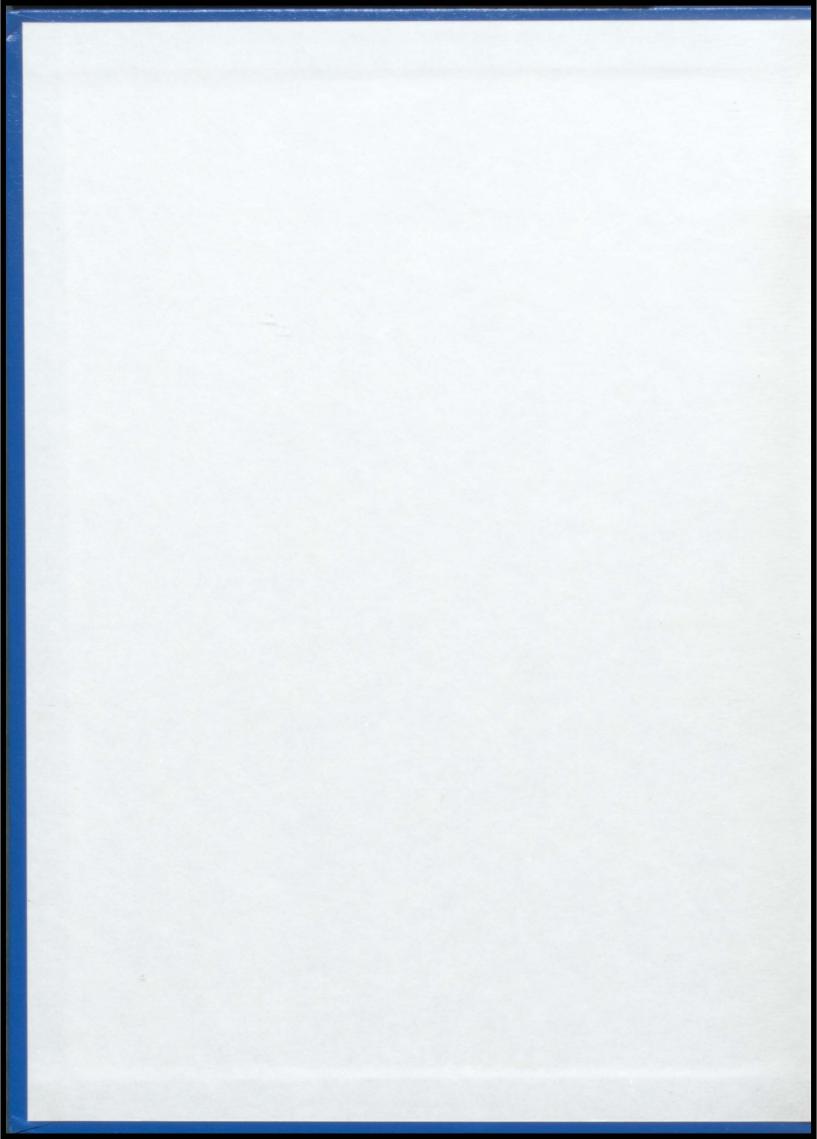
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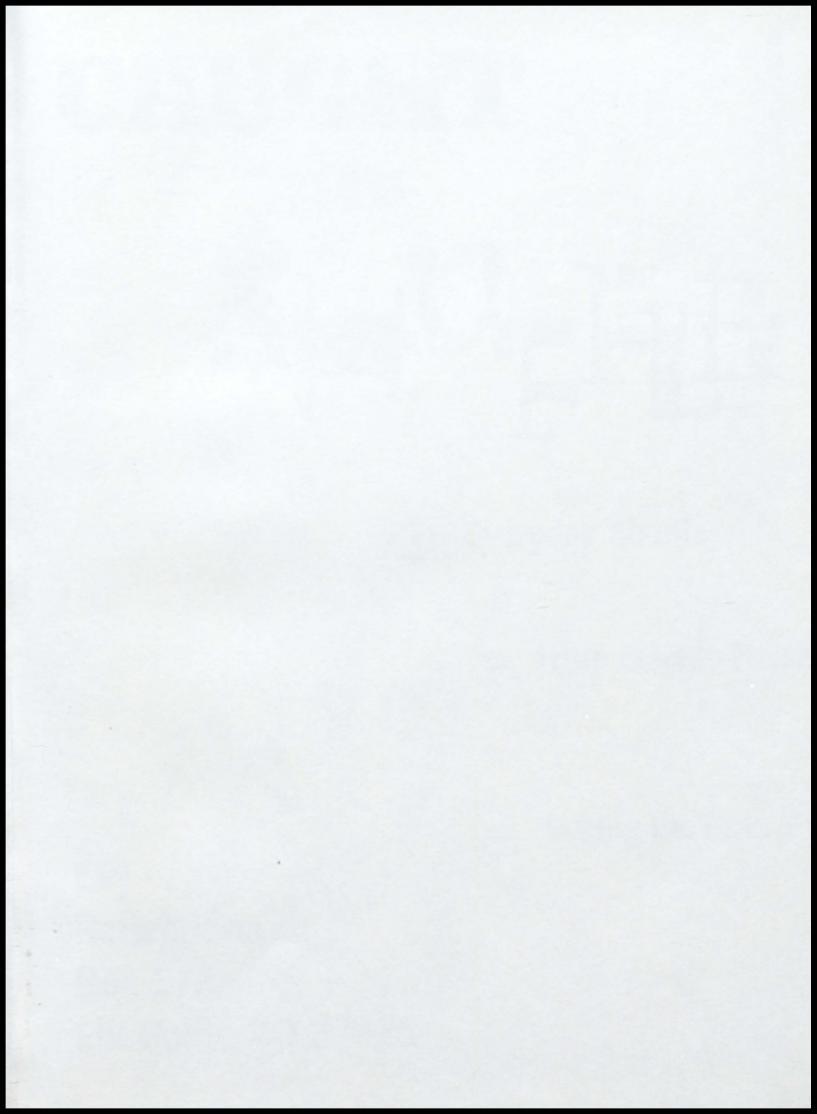
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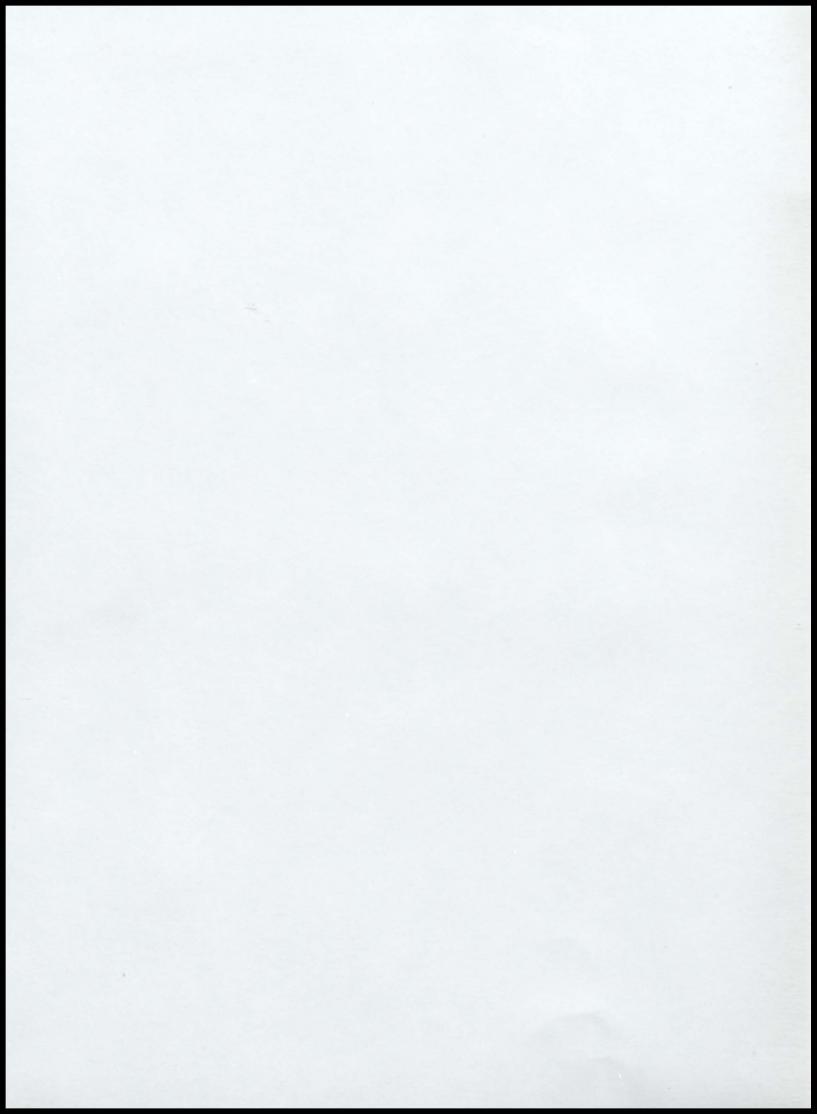




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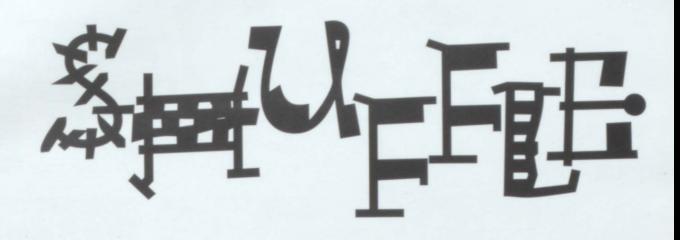






CAUGHT

in the



Everyday Shuffle

From Start to Finish

Setting the Pace

Reflections
Box 578
Elk Point, SD 57025

CAUGHT

in the

SHAFE.



R. Wilcox shows off part of his spaghetti bridge in geometry, while G. Pirner forgets about cutting weight and chows down.

Dressed in bubble wrap, mullets, and old men's sweaters, C. Mapstone, R. Johnson, and J. Donnelly, look like they just stepped out of the eighties for H a l l o w e e n.



On the Run

It's easy to see as soon as you enter the halls of EPJ, that the hustle and bustle is overwhelming. Each student has his own way to go, his own schedule to stick to, and his own place to be. There are one hundred and seventy-nine of us, all with our own paces. Some of us drive in the fast lane, while others like to stroll through the day. No matter what the pace, evervone needs time to kick back and take a break from the daily grind.

We are the students of Elk Point - Jefferson, and we are on the run.



The halls of EPJ are always a busy place. Lockers slamming, shouts of laughter, and the occasional "Oh no! I forgot to study for Mrs. Limoges' English test!" can be heard.

A. Bottger stresses out as his locker finally meets maximum capacity.





Senora Patnaude leads students in a song and dance to raise their spirits for the Day of the Dead celebration.

the passage of time and We live for the moment.



We

1. O. Matthys and S. Klasey make the most of their homeroom minutes to help each other with homework.

2. Senior boys, D. Trudeau and B. Allard, proclaim themselves the village idiots.





learn

the joys of friendships.

We experience new things.

explore
the world around us.







- 1. J. Sieverding, the notorious "wanderer" hurries to fix another computer.
- 2. J. Donnelly enjoys his sweet revenge as he pours chocolate syrup on Mr. Shanks for the Human Sundae fundraiser.
- 3. Jennifer Stultz, C. Taft, J. Matthys, & H. Taft shuffle the deck while Randy the Ianitor wishes he could be in on the fun.

We remember the everyday shuffle.





B. Allard is a happy boy with his recently disclosed "can fix anything in life remedy": Twin Bing.

The senior class is all smiles knowing that the much-anticipated graduation is only days away.



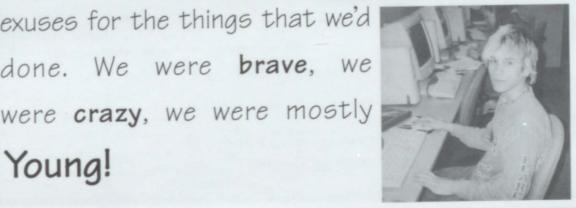


MOVE ON

Man I don't know, where the time goes But it sure goes fast, just like that.

We were wanna be rebels who didn't have a clue, with rock n' roll T-shirts and our typically bad attitudes. Had no exuses for the things that we'd done. We were brave, we





Young!

J. Sieverding and K. Donnelly can't contain their excitement for the National Science Fair after FINALLY making it to Cleveland.

Cutting weight has impared D. Pirner's memory as he pleads for help to turn his computer on.

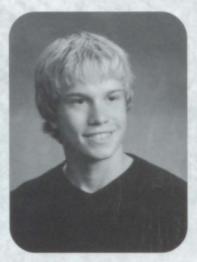
Senior girls break out their bad side and ask, "What are you gonna do about it?"







Josh Adams



Blake Allard



Windee Bouck

Inquiring Minds

- Why do we need a tray to sit at breakfast? -Katie Weavill
- Does Jacob Joffer ever shut up?Anonymous
- Why is Hot Rod so hot?Caroline Knutson
- What exactly happened to the good burritos?– Mickie Hawley
- Why can't we go to our lockers during lunch?– David Trudeau
- Why can't I have Mrs. Grassel for a few classes? – Derek Pirner
- Why hasn't anyone turned up the thermostat?– Christina Hummel
- How much wood could a woodchuck chuck if a woodchuck could chuck wood? – Jake Donnelly

- Why is Mr. Smith so hot? Melissa Mau
- Why is Mr. Shanks so tall? Renee Curry
- What's the deal with homeroom?Maurice Erickson
- Who makes these surveys? Blake Allard
- Why do the teachers plan their tests on the same day? – Allison Mead
- What? Cole Mapstone
- How did Randy the Janitor get such nice hair?Molly Frankl
- Am I a boy or a girl? Dale Schoenherr
- Why is the sky blue? Justin Sieverding
- How do I spell my middle name?Josh? Adams
- Why do we have to do science fair?– Jacob Joffer



Hyle Donnelly



Maurice Erickson



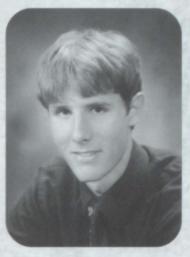
Molly Frankl



Cory Burrell



Renee Curry



Jake Donnelly

"Quote... If I was a slang word.

- Shows Katie Weavill
- Blonde Caroline Knutson
- Stracker David Trudeau
- 🤝 Pup Derek Pirner
- Swell Jake Donnelly
- Boser Ryan Johnson
- Shagadellic Melissa Mau
- S Cool Renee Curry
- Survey Taker Dude Blake Allard
- ₩ Wow Allison Mead
- ♥ Ghetto Fabulous Cole Mapstone

- ♥ Playa Molly Frankl
- Springer Dale Schoenherr
- 🦫 Retarded Justin Sieverding
- Bycho Leslie Nebelsick
- Shlome Windee Bouck
- ♥ I still have problems with that! Jiska G.
- S Country Jessica Keegan
- ⋄ Mouthy Lakisha Limoges
- 🔖 Laid back Deanna Klasey
- ♦ *\$@#! Olivia Wilkinson

...Unquote"



Jiska Gojowczyk



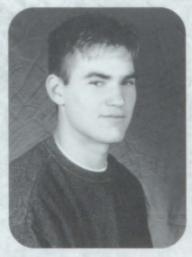
Michaela Hawley



Christina Hummel



Jacob Joffer



Ryan Johnson



Jessica Keegan

REMEMBER WHEN.

