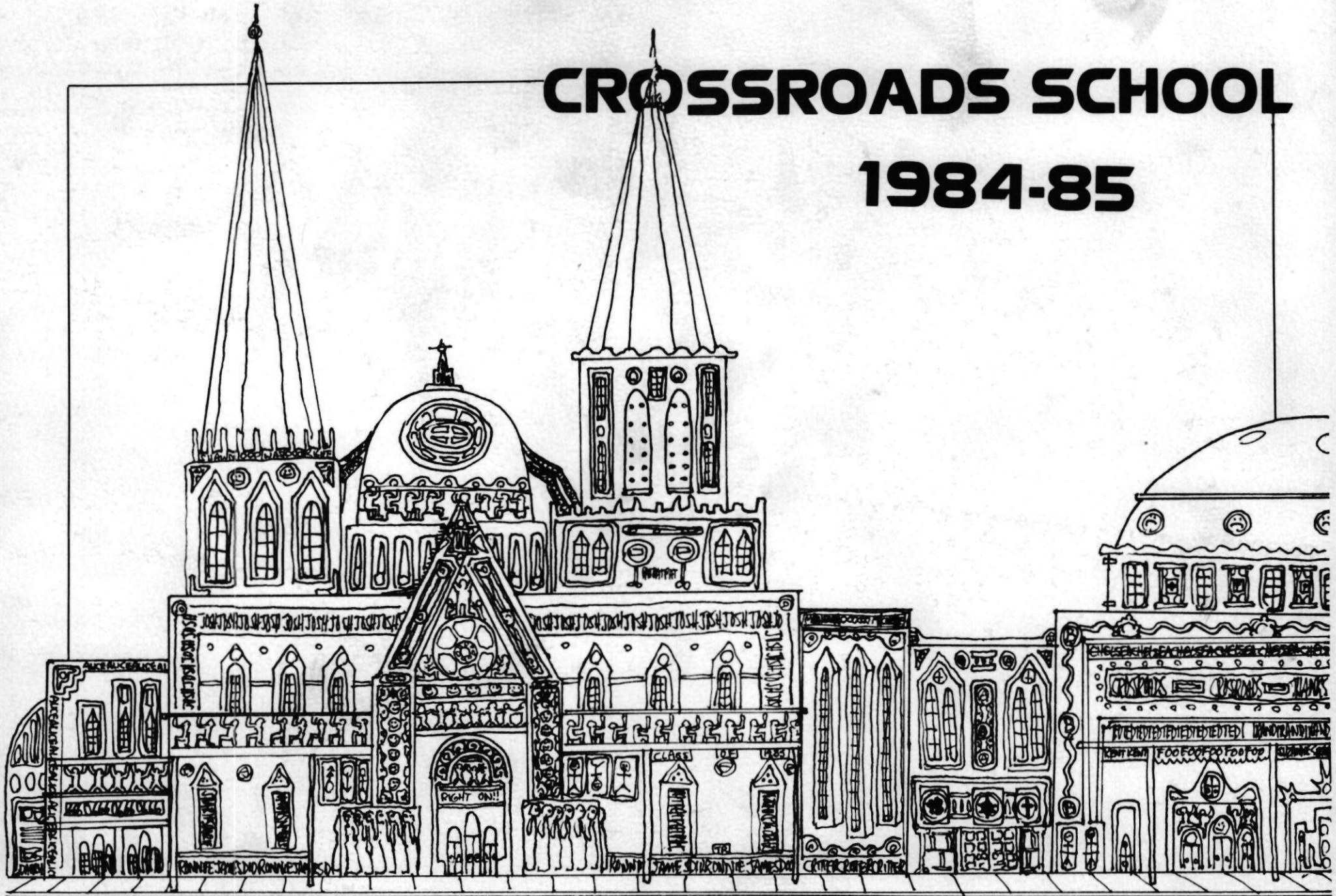


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Introduction

Intro

It has ended and before we move on we strain to look back to create in our minds an image of the place we are leaving behind.

If it is a summer house we leave; we might remember its beds made, the sun casting its rays through the kitchen window, everything in order.

We on the yearbook staff have sought to capture such an image of the 1984-85 school year. This publication is a product of hours of planning, preparation and production. Please be kind in considering its quality and tolerant of its occasionally sophomoric humor.

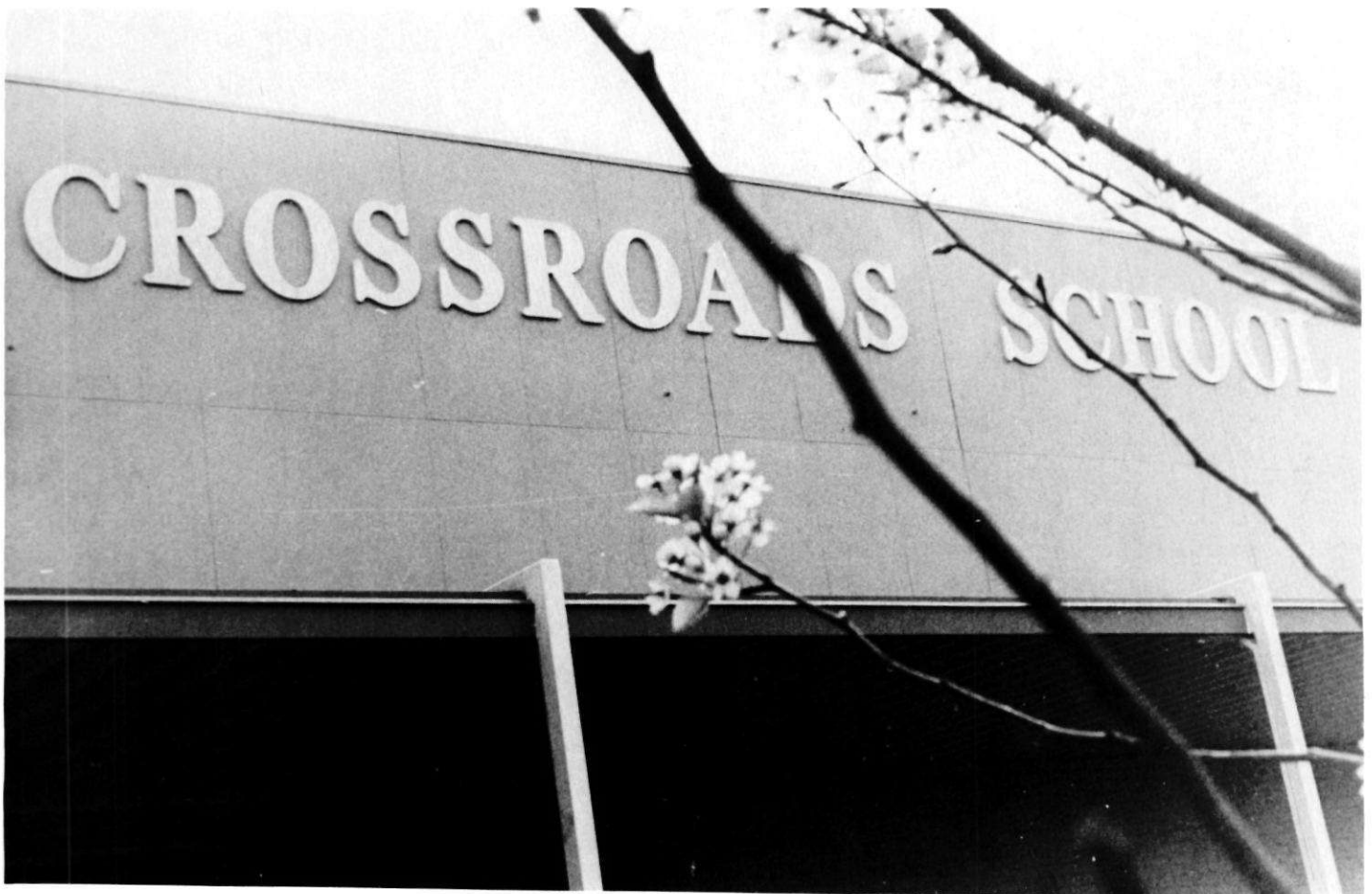


The 1984-85 school year was a hectic one for the Crossroads community. We were evaluated by ISACS, the boys soccer team had an incredible season, the honor roll was started, co-curriculum began, all in addition to our usual daily academic rigors.

Countless people have given a lot of time to this yearbook. Megan Perry (on calligraphy) and Chris Campbell (on advice) deserve applause. Also E. Joshua Kohn's artistic contributions and the efforts of the editorial and Charlie Sitzer's photographic staff should not go unnoticed.

