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## My Book: A Tale of Two Cities

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## Fernando Beeck

There's nothing
enlightened about
shrinking so that other people won't feel insecure around you.


Nick Braaten
Yea...


## Sampson Borns

What you say will be forgoteen. Some day, what you do will always be remembered.


Julia Brown
Do what you can, with what you have, where you are.


Jacob Dawdy
We are here for a good time, but not for a long time.


Karen Green
We all have our chances in life which are more or less a second chance.



Kelly Haisch
Apple pie without some cheese is like a hug without a squeeze.


Kayla Halverson
A goodbye is never painful unless you're never going to say hello again.


## Robbie Heiman

I don't want the cheese, I just want to get out of the trap.


## Angela Hazel

Most shadows in this life are caused by standing in your own sunshine.

## Scott Howard

Don't be afraid to go after what you want or what you believe and don't be afraid to pay the price.


## Taylor Huber

The only person who can hold back your dreams is you.


# TheGreat Seniors Looking Ahead 



Lunch Time! 1250 ,

Waylon Sitting Crow
4. Chance Steen takes a rest or the table from a stressful day.
his food whole:



Most Likely to become a cannibal: Jason Vreugdenhil


Most Likely to adopt a baby from a third world


Most Likely to become an anarchist: Taylor Huber



Most Likely to be the next James Bond: Jacob Dawdy


Most Likely to get married first:

Megan Wood

Most Likely To...

Most Likely to flirt his way to the White House: Fernando Beeck

Most Likely to become a nun: Mallory Schempp


A Mallory


Most Likely to look up when you say, "Gullible is written on the ceiling":
Shelby Smith


## Andrea Jansen

We have 40 million reasons for failure but not a single excuse.


Kelsey Johannsen
All I can do is
be me,
whoever that is.


Jonathon Rodriguez
Kangaroos can't hop like this. forward than to look back.


Jessica Keonig
Life is not about finding yourself. Life is about creating yourself.



Our eyes are placed in front of us because its more important to look



Waylon Sitting Crow

I know it seems hard sometimes but remember one thing: Through every dark night, there's a bright day after that. So no matter how hard it gets, stick your chest out, keep your head up...and handle it.


Austin Skoglund
Education is always painful. Pain is always educational.


Shelby Smith
Don't cry because it's over, smile because it happened.



## Matt Schempp

Our greatest glory is not in never falling, but in rising every time we fall

## Most likely to...




Most Likely to win Jeopardy: Julia Brown

Most Likely to be a teacher at AHHS: Kelly Haisch


Most Likely to be
on The Bachelor: Lindsey Schempp
-

Most Likely to live in Alcester his whole life: Joe Zweife


Most Likely to own a chain of Burger Kings: Karen Green

## THEN THEY WERE WHAT WILL YOU REMEMBER?


"While walking back from Graduation decorating, watching Jason Vruegdenhil walk into a telephone pole."
"When I texted the Karen Green wrong boyfriend by mistake!" Waylon Sitting Crow
"When Kelly Haisch and Austin
Skoglund got into a huge fight about the pronunciation of the Eragon book
title."
"Freshman year, getting Joe
Zweifel stuck in a tree."
"In eighth grade when Julia Brown fainted during my Illustrated Talk."

Lindsey Schempp


Brenden Norseen



## Chance Steen

Everything is possible for he who believes.


## Julia Sundstrom

Everything is okay in the end. If it's not okay, then it's not the end.


Emily Ver Mulm
Count your age by your friends, not years. Count your life by smiles not tears.



Jason Vreugdenhil Well, I guess it's better than a poke in the eye with a dirty carrot!


Megan Wood Passion is knowing what you want and not stopping until you have it.


## Stefanie Zemanek

We both have light and dark inside of us. What matters is the part we choose to act on. That's who we really are.


# - Class of 2009 ■ 



## Joe Zweifel

What would you attempt to do if you knew you could not fail?


Class President - Angie Hazel
Vice President - Kelsey Johannsen
Secretary - Mallory Schempp
Treasurer - Julia Brown
Student Council - Kayla Halverson
Austin Skoglund

## Class Flower - Gerber Daisy

Class Colors - Black, Silver, and Turqoiuse
Class Motto - Our deepest fear is not that we are inadequate. Our deepest fear is that we are powerful beyond measure.


Back Row: Fernando Beeck, Matt Schempp, Kelly Haisch, Mallory Schempp, Joe Zweifel, Scott Howard, Jessica Koenig, Jason Vreugdenhil. Second Row: Waylon Sitting Crow, Jon Rodriguez, Austin Skoglund, Angela Hazel, Megan Wood, Emily VerMulm, Karen Green, Kelsey Johannsen. Front Row:Jacob Dawdy, Kayla Halverson, Andrea Jansen, Julia Brown, Taylor Huber, Lindsey Schempp, Julia Sundstrom, Halee Lokken, Stefanie Zemanek, Chance Steen (Not pictured: Nick Braaten, Sam Borns, Robbie Heiman, Brenden Norseen, Shelby Smith)



Fall was a very busy part of the year: Homecoming, Volleyball winning Districts, Football's tough season, and of course, no one will forget the dodgeball game the Student Council put on. The Cross Country team sent five runners to the state level. Band and Choir members raked leaves and did landscaping to earn some much needed cash for the 2009 trip to New York. FFA members took a trip to the national FFA convention in Indianapolis. Members of the FCCLA chapter went to the cluster meeting in Dallas, TX. All seven members of the Oral interp team made the cut for the region competition. The annual Thanksgiving Dinner was a success for the FCCLA and Student Council, and Mr. Bergland's A\&P class took a voyage to SDSU for the day for a tour of the Cadaver department. So as the year transitioned into the winter months, memories from fall still lingered through the school.


From Get-Up and Go Day to dodgeball, Homecoming was a great kick-off to the new school year. Kelly Haisch and Angela Hazel made us proud this year by accepting the status of Homecoming King and Queen. School spirit was coming from every inch of the school and everybody was getting ready for the big game on Friday. There was great support all through homecoming week. Students celebrated by dressing differently each day to show different sides of their personalities. Teachers also got involved, like when Mr. Bergland wore his ridiculous gray wig on Costume Day.

With a candy theme, there was loads of fun during this very windy Homecoming Day. Students were auctioned off, floats appeared in the parking lot, and Student Council members were bribed with candy and pop by the local businesses to persuade them to vote for their windows. Even though the coronation got rained out and the Homecoming game didn't turn out the way we hoped, students got their groove on at the dance to finish out homecoming week. This was a Homecoming to never forget.

Marshmallow anyone? Changing traditions this year, the burning of the A-H happened after the parade.

## Watch out!

Looking for a target, Derek Lundberg tries to score a hit for the freshmen.


## Top 10 Moments of Homecoming

## 10. The very wet and rainy Coronation.

9. Dylan Christensen almost setting the school on fire with the spotlight.
10. Burning of the AH on Friday rather than Monday.
11. Barack Obama (Jon Rodriguez) serving us grilled burgers on Costume Day.
12. Winning the volleyball game against Centerville.
13. Tyler Haeder taking an anatomical hit during dodgeball.
14. Mrs. Neu dressing up as a banana.
15. Mr. Haak's leisure suit on Decade Day.
16. Tyler Tabbert throwing Ramen Noodles instead of candy at the parade.
17. Derek Schuller paying $\$ 175$ for a dance with the queen.

## Right here!

Placing her bid for her dream date, Kayla Halverson is ready to pay some big bucks.


## Blast from the past!

Bringing back some style statements, Mr. Haak and sophomores Sarah Haisch and Alexis McConnell dress up for Decade Day.

## Help!

Getting mauled by the Cub, MC Kelsey Johannsen gets punished for dissing the football team.
"It was fun to see Political candidates, Barack Obama, Sarah Palin and John McCain walking the halls.' -Taylor Huber ('09)

See me rolling......
Riding in style, seniors Julia Brown, Julia Sundstrom and Megan Wood bike down Main Street during the parade.

