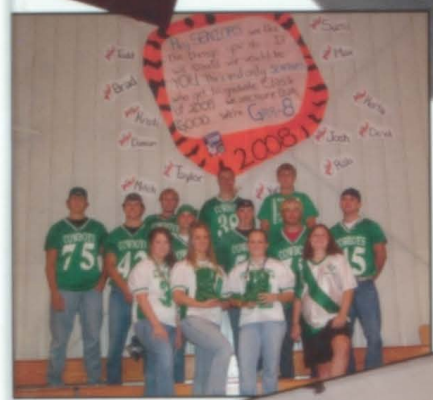


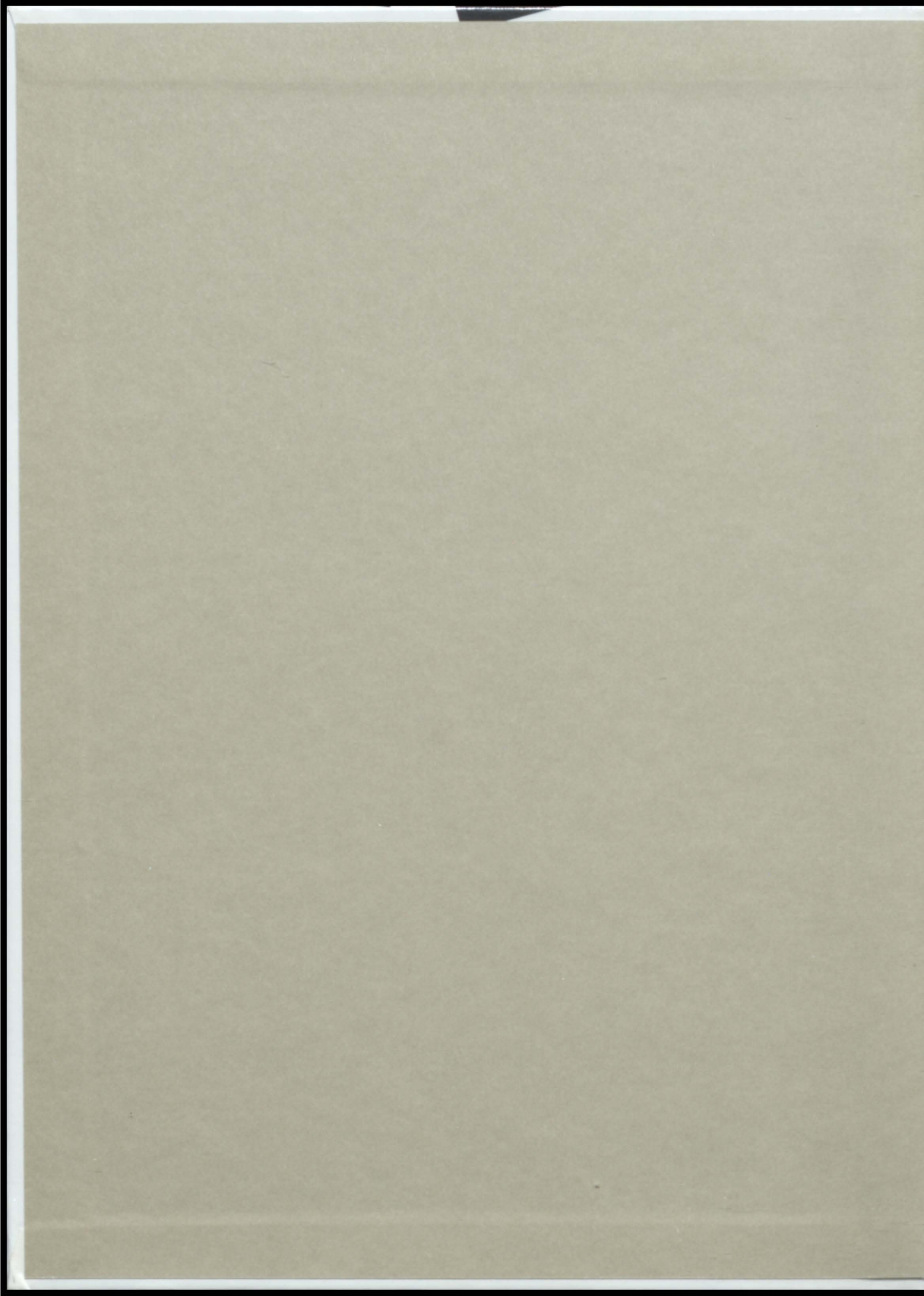


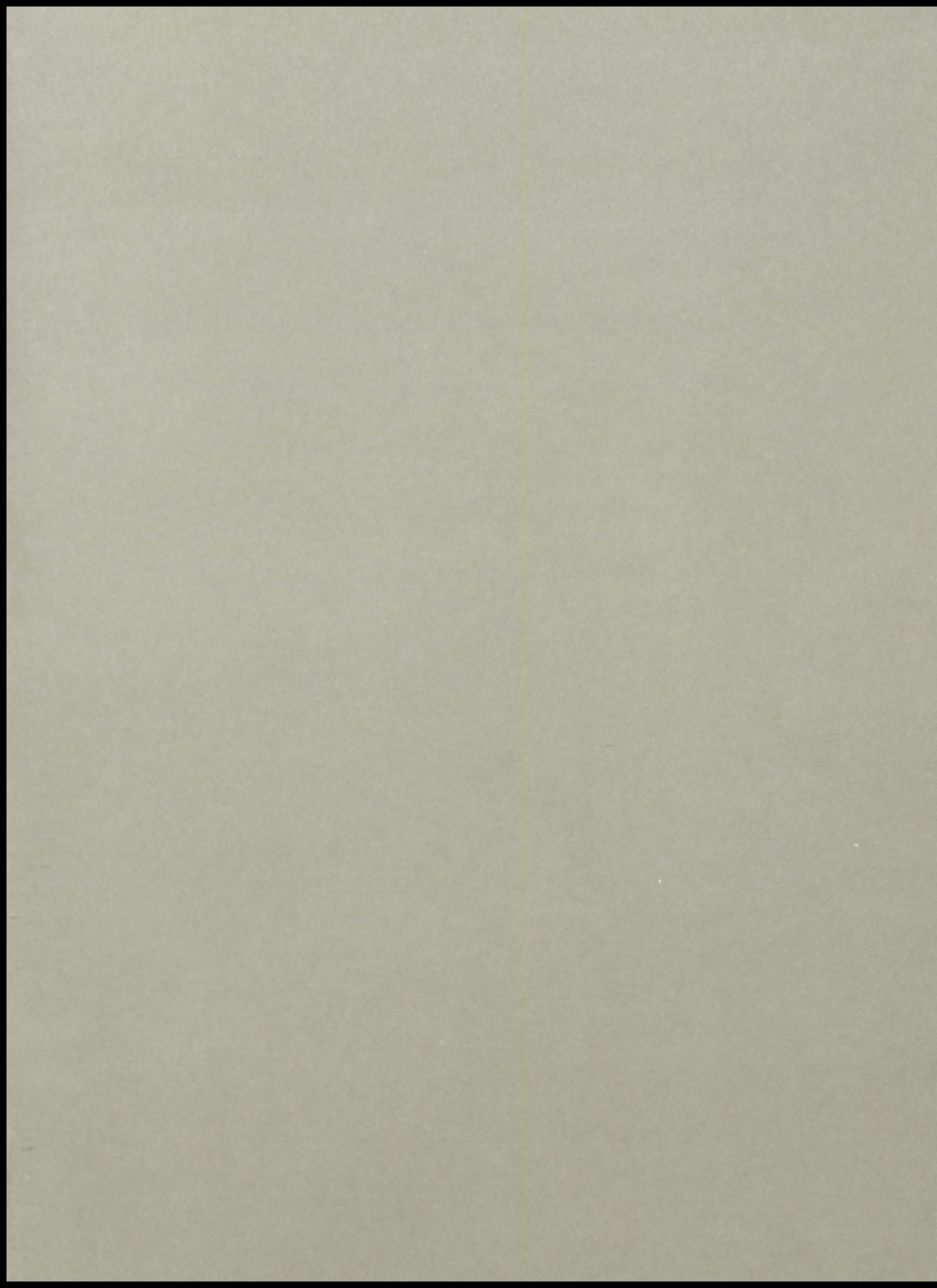
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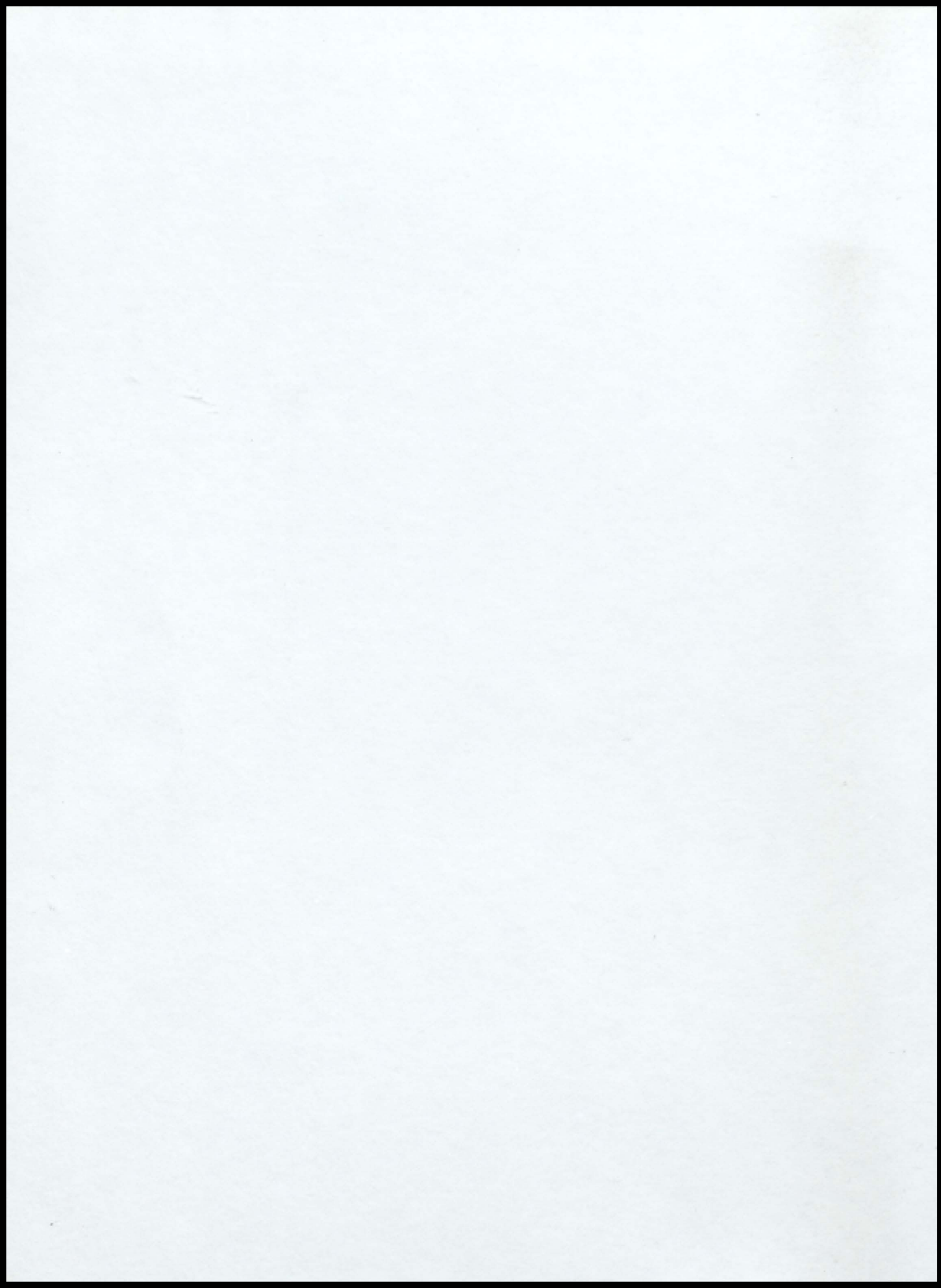


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Making Memories One Year at a Time

Memories have been made at Colome School since 1910 when the first school building was constructed in Colome. Since that time, many students have received a great education at Colome, and they have made memories one year at a time. As Colome celebrates 100 years, it is a great time to think about all of these memories. The 2007-2008 school year was no exception. Memorable events include a successful homecoming, a championship in the Dome, a district championship in volleyball, a fun prom night, and many other events. The yearbook staff hopes that you enjoy this collection of memories.

Right: Colome staff members created this float for the Centennial Parade on June 14. Colome celebrated its 100th birthday with a variety of events on June 12-15.



Far right: Seniors Kristi Miner and Mitch Schwartz perform during the all-school play.



Far top left: Caitlin Shippy and Kayla Meyer participate in freshman initiation during Homecoming 2007.

Far bottom left: Seniors Mitch Schwartz and Kurt Attebery work on the landscaping on the east side of the gym.

Left: Seventh graders Cassidy Hofeldt and Rachael Audiss enjoy the junior high bowling party at Gregory Lanes before the Christmas vacation.

Above: Lakin Stenson and Kristen Hrabanek pose for the camera on the Spanish trip to Los Sombreros in Mitchell. Students in the Spanish I and II classes met their teacher, Senor Barnes, at the restaurant and enjoyed Mexican food, dancing, and conversation.



Far left: Todd Sherman plays basketball with Trevor Bertram and Chase Dufek during Spring Fling.

Above left: Emilee Graesser teaches Lindsey Little Hoop and Megan Seegers how to make slime in the chemistry session of Spring Fling.

Above: Kristi Miner, Rachel Shippy, Heather O'Bryan, and Tracy Routh perform at the spring concert.

Left: Callie Heath and Wiley Heath sing "My Flag" during the Veteran's Day program.

Below: Colome students and fans cheer on the Cowgirls at a home volleyball game.





1. Haley Krumpus, Cheyenne Dougherty, Mariah Kinzer, and Alexa McKenzie cheer for the Cowboys.

2. Derek Beck is congratulated by his grandma, Connie Bicek.

3. Emilee Graesser, Collene Cahoy, and Megan Fast perform one of their dances at Fun Night.

4-5. Dave Cahoy and Greg Sherman cheer for their sons at the pep rally before the Dome.

6. The Cowboys celebrate their victory after receiving the championship trophy at the Dome.

7. Zach Harter and Nathan Audiss show their biceps for the camera.

8. Jesse Tate and Kristi Miner dance at Prom 2008.

9. Coaches Brent Olson and Kevin Graesser are fed pudding by Norma Olson (Olson's mother) and Alisyn Graesser (Graesser's daughter) at the pep rally for the football team.

10. Mr. Alan Armstrong presents the Region VI trophy to seniors Damian Berg, Todd Sherman, and Kurtis Atteberry.



Seniors

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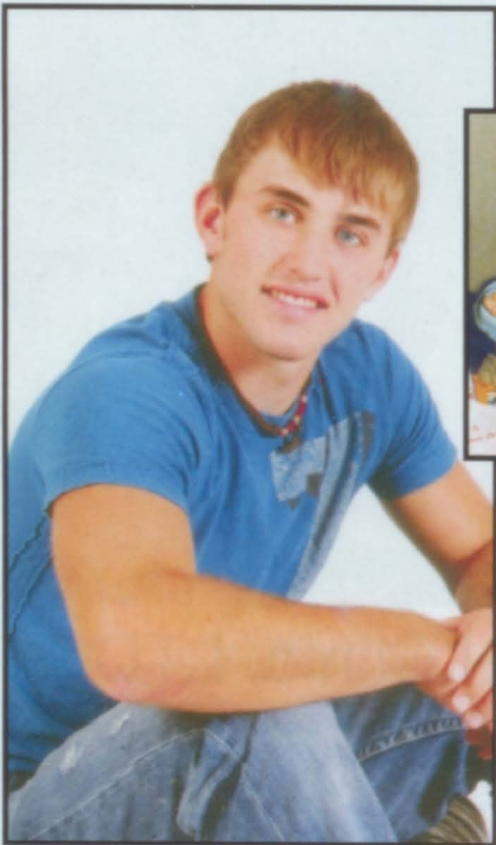


Kelsey
Jo
Atteberry



Kurtis
Robert
Atteberry

Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 4; "C" Club 2,3,4; Royalty Candidate 4;
Homecoming Honor Guard 3; All-State Football 4



Derek
Douglas
Beck



Damian
Scot
Berg

Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 3,4; "C" Club 2,3,4; Chorus
1,2; Lariat 2; Annual 2; Class Officer 1,2,3; Royalty Candidate 4;
Homecoming Honor Guard 3; Quiz Bowl 1,2; Club Baseball 1,2,3,4;
All-State Football 3,4; All-Conference Basketball 3; Basketball
Honorable Mention 4

Football 4; German Club 2,3; FFA 1,2,3,4; Boy Scouts 1,2



Robert
Joseph
Cahoy

Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2; Track 1,2; "C" Club 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,2; Class Officer 2; Student Council Member 2; Rodeo Club 3,4; Club Baseball 1,2,3,4; All-State Football 4



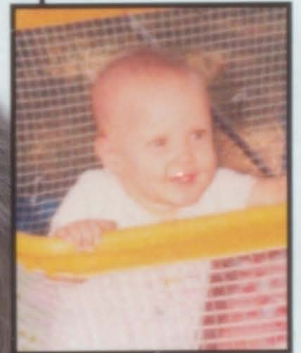
Michael
Maxwell
Dougherty

Football 1; Chorus 1,2; Teacher Aide 3,4; Rodeo Club 1,2,3,4;



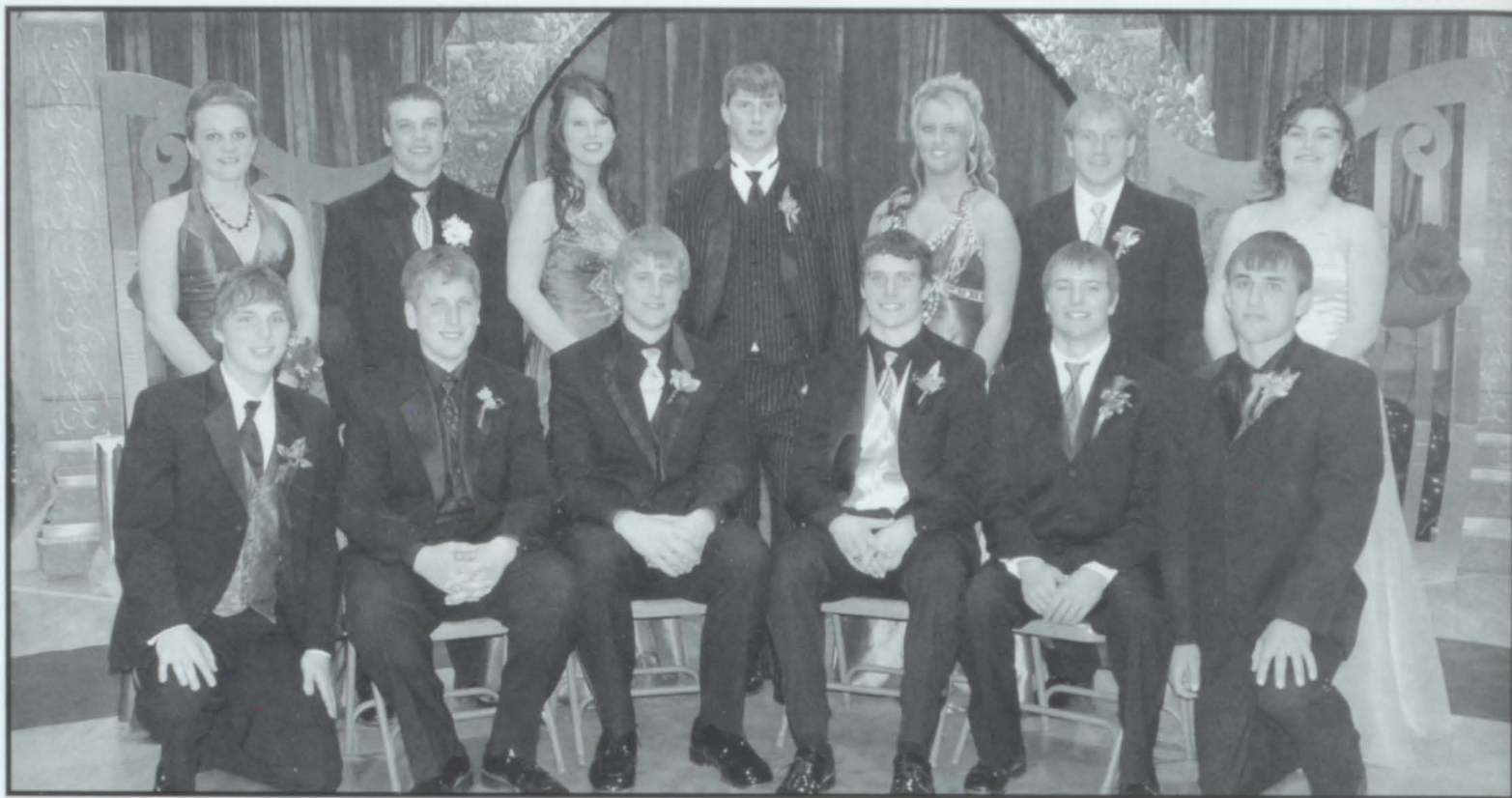
Bradly
Glen
Kahler

Football 1,2; Track 1; "C" Club 1,2,3,4; Class Officer 3,4; Boys State 3; Quiz Bowl 1,2,3,4; National Honor Society 3,4; Homecoming Master of Ceremonies 4



Samantha
Jo
Luse

Basketball 1,2; "C" Club 1,2,3,4; Band 1; Chorus 1,2; Volleyball 1,2,3,4; Lariat 2; Annual 2; Class Officer 1; Play 1; Homecoming Queen 4; Royalty Candidate 4; Homecoming Honor Guard 3; Librarian 2,4; Big Sister 4; Sports Manager 3; Dance 1,2



The senior class smiles for a picture at Prom 2008. In back are Kristi Miner, Rob Cahoy, Taylor Zeigler, Kurtis Atteberry, Sami Luse, Brad Kahler, and Heather O'Bryan. In front are Jordan Vaughn, Max Dougherty, Todd Sherman, Josh Sherman, Mitch Schwartz, and Derek Beck.

Seniors make memories one step at a time

The seniors started their last year in high school on August 20, 2007. They were prepared for the year full of events like homecoming, prom, senior skip day, and graduation.

Like every year, they started off by choosing who would be the class officers. They appointed Josh Sherman as president, Brad Kahler as vice president, Taylor Zeigler for secretary, and Todd Sherman for treasurer. Mitch Schwartz was selected as Student Council representative.

The homecoming theme for 2007 was "stores." The seniors took second place in their grade level for the parade. The Cowboys played Lower Brule for the football game and won. The girls defeated Keya Paha in volleyball. Coronation was held on Thursday. Sami Luse and Mitch Schwartz were named Cowgirl and Cowboy.

The Cowboys followed through with their goal of unfinished business and came home from the Dakota Dome with a state championship in football. They defeated Grant-Deuel for the championship title.

Kristi Miner was the only senior who participated in oral interp. She made her way to state and received an excellent.

Kristi Miner won the local Legion Oratory Contest.

She also won the district and the area competitions and participated at state where she placed third.

The Cowgirl basketball season ended at the district championship game against Avon. Kristi Miner was the only senior on the team.

The Cowboys made it to the second round of districts where they lost to Tripp-Delmont-Armour. Seniors on the team were Kurtis Atteberry, Derek Beck, Mitch Schwartz, Josh Sherman, and Jordan Vaughn.

Prom 2008 came early this year as students prepared for the big night on April 4. Everyone enjoyed the theme "Music of the Night" and danced the night away. Seniors Derek Beck and Kristi Miner were crowned as king and queen.

Senior skip day was held on May 8. They went paintballing at Fletchers and watched movies at Kurt Atteberry's house afterward.

Toward the end of the year, the seniors prepared for graduation. The flower they chose for graduation was a white rose tipped in green. Black, green, and silver were their colors. Their motto was "We have come a long way but not half as far as we will go." Graduation was held on May 17 at 7:00 in the gym.

“ We have come a long way but not half as far as we will go. ”



Class of 2008



Above left: Taylor Zeigler, Kristi Miner, and Sami Luse pause during their busy day for a picture during homecoming week.

Top Right: Brad Kahler helps Cole McCarty and Chase Hrabanek make slime for Spring Fling.

Above: Seniors Rob Cahoy, Derek Beck, Kurtis Atteberry, Mitch Schwartz, Todd Sherman and Josh Sherman pump up the team for the homecoming game.

Left: The seniors pose for a class picture. In back are Todd Sherman, Kurtis Atteberry, Mitch Schwartz and Jordan Vaughn. In the middle are Brad Kahler, Kristi Miner, Taylor Zeigler, Heather O'Bryan and Max Dougherty. In front are Damian Berg, Rob Cahoy, Josh Sherman and Derek Beck. In front is Sami Luse.



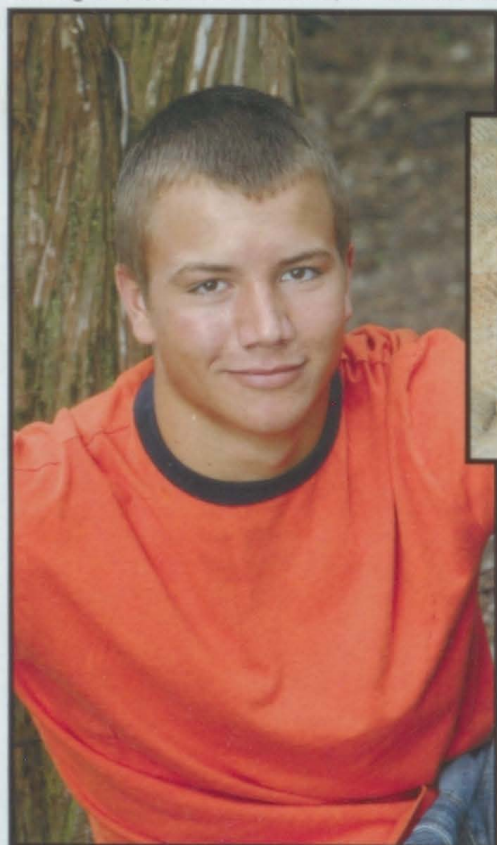
Kristi
Jo
Miner

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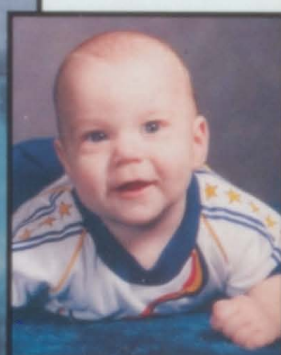
Heather
Dawn
O'Bryan

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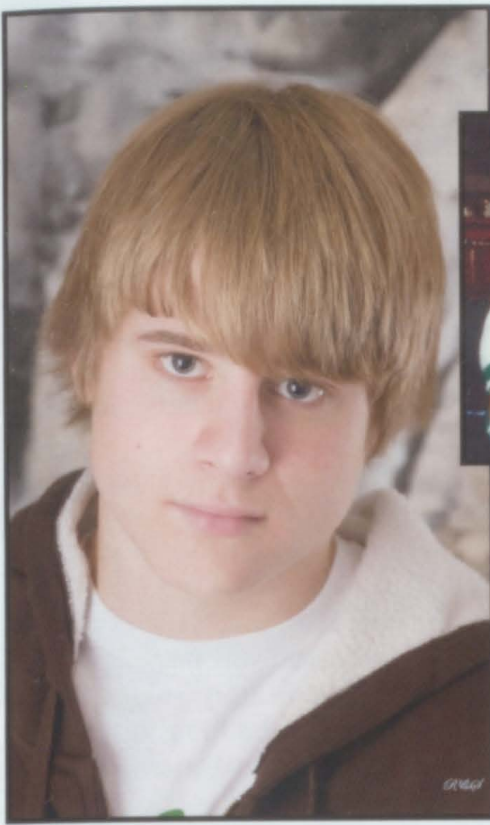
Kevin
Mitchell
Schwartz

Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; "C" Club 1,2,3,4; Class Officer 1,2,3,4; Student Council Member 4; Play 3,4; Royalty Candidate 4; Homecoming Honor Guard 3; Quiz Bowl 1,2,3,4; Rodeo Club 3; Junior Escort 3; Football Honorable Mention FB 4



Joshua
Alan
Sherman

Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; "C" Club 2,3,4; Band 1; Lariat 2; Annual 2; Class Officer 1,2,3,4; Student Council Member 2,3,4; Play 1,2,3; Royalty Candidate 4; Homecoming Honor Guard 3; Quiz Bowl 1,2,3,4; National Honor Society 4; Club Baseball 1,2,3,4; Junior Escort 3; All-State Football 4; All-Conference Basketball 3,4



Todd
Curtis
Sherman

Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,4; "C" Club 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2; Annual 4; Class Officer 4; Prom Server 2; Big Brother 4; Quiz Bowl 1; National Honor Society 4; High School Baseball 1,2,3,4; All-State Football 4



Taylor
Marie
Zeigler

Basketball 1,2,3; Band 1; Chorus 1,2; Lariat 2; Annual 2; Class Officer 1,2,3,4; Play 1, Royalty Candidate 4; Homecoming Honor Guard 3; Librarian 4; Quiz Bowl 1,2,3,4; Junior Escort 3



Jordan
John
Vaughn

Football 1,2; Basketball 1,2,4; "C" Club 1,2,3; Spanish Club 1,2; Cross Country 3



The senior class officers in back include Todd Sherman (treasurer) and Brad Kahler (Vice President). In front are Taylor Zeigler (secretary), Josh Sherman (president), and Mitch Schwartz (Student Council representative).

