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.
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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
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

The Passaic Valley Board of Education: Sitting, L to R: Mr. Rocco Fonzetti; Mr. James Belford; Dr. Louis Centolanza, Superintendent; Mr. Carlo Spinella, President; Mr. James Nilan; Mr. Paul Gerber, Secretary, Standing: Mr. Steven Veltri; Mr. David Seyer; Mr. William Depsee; Mr. Donald Donadio; Mr. James Meece
"Those that know, do. Those that understand, teach."

~Aristotle
Faculty
Age takes away from us what we have inherited

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 the way 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 in 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.”
Mr. Malone earned his Bachelor's Degree in 1967 and Master's 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"
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“You know what I’m sayin?” ~ Mrs. Sheryl Brown

“Mmm Kay?” ~ Mr. Robert Block
From top left to right: Harriet Brussel, BA, World Languages; J. Peter Budelman, BS, Mathematics; Robert Callahan, BS, Special Education; Jim Camb, BS, Permanent Substitute; Susan M. Clinton, PhD, English; Laurel Corsini, MA, Special Education; Edward S. Costello, BS, Science; Carol Dakes, MA, BA, Business Education; Lori Dearani, Secretarial Staff; William J. DeGroot, BA, Art; Kathleen Z. Dellano, MA, English

"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

From top left to right: Vincent D'Elia, BA, Science; Judith S. DeRosa, MA, English; Margaret DeYoung, Secretarial Staff; Deb Dross, MS, Athletic Trainer; Mary Ann Duke, MEd., Mathematics; Mary Ehret, MA, Home Economics; James Ferretti, MA, Special Education; Marie Ferriola, Secretarial Staff; Rory Fitzgerald, BA, Social Studies; Raymond Frasche, BA, Music; Joseph Fermanek, BA, Mathematics
"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

From top left to right: Nancy Garofalo, MA, English; Nicholas Gemma, BS, Social Studies; Paul A. Gerber, Jr., BS, Board Secretary/Business Administrator; Michael Goodwin, MA, Special Education; Michael E. Gordon, BS, Mathematics; Jim Hansen, MA, Communications; Cheryl Hergert, BS, Physical Education; Trudy Humes, Administrative Secretary; William Humes, BS, Science; Carrie Ingraham, BA, Art; Edward J. Iobst, MEd, Science
"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

From top left to right: Ann Marie Intilli, BA, World Languages; Robert Jack, MA, Assistant Principal; William Johnson, BA, Social Studies; Nancy Konzelmann, MA, Media Specialist; Andrea LaPlaca, MA, Child Study Team; David Lerro, BS, Science; Claire Ameer Levaah, MA, English; Jay Lijoi, BS, Mathematics; Cynthia Luques, BA, English; Virginia Mahr, MA, Guidance Services; Kenneth R. Malone, MA, Mathematics Department Head
"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

From top left to right: Gwenth Manfre, MS, Social Studies; Richard Marion Sr., MA, MEd, Guidance Services; Arlene Marocco, Secretarial Staff; Cathleen Marquis, MEd, Physical Education; Danielle Mazzuca, BA, Social Studies; Jaqueline McGarrity, Secretarial Staff; Yvette McNeal, MEd, English; James Mercadante, BA, MEd, Art; James Millar, MM, Music; Jonell Mizzone, Secretarial Staff; Melissa Monte, MA, Business
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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
From top left to right: Jim Phillips, MA, Special Education; Ruth Pille, Secretarial Staff; Phyllis Pizzolato, MA, World Languages Department Head; Timothy Platt, Building and Grounds Supervisor; Rich Porfido, BA, Social Studies; Frank Reaser, BA, Science; Donald Roll, MA, Physical Education; Laura Rossi, Secretarial Staff; Donald Ruccia, BA, Media; John Salierno, MA, World Languages; Nicholas Sauter, MA, Physical Education

“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 Salierno

FACULTY & STAFF/29
From top left to right: Carol Schatel, MA, World Languages; Jon Semcer, MA, Director of Guidance Services; Dave Settembre, MA, Disciplinarian; Jennifer Shue, MA, Student Assistance Coordinator; Sal Sileo, BA, Mathematics; Hank Sisbarro, BS, Science; Joan Smolen, BA, Mathematics; Sherrill Spaak, BS, Home Economics, English; Joan Stewart, Secretarial Staff; Marcia St. Laurence, MA, Mathematics

“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
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
“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
Life is what happens to you while you’re busy making other plans.” John Lennon

Underclassmen
the journey begins
“and it ... continues on.”

Class Advisors

Mrs. Dellano

Mrs. Mulcahy

Class Officers

President: James Destefano, Vice President: Paul Bowie,
Secretary: Cortney Dellotto, Treasurer: Billy Enright, Historian: Amanda Duroscher

Sophomore
Means
“Wise Fool.”
juniors almost there!

Class Advisor: Mr. Fitzgerald; Class Officers: Catherine Tice, Michael Batterini, Marlene DelCarpio, Michael Depsee, Melissa Strignile; Class Advisor: Ms. Mazzera

“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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

After a long day of schooling, sports, and dancing, Steve refills his bed with dreams of flowers and sugar plums.

44/DAY IN THE LIFE

Life is What Happen while we are making other plans.” - Allen Saunders

Who doesn’t do Literature homework at 5:02 AM?

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

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

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?

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 Pecirillo asked for the opportunity to strike back at his giant sized nemesis, Stephen Sylvester... he might have finally smelt the beard.

Everyone demanded to see Billy Pahumho eating muffins... and now he's up to his ears in crumbs.

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

Sara Nowen 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."
besfriends
"A true friend never gets in your way, unless you happen to be going down."
"Activity is contagious." - Ralph Waldo Emerson

Top 10 Most Involved

Amer Khalil

Top 10 Most Involved

Thomas Roskop

"Now, I am involved, I feel infinite." - Erin English

Lisa Marie Batelli

Kelly Wenz

"The Perks of Being a Wallflower" - Daniel Cook

Chris Sterba

Erin English

Adam Rivora

Jaclyn Wagniere

Jamie Cole

TOP 10 MOST INVOLVED
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
Inappropriate language directed at staff - Kelly Billig

Continued willful disobedience / defiance of authority - Damian Potenzio

Possession of tobacco products - Christopher Miller / Nicole Morino

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

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

"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.'"

"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
PV Music Department -
Holiday Concert 2000

Concert Band (James Millar, director)
How The Grinch Stole Christmas
Three Carols for Christmas
The Gathering of the Ranks at Hebron
River of Life

Concert Choir (Raymond Frasche,
director)
What a Wonderful World
At Twilight
Amazing Grace
Sing Me To Winter
The Coventry Carol
God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen

Jazz Band (James Millar, director)
Go Tell It On the Mountain
The Man I Love (Guest Vocalist: Rachel Russo)
Everyday I Have the Blues (Guest Vocalist: Catherine Cugliari)
Hasta La Pasta, Mania

Combined Band & Choir
A Christmas Festival

"Life is what you make of it." - Mr. James Millar
White Victories
Exercise
Cheering
Relays
Volley Cage
The Night

Zombies
Cheering Heads - Diana Campilango and Kathy Tice

Volley Cage Heads - Stephanie Sala and Stephanie Leporini

Relay Heads - Melissa Strignile and Agehca Rodriguez

Rocky
Exercise Heads - Jackie Puluse and Megan Minieri

Broadway Divas
Dance Heads - Marisa Beagin and Jessie Foster
Green Chief - Lisa Batelli

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 Gylla

Relay Heads - Heather Kudlach and Katie Shark

Criminals
Exercise Heads - Roberta Hruby and Kelly Meisberger

GIRLS SHOW/67
"A good journalist is a rewarding sight... must have a zest for events... He must have dedication to facts and a scent of humbug... must cultivate skepticism while avoiding criticism... He must learn to cover... causes which he can have no sympathy but must display loyalty... He must be incorruptible. He must go where he is not wanted, and resistant to those who are too welcoming. For all of this, his hours will be long, his inadequate, and his standing in the community not particularly high." -Thomas Griffiths, *Time*

So maybe they don’t write for a professional newspaper or even get paid for their efforts, the Valley Echo staff fits Thomas Griffiths’ 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 entail 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
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. Fetchtuhin; S. Nowen; J. Goldberg; R. Stampone; (above) S. Leporini; (below) K. Wenz (12); K. Wenz (11)
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Treasurer: M. Rodriguez
Secretary: K. Woolsey

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Vice-President: J. Wagner
Secretary: C. Batell
Publicist: L. Colvin

Advisor: Mr. R. Fraschetti


not pictured

Advisor: Mr. M. Gordon
President: K. Frey
Co-Vice-Presidents:
R. Russo & T. Roskop
Treasurer: R. Renzulli
Secretary: A. Masand
Co-Publicists: K. MacFarlane & K. Bertolero

Advisor: Ms. S. Brown
“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 Wh
Mary Ann Sarafin 1964
Mother Of: John Kilpatrick

Patricia Jaworski 1968
Mother Of: David & Stephanie Leporini

Nicholas Anthony Ligieri, Jr. 1970
Father Of: Raheal Ligieri

Robert MacFarlane 1972
Father Of: Kara MacFarlane

Lena Pagano 1970
Mother Of: Jason Martin

Carol Riker 1972
Mother Of: Christopher Miller

David Nowen 1973
Father Of: Sara Nowen

Nina Accordino 1975
Mother Of: Jason Perna

Anthony Piccirillo 1970
Father Of: Michael Piccirillo

John Richardson 1978
Father Of: Amanda Richardson

Barbara Bertsch 1979
Mother Of: Amanda Richardson

Randy Simonetti 1972
Father Of: Ruby Simonetti

Rita Casteline 1967
Mother Of: Scott Wells

Janet Braen 1946
Grandmother Of: Kelly Wenz

Jeanne Denbraber 1973
Mother Of: Carol Voorhis

Judith Fischbach 1973
Mother Of: Marisa Vescio

Jack Wagniere 1970
Father Of: Jaclyn Wagniere

Elvira Romei 1980
Mother Of: Aqua Net
Douglas Wright 1969
Claudia Amador 1971
Parents Of: Chris & Craig Wright

Greg Noordyk 1970
Linda Luzzi 1972
Parents Of: Jared Noordyk

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

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

88/GENERATIONS
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 Manitione
1970
Mother & Step-Father Of: Lauren Cifrodello

Robert Oxley
1967
Anna Marie Foresta
1968
Parents Of: Ann Oxley

Donald Apolito
1967
Angela Giangrasso
1970
Parents Of: Scott Apolito

Wesley Macphail
1971
Denise Duva
1972
Parents Of: Alex MacPhail
"babies are such a nice way to 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: You can't buy happiness. You can only enjoy it. Miss Wagniere always made me laugh. You can always find the good in people.

Secret Ambition: Always be the best version of yourself.

Treasurer

Craig Wright

"Wiz"

Ambition: Business; Memories: Every day should be a good day. When I graduate, I want to work in the corporate world. My parents have always supported me.

Secret Ambition: To perform on Broadway; National Honor Society

Secretary

Kelly Dawn Wenz

"Wendy, Cowgirl, Princess"

Ambition: Art; Memories: First day at Camelot, chairfark, shapes, art! National Honor Society

President

Bernard Christian Ciongoli

"Bingo"

Ambition: Emergency Medicine; Memories: Thank you to all my friends. Good luck to you all.

Secret Ambition: To perform on Broadway; National Honor Society

Historian

Christopher Wright

Ambition: Business; Memories: Hey Craig, my psychic. My Ambition: To perform on Broadway; National Honor Society
Joseph Vincent Agnabod, Agnabod
Ambition: Pre-Law; Memories: To work Chillen WSM, TB, JT, DB, BC, SS, MD, RS, MD, SW, BP, MB/AllThe Girls!! Mem-0000 Loved My Family, Grammaw Loved Us!! Secret Ambition: To be Pure Platinum.

Jamie E. Alessio
"Jae"
Ambition: II Independent; Memories: LoveYhanks2MomJon Cho/MariaDaRUssianStepMileeva WestPKlickNeva 4SheRanKNSH ShMeKkKoEnJuKrayLife Seaside99-00 Secret Ambition: To prove I can be somebody.

Scott Joseph Apolito
Ambition: Computer Engineer; Memories: Meeting new people, making new friends, and a high school experience that I'll never forget. Secret Ambition: Screenwriter; National Honor Society

Edwin A. Argueta, Jr.
"Pops"
Ambition: To own my own Guatemalan restaurant; Memories: ChilrenWithLBPHPDSSGCAMCGKGCW1L Time memDay-Week MartyriedToEyes Surfaced2000MomLawU ThassYour Support WrestlingYears. Secret Ambition: To meet my dream girl.

