

# What's Trending?

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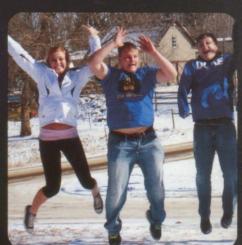
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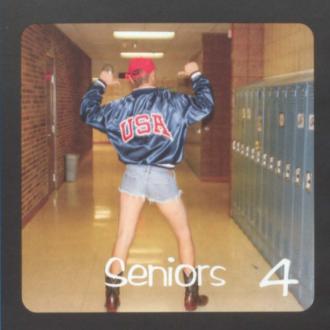
Every new year comes with its own new set of trends. Although the times may change and the fads may come and go, we will never forget the things we have learned and experienced. With social media becoming more and more prominent in our lives, it is often difficult to remember what is truly important about our time in high school—the memories. It's time to take a look at what happened in the year of 2013–2014. Memory is a way of holding onto the things you love, the things you are, and the things you never want to lose. So, who are you? What do you never want to lose?

What's trending?



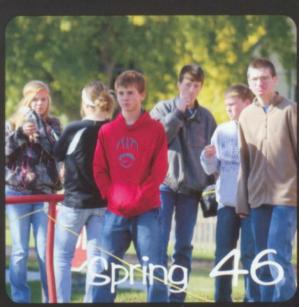


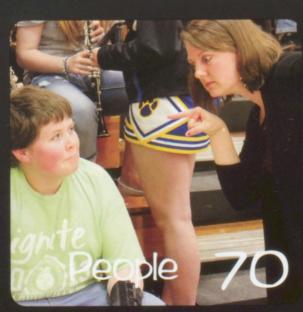




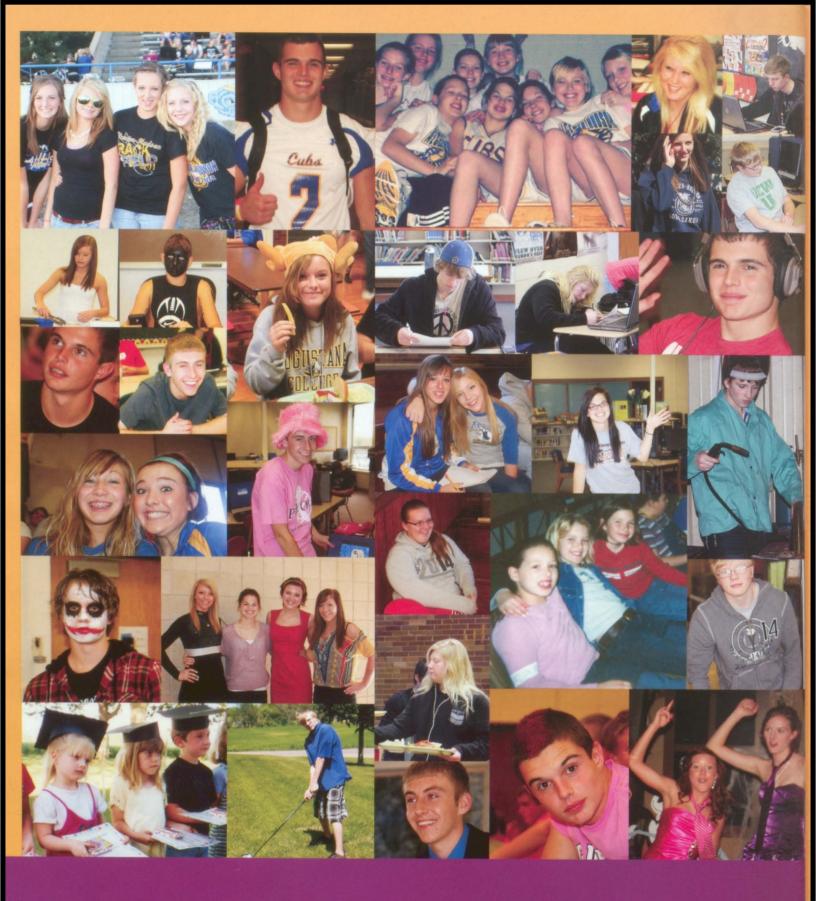












# Seniors \*



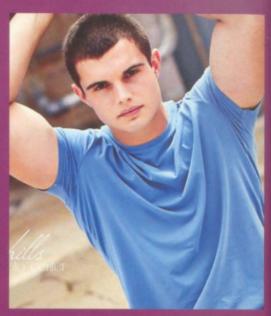
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### Erik Barnes

"A man who views the world the same at fifty as he did at twenty has wasted thirty years of his life."



Erik Arlyn Barnes was born on April 28th, 1996, to proud parents Kenny and Sandy. Erik has two older sisters Rie and Sonjia, and 4 nieces and nephews. Throughout high school, he was involved in football, basketball, track, and FCCLA. In his spare time, Erik enjoys playing Call of Duty with his fellow xbox live groupies, the BOATS. Erik's favorite memories in high school were made during the homecoming football games, as he has never lost one. If Erik won the lottery, he would buy Carrie Underwood so he could look at her and admire her all day. Erik's advice to underclassman, "Aspire to be like Mrs. Saugsted."



### Haley Boyer

"You can let your smile change the world, but don't ever let the world change your smile."



Haley Lynn Boyer was born on July 22, 1996 to parents Charles and Sherry Boyer. Haley has six sisters named Tiff, Steph, Deb, Charly, Ashley, and Rachel. She plans to attend USF for Elementary and Special Education. Throughout high school, Haley was involved in cheerleading, FCCLA, FFA, Oral Interp, HOSA, chorus, yearbook, student council, and National Honor Society. Haley's favorite memory of high school was participating in plays her freshman and junior years. In her spare time, Haley loves watching anything Disney or Dr. Seuss. Haley's favorite class in high school was AP English with Mrs. Kleinhans. Her advice to underclassman: "Don't let anyone try to make you perfect; it's impossible."



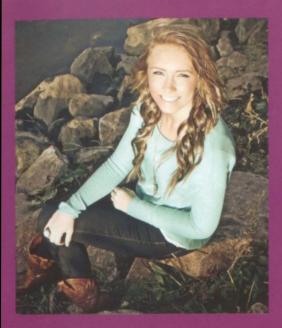
### Shenia Doering

"Chase your dreams but always know the road that will lead you home again"



Shenia Jo Doering was born on January 6th, 1996, to Brett and Shana Doering. Shenia has two younger brothers Gavin and Jaxon, and one younger sister Elly. Throughout high school, she was was involved in basketball, volleyball, track, football stats, HOSA, band, flags, Graphic Design, the play, and oral interp. Shenia's dream would be to spend a day with the 90's hit TV show "Friends" cast. Her favorite class was chemistry with her favorite teacher Ms. Konkol. Her advice to younger classman, "To give anything less than your best, is to sacrifice the gift."







### **Bailey Gustner**

"A tiger doesn't lose sleep over the opinion of sheep"

Bailey Marie Gustner was born on September 25th, 1995 to parents Carmen Kast and Lee Gustner and stepfather Pat Kast. Bailey has one older sister named Beth and one younger brother named Michael. Bailey plans on attending Stewarts for cosmetology next year. Throughout high school, she has been involved in wrestling cheerleading, band, volleyball, and softball. In her spare time, Bailey can be found jamming out to her favorite song "Mirrors" by Justin Timberlake, or giggling over her favorite movie "Elf". Bailey's advice to underclassman is, "a tiger doesn't lose sleep over the opinion of sheep."



### Katie Homandberg

"For anyone of us our forever could end in an hour, or a hundred years from now. You never know for sure, so you'd better make every second count."

Katelyn Marie Homandberg was born on December 26, 1995, to parents Steve Homanberg and Denise Van't Hof. She has 6 older siblings named Chris, Mike, Matt, Toni, Jenni, and Kendra. Katie will be attending the University of Minnesota-Mankato next year. Throughout high school, Katelyn has been involved in basketball, track, cross country, and softball. If she won the lottery, she would pay off her student loans and travel the world. Katelyn's dream date would be watching "Bridesmaids" with her crush Ashton Kutcher. Her favorite class in high school was Psychology/Sociology with her favorite teacher Ms. Bitz. Katelyn's advice to underclassman is, "make the best of every situation."





### Jamie Jansen

"She is clothed with strength and dignity and she laughs without fear of the future."

Proverbs 31:25

Jamie Lee Jansen was born on July 19th, 1996 to Ron and Jody Jansen. Jamie has one older sister Kylie, two older brothers Josh and Jeremy, and one nephew Peyton. Jamie was involved in volleyball, basketball, track, cheerleading, FCCLA, publishing, oral interp and HOSA throughout highschool. In her spare time, Jamie enjoys being with her friends and family and watching her favorite T.V. show, One Tree Hill. Jamie's favorite classes in high school were AP English and band. Her advice to underclassmen is, "don't listen to what others have to say; do what makes you happy."

### Taylor Kjose

"Sometimes the people around you won't understand your journey. They don't need to, it's not for them."



Taylor Rae Kjose was born to proud parents Heather Anderson and Brad Kjose on September 22nd, 1995. She has one older brother, Tyler Kjose, and one younger sister, Halley Kjose. Taylor's plans after high school are to attend USD for early childhood education. Throughout high school, Taylor was involved in basketball and band, and her favorite class was Events Management. Her best high school memory was winning districts against Centerville. In her spare time, Taylor enjoys watching her favorite movie Love and Basketball while she daydreams about her celebrity crush Channing Tatum. Taylor's advice to younger classmen is, "cherish every moment you have together and do your homework and don't procrastinate!"

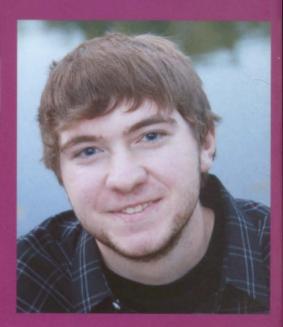


### Tyler Lewis

"Don't wish for it, work for it!"



On November 19, 1995, Tyler Thomas Lewis was born to proud parents Tom and Judy Lewis. He has one older brother Mike Jansen. Tyler is planning on attending Mitchell Technical Institute for Power Sports Technology. Tyler's hobbies include drag racing and golfing. At home, one can find Tyler watching his favorite movie, Never Back Down. If Tyler could date one celebrity, he would choose Jessica Simpson. One thing Tyler is most looking forward to is graduation. Tyler's advice to underclassmen is, "do your work."



### Skylar McConnell

"No one has all the answers, and sometimes the best we can do is just apologize and let the past be the past. Other times, we need to look to the future and know that even when we think we've seen it all, life can still surprise us and we can still surprise ourselves."



Skylar Marie McConnell was born on Christmas day in 1995 to parents Deborah and Mike McConnell. She has a whopping 7 siblings, Austin, Casey, Alexis, Makayla, Sierra, Logan and Eli. Her favorite high school memory was attending the state volleyball tournament her senior year. Throughout high school, she has been involved in volleyball, basketball, and band. In her free time, Skylar spends her time gazing over the steamy relationship between Chuck Bass and Blair Waldorf in her favorite TV show, Gossip Girl. Skylar's advice to underclassmen "Smile on the inside and out."







### Courtney McKee

"Your journey has molded you for the greater good, and it was exactly what it needed to be. Don't think that you've lost time. It took each and every situation you've encountered to bring you to the now, and now is right on time.""

Courtney Ann McKee was born on December 1st, 1995 to Scott and Laura McKee. She has one brother named Zach and plans on attending Northwestern College next year seeking a Biology/Health Professions major. Throughout high school, Courtney was involved in basketball, volleyball, track, softball, band, Graphic Design, HOSA, FCA, and the National Honor Society Her favorite class was Creative Writing with Mrs. Delzer. In her spare time, Courtney can be found absorbed in her favorite TV show "Burn Notice" or gazing at her celebrity crushes Joe Mauer and Tim McGraw. Her advice to younger classman is, "live every day to the fullest."





### Hannah Myers

"You never know how strong you are, until being strong is the only choice you have."

Hannah Marie Myers was born to proud parents Melanie Nyreen and Shawn Myers on February 15, 1996. She has three sisters Emily Myers, Haily Nyreen and Savannah Christman. She also has one brother, Colin Myers. In her future, Hannah is planning on attending USD for Physical Therapy. In her spare time, one will find Hannah watching her favorite movie Pirates of the Caribbean, listening to her favorite song, "Sunset," by Kid Ink, or dreaming about her favorite celebrity Johnny Depp. During school, Hannah's favorite class was Entrepreneurship with Ms. Randall. Hannah's advice to underclassman is, "never give up, even when things get tough."





### Tyleen Nelson

"So, you can waste your life drawing lines. Or you can live your life crossing them."

Tyleen Nelson was born April 18th, 1996 to proud parents Greg and Audra Nelson. She has four younger siblings- Monica, Tyler, Ashley, and Cory. Tyleen is planning on attending USD for massage therapy. Throughout high school, Tyleen was involved in National Honor Society, basketball, softball, band and choir. Tyleen's best high school memory was state volleyball. If she won the lottery she would pay off college and buy a new car. Tyleen's advice to underclassmen is, "Hard work pays off. Don't procrastinate, and get your work done, because it's all worth it in the end."

### Landon Nygard

"Be who you are and say what you feel, because those who mind don't matter and those who matter don't mind."



On June 18th, 1995, Landon Charles Nygard was born to Terri Nygard and Chuck Nygard. He has one younger sister Karlee Nygard. In his future, Landon plans on attending STI for Sports Turf Management. Throughout high school, Landon participated in golf, the spring play, FFA and choir. Landon's favorite class in high school was Psychology with Mrs. Delzer. If Landon were lucky enough to win the lottery, he would buy a fancy new car and then donate the rest to charity. Landon's advice to younger classmen is, "stay out of trouble and do your homework. Also, enjoy high school while you can, it goes fast!"

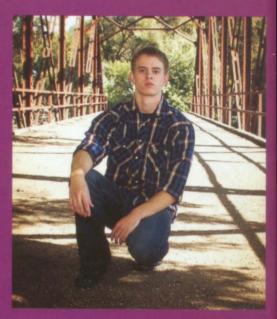


#### Jesse Osterloh

"Inspiration can come from a lot of places, like a good book or a retarded cat playing the piano."



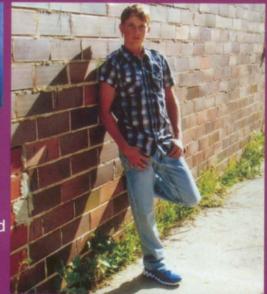
On March 25th, 1996, Jesse Osterloh was born to proud parents Jack and Kathy Osterloh. He has two older brothers, Rick and Dominic. Jesse is planning on attending SDSU to study Biochemistry. Throughout high school, Jesse was involved in basketball and quiz bowl. In his spare time, Jesse enjoys driving around and playing video games. If Jesse had one wish, he would wish that he could afford to go to any university he wanted. One random fact about Jesse that many may not know is that there are days where he actually looks forward to going to school. Jesse's piece of advice to underclassmen is, "don't give up on school; you might end up regretting it."

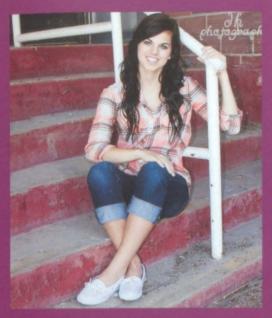


### **Austin Schuller**

"I didn't work my way to the top of the food chain just to be a vegetarian. YEE YEE!"

Austin Schuller was born on October 30, 1995 to proud parents Frank and Jennifer Schuller. He has one older brother, Derek, and two younger brothers Brandon and Jayden. Austin is planning on going into law enforcement. Throughout high school, Austin was involved in football, wrestling and FFA. His favorite class was Ag and in his spare time he enjoys hunting and fishing or watching his favorite movie Step Brothers. If Austin ever won the lottery, he would like to spend his money on lifted trucks and hunting land. Austin's advice to underclassmen is, "think before you act."