"I loved class color day, we were dressed in so much black that it was impossible to not have fun." Julia Sundstrom ('09)



What goes through the mind of a runner during a race?

"That first riff from Vicarious by Tool is pretty much on repeat in my head." -Jakob Webber ('11)
"I usually just think about how I want to finish, and getting the popside."
-Brittani Liston ('12)

"I hope I don't die." -Keith Berg ('11)
"I focus on where lam in the race and what position I am in." -Julia Sundstrom ('09)

## You wouldn't like him angry

Pulling out all the stops, Ty Schoellerman ends the race with pure adrenaline.

"It was a fun year, because it was a very successful year."
-Lexi Liston
('11)


## Almost done...

Finishing her last home race, Julia Sundstrum runs determined.


Left to Right
Bottom Row: Maggie Brown, Brittani Liston, Katelyn Homandberg, Dan Bergland. Top Row: Alexis Liston, Julia Sundstrom, Jakob Webber, Keith Berg.



## Light him up!

Wrapping up the opposing team's running back, senior Kelly Haisch tries to make the tackle.


Running the hill every Wednesday. -Cody Bratzel, ('12)

Playing American Gladiator. -Derek Schuller, ('11)


Destroying Tyler Haeder in a tackling drill. .twice.
-Jacob Busch, ('10)

Tackling people.
-Brenden Norseen, ('09)


## Run Eric run!

Racing to the endzone, junior Eric Anderson tries to get the touchdown.


Left to Right
Front Row: Derrick Lundberg, Austin Skoglund, Jerry Morelos, Dillyn Thompson, Levi Merrick, Rick Heiman, Lance Merrick, Jesse Beeck, Casey Skoglund. Second Row: Barry Wood, Nathan Johnson, Tyler Tabbert, Dylan Kratochvil, Matt Schempp, Fernando Beeck, Damien Schouten, Cody Bratzel. Third Row: Coach Brent Ripperda, Garret Beeck, Brenden Norseen, Kelly Haisch, Eric Anderson, Derek Schuller, Adam Hughes, Alec Rus, Jacob Busch, Tyler Hader, Coach Tim Rhead, Coach Brian Haak



## Ahhh team!

Gathering for the team huddle, the Cubs get ready to break it down.


"Dominating and owning Hurley three times and winning Districts" -Andrea Jansen ('09)

"Winning Districts and watching the crowd storm the court."
-Mallory Schempp ('09)
"Making it to
Regions. Even though we lost, it was a fun experience" -Megan Wood ('09)

"The practices before districts and regions"

- Taylor Huber ('09)



## Here it comes!

Preparing for a rocket serve, Angie


Page Design by Eric Anderson and Jacob Dawdy


Left to Right
First Row: Beth Gustner, Taylor Huber, Sarah Haisch, Mallory
Schempp, Kayla Halverson 2nd Row: Andrea Jansen, Megan Wood, Leah Rommereim, Alyce Johnson Third Row: Coach Linda Thompson, Julia Brown, Angie Hazel, Kendall Nelson, Emily Schreur, Ivy Pearson, Coach Vicki Ahart
the halls of school as another year began. Students, used to staying up late and sleeping in forever, attempted to break those old habits and forge new ones; impossible. Then as the rush of school work and sports kicked into gear, their day-to-day lives evolved. From singing down the hallways to chickens running rampant during classes to locker breaks, crazy events broke the monotony. These daily antics are what define us as students of AHHS. Even on a normal day AHHS students and made life fun.


Say cheese!
Protesting the lack of cheese at lunch, senior Scott Howard brings his own.
senior Scott Howard brings his own.
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Messing around
Having fun, senior Jason Vreugdenhil terrifies freshman Emma Morey for kicks.


The junior high band, expressing their inner child, dressed for Halloween and visited area nursing homes and the elementary school to share their musical talents. On days of volleyball or football games, the halls were filled with blue and gold clothes, paint, posters, hair dye, and handcrafted costumes. Like clockwork pickup football games were played after lunch outside while those inside tried to escape the cafeteria and hall monitors. Even a dull day brought out the sweet smell of variety- or maybe that was sulfur from Mr. Webster's room or a cow's digestive system from the AG room.


Scram!
Knowing she's not a morning person, senior Megan Wood clears the halls.

## Supporting the team

Setting a volleyball, senior Brenden Norseen attempts to make a basket against the girls at a pep rally.

## Spice bar cake

Celebrating his birthday, teacher Brian Haak receives a special gift from the cooks for depriving him of his daily spice bar at lunch.



## School spirit

Between classes, students flood the hallways dressed in blue and gold in support for the night's vollyball game.

## $66 \%$

of female students have read a book in the Twilight series.

Above: Damian Schouten and Dillyn Thompson wrestle for the chickens.

Below: Freshman Tyler Kjose tries to keep his chicken under control in Animal Science class.

## Play time in study hall

"Chicken alfredo is what I don't like for school lunch."

Jessica Ronning ('10)

"I don't like the school's pizza for lunch."

Relaxing after homework, a group of boys test their hacky sack skills.



"
On this day, we gather because we have chosen hope over fear, unity of purpose over conflict and discord.

-Barack Obama

January 20, 2009




It is the time of the year when many students abandon all hope for fun and give in to the boredom of winter. But this year was different. Students kept active by decking halls for the Holidays and hearing rhythmic blues from Sheltered Reality, who taught us to never give up and give everything a chance. Quiz Bowl members started using the computer to expand their knowledge, the boys basketball team scored a major victory over the West Sioux Falcons for the first time in five years, girls basketball players celebrated victories toward the end of their season, and freshmen Levi and Lance Merrick won the Big Sioux Wrestling Tourney. Keeping busy left no time to even think of getting bored. Classes were full of excitement with an FFA chili cook-off, star gazing with the Astronomy class, and time traveling Renaissance diaries with seniors. However, nothing was quite as memorable as watching the Inauguration of our first African American President, Barack Obama. This a moment that will impact our futures.



Apart from the blizzard of late starts, early dismissals, and school closings, winter was flurried with chaos at AHHS. Slippery roads and chilly weather caused vehicle mayhem, including the Suburban going up in flames on an FFA trip gone haywire and a new Impala for the high school. In December, students were blindsided by a snowstorm on semester test day, causing them to spin into a whirlwind to get their studying finished. New incentives for high grades were implemented in January, including shortened Wednesday afternoons, a "day out"
for hard working students and the well received opt out of spring semester tests for students with A's. Seniors let Macbeth drip from their tongues, sophomores and seventh graders lurched back to King Tut's time, and the student body was entertained by banging drums and Mr. Koenig's "alligator dance" at an all-school motivation presentation. Throughout the snowy months, we trod the halls with boots and zip-up hoodies, trying to keep cozy until the warmth of spring would melt the unwelcome and ever-present snow.


Vandalism is fun...
Feeling naughty in Creative Writing, senior Taylor Huber has fun during a graffiti project.


Flute away
Exchanging the latest news, Jessica Koenig and Rachael Thompson rest their flutes.


A rap a tap tap
Typing away, freshman Sammi Johnson concentrates on her final homework.
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- 8.20) By using Jack be nimble, Jack be quick

Practicing their limbo skills, the seniors have fun while decking zuation, and the the halls.

## Victory!

Celebrating an academic success, senior Kelly Haisch happily welcomes his hard earned grade.



## Kings of the mountain

Playing scrappy, freshmen Tyler Fuchs-Vernard and Alec Rus and sophomore Dillyn Thompson brawl on a snowy battlefield during lunch.

## 75\%

of the student body has had car problems because of the cold weather this winter.


Above: Making a mess with mache, freshmen Christine Hakl and Makayla McConnell create masks in Art.

Below: Wrestling for respect, seniors Jason Vrugdenhil and Chance Steen pass time in study hall.

