Walking through the halls of Passaic Valley, it is apparent, even to a stranger, that the student body is composed of a diverse group of people all possessing different beliefs and interests. By outward appearances alone, one can tell who are the athletes, the thespians, the artists, or the intellectuals. Yet as it is said, appearances can be deceiving and the differences between people lie beneath the exterior. These differences can be as complex as where you stand on national affairs or as simple as what town you are from. What one Totowa student thinks can be very different from what a West Paterson student thinks. Even the high school class structure varies. Juniors, for example, can be concerned most about obtaining a driver’s license where a senior is more concerned with getting college applications sent out. Looking at the big scene of things, everyone in PV has their own concerns. Not one person is the same; not one person has the same voice.

With that in mind, the staff of the Valley Green decided that this year’s yearbook should work toward bridging the differences. Realizing that our school is made up of a million different voices, we attempted to unite the masses through the use of quotes.
THE VALLEY GREEN

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"Each friend represents a world in us, a world possibly not born until they arrive, and it is only this meeting that a new world is born."
-Anais Nin
Dr. Louis R. Centolanza Ed. D.
Superintendent

Mrs. Rose Ann Cortese
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Dear Members of the Class of 2001:

As you graduate from Passaic Valley Regional High School, it is an honor to wish you well in your future endeavors. Your four years at Passaic Valley have been exciting!

As you venture into the world, it is my hope that the experiences you have gained at Passaic Valley will prepare you for future challenges.

On behalf of the Passaic Valley School Community, we wish you success in the future!

Respectfully,

Louis R. Centolanza, Ed.D.
Superintendent
"Those that know, do. Those that understand, teach."

~Aristotle
Mr. DeGroot a product of the Paterson school system, graduating from the old Paterson Central High School and later on from Montclair State College. He is a veteran of the United States Army and, in fact, taught Geometry while in there. Early in his career, he taught in the Belvedere School System before arriving here at Passaic Valley around 1964. While at PV he has coached baseball, football and hockey and has served as an advisor to the Student Government. He has been an active member of the Passaic Valley Education Association, including serving as its President and Vice President. He is presently a practicing artist and has had several of his own art exhibits throughout New Jersey.

While these are the biographical facts about this teacher - all important and all worth noting - it is more so the personal facts that have made him a special teacher to us all. Although his talent and love for art have been an inspiration to many students, there are so many of his other qualities that have provided us with such inspiration. It has been his combination of humor and constant encouragement that have made him such a special part of our high school experience. It is the way he has helped us to recognize that every person we meet knows something that we don’t and we should learn from them. It is how he has taught us to never give up on what we really want to do because big dreams give us the power to succeed. It is the way his examples have inspired us to think big thoughts but relish small pleasures.

The Class of 2001 is honored and privileged to dedicate our yearbook to Mr. William DeGroot because he has been such a special part of our high school years and a special part of our lives.

"it is art, and only art, that reveals us to ourselves."
And gives us what we have earned.”

Mr. Malone earned his Bachelor's Degree in 1967 and Masters Degree in 1973, both from Montclair State College, he has seen a remarkable number of distinguished accomplishments throughout his career. From his efforts that brought about a First Place finish in the 1976 Passaic County Math League to his being named by the students at MIT as the Most Influential Teacher for four years, he has been identified with various successes. He has been recognized for his achievements and rewarded throughout his teaching career from the Governor's Teacher Recognition in 1995 to being named Exemplary Educator from 1985 through 1990 to his receiving the Outstanding Teacher Award from the University of Chicago for his contributions to education. He has been a major contributor to the establishment of the Kenneth Malone Mathematics Scholarship and has served as Chairman of the Suchowsky Scholarship Committee. In 1976 he became head of the Mathematics Department here at PV, a position he holds to this day.

However, what adds even more to all of these distinguished accomplishments is the care and the compassion that he has shown for his students here at Passaic Valley. He has always given of himself to help all of us succeed and to teach us to always try our best, not only in the subjects of math but in all that we undertake in our lives. He has inspired us not to cut corners and to trust in ourselves and in our own abilities. He has provided an example for us of what being a good teacher, an involved human being and a person of integrity means. He has helped us to remember that how you say something is as important as what you say.

It is because of all this that the Class of 2001 wishes to dedicate this yearbook to a special teacher, Mr. Kenneth Malone. At the end of this academic year, Mr. Malone will retire from his career here at Passaic Valley. With that retirement we wish to thank him for his sincerity and his caring throughout his days here at PV. By way of this dedication, we wish him continued success, happiness and peace and thank him again for making his mark on our lives and on Passaic Valley.

“arithmetic is a certain and infallible art”
"You know what I'm sayin?" — Mrs. Sheryl Brown

"Mmm Kay?" — Mr. Robert Block
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"In education, we are striving not to teach youth to make a living, but to make a life." — William Allen White

"We must open the doors of opportunity, but we must also equip our young people to walk through those doors." — L.B.J.

"You can teach a student a lesson for a day, but if you can teach him to learn by creating curiosity, he will continue the learning process as long as he lives." — Clay P. Bedford
“At the desk where I sit I have learned one great truth. The answer to all our national problems — the answer to all the problems of the world — comes down to a single word. That word is education.” — Lyndon B. Johnson

“You guys are the best!”
— Mrs. Mary Ann Duke

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"Learning learns but one lesson: Doubt!" — George Bernard Shaw

"Education is the ability to listen to almost anything without losing your temper or your self-confidence." — Robert Frost

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"If I had a child who wanted to be a teacher, I would bid him godspeed as if he were going into war. For indeed the war against prejudice, greed, and ignorance is eternal, and those who dedicate themselves to it give their lives no less because they may live to see some fraction of the battle won." — James Hilton

"Muy bien, perfecto!" — Ms. Ann Marie Intilli

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"You should have thought of that before!" ~ Mr. James Millar

"Have a nice weekend. Be good! I'll miss you!" ~ Ms. Yvette McNeal

"There is one kind of co-education that everyone believes in ---- the co-education of teachers and students!" ~ John Dewey

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"Brava!" "Sin of omission." ~ Dr. Tina Pantano

"You can not teach a man anything, you can only help him find it within himself." ~ Galileo Galilei

"If you tell a child something, she will know it for a day ... but if you teach a child something she will remember it for the rest of her life." ~ unknown
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"Education is the discipline for the adventure of life." — Alfred North White

"Experience is a teacher who never tells you what your next lesson will be." — unknown

"All you have to do in life is lift weights, drink water, and run." — Mr. John Salerno
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"Man's mind stretched to a new idea will never go back to its original dimensions."
~ Oliver Wendell Holmes

"To teach --- is to give life, and to this life, give meaning."
~ unknown

"Interesting" ~ Mr. Sal Sileo
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“It is more important for a teacher to be a stimulant than to be important.” – unknown

“One good teacher can make all the difference in a child’s life.” – unknown

“That was a joke.” “You know that kind of thing.” – Mr. Charles Ward

FACULTY & STAFF/31
“Life moves pretty fast. If you don’t stop and look around once in awhile, you might miss it.” ~Ferris Bueller, Ferris Bueller’s Day Off
"It's Halloween everyone's entitled to one scare" - Halloween
Underclassmen

"Life is what happens to you while you're busy making other plans." - John Lennon
Freshman Class Officers: President - Brandon Schreck, Vice President - William Bertolero, Secretary - Jamie Christopher, Treasurer - Peter Campilango, Historian - Valery Vera

Freshman
Class Advisors

Mrs. Dellano

Mrs. Mulcahy

Class Officers

President: James Destefano, Vice President: Paul Bowie,
Secretary: Cortney Dellotto, Treasurer: Billy Enright, Historian: Amanda Durocher
continues on.

Sophomore Means “Wise Fool.”

Class Of 2003
Juniors

Class Advisor: Mr. Fitzgerald; Class Officers: Catherine Tice, Michael Reddin, Marlene DelCarpio, Michael Depsee, Melissa Strignile; Class Advisor: Ms. Mazzuca
almost there!

"The mind has exactly the same power as the hands; not merely to grasp the world, but to change it." Colin Wilson
Steve wakes up early to brush his pearly whites for the women.

After flexing for several minutes in the mirror, Steve jumps in the shower. (NO PEEKING LADIES!!)

Feeling extremely fresh and clean, Steve puts on his best shirt and heads off to school.

Being the scholar that he is, Steve sits down to take a test in one of his less demanding classes, Quantum Physics.

After showing his intelligence in the classroom, Steve heads to gym to show off his athletic ability in a rigorous game of "Pickle Ball."

Working up an appetite, Steve sits down for a nutritious lunch consisting of Doritos and Slush Puppies.

At night, Steve slaps on his tights and heads off to the Ballet, where he performs his very own solo.

After a long day of schooling, sports, and dancing, Steve retires to his bed where he dreams of flowers and sugar plum fairies.
while we are making other plans.” - Allen Saunders

Sucking his thumb and clutching his dolls, Steve’s day begins in the wee hours of the morning.

Who doesn’t do Literature homework at 5:03 AM?

Steve, apparently still tired from his early morning, gives new meaning to “waking up on wrong side of the bed” during first period.

a day in the life of

After a long day of school, Steve and Mr. Caterpillar treat themselves to a little nap on the couch.

STEVE OVADIA

Clearly refreshed, Steve and a friend visit a local park to do some bird watching.

Raw meat sizzling on a hibachi. Dinnertime!

Hmmm ... maybe that meat wasn’t cooked enough.

And, finally, Steve in all his shining glory!
"You can't always get what you want ... but if you try sometimes, you'll find you get what you need." Rolling Stones

The student body insisted that Kristin Armato and Joe Psota appear in a picture together ... it is still alleged that they were separated at birth.

After years of abuse, Mike Piccirillo asked for the opportunity to strike back at his giant sized nemesis, Stephen Sylvester ... he might have finally tamed the beast.

Everyone demanded to see Billy Palumbo eating muffins ... and now he's up to his ears crumbs.
Lee Urgo and Tom Yutko wanted to see Chris and Craig Wright act like they do when no one is watching ... who would've thought?

Levi's wanted to see John Kilpatrick wearing jeans ... now he refuses to wear anything that isn't denim.

Sara Nowon wanted to see Tom Yutko wearing something besides Abercrombie and Fitch ... but he realized he didn't have anything else in his closet.

John Kilpatrick wanted to see Lee Urgo apologize to someone for once ... but you can only lead a horse to water, you can't force him to drink.
"To us, family means putting your arms
around each other and being there” — Barbara Bush
"When I find myself fading, I close my eyes and realize my friends are my energy." ~
friends
"A true friend never gets in your way, unless you happen to be going down."
"Activity is contagious." - Ralph Waldo Emerson

Top 10

Chris Sterba

Lisa Marie Batelli

Erin English

Thomas Roskop

Kelly Wenz

"Now, I am involved, I feel infinite."
top ten most involved

Amer Khalil

Most Involved

Adam Rivera

Daniel Cook

- The Perks of Being a Wallflower

Jamie Cole

Jaclyn Wagniere
top 12 most wanted ... academically

Disorderly conduct - Daniel Cook

Damage to school property / vandalism - Amanda Richardson

Deviant behavior - Lee Urgo / Sara Nowen

Class cuts - Julie Molinari
Continued willful disobedience / defiance of authority - Damian Potenzone

Inappropriate language directed at staff - Kelly Billig

Possession of tobacco products - Christopher Miller / Nicole Morino

"Ranks are as of September 2000" - Jon Semcer

Possession of gambling paraphernalia - Craig Wright / Jared Noordyk / Christopher Wright

"No great genius have ever existed without some touch of madness." - Aristotle
“Get action, do things; be sane; don’t fritter away your time; create, act, take a place wherever you are and be somebody: get action.”

~President Teddy Roosevelt
Directed by Jeff Budd

"I never spoke to the woman. They've lived in that house for three years, and I never exchanged a word with her."

"Give me your report card. Give it to me dammit, or I'll beat your face in!"

Christopher Sterba, Melinda Gregory, Jamie Cole, Carissa Caruso, Rachel Russo, Brian Fusco, Thomas Roskop

"Definitely Carol Lombard."

Right: "In Mr. Murphy's house? You were just there? Why?"
"If I told her I just lost both my hands in an accident she'd say 'Go upstairs and wash your face with your feet'."

"... I wanted to meet this Murphy fella. A stranger comes in he likes to meet another man. Makes him feel comfortable."

"And so Stanley began his sad story ..."

"Believe me, there is no leg that's twisted or bent that is more crippling than a human who thrives on his own misfortunes."

"I have a little stomach cramp. Maybe I'm getting my ladies."

"Why? Don't you think we hurt our parents? You don't remember how momma cried when Celia left home? Sure, it hurts but if you love someone, you forgive them."
2001 holiday concert

"One likes to believe in the freedom of music, but glittering prizes and endless compromises shatter the illusion of integrity." - Rush
"Life is what you make of it." - Mr. James Millar
White Chief - Jackie Wagniere

White Victories
Exercise
Cheering
Relays
Volley-Cage
The Night

Relay Heads - Melissa Strignile and Angelica Rodriguez

Rocky
Exercise Heads - Jackie Puluse and Megan Minieri

Zombies
Cheering Heads - Diana Campilango and Kathy Tice

Volley Cage Heads - Stephanie Sala and Stephanie Leporini

Broadway Divas
Dance Heads - Marisa Beagin and Jessie Foster
Show

Green

Killer Clowns
Cheering Heads - Fran Cerrigone and Martha Bitar

Volley Cage Heads - Jamie Cole and Michelle Reilly

Broadway Babies
Dance Heads - Nicole Okragly and Jaimie Gulla

Green Victories
Dance Posters

Relay Heads - Heather Kudlach and Katie Shark

Criminals
Exercise Heads - Roberta Hruby and Kelly Meisberger
“A good journalist is a rewarding sight ... He must have a zest for events ... He must have a dedication to facts and a scent of humbug ... He must cultivate skepticism while avoiding cynicism ... He must learn to cover ... causes for which he can have no sympathy but must not display loyalty ... He must be incorruptible ... He must go where he is not wanted, and be resistant to those who are too welcoming. And for all of this, his hours will be long, his pay inadequate, and his standing in the community not particularly high.” -Thomas Griffith, *Time*

So maybe they don’t write for a professional newspaper or even get paid for their efforts, but the Valley Echo staff fits Thomas Griffith’s definition of a journalist. As the eyes and ears of the school, they are dedicated to keeping students informed about school, community, and world events. Yet their job doesn’t just end at writing the news; it involves much more than that. The newspaper staff members are responsible for developing story ideas, interviewing students and faculty, designing layouts, and putting together the final product that is distributed throughout the building. Without the dedicated work of the Valley Echo staff, the school would lack a student voice.
"All the news that's fit to print."
- N.Y. Times

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Right & Second from top: Tom Yutko blending in with his surroundings. Right: Allen Soohoo's magic smile. Far Right: Traci Gerardi and Mike Hellegers taking a moment out of their argument for a pleasant picture.

"Everybody's working for the weekend." - Loverboy
Above: John Kilpatrick praying for a later deadline; Below: Kramer watching over everyone; Below Right: P.V.'s master sports anchor.

From bottom left: Dan Pushchak and Nicole Tramutola working hard, while Joe Ott is hardly working.

"Steer me right." - Aaron Neville
what is art?

Art is a hands on activity for the heart.

Art is using the creative in-stead of the organizational parts of your brain. Get out of the mundane ad into what looks and "feels" good.

Art is history, math, science, English, business, language, physical education, home economics and technology, plus a great concert all rolled up into one big ball. J. Mercadante

Art is the aesthetic dimension of energy. Fluid or non-fluid, all energy radiates art but this does not imply it is always realized. In many ways perception of art is a personal validation which only remains its own eternal truth for as long as the perception. D. Lerro

Art is a program which allows many students to display their talents for which they sometimes don't receive credit due. J. Mizzone

Art is a process of thinking. A mean of coming up with new and unique ideas. Michelangelo probably stated it in the simplest of terms when he said, "Man paints with his brain, not with his hands." W. DeGroot

Art is in the eye of the beholder.
Art is poetry without words. Y. McNeal

Artists clockwise from top left: J. Psota; K. Petchtubin; S. Nowen; J. Goldberg; R. Stampone; (above) S. Leporini; (below) K. Wenz (12); K. Wenz (11)
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“I don’t know the future. I didn’t come here to tell you how this is going to end. I came here to tell how it’s going to begin.”

~Neo, *The Matrix*
"Talkin' bout my g.g.g. generation."

The Who
Douglas Wright 1969
Claudia Amador 1971
Parents Of: Chris & Craig Wright

Robert T. Frey 1966
Mary Woods 1971
Parents Of: Kathleen Frey

Greg Noordyk 1970
Linda Luzzi 1972
Parents Of: Jared Noordyk

Robert J. Irvine 1977
Lisa Guaimano 1982
Parents Of: Nicole Irvine

Peter Campilango 1974
JoAnn Solla 1977
Parents Of: Diana Campilango

Bob Bird 1977
Cheryl Andrews 1976
Parents Of: Adam Bird
Donald Andrews
1952
Anna Marie Gaita
1954
Grandparents Of: Adam Bird

William Berlotero
1968
Lenore Galorenzo
1969
Parents Of: Kristin Berlotero

Karen Hack
1975
Peter Manitone
1970
Mother & Step-Father Of: Lauren Cifrodello

Donald Apolito
1967
Angela Giangrasso
1970
Parents Of: Scott Apolito

William Berlotero
1968
Lenore Galorenzo
1969
Parents Of: Kristin Berlotero

Karen Hack
1975
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1970
Mother & Step-Father Of: Lauren Cifrodello

Robert Oxley
1967
Anna Marie Foresta
1968
Parents Of: Ann Oxley
babies are way to
such a nice start people" -
don herold
our class advisors

"Without counsel plans go wrong, but with many advisors they succeed."

~ Proverbs 15:22

Dear Class of 2001,

For the past four years, it has been my honor serving you as your class advisor. I will always have fond memories of you especially the car washes, the dances we planned, and the Great Adventure trips, just to name a few. I have watched each of you grow as individuals and as a class. Although this is the end of your high school career, it is the beginning of new and exciting endeavors. It is my hope that you will not only take what you have learned in classes and from books, but also the lessons learned from each other. May each of you continue to reach for your goals no matter how high or complicated they seem. Enjoy every step along the way. It is my hope for each of you that your lives are filled with happiness, success, and good health. May you always look back on your years at Passaic Valley with a smile. Remember the great times, friends, and memories and I want to wish you all the best in your years to come.

Sincerely,
Sal Sileo

To The Class of 2001,

You are very special. We sensed that from the very first class meeting when you were only freshman, listening eagerly to candidates speeches and details about the social events in your high school future. You were enthusiastic about everything you did; dances, carwashes, towel sales, Great Adventure and even more exciting for me - Chemistry. Even for those who were not "Science People", I appreciated your enthusiasm and spirit. I told you that you were THE BEST classes I had ever had. That holds for all of you - You are the BEST. You have spirit all your own.

Keep that message with you always. Be the best at whatever you choose to do in life or whatever life chooses FOR you. That is the hardest challenge, but also the most important. Keep that great attitude and success will follow you. I will always remember you that way and I expect great things from all of you.

Best Wishes,
Eileen Sullivan

"Can we all take a seat?"

~ Sal Sileo
class of 2001

Vice-President

Jaclyn Marie Wagniere

“Wag”

Ambition: Elementary Education. Memories: 4 yrs vsoedy wr Chief!!! AngTurkey 4bem ther bffs. Tums aways have aplace inmy heart. 310 Love! mom dad jeff banana 4always believing inme luvu.

Secret Ambition: Always be a first rate version of myself, instead of a second rate version of someone else.

President

Bernard Christian Cjongoli

“Bernie, Bingo, Rev.”

Ambition: Emergency Medicine, Memories: 2AllMyFriends Thanks4AllTheMemories! AVx2, SC, JK, JS, DB, SS, FT, CD, RH Friends4Life! Mom, Dad; & Melissa- Thanks4UrLove&Support LoveU! Secret Ambition: To always keep my parents smiling! National Honor Society

Secretary

Kelly Dawn Wenz

“Wendy, Cozagirl, Princesa”

Ambition: Art- To create, teach, and inspire; Memories: 4yrssrloop 90Camela' chairtrkr, shpresaart! NashCv AKDeSI kimeln lavau! Thx soundaktrgrain- Good luck to all keepsmiling! Secret Ambition: To Perform on Broadway. National Honor Society

Treasurer

Craig Wright

“Gus”


Secret Ambition: “To look the world in the eyes and fear no man.” National Honor Society

Historian

Christopher Wright

**Joseph Vincent Agnes**

*"Kahlo, Agnathy***

**Ambition:** Pre-Law

**Memories:** 3 yrs PilChillin WSM, TR, JT, DB, RC, SS, MD, RS, MD, SW, BP, MBA All the Girls Ll!!

**Secret Ambition:** To be Pure Platinum.

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**Jamie E. Alessio**

*"Jia***

**Ambition:** EB Independent

**Memories:** Love N Thnx Mom & Jen

**Secret Ambition:** To be Pure Platinum.

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**Scott Joseph Apolito**

*"Ves***

**Ambition:** Computer Engineer

**Memories:** Meeting new people, making new friends, and a high school experience that I will never forget.

**Secret Ambition:** Screenwriter

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**Edwin A. Argueta, Jr.**

*"Poppi***

**Ambition:** To own my own Guatemalan restaurant

**Memories:** Chilling With LBPDPBGFCACMKRCWKL. Time: monDay-

Week Martyrday44days Surside2000Mom I Lu U Thnx Y Our

Support Wrestling4Years.

**Secret Ambition:** To meet my dream girl.

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**Kristin Elizabeth Armato**

*"Jana***

**Ambition:** To be successful and happy

**Memories:** To Crew & Guys Thnx 4 Memos 14 3shhreus LCL FOXALPs H-VABBest

XatMS HouseSam To Mom Dad & Cat Thnx 4 evrythng... To Class

01 I Will Miss U.

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**Vanessa Aversa**

*"Vesa***

**Ambition:** Psychology

**Memories:** YrGreenXHead To The

Crow Thnx For All The Memories Love U.

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**Daniela Baglieri**

*"Dag***

**Ambition:** To lead a happy and successful life

**Memories:** 4Yrs FHCapt DRKWL ind28F Camp "00" AQMK nothing LHF 00•

DryyErns Fused w/BDBKSKMONT Cow Check You Later* Mom Dad

MariaGuilonTakito Secret Ambition To meet Peter Piper and see how many pickled peppers Peter Piper picked.

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**George Anthony Bahar**

*"George***

**Ambition:** Diamond Setter

**Memories:** To All My Friends

**Secret Ambition:** You need the rain to see the rainbow.

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**Radovan Bajic**

*"Bonico***

**Ambition:** Engineer

**Secret Ambition:** Be rich and famous
David Todd Barattin
"David Todd Barattin, DB"
Ambition: To be an accountant; Memories: FDNutSiSs, Od, Ro, Jo, Ja, Th, Ji, Sm, Jl, 2Cw, Lu, Ty, Ed, Jk, Al, JnBrickyardParty: DikoSallyCofCo Fans: Mom&Dad Jeff Craig Nank Pop
Luvu
Secret Ambition: To become a brick legend.

Paul Barbeta
Ambition: Computer Programmer; Memories: DaPosse: Rye, Gar, Al, Ryan, Alex, Jeff, Steve, Mike, Pern yo the havendace Alphabeta Delta Pa&B&El Tarahosis, Pork&M&Band Hagalaga
Secret Ambition: To become a rock star

Amanda Nicole Barone
"Mandy, Manda"
Ambition: Music/sEducation; Memories: 2yrsMarchband&Brass Capt ScDiNnMgRs Mf4sK D2yrsAloine BCMp 9900 JelClyp9s BugsBand Wv06 IPS ENGLISH Guy Mom&Dad Thanx4 everthg Luvu
Secret Ambition: To achieve 100% of the shots I take

Tareq Batarseh
Ambition: To be a successful engineer; Memories: Thanx2 myparentst everything, dresdishall myfrnds.Ja, Sm, Md, Ji, Md, Mh, Ro, Jk, Jd, Sm, Ty, Sr Tmmy. 2kummer, Md wewas great.
Secret Ambition: To own my own camel.