How Colome High School has changed

From the *Colome Centennial Book*

In 1910 the first school building was constructed in Colome. This was a two-story wooden building that served the people of Colome for five years. As the town grew, so did the school.

In June of 1914, the township was divided into two school districts. Colome School District No. 24 included Sections 31-36, and District No. 2 was the remainder of the township. The school remained District No. 24 until 1969 when reorganization took place and changed the number and also increased the size of the district to 341 square miles.

Sealed bids were received on June 15, 1915, to erect a two-story brick school building with four rooms at an estimated cost of \$20,000.

Colome's first commencement exercises were held at the Lux Theater on May 29, 1918. There were eight graduates.

As the community grew, school enrollment also did. Again it was necessary to enlarge the facilities. A second bond issue was passed, and an addition was built in 1924 to accommodate the elementary students plus also provide additional space for the high school. This building still serves the jr. high and high school students. Several updates have been made to keep the building in good shape.

During the drought and depression years, many older children returned to school to receive a high school education since they were not needed at home. The Grand Hotel Tripp was acquired for the school to use as a dormitory for the farm children. Some of the students came as far as 50 miles to attend school, and the dormitories made it possible. The dorm continued to play an important part of the school until 1963 when it was torn down.

In 1940, after three hard years at building, Colome had an auditorium. They hosted the district basketball tournament in February, but before the seniors could hold their graduation there, the building burned down in March of 1941. Because of World War II, construction on another auditorium did not begin until 1946. Many community members volunteered for this project, and the building was dedicated as a memorial to the Veterans of U.S. Wars.

In 1970, the community passed a \$250,000 bond issue to finance a new elementary school. By the fall of 1971, the school building was complete. At this time many of the rural schools closed, and the school board contracted bus serviced to transport the students into town to school.

The double-wide school from Pleasant View School was moved into town and became the band and vocal building. This was located on the west side of the high school building. The school district built a new shop building in 1978. Before this time, the shop students had to walk to Lyle Manzer's building at the intersection of Highways 18 and 183.

In 1992 preparations began to build a new gym. By the fall of 1993, a new gym had been constructed on the west side of the high school where the band and vocal building had once been. A wood floor committee raised the necessary money to install a wood floor. Also included in this new facility were three classrooms for the music department, science lab, and special education department. Even though the Veterans Memorial Hall is not used for games, the building is still important to the athletes of CHS. It is used for practices, and a weight room is located in the basement.

Another construction project that was completed in 2001 was an outdoor basketball court. This was built on the south side of the high school building. Since that time, landscaping projects have been completed by school employees and shop classes to make the school grounds look nice.



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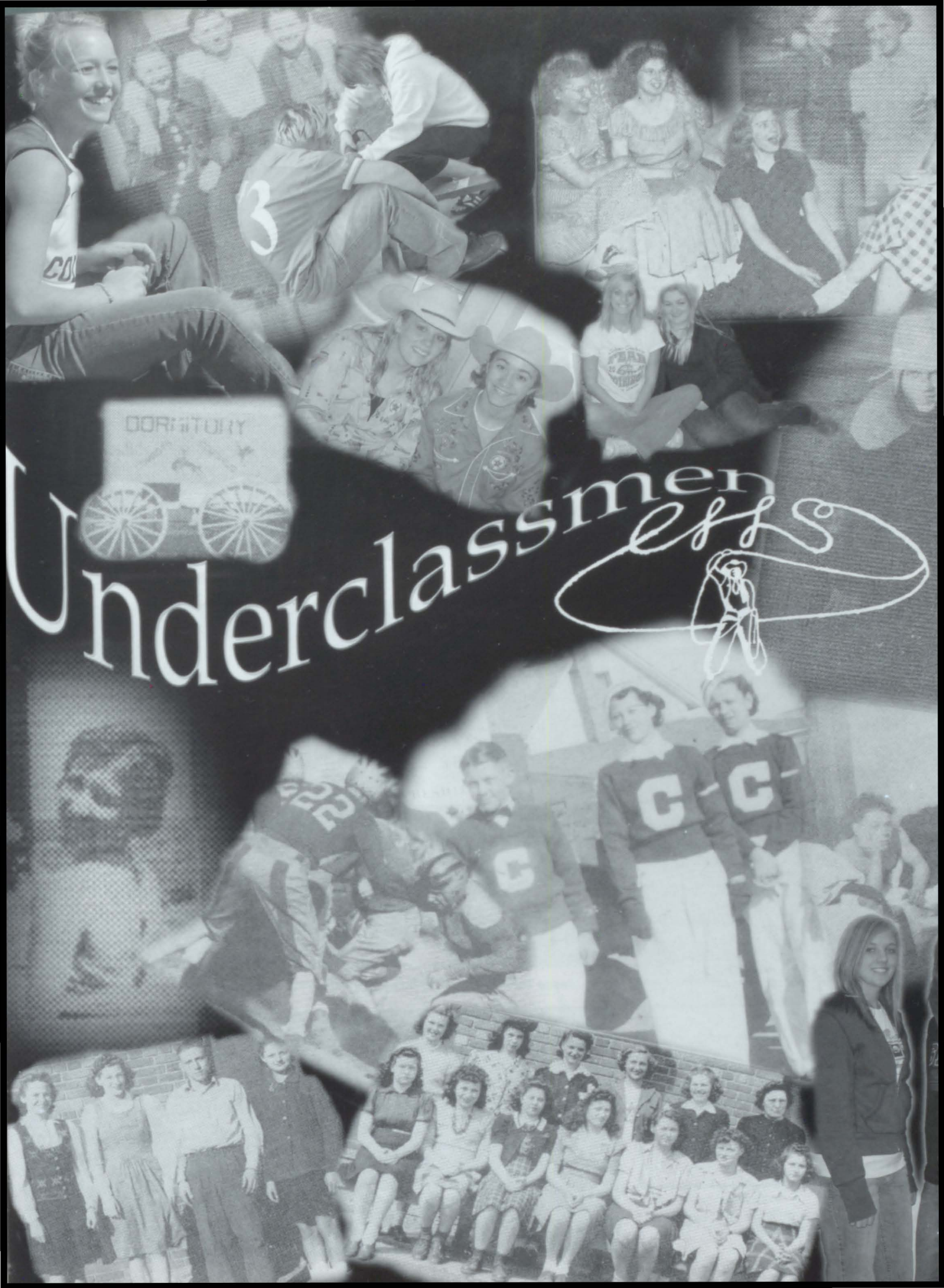


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Underclassmen Effs



Juniors



Claire Beck



Kirstin Cahoy



Blake DeMers



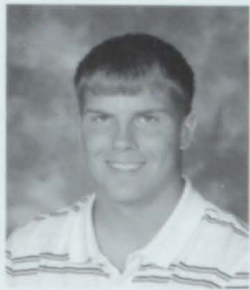
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Kayla Duncan



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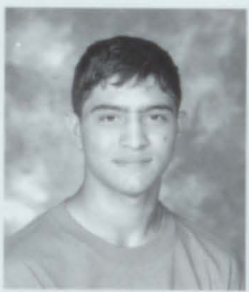
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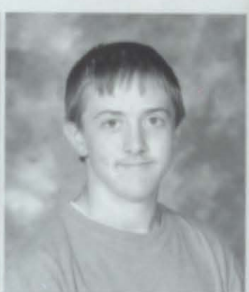
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The junior class pulls in the tug-of-war during Cowboy Olympics.

2009



Juniors at prom include in back Courtney Dufek, Hailey Hughes, Britney Kaupp, Kirstin Cahoy, Emily London, Megan Fast, Candace Shippy, Lakin Stenson, Kristen Hrabanek, Ali Larsen, and Deana Jorgensen. In the second row are Chris Welker, Geoff Forgey, Blake DeMers, Ben Kartak, Peter Haukaas, Ethan Vobr, Jake Luse, and Jesse Tate. In the front are Kayla Duncan, Ashley Weidner, and Claire Beck.



Above left: Deana Jorgensen and Courtney Dufek sing a Spanish song while on the Spanish trip to Mitchell.
Above: Ethan Vobr waits for his Mexican food to come at Los Sombros in Mitchell.



1: Ashley Weidner celebrates winning the tug-of-war during Cowboy Olympics.
2: Lakin Stenson and Britney Kaupp dance at prom.
3: Claire Beck participates in the water transfer game during Cowboy Olympics.
4: Ali Larsen and Hailey Hughes walk like a chicken during the chicken dance at prom.

The junior class officers in front are Candace Shippy, president; Claire Beck, secretary; and Emily London, treasurer. In back are Hailey Hughes, vice president, and Ali Larsen, Student Council representative.

Sophomores



Ashley Bowling



Erica Brill



Jonathan Burdette



Caitlin Burger



Cassie Christensen



Danielle DeMers



Alisyn Graesser



Emilee Graesser



Bryce Hauf



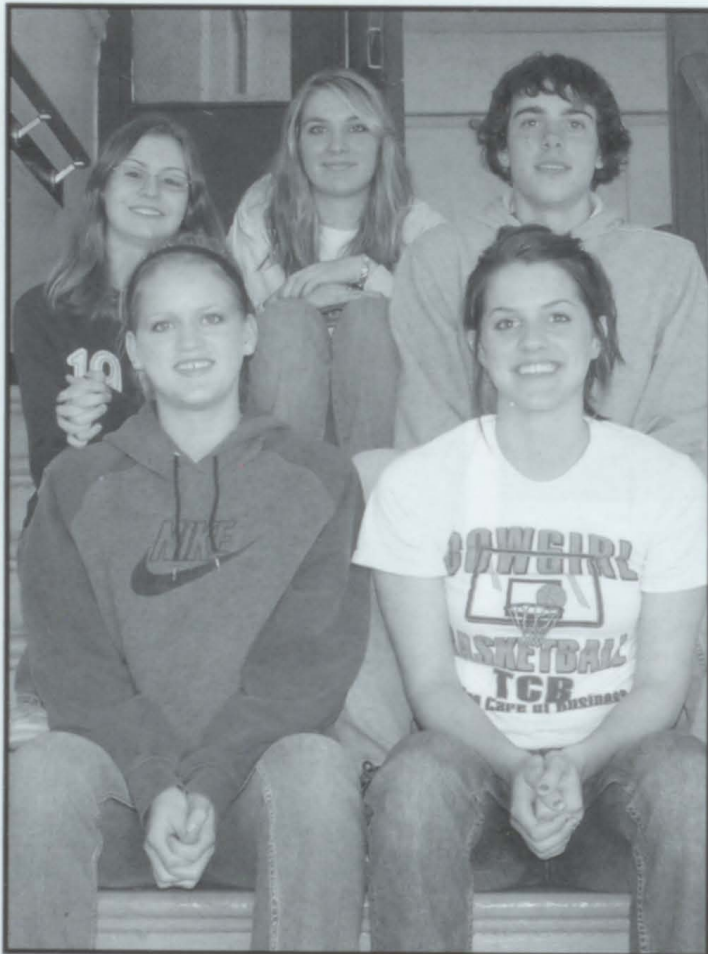
Kaitlyn Hofeldt



Sara Jorgensen



Danielle Kalenda



The sophomore class officers in front are Emilee Graesser, president, and Alisyn Graesser, Student Council representative. In back are Danielle DeMers, treasurer; Diann Schmuhl, secretary; and Bryce Hauf, vice president.



Eric Leibrich



Geoff Meyer



Diann Schmuhl

Not pictured: Bobby Bainter

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Sophomores at prom include in back Bryce Hauf, Eric Leibrich, Bobby Bainter, and Jonathan Burdette. In the second row are Kaitlyn Hofeldt, Ashley Bowling, Alsyn Graesser, Caitlin Burger, Emilee Graesser, Danielle Kalenda, and Sara Jorgensen. In front are Danielle DeMers and Cassie Christensen.

2010



Above: Emilee Graesser and Alsyn Graesser dress up on Wacky Clothes Day. They are painting a sign for their class.

Below: Sara Jorgensen plays Agnes Stonebottom in the all-school play.



Top: Eric Leibrich tries to catch Cheetos on his head during the Cheetos toss at Cowboy Olympics.

Above: Bobby Bainter dances at prom.

Below: Geoff Meyer and Bryce Hauf dress up for Twin Day during Homecoming Week.

Bottom Middle: Jonathan Burdette, Danielle DeMers, and Caitlin Burger participate in the water transfer game during Cowboy Olympics



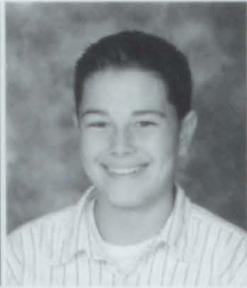
Left: Ashley Bowling and Danielle Kalenda walk to the left during the chicken dance at prom.



Freshmen



Nathan Audiss



Darrell Bly



Erin Brill



Collene Cahoy



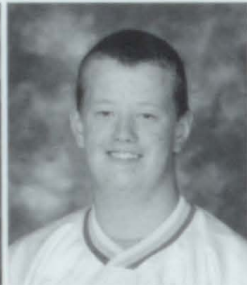
Kevin Cassel



Kasey DeMers



Brock Dufek



Bryce Farley



Zach Harter



Tasha Hauf



Kali Heath



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Becca Kartak



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Kali Heath, Kasey DeMers, Mallori McCarty, and Sami Kubal dress up for Homecoming Week's Western Day.

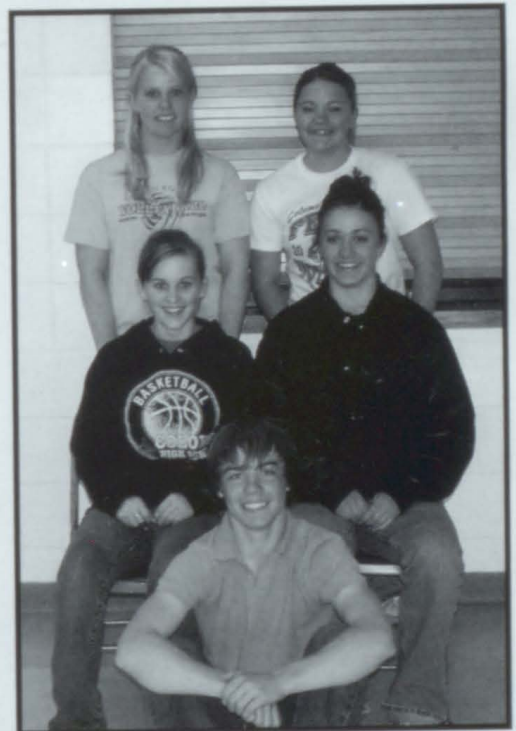
2011



The freshman class poses for a funny picture in their initiation outfits. In back are Collene Cahoy, Nathan Audiss, Erin Brill, Bryce Farley, Cole Shippy, Kevin Cassel, and Kayla Meyer. In the second row are Zach Harter, Brock Dufek, Darrell Bly, Brandt Routh, Kasey DeMers, and Becca Kartak. In front are Caitlin Shippy, Sami Kubal, Katie Wagner, Kali Heath, Morgan Hughes, Tasha Hauf, and Mallori McCarty.



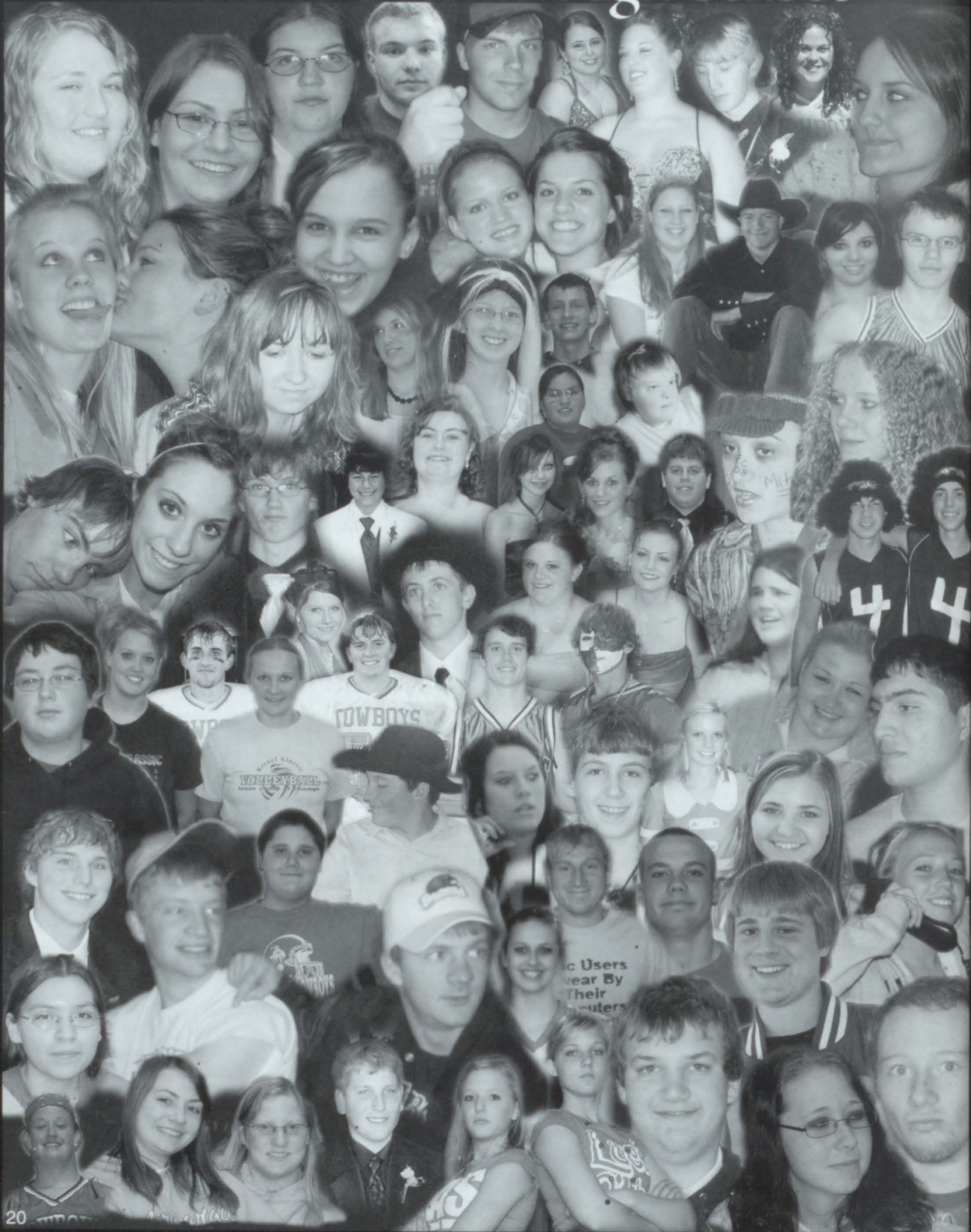
- 1: Zach Harter and Darrell Bly dance together at prom.
 - 2: Nathan Audiss shows his school spirit by painting his face green and white.
 - 3: Marty Zeigler dances at prom
 - 4: Sami Kubal cheers for the Cowboys at the Dome.
- Below:** The freshman class pulls the tug-of-war rope during Cowboy Olympics.



The freshman class officers in back are Collene Cahoy, vice president, and Morgan Hughes, president. In the second row are Tasha Hauf, Student Council representative, and Becca Kartak, secretary. In front is Zach Harter, treasurer.



Faces of Colome High School





Athletics



Football Champions

This year the Cowboys had some unfinished business to take care of. Colome was determined to return to the Dome and win.

The Cowboys opened their season on Aug. 31 with a win over White River. The final score was 56-18. On Sept. 7, the Cowboys traveled to Avon to face the No. 1 rated team in Class 9A. At halftime the score was tied at eight, but by the end of the game the Cowboys had fallen behind, 16 - 30. On Sept. 14, the Cowboys hosted the Andes Central Eagles and defeated them with a score of 54-12. Next for the Cowboys was the Homecoming game against Lower Brule on Sept. 21. Colome ended the game early in the third quarter with a score of 50-0. The Cowboys traveled to Kimball to upset the Kiotes on Sept. 28. Colome won the game with a score of 28-14. Next the Cowboys took on the South Central Cougars at home on Oct. 5. They were again victorious with a score of 46-26. Corsica came to Colome on Oct. 12. This was parents' night for the Cowboys, and they were happy with their big win over the Comets. At half time, the Cowboys led 42-0. The game was finished due to the mercy rule with a score of 50-0 and 6:52 left in the third quarter. The Cowboys' final regular season game ended with a big win against Scotland, No. 2 in 9A. The score was 24-6.

The first round playoff game for the Cowboys was held on Tuesday, Oct. 23. The Cowboys hosted the Menno Wolves. Colome knocked Menno out of the playoffs with a score of 54-0. Then Colome played Hanson in the second round of 9B playoffs. Colome hosted the Beavers on Monday, Oct. 29, and won with a final score of 42-12. Next Dell Rapids St. Mary's hosted Colome for the semi-finals game. The Cowboys came out on top with a score of 40-24.

On Nov. 10, Colome played Grant-Deuel for the State 9B Championship. Grant-Deuel was rated No. 1 and had an 11-0 record before the Cowboys beat them with a score of 44-14 at the Dome. Every Cowboy player had playing time during the championship game. After the game, Josh Sherman was named the Joe Robbie Most Valuable player of the game. Derek Beck was named outstanding back, and Kurtis Atteberry was named outstanding lineman.

Five Cowboys made the all-state team this year. These players included Kurtis Atteberry, Derek Beck, Rob Cahoy, Josh Sherman, and Todd Sherman. Cowboys who received honorable mentions included Ben Kartak, Mitch Schwartz, and Ethan Vobr. The Cowboys ended their season as State 9B Champions with an 11-1 record.

Top: Kurtis Atteberry blocks during the Homecoming game against Lower Brule.

Bottom: Josh Sherman throws a pass in the Homecoming game. The Cowboys dominated this game 50-0.

(Action photos on these pages by Randy Bachelor)



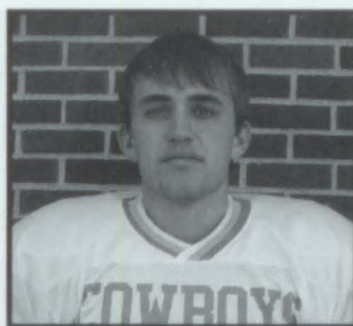
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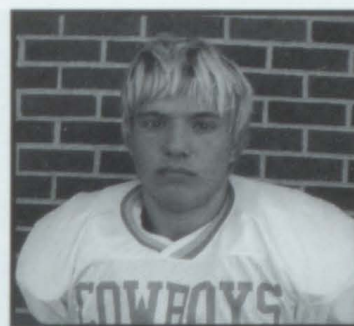
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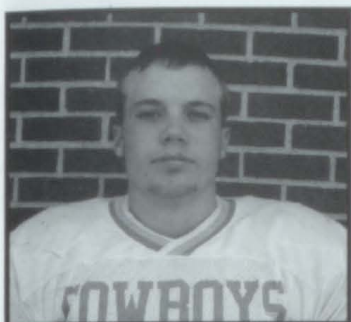
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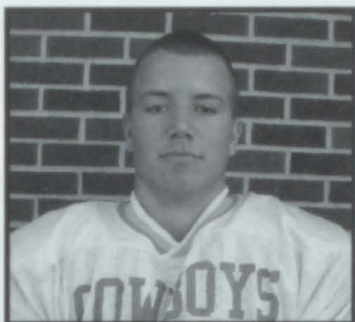
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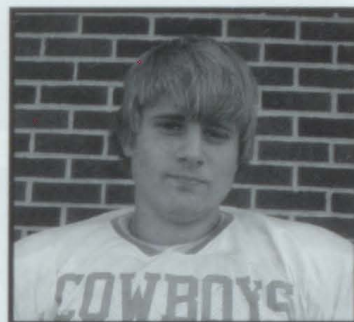
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Far left: Derek Beck carries the ball during the Cowboys' season-opening game at White River. The Cowboys won this game 56-18.

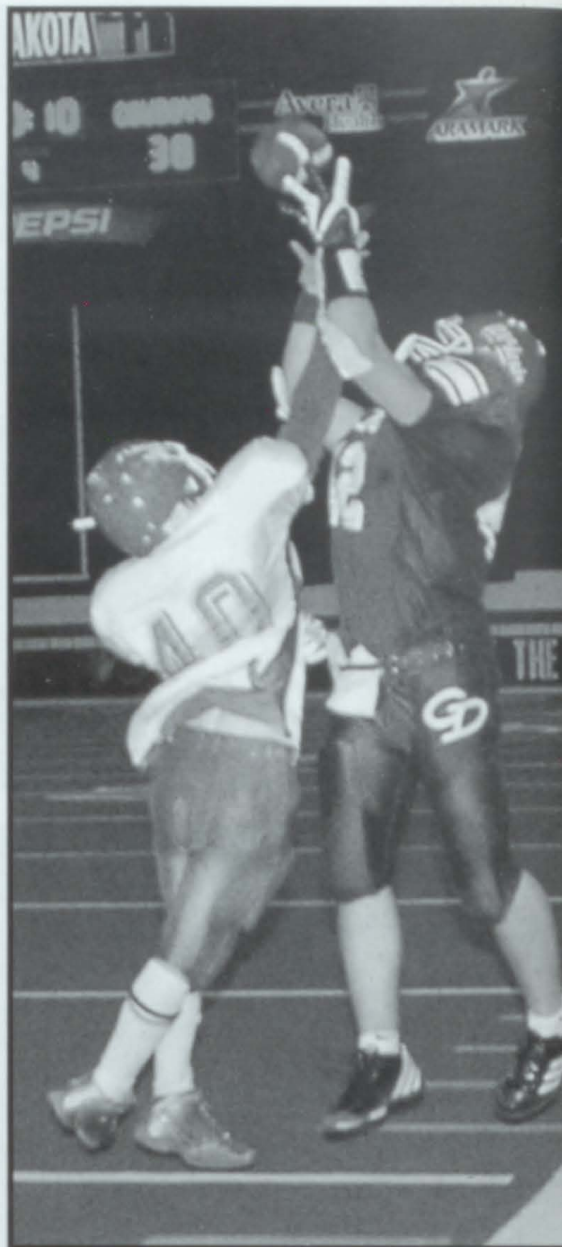
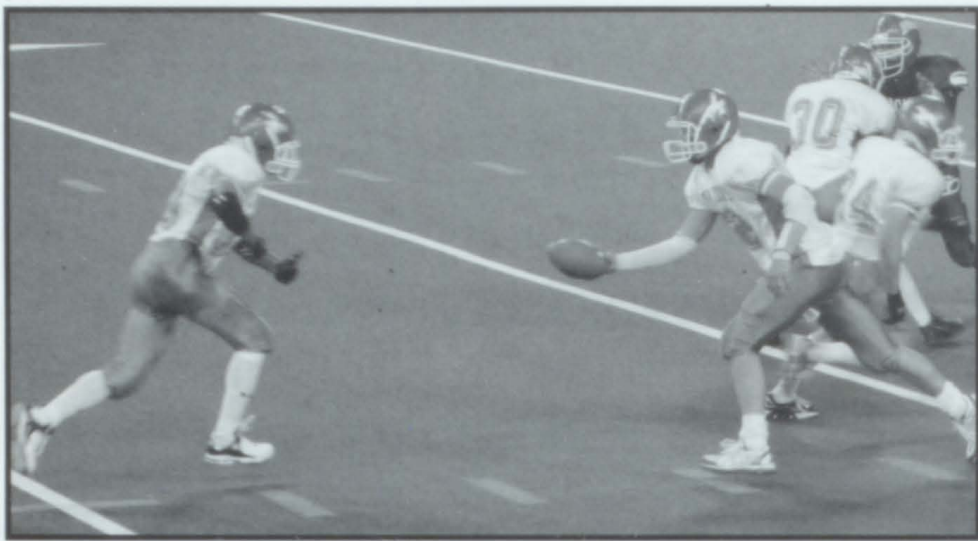
Left: Jake Luse dodges a Lower Brule Sioux player during the homecoming game. The Cowboys dominated this game with a final score of 50-0.



