Attendance for 1st Semester at TTC, and Coaches Award for Cheerleading.



Anna Walter

Jacob Ward

Amber Whittier

Nathan Wilder

Viva Club-President, Newspaper Staff, Academic Letter, and Art Club.

Gymnastics, Choir, Honors Choir, French Club, Art Club, Varsity Letter, and Artist of the Month.

Football, Baseball, Golf, Girls' Basketball-Manager, Spring Play, Fall Musical, Thespian, Drama Club, YIG-Treasurer, NHS, Choir, Honors Choir, Rocket Team, Cap/Gown Committee, Student Senate-Treasurer, Academic Games-Captain, Top Ten, Academic Letter, Varsity Letter, Camp Hartley Counselor, Alpha Beta, 2nd Team Academic All State-Football, Academic All-State Baseball, Math Olympics.



Casey Williams

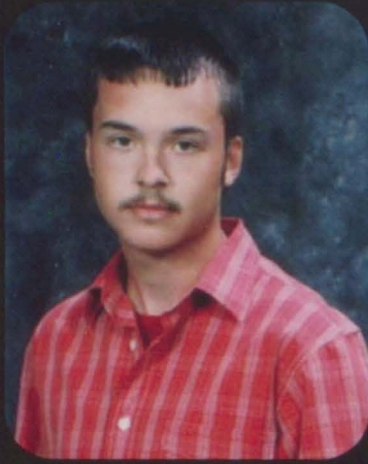
Melissa Wilmoth

Ryan Wischmeyer

Kathryn Elizabeth Withers

Fall Musical, Spring Play, Symphonic Band, Marching Band, Book Club, Color Guard, Yearbook Editor, Newspaper Staff, Ad Sales, Class Officer, Prom Committee, Cap and Gown Committee, Academic Letter, NHS, and Student Director.

Cheerleading-Captain, Competitive Cheerleading-Captain, Homecoming Court, Spring Play, Fall Musical, Thespian, Honors Thespian, Drama Club, YIG-Secretary, Choir, China Club, Prom Committee- President, Cap/Gown Committee, Class Officer-President and Secretary, Yearbook Staff-Editor, Ad Sales, Newspaper Staff, Academic Letter, Varsity Letter, Camp Hartley Counselor, Best Supporting Actor, 100% Award and Gypsy Award in Drama Club, and Most Spirited in Cheerleading.



Adam Wolverton

Track- Manager, Cross
Country-Manager, and Most
Improved Award in Cross
Country.



Ryan Worden

Camera Shy: Andrew Davis, Nicole Dickenson,
Ervin Gamet, Jeff Kidd, Nick Landskroener,
Matthew Oginsky, Zachary Reider, Natasha
Sasser, Tom Smith, Trevor Sowers, Marcus
Taylor, and Emil Wodicka.

Top Ten



Jessica Hecht: 4.0



Jenna Peter: 4.0



Brandi Rupprecht: 4.0



Nathan Wilder: 4.0



Zachary Tebedo:
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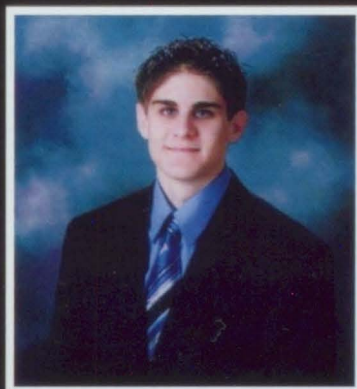
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Sara Stelfox:
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Alicia Bierlein:
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Martin Chelekis:
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Alicia McClenathen:
3.830



Heather Stalsberg:
3.83

Class Polls

Most Athletic:

Male: Zac Germain

Female: Jessica Hecht
and Meghan Case

Most School Spirit:

Male: Josh DuBois

Female: Mallory Makl

Most Likely to be President:

Male: Nathan Wilder

Female: Heather
Stalsberg

Nicest:

Male: Tom Hazen

Female: Jessica Hecht

Favorite Teacher:

Male: Mr. Baker

Female: Mrs. Parsell

Cutest Couple:

Male: Jeff Kidd

Female: Kristin Walker

Quietest:

Male: Adam Wolverton

Female: Emily Finta

Best Smile:

Male: Shane Shoens

Female: Alicia Bierlein

Best Eyes:

Male: Martin Chelekis

Female: Lauren Bradley

Best Hair:

Male: Zach Tebedo

Female: Jessica Miles

Best Dressed:

Male: Zach Tebedo

Female: Sydney
Strandberg

Best Laugh:

Male: Ryan Worden

Female: Tiffany Briggs

Craziest:

Male: Andrew Emerson

Female: Katie Withers

Most Outgoing:

Male: Josh DuBois

Female: Courtney Abbs

Best Buds:

Male: Tom Hazen and Ryan
Huber

Female: Alicia Bierlein and
Amanda Rupprecht

Best Personality:

Male: Tom Hazen

Female: Courtney Abbs

Most Artistic:

Male: Jeff Kidd

Female: Jenna Peter

Best Musician:

Martin Chelekis

Most Likely to be on Broadway:

Male: Cameron Thorp

Female: Tiffany Briggs

Most Watchable Walk:

Male: Steven Neuman

Female: Brandi Rupprecht

Most Easily Confused:

Male: Drew Davis

Female: Sydney Stranberg



Most Supportive:
Male: Josh DuBois
Female: Courtney Abbs

Most Calm, Cool, and
Collected:
Male: Tom Hazen
Female: Jenna Peter

Teacher's Worst Nightmare:
Male: Tyler Jenkins
Female: Natasha Sasser

Most Likely to be Famous:
Cameron Thorp

Most Opinionated:
Male: Tyler Jenkins
Female: Sara Stelfox

Most Unforgettable:
Male: Andrew Emerson
Female: Courtney Abbs

Teacher's Pet
Male: Martin Chelekis
Female: Mary Anthony

Class Skipper:
Male: Mack Bellamy
Female: Ariel Cooper

Class Clown:
Male: Josh DuBois
Female: Courtney Abbs

Class Flirt:
Male: Jacob Green
Female: Meghan Case

Class Gossiper:
Male: Zac Germain
Female: Jennifer Schiefer

Best Dancer:
Male: Cameron Thorp
Female: Heather Stalsberg

Most Original:
Male: Matt Cook
Female: Amber Whittier

Most Daring:
Male: Matt Cook and Ryan
Huber
Female: Samantha Campbell
and Sara Stelfox

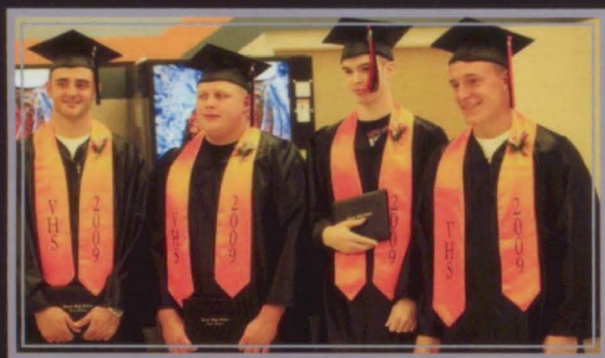
Graduation



Above; Before practice, the Class of 2009 pose for a picture.



Above: Members of the Board of Education and Administration taking part in commencement.



Above: Zach Germain, Ryan Worden, Casey Williams, and Mike Tebedo proudly holding their diplomas.



Above: Senior choir students singing their last song to the crowd.

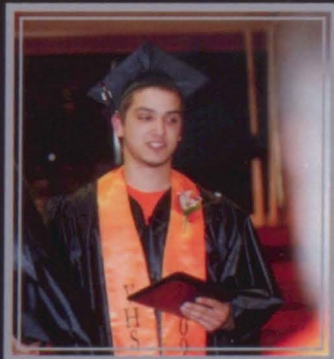
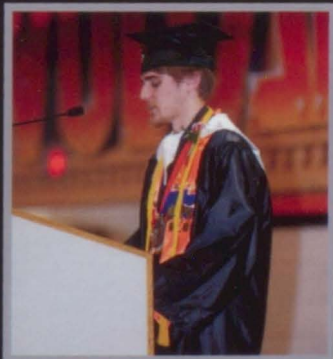
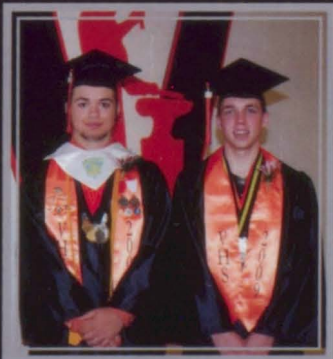
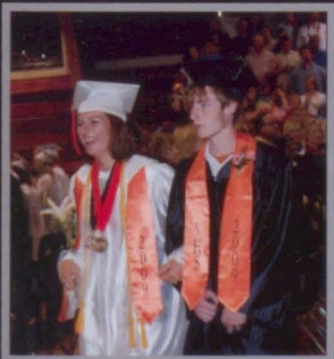
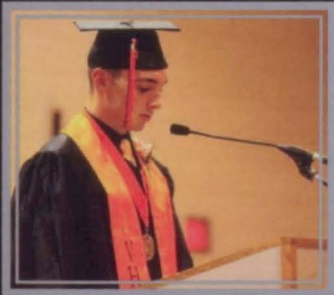


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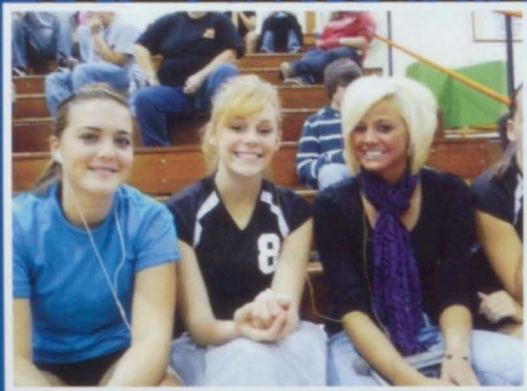


Above: Presenting,
the Senior Class of 2009.



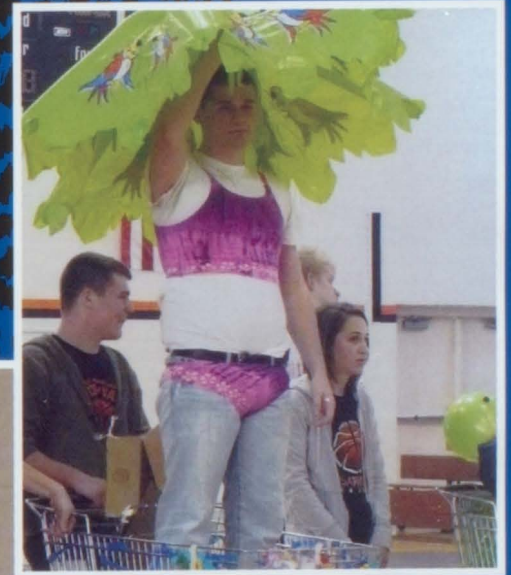
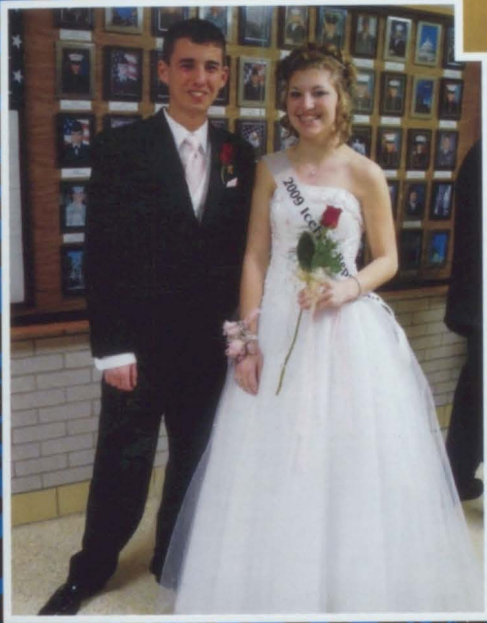
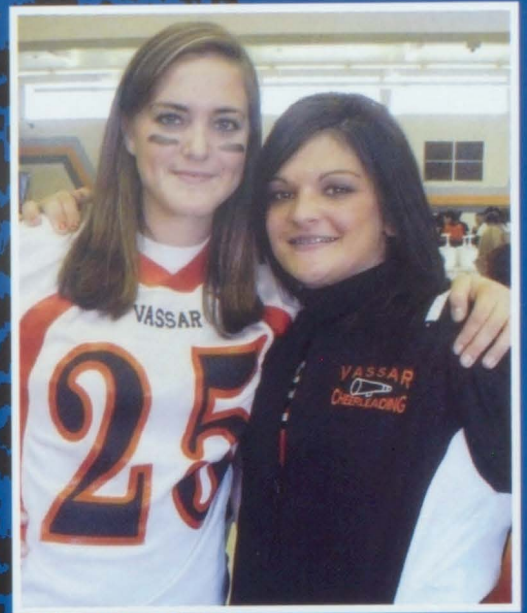
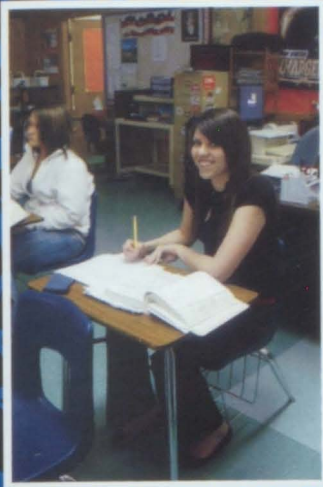


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Above, Class officers from l-r: Joe Harper, Ashley Schiefer, Kayla Verbeek, and Liz Bissonette.





Class of 2010

Zachary Allbee
 Ryan Amend
 Zachary Aranyos
 Cody Ayotte
 Joshua Bauer



Jesse Baumgarner
 Justin Beach
 Zachary Becker
 Kristina Beckman
 Kimberly Bell



Trent Bellamy
 Jessica Bellenir
 Bradley Binder
 Elizabeth Bissonnette
 Katherine Blasius



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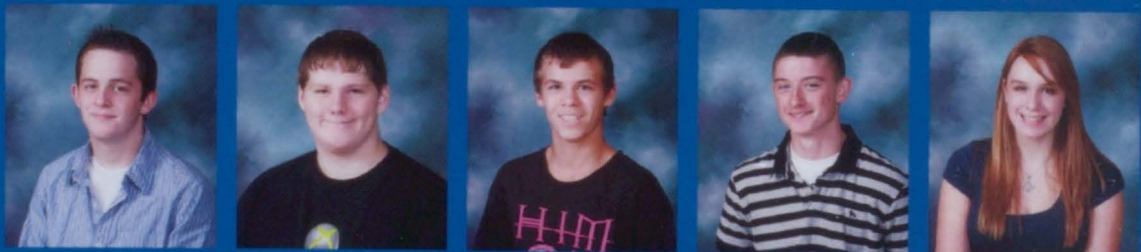
Lr: angel wilber,
 Jamie plotrowski,
 ashley knapp, and
 Liz bissonnette
 show off their crazy side
 during spirit week.



Eric Blogg
 Shayne Brown
 Amanda Burkett
 Morgan Candela
 Stacy Carter



Myles Clampitt
 Jacob Clinesmith
 Matthew Comstock
 Johnathan Cowles
 Rachael Damm





Krystal Dennis
 Cheyenne Doyle
 Rian Edler
 Shane Edler
 Zachary Eskelson



Cody Ferrett
 Austin Fields
 Joseph Figard
 Kelsi Fisher
 Katelynn Fitzpatrick



Kristie Fry
 Tasha Galvin
 Renae Gamm
 Jessica Gatica
 Olivia Germain



Left: amberly hauger,
 haley kern, and
 ashley schliefer
 sport their
 tattoos.

Class of 2010



Jordyn Gillespie
 Kyle Glenn
 Shelby Goodman
 Andrew Graubner
 Jessica Gwisdala



Kay-Cie Hafer
 Joseph Harper
 Cory Harris
 Leighanna Harris
 Lawrence Hascall

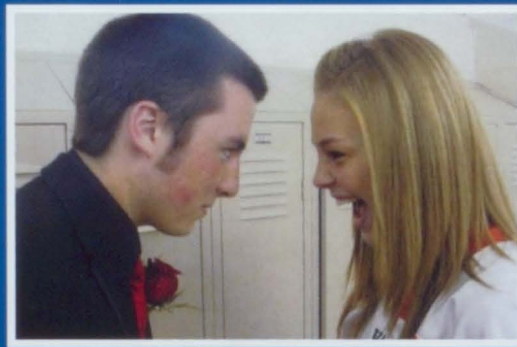
Shawna Hatfield
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 Paul Heath
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 Troy Hecht



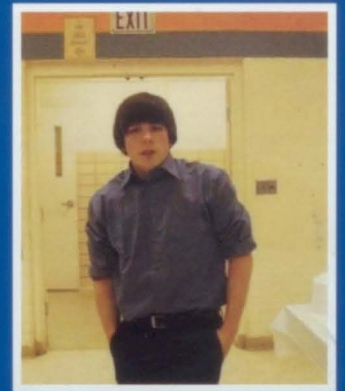
David Heidger
 Douglas Hess
 MacKenzie Hess
 Renae Huizar
 Harley Hyder



Allison Jacot
 Kaylynn Kabat
 Scott Kasper
 Amanda Kennard
 Haley Kern



Kelsey Hecht Loses a "straight face" contest to Jamison Knudsen.



Tony Passanella at the senior citizens brunch.

Ashley Knapp
 Zachary Knapp
 Jamison Knudsen
 Zachary Kobman
 Breanna Kozan



Michael Kraus
 Madison Kutsch
 Jessica Langenburg
 Sarah Langer
 Hilary MacKay





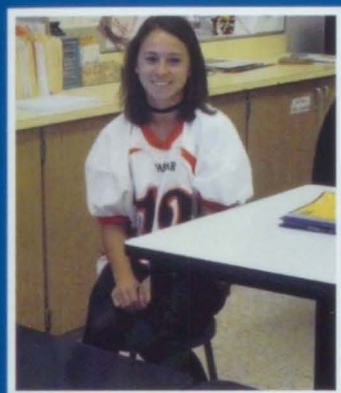
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 Brooke Morin
 Kyle Nantell



Ariel Napper
 Sarah Neumann
 Hannah Opperman
 Hillary Opperman
 Jamie Palmer



Ashtorria Parker
 Nicole Parker
 Antonio Passariello
 Corey Peck
 Kathryn Pellar



Jamie Palmer
 takes a break
 during art class.



Jessica Bellendir and
 Bridget Mistura have fun
 during English class.



Autumn Pennell
 Douglas Peters
 Jami Piotrowski
 Clinton Ransom
 Anthony Ray



Nicholas Reider
 Rebecca Revesz
 Bradley Ridley
 Thomas Riedel

Nicolaas Ronteltap
 Ashley Schiefer
 Jeremy Schiefer
 Brandy Searles
 Justin Seymour



Steven Shaffer
 Ashley Shavrnock
 Isaac Silvey
 Stephanie Skarbek
 Danielle Slater



Brandon Smith
 Brianna Smith
 Miranda Smith
 Tiffany Smith
 Brandee Stratton



Justin Stratton
 Wayne Szagesh
 Brent Tebedo
 Brandon Tereau
 Bryce Torrey



Garrett Troike
 Ashley Turner
 Michelle Uttley
 Kayla Verbeek
 Keif Vickers



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 Katisha Zelmer



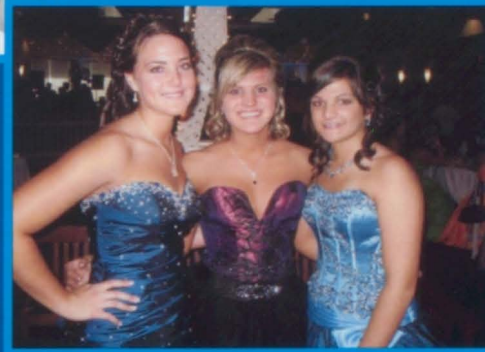


below: hannah opperman, hillary opperman, and olivia germain.



above: shawna hatfield was hippie-Licious during spirit week.

above: kathryn pellar smiles for the camera during lunch.



below: kate blasius and rachael damm release their crazy side during spirit week.

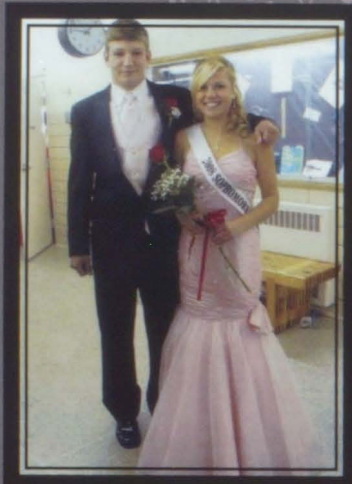


right: Jamison Knudsen shows his love for troy necht during their trigonometry class.

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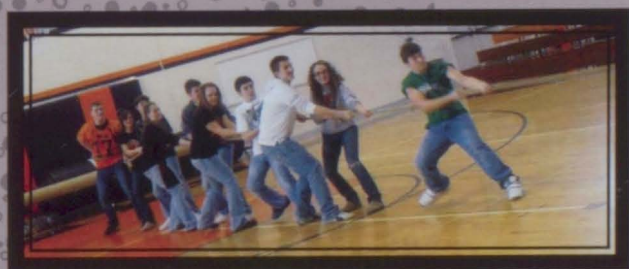
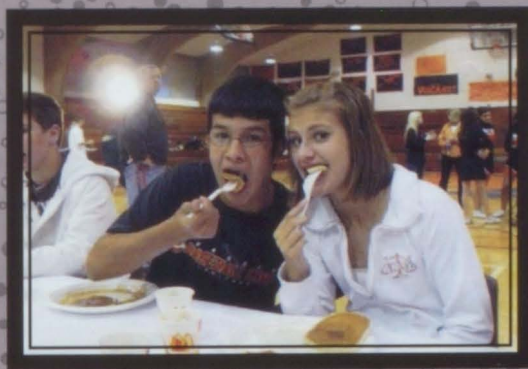
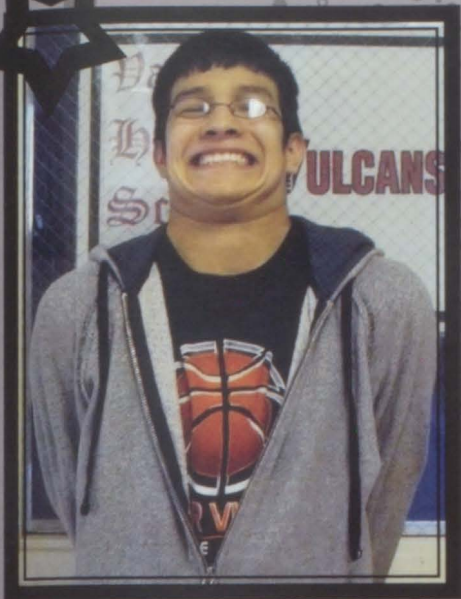
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Sophomores



above: Class Officers from l-r: Max Bender, Allison Schiefer, Jill Moreau, Kyle Auernhamer





Class of 2011



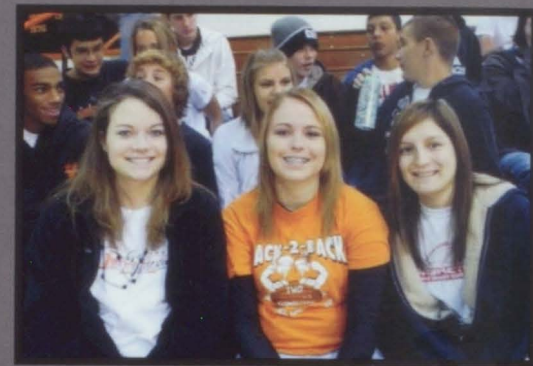
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Jennifer Anderson
Emily Aranyos



Jessica Armstrong
Kyle Auernhamer
Rebecca Aymer
Jordan Ayotte



Steven Bank
Katie Bauer



Danielle Gamm, Leah Hoyt, and
Alisha Campbell take time for a
picture during the Channel 5 School
Spirit Pep-Assembly.

