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Introduction

Looking into the Future

Well, I do not know about you, but I made it through the Y2K just fine. All the hype was over nothing, and the world is not spinning the other direction like some people thought it would. When the clock struck twelve my life was just the same as it had been the day before. I would have to say the year 2000 has not been bad so far.

Now that the new millennium is here we have many things to look forward to. Seniors, just think, you have your whole future ahead of you, and who knows where you will be in five years. But wherever you are, I sincerely hope you are happy in what ever you may be doing. Give me another year and I will be out in the real world with you and maybe our paths will meet again. For most of you, you will look back at high school and realize that this was the best time of your life, or at least the most carefree part.

Juniors, we are the last class to graduate from the old Tecumseh High School. We will be the last senior class to be in the original Jungle, that has set the standard for the SEC for what a student section should look like. Everyone can try, but there can only be one Jungle. One more year seems like a long time but it will be here and passed, before you even realize you missed it. Then we will be in the "real world". Are you ready for it?

Sophomores, you will be the first class graduating from the new THS. You have great things to look forward to. For one, hallways that when you walk down you will not violate five people on your way through. You will even get lockers that actually lock, and maybe you will use them. You have a couple of years before you have to know what you are going to do in your future, but do not think that is even a long time because it will be gone before you know it too.

Freshman, what can I say? Just keep doing what you have been. Out of every class in the high school today, you're going to be at the new high school the longest. It is up to you to set the standard for future classes. I have this piece of advice for you now that you know what you have to do, that is never set your goals too low no matter what you do. Always set them higher so you have something to work toward. Trust me, it will always pay off, no matter what your goal is.

Once again I wish the senior class good luck, and I hope everyone enjoys the rest of the yearbook. Many people have worked hard to put it all together.

Sincerely,
Head Editor
Kevin Radant
The Jungle

Jungle County Jail

As you walk through the gym during a pep rally or a Basketball game, "What do you hear?" The roar of the crowd thunders between the gym walls. You have heard it for years. It's a tradition at JHS. Other traditions in the Jungle would be theme nights during Basketball games and the competition games against classes during pep rallies. Everyone turned out in camouflage to support the team against Riverview. Beach night was a huge success, where many had Hawaiian leis, tropical shirts and straw hats. For the Saline game there was a blackout in the Jungle. Excitement builds as the basketball players begin their warm-ups and newspapers are distributed to the Jungle for the opposing team's starting line-up. The students display enthusiasm everytime they enter "The Jungle".

"Even though we didn't have the turn outs in the Jungle as in past years, all who came had an awesome time."

Mark Ferguson

Before a game, students get Josh Fox ready to play. He was a big part of the Jungle.

At beach night a group of Seniors show their spirit for their school. You can always count on the Seniors.

One of the many leaders of the Jungle, Brian DeJonghe leads the crowd in a cheer. The leaders of the Jungle never rested.
Kids at Work

Money Money

Over the grueling school days or the relaxing summer days, students have jobs to earn money. Everything that you like to do requires money. There are many activities that students do including running the cash register, making & serving food, pumping gas, and cleaning up. Places that are popular to work at for our students are Basil Boys, Kentucky Fried Chicken, Big Boy, Mobil Gas Station, Foodland, and Samida. These jobs are what provide our students with spending money, cars, clothes, and trips. Often times these are the first working experiences for most students.

While flipping his burgers at McDonalda, Dave Crawford does a customer's order. Many students, like Dave, enjoy the money and independence that a part time job can provide.

The dynamic septuplets from K.F.C. take a break from frying their chicken to pose for a snapshot. Although the work is sometimes difficult, it's always fun to hang out with the K.F.C. crew!

Jake Vogel takes time to fill the cola cooler. Sometimes it's a tough job, but somebody's gotta do it!

Running the register is a routine job for Heather Poley. In the background, Eric Walker hands a customer a piping hot Basil Boys pizza.
Powder Puff
Who's Sport is it Now?

This year's Powder Puff games were full of excitement and tons of energy. All of the girls showed their hard work and dedication toward the sport. They even impressed some of the football players, who, by the way, kept the girls psyched throughout the game with their spectacular cheerleading skills.

Even though there was a little blood shed and a few penalties during the senior-freshmen game, all of the girls showed great sportsmanship. The Class of 2000 defeated the freshmen, 6-0, breaking the seniors losing tradition of the past two years.

In the sophomore-junior game, emotions were running high. Everyone was on their toes throughout the whole game. The last few seconds of the game, juniors fumbled the ball in the end zone. Sophomores won 6-0.

In the end, seniors dominated the underclassmen and won overall. It took hard work and a few bruises to win, but they did it. They really devoted themselves this year to make their last year a year to remember.

The senior girls rush the field to celebrate their well fought victory. This was the class of 2000's first victory.

During the sophomore-junior game each girl tried her hardest to stand her ground.
Homecoming Spirit Week

The Attraction of Class Rivalries

The fall tradition of Homecoming in Jecumseh began on Monday the 4th of October with "Pajama Day." People were seen in their slippers, robes, and other clothes not usually seen around the hall. On Tuesday, "College Day" occurred. This was probably the second biggest day of the week for class participation. Following on Wednesday was "Flashback to the Past Day." Seniors had more points scored than most classes combined on this day. Thursday was "Big Hair Day." Greg Moll showed spirit for his Sophomore class by gluing his hair into long exotic spikes. Concluding Homecoming week was the traditional "Class T-Shirt/Colors Day." Mushroom clouds and blue "pool" camo were among the shirts that stood out, and the Seniors shirts reminded everyone to "Approach With Respect." Homecoming spirit week culminated in the pep rally that took place through the rain on the football field. The Seniors ended up winning the class competitions by finishing strong through most of the games, and taking first, as usual.

Proving that during homecoming, Seniors carry the spirit, Ryan Buehler and Matt Brady displayed their Indian pride by dressing in the colors of Jecumseh. Hannah Jacobson, Kristi Miller, Sara Elliott represented the rest of their class in the front row.

During the homecoming games, Heather Moore, Laura Ferguson, Jamie Floyd, John Creswell, and Jim McDermott all work together to try to gain points for their class. This event was the greased cucumber relay.

Turn Back the Clock Day brought back many looks seen years before our time. Dressing in an old suit, Ryan Buehler talks to Katie Neill who had her hair crimped for the day.

On Class T-shirt Day, four of the many juniors were seen shortly before the pep rally wearing the Blue Camo shirts. Nicole Beil, Danessa Wolfe, Monica Flores, Natalie Beil and Lindsay Blumhart all show off their colors.
Homecoming Royalty
Glamorous Enchantment

This year's Homecoming ceremonies were as extravagant as years past except for the sound of the pitter-patter of rain on the umbrellas, although the rain seemed to die down by half-time. When it was finally time to see who would be this year's 1999 King and Queen the crowd cheered loudly as last year's King and Queen, Lamar Rufner and Casey Hiser, drove up. You could see the excitement on the Senior girls faces as Casey made her way around the girls. Then she made her move and crowned this year's Queen, Abby Frenzen. Lamar didn't hesitate to make his move as he crowned this year's King, Nate Emerson, and all the crowd roared with excitement. The other members of the court cheeted and they were Seniors: Joe Johnson, Chris McCormely, Josh Fly, Kelly Dunn, Jenny Mishigian, and Erin Spiegel. Juniors: Lacie Swartz and Ray Harmon. Sophomores: Maryanne Pappocky and Phil Sunderland, and Freshmen: Kelly Snyder and Brian Elliott. Congrats to all!

Umbrella's were a common sight to see during the Homecoming Parade, but Sophomore representatives, Marianne Pappocky and Phillip Sunderland, made the best of the parade.

Always a gentleman, Joe Johnson, helps Abby Frenzen stay dry.

Giving her the jacket off his own back, Junior representative Ray Harmon didn't hesitate to offer his jacket to freezing Lacie Swartz.

Enjoying their last Homecoming dance, Jenny Mishigian and Josh Fly, were all smiles. These are the times they will always remember.

"It was an honor representing our school. It was an unforgettable experience!"
-Senior Kelly Dunn

"The pep rally and parade were still fun even though the weather was terrible."
-Senior Erin Spiegel
The smiles on their faces say it all. Here are 1999 King and Queen, Nate Emerson and Abby Frenzen.

"It was so awesome. I just wanted to jump on Nate and give him a BIG HUG!!!"


Homecoming representative, Josh Fly, gives his best smile, despite the terrible weather. He had to hold the umbrella through the whole parade and pep rally.
Hello, Dolly!

Voila! Hey Look, There's Dolly!

When you start meddling with the lives of others, usually you get a big mess, but not so with Dolly Levi. When Dolly puts her hands into anything, the end result is always the same, love.

With a majority of the cast veteran actors, the musical shines in the spotlight, as Dolly leads us through a wild day in the life of Horace Vandergelder, Cornelius Hackle, Barnaby Tucker, Ernengarde, Ambrose, Minnie Fay, and Irene Malloy. Even though she involves herself with match making, she confides to her deceased husband Efram, that she is ready to join the parade of life and marry Horace. The end result of her troubles, well, as Cornelius says, "It only takes a moment, to be loved a whole life long!"

"Since this was the first play I've ever done, I was nervous. But everyone was cool, and it got comfortable the second day."
-Nate Emerson

Mrs. Malloy, Rachel Brueckner, hopes the power of love is shining upon her when she wears "ribbons down her back this summer."

Exploding with joy, the waiters, M. Brady, N. Emerson, J. Baldwin, H. Grammes, N. Bush, C. Alber, H. Chandler, B. Wilson, welcome Dolly back to the Harmonia Gardens.

"I ask you, ladies and gentlemen, have you ever seen such a beacon?"
Dolly emphatically pleads her case to the judge, Jacob Baldwin.

The magic in the air as Horace, Ryan Beuhler, realizes that he truly loves Dolly. Meg Adair.
Scene stealing and show stopping, the waiters were one of the audiences' favorite members of the cast.

When the "parade passes by" not even the Statue of Liberty, Alison Roth, can resist joining the fun.

Dreaming of the perfect woman, Horace and the men of Yonkers sing her praises, literally!

Holy cabooses! Is that Barnaby, John Tobar, and Cornelius, Adam Smith, dancing or are they flying? Regardless, the stage veterans received roles tailor-made for them!

"Dolly will never go away again!", a most beautiful ending to what was the high school's most magical show.
Annie, Get Your Gun!
The Magic of Theater at Its Best!

"Annie, Get Your Gun", TJH's December musical, featured a magnificent cast and a magical story. Through the sorcery of theater and the talent of the cast, the audience was transported back to the 1800s in the back woods of Ohio where Annie Oakley, played by Leah Coon, was introduced to us. From the moment the audience met her, they were pulled into her whirlwind story of meeting Frank Butler, Brian Hissong, traveling around the world with Buffalo Bill's Wild West Show, and most importantly, falling in love. From hearing Annie lament in, "You Can't Get a Man With a Gun," to watching her and Frank falling in and out of love repeatedly, to the final shooting match, the cast mystified and amazed, pulling one trick after another. In the end, the story proved that love can appear anytime and anywhere. All it takes is a little magic!

There's no business like show business, especially, when you're Buffalo Bill, played by Ryan Beuhler, of Buffalo Bill's Wild West Show.

"Annie, Get Your Gun" was an incredible experience. I met so many wonderful people. I totally loved it!" Meg Wilson

There's magic in their eyes as Annie and Frank meet for the first time. Unlike their characters, Leah Coon and Brian Hissong are no strangers to the stage.

The whole town turned out to see this shooting match. In it's entirety, the cast numbered 40 plus.

Little Jake, Arthur Prettyman, Minnie, Sarah Emery, and Jessie, Emily Prettyman, are just "doin' what comes naturally", performing!
"Count your sheep...", Annie, in one of her tender moments, serenades her siblings off to sleep with "a moonshine lullaby."

Playing Annie's adopted father and confidant, Jon Jobar brought the role of Sitting Bull to life. So convincing was he, that the audience had to wonder, was he Sitting Bull in a past life?

Five women and one man!? It can only be none other than Frank Butler and his "Adoring Girls", played by Meg Adair, Meg Wilson, Meredith Byteworth, Lisa Collar, and Alison Roth.

"There's no business like show business!" as the dance crew knows first hand. Although facing a number of injuries and last minute changes in routines, they performed spectacularly, adding more splash and color to an already wonderful show.

There was no shortage of men for this musical, they came out in abundance. Although, one has to wonder how they were "roped" into doing it?
This year's annual TICWSS week was devoted to celebrating the sports of our school. The student council organized the dress up days, while the Tecumseh High School cheerleaders organized the pep rally games. Mr. Gilmore organized the 3-on-3-basketball tournament.

The beginning of spirit week was started off with pajama day. Many walked into classes with robes, goofy slippers, or wearing their pajamas. The next few days students came to class in beach clothes and on another day students came dressed as a person from occupations such as doctors. On the third day people came in camo and a few juniors sported their old sophomore class shirts. The last day of spirit week was toga day. Many came in togas which they attempted to figure out how to properly make them.

During costume day, Ryan Buehler showed off his spirit by wearing a dress. Many were amused by his costume.

Getting up for the rebound is Javier Arana at the always exciting 3-on-3-tournament.

At the second annual "Mr. Pretty Legs" contest Ryan Bagby gets the honor of being announced the winner. Here you see Leah Androvic getting Ryan up to give him his "Mr. Pretty Legs" sash.
The first spirit day provided participation from all classes. From the senior class, Kelly Flanders, Kim Zibbell, Rachel Brueckner, and Sara Elliott turned out in their pajamas to support their class.

Twinkie pushes the Senior cart to the center of the basketball court to set up for their little catapult. The Seniors started to throw some of their old class shirts to the underclassmen.

Josh Silberhorn gets ready to school Steve Gruber during the 3-on-3-basketball tournament. Later on the Basse Line Bombsquad would win the tournament.

The first ever winning cart in the new class competition was the Juniors LUCKY cart. It was constructed to look like a Pirate ship. To go along with the luck theme a leprechaun was added. The cart led in the Junior representatives, Danessa Wolfe and Corey Steele.
TI CWSS Royalty

Winter Elegance

TI HS held this year's TI CWSS on February 11th. TI CWSS was a fun-filled week with many exciting events. The most exciting event by far, was waiting to see who would be crowned the new TI CWSS King and Queen. The senior girl representatives were Sarah Driessche, Meghan Schawitsch, Crystal Paiva, and Kelly Flanders. The male reps were Joel Whelan, Joel Church, Ryan Bagby, and Bob Brunetz. The Freshman class was represented by Greg Dailey, and Leigh Rhodaburger. Sophomores were Nate Weirich, and Jenny Brown, and the Juniors were Cory Steele and Danessa Wolfe.

Once the buzzer rang to end the second quarter, all of the representatives walked onto the court, being ever so careful not to trip and fall in front of the hundreds who were watching. Then out came last years King, Kevin Phillips, who was filling in for Ryan Hoover, and he walked up to Joel Whelan and placed the crown on his head. Then, Carrie Clute, last year's Queen, slowly circled around each one of the senior girls. Finally, she stopped behind Kelly Flanders and crowned her queen. Then, King Whelan and Queen Flanders met at center court. It was there that everyone got to take a good look at the 1999 Homecoming King and Queen.


While full of joy, Kelly Flanders and Joel Whelan smile shortly after being crowned Queen and King.
Senior Reps, Meghan Schawitsch and Ryan Bagby, both await the crowning.

And the 1999 Homecoming Queen is... Kelly Flanders. Carrie Clute places the crown on Kelly as Bob Brunetz witnesses it.

Basketball uniform and all, Joel Whelen walks away with the crown.

The senior girl representatives group together for moral support before going into the gym.

All decked out in suits and ties, Bob Brunetz and Ryan Bagby, stand proud.

Leigh Rhodaburger and Greg Dailey proudly represent their freshman class.

Good buds, Crystal Piava and Sarah Priessche, share a moment during the NJWSS celebration.
Pep Rallies
The Magic Behind the Jungle

If there is one thing that gets the Jungle more pumped up than anything else, it would definitely be IHS Pep Rallies. The Cheerleaders cheer, classes yell, the flag is waved, and athletes get ready for victories. Pep rallies are also a time to get a little break from class, and to have a little fun. Varsity cheerleaders are in charge of the pep rallies, leading everyone in games, and cheers.

Watching basketball players slam dunk and football players run around and huddle weren’t the only reason for pep rallies. The pep rallies were a way to bring the student body together. Truly the motivation behind IHS’ spirit and energy were the pep rallies!

It was game day, and Joel Church, along with other captains Brian DeJonghe, Eric Harris, and Joel Whelan, and Coach Schmidt pump up the student body.

The cheerleaders had a few extra members when the girls Varsity Basketball team joined them. They wowed us all with cheers, and a dance.

As a new member to the cheerleading squad, Jay Majeske, does a wonderful "chair" stunt with flyer Abby Frenzen.

Flying through the air, senior Josh Fly, dunks a shot. Josh has been a member of the varsity team for three years.