SEASON AWARDS

- Most Improved
Jake Luse
- Defensive MVP
Rob Cahoy
- Line MVP
Todd Sherman
- Offensive MVP
Derek Beck
- MVP Back
Derek Beck
- Overall MVP
Josh Sherman

Members of the 2007 Cowboy football team in back are Damian Berg, Derek Beck, Rob Cahoy, Kurtis Atteberry, Josh Sherman, Todd Sherman, and Mitch Schwartz. In the third row are Assistant Coach Kevin Keiser, Jesse Tate, Geoff Forgey, Jake Luse, Ethan Vobr, and Assistant Coach Gene Bertram. In the second row are Blake DeMers, Ben Kartak, Peter Haukaas, Bryce Hauf, and Head Coach Kevin Graesser. In front are Bryce Farley, Cole Shippy, Michael Rohde, Nathan Audiss, Zach Harter, and Brock Dufek.



Top: Josh Sherman hands the ball off to Derek Beck during the championship game against Grant-Deuel. (photo by Newley Kartak)

Right: Ethan Vobr and a Wildcat player both reach for the ball in the Dome game. (photo from the SDHSAA website)

Above: The scoreboard shows the final outcome, 44-14, a Cowboy victory. (photo by Newley Kartak)

MAKING MEMORIES AT THE DOME

The senior football players' dads dress up as the "Dallas Cowboy Cheerleaders" at the Dome pep rally. They performed a few cheers for the team. The fathers in the back include Mike Berg, Dave Cahoy, Kevin Schwartz, Lee Atteberry, Doug Beck, Greg Sherman, and Doug Sherman. The players in front include Damian Berg, Rob Cahoy, Mitch Schwartz, Kurtis Atteberry, Derek Beck, Josh Sherman, and Todd Sherman.





Kristi Miner, Emily London, Claire Beck, Taylor Zeigler, and Hailey Hughes cheer the Cowboys on to their victory at the Dome.

Cowboy Scoreboard

Opponent	Score
White River	W 56 - 18
Avon	L 16 - 30
Andes Central	W 54 - 12
Lower Brule	W 50 - 0
Kimball	W 28 - 14
South Central	W 46 - 26
Corsica	W 50 - 0
Scotland	W 24 - 6

Playoffs

Menno	W 54 - 0
Hanson	W 42 - 12
Dell Rapids St. Mary's	W 40 - 24

Dome

Grant-Deuel	W 44 - 14
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1. The team claims their State 9B Championship trophy.
 2. Derek Beck carries the football during the championship game.
 3. Ethan Vobr catches a pass for a Cowboy touchdown.
- Below:** Receiving special honors at the Dome are Josh Sherman, Joe Robbie Most Valuable Player of the game; Derek Beck, Outstanding Back; and Kurtis Attebery, Outstanding Lineman.



The team is pictured below at the Dome after their 44-14 win. Pictured in the back row are Candace Shippy, Kirstin Cahoy, Coach Gene Bertram, Mitch Schwartz, Ben Kartak, Derek Beck, Josh Sherman, Todd Sherman, Kurtis Attebery, Damian Berg, Rob Cahoy, Ali Larsen, and Coach Kevin Keiser. In the third row are Ashley Weidner, Coach Kevin Graesser, Peter Haukaas, Ethan Vobr, Darrell Bly, Geoff Forgey, Jake Luse, Brock Dufek, Cole Shippy, Nathan Audiss, Coach Brent Olson, and Collene Cahoy. In the second row are Katie Wagner, Kali Heath, Michael Rohde, Bryce Farley, Bryce Hauf, Blake DeMers, Eric Leibrich, Jesse Tate, Chris Welker, Zach Harter, and Caitlin Shippy. In front are Brandon Hauf, Chase Hrabanek, Brady London, and Nolan Welker.



Making Memories as...

Volleyball Players

The 2007 season was a season of improvement and maturity for Cowgirl volleyball. As the season progressed, the girls came together as a team. They supported and understood each other's play, learned to identify a weak spot on both sides of the net, and then helped to cover or use it to the team's advantage.

They met most of their goals they had set individually and as a team.

The season ended with a disappointing loss to Kimball in regions, but it still ended in success, according to Coach Zink. "It was a season to be proud of with a record of 23 wins and 6 losses."

The girls won the mid-season tournament in Springview, won the Corsica Tourney, placed third in the Gregory Tourney, and earned second in White River Tourney.

The team beat a very confident Tripp/Delmont/Armour team to win a District 12 Championship, the first since 1997.

Best serving award went to Claire Beck, 99.3%. Digger Award was given to Alisyn Graesser who had 252 digs. Emily London received the most improved award. MVP went to Kristi Miner. Other letterwinners were Sami Luse, Emilee Graesser, Collene Cahoy, and Morgan Hughes.

The team's serving percentage for the season was 88.2%, and the receiving was 84.84%. The team's kills were 25.95%. They had a 33.36% in assists and averaged 12.56 points per game. The girls had 1,276 digs, averaging 14.66 digs per game.

(written with notes from Coach Zink)

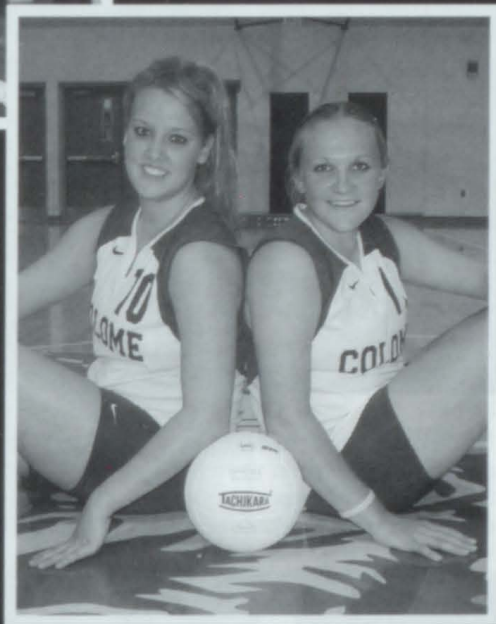


Top: Alisyn Graesser returns the ball to South Central players as teammate Emily London is prepared to assist.

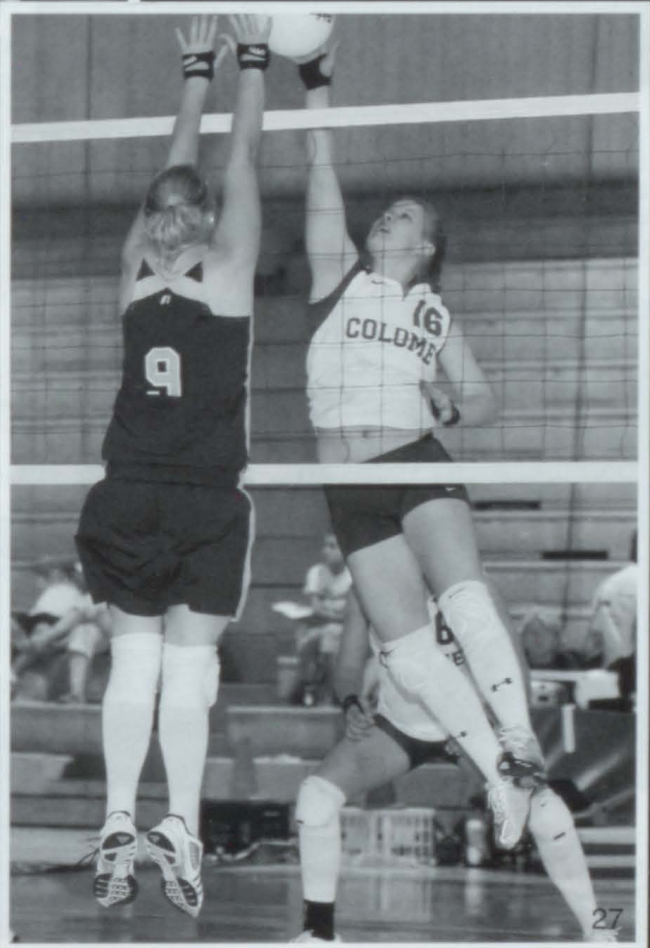
Above is the Colome varsity volleyball team. In back are Assistant Coach Korey Bertram, Sami Luse, Alisyn Graesser, Emily London, and Head Coach Mick Zink. In the middle row are Kristi Miner, Emilee Graesser, and Kirstin Cahoy. In front are Morgan Hughes, Claire Beck, and Collene Cahoy.



Left: Claire Beck serves the ball during the White River Tournament. Above: Alisyn Graesser goes for the volleyball in the game against Winner. Right: Seniors Sami Luse and Kristi Miner led the team this year. Below: Senior Kristi Miner digs the ball in the White River Tournament.



COWGIRL VOLLEYBALL



JV team includes in back Morgan Hughes, Emilee Graesser, Kelsey Pravecek, Coach Korey Bertram, Kirstin Cahoy, Collene Cahoy, and McKenzie Fawcett. In front are Skylar Forgey, Mallori McCarty, Kali Heath, Katie Wagner, Kasey DeMers, Sami Kubal, and Tasha Hauf. Right: Freshman Collene Cahoy plays the net aggressively and attacks the ball. Action photos on these two pages by Randy and Shelly Bachelor.

Making Memories as...

Cheerleaders



The football cheerleaders in back include Collene Cahoy and Kirstin Cahoy. In the middle are Ali Larsen, Candace Shippy, Caitlin Shippy, and Katie Wagner. In the front are Ashley Weidner and Kali Heath.



The cheerleaders are bundled up for the football game at Dell Rapids St. Mary's. On top are Ashley Weidner, Ali Larsen, and Kali Heath. In the front are Caitlin Shippy, Kirstin Cahoy, Collene Cahoy, Katie Wagner, and Candace Shippy.



The basketball cheerleaders include in back Candace Shippy, Kirstin Cahoy. In the middle are Caitlin Shippy, and Ashley Weidner. In front are Katie Wagner and Kali Heath.



Above: The cheerleaders perform one of their stunts at the Dome. In front are Ali Larsen, Kali Heath, Katie Wagner, and Caitlin Shippy. In the back are Kirstin Cahoy, Ashley Weidner, Collene Cahoy, and Candace Shippy.

Left: The cheerleaders gather at the Dome. Pictured left to right are Kali Heath, Collene Cahoy, Ashley Weidner, Kirstin Cahoy, Ali Larsen, Candace Shippy, Caitlin Shippy, and Katie Wagner.



Girls cheer for teams

The 2007-2008 cheerleaders were coached by Jennifer Dougherty. There were tryouts during the summer, and Kirstin Cahoy, Ashley Weidner, Ali Larsen, Candace Shippy, Collene Cahoy, Katie Wagner, Kali Heath, and Caitlin Shippy made it to the squad. The cheerleaders went to a cheer camp in Platte during the summer and brought back some cheers and a dance. While at the camp, the girls won third place in the camp cheer off. They stayed in cabins at Snake Creek and had fun at the Platte River.

A highlight for the year was cheering at the Dome as the football team won the 9B Championship.

The girls held two car washes at the Flying D, sold Interior Design candles, sold half and half tickets at basketball games, and painted corrals at the Dougherty Ranch so they could go to camp and purchase new uniforms and warm-ups.

The girls held a cheer camp for the K-6 grade girls.



Left: Collene Cahoy, Danielle DeMers, Megan Fast, and Emilee Graesser kick their feet in Fun Jam.

Right: Collene Cahoy, Kali Heath, and McKenzie Fawcett are in a pose for Ramalama.



The dance team in back includes Emilee Graesser, Sami Kubal, Danielle DeMers, and McKenzie Fawcett. In front are Kali Heath, Katie Wagner, Collene Cahoy, Tasha Hauf, and Casey Shippy. Not pictured are Kirstin Cahoy and Megan Fast



Danielle DeMers and Tasha Hauf circle up together as they dance at Fun Night.

Dance team entertains crowds

by Kirstin Cahoy

To begin the year, the Spurs went to a dance camp in Redwood Falls, Minnesota, for three days. They learned a number of dances and then they brought the dances home and taught them to the others at a home camp that was held at Skatetowne.

Five dances were performed during the year. The first one that was performed was Gone Country at Homecoming. The girls wore football jerseys, boots, cowboy hats, and jeans shorts. The next dance was Fun Jam, which was a pom dance. Like This was next; it was a girly hip hop dance. Then they got into hip hop more and did Dance It Out. They wore all black with white gloves. For Ramalama, a theatrical dance, all the girls wore black and had messed up hair with white make up on their faces with black around their eyes.

The dancers performed at Homecoming, home basketball games, second round of districts, and Fun Night.

Their coach this year was Becky Heath.



Far left: Tasha Hauf, Kirstin Cahoy, and Casey Shippy perform for the dance Ramalama.

Left: Emilee Graesser, Megan Fast, Kirstin Cahoy, and the rest of the team huddle up in the dance Like This.

Cowgirls finish with 15-7 record

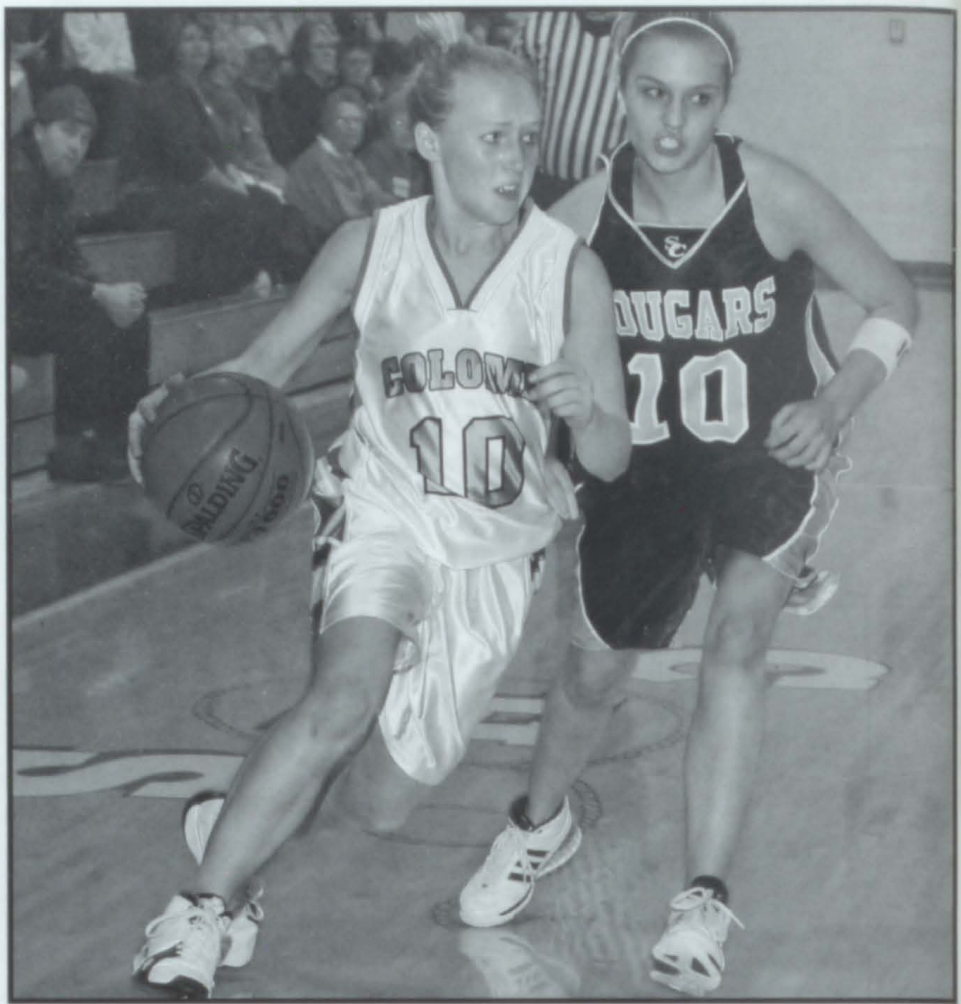
The Colome Cowgirls headed into District 12B Tournament with a record of 14 wins and 6 losses. In the first round they faced South Central on Feb. 18. The girls finished with a win, 31-24.

In the second round, they traveled to Wagner to face the Avon Lady Pirates. In a close game that went into overtime, the Cowgirls were defeated with a shot that was made with only .9 of a second on the clock. The final score was 41-42.

Their final record was 15-7. The JV team ended the season with a record of 2-12.

Alisyn Graesser took home the Miss Rebounder award with 148 rebounds for the season. Graesser also was named as Most Valuable Player. Defensive Specialist was Morgan Hughes. The Hustle Award went to Claire Beck. Beck led in assists with 76 and steals with 46. Collene Cahoy was named Most Promising Freshman. Cahoy led the scoring with 272 points during the season. She also led in field goal percentage with 44.7%. Emily London had the top free throw percentage with 73.2%.

Alisyn Graesser, Kristi Miner, and Collene Cahoy were named to the South Central All-Conference team. Honorable mention went to Emily London and Claire Beck. Collene Cahoy made the Southern Plains All-Tournament Team.



Top: Claire Beck, junior, keeps the ball moving as Katelyn Kenzy of South Central tries to stop her during the second round of District 12B action.

Above: Emily London shoots for two points as the Cowgirls face South Central.

Right: Alisyn Graesser looks for a path to the basket during the game against Kadoka. The Cowgirls lost this game by one point with a final score of 52-53.

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Above: The varsity team includes in front Morgan Hughes, Claire Beck, and Tasha Hauf. In the second row are Sara Jorgensen, Kristi Miner, and Mallori McCarty. In the third row are Danielle DeMers, Emilee Graesser, Alisyn Graesser, and Kasey DeMers. In back are Ashley Bowling, Coach Mende Supik, Collene Cahoy, Emily London, and Coach Larry Koth. **Right:** Senior Kristi Miner moves the ball toward the basket during the game against the Kadoka Kougars. Teammate Alisyn Graesser is in the background.



Above: The junior varsity team includes in front Tracy Routh, Tessa Lester, Tara Farley, McKenzie Fawcett, Kelsey Pravecek, Skylar Forgey, and Tiffany Hauf. In back are Coach Larry Koth, Danielle DeMers, Ashley Bowling, Mallori McCarty, Morgan Hughes, Emilee Graesser, Tasha Hauf, Kasey DeMers, Sara Jorgensen, and Coach Mende Supik.

Left: Morgan Hughes brings the ball down the court during the game against the South Central Cougars. This was the second round game of District 12B. The Cowgirls won with a final score of 31-24.

Action photos on these two pages taken by Randy and Shelly Bachelor



SCOREBOARD

Opponent	Cowgirls	Them	
Dakota Christian	36	24	W
Andes Central	56	41	W
Keya Paha	87	37	W
White Lake	66	59	W
South Central	58	45	W
Winner	31	55	L
Marty	51	25	W
Scotland	49	30	W
Platte-Geddes	39	47	L
Jones Co.	79	53	W
Kadoka	52	53	L
South Central	47	30	W
Winner	44	64	L
White River	43	69	L
Plankinton	47	34	W
Kimball	34	45	L
Lyman	49	46	W
Hoven	61	36	W
Rock County	47	34	W
Gregory	46	30	W
DISTRICTS			
South Central	31	24	W
Avon	42	41	L

Cowboys finish season with winning record

by Kristen Hrabanek

The Cowboys ended their 2007-2008 basketball season with a record of 12-9.

In the first round of districts, Colome played Andes Central and won 61-42. In the second round, they played Tripp-Delmont/Armour and lost with a final score of 57-68.

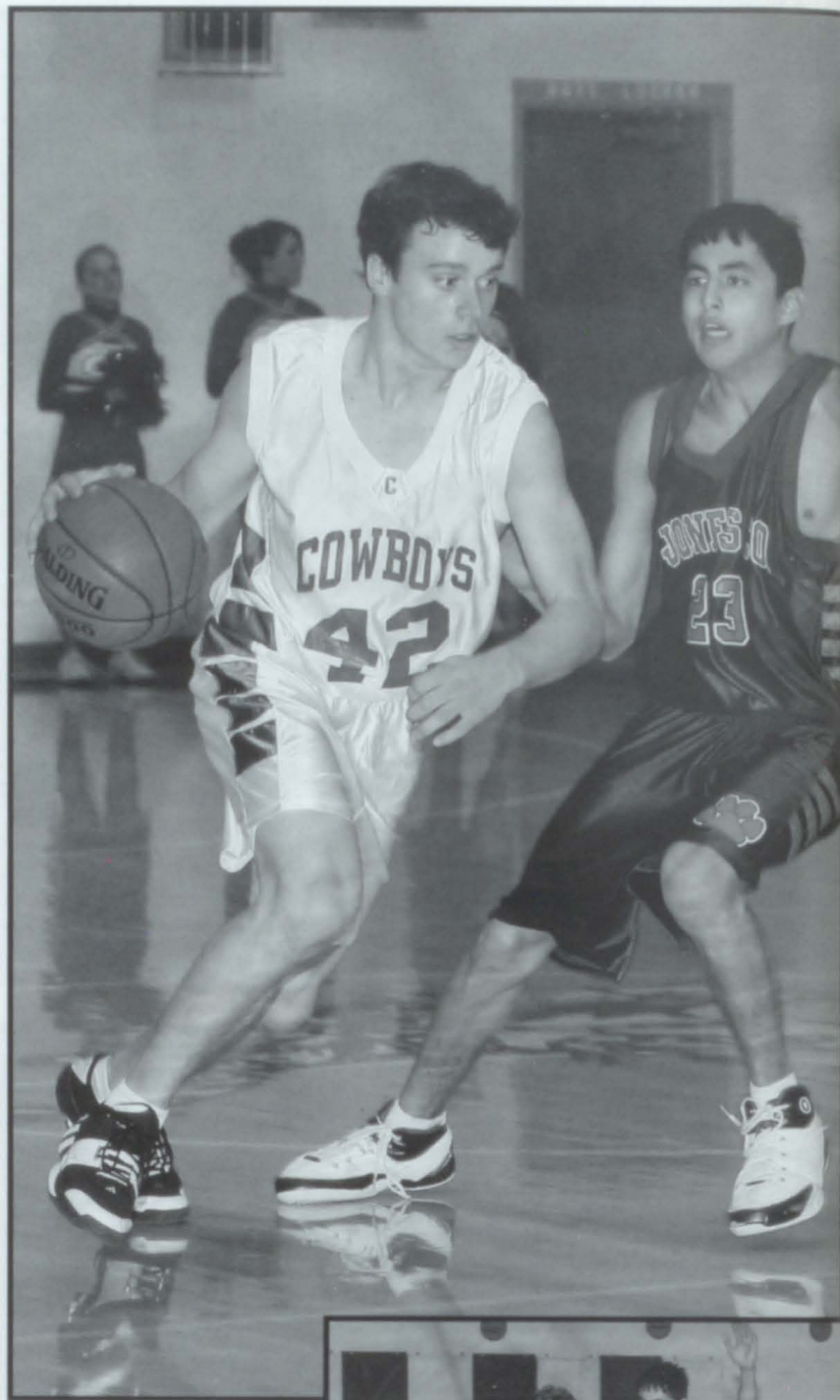
"The team exceeded most of people's expectations," said Coach Olson. "They were a very hardworking team that practiced the proper way. Our seniors were great leaders and will be truly missed. I hope that their work ethic will be carried on by the underclassmen."

Coach Olson presented the following individuals with awards for boys basketball at the Awards Banquet in May: Josh Sherman, Outstanding Post; Mitch Schwartz, Outstanding Perimeter; Derek Beck, Defensive Player of the Year; Ethan Vobr and Todd Sherman, Most Improved.

Senior Mitch Schwartz commented, "3 pairs of basketball shoes - \$220.00. A good pair of compression shorts - \$20.00. Nachos before the game for Todd - \$4.00. Coach Olson's pregame speeches...PRICELESS!"

"I haven't played since my eighth grade year. This year has been fun and I have enjoyed it," said senior Kurtis Atteberry.


"This year has been just a great senior year. I really enjoyed basketball and all the guys," said Todd Sherman.




Top: Josh Sherman takes the ball down the court during the Jones Co. game.

Above: Derek Beck keeps a Jones Co. player to the side as he moves the ball.

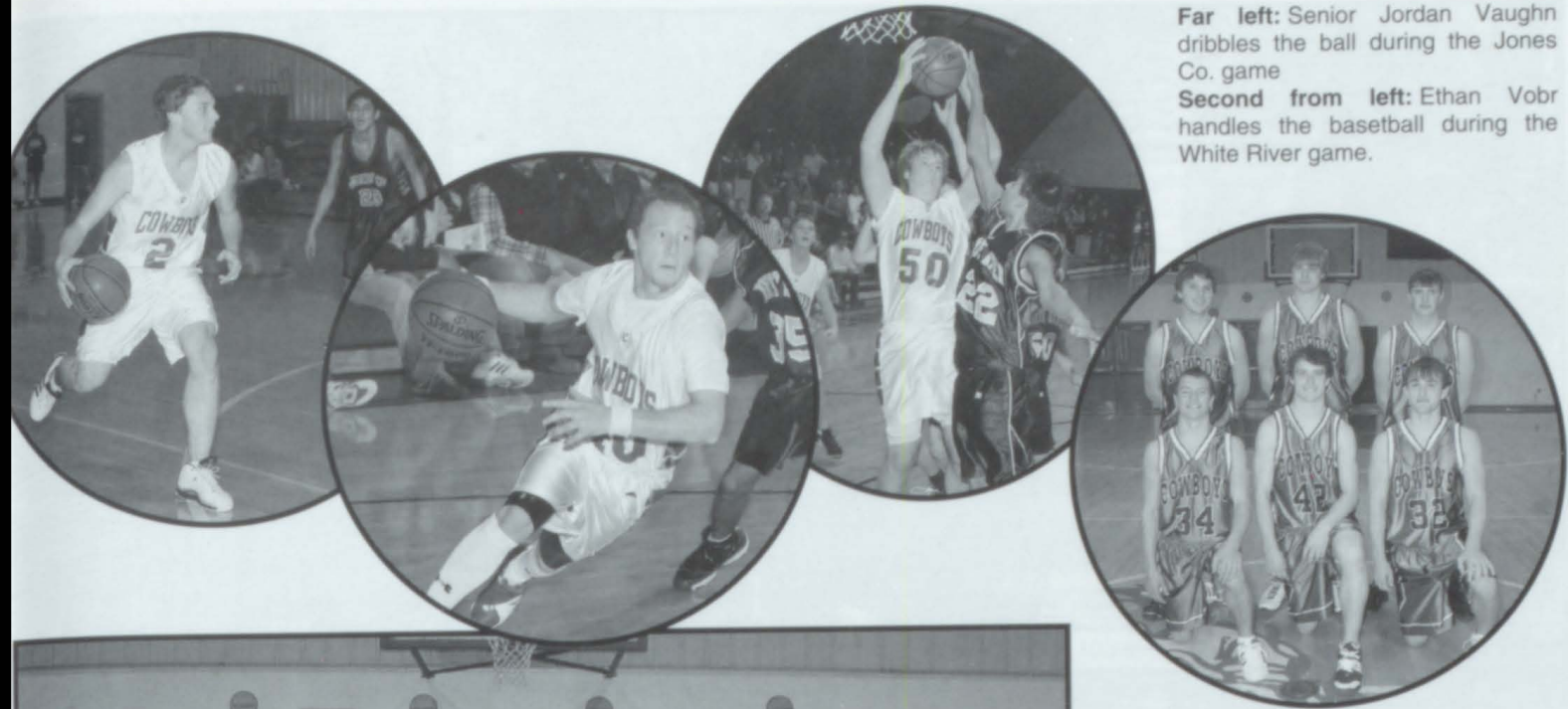
Left: Mitch Schwartz grabs some air against Stanley County in the Jones Co. Tournament. Action photos on these two pages taken by Randy and Shelly Bachelor



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Far left: Senior Jordan Vaughn dribbles the ball during the Jones Co. game

Second from left: Ethan Vobr handles the basetball during the White River game.



Above left: Senior Todd Sherman takes a shot during the Jones County game.

Above: Six seniors led the team. In front are Mitch Schwartz, Josh Sherman, and Derek Beck. In back are Jordan Vaughn, Todd Sherman, and Kurtis Atteberry.