"My favorite class is Chorus because I like the song we sing called The Rhythm of Life." Katherine McDole ('10)

Tuck here, tape there...
Finishing last minute repairs, juniors Jessica Ronning and Leah Rommeriem hope to cradle their egg for an A on a Physics project.


# Girls Basketball 

## Basketball Diaries

Two new coaches and the same starters gave the same hard effort every game. The girls this year had lots of close games that came down to the wire. They definitely had the bigs down low with the Twin Towers, senior Mallory Schempp and junior Emily Schruer. Senior Julia Brown was one of the best at getting to the rim and scoring or getting to the line. Senior Megan Wood was a good shooter and a go-to scorer. The girls swept Gayville-Volin in the regular season in three games.

Unfortunately, they faced serious injuries to three key players. Sophomores Lexy Schempp and Shaina Hummel and freshman Alyce Johnson all got hurt in the same week and were out for the rest of the season. It was tough but younger girls stepped up, particularly freshman Ivy Pearson, who came into the rotation and played an important role toward the end of the season. Although Hurley blew the girls out of the water early in the season, revenge was sweet when the Cubs beat Hurley in Districts.


Trying out for the Globetrotters, sophomore Sarah Haisch practices her ball handling skills.


Swishing a free throw against Viborg, senior Mallory Schempp makes both.


Fighting for position on the low block, senior Julia Brown defends her opponent.

## Drive Megan!

Penetrating the defense, senior Megan Wood

## Coach's Corner


drives to the lane for the layup.

## Feed me the rock!

Calling for the ball, junior Emily Schruer gets ready to shoot the baby hook shot.



|  | Them Us |
| :---: | :---: |
| Centerville | 67-31 |
| Freeman Academy | 37-21 |
| Parker | 52-45 |
| Gayville-Volin | 20-44 |
|  | 65-32 |
| Dakota Valley | 59-26 |
| Viborg | 69-34 |
| Bloomfield | 41-32 |
| Gayville-Volin | 25-51 |
| West Sioux | 80-42 |
| Gayville-Volin | 36-40 |
| Hurley | 56-45 |
| Berestord | 61-35 |
| Akron-Westrield | 52-38 |
| Irene-Wakonda | 43-46 |
| Baltic | 72-42 |
| Freeman | 60-42 |
| Viborg | 58-35 |
| Canton | 62-44 |
| Season Score |  |
| 4-15 |  |



## Dunk it!

Jumping for the rim, junior Emily Schruer tries to dunk the ball but decides to shoot a layup instead.


What was the best play of the year?
"My favorite play was
 when we would play lightning." -Shaina Hummel,('11)
"When I popped a three pointer against Gayville-Volin." -Lexy Schempp,('11)

"At practice when we acted like dogs for an out of bounds play and it worked."
-Beth Gustner,('11)
"When I saved the ball and I broke my leg." -Alyce Johnson,('12)


## Screen!

Screening an Akron defender, freshman Ivy Pearson helps sophomores Ashley Hanzlik and Sarah Haisch get open for a shot.



Left to Right
Front Row: Beth Gustner, Sarah Haisch, Ashley Hanzlik Second Row: Lexy Schempp, Megan Wood, Julia Brown, Alyce Johnson, Ivy Pearson Third Row: Coach Joni Schempp, Shaina Hummel, Emily Schruer, Mallory Schempp, Coach Shannon Hames

## [Boys Basketball]

## The Ripperda Code

A new year and new faces that had only two returning starters on the squad, senior Matt Schempp and junior Eric Anderson. The Cubs were led by the three seniors, Schempp, Austin Skoglund and Jon Rodriguez The good thing about this team was that the starting five had been playing together since they were in 5 th grade. The Cubs started the year off with a celebration by beating West

Sioux for the first time in six years. The Cubs lost to a very tough Viborg team in the first round of the TVC tournament but then battled back to beat Irene-Wakonda on a game winning three by Schempp. They then beat a tough Bloomfield team to capture fifth place. The Cubs advanced through the first round of Districts by beating Gayville-Volin.


Showing off some style, junior Eric Anderson makes a reverse layup.


Using his tenacious D, senior Matt Schempp makes it impossible to pass.


Waiting patiently, freshman Tyler Tabbert gets ready for the play to begin.


## I got this!

Awaiting the free throw, junior Jacob Busch gets into his position to get the rebound.

Coach's Corner


## I don't think so!

Getting back on defense, sophomore Nathan Johnson makes sure nobody gets deeper than he.


|  | Us Them |
| :---: | :---: |
| Freeman Academy | 36-64 |
| West Sioux | 78-64 |
| Irene-Wakonda | 51-62 |
| Parker | 47-66 |
| Gayville-Volin | 66-57 |
| Canistota | 64-72 |
| Hurley | 49-66 |
| Freeman | 59-68 |
| West Sioux | 55-58 |
| Baltic | 58-42 |
| Viborg | 39-65 |
| Irene-Wakonda | 45-44 |
| Bloomfield | 68-56 |
| Centerville | 65-70 |
| Beresford | 58-64 |
| Akron-Westfield | 56-63 |
| Dakota Valley | 53-83 |
| Canistota | 61-83 |
| Viborg | 41-70 |
| Canton | 83-100 |
| Gayville-Volin | 66-61 |
| Viborg | 42-64 |
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Photo by Gene Knudsen

## Money!!

Aiming for the rim, senior Austin Skoglund focuses on his shot over the defender.


What was your favorite moment in basketball this year?

"Draining my three pointer against Viborg in Districts."
-Casey Skoglund, ('11)
"Having the JV team win more than one game."
-Andrew Braaten, ('11)

"Scoring over my goal this year."
-Damian Schouten, ('10)
"Watching Matt Schempp block the Kraning kid."
-Keith Berg, ('11)

## Fadin'

Showing his perfect form, senior Jon Rodriguez hits a fade away jump shot.



Left to Right
Front: Nathan Johnson, Jon Rodriguez, Austin Skoglund, Matt
Schempp, Jacob Busch Back: Coach William Koenig, Damian Schouten, Keith Berg, Eric Anderson, Matt Koenig, Tyler Tabbert, Andrew Braaten, Casey Skoglund, Coach Brent Ripperda

## $[$ Wrestling

The 2008-2009 wrestling season was a very challenging, but successful campaign. With one senior, no juniors, two sophomores, four freshmen, and one seventh grader, the Cubs were a young squad. With seven of last year's starters graduating, and one starter hurt early in the season, it was basically a new team. The grapplers worked hard to develop as a team, going on many long Saturday trips to tournaments in the area.

Coming out of districts, six wrestlers made it to regions, senior Kelly Haisch, sophomore Seah Reihe and freshmen Rick Heiman, Lance Merrick, Levi Merrick and Derrick Lundberg. Of those six, for the second year, representing AHHS at state were Lance and Levi Merrick. Eachdid a great job and came home with third place finishes. The future looks bright for the team with the experiences they earned this year.


Going for a takedown, freshman Lance Merrick gets ready to throw his foe to the mat!


Waiting to start again, sophomore Dillyn Thompson concentrates on his next move.


## Is it over yet?

Coaches' Corner
Looking to his team for support, freshman Levi Merrick dominates his challenger.

## What's going on?

Leaning back and relaxing, Coach Tim Rhead chats while waiting for the next match.



Grabbing his man, freshman Rick Heiman goes for the kill.

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| :--- | :--- |
| Levi Merrick | $43-4$ |
| Lance Merrick | $41-3$ |
| Rick Heiman | $23-17$ |
| Dillyn Thompson | $6-17$ |
| Derrick Lundberg | $13-18$ |
| Erik Barnes | $10-21$ |
| Kelly Haisch | $25-18$ |
| Sean Reihe | $5-31$ |
|  |  |
|  |  |
| Austin Schuller | $0-4$ |
| Casey Reihe | $16-15$ |
| Austin Heck | $5-6$ |
| Rowdy Hedtke | $0-1$ |
| Andrew Ter Wee | $1-7$ |
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Getting hit in the face with dodgeballs.
-Eric Barnes ('14)

It got me in shape.
-Dillyn Thompson ('11)


Winning, because I didn't win much last year.
-Casey Reihe ('13)

Playing dodgeball in
Canton.
-Sean Reihe ('11)

## Hold on!

Showing his power, senior Kelly Haisch holds down his nemesis.