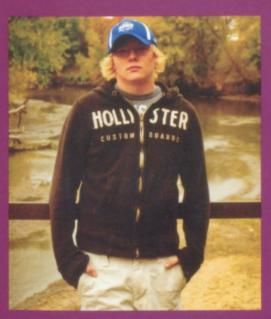




### Lindsey Terpstra

"Some people succeed because they are destined to, but most people succeed because they are determined to."

Lindsey Ann Terpstra was born on October 14th, 1995 to Randy and Linda Terpstra. She has one older brother, Travis, and plans to attend a four-year college next year. Throughout high school, Lindsey was involved in track, volleyball, basketball, flags, band, and football stats. Her favorite class was Chemistry with Ms. Konkol. Lindsey's dream is to go on a date with her celebrity crush Adrian Peterson. Her favorite memories in high school were spent in the weight room during the summer with Mr. Haak. In her spare time, Lindsey enjoys getting absorbed in dramatic TV shows on Netflix and jamming out to her favorite country artist Kenny Chesney. Her advice to younger classman, "In the end, all your hard work will be worth it."





### Andrew TerWee

"Live your life as you want, not as you are told."

Andrew Garret Terwee was born to Regan Homandberg and Kristi Terwee on January 25th, 1996. Andrew has two siblings- an older sister, Sara Delay, and an older brother, Josh Homanderg. In his future, Andrew plans on attending Mitchell Technical Institute for Power Sports Technology. Andrew's favorite class throughout high school was math. After school, one might find Andrew working at his job, golfing, or watching his favorite movie series, the Fast and the Furious. Andrew's most cherished item is his car, if he had one wish, he would wish for a Bugatti. Andrew's advice to underclassmen is, "spend your time wisely and get your work done."



Kassie VanWyk

"Someday, everything will make perfect sense. So for now, laugh at the confusion, smile through the tears, and keep reminding yourself that everything happens for a reason."

Kassie Van Wyk was born on April 1st, 1996 to Stan and Lynette. Kassie has two older sisters Kelby and Kati, and plans on attending USD next year to study Human Resources. Throughout high school, Kassie was involved in volleyball, basketball, golf and FCCLA. Her favorite class was Serving Families and Communities with Ms. Randall. Something people don't know about Kassie is that she does not have a middle name. If she won the lottery, Kassie would buy a whole new wardrobe of designer clothes and go on a date with Josh Duhamel. In her spare time, Kassie can be found wishing she was a genius so she could be rich. Kassie's advice to younger classman, "Be yourself, not who your friends are."



## #byebyebye

Class President-Jamie Jansen Class Vice President-Taylor Kjose Secretary-Shenia Doering Treasurer-Courtney McKee Student Council Reps-Landon Nygard, Kassie Van Wyk Student Council President- Haley Boyer Student Council Vice President- Jamie Jansen

Class Flower- Tiger Lily

Class Colors-Orange, Purple, Silver

Class Motto- "Our message is simple: where our music is welcomed we play it loud, where our music is challenged, we will play it louder."

### Senior Tweets

We lost our football game... THANKS OBAMA!!! -@ishootthegun

Kenny Barnes is about to get the same treatment as Grandma Barnes on Facebook. Deleted, blocked and reported as sparn. -@BarnesBbangin

All these lasts are starting to get to me. -@Haley\_Lynn22

If there is one thing I've learned throughout my four years of high school about the people in my life: it's all about quality, not quanity. -@ jamlee jansen

All I know is I better get an A on this project cuz this whole baking cookies thing sucks #betterbeworthit

Don't let "senior lounge" fool you... all we do is snack, nap, and watch cartoons -@complikatie

-@TylewBbangin

At the end of the day you can either focus on what's tearing you apart, or what's keeping you together.

@LindseyTerpstra

can hang out tonight Got a detention for swearing. And they think ill be in school before 7:30, all i got to say bout that is good luck. #angru -@andrewterwee



### Class of 2014



# Senior Awards...

Erik Barnes



Most Swoll Award

Haley Boyer



Most Kind Award

Shenia Doering



Most Competitive Award

**Bailey Gustner** 



Most Creative Award

Katelyn Homandberg



Best Taste In Music Award

Jamie Jansen



Most Twitchy Award

Taylor Kjose



Most Gullible Award

Tyler Lewis



**Best Beard Award** 

Skylar McConnell



Most Fashionable Award

# #LifeOfTheParty

Courtney McKee



Most Artistic Award

#### Hannah Myers



Most Blonde Award

Tyleen Nelson



Best Procrastinator Award

Landon Nygard



Most Punctual Award

Jesse Osterloh



Most Intelligent Award

Austin Schuller



Best Outdoorsman Award

Lindsey Terpstra



Best Laugh Award

Andrew TerWee

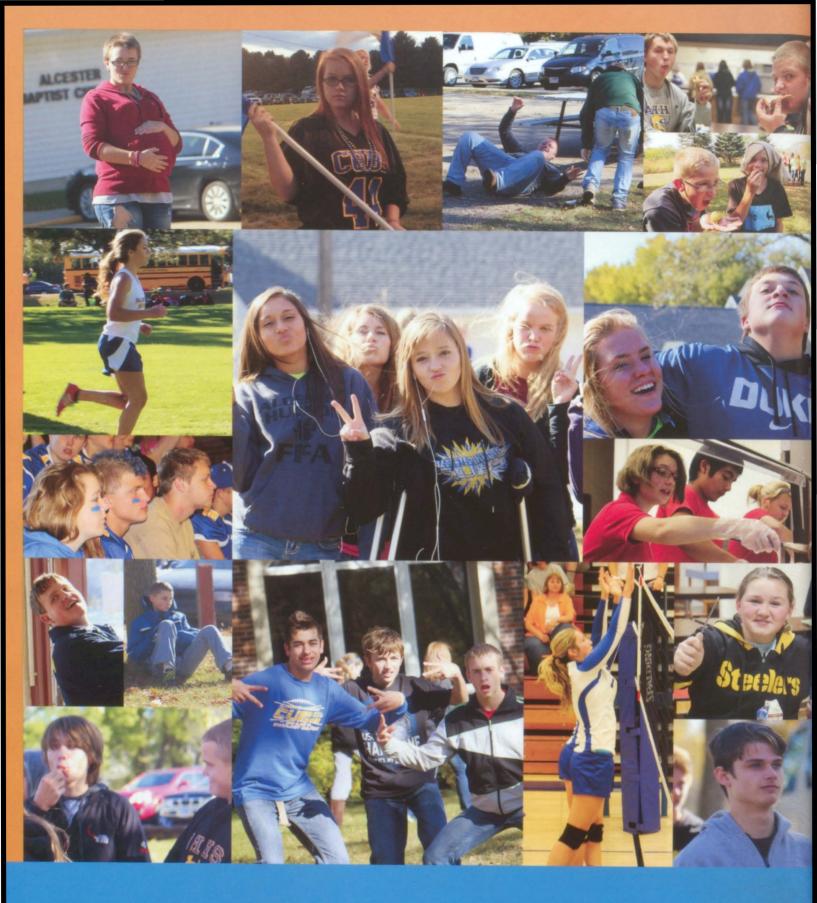


Best Buffalo Wild Wings Eater Award

Kassie Van Wyk

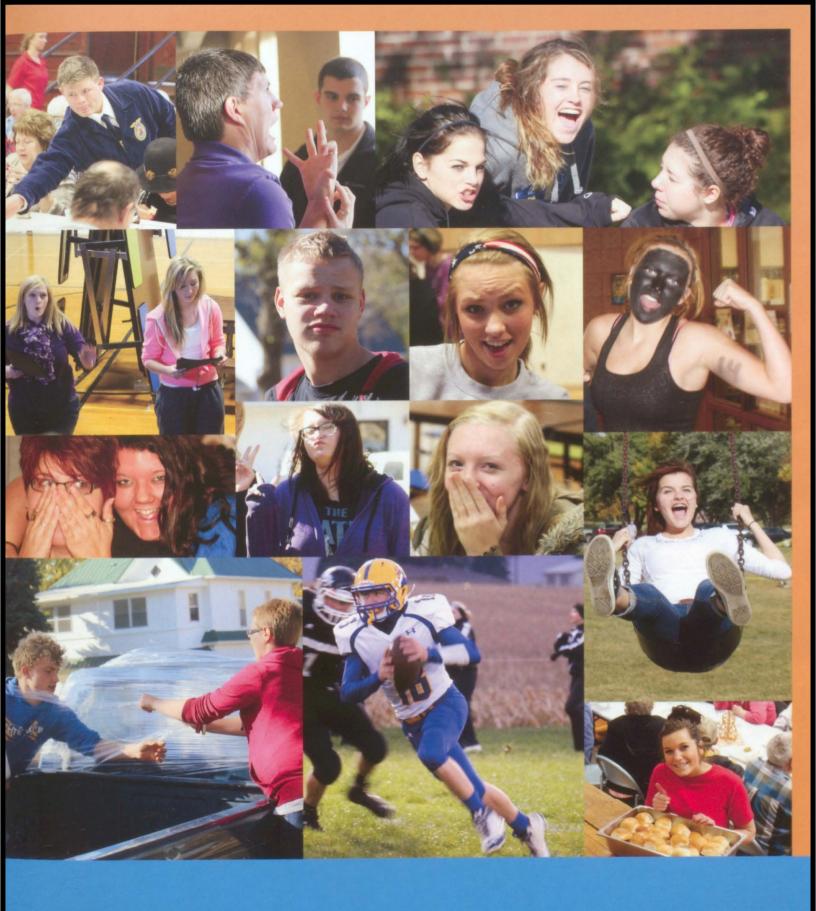


Most Sarcastic Award



# Fall





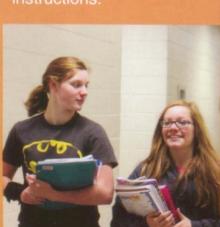
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# Student Daily



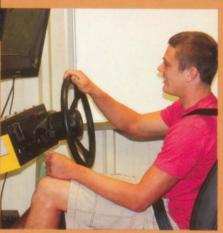
Demonstrating their school spirit, junior boys Lance Sogn, Lyle LaFramboise, and Nick Beeck chant at the homecoming pep rally.

Super excited for ag class, junior Steven McNeil and sophomore Kevin Hedeen wait for Mrs.Dunkelberger's instructions.



Walking to class, 8th graders Calli Constance and Rachel Boyer discuss the latest gossip.

Learning to drive safely, junior Colin Walth realizes the dangers of intoxicated driving.



@AlcHudCubette- The many beautifu faces of Alcester-Hudson High



#ManCandy #WomanCrush

# #Now\VeGo

Another school year kicked off with the students of Alcester-Hudson rushing around like crazy. Players and fans traveled the lengthy distance to Wolsey-Wessington in order to cheer on the football boys who made it to the second round of playoffs. The volleyball team finally overcame rival Parker at regions and moved on to place 4th at the state tournament. All of the athletic talent didn't go unnoticed as there were eight total VB and FB players named to the All Conference Team and one VB player named to the All State Team. Oral Interp and FFA also sent performers to state and FFA members took a trip to the national FFA convention in Kentucky. Students didn't forget their academics! Every fall extracurricular earned an Academic Team Award from the SDHSAA. With such an eventful fall, students of Alcester-Hudson were excited to see what a new winter would bring.



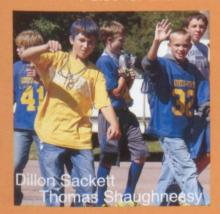
The volleyball team and the town huddle together and take a knee in a moment of prayer for sophomore Ariyanna Miller who was diagnosed with Acute Myeloid Leukemia.

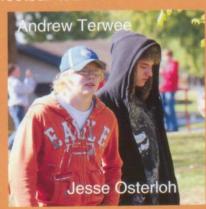


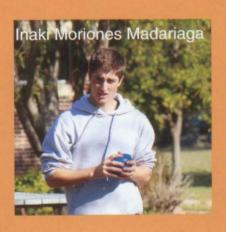
Huddling together for warmth, seniors Courtney McKee, Jamie Jansen, Landon Nygard, Bailey Gustner, and 7th grader Brayden Pulscher cheer on the football team.



Twirling her flag, junior Abbey Farley performs during halftime at the homecoming football game.





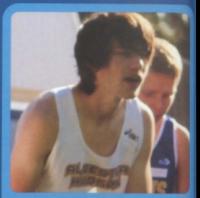


# Cross Country



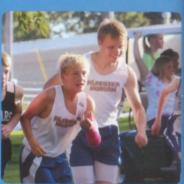


Getting in the zone. junior Ashton Liston lines up for the race.



Demonstrating true cross country swag, the team puts aside their pre-meet jitters to smile for a lovely picture.

Starting strong. sophomore Brock Norseen and 8th grader Brayden Pulscher begin their race.





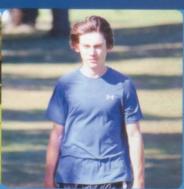
Finishing hard, junior Marcus Ireland sprints toward the finish line.

**Envisioning** success. senior Katie Homandberg gains her focus.



Pushing himself, sophomore Brock Norseen fights his way up the hill.





"The formula for sucess includes not only goals, but efforts, discipline, and sacrifice if goals are to be achieved." Coach David Broadwell

"If you keep running, you will either die or finish." - Junior. Marcus Ireland

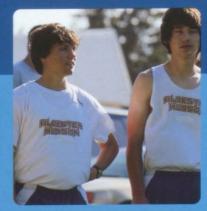
"I forgot how much I love running." - Senior, Katie Homandberg

"The team pushed themselves, and we all had a good season." - Junior. Ashton Liston



The small, yet talented Cross Country team had a successful season. They pushed themselves in both meets and practices, which ranged from four-mile sections, to repeat 800s. A few members experienced minor injuries, but nothing that would keep them from running. 7th Grader Brayden Pulscher even spent much of the season in a bright pink cast! The entire team prepared for Regions by enjoying a delicious spaghetti feed the night before. Unfortunately, none of the runners progressed to the State Meet and the season ended at Regions. Senior Katie Homandberg will be missed, but juniors Ashton Liston and Marcus Ireland are ready to take on leadership roles.







#XC5\VAG

# Volleyball \*



Shaking hands in the send-off. seniors Skylar **McConnell** and Courtney Mckee get ready to depart for state.



Smiling for one final team picture, the Lady Cubs proudly hold their fourth place State title plaque.



Blocking their opponent, seniors Shenia Doering and Kassie Van Wyk earn a point.



Tipping the ball, freshman Kassidy Walth goes in for the kill.

Seniors Jamie Jansen and Lindsey Terpstra celebrate the win together.

Seizing the victory, junior Sierra Mcconnell spikes the ball.







It was a sensational volleyball season because we placed 4th at state and Ariyanna was well enough to go with us."

"Success is no accident. It is hard work, perseverance, learning, sacrifice and most of summarize it in a single all, love of what you're doing," - Senior. Courtney Mckee



"This season was too incredible; one cannot sentence." - Senior. Jamie Jansen



"After years of tragic losses in regions, it made being at the state tournament that much sweeter." - Senior, Shenia Doering

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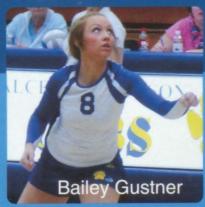




The Lady Cubs held a strong volleyball season, finishing off with a record of 32-4. They defended their championship title in the Tri-Valley Conference and were champions of two other tournaments. The team geared up in orange socks during every game throughout the season for cancer awareness and support of sophomore Ariyanna Miller. The Lady Cubs finally defeated Parker for the first time after losing to them five years in a row in the Region 5B tournament game. All players, students, and fans were proud to be state bound for the first time since 2002. Traveling to Huron for their state games, the girls were sent off by both elementary and high school staff and students. The Cubs placed 4th at state, leaving the volleyball team and fans with plenty of memories from a season Alcester-Hudson will never forget.







# #LlearUsRoar

## Football





Coach Brian Haak gives advice to sophomore quarterback Grant Johnson.



Stripping the ball out, the Cubs tackle the Chester running back. Team captains



Sophomore twins Grant and Mitchell Johnson prepare for the opening snap.