Kristin Elizabeth Armato
"George"
Ambition: To be successful and happy; Memories: ToCrew &Guys ThansMem94Goldens=LCL J/SAPE. AnVIBEst Xmas Housesass-ToMomDad &Cat-Thanx 4everythg To Class 01-REEIMassU.

Vanessa Aversa
"Nessa"
Ambition: Psychology; Memories: 3YrGreenXHeadToThe CrewThansForAllTheMemoriesLoveU. KA-SF4PSH1W 71 To Mom Dad Sister: Thanks For Everything LoveYouSoMuch Secret Ambition: "Nothing in life is to be feared, it is only to be understood."

Daniela Bagliari
"Rags"
Ambition: To lead a happy and successful life; Memories: Yts PHSzep DREWL, nZHSF Camp "99" AOMS nothing! Life99 DtyKrisFunWithLBHKSSMOMVTCChickYoulater MomDad MatrialumNonaDame Secret Ambition: To meet Peter Piper and see how many pickled peppers Peter Piper picked.

George Anthony Bahar
Ambition: Diamond Setter; Memories: ToAllMyFrnds JIMCRLR/BDKD ThanksForAllTheMemories. Luan&LoriTo MyFamily&Ep. Mom&DaustToMyDogSecret MyScoobyChica many. Secret Ambition: "You need the rain to see the rainbow."

Radovan Bajic
Ambition: Engineer; Secret Ambition: Be rich and famous
David Todd Barattin

"David Todd Nutc. DB"

Ambition: To be an accountant; Memories: FSNutSiSa, Od, etc., As, Ja, Th, Ji, Sm, Ja, Ff, Po, Lu, Ty, Ed, Ji, Al, Jd, Br, etc.; FBSaReSiSa; Fb: Mon/Sat Jeff/Craig Nand/Pop
Secret Ambition: To become a brick legend.

Paul Barbeita

Ambition: Computer Programmer; Memories: DaPasse: Rye, Ga, Al, Ryan, Aun, Jes, Siv, Mih, Pan; the hallowed Alphabet Delta Puckks Tatskoth Port/McBand Hugalyga
Secret Ambition: To become a rock star.

Amanda Nicole Barone

"Mandy, Manda"

Ambition: Music Education; Memories: StrersMarchbandEyeys Braat Capt Str/De/Nym Rcm/MbK/KD STR/Alone BCGM 9999 JdReMeF8 BagBnd/Wt00PFRING2GuyMom&Dad Thanx4 everyth.Laur Secret Ambition: To achieve 100% of the shots I take.

Tareq Batarseh

"Laur"

Ambition: To be a successful engineer; Memories: Thans2 Mmry for everything! Ayur#DadAll my foods, Ja, Sm, Md, Ji, ML, Sa, Je, Jd, Sm, Jp, Sa Tommy. 2kummer, Md wwas great.
Secret Ambition: To own my own camel.

Lisa-Marie Batelli

Ambition: Corporate Lawyer; Memories: GreenChefs; GD= 08-01, Bys Yeck/Capt, BysTrack/TheCrew—Thans4Breguet memories! HK-BPTnks/Everything! Secret Ambition: Celebrate happiness that friends always give & make everyday a holiday.
National Honor Society

Marisa Josephine Beagin

"Sage, Sues" Ambition: To be happy and successful; Memories: ColBys 5th/De/Pk/Die- The Crew &gus Thans4 all themems: Rs-c-4 yrGirl Show-JP/Ke04; Mon/Dad BrianLech EricThnx everything Secret Ambition: Fate only takes you so far, the rest is up to you.

Fernando Bermudez

"Kris, K-Dug"

Memories: Tommygirls MVLC07 BSGM DBL/Cmns Day00 MVMT getting lost GMike OmgGurl RRComm Wank Mmnt Tulle Cant Find MyWedding Cluths/nt LaborDay/00LC; Secret Ambition: To collect social security.
Kelly Erin Billig
Ambition: To be a doctor; Memories: I remember lessons learned & friends made in track & MUSC-BrEhDrunkenStjay EE-EMBGC-Physics FurrJr, TR, AR & DB ThxMom&Dad. Secret Ambition: To always face life with a smile on my face. National Honor Society

Adam Donald Bird
"Bird"

Martha Rosal Bitar
"Marti, Bart"

Megan Leigh Blessing
"Meg, Messy"

Diane Bolchune
"Di, Spy"  
Ambition: Education; Memories: 4YrsFH CaptYrs BBall "CAMEL" 8Sept-11-6-4126 Mshch-3Kev Xrwa- DLEntGk Vile-New Cana Mh "Hey The Mon4m MkeGrum Thx4Erything LuvU! Secret Ambition: To always be the sparkle in his eyes!

Monique Noelle Bonilla
"Mr. Midge"
Ambition: To be an interior designer; Memories: My memories in Jason&friends, RM, SW<SL<SP<SL. MemDay at MSU, Red Chnsey, Lign Concerts, Erns House, Lign Love. Secret Ambition: To travel back in time.

Meredith Kathleen Brady
"Kei"
Ambition: Law Enforcement; Memories: NSBY Twmg DN ThoughtI never seprated Human forget gudori forgethe memoriesmade FBILouisvomKejDenLuvu JAAFFESPLYA Illiniun Secret Ambition: To learn to think with my heart instead of my head.

Donna Braen
"Don"  
Ambition: To be an accountant; Memories: Iacened of FBLA endguard sathy FGBuI remember times at band Twl mepguo guyso verymuch. Mom&Dad thankbeing therefore. Secret Ambition: To be in the Olympics as a swimmer.

Michael Brancaccio
Ambition: New...Not to be out...
Kevin Thomas Brandell

Memories: I had a great time playing soccer. Great memo w/MP TARNEMEBNAAP. Thx alot to my mom, CV, Love Ya. I'll see everyone next year.

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

Ambition: Engineer; Memories: Hangwith CSEETRJCB- 

RLEVFUM MGGP50RCN MO2RMRB Memorials/Stage: Crew/Backs

CtytSeniors/Fallplays alsookrnight/Srbus OTV/over 2001.

Secret Ambition: WC Series.

Jordan Theodore Brown

"Jordyn"

Ambition: To eat an apple larger than a regular one. Memories: ACLERYA! Aamir Rowland Matt no one will see me again MAVERICK Mr. Kotter Mr. Johnson and Mr. Ward I will never forget ! 88 mph! Secret Ambition: To be rich and famous.

Michael Anthony Brusco

"Cesar"

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", "Bush"

Ambition: To be an accountant; Memories: Thanks to my parents teachers and friends. BBA/Accounting I would also like to give a special thanks to Lisa MJ Love You. Secret Ambition: To make an impression on this world small or great.

Raed Bustami

Ambition: Never EZ; Memories: My Frind George, Ameer, Zaid, I was lucky 2 mo. Also PV's Pioneer mot Mr. Bombel- 

I'm most Buffie lady McNeal NYR4ERTU. Secret Ambi- 

tion: Not to Quit

Diana Leigh Campilango

Ambition: Lawyer; Memories: 4 yrsSWCH'93 SNABTh-

eythng Snapget UNMAIMy 147ToAll UGays 4Lef&

Money Mom/Dad PeterThank Everything SupportSmileAlwaysLa-

ve U! Secret Ambition: Professional Choreographer. National Honor Society

Yaquiris Canela

Ambition: Actress; Memories: ThnMeAll/Mikey/FriendsTill-

DaRid/SanYa! NS-HUFeelin! 2CJSSU/JGJ4M4E2MyJeyson

UD5ways Goin2Har MyHeartLLU ZE-Boy UBCMe Soon. Secret Ambition: To Be The First and Biggest Dominican Actress in Hollywood.
Anthony Matthew Cappello
"Stall-On, Romeo"
Ambition: To start a family. Memories: OneLoveToAllThoseWhoStuckByMySideThroughTheYearsThanksMomForMakingMeDoThisILoveYouWithAllMyHeartOhYeahNeverForEt.R.P.
Secret Ambition: To marry for love.

Dan Caravelli
"Marcio Marcus"
Ambition: Industrial Engineer. Memories: FriendsForeverCPNTAllWearCrazyOneTheyStickMeInARoundRubber
wantsRubberRatsRubberRatsDriveMeCrazy! Secret Ambition: N.H.L. Goalie

Adale Marie Carfi
"Cheff, Cutters"
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: AShMirBites 143-2mymems 2nd-WooChillin' mygirl. Loves-NurReAt
WindsNor 4getBites withya-ya-Chillin'WwStipa3Fux sim-r
Mom&Dad&Family. Secret Ambition: To live each day with no regrets.

Francesca Nicole Cerrigone
"Fran, Franny"
Ambition: College. Memories: 4yrCHBndw-BuryMINS
NeworlgiUMom&DadNewark-MBBig&LBVAP-GNU
JP, meet, papa & Giancarlothanks4yourLove&Support. Secret
Ambition: To Never Explain - your friends don’t need it and your enemies won’t believe it anyway.

Stephanie Ann Cheff
"Cheff, Cutters"
Ambition: Art. Memories: FRANMARTACATHSTEFThat's
Being The-LoveUGuys FCinFr NewarkLBU06B! Friends Life!
BAllasYadBurns beforeMom&Dad&Evah - Tlk& Want Weep. Secret
Ambition: To touch the world, reach the stars, and still know the best is yet to come.

Jeffrey Thomas Chirico
"Jeffy"
Ambition: To be a professional ping-pong player with Lee.
Memories: Chile: LLUNLCCCWJF2KEd.1YAMISDDBinNJMM
BILZGGFCVL3AMGOF48ACWJFIPGUNZMEpnyNCP
JG&JN Bros2A99 JFM Thanx Mom&Dad &Doug&Nick 143
Secret Ambition: To become a professional Brick player.

Eileen Amanda Christie
Ambition: Graphic designer. Memories: Specialthanks4love&puddles&photography&deserve&marital&pain&mostimportant
ly madduvomy cousinJanah.
Jennifer Ann Colantoni

*Jenn, Jenny, Ice Box*

Ambition: Marine Biology. Memories: GDCFroahLICrem.-
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GL ToAUMyFrSeeYa Secret

Ambition: To play softball in the Olympics.

Lauren Christine Cifrodello

"Laur, Laurie"

Ambition: To always be happy; Memories: Track WMTAGM-
RACBF4LMMTWWOOD MyMems JG1B* 4Hole ChinaKari
MENHoAREEllsMaxAphlet 5 HaveU MVSTBon MomPete
NJCt EnvyglLoveU. Secret Ambition: To one day wish upon
Astar and have it come true!

Ambition: To always be happy. Memories: friends.
InA RoundRubItTe"rajy! Secret

Ambition: Toonedaywihupon

Jacqueline Lee Conde

"Jackie, Little Jack"

Ambition: Law. Memories: EZ granntak GB ur the best BFPE
MBGAFCEFENG thanks 4 mems. Momchad to-ness Ed best-
brofriend Joeyh luoyaNinjaWillFindU. Secret Ambition:
"Dream as if you’ll live forever; live as if you’ll die tomorrow.”

Ambition: To Do What I want, when I want. Memories: ToMy-
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member JasOneTolM Welcome Toe Decorate? ToKIPRichYor.
Be ToMyFamilyLoveU Secret Ambition: To go where eagles
dare

Krystal Conforth Daniel Richard Cook

"Cook, Cookie, Daniel-Sue"

Ambition: Engineer. Memories: Onefameandinstantnew
Cantheiphuthink whatwillbewho? Wherewillwegandwhatwill-
happen? The unquestionswhatwillhappen? FRIENDS. Secret
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Andrew Cooper

"Andy-Bear, Feeb"

Ambition: Be an English and drama teacher. Memories: To all
my friends remember THE DECK!! Hey-MG, SH, CV, RR, MB,
KZ, LB, JC, TO, TR, D1, KB, etc. Yo! Ricky it’s not true!
Secret Ambition: Erase the Pest-Meister
Lindsay Coronato
"LinZ, Kimberly"
**Ambition:** To own a woodchuck; **Memories:** Had Fun With 2DBAO B KVBRG MKIMIA. Evil FH, Camp "00", "LHR" "00". You Wanna Letuce Chubble. Roseplans. Chris "Starz" Robert LuvMyFamily. **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.

Victor Cruz
"Vic"
**Memories:** To My Parents thanks For Everything. To All My boyz AEFBESBZCMJV LC and JP good luck in college.

