The iGeneration

Baby Boomers, Generation X The "Me" Generation.

Since the turn of the millennium, people have speculated what this generation’s mark would become. They waited anxiously to see what this new onslaught of kids would make of the decade, but when attempting to name the generation as it grew older, it seemed that the world was stuck.

But with the technological advancements made in a few short years and the transitions they’ve caused in today’s society - new ways of communication, the Internet, and industrial improvements - I think, as a member of it, that it’s safe to call this generation the “iGeneration.”

The past eighteen years have been filled with their fair share of good times and bad, but no matter the circumstances, this generation has found a way to remain true to the values we’ve always held that make us who we are while embracing the new ways of life we have faced. We are not afraid of anything that may come our way. We identify ourselves with the talents and skills we have, making us a generation of individuals, thus identifying us the “iGeneration.”

As such, we individuals have much to offer the world, and it’s up to all of us to find our rightful place in society, to make our marks wherever we may go. By standing true and strong to ourselves, perhaps we can preserve what we have come to represent - individualism and originality.

To the iGeneration: We have so much to live for. It’s time we start doing it, our way.

Let’s make the world a better place, and in return, allow the world to make us better.

~Brentney (“Bee”) M. Wilson, Class of 2010

"This above all: to thine own self be true,
And it must follow, as the Night the Day,
Thou canst not be false to any man."

-William Shakespeare’s Hamlet, Act I, scene iii
2009-10 ACADEMIC AWARDS


Business: Thomas Buck, Paul Burns, Chelsie Gray, Parker Hardy, Jacob Kelley, Ashton Lacelle, Karlie Ledergerber, Collin Lesko, Anthony Lesko, Kelsey Monahan, Matthew O'Leary, Chelsea Preston, Sara Savoia, Chelsea Shartle, Mattison Wright


French: Jacob Britt, Adrianna Downs, Sarah Goss, Christine Goss, Chelsie Gray, Jennifer Hamilton, Krystal Henry, Emily Keffer, Anthony Lesko, Alexi Schnur

AP French: Diana Brown, Jessica Frick


Library: Peyton Farinha, Curtis Holtzbauer, Megan Vredeveeld

Life Skills: Caleb Armstrong, Stephen Bilotta, Adrianna Downs, Katelyn Dykas, Erin Garner, Catherine Kaliszuk, Nicholas Nowak, Brianne Nowak-Scott, Rachel Waite, Kierston Wilson


Physical Education: Spencer Adams, Arielle Augenaugh, Zachary Brancheau, Jacob Britt, Nathaniel Brown, Gavin Burstall, Korin Burstall, Taylor Burich, Paige Cadmus, Nicholas Coffin, Thomas Coleman, Kyle Connors, Bradley Derby, Eric Eldred, Joshua Giovanni, James Hite, Emily Kennedy, Kristen Kenyon, Courtney LaVoy, Karlie Ledergerber, Anthony Lesko, Nicholas Merrell, Samuel Million, Devan Morgan, Jared Powell, Andrew Rebottaro, Sage Rebottaro, Joshua Short, Rebecca Tritt, Kyle Urech, Allison Watson, Daniel West

Science: William Anklin, Caleb Armstrong, Arielle Augenaugh, Nicole Bieszk-Greene, Jacob Britt, Tyler Bryan, Thomas Buck, Courtney Burcht, Cristina Cote, Rachel Dick, Haleigh Edgar, Haleigh Edgar, Eric Eldred, Miles Grandstaff, Chelsie Gray, Jasmine Grove, Abigail Hanson, Steven Harrison, Cole Havelka, Krystal Henry, Allison Keffer, Jacob Kelley, Emily Kennedy, Dylan Kirn, Nathan Kossey, Ashton Lacelle, Alison Lara ,Courtney LaVoy, Anthony Lesko, Anne Mammel, Kylie Marceau, Merissa McClure, Brent Mostowy, Isabele Nogueira, Brianne Nowak-Scott, Stephanie Oldeed, Matthew O’Leary, Nicole Palm, Nicole Palm, Katrina Pisarski, Cari Rankin, Bridget Rathsock, Alissa Reeder, Kyia Salts, Alexi Schnur, Shelby Shaffer, Chelsea Shartle, Christian Shelby, Olivia Smith, Jessica Stotler, Sarah Tritt, Ashley Wagatha, Travis Wagner, Anna Wendt, Daniel West, Samuel Wilson


Spanish: Arielle Augenaugh, Abigail Hanson, Nathan Kossey, Nicholas Merrell, Devan Morgan, Katrina Pisarski, Jared Powell, Krysten Schultz, Raquel Valdez, Anna Wendt
Ms. Dailey
Mrs. Fensenda
Mrs. Iszies

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Mrs. Foret
Mrs. Gale

Ms. Greene
Mrs. Groos
Mrs. Haines

Mrs. Handy
Mrs. Hanna-Weisz
Mrs. Horsch
Mrs. Milioni
Ms. Miller
Mrs. Monahan

Mrs. Moore
Ms. Massis
Mr. Maslurk

Mrs. Musselman
Ms. Niles
Mrs. Novak

Mrs. O'Leary
Ms. Ondrovich
Mrs. Poage
Linda Herman

Mrs. Herman taught for 39 years, 20 at Tecumseh. Her favorite class was whatever she was teaching at that moment. Her favorite school holiday was Christmas break. She advised Student Council several times throughout her career, and her favorite Spirit Week day was College/University Day. Mrs. Herman minored in Vocal/Choral Music and was inspired by her grandma who taught in a one-room schoolhouse.

Janice Wilson

Madame Wilson taught for 36 years, with 35 at Tecumseh. Mrs. Wilson’s favorite school holiday was Homecoming. With a major in French and a minor in English, she enjoyed all of her French classes, but the strangest was Creative Writing. She advised Club Français (French Club), la Société Honoraire de Français (French Honor Society), and was a Class advisor.

Myrna Williams

Mrs. Williams worked in schools for 27 years, 16 as a counselor at Tecumseh. She also loved the Christmas break each year. English 9, Business Communications, and Business Writing were her favorite classes to teach, but she also enjoyed advising the Class of 2009, Key Club, and National Honor Society. The strangest class Mrs. Williams ever taught was substituting for a Band Director for a day.

Debra Talcott

Mrs. Talcott taught adults for 3 years and 28 years for young people. She said she has mellowed through the years as a teacher and loved the Christmas holiday break. Her favorite class was English 9 Honors——they participate in discussions! She coached track as well as cheer leading and advised the junior class.

Gone...
Robert Ondrovick

Mr. Ondrovick taught for 38 1/2 years, all at Tecumseh, and Advanced Woodworking and I.Q.P. were his favorite classes. In addition to teaching and advising the Pep Club, he coached varsity football, JV & varsity baseball, and middle school football. He enjoyed the winter holiday for the students' involvement in community projects like Toys for Tots.

Steve Pike

We could tell you, but then we would have to kill you. Nothing personal.

TOP SECRET

Raymond Schmidt

Mr. Schmidt worked at schools for 38 years. In addition to advising the Class of '79, he coached football and middle school wrestling. His favorite class was 8th grade Woodshop, and he used to teach Electronics. He, too, softened through the years, and summer was Mr. Schmidt's favorite holiday.

Ronald Frenzen

Mr. Frenzen taught for 40 years, 35 at Tecumseh High School. His favorite classes were Ceramics and Sculpture, and his least favorite was Yearbook. He advised the Art Club and National Art Honor Society and coached high school and middle school wrestling and freshman baseball. His favorite school holiday was Homecoming.

but not forgotten
WE WELCOME OUR EXCHANGE

GERMANY

BELGIUM

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FRANCE

BRAZIL

VICTOR
Exchange Students
SEPTEMBER
Rachel Bartolo
Ashley Kemerer
Kayla Amstutz
Chelsea Shartle
Felicia Armstrong
Brent Mostowy
Chelsea Shartle
Alden Eubanks
Diana Brown
Bridget Rathsack
Shannon Peake
Zachery Bock
Travis Wagner
Matt Scheffler
Emily McCormley
Colby Bankston
Josh Johnson
Heather Major
Courtney LaVoy
Justin Monahan
Arielle Aughenbaugh
Sarah Tritt

OCTOBER
Gretchen Seidel
Kaitlyn Wilford
Kaitlyn Randolph
Jacob Kelly
Jacob Britt
Travis Wagner
Emily Keffer
Jacob Kelly
Katrina Pisarski
Devan Morgan
Shelby Shaffer
Cody Handy
Josh Matute
Anna Wendt
EmilyMcCormley
Colby Bankston
Rebecca Nowak
Andrew Rebottaro
Courtney LaVoy
Justin Monahan
Arielle Aughenbaugh
Sarah Tritt

NOVEMBER
Chelsea Caterina
Lora Kasik
Karlie Ledergerber
Kaitlyn Van De Car
Allyse Wuebben
Jared Kimmott
Kaitlyn Kinsey
Andrew Nowak
Cristina Cote
Rachel Waite
Kaitlyn Kinsey
Brent Mostowy
Joe Lopez
Hailey Mull

DECEMBER
Diana Brown
Marina Landry
Sara Savola
Nathan Kossey
Marina Landry
Jean-Cyril DeBock
Evan Fanslau
Chelsea Lama
Kylie Marceau
Nate Haeussler
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Abigail Hanson
Mariah Perkins
Zach Branscheau
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Vocal Music

Concert Women

Company

STATE QUALIFIERS!

Festival Singers
Director Scot Hanna-Weik

Freshman Women

Festival Chorale

Associates

SING

"CARROTS DON'T DANCE, NEITHER DO WE"
Symphonic Band

Over 100 students from all bands combined as one unit and took three exceptional pieces to Festival in March. They received a Division 1 rating, playing "Hosts of Freedom," "Hebrides Suites," and "The Lord of the Rings." The band continued their success at the MSBOA State Festival where they received a Division 2 rating. Next year promises to be just as successful as the band will once again split into two groups.
Concert Orchestra

The orchestra made up of 60 freshmen and sophomores was combined as well. Their hard work paid off with a Division 2 rating at the MSBOA District Festival. The orchestra performed at many community functions throughout the year, including events at the Tecumseh Center for the Arts and a Halloween Costume Concert with orchestra members of other grades.