## What to do?!

Focusing on his adversary, freshman Derrick Lundberg gets ready to take him down.


Left to Right
Front Row: Austin Schuller, Rowdy Hedtke, Andrew Ter Wee, Austin Heck Second Row: Derrick Lundberg, Sean Reihe, Kelly Haisch, Rick Heiman, Dillyn Thompson Third Row: Coach Phil Serck, Casey Reihe, Levi Merrick, Erik Barnes, Lance Merrick, Coach Tim Rhead

## Fanatics

## All's Not Quiet on the Midwestern Front

They went through it all, the victories, the losses. When we were hurt and had no chance of winning, our fans were there for us, through thick and thin, rain or shine. When it came to the cold football games, the windy cross-country meets, and the nail bitting district volleyball finals, cheers like "Click Click Boom" or "She's a freshman" echoed throughout the gym along with nicknames like "Schreur-minator," "The Twin Towers," and "Southpaw."

Our fans were there when basketball players fouled out of the games, when the wrestlers got pinned to the mat, when the track stars first crossed into that yellow tape, and when the golfers spent hours trying to get that perfect hole in one. No matter how busy, our fans stood proud in their blue and gold and shouted for all to hear until not another sound could escape their lips. They made surrounding schools jealous and made us proud to be a Cub.

## V-I-C-T-O-R-Y!

 Breaking the sound barrier, students get pumped at the Homecoming Pep Rally.
## Hungry eyes

Looking for a win,
Jessica Weigh dresses as the ultimate fan.


## Top 10 Sport Moments

10. Girls basketball victory over IreneWakonda.
11. Volleyball team winning the Tri-Valley Conference Tournament.
12. Homecoming Football game vs. IreneWakonda.
13. Boys basketball team losing to Beresford in a nail biter by six points.
14. Volleyball victory over Centerville during Homecoming.
15. Boys basketball beating West Sioux for the first time in six years.
16. Cross Country runners making it to State.
17. Matt Schempp draining a winning three point shot vs. Irene-Wakonda.
18. Volleyball team winning Districts.
19. Lance and Levi Merrick placing third at the State Wrestling Tournament.

## Let's hear it for the Cub!

Sweating in the Cub costume, Garret Beeck cheers on the volleyball players at District Finals.


All aboard!
Signaling to the volleyball players, the Cub fans cheer and have a good time during a game.

## Oh! Ah! Oh YEAH!

Dancing like maniacs, students cheer on the Cubs and scream.
"Going day in and day out to support your team no matter what. That is what a fan is." - Eric Anderson ('10)


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"To be a fan, you need to dedicate yourself to your team even through thick and thin." Matthew Schempp ('09)

"Sticking up for your team and being there even when there's no hope at all, that is what true fan is." Samantha Johnson('12)

Enjoying the pages of the yearbook or school paper is expected from year to year. There are no exceptions this year with the staff pumping out pieces of gold on time for the public. Yearbook editor Mallory Schempp attended a camp over the summer and won Layout Design editor of the year. Bear Facts editor, Lindsey Schempp won All-State journalist at her camp in the summer as well. Meeting deadlines and keeping morale high were the main hurdles for the small group of nine students. Adviser Jane Walsh kept the journalists in line and ultimately gave the paper and yearbook the push it needed to give the school year an everlasting memory.
(L to R) Jacob Dawdy, Matt Schempp, Kelsey Johannsen, Lindsey Schempp, Joe Zweifel, Fernando Beeck, Mallory Schempp, Jon Rodriguez, Jakob Webber, Eric Anderson and Julia Brown.


Photo by Jane Walsh



Publishing is the meat and potatoes of my life.
Kelsey Johannsen ('09)


Publishing is the greatest accomplishment of my high school carreer. Joe Zweifel ('09)

(L to R) Lindsey Schempp, Kayla Halverson, Julia Brown, Angie Hazel, Shelby Smith


Web Design never looked so good. Whether you sat at home and checked out the school websites or tuned the channel to 45 , the Graphic Design squad had your back. The squad themselves were not always the
most productive bunch. A wall of
Photoshopped pictures began to appear early in the year and no one was safe from being used in a comical pose. Being an all girl squad, the usual perfected feminine touches were added to the websites and Channel 45. Nothing second best was put on public display, and if by some magical reason it were, the students' daily points were put on the line. Roy Webster was the boss, but the girls were the creators. The five senior girls added the spark to the school's lead in technology.

Examining a naughty camera, Angie Hazel and Kayla Halverson try to make it behave.

Capturing the spirit of the Pep Rally, Shelby Smith views her Pulitzer Prize winning pictures.


Graphic Design is pretty much amazing. Shelby Smith ('09)


## The Girl Who Owned the Pom Poms

Cheerleading in 2008-2009 was a bittersweet gallery of moments to remember. During football season, cold nights on the field tested the resilience of the six football cheerleaders. On the night of the four senior cheerleaders' last game, tears were shed and pictures were taken. But as one season ended another began just as quickly. Basketball and wrestling seasons brought a mixture of new faces to each squad.

On the court the basketball cheerleaders performed a stunt they had been trying to perfect for three years, the Extension, and it became a pivital moment at every game. Over on the mats the four wrestling cheerleaders started performing lifts and stunts to spice up the long days of Saturday tournaments. The success of the three cheerleading squads will be forever remembered by the four senior cheerleaders who made this year so memorable.


Showing her strength, Angie Hazel bases a shoulder stand.


## Coach's Corner

## Rebound that basketball!

Hoping for a rebound, the boys basketball cheerleaders encourage the defense.

## Put a little muscle in it!

Urging a basketball player to make his shot, Lindsey Schempp pounds the air during the muscle cheer.


Exploding into fist pumps, Julia Sundstrom performs a cheer during quarter break.


Swinging her poms, Taylor Huber's smile gleams during a wrestling cheer.



Left to Right
Front Row: Rachael Thompson, Taylor Huber, Jennifer Oberg Second Row: Lindsey Schempp, Leah Rommereim, Jamye McKee, Angie Hazel, Kelby Van Wyk Third Row: Ashley Hanzlik, Julia Sundstrom, Jessica Ronning

"The regular lift, because it was easy and I got to be base."
-Jennifer Oberg (10')
"The Extension, because it looks awesome!"
-Rachael Thompson (10')

"The Hitch, because I could fly and it was easy."
-Jamye McKee (12')
"The 'L' lift, because it was something new and easy."
-Jessica Ronning ( $10^{\prime}$ )


## Turn um over!



## Let's go Jose

Announcing the starting line up for the football team, Angie Hazel, Julia Sundstrom, Rachael Thompson, Lindsey Schempp, Taylor Huber and Ashley Hanzlik hold their stance.


## Yeah we rock!

Flaunting their bling, Shaina Hummel, Julia Brown and Kelsey Johannsen pose after their Superior performance at State in Readers Theatre.


## Hello, Hello

Leading the way, four year veteran Kelsey Johannsen demonstrates her acting skills with six different accents!
"Oral Interp gave me the confidence I lacked in public speaking."
-Julia Brown ('09)

"My most memorable moment was hanging with my best 'pal' Mrs. Walsh.'


Going to state was my funnest and most memorable part of being in Oral Interp." Leah Rommereim ('10)


Friendship... is not something you learn in school. But if you haven't learned the meaning of friendship, you really haven't learned anything.
-Muhammad Ali



the class and shared with the audience all of the juicy memories about them. To cap off the celebration of graduation, Rodriguez shared his version of "Dayman." Senioritis kicked in early but the seniors fought through it and succeeded in their goal of graduating. Helping out the seniors at graduation were junior honor guards Jacob Busch, Jerry Morelos, Carmen Borns and Emily Schreur.