Passing a ball without using your hands has never seemed this hard. In the end the Sophomore class passed it the fastest.

Putting the ball in motion is senior Cory Cattler. Pep rallies were a time when the team could do a little "showing off".
THS Dances Rocked!

Jungle Boogie

If you’ve never attended a THS dance then you don’t know what you’re missing. After Friday home games (Varsity Football, and Basketball), students are more than psyched to go and shake and groove their thang. This is the time when students can go and enjoy the rest of their night by relaxing, dancing, and just having a great time with their friends.

Each dance that was held was a little different from the last. Some dances revolved around a huge circle with dancing in the middle. People jumped, jived, and wailed, and some boot scoot and boogied. No matter what music was played the students of THS found some way to enjoy themselves and have a great time!

Homecoming queen nominee, Jeny Mishigian, and Josh Fox show off their dancing moves.

When dances get hot, there’s always the back of the cafeteria to cool off. A group of girls stand back and chill out for a little bit before going back on the dance floor.

Everyone loves a line dance. Chryse Knorr and Kristen Daly groove boot scoot and boogie as onlookers watch in envy.

Getting jiggy with it, is Leith Killy. He tore up the dance floor at many of the dances.

“This year had many memorable moments. I’m going to miss the dances, and friends next year.”

Erin Spigiel

The THSSE dance was centered around king Joel Whelen, and queen Kelly Flanders.

Before anyone is allowed to enter the dance, you have to pay. Ryan Wimple and Ed Hunt hand over their dough to Mr. Ferwerda.
Holiday Dance
Millennium Snow Ball

The pulsing of drums and music filled the gym while the sounds of a small orchestra filled the cafeteria. The sounds of students laughing, giggling, and cameras flashing lingered in the air as people passed between the glimmering gym and cafeteria at the Millennium Snow Ball. Many crowded to the gym to groove to the sounds of the D.J., where couples and friends gathered in front of the speakers to request the songs they wanted to remember. Others mingled in the mellow atmosphere of the cafeteria as candles helped to illuminate the room while the ice sculpture finished off the refreshment table as its center piece.

A crowd of decked-out guys take a break from the high-energy dance floor to get a group picture. Even without their dates, the guys were having fun!

Winter-colored balloons tumbled from the rafters in a mystical rain. The shower took place around midnight, just as the party was picking up.

These two exchange students learn what dances are like here in America. Apparently, they are both quick learners!
Serious or silly? Either way, these two "men in black" take a moment to reflect on the night's events.

Two friends spent the magical evening together. After sharing a dance, they made the memory count by smiling.

Dancing was the highlight of the evening. Songs shared with special people created memories to last a lifetime.

Crowds gathered on the dance floor as the D.J. pounded out music. The floor was densely populated from the first through the last songs.
Extreme Sports
A New View on Free Time

Contrary to popular belief, there is more to high school life than just going to school. All kinds of people find different things to do, but would you ever consider an extreme sport? If you were to ask some of the self-proclaimed ‘insane’ from school, the answer would be “yes”, and without a doubt. Outside of school, these individuals can be found at motocross race tracks or in Ann Arbor on the University of Michigan Diag. These people perform awesome stunts; they are really something to see. When you watch a basketball or football game there is excitement, but when you see someone grind a rail or jump a dirt bike it is enough to take your breath away.

"You must always push the limits, because if you never fail, you will never succeed."

Joe Johnson

The defiant jumps in every race are all in a day’s work. The only other element besides bikes and dirt in dirt bike racing is air - catching it, that is.

"The difference between first and second is desire." With an outstanding desire to win, Joe Johnson makes a hobby of not only the sport, but also of bringing home top-ranking trophies.

Ann Arbor is one of the places Mike Clayton and Pierce Doerr love to practice. Skateboarding is just one of their many talents.
Mike Clayton displays his ability to balance on his board. Mike and his skating have been said to be... "Da Bomb."

Sticking with his nickname, 'Jumpin' Joe Johnson, he takes a double. Fans and fellow riders alike, are always captivated by Joe's talent.

Taking a leap into the air, Pierce Doerr shows off his skills. Pierce is a very talented skateboarder who isn't afraid of anything.

Quickness and footing are two important components of skateboarding. Mike Clayton shows how it is done.

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William Richard Wells
Will Always be Remembered:

By: Monica Ewing

Known to most simply as Bill, he was the kind of guy who made you laugh and feel good. Bill was the typical THS student; he showed his school spirit at Homecoming, and held an after-school job at Boomers. No matter where he was or what he was doing, Bill’s happy-go-lucky personality brought smiles and laughter to all who knew him.

Bill was diagnosed with leukemia in October of 1999, friends and co-workers were shocked that something so serious could affect a wonderful person like Bill. The school pulled together to urge Bill a speedy recovery. Students wrote get well cards and collected many donations for the Well’s family. Throughout the ordeal, Bill kept his spirits up and continued to make those who visited him at Mott’s Children Hospital laugh. Teachers and family stayed with him as much as possible to keep him company.

Bill will always be remembered by his family and his classmates. People will remember how nice he was and that he always made everyone feel better.

Bill was the type of person who listened to hard music like Stone Temple Pilots and Metallica. He enjoyed going to movies with friends and lifting weights. These are all moments people will remember sharing with Bill.
Senior Credits

Margaret Hamon Adiar: SADD 9-12, Varsity Club 11-12, NMHS 10-11, FCA 11-12, NAHS 11-12, Art Club 9-12, French Club 9-12, Wimmers Circle 9-11, TYT 9-12, Jungle Com. 12, Girls Frosh Basketball, Girls JV Basketball 10, Girls JV Soccer 9-10, Girls Varsity Soccer 11-12, AP Classes 12, Company 9-12.

Ryan Breeze: BPA 12, Band 9-12, Pep Band 9-12.

Kristina Marie Brown: SADD 9-11, French Club 9-12, Winners Circle 9-10, NHS 11-12, AP Classes 12, Choir 9, Company 10-12, Cheerleading 9, Varsity Cheerleading 11-12 Captain - attended State, Girls JV Basketball 10, Student Council Member 10-11, Student Council Vice President 12.

Lindsey Amstutz: French Club 9, BPA 12, Office Aide 12, AP Classes 12, Girls JV Soccer 9-10, Girls Varsity Soccer 11-12.

Rachel Renee Brueckner: Varsity Club 10-12, FCA 10-12, Winners Circle 9-12, TYT 10-12, Jungle Com. 12, Cross Age Tutoring 12, Choir 9, Company 10-12, Girls Varsity Soccer 11-12, JV Softball 9-10, Frosh Volleyball, Girls Varsity Basketball 9-12 Co-Captain 11-12 Honorable Mention 11-12, Student Council 9-12 President 12.

Amaris Cecilia Arana: NMHS 10, Spanish Club 9-12, Winners Circle 10-12, NHS 11-12, AP Classes 12, Girls JV Soccer 9, Girls Varsity Soccer 10, Tennis Club 12.

Chad Anderson: NAHS 10-12, Art Club 9-12, French Club 10-11, Winner Circle 11-12, Yearbook 11-12, AP Classes 12, Student of the Month in Art, EMU Leadership Award, 2 Time English Student of the Month.

Arynn Marie Austgen: Spanish Club 9-10, Hispanic Club 9-12, Earth Club 12, Cross Age Tutoring 12, Yearbook 12, AP Classes 12, Girls Cross Country 9-10, Girls Track 9-11, Indoor Track 11, Colorguard 9-12 Captain 11-12, Cross Country All Conference Honorable Mention 9, English Certificate of Excellence 10.

Elizabeth Anne Arnett: Band 9-12, Pep Band 9-10, Girls Track 9-11.

Ronda S. Bruekner: Varsity Club 10-12, FCA 10-12, Winners Circle 9-12, Jungle Com. 12, Cross Age Tutoring 11-12, Girls Varsity Soccer 12, JV Softball 9-10, Varsity Softball 11, Frosh Volleyball, Girls JV Basketball 9-10, Girls Varsity Basketball 11-12 Co-Captain 12, Student Council 9-10 & 12.


Jacob Ryan Baldwin: NAHS 10-12, Art Club 9-12, Spanish Club 9-11, Winners Circle 9-12, TYT 9-12, Boys JV Soccer 9-10, Boys Varsity Soccer 11, Boys Lacrosse 12, AP Classes 11-12, Cross Age Tutoring 12, Company 9-11,
Robert George Brunetz: SADD 9-12, Art Club 9-11, French Club 9-10, BPA 11-12 Historian, Winner Circle 9-11 Board Member, Office Aide 11-12, TICWSS Rep. 12, Jungle Com. 12, NHS 11-12 Presidents Award, Student Council 9-10 & 12, AP Classes 12, Boys JV Soccer 9-10, Boys Varsity Soccer 12.

Ryan George Buehler: French Club 9-11, Quiz Bowl 12, TYT 9-12, NHS 11-12, Yearbook 9, AP Classes 12, Choir 9, Company 9-10, Senior of the Month, Student of the Month Music, Foreign Language, Math & Science, Who's Who 10-12, Dual Enrollment Siena Heights 12.

Melanie Bunce: SADD 9 & 12, Spanish Club 9, Cross Age Tutoring 11-12, AP Classes 12, Girls Track 10-12, Girls Varsity Soccer 9, JV Softball 9, Frosh Volleyball, JV Volleyball 10 Captain, Girls Cross Country 11-12 Captain 11, Girls Frosh Basketball, Girls JV Basketball 10, NHS 12, Class Treasurer 12, Tecumseh Track Club 11-12 Captain.

Bradley Buswell: Cross Age Tutoring 11-12, AP Classes 12, JV/Frosh Baseball 9-10 Captain 10, Boys Frosh Basketball, Boys JV Basketball 10, Boys JV Soccer 9-10 Captain 10, Boys Varsity Soccer 11-12 Captain 12.

Michal Oriean Clayton: Varsity Club 9-11, FCA 9-11, Spanish Club 9-11, Winners Circle 9-12, Band 11-12, Pep Band 9-10, Boys Lacrosse 12, Boys Swimming 9-12.

Jennifer Rachelle Dalton: NMHS 9-11, Spanish Club 10-11, Winners Circle 9-11, Office Aide 11, AP Classes 11-12, Girls JV Soccer 9, Girls Varsity Soccer 10-12, NHS 11-12, National Merit Commended Scholar.

Bryan "Twinkie" DeJonghe: Varsity Club 12, Jungle Com. 12, Cross Age Tutoring 11-12, JV/Frosh Baseball 9-10, Boys Swimming 9-10, Wrestling 12, Frosh Football, JV Football 10, Varsity Football 11-12 Captain 12.

Crystal Lynn DellaValle: SADD 11-12, Art Club 11-12, Band 9-12, Pep Band 9-10, Cross Age Tutoring 11-12, Powderpuff 12.

Pierce Julian Doerr: Band 9-12, Jazz Band 9-12, Pep Band 10, Spanish Club 10, Drumline 9-12, Drumline Captain 11, 12.

Kellie LeAnn Demlow: TYT 11, Jazz Band 11, Choir 11, Company 11-12.

Melissa Drouillard: SADD 9, French Club 9-10, Winners Circle 9-12, Band 11-12, Cross Age Tutoring 11, Choir 9, Company 10-12, Frosh Volleyball, Girls Frosh Basketball.

Kelly Elizabeth Dunn: SADD 11, BPA 12, Homecoming Rep. 12, Jungle Com. 12, Choir 12, JV Cheerleading 11-12, Varsity Cheerleading 12, Powderpuff 11-12 Champs 12.

Christian DuShane: SADD 11-12, Art Club 12, French Club 9-11, AP Classes 12.

Ivan Yosef Eisenscher: SADD 9-12 President 11, NMHS 10-11, French Club 9-10, BPA 11-12 Secretary 11, President 11, Winners Circle 9-11, AP Classes 12, Band 9-12, Frosh Football, Student Council 9-10 & 12, NHS 11-12 V-President 12, TYT Stage Manager 11-12.

Nancy R. Eaton: NMHS 10-11, NAHS 10, Art Club 9-12, TYT 11-12, Pep Band 9-11, Band 9-12, Yearbook 12, AP Classes 12, Girls Lacrosse 12, NHS 10-12, Educational Excellence Awards 9-12, Summer Institutes 1999 Candidate, French Club 11, Adrian City Band 10-12, Lenawee Honors Band 11-12.

Sara Kristine Elliott: Art Club 9-10, French Club 9-10, Jungle Com. 12, Cross Age Tutoring 12, AP Classes 12, Girls JV Soccer 9-10,
Girls Varsity Soccer 11–12, Frosh Volleyball, Class Vice-President 11–12.


Joanne Susan Eversden: SADD 10–12, Peer Listening 10–12 President 12, NMHS 10–11, French Club 9–12, Winner Circle 10–12, TYT 9–12, Jungle Com. 12, Company 12, Boys Track 9, NHS 10–12 President 12, Student Ally 12, Forensics 12, Student of the Month 9–12, Senior of the Month 12.

Trisha LeAnn Rawlins: NAHS 12, Art Club 11–12, Winners Circle 9–10 & 12, Yearbook 10–12, Assistant Head Editor 11, Journalism 12, NHS 11–12.


Kelly Lynn Flanders: TICWSS Rep. 12 Queen, Jungle Com. 12, Yearbook 12, Frosh Softball, JV Softball 9, Powderpuff 11–12.

Adam Eugene Forsyth: NMHS 11–12, Spanish Club 9–11, Office Aide 11–12, AP Classes 12.

Joshua Fox: Spanish Club 10–12, Winners Circle 9, Company 12, Boys Track 9–10, Boys Frosh Basketball, Boys JV Basketball 10, Boys Varsity Basketball 11–12, Boys JV Soccer 9–10, Boys Varsity Soccer 11–12 Captain 12.


Abigail Leigh Frenzen: Varsity Club 12, FCA 12, Art Club 9–12, AP Classes 12, Girls JV Soccer 9, Varsity Cheerleading 11–12 Captain Basketball Season 12, Frosh Volleyball, JV Volleyball 10, NAHS 10–12, Class Treasurer 10, Community Service Club 12.

Elicia Renee Garcia: Vo–Tech 12, Yearbook 9–12, Frosh Softball, JV Softball 9, Ceramics Merit Award Achievement.

John Andrew Gialanella: Art Club 9, TICWSS Rep. 11, Cross Age Tutoring 11–12, AP Classes 12, Boys JV Soccer 9–10, Boys Varsity Soccer 11–12.


Corinne Lois Gurney: TYT 12, Cross Age Tutoring 12, AP Classes 12, Foreign Exchange 12, Girls Lacrosse 12, Girls Varsity Basketball 12.

Charles Franklin Hall, II: Vo–Tech 11–12, Academic Award, Science Student of the Month.

Elicia Garcia
Courtney Hamp: NMHS 9-11, French Club 9-12, Spanish Club 9-12 Vice-President 12, BPA 11-12, Winner Circle 9-12, TYT 12, AP Classes 11-12, Company 11-12, NHS 11-12, NFHS 11-12.


Brian Holder: Vo-Tech 11-12.

Angela Denise Hornsby: TYT 9-12, AP Classes 11-12, Band 9-12, Girls Track 9-12 Co-Captain 12, Girls Cross Country 10-12 Co-Captain 12, Indoor Track 10-12, Senior of the Month.

Edward James Hunt: Varsity Club 10-12, FCA 10-12, NMHS 10-11, Quiz Bowl 11-12, Winners Circle 9-10, Office Aide 12, Jungle Com. 12, AP Classes 12, Boys Track 9-10, Boys JV Soccer 9-10, Boys Varsity Soccer 11, Boys Golf 12, NHS 11-12, Boys State 11.

Peter Brooks Ingle: Spanish Club 11-12, Vo-Tech 12, Yearbook 12, Journalism 12, Boys Track 11-12, JV/Frosh Baseball 10, Varsity Baseball 12, Boys Frosh Basketball, Boys JV Basketball 11, Frosh Football, Varsity Football 10-12, Honor Roll 11-12.

Robert Irish: Vo-Tech 11-12, Boys Track 10-12, Frosh Football, JV Football 10, Varsity Football 11-12.

Carrie Lynn Jones: Winners Circle 9-10.

Jeffery N. Joslin: NMHS 10-12, French Club 10-12, AP Classes 12, Boys Swimming 9-12 Captain, Creative Writing Club 11-12.

Leith E. Kelly: Varsity Club 12, FCA 11-12, Company 12, Boys Track 10-11, Wrestling 9-12, Frosh Football, Varsity Football 10-12.

Sara Marie Kline: Vo-Tech 11-12, Certificate of Excellence in Life Science, Certificate of Excellence in English, FFA Greenhand Degree & Chapter Degree.

Gregory Koch: Spanish Club 9 & 11-12, Vo-Tech 11-12, Frosh Basketball, JV Basketball 10, Frosh Football, JV Football 10, Varsity Football 11-12, JV/Frosh Baseball.

