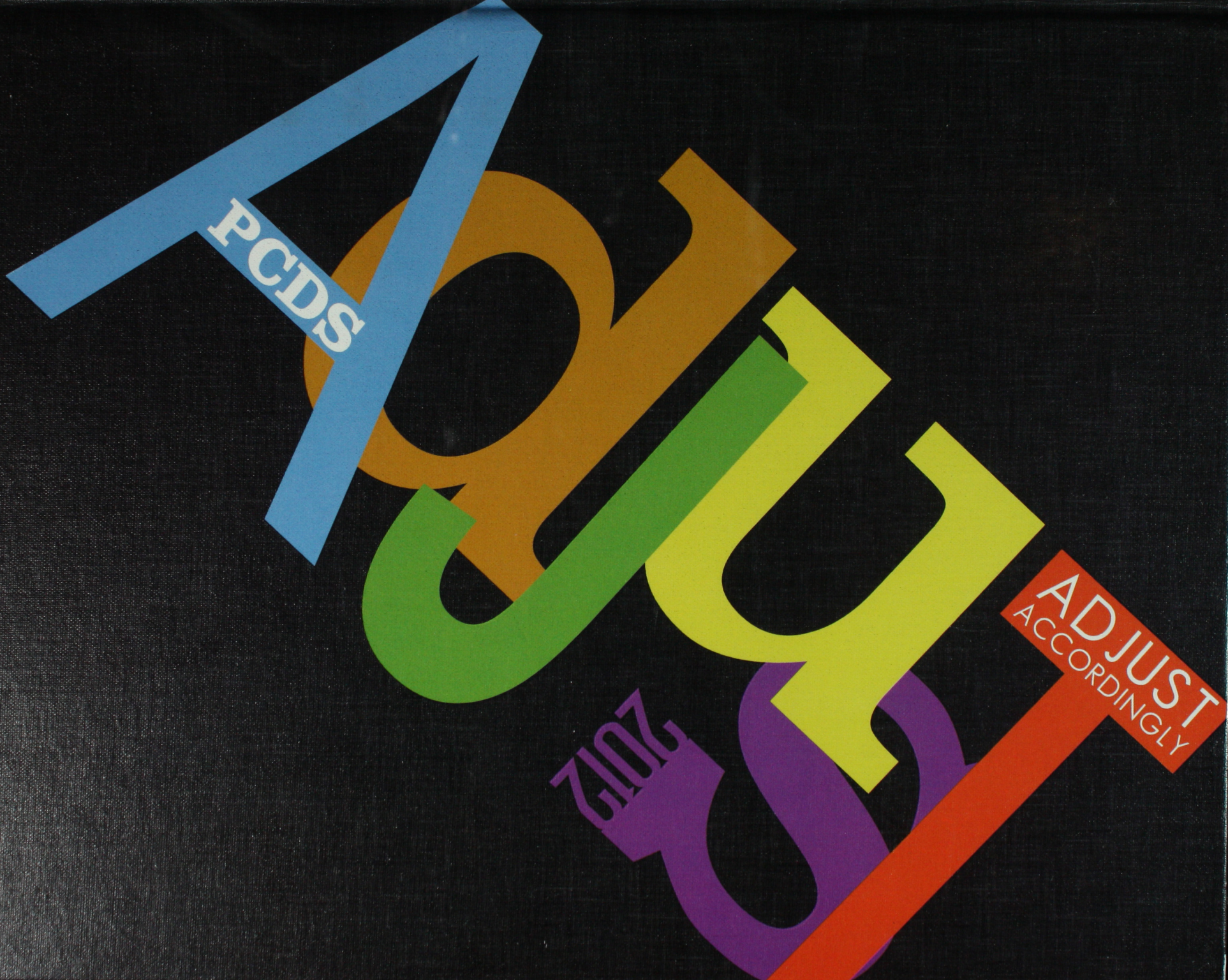
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MESSAGE FROM THE HEAD

To the Senior Class of 2012 and all Eagles:

As I arrived at my office for my very first day at PCDS, I noticed a decal that had been affixed to the glass of the front door. On the decal was a chinese character, and below it was an explanation of its significance:

"This symbol means chameleon, it represents both change and ease. For change to be easy, it must be embraced, as the chameleon does. Celebrate change."

I've chosen to leave the decal on my door because I think it's a nice reminder about how we should approach one of the natural rhythms of life: change. Much as I have started a new phase of my life here at Phoenix Country Day School, fifty-eight of you will soon start a new phase of yours in college.

I wish you the best of fortunes as you embrace and celebrate the challenges of your new adventures. May you all be as adaptable as the chameleon.

Sincerely,
Andrew M. Rodin
Head of School



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(1) **Mr. Calleroz White's** pearly whites are on display after falling into the dunk tank at Blue and Gold Night. (2) The PCDS community gathers to bury the time capsule. (3) **Mr. Newland** beats his students at basketball during lunch. (4) Check out the annual fireworks show at the Blue and Gold Night Picnic. (5) **Carson Krause** welcomes the audience to the Red Rocks Concert. (6) The Lower School students enjoy the dragon at the Chinese New Year celebration. (7) **Mala Bansal** and **Raagini Kothur** pose with **Mr. Rodin** for the Diwali Celebration. (8) **Mr. Dukehart** looks dapper in his tux while hosting the Middle School Spelling Bee. (9) **Mr. and Mrs. Pierson** show off their eagle-pride at Blue and Gold Night. (10) Girl Scouts pose for the picture before selling their famous Thin Mints. (11) **Bryeson Rodgers**, **Reilly Freret**, **Wesley Curci** and **Danny Minard** race majestically through the pool on their dolphins. (12) The fourth-grade Webelos are on a hike at the Phoenix Mountain Preserve. (13) Look at all of the activities at the Blue and Gold Night Carnival. (14) The time capsule is ready to be sealed. (15) **Isabelle Brothers** does a charcoal portrait. (16) Look at the cute smiles on the **Garvin twins**. (17) **Melissa Greenberg**, **Rachel Underhill**, **Samantha Kaplan**, **Colton Siddle**, and **Nicole Burke** play music during the MLK Day celebration. (18) Head-for-the-day **Grant Gaylord** shakes hands in the morning. (19) **Albert the Guinea Pig** enjoys the PCDS Open House.

ADJUST ACCORDINGLY



The theme of the fifty-first volume of The Phoenician is "Adjust Accordingly" because the 2011-2012 school year has been one of adjustment and change. We, the students, attended the First Friday Assembly—which was not on Friday this year but rather on Thursday— to be greeted with a speech from a smiling, unfamiliar face: the new head of school, Andrew Rodin. In the Upper School, we sat down in Dorrance Auditorium for a morning meeting led by the new head of the Upper School, Jack Phillips. We went to lunch on the first day of school, only to discover a remodeled cafeteria with a completely new menu. The Upper and Middle School students learned to expand their attention spans for seventy-five minute classes while teachers explored new formats of teaching. We also switched to a seven-day rotation, and although both students and teachers were very confused about which classes they had on a given day for the first few months, they eventually learned how to calculate their schedules and adjust accordingly.

In addition to these major changes, we also faced a multitude of small changes. Ms. Decker dyed her hair. Ms. Treadway got several birds as pets for the computer lab. Mr. Schweikher's car returned to normal after its "50th Anniversary Celebration" makeover. A pipe broke in the Upper School quad, and students learned to take a different route to class in order to avoid the ever-growing trench in the sidewalk. Grass was planted on the "brown spot" between the Middle School and the Lower School, and it has now become the green spot. Books have begun to mysteriously disappear from the Upper School quad while panini makers and toasters mysteriously appeared in the student center.

But with all of these numerous changes, PCDS retained its essence and the heart of what gives us an education for life. The student body and faculty alike not only adjusted to the changes but met them with open arms, and the PCDS community is even better because of it. Likewise, the yearbook has improved due to changes, especially technological advancements. For example, we have included a QR code on this page (see right), and when you scan it with your smart phone, you will be directed towards a link that features digital yearbook pages. With the spirit of our theme in mind, we hope that you enjoy the "adjusted" layout and style of this PCDS yearbook.

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(1) Director of PCDS Project Excellence, Mr. Calleroz White, enjoys one of his carefully planned events. (2) Students learn about electronics in a hands-on way. (3) Most students focus intently on their laptops and the lesson, but several are distracted by the camera! (4) Children enjoy the balloon art and other festivites at the annual Project Excellence Picnic. (5) Project Excellence participants enjoy each other's company at the picnic. (6) The oldest students bond after years of being in Project Excellence together. (7) After a long day of learning, students rest in a pile of pillows and bean bag chairs. (8) All ages of students come together for a big group photo. Cheese!















SENIOR DEDICATION











Our beloved Ms. Treadway is truly an example for all of us here at PCDS. Despite her battle with cancer in 2009, she still comes to school every day with a smile on her face and a laugh that resonates through the quad. From morning meetings to conversations in passing, she is a ubiquitous force of loving guidance and joy. Whether it's helping us fix our computers or monitoring the computer lab to make sure that no mischief occurs, she's our go-to gal for all of our problems. When we need a shoulder to cry on, Ms. Treadway does not judge and can always spare a moment for advice. She closes our lockers for us when we 'forget' to and reminds us how to line up for bus and fire drills through her oh-so snazzy Powerpoint presentations. Of course, every Southern girl has a fun side; brave and audacious Ms. Treadway tackled parachuting this past year, probably while listening to country music and grabbing a deal on GroupOn on her iPhone. Ms. Treadway brings this vibrant enthusiasm to every club, activity, and conversation she's involved in, acting as a personal cheerleader to all. PCDS would feel empty without her blue and gold spirit and bottomless dedication. Everyone, especially this senior class, has been touched by her presence on campus, so we dedicate this yearbook to her in appreciation of all she does. The Class of 2012 thanks you and loves you, Ms. Treadway!



(1) **Garron Rodgers**, **Megan Cathey**, and **Selena Jacquez** paint a mural at an underpriveleged school. (2) A group of seventh grade girls assemble bags of pet food. (3) **Lindsay Coda** presents the veterans of the faculty with flowers and handmade poppy pins, which she sold to benefit the Veterans Foundation. (4) **Jesmina deGuzman** is hard at work on a fleece blanket. (5) Lower school students look at the impressive amount of toys they donated for the Salvation Army Sharing Tree drive. (6) Middle school students rest after a long run at the Walk for a Well event. (7) **Michael Rosenthal** and his posters teach people about water shortages in other countries. (8) **Aaron Ossias**, **Josh Lansky**, **Pierce Swanson**, and **Simon Olshansky** load up the pet food to be donated to animals.















MAKE A DIFFERENCE DAY

















(1) **Carlos Alvarado** helps **Julia Hanson** make one of 171 I-Spy bottles for Phoenix Head Start. (2) **Eden Shuster, Megan Cathey,** and other high school students help plant a garden. (3) **Rana Roudi, Madison Williams**, and **Devyn Thurbon** decorate pillow cases; 240 of them were donated to the Balsz School District. (4) **Alexander Garner** helps middle schoolers make 80 fleece blankets for underprivileged children. (5) **Lauren Lindley** teaches kids how to draw rainbows on their pillowcases. (6) Middle schoolers and high schoolers make a mess while assembling over 2000 PB&J sandwiches for homeless people. (7) What a cute card a lower school student make for a veteran! (8) **Celeste Martinez, Amanda Slate,** and **Shelby McDermott** make sure that 200 children at the Phoenix Children's Hospital get hand-decorated candy bags. (9) Student leaders **Lauren Chanen, Leah Motzkin,** and **Zoe Simon** worked alongside faculty and fellow leader **Dominique Clancy** to plan the all-school community service day.





(1) **Rachel Rummel** and **Justin Morgan** lead their kindergarten buddy, **Emilia Safir**, into the assembly. (2) **Lupe Martinez**, **Leila Noghrehchi**, and **Kyle Kinnie** perform in the Upper School Choir. (3) Student Body President, **JB Stockslager**, welcomes the school to a new year. (4) Members of the Board of Trustees laugh amongst the students. (5) **Mr. Calleroz White** smiles as he thinks of the year to come. (6) **Jake Hanson** reads a poem to fellow students. (7) The seniors all sit together during the first week of their last year at PCDS. (8) The student body stands for the National Anthem. (9) More students participate in the traditional senior-kindergartener walk.

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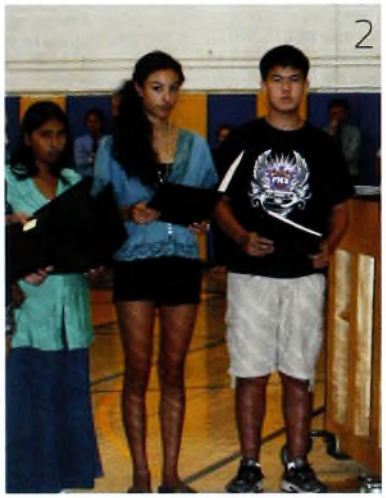















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(1) **Briana Ewart** and **Kendall Reaves** are lifted by the cheer team. (2) The eagles demonstrate the annual scooter race. (3) **Konstantin von Beringe** prepares **Issabella Moreno** and **Grant Burnham** for the big race. (4) **Liam Dempsey** and **Nate Nearhood** will do anything to win the Boat Regatta. (5) **Nimra Khan**, **Danielle Lee**, and **Jessica Segal** show off their homemade blue and gold day jerseys. (6) Some fourth grade girls laugh and joke around with eagle spirit! (7) Middle school boys display their handmade blue and gold outfits, complete with eyewear and head accessories.


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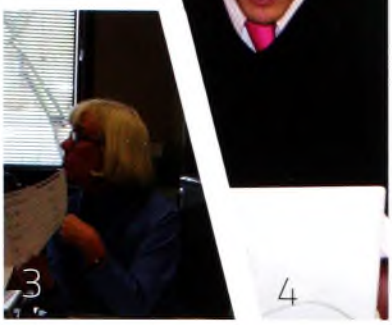
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(1) **Mr. Eriksen** loves reading so much that he takes a reading break while walking across the campus. (2) **Mr. Rowe** and his goatee pose for a new profile picture. (3) **Ms. Malone** helps a student with long division. (4) Is **Mr. Garrett** working or taking a picture on Photobooth? (5) Uh-oh! **Mr. Dummer** is caught with his hand in the candy jar. (6) **Mr. Coon** has fun participating in a drum circle on the grassy knoll. (7) It's no wonder the students love **Ms. Ivins** so much! She walks hand in hand with one of her students. (8) Even the teachers enjoy Crazy Sock Day! (9) **Ms. Anderson** shows off her toga and Latin Club booth at the Clubs Fair. (10) Watch out for **Mr. McHonett's** iron fist and vicious water gun.


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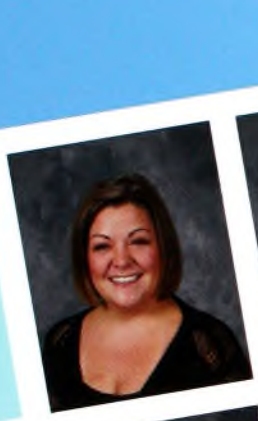




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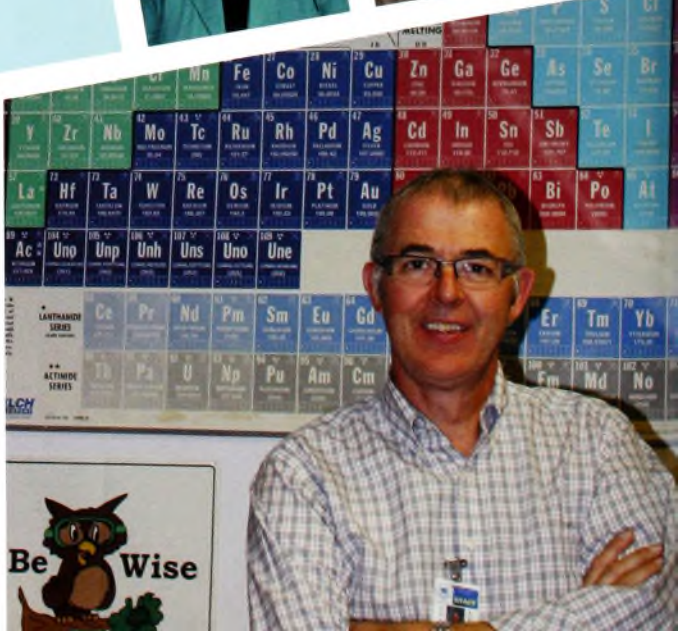






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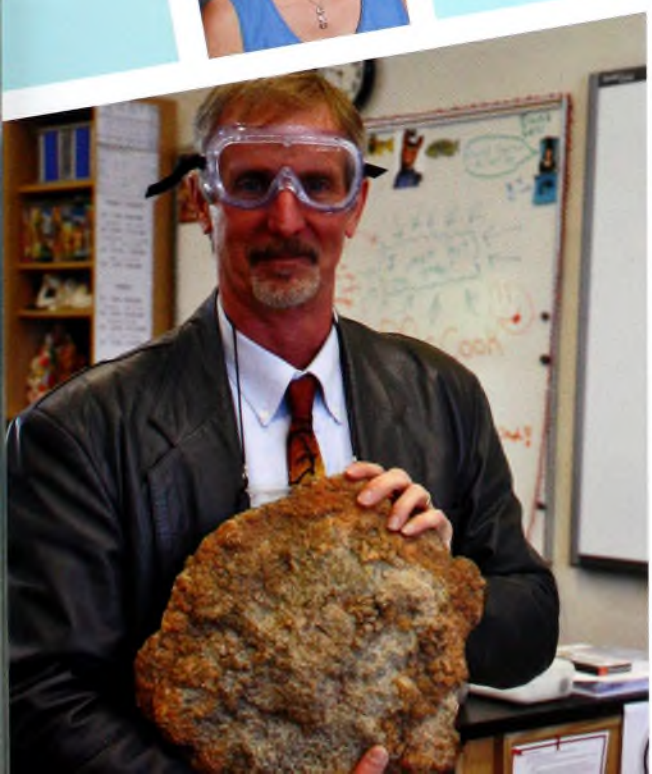


"If nothing ever changed, there'd be no butterflies." -Author Unknown

As I wander through the Lower School classrooms and witness the tremendous changes in the children each year, I marvel at what takes place. From barely holding a pencil in pre-kindergarten to forming paragraphs and essays in fourth grade, the development of reading and writing skills happens at a phenomenal rate. The physical education teachers can attest to the leap in motor skills and growth of coordination during this time period. Artistic expression, from simple drawings to intricate planned sculptures and painting, skyrockets as our students gain confidence and use their imaginations. Singing simple nursery songs evolves into note-reading, and performances bring joy and life to the Lower School community.

In every subject each year, we "adjust accordingly" to the challenges in the curriculum. Nurturing the child until he or she is ready to spread its wings is what we do so well in the Lower School. I am grateful for the incredibly talented and caring faculty who make sure that our budding butterflies take flight each year, spreading their wings to fly and share their natural beauty with the world.

Ms. Thommen,
Head of the Lower School





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1) "Look at the PCDS eagle mascots!" **McKinley Paltzik** points out to her friends. (2) **Carter Simons** strikes a pose on the fence. (3) **Ava Goodman** pushes a senior during the annual relay race. (4) **Julia Lotz** and **Simone Zurawski** show off their beautiful smiles! (5) **Lael Hill** enjoys her bike ride around school. (6) **Jenna Powell** makes sure there is a perfect amount of sand on her beautiful orange block. (7) **Katie Sodja** and **Rylie Lloyds** hug and smile during their recess. (8) Camaraderie is on display as **Anika Patel, Jewel Abdo, Talia Goodman,** and **Jaden Grossman** smile with joy. (9) **Kirtana Roopan, Bianca Burke,** and **Jade Loelke** show off their crazy hats. (10) **Grant Withee, Parker Allen-Cooper,** and **Nathan Yelton** make funny faces. (11) **Evan Maffi** and **Weston Eby** focus on a good book. (12) **Jake Yelton** shows off his motorcycle. (13) **Mikayla Yue** and **Winter Rafal** stick out their colorful tongues after some delicious popcicles. (14) First graders run towards the camera. Watch out for the stampede! (15) **Elliott Ernster, Lilly Robinson,** and other second graders crowd around the mystery man. (16) **Lelia Symington** shows off her one-handed cycling skills. (17) The first, second, and thrid graders pass the time as they wait for an assembly to begin.

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(1) **Carter Simons** and **Nate Williams** are careful to color inside the lines. (2) **Hilary Tucker**, **Noah Sucato**, and **Jayce Huskey** put their guards up while they take a spelling test. (3) **Somya Swarup** is clearly doing something very interesting on her laptop. (4) **Shray Swarup** drops everything and reads during DEAR time. (5) **Miles Sabeeh** is on track to be the next champion cup stacker! (6) Notice that look of determination as **Connor Lloyds** takes a math test. (7) Although **Gabrielle Mathews** hurt her arm, her mind is actively at work on a quiz. (8) **Lael Hill** and **Tessa Buskirk** are experts at doing crafts while trying not to make a mess. (9) **Matteo Armato** can't even take a break to look at the camera because he wants a perfectly straight line. Nice work! (10) **Adam Bedier** and **Jesmina deGuzman** discuss how to build the best city out of blocks. (11) **Evan Kobley's** facial expression shows how much he loves writing essays! (12) **Ms. Jacobo** uses a game to teach **Sierra Goldstein**. (13) **Jared Novoa** writes intensely about the importance of recess. (14) **Natalie Vu** and **Bowen Burke** teach a student visitor how things are done in the first grade. (15) **Annabel Firestone** puts her knowledge to the test. Get it? (16) **Max Goldstein** learns about architecture while drawing his dream castle.



LOWER SCHOOL ART

(1) **Hilary Tucker** and **Sabrina Bailey's** hair accessories are just as artsy as their paintings. (2) **Grant Burnham** is careful not to get any fingerpaint on his favorite shirt. (3) The black background on **Abby Bockrath's** artwork makes her neon butterfly fly off the page. (4) **Alex Goldstein** goes postmodern and sports a clay mustache. (5) **Chloe Demark's** artwork is pretty in pink. (6) **Tyler Smith** and **Alexandra Sheesley** get their hands dirty with some plaster of Paris. (7) The pretty flowers on **Jenny Pasternack's** painting match her dress! (8) **Andrew Conomos** proudly displays his clay figurine for the camera.


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LOWER SCHOOL MUSIC



















(1) **Aari Sivakumar** is in a zen state of mind while playing the glockenspiel. (2) **Sebastian Reddy** focuses as he keeps the entire class on beat. (3) **Nicole Thoits** keeps her eyes on the conductor while playing the recorder. (4) Even while playing music, Lower School students are extremely fashionable. (5) First graders are a triple threat: they sing, dance, and play instruments! (6) **Katie Sodja** does hand gestures along with the song's lyrics. (7) Even with an injured arm, **Ariana Bista** keeps the rhythm perfectly. (8) **Hampton Kohler** skillfully plays a giant xylophone. (9) **Zack Beraznik** can play even with his eyes off his instrument! (10) **Aiden Miller** and fellow classmates all hold their mallets with perfect form.

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1) Fourth grade students load presents into the Salvation Army ans after the Lower School Sharing Tree assembly. (2) **Mikayla Yue** onds with her mom at the Kindergarten Pumpking Carving. (3) **Diana Briguglio**, **Elsa Jackson**, and **Jade Loelke** work on an important econd grade project. (4) **Lucas Albuquerque** hones his arts and rafts skills. (5) **Justine Money**, the leopard, plays "sweet" games n Halloween. (6) **Ms. Gurnee's** kindergarten art class observes the lesert plant life at the Botanical Garden. (7) The students enjoy the Arizona sun as they learn about the plants. (8) **Madison Williams** nd **Renat Robinson** learn math in a fun way at the Second Grade Pumpkin Math Event. (9) **Serena Fetchmeyer** focuses intently on her dible architecture. (10) **Natalie Capri** gets ready to put the gumdrop hingles on her gingerbread mansion. (11) Check out the Lego city hat the third graders built! (12) **Bryce Bzdak** fends off alien invaders n Halloween. (13) **Gabby Mathews**, **Ardeshir Irani**, and **David Richnann** give gifts to kids in need out of the goodness of their hearts. 14) **Harrison Whitfill** and his pumpkin show off their matching miles. (15) **Owen Lambert** walks like Frankenstein at recess.


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(1) **Ms. Etheridge** congratulates the first graders on completing their race. (2) **McKinley Paltzik** used all of her energy swimming and has to muster up the strength to get out of the pool. (3) **Nick Gaylord** shows a look of exhaustion after swimming at full speed. (4) **Owen Lambert** watches his fellow classmates swim as he wishes that he were in the pool as well. (5) **Lucas Olshansky** appears to be a future Olympic swimmer. (6) After the race in the pool, the second graders all race out of the pool. (7) **Victoria Moreno** waits in anticipation for the whistle to blow. (8) **Aiden Miller** climbs out of the pool with pride as he catches his breath. (9) Although they are tied and the race is intense, **Evan Maffi** and **Noah Sucato** pursue victory with honor. (10) **Renat Robinson** is surveying his competition before the race. (11) After the race, first graders jump for joy and give high-fives all around.