## I made it!

Realizing the big moment has arrived, Karen Green marches to the beat.

## Hurry Mom!

Pausing for proof, Kelly Haisch waits for his mom to snap a picture.
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## Top 10 List of Graduating

10. Start a new path of life.
11. Play intramural sports.
12. Meet new people.
13. Get out of the house.
14. Live with a class mate or someone new.
15. Taste the real life.
16. No annoying siblings to bother you.
17. No parental supervision.
18. No more high school drama.
19. Go to college or start working.

## Thank you

Reminiscing their past, Kayla Halverson and Joe Zweifel offer their parents words of appreciation.


## Prom

## Dances with Masks

Primping and dancing is a necessity in early May, and this year was no different. Midnight Masquarade crowned King Austin Skoglund and Queen Andrea Jansen and gave the student mass its last big hurrah before the end of the year. Classic songs such as Tom Sawyer by Rush and Livin' On a Prayer by
Bon Jovi brought everyone back to a different era, but musthave dance songs such as Get Low and Pop, Lock, and Drop It - were played to keep everyone on the dance floor.

After-Prom festivities such as Wii games, human hamster balls, blackjack, and inflatables kept students up until three a.m. The late night was capped off with a money grab machine, sending junior Carmen Bors home with over fifty dollars. The junior class and their parents planned and successfully executed a night that would recall memories of Barry Wood's ripped tux and Casey Skoglund's two step.

Human hamsters! Letting animalistic instincts take over, Kelly Haisch and Austin Skoglund fight to the death.


Oh hello!
Catching the camera, Megan Wood gets her heart racing.


> Top 10 Ways to Use Your Prom Dress 10. Wear the same dress next year.
9. Make some stylish drapes.
8. Donate it.
7. Burn it for warmth.
6. Keep it for your first child.
5. Try to return it.
4. Make a nice blouse.
3. Sell it at twice the price paid.

## 2. Wear it until it falls apart.

1. Build a nice canopy for a tent.

## 'Cause this is thriller, thriller night.

Setting free the Michael Jackson within him , Jon Rodriguez takes the Thriller dance to another level.


Back, back, back it up! Grooving to the beat, Beth Gustner keeps everyones' moves in check.

## Sibling love?

Showing Alexis McConnell what's up, Casey Skoglund takes out his opponent on the human wrecking ball.
"It wasn't that no one asked me to the prom, it was that no one would tell me where it was."
-Kelsey Johannsen ('09)

I was like, "EMILIO!"
Tag teaming, Jacob Dawdy and Brenden Norseen show the crowd how to party-boy.


# Dearly Beloved 

 Confessions of a Teenage Drama StudentDearly Beloved, presented on April 17 \& 18, was the comedy hit of AHHS. The Futrelle sisters, Twink (Julia Brown), Honey Rae (Kelsey Johannsen) and Frankie (Leah Rommereim) were planning a good ol' Southern wedding with the help of Geneva (Lexy Schempp). Unfortunately, events didn't go as planned. Ethan Kemner played Frankie's husband and Sarah Haisch played their twin daughers Tina Jo and Gina Jo. Justin Waverly (Jon Roderiguez) was GJ's love interest while Wiley
Mark my words... $\square$ Consoling her overmedicated boyfriend, Julia Brown hopes to trick Casey Skoglund into proposing.

## Ka-pow!

Practicing his aim, Kelly Haisch pretends to wrangle up criminals as John Curtis.


Hicks (Casey Skoglund) was almost in the grasp of Twink due to Nelda's (Brittani Liston) predictions. Local patrolman John Curtis (Kelly Haisch) tried to find the missing bride and groom while Patsy (Jessica Ronning), attempted to keep her son, the groom, from the wedding. Besides hours of memorization, 'setting a scene', rehearsal and set building, there was time for EATING! The chaos was kept under the radar by the very extraordinary stage manager Mallory Schempp and director Jane Walsh.

## Top 10 Lines of Play

10. "I detect a certain agitation."
11. "He'll whisper those irrestitable words..."। haven't worked in eight months."
12. "More like pack mule of the bride."
13. "That's not exactly the part of the cow l'm most familiar with."
14. "Well, Mama, the next sound you hear will be my kettle whistlin'."
15. "Brace yourself sweetheart!"
16. "Ooh-wee! Devilled eggs!"
17. "Could you keep them from pulling the plug for a few days? I can't pull off a funeral 'til I get my shipment in from Houston Tuesday afternoon."
18. "They keep finding snakes at the hospita!!"
19. "It's been nearly three months since there has been any hanky panky with my Frankie.'

## Two to tango...

Sharing a pre-wedding dance, Ethan Kemner and Leah Rommereim remain happily in love, despite the disastrous misunderstanding.


## Dearly Beloved cast

Front Row: Sarah Haisch, Casey Skoglund, Jessica Ronning Back Row: Ethan Kemner, Kelsey Johannsen, Jon Rodriguez, Leah Rommereim, Stage Manager Mallory Schempp, Julia Brown, Kelly Haisch, Lexy Schempp, Brittani Liston

Love at first delivery Gazing into each other's eyes, Sarah Haisch and Jon Rodriguez discover their love.

Oh my stars, Honey Raye! Senior Kelsey Johannsen capped off her high school career with her fourth consecutive school production.
"The best part of Dearly Beloved was when Kelsey started going through menopause and took off her clothes."
-Alec Rus ('13)

"My favorite part of being in the play was seeing everyone in ridiculous makeup." Brittani Liston ('13)

"My favorite part of being in the play was getting all dressed up in character and pretending to be someone else." Jessica Ronning ('10)



Tenors unite
Singing their tenor part, Damian Schouten and Tyler Fuchs (Vernard) look thrilled as they share the same music.

Who me??
Not watching for his part, Austin Schuller stares at the camera during pep band.

Marching Band is my favorite part of the class, because I love being outside in the fall. We are a close knit family of band nerds.

Emily Schreur ('10)

Yesterday
Watching her music intently, Lindsey Schempp sings a solo at her last concert.

"I like music a lot. It helps you express emotions. When you're happy or sad, you can express yourself through music." Kelsey Turner ('10)

"I love singing Yesterday by the Beatles. If I had black hair, I would look like John Lennon." Jacob Duman ('11)

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## Golf

## A Round to Remember

Due to soggy greens and fairways, the golfers only dreamed about their sport to start the season, but it apparently didn't slow them down. Five seniors provided the team its core: veterans Julia Brown and Lindsey Schempp and newcomers Jacob Dawdy, Brenden Norseen and Matt Schempp. In a record year, the girls team won the Tri-Valley Conference with Brown grabbing 1st, junior Leah Rommereim 7th and Lindsey Schempp 9th.

For the guys, sophomore Nathan Johnson secured 3rd. Brown also nabbed a 1st place in April at Irene-Wakonda. Another acheivement for the team was freshman Jamye McKee's 3rd place finish at the Baltic JV Invitational. Two golfers, Brown and Johnson, swung their way to the State meet in Watertown. Brown came in 20th and received a medal and Johnson logged in at 64th. So the soggy beginning, turned into a sunny year for the golfers.


Leading with her hands, junior Leah Rommereim tees off.


Proud of his strokes, junior Damian Schouten retrieves his ball.


Rocking back for extra push, senior Lindsey Schempp sends the ball soaring.


Freshmen power
Dreading the walk, freshmen Tyler Fuchs and Travis Terpstra make their way up the hill.
Coach's Corner


## Concentrate, concentrate, concentrate

Focusing on the moment, Brenden Norseen putts the ball

## in the hole.



Best Varsity Score

Nathan Johnson 40
Julia Brown 40
Tyler Fuchs 40
Damian Schouten 45
Leah Rommereim 49
Travis Terpstra 50
Lindsey Schempp 51
Matt Schempp 51


Fierce eyes on the ball
Staring into the distance and visualizing where the ball will land, senior Julia Brown is ready to show off her thunderous swing.