- ★ I put dreadlocks in my hair? Dale Schoenherr
- ★ We had a slumber party with Bruce Rubida? Caroline Knutson, Leslie Nebelsick
- ★ Renee drove into Molly's field and thought the irrigation pivot was going to reverse and crush her third car? C'mon! Reverse? Molly Frankl, Katie Weavill, Melissa Mau
- ★ We stole the volleyball boards? Leslie Nebelsick, Melissa Mau, Katie Weavill
- ★ We took this survey for the second time? David Trudeau
- ★ Brennen Bird hit Brooke Neumiller's car with my car and we tried to hide it from our parents, but failed? Justin Sieverding
- ★ We used to sing...la la la la la la la la la ti da? Cole Mapstone
- ★ Katie Weavill made it a point to go to the bathroom in a urinal in every school's locker room? Leslie Nebelsick
- ★ Stephanie Jones did a flip at a basketball game and landed on her butt? Windee Bouck
- ★ Our football team won a game? Deanna Klasey



Amanda Limoges



Bakisha Bimoges



Alisia Budwig



Deanna Klasey



Caroline Knutson



De Jay Bangel

- ★ I was walking through the commons after lunch, stepped on the bottom of my pants, and fell on my face in front of everyone? Lakisha Limoges
- ★ 727 Transportation Unit was activated? Jeremy Stultz
- ★ We won the float contest? Heather Taft, Amanda Tuttle
- ★ Cole shaved his legs? Jacob Joffer
- ★ The marching band got first in the USD parade? Amanda Limoges
- ★ Drey hit me with his car and I landed on his windshield? Josh Adams
- ★ We got caught drinking...soda pop? Andy Peters
- ★ The big ol' moon at prom fell over? Dejay Langel
- ★ Lakisha threw gum in my hair the day before my senior pictures? Alisia Ludwig
- ★ Ryan Johnson fell through the ice at the pond and almost took Brennen Bird with him? Cory Burrell
- ★ Dejay and Justin Rosenbaum had a jiggle contest? Maurice Erickson
- ★ I sat on the fruit salad on the way to prom? Mickie Hawley
- ★ Cops didn't harass kids? Ryan Johnson
- ★ The wrestling team won the State Title? Derek Pirner
- ★ When we finally graduated? Jake Donnelly



Cole Mapstone



Melissa Mau



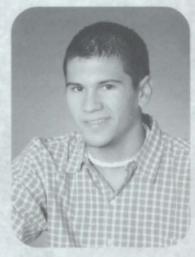
Allison Mead



Beslie Nebelsick



Andy Peters



Derek Pirner

Did You Notice. D. When we were finally done with science fairs.

- After region volleyball when I realized I wouldn't be playing with my teammates again. - Leslie Nebelsick, Katie Weavill, Melissa Mau
- When I came back from Christmas vacation. - Lakisha Limoges
- When I realized I would be poor next year. - Amanda Limoges
- On the first day of school. Amanda Tuttle
- After my last basketball game. Josh Adams
- When I quit football. Andy Peters
- During homecoming week. Alisia Ludwig, Mickie Hawley, Molly Frankl, Jessica Keegan
- I haven't realized it yet. Maurice Erickson, Deanna Klasey, Justin Sieverding, Jacob Joffer
- ② Yesterday. Dejay Langel
- During second semester. Cory Burrell

- Ryan Johnson
- Dast vocal Christmas concert. Derek Pirner, Windee Bouck
- When I was studying the molecular structure of a hydrogen dioxide molecule in my research lab, next to my prestigious library. - Dale Schoenherr
- After all state chorus. Renee Curry
- ② At a basketball game when Katie Friemark kept yelling in my ear and all I could think was, "Thank God one more semester!" - Caroline Knutson
- After sports were over. David Trudeau
- Halfway through Cool Runnings. Cole Mapstone
- Upon completion of my last survey. Blake Allard
- At the beginning of the year. Kyle Donnelly, Christina Hummel, Jeremy Stultz

it was the last tim



Heather Jaft



David Trudeau



Amanda Juttle



Dale Schoenherr



Justin Sieverding



Jeremy Stultz

ALL I WEED TO KNOW

- How to wake up on time to get to school.
 - Maurice Erickson, Alisia Ludwig
- How to drive on gravel roads. Mickie Hawley
- How to argue with teachers. Lakisha Limoges
- How to read and do math. Amanda Limoges
- How to have fun. Josh Adams
- How to quickly fill out surveys. Blake Allard
- How to handle life. Kyle Donnelly
- How to fence. Christina Hummel
- How to deal with problems on my own. Jeremy Stultz 🥓 How the time cube is infallible. Cole Mapstone
- How to open my locker. Dejay Langel
- How to be responsible. Cory Burrell
- How to keep good food in the lunch program.
 - Ryan Johnson
- How to not worry about winning the admiration of everyone. - Derek Pirner
 - How to see outside this town. Deanna Klasey

- How to talk with a point. Justin Sieverding
- How to be a fireman. Dale Schoenherr
- How life goes on. Katie Weavill
- How things change, people don't. Caroline Knutson
- How teachers don't know everything regardless of what they say. - David Trudeau
- How to find your true friends when guys are involved - Melissa Mau
- Me How to achieve in life. Renee Curry
- How more things could be learned if teachers knew how to teach. - Jake Donnelly
- Me How to do fractions. Jessica Keegan
- How to escape from a locked, sand filled room using only a toothpick, balloon, and a bottle of YooHoo. - Olivia Wilkinson
- How to deal with getting a speeding ticket.
 - Molly Frankl



Catherine Weavill



Olivia Wilkinson

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Steppin' It Up



Sandy Bouck



Kerensa Buel



Jared Eslick-Coats



Brandon Fulk



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Tony Hummel



Cara Irwin



Natalie Johnson



Stephanie Jones



Whitney Karpen



Ryan Kayl



Ryan Larsen



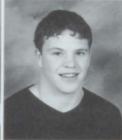
Jacob Larson



Julia Matthys



Jed McInerney



Dallas Mitchell



Pujan Petersen



Krystal Rosenbaum



Michael Shadbolt



Nicole Spencer



Drew Staum



Brett Staum



Jessica Stultz



Christopher Taft

TOP

Ways to get the teachers off subject matter... ...Talk about something else off the subject.

...Bring up last night's athletic event(s).

... Ask them about their childhood.

...Brute force or having a "chick" flirt.

...What they did over the weekend.





Logan Rubida



Brian Schmitz



Lisa Scott



Rachel Trudeau



Bobby Truhe



Brandi Turkleson



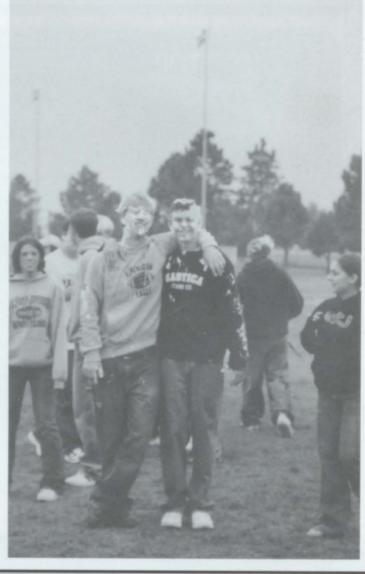
Brett Wilcox

→ B. Wilcox must've been eager to get out of the classroom. → B. Schmitz and R. Larsen share friendship and shaving cream during the Husky games.

↓ These four junior girls plot their strategy for the balloon shaving contest.







Juniors: Steppin' It Up

In an attempt to see how the Juniors were going to step it up in the future they were surveyed on their plans that they will pursue following their graduation from Elk Point-Jefferson High School. The results can be seen on the following page.



Getting the job done.

J. Stultz and S. Jones show that three legs and teamwork get them to the finish line like champions. J. Eslick-Coats doesn't look like he is getting much work done during his English class.

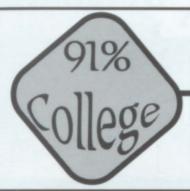




In need of help.

W. Karpen tries touching up her hair after being caught in the wind while cheering for her team. What in the world is on your face B. Truhe? A wash cloth and water should get that off.





3% Vocational





K. Rosenbaum looks like she needs help from R. Trudeau and K. Buel as they sit and paint cans for the junior float.



J. McInerney decides to take a water break during study hall instead of doing homework.





B. Gries, J. Matthys, C. Taft, J. Gojowczyk, K. Rosenbaum, and N. Spencer join hands during the Husky games.

B. Staum and R. Kayl show their brilliant skills of geometry by fitting pieces of their spaghetti bridge together.

Sophomores

Missy Adkins Amanda Begnoche Ashleigh Bosse Andrew Bottger Jacob Butrous Joshua Butrous









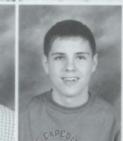
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Debbie Gray Joellen Groethe Derek Hahn Cody Hainey Jeffrey Heaton Alesha Hummel











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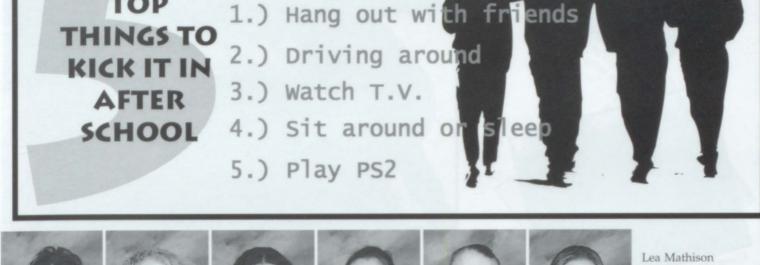




Kickin' It In

TOP KICK IT IN AFTER SCHOOL

1.) Hang out with friends











































Samantha Shedd Desiree Steeg Travis Thiele Katie Trometer Andrew Trudeau Stacey Tubbs







Brooke Turkleson Jonathan Tuttle Ross Wilcox

Kickin' it in Ki





Back Row (L-R): G. Pirner, J. Chicione , J. Keegan Front Row(L-R): J. Morgan, D. Steeg, Friemark, B. Irwin all enjoy the first snowfall of the year in October

A.Rosenbaum, A. Hummel, and D. Gray are all enjoying their privilages in honor study hall.





Biology is made intresting with these girls. Front Row(L-R) D. Steeg, J. Morgan, K. Buum, J. Dodds. Back Row (L-R) S. Tubbs



S. Penfield, R. Curry, and R. Ries are all enjoying Thankgiving turkey crackers.



The sophmores victory in the tug-of-war.



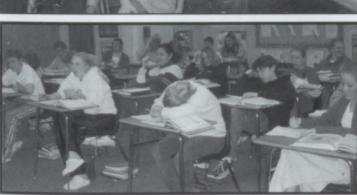
Back Row(L-R) A. Carrell, A. Hummel, K. Trometer, J.Groethe, and M. Norton. Front Row (L-R) S. Tubbs, and A. Begnoche



Even the Sophomore boys like to get their pictures taken.



As you can tell, the Sophomores love World G.





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Freshmen Change of pace...

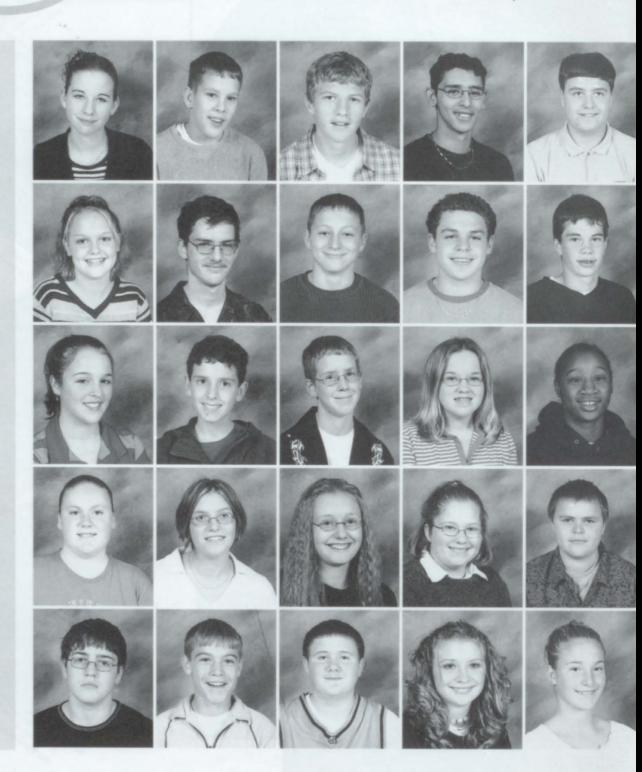
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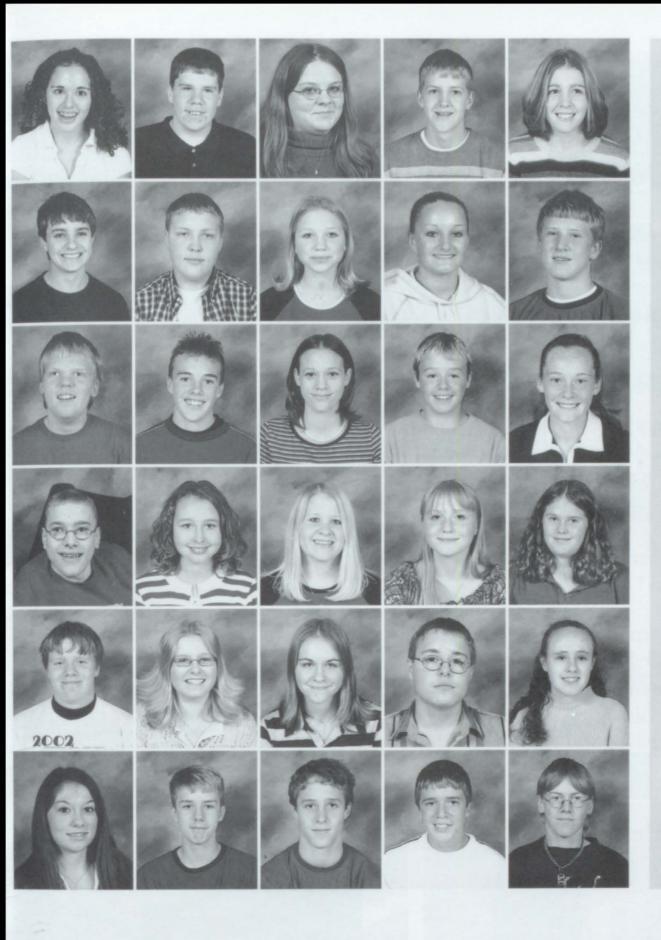
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Nathan Hummel Dan Hutcheson Ricky Jerred Kira Johnson Samantha Kappler





Sarah Klasey Justin Kyte Katie Langel Daschle Larsen Lauren Limoges

Nicholas Lindsey Daniel Massey Olivia Matthys Chastity McGrew Sam McInerney

Chuck Morris Michael Nebelsick Vanessa Nelson Clint Nixon Nicola Obeney

Alex Olson Shantel Piper Tiffani Pirner Jessica Pribil Stephanie Reed

Joshua Rupp Karley Sieverding Genevieve Stalvig David Stamp Alyssa Steckelberg

Jennifer Stultz Viktor Sundleaf Cody Trometer Alex VanRoekel Micheal Zachow

Q. How is high school different than you expected?

I thought it would be scary. -Sarah Klassey

It is a lot easier and a lot more boring.

-Genevieve Stalvig

The teachers are nicer than I had expected.

-Tiffani Pirner

It is more fun.
-Brittany Glover

You get to make more friends. -Chastity McGrew

It is a big rush.
-Anna Hinds

The seniors leave me alone. -Casey DeBuhr

I thought it would be slack, but it isn't.

-Daniel Massey

It's somehow a little more fun. -Alyssa

-Alyssa Steckelberg

You get to have more fun.

-Clint Nixon



1. D. Stamp, A. Hanson, C. DeBuhr, and A. Hinds hang out during the Husky games.

2. Judge W. Karpen points out that D. Hummel is cheating by spilling most of his pop.





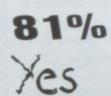
- 1. The freshman enjoy a pizza party for winning spirit week.
- 2. S. Klasey and E. Hasenbank smile for the camera.
- 3. S. McInerney wishes someone would play catch.

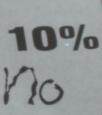




Do you Like high school more than junior high?







9% Same



4. Some freshman girls form a circle while eating.

5. C. Nixon and N. Erickson look in awe at their rocket.



6. V. Contreras listens very carefully at natural helper's camp.

7. J. Bruns shows off his volleyball skills during the Husky games while his classmates take note of his form.

Give Me a Break

A teacher's Summer Break

Teachers were asked what they normally do during the summer break and this is what they said:



Work around the house



Spend time playing sports like golf



Take classes



Read a book



Work part time



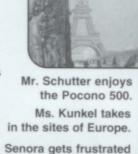
Hang with friends



Work full time



Relax and rest



with Mr. Smith.



TOP

Getting Away From It All Europe

We visited art museums and masterpieces in architecture.

Ms. Kunkel

Pennsylvania

I visited family and went to the Pocono 500.

Mr. Schutter

Minneapolis

I took my 83 year old mother to see her 90 year old sister.