Hopefully, your memories of this year are as rosy as this yearbook depicts them. Thank you all.

Darryl Flaherty





MAN THAT'S THE GROSSEST THING I'VE EVER SEEN!! IT WAS THE CROSSROADS...

STAIR





Arthur Lieber

"Baseball has been very, very good to me," says Arthur Lieber, alias Director Dookie, just 11 years out of the majors. Arthur's 11 years at Crossroads have yielded a scientific study that junk food is good for your health. Arthur's pet peeves are honkeys, motorcycle riders, people who do Kung Fu, and people who carry generalized prejudices. Arthur is in charge of the day to day running of the school as well as teaching journalism and integrated studies. As Arthur likes to say, "That's all for this time. Till next time, so long."

Carol Lieber

Carol has been at Crossroads for 11 years. She teaches Western Civilization and World Literature. At school she seems the mild mannered teacher, but on her own time she takes off her glasses and preppy clothes, drives a dirt bike and likes fast cars, rock'n'roll and bingo. She hates people who can't enjoy a real crisis. Her goal is to ride her dirt bike across the Atlantic and live in Italy. She has no interest in culture: hers or anyone else's. She spends her days counting her awesome yearly income which doesn't leave time for anything else except being co-ordinator of co-curriculum, funding Crossroads and keeping it going.







Rob Ciampoli

This is Rob Ciampoli, a Middle School Principal, who has been at Crossroads for two years. The subjects Rob teaches include Pre-Algebra and Integrated Studies. His favorite expression is "It's been real." Rob's hobbies and interests are working at Crossroads, attending meetings at Crossroads and thinking about Crossroads. His goal in life is to have a waiting list of 200 students for admission to the school. What really irritates Rob is vendors who run out of Boston Baked Beans, Bill Bidwill, and Crossroads' bell system. What makes this guy different from other faculty members is that he works in an office through which future leaders of the free world pass. Rob acquired a B.A. at the University of Missouri, a M.A.T. at Webster University and a Post Masters at SIU in Edwardsville.

Carmel Calsyn

Carmel Calsyn, that cute little redhead who teaches senior English, American Literature, Study Lab, and is head of the Upper School, has been committed to Crossroads for seven years now. Though Carmel's favorite saying is, "You can't always get what you want," she has a tremendous number of interests and goals. Carmel enjoys messing up Jeff Melnick's hair, predicting which Hawaiian shirt Don Ingerson will wear, which days Andrea and Emily will dress the same, listening to Roz giggle, and (of course) finding parallels between life and The Scarlet Letter. (You must be Incredibly busy, Carmel!) She hopes to someday have a senior sign-in sheet untouched by Don I., to see Pat Duffy play basketball for Marquette, to see Pablo in a suit, to win the bad Hemingway Contest, and, finally, to organize Crossroads' first drive-through graduation. Carmel is known for her great athletic ability and being mistaken for Linda Evans from Dynasty. One final thing about Carmel everyone should know: occasionally she goes "white out happy."



Rob Allard



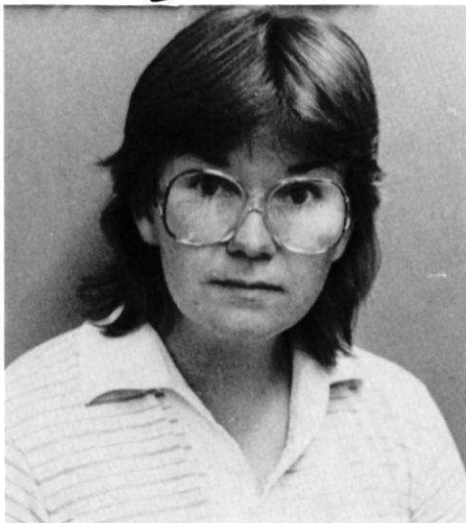
Rob is a wonderful new addition to our prestigious faculty here at Crossroads School. His position at this time is "upright" (Ha, Ha), but his ultimate goal in life is World Peace. This renowned professor has blessed his students with his knowledge of Civics, Modern European History and eighth grade English. As each student should know, his favorite expression is "The only foolish question is the one you don't ask." Rob is also known to occasionally use incorrect English and then state, "That was just to get your attention." When he is not teaching, this extremely hard-working man with a former education from BC. Webster spends all of his time with his three kids (including new twins) that "give his grey hair." Maybe someday when Rob's hair is completely grey his kids too will be attending Crossroads.

Harry Banek

This is Harry's first year teaching at Crossroads. Besides assisting in chemistry, he tutors math and teaches Upper School Cooking and "Awareness Class." Harry can often be heard saying, "I want you to focus your attention on...." In the future, Harry plans to become a whole, functioning SELF. He wants to live in a rural setting on the Northwestern coast as a member of an international cooperative community and to complete his course work for his teacher's certification. In his free time he reads, bicycles, gardens, dances, skis and cooks. Harry doesn't like it "when people misuse freedom and deny responsibility." Harry is also a member of Action Linkage, a networking organization for fundamental change and he's a student at the school of Metaphysics.



Margie Butler



Marjie has been here, at Crossroads, for 24 long months teaching those spectacular sixth graders. Those little underclassmen are lucky enough to have her for English, Literature, and Geography while the rest of us just get her for Leisure Sports, Child Care and Development, and Aerobics. "River," as she is better known to a select few (like her husband Ray, maybe), enjoys spending the sparse amount of spare time she has by collecting rocks and shells, camping, fishing, traveling, and playing volleyball. What a 24-hour-a-day lady! Marjie tells us her monthly income is \$200,000 and so her yearly income - which she multiplied on her bio form - is \$2,400,000. Well, that's a lot of money, but Marjie is worth every penny of it, and we hope she stays at Crossroads long enough to become a trillionaire!



Ray Butler

Ray Butler is Crossroads' famous 6th grade math, science, and logic teacher - plus basketball, softball, indoor and outdoor soccer coach all in one! He is the only faculty member to have wall-to-wall astroturf in his office. Ray graduated from SEMO where he acquired his Bachelor's Degree in science and education. His goal in life is to see a Crossroads basketball team score 100 points. Ray affectionately calls his girls' soccer team "wienies" to keep them on their feet. Ray is an athletic kind of guy - soccer, volleyball, camping, fishing, scuba diving, and softball are a few of his hobbies.



Louise Cameron

If it wasn't for Louise, many students would not have heard of sfumato, odalisque or trumeaux. They would not be able to throw a pot on the wheel, experience a sculpture at Washington University or carve a sculpture from virgin wood. Sun washed and six feet tall, Louise shares her interest in, and enthusiasm for, art with often inspired students.



Charlie runs into problems with his parachute as he leads Maureen through an air-raid drill.

Chris Campbell



Chris is a leftover mythological god. His domain is the world of basketball and journalism. Disguised by calling himself "Crittter" and teaching English 10, film, journalism, 7th grade social studies and basketball, he uses his powers in school mostly defining evil in the hell-like class Words and Writing Lab. He is sending Jeff Melnick and Don Riegle directly to the underworld, declaring, "You worthless pieces of slime!" Chris' theory is that the world would be perfect if he had only given everyone remote-controlled cable T.V. He made himself 6'3" and gave himself a tail in his human form modeling himself after Harry Bane. The only thing that ticks this god off is gramatical errors in the yearbok.

Richard Fulton

Richard plans to "finish the Master's in teaching; finish requirements for the law degree; retire as a teacher and die, damn it!" Our U.S. History, Study Habit, and Cooking teacher professes to enjoy reading and travelling, and is also a composer of music. Richard is irritated by slovenliness, anti-intellectuality, and especially mediocrity. "Grandma said" quite a lot, according to Richard, who claims he is different from other faculty members because he is younger than all of them.



Patty Costello

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Patty, also known as "Patita" and the "Gummi Bear Lady," has been teaching at Crossroads for the past three years. Patty has taught Spanish I, II, and III, seventh grade English and a cooking class. She is also active in A.P.S. With all of those things to do, Patty still manages to find some time for backpacking, swimming, traveling and reading. We can also find Patty taking part in outrageous activities. She is on person who is not intimidated when noticed. She is remembered for dresing up as a bag lady for Halloween. Patty was educated at Lindenwood and Russell Sage Colleges later in New York.



