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Tabitha Archuleta-

I want someone who I'm comfortable around and I can be myself around, and someone who makes me laugh. I think deep down guys want a girl who reminds them of their mother.



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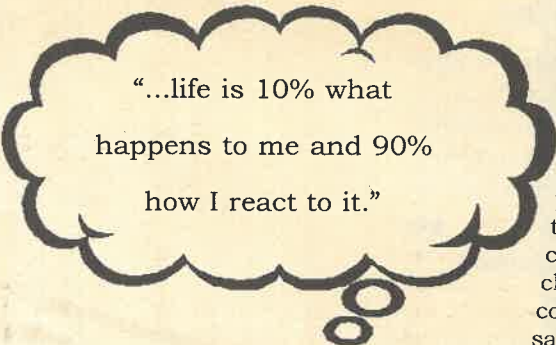
By BreAnne Hovley

“The longer I live, the more I realize the impact of attitude on life. Attitude, to me is more important than the past, than education, than money, than circumstances, than failures, than successes, than what other people think or say or do. It is more important than appearances, giftedness, or skill. It will make or break a company, a church, a home. The remarkable thing is we have a choice everyday, a choice everyday regarding the attitude we will embrace for that day.” Anonymous

We are in control of what happens in our lives from the moment we wake up until the time we go to bed, to a certain extent anyway. Granted there are some situations where there is no control, but the rest is up to you and me. We are the ones who make the decisions in our lives, nobody makes them for us; therefore, most situations we get into the choice to attend first hour on time, study whatever consequences come from those are moment I made the decision. Just like pro-ourselves because we are the ones who to finish something. Or there’s the choice of to be the biggest struggle yet to figure out it’s my choice, so whatever happens from that else. I think I’m one of the most indecisive anybody if my decision turns out to be a mis-people an inconvenience, or whatever the

For the situations where the power of their attitude to get them through it. “I am 90% how I react to it.” This quote from the occur in our life are only a small portion, where as everything else that matters accident and is injured or paralyzed. That person can mope around and bring it to everyone’s attention that they are hurt and to feel sorry for them, or they can take the injury and not let itstop them from succeeding. This is also true for the ever so popular school shootings that are plaguing our country. The shootings and bomb threats are only 10% of the actual cause, the rest of it is how the nation reacts. Newspapers dramatize the events, along with the TV news, which makes students and parents scared to attend school. This advertisement of corruption gives glory to the person or people involved with the crime because of all the emphasis put on them; thus making more shootings and threats occur.

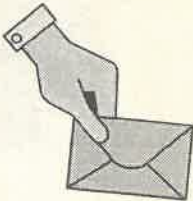
“We cannot change our past, we cannot change the fact that people will act in a certain way. We cannot change the inevitable... The only thing we can do is play on the one string we have and that is our attitude.” Therefore, as students, we can not change the truth of how many school shootings there has been in the past, we can’t let that fact make us scared to attend our own schools. We also can’t change who are families are or how much money they make; that’s not what makes us different as students. What makes us different is our disposition on who can afford the nicest clothes or cars, and the stereotypes (earlier discussed in the core of the Wasco). I’m not saying that everyone needs to change there attitude, but just remember, “...life is 10% what happens to me and 90% how I react to it.”



are a result of our decisions and attitude. I have for a test, and pick the topic of my editorials. So the result of my choices and my attitude at the crastination is only a product that we put upon choose to wait until the last minute what to do after high school, for me, that is going what career I want to pursue. It’s hard because choice is all my fault, and I can’t blame anyone people all because of that one reason; I can’t blame take. Then, I feel guilty all because I caused other case is.

choice is out of our hands, people have to rely on convinced that life is 10% what happens to me and same author as above means that the events that is attitude. Take for instance, a person gets in an

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MECHA UNA AYUDA PARA LOS JOVENES DE HOY EN DIA

Por Claudia Urrea

En nuestra escuela hay un club llamado MECHA que se reune todos los viernes despues de escuela en el solon 321. Las letras de la palabra MECHA significan movimiento educatibo chicano de Aztlan. El club MECHA de Pasco High es uno de cien o talvez de miles de los que hay en los Estados Unidos. El encargado del club es Mr. Martinez y es el que organiza todo lo relacionado con los eventos del club. En el club se habla de muchos temas que tienen que ver con los estudiantes y se les da ayuda con sus problemas. El club es una buena forma en la que los estudiantes pueden hablar de sus problemas y relacionarse con otros muchachos de

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los estudiantes que estan en el club son mexicanos o latinos, el club esta habierto para todos los estudiantes en Pasco High. Escribanse en el club y agan nuevos amigos en un lugar de buenas personas listas para escuchar.



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El Senor Westendorf es bienvenido a Pasco High

Por Holly Mattson
Tradusido Por Claudia Urrea

Pasco High esta lista para darle una bienvenida calida al nuevo consejero de la clase de drama, el señor Todd Westendorf. El año pasado los miembros de la clase de drama en Pasco High le dijeron adios a nuestro bien conosido consejero, el señor Fine, queien desidio retirarse. Cuando los planes para los juegos del verano empesaron, le rogaron que regresara porque no se habia encontrado a un maestro que lo remplasara. Heather Kinion fue despues encontrada, y contratada, como el consejero temporal quien creo un alboroto con la historia que puso para el musical del invierno, "Grease," y esta lista para terminar el año con Shakespeare's, "A Midsummer Night's Dream." Y hora

El señor Westendorf
biene a Pasco High y es
bien benido por todos
especial mente por los
miembros de el
programa de drama

El señor Westendorf tiene algunos años de esperiensiya como maestro de drama para la escuela de Leota Junior High en el Norte Shore Distrito Escolar. Mientras enseñaba y dirijia la clase de drama en J.H., el le ayudo al consejero de Woodinville High School, serca de Seattle en Lake Washington. El enseño drama y historia social. Cuando el miro el anunsio de Pasco High, fue uno de muchos que aplico. Por el proceso de decalificasion el señor Westendorf fue el mas calificado para el trabajo.

Al aver llenado muchos años experiensias dramaticas al graduarse de la Univesidad Washington State, Westendorg conclullo que a dedicado once años a la drama, y a tenido los ultimos cinco en Leota. El tiene un teatro

technico y gual que una representasion dramatica, y por eso conose tanto del teatro. Como el señor Wright lo describio el, "El tiene mucha energia y entusiasmo. El fue parte de la linea mas alta en programa de drama en



Senor Westendorf

Woodinville High School, y esta contento de hacer su propia crasion."