Lisa-Marie Batelli
Ambition: Corporate Lawyer; Memories: GreenCloth GD 99-01 2yrs WahshCapt 2yrTrck&TheCrew- Thanx4 thegreat memories! HK-US Thnx4 Everything Secret Ambition: Celebrate happiness that friends always give & make everyday a holiday. National Honor Society

Marisa Josephine Beagin
Beagin, Beag
Ambition: To be happy and successful; Memories: CoRgCa- StigrdRt&ToThe Crewh&2gys Thanx4all thememories Re<3-4 yrGrl ShowjWd991-Mom&Dad Brandish Eric Thnx 4verything
Secret Ambition: Fate only takes you so far, the rest is up to you.

Lauren Michelle Bergeron
Ambition: Biology Teacher; Memories: MomDadda&Da-
Moloom &AcPoSMRBKreMcLugue Dnt4get D*Rders-
BirthParty: DikoSallyCofCo Fans: Mom&Dad Luvu
Secret Ambition: To have a bradley.

Fernando Bermudez

Kristin Jo Bertolero
"Kris, R-Dawg"
Memories: Tonygirls MVLYGT RBG MBLume Day00 MVT getting Lost Glikke OmyGof ERGaussit Was Mount Yoof Cant Find MyMwabuClubh! Labday00LC
Secret Ambition: To collect social security.
Kelly Erin Billig

**Ambition:** To be a doctor.

**Memories:** I remember lessons learned & friends made in track & MICC-FFPEthleticmrndjoy E-RMBGC-Physics Fun/Wife, TR, AB & DB Thks/Mom&Dad.

**Secret Ambition:** To always face life with a smile on my face.

National Honor Society

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Adam Donald Bird

**Ambition:** To make a living by rockin' out.

**Memories:** JU-ASCT-MD/MT/OL/DM/MC: cackrew~Whiteby-3e-GE64-hat-
tab-DWA-NewYrk&cK-Cooolthub- Warped 99&2K-Fire inthe-
hole-Mad/Pa. Thx. **Secret Ambition:** To find the secret in-
gredient in the muffins.

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Martha Rosa Bitar

**Ambition:** Psychology. Art therapy. **Memories:** GCheek-
nyersStephFranCathSteph-LovesAll: TheCoolCrew-MomDa-
KasScrixNTonyTheEverything Berta-7-15Talks-LovinGirl! KLia

**Secret Ambition:** It is better to be loved for who you are rather
for who you pretend to be.

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Megan Leigh Blessing

**"Meg, Megs"**

**Ambition:** Attorney. **Memories:** 2My/Rud/SJC BGS/SLAC

JGDB thoux dbte noses. Nvrdget/Conn, Moos, Cones, MemDay-
whoels. SprngBrksEtc. MomThaxx everthing Lux/UI/20143min.

**Secret Ambition:** To never look back on life and say, what if and
to always want more.

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Diane Bolchune

**"Di, Spoffy"**

**Ambition:** Education. **Memories:** 4Trs/FH Capt4Yrs BBall

"CAMELS" Scott-1/4-4EB-Min 3Gritx2x/n/s 06/Ac 08/MeG/Ak

RedNwC/2m Br/Hg/Thx/MomKen MikeGron Thx/EF verything

Lux/UI **Secret Ambition:** To always be the sparkle in His eye

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Monique Noelle Bonilla

**"Ms, Midge"**

**Ambition:** To be an interior designer. **Memories:** My be-
memories to Jaxon&friends, EM, SW<sJ<SP<sSL Memori-
as MSU, Red Chimney, Limp Concerts, Erna House. Late

Love. **Secret Ambition:** To travel back in time.

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Meredith Kathleen Brady

**"Katie"**

**Ambition:** Law Enforcement. **Memories:** NSY TWYG DN

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memoriesweinwade PkLuvingmomKellDenLuvu JDBFFELSSFL-
VA-Filmsnsa. **Secret Ambition:** To learn to think with my heart

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Donna Braen

**"Donde"**

**Ambition:** To be an accountant. **Memories:** Iamme of FBLA

andguard cathly PTGHEI remember thetimes at band ball

missyou guysa verymuch. Mom&Dad thankbng therefore.

**Secret Ambition:** To be in the Olympics as a swimmer.

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Michael Brancaccio
Kevin Thomas Brandell

Memories: I had a great time playing soccer. Great menu w/MP AEMTCMBRNKAP. Thx a lot to my mom. CV, Love Ya. I’ll see everyone next year.

Ambition: To be a basketball player.

Joseph C. Briones

Ambition: To have a happy family. Memories: Always remember that your smile always determined your personality. Secret Ambition: To become a basketball player.

Kyle William Broadfield


Jordan Theodore Brown

"Jordan"

Ambition: To eat an apple larger than a regular one. Memories: SEEYEA! Amiel Howland Matt no one will see me again. HAHA! IBERID Mr. Koster Mr. Johnson and Mr. Ward I will not forget U. 88 mph! Secret Ambition: To be rich and famous.

Michael Anthony Brusco

"Joker"

Ambition: To become executive of a giant corp. Memories: I have only the memories of hanging out with all my friends.

Nicholas J. Bush, Jr.

"Nick", "Jude"

Ambition: To be an accountant. Memories: Thanks to my parent teachers and friends MBAPAO9ADEP I would also like to give a special thanks to Lisa M.I Love You. Secret Ambition: To make an impression on this world small or great.

Raed Bustami

Ambition: Never EZ. Memories: My Frnds George, Ameer, Burin, Jay. I was lucky 2 no u. Also PVs Pioneer man. Mr. Bombelto PVs most buff! lady McNeal NVRGETTU. Secret Ambition: Not to Quit

Diana Leigh Campilango

Ambition: Lawyer. Memories: 4 yr@SWCHS\'01/SNt2AByThm2x4everything NVRget UNMACMy 143 To All UGays 4Laf& Memrs Mom/Dad/Peter/Thont SupportSmz Alw1y/LavU! Secret Ambition: Professional Choreographer. National Honor Society

Yaquis Canela

Anthony Matthew Cappello

"Stall-On, Romeo"

**Ambition:** To start a family. **Memories:** OneLoveToAll Those WholeStuckByMySide Through TheYears ThanksMom ForMaking MeDoThis I LoveYouWithAllMyHeart OhYeahNeverForgetR.P. 

**Secret Ambition:** To marry for love.

Dan Caravelli

**Ambition:** Industrial Engineer. **Memories:** Friends4Ever RLP CF NT AR, IwasCrazy OnceTheyStuckMe InA RoundRubber RoundRubber Rats RubberRats DriveMeCrazy! **Secret Ambition:** N.H.L. Goalie

Adele Marie Carfi

**Ambition:** College. **Memories:** 2MyFriendsILuvU-CC&MM-BFFE PD143Albays Nvr4GetU 2ManyMesas WRF, AR, NT, & TheGuys. WWW/ER Mom & Nnou: URItheBest, InMyRoom Me.

**Secret Ambition:** To live life believing that success is getting what you want; happiness is wanting what you get.

Catherine Anne Cassanelli

**Ambition:** To be successful and happy. **Memories:** AcMnB4e 146-angymem 2ght-Wish Chilliez neggie Lrlv NuBakab Jw-s4-Nvr 4getnIsh w/hobies: ChillinnWw 4PzErHS x4sonLF MonDadFamChyv Secret Ambition:** To live each day with no regrets

Marc John Cardonell

"Marcy Marcus"

**Ambition:** Friends4Evr RLP CF NT AR, IwasCrazy OnceTheyStuckMe InA RoundRubber RoundRubber Rats RubberRats DriveMeCrazy! **Secret Ambition:** N.H.L. Goalie

Stephanie Ann Cheff

"Chuff, Chuff"

**Ambition:** Art. **Memories:** FRASMAFACAGTH3FTF That Being-The-Left-Guys FC TheFiveNewarkLBI 00C Fri4life KALuvYalRurnyIfstrMomDad&Evry1-Tlb sax Wsp Kbye. 

**Secret Ambition:** To touch the world, reach the stars, and still know this last is yet to come.

Jeffrey Thomas Chirico

Jeffy"

**Ambition:** To be a professional ping pong player with Lee. **Memories:** Chillin: LUOCWCVJFLIKEDTYAMSSSE itNJMM BHLZGFDCLSBEAMDOOPAPA5tCWCFPFOGKNXM PrinNT JUH/IN Bn2JAM9 JLP/M Thnx Mom&Dad &Dong&Nick 143 

**Secret Ambition:** To become a professional Brick player

Francesca Nicole Cerrigone

"Fran, Frasyn"

**Ambition:** College. **Memories:** 4yrGC/Headw/BartMBB3/SMC Never4t4U Mnday4InnNewark-MBHouse-LBI-VAF-GR-TN JD, mom, papa & Giancarlothans 4yurLovedsupport. **Secret Ambition:** To Never Explain - your friends don't need it, and your enemies won't believe it anyway.

Eileen Amanda Christie

**Ambition:** Graphic designer. **Memories:** Specialthanktho a lovehubsand anotomypapa Jeuand mariPand mostimportantly madloveotomycousinJanah
Lauren Christine Cifrodello
"Laurie"

**Ambition:** To always be happy. **Memories:** Track WMTJGM-RACBF4LMMTWGOO MyMom JGBF 4EHQa ChicaKarto MRINGBobBIKsLEngJMikeApleh-6 I LoveU MVSThru MomPete NL04 EveingLoveU. **Secret Ambition:** To one day wish upon a star and have it come true!

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Peter Clemens

**Ambition:** Marine Biology. **Memories:** GDCFresh LC Gram-Darth. GIDN CVEV TBCue WsuU NickLuvU ToMy Mom Who WasAlways There To HelpMe AndSup Me Luv U MomThx GL ToAllMy FySerYa. **Secret Ambition:** To play softball in the Olympics.

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Jennifer Ann Colantoni
"Jenn, Jenny, Jenny"

**Ambition:** To Do What I want, when I want. **Memories:** ToMy BandBuddies DoLet It Score Because ItBigTopIKeep RockinRe-memberLasOneToRem WelcomeTee Dresuar! ToKBWitchYer-Bick ToMyFamLuvU! **Secret Ambition:** To go where eagles dare

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Jamie Cole

"Jacks, Little Jack"

**Ambition:** Law. **Memories:** KF grannak GB ur the best BFFE MRJGAPCJEEBG thanks 4 nema. MomDad te-ano Ed best-broNfriend Joslyn hurysNigaiWillFindU. **Secret Ambition:** "Dream as if you'll live forever; live as if you'll die tomorrow."
Lindsay Coronato
"LinZ, Kimberly"

Ambition: To own a woodchuck; Memories: Had Fun With 2DBAO8B MVR86G7MTMIA, Evil FH Camp "00" LFB 00 You Wanna Lettuce Clubbing, Replaces. Chris "Starz" Robert, Luv My Family.

Secret Ambition: To see how much wood a woodchuck could chuck.

Richard James Cristofol
"Rick"

Ambition: Retire by the age of 35; Memories: Hangin with the boys esp. DBSSCD, Great times w/MB. Wishing all seniors best of luck. My family Mom, Dad, Steve and Frank. Secret Ambition: Refer to my ambition.

Catherine Anna Cugliari
"Cathy, Cuges, Cathy Cuges, Cugles"

Ambition: To lead a happy and successful life; Memories: 4yrs Band, Choir, Drama&Stage C.P.V.G Champion II Luv D&G DM&CCBFFE, Cathita, Erkni Pies Jemania BFFE. To Franchise, Mr M&C, Youarethbest. Secret Ambition: To be the vocalist of the Disney characters.

Paul Michael D'Allegro
"P-Didnuma"

Memories: 4yrs W/ NoRegrets & Memories Ill Nevr4GetU. 2AC, Thanx 4LuvMe Ill Nevr4GetU. 2MyBoys: KeepItReal, Alwyz Remember TheFun OurCircle Brought. Secret Ambition: To be the man I know I'm going to be, not the man everybody thinks I'm going to be.

Joshua A. Davis
"Josh-u-ah, gonna eat that?"

Ambition: Music Producer; Memories: 2Fam143 Thanx Crabbin JG&JM 2Lauren H 140Blah LCNey! CG 2Baseball URock UShouldve thoughtofthat B4!! Uckk Y2K= GodNex NexNexBeck. Secret Ambition: To be in the next CKVvideo.

Jerry Dawson

Ambition: To Become An Important Person; Memories: To All My Friends youKnow WhoyouAre 1Thank My Family for The Support They HaveGiven MeFinally ImOut. Secret Ambition: To Have The Last Laugh In Life.

Robert Debeneadto
"Rob"

National Honor Society.

Victor Cruz
"Vic"

Secret Ambition: To My Parents thanks For Everything. To All my boys AEFBESBZCMJLVC and JP good luck in college.
Christopher Decker
“Dex”

Ambition: Law Enforcement
Memories: 4 yrs Of Crazy- fun: I have been uneventful Freshman RBBD Da Crew Uno Who
Memories: To all my crew members, its been fun. Hey MB remember CRLB <3
Secret Ambition: To figure girls out.

Mark Elliot DelCarpio

Ambition: Wollstrl'l.
Memories: To all my crew members, its been fun. Hey MB remember CRLB <3
Secret Ambition: To figure girls out.

Edward T. De Rosa
“Da Fosa, Da Fooz”

Ambition: Lawyer
Memories: To all my boys uknowwhour blankets the memories. 4yrs var wrestling: Jeffery Tyler, Nicholas
Memories: To all my boys uknowwhour blankets the memories. 4yrs var wrestling: Jeffery Tyler, Nicholas
Secret Ambition: Live one more day with my grandfather/grandmother.

Ruhan Derti
“Roo, Dirty”

Ambition: To do something with my life, like go to college or something like that.
Memories: Soccer, locker room: Christian the grabage can I brought car and
dropk Peace Out and good luck in the future class of 2001.
Secret Ambition: Don’t know not sure I’d tell you even if I did.

James Joseph DeStefano
“Jim”

Ambition: To work on Wallstreet.
Memories: GoodTimes@ TDGBC Club NRockNAX PCUK, Training at Golds
Memories: To be the man
Secret Ambition: To be the man

Aniello Di Dio, Jr.
“Neil”

Ambition: Professional soccer player
Memories: “What we call the beginning is often the end. And to
Secret Ambition: To be the man

Nicholas F. Di Domenico
“NickyDizzy, Mr. Nickman, Koontash”

Ambition: To keep it hardcore.
Memories: CACK ATTACK
Secret Ambition: To find out the secret ingredient in Nancy’s sourdough muffins.
Nancy’s Honor Society.
Dorothy Doloszyci
Ambition: To become a successful managerial accountant. Memories: I would like to thank my family and friends for believing in me and giving me the strength to do well in all my personal achievements. Secret Ambition: To have a scholarship.

Janet Doughoz
"Jan"
Ambition: Radiologic Technology. Memories: thank everyone for helping me achieve my goal. Secret Ambition: To follow my dreams and make the most out of every experience.

D.ambition: To have a career in the entertainment industry. Memories: Special thanks to my family and friends for their support. Secret Ambition: To find a way to make the world a better place.

Thomas J. Drwiega
"T.J."

Sandra Dugan
"DRA"
Ambition: Registered Nurse. Memories: CHILLINW/ ANBLMBLUE LIGHTS HotpatsMom CCo1RO ChECKS/CRABY RIDESS HLTHW/ZIRIN MYHTNYRB 4gotenMo MDJLULUAL WZDCUHAVEMYHRT, 31. Secret Ambition: To never be sad for what is over, just be glad it was once mine!

Erin Marie English

Alexander Escobar
"Esco, Nasty Nas"
Ambition: Marry Maria. Memories: I'd like 2 Thx my wife Maria 4 da mems. <3U Shout Outs 2 my dogz FBKBVCNP KP HRPRINA. Much <3 2 my GF from up there. 1 <3 U for it. Secret Ambition: To own a Mercedes Benz S-500.

Jeffrey-Joseph Drobnik
"Jeff"

Matthew Vincent Dwyer
"Matts Cack, Beshi"
Memories: Cack Crew, Road Trips, Underwear Cutt SBM Squirt. DWA Warpted Tour Halloween GoldenEye 64. I fall into Fantasy ASCT ... Battle Secret Ambition: Learn to Fly.

Alexis Jose Fernandez
Ambition: To become a computer Engineer. Secret Ambition: To someday become president of the US.
Rosanna Fernicola
"ROE"
Ambition: go to college; Memories: Goodtimes Chilling: NJSDAR JWMCAC ASM 2600 Never2 hedge NBF 143 BlueLights HOTSpot SSD143 WOW CrazyBitesMom Dad Thanx4 everything143. Secret Ambition: to know why good things must come to an end.

Justin D. Ferrazzano
"Word, Kicker"

Nick Fierro
"Motochal Maxx, Bunnyboy"
Ambition: Space Pirate; Memories: Once someone told me there would be cake, there was no cake. I sat at the orange table. Bad posture. Candy in the morning. CN. Secret Ambition: Lighthouse keeper.

Michal Figura
"Mickey"
Ambition: To get a PhD. Memories: HighSchool Turned Out To Be A Blast I have A lot Of Great Memories ThanksTo Everybody Who Helped Me Along Spe­cial Thanks To My Mom For Her Support. Secret Ambition: To be a Philanthropist. National Honor Society

Sergio Daniel Fiorarancio
"Serge, Crono"
Ambition: Computer repairer or Analyst; Memories: "I can’t believe I ate the whole thing." Simpson, (S:18) HOMER. Secret Ambition: Computer Hacker or take Bill Gates’s Job

Kathleen Mary Frey
"Kat"
Ambition: Veterinary Medicine; Memories: “Ifis­Great2 have An End To A Journey, Battles The Jour­ney That Matters In The End” Thanks MomDad, BM, CS, CV, JM, DP, AH, PM, DG, teachers 4 this journey. Secret Ambition: To be a writer like Hemmingway. National Honor Society

Monica Victoria Fugate
"Mon"
Ambition: To be a successful house wife; Memories: 3yr Without a lot 2 be erase4 get to RGGIRF 4eval <3uSC1st Tru 3-curryself 4 eval <3uMomDad KorsGramGrampa adntmoveitwoul <3uKors- T4ET < 3u. Secret Ambition: To realize that if you love something set it free, if it comes back to you its yours. If it doesn’t it never was.

Jovita D. Galan
"Vita"
Memories: Thanx for the great memories, Melia I Luv u Mom Dad Thanx for the love so much Ismail Hi Smelly Pants I Luv u. Secret Ambition: To succeed without regrets.

Jeysan Garcia
"Jay,ESE"
Ambition: I wanna be a millionaire; Memories: Thanx MomDad, ThanxMomNeal dailyourhelp 4my Best Friends. Latinos, Asian, Arabes, Europe and My Special Babe Yassir! LOVE YALL.
Gaetano Carlo Gencarelli
"Guy"

**Ambition:** To seek a higher learning

**Memories:** Sonny memseased WildwdTham tomybuds 360Stay-Chillin SUNRISE Myhomecrew is laze Blakeoptireal domlookback MadDaBrosis InfiniteLove. **Secret Ambition:** Dig deeper than the surface.

Joseph Gencarelli, Jr.

John Nicholas Goldberg
"John"

**Ambition:** To be a Rockstar

**Memories:** Iwouldlike toreogzze friendsSam, YouRule, Oldgraded, AustinScott,dave, EricDocgerry, Crystynande very wholforget. Slayer chandinvainRules; **Secret Ambition:** to be a really big rockstar.

William John Gourley
"BJ"

**Ambition:** Go to college and get a B.S. in electrical engineering

**Memories:** Work w/RC, Parties, FBteam, Trackwascool Mom Dad Ed Katie Erin Pat! Lovya "you are your own sight".

Melinda Nicole Gregory
"Mindy, Mandy"

**Ambition:** To be truly happy and successful throughout life

**Memories:** MomJosh Fam Thx 4 Steps and143MyAngel YoKatie andFam 143Car Alfonzo CandalLuv RS4LKrissa Ste 4 LML AR KB NF, CS RC SM VL EE CWILuvU.

Jared Allen Gruzas
"Jay, Dork"

**Ambition:** To climb the mountains that might overcome me

**Memories:** JBAIMKDMMLIC GRTDDD SEERSWAAA EEDDDF JSDDLGCI HCRAINWDJ JMLHBLA Haxwelk MP9000 Umbdentin Theaful DMemree&Gary Family Thor4

Casey Guinn

Dave Grotz
"Diggity Dave, Olsen"

**Ambition:** To have Mr. Settembre sit in detention

**Memories:** Year everyday 6thperiodlunch getti-Mikel. Cremember whenewel moatsetsheshore house onfire Brekdanec inthehalls THEEND. **Secret Ambition:** To propose to Steph B. at a rave.

Ergun Gulistan
"Gunz"

**Ambition:** To be rich and famous

**Memories:** 4xys were 2fast Thanx2MomNDad4everythin! WrestlingPVBBs w/TTown N WCrew SumFunFigs NDshor TRK-AT 00! NMTD-MKA. **Secret Ambition:** To be a dictator
Jaimie Lynn Gulla
"Gulla, Gull"

**Ambition:** To be successful; **Memories:** GDH401 w/no VarRah/Cw/LB 4yrs, VarTrack 2myfriends Thnx4memoral luvsall "HolaChica" "caution" Tomyfamily Thnx4 everything luvsomuch. **Secret Ambition:** To wish upon a star and hope all my dreams come true.

Justin Gutschmidt
"Mud"

**Ambition:** To live a good life and have fun and "stay chillin"; **Memories:** PeaceOutPV!! Toallmypeeps it's beenfun Don'tforget thememories of "00" special thankstomy parents thanksforthehelp "XP" Stratbuggn don't4get.

Rosangela Guzman
"Rosie"

**Ambition:** To do more in life; **Memories:** Thank God 4mylife! Luv T&G fam, luv viejo.Won't 4get xs@pool w/J & A. Glad 2B w/J&A. Glad 2B Friends w/D.A. Nice & M.

Bobby Hanna
"Bob"

**Ambition:** To one day show my mom how much she means to me; **Memories:** CatchM ehnMyCircle &TUE TellU SumStories—Well, 2SumUp TheseLast4 Years: GetWithASick **ClickAnd WentaAllOut—Yours Truly BOB! **Secret Ambition:** To always remember what it was like to be a kid.

Jason Michael Hanrahan
"Jay"

**Ambition:** I will do everything I always wanted to do!; **Memories:** My Memoriesgo2 Monique and MSU/my FriendsWere great2me! High school was easy TECHwasFUN my Knowledgeis MYpower!Loveli! ITS BEEN REAL National Honor Society

Jessica Heese
"Jess"

**Ambition:** To be a doctor; **Memories:** Thanx2 AllMyFamily- LuvU... JC&et-Per8 PC... AM E0 &Crayons1 Wont4GetUBye.

Shavon Herald
"Me Me"

**Ambition:** to be a successful nurse; **Memories:** Schools out! Shawn I love you cuz Jason you have my heart 143 mom and dad Thxandgoof givingme much to my brother Dave 143. **Secret Ambition:** to be @ the faces who hang.