Cal Fussman

Cal Fussman is a first year teacher at Crossroads. He teaches a wide range of subjects - Literature for the eighth grade, Critical Sports analysis, and a basketball class for the Middle School girls. Cal's education was completed at the University of Missouri, where he acquired his degree in Journalism. His favorite pastimes include listening to Mozart's Don Giovanni and Brian Gilby's extemporaneous rap songs. In addition, Cal's goal in life is to somehow "have sixty-four grandchildren!" He is one man with great character and is the only teacher at Crossroads who teaches in exotic bowling shirts.

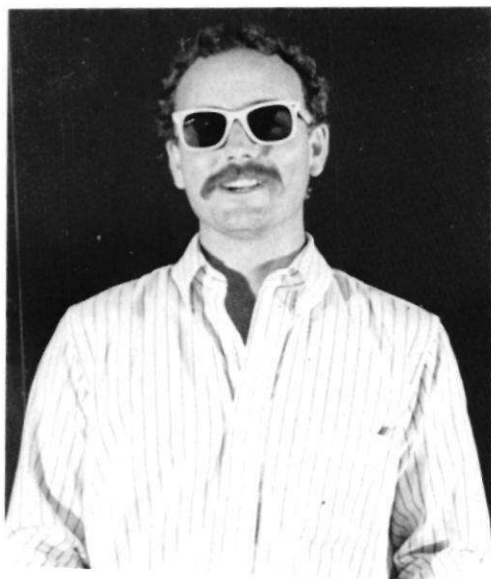
"Boy, I have a lot of loose people in this class," quipped Anita Grunmann, a four year vet of Crossroads, while surveying her Drama II class in mid morning stretch. Comments such as this and many others make her English, literature and drama classes enjoyable and always interesting to attend. Grunmann is known for her many achievements in the dramatic field, such as "Bells Are Ringing," "The Pajama Game," "Catch Her If You Can," and "Working." She also has done several commercials, and has directed musical and theater nights at Crossroads "since the beginning of time." Most famous for her dazzling smile, Anita spends her free time (when not acting or directing) making plans to convert the assembly room into a Performing Arts Center, with stage, lights, and seating arrangements.

Anita Grunmann



Marian Hilfrink

This is Marian Hilfrink's 6th year at Crossroads teaching Biology to Upper School students and Math to Middle School. She is a very busy lady, but still has time for her many interests, some of which are "climbing and sunsets." Marian's one and only pet peeve is "ten different people coming into class and asking "What are we doing today?" at the same time." When asked what distinguishes her from other members of the faculty, Marian replied "Nothing - I'm just as crazy as the rest of them!"



Steve Jonak

Steve, 5'8", 158 lbs, has been teaching a variety of math and science classes here for five years. He hates when people mess up his majestic purple wall and those little fuzzy edges of spiral paper bother him immensely. He bats right, throws right, and walks funny. Steve acquired a B.S. from the Air Force Academy and studied philosophies of education and physics at Washington University and UMSL, respectively. He loves skydiving, rockclimbing, reading and old movies. Steve's big secret is that he's working on an assignment for the CIA to uncover secondary school students who are commie sympathizers.



"You can't use hands? What kind of sport is this?!"



Martine Matzke

Born the daughter of a French country doctor, Martine Matzke has somehow ended up at Crossroads, where she has taught French I, II, III, and IV for four years now. Actually, "ended up" is not the correct phrase, for Martine is still working her way through school, even though she seems to have "too much" education already. She some day hopes to find the perfect part time job which pays very well and allows her flexibility and autonomy. Martine is involved in the Crossroads AFS chapter and she has many other interests, including bee keeping, skiing and gardening. She also likes to throw in helpful hints about taxes and politics during her French lessons and has some incredible and unforgettable stories to tell. Her pet peeves are late students and those who do not work, but, fortunately for her, she does not have any of these types in her classes. Consequently, "Zut alors!" and "Non, vrai!" are two of her most-used expressions. Putting aside all of her hair-raising expressions, her claim to fame is that she is the only teacher giving Patrick Moore a "C."



Karen Messenger

"Where's Arthur? Where's Arthur?" - a worried, confused voice echos though the hallowed halls of Crossroads. Who could it be? Karen Messenger, looking for yet another disappearing administrator. Karen has been working at Crossroads for - gosh - eleven years, almost forever! Karen enjoys Metropolitan Ballet of Saint Louis and Snipe hunting in the Orient. Karen was once a teacher, teaching Early Childhood Development, but is now in semi-active service, trying to teach Arthur one important skill, how to remember. Karen is currently pursuing her life-long dream - unionizing Crossroads.



Marlon Brando Imitators Club



Jeannie Merson

This is Jeannie's first year here at Crossroads School as everybody's favorite resident librarian. Jeannie makes her love for the library obvious through her favorite expression: "Put your soda on my desk please." Her main pet peeve is missing reference books and Rolling Stone magazines, and we all know just how painful that can be. Between staffing the school library and a full time interior design job, Jeannie loves to cook for her family and friends. This extremely active woman also reads at least a book each month. She has given up sewing and needle work due to a lack of time, but she is co-leading a girl scout troop and is developing leadership abilities in another organization. Jeannie has never given a homework assignment to a student, which she claims, makes her different from all the other faculty members at Crossroads.



Diane Picard

"Crusher" Picard, better known as Diane, coaches the highly successful math team, teaches computer, and battles eighth graders during Algebra class. Her favorite expression is "2b squared or not 2b squared is the equation." Diane's inspiration to teach comes from her love and respect of X squared. Unlike most teachers at Crossroads, she feels that her yearly income "equals my yearly output." Diane's hobby is giving tests to eighth graders. Her greatest irritant is when Dylan Calsyn asks if he has to reduce fractions during the tests. Diane's goal in life is to have an entire wardrobe that matches Steve's wall.



Tanda Powmiller

This is Tanda's third year at Crossroads, but "from what I hear my nick name is not printable." Tanda says that her position at Crossroads is, "vertical after morning coffee." Tanda teaches 8th grade "Hyperactive Happiness," 7th grade "Lab Book 101," and to her Chemistry class "Safety in the Chemistry Lab." Her favorite expressions are, "Your tush is astro-curf!" and "Yes?! No?! Kumquats?" Her hobbies include sin, intergalactic travel and sleep. Her "goals" in life are, "Students - 627; Tanda - 3." Tanda's irritants are guinea pigs, HCL vapors and Joey in a rainstorm. She wants everybody to know that, "I don't have a pet peeve, I have a pet cat!" She says that all of her previous knowledge has been dissolved by ingestion and inhalation of toxic substances.

Crossroads' own illustrious business manager, Linda Prenger, is in her second year at Crossroads. Linda also teaches her artistic skills to Crossroads as she teaches drawing, printmaking, and creative writing. Linda's hobbies are printing with water colors, jigsaw puzzles, and traveling, and states that her goal in life "is to get through this day." This distinguished member of our faculty claims to be different from other faculty members in that she's a "detail" person and take things seriously." Ms. Prenger's sole pet peeve is "people who say 'you know' at the end of the sentences," and states that her favorite expression is "Write it on a piece of paper and put it in my mailbox."

Linda Prenger





Charlie Sitzler

Charlie Sitzler's life is too vast, complicated and meaningful to be told in a single paragraph of this humble school yearbook. Yet we will try in vain to capture the essence of "Chuck's" life. Charlie was sent from the Pope three years ago to pass on his extensive knowledge in the fields of photography, sculpture, graphic design and film. Since then, Charlie has abstained from his once strong religious beliefs and conformed to "Steve-ism." This profound religion uses sky diving as its particular form of worship. As of this year, Charlie dived head-first with a healthy "Geronimo!"



Laura Stermann

Laura has taught at Crossroads for three years. She teaches Pre-Calculus, Topics in Higher Math, and Geometry. Her position is 'hypotenuse' and her favorite expression is "A squared plus B squared equals C squared." In her free time she enjoys tracing the history of the Pythagorean Theorem. She hopes to make the Pythagorean Theorem come alive and despises people who don't care about the pythagorean Theorem. Laura's different than other teachers because she is shorter and can solve equations for "C."



Rob tries in vain to get on Debbi Brown's senior page.

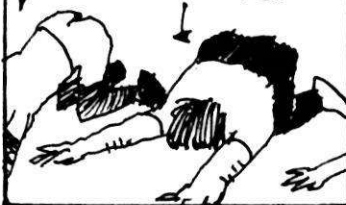
THEY WALK DOWN
THE HALLS AND
PEOPLE FAINT.



TEACHERS THROW
THEMSELVES ON
THE GROUND...