Mrs. Limoges

Florida

We went to Disney World and took a cruise for our honeymoon.

Mr. Lewis

New York, New York

While in New York we toured Ground Zero, 5th Avenue, Statue of Liberty, Ellis Island, The Today Show, and Grand Central Station.

Mrs. Patnaude

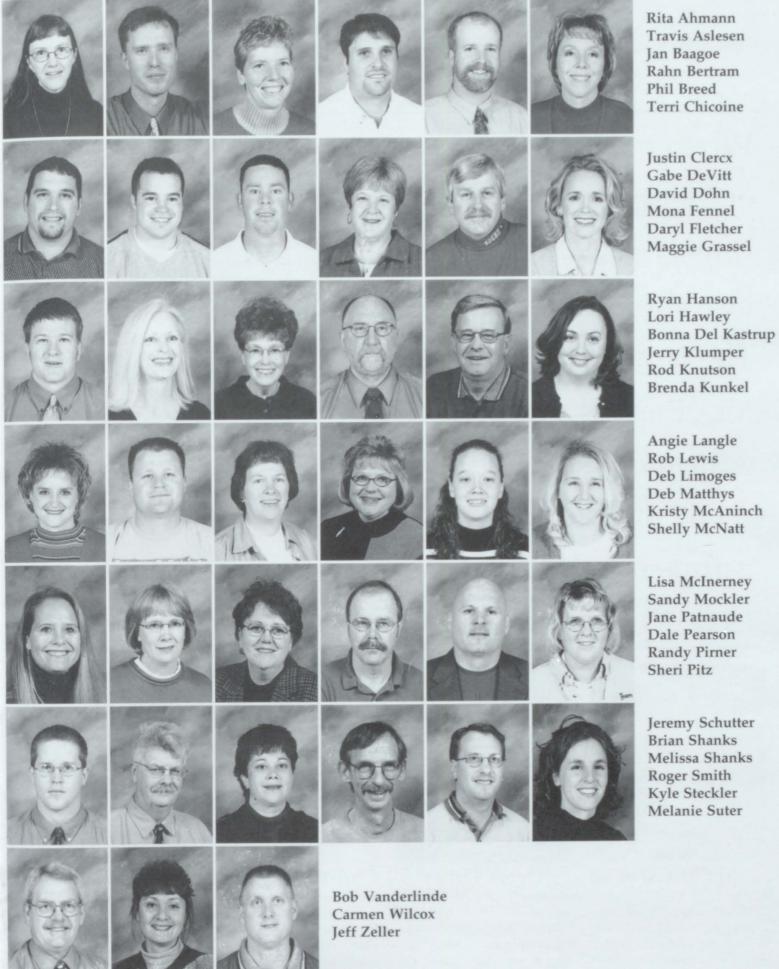


A view of the busy streets in New York City.

It was a long day for Senora and Mrs. W.

The teachers took in many sites while they visited New York City.





Getting Away...

SOME WORK, MORE PLAY

When the last bell of the school year rings, most people go into shut down mode.

The summer; however, for others is a time of education, self-improvement, and achievements.

"Many academic camps give you insight and information as to areas you may wish to pursue as a career."

Bob Vanderlinde, Science Teacher

"It gives young athletes an opportunity to develop their skills at the varsity level... It is a great way to make yourself better and get excited about the upcoming year."

Rahn Bertram, Head Football Coach

"Team camps help build unity both on and off the playing venue by allowing the athletes to spend more time with each other."

Rob Lewis, Head Wrestling Coach

ment, and achievements. Students attended camps ranging from sports to career oriented; close to home and in other parts of the world.



Melissa Mau

attended All Star Volleyball Camp at Bringham Young University in Hawaii June 23-July 2. She was one of the top placers in the individual jump-serve



Derek Pirner

competed for Team South Dakota at the Disney Duals in Orlando, Florida. He won the "outstanding technician" award and went 11-0 at 125 pounds. Team South Dakota was 9-2 in their dual matches, finishing third out of 60 teams.



Christina Hummel

was selected as a representative for the Rural Electric Youth Tour in Washington D.C. June 14-20. Their tour visited the many sights of our nation's capital and observed the political process at work.



Molly Frankl

was chosen to take part in the Earth Watch Student Challenge Program in Andros, Bahamas June 27- July 11. There she took part in studies of microbiology and culture.

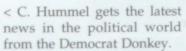






A K. Weavill and M. Frankl were chosen as delegates for Girls State. Weavill was mock elected Chief of Police for her city of New York and Frankl was elected as the Public Relations Specialist for St. Louis.

> C. Knutson was a reporter for Journalism City, a division of Girls State that puts out a daily newspaper on the happenings of the election process. Only fourteen girls in South Dakota are chosen for Journalism City.

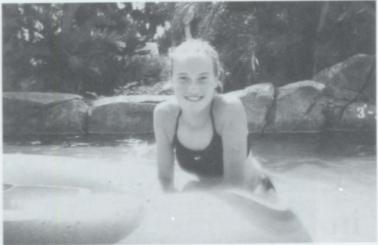


v D. Pirner spends most of his time in Florida on the beach mackin' on the girls.



collected at Coconut Grove.

< M. Frankl gets excited about V M. Mau takes a time out from extracting DNA from sponges her volleyball schedule to relax in the pool.







On The Outside

On the outside, Elk Point-Jefferson High School appears to be like any other school with ordinary students. We are a combination of many different people involved in different activities. After the bell rings students can be seen participating in a variety of sports outside the school.

The different activities found on this page are provided to the students, but are not sponsored by the high school. Among the pictures you will find the guys showing off their wheels while Ryan Larsen gets down and dirty sliding into third base. All are champions inside and out.



"Champions aren't made in the gyms. Champions are made from something they have deep inside them -- a desire, a dream, a vision."

~Muhammad Ali, American Boxer



- 1. The 5,6,7,8 Dance Team can smile as good as they can dance.
- 2. N. Obeney takes a break for the camera before she defends the goal.
- 3. M. Shadbolt and B. Truhe wait for their move on the hacky sack.
- 4. R. Larsen slides under the tag and is safe at third base.
- 5. T. Card and D. Stamp show their pride for Boy Scouts.
- 6. The high school boys line up against the wall to show their fancy rides.
- 7. S. Bouck waits with a Vermillion teammate to get back on the softball field.











the agony of defeat and We practice until we have no more to give. We



1. R. Larsen and B. Truhe puzzle over the mysterious disappearance of a golf ball during one of their first matches of the season.

2. R. Wilcox and D. Trudeau combined their brawn and put a sudden halt to their opponent.



feel

the sweetness of victory.

We understand the plan of action. support

the blue, black, and silver.



- 1. J. Zeller gets the girls pumped up for their win over Vermillion in the District Championship.
- 2. C. Irwin, volleyball student manager, writes down another kill for the Huskies.
- 3. 2003 State Wrestling Champions proudly show off their trophy.

We race from start to finish.



Chargers came from behind and went on to win the conference. The Huskies also

The Elk Point-Jefferson volleyball team opened up their season on a good note with a victory over Gayville-Volin. The Huskies continued to win their next three matches against Dakota Valley, Canton, and Harrisburg. They took third place in the Clark Tournament, but lost their next five matches to Beresford. Alcester- Hudson, West Central, Bon Homme, and Sioux Falls Christian. The Huskies hosted the Southeast Area Classic, but were defeated by Milbank in the championship round. They bounced back in their next three matches by defeating Parker, Vermillion, and Lennox. In the Big Sioux Conference, the Huskies placed third, losing 3-2 to Sioux Falls Christian. The Huskies led the fifth game and were ahead 13-7, but the

Sioux Classic, losing to Omaha-Ralston and South Sioux City. However, the Huskies knew that it was game time at Districts and defeated Vermillion 3-2. They moved on to Regions but lost to Beresford. The Huskies had a great season, and the stats prove it. Katie Weavill led in serving percentage with 93%. Leslie Nebelsick led the Huskies with 82 aces, 396 service points, 331 kills, and 370 digs. Melissa Mau led the team with a 98% setting percentage. Katie Trometer followed with 95%. Jiska Gojowczyk had 72 blocks, leading the team. Leslie Nebelsick received All-State, All-Region, and 1st team All-Conference honors. Melissa Mau received All-Region and 1st team All- Conference. Molly Frankl also received All- Conference Honorable Mention.



L. Scott shows her defensive skills.





M. Mau spikes one over the block, as M. Frankl covers.

K. Weavill plays tough defense.

The Husky girls focus on the game.



1.) L. Nebelsick gets up to put the ball down.

DreamBig... ThinkBig... Conquer!!

B.Knutson blocks tough against her Canton opponent.





M. Frankl shows the S.F. Christian Chargers that spiking is her specialty.



Volleyball Scoreboard

	Us	Them
G-V	3	0
DV	3	0
Clark Tour.	3r	d Place
Canton	3	1
Harrisburg	3	1
Beresford	2	3
A-H	1	3
SE Classic	2n	d Place
West Central	1	2
Bon Homme	1	2
SF Christian	0	3
Parker	3	0
Vermillion	3	0
Lennox	3	0
BSC	31	rd Place
SSC Tri.	3r	d Place
Districts	1	st Place
Regions	2nd Place	
State		-

Matches Matches Won~17 Lost~14



Front Row (L-R): K. Weavill, K. Trometer, L. Nebelsick, N. Johnson, L. Scott. Second Row (L-R): Mngr. D. Zeller, S. Shedd, J. Groethe, M. Frankl, J. Gojowczyk, S. Penfield, Mngr. E. Connelly. Back Row (L-R): Coach J. Zeller, A. Begnoche, M. Norton, B. Knutson, M. Mau, Mngr. C. Irwin, Coach J. Zeller.

Going the Yards



Captain B. Truhe
B. Truhe's favorite quote by
Coach Bertram was"Take your
left hand, grab your left ear,
and pull your head out of your
butts."



Captain K. Donnelly K. Donnelly's favorite game of the season was playing against D.V.



Captain B. Schmitz
B. Schmitz will never forget
when J. McInerney tripped
over the line in an attempt to
tackle his opponent.



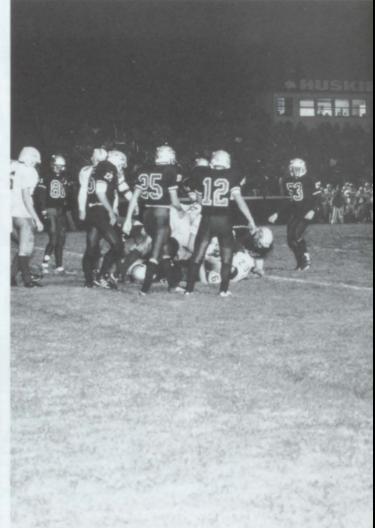
Captain D. Trudeau D. Trudeau will miss going out and hitting people around for two hours. His favorite memory was killing D.V.



Coach Dohn huddles the kick off return unit to motivate them to make an offensive attack early in the season.



The Huskies' defense makes a huge tackle against its Big Sioux opponents the Alcester-Hudson Cubs.



Jake Donnelly, R. Wilcox, Justin Keegan and B. Truh hurry over to pile on top of the Alcester-Hudson Cubs.









1. M. Donnelly pushes back an Alcester-Hudson offensive drive.

2. B. Schmitz points out his next victim.

3. B. Truhe snaps the ball to R. Larsen against the Parkston Trojans. D. Larsen sees an open field and runs the ball in an attempt for a touchdown.





R. Wilcox, D. Trudeau and D. Mitchell block the defense for Jason Donnellyto run the ball.



Front: (L-R) Cheerleaders: S. Jones, R. Trudeau, C. Knutson, A. Mead, W. Karpen, B. Turkelson. Second: (L-R) R. Larsen, Jake Donnelly, T. Hummel, D. Trudeau, K. Donnelly, J. McInerney, B. Truhe, B. Schmitz. Third:(L-R) M. Donnelly, A. Trudeau, Jason Donnelly, J. Chicoine, R. Wilcox, G. Pirner, Justin Keegan, D. Mitchell, J. Schmidt. Fourth: (L-R) Jake Donnelly, R. Wilcox and B. Truhe, J. Rarrat, J. Frankl, M. Nebelsick, N. Ericson, D. Larsen, D. Hutcheson, C. Trometer, T. Forsling, V. Contrarez, B. Faulk, Mng, Fifth: (L-R) S. McInerney, J. Kyte, J. Tuttle, J. Limoges, D. Massy, V. Sundleaf, C. Nixon, J. Rupp, N. Lindsey. Sixth: (L-R) Coaches:Mr. Bertram, Mr. Dohn, Mr. Clerx, Mr. Lewis.

	Us	Them
AW	0	46
Parkston	14	50
Beresford	0	39
Canton	8	30
A-H	9	12
Harrisburg	0	48
Parker	6	38
DV	34	6



J. Dodds and A. Bosse make a quick pass to move the Husky girls up in the team rankings.



B. Allard goes for a stroll around the course at East High with a time of 18:28, placing 11th.



J. Larson breezes past two tough opponents at the Big Sioux Conference Meet, placing 11th with a time of 18:39.



A. Bosse feels safe at home running a time of 18:45, placing 16th at the Union County Meet.

Cound the Distance

"To Give anything less than your best is to sacrifice the gift."

-Steve Prefontaine



TOP: J. Dodds and A. Bosse pose with two XC fans.

TOP-RIGHT: The XC boys are taking a break around the camp after the Union County Quad.

RIGHT: "Excited" fans watch at Elk Point - Jefferson's home meet.







Front:(L-R) M. Fowler,
A. Bosse, J. Dodds,
J. Hudelson, H. Metzger.
Second Row:(L-R) B. Allard, Josh
Butrous, A. Bottger,
B. Wilcox, E. Buehner,
A. VanRoekel, Jacob Butrous, Coach
Knutson.
Back Row:(L-R) D. Stamp,
M. Shadbolt, J. Adams,
D. Staum, B. Kraayenbrink,
J. Larson, P. Pederson



The EPJ girls are off to a fast start at the Big Sioux Conference Meet. The girls finished 5th as a team at that meet. The girls' best finish as a team was at the Union County Quad. at the Elk Point Country Club.



D. Staum crosses the finish line to bring home 1st place at the Big Sioux Conference Meet. D. Staum also placed 18th at the State XC Meet held in Huron. D. Staum's best time was a 16:20 at East high, placing 2nd.

XC Meets	Boys	Girls
Dakota Valley	3rd	No Pts.
Canton	3rd	5th
Vermillion	3rd	6th
Alcester-Hudson	3rd	8th
Union Co. Quad	1st	4th
Lennox	8th	10th
Sioux City East	2nd	No Pts.
Conference	1st	5th
Region	4th	No Pts.



Josh Butrous runs at the Union County Quad. with a time of 17:58, but ran his best time at the East High Meet with a time of 16:56, placing 4th.



E. Beuhner strides for the finish line at the Region meet at Lennox, placing 23rd with a time of 18:59.



Jacob Butrous finishes hard at the Conference meet to help the EPJ boys win. His best time was a 19:14 at East high, placing 13th.



B. Wilcox runs to the finish at the Big Sioux Conference. Wilcox made it to the State XC Meet in Huron placing 97th. His best time was an 18:00 at Alcester Hudson.

Struttin' our Stuff

2002-2003 Wrestling

The EPJ wrestling team's season ended successfully. They won numerous tournaments and went 16-1 in dual meets. The wrestlers placed third at District 4B and first at Region 2B. The wrestlers brought home the State B championship plaque, winning with 115 points. Seven wrestlers qualified for the State B Tourney. The wrestlers and their state individual finishes included: Derek

Pirner, 1st; Kyle Donnelly, 8th; Dallas Mitchell, 2nd; Grayson Pirner, 2nd; Mark Donnelly, 2nd; Danny Hutcheson, 5th; Justin Kyte, 7th. First team All Conference was Grayson Pirner (125), Derek Pirner (130), Kyle Donnelly (140), Mark Donnelly (145), Dallas Mitchell (171), and Justin Kyte (HWT). Second team All Conference was Dan Hutcheson (103) and Jacob Limoges (189).