Biendo asia el futuro, el señor Westendorf es abisioso y quiere acer un programa de drama muy activo. El es dedicado hacer lo mejor que puede y lo hace. El quisiera hacer cosa fuera de la escuela y habrir nuevas oportunidades para viajar y competir.

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Random People File: Who is Jacob Galstad?

By Holly Mattson

Junior Jacob Galstad is a man of few words, as many of you may know from being in conversation with him. But, as Anne Morrow Lindbergh once said, "The intellectual is constantly betrayed by his vanity. Godlike he blandly assumes that he can express everything in words; whereas the things one loves, lives, and dies for are not, in the last analysis, completely expressible in words."

Jake is sixteen years old and at one time could be seen around town in a truck. Then, the truck broke down leading him to the new wheels of a Bronco, which fatally met with a suburban. If you were ever lucky enough to ride with him, you most likely would be cruising along to the tunes of, well, anything according to Jake. "Anything but church and classical stuff like that," describes his well-rounded variety of musical taste. Not being able to quote him on any favorite place in the Tri-Cities, he most likely would be driving anywhere but towards school.

Jacob replies that, "only having one year left," is the best part of being a junior in high school. He knows, though, that he has fond memories, but for the time being cannot think of any. Perhaps, he has just had too much fun. Once out of Pasco High, Jacob will hopefully continue on in playing football for college, knowing the biggest achievement of his life, the state championship, will give him the confidence. Football is his favorite sport, although he jokingly says, "Golf I mean. Golf is my favorite. Um, just kidding. Football." Football made his favorite holiday, Christmas, even more enjoyable by letting Santa know he was due for his letterman's jacket.

Getting to know Jake is getting to know his family as well. He has two siblings, a brother and a sister, who are both alumni to Pasco High, and an additional family member who he says, "is like a sister to me." If you ever want to take him some place fun, go towards the sunny weather of California, Jake's favorite place to vacation.

Finally We Have Our Prom Finalists

By BreAnne Hovley

After having the assembly delayed and moved to Monday April 23rd, the court was finally announced. The gym was decorated with the 'Under the Sea' theme, including two water-like walkways, and an awesome Little Mermaid backdrop painted by Melinda Wamsley. The junior girl finalists had to see pull a jar out of a paper wrap and whoever had two gold fish were the princesses. The junior class girl princesses are Sylvia Duran and Tracy Spier. Junior guy finalists had to pull a crab out of a bag and the two with golden crabs were the princes; Brandon Herres and Paul Francik. By fishing out of a pond, the senior girl semifinalists pulled out fish, and the three with blue fish were the finalists for queen and princesses. Caitlin Smith, Lafonda Jackson, and Sydney Patrick, who was in California for Nationals for Deca and was replaced temporarily by Raul Vijil, were the finalists for Queen. Senior guys had to pull a message out of a bottle to find their finalists, which were Gabe Gutierrez, who was sporting cow print pants, Brandon Kania, and Nick Gonzalez.

The King and Queen Were Meant to Be

By Keisha Leiby

"Enchantment Under the Sea" was a successful assembly. At 10:00 A.M. the honor of the King and Queen were announced in front of their court, and the rest of the school. LaFonda Jackson, and Nick Gonzalez were made proud when they were crowned Prom King and Queen of the sea. So its really ironic that before these two knew that they would be choosen as King and Queen, Nick had asked LaFonda to accompany him to the dance Saturday. For the first time in a long time the King and Queen will be each others dates at the Junior/Senior prom of 2001 with smiles on their faces and a memory to last a life time.

Car of the Issue: Clint Sullivan Goes Postal

By Brandon Herres

Just call sophomore, Clint Sullivan, "Mr. Dangerous." His 1975 CJ-5 Jeep is as basic (and dangerous) as vehicles get. Due to it's high center of gravity the inside wheel will come off the ground when he turns. One night a slick intersection challenged his Jeep in a battle of physics and the Jeep lost and rolled over. But the rollover didn't kill the Jeep (or Clint for that matter) and it is still going. A few things suffered as a result of the accident though. "For some reason," stated Clint, "Only my front right brake works."

The Jeep is powered by a 304 V-8 and a three-speed manual transmission that puts the drive on the 33" TSL Super Swampers. The white hardtop that came with it earned it the nickname "The Mail Truck" because it looks like an old mail delivery Jeep. The interior sports Camaro bucket seats and a bumpin' stereo system. One good thing about the Jeep is that it is very simple which makes for fewer things to go wrong. When Clint takes the Jeep out to the off-road park at Juniper it always comes back in one piece. This may not sound amazing, but Clint has a graveyard of used and abused vehicles out at his farm.

Clint testifies that the Jeep is a chick magnet. He said that a girl came up to him one day and said, "Hey nice Jeep can I jump in with you?" Well that is enough to make me want a Jeep. But the Jeep has its downfall in that it sucks down gasoline really fast so it can only be driven to school once a week. So Clint must result to riding the school bus and that probably won't attract as many girls as the Jeep.



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Who Needs A Date Anyway?



By Brandon Herres

Maybe its just that us guys don't understand how some girls are asked by guys left and right to go to Prom or other things. Maybe I don't get why a girl wouldn't go with the first guy that asked her to a dance. Well I could see if there was some extraordinary circumstance keeping that girl from saying yes if she wasn't already taken. Like if that guy was a psychopathic killer or if he was unimaginably disgusting, of which I am neither (I hope).

Another thing that gets on my nerves is how every girl wants to be asked in a creative way. Sure it is sweet, but what if one of those disgusting psychos asked you in the sweetest way and you wouldn't know what to do. I got turned down to a dance once and the girl commented, "Aren't you going to ask me in a special way?" Well really I have seen some of the creative ways of asking such as vandalizing that special persons car. I don't know what I would think if somebody covered my car in various food products thinking it was a cute idea. Personally I think I would be a little upset by that.