Catherine Anna Cugliari
"Cathy, Cuges, Cathy Cuges, Cugles"
**Ambition:** To lead a happy and successful life; **Memories:** 4yrs Band, Choir, Drama&Stage C.PVOHamp! LuvD&G DDM&CGCFPE. Cathy, Enzo Petzamar (HPFE. To Franche, Mr&Mme, Youarethebest. **Secret Ambition:** To be the vocalist of the Disney characters.

Paul Michael D’Allegro
"P-Dummys"
**Memories:** 4yrs W/ NoRegrets & Memories III NeverGet. 2AC Thnx 4LuvMe IIINeverGetU. 2MyBoyz: KeepItReal, Always Remember TheFun OurCircleBrought. **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:** 2Fain H* Am-bition. Thanku Crabbin- JG&JM 2Lauren H-138BBD LCNer! CG 2Baseball Ul0ck Youthoughtofthat. BR! Ucky Y2K- GodNexNexBeck. **Secret Ambition:** To be in the next CKY video.

Jerry Dawson
**Ambition:** To Become An Important Person; **Memories:** ToAll MyFriends youKnow WhoyouAre IT thank MyFamily forThe SupportThey HaveGiven MeFinally ImOut. **Secret Ambition:** To Have The Last Laugh In Life.

Robert Debeneadto
"Rob"
**Memories:** 4yrs W/ NoRegrets & Memories III NeverGet. 2AC Thnx 4LuvMe IIINeverGetU. 2MyBoyz: KeepItReal, Always Remember TheFun OurCircleBrought. **Secret Ambition:** To be the vocalist of the Disney characters.

Mike DeCaito
**Ambition:** To Have The Last Laugh In Life.
Christopher Decker
"Dex"

Ambition: Law Enforcement; Memories: 4yrsof CRAZY-BS; Bffs, UnforgettableFresh FB&BB Da-Drew Uno,Who
Em1y-Wich MEENS 2Mnd Dad, My Themes Made My Life
SoEZ&Pun INU GUYS. Secret Ambition: 2 Live a happy
& service-oriented life & understand a Driveway is where u
park & a parkway is where u drive ur car.

Mark Elliot DelCarpio

Ambition: US Marine Core; Memories: To all my crew
members, It's been fun. Hey MI remember CRIB <3
Secret Ambition: To figure girls out.

Derick S. DeMarco

Memories: It's been a fun year & I have enjoyed every-
bit of it. I will remember everyone of you. Later.

Edward T. De Rosa
"Da Fosa, Da Fozz"

Ambition: Lawyer; Memories: Tallnboys unknownbro
Handicaps (memories: 4yrs vars wrestling Jeffypartine,
4yrs in sprots, Sunsets, Surfboard, Dribbled Callload leverpo-
rt. ARK, Raregus, Familyboys all think 1st everything;
Boyz all about Thugness. Secret Ambition: Live one
more day with my grandfather grandmother.

Ruhan Derti
"Roo, Dirty"

Ambition: To do something with my life, like go to col-
lege or something like that.; Memories: Soccer, locker-
room. Christian In the garage, I brought a car and
Secret Ambition: Don't know not sure I'd tell you
even if I did.

Michael Anthony DeSimone
"D-Train, Duesse"

Ambition: College; Memories: 4yrsoFB, 3yrsoBB,
4yrsoTrack FrSPOrdn' CotChamps&8 timesw/IR,
MDJATB5M, BP, NAMB Thankyou livl how Mom&Dad, Hermie, Eran, HennahFly 82&SenR,
Secret Ambition: To become the Head Coach of PV
Football.

James Joseph DeStefano
"Jim"

Ambition: To work on Wallstreet; Memories: GoodTimesw/
TDGuys R-NeckADax FCUK, Trainin At. Golds
Andy & Mike. Lazyaki Bros. DontBest Mem&Dad Jaime-
Dave. Thanks 4 Everything. Secret Ambition: To be the man
my mother always knew I could be-Loxy-Mom.

Aniello Di Dio, Jr.
"Neil"

Ambition: Professional soccer player; Memories:
"What we call the beginning is often the end. And to
make an end is to make a beginning. The end is where
we start from." T.S. Eliot, National Honor Society.

Nicholas F. Di Domenico
"NickyDicky, Mr. Nickman, Koontash"

Ambition: To keep it hardcore; Memories: CACK-ATTACK!
MD, AR, DL, MT-ANGER DRA-Agony BP Satan- LeNOSE-
joe- Met-Howz LENTDHRIP JPS, burntFasta- SJ-Altonois
L-field-RIP. Secret Ambition: To find out the secret ingredi-
ent in Nancy's sourdough muffins National Honor Society.
Dorothy Doloszycki

Ambition: To become a successful managerial accountant. Memories: Two things I cherish most are my family and my experiences. I'm always learning new things and striving to be the best I can be.

Janet Doughoz

Ambition: Radiologic Technology. Memories: There are many highlights I would like to remember. The most memorable was when I received my associates degree. Secret Ambition: To have a scholarship.

Jeffrey Joseph Drohik

Ambition: Engineering. Memories: I would like to thank my family and friends for believing in me and giving me the strength to do what I love. Secret Ambition: To follow my dreams and make the most out of every experience.

Thomas J. Drwiega

Ambition: To be a Chemist. Memories: I want to be remembered for my hard work and dedication. Secret Ambition: To find Mr. Block's Gold.

Sandra Dugan

Ambition: Registered Nurse. Memories: chillin' in the sun, hanging out with friends. Secret Ambition: To be able to fly.

Matthew Vincent Dwyer

Ambition: To be a Nurse. Memories: I want to be a nurse to help others. Secret Ambition: To never be sad for what is over, but to accept it as a part of life.

Erin Marie English

Ambition: Visual Art. Memories: I like to be creative and explore new ideas. Secret Ambition: To ride on a shooting star.

Alexander Escobar

Ambition: To marry Maria. Memories: I'd like to remember the time when my dog, Paco, was still alive. Secret Ambition: To own a Mercedes-Benz S-500.

Alexis Jose Fernandez

Ambition: To become a computer Engineer. Secret Ambition: To someday become president of the United States.
Justin D. Ferrazzano  
**“Word, Kicker”**

**Ambition:** Architect; **Memories:** JC, JM:BA, Cade96-00, PA, 12man CRW, LF, Cmp96-00, Hot1998, 420-98-00, JCS-97-98: pinyask: LimedFrem: MG: JM9698: Mom/Dad143, SB. **Secret Ambition:** N.F.L Kicker

Nick Fierro  
**“Molochal 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 (JN). Secret Ambition: Lighthouse keeper.

Rosanna Fernicola  
**“ROE”**

**Ambition:** go to college; **Memories:** Goodtimes Chill-Town, BlueLights HOTSpot SSD143WOW, CrazyRider, Mom Dad Thnx4 everything 143. **Secret Ambition:** to know why good things must come to an end.

Monica Victoria Fugate  
**“Mon”**

**Ambition:** To be a successful house wife; **Memories:** spent with Mme 2hecrew 4grfxKPGGBF 4eal<3n8Clat Tps 3<orang4t 4 ovrl-ChMomDad KornGramps chind<aul=3kKorn- T4ET 1<3n! **Secret Ambition:** To realize that if you love something set it free, if it comes back to you it’s yours. If it doesn’t it never was.

José Figueroa  
**“Sergio, Crono”**

**Ambition:** Computer repairer or Analyst; **Memories:** “I can’t believe I ate the whole thing.” (Simpson. (S.16) HOMER. **Secret Ambition:** Computer Hacker or take Bill Gates’ Job

Kathleen Mary Frey  
**“Kat”**

**Ambition:** Veterinary Medicine; **Memories:** “It’s Great2 haveAnEnd Toadjourney, ButIts TheJourney That Matters! InTheEnd” Thanku MomDad, BF CS.CJ.MJ, DP, AE, FM,DG, teachers this journey. **Secret Ambition:** To be a writer like Hemmingway, National Honor Society

Jovita D. Galan  
**“Vita”**

**Memories:** Thnx4 for the great memories Melis I Luv u Mom Dad Thnx for the liv u so much Ismail Hi Smelly Pants I Luv u. **Secret Ambition:** To succeed without regrets.

Jeyson Garcia  
**“Jay, ESE”**

**Ambition:** I wanna be a millionaire. **Memories:** Thnx MomDad, ThnxMaMeNeal 4lyourhelp 4myBest Friends Latina, Asian, Arabic, Europe and MySpecialFede Yaquira! LOVEYALL.
Gaetano Carlo Gencarelli  
“Guy”  

Ambition: To seek a higher learning  
Memories: 
Sunny memseasd Wild Thax tomyhoeds 360 Stay Chillin SUNRISE Mybloccrew is laxe Blaskepitreal dent Lookback MaDelhansia Infinitelove. 
Secret Ambition: Dig deeper than the surface.

Joseph Gencarelli, Jr.  

Ambition: To be a Rockstar.; 
Memories: 
Iwmi toreconize Friends Sam, YouRule, Old Austin, Scott, Dave, Eric, Doc, gerry, Crystynana very imholetw. Slayer# abindoednainb Rules. 
Secret Ambition: to be a really big rockstar.

John Nicholas Goldberg  
“John”  

Ambition: To be a Doctor.; 
Memories: 
I recognizw lives Sam, YouRule, Old Austin, Scott, Dave, Eric, Doc, gerry, Crystynana very imholetw. Slayer# abindoednainb Rules. 
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, Track was cool 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: Mom, Dad, Fun Tricks Sups and 143 My Angel YoKatie, and Func 143 Cor Alfonzo CaddieLV Ra41 Keats Sis 4 LML, AK, KB, NF, CS, KC, SM, VI, EE, CWLo.

Dave Grotz  
“Diggity Dave, Olsen”  

Ambition: To propose to Steph B. at a rave.  
Memories: Year everyday 6th period lunch and Bored Ctonmember when weal mostetheshore buns onfire Breckacin in the halls THEEND. 
Secret Ambition: To be a dicta to a remote Pacific island.

Jared Allen Gruzas  
“Jay, Dork”  

Ambition: To climb the mountains that might overcome me; 
Memories: JDJ MKMM JC GHTDOCSERBWAAG EDDDP -89D8G C HCR8HNMD JMLHBLA Hone Fk MP 6000 Ambidextr Thieved DMerress&2my Family Thre4 everythand Lova. Secret Ambition: It was Secret.

Casey Guinn  

Ambition: To be a rich and famous; 
Memories: Ayrasw 2fast Thax 2MomNDad4everything Wrestling PVES w/TTown N WPcrew SumFun&Flegs NShor TRK-A 400 NMTD-MKA. Secret Ambition: To be a dicta to a remote Pacific island.
Jaimie Lynn Gulla
“Gulla, Gull”

Ambition: To be successful; Memories: GHHS01 w/no VanRah/Ccw/4yr.VanTrack 2yrfriends Thnx4everything! HolaChils “caution” Tomyfamily Thnx4everything Ilovemuch. Secret Ambition: To wish upon a star and hope all my dreams come true.

Justin Gutschenmidt
“Mud”

Ambition: To live a good life and have fun and “stay chillin”; Memories: PeaceOutPV!! Toolmympees it’sbeenfun Don’tforget thememories of “00”special thankstoMyparents thanksforthehelp “XP”Stratbuggn dont4get.

Bobby Hanna
“Bob”

Ambition: To one day show my mom how much she means to me; Memories: CatchMeMyCircle &TellU SumStories—Well, 2SumUp TheseLast4 Years: IGot WithA$ick >>>ClickAndWentAllOut—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 Memories from Monique and MSU. My Friends were great 2 High school waseasy TRCH wasFUN my Knowledge is MYpowerIloveit! ITS BEEN REAL. National Honor Society

Rosangela Guzman
“Rosey”

Ambition: To do more in life; Memories: Thank God 4mylife! Iluv T&G fam. Ilov viejo.Won’t 4get xs@pool w/J & A. Glad 2B w/J& A. Glad 2 B Friends w/D & A. Nic & M.

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Jessica Heese
“Jess”

Ambition: To be a doctor; Memories: Thnx2 AllMyFamily- ILuvU ... J&G&Per8 PC ... AM-EO & Crayons! Won’t4GetUbye.

Shavon Herald
“Me Me”

Ambition: to be a successful nurse; Memories: Schools out! Shawn I love you cuz Jaceeyes have my heart 143 mom and dad Thnkgodfor givingmesuch greatparents 143 to my brother Dave 143. Secret Ambition: to rub my success in the faces of who have doubted me.

