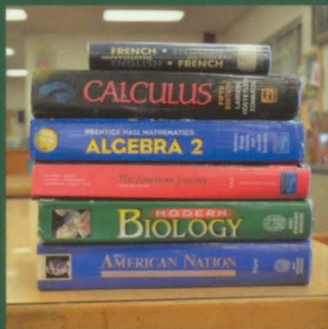


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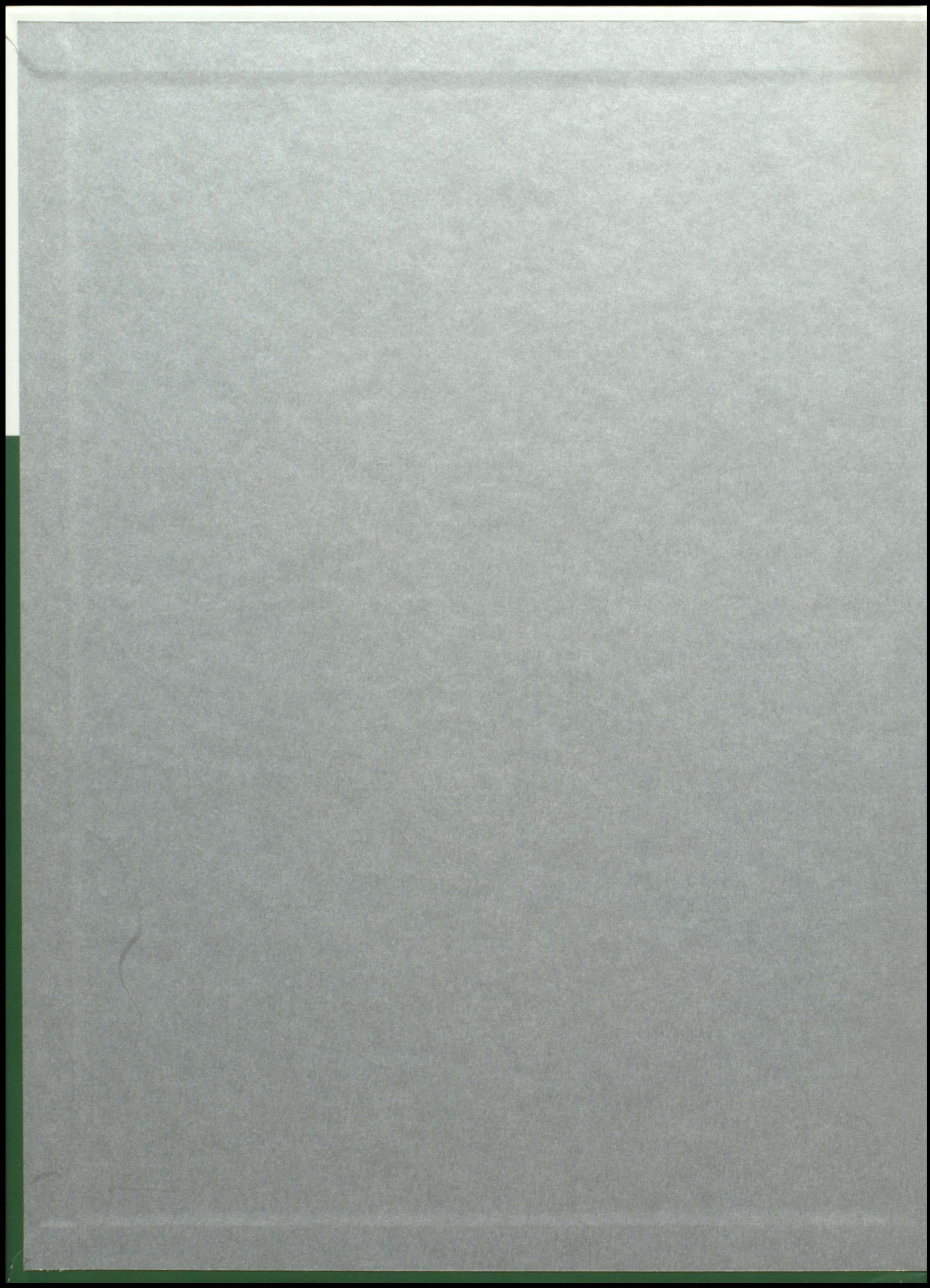
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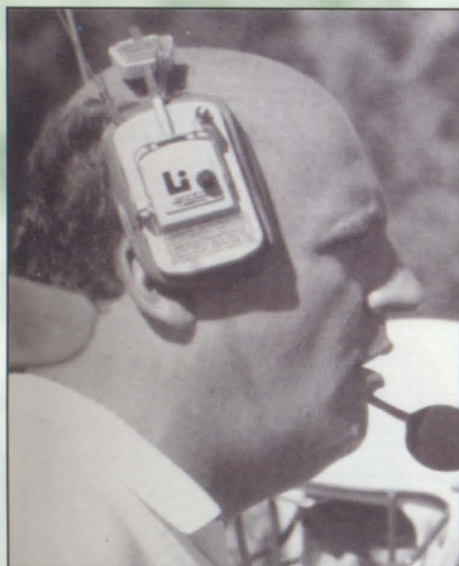
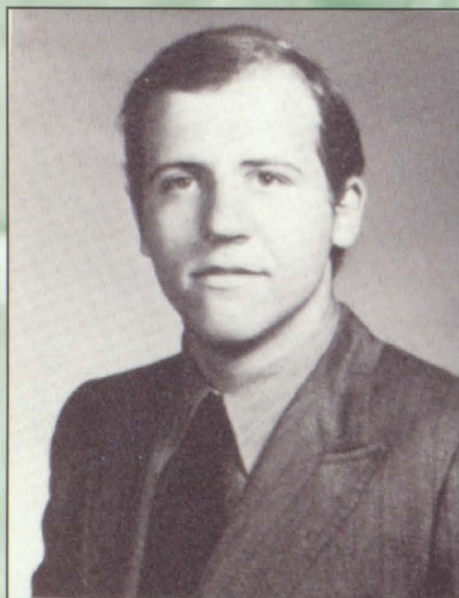
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Mr. Nick Sauter



Mr. Sauter has been a part of PV history as a student, football coach, and finally as Vice Principal of Student Activities. Mr. Sauter has left his mark on our school and it is with great pride that the Class of 2012 dedicates this yearbook to him.



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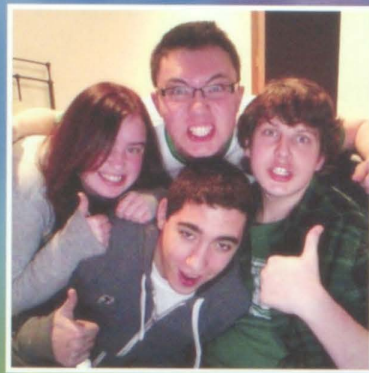
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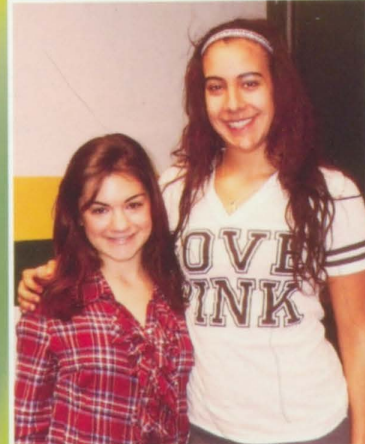
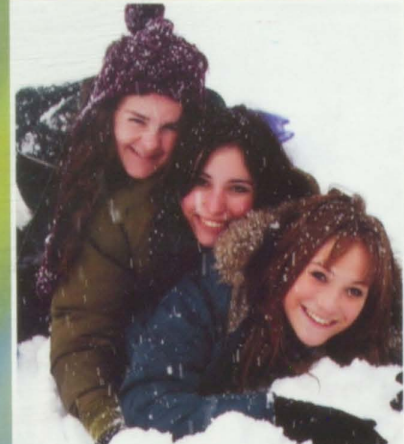
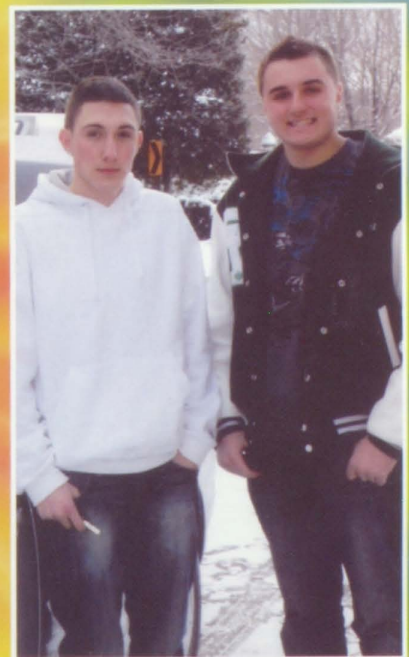
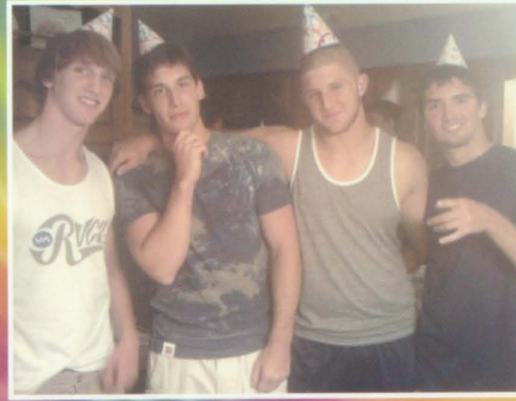
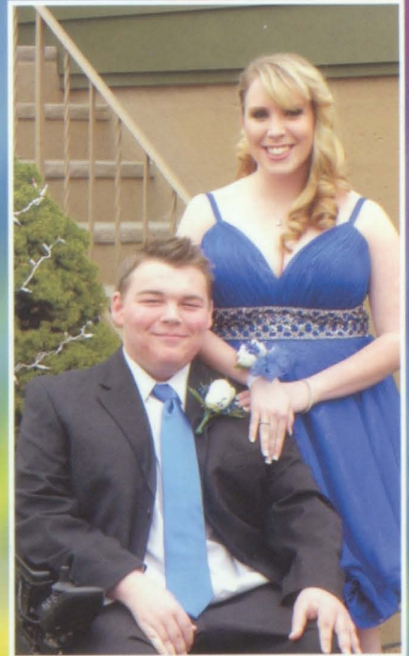
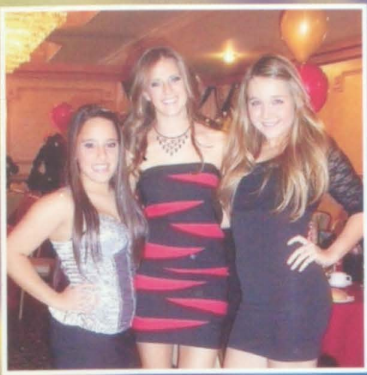
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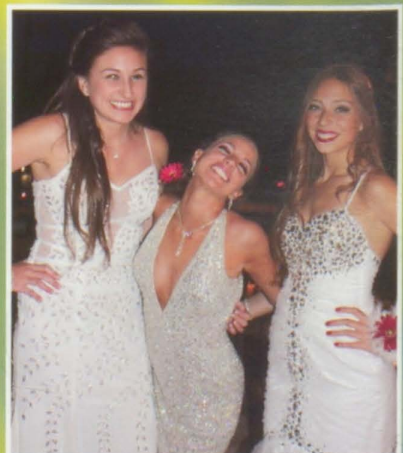
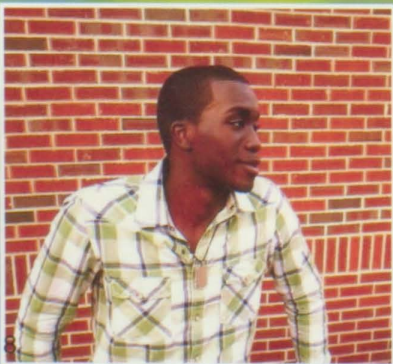
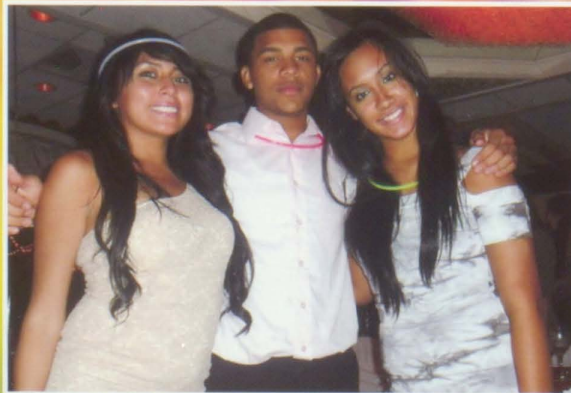
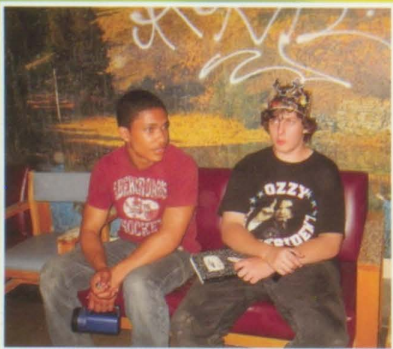
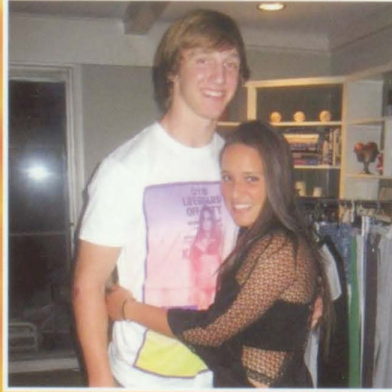
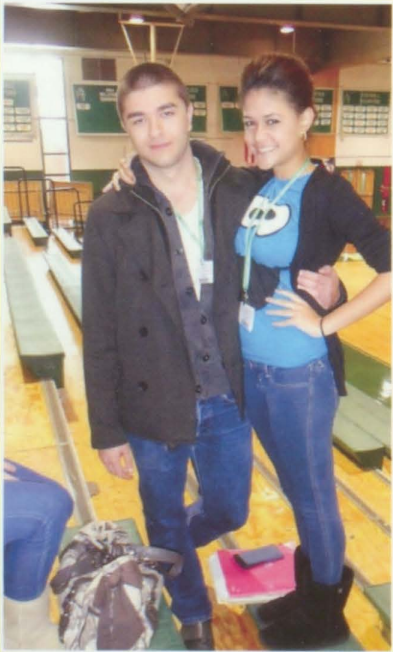
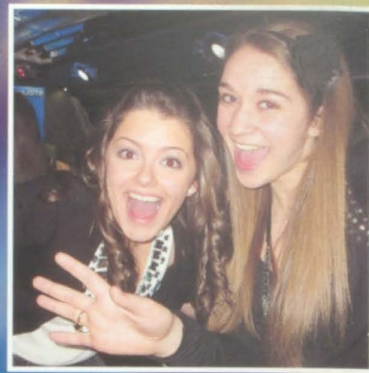
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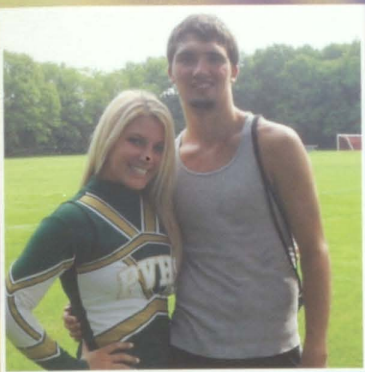
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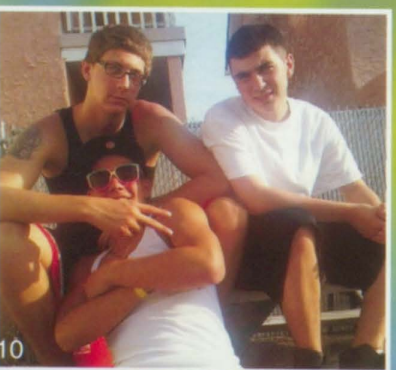
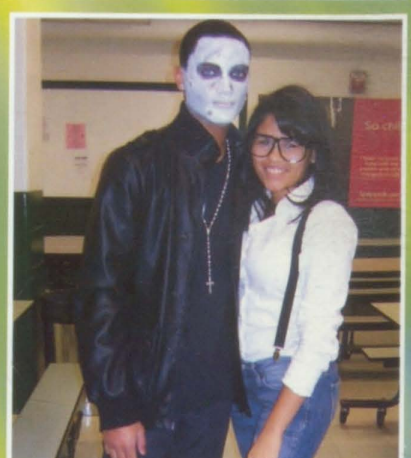
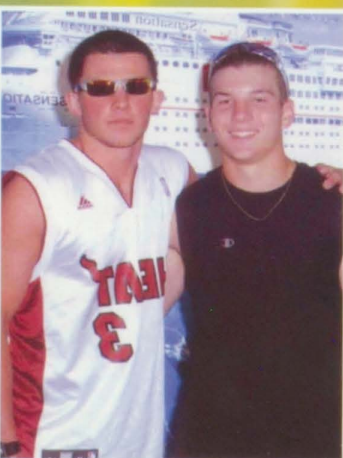
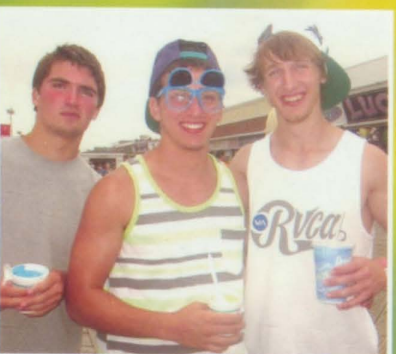
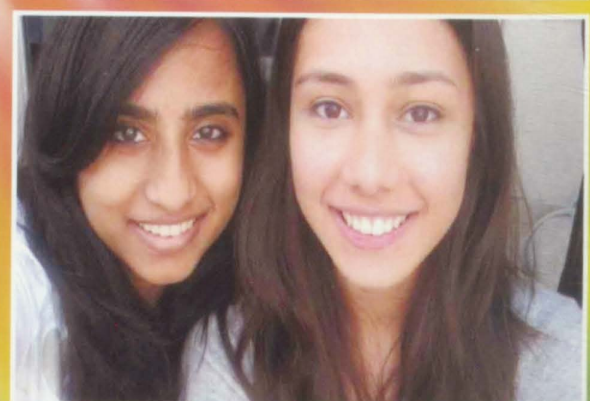
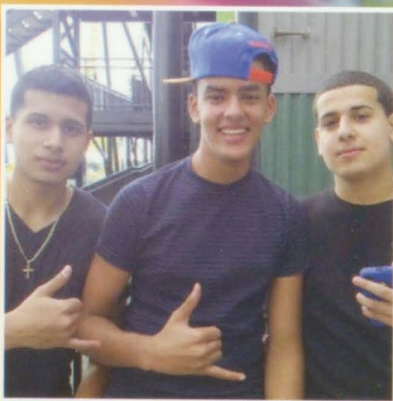
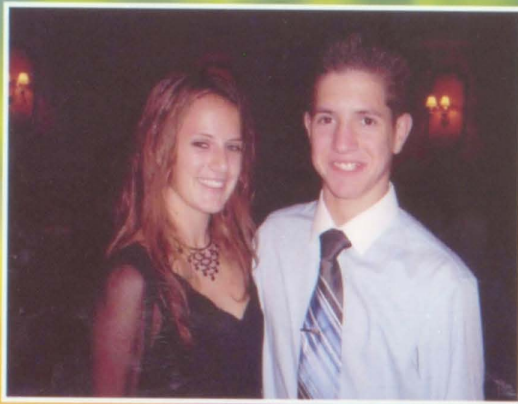
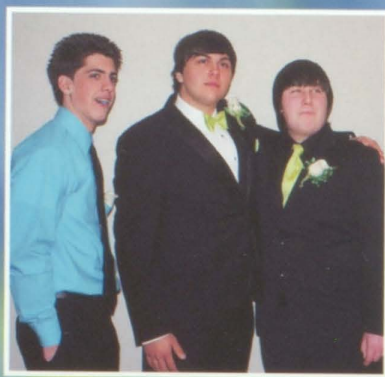
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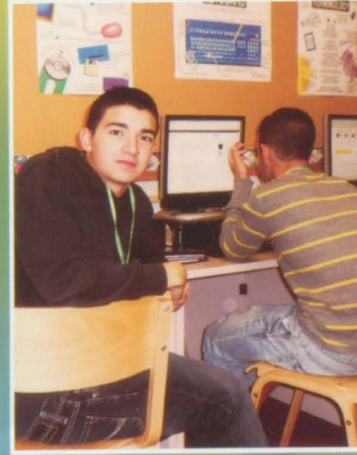
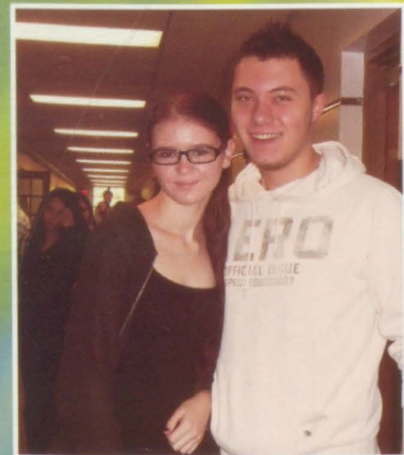
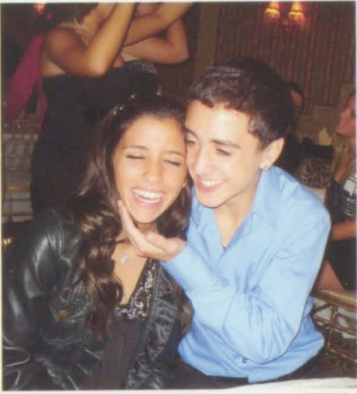
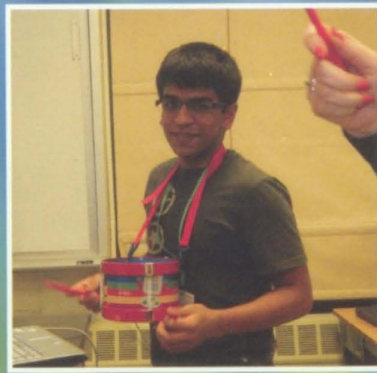


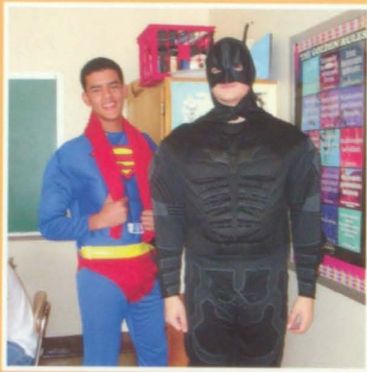




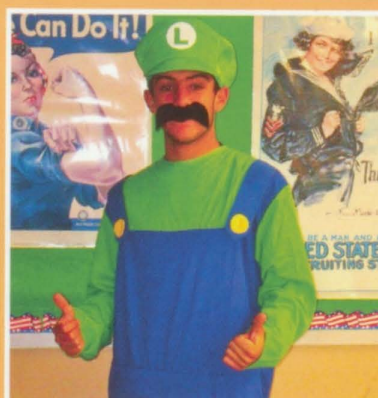








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294 SENIORS

It's been 4 years of 8 periods a day, 5 days a week, 184 days a year with 4 minutes between each 45 minute class. Those numbers mean nothing when you think about what was most important: laughter and conversation between friends, days filled with learning, fun, studying, drama, hard work, winning, losing, rehearsing, striving, dreaming and finally...moving on!
WE DID IT! CONGRATULATIONS!



CLASS OF 2012

2012 Class Advisors



Mr. Nelson Colon



Mrs. Kathleen Dellanno

Dear Class of 2012,

Congratulations on your graduation from Passaic Valley High School! The last four years have been filled with challenges, accomplishments, and great memories. In September 2008 you entered as Freshmen, unsure of what the future held. Now, as the Senior Class of 2012 you leave more mature, confident and ready to face the new challenges ahead. We hope that you will remember and use what you have learned here at PV. Do not forget that learning is a lifelong process; wherever life leads you, you will continue to add to the knowledge, wisdom and life experience that you have gained here. Enjoy the journey! We wish you the best of luck and don't forget your Hornet Pride!

Sincerely,

Class Advisors,

Nelson Colon and Kathleen Dellanno

GRADUATING CLASS OF 2012

Briana Marie Smith
President

Nicknames: Bri, Breezy
Ambition: To become a broadcaster.
Secret Ambition: To be able to sing and play the piano.
A.S.M.<3 D.Y. L.C. 2012:saved the BEST for last.<3 MY SENIORS&FAMILY.thanks for making my life the BEST. memories will last a lifetime good luck & follow your dreams



Marta Maria Saputo
Vice President

Nicknames: Bedda
Ambition: To be successful and happy.
Secret Ambition: To make Car and Leayz stop singing showtunes everyday.
"Wherever you go, go with all your heart" we made it!
Thanks to my family & friends<3 I love all of you. rip it time.CML



Kayla Rillo
Secretary

Nickname: Kay, Kla
Ambition: To be successful in whatever I chose to do.
Secret Ambition: To host Saturday Night Live.
"Conformity is the last refuge of the unimaginative" -Oscar Wilde



Elizabeth Leigh Johnson
Treasurer

Nickname: Lizzie, Leayz
Ambition: To open my own cheering gym.
Secret Ambition: Move to England with Carly Pet and Marta. To meet a British guy and develop a British accent!
Amazing memories at PVI!
Love my friends and family!
CML<3 PVCheering<3 Good luck everyone!



Kinjal Patel
Historian

Nicknames: Kinj, Kinjle
Ambition: To be successful and have a beautiful family.
Secret Ambition: To get married in Cinderella's castle.
"In life, every end is just a new beginning." - Love my family and friends thanks for an amazing 4 years!



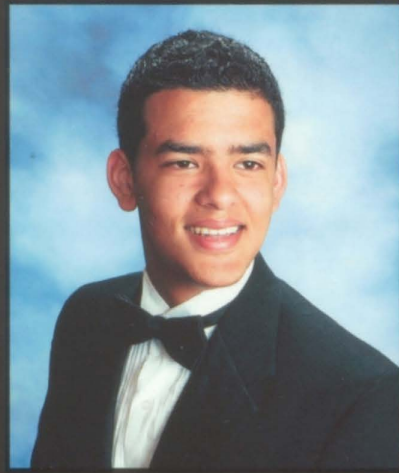
Emily Lorna Abate



Nickname: Emma
Ambition: To become a teacher.
Secret Ambition: To work at Dunder Mifflin.
 Good Luck Class of 2012!



Mohamed Said Abdalla



Nickname: Mo, Habibi
Ambition: Living large as a Wall Street billionaire.
Secret Ambition: World domination waiting for confirmation.
 3 unforgettable yrs at PV so many memories. I want 2 thank my fam friends teachers 4 everything PV its been real. Class of 2012! we did it! Shoutout 2 the boys



Luis Abuabara



Nickname: Don Juan
Ambition: To finish college and become a physical therapist.
Secret Ambition: To become a Calvin Klein model.
 Its been a blast PV! We finally did it Class of 2012!!! will never forget my best friends you know who u are



Bilal Abukharma



Nicknames: Billy, Drizzy
Ambition: To be a CEO of Carvel Inc.
Secret Ambition: To be a music producer/hype man.
 It's been a good 4 years PV! Thanks to all the teachers that helped me pass. Shout out to all my friends! '12 Let's go!

Joseph Ack



Angelique Eulalia Agapito



Nickname: Ang
Ambition: To be a successful wedding planner.
Secret Ambition: To own a yacht in the Caribbean.
 Wow we made it! Good luck Class of 2012! So many amazing mems. VARcheering + WXHEAD <3 myfam, WPGIRLS 4E+P & of course MY 7<3 CYA!



Asia Alexander

Ambition: To be the next Brian Steidle.
Secret Ambition: To know and understand J.D. Salinger.
 To those teachers I've met along the way that make me thoroughly love what they do, thank you.



Mariah Chari Almonte

Ambition: To live happily ever after.
Secret Ambition: To be famous and marry Lil Wayne!
 Wah! I can't believe it's over! Class of 2012 It's been real. love you all. OH and shoutout to...my girl Tahsin!! LOL



Alexis Marie Alvino

Nicknames: Lex, Texas
Ambition: To become an officer in the K-9 unit.
Secret Ambition: To marry Tom Brady & to be in the CIA.
 We Made It! 2 My friends n family ILU Thx4 the luv n support! Babe ILUSM 91608
 "The future belongs 2 those who believe<3 LB,AM



Kevin Amaro

Ambition: To be successful.



Nicholas Dennis Andriani

Nicknames: Nick, Nick-A-Nooch
Ambition: To become a Phys Ed teacher and High School football coach.
Secret Ambition: To be the most interesting man in the world.
 Thanks 2 my Football N Wrestling coaches N ALL MY BOYS it has been fun! Special thanks 2 Mom n Dad xo V&G



Wendy Anell

Ambition: To become a successful nutritionist.
Secret Ambition: To someday be a turtle and swim in the sea.
 Friends are the family we choose; and I chose the right ones. Love you ALWAYS & FOREVER... WHAMA...UTTD<3



Wendy Apaza



Daniel Arango



Mary Ann Arbulu



Ambition: To see the world.
Secret Ambition: To be a psychologist.
Growing up we realize it's less important to have more friends and more important to have REAL ones.
W.H.A.M.A !!!!



Carly Savannah Arias



Nicknames: Peanut, Carlyhorse
Ambition: To become an environmental engineer.
Secret Ambition: To runaway with Gerard Butler to Spain.
"History will be kind to me for I intend to write it." Love my sisters Val, Lauren and Danielle.



Edwin Aristizabal



Nickname: Ed
Ambition: To own my own business.
Secret Ambition: To be rich.
Good Luck Class of 2012! To all my friends good luck in your future. PVHS Wrestling.



Austin Atieh



Nickname: Houston
Ambition: To be successful.
Thanks for all the good memories PV!



Briana Balducci



Lauren Elizabeth Baldyga

Nicknames: Laurbee, Laur
Ambition: To always keep an open mind.
Secret Ambition: To have beautiful hair like Rapunzel.
"Do you suppose she's a wildflower?" Love My girls VC, MB, CA. We did it Class of twenty12!



Nicco Baumann

Nicknames: NiccoBrocore, Neekz
Ambition: To die poor and successful.
Secret Ambition: To build a halfpipe in heaven!
BONES ARE THICKER THAN BLOOD.
REST IN PEACE NICK AND AJ!
BROTHERHOOD FOREVER.
BROCORE-THIS IS A FAMILY!



Joseph Bertino

Nicknames: Joe, Bert
Ambition: To be an Electrical Contractor.
Good times in soccer, ski club, and votech. Thank you to all my friends and family couldn't of done it without you.



Donna Betsch

Nicknames: Don-Don, Dinner
Ambition: To become a Veterinarian.
Secret Ambition: Stay happy.
Congratulations to the class of '12! I'll miss all of my friends that I'm leaving behind. I love you guys so much. =)



Alessia Bianco

Nickname: Les
Ambition: To go to college in the USA.
Secret Ambition: To travel all over the world.
"The only fight you lose is the one you abandon." Ernesto 'che' Guevara



Malinda Bisesar



Nicholas Bombaro



Jennifer Bonilla



Nicknames: Jennie, Jennie Bone
Ambition: To be a social worker.
Secret Ambition: It wouldn't be a secret if I told you. It was nice knowing all of you. PEACE!



Marc Bonilla



Nickname: Marcus
Ambition: To live life to the fullest.
Secret Ambition: To grow facial hair.
Thanks to all my friends and family. Good luck to the Class of 2012!

Gabriel Boyrie Jr.



Nicknames: Marine, Gabe
Ambition: To become a US Marine.
Secret Ambition: To be better than everyone else. I'm glad I'm finally able to move on to bigger and better things. It'll be hard to forget a place like Passaic Valley

Sofia Bozinova



Nickname: Sofie
Ambition: To be extremely wealthy and attend fashion week for the rest of my life.
Secret Ambition: Have a photoshoot with Cole Mohr and get him to autograph my neck.
Best four years of my life. I have learned many lessons and I love who I've become. Thank you friends & enemies.



Joseph John Brillante

Nickname: Joey
Ambition: To be successful in Criminal Justice.
Secret Ambition: To marry Shakira.
The past 4 years have been a blast. Thanks to my family for all their support! MDW 11&12 Crazy times! My Boys UKWUR



Kristina Marie Bronkowski

Nickname: Bronk
Ambition: To own a gym.
Secret Ambition: To become the next trainer on the Biggest Loser.
4YRS VAR GS BB SB. THESE PAST YRS AT PV HAVE BEEN AMAZING! LOVE MY FRIENDS & FAMILY<3 GOOD LUCK CLASS OF 2012!



Doria Joelle Brown

Nicknames: Bob Marley, DJ
Ambition: To become head of the EPA.
Secret Ambition: To argue with the President.
It's all said and done. It's been real & it's been fun. I <3 all my friends. YKWYA



Randy Calabro



Vanessa Callegari

Nicknames: Cheeks, Bess
Ambition: To own my own salon.
Secret Ambition: To marry Chris Brown.
I love my girls SM JH JR!



John Anthony Cardona

Nicknames: Junie C, John-John
Ambition: To be famous.
You can bless yourself, there's no need for someone's help.



Sarah Carney



Ambition: To be successful in whatever I do.
Secret Ambition: To never run out of interesting stories. Good luck guys! These past years have been filled with unforgettable memories and stories. I'll never forget them!



Jevin C. Carter



Nicknames: Tev, Tev-Dog
Ambition: To become a senior system analyst at a Fortune 500 company.
Secret Ambition: Take over the world, and form a technocracy.
 I look into the future with optimism, and know that only through hard work will my goals be achieved...

Valentina Centeno



Nicknames: Val, Valerina
Ambition: To be a successful woman, and to live my fairytale dream.
Secret Ambition: To marry the man of my dreams, Ashton Kutcher.
 Many people will walk in and out of your life but only true friends will leave footprints in your heart. ILY4E: C.D.L



Lauren Cheff



Ambition: To always be blonder.



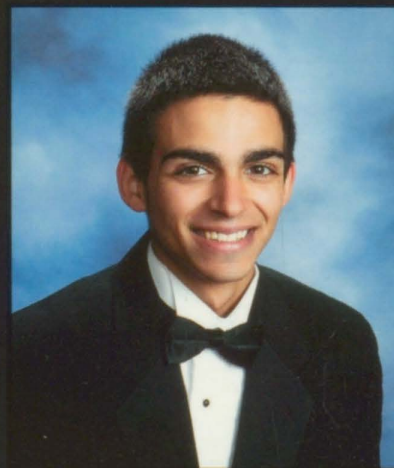
Leandra Cilindrello



Nicknames: Lee, Fabiana
Ambition: To be happy.
Secret Ambition: To be a mermaid with Alessia DiMartino.
 Love my friends: DY, AD, BS, NJ, ES, & JG<3! WC & Vars. Cheering! Thanks mom & dad<3 Val & Daria - stay true. Love you all. :)



Matthew Ciolino



Nicknames: Ciolini, Ciolino
Ambition: To be successful.
 Can't believe it's finally over!!

Kristin Cipolla

Ambition: To become a publisher.
Secret Ambition: To take a cross country road trip with my best friend.
ZN AD AM AQ BM We finally did it! Thank's for always being there for me mom & dad



Toni Ann Colavito

Nicknames: Tone, Toni
Ambition: To become a third grade teacher.
Secret Ambition: To write an award winning novel.
Refuse to live backwards



John Contreras

Nickname: Jp
Ambition: To come back from the Marines alive & rich.
Secret Ambition: Become best friends with Settembre.
"CRACKERS AND CHEESE"



Joshua Douglas Cooper

Nicknames: Josh, Coops
Ambition: To be successful in life.
Secret Ambition: To marry my high school sweetheart.
I will always remeber the great times with my friends. I love you Andrea!! 3.14.09<3
My boys RP MD & SG



Elisa Corsetto

Nicknames: Eii, L
Ambition: To become a nurse.
Secret Ambition: To always be remembered.
Good Luck to the Class of 2012...if we are still alive :p Will miss you all, good memories.
glamourkillsz. teetstank :)
Jar<3

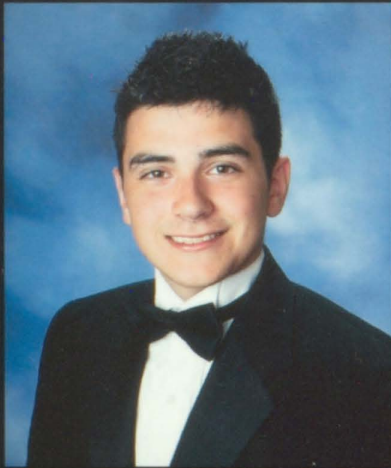


William Cortez

Nicknames: Weco, RBWillie
Ambition: To be physical therapist.
Whatsup, my names Will aka Weco. Shoutout to all my homeboys and parents for always being there for me.
Good Luck Class of 2012



Kyle Cosgrave



Nicknames: Godfather, Boss
Ambition: To own my own business.
Secret Ambition: To be remembered at PV as Moose's cousin.
 BP JB NA NL JK DP WG NP DP
 GOOD LUCK CLASS OF 2012
 THANKS TO MY FAMILY & FRIENDS AA JM VM HC



Evan Cousins



Nicknames: Ev, Perry
Ambition: To make a lot of money doing as little as possible.
Secret Ambition: To battle the kraken.
 117 characters cannot describe all the moments I had with my friends.



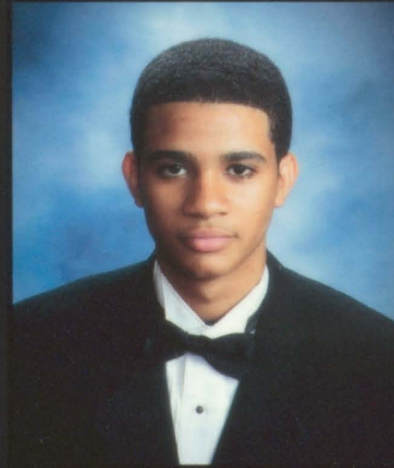
Gabriella Crocco



Nicknames: Gabbi, DJ Gabbic
Ambition: To be a high school history teacher
Secret Ambition: To be Mr. Six flags for a day!
 Thnx 2 my family. ILOVEU! I love my friends. BFFFS & Frosh 4ever;) JY my sis 4 life!
 JJR;Bubst<3 PVGS&PVGT fun times



Humberto Jose Cruz Jr.



Nicknames: Oomby, Juice
Ambition: Health, Wealth and Happiness.
Secret Ambition: Dreams do become reality.
 Thank you mom dad ADA & VITA Shoutout 2 all of the GSQUAD & my NFLs ED WOOD AINGE VENDY JLA RAF DOUR MARY & UDDA

Valerie D'Ambrosio



Nicknames: Val, Glowie
Ambition: To live happily ever after.
Secret Ambition: To be a princess and live in a castle.
 Thx momdad&sarah<3 good luck class of 12! Love my family & friends*GM,NG,NL, NA#8* 4 yrsWX*12 Varsitycheer<3 SENIORS!



Cristina D'Amico



Ambition: To travel the world.
 "Memory is a way of holding on to the things you love, the things you are, and the thing you never want to lose."
 Thank you mom & dad for everything! Love my best friends GC&AD<3



DeAnna D'Amico

Nicknames: Dsquared, Dee
 Ambition: To enjoy my basketball career in college and be successful in all my future endeavours.
 Secret Ambition: To fly the car from Chitty Chitty Bang Bang. I've gotten up every morning with determination & went to bed with satisfaction.
 PVGVBCAPTANT11 NAHS
 PRES11 WPV12 #15



Nicole Dauplaise



Ryan DeCesare

Nicknames: Special, DeCesare
 Ambition: To fill the world with comedic genius.
 Secret Ambition: I wanna kill'em with kindness.
 "A good friend once told me we are our memory without them we equal nothing..."



Daniel DeLeon



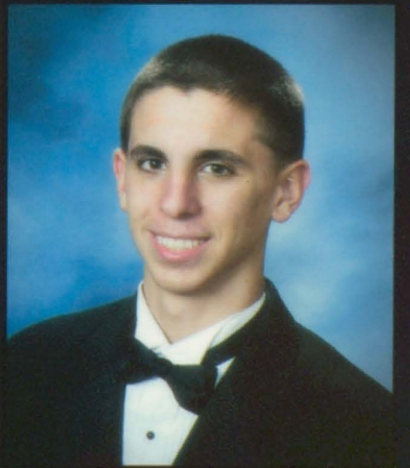
Audrey Delgado

Ambition: To be happy with where ever life takes me.
 Secret Ambition: To witness a miracle.
 KC KG WA AM AQ We start our lives now!! good luck!
 Thanx mom and dad! Love u!
 We did it!!!



Francesco A. DeLuca

Nicknames: Frank, Frankie
 Dukes
 Ambition: To become a news anchor.
 Secret Ambition: To adopt Parth Patel.
 Some say life is short. False. It's the longest thing you'll ever do.



Alyssa DeNora



Ambition: To make the best of everyday.
Secret Ambition: To patent "We're twins!"
 Ahh! So many amazing mems! WX4yrs White Chief & VarCheerCap! 11
 WPgirls4ever love my 6 biffs<3
 Who are you?



Elizabeth DeVenio



Nicknames: Liz, Devo
Ambition: To be successful.
Secret Ambition: To have my own cooking show.
 Thanks to my family and friends for everything<3.
 Congrats Class of 2012!
 Always and forever PV<3!!



Alexander Diaz



Nickname: Peggy
Ambition: To become a writer.
Secret Ambition: Become a monk and live in the mountains.
 "It's only after we've lost everything that we're free to do anything."



Jonathan Tyler Digangi



Nickname: JonJon
Ambition: To be a computer engineer.
Secret Ambition: To be like Fabio.
 Has anyone really been far even as decided to use even go want to do look more like?



Shannon Dillon



Nickname: Shan
Ambition: To attend my dream college and major in occupational therapy.
Secret Ambition: To travel to China and hug a giant panda.
 PVGVB<3 PVS<3 Love my friends<3 Good Luck Class of 2012<3



Alessia DiMartino



Nicknames: Aless, Ale
Ambition: To laugh as much as I breathe.
Secret Ambition: To be a mermaid with Leandra & build my own village in Africa with Kim Mabey.
 These are 4 yrs I'll never forget! WCHead12' Vars.
 Cheering LC AD DY EK KH KM
 MC<3 great memories made!
 I'll miss you PV



Arzum Dokuzlar

Ambition: To travel the world.
Secret Ambition: Be famous.
 "Good times are temporary but the memories you have are forever." Thanks to my friends & family for the best memories!



Alexandria J. Domicolo

Nicknames: Alex, Domi-colo
Ambition: To live life to its fullest.
Secret Ambition: Gotta catchem all.
 Great times with DY LC AD EC BB YV MK GM VM PG JD and ES<3 White Cheer & Varsity Cheering<3 Thank you mommy daddy nonna joey and ross! Good Luck '12



Kelly Ann Donovan

Nickname: Kel
Ambition: To own a retail store in NYC overlooking the skyline.
Secret Ambition: To live my life to the fullest and have all my dreams come true. So many unforgettable memories! WXV&Vars. Cheering. LOVE my family & friends. of course. US7<3 WPgirls forever Class of 2012



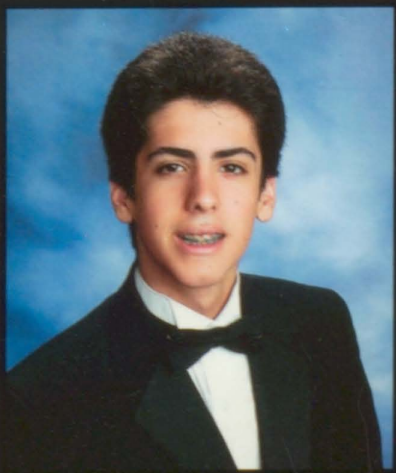
Andrea Kathryn Doumar

Nicknames: Doumar, Dours
Ambition: To become an Occupational Therapist.
Secret Ambition: To see Liz DeVenio without eyebrows. "its not the end, its only the beginning." Love my best friends Gabbi&Cris<3 I love you Josh, my highschool sweetheart 3/14/09<3 Thank you mom, dad & jaclyn!