Getting pumped before the game, juniors Colin Walth and Jaylen Dickau chest bump.

Erik Barnes and Colin Walth walk towards the opening coin flip.

Defensive linemen junior Lance Sogn, freshman Trent Rus, and senior Austin Schuller get ready for the ball to be snapped.







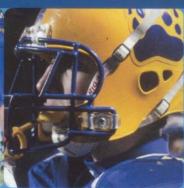
"This season was the most sucessful season in school history. What more is there to say?" 24 -Coach Brian Haak



"We came, we saw, we conquered." - Sophomore Nick Johannsen



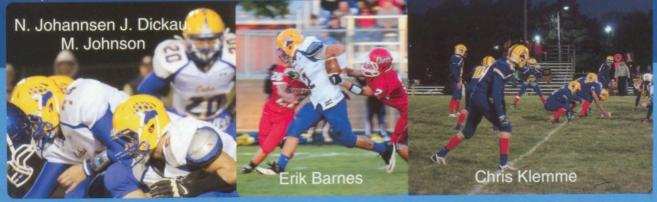
"This season was just the beginning." - Freshman Trent Rus



"I love playing football in the USA." -Senior Austin Schuller



The Alcester-Hudson Cubs had a very sucessful season in the 9A divison. With only two seniors, the Cubs flew under the radar for the first part of the season. The Cubs started with two big wins over Baltic and Irene-Wakonda before beating powerhouse Hanson on homecoming. The Cubbies won over Chester before falling to #1 9AA Garretson, then traveled to Viborg with a dominating win before beating #5 9AA Parker. The Cubs finished up their regular season with a win over Centerville clinching the best record in school history 7-1. With their record, the Cubs earned a home playoff game against Chester and won 57-12. The Cubs then traveled to Wolsey-Wessington and lost; a heartbreak to end their season.



## #STARTINGATRADITION

# Homecoming



Dressing up for twin day, senior Tyleen Nelson and sophomore Monica Nelson look identical. Showing their
'Merica pride,
seniors Bailey
Gustner and
Austin
Schuller
display their
red, white, and
blue.



Adorned with their crowns, king Erik Barnes and queen Jamie Jansen reign over their loyal subjects





Looking flashy
with their best
neon, freshman
Donovan Wilson
and sophomore
Marshall
Christensen test
out the
distracted driving
simulator.



"The best part about homecoming is the football game."

-Freshman Trent Rus

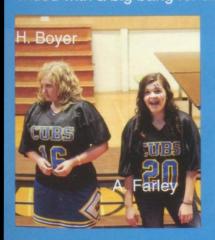
"My favorite day was class color day."

-Senior Jesse Osterloh "I love dressing up for homecoming." -8th grader Hannah Renken "Homecoming week is always a lot of fun at AHHS."

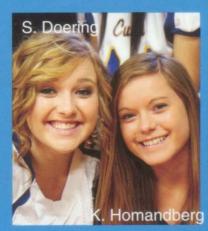
-Junior Nick Malmberg



Homecoming this year might have been one of the best. With all of the fun that went on, it will be hard to beat. Coronation kicked off on Monday night with the crowning of Erik Barnes and Jamie Jansen as king and queen, followed by unforgettable skits including an inspiring senior performance of the 90's boyband hit Bye Bye Bye. A lot of festivies went on throughout the week making the air full of excitement. New spirit days 'Merica Monday and Neon Wednesday were introduced, and the school also used the week to promote safe driving. A distracted driving simulator and a wrecked vehicle provided plenty of entertainment as well as awareness for the students. All of the activities didn't let the football players take their head out of the game, however, and they took home a big, exciting win against the Hansen Beavers. Thanks to the dance that followed later that night, homecoming week ended with a big bang for the Alcester-Hudson Cubs.

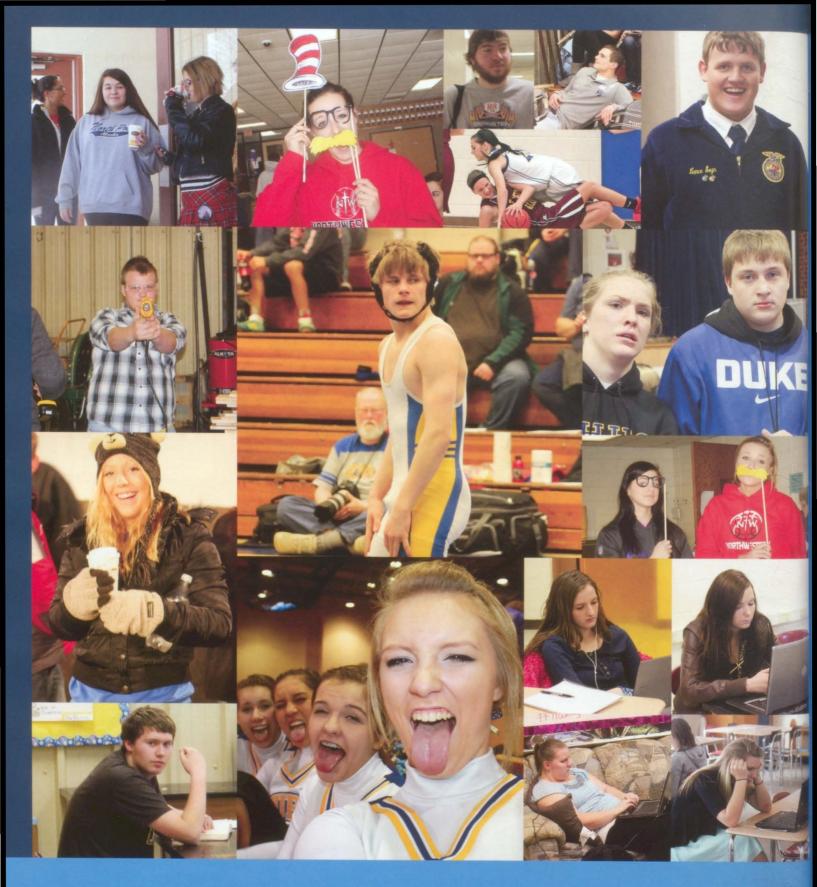




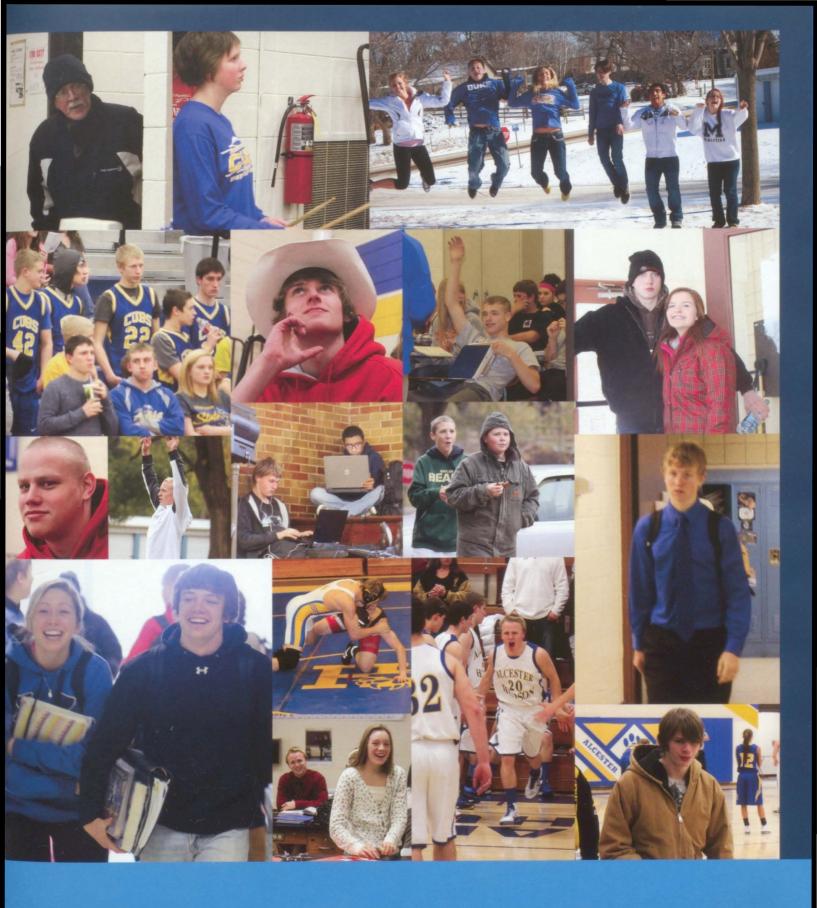


Homecoming Royalty and Attendants

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# Winter \*



# #Frozen

# Student Daily



With visions of Olympic gold medals in her head, junior Abbey Farley channels her inner figure skater.

Sophomore Nick Johannsen refuses to let the crippling winds and cold affect him.



Looking for trouble, 7th Graders Eli Skoglund and CJ Carlson swagger down the hallway.

Sophomore
Joey Roos
attempts to
avoid the
paparazzi while
on his way to
class.



@AlcHudCubette- What is your favorite song?



"Thunderstruck" by ACDC - Trevor Stene, 7th Grader

"Like an Eagle" by Big Rich - Logan McConnell, Freshman



"I made it" by Kevin Rudolph - Nick Malmberg, Sophomore

"Drug Ballad" by Eminem - Jesse Osterloh, Senior



"Ring of Fire" by Johnny Cash - Mr.Hochstatter, Student Teacher

#NowPlaying

### #WantToBuildASnowman?

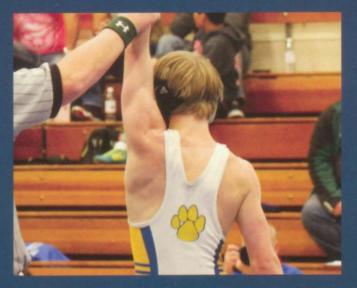
Winter this season had a lot of ups and downs but the kids at AHHS handled it well! Like every year, there were many different things going on: Basketball, Oral Interp, Wrestling, and motivational speakers to keep us sane! The coldest day this winter reached a high of -22. From time to time, students received a break from the cold only to have winter come back in full force, leaving students inside all day. After the discovery of Netflix overusage, the game flappy bird became the top source for entertainment. Some kids reached scores greater than 100 before the app was removed from the app store!



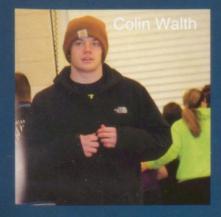
Swagging hard, Seniors Katie Homandberg and Skylar McConnell are crazy fanatics.



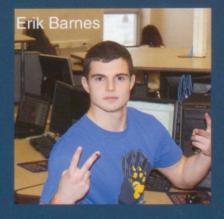
Balling up the court, Grant Johnson shoots a three-pointer.



Bringing in a win for the Alcester- Hudson Cubs, Domenick Wilson raises his arm with pride.







## Girls Basketball





Dribbling down the court, senior **Taylor Kjose** looks for the perfect pass.



Preparing for the big game ahead of them, coach Shannon Hames gives the five starters a pep-talk.



Dribbling past her opponent. senior Lindsey Terpstra drives for the basket.



Going up strong, junior Sierra McConnell attempts to score.

Eyeing the basket, senior Katie Homandberg prepares to shoot a free throw.

Standing her ground, senior Tyleen Nelson looks for the open teammate.







"This was an exciting season & we accomplished a lot of goals. The seniors played a huge role in our success & will be greatly missed next year." -Head Coach.

Shannon Hames

"Never give up until you've given all of your very best. It's better to fail trying, than wondering what could have happened if you tried." -Senior,

Courtney McKee

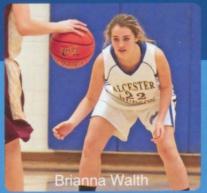
"Eat, sleep, play basketball." -Senior. Shenia Doering

"Fouling out was a specialty of mine." -Senior. Skylar McConnell



The Alcester-Hudson Cubs had a successful basketball season, finishing with a 15-7 record. The Lady Cubs started the season off strong by knocking down four straight oppenents. However, they fell short against Avon and Freeman Public, but quickly bounced back by beating Menno. The girls lost a hard fought battle against Viborg-Hurley by giving up a four point lead at halftime. The Cubs then traveled to Iowa where they beat West Sioux. The girls started playing their best basketball of the year and defeated Scotland in overtime, blew past Beresford for the first time in school history, and pulled out the win at Irene-Wakonda. The Lady Cubs finsihed their regular season off strong by beating Baltic, Coleman-Egan, and Canton. They beat Irene-Wakonda in the first round of districts, but fell to Gayville-Vollin at Tea for the District Championship; ending their season. The Cubs earned Tri-Valley Conference Co-Champions by going 5-1 in the conference. Throughout the season, the Lady Cubs made many memories that they will never forget.







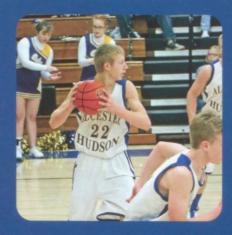
#### #ClearEyesFullHearts

## Boys Basketball





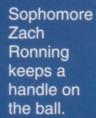
Freshman Sam Jensen drives the ball against the Menno defender.



Junior Chris Klemme looks to advance the ball.



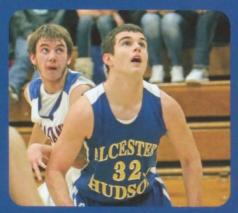
Sophomore Mitch Johnson pushes the ball down the basketball floor.











Senior Erik Barnes boxes out the Parker opponent.



Freshman Gavin Doering gets pumped up before the game.



"Good players inspoire themselves, great players inspire others."- Coach Kevin Kunz



"Obstacles are put in the way to see if what you want is worth fighting for." -Junior, Chris Klemme



"Good times become good memories, while bad times become good lessons." -Junior, Eric Berg



"It's not always about working harder, its about working smarter." -Sophomore, Alex Pulscher











The Alcester-Hudson Boys Basketball team had a good year. The Cubs finished their season at 10-10, with more wins than the last three seasons. The Cubs started their season hot as they won the first two games versus Freeman Academy and West Sioux before losing to Parker. Then the Cubs beat Gayville-Volin, Marion, and Menno before losing to Scotland and Freeman. Following these losses, the Cubs beat Irene-Wakonda and Avon. The team got revenge on Scotland and beat them before losing three straight to West Sioux, Akron-Westfield, and Viborg-Hurley. The Cubs than defeated Bridgewater before losing to Centerville in overtime, and Beresford. At the end of the season, the boys picked up a win against Chester before losing to Baltic and Canton. In the post season, the Cubs got were defeated early by state qualifier Centerville. The team will miss senior Erik Barnes, but will come back strong next year.



#GetBuckets

#### Cheerleading





Juniors Eden Hemmingson and Tashena Osterkamp, and sophomore Ariyanna Miller show their love for cheer.



The basketball cheerleaders encourage the student fan section to stand up and cheer during a time out.



Junior Emily Myers awaits another Cub touchdown.



Sophomore Kinzi DeBruin spreads the love and cheer at a basketball game.

Sophomore Ariyanna Miller leads the squad in a timeout cheer.

Senior Haley Boyer bundles up for the cold football game.