Marching Band

The Shooting Stars performed a John Williams-themed show featuring the music from Jurassic Park, Indiana Jones, Harry Potter, and Hook. At the conclusion of marching season, the band performed their full show in the gym in the dark, decked out in glow sticks. They look forward to performing next year in (hopefully) new uniforms with more participants.
Clubs &
Organizations
Books Read
Darkly Dreaming Dexter
Inkheart
Jesus Land A Memoir
The Time Traveler's Wife
Trigger
Red Dragon
Looking for Alaska
The Hunger Games

http://thebookclub.wordpress.com/

ACT Up!
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Matt Nagelwaldi 11
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Mitchell Ringer 11
Celeste Rissard 11 (Not Pictured)
Dominique Stella 11
Carlynn Trumbino 11
Ashley Wheeler 11
Loren Hayes 12
Ben Wilson 12

Top Row: Ashley Mark, Mr. Arnold (Advisor), Amelia Balinsk
Bottom Row: Krystal Henry, Kaitlyn Holmes, Stephanie Hall
Not Pictured: Jasmine Gruber, Marissa Landry, Kaitlyn VanDeCar, Maygan Vredenfild, Ethan Click
"Business Professionals of America is a stepping stone to tomorrow's business leaders."

- Anne Peake, Chapter Advisor

STATE QUALIFIERS:
Kayla Amstutz
Colby Bankston
Zack Bock
Justin Coffin
Josie Crittenden
Allie Davitt
Rachel Dick
Ann Dunn
Melissa Felkey
Erin Hanner
Steven Harrison
Bailey Harvey
Courtney Hong
Jacob Kelley
Jacob Kreger
Joe Lopez
Leon Miller
Kyle Peake
Chelsea Preston
Ben Robertson
Sara Savoia
Chelsea Shartle
Dan Ziegler
We do not inherit the Earth from our ancestors, we borrow it from our children. ~Indian Proverb
Student Council

Key Club


Left to Right from the Top: Murielle Rine, Nate Haeussler, Christina Cote, Zach Bock, Andrea Olano, Colton Moore, Sarah Neill, Chelsea Gray, Elizabeth Swindell, Sarah Harrison, Brianne Nowak-Scott, Ali Wice, Allie Davitt, Joseph Lopez, Shelby Shaffer, Leon Miller, Austin See, Emily Eisele, Erin Landstrom, Courtney Hong, Adam Spreeman, Erin Garner
Fellowship of Christian Athletes

Left to Right from the Top:
Ali Wice, Colleen O'Leary, Tyler Bryan, Matt Morvay, Nicole Palm, Madison Mills, Kierston Wilson, Jenessa Steuwe, Travis Keller, Nate Brown, Nate Kossey, Joey Rebottaro, Josh Giovannone

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Brad Vannatter, Jordyn Norkey, Sage Rebottaro, Madison Kirby, Matt Napieralski, Karlie Ledergerber, Kelsey Berrington, Stephen Bilotta, Courtney Hong, Jared Powell, Katelyn Dykas

Varsity Club
Members: Colleen O'Leary, Alisia Payne, Max Pemberton, Ashlea Phenice, Nicole Randolph, Elizabeth Rathack, Bridget Rathack, Kelsey Schlenberger, Derek Shadle, Olivia Smith, Emily Snider, Jenessa Steinwe, Erika Stuenkel, Alex Swindle, Elizabeth Swindle, Codie Thompson, Xenia Traegner-Born, Raquel Valdez, Travis Wagner, Marie Wallace, Megan Watkins, Paige Wesener, Cayla White, Ali Wise, Danielle Wielgos, Nicole Wielkerwicz, Cody Wilson, Ben Wilson, Betsy Wilson

Societe Honoraire de Francais

Eline Meyvis, Victor Gelligne, Emily Keffer, Emily Snider, Alex Kendrick, Adrianna Downs, Christine Goss, Krystal Henley, Codie Thompson, Olivia Smith, Bridgette Rathack, Elizabeth Rathack, Ali Wise, Jessica Frick, Elizabeth Swindle, Caitlin Dunlap, Nicole Wielkerwicz, Linda Hanes, Sarah Hoag, Tyler Melnik, Travis Wagner
"Achieving Is Believing"

National Honor Society

Science Olympiad

Bess Barnes, Evan Burr, Sydney Burr, Aaron Findley, Jessica Frick, Krystal Henry, Ashley Kemerer, Jacob Kreger, Elizabeth Rathhacker, Gretchen Seidel, Elizabeth Swindle, Cody Wilson, Olivia Smith

Quiz Bowl

Members: Travis Wagner, TJ Melnik, Nick Merrell, Christina Cote, Christine Goss, Andy Collins, Sydney Burr, Jacob Kelley, Holly Klauke, Alex Brehmer, John Hoag
STUDENT LIFE

Prom night ongoing?

Ricocette Inlahs and Saqib Solo are happy about something. Any guesses?

Kristina Morgan and Jasmine Kang being all...
Homecoming Spirit Week

Homecoming Pep Rally

Freshmen show off their Hawaiian spirit.

Monday: Orange & Black Day
Tuesday: College Day
Wednesday: Tie-Dye Day
Thursday: Hawaiian Day
Friday: Class T-Shirt Day

Sophomores study ing hard in their class shirts.

Sophomores fighting to win a tug of war match.

Junior Austin Kellett cheers his support.

Senior Sarah Jones cheers her classmates.

Class of 2013: Seniors prepare to win a tug of war match as usual.

Sophomore Delila Chiesa, Brianna Lownak, Scott and Abby Holman wear their college logos.

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Homecoming Floats
Homecoming Royalty

Freshmen: Alix Dus & Spencer Hite
Sophomores: Elizabeth Mentele & George Pavlon
Juniors: Courtney Heny & Cole Armstrong
Seniors: Kyle Amstutz, Annie Dunn, Malvina Hildebran, Alix Strehlum
Senior King: Jack Bloom, Senior Queen: Justin Coffin, Jordan Crowe
Queen: Annie Dunn; King: Jack Castellon
Homecoming Game
Powder Puff Game
Breakfast of Champions honors students who have a 3.0 GPA or higher. King Pancake cooks up his delicious pancakes so these students can have as many as they wish at this special event.

Students try to keep their grades up, especially when free pancakes are involved. Another reason for studying and working hard is getting into the college of their choice. Ali Muselman said, "I try my hardest because I want to get into a good school." Congratulations to all of our Champions!

In Mr. Muselman’s advanced gym classes, the students create teams that play one another to determine the winners in each class. During Seminole’s, each winner plays the other classes to decide which team plays the teacher. Everyone comes to watch the final showdown. It’s so much fun, and everyone loves it. Congratulations to the students! They beat the teachers once again.
Holiday Dance
"The Nutcracker"
Riding with Style
Tecumseh High School students drive to school every day in their own unique vehicles.
Our lockers tend to accumulate quite a bit of junk throughout the year, and sifting through the junk and rubble is a harrowing endeavor that often results in the rescue of long lost items.
How Much?

List today's price of the items below, then guess how much they'll cost 30 years from now in 2040.

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Les Miserables

Cast (in order of appearance):

Jean Valjean - Colby Bumelen
Javert - Hailey Mott
Young Cosette - Jillian Inman
Mme. Thénardier - Melanie Hillebray
Young Eponine - Dani Novak
Thénardier - Matt Maki
Gavroche - Aidan Edwards
Marius - Adam Sprouse
Enjolras - Cody Andersen
Eponine - Bailey Harvey
Cosette - Isadora Noddy

Ensemble: Akshaya Abraham, Will Addis, Rachel Beveler, Aaron Buccholz, Erica Buccholz, David Bough, Taylor Clinton, Destiny Cook, Erin Crowley, Caitlin Dunlap, Bryan Gilley, Sam ivory, Linda Harris, Allison Kofier, Courtney de Hoij, Joe Lester, Emily McLemore, Autumn McMillin, Sarah Noll, Brooke Nosak, Andeis Olofs, Amber Olsnes, Natalie Pankow, Ty Quin, Kaityn Randles, Kendra Randles, Alice Rudes, Jake Runges, Colleen Rundel, Alexis Schum, Brianna Snyder, Keena Tongue-Bare, Megan Wallis, Anna Wendt, Nicole Williams and Caitlin Wright
Cart of Chaucer:
- Ashley Abraham: Lovely Girl, Custosmen
- Colby Barkston: Dick Martin
- Michael Barnes: Sir Walter Raleigh, Man at funeral, Charlie
- Erica Braschel: Janitor, Storee Pain, Judge's fan
- Caitlin Donlace: Happy Cookery Girl, Storee Pain, Mikulas Family, Latch
- Lee Greaves: Announcer, Romarco Teen, Old Lady
- Linda Hare: Reconstituted Lady, Mikulas Family
- Joe Lopez: Bill Morgan, Poet, Mikulas Family, Interviewer, Dr. Livingston
- Patrick McEnemay: Porter, Romarco Teen
- Matt Maki: The judge, Makinto: Old Lady, Best Man
- Leon Miller: Dan Roemer
- Briana Novak: Scotty Janitor, Cobbler Poet, Dating Service Lady
- Aubrey Osburn: Mikulas Man, Dogiuguat
- Levi Palmerton: Hippy, Arnold, Mr. Knudt, Mikulas Family
- Murielle Reese: Bride, Karlthea Gums, Restaurant Patron, Widow
- Luke Rojas: German Soldier Poet, Mikulas Family
- Austin Sax: Old Maid
- Madi Sax: Dumb Blonde
- Chris Taft: Poet, Corpse, Defendant, Courtesan
- Xanise Traeger-Brown: Mrs. Ormsbik, Mikulas Family, Fashion Interviewee

Tecumseh Youth Theatre Presents:
Laugh In!
Tecumseh High,  
Let your banners fly,  
Raise them on high,  
Up to the sky.  
Fight! Fight! Fight!  
Orange and black,  
To you we'll be true,  
Tecumseh High School,  
We're for you!
Tecumseh Indians Celebrate Winter Sports Season

TICWSS Royalty Candidates
Freshmen: Madi Harvey & Nick Coppin
Sophomores: Josie Crittenden & Joe Forest
Juniors: Murielle Rine & Adam Spreeman
Senior Queen Candidates: Kayla Amstutz, Chelsea Caterina, Chelsea Preston, and Allie Stephenson
Senior King Candidates: Jake Bloom, Zack Bock, Jordan Coward, and Cole Havlicka

Winners: Jacob Bloom & Chelsea Preston
"You gotta have ART!"
"Wow. This is a day I never thought would come, the day I would be standing in front of hundreds of people giving a speech. You know, I heard a statistic once that people's number one fear was public speaking, and that number two was death. I just thought that was an interesting statistic.

But not to distract from today. Look where we are. This has been a day we have all been dreaming about ever since we fully understood what going to school entailed. And here we are in what society has told us every graduate must wear: an over-sized sock, a board on our head, and a tassel that is more cat toy than accessory. I'm not really sure why educated people agreed to wear this, but I guess the tradition stuck somewhere.