'ROCKIN'
RICHARD
FULTON

CHRIS
'CRITER'
CAMPBELL



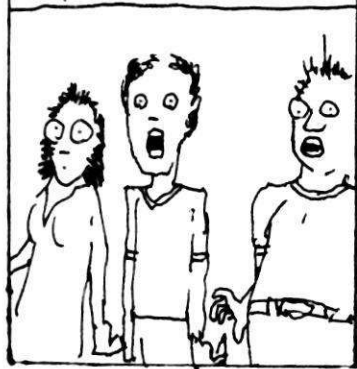
AND MIDDLE
SCHOOLEDERS EITHER
RUN AWAY OR
STAND IN AWE..



SMALL RODENTS
AND BUGS
JUST DIE.



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ARE STUNNED
WHEN THEY WALK
BY



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TERRIBLE FEELINGS
OF INADEQUACY
AND RUN OFF TO
IMPROVE THEMSELVES
(OR JUST GIVE UP)



AND THE
ADMINISTRATORS
BOW IN HOMAGE...

'PARTY'
ARTIE
LIEBER

'KILLER'
CAROL
LIEBER



ALL OVER
PEOPLE BOW
AND PRAY
AND PAY
HOMAGE, FOR
THEY ARE
THE AWE
INSPIRING..

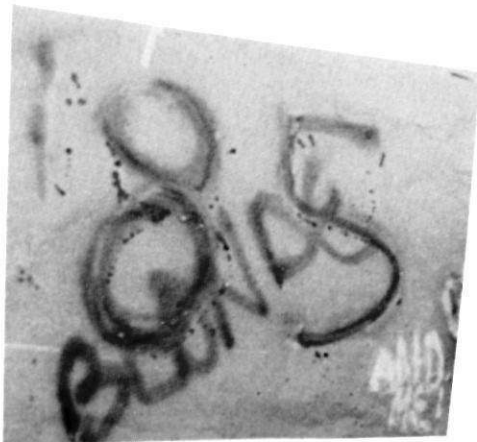
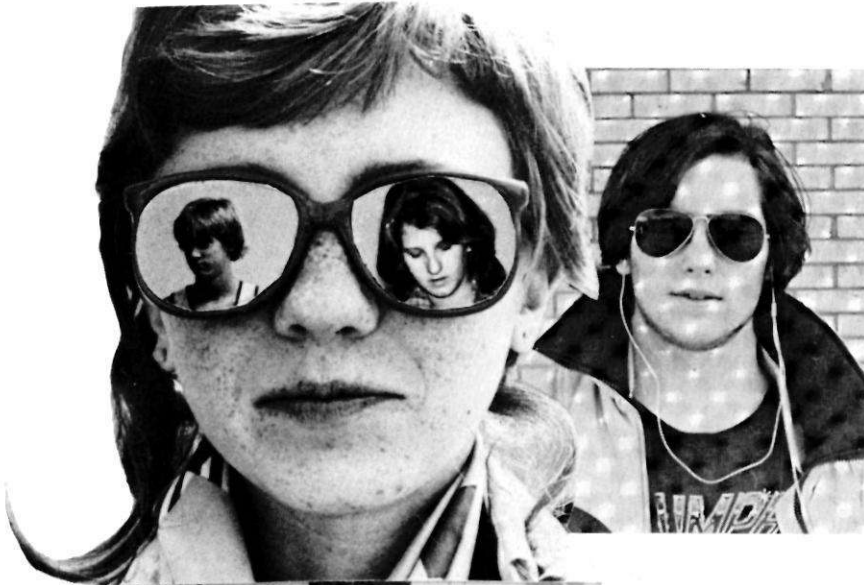
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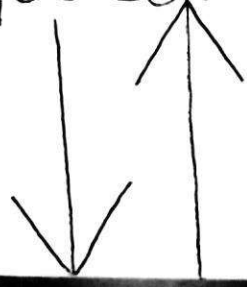
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REVEALED: UNTOLD STORY OF - **debbi brown**

We are the future, try & stop us if you can....



When there's no future
How can there be sin
We're the flowers in the dustbin
We're the poison in your human machine
We're the future

I think it's better on the top

YOUR FUTURE IS THE



What do you want?
What do I get?
-PIL

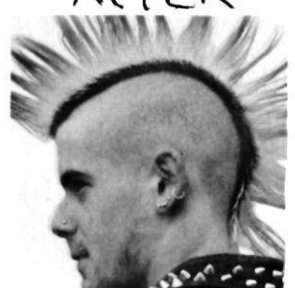
Sex Pistols

Before

AFTER

Before

AFTER



WATCH OUT
YOU MIGHT GET WHAT YOU'RE AFTER
COOL BABIES
STRANGE BUT NOT A STRANGER
I'M AN ORDINARY GUY

-TALKING HEADS

I CANNOT AND WILL NOT
CUT MY CONSCIOUS TO FIT
THIS YEAR'S FASHIONS

-LILLIAN HELLMAN

I BELIEVE THAT GOOD THINGS
COME FROM DIFFICULT SITUATIONS

-BILL MURRAY

ACTION IS THE COMPLETION OF THOUGHT

TO BE IDLE REQUIRES
A STRONG SENSE OF
PERSONAL IDENTITY

-ROBERT LOUIS
STEVENSON

GOALS IN LIFE

-JACK NICHOLSON

NUTTY

HAVE

I THINK YOU GOTTA



UNDERSTOOD -CARL JUNG

DON'T YOU
KNOW YOU'RE
LIFE ITSELF?

- DAVID
BOWIE



NOTHING
WORSE
COULD HAPPEN
TO

TOO MUCH OF A
GOOD THING IS
WONDERFUL

-MAE WEST

ONE THAN TO BE

COMPLETELY

TO STUDY OR TO PLAY?
-THE HUMAN LEAGUE

SUCCESS IS A
JOURNEY, NOT A
DESTINATION

-BEN SWEETLAND

H.M.T. *Donagalski* 2.

SUZANNE DREBES

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B.B. pizza on B-day's...dort even...the lake and chocolate milk-shakes...going to Calculus?..Risky Business & Stripes...Kent's 18th - the zoo..



Lindbergh, K.S., Poms, & the leave for the Rep CTC, Korkernot's, J.L., N.P., & P.S.
Yale, C.D., & C.R.

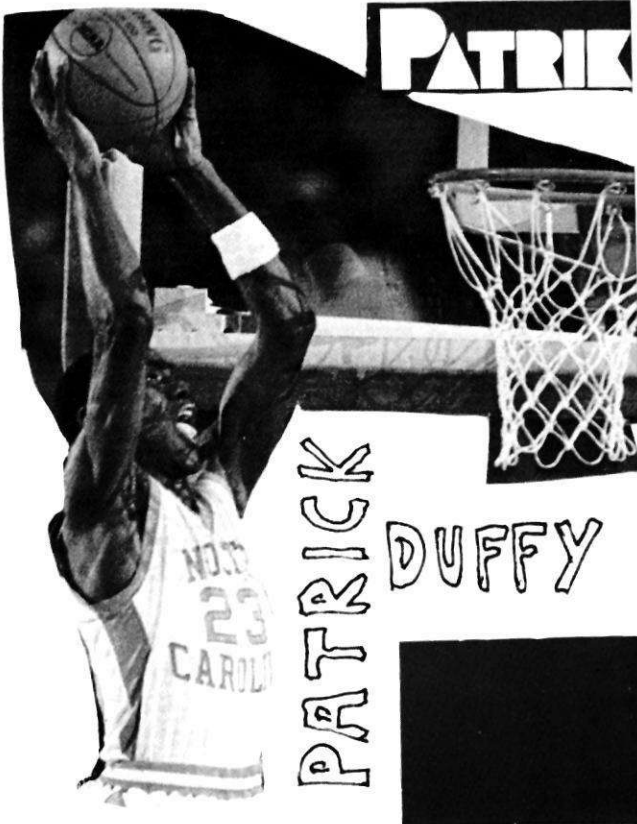


Thurtene & Block Party...Chicago- the day before SAT's, W.F.C. and census tracts...Senior retreat advice...pay phones at Naugles, National, Schnucks, and Mobil... ice cubes on V-day & St. Pat's...Lose the scarf...J.L. rejection day cider...
The Triangle...The canoe trip with wet oreos...The Mary I experience...Florida...prom...red & hot pink...
And forever locking the keys in the car - again.