## Senior leadership

Looking sharp, senior Matt Schempp concentrates on the prize.


What is your favorite hole to golf on Alcester's course?

My favorite hole would be the last one because Iknow I'm done.
-Nathan Johnson ('11)

My favorite hole is all of them because I enjoy golfing.
-Jamye McKee ('12)


My favorite hole is 2 because it is easy to set up a good shot on that hole.
-Jacob Dawdy ('09)

I like hole 6 the best because it is straight so it is easy.
-Kelby Van Wyk ('11)



Golfing is one of my main motivations to finish high school. -Julia Brown ('09)


Left to Right
Front Row:Austin Schuller, Kelby Van Wyk, Michael Delgado-Hart, Tyler Fuchs, Samantha Johnson, Kaytlen Norseen, Landon Nygard Middle Row: Brenden Norseen, Kody Bratzel, Nathan Johnson, Matt Schempp, Matt Koenig, Michael McDole, Damian Schouten, Travis Terpstra Back Row: DJ Schouten, Jacob Dawdy, Coach Bill Koenig, Carmen Borns, Julia Brown, Kassie Van Wyk, Leah Rommereim, Tyler Kjose, Lindsey Schempp, Zach Christman, Jamye Mckee, Coach Joni Schempp

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## Track <br> Field of Blue

Without the weather postponing any activities this year, meets were on time and the tracks dry. With a varsity team of twenty and repeat 400's and 800's, Haak's circle, and the town course to run, they all shaped up quickly. Seniors Kelly Haisch and Austin Skoglund led the charge of returners. The Cubs succeeded in many events, but it seemed relays were the swiftest for both boys and girls.

It was no exception at regions. The girls and boys $4 \times 800$ relays and the girls medley ran to 1st place finishes at regions, and the girls and boys medleys placed second. Seventh grader Katelyn Hommandberg burned up the track in the 3200 with a first at regions. At the State meet in Rapid City, the girls medley received 4th and Hommandberg ran to a 4th place finish.


Flying down the track, junior Eric Anderson darts toward the finish line.


Striving for a personal best, senior Austin Skoglund blows the field away.


Great race!
Coaches' Corner
Congratulating junior Emily Schreur on a top finish, 8th grader Jessica Wegh gets ready for her own race.

## Run faster!

Watching his runners cruise by, Coach Haak waits for the next victory.



Gripping the baton, sophomore Sarah Haisch runs to the head of the pack.

## State Qualiflers

Girls Medley
Sarah Haisch
Brittani Liston
Lexi liston
Jessica Wegh
Girls $4 \times 800$
Sarah Haisch
Lexil liston
Makayla McConnell
Jessica Wegh
Girls Two-Mile
Katelyn Hommandberg
Girls 800 Run
Jessica Wegh
Boys Medley
Kelly Haisch
Austin Skogtund
Casey Skogland
Dillyn Thompson
Boys $4 \times 800$
Kelly Haisch
Austin Skoglund
Casey Skoglund
Dillyn Thompson
Congratulations!


## Defying gravity

Showing his ups, senior Kelly Haisch lays out flat to clear the bar.

## $\left[\begin{array}{l}\text { The hard practices are } \\ \text { worth it! } \\ - \text { Ty scheellerman (12) }\end{array}\right]$

What was the worst practice of the track season?


Haak's circle! -Dylan Christensen ('11)

Definitly repeat 400's. -Makayla McConnell ('12


Probably ladders on the track.

Emily Schreur ('10)

The town courses were pretty tough.
-Rick Heiman ('12)


## Keep going!

Giving a preview of what is to come in the next few years, 7th grader Katie Homandburg breaks the Chester meet record in the two mile run.


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Front Row: Jesse Beeck, Ty Schoellerman, Casey Skoglund, Dillyn Thompson, Beth Gustner, Sarah Haisch, Shenia Doering, Lindsey Terpstra, Lexi Liston, Jennifer Oberg Second Row: Levi Merrick, Lance Merrick, Dylan Christensen, Kelly Haisch,Nathan Johnson, Austin Skoglund, Eric Anderson, Rick Heiman, Emily Schreur, Ashtin Scotting, Eva Beeck, JoAnah Beeck,Jessica Wegh Third Row: Coach Haakk, Keith Berg, Derek Schuller, Adam Hughes, Dylan Kratochvil, Fernando Beeck, Matt Koenig, Barry Wood, Taylor Kjose, Jamie Jansen, Brittani Liston, Makayla McConnell, Courtney McKee, Chantell Westberg, Maggie Brown, Katelyn Homandberg, Coach Haisch

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## FCCLA

## Future Builders Club

Hard work, dedication, and endurance gave this year's FCCLA season a 'blast off.' From a cluster meeting in Dallas to the District meeting here at school, members worked to get their talks up to par, met new friends along the way and learned new ideas in the process. FCCLA had many people sign up this year to donate blood. Members also put together a slide show of local people who are enlisted for the Veterans Day program. The State FCCLA competition was held in Sioux Falls, where Angie Hazel, Lindsey Schempp and Kelby Van Wyk won their competition in the Chapter
 Showcase Manual and competed at Nationals in Nashville, TN in July.

## Abstract art

Concentrating on her masterpiece, Christine Hakl paints the face of an elementary student at her Halloween Carnival booth.

## Back into business

Anticipating the new year, FCCLA members chatter while waiting for the meeting to get started.



Licking the frosting, Halee Lokken and Kendall Nelson coat cupcakes for Smile Week.
"We're always looking for new ways to serve the community and enrich the lives of the student. That requires fresh ideas every year like Bee Healthy and the Best Biceps Contest. Plus we always have fun doing it!"
 Angie Hazel ('09)

"Going to State or Cluster meetings is my favorite part of FCCLA. This year, the four boys who went to the state meeting got a two room suite!" Dylan Christensen ('11)

## FFA Animal Farm



Three members of FFA took a much needed 'vacation' to the national convention in Indianapolis. The FFA chapter also qualified for a national award. The first annual Chili Cookoff was held with many types of homemade chili for a taste-testing competition by fans who attended the West Sioux doubleheader basketball game. Getting stranded in a winter storm and the Suburban catching fire proved to be a long ride home from state FFA this year. The first annual 'Kiss the Pig' contest was held during National FFA week with the winner, Shannon Hames, being the lucky one to smooch with a pig.

## Chili-a-xing

Serving chili, chefs wait for the next customer.
"Official" business
Chapter officers relax after a meeting at the Pizza Ranch.

Weathering the storm, Haley Boyer serves coffee at the Keiser Auction.

"FFA has been very fun this year and we have accomplished a lot with a very large membership. It's been fun." Jason Vreugdenhil ('09)


It was yet another amazing year for the Quiz Bowl team. Ten members dedicated their time and energy making and answering questions. Their hard work paid off when the team won the Tea Quiz Bowl meet in February and were invited to a national contest. Returning members were seniors Julia Brown, Kelly Haisch, and Mallory Schempp.
Memories such as over priced Mountain Dew and strange pratice questions made this a great year of Quiz Bowl. All in all nothing was as memorable as during the Sioux Falls Home School Meet where Jon Rodriguez and Kelly Haisch bugged Andrea Jansen for dumping Kelly in 7th grade, all while imitating southern women.

## Going for the win!

Getting their minds ready for another round of Quiz Bowl, the team strategizes to win.

## Going the distance!

Feeling the magic of winning, the team flaunts their plaque and ribbons at Tea.


Back Row: Kelly Haisch, Jon Rodriguez, and Matt Schempp. Middle Row: Julia Brown, Andrea Jansen, Mallory Schempp, Lindsey Schempp, and Levi Merrick. Front Row: Rick Heiman and Lance Merrick.