Varsity team includes in front Zach Harter, Ethan Vobr, Cole Shippy, Jake Luse, Geoff Forgey, and Brock Dufek. In the back are Coach Brent Olson, Sam Olson, Jordan Vaughn, Kurtis Atteberry, Todd Sherman, Josh Sherman, Derek Beck, Mitch Schwartz and Assistant Coach Terry Mayes.

Cowboy Basketball Record

Opponent	Score	
KeyaPaha, NE	50-26	W
Gregory	52-49	W
White Lake	56-45	W
Lyman	57-50	L
Jones County	49-59	L
Marty Indian	53-40	W
Corsica	44-39	W
White River	45-70	L
Stanley County	33-58	L
Philip	72-60	W
Andes Central	72-54	W
South Cnetral	56-36	W
Plankinton	50-57	L
Platte-Geddes	52-66	L
Kimball	78-76	W
Lower Brule	45-71	L
Highmore	68-67	W
Rock County, NE	54-50	W
Dakota Christian	35-50	L
<u>Districts</u>		
Andes Central	61-42	W
Tripp-Delmont/ Armour	57-68	L



Junior varsity team includes in front Darrell Bly, Bryce Farley, and Brandt Routh. In the back are Coach Brent Olson, Sam Olson, Zach Harter, Geoff Forgey, Cole Shippy, Jake Luse, Brock Dufek, and Coach Terry Mayes.



Schwartz places in hurdles at state meet

Senior Mitch Schwartz placed in two events at the state track meet on Saturday, May 24. He brought home second place in the 300 hurdles with a time of 40.40. This was Schwartz's personal best time for this event, and he set a school record with his time. In his high school career, this was the third time that Schwartz had placed in this event at the state level. When he was a sophomore, he placed sixth. As a junior he took fourth.

Schwartz also placed in the 110 meter hurdles. He came home with third place in this event; his time was 15.50. Schwartz also ran in the 100 and 200 meter dashes.

Also participating at the state meet were Josh Sherman, Claire Beck, and Collene Cahoy. Sherman competed in the triple jump. Beck ran the preliminaries of the 100 in 13.69. Cahoy threw the discus for a distance of 95'2".

On May 15 at the regional meet in Bonesteel, the girls placed fourth as a team, and the boys tied with Dakota Christian for sixth place.



Top: Mitch Schwartz won the 110 meter hurdles at the Chamberlain Invitational on April 19. Schwartz was named the outstanding athlete at this meet. He won first place in the 110 hurdles, the 100 m dash, and the 400. (photo by Randy Bachelor)

Above: Schwartz competes in the 300 hurdles at the state track meet on May 24. He finished in second place. (photo by Dan Bechtold, *Winner Advocate*)

Right: Alisyn Graesser grabs some air as she competes in the long jump at the Chamberlain Invitational. She placed fourth with a jump of 14' 3 3/4". (photo by Randy Bachelor)





Collene Cahoy throws the shot put at the regional track meet in Bonesteel on May 15. She placed sixth with a distance of 33' 8 1/2". (photo by Heather Haley, *Winner Advocate*)



Above: Mitch Schwartz and Derek Beck compete against each other in the 100 m dash at the Chamberlain track meet. Schwartz finished first, and Beck took third. (photo by Randy Bachelor)

Right: All of the photos on the right were taken at the Chamberlain Invitational on April 19 by Randy Bachelor. From the top are Claire Beck, Becca Kartak, Morgan Hughes, Geoff Forgey, and Emily London.

Below: Emilee Graesser, right, runs at the Chamberlain Invitational.



Track team members include in front Alisyn Graesser, Claire Beck, Emily London, Kristi Miner, Collene Cahoy, Kali Heath, Skylar Forgey, and Emilee Graesser. In back are Coach Kevin Keiser, Zach Harter, Geoff Forgey, Derek Beck, Mitch Schwartz, Josh Sherman, Becca Kartak, Ali Larsen, Morgan Hughes, and Assistant Coach Mende Supik.



Members of the Winner/Colome baseball team include in front Rob Cahoy, John Rehak, John Farner, Zach Harter, Ted Wonnenberg, Sam Aeschbacher, and Will Smith. In back are Coach Andrew Overland, JD Farley, Josh Sherman, Dylan Donahue, Tanner Best, Kyle Swedlund, Todd Sherman, Derek Beck, and Assistant Coach Rusty Arthur. (photo by Dan Bechtold, *Winner Advocate*)



Winner/Colome Demons play in state tournament

The Winner/Colome baseball team ended its season in the state tournament when they faced Parkston on Monday, May 26. The game ended after five endings with a score of 10-0. This gave them a season record of 14-3.

Five Colome athletes participated on the team. Those players included Derek Beck (center field), Rob Cahoy (right field), Zach Harter (designated hitter), Josh Sherman (pitcher), and Todd Sherman (first base).

To make it to the state tournament, the Demons dominated the game against Bennett County in the Region 4B championship. In a game played at Leahy Bowl, Winner/Colome won with a final score of 13-3. In this game, hitters from Colome included Josh Sherman, 4-4 with two triples and 3 RBIs; Zach Harter, 2-4; and Todd Sherman, 1-2 with 3 RBIs.

This was the third consecutive year for Winner/Colome to play in the state tournament.



Above left: Derek Beck hits the ball during a game at Leahy Bowl.

Above center: Todd Sherman is ready for the throw to first base to make an out during a game in Platte.

Above top: Josh Sherman throws from the mound during a Winner/Colome game.

Above: Rob Cahoy is up to bat at Leahy Bowl. (photos by Heather Haley and Dan Bechtold, *Winner Advocate*)



Students compete in rodeo events

Six CHS students participated in Tripp County Rodeo Club.

Their season started on May 3, 4, and the 5. Saturday was the White River Rodeo, and on Sunday was the Burke Rodeo. Ben Kartak placed fifth in calf roping and sixth in saddle bronc. Monday was the Kadoka Rodeo. Ben Kartak took first in calf roping with a 10 second run.

The Regional High School Rodeo was held in Winner on June 6-8. The top ten in each event qualified for the state rodeo finals in Belle Fourche. Colome students who placed in the top ten were Ben Kartak, tiedown; Becca Kartak, breakaway; Rob Cahoy, bull riding; and Ben Kartak and Max Dougherty, team roping.

At the state level, Ben Kartak placed seventh in calf roping and fifth in bronc riding. Also participating at the state level were Max Dougherty and Ben Kartak in team roping, Rob Cahoy in bull riding, and Becca Kartak in team roping and breakaway.



Top: Rob Cahoy rides a bull during the Regional High School Rodeo in Winner.

Above: CHS members of the Tripp County Rodeo Club include Rob Cahoy in front. In the second row are Becca Kartak and Peter Haukaas. In back are Max Dougherty, Mitch Schwartz, and Ben Kartak.

Right: Participating in the Regional HS Rodeo from top are Ben Kartak in calf roping, Ben Kartak in saddle bronc, Rob Cahoy and Peter Haukaas in team roping, Becca Kartak in barrels, and Max Dougherty and Ben Kartak in team roping.



Thank you to the Kartak family for sharing their rodeo pictures with the yearbook!

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1940's



- National Debt \$43 billion
- Auto deaths 34,500
- Radio shows: Red Skelton, Jack Benny, and Bob Hope
- Zoot suit was in for men
- Convertible suit was in for women
- Television show: *Texaco Star Theater*
- Gum - 12 cents for 3 pieces
- Ketchup - 19 cents
- Potatoes - 38 cents for 10 lbs
- Toothpaste - 47 cents
- Pop - 5 cents



1980's

- National Debt \$2 trillion
- Movies: *Revenge of the Nerds*, *Stand by Me*
- Flashdance* (tanktops, tight-fitting pants or torn jeans, and leg warmers)
- Sneakers were in
- Cable TV - MTV
- 2% milk - \$1.59
- Ketchup - 99 cents
- Pop - 50 cents
- Gas - 69 cents
- Music - MC Hammer
- Cassette tape- \$9.99



1970's



- National debt was \$382 billion
- Lava lamps were in
- Bell bottom pants and platform shoes were in style
- Music: The Beatles, Elvis
- Television shows: *All in the Family*, *Saturday Night Live*
- Admission to the drive-in movie - \$1.50
- One 45 rpm record - \$1.10
- Blue jeans - \$12.00
- Pop - 25 cents



2008

- National Debt was 9.5 trillion
- Downloads - \$1 per song in MP3 format
- Gallon of 2% milk - \$4.59
- Gas - \$3.95
- Jeans - \$40
- Pop - \$1.25
- Drive-in Movie - \$6
- Reality Shows: *Survivor*, *Big Brother*, *American Idol*
- Music: Akon, Nickelback, Kenny Chesney



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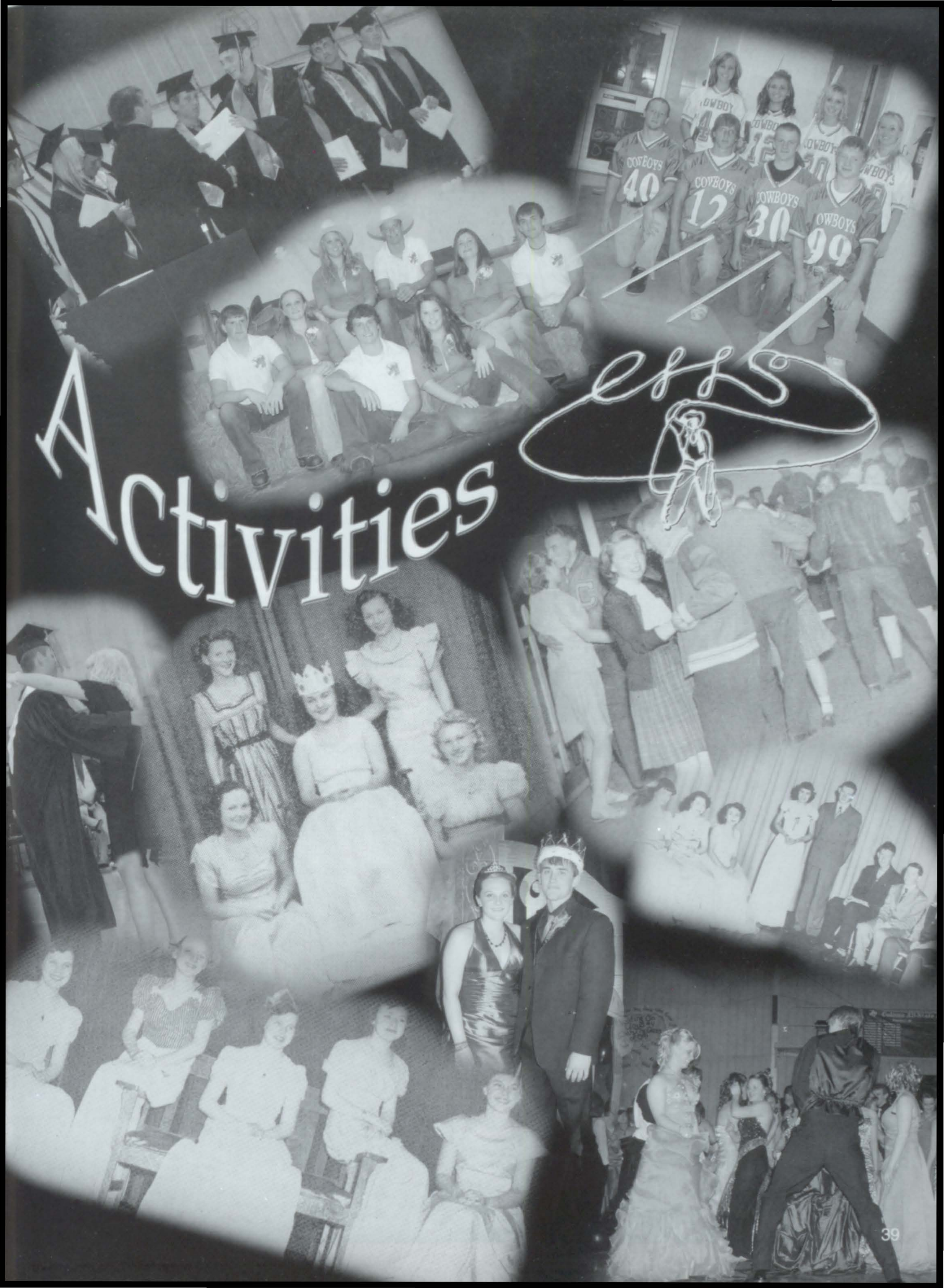
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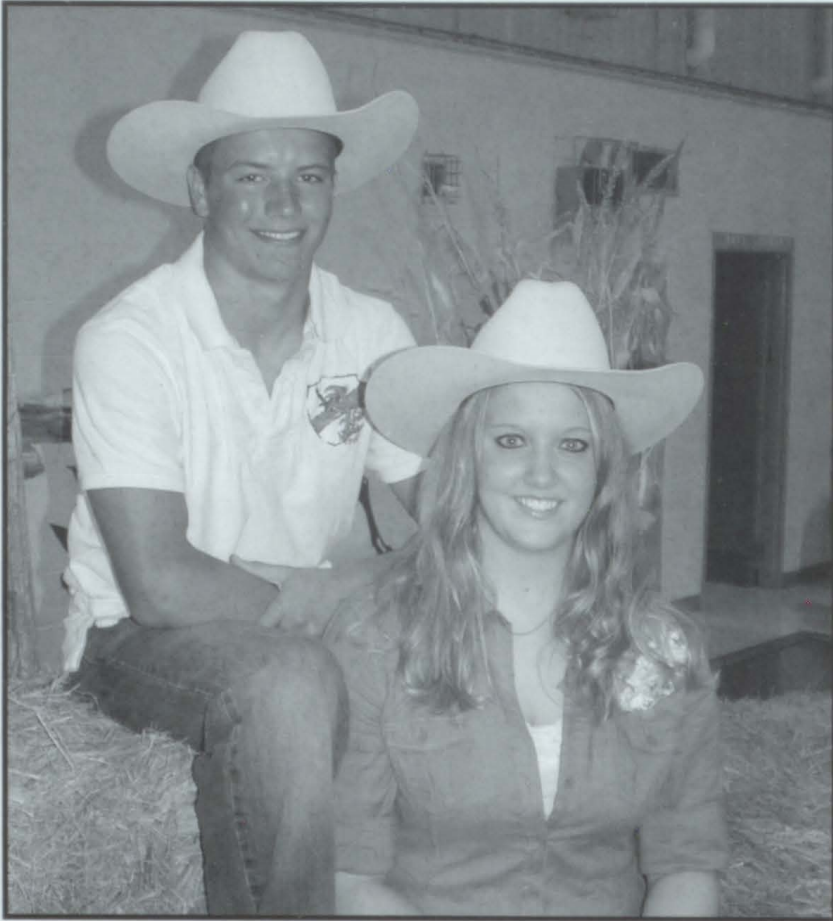
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Activities



Coronation 2007



Above: The burning of the "C" took place at the baseball field after Coronation.

Left: Mitch Schwartz and Sami Luse pose as Cowboy and Cowgirl after Coronation on Thursday, Sept. 20.

Below: The 2007 Homecoming candidates include in front Josh Sherman and Taylor Zeigler. In the middle row are Kurtis Atteberry, Kristi Miner, Heather O'Bryan, and Derek Beck. In back are Sami Luse, Cowgirl, and Mitch Schwartz, Cowboy.



Homecoming 2007

Students make memories during Homecoming

From dressing up in crazy outfits to cheering on the Cowboys and Cowgirls, students were busy during Homecoming Week 2007, Sept. 17-22.

Chaps, cowboys hats, boots, and spurs could be seen as the week began with Western Day on Monday. Tuesday was Twin Day, and many students planned ahead so that they were dressed alike.

On Tuesday evening, the Cowgirls faced the Lady Warriors and lost a close match.

The freshmen gathered in the locker rooms on Wednesday morning so that the seniors could dress them for Slave Day. Costumes ranged from gorilla outfits to the Incredible Hulk. Also on Wednesday, students could wear their hats and shades and bring food to class for Snarf Day.

Thursday was Wacky Clothes Day, and students searched closets and the Thrift Store to assemble crazy outfits for the day.

On Thursday evening, Coronation began at 8:30. Brad Kahler, Master of Ceremonies, welcomed alumni to the event. Former CHS students responded to roll call, and then Kahler announced the 2007 Cowboy and Cowgirl - Mitch Schwartz and Sami Luse. Other candidates included Kristi Miner, Heather O'Bryan, Taylor Zeigler, Kurtis Atteberry, Derek Beck, and Josh Sherman.

The junior honor attendants were Claire Beck, Hailey Hughes, Ali Larsen, Emily London, Peter Haukaas, Ben Kartak, Jake Luse, and Ethan Vobr.

After Coronation, everyone gathered at the baseball field for the burning of the C. The wind calmed down in the evening to allow the fire. The cheerleaders led the crowd in several cheers, and the coaches and seniors spoke.

On Friday morning NHS hosted the Cowboy Olympics in the gym. 7-12 students competed in the following games: hula hoop pass, fruit relay, Cheetos toss, water relay, dodgeball, and tug-o-war. The seniors won the green boots for the Cowboy Olympics, and the freshmen won the Spirit Rope for the most school spirit.

Then it was time to work on floats. Despite the strong winds, all of the floats were ready for the parade at 1:00 p.m. In the K-3 division, the first graders took first, the third grade placed second, and the second grade finished third. In the 4-8 division, the winners were fourth grade, first place; fifth grade, second place; and sixth grade, third place. The juniors won the high school division, followed by the seniors in second place and the freshmen in third place. In the non-student division, First Fidelity Bank placed first, Colome Farm Service took second, and Ks Okasions finished third.

The after prom party committee sponsored a tailgate party at the field beginning at 5:00, and the football game began at 7:00 p.m. The Cowboys successfully faced the Lower Brule Sioux and ended the game at the beginning of the third quarter with a score of 50-0



Top: Tasha Hauf poses for a picture after being dressed for freshman initiation.

Bottom: Seniors Derek Beck and Kurtis Atteberry show off their matching outfits for Twin Day.



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Above Left: The Colome High School band marches in the homecoming parade.

Top: The seniors won the green boots for placing first in the Cowboy Olympics. In front are Taylor Zeigler, Sami Luse, Kristi Miner, and Heather O'Bryan. In back are Todd Sherman, Josh Sherman, Brad Kahler, Rob Cahoy, Mitch Schwartz, Kurtis Atteberry, Max Dougherty, Damian Berg, and Derek Beck.

Above: Mr. Kevin Graesser, head football coach, leads the homecoming parade as the 2007 Parade Marshall.

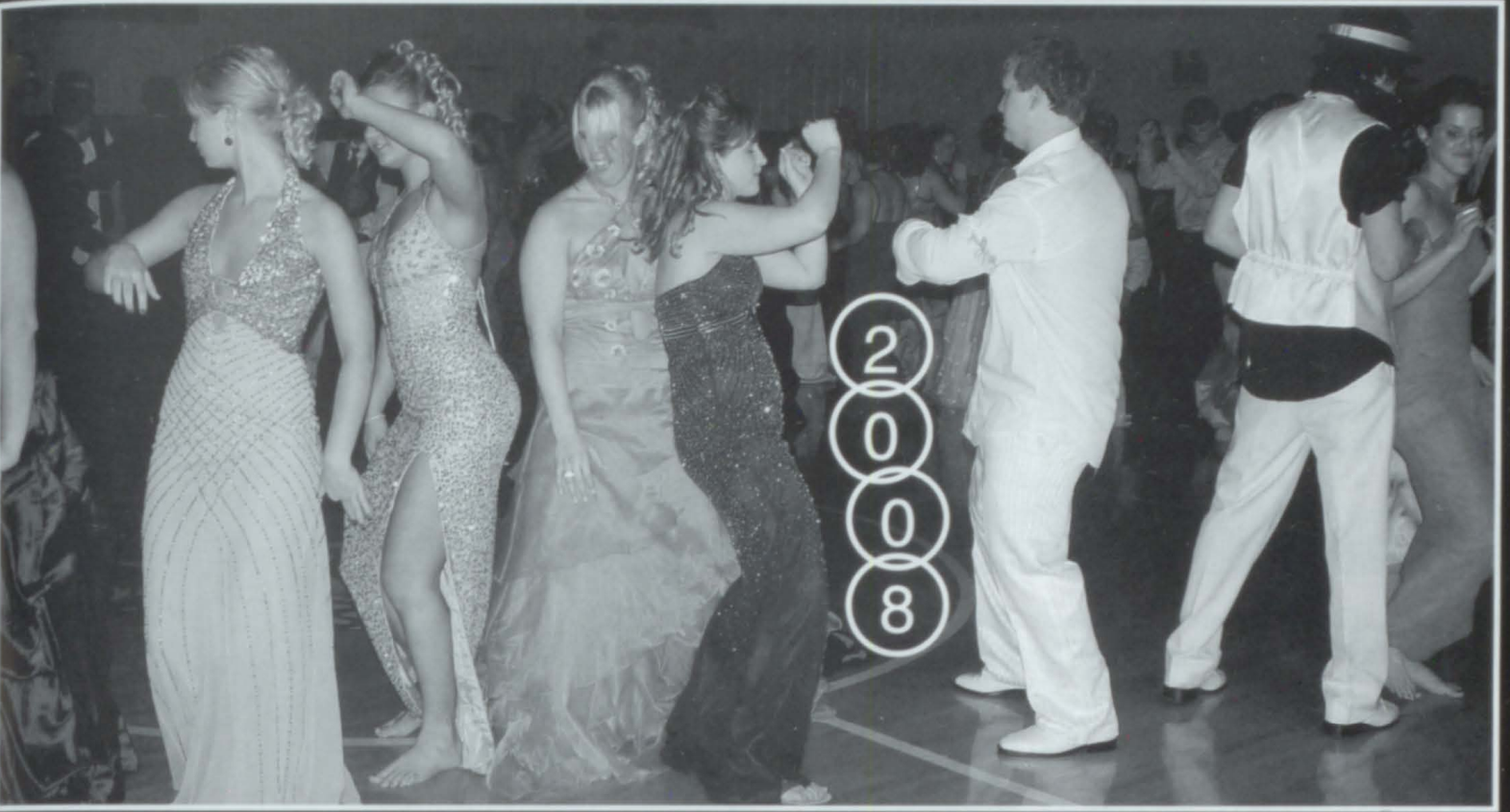
Left: The royalty rides through the parade. From left are Taylor Zeigler, Derek Beck, Kristi Miner, Kurtis Atteberry, Heather O'Bryan, and Josh Sherman.

Bottom Left: Students play the water transportation game at Cowboy Olympics. From left are freshmen Nathan Audiss, Cole Shippy and Caitlin Shippy, and eighth graders Chris Hofeldt and Michael Rohde.

Bottom: Juniors Peter Haukaas and Ben Kartak "drive" the ambulance on the junior class float.



♪ Music of the Night ♪



Top: Students dance to the music during Prom 2008. From the left are Ali Larsen, Hailey Hughes, Collene Cahoy, Lacey Carol, Blake DeMers, Blair Sinclair, and Alisyn Graesser.
Right: Emily London and Collene Cahoy dance to "Crank Dat" by Soulja Boy.
Far Right: Cousins Becca Kartak and Paige Haukaas jitterbug at the dance.
Bottom: Students walk through Grand March. From left are Jordan Vaughn, Taylor Zeigler, Jesse Shelbourn, Kristen Hrabanek, Blair Sinclair, Caitlin Burger, Kip Littau, and Callin Shippy.



Prom 2008

Students make memories during Prom

by Lakin Stenson

Students lined up behind the red curtain as they awaited to walk down the 2008 Grand March in the gym on Friday, April 4. As the crowd gathered to see the colorful dresses and matching tuxes, the lights dimmed and the music began to play.

The juniors chose "Music of the Night" as the theme for prom. The theme is based off of the musical *Phantom of the Opera*. The decorations included a mask, an organ, and an archway with gates. Something new this year was red carpeting that was purchased by the junior class.

Before Grand March, students had the opportunity to go down to the Legion where they had a choice of steak or shrimp. After supper it was time for pictures and then students began to line up for Grand March.

Once Grand March was over, the crowd cleared and students danced to music provided by Pure Pressure Sound of Kimball. The dance ended at midnight and students had a half hour to change. Students then boarded buses that took them to the Winner Bowling Center for the After Prom Party.

During the After Prom Party, students enjoyed bowling, and arcade games such as video games, pool, and foosball. They also played card games.

The students returned to the school around 3:45 a.m., and the After Prom Party committee handed out prizes that varied from TVs, and refrigerators to T-shirts and duffle bags.



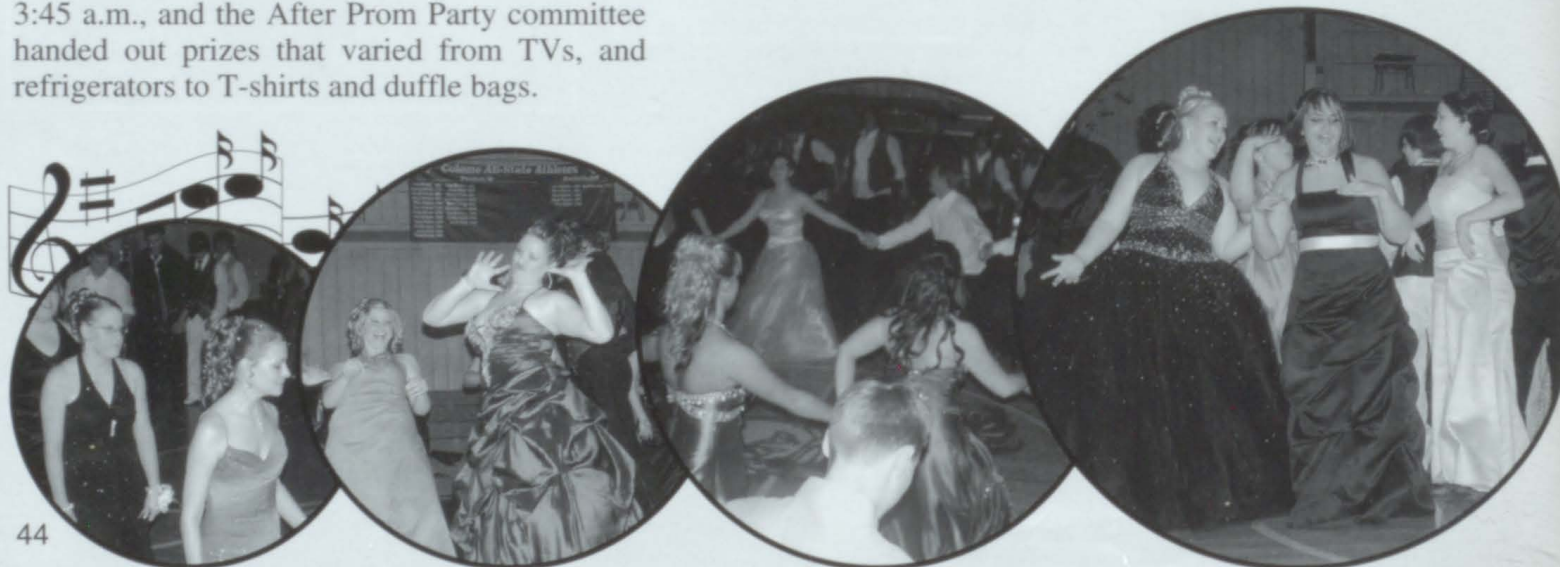
Above: Kristi Miner and Derek Beck were crowned prom queen and prom king.

Bottom Far Left: Ashley Bowling and Danielle DeMers dance to the music.

Bottom Left: Jayme Steiglemeyer cracks up over Kirstin Cahoy's dance moves.

Bottom Right: Seniors gathered in a circle for Pure Pressure Sound's Chickie Dance.

Bottom Far Right: Lakin Stenson, Caitlin Burger, and Cassie Christensen face the camera and show off some moves.





Above: Students dance to music provided by Pure Pressure Sound of Kimball.

Above left: Sophomore Bobby Bainter shows off his moves during the dance.

Left: Junior class president Candace Shippy crowns Kristi Miner as prom queen as Derek Beck, prom king, watches.

Far left: Junior Ali Larsen and her date Alex Chocoulosek walk down Grand March.

Bottom far left: Sami Luse, Mitch Schwartz, and Ali Larsen pose for a picture at the After Prom Party.

Bottom left: Barbara Mann, Marty Zeigler, Sarah Kingsbury, and Kip Littau enjoy some Powerade at the After Prom Party.

Bottom right: Emily London and Taylor Zeigler smile for the camera while waiting to bowl.

Bottom far right: Collene Cahoy takes a moment from her busy night to take a picture,



Fourteen seniors graduate from CHS

On Saturday, May 17, 14 seniors received their diplomas during the graduation ceremony at 7 p.m. in the Colome Gymnasium.