Kayla Bell
Eric Bellman



Kayla Bender
Maxwell Bender
Tyler Best
Ian Bradley



Joseph Brisbin
Mark Buckley
Chelsea Bukach
Alisha Campbell





Jack Campbell
Joshua Canja
Sean Chapman
Cody Clinesmith

Chelsea Coffey
Ericka Coners
Patience Crawford
Carly Curell

Quinn Doran
Sara Dues

Hannah Einhardt
Gregory Ellison

Crystal Fader
Natasha Gamet
Danielle Gamm
Lacey Germain

Guy Gilbert
Steven Green
Samantha Groen
Madison Harper

Taylor Tyson and Megan
Landskroener pose for a picture
during Spirit Week.





Codie Hartung
Nicolis Hartung
Chelsey Hatfield
Nathaniel Hatt



Pauline Hecht
Jennifer Hogge
Jacob Hohman
Leah Hoyt



Gina Hubbard
Austin Huber



A bunch of Sophomores hanging out during class.

Ashley Janke
Matthew Kaatz



Daniel Kennard
Jesse Kern
Skyler King
Jillian Knudsen

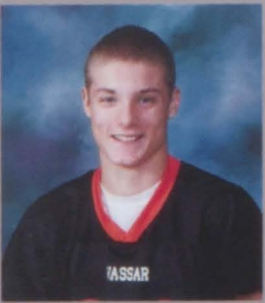


Dallas Kokowicz
Kaycee Kowitz
Timothy Kreger
Darcy LaFever





Megan Landskroener
Cody Legue
Fred Locke
Justin Locklear



Robert Major
James McLaren
Christopher Miller
Destiny Milton



A group of Sophomores taking a break from Ms. Coons' science class.



Jill Moreau
Ryan Muntz



Rebecca Noyce
Jessica Ostrander



Harold Otis
Steven Owens
Melissa Owensby
Keegan Parks



Bradley Payzont
Brynne Pearson
Brandon Peplinski
Andrew Perkins





Brandon Peter
Eli Peters
Bonnie Petterson
Amanda Pomranky



Thomas Pruner
Jennie Reid
Matthew Riggs
John Riley



Erica Rowe
Ivan Salem



Andrea Sarazine
Allison Schiefer



The Sophomores cheer for their class at the Homecoming Pep-Assembly.

Tyler Seymour
Laura Sheppard
Nicole Short
Ashley Sipes



Jasmine Smith
Lacey Smith
Meghan Smith
Julie Swackhamer





Enrico Torres
Allison Trinklein
Lance Trudeau
Taylor Tyson



Emilee Vian
Taylor Ward
Nolan Whitney
Charlotte Wilkinson



Abigail Amend
and Emily
Aranyos hug
for a picture
between
classes.



Carlos Wilson
Taylor Wilson



Danyell Woolwine
Ryan Woolwine

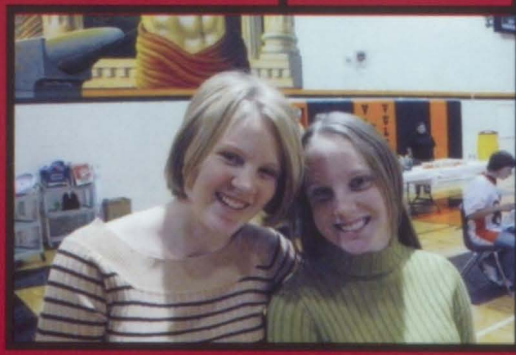
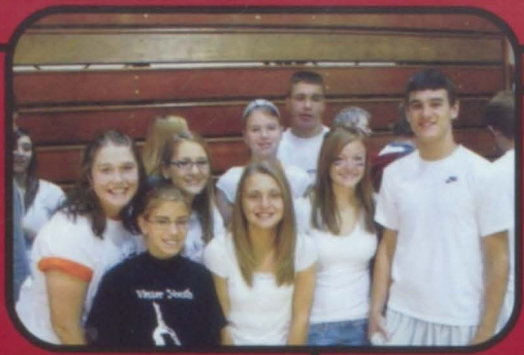


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Kane Wickings

Taylor Worth
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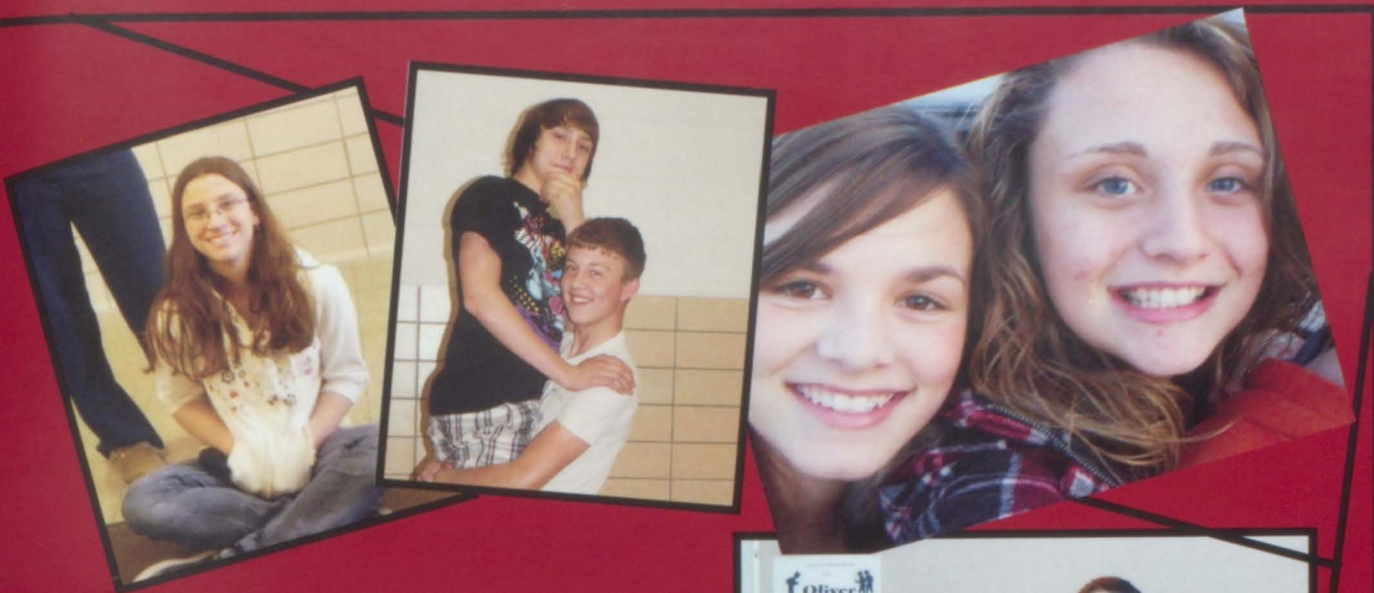


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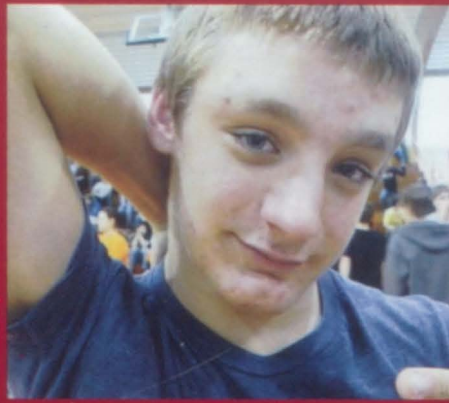
above: Freshmen Class Officers, back row from l-r: Courtney Miller, Ashley Stanulis, Brandi Abbott; front row: Anthony Pecoraro

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Brandi Abbott
 Lauren Albrecht
 Christine Anthony



dakota dubois in a close up!

Porsche Aremia
 Elisha Ayotte
 Austin Baker

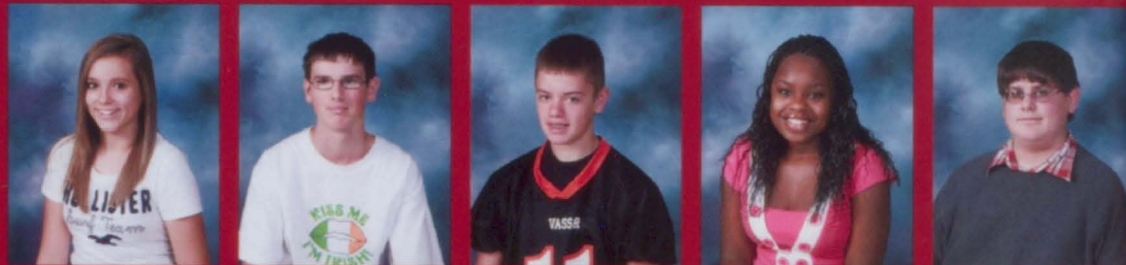
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 Jeremiah Bell
 Hailey Bellamy
 Megan Bilbee
 Jacob Bogert



Brittany Boyd
 Meghan Brooks
 James Brown
 Niccolas Candela
 James Canty



Cheyenne Carson
 David Carter
 Zachary Case
 Tierra Cheathem
 Nicholas Chelekis



2012



Mikayla
 Stakolosa as
 Oliver in the
 fall musical.



a group of freshmen on bling day!



richard moreau
strives to put
forth his best
effort at practice!



Elleceia Choyce
Brent Clark
Ashley Coners



Tara Crane
Tori Crowe
Gabriel Daenzer



Kasey Davis
Brittany DeArk
Jordan Dennis
Mark Denniston
Lydia Denome



Brandon DeVroy
Dakota DuBois
Zachary Ellis
Ashley Endert
Dannielle Farr

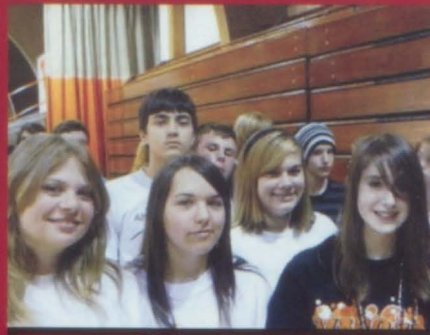


Alexandra Finta
Kaitlyn Flemington
Jordan Folsom
Tabitha Forbush
Haley Gasser



a group of freshmen
stopping to pose for a
picture during icefest
spirit week

Jacob Germain
 Jessica Germain
 Austin Giles



freshmen waking up
 early to greet abc12.

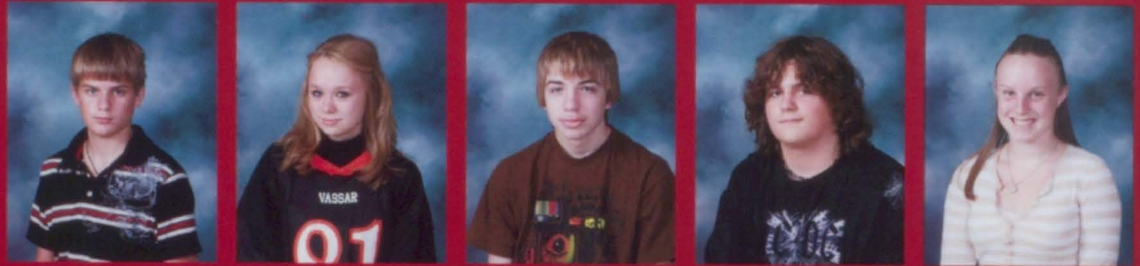


Morgan Gillespie
 Donovan Graphman
 Cal Gray

Gavin Greer
 Paige Greer
 Shaneen Hatfield
 Christopher Heath
 Jacob Helsel



Alexander Hildner
 Brianna Holley
 Jeremy Hood
 Cory Hunt
 Lindsay Hurd



Felicia Hurley
 Haley Jenkins
 Lisa Jones
 Matthew Jones
 Allison Kasper



a group of freshmen
 playing tug of war at
 the homecoming pep
 assembly!





Zachary Kern
William Kuch
Dillon Legue



Cassidy Lemcke
Jason Locklear
Jalen Long



Taylor Losee
Jessica Makinson
Dalton McIntyre
Courtney Miller
Richard Moreau



Kimberly Morrison
Alyssa Muntz
Amber Nelson
Dylon Nunn
Timothy Palmer



Anthony Pecoraro
Kristine Pellar
Joshua Peplinski
Kevin Pratt
David Putman



a group of freshmen playing tug of war at the Icefest pep assembly!

Whitney Reames
Rachel Revesz
Shannon Riedel



Joshua Peplinski
going for two!



Victoria Riley
Daniel Roland
Amanda Ronteltap



Joshua Rowe
Austin Rupprecht
Lance Rupprecht
Kevin Sage
Sara Shamel



Jacob Shepherd
Savannah Shepherd
Matthew Show
Rachel Smith
Tyler Smith



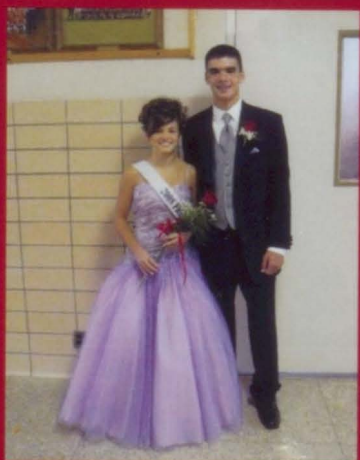
Mikayla Stakolosa
Rebecca Stalsberg
Ashley Stanulis
Kyle Story
Sarah Stout



right: Nicco Candela,
Gavin Green, Austin Giles
meet in the cafeteria
before the ice fest
game.



Left:
Lauren
Albrecht
and Jake
Bogert





above: Freshmen girls going on a bus.



Abbey Stroup
Ashley Taylor
Erica Taylor



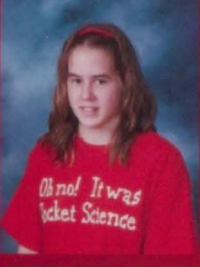
Andrew Tebedo
Rebecca Tereau
Johnathon Thomas



Kayla Todd
Jonnie Torrez
Kaitlyn Verbeek
David Vitu
Jessica Waggoner



Stephanie Waggoner
Stephanie Wengrow
Brandon Wenzel
Roger Wilcox
Kaila Wilson



camera shy: Jeremy Baker, James Brown, Anthony Hascall, Dara Killian, Nantell Jonouill, and Katerina Theurer.

Sarah Wilson

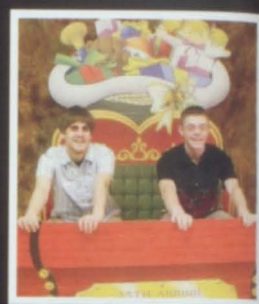
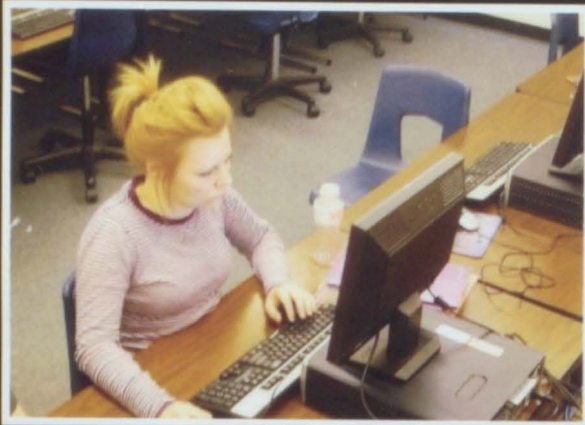
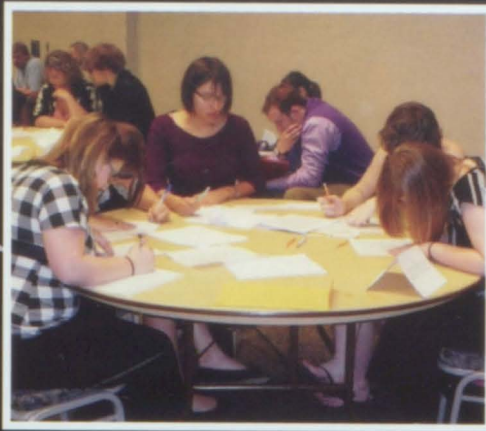


above: Allison Kasper and Ashley Stanis posing for the camera before a game.

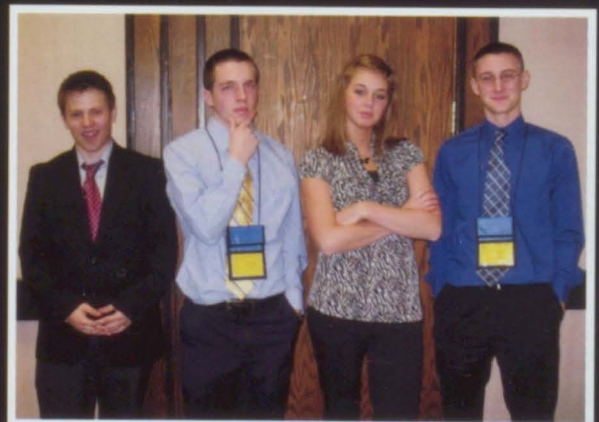


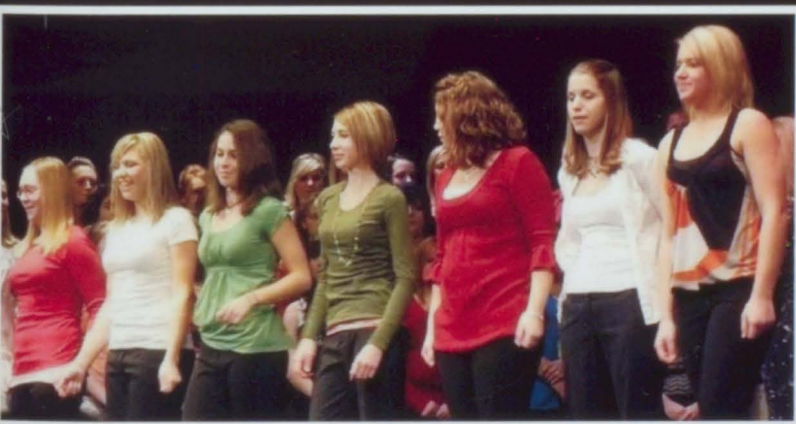
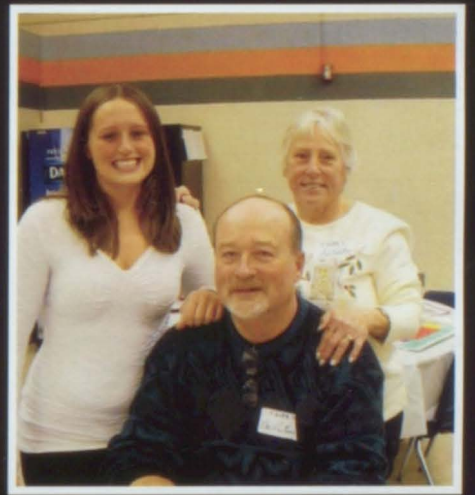
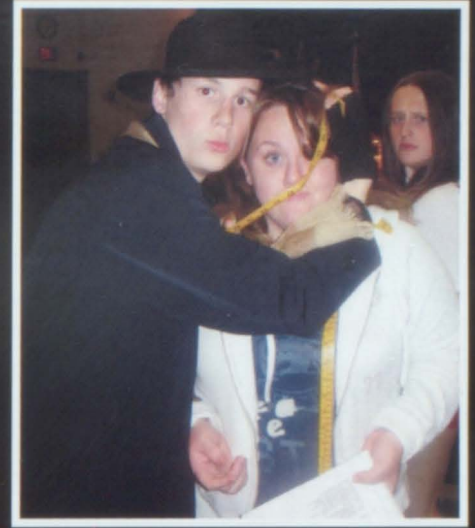
above: a group of freshmen show their spirit before a game.

Clubs



And

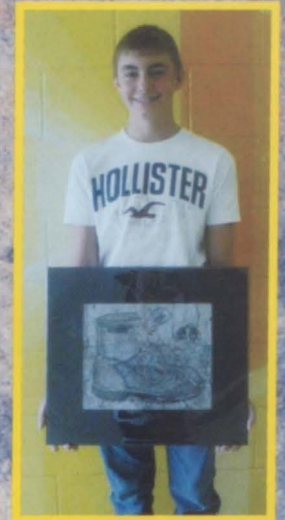




Activities

Art Club

This year, five students' artwork were chosen to represent Vassar High School in the Region 11 Art Show at the Saginaw Art Museum: Seniors Emily Finta and Jenna Peter, Junior Tony Passariello, Sophomore Laura Sheppard, and Freshman Andrew Tebedo. Tony's work went on to the state level of competition.



Laura Sheppard and her award winning work.

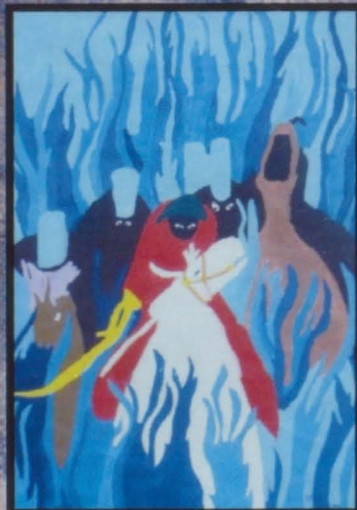
Emily Finta and her award winning work.

Andrew Tebedo and his award winning work.



Art at the Inn: Jenna Peter and Tony Passariello both received the Teacher's Choice Award. Tony's work is above and Jenna's is on the left.

l-r below: Laura Sheppard's, Tyler Jenkin's, Jake Kokowicz's, and Jenna Peter's works of art that were displayed during this years art show.



VASSAR HIGH SCHOOL BAND 2009

The Vassar High School Band received the following ratings:
 I overall rating at Marching Festival
 I overall rating at District Festival
 II overall rating at State Festival
 II overall rating at Jazz Festival

Nine students attended the Tri-County Honors Band this year, including Martin Chelekis who received the Four Year Award and was first chair french horn.



Left: Kayla Jaruzal is this year's winner of the John Philip Sousa Award.



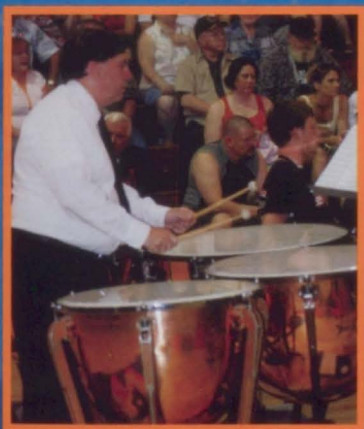
Right: Ryan Huber is this year's winner of the Louis Armstrong Award.



Above: The 2009 Senior Band members: Back l-r: Ryan Huber, Martin Chelekis, Jacob Green, Andrew Hildner, Cameron Thorp. Front r-l: Kayla Jaruzel, Tiffany Briggs, Kari Johnston, Nicole Hartung, and Samantha Helsel. Seniors not in photo: Lena Truett and Melissa Wilmoth.



Left: Ms. Corrian charted the Aladdin Show. She also made a surprise visit during the Christmas concert, singing "White Christmas" with the symphonic band.



Above l-r: Field Commanders Andrew Hildner, Martin Chelekis, Cameron Thorp, and Color Guard Captains Nicole Hartung and Tiffany Briggs receive their first division rating during marching band festival.