## Gotta work it out!

Weighing their options, Seniors Julia Brown and Andrea Jansen try to find the right answer during a match in Tea.

"My favorite memory was the time when we had a home match and I knew the answer to a weird question and everybody laughed at me."

Jonathan Rodriguez ('09)

"I enjoyed the time we spent together
as a team."
Kelly Haisch ('09)

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Student Council
Front Row: Julia Brown, Austin Skoglund, Kayla Halverson, Lindsey Schempp, Eva Beeck and Levi Merrick Back Row: Casey Skoglund, Emily Schruer, Michelle Havlin, Kelby Van Wyk, Ivy Pearson and Jesse Sitting Crow (Not pictured: Joe Zweifel)


You're the best around!
Receiving a scholarship from the Alpha Sorority, senior Kelly Haisch shakes hands.


It was a bright and shining year for the National Honor Society and Student Council. Student Council President Joe Zweifel ruled the school with his vice president, Julia Brown. They kept busy with activities such as grilling burgers during homecoming week. After rushing to get all of their community service hours in, the National Honor Society members' sold candy bars as a fundraiser for scholarships. At the Student Recognition Banquet, six seniors were awarded their yellow tassels and pins and two deserving members were awarded $\$ 150$ scholarships. Overall, \$9800 in scholarships were given away to nine seniors, setting good examples for the underclassmen.

Did that really just happen?
Still in awe, seniors Julia Brown, Kayla Halverson and Angela Hazel gaze at their awards.
"It was a great at honor to win the Michael Tabbert Scholarship. I couldn't thank them enough." Jason Vreugdenhil ('09)


## National Honor Society

Front Row: Andrea Jansen, Kayla Halverson, Lindsey Schempp, Jessica Ronning and Michelle Havlin Back Row: Kelly Haisch, Angela Hazel, Julia Brown, Julia Sundstrom, Emily Schruer, Mallory Schempp, Leah Rommereim and Matt Schempp.

## [Junior Varsity] The Best is Yet to Come



## Mine!

Focusing on the ball, freshman Kaytlen Norseen bumps it to her teammate.


## You're mine!

Reading his opponent, eighth grader Casey Reihe waits for his chance to take a shot.

Please go in! Playing the green, freshman DJ Schouten lines up for his putt.


Bring it, I dare you! Playing defense, sophomore Nathan Johnson stares down his nemesis.

"I liked playing in the JV games because I normally had a strength and size advantage over the other team."
-Adam Hughes ('11)
"I liked JV games. They were more relaxing than the varsity and they weren't as stressfull."
-Kendall Nelson ('10)
"I loved it. For once I had the size advantage."
-Dillyn Thompson ('11)
"It was a blast until I hurt my leg and then it was bad because I couldn't play."
-Shaina Hummel ('11)
"My favorite part was serving because it is fun to do."
-Jennifer Oberg ('10)

## We got this!

Anticipating the snap count, the JV line waits for ball movement.


Left to Right
Front: Zachary Christman, Tyler Kiose, Travis Terpstra, Ty Schoellerman, Tyler Fuchs Back: Coach William Koenig, DJ Schouten, Derek Schuller, Alec Rus, Coach Brent Ripperda

Girls Basketball


Left to Right
Front: Beth Gustner, Lexy Schempp, Emma Morey Second: Brittani Liston, Shaina Hummel, Ivy Pearson, Ashley Hanzlik, Christine Hakl Back: Coach Joni Schempp, Makayla McConnell, Rie Barnes, Alyce Johnson, Coach Shannon Hames

## Volleyball



Left to Right
Front: Taylor Huber, Beth Gustner, Jennifer Oberg, Lexy Schempp, Alexis
McConnell, Brittani Liston, Makayla McConnell Back: Alyce Johnson, Rie Barnes, Christine Hakl, Kendall Nelson, lvy Pearson

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Football


Left to Right
Front: Jesse Beeck, Tyler Haeder Second: Derrick Lundberg, Casey Skoglund, Rick Heiman, Lance Merrick, Levi Merrick, Barry Wood, Dylan Kratochvil, Adam Hughes Back: Kody Bratzel, Tyler Tabbert, Derek Schuller, Alec Rus, Matt Koenig

## Golf



Left to Right
Front: Austin Schuller, Travis Terpstra, Landon Nygard Second: Samantha Johnson, Kaytlen Norseen, Zach Christman, Kelby Van Wyk, Jamye McKee, Kassie Van Wyk, Andrew Ter Wee Back: Michael McDole, DJ Schouten, Matt Koenig, Tyler Kjose, Kody Bratzel

## Wrestling



Left to Right
Austin Schuller, Andrew Ter Wee, Casey Reihe, Austin Heck, Rowdy Hedtke The Cubs of Wrath

With green grass, blue skies, flowers blooming and birds chirping, Spring came with great events. The chorus and band students went to New York during the break and had a blast. When they came back, they performed well at contest. The seniors and sophomores went to Mt. Marty College to watch the Shakespearean play As You Like It. For the first time at AHHS, students who kept their grades up were let out of school for a fun day of bowling and going to 17 Again, Fast and Furious, Hannah Montana or Earth at the movie theaters.

Students from USD trained classes on how to treat others with love and respect. The members of the play practiced hard in the morning and at night and even in their sleep, trying to perform a masterpiece. The play turned out to be hilarious and people loved it. Plus, the seniors and freshmen spent hours playing Age of Empires in the computer lab battling friends. Seniors had a great day off when they skipped school to go swimming and fishing at the lake. The last quarter was all about the good times and having fun.


## All hail king Rick!

Dominating his opponents in Age of Empires, freshman Rick Heiman strategizes his next attack.


## Practice makes perfect!

Playing basketball before school, senior Fernando Beeck shoots some hoops.


## The art of the chair!

Creating her own unique chair, senior Stefanie Zemanek designs and paints in art class.


## Do the Dew!

Sipping on some fresh Mountain Dew, Jacob Dawdy, Jennifer Oberg, Austin Traver, Damian Schouten, Emily Schurer, and Tim Nabity show the soda's popularity.

Icing on the cake!
Dressed for success in Speech, sophomore Bradee Hongslo demonstrates her cake decorating skills.



## It's peanut butter baby time!

Escorting her baby to class, senior Mallory
Schempp tries to smile while the baby cries.


Above: Joining the Twilight craze, senior Jessica Koenig reads the epic trilogy.

Below: Learning some helpful tips from Roy Webster, juniors Kendall Nelson and Michelle Havlin figure out some problems.

## Dazed and confused!

Wondering if she is in the right place, sophomore Sarah Haisch goes back out for a second look at the bathroom door.



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High School: the mouse race il preparing you for the rat race.


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Another school year has brought wonderful memories once again. We had a foreign exchange student from Chile, Noelle Desmet, who taught us her culture as she learned ours. Lots of new things happened this year. For instance, we had the lights on this year at coronation because of a spotlight being broken. It was also raining at coronation so we had tolight the AH on fire after the parade. We atso found out that we can have some crazy memories with cars. A freshman gotinto two car acecidents in a span of two months and Mr. Wilson drove into a wall at the Beresford High School (They deserved it). We showed how creative we were in art and other projects. Ir art class students personalized their own chairs with unique designs. We made memories with Mr. Webster because of our final year, by making s'mores in Chemistry and building car ramps in Physics. The mythology presentation of Pyramus and Thisbe will remain burned in our brains forever. These are only some of the cherished memories of '08- ' 09 .

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# [ Faculty 



Staring down his beverage, Bill Koenig guards the hall.


Searching for another bid, Tim Rhead eyes the crowd.


Cruising, Jane Walsh plays hookey from float decoration.


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## [ What was the biggest difference this year, compared to last year?

"The difference is that there is no difference."

- Donald Hermanson
"The upperclassmen have accepted us more and are our friends."
- Kelsey Turner
"This year has been a lot harder than sophomore year."