A senior class video began the evening. Mrs. Bobbi Viedt and her advanced computer class created the video. Seniors were the featured speakers. Heather O'Bryan welcomed family, friends, and teachers to the ceremony. Sami Luse, Taylor Zeigler, and Kristi Miner gave the commencement address by reading Dr. Seuss' *Oh, the Places You'll Go!* Kurtis Atteberry closed with the farewell.

Scholarships were awarded during the ceremony.

The students graduating with honors included Derek Beck, Brad Kahler, Kristi Miner, Mitch Schwartz, Josh Sherman, and Taylor Zeigler. Miner and Sherman had a perfect 4.0 GPA.

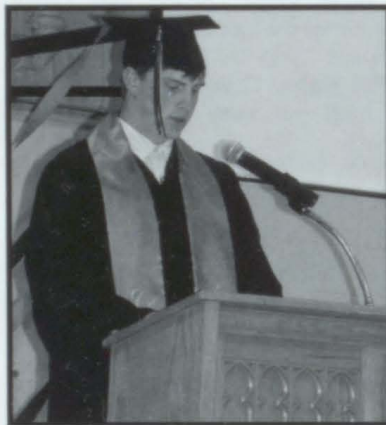
The junior escorts were Claire Beck, Ali Larsen, Emil London, and Candace Shippy.

For graduation, the Class of 2008 chose a white rose tipped in green as the class flower. Their colors were black, green, and silver. Their class motto was "We have come a long way but not half as far as we will go."



Above: Heather O'Bryan welcomes everyone to graduation.

Right: Taylor Zeigler, Sami Luse, and Kristi Miner read *Oh, the Places You'll Go!* by Dr. Seuss.

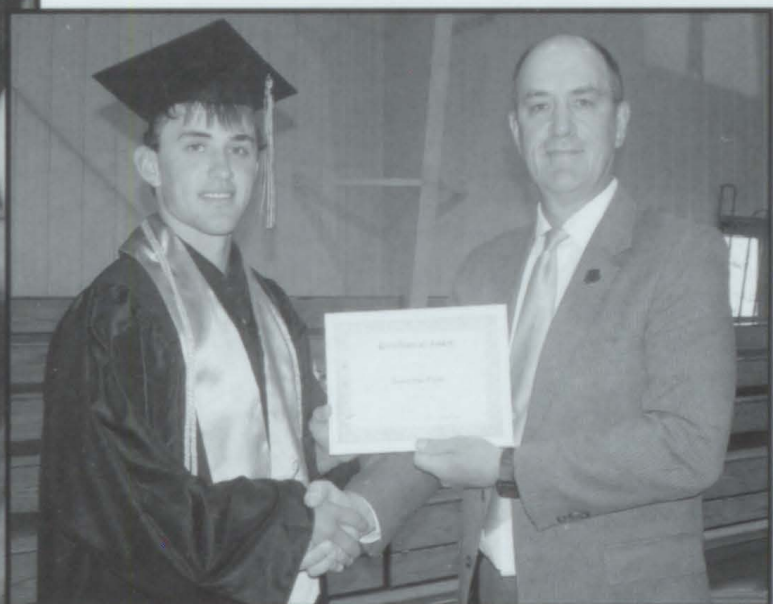
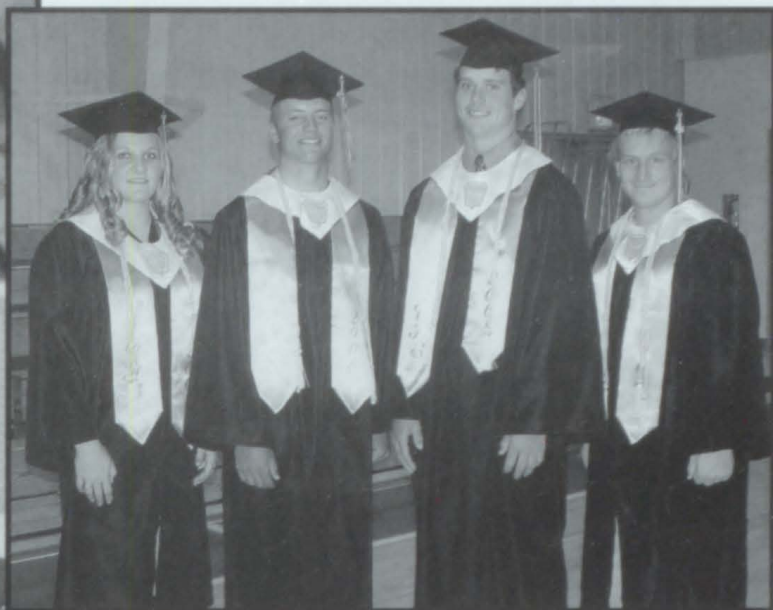


During the farewell, Kurtis Atteberry thanks everyone for attending the graduation ceremony.



The Class of 2008 includes in front Damian Berg, Todd Sherman, Sami Luse, Taylor Zeigler, Heather O'Bryan, Kristi Miner, Josh Sherman, and Rob Cahoy. In back are Brad Kahler, Mitch Schwartz, Max Dougherty, Derek Beck, Jordan Vaughn, and Kurtis Atteberry.

Class of 2008



Above left: Senior Sami Luse shares a hug with her mom, Amy Luse, at the conclusion of the graduation ceremony.

Above top: National Honor Society graduates include Kristi Miner, Mitch Schwartz, Josh Sherman, and Brad Kahler.

Above: Mr. Armstrong presents Derek Beck with a certificate that honors his perfect attendance in grades 7-12.

Left: Honor graduates include Taylor Zeigler, Brad Kahler, and Kristi Miner in front. In back are Mitch Schwartz, Derek Beck, and Josh Sherman.

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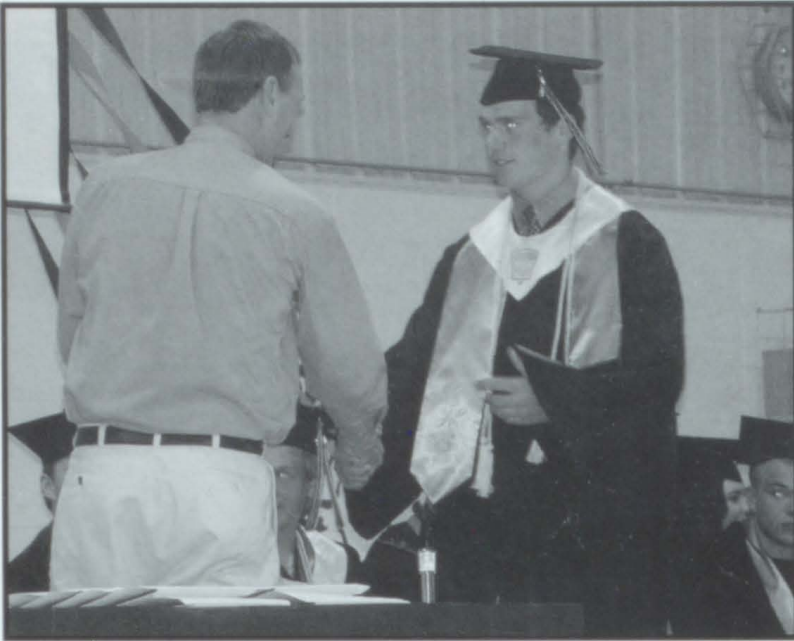
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Top: Tim Meiners presents the Golden West scholarship to Josh Sherman during graduation.

Above: Mr. Armstrong gives the Hunters Scholarship to Brad Kahler.



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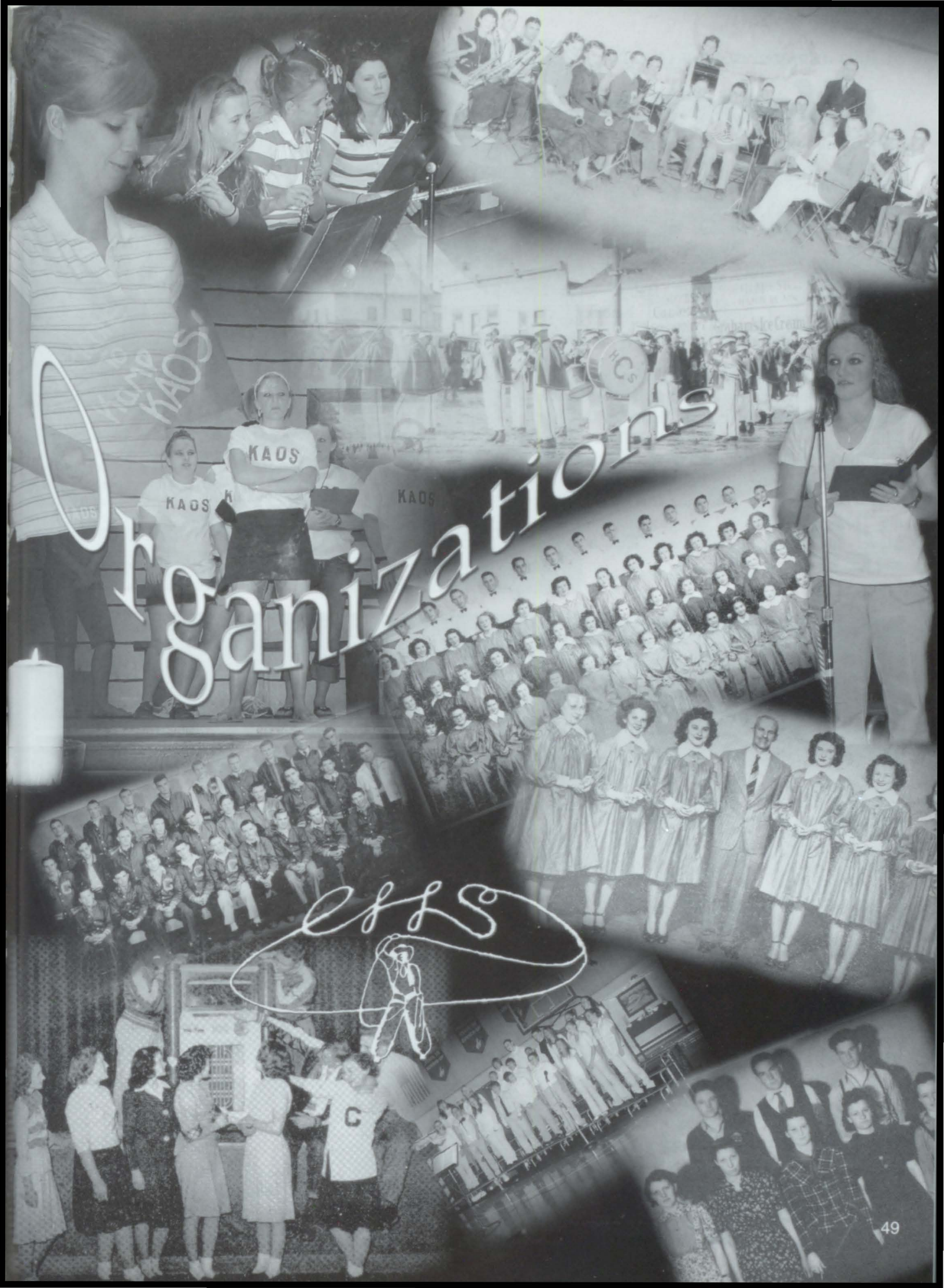
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Organizations

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Making memories in

Chorus

The choir this year was directed by Mrs. Cheyenne Heath and Mrs. Becky Heath. The group included seven high school students and sixteen junior high students.

At the Christmas concert the chorus students performed "Boogie Woogie Holiday," "Dona Nobis," "Santa Baby," "I Saw Three Ships," and "Silent Night." The "Santa Baby" ensemble included Rachael Audiss, Sami Kubal, Kayla Meyer, Diann Schmul, Casey Shippy and soloist Rachel Shippy.

At the spring concert they performed "Sweet Caroline," while the kindergarteners danced. Mrs. Palmer was the accompanist. "Back to the 50's," which was a mix of five different songs, "Lollipop," and "Footloose" were the other songs that the chorus sang. Rachel Shippy performed a solo when she sang "America the Beautiful" for the Hometown Heroes art presentation. Kayla Meyer and Diann Schmul sang "He's a Rebel," and Kayla Duncan sang a solo.



Above: Colome chorus students in back are Logan Welker, Brock Dufek, Jake Hrabanek, Brady London, Brandon Hauf, Ethan Hofeldt, Brandt Routh, and Trevor Waters. In the third row are Tara Farley, Diann Schmul, Marisa Wendel, Danielle DuBray, Kayla Meyer, and Stephanie Cassel. In the third row are Mrs. Becky Heath, Courtney Dufek, Rachael Audiss, Sami Kubal, Kristen Hrabanek, and Mrs. Cheyenne Heath. In the first row are Skylar Forgey, Kelsey Pravecek, Casey Shippy, Taylor Dennis, and Rachel Shippy. Not pictured is Sara Jorgensen.

Below: The choir performs "Santa Baby" at the Christmas Concert on December 14. Mr. Armstrong is dressed up as Santa.



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Making memories in

Band

Mrs. Cheyenne Heath directed the band this year. There were ten high school students and thirteen junior high students.

The band began the year by playing at varsity football games. Some of the pep band songs were "We Will Rock You," "Hey" song, and "Louie, Louie."

They performed in the Homecoming parade and at the football game. They played "Notre Dame Victory March" and the "Star Spangled Banner."

At the Christmas concert, the band played "Jingle Bells Rock," "Ukrainian Bell Carol," and "Christmas Gloria."

The band performed "Eye of the Tiger," "Wooly Bully," "Louie, Louie," "Hang on Sloopy," "Do Wah Diddy Diddy," and "Old Time Rock-n-Roll" at the spring concert on April 28.



Above: The pep band performs at a pep rally.

Right: The band marches in the Colome Centennial parade on June 14.

Below: The Colome band students include in the back row Caitlin Shippy, Nathan Audiss, Zach Harter, Colten Seegers, Cole Shippy, Danielle DeMers, and Logan Welker. In the middle row are Heather O'Bryan, Kasey DeMers, Chris Hofeldt, Michael Rohde, Paul Temple, Cohl Ratermann, Nolan Welker, and Mrs. Cheyenne Heath. In the front row are Kristi Miner, Christy Shippy, Cassidy Hofeldt, Tessa Lester, Tiffany Hauf, Rachel Shippy, McKenzie Fawcett, Mallori McCarty, and Kaitie Wagner. Not pictured is Tracy Routh.



Miner performs at state oral interpretation

by Megan Fast

The oral interp team finished the season when Kristi Miner competed at the state competition on Dec. 1 in Huron.

The name of her piece was "God Created Everything" which discusses the origin of evil. Miner received an excellent rating for her presentation in the oratory division.

"I was glad to get to go to state oral interp again this year," said Miner. "It was a good experience."

"It is so fun to watch and work with a student like Kristi. She is an awesome student and puts everything she has into whatever she is doing," stated Mrs. Fawcett, coach for the oral interp team.

Districts were held on November 5 at the Winner High School.

Ashley Weidner and Candace Shippy performed a duet, and they received third. Shippy participated in serious prose, and she received fourth. Miner performed a piece for poetry and brought home fourth. Miner finished first in oratory, which allowed her to compete at regional competition.

Sara Jorgensen participated in the humorous competition, and she brought home fourth.

Regional competition was on Nov. 19 in Pierre. Miner competed against five contestants in oratory and finished in first place.

"Oral Interp can be lots of fun, but there needs to be more kids who go out for it to make it more interesting," said Candace Shippy.



Kristi Miner performs "God Created Everything" at the Christmas concert. She received an excellent at state for her performance.

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The oral interpretation team includes Kristi Miner and Mrs. Mary Pat Fawcett coach, in back. In front are Ashley Weidner, McKenzie Fawcett, Sara Jorgensen, Candace Shippy, and Kali Heath.

NHS sponsors activities

by Kristen Hrabanek

The NHS was busy this year with various activities.

In September they hosted the Cowboy Olympics during Homecoming. The games included the hula hoop race, where eight kids in each class had to hold hands and pass a hula hoop down the chain. The quickest one won. The next game was fruit roll game where students had to roll an apple or banana to the half court line without using their hands. Then there was the water game where five kids from each class had to move water from one bucket to another with straws. Next the classes battled each other in dodgeball. The second to last game was the Cheetos toss. One kid from each class wore a shower cap covered in shaving cream. Another tossed Cheetos with the goal of sticking the Cheetos on the other's head. Whoever had the most on his/her head won the game. The final game was the tug-of-war.

In October the NHS sponsored a Halloween dance for 9-12 students.

In February members sold daffodils for the American Cancer Society.

March 16 was their annual Easter egg hunt held at the baseball field.

In April they inducted five members. To qualify for NHS, a student needs to hold at least a 3.4 GPA and must have 30 hours of community service and a letter of recommendation.

In May the NHS project was Spring Fling, which was held on May 12. Activities for the K-6 students included chemistry, cheerleading, cooking, basketball, volleyball, dodgeball, football, and soccer.

Also in May NHS recognized the staff members with certificates and lanyards during an assembly.

Right: The members of NHS at induction are in front Diann Schmuhl, Alisyn Grasser, Emilee Grasser, Sara Jorgensen, and Danielle DeMers. In the back are Claire Beck, Ali Larsen, Kristi Miner, Candace Shippy, Emily London, Josh Sherman, Mitch Schwartz, Brad Kahler, and advisor Mrs. Janette Shippy



Top: NHS member Ali Larsen makes no-bake cookies with Jessie Pravecek, Retta Tate, Elisabeth Duffy, and Rebekah White during Spring Fling. In back is Hailey Hughes who is washing dishes.

Above left: McKenzie Fawcett rolls an apple down the court during the Cowboy Olympics.
Above right: Kristi Miner and Candace Shippy present a lanyard and certificate to Mr. Brian Jorgensen for teacher appreciation.



Mice invade Kamp KAOS

The Colome High School Drama Dept. presented *Summer of KAOS* by Stephen Murray on March 27, 28, and 29. The performance on March 27 was a matinee for Colome students; the other two performances were in the evening.

The play focused on Wally Schneider, played by Mitch Schwartz. Wally owns Kamp KAOS, which has financial problems. The mortgage is past due, and the new county health inspector (Sara Jorgensen) is scheduled to inspect the camp. Lucinda Scorch (Candace Shippy) offers to buy the property for a half of a million dollars; she suspects that the buried treasure of the famous outlaw, Ernie the Kid, is located somewhere on the property. Lucinda orders her two bodyguards (McKenzie Fawcett and Blake DeMers) to look for the treasure.

To add to Wally's problems, the camp has been infested by mice. In an effort to rid the camp of the mice, Sandy Greenpeace (Ashley Weidner) wants the mice to eat cheese that will make them sleepy instead of hurting them. When Wally accidentally eats the cheese, Natalie Potter, the head counselor, (Kristi Miner) must take over. She disguises herself as Wally in an effort to fool the inspector. She is assisted by the other counselors and campers. (Counselors: Kali Heath, Caitlin Shippy, Logan Welker, Cole Shippy, Heather O'Bryan, and Sami Kubal; Campers: Rachel Shippy, Jesse Tate, Danielle DeMers, Katie Wagner, Nathan Audiss, Colten Seegers, Christy Shippy, Tessa Lester, Tracy Routh, and Rachael Audiss)

Eventually Wally wakes up, and the campers discover the buried treasure, which gives Wally the money that he needs to save the camp. They pass the health inspection, and Camp KAOS is allowed to continue.

Mrs. Mary Pat Fawcett directed the play. She was assisted by several people who served as the crew. Trevor Waters worked on the stage crew and was the sound tech. Brad Kahler and Sara Jorgensen were prompters and were also in charge of curtains and lights. The stage manager was Candace Shippy, and the house manager was Mitch Schwartz. The student production managers were Heather O'Bryan, Jesse Tate, Blake DeMers, and Ashley Weidner. The makeup and hair crew members were Kristi Miner, Heather O'Bryan, Candace Shippy, Ashley Weidner, Sara Jorgensen and Kirstin Cahoy.



Natalie Potter (Kristi Miner) and Wally Schneider (Mitch Schwartz) mirror each other during the play to see who is the real Wally.



Sandy Greenpeace (Ashley Weidner) and Naomi (Kali Heath) discuss their solution to make the mice fall asleep so they can get rid of them before the health inspector comes.



Top left: Ricky (Logan Welker) sits on Wally Schneider (Mitch Schwartz) during the All-School Play to hide Wally from Agnes Stonebottem, the health inspector.

Middle left: Naomi (Kali Heath), Ricky (Logan Welker), Martin (Cole Shippy), Counselor (Sami Kubal), Counselor (Heather O'Bryan), Linda (Caitlin Shippy), Sandy Greenpeace (Ashley Weidner), and Natalie Potter (Kristi Miner) all pledge the rules to Wally Schneider (Mitch Schwartz).



Bottom left: Play cast in back are Mrs. Mary Pat Fawcett, Kirstin Cahoy, Candace Shippy, Cole Shippy, Ashley Weidner, Kristi Miner, Mitch Schwartz, Heather O'Bryan, Jesse Tate, Caitlin Shippy, Trevor Waters, and Brad Kahler. Pictured in middle row are McKenzie Fawcett, Sami Kubal, Sara Jorgensen, Katie Wagner, Danielle DeMers, Rachel Shippy, Christy Shippy, Nathan Audiss, and Blake DeMers. Pictured in front are Kali Heath, Colten Seegers, Tracy Routh, Rachael Audiss, Tessa Lester, and Logan Welker.

Left circle: Health Inspector Agnes Stonebottem (Sara Jorgensen) talks to Natalie Potter (Kristi Miner) about camp regulations.

Middle circle: Janice (Rachel Shippy) persuades Natalie Potter (Kristi Miner) to let her broadcast on the radio.

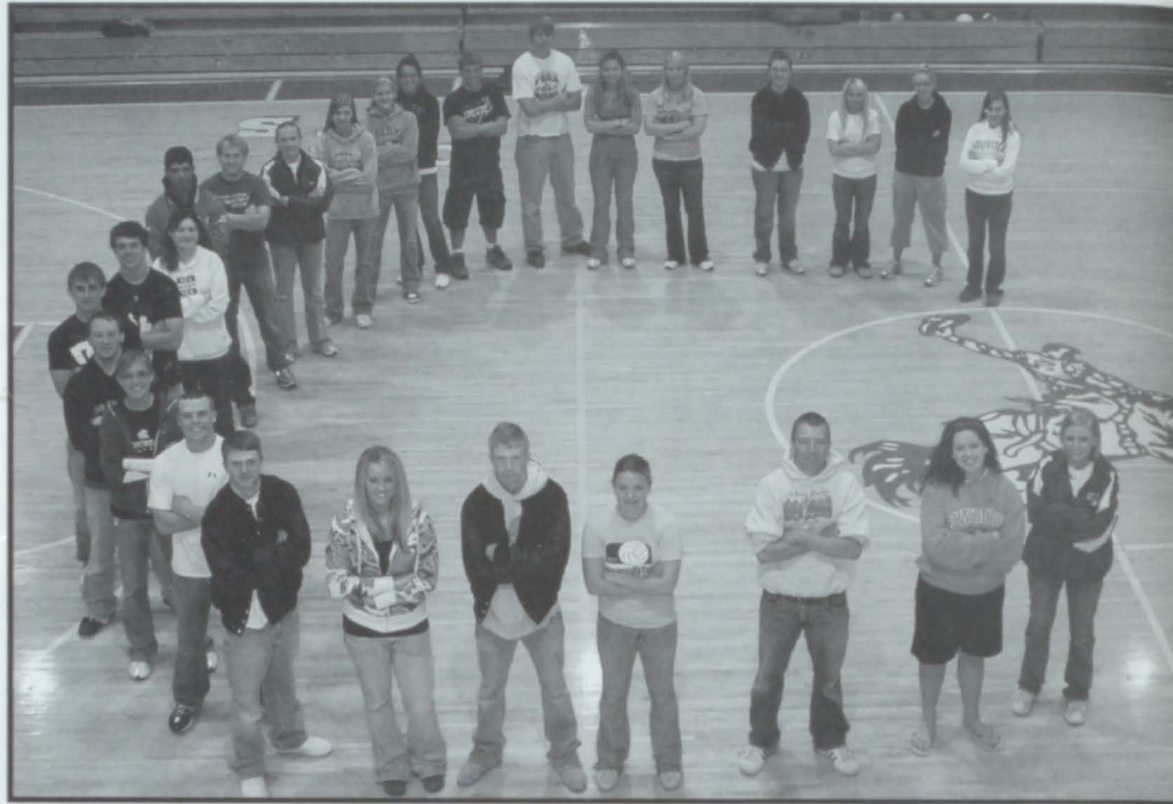
Bottom circle: Sandy Greenpeace (Ashley Weidner) tells Wally Schneider (Mitch Schwartz) about where the mice are stored.

Above: Campers Christy Shippy, Nathan Audiss, Rachael Audiss, Jesse Tate, Rachel Shippy, and Colten Seegers stop Lucinda Scorch (Candace Shippy) from taking over Kamp KAOS by finding the long lost treasure from Ernie the Kid to pay off the camp debts.



"C" Club

Members of the "C" Club include (clockwise from the bottom of the C) Ashley Weidner, Kirstin Cahoy, Mitch Schwartz, Morgan Hughes, Peter Haukaas, Sami Luse, Ben Kartak, Rob Cahoy, Emily London, Ethan Vobr, Derek Beck, Josh Sherman, Heather O'Bryan, Jesse Tate, Brad Kahler, Kristi Miner, Candace Shippy, Emilee Graesser, Alisyn Graesser, Geoff Forgey, Todd Sherman, Hailey Hughes, Collene Cahoy, Becca Kartak, Claire Beck, Ali Larsen, and Tasha Hauf.



Librarians

The student librarians help Ms. Schwartz with the library duties, which include straightening newspapers and magazines and keeping track of books. From left are Taylor Zeigler Ms. Schwartz, and Claire Beck. Not pictured is Sami Luse.



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Students pose outside the bus after a day of skiing. In front is Tessa Lester. Standing are Marisa Wendel, Kevin Cassel, Danielle DuBray, Geoff Forgey, Becca Kartak, Brock Dufek, Michael Rohde, Skylar Forgey, Kelsey Pravecek, Nolan Welker, Brady London, Tracy Routh, Brandt Routh, Cohl Ratermann, Chris Welker, Brandon Hauf, Paul Temple, Zach Harter, Kristi Miner, Ashley Weidner, McKenzie Fawcett, Cassidy Hofeldt, and Collene Cahoy. Notice Kevin Miner, bus driver, in the bus window. Mr. Alan Armstrong chaperoned the group. The other bus driver was Ken Miner. The Student Council sponsored the ski trip which was held on March 6.



Members of the Student Council include Emilee Graesser and Ali Larsen in front. Sitting is Kristi Miner. In back are Hailey Hughes, Alisyn Graesser, Mitch Schwartz, Josh Sherman, Tasha Hauf, and Candace Shippy.

Student Council plans Homecoming and ski trip

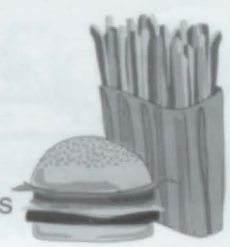
The Student Council began the year by planning Homecoming. They chose "stores" as the theme for the parade, and they selected Kevin Graesser as the parade marshall. The group selected a theme for each day of the week. They also made plans for Coronation, which was held on Thursday night.

Twenty-three students in grades 7-12 made a trip to Deer Mountain on March 6. The bus left at 5:00 a.m. After a day of skiing the bus load of students went to the Rushmore Mall for an hour and half that evening. They arrived back at the school around midnight.

Kristi Miner was the president of the Student Council.

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Desktop publishing classes create publications

by Kristen Hrabanek

This year there were two desktop publishing classes that met during the same period. Students in Desktop Publishing II were Kirstin Cahoy, Megan Fast, Emily London, and Ashley Weidner. Desktop Publishing I students were Kristen Hrabanek, Candace Shippy, and Lakin Stenson.

A big project this year was helping with the Colome Centennial book. They typed stories and scanned the pictures to go in the book. The students learned a lot about Colome's history by working on the book.

This year's yearbook theme goes with the centennial. The theme is "Making Memories One Year at a Time." The staff used pictures from the past on the division pages and mixed them with current pictures. This year the staff was able to design the cover for the yearbook which also features pictures from the past and present. The book shows how much things have changed at Colome School.

Another project throughout the year was publishing *The Lariat*, the school newspaper.



Desktop publishing students this year include Kristen Hrabanek and Megan Fast in front. In the second row are Candace Shippy and Lakin Stenson. In back are Kirstin Cahoy, Ashley Weidner, and Emily London.