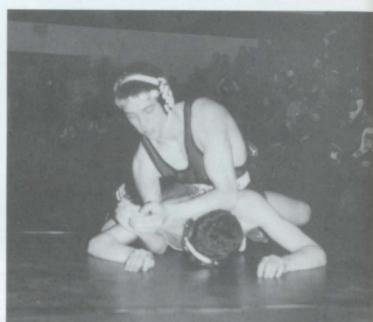
▼ D. Mitchell twists his opponen

in a scramble for points at regions



▲ D. Pirner shows determination on his face for his fourth region title on the EPJ wrestling mats. He went on to capture his third state championship at the state tourney at Aberdeen to conclude his prep career at EPJ.

K. Donnelly has perfect technique his senior year working a power half on his opponent.



Tournament

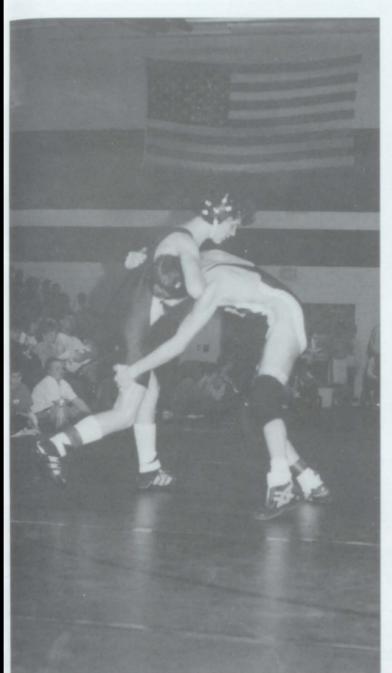
Flandreau	1st Place
Gregory	2nd Place
Madison	1st Place
McCook	1st Place
Tri-Valley	1st Place
Big Sioux	1st Place
Omaha	1st Place
Districts	3rd Place
Regions	1st Place
State "B" Dual	6th Place
State "B"	1st Place

Dual

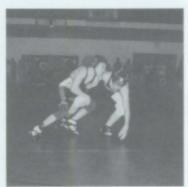
A-H Quad	3-0
Beresford Quad	3-0
Harrisburg Tri	2-0
Vermillion Quad	3-0
EPJ Tri	2-0
EPJ Dual	1-0
Beresford Quad	2-1



2002-2003 Wrestling Team: Front Row (L-R): Allison Mead, Jessica Keegan, Kira Gill, Stephanie Jones. Middle Row (L-R): Katie Buum, Andy Bottger, Andrew Trudeau, Josh Butrous, Josh Rupp, Taylor Forsling, Jacob Limoges, Tiffani Pirner. Back Row (L-R): Coach Devitt, Coach Swatek, Danny Hutcheson, Grayson Pirner, Derek Pirner, Kyle Donnelly, Mark Donnelly, Dallas Mitchell, Justin Kyte, Coach Clercx. Not pictured: Coach Lewis.

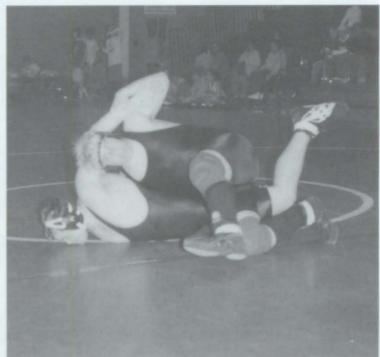


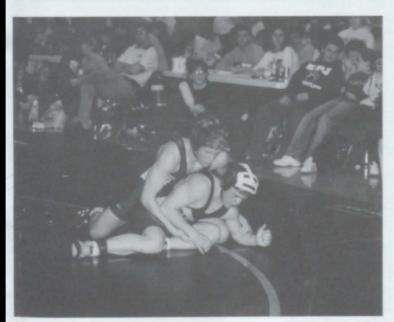
◀ G. Pirner stands strong and keeps his hips away to win another match.



■ D. Hutcheson works quickly for a finishing shot to take down his opponent.

ightharpoons J. Kyte shows his style on the mat with a head lever.





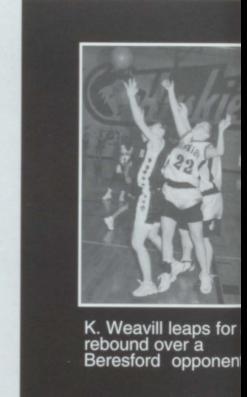
◀ M. Donnelly works his stuff on top holding his opponent in place.

▲ Freshman J. Rupp squeezes tight at regions for another pin.



Front Row(L-R): L. Mathison, S. Piper, D. Steeg, L. Honomichl, K. Densberger, A. Bosse. Middle Row(L-R): Coach Aslesen, D. Harris, L. Nebelsick, K. Weavill, R. Curry, L. Scott, Coach Steckler. Back Row(L-R): Mgr. S. Reed, A. Begnoche, K. Trometer, B. Knutson, J. Mead, E. Hasenbank, J. Groethe, S. Klasey, Mgr. K. Langel.

The theme for the '02-'03 Girls Basketball Team was "Shut Your Mouth." It was inspired by Coach A. The Huskies were coached by Kyle Steckler and Travis Aslesen. The team started the season off with an impressive 6-1 record. One of the highlights of the season was playing Sioux City North and only losing to them after they made a last second shot. The team ended the season with a 9-11 record, and they did achieve their goal to outscore their opponents 46.7% to 46.1%. The team captains were seniors, K. Weavill, L. Nebelsick, and R. Curry. BSC selections were 1st team, L. Nebelsick, 2nd team, D. Harris, and honarable mention E. Hasenbank



L. Scott looks to shoot on the open baseline.







The managers use their keen eyes and quick hands to keep the stats.

A. Begnoche shoots for two against Hartington Cedar Catholic.



J. Mead pulls up to shoot a "J" on the baseline.





J. Groethe follows through on a two-point attempt.



The freshmen, E. Hasenbank (above) and D. Harris (below), clear their own paths to the basket.



L.Nebelsick is the first one down the floor on a fast break.



R. Curry looks for an open team mate while throwing the ball in bounds.





gives the team the strat- drives to the hoop for egy for the next quar- an attempt at two. ter.

Above: Coach Neb Right: M. Shadboldt



Below: D. Trudeau goes up for a lay-up against Lennox. He was a co-captain this vear.



Up the Pace

Basketball Games

Dusketour	LOU	inco
	Us	Them
Scotland	59	65
Hinton	55	64
SF Christian	62	79
Clark	47	51
Ponca	47	68
Parker(BSC)	61	59
Al-Hud(BSC) 59	65
Harr. (BSC)	49	62
Al-Hud	49	52
Vermillion	55	71
Parker	49	60
North	51	83
Akron-West	49	62
Canton	42	68
Lennox	54	68
Dak Valley	69	56
Homer	54	55
Beresford	43	77
Harrisburg	58	71
Districts	49	68



Above: R. Wilcox uses his acrobatic abilities to fly past a Beresford defender for a basket. Ross was voted BSC 2nd team selection.



Above: B. Allard leaps to the hoop to give EPJ another basket. Allard was a captain this year.



Left: R. Larsen uses his mad dribbling skills to manuever past two defenders. He was voted 3rd team selection Below: J. Larson powers up two points against the Vermillion defenders.



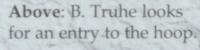




Far Left: J. Adams goes up against two Vermillion defenders.

Left: Jason Donnelly drives to the basket.





Back Row (L-R): Coach Bertram, J. Chicoine, D. Larsen, Justin Keegan, R. Wilcox, J. Adams, A. Staum, B. Fulk, Coach Nebelsick, R. Langel. Middle Row (L-R): Jason Donnelly, M. Nebelsick, B. Allard, D. Trudeau, B. Truhe, J. Larson, R. Larsen, M. Shadbolt. Front Row (L-R): W. Karpen, Jessica Stultz, Brooke Turkleson, C. Knutson, O. Matthys, K. Freimark.

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Leaps To The Top





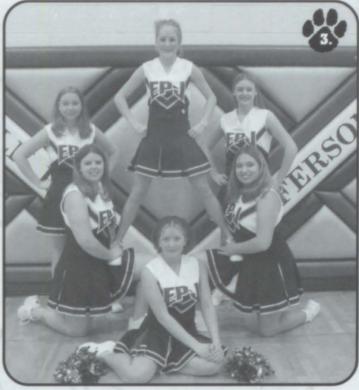


- 1.) The state squad cheerleaders dance away during the Homecoming parade.
- 2.) Girls basketball cheerleaders prove inexperience won't stop them from pumping up the crowd.
- 3.) K. Freimark and 0. Matthys show the crowd that they can land on both feet after completing a jump.
- 4.) The wrestling cheerleaders cheer our wrestlers on to victory.
- 5.) The football cheerleaders make an appearance at the Homecoming Royalty Ceremony.
- 6.) O. Matthys shows what it means to be on top as she is supported by Brooke Turkleson and Jessica Stultz.











Wrestling Cheerleaders (L-R): A. Mead, J. Keegan, S. Jones, & K. Gill



3 Girls Basketball Cheerleaders Back Row (L-R): S. Piper, L. Honomichl. Middle Row (L-R): K. Densberger, A. Bosse, D. Steeg. Front: L. Mathison.

Boys Basketball Cheerleaders Back Row (L-R): W. Karpen, O. Matthys, &

B. Turkleson. Front Row (L-R): J. Stultz, C. Knutson, & K. Freimark.

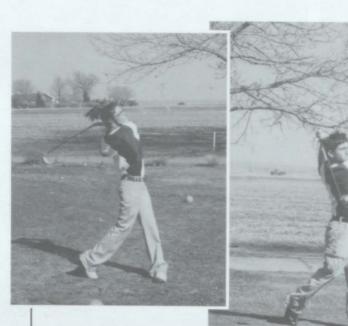


Football Cheerleaders

Back Row (L-R): A. Mead, R. Trudeau, W. Karpen, C. Knutson. Front Row (L-R): B. Turkleson, S. Jones.

Mapping our Course

Golfers Scope Out the Greens







Bobby Truhe shows perfect form on his tee shot on hole # 4 during the Husky Invite. Renee Curry watches closely waiting for her ball to drop on # 3.

Stephanie Jones drives the green on # 3.

Justin Sieverding follows his drive in tourney action.

Ryan Larsen drops the six foot putt for bird.



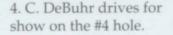
2003 GOLFERS MAP A NEW COURSE

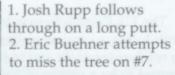
The EPJ golf season started with beautiful weather and good scores. Although the cold weather returned for a couple weeks they continued to improve and win duels and invites. The girls began the season off with a win over DV and then first place at the Husky Invite. Later in the season they won the Big Sioux Conference and placed second at the Region tourney, which gave them a trip to the state tournament. At state, Brittany Glover led the Huskies followed by Renee Curry, Stephanie Jones, and Kayla McInerney. The boys also did well this season by placing second at the DV Invite and the Big Sioux Conference tournament. They made it to state by placing second at the Region tourney. Bobby Truhe won the State Class B title. It was a close finish; after thirty-six holes he was tied with another opponent and had to play one more hole. Following Bobby was Ryan Larsen, Casey DeBuhr, and Josh Rupp. Josh replaced Justin Sieverding, who was at the international science fair.





3. B. Glover lines up her final putt at the EPJ Invite.











Back Row (L-R): Josh Rupp, Justin Sieverding, Casey DeBuhr, Bobby Truhe, Nick Erickson, Daryl Fletcher. Front Row (L-R): Renee Curry, Brittany Glover, Kayla McInerney, Stephanie Jones, (not pictured Ryan Larsen.)

	GOLF 2003	14.
	Girls Duals	
Us	Opponent	Them
221	DV	248
208	Beresford	204
193	DV	212
	Meet	
Girl	S	Boys
1 st	Husky Invite	4 th
1 st	Beresford & DV	3rd
2nd	DV Invite	2 nd
5 th	WC Invite	5 th
1 st	AH & Cent.	1 st
1 st	Big Sioux	2 nd
2 nd	Tiger Invite	4 th
2 nd	Regions IV B	2 nd
13 th	State B	6 th
	Boys Duals	
Us	Opponent	Them
167	DV	156
153	Beresford	173
161	DV	162

Kickin' Some Asphalt

The Elk Point-Jefferson track season began and ended with losses, victories, smiles, and frowns. The girls strived to reach team goals and individual goals. The track season proved to be a season of unfavorable weather conditions.

The team consisted of few girls, but the season winded down with broken records and state meet qualifiers. Two seniors who have participated in track all four years were sent to state along with sophomore, Beth Knutson.

Nebelsick qualified in high jump, long jump and 300 M hurdles, Weavill qualified in the 1600 M run and 3200 M run, and Knutson in the 200 M Dash. Nebelsick also broke a new school record in the long jump with 16'3.5", and Katie Weavill broke the school record in the 1600 M run with a time of 5:33.7. Jessica Hudelson broke the record in the 800 M run with a time of 2:32.1 and Erin Hasenbank broke the shot put record with a throw of 32'11". The girls team

earned 6th place at both the Big Sioux Conference and Region 4A.



1. K. Weavill keeps her pace in the 1600 M run. She qualified for state in the 1600 M run and 3200 M run.



2. J. Gojowczyk makes running in America look easy.
3. L. Nebelsick placed second at the state track meet in the high jump. She also broke a new school record in the long jump with a jump of 16'4.5".



·03 Girls Track

Dan Lennon Inv. No Pts. Dakota Valley Inv. 5th Canton Inv. 6th Beresford Inv. 6th Husky Inv. 5th Howard Wood No Pts. Beresford Lions Inv. Big Sioux Conf. 6th Region 4A 6th State Meet 8 Pts.





Girls 2003 Track Team Picture: Back Row (L-R): Coach J. Clercx, E. Hasenbank, S. Penfield, J. Gojowczyk, B. Peters, L. Nebelsick, K. Weavill, B. Knutson, J. Mead, and Coach R. Vanderlinde. Front Row (L-R): Mngr. A. Mead, Mngr. N. Spencer, S. Reed, J. Hudelson, K. Trometer, N. Obeny, and Mngr. B. Turkleson.



Left: E. Hasenbank shows perfect form when releasing the shot put, breaking a new school record with a throw of 32'11".



Left: N. Obeny pushes herself in the 100 M dash and finishes strong.

Below: J. Mead keeps her speed up in the 200 M dash.







Left: B. Knutson joined two senior teammates at the state meet. She qualified in the 200 M dash.

Above: K. Trometer clears the hurdle and breaks for the finish line.

Below: J. McInerney takes the hand off from Jason Donnelly in the boys 4x100 meter relay.

Right: R. Johnson throws the shot put at the Husky Invitational.





In the Fast Lane

boy's track team still runs strong. The boys competed in a number of meets. The first meet of the year was the Dan Lennon Invitational. Jake Donnelly qualified for state in the 100 m Long Jump.

Jake Donnelly holds the J. McInerney, and school record in the Jake Donnelly.

100m Dash with a time of 10.9 seconds. He also holds the school record in the 200m Dash with a time of 22.6 seconds. The boy's 400m Relay also qualified. The team Dash, 200 m Dash, and consisted of A. Peters, Jason Donnelly,



Above: D. Staum runs the 3200 meter run. Staum qualified for the state track meet this year in this event.

Left: Jake Donnelly anchors the 4x200 meter relay at the Husky Qualifier. Jake competed at state and placed 3rd in the long jump, 6th in the 100 meter dash and 2nd in the 200 meter dash.





Left: B. Wilcox runs the third leg of the 4x800 meter relay.

Below: D. Staum ties his shoes as J. Chicoine and P. Petersen come up to the line to run the 1600 meter run.



Meets

Places

Dan Lennon No Pts. Dak Valley 3rd Canton 3rd Beresford 2nd Husky Inv. 4th Howard Wood No Pts. Beresford 4th EPJ Qual. No Pts. 3rd Conf. Regions 5th



Back Row (L-R): Coach Dohn, J. Kyte, S. McInerney, D. Larsen, Jake Donnelly, R. Johnson, J. Larson, B. Schmitz, P. Petersen, Coach Knutson. Middle Row (L-R): A. Trudeau, J. Schmidt, A. Peters, C. Taft, J. McInerney, B. Wilcox, D. Staum. Front Row (L-R): J. Chicoine, Jason Donnelly, M. Nebelsick, Josh Butrous, D. Hutcheson, Jacob Butrous, Justin Keegan.