So here it is less than two weeks before prom and I don't have a date but I don't care. I asked a few girls and attempted to ask one or two more but none of them were of any romantic interest to me so when I got turned down with one poor excuse or another I wasn't surprised. So this year I am going to go by myself or maybe with a friend from outside the school. I am not bitter about getting turned down, in a way it is laughable. Sure I could have gone all out and asked with signs, flowers or the vandalizing of automobiles, but my point is if they said no by just being asked that tells me that they truly wouldn't have wanted to go with me no matter how I asked. If I asked in a really sweet way a girl would feel obligated and I don't want anybody who doesn't really want to go with me.

Here I sit writing this because this whole prom thing has been on my mind and I couldn't come up with any ideas. Please don't feel sorry for me when I say I am going to prom by myself and if you are a girl without a date please don't ask me if you feel sorry for me. It would be by choice if I went by myself; it is a protest in a way. A protest for all of us guys who got turned down this prom season, hang in there guys I feel your pain.

I am writing this paragraph a day later than when I wrote the rest of this so I had time to second-guess what I had said. It is really getting down to the wire and there are a lot of girls without dates and I feel a little bit guilty for not asking one of them yet. So if I end up going to Prom with somebody and you think that I had sold out what I believed in you are wrong. Why should I be a waste of man and go by myself? Why should I go with someone just for pictures? My mom and I got in an argument about me going by myself and she argued that I wouldn't have any fun going by myself. But like always a situation is only as fun as you make it. Date or not folks just go and have a good time. Ok this is three days later that I write this, get this I did ask another person and this time the reply was yes. But for all of you who are going stag or contemplating the idea, just go you only live once so don't live to regret not going to Prom just because you didn't find a date in time.

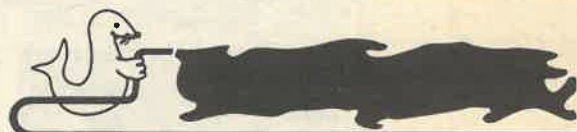
PASCO

Isn't So Bad

By Sydney Patrick

I'm not going to sit here and write about how there is absolutely nothing to do in our town like most people do; instead I'm going to talk about how cute Pasco is and the people in it.

What not a better place to begin with then our own name, "Pasco". It came from a guy named Virgil who was a construction engineer for Northern Pacific. He helped build a railroad in the Andes Mountains near Cerro de Pasco in Peru. So I guess our little Pasco reminded Virgil of a town in Peru, isn't that cute? From the time Virgil gave our town its name, trade, agriculture and transportation have dominated our history. I think Pasco's best aspect is the fact that you can look out in front of you and see flat land stretch for miles on end met with a stretching sun set, instead of a sky scraper blocking the sun every ten feet in front of you. And where else can you go where people look at seven cars backed up behind a tractor on one of our main roads. Heck where can you go where you drive along side tractors on your right and you've got livestock to your left? Here we have the best of both worlds, we've got our county and we've got our town all within a 15-45 minute time period. Many of us have the orchards, animals, and the land right in their back yard, and the rest of us have the friendliest neighbors, I guess we still have the livestock in town, and gas stations. In a nutshell we have 1 airport, 3 public swimming pools, 8 softball fields, 14 city parks, 19 tennis courts, 19 soccer fields, 300 sunny days a year, and a partridge in a pear tree. As a community we come together like peanut butter and jelly, which is a huge part of why Pasco is so great. We have our hard core Pasco football fans, our tailgate parties, farmers market, fiery food festival, and our 4th of July, and boat race shindigs down by the waterfront. Yes the same waterfront that Lewis & Clark traveled down in the early 1800's, aren't we lucky to be sharing the same body of water. I wouldn't have it any other way, and I hope neither of you would either.



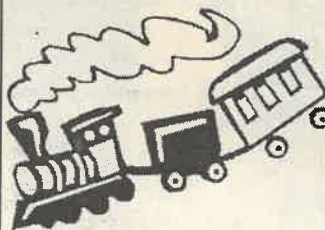
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GIRLS: GUYS ARE LOOKING FOR ... IN YOU

By Emily Sullivan

As girls we all want to know the question of, "What guys really want?" Do guys even know what they want? And then sometimes we are profoundly confused as to what they actually are thinking when they do things to impress us. Do they actually think that is cool at all? Because in no way, shape, or form did that little stunt make us bat our eyelashes at them or even give them a little smile. As girls, we understand that we are complex characters and there is no way that a guy can understand everything that we go through, even if he thinks he does. So we can find it somewhat amusing to see what boys think that girls want, but surprisingly, the guys interviewed all had something along the right lines that girls look for. Some boys around the school were questioned about what they look for in a girlfriend and what actually goes on inside their heads about what girls want in a boyfriend.

Brad Boler: I want a pulse. No, actually I want a lot, maybe too much. She has to have a good personality, I mean looking good would help, but it is all about the laughter. If we can sit there and laugh all night then I will marry her. She has to love movies too, because I love movies. I think a girl wants a guy who is cool, I am not really sure.

Tanner Savage: I want a girl that is "so fresh and so clean-clean". I think a girl wants ... well if I knew that I would have a girlfriend, now wouldn't I?

Jose Hernandez: I want a girl that understands that I need space A LOT! I think a girl wants a guy that gives her attention.

Brandon Kania: I want a girlfriend who is honest and who is herself. I don't want her to try to be who she isn't and not trying to be somebody else. I want a purely genuine girl. I also want her to care for others. I think a girl wants ... Well it really depends on what girl you are talking about. Some girls just want looks, some want personalities, it all depends on her and who she is.

Marshal Smith: I like a girl with a sense of humor and somebody that I have fun with. I think a girl wants everything, they want somebody that has it all.

Nick Gonzales: The girl has to be funny, has to like sports, and cannot use cute little nicknames. I think girls want a guy with blond hair, blue eyes, 6'1", about 195 pounds, and has the heart and soul of a state championship football team.

Chris Ortiz: I look for a girl who likes to party and one who doesn't get jealous and likes me for me. I think girls want a guy who she can trust and is fun to be with. And one who is capable of doing what she wants when she wants.

Anthony Guillen: I want a girl with a personality, she has to be cool to hang around with. If you can hangout and joke around with her and still have fun, she is a good one and I want her to have a good smile and is also non-judgmental. I don't know what a girl wants, it is different for every girl, probably one that is stupider than her. She probably wants a guy to always be wrong because they LOVE to be right.

Brian Dilley: I want a girl that is smart, fun, athletic, and outgoing. I think that girls want somebody good looking, athletic and fun.