But we have all made it thanks to the help of many people. Whether it was your parents making sure you got up every morning, a teacher that went out of their way to ensure you were successful, a coach that just wouldn't let you compete if you were failing, or through our friends who were always there for us. We all have received help and motivation from various people along the way.

We made it through the ups and downs, the homework assignments, standardized tests, Mr. Kessler's deer on time, and the bomb threats.

I think we all remember the one bomb threat in the middle of winter that forced us to stand outside for an hour without our coats. I just remember thinking, wouldn't an open flame be nice right about now. But I guess our I.D.s provided that extra element of protection, even if they didn't keep us warm.

But we have all worked hard to get here and it is an accomplishment that shouldn't be understated. We should all feel truly proud of ourselves for our level of commitment and dedication. So now, even though our journey together is ending, a whole new one is beginning. We are all going down separate paths from here, and will all experience different kinds of success, but we can never forget that we are all a part of that class of 2012.

Congratulations all, we finally did it!"

~ Diana Brown, Valedictorian
Celebration

Class of '10
President: Zack Bock
Vice President: Joe Lopez
Treasurer: Andraya Olano
Secretary: Ali Wise
Class Rep: Elizabeth Swindle

Congratulations!
Seniors of the Month

Kayla Amstutz  Justin Coffin  Chelsie Gray  Jordan Weirich

Karlie Ledergerber  Ben Robertson  Steven Harrison  Elizabeth Swindle

Diana Brown  Jordan Coward  Elizabeth Rathsock  Josh Short

Bridget Burns  Evan Burr  Haleigh Edgar  Jacob Bloom

Valedictorian  Salutatorian  Salutatorian  Salutatorian

Diana Brown  Jessica Frick  Steven Harrison  Bridget Burns
SIBLING RIVALRY

Devon & Josh Giovannone
Nick & Rachel Bartolo
Tim & Tyler Elkins
Haley & Jake Castorena
Nick & Justin Coffin
Kayla & Cole Amstutz
Jamie Aylward & Peyton Farinha
Erin & Brooke Garner

Bailey & Madi Harvey
Mackenzie & Braden Cytlak
Xenia Traegner-Born & Emily Snider

Tabitha & James Barth
Sam & Allie Davoti
J.T. & Ashley Foster
MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED
Dana Brown & Steven Harrison

MOST LIKELY TO MARRY A CELEBRITY
Josh Short & McKenzie Deming

TEACHER'S PET
Ali Wise & Zach Kurka

MOST OUTGOING
Mike Garcia & Elizabeth Swindle

WORST DRIVER
Eric Laude & Kyle Pender

MOST IMMATURE
Ellie Jacques & Grant Kennedy

SUPEST
Megan Vreedenbult & Nick Koon

Be on America’s Most Wanted
Julie Ashwood & Tyler Climer

BEST PERSONALITY
Cade Hennelka & Chelsea Preston

KNOW-IT-ALL
Jessica Frick & Jake Kragor

CUTEST COUPLE
Kathryn Dyal & Catie Kolesnik

BEST CAR
Josh Giovannone & Autumn McMillin

LIVE WITH PARENTS FOREVER
Tom Block & Natalie Duffett

BEST DRESSED
Jake Bloom & McKenzie Deming

BIGGEST EGO
Ellie Jacques & Scott Corley

BEST SENSE OF HUMOR
Dan Ziegler & Chelsea Preston

Mock Elections
WOULDN'T BE THE SAME WITHOUT
Jacob Kruger & Chelsea Ryski

BIGGEST SKIPPERS
Coles Chapman & Chase Rowe

KID AT HEART
Mike Garcia & Stephanie Holl

MOST LIKELY TO BE ON SPRINGER
Christian Duncan & Natalie Pankow

FIRST TO START A FAMILY
Aimee Flores & Luke Burch

CLASS CLOWN
Mike Garcia & Kristin Kenyon

STUDIOUS
Diana Brown & Ben Robertson

SPEED DEMON
Loren Hager & Brandon Cottet

SKIP GRADUATION
Julie Aubrey & Lisa CT Cates

BE ON ESPN
Katie Kelleher & Luke Catronora

NICEST
Alle Stevenson & Russell Herricks

CLASS SLEEPERS
Derek George & Natalie Pankow

LEAST CHANGED SINCE MIDDLE SCHOOL
Mike Rowe & Megan Vrachnold

MOST DISTRACTED
Jordan Coward & Kristen Kenyon

BEST PERFORMER
Martha Hildensley & Colby Blankston

Mock Elections
Awww... Weren't We Cute?

Class of 2010
CLASS COLOR: NEON GREEN
CLASS SONG: "TIME OF OUR LIVES" BY DAVID COOK
CLASS FLOWER: ORANGE ROSE
CLASS MOTTO: "TOGETHER WE HAVE EXPERIENCED LIFE, SEPARATELY WE WILL PURSUE OUR DREAMS, AND FOREVER OUR MEMORIES WILL REMAIN!"

Baby picture answers (left to right):
First row: Felicia Armstrong, Rachel Portola, Bridget Bruce, Bridget Bruce, Evan Durf
Second row: Jordan Coward, Allison Davis, Charlie Day, McKenzie Donning, Aaron Findley
Third row: Erin Garner, Josh Giovannono, Steven Harrison, Travis Kelleher, Eric Lee
Fourth row: Karlie Ledegeber, Eline Mapi, Aryn On, Chelsea Sharpe, Alex Schar
Fifth row: Shelby Shaffer, Chelsea Sharpe
Sixth row: Alix Smith, Jessica Stoller, Elizabeth Swindle, Rachel Tiptt, Megan Vredenbost
Seventh row: Jared Benedict, Miles Rowe, Allie Stephenson, Elizabeth Rathbuck, Ben Wilson
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Emily Snider
Mikki Snyder-Barker

Adam Spreeman
Erica Steuwe
Jenessa Steuwe
Dylan Stringer
Allyse Wuebben
Lalona Young

Erika Stuenkel
Tori Thacker
Codi Thompson
Brittany Tirado

Joshua Trigaux
Chene Tripp Jr.
Carolyn Trombino
Ashley Tucker

Tawni Vollmer
Tess Wagner
Andrea Warner
Jenna Warner

Devin Waynick
Steven Wegner
Richard Westgate
Ashley Wheeler

Randall Williams
Cody Wilson
Kendra Winzeler
Kyle Wojewski
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Kristin Coffey

Kerrie Collins
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Carlie Crawford
Josie Crittenden
Bailee Crots
Ashley Cubberly
Jonathon Curtis

Samuel Davitt
Megan DeLisle
Samantha Diehl
Adrianna Downs
Dylan Drake
Christopher McKelvie
Savannah McKinney
Tyler Melnik
Zachary Merillat
Nicholas Merrell

Madison Mills
Elisabeth Montalvo
Devin Moore
Tyler Mora
Devan Morgan

Kristina Morgan
John Mulready III
Kyle Munson
Brianne Nowak-Scott
Colleen O'Leary

Takumi Ogata
Amber Osburn
Joshua Parker
Max Patterson
Alisha Payne

Mariah Perkins
Ashlea Phenice
Brandon Potes
Jared Powell
George Preston
Wyatt Prince
Carl Ptasznik
Nicole Randolph
Tera Rankin
Teri Rankin

Michael Ransom
Matthew Ray
Shelby Raymond
Alissa Reeder
Nolan Reynolds

Melissa Richardson
Herman Rinne
Brandon Rodgers
Christian Rodriguez
Kylee Rowson

Jessica Rychener
Amber Sanford
Jacob Saul
Sara Savoia
Brandi Scheuerman

Meghan Schook
Zachary Schuch
Krysten Schultz
Monica Schultz
Johanna Seidel
Derek Shadley
Haven Shaffer
Kelsee Shaffer
Austin Shartle
Christian Shelby

Jennifer Short
Michael Skelton
Bethany Slater
Danielle Sloan
Collin Smith

Katherine Smith
Michael Smith
Jessica Snead
Makayla Spencer
Robert Thomas

Carly Tillotson
Andrew Titus
Victor Tran
Chelsea Tripp
Casey Trombley

Samantha Turner
Izacc Valdez
Raquel Valdez
Bradley Vannatter
Taylor Vredeveld
Ashley Wagatha
Travis Wagner
Jeffrey Walker
Marie Wallich
Meghan Wallich

Allison Watson
Amy Welke
Paige Wesener
Daniel West
Rebecca West

Cayla White
Danielle Wielgus
Nicole Wielkerwicz
Jeannine Williams
Cody Wilson

Harry Withrow IV
Justin Wollard
Kiley Wonderly
Caitlin Wright
Karlie Wright

SOPHOMORES
Though the responsibilities of high school life came as a bit of a shock for some freshmen, they brought life and humor into the school.
Kendra King
Kaitlyn Kinsey
Madison Kirby
Ashley Kirk
Adam Kirkendall

Dylan Kirn
Jesse Knittel
Michele Koch
Kameron Kramer
Ashley Langer

Landon Langlois
Kayla Lankford
Kendal Larson
Abbie Lee
Anthony Lesko

Kara Liechty
Lucas Liuzzi
Shane Lowe
Evan Lowe
Jennifer MacLachlan

Matthew Maki
Rachel Malcolm
Joshua Matute
Rae Maurer
Emily Maves

Brett Mayers
Kimberly McPherson
Madeline Meacham
Elizabeth Medere
Nick Merolla
Sage Rebottaro
Christopher Reid
Kelsey Rendell
Marie Rine
Jacob Ringer

Atlanta Roberts
Colleen Roberts
Benjamin Rogers
Cassandra Rosas-Rowe
Sarah Round

Kailey Russell
Shelby Salisbury
Evan Sanders
Michael Savoia
Matthew Scheffler

Ryan Schiller
Sean Schmidt
Alexi Schnur
Kelsey Schoenberger
Madisen See

McKinzie Sherrod
Kirstyn Shockley
Katelynn Silvernail
James Sisk
Chase Smith

Karly Smith
Kelsey Smith
Mackenzy Smith
Michael Smith
Kali Snead
Tiffini Snyder
Andrew Sokol
Jacob Spiegel
Jennifer Staegraeve
Christian Sukis

Bradley Summerfield
Pilar Summerlin
Matthew Swartwood
Alexander Swindle
Christopher Taft

Nicholas Taylor
Courtney Teall
John Terry
Jillian Travis
Sarah Tritt

Alexis Tucker
Damon Vanderhoff
Zoe Wagar
Rachel Waite
Chance Wallace

Megan Watkins
Paige Watkins
Ryan Watkins
Donald Watson
Gannon Waynick

Anna Wendt
Aaron Williams
Nicole Williams
Tyler Williams
Elizabeth Wilson
Kierston Wilson
Samuel Wilson
Briana Winters
Mattison Wright
Alexandra Zawacki