JV VOLLEYBALL

	Us	Them
Gayville-Volin	2	0
Dakota Valley	2	0
Canton	2	0
Harrisburg	1	2
Beresford	2	0
Alcester-Hudson	2	0
West Central	0	2
Bon Homme	2	1
SF Christian	0	2
Parker	0	2
Vermillion	0	2
Lennox	1	2
Ralston	0	2
SSC	0	2



Back Row (L-R): Mr. Zeller, J. Groethe, N. Johnson, Jodi Zeller. Middle Row (L-R): M. Norton, S. Penfield, B. Knutson, E. Hasenbank, S. Shedd. Front Row (L-R): B. Glover, A. Begnoche, S. Klasey, D. Harris, N. Spencer.

JV FOOTBALL

	Us	Them
Dakota Valley	27	0
Akron-Westfield	15	12
Homer	20	18
Dell Rapids	14	8
Beresford	19	14
Alcester-Hudson	22	0
Harrisburg	20	35
Parker	0	6



Back Row (L-R): Mr. Clercx, Mr. Lewis. Third Row (L-R): J. Kyte, S. McInerney, J. Tuttle, N. Erickson, J. Limoges, D. Massey, V. Sundleaf, C. Nixon, J. Rupp, N. Lindsey, Second Row (L-R): J. Rarrat, J. Frankl, M. Nebelsick, J. Donnelly, D. Larsen, D. Hutcheson, C. Trometer, T. Forsling, V. Contreras, B. Fulk. First Row (L-R): M. Donnelly, A. Trudeau, T. Hummel, J. Chicoine, R. Wilcox, G. Pirner, J. Keegan, J.Schmidt.

JV CROSS COUNTRY

Best	times
Maria Fowler	19:13
David Stamp	21:15
Jessica Dodds	18:10
B. Kraayenbrink	17:25
Hope Metzgar	20:46
Ashleigh Bosse	18:38
Andy Bottger	16:51
Josh Adams	15:12
Mike Shadbolt	16:56
Alex VanRoekel	16:41
Pujan Peterson	17:56



Back Row (L-R): M. Fowler, D. Stamp, J. Dodds, B. Kraayenbrink, H. Metzgar, A. Bosse. Front Row (L-R): A. Bottger, J. Adams, M. Shadbolt, A. VanRoekel, P. Peterson.

JV WRESTLING

Individua	1 R	ecords
Jerry Renken	11	4
Jacob Renken	11	5
Jay Gabel	9	1
A. VanRoekel	6	0
T. Chicoine	14	1
Kyle Buum	4	11
T. Bottger	11	5
Aaron Gill	18	6
Jacob Butrous	9	0
G. Thompson	7	4



Back Row (L-R): Mr. Swatek, Jerry Renken, Jacob Renken, J. Gabel, A. VanRoekel, Mr. Clercx, Mr. Devitt. Front Row (L-R): T. Chicoine, K. Buum, T. Bottger, A. Gill, Jacob Butrous.

JV GIRLS BASKETBALL

	**	CHEST.
	Us	Them
Gayville	37	23
Scotland	32	12
SF Christian	23	24
Ponca	28	22
Hinton	35	54
Alcester-Hudson	51	27
Vermillion	14	19
Parker	27	44
Hartington Cedar	26	23
Canton	35	26
Harrisburg	32	36
Lennox	26	36
Dakota Valley	28	5
Homer	22	21
Beresford	21	39



Back Row (L-R): S. Klasey, K. Trometer, J. Mead, S. Penfield, B. Knutson, B. Glover, N. Obeney, Mr. Aslesen. Front Row (L-R): Mgrs: K. Langel, S. Reed.

JV BOYS BASKETBALL

Us		Them
Scotland	53	46
South Sioux	55	52
SF Christian	50	46
Ponca	. 37	42
Hinton	42	52
Alcester-Hudson	53	46
Vermillion	23	30
Parker	43	47
Akron-Westfield	50	55
Canton	56	39
Lennox	42	48
Dakota Valley	47	34
Homer	44	50
Beresford	41	46
Harrisburg	53	44



Back Row (L-R): Mr. Bertram, J. Schmidt, C. Taft, S. McInerney, A. Staum, R. Langel. Front Row (L-R): J. Rarrat, J. Keegan, D. Larsen, J. Donnelly, J. Chicoine, B. Staum, M. Nebelsick.

IV GOLF

	Us	Them
DV	233	208
Beresford	196	207
Beresford	186	180
Alcester-Hudson	129	172
West Central Invitational		1 7th
Big Sioux Conference		4th



Back Row (L-R): J. Frankl, E. Buehner, J. Viereck, J. Rarrat, R. Norton, Mr. Fletcher. Front Row (L-R): Molly Donnelly, A. Bottger, J. Rupp, N. Erickson, J. Patnaude.

FRESHMAN BOYS BASKETBALL

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	Us	Them
SF Christian	26	45
Alcester-Hudson	38	24
Vermillion	30	32
Parker	30	28
Lennox	29	44
Dakota Valley	28	23
Homer	33	29
Beresford	26	27
Harrisburg	37	36
9th Grade T	ourr	iey
Lennox	38	40
Canton	78	33



Back Row (L-R): D. Larsen, S. McInerney, N. Erickson, Mr. Bertram. Front Row (L-R): E. Buehner, M. Nebelsick, N. Lindsey, V. Contreras.

C VOLLEYBALL

	Us	Them
Gayville-Volin	2	0
Dakota Valley	2	0
Canton	2	1
Harrisburg	1	2
Beresford	0	2
Alcester-Hudson	0	2
SF Christian	2	1
Parker	1	2
Vermillion	2	2
Lennox	2	0
Dakota Valley	2	0
Harrisburg	1	2
Beresford	2	0
Lennox	2	0



Back Row (L-R): Mr.Zeller, S. Shedd, B. Glover, E. Hasenbank, J. Morgan, L. Honomichl, Jodi Zeller. Front Row(L-R): M. Norton, J. Groethe, D. Harris, S. Klasey.

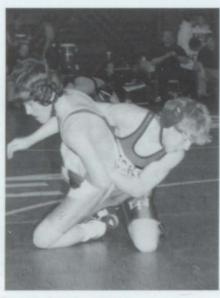
pace Setters



Freshman D. Larsen breaks away from the Cub defenders to gain plus yardage on a Husky first down.



J. Dodds, M. Fowler, and J. Hudelson break away from the pack at the Union County Quadrangular last fall.



Jacob Butrous flexes his muscle as he breaks down his A-H opponent in a two-on-one.



S. Klasey makes a base line move for the basket after an aggressive defensive steal.



J. Frankl practices his jump shot in warm ups before taking on the Vermillion Tanagers.



N. Erickson chips on to #6 in JV action at the EPCC.

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On the Wild Ride



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1. B. Truhe's eye caught something exciting in the game, either that, or someone walked by with a pizza.

2. M. Donnelly cheers for his team.

3. The crowd leaves with excitement after a Husky victory.

4. (L-R): Superfans K.Weavill, B. Knutson,

I. Groethe and

L. Nebelsick show off their super stuff.

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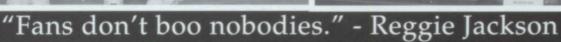


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1. The crowd seems interested in the game, especially R. Wilcox.

2. Some Husky guys support their volleyball girls by dressing like them at the volleyball region meet.

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3. The Beresford Watchdogs came to EPJ for a visit before the Region match. (L-R):M. Shadbolt, J. Adams, B. Allard, D. Trudeau,

B. Schmitz, and J. Larson.

4. (L-R):A group of superfans, K. Freimark, Brooke Turkleson, and A. Bosse, show their Husky pride at the region v-ball game. .



our fellow students and

We contribute

time, effort, and ourselves.



We

- 1. The high school Improv Troup plays Silent Simon Says with junior high students during Mini Courses.
- 2. The award winning EPJ marching band makes its way down Main Street during the Homecoming Parade.



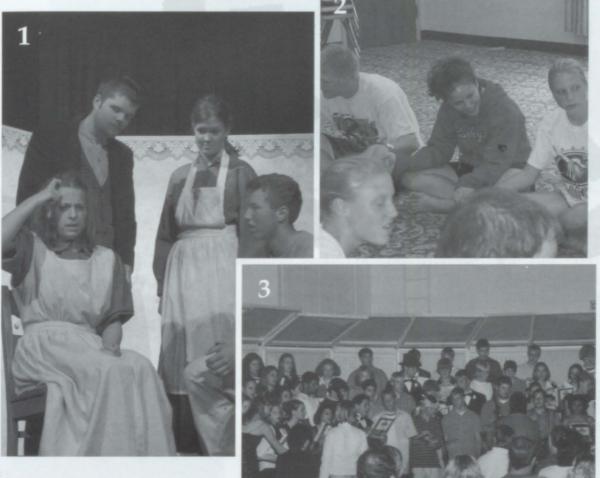
help

the world around us.

We perform to our best ability.

Create

opportunities to soar.



- 1. W. Karpen ponders her next line as J. Joffer, M. Frankl, and J. Sieverding wait impatiently.
- 2. C. Taft, S. Klasey, and O. Matthys anxiously wait to pass a hand slap along and win the game at Natural Helpers Camp.
- 3. Vocal students entertain family and friends at the Christmas concert.

We strive to set the pace.



Gelebrate Formerica



King Kyle Donnely & Queen Molly Frankl



Senior Attendants: David Trudeau & Leslie Nebelsick



Senior Attendants: Blake Allard & Caroline Knutson



Senior Attendants: Josh Adams & Jessica Keegan



Junior, Attendants: Bobby Truhe & Sandy Bouck



Junior Attendants: Brian Schmitz & Lisa Scott



Sophomore, Attendants: James Chicoine & Beth Knutson



Freshman Attendants: Justin Kyte & Brittany Glover

The renewal of American pride that has swept across the country inpsired the Elk Point - Jefferson Student Council to choose "Celebrate America" as its 2002 homecoming theme.

Coronation festivities started the weeklong activities on Monday evening. Anticipation filled the air as no one knew which seniors would reign as the new king and queen. The outcome was unpredictable. Many wondered if the king and

queen would be a boyfriend and girlfriend couple or the singles who had been selected by the student body to represent the senior royalty. Either way, the audience was anxious to hear the results. The envelope was opened and Mistress of Ceremonies, Whitney Karpen, broke the anticipation by announcing that Kyle Donnelly and Molly Frankl were the royal couple. Last year's king, Troy VanRoekel, crowned

the new pair. Mr. Zeller spoke on behalf of the volleyball team and led the crowd in a cheer before the cheerleaders performed the school song. The burning of the letters was brought back this year and was held on the elementary playground. The cheerleaders led the pep rally to get the Huskies excited for the upcoming week. The night ended with a royalty reception in the lunchroom and royalty pictures.

Spirit Week Strutting Our Stuff



1. The Sophomores battle the Seniors in a game of tug-of-war.

2. Freshman, N. Obeny, K. Gill, J. Kyte, and J. Rupp dress up for Era day.

3. B. Allard, M. Shadbolt, and J. Butrous practice shaving.

4. B. Knutson, J. Sieverding, and J. Mead are all ready for work.

5. R. Johnson ducks as M. Erickson attempts to swing.

6. Back Row (L-R): D. Steeg, J. Frankl, J. Dodds, T. Card, J. Chicoine

Front Row(T-B): J. Morgan, K. Densberger all dressed up for Uniform day.



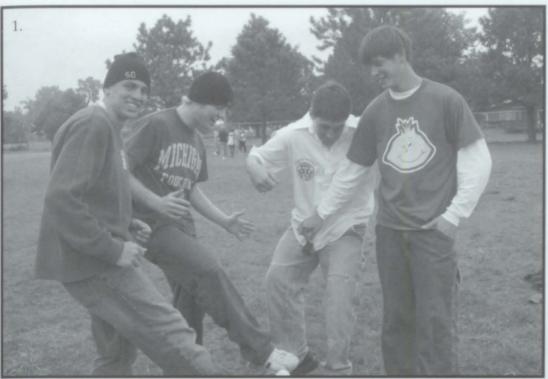








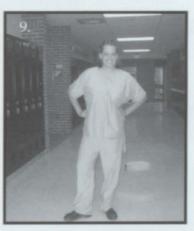




















- 1. K. Donnelly, D. Trudeau, B. Truhe, and J. Adams play hac during the Husky Games.
- 2. Following coronation was the burning of the letters, an old tradition.
- 3. S. Bouck proves it's still fun to play with shaving cream.
- 4. B. Schmitz and D. Staum pause before attacking again with shaving cream.
- 5. A. Ludwig, L. Limoges, L. Nebelsick, and R. Larsen go wild and crazy with shaving cream.
- 6. J. Mead shows off the true flower child within.
- 7. J. Dodds and A.. Bosse both try to be Sandy from Grease.
- 8. B. Turkleson and N. Johnson are dressed and ready for their dream jobs.
- 9. W. Karpen struts her stuff in doctor's scrubs.

Speak Your Mind



Oral Interp Participants: Front Row (L-R): Mickie Hawley, Anne Rosenbaum, Brooke Turkleson, Desiree Steeg, Bobby Truhe, Julia Matthys, Back Row (L-R): Whitney Karpen, Molly Frankl, Justin Sieverding, Jacob Joffer, Olivia Wilkinson.

Region Advancers

Pieces of My Mind- Molly Frankl. Credo- Mickie Hawley Of Mice and Men- Cole Mapstone Silver Water- Mickie Hawley The Best Christmas Pagent Ever-Whitney Karpen Between Daylight & Booneville-Julia Matthys and Desiree Steeg The Complete Works of William Shakespeare Abridged- Jake Donnelly, Mickie Hawley, Justin Sieverding, Olivia Wilkinson



The Oral Interp participants listen attentively to the judge's critiques while awaiting to hear the final results and standings.

With his typical smile, J. Sieverding glides through his exerpt, Lake Wobegon Days.



Between Daylight and Booneville

A Duet Interpretation performed by D. Steeg and J. Matthys. The story features two house wives who think their lives are worthless. Carla is pregnant and her husband is cheating on her. Marlene, Carla's best friend, spies on Carla's husband. In turn, the two women begin to fight, but in the end, they resolve their differences.



Duet
Interpretation
Julia Matthys
and Desiree
Steeg
perform a
duet reading:
Between
Daylight and
Booneville.

The Best Christmas Pageant Ever

The Best Christmas Pagent Ever is a Humorous Prose preformed by Whitney Karpen. The prose is about a family of six kids. These kids are the bane of every teacher and kid. The Best Christmas Pagent Ever is a story about how these six kids take over their church Christmas Pagent.



Humorous

Whitney
Karpen
performs a
humorous
reading: The
Best Christmas Pageant
Ever.

Silver Water

Silver water is a dramatic prose preformed by M. Hawley. Silver water is about two sisters, Rose and Violet. Rose is mentally ill and her sister, Violet, tells her sisters life story before Rose kills herself.



Dramatic
Prose
Mickie
Hawley
performs a
dramatic
reading:
Silver Water.

LEADING THE WAY

Elk Point-Jefferson Student Government



Above: Front(L-R) - J. Groethe, B. Truhe, Jake Donnelly, M. Nebelsick. Second(L-R) - K. Gill, K. Weavill, M. Mau, W. Karpen, C. Knutson, Alisha Hummel. Back(L-R) - M. Frankl, Brandi Turkleson

Right: W. Karpen is proud to be the EPJ Student Council Vice President.





Left: Student Council President M. Frankl talks to the crowd with Mr. Smith about Go-For Day.

Below: Student body Secretary K. Weavill and Treasurer M. Mau pose in front of the Christmas tree.





Senior Class Officers
Front Row (L-R): Class Vice President K. Weavill, Secretary/Treasurer M. Hawley.
Back Row (L-R) - Class Rep.Jake Donnelly, President C. Knutson

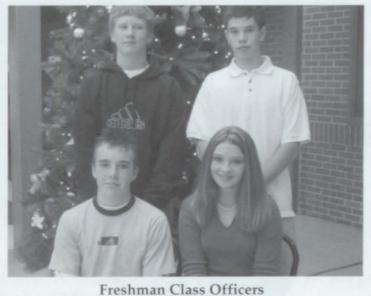


Junior Class Officers
Front Row (L-R) - Class Rep. Brandi Turkleson, Vice President Lisa Scott.
Back Row (L-R) - Treasurer S. Bouck, President B. Truhe, Secretary N. Johnson



Sophomore Class Officers

Front Row (L-R): Secretary/Treasurer S. Shedd, Class Rep. Alesha Hummel.
Back Row (L-R): President J. Groethe, Vice President Brooke Turkleson.