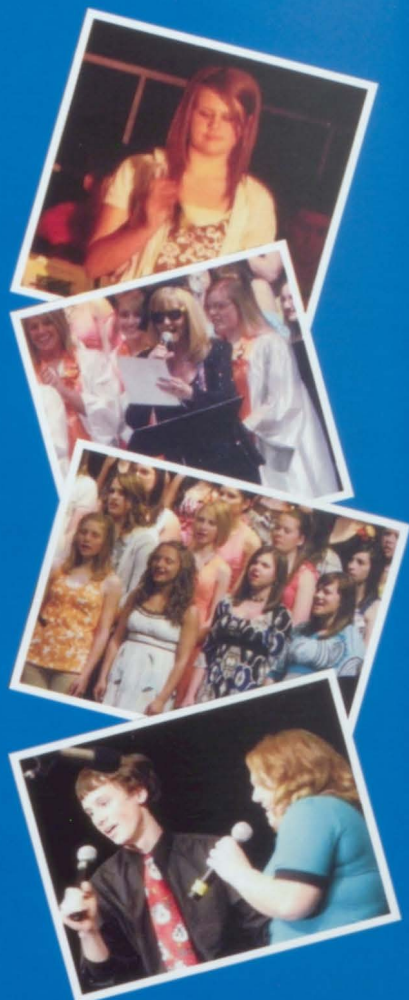
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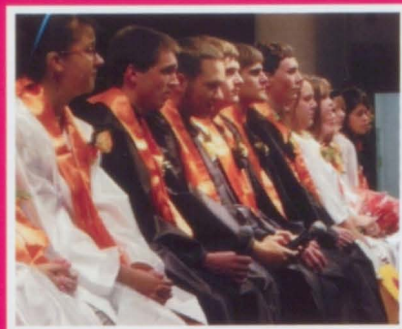
Above: Ashtorria Parker and Shawna Hatfield sing emotionally.



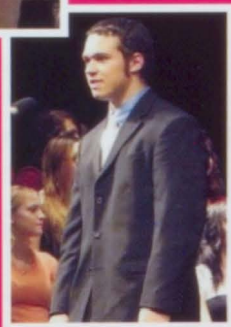
Sing Your Heart Out!



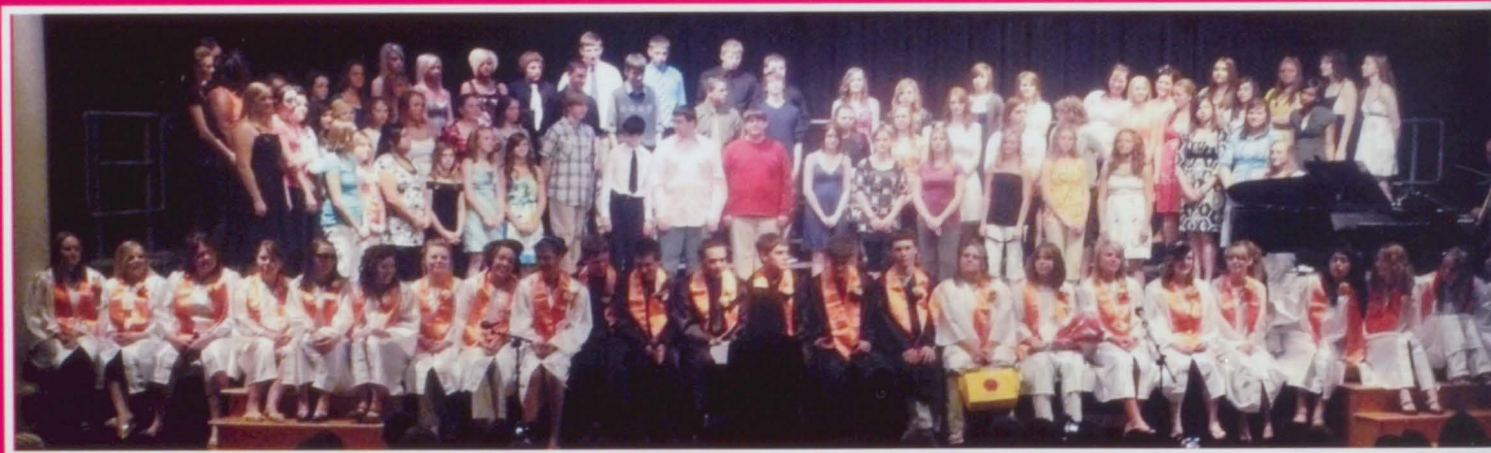
Right: Morgan Sarazine preparing to sing. Below: Mrs. Middlin talks about the play.



Above: Senior Choir members line the stage at their final Spring Concert.



Left: Nathan Wilder prepares to grace us with his singing.



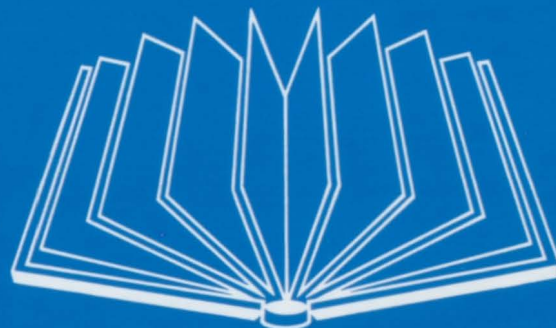
Book Club



Members of the Vassar High Book Club Fourth row from l-r: Pauline Hecht, Rebecca Amyer, Michael Kraus, Keegan Parks, Jessica Gwisdala, Ashley Knapp, and Kimberly Bell; Third row from l-r: Ericka Coners, Amanda Pomranky, Amanda Kennard, Felicia Hurley, Alexandra Finta, Abbey Stroup, and Mrs. Chelekis; Second row from l-r: Tiffany Briggs, Victoria Riley, Jamie Perry, Mikayla Stakolosa, Brittany Bell, Martin Chelekis, Melissa Wilmoth, and Cameron Thorp; First row from l-r: Melissa Owensby, Kayla Bender, Hannah Einhardt, Mary Anthony, Katie Bauer, Kayla Todd, and Tabitha Forbush.



Above back row l-r: Katie Bauer and Ericka Coners; front row l-r: Rebecca Aymer and Amanda Pomranky take part in the Book Club Exchange. Below: Keegan Parks gasps in surprise.



Left: Michael Kraus gives a one armed hug to Jamie Perry. Below from l-r: Tabitha Forbush, Felicia Hurley, Victoria Riley, and Alexandra Finta share a group hug.



Journalism



Back row from l-r: Rebecca Revesz, Kimberly Bell, Renae Gamm, Hannah Opperman, Kayla Verbeek, Kelsey Hecht, Ashley Turner, Jenna Peter, and Tyler Jenkins. Front row l-r: Macey Funsch, Cameron Thorp, Morgan Sarazine, Katie Withers, Melissa Wilmoth, Martin Chelekis.

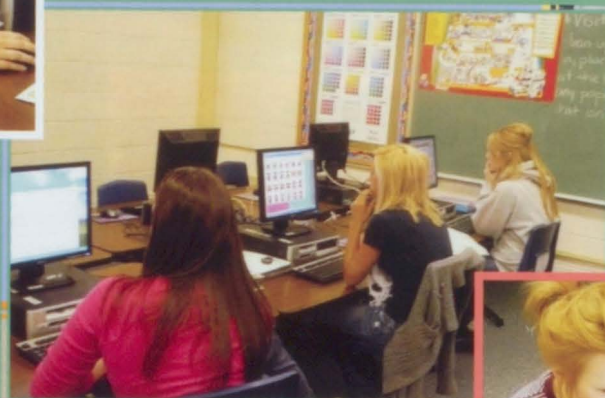


Above: Kayla Verbeek is hard at work finishing her yearbook page.

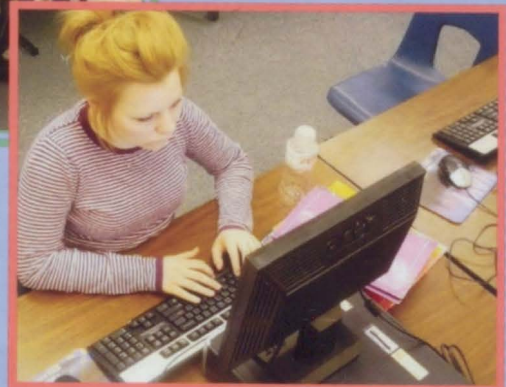
Below: Hannah Opperman, Ashley Turner, and Kelsey Hecht are diligently working on their journalism assignments!



Above: Katie Withers is excited when one of her assigned businesses purchases an ad!



Left: Cameron Thorp is eager to assign newspaper stories to the rest of the Journalism students; right: Morgan Sarazine is intently focusing on the task at hand.



National Honor Society

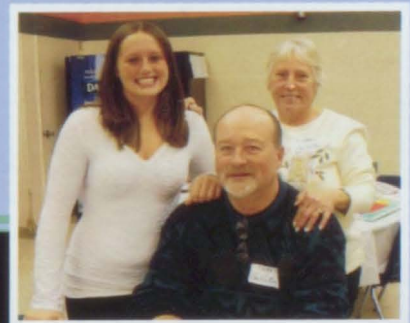


NHS members in alphabetical order: Courtney Abbs, Abigail Amend, Jennifer Anderson, Emily Aranyos, Zachary Aranyos, Kyle Auernhamer, Zachary Becker, Max Bender, Alicia Bierlein, Elizabeth Bissonnette, Katie Blasius, Ian Bradley, Lauren Bradley, Tiffany Briggs, Meghan Case, Martin Chelekis, Chelsea Coffey, Ericka Coners, April Cooper, Carly Curell, Rachel Damm, Luke Denome, Rebecca Fall, Kelsi Fisher, Joseph Harper, Nicole Hartung, Amberly Hauger, Aaron Hecht, Jessica Hecht, Kelsey Hecht, Troy Hecht, Andrew Hildner, Leah Hoyt, Austin Huber, Ashley Janke, Kaylynn Kabat, Amanda Kennard, Daniel Kennard, Haley Kern, Ashley Knapp, Jillian Knudsen, Zachary Kobman, Megan Landskroener, Alicia McClenathen, Jill Moreau, Hannah Opperman, Jessica Ostrander, Brittany Partridge, Toni Passariello, Brandon Peter, Jenna Peter, Doug Peters, Bonnie Petterson, Amanda Pomranky, Rebecca Revesz, John Riley, Brandi Rupperecht, Allison Schiefer, Ashley Schiefer, Jennifer Schiefer, Jeremy Schiefer, Laura Sheppard, Isaac Silvey, Ashley Sipes, Timothy Skarbek, Heather Stalsberg, Sydney Strandberg, Wayne Szagesh, Jackie Torrez, Taylor Tyson, Kayla Verbeek, Michael Weiss, Nathan Wilder, Melissa Wilmoth, and Haley Zwerk.



Above: Jackie Torrez helps some senior citizens during the brunch.

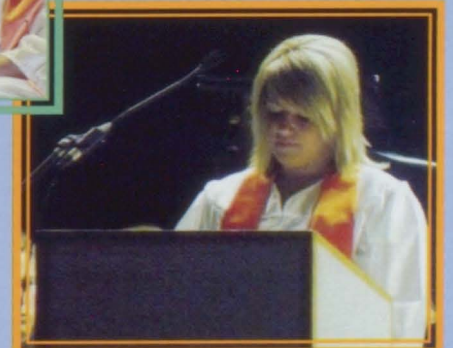
Below from l-r: Martin Chelekis, Meghan Case, Lauren Bradley, and Alicia Bierlein feel honored to have received their cords and collars.



Above: Nicole Hartung with her grandparents at the 50th Senior Citizen Brunch.



Left: Ian Bradley lights a candle as a symbol of his new membership in NHS; right: Meghan Case explains the emblem of leadership.



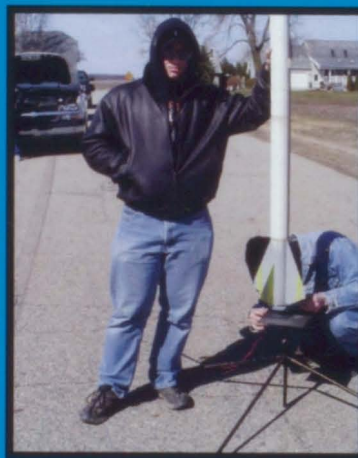
Rocket Club



Back row from l-r: Shawn Chapman, Jacob Clinesmith, Nathan Wilder, Chris Sergent; front row from l-r: Nick Reider, Brandon Peplinski, and Fred Locke. Missing from photo: Steven Neuman.



Above: Nick Reider preparing to launch their rocket.



Above: Nathan Wilder holds the rocket as Chris Sergent places it on its base.



Above: A picture of the rocket right before it's launched.



SADD



Back row from l-r: Mrs. Zeck, Rebecca Aymer, Katisha Zelmer, Kaylynn Kabat, Macey Funsch, Stephanie Wengrow, Jennifer Anderson, Nicole Stevens, Shawna Hatfield, and Elizabeth Bissonnette. Front row from l-r: Ericka Coners, Katie Bauer, Kaila Wilson, Ashtorria Parker, and Breanna Kozan.



Above: Victoria Riley sings her heart out for the talent show.



Above: Nathan Wilder channels Chris Farley to warn his "children" about living in a van down by the river.



Above: MC Jamison Knudsen ad-libbing between performances.

Youth In



Above: Largest human pyramid in YIG history.

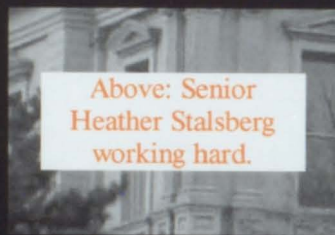


Above: Secret Service guards Kate Blasius as she gives a speech

Below: Junior Katie Blasius sporting her new lemon juice.



Below: Senior girls stop for a quick picture.



Above: Senior Heather Stalsberg working hard.



Below: Advisors Mr. and Mrs. Lasceski enjoying dinner at the final banquet.



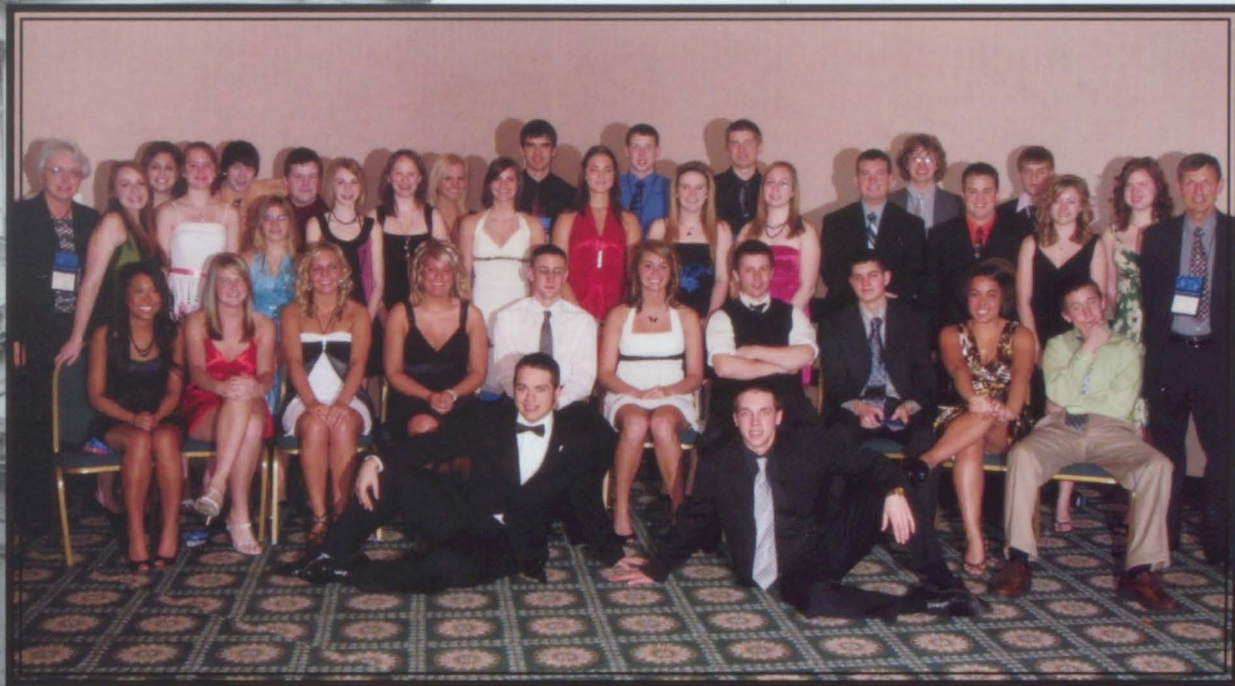
Below: Senior guys and Mr. Kern represent at the Spring Conference.



Above: Senior Nathan Wilder taking care of business.



Government



Back Row L to R: Mrs. Lasceski, Rachel Damm, Katie Blasius, Erica Taylor, Austin Rupprecht, Ian Bradley, Jill Moreau, Carly Curell, Quinn Doran, Allison Schiefer, Jake Bogert, Hannah Opperman, Kyle Aurenhammer, Sarah Neuman, Zack Kobman, Megan Landskroener, Zach Aranyos, David Putman, Max Bender, Alex Hildner, Brandi Abbott, Ashley Taylor, and Mr. Lasceski. Middle Row L to R: Sydney Strandberg, Courtney Abbs, Meghan Case, Matt Cook, Jessica Hecht, Tyler Jenkins, Matt Tompkins, Katie Withers, and Kirk Datz. Front Row L to R: Nathan Wilder and Nick Landskroener. Missing: Jamie Palmer

Below: Sophomore Ian Bradley doing the "Stanky Leg!"



Below: Freshman David Putman showing some peace.



Below: Senior Matt Tompkins takes a quick break from being a stud lobbyist.



Academic



Math Team: back from l-r: Tim Palmer, Laura Shepperd, Martin Chelekis, Ashley Schiefer; front row from l-r: Troy Hecht, Tony Passariello, Jill Moreau, Brandi Rupprecht, and Ms. Eilers



English Team: back row from l-r: Mrs Strauss, Michelle Opperman, Alicia McClenathen, Megan Landskroener, Destiny Milton; front row from l-r: Sara Stelfox, Amanda Kennard, Kaylynn Kabat, and Erica Coners

Social Studies Team: On the right; back row from l-r: Nick Landskroener, Nathan Wilder, David Putman, Mr. Baker; front row from l-r: Zach Reider, Rachel Damm, Katie Blasius, and Jessica Gwisdala.

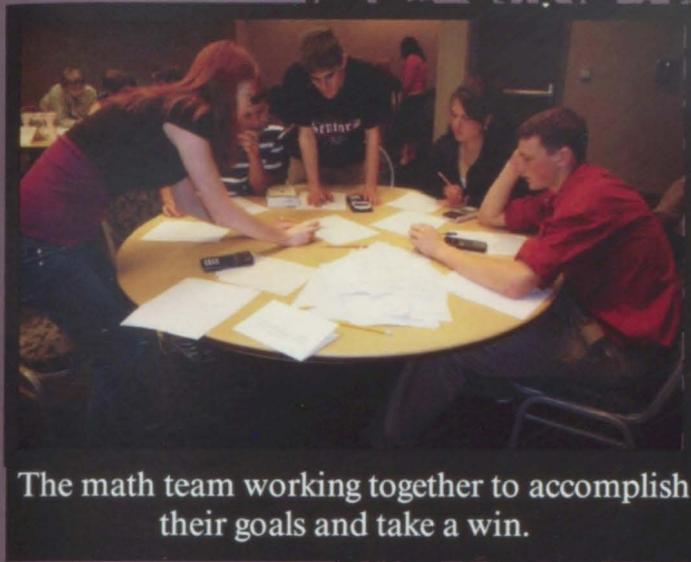


Science Team: back row from l-r: Nick Reider, Kelsi Fisher, Hannah Opperman, Ian Bradley, Max Bender; front row from l-r: Mr. Cassidy, Jamison Knudson, Allison Jacot, and Steve Milton



Technology Team: back row from l-r: Kyle Auernhamer, Zack Aranyos, Amberly Hauger, Zac Case; front row from l-r: Chris Sergent, Matt Tompkins, and Matt Cook

Games



The math team working together to accomplish their goals and take a win.



The science team showing everyone you can have a good time and take a science test.



Academic teams talk about how their academic games went.



The English team concentrates to do their best on their literary tests.



The academic teams prepare for their competitions.

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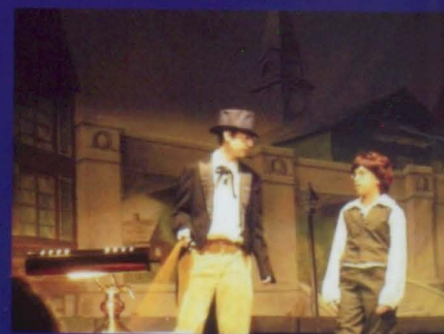
VHS Drama Club 2008



Cast of Oliver

Back row from l-r: Mrs. Rittenberg, Jamie Perry, Michelle Opperman, Jenny Reid, Katie Blasius, Nicole Hartung, Tyler Langly, Megan Edler, Tiffany Aeschliman, Melissa Ellison, Mrs. Hackett, Ethan Slough, Jacob Helsel, Victoria Riley, Sarah Stout, Brittany Bell, and Mrs. Middlin; middle row from l-r: Chris St. Clair, Chris Sargent, Jacob Green, Danielle Rutkowski, Paige Whitney, Brittany Guilfoil, Brittany Harris, and Nick Chelekis; front row from l-r: Mary Anthony, Amanda Kennard, Gabe Daenzer, Katie Withers, Tiffany Briggs, Cameron Thorp, Megan Landskroener, Brandon Wenzel, Mikayla Stakolosa, Rachael Damm, Nathan Wilder, Laura Sheppard, Martin Chelekis, Nick Landskroener, Ryan Huber, and Melissa Wilmoth

Below: Brandon Wenzel and Mikayla Stakolosa singing "Consider Yourself".



Oliver





Above: Cameron Thorp and Katie Withers drinking and dancing to "Ohm Pha Pa".
Below: Martin Chelekis and Mikayla Stakolosa in "Boy for Sale".



Above: Tiffany Briggs and Mikayla Stakolosa in "That's your Funeral".
Below: Cameron Thorp as Fagin, the leader of the runaway orphans.



After Oliver Twist asks Mr. Bumble for more food, he leaves the workhouse in a hurry. On the streets, Oliver meets up with the Artful Dodger, who leads him to Fagin and his team of pickpockets. This "gang" teaches Oliver how to pickpocket. When one of his missions goes wrong, he avoids going to prison and finds himself in the care of Mr. Brownlow. Bill Sykes, a thief and murderer, then goes on a search for Oliver which turns out for the worse.



Rachael Damm singing out sorrows about Bill Sykes in the song "As Long as He Needs Me".



Spring Play



Back row from l-r: Samantha Helsel, Alexandra Finta, Megan Landskroener, Tabitha Forbush, Michelle Opperman, Sarah Stout, Cameron Thorp, Nathan Wilder, Martin Chelekis, Gabe Daenzer, Victory Riley, Laura Sheppard, Amanda Kennard, Mary Anthony, and Melissa Wilmoth; Middle row from l-r: Brittany Bell, Jacob Green, Mikayla Stakolosa, Jacob Helsel, Nicole Hartung, Katie Blasius, Katie Withers, Jennie Reid, and Tiffany Briggs; Front row from l-r: Nick Chelekis, Chris St.Clair, Chris Sergent, Rachael Damm, and Brandon Wenzel.



above: Jarvis Thatcher (Jacob Green) and Mother Theodore (Tiffany Briggs) comfort Trillium (Katie Blasius) after her friend was found dead.

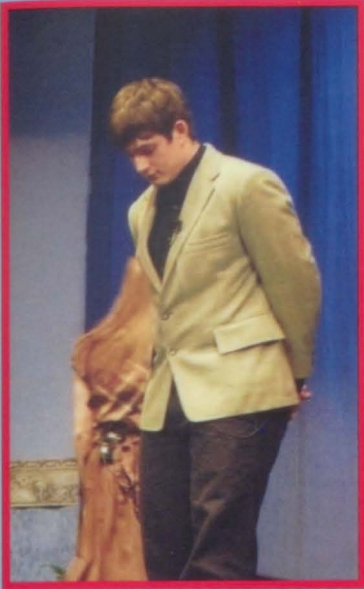


above: Rindy (Rachael Damm) cowers in fear of the murderer as he attacks Trillium.