Ziggy



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Sec. Row Seat

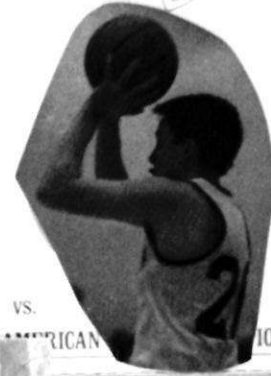


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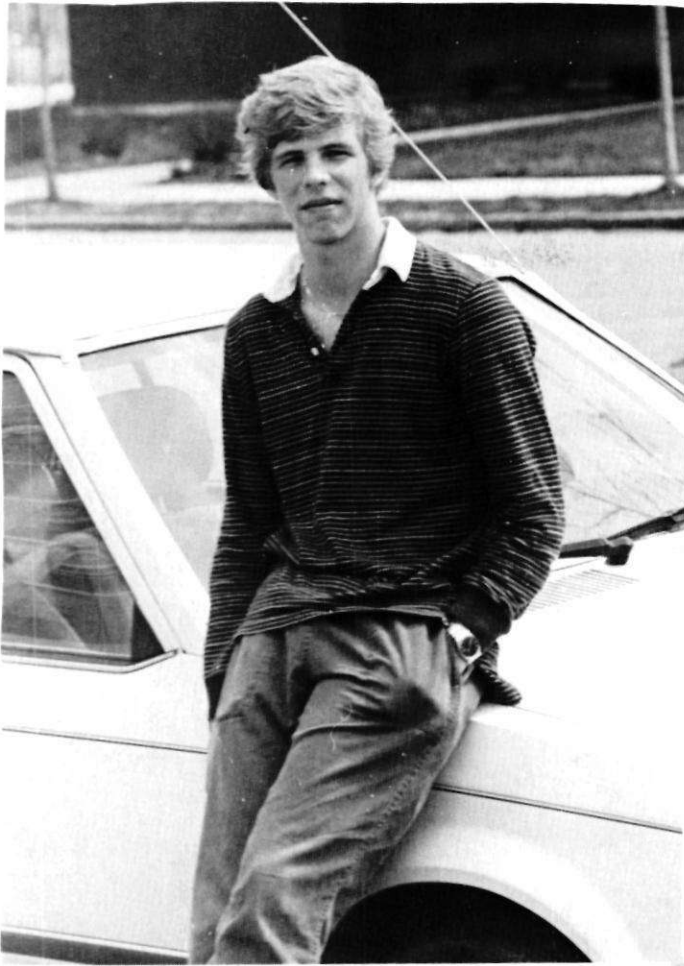


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*Jack be nimble,
 Jack be quick
 Jack taught Kent E.
 Plenty of tricks.
 The reason to live.
 The reason to die.
 But not the answer
 To the question; Why?
 The answer of life
 Therein lies.
 So off in search of
 Catacombs,
 An old German castle,
 And temples of Doom.
 To a life unforbearing
 Of moral resolve.
 The answer to Why
 Unweaves from the loom.*

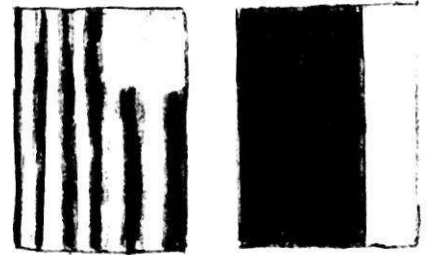


Der Radwechsel

Ich sitze hier am Straßenrand,
Der Fahrer wechselt das Rad.
Ich bin nicht gern, wo ich herkomme,
Ich bin nicht gern, wo ich hingehere.
Warum sehe ich den Radwechsel mit Ungeduld?
- Bertolt Brecht



Megan Marie ferry



Circle Game

And the seasons
They go round and round
And the painted ponies go up and down.
We're captive on a carousel of time.
We can't return, we can only look behind
from where we came.
And go round and round and round
In that circle game,
- Joni Mitchell

When I grow up

I want to be
irresponsible.

Thank you who...
 opened Crossroads to me...
 me to love U2-walked...
 on Fire Island-sh...
 after Naugles-dead...
 thanking but accept...
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 between one and four...
 a big warm fuzzy-be...
 in his own krib with...
 box-helped me through...
 with "The Sniper"-know...
 well-laughes at bad jokes...
 a "sensual creature"-quest...
 my motives at the N.Y.C. ...
 took me to the Other Brother...
 experienced me too soon/or...
 all-solicited my affection...
 Windy City-brought me to...
 Maizuru and beyond-intro...



to farm life-was always...
 when Josh and I...
 me on election night...
 "to the beach" in...
 to the factory and then...
 and then to Clayton on a...
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DEVONNE HUTSON

"The good old days weren't always good, and tomorrow ain't as bad as it seems."

Billy Joel



Me and My Sue



Edith Wharton

"In youth we learn; in age we understand."

Marie Ebner
von Ecshenbach



"When the going gets weird,
the weird turn pro."

Hunter S. Thompson



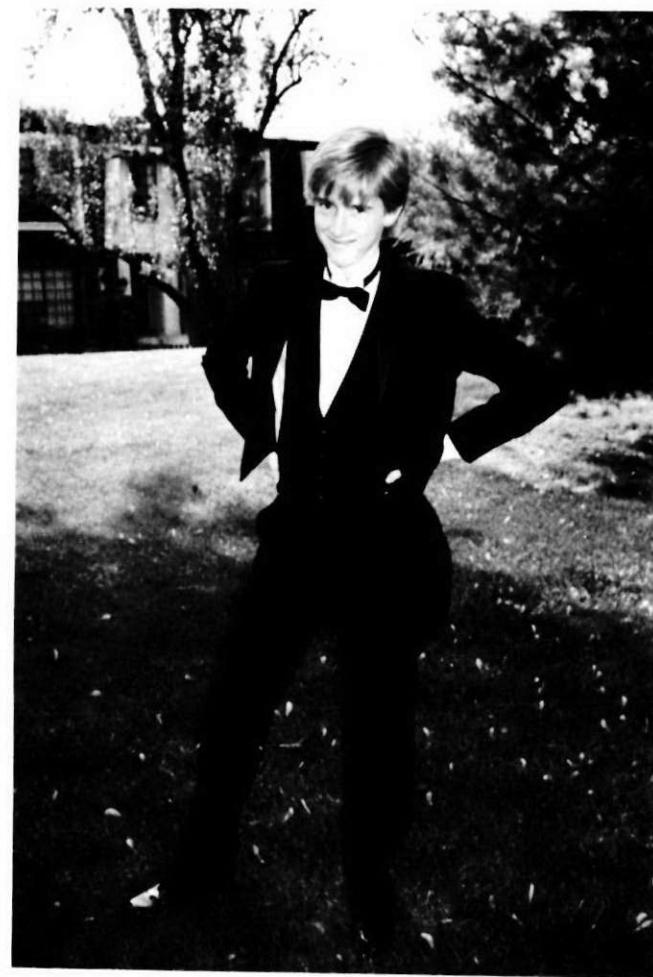
"I am part of a lost and
restless generation."

Bill Murray

"There are two ways of spreading light: to be
The candle or the mirror that reflects it."



DON INGERSON



"Talk about massive potential for growth, I am the little acorn that becomes the oak."
Bill Murray



"A winner is someone who has a dream. A loser is someone who doesn't."
Anonymous

"Nothing succeeds
like success . . ."

Alexandre Dumas, the Elder

". . . and nothing pays
for it more
than your skin."

Interface, the Experts

**the
victory**

HUGO BOSS

GOOD DESIGN FOLLOWS A PATH
FROM THE EYE TO THE MIND
THEN STRAIGHT TO THE HEART.

PEAK

**Global
Style**

performance

E. JOSHUA KOHN



HELENE LECOUEY BRAILLE

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The first step was
shy,
The first smile
was sincere,
The first chan-
ge was extreme;
The last day was
too fast to come!



French?
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De quelle planète es-tu?