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- Emily Schreur
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"It feels the same to me."
- Damian Schouten

Sixteen Flew Over The Cuckoo's Nest


Showing some friendly love, Eric Anderson carries his buddy Jerry Morelos to the concession stand.


Daydreaming about life without math, Kendall Nelson wonders what to do after school while Katherine McDole focuses on homework.


Imitating Kenny G, Damian Schouten jazzes out on his trumpet.


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Austin Traver Kelby Van Wyk Jakob Webber Barry Wood


## [Advice to future sophomores]

"If you're a smart sophomore, you won't take Chemistry!"
"This year required a lot more work than I had thought or wanted."
'I dislike Spanish, but everything else is fun."
'Never end up in Mr. Haak's history class with all boys! It's horrible!"

## [Sophomores] <br> Bergland's List



Waiting to mock vote for President, Erica Peterson and Dale Farley are patient.


Grasping hsi pin, Nathan Johnson realizes it was all worth it.


Wet and Wild! Lexy Schempp and Bradee Hongslo try out the Emergency Shower in the Chemistry room.

Has sophomore year been your best year yet?
91\% No
$7 \%$
Yes
$2 \%$
I don't know. I
might not even graduate.


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"I love our school's chicken fried steak!" -Casey Skoglund

Rie Barnes Jesse Beeck Kody Bratzel Cody Christensen Zachary Christman Tyler Fuchs (Vernard)

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\text { Ty Schoellerman } \\
\text { DJ Schouten } \\
\text { Dakota Steen } \\
\text { Arielle Tacy }
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## [How is high school different from junior high? ]

"I like playing high school sports. It's more serious and leaves more room to improve."
"I enjoy seeing Kelsey Johannsen's shiny face everyday."
"I like having open campus. It's a good privilege to have.'
"Pm rolling with the big dogs now."
-Ivy Pearson
-Matt Koenig
-Makayla McConnell


Concentrating on his steps, Cody Christensen marches down Main Street during the Homecoming parade.


Socializing between classes, Emma Morey spreads some juicy gossip.


Scarfing down his ice cream bar, Levi Merrick gets a little messy at lunch.

[ "This has been fun."

Eva Beeck JoAnah Beeck Megan Brooke Mikayla Brooke Maggie Brown Jaici DeBruin

Samara Duman Nick Hardy Austin Heck Casey Reihe Ashley Schiefen Ashtin Scotting


[ What is the worst part of 8 th grade?

]
"Mr. Broadwell's class because he talks so much and it's hard for me to understand."
"5th hour study hall with "Homework is a lot harder Mr. Haak." -Jaici Debruin
in 8 th grade."
"Still being in junior high."
-Shawn Wilson
-Brandi Vanden Hoek

# [8th 

Chronicles of an 8th Grader


Bringing back styles in her own way, Jessica Wegh stuns all during Decade Day


Showing her inner princess, JoAnah Beeck walks the halls after a long day.


Pondering vital information, Jesse Sitting Crow thinks deep thoughts.

## 7th grade or 8 th grade?

## Is 8th grade harder than 7th grade?

81\% Yes
$12 \%$
No

7\%
I'm waiting for the end of the year to decide.

[ "I am Batman!"
-Jesse Sitting Crow

Erik Barnes Haley Boyer Shenia Doering Bailey Gustner Katelyn Homandberg Avery Hongslo

Jamie Jansen Alex Jervik Taylor Kjose Tyler Lewis Skylar McConnell Courtney McKee

Tyleen Nelson Landon Nygard Jesse Osterloh Austin Schuller Dannielle Scotting Andrew Ter Wee

Lindsey Terpstra Andrew Van Egdom Kassie Van Wyk


## [Advice to future 7th graders]

"Don't lean back in your chair in Mrs. Delzer's
room!"
"Don't mess with the older kids!"
-Lindsey Terpstra

It'll be better than Elementary School. I promise."

# 7th Grade 

Much Ado About High School


Keeping a chill profile, Dannielle Scotting exudes peace and



Enjoying her lunch, Kassie Van Wyk munches down on her taco salad.


Dodging the incoming balls, Avery Hongslo laughs at her competition.

## Fear about JH?

Is junior high really as frightening as you expected it to be?
$86 \%$ Not at all $10 \% \quad$ Sort of $4 \%$

It's easier the second time around.

## Student Pulse

Angels \& Demons


The funniest moment of the year was when Rachael Thompson's dog bit her. The even funnier part was that her hand swelled up and she had an infection.


The funniest moment of the year was when Jessica Koenig was complaining about how guys say, "That's what she said," after someone says something. Then Jon Rodriguez said, "That's what she said."


The funniest moment of the year was when Dillyn Thompson tackled Dylan Christenson on a snow hill.

LOOK WHO'S
TALKING

## Who is who?

Who is the most recognizable?

## $64 \%$ Mickey Mouse

$26 \%$ Super Mario

$10 \%$ Sonic the Hedgehog

"Taylor Swift is the hottest country star out there. I'd let her teardrops hit my guitar.'

Micheal Delgado-Hart, ('12)
"My favorite class this year is Ag Mechanics because we usually don't have too much homework."

Ty Schollerman, ('12)
"My favorite band is Rise Against. I like their songs especially $R e$ -
education through Labor."

Casey Skoglund, ('11)
movie is What Happens in Vegas. It is hilarious.'

"What I'm looking forward to during the next three years in high school is the ladies, the money, and the power." -Travis Terpstra, ('12)
-It would suck because I would go out to eat for lunch and spend all my money.
Jessica Koenig, ('09)
-Having open campus all year round would be a con to a lot of people because some people can get out early but can't leave because of other siblings at school or after school activities.
Fernando Beeck, ('09)
-Students could get in more trouble. Julia Brown, ('09)

Should seniors have open campus all year? con
pro
-We could all leave for study halls and don't have to be here. Chance Steen, ('09)

- I would be for it if we could drive during open campus. Any senior who wouldn't want open campus is stupid. Lindsey Schempp, ('09)
-We could leave for lunch. If students had a first period study hall, they could sleep in the whole year. Or if they had a ninth period study hall, they could leave early every day. Waylon Sitting Crow, ('09)


|  | Five minutes ago | Out |
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| In | Patriot fans | Lion fans |
| Cardinal fans | Clogs | Crocs |
| Bootz wit fur | Guitar Hero | Fable 2 |
| Halo 3 | MSN | Myspace |
| Facebook | Twilight the book | Harry Potter |
| Twilight the movie | USC Trojans | Oklahoma Sooners |
| Florida Gators | LG Dare | iPhone |
| Blackberry Storm | George Bush | John McCain |
| Barack Obama |  |  |

[^1]Joshua Beeck Nicholas Beeck Eric Berg Jaylen Cole Preston Dooley

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Maverick Steen Rebekah Turnbull Clara Van't Hof Colin Walth Domenick Wilson

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Jordan Lokken
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Bryce Turnbull Kara Weddle Jennifer Busch Christopher Carlson Avery Hongslo

Blake Hummel Sarah Johnson Ryan Keiser Brendon Nissen Blake Peterson Emma Pulfrey

Ethan Reed Heidi Renken Dillon Sackett Brandon Schuller Eli Skoglund Trevor Stene

Madison Treiber Michael Van Gelder Ashley Weddle Samuel Bakker Payton DeGroot

Paislee Dooley DeeAndra Duke Jaxson Duke Reyanna Felicia Elizabeth Hallaway Sterling Hillmer


2nd Grade


1st Grade



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Janelle Dickau Jaxon Doering Alex Griffith Casey Hillmer Jack Hughes

Elyzibeth Jeffords Alyssa Keiser Alicia Kribell Emily Miiller Wyatt Miller Ayden Moerman

Brooke Nyreen Bayleigh Peterson Brady Peterson Jorden Rassmusen Kolby Schiefen Logan Serck

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