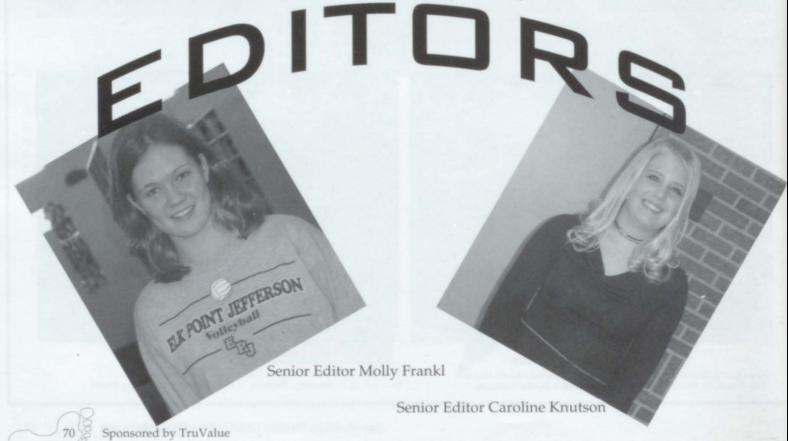


Front Row (L-R): President M. Nebelsick, Class Rep. Kira Gill. Back Row (L-R): Secretary/Treasurer S. McInerney, Vice President J. Frankl

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The Husky Newspaper Staff includes: Front Row (L-R): L. Scott, C. Knutson, R. Curry, A. Rosenbaum, K. Weavill, M. Frankl. Back Row (L-R): M. Hawley, W. Karpen, D. Staum, R. Curry.



Gears in Motion



Members of the National Honor Society are: Front Row (L-R): R. Larsen, M. Frankl, R. Curry, M. Hawley, L. Nebelsick, B. Truhe. Back Row (L-R): C. Knutson, J. Matthys, W. Karpen, B. Turkleson, L. Scott, A. Mead, K. Weavill.



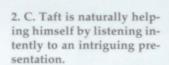
K. Weavill receives her pin from her mother.



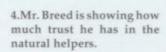
New members of the National Honor Society include: (L-R): K. Weavill, C. Knutson, A. Mead, L. Scott, B. Turkleson, W. Karpen, J. Matthys, B. Truhe, R. Larsen.

Natural Helpers Going Beyond the Line

1. Natural Helpers at Natural Helpers Camp, Left Row (F-B): O. Matthys, S. Klasey, L. Nebelsick, R. Trudeau, W. Karpen, J. Donnelly, C. Mapstone, C. DeBuhr, Ms. Ahmann, Right Row (F-B): K. Gill, S. Shedd, K. Trometer, Mr. Breed, B. Truhe, C. Taft, V. Contreras, B. Allard, Mr. Aslesen



3. K. Trometer and S. Klasey are learning how to "naturally" help others



5. Natural Helpers rest and relax while listening to another presenter.











IAAPROV Leaving Impacts

This seventh grader wants to be just 1 ike R. Larsen when he grows up.



Does B. Truhe know what's going on? Doubt it!



Mr. Breed, B. Truhe, M. Hawley, W. Karpen, L. Rubida, C. Mapstone, and M. Frankl





Improv members from left to right: R. Larsen, J. Matthys, Mr.Breed, B. Truhe, M. Hawley, W. Karpen, L. Rubida, C. Mapstone, and M. Frankl



Mr. Breed laughs as J. Matthys shows us how to be a teapot.

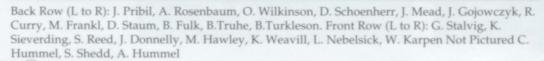
"Making Nice"

- These four nervous actresses are waiting to be yelled at by M. Hawley.
- 2. B.Truhe nurtures B. Turkleson as M. Hawley looks away.
- 3. O. Wilkinson whistles every one to a stop.
- 4. M. Hawley lets W. Karpen know that laughing is not funny.













1. M. Hawley is trying to whip her cast into shape in time for the big show.





2. L. Nebelsick and K. Weavill are being horse's rears to each other.

3. D. Staum calls in a S.W.A.T. team.



4.



4. J. Donnelly wonders how he is supposed to ride on that horse. 6. M. Hawley and J. Donnelly look like they need to use the restroom.



5. W. Karpen waits for J. Donnelly to rescue her.



O. Wilkinson plays dual roles saving the day.

It's the night before the big
show, and Barbara, the director,

(a. k.a. M. Hawley) can't seem to
scream at her cast loud enough to
whip things into shape. Just as
things are heating up to a fever

pitch, enter two representatives
from OSHAT, the new government agency dedicated to promoting emotional safety in the
theatrical workplace. Threatened
with a shutdown, Barbara has no

choice but to "make nice" to her cast and crew. All is well, when Barbara's assistant, Ellen, (a.k.a.

O. Wilkinson) saves the day with the use of her heavy Russian accent.



Gregor Yousekevitch objects to the marriage of Sophia and Leon.



Yenchna pulls along her cow, while the butcher examines Yenchna's prize cow.



Gregor Yousekevitch and Leon Tolchinsky talk about each others love for Sophia.

Neil Simon's **Fools**, a comic fable based on the traditional folk tale "The Village of Idiots" was presented by the EP-J all school cast in April.

The play is set in Kulyenchikov, Russia, in 1889. Leon Tolchinsky is ecstatic. He has just landed a terrific teaching job in a little Russian village. When he arrives, he finds the town under a terrible curse. This curse of stupidity threatens to reduce him to a blithering idiot, like the rest of the village residents, if he

cannot break the curse within 24 (or is it 25?) hours. So why doesn't Leon simply leave? Well, there's a little complication named "Sophia."

The dual set was created by the set crew, which included, Tim Card, Jake Larson, Lisa Scott, Nicole Spencer, and Drew Staum. The art crew included Christina Hummel, Olivia Matthys, Brittany Glover, Sarah Klasey, and Debbie Gray. The Technical crew included Brad Irwin, Chris Tow, and Sam Shedd.

The director of this year's play was Mrs. Lori Hawley, and the assistant director was Jiska Gojowczyk. The technical director of the play was Michaela Hawley, and the set director was Ryan Larsen.



The towns people gather around to hear the news from Leon Tolchinsky.



Leon Tolchinsky kisses Sophia Zubritsky to prove to her that he can love her.



Leon Tolchinsky and Sophia Zubristky are happily married.



Cast and Crew Back Row (L-R): R. Larsen, J. Sieverding, J. Donnelly, W. Karpen, O. Wilkinson, D. Staum, T. Card, R. Curry, J. Larson, J. Joffer, B. Schmitz, M. Frankl, C. Mapstone, B. Truhe, B. Turkleson, and B. Irwin. Middle Row (L-R): M. Hawley, G. Stalvig, S. Reed, K. Weavill, J. Matthys, K. Sieverding. Front Row (L-R): C. Tow, L. Scott, S. Shedd, N. Spencer, O. Matthys, B. Glover, J.Gojowczyk, and C. Hummel.

Standing in the Spotlight



The towns people of Kulyenchikov, Russia gather to see what the commotion is all about.



Snetsky and Mrs. Snetsky, the sheep losers, direct Leon to the the Zubritsky's home.



The Zubritsky family talk among themselves to figure out what the new teacher's like.

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Left: The choir got all dressed up and is making some last minute changes to the selections that they are taking to contest.

Right: Brett Wilcox, Jacob Joffer, Derek Pirner, Josh Adams and Jed McInerney get in harmony with each other in choir warm ups.





First Row (L-R): J. Stultz, C. Irwin, O. Matthys, R. Trudeau, S. Jones, B. Truhe, D. Staum, B. Wilcox, J. Joffer, R. Curry, S. Piper, J. Dodds, K. Gill, S. Bouck, W. Bouck. Second Row (L-R): B. Peters, J. Stultz, B. Turkleson, B. Glover, J. Keegan, G. Pirner, D. Pirner, M. Shadbolt, J. Donnelly, B. Schmitz, K. Freimark, K. Buum, T. Pirner, N. Obeney, A. Bosse. Third Row (L-R): L. Honomichl, J. Mead, L. Limoges, M. Mau, R. Curry, J. Matthys, J. Adams, R. Wilcox, J. McInerney, B. Staum, O. Wilkinson, W. Karpen, M. Frankl, D. Gray, H. Taft, B. Irwin. Fourth Row (L-R): D. Steeg, S. Shedd, J. Chicoine, R. Ries, C. Taft, D. Stamp, J. Engeldinger, D. Schoenherr, J. Donnelly, K. Densberger, A. Limoges, D. Dodds, V. Nelson, and A. Rosenbaum.



All State Delegates





"We did a lot of singing

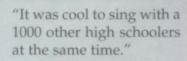


It was one of the most

amazing activities I have

ever participated in."

"All State Chorus included two of my favorite things to do: singing and meeting new people."



and learned a lot about Whitney and Gabe's future kids."

Whitney Karpen

Robert Curry

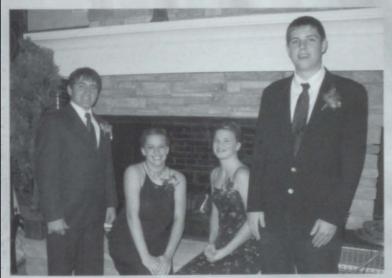
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Top: The men of the choir take charge and sing "Under the Bridge" by the Red Hot Chili Peppers.

Left: This group of altos are preparing to sing "Come Follow Me" at graduation.

Below: The choir spent the last couple of days watching movies.





The all state delegates take time to pose for the camera before their big performance.

Composition of the time...

The Elk Point - Jefferson high school choir has been very busy for the 2002-2003 school year. The first weeks of school were spent getting ready to sing at coronation, where they sang "One Single Light" and "United We Stand," because this year's theme was Celebrate America.

For the rest of the first semester the choir spent a lot of time getting ready for the annual Chirstmas concert where they sang: In December, Worthy to be praised, Feliz Navida. The EPJ choir was privileged enough to record at the KMEG studios in Dakota Dunes. The members of the choir spent the day in front of the cameras and lights for a special presentation that was aired on Christmas Day.

Then at the beginning of the second semester the students in choir began getting ready for solo and small group contest. Contest morning began early and lasted late into the afternoon. The EPJ students did very well. They came home with nine Is and fourteen IIs. After the solo and small group contest was over, the choir began getting ready for large group contest where they came home with a II as an overall score. At the same time the choir was getting ready to sing on the radio. The members of the choir went to the campus of WITCC.

The next step for the chorus was to sing at the annual spring concert.

The last performance on the long list for the EPJ choir was singing at Graduation, where they sang "Come Follow Me."

On behalf of Mrs. Shanks, the EPJ choir would like to say thank you for all of the long hours she put in. Good luck teaching sixth grade. You will be missed in the vocal room.

he right: The band begins its warm-

To the right: The band begins its warmup before the region contest. The band performed the songs Night on Bald Mountain and Suit for Bands.

Below: The Pep Band plays some tunes before sending the girls volleyball team off to the region tournament.







Above: The EP-J Flag girls lead the way to a victory down Main Street during the Homecoming Parade.



Front Row (L-R): A. Limoges, A. Mead, Renee Curry, M. Frankl, G. Stalvig, K. Langel. Second Row (L-R): A. Rosenbaum, N. Obeny, B. Knutson, M. Hawley, O. Wilkinson. Third Row (L-R): K. Weavill, J. Schmidt, T. Card, S. Reed, R. Wilcox, Robert Curry, R. Ries. Fourth Row (L-R): B. Turkleson, S. Penfield, C. Mapstone, L. Honomichl, A. Hanson, B. Truhe, N. Erickson, V. Sundleaf. Back Row (L-R): W. Karpen & Band Director Mr. Schutter.





The large group performs its songs, **Night on Bald Mountain** and **Suit for Bands** at the Region I large group contest in Vermillion. The group received a I rating.





Marching Band

Above the EP-J marching band plays Do Wah Ditty at the D-Days homecoming parade in Vermillion. The band received third place.

Pep Band

To the left: Every home game the pep band performed to pump up the team along with the crowd.

Honor

A Step Ahead of the Rest

Bands



Members of the EP-J Jazz band include: Front Row (L-R):
C. Mapstone, H. Metzger,
N. Erickson, D. Schmidt, C. Tow. Second Row (L-R): A. Ries,
L. Quam, W. Karpen, A. Grupp,
K. Hanson. Third Row (L-R):
R. Quam, A. Rosenbaum,
H. Wilkinson, J. Reed, Robert
Curry, D. Langel. Renee Curry
not present for picture.



Members of the Augustana Band Festivel include: Front Row (L-R): W. Karpen, M. Hawley, O. Wilkinson. Back Row (L-R): C. Mapstone, Robert Curry, Renee Curry.



Members of the Quad State Band include: Front Row (L-R): C. Mapstone, W. Karpen, O. Wilkinson, K. Weavill. Back Row (L-R): Robert Curry, Renee Curry, R. Ries.



Soloists that received I ratings at contest include (L-R): W. Karpen, O. Wilkinson and K. Langel



C. Mapstone received a rating of Excellent on his solo at contest.

Steppin'in Style



Above: J. Joffer, D. Pirner, J. Donnelly, and J. Adams put Elijah Rock in tune.

Right: O. Wilkinson, B. Truhe and M. Frankl take over the set and have a minor disagreement about the manager.



Front Row (L-R): K. Langel, A. Limoges, G. Stalvig. Back Row (L-R): A. Mead, M. Frankl, and R. Curry played their flute ensemble piece for the Arts Night visitors.





M. Nebelsick shows off his art work.



B. Truhe, W. Karpen, Renee Curry and Robert Curry were selected to All-State Chorus. The group performed for Arts Night.



Arts Night



B. Allard and D. Schoenherr take a break and admire the beautiful artwork.



T. Hansen models as Saddam Hussein in an installation entitled War is Hell.



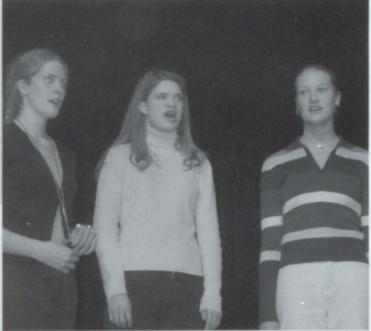
M. Zachow is assaulted by a pig, N. Lindsey, in Bacon and Coffee Break.



J. Schutter warms his band up for the arts night performance.

The Elk Point-Jefferson Arts Night kicked off the evening with musical ensembles from the flute, clarinet, saxophone, and brass sections. The vocalists were up next. Renee Curry sang her solo, Ave Maria. B. Turkleson and J. Dodds followed with their duet, One Song. Elijah Rock was sung by the seniors. The boys' group wrapped up the vocal section with their song, Popeye. The one act play, Making Nice followed. The play was about a director

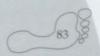
who couldn't manage to keep her crew in line. She screamed at them, and eventually the movie cops threatened to close her studio. Many students were involved in the cast and crew. They worked together to perform an excellent play for the Arts Night visitors. Last, but not least, the students' art was displayed. There were exhibits from Ms. Kunkel's art classes, Mr. Pearson's wood and metal classes, and Mrs. Baagoe's clothing and crafts class.





O. Wilkinson, R. Curry and M. Mau sing their senior song, Elijah Rock.

B. Turkleson and J. Dodds perform their duet, One Song.



2003 Prom King & Queen Justin Sieverding & Olivia Wilkinson







Oh what a night...

It 6:30 on the night of April 12, 2003, the juniors, seniors and their respective dates gathered in the high school commons for the beginning of their prom experience. At the banquet, the senior and junior class presidents spoke. After everyone had eaten and taken their pictures, the Grand March began. Directly following the Grand March, the Prom royalty was announced. Whitney Karpen then crowned King Justin Sieverding and

Queen Olivia Wilkinson to reign over the prom festivities, After the royalty dance, everyone was free to get their groove on. After a brief break for everyone to change out of their formal attire, they came back to pizza and a hypnotist. Aftera fun filled hour and half with the hypnotist everyone got to play casino games and had a chance to win various prizes. The fun finally ended at 4:00 a.m. the morning of April 13, 2003.