Lindzy Ziegler
ATHLETICS
Front row (L to R): Katy Flint, Nicolette Ialacci, Becca Nowak, Paige Watkins, Marion Austin
Back row: Brittany Ames, Chelsea Pyzik, Leigh Kaptick, Murielle Rine, Mr. Pomy

Schedule

Tecumseh Invitational
Tecumseh White 428 8th
Tecumseh Orange 644 14th

Coldwater Invitational
Tecumseh 419 8th

Onsted Invitational
Tecumseh 404 2nd

SEC Tournament
Tecumseh 411 3rd

Regional
Tecumseh 424 5th
VARiTY FOOTBALL

Schedule
- Jefferson (Home L 8-21)
- A.A Huron (Away L 14-41)
- Lincoln (Home L 46-58)
- Ypsilanti (Home W 45-42)
- Dexter (Away W 38-28)
- Chelsea (Home L 44-61)
- Adrian (Away L 8-34)
- Bedford (Away L 8-42)
- Charlotte (Away L 18-28)

Live For This:
A lot of blood and sweat was put into this season, but never tears. Coach Mensing brought his boys to the peak of perfection by working them ruthlessly all summer long. The players came together to become a better team and better athletes.
JV FOOTBALL

FRESHMAN FOOTBALL

Schedule
Jefferson Away (W 43-6)
A.A. Huron Home (W 60-14)
Lincoln Away (W 52-13)
Ypsilanti Away (W 62-28)
Dexter Home (W 67-24)
Chelsea Away (W 52-14)
Adrian Home (W 64-41)
Bedford Home (L 42-18)

Schedule
Jefferson Away (W 20-15)
A.A. Huron Home (W 47-7)
Lincoln Away (W 42-14)
Skyline Away (W 48-32)
Dexter Home (W 40-14)
Chelsea Away (L 21-8)
Adrian Home (W 52-30)
Bedford Home (L 36-0)
Charlotte Home (L 32-20)

Front row (L to R): Tyler Hopkina, Joey Bauer, Tyler Bryan, Ronnie Bochol, Jared Powell, Harry Wibrn, Zach Lorraine, Mike Smith, Chad McCluskey
Middle row: Blake Lewis, Austin Shurtle, Joe Butler, Max Patterson, Hunter Cadmus, George Preuten, Wyatt Prince, Kyle Bryan
Back row: Jason Gilkey, Zach Schuch, Jacob Frech, Dylan Drake, Michael Skelton, John Terry, Ben Cooper

Front row (L to R): Nate Durbin, Chris Cestaro, Nate Hawkins, Isabella Cameron, Cole Amstutz, Felician Amador, Chase Smith, Tyler Pate, Eric Edmord, Clayton Kord
Row 2: Matt Schaffler, Rymin Harriman, Austin Gilbert, Eric Hanover, Gannon Waymuck, Spencer Hite, Taylor Jordan, Blake Mstronwy, Joey Robb, Anthony Lopis
Row 3: Kael Cardella, Colten Beene, Sant Robb, Drew Gramen, Matt Swarivwood, Evin Sanders, Dylan Kirk, Nick Coffin, Andy Meers, Anthony Lopis
Row 4: Charlie Hauser, Tyler Creedon, Spencer Adams, Jared Kowitt
Back row: Coaches Will Kasper, Dave Hauser, and Nate Long

LIVE FOR THIS
Schedule

Onsted
Ypsilanti
Lenawee Christian
Dexter
Lumen Christi
Adrian
Northwest
Marshall
Saline
Coldwater
Pioneer
Western
Ann Arbor Huron
Columbia
Monroe
Chelsea
Marshall
Milan
Lincoln
Pinckney

Front row (L to R): Mike Garcia, Jacob Castorina, Scott Corley, Sam Davitt, Tyler Long, Sam Millen, Travis Knepper, Kyle Frohke
Middle row: Nick Nowak, Kyle Braunschneider, CJ Tripp, Bobby Thomas, Steven Owerth, Brad Dorby, Eric Gring
Back row: Dave Pieke, Christian Howe, Branden Dorby, Rydian Stringer, Nathan Kersey, Coach Mike Scatl
Supporting Tecumseh High School & Middle School Students

Front row (L to R): Curt Orlewski, Alex Egglesen, Nate Brown, Logan Evans, Chris Burns, Jeremy Good
Middle row: Andrew Kruse, Nate Hauessler, Colton Meers, Casey Hunt, Colin Anderson, Jason Carey
Back row: Dakota Gonzales, Gino Lombardo, Griffin Olsad, Justin Boyce, Sam Wilson, Coach Frank Marsinkiewicz

Schedule
Northwest
Saline
Pioneer
Huron
Monroe
Chelsea
Marshall
Milan
Lincoln
Lenawee Christian
Pawney
Bedford
Lenawee Christian
Ypsilanti
Dexter
Adrian

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Patti Mulready- President
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Kelly Coffin- Secretary
Beth Hunt- Treasurer

Board of Directors
Colton Eichert
Jan Harsh
Pete Indovina
Diana Terry
Tim Tilton
Angie Walch
Stan Amsc
Front row (L to R): Amber Byrd, Brianna Snyder
Middle row: Jacob Ransom, Hannah O'Brien-Brady, Derek East, Erika Stuenkel, Danielle Nelson
Back row: Coach Karen Ricketts, Katy Flint, Marie Wallich, Sara Stevens, Lindsey Ziegler

**EQUESTRIAN TEAM**

High Point Rider: Marie Wallich (117 pts)
Rec. High Point: Erika Stuenkel (91.5 pts)
INDIANS STADIUM DEDICATION
The Boys Cross Country Team did well this year. They worked hard, and they made it to the state final.

Team captains were Ben Robertson, Leon Miller, and Alden Eubanks.

Schedule
H- Cross Country Preview
A- Milan Puddle Jumper Invite
A- Ypsilanti Early Bird Invite
A- SEC @ Monroe
A- NB Huron Invite
A- Blissfield Early Bird Invite
A- Jefferson Invitational
A- SEC White Division
A- Chelsea Invite
A- Portage Invite
A- Blissfield County Invite
A- SEC White
A- MHSAA Regional
A- MHSAA State Final

Front row (L to R): Ben Robertson, Paul Burns, CJ Horn, Jacob Kelley, Ian Shane, Levi Plemmons, Dan Burdett
Middle row: Austin Ste, Brandon Hurd, Alex Carpenter, Cody Handy, Alden Eubanks, Patrick McErate, Nelson Reynolds
Back row: Leon Miller, Matt Miller, Alex Janowski, Alex Swindle, Matt Maho, Joe Ferrat, Coach Jim Brown

Not Pictured: TJ McNeil, Codi Wheaton
GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY

Front row (L to R): Ali Wise, Elizabeth Swindle, Erica Steune, Emily Essue
Middle row: Jenny Shront, Jachi Bauer, Melissa Felkey, Jocena Steune
Back row: Coach Greene, Erin Landstrom, Katelyn Staelgrove, Bridget Burns, Raquel Champion
Not Pictured: Annie Dunn, Colleen D'Leary

Schedule
H: Cross Country Preview
A: Midland Puddle Jumper Invite
A: Vpsanti Early Bird Invite
A: SEC © Monroe
A: NB Huron Invite
A: Blissfield Early Bird Invite
A: Jefferson Invitational
A: SEC White Division
A: Chelsea Invite
A: Portage Invite
A: Blissfield County Invite
A: SEC White
A: MHSAA Regional
A: MHSAA State Final

This year’s Girls Cross Country team captains were Annie Dunn and Katelyn Staelgrove. “We were really close knit because we spent all summer with each other growing close. We bonded really well, and we get along pretty well. Our work ethic was really strong, and we had confidence, the hard work and all the mileage logged in the summer contributed a lot. One big thing that separated us from other teams is that we had Greene who was there since the first day of practice with the end of the season in mind. He pushed us hard because he knew the progress that would need to be made. He was a major part to the team,” explains Erica Steune regarding the team’s success.
FRESHMAN CHEER
Front row (L to R): Pilar Summerlin and Paige Cadmus
Middle row: Tiffini Snyder, Amanda Bauer, Melanie Curtis, Kendra King
Back row: Coaches Becca Mollette and Tracy Lorraine
(Not pictured): Sarah Goss and Kara Luskey

JV CHEER
Front row (L to R): Alexis DeLong, Danielle Wielgus, Chelsea Tripp, Anne Marcum
Middle row: Jennifer Staelgrave, Kierston Wilson, Madison Kirby, Madison Mills, Michelle Curtis, Alisen Eubanks
Back row: Coaches Becca Mollette and Tracy Lorraine

VARSITY CHEER
Front row (L to R): Rebecca West, Bridget Rathbuck, Erika Stuenkel, Rachel Bartolo
Middle row: Destiny Cook, Jessie Anders, Courtney Mollette, Tera Rankin, Britney Lee, Amanda Duncan, Codi Thompson
Back row: Coach Becca Mollette, Jenna Warner, Tori Thacker, Britni Birt, Bree Liske, Ashley Benedict, Coach Angel Mensing
Front row (L to R): Jessica Bilora, Paige Cheser, Hailey Mill, Chelsea Shard, Daina Brown, Kaitlyn VanDeaver, Erin Lara, Gretchen Sreed
Second row: Coach Sarah Eubanks, Dominique Shell, Kelsi Malcom, Marissa Martin, Allie Mertit.
A 2017 Coach Deb Wez
Third row: Samantha Turner, Abrie Kendrik, Jamie Brinam, Claire McRae, Aliska Payne, Danielle Sten
Back row: Karry Smith, Kelsy Smith, Nicole Gremen, Nicole Collins, Mali Ste, Rachel Malcom, Rachel Warte
(Note: not pictured): Stephanie Areco, Anne Mannen, Bailey Jacobs

Schedule
Plymouth (101 - 85) W
Milan (101 - 84) W
SMISL Relays 2nd
Dundee (109 - 74) W
Lincoln (143 - 40) W
Pioneer (121 - 63) L
Skyline (103 - 83) W
Upham (145 - 41) W
Bow ford (66 - 120) L
SMCC (152 - 22) W
Adrian (123 - 62) W
Monroe (90 - 96) L
Chelsea (104 - 62) W
Saline (65 - 121) L
Huron (92 - 104) L
Dexter (65.5 - 122.5) L

This was an amazing year for the members of the Varsity Girls Swim Team. They performed well in meets, finishing their season 9-4 overall, 4-1 in the SEC. The ladies recorded an historic 2nd place finish in the SEC, defeating rival Chelsea for the first time in this history. A strong freshman group and the depth of returning team members helped in all of their successes. Several school records were broken this season by freshman Rachel Wise and the freshman relay to win the All-State performing Medley relay also broke the school record with an outstanding performance at SEC's and Sectionals. The team looks forward to a strong future. Go Indians!
Varsity Volleyball