Will Kanehl: I want a girl that doesn't smell bad. No, I want somebody I would like to be around all the time. Someone that wouldn't mind listening to my music either. Also, a girl that always has something new to say and is open-minded. I think girls want basically the same thing, he isn't a jerk, and will always be there when they need him.

Israel Patino: First of all, she has to be alive. I want a girl that has a good sense of humor. I think that girls want the same things.

So basically, this is the deal. Guys want good-smelling, open-minded, kind, genuine, humorous, good personality, non-judgmental, athletic, smart, fun, honest, and a little bit of the looks for the side kinda girl. So basically they want EVERYTHING in their girlfriends. But I have realized that from this, it isn't all about the looks that guys are out in the world searching for. They need a lot of the inside stuff to make the outside stuff worthwhile. Girls, guys are not as bad as they are depicted as, as long as you find the right ones.

By Kim Gonzales

For many years there has been the controversy of who is better girls or guys? Ya know basically the battle of the sexes. Who's wittier, smarter, and stronger? All around it's become an issue from the smallest thing like who's stronger to a larger issue of if girls are really qualified for certain positions in careers etc. This has become an old age issue even in our own high school you can see for yourself that we still believe that only one out of the two can be the superior sex. Voiced by your own fellow students both boys and girls here are their opinions on the subject after-

WHY GIRLS ARE BETTER

Caitlin Smith- first we don't have to worry about our little friend (if you catch my drift) coming out to say hello when an attractive person is around.

Vanessa Vela- more variety of clothes and hairstyles

Melissa Alvarez- more independent and we can talk about our problems

Shelby Ramirez- we can wear dresses and we don't have to pay for dates

Michelle Elliott- we know how to tease them

SanJaunita Candanoza- we are honest, you can only find some honest guys and most girls are honest

Brittany Middleton- we are more athletic

Kailene King- more understanding

Kelsey Schnieder- cuz we listen and we know how to look at people's faces and not their chests

Ashley Doherty- we don't have to pay for dates

Chenyn Preston- we are better looking

Jennifer Fisher- we smell better

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GIRLS ARE BETTER

By Ryan Orozco

Women have it made. Guys work, sweat, and spend their hard earned money to impress their woman. Going the extra mile to please every one of their needs. Girls have it all better then guys.

The hardest thing about being a girl is the hour glass figure that's the set ideal of these times, but that is nothing compared to the huge figure that guys are told to achieve. To become more like Arnold Schwarzenegger, and achieve massive muscle you need a life style change. No matter what, you have to work for your body. On the other hand the girl's toughest job is to put down the cookies and squeeze into the shirt that they wore in fourth grade.

Women perceive shopping as heaven. As a guy I am incapable of seeing the bright sides of it and am repulsed by even the mention of it, but women strangely seem to enjoy it. Maybe it is a retreat from guys. What really confuses me is when they go, and don't purchase a thing, but just look and dream about future purchases. They like to shop, and look and look and look, taking forever and a day never making a decision and finally taking it home to decide they don't quite like it so they can go back the next day and wander the isles again. There must be some joy in that, strolling through.

Whenever girls fart or burp, it is laughed off and thought of as cute and funny. While a guy doing the same thing is thought as repulsive and inconsiderate. All a girl has to do is giggle a little, and say "whoops" and it's forgotten almost as quickly as it came. But when a guy lets out a belch, it is all the sudden a big deal and his mother is scolding him and dragging him off by his ear for a whooping.

And why do girls dislike all the girl ask guy dances that seem to keep adding up every year? It's because it's hard, us guys are in charge of not only working up the guts to ask the girl of our dreams, but putting our pride and heart on the line as well. And it doesn't stop after high school either. Whenever you start a relationship or step it to the next level things get tough.

Hold up for a second, is marriage not a mutual relationship between two equal partners? Then why is the guy bent over literally on his knees begging his girl to marry him? It's because the woman rules the relationship like a queen bee runs her hive. You can almost hear the whoopish sound as guys carry around roses and books and everything else for their girl counterparts. Even if it is as serious as marriage, women have incredible powers in relationships.

Women have terrific seducing powers. Just look at Britney Spears, selling a record number of albums, while all her songs are horrible. How many CD's has Oscar De La Hoya (pretty boy boxer turn singer) sold? Not many that's for sure, I'd be surprised if his hits ever leave the ring.

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G U Y S : T H I S I S W H A T G I R L S W A N T I N A M A N

By Tyler Shook

Do girls really know what they want in a guy or do they just think they know? Some girls think they really know what guys want in a girl. Here are some insights on what girls want and think around PHS.

Caitlin Smith- I want someone who treats me like a princess. I like to be pampered but I don't like to be smothered. I also love the whole over protective boyfriend thing. Jealous guys really turn me on. So I guess guys who treat me like I'm a goddess but is willing to let me hang out with my girls every now and then. I think guys want a little booty from time to time, and someone who makes them feel like they are the only ones their girlfriend ever thinks about. I think they want someone who is somewhat dependent on them to make them feel like they are important.

Lafonda Jackson- I want um..... someone like Rommie Bone, jealous, overprotective, athletic, tall, has money, doesn't laugh, hates all my friends, and always wants to fight them. Um...I would say he is perfect. He's exactly what I want. I think guys want someone they can get some from, who looks good, who all the other guys approve of or would want, and someone who's gonna be there after they're done cheating.

Kaury Balcom- I want a guy that is nice to me. I think guys want someone who will put up with all their stuff.

Heather Hanson- I want a guy that is nice, funny, and smart. Guys want a girl like Britney Spears.

Shelby Ramirez- I have everything I want. I have Tyler Shook. I think guys want someone they can relate too, someone that has a good personality, and someone they can be around anytime and not get bored of them.

Sam Schmallyjohn- I want a guy that is HOT, nice and has a good personality. I think all guys want is a girl that looks good.

Carrissa Schmallyjohn- I want Chris. I think guys want a girl that looks good.

Kelsey Shoemake- I want a guy that is nice, outgoing, and good-looking. Guys want a girl that is pretty and someone that is fun to be around.

Nicole West- I want a hottie that will give me lots of attention, someone who will do the little things to brighten my day, someone to have fun with. I think guys want a girl that will make them look good, someone that is smart, fun, and independent.