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TRACK & FIELD



















(1) **Mr. Majeski** gives first graders a pep talk before the relay race. (2) **Bryce Bzdak** prepares to get some serious air on his hurdles. (3) **Chaya Feng** and **GiGe Neck** help stretch each other out before the big race. (4) Kindergarteners do the Pledge of Allegiance before the day's festivities. (5) Is **Erik Barkdull** making that expression because he's pulling so hard or because he's getting rope-burn? (6) **Aarush Atmakuri** demonstrates impressive form as he swings his arms for momentum. (7) The Pre-K students have a quick huddle before the sprint. (8) First grade boys tug with all their might! (9) **Jack Elardo** and **Lelia Symington** are neck and neck; it's a photo finish! (10) **Sophia Nistor** waits patiently for her turn in the relay as fellow first graders cheer.

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(1) **Grant Burnham** and **Nathan Nakaji** are sporty casual while **Kylee Sutton** and **Alexandra Sheesley** are girly chic. (2) **Ally Smith**, **Alex Goldstein**, and **Mikayla Drewitz** show off the perfect accessory to any outfit: a great smile. (3) **Alex Petrides** and **David Richmann's** playful spirits match their playful ensembles. (4) **Taara Shastri** displays her love for New York while **Winter Rafal's** tie-dye reveals her hippie side. (5) **Luc Beninato's** gray and yellow stripes match the gray and yellow tractor! (6) **Katie Hendrickson** displays her sweet smile and sweet style. (7) **Kayla Singer** and **Julia Hanson** know that being comfortable never goes out of style. (8) Two sets of fashionable best friends (**Josh Hanson**, **Paolo Borletti**, **Alarah Hochman**, and **Ellie Robinson**) smile proudly. (9) **Jake Tucker's** deep blue eyes accentuate his blue stripes. (10) Second grade girls take risks with bold accessories such as a fur coat and colored hair attachments. (11) The three amigos (**Speed Gregory**, **George Kroeger**, and **Will Burnham**) rock their athletic gear at recess. (12) With a white denim jacket and a white knitted shrug, **Kimmy Pasternack** and **Sierra Goldstein** pull off wearing white after Labor Day. (13) **Alexander Ashman**, **Madison Williams**, **Jasmyn Loelke**, and **Renat Robinson** prove that no matter what PCDS lower school students wear, they look great!









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Serena Fechtmeyer
Carson Flader
Sierra Goldstein



Ava Goodman
Kather Hackett
Katie Hendrickson
Issabella Moreno

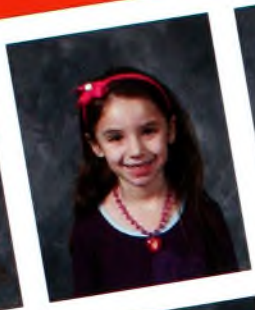


Nathan Nakaji
Camden Ortega





Class of 2024



Jenny Pasternack
Kimmy Pasternack
Jenna Powell
Kayla Powell






Winter Rafal
Siena Rosen
Anna Sabol
Emilia Safir






Taara Shastri
Alexandra Sheesley
Tyler Smith
Kylee Sutton






Isabelle Tillman
Jake Timone
Addisen Werner
Harrison Whitfill



Mikayla Yue








First Grade

Parker Allen-Cooper
Abby Bockrath
Brando Borletti
Bowen Burke









Bailey Butterfield
Bryce Bzdak
Abby Caplan
Jordan Cole









Bryce Cussler
Weston Eby
Julia Hanson
Jayce Huskey















Class of 2023









Evan Kobley
Owen Lambert
Ellie Lewis
Owen Lewis









Connor Lloyds
Evan Maffi
Aiden Miller
Sophia Nistor









Jordyn Oppenheim
McKinley Paltzik
Nina Mehar Rawal
Sebastian Reddy









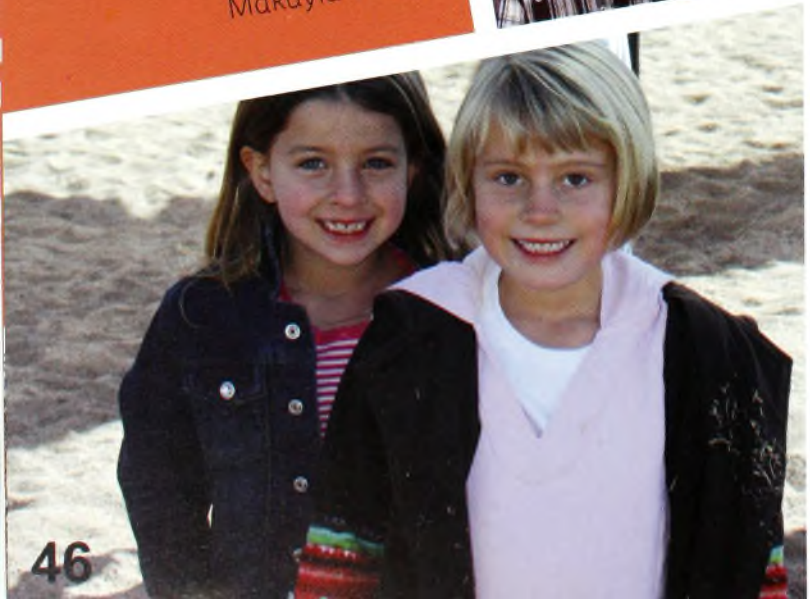
First Grade

Miles Sabeeh
Ava Shields
Kayla Singer
Savannah Smith



Noah Sucato
Cyrus Symington
Tyler Tam
Makayla Thoits









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Hilary Tucker
Natalie Vu
Aaron Wang
Grace Whalen







Olivia Williams
Grant Withee
Nathan Yelton









2 Second Grade

Saif Agha
Alexander Ashman
Sabrina Bailey
Devin Bansal









Sonya Barkdull
Charlotte Bishov
Diana Briguglio
Bianca Burke









Will Burnham
Anna Buskirk
Natalie Conomos
Tommy Conomos

















Class of 2022









Keara Dean
Hailey DeMark
Mikayla Drewitz
Etienne Dunoyer









Elliott Ernster
Alex Goldstein
Speed Gregory
Emme Kate Hackett



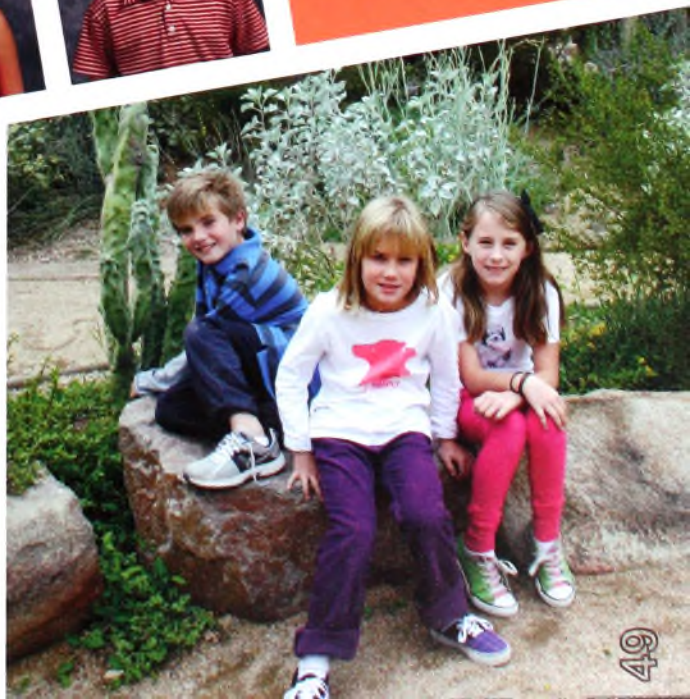






Olivia Hoang
Elsa Jackson
Sedona Korzay
George Kroeger









2 Second Grade

Jade Loelke
Jasmyn Loelke
Clark Louis
Abigael Marquez









Cooper McKee
Simon Ossias
Josh Peterson
Caroline Purtill









Lilly Robinson











Class of 2022









Renat Robinson
Kirtana Roopan
Max Rubin
Ashton Simons









Ally Smith
Kylie Smith
Devyn Thurbon
Michael Vinson



Madison Williams









3 Third Grade

Jewel Abdo
Samantha Ashner
Greta Bindley
Gwen Bindley









Luca Borletti
Aaron Bracher
Kyndall Cole
Andrew Conomos









Rachel Cooper
Lauren Cussler
Hannah Drewitz
Emile Dunoyer













Class of 2021






Lauren Eby
Eric Emami
Lexi Flader
Nick Gaylord



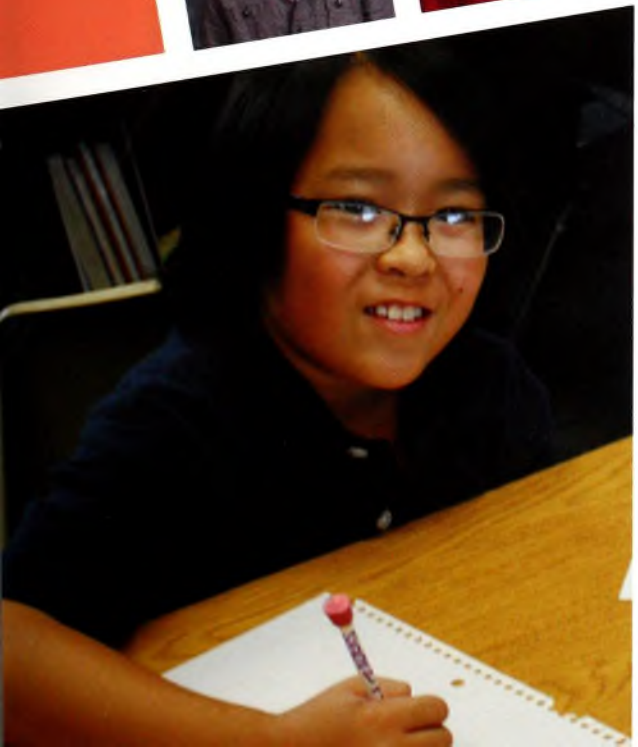



Max Goldstein
Talia Goodman
Jaden Grossman
Darwin Harriss






Ethan Lambert
Matthew Linhart
Ella Maffi
Spencer McKee









3 Third Grade

Will Miraglia
Justine Money
Victoria Moreno
Lucas Olschansky









Anika Patel
Ciara Rethore
Ben Richardson
Claudia Sheridan

















Class of 2021









Jacob Singer
Annabel Symington
Kiran Tuli
Olivia Vu







Ava Williams
Alex Xanthos
Karsen Yue









4 Fourth Grade

Alexandra Ashner
Erik Barkdull
Zack Beraznik
Ariana Bista









Luke Briguglio
Chris Buskirk
Kate Cereghini
Allie Dever









Chaya Feng
Annabel Firestone
Daniel Gomez
Jakob Hanson

















Class of 2020









Myla Hill
Ardeshir Irani
Isabella Jost
Lauren Kobley









Hampton Kohler
Indra Kwatra
Tyler Lodato
Katherine Lynch









Gabrielle Mathews
John Moore
GiGe Neck
Jared Novoa









4 Fourth Grade









Isabelle Partovi
Alex Petrides
David Richmann
Carson Roland









Joel Rubin
Harrison Rupp
Zac Singer
Aari Sivakumar









Class of 2020









Shray Swarup
Somya Swarup
Nicole Thoits
Luca Walsh









Brierly Wand
Kevin Wang
Ben Williams
Brendan Zuieback





As we enter our second half century as a school of high distinction, Phoenix Country Day School is poised to move ahead as a leader in 21st century education locally and nationally. In the Middle School we are continually confronting the complex challenges of adolescent education that were unimagined 50 years ago.

This year with our dramatically different schedule and our new school leadership, we hope we have taken another strong step in creating the foundation for your future education in the world you will enter, a world which will require your best as a PCDS "Eagle."

Eighth graders, we will miss you as you have proven yourselves to be a wonderful class, excellent in both character and achievement. "With the Desert Winds upon your backs," we know a bright future awaits you in all your endeavors.

Mr. Dukehart,
Head of Middle School











MIDDLE SCHOOL

MIDDLE SCHOOL LIFE









(1) **Morgan Bradford**, **Hannah Miraglia**, and **Shannon Zhao** are so excited for lunchtime! (2) **Ida Jackson**, **Shea Tomlin**, and **Steffy Klinger** play hopscotch during break. (3) **Erica Samota** and **Caroline Cohen** enjoy socializing on the picnic tables. (4) **Jason Greenfield** and **Oliver Marsden** swordfight in the Upper School quad. (5) You can find **Tatum Dial** proudly wearing her PCDS athletic clothing at any time. (6) **Ali Garvin** and **Brenna Dugel** are happy to be the "freshmen" of the Middle School. (7) **Meredith Grehan** and **Ally Grounds** help each other with homework. What great friends! (8) **Mackenzie Cantor** poses like a model. (9) Apparently **Sophia Najafi** wants to be a model, too! (10) **Sam Collins** and **Cola Buskirk** enjoy reading during their freetime. (11) **Janae Lewis** pauses on the bridge for a photo op. (12) **Lexi Ham** and **Carson Bishov** display their great friendship with a piggyback ride. (13) **Max Sarver** smiles as he can barely wait for class to begin. (14) Check out **Charlie Towle's** great fashion sense! (15) **Tristanne Dechoux** and **Jenna Owens** show how spacious their lockers are. (16) **Bianca Partovi**, **Carina Ho**, and **Julia Odden** love to spend time outside in the great Phoenix weather during break. (17) **Iya Agha** and **Jillian Gilburne** love being in the oldest grade of the Middle School. (18) **Michael Richmann**, **Cameron Najafi**, and **Ben Davies** pose like the male Charlie's Angels.





ACADEMICS

MIDDLE SCHOOL

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(1) **Carina Ho** and **Sophie Ax** take notes in science class. (2) **David Farca** has his high-tech calculator at hand during a math test. (3) **Justin Racine** acts out a scene in English class. (4) **Grant Logan** and **Kobe Walker** work together on an in-class group assignment. (5) **Sofia Kirkland** makes a presentation using the Smart Board. (6) **Wes Malone** smiles for a picture during class. (7) **Kylie Fisher** and **Sophia Bailey** present their research to the class. (8) **Matthew Stein** and **Max Johnson** enjoy reading about American history. (9) **Ashcon Partovi** and **Madison Dever** construct a poster in class. (10) **Jake Sarver** does research in the computer lab, also known as the Nest. (11) Seventh graders socialize as they walk back from their classes in the Upper School. (12) **Mahmeer Halepota** reads vigorously in English class. (13) **Sam Collins** and **Cola Buskirk** look at their finished paper with pride! (14) **Ally Grounds** and **Emilie Canulla** pay close attention to their worksheet. (15) **Simon Olshansky** and **Josh Lansky** learn how to research on the internet. They better use credible sources, not Wikipedia! (16) Algebra requires the students' complete attention. (17) **Olvia Ellegard** is working very hard in class. What an ideal student! (18) **Cameron Mayhew** does his best Zoolander impression in Mr. Crabb's class.











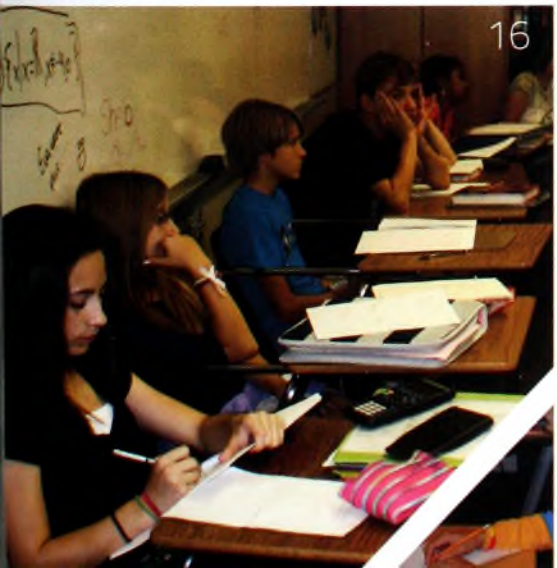





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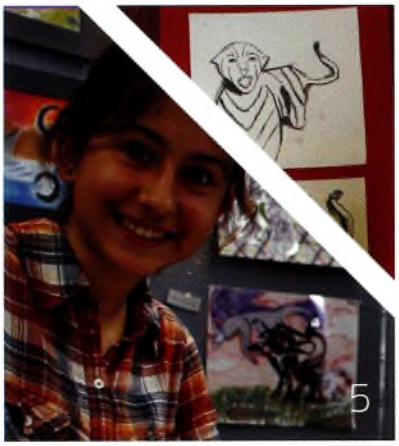
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(1) **Hannah Miraglia** giggles as she feels the wet clay in her hands. (2) **Adriana Dunlap** surrounds herself with her colorful pencils. (3) **Griffin Fletcher** and **Daniel Bodney** work together to create a project out of metallic foil. (4) **Ari Bradshaw** carefully replicates a well-known piece of art for his assignment. (5) **Maya Abou-Haidar** smiles in front of the artwork on display in the Middle School. (6) **David Anaeme** has a moment of inspiration and cannot take his eyes off of his artwork. (7) **Sophia Najafi** can barely contain her excitement because she loves art so much! (8) **Bella de Roos** smiles with pride as she observes her masterpiece.


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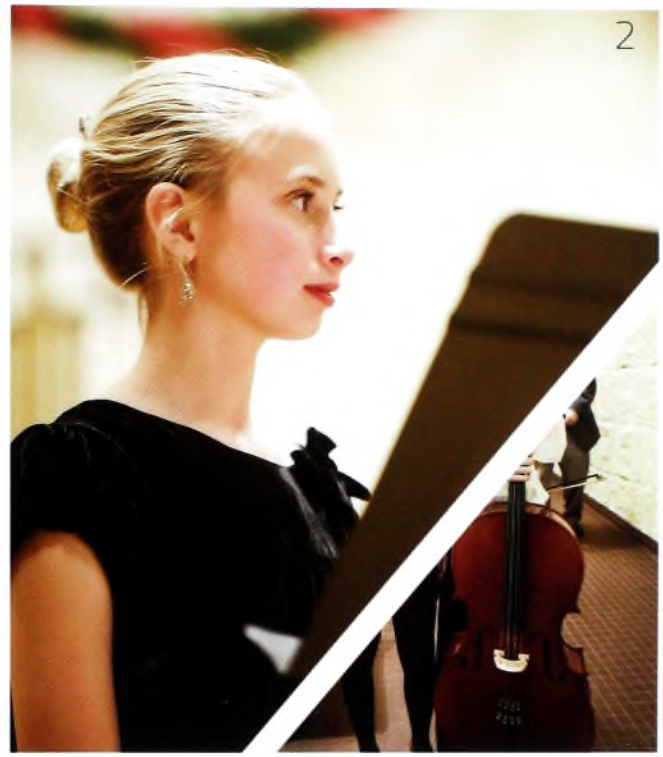
MIDDLE SCHOOL MUSIC

(1) **Lindsey Cherilla** and other sixth graders focus intently on their sheet music. (2) **Jacqueline Bertault** looks as graceful as the music sounds. (3) The fifth grade trombone players struggle to reach seventh position. (4) **Rhea Tuli** plays a masterpiece on her stringed instrument. (5) **Alex Tam** proudly hits the high A sharp! (6) **Justin Racine** enjoys playing the trombone but isn't so fond of wearing a tie. (7) **Sophia Kirkland** sings along with the middle school chorus. (8) **Tara Dugel** is on her way to becoming the best flautist in the country or at least the school. (9) The fifth grade band enjoys playing in their first concert.

















LIVES

MIDDLE SCHOOL

1) **Julia Odden, Jacqueline Bertault,** and **Ms. Niemczura** have fun with their mystery bags. (2) Sixth grade girls enjoy their game of Uno. (3) **Ashley Ong** cares for her prized plant in the Garden Elective. (4) Las chicas están muy felices con sus piñatas. (5) **Daniel Bashir** ponders his domination of the chess board in the Games Elective. (6) **Ethan Shacknai** watches **Ethan Schnaid** and **Cameron Mayhew** do a celebratory shoulder-bump. (7) The girls with the green thumbs show mother nature who's boss. (8) **Ms. Hall** and eighth graders model for their profile pictures. (9) **Ally Grounds, Mr. Cook,** and **Mallory Klinger** practice magic in the Lord of the Rings Elective. (10) **Max Sarver** wows the ladies with his pitching skills. (11) **Alicia Wu** unwinds with her tapestry. (12) Some eighth-grade girls become one with their chi during their Tae Kwon Do elective. (13) Basil shows off her leaves and hopes to be picked by the anonymous hand and used in a nice pesto dish. (14) **Bianca Partovi** and **Ms. Hoagland** show off their masterpiece. (15) Quack, quack, quack! Did **Stephanie Liu** and **Braxton Underwood** say duct tape?! (16) Students relax in **Ms. Mitchell's** elective. (17) **Jason Greenfield** takes a break to check out the news during the Piñata Elective (18) **Grant Gaylord** acknowledges the camera while the rest of his friends are wired in. (19) **Elle Miraglia, Freya Irani,** and **Jessica Sherman** show off their craft supplies.



















MIDDLE SCHOOL EVENTS

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(1) **Zachary Linhart**, **Matt Corsillo**, and **Nicholas Zhao** play music during the MLK Day celebration. (2) **Amanda Slate** spells her heart out. (3) Parents serve food at the Diwali Festival. (4) **Jake Rodin**, **Zach Sarver,** and **Sophia Najafi** show off their artwork with a smirk. (5) **Mala Bansal** and **Raagini Kothur** pose for a picture in cultural outfits. (6) **Jenna Owens** sprints around the field during Walk for a Well. (7) Fifth graders ask questions during a presentation from a guest speaker. (8) **Georgi Pregulman** and **Emma Strouse** show us their make-a-difference smiles during Make A Difference Day. (9) **Meredith Grehan** and **Ally Grounds** smile for the camera as their hair defies gravity. (10) Some students and teachers do their best Tyra Banks impression while displaying their cool hats.(11) **Mr. Rowe** conducts the 5th grade band. (12) Middle schoolers run to support Walk for a Well in order to build wells in Africa. (13) **Rhea Tuli** plays the violin. (14) **Erica Samota** concentrates, and the triangle finally get some credit. (15) **Ms. Ong** and **Ashley Ong** pose during lunch on Halloween.(16) **Sophie Arregoces** balances an egg in her mouth during a relay race.

MIDDLE SCHOOL TRIPS

5th GRADE - ARCOSANTI

7th GRADE - GRAND CANYON

8th GRADE - PALI MOUNTAIN

























8th GRADE - CATALINA ISLAND

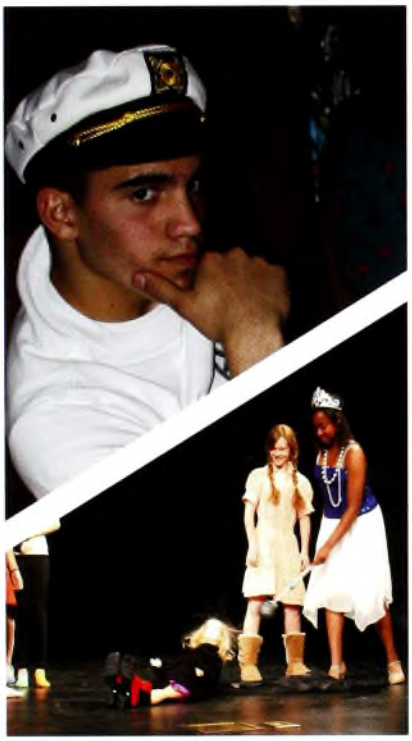
MIDDLE SCHOOL PLAY











Cast (Below): Carissa Wang, Janae Lewis, Amara Miller, Oliver Marsden, Ms. Decker, Jillian Gilburne, Luis Tano, Kira Kirby, Isa Pesqueira, Tiana Siragusa, Mackenzie Cantor, Raagini Kothur, Leah Chanen, Anita Sheih, Ashcon Partovi, Claire Hayden, Adriana Dunlap, Max Montrose, Rica Chan, Kobe Walker, Amy Bedeir, Jason Greenfield, Breanna Price, Emma Sucato, Anika Sanghvi, Andie Lou Hayden, Jordan Merkel, Natalie Cohen, Ben Steiner, Blake Brennan, Anson Naumann, Divya Agrawal, Nick Watson, Ashley Ong, Azin Askari, Isabella de Roos, Chloe Chodorow, Sophia Bailey, Ariana Sokolov





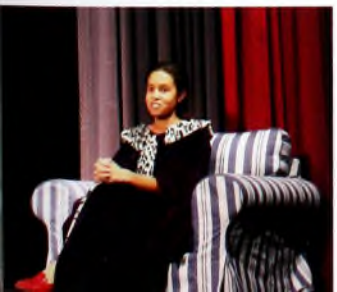












It took a lot of pacing back and forth in my bedroom on Friday night before I could will myself to sit down and write this review. Why was I pacing back and forth? I was doing so because of the pressure to write a review that would do this show and the people that were in it justice.