Front row (L to R): Kelsey Berrington (Captain), Carly Tilboten, Erin Garner (Captain), Alliyn Stephenson
Middle row: Coach Kerry Watkins, Taylor Benedict, Karlie Ledergerber, McKenzie Wright (Captain), Alex Smith
Back row: Morgan Hilt, Gabrielle Nowak, Chelsea Hutchinson, Sarah Siaula, Brooke Garner

Schedule

Addison (2-0) W
Jenison (2-0) W
Reading (2-0) W
Addison (2-0) W
Ida (3-1) L
Hilldale (2-0) W
Blissfield (1-1) T
Vandercook (2-0) W
Huron (2-0) W
Blissfield (2-0) W
Onsted (2-0) W
Okemos (1-1) T
Jefferson (1-1) T
Curtice (2-0) W
Clinton (2-0) W
Vandalia (1-1) T
Okemos (0-2) L
Menno (0-3) L
Bedford (0-3) L
Chelsea (3-2) W
Eastern (2-0) W
Manchester (2-0) W
Goodrich (0-2) L
Fowlerville (1-1) T
Danaville (2-0) W
Williamston (1-1) T
Huron (3-2) W
Lincoln (3-0) W
Vandalia (3-0) W
Jenison (3-0) W
Sallana (1-5) L
Pierson (2-3) W
Merrow (2-0) W
Blissfield (1-1) T
Addison (2-0) W
Adrian (0-2) L
Clinton (2-0) W
Madison (2-0) W
Dexter (1-3) L
Dewitt (0-3) L
Western (2-0) W
Coldwater (2-0) W
Union City (3-0) W
Dewitt (2-1) W
Adrian (3-0) W
Addison (3-0) W
Merrow (3-0) W
Napoleon (2-0) W
Leslie (2-0) W
Milan (3-1) W
Richard (3-1) W
Ida (3-1) L
Dewitt (1-3) L
JV VOLLEYBALL

Front row (L to R): Ariana Bohm, Alli Watson, Brianne Nowak-Sleet (Captain), Sarah Harrison, Elisabeth Montalvo (Captain)
Row 2 - Coach Kim Fekley, Megan Marke, Akhila Phinisee (Captain), Samantha Dietl, Kylee Rowlen

Schedule
- Tecumseh Invitational (2-1-2) W
- Ida Public Schools (2-0) W
- Adrian JV Invite (3-1-1) W
- Tecumseh, Bedford, and Monroe (2-4) L
- Chelsea High School (0-0) W
- Hudson Tournament (3-1) W
- Tecumseh, Skyline, and Adrian (3-5) L
- Lincoln High School (3-0) W
- Columbia Central Tournament (4-1-1) W
- Ypsilanti High School (3-0) W
- Jenewee High School (2-1) W
- Tecumseh, Pioneer, and Adrian (5-4) W
- County Tournament (5-0-1) W
- Dexter High School (1-2) L
- Adrian High School (1-2) L
- Tecumseh and Skyline (2-3) L

FRESHMAN VOLLEYBALL

Front row (L to R): Gabrielle Flores, Jordyn Norris, Megan Watkins, Jessica Benedict, Abbie Lee
Back row: Mattie Wright, Kaitlynn Silverman, Kayla Niemson, Jessica Campbell, Coach Jan Garner

Schedule
- Hudson 9th Baseter Invite (3-1-1) W
- Ida Public Schools (2-0) W
- Fresh Volleyball Invite (4-1-1) W
- Bedford (1-2) L (0-2) L
- Monroe (1-2) L
- Adrian (1-2) L (0-2) L (1-2) T (1-2) L
- Sand Creek (2-0) W (2-0) W
- Chelsea (3-0) W
- Skyline (2-1) W (2-1) L
- AA Huron (3-0) W
- Lincoln (2-2) W (2-0) W
- Dexter (2-0) W (2-0) W
- Ypsilanti (2-0) W (3-0) W
- Pioneer (2-0) W
- Saline (0-2) L
- Manchester Tournament (3-1-2) W
- Sand Creek High School (1-3-1) W
Varsity Girls Basketball

Front row (L to R): Karlie Wright, Megan Marke, Jenna Stuwe, Shianne Prabc, Melissa Feltey, Jenny Short
Back row: Coach Jamie Messburg, Becca Tritt, Katelyn Dykas, Alix Smith, Alti Stephens, Karlie Ledergerber, Katelyn Staalgrave

JV Girls Basketball

Schedule

Ida (34-22) W
Milan (41-33) W
Blissfield (37-28) W
Dexter (4-65) L
Adrian (24-38) L
Chelsea (19-51) L
Sault (30-49) L
Ypsilanti Lincoln (31-27) L
Dundie (30-35) L
Ypsilanti (27-58) L
Ann Arbor (35-44) L
Dexter (19-62) L
Monroe (19-33) W
Adrian (28-30) W
Stockbridge (30-40) W
Chelsea (27-40) L
Bafjer (18-46) L
Lincoln (39-50) W
Ypsilanti (40-44) W

Front row (L to R): Mattsen Wright, Kendra Randolph, Mackenzie Cylak, Haven Shaffer, Sarah Harrison, Ashley Wagatha, Erin Ingle, Paige Watkins
Back row: Katelynn Silvernail, Alie Bateman, Taylor Bartch, Anne Mammel, Sarah Tritt, McKenzie Sherrod, Courtney LaVoy, Coach Carl Novak
Basketball isn't just a sport. It's all out war. These girls trained for hours to prepare, and their work not only won them games, it won them friends, gave them character, and inspired them to be both better athletes and better people.
Varsity Boys Basketball

Front row (L to R): Matt Napieralski, Travis Hyder, Zach Benschoter, Jacob Bloom, Mike Evans, Eric Gring, Stephen Bilotta
Back row: Coach Schmidt, Josh Short, Jared Benedict, Kyle Hooper, Spencer DeLand, Justin Coffin, Jake Moore

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12/11 | Milford
12/14 | Ida
12/17 | Blairstown
1/2 | Pickering
1/3 | Chelsea
1/11 | Dunkirk
1/15 | Lincoln
1/16 | Clinton
1/17 | Saline
1/22 | Vandalia
1/29 | Dexter
2/2 | Menno
2/5 | Adrian
2/9 | Harlem
2/12 | Chelsea
2/16 | Bosford
2/19 | Lincoln* VCWS
2/24 | Vandalia
3/2 | Dexter
3/5 | Adrian

Front row (L to R): Sam Davitt, Brad Vannatter, Ben Kasper, John Mulready, Jared Powell, Bobby Thomas, Matt Ray
Back row: Coach Schmidt, Nate Hanusler, Kyle Bryan, Zach Horn, John Terry, Max Patterson, Hunter Cadmus

Freshman Boys Basketball

Schedule

Date | Opponent
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12/11 | Milford
12/14 | Ida
12/17 | Blairstown
1/2 | Pickering
1/3 | Chelsea
1/11 | Dunkirk
1/15 | Lincoln
1/16 | Clinton
1/17 | Saline
1/22 | Vandalia
1/29 | Dexter
2/2 | Menno
2/5 | Adrian
2/9 | Harlem
2/12 | Chelsea
2/16 | Bosford
2/19 | Lincoln* VCWS
2/24 | Vandalia
3/2 | Dexter
3/5 | Adrian

Front row (L to R): Ryan Watkins, Eric Havener, Spencer Hite, Sage Rebettaro, Spencer Adams, Nick Coffin, Logan Church
Back row: Jacob Britt, Matt Scheffer, Gannen Waynick, Casey Hunt, Eric Eldred, Matt O'Leary, Coach Benschoter
Front row (L to R): Nate Brown, Evan Sanders, Austin Shartle, Takumi Ogata, Austin Coleman
Middle row: Coach Brian Thomas, Zack Book, Blake Lewis, Austin See, Jason Gilkey, Jacob Kelley, Norm Seidel
Back row: Jalen Jennings, Patrick McAvan, Jonathan Collins, Alden Embanks, Greg Park

BOYS SWIMMING & DIVING
The hard work and determination the boys put into wrestling not only makes them better athletes, but also helps them become better men. Coach Randolph works to instill in his team good values and a strong work ethic and says he still has contact with many former wrestlers because of the role he played in their lives.
Schedule
Onsted (538.7664)
Hudson (634.8108)
Home (611.0696)
Adrian (613.626)
Michigan Center (643.0764)
Columbia Central (605.876)
Adrian (571.472)
Districts (569.3656)

Front row (L to R): Rebecca West, Bridget Rathseick, Amanda Dunman, Rachel Bartolo, Erin Lara, Anne Marcum, Erin Shenkel
Back row: Brianna Lisak, Destiny Cook, Jessie Anders, Britni Burt, Codi Thompson, Brittnay Lee, Coach Mouse
Front row (L to R): Bridget O'Leary, Brianna Snyder, Chelsea Cattan, Brea Tomford
Middle row: Sarah Crewe, Jenna Warner, Ashley O'Leary, Tori Thacker, Courtney Mellette, Kyla Saia, Erin Landstrom, Coach Jenni Posten
Back row: Kayleen Oldeh, Bethany Slater, Anna Wondt, Leigh Kapnick, Katy Flint, Jillian Travis, Casey Trombley

Schedule
Parma & Adrian (116.225) L
THS Invite (116.025) L
Fraser Invite (121.800) L
Parma (119.675) L
Grove Pointe (120.400) L
Jackson High (125.075) W
Satem Invite @ Plymouth (121.025) L
Celticwater (122.250) L
Adrian Invite (125.925) L
Adrian (122.575) L
Safio (120.725) L
SCGL @ Celticwater (124.475) L
Regionals (122.300) L
Schedule
Huron
Ypsilanti
Chelsea
Battle of the Baker Tournament
Adrian
Monroe
Ypsilanti
Chelsea
Motor City Team Challenge
Pioneer
Adrian
Saline
Skyline
SEC Championships
Regionals
State Finals

VARSITY BOYS BOWLING

Front row (L to R): Cody Handy, Anthony Jacek, Andrew Sokol, Josh Parker, Jacob Spiegel, Keith Austin
Middle row: Matthew Excott, Logan Harsh, Ty Quass, Tyler Patt, Taylor Jardine
Back row: James Barth, Gage Heward, Harry Withrow, George Dorek, Tom Craig, Brett Flynn

VARSITY GIRLS BOWLING

Team Back-to-Back-to-Back State Champions!