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 B ring there 4 me. My heart goes out 2 Sun&Ryan, UwillalwaysBin my heart. Secret Ambition: To show my parents that I can make it in life on my own.

Christian M. Hessenius II
“C, Fat”

Ambition: To One Day Own a Successful Business; Memories: Much Love and Thanx ToMomDadKim AndGrandma Thnx4the Suprt Shouts N I’mpstoAll The Boys! IMACB Nate CarNTTo My Girls PVJPPV Baseball 4 LF. Secret Ambition: To Be the President of the U.S.A.
Yoon-mi Hong  
"Dina"  
Ambition: Professor; Memories: THANKS, God for the opportunity to study in the USA. THANKS to all my great teachers. THANKS to MOMMY, DADDY, & Leah. Secret Ambition: One of the best professors at Julliard. National Honor Society

Robertta Rae Hruby  
"Berta"  
Ambition: Accountant; Memories: CX 4 CPA H e a d 01' 2almfrnds 143Nee NeollFF, KA Food, R2Spaz, HK-7-11, MllCC-Va-NO: B-UN-SS-MW-2H Mom & DAD thanks 4 everything. Secret Ambition: To realize that the most beautiful discovery is that true friends can grow separately without growing apart. National Honor Society

Ryan Allan Iannelli  
"Speedy, Pizzaman"  
Ambition: teach Mathematics; Memories: Junior year at VA. Thank you to all my friends and family. "3""B"" 3-years JAZZ BAND, 3-year basketball. Secret Ambition: to play in the NBA.

Nicole Marie Irvine  
"G", "Geen", "GinaBina"  
Ambition: Child Psychologist; Memories: WOAHT ChiltenWWXwr BangsSum- BF Mm5SdCChArJw-MyGr- b 1743BFDesNt Good XpaCree 143Rose- SdCrazyRides RHhanx4MemSrm ThUMom & Dad R&LoveU; Secret Ambition: To Always smile at things to come and never frown at things I've done.

Sanam Jagtiani  
"Sunny, Sunset, Sweetie, Sun Dog"  
Ambition: College/Family; Memories: IliWant2 Thank MySisSimi 4TeachingMeAllIKnow 143And2 My ParentsAlways BeingTereForMe And 2Dex& AD Thanks 4Everything MyGirls143, Secret Ambition: If I told you it wouldn't be a secret!

Sandi Margurite Huber  
"Sand, Snad, Tinkerbell"  
Ambition: Communication, Memories: FLA KZwEUS0 MUCH/ML-MG GR8ys's! KZ - 7/20/00! CC Hows Trez? JwUlThnx 4beSupport! PVTVT4E! "Dictator"MOO. Secret Ambition: To creat my own Disney cartoon character.
Sarah Marie Jost

Ambition: Lawyer
Memories: HeyNDMBSLSP JCMBEM Caut ionCones BurntPasta Candyman Lim oGI CanNDSweats ALiesmBFest ThanksAllmy BudS Ley Uall ThanxMom&Dad BeeLuvU! Secret Ambition: "To shoot for the moon, Because at least I'd be one of it's stars!"

Emine Amy Kansay

Ambition: Lawyer

Mark Kendall

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

Ambition: To be the world's most successful lawyer;
Memories: 4yrzThatwasshowa Luv2BeP1Crew PVSoc er, PLVdHLxKWAYV3K 1jigsJn&Me TkbRd2 MyTehrsThnxUFer OpeningMyMind KDTbaxx UMom MomSbrDad 4ALSLM2 Secret Ambition: To be as fast as "The Dragon." National Honor Society

Corey Kennedy

"Code Red"

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

Secret Ambition: Listen to me one time: I want to live on the sand. I want to die in the sunshine.

Rohit Kharawala

“Domino-Indio”

Ambition: To be successful without regrets.

John Matthew Kilpatrick

“Crazy”

Ambition: Poet
Memories: SupChillin "LimeWay Dawgs"NerStChillin&QK KeepItReal&TH UGetMe WhreImCominHlackback" Mom&Dad&Gram: ThankU 4Believin163 Secret Ambition: Listen to me one time: I want to live on the sand. I want to die in the sunshine.

Amer Khalif

“Alim-er”

Memories: IOWESO: leSupport!—
Ambition: To be as fast as "The Dragon." National Honor Society

Jeff Kohl

“Ice, Big 9, J-Diddy”

Memories: Shoutouttoallmytos Thechosenfewthese selected few you know who you are PropstomyFam Greenhornet Blackbeauty neverslies.
Heather Lynn Kudlach
“Speather, Seath”
Ambition: Become a Certified Public Accountant; Memories: Rated 44/43 Sis/TheCrew Lightyears CSQPC-SMB NOAKASS J3-US/Steve 143 wicked The Guys-cld/Thats always been here Mom&Dad-cld/Thats-cld. 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”
Ambition: Mathematics Teacher; Memories: JM,SM,SH,KZ,AK, CV, MG, DB,TC,CW, nevrget da memories! Mrs. Delfosa—Thats 4eyrtyhin’! Mom&Dad—SteveMichele—IluvU KC & AC—My Life! Secret Ambition: To live all my dreams in California.

Sabrina Maria Latino
“Sabs, Sabby, Bribri, Sabri”
Ambition: Housewife; Memories: Urn I dunno—I yr* I! XC miss all of u PA ur the coolest, JUTuiifatu*hi *J MT. Mike I’ll love u alwys, gloxtyr Val! MA Secret Ambition: To seek the whole...”

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David V. Leporini
Ambition: To be a professional fireman; Memories: What’s up? I’m a piece of you all can tell. Good-times=JUA-ASCT. I Love my Melissa! Wakkastippi-WPFD-PVPS-It’s been real! Secret Ambition: To be the best at what I do.

Stephanie Anne Leporini
“Lep, Stephanie, Leppy”
Ambition: To become an Elementary School Teacher; Memories: Varsoor!Sobal, 8ball CMP9902ya WhaCup1Ed PeduguChrm 4eyrtyhin’ w/EM & MG, Cprmphw/ SWgastintms/Clue! Shamp4 evryuFam Secret Ambition: To see things as they are and ask why? Dream things as they never were and ask why not?

Kara Lynn MacFarlane
“Ka, Frenchie”

Rachel Helen Ligieri
“Ray, Rach”
Ambition: Housewife; Memories: Um I dunno 4 yr-XC miss all of u KA ur the coolest, JD “funstuff”, My MT Mike I’ll love u alwys, gloxtyr Val! MA Secret Ambition: To find something I’m good at.

Alex Elliott Duva MacPhail
Memories: Peace to allmyboys JJCJERTY LUEDIES JMCW L-time JJJFDRPHDILBSSM Memories 99 Mem! Peerpsophy, Jetyarytshahx MomInahx and family. Secret Ambition: To seek the whole...”

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Joseph Macaluso III
"Joey Mac"

Ambition: Police Officer; Memories: Shoutout to all my boys GNCHBVES for being there for me; Best time: loveyou Steph ThanxMomDad Dan Loveyouguys Hey GN sometime.

Stephanie Machael
"Steph"


Alphonse Malzone
"Solo"

Ambition: 2 B come wealthy; Memories: Thanx2my Mom4pushingMe ThruSchool TST- CLU Anthony YoullMakeItJoe Thanx4Bing ThereAdam TheKingDomz GrowingRude HomeFromGFIAGZ; Secret Ambition: 2 B come wealthier.

Andrea Patricia Martenson
"Anj"

Ambition: To become a Physical Therapist; Memories: Nee we did it JHCTMRGr8 Mem1MBidlab-SNJP; JHur the Best UnRome4ever JPurawesome Patricks00 MomDadNeeNee LuVU so Much; Secret Ambition: To Become a Model.

Phail
IKTY LUEDAN
S/M Memories: MomDadMee the whole earth.

Jason Pierre Maisonet
"Jay"

Ambition: Have my own restaurant on an island.; Memories: 3Yrs VTrack/Ballin@ HomePlace. "HesDifferent" Its Bid! AK- Thescrewin into myhouse! Mom Dad + Fam Thx! Fierce 2AK, DB, BB, GC, C++, a2001! Secret Ambition: Ask me when I find out.

Jason Martin
"Marty"


Harris Mahmood

Ambition: Marketing & Advertising; Memories: 2mybestfriend SalamSambhri Kisses&hugs &wickeyfunstafotom. KryFornClubush 98Gym94 Maximmericket Ginger & Jakesho parkHoloweenSec- ret Ambition: Watch out for the "quiet" ones!

Erin Malzone
"Rimey, Blondey"

Ambition: Marketing & Advertising; Memories: JUsej^thiiR" ThnxEvry14 the memories.
Secret Ambition: Remember the Past, enjoy the Present, and look forward to the Future.

Erin Marie McCave

Ambition: Teacher; Memories: ToMyFriends SWMBS/P/LS/JHCC- Remember: C&P. Summer2005SW Mount CC "1Bssything" Thnx2Evry14 the memories. Secret Ambition: Remember the Fast, enjoy the Present, and look forward to the Future.
Ryan Phillip McGrantham

"Ry Ry, Remo, R Love"

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

Scott M. Methven

"Mef, Uncle Mef"

**Ambition:** To host the Tonight Show; **Memories:** MefFeats4yrs PVFribl WhatevupsCREW DAWGS 4Grms JAJTTH Meat Muffins pimpin' Leon 7/4 00 JDF DPCE EW DWASSIC thankStemy family. **Secret Ambition:** To be Disciplinarian at PV.

Jennifer Marie Miller

"Jenn"

**Ambition:** To be a very successful person; **Memories:** Thank2myfamily 4believingtime GoodLuckZAMY "Theodoris purple" To my baby AS I love you and always will. Too4everthing.

Megan Marie Minieri

"Meg"

**Ambition:** Psychologist; **Memories:** ?MyBFSAc CeNiSbRamyMens Always2gether thanx 4erythn Luvu4E2MyPyraehbest BIME Xx4rshd' MomDadMk2Mch cndmstwoul. **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:** KFTRBPMS AHKM&All thoseLoveU Know Who URBeach the2tars' Even if U Miss You'll Still Soar Above TheRest! p.s. British.eq Commit.comomy Cuando. **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?

Nicole Lynn Morino

"Nic, Nikki, Morino"

**Ambition:** College-Medical School; **Memories:** Gr8sw/KWSNDCAB Thata 4Ben There4U u guy! Myself lanna-Thara4 everything! MomDad2meCoudntHave Done It W/OutU! HopeUr Proud! LuvU! **Secret Ambition:** To never lose sight of my dreams!!! National Honor Society

Christopher Edward Miller

"Miller, PV Sports God"

**Ambition:** Get into the sports business because nothing else matters; **Memories:** Behold PVSportsC GAvinntTeammymemories: 4-Pvyoumissed thee for memorizeball Alkyoubrk empytable-thewhiteshaw AVDRZK. **Secret Ambition:** To find out if they Coke at the Pepsi Center. National Honor Society

Carmine Mirra

"Carm"

**Ambition:** To be rich; **Memories:** Swincem wit BZGNCHR AciowitVie EDOM90 Trip SeaideNYC and AllotherMemories Habesfun Artpp FkdGGoodluck every body. **Secret Ambition:** To

Gregory Scott Metzven

"Mef. Uncle Mer"

**Ambition:** To host the Tonight Show; **Memories:** MefFeats4yrs PVFribl WhatevupsCREW DAWGS 4Grms JAJTTH Meat Muffins pimpin' Leon 7/4 00 JDF DPCE EW DWASSIC thankStemy family. **Secret Ambition:** To be Disciplinarian at PV.
Lesley Marie Mostello

**Ambition:** To Find Happiness In All That I Do.

**Memories:** Gr7wall, pointseasise, DCurmybestfriend

**Secret Ambition:** To Own 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 Naps and Madden And Thank Me.

**Secret Ambition:** To take a journey with John Madden in the Madden Cruiser.

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**Secret Ambition:** To take a journey with John Madden in the Madden Cruiser.
Sara Christine Nowen
“Sar, S, Noway”

Ambition: Graphic Designer; Create Music Videos;
Memories: DC/A/B/N/HH/txt Everything is amazing.
My list of goals is endless.
Secret Ambition: Work with my favorite
artist. National Honor Society

Nicole Okragly
“Okragly, Kragel pop”

Ambition: To become a professional dancer;
Memories: Thank you, friends.
Wherever I am, I’ll always be
special. Thank you for the memories.
Secret Ambition: “Don’t cry because it’s over. Smile because it hap-
pened.”