Joshua L. Lloyd: Vo-Tech 11, Yearbook 11-12, Co-op at Drazewez, Inc, Adrian Dual Enrollment in Networking Technologies at Washtenaw College.

Diana Michelle Mallory: Spanish Club 9, Cross Age Tutoring 12, Creative Writing Club, Academic Award in English 9-10, Academic Award in Environmental Science 10, Academic Excellence Awards 10-11.

Ed Mathis: Jungle Com. 12, Vo-Tech 12, JV/Frosh Baseball, Wrestling 9-12 Captain 12, Frosh Football, JV Football 10, Varsity Football 12.


Kristi Miller: Office Aide 12, Homecoming Rep. 11, Jungle Com. 12, AP Classes 12, Cross Age Tutoring 11-12, Girls JV Soccer 9-10 Captain, Girls Varsity Soccer 11-12 Captain, JV Volleyball 9-10 Captain 10, Varsity Volleyball 11-12 Captain 12, Girls Frosh Basketball, Girls JV Basketball 10, Girls Varsity Basketball 11, Class Vice-President 10, Class Secretary 11-12.


Anne Neumann: Foreign Exchange (Germany) 12, Girls Track 12, Girls Swimming.


Ayra Omnes: Spanish Club 12, AP Classes 12, Academic Achievement Award 11–12, Church Youth Group.


Becky Sue Prajzner: SADD 11, French Club 9–12, Cross Age Tutoring 12, AP Classes 12.

Beth Anne Randolph: Cross Age Tutoring 11, VO-Tech 11–12, Co-op 12.


Amy Seal: SADD 9-10, Spanish Club 9-11, Winners Circle 9-10, Cross Age Tutoring 11-12, AP Classes 12, Girls JV Soccer 9, Girls Varsity Soccer 10-12, Frosh Volleyball.

Matthew Sisty: Vo-Tech 11-12, JV Football 10, Varsity Football 11-12.

Kyle Spade: Peer Listening 9, NMHS 11-12, Art Club 9, French Club 12, Spanish Club 9-10, Quiz Bowl 12, BPA 11-12 Secretary, Winners Circle 9, Jungle Com. 12, AP Classes 12, Cross Age Tutoring 11-12, Boys Lacrosse 12, Boys Frosh Basketball, Boys JV Basketball 10, Frosh Football, JV Football 10, Aluma.

Erin Marie Spigiel: NMHS 11, Spanish Club 10, BPA 11-12, Homecoming Rep. 12, ASHAM.

Jessica Lynn Spleet: Vo-Tech 11, Work Habits Award.

Amanda Staron: JV Cheerleading 9, Varsity Cheerleading 10-12.

Monica Rochelle Stratton: Cross Age Tutoring 12, Yearbook 11-12, JV Volleyball 9, Varsity Volleyball 10-12, Community Service Club 12.

Krystle Sturtevant: Choir 9-11.

Robby Torres: Varsity Club 12, FCA 12, Spanish Club 9-12, Hispanic Club 9-12, AP Classes 12, Varsity Baseball 9-12 Captain, Boys Frosh Basketball, Boys JV Basketball 10, Boys Varsity Basketball 11-12, Boys JV Soccer 9, Boys Varsity Soccer 10-11, Varsity Football 11-12.

Danae Vassilopoulou: SADD 12, French Club 12, Foreign Exchange 12, Girls Track 12, Girls Lacrosse 12, Girls Swimming 12, Debate and Forensics, Tecumseh Players.


Susan Vredeveld: Choir 12, Vo-Tech 11-12, FFA Greenhand Degree and Chapter Degree.

Christopher Kim Wanke: Varsity Club 9-12, FCA 9-12, AP Classes 11-12, Boys Swimming 9-12, Frosh Football, Class President 10.


Justin Andrew Wright: AP Classes 9-12.

Jill Ashleigh Wriska: SADD 11, Art Club 10, Spanish Club 10-11, Quiz Bowl 11-12, BPA 10-12, Winners Circle 9-11, AP Classes 12, Cross Age Tutoring 11, Frosh Softball, JV Softball 10.

Bradley James Zilke: NMHS 10-12, Spanish Club 9-11, TYT 12, AP Classes 11-12.
Congratulations Chad!
With a smile like that, you'll go a long way!

Love,
Mom, Dad, and Sean

Congratulations Cristy!
May you ride into the future and find happiness, and success wherever your life may lead you.
We're Proud of You
Love,
Mom, Don, and Alicia

Erin,

You have become a beautiful, intelligent and mature young lady. Whatever you want to make of your life is within your reach. Our love and support will always be with you. No parents could possibly be prouder of their daughter.

WE
Love You !!!!!

Dad and Mom
Matthew,
"Toot your own horn! You made it to graduation! Now on to college. We are so proud of you."

Love
Mom, Dad, Jess & Jimmy
"STAY SAFE AND SMILE"

"We're proud of you!"
Ron, Mom, Wend & Aimee

Joe,
Congratulations!
We are so Proud of you. Best of luck for the years ahead.
WE LOVE YOU,
Mom, Dad, & Kate

Congratulations
Jeffrey!
I am very proud of you and your accomplishments. May you achieve all your goals.
Love Always,
Mom

Congratulations
Meg!
We are so proud of your many accomplishments and know that success and happiness will always be yours.
All our Love,
Mom, Dad,
Katy and Dan

Mandi,
We couldn't possibly be any prouder of you!
With all your energy and determination you are sure to succeed. We hope we have "served you well" and may you always be "forever young"! May God Bless you and keep you happy.
Love Forever,
Mom, Dad, and Ben

Keep Smiling!
We're very proud of you. We always knew you could do it. Have faith in yourself and you can be anything you want to be. All our Love,
Mom, Dad, and Shana

Dear Son,
We are proud of you, you have been a wonderful son. We pray that God will bless you with wisdom, knowledge and understanding in the many decisions you will make. It has been an honor to have you as our son.

WE LOVE YOU!!
Dad, Mom, Javier, Anita, and Ruthie

"You're The Kings of the World!"
Jacob Vogel & Eddie Hunt
(Two Really Big Q's)

Love and Best Wishes from
Your Families,
The Bawkers, The Varsity Loggers,
The 2 Selfish B's, Dirt Boy & Timbok

You'll Always be our ALL-STAR!

Love,
Mom, Dad, Ben, Becky
We are so proud of the little boy you were and the wonderful young man you have become.

Congratulations Kyle, enjoy this very special time in your life.

Love,
Mom, Dad, Sarah, and Katie

Ronda and Rachel,
We are so proud of all your accomplishments! Don’t let anything come between your friendship.

Love,
Mom, Cyndee, Dad
Grandma and Grandpa

Sarah,
Congratulations to our sweet little girl who has become a beautiful young lady. We are very proud of you and wish you the best of everything in the future.

Good Health—Love and Happiness,
Love, Mom and Dad
Michael,
Congratulations! We’re proud of you and all you’ve done. Keep up the good work.

WE LOVE YOU!
Mom, Dad, Jeff, Tiffany, and Marc

To Our Senior Cheerleader!!

Good luck in College and remember we love you and God does too!
Love,
Mom, Bart, and Jenny

From a baby to a mature young lady, the years were too short. As you go on to this next journey of your life, may you have happiness and success in everything you do. We have always been proud of you and love you very much.
Love, Dad and Mom

Kellie,
Keep your faith strong in God. He has blessed you with so much!
Always use it well!! We are so proud of the young woman you have grown to be!

We love you...... Mom & Dad
Ryan Congratulations!

"Best of everything in your future."

WE love you LOTS!!
Mom, Dad, Catherine, and Valerie

Heidi,

"Your future is as Bright as your smile; you’re our joy!"
LOVE,
Dad, Mom, Grant, and Mike

"Be happy!"
"Keep smiling!"
"Reach for the stars!"
"There is no limit to what you can do. We wish the best for you now and always."

Love,
Dad and Mom

From the day I brought you home, I’ve been proud of you!
"You light up my life"

I LOVE YOU,
MOM
Melissa,

Congratulations on your first step into your future. Continue to follow your dreams and they will come true.

We Love You!!

Mom and Dad

Love,

Megan, Mom, and Grandma

"You are the best brother, son, and grandson anyone could ever hope for. We wish you the best in all you do."

Love,

Mom, Dad, Bart, and John

We are very proud of you! You have given your very best, and you deserve the best that life has to offer. May all your dreams come true.
Dear Elicia,
As you gaze into the evening sky, Behold its Greatness. Each star is your future. Reach for them! May God bless you and keep you safe on your journey.

With Love,
Mom, Gary and Girls

Amaris Cecilia Arana

As you follow your dream, we ask the Lord to bless you with wisdom, knowledge, understanding, and happiness in everything you choose to do. We are very proud of you!

Love,
Poppi, Mami, Francisco, Javier, and Marisol

Mark,
You have made me proud! Congratulations... you made it!

Love,
Mom

Congratulations
“Pretty”!

Meg & Tim,
Good Friends...
Good Times...
Good Luck in all of your new adventures!
We Love You,
The Moms & Dads
Congratulations Andrew! We are proud of you not only for your academic achievements, but for your kind and caring ways. You will always be a blessing to us.

Love,
Mom, Dad & Ford

Julia,
Congratulations on all your accomplishments. THS will never be the same without you. Good Luck in all your future plans & on the road to success. We Love You!

Kimberly,
You knew what you wanted then, and got it. You know what you want now, go and get it. Although you have kept the bank account at a "zero" balance (ha, ha), we are all proud of you and love you.

Mom, Dad,
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Rachel Johnson
Academics
"Oh here is your pass!" Mr. Mobley and Mrs. Verrier laugh as they hand over a parking pass to a student.

Taking money for the dance, Mrs. Ellis and Mr. Ferwerda greet the students.

During the JUCWSS pep rally, Coach Oxley pumps up the crowd, with the overview of the season.
Andrew is the son of Rex and Susan Reinink. He was active in Symphony Band where he was first chair Clarinet, Clarinet Section Leader for Marching Band. Andrew was also actively involved in Quiz Bowl as Captain of the, All Conference Team, President of National Math Honor Society, Winner’s Circle, National Honor Society, Debate, Equations, Spanish Club, 2 THS Musicals, and maintained a 4.17 GPA throughout. In his four memorable years at THS, Andrew received awards for National Merit Finalist, MSU Alumni Distinguished Scholar, Kiwanis Senior of the Month, Detroit Free Press All-State Academic Team, Ann Arbor News top 5%, and the All SEC Academic Team. Also, Andrew participates at the Adrian City Band, Gloria Dei Lutheran Church Youth Group, and works as the Computer Lab Monitor at the Public Library. In the fall, Andrew plans to attend Michigan State University and major in Pre-Med.

Courtney is the daughter of Richard and Diane Hamp. During her career at Tecumseh High, Courtney was active in French Club, Spanish Club (serving as Vice President), National Honor Society, National French Honor Society, National Math Honor Society, Winner’s Circle, Business Professionals of America, Student ALLY, and the Sleigh Leadership Program. As a result of her outstanding achievements, Courtney not only maintained a 4.067 GPA, but received academic awards in several fields, including: Tecumseh Excellence in Education Awards, Student of the Month for Industrial Tech., Civinomics, and French 4. In her precious spare time, Courtney pursued her artistic talents through theater and music, participating in numerous TYT and Croswell Opera productions and playing symphonic piano melodies. In the coming year, Courtney plans to attend Western Michigan University where she will pursue a major in French.

Angela is the daughter of Steven and Nancy Hornsby. In her four years at Tecumseh High, Angela has remained active in many organizations including: Symphonic Band, Shooting Stars Marching Band, Varsity Track and Field (Captain), Varsity Cross-Country (Captain), Tecumseh Youth Theater, and Tecumseh Track Club. As a result of her outgoing spirit and desire to achieve, Angela not only maintained a 4.043 GPA, but was also recognized as Student of the Month for Art; Drawing, Mathematics, Biology, Chemistry and French. She also earned Tecumseh Excellence Awards for outstanding achievement in Science, Art, Math, and Social Studies, and the Scholar-Athlete award in recognition of her intramural achievements. In the coming year, Angela plans to attend Hillsdale College where she will major in Biology.

Ryan Buehler is the son of Thomas and Molly Buehler. He was active in Tecumseh Youth Theatre, NHS, French Club, Company, dual Enrollment, Summer Quiz Bowl Fair Champions, and Forensics, first place. In his four memorable years at THS, Ryan received awards for Senior of the Month, Southeastern Conference All-Academic, Music Student of the Month, Foreign Language Student of the Month, Business Student of the Month, English Student of the Month, Who’s Who, Science Student of the Month, and received various departmental awards. He performed shows at both the Croswell Theatre and the Theatre Sienna. In the fall, Ryan plans to attend Western Michigan University and major in Aviation.
Edward is the son of James and Jan Hunt. While at Tecumseh High, Edward remained active in a variety of activities, ranging from academic to athletic. Aside from his commitment to the National Honor Society, Jungle Committee, Youth Group at the First Presbyterian Church of Tecumseh, Student Council, and Boys State, Ed was also an honorary member of the Communities in Schools Program at THS. Along with maintaining a 4.045 GPA, he participated in numerous athletic endeavors, including Varsity Golf, JV and Varsity Soccer, and Varsity Track. Edward was selected as a candidate for the SEC All-Academic Team and as a MHSAA Scholar/Athlete State Finalist. His leadership and perseverance were what enabled Edward to receive recognition by Tecumseh’s Annual Academic Excellence Awards in the fields of Mathematics, Drafting, Science, Social Studies, and English. He has also received two Student of the Month awards for Science and Industrial Tech. In the coming year, Edward plans to attend Michigan State University where he will pursue an Engineering major.

Kimberly is the daughter of Bradley and Pamela Zibbell. She was active in Winner’s Circle, French Club, National Art Honor Society, Art Club (as secretary, Vice-President and President), Student Council, SADD, National Honor Society as treasurer, Adrian Dance and while maintaining a 4.02 GPA. Kim was also very active in the Business Professionals of America, where she placed second at Regional and seventh in State competition for Medical Concepts. Outstanding achievements and a caring nature lead Kim to be selected as the 1997-1998 H.O.B.Y. Representative for Tecumseh. In her memorable years at THS, Kim received awards for academic achievement in several fields, including: Chemistry, U.S. History, Drawing, English 10CP, Health, Art & Design, French 1, Integrated Math 1, IQP-9 Science, IQP-9 English, IQP-9 Integrated Awards, and Kiwanis Senior of the Month. Her work was also displayed and accredited in the Michigan Youth Arts Festival. In the fall, Kim plans to attend Central Michigan University and major in the Pre-Health Profession.

Jennifer is the daughter of Stephen and Shirley Dalton. Jennifer was an active member of the National Honor Society, National Math Honor Society, Winner’s Circle, and Spanish Club. She was also a member of the Quiz Bowl team, which reigned as league champions in the 1999-2000 season. In addition to her 4.22 GPA and numerous academic achievements, Jennifer was a member of the Varsity Soccer team, the Ann Arbor Arsenal Soccer Club, the Saline Extreme Soccer Club, and Tecumseh’s Indoor Track team. Jennifer has received many of Tecumseh’s departmental awards, including: Biology, Spanish 1,2 and 3, Int. Math 2 and 4, Computer Skills, English 9CP, 10CP, and 11CP English, Chemistry, Civinomics, AP Chemistry, AP Biology, and AP Calculus. She was also presented with Student of the Month awards in Biology, Chemistry, English 11CP, AP Chemistry, and Anatomy and Physiology. Jennifer’s leadership and integrity have led her to be selected as a National Merit Commended Scholar, a Girl’s State alumnus, and a National Youth Leadership Forum participant. In the coming year, Jennifer will attend Purdue University where she plans pursue a major in Veterinary Medicine.
Women's Concert Choir      
Singing into the New Millennium

Women’s Concert Choir grew in leaps and bounds although they faced several hardships. Dealing with the multiple changes of instructors, Women’s Concert Choir proved they could deliver a remarkable performance despite the numerous alterations of their group. They performed at Dawson Auditorium, during seminar for the high school, with the eighth grade choir, and at College. The songs of their repertoire included “Celtic Gloria”, “Candlelight Canon”, “O Holy Night”, “Silent Night” and “Scarborough Fair”. They also mastered choreography for “High Hopes” and “Build Me Up Buttercup” which enhanced their wonderful sound.

“This year has been tough, considering we have gone through so many subs. I think we have done pretty good.”  Nikki Wood

Before class started, freshman, Jennifer Fossen, showed her beautiful smile. She loves singing in women’s concert choir.

This choir worked very hard this year to achieve all the goals they had set at the beginning of the first semester. Mrs. Rostlin also worked hard to make them the best that they could be.

Considered the elite of JHS' choirs, Company is truly the cream of the crop. With auditions every year, Company is a highly desired and competitive group to enter into, but the hard work and talent pay off. This year was no exception! The Company worked hard and was very dedicated to improving their sound, along with showing why Company was very highly desired.