Front row (L to R): Caitie Behnke, Stephanie Oldach, Shannon Ward, Alexis DeLong, Atlanta Roberts,
Tawni Vellmer, Kiera Richard
Back row: Tiffany Slater, Britney Martin, Alexis Furrer, Lindsey Ziegler, Jane Excott, Jasmine Gruber

Schedule
Huron
Ypsilanti
Chelsea
Battle of the Baker Tournament
Adrian
Monroe
Ypsilanti
Chelsea
Motor City Team Challenge
Pioneer
Adrian
Saline
Skyline
SEC Championships
Regionals
State Finals
Schedule

Sallie (0-4)L (12-8)W
Jackson NorthWest L (7-9) W (3-1)
Pioneer (7-6)W (3-6)L
Menard (9-4)L (6-6)T
Chelsea (3-2)L (13-0)W
Huron (10-7)L
Lincoln (7-6)L (15-11)W
Bedford (8-2)L (9-1)L
Dexter (3-1)W (3-2)L
Adrian (14-8)L (5-4)L
Ypsilanti (10-0)W (10-0)W
Onsted (12-2)W (11-1)W
Jenewille (15-3)W
Menard SMCC (12-1)W
Clinton (18-10)L
Record: 14-15-1
JV BASEBALL

Front row (L to R): Dylan Druke, John Mulready, Zach Schwab, George Preston
Middle row: Nate Bagby, Andrew Edy, Jacob Britt, Michael Shelton, Brad Vannatter
Back row: Max Patterson, Nate Brown, Zach Lorraine, Coach Joe Linde

FRESHMAN BASEBALL

Front row (L to R): Casey Hunt, Spencer Hilt, John Terry, Nick Coffin, Eric Hooven, Evan Sanders
Middle row: Mike Stover, Spencer Adams, Ben Kasper, Eric Eldred, Kyle Bryan, Giannen Waynick
Back row: Coaches Mr. Benschoter and Mr. Clites

Schedule
Saline
Pioneer
Monroe
Chelten
Huron
Lincoln
Vandalia
Dexter
Ida
Adrian
Record: 13-6

Schedule
Saline
Pioneer
Monroe
Chelsea
Coldwater Invitational
Huron
Milan
Bedford
Vandalia
Dexter
Adrian
Record: 18-12-1
Varsity Softball

Front row (L to R): Courtney LaVey, Megan Marko, Melissa Felkey, Katelyn Dykas, Catie Kaliszuk, Kristen Kingen, Samantha Dahl

Middle row: Abby Ross, Ashley Russell, Ashley O'Leary, Haledah Edgar, Chelsea Hutchinson, Sara Harrison, Bailey Crotts, Ali Whitman

Back row: Coach Brian Holman, Coach Kristalyn Musselman

Schedule

Tecumseh Invitational (W 12 - 2) (W 17 - 2) (W 7 - 3)
A Saline (W 6 - 1) (W 6 - 1)
H Pioneer (W 12 - 3) (W 10 - 0)
A Menzel (W 5 - 1) (W 7 - 2)
H Chelsea (W 4 - 2) (L 5 - 9)
Michigan Stars Tournament (W 12 - 0) (W 8 - 0)
H Ann Arbor Huron (W 25 - 0) (W 12 - 0)
A Lincro (W 4 - 1) (W 16 - 2)
A Bedford (L 2 - 1) (W 5 - 4)
H Upalands (W 15 - 0) (W 2 - 0)
A Dexter (W 8 - 1) (L 2 - 1)
A Adrian (W 4 - 1) (W 10 - 1)
H Onsted (L 1 - 6) (L 3 - 4)
H Skyline (W 12 - 0) (W 16 - 1)
H Portage Central (L 3 - 4) (L 1 - 10)
A Clinton (W 4 - 3) (L 7 - 0)
District Semi-Finals Chelsea (W 9 - 2)
District Finals Jackson Northwest (W 4 - 1)
Regional Semi-Finals Battle Creek Harper Creek (W 7 - 0)
Regional Finals Milton (W 3 - 1)

The 2010 softball team did very well under captains Catie Kaliszuk, Katelyn Dykas, and Chelsea Hutchinson. Coach Kristalyn Musselman had this to say about the team: The 2010 season was a huge success, and the team exceeded all expectations set forth by the coaches. We really came together and played as a team when it mattered. There were several girls who stepped up their game when it meant the most.
Varsity Girls Soccer

Front row (L to R): Nina Orlofski, Jenessa Steinwe, Maria Abeed, Ariane Bohm, Raquel Champion, Raquel Valdez, Hayley Castilano

Middle row: Abigail Green, Elizabeth Mentzer, Kelsey Schoenberger, Devan Giovannone, Tara Rankin, Rikkele Beek

Back row: Coach Mike Lavelle, Mackenzie Cyttel, Michelle Mien, Ashton Lavelle, Jasmine Grove, Becca Trutt, Sarah Trutt, Coach Matt Daidley

Schedule

This year's team captains were Becca Trutt, Ashton Lavelle, and Jasmine Grove. Ashley stated, "This year was very successful. We won eight more games this year than from the previous year (9-10). This year's team was very unified. We work well together overall." Congratulations on improving this year, girls!
Front row (L to R): Adam Napieralski, Charlie Haeder, Victor Tran, Thomas O'Neil, Josh Parker, Anthony Talasco, Austin Gilbert, Coach Haeder
Back row: Coach Lewandowski, Alex Beamer, Jeff McGowan, Michael Cownard, Matt Schefler, Steve Catanese, Jake Kimeker, Tyler Cochran, Tyler Williams, Coach Gilbert
JV GIRLS SOFTBALL

Front row (L to R): Merissa McClure, Karsi Smith, Emily Maves, Kelsey Smith, Mattie Wright, Korin Burdell, Rachel Pekulski
Middle row: Kylie Hill, Kelsey Rondell, Jordyn Norkey, Haven Shaffer, Kylee Rowlen, Kaileigh Burkhard
Back row: Coach Steve Barkway, Coach Kelly Lowe, Coach Curt Novak

Schedule
Saline (11-1) (20-1) W
A.A. Pioneer (16-0) (15-0) W
Monroe (18-1) (14-1) W
Chelsea (6-3) (6-5) W
A.A. Huron (12-0) (10-0) W
Lincoln (27-0) (16-0) W
Bedford (10-0) (12-1) W
Blissfield (10-0) (16-0) W
Dexter (2-4) L (12-0) W
Frankenmuth Tournament:
Saginaw Heritage (7-0) W
Frankenmuth (2-0) W
Tawas (16-0) W
Mt. Pleasant (7-2) W
Adrian (20-0) (12-5) W
Onsted (11-4) (4-3) W

Record: 25 wins, 1 loss

JV GIRLS LACROSSE

Front row (L to R): Cassie Wright, Kari Etinski, Paige Cudmos, Tess Wagner, Shelby Denham, Amelia Batsinski, Alexus Elter
Back row: Coach Cindy Hill, Tori Thacker, McKenzie Cook, Elene Megna, Jesse Anders, Erin Ingle, Ximia Traeger-Born, Coach Ralph McMillin

Schedule
AA Huron 11-14 L
Notre Dame Academy-Tolstoi 4-9 L
Ottawa Hills 4-7 L
Harland 1-11 L
Notre Dame Academy-Tolstoi 8-9 L
AA Pioneer 9-15 L
Perrysburg OH 12-7 W
AA Pioneer 14-5 W
AA Gabriel Richard 14-4 W

Record: 3 wins, 6 losses
Front row (L to R): Zach Branchuau, Cody Ross, Christian Jarvis, Jeff Jenkins, Keilen Rattinger
Middle row: David Wolf, Matt Mervay, Kyle Braunschneider, Mitch Ringer, Jordan Comard, Travis Koller, Zach Bailey, Colten Moore, Alex Baker
Back row: Jacob Guday, Tom Curney, Steven Owrenith, Max Bishar

Schedule

DAVISON
Nortimev 4-2 W
Gabriel Richard 7-10 L
Belleville
Ypsilanti 8-2 W
Lincoln
Belleville
Petoskey
Dexter 6-3 W
Saline
Ypsilanti 16-3 W
Pioneer
Petoskey
Monroe
Grosse Ile 0-3 W
Chelsea 0-5 W
Grand Blanc
Belleville 15-0 W
Huron 5-9 L

Lincoln 5-12 W
Bedford 20-3 W
Skyline 13-3 W
Saline
Ypsilanti
Greenhills
Holland/Black River 6-4 W
Petoskey 9-3 W
Pioneer
Adrian
Grand Blanc 7-8 L
Pioneer 0-12 L
Dexter 8-9 L
Front row (L to R): Heather Major, Briannie Snyder, Jacki Bauer, Lora Kasik, Autumn McMillin
Middle row: Katelynn Sivermit, Gabrielle Flera, Marie Wallach, Stephanie Hall, Emily Kennedy, Miranda Millers
Back row: Coach Hill, Nicole Palm, Anne Mannet, Kettle Smalls, Kylie Hill, Coach Ralph McMillin

SCHEDULE

AA Huron 9-16 L
Notre Dame Prep 14-14 Tie
Ottawa Hills 7-16 L
Hartland 9-16 L
Notre Dame Prep 22-29 Sudden Death L
University of Liggett-Grosse Pointe 11-8 W
AA Pioneer 10-16 L
Bosford-Fordfield-W
Rochester 14-17 L
Maumee Valley-OH 10-9 W
Ferrisburg OH 12-7 W
AA Pioneer 14-5 W
AA Gabriel Richard 14-4 W
Battle Creek 13-15 L
Saultie 20-8 W
Bloomfield-Labor 7-24 L
University of Liggett-Grosse Pointe 15-10 W
AA Gabriel Richard 12-10 W
Saultie 23-13 W
AA Gabriel Richard-District Round 1 10-7 W
Farmington United-Round 2 10-14 L

Autumn McMillin set a national record this year for goals scored in her career. She finished her high school career with 180 goals, shattering the previous record of 129. Goalie Nicole Palm also broke the school record for saves. They were both coached by Cindy Hill, assisted by Ralph McMillin.
Boys Track

Top to Bottom (L-R) Row 1: Andy Collings, Victor Gelagte, Nick Nowak, Dan Burchett, Lari Pelmounter, Paul Burns, Brad Derby, James Hawkins, Justin Monahan Row 2: CJ Hern, Matt Nozman, Travis Hyder, Dom Grieveson, Caleb Hughes, Gavin Burdell, Jeremy Heslewood, Tyler Hill, Leon Miller Row 3: Coach Brandamour, Tyler Bryan, Brandon Hard, T.J. Mielke, Austin Shurtle, Greg Park, Jacob Kelley, Adden Eubanks, Austin Sce Row 4: Coach Brown, Nolan Reynolds, Chad McCluskey, Nathan Kesey, Wyatt Prince, Tyler Hopkins, Alex Carpenter, Mike Smith, Blake Lewis

Schedule

Tecumseh Relays Home
Onsted Wildcat Creed Relay
Chelsea High School
Daville Invitational
Lincoln High School
JV Saline Invitational
Ypsilanti High School
Ralph Rice Invitational
Dexter High School
Tecumseh Invitational
Adrian High School
MHSAA Regionals
SEC @ Adrian
D.T.I.P. Meet

We were very excited about our track and field season this year. We had many newcomers to complement our experienced runners who returned. Tyler Bryan and Jake Kelley emerged as strong sprinters last year and returned to our line-up this year. Leading the distance events were Leon Miller, Austin Sce, Nolan Reynolds, Patrick McArain, and Ben Robertson. Also, we had a large contingent of throwers, led by Tom Coleman, Travis Hyder, Jacob Goudy, and Caleb Hughes.