Dennis Duarte Jr.

Nicknames: Fluffy, Dennis the Menace
Ambition: To be the CEO of my own company.
Secret Ambition: To find out I'm related to a famous billionaire. It's been an interesting 4 years PV. Thanks for helping me come out of my shell and meet some incredible friends :)



Emily Duke

Nicknames: Em, D Squared
Ambition: Colossians 3:17.
Secret Ambition: To solve a mystery with Sherlock Holmes. Ladies Fencing '12!
 "It does not do to dwell on dreams and forget to live."
 -Albus Dumbledore



Vincent Esteve



Ambition: To be a welding engineer.
Secret Ambition: To Be Rich \$ \$ \$.
I had a great time in PV and Morris Tech JB.SW.NF. MTCreek trips JB.SW.JV.NW. Thanks to my parents good luck to my brother Zac



Marino J. Fernandez



Nickname: Mar Mar
Ambition: To be succesful in life.
Secret Ambition: To own a restaurant.
I'm going to miss this class and all the friends I've made. good luck everybody in your future we finally did it!

Samantha Ferreira



Nicknames: Sam, Sami
Ambition: To be a Gypsy and travel the world.
Secret Ambition: To learn at least 2 languages other than English and Spanish and marry a French Guy.
Laugh at Life its too short to be serious! <3

Ravon Figueroa



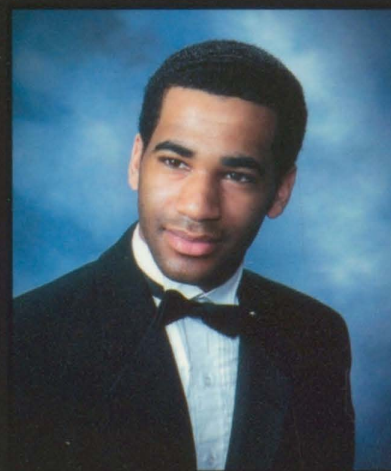
Melissa Fiorito



Nicknames: Missy, Squid
Ambition: To be a baker.
I LOVE NICCO

Beezler

Jabriel Fisher



Nicknames: Jay, Jabriel
Shewill
Ambition: To make my parent's proud, always.
Secret Ambition: To take over my mom's "boss" position.
I'M FINALLY OUT OF HERE!
THANKS TO MY MOM AND TASIA

Melissa C. Fisher

Nickname: Missy
Ambition: To become a successful Veterinarian.
Secret Ambition: To secretly lift things up and put them down.
 Special thanks to all my friends & family & all the great memories we had! Stay classy Passaic Valley! mow <3



Pilar Fletcher

Nickname: Didi, Dee
Ambition: To be the next Coco Chanel.
Secret Ambition: To have my own reality TV show.
 We finally did it guys! I love my best friends MS ZN & KR<3 PV Softball #17 I'll miss my team. Class of 2012! ;D



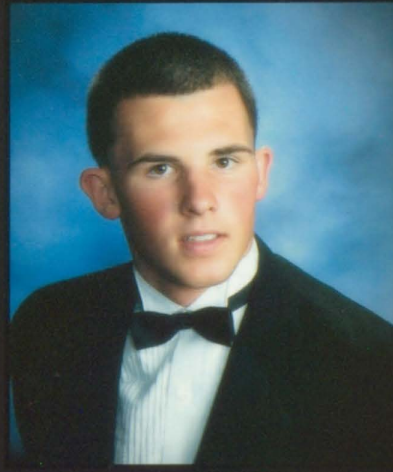
Hannah Frankovits

Nickname: Mama, Hannah Banana
Ambition: To live a life of love.
 Thanks to my friends and family for everything! It's been real PV! Good Luck everyone<3 Special thanks to my girls -- MT&AH



Nicholas R. Freda

Nickname: Fred
Ambition: To be an electrician.
Secret Ambition: To marry a Victoria's Secret Model.
 BEST FRIENDS CS, LD, TECH GOOD TIMES W/ VF, NV, SW, JB, MDW, BAHAMAS W/ CS, GREAT TIMES EXT4, CRUISES, FL. THANKS MOM, DAD & GMA 4 EVERYTHING. RIP POP. LOVE YOU ALL!



Alexandria Frias

Nickname: Alex
Ambition: To become a physical therapist.
Secret Ambition: To marry Cristiano Ronaldo.
 Forever young is the policy live*laugh*play*is an obligation :) moments pass but memories last Class of 2012 4 ever!! WHAMA



Jolee-Tyler Rachel Fried

Nickname: JoJo
Ambition: To be a dentist and to be remembered.
Secret Ambition: To have as much SWAG as Chris Martins.
 I dont love all of you I just love some of you! I'll miss everyone. Thank you to my new and old friends!<3



Maxwell P. Furnare



Nickname: "Maxwell Silver Hammer"
 Ambition: To be a professional sports broadcaster.
 Secret Ambition: To coach basketball, football, or baseball.
 Bye Passaic Valley I had a blast here. I met a lot of new people and created memories I will have for the rest of my life!

Andrea Gallego



Nickname: Drea
 Ambition: To live in Colombia.
 Secret Ambition: To become a mechanic.
 Close together, or miles apart. True friends are always close at heart. Congrats Class of '12! =) W.H.A.M.A. <3:D



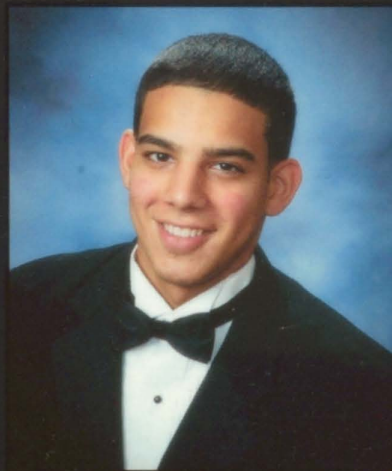
Fedele Gallo



Nickname: The Fed
 Ambition: To go to and finish medical school.
 Secret Ambition: To make it into the Olympics as a runner.
 Good luck to everyone in college and I hope to stay in touch with all of you.



Woodrow Garcia



Nicknames: Woody, Woodstock
 Ambition: To be a Marine.
 Secret Ambition: To move to California.
 Thanks mom dad Jessyyanette <3 Football 2011 GSQUAD! Team Jerz & JR NFL Eddy Jake Oomby Angel DPJBNLuglyDPaakccjvjaog udda <3

Paige E. Gensinger



Nicknames: Polly Preppy Pants, Paigey
 Ambition: To study music therapy.
 Secret Ambition: To have my own ambulance for when I'm injured.
 "Don't regret anything you do because in the end it makes you who you are." GX <3
 Regarde Mon Fils! Mow! <3
 P.S. ALIENS



Paraskevi Georgalos



Nicknames: Patty, Friday
 Ambition: To always be happy.
 Secret Ambition: To learn to cartwheel so I can cartwheel down the aisles of Costco.
 "Never say never"
 PVTheater <3 Thanks to my family & friends for the love & support! Good Luck to everyone. One Love.



Jasnim Ghani

Nickname: Taz
Ambition: To become a successful pediatrician.
Secret Ambition: To be in the Tomatina festival in Spain.
 "Wherever you go, go with all your heart." Thanks to my friends, teachers, & family for always supporting me. <3



Casey Gilfoil

Ambition: To get an MD/PhD and to work with Doctors without Borders.
Secret Ambition: To be Regina Spektor... or the honey badger.
 Much love to the PVMB, PV Fencing, friends, family, and teachers. Thanks for everything. Stay gold, Class of 2012.



Kelly Gilhoolley

Nicknames: Kell, bell bell
Secret Ambition: For everyone in the world to be tan!
 Thanks to my amazing family and friends<3 Love my friends Morgan&Kim also AS MS CP LJ KL AH CA PVFH<3!Classof 2012-<3



Kayla Alexina Gordon

Ambition: To help disabled children.
Secret Ambition: To dance in music videos.
 Love your enemies, do good to those who curse you. Pray for those who mistreat you...<3



Fiorela Lisbet Guevara

Nickname: Fee- Fee
Ambition: To be a psychiatrist.
Secret Ambition: To be the first hispanic female president.
 Live everyday like there is no tomorrow, and the sun shine all day.



Harumi J. Guima

Nickname: Haru
Ambition: To become a child psychologist.
Secret Ambition: To go to the moon with Bruno Mars.
 Memories Last Forever and Never Do They Die. True friends stay together and never say goodbye.
 Classof 12<3W.H.A.M.AIT



Kristen Handal



Nicknames: Kris, Kiki
Ambition: To graduate from college with a doctorate degree in speech pathology.
Secret Ambition: To make the world gluten-free!
 thx2myfamily and friends
 KP.MR.AD. Congrats and goodluck to the class of 1012
 WE DID IT!



Shannon J. Hartwig



Nicknames: Shannanigans, Shannacute
Ambition: Own my own business, travel the world, valley girl it by the beach.
Secret Ambition: To be the new Red Cross.
 Happiness can be found, even in the darkest of times, if one only remembers to turn on the light.



Melissa Ann Hearney



Ambition: To be a psychologist and firefighter.
Secret Ambition: To be a photographer and have my own darkroom.
 Class of '12! We made it!
 Thanks for the memories. I love all my color guard girls!!
 <3 1 2 3... Regarde mon fils!



Janice Hernandez



Nicknames: Jan Jan, Chonga
Ambition: To be a famous singer.
Secret Ambition: To marry a christian NBA player.
 Thanks to my family & friends.
 R.I.P. Big brother. I know you would be proud & great memories with all my friends, love u all!



Rafiel Hernandez



Christian Herrera



Christian Herrmann

Nicknames: Herrmann, Hermz
Ambition: To be a US Naval Officer.

Secret Ambition: To be a Lab Rat to Matt Reda, close relation to guinea pig Vlad.
Non Sibi Sed patriae. - Not for self but for country.



Alexandria G. Hilgemberg

Nickname: Ally
Ambition: To become a special education teacher.
Secret Ambition: To own a dolphin.

"Don't live down to expectations. Go out there & do something remarkable."
 Love my girls HF, MT, MW, KG, JF, YU <3



Daniel Hilton

Nicknames: Darrell
 Abukharma, D-Brix
Ambition: To become a beast cartoonist.

Secret Ambition: To raise and collect farm animals.
 "It was fun. And it was real. But it sure wasn't real fun." -S. Ryan. NS MH TC MZ BA LM and Sanad. Peace kids, We Out.



Catherine Ibrahim

Nicknames: Cat, Catty
Ambition: Become a Pediatric Neurosurgeon before I'm 30.
Secret Ambition: To roam the countryside barefoot with Mr. Darcy.

Live your life with no regrets. If it makes you happy then that's all what matters.



Dime Ilievski



Rummi Islam

Nickname: RoomRoom
Ambition: Psychologist.
Secret Ambition: To be on the Real Housewives of NJ.
 Pretty Kisses Forever young*
 EST 2008 Good Luck



Jahsin Islam



Ambition: To open my own business.
Secret Ambition: To marry Justin Bieber.<3
 Congrats Class of 2012, we did it! OH and shoutouts to!.....my girl Mariah! LOL

Abdel Rahman A. Issa



Nicknames: Abdello, bakup 1ng
Ambition: To be successful in what I chose to do in the future.
Secret Ambition: It's called a SECRET for a reason.



Nicole Johnson



Nickname: Nikki Jo
Ambition: To live happy forever.
Secret Ambition: To be Darla in the next Finding Nemo. Four unforgettable years. varscheering & whitex4years! thank you mom jess & joe for everything loveyous. I love my friends6<3+l.c. wpgirlsforever.



Patreeyaporn Jomphen



Ambition: To follow my dreams.
Secret Ambition: To be happy.
 hakuna matata

Lazar Kalezic



Neal Kara



Ambition: I want to become a successful surgeon.
Secret Ambition: To own every 7-eleven in America. "Don't cry because it's over, smile because it happened" Thanks to all of my friends, teachers & family for the support



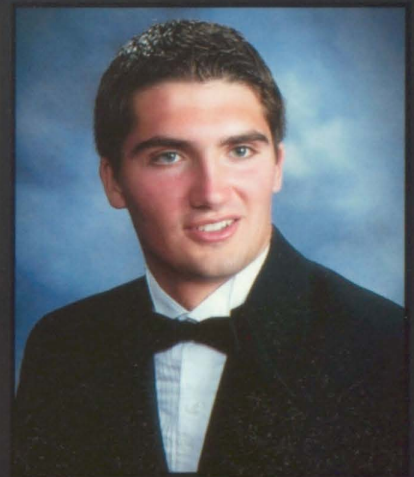
Grant Knoll

Ambition: To become a successful opthamologist.
Secret Ambition: To go to a Superbowl or NBAFinals game, where either the Greenbay Packers or Dallas Mavericks win.
 "If you don't make mistakes, you're not working hard enough problems. And that's a bing mistake."



Michael Adam Kobylarz, Jr.

Nicknames: Koby, MakDaddy
Ambition: To be successful in whatever I choose to do.
Secret Ambition: To be the next Youtube sensation.
 Its been a great 4 years. Amazing memories with DY NS EC RS LJ RP JS KS MS KR AA! Lovemyfamily<3 Goodluckseniors 2012!



Sandra Koc-Reynoso



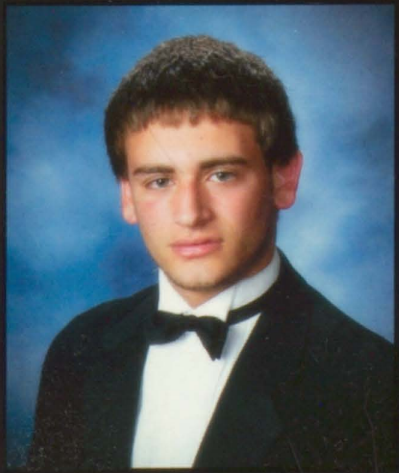
Ashley Rose Kolenc

Nickname: Ash
Ambition: To become a Psychologist.
Secret Ambition: To be a musician and song writer.
 Good Luck Class of 2012! Thanks mom & dad for all your support. Thanks to my "sister" Kelsey for always having my back!



Jacob Steven Kopf

Nickname: Jake
Ambition: To start my own business and live my life.
TheFamily:AAKCJBVMWGNLN ADPDPBPAMMC We had a great 4 years and many more to come



Sara Elizabeth Kosch

Nickname: Lala
Ambition: To be successful in everything I do.
Secret Ambition: To live Happily Ever After.
 "Don't cry because it's over, smile because it happened"
 CG-08-11* GC10,11,12* To my bffs, thnx 4 the memories<3 GC 2012<3 JMM



Deborah Lynne Laguna



Nickname: Deb
 Ambition: To work in Digital Media and forever be faithful to My Father up in heaven.
 Secret ambition: To travel Europe.
 Life isn't about waiting for the storm to pass, it's about learning to dance in the rain.



Heather Rose Landa



Nickname: Heeth
 Ambition: To own a high-end salon.
 Secret ambition: To be a movie star.
 Accept what you can't change, and change what you can't accept; love my family&friends, congrats class of 2012!



Sherry Lanza



Ambition: Success.
 Good Luck Class of 2012
 Thank you Mom For Being Next to me ALL The Time



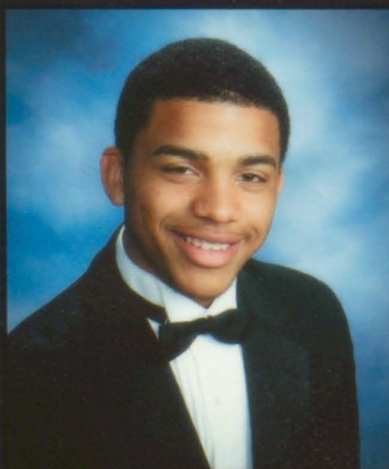
Jocelyn Y. Lee



Nicknames: Joc, Asian, Puertoasian
 Ambition: To persue international business & make a difference in the world.
 Secret ambition: Travel.
 Thanks to my family for their love and support.
 And...Regarde monfill!!



Jamir Tyrone Lennon



Nicknames: Jimmy, Jimbo
 Ambition: To be successful.
 Secret ambition: To play one on one against Jason Kidd.
 Special thx to my coaches n teachers n especially my earth my momma Dukes! n GL to my main boys n class of 2012 ya HEARD!



Kimberly Paige Lewis

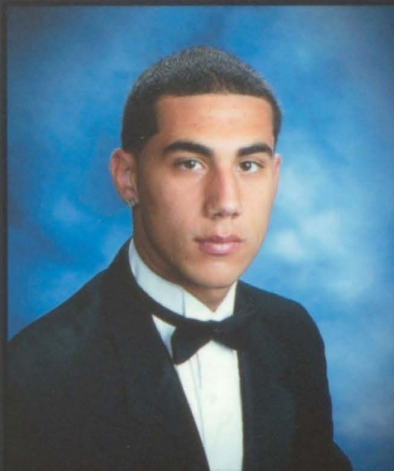


Nicknames: Kim, Mouse
 Ambition: To make it big in NYC.
 Secret ambition: To see my name in lights.
 Thanks to my fam&friends loveyou!3sis<3GDV12 "Reach for the stars cause if you fall you'll land on a cloud"-KW Ripit.



Nicola Liberatore

Nickname: Lib
 Ambition: To run a business and be successful.
 Secret ambition: To marry Katy Perry.
 NA BP JK KC DP JB WG DPz
 GM VD Every1 else thnx 4 the mems MDW47HAM Love my team CSquad4Life States 09
 Thanks Mom + Dad



Erica Nicole Liguori

Nickname: E
 Ambition: To become an orthodontist.
 Secret ambition: To be the mascot of my college.
 "Opportunities are taken, no given." PVMB 5 year club!
 Memories<3 Thx fam&friends for support!
 CONGRATZ&GOODLUCK2012



Rosa Milagros Llanos

Ambition: To have a professional career, be wealthy, and be happy with my family.
 Secret ambition: To buy my parents a mansion.
 Congratulations Class of 2012!
 Thank you to all of my teachers for all of their help and support! Good luck to all



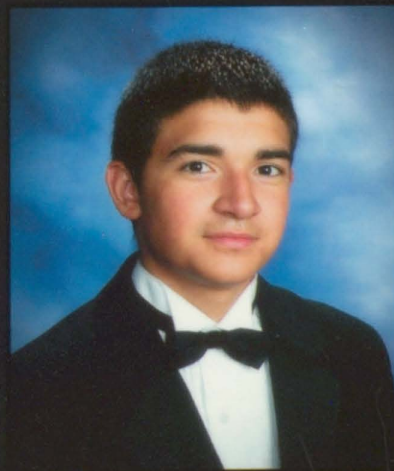
Edmond Loga

Ambition: To be a business owner.
 "Dream as if you'll live forever, live as if you'll die today."



Carlos Lopez

Nicknames: ComSucatash, C-lo
 Ambition: Making money, becoming successful, becoming young money.
 Secret ambition: To defeat & ride the Kracken.
 I want to thank my parents for encouraging me to do good. Also I want to thank all my friends for making my years here so enjoyable.



Katherinn Lopez

Nickname: Kathy
 Ambition: To be happy and successful.
 Secret ambition: To get married to Drake.
 Good luck Class of 2012
 Thank you mom! I couldn't have done it with out you.
 Never forget the good Times with EP,YP,PR,RI,TJ <3<3



Joseph Robert Lorusso



Nicknames: Lorus, Giuseppe
Ambition: To be successful at what I want to do.
Secret Ambition: To play guitar on stage with John Petrucci.
 Thank you family, friends, and teachers for being there throughout the years good luck Class of 2012! Go PVMB!



Alicia Lu



Nickname: Lulu
Ambition: To have no regrets.
Secret Ambition: To find my hero.
 What is past is prologue.



Shana Luckey-Posey



Nickname: Shay
Ambition: Photography.
 I had a great 4 years in Pv I will miss all of you guys. BD JR JS MF JB Memories Summer of 2011 Love you Vinnie



Kimberly Mabey



Nicknames: Bimnie, 5hear
Secret Ambition: To live in Africa and build my own village with Alessia DiMartino! Great memories at PV! Wouldn't be the same without my girls* KG AD MW MS CP LJ*PVFH! Kelly-DR here we come! Rob Novak<3



Lawrence M. Malang



Nickname: Larry
Ambition: To be a best selling author.
Secret Ambition: To become fully sychronized with on ancestor.
 Achievement unlocked- Complete high school on any difficulty- 100(G)



Angeline Manganiello



Nicknames: AngieMang, AnglePie
Ambition: To be successful in whatever I choose to do.
Secret Ambition: If I told you, it wouldn't be a secret! Thank you for all the wonderful memories PV. Love all my Seniors. Goodluck everyone. BMS<3 FG<3



Anthony Carmine Mangione

Nickname: Manglee, Mangione
Ambition: To be an Accountant.
Secret Ambition: To become the best of the best & shock the world.
 Where did 4 years go best 4 years of my life I thank my friends UKWUR & I thank my parents for helping me get through h.s Goodtimes!



Dashawn Manuel

Nickname: Dash
Ambition: To travel to different countries.
Secret Ambition: To meet The Weekend.
 I finally made it thank GOD!



Vincent Edward Marciano

Nickname: Vinnie
Ambition: To never lose Faith.
Secret Ambition: To unfreeze Walt Disney.
 Peace out PV The 4 yrs here have been a BLAST! In 2012 the world is not ending, we r just taking over...
 peace n love :)



Joseph Maroulis

Nicknames: THE MAN, Zeus
Ambition: To be wealthy and take care of my family.
Secret Ambition: To take Hugh Hefner's throne and call it Joeboy Mansion.
 Thank you all Good luck to everyone in the future



Gaetano Marra

Nickname: Guy G
Ambition: To attend college and be successful.
Secret Ambition: To play hide and seek with a ninja.
 thanks mom&dad
 4everything Congrats! We made it Good luck everyone
 Goodtimes gonna miss u all
 VM, LA, DP, NL, NA, JB, AD,
 SS<3



James Marra

Nickname: Jimmy Killafresh
Ambition: To be a Music Producer.
Secret Ambition: To be a Rapper.
 Good XS wit RS,PT,RP,RD,RT, RV,ZP,MM,TD,TB
 These past 4 years have been great couldn't Done it without my friends.



Christopher Martins



Ambition: To be a BMW Engineer.
Secret Ambition: To have swagg like Jolee.
 THE LAST FEW YEARS AT P.V .
 HAVE BEEN GOOD. BUT I
 GOTTA PUT THE SHOES AND BE
 OUT! SHOUT OUT TO MY BOY
 JOE B

Gina L. Matano



Nickname: Gi
Ambition: To live life with no regrets.
Secret Ambition: To own Jackie's Grilleffe.
 good luck class of 2012! Thnx momdadstef&vin<3 love my fam&friends*VD,NG,NA,NL#49
 *WhiteXHEAD'12 varsity cheer<3 SENIORS



Liam McConville



Ambition: To be successful in whatever I do.
Secret Ambition: To be a chef.
 Thank You PV for the good times. We are finally graduating! Class of 2012!



Giancarlo Medina



Nicknames: Gian, Johnny
Ambition: Oh peesh posh.
Secret Ambition: To Live, Love, and solo like Hendrix.
 Teachers ask me what I want to do for my Life, I said skateboarding, they asked what I'D Do after, I said, "IDK...Die?"

Ingrid Medrano



"We cannot change the cards we are dealt, just how we play the hand"



Mikayla A. Melendez



Nicknames: Milk, Mikki, Puerloasian
Ambition: To pursue marketing in sports management.
Secret Ambition: To play for the New York Yankees!
 Love my friends and fam for making these the best 4 years. Gonna miss my softball girls so much. Class of 2012!
 <3



Ashley Catherine Melnick

Nicknames: Ash, A-Mels
Ambition: To be successful and have no regrets.
Secret Ambition: To be an E! news reporter.
4 years went by so fast! So many great memories! Love my girls-37. Thank you mom, dad, & Taylor 4 everything! I love you!



Briana Ann Melograno

Nicknames: Brana, Brianna
Ambition: To inspire others where ever I go in life.
Secret Ambition: To find my prince charming and live in a fairytale.
AWW WE MADE IT! 4great years of crazy&unforgettable memories. BESTOFLUCK everyone! Its been real. PVHSVC.WhiteX. <3US7



Jessica Rose Melograno

Nicknames: Jess, Jmels
Ambition: To be a wedding planner.
Secret Ambition: To be a princess & live happily ever after.
Gonna miss PV! So many great & crazy memories. Good luck Class of 2012! Love you's! family, WhiteX & of course US7<3



Nixsy Mezquita

Nickname: Nix
Ambition: To be in the Fashion Business.
Secret Ambition: To be in America's Next Top Model.
Good Luck Class of 2012! A lot of Great memories. To my friends and family I love you so much! P.R & Z.S XOXO



Arianna Micali

Nickname: Ari,
GingerMonkeyBanana
Ambition: To make the people in my life proud!
Secret Ambition: To own a zoo.
GOODBYE PV THESE HALLS Brought ME IAUGHS AnD MEMORIES that I'LL ALWAYS Cherish! 22SFNDIMCISS



Reem Mikhail



Danielle M. Milza



Ambition: To be a preschool teacher.
Secret Ambition: To fly a plane.
 Thanks to my friends and family for their support I'll never forget my PV years Class of 2012;) Good Luck!



Pauline Jibid Minasian



Nickname: Pretty-P
Ambition: To become a dentist.
Secret Ambition: To be a ninja turtle and conquer the world.
 "The truth is you don't know what's gonna happen tomorrow. Life's a crazy ride, and nothing's guaranteed."
 SEN12ORS!

Justin Minnella



Nickname: The Beard
Ambition: To get an historical-fiction novel published.
Secret Ambition: To travel the world.
 I will always remember the song Viva la Vida from the rock concert from my freshman year.

Matthew R. Mitchell



Nicknames: Chewie, Matty Mitch
Ambition: To be a United States Marine.
Secret Ambition: To start my own club baseball organization.
 Shout to all my friends. Good luck in whatever you do. Great memories at PV. Can't wait to see what will happen next!



Ryan Michael Molin



Nickname: Molinater
Ambition: To enjoy a successful career, after 4 great years in college.
Secret Ambition: To own the Yankees.
 It has been a great 4 years. Thank you To my family and friends for all their support It is time for college see ya



Rebecca Monk



Nicknames: Becca, Monkie
Ambition: To be on Broadway.
Secret Ambition: To play Betty in Sunset Boulevard
 I'll miss you PVMB, PV theatre and Green Posters! Love You All!!!!



Nicholas Monzillo

Ambition: To become a successful computer engineer.
Secret Ambition: To be a mythbuster.



Alisha J. Moran

Nickname: Lish
Ambition: To be a Radiologist.
Secret Ambition: To marry Gerard Butler.
 TP, AQ, KC, AD, DM. Thanks to my mom for always being there for me <3 Live as if you were to die tomorrow!! PV you know!



Jamie Mulroony

Nicknames: Jame, J-Mulz
Ambition: To be successful, raise a family, and live a healthy life.
Secret Ambition: To own a giraffe farm.
 Happiness is not a state to arrive at, but a manner of traveling



Linah Munem

Nicknames: Leen, Line
Ambition: To become the next J.K Rowling.
Secret Ambition: To use my powers for good.
 Life is short, eat pie.



Matthew Munson



Samantha G. Muscia

Nicknames: Sam, Sammygrace
Ambition: To be successful at something I love.
Secret Ambition: To replace Kristen Stewart in Twilight.
 WOW THAT WAS FAST. THANKS TO EVERYONE WHO HELPED ME I LOVE MY GIRLS AND CREW. LY JH AND VC. IT'S BEEN GUCCI 4EVER 12



Zana Najjar



Ambition: To help as many people as I possibly can.
Secret Ambition: To have Lindsay Lohan steal something from me.
 I'm happy with the past 4 years but I'm even happier that it's over. KC DF SM<3



Victoria L. Nielson



Secret Ambition: To start a cross-country line dance.
 Class of 2012 we made it! good luck, thanks to my family for always being there & friends I'll never forget GOD BLESS!



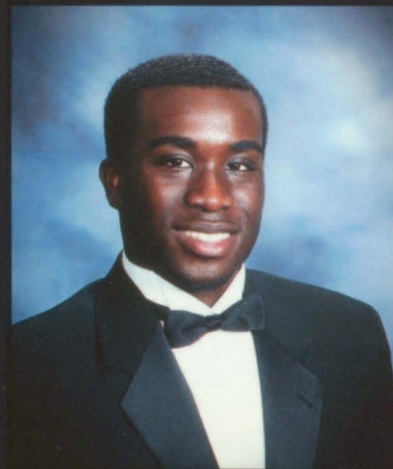
Robert Novak



Nickname: Bobby
Ambition: To get certified as a Public Accountant.
Secret Ambition: To work my way into the NFL.
 PV has been a blast. Four years went fast and it's time to take the next step. Thanks to all my friends AS AA LA KM<3.



Olumide Onajide



Nicknames: "O", Odogg
Ambition: To be successful in life and play professional basketball.
Secret Ambition: To change the world.
 I would like to thank all my teachers for helping me succeed in school. God bless to my bball coach and kids. 2410 OM



Gregory Osbun



Kerem Ozgerek



GOOD LUCK CLASS OF 2012.
 NEVER LET YESTERDAYS
 DISAPPOINTMENTS OVER
 SHADOW TOMORROWS
 DREAMS.

Kristina Padilla

Nicknames: Loca, Tina
 Ambition: To become a journalist.
 Secret Ambition: To adopt a giraffe.
 One day you'll say, Hey! I went to high school with that girl!! Congrats Class of 2012!! We did it =D



Kesha Patel

Nicknames: Keesh, Ke\$ha
 Ambition: To be successful in whatever I do.
 Secret Ambition: To become a professional Tennis player.
 "Don't aim for success because you want it, just do what you love and believe in, and it will come naturally!"
 Thanks to my family and friends for the past 4 years.
 Good Luck Class of 2012 =)



Parth Patel

Ambition: To be successful.
 Secret Ambition: To take over the Dunkin Donuts industry.
 I want to thank my family and friends for giving me the best 4 years of my life. I'll miss you Class of 2012!



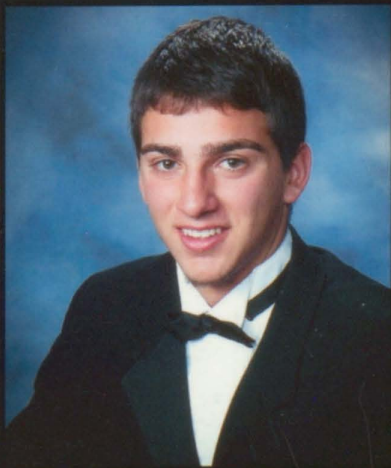
Erica Paulino

Ambition: To become a 1st grade teacher.
 Secret Ambition: To marry Joe Jonas.
 "Saying goodbye isn't the hard part it's what we leave behind that's tough"
 BFF.K.L.R*A*P*E; Y*F-est.2008My Girls loveya<3



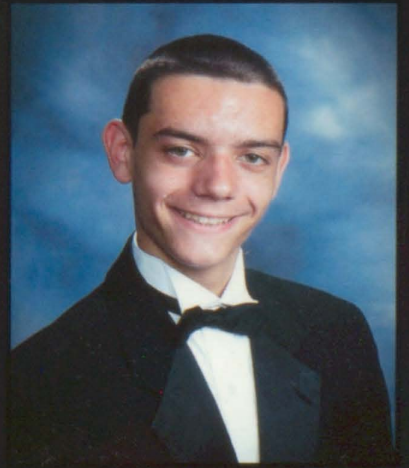
Ryan Pavelchak

Nicknames: Sticks, Palvy
 Secret Ambition: To take Mr. Johnson's Diet Pepsi.



Anthony Peluso

Ambition: To play soccer in college.
 Good luck to everyone in college.Crazy 4years.Good Luck PV Soccer.



Ryan Penna



Ambition: To do my best in college and life.
 "And in the end, it's not the years in your life that count. It's the life in your years."



Orlando Perez



Nickname: Big O
Ambition: To provide the best life possible for my family.
Secret Ambition: To be the most famous bouncer ever.
 No worlds can describe these four years besides. Irreplaceable, PVFB I love you guys and thanks for all the memories.



Carly Marie Petronaci



Nicknames: Car, Lyle
Ambition: To be successful in life.
Secret Ambition: To move to England with Marta and Lizzie, to meet a British guy and develop an accent.
 Many amazing memories at PV, love all of my friends and family, CML<3, PVFH<3 Good Luck Class of 2012!



Giuliano Petronelli



Nickname: Giulz
Ambition: To be a nurse practitioner.
Secret Ambition: To redefine the definition of "Guido"! Congratulations Class of 2012: Four years later-many friends, great times, awesome memories. Go Hornets!!



Nicholas Pezzano



Dean Pezzino



Ambition: To make millions.
Secret Ambition: To marry Kim Kardashian.
 Special thanks to all my family and friends for making these past 4 years great and filled with unforgettable times.



Alyssa Piedra

Ambition: To be the best I could possibly be.
Secret Ambition: To meet all my favorite celebrities.
 AHH! It's over! I could not have survived without my crazy friends. I'm going to miss HS. I'll miss you Class of 2012!



Yulissa Pilier

Ambition: To be successful in life, be in the Criminal Justice field, and be the best mom.
Secret Ambition: To be in the reality show "The Bad Girls Club."
 A pay without laughter is a day wasted; Great! I be like! (Insider) My girls: BBYMOMX; Erica; Flor; Cilla; Rummi; I love ya:*



Allyson Pinon

Nickname: Ally
Ambition: To be successful photography career.
Secret Ambition: To not live in any one place for more than 2 years.



Brian Potoczak

Nickname: Poto
Ambition: To be the boss.
 DP, JB, KC, NA, DP, NL, JK, VM, WG, AC, NP, MRI Past 4 years been so crazy I look forward 2 many more Mom, Dad, Mike Love you all



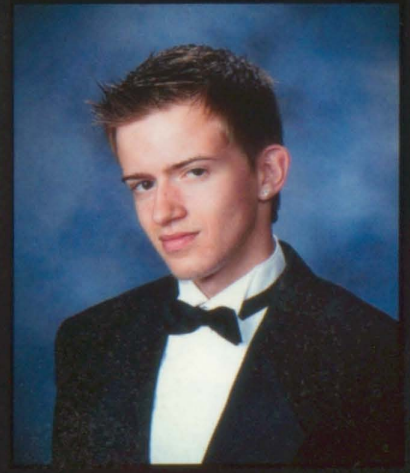
Raven Deve Powell

Nicknames: Ray Ray, Rave
Ambition: To be just like Mr. Donnelly.
Secret Ambition: To be adopted by Oprah.
 Good luck Class of 2012! We made it! Halleluyer!! Love you guys!



Zachary Power

Nicknames: Zacky P, The Powerlizer
Ambition: To be a movie star.
Secret Ambition: To sail the ocean blue in 1492.
 Yo u no was good its ur boi Zacky P. Time 2 B out no wat Im sayin.. Never 4get the friends I lost R.I.P Nick and AJ



Amanda A. Quintero



Ambition: To become a math teacher.
Secret Ambition: To have my own dog grooming shop.
 Even at my weakest moments I know I'm strong because I survived.



Melissa Ashley Radke



Nickname: Radke
Ambition: To become an OB/GYN Physician.
Secret Ambition: To be a Radio City Rockette.
 Live life as if everyday is a miracle. Have no regrets.
 EXPLORE DREAM DISCOVER.
 I'm blessed w/ cherished friends&family



Brian Ramirez



Ambition: To be a law enforcer.
Secret Ambition: To be an Air Force Pilot.
 To Be Honest This School is Great! It was so much fun!
 Also Great Teachers! I will miss you PV! Stay Great! PV!

Jasmine Ramirez



Nickname: Jazzy Fresh
Ambition: To become successful at life.
Secret Ambition: To marry Vanilla ice.
 I had a fun 4yrs! I love my girls (you kno who u r) and of course the "crew" ILY

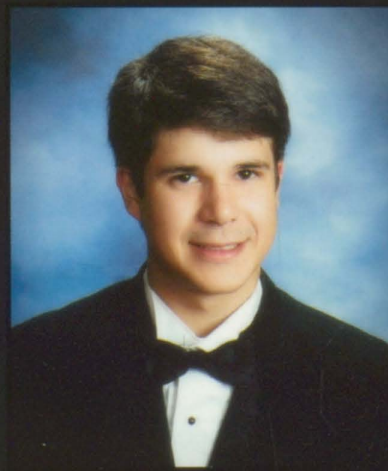
Mandvi Raval



Ambition: To become a successful doctor.
Secret Ambition: To become a wedding planner.
 "Magic is believing in yourself, if you can do that, you can make anything happen." M.R
 K.H. K.P. W.A. T.G. O<3



Matthew Reda



Nickname: Matt
Ambition: To be a Material Engineer with a Ph.D in Physics
Secret Ambition: To have a lab with Chris and Vlad.
 These four years have been great. I wish everyone good luck. Especially my friends Chris Joe and Vlad. Math rocks!!!



David Robinson

Nicknames: Dave, D-RO13
 Ambition: To be a photographer.
 Secret Ambition: To play for the NHL.
 FAST 4YRS. GOOD TIMES VARSITY HOCKEY #4
 LAX, BAND, GOLF, PHOTO. NO REGRETS! JUST DO IT! THANKS TO MY FAMILY!!! PEACE OUT PV



Pricilla Rodriguez

Nickname: Cill
 Ambition: To have a career in criminal justice.
 Secret Ambition: To dance on America's Got Talent.
 What a great 4 yrs! Thanks 2 my besties NM & RI 4 always being there & also FJ, KL, YP, DC. Good LUCK Class of 2012!<3



Cynthia Rogel

Nickname: Cyn
 Secret Ambition: To not be another statistic.
 1 John 4:7-12



Kiara Rojas

Nickname: Kiki
 Ambition: To become a successful business girl.
 Secret Ambition: I want to be a DJ.



Milagros Rojas

Nickname: Millie
 Ambition: To travel around the world.
 Secret Ambition: To be a better cook than my dad.
 "Nothing lasts forever, so live it up as best as you can. M.R.
 Y.N. A.G. M.A. <3 :)



Luigi Nicola Romano

Nickname: Lewis
 Ambition: To be on ESPN.
 Secret Ambition: To play college lacrosse.
 "may the wind always be at your back and the sun upon your face and may destiny carry you to dance with the stars."



Melissa Romeo



Nicknames: Liss, Murr
 Ambition: To succeed in everything I do.
 Secret Ambition: To be a princess and live in the princess castle in disney!
 <3 my family and friends
 YU, AI, BP, love my twinnies!
 Goodluck Class of 2012!



Crismary Rosario



Nickname: Crissy
 Ambition: To be successful.
 Secret Ambition: to travel the world for Animal Rescue.
 Good Luck Class 2012. It was a great 4 years. Thank you all for making it unbelievable. Follow your dreams. JY NW. KS.



Jeffrey Roth



Nicknames: Simple, Reggie
 Ambition: To make it.
 Secret Ambition: To work at Dunder Mifflin.
 FRZ,
 DeckKrew, PVHOCKEY&LAX,
 DGAF&Laugh



Joseph Ruggiero



Nickname: Joey
 Ambition: To be successful.
 Secret Ambition: Build Motorcycles.
 Thanks To My parents, my friends, and to my Teachers, especially to the ones that passed me! Good Luck Class of 2012



Steven Sadek



Ambition: To become a doctor.
 Secret Ambition: Pizzeria owner.
 We did it Class of 2012!



Michelle Alexandria Sadkin



Nicknames: Snowflake, Shelf
 Ambition: To be a psychologist or social worker.
 Secret Ambition: To travel around the world.
 Nobody can go back and start a new beginning but anyone can start today and make a new ending KR DF AS LZ KP Family<3



Basil Saleh

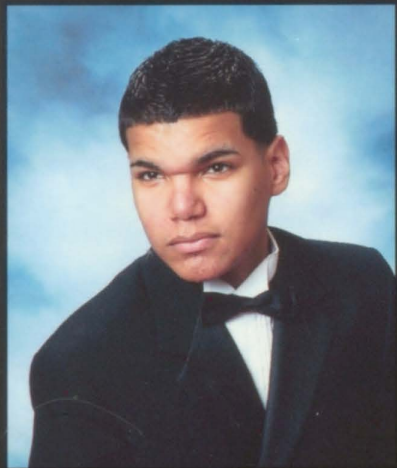
Ambition: To be a rapper.
Secret Ambition: To train an army of hamsters to take over the world.
Good luck 2012!



Austin Salviano



Pedro Sanchez



Nicholas Sangastiano

Nicknames: Ginger, Nickelodeon
Ambition: To go as far in life as I possibly can.
Secret Ambition: To own Eleanor.
It's been real PV thank for the memories.



Ashley Santiago

Ambition: To live my dream and achieve my goals.
Secret Ambition: To work in music singing.
Live life to the fullest and make the best of your high school years, it goes by fast you will regret it if you dont.



Karim C. Sarkis

Nicknames: Bimmy, Curly Q
Ambition: To travel the world and shave my head bald.
Secret Ambition: Marrying Carly Arias.
"Take a small example, take a tip fromme, take all of your money give it up to charity."



Robert Scelzo



Nickname: Rob Scelz
 Ambition: To be successful.
 Secret Ambition: To lighten up and enjoy life.
 BST X's wit JM, RD, SV, ZP, RS, TD, SW, KO, AZ. Thanks to my family, esp my mom ur the best. live life to the fullest. Pce.



Kristen Schirner



Ambition: To be successful in whatever I choose to do.
 Secret Ambition: To travel the world.
 Make every decision count, live your life to the fullest and regret nothing
 PVFH2011 <3
 N.W & C.R



Veronica Schneider



Nickname: Vee
 Ambition: To work with abnormal psychology.
 Secret Ambition: To take over the world.
 "I think I've changed a lot as a person"



Jasmine A. Sconciafurno



Nickname: Jas
 Ambition: To be successful and live life to the fullest.
 Secret Ambition: To reach five foot.
 Thanks for 4 years of amazing friends, family & unforgettable memories. I'll miss my friends so much <3 PVGS & PVSBI



Brian P. Sedeyn



Nickname: Donuts
 Ambition: To become a General Manager of a Sports Team.
 Secret Ambition: To travel to Australia.
 "Anything is possible!" - Kevin Garnett. Shout out to Class of 2012! "Like a choo-choo train." - Rack em' Willie



Adam Garret Seminerio

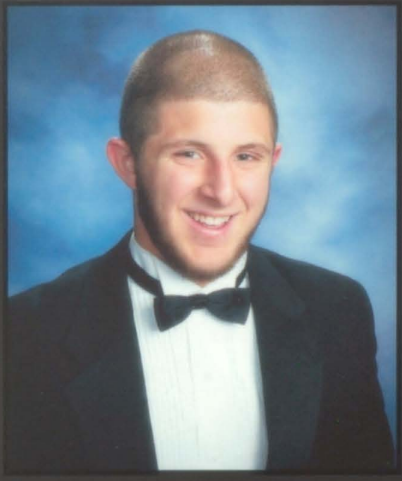


Nickname: Sem
 Ambition: To be successful at whatever life throws my way.
 Secret Ambition: To live in a log cabin in the woods.
 Friends are relatives you pick yourself. Thanks for all the memories guys, you know who you are.