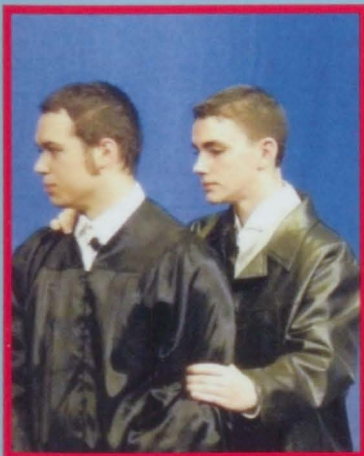
above: Nicole Hartung and Katie Withers play as students that are friends of Trillium.

Murder Takes the Veil



Above: Jacob Green paces back and forth, as Sheriff Jarvis Thatcher, trying to make sense of the information that he gathered about the murder.

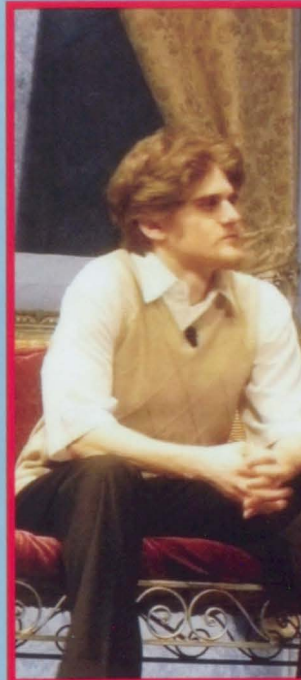
Below: Nathan Wilder is arrested for three counts of murder and attempted murder.



Right: Crispin Archer is a sarcastic murder novelist. Do his novels portray his real life experiences?



Below: Trillium Pierce knows of her father's murderer, and many clues have led to one of these three teachers, but which one is it?



Clockwise: Nathan Wilder, Katie Blasius, Cameron Thorp, and Martin Chelekis. She knows one of them is capable of murder, but which one?



Above: Franz Eric was born Frank Ericson. Does his name change have to do with something he wants to hide from his past?



Left: Mr. Torvaldson is an artist with a sloppy appearance. Does his appearance influence his decisions as a person?

Student



Back row from l-r: Mrs. Piazza, Nathan Wilder, Nick Landskroener, Justin Muntz, Hilary MacKay, Kelsey Hecht, Wayne Szagesh; Middle row from l-r: Mallory Makl, Jay Bell, Megan Bilbee, Ashley Turner, Megan Landskroener, Ashley Sipes, Hannah Opperman, and Ms. Coons; Front row from l-r: Brandi Abbott, Ashley Stanulis, Jennifer Anderson, Jillian Knudsen, Erica Roe, and James McLaren.

Right: Jessica Reif is the M.C. of the homecoming pep assembly.

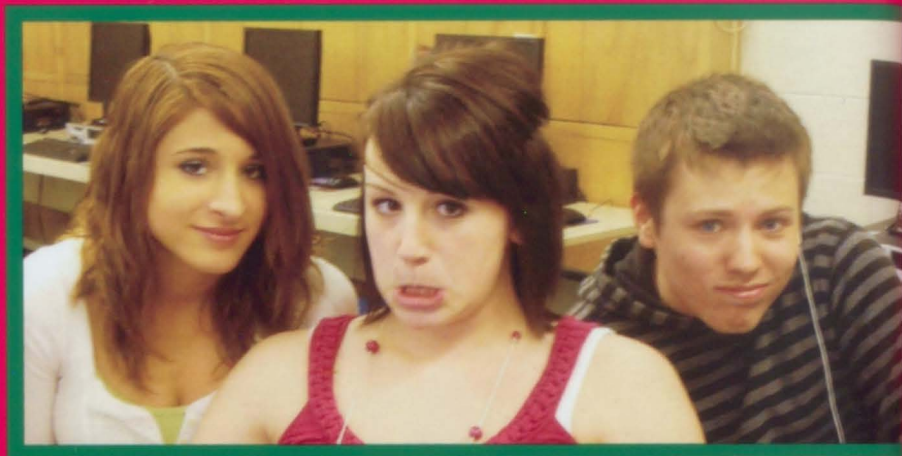
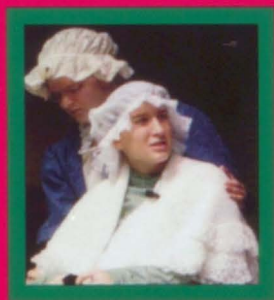
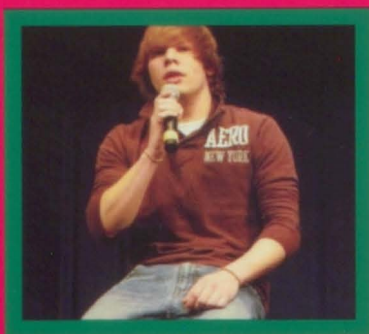


Left: Hilary MacKay assists Keif Vickers in putting a blind fold on at the pep assembly.

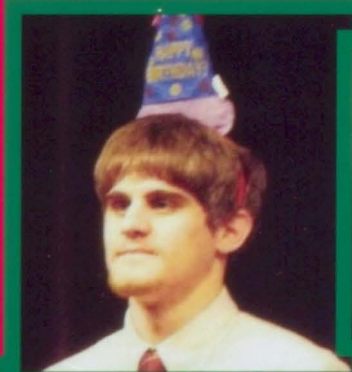
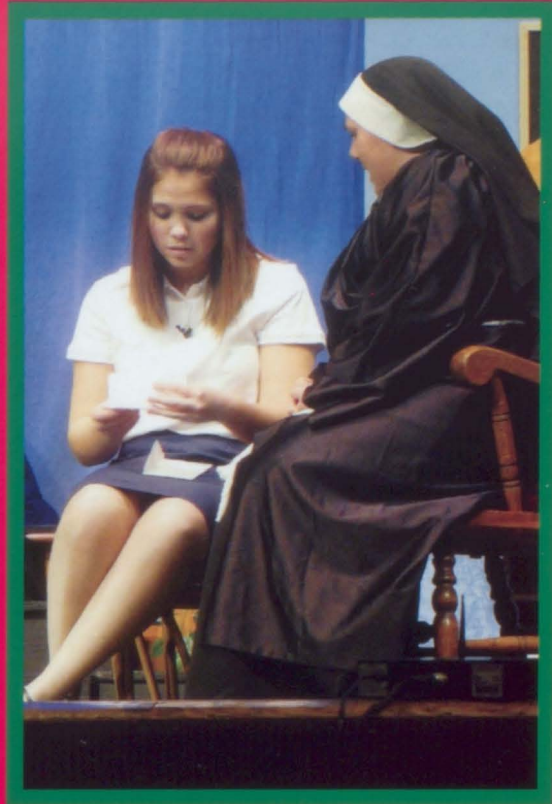
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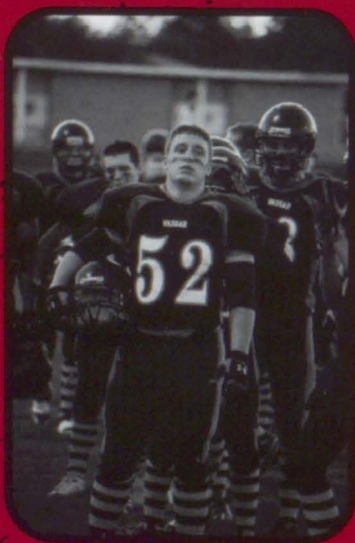
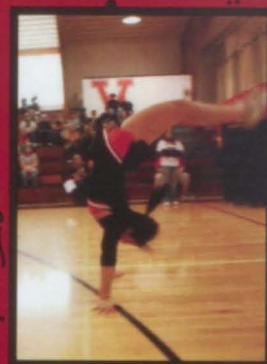
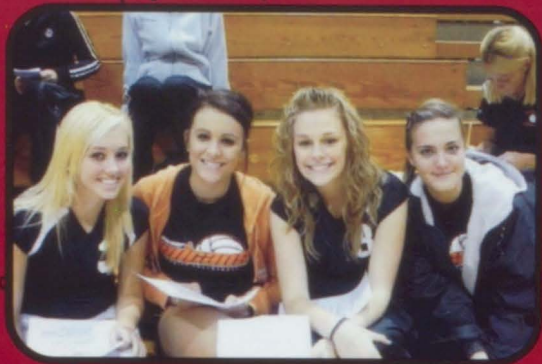
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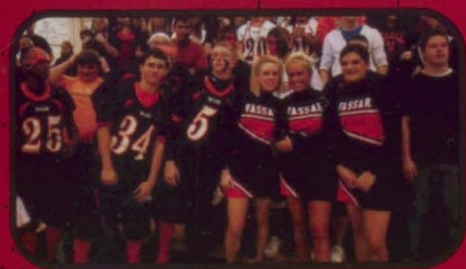
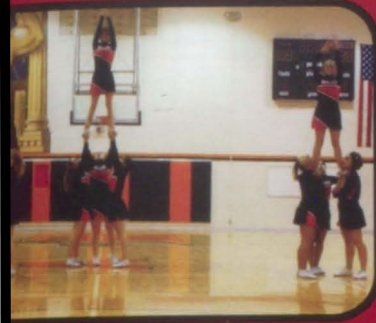
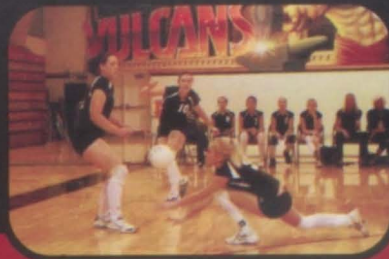


Memories



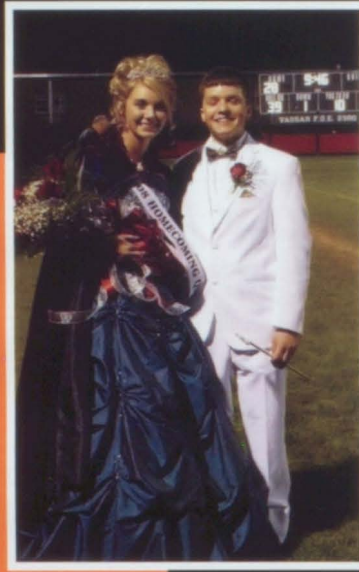
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Homecoming



Homecoming King and Queen Justin Muntz and Jessica Hecht



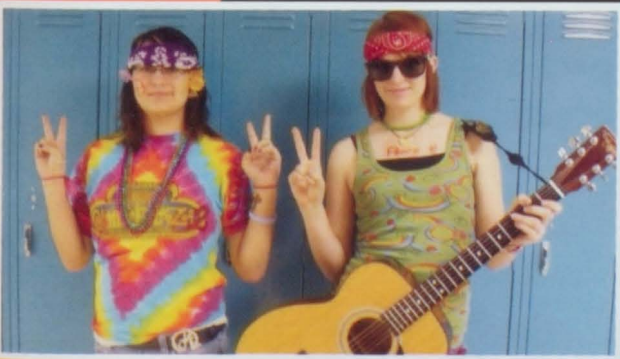
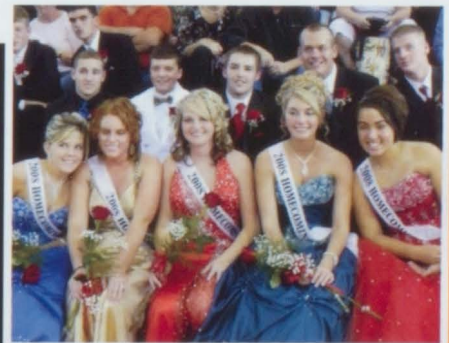
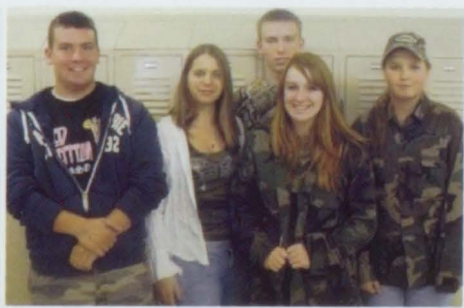
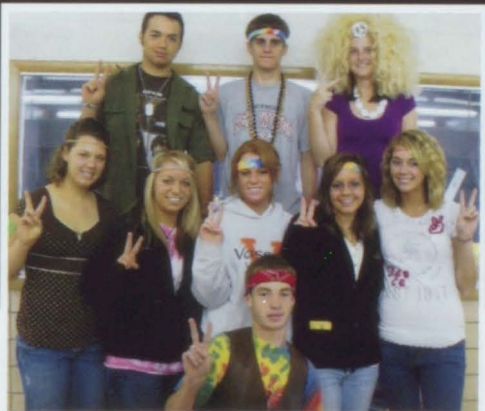
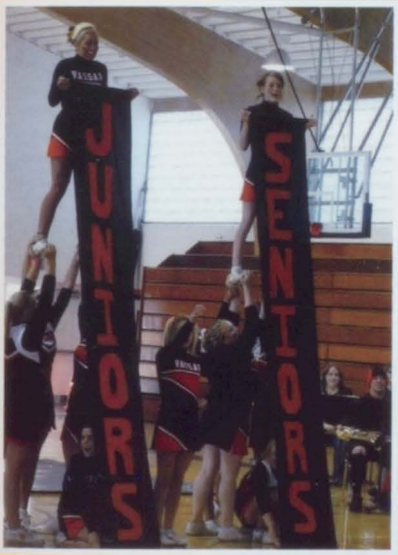
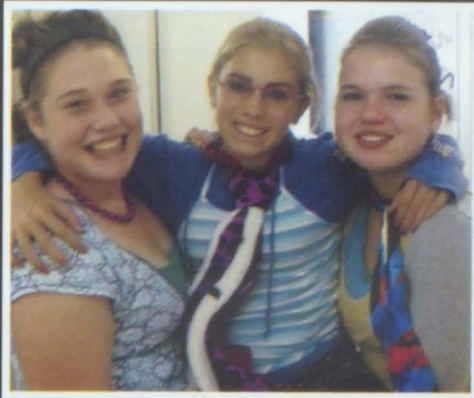
Back row from l-r: Justin Muntz, Marcus Taylor, Shane Shoens, Andrew Davis, Joshua DuBois, Jamison Knudsen, Austin Huber, and Jacob Bogert; Front row from l-r: Lauren Bradley, Katie Withers, Jessica Miles, Courtney Abbs, Jessica Hecht, Hillary Opperman, Samantha Groen, and Lauren Albrecht.



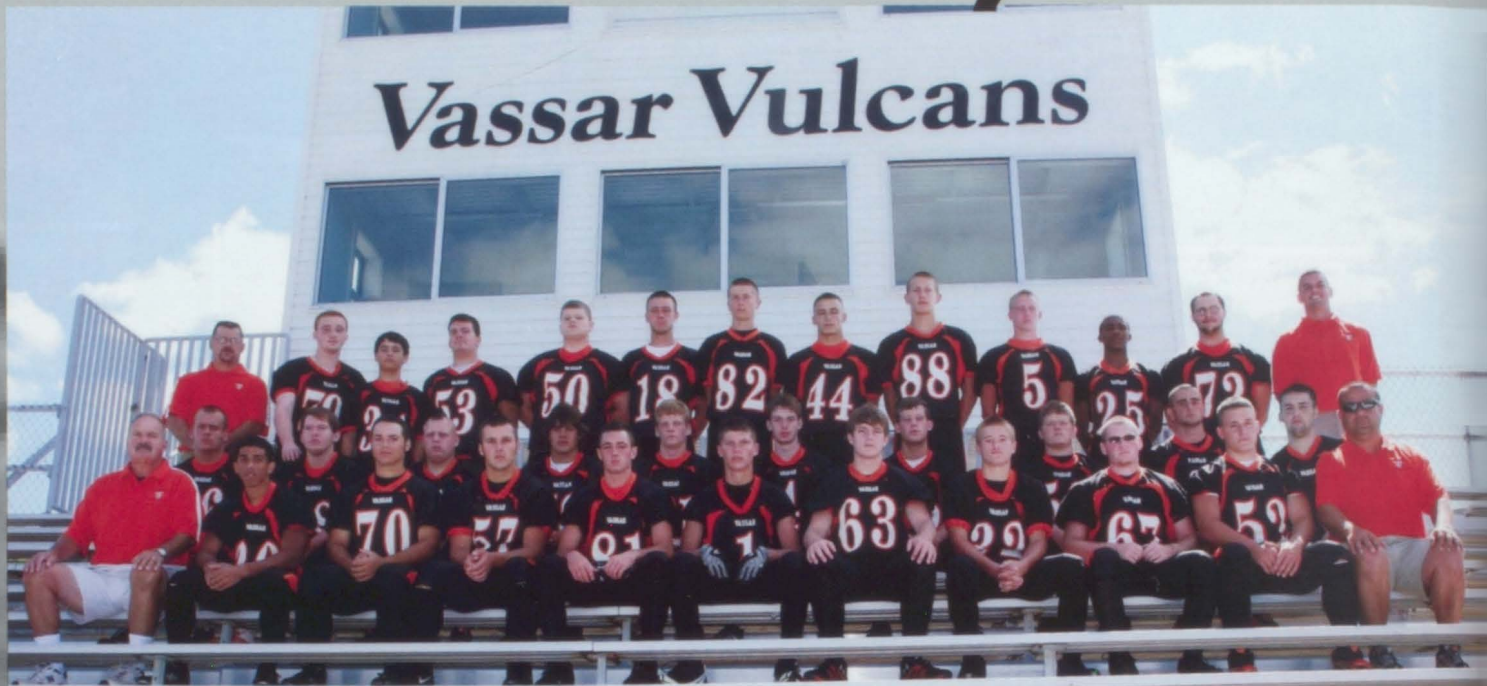
This year's homecoming was a blast. Spirit week consisted of Bling Day, Crazy Day, Cammo Day, Hippie Day and Orange and Black Day.

For the big game on Friday, the football team went up against the Cass City Red Hawks, defeating them 41-38.





Varsity



Back row l-r: Coach Harper, Josh Bauer, Michael Weiss, Zach Araynos, Joe Harper, Trent Bellamy, Zach Kobman, Zach Albee, Jeremy Schiefer, Wayne Szagesh, Kief Vickers, Jesse Baumgardner, Coach Germain; middle row l-r: Josh Dubois, Jacob Ward, Ryan Worden, Luke Denome, Marcus Taylor, Tim Skarbek, Ryan Huber, Mitch Hendry, Zach Germain, Drew Davis; front row l-r: Coach Hurd, Dontay Crist, Nathan Wilder, Ryan Sulicki, Zach Tebedo, Jake Kokowicz, Jacob Green, Trevor Sowers, Hans Kern, Mike Tebedo, Coach Kiss. Missing: Troy Hecht.



Quarterback Zach Germain takes a knee during the game.



Dontay Crist drives ahead for the touchdown.



Football



Before and after a victorious game.

Season Record



Vassar vs.	Caro	36 - 21	W
Vassar vs.	Lakers	35 - 14	W
Vassar at	BCAS	20 - 38	L
Vassar at	Reese	13 - 21	L
Vassar at	Ugly	28 - 56	L
Vassar vs.	USA	43 - 23	W
Vassar vs.	Cass City	41 - 38	W
Vassar at	Bad Axe	51 - 16	W
Vassar vs.	Durand	28 - 36	L
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The 2008 Varsity team finished 2nd place in GTC West Division and finished Academic All-State as a team. Dontay Crist, Josh Dubois, Zach Germain, Troy Hecht, and Ryan Wordon all made 1st Team All-Conference and Marcus Taylor made 2nd Team All-Conference. Nathan Wilder made 1st Team Academic All-State. Zach Germain set the school record of most career passing yards with 1,638 yards.

Junior Varsity Football

BRING THE HAMMER



Back row from l-r: Coach McGrandy, Coach Kokowicz, Enrico Torrez, Dallas Kokowicz, Ryan Muntz, Madison Harper Coach MacKay; middle row from l-r: Steven Green, Ian Bradley, Ryan Woolwine, Thomas Pruner, Jacob Hohmen, Brandon Peplinski, James McLaren; front row from l-r: Tyler Best, Austin Huber, Nolan Whitney, Johnny Riley, Kyle Auernhamer, Daniel Kennard, and Maxwell Bender

Vassar Vs. MLS	43-6
Vassar Vs. Laker High	0- 22
Vassar Vs. BCAS	39-0
Vassar Vs Reese	43-20
Vassar Vs. Ubyly	12-8
Vassar Vs. USA	53-0
Vassar Vs. Cass City	24-28
Vassar Vs. Bad Axe	48-0
Vassar Vs. Durand	26-28



Our Junior Varsity gets pumped for the game

GO FIGHT WIN



Freshmen Football

GAIN
THAT
YARD



Back row: Coach Weldon; middle row from l-r: Zachary Case, Kevin Pratt, Zachary Kern, Dakota DuBois, Tim Palmer, Andrew Tebedo, Cassidy Lemcke, Gavin Greer, Lance Rupperecht; front row from l-r: Daniel Rowland, Jimmie Brown, Jacob Bogert, Joshua Peplinski, Austin Giles, Austin Baker, Mathew Jones, and Jacob Helsel



Vassar	Vs. Caro	16-6
Vassar	Vs. Reese	0- 8
Vassar	Vs. Kingston	27-26
Vassar	Vs. Reese	13-12
Vassar	Vs. Frankenmuth	7-26
Vassar	Vs. Standish	0-28
Vassar	Vs. Birch Run	14-6
Vassar	Vs. Heritage	12-20

The Vassar Vulcans try and score against the Frankenmuth Eagles.



Varsity Cheerleading

In alphabetical order not according to picture: Manager: Samantha Helsel, Coach: Melissa Koch. Cheerleaders: Amanda Burkett, Nicole Dickinson, Olivia Germain, Jordyn Gillespie, Shelby Goodman, Nicole Hartung, Megan Landskroener, Hilary Opperman, Ashley Sipes, Julie Swackhamer, Jackie Torrez, Kristin Walker, and Katie Withers.



Left: Co-Captains Kristin Walker and Katie Withers smile with fellow cheerleader; Nicole Hartung.

CHEERS!



Back row from l-r: Nicole Dickinson, Nicole Hartung, Kristin Walker, Katie Withers, and Hilary Opperman.
 Middle row l-r: Megan Landskroener, Jackie Torrez, Amanda Burkett, and Julie Swackhamer.
 Front row from l-r: Jordyn Gillespie, Olivia Germain, Shelby Goodman, and Ashley Sipes.



Junior Varsity Cheerleading



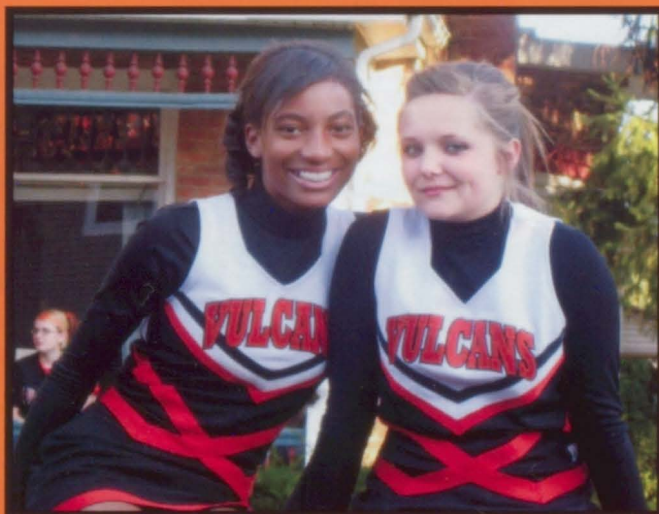
Back row l-r:
Rachel Smith, Courtney Miller, Tori Crowe, Kaila Wilson, Sara Shamel, Ashley Endert, Porsche Aremia and Elisha Ayotte.
Front row l-r: Brittany Bell, Brianna Holley, Rebecca Stalsberg, Kayla Bell, Ashley Coner, and Coach Kuhl



“Capture

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Kaila Wilson and Tori Crowe pose for the camera.