Meghan Marie Orsita
“Mega, Megaly, Shorty”

Ambition: To be successful and make money;
Memories: 4yrs@HS Almy-Frnds DSSLKCMWEMKSM
ESARMSSRPP199 MemSLLW9000° MemLuvAl-
hdguy BfFLA Mom&DadPete Rlvnguy Thnx4Ever-
th JSandH Luv U2 Secret Ambition: To finally know
what true love is.

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

Ambition: Law; Memories: Know no limits. Memo-
ries? XC, Dances, Ms. Intiilli, & Gold. Carpe diem.
I’ve learned. 4yrs@HS DCPALLET+. PV: 1 last
Secret Ambition: Write a book.

Ann Marie Oxley
“Annie”

Ambition: Business; Memories: Many Geeks &
memories - “nbl2c3BCDelpa&Bar WTH” “97’98” “nervous” Dennis’ 1-22/LeVe’ ‘Thank’s’ Mon,
Bud, Melissa, & Suzy. Secret Ambition: To learn from
yesterday, live for today, and dream of tomorrow.

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:
All my friends have meant so much to me. Field playing
football Off spring is the greatest band DWA and
W.Living around chicken eating muffin. Secret Ambi-
tion: Rule the world.

Shannon Lee Paris
“Shanny, Shanona, Paris”

Ambition: Social Worker; Memories: 4yrnVraenna
&spring78w/ EmSmW/MrMsW
143 summr03Mem wnktryghts Msurf Mkeennmean-
theworld 2metLuvU” mondndtional lvuthanks
Secret Ambition: To always follow my dreams no mat-
ter how impossible they may seem.

Joseph O’Connor III

“O’connor”

Ambition: To create Musk* Videos; Memories: DC
Always Make Me Smile Mem-
DadMert. Thanks 4everything. Smiles Ladeset Support Al-
ways Luv U. Secret Ambition: Work with my favorite
artist.
Jason M. Perna  
"Jay, Perna, General, Prez"

Tamas Petofi  
"Tom"

Ambition: To become a lawyer; Memories: To all my family, thank you so much. To all my friends, I love you. Special memories: Sour dough muffin — love you mom and dad. 

Secret Ambition: To become a lawyer.

Michael Piccirillo  
"Pice"

Ambition: To be a teacher; Memories: 4 yrs at 4 yrs Trk. To all my friends, Good Luck. Joe remember to join the coast guard. 

Secret Ambition: To beat up Steve Slyve.

Maria Pisapia  
"Ria, Ri"

Ambition: To become a lawyer; Memories: To all my friends, I love you. To all my family, thank you so much. To my best friend, I love you.

Secret Ambition: To become a lawyer.

Rachael Ann Pizio  
"Ray"

Ambition: To become a teacher; Memories: To all my friends, I love you so much. To all my family, thank you so much.

Secret Ambition: To become a teacher.

Damian Michael Potenzone  
"Dame"

Ambition: To become a teacher; Memories: To all my friends, I love you so much. To all my family, thank you so much.

Secret Ambition: To become a teacher.

Joseph Polifonte  
"Jerry, Porta"

Ambition: To become a lawyer; Memories: To all my friends, I love you so much. To all my family, thank you so much.

Secret Ambition: To be successful.

Bidya Prasad  
"Biddy"

Ambition: To be successful; Memories: I'd like to thank my family for giving me support and motivation. What's up 2 all my friends. 4 yrs of B-ball, 3 yrs of CC.

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Angela Nicole Preta  
“Ang, Angie, Ela”

Ambition: Lawyer; Memories: 2MyFriends LB KC EF MS CF JC MB RZ AO TG GB NB ND DI TZ D’Birdies LBMolder 328LBoutings KSandal GF Social CFconcert #25Brat&lovFamily. Secret Ambition: To give that silly rabbit his trix.

Joe Psota  
“The Plague”

Ambition: Computer Artist; Memories: Bowowm Meant4 ThisWorld InMyMind AsIwas FloatingFar AboveTheClouds Some5SmileLaughedFall4Certain 4Thinkn That I’d Live4Ever. Secret Ambition: And if there is a God, I know he likes to rock. He loves his loud guitars, his spiders from Mars.

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.

Anthony Dante Reddin  

Ambition: To con Bill Gates for his money; Memories: 3yrsavhblisbigarmntm tooManyFun TimesTogetherKeep it Real Ray RyMikelli AlwaysBeThere4UGuys MomDadLoveUImA against AllOdds. Secret Ambition: Everything you do bad is going to come back to you.

Raffaela Renzulli  
“Raff”

Ambition: to be a C.E.O. of a company; Memories: Mdon’t forgetthe hayride! AQuandEM let’snotforget Dr. Pheyesyou tryingto somereyour notandnot yourself? HN210F!!

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

Ambition: To be a paleontologist; Memories: Wefinally madeafter thisyears were gone! Have some fun memos of many years here Crew FrostsDay KF MF BP CU CS 5K RD GJ Mandevan etc. Secret Ambition: To travel through time. National Honor Society

Melissa Reed  
“Reed, Melis, Missy”

Ambition: Live life, have fun, and die HAPPY, Memories: Passaic2yrs BVSball MomDad LoveUImA against AllOdds. Secret Ambition: The rule the world

Adam S. Rivera  

Ambition: To be a musician on Broadway; Memories: 4yrsband Hanganw JP CM RD Don’tforget the NovaCM, GoAvs Pyoo “Black TS-Have funincanada That’llformenow lock to your AVDGR. Secret Ambition: Yeah BOO!!
Alexander Donald Rivera
“Al, Big Al”

Ambition: Baseball Player; Memories: 4yrVB 8yr BF AR DK AR 4Ethx MomDad Taggetsright updown Glag!!! Hangin with AR CC WBring& Beans Thanx!!!!

Memories: So long PV. It’s been a great run. Yay to SR, JR, and MT. If you gotta go, go with a smile. This is Amiel Rivera, signing off.

Marianella Robledo
“Mer. Merburr”

Ambition: Biology; Memories: Lotsof GrSXnw AO DB LC DB SW CO MG AM JP KC- E.Diaz- LBI”OD” F14yrs REEZ* ShotingStar* Trendy* Sept20Evnt* ThxMami PapiFlorLuvv U Lots* Secret Ambition: To marry someone in a band.

Angelica Maria Rodriguez
“Ang”

Ambition: Psychologist/Art Therapist; Memories: MonW DaGirl 8N JS MA CS SO ORO HotSpot SWho AC CO Li CaPeya KRF 8urn 4yrBF Wages LVU M按时 HrBigs 2U1434 NewManis JorgeTu 4erytygp 6Yr 101U. Secret Ambition: To never let anybody get this close of me and keep me from getting ahead.

Secret Ambition: To finally fight back!!

Stephanie Susan Saia
“Saia, Sewer, Jolisa”

Ambition: Interior Designer; Memories: SomanyWX 2yrs” NewYrs 00, 01 WW990001 MD 0001 The Crew<3 The guys<3 U So Much! CW, JB, CW, JC, SS Dwi As Crew 4E Jared my BF 1<31!! Dad Mom KIM I uux!! Secret Ambition: To finally fight back!!

Rodrigo Saba
“Iyo”

Ambition: Engineering at Columbia University; Memories: Chilles CP FB TW beastrlB Misc Pieces RHT PMa BPox Yaronawa AbeeDP StitchesJ DMD Mom Mike couldnt have done this with outryou Lots of Love Peace Secret Ambition: To bend space and time just to find the second gunman in the grassy knoll.

Thomas Charles Roskop Junior
“Tom, Pongo, Kipper, Buddha, Papa”

Ambition: Aeronautical/Aerospace Engineer; Memories: 4yrsydrama? plays stage crew Internet keypeers hippeas Ch Drooffesse?? Thanxmom dadfam friends EJ JM JC HH CCS MF KB AR KM Thanx4 all4E. Secret Ambition: To Live Life to its Fullest!! National Honor Society

Scott Anthony Rowland
“Rowland”

Ambition: Space Engineer; Memories: Out2Summervacationworld

Rachel Theresa Russo
“Rach, Ray”

Ambition: Journalism/Theater Communication Arts; Memories: 4yrs Drama Flavas 97 Gr TMewn JC EE TR CC CS M& BF KM MS KZ RR AB 12/10/99 kLaMeant 2yrs LVU AC LCCo人心, Learn2CMRF 4GillShows WdPanl FF&OfOfSMW edO. Secret Ambition: To create and perform in my own music video for MTV.
Kathy Salomone
“Kat, Salami, A$P”

Kathleen M. Sannik
“Kathy, Kat”
Ambition: Computer Specialist; Memories: My 4yrs at PV winy girls KC KS SL MO MP JA CD MG Thanx momdad/for all your support/help I Love you Gospel Summer of 2000 CH CK SK DK BD CF. Secret Ambition: To finally receive my dream.

Crystal Lee Shopperth
“Crys”
Ambition: Psychology; Memories: BP CS MB LB HK KA VA SS NO TH MZ MF ZU GE VR YY SN ZM KADL MMLL BATT P7FLY U WA AL AM HY ET TLX SING NG MEG UY LS LULLU LL L74 V4ETNE UM AL BSL. 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.

Nicole Elizabeth Shamer
“Nick”
Ambition: College; Memories: Though We Go Separate Ways I Won’t 4get The Memories Mad CK Rival G7 Yaqur/I&L Kept Red/DM TW-JG I Love U’s Ted/Dray My Heart’s Soul Miss U MB26. Secret Ambition: To never let anyone hold me back.

Cristina Diana Serapiglia
“Crissy Pooh”
Ambition: lawyer; MEMORIES: 4yrs WX PatroHd00 8-VbalBP 12yrs wmyyrs CSM/MMHd LB HK SS NO V4/6 JP HW KA-FWOOZ gers-sev alwys JJ/Ant/Nick/box 4 seither MOM&DAD 0x4a1all. Secret Ambition: To keep reaching for the stars because they can’t reach me.

Rudy Simonetti
“Rudy Poo, Rock, Jabroni, Rude-Dog”
Ambition: My friends say I should be a football coach; Memories: MuffetY2/3Kmemorial Day 00 AllThe Parties Cottill000 The WIPARK Taney Lights My Dad. Secret Ambition: That’s a secret, Jabroni.

Allen Soohoo
“Al”
Ambition: To receive my M.B.A.; Memories: Varsity Outdoor/Track, Indoor Track and Cross Count, ScV1 FirstTeam 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:** To be the man. **Secret Ambition:** To believe “I grew up doing dumb things that made me wise.”

Raffaele Stampone

**Ambition:** To buy a unicycle. **Memories:** To buy a unicycle. **Secret Ambition:** To ride the unicycle down the Great Wall of China juggling a shoe, an elephant, & a fish.

Edward Paul Sullivan

**Ambition:** To be a State Trooper. **Memories:** To be a State Trooper. **Secret Ambition:** To get a job I like and make a lot of money.

Dan Stratthaus

**Ambition:** To be a World’s Sexiest Man. **Memories:** To be a World’s Sexiest Man. **Secret Ambition:** To be a State Trooper.

Kevin Michael Szczecina

**Ambition:** To be a winner. **Memories:** To be a winner. **Secret Ambition:** To be a winner.

Georgina Tafaro

**Ambition:** To become a successful marine biologist. **Memories:** To become a successful marine biologist. **Secret Ambition:** To get what I want and keep it.

Stephen Sylvester

**Ambition:** To be a Chef. **Memories:** To be a Chef. **Secret Ambition:** To be a Chef.

Brant Tedeschi

**Memories:** To be a winner. **Ambition:** To be a winner. **Secret Ambition:** To be a winner.
Christine A. Tenchka
“Chris”

**Ambition:** Psychologist; **Memories:** Mom,Sis,Fam Thanx4everything Luv/U/I C/JH/PC8th DM, EM, JH, AM Thanx4 being there 4Me love Thanx4 Support I LUV/U/sterback all-FanLunches. **Secret Ambition:** To live a happy life with the ones l love.

James Matthew Thomas
“Thomas,Matt, Leauderdog”

**Ambition:** To Be A Rock Star; **Memories:** Thanx JU All CT CA CK crewamb dindidwakel bpsyscrvf 0050GDay4 Parx WestSu Solo SelleskiK6 cockvks eagbyy eeeees Golden Mom,Dad,Fire InTheHole. **Secret Ambition:** To find the secret ingredients in the muffins. National Honor Society

Michele Trinca
“Mich, Chel”

**Ambition:** Chillin/LC BL JP BR LotsOFFun Ms butmost OFmystand onlyMichael lLoveU! Love YouMom,Fam,U love u MOM,DAD JH,Scott anllo TpieEmmie.