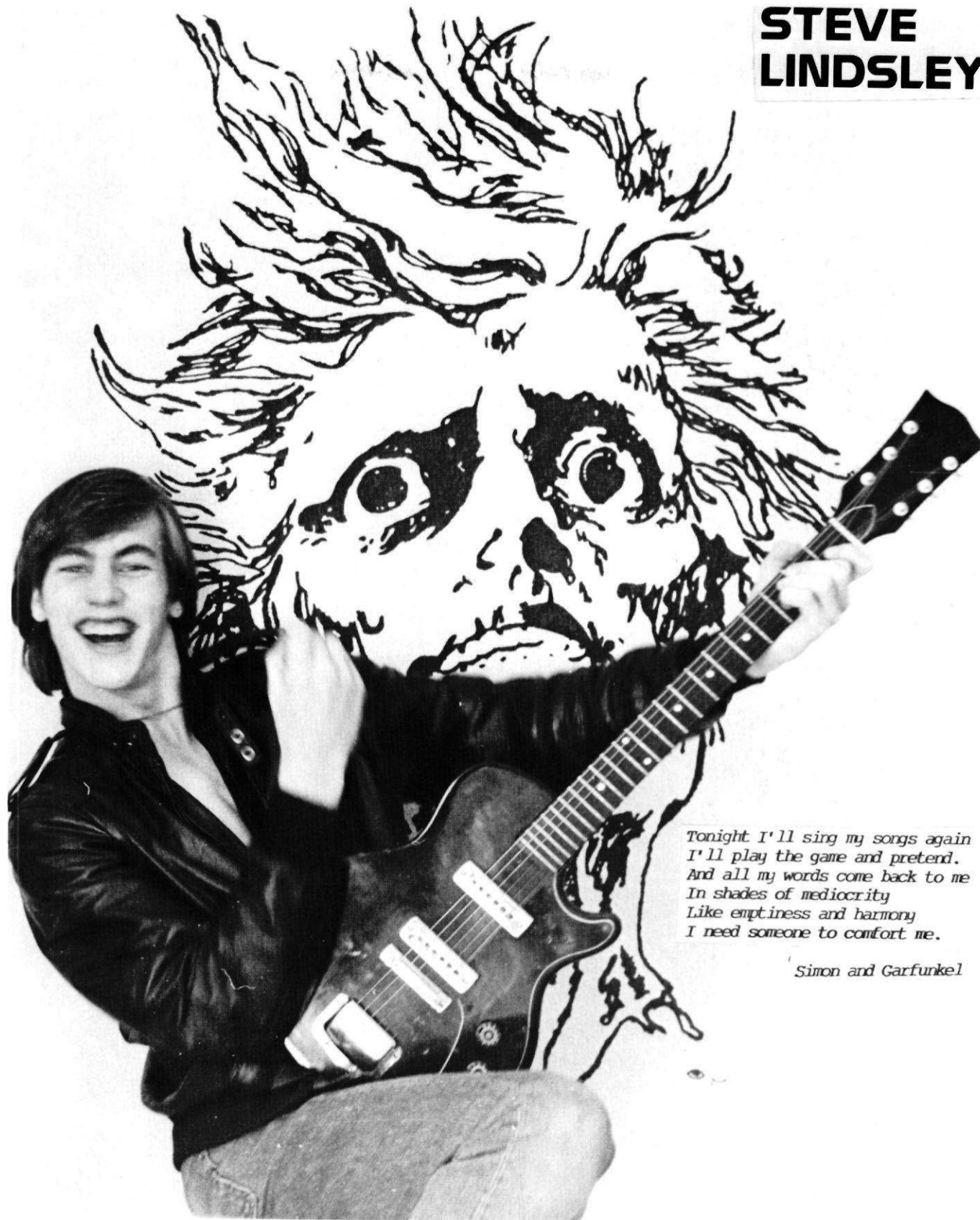
vous tu viens du ciel?

Alors, toi!

On ne
voit bien
qu'avec le
cœur.
L'essentiel
est
invisible
pour
les
yeux!



STEVE LINDSLEY



*Tonight I'll sing my songs again
I'll play the game and pretend.
And all my words come back to me
In shades of mediocrity
Like emptiness and harmony
I need someone to comfort me.*

Simon and Garfunkel

KENDRA McDANIEL

"CLASS OF '85"

"Adolescence is a period of rapid changes. Between the ages of 12 and 17, for example, a parent ages as much as 20 years."
- C.T.

"In matters of principle, stand like a rock, in matters of taste, swim with the current."
- Thomas Jefferson

"It is not doing the things we like to do but liking the thing we have to do, that makes life blessed."
- Goethe

"A friend is one before whom I can think aloud."
- Ralph Waldo Emerson

"School is a building that has four walls -- with tomorrow inside."
- Lon Watters

"If you're never scared or embarrassed or hurt, it means you never take chances."
- Julia Sorel

"Success is a journey, not a destination."
- Ben Sweetland



"Some people think it's holding on that makes one strong. Sometimes it's letting go."
- Sylvia Robinson

"Injustice anywhere is a threat to justice everywhere."
- Martin Luther King, Jr.

"One of the most difficult things to give away is kindness - it is usually returned."
- Cort R. Flint

"Laughter is the sun that drives winter from the human face."
- Victor Hugo

"If only God would give me a clear sign! Like making a large deposit in my name at a Swiss bank."
- Woody Allen

"Age is a high price to pay for maturity."
- Tom Sheppard

"Originality is the art of concealing your source."
- Franklin P. Jones

"The closest to perfection a person ever comes is when he fills out a job application form."
- Stanley J. Randal

"The great end of life is not knowledge but action."
- Thomas Henry Muxley

TIMMIE



ROCHON

Timme, Timo, Blondie, Marylin, Brenda, California Girls, long distance love affair, Evan and Erich who? Sadie Hawkins day dance (Hee Hee), no more Tuesday nights, Summer of '84...

Telluride, this town is our town, Scott and Darren, sunnir' on the roof, "is that all you guys did?" Boulder, B-L-E-A-C-H, Heather who? "Hey! are you guys ?" Slugs! The big three, browns easy, Paul's house. Quarters with Blatz, California coolers, Andres, Baccardi (silver and gold). "You don't look twenty-one, but you look responsible."

"Hey Timmie, I feel kinda sick - Blah!"

"Hey, come back here" Innsbruck with 'Cid' "The longest night of your life," Yeah Steve! "as long as he's cute, tan and preppy" - will someone hit her! Oh look! another color. Splash. Chloe. Travelling disgust. Blood bath. Hmgroph! "I called you stupid! You call me dummy!" Andy who? "It's way of looking at those waves and saying Hey Bud! Let's Party!"

And in the immortal words of Timmie and Heather...

"Do you wanna dance!?" or-
"Let's take a bath."

"Joy to the fishes in the deep blue sea, joy to you and me."

- Three dog night -

"Boop Boop, Didum Dadum, Wadum, Choo!"

- The Andreae Sisters -

"It's hell down there!"

- Tee Hee -

"Keep the faith girls"

- Timmies mother -

"He's not a guy Heather. He's a little p___!"

- Tee Hee -

"A is for Dinosaur"

- Bambie -

"Hey, who was that natural blonde?"

- Everyone who doesn't know Timmie -



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Elizabeth

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Liz

Beth

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Sindel

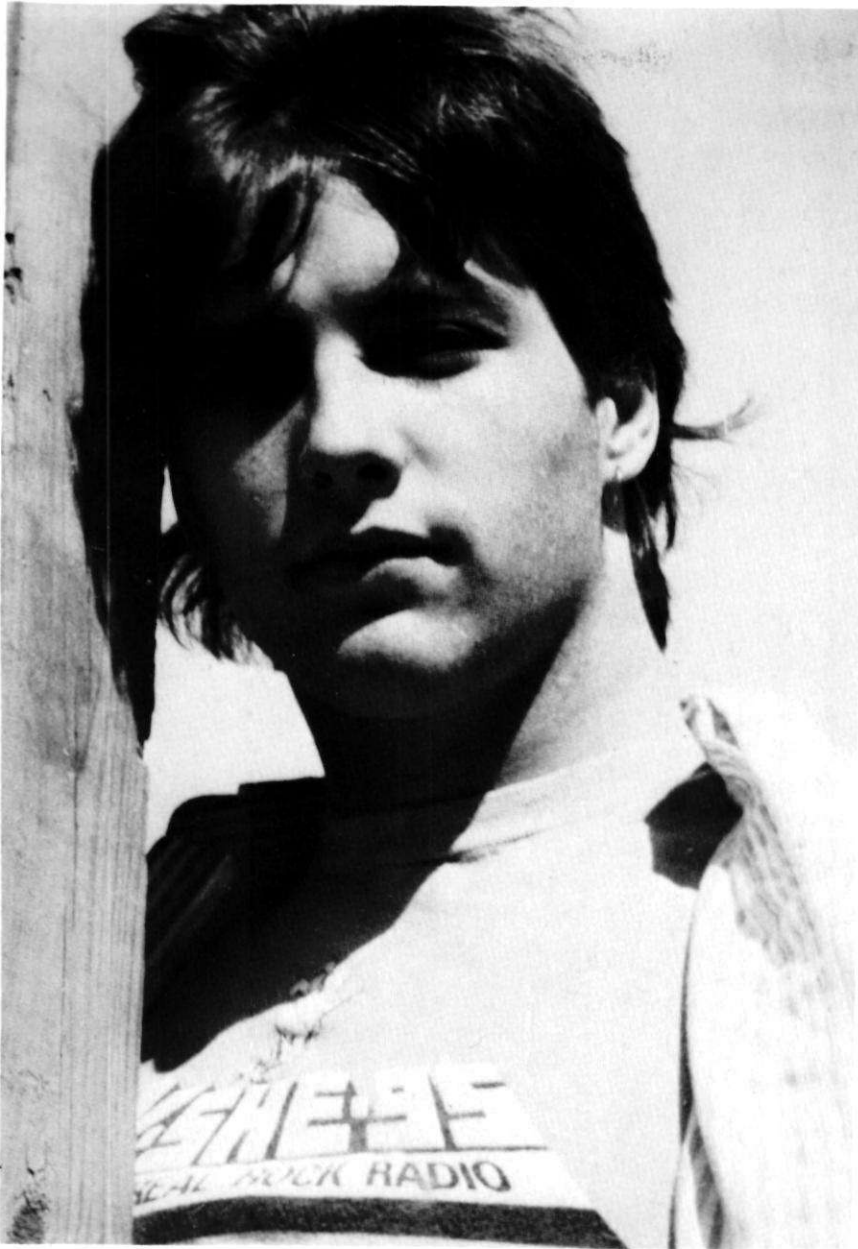
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SENIOR SUPERLATIVES