Ryan Cole Sessa

Nicknames: Eggs Ben, Mike Hawk
Ambition: To put da team on my back doe.
Secret Ambition: To battle the Kraken.
 Love all my boys. To many memories to list, memories i will never forget. Wolfpack<3 imgoingtokeepwritingjusttofill lthhisup



Sarah Sheikh

Ambition: To fulfill my dream of becoming a successful doctor.
Secret Ambition: To write a bestseller.
 I had the time of my life with the people I love & will always remember! Thanks for the memories! AW-ST-AM-KP-IM-RP-MR



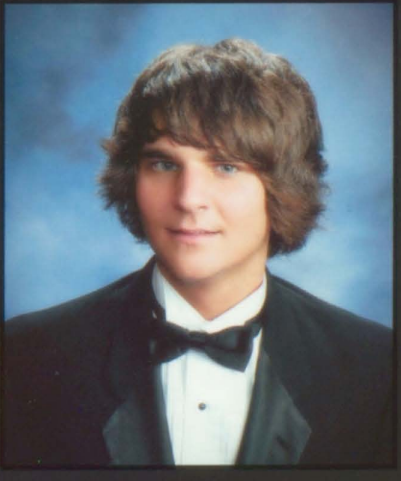
Matthew David Shindle

Nicknames: Thumper, M.Night Shindelan
Ambition: To be the finest drummer& game designer in all the land.
Secret Ambition: To work at Chang Sing& be as cool as Joe Ruggiero.
 I'll miss the PV band and everyone in it. Stay classy, Deluccia. Love of Power Power of Love-Jimi Hendrix



Keith Skyta

Nickname: Keitter
Ambition: To become an environmental scientist.
Secret Ambition: To be a pro snowboarder.
 "We will never know our full Potential until we push ourselves to find it." Travis Rice.



Christopher Slinger

Nicknames: Sling,Ding
Ambition: To become a personal trainer.
Secret Ambition: Skydive in a Gumby costume.
 Its been a fun 4years thank you mom & dad D.Y.N.F.M.B M.M.E.C.A.A.L.C.A.D.K.R.E.T A.M.B.M.G.W for the times of mylife Class 2012!!



Justin M. Smith

Nickname: Smith
Ambition: To be an engineer/mechanic and open up a garage or be a firefighter
Secret Ambition: To be as big as Arnold Schwarzenegger in his body building days
 Shout out to my boys NP,MB,GW and my gf Tiffany Oneill <3



Nicole Smith



Thomas Smith



Nicknames: Tobias, Tomas
Ambition: To be successful, and to own an SLS.
Secret Ambition: To be on Epic meal time.
I don't always do this, but when I do, I can't think of anything.



Jose Sol



Breanna Marie Soranno



Nickname: Bre
Ambition: To have my own art studio.
Secret Ambition: To live on an island.
Class of 2012 these four years have been interesting to say the least. Good luck guys. Hope to see you soon :)



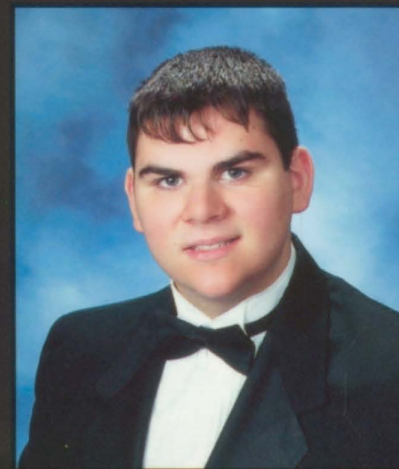
Michael J. Stanek



Nickname: Nox
Ambition: To be successful and to become a pediatric surgeon.
Secret Ambition: To help all the kids with IBD.
Thank you family and friends for sticking by me when I needed you the most. Thanks mom



James R. Steed



Ambition: To be a teacher.
Secret Ambition: To learn to cook and be the Next Iron chef.
Wow, We did it! We're more than just classmates, we're a family.
PVTheater Stage crew; Producers '10
Shoutout to shoprite :)
Thanks for the memories.
AS SR KD JB MA JW EA RP NW



Nemanja Subara



Vladimir Michael Svetlitschnyj

Nicknames: Vlad, Pepe
Ambition: To destroy all evil.
Secret Ambition: To be a lab guinea pig of Matt Reda and close relative to lab rat Chris. I thank Jesus Christ and God for all of my friends and great times in PV. Love and thanks to my family!



Rachel Tafaro



Peter Jantillo

Nicknames: Pete, Petey
Ambition: To live successful and prosperous life, to give back to my parents.
Secret Ambition: To work at Sea World.
Confidence comes not from always being right but from not fearing to be wrong. Thank you Mom and Dad for everything.



Eric Tappan

Ambition: To live a successful life.
Secret Ambition: To have the fastest evo ever made. I can't believe we are seniors finally, high school seems so fast! I am going to miss everyone.



Leanne Tattoli

Ambition: Living life for me and ONLY me. It has been a great four years at PV. Thanks Mom and Dad for everything. Good luck to the class of 2012. We made it!



Megan Jean Tencza



Nicknames: Meggy, Tons of Fun
Ambition: To travel the world by foot.
Secret Ambition: To be America's Most Wanted.
 Thanks 2 my family&friends for all the love&support! Mom, Dad&Sara I loveyou<3
 Congrats class of 2012: It's been real PV :* MHA



Ashley Michelle Thomas



Nickname: Ashelly
Ambition: To become a Pediatric Nurse.
Secret Ambition: To get married in Cinderella's Castle in Disney.
 "Shoot 4 the moon. Even if you miss, you'll land among the stars." Ty mom,dad&steph<3 Congrats Class of 2012! We did it!<3



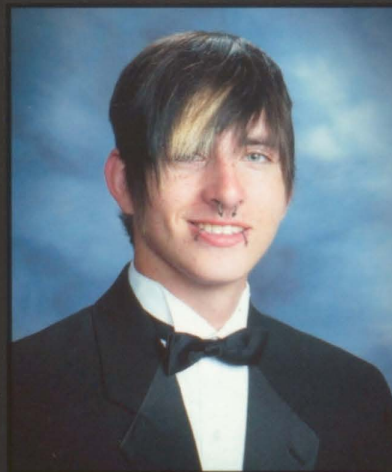
Samantha Tice



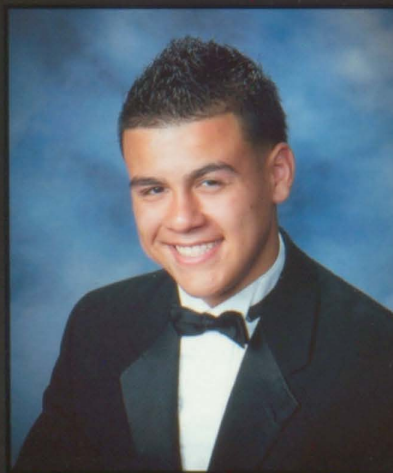
Nicknames: Sam, Sambom
Ambition: To be successful in life, and to follow my dreams.
Secret Ambition: To go to Africa and help those in need.
 "Life is a journey and time is limited." I would be nothing without my friends and family. Good luck guys we did it!!



Travis Todd



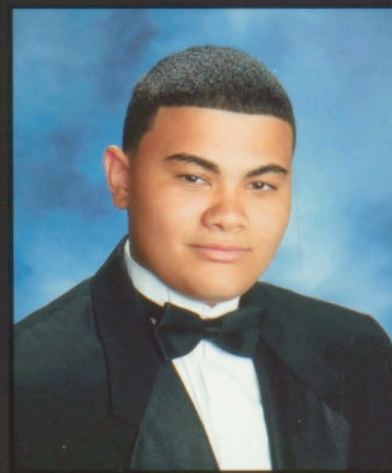
Sergio S. Toro



Nicknames: Serg, DJ Skillz
Ambition: To be an International Business man.
Secret Ambition: To DJ worldwide.
 I have always wanted to influence people all over the world with my music and DJ Skills



Erick N. Torres



Ambition: To own my own business.
Secret Ambition: To get my STI.
 Thanks PV for all of the memories. Good luck to all my friends and family



Richard Trias

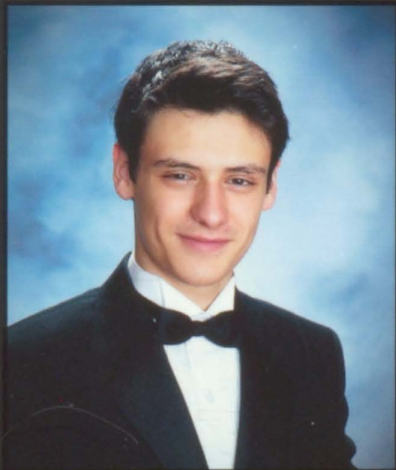


Danielle Triolo

Ambition: To live life without regrets.
Secret Ambition: To be rich and live in a huge house. 4 years cheering, 3 years Green X, Great 4 years at PV. Good Luck Class of 2012



Alexander Tubman



Yolanda Urena



John Varona

Nickname: Meatball
Ambition: To be a police officer.
Secret Ambition: To make Kim Kardashian my suggamomma.
All of these years have gone so fast. Can't believe it's all over. Good Luck PVI Class of 2012!



Sergio Vassallo

Nickname: Serg
Ambition: To be successful.
Secret Ambition: To become a great soccer coach. I will never forget my time with the soccer team from til now I will never forget my team. Good luck class of 2012!



Brandon Velez



Natalie Walasidis



Sanad Washah



Nickname: Sinbad, Swashah
Ambition: To be an engineer.
Secret Ambition: To be on a cover of a magazine.
Don't take life for granted...
good luck senio 12s!



Peng Wei



Nicole Wellema



Nickname: Nikki Wellms
Secret Ambition: To travel the country in a VW bus with a pet owl.
Congrats Class of 2012. We did it. Thanks to everyone who made it possible! KS CR JY PVGL<3



April Lea Westergaard



Nicknames: Apes, Diabeetus
Ambition: To become a successful photographer or photojournalist.
Secret Ambition: To join a roller derby team.
"Growing up won't bring us down." Thanks for the memories PVI Thanks to all of my family & friends.
swinglifeaway <3 Mow

Glen Wilke

Ambition: To go fishing in Alaska.
Secret Ambition: To premiere on deadliest catch and Axmen on the History Channel.



Jamie M. Wiltshire

Nickname: Red
Ambition: To be successful in liife.
Secret Ambition: To be a model.
 These past 4 years @ PV have gone by so fast. I'll never forget all the good times & memories. Good Luck Class of 2012!



Scott D. Wisse Jr.

Nickname: Scotty
Ambition: To be an electrical contractor.
Secret Ambition: To see the Miami Dolphins win the Super Bowl.
 Great times in Lax ski club roadie & Tech. Thx to my friends 4 being there. Thanks 2 my family 4 their love & support.



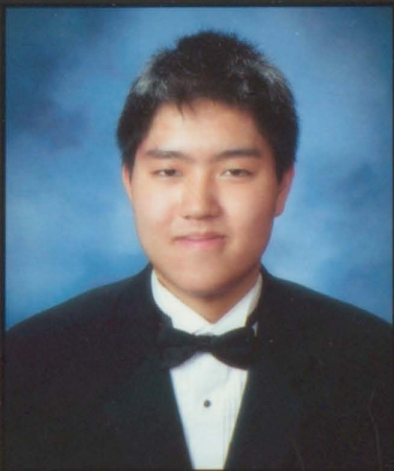
Morgan Wright

Thank u for all ur support, ILY U mom & dad PVFH! KG, ur the p 2 my j. AH CA luv all u I'll miss u PV, JK bye.



Bradford Wu

Nickname: Wub
Ambition: To be a successful pharmacist or some type of engineer.
Secret Ambition: How is it secret if you're exposing it to 1,400 people?
 There is plenty to do, yet there is minimal time. Each day we attempt to do our finestand cherish what we make.



Jamie Yarrish

Nicknames: Gringa, Hammy
Ambition: To be very successful and rich \$.
Secret Ambition: To be a baller's wife.
 Thanks to my friends & family. Couldn't do it without you! CR,GC,JB,NW <3 GC is my sis 4 life!!! Love you guys :)



Adam Youssef



Nickname: Youi
Ambition: To be a Psychologist/ Sociologist.
Secret Ambition: To eat pork one day.
 It was fun while it lasted guys. Have a great life and great senior year!

Danielle Yuppa



Nicknames: Dan, D.Yupps
Ambition: To work with children and host my own talk show.
Secret Ambition: To be on the cover of a magazine.
Amazing Times With Best Friends: Lee, Alex & Alessia <3
 CS MK BS :) Varsity Cheering & White Cheer <3 Love You Mommy, Daddy, & Jess <3
 Goodluck Class Of 2012 !



Mousa Zeidan



Ambition: To be successful.
Secret Ambition: To own my own private spaceship.
 Do what you can, with what you have, where you are.
 -Theodore Roosevelt

Take Care.

Flor Angel Jackson



Nicknames: Prego, "Leggo-my-prego"
Ambition: To be a pediatrician.
Secret Ambition: To prove all the negative people in my life wrong.
 Life isn't about waiting for the storms to pass. It's about learning how to dance in the rain <3



Yasmine Naser

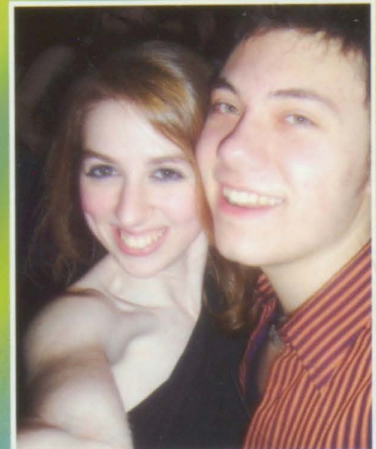
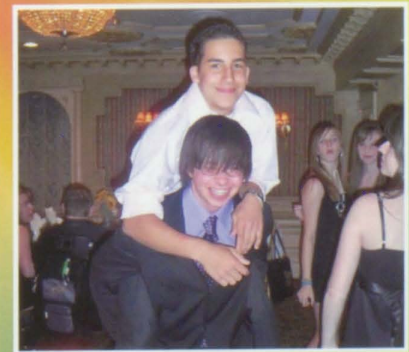
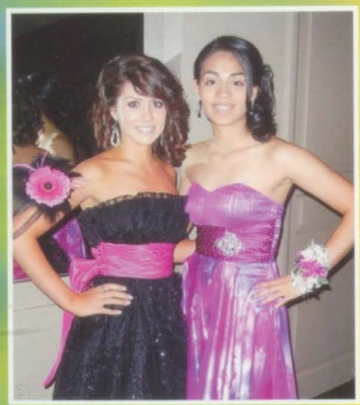
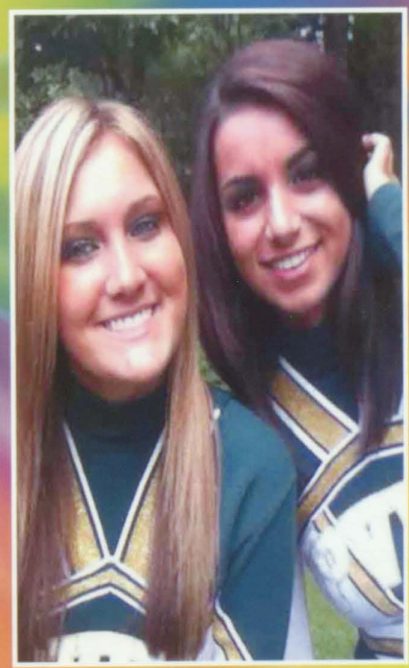
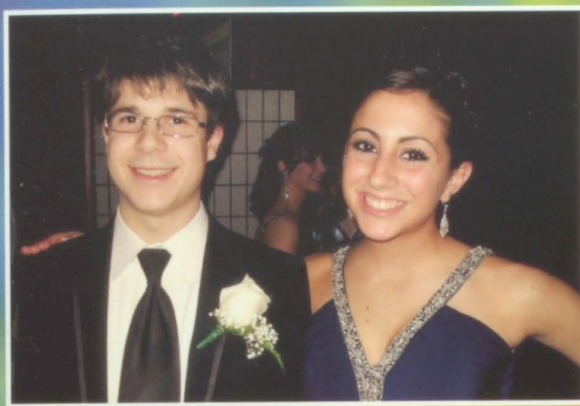
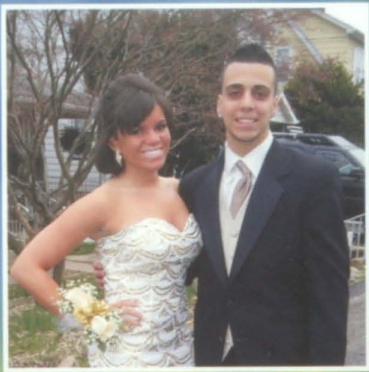


Nicknames: Yaz, Yazzy
Ambition: To find something I love and spend the rest of my life succeeding at it.
Secret Ambition: To be a contestant on Cupcake Wars.
 Make the best of this test & don't ask why it's not a question but a lesson learned in time. Thankful for my loving family <3



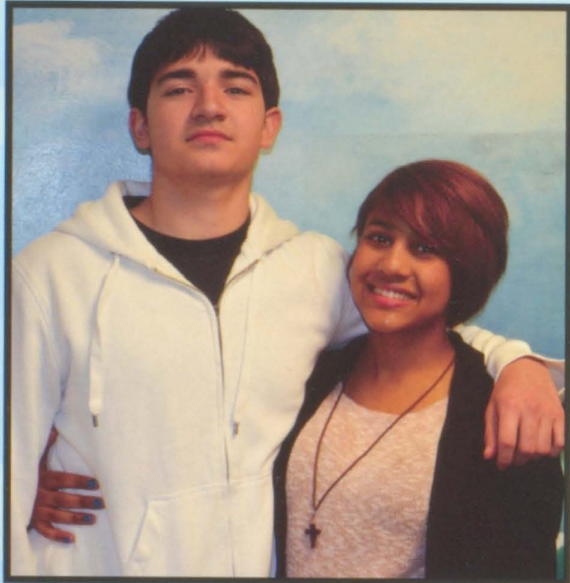
Also Graduating

Erkek Batuhan
 Deanna Carlo
 Travis DeJesus
 Jennifer Fergesen
 Rachel Frey
 Michael Habib
 Domenic Haley
 Terrance Jefferson
 Angela Kaminski
 Hiba Oudah
 Amanda Pezzuti
 Dominic Pierri
 Viktor Trzuskot
 Ryan Vandam

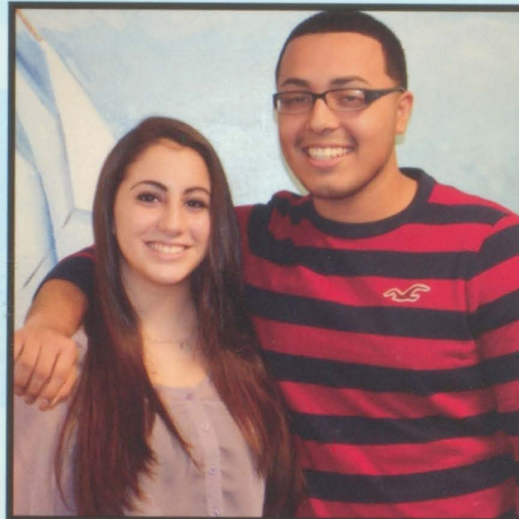


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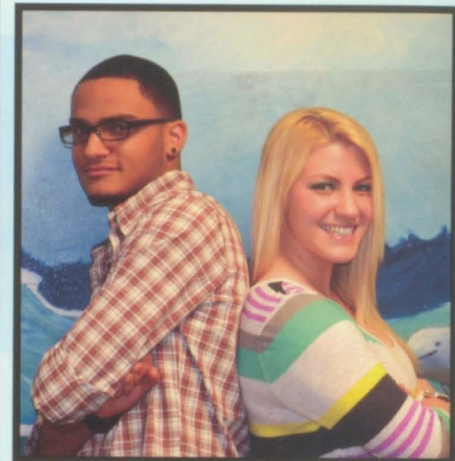
Most Infectious Laugh



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Jasmine Ramirez &
Carlos Lopez

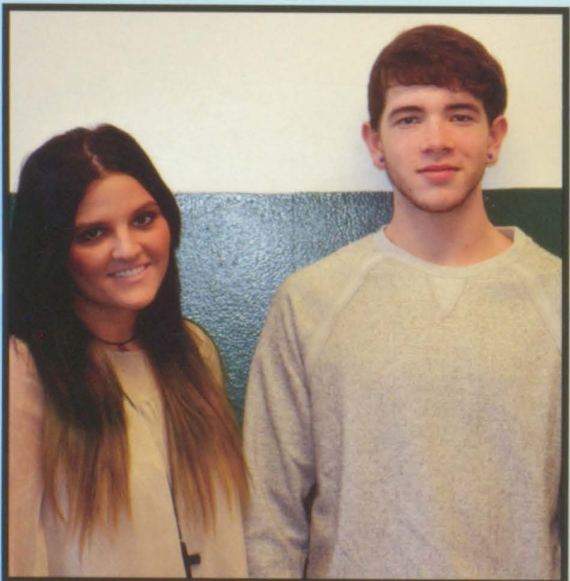


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Kayla Rillo &
JP Contreras

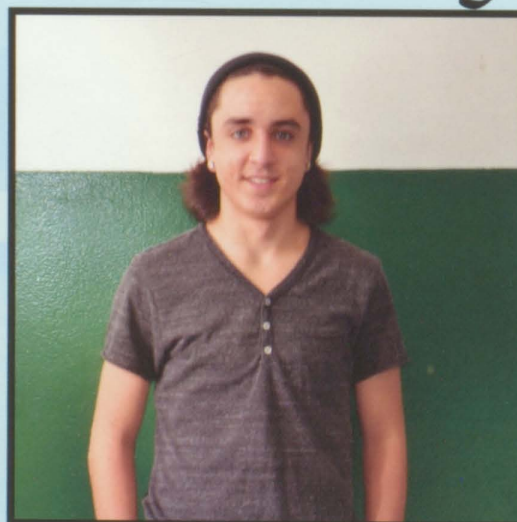


Third:
Danielle Yuppa &
Dashawn Manuel

Most Changed



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Sofia Bozinova &
Alex Diaz



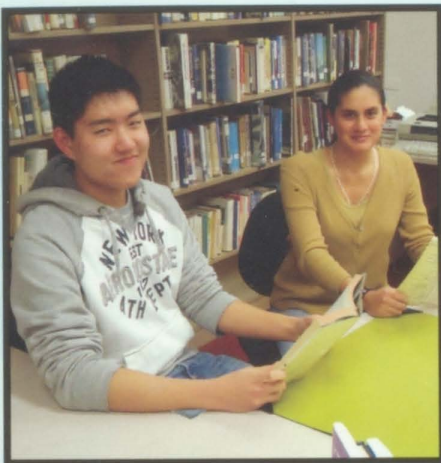
Second:
Morgan Wright &
Joey Brillante



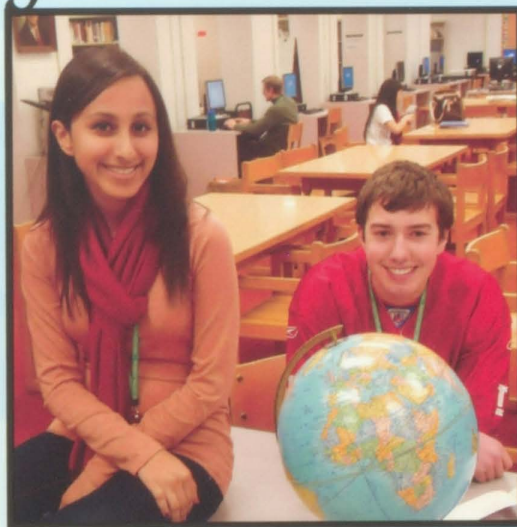
Third:
Nicole Smith &
Eric Tappan

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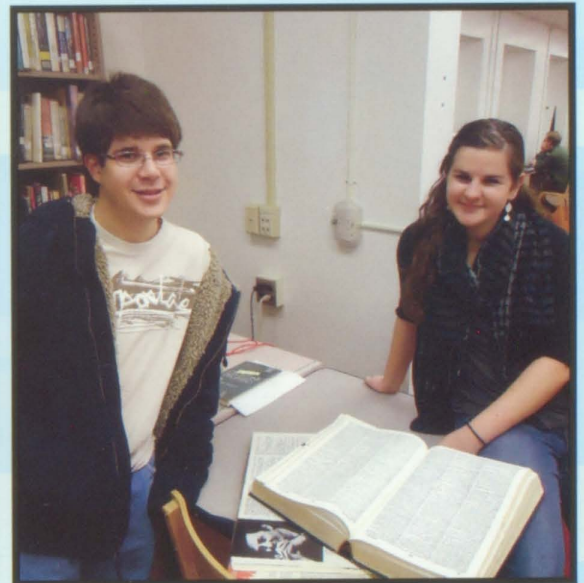
Most Likely to Succeed



Third:
Rosa Llanos &
Bradford Wu



Second:
Tasnim Ghani &
Vlad Swetlitschnjy

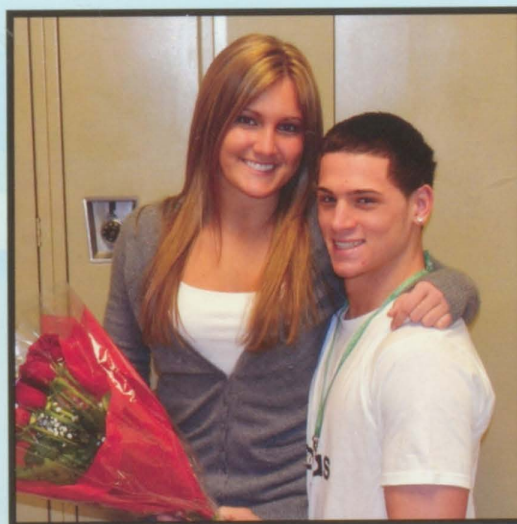


First:
Casey Gilfoil &
Matthew Reda

Class Flirt



Third:
Rebecca Monk &
Rob Novak



Second:
Valerie D'Ambrosio &
Nick Andriani



First:
Carly Arias &
Marino Fernandez

CLASS POLLS

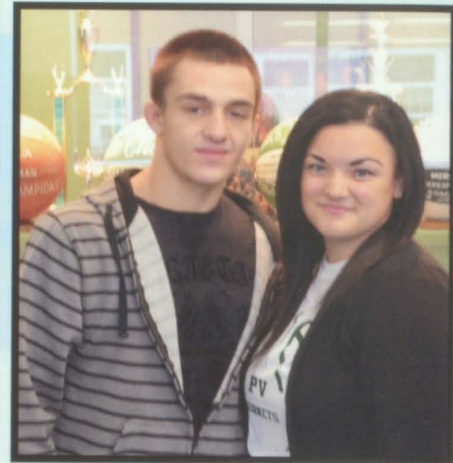
Most Athletic



First:
Kristina Bronkowski &
Olumide Onajide



Second:
Jasmine Sconciafurno
& Evan Cousins



Third:
Liz DeVenio &
Nick Pezzano

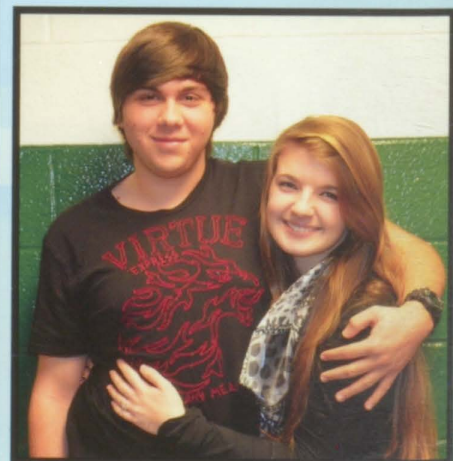
High School Sweethearts



First:
Andrea Doumar &
Josh Cooper



Second:
Nixsy Mezquita &
Zach Sol



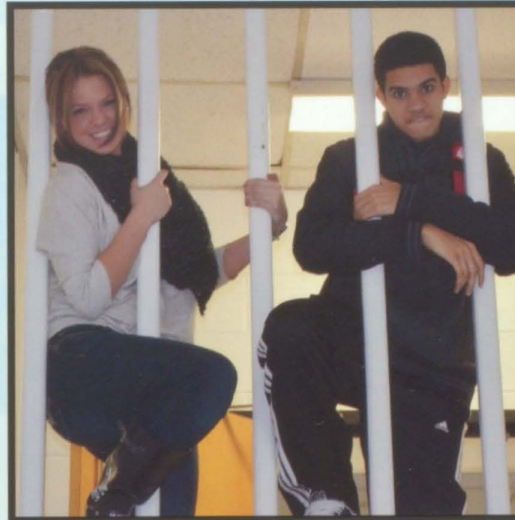
Third:
Erica Liguori &
Joe Lorusso

CLASS POLLS

Class Clown



Third:
Jasmine Ramirez &
Brian Potoczak

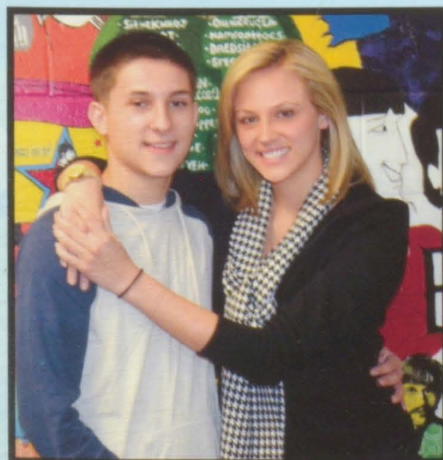


Second:
Carly Arias &
Humberto Cruz

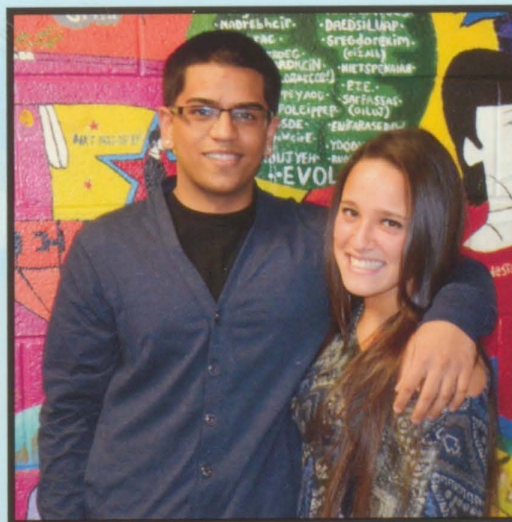


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Paraskevi Georgalos &
Zack Power

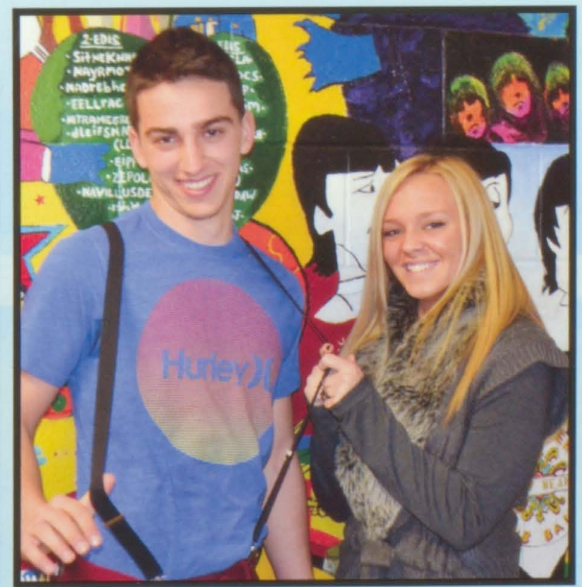
Class Cutie



Third:
Lauren Baldyga &
Marc Bonilla



Second:
Jasmine Sconciafurno &
Parth Patel



First:
Alyssa DeNora &
Ryan Pavelchak

CLASS POLLS

Teachers' Worst

Nightmare

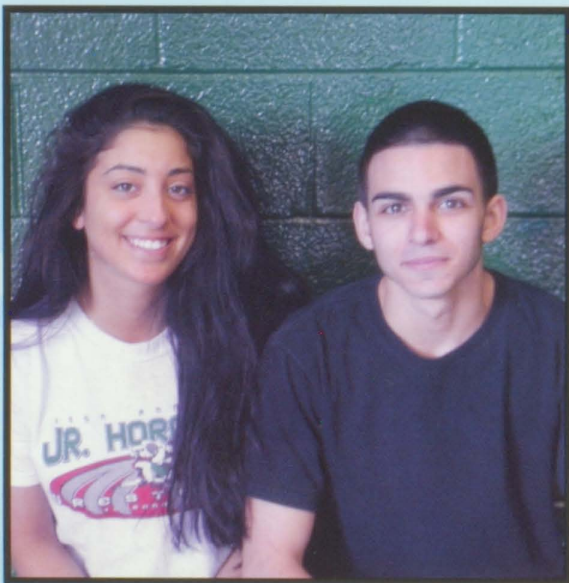


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Nicole Johnson &
Nick Sangastiano

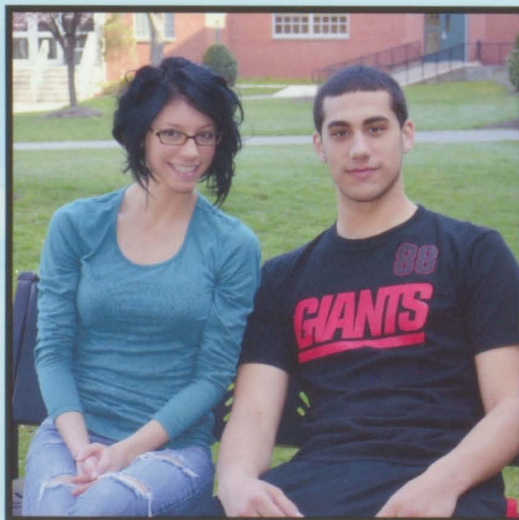
Second:
Ashley Melnick &
Zack Power

Third:
Rachel Tafaro &
Lazar Kalezic

Worst Case of Senioritis



First:
Jess Russo &
Matt Ciolino



Second:
Angeline Manganiello &
Nick Liberatore



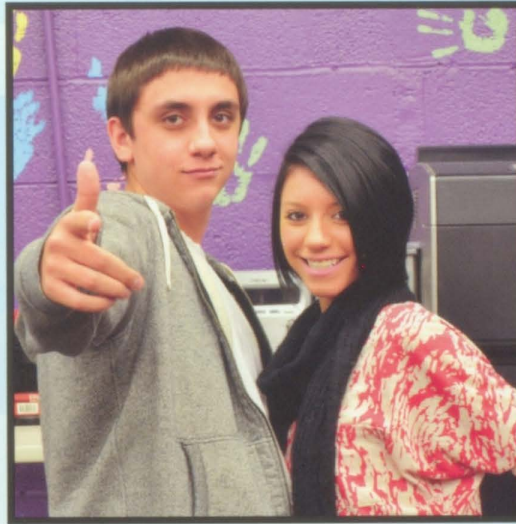
Third:
Morgan Wright &
JP Contreras

CLASS POLLS

Life of the Party



Third:
Jasmine Ramirez &
Nick Liberatore



Second:
Angeline Manganiello &
Brian Potoczak



First:
Briana Smith &
Dashawn Manuel

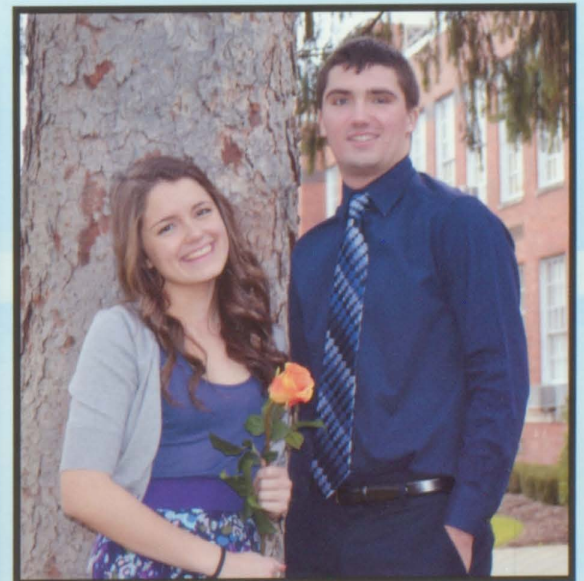
Bring Home to Mom and Dad



Third:
Lizzie Johnson &
Giuliano Petronelli



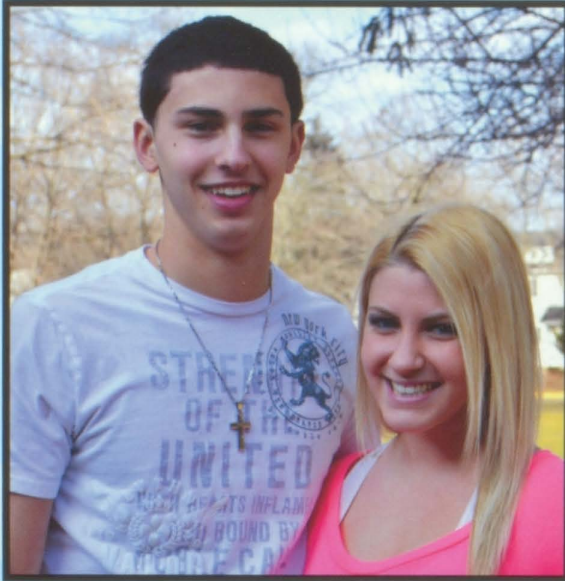
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Ang Agapito &
Parth Patel



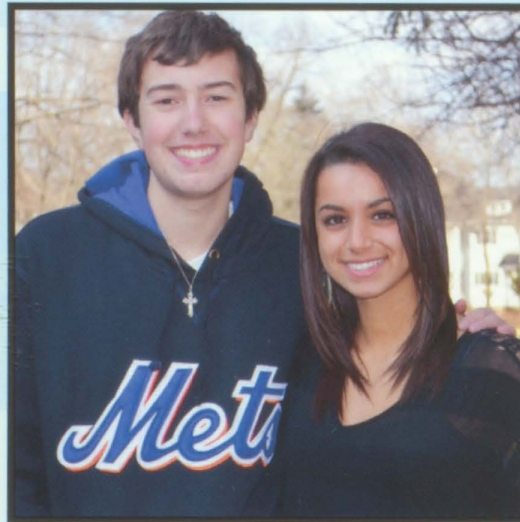
First:
Jamie Mulroony &
Mike Kobylarz

CLASS POLLS

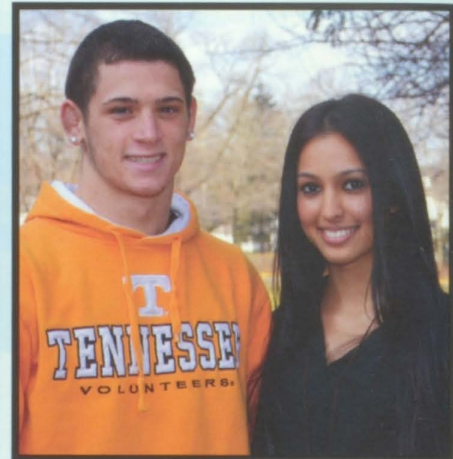
Million Dollar Smile



First:
Danielle Yuppa &
Dean Pezzino



Second:
Gina Matano &
Vlad Swetlitschnyj

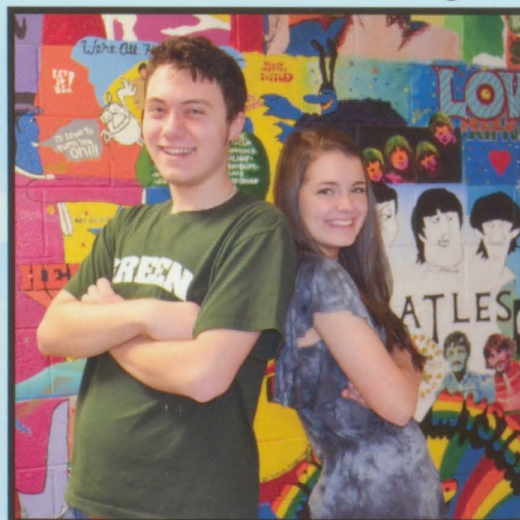


Third:
Kinjal Patel &
Nick Andriani

Personality Plus



First:
Leandra Cilindrello &
Frank DeLuca



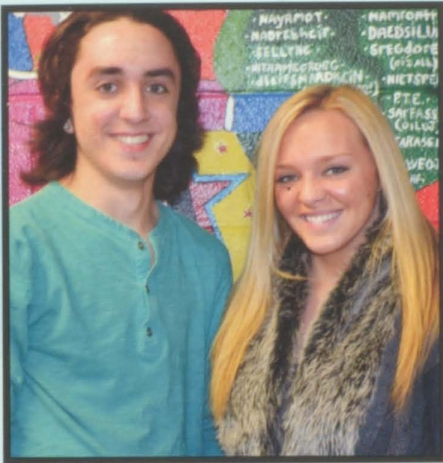
Second:
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Giuliano Petronelli



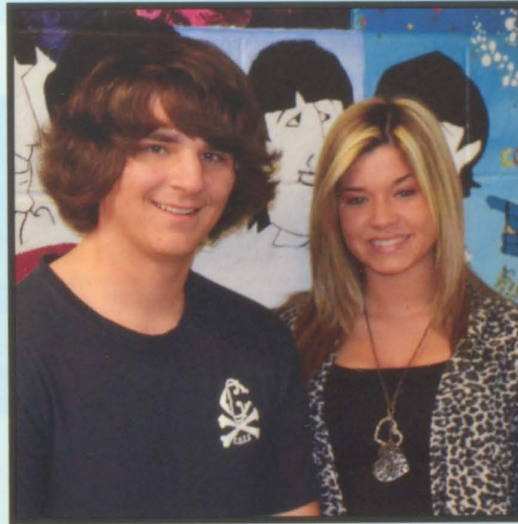
Third:
Sara Kosch &
James Steed

CLASS POLLS

Nicest Eyes



Third:
Alyssa DeNora &
Joey Brillante

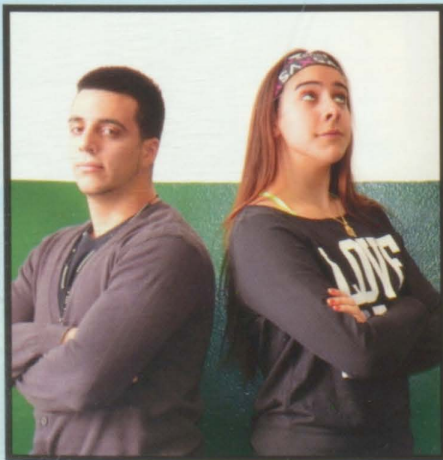


Second:
Melissa Romeo &
Keith Skyta



First:
Marta Saputo &
Evan Cousins

Most Likely to be on a Reality Show



Third:
DeAnna D'Amico &
Luis Abuabara



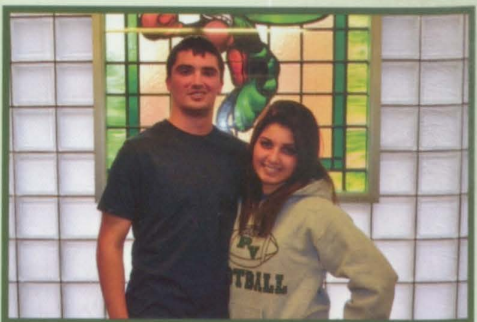
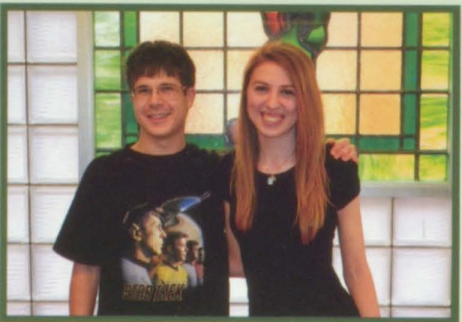
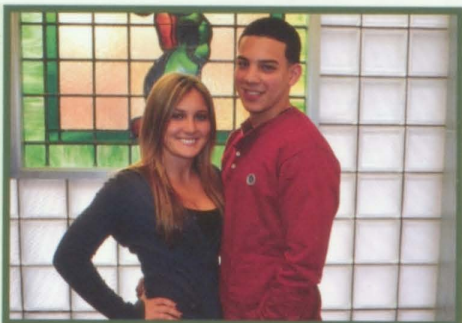
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Ryan Sessa