**GIRLS TRACK**

Despite many injuries and grueling practices, the girls had a great season. The team pulled together and encouraged each other. Many of us would not have been able to make it through the workouts if our teammates had not continually supported us. In freezing rain and blazing sun, we were always there for each other, and that is why we had such an incredible time together.
Boys Golf

Front row (L to R): Zach Campbell, Dylan Orr, Joe Forest, Jacob Bloom, Bobby Thomas, Zach Horn
Middle row: Josh Short, Devin Waynick, Collin Smith, Jeff Montie, Ryan McDowell
Back row: Coach Pat Penny, Daevon Cola, Hunter Claudius, Nick Barrete, Fancy Morris
### Freshmen
- Spencer Adams
- Will Anklin
- Amelia Batinski
- Nicole Beazik-Greene
- Jacob Britt
- Raquel Champion
- Tyler Cochran
- Nick Coffin
- Nicole Collins
- Mackenzie Cygallah
- Nathaniel Darling
- Eric Eldred
- Katherine Flint
- Drew Grimm
- Ryan Harrison
- Spencer Hite
- Alex Janczewski
- Leigh Kapnick
- Jared Kimmitt
- Madsen Kirby
- Dylan Karn
- Anthony Leko
- Lucas Liuzezi
- Matthew Maki
- Rachel Malcolm
- Emily Maves
- Brent Moyer
- Kyla Niemann
- Jordyn Norkey
- Rebecca Nowak
- Matthew O'Leary
- Kayleen Oldeke
- Rachel Pokulski
- Andrew Robertiato
- Sage Robertiato
- Jillian Rine
- Alexi Schuur
- Kelley Smith
- Andrew Sokol
- Jennifer Staedelgrave
- John Terry
- Sarah Tritt
- Rachel Wade
- Megan Watkins
- Anna Wendt
- Matthew Wright
- Alexandra Zawacki

### Sophomores
- Nathan Bagby
- Allie Bateman
- Kelley Berrington
- Nathan Brown
- Bailee Crota
- Sam Daviti
- Kari Elkins
- Jason Gilkey
- Nathan Haeussler
- Sarah Harrison
- Sarah Hoag
- Zachary Horn
- Nathan Koskey
- Alison Lara
- Courtney LaVoy
- Anne Mammel
- Megan Marko
- Missy McClure
- Tyler Melnik
- Madsen Mills
- Brianne Nowak-Scott
- Takumi Ogata
- Max Patterson
- Ashlea Phenice
- Jared Powell
- Sara Savio
- Johanna Seidel
- Haven Shaffer
- Christian Shelby
- Carly Tilton
- Victor Tran
- Brad Vannatter
- Danielle Wiegus

### Juniors
- Brittany Ames
- Caleb Armstrong
- Mariah Austin
- Caitlyn Behnke
- Paul Burns
- Andrew Collings
- Jonathan Collins
- Spencer Deland
- Alexis Delpough
- Alden Eubanks
- Evan Fanslau
- Melissa Felkey
- Brooke Garner
- Courtney Heng
- Cornelius Horn
- Chelsea Hutchinson
- Jacob Kelley
- Collin Leiko
- Kelly Malcolm
- Patrick McArain
- Justin Mendahn
- Nicholas Nowak
- Ashley O'Leary
- Shannon Peake
- Levi Polmounier
- Tyler Quass
- Bridget Rathbun
- Murielle Rine
- Mitchell Ringer
- Celeste Rizard
- Ashley Russell
- Keaton Ruttiger
- Dominique Sciole
- Tiffany Slater
- Jessa Steege
- Tawni Vollmer

### Seniors
- Rachel Bartolo
- Taylor Benedict
- Diana Brown
- Bridget Burns
- Jordan Coward
- Allison Daviti
- Annie Dunn
- Katelyn Dykas
- Haley Edgar
- Jessica Frick
- Erin Frick
- Jasmine Gruber
- Steven Harrison
- Lawrence Havetka
- Eleanor Jacques
- Jacob Kregger
- Karlie Ledergerber
- Elise Meyss
- Isabele Neugoria
- Bridget O'Leary
- Kyle Peake
- Ben Robertson
- Gretchen Seidel
- Chelsea Shartle
- Alexandria Smith
- Katelyn Staedelgrave
- Allison Stefenson
- Elizabeth Swindle
- Rebecca Tritt
- Kaitlyn VanDeCar
- Megan Vredenboel
- Alison Weis
- Kaitlyn Wilford
- McKenzie Wright
**Kyle**

We've enjoyed watching you grow into the fine young man that you are today. This successful milestone is one of many in your journey through life. As you begin the next phase of your journey, we look forward to sharing your future successes with you. We will always love and support you! Congratulations!!

Love, Mom, Dad, Kevin, and Shannon

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**Congratulations Erin!!**

You are and will always be an important part of our family. You have turned into an amazing woman. We are very proud of your many accomplishments. Good luck as you move on to the next stage of your life. Just remember to keep working hard, and you will go far.

Love Mom, Dad, Kyle & Brooke

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**Congratulations Kristen!**

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ARMY BASE MASSACRE
An army psychiatrist at Fort Hood, Texas, allegedly opened fire on base, killing 13 people and wounding 30 before being wounded. Investigators were trying to determine whether Major Nidal Malik Hasan, an American, had terrorist ties.

ABLE AND UNEMPLOYED
There were signs the nation was climbing out of the recession, but job hunters could not tell. U.S. unemployment reached 10.2%, the highest since 1983. The unemployment rate for teens reached a record of 27.6%.

YANKEES BACK ON TOP
The New York Yankees defeated the Philadelphia Phillies in six games to win the 2009 World Series, and claim their record 27th championship. Outfielder Hideki Matsui hit .615 in the series and became the first Japanese player to win World Series MVP.
BOLT INTO THE RECORD BOOK

Already the fastest man in the world, Jamaican sprinter Usain Bolt won the 100 and 200 meters at the 2009 World Track Championships in Berlin, shattering the world records he already held. Bolt's time of 9.58 seconds in the 100 was more than a tenth of a second faster than the previous record he set in the 2008 Olympics.

SPREADING GLEE

Glee, Fox's new comedy about the show choir group at an Ohio high school, became a critical success and was nominated for numerous awards. The show's musical format gained a loyal audience, led to frequent song downloads from the show's musical numbers and even to new glee clubs at some high schools.

BALLOON BOY HOAX

The parents who claimed their 6-year-old son was carried away by a flying saucer-shaped balloon served some jail time. The plot by Richard and Mayumi Heene was revealed by their son, Falcon, during an interview when he said the family "did this for the show." The Heenes, who had appeared on Wife Swap, apparently were hoping the incident would lead to another reality TV show.

SAFE LANDING

Airport security was looked at again after a Nigerian man tried to blow up his Northwest Airlines flight just before landing in Detroit on Christmas Day. Umar Farouk Abdulmutallab, 23, was badly burned when he lit a small explosive device while sitting in his seat. He was held by passengers and crew until the plane landed.

FLU VACCINE SCARCITY

While the government asked the public to take the H1N1 influenza seriously, vaccine shortages occurred because it could not be made fast enough. Then people had to decide whether to get the "regular" and the H1N1 vaccines - available in shot and nasal mist forms.

TWEETING THE NEWS

Many news stories were beginning to appear on social websites like Twitter. Some events closed to traditional media outlets, such as Iran's government-controlled election, were reported to the world via Twitter users.

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WAR ON TERROR

About 68,000 U.S. troops were stationed in Afghanistan to fight the Taliban as President Barack Obama planned to send an additional 30,000 troops. He also stated a goal of bringing troops home beginning July 2011.

ENDING ON A HIGH NOTE

The story of plane crash survivors who end up on a mysterious island, Lost, finally came to an end during its sixth and last season. The cult classic, which at its peak became one of the most-watched shows on TV, once again became one of the “events” of the TV season by wrapping up all its mysteries.

DISASTER BEYOND BELIEF

A powerful earthquake, measuring 7.0 on the Richter scale, hit just outside Port-au-Prince, the capital city of island nation Haiti. More than 217,000 people were killed, nearly 400,000 lost their homes and were left scrambling for aid and several of the country’s historic landmarks were destroyed.
EVERYONE GOES WIRELESS

Most people were now carrying wireless phones. And the gadgets could do more things, as products like Apple's iPhone allowed users to place calls, take pictures, access email and the internet, keep schedules and much more.

HARRY POTTER STILL STRONG

The Harry Potter series continued stronger than ever through the movies. The film based on the sixth book, *Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince*, made nearly $1 billion worldwide. Plans were made to split the story of the seventh and final book into two movies.

AWKWARD MOMENT

When country star Taylor Swift won Best Female Video at the MTV Video Music Awards, rapper Kanye West grabbed the microphone and protested that Beyonce should have won the award. West's upstaging of Swift was met with boos. When Beyonce won Video of the Year later in the show, she called Swift back on stage for the two ladies to share a moment.

SOME THINGS CHANGE

Showing how far hip-hop has come, the late rapper Tupac Shakur's song, "Changes," was included as one of the 12 songs on the Vatican's official MySpace Music playlist when it was released, alongside Mozart.

THE BEST EVER?

Roger Federer won the 15th Grand Slam singles title of his career, when he defeated Andy Roddick in a five-set classic at Wimbledon. It was the most Grand Slam titles of any men's tennis player in history. Federer then added to his record in the new year when he won the Australian Open for the fourth time.

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TOUCH THE IPAD

Apple once again created buzz with its latest product roll-out, this time releasing its version of a tablet computer with the iPad. Essentially functioning the same as an iPod Touch, the iPad primarily allowed users to access the internet, watch video and listen to audio.

SNOWED IN

Two massive blizzards hit several major cities in the eastern U.S. in early February, closing schools and shutting down businesses for days. Baltimore, Washington D.C. and Philadelphia were all hit hard and set records for seasonal snowfall.