Diana Herreros
"Dee"

**Ambition:** Do good in college & make my tia's dreams come true. **Memories:** Mom and Dad, 4 all the help. Sun. thanks 4 always Bing there 4 me. My heart goes out 2 Sun & Ryan. U will always be in my heart. **Secret Ambition:**

Christian M. Hessenius II
"C, Fat"

**Ambition:** To One Day Own a Successful Business **Memories:** Much Love.thanx ToMomDadKia AndGrandma Thnx4the SuprtShoutsN PropostaAll The Boys!MACR Nate CarNT To My Girls PVJPPV Baseball
Yoon-mi Hong
“Dina”

Ambition: Professor; Memories: THANKS, God for the opportunity to study in the USA
THANK you to all of my great teachers. THANKS TO MOMMY DADDY & Leah. Secret
Ambition: One of the best professors at Juilliard. National Honor Society

Robertae Hruby
“Berta”

Ambition: Accountant; Memories: GX Ayr H e a d 01’
Cheer!, Zallmyfrnds 14:3Cjive-Now-Blind, KA-Food, R-P-
Space, HK-7-11, MB-PC-VA-QO- BC-JN-SS MW@H
Mom & Dad thinks 4 everything. Secret Ambition: To
realize that the most beautiful discovery is that true
friends can grow separately w/out growing apart. Nation-
al Honor Society

Ryan Allan Iannelli
“Speedy, Pizzaman”

Ambition: teach Mathematics; Memories: Junior
year at VA. Thank you to all my friends and family.
“3’”3-years JAZZ BAND. 3-year basketball. Secret
Ambition: to play in the NBA.

Nicole Marie Irvine

Ambition: Child Psychologist; Memories: WOAH!
ChillenWXry BungSum-RFMnSlICoAcArJw- MyGr-
lz 1743BFDsNr Good XpACrew 143Roe- ScCrazyRides
RfhranxMeWMyThUMomDad RjLoveU; Secret
Ambition: To Always smile at things to come and never
frown at things I’ve done.

Michael Jacobus

“Sunny, Sunset, Sweetie, Sun Dog”

Sanam Jagtiani

Ambition: College/Family; Memories: I’diWant2
Thank MySisSiMi 4TeachingMeAllIknow 143And2 My
Parents4Always BeingThereForMe And 2Dea& AD
Thanks & EverYtimg 2MyGirl143; Secret Ambition:
If I told you it wuuldnt’ be a secret!

Sandra Margurite Huber
“Sand, Snad, Tinkerbell”

Ambition: Tv Production; Memories: MLAK-
MOCC KZWKACVL - 143 AK- IOWEUSO
MUCH!ML&MG- GRsxs! KZ - 7/20/00! CC:­
Howz Trez? JoeAlvThnx 4theSupport!—
PVTVAE! “Dictator” MO. Secret Ambition:
To create my own Disney cartoon character.

Gina Marie Irvolino

“Geen”, “GinaRina”

Ambition: Communications; Memories:
Frschcrw/ DNCVJC “BratPack”JC“Darth”
Yanks w/ DN&LC “Cause” KA’00*AO, DB,BB*
2Evryelse- LuvU! Mom,Dad,Nick & Chrissy-
LuvUall! Secret Ambition: To be a dancer.

Sasa Jankovic

“Sasha”

Ambition: Finishing College; Secret Ambi-
tion: Helping Others
Dalibar Jasnie

Ambition: To be successful without regrets.

Sarah Marie Jost

Ambition: College; Memories: HeyNDMBSLSP JGMREM CautionCones BurntPasta Candyman LimsGCanNDsweats ALAdanHFest ThanxZalmy BudsLuv UAll ThanxMomDad BeekLuvU!! Secret Ambition: “To shoot for the moon, Because at least I’d be one of it’s stars!”

Emine Amy Kansay

Ambition: Lawyer; Memories: Tomyparents; aunt&uncle Thankyou& Loveyou. Tomyfriends wehadalotoffun! Myoba-Icouldnever forgetyou! Jennewhadfuncilling <3a! Secret Ambition: To always keep everyone happy.

Mark Kendall

Corey Kennedy

“Code Red”

Memories: Chillin w/ all my boys: BH, PD, BS, LZ, GG, Goodtimes, PeaceOut.

Amer Khalil

“Air-er”

Ambition: To be the world’s most successful lawyer; Memories: 4yrsvThiswhos Luv2RaeF1Crew PV Soccer- FLYLHxKava2k LggsSmJae TkRbRdi2 MychrnThnxUfor OpnngMyMind KDT thnx UMom MomSuBrDad 4HSLIMZ. Secret Ambition: To be as fast as “The Dragon.” National Honor Society

Rohit Kharawala

“Domino-Indio”

Ambition: To be successful without regrets.

John Matthew Kilpatrick

“Crazy”

Ambition: Poet; Memories: Str4up Chillin *Liime Wayda4 *Nvr StrP Chillin&NQ: KeepItReal&TH. UI Get Me WhrInGoinBillBack* MomDadGram ThanxU 4Believ ing143. Secret Ambition: Listen to me one time: I want to live on the sand. I want to die in the sunshine.

Jeff Kohl

“Ice, Big 9, J-Diddy”

Memories: Shoutoutallmyties Theschoofothewhose selected few you know who you are PropstomyFam Greenhornet Blackbeauty needermis.
Heather Lynn Kudlach
“Spleather, Seath”

Ambition: Become a Certified Public Accountant. Memories: Rr4-0dc5- 886TheTree- LK59mamyena- CSBPC-SMB NOVAKASS 3=3U3tllve 143 wiki2 The Guy<ch>’s Tnareel always beingthere Mom&Dad=rthnx<3.
Secret Ambition: “Many people will walk in and out of your life... only true friends will leave footprints in your heart.”

Victoria Laky
“Vicki, Shorty, Midget, V”


David V. Leporini

Ambition: To be a professional fireman. Memories: What’s up I’m a pieces as you all can tell. Good-times=J.U.-ASCT- I Love my Melissia! Wakkatippi-WFFD-PVVS- It’s been real! Secret Ambition: To be the beat at what I do.

Stephanie Anne Leporini
“Lep, Stephanie, Leppy”

Ambition: To become an Elementary School Teacher. Memories: Varso, Soffal, Bcall CMFP9/00yrs WhitCagled PawpuCm-4w1girlmout w EM, Sj, Cinnabenne SWEarnamew CLMw Shaniy elavuFam. Secret Ambition: To see thins as they are and ask why? Dream things as they never were and ask why not?

Alan Lipovchenko

Memories: SumFax IMFEP3BSLAMA vhYoun man Thanks to all my family and friends. Myes802GOLD “Live for today and not tomor-row’”-ozzy RZWI8.Secret Ambition: To be in a successful band.

Kara Lynn MacFarlane
“Ka, Frenchie”


Sabrina Maria Latino
“Sabs, Sabby, BriBri, Sabri”


Rachel Helen Ligieri
“Ray, Rach”

Ambition: Housewife. Memories: Um I dunno 4 yrs of XC miss all of u KA ur the coolest, JD “funstuff” “IJo to bY, Mike I’ll love u alwy, glntxrr YalMA Secret Ambition: To find something I’m good at.

Alex Elliott Duva MacPhail

Memories: Peaceful allivsboys JF-JCJTY LUEDJN- JMCCW L-time JCFJKBHDIZBSJM Memariied 99Mm Fatrisspyre, Jefjarystihians Mom&DadMes andfamily. Secret Ambition: To seek the whole earth.
Joseph Macaluso III
"Joey Mac"
Ambition: Police Officer; Memories: Shotoutatallyboyz GNCHBZES forthoevenwhos beenherefor, mesllttimetime loveyouuSteph ThanksMomDadDan Loveyouguys HeyGNsametime.

Stephanie Machael
"Steph"
Ambition: Actress; Memories: MomDad Itolduiggraduate iluvuboth Lorthanx AntuIlvu4e PBWP9599 JAEWW988f Joethecemetery Jaywhatwouldu..? AndthanxCST 4alludone.

Jason Pierre Maisonet
"Jay"
Ambition: Have my own restaurant on an island; Memories: 2Yrs VTtrack! Ballin@ RosePlace. "HesDifferent" Its Big! AK- Thx4brakiniinto myhouse! Mom Dad + Pam Txl Peace 2AR, DB, KB ,GB, AC + a2001! Secret Ambition: Ask me when I find out.

Alphonse Malzone
"Solo"
Ambition: 2 B come wealthy; Memories: Thanx4my Mom&pushingMeThruSchool TST- CIIIUAnthony YoujIMake4Joe Thanx4Bing ThereAdam TheKingDomz GrowingRide HomeFromGFIAZG, Secret Ambition: 2 B come wealthier.

Andrea Patricia Martenson
"Anj"
Ambition: To become a Physical Therapist; Memories: Nee we did it JHCTMBGr8 MemeMRBiolab-SJF. JHurl the Best UnEomme4ever JPurawesome Patricks"00 MomDadnJoeeNoe ILuvU so Much; Secret Ambition: To Become a Model.

Jason Martin
"Marty"
Ambition: Accountant; Memories: Peace2AllMyKindBudsBeSafe SurfsideMotelPa. TripsMen. DayWknd Wld2KHs football ThanxMomDadBigBro GoodLuck LilBro. Secret Ambition: Keep it real w/ all my boys.

Harris Mahmood

Erin Malzone
"Rimey, Blondey"
Ambition: Marketing & Advertising; Memories: 2mybestfriend SalamSambirI Kisses&huggs &wickeyfunstufmott's KryPorchClubin 98Gym94 Maxmicricket Ginger & Jake the park Haloween Se- cret Ambition: Watch out for the “quiet” ones!

Erin Marie McCave
Ambition: Tucker; Memories: TiMeFriends SWMBSPBSJHUCC. Reenuber Card2006 Siemen2006SW-Moe! CC "USExything" Thnx4Evry14 the memories Secret Ambition: Remember the Past, enjoy the Present, and look forward to the Future.
Ryan Phillip McGrantham
"Ry, Remo, & Love"

Ambition: History Education; Memories: He can be seen with GC, PR, SO, and AL. He is very glad to be finished with school. So-Meh Al-Gold PB-Tarahash! Danzig!! Secret Ambition: To come alive in the home that screams.

Scott M. Methven
"Mef, Uncle Mef"

Ambition: To host the Tonight Show; Memories: MadTaste4yrs PV halftime MansupoeCREW DAWGS 4Crries JAYTTE Meat Muffins pimpinLeon 7/9/00 JDF DPCR EW DWASSDC THANKS family. Secret Ambition: To become Disciplinarian at PV.

Jennifer Marie Miller
"Jenn"

Ambition: To be a very successful person; Memories: Thanks to my family & loving zone GoodLuck2AMY "Thedrinks purple" To my baby AS I love you and always will. Thats4everything.

Megan Marie Minieri
"Meg"

Ambition: Psychologist; Memories: 2MyBFSAA CoNISrBMyMems AlwaysHurtthans 4evrthyn Luvus4E "My Byarsrthebeest" BBAE *WX4yrsrdt* MomDad2MikeMich contnditwoul gwen4E Secret Ambition: To never be ashamed to say what I'm not ashamed to think.

Julie Elizabeth Molinari
"Jewel, Skippy"

Ambition: Get a PhD; Memories: KFTRBPM FAKR&All ThoseLovers! KnowWho URreach4 theStars! Even If U Miss You'll Still Sear Above TheRest! A Britsh Cup WhatdClosest Secret Ambition: To Be A Movie Stunt Double National Honor Society

Alejandro Javier Mondaca
"Jano"

Ambition: Computers; Memories: Good times w/Steve & Joe. Thanks, Dad and Anna for your love and support.

Christopher Edward Miller
"Miller, PV Sports God"

Ambition: Get into the sports business because nothing else matters; Memories: Behold PV'SportsGod! Avsin96- Toomanymemories: JP-youmissed theexat TJ-nomorebasketball AR-youbrokenobtable-theWhiteShadow AVJZ/K. Secret Ambition: To find out if they sell Coke at the Pepsi Center. National Honor Society

Carmine Mirra
"Carm"

Ambition: To be rich; Memories: NeverForget SWincemw BZONCHR AintwitVic EDON80 Trips to Seaside/NYC and AllthoseMemories Ibeenfun Arrgh FkdGGoodluck every body. Secret Ambition: To Fly

Nicole Lynn Morino
"Nic, Nikki, Morino"

Ambition: College-Medical School; Memories: Grk sw/KWNSD CAB Thanx 4 BeinThereLov U guys! MrsDelano-Thanx4 everything! MomDadJonJen-CouldntHave Done It W/outU! HopeU R Proud Love! Secret Ambition: To never lose sight of my dreams!! National Honor Society
Lesley Marie Mostello
“Les”

Ambition: To Find Happiness In All That I Do; Memories: Grxwall, quintessaide. DCurrymbestfriend
lavrayKWWvaman! KDKavefunnytysery Thaktoall
MFckKCNMCMHKL BTMMOMDADDLVYA
CHOMUCHTHANKS. Secret Ambition: To Own Gap Inc. National Honor Society

Gregory Nater

Ambition: To be a game tester for EA Sports, especially for Madden; Memories: MomAndDad Thanks for
everything. Mary thanks for everything too. Brant and Blake thanks for Napster and Madden. And Thank Me.
Secret Ambition: To take a journey with John Mad
den in the Madden Cruiser.

Andrew Ryan Nesney
“Nez”

Ambition: Digital Design and Computer Drafting; Memories: Field hockey. GBCZCHM. NeverFor
got WildWood “SW” GBCZGFPCG Always remember generationas “SW” “ToGB” “IavU”.
Secret Ambition: To race my Firebird at English Town.

Thomas James Nigra
“T.J.”

Ambition: To be dead but still alive; Memories: There’s not much I have to say about this school. Thanks to the band. D84nothing It’s a good thing for Tech Goodbye PV 4ever & 2 everyone else. Secret Ambition: To invent something worth inventing

Donna Nilan
“Donna, Donut”

Ambition: Work with children; Memories: 2myparents and brother's all everything Lovin Etbanks445ein
here. LuvuH2 GIESCUVRCVJULCCKBLuvuguys CVJG. SC99GLCynaks! Secret Ambition: 2 Hang with L3

Deanna Christina Nocito
“Dee”

Ambition: To make sure the original Crew keeps it real; Memories: Tony Parents goodlookscourt
dutitwityyu thanks to all the Punks that built the pyramid. break me down CC its still there & away will be. Peace. Secret Ambition: To pass high school w/ good grades in my next life.

Mark G. Nocito


Jared Michael Noordyk

“Pared, Parfed, etc.”

Ambition: CEO; Memories: CwCwLudzEd TyJUAmJk
Thnx4manyrenna, 2ltispace S6&griz CgJuvU’S 6uDbrccB
JLG Flunimes MomThnx4 beinsrag LEmeanmorethan
uwilleverno HetUNoLuvU DuhMis+FveryDay, HpeUr.
Proud Fam&friends-Nvrmadeit w/outU, LuvUAll. National Honor Society

Jay Nowak

Ambition: To be a game tester for EA Sports, especially for Madden; Memories: MomAndDad Thanks for
everything. Mary thanks for everything too. Brant and Blake thanks for Napster and Madden. And Thank Me.
Secret Ambition: To take a journey with John Mad
den in the Madden Cruiser.
Sara Christine Nowen
“Sar, S, Noway”

Ambition: Graphic Designer/Create Music Videos; Memories: DC/AB/NMThnx4 EvrytngUB amazingAlwaysIn MyHrAllUGuysU AlwaysMakeMeSmile Mon-DadMatt Thanks everything SmilesLaughter SupportAlwaysLuvU Secret Ambition: Work with my favorite artist. National Honor Society

Joseph O’Connor III

Nicole Okragly
“Okragly, Kragel pop”

Ambition: To become a professional dancer; Memories: ThanksLoudassMom 4Everything zTheCrew U Will AlwaysHaveASpecial PlaceInMyC ToTheRestOf MyFriendsThanks 4Great 4Years! Secret Ambition: “Don’t cry because it’s over. Smile because it happened.”

Meghan Marie Orsita
“Megs,Megaly, Shorty”

Ambition: To be successful and make money; Memories: 4yarsofHS AllmyFriends DSSLKCMWEMKSMPE MARUMSESEP199 MemesSIVF’00 MemLuvAlThugysDBFLA MomDadPete Luvugys Thnx4EvrythSundBLuvU2 Secret Ambition: To finally know what true love is.

Steven F. Ovadia
“Stevin, USM, Shining Star”


Ann Marie Oxley
“Annie”


Joseph Palladino
“Joe”

Ambition: To succeed in what I do best; Memories: These past four years have been the Best and worst years of my life. A lot has changed since I was freshman. But Hey, who says change is a bad thing. Secret Ambition: To gain total control over the world.

William Mitchell Palumbo Jr.

“Bill, Billy, Diesel Boy”

Ambition: Be successful in whatever I do; Memories: Allmyfriendshave meantsomuchmore FLFieldplaying football Off spring psychiatrist greatest band DWA andP WLD Driving aroundInJake eatinmuffin. Secret Ambition: Rule the world

Shannon Lee Paris
“Shanny, Shanona, Paris”

Ambition: Social Worker; Memories: 4yrsvrflbl &sprtag7aw EmSJMbNmMbsSw JgLeBF4e 143sumr00Mem wkdrgrizghts Mufn! Mikeesmean-the world 2nowLuvU? momandtoll luvuthanks! Secret Ambition: To always follow my dreams no matter how impossible they may seem.
Jason M. Perna  
"Jay, Perna, General, Prez"  
**Ambition:** To become a wealthy computer technician; **Memories:** MiefGuestJARG 4 Ever; AvCutal Al-Maion; AR-khutz; GC-Dinner &tourney 4Ever; Rm-vivenl:ed; cm-success D-kane!; Pernamobile AvDGR2k.  
**Secret Ambition:** Complete and unconditional global domination.

Tamas Petofi  
"Tom"  
**Ambition:** To one day be able to afford the Luxuries as I dream today. **Memories:** Thanx 2 all my friends 4 memories, good luck 2 every 1 in their future, Special thanx 2 my family & my Love, Michelle.

Maria Pisapia  
"Ria, Ri"  
**Ambition:** To become a lawyer; **Memories:** Taallmy griakam omjass jscess lmwsLove you yourself nybrother Loveyou andgood luckmy otherfriends forgot Loveyou tootomom anddad Iloveyou! **Secret Ambition:** Find out what true friendship really is!

Rachael Ann Pizio  
"Ray"  
**Ambition:** School Teacher; **Memories:** 4yrsWv-2myfrenz fwillNever 4getcrissay 4yrsofstillogoin thanx 4everthing MomDad Uloveus much thanx the inlaws. Pauliluys unMissy! **Secret Ambition:** In three words I can sum up everything I've learned about life "it goes on." National Honor Society

Jerome J. Porta  
"Jerry, Porta"  
**Ambition:** Computer Engineer; **Memories:** Solongo myfriends (unnowhore) Memories: sourdough muffinswell siproject ilievomiting. Motto: Isonly cheating ifougtaught. **Secret Ambition:** To become Mr. Jerry.

Damian Michael Potenza  
"Dame"  
**Ambition:** Emergency Medicine; **Memories:** Bravo Girl in Hatskin SPOON No.M.StitchesDa Bomb mukayV DIG SAT Front MP RA JD JUMP! MA KF DEMJB CH PC VJ MN MLM Thanks MomDad Ty Andrea. **Secret Ambition:** Let Dr. to filbuster longer than Strom.

Bidya Prasad  
"Biddy"  
**Ambition:** medicine; **Memories:** Carpe Diem. **Secret Ambition:** To be on an episode of the "X-Files." National Honor Society.
Angela Nicole Preta  
“Ang. Angie, Ela”

Ambition: Lawyer  
Memories: 2MyFriends LB KC EF MS CF JC MB BB ZB AO TG GB NB ND DI TZ D*Birdies LBIMolder 328LBootings KCSandal GF'Social CFConcert #25Bar& luv2Family.  
Secret Ambition: To give that silly rabbit his trix.

Gregory Dominik Radel  
“Greg”

Ambition: To be a cop  
Memories: I Had A Lot of Fun at P.V. I'll Always remember the good times I had with R.S.& J.P. And C.W. S.B. with J.P. & C.W. Peace!  
Secret Ambition: To be on N.Y.P.D. Blue.

Joe Psota  
“The Plague”

Ambition: Computer Artist  
Memories: I know 4m TheWilde InMyMind AsIwas FloatingFar AboveTheClouds SomeChildsLaughed IfFall4Certain 4ThinkrThat l'dLive4ever.  
Secret Ambition: And if there is a God, I know he likes to rock. He loves his loud guitars, his spiders from Mars.

Raffaela Renzulli  
“Raff”

Ambition: to be a C.E.O. of a company  
Memories: Midon't forgetthe hayride! AOandEM let'snotforget Dr. Pwyareyou tryingtoke someoneyour notandnot yourself? HN215F!!

Amanda Richardson  
“Manda, A man... duh”

Ambition: To be a paleontologist  
Memories: Wefinally madeafter thisyearwere gotelhave somanyfun memo- riesofmy yearhereCrew Frodo8Day KP MP BP CU CS 3K RD GI Mandeverry oneelee:  
Secret Ambition: To travel through time. National Honor Society

Adam S. Rivera  

Ambition: To be a musician on Broadway  
Alexander Donald Rivera
"Al, Big Al"

**Ambition:** Baseball Player; **Memories:** 4yr VB B4yr BF AR DK AR 4Ethaxx Mom Dad Tagga straight upn no Doubt!!! Hangin with AR CC WBingok Beams Thanx ForTheMemories!!!

Amiel Andre Rivera

**Memories:** So long PV. It’s been a great run. Yay to SR, JB, and MT. Icyog gotta go, powitha smile. This is Amiel Rivera, signingoff.

Angelica Maria Rodriguez
"Ang"

**Ambition:** Psychologist/Art Therapist; **Memories:** Men's DaGirls RN J5 MA CS OS ORO HotSpot SWhs AC CO LI CaPtys BRRFBorn 4yrz BF WagsLUVU SmeSmn HrtBigs 2U1434e MAnassist Jorge TU4 evryngLuvU. **Secret Ambition:** To never let anybody get the best of me and keep me from getting ahead.

Thomas Charles Roskop Junior
"Tom, Pongo, Kipper, Buddha, Papa"

**Ambition:** Aeronautical/Aerospace Engineer; **Memories:** Oiveylydrama? plays stage crew Interact keypeer Bilperch Ch Droofene1? Thanx mom dad fam friends deep EE JMJC MHC CCS MFKB AR KM Thanx4 allL48. **Secret Ambition:** To Live Life to its Fullest!. National Honor Society

Rachel Theresa Russo
"Rach, Ray"

**Ambition:** Journalism/Theater/Communication Arts; **Memories:** 4yrz Drama Fhoby97 Gr8Tnaw. JC EE TR CC CS MV BF KM MS KZ KB AC 12:10:99 k8Ment. SBCV, BC Waana LetuceGMBF 4EGRls WdPan! HLOUS!er PMW w00. **Secret Ambition:** To create and perform in my own music video for MTV.

Rodrigo Saba
"Ro"

**Ambition:** Engineering at Columbia University; **Memories:** Chilien CP FD TW beatinRC MinsPiccess RJ HT PMa Spray foronawA BheedDP StichesSJD Mom Mike couldn’t have done with outyou L0ts oLovePeace. **Secret Ambition:** To bend space and time just to find the second gunman in the grssey knoll.

Marianella Robledo
"Mer. Merbear"

**Ambition:** Biology; **Memories:** Lotaof Gr6Xxx/ AO DB LC DB SW CC MG AM JP KC- E Diaz- LBI"OD" FH3yrs BZZZ* ShootingStar * Trendy* Sept20Ev6* ThaMami Papi PediLove. U L0ts* **Secret Ambition:** To marry someone in a band.

Scott Anthony Rowland
"Rowland"

**Ambition:** Interior Designer; **Memories:** SomeNYWX 2yrs* NewYrs 00, 01 WW9000001 MD0001 The Crew <3 *The gusy <3U So Much! CW, HB, CW, JC, SS Dei Ar Crew 4E Jared my BF1<3U! Dad Mom KIM I uuul! **Secret Ambition:** To finally fight back!!