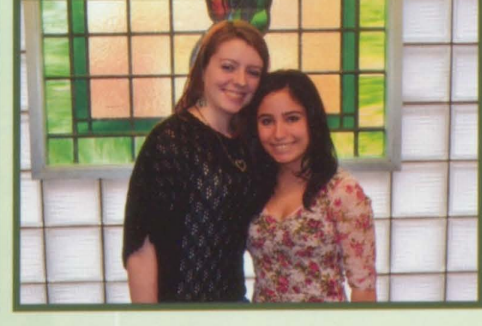
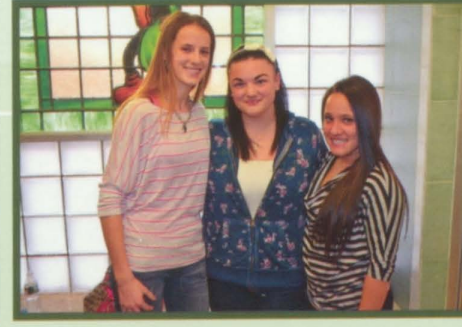
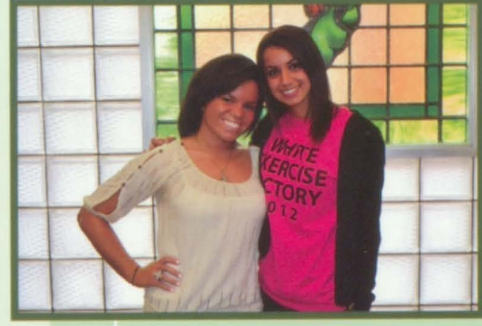
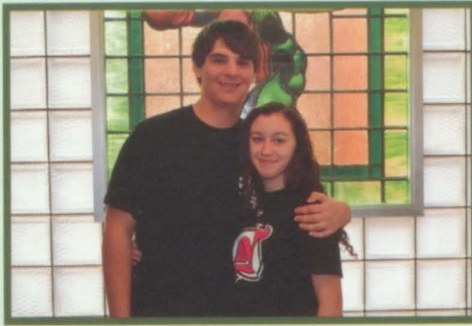
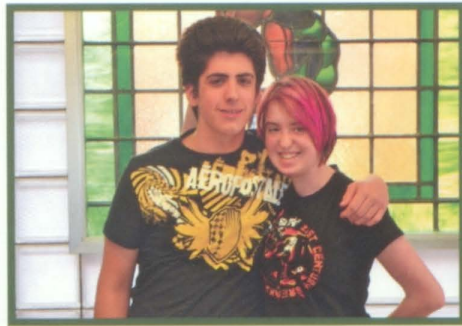
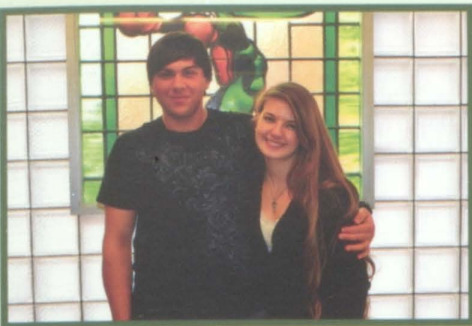


First:
Janice Hernandez &
John Cardona

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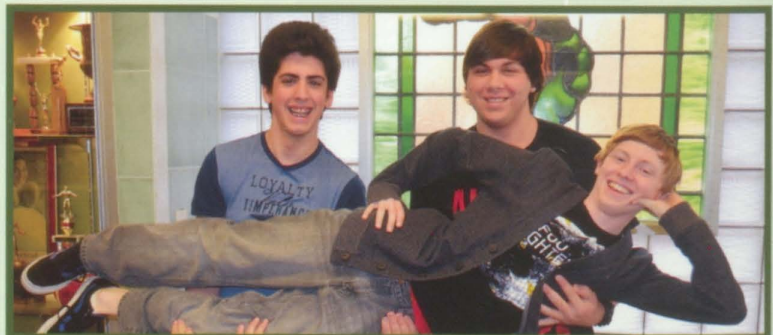
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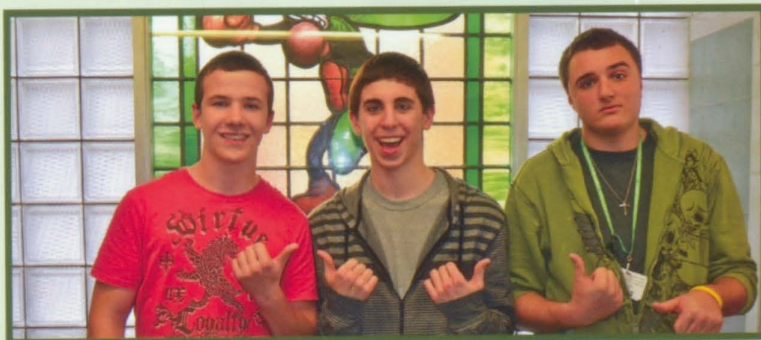
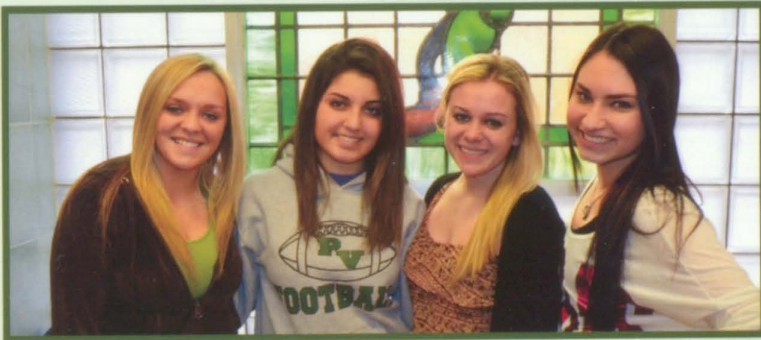


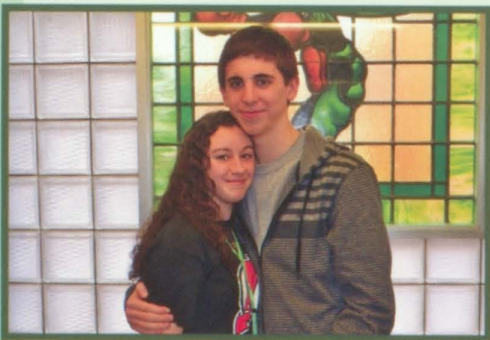
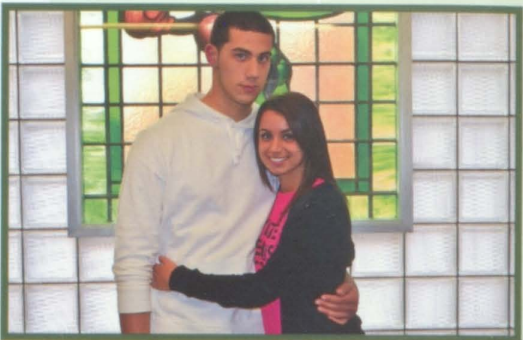
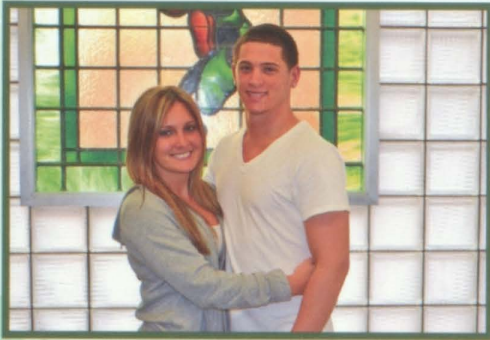
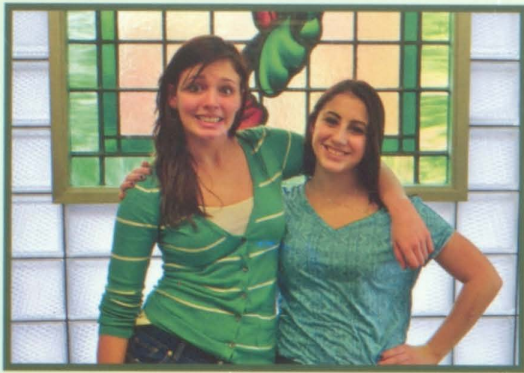


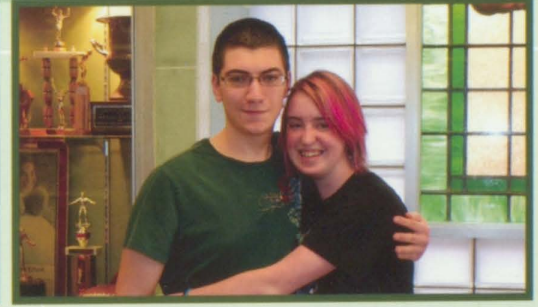
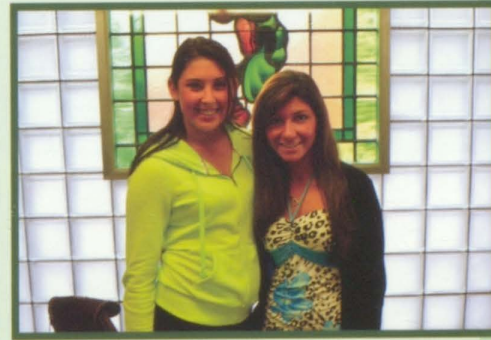
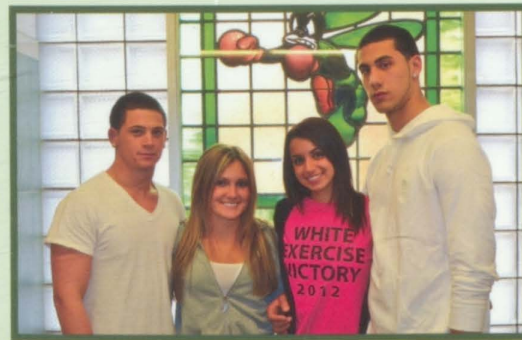
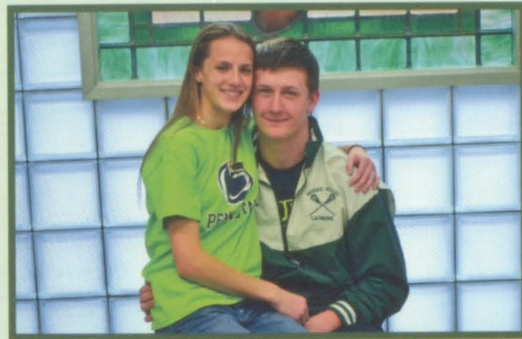
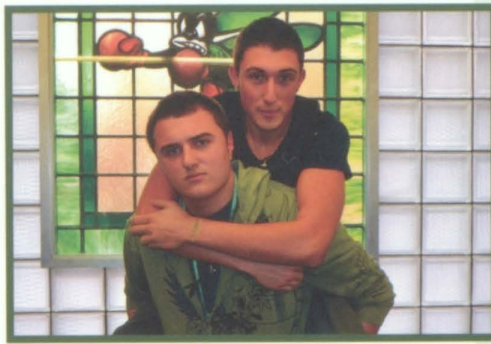
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**True friends
will always stay
by your side.**



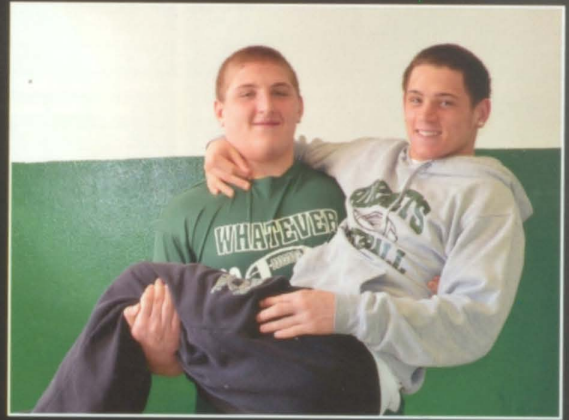
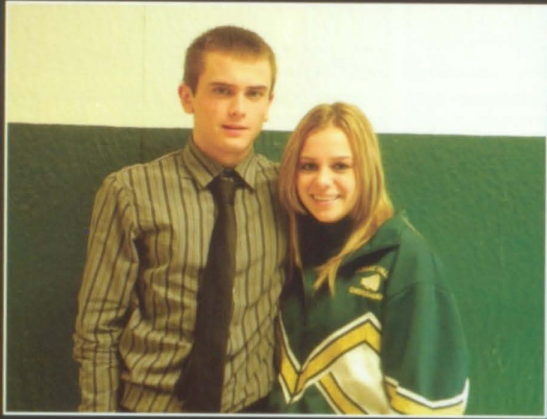


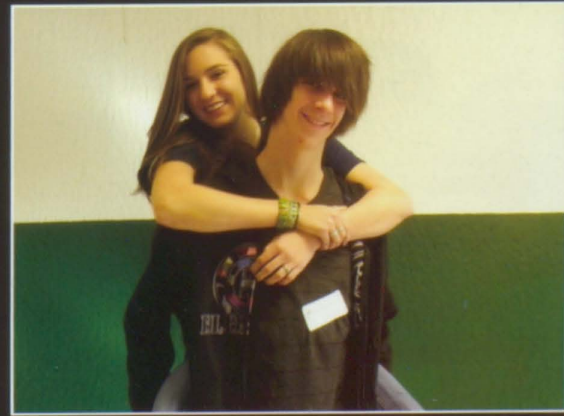
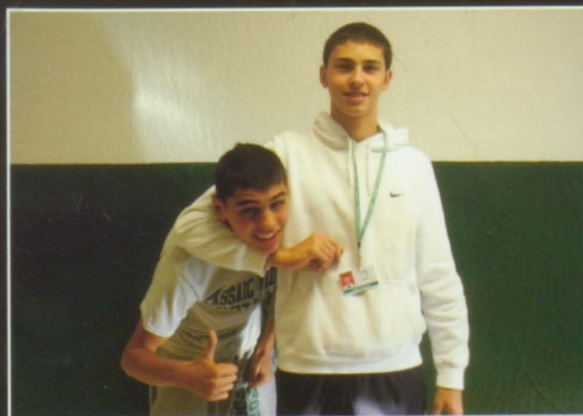




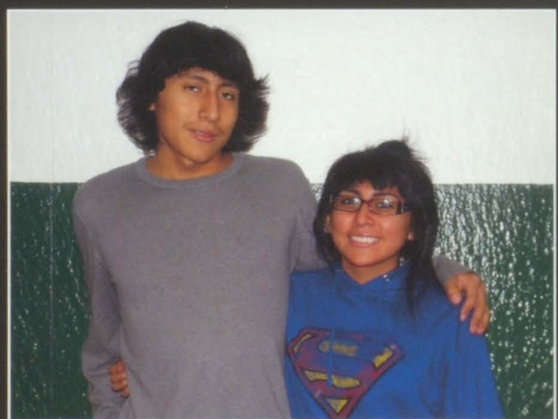
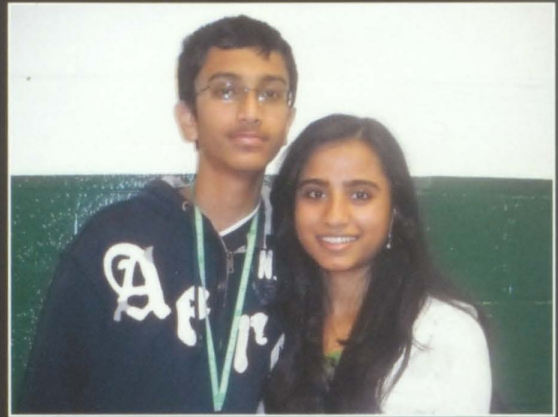
We all take different paths in life but no matter where we go, friends will be there.

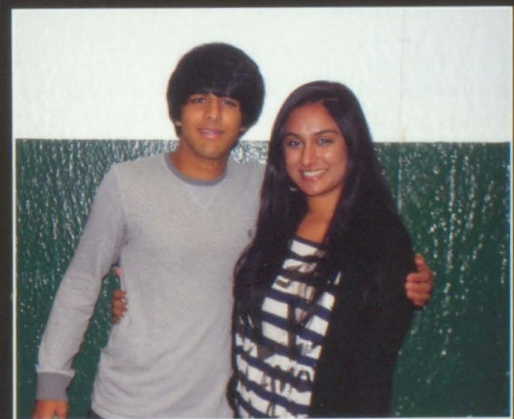
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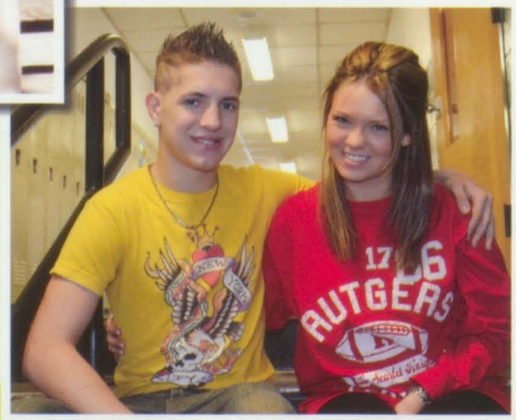


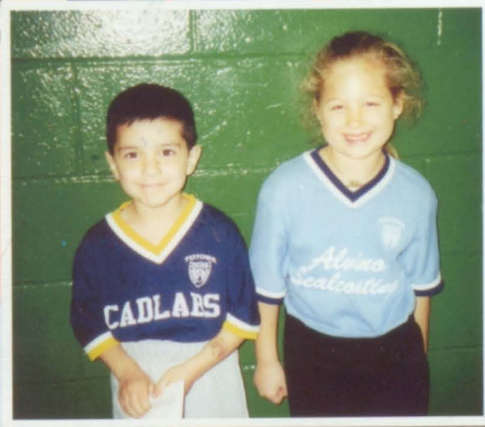
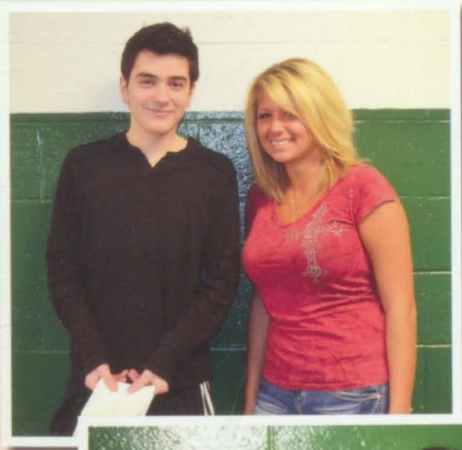


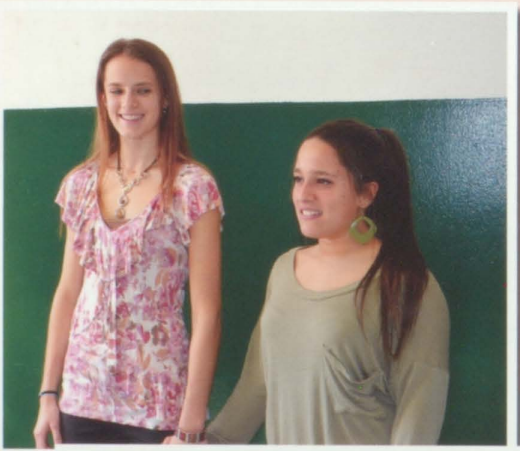
Then and Now

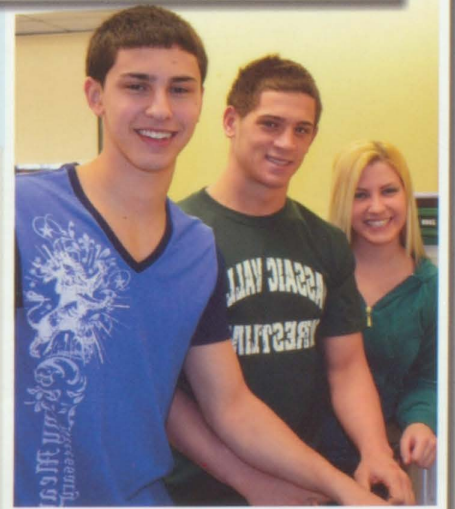
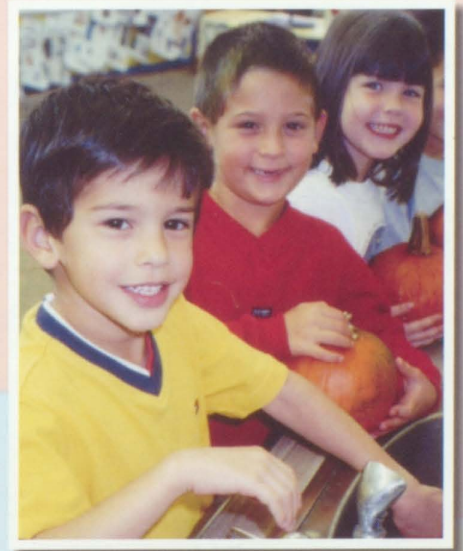
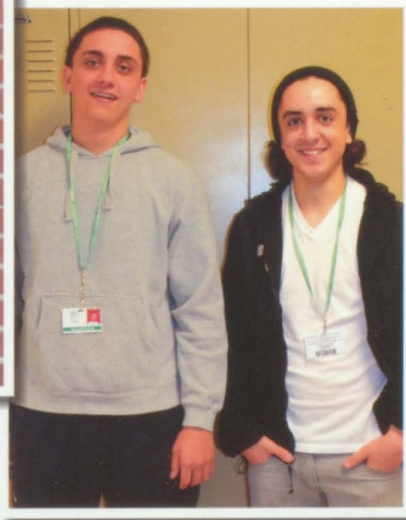


"A memory lasts forever, never does it die. True friends stay together and never say goodbye."







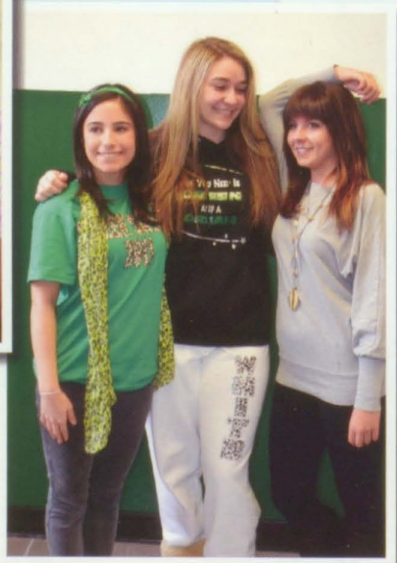


*"A smile lasts a moment,
but a memory lasts a
lifetime."*

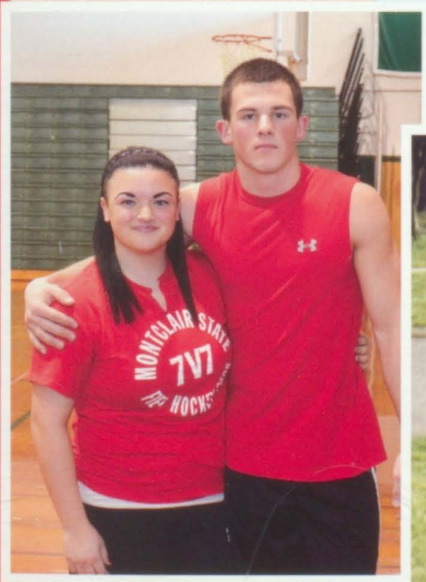
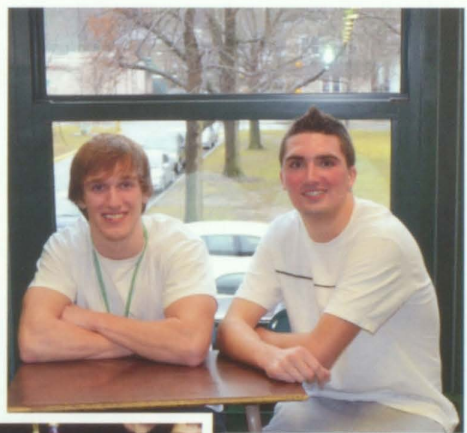
Treasure the Laughter



Treasure the Happiness

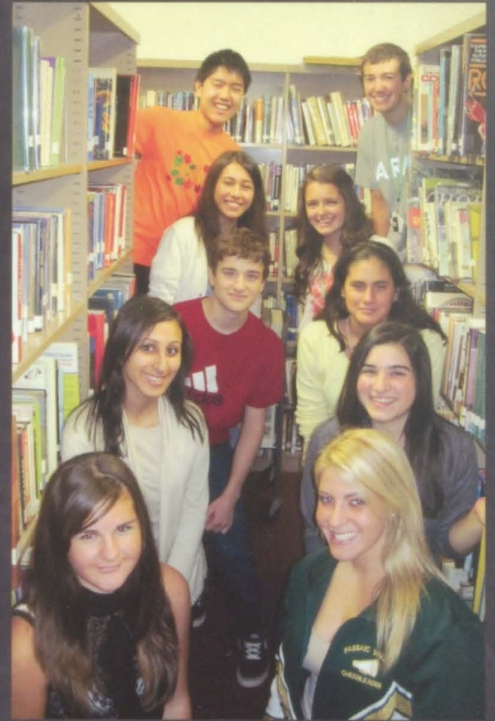


Treasure the Memories

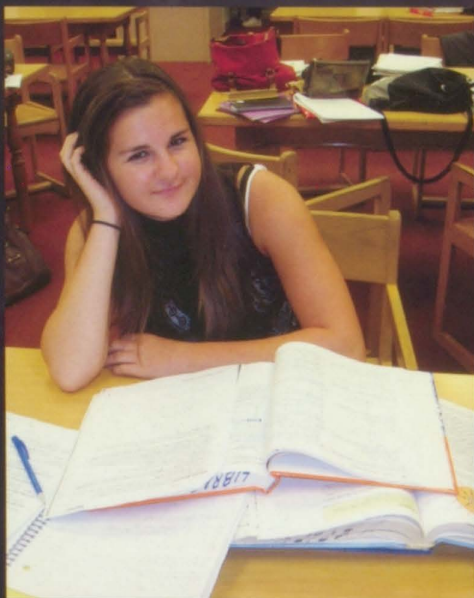


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Top Ten Academic



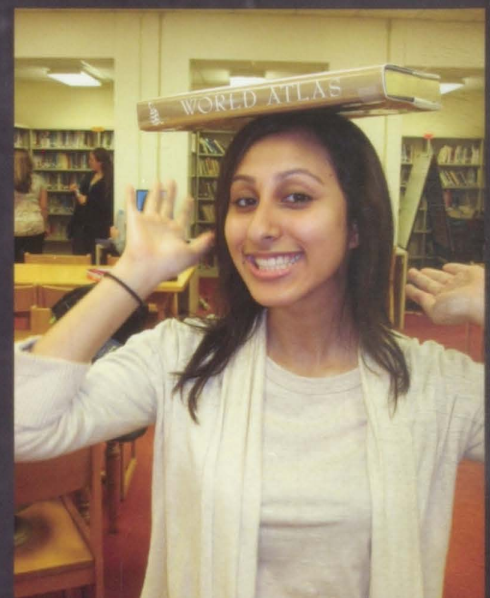
**"Education is an ornament in prosperity and a refuge in adversity."
~Aristotle**



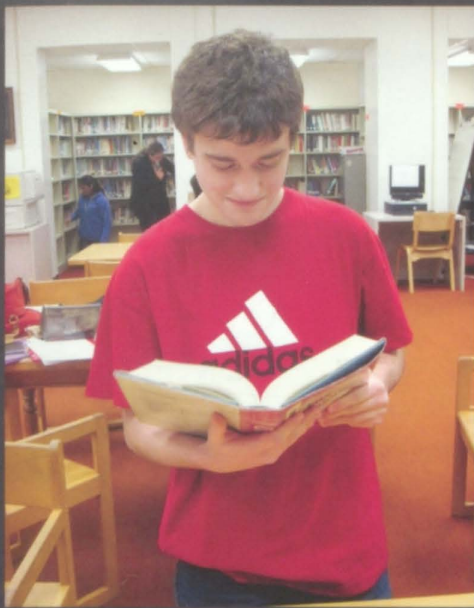
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Jennifer Fergesen



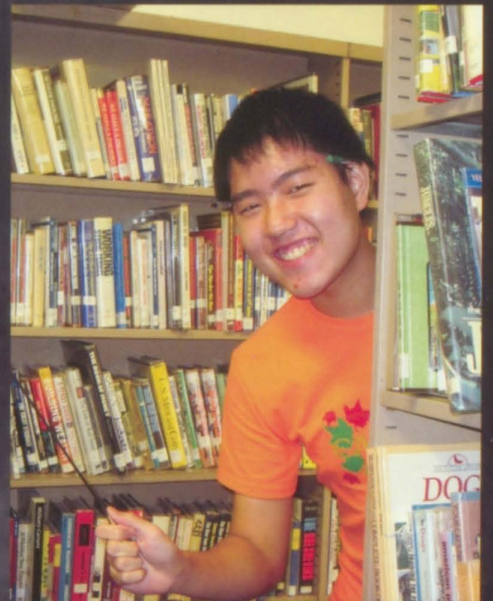
Emily Abate



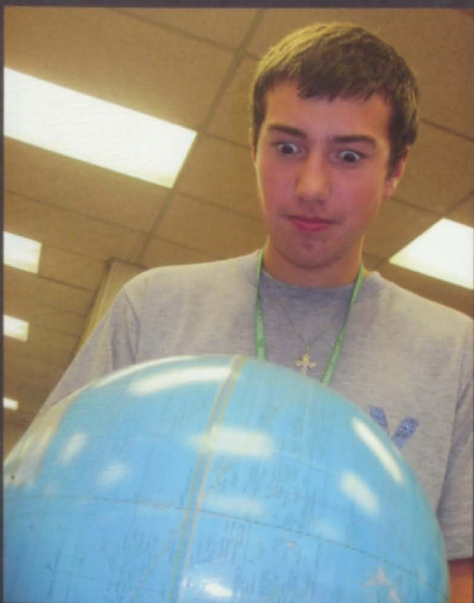
Jamie Mulroony



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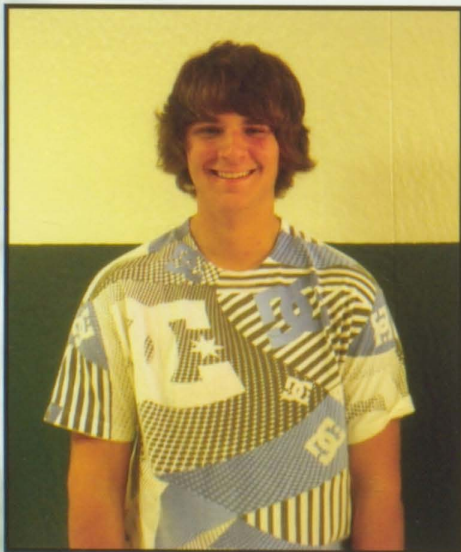
DeAnna D'Amico



Casey Gilfoil



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Rebecca Monk



Erica Liguori

Most Involved

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Kristina Bronkowski



Jocelyn Lee



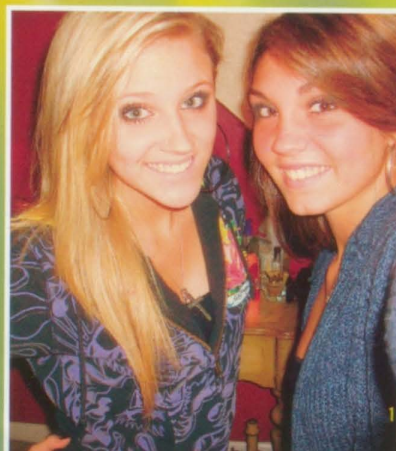
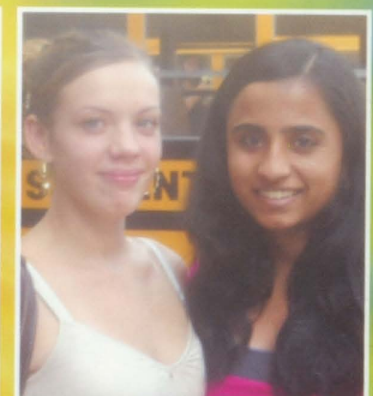
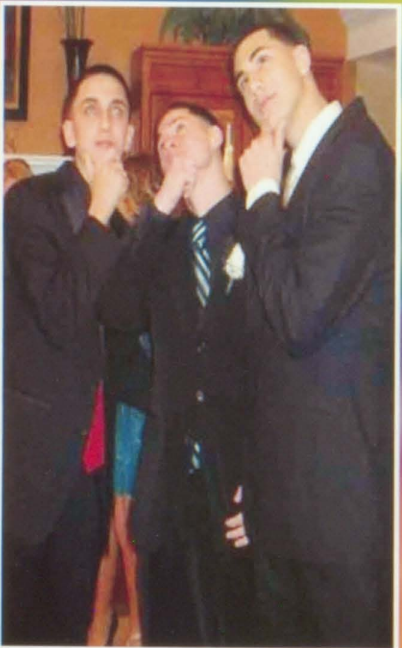
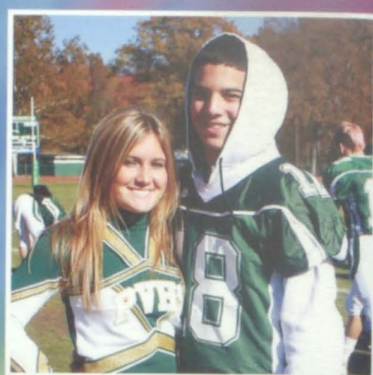
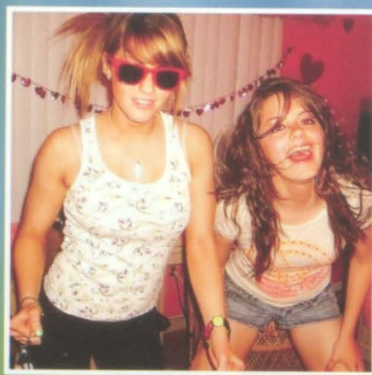
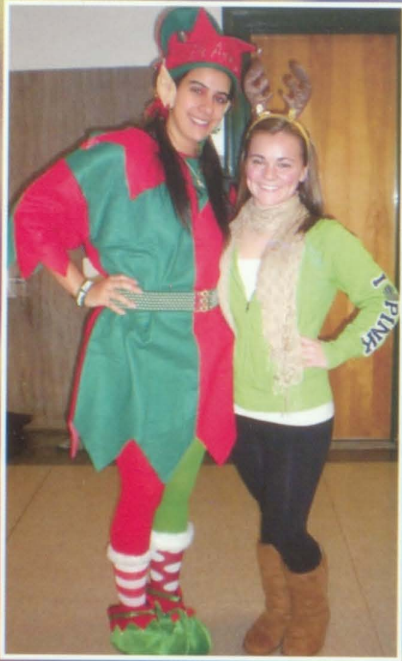
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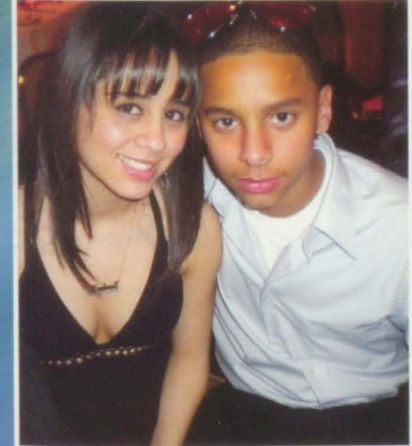
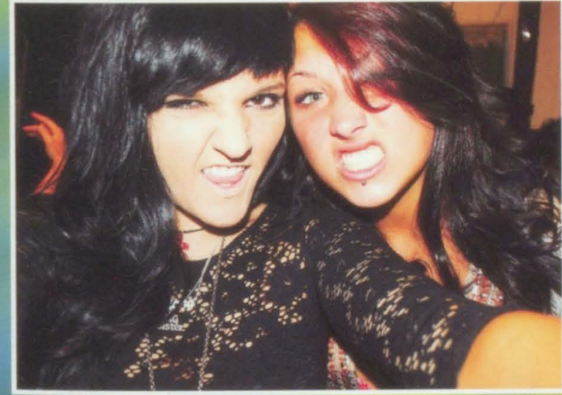
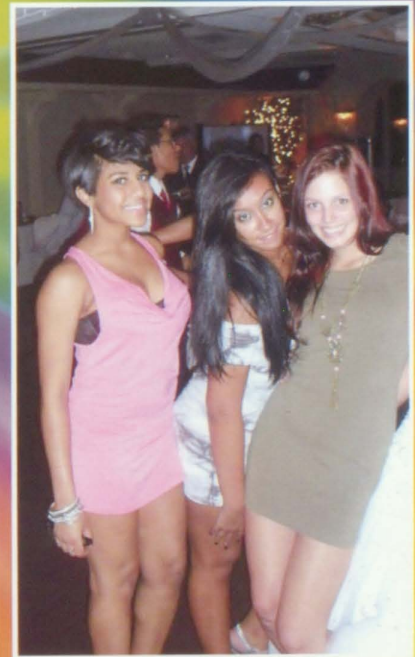
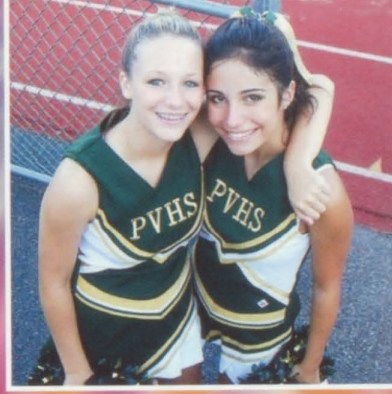
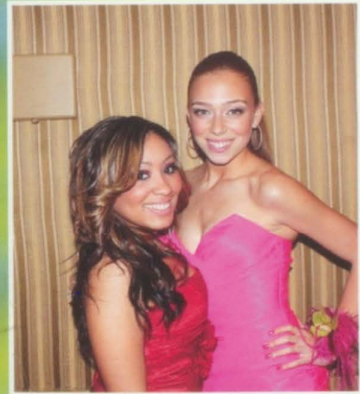


Kayla Rillo



Melissa Radke





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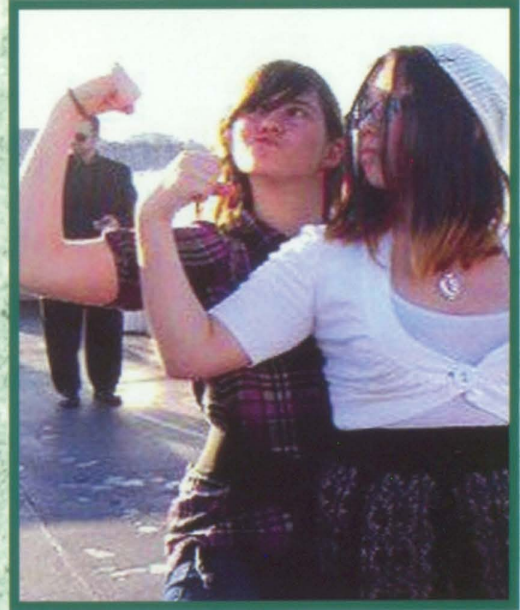
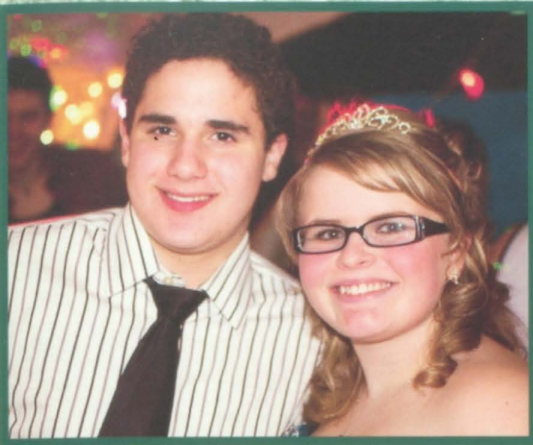
Mrs. Benvenuti