With voices raised in harmony, the Company entertains and entrances during their Christmas concert for the high school.

**Best buddies, Mrs. Andre and Josh Fox, play and sing together. This shows how much of a family the Company was.**

"Vive la compagnie!"
-Mrs. Donna Andre

This year was a first for Tecumseh High School’s men and women’s choir, the premiere of Musinc. Musinc was made up of 49 students. The class was divided into 3 sections, alto, bass, and soprano. This particular class was made up of only freshmen.

This year’s great success was due to the teaching of Mrs. Andre and her helpers. Alex Nelson helped choreograph one of their best performances, “Wild Wild West”! The class worked long and hard to learn the dance and put forth their best performance. Another great performance was “An Elegant Evening of Song” performed at Dawson’s Auditorium on Dec. 18, 1999. Musinc wrapped up their first year at the high school with a very successful performance.

“This was a fun year. I loved learning the dance that Alex Nelson taught us to Wild Wild West.”

-Shana Stratton


This choir has daily warm-ups that they do every time they meet. Here are students preparing to sing.
This year Tecumseh High School welcomed two new choirs into the music department. One of those choirs was The Associates. This particular choir was made up of 51 singers. The Associates was a co-ed choir made up of Freshmen through Seniors. Throughout the year The Associates performed several concerts. They were all very successful. One of their best performances was "An Elegant Night of Song", performed at the Dawson Auditorium in Adrian.


"Being in Associates was a great experience and it will always be remembered."

- Lindsey Glenn

Associate members sing along as Joanne Eversden conducts the choir. Her hard work sure paid off at their second concert performed at the Civic Auditorium.
Journalism
Publishing THS' News

JHS is a microcosm of society, much like what is outside its brick walls. Events happen daily in every society and it is a responsibility of someone to relay and inform people of events that shape and mold their lives. This responsibility is accepted by those who take Journalism at JHS, to report and investigate news that affects Tecumseh High School's student body.

The Holiday Dance, our sporting team's results, national news, and the latest talk in the hallway, are just a fraction of what is reported to JHS' student body through the Tomahawk. Students see only the finished product of hours of writing, revising, ads selling, and typing in each edition of the Tomahawk. The work is not completed without reward. After publishing a paper, the Journalism students are rewarded for their hard work not only with the satisfaction of an accomplished paper, but by doughnuts.


Smiling as usual, head editor, Carrie Parros takes a break from the computer screen.

Hard work and dedication pay off. Helping people with computers was second nature to Forrest.
"Journalism is the only class in the entire high school where the whole student body has a chance to read your homework."
Matt Dailey

Selling the final product is a very gratifying experience for Chyrse Kaorr and other Journalism students alike.

Being head editor of the Tomahawk is not a responsibility taken lightly by Carrie Parros. Here she is seen editing staff writer Nate Grandmason's article.

When it comes down to deadline time, the classroom is a constant flurry of activity as students finish their drafts so layout can begin.

Striving for writing perfection, staff writer Sean Stone consults Mrs. Marble for advice on his article. Hours of class time are spent perfecting each article.
Yearbook
Creating the Magic

Yearbook is not all fun and games as some people may think. It takes a great deal of hard work and dedication to produce a good yearbook. There are many long hours spent making the marvelous masterpiece called a yearbook. Each and every student must put all of their effort toward their assigned pages and make sure they are done on time. This year’s class did an awesome job on their assignments and did the best they possibly could. In order to fund the making and production of the yearbook, the class sold ads, held a bottle drive, and presented a Beaux Arts Ball. All were very successful and made it possible for the students to be able to cherish a wonderful yearbook. Good job yearbook staff!

Yearbook staff members, Mark Ferguson, Meghan Schwitsch, Rachel Johnson, and Kelly Flanders try to figure out what the computer wants them to do next.

During this year’s bottle drive juniors Melonie Sinden and Jill LeRocque, take a little break after sorting all of the bottles that needed to be returned to the store.

Head editor, Kevin Radant, chose to take a quick nap on the way to the yearly yearbook convention the class attends. After all his work this year he deserves a break.

"Happiness is found only when the yearbook is done. I've been waiting to be done for four years, the time has come." Elicia Garcia

During a pizza party for reaching our quota in ad sales, Eddy Rapin and Greg Koch chatted in the back of the room. They try to have a conversation but the camera caught them with a mouth full of pizza.

During a Beaux Arts Ball discussion, Alynn Austgen compiles how everyone is completing their walls. Alynn was one of the more excited persons working this new dance.

Here is another group of students enjoying pizza during a class celebration. Here we see Kaitlin Williams and Nikki Wood trying to eat their pizza without making a mess.

At the Yearbook’s pizza party Kevin and Melanie enjoy their meal. You can really tell that they love pizza parties.

On the bus ride to the NPSA conference Mrs. Marble reminds her students of their schedule for the day. It looks like it was already a long day.
Tecumseh Marching Band

Marching into the New Millennium

The 1999-2000 Tecumseh High School Shooting Stars Marching Band, S.S.M.B. for short, had yet another exciting season last fall. Performing in five home games, four parades, the Lenawee County Band Festival and for students at the Milton C. Porter Center, was not an easy task by any means. However, after a grueling week at Band Camp, these millennium marchers were completely prepared.

The theme of this season's show was, "A Prehistoric Half Time", and included such momentous numbers as "Land Before Time", "The Flintstones", "Prehistoric Opener", and the unique stylings of Drumline director, Ben Winters' "GETS", a percussion feature. The band achieved much this year and has left their audiences eagerly anticipating what is yet to come.

"This was a very exciting marching season that was full of changes."
- Mr. Jimmie Rice

Whoever thought our band was this big? Senior field commander Joanne Frosden leads the band through their "Prehistoric" halftime show.

In a rare moment, Mr. Rice is calmly waiting for halftime to begin. The tense seconds before a show starts is the best time to reflect on all the hard work that makes it all possible.

In their shining moment, the Colorguard gals rock with the Flintstones. Their glitz and glam really sparked up the show.

Taking a break from band camp... Beth Richmond, Emily Ellis, and Kyle Winters chill for a minute or two.
At the final game, Drumline treats the audience to an exuberant performance of "GETS". This was but one of the many exciting performances this year.

First and ten, do it again! The band eagerly awaits kick off so they can begin their cheers.

Who cares if it rains on our parade?!?! Even though the weather wasn't the greatest, the band kept the homecoming parade bright by enthusiastically participating.

1..2..3..4. How long can Junior Field Commander, Kevin Radant, keep up tempo? In the '99-00 season, he never lost a beat! Good Job!

Jimmie Rice looks on as Field Commanders, Kevin Radant and Joanne Eversden, watch the game. The Field Commanders kept the crowd on their toes with spirit cheers and magical music.
Pep Band
Making the Magic of Sound

The most spirited group in the music department is definitely the Pep Band. At every home Varsity Basketball game and spirit assembly, the Pep Band keeps the Jungle alive and ablaze with raucous cheers. The Pep Band shows enthusiasm while they perform energetic music, including the well known "Eye of the Tiger" and "Final Countdown". The band jumps and jives to keep the Jungle beat flowing and the players in winning spirits.

"This was a really great year... and it was fun, too!"
- J. Marquis

Gimmee some of that Big Band Sound Fellas! The Pep band members gave their all at every home game and pep rally.

When are they gonna get here? I really want to blow my own horn!! Trombonists, I. Bechey and C. Johnson, eagerly await the student body.

It's a hard job, but somebody's gotta do it. Freshman member, Kat Whicker, hauled her heavy tuba up the bleachers at every game.

Amanda Reuther
Jazz Band
The Sultans of Swing

The Tecumseh Jazz Band had many outstanding performances throughout the year. In their 1999-2000 season, the jazz band played many magical numbers including "Festival", "Sing, Sing, Sing", and "April in Paris." Their performances have not been limited to the realms of the school, rather they included two elementary schools, district and regional festivals, and jazz ensembles at the Civic Auditorium. They also performed a special set at the band banquet in May 2000.

This year was not only an exceptional performance season for JHS jazz, it was also a time of change. This was the first year that jazz was added to the curriculum and recognized as a credited course. Although many of the jam sessions took place after school, the band gained membership and strength. The jazz band practiced hard to give the school and community a "really big show".

"The band has really grown this year, in part because it's now a class... We sound great!"
- Pierce Doerr

Ya know it's gotta be all about de music mon! Director, Jimmie "Rasta Man" Rice, shows the lighter side of his repertoire to students. Although he tells many of his notoriously corny jokes at practice, the jazzers are not easily detoured from their music.

Here are the marvelous musicians and all that jazz. At one of their many extracurricular performances, the jazzers entertained students and the staff of Herrick Park Elementary.
The 1999-2000 Concert Band had an incredible season. Playing music including pieces, "Novena", "Prelude Chorale", "March Of The Royal Guard", and "Pyramids". The band played all songs with feeling and enthusiasm. The Concert Band played at four different performances; the Holiday Concert, Spring Concert and Collage Concert at the Civic Auditorium and District Festival, which was held at Hillsdale. All performances were a success, especially Districts, where they received an overall rating of 2. Mr. Rice's and Mr. Bough's great enthusiasm for music, helped the students perform their best. Great job Concert Band!

1 and 2, 3, 4... Come on Guys! You can do it! Mr. Bough encourages the concert band students while he conducts a new piece.

Symphonic Band

Letting the Tunes Roll Out

Jecumseh's 1999-2000 Symphonic Band shows off the more formal side of music. Playing wonderful music makes everyone want to come and hear the band perform. The band performed five different times this year. They performed at the Holiday Assembly for their teachers and peers. Another Holiday Concert was performed by the Symphony Band that was open to the community. Both events were held at the Civic Auditorium. They played, "The Night Before Christmas," with Mr. Harsh reciting the story while the band played. Other performances included the District Festival at Hillsdale, where the band received an overall one rating. The Spring and College Concerts were both held at the Civic Auditorium. The band also played other magical and enthusiastic music including, "Alleluia", "Bohemian Rhapsody," and "Sunburst". The Symphonic Band had a great 1999-2000 school year. Great job!

Kickin' out the bass, "Big Daddy," Mike Gooding, plays his solo riff in "Bohemian Rhapsody". In the more formal season, Mike plays standing string bass.

The suit says it all! Mr. Harsh narrates, "The Night Before Christmas," at the Holiday Assembly.
THS Colorguard
A Little Touch of Magic

Putting some alakazaam in this year’s halftime show, was the THS Colorguard. Under the watchful eye of veteran colorguard instructor Jen Wilson, the motley crew of girls exploded into one of the best colorguards the school has seen in a long time. During Band Camp, it became clear that these girls were going to be the people to watch! From glammimg it up with gold, to floating across the field with pastels, to living it up with the Flintstones, these girls were at the top of every performance, proving that all it takes is a little magic!

Are those statues on the field? No, it is the entire colorguard waiting to begin the Fight Song before a game.

In the spirit of showmanship, the girls salute the crowd. Half time was always ended with a tribute to the crowd.

Illusion or feat of strength? Proving that colorguard is not all hard work, the girls take some down (?) time.


This season everyone took their abilities a step up, to create the best colorguard I have ever had opportunity to work with.

- Aryn Austgen
The Drumline
The Magic in our Style

The drumline is a very special part of the band. They practice just as hard if not harder than most people in sports practices. Instructor, Ben Winters, made us practice many drills with their drums on. They also had to rehearse every drill for each song numerous times on the football field. When the other sections got breaks, the drumline pushed their practice to the extreme practicing right through the hour breaks the rest of the band had. They proved how much could be accomplished if they stuck together, and helped each other. They lived by the motto: you’re only as good as your weakest drummer.

They produced ‘GLF’, Tecumseh High School’s first ever drumline feature. They practiced day after day after day on that feature, individually in their sections, and all together as a line.

Just a few of us... L - R: Kris Alber, Jessica Brown, Pierce Doerr, Beth Richmond, Emily Ellis, Chandra Murphy.

On the field, the drumline’s many practices paid off. They worked together and applied every aspect of their practices to their performances.

Drumline practiced even in the coldest, rainy October weather for the feature.

After performing at half time Chris Alber, Kyle Winters, Jessica Rupert, Pierce Doerr, Beth Richmond kick back and prove that drumline is not all hard work.
Advanced Placement Classes
Progressing Knowledge into the Millennium

To better prepare for college during high school, is a good idea to do, if you have the opportunity. Advanced Placement classes are just that opportunity. In AP classes, you can work toward college credits without actually going to college. Because they are at the college level, the classes are more difficult than regular high school classes. Also, there is more work involved, such as taking a test to get in, doing work over the summer, and usually carrying a B average. Currently, there are seven Advanced Placement classes which are: Studio Art, taught by Mrs. Isley, Biology, taught by Mrs. Ellis, Calculus, taught by Mr. Novak, English, taught by Mrs. Bowman, French, taught by Mrs. Wilson, Government and Economics, taught by Mrs. Madgwick, and Statistics, taught by Mrs. Keffer. Next year, AP Chemistry will be added to the classes for college preparation. Remember, if you are dedicated, willing to work hard, and want some college credits, Advanced Placement classes would be helpful for you.

Sharing his pottery during one of their critiques, Jacob Baldwin presents his new work of art to his Advanced Placement Art class. Happening about every two weeks, critiquing is a common thing in AP Art.

Teaching his Advanced Placement Calculus class, Mr. Novak answers questions about the assignment for the day. The advantage of having a small class is that Mr. Novak is able to spend more personal time with individual students.

Smiling behind pieces of abstract pottery, senior, Abby Frenzen, shares her creativity with the class. The Advanced Placement Art class requires each student to put a piece of themselves into all of their work.
Cross-Age

Assisting the Future

They help make a difference for the children of today, so they can make a difference for the children of tomorrow. The young adults that take this class do not get paid for their hours, or get community service credit, but they do get credit in school. The tutors put hard work into this class with the projects and field trips, and helping students. They also help students in the host program during seminar on Wednesdays.

Most students take this class to help them in future career plans. Some want to be teachers, care takers, own their own daycare, or even just be a good parent. Many of you may have had a cross-age tutor in elementary school who made a difference in your life. You may have been one who was selected for cross-age exchange day, that the advisor Mrs. Sutherland, has arranged for the past eight years. This enables the kids to see what high school is all about. You may even have played a game with your little brother or sister that your tutor taught you. Whatever it was it helped you and many others and that was the goal of the cross-age tutors.

Exploring creativity and helping children are what Natalie Beil likes to do. Natalie shows her second graders how to make something for their wall.

"Cross-age is a great experience for me. I have had so much fun and the kids are great!"

-Megan Schawitsch

It’s story time! Trevor Balyeat reads and enjoys a story with one of his students.

What shall we make today? It’s art time and Sarah Elliott is making something pretty.
Vo-Tech
Experience in Another Atmosphere

While many students are in classes at Tecumseh High, there are others leaving for Vo-Tech. This is a way for them to acquire job experience and to educate themselves in classes that are not available at the high school. Vo-tech is a place to get hands-on training while in a school atmosphere with other students from around the county. These classes, from child care to auto body repair, will in some way prove to be valuable later in life.

Vo-tech has two sessions, am. and pm. Both are filled with students from different schools. Bringing students together from different schools not only makes going to Vo-Tech more interesting, but also adds variety to every day. Vo-tech has been around for years, and most likely will continue to become even more popular, and well recognized.

Glancing up from his engine compartment, Jason Foley explains what he does in Auto Mechanics.

In dental aid, Corrina Gonzalez learns to perform CPR on a dummy.

Showing off the strobe light in electronics class, Ryan Taylor is very proud of what he has made.

Upon arriving at Vo-Tech Ryan Martin finishes his lunch before starting his class.

About to work on a project with the kids, Dawn Ganzhorn asks her students if they need help.

Obviously enjoying working with children, Hannah Jacobson plays a game with the kids.
From instructional videos to amusing games, the National Math Honor Society strides to explore new forms of mathematics and how they apply to various careers. Under the supervision of Mrs. Jeffery, the members must attend monthly meetings, attend guest speaker seminars, retain a 3.5 or better GPA in math, and participate in community service activities.

Although the community service projects are now a required element of NMHS, several members not only fulfill their quota, but exceed it simply out of kindness; “We have a really good bunch of students”, notes Mrs. Jeffery.

"We would enjoy more members who enjoy math and learning new topics."
- Mrs. Melanie Jeffery


Kari Pilbeam works diligently on a complex math problem. This is but one of the many tasking equations she faced this year.
Varsity Football
Who wants some???

The 1999 Tecumseh Varsity Football team had an up and down year, but one thing is for sure, they all were a tight group of guys. They had great comaraderie, and played hard each and every week. Their record was 3-6. Even though they didn't make it into the playoffs, they became better as the season progressed.