Stephanie Susan Saia
"Saia, Sewer, Josia"

**Ambition:** Journalism; **Memories:** 4yrz Drama Fhoby97 Gr8Tnaw. JC EE TR CC CS MV BF KM MS KZ KB AC 12:10:99 k8Ment. SBCV, BC Waana LetuceGMBF 4EGRls WdPan! HLOUS!er PMW w00. **Secret Ambition:** To create and perform in my own music video for MTV.
Kathy Salomone
"Kat, Salami, ASP"

Ambition: Cosmetologist/Police Officer; Memories: KC SL EM BF FE WW "OO" The Blender The Porch Of Love And Afection MOTTSLabor Day Weekend The Jeep Club "In Houlihns And All That Wicky Wicky Fun Stuff!" Secret Ambition: To live for today, smile for tomorrow, and laugh about yesterday.

Kathleen M. Sannik
"Kathy, Kat"

Ambition: Computer Specialist; Memories: My 4 yrs at PV w/ my grls KC KS SL MO MP JA CD MG Thanx mom & dad for all your support & help! Thank you guys! Summer of 2000 CH CR SK DK BD CP. Secret Ambition: To finally receive my dream.

Crystal Lee Shopperth
"Crys"

Ambition: Psychology; Memories: " RE CS MB LB HK KA VA SS NO TH XA MF MP ZZU BE VR YY NG XZ FDM- MOLY BSATI FFFL VV UW ALLMYHT TH XA SUPORT NG MEGU YSLUVALLU LL FVGETNE CMUABSL. Secret Ambition: To live each day to its fullest because yesterday is the past, tomorrow's the future, and today is a gift, which is why we call it the present.

Cristina Diana Serapiglia
"Crissy Pooh"

Ambition: lawyer; Memories: 4 yrsWX PatsH400 3-VballRP 13yrs monyrv CoSMRogghd LB HK SS NO huevever VJ JP IW KA-Y WOO02 guys- huv ualwys JJ Ant Nickthn 4bether MOM&DAD thanx4all. Secret Ambition: To keep reaching for the stars because they can't reach me.

Bhakti Shah

Ambition: Computers and College; Memories: Field Hockey and The Team The Teachers. Secret Ambition: To be a singer, interior designer, and a nurse.

Nicole Elizabeth Shamey
"Nick"

Ambition: College; Memories: Though We GoRepe- ato Ways unwant 4got The Memories Mad CK Bey GJ? Yaquista IKS Keep It Real DIT WJ 4U Luv U To Dyour My Heart & Soulmissums UMBS St. Secret Ambition: To never let anyone hold me back.

Rudy Simonetti
"Rudy Poo, Rock, Jabroni, Rude-Dog"

Ambition: My friends say I should be a football coach; Memories: Meestay2KMemorial Day00 AltidorParties Cotillion2000 The W Park Tarent fighting My Dad. Secret Ambition: That's a secret, Jabronis.

Allen Soohoo
"Al"

Ambition: To receive my M.B.A.; Memories: Varsity Outdoor Track, Indoor Track and Cross Country First Team All County PV Honor Society Thank You DAD, MOM and Janette. Secret Ambition: To become Chairman of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System. National Honor Society
Brandon P. Spinelli

**Ambition:** To be the man. **Memories:** 2My Boys: Keep It Real. Nuts Can Break Our Circle. JD: URLike A Sia. PA: Tripe: Mad Love Mom & Dad. L-Time. Never Let The Memories Go. **Secret Ambition:** To believe "I grew up doing dumb things that made me wise."

Raffaele Stampone

"Ralph, Spinito, Billy Jean"

**Ambition:** To buy a unicycle. **Memories:** Skating in the city wit GH and CW. Drivin wit JP, GR, CW, VT at FG, DB at Mt. Eggs at MCD8. Remember the trip to VA. Gina, Greg, CW? **Secret Ambition:** Ride the unicycle down the Great Wall of China juggling a shoe, an elephant, & a fish.

Christopher John Sterba

"Sterba, Sterba, World's Sexiest Man"

**Ambition:** To get paid for doing what I love: artwork and acting. **Memories:** Plays 4 Yr Crew Was Up 6 Mol 1 yr Hanglow. BB SHA TR MP AR KE EE-JU CC CV RR KM Thanks For The Laughs. Thanks Mom Dad 44 Everyhing Are Biblio To Future! **Secret Ambition:** Save the World.

Dan Stratthaus

**Ambition:** To be a State Trooper. **Memories:** Trail The Good Times, La Ha Doh! Len with CM GNYC BZ JM SS DC D'Othem times. Hu Dracin' Gon route80a. Loo st all them hot Times Had Doin' Dounuts. **Secret Ambition:** To get a job I like and make a lot of money.

Edward Paul Sullivan

"Eddie"

**Ambition:** To be a State Trooper. **Memories:** Trail The Good Times, La Ha Doh! Len with CM GNYC BZ JM SS DC D'Othem times. Hu Dracin' Gon route80a. Loo st all them hot Times Had Doin' Dounuts. **Secret Ambition:** To get a job I like and make a lot of money.

Stephen Sylvester

"Sly, Betty Crocker"

**Ambition:** To be a Chef. **Memories:** Hey Nutes Db, BC HI SHA CD, JC JM, o'ward, TY, TB Timmy, JA, LU, CW2, SS, chillin', M00-00, Aruba, brick, Football, Luv Hk-Iwkeit, Mr BN4. **Secret Ambition:** To find out what Victoria's secret really is?

Kevin Michael Szczecina

"Kev"

**Ambition:** To be a winner. **Memories:** ToMortal Love You HEY GEE MLS Mg, Le Md Ce Md Cr Td Ki Ac Mp FORED Jr Pr Rp Jn Jv Js Mv Jk Rk Bc Wannan Cookie? It's Just One Those Days! Remember. **Secret Ambition:** To Rock A Rhyme With Durst.

Georgina Tafaro

"Gina"

**Ambition:** To become a successful marine biologist. **Memories:** I just want to sally lovers all my friends and hopes our stayfriends forever. Hito MV, KB, LC, DB, JC, AC, and RR. Thanks to my family and teachers. **Secret Ambition:** To get what I want and keep it.

Brant Tedeschi

**Memories:** Thanks To My Mom & Daddies. BTW, Blake 'n Never Paying You Back For BK. Whatup2 MD, JP, SS, NEZ, U All Fear Pat! **Secret Ambition:** Being an A+ student.
Christine A. Tenchka
“Chris”

Ambition: Psychologist; Memories: Mom/Sis/Fam thanx4everything Luv /All C&J/HPC/SH DM, EM, JH, AM-Thank u 4beingthere 4Me/Dave thanx4ur support LUV/U Sterback all Fun Lunches. Secret Ambition: To live a happy life with the ones I love.

James Matthew Thomas
“Thomas, Matt, Leaderdog”

Ambition: To Be A Rock Star; Memories: Thanx 4U All CT CA CK crewahnd dldw/whk: bdpshw/chf OOSGDay ParkWest/Do SuBelle/Kh backdrop arbor/Lay ceeeeeeGolden MOMDadFire In The Hole. Secret Ambition: To find the secret ingredients in the muffins. National Honor Society

Michele Trinea
“Mich, Chel”

Memories: Chillin/ LC RL JP RR Lots/OF Fun Mem-bu most OVmy1stand onlyMichael I Love U Thanks tomyFam /Luv you MOMDAD Jenn/Scott and my Q-Tips Emmie.

John Franco Trovato
“Johnnie T, Trovato, Johnny, Trovats”

Ambition: Photography and Chef; Memories: Chil-lens/myboyz/Mef, JA, TR, SW, DB, BS, RC, LD, 3yr/Fb-Me /FeetsalDWA, PWT Monday Wood 10/1 900 debut For the rest off my friends and my family 1 +3USecret Ambition: To be a Professional Wrestler.

Peter Turano

Memories: Tomyfriends LI Lt, Tw, Ar, Dh, MI, Dy, Na Wehadu lotoff goodtimes. Likek Ebyyear. “itsalive” hesa. 1’dlike to thank my parents formaking uneven miss uaday.

Clayton R. Turner

Memories: Tomyfriends LI Lt, Tw, Ar, Dh, MI, Dy, Na Wehadu lotoff goodtimes. Likek Ebyyear. “itsalive” hesa. 1’dlike to thank my parents formaking uneven miss uaday.

Kris B. Umagat

Ambition: Secret; Memories: 1st Thanks to All teachers It’s been fun. Not much memories, Good Luck to Everyone. Filipino, (TKD) all the way baby, AMont TaHere Peace, Kris. Secret Ambition: Can’t tell you that, it’s a secret.

Lee John Urgo

Ambition: Professional ping-pong player with Jeff; Mem-ories: Best/Friends- Ed/Tom John/Jared Chris/Craig Jeff/ Marty A/Justin ... JP/GG So Rz Dv Cy Md Seapoint Surf-sideAmanda 12/11Thnx 4PuttingUpW/ Mel/LoveU Fam/Thnx 4everything, Luv/UAll. Secret Ambition: To hit a 3 in the Garden with my John Stark’s jersey on. National Honor Society

Catherine Ann Velazquez
“Cappy, Cat, Cass”

Ambition: Clinical Psychologist; Memories: Thnx4 Memories So Mb Fe Ju Luv/U’s Manda/Una FlInVv4 get/Uguys Leo/Chng MyLifeUr My BestFriend 4yrs VBall, Mom/Dad KLIDean’t Live W/o’s Cool Crew. Secret Ambition: To be as brave and wise as my par-ents. National Honor Society
Ambition: to become a successful doctor; Memories: “Sweet hrs. have perished here. This is a mighty room. Within... hopes have played, Now Shadows in the tomb. Mom & Dad Noisy Thnx 4 All. Secret Ambition: to echo in the hearts and minds of all those I encounter. National Honor Society

Scott Wells
“Toxic”

Ambition: Lawyer; Memories: Car Wars/ Game Rom/ Erins r the best. All my friends: EM JH MB SJ Mar AO SP SL CC DB KZ PC ND I'll miss u lbg & time got now. Secret Ambition: To dominate the world.

Teena Marie Wood
“Tee”

Ambition: Psychologist; Memories: Though we go our own ways friends well remain CT NS KB JF AP KZ JK RS LL. Love U Good Luck to all seniors Month thanks for being there Hello!!!. Secret Ambition: What you are tomorrow are the results of what you want to be or dream today.

Carol Ann Voorhis

Ambition: Elementary Education; Memories: Zall my friends & don’t forgv us the good times we had, to my parents thanx 4 the Mem. To my family: Mom Craig & Krista Thank you Andy Remember the deck! Secret Ambition: To find my somewhere over the rainbow.

Christina Volpe
“Volpe, Vulpix”

Ambition: Journalist; Memories: 3yrs vball. crew Fri nite at mom., sanctuary, peppers concert. AP Bio, SCW/ DN & JC. BF, RF, GI, CS, JM, DP, RM, KB, AR, LB JJD luz ya. mom, dad, John & Ed thanks 4 everything. Secret Ambition: To try to do what I do everyday: take over the world. National Honor Society

Myesha Shaques Woodley
“Esha, Black”

Ambition: To be a success in whatever I choose to do; Memories: Bye Bye to my closest peeps Dm Sg Sw Ak Of babydaddie funch99! Thanx40 To my Hs Sweetheart David svwillalways love u Sept 2299 todeelove you 2001.

Marisa Nicole Vescio
“Maris, Vesh”

Ambition: to become a successful doctor; Memories: “Sweet hrs. have perished here. This is a mighty room. Within... hopes have played, Now Shadows in the tomb. Mom & Dad Noisy Thnx 4 All. Secret Ambition: to echo in the hearts and minds of all those I encounter. National Honor Society

Heather Marie Wyatt
“Winnie, Wyatt.”

Memories: GD2yrs Silly me Jac we have been through so much. Can’t wait 4the rest. Thx 4crew u’s CS, VA, KA, LO woocase. Thnx2 my friends & family 4being there for me. Secret Ambition: To remember that life is too short to spend lot of time on things I really don’t want to be doing.

Michael Wyka
“Twix, Mickey Std”

Ambition: Education; Secret Ambition: To see a sunrise and a sky full of stars.

Danielle C. Yeo
“Yo”

Ambition: To make lots of money; Memories: To my friends HC, KB, CV2C, DN, MT, CT, NS, FP, CH I luv u guys & don’t forgv us the good times we had, to my parents thanx4 being there thru the years to my bro luv u! Secret Ambition: To see into tomorrow, not looking back on yesterday.
Ambition: To keep it real

Memories: To all my boys, you know who you ARE. It's all about the Chillin' Jackie: all my Luv 424 Mom, Dad, Kar, Andrew. Thnx!

Secret Ambition: Class President National Honor Society

Brian Zanca
"Bri, B, Brzane"

Ambition: To get a job that pays good, but not to do a lot of work; Memories: To my friends GN, JM, CH, CM, ES what's the deal. We are finally graduating. Just remember boys stick together. Can't forget thinking about RF. Alright. Secret Ambition: I want to have all the $ in the world.

Larry Justin Zisa
"Led, Big L, L"

Ambition: To get Joe back in school; Memories: Chillin' w/my cru Mdayak AC, GB, JD443E don't get many trips to Seaside Point. Thnx mom & dad 4everything watch it go PEACE. Secret Ambition: To make millions.

Also Graduating

Shawn Battersby

Robert Debeneadto

Joe Gencarelli

Chris Jenkins

Erica Manger

Laura Manista

Nicole McGlynn

Dianna Moers

Andrew Paradiso

Joseph E.A. Vankat

Steven Anthony Webb

Kristén Zliceski

Ambition: FBI Agent; Memories: What up2 all myboys thnx4gr8 times livndie by the3 JP CD NS trufrendz Keepthe goodmemories 4Ever Almylvun 2Nicole ROADS. Secret Ambition: A motivational speaker that lives in a van down by the river.

Nicholas Anthony Accomando VIII

"Acc-E, Swoosh"

Ambition: Entrepreneur; Memories: Much Lov 2 fam Bloods thicker than H2O Thnx Mom Dad evrything it was alwayss will Appreciated IHCACAL GK Internationally Known. Secret Ambition: To abolish ignorance.

Ismail Canbulat

"Ish, Smiles"

Ambition: Entrepreneur; Memories: Much Lov 2 fam Bloods thicker than H2O Thnx Mom Dad evrything it was alwayss will Appreciated IHCACAL GK Internationally Known. Secret Ambition: To abolish ignorance.
Best Looking 1st Place
Tom Yutko and Megan Minieri
Runners Up
Anthony Reddin and Angelica Rodriguez, Alex MacPhail and Marisa Beagin, Adele Carfi, Sandra Dugan, Jackie Wagniere, Heather Wyatt

Most Likely To Succeed 1st Place
Jared Noordyk and Sara Nowen
Runners Up
Lee Urgo, Dan Cook, and Nicole Morino, Damian Potenzione and Christina Volpe

Class Clown 1st Place
John Kilpatrick and Shavon Herald
Runners Up
Sal Incorvia and Francesca Cerrigone, Matt Dwyer and Cathy Velazquez

Class Cutie 1st Place
Jason Martin and Kristin Armato
Runners Up
Jimmy DeStefano and Monique Bonilla, Jeff Cherico, Amer Khalil and Stephanie Saia

Class Flirt 1st Place
Bernie Ciongoli and Nicole Irvine
Runners Up
Justin Ferrazzano and Angelica Rodriguez, Ismail Cambulat, Chris Wright, and Melinda Gregory
Typical Valley 1st Place
Bernie Ciongoli and Lisa Batelli

Runners Up
Chris Wright, Rick Cristoful, and Kelly Wenz,
Joe Agnes and Marisa Beagin

Nicest Smile 1st Place
Corey Kennedy and Myesha Woodley

Runners Up
Jason Martin and Nicole Okragely, Tareq Batarseh and Jackie Wagiere

Best Dressed 1st Place
Tom Yutko and Rachael Pizio

Runners Up
Eddie DeRosa and Kathleen Frey, Edwin Argueta and Stephanie Saia

Most Dramatic 1st Place
Tom Roskop and Rachel Russo

Runners Up
Christopher Sterba and Jamie Cole, John Kilpatrick and Shavon Herald

Class Couple 1st Place
Jason Hanrahan and Monique Bonilla

Runners Up
Stephanie Saunders and Joe Macaluso,
Adele Carfi and Paul D'Allegro
Most Talkative 1st Place
Stephen Sylvester and Cristina Serapiglia
Runners Up
Steven Ovadia and Rosanna Fernicola,
Bernie Ciongoli, Lee Urgo, and Shavon Herald

Most Athletic 1st Place
Rick Cristoful and Stephanie Leporini
Runners Up
Chris Wright and Diane Bolchune, Craig Wright and Jackie Wagniere

Best Companion On A Desert Island
1st Place
John Kilpatrick
Runners Up
Larry Zisa, Matt Dwyer

"You see us as you want to see us: in the simplest terms, in the most convenient definitions. But what we found out is that each one of us

Personality Plus 1st Place
David Leporini and Stephanie Leporini
Runners Up
Amer Khalil and Rachael Pizio, Rick Cristoful, Matt Dwyer,
John Kilpatrick and Maria Pisapia

Class Inseparables 1st Place Boys
Dave Barratin, Rick Cristoful, Chris Decker, and Stephen Sylvester
Runners Up
Paul D’Allegro, Bobby Hanna, and Brandon Spinelli,
Mike Brancaccio and Marc DelCarpio
Class Rebel 1st Place
Jay Nowak, (Not Pictured: Stephanie Machael)
Runners Up
Bobby Hanna and Jamie Alessio, Guy Gencarelli and Shavon Herald

is: a brain .... and an athlete ....
and a basket case .... a princess ....
and a criminal .... "
- The Breakfast Club

Most Artistic 1st Place
John Goldberg, Joe Psota, and Sara Nowen
Runners Up
Nick Fierro and Monique Bonilla, Christopher Sterba, Ralph Stampone, and Stephanie Cheff

Most Musical 1st Place
Dan Cook and Kelly Billig
Runners Up
Adam Bird and Catherine Cugliari, Tom Roskop and Kelly Wenz

Class Inseparables 1st Place Girls
Adele Carfi, Cathy Cassanelli, and Megan Minieri
Runners Up
Heather Wyatt and Jackie Puluse, Angelica Rodriguez and Jackie Wagniere

Most Changed Since Freshman Year 1st Place
Adam Bird and Kristin Armato
Runners Up
Joe Palladino and Kathleen Frey, Tareq Batarseh and Jackie Puluse
"Times have changed
Here I come. But I

Above: Neil DeDio & Lee Urgo as little saints. (wink wink)


Right: Dan Cook and Chris Wright rakin in the awards.

Left: Chris Wright, J. Martin, Craig Wright, J. Noordyk, S. Wells, J. Chirico, a stick named Geoff, & B. Tedeschi up close & personal.
And times are strange. 
ain't the same.”
-Ozzy Osbourne


Above: Kathleen Frey and Chris Sterba. Can you find them?

Senior Survey:
"Is that your final answer?" - Regis Philbin (Who Wants to be a Millionaire)
Desert island rule with you?
Friends stereo

Where is your favorite place to hang out?
Friend’s house
Mall
Diner

Do you think Mrs. Monte’s baby will be a boy or a girl?
69% say boy
31% say girl

What is something you have always wanted to do but never dared?
Skydive
Bungee Jump
Cut Class

What is your favorite cafeteria cookie?
Chocolate Chip
Sugar
M & M

What kind of car do you have?
Accord
Blazer
Neon

What is the average amount of sleep that you get in one night?
6 hours
7 hours
8 hours

Favorite Passaic
Event?
Football Games
Graduation

Have you ever been in Mr. Settembre’s office?
80% say yes
20% say no

What Goes around comes around!
Dude!
Just Bring It!
Wasssup!!
I can’t believe I ate the whole thing
Life is short, eat cake.

Quality!

FAVORITE SAYINGS

Just keep on Rollin’
MEH!
Chillin’

Quality!
“He who forgets will be

Senior
destined to remember.”

Eddie Vedder

Candids
“I only know one thing: that I’m gonna win, and they’re gonna lose.
I like that feeling.” ~Faith, *Buffy the Vampire Slayer*
"Refuse to lose. You have to go hard or go home."

The Boys Soccer team under head coach Rory Fitzgerald went through a season of ups and downs but finished the year with a record of 5-15. The Hornets played well against some of the best teams in northern New Jersey. The team’s biggest victories came on September 15th against West Milford and October 7th against Don Bosco Tech. Senior Ruhan Derti and Sophomore Marcello Follano each scored a pair of goals in a thrilling 5-4 triumph over West Milford. Later in the season, the 10th seeded Hornets upset Don Bosco Tech in the opening round of the Passaic County Tournament with a shootout victory after playing 100 minutes of scoreless soccer.

Derti was the team’s leading scorer with 7 goals, and Follano was 2nd on the team with 4 goals. Junior Laythe Hazin and Senior Kevin Brandell hit the back of the net 3 times, and Junior Geno DiSanti and Senior Ronny Bajic scored twice. Also scoring goals for PV were Seniors Neil DiDio, Amer Khalil, and Dan Jasnic. Junior Mike Puzo, and Sophomore Nick Mataya also contributed to the goal scoring this season. DiDio, who received 1st team All County Honors. Brandell, and sweeper Jeff Drohik were the team’s captains. Junior Mike Turdo started the year in net and played well when he returned from a back injury late in the season. Senior Chris Miller stepped in and kept the team alive in a lot of games. The wins didn’t add up, but the 2000 Boys Soccer season was anything but a disappointment.

"Don’t ask, don’t tell."

"Ruhan Derti winds up for the big shot."

"Neil DiDio admires the cornerkick."

BOYS SOCCER SCORES
* = County tournament games
9-11: vs. Millburn- LOST 0-3
9-13: at Delbarton- LOST 0-3
9-15: at West Milford- WON 5-4
9-21: vs. Lakeland- LOST 0-1
9-22: vs. Orange- WON 4-2
9-25: at West Orange- LOST 0-2
9-27: vs. Wayne Valley- LOST 0-2
9-28: vs. Clifford Scott- WON 8-9
10-3: at Pequannock- LOST 1-2 OT
10-5: at Millburn- LOST 1-5
10-7: at Don Bosco Tech*- WON 0-0 (5-3 PK)
10-10: vs. Delbarton- LOST 0-4
10-13: vs. West Milford- LOST 0-3
10-14: at Pompton Lakes*- LOST 0-2
10-16: at Hawthorne Christian- LOST 1-5
10-17: at Orange- LOST 3-8
10-19: at Lakeland- LOST 1-2
10-24: vs. West Orange- LOST 0-3
10-27: at Wayne Valley- LOST 0-4
10-31: at Clifford Scott- WON 2-0

Go Hard
THE SENIORS


Or Go Home

“Jeff Drobik surveys the field.”
“Chris Miller makes the leaping save.”
“Tom Yutko has his game face on.”
“Tom Petofi shows off his amazing left-footed shot.”

BOYS’ SOCCER 139
"I've never seen an odder looking record than 5-5-5."