DRUG WAR ESCALATES

Violence between rival drug cartels in Mexico continued to cause problems throughout the country and along the border with the United States. The Mexican government deployed thousands of soldiers in many cities to crack down, while the U.S. even began talk of offering the help of the National Guard.

DEALING WITH AUTISM

Parents and doctors continued coming to grips with the apparent rise of autism cases among children. Various studies continued to search for causes, while medical professionals kept scrambling for cures and treatments. All the while, mostly questions remained.
Olympic swimming legend Michael Phelps returned to the pool at the 2009 World Championships in Rome and won five more gold medals. After finishing second in the 200-meter freestyle, his first race loss in four years, Phelps responded by being part of setting four individual and relay world records.

A WHOLE NEW, 3-D WORLD
Futuristic, sci-fi thriller Avatar easily became the biggest box office hit of the year and one of the biggest hits of all-time, mostly due to what audiences considered breathtaking visuals. Using new, advanced 3-D technology, the movie was in production for several years and cost more than $250 million to make.

SHAKEUP ON IDOL
American Idol continued to be a TV hit, even with a new judge. Paula Abdul left the show after eight years and was replaced by Ellen DeGeneres. Simon Cowell announced he was also leaving the show at the end of season nine.

NEW LINE OF DEFENSE
The U.S. revisited plans to deploy a missile defense shield to protect Europe, specifically due to rising concerns about Iran’s nuclear capabilities. Romania was selected as the location of the interceptor missiles.

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TOUGH YEAR FOR TIGER

The golf world could never slow down Tiger Woods, but the planet's most famous athlete saw his career come to a halt after he was involved in a car accident outside his home the day after Thanksgiving. When media looking into the story discovered that Woods had been unfaithful to his wife for years, the golfer took an indefinite leave from the sport to regroup and refocus his life.

MASSIVE TOYOTA RECALL

Various problems involving floor mats, accelerators and brakes led Toyota to recall more than eight million cars worldwide. Congress held hearings to determine the severity of the Toyota issues, and the recall took an economic toll on the company.

OLD, OLD BONES

Scientists determined that fossils found in Ethiopia were an estimated 4.4 million years old and from the skeleton of a 4-foot female human-like species. Nicknamed "Ardi" by the team, the discovery was considered the oldest possible evidence of a human ancestor.

CIVIL DISAGREEMENT

The U.S. Justice Department decided to try five suspected 9/11 terrorists in civilian court in New York City, a move opposed by many who still saw the defendants as enemy combatants not deserving of a non-military trial.
GLOBAL WARMING DEBATE
While many in the scientific community continued to warn of the increasing harmful effects of global warming, skeptics continued to debate the cause and/or severity of the problem. The United Nations held a week-long conference in Copenhagen specifically to deal with climate change issues.

PROBLEMS IN PAKISTAN
While the U.S. military continued to be preoccupied in Afghanistan, the situation wasn’t much better in neighboring Pakistan. The Taliban began to see a resurgence of strength and popularity in the country, as they continued a guerrilla war against the Pakistani government.

GA-GA FOR THIS LADY
Pop star Lady Gaga won multiple honors at the MTV Music Video Awards, including Best New Artist. Known for her wild outfits and elaborate dance numbers, Lady Gaga continued to score multiple top 10 hits with her second album, “The Fame Monster.”

TRY A PET PIG
Tiny “teacup” pigs were the latest pet craze. They typically never grow to more than about 60-65 pounds. Various celebrities began keeping the little pigs at home, even at a price of more than $1,000 each.

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GOOD KIND OF HURT

The Hurt Locker, an independent film about a bomb disposal unit of soldiers serving in the Iraq War, earned nine Oscar nominations, including Best Picture. The nominations put the small-budget war drama up against big-budget 3-D spectacle Avatar, which also scored nine nominations.

HEALTH CARE DEBATE

Americans loudly voiced their opinions about health care reform. During Congress' August recess, people shouted down their congressmen at town hall meetings. Cost was a hot button, with reform bills in Congress ranging from $848 billion to $1.052 trillion.

350 MILLION AND COUNTING

Social networking website Facebook kept growing, reaching 350 million subscribers – more than the population of the United States. A movie was even made about the life of Facebook CEO Mark Zuckerberg, who created the website in his Harvard dorm room.
SOME NBA HISTORY
Kobe Bryant led the Los Angeles Lakers to the 2009 NBA Finals for the 30th time, the most of any franchise in history, and the Lakers defeated Orlando for their 15th championship. Then, in the new season, L.A. became the first NBA team to win 3,000 games with a regular season win against Dallas.

OVERNIGHT SENSATION
Scottish woman Susan Boyle became an international celebrity when she appeared on the TV show Britain’s Got Talent and sang a powerful version of the song “I Dreamed a Dream” that shocked the judges and the audience. The YouTube video of the moment was watched by millions.

STILL GOING STRONG
Brett Favre decided on one more comeback, this time with the team who was his hated rival for years – the Minnesota Vikings. The 40-year-old Favre surprised critics by turning in one of the best seasons of his career, leading Minnesota all the way to the NFC Championship Game.

PRESTIGIOUS AWARD
President Barack Obama won the 2009 Nobel Peace Prize. The Norwegian Nobel Committee said it honored Obama because of his work to build ties between nations and people. The announcement was a surprise, even to White House officials.

HOLLYWOOD ICONS PASS ON
The world of Hollywood lost a couple of legends to battles with cancer. Patrick Swayze, remembered by many as a 1980s heartthrob and action star, died of pancreatic cancer. Farrah Fawcett, one of the original Charlie’s Angels from the 1970s, died after a long battle with cancer.

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SAINTS MARCH TO VICTORY

The New Orleans Saints defeated the Indianapolis Colts, 31-17, to win Super Bowl XLIV. It was the first championship in team history. Quarterback Drew Brees was named MVP after he tied the record for most pass completions in the game with 32. The win came just four years after much of New Orleans was under water from Hurricane Katrina.

PATRIARCH PASSES

Massachusetts Sen. Ted Kennedy, 77, died from a cancerous brain tumor. The youngest brother of President John Kennedy and Sen. Robert Kennedy made a name for himself as the “Lion of the Senate,” helping to pass laws such as the Civil Rights Act, Americans with Disabilities Act, and the Family and Medical Leave Act.

MISSED THE EXIT

Two Northwest Airlines pilots lost their licenses after flying past their stop at the Minneapolis airport. At first, it was feared the plane was hijacked, as air traffic control could not make radio contact. But Captain Timothy Cheney and First Officer Richard Cole lost track of time and where they were because they were using laptops and talking about work schedules.
GOOD-BYE TO THE KING OF POP
Michael Jackson, considered one of the most influential and famous entertainers, collapsed in his home and later died from an overdose of prescription medicine. Jackson's death led to much reflection and debate about his eccentric life.

COUNTING HEADS
Counting of the U.S. population began in March 2010 when census forms were mailed. From April through July, census takers followed up on unreturned forms and searched for uncounted people. There was a push to ensure that African-Americans were counted correctly. The census determines congressional districts and where to spend federal funds.

LATE NIGHT BATTLES
NBC took a gamble by moving The Tonight Show host Jay Leno to a show in primetime, and replacing him with Conan O'Brien. Both new shows failed in the ratings, forcing the network to move Leno back to late night, give O'Brien the boot and angering the fans of both comedians.

A MOVE FOR DANICA
Successful IndyCar driver Danica Patrick made a highly publicized jump to NASCAR, running a part-time schedule on the Nationwide Series in order to gain stock car experience.

ROLL TIDE!
Alabama won college football's BCS national championship game, 37-21, over Texas. The Crimson Tide were led by 116 yards rushing from Heisman Trophy winning running back Mark Ingram. The game turned early when Texas quarterback Colt McCoy was knocked out of the game with a pinched nerve in his throwing shoulder.
TOTAL DOMINATION
Connecticut became the first women's college basketball team to finish a season undefeated and go an entire year winning every game by at least 10 points. The winning streak continued into 2010, reaching 66 games by late February.

ONLINE SHOPPING TAKES OVER
In yet another sign that the future of retail was online, holiday sales on Cyber Monday after Thanksgiving were up 14%, even generating more than the traditional Black Friday shopping day. At its peak, the online shoppers on Cyber Monday reached 4 million per minute.

BACK TO THE MOON
NASA sent a robotic spacecraft to the moon, its first mission back to the lunar surface in more than 10 years. The mission was designed as the kickoff of a long-term project to explore whether the U.S. should colonize there. The first step – discovering water, which the spacecraft did in its first month.

END OF AN ERA
USC football coach Pete Carroll, who won 97 games, two national titles and seven Pac-10 championships during his decade at the school, jumped to the NFL to become the head coach of the Seattle Seahawks.

UP, UP AND AWAY
The movie Up was a huge hit with audiences and critics. The emotional, adventure tale of a grumpy old man and a boy who fly to South America in a floating house earned several awards, including a Best Picture Oscar nomination.
O CANADA
The 2010 Winter Olympics were held in Vancouver. Sadly, the Games were rocked by a tragic start when Nodar Kumaritashvili, a luge competitor from Georgia, was killed during a training crash. On a more upbeat note, speed skater Apolo Anton Ohno became the most decorated American male winter Olympian when he won his sixth medal.

NO PAIN, NO GAIN
Skier Lindsey Vonn won the gold medal for the U.S. in the women's downhill, even while racing on a painful bruised shin injury. Vonn was the first American woman to ever win the Olympic downhill event.

UPSET ON THE ICE
American figure skater Evan Lysacek pulled off one of the surprises of the Games by knocking off defending Olympic champion, Russian Evgeni Plushenko, in the men's singles competition. Lysacek became the first U.S. male to win Olympic gold in figure skating since 1988.

LIGHTER THAN AIR
Snowboarder Shaun White soared over the competition and defended his Olympic crown in the halfpipe. White's score of 48.4 for his last run in the finals was a new Olympic record.

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As one of his first prominent acts, President Barack Obama lifted President George W. Bush's ban on the use of federal funds for medical stem cell research. Laws on the books still prevent scientists from creating new embryonic stem cells for research, but the renewed funding allowed them to once again study hundreds of stem cell lines already in existence.

TROUBLING CONFESSION

Eight years after his retirement, former home run king Mark McGwire became the latest baseball superstar to admit to steroid use during his playing days. Long suspected, McGwire finally admitted to using the banned substances in the 1990s after he accepted a job as the hitting coach of the St. Louis Cardinals.

A RECORD JUMP

X-Games motocross gold medalist and race car driver Travis Pastrana provided the nation with some unique New Year's Eve entertainment when he set a new world record by completing a 269-foot ramp-to-ramp jump with his car at the Long Beach pier.