This eccentric show, *Death to the Drama Club*, is centered around a school board that, because of budget restraints, must find a school club to cut. The villanious and crazy temporary principal, Ms. Grackle (played by Jillian Gilburne), decides that the club she wants to cut is the Drama Club, led by the fairly insane, yet caring Ms. Goldberg (played by Kira Kirby). The rest of the school board seems to agree with Ms. Grackle's decision until they see the determination of Ms. Goldberg's drama club members to save their club. The president of the club, Heidi (played by Claire Hayden) and the falsely accused prankster and talented writer, Vincent (played by Oliver Marsden) take the lead in trying to save the club.

Much to Ms. Grackle's surprise, the school board decides to give the drama club one week to put on their own production of *The Wizard of Oz*. Like the classic version that we all know and love, this production includes such characters as Dorothy (played by Adriana Dunlap), the Scarecrow (played by Leah Chanen), the Tin Man (played by Carissa Wang), and the Lion (played by Rica Chan).However, unlike the original production, these beloved characters do not act exactly as they did in the 1939 movie. In addition, there are some guest appearances from iconic characters such as Mary from "Mary Had a Little Lamb", Edgar Allan Poe, Juliet Capulet, Captain Ahab, and Scarlett O'Hara.

The acting in this show completely exceeded my expectations in every way, shape, and form. I also enjoyed the costume choices and the make-up design. The stage crew, which included Natalie Cohen, Jason Greenfield, Divya Agrawal, Amy Bedeir, Jordan Merkel, Anson Naumann and Isa Pesquiera, could definitely be considered visionaries in my opinion. The set, props, and everything else they contributed to this fabulous show were astounding. Finally, I want to recognize the one and only Ms. Decker, the director of this comedy. If you came to this show, you would have seen that all the hard work she put into it definitely paid off.

By Natalie Prieb

MIDDLE SCHOOL FASHION

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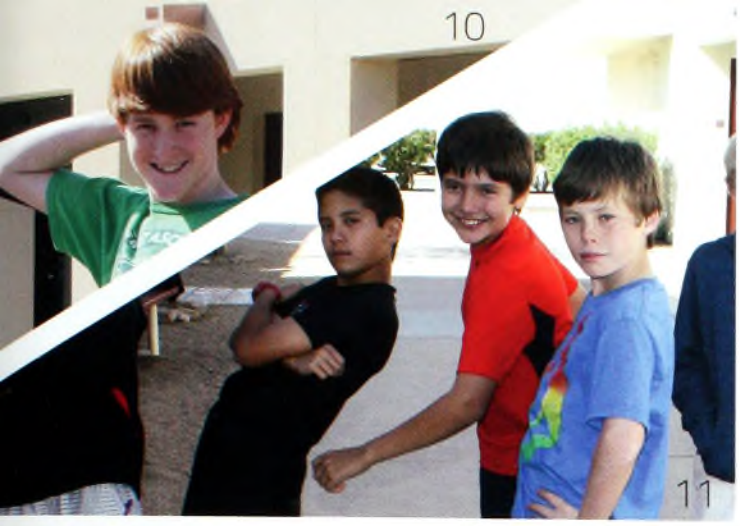
















(1) Scarves and boots are totally in style, and **Iya Agha** knows it! (2) **Ava Rossides** manages to tie some school colors into her fashionable look. (3) **Azin Askari** takes a break from intense learning to strike a pose. (4) **Brent Stein** looks super classy in his Lacoste jacket. (5) **Falan Alpert** and **Niala Akhavan** are twins with their matching stripes. (6) **Raquel Chavez** is America's Next Top Model! (7) With green pants and a blue vest, **Addison Wessel** goes along with the latest trend: color blocking. (8) **Ethan Shacknai** and **Blake Brennan** study while looking classy yet comfortable. (9) **Andrew Hanneman** and **Carter Clemmensen** show off their sporty shoes, not to mention their toned legs. (10) **Oliver Marsden** displays his dashing red hair. (11) **Jakob Feng** and **Charlie Towle** show some profile picture expressions while **Zachary Linhart** enjoys his reflection in the lense. (12) **Luis Tano** and **Kira Kirby** flaunt their casual, yet stylish swagger. (13) **David Farca** better not wear his hat in the classroom! (14) Vans dominate the scene, but those toes are really enjoying freedom. (15) **Natalie Prieb** wears her favorite colors proudly. (16) **Lexi Ham** pretends she is holding up the sky because she is a fashion diva. (17) **Ida Jackson, Ava Rossides, Steffy Klinger**, and **Veronica Giraudo** share a friendly moment in the fifth grade hallways. (18) The sixth grade boys display the popular brands of the day with their logo t-shirts.





BOYS' FOOTBALL







7th and 8th Grade (Right): Matthew Rosenthal, Austin Merkel, Wally Brown, Nick Briguglio, Cameron Mayhew, Philip Lewis, Bryton Neck, Luis Tano, Jacob Bain, Yash Muley, Coach McHonnet, Nick Meath, Marc Fuller, Pierce Swanson, Will Towle, Josh Lanksy, Adam Cherilla, Jerry Hernandez, Daniel Aklog, Max Sarver, Ethan Shacknai, Drew Hosmar, Sam Garvin

5th and 6th Grade (Below): Coach McHonnet, Reed Myers, Ryan Wang, Andrew Hanneman, Alex Roland, Grant Gaylord, Noah Gilson, Grant Brennan, Ryan Goodman, Jake Sarver, Nicholas Zhao, Louis Aaron, Carter Clemmensen, Sky Travis, Griffin Fletcher, Zach Linhart, Anson Naumann, Justin Racine, Hal Owens, Phillip West, Coach Newland, Harrison Rooney, Gray Pierson, Jakob Feng, Matthew Peterson, Zach Sarver, David Schwartz, Charlie Towle, Michael Rosenthal, Simon Cantor













5th and 6th Grade (Above):
Coach King, Sophie Ax, Kylie Fisher, Lindsey Cherilla, Nikasha Patel, Olivia Najafi, Carina Ho, Sophia Najafi, Niala Akhavan, Avery Oberfield, Carolina Wittekind, Hannah Miraglia, Bianca Partovi, Bella de Roos, Anika Sanghvi, Emma Sucato, Lauren Garvin, Ali Garvin

7th and 8th Grade (Left):
Coach King, Isa Pesqueira, Elle Miraglia, Emma Strouse, Kira Kirby, Meredith Grehan, Lilly Giller, Mala Bansal, Kylie Kowalske, Aspen Pierson, Stephanie Liu, Mia Oberfield, Emma Sheridan, Ally Grounds, Madi Bradford, Leah Chanen, Sophie Arregoces







GIRLS' VOLLEYBALL







BOYS' SOCCER











5th and 6th Grade (Above Left): Coach Jen, Gonzalo Alvarado, Anson Naumann, Michael Rosenthal, Zachary Linhart, Harrison Rooney, Nicholas Zhao, Philip West, Jakob Feng, Tommy Walton, Michael Richmann, Addison Wessel, Jake Sarver, Gray Pierson, Zach Sarver, Charlie Towle, Bryce Faber, Simon Cantor, Ty Rodin
7th and 8th Grade (Above Right): Coach Barber, Ethan Shacknai, Ethan Schnaid, Cameron Mayhew, Drew Hosmar, Yash Muley, Jacob Bain, Matthew Rosenthal, Luis Tano, Sam Garvin, Jerry Hernandez, Max Sarver, Grant Logan, Nick Briguglio, Simon Olschansky, Spencer Wand, Wesley Malone, Justin Tee





7th and 8th Grade (Right): Aspen Pierson, Meredith Grehan, Elle Miraglia, Maddie West, Emilie Canullla, Gaby Walton, Anita Sheih, Coach Jen, Celeste Martinez, Caroline Cohen, Kylie Kowalske, Mallory Klinger, Emma Sheridan

5th and 6th Grade (Below): Jenna Owens, Karli Davis, Falan Alpert, Sophie Ax, Olivia Najafi, Sophia Najafi, Lindsey Cherilla, Niala Akhavan, Carina Ho, Coach Jen, Hannah Miraglia, Fiona Donovan, Olivia Ellegard, Ali Garvin, Lauren Garvin, D.J. Hauben, Avery Oberfield, Tatum Dial

















GIRLS' SOCCER



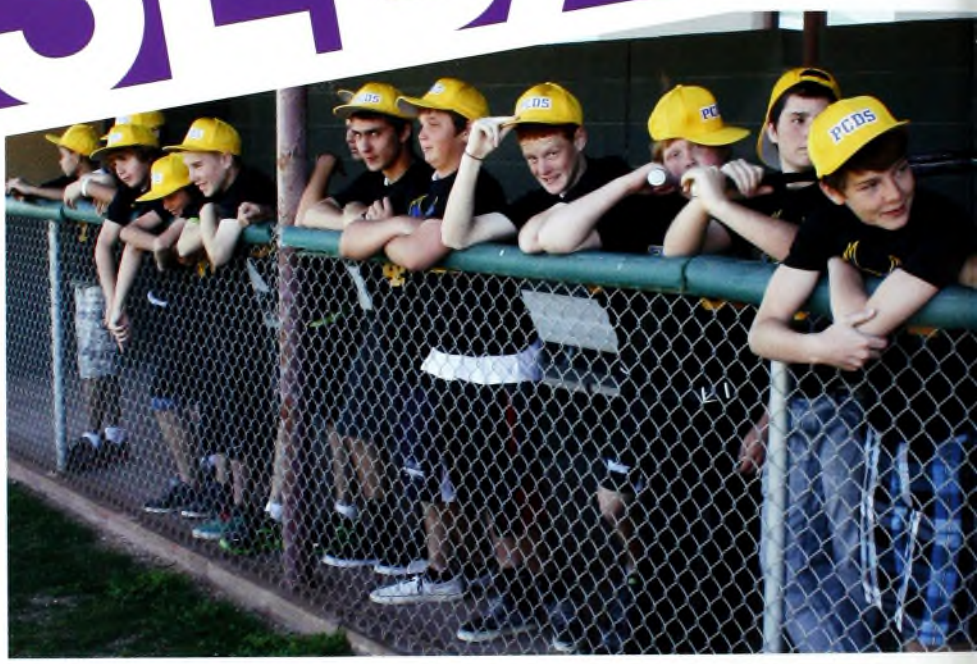






BOYS' BASEBALL





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Coach Diane, Anita Sheih, Natalie Cohen, Lindsey Cherilla, Jessica Sherman, Olivia Najafi, Tiana Siragusa , Sophie Arregoces, Caroline Cohen, Jorden Merkel, Sophia Bailey, Jennifer Moore, Adriana Dunlap



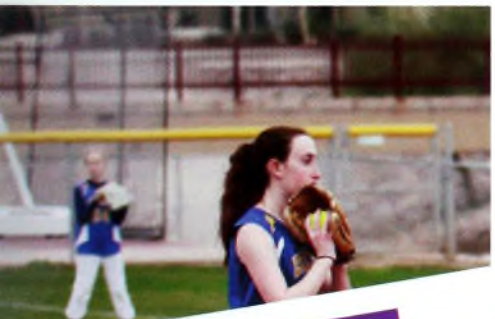








GIRLS' SOFTBALL





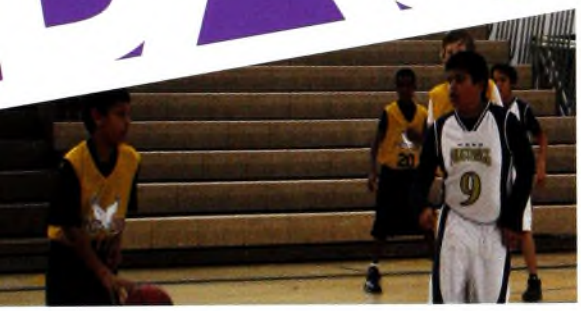






BOYS' BASKETBALL















7th and 8th Grade (Above Left): Coach David, Mahmeer Halepota, Alex Reaves, Jacob Bain, Philip Lewis, Curtis Clemmensen, Yash Muley, Matthew Rosenthal, Marc Fuller, Drew Hosmar, Daniel Aklog, Sam Garvin

5th and 6th Grade (Above Right): Coach Amp, Louis Aaron, Ryan Goodman, Carter Clemmensen, Andrew Hanneman, Jake Sarver, Jakob Feng, Michael Rosenthal, Reed Myers, Charlie Towle

7th and 8th Grade (Right): Brittanie Underwood, Tiana Siragusa, Carissa Wang, Aspen Pierson, Meredith Grehan, Georgi Pregulman, Natalie Cohen, Kobe Walker, Emilie Canulla, Kylie Kowalske, Emma Sheridan, Alexa Portigal (Not Pictured: Caroline Cohen)

5th and 6th Grade (Lower Right): Hannah Miraglia, Niala Akhavan, Samantha Collins, Caroline Wittekind, Karli Davis, Audrey Novoa, Jenna Owens, Bianca Partovi, Sophia Kirkland, Lauren Garvin, Steffy Klinger, Ariana Sokolov















GIRLS' BASKETBALL











Congratulations to these Middle School sports teams for winning the championships within their leagues!

5th and 6th Grade Football
7th and 8th Grade Football
5th and 6th Grade Boys Basketball
5th and 6th Grade Girls Soccer
6th, 7th, and 8th Grade Softball

Also, these Middle School sports teams are the runner-ups of their leagues and deserved to be commended for their great effort.

7th and 8th Grade Girls Soccer
7th and 8th Grade Boys Basketball







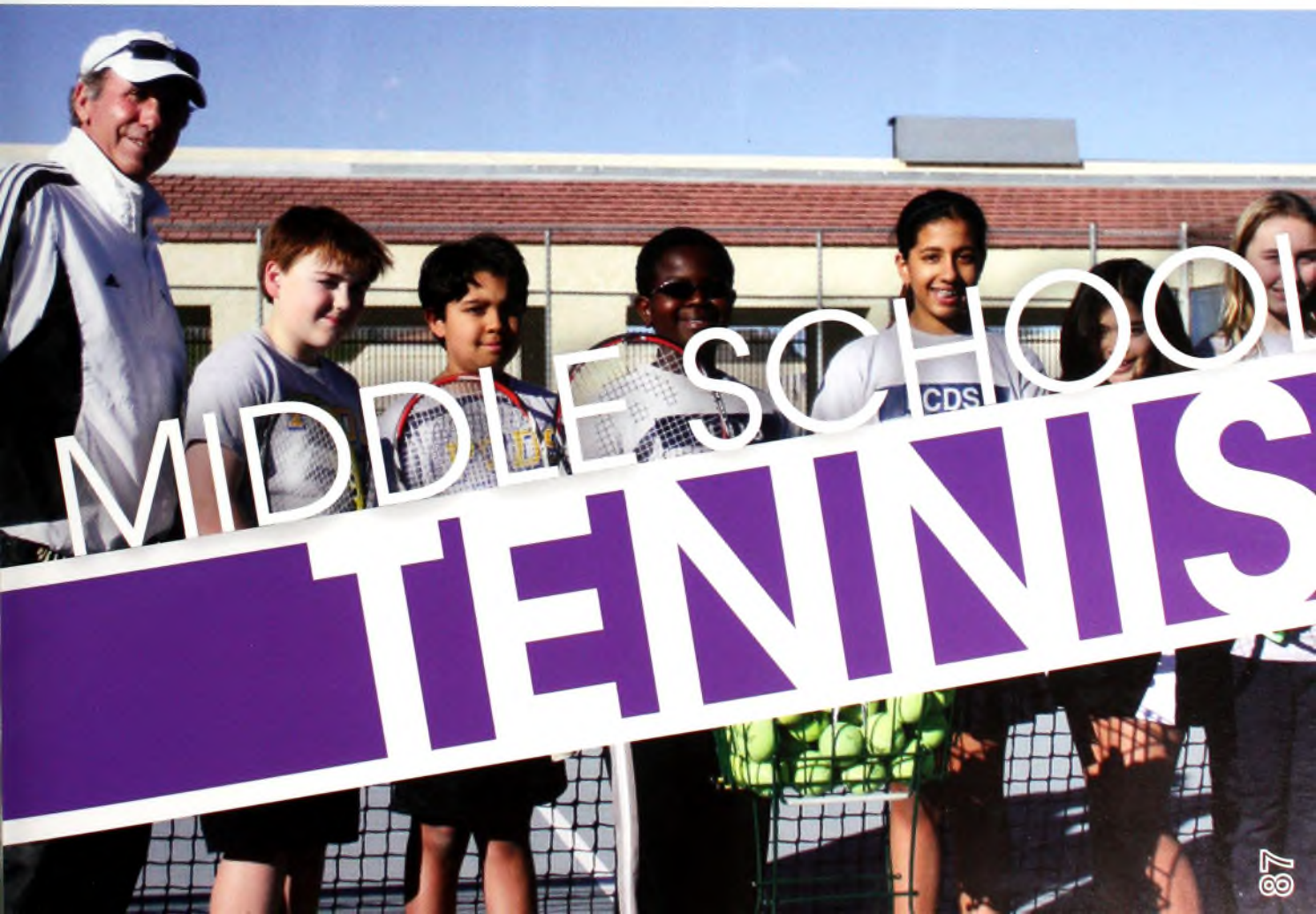


BOYS' LACROSSE

MIDDLE SCHOOL GOLF



MIDDLE SCHOOL TENNIS







Fifth Grade



Azin Askari



Andrew Bivens



Gage Bradford



Morgan Bradford



Blake Brennan



Simon Cantor



Chloe Chodorow



Isabella de Roos



Tristanne Dechoux



Tatum Dial



Fiona Donovan



Brenna Dugel





Class of 2019






Bryce Faber
Jakob Feng
Ali Garvin
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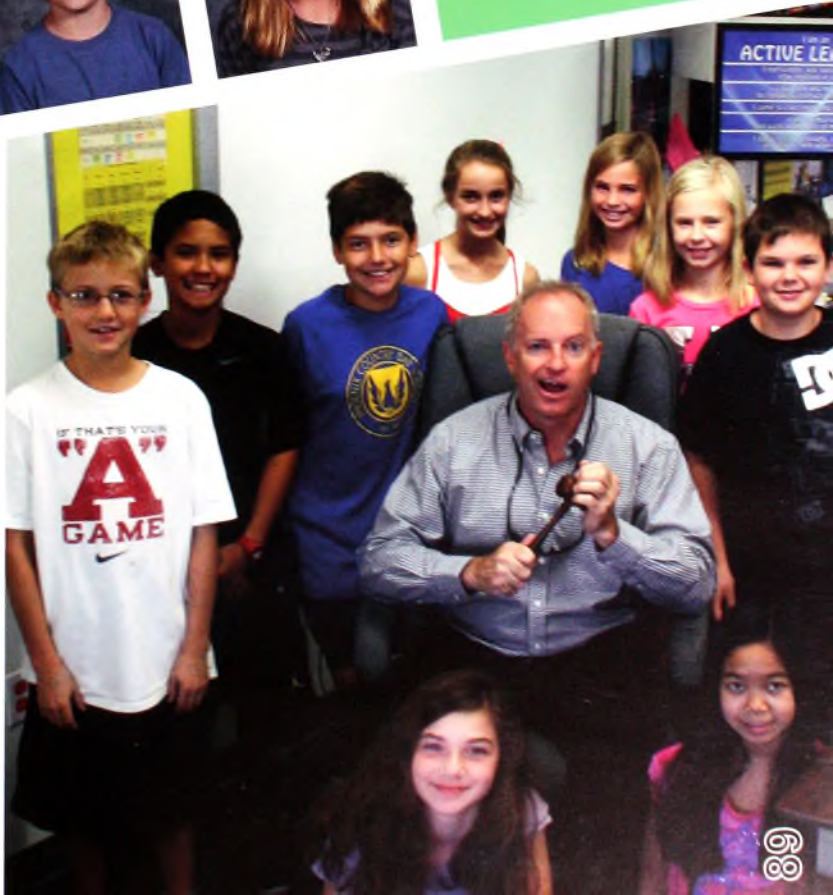
Veronica Giraudo
Clifford Guziak
Ida Jackson
Steffy Klinger






Zachary Linhart
Neo Martinson
Ty Minor
Hannah Miraglia









Fifth Grade



Maxwell Montrose
Sophia Najafi
Audrey Novoa
Ashley Ong









Jenna Owens
Matthew Peterson
Justin Racine
Henri Richardson









Jake Rodin
Ty Rodin





Sam Roland
Michael Rosenthal









Class of 2019






Ava Rossides
Zach Sarver
Ariana Sokolov
Brent Stein






Malia Susha
Alex Tam
Shea Tomlin
Charlie Towle





Sky Travis
Phillip West
Caroline Wittekind




Alicia Wu
Shannon Zhao









Sixth Grade

Louis Aaron
Maya Abou-Haidar
Niala Akhavan
Falan Alpert









Gonzalo Alvarado
Angie Anaeme
Sophie Ax
Sophia Bailey









Jacqueline Bertault
Daniel Bodney
Grant Brennan
Cola Buskirk









Raquel Chavez
Lindsey Cherilla
Carter Clemmensen
Eric Cole













Class of 2018






Samantha Collins
Ben Davies
Karli Davis
Kati Dean






Olivia Ellegard
Kylie Fisher
Griffin Fletcher
Grant Gaylord






Noah Gilson
Ryan Goodman
Andrew Hanneman
DJ Hauben






Andie Lou Hayden
Carina Ho
Sophia Kirkland
Ivy Leibner








Sixth Grade



Jordan Merkel



Christopher Montooth



Jennifer Moore



Reed Myers



Cameron Najafi



Olivia Najafi



Anson Naumann



Avery Oberfield



Julia Odden



Aliya Orenstein



Hal Owens



Bianca Partovi



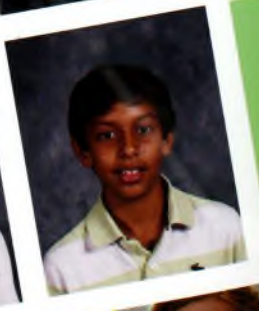
Nikasha Patel



Gray Pierson



Breanna Price



Nirvaan Reddy







Class of 2018







Michael Richmann
Aldous Roidl
Alex Roland
Harrison Rooney
Anika Sanghvi






Jake Sarver
David Schwartz
Ben Steiner
Reed Steiner






Jem Stern
Emma Sucato
Rhea Tuli
Tommy Walton






Ryan Wang
Nicholas Watson
Addison Wessel
Nicholas Zhao








Seventh Grade

Divya Agrawal
Daniel Aklog
David Anaeme
Roberto Aponte






Amy Bedeir
Daniel Blecker
Andri Bonadurer
Annalise Bracher






Madi Bradford
Wally Brown
Emilie Canulla
Rica Chan






Adam Cherilla
Curtis Clemmensen
Matthew Corsillo
Nicholas Currault
Madison Dever











Class of 2017



Will Donovan
David Farca
Alana Francis-Crov
Marc Fuller
E.K. Gaylord



E.L. Gaylord
Lilly Giller
Meredith Grehan
Alexandra Grounds



Mahmeer Halepota
Calvin Hamilton
Jerry Hernandez
Max Johnson



Mallory Klinger
Miles Kohler
Kylie Kowalske
Joshua Lansky









Seventh Grade

Janae Lewis
Gabby Loeff
Grant Logan
Curt Louis









Wes Malone
Celeste Martinez
Shelby McDermott
Nick Meath









Austin Merkel
Bryton Neck
Simon Olschansky
Aaron Ossias









Ashcon Partovi
Aspen Pierson
Alexa Portigal
Georgi Pregulman
Alex Reaves















Class of 2017





Nathan Rubin
Sophia Sells
Emma Sheridan
Amanda Slate
Matthew Stein



Emma Strouse
Pierce Swanson
Justin Tee
Ally Thoits



Will Towle
Grace Tuton
Brittanie Underwood
Kobe Walker



Spencer Wand
Maddie West
Katie White
Parker Whitfill









Eighth Grade



Iya Agha



Sophie Arregoces



Jacob Bain



Mala Bansal



Daniel Bashir



Carson Bishov



Alex Botto



Ari Bradshaw



Nick Briguglio



Mackenzie Cantor



Leah Chanen



Caroline Cohen



Jamie Cohen



Natalie Cohen



Natalie Cooper



Tara Dugel







Class of 2016









Adriana Dunlap
Alex Edson
Sam Evans
Abraham Farooqui









Sam Garvin
Jillian Gilburne
Mollie Goldfarb
Jason Greenfield







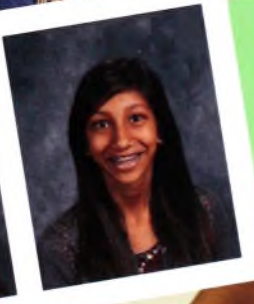


Lexi Ham
Claire Hayden
Drew Hosmar
Sarah Humphrey









Freya Irani
Aaron Jost
Kira Kirby
Raagini Kothur









Eighth Grade



Philip Lewis
Josh Lindley
Stephanie Liu
Oliver Marsden









Cameron Mayhew
Amara Miller
Elle Miraglia
Yash Muley









Gabe Murray
Alexa Nino
Mia Oberfield
Isa Pesqueira









Boden Peterson
Natalie Prieb
Ben Pshebniski
Sahil Rawal
Liam Rethore















Class of 2016






Ellie Reynoso
Robert Rezvani
Michael Rohacz
Matthew Rosenthal






Charlotte Rupp
Erica Samota
Max Sarver
Ethan Schnaid






Ethan Shacknai
Anita Sheih
Jess Sherman
Tiana Siragusa






Luis Tano
Braxton Underwood
Gaby Walton
Carissa Wang





To PCDS Upper Schoolers and the Class of 2012:

As the year comes to a close, look fondly on these pages. For as soon as you place this book on your shelf, you will have begun to change, to grow, to move forward from the person whose photograph appears by your name. While the future can make us pause with apprehension, I urge you to take the first step toward it with courage and resolve, for you have friends, family, and teachers by your side.