The Lady Hornets reached new heights during the successful, yet odd, 2000 season. In late October the Hornets could not have looked at a stranger record, with 5 wins, 5 losses, and 5 ties. They had once again qualified for the state tournament, only this time their record had a little twist to it. For the first time the team scored more goals than it let up. The Hornets showed vast improvement by tying rivals Mt. St. Dominic and West Milford. The team has become a threat to conference powerhouses such as Wayne Valley who they tied on Valley's own turf. With four out of the five defenders returning from last year's team the Hornet defense looked solid. Senior goalkeeper Captain Stephanie Leporini led the defense. Senior Captain Jackie Wagniere, playing right fullback, motivated the team by constantly pushing her teammates to work hard. Junior Katelynn Woolsey, sweeper, Junior Kelly Nagel, stopper, and Junior Jill Palmieri, left fullback, completed the Hornet defense. Picking up her game, sophomore Giuliana Minervini led the Hornet's goal scoring with nine goals. Working hard at midfield and contributing tremendously to the Hornet offense were Juniors Cara Bartolomeo and Sue Michelli. Also contributing at mid-field were Juniors Melisa Strignile and April Carmemolla and Sophomore Marisa Attianese. A new addition to the Hornet roster this year was freshman Alexandra Castello. This hard working young player looks promising for next season. With the loss of only three seniors Coach Portillo hopes for even more improvement and a return to the state tournament for the third year in a row. Individual Awards: Stephanie Leporini- First Team All-County & Second Team All-Conference; Giuliana Minervini- Second Team All-Conference & Honorable Mention All-County; Cara Bartolomeo- Honorable Mention All-Conference & Honorable Mention All-County; Katelynn Woolsey- Honorable Mention All-Conference.

"You don't always win your battles, but it's
Once again, the Passaic Valley Marching Band and Color Guard successfully completed their busy season. After attending Band Camp in August, the band and color guard marched their way through a hectic season of football games and competitions. They began their season on a high note after receiving an astonishing 1st place victory at Porchester, NY. Later in the season, with Kelly Billig conducting the marching band, they hosted a competition on the PV football field. They then moved on to the state-wide competition, where with their show, “Channel One Suite,” a number previously performed by the Buddy Rich Big Band, took 5th place in the Group IA Open. The color guard also took home 1st place for the third consecutive time.

Mr. James Millar - Director
Most Memorable event of the season: “The great marching band and the mosquitoes.”

“Use what talents you have; the sang their song except those

Kelly Billig (below) - Drum Major
Kirsten Dooling - Assistant Drum Major
Catherine Cugliari - Color Guard Captain
Lisa Charalampous - Assistant Color Guard Captain
Amanda Barone - Brass Captain
Mike Martin - Drum Captain
Joe Kay - Drill Captain
Ann Alfano - Woodwind Captain

Alan Lipovchenko, Crystal Gutjuznt, Jenna Cipolla
Catherine Cugliari - Color Guard Captain
Heather Williams, Ann Alfano, Phil McCormick

Eric John Bilynsky, Dana La Marca, Alex Fernandez
Phil McCormick, David Downing, Jason Perna, Rya McGrantham

142/MARCHING BAND
"We are the music makers, and we are the dreamers of the dreams." - Gene Wilder in "Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory"

"Woody woods would have little music if no birds who sang best." - Reverend Oliver G. Wilson
The Passaic Valley cheering squad began practice in mid-August when the team gathered to prepare for Dance Camp. They visited Rutgers University with five other schools to compete for the best routine performance. The girls placed second overall in the camp’s competition.

Shortly after they returned from camp, they quickly began to prepare for the upcoming football season. Captain Lisa-Marie Batelli and Co-Captain Jaimie Gulla led the girls in the first game played at West Orange. From then on, they continued the season pep-ping up the crowds to keep the Hornet spirit alive. They cheered their personal football player on throughout every game. Traditionally, the cheerleaders baked “goodies” for them the day before the game to wish them the best of luck in the game.

A particular group of girls were chosen to be on the competition team. Competition practiced from the end of October till November 16th, the day of competition. It was held at West Milford High School, and the girls placed 4th in the Dance Category.

The Cheerleaders highlighted the season with an inspiring performance at the last football game of the season against Wayne Valley on Thanksgiving Day. They will also be cheering on the Hornet basketball team.

“*This year was my first year with these cheerleaders and I had a great time. Everyone on this squad worked so hard and did great at the football games cheering the crowds and the team. I’m going to miss the seniors next year. It’s been fun!*”

-Beth Budd

**Cheerleading is more than a sport**

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144/CHEERING
Go! Fight! Win!

It's an attitude. - Anonymous

Hornets

Cheering 146
The 2000 Hornet Football season started with high expectations. There were numerous returning starters, many of whom were seniors. The coaching staff, led by Bill Johnson, was just as excited for what would turn out to be a successful campaign. The Hornets lost four regular season games by very narrow margins, but still won a berth into the North 1, Group 3 state playoffs. They were defeated in the first round by Northern Highlands in dramatic fashion. Trailing by a touchdown with just seconds remaining, junior quarterback Justin Vitterito threw a touchdown pass to sophomore Ryan Gaffney. The Hornets would go on to lose in overtime but returned PV Football back to where it belongs-in the playoffs.

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"Kids come to PV for two reasons-to get a diploma and to get the ball back."
Coach Bill Johnson

Winning isn’t everything ~
it's the only thing" -Vince Lombardi
With the onset of PV’s fall sports program, the girls gymnastics team was faced with the challenge of overcoming a series of obstacles that would prove to be vital in the outcome of their season. Disappointingly last year, they were forced to forfeit all of their team competitions due to lack of athletes. The team also had to battle with inexperience because they consisted only of freshmen, with only one or two upperclassmen. This season however, the addition of freshmen Mariel Bonilla, Rita Connizzo, and Jaclyn Shark, not only completed the team, but brought with them a strong gymnastics background that proved to be very valuable during competitions. Returning sophomores, Erica Kobloth, Carina Murone, Christina Romeo, Nicole Stryker, Theodora Tsatsos, and Kaitlyn Guerrero provided a stable backbone for the team with their previous high school experience. Led by Captain Julie Molinari and fellow senior Amy Kansay, the gymnastics team finished their season with a record of 3-7. Although this may not appear to be an outstanding record, it is something that the team can be proud of, knowing that they have worked hard to improve last year’s team. Looking to the future, one can only expect for the team to become better at their sport.

Team Awards:
9th place League Championships
6th place State Sectionals
5th place County Championships

Individual Awards:
9th Jackie Shark- 1st Team All County Beam 6th place, 12th place State Sectionals Beam Honorable Mention
12th Julie Molinari- 2nd Team All County All Around Honorable Mention League Championships
9th Rita Connizzo- Honorable Mention All County
12th Amy Kansay- Honorable Mention All County
the perfect mix of say a ballerina, a weight can simply be a ... gymnast.”

From top left: Nicole Stryker, Julie Molinari, Amy Kansa, Erica Kobloch, Jaclyn Shark, Carina Murone, Christina Romeo, Kaitlyn Guerrero, Mariel Bonilla, Rita Gonnizzo, Theodora Tsatsos.

"I could run like the wind blows ..."

"I can't wait until basketball season." - Joseph Polifonte

"Running builds strength mentally and physically." - Allen Soohoo

"I want to finish and go home." - Michael Piccirillo

"The best runner is the smartest one." - Mark Nocito
The boys cross country team was able to use the experience and talent of Seniors Mark Nocito, Mike Piccirillo, Joseph Polifonte, and Captain Allen Soohoo to run in another winning season. The team prepared for the fall season before school even started, by training hard throughout the entire summer. As the season progressed, the team steadily improved. They completed their season with a 13-4 record en route to a fourth place finish at the Northern Hills Conference Championships. The team then had their best performance of the season at the Passaic County Championships after finishing in third place.

The girls cross country team also had a winning season under the fine leadership of Senior Captain Rachel Ligieri. The Lady Hornets ran to a third place finish at the Northern Hills Conference Championships and a fourth place finish at the Passaic County Championships, with first place finishes from Sophomore Jesse Mizzone. Juniors Krystal Cordero and Melissa Spencer, also along with Sophomore Erin Wilk, contributed to the team's successful season.

Mark Nocito
Second Team Passaic County
Honorable Mention Northern Hills Conference
Michael Piccirillo
Honorable Mention Passaic County
Joseph Polifonte
Second Team Passaic County
Honorable Mention Northern Hills Conference
Allen Soohoo
First Team Passaic County
Second Team Northern Hills Conference
J.D. Worrall
Honorable Mention Passaic County
Krystal Cordero
Second Team Passaic County
Second Team Northern Hills Conference
Melissa Spencer
Honorable Mention Passaic County
Honorable Mention Northern Hills Conference
Erin Wilk
Honorable Mention Passaic County
Honorable Mention Northern Hills Conference

“The success and enjoyment shared by the coaches and athletes during the cross country season is directly related to the fine senior leadership provided by Rachel Ligieri, Mark Nocito, Mike Piccirillo, Joe Polifonte, and Allen Soohoo. They are to be congratulated for a job well done.” - Coach Mizzone

... I was running.”

Forrest Gump

Rachel, Erin, and Lauralee are happy in the freezing rain.

“Whine, record, whine ... It’s what I do.” - Steven Ovadia
"The most memorable moment of this season was beating my old coach at Butler High School for the first time in my coaching career." - Coach Hergert

After losing twelve seniors last season, the Hornet field hockey team faced adversity as the 2000 season began. Though doubtful of the season’s outcome, the Hornets were determined to sharpen their skills and become one of the top contenders in the county and conference. Consisting of only four seniors and a crop of underclassmen, the Hornets relied on their team enthusiasm and perseverance to lead the team. Under the guidance of Coach Hergert, the field hockey team finished the season on a high note by winning three of their last four games, and matched last year’s season record of 6-9-3. The team’s seniors took control of the offense with senior Link Diane Bolchune leading the team with four goals and two assists. Senior Link Kelly Wenz scored three goals, two of which were unassisted, and added two assists. Senior Forward Nicole Morino tallied three goals on the season. On the defensive end, Juniors Kelly Palmer and Cathy Tice made several key saves to keep the Hornets in many critical games. Junior Goalie Kelly Palmer had 239 saves on the season with six shutout games. Junior Sweeper Cathy Tice added eight defensive saves. The 2000 Hornet field hockey team proved that dedication and hard work could overcome all obstacles.

"The game doesn’t always go to the bigger and faster man,"

but the game sometimes goes to the man who thinks he can!!"
As the 2000 season started, the PV Girls Volleyball team, as usual, faced the rough terrain that every other team faces. However, this year they were dealing with an even bigger issue; where did all the 1999 starters go? From the previous year only two starting players were returning, Seniors Cathy Velazquez and Melissa Reed. Coach Bill Humes needed people who would be able to step up and take on the important varsity roles. After hard work and much searching he found who he needed: Senior Cristina Serapiglia, Junior Tory DeBlock and Sophomores Christine Cook and Michele Coral. Also serving and playing back row were Seniors Erin English and Jackie Conde. The beginning of the season was marked by inexperience but that soon faded and the team grew closer. Due to this tight bond, difficult games became easy tasks, such as their victory over long time rival Lakeland. Of course there were those games that were extremely difficult, as all teams can imagine, but they only brought them closer together.

This incredible season came as a surprise to Coach Humes, teachers, and even maybe the team. The Lady Hornets kept on winning up until their last game. They completed their season with a record of 19-6, the first team in 15 years to surpass 18 wins and achieve second place at the Passaic County Volleyball Tournament. Coach Humes also received the honor of being named Coach of the Year by the Star Ledger. With a hard loss in the beginning of the state finals the Girls Volleyball season came to an exciting and memorable end.

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**Honors**

| Coach Humes | Coach of the Year in the Star Ledger |
| Melissa Reed | 1st Team All County 1st Team All Conference |
| Cathy Velazquez | 2nd Team All County 2nd Team All Conference |
| Cristina Serapiglia | Honorable Mention All County |
| Christine Cook | Honorable Mention All Conference |

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"Let me win, but if I cannot win,"

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Crissy setting up for the kill.

Erin starting off her "killer" serve.

Coral with the kill!
Volleyball

(Clockwise from top) Cathy Velazquez, Melissa Reed, Cristina Serapiglia, Jacqueline Conde, Tory DeBlock, Erin English, Christine Cook, Cortney DeLotto, Michele Coral.

let me be brave in the attempt."
-Special Olympics Motto

Cathy, dig it!

Reed going for the spike.

Seniors- Jacqueline Conde, Erin English, Cristina Serapiglia, Cathy Velazquez, and Melissa Reed.

Jackie- AAA-Ace .... Whoosh!
"It has been a joy coaching these girls and I know next year they'll make their mark!"
-Coach Pollard

The Passaic Valley tennis team had an excellent season. Many newcomers were welcomed onto the team and the overall performance of the former team members improved quite a bit. The season ended with many games won and even an honorable mention award won by Faith Ottino, a junior at Passaic Valley High School. All in all, the team had a lot of fun this season.

"Some people get so all they want out of life is food, sleep, clothes, and a well strung racket."
-Allie Ritzenberg
"Just worry about covering your spares. The strikes will come."

The 2000-2001 bowling season was a year of improvement for the Hornet squad. Not losing any Varsity bowlers to graduation the previous year, the Hornet team was given the time to simply mature and improve upon their skills, of course, with the help of bowling sensation, Coach Frank Ariola. This hiatus proved to be quite beneficial, as the Hornets finished with a record of 15-6, giving them a close second behind the Butler Bulldogs in the Northern Hills Conference and improving upon their 12-6 third place finish last season. Senior Captain Dan Cook took First Team All-Conference while Senior Captain Jerry Porta and Senior Scott Apolito both took Second Team and Junior Jon Fojut received Honorable Mention. The Hornet squad also made a good showing at the Passaic County Tournament, placing fifth out of fourteen teams. Cook finished a stunning seventh out of the 70 or so individuals present, as he also received Second Team All-County honors. Apolito pulled out with Honorable Mention in his last year on the team. Cook and the rest of Coach Ariola’s team were unable to qualify for the State Finals as they competed in the State Sectional Tournament; still yet, the Hornets enjoyed a fun filled and productive season.

"There’s more to bowling than throwing a ball down the lane. There’s a snack bar, too." — Anonymous
The Passaic Valley wrestling team entered the 2000-01 season with high hopes of achieving the former glory the team once possessed. A solid senior class including four year starters Chris & Craig Wright, Ed DeRosa, Edwin Argueta, and Jerry Dawson along with numerous returning underclassmen starters were to provide the leadership and balance the team needed to make them a true championship contender. Key injuries and some unexpected personnel loses though prevented the Hornets from maintaining the depth they needed for the successful season they expected. This is not to say though that the Hornet wrestling squad did not enjoy substantial individual successes. The Wright brothers, Kenny Stiles, Ed DeRosa, and Edwin Argueta all brought home District titles. Jerry Dawson, Methven Yildrim, and Steve Kildow also medaled at the district tournament as and qualified for the regional’s held at Passaic Valley. Chris and Craig Wright were the only two Hornets to qualify for the State tournament for the fourth time of their careers where Craig placed sixth in the state. The Wright Brothers also broke the Passaic Valley record for career wins formerly held by Jason Caruso. Although the Passaic Valley wrestling team did not achieve the high preseason expectations, they did compete well with some of the best teams in the area. The team improved with each match and many of the underclassmen gained the experience they need to be successful in seasons to come. All in all, the wrestlers showed great pride and much can be said about the strong character the team displayed in overcoming the adversity they faced.

“There are some who have wrestled without... it’s realizing that being a great wrestler isn’t a sport, it’s a life.”

-Coach Zarra
great skill; none have wrestled without pride”
-Dan Gable
Despite their greatest efforts, the 2000-2001 Lady Hornets were not able to achieve the successful season that they had intended. Their final record however does not reflect the work ethic or pride that this team displayed. These girls came into the season a young and inexperienced team, trying to prove everybody wrong. Throughout the bulk of the season they had a lot of downfalls, however, they battled through injuries and inexperience. Those events did not bring the team down, in fact, it made them work harder to improve every aspect of their game. A lot of younger girls stepped up when they were needed, promising success for next year's season. Without a doubt, the Lady Hornets had the dedication and determination of a winning team.

“We entered the season young and inexperienced and we struggled to handle the ball and score. Outstanding senior leadership and a work ethic second to none allowed us to gradually improve over the season.” Coach Humes

Junior Katlyn Woolsey

Senior Stephanie Leorini, Senior Monica Fugate. Junior Amy Thoma and Bubba

Senior Diane Bolchunu

Sophomore Megan Corrado
Top row: Katslyn Woolsey, Michelle Coral, Melissa Puzio, Melissa Reed, Stephanie Leporini and Coach Humes. Bottom Row: Heather Camb, Amy Thoma, Monica Fugate, Diane Bolchune and Megan Corrado.

everything to gain!"

Sophomore Melissa Puzio

"The Team"

Senior Stephanie Leporini

Junior Amy Thoma
The Boys Basketball team under head coach Don Roll finished the 2000-2001 season with a 9-13 record. The team captured Passaic Valley's Holiday Tournament held in late December, edging out Clifton and Wayne Hills by a total of four points. With a record of 7-6 in late January, the team had a chance to qualify for the state playoffs but was overwhelmed in three tough games against Millburn, Delbarton, and Manchester in the same week. The Boys also earned the ninth seed in a very tough Passaic County Tournament. Aside from the Holiday Tournament wins, the team swept West Milford in a pair of high-scoring contests, 68-66 and 83-71. The final game of the season was also very impressive because PV scored over 100 points in a 101-59 victory over Elmwood Park.

Senior captain Anthony Reddin was the team's leading scorer all season long and remained in the top five on the area scoring list from December through February. He averaged more than twenty points per game, and scored 50 in the season finale. Senior Joe Polifante was the team's deadliest outside shooter, and Senior Mike DeSimone was a force under the basket, out muscling taller opponents and hustling for every rebound. The other Seniors, Ronny Bajic, Chris Decker, and Jeff Drobik also did a commendable job. As for the underclassmen, Kevin Tuohey, Ryan Philpot, and Rob Whetham all had outstanding seasons, and will shine next season as the future of Passaic Valley Boys Basketball.

"WHAT'S IT"

"Do NOT deny Rob Whetham the baseline."

"Anthony Reddin finds creative ways to score."

"Nice try Joe, but you're already out of bounds."

"Jump Ronny! JUMP!"

"To the Seniors: Thank you for putting the building blocks in place so the underclassmen can succeed in future years."
"Ronny Bajie's new nickname: 'The Blur'"


GONNA TAKE?"

"Pay attention boys and girls, this is the perfect follow-through."

"Reddin smiles in the spotlight."

"I can't watch!"
The 2000-2001 season for the Passaic Valley Ice Hockey team has been its greatest one yet. The third year team accumulated two wins and a tie, surpassing all expectations. Unfortunately the record doesn’t show the team’s improvement from the beginning to end of the season. Both wins came in the last 2 weeks of the season, and 3 of the last 4 losses, the Hornets were beaten by a mere margin of one goal. Now that the team knows the sweet taste of victory, we can all look on to next season as the Hornets will try and clinch their first playoff game. The team was led by seniors Mark Nocito, Jared Gruzas, Captain Robert Debeneadto, and Assistant Captain Tamas Petofi.

“It has been great being the team’s captain. This year’s accomplishments show the team is starting to come around.”
- Team Captain Robert Debeneadto

“It was an honor being the coach of this young and striving team. The team has potential and it is finally starting to show.”
- Coach John Capo

“...skate to where the puck is going to be,
Ice Hockey


not where it has been.” -Wayne Gretzky
Indoor Track

The boys indoor track team used the experience and talent of Senior Captains Rick Cristofol and Allen Soohoo to make impressive showings in many of the major meets. The team trained intensely throughout the freezing winter looking forward to the warmer days of spring. The very young team steadily improved as the season progressed and they gained experience. Rick Cristofol ran strongly and was able to place in major meets including the Passaic County Championships. Allen Soohoo was able to place in the Northern Hills Conference Championships, Passaic County Championships, and Ridgewood Winter Games.

The girls indoor track team also had impressive showings under the fine leadership of Junior Captains Krystal Cordero and Kelly Nagel. The Lady Hornet relay team of Krystal Cordero, Giuliana Minervini, Jesse Mizzone, and Erin Wilk were able to set the school record in the distance medley relay en route to a placing in the Group 2 Relay Championships. Krystal Cordero, Giuliana Minervini and Jesse Mizzone all placed in the Passaic County Championships and in many other major meets. Jesse Mizzone had the most impressive performances winning the Group 2 3200 meters and placing in the State Meet of Champions.

"One cannot really enjoy speed to the absolute limit if there's a destination involved."
- Stirling Moss; British Racecar Driver 1963
As the Hornet golf squad prepares to enter the 2001 season, they find themselves smaller than the previous year. This does not discourage coach Frank Ariola, for he feels this allows him to spend more time working on each player’s swing. As senior Dan Cook steps up to the captain position, he finds himself within the shadow of Ariola’s high expectations. Ariola sees great things from Cook in his final season and is confident he can follow through. Also returning to the lineup are senior Ronnie Bajic, and sophomores Joe Pascrell, Andrew Bacik, and Mark DeCesare. Pascrell is expected to help Cook greatly in creating his fair share of damage. Rookies Adrian Ramos and senior Chris Decker are good additions to the team, as well. Decker is very excited about ending his senior year on the golf course. Only time will tell what is in store for this young team’s season, but this is the same time that will make them better.

"You will almost never make a putt if you hit it short." –Ben Hogan

Sophomore
Andrew Bacik

Sophomore
Joe Pascrell

Hole in ...

One!

Senior
Captain
Dan Cook

Freshman
Steve DeBenedetto

Nice

... Birdie!
The 2001 Boy’s Volleyball team had an extremely successful season. Together, head coach, Bill Humes, and captain, Kevin Brandell, led the team to a great season. (Hopefully!)

It was hard to adjust in the beginning of the season without the leadership of Richard Corthell. However, the key players, Dan Pushack, Rick Adams, Mike Reddin, Tom Defransici, and Kenneth Sauter led the team to a great season.

“Where’s the beef?”
-Coach Phillips

“The success of our season will be determined by how hard a new group of inexperienced players can work as a team and adjust to playing on the varsity level.”
-Coach Humes

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nothing hurts.

- Joe Namath
The 2001 PV Softball year has kicked off this spring with a team filled with prestige and talent. Just coming back from a State Championship with 8 returning Varsity players, this team is sure to have a very promising season. The Hornets are led by captains Stephanie Leporini, Shannon Paris, Melissa Reed, Carol Voorhis, and new head coach Jim Camb. Other returning players who will surely dominate this year include Sue Mitchell, Alexis Sous, and Kelly Palmer. This 2001 season is yet to be another successful one for the Lady Hornets.

"Let's go Ladies!" - Mr. Camb

"I've learned that you shouldn't go hands. You need to be able to throw

through life with a catcher’s mitt on both something back.” - unknown
"There is an end to everything. It is what you do from the beginning to the end that defines your season." Coach Mazzo

The Hornets opened the 2001 season as a hard-working, determined team prepared to face many new obstacles. The team is led by only five returning varsity players, seniors Alex Rivera, Jeff Drobik, Joe Macaluso, Junior Matt Markowski, and Sophomore Ryan Gaffney. With new coach, John Mazzo, the Hornets are adjusting to a new atmosphere. This year the team improved their pitching line-up by adding Greg Ridel, Joe Capo, James Hearny, and Freshman Nick Varcadipane to the rotation. The Hornets have a big hole to fill this year with the loss of nine graduates from last year’s team. The team hopes to make a run in the counties and states with their great speed and good bats.

"Baseball is 90% mental. The other
baseball


half is physical.” ~ Yogi Berra

Outfielders Ryan Gaffney and Vinny Varcadipane

Catcher Matt Markowski

Coaching Staff: Frank Rendini, John Mazzo, Mike Masella
"Running has given me a glimpse of the greatest freedom that a man can ever know, because it results in the simultaneous liberation of both body and mind." ~ Roger Bannister (British Athlete 1956)
As of early spring, the Passaic Valley Track team is anticipating a successful season. After a few years of rebuilding, the group is in serious contention to do well in the conference and county competitions this year. In his second season as head coach, Mr. Porfido is working hard to prepare the athletes for a rigorous season. The team is led by Senior Captains Rick Cristofol, Mike DeSimone, Allen Soohoo, and Tom Yutko.