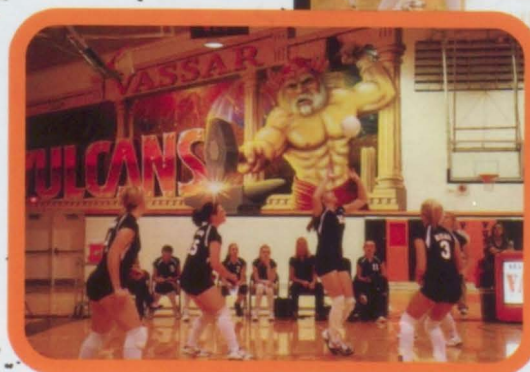
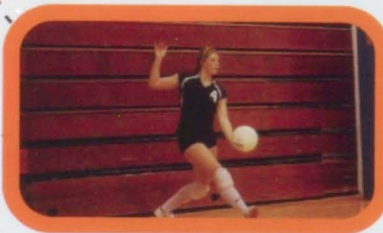
Junior Varsity Cheerleaders cheer on the side lines, supporting our school.

Varsity

Opponent	Outcome
Caro	L
BCAS	L
Reese	L
Laker	L
Bad Axe	L
USA	L
Cass City	L
BCAS	L
Reese	L
Laker	W
Bad Axe	L
Bridgport	W
USA	L
Carrolton	W
Cass City	L

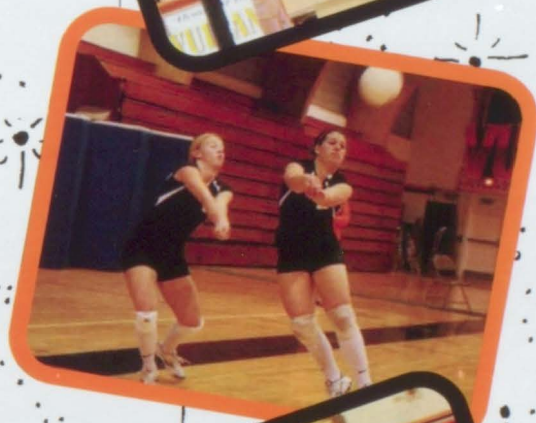
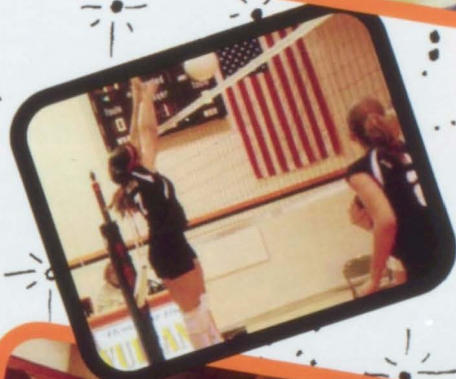
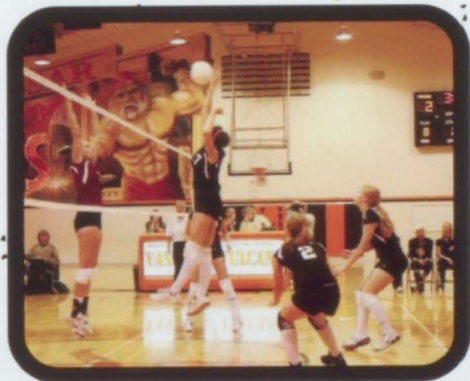
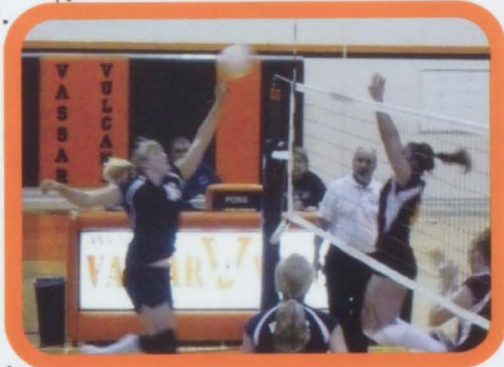
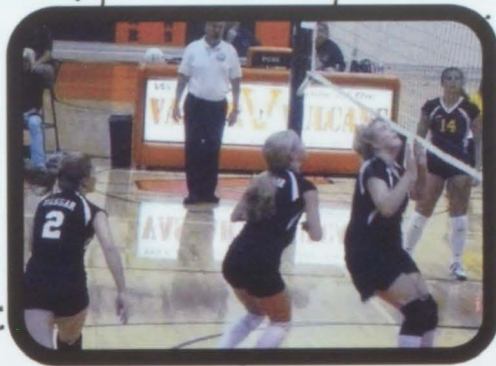


First row l-r: Brandi Rupprecht, Becca Fall; second row l-r: Kaylynn Kabot, Corbin Dundas, Coach Tara Dundas, Brandy Searles; third row l-r: Morgan Candela, Spenser Wells, Abbey Amend, Ashley Shavrnock, Kayla Verbeek, Hilary MacKay, Kelsey Hecht, Hannah Opperman.



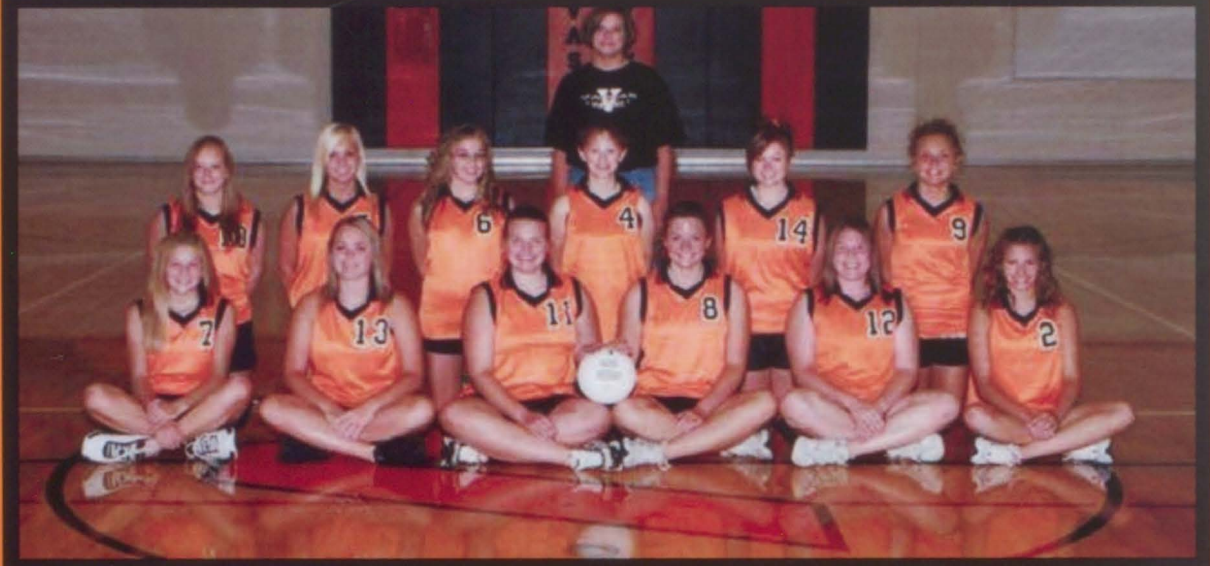
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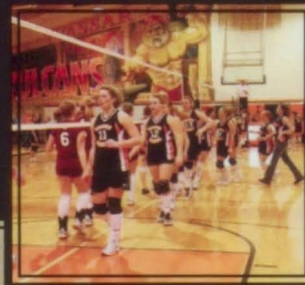




Junior Varsity Volleyball



Back: Coach Teresa Cox; Middle: L-r Chelsea Bukach, Haley Zwerk, Destiny Milton, Carley Curell, Brandi Abbot, and Whitney Reames; Front: L-r Alyssa Muntz, Leah Hoyt, Ashley Janke, Jessica Ostrander, Kaitlyn Verbeek, Chelsea Coffey



Freshmen Volleyball



Back: Coach Katlyn Fricke; Middle: L-r Megan Bilbee, Rebekah Losee, Paige Greer, Jessica Germain, Jonnie Torrez, and Hailey Bellamy; Front: L-r Morgan Gillespie, Lydia Denome, Ashley Stanulis, Allison Kasper, Erica Taylor, and Ashley Taylor



CROSS COUNTRY



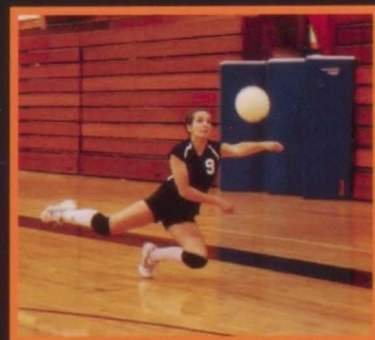
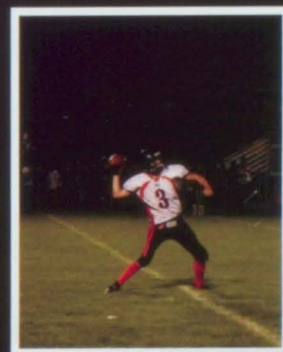
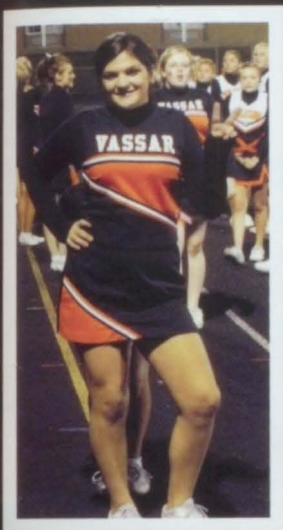
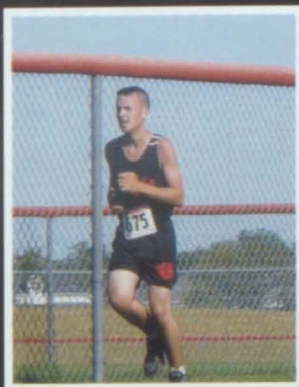
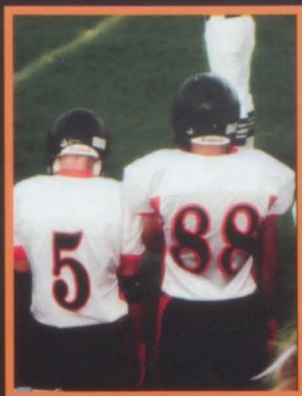
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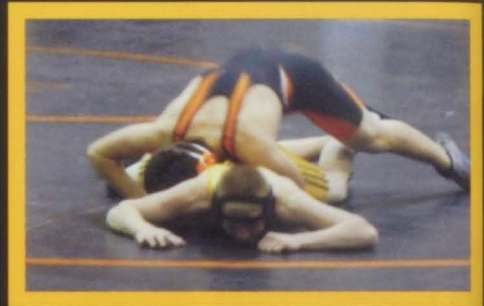
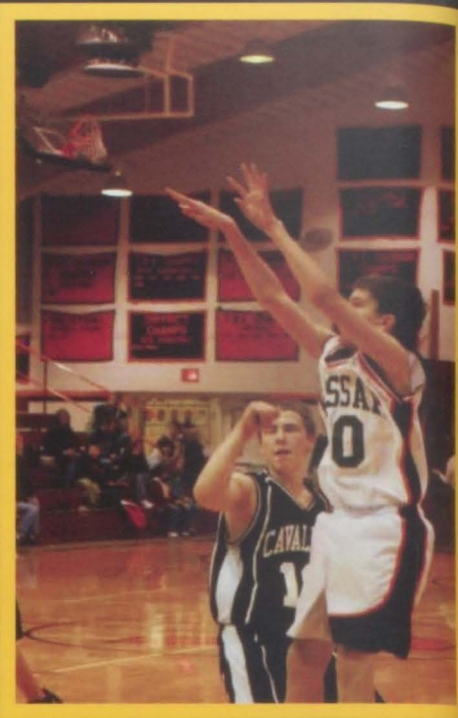
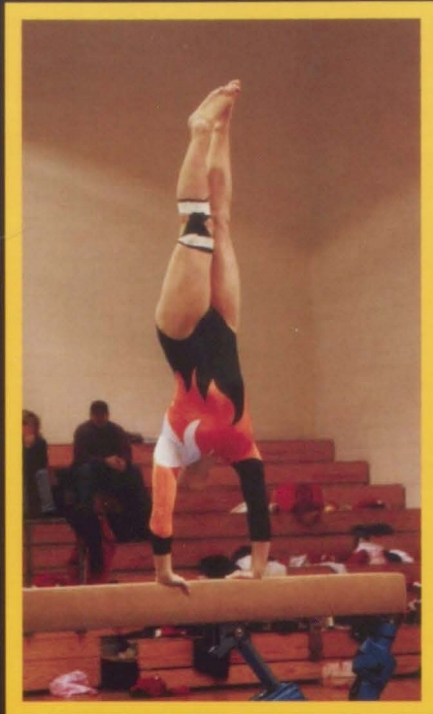
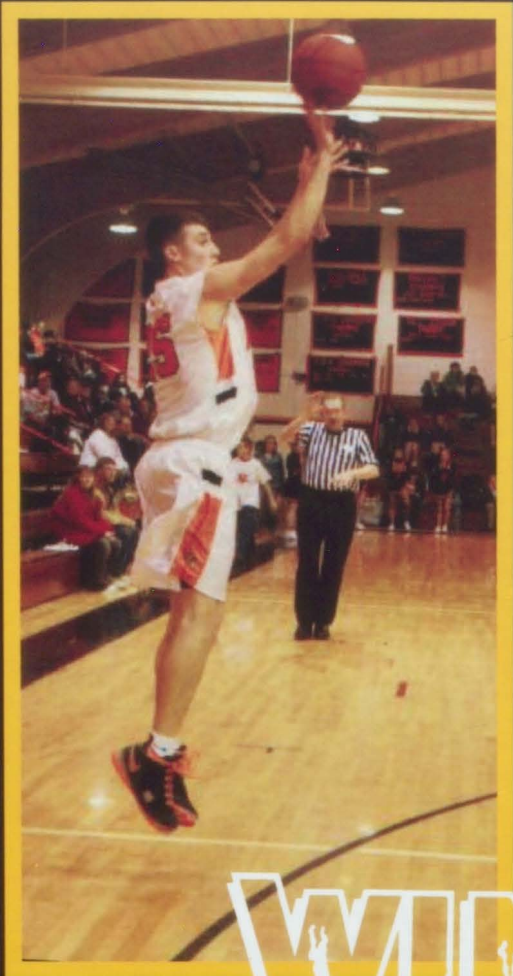


The Varsity Girls Cross Country Team qualified for the State Meet as a team for the first time since 2000. Jamie Palmer earned a First Team All-Conference, and Ashley Schiefer and Samantha Groen earned a Second Team All-Conference. The Varsity Boys Team scored 260 points at the Regional Meet and placed 10th out of 13. Sam Kennard earned a Second Team All-Conference as well.

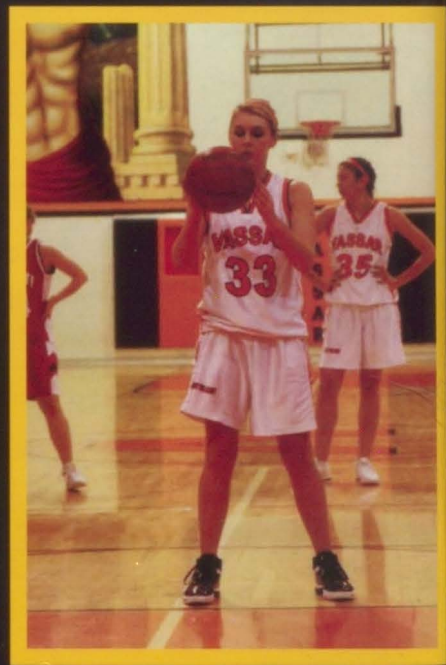
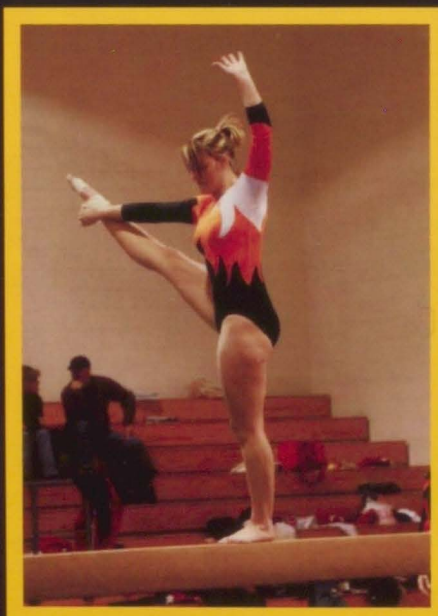


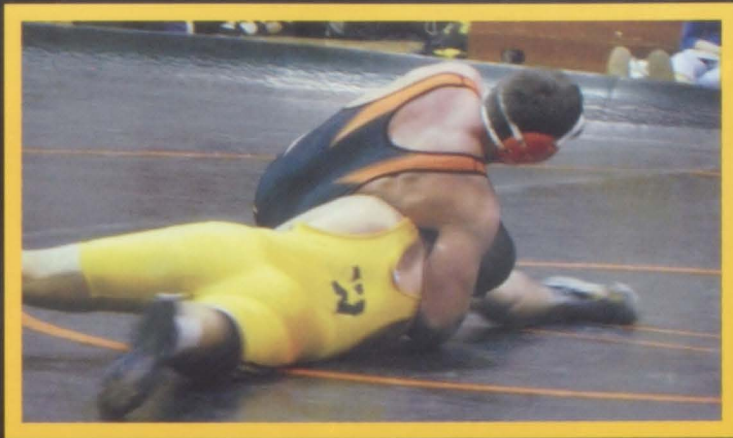
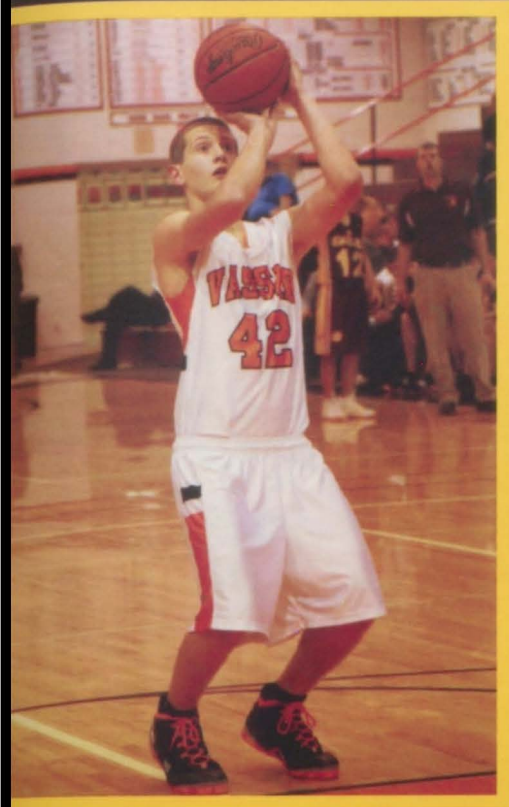
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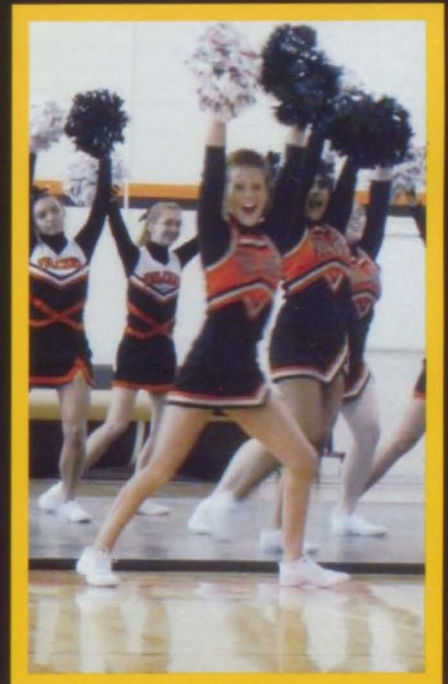
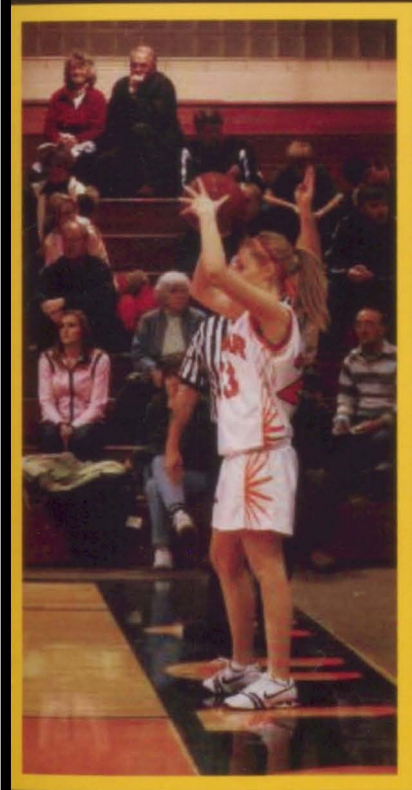


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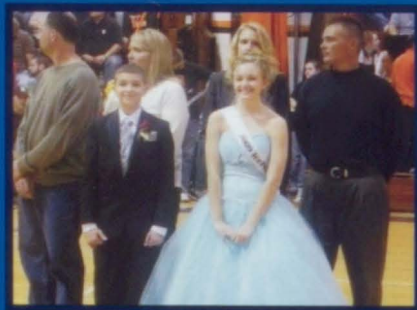
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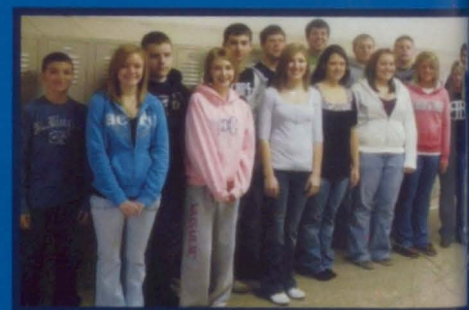
Above: Members of the 2009 Ice Fest Court; back row from l-r: Senior Tom Hazen, Senior Justin Ayotte, Senior Andrew Emerson, Senior Ryan Worden, Senior Ryan Huber, Freshman Nicco Candela, Sophomore Ian Bradley, and Junior Shane Edler; front row from l-r: Senior Alicia Bierlein, Senior Jessica Reif, Senior Amanda Rupprecht, Senior Meghan Case, Senior Brandi Rupprecht, Freshman Brandi Abbott, Sophomore Jill Moreau, and Junior Angel Wilber.



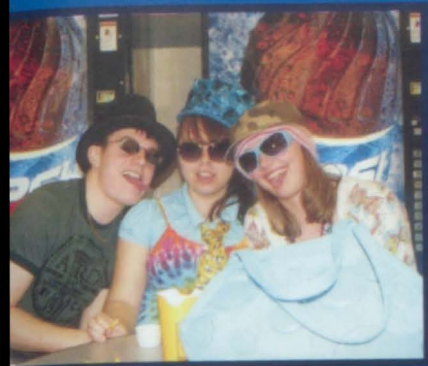
Above: Nicco Candela and Brandi Abbott stand proudly with their parents during the halftime festivities.



Above: Ice Fest Queen and King Meghan Case and Justin Ayotte



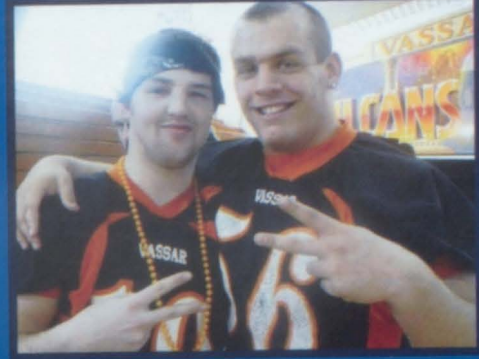
Above: The 2009 court in a more relaxed state.