Kaitlene King- I want someone who treats me right but doesn't need to have me 24/7. I think guys want someone that will be there but not all the time, someone to kiss on, someone who makes them feel happy, someone like your best friend.

Rachel Swenson- I want a guy that has good looks, a sense of humor, and the ability to treat me with respect. Guys should want to treat us well, give them stuff, etc. I think guys want a girl with a body (needs a well-endowed chest), and good looks. I also think they want a girl that is not rude.

Amy Cruz- I want a guy that is friendly, loving, and that is always there for me, like Mac. I think guys want someone who makes them happy.

Blanca Martinez- I want someone that makes me work for his affection, someone that controls me and overpowers me, in a passionate, yet gentle way. I want him to be firm in what he believes in, yet still keeping an open mind. He must have a love of life and feel comfortable to be goofy. I want someone that can be a best friend. I think guys want someone that they can cry with.

Andrea Lindsey- I want someone who makes me laugh, is fun to be around and good-looking. I think guys want a hottie who they have fun with and they're boys approve of.

Tabitha Archuleta- I want someone who I'm comfortable around and I can be myself around, and someone who makes me laugh. I think deep down guys want a girl who reminds them of their mother.

WHY BOYS ARE BETTER- By Kim Gonzales contd.

Tyler Kelly- we don't whine as much

Marshal Smith- A lot stronger and athletic and we aren't afraid of as many things

C.J. Black- we don't worry as much

David Shimek- we don't care about drama

Chad Anderson- more relaxed and we can write in the snow without the use of conventional methods.

Jared Till- not really better just more muscular

Marcus Henry- more athletic

T.J. Lundebly- better genetics

Carlos Tamez- we are better at sports

Raul Garcia- smarter

Clint Sullivan- more coordinated and can fix things

Dallin Adamson- guys aren't so emotional

Ameer Tillman- cause we don't think so much

Cameron Dehaven- we know how to forgive and forgive and don't take hours to get ready

Jake Galstad- more athletic

NO, BOYS ARE BETTER

By Jami Woodward

It's often been argued which is the best gender to be, male or female. I don't think there is a correct answer to this dilemma but I do think that with enough evidence, it's easy to persuade people into believing what you do. It's also quite common for girls to think they are the better sex and for boys to think the same of themselves. I, on the other hand, have different feelings. While girls truly are wonderful creations, I think boys have much easier lives and pass through life with hardly any difficulties or trials based on their gender. With this article, I intend to illustrate the wonders of a man that many girls long for, but keep in mind that since boys have life so much easier, that actually makes girls the stronger of the two sexes for actually surviving through their daily struggles.

To begin, boys are absolutely the luckiest in the world for being able to "go" standing up. Every girl desires this quality at some point in her life, whether she is out in the woods without toilet paper or even if she is just outside and doesn't want to run inside to go. Boys can go to the bathroom whenever and wherever they want basically, considering they don't get caught for indecent exposure. While dealing with this area of the body, I would also like to address the idea of menstruation and the excruciating cramps and hassle that come along with it. Let's just say, having your period is no walk in the park. It restricts girls from doing many different kinds of activities and the cramps can often plant you in bed for hours on end. Guys just don't understand the whole idea of PMS and when a girl is in a bad mood, the PMS is usually at fault, they say. But hey, mon, do you blame us? You boys wouldn't be too happy either if you had to deal with half the poop that we did on these five days from Hell. Periods, however, do hold a very important and special purpose, that being pregnancy of course and the whole wonderful idea of bringing new life into the Earth. It sounds so cute and miraculous, doesn't it? Yes, when the baby is out and all is said and done, things are great and life is good, but the whole process of getting that baby out of there is basically like squeezing a watermelon out something that is the size of a lemon. For this, all women with children are my heroes. All men, on the other hand, are just plain lucky.

On the average, it takes girls about one hour to get ready for their day, including a shower, hair, make-up, and clothes. Boys, however, can get ready during three or four commercials, equaling about ten minutes. Amazing? Yes. Fair? No. Getting ready in the morning is such a boring routine, which is why I've obviously given up on it, along with my fellow senior girls. With their short hair, boys can wet it down, gel it up, and be ready in no time, while girls have to wash it, blow dry it, curl it, and style it. That's more tasks than I know what to do with.

Of all the guys I know, not one of them has an official, set curfew. Most of them can get away with walking into their house in the wee hours of the morning without any questions being asked. I feel that I am a responsible 18 year-old, yet I still have a 12:30 curfew. What is it with guys anyway? Apparently, they are more trustworthy and won't be doing bad things that late at night. Are you kidding me? We all know better than to believe such a statement. We also all know that Jami Woodward definitely deserves to have a later curfew. However, because I am a girl, my parents are more protective of me and like me to be safe in my bed, while the rest of my guy friends are just beginning their night of fun. What a joke!

There are obviously many more reasons why guys are better than girls, but I think I've covered quite enough topics for everyone to understand my point. Basically, God knew that guys just couldn't handle the types of things that girls do, and so, we, as girls, have been given the wonderful honor of taking on such tasks. How lucky of us!

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PHS Welcomes New Drama Advisor

By Holly Mattson

Pasco High is ready to warmly welcome the new drama advisor, Mr. Todd Westendorf. Last year Pasco High's drama members said farewell to our well-known advisor, Mr. Fine, who had decided to retire. As planning for the fall play began this year, they beckoned him back because a replacement teacher had not yet been found. Heather Kinion was then discovered, and hired, as the temporary advisor who created an enthusiastic cast for the winter musical, "Grease," and is ready to end her year with Shakespeare's, "A Midsummer Night's Dream." And now, we can all look forward to a new face, with exciting ideas, and the credentials to reassure the critics he knows *theatre*.

Mr. Westendorf has several years experience as the drama teacher for Leota Junior High in the North Shore School District. While teaching, and directing drama, at the J.H. level, he assisted the advisor at Woodinville High School, near Seattle on Lake Washington. He teaches both drama, and social studies. When noticing the job offer Pasco High posted, he was one of the several applicants who responded. Through the process of elimination, the most qualified and ready inquirer was Mr. Westendorf.

Fulfilling many years of dramatic experience at his graduate school Washington State University, Westendorf concludes he has dedicated eleven years to drama, and has spent the last five at Leota. He has a technical theatre background as well as dramatic performance, and therefore has a well-rounded knowledge of theatrical performances. As Mr. Wright describes him, "He has a lot of energy and enthusiasm. He was part of a top-line drama program at Woodinville High School, and is excited about

creating his own."