Ms. Cid



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Class of 2014



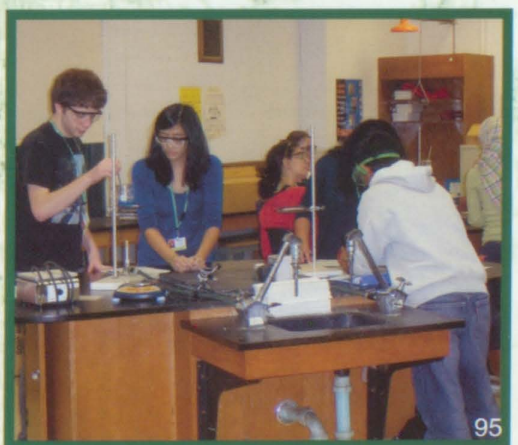
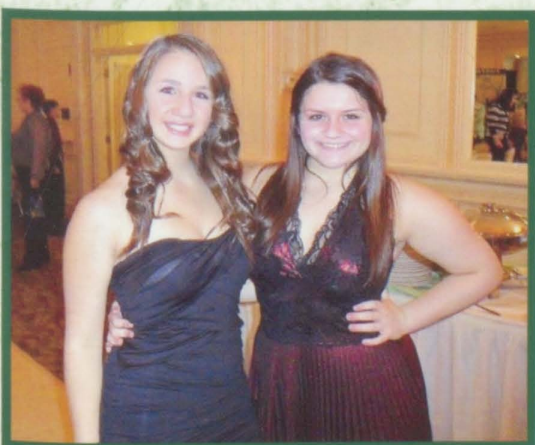
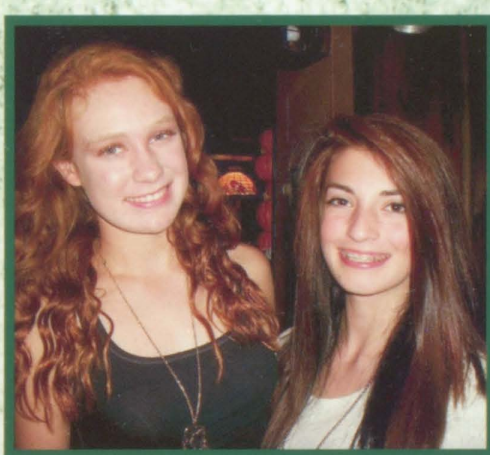
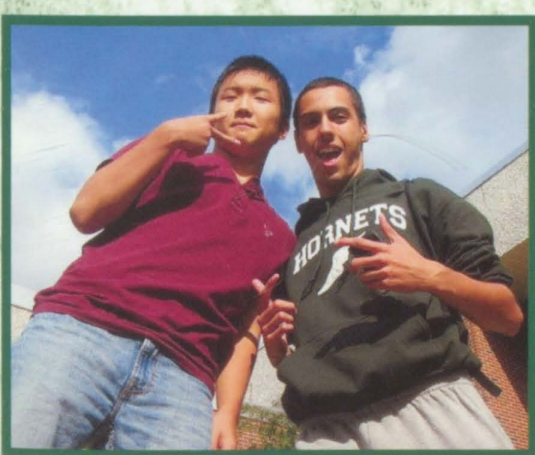
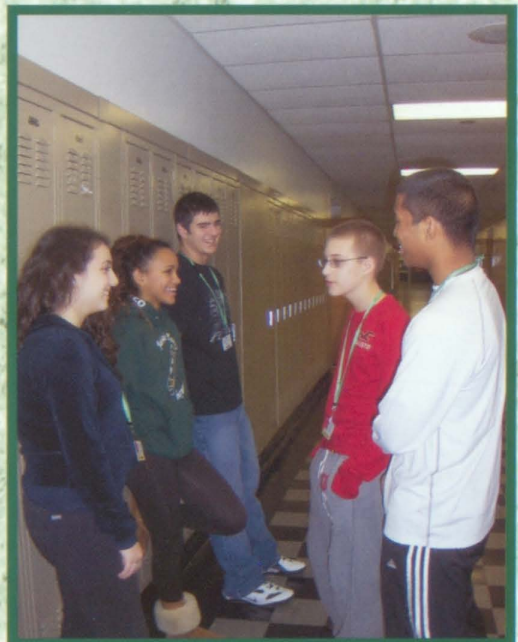
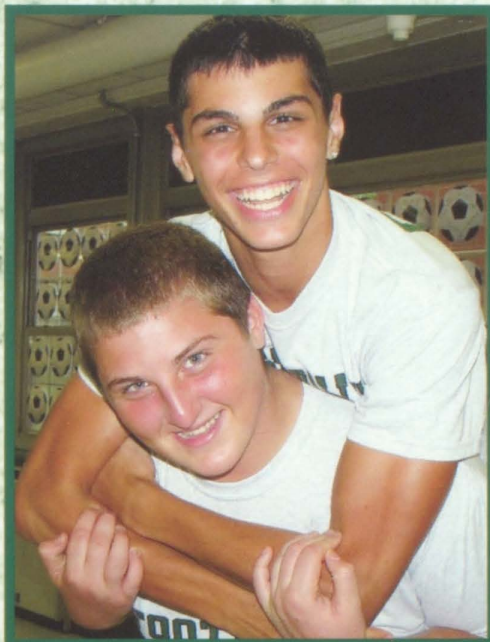
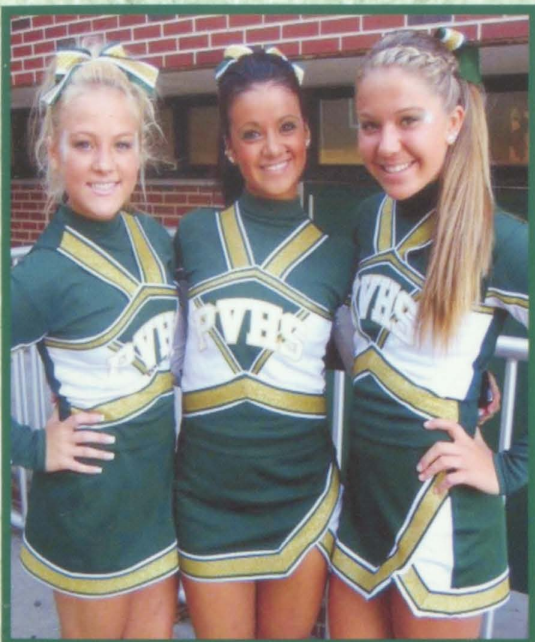
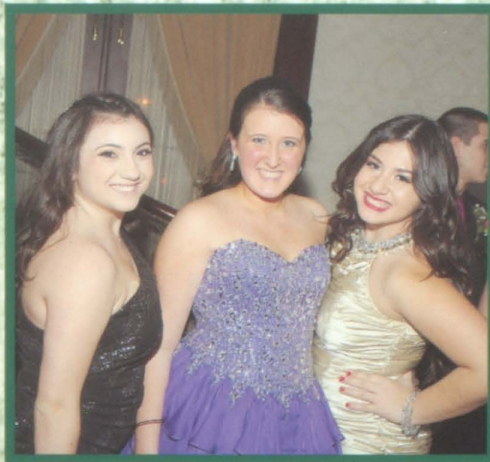
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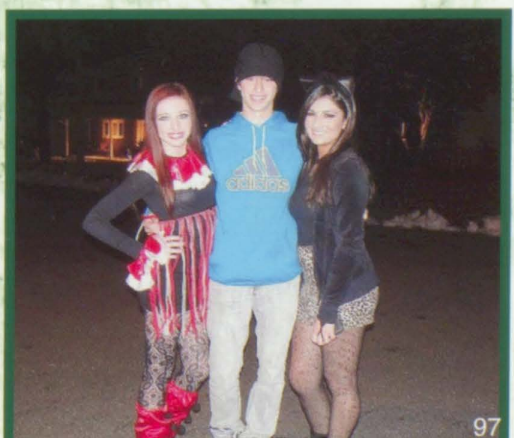
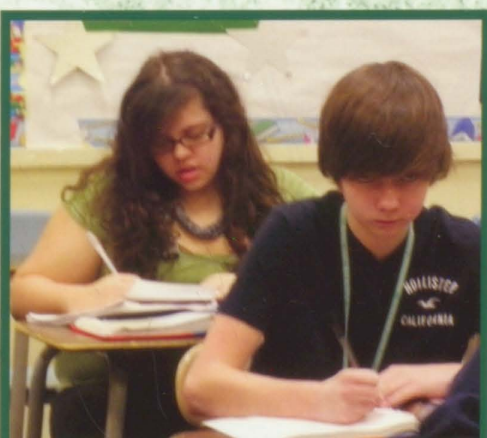
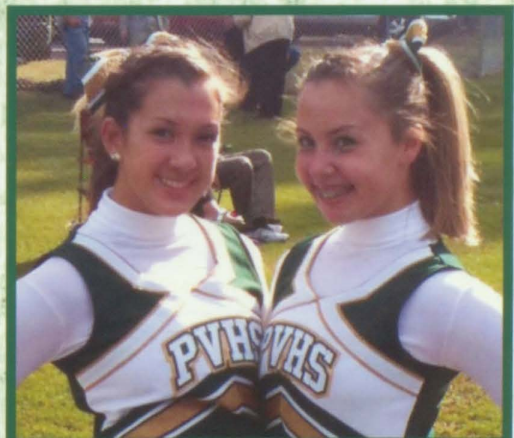
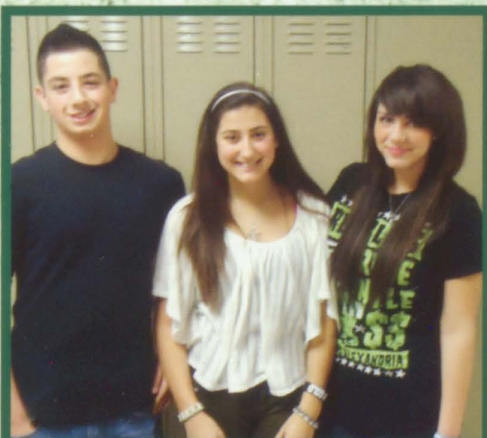
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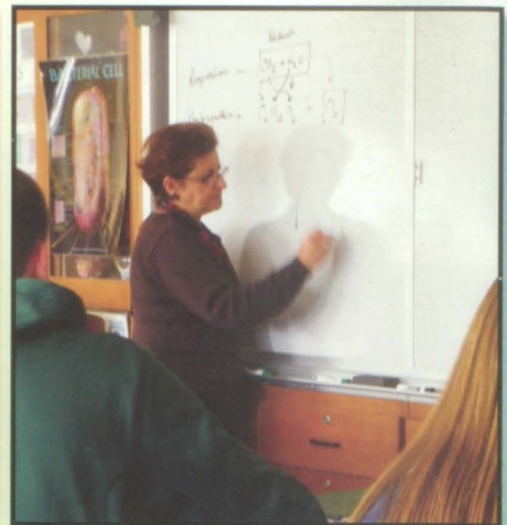


Ms. Peters



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entertaining

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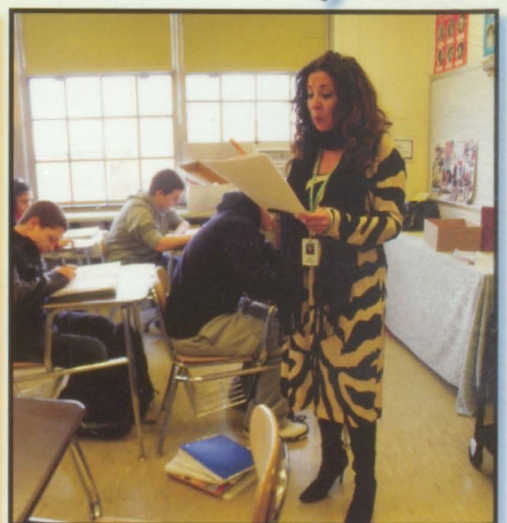
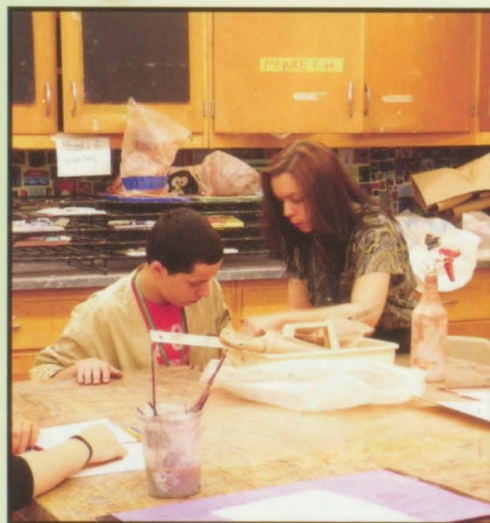


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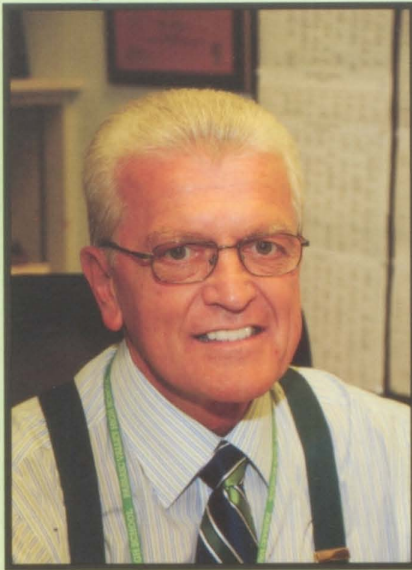
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brilliant

friendly



Dr. Viktor Joganow, Superintendent



Mr. Ray Rotella, Principal



Dear Members of Class of 2012:

*Nothing that is can pause or stay;
The moon will wax, the moon will wane,
The mist and cloud will turn to rain,
The rain to mist and cloud again,
Tomorrow be today.
-Henry Wadsworth Longfellow*

The Class of 2012 was welcomed by the Passaic Valley Regional High School administration and staff in September 2008 with great excitement and enthusiasm. During the same month, our nation was in the throes of a very heated presidential campaign, which ultimately resulted in the election of Barack Obama in November. The U.S. economy was spiraling downward with Wall Street experiencing record losses and the unemployment rate was above 6%. According to U.S. Treasury Secretary, Henry M. Paulson, Jr., without greater government involvement, household wealth would suffer from family budgets, to home values, to savings for college and retirement, and the inability to secure home and auto loans and other consumer credit.

Four years later, the nation is preparing for another presidential campaign, the nation's economy continues to struggle, the financial markets are still in considerable flux, and unemployment is ahead of the 2008 indicator. As graduating seniors you are ready to accept the challenges beyond high school and prepare for your future role in our global society. Many of you will continue your education at the college/university level, while others will pursue technical institutions and some will elect to enter the military.

Your generation has been presented with significant challenges because the social and economic issues of 2008 have also escalated on the international level. Greater creativity than ever before is required in addressing many of these issues. We are depending on your generation to provide the future leadership that guide us back to the traditional prosperity and exceptional quality of life our great nation has always experienced. We are confident that as members of the Class of 2012, you have taken full advantage of the academic and co-curricular opportunities at Passaic Valley and established a solid foundation as you enter the next chapter of your lives.

On behalf of the Board of Education and Administration, I wish you the very best in your future plans and remind you to maintain your Hornet Pride in the Green and White.

Respectfully,
Viktor J. Joganow, Ed.D.

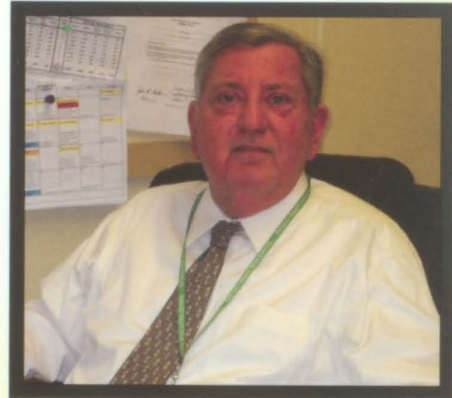


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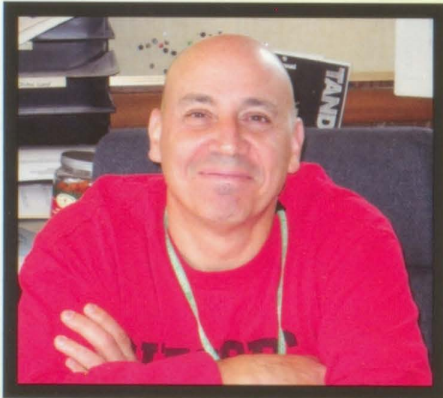
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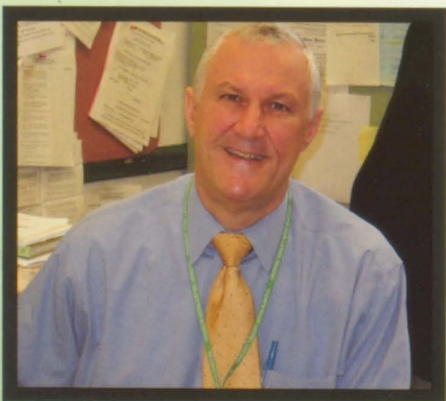
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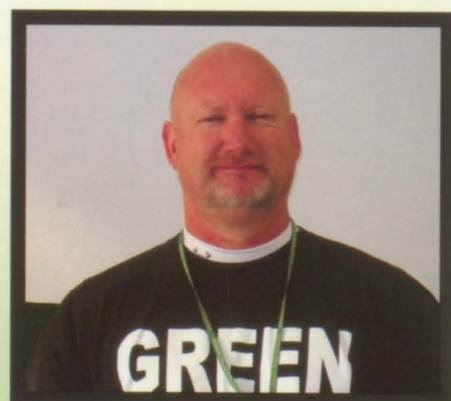
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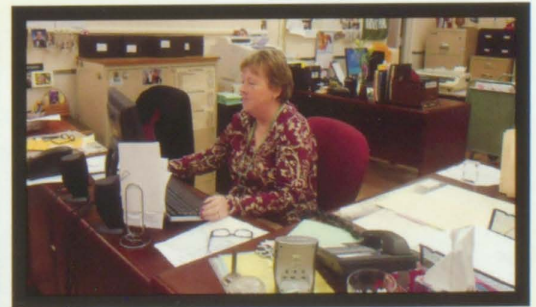
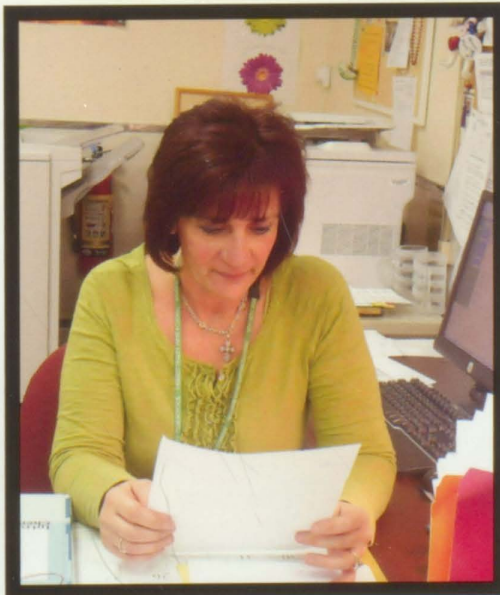
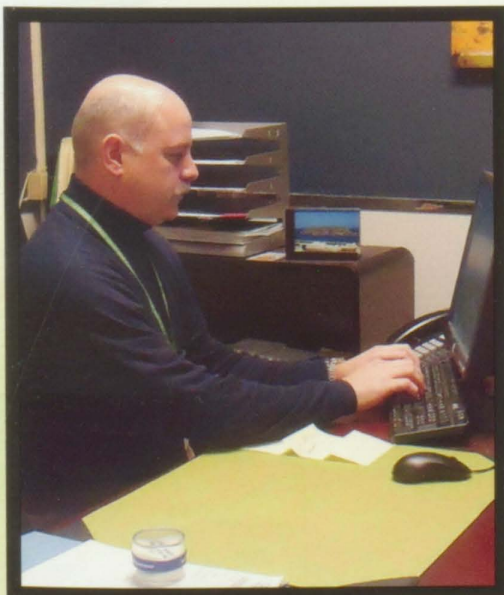
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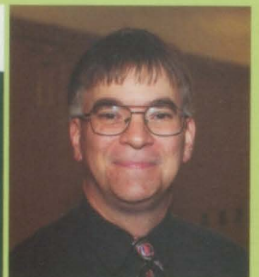
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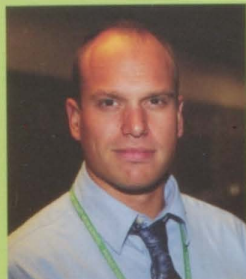
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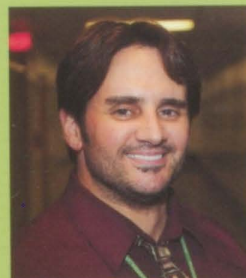
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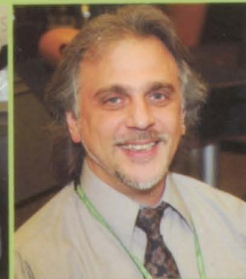
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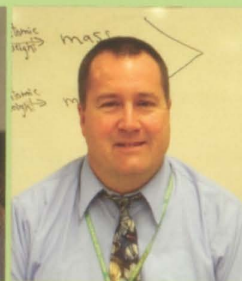
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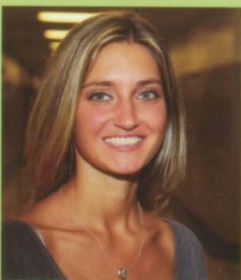
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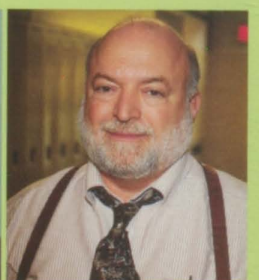
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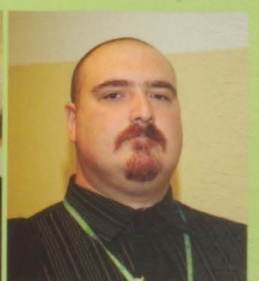
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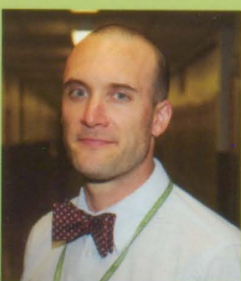
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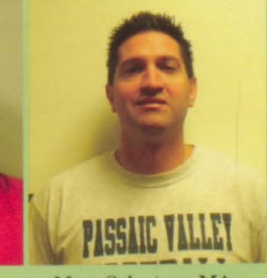
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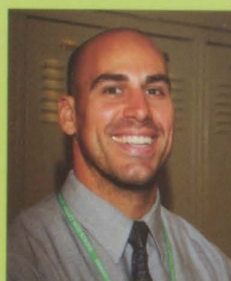
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Sorry We Missed You!

Nancy Ariola
Lillian Canova
Rebekah Hall
Kristen Klein
Nicole Shamey
Susan Warcholik

Mr. Matthew Conforth

Mrs. Andrea LaPlaca



Re-tire-ment: (noun)

"When you stop living at work, and start working at living."

Passaic Valley High School Retirees:
Enjoy your days of "living"!





Teacher Polls

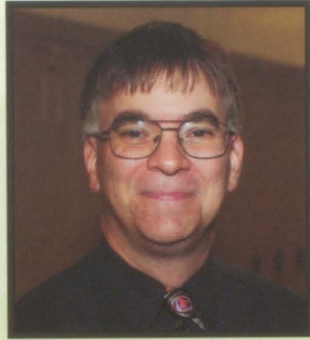


Most Likely to Scare a Freshman

Most School Spirit



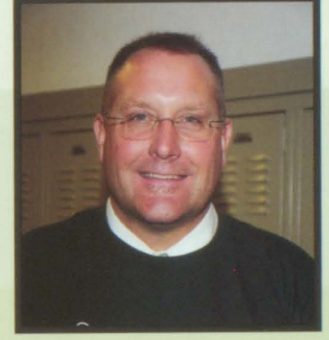
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Mr. Block



Mrs. Dellanno



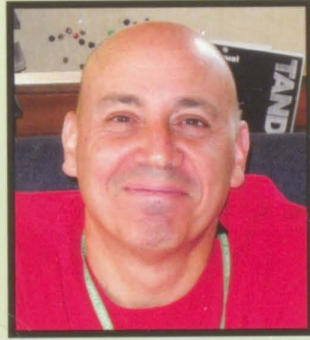
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Most Likely to Forget Their ID

Most Likely to be in a Rock Band



Ms. Sisti



Mr. Settembre



Mrs. Vasa

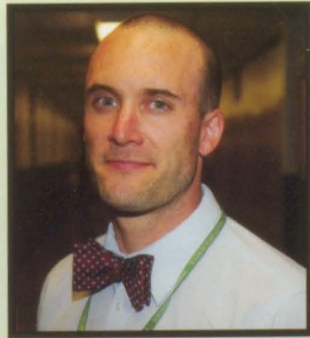


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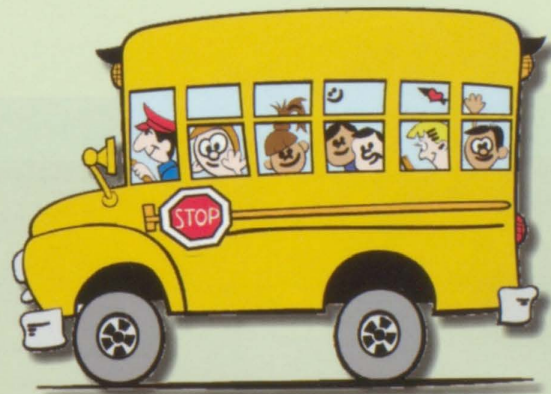
Most Creative



Mrs. Mulcahy



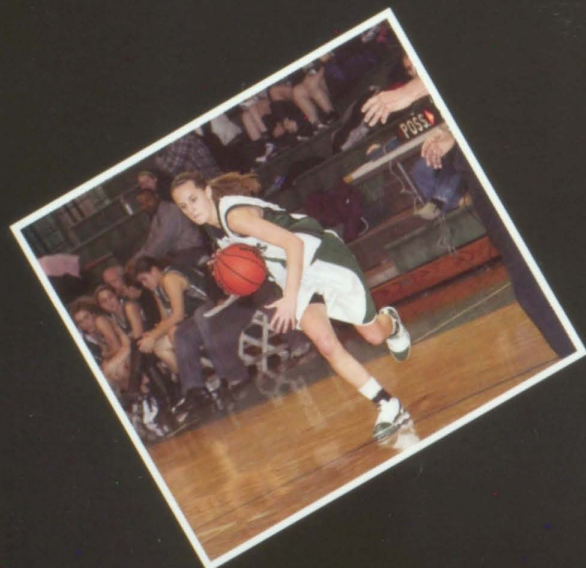
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HORNET

Football Soccer Cheerleading

Volleyball Gymnastics Marching Band



Lacrosse Track Basketball

Field Hockey Golf Baseball



Wrestling Softball Tennis Ice Hockey



Fencing Bowling Cross Country

PRIDE





Captains: Evan Cousins, Orlando Perez, and Nicholas Andriani

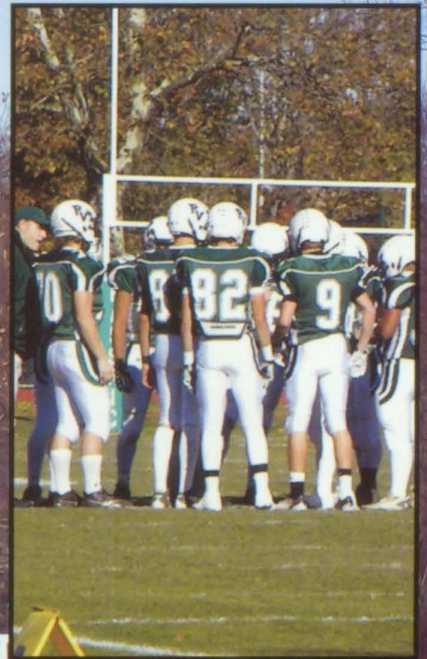


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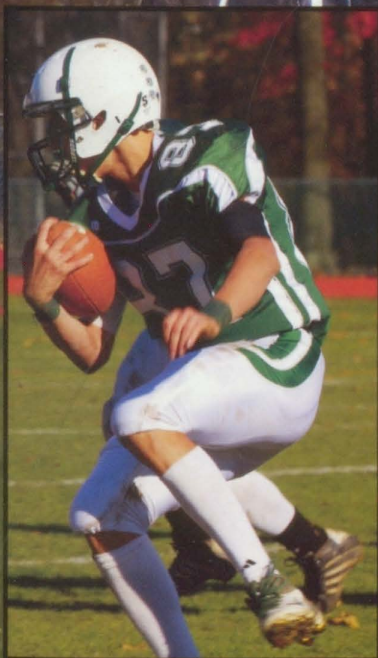
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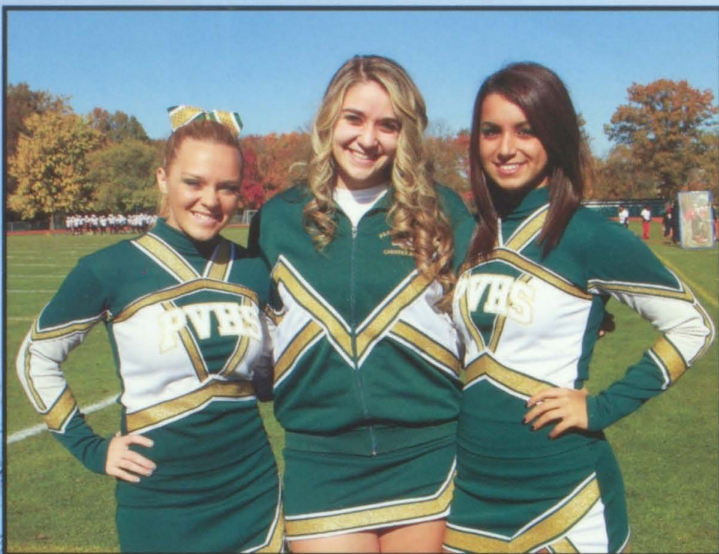


Coaches: Pete Longo, Frank Cappello, Joel Thornton, Nick Giangrande, "Yoga" Bob Murphy, Al Cappello, Bill Johnson, Angelo Marocco



Grow the Core





Captains: Alyssa DeNora, Lizzie Johnson, Gina Matano

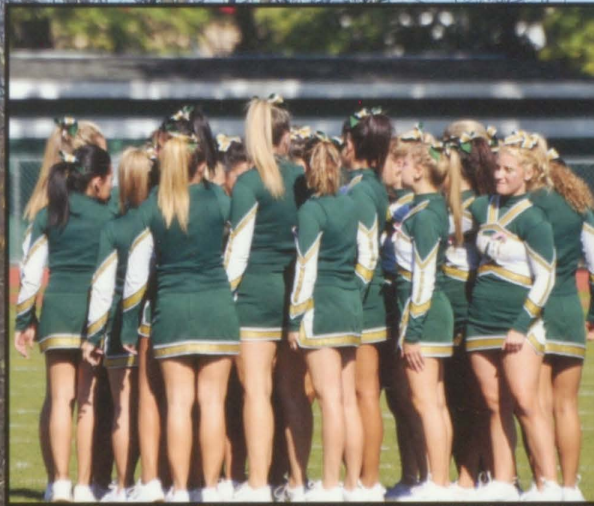
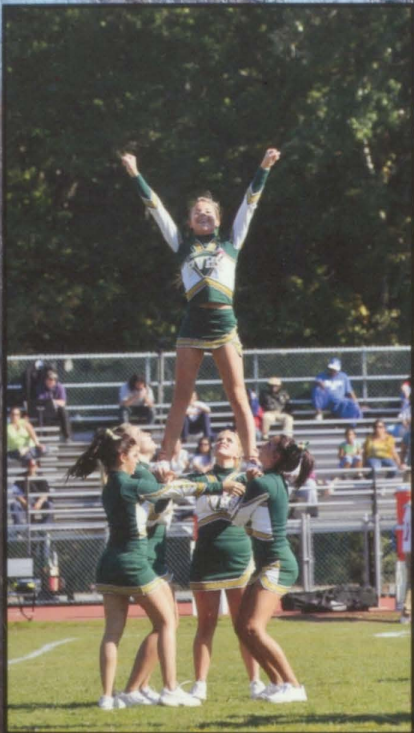
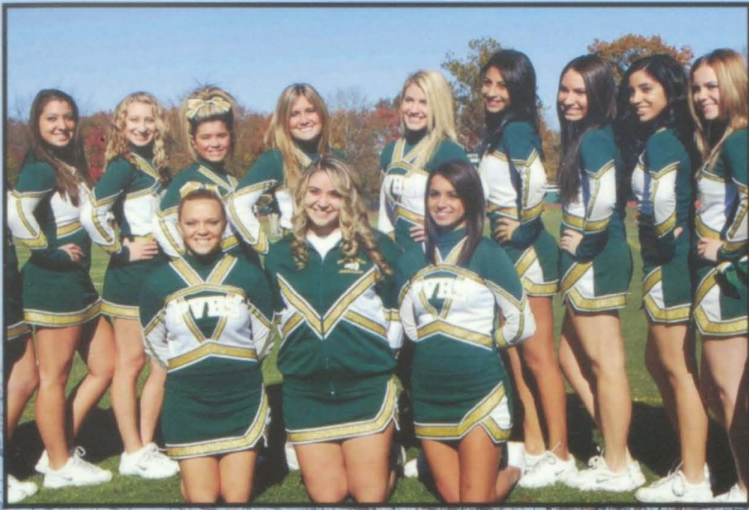


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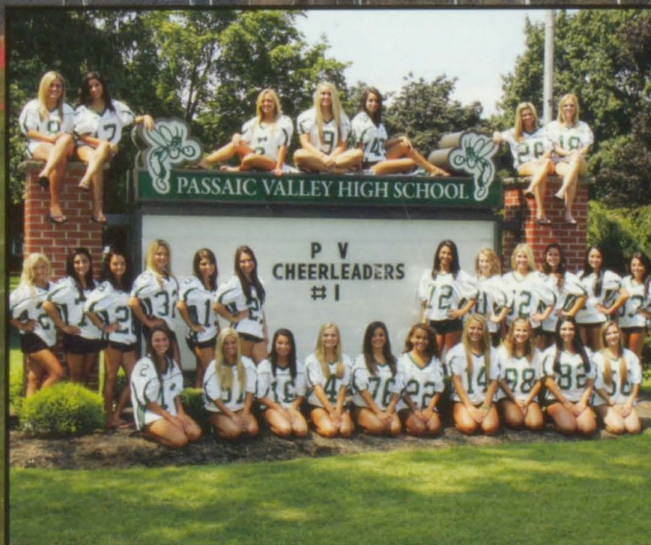
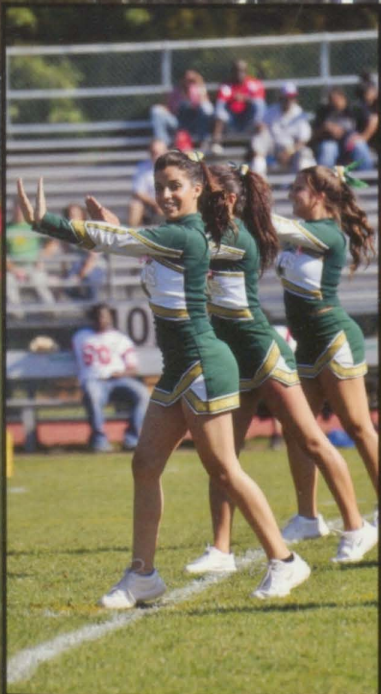
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Coaches:
Stephanie Rubino, Kathleen Dellanno, Jamie Peters



PV You Know!





Captains: Casey Gilfoil, Rebecca Monk, Jonathan Reda, Erica Liguori, Keith Skyta, Jocelyn Lee, Joe Ruggiero



Seniors: Rebecca Monk, Chris Herrman, Matthew Reda, Joe Ruggiero, Matt Schindle, Keith Skyta, Melissa Fisher, April Westergaard, Jocelyn Lee, Dennis Duarte, Danielle Milza, Paige Gensinger, Alisha Moran, Melissa Hearny, Joey LoRusso, Sara Kosch, Erica Liguori, Casey Gilfoil

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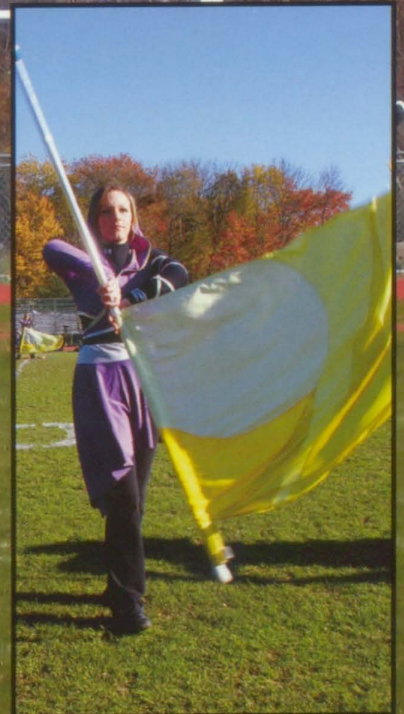
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Coach:
Mike DeLuccia



Pride of the Band





Captains: Carly Petronaci and Marta Saputo



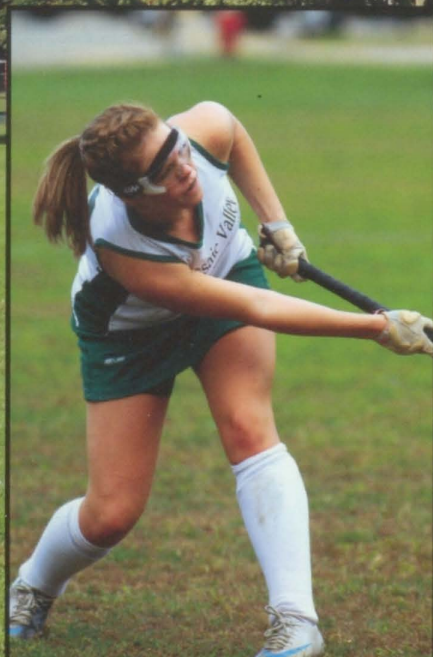
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Coaches: Lori Demsey, Cheryl Grande



Our team
beats
with
one
heart!





Captains: Michael Kobylarz and Christopher Martins



Seniors: Sergio Vassallo, Dime Ilievski, Michael Kobylarz, Christopher Martins, Anthony Peluso, Peter Tantillo, Joseph Bertino, and Luigi Romano

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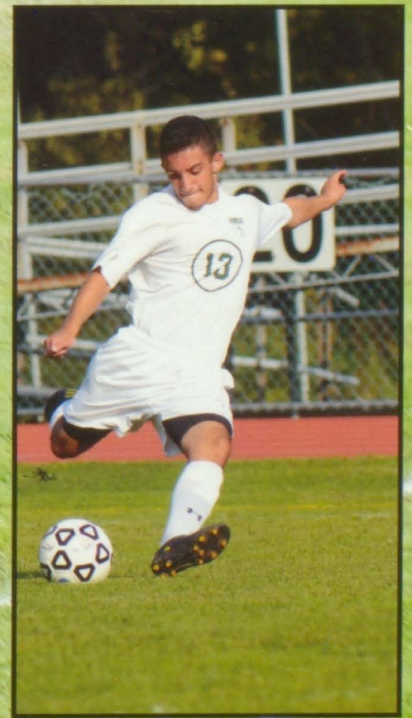
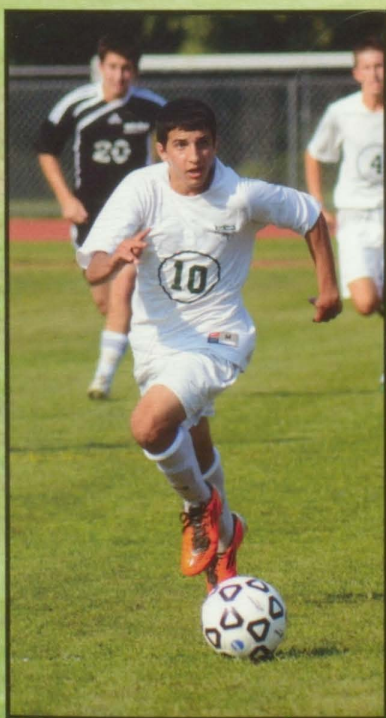
Head Coach: Michael Couden



Coach: Rob Faggiani



Risk
everything,
fear
nothing.
Live with no
regrets.





Captains: Kristina Bronkowski and
Jasmine Sconciafurno



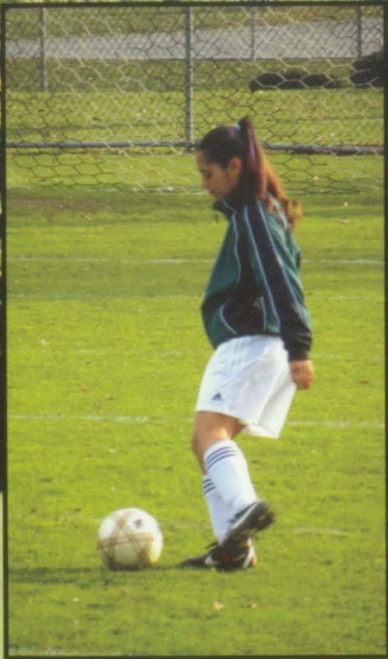
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Gallego, Jasmine Sconciafurno and
Kristina Bronkowski

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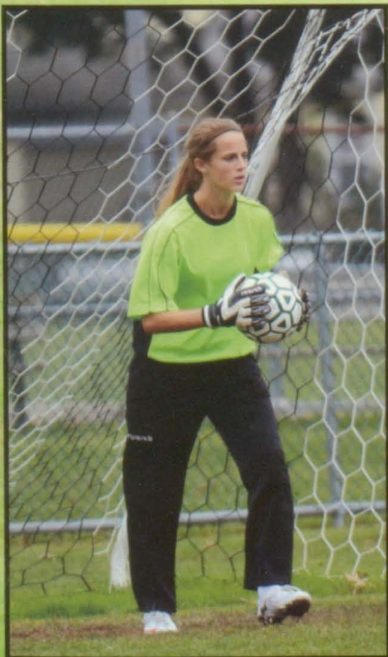
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Coaches: Thomas Deeney* and
Kathleen Berthold



Being on
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Managers: Amanda Roth,
Amanda Garcia, Jacalyn
Fakhoury, Megan Reyes and
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Captains: Lara Lobue, Cassandra Santiago
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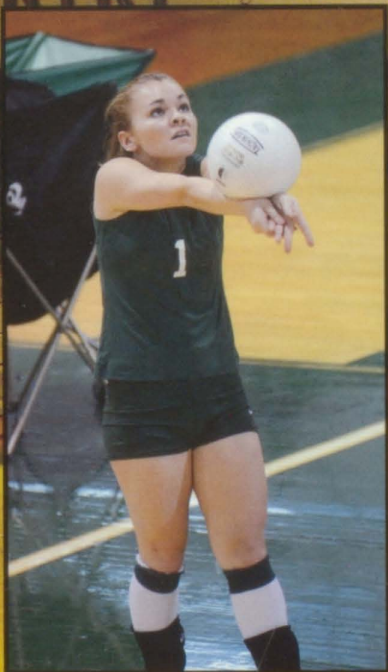
Coaches: Jenai Agosta and
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Seniors: DeAnna D'Amico, Shannon Dillon and Alyssa Piedra
Not Shown: Amanda Quintero



Captains: DeAnna D'Amico and Shannon Dillon



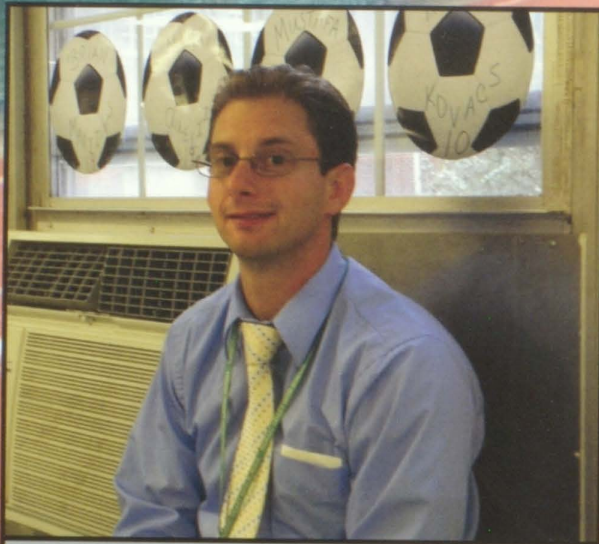
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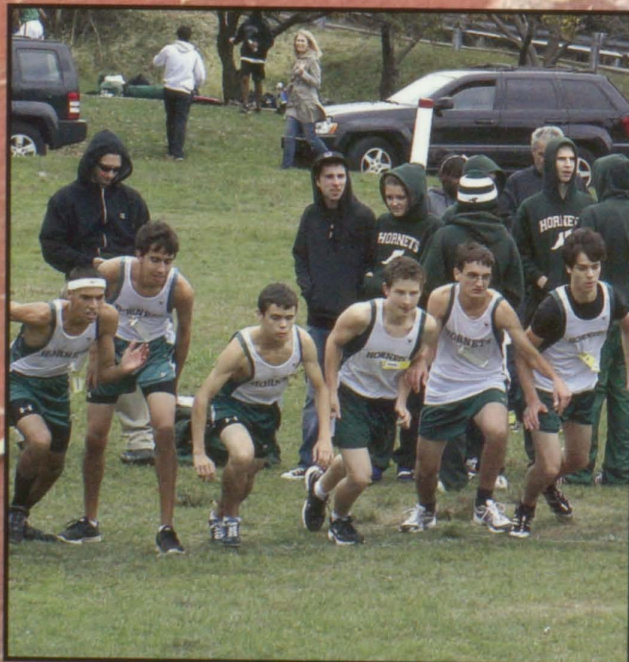
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Coach: Jeff Francisco