Remember that who you have been will always be a part of you are.

Mr. Phillips,
Head of Upper School









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UPPER SCHOOL LIFE

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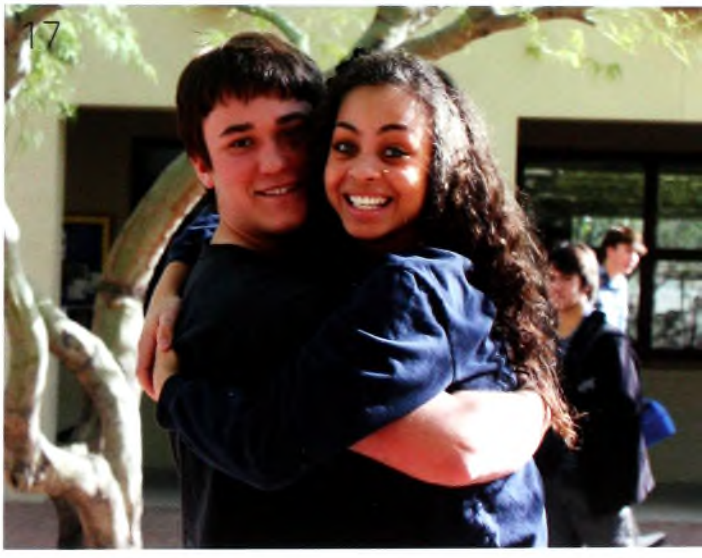
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(1) Freshmen smile and try to impress the upperclassmen. (2) **Quinn Lincoln** strums his guitar. (3) **Melissa Greenberg** memorizes the imfamous chemistry pink sheet. (4) **Max Baum** returns from 7-11 with a Big Gulp and a big smile. (5) **Michelle Greenfield** and **Frea Mehta** show off their spirit. (6) **Leah Stofko** and **Walker Tuton** enjoy the cool Phoenix winter. (7) **Megan Lehrer** poses in the art room. (8) **Bernardo Fonseca** ponders life up in a tree. (9) **Angelica Sisson** and **Jaimie Bryan** toga their way through JCL. (10) **Nihaal Reddy, Max Baum, Steven Bolden, Rachel Underhill,** and **Katherine Currault** smile for a non-posed picture in the quad. (11) **Norma Gutierrez** and **Justin Morgan** smile for a picture. (12) Senior swag is on display in the quad. (13) **Harrison VanDolah** decides which snack to eat. (14) **Mr. Martin** proves to everyone that he loves freshmen, but **Anhad Brar** has second thoughts. (15) **Selena Jacquez** and **Dalia Grado** show off their sweet smiles around the quad. (16) Freshman and senior **Cla(i)res** strike a pose. (17) **Colton Siddle** hugs **India Grasso** with his Incredible Hulk-like muscles. (18) **James Barranco** and **Claire Rose** huddle together for a photo. (19) **Kyah Cohen, Kendall Reaves,** and **Nimra Khan** share a smile together.

ACADEMICS

UPPER SCHOOL

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) **Lauren Lindley** shows off her stylish chemistry goggles. (2) **Scott Minard** stresses over the infamous ID paper. (3) **Alec Schnall** takes a hysics test. (4) **Nihaal Reddy** helps **Will Bassoff** with group work in ass. (5) **Alex Swanson** uses the Bunsen burner. (6) **Jesse Edwards** rabs some books from her locker. (7) **Kate Gonzales** pays close at- ention to the teacher in class. (8) **Emily Schron** is crumbling under he stress of junior year! (9) **Kyle Money** has trouble understanding his lgebra 2/Trig, maybe because his book is upside down. (10) **Moises opez** opens up his locker, but do seniors really need books? (11) **Ste- en Bolden** shows off his Advanced Biology binder with a pouty face. 2) **Suzette Guzman** checks on her science project. (13) **Mr. Pierson** ctures his math class. (14) **Claire Schollaert** works hard in the quad uring her free. (15) **Ms. Smith** teaches a concept on the whiteboard hile **AJ Hess** takes notes. (16) **Megan Lehrer** signs out with her se- ior privileges. (17) **Nate Nearhood** asks a quick question in class. (18) **arson Krause** crams for a quiz during break. (19) **Breana Roberts** uses er pink calculator on a math test. (20) A student reads the New York mes in the library during her early morning free. (21) **Flavia Pajaro- an de Stadt** takes notes in Mr. Martin's history class.



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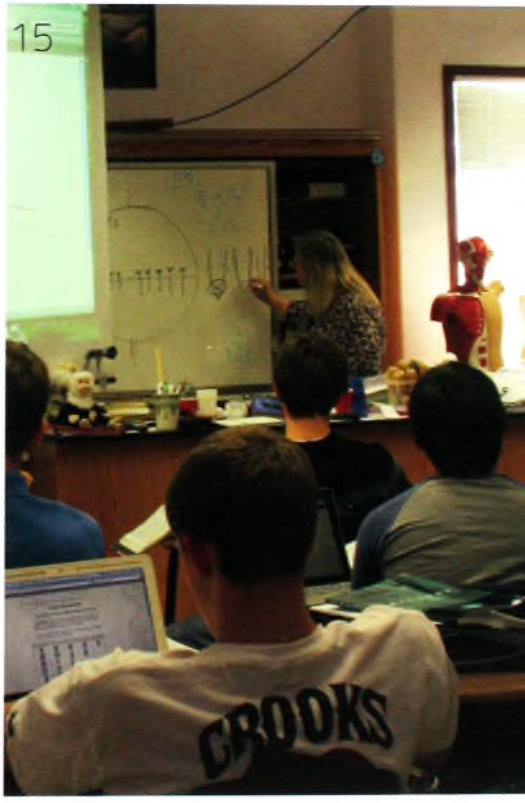

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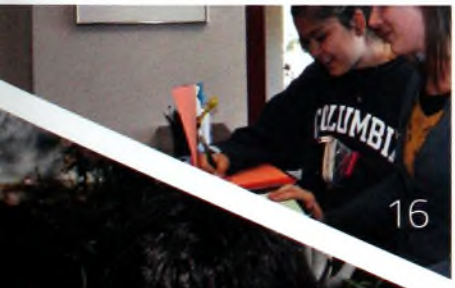
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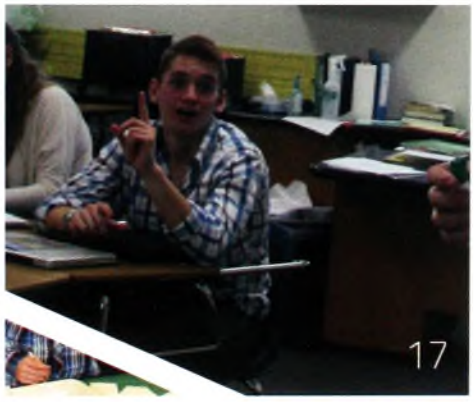
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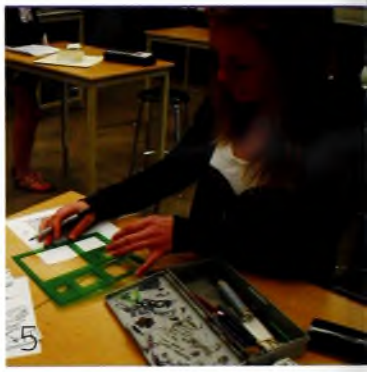
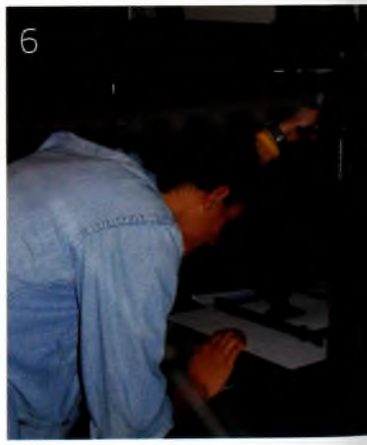
UPPER SCHOOL ART



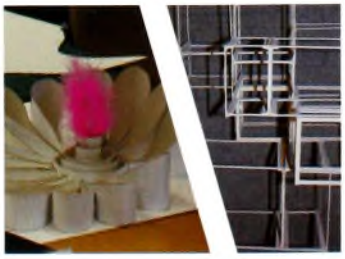
(1) **Nikhita Sachdeva** skillfully throws a pot on the wheel. (2) **Remi Edwards** happily admires the progress she has made on her self-portrait. (3) **Rachel Rummel** wears a smock in the hopes of avoiding ruining her artsy tights while painting a wild animal. (4) **Margaret Loncki** puts all of her strength into molding her clay. (5) **Emma Watson** uses a straightedge and pays careful attention to detail. (6) **Eden Shuster** uses a complicated tool, the negative enlarger, in photography class. (7) **Sarah Petrides** gets into her "art zone" by listening to music on her iPod. (8) Look at all of those intricate designs on **Alex Swanson's** artwork. (9) **Kendall Woodard** uses vibrant hues on her watercolor painting.



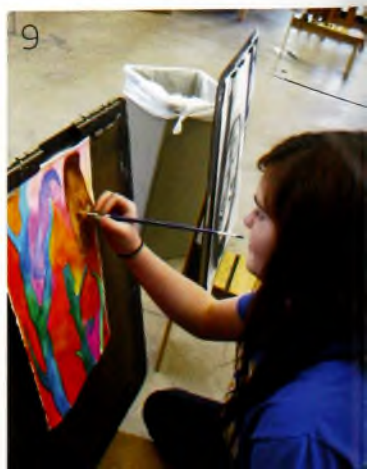












UPPER SCHOOL MUSIC

(1) **Ben Whitmore**, **Nihaal Reddy**, and **Joshua Muñoz** rock out in the percussion section. (2) **Wynston Hamann**, **Norma Gutierrez**, and **Carson Krause** all have their eyes on the sheet music at the strings concert. (3) **Mr. Garrison** and the chorus sing the PCDS Alma Mater at an assembly. (4) **Sofia Aklog** takes a break and a deep breath in preparation for a sax solo. (5) **Leila Noghrehchi** and **Kyle Kinnie** sing at the First Friday assembly. (6) **Brianda Godoy** strums her guitar. Girl power! (7) **Bryce Stockslager** and **Morgan Richman** rehearse tirelessly in preparation for their concert. (8) **Lupe Martinez** rings her handbells to the beat. (9) The Junior Varsity Jazz Band jams at the 40th Street Jazz Concert.

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FALL PLAY











Male Version: Justin Corsillo, Alex Swanson, Amelia Meyer, India Grasso, Chris Puglisi, Derek Chan, Micah Travis, Scott Minard
Female Version: Nicole Burke, Megan Cathey, Lauren Hanneman, Maddie Louis, Madeleine Withee, April Curci, John Fernandes, Chris Puglisi, Laura Samota, Emma Pappas, Megan Lehrer









SPRING MUSICAL

Cast: Jillian Gilburne, Melissa Greenberg, Derek Chan, Wynston Hamann, Alex Swanson, Jackson Murphy, Chris Puglisi, Kira Kirby, Justin Corsillo, Garron Rodgers, Leah Motzkin, Devra Hock, Laura Samota, Leila Noghrehchi, Lauren Lindley, Amelia Meyer, Leah Chanen, Sophie Hill, Isa Pesqueira, Natalie Prieb, Freya Irani, Carissa Wang, Adriana Dunlap, Rica Chan, Mona Shahid, Mariel Sokolov, Raagini Kothur, Anita Sheih, Sean Svejda, Ari Bradshaw

UPPER SCHOOL FASHION


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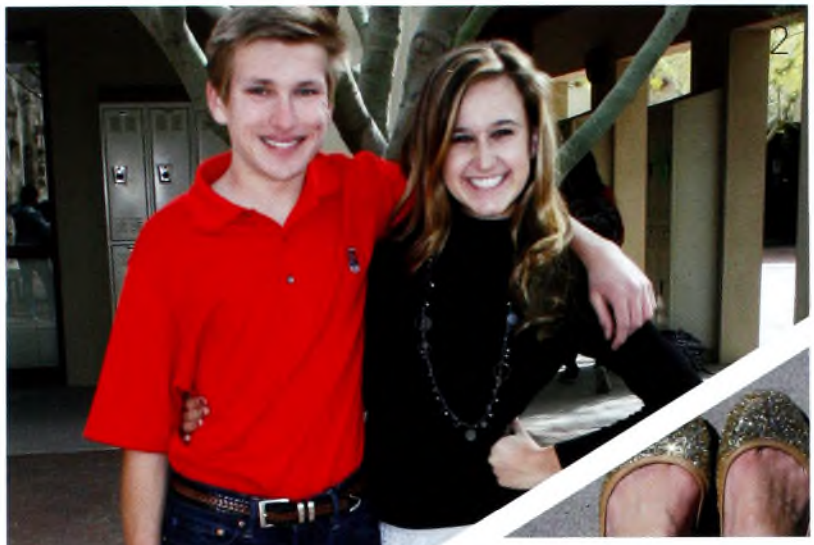
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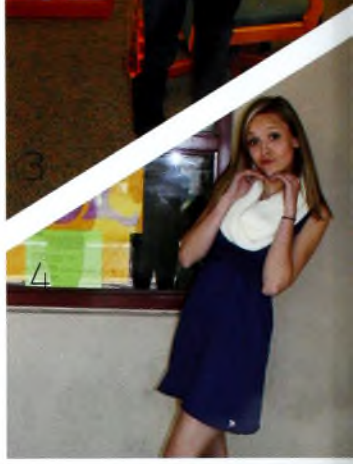
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(1) **Laura Samota**, **Briana Ewart**, and **Summer Travis** show off their personal styles: girly, edgy, and casual chic. (2) **Alex Hosmar** and **Morgan Gonzales** look preppy and poised. (3) **Max Baum** displays his skater style in the library. (4) **Kate Pokorski** works the innocent "girl next door" look. (5) **Kaddie Stephens** pulls off a maxi dress with grace. (6) **Katharine Currault** and **Cole Shepard** are comfortable yet stylish in their slippers and sneakers. (7) Is **Clare Fuller** a hipster or just indie? (8) **Amelia Montooth** has quite a whimsical style, which is very trendy right now. (9) **Jonathan Rooney** rocks a classical look. The striped sweater will never go out of style. (10) **Sam Jost** goes for a more daring "tough guy" look. (11) **Pallavi Wakharkar** boldly mixes a tribal print with combat boots. Great combo! (12) **Nicole Burke** shows off her eclectic style with her unique satchel.


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UPPER SCHOOL CLUBS



SERVICE CLUB

Lauren Chanen, Suzette Guzman, Zoe Simon, Colton Siddle, Leah Motzkin, Melissa Greenberg, Alex Swanson, Lindsay Coda, Megan Lehrer, Michelle Greenfield



GLOBAL AWARENESS

Ashlynn Miller, Frea Mehta, Suzette Guzman, Alex Melikian, Sidrah Khan, Raghav Agarwal, Alex Swanson, Mona Shahid, Saira Purewal, Mira Bansal, Sydney Portigal, Megan Lehrer



YOUNG DEMOCRATS

Kevin Heath, Chelsea Wu, Sarah Petrides, Sabrina Whitfill, Mr. Guthrie, Eric Showers, Rohit Kothur, Frea Mehta, Megan Lehrer, Morgan Richman

Fallon Leyba, Rachel Rummel, Sean Svejda, John Fernandes, Lily Dashevsky, Scott Minard, Caroline Cogliani, Amelia Montooth, Micah Travis, Clare Fuller, Nicole Burke, Brianda Godoy, Ali Loretta, Dalia Grado, Maddie Gordon



GAY-STRAIGHT ALLIANCE

Dr. Caro, Mira Bansal, Leila Noghrehchi, Emily Tarecena, Jacie Wright, Kalea Martin, Keely Franklin, Pauline Shongov, Helen Dailey, Karen Catano, Clarisse Salazar



INTERNATIONAL FILM CLU

Reilly Freret, Scott Minard, Wesley Curci, Bryeson Rodgers, Ali Loretta, Garron Rodgers, Jessica Cohen, Kate Pokorski, Lauren Lindley, Carlos Alvarado, Emma Pappas, Megan Cathey, Max Baum, Danny Minard, Pauline Shongov, Morgan Schwartz, Lexie Lewis, Lauren Hanneman



VIDEO PRODUCTION CLUB

UPPER SCHOOL CLUBS



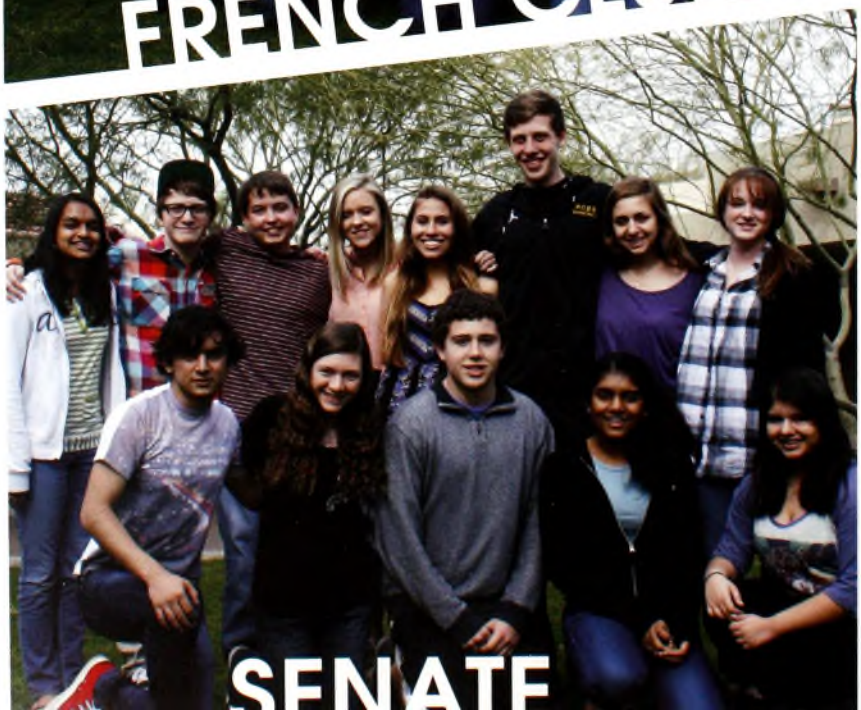
PRE-MED CLUB

Mira Bansal, Staley Lane, Emma Watson, Kyah Cohen, Sophie Hill, Jordan Cohen, Tyler Humphrey, Taylor Money, Brandon Purcell, Colton Siddle, Emily Schron, Anhad Brar, Saira Purewal, Dalia Grado, Jaimie Bryan, Kalea Martin, Carlos Alvarado, Rachel Underhill, Nimra Khan, Ashlynn Miller, Morgan Richman



FRENCH CLUB

Amy Aube, Madame Mills, Flavia Pajarovan de Stadt, Devra Hock, Catherine Swett, Frea Mehta, Helen Dailey, Clarisse Salazar, Jacie Wright, Chelsea Wu, Lindsay Coda, Tianna Sheih, Megan Lehrer



SENATE

Nitya Agrawal, Justin Corsillo, Trevor Kent, Kate Pokorski, Leah Motzkin, J.B. Stockslager, Zoe Simon, Nicole Bassoff, Jonathan Abdo, Michelle Greenfield, Kyle Money, Sreya Ravi, Lina Khan

Colton Siddle, Nikhita Sachdeva, Megan Lehrer, April Curci, Emma Pappas, Melanie Cohen, Lauren Hanneman, Mona Shahid, Wynston Hamann, Sophie Hill, Nikhita Sachdeva, Maddie Stern, Kate Pokorski, Ali Loretta, Lauren Hanneman



TOMS CLUB

Norma Gutierrez, Zoe Simon, Reid Price, Brandon Mayhew, Moises Lopez, Nicole Bassoff, Leah Stofko, Nicole Burke, Max Baum, Nic Meyer



FRESHMEN YEAR INITIATIVE

Dalia Grado, Olivia Pearson, Lauren Chanen, Domique Clancy, Pallavi, Wakharkar, Megan Cathey, Emma Pappas, Melanie Cohen, Lauren Hanneman

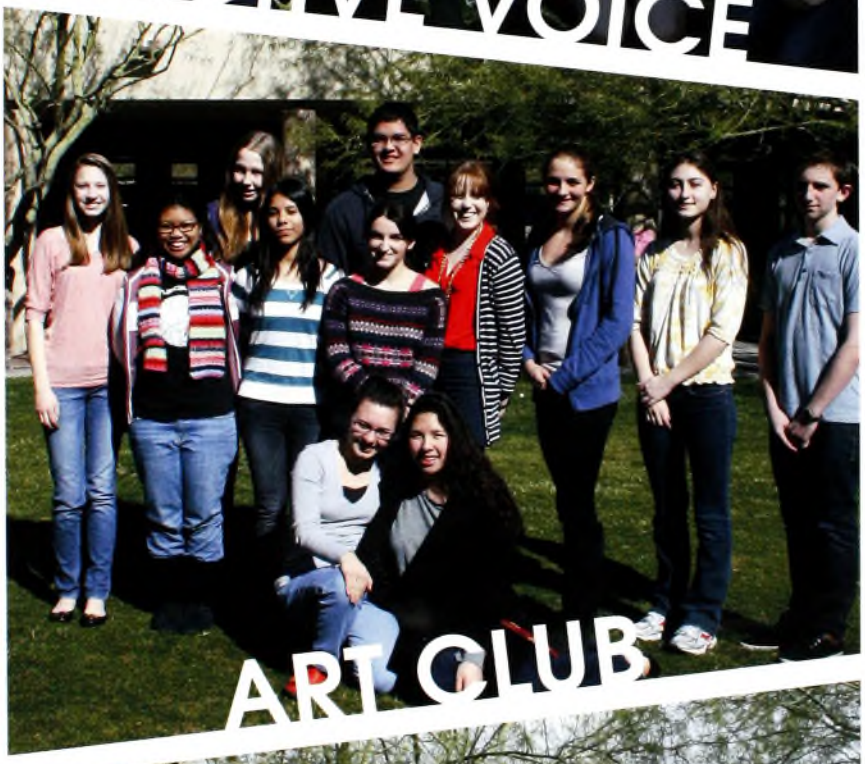


DIVERSITY CLUB



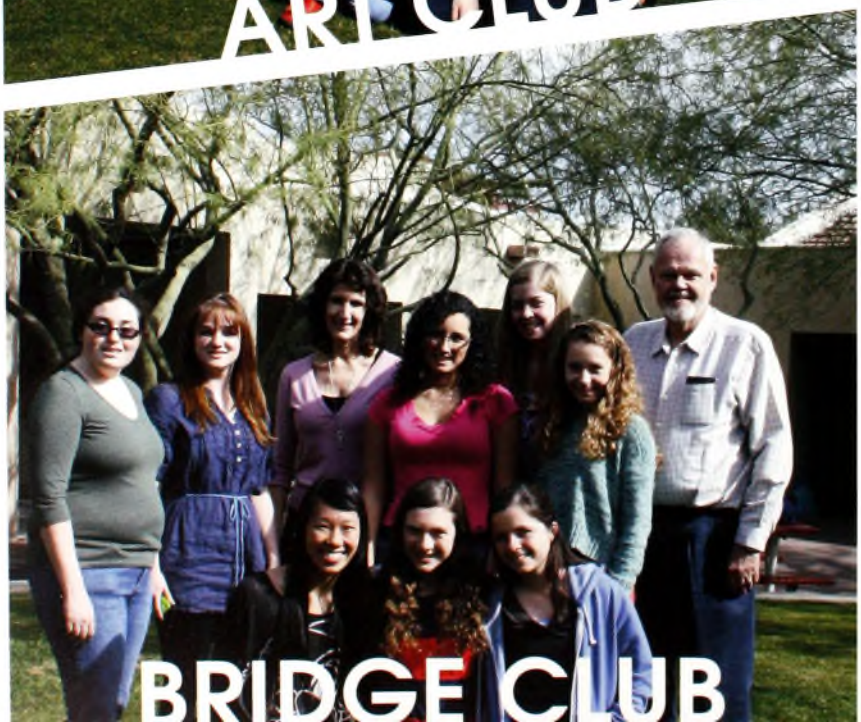
ACTIVE VOICE

Lauren Chanen, Alex Hosmar, Alice Zhao, Pallavi Wakharkar, Leah Motzkin, Sydney Portigal, Melissa Greenberg, Henry Roden, Emily Wendt, Zoe Simon, Nimra Khan, Megan Lehrer, Rachel Underhill, Alex Swanson