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

**Ambition:** Photography and Chef; **Memories:** Chillin: myboysMe, JA, TB, SW, DB, SS, RC, LLJ,syaFB- MelfestaDWA, PDLMonday Week 10:1:00 debut Tothe rest of my friends my family Teachers. **Secret Ambition:** To be a Professional Wrestler.

Peter Turano

**Ambition:** Professional ping pong player with Jeff; **Memories:** BestFriends Ed/Fun John/Jared Chris/Craig Jeff/Marty AllJustin... JP G Gs Ec Db Cr Mr Seapoint Surfside Amanda 12/11Thnx 4PuttingUpW McLoveU FamiThnx 4everything, LoveUAll. **Secret Ambition:** To hit a 3 in the Garden with my John Starks jersey on.

Lee John Urgo

**Ambition:** Professional ping pong player with Jeff; **Memories:** BestFriends Ed/Fun John/Jared Chris/Craig Jeff/Marty AllJustin... JP G Gs Ec Db Cr Mr Seapoint Surfside Amanda 12/11Thnx 4PuttingUpW McLoveU FamiThnx 4everything, LoveUAll. **Secret Ambition:** To hit a 3 in the Garden with my John Starks jersey on.

Kris B. Umagat

**Ambition:** secret; **Memories:** 1stThnks toAllteacher- ers It'sbeenfun. Notmuch memories. Good Luck toEveryone. Filipino, (TKD) alls the waybaby, AMont TaHere Peace, Kris. **Secret Ambition:** Can’t tell you that. It’s a secret.

Catherine Ann Velazquez
“Cappy, Cat, Cass”

**Ambition:** Clinical Psychologist; **Memories:** The Memories Sis Mb Fe Jn Luv/U’S MamiAndLurina PLING getUys LeaChang MyLifeUr MyBestFriend MyBball, Mom,Dad,KLDiCan’t Live Wio U’S Cool Crew. **Secret Ambition:** To be as brave and wise as my parents. National Honor Society
**Maria, Vesh**

**Memories:** Swear hrs. have perished here. This isa mighty room. Within, hopes have played. Now Shadows in the tomb.

**Secret Ambition:** To try to do what I do everyday: take over the world.

**National Honor Society**

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**Christina Volpe**

**Volpe, Vulpix**

**Ambition:** Journalist; **Memories:** Sr yr ball crew. Fri nite at mom, sanctuary, peppers concert, AP Bio, SCw/ DNA & Jc. BP, KF, GI, CS, JM, DP, RM, KB, AR, LB, JD

**Secret Ambition:** To try to do what I do everyday: take over the world. **National Honor Society**

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**Teena Marie Wood**

**"Tee"**

**Ambition:** Psychologist; **Memories:** Thought we were going to say friends until we were main. CT, NS, KB, JF, AP, KZ, J, KS, I Love You Good. Luck to all seniors. Mom thanks for being there. Hello. Dr. Secret Ambition: What you are tomorrow are the results of what you want to be or dream today.

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**Danielle C. Yeo**

**"Yo"**

**Ambition:** To make lots of money; **Memories:** To my friends: HC, KB, CVC, BN, MT, CT, SS, FP, CH I love u guys & don't 4 get the good times we had. To my parents: thanx to being there thru the years to my bro law! **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 143! Mom, Dad, Kar, Andrew. Thanks! 
Secret Ambition: Class President National Honor Society

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

Brian Zanca

"Bri, B, Bzanc"  
Ambition: To get a job that pays good, but not to do a lot of work.  
Memories: To my friends GN, JM, CH, CM, EB what's the deal. We are finally graduating. Just remember boys stick together. Can't forget thinking about RP. 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: Can in winy cru. MDay AC, GB, JJD44E don't 4 get m trps to Seaside Point. Thanx mom & dad 4 everythij watch it go PEACE. Secret Ambition: To make $ lions.

Kristen Zlceski

Nicholas Anthony Accomando VIII

"Acc-E, Swoosh"  
Ambition: FBI Agent; Memories: What up? myboyz thanx 4r8 tirne live die by rhe3 JP CD trufrendz Keepe rh goodmemories 4r3Allmy 2Nicole ROAD$ Secret Ambition: A motivational speaker that lives in a van down by the river.

Ismail Canbulat

"Ish, Smiles"  
Ambition: Entrepreneur; Memories: Much lov 2 u Bloods thicker than B2OTHx MomN Dad 4 everthij it wasn alwayswill Bappreciated IC HCACAI GKi nationally Known. Secret Ambition: To abolish the races.
Memories: Check 43E don't 4get mai 4 & dad 4everything. A motivation: To make r 4 the river.

Ciao! MuchLove 2002
mmDad 4everything HCAC ALGK th 4on: To abolish 4.
Best Looking 1st Place
Tom Yutko and Megan Minimi
Runners Up
Anthony Reddin and Angelica Rodriguez, Alex MacPhail and Marisa Beagin, Adele Carfi, Sandra Dugan, Jackie Wagniere, Heather Wyatt

Class Cutie 1st Place
Jason Martin and Kristin Armaido
Runners Up
Danny Delfinado and Monique Benilla, Jeff Chorien, Arnie Knoll and Stephanie Sain

Typical Valley 1st Place
Bernie Ciocgli and Lisa Batelli
Runners Up
Chris Wright, Rick Crinco, and Kelly Went, Joe Agnos and Marisa Beagin

Most Likely To Succeed 1st Place
Jared Nowdik and Sara Nowen
Runners Up
Lee Unger, Dan Cruz, and Nicole Martin, Danny Potenza and Christina Volpe

Nicest Smile 1st Place
Corey Kennedy and Myesha Woodley
Runners Up
Jason Martin and Nicole Orringer, Tareq Batarseh and Jackie Wagniere

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

Class Cutie 1st Place
Jason Martin and Kristin Armaido
Runners Up
Danny Delfinado and Monique Benilla, Jeff Chorien, Arnie Knoll and Stephanie Sain

Class Flirt 1st Place
Bernie Ciocgli and Nicole Irvinn
Runners Up
Justin Ferrazzano and Angelica Rodriguez, Ismail Cusack, Chris Wright, and Michelle Gregory

Best Dressed 1st Place
Tom Yutko and Rachel Pizio
Runners Up
Eddie DelGiosa and Kathleen Frey, Edwin Argueta and Stephanie Sain

Most Dramatic 1st Place
Tom Roskop and Rachel Russu
Runners Up
Christopher Sterba and Jamie Cole, John Kilpatrick and Shavon Herald
Most Talkative 1st Place
Stephen Sylvester and Cristina Serapiglia
Runners Up
Steven Ovadia and Rosanna Fernicola,
Bernie Cioccololi, Lee Urso, and Shavon Herald

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

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

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

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

“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
Class Rebel 1st Place
Jay Nowak, (Not Pictured: Stephanie Machael)
Runners Up
Bobby Hanna and Jamie Alessio, Guy Gencarelli and Shavon Herald

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

Most Changed Since Freshman Year 1st Place
Adam Bird and Kristin Armato
Runners Up
Joe Palladino and Kathleen Frey, Tareq Batarash and Jackie Puluse

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

"is: a brain .... and an athlete .... and a basket case .... a princess .... and a criminal ..."
- The Breakfast Club
"Times have changed
Here I come. But I
And times are strange.
ain't the same."
-Ozzy Osbourne
Top Ten Movies

The Matrix
Dirty Dancing
Space Balls
Braveheart
American History X
Scarface
Mallrats
The Program
Breakfast Club
Goonies

Who is the most influential teacher?
Ms. Mazzuca
Mrs. DeRosa
Mr. Ward

If you were stranded on a desert island what would you want to have with you?
- Girlfriend/Boyfriend
- Friends
- stereo

Do you think Mrs. Monte's baby will be a boy or a girl?
- 65% say boy
- 31% say girl

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

What is your favorite band/group?
- Metallica
- Limp Bizkit
- Backstreet Boys

What kind of car do you have?
- Accord
- Blazer
- Neon

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

What is your favorite band/group?
- Metallica
- Limp Bizkit
- Backstreet Boys

Where is your favorite vacation spot?
- Jersey Shore
- Florida
- Hawaii

Where do you think you will be in 20 years?
- Working with a family
- Working
- Rich and successful

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

What is the average amount of sleep the night before?
- 6 hours
- 7 hours
- 8 hours

What is your most hated habit?
- Biting
- Nail Biting
- Smoking
- Preoccupation

What is the best way to get through a boring class?
- Sleep
- Day Dream
- Write a note

What is your favorite Passaic Vally Event?
- Girls Show
- Football Games
- Graduation

What kind of car do you have?
- Accord
- Blazer
- Neon

FAVORITE SAYINGS

Just keep on Rollin'
MEH!
Chillin'
What Goes around comes around!
Dude!
Just Bring It!
Wassup!!
I can't believe I ate the whole thing
Life is short, eat cake.
Quality!

Senior Survey: "Is that your final answer?" - Regis Philbin (Who Wants to be a Millionaire)
"He who forgets will be destined to remember."

Eddie Vedder
"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. Also scoring goals for PV were Seniors Neil DiDio, Amer Khalil, and Dan Jasnic. Junior Mike Puzzo and Sophomore Nick Mataya also contributed to the goal scoring this season. Senior Chris Miller stepped in and played well when he returned from a back injury late in the season. The wins didn't add up, but the 2000 Boys Soccer season was anything but a disappointment.
"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 of the five defenders returning from last year's team the Hornet defense looked solid. Senior goalkeeper Captain Stephanie Leporini had an incredible year leading 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 hornets in goal scoring with nine goals. Working hard at midfield and contributing tremendously to the Hornet offense were Juniors Cara Bartolomeo and Sue Micchelli. Also contributing at midfield were Juniors Melissa Strignile and April Cornemolla and Sophomore Marisa Attianese. A new addition to the Hornet roster this year was Freshman Alexandra Gastuolo. This hard working young player looks promising for next season. With the loss of only three seniors Coach Portido hopes for even more improved 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.
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 1A Open. The color guard also took home 1st place for the third consecutive time.

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

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

"Use what talents you have; the woods would have little music if no birds sang their song except those who sang best." - Reverend Oliver G. Wilson
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

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 Janine Guilla 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.

Cheerleading is more than a sport, it's an attitude. -Anonymous

Go! Fight! Win!
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.

Winning isn’t everything - it’s the only thing” - Vince Lombardi

| PV 34 West Orange | 19 |
| PV 34 Lakeland | 0 |
| PV 41 West Milford | 6 |
| PV 3 Clifford Scott | 14 |
| PV 7 Pequannock | 13 |
| PV 34 Millburn | 3 |
| PV 7 Delbarton | 28 |
| PV 22 Orange | 13 |
| PV 14 Northern Highlands | 20 |
| PV 3 Wayne Valley | 14 |
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 Gonnizzo, 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 Moreno, 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 Championship

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 Gonnizzo - Honorable Mention All County
- 12th Amy Kansay - Honorable Mention All County

“In a perfect world, an athlete may want to be the perfect mix of say a ballerina, a weight lifter and Stretch Armstrong, or they can simply be a ... gymnast.”
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.

Rachel, Erin, and Lauralee are happy in the freezing rain. “Whine, record, whine... It’s what I do.” - Steven Ovadia

“Running builds strength, mentally and physically.” - Allen Soohoo

“I want to finish and go home.” - Michael Piccirillo

“I can’t wait until basketball season.” - Joseph Polifonte

“The best runner is the smartest one.” - Mark Nocito

“Forrest Gump

“I could run like the wind blows...”
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.
As the 2000 season started, the PV Girls Volleyball team, as usual, faced the rough terrain that every other team faced. 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 sometimes 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.

PV vs. Madison 15-9
PV vs. Mary Help of Christian 15-16
PV vs. Caldwell 15-13
PV vs. Wayne Valley 15-5, 4-15
PV vs. DePaul 15-9
PV vs. Millburn 15-6
PV vs. Lakeland 15-10, 14-11, 13-15, 15-8
PV vs. Wanaque 15-10
PV vs. Clifford Scott 15-6
PV vs. Mount St. Dominic 15-7
PV vs. Madison 15-2
PV vs. Passaic 15-13
PV vs. Caldwell 9-16, 15-6
PV vs. Wayne Valley 15-10
PV vs. DePaul 15-11
PV vs. Mary Help of Christian 15-18
PV vs. Millburn 15-10, 15-10
PV vs. Eastern Christian 15-18
PV vs. Lakeland 15-10
PV vs. Wanaque 9-15, 15-10
PV vs. Hawthorne 0-15
PV vs. Clifford Scott 15-6
PV vs. Mount St. Dominic 15-4
PV vs. Demarest 15-11

“Let me win, but if I cannot win, let me be brave in the attempt.”