Devonne Hutson - Least Moody

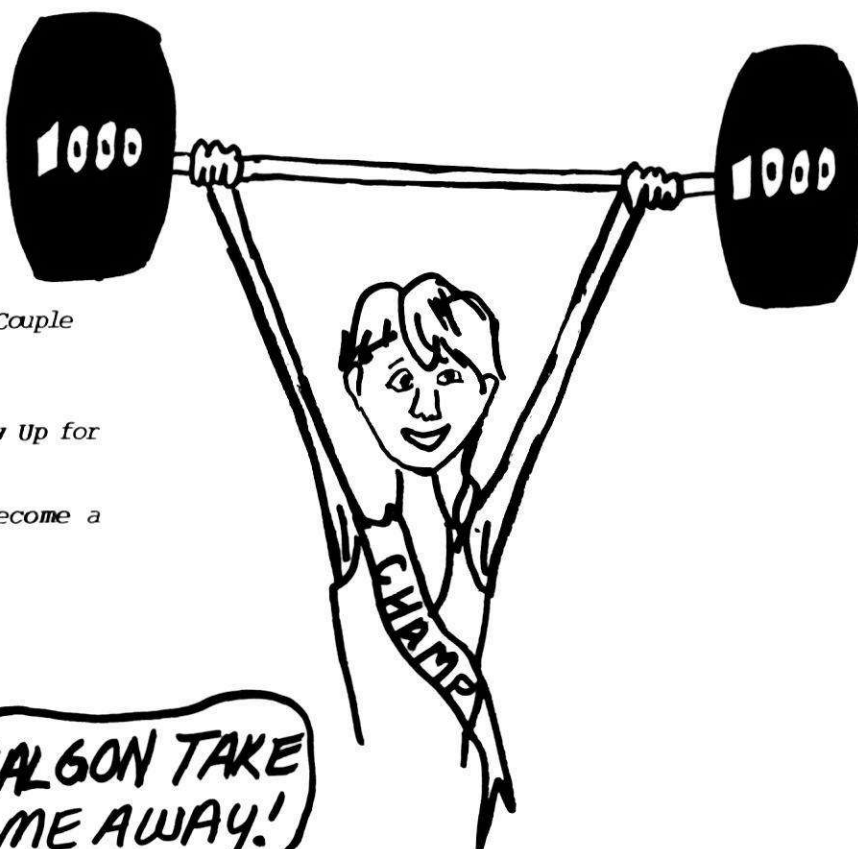
Suzanne Drebes - Most Lethargic

Don Ingerson and Pat Duffy - Cutest Couple

Josh Kohn - Most Autistic

Darryl Flaherty - Most Likely to Show Up for
Yearbook Class

Timmie Rochon - Most Likely to Become a
Housewife



Kent Evans - Most Attentive

Megan Perry - Least Cultured

Beth Sindel - Most Likely to Become Women's
Weight Lifting Champion

Maury Jackson - Biggest Flirt

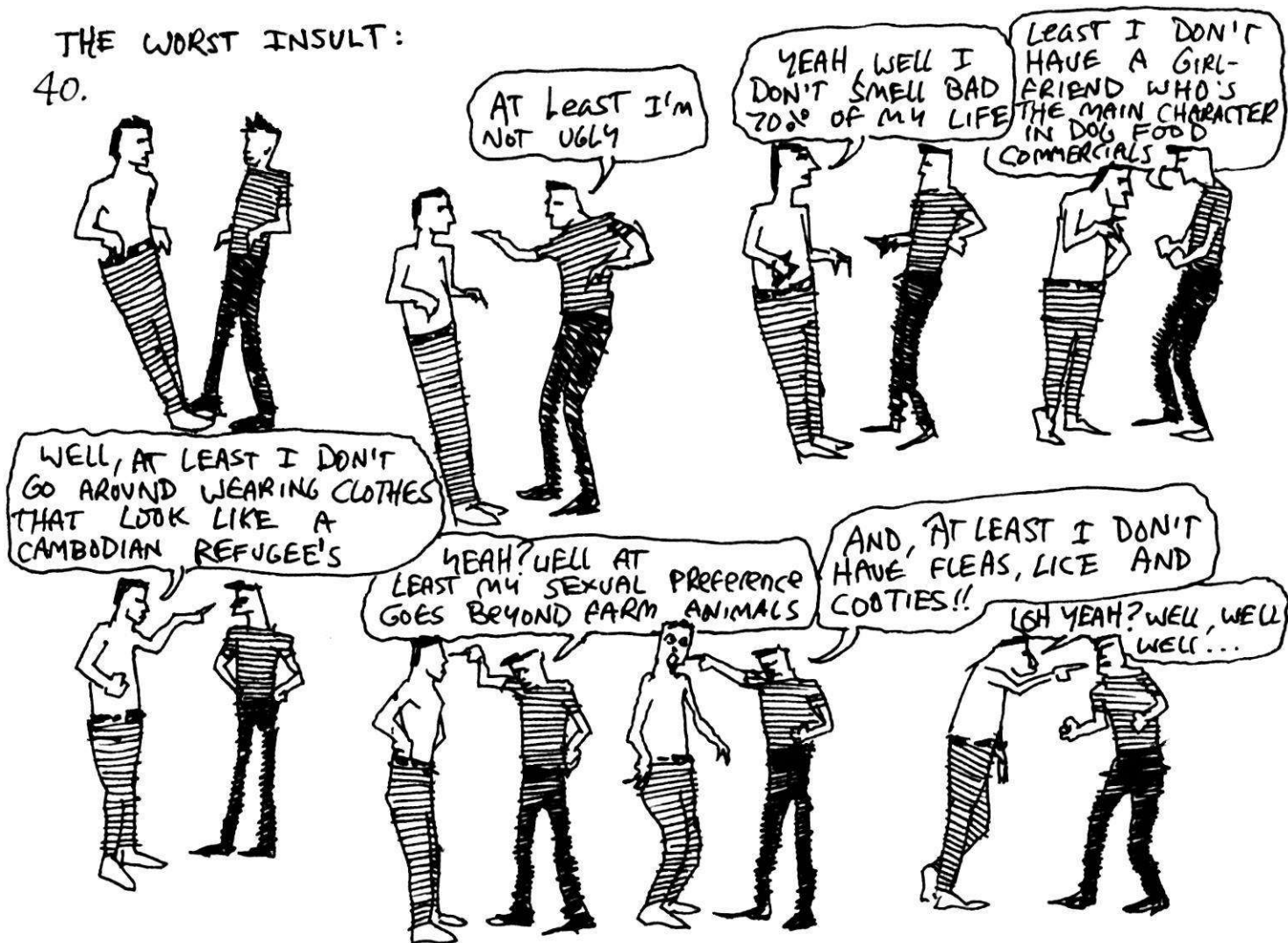
Kendra McDaniels - Class Clown

Debbie Brown - Most Likely to Succeed

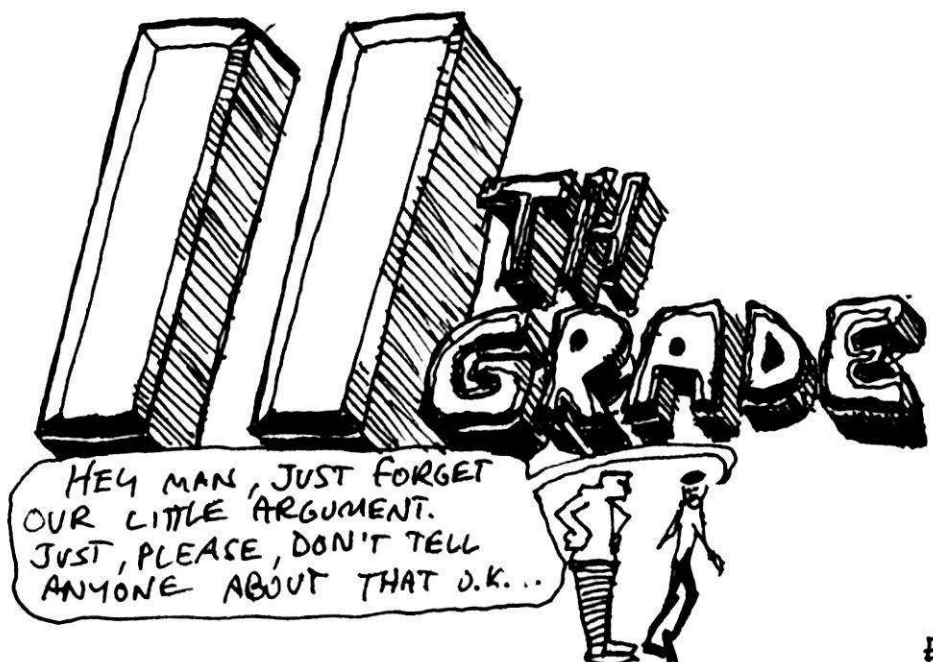
The Year 2000

<u>NAME</u>	<u>Desired</u>	<u>Probable</u>
Devonne Butson	L.A. Laker	Fan
Don Ingerson	Prominent play-by-play announcer	In charge of senior sign-in sheet
Suzanne Drebes	Broadway actress	Dancing on Euclid
Pat Duffy	A Chicago Cub	Busboy at Duff's
Josh Kohn	Chicago Art Institute Grad	Leader of the Spanish Rebellion
Darryl Flaherty	Ambassador to Japan	Japanese Sumo wrestler
Steve Lindsley	To jam with the Stones	In charge of C&H powdered sugar
T.R. Switzer	Next Albert Camus	Arthur's replacement
Beth Sindel	Electrical Engineer	Electrical outlet
Helene Lecouvrey-Braille	Premier of France	French toast
Heidi Domzalski	Co-owner of Esquire	Carmel's replacement
Kent Evans	A corporate tycoon	Lost on Gilligan's island
Maury Jackson	GQ model	Male mud-wrestler
Kendra McDaniel	Co-owner of Esquire	Owner of Crossroads Souvenirs Ltd.
Debbie Brown	An abnormal psychiatrist	Beautician
Timmie Rochon	Marilyn Monroe	Laura Ashley Consultant
Megan Perry	German Chancellor	Organizer of S.T.A.R.T.

THE WORST INSULT:
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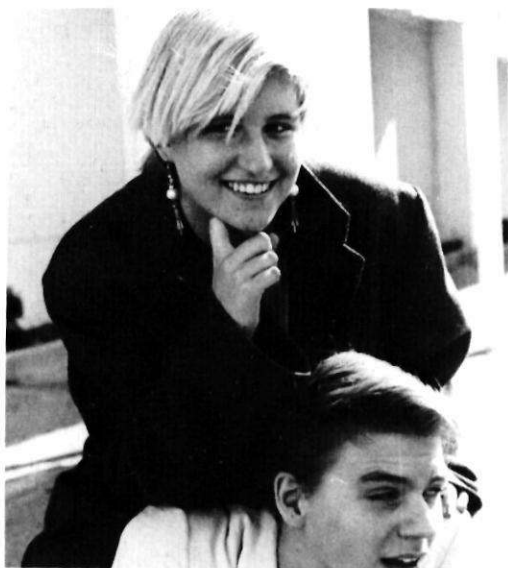