ART CLUB

Kristine Forster, Kalea Martin, Keely Franklin, Karen Catano, Garron Rodgers, Lindsay Coda, Mariclare Rethore, Jaimie Bryan, Helen Dailey, Adam Sidi, Pauline Shongov, Kassidy Tse



BRIDGE CLUB

Amy Aube, Nicole Bassoff, Ms. Mazzolini, Devra Hock, Lexie Lewis, Morgan Schwartz, Mr. Coon, Tianna Sheih, Michelle Greenfield, Jacie Wright

Petrides, Lauren Hanneman, Emma Pappas, April Curci, Liam Dempsey, Aashay Sanghvi, Colton Siddle, Kyle Money, Mona Shahid, Garron Rodgers, Chris Puglisi, Max Baum, Rachael Stottlemyre, Margaret Loncki, Ashlynn Miller, Maddie Louis, Justin Corsillo, Nimra Khan, Danielle Lee, Emily Schron, Nikhita Sachdeva, Mira Bansal, Kate Pokorski, Taylor Shannon, Jazmin Nido, Whitney Fahnbulleh, Rae Aaron, Sophie Hill, Jaimie Bryan, Arielle Lee, Aida Duarte, Sydney Portigal, Megan Lehrer, Maddie Stern, Kassidy Tse, Wynston Hamann



ASIAN CULTURAL CLUB

Alex Swanson, Henry Roden, Lauren Chanen, Gabby Shacknai, Breana Roberts, Alexander Garner, Dominique Clancy, Jordan Cohen, Emma Pappas, April Curci, Whitney Fahnbulleh, Steven Yuan, Kevin Heath, Emily Schron, Megan Lehrer, Alex Hosmar, Mona Shahid, Lily Dashevsky, John Fernandes



JUNIOR STATE OF AMERICA

Jesse Edwards, Sophie Hill, Lily Dashevsky, Sarah Petrides, Kyah Cohen, Kyle Money, Margaret Loncki, Rachael Stottlemyre, Melanie Cohen, Rae Aaron, Remi Edwards, Sydney Portigal, Mona Shahid, Megan Lehrer, Nikhita Sachdeva, Melissa Greenberg, Michelle Greenfield, Morgan Schwartz



JEWISH CULTURAL CLUB



CULTURAL DANCE

Megan Lehrer, Mon
Shahid, Dalia Grado,
Leah Motzkin, Me-
lissa Greenberg



DAYBREAKS

Leah Motzkin, Me-
gan Lehrer, Zoe
Simon, Colton Siddle
Suzette Guzman,
Alex Swanson, Lau-
ren Chanen



EN ESTE MOMENTO

Emily Wendt, Colton
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Lauren Chanen,
Nikhita Sachdeva,
Mira Bansal

Kevin Heath, Lexie Lewis, Cassidy Server, Jonathan Rooney, Stephen Marquis, Karen Catano, Sreya Ravi, Emily Taracena, Sarah Petrides, Alice Zhao, Pallavi Wakharkar, Angelica Sisson, Jaimie Bryan, Lindsay Coda, Gracie Gilberg, Lina Khan, Trevor Kent, Fallon Leyba, Kendall Reaves, Tyler Humphrey, Sabrina Whitfill, Melanie Cohen, Lance Nino, Alessandra Dagirmanjian, Chelsea Wu, Frea Mehta, Michelle Greenfield



JUNIOR CLASSICAL LEAGUE

April Curci, Andrew Garner, Morgan Gonzales, Garron Rodgers, Lily Dashevsky, Gracie Gilberg, Blake Miller, Henry Roden, Alex Hosmar, Lindsay Coda, Alexander Garner, Nicole Bassoff, Kyle Kinnie, Alessandra Dagirmanjian, Jackson Murphy, Breana Roberts, Brandon Mayhew, Reid Price, J.B. Stockslager, Emma Pappas, Lauren Hanneman



TEENAGE REPUBLICANS

Liam Dempsey, Colton Siddle, Jessica Segal, Melanie Cohen, Dalia Grado, Mona Shahid, Alex Swanson, Nimra Khan, Danielle Lee, Mr. Pierson, Devra Hock, Claire Schollaert, Dominique Clancy, Micki Verhein, Leah Motzkin, Maddie Stern



GREEN TEAM





ATHLETIC ACCOMP









Men's Basketball
Desert Classic Champions
Holiday Tournament Champions
AIA Division 4 State Champions
AJ Hess
- AZ Republic All Arizona 1st Team
- AZ Republic Division 4 1st team
- ABCA Player of the Year
- ABCA Division 4 1st team
- ABCA Senior All Star player
- Division 4 Player of the Year
- Division 4 1st Team All State
- Division 4 1st Team All Section

Nate Nearhood
- AZ Republic Division 4 1st team
- ABCA Division 4 1st team
- ABCA Senior All Star player
- Division 4 2nd Team All State
- Division 4 1st Team All Section

Nic Meyer
- AZ Republic Division 4 Honorable Mention
- Division 4 Honorable Mention

Alex Sylvester
- AZ Republic Division 4 Honorable Mention
- Division 4 Honorable Mention





SHMENTS





Women's Basketball
Claire Myers
AZ Republic Division 4 Honorable Mention
Division 4 Honorable Mention
Rachel Underhill
Division 4 Honorable Mention

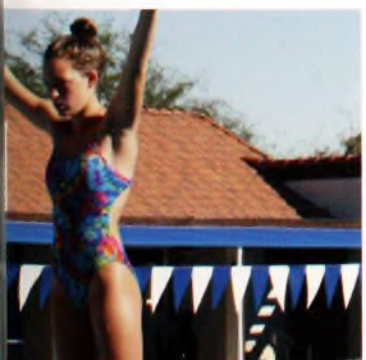
Men's Soccer
James Baranco: AIA 1st Team All Region, 1st Team All Division, AZ Rep 1st Team All AZ Small Schools
Alex Sylvester: AIA 1st Team All Region, 1st Team All Division, AZ Rep Honorable Mention All AZ Small Schools
Nic Meyer: AIA 1st Team All Region, 2nd Team All Division
Cory Pitt: AIA 1st Team All Region, 2nd Team All Division

Women's Soccer
Leah Stofko: AIA 1st Team All Region, 1st Team All Division, 2nd Team All AZ Small Schools.
Saira Purewal: AIA 2nd Team All Region, AZ Rep Honorable Mention All AZ Small Schools

Swim and Dive
4A Girls Diving State Meet
Emma Watson 7th (Dive)
Madie Stern 8th (Dive)
Women's Team 1A-3A CHAMPIONS
Danielle Lee: State Qualifier 200 Freestyle
Danielle Lee: State Qualifier 100 Butterfly
Arielle Lee: State Qualifier 100 Backstroke
Jaimie Bryan: State Qualifier 200 IM
Jaimie Bryan: State Qualifier 100 Breastrstroke
Women's 200 Medley Relay: 1st State Qualifier
Arielle Lee, Jamie Bryan, Danielle Lee, Jessica Segal
Women's 400 Freestyle Relay: 1st State Qualifier
Arielle Lee, Jamie Bryan, Danielle Lee, Jessica Segal
Jessica Segal: State Qualifier 50 Freestyle
Arielle Lee: State Qualifier 100 Freestyle
Jessica Segal: State Qualifier 100 Freestyle
Women's 200 Freestyle Relay State Qualifiers
Leila Noghrehchi, Christine Rohacz
Brennen Lee: State Qualifier 200 IM
Kevin Heath: State Qualifier 100 Butterly
Kevin Heath: Qualified for 4A State
Men's: Top 5 of the 3A school Champions
4A Champions:
Danielle Lee: 200 Freestyle
Danielle Lee: 100 Backstroke
Jaimie Bryan: 200 IM
Jaimie Bryan: 100 Breaststroke (2nd Place)
Girls 200 Medley Relay: 3rd Place
Arielle Lee, Jamie Bryan, Danielle Lee, Jessica Segal
Girls 400 Freestyle Relay: 5th Place
Arielle Lee, Jamie Bryan, Danielle Lee, Jessica Segal















MEN'S SOCCER







Coach McKean, Avery Racine, Harrison VanDolah, Ryan Levinthal, James Barranco, Edgar Ocampo, Nic Meyer, Bernardo Fonseca, Tyler Humphrey, Max Baum, Brandon Purcell, Coach Jen, Cory Pitt, Nate Nearhood, Cesar Acosta, Alec Schnall, Quinn Lincoln, Taylor Money, Sam Ax, Liam Dempsey, Alex Sylvester, Adam Sidi, Jorge Manzanares, Carlos Alvarado, Zachary Hart, Jordan Cohen, Gian-Reto Bonadurer, Reilly Freret













Coach Nick, Madeleine Withee, Amelia Montooth, Sierra Treiman, Margaret Loncki, Leah Stofko, Walker Tuton, Claire Rose, Kate Gonzales, Coach Aimee, Karen Catano, Katharine Currault, Christine Rohacz, Saira Purewal, Tianna Sheih, Summer Travis, Isabelle Brothers, Coach McKean, Kendall Woodard, Remi Edwards, Jacie Wright, Jesse Edwards









WOMEN'S SOCCER







MEN'S BASKEBALL





Junior Varsity (Left): Tyler Kowalske, Colton Siddle, Kyle Money, Bryeson Rodgers, Cory Pitt, Brandon Purcell, Zachary Wright, Steven Bolden, Joshua Muñoz, Carson Krause, Nihaal Reddy, Wesley Curci, Andrew Novoa

Varsity (Below): Coach David, Coach Newland, Nic Meyer, J.B. Stockslager, AJ Hess, James Barranco, Bryeson Rodgers, Harrison VanDolah, Coach Ramer, Coach Lewis, Alex Sylvester, Cory Pitt, Nate Nearhood, Alec Schnall, Elliot Goldberg, Nihaal Reddy















Coach Amp, Morgan Richman, Sreya Ravi, Dalia Grado, Megan Cathey, Mona Shahid, Coach Lance, Coach Ramer, Melanie Cohen, Selena Jacquez, Rachel Underhill, Claire Myers, Phoebe Newton





WOMEN'S BASKETBALL





MEN'S LACROSSE











Jonathan Abdo, Sam Ax, Will Bassoff, Max Baum, Gian-Reto Bonadurer, Aaron Cohen, Wesley Curci, Jeffrey Dempsey, Jake Disarufino, Reilly Freret, Zachary Hart, Carson Krause, Quinn Lincoln, Jorge Manzanares, Andrew Novoa, Cory Pitt, Avery Racine, Alex Rigberg, Cole Shepard, Colton Siddle, Harrison VanDolah, Aaron Witt, Tyler Witt













Junior Varsity (Above): Stephanie Liu, Phoebe Newton, Sophie Arregoces, Isa Pesquiera, Erica Samota, Sophie Hill, Sreya Ravi, Jamie Cohen, Natalie Cooper, Natalie Kwasniak , Claire Sanders, Emily Slezak, Mira Bansal, Megan Markee, Madie Seltzer, Raagini Kothur, Caroline Cogliani, Alex Abbate

Varsity (Left): Coach Nolan, Sydney Portigal, Taylor Shannon, Izzy Disarufino, Jessica Segal, Zoe Simon, Saira Purewal, Madeleine Withee, Coach Wright, Gracie Gilberg, Jessica Cohen, Emily Schron, Aida Duarte, Pallavi Wakharkar, Emily Slezak









WOMEN'S LACROSSE







MEN'S BASEBALL





Craig Logan, Edgar Ocampo, Nic Meyer, Jack Swett, Alex Sylvester, Bernardo Fonseca, Blake Miller, Scott Minard, Danny Minard, Carlos Alvarado, Taylor Money, Jordan Cohen, Tyler Humphrey









Kendall Woodard, Melanie Cohen, Alex Melikian, Lexie Lewis, Kate Gonzales, Claire Rose, Rachael Stottlemyer, Rachel Underhill, Mariclare Rethore, Coach Diane, Coach Schweikher, Michelle Geenfield, Selena Jacquez, Sidrah Khan, Katharine Currault, Claire Schollaert, Sarah Petrides, Christine Rohacz, Tianna Sheih















WOMEN'S SOFTBALL









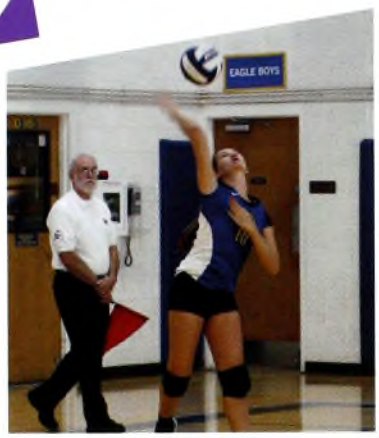




WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL







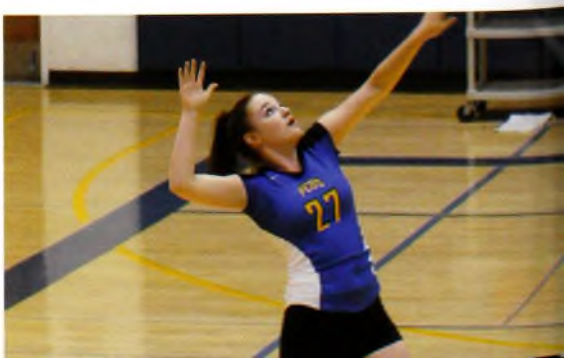




Junior Varsity (Above): Mariel Sokolov, Clarisse Salazar, Dalia Grado, Sreya Ravi, Coach King, Lupe Martinez, Sophie Hill, Caroline Cogliani

Varsity (Left): Coach Kat, Gabby Shacknai, Alex Melikian, Claire Schollaert, Saira Purewal, Hannah Cianci, Natasch Schippel, Rachael Stottlemyre, Coach Hull, Morgan Richman, Nicole Bassoff, Selena Jacquez, Pallavi Wakharkar, Michelle Greenfield, Gracie Gilberg, Devra Hock

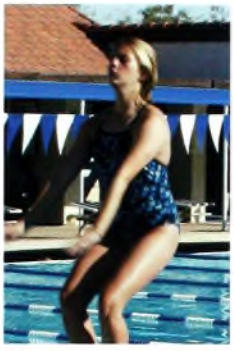












Swim (Above): Jaimie Bryan, Jackson Murphy, Leila Noghrehchi, Colton Siddle, Coach Mike, Craig Logan, Jonathan Rooney, Jessica Segal, Danielle Lee, Kevin Heath, John Fernandes, Brennen Lee, Emily Wendt, Sofia Aklog, Jacie Wright, Wynston Hamann, Arielle Lee, Christine Rohacz

Dive (Top Left): Scott Minard, Nimra Khan, Kendall Reaves, Phoebe Newton, Kyah Cohen, Maddie Stern, Emma Watson







UPPER SCHOOL SWIM & DIVE





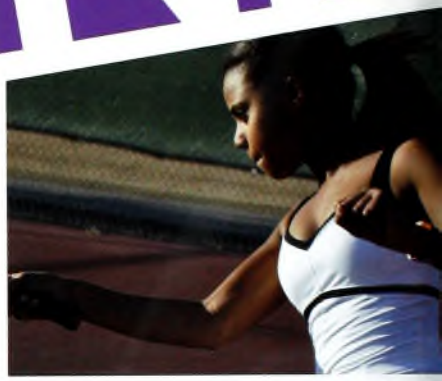
UPPER SCHOOL TENNIS













Men's (Bottom Left): Brandon Purcell, Kyle Money, Bryce Stockslager, J.B. Stockslager, Raghav Agarwal, Zachary Wright, Joshua Muñoz, Coach Keever, Jehan Bista, Alex Swanson, Jacob Feder, Bond McGillivray, Cesar Acosta, Dheeraj Atmakuri

Women's (Bottom Right): Sam Kaplan, Maddie Gordon, Alice Zhao, Leah Stofko, Rana Roudi, Staley Lane, Sofia Aklog, Micki Verhein, Coach Keever, Lily Dashevsky, Alessandra Dagirmanjian, Jessica Winssinger, Norma Gutierrez, Rae Aaron, Nicole Bassoff













Golf: Henry Roden, Konstantin von Beringe, Andrew Garner, Alexander Garner, Lance Niño, Morgan Gonzales, Carson Krause, Reid Price, Moises Lopez







UPPER SCHOOL GOLF





WOMEN'S CHEER







Cheer: Kendall Reaves, Angelica Sisson, Emma Pappas, Lauren Lindley, Hannah Cianci, Kaddie Stephens, Briana Ewart, Ali Loretta









DEBATE





Debate (Left): Nitya Agrawal, Fallon Leyba, Sabrina Whitfill, Jehan Bista, Eric Showers, Frea Mehta, Kyle Kinnie





Robotics (Above): Natalie Davenport, Joe Schornak, Avery Silverman, James Hobin, Edgar Ocampo, Jack Swett, Bryce Stockslager, Kevin Heath, Derek Chan, Jonathan Rooney, Rohit Kothur, Stephen Marquis, Chris Mattinson, Helen Dailey, Amy Aube, Alex Roeper, Carlos Alvarado, Jacob Feder, Ben Mattinson, Steven Yuan



ROBOTICS









Freshmen

Rae Aaron
Cesar Acosta
Sofia Aklog
Carlos Alvarado






Will Bassoff
Anna Bodney
Steven Bolden
Anhad Brar






Caroline Cogliani
Kyah Cohen
Wesley Curci
Lily Dashevsky






Sage Druch
Jesse Edwards
Remi Edwards
Bernardo Fonseca










Class of 2015



Reilly Freret
Gracie Gilberg
Brianda Godoy
Morgan Gonzales

Maddie Gordon
Wynston Hamann
Zachary Hart
Sophie Hill

Lina Khan
Kyle Kinnie
Carson Krause
Staley Lane

Fallon Leyba
Jorge Manzanares
Lupe Martinez
Bond McGillivray









Freshmen



Amelia Meyer



Danny Minard



Kyle Money



Amelia Montooth



Paulina Moreno



Josh Muñoz



Claire Myers



Phoebe Newton



Lance Nino



Andrew Novoa



Sarah Petrides



Sreya Ravi



Kendall Reaves



Nihaal Reddy



Eva Reynoso





Class of 2015






Morgan Richman
Bryeson Rodgers
Andre Roidl
Rana Roudi






Madie Seltzer
Cassidy Server
Mariel Sokolov
Bryce Stockslager






Sean Svejda
Emma Watson
Sabrina Whitfill
Ben Whitmore




Jessica Winssinger
Tyler Witt








10 Sophomores

Jonathan Abdo
Raghav Agarwal
Dheeraj Atmakuri
Sam Ax






Mira Bansal
Isabelle Brothers
Karen Catano
Aaron Cohen






Ana Corey
Briana Ewart
Kristine Forster
Keely Franklin






Andrew Garner
Grant Gordon
Michelle Greenfield
Suzette Guzman
Sophia Ho











Class of 2014







Sam Jost
Sidrah Khan
Tyler Kowalske
Brennen Lee
Veronika Levintov






Lexie Lewis
Lauren Lindley
Craig Logan
Margaret Loncki






Maddie Louis
Stephen Marquis
Kalea Martin
Chris Mattinson






Alex Melikian
Ashlynn Miller
Blake Miller
Flavia Pajaro-van de Stadt








10 Sophomores



Cory Pitt



Sydney Portigal



Saira Purewal



Avery Racine



Alex Rigberg



Jonathan Rooney



Nikhita Sachdeva



Clarisse Salazar



Laura Samota



Aashay Sanghvi



Morgan Schwartz



Gabby Shacknai





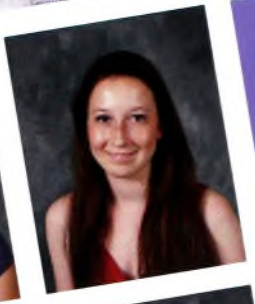
Class of 2014






Cole Shepard
Adam Sidi
Rachael Stottlemyre
Alex Swanson



Emily Taracena
Summer Travis
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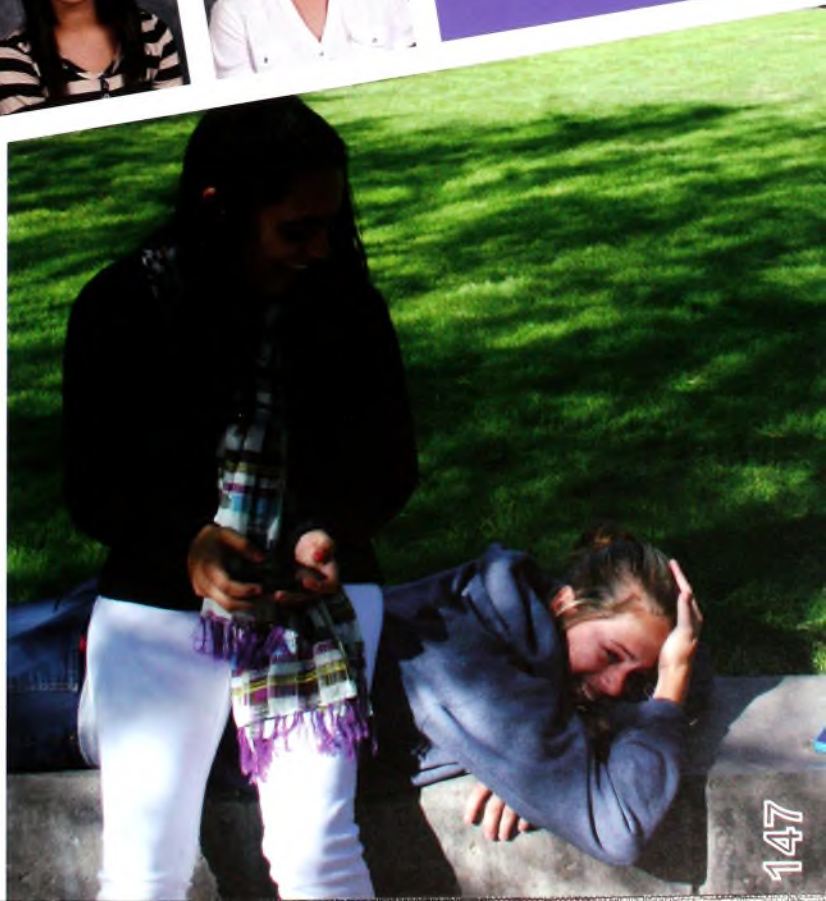
Kate Werth






Madeleine Withee
Jacie Wright
Chelsea Wu
Alice Zhao





Juniors

Nitya Agrawal
Gian-Reto Bonadurer
Jaimie Bryan
Megan Cathey



Derek Chan
Hannah Cianci
Dominique Clancy
Jess Cohen



Jordan Cohen
Melanie Cohen
Justin Corsillo
April Curci



Katharine Currault
Helen Dailey
Whitney Fahnbulleh
Jacob Feder







Class of 2013



John Fernandes
Dalia Grado
India Grasso
Melissa Greenberg

Lauren Hanneman
Alex Hosmar
Tyler Humphrey
Selena Jacquez

Slater Katz
Trevor Kent
Arielle Lee
Ali Loretta

Scott Minard
Taylor Money
Jackson Murphy
Jazmin Nido









Juniors

Leila Noghrehchi
Edgar Ocampo
Emma Pappas
Olivia Pearson









Kate Pokorski
Chris Puglisi
Brandon Purcell
Mariclare Rethore









Breana Roberts
Henry Roden
Garron Rodgers
Patrick Rody









Philip Rody
Claire Rose
Natascha Schippel
Alex Schmiedlechner













Class of 2013







Emily Schron
Mona Shahid
Taylor Shannon
Pauline Shongov
Colton Siddle






Angelica Sisson
Kaddie Stephens
Maddie Stern
Melike Surmen






Jack Swett
Alex Sylvester
Micah Travis
Walker Tuton






Pallavi Wakharkar
Kendall Woodard
Zachary Wright
Steven Yuan




Listen to the Mustn'ts, child.
Listen to the Don'ts.
Listen to the Shouldn'ts,
the Impossibles, the Won'ts.

Listen to the Never Haves.
Then listen close to me.
Anything can happen, child.
Anything can be.