Seniors: Doria Brown and Jamie Mulroony





Seniors: Audrey Delgado, Kesha Patel and Reem Mikhail



Captains: Audrey Delgado and Reem Mikhail



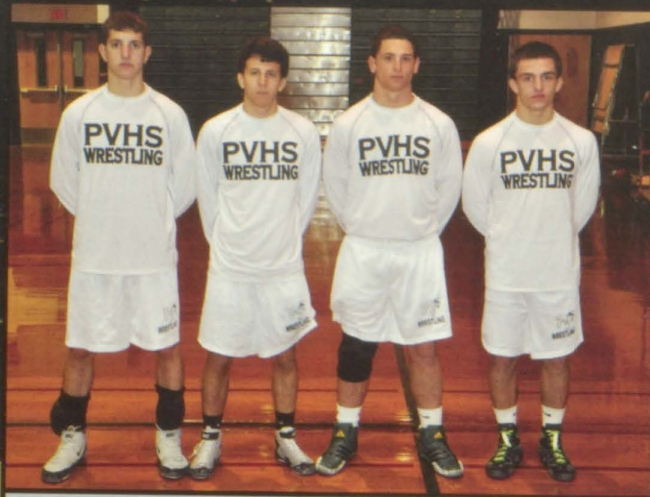
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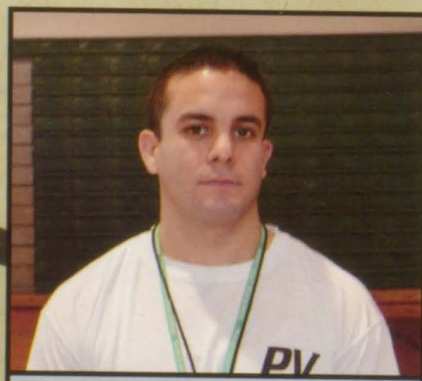
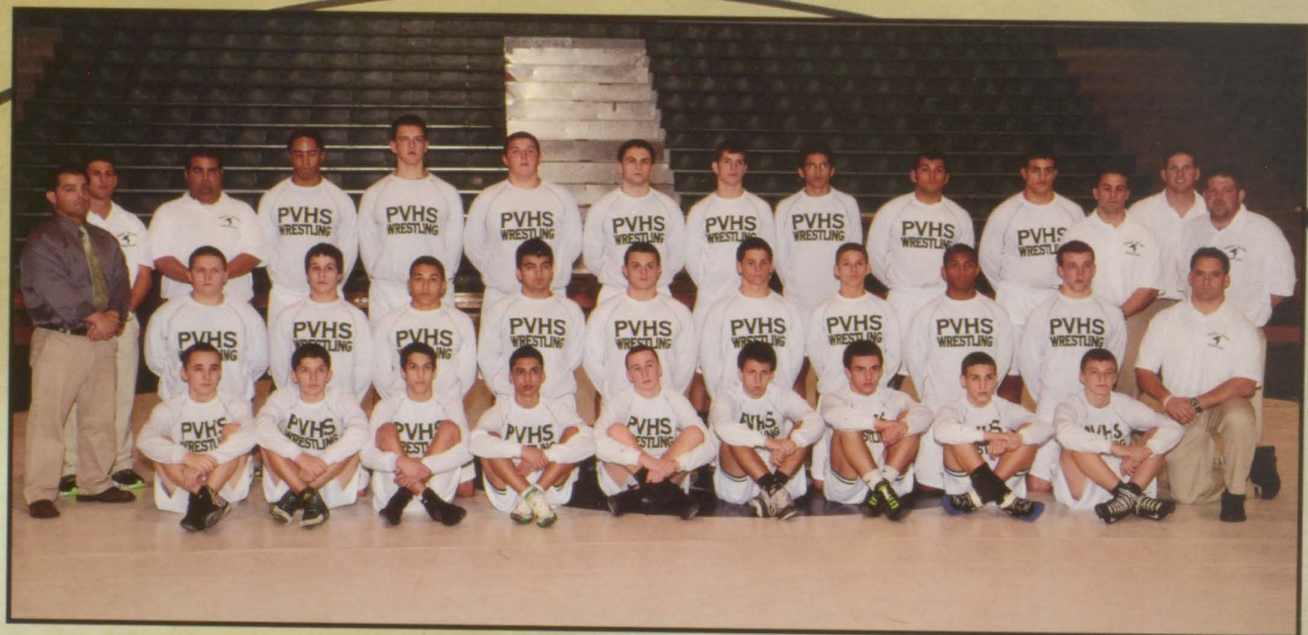
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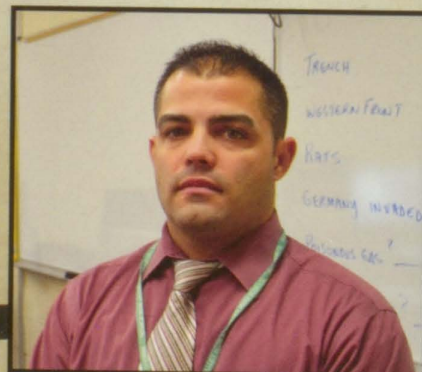
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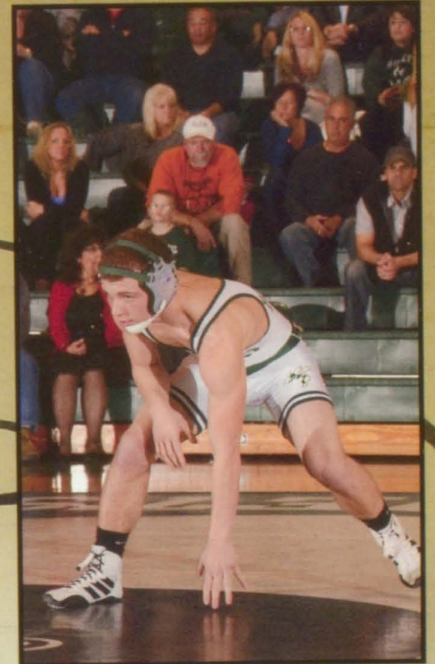
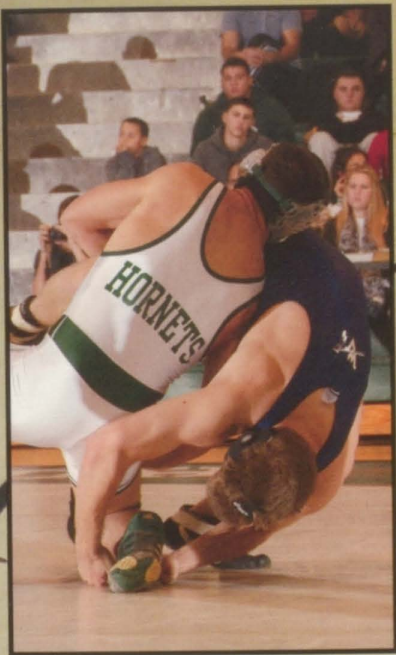
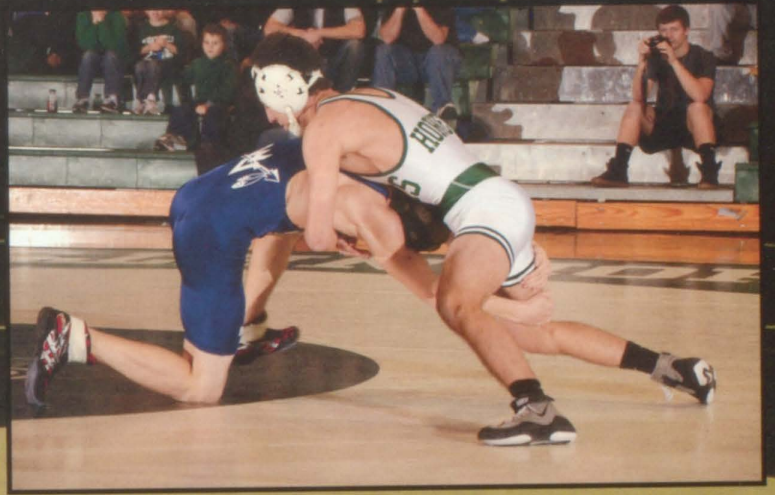
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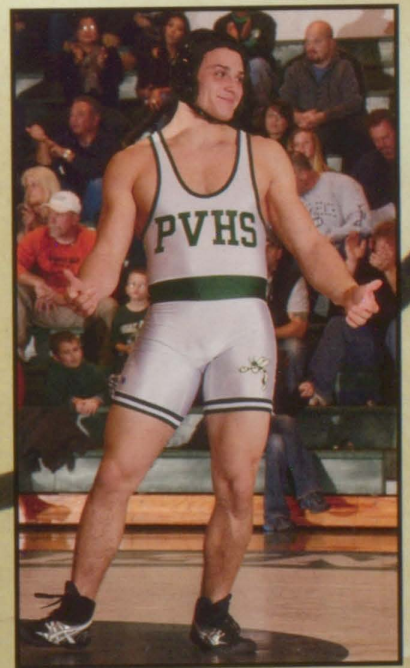
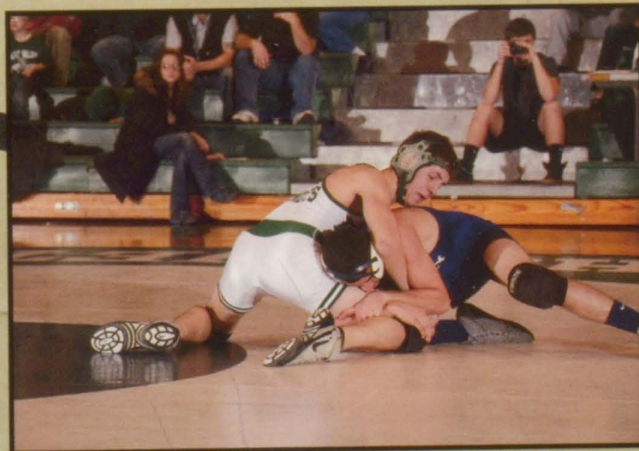
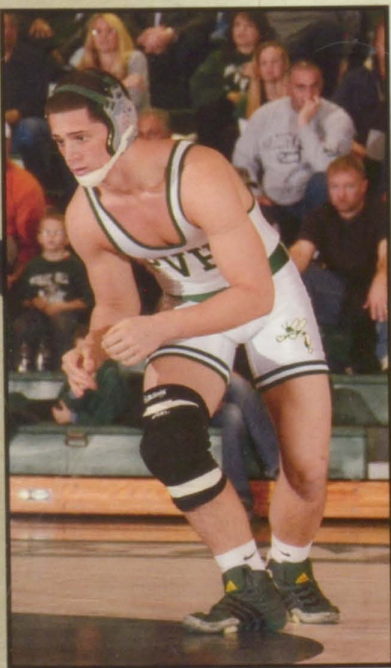
Head Coach: Brian Kapral



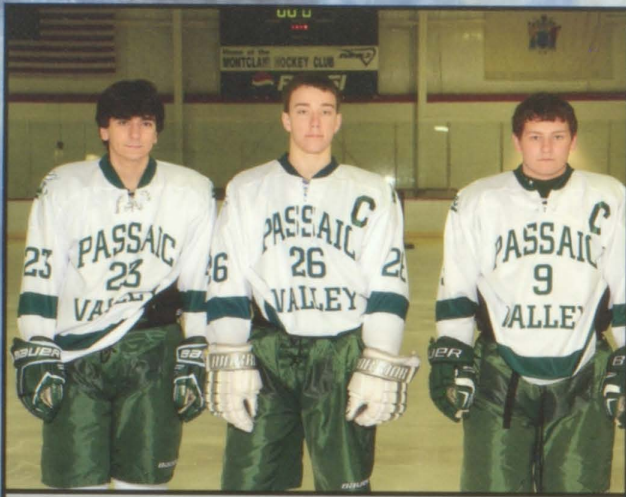
Head Coach: Joe Benvenuti



Wrestling is
blood,
sweat, and
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Captains: (AC) Nick Prospero,
(C) Eric Tappan, (C) Jeffrey Roth



Seniors: Jeffrey Roth, Justin Smith, David Robinson, Alex Tubman, Eric Tappan



Coaches: Brian Burns (VA), Ryan Braen (AC), Mike Sheehan (HC), Mike Giannone (VA)

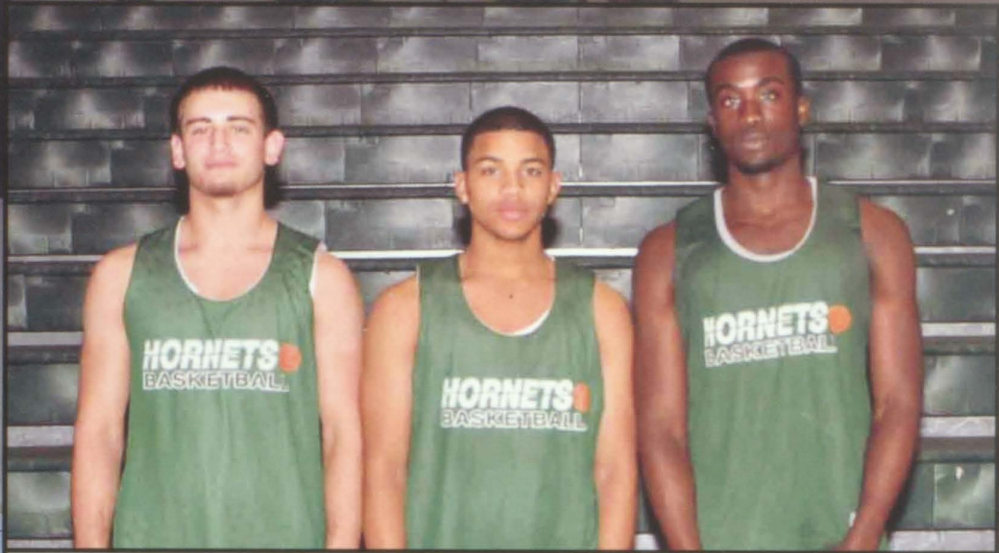


A good hockey player goes where the puck is, a great hockey player plays where the puck is going to be.



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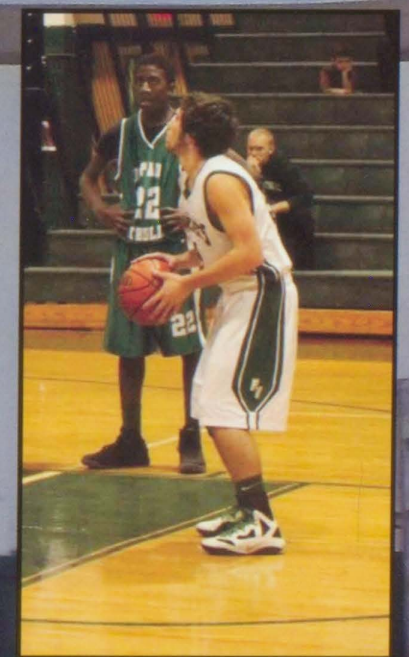
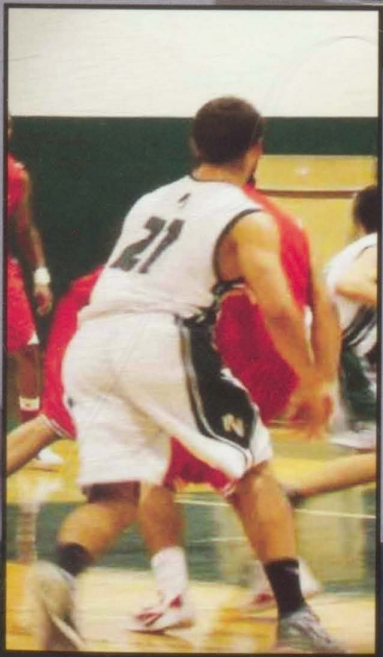
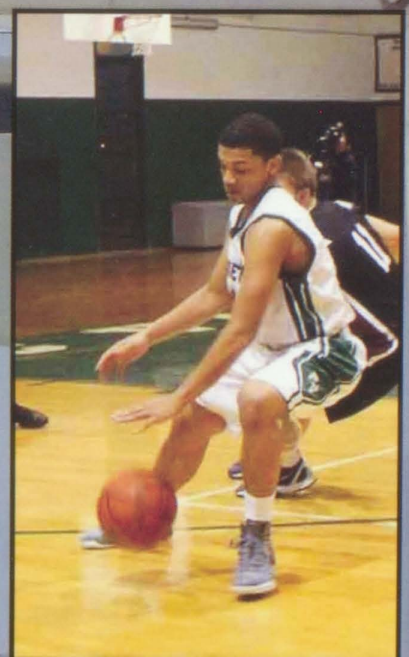
Seniors/Captains: Jacob Kopf, Jamir Lennon and Olumidi Onajide



Head Coach: Robert Carcich & Jared Fowler (not pictured)



Athletes are driven by commitment to their sport. A winner makes commitments



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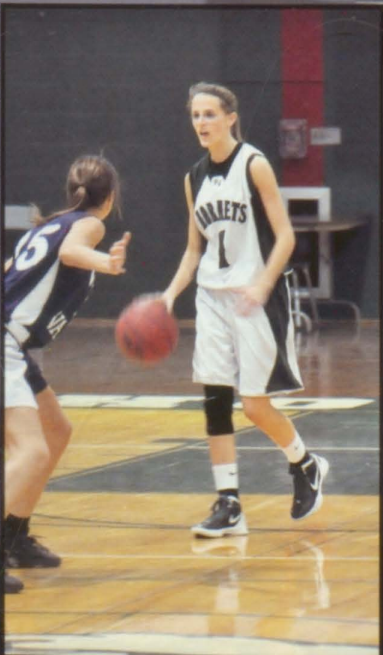
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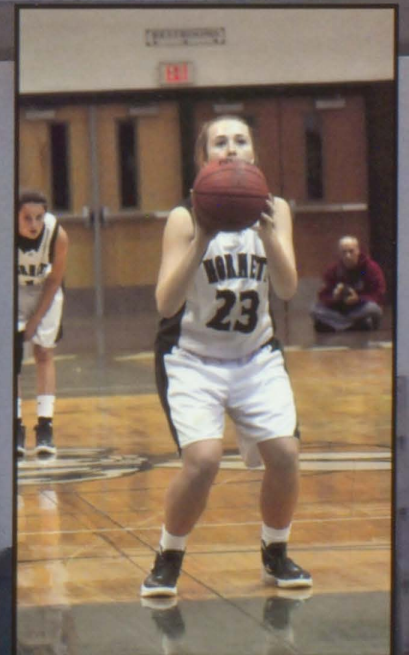
Captains/Seniors: DeAnna D'Amico, Liz DeVenio, Jasmine Sconciafurno and Kristina Bronkowski



Coaches: Marc Salvatore and Michael Couden



To learn
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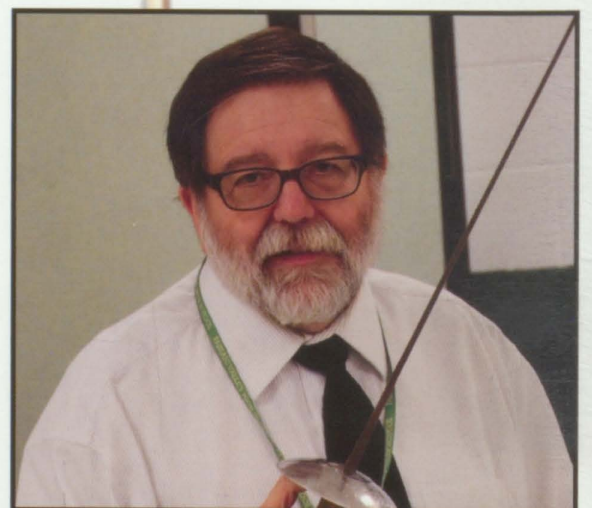
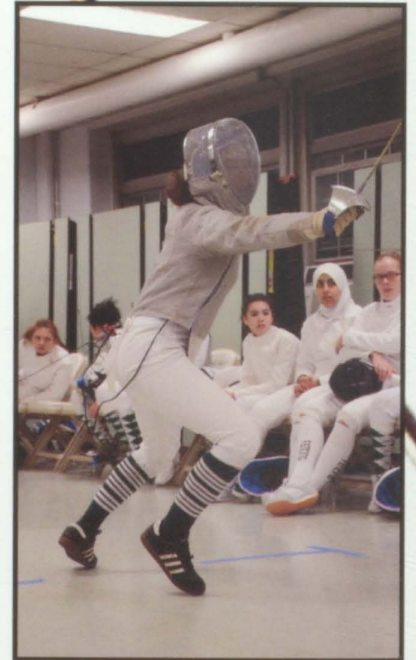
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Captains: Melissa Fisher and Casey Gilfoil



Seniors: Donna Betsch, Melissa Fisher, Casey Gilfoil, Emily Duke, Pateeyaporn Jomphen, April Westergaard



Coach: John Howard
Not Pictured: Vincent Marotto

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Seniors: Alex Diaz and Justin Minnella



Captain: Alex Diaz



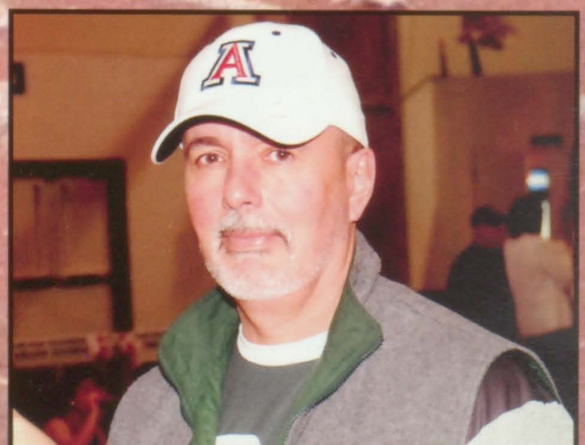
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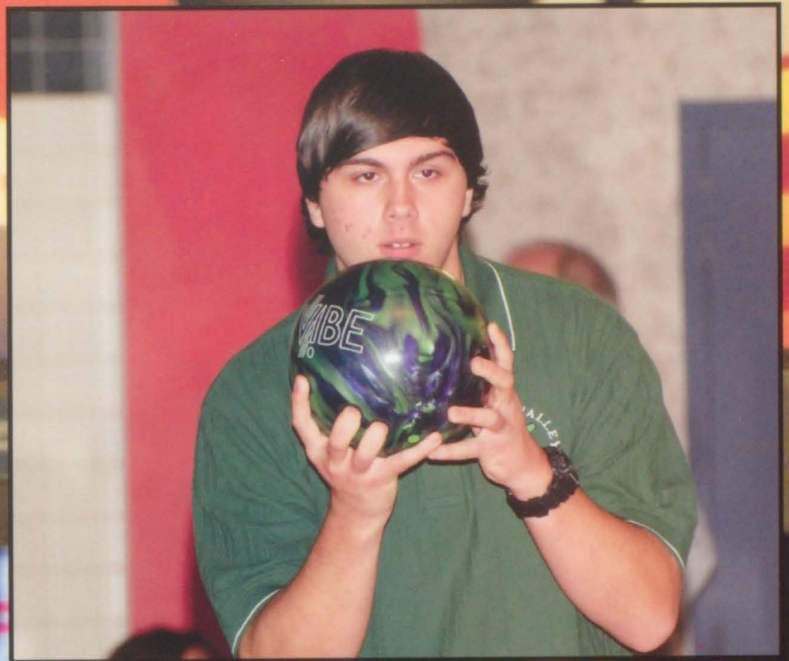
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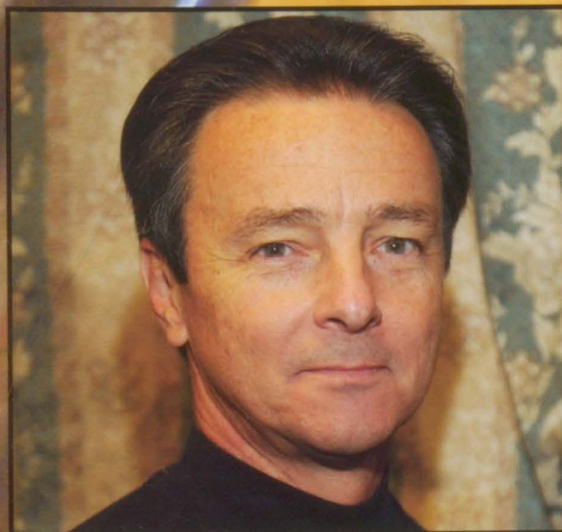
Coach: William Johnson
Not Pictured: Alfred Capello, Brad Ottino



Seniors: Giuliano Petronelli,
Joseph Lorusso, Michele Sadkin,
Alyssa Piedra



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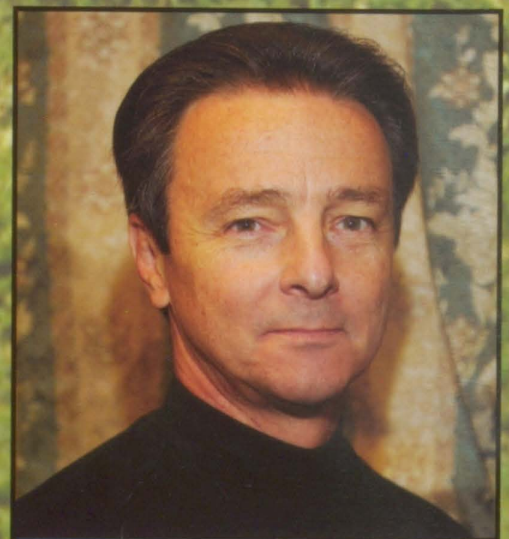
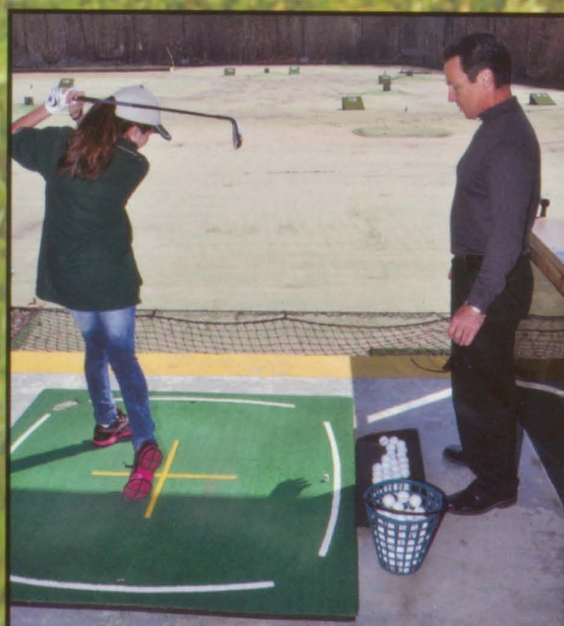
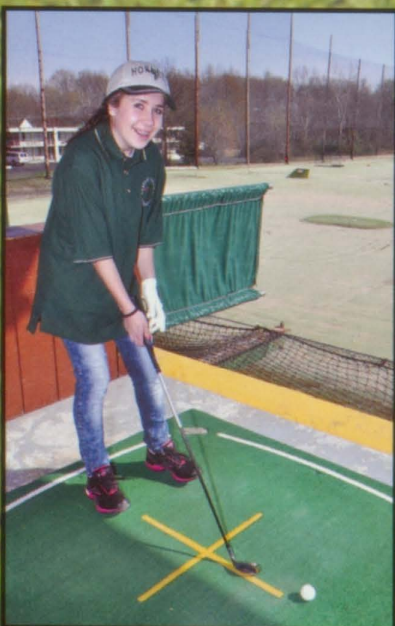
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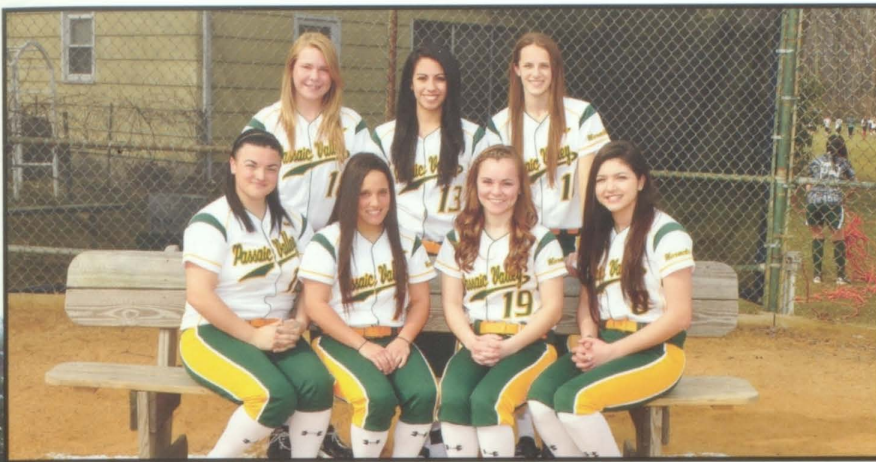
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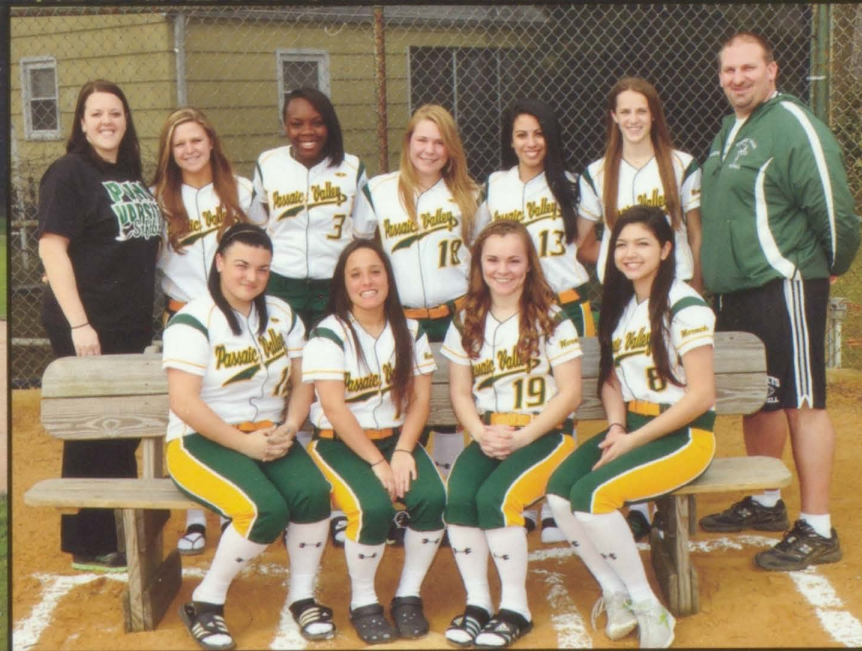
Seniors: Erica Liguori and Randy Calabro



Coach: Frank Ariola



Seniors/Captains: Jamie Yarrish, Mikayla Melendez, Kristina Bronkowski, Elizabeth DeVenio, Jasmine Sconciafurno, Shannon Dillon, and Linah Munem



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Coaches: Heather Van Dyke, Kathleen Berthold, Christopher Canning, and Erin McNeil



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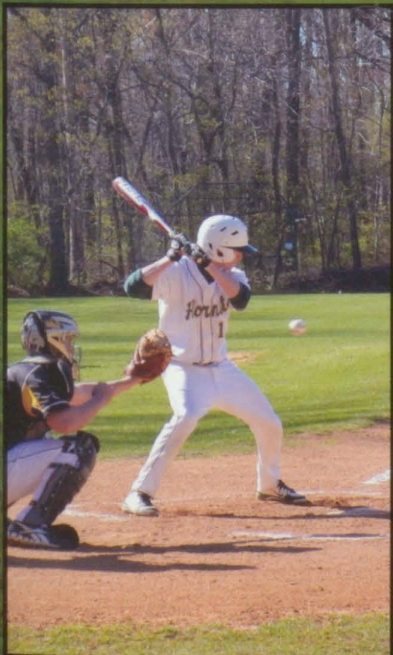
Seniors/Captains: Peter Tantillo, Chris Slinger, Marc Bonilla, Glen Wilke, and Matt Mitchell



Coaches: Jared Fowler, John Pelosi, John Mazzo, Jim Camb, and Rob Adams



There are three things that can happen in baseball. You can win, you can lose, or it can rain.

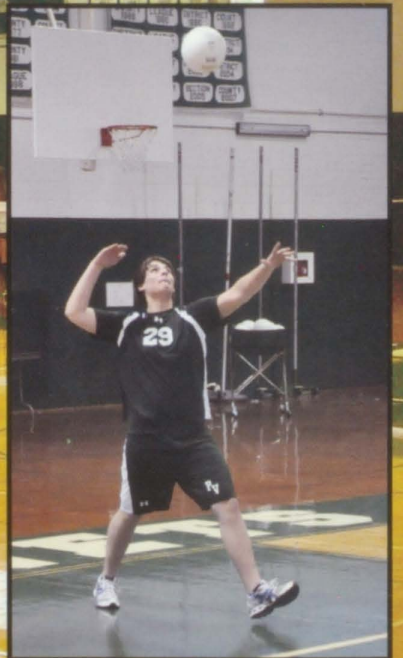


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Seniors/Captains: Lazar Kalezic, Keith Skyta, and Rob Scelzo



Coaches: Darek Libucha, William Robertazzi, and Thomas Deeney

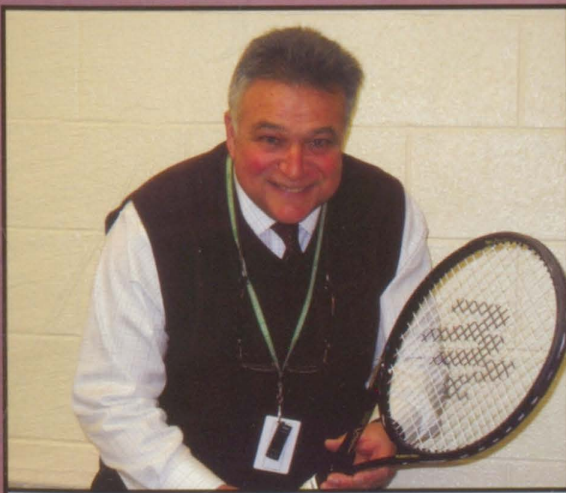


Captains: Raj Shah, Heeruk Bhatt, and Suraj Shah



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Coach: Anthony Ottino



SPRING TRACK



Seniors: Austin Salviano, Ryan Pavelchak, Orlando Perez, Fedele Gallo, Chris Hermann, Max Furnare, Basil Saleh, DeAnna D'Amico, Gabriella Crocco, and Jamie Mulroony



Coaches: William Johnson, Christopher Pescatore, Alfred Cappello, Joel Thornton, Ryan Leaf, Brad Ottino, Kenneth Burke, Cheryl Grande, Suzanne Benvenuti, and Joseph Keating



We are a
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Seniors/Captains: Vincent Esteve, Frank DeLuca, Scott Wisse, Luigi Romano, Nick Sangastiano, DJ DeLeon, and Anthony Peluso



Coaches: Brian Kapral and Anthony O'Hara

GIRLS LACROSSE



Seniors: Nicole Wellema, Doria Brown, Mandvi Raval, and Wendy Anell



Captains: Mandvi Raval, Wendy Anell, and Doria Brown



Coaches: Mary Garofalo, Kelly Morris, Lori Demsey, and Heather Davenport



Clubs 2012



Academic Team



Amnesty International Club



Animal Club



Anime Club



Art Club

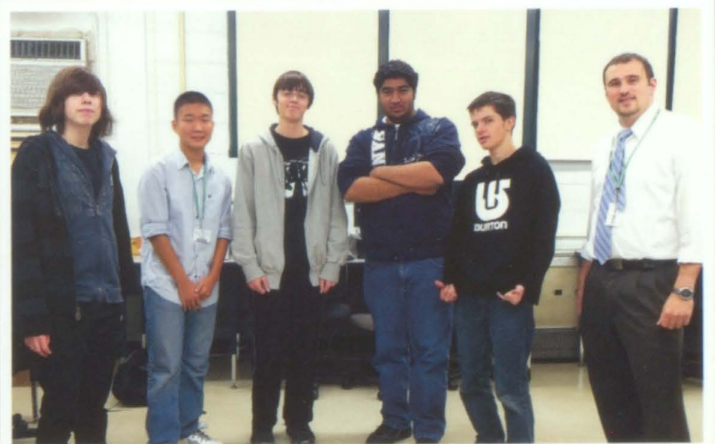


Art Honor Society

Clubs 2012



Audio Visual Club/PVTV



Computer Club



Cosmetology Club



Criminal Justice Club



Drama Club

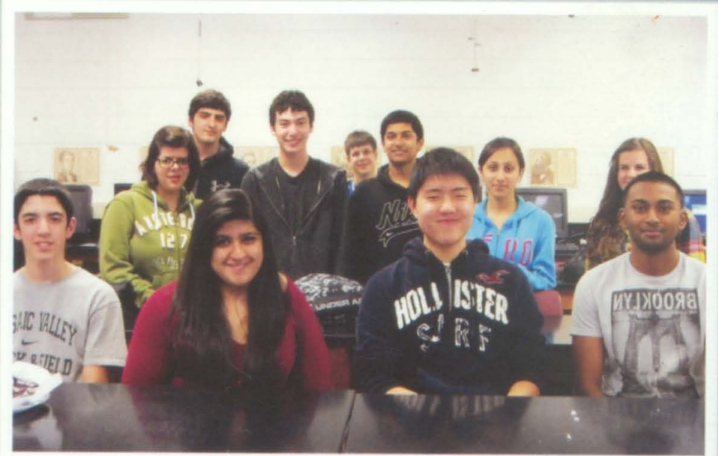


E.R.A.S.E Club

Clubs 2012



Future Business Leaders
of America



Future Doctors of America



Future Educators of America



Future Lawyers of America



Gamer's Club



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French Club



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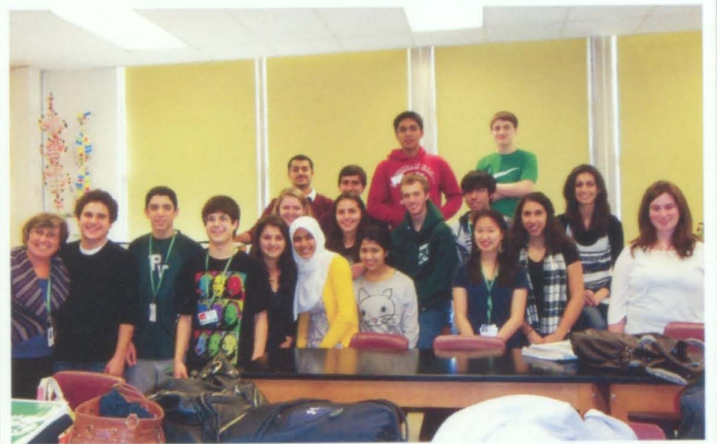


Peer Helpers

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Physics Club



Science League



Ski Club



Student Senate



Student Trainers Club



Thought Club

Clubs 2012



Varsity Club



Vocal Ensemble



Spanish Honor Society



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Girls' Show

Girls' Show 2012



**Head Advisor:
Ms. Kathleen Dellanno**



**Advisors: Ms. Jamie Peters,
Ms. Ennely Cid, and Lindita Kurtishi**

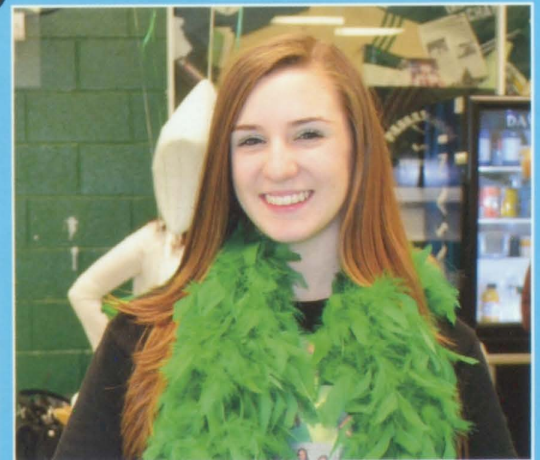
"Edge of Glory"



**White Chief:
Alyssa DeNora**



**President:
Lizzie Johnson**



**Green Chief:
Sara Kosch**



**White Posters Heads:
DeAnna D'Amico
& Olympia Lagonikos**



**Green Posters Heads:
Sarah Sheikh, Rebecca Monk,
& Melissa Radke**

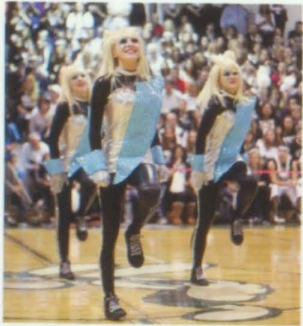
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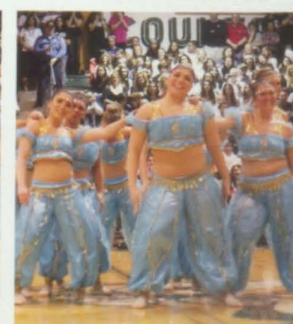
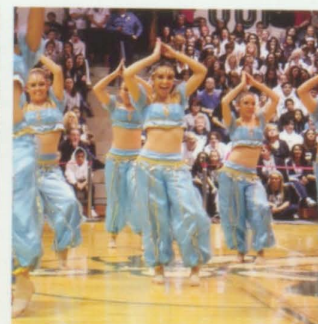
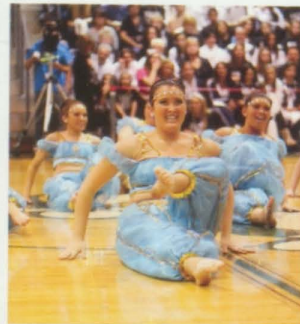
**White Exercise
"Captain Jack Sparrow"
Heads: Ang Agapito and Gina Matano**



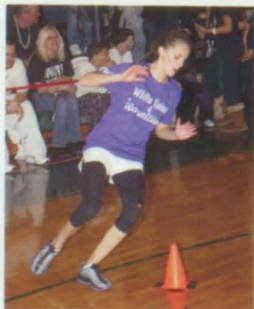
**White Cheer "Lady Gaga"
Heads: Leandra Cilindrello and
Alessia DiMartino**



**White Dance "Genies"
Heads: Ashley Thomas and
Lara LoBue**



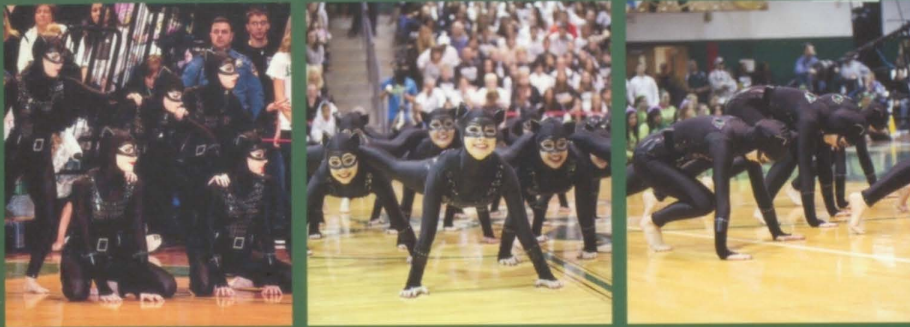
**Relays Heads:
Kayla Rillo
and Alexa
Tillie**



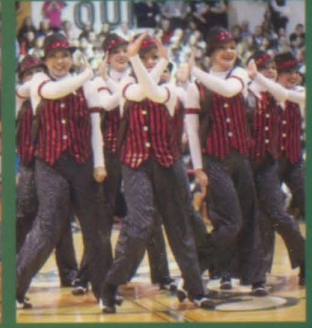
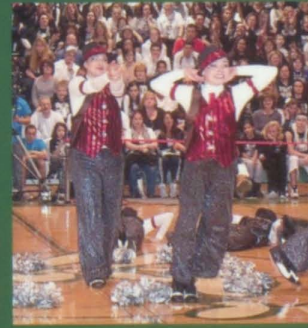
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Kristina
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GREENS

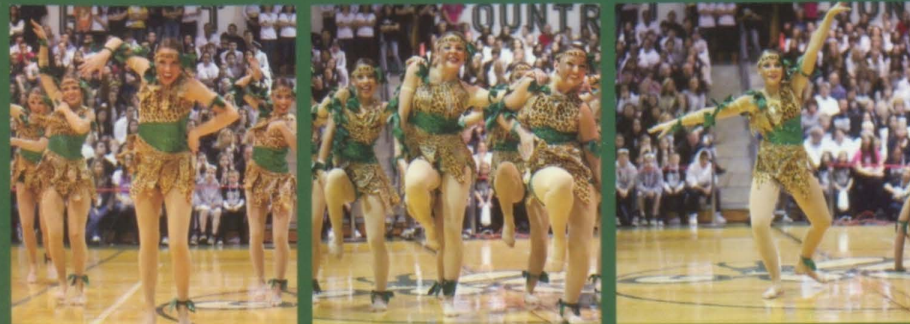
Green Exercise "Catwoman"
Heads: Paige Gensinger and
Lauren Lawson