During the Christmas season, the Tripp County Extension office and the Tripp County Commissioners sponsored a festival of trees at the Tripp County Courthouse in Winner. The desktop publishing students printed pictures of Colome School activities and made other decorations for a tree. In front of the tree are Kristen Hrabanek, Megan Fast, and Lakin Stenson. In back are Emily London and Candace Shippy. The freshmen also decorated a tree for the display.



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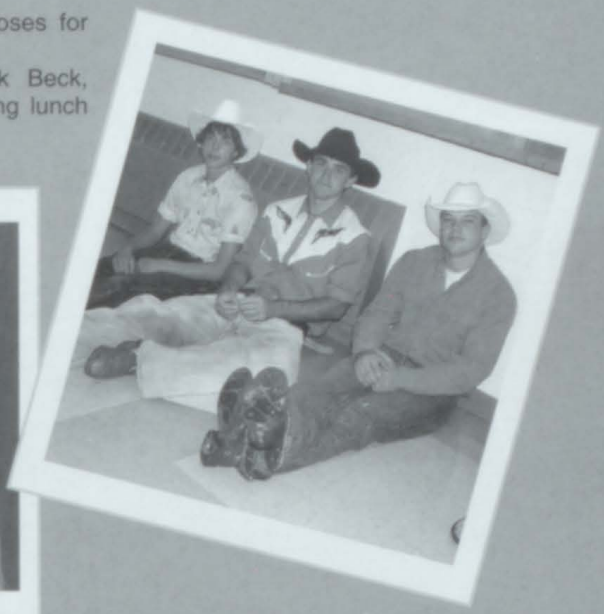
Making Memories During...

Lunch Period

Right: Lakin Stenson and Kaitlyn Hofeldt play hacky sack.



Below: Candace Shippy poses for a picture.
Right: Bryce Hauf, Derek Beck, and Rob Cahoy relax during lunch period on Western Day.



Above: Erica Brill and Kaitlyn Hofeldt play hacky sack during lunch.
Right: Erin Brill is waiting to start a game of hacky sack.
Below: Brandon Hauf shares a smile during his lunch break.



Ashley Weidner and Kirstin Cahoy smile at the camera.



Top left: Brady London shares a story during his lunch break.
Top right: Marty Zeigler and Kevin Cassel play a little basketball to pass the time.
Above: Michael Rohde and Cole Shippy wait in the gym lobby for the lunch bell.



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Casey Shippy and Skylar Forgey spend time together.



Left: DJ Kalenda and Erin Brill hang out with each other.
Right: Diann Schmuhl and Danielle DuBray pose for a picture.



Taylor Dennis, Rachel Shippy, Danielle DuBray, Stephanie Cassel, and Tara Farley goof around for the camera.

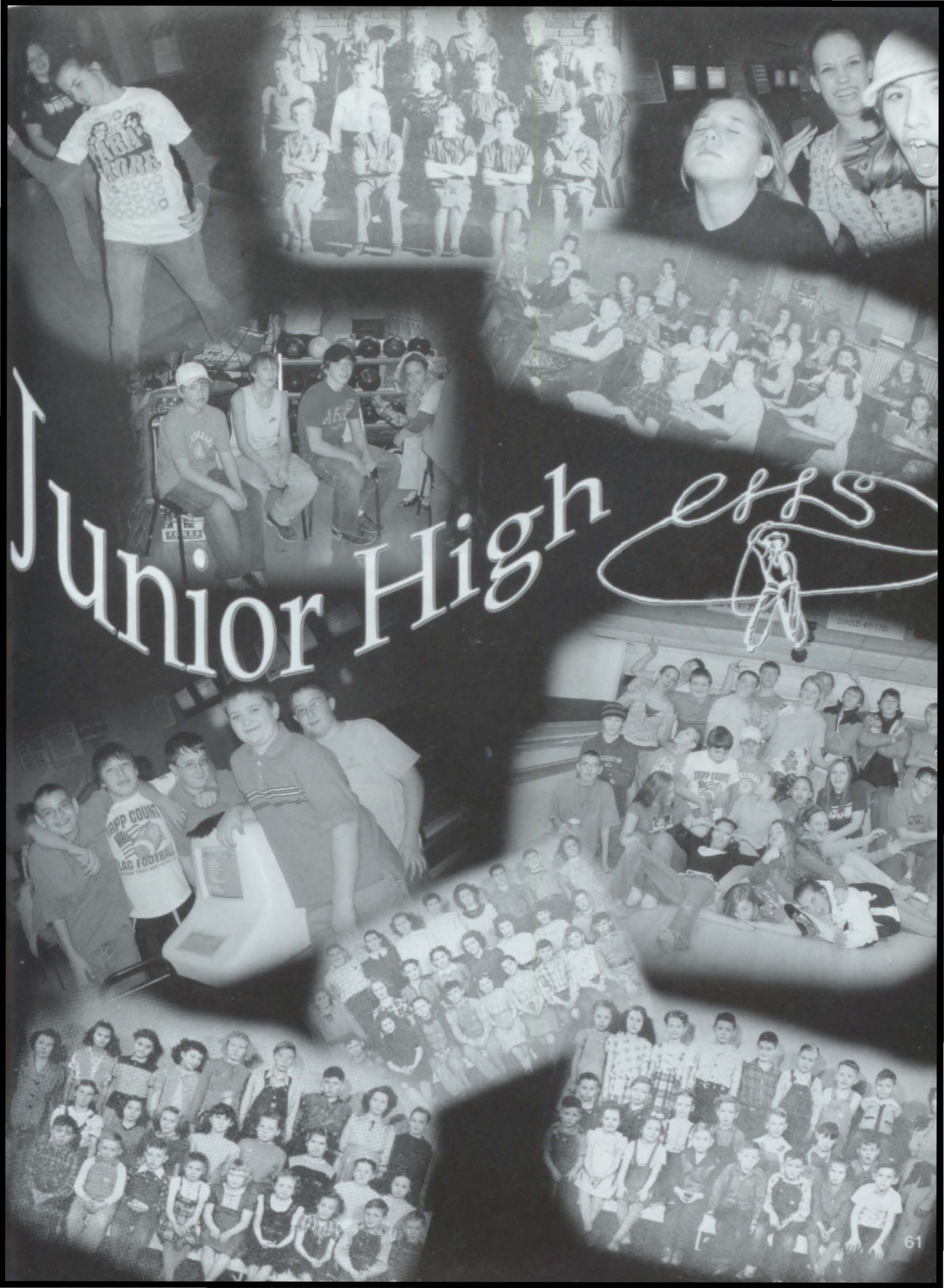


Cassie Christensen and Caitlin Burger hang out in study hall.

Making Memories with... Friends



Left: Mallori McCarty and Danielle DeMers smile for the camera.
Above: Britney Kaupp and Kaitlyn Hofeldt pose for a picture.



Junior High



Making Memories as...

Seventh Graders



Rachael Audiss



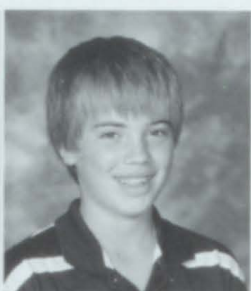
Quentin Connot



Taylor Dennis



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Brandon Hauf



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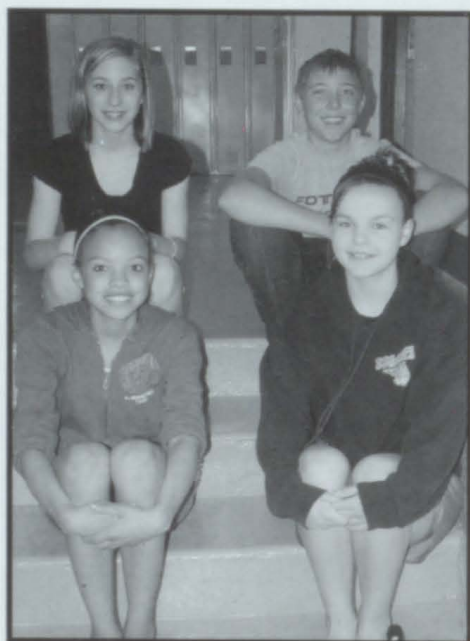
Paul Temple



Logan Welker



Nolan Welker



The seventh grade class officers include Tessa Lester and Tracy Routh in front. In back are Tiffany Hauf and Brady London.



Quentin Connot, Ethan Hofeldt, Nolan Welker, Cohl Ratermann, and Logan Welker take a break from bowling. The seventh and eighth graders, Mrs. DeMers, Mrs. Rohde, and Mrs. Supik bowled at the Gregory Lanes on the day before Christmas vacation.

Eighth Graders



Stephanie Cassel

McKenzie Fawcett

Skylar Forgey

Christopher Hofeldt

Jake Hrabanek

Kelsey Pravecek



Michael Rohde

Casey Shippy

Trevor Waters

Not Pictured:
Marisa Wendel
Danielle DuBray



Chris Hofeldt, Jake Hrabanek, McKenzie Fawcett, Kelsey Pravecek, and Stephanie Cassel participate in the hula hoop pass at Cowboy Olympics.

Class officers in front are Kelsey Pravecek, secretary, and McKenzie Fawcett, vice president. In back are Casey Shippy, president, and Michael Rohde, treasurer.



Above left: McKenzie Fawcett, Skylar Forgey, Casey Shippy, and Kelsey Pravecek pose on Western Day with Earl.

Far left: Stephanie Cassel participates in the fruit race during Cowboy Olympics.

Left: Michael Rohde and Casey Shippy are in the middle of a dodge ball battle during Cowboy Olympics.

Above: Kelsey Pravecek and Casey Shippy stop for a picture while bowling at the Christmas party in Gregory.

Making Memories as...

Junior High Athletes

Junior High Cheerleaders

Cheerleaders for football and boys basketball include Taylor Dennis, Tessa Lester, Rachel Shippy, Tiffany Hauf, Becca Moorehead, Cheyenne Supik, and Shauna Pravecek.



Junior High Football

Pictured in back are Nolan Welker, Cohl Ratermann, Paul Temple, Coach Dan Forgey, Chris Hofeldt, Michael Rohde, and Jake Hrabanek.

In the middle are Colton Seegers, Ethan Hofeldt, Lane Fawcett, Terrance Kinzer, Brandon Hauf, and Brady London

In front are Austin Seegers, Cody Heath, Cole McCarty, Chase Hrabanek, Alex Hofeldt, and Thomas Kubal.



Junior High Volleyball

In back are Coach Kathy Hrabanek, Casey Shippy, Skylar Forgey, McKenzie Fawcett, Kelsey Pravecek, Tara Farley, and Assistant Coach Ashley DeMers. In the middle are Jessie Pravecek, Tessa Lester, Tracy Routh, and Shauna Pravecek. In front are Rachel Shippy, Halley Shippy, Becca Moorehead, Sarah Shippy, Lindsey Little Hoop, and Tiffany Hauf.



Junior High Boys Basketball

In back are Brady London, Chris Hofeldt, Michael Rohde, Jake Hrabanek, and Coach Brian Jorgensen. In the second row are Nolan Welker, Ethan Hofeldt, Cole Ratermann, Paul Temple, and Brandon Hauf. In front are Cole McCarty, Alex Hofeldt, Lane Fawcett, Chase Hrabanek, and Thomas Kubal.

Junior High Girls Basketball

Pictured in back are Casey Shippy, Tara Farley, Christy Shippy, McKenzie Fawcett, Kelsey Pravecek, Skylar Forgey, Coach Brian Jorgensen. In the middle row are Tracy Routh, Shauna Pravecek, Jessie Pravecek, Tiffany Hauf, and Becca Moorehead. In the front row are Rachel Shippy, Sarah Shippy, Halley Shippy, and Tessa Lester

Junior High Track

Track members in front are Paul Temple, Brady London, Brandon Hauf, Chris Hofeldt, Tessa Lester, Tiffany Hauf, Tracy Routh, Ethan Hofeldt, and Tara Farley. In the second row are Lane Fawcett, Terrance Kinzer, Austin Seegers, Becca Moorehead, Jessie Pravecek, Lindsey Little Hoop, Shauna Pravecek, Kelsey Pravecek, and Casey Shippy (mgr.). In back are Colten Seegers, Alex Hofeldt, Cole McCarty, Chase Hrabanek, Cody Heath, Jake Hrabanek, Skylar Forgey, and Michael Rohde. Coach Lyn Forgey is not pictured.

Faces of Colome Jr. High





Elementary

ess



Preschool

Casey Assman
Rhet Bertram
Lanie Bolton
Luke Bolton
Joey Cole
Owen Duffy



Michael Farmer
Saydee Heath
Baylie Hoffine
Trinity Matousek
Allan McKenzie
Linkyn Petersek



Makayla Shippy
Michael Supik
Mrs. Bonnie Fetzer
Not pictured:
Caeden Boyer



Kindergarten

Jacob Beckers
Carleen Burger
Adam Cole
Cheyenne Dougherty
Patrick Keefe
Haley Krumpus



Sara O'Bryan
Abby Pechota
Jordyn Seegers
Retta Tate
Cailob Week
Rebekah White



Mrs. Robbie Hall
Not Pictured:
Clarrissa Ringing
Shield and
Shawn Boyer



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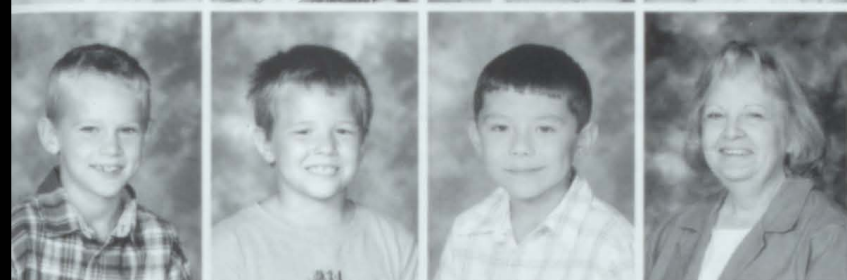
First Grade



Beau Bertram
Wyatt Cahoy
Taylor Chasing Hawk
Evan Cole
Chase Dufek
Kaydee Heath



Rayne Hermesen
Jackson Kinzer
Jaclyn Laprath
Alexa McKenzie
Riggin Shippy
Matt Sinclair

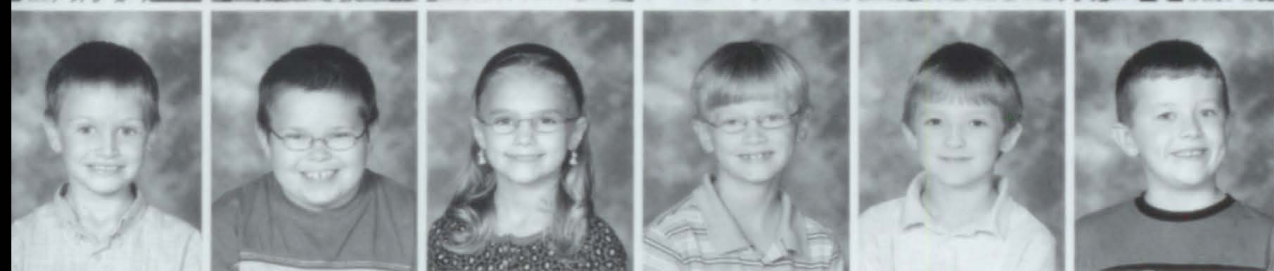


Layton Thieman
Dawson Varilek
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Mrs. Cindy Sealey
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Calvin Ringing Shield
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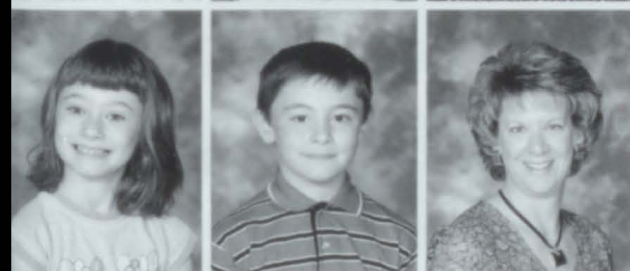
Second Grade



Cody Assman
Nash Atteberry
Kaylee Bolton
Sadie Camp
Jamin Dougherty
Elisabeth Duffy



Andrew Laprath
Trey Matousek
Maggie McCarty
Wade McClanahan
Joshua Musilek
Zane Rohde



Katie White
Jeremiah Yeaman
Mrs. Diane Harkin

Third Grade

Trevor Bertram
Will Cahoy
Larry Connot
Koty Dougherty
Callie Heath
Wiley Heath



Noah Hermsen
Nathan Krumpus
Krista Meyer
Kelly O'Bryan
Megan Seegers
Jordan Shippy



Holden Thieman
Mrs. Sandy Atteberry



Fourth Grade

Jesse Been
Reed Harter
Morgan Hofeldt
Taylor Hrabanek
Mariah Kinzer
Aaron Legge



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Thomas Kubal
Lindsey Little Hoop
Cole McCarty

Halley Shippy
Sarah Shippy
Rachel Tate
Mrs. Renee Sherman

Sixth Grade



Kasey Cassel
Christine Connot
Lane Fawcett
Terrance Kinzer
Becca Moorhead
Jessie Pravecek

Shauna Pravecek
Austin Seegers
Cheyenne Supik
Mrs. Kim Bertram



Left: The fifth graders placed second in the parade. Their saying this year was "A cowboy victory will make this a Scooper Dooper Day."

Below left: The sixth graders' float was titled "Cowboys will Ace the Sioux with their hardware." They received third place.



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Kids enjoy Club E after school

Club E met after school until 5:30, and many elementary students enjoyed the various activities that were offered during this time.

This year Mrs. Bonnie Fetzer was advisor for the program, and Mrs. Kim Bertram assisted. Student helpers were Danielle DeMers, Sara Jorgensen, Kayla Meyer, and Diann Schmuhl.

When the kids arrived, they were required to complete homework. After a snack, the kids enjoyed a variety of activities. Becky Heath and her helpers performed puppet shows for the students. Lucy Atteberry discussed nutrition and helped the kids make healthy snacks. Gail Frank brought her LEGO robots and Knex sets. On other days, the kids completed craft projects. They also had fun playing games on the school playground.

Top: Gail Frank, SDSU Youth Development and 4-H Educator, works with Jeremiah Yeaman to build a robot. In back is Jesse Been.

Left: Club E kids are building robots. On top, Danielle DeMers is helping Adam and Evan Cole with their robots. Lindsey Little Hoop looks over the plans for her robot. Krista Meyer and Sadie Camp discuss what their next step is. Vicki Larson helps Jesse Supik with his robot. In the bottom picture Allan Varilek is following directions for his robot.

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 FACS, 7-8 Math, 8th
 Language Arts
 Mary Pat Fawcett,
 Counselor
 Tanya Fletcher,
 Resource Room Aide
 Becky Heath, K-6 Music



Cheyenne Heath, 7-12
 Band and Chorus
 Brian Jorgensen,
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 Resources, Ag Science
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 Geog., Psych/Soc.
 Gail Larsen, Adm.
 Assistant



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 Ed Aide
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 8 Reading, JH
 Keyboarding, Desktop
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 Tina Schwartz, Librarian,
 7-12 Art, DDN Art
 Greg Sherman, 7-12
 Social Studies



Not Pictured:
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 Carol Slaymaker
 Lynn Thieman

Janette Shippy, 9-12
 Science
 Mende Supik, Aide
 Tammy Tate, Spanish I
 and II, Study Hall
 Bobbi Viedt,
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 Coordinator



Right: Maggie McCarty, Trey Matousek, Mrs Becky Heath, and Katie White are painting pumpkins to express how their mouths would be when they are singing to the crowd.

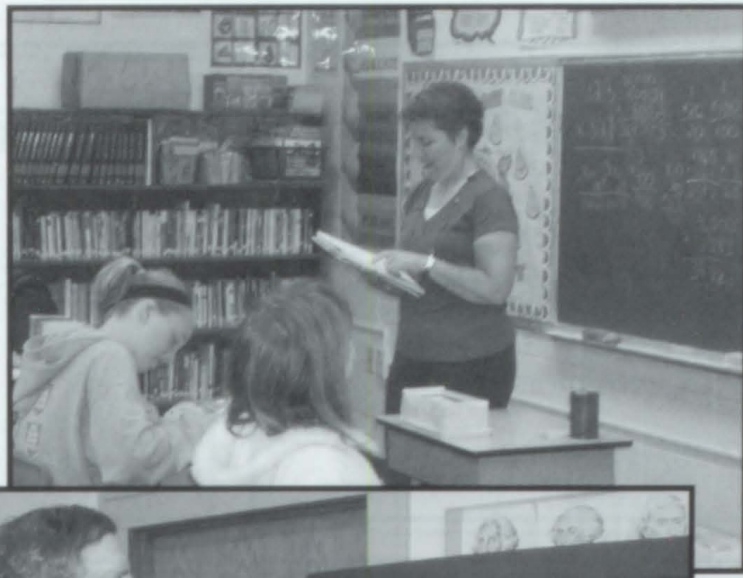


Far right: Mrs Shippy is teaching on one of the new Smart Boards that were installed in January. It was one of three that the school purchased.





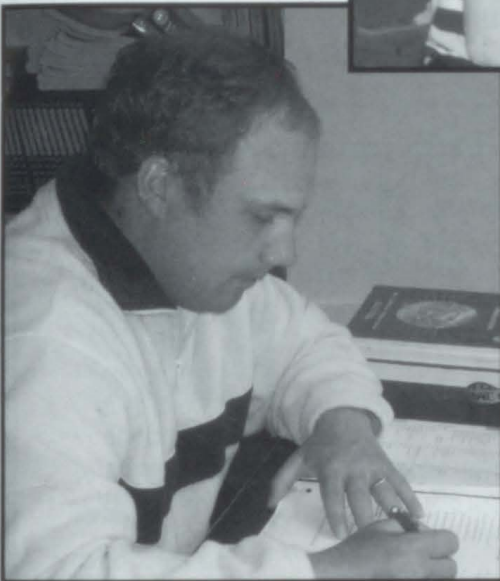
Above: Ms. Schwartz corrects art papers.



Above right: Mrs. Bertram teaches English to her sixth graders.

Right: Mr. Sherman opens a PowerPoint for a report that will be given during class.

Below: Mr. Keiser corrects some tests in his office.



As the school's business manager, Mrs. LaVonne Ring keeps track of expenses.



Below are the bus drivers and custodians. On top is Kevin Miner cooking hamburgers for the school lunch program. Miner is a bus driver and custodian. In the next picture bus driver Ken Miner is also cooking hamburgers. The bus drivers chose hamburgers as their special meal for the hot lunch program. Miner and Miner assisted by grilling the burgers. In the third picture is Stan Assman, who is also a bus driver. In the bottom picture is Roy Lilly, custodian and substitute bus driver.



The cooks take a break from preparing lunch for a picture. From left are Jeanette Miller, Dorothy Koth, Edna Jorgensen (head cook), and Carol Lilly.



Mrs. Mende Supik and Mrs. Carol Slaymaker share some love.

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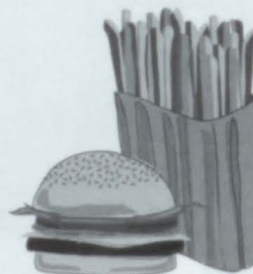
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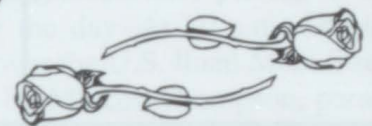
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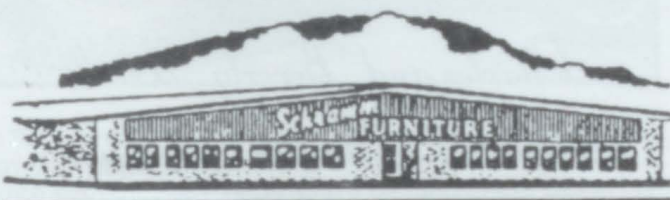
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Students pictured received awards for junior high and high school students of the month throughout the school year. In the first row are Michael Rohde, Casey Shippy, and Logan Welker, junior high students of the month. In the second row are Rachel Shippy, Tiffany Hauf, Christy Shippy, and Trevor Waters, junior high students of the month. In the third row are Erica Brill, Kristi Miner, and Todd Sherman, high school students of the month. In the fourth row are Erin Brill, Danielle DeMers, and Tasha Hauf, high school students of the month. In the fifth row are Josh Sherman and Mitch Schwartz, high school students of the month. Not pictured is Tracy Routh.

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Colome turns 100 years old

Colome celebrated its 100th birthday with a variety of activities that began on Thursday, June 12, with a wagon train.

On Friday, the wagon train continued along with a pageant that night which featured several community members who reenacted a scene from the life of Chris Colombe. A coin auction and beard contest were also held that evening. Then several people gathered north of town for a campfire and entertainment.

Saturday began with a community breakfast sponsored by the dance team. The 3-on-3 tournament also started in the morning and continued during the day. At 10 a.m. Colome residents and visitors from all over the U.S. lined Main Street to see the parade that was led by Marcus Thompson, parade marshal. Many people participated in the parade that concluded with the 50 state flags presented on horseback.

Everyone enjoyed a variety of activities in the afternoon. These events included a craft fair, a hole-in-one contest at the football field, entertainment on the Centennial Stage, self-guided city tour, tractor pull, historical display, scavenger hunt, games for the kids, rope making, cream separating, and butter churning.

A community supper began the events for the evening. The wind went down for just a little bit so that some people were able to enjoy the balloon rides. Many took a walk through the new "Welcome to Colome" sign. A dance at the Colome American Legion began at 8 p.m., and everyone enjoyed the wonderful display of fireworks at 10 p.m.

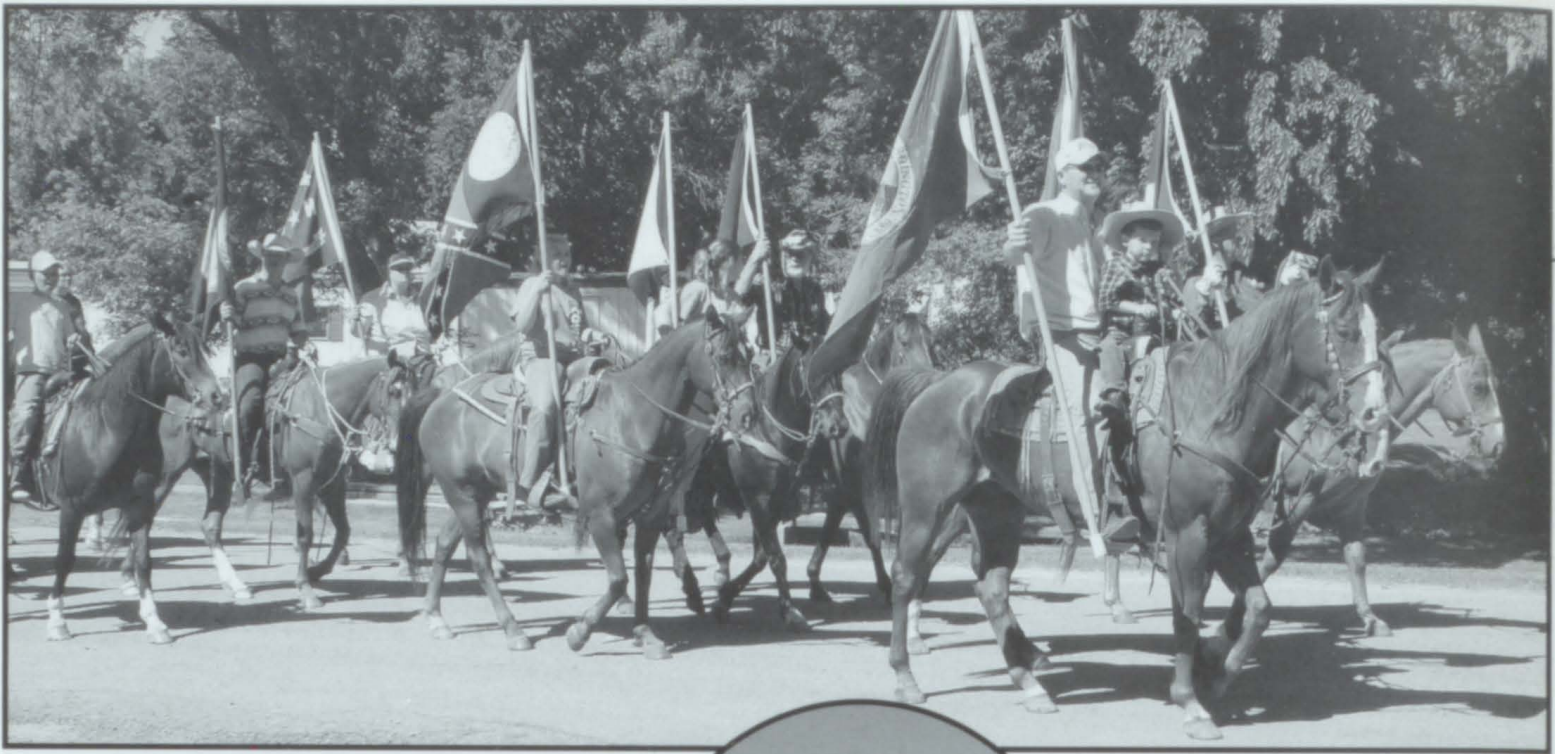
The weekend concluded with an old timers baseball game on Sunday afternoon.