Special Olympics Motto

Seniors- Jacqueline Conde, Erin English, Cristina Serapiglia, Jacqueline Conde, Tory DeBlock, Erin English, Christine Cook, Cortney Delotto, Michele Coral.

Small Biography: Lesbian

Coach Bill Humes

"We always played hard and as a team. Each player contributed in a unique way to our success, so no one player was more valuable than the others." - Coach Humes

Coach Humes
“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, 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
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 12-8 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 losses though prevented the Hornets from maintaining the depth they needed for the successful season they expected. That 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 Yildirim, and Steve Kildow also medaled at the district tournament 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 needed 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 with great skill; none have wrestled without pride"
-Dan Gable

"... it's realizing that being a great wrestler isn't a sport, it's a life."
-Coach Zarra
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.
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 7-4 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 Taubey, Ryan Phlipot, and Rob Whetham all had outstanding seasons, and will shine next season as the future of Passaic Valley Boys Basketball.

**Regular Season**

12-15: at Clifford Scott - LOST 55-72
12-19: at Pequannock - WON 53-32
12-22: vs. Millburn - WON 34-33
1-4: vs. Delbarton - LOST 39-56
1-6: at Orange - LOST 41-51
1-9: at Wayne Valley - LOST 41-43
1-12: vs. West Orange - LOST 32-45
1-16: at Lakeland - LOST 75-69
1-19: at West Milford - WON 56-55
1-23: vs. Clifford Scott - LOST 70-55
1-26: at Paramus - WON 39-35
2-1: at Delbarton - LOST 49-55
2-8: vs. Wayne Valley - LOST 42-51
2-13: at West Orange - LOST 46-67
2-15: vs. Lakeland - LOST 89-32
2-17: vs. Orange - LOST 69-47
2-20: vs. West Milford - WON 80-71
2-22 at Elmwood Park - WON 101-50

**Holiday Tournament**

12-27: vs. Clifton - WON 54-53
12-29: vs. Wayne Hills - WON 43-40
1-10: vs. West Milford - WON 66-68
1-20: vs. Clifford Scott - LOST 50-75
1-30: at Millburn - LOST 55-66
2-1: at Delbarton - LOST 49-55
2-3: at #8 Manchester - LOST 45-59
2-8: vs. Wayne Valley - LOST 42-51
2-13: at West Orange - LOST 46-67
2-15: vs. Lakeland - LOST 89-32
2-17: vs. Orange - LOST 69-47
2-20: vs. West Milford - WON 80-71
2-22 at Elmwood Park - WON 101-50

**County Tournament (#9 Seed)**

2-3: at #8 Manchester - LOST 45-59
2-8: vs. Wayne Valley - LOST 42-51
2-13: at West Orange - LOST 46-67
2-15: vs. Lakeland - LOST 89-32
2-17: vs. Orange - LOST 69-47
2-20: vs. West Milford - WON 80-71
2-22 at Elmwood Park - WON 101-50

**What’s It Gonna Take?**

"Do NOT deny Rob Whetham the baseline."

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

"Anthony Reddin finds creative ways to score."

"Anthony Reddin smiles in the spotlight."

"I can’t watch!"

"In attention boys and girls, this is the penalty!"

"Jump Ronny! Just follow through."

"I don’t know what’s gonna take!"

"In the spotlight for the Boys Basketball Team."

"Senior captain Anthony Reddin."
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 two 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 Debenendto, and Assistant Captain Tamas Petofi.

"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

"It has been great being the team's captain. This year's accomplishments show the team is starting to come around."
- Team Captain Robert Debenendto

"... skate to where the puck is going to be, not where it has been." -Wayne Gretzky
The boys indoor track team used the experience and talent of Senior Captains Rick Cristofol and Allen Soohoo to make impressive showings at many of the major meets. The team trained intensely throughout the long 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 all over the 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 Hornets team of Krysta Cordero, Giuliana Minervini, Jesse Mizzone, and Kim Wilk were able to set the school record in the distance medley relay, finishing in the Group 2 Relay Championships. Krystal Cordero, Giulliana Minervini, and Jesse Mizzone all placed in the Passaic County Championships and in other major meets. Jesse Mizzone had the most impressive performance, filing in the Group 2 1500 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

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

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 DeFrancisci, and Kenneth Sauter led the team to a great season.

Coach Humes, Pete Andello, Kenneth Sauter, Kevin Brandel, Dan Pushchak, Joseph Shabka, Coach Phillips, Rick Adams, Mike Reddin, Rich Timmerman, Vinny Addice, Ankur Patel, Tom DeFrancisci.

"Where's the beef?"

- Coach Phillips

"When you win 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 Micchelli, Alexis Sous, and Kelly Palmer. This 2001 season is yet to be another successful one for the Lady Hornets.

"I've learned that you shouldn't go through life with a catcher’s mitt on both hands. You need to be able to throw something back." - unknown
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.

"There is an end to everything. It is what you do from the beginning to the end that defines your season." Coach Mazzo

"Baseball is 90% mental. The other half is physical." ~ Yogi Berra
"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.

“Run like a snake through the woods.”
~Coach Porfido

“Strength and honor.” ~Coach Fitzgerald

“Baby, we were born to run!” ~ The Boss
"Tennis is one of the few pastimes where love means nothing."

Anonymous
Greatness Is A Vision.” - Gladiator
“Anybody who tells you money is the root of all evil doesn’t ... have any.” ~Jim Young,

*Boiler Room*
Business
Vanessa Aversa: Congratulations on your graduation! We’re so proud of all your efforts and Head of Green Ex. You’re a great girl and we love you! Love, Mom, Dad, Sabrina, & 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 Barratin: 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 the sky, your aim the stars. 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 & Jamana.

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 enthusiastic 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 Diana, The past 4 years have been a blast! Especially the “Pasta Parties”! We wish you all the success and happiness there is to offer. We’re all proud of you! Love, Kenny, Mom & Mike.

Monique Bonilla: Deepest 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 Braen: High School is over and you have made us very, 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, 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 we 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 means 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, Daniele and Frankie.

Francesca Cerrigone: Congratulations on your 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 are proud of the confidence and dedication to learning that we will cherish in your hearts forever. You have come such a long way in your accomplishments. You are on the road to fulfilling your dreams. Keep up the good work and always believe in yourself. 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 of "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 this world. Remember that you’ve been grounded in faith, family values and traditions. You are 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 Colantoni: 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 will be 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 all that you will run across things that are "NO FAIR" but with your inner strength you can overcome these obstacles. Just remember you stumble and fall we will always be there to pick you up. Love Dad & Gale.
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 that 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 close. Love always, Mom, Dad, & Josh p.s. Life is a Cabaret ole’ chum ... life is a Cabaret

Lindsay Coronato: Dear Liz, “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 xo

Lindsay Coronato: Liz, 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

Nick DiDomencio: 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 man. 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

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 have shown a dedication to your principles that is amazing in its clarity and idealism. In all 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, & Chrisy

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

Eddie 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

Erin English: I look at you and you light up 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 Ferronca: 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 Gian Luca

Justin Ferrazzano: 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 happy and successful with all the life’s opportunities that come your way! Keep doing what you do best, for dreams are goals not yet reached. Never forget how much you are loved. Love Mom & Dad

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

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. We bring us such joy and make us so proud. 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 your playing defense and offense will be remembered forever. You will make a great coach! Love you, Mom and Marlene

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

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B.J. Gourley: Bj, I can’t believe you’re graduating high school. It seems like you were just born. Reach for your goals and don’t accept anything but the best. We love you so much. Love, Mom, Ed, Erin, Katie, and Patrick.

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. XXXXX OOOOO 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 everything in the future. Health, Happiness, Prosperity and Love.

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

Diana Herreros: Diana, May your future be filled with Love, Happiness, Prosperity and Health and May you reach the stars!!!! Love you, Mom and Pop

Christian M. Hessenius II: Your journey in life has only just begun. We wish you much success in your future endeavors. Congratulations and Best Wishes! Love, Mom, Dad, and Kim

Robert Hruby: Roberta, We are very proud of all your accomplishments, both in and out of school and of the person you have become. We wish you a happy, successful future. Mom and Dad

Sal Incorvia: Sal we hope all your dreams for the future come true, and may God guide you in everything you do. Love, Mom and Carmela

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.

Gina Irvolino: Gina, It seems like yesterday you were starting Pre-K and now you are graduating high school. We are very proud of you. With all our love, Mom and Dad

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 ever will 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 in family and life. When you were nine your strength and character helped you overcome a tremendous challenge. We remember with love your childhood years, Marge’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 in life. All our love 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

Heather Kudlach: Dear Heather, We are so proud of you and your accomplishments. Reach for the stars. Always remember we love you! Love, Mom, Dad and Tiffany

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, Rosa, Christina & Stephanie

Stephanie Leporini: We are so proud of you. Congratulations on this important step forward in your life! These last 4 years have flown by. Never forget all of the beautiful friendships you have made at PV. Carry those with you in your heart no matter where life may take you. Always remember your Alma Mater. You have grown into a beautiful young woman, but you will always be our little girl. Thank you for all of the wonderful memories you have given us. We wish you much success on this new path you will be taking. Work hard and you will accomplish all your goals! We love you very much! We always make us so proud in all you do. Love, Mom, Dad, Rosa, Christina & David

Rachel Helen Ligieri: We wish you only good luck but happiness. May always know you are loved and always be loved. Love, Mom and Dad

Joseph Macaluso: Where did the time go? From the time you were a little boy you never let anyone or anything stop you from doing something you had in your mind set on. We always support you no matter what choices you make in life. CONGRATULATIONS!

We’re so proud of you. Love, Mom, Dad, Daniella

Joseph Macaluso & Gregory Nater: seems like just yesterday the two of you were little boys. It seems like just yesterday that you, you always getting under my skin by doing “immature, little-boy” things. I’ve watch 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

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

Stephanie Macciach: You’ve overcome many obstacles these last four years and come through them all. May your future ahead be filled with everything you deserve. All our love. Mom and Dad

Alex MacPhail: Alex, The future is you and you can make it whatever you want. You are capable of realizing all your dreams, stubborn on your goals. We are proud of your accomplishments and look forward to more. We love you, Mom, Dad, and Max

Jason Martin: Jason, We’ve watched you grow from a little boy to a great young man to a real “cutie”. We can’t begin to tell you 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 ever love you like we do. Love, Mom & Dad

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

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

Megan Miner: To our wonderful daughter Megan. It’s hard to believe that the years 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 always have a family is here for you and no one ever love you like we do.
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 Okragly: 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 Parish: 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 Parish: 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

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 Potenzezio: Damian, We are so very proud of all you have accomplished in those years of our future to describe. You have grown into a beautiful young lady that we are very, very proud. 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 given us so much joy and love and we are here for you. Love, Mom and Dad

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 would

because of the strong, warm, and generous person -you have become. You will always be welcome to love and many challenges and exciting adventures, make the most of them. We will always be here for you. Love, Mom & 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
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: We wish you the best. Good luck and always follow your dreams. We love you, Mom and Dad

Stephen Sylvester: Dear Stephen, In a January 1983 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 & Christen (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

Georgina 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 see you grow and mature. 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 young man that you are. You have won everyone’s heart and you will always be Number 1 with us. Love, Mom, Micheile, 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 end your 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, 1903 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 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 Craig, strive for perfection in everything you do, 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 very hard these past four years and deserve every ounce of credit and praise you receive. Continue to remain true to your beliefs and yourself. Remember that we love you and you will always be supported by 100%. Keep the bond between your brother strong. Love forever and always, Mom and Dad

Michael Wyka: Congratulations Mike and Class of 2001. Follow your dreams. Pursue your goals. Achieve all that you can. You will always be proud of you! Good luck in your future, Mom, Dad, Derrick, Jackie, and Tara

Danielle Yeo: Wishing you great success in the future. We love you very much, and so very proud of you. Love always, Mom and James

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

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Booster 

Jared- Thanks for always being there and watching out for me. You are the greatest brother I could ever have hoped for. I will miss you a lot and I love you. Luv always, Heather.

Jared- You have set the target at the top. The mountain is steep and the road is rough but you have the tools to reach your goal. #1 Grandson in our hearts. Love, U, Gram & Pop S.

Jared- We are very proud of you. You’re the greatest. Love, Grandma & Grandpa Luzzi.

Jared- Good luck. Love always, Aunt Dor.

Jared- We are very proud of you! Love, Uncle Artie & Aunt Ginger.