Above: Jacob Green, Mallory Makl, and Sam Helsel.



Above from l-r: Kimmi Eastman and Marina Taylor on 80's day.



Above: Drew Davis and Josh DuBois sporting their football jerseys on Orange and Black Day.



Above: Members of each class having some fun during the pep assembly.



Above: Members of the cheerleading squad performing their routine.



Above: Carlos Wilson and Tianna Poe showing love on Hat, Tie, and Sunglasses Day.

Spirit Week Days

Monday- Hat, Tie, and Sunglasses Day.

Tuesday- 80's Day

Wednesday- Flotation Device Day

Thursday- Fake an Injury Day

Friday- Orange and Black Day



Above: Mary Anthony and Mallory Makl pretending to be sick, on Fake an Injury Day.



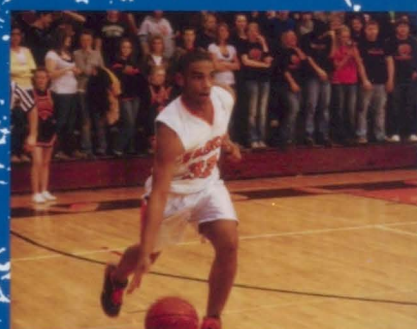
Above: Chris Sergent staying above water on Flotation Device Day.



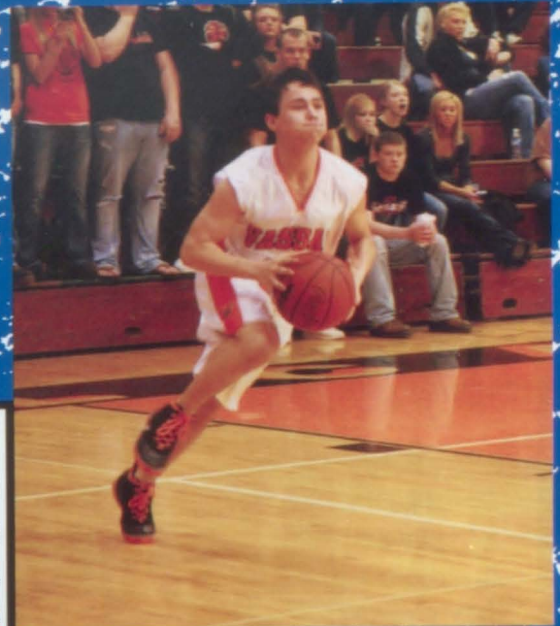
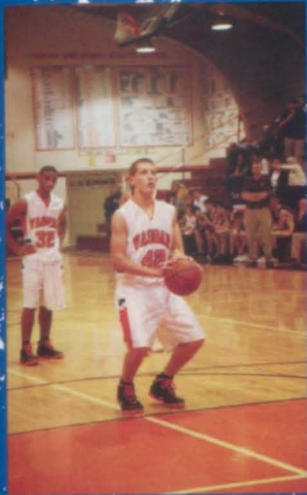
VARSITY BOYS' BASKETBALL



Back row from l-r: Wayne Szagesh, Madison Harper, Ryan Amend, Keif Vickers, Jeremy Schiefer, Garret Troike, and Michael Weiss; Front row from l-r: Coach Fabro, Troy Hecht, Zack Germain, Jamison Knudsen, and Coach McCloud.



VULCAN GAMES



Above: Jeremy Schiefer prepares to cash this free throw shot.

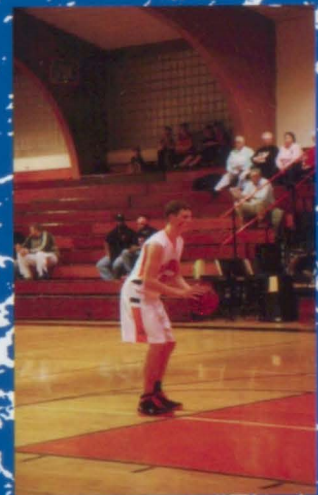
Above: Mike Weiss launches this last second shot.

Vassar @	Marlette	62-41
Vassar Vs.	Deckerville	50-35
Vassar Vs.	Sandusky	54-46
Vassar @	Caro	46-42
Vassar @	Ubly	30-42
Vassar Vs.	Bad Axe	56-34
Vassar Vs.	Cass City	33-38
Vassar @	USA	48-53
Vassar @	Lapeer	42-58
Vassar Vs.	BCAS	31-46
Vassar @	Mayville	62-29
Vassar Vs.	Reese	35-47
Vassar Vs.	USA	58-61
Vassar @	Bad Axe	51-38
Vassar Vs.	Birch Run	58-31
Vassar @	Cass City	48-50
Vassar Vs.	Laker	63-60
Vassar @	BCAS	54-69
Vassar Vs.	Mayville	55-30
Vassar @	Reese	64-49

Districts At Millington

Vassar Vs. Yale	56-49
Vassar Vs. Millington	37-27
Vassar Vs. Cros-Lex	33-43

Below: Troy Hecht is called to the line to shoot.



Below: Garret Troike shakes his defender.



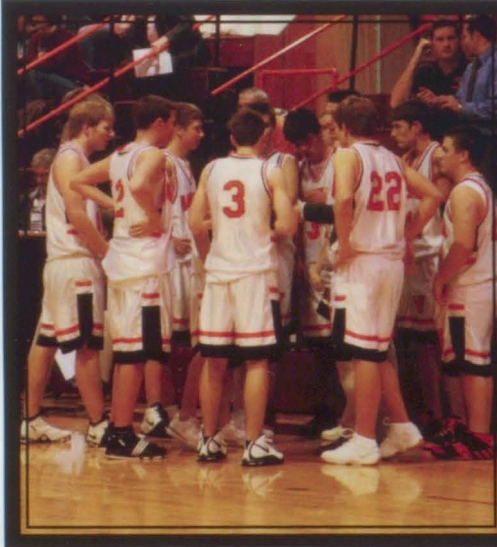


JV Boys' Basketball

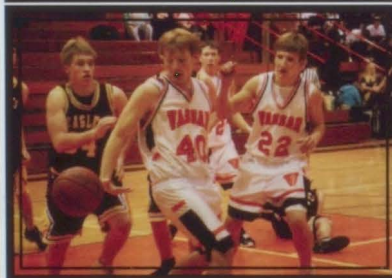
Right:
Ryan Muntz
going up
for a
jump shot.



Below:
The JV
players
huddle after
they go into
overtime.

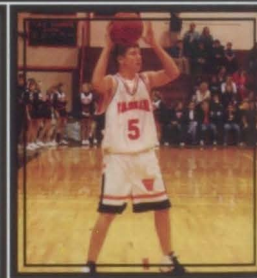


Back row from l-r: Coach Justin Sheperd, Coach Scott Buchman;
middle row from l-r: Kevin Pratt, Max Bender, Robert Major, John
Riley, Brandon Peter, and Ryan Muntz;
front row from l-r: Nolan Whitney, Daniel Kennard, Matt Kaatz,
Kyle Auernhamer, Jacob Bogert, Austin Huber.

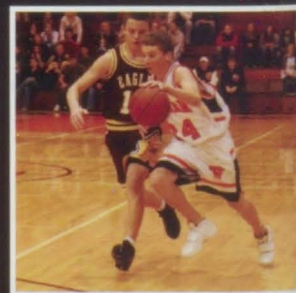


Left: John Riley and
Austin Huber play
defense.

Right:
Nolan Whitney
looking to pass the
ball.



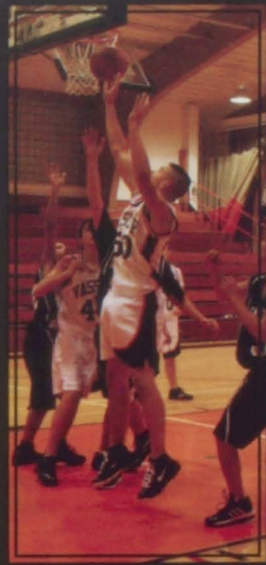
Left: Brandon Peter tries for a
three-pointer.
Right: Jake Bogart passing the
ball to Brandon Peter.
Far Right- Ryan Muntz
dribbles the ball up the court.



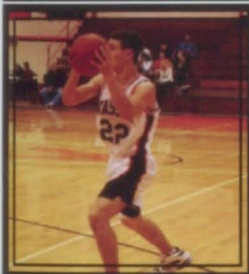
Freshmen Boys' Basketball



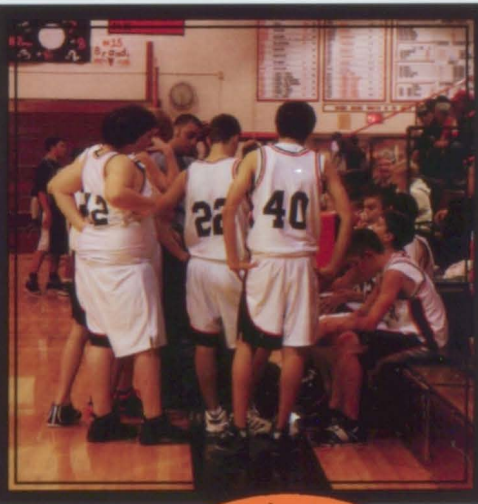
Back row from l-r: Coach Luke Weldon
 middle row from l-r: Lance Rupprecht, Zac Case, Tim Palmer,
 Dakota Dubois, Christopher Huizar, and Nicco Candela;
 front row from l-r: Gavin Greer, Tony Pecoraro, Josh Peplinski,
 Austin Baker, Austin Giles, and Daniel Roland.



Left:
 Josh
 Peplinski
 goes up for a
 two-pointer.
 Below:
 The
 Freshmen
 players
 gather in a
 team
 huddle.



Right: Josh Peplinski
 passes the ball.
 Left: Tim Palmer
 looking to pass the
 ball.



Left: Lance Rupprecht looks to
 pass the ball.
 Right: Zac Case dribbles the
 ball down the court.
 Far Right: Gavin Greer
 looking for a teammate.



Varsity Girls' Basketball

Vassar vs. Caro	34-29	W
Vassar vs Ubly	30-32	L
Vassar vs Marlette	59-33	W
Vassar @ Sandusky	42-58	L
Vassar @ Mayville	33-28	W
Vassar vs. Reese	21-65	L
Vassar vs USA	33-38	L
Vassar @ Bad Axe	35-34	W
Vassar @ Deckerville	46-34	W
Vassar vs. Cass City	52-36	W
Vassar vs. Laker	31-50	L
Vassar @ BCAS	49-40	W
Vassar vs. Mayville	45-36	W
Vassar @ Reese	29-49	L
Vassar @ USA	46-52	L
Vassar vs. Bad Axe	37-32	W
Vassar @ Kingston	48-18	W
Vassar vs. Cass City	42-28	W
Vassar @ Laker	43-41	W
Vassar vs. BCAS	31-27	W

Districts @ Cros-Lex

Vassar vs. North Branch 27-31 L



Back row from l-r: Emily Aranyos, Renae Gamm, Amberly Hauger, Kayla Verbeek, Ashley Schiefer, Kelsey Hecht, Renae Huizar, and Haley Kern; middle l-r: Coach Robert Nowotny, Manager Nathan Wilder, and Assistant Coach Jonathan Hoerlein; front row from l-r: Meghan Case, Jessica Hecht, Alicia McClenathan, and Courtney Abbs.





Above: Emily Aranyous received Co-Most Improved Player.



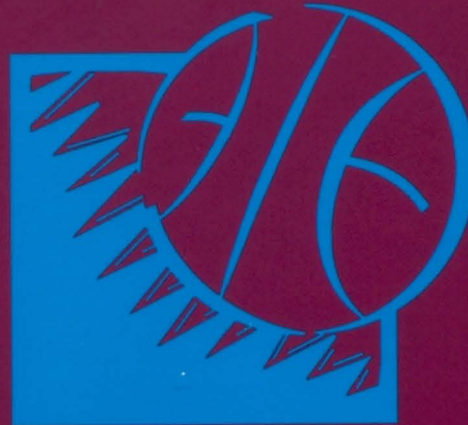
Above: Courtney Abbs received the Coach's Award.



Above: Ashley Schiefer received Co-Most Improved Player and Honorable Mention GTW.



Above: Kayla Verbeek received Co-Most Valuable Player and first team all-conference in the Greater Thumb West.



Above: Jessica Hecht received Co-Most Valuable Player and Honorable Mention Greater Thumb West.



Junior Varsity Girls' Basketball



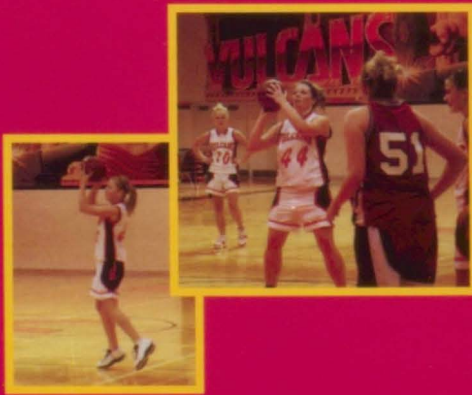
Back row from l-r: Alyssa Muntz, Carly Curell, Alisha Campbell, Coach Baker, Allison Schiefer, Haley Zwerk, and Jill Moreau; front row from l-r: Quinn Doran, Ashley Janke, Jessica Ostrander, Leah Hoyt, and Abigail Amend.



Above: Girls huddle to strategize.

Good Job On Your Undeafated Season!

Vassar vs. Caro	36-24 W
Vassar vs. Ubly	39-17 W
Vassar vs. Marlette	35-22 W
Vassar @ Sandusky	35-28 W
Vassar @ Mayville	40-19 W
Vassar vs. Reese	45-29 W
Vassar vs. USA	50-43 W
Vassar @ Bad Axe	45-29 W
Vassar @ Deckerville	51-31 W
Vassar @ Cass City	44-26 W
Vassar vs. Laker	38-30 W
Vassar @ Bay City	55-35 W
Vassar vs. Mayville	34-15 W
Vassar @ Reese	37-29 W
Vassar @ USA	37-33 W
Vassar vs. Bad Axe	36-21 W
Vassar @ Kingston	67-21 W
Vassar vs. Cass City	49-21 W
Vassar @ Laker	31-23 W
Vassar vs. Bay City	46-30 W

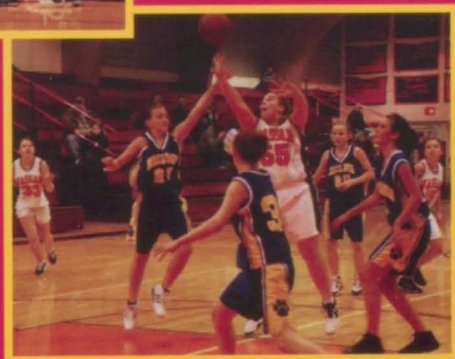


Above: Girls shoot the ball.



Above: Quinn Doran and Jessica Ostrander

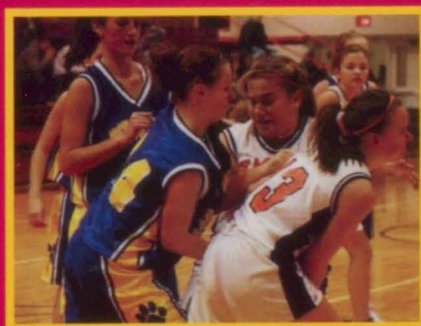
Freshmen Girls' Basketball



Back row from l-r: Coach Cox, Lauren Albrecht, Savannah Shepherd, Erica Taylor, Cheyenne Carson, Hailey Bellamy, and Coach Kukulski; front row from l-r: Lydia Denome, Ashley Taylor, Ashley Stanulis, Allison Casper, and Kaitlyn Verbeek.

Nice Job Girls!

Vassar vs. Caro	18-33 L
Vassar @ Caro	34-30 W
Vassar @ Frankenmuth	17-48 L
Vassar vs. Birch Run	12-38 L
Vassar vs. Garber	47-23 W
Vassar @ Sandusky	15-51 L
Vassar @ Valley Lutheran	15-41 L
Vassar vs. Reese	46-44 W
Vassar vs. Sandusky	18-43 L
Vassar @ North Branch	48-43 W
Vassar vs. Laker High	42-35 W
Vassar @ Bay City All States	20-51 L
Vassar vs. Frankenmuth	18-48 L
Vassar @ Birch Run	34-27 W
Vassar vs. North Branch	37-33 W
Vassar @ Laker High	37-45 L
Vassar vs. Bay City All States	34-46 L



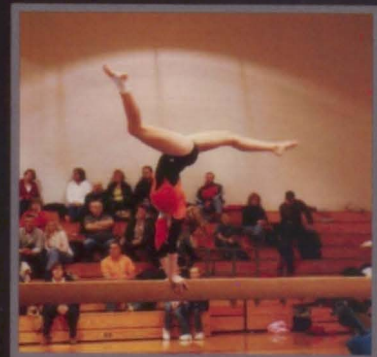
"Seize The Fire"



Varsity



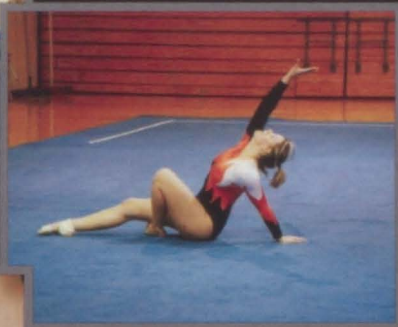
Back row from l-r: Coach Purigroski, Jessica Gwisdala, Ashley Turner, Olivia Germain, Hillary Opperman, Codiejo Francisco, Asst. Coach Cindy Briggs; Front row from l-r: Brandi Abbott, Whitney Reames, Rebecca Fall, Mallory Garret, Mikayla Stakolosa, Megan Bilbee.



Gymnastics



Left: Mikayla Stakolosa performs on the bars.



Right: Rebecca Fall poses on the floor.



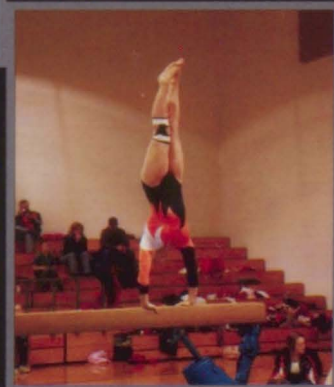
Below: Whitney reames prepares for a fly-away on the bars.



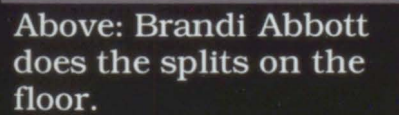
Above: Olivia Germain sticks her landing on the vault.



Below: Hillary Opperman does a handstand on the beam.



Above: Whitney Reames is ready to perform her floor routine.



Above: Brandi Abbott does the splits on the floor.



MEETS

Canton
Cass City
East Lansing Invitational
Freeland
Cass City
Freeland & Cass City
Troy Athens
St. Johns Invitational
Freeland
Vassar Invitational
Freeland

Awards

MVP - Ashley Turner
Coaches Award - Rebecca Fall

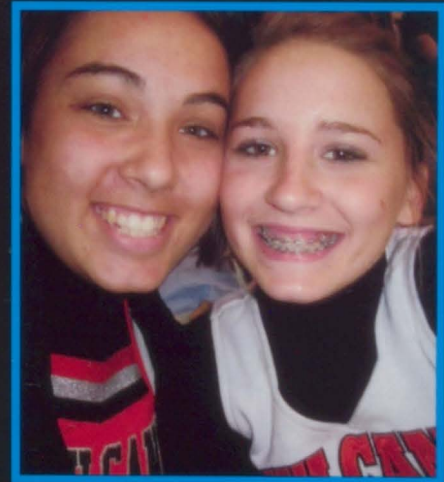


Varsity Basketball Cheerleading

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Back row l-r: Coach Koch, Shelby Goodman, Aino Pursimo, Madison Kutch; front row l-r: Kristin Walker, Jackie Torrez, Nicole Hartung, Nicole Dickenson, and Katie Withers.



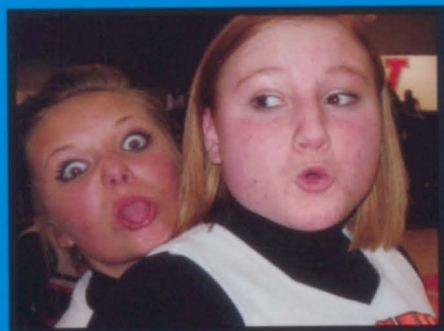
Above l-r: Katie Withers and Ashley Sipes excited for the game to begin.



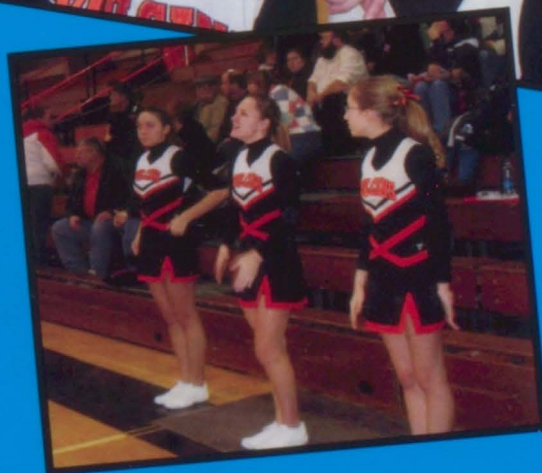
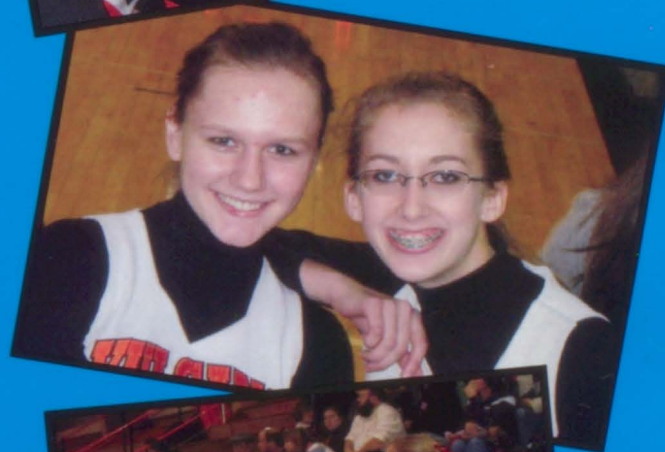
Junior Varsity Cheerleading



Back row l-r: Ashley Sipes, Porsche Aremia, Rebecca Stalsberg, Rachel Smith; front row l-r: Brittany Bell, Ashley Coners, Coach Kuhl, Ashley Endert, and Tori Crowe.



Above l-r: Tori Crowe and Ashley Endert making crazy faces.

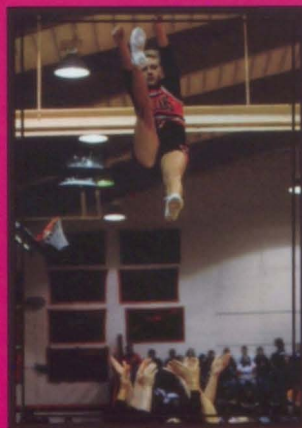


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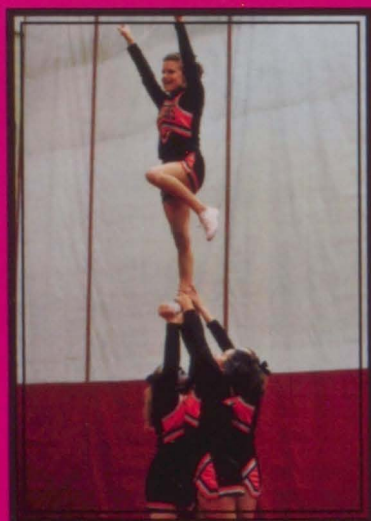
Competitive Cheerleading



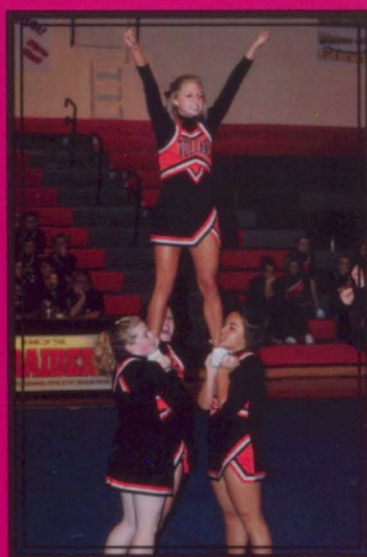
The 2008/2009 Football Cheerleading Team headed down south to Florida for the Capital One Bowl where they participated in the half time show.