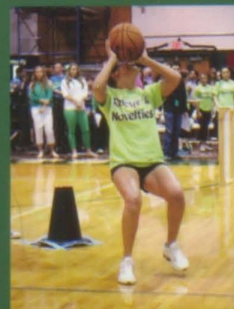
Green Cheer "The Godfather"
Heads: Geena Conti and
Ashley Dondero



Green Dance "Jane of the Jungle"
Heads: Kim Lewis and
Pamela Gaccione

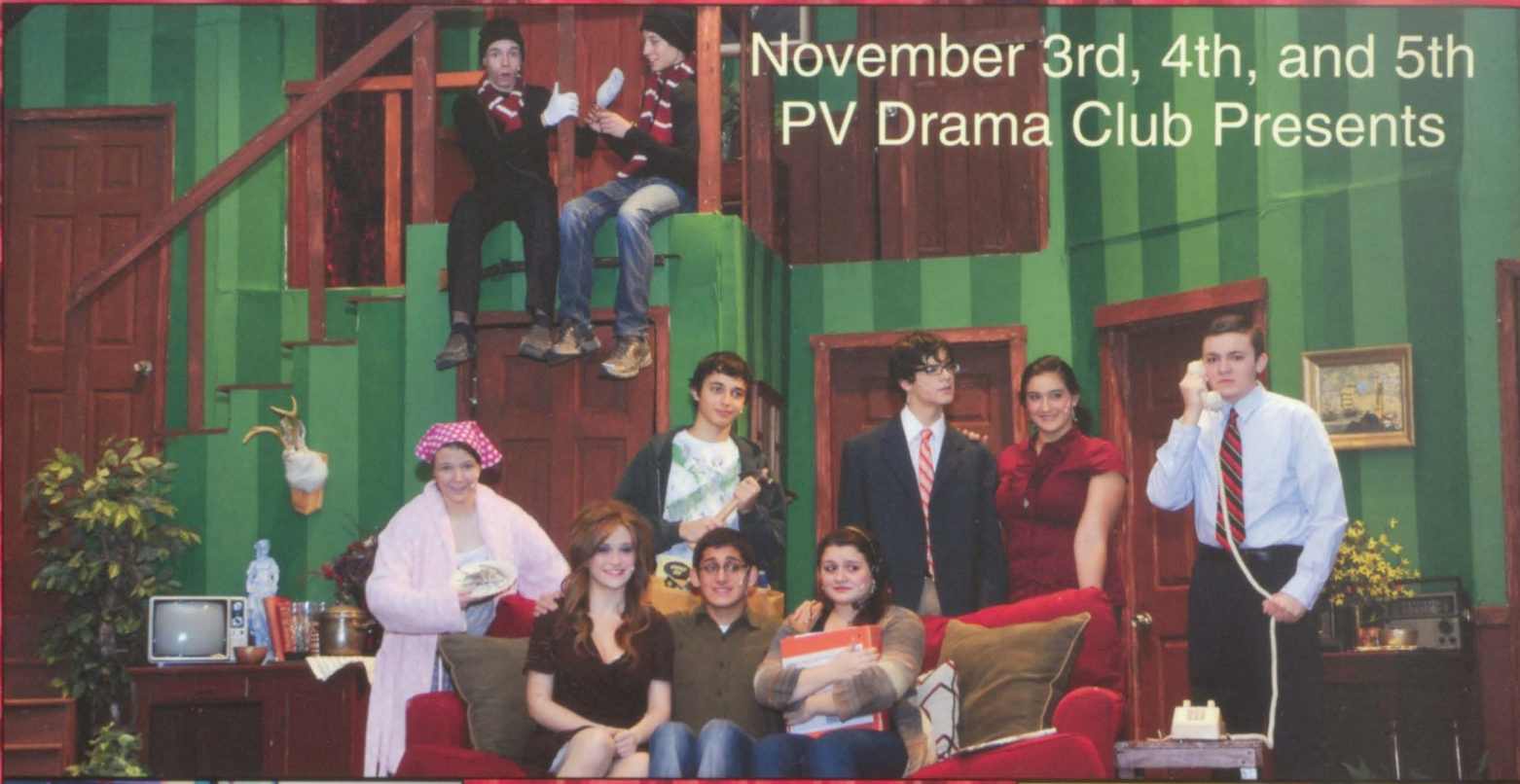


Novelties
Heads: Melissa
Hearney and
Megan Reyes



Relays Heads:
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DeLuca

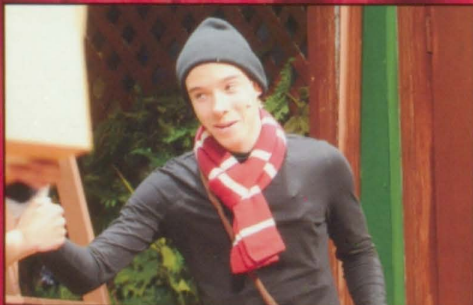
November 3rd, 4th, and 5th
PV Drama Club Presents



Director: Caren Atamian



Seniors: Paraskevi
Georgalos and Rebecca
Monk





**A Nutty
Nutmcracker
Christmas**



**Director: Rebecca
Monk**

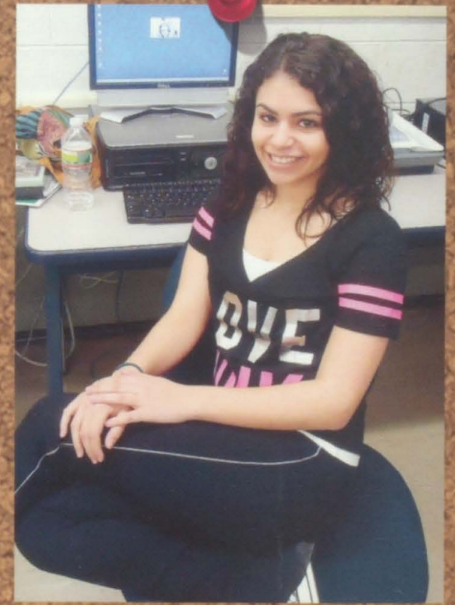


**Seniors: Rebecca Monk,
Janice Hernandez,
Breanna Soranno, Briana
Melograno, Melissa
Hearney, Sara Kosch,
Erica Liguori, Melissa
Radke and Danielle Milza**





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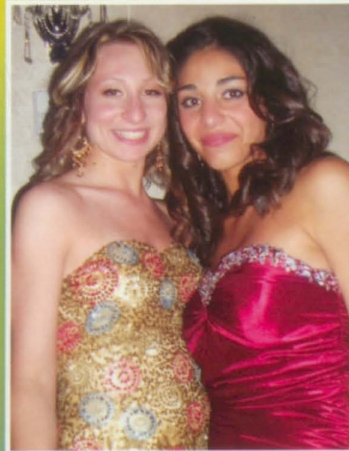
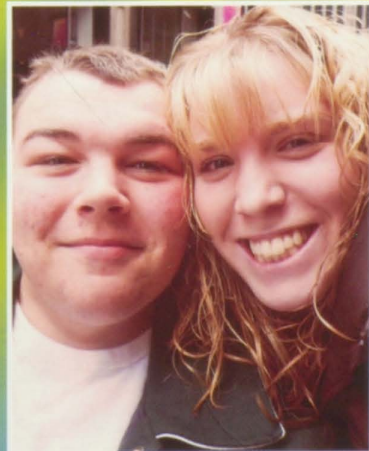
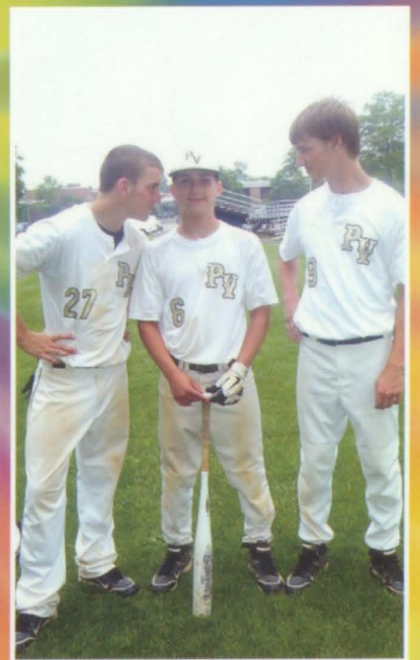
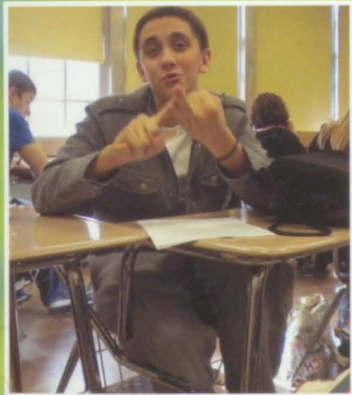
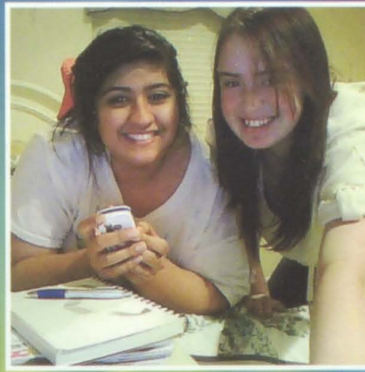
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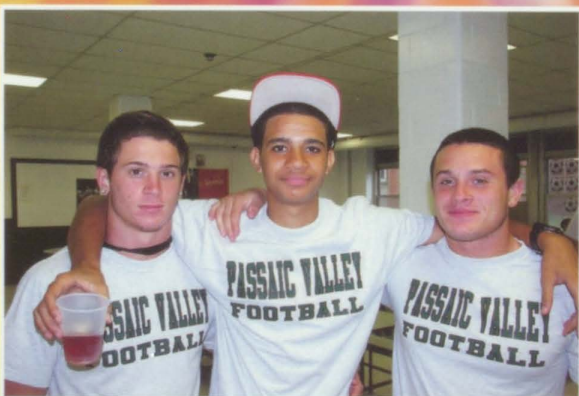
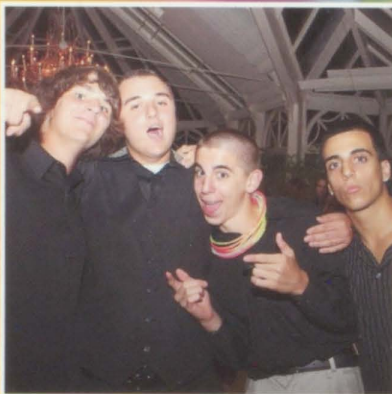
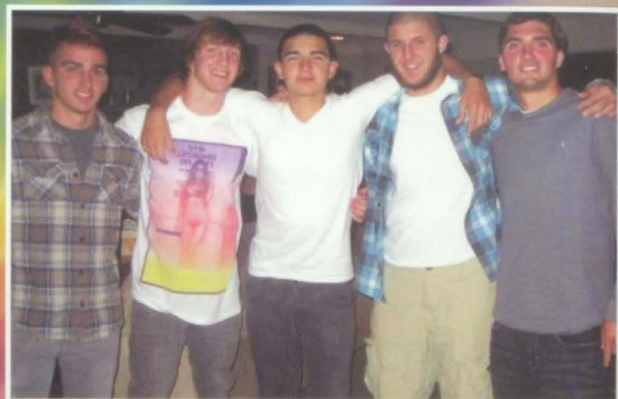
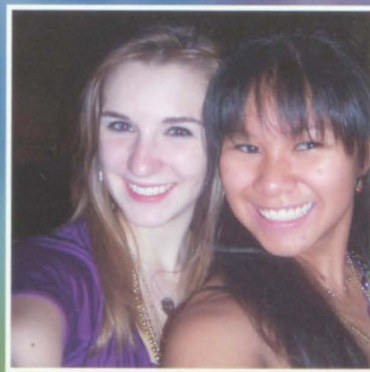
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Kristen Handel, Kristin Cipolla*

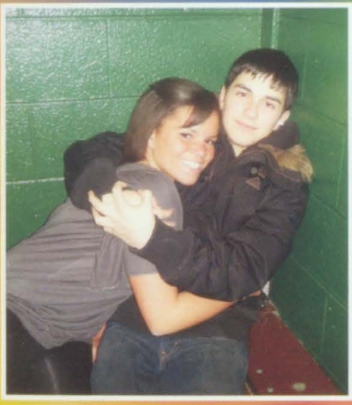


*Mr. Jared Fowler
Advisor*











GENERATIONS

Amanda Quintero



Denise Cestaro 1983

Robert Scelzo



Danielle Zaccaro 1989

Emily Duke



Keri Palumbo 1987

Family lasts a lifetime...

Shana Luckey-Posey



Anne Marie Luckey 1987

Kayla Rillo



Anthony Rillo 1979

Nicole Wellema



Patricia Gravino 1962

Jamie Mulroony



Danielle Grassa 1987

Sara Kosch



Eileen Swift 1987

Dean Pezzino

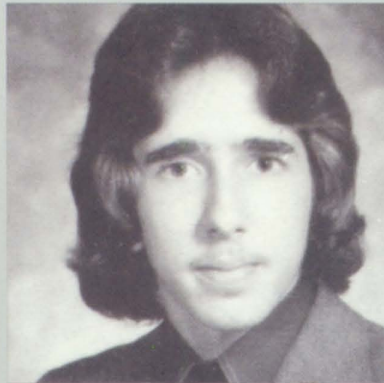


Phyllis DiSalvo 1979

Ashley Melnick



Kimberly Capo 1985



Dave Melnick 1981



Shirley Cobianchi 1962

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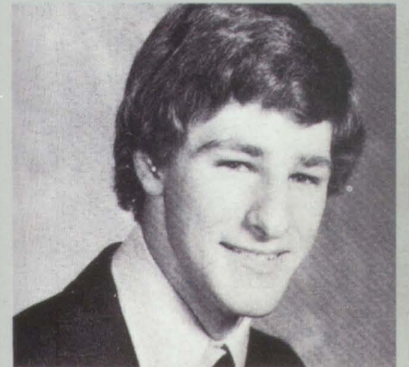
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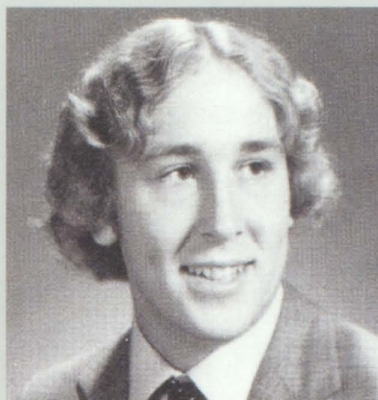


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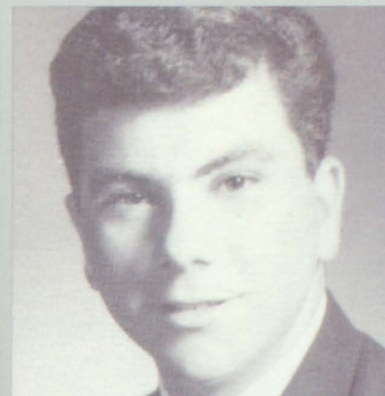
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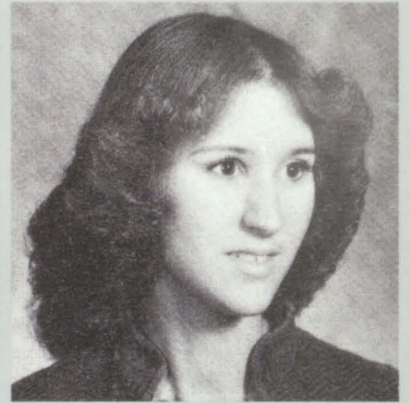


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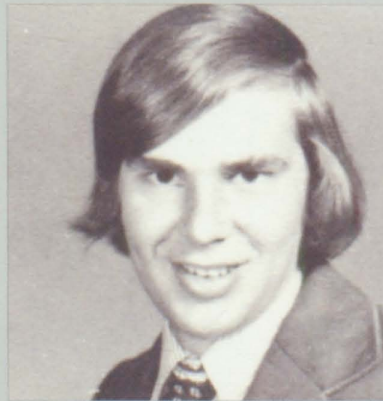


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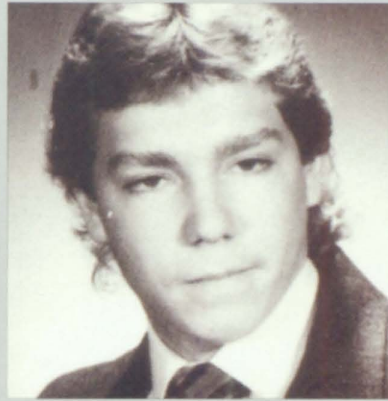


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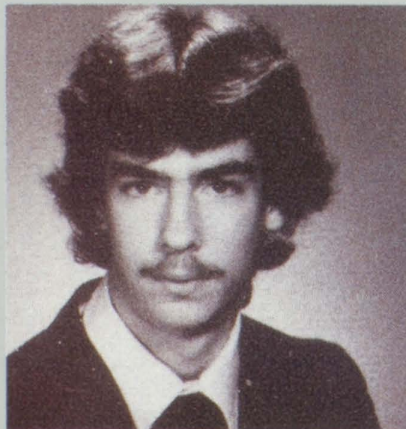
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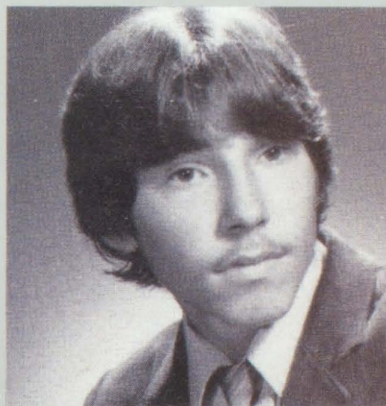


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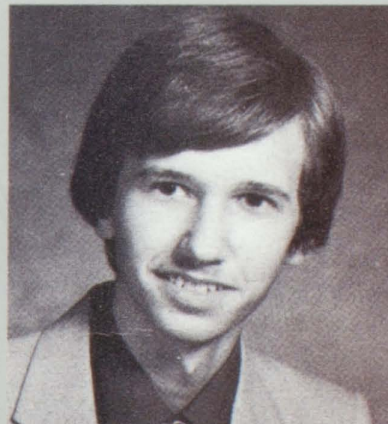


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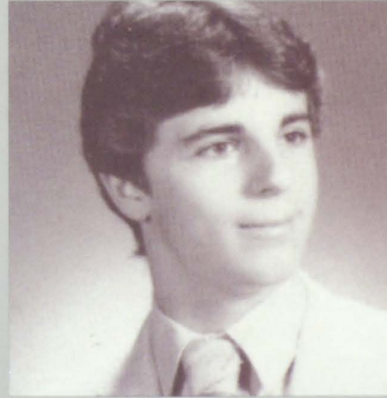


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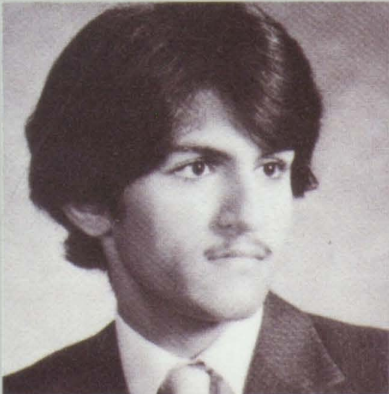


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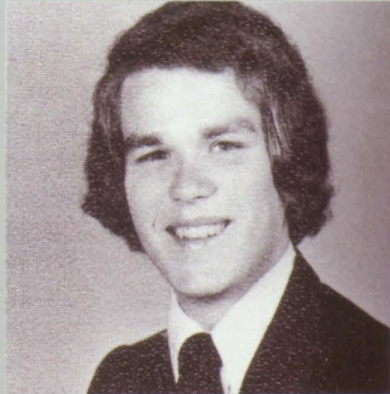
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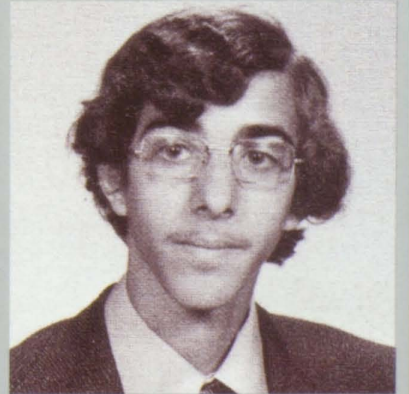
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Kelly Gilhooley



William Gilhooley 1977

Andrea Doumar



Albert Doumar 1975

LETTERS FROM HOME

To Our Daughter **Valerie D' Ambrosio,**

It seems like yesterday that our beautiful "Glowie" was born and now you are graduating from High School. You have accomplished so much both in and out of school. We have watched you grow into a beautiful, caring, and compassionate young lady. Your hard work and determination have not gone unnoticed and we are so proud of you. You have given us so many wonderful memories watching you be a part of Cheering and Girls' Show for the past 4 years. Whatever you do, do it with all your heart. You can do anything that you want to do. Don't settle for second best, you deserve the best of the best, and we will always be here cheering you on. I can't wait to see what the future will bring. I know that no matter where life's path takes you, you will succeed and you will be cherished.

All Our Love,
Mom & Dad

Dear **Marc Bonilla,**

Words cannot express the pride that we feel as parents in being blessed with a very special son like you.

You have brought so much love and happiness into our lives, and we are so proud of you.

Lots of luck and success in all that you do. Believe in yourself and follow your dreams. We love you very much.

Lots of Love,
Mom & Dad

Kristina Bronkowski,

Where to start- From your toddler years you have always been so focused, which is why you became a "black belt" in karate at 6 years old. With love and pride we watched you grow into an amazing young lady. May the joy you have given us also bring you success in your future. We are so proud of the person you have become and of all of your accomplishments. Whenever you set your mind on something, you didn't stop until you succeeded. Set your goals and follow your dreams. Never lose your great sense of dedication. Always stay focused and pursue each and every goal. We know that with your confidence and determination all of your dreams will come true and you will continue to grow and develop into an even more amazing young lady. There is no limit to what you can achieve. Live life to the fullest extent and always remember that we love and support you with all our hearts. As you enter into the next phase of your life, may it be full of love, happiness and success! We love you---

Mom, Dad, & Allen

Kristina Bronkowski,

Kristina- Our "favorite" granddaughter
We love you and wish only the best for you always.
We are so proud of you and all your accomplishments.
We loved watching you play soccer, basketball and softball all these years and wish you a very happy and successful future!

We love you,
Grandma & Grandpa

Josh Cooper,

"J," You are the last, but certainly not least, of our 4 P.V. Graduates. We have with absolute brimming pride watched you grow into an exemplary young man. You have by your mere existence shown us courage beyond all measure, determination beyond your ability & comprehension, and a maturity beyond your years. It is with infinite pride and immeasurable love we wish you well in your future endeavors & your life's journeys. You have been blessed in your life with amazing people who have helped you along the way. You've had an amazing girlfriend who has loved you through thick and thin, friends who you could count on and who often went above and beyond the definition of a friend, teachers, administrators, and staff who guided, cajoled and supported you toward your goals. You have had your family's never ending consummate support & faith and we know unequivocally that, "You WILL Make a Difference." We leave you with this verse to remind you of your greatest source of strength which comes from above. Philippians 4:30- "I can do everything through Christ who strengthens me." You have our love always & forever,

Mom & Dad & your family

Elisa Corsetto,

Elisa is a well rounded young lady and will succeed tremendously in her near future. I know she will make herself very proud of who she will become as well as making her parents very proud in whatever path she chooses to follow. Elisa is definitely a go getter and a achiever who will reach for her stars! We are happy she is our daughter and wish her the very best ever and always. We Love you a lot,

Mom & Dad and sis Brianna

Gabriella Crocco,

It's hard to believe that "Our Baby Girl" is old enough to go to college. Congratulations on your graduation from High School! You have successfully completed a large chapter of your life and will now begin a new one and exciting one. You have grown from a sweet baby girl to a wonderful, intelligent young woman. We are extremely proud of you and all that you have accomplished. Never give up on your dreams and always be TRUE to yourself. We wish you the best of luck as you work toward your goal as a History Teacher. Remember that we are here for you and will support you in all you do, and our love is endless. We love you very much

Mom & Dad

Dear **Andrea Doumar,**

Daddy and I are so proud of you. You have grown into such a wonderful young woman. I still remember your first day of preschool when you sat on the floor in Miss Debbie's classroom sobbing. Then the next day you walked right into school like you had been going for years. You have made some great friends and created memories that will last forever. We hope all your dreams come true, you deserve it. Good luck in college, have fun and work hard!

Love,
Mom, Dad and Jaclyn

LETTERS FROM HOME

Dear **Melissa Fisher,**

Do what makes you happy; Be with those who make you smile; Laugh as much as you breathe; Love as long as you live! You always do your best, you make me proud.

Congratulations
Love Mom

Kayla Gordon,

We are very proud of you, all the hard work that you have done to get through school at the level that you are is proof that your future is going to be a bright one and full of joy and success for you.

We are so proud of you!

Mom and Tony

Dear **Shannon Hartwig,**

As your High School journey comes to a close, we reflect back on the past four years. From your first day as a freshman to your senior year, you have had many exciting learning experiences. Meeting your guidance counselor, learning to speak French, Jazz and Concert Band, and Culinary Class are just some of your many High School experiences.

You have grown as a person. Your confidence is stronger and you have begun setting goals for yourself. As you move on, the Philosophy to live by will remain the same; be a good person, think of others, always use words of kindness and remember to care, laughter is genuine, do your best, believe you can, speak up against wrong. Be a good friend, be loyal and trustworthy. Never forget those who have been there for you.

As you take on your next learning adventure, you will take this Philosophy with you. Let it be your guide, your focal point, your grounding.

Hold on to what's important to you. Your parents will always be there for you. Using the slogan from your dad's favorite store: "You can do it we can help". Using the slogan from your mom's favorite store: "The signature of American style".

Good Luck, Best wishes, We Love You!

Love,
Mom and Dad

To Our Daughter **Ashley Rose Kolenc,**

It seems like yesterday that our miracle arrived. Our beautiful baby girl with warm brown eyes, ringleet curls of brown and a smile that brightened our days and brought joy to our entire family. We remember vividly all of your first milestones, talking, walking, the first day of school, horseback riding, cheerleading, clarinet, piano & guitar, concerts, plays & sports. Now you are graduating high school. Time has flown by! As you continue on your life's journey we wish you good health both mental and physical. You will need both to fully enjoy life's pleasures. We wish you happiness in each goal you set out to attain. View any setback as temporary or another lesson in life. Learn from these challenges, be kind to yourself, have a positive attitude and success will happen in all areas of your life. We wish you love. To love and be loved is life's greatest gift. May our family traditions live on through you and bring you fond memories. We wish you laughter and fun times with good friends who will appreciate you for the wonderful person you are. We wish you faith, not only in yourself and

your own capabilities but also faith in God. Your faith in Him will give you the serenity to change the things you can, accept the things you can't and the wisdom to know the difference. Nurture your spirit with prayer. When no one else will listen, He is always there! May you find a career you love. We are so proud to call you daughter. You have faced many obstacles with resiliency and continue to thrive. You are beautiful inside and out! We will always be here to share your adventures in life. Be safe, be happy and know that you are loved more than words can express.

Love,
MaMa & Daddy

Sara Elizabeth Kosch,

It seems like only yesterday we were blessed to bring a beautiful baby girl into the world. Now 18 years later she is ready to go out into the world as an adult. They say that the high school years fly by and it certainly is so true. You entered PV as a freshman, sweet, enthusiastic and ambitious. Looking at you now, as a senior, your qualities haven't changed, but are only more obvious than ever.

You were challenged with many obstacles that weren't in your favor during the four years, but you never gave up. You pursued every goal and dream that you set for yourself (GREEN CHIEF). You are an amazing young lady, and we are so very proud to say "That's our daughter!"

You possess so many amazing qualities about you that we admire. Your smile lights up a room and your personality is infectious.

We love you with all our hearts and wish you continued success but most of all happiness in your life.

Always stay true to yourself and reach for the stars, but remember to SMILE, SPARKLE, SHINE!

Love you with all our hearts,
Mom & Dad

Dear **Deborah Laguna,**

Congratulations! You Did It!

We are so proud of all you have accomplished. You have always been a dedicated person in everything that you do.

You have taken on a lot of responsibility, not only in school but in other areas of your life and have always given 100% of your effort and dedication.

Continued success as you endeavor to write a new page in the story of your life.

You will always have the support of your parents and siblings. We are so very proud of you.

You don't talk you go and do. You always let your actions speak louder than your words.

As you go on in life may all the experiences achieved and the lessons learned during the past twelve years help you to achieve all your goals and to climb every mountain. Blessings to you always.

We love you
Dad (William) Mom (Taty) Brother (Giancarlo) Sister (Kylene)

LETTERS FROM HOME

Dear **Deborah Laguna**

Wow I can't believe how time flies. It seems that it was yesterday when you were 8 and wanting to sing to the world. Now not only do you sing for the almighty, but you have blossomed to become an admirable young lady. Mentoring you has been the most pleasant and unexpected experience. As you embark on your own journey of self discovery I pray that you recall all our conversations and that they will help you in this new phase of your life. I trust that your leveled head and strong personality will make you stand out in all you do. The almighty gifted you with the name of an amazing religious figure Deborah: a Judge, a leader, an outstanding woman. I pray that you continue to be a leader and that you achieve all which your heart desires, that you continue to be an example of success knowing that we have a higher power working on our behalf. May the Almighty Bless You and keep you safe.

Always remember, that life will bring hard choices, that when it's time to sit it out or dance..... I Hope You Dance Deborah,

I Hope You Dance!!!

Blessings
Jamie

Dear **Jocelyn Lee,**

You probably didn't believe it when we said that the four years were going so fast! Now here we are in 2012 watching you embark on your journey to college and choosing a career. The four years have been a joy to watch, as you grew and became a hard-working student, an exemplary leader, a committed volunteer, a faithful friend, and a strong and responsible adult. Words can't even express how very proud we are of all that you've achieved and know that the four years at PV are only stepping stones in which you will continue to be successful in anything that you do in the future. We are honored to call you our daughter and fortunate to watch you as you have matured throughout the years! You are a poised, composed and well-mannered young lady! You are our treasure, our heart and our Princess! Congratulations on your achievements at PVHS and our hearts are with you every day as you plan your future to reach each goal that you set for yourself! Always believe in yourself because you can do anything you set your mind to!! We love you <3!

XoXo,
Dad & Mom

Dear **Erica Ligouri,**

To our Baby Girl, we cannot express how much pride and joy you have given us over the past 17 years. From the moment you were born--to soccer, softball, field hockey, basketball, cheering, Honor Societies, golf, and especially Drum Major in Marching Band--all these things have helped to mold you into an amazing and determined young lady. You are about to enter into the next phase of your life. Whatever you do, know that we will always be there cheering you on as your biggest fans. Best of Luck in college and your future. We love you always,

Mom & Dad xoxo

Nick Liberatore 18 years ago, we held you in our arms and dreamed about the kind of son you would be. You have far surpassed anything we could have imagined. We are so proud of the wonderful, caring young man you have become. Remember to always do your best, enjoy life to the fullest and love with all your heart as we have loved you! May God Bless you & guide you always!
Love, Mom & Dad

My Dearest **Vincent Marciano,**

As I am writing you this letter, I have so many thoughts that go through my mind. Since the time you were a premature baby until now at 18 yrs, you have been a joy! Through all of my illness you have been right by my side and never let me give up. I am so proud of you and our great relationship. You will always be my 1st child and my little boy. Nothing will change that! Your father is as equally as proud of you and the relationship you have with me. I never saw a brother and sister that have such a great relationship as the two of you. You should cherish these relationships for as long as you can. We love you very much and are behind you 110% of the way. I still can't believe this day is actually here. I picture you going to pre-school with Miss Sue as if it were yesterday. As time goes on and changes, at least we have the great memories of you becoming an adult. We love you very much! Vincent, you have turned into such a handsome young man!

My son means the world to me!
So much out there for him to see!
I would like to take him in my arms!
And show him the world and its charm.
As he grows a little day by day,
God lights the path, to guide him on his way.

Dear **Ashley Melnick,**

It doesn't seem that long ago that we watched you smiling and excited to get on the school bus for your first day of kindergarten, and now you are graduating high school. My little girl has grown into a beautiful young woman inside and out and someone that I am very thankful and proud to have as my daughter and best friend. You have impressed us with your academic achievements all through your school years. No matter where life's path takes you, we know you will succeed and be cherished. Remember there will always be ups and downs along the way, but continue to grow and learn...and always stay the sweet, beautiful girl with the biggest heart who loves to laugh and have fun. Good Luck, Health, Happiness and may all your dreams come true. We love you Ashley... no matter what, we will ALWAYS be here for you.

Love,
Mommy, Daddy & Taylor xoxoxo

Dear **Robert Novak,**

I cannot believe I am writing this letter to you, because it means you are a senior and are about to graduate. OMG Rob! You have grown into such a handsome, responsible, caring & loving young man; I just can't believe my eyes. I am so proud of all you have accomplished, and excited for your future. You can do anything you set your mind to son, the sky's the limit. You have developed the qualities of determination, discipline and drive which together are a winning combination for success in life. You are always there to help me and your family, you have learned to be a treasured and loyal friend and I pray you will be a successful college student. My heart is filled with pride, with hope and especially filled for you. I love you so much honey, congratulations!

LETTERS FROM HOME

David Robinson,

Your years at P.V. have gone by so quickly. Freshman orientation seems like it was yesterday, walking beside you in the same halls that both me and your grandfather did. As you close this chapter in your life, hold on to your memories, learn from your mistakes and never give up on your dreams. You can accomplish anything you want. The world is yours for the taking, go and grab it and get everything out of it that you can. Hold on to your passion because it is what will lead you to accomplish your dreams. You are my greatest gift. I am so proud of you. You have my continued support in all you do. This next chapter in life is for YOU to write. I love you! Mom xo

To **Robert Scelzo,**

Congratulations, you did it Rob. There are not enough words to express how proud I am of you. And how much I Love You. Keep your head up high, go for your dreams, you deserve the best. Good Luck and Congratulations. We all Love You.

Love Always's Mom, Rezier, Victoria, Nan, Pop and Maz
xxoo

To Our Dearest **Megan Jean Tencza,**

We are so proud of you for all you have accomplished these last four years. You have had to work hard to overcome some trying circumstances. But with your upbeat attitude and your outgoing ways you have done more than you'll ever know. You are an incredible young woman and an inspiration to us. As you go forward continue to keep that beautiful smile upon your face and the joy and laughter in your heart.

Forever know that Daddy, Sara and I will always be your biggest fans. We will be here whenever you want with open arms.

Thank you for making our lives better!
Congratulations and Enjoy!

Love ya,
Mommy, Daddy & Sara
XOXOXOXOXO

Dear **Megs,**

Congratulations! We are so proud of you. Thanks for being so good to us.

Love,
Moo Moo, Grandpa and Zoe Zoe

Dear **Ashley Thomas**

Who would have thought that your four years in high school would pass in the "blink of an eye." We are so proud of everything you have accomplished academically, socially and through your extra-curricular activities and we thank you for bringing us along for a ride! You have dealt with obstacles, large and small during the last four years and you still managed to stay focused and kept that smile on your face! Your level of maturity is second to none and it will serve you well as you continue your journey through life. You will always have our love and support and we wish you nothing but a lifetime of love, happiness and success. We hope all your dreams come true. Love Mom, Dad & Stephanie

Kristen Schirner,

It is hard to believe you will be graduating high school. It feels like yesterday that we were holding you in our arms and rocking you to sleep. We are so proud of you and all of your accomplishments. Especially being named 1st team all county and all conference for field hockey. You have turned into a star athlete over the years.

CONGRATULATIONS! We know you will succeed in whatever you choose to do.

WE LOVE YOU
Mom, Dad, Phillip

Kristen Schirner,

Congratulations on your Graduation!
We are so proud of you and your accomplishments. We wish you happiness and success in your future. Remember your "Life lessons" and let your determination and passion lead you to all of your dreams. Always know we are here for you.

We love you,
Aunt Patty, Jessica and Adam

Kris,

Congratulations! I'm so proud of all you have done. You're an amazing cousin and best friend, and I couldn't ask for more. I'll be here for you for anything you need in the future, I'm just a futon talk away. I love you! - Jess

Dear **Veronica Schneider,**

We are so proud of you! You are so special and mean everything to us. Since you were a little girl, it seemed that you were destined for something special. Nana and Papa always thought that you were here before. You knew things that seemed to have been learned before you came to us. Now you are about to begin a very exciting part of your life and we will soon find out just what it is you are meant to do! You have brought us so much happiness. I can't even begin to tell you how much! We had so much fun taking you places, Cape May, Hawaii, Mexico, rafting in Oregon, camping in the High Sierras. We really hope you enjoyed your childhood because we tried to give you the best.

You set high standards for yourself and that is something to be proud of. You are a leader and that takes a lot of courage. Being an only child, you have had to find your own way, and we think you are doing a great job. We hope you continue to make good mature choices. You are in our hearts always. Most importantly, we wish you much happiness in whatever you choose to do in life. Remember Veronica, we will ALWAYS be here to support you, no matter what.

With all our Love,
Mommy & Gary

Dear **Michael Stanek,**

Congrats!!! I'm so proud of you. Good luck in the future in medical school, you will be one of the successful surgeons who wants to help others. Go after your dreams, don't ever give up or let anybody stop you. I always knew you were going to be somebody special, someone that I'm going to be proud of. I love you always.

Love Mom & Nick

Scott Wisse,

Congratulations, we know it was not easy for you! Work hard and we know you will succeed in whatever you choose to do. Stay true to yourself and never change for anyone. Smile, be happy, and always have love in your heart. Remember to appreciate the little things and don't sweat the big things. You are a wonderful son and we are so proud of you! We will always be here to love and support you.

We love you, Mom, Dad and Amanda

Kristina Bronkowski, Believe in yourself, reach the highest you can reach in all your heart tells you to do. Know what is most important be kind with love you have everything that you need. - Love Elaine & Ana

Sarah Carney, May All your dreams come true. God Bless you always. - Mom, Dad, Sean

Josh Cooper, Congrats! Good luck in college. We love you. Hope all your hardwork pays off! -Mom and Dad

Gabriella Crocco, I love you so much! Yay, you're graduating HS!! xox - Jessica

Gabriella Crocco, Congrats & Good Job! I'm so proud of u! <3 - Frankie

Valerie D'Ambrosio, Congratulations! We are so proud of you - Love you, Nan & Pop

Vincent Esteve, Wishing You only the best today and always, love you! - Mom, Dad & Zachary

Melissa Fisher, The best things in life are the people we love, the places we've been and the memories we've made along the way. - Mom

Shannon Hartwig, I will never forget your first interview. Best Wishes! - The Boss

Shannon Hartwig, You're our family Star; Continue to shine and make us proud. - Uncle Tom and Aunt Jeanie

Shannon Hartwig, Congratulations, Best Wishes, We Love You! - Ralph and Phyllis Cavallaro

Shannon Hartwig, Good Luck and Best Wishes To The Third Member of our Band! - Uncle Ken and Uncle Bob

Ashley Rose Kolenc, You are one special "PUNK" and I Love You! - Aunt Gina

Ashley Rose Kolenc, "You are my sunshine". I Love You! - Mema

Ashely Rose Kolenc, May God bless you always. Love you babe. - Grandma

Ashley Rose Kolenc, You did it, Booger! Way to Go! -Mama & Daddy

Gaetano Marra- Congratulations, Best Wishes For The Future. -Ziammaria & Uncle Tony

Gaetano Marra, May all your dreams come true, We Love you. -Mom & Dad

Gaetano Marra, Congratulations & Best Wishes in all your Future Endeavors. - Zia Anna & Uncle Nestor

Gaetano Marra, Congratulations Cuz, Reach for the Stars.- Stacy, Antonia & Nicole

Kayla Rillo, Congratulations Kayla! We love you! -Mom and Dad

Steven Sadek, Good Luck. We love you! - Mom, Dad, Joanna

Kristen Schirner, Congratulations Kris! - Aunt Diane & Tori

Kristen Schirner, Congratulations Kristen! - Aunt Carol, Uncle Joe, Nicole & Anthony

Kristen Schirner, Congratulations! We are so proud of you. - Mom, Dad, & Philip


Kristen Schirner, May your future be as beautiful as you are. - Grandma

Glen Wilke, Congratulations on your graduation and good luck in college - Mom, Dad, and Keith

Danielle Yuppa, Congrats! We love you! -Mom, Dad and Jess

Congratulations Andrea and the Class of 2022! Love, Dad, Mom and Jaclyn



MATTHEW, 
CONGRATULATIONS!

**YOU ARE GIFTED, MATT USE IT WISELY. GOOD LUCK
AT M.I.T!**

**LOVE,
GRANDMA & GRANDPA**



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Congratulations Nick and Lizzie and
the Class of 2012.

Cherish your friendship, follow your
dreams... there's nothing you can't
do!