Jared- Don’t forget to pack a bathing suit! Love, Uncle Artie.

Jeff- Tomy “Fredo.” Growing up you were like my second son.

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.

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, mom and dad.

Brandon- have fun dude! From Dereck.

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

Rachel, I’ll miss you next year. Love Chrisy.

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.

Congratulations! To our future star, May you forever shine! Love Aunt Julie and Uncle Jim.

Hats off for Rachel! Aunt Nancy and Uncle Jimmy.

Way to go, Rachel! Uncle Joey and Lori.

Congratulations Julie. Love Stephen.

Congratulations Jules, Love Mom and Dad.

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

Love Pop.

Doggie 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. xxx

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

David xxx

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

Sarah xxx

We love you David and Steph - and are so proud of you! Love Mom and Dad.

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

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 ‘lil bro MiB" - P.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 Jim.

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 Mahoe.

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 #31- 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- Hisha! 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.
Justin - Have a great future. Good Luck. Kay Steele

Justin - Best of luck in college. We will miss you. Love Mom

Scott - Pop watches over you. He will be the wind beneath your wings. Love NaNa

Scott - May success & happiness be your always- Whatever you do. Love NaNa

Scott - You will be the best at whatever you do. Love Mom

Justin - Good Luck Kicker! Love Danielle

Justin - Best of luck in college. We will miss you. Love Mom

Justin - Have a great future. Good Luck. Kay Steele

Go PV Kicker. Good luck in college. Roy Steele

Justin - You make me so proud! Enjoy life and college- Love Mom

Mike - Good luck in all your future endeavors. Dan

Mike - Congratulations and good luck. Brian

Mike - Good Luck-Jeff

Mike - Good Luck in everything you do. Love Mom and Dad

Mike - Best of luck always. Love Grandma and Grandpa Gilburn

Angie - Congratulations & good luck in the future. Love Mom and Dad

Angie - Congratulations on your success! Love always, Nantis & Ana

Allen - Congratulations on your graduation. Best wishes and many more. Love Paw Paw

Allen, set your goals high-then surpass them! Best wishes. Uncle Richie, Aunt Joyce, Jeffrey, Kenny and Steven

Allen, May all your dreams come true! Love Aunt Marion and Uncle Sandy

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 Jay

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 College. Love Nannie

Craig- You always make me very proud. I know you will do great in college. Love Nannie

To Brant, wishing you the best of luck in college, Love Uncle Jimmy

Brant- may life envelop you with total joy and success. Love Aunt Sue

Brant- Good Luck and Success in your future plans. Love, Aunt Marion

Brant- May your blessings be rich and full, and your life without a care. Love, Grandpa

Brant- Congratulations. May the road to your future be paved with good health, happiness, and success. Love, Aunt Lois, Chuck, Tadi and Dena

Congratulations Brant on your Graduation, I am very proud of you. Love, Aunt Joan

Good Luck Brant in College. Continue your quest of becoming a full time beach bum. Keep on Leeching! Love Blake

Congratulations on your graduation! Keep up the good work in college. Now you can put off getting a job for at least four more years. Enjoy the beach. Keep up the Leechin. Love Brett

Brant- Congratulations! Keep up those grades in college. You can do anything if you put your mind to it. Reach for it. Always. Love, Mom and Dad

Brant- Good Luck and Success at Monmouth University. Keep your eyes on your goal and never forget the people that support you. Love Mom, Dad, Brett, and Blake.

Gary, your a fun guy. i love you. I know your going to be very successful in life.

Gary, you are so cool & ingenious. You just have to be successful. Gary, good luck in the future, follow your stars. You will succeed.

Gary, I am very proud of you! I know you will continue to succeed in the future.

Gary, good luck to our favorite grandchild. You are the best. Gary, you're terrific and we are very proud of you. Good Luck.

Gary, the future is at your feet. We love you. You're tops.

Brandon, Love and lots of health and Good Luck-Grandma and grandpop

Brandon, Good luck with whatever you may do!! Thanks for everything!! Love you lots!! Love always Stephanie
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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 that 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!

Passaic Valley High School

Class of 2001

Frank Esposito, President
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....
Mom, Craig, and Krista

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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, & Denis
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 compliment each other's 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!!

"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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~ Simple Minds
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RELATIONSHIPS

PERSONAL REFLECTIONS

Write Now!

Capture it now, before you forget it.

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Math scores on SAT tests taken by U.S. high school seniors were the highest in 30 years in 2000. Better math and science preparation is credited for the rise.

in the hallway

TOP 5 TRENDS IN MY SCHOOL
1. 
2. 
3. 
4. 
5. 

TOP 5 TRENDS >>>
1. Fold-up Scooters
2. Gel Products
3. '70s Decor
4. Instant Messaging Devices
5. Recordable CDs

FOR THE RECORD >>>

Funniest Practical Joke

Hallway Hangouts

An estimated 5 to 6 million fold-up scooters are sold in 2000.
Be the next Bill Gates
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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.
### Top Teen Magazines

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### Entertainment

#### 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

#### Did You Know

 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.

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- **Favorite Web Site**
- **Preferred Shopping Site**
- **Best Homework Site**
- **Best Music Site**
- **Most Frequent Chat Room**
- **Coolest Graphics**
- **Greatest Game Site**
- **Preferred Search Engine**
- **Site with the Best News**
- **Best Site for e-cards**
### TOP 10 HITS OF THE YEAR

1. "Breathe," Faith Hill
2. "Smooth," Santana featuring Rob Thomas
3. "Maria, Maria," Santana featuring The Product G&B
4. "I Wanna Know," Joe
5. "Everything You Want," Vertical Horizon
6. "Say My Name," Destiny's Child
9. "Bent," matchbox twenty
10. "He Wasn't Man Enough," Toni Braxton

My favorite song: ___________________________
Preferred type of music: ___________________
Best female artist: _________________________
Best male artist: __________________________
Favorite album: ___________________________
Greatest group: ___________________________
Best dance song: _________________________
Coolest music video: ______________________
Hottest new song: _________________________
Most memorable concert: __________________

### INTERESTS

- I spend most of my spare time ___________________________
- I collect ___________________________
- I read ___________________________
- Favorite spectator sport ___________________________
- Favorite sport to play ___________________________
- Coolest place to shop ___________________________

Time I spend on the phone each day: ___________________________
How I like to celebrate: ___________________________
I'm happiest when I'm: ___________________________
If I had more time, I'd: ___________________________

### DOWN TIME

Friends I chill out with: ___________________________
Music I listen to: ___________________________
Most comfortable place to be: ___________________________
Clothes I wear: ___________________________
Food I like to eat: ___________________________

Where I work: ___________________________
I'm responsible for: ___________________________
I have to wear: ___________________________
What I like most about my job: ___________________________
What I like least: ___________________________
Hours per week: ___________________________
Why I work there: ___________________________
Favorite person to work with: ___________________________

### WORK

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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 >> >**

*(Based on travel magazine surveys)*
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.

**Family Pets**

Family Member I Take After Most
Who ________________________________
What we have in common ____________________________
What makes us different ____________________________

**Romantic Relationships**

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

Best place for a date ______________________________
Worst place for date ____________________________
Best matchmaker ______________________________
Worst pick-up line ____________________________

It was love at first sight with _______________________
Person I can see myself with forever ___________________
Most romantic date ______________________________
Person I want to date ____________________________

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.

### MY 10 CLOSEST FRIENDS

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### 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
**Write Now!**

**PERSONAL REFLECTIONS**

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...

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Be working as a

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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.

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.

Uganda is struck by an occurrence of the deadly Ebola virus that is linked to more than 100 deaths. The outbreak is traced to a Gulu woman who died in September and whose body infected other people during the ritual cleansing of the dead.

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.
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.

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 the worst flight delays on record, bad weather and heavy air traffic cause delays that reach a peak in June, when only 66% of the flights arrive on time.

Illegal downloading and missing computer tapes threaten the security of the Los Alamos nuclear weapons lab in New Mexico. Several workers at the lab are penalized for mishandling nuclear secrets.

The Women's Museum: An Institute for the Future opens in September in Dallas. The museum profiles 3,000 remarkable American women and features more than 20 interactive exhibits.

Firestone initiates the largest tire recall in history after dozens of rollover accidents appear to be caused by faulty tires. 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.

Many brands of taco shells and corn chips are pulled from store shelves and restaurants after a consumer group detects traces of genetically modified corn not approved for human consumption.

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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.
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.

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.

Chads, dimpled chads and butterfly ballots become common terms during the election as Florida officials assess voter intent. The confusion generates national discussion for uniform methods of voting.

The U.S. Supreme Court casts the deciding vote in the nation’s election. The court ends the Gore-Bush legal battles in Florida by stopping all recounting, an action that effectively gives Bush victory.

In a fiery and highly publicized political battle, Hillary Rodham Clinton beats Republican Rick Lazio decisively to become senator from New York. She is the first first lady to be elected to public office.

Missouri Governor Mel Carnahan is elected to the Senate days after he dies in a November plane crash. His widow, Jean Carnahan, agrees to serve as senator in his place.

The Federal Trade Commission charges the film, recording and video-game industries with marketing violent and adult-rated materials to teens. The entertainment giants are requested to stop the practice or face legal intervention.

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 39.

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.

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.
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.

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, archaeologists 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 Saltrosaur 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.

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.

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.

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.
A new Web site, Customatrice.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.

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.

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.

A 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.

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.

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.

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.

The 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.
TRENDS FASHION MEDIA

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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.

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.

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.

Teen girls are fashion statements with tongue-in-cheek logos that appear on popular shirts. Among them: “Foxy Lady,” “Princess” and “Monkey Around.”

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.
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.

The Millennium Force, the world's tallest and fastest roller coaster, opens in May 2000 at the Cedar Point amusement park in Sandusky, Ohio. The ride has a 300-foot drop and travels up to 92 miles per hour.

Jim Carrey stirs up trouble in the town of Whoville in an adaptation of the Dr. Seuss classic, How the Grinch Stole Christmas. The Grinch, which opens in November, is the highest grossing film of 2000.

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.

Gamers camp outside electronics stores to secure the long-awaited Sony PlayStation 2, which goes on sale in October in limited quantities. The new version allows users to listen to CDs and watch DVD movies in addition to playing games.
MOVIES TELEVISION GAMES

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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.

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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.

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.

In 2000-2001, "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.

'A N Sync's 'No Strings Attached' becomes the top-selling album of 2000 with 10 million units sold. The lead single "Bye Bye Bye" wins three MTV awards and receives a Grammy nomination for Record of the Year.

Pop star Björk wins MTV's Breakthrough Video Award for "All Is Full of Love." The Icelandic newcomer is also nominated for a Golden Globe and a Grammy for her music in "Dancer In The Dark.

Macy Gray wins MTV's Best New Artist in a Video award for her hit single "I Try." Gray is also nominated for three Grammys.

Lee Ann Womack wins the Country Music Association's award for Best Single with "I Hope You Dance." Womack also receives several Grammy nominations.

Madonna scores a record-setting 12th No. 1 single with the release of "Music." In December, she weds director Guy Ritchie in a Scottish castle.


Creed, with lead singer Scott Stapp, proves to be one of 2000's hottest rock bands, with their singles "Higher" and "With Arms Wide Open" hitting the top 5 on Billboard's Hot 100 singles list. The group wins American Music Association's Favorite Alternative Artist and Favorite Pop/Rock Album.
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 Bizkrt's *Chocolate Starfish and the Hot Dog Flavored Water* and Backstreet Boys' *Black & Blue* all break the million-unit mark.

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The Beatles begin 2001 atop the *Billboard* album chart with the album *1*. The CD sells more than 5 million copies over the holiday season.

Sisqo, 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.

> 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.

> 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."

> 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.
2000-2001

Sports

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.

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.

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.

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.

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.

Flash

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.
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.

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.

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.
Paula Prince of Port Richey, Florida, wins the sixth annual Ugly Couch Contest, sponsored by a slipcover manufacturer, with her vintage '70s entry. Prince and two other contest finalists appear on ABC's "Live! With Regis" in October.

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 Banfe, 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.

In honor of the late cartoonist Charles M. Schulz, 101 fiberglass Snoopy statues — each in a theme wardrobe — are displayed in Schulz's hometown of St. Paul. Several are auctioned off in October to raise money for aspiring cartoonists.

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.

Controversial Indiana University basketball coach Bob Knight is fired in September after allegedly violating a University-imposed code of conduct. During his 29 years at Indiana, Knight was often criticized for temper outbursts. His dismissal provokes student protest demonstrations.