When it was all said and done and the pads were hung up and put away, ten Indians made the S.F.C. All-League Team. Players on that team were: (Defense) Eric Harris 1st team, Adam Cox 2nd team, Anthony Ely Honorable Mention, Joel Whelan Honorable Mention, and Major Mobley Honorable Mention; (Offense) Dan Baker 2nd team, Brian DeJonghe Honorable Mention, Robbie Torres Honorable Mention, Josh Barnett Honorable Mention, and Aaron Schneider Honorable Mention.

The S.F.C. is one of, if not, the hardest regional conferences in Michigan. Each team provides a vast array of athletic ability. It was a great season. Nice job guys!

Coach Ondrovick was usually seen on the sidelines giving defensive plays to his team members. He was very essential when it came to defense.

Senior fullback, Jordan Haines, hits the holes provided by his blockers on their way to the end-zone. The double-wing offense along with the offensive lineman, provided great holes for the backs.

The Tecumseh Indians coaching staff watches as the game continues through the first half. Many games this year depended on the performance given in the first half.

Running back, Greg Koch, charges past defenders. Koch was very illusive in the backfield.

A swarm of Indians pursue and mob the ball-carrier. This year's defensive squad was very good at gang-tackling.
JV Football

Appearing in the N-zone

The JV football team had a magical year with an impressive 4 and 5 record. Their record didn't show their true potential, yet they still played with pride. The offensive side of the ball was field by the linemen while having an impressive backfield rushing for more than 2000 yards. The defensive side of the ball played hard all year long with more than 500 tackles. This team has a true potential for winning the game but, if they want to compete next year they must stay in the weight room during the off season.

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The ball carrier takes a good look up the field, thanks to his linemen.

Jecumseh's defense shows a strong stop. Bob Harsh lays a good hit to the offensive receiver.

The Jecumseh offensive squad takes time to regroup in the huddle. They are setting up for a huge gain.

During one of their many plays, Justin Weirich goes after the Monroe Jefferson player who is tackling one of his teammates.

Carrying the ball for Tecumseh, Bobby Valdez goes against Monroe Jefferson’s number 20 for a touchdown.

"Everyone did great, it was a fun experience"
- Rob Whittemore

During one of their many plays, Justin Weirich goes after the Monroe Jefferson player who is tackling one of his teammates.

This year the freshman football team created magic on the field and showed their opponents a few magic tricks of their own. Coach Harsh said, "This team figured out early, in fact our 0-14 loss at Hillsdale, that high school football takes a lot of hard work to be successful." These boys will be ready for the future, and whatever comes their way. Everyone did great and should all be congratulated for a job well done.

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Nikki Wood
Varsity and JV Football Cheerleading

Getting a Little Bit “Rowdy”

Big changes took place for this year’s football season’s cheerleaders. The season began with the annual camp. Camp was held in the Tecumseh High gym instead of at the usual Central, or Western University. Twenty-five girls made up the Varsity and JV football cheerleading squads. This was a large increase from last year, but it made cheering all the more fun. Coach Jooman helped the girls discover that cheerleading is a sport and they were going to prove it. From push-ups to popping girls in mounts, these girls showed their true athletic ability. New uniforms for the varsity squad were the reward for hard work and dedication to various fundraisers. The girls sold candles, raffled off a big, stuffed Tecumseh bear, and even held a sweep ‘n dust at Gudz-Duz-It car wash.

Another special thing the girls did was devise a way to create a more special bond between the cheerleaders and football players. Each cheerleader had two or three “Big Brothers”. Throughout the season the cheerleaders bought presents, made posters, and did other things to cheer them on. It was tough to keep it a surprise throughout the whole season. At the very last game a final gift was given to the cheerleader’s “Big Brothers” and each football player found out who their “little sis” was. It was a definite success.

As the season came to an end the girls realized what a terrific season it had been. Excellent job, “Ladies”!


JHS Senior Cheerleaders - this is how YOU see them.

These Freshmen cheerleaders really get along. B. Labadea, C. Murphy, B. Hinkley, C. Veirs, and R. Johnson encourage their freshman class during a pep rally.

JHS Senior Cheerleaders - this is how they REALLY are.
Varsity cheerleaders love to support their little sisters on the JV squad. They all sit in the stands and cheer.

These girls just love to smile. Of course, they are cheerleaders. Kori Pilbeam, Emilee Kirby, and Rachel Johnson, squeeze in for one last picture before the end of the season.

After loads of support for their "Big Brothers" the football players showed their appreciation by giving a flower for each of their little sisters. The JV squad carried them in the Homecoming parade.

Even though it was cold and raining, the Varsity Cheerleaders still managed to smile and have fun cheering for the town of Tecumseh during the 1999 Homecoming Parade.


With new football uniforms, the Varsity cheerleaders were ready to cheer. Julia Nelson, Abby Frenzen, Kristi Brown, and Amanda Staron motivated supporting fans at every game.

"This football season was a learning experience for all of us. The girls really worked together as a team and learned many different stunts. I had a great time coaching this group of girls."

- Coach Tooman
Girl's Varsity Basketball
Stars of the Court

This year's Girl's Varsity Basketball team did an excellent job, as usual. The three Seniors on the team, Rachel Brueckner, Ronda Brueckner and Corrine Gurney, played a key role in this year's great season. Despite the lack of upper classmen again, the team never showed any mercy. They also had the help from Sophomores Jennie Brown, Nikki Rebottaro, and Megan Smith. These three crucial players helped the Indians to many victories. They never let their age get in the way of working as hard as they could. Megan Smith felt, "We were much better than our record showed, and we worked very hard, and improved a lot". The rest of the team was made up of Juniors: Danessa Wolfe, Marissa Foud, Michelle Lake, Jenna McWilliams, Cat Thompson, and Tiffany Cook. Cat was new to the school and the team and she seemed to fit in well with the others. They welcomed her as part of the team and she worked up to their expectations. All their work earned them a place at District finals. Job well done girls, you deserve it!!

"I think overall we had a good season. We made it all the way to district finals. Everyone on the team worked super hard and we all had a lot of fun. This season was definitely a great experience."
- Jennie Brown

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The girls huddled together to hear what their coach wanted them to do next.

Showing great team offense is Junior, Danessa Wolfe.
It was really hard for these players to say goodbye to their great coach. One of the star sophomores, Nikki Rebottaro, gave Coach Spagnoli a last hug before the season was over and her coach was gone.

"We improved greatly through the season and we had a lot of fun."
- Michelle Lake

"We had a great time this season. Our record improved from last year because we played more as a team. We wish the best of luck to next year's team."
- Captains Rachel and Ronda Brueckner

Our 1999 JV Girls basketball team had an overall victorious season overall. With 12 wins and 7 losses they proved that Tecumseh girls really can play basketball. With three freshmen and eight sophomores making up the team, they acquired a very favorable ranking. Leading the team in overall points was Abby Willson. Following closely behind was our second year JV member Becky Church. Led by coach Lori Spotts, the Indians competed strongly every time they took the court.

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At the bottom of this pile was our own Abby Willson trying to fight for possession of the ball.

Playing defense, Becky Church watches her opponents every move. Determination such as this was a key point in the Indian's many victories this season.
Freshman Girls Basketball
A Magical Team

This year was rough on the girls, but they went into every game with an optimistic attitude and did well. They faced girls who were bigger and stronger than they were and looking for a fight. For many girls who had never played on an organized team before, it was quite an experience. Coach Richardson did a great job working with the girl’s aggressiveness and their attitude toward the other teams. You girls did a great job. Congratulations!

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"It started off rough, but we finished strong."
— Ashley Wood

Keeping the ball from her opponent, Mary Kate Lesko runs down the court to make a basket. That was some game!

What a block! Lyndsay Sanders and Chelsea Hughes corner their opponent, number 22, when she goes to make a basket.

Boys Varsity Soccer
Senor Working His Wizardry

Putting on a good show, the varsity soccer team did very well this season. The team did excellently for starting with such a young group. The team had a conference record of 7-4-1, which helped them get into the districts.

After making it to the post-season round of districts, the weaker teams start to get eliminated. That was the case for senior's squad in their first game because they had to play the Lincoln Railsplitters on their field, and we defeated them by a score of 5-2. The next match, against the Adrian Maples, was a storybook game because the game, and the future of both teams, was decided by a shoot-out. The Indians played two scoreless 45-minute halves, followed by two scoreless 15-minute halves of sudden death. That led to the nerve-racking shoot-out. The player of the game would have to have been our goalie, Nick Sodt. While he was in goal, he saved several shots and he also took the shot that won the game for us. The final score was 1-0 by a win in the shoot-out of 3-1. That took the varsity team to the district final against their new rival, Pinckney. In that game, they had some good chances, but they only converted once. Unfortunately, Pinckney had two goals that beat the Indians'.

This year we had many good players who helped make the team what they were. We had a small group who made the ECC All-League Soccer Team in all of the categories. Josh Fox, Josh Ely, and Brad Buswell all made the honorable mention category. John Gialanella was the lone player from Tecumseh who made the second team. Javier Arana and Jarred Castorena made the first team, and they also made honorable mention for the whole state of Michigan, which is quite an achievement.

Keeping the ball away from his opponent, Brad Buswell dribbles the ball. Talking about the season, Brad Buswell said, "We started the season off rough, but finished strong. Our team was young, but everyone stepped up and knew their role."

Using his quick feet, junior Javier Arana cuts the ball back in order to set up a pass. This season, teams had to double team Javie to try to get the ball away from him.

Taking possession away from his opponent, captain, Josh Fox gets ready to lead the attack. Josh used his experience to show new defender, Jered Tuberville, how it's done.

Who said soccer wasn't a contact sport? Certainly not captain Brad Busswell, as he gets pushed down from behind. Coming to assist is junior, Chris Cunningham.

Congratulating the goal scorer, the team crowds together to line up for the kickoff. This year, the varsity team outscored its opponent 88-38.

“I think we surprised a lot of people this year, including ourselves. Everybody ended the season anxious to start the next.”

- Tommy Cunningham

Greg Dailey
Boys Junior Varsity Soccer
Hocus-Pocus, and the Ball Appears in the Net

Another year, another winning season for the junior varsity soccer team. The team finished the season with a total record of 10-3-4, with only one SFC loss. That was a significant improvement from last year’s SFC’s record. The experienced sophomores used their leadership to guide the new freshmen to become smart players.

The junior varsity team continued their amazing record that they have kept once again this season. Every year, since its beginning, the Tecumseh Varsity Soccer Team has won first place in the LCS Cougar Cup Soccer Tournament, and this year was no different. The victim for the championship game was the host, Lenawee Christian, and we beat them 3-2.

As you can tell by their record, the junior varsity team played very well this season. Each person had to do their part to accomplish their goal, which was to work together and win.

"The guys played some really great soccer this season. It was good that this year we beat teams that we tied and lost to last year. Hopefully, next year’s JV will continue will continue the legacy."

-Matt Dailey


While fighting for the ball, Marcus Lyons sticks his leg in. He played a key role in the central midfield for the team this year.

Keeping his head up while looking for a pass to a teammate, Jeff Matson has the ball at his feet. Teammates, Matt Lighthall and Matt Frost, give support from behind.
With eight minutes and nine seconds left in the half, Jeremy Lopez tries to keep possession of the ball. Lopez used his shielding skills, to enable the team to keep the lead in the game, and even come out with a victory against Jonesville.

Watching play on the far side of the field, Greg Dailey, right, and Phil Sunderland hold back on defense. The two were part of the great defense for the junior varsity team this year.

"We may have lost a few key players at the beginning of the season, but the freshmen really stepped up to help us pull together a great season."

-David Shelle
Any athlete will tell you that all of the countless hours spent practicing and perfecting their individual game produces moments of excellence when it comes down to competing. Tecumseh High School is home to some of Michigan's most elite golfers. Golfers such as Ryan Spohr, who was named to the All-State "Super Team", Kyle Hunt and Adam LaBeau have been feared in the SEC for golf all season. These three guys, with Jimmy Roehm, Mike Rendall, and Ryan Wimple combined their performances together to strike fear into competitors. The hard work and hours spent on the driving range have produced excellent results on the golf course. Tecumseh's golfers came in second in the Tecumseh Invitational, first in the SEC Tournament, took first place in regionals, and took a sixteenth place finish in State Finals.

In a game where low scores mean high results, senior, Ryan Spohr, will not be a fixture next year on the leader board. Kyle Hunt and Adam LaBeau are next in line to fill the departing senior's golf spikes. Congratulations and praise are in order for this year's golf team as they continued writing the legacy of all of Tecumseh's great golf teams.

At a pep rally, senior Ryan Spohr congratulates freshman Alex Halberstadt, on a successful season.

Foremost on Chris Sinclair's mind is sinking this putt. Chris ensured his team's low score during the golf season with consistently low scores.

Seeing off in a golf match is Jimmy Roehm, one of the golfers in Tecumseh High School's bright golf future.

After finishing this hole with a low score, freshman Matt Dunn contributes to his team's low score.
Girls Cross Country

Running to 2000

The girls cross country team started out strong, large, and packed with talent. The girls were faced with a challenge: many of the runners such as Melanie Bunce and Jamie Hammond were struck with injuries. This was not a problem for the team though, and they had a very prosperous season. Many girls improved greatly and turned in personal best records. The scoreboard did not reflect just what a positive and exciting season they had. There must have been something magic in the water the day these girls raced. A job well done ladies!

"Change is a process, not an event. We hope to make changes in the cross-country program that will make Tecumseh a formidable force in the conference in the next two years and beyond." -Coach Banghart

**Back Row L - R:** Alissa Hall, Melanie Bunce, Amanda Armstrong
**Front Row:** Michelle Pasternak, Marlo Ives, and Coach Sweeney

Going for the gold as one of the strong leaders for the tribe is junior Michelle Pasternak.

Keeping up and giving it her all to move ahead is sophomore Amanda Armstrong. She gave the team her all.

Leaving her opponent in her dust is sophomore Jamie Hammond.
All alone reaching for the finish in the last stretch is freshman Alissa Hall.

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On her way around the last curve, running solely on pride, is junior Angela Hornsby.

Bottom Row L-R: Marlo Ives, Jayme Hammond, Leah Gunder, and Michelle Pasternak. Second Row: Sara Grammes, Amanda Armstrong, and Alissa Hall. Third Row: Amanda Fender, and Crista Lewis. Top Row: Shelia Fender. Some of the girls here are showing us how they are when we're not around!

Michelle Pasternak, left, Angela Hornsby, center, and Crista Lewis. These girls are performing a little pre-practice ritual of streaching together in a circle.

Attending a team meeting are Amanda Armstrong and Chelle Hammond. We always see these ladies concentrating on or off the course.

Attentive and focused Leah Gunder concentrates on the big meet around the corner.

Sam Murphy
Boys Cross-Country

"Running Through to the Finals"

Gallantly running through to state finals the Tecumseh Boy's Cross-Country had one of its best seasons ever. Everyone finished strong with many personal best times shattered. The memory of the '99 season will be brought through the millennium.

This achievement was not easy, it took a great amount of hard work and dedication. This year's strategy was to work together and make this season a true team effort. Captains Mike Grammes and Nate Emerson worked with each other to help lead the team through the training and stress consuming meets. Team thinking and devoted hard work were the main elements that brought this team to the state finals. At the finals the boy's team came in 14th overall.

"We've all come along, working together as a team to achieve our goals." - Mike Grammes
(Captain)

Running hard, Jack DaSilva gives it his all. Throughout the season Jack achieved his personal best time and was also named the Fastest Freshman in the State of Michigan.

Pushing himself to finish up the race Raul Sanchez moves his body forward. Raul was just one of the hard working runners on the varsity team.
At the first race of the season, Tecumseh came away with a first place victory at the Tecumseh Cross-Country Preview. This was just the beginning of the long stretch of victories that this team achieved.

The team pushed us through the regionals meet, to STATE.
-Jack Dasiion

At the home course, Evan Wilson looks forward to winning the race. Tecumseh's course is a challenge with its dry, flat land and tiring hills.

Giving it his all, Mike Grammes runs energetically through a meet. As a captain this year, Mike worked hard to lead the tribe.

Working together Jeff Riglemann and Mike Grammes run as a team to catch the opponent. This team work was a major element to the seasons success.

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Girl's Swimming and Diving
Practically Magic

A winning record and an outstanding team encouraged the Tecumseh Indian women swimmers and divers to come out on top during the 1999 season. The team, with more than 30 members, took a six-and-five record during the regular season, and several top honors in the S.F.C., S.M.I.S., and State meets. A prosperous year was had by all, as the team proved that "teamwork" takes the whole team; swimmers and divers alike worked diligently together to get the results they wanted. Pulling together to set the women on high were All-S.F.C. swimmer Zsófia Vegh and All-S.F.C. diver Rachel Novak. As a magical ending to their hard-working season, the Indian women represented JHS in tenth place at the State meet, held on November 19-20 at Eastern Michigan University. On that late autumn weekend, the team's top swimmers and divers put on a spectacular show - a show that, in the end, floated the Indian women into the spotlight!

"We had a great season this year, despite having such a young team. We were even able to pull off tenth in the state!!" -Laura Walker

Four of this year’s most devoted divers take their places on the diving board. The girls shared the board, and outstanding performances, during the year.