Top: Sarah Shippy, Tessa Lester, McKenzie Fawcett, and Rachel Shippy dance as Bob Vrbsky plays the accordion during the Chris Colombe pageant that was presented on Friday night during the Colome Centennial.

Above middle: Tripp Co. 4-H Border Bumpers participate in the Centennial Parade on Saturday morning. Sarah Shippy and Taylor Hrabanek are riding their bicycles. In the wagon are Elisabeth Duffy, Makayleigh Shippy, and Betsy and Dale Shippy.

Above: Paul Temple drives an antique tractor in the Centennial Parade.



Scenes from the Colome Centennial

Top: Riders present the state flags in the Centennial Parade on Saturday, June 13. The fifty riders were a highlight of the parade that began at 10 a.m.

Above: The logo for the Colome Centennial was drawn by Ruth Novotny of Winner.

1. The hot air balloon is inflated so that individuals could have tethered rides. Because the wind increased, not everyone in line was able to go up in the balloon.

2. Jeremiah Yeaman and Zane Rohde ride the school float during the Centennial Parade.

3. The Centennial Sweethearts include Kathy Nicholas, Beth Croston, Becky Engel, and Debby Engel. This group performed at the pageant on Friday night and on the Centennial Stage on Saturday afternoon.

4. Evan Cole shoots the cork gun during the kids' games on Saturday. Ryan Rohde, who helped with the games, is in the background.

5. Marcus Thompson, parade marshal, takes the reins of a wagon during the Centennial Parade.

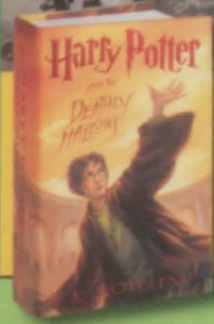
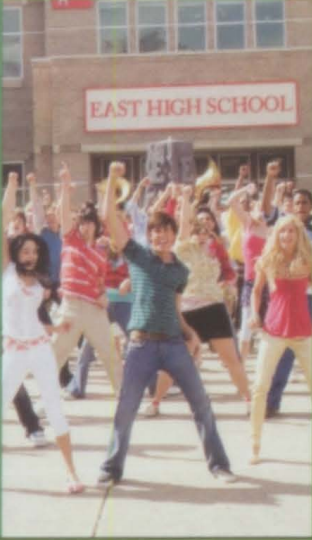
6. The wagon train started on Thursday, June 11.



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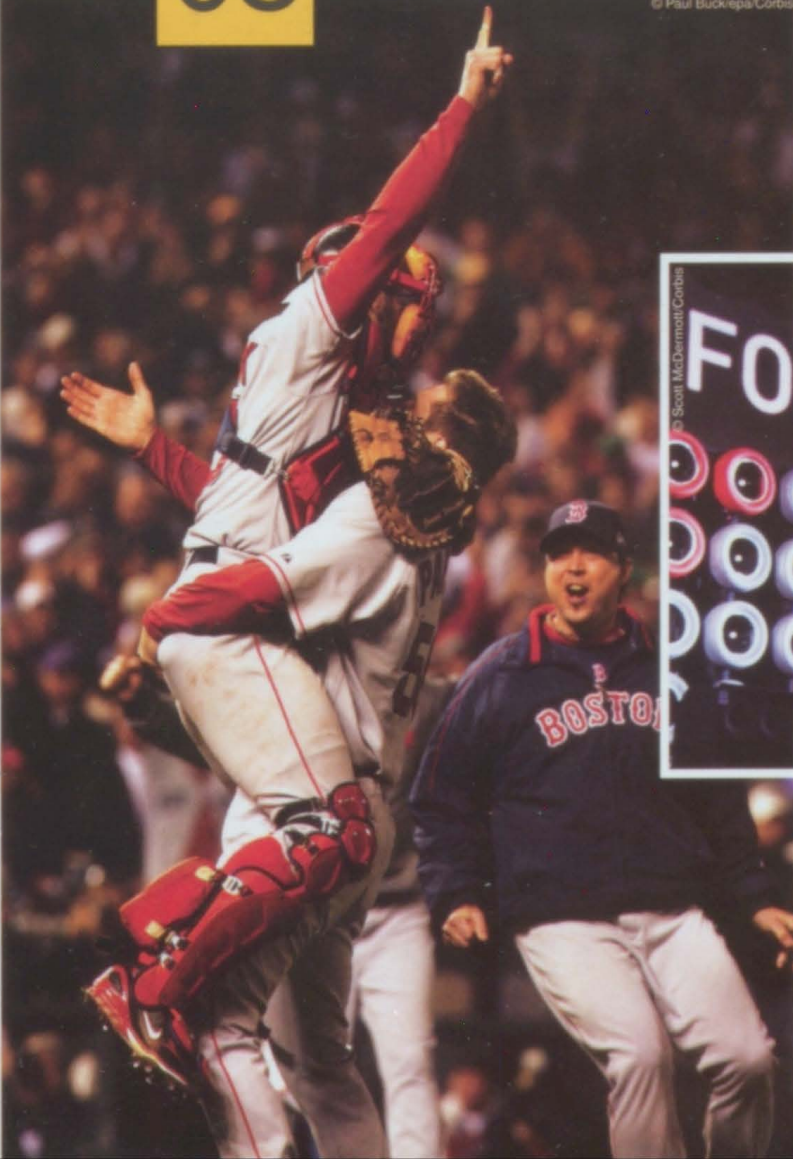
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Front Page Headlines

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▼ To ease the mortgage crisis, the U.S. Senate passes legislation allowing homeowners with delinquent sub-prime mortgages to refinance into federally insured loans.

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◀ Several cities in the southeastern U.S. are mere months away from running out of water as drought conditions persist in the region.



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▼ Six men are trapped when a Utah coal mine collapses on August 6. Ten days later, the mine collapses again, killing three rescue workers. After four weeks the search ends.

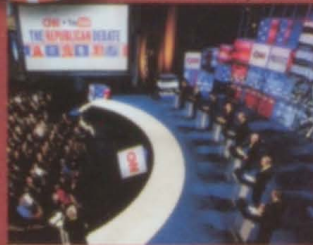
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► The U.S. Postal Service issues a forever stamp featuring an image of the Liberty Bell. It will always be valid for first class postage on envelopes weighing one ounce or less.

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▲ The Nobel Peace Prize is awarded to former Vice President Al Gore and the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change, represented by Dr. Rajendra Pachauri, for their efforts to call attention to global warming.

▼ Schools across the nation are thoroughly disinfected—and some are even shut down—to quell outbreaks of staph infections, including antibiotic-resistant strains.



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▲ In late October, Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger declares a state of emergency due to wildfires that burn more than half a million acres in southern California.

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▼ Dozens of tornadoes tear across Tennessee, Arkansas, Mississippi, Kentucky and Alabama on February 5, 2008, killing nearly 60 people.



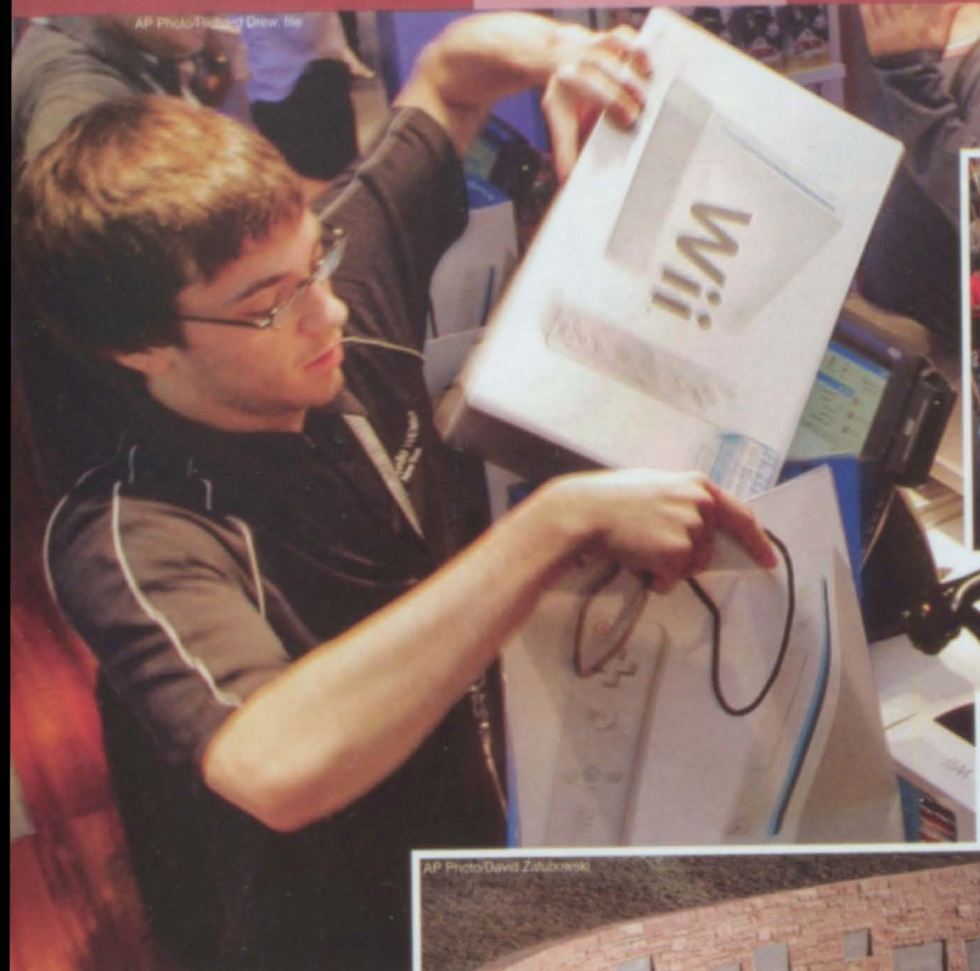
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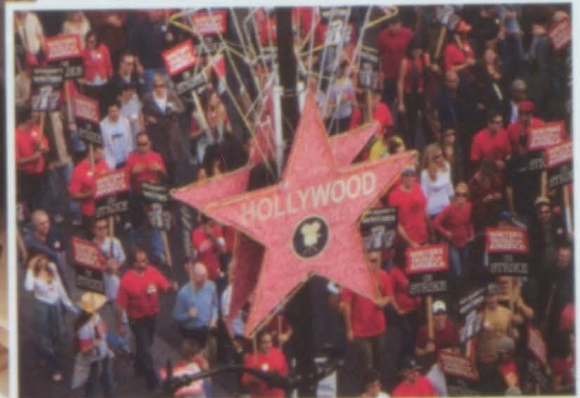
▲ American consumers lose their confidence in China's manufacturers when children's toys tainted with lead trigger widespread recalls.

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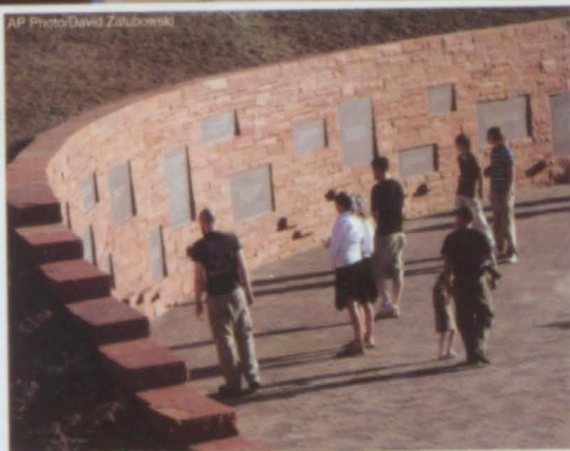
◀ The Nintendo "Wii-nomenon" sweeps the nation as the game console outplays the competition with sales of more than 13 million units.

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▲ Writers hit the picket lines and television production is halted for months when the Writers Guild of America goes on strike to protest compensation policies for new media such as iTunes downloads.

▶ In Littleton, Colorado, construction is completed on the \$1.5 million Columbine Memorial to the 13 victims of the 1999 shooting at Columbine High School.



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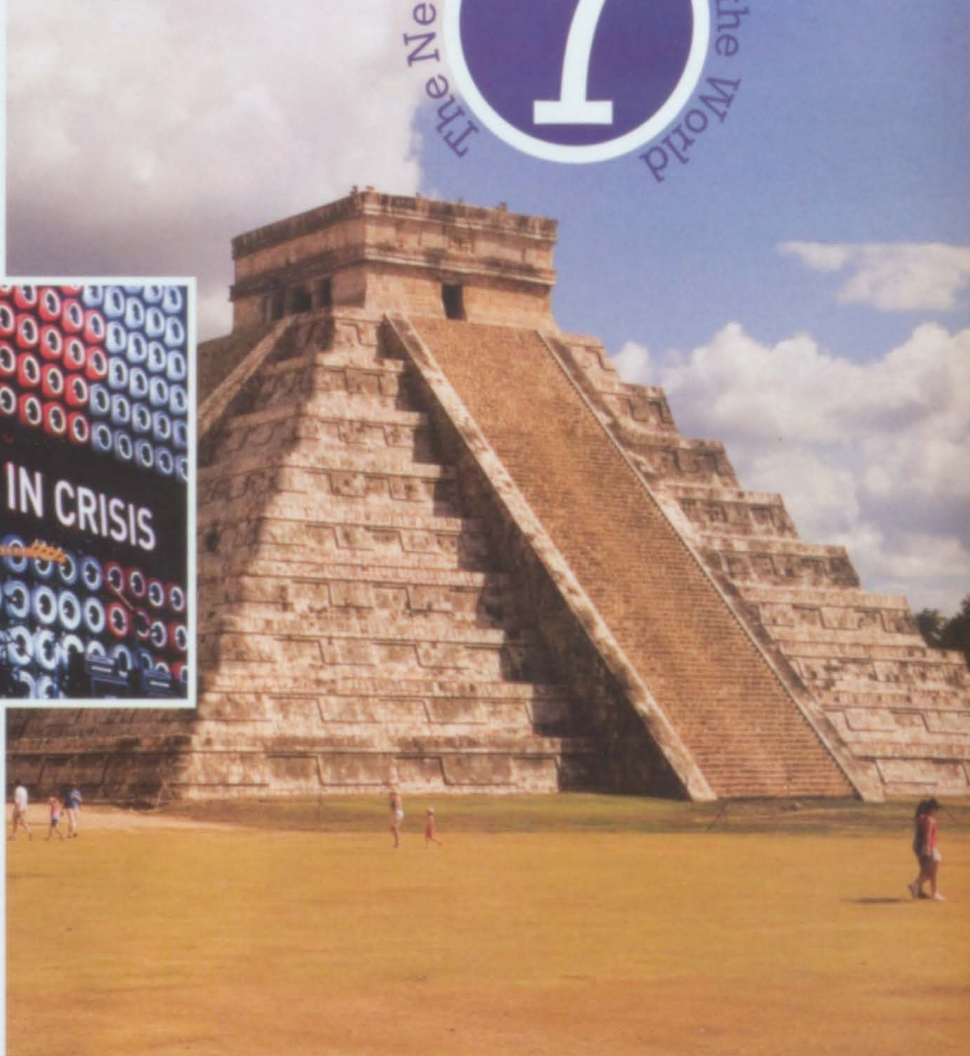
▲ On August 1, a six-lane I-35W bridge stretching across the Mississippi River in Minneapolis collapses into the river during the height of the afternoon rush hour.

Global

The New Seven Wonders of the World

- ▶ People around the world cast more than 100 million online votes to determine the New Seven Wonders of the World. The winning wonders are announced at a gala in Lisbon.
- ▼ More than 150 of the world's leading music acts perform in concerts staged around the world for Live Earth, a star-studded event to draw attention to the global climate crisis.

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- ◀ The One Laptop Per Child Foundation launches a limited-time "Give One, Get One" program to spur donations of XO \$100 laptops to children in developing nations.

- ▼ Labour Party leader Gordon Brown succeeds Tony Blair as the new Prime Minister of the United Kingdom of Great Britain.



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- ▲ The melting of the Arctic Sea ice spurs an international network of climate scientists to conclude that global warming is indisputable, and that human activity has been causing temperatures to rise since 1950.

- ▼ In December, Pakistani opposition leader Benazir Bhutto is assassinated following a political rally in Rawalpindi, Pakistan.



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- ▲ Tropical cyclone Sidr is the deadliest storm to hit Bangladesh in a decade. It destroys thousands of homes, ruins crops and forces more than a million villagers to evacuate.

Sci-Tech

▼ U.S. astronaut Peggy Whitson is the first female commander at the International Space Station.



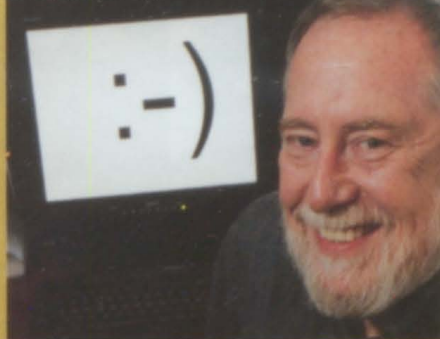
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▲ Black bears make headlines in Utah, Wyoming and New Mexico as park rangers and wilderness homeowners report raids on backpacks, tents, trash cans and even kitchens.

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◀ The digital smiley face celebrates its 25th birthday. Its inventor, Carnegie Mellon professor Scott E. Fahman, first used the icon on an electronic bulletin board in 1982.

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◀ Using mice, biologists develop a method to reprogram ordinary skin cells into all-purpose stem cells. This discovery is likely to have a positive impact on treatments for a number of diseases.

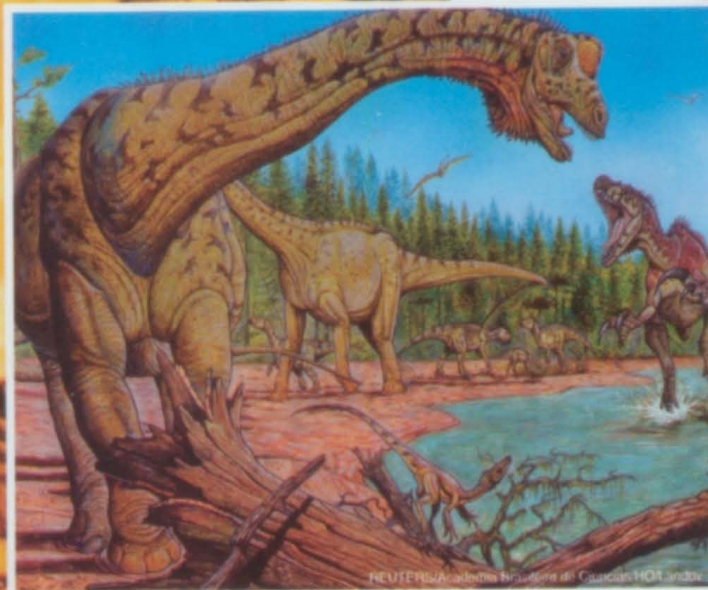


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◀ Crops are threatened when honeybee colonies in the U.S. and Europe suffer from Colony Collapse Disorder, losing up to 70 percent of their bees due to unknown causes.

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▶ In a medical experiment, salmonella germs take a ride on the space shuttle. When they return to Earth, the germs are far more lethal than their earthbound counterparts.



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◀ An excavation site in Argentina yields the fossilized remains of a previously unknown species of dinosaur, the Futalognkosaurus dukei, measuring more than 105 feet.

Lifestyle

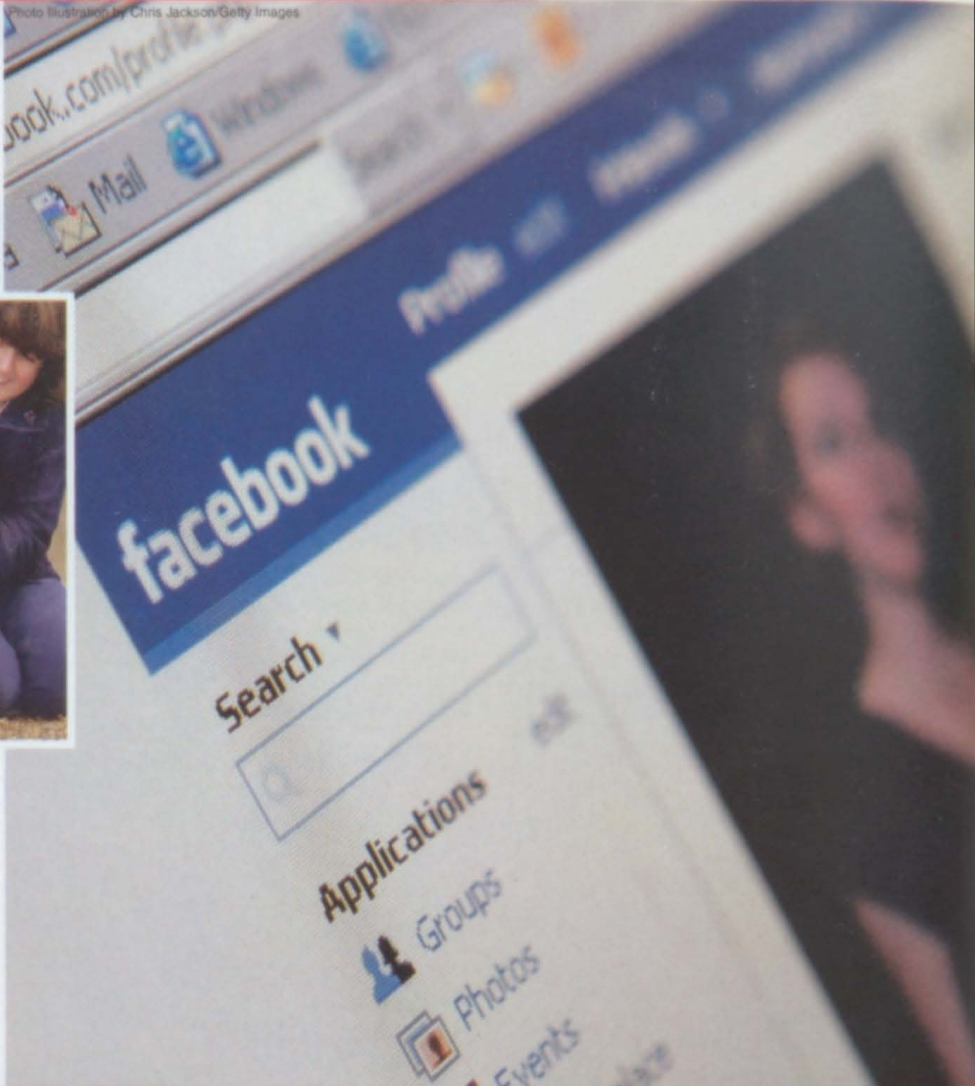
- ▶ Social networking websites continue to surge in popularity. MySpace and Facebook remain dominant as the sites of choice for young people and inspire a host of innovative imitators.
- ▼ Concerns about overweight dogs and cats hit the headlines. Veterinarians prescribe a regimen of fewer treats, more walks around the neighborhood and no people food.

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- ◀ The healthy growth trend for vitamin waters and other nutrient-boosted consumables continues with the introduction of specialized formulas for immunity, focus and more.



- ▼ User-generated content grows more popular as network television shows, mainstream musical acts and wannabe media stars join amateur home moviemakers on YouTube. One of the most-watched videos of 2007 features a feline pianist.



Nora the Piano Cat™ © 2007 Alexander & Yowl

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- ▲ Higher prices for coffee beans do not lessen the nation's craving for coffeehouses. Independents and chains alike continue to be popular with younger consumers.

- ▼ Concerns over the environment and increasing energy costs create a growing consumer demand for energy-saving, long-lasting compact fluorescent light bulbs.



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- ▼ The Apple iPhone, with its revolutionary touch screen, packs mobile phone, camera, iPod, Web browser, email and IM capabilities into a sleek, portable package.

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Trends

▼ Cute and comfy baby doll jumper tops and dresses with button straps start as a summer trend and morph into fall fashion layered over close-fitting sweaters and matching tights.



◀ The A-line silhouette comes to outerwear, as swingy trapeze coats become one of the year's most surprising fashion must-haves.



◀ Under Armor athletic apparel is a popular fashion choice for athletes both on and off the field.

▶ Fashion takes a look back to the 1980s with the return of leg warmers, worn as an accessory with short skirts or skinny jeans and fashionable ballet flats or moccasins.



▶ The ubiquitous, slouchy suede Ugg boot is reinvented with cozy knitted uppers that keep toes toasty and add a soft, tweedy, textured look to fall and winter ensembles.



◀ Quilted Vera Bradley handbags and totes sweep college campuses, sororities and high school hallways from coast to coast.



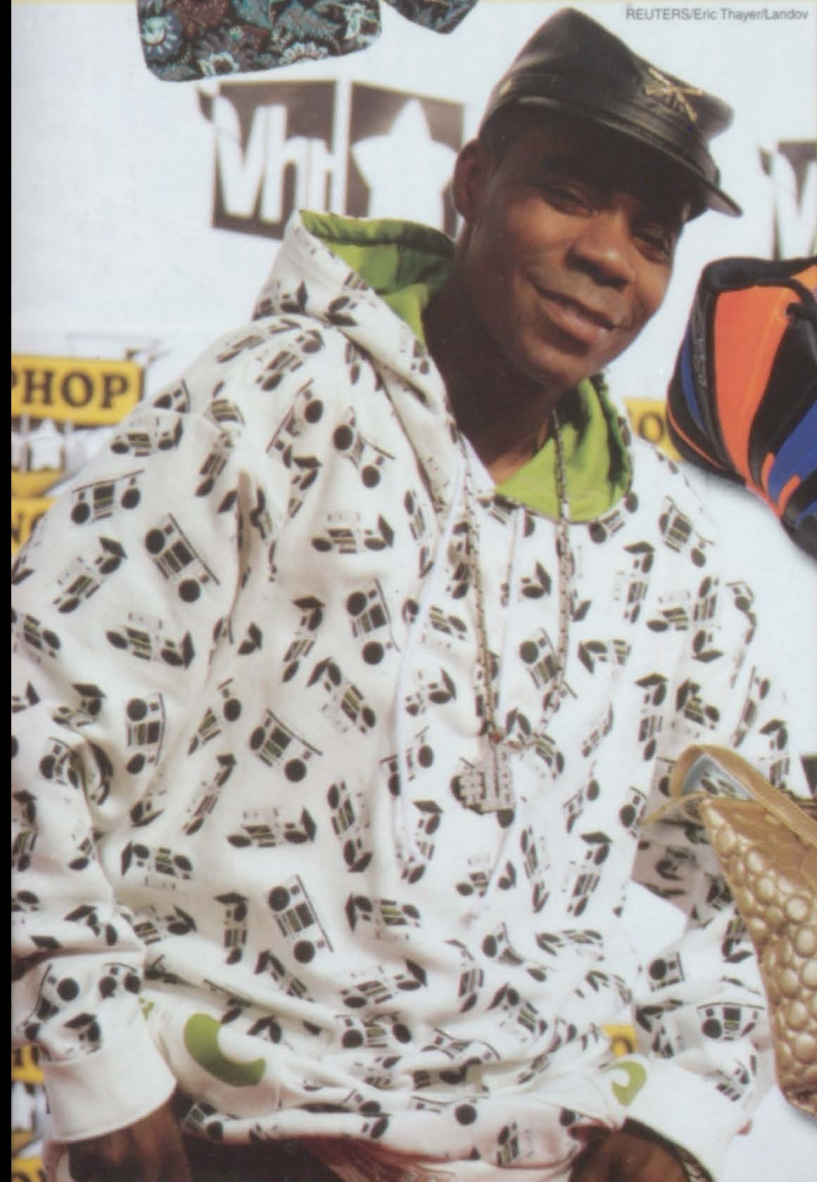
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◀ Guys sport patterned hoodies that are worn alone or layered under jackets and blazers for an edgy, urban look.



▶ Stephon Marbury inspires a host of celebrities, including Sarah Jessica Parker and Venus Williams, to battle the high-priced fashion industry by creating their own affordable apparel.