-Shel Silverstein





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SENIOR LIFE


















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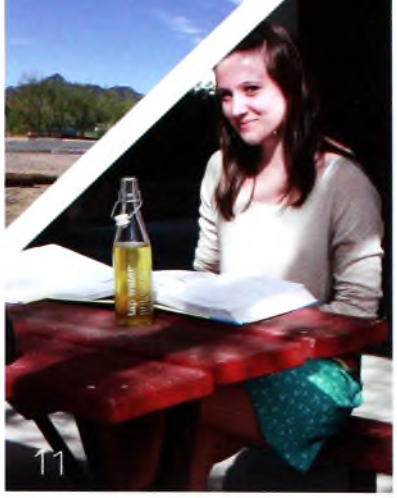
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(1) **Megan Lehrer** loves climbing trees during her spare time. (2) **Jehan Bista**, **J.B. Stockslager**, and **Rachel Underhill** are the Three Musketeers of the senior class. (3) **Danielle Lee** and **Brandon Mayhew** enjoy their last Blue and Gold Day. (4) **Alexander Garner** laughs at a joke about the South. (5) **Nimra Khan**, **Zoe Simon**, and **Aida Duarte** make underclassmen jealous with their coffee and other off-campus treats. (6) **Rachel Rummel** and **Eden Shuster** show off their senior stares to scare away freshmen. (7) After 14 years at PCDS, **Nate Nearhood** walks through the parking lot as though he owns the place. (8) **Alex Roeper** and **Natalie Davenport** are scared that someone will steal their prized back row of the computer lab. (9) **Alec Schnall** and **AJ Hess** play around with the balloons from senior speeches. (10) **Liam Dempsey** congratulates the Varsity Men's Basketball team on their recent state championship victory. (11) **Nicole Burke** enjoys a gourmet beverage while reading poetry, as always. (12) **Nic Meyer** looks at his favorite food, raisins, with adoration. (13) **Ben Mattinson** hangs out in the parking lot before he goes to get some lunch with friends. (14) **Devra Hock** strikes a model pose in the quad. (15) **Aida Duarte**, **Zoe Simon**, **Reid Price**, and **Nicole Bassoff** claim their parking spots on Senior Chalk Day. (16) **Joe Schornak** signs out with a giant pen; he is clearly very excited about his off-campus senior privileges! (17) **Leah Motzkin**, **Leah Stofko**, and **Lauren Chanen** are the Charlie's Angels of PCDS.

LIFERS

PCDS









Lifers: Alex Roeper, Elliot Goldberg, Reid Price, James Barranco, Nate Nearhood, Kate Gonzales, Max Baum, Amy Aube





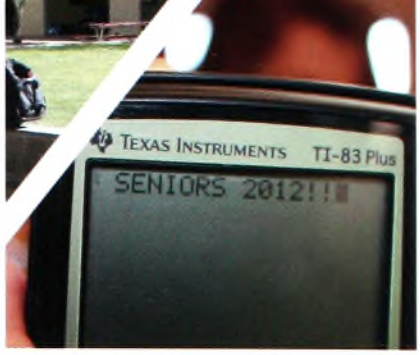






SENIOR LIFE



















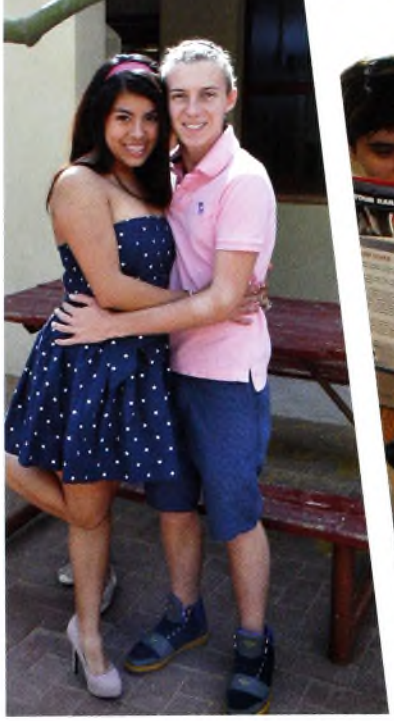
(1) **Max Baum** and **Sam Kaplan** enjoy listening to their iPods in the coveted corner of the Student Center. (2) **Jehan Bista** and **J.B. Stockslager** intimidate the freshmen with their senior swag. (3) **Konstantin von Beringe** and **Reid Price** show off their muscles; they will fit right in at ASU! (4) **Tianna Sheih** loves peace and happiness. (5) **Liam Dempsey** rides his scooter around campus while refusing to grow up! (6) **Rachel Underhill**, **Nicole Burke**, **Quinn Lincoln**, and **Ryan Levinthal** enjoy their fancy Hava Java drinks. (7) **Lauren Chanen** and **Leah Stofko** remember their childhood days on the playground. (8) Look at the best class couple: **Norma Gutierrez** and **Justin Morgan**



Amy Aube has unwillingly taken over the world, and her responsibilities include forcing people to clean up after themselves and to turn in all necessary forms on time. She was convinced to take command after being promised a lifetime supply of lukewarm coffee. **James Barranco** has recently updated to a Maserati mini van, equipped with a dance floor and a DJ booth in the corner, there is a couch, and he makes his money by charging people one thousand dollars to sit on it. After years of research and finding several cures to some of the biggest threats to mankind, **Nicole Bassoff** is now a Professor at Harvard University and spends her winters skiing in Alaska with her team of huskies and her close friend Nicki Minaj. **Max Baum** currently lives in a quaint, little suburban town outside of Omaha, Nebraska with his wife, two kids, and the family golden retriever; on weekends, he attends his children's sporting events and BBQs. **Jehan Bista** is now a world-heavyweight champion wrestler under the name Jay Han and weighs 315 pounds of pure muscle. He is a multi-platinum artist and has his third studio album out next month entitled *Beasta Mode*. **Nicole Burke** is the last surviving hipster of the 2000s. She still drives her Smart Car around Los Angeles in between her spokeswoman jobs for PETA and the LGBT community. After making millions for inventing a new type of space travel, **Lauren Chanen** spends her days shopping for expensive leather garments. True Food still caters her life. **Lindsay Coda** manages her own art museum in Paris filled with mostly her own works and an occasional old Picasso. She also continues to work on building set designs for Broadway and is married to a rich rodeo cowboy. After studying business in order to open her cupcake store that puts Sprinkles to shame and becoming an assistant tennis coach, **Alessandra Dagirmanjian** began to focus on her love affair for little white puppies. She still shops at Urban Outfitters and drinks cold drinks with a drink sleeve. **Natalie Davenport** disappeared directly following her graduation from PCDS and has not been seen in 20 years. However, she is known to be alive due to the continuous stream of mysterious knitted products—including scarves, hats, and doomsday devices—that have appeared throughout the world. **Liam Dempsey** was reported missing the day after his high school graduation. But now, he is the nations top hair-stylist, as anyone with a pony-hawk would be. He rocks the mohawk made of ponytails on a daily basis at his salon Lacrossome. **Aida Duarte** moved to New York, where there is a larger population of eligible hunks her own age; she is now a successful journalist but spends most of her time shopping for all things Chinese. **Clare Fuller** is now the journalist and playwright who is famous for having ever-changing hair styles and colors. She is the new David Foster Wallace and can be found at coffee shops around the world. **Alexander Garner** is now where he belongs: living in a gorgeous house in a meadow in the South with his perfectly preppy family. He makes a living and provides for his Southern belle wife by doing uncanny impersonations of Barack Obama. After finding the cure for cataracts, **Elliot Goldberg** and his 10 adopted children moved to Compton to spread peace and love. **Kate Gonzales** is now living in a brickstone house in a gated community in Dallas with her husband, two kids, and three dogs. **Norma Gutierrez** is now an ambassador for Mexico, and she still has a passion for candy and all things girly, which is why she is such a great mother. **Kevin Heath** has won the award for "Friendliest Person in Arizona" because he still waves and greets every person he comes across. He has started a school where the only classes are skydiving, robotics, swimming, snowboarding, and hiking. After his 50-year career in the NBA, **AJ Hess** married a salty señorita from Uruguay and settled down in a stunning North Dakota mansion; they salsa dance every Sunday. **James Hobin** has discovered how to use his 3-D printer to create edible food, so he now has no reason to leave the side of his computer. **Devra Hock** has discovered a new species of dinosaur but has not been able to report on her findings because she has been lost in the Badlands of Montana for the past few years. Her attempts to alert rescue crews of her location by singing show tunes have repeatedly failed. After dropping out of college her junior year and a short stint on SNL, **Sam Kaplan** moved back to Arizona and now lives in the AJ's parking lot, where she begs for iced tea and croissants rather than money. **Nimra Khan** found the cure for cancer and became world famous, but she soon felt that the lifestyle of a celebrity was just too much to handle, so she moved back to her Pakistani motherland to pursue her true passion: body building. After leaving Penn as the highest achieving business student they ever had, **Rohit Kothur** became the CEO of Apple and bought the rights to the *Donkey Kong* franchise and renamed it *Cranky Kong*. After sprouting fins and swimming around the world multiple times, **Danielle Lee** has gone missing, but legend has it that she still dwells in the PCDS pool filters. **Megan Lehrer** changed her name to Cher Lehrer and became the CEO of America's largest car insurance company, Crash and Sparkle Inc. She has further earned the title "Bumper Car Champion of the World" and can be seen practicing on highways and local roads while still sporting fancy pink bows. **Ryan Levinthal** has become the most knowledgeable CNN commentator and the world's greatest devil's advocate. Even while on TV or while playing rugby, he still wears his signature necklace. **Quinn Lincoln** is currently listed as a missing person. He was last seen on the featured TLC super show *Hoarders: Buried Alive*, where he was called in for cramming 3000 pairs of aviators and 35 specialized mini-coopers into his 250 square foot home in Tucson. **Moises Lopez** officially eliminated the letter "I" from his name to end people's unnecessary confusion with the pronunciation. He now spends overcast evenings as an old, sad man walking down depressing streets reflecting on the dilemma he created: how to pronounce "Moses" in Spanish. **Ben Mattinson** currently lives a double life: by day, he is a famous scientist and expert computer programmer, and at night, he is the lead guitarist of a rock band. He invented a form of technology that allows him to transform his looks in a matter of seconds in order to transition between his two worlds. Soon after graduation, **Brandon Mayhew** met a beautiful French girl, whom he quickly married and now lives with in Pasadena, California. He simultaneously

opened a fashion business that specializes in authentic war clothing and short shorts and an international Lego exchange company. **Frea Mehta** owns an ostrich farm, where she does extensive scientific research and takes incredible photos of the beautiful ostriches. She also still enjoys assigning personality traits to numbers. After his one-year stint in the minor leagues, **Nic Meyer** decided to travel the world in order to find clothing that fits properly; although this proved impossible, Nic got lucky and signed a four-year contract with the world famous Columbian polo team, **Justin Morgan** (and Norma) now lives in the east wing of Morgan Manor. They have since renamed it "Casa de Captain Morgan." Justin's ponytail is now longer than his horse's. **Leah Motzkin** left PCDS with the sole intention of emulating Mrs. Decker in every aspect of her life. She has a collection of pointy-edge glasses and seeks out hipster coffee shops wherever she goes as she travels the globe revolutionizing the world of fashion. Last spotted in a Los Angeles hospital, **Nate Nearhood** is currently recovering from earlobe tissue damage due to his four-pound diamond stud earrings. This bro is on a break. **Reid Price** is currently living life as an artist, but to make his living, he opened up a resort where the only activities are golfing, playing paintball, and working out, and the restaurant only serves steak. **Kylie Prusak** has not been seen since graduation other than on the covers of *Vogue* and *W Magazine* because she has been traveling all around the world as a successful model and foreign diplomat. **Alex Roeper** has become the leader of the activist group "Rights for Rats" but has not made notable progress due to the fact that she has slept through all the board meetings. She has also continued her academic interests of biology and theater, including both in her now infamous scientific adaptation of Lady Gaga's entire discography into a musical production. After wandering the world for several years to find her calling, **Christine Rohacz** opened up a world famous French bistro in the heart of Cleveland. Later, she opened up the "Christine Rohacz Center for Kids Who Can't Cook Good and Want to Learn How to do Other Things Good, Too." **Rachel Rummel** has opened a successful bakery in San Francisco that specializes in vegan and gluten free creations. She and her three hippie children are all models for her famous photographer husband. After college, **Alec Schnall** married the captain of the women's curling team; they now have seven children and live in Zimbabwe, and Alec is a professional tour guide of the city. **Claire Schollaert** now lives on a rice farm in New Zealand with her handsome architect husband and two perfect children; she keeps polar bears as pets and often visits her homeland of Singapore. **Joe Schornak** has since led the Earth into a stage of technological dictatorship, creating an intergalactic enterprise of asteroid mining, while establishing a policy of mandatory transhumanism. In addition to this, Supreme Overlord Schornak has established an additional quota—requiring a necessary conduct of weirdness. After opening up 50 schools and daycare centers, **Jessica Segal** started her campaign to regain her rightful place as queen of Hershey, Pennsylvania, where she is now known for her chocolate river in her front yard. **Tianna Sheih** ended up in Las Vegas after getting lost driving to AJ's. She is now known worldwide for her amazingly fast card-dealing skills, and on the side, she holds the world record for the most Chipotle burritos eaten and owns large stock in every chocolate company in the world. After winning *Jeopardy*, **Eric Showers** has become PCDS's new Matt Guthrie, coaching the debate team and teaching the Science Fiction and Fantasy course, which now spends an entire semester studying solely *The Lord of the Rings*. **Eden Shuster** is now a world famous photographer. Although he is quite the successful businessman for his photo company, he still maintains his hippie vibe and vegan lifestyle and has even been known to wear Teva sandals to business meetings. After seeing the best minds of his generation destroyed by madness and spending many years on his personal quest to destroy Facebook, **Avery Silverman** ultimately decided to create his own society. This society has advanced robots but absolutely no vampires, and it is located in a forest, which has absolutely no werewolves. After working many successful years as a U.S. ambassador to Iran, **Zoe Simon** has finally realized her true calling: in the kitchen cooking with Tom, the chef. Following high school, **J.B. Stockslager** became the kid that no one ever heard from again, until 15 years later when it was discovered that he had legally changed his name to J. Sizzle. He had apparently tried to resurrect the old MTV show *Yo Mama* but had failed miserably when he tried to cast the show on his family farm in Akron, Ohio. After becoming a world-renowned tennis player and world diplomat, **Leah Stofko** decided to settle down in Spain with her model boyfriend, Enrique. **Catherine Swett** has become the star of the award-winning French reality T.V. show *Horse Whisperer* which takes place on a dude ranch where she also practices large animal medicine. However, she considers her biggest accomplishment to be teaching her dog, Genevieve, to record their favorite shows—*Toddlers in Tiaras, My Strange Addiction,* and *Hoarding: Buried Alive*—in her absence. **Sierra Treiman** has recently opened her world famous restaurant, Sierra's Spaghetti. When she is not chowing down on spaghetti, Sierra is playing soccer during her free time. **Rachel Underhill** is now married to Rajon Rando, and they have two kids, Pierre and Pierce. She also trains the New York Knicks, the NBA Champions thanks to Rajon's four consecutive triple-doubles to close out the championship. After making enough money by producing theme songs for shows such as *Project Redneck* and *The Psychic Zone*, **Harrison VanDolah** became a corn farmer and bought a large farm in Rolfe, Iowa. Harrison revived the old settler town by accidentally stumbling upon oil like now outcast former presidential candidate Rick Perry once suggested, and is currently running for U.S. Senate under the slogan, "Dey Took Our Jobs!" After learning her 73rd language, **Micki Verhein** still cannot speak English; she and her suave Spanish stud decided to move back to the motherland, and she now lives down the street from her father. After winning Mr. Olympia, **Konstantin von Beringe** recently opened up his universally famous golf course on the moon. He cleverly named it Konstantinople Golf Club, and he is currently working on his new line of golf

SENIOR BESTS







Best Class Couple

Norma Gutierrez &
Justin Morgan

Teacher's Worst Nightmare

Alex Roeper &
Elliot Goldberg

Most Likely to be Protesting

Nicole Burke &
Eric Showers

Eric Showers &
Leah Motzkin

Most Likely to Work at PCDS

Alexander Garner &
Nimra Khan

Teacher's Favorite

Devra Hock &
Eden Shuster

Best Hair









Best Dressed

Lauren Chanen &
Brandon Mayhew



Worst Driver

Quinn Lincoln & Megan Lehrer



Next Picasso

Lindsay Coda &
Reid Price

Nic Meyer & Leah Motzkin

Class Flirt

Max Baum & Tianna Sheih

Best Smile

Zoe Simon & Jehan Bista

Most Changed During High Schoo













Most Athletic

Leah Stofko & Nic Meyer

Most Likely to be Smiling

Moises Lopez & Tianna Sheih

Worst Case of Senioritis

Quinn Lincoln & Alex Roeper

Kylie Prusak & Nate Nearhood

Most Likely to Become a Model

James Barranco & Kate Gonzales

Most Likely to be Texting in Class

Nicole Bassoff & Rohit Kothur

Most Likely to Succeed













Most Likely to be Millionaires

Konstantin von Beringe & Nicole Bassoff

Most Opinionated

Eric Showers & Lauren Chanen

Most School Spirited

Leah Motzkin & J.B. Stockslager

Avery Silverman & Lauren Chanen

Couple That Never Was

Sam Kaplan & Liam Dempsey

Class Clown

Joe Schornak & Zoe Simon

Most Changed During High Schoo



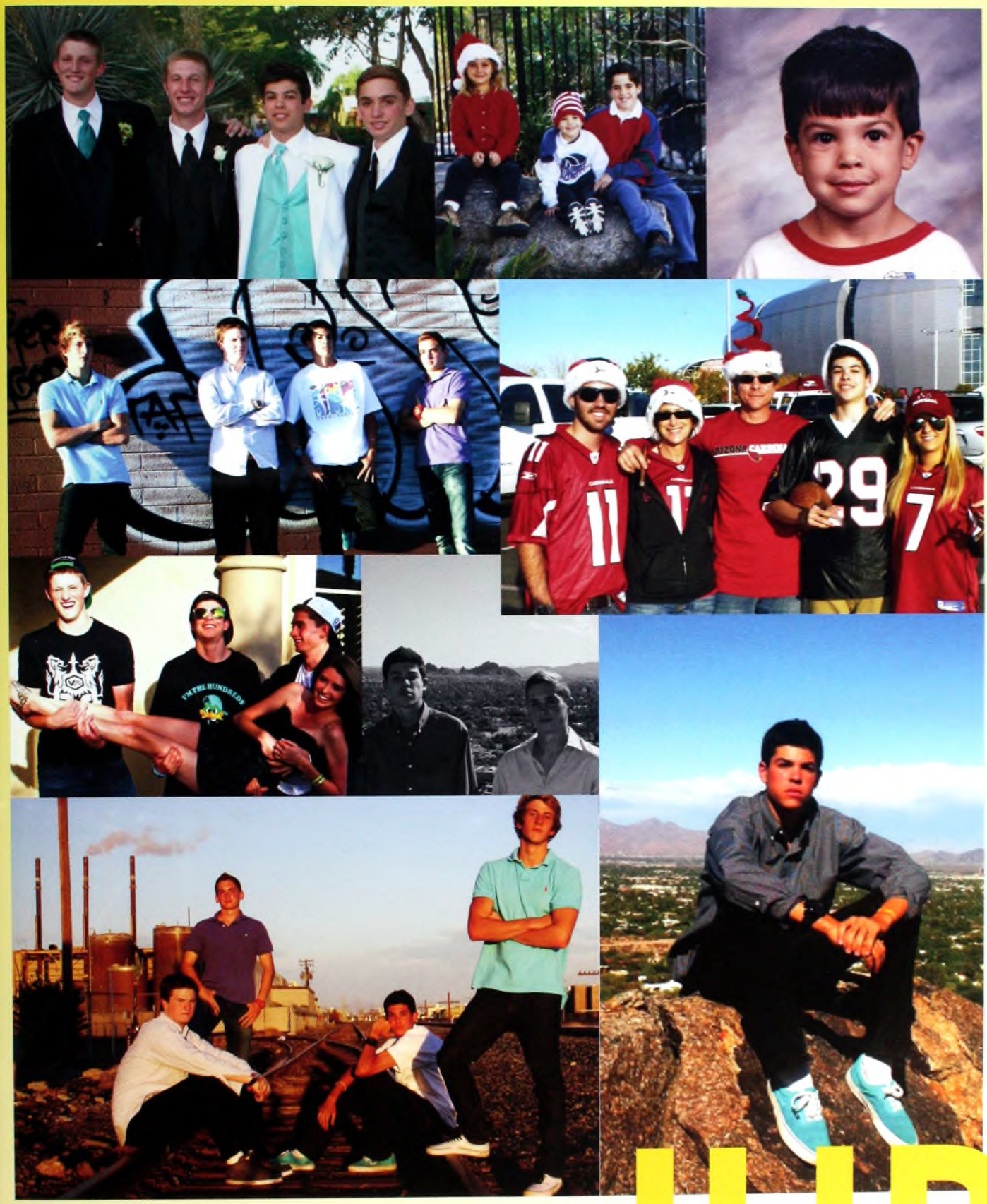






AEA

Amy Elizabeth Aube



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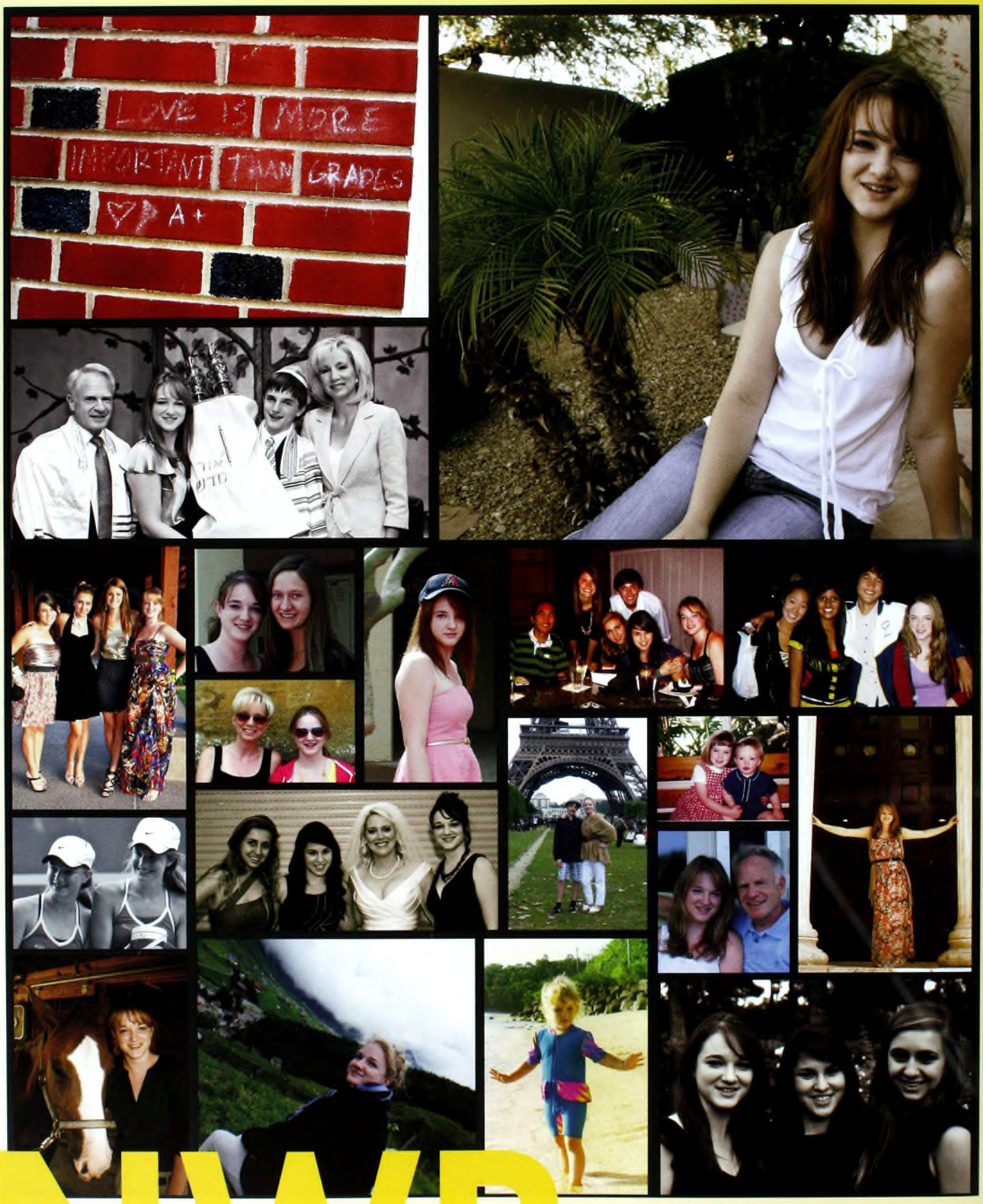
James Henry Barranco



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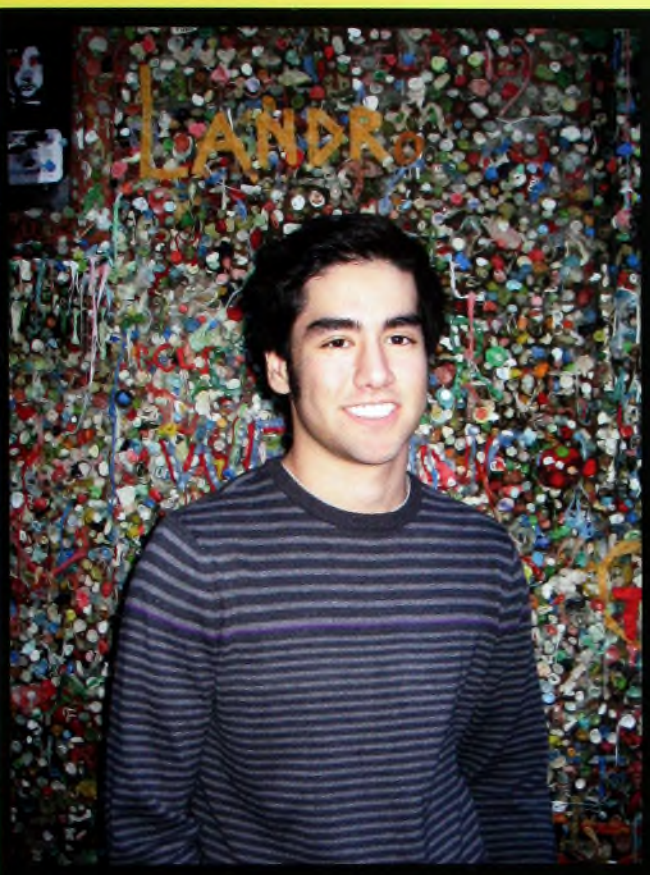
Nicole West Bassoff



























I'd love to change the world.