The track team has a broad range of Senior talent, with an experienced Varsity athlete in almost every event, including B. J. Gourley, Rudy Simonetti, Mark DelCarpio, Amer Khalil, and Jason Masonette. However, an overwhelming showing of underclassmen will add depth to the group. Juniors include Mike Puzzo, Alex Nagy, and Joey Canova. Sophomore talent consists of Tony Martin, Steve Cristofol, Joey Urciuoli, J.D. Worrall, and Kevin Pollizato. The team will also look for newcomers to step it up and contribute to the Varsity Track team.

"Baby, we were born to run!" ~ The Boss

Daniela Baglieri and Lauren Cifrodello

Girls Track Team
“Tennis is one of the few pastimes where love means nothing.”

Anonymous
Greatness Is A Vision.” - Gladiators
“Anybody who tells you money is the root of all evil doesn’t ... have any.” ~Jim Young, Boiler Room
MECHANIC-F/T

Mechanic (full-time) needed for a local trucking company. Must be experienced in brake and suspension repair. Great benefits and opportunity for advancement. Call 555-1234 for more information.

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Certified Medical Assistant needed for a busy clinic. Experience with EHR systems is a plus. Please submit your resume to MedicalAssist@Clinic.com.

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Experienced medical transcriptionist needed for a busy medical office. Must be proficient in dictation software. Please submit your resume to Transcription@Office.com.

MERCHANDISER

Marketing Representative needed for a contemporary retail store. Must be knowledgeable in retail trends and have experience in sales and customer service. Please submit your resume to Retail@Store.com.

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Individual to deliver documents and supplies to various locations in the city. Must have a valid driver's license and good driving record. Please submit your resume to Delivery@City.com.

MUSICIANS WANTED

Band looking for experienced musicians to join their lineup. Must be able to read music and play live shows. Please submit your resume to Band@City.com.

NURSE'S AIDS

The Allendale Nursing Home is seeking a Nurse's Aide to work in the kitchen and assist with meal preparation. Please submit your resume to Nursing@Home.com.

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Busy orthopedic group in Denville is seeking a Certified Nurse Assistant to provide patient care. Please submit your resume to Ortho@Group.com.

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"Children Are Love Made Visible"

Scott Appolito: You are the light of our lives. We are so proud and happy in all your hard work and what you've accomplished. Love and Success. Mom, Dad, Don, Chris & Lex

Kristin Armato: The future is before you and it holds great promise. We look forward to seeing you grow to reach your full potential. We love you, Mom, Dad & Catherine

Vanessa Aversa: Congratulations on your graduation! We're so proud of all your efforts including being such an excellent student and Head of Green Ex. You're a great girl and we love you! Love, Mom, Dad, Subrina, & Rocky.

Daniela Baglieri: Words can't describe how proud we are of you. We know in our hearts that you are a very special person and will be successful, in every aspect of your life. Love, Mom & Dad, Anna Maria & John.

David Barratini: Dear David, Words could never express how proud we are of you and the wonderful young man you have become. You are a kind caring, sincere and unique individual who always brings happiness to those around you. Never forget all the wonderful times and friendships you’ve made at PV. We know you will succeed in college and in all you do for you truly deserve the best! May God always watch over you and keep you in his care. Always remember how very much we love you! Love always Mom, Dad, Craig, and Jeff

Amanda Barone: Your dedication and determination have made us proud of you. You are a very special daughter whom we love very much. Stay focused on your goals and you will never be disappointed. Climb high, climb far. Your goal is the sky, your aim the star. In a full heart, there is room for everything, and in an empty heart there is room for nothing. Always stay the lovable person you are. Love, Mom, Dad, Mark & Veronica.

Tareq Batarseh: You are the joy of our lives. We wish you the brightest future. Mom, Dad, Rasha, Lara & Jumana.

Lisa-Marie Batelli: You're the best daughter any parents could ask for. We are so proud of you, and love you so very much. You always make us smile. Love, Mom & Dad

Lauren Bergeron: Now it's our second little wish's turn to make her way in the world. From the first day you entered our lives, you have been a wonderment both in beauty and in zeal. You have always been your own person. Your enthusiasm zest for life has always been your strength. Remember to aim high and know that your dreams are only goals not yet attained. We're so proud of you. Love always, Mom & Dad

Kristen Bertolero: May God bless you and watch over you as you pass from high school to college. We love you very much and you can be very proud of all of your accomplishments. Love, Mom, Dad, & William.

Adam Bird: With your drive, I know you'll get what you want. Have fun!! Love, Mom.

Megan Blessing: Shoot for the stars. There isn’t anything you can’t achieve. I am so proud of you. Remember, you will always have a Guardian Angel to guide you. Love, Mom.

Diane Bolchune: Dear Diane, The past 4 years have been a blast! Especially the "Pasta Party's"! We wish you all the success and happiness there is to offer. We're all proud of you! Love, Kenny, Mom & Mike

Monique Bonilla: Dearest Monique: We are so very proud of everything that you have accomplished and that you are doing. We love you very much and wish you lots of luck in college. Love, Mom & Dad

Donna Braun: High School is over and you have made us very, proud of you and your accomplishments. Life is a challenge; there are many ups and downs but with you there are more ups. We wish you the best of luck in college and in the future. We will always be there for you. Love Mom & Dad

Mike Brancaccio: Michael, We are so very proud of you and all of your accomplishments. We know you will succeed in all you do! We love you very, very much! Love Mom and the kids.

Mike Brusco: "UG", These past four years have been sad, crazy, and alot of fun. I felt like I was back in PV. I love you and am very proud of what you have become. Love Mom

Diana Campilongo: Dear Diana, We have watched you grow into the lovely young woman that you are. You fill our hearts with pride. May you find success and happiness in everything you do. Remember that there are here for you always and that nothing is impossible. Love Forever, Dad, Mom & Peter

Anthony Cappello: To my son, I want you to know how very proud I am of you at this time in your life. God has given you the brains and the personality to achieve everything you desire. Use them wisely. As you continue to grow, remember that success in life means getting a good education, getting involved, and taking some risks. Believe in yourself and live up to all your responsibilities no matter how small they are. I wish you all the best in life, a healthy, happy and successful future. Unconditionally, I will love you always - Mom

Adele Carfi: Adele, Ambition, Independence, Persistence. We have always loved these traits in you, even though they have sometimes caused conflict. Use your skills, acquire knowledge, become the person you want to be. Make yourself proud! We have always been proud of you. We will always love you and be here for you. Congratulations and best of everything in college and in life. Love Mom, Dad, Claudia and Peter

Cathy Cassanelli: Dear Cathy, We wish you good luck and happiness, a bright future in whatever you choose. We love you always, Mom, Dad, Michael, Daniela and Frankie

Francesca Cerrignone: Congratulations to our dear daughter. You have given us nothing but pleasure throughout your school years. We are very proud of you, and remember for you, the best is yet to be. We love you, Mom, Pappa & Giancarlo.

Stephanie Cheff: Pooh Bear... With pride for all you’ve been, joy for all you are, hope for all you’ll be and love... ALWAYS. Mom, Dad, Greg, Anthony & Tom

Lauren Cifrodello: We have watched you grow from a little girl into a beautiful young woman. We have memories that we will cherish in our hearts forever. You have come a long way in your accomplishments. You are on the road to fulfilling your dreams. Keep up the wonderful work you do. We will always support your dreams and be with you every step of the way. We love you always. Mom, Pete, and Nicole

Bernie Ciongoli: Bernie, You’ve been the source of so much happiness in our lives. What a blessing you were, after 12 years a "baby boy". You’ve touched the lives of everyone around you with your charm and personality. We’re so proud of the confident young man you’ve become. You never cease to amaze us as you reach for your goals and achieve them. Always strive for excellence. Have confidence in your abilities. You’re a born leader who can make a difference in the world. Remember that you’ve been grounded in faith, family values and tradition. Be compassionate and caring as you journey through life. Be true to yourself and you will be successful. You can always depend on our love and support. Love, Mom, Dad & Melissa

Jennifer Colanton: Jennifer, You are the light of my life! What parent could ask for more? Not only a compassionate daughter, you’re my best friend too! Love, Mom

Jamie Cole: It seems like only yesterday you started kindergarten and now you are graduating High School. Where did the time go. Good Luck in all your future plans. Love ya always, MOM

Jaime Cole: Jaime, as you set out on your new adventure, I want you to know how proud we are of you. You have grown into such a daring young woman and the world is yours to conquer. Just remember that in life you will run across things that are "NOT FAIR" but with your inner strength you will overcome these obstacles. Just remember if you stumble and fall we will always be there to pick you up. Love Dad & Gale
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Gary Conforth: It’s wonderful to express the feelings of pride, happiness and love when we look at you. You are our bright light and shining star. Your future is before you and the world is at your feet. We will always love and support you in all your endeavors. There isn’t anything you cannot accomplish. Go for it. You are the best. Love, Dad, Mom & Kristi

Dan Cook: Dear Dan, We could not be any prouder of you than we are. All a parent can ever want for their child is happiness, good health and success. With this we also wish you love. Love Mom & Dad

Andy Cooper: Andy, The one thing above all that we have admired about you is your tenacity to survive. You have never made excuses for who you are. You learned early about finding the greatest gift of all, the love inside yourself. You know Mariah Carey’s song “Hero” will always make us think of you. Never forget when you feel like hope is gone, look inside you and be strong and you’ll finally see the truth that a hero lies in you. Follow your dreams and we’ll see you on Rosie. Love always, Mom, Dad, & Josh p.s. Life is a Cabaret ole’ chum...life is a Cabaret

Lindsay Coronato: Dear Linz, “It takes courage to grow up and turn out who you really are” (e.e.cummings). Keep your wonderful sense of humor and smile your beautiful smile! Love ya sweetie! Mom xoxo

Lindsay Coronato: Linz, I can’t tell you how happy and proud I am of you. I hope your future is as bright as your smile. Love, Dad

Lindsay Coronato: Lindsay, Good Luck in your future endeavors. Love and Kisses, Gram & Pop

Rick Cristofol: Dear Rick, As the years have gone by it is hard to believe that you will be graduating high School. Ever since you were young, we knew you were very special. You have grown into a fine young man that we are very proud of. Your four years at Passaic Valley will be memorable to you and to everyone’s life you have touched. You are a young man of character and strength. You truly have been a role model for your peers. Continue on your solid path to manhood with the same integrity that you possess.

Chris Decker: Dear Chris, The years go by so quickly it’s hard to believe such a short time ago you were just a little boy and now you’ve grown into a fine young man with a whole world of possibilities to look forward to. Our dream for you is that life will hold all the success and fulfillment you so deserve. You bring us such joy and make us so proud of you. We will always be there for you. CONGRATULATIONS! Love you, MOM & DAD

Mark DelCarpio: Dear Mark, Next year, someone else will be #76, but the wonderful memories of you playing defense and offense will be remembered forever. You will make a great coach! Love you, Mom and Marlene

Ed DeRosa: Eddie, It’s hard to believe that eighteen years have passed by so quickly! We have watched our little boy grow into a strong, sensitive, intelligent man. You have shown us how capable you are in dealing with life’s complications. By making the right choices each day, helped end our days with pride and peace of mind. “Thanks Ed, for always considering our concerns and fears.” You made our job a lot easier. We love you Eddie unconditionally, and we will always be there for you. Remember to always listen to your heart, trust your intuition, and never cease to follow your dreams. Love, Dad & Mom

Michael DeSimone: Congratulations Mike! As you move forward to a new beginning, always stay true to yourself and aim high. We know that you can do anything you choose to do. Your dedication has been an inspiration and a sign of things to come. You have proven yourself in so many ways and shown a dedication to your principles that is amazing in its clarity and idealism. As you do, remember always to maintain your principles and sense of humor. Over the years, we have watched you develop into a fine, handsome young man, a reward in itself. The best of luck in all that you do. Remember, the future is a blank sheet waiting for you to fill it. May God bless and guide you in all your endeavors. We love you and are proud of what you have done and look forward to greater accomplishments. Love, Mom, Dad, Fran, Helen, & Chrissey

Ruhani Derti: Buhan, We love you and are very proud of you. Love Mom, and your brothers, Beshir and Fehmi

Nick DiDomenico: Dear Nick, From the moment we brought you home from the hospital, you have been the joy of our lives. You were the best baby, a wonderful little boy, and now an outstanding student. You have all the qualities it takes to make it in this sometimes-rough world, so go forward with your ideals and let your spirit soar. Never change! We will always be there for you. We are so very proud of you that words cannot express how we feel Be yourself and the universe will hold no limits for you. Love you forever, Mom & Dad

Jeff Drobik: You have always been a source of pride for us. We are very proud of the young man you have become and all that you have achieved. You brighten our lives with your unique sense of humor. Always be yourself and you will go far in life. Remember, we are always there for you. We wish you a future filled with health, happiness and success. Love, Mom, Dad, and Debbie

Matthew Dwyer: Dear Matthew, You make us proud every day of your life and we wish you much success and happiness. We love you very much. Mom and Dad

Erin English: I look at you and my heart beams with the pride of knowing what a beautiful person you are. You have accomplished so much, with so much more to go. Never stop believing you can do anything you put your mind to do. We are so proud of you and we love you. May God always be at your side and bless you with happiness, and may all your hopes and dreams come true. You deserve it. Love Mom & Dad

Rosanna Ferminica: Congratulations! You have grown into a fine young woman. Our wish for you is a life full of good health, success and true happiness. Keep up the good work. Always strive for the best in life. Good luck in college. Love Mom, Dad, and GianLuca

Justin Ferazzano: Justin, congratulations! These four years have gone by so quickly. You have always made us so proud of you. (Both on and off the field). May you be blessed with all life has to offer. Follow your dreams, for dreams are goals not yet reached. Never forget how much you are loved. Love Mom & Dad

Justin Ferazzano: Justin (PV kicker) Watching you grow into a young man has been such a pleasure. I am so proud of you and I know that you will be a great architect. May your journey through life be a wonderful one. Take with you all your good memories. Best of luck in college. You will be missed more than you will ever know. Love you, Mom

Sergio Fiorarancio: Congratulations on your graduation, Sergio! We hope the past four years have cleared the path toward a promising future for you. May you enjoy the career that you choose to the fullest. We’re proud of you. We’ll always be. Love, Mom & Dad

Kathleen Frey: Congratulations on your high school graduation! Was it only yesterday we went to JFK to bring you home? We are so very proud of you, your studies, your talents and the beautiful young woman you have become! Always be true to yourself + with God’s help make the right choices.

Monica Fugate: These past four years have come and gone so quickly. Late in August as your senior year was approaching you said “I don’t want this year to end”. It’s wonderful to have such fond memories. Enjoy college - Make new dreams come true. The years ahead will be exciting ones. You can go far with some hard work and the belief that you can. We know what you’re able to achieve. We are very proud of you, not only because you are our daughter, but because of the sincere, caring young lady that you have become. Your Dad and Sister wish you much happiness and love. We love you so much and will always be there to support you no matter what. Love you Always, Mom

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Jaime Gulla: It is so hard to believe that our baby is graduating. We are so proud of you. We wish you happiness and success in all your future endeavors. Remember to shoot for the moon. If you miss, you land among the stars. We love you and will always be here. XXXX OOOO Mom, Dad, Chris & Nicole.

Rosangela Guzman: Dear Rosie, Life is a box of surprises and constant challenges. Today you complete a difficult but not an impossible goal. You will succeed, because you are a fighter. I want to thank God for your life and your success. We love you very much. George, Rosabel, Karen and Adrianna

Bob Hanna: Dear Bob, It’s hard top believe your high school days are almost over. You have a wonderful heart and a great personality that will lead you into a great future. Always remember that we will be here for you. All our love, Mom, Dad, Bruce and Meghan

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Nicole Irvine: Nicole, We love you and we are so proud to have a daughter like you. We wish you the best in life, happiness, and health. Love always, Mom, Dad, & R.J.

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Sanam Jagtiani: “It’s not enough to have a dream unless I’m willing to pursue it. It’s not enough to know what’s right unless I’m strong enough to do it. It’s not enough to join the crowd to feel accepted, I must be true to my ideals, even if I am rejected. It’s not enough to learn the truth unless I also learn to live it. And it’s not enough to reach for love unless I care enough to give it.” Sanam, no one in this world will ever be closer to you than me. I love you with all my heart. Never forget that. Simi J.

Sarah Jost: Dear Sarah, What a surprise you gave us on New Years Eve 1982. That was the best surprise any parents could wish for. It is hard to believe how quickly your high school years are coming to an end. We remember counting down the days of freshman year, your senior year looked so far away. We are proud of all that you have accomplished, and what a great person you have grown to become. Good luck in college, go out in the world, enjoy what life has to offer you. Reach for the stars, never lose sight of your hopes and dreams. All our love, Mom, Dad, and Rebecca

John Kilpatrick: Dear John, When you were born, we learned how special you are. You grew into a beautiful boy, laughing and loving family and life. When you were nine, your strength and character helped you overcome a tremendous challenge. We remember with love your childhood years, Margie’s camping trips, CYO basketball, THE BEACH, skiing, music and poetry. Our hope for you is that you continue to use your goodness, your sensitivity, and your magical abilities to help make you successful and happy in all you do and help to make the world a better place. We are so proud of everything you are. Love, Mom, Dad and Jay

Jeff Kohl: Dear Jeff, Congratulations. We are very proud of you. All of our love and support. Love, Mom, Dad, and Jim

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David Leporini: We are so proud of you and congratulate you on another important step forward in your life! You have grown into such a wonderful, trustworthy, dependable young man. We know that you will take with you all the love and important values we have tried to instill in your heart, and carry them with you throughout your life. Never forget your Alma Mater! Remember with hard work and determination, you can achieve anything. Thank you for all the beautiful memories you have given us. Now it is time for another new beginning, the rest of your life! We love you very much and want you to know how proud you always make us feel! All our love, Mom, Dad, and Max

Kara MacFarlane: Dear Kara, We are very proud of the beautiful person you have become. Love, Mom and Dad

Alex MacPhail: Alex, The future is yours- the future is for you. We are very proud of all your accomplishments. You, your family is here for you and no one will ever love you like we do. Love, Mom and Dad

Kara MacFarlane: Dear Kara, We are very proud of all your accomplishments. You, your family is here for you and no one will ever love you like we do. Love, Mom and Dad

Joe Macaluso & Gregory Nater: It seems like just yesterday the two of you were always getting under my skin by doing your "immature, little-boy" things. I’ve watched you guys grow up and now I can’t believe you’re finally graduating high school. Good luck in the “Real World!” Stay out of trouble I love you guys. Love, your big sis- Danielle


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Jason Martin: Jason, We’ve watched you grow from a little boy to a great young man. It’s real “cutie”. We can’t begin to tell you the pride we feel to have you as our son. Your heart and determination will take you to great heights in your life. Always remember your family is here for you and no one will ever love you like we do. Love, Mom and Dad

Erin McCave: Erin, You have been a great joy in our lives. Love, Mom, Dad, Kerry & Larry

Ryan McGrantham: Ryan, Congratulations on your graduation. I hope you know how proud we are of all your accomplishments. You’re our shining star - the future of yours for the taking - go for it! Love, Mom and Dad

Megan Miner: To our wonderful daughter Megan. It’s hard to believe that the year have gone by so fast. We love you and are very proud of all your accomplishments. We know you have a bright future ahead of you. Just believe in yourself and all your dreams will come true. We will always be here for you and remember: “Don’t go too far.” You’re
always be my Meg. With all our love, Mom, Dad, Michael & Michelle

Julie Molinari: Dear Julie, Congratulations! You have always made us very proud and given us great pleasure. Thank you for being a wonderful daughter and sister. We love you! Mom, Dad & Steven

Nicole Morino: We never thought two people could be more proud as we were on May 12, 1983. But we were wrong for that pride has grown every day over the past 18 years. You have brought us more joy than you will ever know. Always believe in yourself and never stop making your own choices because they have made you the beautiful, caring and confident young woman you have become. Never lose sight of your dreams and always face your challenges with a smile. Most importantly, know that we will always be there for you. We love you. Congratulations! Love, Mom, Dad & Steven

Lesley Mostello: Lesley, Congratulations - We are so proud of you. Your path in life has not always been an easy one, but you persevered and stuck by your convictions. We love you very much and will always be there for you. Love, Mom & Dad

Donna Nilan: We wish you all the best. You have grown from our little girl to a young lady full of life and determination.

Jared Noordyk: It’s hard to believe you a Senior already! Your dad would be so proud of the fine young man you have become. From the time you were little, we knew you were special. You are a wonderful son and brother. You are loving, caring, respectful and handsome, as well as smart. You’ve worked hard on your academics with excellent results. You’ve formed friendships that will last a lifetime, with people who share your qualities and morals. So far you have made us proud of all the right choices in life. We know you will continue to do so. We are so proud of you! All our love, Mom & Heather

Sara Nowen: You are such an extraordinary person! We marvel at your compassion, kindness and acceptance of others. Yet you have always shown quiet self-confidence, integrity, loyalty and dedication to all that you hold true and dear. There doesn’t seem to anything you can’t do, and do exceptionally well, once you put your mind to it! We have watched you in wonder since you were a little girl... I will always remember you calling out from your stroller, “ Faster, mommy, faster!” as we raced head long down the hill... you defined yourself in that moment ... embracing life exuberantly without any fear. Remember that little girl’s vision as life challenges you to gain your full potential. You will always work until you achieve your goals - luck has nothing to do with it - you will continue to create your destiny. You have already found special people and things that bring you happiness and joy. May love, happiness and success be with you always on life’s journey. You have made us proud beyond words - not only because of your many accomplishments, but especially because of the strong, warm, and generous person -you have become. We will always be there to love and support you. All our love, Mom, Dad, and Matt. “The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams.” Eleanor Roosevelt

Nicole Okrargy: Nicole, You have made us proud of you again. The years ahead of you will be filled with many challenges and exciting adventures, make the most of them. We will always be here for you. Love, Mom & Dad

Bill Palumbo: Dear Billy, You’ve grown up to be a very special young man. Always keep your sense of humor & stay true to yourself. Love, Mom

Shannon Paris: Shannon, We are both very proud of you and love you with all our heart. Best wishes for your bright and successful future. Love, Mom and Dad

Shannon Paris: Shannon, The bond I have with you from birth is greater than life itself. You will always be the light of my life. All my love and best wishes are with you for a bright and happy future. I Love You Very Much, Mom

Jason Perna: To a great son that any parent could ask for, You made us proud throughout the years. We know you will continue in the future. Best of luck always and enjoy life... as it is precious. Love OXOXO, Mom and Dad

Michael Picarillo: Dear Michael, Please follow your heart and be the individual you’ve always been. Be being open and giving to others - you will reap many benefits. Love, Mom and Dad

Rachael Pizio: Rachael, When you were just a little girl, we knew what a special young woman you would become... warm, thoughtful, and loving. We are proud of you and love you always. Love, Mom and Dad

Joseph Polifonte: Joey, From the day we set eyes on you, we knew you would make us proud. We are very grateful for you and all your accomplishments. Keep up the good work. we love you! Love, Mom and Dad

Damian Potenzone: Damian, We are so very proud of all that you’ve accomplished. Keep doing your best. Love you - Mom, Dad, Tyler & Andrew

Gregory Radel: To our second son, we wish you only the best. You have made us proud just being the person you are. We love you and admire you. Don’t ever let life’s ups and downs keep you down for too long. You can always get up again. Love, Mom, Dad, Eric, & Chris

Anthony Reddin: Anthony, We love being with you, talking with you and being part of your life. You are kind, considerate, compassionate and a wonderful son. We are so proud of you when we watch you excel on the basketball court. You can’t imagine how much you mean to us. We love you with our hearts and soul and will always be there for you. Love, Mom and Dad

Melissa Reed: To my beautiful daughter, I admire you for being so independent, responsible, and for being my daughter and champion. I know you’re going to be successful and achieve all you dreams for the future. Love, Mom

Amanda Richardson: Amanda - Congratulations! We’re both very proud of you. Keep digging! XO

Adam Rivera: Congratulations. We are very proud of all you have accomplished in your 4 years. Keep setting high goals and achieving them. Love, Mom & Dad

Tom Roskop: Tom, We wish you much joy and happiness as you head off to college. With your personality and heart you will succeed in life. You are the most important person in our lives. Love, Mom & Dad

Rachel Russo: Dear Rachel, You have intelligence and motivation and will be successful in whatever you choose to do. So aim for the stars! We are proud to be your parents. it was a true learning experience and challenge for us. We love you very much.