Looking ahead, Mr. Westendorf is ambitious in wanting to create a really active drama program. He is dedicated to doing the best he can in staging, play selection, interaction with the community, and would like to perform outside of the school opening up new opportunities to traveling and competitions. Besides having a theatre background, he also has musical talents to add to his list, playing the drums in orchestra's for, "Jesus Christ Superstar," and, "Little Shop of Horrors." While in Pullman he directed community plays and participated in the direction of North Shore and Seattle's Children Theatres. Some of the plays he has directed are: "The Lion, the Witch and The Wardrobe," "The Sound of Music," "Little Women," "Miracle on 34th Street," and, "The Diary of Anne Frank." Now, the question is, what will hit the box office of Pasco High this next year?

Get in Line For the Summer Blockbusters

Emily Sullivan

To live in the Tri-Cities means that you have plenty of time to go out and view the latest movies. As I pulled out a few of my movie stubs out of my wallet while looking through it for something, a remark was made, "Geez, if you think about it, that is so much money." There have been many anticipated movies that are predicted to make huge impacts on the entertainment world during the summer. I am sure there will be plenty of time to see those this summer so get ready.

The biggest hit of the summer is predicted to be **Pearl Harbor**. It is the much-anticipated film directed by Michael Bay. It is already renowned as the most expensive film project ever greenlit by a studio (a budget of \$145 million). It has an all-start ensemble depicting the WW2 epic, from the production team of **Armageddon**. The cast consists of Dan Aykroyd, Alec Baldwin, Jon Voight, Tom Sizemore, Cuba Gooding Jr., and Ben Affleck. Another creation is being released from Steven Spielberg. It is the AI preview in the movies that gives no clue to what it is about and leaves the audience in suspense. Summer 2001 directorial project is a sci-fi drama set 50 years into the future, in which technology has advanced to a degree that mad-made computers, robots, and androids are aware of their own existence. Haley Joel Osment stars as David, an 11 year old android coming to grips with his non-human nature. I believe that any movie with Angelina Jolie is worth seeing and this summer she is starring in **Tomb Raider** as a tough and sexy video game heroine in the big budget film adaptation.

Sequels. This is a word for the summer. **Doctor Dolittle** with Eddie Murphy and his talking animal friends are back. **Rush Hour II** with Jackie Chan and Chris Tucker reprise their roles as police detectives and partners in crime. **Scary Movie II** is back. The first one came out in July and all three Wayans Brothers are back. **The Mummy Returns** is the sequel to the action-adventure-horror hit that finds the titular monster shipped to a London museum, where he quickly rises again to wreck more deadly havoc. Starring is Brenden Fraser, John Hannah, and Rachel Weisz.

The 70's are back! **Planet of the Apes** is being remade with a cast of Mark Wahlberg, Helena Bonham Carter, and Tim Roth.

Now, if you are one of those that are stuck babysitting all through the summer or working at a day camp, Disney is back with a new film called **Atlantis: The Lost Empire**. It is an epic adventure about the "lost city" of ancient mythology.

After viewing a range of movies from **The Mexican**, to **Sweet November**, to **Hannibal**, to **Joe Dirt**, and even to **How the Emperor Got his Groove Back** and liked each and every one maybe I wouldn't be the best movie critic, yet I believe that this summer has a lot in store for the theatres.

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Subliminal Messages Found Effective

By: Keisha Leiby

Subliminal Advertising can be a simple message encoded in a non-obvious way, a message played backwards, images hidden in larger images, or non verbal messages. It's a fact that when people sit and watch television, movies, and listen to the radio, minds slip into a subconscious atmosphere excluding something's from the others. Advertisers these days know how to use words, pictures, actions, and people against you. The study of such things has proven that viewers who are included in everyday activities of television have been submitted to subliminal messages at one point or another. Are you a victim of it? It's very rare that people have actually stopped subliminal advertising, and it's more rare for the viewer to find out if they are a part of the brain washing. In 1957 a man named James Vicary declared he had a way of increasing sales of movie concessions by flashing "to-brief-to-be-seen" messages like "Hungry? Eat Popcorn," and "Drink Coke." In the middle of films these phrases flashed every 1/3000 of a second increasing popcorn sales 57%, and Coke sales by 18% in the end. Vicary's research had been successful, and people across the nation had begun to wonder what was being advertised to them subconsciously, and how these advertisements are effecting them. Wanting to see if Vicary's research really worked, the CIA tried to flash their own message across movie theaters in Alexandria, Virginia. "Buy popcorn," was the message used, but as soon as viewers saw this in their minds, they did the opposite; they went to get something to drink.

1) Emotions play an important part in the "invisible commercials." When you watch a sick, skinny child from another country on television with someone claiming for \$.50 a week you can help this child live. People question themselves if they don't do this are they a bad person? The emotion of fear is put into place when they ask do you want to be Fat? 2) Also advertisers use big bold words called "buzz words." These are words such as **FREE, HURRY, NEW, TASTY, and IMPROVED.** People see these words and they automatically think that the product is good. These words do not have to look flashy but they make a significant impact on people's minds because there is really no true meaning to them. 3) Companies hire celebrities to endorse their product because they know that they might have a head start against their competition. Gatorade uses Michael Jordan. In the commercial Jordan takes a drink of GATORADE and the proceeds to slam-dunk a basketball, leaving viewers with the thought "If I drink Gatorade I can be good at basketball like Michael Jordan," and people run out and buy the product. 4) Flashy phrases that just as the "buzz words" have no meaning, but are appealing to the mind. "Thirsty? Drink Coca-Cola. Hungry? Go to McDonalds." These phrases are called the "bandwagon technique." These mottos claim the pressure aspect meaning, everyone else is doing it, so why aren't you? A target audience is the base of all subliminal messages. If you're watching children cartoons then obviously they're going to flash messages appealing to children and it with the rest of the world.

In the 2000 election campaign with Bush vs. Gore, Bush is claimed to have used 30second commercial spots that attacked Gore's Health Care plan by placing the word "rats" into it. The word flashed every 1/13 of a second and when paused the word was read clear. This subliminal message supposedly was not deliberate, but it was there, and it did appeal to voters.