"Cheerleading is the only sport where you can fly." - Coach,

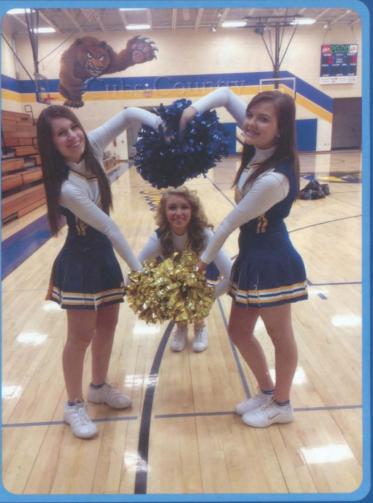
Kelli Erickson

"Cheerleading has been a huge part of my life for 4 years. I'm sad to be done!" - Senior. Haley Boyer

"Wimps lift weights, cheerleaders lift people" was a fun experience." -Senior. **Bailey Gustner** 

"Being a cheerleader -Sophomore, Kinzi DeBruin

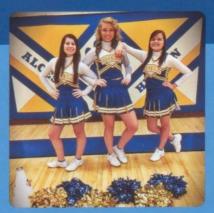




The cheerleaders on every squad had a successful season. The football cheerleaders, led by senior Haley Boyer, got to cheer on their Cubs all the way into the playoffs. The basketball cheerleaders, also captained by Boyer, had a great season with many successful new stunts. Their main flyer was junior Tashena Osterkamp, who stood up to the challenge of a new and dangerous stunt. The wrestling cheerleaders, captained by senior Bailey Gustner, had a lot of fun cheering on all the wrestlers and heading to meets. The cheerleaders also had a little change-up with Kelli Erickson being their coach for the year. This meant that the girls got to use sparkly poms! All the cheerleaders, excluding seniors Boyer and Gustner, finished the year with excitement for next year's cheerleading seasons.



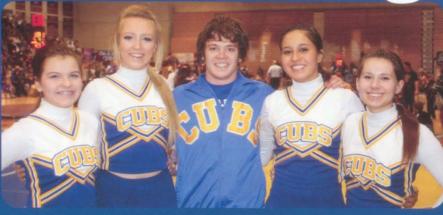




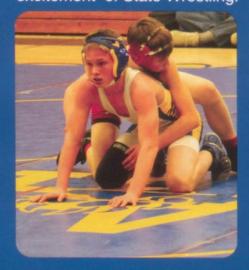
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#### Wrestling

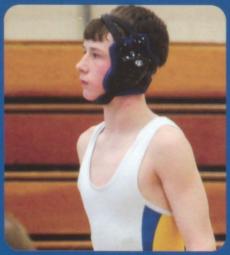




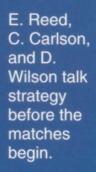
Colin Walth and the wrestling cheerleaders soak in the excitement of State Wrestling.

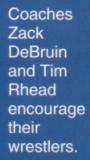


Trevor Stene gets ready to wrestle from the bottom position.

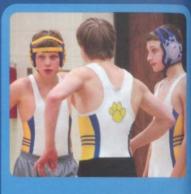


Eying the competition, Cash Hemmingson warms up for his match.

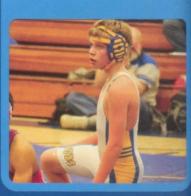


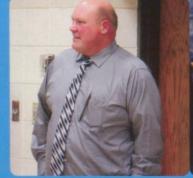


Ethan Reed checks the score of his match.

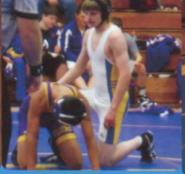




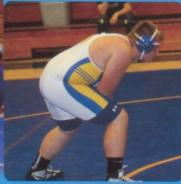




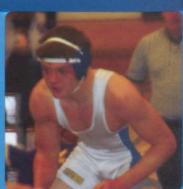
"I was pleased with this year's performance, and I look forward to seeing everyone back next year." Coach, Tim Rhead



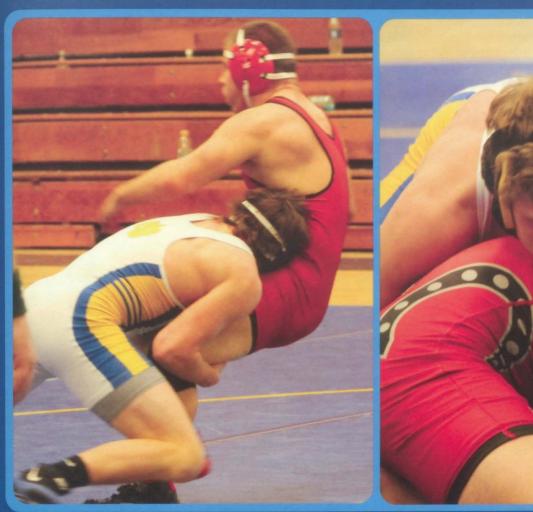
"When in doubt, do it!"
- Junior,
Domenick Wilson



"If you're not first, you're last." - Freshman, Trent Rus



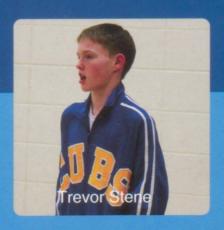
"I had fun this year." -Junior, Colin Walth



The wrestling team was once again made up underclassmen with no seniors, three juniors, no sophomores, one freshman, one eight grader, and four seventh graders. The Cubs were under the guidance of new assistant coach Zack DeBruin and head coach Tim Rhead. The team improved greatly over the season and had one wrestler, Colin Walth, qualify for the state tournament at the 152 ibs. weight class. The Cubs are looking forward to having a great season next year as the whole team will be returning to the mat.







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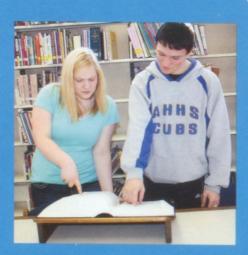
## Quiz Bowl

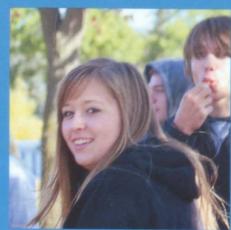


Ready to unleash his intelligence, Freshman Gavin Doering wonders when the next competition will be. Junior Nick Malmberg, a true quiz bowl nerd, gets ready for his next big test.



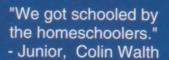
Senior Haley Boyer and junior Marcus Ireland study up for the next event.

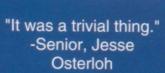


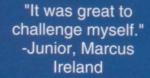


Junior Eden
Hemmingson
takes a much
needed
break from
hard core
quiz bowl
studying.











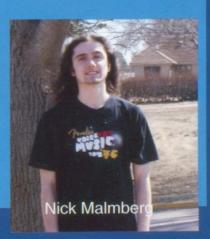
"I loved the memories we made as a team." -Junior, Eden Hemmingson



We haven't had quiz bowl in a while, but this year a bunch of kids got together to start one up again. With Coach Mr. Walz, there was no way that the group could fail. The team was proud to win some competitions, but also content that they lost some. Their hardest matches were against the home school teams, but they were able to face bigger schools and pull out some amazing wins. Competing wasn't the only fun that quiz bowl brought; the team members made memories singing "call me maybe" and eating cold stone ice cream. It won't be the same without Jesse and Haley next year, but the team is excited to come back and have another great quiz bowl season!

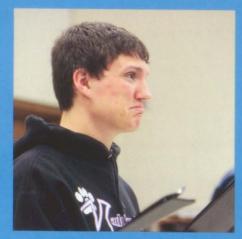






## #LitTheBooks

## Oral Interp



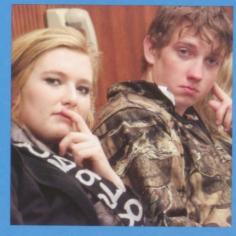
**Junior** Marcus Ireland channels his inner child during his performance.

Playing the roles of teacher and student. Juniors Eden and Tashena step into character.



Senior Haley Boyer expresses remorse while portraying a cancer patient.





Seniors Shenia Doering and Austin Schuller patiently wait for their chance to perform.



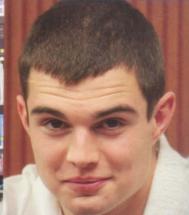
"We only needed one practice! " -Freshmen, Logan McConnell and Sam Jensen



"It's not easy being the best" - Junior, Ashton Liston



"It's always such a blast to perform!" -Junior, Cheyenne Sorlie



"Let's get interpretated!" - Senior. Erik Barnes



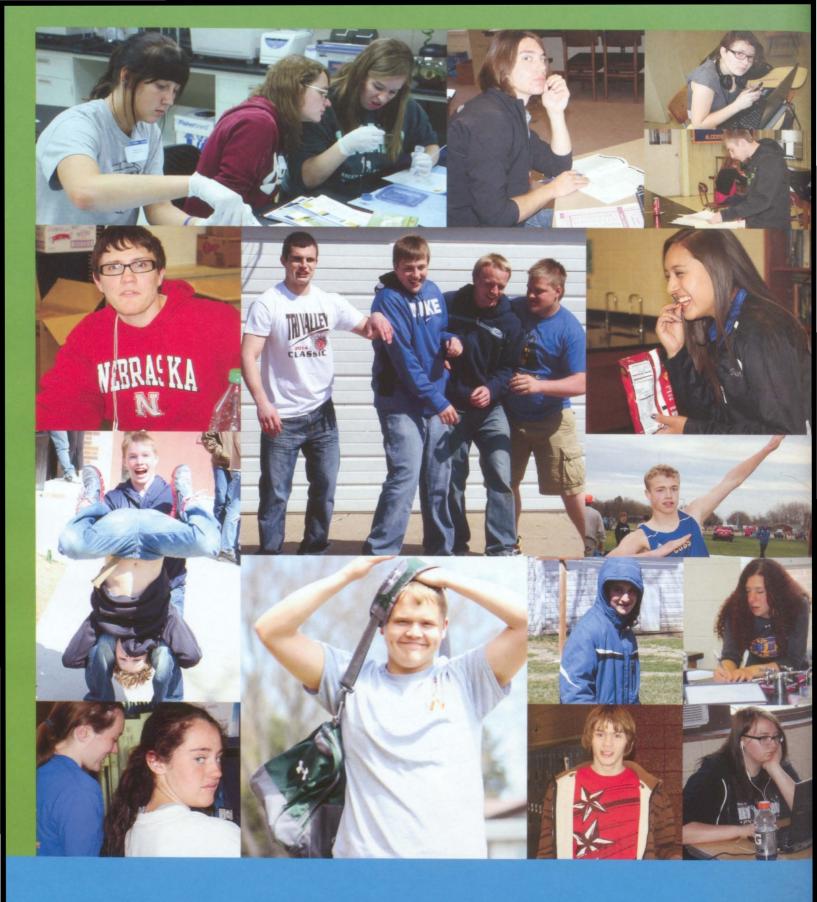
Oral Interp was crazy and fun-filled this year. Haley Boyer advanced to Regions with her piece titled, "I Dream of Lillian." The Readers Theater team including seniors Jamie Jansen, Erik Barnes, Shenia Doering, Austin Schuller, and Haley Boyer, along with junior Marcus Ireland advanced to both Regions and State. Their piece, "Locked In", was about a humorous situation outside of a Mexican restaurant's bathroom. During the Vermillon competition, Ashton performed his piece "Dwarf in Tights" and Cheyenne performed her piece "The Raven". Other solo pieces included "Running with Scisssors: a Memoir "done by Marcus. Some members didn't get to perform at contests. One of these pieces was Eden and Tashena's duet "The Girl Who Loved The Moon". Between jokingly threatening fellow interpers at contest and celebrating several victories, the oral interp members had an unforgettable season.





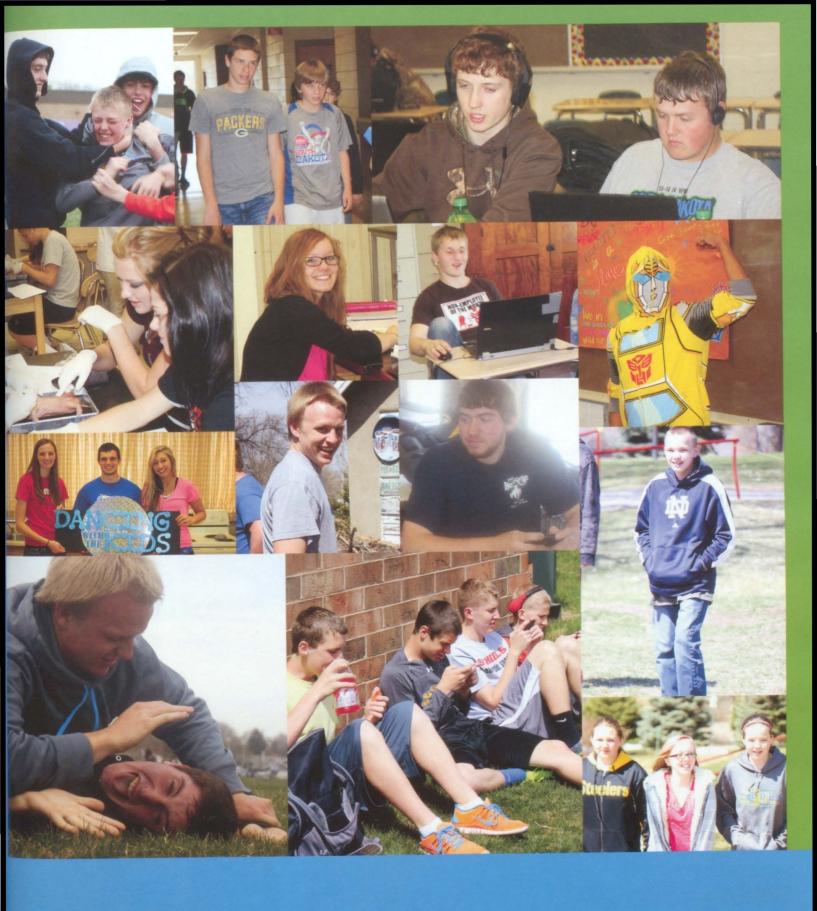


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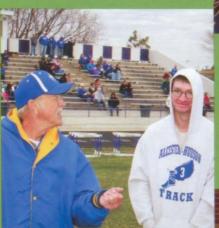
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#### Student Daily

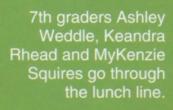


Senior Hannah Meyers helps fight hunger by packaging meals for Kids Against Hunger.

Sophomore Brock Norseen woos Senior Haley Boyer during the play "Check Please".



Mr. Sievert tells 8th grader Tyler Nelson everything he knows about running a track meet.





@AlcHudCubette- Look how these students have changed!





#### #AlmostThere

Spring was a busy time for Alcester-Hudson High School. With cold weather and late winter storms still rolling through, many golf and track meets were canceled. FFA brought in Kids Against Hunger and students packaged 41,400 meals for hungry children around the world. FCCLA was busy too, preparing for state meeting in Sioux Falls. The play "Check Please" was performed to a raving crowd. Students also had a blast at prom and after prom at Skyzone. The seniors earned a plethora of scholarships at the Student Recognition event. Finally, spring closed as graduation hit and Seniors gave their heartfelt goodbyes to faculty, students, and each other



Striking a pose, Juniors Colin Walth and Chris Klemme and Sophomore Mitch Johnson get focused to run at a track meet.

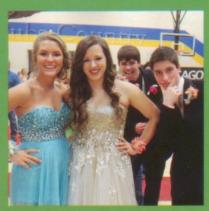


Juniors Stevan McNeil and Maverick Steen listen to Sophomore Marshall Christensen's master gardening plan.

Senior Jesse Osterloh oversees Junior Danika Taylor dissection of a pig in Mr. Broadwell's Anatomy class.







## Track & Field \*\*



Enjoying a windy day at the track meet, seniors Lindsey Terpstra and Courtney McKee stop to smile for the camera.



Exploding through the ring, junior Sierra McConnell heaves the shot put.



Pacing himself, sophomore Grant Johnson prepares for the next hurdle.

Leaping off the toe board, sophomore Mitchell Johnson flies through the air.

Using perfect form, freshman Kassidy Walth jumps over a hurdle.

Sprinting down the runway, sophomore Inaki Moriones prepares to jump.