Prom' Royalty 2003 Front Row (L to R): Justin Sieverding, Olivia Wilkinson, Jake Donnelly, Melissa Mau, Ryan Johnson, Allison Mead, Cole Mapstone, and Katie Weavill. Back (L to R): Jake Larson, Stephanie Jones, Jed McInerney, Brandi Turkleson, Ryan Larsen and Nicole Spencer.

Senior, Attendants: , Allison Mead & Ryan Johnson





Senior,Attendants: Katie Weavill & Cole Mapstone

Senior, Attendants: Melissa Mau & Jake Donnelly



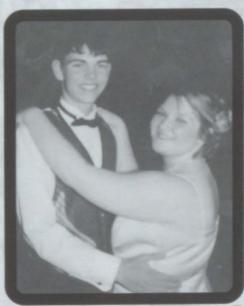
Afterglow

Junior Attendants: Nicole Spencer & Jake Larson



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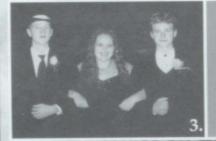
Junior Attendants: Brandi Turkleson & Ryan Larsen



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- 1. The Stultz sisters take a rest with their dates.
- 2. W. Bouck and
- C. Burrel smile during the banquet with their dates.
- 3. D. Klasey shows
- R. Reis and J. Rarrat how to dance.
- 4. The senior guys give a thumbs up for a great night.







- 5. Seniors, A. Ludwig and L. Limoges take a moment from their prom dates and smile for the camera.
- 6. R. Kayl poses in his 70's pink and blue.
- 7. The sophomore girls look like they are having more fun together than they are with their dates: A. Begnoche, B. Knutson, A. Bosse, and K. Trometer.









- 1. S. Tubbs looks lost without her date. 2. J. Joffer, L. Rubida, and J. Eslick-Coats wait for the girls to ask them to dance.
- 3. R. Morris finds his new dance partner.









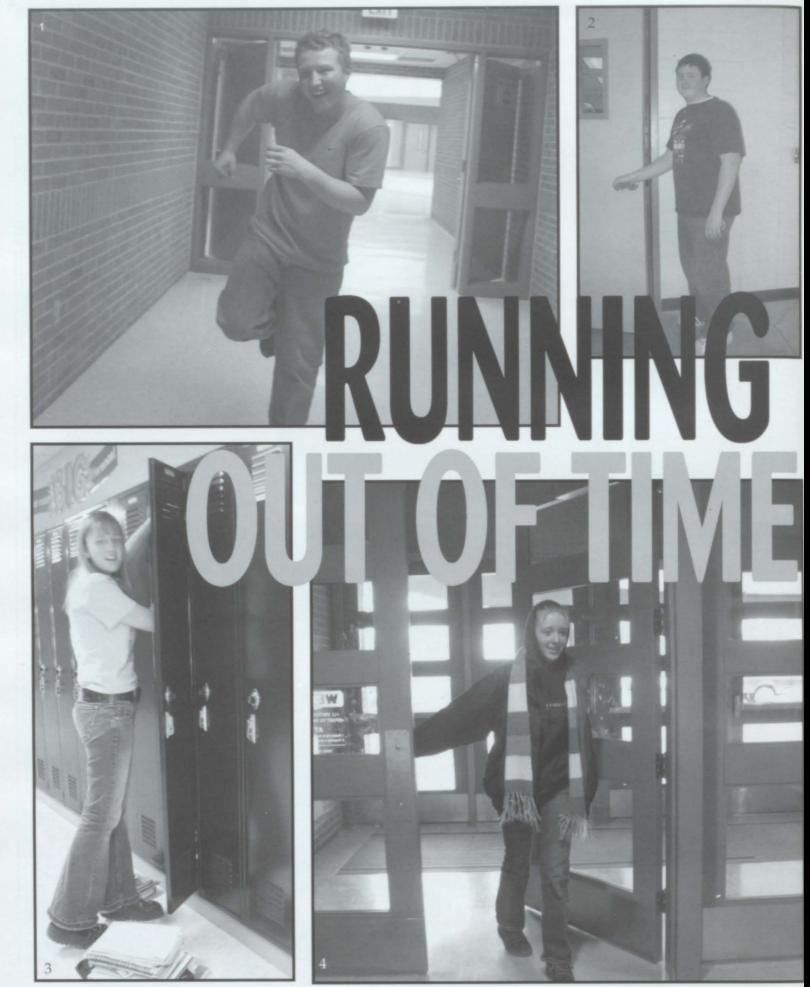




- 4. D. Mitchell looks at B. Turkleson for dancing tips.5. C. Knutson trys to tell D. Staum how the fountain should have been done.6. K. Weavill barks for "Santa" at the after prom party while under hypnosis.









1. J. Sieverding runs to fix another computer. 2. R. Jerred tries to slip in the door to avoid a tardy. 3. A. Rosenbaum searches for a lost book in her locker. 4. J. Groethe sneaks in the door at 8:13a.m., again.











EXCUSES FOR BEING LATE...

FOR SCHOOL

"My dog, grandma, etc. died." Puyan Peterson

"Never been tardy (perfect student)." Jay Gabel

FOR CLASS

"I went to the wrong class." David Trudeau

"Some sophomore punk thought he was tough and closed my locker door."

Dejay Langel

FOR WORK

"Didn't you see me pick up that trash in the parking lot when I drove up?"
Bobby Truhe

"Really, really long train." Heather Taft

FOR A DATE

"My mom was combing my hair." Brian Schmitz

"Hey baby, I'm only taking you to Los Amigos so quit sweatin' me."

Derek Pirner

FOR A CURFEW

"Got pulled over, and the cop took his time." Caroline Knutson

"Traffic jam in Elk Point." Sam McInerny













CUMES

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4.) L. Rubida brings the combat boots back. 2.) M. Zachow shows his true uniqueness.

1.) L. Limoges straightens D. Schoennherr's every day poof. 3.) S. Tubbs shows us her new "stud."

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4.) O. Wilkinson steals her grandma's favorite dress. 2.) R. Kayl shows his new ride.



3.) R. Morris asks if anyone would like to pet him. 1.) M. Erickson flashes his "Tattoos."



Above (L to R): A. Limoges, A. Tuttle, C. Hummel, and H. Taft spend their last moments together recalling old memories.

Below: O. Wilkinson tries to calm A. Mead's nerves by offering some of her comical advice.



Below: J. Sieverding, M. Mau, and R. Curry eagerly discuss the plans for a senior party as they wait to take their place in line.



Above: It's finally over! D. Schoenherr and A. Peters breath a sigh of relief as they exit the

gymnasium.

Above: In an attempt to produce a successful ceremony, D. Pirner was regulated and forced to change into khaki pants. Faculty, however, failed to stop L. Limoges' silly string celebration.



Above: The boys, looking dazed and confused, try not to act overwhelmed at the thought of their four years of hard work finally paying off.



TAKING THE

FINAL STEPS

"Step boldly, live fully, and let us come back often to share the pages of our notebooks."

our long years of some play and lots of hard work, came to a close on Saturday, May 17, 2003, at the Elk Point - Jefferson High School Gymnasium as each graduate walked across the stage to receive his diploma. Principal Randy Pirner called each student's name while Vice President of the Board of Education, Bob Murphy handed each graduate his or her diploma.

Caroline Knutson, senior class President, welcomed friends and family and thanked most of the staff with memorable classroom experiences. Molly Frankl, valedictorian, spoke of our obvious changes through the years and our memory filled notebooks. "Our lives are like notebooks, with our stories written on the pages...but now it is time to turn to a new blank page and continue our stories. Step boldly, live fully, and let us come back often to share the pages of our notebooks." Salutatorian, Leslie Nebelsick, gave the closing. She assigned a phrase to each letter of the word "graduation" that reminded us as we leave, we are taking a part of this place with us.

Following the speeches, the high school choir sang the senior song, "Come Follow Me".

A power point presentation, beautifully created by Mr. Smith, was shown on the walls of the gymnasium. Each slide showed three pictures of a student and stated their future plans. Memories were recreated at the sight of pictures from years past.

At the end of the ceremony, the class of 2003 was welcomed by the warm spring weather that hailed their special day as they lined up outside. With obvious joy, the seniors congratulated each other for completing a successful four years and held tight to the embrace of close friends and parents.

Right: If this is what you call torture, chain me to the wall! From Left to Right: O. Wilkinson, C. Mapstone, and M. Hawley.

Below: L. Nebelsick hides in her locker in a vain attempt to skip the wrath of Advanced Chemistry.



Brave after prom party attendees take a break from driving their Geo's and taking cover from the falling sky.





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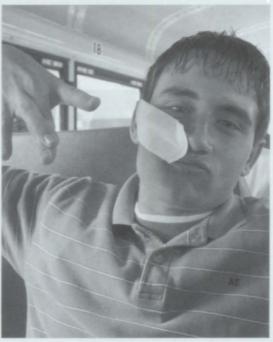
TO ANK

Time for Good-bye

Soon the halls of EPJ will be empty once again. Overflowing lockers and occupied desks will now be deserted and empty.

As we calculate the last answer and fill in the final blank of our semester tests, it's no doubt that our minds are anywhere but here. We're dreaming of family vacations, summer jobs, future plans and new horizons. Yet, our hearts and minds may also be filled with regrets of things left undone and the knowledge that for some of us, we are leaving friends and security that EPJ offered the past four years.





Above: W. Karpen shows her extreme enthusiasm for the last day of school.

Left: B. Truhe tries a little too hard to be just like Nelly. Sorry Bobby, Nelly's hot, you're not.

Somewhere down the road



There are many roads we have crossed, many hills we have climbed and so many dreams we have yet to realize





- > U2's humanitarian lead singer Bono visits Africa and tours Midwestern America to raise awareness and support for African AIDS epidemic relief.
- Nuclear crisis arises when North Korean leader Kim Jong II breaks a 1994 pledge with the United States not to build nuclear weapons.



in a Russian special

forces raid that kills

the captors and at least 129 hostages.



July to lead the World

Youth Day vigil.

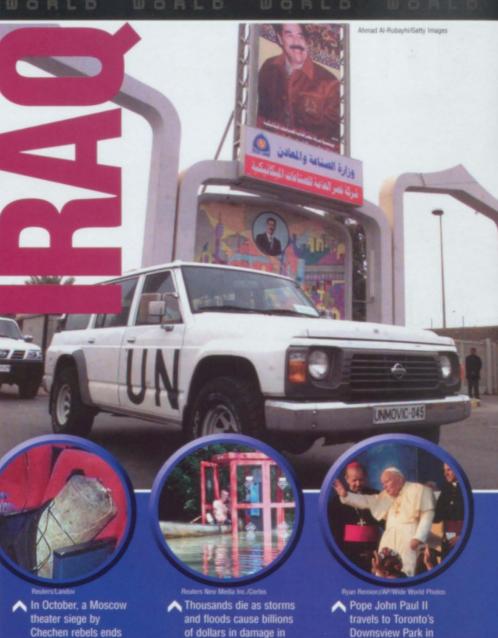
WORLD

> U.N. inspectors return to Iraq to investigate Saddam Hussein's alleged production of weapons of mass destruction.



- A Halloween earthquake in San Giuiliano di Puglia, Italy, topples an elementary school, killing dozens of children.
- China's one-child-per-family policy creates an imbalanced boy-to-girl ratio that will result in tens of millions of men finding





China and many countries

across Europe.

- The Miss World beauty pageant leaves Nigeria after Islamic fundamentalist protest groups kill more than 100 people.
- In Venezuela, an opposition strike demanding President Hugo Chavez's resignation paralyzes the country's oil exports and turns to bloodshed as Chavez supporters retaliate.
- ▼ The oil tanker Prestige spills more than 5 million gallons of oil off the northwestern coast of Spain before splitting in two and sinking.

V Former U.S. President Jimmy Carter receives the Nobel Peace Prize for his decades of work for peace, democracy and human rights worldwide.









Over 100 people, mostly foreign tourists, are killed in an October terrorist bombing of two nightclubs in Bali, Indonesia.



Once presumed dead, Al-Qaeda leader Osama bin Laden returns to Middle Eastern air waves with recorded anti-American threats.

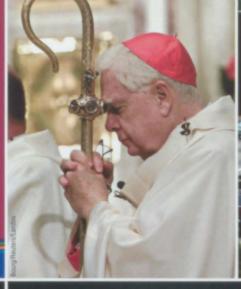


In an effort to eliminate Al-Qaeda, the United States continues its war on terrorism by maintaining a steady military presence in Afghanistan.



Emergency workers in the United States and overseas receive smallpox vaccinations as a preventative measure against bioterrorism.

- After being subpoenaed to testify before a Massachusetts grand jury about sex abuse among Catholic priests, embattled Boston Cardinal Bernard Law resigns.
- More than 25 states implement the Amber Alert System, which posts information about abducted children on TV and interstate signs, leading to the recovery of dozens of children nationwide.





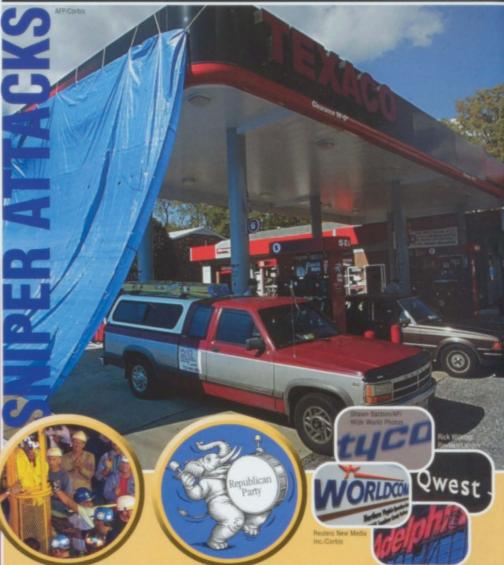
NATIONAL

- > For weeks in October, alleged snipers John Muhammad and Lee Boyd Malvo terrorize Washington, D.C., Maryland and Virginia, randomly killing 10 people and injuring three others.
- The space shuttle Columbia breaks apart on reentry into the Earth's atmosphere, killing all seven astronauts aboard.



not return safely to Earth, but we can pray they are safely home."

- President George W. Bush



On July 28, nine Pennsylvania coal miners are rescued after being trapped for three days in a mineshaft flooded with over 70 million gallons of water.

Midterm elections make history as Republicans, the party controlling the White House, gain congressional seats rather than losing them.

Several large corporations inflate profits while top executives make off with millions in accounting scandals that send shock waves through global markets.

- ✓ In October, Minnesota Senator Paul Wellstone dies in a plane crash along with his wife, daughter and five other victims.
- Sparked by summer drought, wildfires—including one set accidentally by a forlorn forest ranger—tear across the western United States.
- A weakened economy repeatedly drives down interest rates and delivers retailers their worst holiday shopping season in decades
- President Bush signs the Homeland Security Act, officially creating a Department of Homeland Security dedicated to preventing terrorist attacks.

Kevin Lamarque/Reuters/Landov/AFP Photo/Juan Barreto/Corbi

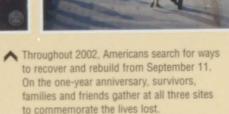




Philomena Gorentia US Navy Photo/AP Mide World Photos

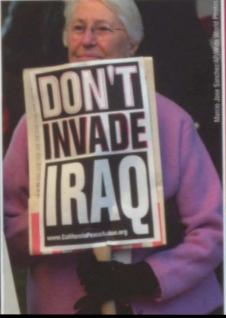
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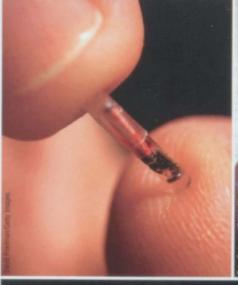


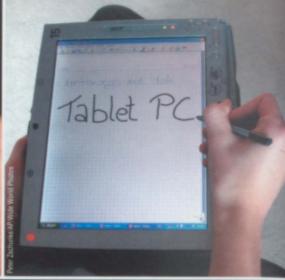


- Federal employees from the Transportation Security Administration begin screening all checked baggage and random passengers at airports.
- The possibility of the United States waging war against Iraq meets disapproval both at home and abroad.
- The U.S. Senate passes a resolution condemning a Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals ruling that reciting the Pledge of Allegiance in schools is unconstitutional.