MKB

Maxwell Kent Baum



JB

Jehan Bista











A SHIP IN PORT IS SAFE, BUT THAT IS NOT WHAT SHIPS ARE FOR.
-ADMIRAL HOPPER

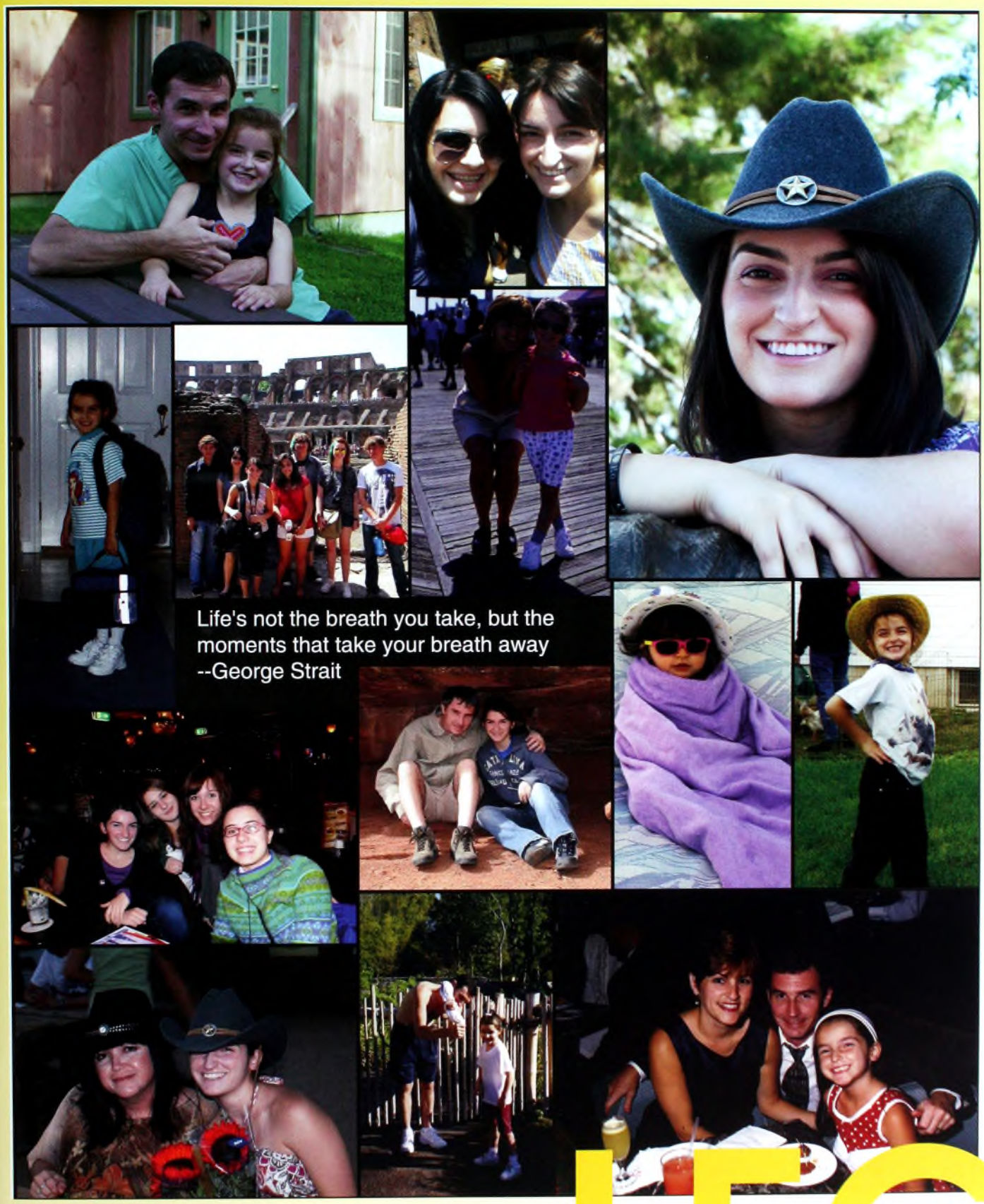
NIB

Nicole Irene Burke



LFC

Lauren Francine Chanen



Life's not the breath you take, but the moments that take your breath away
--George Strait

LEC

Lindsay Eve Coda





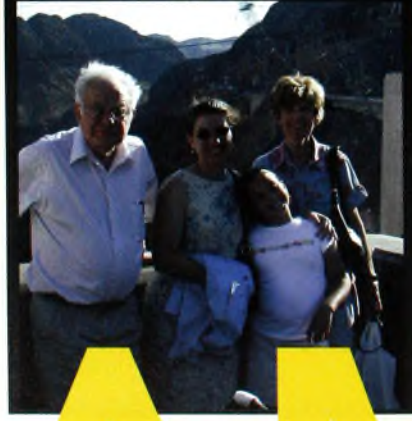





Believe in yourself and you can do anything.










AMD

Alessandra Mascaro Dagirmanjian

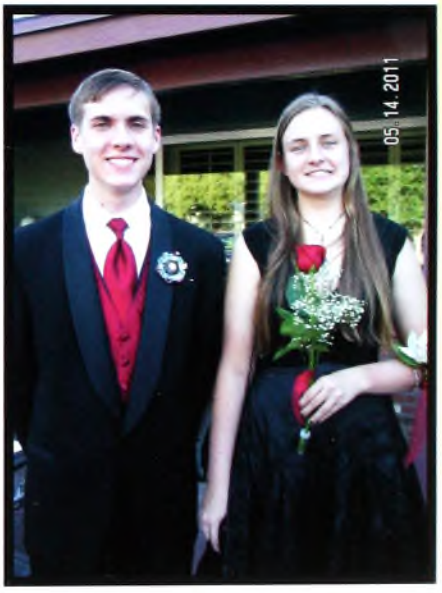






"Less addictive than TV tropes!"
-Minecraft title screen





"We all only live once. So we are obligated to make good use of the time that we have and to do something that is meaningful and satisfying."
-Julian Assange

"I aim to misbehave"
-Malcom Reynolds, *Firefly*

"Do you pine for the days when men were men and wrote their own device drivers?"
-Linus Torvalds







NSD

Natalie Sallen Davenport















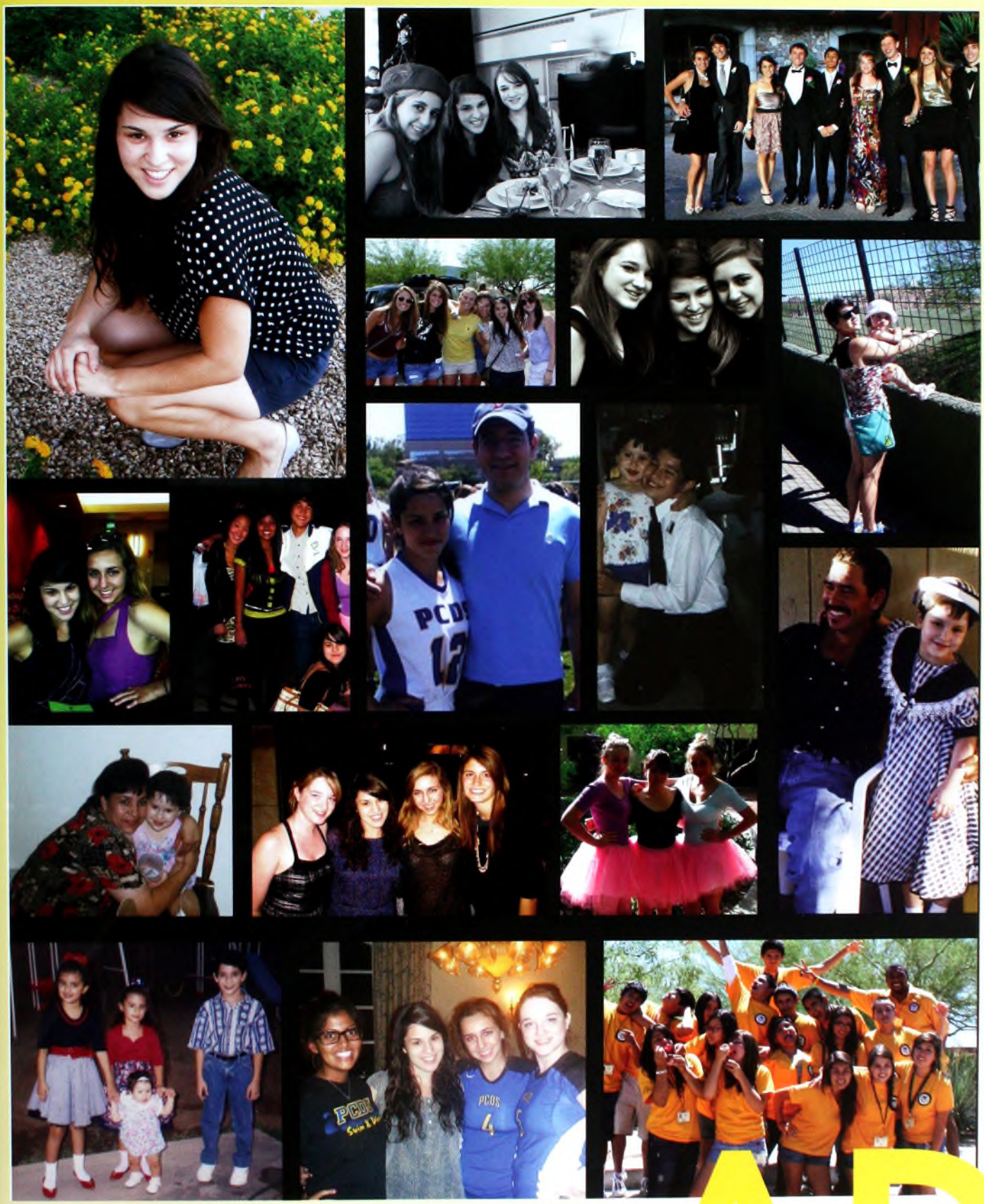






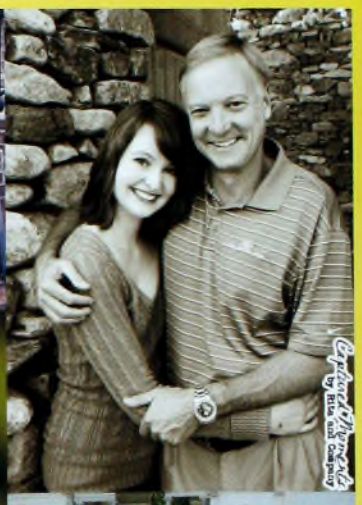
JLD

Jeffrey Liam Dempsey



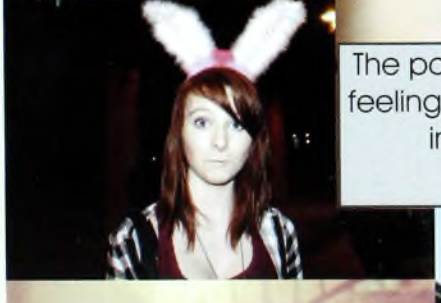
Aida Duarte

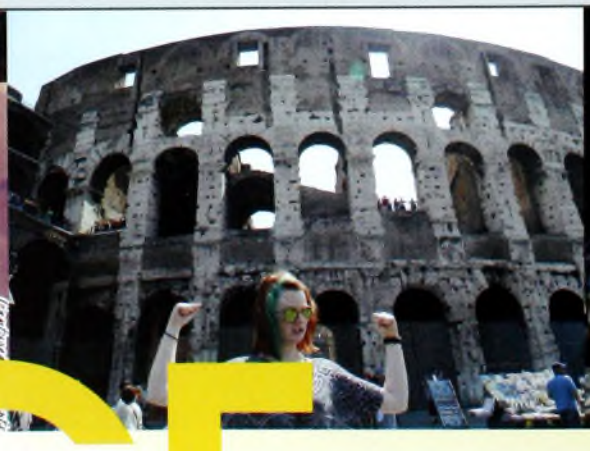








The pages are still blank, but there is a miraculous feeling of the words being there, written in invisible ink and clamoring to become visible.
-Vladimir Nabokov

CCF

Clare Catherine Fuller








The will to win, the desire to succeed, the urge to reach your full potential... these are the keys that will unlock the door to personal excellence. -Confucius









ACG

Alexander C. Garner



EMG

Elliott Mitchell Goldberg



KMG

Katherine Marie Gonzales



If the sky's your limit, you're not reaching far enough.

NJG

Norma Jaqueline Gutiérrez



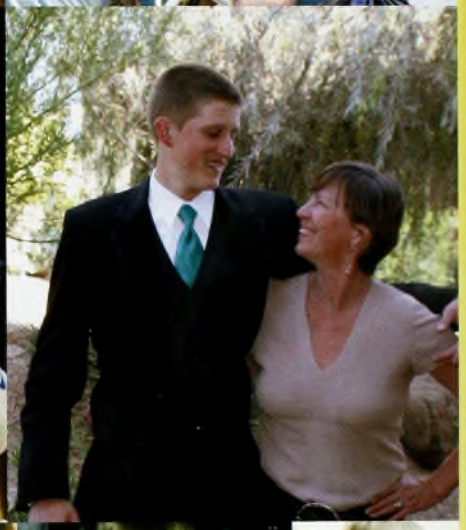
KNH

Kevin N. Heath

























AJH

AJ Hess



First things first, but not necessarily in that order.

JKH

James Keat Hobin














Be Yourself: That's The Most You Can Give Anyone




DGH

Devra Grace Hock



SEK

Samantha Ellen Kaplan



NSK

Nimra Shakeela Khan









"There is an art,... or rather, a knack to flying. The knack lies in learning to throw yourself at the ground and miss."









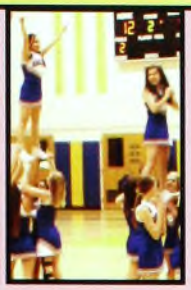
RRK

Rohit Reddy Kothur



DML

Danielle Minna Lee





"My mother gave me a completely priceless life."
-Edith Bouvier Beale





"I don't know what's going to happen to me, but I do know I'm going to be a good person who cares about people."
-Eric Matthews, 'Boy Meets World'



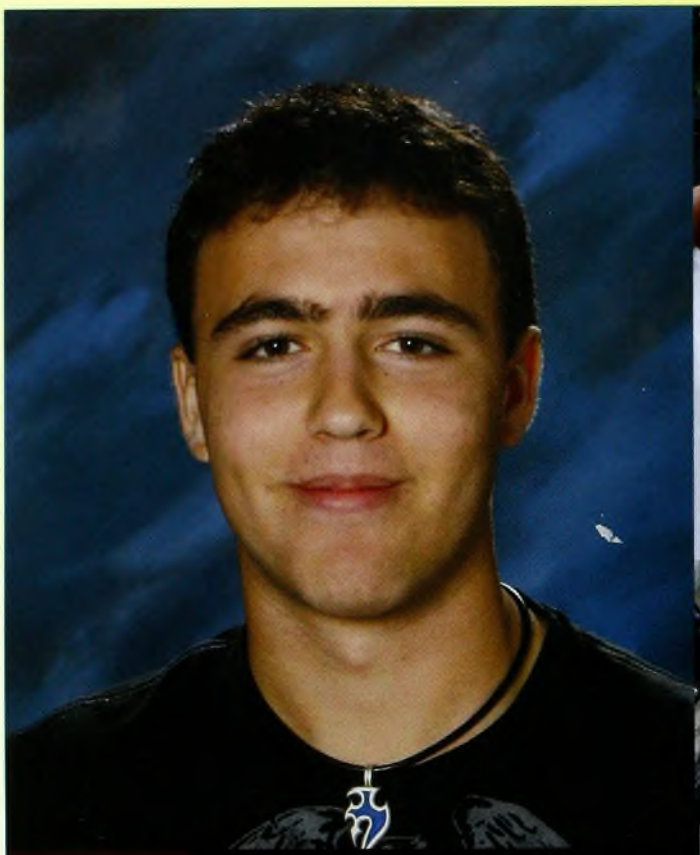


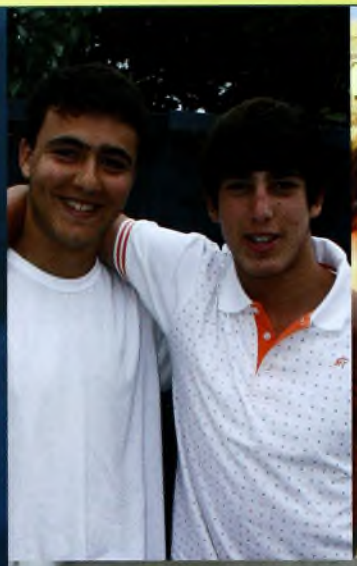




Megan Jennifer Murillo Margalit Lehrer

MJL









"Humanity is the culmination of millions of years of evolution. Why can't we act like it?"







RKL

Ryan Keva Levinthal



Freshman

Sophmore





Favorite quotes:
"I aim to misbehave."--Captain Malcome Reynolds







WHEEEEEEW

"Life is far too important to be taken seriously" --Oscar Wilde



Junior



Senior



GOSH DANGIT !! -TOBUSCUS



IF YOU KILL ME IM GUNA BE DEAD!!!!
----------Tobuscus



"It's a trap!" --Admiral Ackbar





SQL

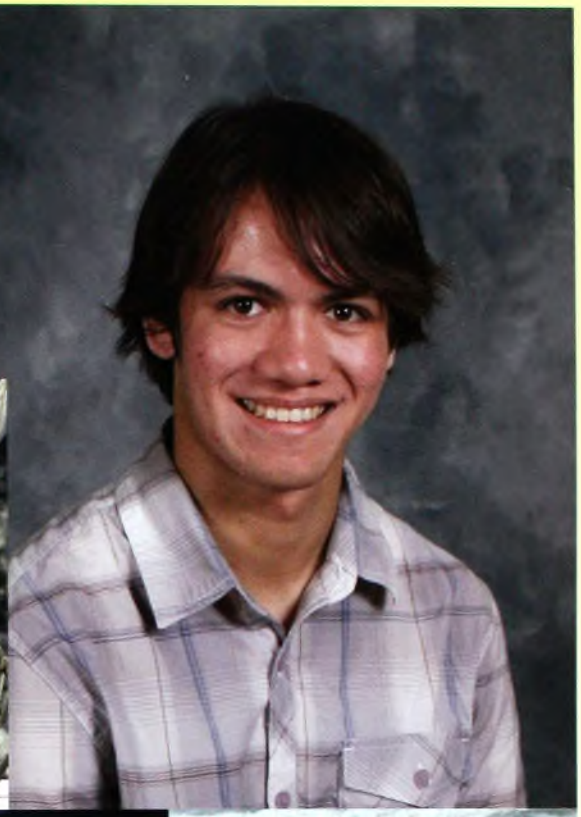
Sawyer Quinn Lincoln



ML

Moises I. Lopez














BIM

Benjamin I. Mattinson



BTM

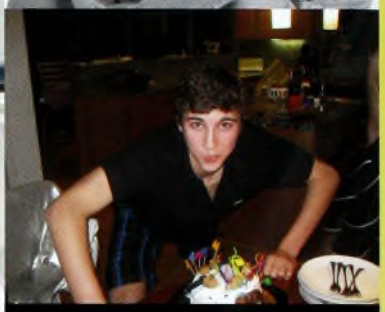
Brandon Thomas Mayhew



FM

Frea Mehta



"I am to misbehave"--Captain Malcolm Reynolds












NRM

Nicholas Randall Meyer















Whatever it is you do in life, just promise that you will be happy.

You say the sky is the limit, and I say that you can achieve so much more than what you think is there.



Bassjammin'





JAM

Justin Alan Morgan








"Be the change you want to see in the world." M.K. Gandhi




Be Happy!