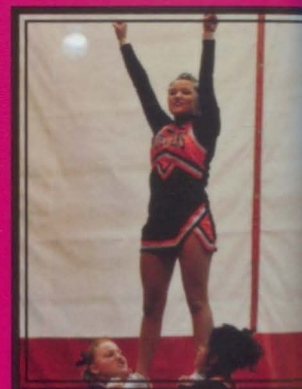
Below: Nicole Dickenson does a lib for the competition.



Above: Jackie Torrez has some fun during the cheer.



Above: Shelby Goodman flying in an elevator.

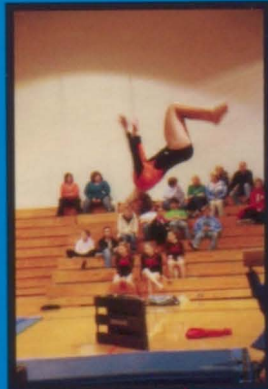
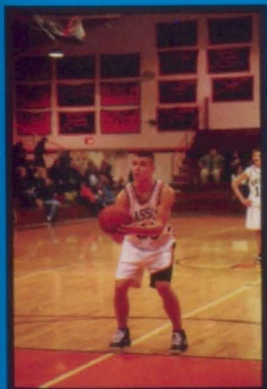
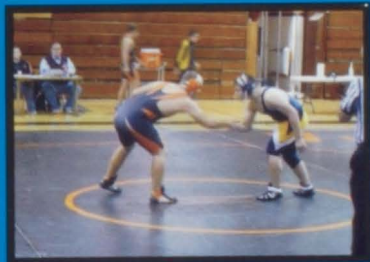
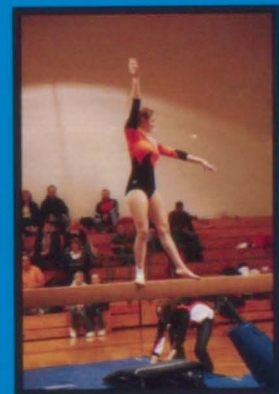
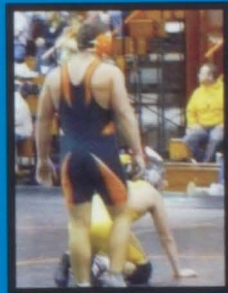
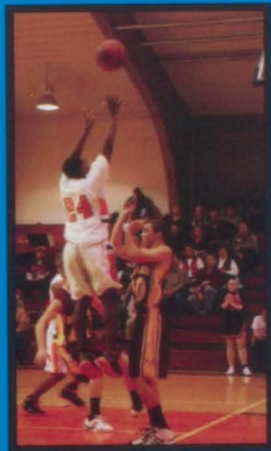
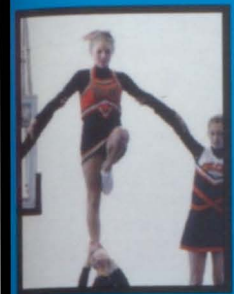
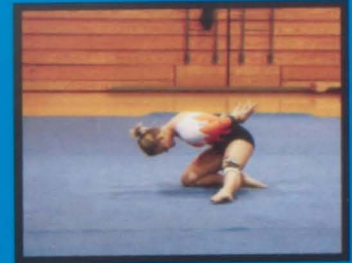
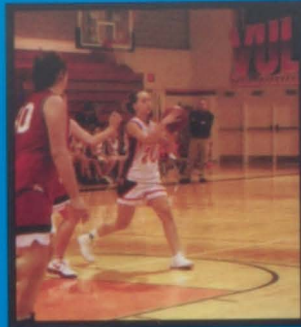
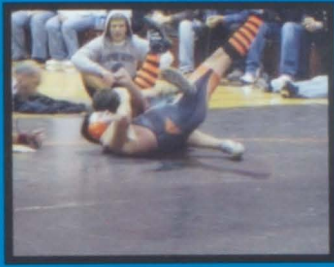


Above: Tori Crowe cheers during a stunt.



At districts, the team placed eighth out of fourteen teams. Nicole Dickenson received second team all conference and Kristin Walker received honorable mention all conference.

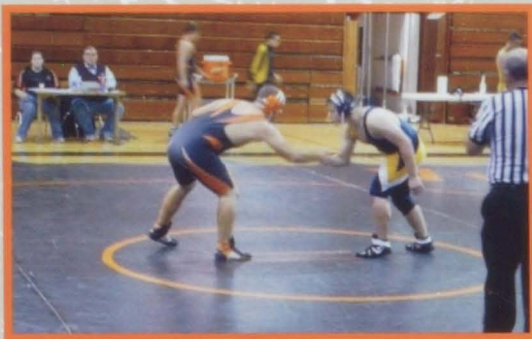
WINTER SPORTS MEMORIES



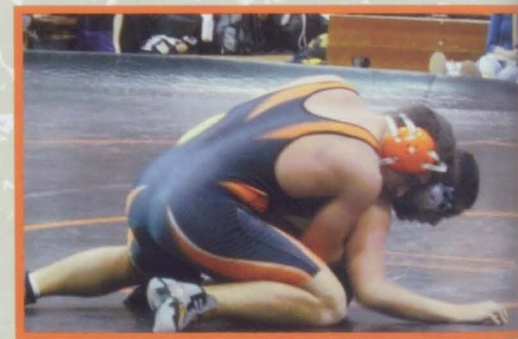
WRESTLING



Back row l-r: Manager Kayla King, Manager Ashley Endert, Coach Endert, Coach King, Manager Sam Groen, and Manager Courtney Miller; middle row l-r: Tony Ray, Andrew Einhardt, David Putman, Mike Tebedo, Josh Bauer, Josh DuBois, Ian Bradley, Jon Smith; front row l-r: Rico Torres, Kirk Datz, Justin Muntz, Robert Shepperd, James McLaren, Kyle Glenn, and Dontay Crist.



above: Josh DuBois prepares for another tough match.



above: Mike Tebedo works to pin his opponent.

The Varsity Wrestlers finished the season with an overall record of 14 wins and 24 loses. Highlights of their season include taking 1st place at the St. Charles Invitational and 2nd place at the Vassar Invitational.

WINTER SPORTS HONORS

All Conference Honors
for Girls Basketball

Kayla VerBeek: 1st Team



All Conference Honors
for Boys Basketball

Troy Hecht 2nd Team
Zach Germain 2nd Team



All Conference Honors
for Wrestling

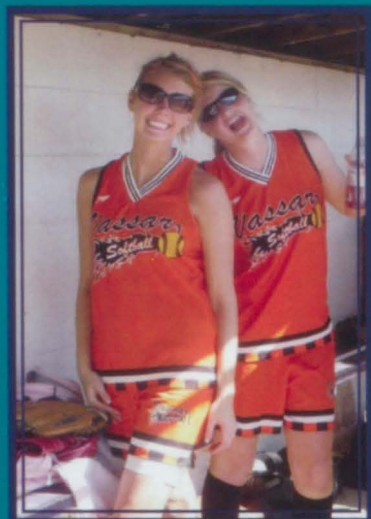
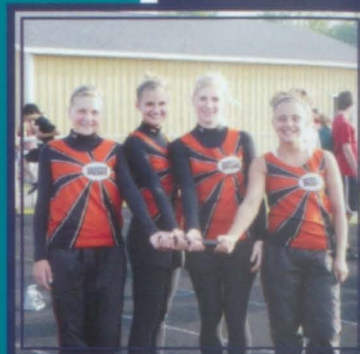
Mike Tebedo 1st Team
Josh DuBois 1st Team



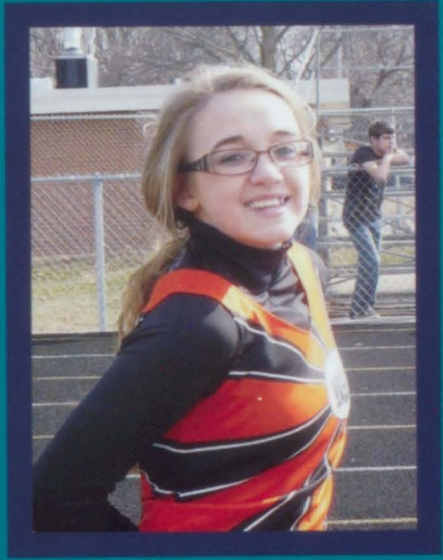
Josh DuBois and Mike
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Mike Tebedo State
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VARSITY BASEBALL

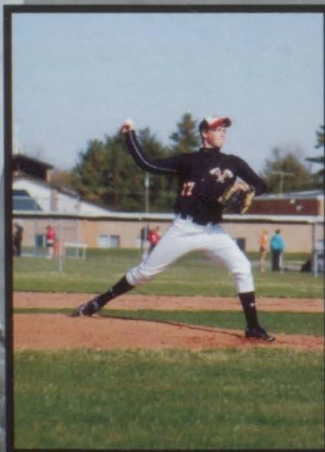


Back Row l to r: Brandon Peters, Justin Locklear, Kyle Aurenhammer, Zack Kobman, Nathan Wilder, Josh DuBois, Cody Otter, Zack Germain, Shane Shoens, Tyler Jenkins, Joe Harper, Jeff Wickings, Justin Beach, Garret Troike, and Zack Aranyos. Front Row l to r: Manager Sara Stelfox, Coach Chris Baldwin, Assistant Coaches Brian Kern and Kris Shoemate.

Below: Senior Shane Shoens launches a 3 run homer vs. Mayville for the win.



Below: Sophomore Nolan Whitney throwing fire on the mound.



Below: Sophomore Kyle Aurenhammer blocks a low ball behind the plate.



Below: Freshman Zac Case touches home plate for a Vulcan run.





VULCAN BASEBALL RECORD

Vassar @ Millington	W
Vassar @ Kingston	W-W
Vassar @ Mayville	L-L
Vassar Vs BCAS	L-L
Vassar Vs. Mayville	W
Vassar Vs USA	L
Vassar @ Laker	L
Vassar Vs Alcona	W-W
Vassar Vs Lakeville	W
Vassar @ Kearsley	L
Vassar Vs USA	W-L
Vassar Vs. Reese	L-L
Vassar @ Bad Axe	L-L
Vassar Vs. Frankenmuth	L-L
Vassar Vs Standish	L
Vassar Vs Ubly	L
Vassar @ Cass City	W-L
Vassar @ Caro	L



ALL CONFERENCE HONORS

ZAC CASE: 2ND TEAM ALL CONFERENCE

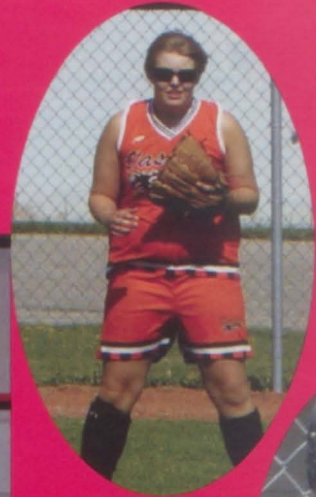
JOE HARPER AND KYLE AURENHAMMER: HONORABLE MENTION

DISTRICTS @ MILLINGTON

Vassar Vs. Frankenmuth L



Varsity



Back row from l-r: Coach McGrandy and Coach Hoover;
 Middle row from l-r: Alicia Campbell, Allison Jacot,
 Hannah Opperman, Kayla Verbeek, Amberly Hauger,
 Olivia Germain, and Haley Zwerk; Front row from l-r:
 Jessica Miles, Brandi Rupprecht, Jessica Hecht, Alicia
 McClenathen, Courtney Abbs, and Meghan Case

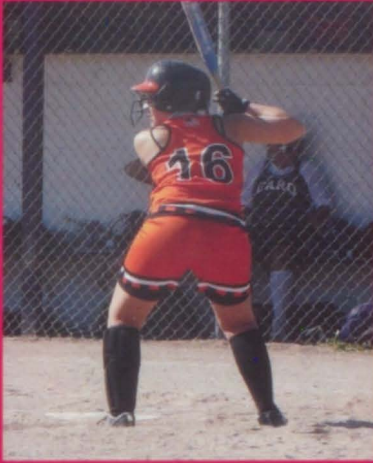
Varsity Softball

4/2 Kingston	-W
4/16 Mayville	-W/L
4/23 BCAS	-L
5/2 Alcona	-W
5/4 USA	-L
5/7 Reese	-L
5/11 Bad Axe	-L/W
5/14 Frankenmuth	-L
5/16 Alcona Invite	-W
5/18 Cass City	-L/W
5/20 Caro	-W

Districts
 5/26 Frankenmuth -L



Softball



Left: Jessica Miles is up to bat for the Vassar Vulcans.

Right: Meghan Case pitches a strike.



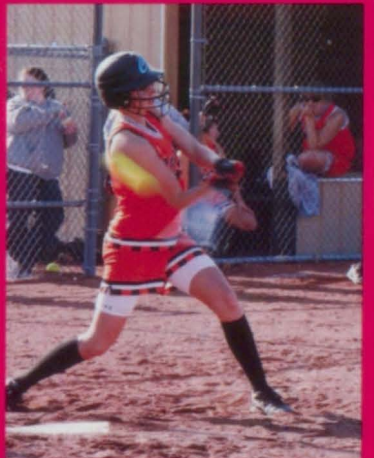
Left: Alicia McClenathen safely slides into second.

Right: Courtney Abbs waits for the ball to come her way at second base.



Left: Brandi Rupprecht is ready for a ground ball at third.

Right: Jessica Hecht slams the ball for the Vulcan team



JV Boys' Baseball



Above: The JV baseball team gather before the start of the inning.

Below: Ryan Owens runs to first base.



Above: Nicco warming up before he bats.



Back row from l-r: Coach Russell, Nolan Whitney, Austin Huber, Austin Giles, Daniel Kennard, Matt Kaatz, John, Riley, Daniel Roland, Cody Legue, Coach Wade; front row from l-r: Nicco Candela, Kevin Pratt, Zac Case, Tyler Best, Tim Palmer, Jack Campbell, Fred Locke, Ryan Owens.



Above: Austin waiting for a play.



JV Girls' Softball



Above: Brandi warms up her arm before the game.

Below: Leah waiting for a play at shortstop.



Above: Coach Simko calls a time out to regroup.



Left: Emily waits for the strikeout.

Right: Abbey at first base.



Back row from l-r: Coach Goodell, Coach Kennard, Coach Simko; middle row from l-r: Hailey Bellamy, Melissa Owensby, Carly Curell, Savannah Shepherd, Chelsea Coffey, Brandi Abbot, Emily Aranyos; front row from l-r: Erica Taylor, Ashley Taylor, Abigail Amend, Jessica Ostrander, Leah Hoyt, Katie Verbeek, Stephanie Wengrow.



VARSITY BOYS TRACK



Right: Michael Weiss having some fun at the meet. Below: Jeremy Schiefer a little tired after the race.



Back row from l-r: Ryan Muntz, Justin Muntz, Alex Hildner, Marcus Taylor, Carlos Wilson, Jake Bogart, Andrew Hildner, Chris Sergent, Sean Richards, Zach Becker, Tony Pasarello, Hans Kern; middle row from l-r: Coach Kiss, David Vitu, Max Bender, Ian Bradley, Robert Shepherd, Jason Locklear, Ryan Amend, Madison Harper, James McLaren, Cassidy Lemcke, Christopher Huizar, Adam Wolverton, and Coach Germain; front row from l-r: Keif Vickers, Jeremiah Bell, James Brown, Sam Kennard, Anthony Pecoraro, Jeremy Schiefer, Wayne Szagesh, Richie Moreau, Dontay Crist, and Michael Weiss



Above: Hans Kern about to throw shotput. Right: Wayne Szagesh competing in his race.



Right: Dontay Crist sprinting to the finish line. Above: Ryan Amend passing off the baton to Madison Harper.



AT THE VASSAR INVITATIONAL THE BOYS PLACED SECOND OUT OF SIX SCHOOLS.

AT THE REESE INVITATIONAL THE BOYS PLACED NINTH OUT OF TEN SCHOOLS.

AT THE REESE JV INVITATIONAL THE BOYS PLACED THIRD OUT OF SIX SCHOOLS.



VARSITY GIRLS TRACK



Back row from l- r: Coach Hurd, Chelsea Bukach, Tori Crowe, Megan Bilbee, Whitney Reames, Taylor Tyson, Destiny Milton, Jill Moreau, Courtney Miller, and Danielle Gamm; middle row from l-r: Alyssa Muntz, Kaila Wilson, Lydia Denome, Ashley Stanulis, Ashley Janke, Allison Kasper, Allison Schiefer, and Taylor Losee; front row from l-r: Quinn Doran, Ashley Knapp, Jamie Palmer, Jeniffer Schiefer, Jessica Gwisdala, Haley Kern, and Ashley Schiefer

Right: Alyssa Muntz, Allison Schiefer, Haley Kern, and Whitney Reames prepare for their relay. Below: Jamie Palmer warming up for her race.



Right: Jamie Palmer running fast to the end. Above: Destiny Milton waiting for her race to begin.



AT THE VASSAR INVITATIONAL THE GIRLS PLACED SIXTH OUT OF TEN TEAMS.

AT THE REESE INVITATIONAL THE GIRLS PLACED SIXTH OUT OF TEN SCHOOLS.

AT THE REESE JV INVITATIONAL THE GIRLS PLACED SECOND OUT OF SIX SCHOOLS.



Right: Ashley and Allison Schiefer showing some sisterly love. Above: Ashley Stanulis stretches before her race.



Meet of Champs

4x100 - 2nd place - Keif Vickers, Ryan Amend, Dontay Crist, and Madison Harper

4x200 - 3rd place - Keif Vickers, Ryan Amend, Dontay Crist, and Madison Harper

200 - 3rd place - Dontay Crist

Long Jump - 2nd place - Ryan Amend

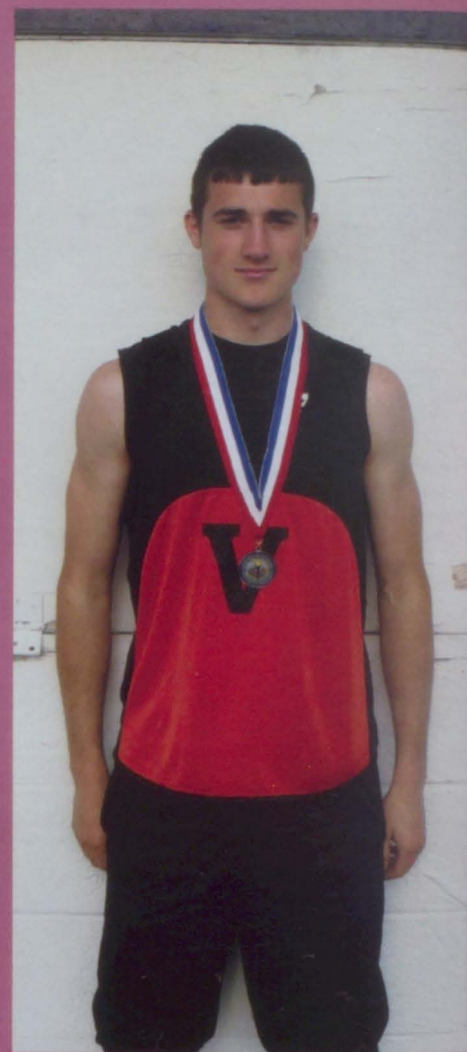
High Jump - 4th place - Keif Vickers

Dontay Crist has a new Meet of Champs record and took first place with a time of 10.71 in the 100 meter dash.



Left: Madison Harper bounces on the track in preparation for his race.

Bottom: Allison Kasper and Ashley Stanulis show their love for the camera.



Above: Ryan Amend showing off his medal

Track Records

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Vassar-Harbor Beach-Laker High	away	4/21/09	Boys:4-6	Girls:7-3
Vassar Invitational	home	4/24/09	Boys:2nd	Girls:6th
Vassar-Bad Axe-Laker High-USA	home	4/28/09	Boys:4-6	Girls:7-3
Reese Invitational	away	5/01/09	Boys:6th	Girls:9th
Vassar-Brown City-Cass City	home	5/05/09	Boys:5-7	Girls:9-3
Reese JV Invitational	away	5/07/09	Boys:3rd	Girls:2nd
Gtc Conference	away	5/12/09	Boys:3rd	Girls:5th
Regionals	away	5/16/09	Boys:3rd	Girls:7th
Frankenmuth JV Invitational	away	5/21/09	Boys:1st	Girls:1st



Dontay Crist - 1st Team All-Conference (100 meter dash).
 Zach Germain - 1st Team All-Conference (300 meter dash).
 Keif Vickers - 1st Team All-Conference (Long Jump).
 Dontay Crist, Keif Vickers, Madison Harper, Ryan Amend - 1st Team All-Conference (400 and 800 meter relays).
 Dontay Crist set a new record in the 100 meter dash at the "Thumb Meet of Champs" at Caro High School on 5/26/09 the new record is 10.71 seconds.
 Dontay Crist, Keif Vickers, Madison Harper, and Ryan Amend finished 2nd for the 400 meter relay at the MHSAA State Track Finals and recieved All State Honors recognition.



GOLF



All-Conference Recognition

1st Team 2nd Team
 Jeff Kidd Ryan Huber



Honorable Mention



From l-r: Jake Kokowicz, Michael Tebedo, and Brad Payzont.



Back row from l-r: Dallas Kokowicz, Austin Rupprecht, Brad Payzont, Coach Vince Leveille, Assistant Coach Nick Moloterno, Brandon Tereau; front row l-r: Jake Kokowicz, Matthew Tompkins, Nicholas Landskroener, and Ryan Huber. Missing from the photo is Michael Tebedo.