- Patients in Florida are the first to receive the VeriChip, a computer chip bearing personal medical data that is injected into the forearm.
- Microsoft's Tablet PC enables users to write directly on the screen rather than typing on a keyboard.





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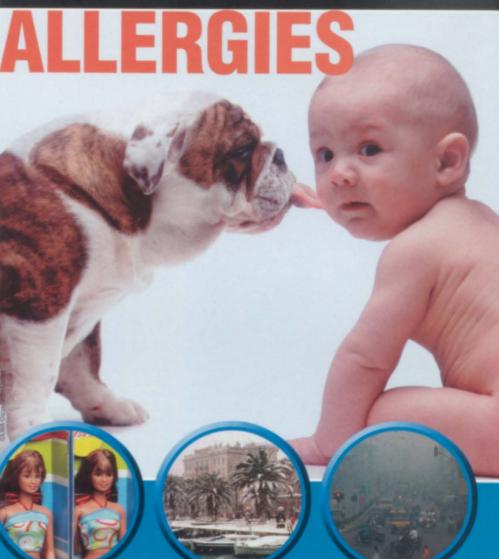
The Journal of the American Medical Association reports that children who grow up with pets have a reduced risk of developing common allergies.



- Maria de Jesus and Maria Teresa Quiej-Alvarez, 1-year-old Guatemalan twins born joined at the head, are successfully separated after over 22 hours of surgery.
- Just before burning up in Jupiter's atmosphere, the Galileo spacecraft captures the closest shots ever taken of Jupiter's moon lo.

NASA/AP/Wide World Photos

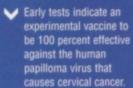




▲ Both Italian doctor Severino Antinori and Raelian scientists at Clonaid, who believe aliens created humans, claim to have produced the first cloned human. Neither claim is proven genetically. Sazo Vukicevic/AP/Wide World Photo

► El Niño causes snow and ice storms up and down the East Coast, rainstorms in California and a devastating December tornado in Mississippi. Arman/AP/Wide World Photos

A blanket of pollution over South Asia, dubbed the "Asian Brown Cloud," threatens the lives of millions worldwide with respiratory disease.



- University of Arkansas researchers discover that microorganisms grow in conditions similar to those on
 - For \$300 to \$1,000 per injection, people craving eternal youth attend BOTOX parties to inject the FDA-approved paralytic toxin into their skin to relax their muscle tissue.
- Mars, suggesting the planet once hosted or currently hosts life.



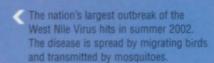
✓ General Motors introduces the Hy-wire —

harmful exhaust.

a car powered by hydrogen and oxygen that emits heat and water rather than



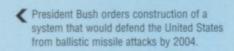


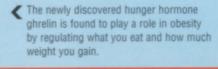


The gun turret of the historic Civil War ironclad USS Monitor is raised from the floor of the Atlantic Ocean.













- ➤ The U.S. Education Department reports that average geography scores of the nation's fourth and eighth graders, while low, have improved from 1994.
- > Ellula introduces HotAir Speakers, a set of battery-powered, inflatable speakers that are small enough to fit in your pocket when deflated.





LIFESTYLE

Nickelodeon's "SpongeBob Squarepants" ignites imaginations across the nation and appears on store shelves on everything from slippers to suspenders.

Matthew Staver/Bioomberg News/Landov



- ↑ McDonald's unveils new lower-fat french fries due to the new Healthy Eating Pyramid and in response to many former patrons suing for making them overweight.
- ▼ 1970s peasant shirts are alive and well on runways and in school halls.

David Dyson/Camera Press/Retna



Neal Graham/Omni-Photo Communications

▲ The Institute of Medicine announces that maintaining health now requires one hour of exercise daily, doubling the previous recommendation.

www.laurenshope.com

Jewelry designers Le Ann Carlson and Denise Gaskill add style to safety with Lauren's Hope for a Cure medical ID bracelets.

Kmart Corporation

Kmart rejuvenates the Joe Boxer brand with ads featuring the dancing Joe Boxer guy, Vaughn Lowery.

- V Everyone from hot young movie stars to aging rock stars sports the newest fashion trend, turquoise jewelry.
- ✓ The cola war puts new flavors to the test, including Dr. Pepper Red Fusion, Pepsi Blue and Vanilla Coke.
- Krispy Kreme lovers start a new tradition by celebrating their vows with doughnut wedding cakes.





European fashion hits the sidewalks and clubs of the United States with retro-style bowling shoes.

Several companies introduce flavored water enhanced with vitamins and other nutrients.

Busy singles try out speed dating, which gives couples several minutes to talk one-on-one before moving to a new partner at the next table.



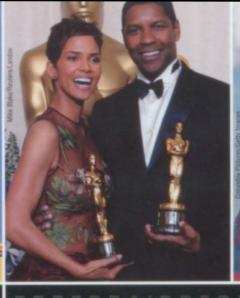






- The Mohawk makes a hair-raising comeback after being donned by everyone from U.S. World Cup star Clint Mathis to actor Ryan Phillippe.
- Digital innovations include camera phones — cell phones that can transmit still and video images through mobile phone lines.

- At the 2002 Academy Awards, Halle Berry and Denzel Washington win Best Actress and Best Actor Oscars. Berry is the first female African-American to win the award.
- Spider-Man, starring Tobey Maguire and Kirsten Dunst, spins a \$114 million opening weekend box-office record.

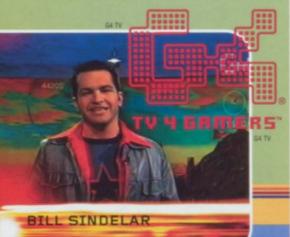




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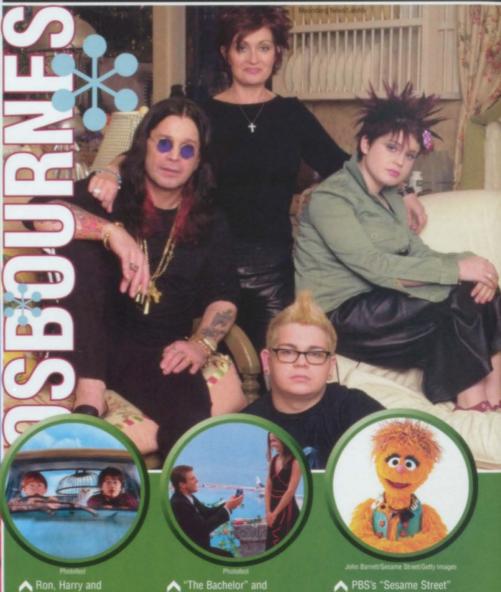
INTERTAINMENT ENTERTAINME

With over 6 million viewers, "The Osbournes" is the biggest hit in MTV's 21-year history.



- Avid gamers tune in to G4, the first cable TV channel dedicated solely to video games.
- Viewers return week after week for a bit of innocent American nostalgia on NBC's hit drama "American Dreams."

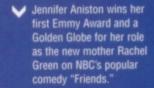




Hermione are back to hitting the books and battling evil forces in Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets.

"The Bachelor" and
"The Bachelorette" keep
millions tuned in to ABC
to see who will receive an
on-air marriage proposal.

PBS's "Sesame Street" introduces the Muppet Kami, an HIV-infected orphan, in an effort to educate young people worldwide about AIDS.



- ✓ Virtual unknowns Nia Vardalos and John Corbett steal America's hearts in the year's surprise smash hit My Big Fat Greek Wedding.
- Peter Jackson receives a Golden Globe Best Director nomination for The Lord of the Rings: The Two Towers, the year's most anticipated sequel.



Cynical Simon Cowell and company stir up big ratings for Fox's "American Idol" and big record sales for winner Kelly Clarkson, a waitress from Texas.

Photofest



- After a two-year hiatus, Leonardo DiCaprio returns to the big screen with two holiday blockbusters, Gangs of New York and Catch Me If You Can.
- Chicago, a film adaptation of the hit Broadway musical, wins three Golden Globes, including Best Picture: Musical or Comedy, and receives 13 Oscar nominations.







- HBO Films' comedy Real Women Have Curves promotes positive self-image with the dazzling debut of Latin-American actress America Ferrera.
- CBS scores a ratings doubleheader with a pair of forensic investigation dramas, "CSI: Crime Scene Investigation" and "CSI Miami."

- Newcomer Norah Jones takes home five Grammys, including Album of the Year, for Come Away With Me.
- Multi-talented Eminem raps up five Grammy nominations for *The* Eminem Show and big box-office success in 8 Mile.





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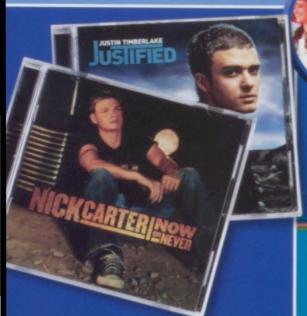
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Rocker Avril Lavigne and other "anti-Britneys," such as Vanessa Carlton and Michelle Branch, represent the new face of women in music.

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- Meezer teams up with the Muppets in the video for "Keep Fishin'," the second single from their hit album Maladroit.
- Pop takes a new direction when former boy band favorites Nick Carter and Justin Timberlake break out with solo albums and tours.

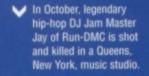


J. Pat Carter/AP/Wide World Photos

Spanish trio Las Ketchup lands a summer hit with the catchy "Asereje" aka "The Ketchup Song (Hey Hah)." Hermann J. Knippertz/AP/Wide World Photos

→ R&B newcomer Ashanti becomes the first artist since the Beatles to have three singles from a debut album in Billboard's Top 10 at the same time. Chris Pizzello/AP/Wide World Photos

In April 2002, Lisa "Left Eye" Lopes, 30, of R&B band TLC, dies in a car crash on a Honduran highway.



- After a six-year romance, No Doubt's Gwen Stefani marries Bush's Gavin Rossdale in September.
- Country crossover star Shania Twain hits No. 1 on the Billboard albums chart with Up!, a double CD with every song in both a pop and country version.
- Former Beatles rock legend Paul McCartney brings in \$2 million a night, for a total of \$103 million, on the year's top-grossing tour.

Issel Kato/Reuters/Lando



- The Strokes, Spin magazine's 2002
 Band of the Year, lead a resurgence
 of rock 'n' rollers, including The Hives
 and The Vines.
- Armed with a steady beat and punk-rock-blues riffs, The White Stripes' stripped-down rock shines on the highly acclaimed White Blood Cells.

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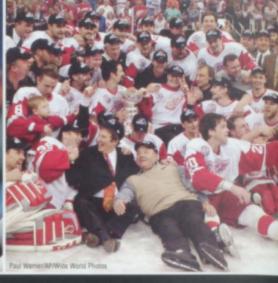




- Alan Jackson's triple-platinum album Drive wins five Country Music Association Awards and is named the USA Today No. 1 country album of 2002.
- Nirvana, the famed grunge band's long-awaited greatest hits album, features "You Know You're Right," the last recording Kurt Cobain made before his 1994 suicide.

- Dallas Cowboy running back Emmitt Smith breaks Walter Payton's 16,727-yard mark to become the NFL's all-time leading rusher.
- The Detroit Red Wings capture the 2002 NHL Stanley Cup over the Cinderella Carolina Hurricanes. It's a record ninth cup for retiring coach Scotty Bowman.



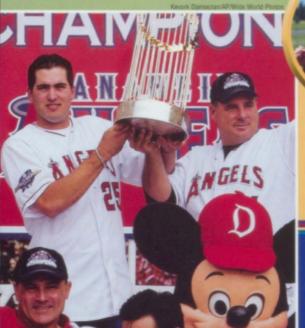


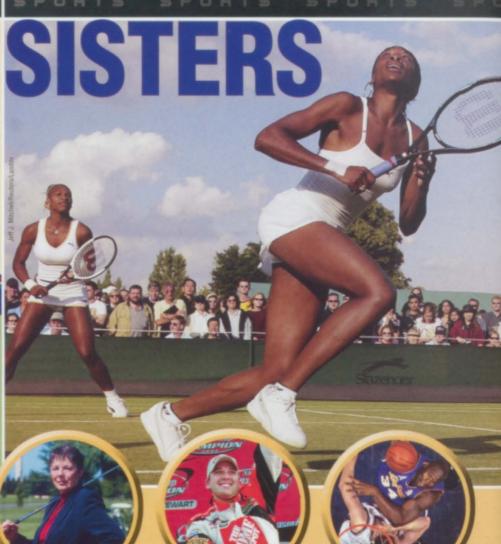
SPORTS

> Serena and Venus Williams continue to dominate women's tennis, becoming the first sisters to be ranked No. 1 and No. 2 in the world.



- The college football season is marred by violent confrontations involving fans, students and even coaches.
- MVP Troy Glaus leads the scrappy Anaheim Angels to the 2002 World Series win over Barry Bonds and the San Francisco Giants, four games to three.





Martha Burk of the National Council of Women's Organizations battles with Augusta National chairman William Johnson over the issue of female membership at the famous Georgia golf club.

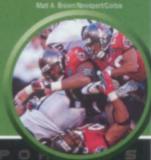
An 18th place finish in the NASCAR season finale at Homestead-Miami Speedway is enough to earn Tony Stewart his first Winston Cup Series championship.

A Despite an injured toe. Shaquille O'Neal powers the unstoppable Los Angeles Lakers to a third straight NBA championship title in May 2002.

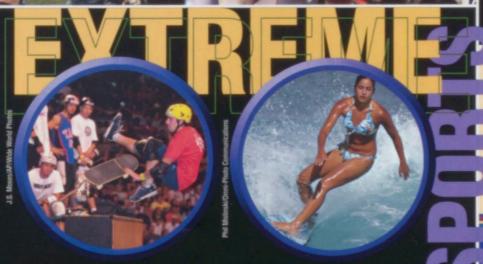
- The U.S. men's soccer team advances to the World Cup quarterfinals for the first time, by defeating Mexico 2-0.
- ✓ The U.S. Postal Service team propels Sports Illustrated magazine's Sportsman of the Year Lance Armstrong to his fourth consecutive Tour de France victory.
- The top-rated defense of the Tampa Bay Buccaneers shuts down the No. 1 offense of the Oakland Raiders to win Super Bowl XXXVII 48-21.











✓ LPGA pro Annika Sorenstam, after a record-setting 13-win 2002 season worldwide, accepts an invitation to play the Colonial tournament on the men's 2003 PGA Tour.

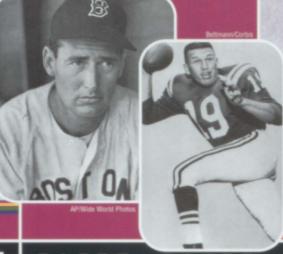


- The Ohio State Buckeyes beat the heavily favored Miami Hurricanes in double overtime to win the BCS National Championship. The 31-24 victory is the school's first national football title since 1968.
- The new sport of SlamBall takes basketball to the extreme on a specially designed court with four trampolines in front of each hoop.



- Skateboarding reaches new popularity heights thanks to the high visibility of the X Games and the "Tony Hawk's Pro Skater" video game series.
- Surfing welcomes a tidal wave of women to the sport after receiving a Hollywood endorsement in the popular summer flick Blue Crush.

- The sports world loses two legendsbaseball's "Splendid Splinter" Ted Williams and Johnny Unitas, one of football's greatest quarterbacks.
- Zacarais Moussaoui, widely believed to be the 20th hijacker, goes on trial for his involvement in the September 11 terrorist attacks.





FACES

Martha Stewart faces charges of illegal stock trading after former Imclone president Sam Waksal allegedly tips her off regarding the company's demise.



- In show business since they were 9 months old, Mary-Kate and Ashley Olsen, 16, have amassed a \$76 million fortune through their Dualstar Entertainment Group.
- Veteran actor Richard Harris, known for his role as Hogwarts wise headmaster Albus Dumbledore, dies of Hodgkin's disease at age 72.





Mentally challenged Ohio high school senior Jake Porter-who suited up for every practice and game for four years but never playedscores his first touchdown.

California's Linda and Loretta Sanchez make history as the first sisters ever elected to Congress.

Mississippi Senator Trent Lott is widely criticized for apparent racist remarks he made at Senator Strom Thurmond's 100th birthday party. In December, Lott resigns as majority leader.