So proud of the young man and
young woman you've grown into.
Love you both,
Mom



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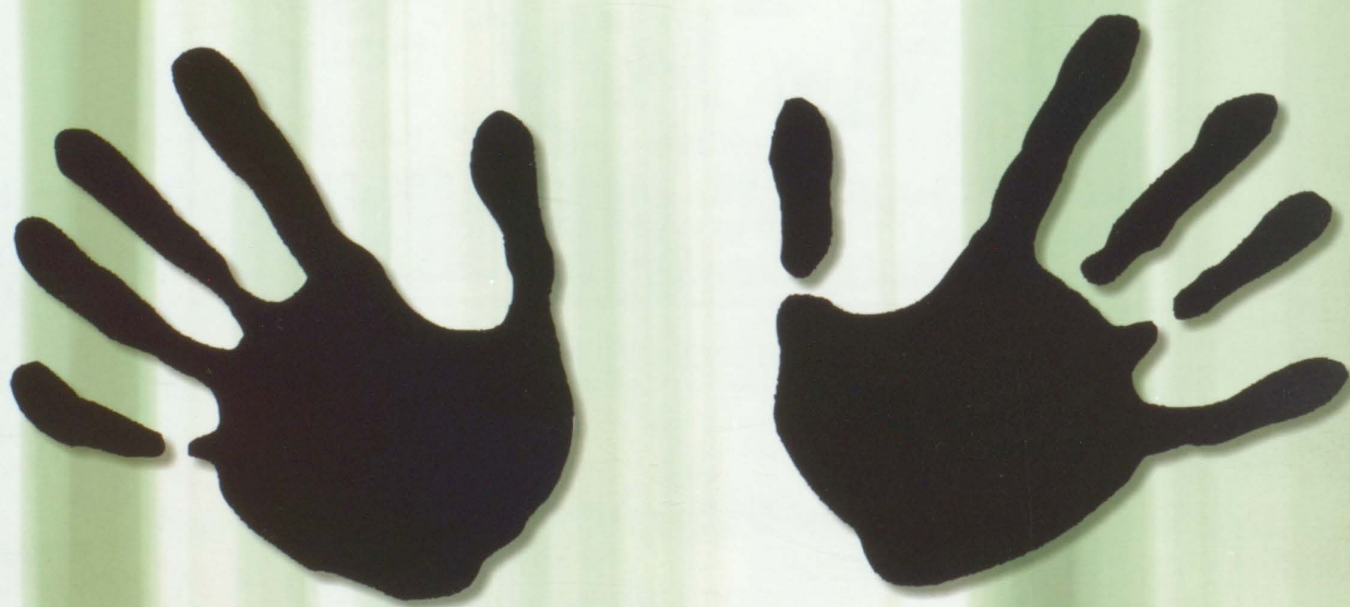
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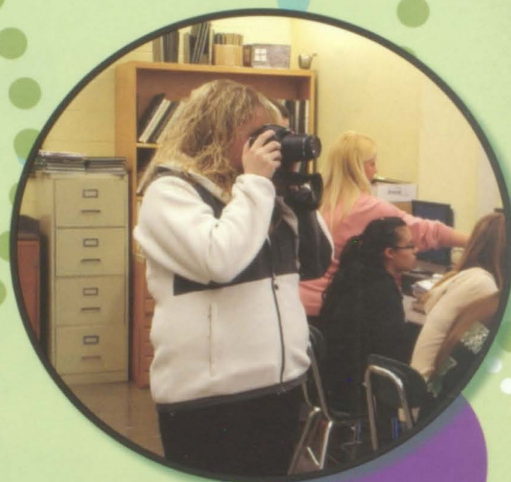
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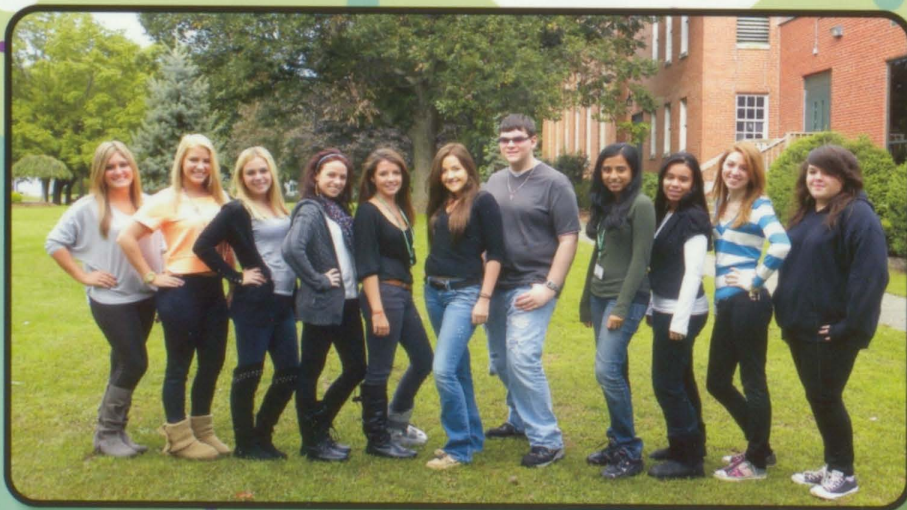
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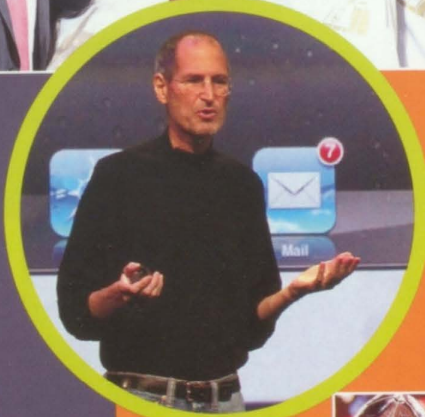


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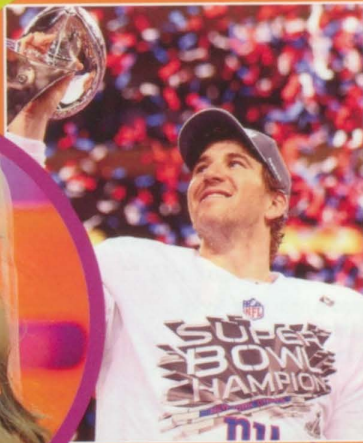
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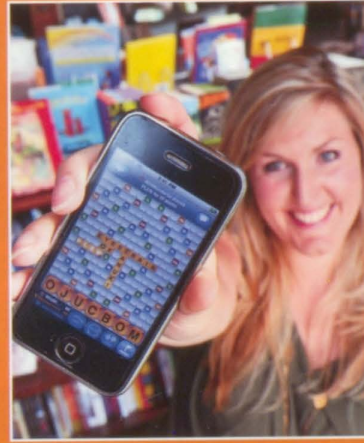


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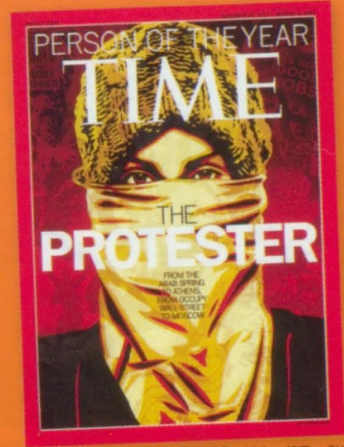
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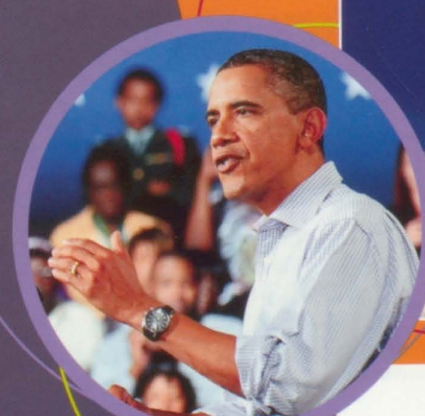
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Occupy Wall Street Occupies Headlines

Outrage over bank bailouts and foreclosures sparks a protest movement that spreads from New York's Zuccotti Park to cities across the nation.

Space Shuttle Program Ends

The nation's budget woes force NASA to cancel a 30-year program that shuttles U.S. astronauts to and from the International Space Station.

You Are One in 7 Billion

In October, the United Nations expresses concern over the planet's food supply now that the world population has reached an all-time high of 7 billion.

News



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Statue of Liberty Turns 125

Lady Liberty celebrates her 125th anniversary. To mark the occasion, 125 immigrants from 46 countries are sworn in as U.S. citizens.



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Halloween Blizzard Brings Tricky Snowfall

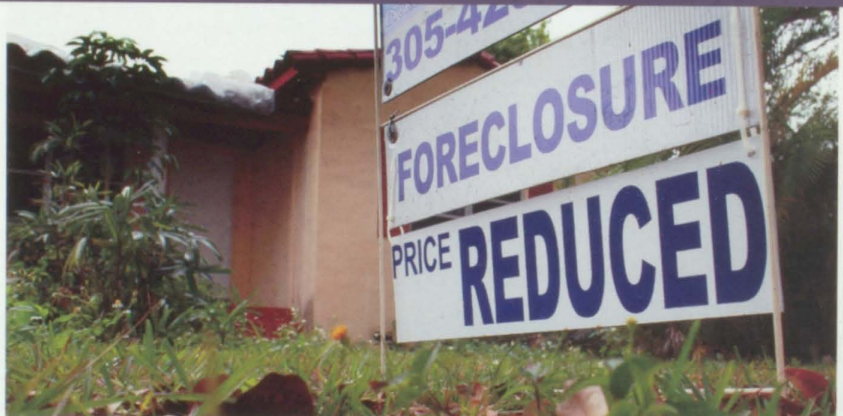
A surprise Nor'easter dumps record snowfalls of more than two feet in the Northeast, leaving millions stranded without power on Halloween.



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Doctor Convicted in Michael Jackson's Death

Conrad Murray, Michael Jackson's personal physician, is convicted of involuntary manslaughter for his role in the pop star's anesthetic overdose.



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New Foreclosure Relief Is Coming

The government passed a near unanimous 26 billion dollar mortgage settlement, supported by 49 of the 50 states. The settlement is geared towards those affected by the housing crash that now owe more on their houses than they're actually worth.



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Arab Spring Extends Through Fall

Middle East regimes topple with the death of Libya's Muammar Gaddafi and the ouster of Egypt's Hosni Mubarak and Tunisian dictator Zine El Abidine Ben Ali.



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Hurricane Irene Engulfs New England

Hurricane Irene unleashes torrential rains on New England, resulting in washed-out roads and swollen rivers. One woman is swept away and drowned.



Cruise Ship Capsizes

The *Costa Concordia* runs aground off the Italian coast near the Isola del Giglio, resulting in numerous casualties.



Death of Bin Laden Catches Nation's Attention

The United States watched as news came in about the death of Osama Bin Laden, following the Seal Team 6 raid on the terrorist leader's Pakistan compound.



U.S. Troops Leave Iraq

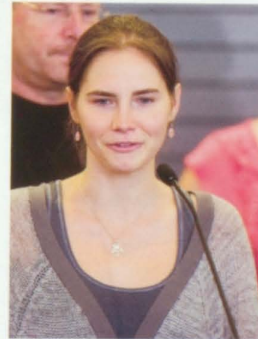
The withdrawal of U.S. troops from Iraq ends in December, concluding eight years of war and occupation.



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Greek Economy Endangers European Stability

European nations offer bailout loans and urge austerity measures to keep the Greek debt crisis from damaging the Euro-Zone economy.



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Amanda Knox Acquitted

Italian courts overturn the murder conviction of American college student Amanda Knox. She returns home to Seattle after serving four years in prison.



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Legislators Take Bullying Seriously

To address increasing concern over harassment in schools, Michigan becomes the 47th U.S. state to pass laws that are written to combat bullying.



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Obama Introduces Jobs Act

To boost the sluggish economy, President Obama presents Congress with the American Jobs Act, a bill designed to put citizens back to work.



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Navy Rescues Iranian Crew from Pirates

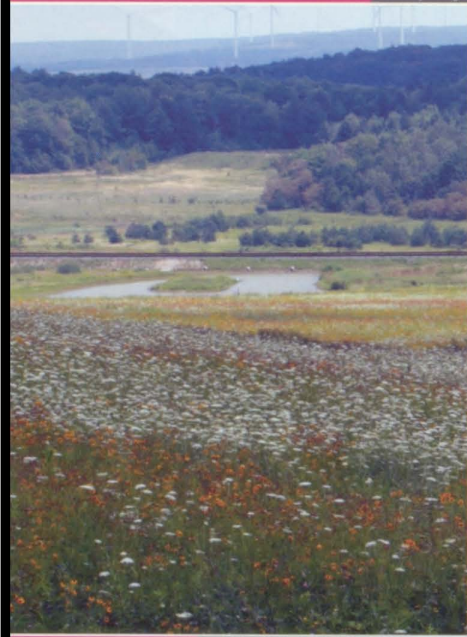
In the North Arabian Sea, the USS *Kidd*, a U.S. Navy warship, rescues the crew of an Iranian fishing boat from Somali pirates.



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Republican Hopefuls Debate

A series of nationally televised debates narrows the field as candidates vie for the 2012 Republican presidential nomination.



Pennsylvania

New York

Washington, D.C.

The Nation Remembers 9/11

On the tenth anniversary of the 9/11 terrorist attacks, memorial events are held in New York, Pennsylvania and Washington, D.C.

Give & Take



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Watson Gets a Government Job

After trouncing human *Jeopardy* champions, Watson, the IBM supercomputer, analyzes pharmaceutical patent data for the National Institutes of Health.



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Coupon Clipping Continues

Coupons are a lifestyle trend as consumers emulate super-thrifty shoppers featured on TV shows like *Extreme Couponing* on TLC.



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School Buildings Go Green

States are adopting green building practices so that school buildings can save energy and use fewer resources.



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Post Office Posts Losses

After sustaining a record \$14.4 billion loss for its 2012 fiscal year, the U.S. Post Office asks consultants to advise them about restructuring.

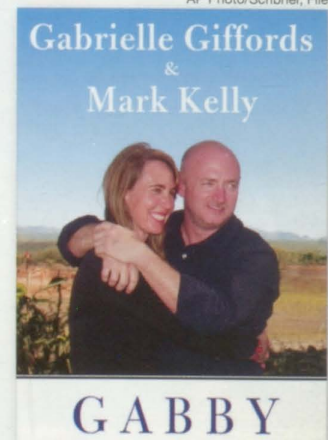
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Consumers Trash Junk Mail

Households across the nation are taking steps to reduce the paper waste of unwanted junk mail from catalog companies and advertisers.

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Gabby Giffords Pens Memoir

One year after she was shot by a would-be assassin, Representative Gabrielle Giffords and her husband publish a memoir.

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Tuscaloosa Survives Tornado

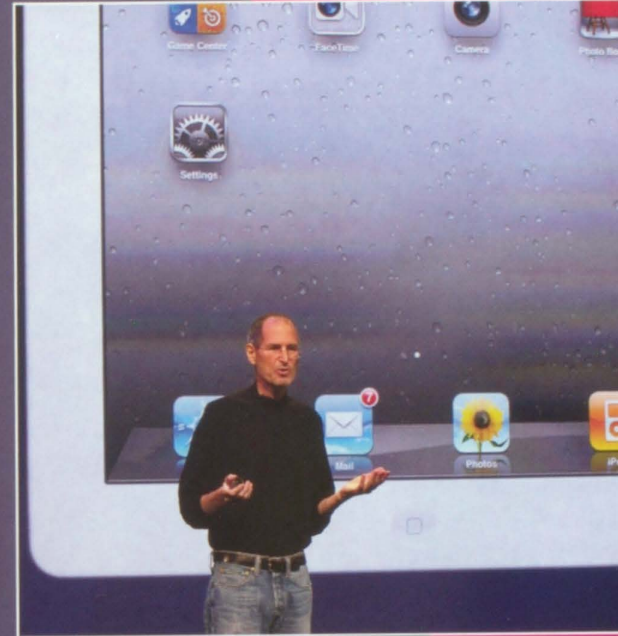
When a tornado hits the town of Tuscaloosa, these University of Alabama students seek shelter in a bathtub under a mattress.



"The Protester" Is Person of the Year

As demonstrations in Tunisia, Egypt, Libya, Syria, and New York make headlines, *Time* magazine names "The Protester" as 2011's Person of the Year.

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Steve Jobs Dies

Apple co-founder Steve Jobs, a pioneer in the personal computing and consumer electronics fields, dies at age 56 of pancreatic cancer.

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Women Leaders Share Nobel Peace Prize

Liberian peace activist Leymah Gbowee, Liberian President Ellen Johnson-Sirleaf, and Tawakkol Karman of Yemen all receive the Nobel Peace Prize.



New LED Lightbulbs Shine for Decades

Pricey, Energy Star-rated LED bulbs debut in stores and outshine compact fluorescent bulbs, lasting five times longer.

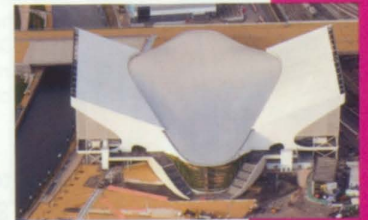


New Standards Regulate Fracking Practices

Regulators announce national anti-pollution standards to oversee the natural gas industry's practice of hydraulic fracturing, or fracking.

YouTube Request Snags Timberlake

Corporal Kelsey de Santis successfully asks Justin Timberlake to be her date for the Marine Corps Ball by posting a video on YouTube.



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London Builds an Eco-savvy Olympic Park

Green building practices transform former industrial land into London's Olympic Park for the 2012 Summer Games.



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Airlines Fly Toward Greener Fuels

Seeking to decrease greenhouse gas emissions and shrink their carbon footprint, passenger jets are starting to switch to new bio-fuels.



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Joplin Mall Is Makeshift School

After Missouri's Joplin High School is destroyed by a tornado, students attend class at nearby Northpark Mall.

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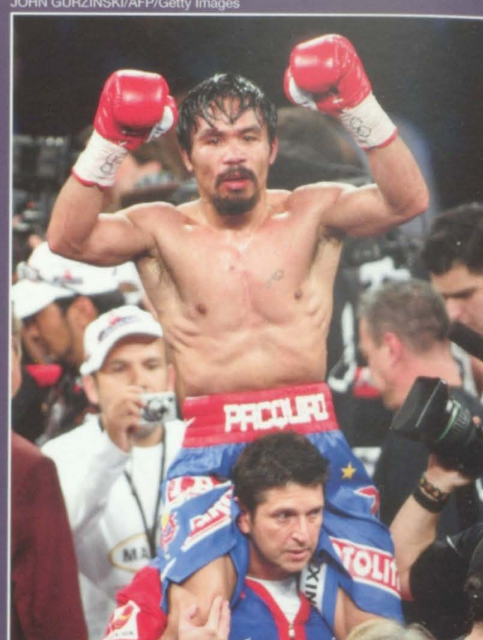
Boston Bruins Bear Down

Following their first Stanley Cup win in 39 years, the Boston Bruins keep the momentum going strong with a solid 2011-2012 season.



Skaters Gather in Brazil

Lincoln Ueda, Tony Hawk and other world-class skateboarders headline a "Jump" festival at Ibirapuera gym in Sao Paulo, Brazil.



Manny Pacquiao Holds His Title

In Las Vegas, WBO Welterweight champ Manny Pacquiao successfully defends his title against Juan Manuel Márquez.

Sports



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Teen Is Youngest LPGA Tour Winner

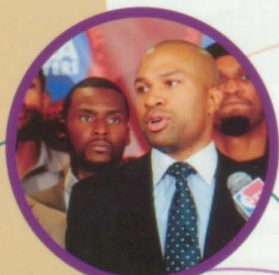
Lexi Thompson, age 16, wins her first LPGA tournament, the Navistar LPGA Classic, making her the youngest winner in the history of the LPGA Tour.



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St. Louis Cardinals Win World Series

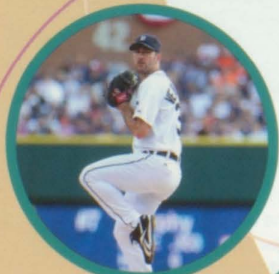
With a win over the Texas Rangers in seven games, the St. Louis Cardinals take home their 11th World Series victory.



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Basketball Players End Strike

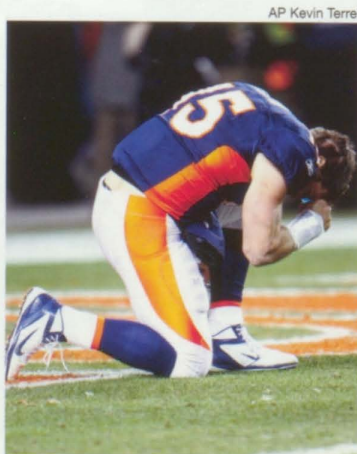
The 2011 NBA lockout ends as basketball team owners and players strike a deal. The start of the season is delayed until Christmas.



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Verlander Receives Cy Young Award

Justin Verlander of the Detroit Tigers is American League MVP and winner of the 2011 Cy Young Award.



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Talking Tebow

Sports announcers and fans debate over Denver Broncos quarterback Tim Tebow, an athlete who wears his faith on the sleeve of his football jersey.



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Minnesota Lynx Net WNBA Championship

The Minnesota Lynx defeat the Atlanta Dream in three games to claim their first-ever WNBA championship.

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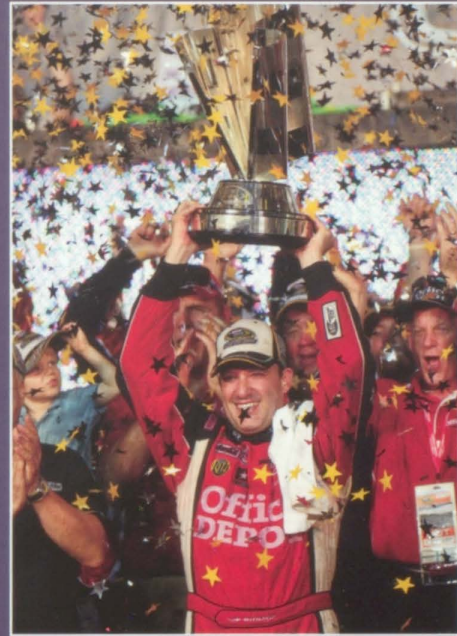
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First Lady Gets a Kick Out of Fitness

Members of the U.S. Women's National Soccer Team join Michelle Obama for a Let's Move soccer clinic on the south lawn of the White House.



Tony Stewart Races to NASCAR Victory

In the season's final race of the NASCAR Sprint Cup Series at Homestead-Miami Speedway, Stewart edges out Carl Edwards in a tiebreaker.



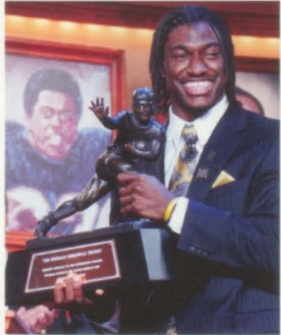
Stosur Wins U.S. Open

Australian tennis player Samantha Stosur defeats Serena Williams to win the women's singles championship at the U.S. Open.

AP Photo/Kelly Kline

Baylor Gets Its First Heisman Winner

Robert Griffin III, starting quarterback for the Baylor University Bears, is named the winner of the Heisman Trophy award.



JoePa Loses His Battle with Lung Cancer

Joe Paterno, the beloved college football coach who led the Penn State Nittany Lions to a record-breaking 409 victories, dies at age 85.

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Sports Illustrated Honors Coaches

The Sportsman and Sportsman of the Year awards go to college basketball coaches Pat Summitt and Mike Krzyzewski.

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New York Wins Super Bowl Trophy

Eli Manning leads the New York Giants to their fourth Super Bowl triumph, narrowly defeating the New England Patriots 21 to 17.



Women Gymnasts Garner Gold

The U.S. women's team brings home gold medals from the Artistic Gymnastics World Championships in Tokyo.

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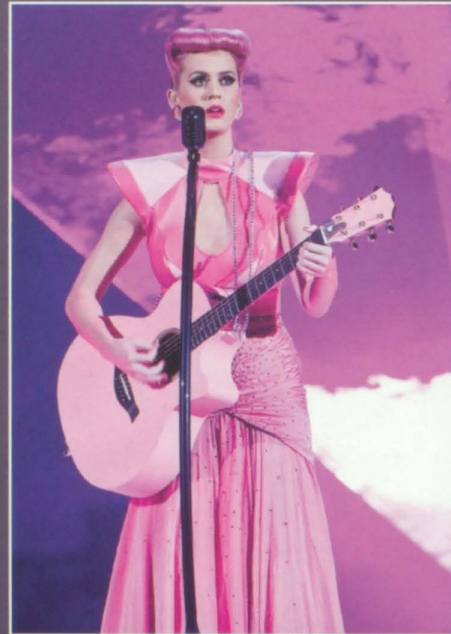
Dallas Mavericks Beat the Heat

The Dallas Mavericks ice the Miami Heat dream team and LeBron James by winning the 2011 NBA World Championship in Game 6.



Kelly Slater Rules the Waves

By winning top honors at the Billabong Pro Tahiti competition, surfer Kelly Slater captures his 47th elite World Tour victory.



Usher on the Upswing

Usher wins the AMA Favorite Male Artist award, performs with Justin Bieber for NBC's *Christmas in Rockefeller Center* and reunites with Ludacris.

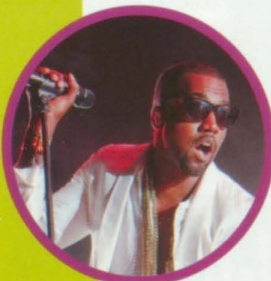
Katy Perry Stays on Top

Katy Perry is the year's most-played artist on the radio, with five Number One singles. She sells two million albums and 24 million digital downloads.

The Rising Star, Bruno Mars

Singer-songwriter Bruno Mars receives six Grammy nominations, an AMA Award for best Pop/Rock Male Artist, and sings with the Muppets on *Sesame Street*.

Music



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Kanye's Lucky Seven

Hip-hop superstar and producer Kanye West receives a total of seven 2012 Grammy nominations, more than any other artist for the season.



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Lady A. Owns the Night

Nashville's Lady Antebellum hits the country charts with "Just a Kiss," from their third studio album, *Own the Night*.



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Adele Turns 21

Despite vocal cord trouble that forces her to suspend touring, Adele is Billboard's Number One artist of 2011 and her album, *21*, is the year's top seller.



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Hot Chelle Rae Is Getting Hotter

Hot Chelle Rae signs with RCA, wins a Best New Artist award from the American Music Association and releases the band's second album, *Whatever*.



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Whitney Houston Dies at Age 48

The music industry and fans alike were stunned about the death of music icon, Whitney Houston. Her body was found unresponsive on Saturday, February 11th in her Los Angeles hotel room.

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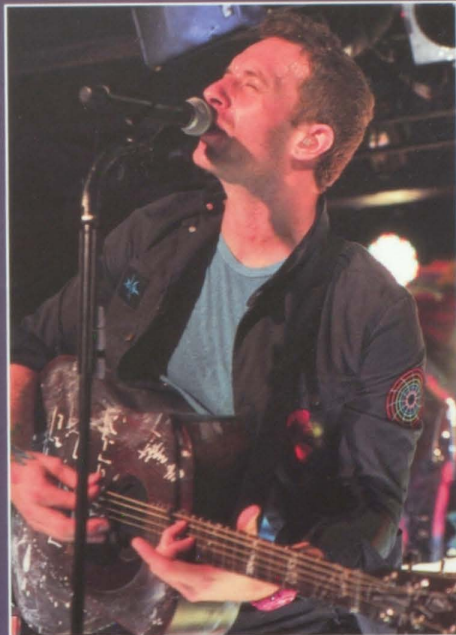
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Jennifer Lopez Goes Solo

After the tabloids cover her split from husband Marc Anthony, Jennifer Lopez wins a Favorite Latin Artist Award from the American Music Awards.



Coldplay Plays It Cool

Coldplay releases its fifth album, *Mylo Xyloto*, and streams a concert in Spain as a live webcast on YouTube.



Gaga Visits Obama

Lady Gaga drops in on President Obama to lend her support to his anti-bullying campaign, according to a White House senior advisor's blog.

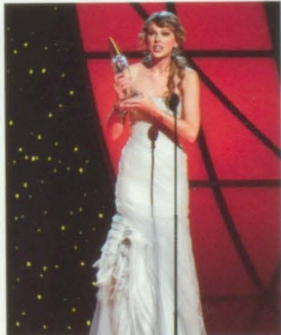
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Maroon 5 Moves Like Winners

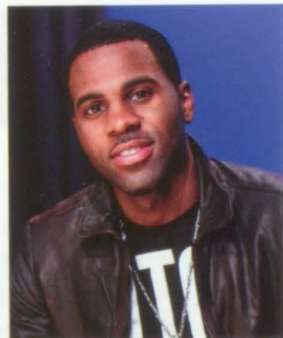
Maroon 5 wins an AMA Pop/Rock Favorite Band award. The cast of *Glee* covers the band's hit single, "Moves Like Jagger."

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Taylor Made Good

Singer-songwriter Taylor Swift releases her *Speak Now World Tour: Live* album and is named CMA Entertainer of the Year.



Jason Derulo Recovers from Fracture

Singer-songwriter Jason Derulo lands in the hospital and cancels a planned UK tour after fracturing his neck while rehearsing acrobatic stage moves.

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The Merry Band Perry

Siblings Kimberly, Neil, and Reid Perry of The Band Perry celebrate a Platinum album, three CMA Awards and a Grammy nomination.

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Natalie Grant Gets Grammy Nod

Singer Natalie Grant receives a Grammy nomination for Best Gospel/Contemporary Christian Music Performance, for "Alive (Mary Magdalene)."

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Casting Crowns Hit the Town

The acclaimed contemporary Christian rock group, Casting Crowns, launches a tour to promote its latest album, *Come to the Well*.



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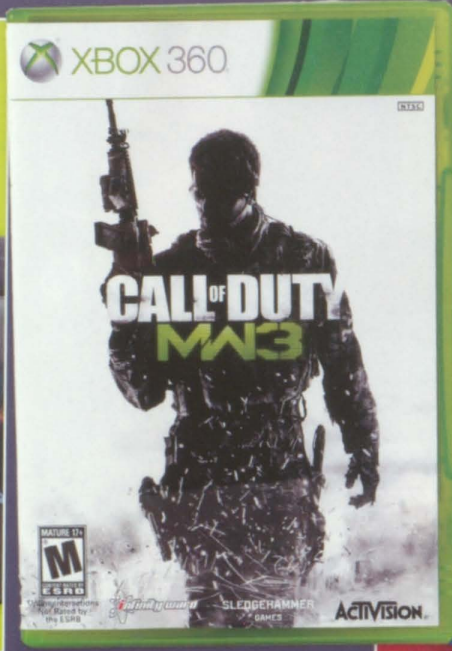
Foster the People Pumps Up

More than a year after the catchy single's release, "Pumped Up Kicks," by Foster the People, finally reaches the top of the singles chart.



Polaroid Pictures to Go

The Pogo instant digital camera from Polaroid prints its own snapshots to share in less than a minute.



Call of Duty Earns \$400 Million

The debut of *Call of Duty: Modern Warfare 3* is the most successful game launch in history, according to Activision Blizzard, Inc.



No Glasses Required for Nintendo "3DS"

The newest Nintendo 3DS device features a no-glasses 3D screen and allows players to record 3D video footage.

Entertainment



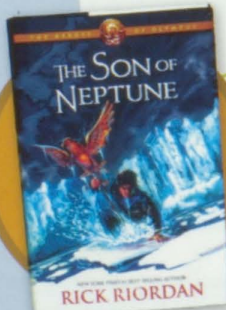
Super Mario 3D Land Conquers a New Dimension

Developed for the Nintendo 3DS, *Super Mario 3D Land* receives rave reviews for its addictive 3D experience.



Angry Birds Goes Mobile

The humorous and addictive computer game, *Angry Birds*, is one of the most successful mobile apps in the world.



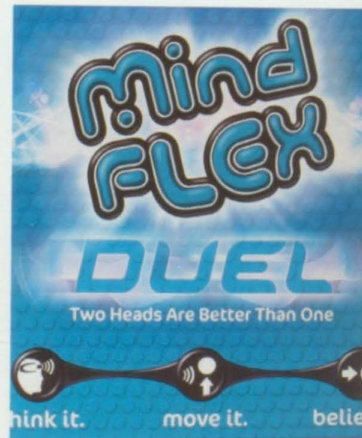
Readers Welcome The Son of Neptune

Troubled teenage demigod Percy Jackson returns for more adventure in the second book of the *Heroes of Olympus* series.



Madden NFL 12 Scores Big

EA Sports adds non-NFL players like female quarterback Hope Bromley to the free agents in *Madden NFL 12*, the newest edition of the popular video game.



Mindflex Duel Is a Brainy Game

Mindflex Duel players wear special, brain wave-sensing headsets to steer foam balls through the air and around obstacles.



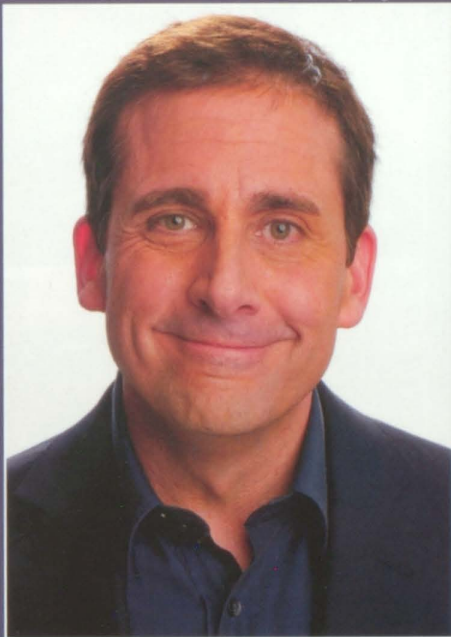
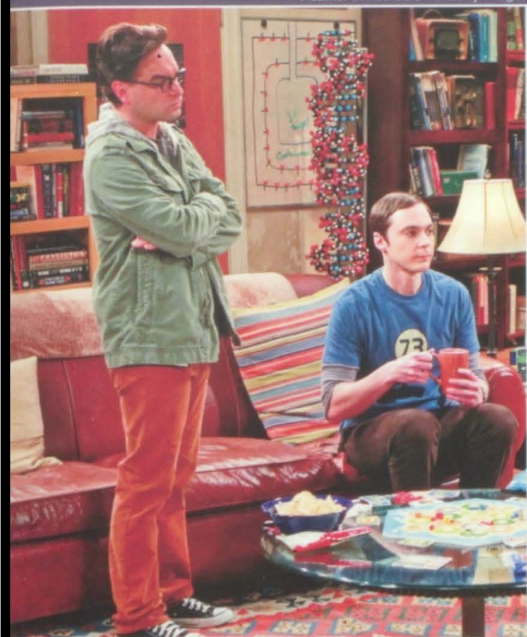
Just Dance 3 Steps Out

Ubisoft releases *Just Dance 3*, featuring singles by Katy Perry, Cee Lo Green, Britney Spears, Scissor Sisters, and The Black Eyed Peas.

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More Bang for the Buck

The Big Bang Theory, a popular sitcom about geeky research scientists and the women in their lives, is in its fifth season.

Missing Michael at the Office

Critics and fans tune into the eighth season of *The Office* to see how the ensemble cast fares after the departure of star Steve Carrell.

Bewitching Teens Cast a Spell

When Cassie Blake moves to a small town in Washington State, the teen is invited to join a coven of witches in *The Secret Circle*.

Victors in Storage Wars

In southern California, abandoned storage lockers are sold at auction to competing buyers who hope to find hidden treasure in *Storage Wars* on A&E.

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Television



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X Marks The Spot

Simon Cowell is set to kick off season two of the U.S. version of the *X-Factor*. This year's competition will feature new judges to replace Paula Abdul and Nicole Sherzinger, as well as a new host.



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NBC Finds Its Voice

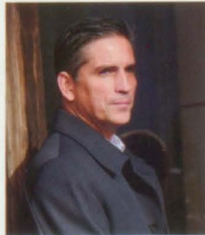
Christina Aguilera, Cee Lo Green, Adam Levine and Blake Shelton compete to coach unknown singers to victory in the reality talent show, *The Voice*.



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Big Stars on Small Screen

Mike & Molly, a sitcom about an obese couple who start dating after they meet at an Overeaters Anonymous meeting, is in its second season.



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CBS Captures Viewers Interest

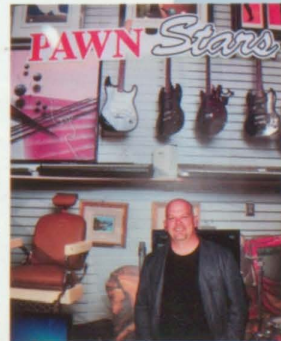
A mysterious billionaire scientist hires a former CIA officer to help him prevent crimes before they occur. The crime drama, *Person of Interest*, is a hit for CBS.

Vermin, Beware

An eccentric Louisiana exterminator works the front lines of his family business in the reality show *Billy the Exterminator*.



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Playing the Pawn

The History Channel has a hit with *Pawn Stars*, featuring the Harrison family and selected treasures from their Las Vegas pawn shop.

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THE HUNGER GAMES

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Lionsgate Releases *The Hunger Games*

Jennifer Lawrence and Woody Harrelson star in *The Hunger Games*, a film adaptation of the popular science fiction novel.



A Winning Season

Brad Pitt and Jonah Hill star in *Moneyball*, based on the true story of the Oakland Athletics' record-breaking 2002 season.



A Dark and Stormy Knight

Batman (Christian Bale) returns to Gotham to uncover the truth about Selina Kyle (Anne Hathaway) in *The Dark Knight Rises*.

Movies



The Boys Are Back

Robert Downey, Jr. and Jude Law return as Sherlock Holmes and Dr. Watson in Guy Ritchie's *Sherlock Holmes: A Game of Shadows*.

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Harry Potter Series Finale on Home Video

After inspiring moviegoers to camp out for the first midnight showings, *Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows: Part 2* comes to home video.

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War Horse Sells Tickets and Tissues

When a boy's beloved thoroughbred is sold to an Army captain on the eve of World War I, a deeply moving drama is set in motion in *War Horse*.

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The Revenge of the 99 Percent

When the boss squanders their retirement savings, the little people get even. Ben Stiller and Eddie Murphy star in the crime comedy, *Tower Heist*.



Agent J Returns

Josh Brolin joins Will Smith, Tommy Lee Jones and some seriously sinister aliens in the long-awaited science fiction comedy sequel, *Men in Black 3*.

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Chronicle Flies into Theaters

Three students discover they have superpowers far beyond their understanding. As their powers grow, so does their dark side to use them to their advantage. Their lives take unexpected turns as they try to deal with the unexplainable changes.

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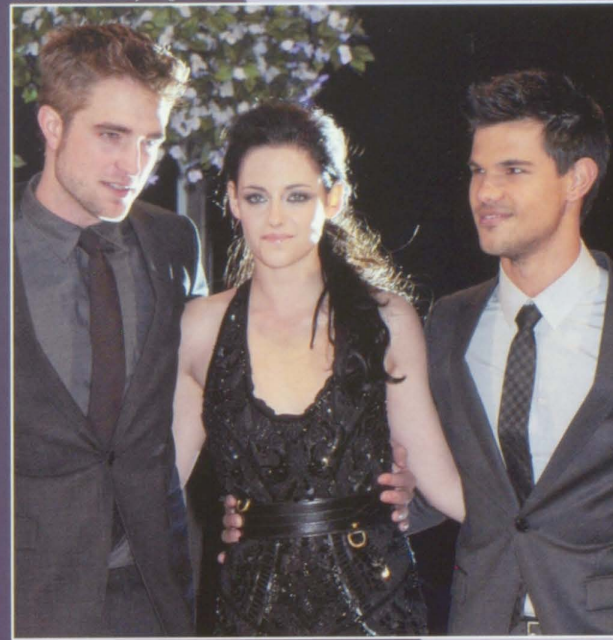
Animal House

Matt Damon stars as a well-meaning widower who brings his young children to live in a run-down zoo in *We Bought a Zoo*.



Make Some Noise

Queen Latifah and Dolly Parton star in *Joyful Noise*, about conflicts within a Georgia church choir as the group prepares for a national competition.



Breaking Dawn Breaks Records

The Twilight Saga: Breaking Dawn - Part 1, the fourth installment in the series, earns \$500 million in its first 12 days in theaters.

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A Boy and His Dog

Steven Spielberg and Peter Jackson collaborate on the dazzling 3-D, performance-capture film, *The Secret of the Unicorn*.



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Live Action Adventure Is Out of This World

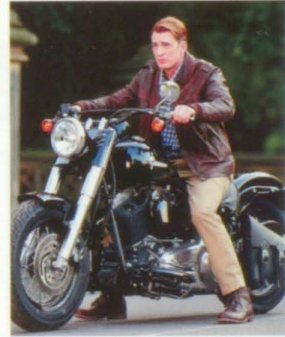
Disney delights sci-fi fans with *John Carter*, which chronicles the adventures of a Confederate captain who is drawn into conflict on another planet.



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Superheroes Save the World

A cast of superstars portray Marvel Comics superheroes recruited to battle an evil villain and his army in the theatrical release, *The Avengers*.



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Heartstrings in Hawaii

George Clooney plays Matt King, who loses his wife but keeps his land and draws closer to his two young daughters in *The Descendants*.

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Super 8 Is Super Spooky

After teens witness a train accident in a small Ohio town, strange occurrences lead to extraterrestrial suspense in *Super 8*.

The Help Is a Hit

In the early 1960s, an idealistic, Caucasian writer wants to write about the struggles of the African-American maids who serve her peers in *The Help*.



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Hoodies Are Classic Casuals

Comfortable, cozy and laid-back hoodie sweatshirts convey an easy going attitude toward style.

Equestrian Style Steps Out

The classic, English-style riding boot, worn with skirts or tucked-in skinny jeans, is one of the strongest footwear trends for fall and winter.

Pandora Opens Beaded Bracelet Craze

Pandora charm bracelets from Denmark bring design-your-own style and sparkling self-expression to the jewelry store.

Trends



From Locker Room to Classroom

As temperatures drop, comfortable, cozy, high-performance sweat pants make the leap from gym class to everywhere-wear.



Energy Drinks as Teen Fuel Both Popular and Controversial

The caffeine and sugar in popular but controversial energy drinks fuel teens to help stay awake for late-night study sessions and socializing.



Cardigans Go Retro

A modern adaptation of the mid-century classic cardigan adds an extra layer of color, warmth, and style.



Aviator Shades Are Retro Chic

A new generation embraces the iconic shades of the 1970s. Metal-rimmed, aviator-style sunglasses make a stylish comeback.



Shaggy Chic

Tall, fringed suede boots add a touch of irreverent, hippie chic to short skirts, leggings, or tucked-in jeans.

Layers Make the Look

Layering is one of the strongest trends for fall and winter. Mixing textures and lengths, like a cropped jacket over a long top, creates looks that are both cozy and cool.



Mismatched Socks Are No Accident

Bending the rules is always in style. Students express their creativity by mixing brightly colored, patterned, mismatched socks.



The Time Is Right for the Neon Watch

One of the must-have accessories for both guys and girls is a big, chunky watch in bright, neon hue.



Stepping Out in Ballet Flats

Cute, comfortable, versatile ballet flats go with just about everything from school outfits to party attire.



Yogurt Goes Greek

Greek-style yogurt, which is creamier and less sour than ordinary yogurt, adds more delicious options to the dairy case.

Nail Polish Crackles

Ordinary manicures get contrast, color and texture with special, crackle-effect topcoat formulas.

Boy Style

Whether they're boot cut, skinny or loose fit, jeans are still the focus of today's style. Just throw on your favorite tee or hoodie and you're good to go!



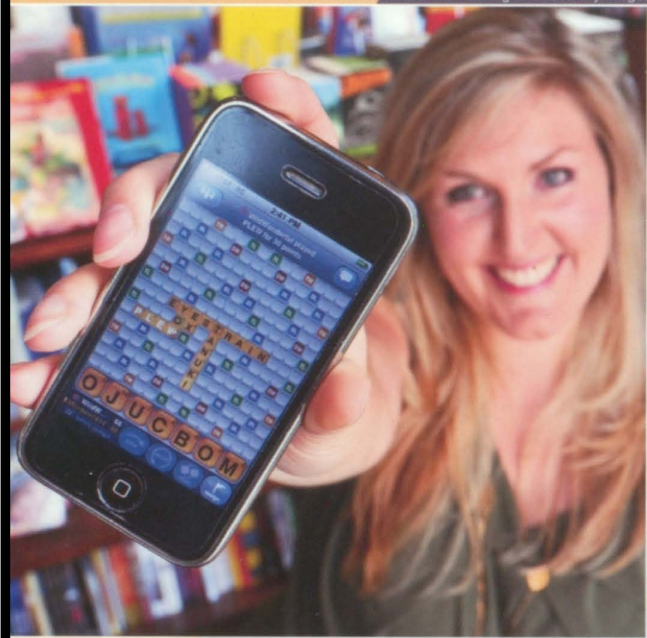
Music Goes to Your Head

Dr. Dre introduces high-performance, over-ear headphones that cancel outside noise and enhance the listening experience.



Faux Is a Go

The posh look and plush feel of faux fur inspires designers to go wild. Fabulous faux jackets, vests, collars and accessories are hot — and warm.



Smartphone Users Love Wordplay

The number-one mobile word game is Zynga's addictive "Words with Friends," a cross-platform challenge for friends and strangers.



Moviegoers Stay Home With Netflix

Netflix, a popular online movie rental service, delivers new flicks to home screens via instant streaming and discs in the mail.



Oprah Moves On

Oprah Winfrey airs the final episode of her daytime television talk show after 25 seasons. The hour attracts 16.4 million viewers.

Lifestyle



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Nike Makes It Personal

Online custom build-it functionality allows consumers to design their own Nike ID footwear, by specifying colors and performance features.



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Walt Disney World Celebrates 40th Anniversary

The Walt Disney World Resort turns 40. The celebration at Magic Kingdom Park includes fireworks and a mass sing-along of "When You Wish Upon a Star."



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Facebook Makes It Easier to Go Back in Time.

Facebook introduced its newest development, the Timeline this year. The recent change allows users to easily view everything from past photos, wall posts and status updates from any year they were subscribed to Facebook.



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Kardashian Sisters Build Reality Show Empire

Between Kim's 72-day marriage, Kourtney's second pregnancy, and various scandals, the media can't resist covering the Kardashians' every move.



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Tablet Computing Trends Upward

The tablet computing craze is going strong. Consumers can't resist the Apple iPad 2, as well as competitors like the Kindle Fire and the Transformer Prime.



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Apple iPhone 4S Launches

Apple unveils the iPhone 4S, which features an 8-megapixel camera and the same dual-core chip as the iPad.



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