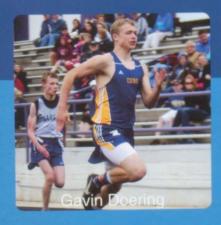
"We had another great season.
Several members competed at
the state level, and our two
seniors stepped up and showed
others that hard work pays off."
-Coach,
LeeAnn Haisch

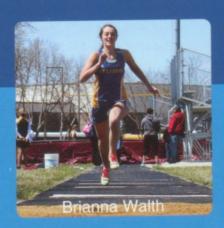


"If you don't suffer the pain of hard work now, you will suffer the pain of losing later." -Senior, Courtney McKee "Your body can stand almost anything. It's your mind that you have to convince." -Senior, Lindsey Terpstra "Learn to run when feeling the pain; then push harder." -Junior, Eric Berg



This season was another great year for the Alcester-Hudson track team. At the Region 5B track meet in Menno, South Dakota, senior Courtney McKee came in first in the girl's shot put and qualified for the state meet. Senior Lindsey Terpstra came in first in the girl's triple jump and also qualified for the state meet. The boys medley team, consisting of Inaki Moriones, Colin Walth, Mitchell Johnson and Christopher Klemme also qualified for the state meet by placing first at regions. Another successful track season has come and gone, leaving memories that will last a lifetime.







### #RunFastTurnLeft

#### Golf



Showing off his awesome newcomer skills, senior Erik Barnes swings violently at the ball.



8th Grader Cameron Squires demonstrates his motto, "Haters Gonna Hate."



Freshman Holly Van Wyk stares intensely at the ball before swinging.

8th grader Luke Christensen continues his strong round while 8th grader Josh Griffith shows support.

Reassuring her love for golf, 8th grader Jordyn Huber admires her shot.

Seventh Grader T.J Shaughnes sy pummels the ball down the fairway.

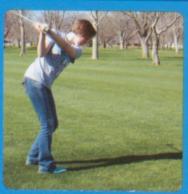




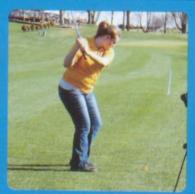




" I feel like the golfers really progressed this season!" - Coach, Molly Homandberg



"I can honestly say that I tried my best". -Freshman, Brigita Rasmussen

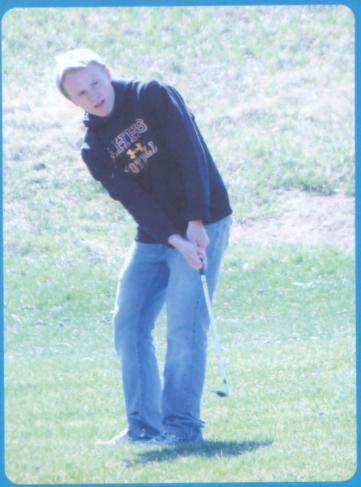


"I feel like I learned a lot this season!" -Freshman, Holly VanWyk



"It was fun to golf at Akron!" - Sophomore, Marshall Christensen





The golfers of Alcester-Hudson had a great season as they either learned the fundamentals of golf, or polished their game so they could perform their best. Behind new coach Molly Homandberg's leadership, the golfin' cubs performed well at courses like Fox Run and Elmwood. The successful season provided confidence for the cubs next season. Even though it was senior Erik Barnes' first year golfing, he had a great season and will definitely be missed. Sophomores Grant Johnson and Zachary Ronning qualified to golf at the state tournament in Mitchell.







#LlatersGonnaLlate

## Fanatics



Seniors
Bailey
Gustner and
Shenia
Doering show
spirit with
their vintage
cub wear.

Junior Sierra
McConnell
and
Sophomore
Kinzi Debruin
cheer on the
Cubs
Football
Team.



Senior Austin Schuller, junior Abbey Farley, and sophomore Nick Johannsen pay respect to coach Linda Thompson.





Senior Erik Barnes starts a chant to pump up the crowd.



"The cub costume was the highlight of my life." - Sophomore, Mitch Johnson

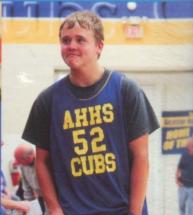


"This year was the definition of POW!" -Sophomore Alex Pulscher



"We couldn't wait for the cubs to take the floor"!

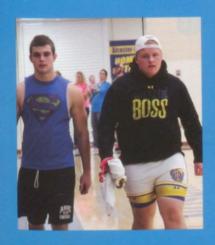
- Senior, Erik Barnes



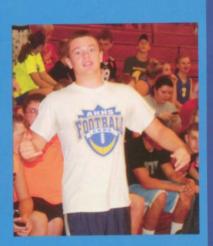
"Now We Go!" - Junior, Eric Berg



The fans for the Alcester-Hudson sports team were at an all time high this year. At the state volleyball tournament, the fans not only had cub pride, but also showed some thrift. One night, they went to a local Salvation Army and purchased classy attire for the game without breaking the bank. The fans also adopted a symbol making a "L" and "T" with their fingers to pay respect to coach Thompson during the starting lineups. During the basketball season, the fans also pulled out old 5th grade basketball uniforms. The cub mascot even made a few appearances during the sports seasons. Whether it was representing the girls in Huron at the state volleyball tournament or traveling to Wolsey cheering on the boys football team in the playoffs, cub pride ran strong throughout this school year.







## #Now\VeGo

#### FCCLA



Informing the world about the Senior Citizen **Thanksgiving** dinner, senior Kassie Van Wyk speaks for Keloland.

Representing their district proudly, FCCLA advisor Kelsey Randall and district chair person Haley Boyer take a snapshot.

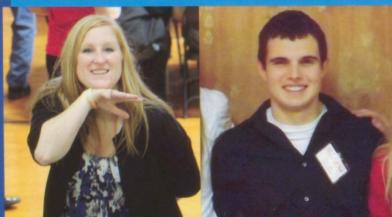


Helping at the FCCLA Halloween carnival, 8th grader Hannah Renken shows off her Raggedy Ann outfit.





Getting excited to learn new skills, a group of FCCLA members build leadership and communication skills at leadership training.



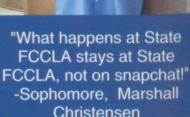
"The only way that this year could have been any better is if we had Luke Bryan as a member."- Advisor, Kelsey Randall



"FCCLA is the bomb dot com." -Senior, Erik Barnes

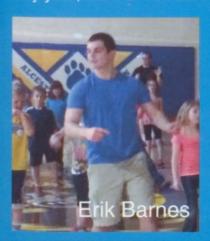


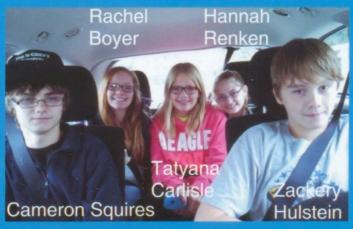
"FCCLA has left me with some of my favorite high school memories!" -Senior, Haley Boyer





FCCLA proudly showed their color this year at many events! The FCCLA chapter kicked off the year by holding the halloween carnival, where various members dressed up as different characters to show their festive halloween side. Junior High dances were hosted by the FCCLA chapter, making them busy bodies near Halloween and Valentine's Day. In November, the FCCLA and FFA served the annual Senior Thanksgiving Dinner, where members were able to connect with elderly community members and give them a delicious Thanksgiving meal. Alcester-Hudson also held the FCCLA district meeting at the high school. Nearing the end of the school year, six members attended the state FCCLA meeting, where Senior Haley Boyer served as a state officer. It was a busy year, but the members came together as a family and made the most of it.







#### #EvenTheGoatLaughed

#### FFA



Running the concession stands, juniors Tashena Osterkamp, Lance Sogn, and Jaylen Dickau show off the FFA work ethic.

T. Rasmussen,
R. Boyer, O.
Limoges, and B.
Rasmussen sell
Team Ari gear at
the golf
tournament.



Teaching kids
about the
importance of
agriculture,
seniors Haley
Boyer and Landon
Nygard make
some homemade
ice cream.





Displaying her most hospitable smile, junior Eden Hemmingson hangs up coats at the senior citizens dinner.



"The students did a great job in their CDE's and with community service this year."-Advisor Kelly Dunkelberger



"FFA 4 lyfe!" - Junior, Tashena Osterkamp



"I'm not quite done with FFA yet. I won't let go that easily."

- Senior, Haley Boyer



"I am a future farmer of America." - Junior, Lance Sogn



The FFA Chapter held many roles this year. Probably the most important was their support for member Ariyanna Miller in her battle with Leukemia. There were many benefits held in assocaition with the FFA chapter to help raise money such as a benefit auction, a golf torunament, and a tractor pull. Not only did the FFA chapter take a stand for Ari, but they also made a world-wide impact with the Kids Against Hunger Program. FFA members, along with the rest of the student body, were able to collectively pack 41,400 meals for hungry children around the world. The chapter also helped with the Alcester-Hudson backpack program, organized their annual pancake feed, and worked in collaboration with the FCCLA for the senior citizens dinner. In addition to all of their community service efforts, the chapter had a successful year of contest, as they participated in both fall and spring Career Development Events. The members ended their year with State FFA Convention in Brookings and a chapter banquet to celebrate their achievements.







#### Band & Chorus



Sophomore Nick Johannsen performs with the communityfamous Pep Band.

Avoiding the camera Senior Lindsey Terpstra and Freshmen Kassidy Walth learn their



Waiting for their turn to sing Freshmen Olivia Limoges and Brigita Rasmussen try and get some homework done.





Sophomore Brock Norseen and Freshmen Trent Rus pose for a picture during a productive choir practice.



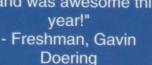
"I like to toot my horn." - Junior, Colin Walth



"I sound like a dying cat" - Junior, Bobbie McHugh



"Band was awesome this year!" - Freshman, Gavin





"I had an awesome time singing this year!"

- Junior, Allison Lemcke



This year Mrs. Pulscher took over both the band and choir classes. Both were very successful and had a great year! During the fall, the band did an excellent job marching in the Homecoming parade. The band students also did great at both large group and small group contest. The choir's year was also eventful. In the fall, seniors Kassie VanWyk and Haley Boyer, junior Marcus Ireland, and sophomore Alex Pulscher attended All-State Chorus. They sang their hearts out and had a great performance. The entire choir participated at small group contest, where all duets and ensembles did well. The band and chorus shared their winter and spring concerts, which went off without a hitch. All and all, this year was a successful one for the Alcester-Hudson Band and Chorus. Both the band and chorus will be losing a handful of seniors this year, but hopefully under the leadership of Mrs. Pulscher and the new choir teacher, next year will be just as musical as this one was.







## #\VeGotTheBeat

## Play



Definitely not impressed, Senior Haley Boyer questions junior Marcus Ireland's attitude.



Channeling
her inner
mime,
Senior
Shenia
Doering
doesn't
make a
peep.



Working it, Senior Landon Nygard shows off his Versace burlap sack.





Sporting her most sensible attire, Junior Eden Hemmingson shoots a wink at her date.



"It was an experience to remember." -Junior, Samantha Heiman



"It was a fun experience to be in the play with such a good group of people.
-Senior,

Jamie Jansen



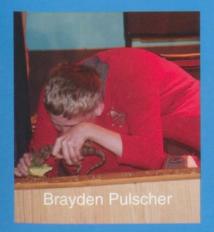
""It was a fun
experience. The
cast was all so fun
to work with."
-Sophomore,
Ariyanna Miller



"I'm glad my demophobia didn't kick in." -Junior, Colin Walth



The high school play presented this year was the one act hit: "Check Please." The play was a comedy that explored the realities of speed dating. It featured miming, split personalities, and a burlap sack. In other words, the show did not disappoint. Starring senior Haley Boyer and junior Ashton Liston, along with a strong supporting cast, the play was a showcase of brilliant talent. The other students featured in the play were seniors Shenia Doering, Jamie Jansen and Landon Nygard; juniors Samantha Heiman, Eden Hemmingson, Marcus Ireland, Danika Taylor and Colin Walth; freshman Gavin Doering; and 7th grader Brayden Pulscher. Behind the scenes were first time director Marissa Kleinhans and stage manager Eden Hemmingson. All who were in attendance at the April performances were wowed by the hard-work and dedication (and snacks) that went in to making this show a success.

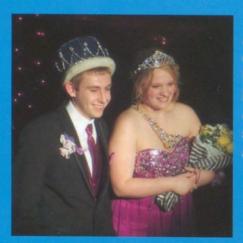






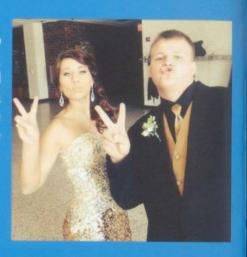
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#### Prom



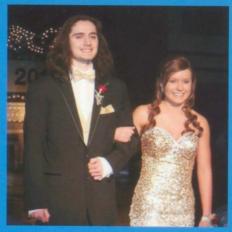
Accepting their crowns, prom King & Queen Landon Nygard & Haley Boyer smile for the audience.

Chucking up the deuces, Trent Rus and Samantha Heiman begin their carefree day of fun.



Cheesing for the camera, sophomore Grant Johnson and junior Sierra McConnell show their 'true" excitement for prom.





Caught up in the dazzling lights, junior Nick Malmberg and senior Katie Homandberg present themselves at the grand march.



"The only thing that kept me sane was having the camo."

- Senior, Austin Schuller "Prom is the one day a year when a girl feels nothing but beautiful."
- Senior.

Senior,
 Haley Boyer

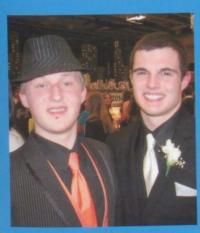
"That last hour of after prom really tested my manhood."

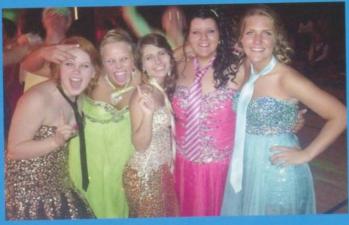
> - Junior, Trent Rus

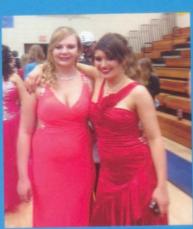
"The magician still has me confused." -Junior, Tashena Osterkamp



The time came again for the boys to face their two least favorite things: getting dressed up, and taking pictures. Even through the complaints, all of the students, boys included, had an amazing time at prom. Limos and party buses were rented this year to add to the excitement of prom festivities. The theme for the day was "All That Jazz", bringing 1920's downtown Chicago back to life. During the grand march, each lovely couple showed off their snazzy outfits and seniors Haley Boyer and Landon Nygard were crowned as king and queen. After an exhausting dance, the students were loaded onto buses and sent to Skyzone. In addition to all of the trampolines, a mind-blowing magician and a cartoonist were in attendance to add to the fun. In case people weren't entertained enough, there was also an abundance of snacks. All of these details came together to create a dream-like day that none of the students will soon forget.







#### #AllThatJazz

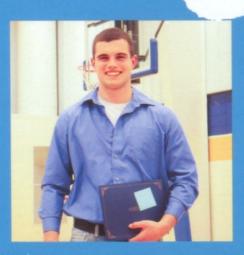
#### Honors



Tyleen Nelson won the Deecort Hammitt Award as well as the Harry Lee Scholarship. Jamie Jansen was awarded the Blue Jean, Alpha Sorority, AHEA,Tiltrum Family, Alpha Sorority, and Alpha Delta Kappa Sorority Scholarships.



Erik Barnes was awarded the State Bank of Alcester, AH Booster Club, and Louis Shoraga Scholarships.





Kassie VanWyk was awarded the Michael Tabbert memorial, Alpha Sorority, Lions Club, and Owen Buum Memorial Scholarships.

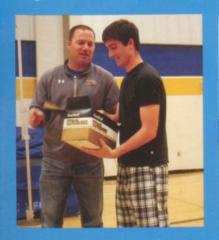


Shenia Doering received the AH Booster Club, and AHHS School Board Scholarships. Skylar McConnell received the National Honor Society Scholarship.

Haley Boyer received the Blue Jean, AHEA, Beta Sorority, Alliance, Ministerial, AHHS School Board, and Lind Scholarships. Courtney Mckee was awarded the Ministerial Association Scholarship.



These seniors were all scholarship winners of local scholarships in 2014. We also had eight Regent Scholars as well as eleven National Honor Society members. Many of our seniors were awarded large scholarships from their future colleges. The total dollar amount of scholarships awarded for this class was more than \$300,000.00! This class will definitely put their awards to good use, and it should be exciting to see where the money will take them. In addition to senior awards and scholarships, many students of all grade levels received non-monetary awards from different sports clubs and organizations within the school and community.