Disney's subliminal messages leaning towards sex are found throughout many of the videos. Although many claim they are not there, others claim that they are real. It's said that when cartoons are made the writers and the drawers all put a little of themselves into them. The movies are targeted towards

An Epidemic of Mad Cow Disease Breaks out

By Joyce Taylor

There's death and suffering everywhere; yet no one virus to spare. Just when things are starting to look hopeful, medically, a new disease arises and is cast into our midst; the latest being the fast-spreading foot-and-mouth outbreak.

The foot-and-mouth disease, also called the hoof-and-mouth disease, is a contagious febrile disease which affects cloved-hoofed animals such as cattle, swine, sheep, goats, deer, and, in rare cases, humans. It is said to have been caused by a common feeding in Britain called pigswill.

Pigswill comes from restaurants, school cafeteria, airline discards, and any other place where humans eat and waste food on a large scale. It is then sold to farmers to be scattered and to fed their

livestock.

For countless generations, pigs have been fed waste from human tables. Back then it was a rural fact and didn't matter much, but now in our more enlightened times, we have com to realize that feeding live animals with discarded bits of dead animals- particularly their own species- is not only disgusting, but dangerous.

To kill off potential infections, the swill was to be heated to 100 degrees centigrade, but farmers became sloppy with the slops and

neglected to do so. Thus causing a reason for the present crisis.

More than half a million animals have been condemned so far as the count continues to rise. The army has been brought in far too late, according to the Tories and other critics to help with the grisly business of burying or burning the rotting carcasses of hundreds of thousands of destroyed animals. It's great to be a vegetar-

children, but its funny how young adults find the smallest things in such movies and bring them to peoples attention, i.e. Aladdin, Puff the magic Dragon, Little Mermaid, Lion King, Beauty and the Beast, and Who Framed Roger Rabbit. The detail to these movies is small, and it could be that these "mistakes," were really mistakes, for those you decide for yourself. Subliminal Advertising can be seen, or it can be invisible. Its scary how easily someone's mind can be influenced by actions, pictures, words, and phrases.



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The Race Isn't Over

Track Stars Still Striving for Excellence

By Christina Farris

Track did well this season. On April 14, 2001 the Pasco track team had it's invite. According to the coaches, we did better than expected.

Mr. Antonovich: "We're a pretty young team. There are only two seniors on the team this year. People are still learning, but they're doing pretty well. We competed well. All the players got personal best, or close to it. Rachel Ellison placed first in the 800 meter run; she did a good job. We got home track meets if you want to come and check it out, dates for those being April 26, 2001 and May 3, 2001. Come out and support our Bulldogs."

Mr. Fuller: "A couple of people did good at the last invite. Scott Horning got third in the triple jump, and fifth in the long jump. It was very well done. Doug got second in the javelin. We have home meets so come out and watch us run and jump."

Track participants, were equally happy with the results of Saturday's invite, and in general, they have been satisfied with this track season.

Nicole Elliott: "I felt the team this year was good, next year will probably be the same as this year. The reason I feel this way is because there are only two seniors on the team this year. Most of our team is good at distant running. I didn't do as good as I hoped at the invite but overall we did pretty good as a team. Four people placed at the invite so that was good. This year was fun, especially the invite; there were approximately 1,700 people there."

Rachel Ellison: "I was pretty surprised I won the race. (Talking of the 800-meter

race she placed first in.) Next year we'll be stronger, both girls and guys. I feel our team was pretty strong this year and we will improve more each year".

Brady Neergard: "This was my first year doing track and it was pretty fun and laid-back. I pole vaulted for varsity so that was pretty neat. Next year we'll do pretty well because we have a lot of young people and everyone next year will have experience, considering most of our team is freshman and sophomores".

Cody Sanford: "We have a small track team this year, but we have pretty good people. We're not as strong as we were in the past, but we're doing

ever been this year. There was a lot of great competition and it was fun to watch. I'm going to participate next year, because this year was very fun, especially for me because I got a two-foot P.R. I think the whole team will agree, we want

to keep Doug.

From the words of the players and coaches, this years invite went well and was very promising. So, as the coaches stressed above, go out and support your track team.



Track girls run during practice. (Photo by Keisha Leiby)

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Amanda Antonovich Leads By Example

By Sydney Patrick

The Lady Bulldog Softball team returned from Walla Walla last week with a one hit game by Freshman Amanda Antonovich. Amanda, our Athlete of the Issue, is not the typical freshman you would normally find on a Varsity team. While most freshman are found to be a little shy, timid, and leave the leadership skills to the more experienced Seniors, Amanda on the other hand plays the roll of a Senior. "She doesn't hold back any of her talent and is very vocal," comments Coach Klei. Amanda is very positive out on the field and is always pushing her teammates to be better. You can always count on Amanda to be on time to practices with a winning attitude that reflects how she plays and the performance of her teammates. When the team comes up against tough competition Amanda's teammates can count on her to lead them to a victory like she did with Walla Walla, who is one of the top teams in the league. Not only is Amanda there for her team during enduring practices, but she takes care of them before the game as well. Her teammates can always expect some energizing chocolate and a few words of wisdom from Amanda before each game. With Amanda only being a freshman she is still improving her game every day. Congratulations Amanda!



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Link Discovered Between Success of Football and Soccer

By Christine Nelson

Here at Pasco High there is something of a connection between football and boy's soccer. In 1998, our football team won the state championship. Later that year, the boy's soccer team also captured the title of State Champions. In December 2000, the football team once again won the State Championship, and in the process, became the first football team in the state to have the perfect undefeated season. And now, the boy's soccer team is well on their way to continuing the tradition.

The team's current record is 6-0. During this time, the boys managed three shut-out victories in a row, against Kennewick, Davis, and Southridge, Southridge being their



Augustin Ramos flies by an IKE defender (Photo by Keisha Leiby)

toughest opponent. They were hoping for four shut-outs, which would have been a school record. Unfortunately, during the Moses Lake game, there was a so-called hand ball in the box, which resulted in a penalty kick. After that, though, Bubba from Moses Lake and the rest of his squad were trapped on their side of the field.

There are only a few games to go before playoffs, like the one against Wenatchee on the day of Prom. The team's outlook is optimistic. "We are good," says Omar Zuniga, "We play as a team." The guys get along well and there is lots of teamwork.

Hopefully, the tradition of a side-by-side football and soccer championship will continue this year.