All-S.F.C./All-State swimmer Zsófia Vegh "works her magic" during the State swim meet in November. Vegh, an exchange student from Hungary, helped in putting the pizzazz into the season.

Jill Larocque
The Tecumseh ladies came home winners from the 1999 S.E.C. The team gathered together to show off their hard-earned trophy.

A new school record brings gleaming smiles. The medley relay was broken this year by Gruber, Snyder, Walker, and Neill with a time of just over two minutes.

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These girls show off their bright smiles. They got to take a moment out of their busy schedule to get together.

*Up, up, and away! Rachel Novak reaches for the sky and an All-S.E.C. title.*
Varsity Basketball
Rockin the House in "00"

The Varsity Basketball team played very competitively this season. They have had a very tough schedule, yet played strong all season long. All twenty games, plus districts, were played, with maximum effort. The team came together as a whole and played better as a group. Varsity captains, Eric Harris and Josh Fly, played up to their leadership expectations. Both the seniors and underclassmen played very hard during the season and were all leaders in the end.

The team demonstrated solid basketball skills. Their determination and goals made them better throughout the 1999-2000 season. Coach Ed Oxley worked his team hard in practices to learn plays and conditioned them to their true potential. The underclassmen had many key players this year, especially Anthony Fly who will be the big player next year. The Varsity team tried their hardest and no matter what the outcome they played with great sportsmanship.

Senior captain Eric Harris, attempts to throw in the inbound pass. Eric was a strong team player who dominated the boards down low. He led the team in offensive and defensive rebounds.


"It has been fun playing basketball with this group of guys. This is something I will remember for a long time to come." - Eric Harris
Josh Fly shows his offensive skills to the Lincoln team. Fly played better as the season went on with many heart stopping big plays. Josh was the captain this year along with Eric Harris.

Anthony Fly defends his side of the court on Friday night. Anthony was the second leading scorer this season.

Josh Fly and Joel Whelan stretch out before the big game. Joel was a key player, helping out with points and rebounds throughout the season.

Josh Fox shows his ferocious defense to the Lincoln players. Josh was a very skilled defensive player.

To the left: The team huddles together during a time out. This allows the other team to take a breather in the Jungle.
The JV Basketball team presented us with edge of your seat entertainment in the 1999-2000 season. Our team was very strong and demonstrated exceptional skill and talent. At every game you would see the score bouncing back and forth, making each and every second count. With strong offense from Marcus Lyons along with Bobby Valdez, and strong defense from Danny Abbott and Phil Sunderland, the team was unstoppable.

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"Basketball has been a very positive experience for me, and I enjoy the team effort. Coach Mossburg has been a positive and strong advantage to our team."

- Phil Sunderland


Coming in to take Scott Kampmueller’s place is Marcus Lyons. These guys provided a strong offense for our team this past season.

Playing some serious defense is Tony Pieh, Drew Henning, Phil Sunderland, and Forrest Marble. They are all awaiting a turnover to the Indians.
Despite a 5-14 overall record (3-9 in conference play), our freshmen boys basketball team accomplished team goals and found the meaning of teamwork. Under the coaching of Mr. Bullinger, the team improved more and more as the season progressed, utilizing and stressing team concepts. Part of adjusting and playing as a cohesive unit found its way into the team. With the promotion of Bob Valdez to the junior varsity basketball team, the freshmen team learned to adjust and play as a cohesive unit.

In Bob’s absence, other players had to step up and fill the void. Soccer sensation Jason Smith stepped up to make the impact of losing Bob Valdez less visible, carrying the team in scoring and scoring a team high of 18 points in a game. Under the boards were Ethan Gregory and Ryan Mobley, two mainstays in rebounding. Also turning in highlight material was Jeremy Lopez with strong defensive contributions.

Improvement was seen in the scores of the team as the season progressed. Drive and tenacity were seen in the performances of our freshmen basketball team, a trait exemplified by JV coach Jamie Mossburg.
Basketball Cheerleading

Now who is the athlete?!

This past season has been one full of spirit, pride, accomplishment, and especially hard work. The girls and guys put forth an extreme amount of effort in their competition routines, stunts, and sideline spirit. They learned a number of difficult stunts at a camp sponsored by the Universal Cheerleaders Association in December. What they learned they used throughout the season at competitions and games. These athletes have conquered many great feats. The guys added a great advantage to the squad with their strength, voices, and spirit. Thanks guys and girls for all of your hard work this year!

The seniors this season reached higher heights in everything they did. They have Abby Frenzen in an "extension."

Giving us a demonstration of a competition round is Lesley Feight. Lesley was an asset to the team in competition this year!

Ready to do a "pop cradle" is Shae Viers.

Varsity L-R: L. Feight, A. Mathis, H. Baran, J. Majeske
MidRow: H. Crisovan, B. Cetnar, D. Ganzhorn, K. Dunn, A. Frenzen
During a JV game these Varsity cheerleaders are getting ready to go out and make their appearance. They were also preparing for a long weekend of dances, games, and competitions.

Showing her compassion and support for two of the new male members, Mike Crisovan and Mike Grammes, is Emilee Kirby. The guys brought many smiles and advantages to the squad.

"Competitive cheer was a lot of work for us but I think we ended up doing a great job!"
- Melissa Forgacs

This season JV worked hard at the stunts they achieved. Here we see Katie Ingle "flying" a splits mount.

Saying, "Hello," to the jungle, are Amanda Roof, Brandi Hinkley, and Brooke Labadie prepping for a jump.

This girl’s varsity volleyball team was very interesting to watch. The players managed to play hard the whole season, but still ended up with a 6-6 record in the SFC and an overall record of 19-20-7.

Throughout the season all the girls enjoyed every single thing they did, even if it meant being happy when they lost. Practice time may have been tough for them, but at least it paid off in a game. This season was very successful because of all the girls being strong and not giving up.

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As the players of the volleyball team wait for the opposing team to serve, Marianne Husselman stands ready. She loves being part of the action.

The parents and the players wait patiently for their names to be called to go on the floor. They are all really excited and can’t wait.

Excitedly, Junior Danessa Wolfe, serves the ball. Great Job, Danessa!

A defensive specialist positions herself to pass the ball. Monica Stratton loves playing back row.

In her position, Senior Kristi Miller, waits anxiously for the ball. She was a key player for the team.

A team ritual before every game, the starting line up stands in a circle to tell each other, "Good Luck!"

"We started out slow this season, but came out very good in the end. I am glad we went to Regionals."

-Michelle Lake

The team preps up for the game. They are all excited that they might get a chance to score a point.

Blocking is very important in this game. J u n i o r s Michelle Lake and Marissa Pround, love being part of the game.
Our JV Volleyball girls this 2000 season really displayed hard work and determination. The team set goals for themselves attained through out the season as the result of commitment from all team members. They took much pride in playing their best, each and every game. A major contributor was the only freshman on the team, Jessie Williams. She added another dimension to the team. The team’s desire to play well was evident in every game played, observed by those in attendance at the matches. This team defined and displayed all the fine qualities of JHS athletes and teams.

"Playing on the JV team was a great learning experience. We started out rocky but we definitely grew as a team. I look forward to playing next year!" - Jessee Williams

Preparing to receive the ball are Lyndsey Faiman and Rachel Baldwin. These girls showed great defensive capabilities this season.

Discussing their previous match, these girls are all smiles. In the discussion are M. Krueger, K. Bunch, B. Church, and L. Yagelia.

Getting in position are Rachel Baldwin, Lyndsey Faiman, and Becky Church. These girls did an excellent job this season.

Front Row L-R: J. Williams, M. Beil, M. Smith, R. Baldwin
Girl's Freshman Volleyball

"SIDEOUT" to the New Millennium

Getting ready to pass the ball, Shana Stratton, prepares to do a great job for the team.

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The 1999-2000 Girls Freshman Volleyball team started out the season with a losing streak. The second half of the season they won almost all of their games. The team worked hard all season and it really paid off in the end.

Every girl this year enjoyed being part of this team and they really learned more about the game. They all said that Coach Jen Chandler made the season more fun.

Supporting and watching their team, Joshua Binder, Ashley Faiman and Caroline Kosino sit on the bench. They are hoping for a sideout.

Waiting patiently, freshman, Asleigh Olano, gets prepared to have a perfect pass on this serve. She loved being on the court in the action.

Varsity Wrestling
Making Magic on the Mat

The wrestling team had a great year finishing, 22-10. This was the first time in 14 years that Coach Jim Connors had a full line-up, backed by reserve wrestlers who could step up and fill an open spot. The captains, Jon Wines, Deon Tripp, Ryan Bagby, and injured Ed Mathis, really helped keep the team pumped when they got into a bad position. One of the great additions to the team was state qualifier from Ohio, Leith Kelly. He and Robert McNamara traded positions at 171 lbs. and 189 lbs.

The team wrestled in some tough tournaments, including the Addison Invitational, and the Clinton Invite. Tecumseh hosted The Phillip Jaimes Tournament. The tribe placed 1st in this tournament and had many outstanding performances.

The Junior Varsity made many improvements on their wrestling style. Many of the wrestlers had Varsity talent, but couldn’t beat out their teammate for the position. The team came back from the Bedford Invitational with 6 gold medals, 2 silvers, and 1 bronze medal.

Although it looks like this match is controlled by his opponent, senior Jon Wines ended the match on top. Jon improved greatly from his last season.

"It was a great year and the team did really well. I am looking forward to coming back and watching the underclassmen carry on the tradition." Captain Ryan Bagby

State qualifier, Leith Kelly, takes control of his opponent in a championship match. This is Leith’s second year making state.
Wrestling in an important match, senior Deon Tripp, is working to get control of his opponent's hips. Deon wrestled well all year.

Getting backpoints, sophomore Pete Cunningham, works towards getting his opponent's shoulders to touch the mat. Pete wrestled Varsity both last year and this year.

"Our team has taken great strides this year. I am very impressed with how well we did this year and hope Tecumseh Wrestling will get the respect that they deserve in the following years."

- Captain Jon Wines

Making his opponent work harder than he is, senior Ben Chick had one of the best takedowns in the league. Ben wrestled Varsity for 3 out of the 4 years he wrestled.

On top of his opponent, junior Adam Cox, works toward a fall. Adam battled this opponent all through the season.
Tecumseh Debate Team
"MASTER辻DATORS"

Clubs
Student Council
Helping Out in the New Millennium

This year's student council put in many hours of their time and hard work to make our school and community a better place. This year they collected supplies such as markers, colored pencils and other school supplies for younger students in underprivileged schools. They ran a foodbank for Lenawee County, and had a fundraiser for a disease called cystic fibrosis. The members of student council also helped with the activities during homecoming, arranged a faculty breakfast, and organized the senior activities at the end of the year. A big success was the "Adopt a Family" where they adopted four separate families throughout Lenawee County during the holiday project.

"It's been fun being president of student council. I wish the best of luck to them next year, and years to come."
-Rachel Brueckner

Everyone had a great time with homecoming, which was just one of the many activities that student council helped with this year.

The big success of "Adopt a Family" required the members of Student Council to spend bunches of time wrapping the presents for the underprivileged children.

Quiz Bowl
Magical Minds

This year's quiz bowl team had an outstanding year. Each member was very dedicated, and made this year one of the best years in quiz bowl history. Quiz bowl showed their strong dedication by starting in late summer while competing at the Lenawee County Fair, which they won over the rest of the Lenawee County high schools who were also competing.

Quiz bowl was lead by captain Andrew Reinink, who drove his team to an 8-1 record, which lead them to rank first in Lenawee County. Strong senior leadership was brought to the team by Nik Wilson and Eddie Hunt. Also, juniors, Jessica Lewis and Ian Ferow greatly helped the team. With Mrs. Ellis as their advisor, quiz bowl was one of the most successful clubs of the year.

While at a match in the JHS library, the JV quiz bowl team looks on as the questions are asked.

During the competition the senior boys get ready to buzz in with their correct answer. They really know their stuff.

Spanish Club
A Fun Experience for the New Millennium

This year’s Spanish Club members were quite busy with plenty of fun activities to participate in throughout the year. Just some of the many activities of the Spanish Club were going to The International Festival at the Novi Expo Center to experience the different cultures of the world. baked and decorated cookies for Day of the Dead, watched Disney movies in Spanish and also ate Mexican food. Members who were in Spanish III and IV also participated in going to the Sunnyside Cafe and “Botelo’s”, a Spanish store, in Adrian. During the summer, a trip to Mexico is planned for students who would like to experience the culture and language.

The members of Spanish Club all participated in making skeleton cookies for the Spanish holiday, “Day of the Dead”.

The members of Spanish Club enjoyed their trip to Sunnyside Cafe, a Mexican Restaurant, in Adrian.


Looking thrilled to be a part of Spanish Club, Josh Fox takes some time to make a silly face for the yearbook camera.
French Club
A Great Place to be for the New Millennium

This year's French Club had many members and bunches of activities for them all to do. Among the many activities, there was a trip to Ann Arbor to see the Creche exhibit, "Waiting For Godot" in Adrian, and "The Marriage of Figars" in Detroit. They watched French videos, went to a French Restaurant in Toledo called J. W. Wesley's Bistro, and also hosted a dance in January. With all of the activities, members of French Club were quite busy and had tons of fun this year.

Having a great time at J. Wesley's Bistro, a French restaurant. Kate Fetkenhire, Meg Wilson, Glenna Chan, and Ashley Hewlett enjoy their meals with a smile.

This year's French Club took many trips. Here, Jessica Lewis and Jessica Mulendyk show off their smiles as they wait to arrive at the Bistro in Toledo, Ohio.
Art Club

Who Needs a Magic Wand, when Art Club has a Paintbrush!

This year's Art Club was more community minded than ever this school year. They held a blood drive with the Red Cross, participated in helping out for various area businesses, and decorated for the Taste of Jecumseh. Art Club also ran favorite returning activities, such as, face painting at the Apple-Umpkin festival, and selling pop at the Fall Festival. In addition, they sold Jecumseh Indians key chains for the first time ever.

Although they were busy, the Art Club also made time to have fun itself. They held a contest to design the new Art Club tee-shirt, and generally enjoyed themselves in whatever they did. Overall, Art Club had a great and exciting year!

Art club is not all work as Jessie Montie shows that it requires a tiny bit of craziness as well. Jessie just happens to be a little more expressive than others.

Vice President Megan Marshall and Colby Renner pause for a friendly hug in front of the camera. Megan, a junior, has been involved with Art Club since her freshmen year.

Exercising her shirt intently, Carrie Jarros checks to make sure the name on the back is correct.

Harrried artist, Trisha Rawlins, pauses between working for a quick picture.
The Business Professionals of America concluded the 2000 year spectacularly. In the state competition, they were unable to send anyone to Nationals, but turned in a strong effort with 10 people placing. During the Regionals, which everyone was a part of, Tecumseh collected 6 first place events, and sent 21 people to the State competition. To raise money to send them they had an array of fundraisers. They did their annual TV drawing as well as the ever popular Datamatch. All of their fundraisers culminated in the sponsorship of the Tie-Wis dance. To give back to the community, the BPA adopted a family for Christmas and wrote letters to soldiers over seas. They also participated in leaf raking for a handicapped citizen. It was truly a well rounded and successful year for this JHS club.

During the awards presentation, the Tecumseh group got together for a quick shot. Pictured are teammates, Melanie Beil, Erin Spigel, Ryan Spohr, Bob Brunetz, and Melissa Forgaes.


After placing in the regional competition, Bob Brunetz and Joe Fasl, relish in the prize of their hard work. They worked together to build a webpage for BPA.
Equestrian Team
Not Just Horsing Around

Our equestrian team kept up the winning Indian tradition this year. At district, they proved themselves as the champions. At state finals, which were held at the Michigan State Fairgrounds, the team placed twelfth out of eighteen teams from across the state. On top of all their achievements at districts, many of our team members prevailed with All State titles as well. Way to go equestrians!

"Over the season we have become closer and learned to work together as a team. Winning districts was a great pleasure."

-Andrea Dieter

Going out for her last round at districts is Brooke Labadie and her horse, Heaven. This was a great round for the two of them.

Awaiting results of her last round with her horse, Heaven, is Brooke Labadie. Brooke and Heaven were very strong leaders on the equestrian team this year.

The members of the Earth club helped take care of our environment by helping take care of our school’s recycling program. They went around every Wednesday during seminar and collected from the recycling bins. Once in a while they did Riverside clean ups, that took place after school and on the weekends.

Mr. Furstenburg said, “Some of the reasons why they have this program is to make people more aware of the problems that can be fixed.” Mr. Furstenburg commented, “He wants to alert people about Urban sprawl.”