Stephanie Saia: Steph, Your life has touched us in so many ways. You are a very special person. In spite of all the challenges these years have brought you, they have never diminished your kindness, your sweetness and the caring that you show for everyone else. You have always thought of others before yourself and that’s what makes you so very very, special. They say that one of the things you should judge your success by is the degree to which you are loved. Baby, you are the most successful person in the world. Believe in yourself and don’t ever change and all of your dreams will come true. You have grown into a beautiful young lady that we are proud to share our lives with. We love you very, very much, now and always. Love, Dad, Mom and Kim

Stephanie Saunders: To our Daughter Stephanie, You have made us very proud of you. Lot’s of love always, Dad, Mom & Sammy

Stephanie Saunders: Congratulations & Good Luck, Cutie. I love ya like a little sis. Love, Danielle

Crystal Schopperth: Kiki, Happiness is having the love and joy you have brought into our lives. Be yourself; follow your dreams and remember we are here for you. Love, Mom and Dad

Cristina Serapiglia: To our baby Crissy, Because you are you, we know you will achieve everything you want in life. We couldn’t be prouder. Love, Mom and Dad

Rudy Simonetti: Rudy, We could never express in words what you mean to us. High school is over and college is just around the corner. You have grown up to be the person we always expected and we know with your work ethic, dedication, and personality, you
will be a success in life. We wish you all the love and happiness in the world because you deserve it. Love forever, Mom, Dad, and Mark

Allen Sooho: Congratulations on all you have learned and achieved. We have happily and proudly observed you attain many extraordinary accomplishments academically and athletically. May the future behold the brightest spectrum illuminated with everlasting good health, eternal happiness and an abundance of success in your endeavors. We wish for your life to be continually immersed in a cascade of love. We remind you to always keep your mind, body, and soul strong, and to be true to oneself. Love always, Mom, Dad, and Janette

Brandon Spinelli: Brandon, We wish you the best always. Good luck and always follow your dreams. We love you, Mom and Dad

Stephen Sylvester: Dear Stephen, In a January 1985 snow, you came to us as a premature baby and scared us so. Now 18 years later, you are all grown up about to make a new start. Always believe in your uniqueness, follow no one except your dreams and your heart! Love, Mom, Dad & Christie (’97)

Kevin Szczecina: Dear Kevin, How did I get so lucky to get such a terrific son? Follow your dreams, and reach for the stars! Love, Mom

Georgia Tafaro: Georgina, Good luck in college and in the future. May all your dreams come true. We wish you nothing but happiness! Love, Mom & Dad

Brant Tedeschi: Brant, I believe that hard work gives us all things which we will wish for in the future. We are proud of you and know you will succeed in all you do. Make the best of your college years. Love, Mom, Dad, Blake & Brett

Christine Tenchka: Christine, Making the right choices and setting your goals will lead to the bright, rewarding, and happy future you deserve. Keep up the good work and remember to stay focused on learning. Mom

James Thomas: Congratulations James AKA “Matt” YOU’RE ON YOUR WAY TO CA!

Michele Trinca: Michele, You’ve come a long way. Next step is college to prepare you for your future. We’re proud of all you’ve accomplished. We love you. Mom & Dad

Catherine Velazquez: “The great fortune we wish you can never equal the great fortune you’ve been to us.” “Tu cargas nuestros sueños”

Marisa Vescio: Congratulations on “4” successful years! Good luck in college! Love, Dad, Mom, Jenna, Noelle

Christina Volpe: Dear Christina, God blessed you with a good mind and a great imagination. We watched you work hard, these past four years, putting you’re heart into every project. You truly deserve all the success you have achieved. Words can’t describe how proud we are of you. We love you and will always be here for you. Remember home is only a hop skip and a jump away. Love, Mom and Dad

Carol Voorhis: Carol, We are so proud of you and all that you have accomplished. Don’t ever lose your special way of caring and loving ... above all else, these things will take you farther than you ever thought possible. Reach for the stars, and capture a moonbeam ... your future is there, shining bright!! We will always be here for you... and our love will too ... We love you!!! Mom and Craig

Carol Voorhis: Carol, I’m so proud of you! Even though we have our ups and downs, I always love you! Good luck in whatever the future holds for you! Love, Krista

Jaclyn Wagner: We often think about how much it’s meant to us over the years to have you for a daughter. We think of the pride you brought as we watched you grow and shared in the joy of your achievements. And we think of the love we’ve shared, and the closeness that has made you our friend as well as our daughter. Each time we think of you it’s with happiness that we have a daughter as special as you in our life. Keep God in your heart always and forever. Love, Mom, Dad, and Jeff

Scott Wells: Dear Scott, Congratulations as you graduate and take the next step towards your future goals. We all know that you will succeed in anything you choose to do. You have made us so proud of you and we just wanted to thank you for being the best son, brother, grandson, nephew and cousin that anyone could ever have. Always stay the loving, caring, and kind boy you are. You have won everyone’s heart and you will always be Number 1 with us. Love, Mom, Michele, Cheryl, and Nana

Kelly Wenz: Kelly, We wish you all the happiness and success that you deserve. We couldn’t be any prouder of all your accomplishments. Bring it on! Love, Mom, Dad, and Kristen

Kelly Wenz: Dear Kelly, I want you to know how extremely proud I am of you and all of your accomplishments. I know you will do great things in college and in your career. Go get ’em kid!

Teena Wood: Teena, Dreams do come true. I know that every time I look at you. You always make me proud! Love, Mom

The Wright Brothers: To our sons, The day God decided to surprise us with "Twins" he also blessed us with two very alike, but very different sons. You look the same, but you look totally different in our eyes. You act the same, but do things differently. You both set extremely high standards and goals and you both accomplish them in many different ways. You both are leaders, but your leadership styles are totally different. You both hold very special but different places in our hearts. As you prepare for your senior year, our hearts are full of pride but our hearts are also breaking a little bit. We know it’s time for you to move on. You are ready to be successful men in the world. We will never forget the total surprise on Nov. 10, 1989, when they told us there were two babies! Remember all the special friends you have made in high school. Never forget all the special memories you have created. This is the last of the "Wright Brothers" but PVHS will never forget you. You have made a lasting impression in the classroom, on the football field, and on the wrestling mat. Love forever and always, Mom and Dad

Christopher Wright: To Our Special Christopher, You amaze us every time you achieve another goal that you have set for yourself. Your sense of humor and love for life have made you the special person that you are. You have taken all that PVHS has to offer and you have contributed back so very much. Stay true to yourself; never let the bond between the "Wright Brothers" weaken. Remember we are here for you unconditionally and as always we will support you, 100% in anything you decide to do. There are no words to describe the depth of our love for you. Love forever and always, Mom and Dad

Craig Wright: To Our Special Craig, You, strive for perfection in everything you do and you have come close to achieving it. You have taken every opportunity and have benefited from it. There are no words to describe the depth of our love and pride we have for you. Your accomplishments are something you can take total credit for. You have worked so hard these past four years and you deserve every ounce of credit and praise you receive. Continue to remain true to yourself and remember we love you. Love always, Mom, Dad, Derrick, Jackie, and Max

Danielle Yeo: Wishing you great success in your future. You are loved very much, and as so very proud of you. Love always, Mom, Dad, and James

Michael Wyka: Congratulations Michael and Class of 2001. Follow your dreams. Pursue your goals. Achieve all that you can. We will always be proud of you! Good luck. At our love, Mom, Dad, Derrick, Jackie, and Max

Tom Yutko: Dear Tom, You have always been a joy and have made us proud in every way. Your future is bright and exciting and we look forward to being part of it. Thank you for being you. We love your spirit! Mom and Dad, Carolyn and Andrew

184/LETTERS FROM HOME
Booster congratulations to Jared. You made us very proud.

Love to Jared- Mom & Dad

We wish you luck in all you do! May your future path be as well traveled as your high school years.

Love, Mom & Dad

Jared- You're the best! We're very proud of you. Love, Aunt Eileen, Uncle Neil, & Kimberlee

Chris & Craig- You've been such good friends to Jared. You've shared our ups & downs and I love you both very much. I wish you good things in life. I'll miss you. Love, Linda Noordyk

Jeff- To my "Fredo." Growing up you were like my second son. I'll miss you. Best of luck in college. Love Linda Noordyk.

Lee, Ed, Tom- I've enjoyed having you guys around these past few years. I'm going to miss you. Best of luck in college. Love, Linda Noordyk.


Brandon, good luck in whatever you choose to do. WE love you.

The best of everything to you. Be smart, be safe- Love you.

Dear Brandon set your goals and then reach for them. I'll love you always grammy.

Dear Brandon, best of luck in the future. Hope everything goes your way.

Dear Brandon, #1 brother. good luck in the future. Enjoy and have fun! Love always your sister Kristen

Brandon, these four years went by so quick!! follow your dreams and your heart! We love you. #1 son 2001! Love always, mom and dad

Brandon- have fun dude! From Derek

We love you Rachel. You made us very proud. Mom & Dad

Rachel, I'll miss you next year. Love Chrissey

Good luck for the future! I know you will be successful! Love Grandma Alice

I wish you success and happiness. Love Grandma Louise

I am looking forward to seeing your first college stage performance! Grandpa P.C.

Congratulations Rachel! Best wishes for the future. Aunt Rose

Rachel, stay motivated and focused and you will achieve your goal. Aunt Paula

Congrats! To our future star, May you forever shine! Love Aunt Julie and Uncle Mark

Hats off for Rachel! Aunt Nancy and Uncle Jimmy

Way to go, Rachel! Uncle Joey and Lori

Congratulations Julie. Love Stephen

Congratulations Julies, Love Mom and Dad

Congratulations, Best Wishes, and lots of Love, Nanna and Pop

Pop Dowdemitten Rules!

Steph, Good Luck in all you do! We're so proud of you! Mom and Dad

Congratulations Steph. Love Rosa and Dave

Dave, Good luck in all you do! We're so proud of you! Mom and Dad

Congratulations David, Love Rosa and Dave

Congrats Dave and Posh! Love you - Christina - xxxxxx

To my twin bro David! We made it! I am proud of you! Love you - Steph xxxx

To my twin sis Steph! We did it! Congrats - Love you much - David xxxx

Congrats - Steph and David. Love Aunt Nancy, Glen, Daniel & Sarah xxxx

We love you David and Steph - and are so proud of you! Love Nonny & Poppy xxx

Steph and Dave - Continue to Kick butt in all you do. Love Mom and Dad xxx

Anthony, You fill our lives with love, pride and happiness. We love you - Mom & Dad

Ant, hang low, speak softly and carry a big stick. Your brother Warren

Ant, Stay strong and never back down from anything. I'm here for you. Your bro Ray

Ant, You're a great brother and my best friend. Your 'il bro Mike "F.F."

Ant, may your glass always be half full, and your head kept up high. Your "bro" Gianni

Anthony, We hope you succeed in your life's goals as you did as a basketball star. Love Na-na & Pop

I wish you the best things in life. Love you, Na-Na LuLu

Anthony, May all your dreams come true. Love Aunt Karen, Uncle Ray, Chris & Cara

Anthony, Warmest wishes for the best of health & happiness.

May God be with you always. We love you-Aunt Terri & Uncle John

May good health and happiness follow you throughout your lifetime. Set your goals-I hope you reach them, I know you can.

Love Aunt Eileen

Ricky, Que Dios Te- Acompaane en tu nueva vida, Te queremos mucho. Papi y Grandma

Dear Rick, May God bless you and protect you everyday. Love always Mom & Dad

To Rick, Thanks for being our big brother and our best friend. See you on the field. Love Steve and Frank

To the 2000 Senior Hornet Football Team. Thanks for the memories. We will miss you! The Cristofols

To the 3 Wise Men-Dave, Rick and Steve- May your future path be as well traveled as your high school years.

Rick, A strong heart, mind and body are the keys to your success.

Love Leigh, Laura and Tyler

To the class of 2001- We wish you much happiness and success in your future plans. Love the Cristofols

Dear Marisa, May you be happy and fulfilled in your new journey in life. Love the Cristofols

Ricky, The Boys from the bay and Blue Oyster Club send their best wishes. Good luck in your future endeavors Tiger- Officer Mahoey

Good luck and much happiness in the future to our favorite #20. Love the Listers.

Twelve years of school and now you're done, but really your life has just begun. Rena and John McCune

Ricky, Hard work and dedication will sustain you and all your endeavors. Keep striving. Tom, Ronzell & Alex Lin

Dave #21- Always remember the good times because we will never forget them.

Thanks for blocking. What's for dinner? Good luck in the future. Love the Cristofols

Steve #72- Hishal! Always keep your sense of humor - it will protect you on the road of life. Thanks for blocking! Got Milk? Good Luck. Love the Cristofols

Rick, Good luck in college. We have enjoyed watching you grow up. We will miss cheering for #20 on the football field. Love Mr. & Mrs. Crosman

Rick, Enjoy your graduation. We have had so much fun with you in wildwood and look forward to Wildwood 2001! Nicole and Shaun

Good luck Little Falls Class of 2001 graduates. The Crosman Family

Congratulations Monique. Lots of luck to you. Mom & Dad

Good luck Gregory. We love you.

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Mom
Remember E.Q-Mom over you. Love a a
Ju tin- Have a great future. Good Luck. Kay teele
Ju tin- Be t ofluck in college. We will mi you. Love Mom
Ju tin- Good Luck Kicker! Love Danielle
Love NaNa
Love Na a
wings. Love NaN a
Ju tin- You make me o proud! Enjoy life and college- Love Mom
Mike- Good luck in all your future endeavor . Dan
Go Mike- Good Luck in everything you do. Love Mom and Dad
Mike- Good Luck- Jeff
Mike- Congratulation and good luck. Brian
Angie- Congratulation on your ucce . Love always, anis &
Angie- Congratulation & good luck in the future. Love Mom and
Mike- Best ofluck alway . Love Grandma and Grandpa Gilburn
Allen- Congratulation on your graduation. Best wi hes and
Allen, May all your dream come true! Love Aunt Marion and
Allen, Conceive, Believe, Achieve- Uncle Mark
John- May all your dreams come true. Congrats and have a great
next four years as you reach for the stars. Love Mom & Dad
John- I am very proud of you. 4 Years went by fast, but you have
made the best of them. Follow your heart and everything will
work out in the end. Love day
John- you are the best. Congratulations & good luck in all you do.
Love Grandma
Heather, Good Luck in your future career as a CPA. We love you-
Mom & Dad
Scooter, We are so proud of you and your accomplishments. Love
Mom and Dad
Dear Breathless, Always strive to be your best. Good luck in the
future. Love MeMa and Pop
Dear Breathless, our favorite cheerleader. May you have a winning
life & career. Love MeMa and Pop
Dear Heather, Always be proud of who you are. Good Luck in life.
Love MaMa
Congratulations Kara Love Kati
To my Auntie Kara Love Nick
Future Happiness to the Class of 2001
Congrats and Best Wishes Love Kelly
Jared- Congratulations on your great years at P.V. May All your
dreams come true. We Love You!
Christopher- All your hard work has paid off. We are so very proud
of you. University of Penn- here you come. Love always and forever
mom and dad
Craig- You have worked so hard all 4 years at P.V. and now you
will get all the rewards-U-Penn is waiting for you. Love forever
and Always mom and dad
Eddie, Lee, Tom, Al, Justin, John, Jeff Congratulations and good
luck! Stay in Touch. Love Mr. and Mrs. Wright
Christopher- I am so proud of you. Keep up the good work in Col-
lege. Love Nannie
Craig- You always make me very proud. I know you will do great
in college. Love Nannie
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Dear Steph,

It is difficult for me to think that you are graduating high school. After all, you are still my baby. I guess that's because you'll always be my baby. You are a very special person with a very special gift. Your kindness, your caring for others, your good-heartedness, your putting others before yourself - these are things that make you loved. When others describe you as "a sweet and good person," that makes me so proud. What makes you even more special is that you have always stayed this way even through all the challenges life has handed you. Baby, life is not always fair but that is where you can count on me to help try to balance things out. Everyday I thank God for blessing me with you and your sister and everyday I wish that I could do more to make your world perfect. I know I've screwed up at times but I hope that I've been a good dad to you so far. Remember, when you hurt, I hurt, and when you are happy, I am also happy. And that's why I know that reaching this point in your life and graduating high school is very special to you. I'm so happy for you because of your accomplishments over and above all your challenges. But it's tough for me to say that my little girl is grown up now. Steph, I love you so very, very much. You are always in my heart as my loving daughter and my special friend. I am so very proud of you. I know that you will reach your dreams. Just remember that I will be here for you. Congratulations on your graduation. I wish you happiness, peace and good fortune and I love you today and always.

Love,
Dad

To Rachael, Crissy, Vanessa, Kristin, Lisa, Beags, HeatherK, Nicole, Crystal, Jackie and HeatherW,

I just want to say thank you
for being the special friends that you are
to someone very special to me.
Through good times and bad,
you have always been there.
When times got tough, you were there
showing your smile,
your support and your caring.
You already know it means a lot to Steph,
but what you don't know
is it's meant more than any words
can ever describe to me.
You are very special young ladies
and you'll always have
a special place in my heart.
Thank you for the laughter and craziness
that you bring into our home.
Remember, our door is always open for you.
Congratulations on your graduation
and I wish you a lifetime of
happiness and success
in all that you do.

Ron

To Jared, Chris, Craig, Lee, John, Ed,
Tom, Jeff, Jay, Al, Justin, Rick, Steve and Dave,

You know, a father always watches out
for his daughter when it comes to guys.
Well, I couldn't have asked for a
better bunch of guys than you
to have as my daughter's friends.
Thanks for always being there for Steph,
for always watching out for her
and for protecting her.
Thanks even more so for being there for her
when things got a little tough.
That means an awful lot to me.
You are a special bunch of guys
and good friends to me too.
I am proud to say you are friends.
I wish you success in all that you do.
I know you'll all do well and
may all your dreams come true.
And don't ever forget,
our home is always open to you.
Good luck and congratulations!

Ron
Congratulations!

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Frank Esposito, President
Carol.....

If there's one thing I do believe, it's that dreams really can come true,
Because as we have all found out, our dreams came true in you.

You give our days a special glow, you warm us with your smile....
And even when a frown appears, it's gone in a little while.

The way you care with your tender heart about all living things,
Makes us very happy and proud of all that your loving brings.

For all that you have given us just by being you,
We thank you, and the Lord above, for those moments.... old and new.

And as you travel down the road to your future, as yet unknown,
Remember one important thing.... There is "No place like home".

For whether you are far or near, in our hearts you'll always be.
And so, you'll be forever "home", with Krista, Craig, and me!

With all of our love....
Today, tomorrow, always....
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Love,
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and what you cannot do -
for only you can make your
life happy

Believe that by working
learning and achieving
you can reach your goals
and be successful

Believe in your own creativity
as a means of expressing
your true feelings

Believe in appreciating life
Be sure to have fun every day
and to enjoy
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Magic Years Alumni
who are now graduating from
P.V.H.S.!!!!!!!!!
We always knew you could do it!!!
Chris & Craig

Congratulations on a job well done! We are so proud of the both of you. We know you both have the ability to make all of your dreams come true, and we are confident you will.

We love you,

Pops & Mam

Chris & Craig

Not only did you do it, you both did it in great style!

Keep up the good work in college.

Our congratulations and love to both of you.

Uncle Mark, Aunt May, Colie, Bri, & Desi
I've asked myself so often
why we hadn't met before.
In just a few years of high school
our friendship has grown to mean much more.

Our lives complement each others well
both making sure that neither fell.
but perhaps it's true we're ready to leave
but in our hearts we'll always believe.

No matter how far apart we are
we'll both be reaching for that star.
The star that will lead us through the night
and make certain all is right.

Our 2 smiles will never fade-
they'll remain in our hearts...
where our friendship was made!!

Kelly

"We're not sisters by birth, but we knew from the start, God put us
together to be sisters by heart."
"Side by side, or miles apart, dear friends are forever close at heart."

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- Study medicine
- Practice law
- Write a book
- Be a teacher
- Make Billboard Top 40
- Get married first
- Appear on Jerry Springer
- Retire early

- Be the next Bill Gates
- Marry Freddie Prinze Jr.
- Marry Sarah Michelle Gellar
- Be the next Tiger Woods
- Rival Eminem
- Be the next Tony Hawk
- Beat Jeff Gordon
- Be the next Tom Green
- Replace Carson Daly
- Be the next Oprah Winfrey

DID YOU KNOW >>>

Couples who attend prom spend an average of $800 on a limo, tux, flowers, dinner, hair styling, manicure, dress, accessories and shoes.

School Events I Attended:

extracurricular activity

- What it is
- Why I like it
- Coach or mentor
- Hours per week
- Proudest moment
- Favorite memory

Check the activities you've participated in this year.

- Book club
- Cheerleading
- Chess club
- Debate
- Music (specify)
- Sports (specify)
- Extreme sports (specify)
- Theater
- Student government
- Yearbook staff
- Newspaper staff
- Others:

GREAT MOVES
### Movies
- Best actor
- Best actress
- Favorite drama
- Funniest comedy
- Best animated film
- Coolest special effects
- Favorite action and suspense
- Best date movie
- Most memorable scene
- Best line

### Top TV Shows
**guys**
1. "The Simpsons," Fox
2. "Friends," NBC
3. "Who Wants To Be a Millionaire," ABC
4. "WWF Raw," UPN
5. "WWF Smackdown," UPN

**girls**
1. "Friends," NBC
2. "Dawson's Creek," WB
3. "The Simpsons," Fox
4. "7th Heaven," WB
5. "MTV Total Request Live," MTV

### Entertainment
- Top teen magazines
  - ESPN
  - Seventeen
  - Teen
  - YM
  - Teen People
  - TV Guide

### Favorite Web sites
- Best homework site
- Best music site
- Most frequented chat room
- Coolest graphics
- Greatest game site
- Preferred search engine
- Site with the best news
- Best site for e-cards

### Additional Information
- In its seventh season, NBC's "Friends" is television's highest rated comedy.
- Teens spend an average of 11 hours per week watching TV compared with 20 hours listening to music, six hours going to or renting movies and six hours surfing the Internet.
Family Memories

- Funniest thing that happened
- Where we vacationed
- Place we like to eat
- Best home-cooked meal
- Most memorable gift given
- Favorite family activity
- Holiday I'll remember most
- Favorite family tradition
- Best thing we did

TOP 10 FAMILY VACATION SPOTS >>>

1. Yosemite National Park, CA
2. Walt Disney World, Lake Buena Vista, FL
3. SeaWorld in Orlando, FL
4. Washington, D.C.
5. Yellowstone National Park, WY
6. SeaWorld in San Diego, CA
7. Pacific Science Center, Seattle, WA
8. Glacier National Park, MT
9. The Children's Museum of Indianapolis, IN
10. Disneyland, Anaheim, CA

DID YOU KNOW >>>

In 2000, an estimated 4 million campers hit Yosemite National Park's 1,479 campground sites.

Romantic Relationships

- MY FAVORITE PLACES TO GO ON A DATE
  1. 
  2. 
  3. 
  4. 
  5. 
  6. 
  7. 