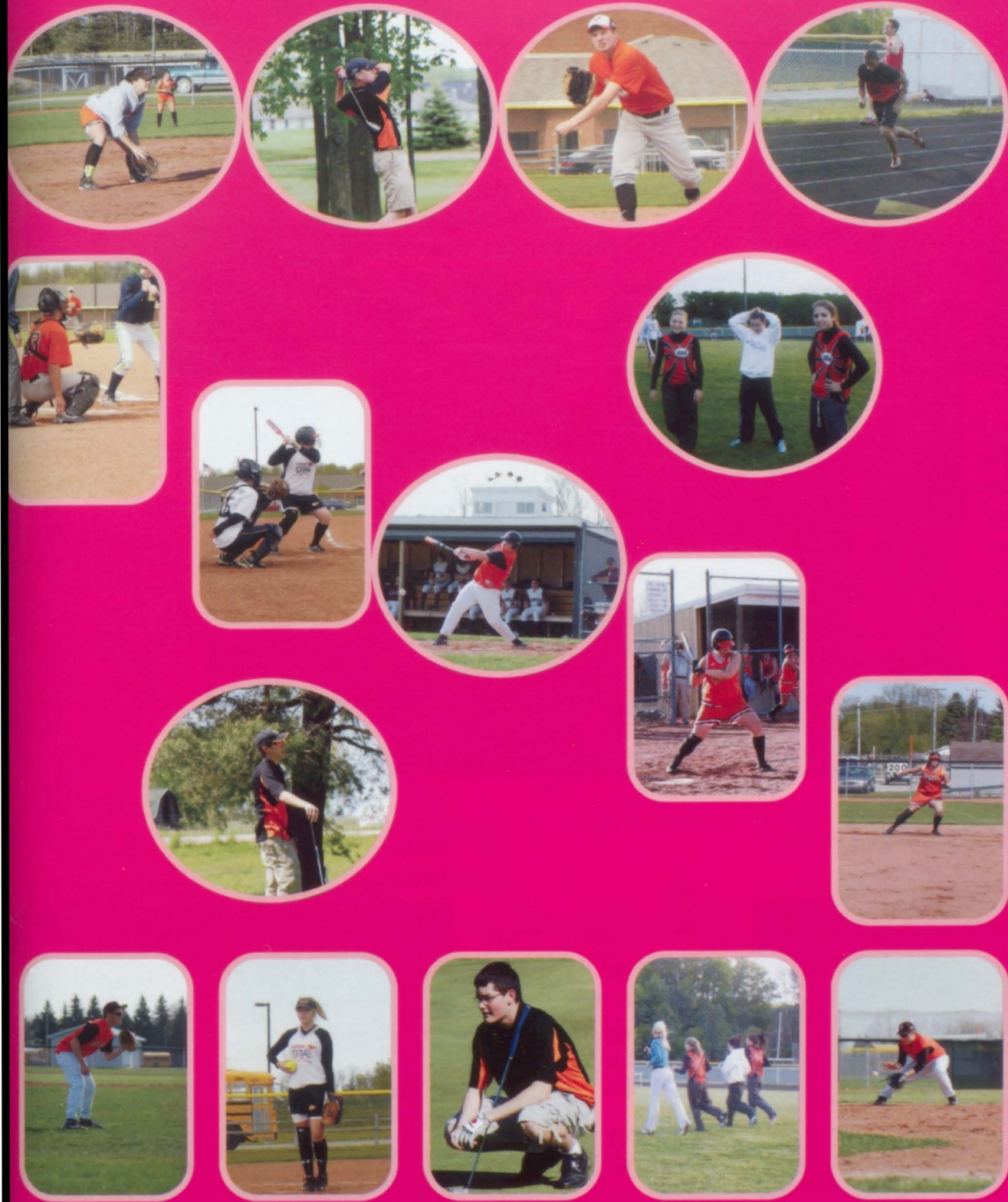
Varsity Golf

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Vassar vs. Birch Run, N.Branch	3rd
Vassar @ BCAS Jamboree	2nd
Vassar vs. Milligton, Mayville	1st
Vassar Jamboree	2nd
Vassar @ Millington	1st
Vassar @USA Jamboree	2nd
Vassar vs. Caro, Cass City	3rd
Vassar @ Laker High Jamboree	2nd
Vassar @ Bad Axe Jamboree	2nd
Vassar @ Cass City Jamboree	2nd



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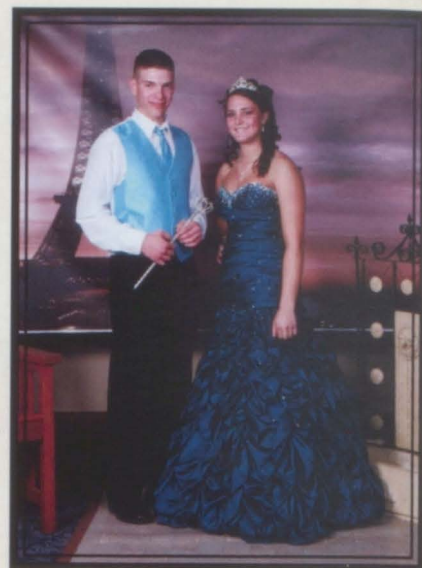
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Junior/Senior Prom 2009



Left: Sara Stelfox and Jacob Green were the King and Queen of 2009!



Right: Garrett Troike and Hannah Opperman were the Prince and Princess of 2009!



Below: Trent Bellamy and Haley Kern rocking red at the prom.



Below: Jamie Palmer and Ryan Huber smile big for the camera.



Passport to Paris



Left: Ashley Turner and Joe Harper getting ready to eat!

Right: Jackie Torrez and Marcus Taylor cuddle up for a photo.



Right: Katie Blasius and Amber Whitter showing off their dresses.



Left: Amanda Rupprecht shines as Andy Gohs sports some cool shades..

Below: Jessica Hecht and Meghan Case looking royal with their tiara's on.



Below: Tiffany Briggs, Katie Withers, and Jennifer Schiefer strike a pose for the camera.



Awards



The Journalism Recognition awards were given to: Katie Withers, Martin Chelekis, and Cameron Thorp, pictured here with Mrs. Strauss. Missing: Melissa Wilmoth and Morgan Sarazine.



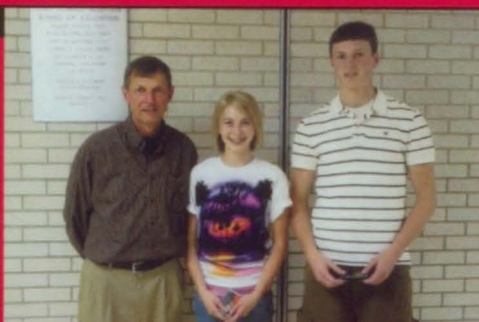
Winners of the Spanish Awards were Troy Hecht and Ashley Schiefer, pictured here with Ms. Simko. Missing: Wayne Szagesh, and Brandy Searles.



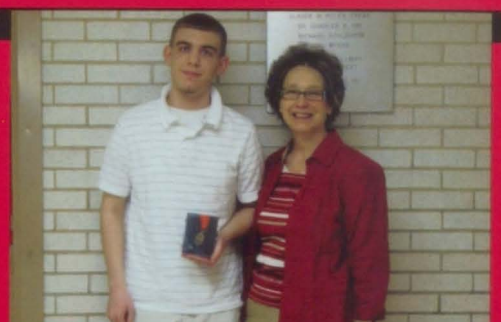
Winner of the Chemistry and Physics award was Brandi Rupprecht, pictured here with Mr. Cassidy.



Math Awards went to: Erica Taylor, Ashley Taylor, Jill Moreau, Jenna Peter, Jordan Folsom, and Zachary Tebedo, pictured here with Mr. Whitney.



Jill Moreau received the World History Award, Troy Hecht received the Government/Economics Award, pictured here with Mr. Lasceski. Missing: Tony Pecoraro-U.S. History Award.



The English Award was given to Aaron Hecht, pictured here with Mrs. Stacer.



left: Nathan Wilder, Jennifer Schiefer, Ryan Wischmeyer, and Hans Kern received the Golden Hammer Award.

right: Lauren Albrecht (freshman), Jill Moreau (sophomore), and Troy Hecht (junior) received the Alpha Beta Awards for 2009.



Picnic



Choir Awards went to: Nathan Wilder, Cameron Thorp, Martin Chelekis, Meghan Case, Jackie Torrez, and Tiffany Briggs, pictured here with Mrs. Middlin. Missing: Sara Stelfox and Melissa Wilmoth.



Thespian Awards were received by: Katie Withers, Rachael Damm, Cameron Thorp, Martin Chelekis, and Tiffany Briggs, pictured here with Mrs. Hackett.



Emily Finta, Jenna Peters, and Amber Whittier received the Senior Artist Award, pictured here with Mrs Parsell.



Juniors Class of 2010
back row from l-r: Ashley Schiefer, Troy Hecht, Hannah Opperman, Isaac Silvey; front row from l-r: Autumn Pennell, Toni Passerello, Kaylynn Kabat, Rachael Damm. Missing: Jamie Walter, Elizabeth Bissonnette.



Sophomores Class of 2011
back row from l-r: Max Bender, Laura Shepherd, Ian Bradley, John Riley, Abbey Amend; Front row from l-r: Julie Swackhamer, Jill Moreau, Erika Coners, Chelsea Coffey. Missing: Brandon Peter, Haley Zwerk.



Freshmen Class of 2012
back row from l-r: Gavin Greer, Ashley Taylor, Richard Moreau, Erica Taylor, David Putman; front row from l-r: Kaitlyn Verbeek, Victoria Riley, Whitney Reames, Jordon Folsom. Missing : Lauren Albrecht, Rebekah Losce.

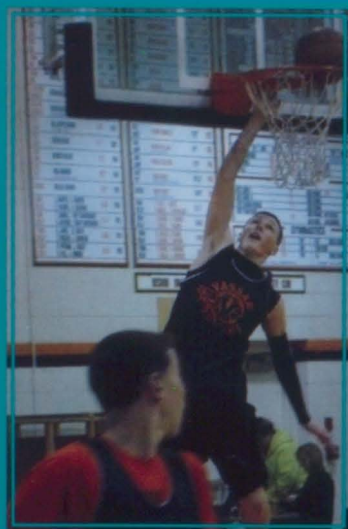
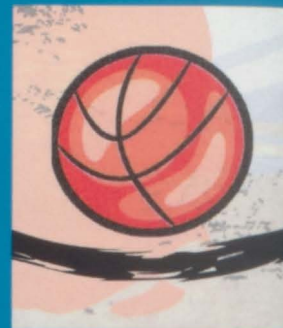
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Students Vs. Staff Basketball Game 2009



The Staff was victorious over the students this year. Despite great efforts by students, only the Junior class was able to come out on top.



Scoreboard

Freshmen 11	Staff 32
Sophomores 16	Staff 24
Juniors 26	Staff 25
Seniors 27	Staff 34





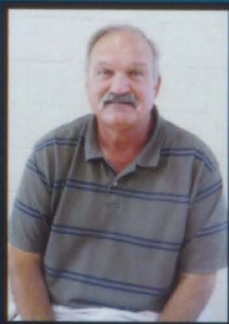


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Mr. Grysko
Mr. Gleeson
Mrs. Haley



Mr. Hurd
Mr. Leveille
Mrs. Middlin
Mrs. Schaff
Mr. Wojno



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Mrs. Becker
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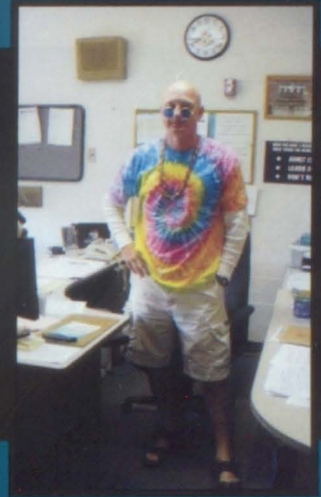




above: Mrs. Middlin rocks her shades during her senior rap.



above: Mrs. Chelekis shows off her bling during spirit week.



above: Mr. Leveille showing his 70's side.



above: Mrs. Strauss and Ms. Spaulding channeling their hippie spirit.



above: Mr. Cassidy and Mrs. Roberts enjoying Prom 2009.



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Mr. Palmer
Mrs. Parsell
Mrs. Piazza
Mrs. Piske



Mrs. Richardson
Mrs. Roberts
Ms. Simko
Ms. Spaulding
Mrs. Stacer



Mrs. Steele
Mrs. Strauss
Mr. Weldon
Mr. Whitney
Mrs. Zeck

Retirees 2009

Thank you for all your years of service!

Mike Buchman Mike Carnes
Lynn Franko Sue Giles
Carol Jamison Mary Ann Lindow
Alex "Joe" Mason Joan McBride
Paula Ramer Deb Roberts



Above: Jump aboard the retiree express!



Above: These six are "Done With It!"



Above: The retiree's are paddling their way outta here!



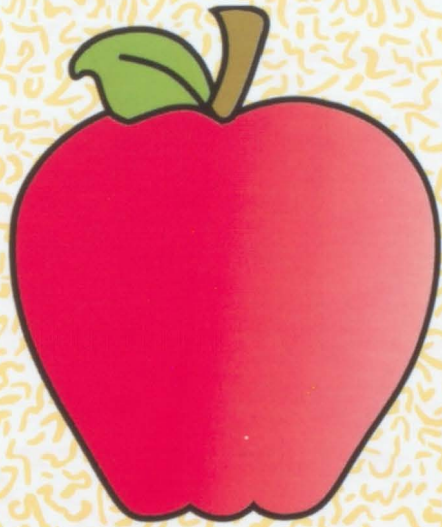
Above: Mrs. Roberts is all smiles for the camera.



Above: Mrs. Franko ready for retirement.



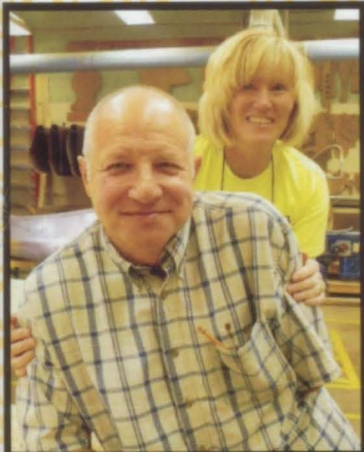
Above: Ms. Ramer is ready for a relaxing retirement.



Above: Ms. Jamison is excited for retirement.



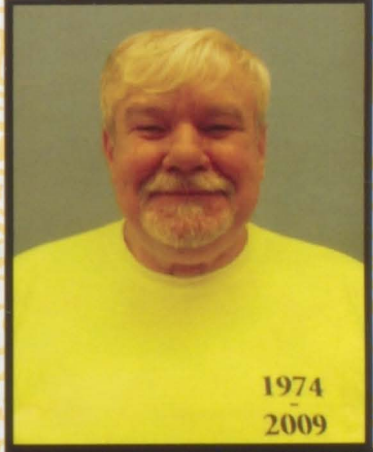
Above: Mrs. Lindow sitting at her desk for the last time.



Above: Mr. Mason and Ms. Ramer pose for a fun photo.



Above: Mr. Buchman showing his pearly whites.



Above: Mr. Carnes is going to enjoy his retirement.

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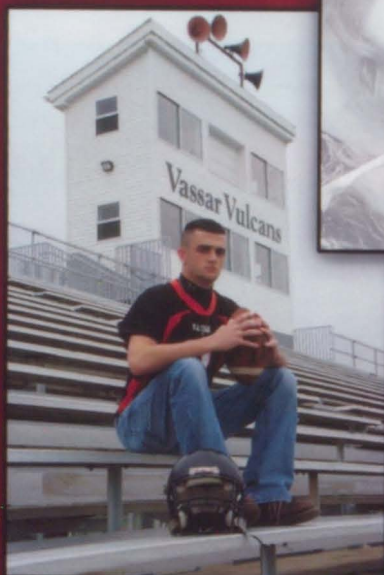
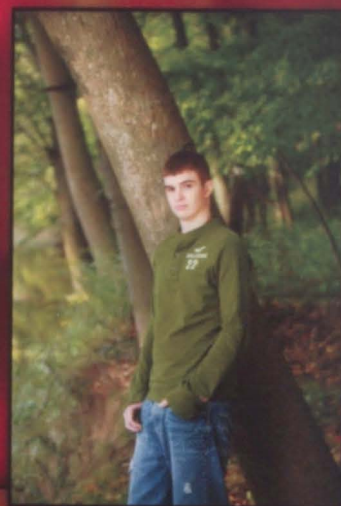


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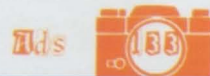
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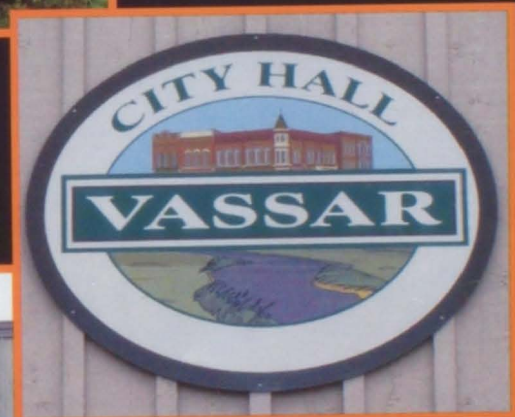
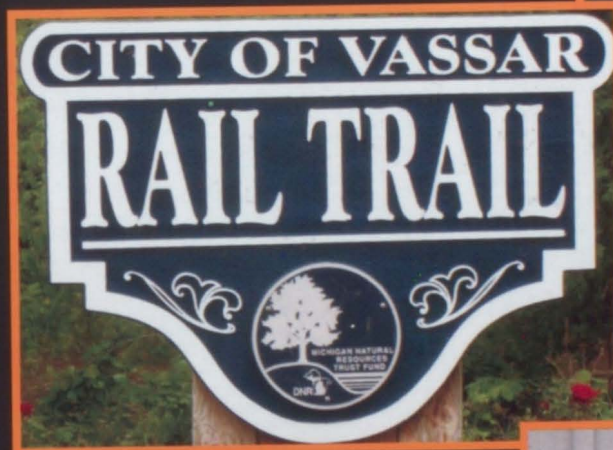
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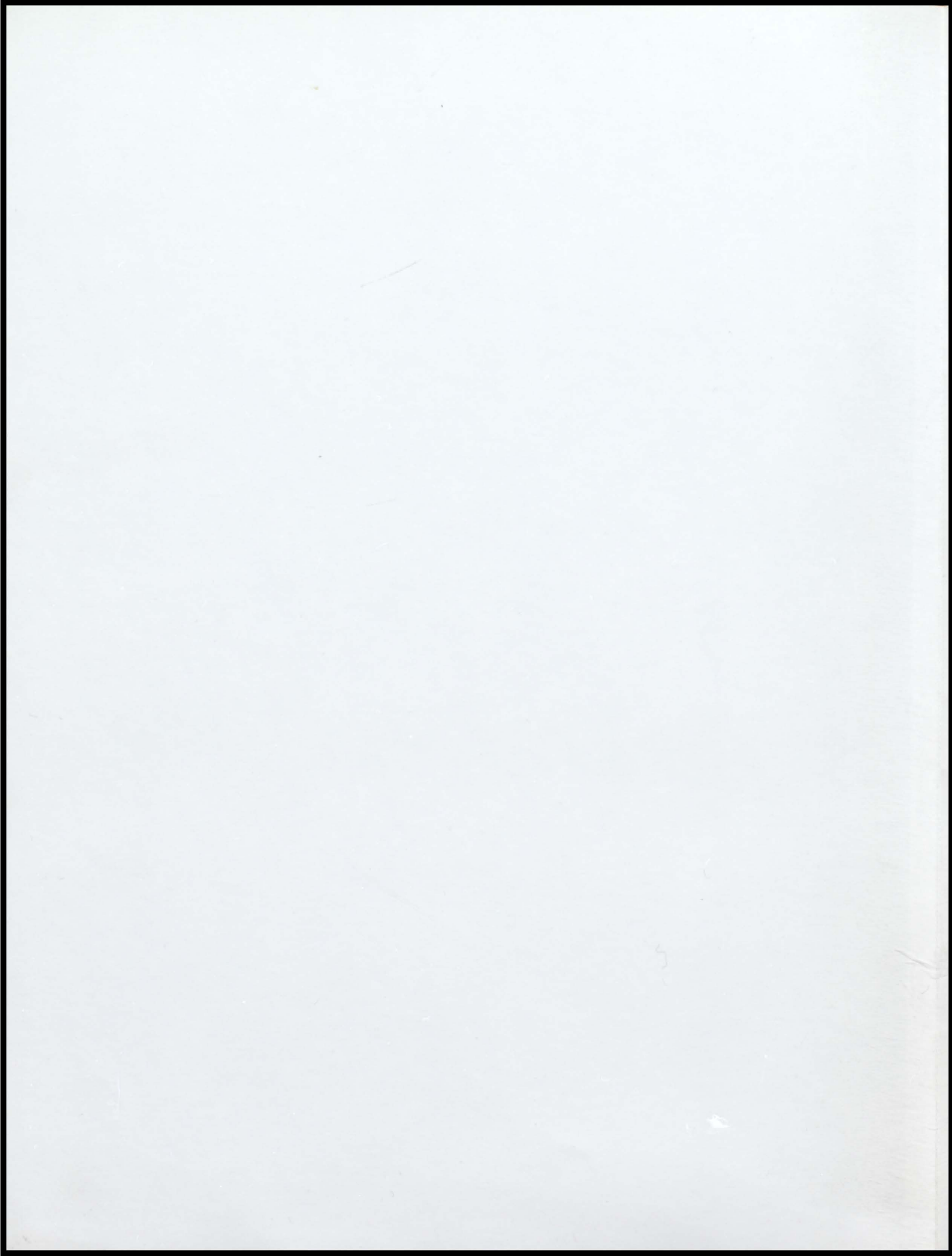
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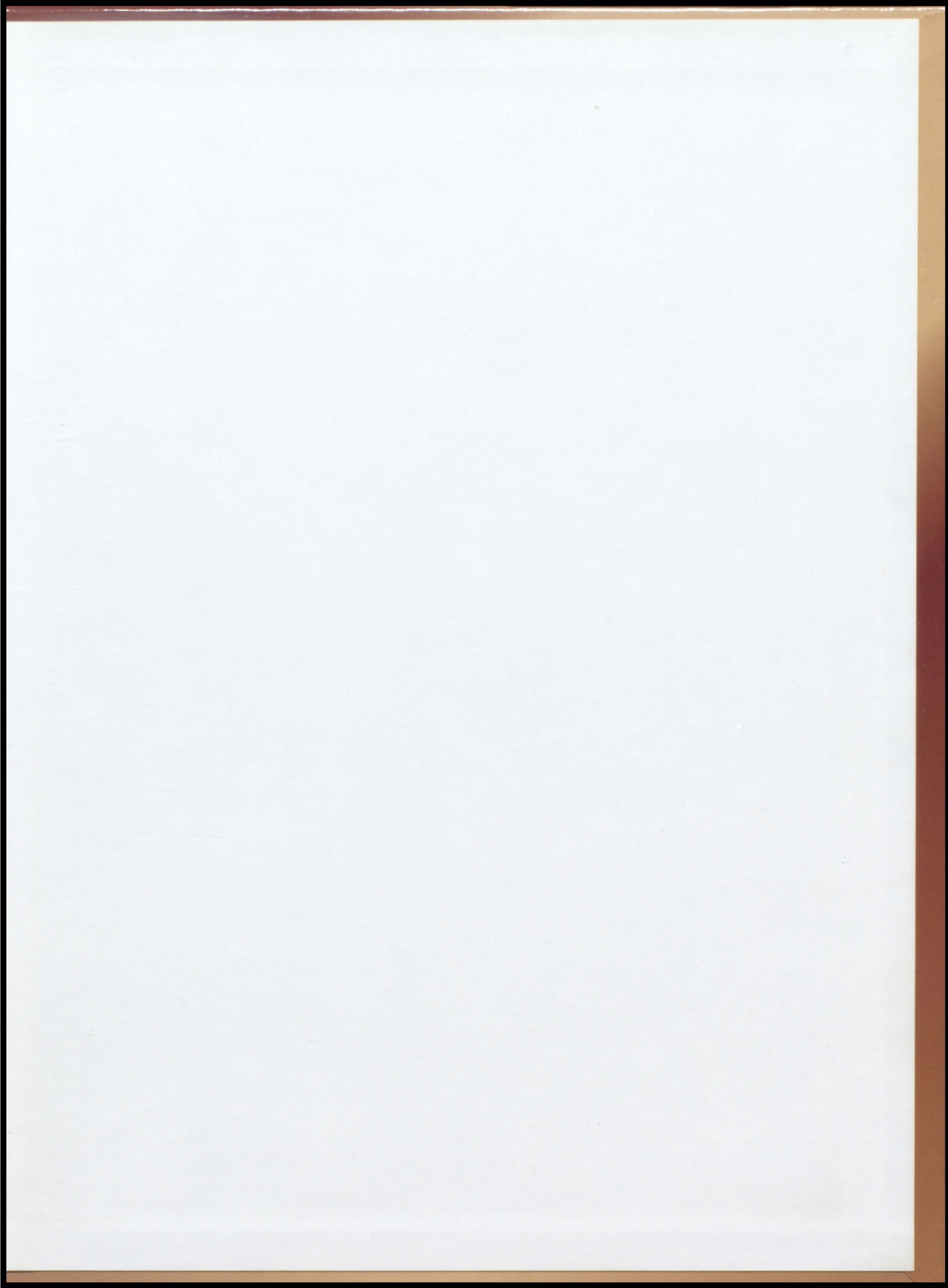
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