Everybody is excited about making our school and Earth a better place for the new Millennium!
Many people wonder what Ally is, and what requirements it has. You need maturity and a good character. Of course, to help a kid with their work, you need good grades on your own. Ally members meet once a week during one half of their seminar period on Wednesday at Herrick Park School. The organizers of this group are Mr. Banghart, Sue Neilson, Susan Reader and Joanne Eversden. It is run by Charlotte Bremer at Herrick Park, and Joanne Eversden is the communicator between them all. Ally has approximately thirty students who help fifth grade students' with academic skills, developing positive social and personal skills and help them build self esteem. This is definitely something to do for future career plans.
Peer Listening
Here To Dry Our Tears

Peer Listening made great strides this year to improve the lives of students at IHS. After attending a two-day seminar to polish empathy and listening skills, each member successfully passed a test to certify them as qualified student listeners. Monthly in-services and numerous guest speakers informed these, “counselors in training,” about issues that could affect the lives of many students. Each member of the group was responsible for being caring, compassionate and listening without passing judgment. Although they did not always offer specific advice, the Peer Listeners were available to help explain alternatives to daily dilemmas.


After a long day of aiding his peers, Mike Crisoval rests in his favorite chair. The Peer Listeners worked hard this year to create stressfree days for their classmates.

"I do feel really confident that this group could handle any crisis that comes their way... but I hope they will not have to."
- Mrs. Jennifer Koffer
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Millennium Magic

Welcome to the Yearbook addendum 2000. Year of the Dragon. Congratulations everyone! You have completed one more year of your education. Time to move onward and upward. For you seniors it means a drastic move, away from T.H.S. and on to further education or to a job. Underclassmen, you are moving on in T.H.S. to new and unique classes and teachers and for some, to familiar classes and teachers.

This addendum is for all of you; to remember the friends and experiences you shared and to have them in print forever. Your school yearbook will probably be the one piece of memorabilia from high school you will still possess and move with you twenty-five years from now. I encourage you all to put all your own photos, programs, invitations and awards into 3-holed plastic sheets and include these in your yearbook. It was designed to be a memory album as well as a yearbook.

I would especially like to thank Kevin Radant and all the section editors for all their hard work and long hours. The Yearbook staff as a whole this year was more committed and devoted than any I have ever worked with. As always we were still working, still at school, until the end of June. But, the time gets shorter every year.

My sincere complements to all the old and new yearbook staff members, who kept working until the book was finished, even the seniors who had graduated. I will miss those seniors who have moved on and I am looking forward to the new people coming into the class. T.H.S. is growing and so are the numbers of pages that must be written for the book. The new staff has a great deal of work ahead of them.

May the rest of your Year of the Millennium be truly magical!

Susan Marble
Girls Varsity Soccer
Wearing the Orange and Black

A close inspection of the 2000 JHS Varsity Girls soccer team roster, would reveal a variety of athletes assembled on one sports team. Lead by captains Kristi Miller, Marissa Pound, and Heidi Waterkotte, those three athletes alone, reveal how much athletic talent was included on the team. Getting through the season with three wins and fourteen losses, the girls displayed their athletic talent in several close and competitive games.

The 2000 season began with a bright ray of light as the Indians shut out Ensted 14-0 in their home opener. Coming off such a commanding win, the Indians were up to undertaking any team in the district. While this feeling was only short-lived, the entire season seemed to be one of rebuilding and restructuring the team to suit its potential. As the season dwindled down to district play, the team found its back against the wall trying to join all the links together to pull out a district win. Despite bringing up several JV players for district competition, the breath of fresh air they brought with them was not enough as the team battled to a 2-1 loss.

Athletic talent was evident on this year’s Varsity Soccer team. Even though the lady Indians did not have a very glamorous record, they won through good sportsmanship and hard work which was displayed on the playing field throughout the entire season.

_beating her opponent to the ball, Laura Thorsberry rushes to gain possession. Hard work was a key factor in being successful this season._

Hurrying to gain possession, Sara Elliot scrambles away from her opponent. Being her last year on the team, Sara not only contributed her skill to the team, but her leadership to the underclassmen.

Making a superb save, Kim Dalton dives feet first to a rushing Adrian forward. Known for spectacular diving saves, Kim Dalton was a mainstay in the net for the Indians this season.

Looking to gain possession of the ball, Marissa Found tackles hard for the ball against her opponent. Marissa's tenacity on the field was a tremendous benefit for the team.

Dribbling past her opponent, Heidi Waterkotte gets down the field towards the goal. Watching and running along for support is teammate Marissa Found.

Attempting to steal the ball away, Kristin Stanifer strides up next to her contender. As a junior, Kristin was an asset to the team this year.

Kim Dalton steals the ball away from her opponent with vengeance as captain Kristi Miller supports her from behind. Kim was summoned out of her starting goalkeeper position to assist the team outside the goal.
Girls JV Soccer
Future Shining Stars

If this season was any indication of what things are in store for girls soccer at Tecumseh High School, then we can be expecting good things with the talent displayed on this year’s JV soccer team. With only three returning sophomores, the JV team was basically a team comprised of freshmen, making their wins over older Saline, Pinckney, and other experienced teams more impressive.

The team, lead by captains Heather Moore, Marisol Arana, Lydia Hall, and Kendra Durkee, came to play each and every game. Doubling as a goalkeeper, Heather Moore scored her share of goals on offense with assistance from Leigh Rhodabarger and Aimee Ross. Leading the midfield the entire season was captain Lydia Hall. Also stepping in and making the midfield coordinate were Jill Rhodabarger, Mary Stucky, Chelsea Hughes, and Ashleigh Olano. Keeping the defense solid all season were Marisol Arana, Caroline Kosino, and Kelly Snyder.

Being a team consisting mainly of freshmen, their future is looking bright for this up and coming Varsity squad.

With precision, Kelly Snyder picks out her teammates, Kate Fetkenhier and Lydia Hall to throw the ball in to.

As Mary Stucky throws the ball into play, Megan Gibson makes a run to advance play down the field. Meanwhile, Laura Gialanella and Kate Fetkenhier support the ball.

Fighting for possession of the ball, Jill Rhodaberger challenges her opponent. Jill was always dependable for tough challenges and hard work not only on the game field but on the practice field as well.

Awaiting the ball to get back into play are Ashleigh Olano and Mary Stucky. Together, the two of them provided the team with consistent play throughout the entire season.

Quickly getting the ball into play is defender Kelly Snyder. Her strong defensive efforts were well noted by her teammates and the coaching staff.

Dribbling down the field, Aimee Ross looks up to see Kendra Gafner making a supporting run. At the same time, Amy eludes two defenders to get the ball towards her opponent’s goal.

All Photos Courtesy of LoAnn Smith
Girl's Varsity Track

Running Away With the Stars

This season was one full of effort, hard work, and determination. The ladies came out every day with a positive attitude and a winning spirit! They set goals for themselves as a “challenge” but these ladies have given the word challenge a whole new meaning. Every goal was broken and every “challenge” was dominated. The new coach, Scott Banghart, brought new workouts and a new attitude to the girl's track program, which made it the success that it was. Each one of them had to work though the pain of conditioning, at the beginning of the season and then begin on the long hard road to building up their speed for competition. They had strong leadership from Melanie Bunce for the distance girls from Jessica Ferguson for the sprinters and from Cat Thompson on the field events that led us to these personal victories. The whole team set a great example of what hard work and leadership is all about.

Reaching for the finish to defeat her Saline opponent is Laura Harris. Laura put all her effort into everything she did while she was a part of the team.

Giving it all she's got, Angela Hornsby is going for her Saline opponent. Melanie Bunce is close behind, and those girls worked hard all season.

In between races Coach Reau and Cat Thompson assisted the guys team in measuring long jumps. Their contributions made things flow more smoothly through out the whole track season.
After completing her leg of the race the tired Jenny Elliott hands over the race and baton to Jayme Hammond.

Many of the meets were during hot spring weather. Relaxing under the Tecumseh Track tent are Katie Ingle, Chelle Hamilton, and Laura Ferguson.

Assisting each other in the fight to the finish is Angela Hornsby and Anne. Anne was an asset to the track team.

In her last year as a strong link and a leader for the team is Melanie Bunce running her specialty.

Boy's Track
Kick'n up Magic Dust

The Jecumseh Track team once again had an incredible season. With a schedule filled with many challenging meets, Jecumseh took the chance to show off their outstanding talent.

Their first chance to show what the team was made of came at the EMU Invitational, taking the opportunity and running with it. Placing second out of 46 teams, Jecumseh's hard work paid off as they were hardly caught under a fifth place finish. Leading the team with two second place finishes was Mike Grammes. He placed second in the 3200m (10:09) and was then joined by Jack DaSilva, Tyler Brady, Jeff Riggleman to place second in the Distance Medley with a time of (11:22).

With amazing times like these coming from underclassmen, spectators can not wait to see what may happen in years to come.

With his mind cleared and pole in hand, Major concentrates extremely hard as he makes his approach. Once again Major improves from his last jump.


Kevin Radant
As Tyler Brady sprints closer, Bobby Valdez takes off on his run in preparation of the hand-off. They easily went on to win this event.

Jack DaSilva leads the pack on his way to a victory. In the background we see Coach Peterson with his hand on a stop watch.

As the gun sounds, Joel Whelan sprints to the first hurdle. He strides over it with ease and stays in contention for first place.

With his face filled with determination, Tyler Brady has his eye on victory. Tyler prepares to overtake his next opponents.

Chris Weatherwax, Jack DaSilva, Jeff Riggleman, and Mike Grammes represented Tecumseh at the State meet.

Matt Brady spins as he concentrates on the release of the discus. Matt launches another incredible throw.
Indoor Track
Racing to the Finish

This year's indoor track season turned out to be an exciting and fun experience for all of the team members. It was a huge success. This year was the beginning of the girl's indoor track team for Tecumseh. The nine girls who participated had a meet once a month at different universities around the county. Some of the best performances from the many athletes on the guy's indoor track team this season were by Mike Grammes, Jeff Riggleman, Chris Wheatherwax and Jack DaSilva who were state qualifiers for the boys indoor track team. Great job everyone!

After a strong effort at an indoor meet, the girls take some time out to rest. Here are just six of the nine girls who participated in the first season of the girl's indoor track team.

"This was the first year of the girls indoor track team. It was a great experience for all of them."

-Mr. Bangheart

Everyone who participated in the indoor track meets had bunches of fun. After a hard day's work, the girls are anxious to go home and rest!
An Overview of the running season...
Girls Golf
Making Par in the New Millennium

This year's golf team has shown much improvement since the first day of the team's existence. The team started the year with a three-game winning streak. Many of the following matches were decided by only a few strokes. This season they had three returning players from last year, four new freshmen, and a newcomer to our school district. Everyone had so much fun this season, and Coach Pomy was excited to be coaching these awesome girls.

"Mr. Pomy is really cool. He is an awesome coach."
Joshina Binder


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Final Points
Saline | 28pts.
Lincoln | 22pts.
Pinckney | 18pts.
Chelsea | 12pts.
Tecumseh | 6pts.
Dexter | 4pts.

Kaitlin Williams
Warming up before practice, these lady golfers take a quick time out for the camera. Their hard work this season reflected in the team's low scores.

Jeea Luke has proven to be an asset to JHS's golf team. Jeea's low scores and good sportsmanship make her the envy of competing golf teams.

Freshman, Joshua Binder, cannot believe she made her shot that close to the hole. Way to go Joshua!

A couple of freshman demonstrate how much they love to be on the golf team. They are the future of Jecumseh's golf team.

Rachel Baldwin gets ready to go to the next tee in order to improve her team's score.

A talented golfer illustrates to everyone the right way to putt. Nice job Jenny.

It is an incredible feeling when you get your ball into the hole. You can see why Abbie Hinks is so excited.
Varsity Baseball

Dust on the Diamond

The varsity baseball team had a winning record. They played hard all year long during practice and in games. The teams they played were strong competitors in the EFL each and every team had to play Tecumseh, thinking that they were going to lose. Captains Robby Torres, Josh Fly, and Joel Church provided experience and leadership for the team during the season. They helped each other out as well as kept the team together through the hard times on the diamond. The team was all around a great team whether it was a senior, junior, or sophomore. Second year varsity, sophomore Kyle Folgman played his second year on varsity, and did very well considering he is an underclassman. Practice made perfect in the case of JHS and they deserve the victories. Keep up the good work Indians!

"Our team is a lot better than our record shows. We lost a lot of close games that could've gone either way."
- Senior Jordan Haines

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Looking at the distance of his hit, Dan Baker gets ready to run the distance to the base.

Showing the meaning of teamwork. Josh Fly and Matt Randall back each other up as a ball is hit to the outfield.
The team gathers together to figure out what to do to win the game for IHE.

Pitcher, Kyle Fogleman, charges the ball at the opposing team. As a Sophomore, Kyle gave the team the experience they needed.

Catcher, Dan Baker, shows the crowd and his team just how you are supposed to strike out the opponent.

JV Baseball
Making a Little Magic

This year's JV team was a combination of Freshmen and Sophomores. Although experience was limited, the team pulled together to have a 500 season. This year gave the Freshmen great experience to be ready to play JV next year. The two coaches took the team and made them one great baseball team. With long and very intense practices, this team learned the basics very fast and were able to move into more advanced ball playing. The young team knew they were going to have to work twice as hard if they were going to be a competitive team. Both Coach Jerryberry and Coach Bullinger were impressed with the team's enthusiasm and willingness to work hard.


Reaching back to throw a curve ball is pitcher Toby Harper. Toby had a great freshman year of pitching.
Yet another strike! This hit and run didn’t work as catcher, Justin Weirich, jumps to his feet to throw out the stealing base runner.

Getting yet another batter out at first base is Eric Dickerson and Toby Harper. This was a common sight throughout the year.

And it’s off! Jason Skeels lines the ball back through the first and second baseman. They never had a chance!

While leading off first base, Nate Weirich, keeps a close eye on the first baseman who is moving in behind him to try to pick him off.

Before their turn up to bat, the team gets a few encouraging words from their coach. This keeps the team’s spirit up for the whole game.
Girl's Varsity Softball
Scoring Big in the New Millenium

This year's team was outstanding. Everyone on the team worked hard and had fun. "I believe that this is one of the finest collection of Softball players that Tecumseh has ever put on one team", says Coach Mobley.

With the three new freshman, Diana Lewis, Alli Campbell, and Stacy Frick, five sophomores, five juniors, and one senior, the team could not do wrong. Jessica Lewis was back again as one of Tecumseh's awesome pitchers. The team had the support of their school; this is why they did extremely well this year. With this year's freshmen, the team included more talented girls who created an even stronger team.

"It has been a great experience and I loved being on the team."

Alli Campbell


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The team catcher, Megan Smith takes a break while her team is up to bat. Sometimes it's good to just take a break.

A newcomer to our school, Stacey Frick, runs for first base. Nice hit Stacy. A couple of freshmen take a minute to watch the game. Ali and Diana were excited about being on the Varsity team.

The team's pitcher, Jessica Lewis, pitches a ball. Hope it was a strike.

Waiting patiently for the next batter, Leah Ondrovich gets ready. As a senior, her leadership was important this year.

After an inning Coach Lewis takes time to talk to his girls. He was very proud of his team this year.
JV Softball

Sparks at the plate

The combining of teams has helped both the freshman and the sophomores learn how to work together and get along with each other. Though the freshman play their own games, it gives them the experience and training they need to help the sophomores win the tough ones. They are great assets to Tecumseh and we are proud to have them on our side. They had great coaching by Coach Alicia Mobley and Coach Kathy Steuwe. These girls worked very hard and did a great job.

"This year we all worked real hard and I think our record showed it. I am very proud to be part of this team!"

Jamie Lloyd

What a pitch! Lisa Anderson pitched a great season, and saw the JV team to the end.

It's a good thing we teach patience at our school. Laura McDonald stands at the plate patiently waiting for the right pitch to come along.

Pitching a great season, Diana Lewis helps us have a win and keep the team together.

JV Softball

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R.B.9. Tracy D'Amico gets it in and makes one of the many runs we had at this game.

Swing batter! Nicole Tucker, swings at a good ball, but unfortunately it was not her pitch. That's OK Nicole, you'll get them next time.

1,2,3, Tecumseh! As our team huddles their coach gives them a pep talk and they all yell their famous cheer. Can you guess what it is?

You're up! You're up! The JV took signs to the extreme and stole most of their runs. That's what I call magic.

As displayed here, the JV Softball team warms up before an important game. Their playing showed that the warming up paid off with an excellent performance all season.
Boy's Swimming and Diving
Victors of the High Tide

The boy's swimming and diving team had an extraordinary 1999-2000 season, finishing with an over-all 8 to 4 dual meet record. Under the close supervision of Coach Mammal, these men of the raging waters placed 6th in the SFC, 2nd in SM&L finals, and captured a 10th place State victory. The strength of the team greatly improved since last season, and will continue to carry the boys to richly deserved victories.

Unfortunately, the team will be losing several influential senior swimmers and their coach before the next season begins. However, the sophomore and junior members of the team show strong potential to surpass the records set by the departing seniors.