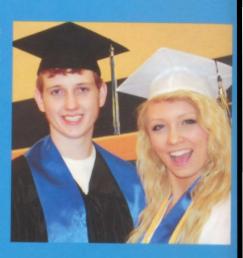
#### #CollegeBound

#### Graduation



Giving parents the credit they deserve, Shenia Doering and Jamie Jansen share the parent appreciation speech.

Getting all of their last minute nerves out, Austin Schuller and Bailey Gustner are decked out in their graduation gear.



Saying "bye bye bye" to the school, Erik Barnes performs the senior dance number one last time.





Excited to move on in the world, Andrew Terwee greets people in the handshake line.



"Life's made of moments like this." - Katie Homandberg



"Graduation was a great memory for me and I'm ready to see what my life brings in the future."

- Landon Nygard



"I'm happy to begin the next chapter in my life, but sad to leave behind all of my cherished friendships."

- Tyleen Nelson



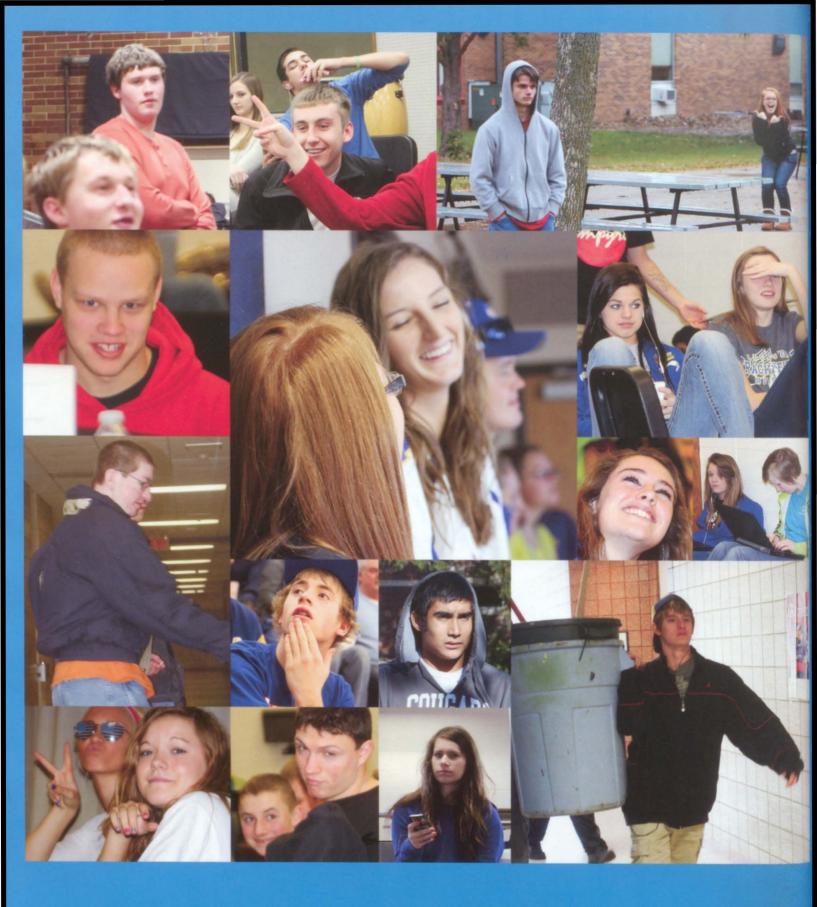
"It feels great to be done with high school." - Tyler Lewis



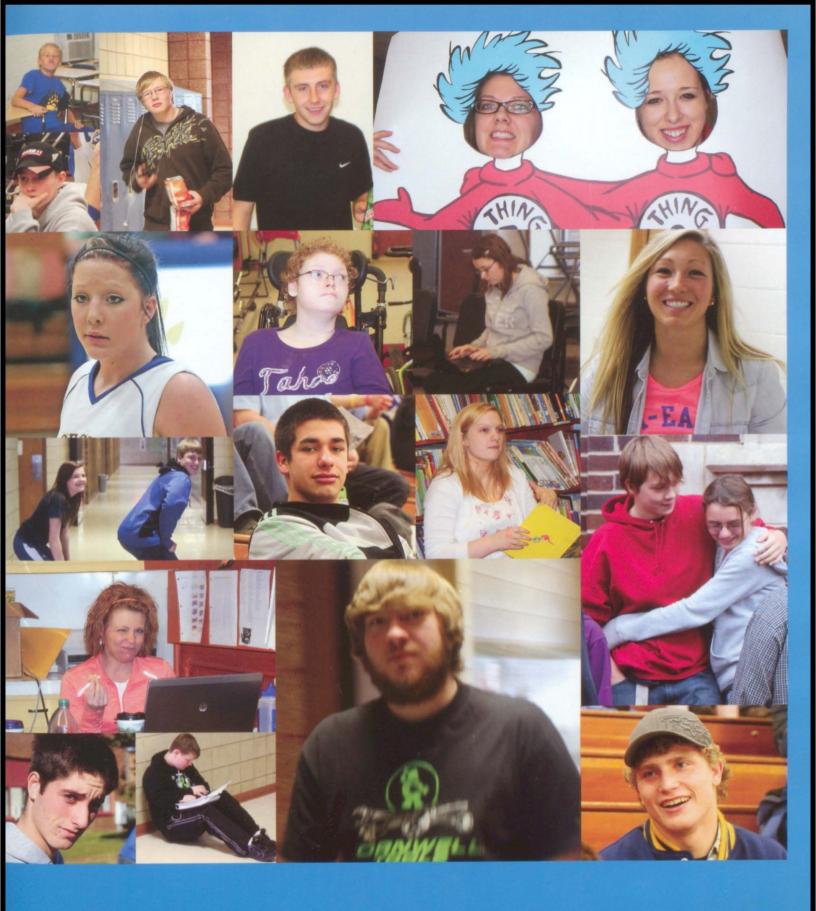
The years of hard work and studying finally paid off for the senior class as they graduated from Alcester-Hudson High School. It was a bittersweet afternoon as the seniors had to say goodbye to friends and faculty. The graduation ceremony was phenomenal, with a student speech given by Haley Boyer, Lindsey Terpstra, and Skylar McConnell; slideshows created by Courtney McKee, and a parent appreciation speech presented by Jamie Jansen and Shenia Doering. The ceremony was also musical, with a senior girls rendition of "Wherever I go" and a special dance performance of "Bye Bye Bye" by some members of the senior class. The class will miss each other, but they will never forget the memories made during the 13 years they shared together.



## #And\Ve'reDone



## People :



## #Don'tMindUs

## Faculty





Vicki Ahart Bobette Anderson Hannah Baily Neal Barnes Eric Bauder Karla Bovill











Lori Davelaar Bonnie DeBondt Jeanne Delzer Shana Doering Toni Dumas Kelly Dunkelberger











Robin Haugland Maureen Hedeen Tamra Heiman Molly Homandberg Becky Jenkins Kathy Johannsen













Michael Manning Laura McKee Linda Merrick Crystal Minor Terri Nygard Lorna Peterson













Olive Scott Mike Seivert Beth Serck Ben Solem Linda Thompson Sam Tinklepaugh









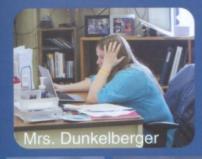




























David Broadwell Pat Bunkoske Lynette Busch Roxanne Clark Dee Cole Nola Conner













Kelli Erickson Pauline Farrell Brian Haak LeeAnn Haisch Steve Hale Shannon Hames













Scott Johnson Tiffany Johnson Marissa Kleinhans Kevin Kunz Tamara Lewis MaryBeth Lundberg













Karla Pulscher Kelsey Randall Tim Rhead Sandy Saugstad Joni Schempp Danyel Schouten













Kitsy Triebwasser Cassie VanKekerix Randy Walth Jeff Walz Amy Webb Amanda Wielenga



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## #RoleModels

## Juniors \*\*

Joshua Beeck Nicholas Beeck Eric Berg Jaylen Dickau Preston Dooley











Marcus Ireland Christopher Klemme Lyle LaFramboise Allison Lemcke Ashton Liston











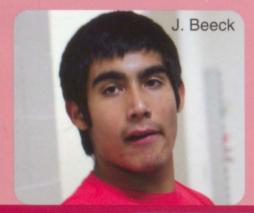
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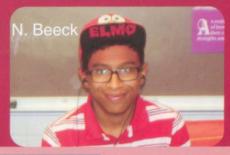






















Abigale Farley Clayton Fitzgerald Amber Hanzlik Samantha Heiman Eden Hemmingsor











Nicholas Malmberg Sierra McConnell Bobbi McHugh Steven McNeil Emily Myers









Maverick Steen
Danika Taylor-Petersor
Colin Walth
Domenick Wilson







### #SoulPancake

## Sophomores



Aimee Boese **Emily Busch** Marshall Christensen Kinzi Debruin









Zachary Johnson John Kemner Inaki Moriones Madariaga Ariyanna Miller









Hailey Roman Zachary Ronning Joey Roos

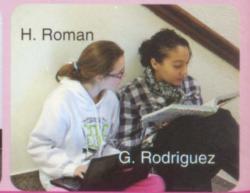












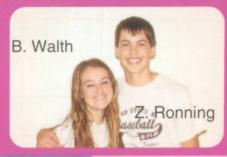




















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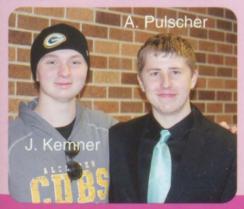


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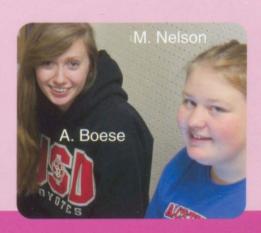




Cassie Schiefen Brianna Walth







### #TeamAriyanna

## Freshmen \*\*

David Alexander Adrian Beeck Gavin Doering Parker Dooley









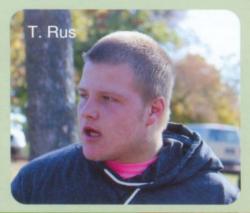
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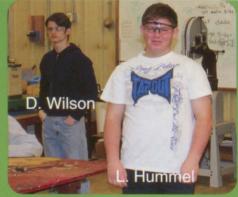








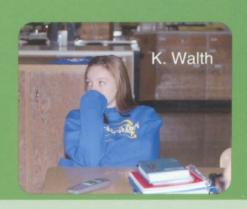




















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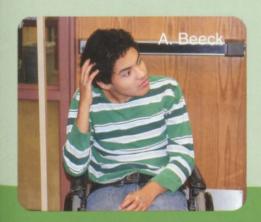




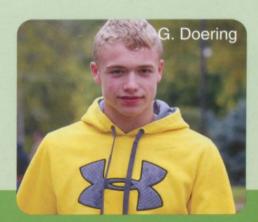




Laura Steeneck Holly Van Wyk Kassidy Walth Donovan Wilson







## #MakeitManning

## 8th Grade \*\*

Brent Boese Rachel Boyer Nicholas Buum Tatyana Carlisle Luke Christensen











Jacyln Hallaway Cash Hemmingson Jordyn Huber Zackery Hulstein Halley Kjose











Hannah Renken Emily Ronning Connor Sogn Cameron Squires Shiloh Steen







































Callie Constance Julie Dickau Jett Farrell Madison Gray Joshua Griffith











Augustine
LaFramboise
Sydney McKee
Zachary McKee
Tyler Nelson
Karlee Nygard









Amelia Stene Kaden Teunissen Jehdon Taylor Kara Weddle





## #MakeltRain

## 7th Grade \*\*

Jennifer Busch Christopher Carlson Avery Hongslo Blake Hummel









Brayden Pulscher Tori Rasmussen Ethan Reed Heidi Renken









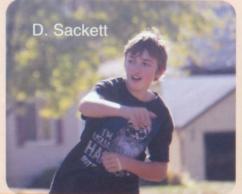
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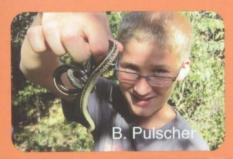
























Kendra Jensen Ryan Keiser Sara Kemner Emma Pulfrey









Keandra Rhead Dillon Sackett Brandon Schuller Thomas Shaughnessy

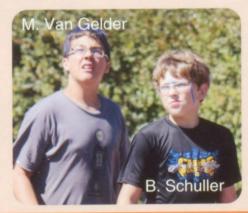






Madison Treiber Michael Van Gelder Ashley Weddle







#5waggy

### Elementary



Kindergarten: Brianna Avery Jacob Cole Ethan Dumas Mason Dumas Ella Erickson Isabella Frerichs Alyssa Just Keagan Klemme Lauren Meier





Cory Nelson Amelia Phillips Jazmyn Roos Jose Topete-Lopez Zac VanMeeteren Hannah Ahart Declan Allen Savanna Christman Joshua Driesen

Emma Erickson Madisyn Jansen Avery Jurgensen Nick Kribell Karina Pultrey Charles Schoellerman Cassady Stoughtenger 2nd Grade: Aldan Cole Aidan Cole Elly Doering

Jameson Duncan Mikiela Greene Kyler Haeder Miranda Just Addisyn Larson Aden Moller Carly Patrick Rex Ross Marcus Royer

Abigail Steeneck Laine VanderFeen Abigail Bailey Alexis Gray William Hallway McKenzie Jurgensen Michael Kast Mateo Kleinhans Gavin Kroll

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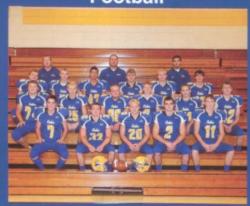






## Team Sports Pictures

Football



Front Row L to R: Inaki Moriones Madariaga, Colin Walth, Mitchell Johnson, Erik Barnes, Austin Schuller. Second Row: Nick Johannsen, Chris Klemme, Trent Rus, Sam Jensen, Logan McConnell, Alex Pulscher. Third Row: Eric Berg, Gavin Doering, Lyle LaFramboise, Jaylen Dickau, Grant Johnson, Zach Ronning. Back Row: Coach Steve Hale, Head Coach Brian Haak, Coach Kevin Kunz.

### **Cross Country**



Front Row: Tori Rasmussen, Katie Homandberg. Back Row: Brayden Pulscher, Brock Norseen, Ashton Liston, Marcus Ireland, Coach David Broadwell.

**Football Cheerleaders** 



Emily Myers, Haley Boyer, Abbey Farley.

JV/ C Team Volleyball



Front Row: Eden Hemmingson, Cassie Schiefen, Tashena Osterkamp. Back Row: Olivia Limoges, Kinzi DeBruin, Brianna Walth, Coach Vicki Ahart, Gabby Rodriguez, Holly Van Wyk, Brigita Rasmussen.

### **Wrestling Cheerleaders**



Samantha Heiman, Bailey Gustner, Abbey Farley.

Varsity Volleyball



L to R: Kassie VanWyk, Jamie Jansen, Sierra McConnell, Tashena Osterkamp, Eden Hemmingson, Lindsey Terpstra, Coach Linda Thompson, Skylar McConnell, Cassie Schiefen, Courtney McKee, Kassidy Walth, Bailey Gustner, Shenia Doering.

### Wrestling



Front Row: Cameron Squires, Brandon Schuller, Trevor Stene, Christopher Carlson. Second Row: Colin Walth, Trenton Rus, Coach Zach DeBruin, Jaylen Dickau, Domenick Wilson

### **Varsity Boys Basketball**



Front Row: Eric Berg, Inaki Moriones Madariaga, Logan McConnell, Sam Jensen, Mitchell Johnson, Eli Skoglund, Back Row: Coach Kevin Kunz, Gavin Doering, Grant Johnson, Alex Pulscher, Lyle LaFramboise, Christopher Klemme, Erik Barnes, Zachary Ronning, Coach Scott Jonhson

### Golf



Front Row: Donovan Wilson, Sydney Mckee, Callie Constance, Luke Christensen. Second Row: Emily Ronning, Holly Van Wyk, Luke Hummel, Michael Van Gelder, Brigita Rasmussen. Back Row: TJ Shaughnessy, Jordyn Huber, Marshall Christensen, Kassie Van Wyk, Erik Barnes, Nick Johannsen, Coach Molly Homandberg.