- Favorite banana milkshake
- Date I remember most
- Fantasy date idea

Family Member I Take After Most

Who

What we have in common

What makes us different

Brad Pitt vows to "split the difference on the thermostat" with Jennifer Aniston while she promises to always make his "favorite banana milkshake" at their wedding ceremony in July.
Lucy Liu, Cameron Diaz and Drew Barrymore become steadfast friends off-screen as well as on during the filming of Charlie's Angels.

**DID YOU KNOW >>>

Cell phones and other wireless devices are fast replacing pagers as the most common form of communication between friends.

Where we hang out
Favorite thing we do on weekends
Most memorable trip this year
Our favorite saying
We always laugh at
Latest we stayed out
Dumbest thing we did this year
Smartest thing we did this year
Worst trouble we got into
Best memory of the year

Name __________________________
How we met _______________________
Quality I like best about him/her

Thing we have most in common
I'll never forget when we
Time we laughed the hardest
Our favorite thing to do together
What means the most to me right now

What I believe in

How I want to be remembered

How I express my beliefs

MY TOP 5 ACCOMPLISHMENTS THIS YEAR

1. 
2. 
3. 
4. 
5. 

DID YOU KNOW

Among the hottest forecasted jobs are a high-tech clothing designer, robotics engineer, plant geneticist, virtual reality architect and Web doctor.

By 2011, I'll...

Have completed my

Be working as a

Be living in

Have traveled to

Be driving a

Have accomplished

Other details I envision

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Australian street artists called "Strange Fruit" perform gravity-defying feats around the world. The performers float above the audience on 15-foot fiberglass poles.

President Clinton makes a last-ditch effort to broker a Middle East peace deal before his term ends in January 2001 by drafting a plan for leaders of both Israel and Palestine to review. Israeli Prime Minister Ehud Barak and Palestinian Yasser Arafat agree to review Clinton's proposal, but no deal is signed before month's end.

A Singapore Airlines jumbo jet crashes during takeoff in Taiwan, killing 81 of the 179 people on board. In a blinding rainstorm the pilot uses the wrong runway and collides with construction equipment.

Former KGB agent Vladimir Putin is sworn into office as Russia's new president in May 2000, succeeding long-time leader Boris Yeltsin. Despite fears of an authoritarian style, Putin's public approval ratings remain high.

Gas prices soar across Europe. Heavy taxation policies in France and England cause massive protests and transportation blockades. Both governments eventually promise relief.

Floods in Southeast Asia are caused by days of pounding rain. Millions are forced to leave their homes and more than a thousand people die in the region's worst flooding in decades.

President Clinton travels to Southeast Asia in November to help mend relations between the United States and Vietnam. He is the first US president to visit Vietnam since the end of the war in 1975.

A cable car carrying skiers and snowboarders in Austria catches fire inside a tunnel, killing more than 150 people on board. It is the worst Alpine disaster in the country's history.

Yugoslav President Slobodan Milosevic is ousted from office in October, ending 13 years of violent rule. Vojislav Kostunica becomes Yugoslavia's first democratically elected president.

Canada mourns the death of former Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau, who served the country for nearly 16 years. Trudeau, who was 80, is remembered for his flamboyant style and his commitment to keeping Canada a single nation.
Two hundred North and South Koreans separated from family members since the 1950-1953 Korean war reunite in August. The four-day visits are a goodwill gesture by both countries' leaders, who met for the first time in June.

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AIDS reaches epidemic proportions in southern Africa. Leaders and citizens throughout the world conduct a massive educational campaign on World AIDS Day December 1 to teach people about the disease that is killing 6,000 sub-Saharan Africans each day.

In January 2001, a 7.9 magnitude earthquake devastates Gujarat in western India. The huge quake causes an estimated $5.5 billion in damages and kills more than 20,000 people.

In August, Somalia elects its first president in nine years. President Abdiqasim Salad Hassan promises to bring peace and economic recovery to the African nation.

Former Coca-Cola executive Vicente Fox, of the National Action Party, is elected president of Mexico in July, ending the Institutional Revolutionary Party's 71-year reign.

More than 150 world leaders meet at the U.N. Millennium Summit in September to discuss war, poverty, disease and other global problems. The meeting is the largest gathering of world leaders in history.

The worst wave of Middle Eastern violence in years erupts between Israelis and Palestinians, leaving more than 350 dead. A visit by Israeli opposition leader Ariel Sharon to a Jerusalem holy site on September 28 is claimed to have sparked the fighting.

In July, an Air France Concorde supersonic jet catches fire and crashes outside Paris, killing 113 people. The crash is blamed on metal debris which punctured the tires and damaged the fuel tanks.
In the worst forest fire season in 50 years, more than 20,000 firefighters battle blazes in the western United States. More than 80 major wildfires burn across 13 states, forcing hundreds of people to leave their homes.

In June, Microsoft Corporation is ordered by a federal district judge to break into two separate companies. Company chairman Bill Gates files for an appeal.

The U.S. Senate passes the Permanent Normal Trade Relations bill in September to open up trade between the United States and China. The bill is expected to increase U.S. exports by $13 billion annually.

Firestone initiates the largest tire recall in history after dozens of rollover accidents appear to be caused by faulty treads. At least 148 deaths in the United States are linked to the defective tires, although other problems with sport utility vehicles also are under investigation.

A wave of Internet startup companies, once the darlings of the online economy, file for bankruptcy after falling short of stockholders' earnings expectations. The NASDAQ stock exchange, where most dot-coms are traded, loses 39% of its value for the year.

Millions of Californians go for hours without power in January 2001 as utility companies cut off electrical supply due to low reserves. The crisis, blamed on aging generating plants, deregulation, soaring wholesale prices and debt-ridden utilities, spurs other states to begin devising prevention plans.

The Oklahoma City National Memorial is unveiled in April 2000. The memorial is built to honor the 168 people who died in the 1995 bombing of the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building.
In the closest presidential election in more than 100 years, Republican George W. Bush of Texas beats Democrat Al Gore from Tennessee. The race isn’t decided until 36 days after the popular election, when Florida’s hotly contested 25 electoral votes are awarded to Bush.

In October, the USS Cole is bombed while refueling in Yemen. A number of terrorist groups are suspected of the blast that kills 17 sailors and injures 59.

In one of his first duties as President-elect, George W. Bush nominates Colin Powell to be Secretary of State. The four-star Army General becomes the first African-American in history to serve in this role.

On December 4, 2000, the U.S. presidency remains in limbo as both Florida and New Mexico officials recount ballots to determine who will win their state’s electoral votes: New Mexico goes to Gore. Ultimately, Bush wins Florida which gives him a narrow victory.

On election night, several TV networks prematurely declare Al Gore the winner in Florida, only later to reverse themselves, twice. The fiasco confirms many Americans’ distrust of polling and early “calling” of elections.

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The Federal Trade Commission charges the film, recording and videogame industries with marketing violent and adult-rated materials to teens. The entertainment giants are requested to stop the practice or face legal intervention.
Walkie-talkies make a comeback as an economical alternative to cell phones. The new generation talkies come in wild styles and have a range of two or more miles.

New photos of fiery streams of gas that can reach 300,000 miles high may explain why the sun’s atmosphere is hotter than its surface.

In August, a mile-wide patch of open water is spotted at the North Pole, dramatizing concerns about global warming.

In July, Stephen King shakes up the publishing world by releasing one of the first online books, *The Plant*. More than 150,000 copies are downloaded the first week at $1 per chapter.

In a Guatemalan jungle, archeologists uncover remains of an ancient Mayan palace. Bigger than two football fields, the palace is one of the largest ever discovered.

Internet appliances that provide surfing and e-mailing capabilities make their way to homes and schools. The devices offer less expensive Internet access to consumers without home computers.

In 2000, more than 200 animal species join the Iberian Lynx on the World Conservation Union’s List of Threatened Species. Their addition brings the world total to 11,046 plants and animals having threatened status.

Personal Digital Assistants (PDAs) capable of calendar scheduling, note taking, e-mailing, phoning and Web browsing go mainstream in 2000. Competition among manufacturers heats up with Microsoft, BlackBerry, Palm and other brands vying for shares of the teen and business markets.

Paleontologists identify a new species of dinosaur from fossils found in northern Italy. The 26-foot-long, meat-eating *Saltroversaur* is one of the world’s oldest dinosaurs, dating back 200 million years.

Scientists are forced to rethink the traditional definitions of a star and planet when 18 massive planet-like bodies that don’t revolve around a sun are discovered in the Sigma Orionis cluster.

Final touches are made to the International Space Station for its first residents. American astronaut Bill Shepherd and two Russian cosmonauts live on the space station for four months starting in November.
Wireless devices that send real-time personal messages between users become the latest communication craze. The "instant messages" can be typed, written or spoken, depending on the brand, and devices cost less than $100.

In 2000, both Honda and Toyota launch gas-electric hybrid cars. Operated by a battery-powered electric motor and a gas-run engine, the hybrids get up to 70 miles per gallon on the highway and release minimal emissions.

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New Internet domain names are created to lessen the load on the old .com standard. The new names, slated for use in mid-2001, include .info for general use, .biz for businesses, .name for individuals and .pro for professionals.

Scientists complete a rough "map" of the genetic code that makes a person human. The map will aid in the detection and prevention of cancer and other illnesses.

Apple Computer unveils its new G4 Cube computer in July. The 8-inch crystalline cube is commended for its small size, high speed, low noise level, touch-sensitive power activation and padless optical mouse.

Amtrak introduces the nation's first high-speed train in November. The "Acela Express" travels up to 150 miles per hour and runs between Washington, D.C., New York and Boston, with other routes planned for coming years.

PlanetPortal unveils the WebRemote, a remote built for use with the Internet. Users can surf their favorite sites at the touch of a button instead of keying addresses or scrolling a list of bookmarked pages.

Scientists discover an ancient standing lizard fossil in a German quarry, suggesting that dinosaurs may not have been the first creatures to walk upright.

The Hubble Space Telescope shows never-before-seen details of a "cosmic butterfly," material ejected by a star in the later stages of its life.

Computer scientists at Brandeis University make a robot that can design and build other robots with minimal help from humans.
A new Web site, Customatix.com, lets users design their own sneakers. Starting from scratch or selecting a prefab model, users can pick everything from the colors and styling to the fabric and personalized logo at a cost of $80 to $95 a pair.

The popularity of Apple Computer's translucent berry-colored iMac sparks a wave of similarly colored cell phones, CD players, cameras, irons and other household appliances.

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American Heritage, among other publishers, releases new dictionaries, capturing the language of our computer-savvy culture. "Dot-com," "netiquette" and "cybersurfing" are among the new entries.

Pleather, a synthetic fabric that looks like leather, comes in an array of colors and prints and is popularized by celebrities like singer Christina Aguilera.

Techno pants, as functional as last year's cargoes but with cleaner lines and nylon fabric, are popular with teens. They come in a variety of colors and feature zippered legs and pockets, toggles and nylon drawstrings.

Laser eye surgery becomes an increasingly accepted alternative to eyeglasses and contact lenses as the technology continues to improve.

For the first time, females outnumber males in Internet use in the United States, representing 50.4% of the online population in 2000. Teenage girls are the fastest growing user segment.

Designer faceplates become a popular way to personalize cell phones. The decorative attachments come in a variety of designs and colors to match the user's mood or outfit.

Wordstretch bracelets become a trendy accessory in Hollywood and around the nation. The multi-colored elastic bands come inscribed with "Call me," "Money is overrated," "Snap out of it" and other simple messages designed to spark conversation.

New prepaid credit cards and online credit lines are the latest high-tech means for parents to control their teens' spending. Depending on the account, parents determine the spending limit or the online stores where the money can be spent and receive monthly statements of purchases made.

MH-18, billed as the first national lifestyle magazine for guys 13 to 18, hits newsstands in August. The Men's Health offshoot covers sports, fitness, school, relationships and issues teenage boys face growing up.
High-tech, fold-up metal versions of the old scooter are one of the year's hottest modes of transportation but also a leading cause of injury.

Message T-shirts become fashion statements among teen girls. "Foxy Lady," "Princess" and "Monkey Around" are just a few of the tongue-in-cheek logos that appear on the popular shirts.

Companies like Estee Lauder, Origins, Hermes and Blistex begin to market products in portable single-use packets. Products include nail polish remover, scented wipes, hair conditioners and moisturizers.

Stick-on crystals and gems become popular fashion accessories for teen girls, accenting the face, neck and shoulders.

Mail-order clothing pioneer Lands' End introduces "scan wear." The technology captures customers' body measurements, and allows users to virtually "try on" clothing when ordering via the Internet.

"Personal TVs" by TiVo and ReplayTV allow users to control live TV by pausing or rewinding and to record their favorite shows without having to set a VCR timer or purchase videotapes.

By the end of 2000, an estimated 75% of U.S. universities offer courses online and more than 5.8 million students have logged on.

With the 2000 unemployment rate at a low of 4%, college students working as summer interns command wages up to $20 an hour, along with compensation packages, from high-tech and Internet companies.

Teens involved in anti-smoking organizations such as The Truth and Target Market strike back at Big Tobacco for marketing to youth, by launching their own in-your-face advertising campaigns targeting cigarette makers. The print and broadcast ads are sponsored by funds won from tobacco suit settlements.

Chrysler rolls out its 1930s retro car, the PT Cruiser, in spring 2000. The five-door "personal transportation" wagon is a hot seller, beating the popular Volkswagen New Beetle by two to one in the first month. It also wins Motor Trend magazine's 2001 Car of the Year.
A new computer video game called "The Sims," which simulates the life of a suburban family, develops a fanatical following with teens. Players create the characters and guide them through building a house, furnishing it, finding a career and running a family in their pursuit of happiness.


Meet the Parents, starring Robert De Niro and Ben Stiller, opens in October. The movie wins Favorite Comedy Motion Picture at the People's Choice Awards, and De Niro earns a Golden Globe nomination.

In July, CBS launches "Big Brother," a reality-based show in which 10 people share living quarters for three months until all but one are voted out. Viewers can monitor contestants 24/7 on the show's Web site.

UPN's weekly series "WWF Smackdown!" starring professional wrestler The Rock is the network's most-watched show in 2000, with 7.3 million viewers.

In December, *Cast Away* is released, starring Tom Hanks as a crash victim stranded on a desert island for four years. For his nearly one-man performance Hanks wins Best Actor at the Golden Globes.

The first big hit in 2001 is *Save the Last Dance,* which opens in January. The teen romance, starring Julia Stiles and Sean Patrick Thomas, earns close to $50 million in its first two weeks.

*Pay It Forward,* a movie based on the idea of performing random acts of kindness, opens in October starring Haley Joel Osment, Kevin Spacey and Helen Hunt.

Tom Cruise reprises his role as Ethan Hunt in the action sequel *Mission: Impossible 2.* The May release is summer's biggest box-office draw and 2000's second-highest grossing film, earning more than $215 million.
Popular television series prompt the introduction of board game versions. "Survivor" and "Who Wants To Be a Millionaire" lead the list of new releases.

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In November, illusionist David Blaine is encased in ice for 62 hours in New York's Times Square, assisted only with air and water tubes and a catheter. Blaine, who was seeking notoriety over national TV, survives the stunt but requires hospitalization.

Russell Crowe becomes a household name with the release of *Gladiator*. The epic film wins a Golden Globe Award for Best Drama as well as an acting nod for Crowe.

**NBC's White House drama "The West Wing," starring Martin Sheen, Allison Janney and Richard Schiff, sets a record for receiving the most Emmys in a single season with nine wins, including Outstanding Drama Series.**

NBC's "Will & Grace" is one of television's 10 most watched shows in 2000. Actors Sean Hayes and Megan Mullally win Emmys for their roles as Jack and Karen.

Scary Movie, the Wayans brothers' spoof on horror movies, is among the year's 10 highest grossing films. The July release earns more than $157 million and is voted the Teen Choice Awards Movie of the Summer.

Fox's "Dark Angel" is voted Favorite New Television Dramatic Series at the 2001 People's Choice Awards. The series, set in the year 2019, explores the life of a genetically enhanced heroine named Max.

In July, Wolverine, Cyclops, Storm and other super-powerful comic book characters are brought to life in *X-Men*. The movie grosses over $157 million, one of the year's 10 biggest box-office draws.

Charlie's Angels, based on the popular '70s TV series, is one of the top 20 box-office draws in 2000. The movie, starring director Drew Barrymore, Cameron Diaz and Lucy Liu, earns $40 million its opening week in November and grosses more than $123 million during its run.

The year's hottest TV show is CBS's "Survivor," in which 16 contestants compete for a million dollars by surviving on a tropical island for 39 days. More than 51 million viewers tune in for the final episode. Based on its success, CBS launches a second "Survivor" series in January 2001 set in the Australian Outback.
In response to the growing interest in Latin music, CBS airs the "1st Annual Latin Grammy Awards" in September. The show is the first primetime network Spanish language telecast on American TV and draws 7.5 million viewers.

A new board game called "Hip-Hop Hall of Fame" capitalizes on the popularity of the music genre. Players make their way around an album-like board by answering questions about Hip-Hop performers, songs, culture and history.

Hip-Hop remains one of the year's dominant sounds, with acts such as DMX, Jay-Z and Ludacris all making Billboard's Top 40 with new songs and selling more than a million copies of their latest CDs.

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Opening week sales records are shattered in 2000 with benchmarks set for the number of albums sold. Britney Spears' "Oops... I Did It Again," Eminem's "The Marshall Mathers LP," Limp Bizkit's "Chocolate Starfish and the Hot Dog Flavored Water" and Backstreet Boys' "Black & Blue" all break the million-unit mark.

Napster loses several court battles with the recording industry over copyright infringement. The popular online music sharing service, with over 60 million users, faces shut-down unless it can create a new business formula that satisfies the major recording labels.

MTV's "Total Request Live," which allows viewers to vote for their favorite music videos, continues to gain popularity. Host Carson Daly becomes one of the year's best-known faces.

Destiny's Child achieves three back-to-back No. 1 singles in 2000, making the band Billboard's Top Pop Artist of 2000. The group is nominated for five Grammys, four for the single "Say My Name."

Faith Hill and Tim McGraw perform to sellout crowds on their Soul 2 Soul tour. Hill and McGraw win the Country Music Association's Female and Male Vocalist of the Year, making them the first couple to win in the same year.

Pink is one of the year's top new artists. Her debut album, "Can't Take Me Home," sells 2 million copies, and two of her songs are Top 10 hits.

Baha Men's hit song "Who Let the Dogs Out" reaches anthem status at sports stadiums across the country. The song also wins a Grammy nomination for Best Dance Recording.

The Beatles begin 2001 atop the Billboard album chart with the album. The CD sells more than 5 million copies over the holiday season.

Siros, a member of the R&B band Dru Hill, goes solo in 2000. The singer tops the singles chart with "Incomplete" and "Thong Song" and takes home awards from Billboard and the American Music Association.

Rock music dominates the music charts and award shows in 2000. Groups including matchbox twenty, Vertical Horizon and 3 Doors Down top both the rock and pop singles charts with their respective singles "Bent," "Everything You Want," and "Kryptonite."
American Marion Jones, 24, becomes the first woman to win five track and field medals in a single Olympic Games at the 2000 Summer Games in Sydney. Jones wins the 100- and 200-meter sprints and the 4x400 relay, and finishes third in both the 4x100 relay and long jump.

The New York Yankees defeat the New York Mets four games to one in the first "Subway Series" since 1956. It is the Yankees' third straight World Series win and their 26th overall.

Bobby Labonte wins the 2000 NASCAR Winston Cup, his first after eight years on the circuit. Labonte and his brother Terry, winner of two previous Winston Cups, are the first brothers to win titles.

The Houston Comets beat the New York Liberty to win the 2000 WNBA championship. The win is Houston's fourth in a row, and star Cynthia Cooper is named the finals MVP.

In the 2001 Orange Bowl, the underdog Oklahoma Sooners defeat the Florida State Seminoles 13-2 to win the National Championship. It is Oklahoma's first title in 15 years.

Australian Karrie Webb is named the LPGA's Player of the Year for the second time in a row. Webb wins seven titles in 2000, including the U.S. Women's Open in July, and sets an earnings record of $1.8 million.

With a win against the University of Dayton in September, Yale becomes the first college team to win 800 football games.

In January 2001, after a three-year hiatus, legendary Mario Lemieux returns to play for the Pittsburgh Penguins, the hockey team he now part-owns. Lemieux becomes the first owner/player in the history of the NHL.

Cyclist Lance Armstrong wins his second consecutive Tour de France in July. Armstrong, a cancer survivor, also writes his autobiography It's Not About the Bike: My Journey Back to Life.

Venus Williams dominates women's tennis. The 20-year-old has a 35-match winning streak, which includes the titles at Wimbledon and the U.S. Open as well as an Olympic gold medal.

Tiger Woods, 24, wins three of golf's four major tournaments to become the youngest player to win a career grand slam. Woods also breaks the earnings record for a single year with winnings of more than $9 million.
In June, the New Jersey Devils win their second Stanley Cup in six seasons by defeating defending champion Dallas Stars four games to two in the finals. Scott Stevens wins the Conn Smythe Trophy for postseason MVP.

The Los Angeles Lakers win the NBA championship, the franchise’s first in 12 years. The Lakers beat the Indiana Pacers in game six of the finals. Center Shaquille O’Neal is named MVP.

The racing world is stunned when NASCAR legend Dale Earnhardt Sr., a seven-time Winston Cup champion, is killed on the last lap of the Daytona 500 in February 2001. NASCAR does not retire numbers, but car owner Richard Childress said he will never again race Earnhardt’s black No. 3 car.

Xtreme Football debuts in February 2001. The game combines conventional football rules with some of the mayhem of professional wrestling. Eight teams play in the league’s first season.

Laura Wilkinson overcomes three broken toes to win the women’s 10-meter platform diving competition. Wilkinson is the first American woman to earn the gold in this Olympic event since 1964.

In a huge upset, American Greco-Roman wrestler Rulon Gardner defeats Russian legend Alexander Karelin for the gold in the super heavyweight class. The loss is Karelin’s first in 13 years.

American swimmer Misty Hyman beats out heavily favored Susie O’Neill of Australia to win the 200-meter butterfly. Hyman’s winning time of 2:05.88 is an Olympic record.

American runner Michael Johnson makes history by winning the 400-meter run for an unprecedented second time in a row at the Olympics. Alvin Harrison, also from the United States, wins the silver medal.

The Baltimore Ravens beat the New York Giants 34-7 in Super Bowl XXXV for their first NFL title. Ray Lewis of Baltimore’s highly touted defense is named MVP of the game.

Cathy Freeman carries the Olympic torch at the opening ceremonies of the 2000 Summer Games in Sydney. Freeman goes on to win the 400-meter dash, becoming the first Aboriginal Australian to earn an individual Olympic gold medal.
Comedian Dennis Miller debuts as co-announcer on ABC’s “Monday Night Football.” Miller’s offbeat humor gets a mixed reaction from fans, and the series earns some of the lowest ratings in its 31-year history.

To observe society and learn about himself, New Jersey native Brett Ranle, 18, takes a one-year vow of silence. He communicates by e-mail, facial expressions and business cards.

Runner Maria Runyan, who is legally blind, becomes the first U.S. Paralympian to compete in the Olympics. Runyan places 8th in the 1,500-meter run at the 2000 Summer Games in Sydney, Australia.

England celebrates the 100th birthday of the Queen Mum, mother of Queen Elizabeth, in August. The beloved Mum becomes the oldest living royal in the history of the British Monarchy.

In October, Slovenian climber Davo Karnicar becomes the first person to ski down Mount Everest. Karnicar’s two-mile descent down the world’s highest mountain takes five hours.

Video gamer Josh Griffith, 17, starts a business filling in for other gamers involved in an online roleplaying game called “Asheron’s Call.” Players are required to put in hours of game time to keep their online characters powerful. Busy executives pay Griffith up to $40 an hour to play for them.

After a record 3,545 wins and $81 million in earnings during her 19-year career, jockey Julie Krone becomes the first woman inducted into the National Racing Hall of Fame.

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