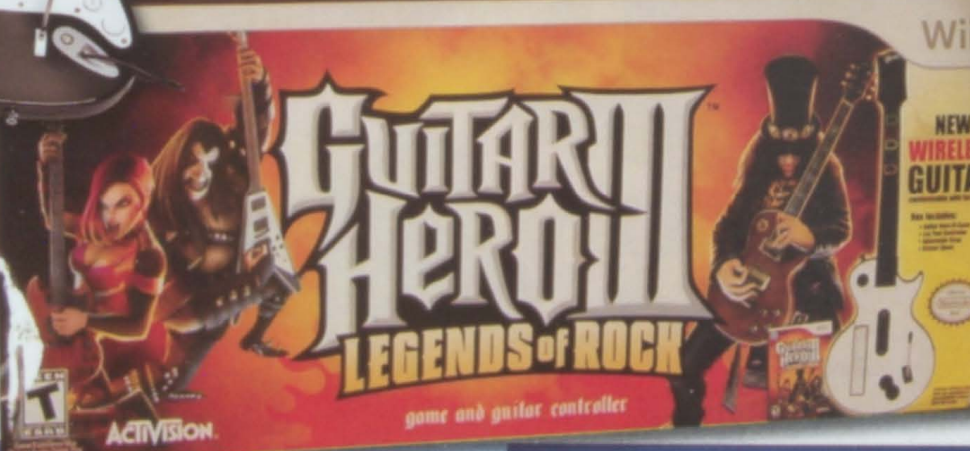
◀ The craze for oversized leather bags—in metallic shades of copper, silver and gold—inspires a trend for matching footwear in daytime and nighttime looks.



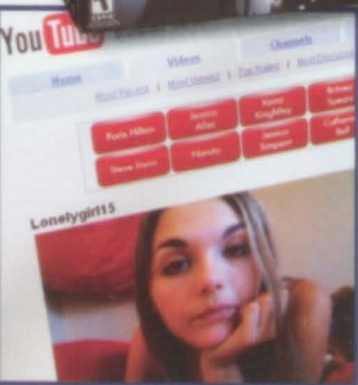
Entertainment

▼ The music video game *Guitar Hero III: Legends of Rock* is released with a soundtrack of 71 playable songs. Slash and other real-life guitarists appear as in-game characters.

▼ The music video game *Rock Band* is released for Xbox 360 and PlayStation 3. Players perform together in virtual bands, using peripherals to hit notes as they scroll onscreen.

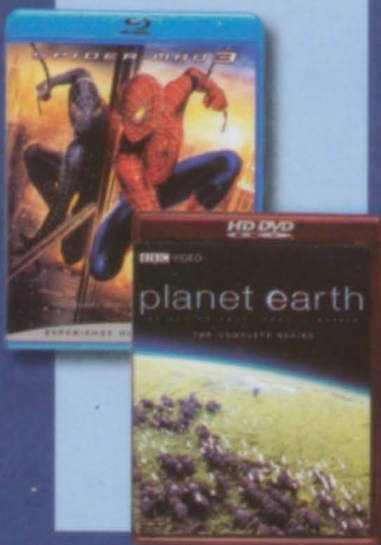


◀ Even after *lonelygirl15* is revealed as a fictitious character, her popular storyline continues for a full season as an Internet dramedy series on YouTube and MySpace.



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▼ After a two-year format war, Toshiba pulls its HD DVD product out of contention, leaving Sony Blu-ray as the sole next-generation successor to DVD.

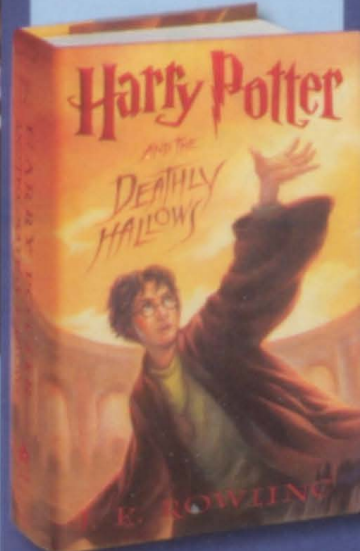


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▲ Large-scale multiplayer online gaming gives rise to virtual worlds where players interact via avatars and the computer-generated environment is similar to the real world.

▼ *Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows*, the seventh and final book in the enormously popular series, is released. Its first U.S. print run is a record-breaking 12 million copies.



▲ Beading makes a comeback as a way to relax and creatively spend time with friends.

Television

▼ The second season of NBC's *Heroes* continues the adventures of ordinary people with extraordinary powers and reveals more about the shadowy dealings of "The Company."



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▲ *High School Musical 2* becomes the highest-rated cable broadcast in the nation's history when 17.2 million U.S. viewers tune in to the Disney Channel for its debut.

▼ In the 36th season of CBS's *The Price Is Right*, host Bob Barker retires and comedian Drew Carey takes over the helm at the world's second-longest-running game show.



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▲ The NBC drama series *Friday Night Lights*, about a fictional high school football team, is taped documentary-style, without rehearsals, to give it a more authentic feeling.



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◀ On The CW, Blake Lively portrays socialite teen Serena van der Woodsen in *Gossip Girl*, a drama series that follows the lives of prep school students from New York's Upper East Side.

▶ America Ferrera, who plays Betty Suarez on the popular ABC comedy-drama *Ugly Betty*, is the first Latina to win the Emmy for Outstanding Lead Actress in a Comedy Series.



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◀ ABC's *Dancing with the Stars* rules the ratings thanks to popular celebrity participants such as Sabrina Bryan of The Cheetah Girls.

Favorite TV Shows:

Movies

▼ A 90-minute episode of *The Simpsons* takes six years to make. *The Simpsons Movie* finally makes its big-screen debut and is a major hit.

▼ Shia LaBeouf portrays a teenager who is plunged into a high-tech battle between good and evil alien robots in *Transformers*, a live action adaptation of the 1980s cartoon series.



THE SIMPSONS MOVIE



▼ *Atonement* receives seven Golden Globe nominations, including lead acting nods for Keira Knightley and James McAvoy.

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► Disney's *National Treasure: Book of Secrets* nets the third-highest box-office total ever for a Christmas weekend release.



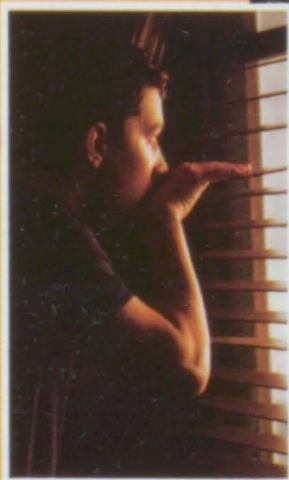
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▼ *The Great Debaters*, based on the real-life victories of a black debate team in the 1930s, receives eight NAACP Image Award nominations.

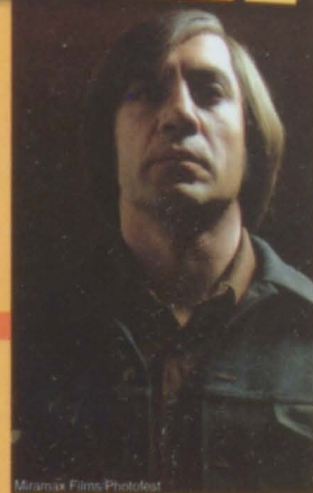


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▼ *Disturbia*, a surprise hit thriller about a bored teenager under house arrest who thinks his next-door neighbor may be a notorious serial killer, spends three weeks at the top of the box office.



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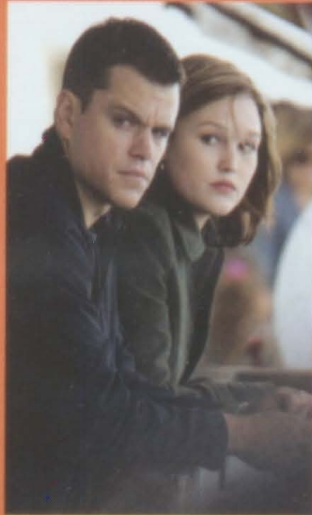
▲ Joel and Ethan Coen write and direct *No Country for Old Men*, a film adaptation of Cormac McCarthy's bleak, moody modern western novel. The film receives eight Oscar nominations.

▼ In *I Am Legend*, Will Smith is the last man alive in New York, after a man-made virus wipes out most of the world's population and turns the survivors into dangerous mutants.



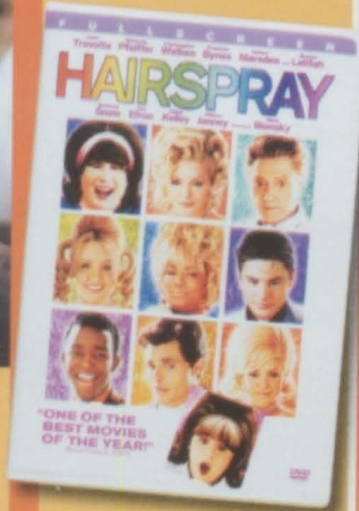
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▲ Matt Damon reprises his role as amnesiac CIA assassin Jason Bourne for *The Bourne Ultimatum*, the third film in the Bourne trilogy based on Robert Ludlum's novels.

▼ Starring Zac Efron, Amanda Bynes and newcomer Nikki Blonsky, *Hairspray* is a zany musical based on the Broadway smash hit.



Best Picture Oscar Nominations

Atonement

Juno

Michael Clayton

No Country for Old Men

There Will Be Blood

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◀ After a 19-year hiatus, Harrison Ford returns as Steven Spielberg's adventurous archaeologist in *Indiana Jones and the Kingdom of the Crystal Skull*.



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▲ Tim Burton directs and Johnny Depp stars as the title character in *Sweeney Todd: The Demon Barber of Fleet Street*, an adaptation of the hit Broadway musical.



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▲ Using a combination of live action and animation, *Enchanted* tells the story of Giselle, a fairy-tale character seeking a "happily ever after" ending in modern-day Manhattan.

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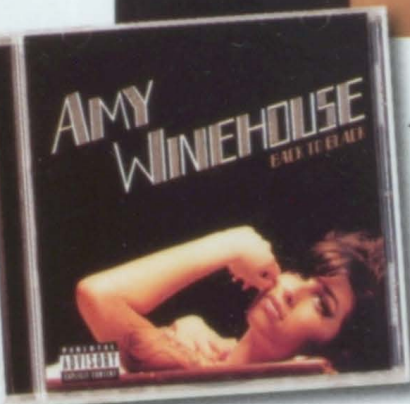
▼ Fergie continues to place singles from her triple-platinum solo album, *The Dutchess*, on the *Billboard* charts.

▼ Fall Out Boy headlines the Honda Civic tour, performs at Live Earth concerts and reaches the top of the charts with the release of their album *Infinity on High*.

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◀ British singer Amy Winehouse brings back the beehive and wins five Grammy awards for her work on *Back to Black*.

▼ Canadian pop singer Feist enjoys soaring sales for her third solo album, *The Reminder*, after the single "1234" is featured in a commercial for the iPod nano.

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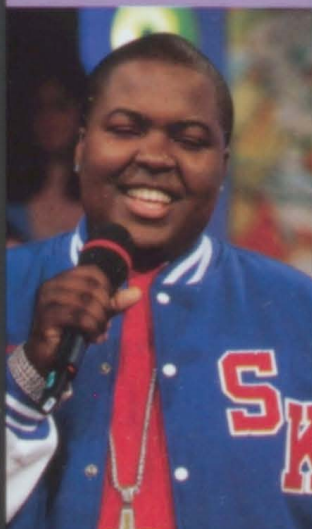


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▲ Rihanna records her third album, *Good Girl Gone Bad*, featuring Jay-Z and Ne-Yo. She receives six Grammy nominations.

▼ Newcomer Sean Kingston tops the U.S. *Billboard* Hot 100 and Pop 100 with "Beautiful Girls," his first single from his self-titled debut album.



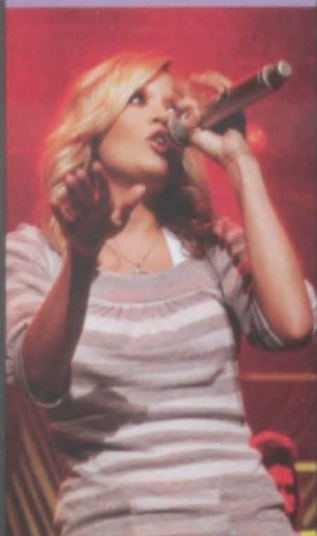
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▲ Malibu singer-songwriter Colbie Caillat rises to stardom from MySpace. Her song "Bubbly" garners more than 31 million plays and her CD goes platinum.

▼ Carrie Underwood releases her double-platinum second album, *Carnival Ride*, and contributes the Oscar-nominated song "Ever Ever After" to the soundtrack for the movie *Enchanted*.



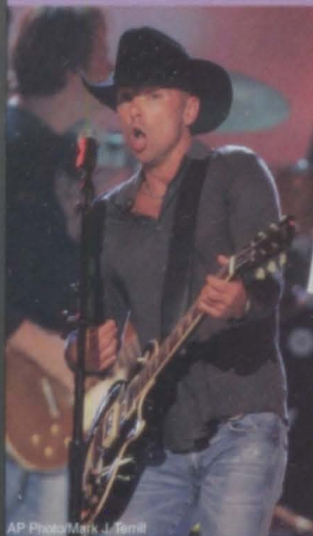
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▲ After facing off at the MTV Music Awards, rapper rivals Kanye West and 50 Cent release albums on September 11 and vie for top sales. Kanye's *Graduation* is the victor.

▼ Country star Kenny Chesney releases his 13th album, *Just Who I Am: Poets & Pirates*. His Flip Flop summer tour is the highest-grossing country tour of 2007.



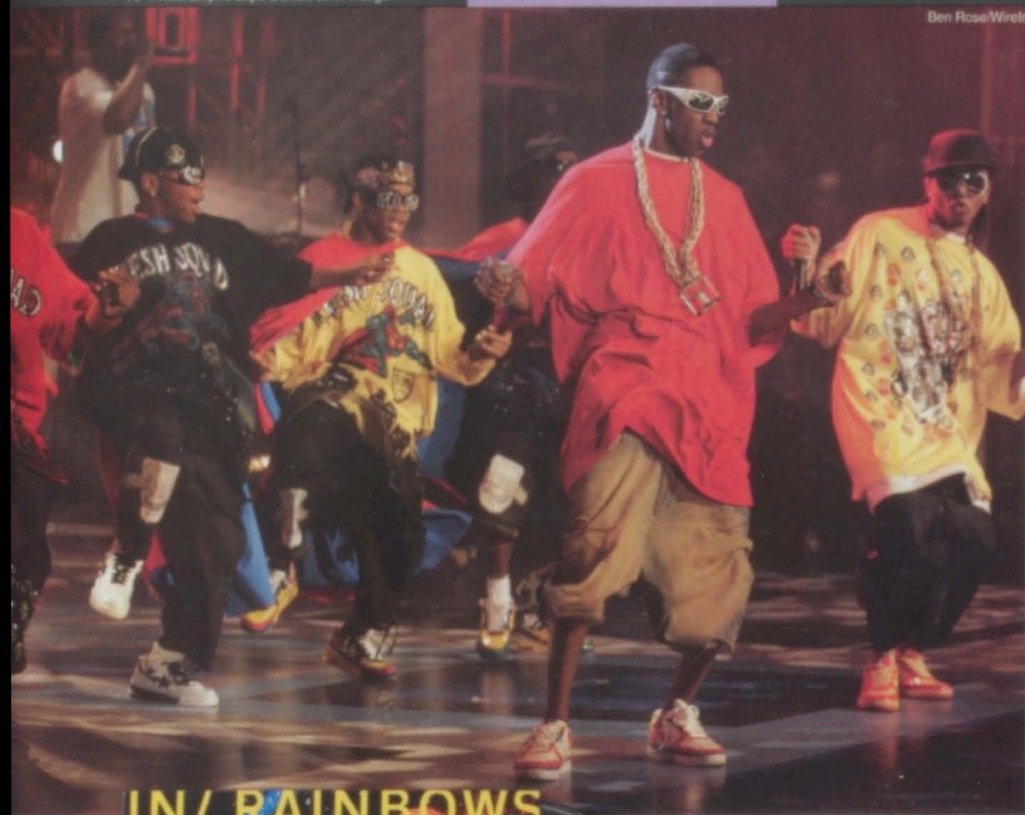
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▲ Hip-hop artist T-Pain releases his second album, *Epiphany*. The album receives four 2008 Grammy nominations and the Vibe 2007 Song of the Year Award.

◀ Soulja Boy reaches the top of the *Billboard* Hot 100 with the single "Crank That (Soulja Boy)" and his distinctive, loose-limbed dance style becomes a nationwide craze.

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▲ Punk-pop princess Avril Lavigne releases her third album, *The Best Damn Thing*, featuring "Girlfriend," her first No. 1 single on the *Billboard* Top 100.

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◀ Radiohead invites listeners and fans to pay whatever they want for a digital download of their highly acclaimed seventh album, *In Rainbows*. A "discbox" edition, with standard CD and vinyl LP, is released in January 2008.

Sports

▼ The American League Champion Boston Red Sox defeat the National League Champion Colorado Rockies in a decisive four-game sweep to capture their second World Series title in four years.

▼ Tiger Woods achieves his record 14th World Golf Championships win at the WGC-Bridgestone Invitational and claims his 60th PGA Tour win at the BMW Championship.

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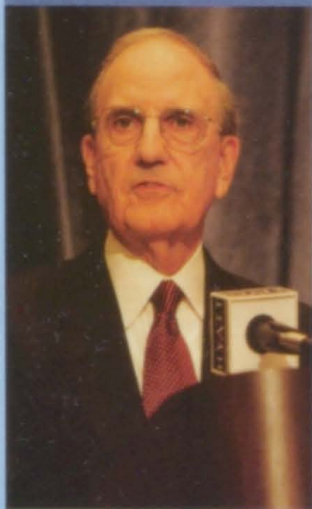
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◀ Norwegian golfer Suzann Pettersen wins five LPGA events including her first major championship in a break out season.

▼ Former Senator George Mitchell releases a list of Major League Baseball players, including seven MVPs and 31 All-Stars, under investigation for illegal use of steroids and other performance-enhancing drugs.



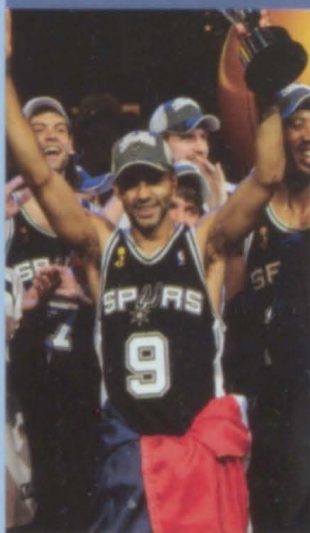
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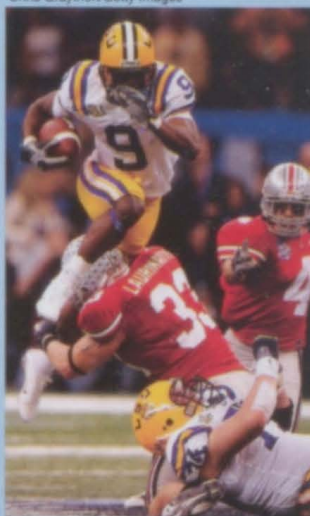
▲ At X-Games 13, Ricky Carmichael wins the first MotoX Racing Circuit, Simon Tabron does back-to-back 900s in BMX Vert and Jake Brown survives a 40-foot fall.

▼ The veteran San Antonio Spurs, led by Tim Duncan, beat the Cleveland Cavaliers and their young phenom, LeBron James, in a 4-0 sweep to win the 2007 NBA finals.



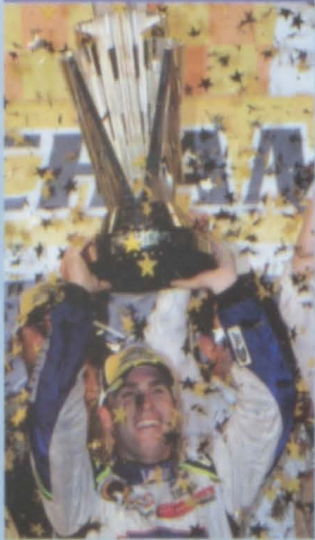
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▲ The LSU Tigers pounce on Ohio State early on their way to a 38-24 victory. LSU is the first two-loss team to compete for and win the BCS National Championship.

▼ California native Jimmie Johnson speeds to victory as the 2007 NASCAR Nextel Cup Champion, defeating his Hendrick Motorsports teammate Jeff Gordon by 77 points.



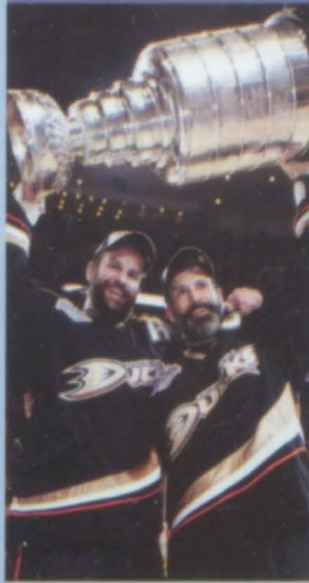
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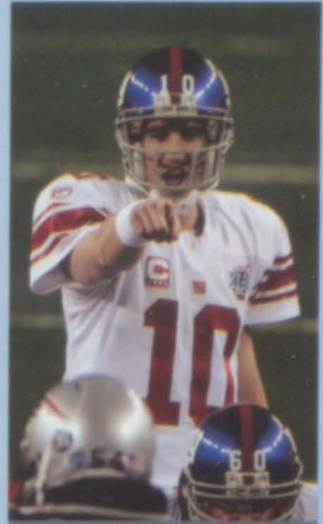
▲ Athletes from around the world train for the 2008 Summer Olympics in Beijing as the city prepares for the arrival of hundreds of competitors and millions of spectators.

▼ The Anaheim Ducks claim their first Stanley Cup, beating the Ottawa Senators in five games for the 2007 NHL championship.



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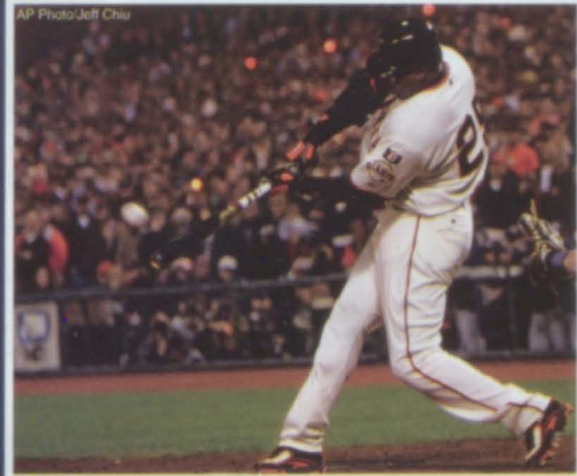
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▲ Super Bowl XLII MVP Eli Manning leads the New York Giants on a last-minute scoring drive to upset the heavily favored New England Patriots 17-14, shattering the Patriots' bid for a perfect 19-0 season.

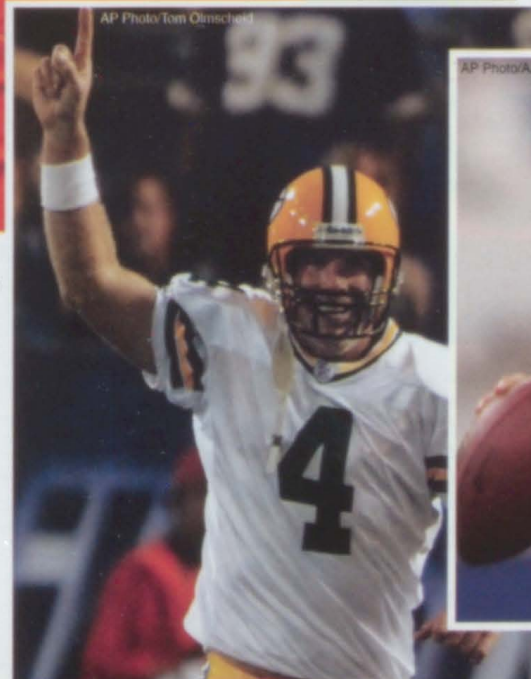
◀ Belgian Justine Henin defeats Russian Svetlana Kuznetsova 6-1, 6-3 to win her second U.S. Open title in New York.

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▲ Power hitters Barry Bonds, Frank Thomas, Alex "A-Rod" Rodriguez, Craig Biggio and Jim Thome all achieve home run milestones in their Major League Baseball careers.

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► Brett Favre of the Green Bay Packers surpasses Dan Marino's touchdown pass record with number 422. 2007 NFL MVP Tom Brady of the New England Patriots sets the single regular-season mark for touchdown passes with 50.

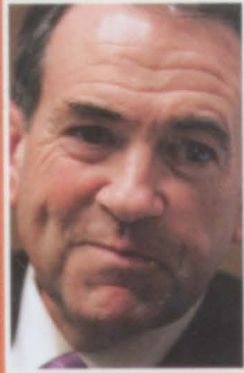
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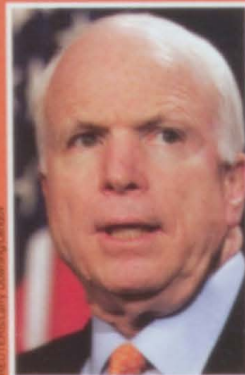
After Super Tuesday primaries on February 5, 2008, the presidential race heats up among frontrunners Hillary Clinton, Mike Huckabee, John McCain and Barack Obama.



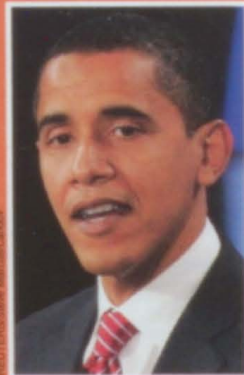
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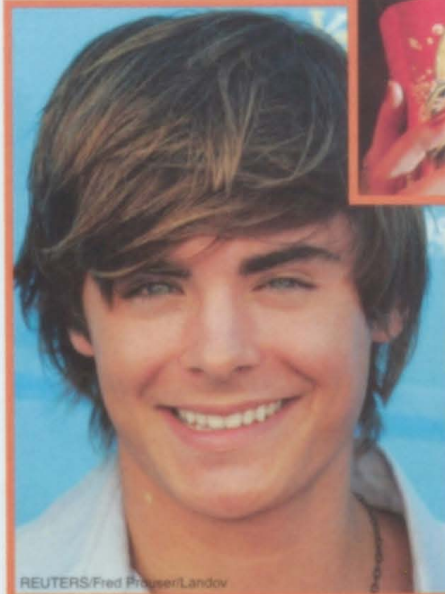


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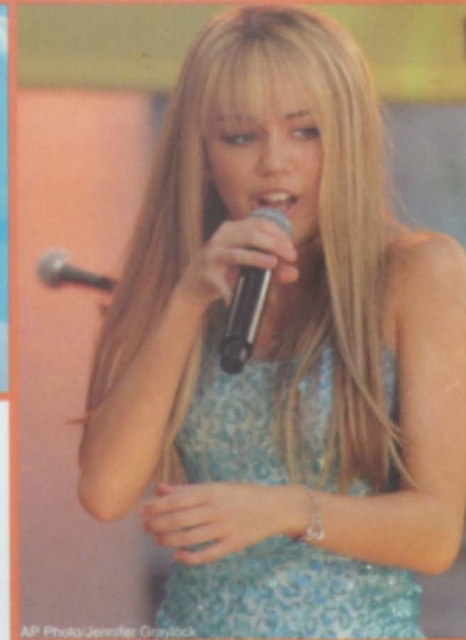
► *Entertainment Weekly* names J.K. Rowling—author of the seven-volume, 4,100-page Harry Potter series of best-selling children's books—as its Entertainer of the Year.



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▲ Heartthrob Zac Efron, who came to fame with his performance in the first *High School Musical*, becomes an even bigger teen star with the release of *High School Musical 2*.

► The Best of Both Worlds tour, starring Miley Cyrus as Hannah Montana, sells out in every city, prompting ticket lotteries, heartbroken fans and scalping scandals.



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▼ In January 2008, Academy Award-nominated actor Heath Ledger, 28, is found dead in his Lower Manhattan apartment from an accidental overdose of prescription medication.



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▲ Multi-talented star Queen Latifah becomes the latest spokeswoman for Jenny Craig. Her message isn't about getting skinny, but about losing weight to reduce the risk of Type 2 diabetes.

▼ At London's Wembley Stadium, Princes William and Harry host the Concert for Diana to commemorate the tenth anniversary of the death of their mother, the Princess of Wales.



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▲ As Izzie Stevens on ABC's *Grey's Anatomy*, Katherine Heigl is a small-screen star. As Anne Fletcher in the comedy *27 Dresses*, she conquers the big screen as well.

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