"The team came together when we really needed it!"
Ricardo Valdez


Boys Swimming and Diving

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Brighton Quad: 4 wins 0 losses
SM&L Relays: Won
SM&L Finals: 2nd Place
State Meet: 10th Place
SFC: 6th Place

Total Score of Dual Meets:
JHS 8 OPP 4
After surfacing for a quick breath, Jared Tuberville dives again. This race was only one of Tuberville's many impressive performances.

Divers Hewlett and Joslin pose for their fans. And who says men in Speedo's can't strut?!

In the final leg of the freestyle relay, swimmer Chris Wanke pushes for the finish line. Each powerful stroke brings the team closer to victory.

In his final year, Senior Matt Brady held an impressive swimming record, including the breaststroke. Matt worked hard to not only improve his style, but the team's style as a whole.

With a sudden burst of energy, Chris Wanke sails past the 69th meter. Chris and his fellow team members worked very hard this year to improve their swimming style.
Girl's Lacrosse
"Chicks with Sticks!"

It started as an Indian game hundreds of years ago. Then, during the 1999-2000 school year, it became an 'Indian' game all over again. Only this time around, its premiere year was to be played both in the school and the surrounding areas. However, the girl's lacrosse team was not adopted as a school sport; it began as a "club" sport. Lacrosse began a revolution in sports around the school and the surrounding area, attracting large crowds who were full of excitement and interest in a game they had never, or rarely, seen. In the course of the much-too-short season, which began after the official lacrosse season usually begins, the members of the first-ever team showed complete dedication and love for the sport. The team consisted of girls from each grade level, and from many types of backgrounds. Through the differences, however, there was a similarity in the team: give the crowds, the school, your teammates and yourself everything you've got. After all, the team was the only "chicks with sticks" in the school, and to get the respect that you deserve, you have to be proud of what you do.

During an away game, Tecumseh offense scores a goal. Taking part in the celebration are J. Hallory and H. Webb.

An exchange student from England, C. Gurney proved to have natural talent at the new and exciting sport. An apt player in any field position, Gurney played an important role in the team's successful season.

Always the team player, K. Thoennes rushes down the field to help her team. Though new to the sport, her offensive skills prevailed.

As she momentarily comes off the field, J. Ahlers listens to some coaching from both coaches. After the short discussion, Ahlers returned to the field to finish a play.

Racing down the field, J. Moore cradles to keep track of the ball and the opponent. Though difficult to do, she mastered both skills and helped to fend off the ominous, older teams.

"The best part of the season was the excitement and enthusiasm of the girls..." 
Coach Marble

Core but not surprised, K. Ahlers tended to a bloody nose after getting hit in the face. This was not the first, nor the last, battle wound that Ahlers acquired during the season.

Team spirit ran high both before and after each game. In recognition of each other and the opposing team, the ladies raised their sticks and chanted their cheer loudly and gleefully.
Boy's Lacrosse
Exceeding Expectations

Finishing 21st in the state, the boy's lacrosse team exceeded all expectations. What was supposed to be an all-out defensive effort turned into an offensive barrage with three players putting up all-state numbers. Losing only three seniors, the team, which was comprised mostly of sophomores, looks to make a go at the Class C state championship next year. It took an immense amount of hard work and dedication for the team to get to the point that it did, and they have not even begun to show their full potential.

The game often gets tough, as Forrest Marble demonstrates here. Marble has been playing lacrosse for several years, and greatly influenced the team.

It is not always easy to be depended on during a game, but Josh Barnett always pulled through. He became an important part of the team, with skills that seemed totally natural in a brand-new game.

With a close-knit team, Tecumseh was able to both learn and play together. Here, a group of players gather to show the team their support.

Before heading down the field, Derek Schutzler scoops up a ground ball. While the ball is usually thrown through the air, some manage to reach the ground before the player.

Before the start of the first game, the guys huddled together to prep for what was to come. Even without jerseys or numbers they expressed unsurpassed team effort to pull off a win.

First-game jitters did not cause much of a problem for Tecumseh. The excitement of this historic event only caused the energy levels of the players to rise.

In anticipation, Chris Mohr watches over the team and the field. As the team competed further down the field, Mohr protected his own territory.

Two of our defensive players throughout the year were Brandon Holcomb, goalie-in-the-making, at left, and also helping to defend Tecumseh's goal is Kenny Green.
Grim Reaper Day

The Wand of Death

It's become a tradition at JHS; one day a year, death walks the hallowed halls of Tecumseh High School and takes the life of a friend every 22-min. This past year the day took place on March 30th, right before spring break, to remind everyone of the dangers of drinking and driving. Everything took a turn for the worse once the first bell rang. The announcements came on but after they were over a name of a student was called. At that point everyone knew a life of a teenager had been taken by an alcohol related accident and that they were just a memory now. By the end of the school day a total of 20 lives had been taken.

Death finally caught up with Mr. Mossburg. The Grim Reaper, Matt Brady, couldn't wait to get him.

"It was a lot of fun scaring the eighth-graders."

Matt Brady


The Freshmen with Death.

Melanie Sinden
This past year SADD had a great year with high turnouts at all the meetings. "SADD has really taught a great deal about life and how risky it is to drink and drive, and how easy it is to be a victim of such a crime."

This year they sponsored a dance and distributed red ribbons on the student cars in the parking lots at JHS and the staff cars at the middle school. The annual Grim Reaper day took place on March 30th, a week before spring break. SADD ordered new great looking T-shirts to show their support and got membership cards printed up for all the SADD members. They are proud to say it was a very successful year.


Death became them on Grim Reaper Day. Kelly Flanders and Melanie Bunce.

Are you ready to die? Jon Tobar paints "Twinkie" to look like a dead man.

"Being an officer of SADD was a good experience. I feel that we as an organization achieved our goal... Of making the students more aware of the dangers of drinking alcohol and taking drugs while driving."

Kristin Bunch

The NEW JHS SADD T-Shirt. Designed by the officers of SADD.

Melanie Sinden
Foreign Exchange

Enchantment From Another Land!

Bringing their own culture and customs, several foreign students converged on Tecumseh for a one year study in America. Besides seeing America through unique eyes, they also brought the excitement and allure of their land. From Argentina to Germany, they integrated into the cultural mecca of America, learning, teaching, and creating a lasting impression on all who knew them.

The students joined several teams throughout the year, including swimming, varsity basketball, and the newly formed lacrosse team. They proved to be some of the best players at Tecumseh. In addition, they also participated in many activities after school such as debate, and TYT plays. Overall, they were well liked and will be missed when they return home in July.

English exchange student, Corine Gurney, played both varsity basketball and lacrosse for Tecumseh. She also taught her American friends various English words like "bonnet".

This is a senior locker. Corine Gurney shows her cross age kids around the high school, and they made a stop at her locker. Are you allowed to put stuff in your locker back in England Corine?

One of our more vibrant students, Danae, participated in more than her share of activities. Danae hails from Greece.

Coming from the other side of the equator, Brazilian student, Renada, marches excitedly in the Homecoming Parade.
Cross-Age Exchange Day
A Brand New Experience

Cross-Age Exchange Day was held on April 24, 2000. All of the excitement started at 9:45 as the buses pulled up. Each of the Cross-Age tutors rushed to the buses to pick up the two kids whom they had chosen to attend High School for a day. The amazement on their faces as they took a look at the school was worth a million dollars. Even though the tutors and their kids were allowed to leave class 5 minutes early they were still faced with the madness of the crowded hallways. The kids seemed to disappear in the mass of “The Big Kids” as they made their way to their next class. The thing they all seemed to enjoy the most was lunch. They were overwhelmed with tons of choices of food to pick from. Since it was their day, they were allowed to eat in the food court outside surrounded by other kids from other elementary schools. Unfortunately, the fun eventually had to come to an end as the kids piled back on to the buses at 1:45. They were bid farewell as they waved good-bye ecstatically to their tutors. Another year, another experience!

A big kid himself, Chris McCormley, tries to show his cross-age kid what he really does in High School.

“I really enjoyed my day with the kids.” - Sara Elliott

Sisters Rachel and Ronda Brueckner take a minute out of their busy day to show their bright smiles.

Reading a play dramatically in his English class, Nate Emerson shows a cross-age kid the real way to read drama. The look on her face is priceless.
**Art Show**

**Art for the Masses**

As always, the Tecumseh High School Art Show exhibited an outstanding collection of intriguing art pieces. It demonstrated the current talent found at Tecumseh High School. This year the art show, in collaboration with the Celebration of Writing, was held in the Gym May 18-20. Included in the gym were projects and other structures from the Drafting and Industrial technology classes. The Drafting 1 class displayed their house blue prints along with their scale models. Metal Fabrication class displayed their work such as toolboxes and welded metal pieces. The art show received pleasing reviews from Tecumseh community members.

Many different genres of art were shown this year at the art show. The many forms of art demonstrated the great quantities of time spent on each individual piece.

The future contractors of Tecumseh displayed their house models and blue print designs from Mr. Reeds' Drafting classes. The houses provided the art show with just as much entertainment as the art work made by Tecumseh High School's art students.

The 2000 Art Show had exceptional pieces. This telephone covered with fragments of mirror was one such example.

Looking at many boxes with the six elements of art, you notice the different ideas people had for each one. Every student in Art & Design was required to produce one such box.

This year's art show had art that provided inspiration for aspiring artists. The gym was packed with quality pieces of art.
The members of National Honor Society set a positive example for everyone in our community throughout the year. N.H.S. members participated in many community service activities.

Members participated in the "Meals on Wheels" program that delivers meals to the elderly in the county. They also helped with several senior citizen lunches and with the Special Olympics. N.H.S. members helped kids through tutoring and the Secret Santa program.

These students were not only excellent role models to their fellow classmates, but they also touched the lives of the community.

Officers for the new Millenium of National Honor Society, Rachel Glidden, Tommy Cunningham, Rachel Novak and Lesley Feight, stand with their candles lit representing the principles of N.H.S.

Proudly showing off their cords are seniors, Nancy Laton and Trisha Rawlins.

Passing on the flame. Ianiv Lisenscher passes his flame to his successor Tommy Cunningham.

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Matt Sisty: Freshman Football 9, JV Football 10, Varsity Football 11-12, Track 12, Vo-Tech 11-12.

Rebecca Ann Taylor: Vo-Tech 11-12, FFA-Greenhand Degree, Chapter Degree, Broiler poultry contest-gold, Poultry contest-silver.

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"...I am so sorry that you have been taken away from us, but I know that you are being taken care of wherever you are. You have so many friends that love you and I know you have that same love for each and every one of them. You have always been there for me and you will continue to do so. I will never let you go..."

- Jason Austgen

"Whether she gave us friendly smiles while passing through the hall or came over just to hang out, Sandy touched all of us in some way, and because of her we have grown to be better people."

- Nancy R. Eaton

We Will Always Think of You
By: Kendra Leigh Randolph

When times get tough and life gets rough, we will always think of you. During summer, winter, fall, or when we’re old and need to crawl, know we’ll always think of you. When we’re driving down the street and new faces are waiting for us to meet, know we’ll always think of you.

When days pass and are gone, in this chess game called life we’re the pawn, know we’ll always think of you. When we’ve cried so many tears and our eyes are dried for many years, know we’ll always think of you.

When we find new love and remember our lost ones, know we’ll always think of you. When we remember the friendships that we found and the times in school that we clowned, know we’ll always think of you. When we every once in awhile think of Brandy, you’ll be remembered too, Sandy, know we’ll always think of you.

When things get too hard and we feel all torn apart, know we’ll always think of you. So no matter what we do, think or say, know we’ll always be okay. So wherever you are, we hope you can hear us when we say, “Remember, Sandy, we will always love and think of you.”

Friends of Sandy
Prom

Starlit Enchantment

The 1999-2000 Juniors and Seniors waited three to four long years for a night they would never forget. The Prom was held at the Morris H. Lawrence building at Washtenaw Community College in Ypsilanti on the evening of May 6th, 2000. Hor d’oeuvres were served early and pictures were taken before dinner. The main course was a great buffet, followed by an excellent chocolate mousse or cheesecake. Afterward the DJ kicked it up a notch and the dancing began. Friends and familiar tunes filled the dance floor and encircled the newly crowned king and queen, Brad Buswell and Crystal Paiva. The highlight of this magical evening was when students and faculty gathered together in a tearful rendition of “Graduation Day.”

Everyone at the Prom had an enjoyable time talking and dancing with friends.

A man’s gotta do what a man’s gotta do! Steve Kampmuller never misses a shot or a chance to properly accessorize!

Do you think they’re ever going to play our song?

"The Love Shack is a little ol’ place where we can get together!"

Four men gather around the tail end of the hors d’oeuvres table. Those tasty munchies didn’t last long!

If I smile, will you feed me? Jeff and Carrie eagerly wait for dinner to be served.
"Graduation Day"

Vitamin C

So we talked all night about the rest of our lives.
Where we're gonna be when we're 25.
Keep thinking times will never change.
Keep on thinking things will always be the same.
But when we leave this year we won't be coming back.
No more hanging out, cause we're on a different track.
And if you got something that you need to say;
You better say it right now 'cause you don't have another day.
'Cause we're moving on and we can't slow down.
These memories are playing like a film without sound.
I keep thinking of that night in June
I didn't know much of love then, I came too soon.
And there was me and you and when we got real blue
We stayed at home talking on the telephone.
We'd get so excited and we'd get so scared.
Laughing at ourselves thinking life would be an ear.
And this is how it feels...
As we go on, we remember
All the times we had together.
And as our lives change
Come whatever, - We will still be friends forever.
So if we get the big jobs and we make the big money
When we look back at now will our jokes still be funny?
Will we still remember everything we learned in school
Still be trying to break every single rule?
Will Heather find a job that won't interfere with her tan?
I keep - keep thinking that it's not goodbye
Keep on thinking it's our time to fly
And this is how it feels...
As we go on, we remember
All the times we had together.
And as our lives change
Come whatever, - We will still be friends forever.
Will we think about tomorrow like we think about now?
Can we survive it out there
Can we make somehow?
I guess I thought that this would never end
And suddenly it's like we're women and men.
Will the past be a shadow that will follow us around?
Will these memories fade when I leave this town?
Keep on thinking it's our time to fly
As we go on, we remember
All the times we had together.
And as our lives change
Come whatever, - We will still be friends forever.
AFTER PROM
An Island Adventure

This year JHS was transformed to an adventure island. The theme was Gilligans Island. Because of this, the cafeteria, halls and gym were filled with exotic, island decorations.

Blackjack and other games were set up to gamble chips and earn a few extra tickets. The "Tiki Theater" was also set up in the cafeteria. This stage was host to limbo and hula-hoop contests. Karaoke was also right next to the stage.

The gym was also an exciting place with "Sumo wrestling". This was the opportunity for people to have a little fun and feel what it's like to be a sumo wrestler.

The after prom this year was a sure hit! With all the prizes, food, games and people, it's one to remember forever.

"Girls Just Wanna Have Fun", was a great addition to this years After Prom. A group of senior girls sing their hearts out, karaoke style!

Michelle Fasternack is the "Sumo" champion after knocking down her opponent. Sumo wrestling was a huge "hit", especially for those who lost.


From king and queen Brad Buswell and Crystal Paiva with aid from Steve Kampmuller get dealt their hand of cards, each one doing their best to reach twenty-one.
As the wheel spins everyone hopes for their number to come up. This wheel spinning game was not only very popular, but a great way to win or lose some extra chips.

Karaoke singers attracted a huge crowd. The after prom goers watch in amazement as JHS students sing their hearts out.

One up one down that’s the game, Blackjack. The chaperones acted as great dealers and helped allow the students to turn their few chips into bags full.

How low can he go? Nate Emerson puts himself to the limit as he attempts to “Limbo”. Limbo was only one of the fun events that happened on the Tiki Theater Stage.

What to do next? Ben DeJonghe and Jill LaRocque decide what activity they should participate in next.
Graduation

What a perfect day! Graduation Day for the Class of 2000 was a beautiful day for seniors, teachers and parents to commemorate and celebrate the completion of the seniors’ high school years. The speeches were thought provoking, both commemorating the years of school and encouraging all for the years ahead. Emotions ran high with tears of joy for the successfully graduated seniors.

**Congratulations Class of 2000!**

The serious, the attentive and the excited. Everyone seemed to have mixed feelings about graduation.

Mr. Roberts leads his newly graduated class back to the gym. He gives a sigh of relief in knowing he has helped another class through high school.

Looking for their parents in the crowd, these guys can not believe how many people have come to support them.

As the band closes out the ceremony, the class of 2000’s hats fall at their feet.
The end of the ceremony is the beginning of the rest of their life.

Jon Jobar and Rachel Brueckner are all smiles as they wait for the ceremony to begin.

Joel Whelan walks across the gym floor for the last time as he goes to join his class already lining up.

Hats fly through the air as they are introduced to everyone as the graduated class of 2000.

Finally finding his hat, Steve Kampmueller tries to get it back on his head just perfectly.

It's time to move on. See you at Homecoming 2000!
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