PHS Hockey Schedule

Saturday, April 28	vs. Kamiakin 2	8:30 PM	@ Desert Ice
Thursday, May 10	vs. Kamiakin	6:00 PM	@ Desert Ice
Saturday, May 12	vs. Richland	8:30 PM	@ Desert Ice
Saturday, May 19	@ Hanford	8:30 PM	@ Desert Ice
Sunday, May 20	@ Southridge	6:00 PM	@ Coliseum Rink B
Monday, May 21	Semifinal 1st vs. 4th	7:15 PM	@ Coliseum Rink B
Tuesday, May 22	Semifinal 2nd vs. 3rd	7:15 PM	@ Coliseum Rink B
Thursday, May 24	Championship	7:00 PM	@ Coliseum Rink B

Hockey games are \$2 for students and \$4 for adults, while children under 12 are free. Desert Ice is located across the street from Broadmoor Outlet Mall.

Tennis Team Works to Achieve Two Goals...Have Fun and Win

By Mecque' Whitcomb

This year tennis is in full swing. Charlie Smith and Emily Hall hope to have a winning season, and so far the girls have a 2-2 record. Charlie commented, "I don't know the exact record for the boys, but we've had a good season so far." The main goal for both the boys and girls team is to have a winning season, but to have lots of fun too. "After all, having fun is what sports are all about," commented sophomore, Gabby Nunez. Gabby and Rassaimy Xayachack play doubles and so far they are undefeated. Gabby wants to develop her skills, have fun, and develop a bond with her teammates. To stay in shape, the boy's team plays basketball before and after practice. One of the major perks for both teams is that if they hit the person they are playing against, they get a free milkshake.



Jared Betker Works the Hot Corner

By Sarah Johnston

Every issue we honor an upstanding athlete attending our school, and this issue our chosen baseball player is Jared Betker. Jared has been playing baseball since he was 5 years old, back in the days of T-ball. He enjoys playing because it is America's pastime. Since his T-ball days, he has progressed to playing 3rd basemen on Pasco's Varsity team.

"We're very proud of our record so far (7-1). We hold the championship in our hands, it is ours to win or lose which is a position we have wanted to be in for a long time," Jared states. His hopes for the team are mutual and so far the team has come together well for his senior season. "The season has been great so far, we hope and plan to continue doing well and hope to go very far this year."

Jared and the rest of the team will finish their regular season soon, and their success is predicted to continue.

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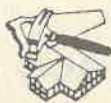
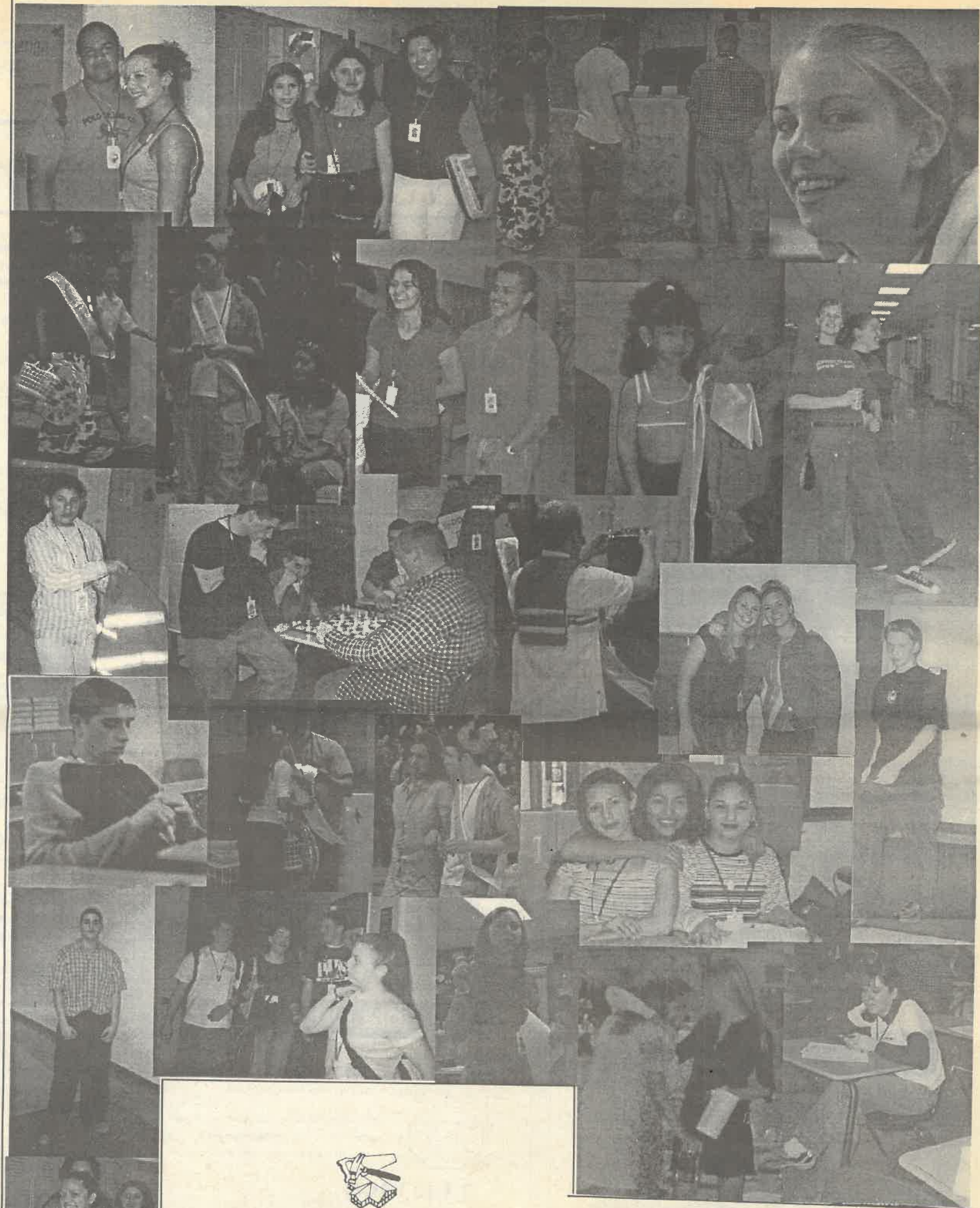
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