### JV Boys Basketball



Front Row: Brayden Pulscher, Joshua Griffith, Eli Skoglund, Inaki Moriones Madariaga, Ryan Keiser. Second Row: Zachary McKee, Logan McConnell, Alex Pulscher, Christopher Klemme, Blake Hummel, Eric Berg, Zachary Ronning, Coach Scott Johnson.

### JV Girls Basketball



Front Row: Halley Kjose, Amelia Stene, Karlee Nygard, Julie Dickau, Jaclyn Hallaway. Back Row: Coach Eric Bauder, Cassie Schiefen, Olivia Limoges, Brianna Walth, Kassidy Walth, Monica Nelson, Coach Shannon Hames.



Front Row: Ariyanna Miller, Kinzi Debruin. Second Row: Eden Hemmingson, Emily Myers. Third Row: Haley Boyer.

### Varsity Girls Basketball



Front Row: Cassie Schiefen, Olivia Limoges, Brianna Walth, Kassidy Walth, Monica Nelson. Second Row: Sierra McConnell. Tyleen Nelson, Taylor Kjose, Shenia Doering, Skylar McConnell, Jamie Jansen, Lindsey Terpstra, Courtney McKee, Katie Homandberg. Third Row: Coach Eric Bauder, Coach Shannon Hames.

### Track and Field



Front Row: Avery Hongslo, Alexyss Basketball Cheerleaders Taylor, Hannah Renken, MyKenzie Squires, Kara Weddle, Ashley Weddle, Keandra Rhead. Second Row: Coach Brian Haak, Amelia Stene, Brianna Walth, Cassie Schiefen, Kassidy Walth, Lindsey Terpstra, Courtney Mckee, Sierra McConnell, Tori Rasmussen, Emma Pulfrey, Sara Kemner, Madison Treiber, Coach Leeann Haisch. Third Row: Zachary McKee, Grant Johnson, Trent Rus, Eric Berg, Tyler Nelson, Zachary Ronning, Eli Skoglund, Alex Pulscher, Chris Klemme, Gavin Doering, Mitchell Johnson, Logan McConnell, Inaki Moriones-Madariaga, Colin Walth, Brayden Pulscher, Brady Wielenga.

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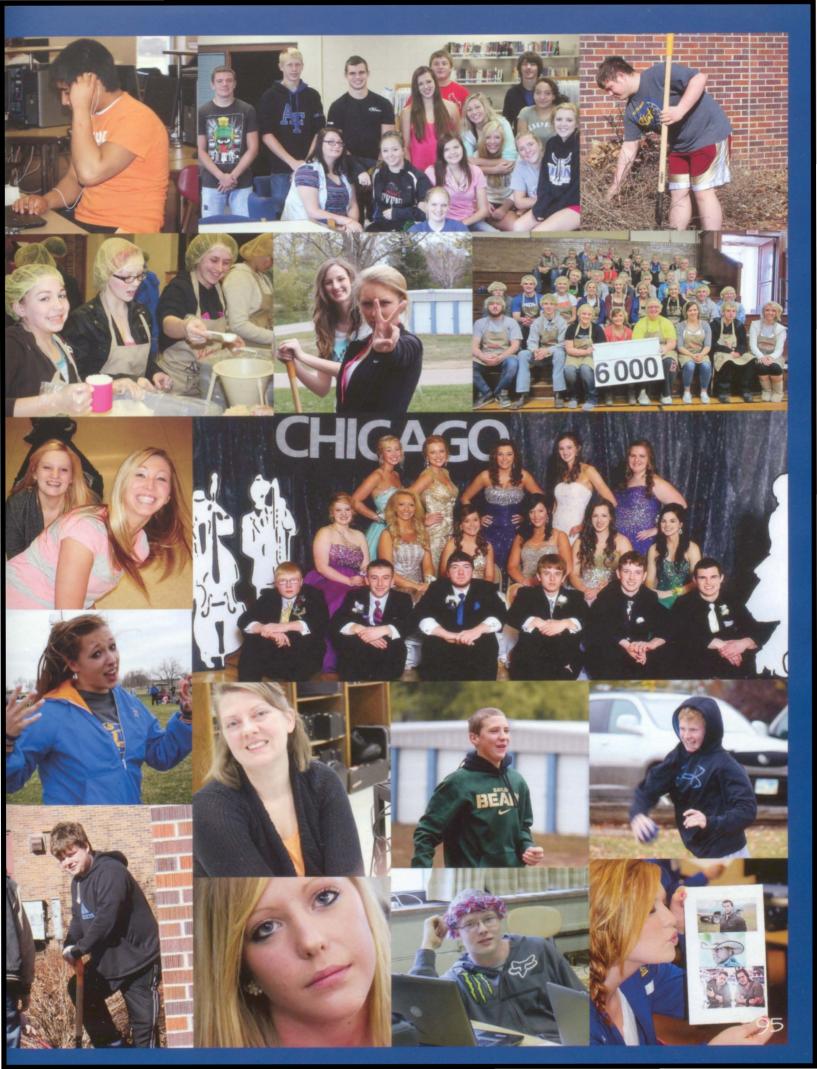
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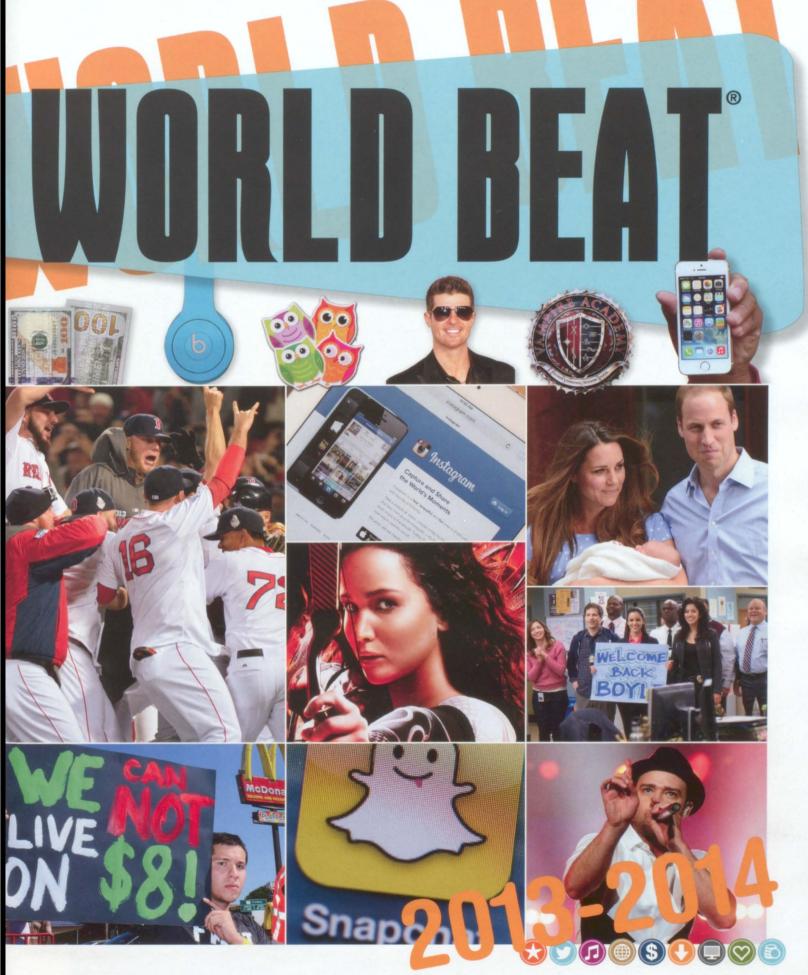
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Another page has been scrolled through on the webscreen of our lives. The year may be over, and the trends may have changed, but there is one thing that will always remain with us from this time: our memories. The memories that we have made and the trends that we have set would not be as influential in our lives if it had not been for the support that we recieve from everyone around us. The Graphic Design class extends a huge thank you to the teachers and staff at Alcester-Hudson

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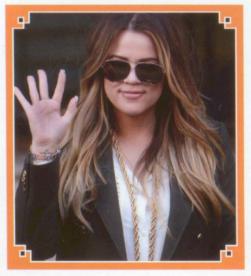
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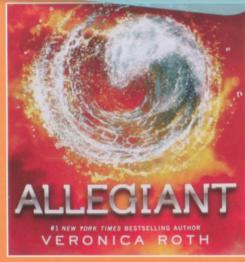
The wise, wide-eyed owl is popping up everywhere as a whimsical motif in jewelry and accessories.



### **Zombies Invade Pop Culture**

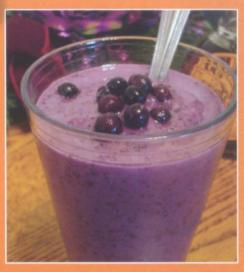
Zombies walk and feed among the living in hit movies, popular television shows, and trendy costume parties.





### Tris Trumps Katniss

Amazon.com announces that pre-orders for *Allegiant*, the final book in the *Divergent* trilogy by Veronica Roth, are outselling the final book in the *Hunger Games* trilogy.



### Smooth Move

Kids take over the family blender to make quick, healthy fruit and veggie smoothies for breakfast or afternoon snacks.



### **New Hair Hues**

Hairstylists report that their customers, male and female, are asking for ombré hair color that starts dark at the roots and becomes gradually lighter toward the ends.



The Gatorade® brand introduces
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ENERGY



Pretzels are the latest fad food. Fast food restaurants introduce new sandwiches on pretzel buns. Pretzel-based snack foods soar in popularity.

### **Better With Bacon**

It's not just for breakfast anymore. Trendy restaurant chefs and home cooks add bacon to everything from appetizers to desserts.



### Keep Calm and Be Silly

"Keep Calm and Carry On," a British slogan from World War II, inspires parodies like "Keep Calm and Have a Cupcake."



### KEEP CALM **CARRY** ON

Sundays should be 30 hours so I have more time to put off doing my homework...



### **Advertisers Connect With Social Media Users**

Consumer brands like Ford and The Home Depot are featured on Someecards, the humorous electronic greeting cards users share

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### Everyone's Using Social Media Hashtags

The Twitter #hashtag helps users connect to trending topics; entertainers, sports figures, and consumer brands get in on the act.

PRIVACY



### Dessen Fans Welcome New Novel

Young adult fiction writer Sarah Dessen releases her twelfth book, The Moon and More, about a young woman who is about to leave her coastal hometown for college.

### World's Most Powerful Celebrities 2013

- 1. Oprah Winfrey, \$77M
- 2. Lady Gaga, \$80M

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- 3. Steven Spielberg, \$100M
- 4. Beyoncé Knowles, \$53M
- 5. Madonna, \$125M
- 6. Taylor Swift, \$55M
- 7. Bon Jovi, \$79M
- 8. Roger Federer, \$71M
- 9. Justin Bieber, \$58M
- 10. Ellen DeGeneres, \$56M

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## SPORTS



### Nadal Wins 13th Grand Slam

Spanish tennis great Rafael Nadal triumphs over his Serbian opponent Novak Djokovic at the U.S. Open to claim his 13th Grand Slam title.



### Serena Wins in Queens

Tennis champion Serena Williams wins her 17th Grand Slam by defeating Victoria Azarenka for the women's singles title at the U.S. Open.



### **Tiger Tops the Tour**

Golfer Tiger Woods tops the 2013 PGA Player of the Year final standings for the 11th time in 16 seasons as a PGA Tour professional.

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### Johnson Picks Up Six-pack

NASCAR driver Jimmie Johnson wins his sixth Sprint Cup championship and finally lives up to his Twitter hashtag, #6Pack.



### **Huston Rolls to Gold**

Eighteen-year-old skateboarder Nyjah Huston takes home the Street League Skateboarding Gold at the X Games in Los Angeles.



### Twin Sisters Seek Gold in Sochi

The first set of twins to play women's ice hockey in the Olympic Winter Games return to Team USA. Monique and Jocelyne Lamoureux compete in Russia.

### Bobsled Team Seeks Second Olympic Gold

The U.S. four-man bobsled team travels to the Winter Olympic Games in Sochi, hoping to win a second consecutive gold medal.



### Curling Teams Compete in Sochi

Team USA sends men's and women's curling teams to compete for Olympic Gold at the Ice Cube Curling Center in Sochi, Russia.



### Top Five Athletes With the Largest Twitter Following:

- 1. Christiano Ronaldo, 22M
- 2. Ricardo Kaká, 17M
- 3. LeBron James, 10M
- 4. Neymar Júnior, 9M
- 5. Shaquille O'Neal, 8M

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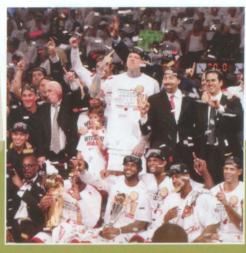


### Lynx are WNBA Champs Again

The Minnesota Lynx win their second WNBA title in three years, finishing the sweep with an 86-77 win over the Atlanta Dream.

### Spurs Can't Take the Heat

In the final game of the NBA championship, LeBron James and the Miami HEAT defeat the San Antonio Spurs 95-88.

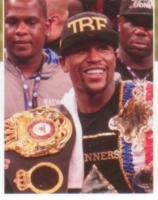


Seahawks Win Super Bowl
The Seattle Seahawks achieve a decisive,
43—8 victory over the Denver Broncos to
claim the Lombardi Trophy in Super Bowl
XLVIII at New Jersey's MetLife Stadium.



### Mayweather Rules the Ring

Boxer Floyd Mayweather, Jr. defeats light middleweight rising star Saúl "El Canelo" Álvarez at the MGM Grand Garden Arena in Las Vegas.



### Sox Win the Series

As the Fenway Park crowd roars, the Boston Red Sox beat the St. Louis Cardinals 6-1 in Game 6 of the World Series.



### Teen Golfer Goes Pro

New Zealand golfer Lydia Ko, 16, is admitted to the LPGA tour even though the minimum age is 18. She is the youngest person ever to win a pro golf tour event.

## MUSIC



### Thicke Rules the Summertime Charts

Robin Thicke's "Blurred Lines," with guest vocals from T.I. and Pharrell Williams, is the unofficial song of the summer, selling more than six million MP3 downloads.



### **Swift Rules the AMAs**

Taylor Swift takes home four American Music Awards trophies, including Artist of the Year, for a career total of 15 AMA awards.



### Searching for Jay Z

Google releases a year-end list of most searched songs; Jay Z is the only artist with two songs among the Top 10.



### Lorde Lands a Hit with "Royals"

Seventeen-year-old Ella Maria Lani Yelich-O'Connor, better known as Lorde, is the first New Zealand solo artist to have a No. 1 song in the United States.



### Soundtrack Features Platinum Alt Rockers

The soundtrack for *The Hunger Games: Catching Fire* includes "Who We Are" by Imagine Dragons, whose first album *Night Visions* is certified platinum.

The band, fondly known to fans as 1D, releases their second album, Midnight Memories, and a 3-D concert film. This is 0s.

### Bruno on the Ball

Singer-songwriter Bruno Mars is tapped to perform in the Super Bowl XLVIII halftime show.





## KIA

### Rapper Recruits for the ACLU

Macklemore releases a video encouraging fans to join the American Civil Liberties Union, a nonpartisan nonprofit that protects free speech and other rights.

### Florida Georgia Line Sees Double at CMA Awards

Tyler Hubbard and Brian Kelley of Florida Georgia Line take home two trophies for their single, "Cruise," at the Country Music Association Awards.



### Redman Receives Six Awards

Singer-songwriter Matt Redman won six 2013 GMA Dove Awards, including Song of the Year and Songwriter of the Year for "10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)."





### The People Choose Pink

Pink nabs three nominations in the People's Choice Awards. Her album, *The Truth About Love*, reaches No. 1 on the Billboard 200.