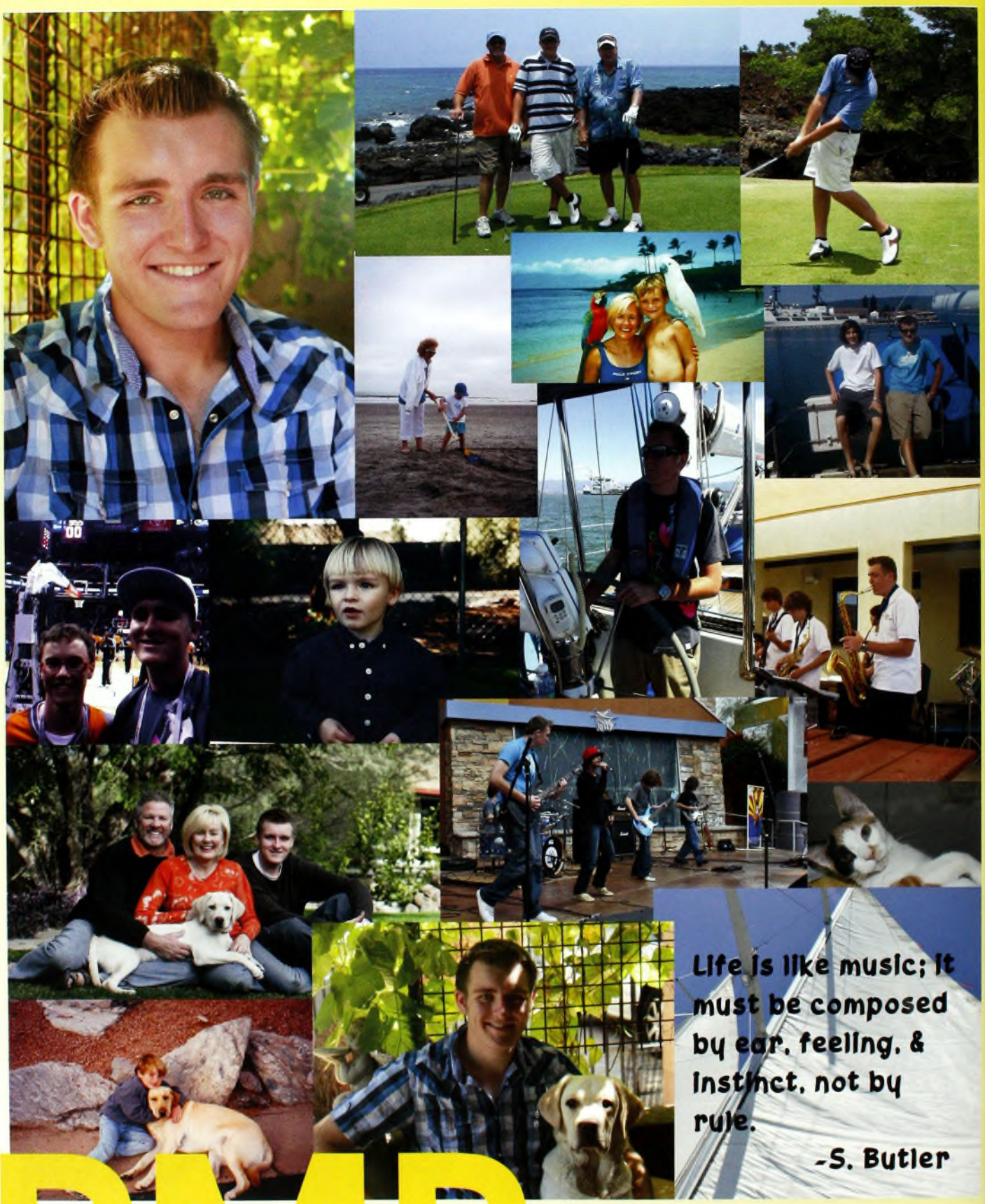
LSM

Leah Sara Herszkorn Motzkin



NRN

Nathaniel Richard Nearhood



RMP

Reid Michael Price





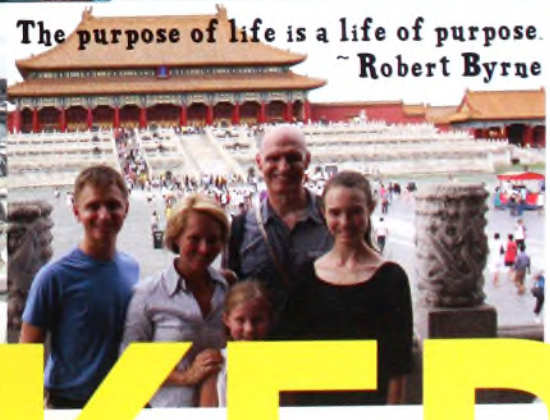












The purpose of life is a life of purpose.
~ Robert Byrne

KEP

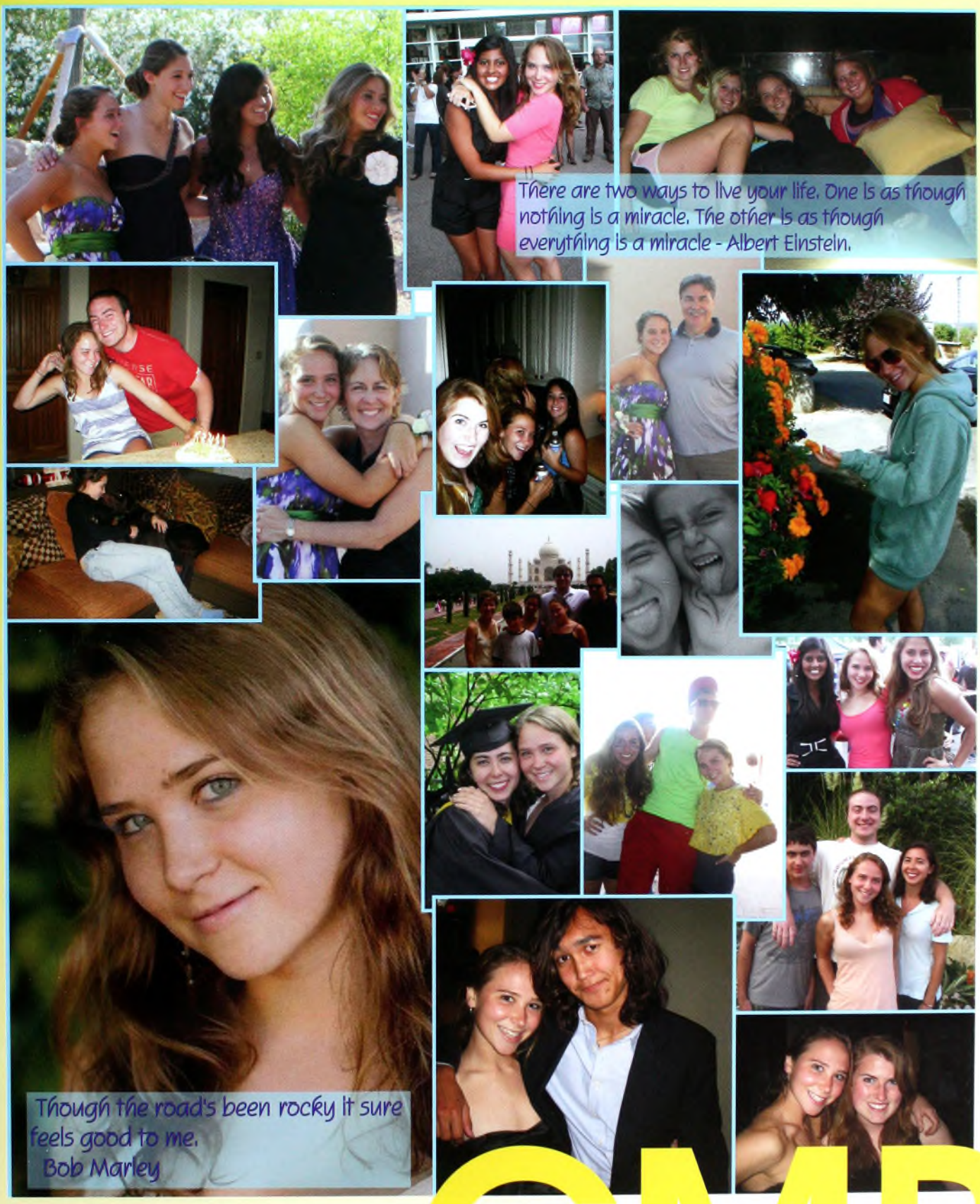
Kylie Elizabeth Prusak



"The more he tries to fix me, the more *magical* I become."
Lady Gaga

ANR

Alexa Noelle Roeper



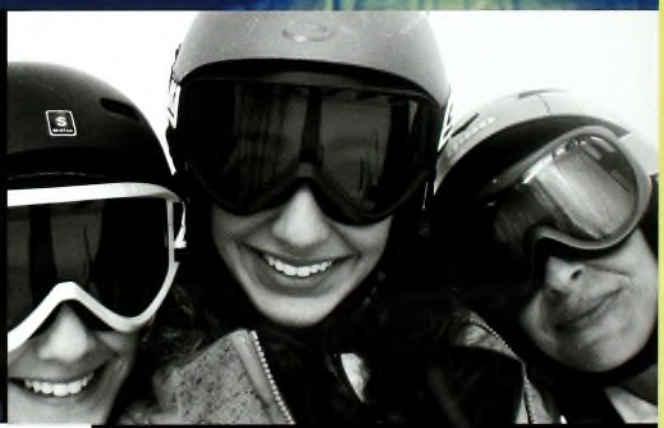
CMR

Christine Marcella Rohacz

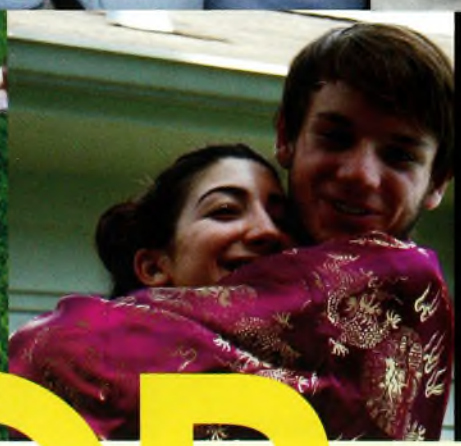












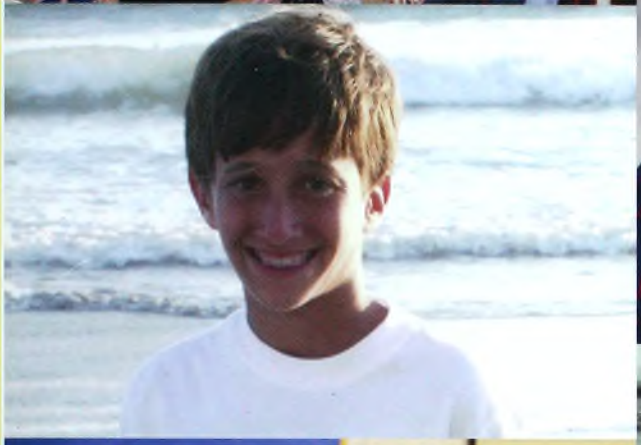


RCR

Rachel Claire Rummel















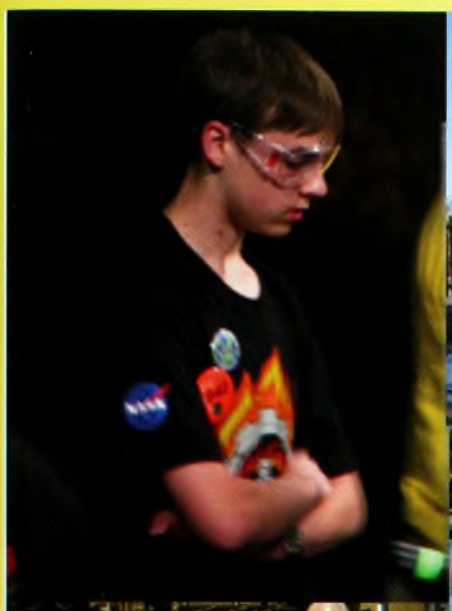
AJS

Alec Jordan Schnall



CLS

Claire L. Schollaert





















JGS

Joseph G. Schornak



JHS

Jessica Hanna Segal



Tianna Sheih

TS

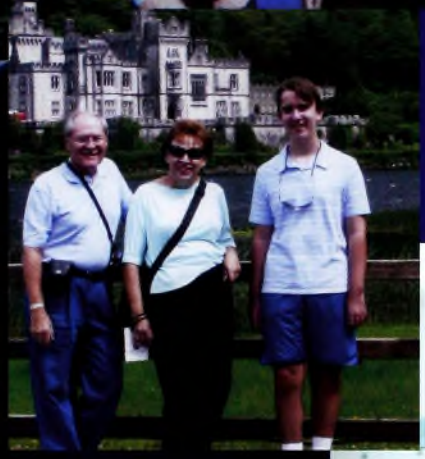
2009





There are more ideas on earth than intellectuals imagine. And these ideas are more active, stronger, more resistant, more passionate than politicians think. We have to be there at the birth of ideas, the bursting outward of their force: not in books. - Michel Foucault









What passes for hip cynical transcendence of sentiment is really some kind of fear of being really human, since to be really human is probably to be unavoidably sentimental and na ve and goo-prone and generally pathetic.
--David Foster Wallace
Infinite Jest



EMS

Eric Matthew Showers









The Earth provides enough to satisfy every man's needs, but nor every man's greed. - Gandhi









Life is what we make it



Eden Shuster ES







"This is the gift of your species and this is the danger, because you do not choose to control your imaginings. You imagine wonderful things and you imagine terrible things, and you take no responsibility for the choice. You say you have inside you both the power of good and the power of evil, the angel and the devil, but in truth you have just one thing inside you - the ability to imagine." -Michael Crichton





"Facts are stubborn things; and whatever may be our wishes, our inclinations, or the dictates of our passions, they cannot alter the state of facts and evidence."
-John Adams







AGS

Avery G. Silverman



ZAS

Zoe Ashton Simon



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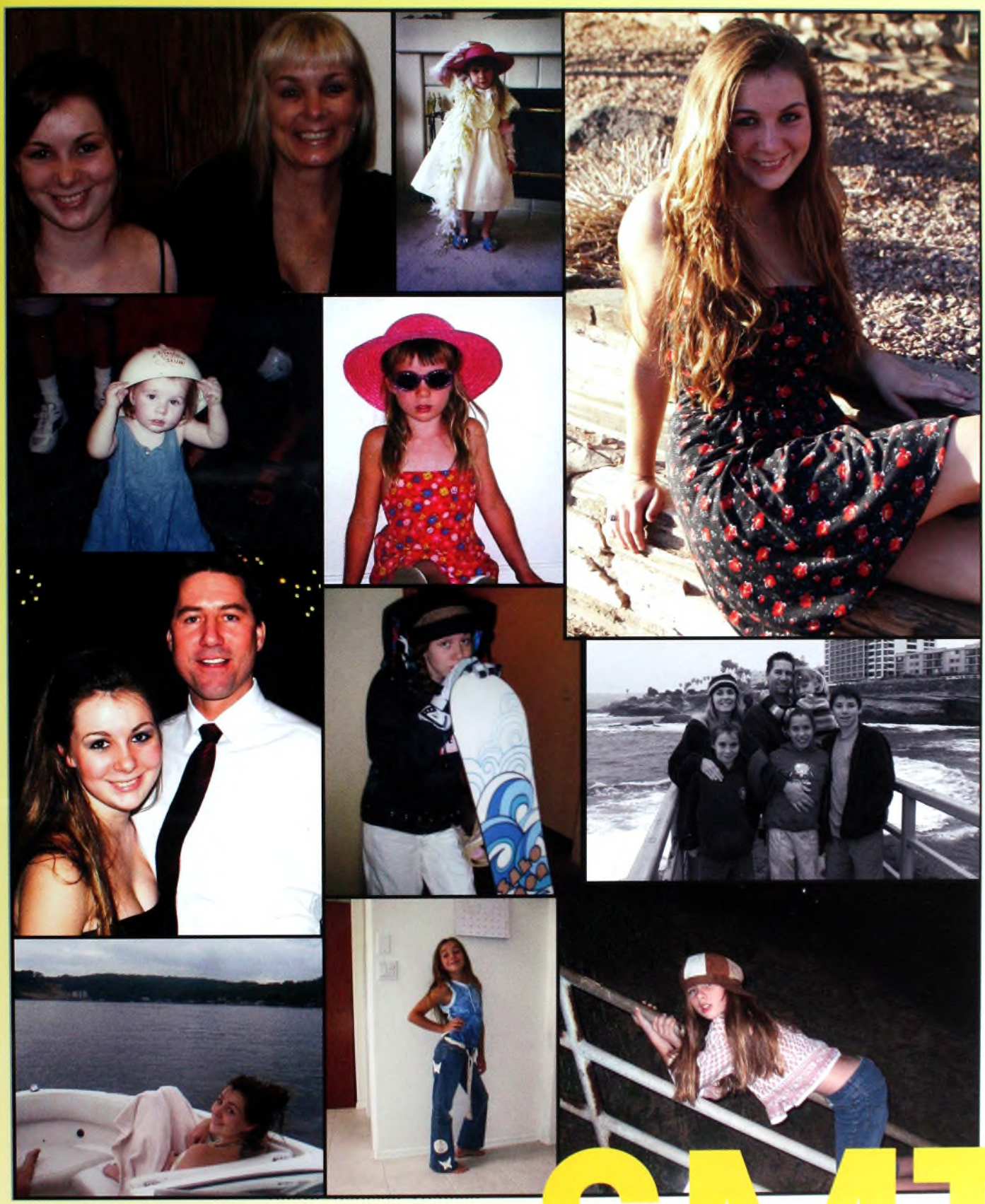


SMT

Sierra Madison Treiman











Tough times never last, but tough people do. ~ Robert Schuller



















"Roam it Like You Own It "- Paul Schweikher



R a m s a y















RJU

Rachel Jessi Underhill





"Make your last page best."
- Great Grandpa Homer















"The late worm misses the early bird."
-Liam Dempsey















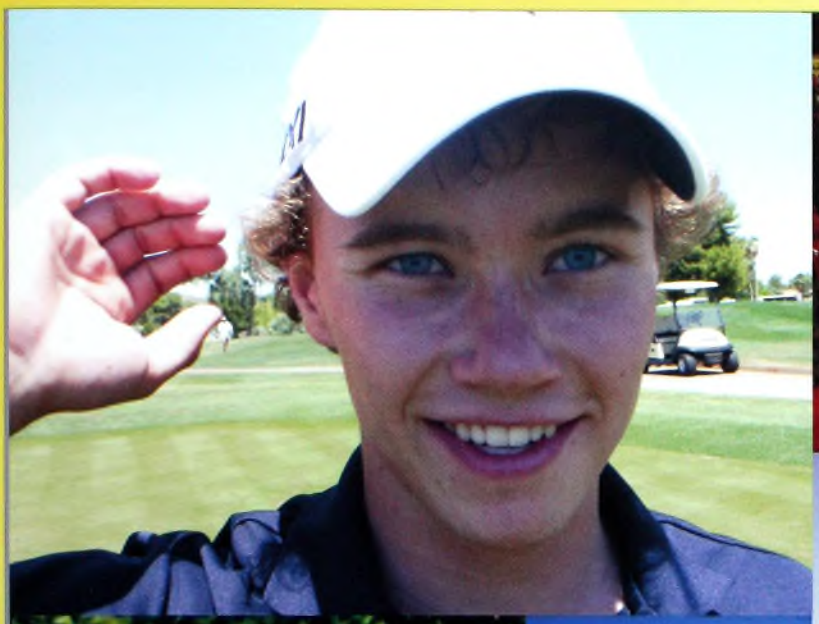
HJV

Harrison James VanDolah IV



MV

Mikaela Verhein





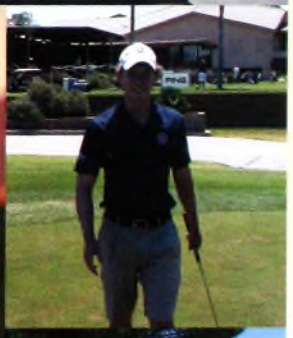


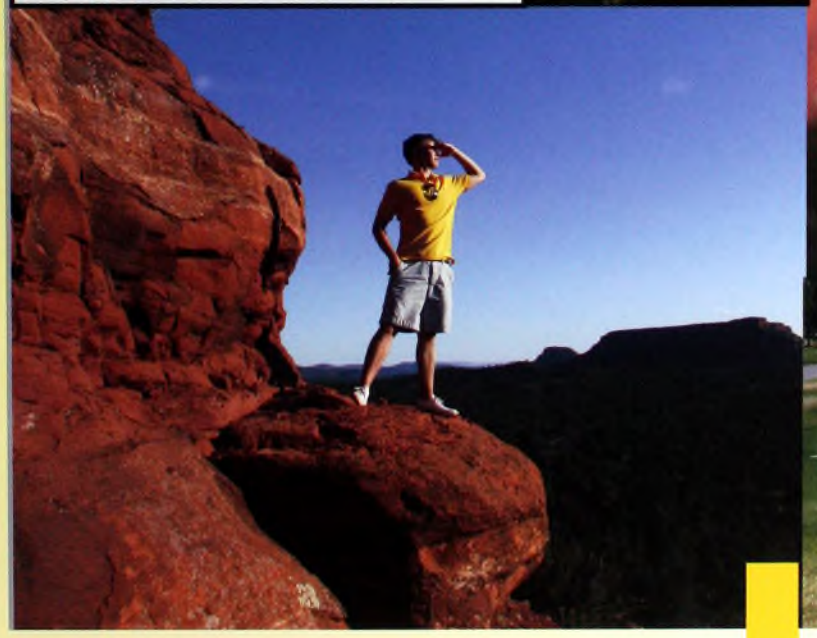


"A well spent day, brings happy sleep"
-Da Vinci











KVB

Konstantin von Beringe

Class of 2012

Best wishes in all of your future endeavors!

From the 2011-2012
Phoenix Country Day School
Parents' Association



Good luck and best wishes to the

Class of 2012

From the Phoenix Country Day School Board of Trustees

Lauren Chanen

Congratulations on your graduation from PCDS



All Our Love,
Mom, Dad
Rachel & Leah
Grandma & Grandpa

Class of 2012











Congratulations Alessandra!

Believe in yourself and you can do anything

Punkster Chicky Punky Pibby Pickle Pibble
Pubbly-Poo Chickle Ali D Al Bella Alex(not!)
We are very proud of you!











Congratulations
Nicole Bassoff
And the Class of 2012

Samantha Kaplan

You were born with so many gifts that will help you in all of your future endeavors!!



A Great Sense of Humor!



Academic Perseverance!



Creativity!



Most Importantly, a Kind Heart!

I'm so proud of you. Love, Mom



CONGRATULATIONS KATE!

Little by little, one travels far. -J.R.R. Tolkien

If you dare to dream it you can do it.
- Walt Disney

Be true to your dreams and reach for the stars. We love you, Mom, Dad and Alex









Zoe,

We are so proud of you,
and we love you so much.

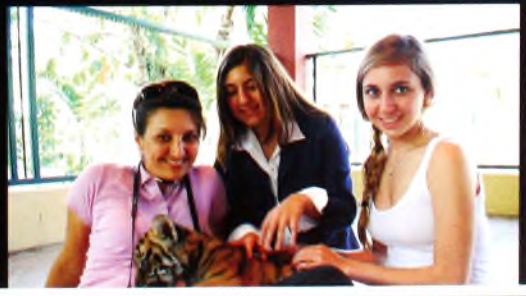












Love,

Mom, Dad,
Cezanne, and Keenan

~ JUSTIN ~ CONGRATS!!

We are so very proud of you! This is such an exciting time! So, grab the tiger by the tail and hang on, it's going to be a great ride! Love you to the moon and back! XO, Mom & Dad

The meaning of life is to find your gift...the purpose of life is to give it away.
~ Joy J. Golliver













Congratulations, Quinn!

On to Whitman!
Love,
Mom, Avery, and Dad









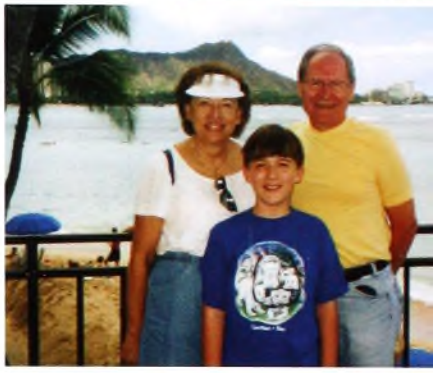




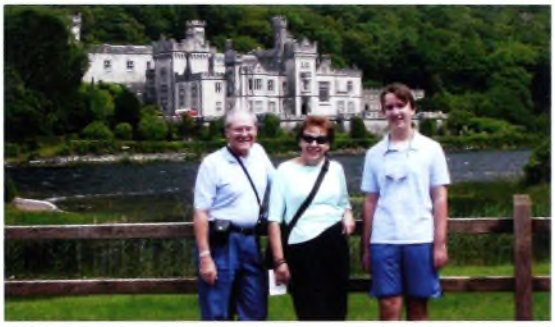


Eric,
The days of our "threesome" will soon be over. You will go alone to take your "Ring to Mordor." You will succeed; of that, we are sure! We are so proud of the person you've become! This now "twosome" will always be there for you.

We are so proud of you,
Love, Mom and Dad









Thank you, James





You make us laugh, and you make us proud.

Love,

Mom, Dad, Nick, Allison, and Rocky









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Congratulations, PCDS sports teams, on your many accomplishments throughout this school year. I wish you luck in the coming sports seasons and beyond.

Mike - Team Photographer
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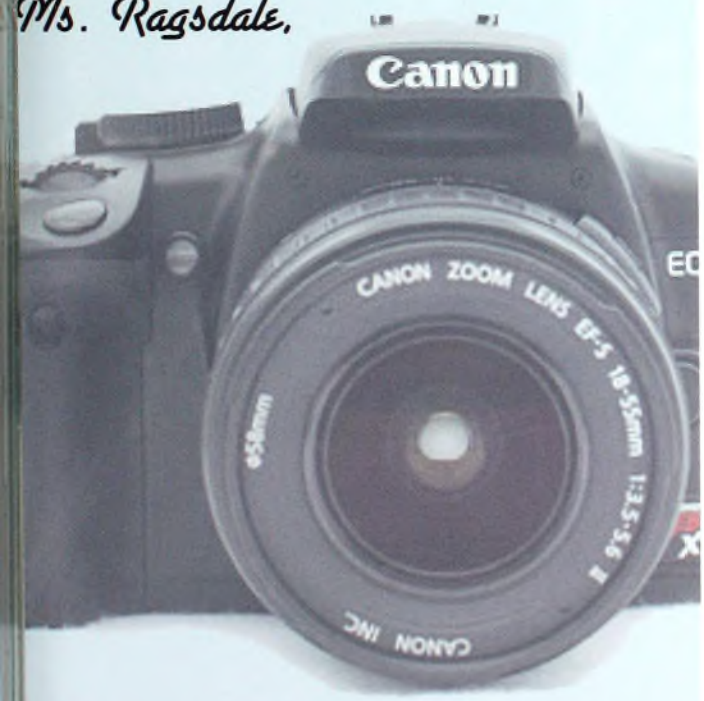
Thank you, Ms. Nelson!

We greatly appreciate all of your help and support throughout this process. We know that you were only here for the beginning, but congratulations on your new beginning. We wish the best of the luck to you and your beautiful daughter, Aurelia.

Love,
The Yearbook Staff



Ms. Ragsdale,



We are so grateful that you allowed us to use your camera whenever we needed it. Also, thank you for taking photos and always being there with a smile.
-The Yearbook Staff

Captain Munch, You're Kool.

Mr. Munch,

Thank you for all of your help throughout the year. From changing the ink in the printer to any other technical problems we had, you were always there for us.

Sincerely,
The Yearbook Staff



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