### **Timberlake Tops Twice**

Justin Timberlake's *The 20/20 Experience*—second of 2 album debuts at No. 1 on the charts, his second chart-topping album of the year.





### Most Downloaded Songs of 2013

- 1. Thrift Shop by Macklemore & Ryan Lewis
- 2. Blurred Lines by Robin Thicke
- 3. Radioactive by Imagine Dragons
- 4. Just Give Me a Reason by Pink
- 5. Can't Hold Us by Macklemore & Ryan Lewis



### **Katy Roars**

Reuters.com

Katy Perry's power pop song, "Roar," the first single from her fourth album, *Prism*, tops music charts in the United States and eight other countries.



### Eminem and Rihanna Pair Up

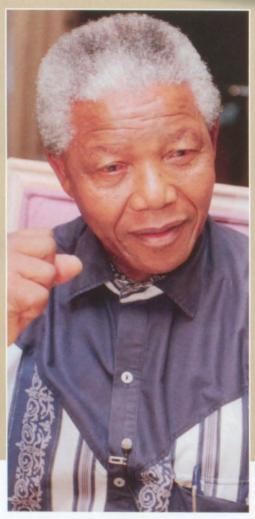
Eminem invites Rihanna to collaborate on "The Monster," a track that combines his rhymes with her melodic pop hooks.

## HEADLINES



### **Detroit Files for Bankruptcy**

Citing debts amounting to \$18 billion, Detroit files for Chapter 9 Bankruptcy protection. It is the most populous American city in history to go bankrupt.



### World Mourns Madiba

The death of South Africa's first black president, the anti-apartheid activist Nelson Mandela, inspires heartfelt tributes around the world.



### Prize Awarded to Malala

Sixteen-year-old Malala Yousafzai, a Pakistani activist dedicated to education for girls, receives the International Children's Peace Prize.

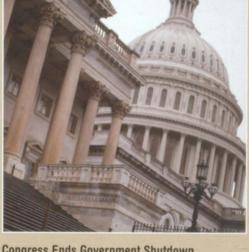


### American Fugitive Finds Asylum in Russia

Edward Snowden, a former National Security Agency contractor who leaked classified documents, is granted temporary asylum in Russia.

### **ObamaCare Launch Marred** by Website Glitches

Open enrollment for health insurance begins at healthcare.gov; users are frustrated as the website freezes and crashes repeatedly.



### Congress Ends Government Shutdown

A budget bill that raises the nation's debt ceiling is signed by President Obama, ending a 16-day shutdown of the federal government.



HealthCare.gov Individuals & Families Small Businesses The Health Insurance Marketplace is Open! **APPLY ONLINE APPLY BY PHONE** SEE PLANS AND PRICES IN YOUR AREA

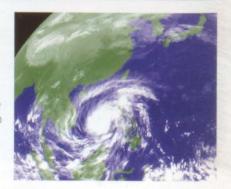


### Xbox's Biggest Launch Ever

In its first 24 hours, the Xbox One™ console sells one million units worldwide, making the debut the most successful in Xbox history.

### The Year's Largest Typhoon Hits the **Philippines**

Typhoon Haiyan, one of the strongest storms in recorded history, swept the Philippines with heavy rains and wind gusts up to 235 mph.





# Time Magazine Announces its 16 Most Influential Teens of 2013

- 1. Lorde, 17
- 2. Lydia Ko, 16
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- 4. Missy Franklin, 18
- 5. Kendall Jenner, 18
- 6. Kylie Jenner, 16
  - 7. Dante de Blasio, 16
  - 8. Malala Yousafzai, 16
- 9. Kiernan Shipka, 14
  - 10. Ionut Budisteanu, 19
- 11. Malia Obama, 15
- 12. Maya Van Wagenen, 15
- 13. Justin Bieber, 19
- 14. Beth Reekles, 17
- 15. Chloe Grace Moretz, 16
- 16. Hailee Steinfeld, 16

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### Concussion Concerns Prompt Equipment Improvements

Sporting goods manufacturers respond to parents' worries about concussion injuries by making helmets more protective.

### Hillary Clinton Resigns Secretary of State Post

After serving four years as the nation's 67th Secretary of State and achieving high approval ratings, Hillary Clinton steps down. Her replacement is Sen. John Kerry.





### Minimum Wage Workers Rally for a Raise

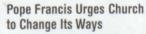
In state and municipal elections, Democrats are backing efforts to increase the minimum wage. The wage hike is





### Washington Redskins Owner Defies Protestors

Daniel Snyder, owner of the District of Columbia's NFL team, is unmoved by a series of protests that claim the team name is offensive to Native Americans.

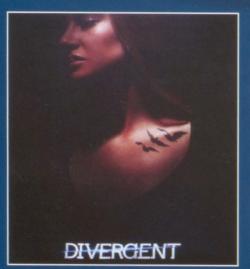


Pope Francis preaches compassion in his 84-page manifesto "The Joy of the Gospel," in which he urges Catholics to address the needs of the poor.



### A Supernatural Education

The first film adaptation of Richelle Mead's popular series of young adult books is released as Vampire Academy: Blood Sisters.



### A Sinister Future Calls for a Clever Heroine

The first book in Veronica Roth's dystopian trilogy is adapted for the big screen. Shailene Woodley stars as Beatrice "Tris" Prior in Divergent



### The First Avenger Comes Back for Seconds

Marvel's Captain America returns to the big screen to stop a shadowy assassin in *Captain America: The Winter Soldier*.



### A Classic Romance for a New Generation

Downton Abbey creator Julian Fellowes adapts the story of Shakespeare's star-crossed lovers for the big screen in Romeo & Juliet.



### Meanwhile, in Middle Earth

Bilbo Baggins treks across the silver screen in The Hobbit: The

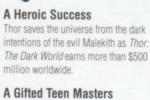


Desolation of Smaug, the second of a three-part series based on the J.R.R. Tolkien novel.



### A Real-life Pirate Story

When desperate Somali pirates hijack the American cargo ship MV Maersk Alabama, its captain undergoes a life-threatening ordeal in Captain Phillips.



# Games of War

Andrew "Ender" Wiggin is a brilliant boy recruited by the military to help save Earth from an invasion of evil aliens in the sci-fi thriller Ender's Game.



### Frozen Gets a Warm Reception

Critics and audiences fall for Disney's Frozen, the computer-animated musical tale of princess siblings, a magic snowman and a kingdom trapped in eternal winter.

### **Transformers Return to Theaters**

Earth is once again in danger, as humankind contends with the dangers of technology and the struggle between good and evil in Transformers 4: Age of Extinction.



# **Astronaut Movie Hits** Catching the Stratosphere

Gravity, a feature film starring Sandra Bullock and George Clooney as astronauts in danger, earns a record-breaking \$55.6 million on its opening weekend



### **Katniss Sets Box** Office Ablaze

Box office receipts of \$161 million from the first weekend of *The Hunger Games: Catching Fire* set
a record for the best November opening of all time.

## 2013 Box Office Sales Domestic

- 2. The Hunger Games: Catching Fire 7. Gravity
- 3. Despicable Me 2
- 4. Man of Steel
- 5. Monsters University
- 6. Frozen
- 8. Fast & Furious 6
- 9. Oz: The Great and Powerful
- 10. Star Trek Into Darkness

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### Spider-Man Swings Back for a Sequel

New York is once again threatened by evil villains with formidable powers. Andrew Garfield returns to play the title role in The Amazing Spider-Man 2.

# SOCIAL MF

### iPhone® 5S Garners Praise Apple introduces its latest

iPhone with an improved camera TouchID fingerprint sensor and best-in-class motion sensors.



### **Controversy Surrounds Social Networking App**

Ask.fm, a social networking app where users post questions and comments anonymously, is linked to cyber bullying.



### Mobile Gaming Fans Welcome Adventure Game Sequel

With more than a million downloads in less than three days, the new Temple Run 2 is one of the year's most successful apps.



Vine videos are little windows into the people, ideas and objects that make up your life. See life in motion by watching these examples.





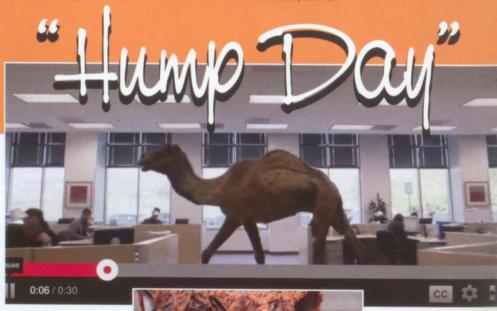
### Vine of the Times

Vine, the new social video network where people upload six-second mini-movies, called "Vines," attracts more than 40 million users in just 10 months.



### Game Builds Success Block by Block

Minecraft, an open world game that gives players the freedom to shape their own worlds, hits \$33 million in sales across all platforms.



### **Even Parents Know** What it Means

The term "selfie," coined by social media users to describe self-portrait snapshots, is officially added to the lexicon by dictionary publishers.



one of the year's most popular, with more than 4 million shares on social media.

### Fox Video is a Viral Hit

"The Fox (What Does the Fox Say?)," a music video by a Norwegian comedy team, Ylvis, goes viral with more than 192 million views on YouTube.

### **Hump Day Ad Garners** Heaps of Shares

GEICO's "Hump Day" ad, starring an annoyingly gleeful camel, is



### **Top App Downloads of 2013**

- 1. Candy Crush Saga
- 2. YouTube
- 3. Temple Run 2
- 4. Vine
- 5. Google Maps
- 6. Snapchat
- 7. Instagram
- 8. Facebook
- 9. Pandora Radio
- 10. Despicable Me: Minion Rush

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Apple's New iTunes Radio™

Apple introduces iTunes Radio, where online subscribers can hear selections based on songs they've purchased.

### Pictures Disappear on Social Media

Teens share photos fleetingly on Snapchat, a popular app where content disappears after only one to ten seconds.



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### They Get the Boy and the Prize

"I Got a Boy," by Girls' Generation, a Korean K-Pop group, wins the top prize at the first-ever YouTube Music Awards.

### Game Company Cashes In

The company that produces Candy Crush Saga reports earnings of \$650,000 per day from users who pay to unlock premium features.

### Smartwatch Sells Well

Despite so-so reviews by technology columnists, the Galaxy Gear smartwatch achieves better-thanexpected sales.

# ENTERTAINMENT

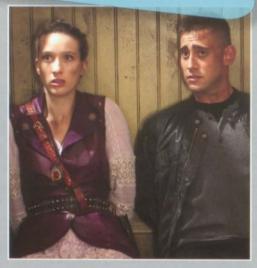
### Sounds Colorful

The must-have headphones of the moment, Beats Solo HD by Dr. Dre, are available in a range of colors with a matte finish.



### Fallon Earns an Earlier Bedtime

Jimmy Fallon hosts Saturday Night Live before leaving his Late Night with Jimmy Fallon time slot to replace Jay Leno as host of The Tonight Show.



### Alice's Wonderland Comes to Life

In the ABC spin-off drama *Once Upon a Time in Wonderland*, a girl in Victorian London is caught between the real world and a magical wonderland.



### A Case of Mistaken Identity

A misunderstanding about an accident results in unexpected popularity for an outsider high school girl on the MTV sitcom *Awkward*.



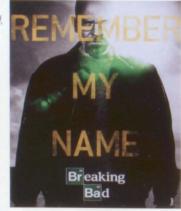
### Mystery Series Casts a Spell on Teens

Fans of supernatural thrillers tune in to *Ravenswood*, a spooky spin-off of the popular series *Pretty Little Liars* on the ABC Family network.



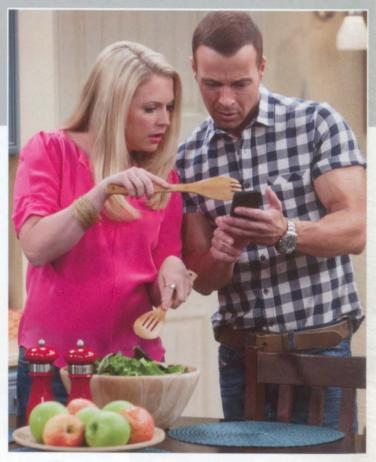
### Stealing More Than Gold and Kingdoms

For the second year in a row, *Game of Thrones*, HBO's fantasy drama, tops the TorrentFreak list of the most pirated television shows.



### Crime Saga Airs Final Season

The story of Walter White, a chemistry teacher and cancer patient turned meth producer, reaches its conclusion in season five of *Breaking Bad* on AMC.



### A Man Around the House

Melissa & Joey, a sitcom about a woman who hires a male nanny to care for her niece and nephew, receives a nomination from the People's Choice Awards.

### Sharknado Trends on Twitter

With more than 300,000 tweets during airtime, the Syfy channel's *Sharknado*, a disaster movie with so-so ratings, achieves breakthrough social media numbers.



### Rookie Cop Show Wins Two Golden Globes

Brooklyn Nine-Nine, a new comedy on Fox, wins a Golden Globe award for Best Comedy Series; star Andy Samberg wins Best Actor in a Comedy Series.

### Cable Providers Offer Netflix Streaming

Cable companies try cooperating with rival Netflix so customers can get streaming content straight from their cable boxes.

# NETFLIX



### Glee Garners Awards

The Teen Choice Awards presents *Glee* with the award for Choice TV Show: Comedy. The musical comedy series also picks up eight People's Choice Award nominations.

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# WELCOME



## 2013 Most Searched People on Google

- 1. Miley Cyrus
- 2. Drake
- 3. Kim Kardashian
- 4. Justin Beiber
- 5. Beyoncé
- 6. Rihanna
- 7. Taylor Swift
- 8. Selena Gomez
- 9. Katy Perry
- 10. Kenye West



### Horror Drama Is Most-watched

By the mid-season finale of its fourth season, AMC's The Walking Dead is the highest rated cable series in television history.

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# THIS& THAT



### Benjamin Gets a Makeover

A redesigned \$100 bill is released into circulation. It features a 3-D security ribbon that will make it harder for counterfeiters to produce copies.

### In the Hood

Hoodie pullovers aren't just for the gym. The comfy, cozy, casual style is an everyday classic for cold-weather wear.



### **Prince Charming**

Britain's royal family welcomes baby Prince George, first son of Prince William and Catherine, Duchess of Cambridge.



# unrestricted stretch,

High-performance Sportswear The compression shirt is designed with features athletes need, like fast-drying fabrics,

Yoga Pants Bend the Rules Stretchy, comfortable yoga

pants are a popular fashion choice, even among those who don't know a plow pose from a downward doo.

### Super Mario 3D Debuts

Nintendo releases *Super Mario 3D World* for the Wii U<sup>™</sup> console. The video game is the sequel to *Super Mario 3D Land*.



### Ten Largest Charities for 2013

- 1. United Way, \$3,926B
- 2. Salvation Army, \$1,885B
- 3. Task Force for Global Health, \$1,660B
- 4. Feeding America, \$1,511B
- 5. Catholic Charities USA, \$1,447B
- 6. Goodwill Industries International, \$949M
- 7. Food for the Poor, \$891M
- 8. American Cancer Society, \$889M
- 9. The Y-YMCA, \$827M
- 10. World Vision, \$826M

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### Highest Selling NBA Jerseys for 2012-13

- 1. LeBron James, Miami Heat
- 2. Derrick Rose, Chicago Bulls
- 3. Kobe Bryant, Los Angeles Lakers
- 4. Kevin Durant, Oklahoma City Thunder
- 5. Carmelo Anthony, New York Knicks
- 6. Dwyane Wade, Miami Heat
- 7. Dwight Howard, Los Angeles Lakers
- 8. Deron Williams, Brooklyn Nets
- 9. Blake Griffin, Los Angeles Clippers
- 10. Rajon Rondo, Boston Celtics

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### **Customers Customize LeBron's Shoes**

Nike LeBron James basketball shoes can be personalized online. Shoppers can choose from a range of colors and graphics.



### **Kid Chefs Compete**

Fox introduces *MasterChef Junior*, a new culinary competition show for contestants between the ages of 8 to 13 who love to cook.

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