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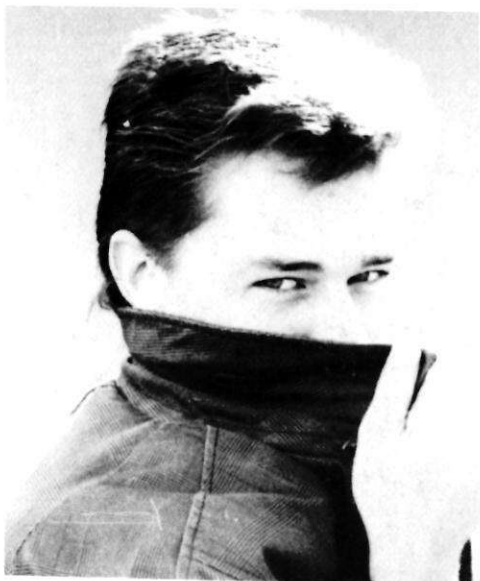
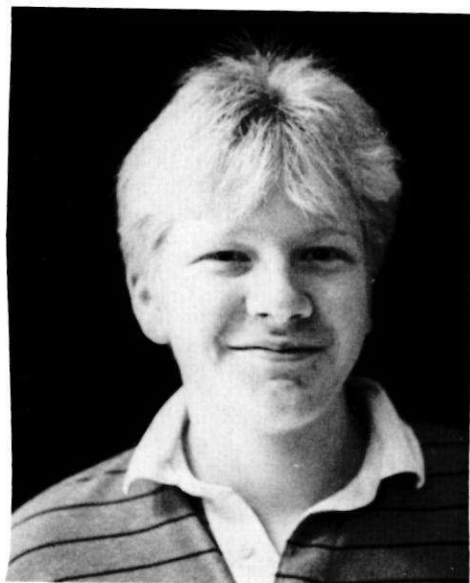


Heather Bascom

This is Junior Heather. She is, like, just so cool. Everybody likes her, because, you know, she is just too cool. She likes to dance, and she likes to play tennis, and she likes music—well, I guess she likes just about everything. Gee, like, how cool can you get? When she is at school, she is usually smiling, because, you know, she likes just about everybody (just about). I mean, this girl is too cool. And she's grown up now, (she's not just our little, innocent Sister Mary Fred anymore), so look out, 'cuz she's cool - just too cool!

Alex Bischoff

Alex is a junior in his third year at Crossroads. He has an overabundance of brains which he hopes to use by attending a most prestigious college. In his own words, "I want to go to school in my beloved hometown." Yes - a community college! Alex is often seen chumming around with his good friend Brook who is setting a good example for Alex. Alex claims to have no pet peeves, no idols, no claims to fame, and no extra-curricular activities. However, he loves racquetball.

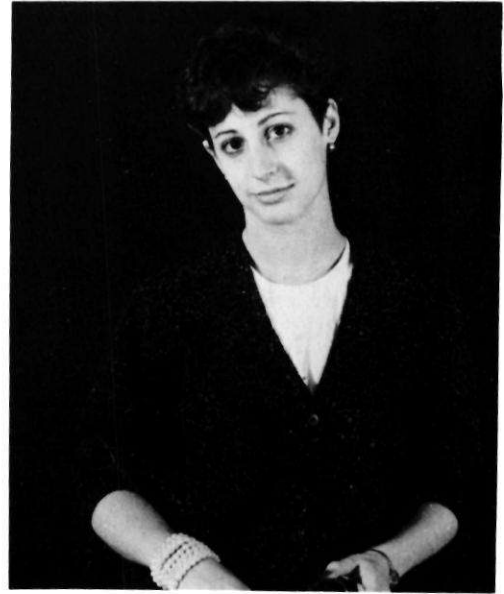


Scott Carter

This is Scott's first year at Crossroads and he says he enjoys the atmosphere at the school. His favorite class is Advanced Physical Science and his favorite teacher is Richard. Scott is a dedicated student and hopes to be accepted at Vassar or Washington University. Scott has no idols or pet peeves, but says his claim to fame is his ambition for success. Scott's favorite sports are skiing and tennis, and he has great interest in world travel.

Randi Chervitz

This is Randi's first year at Crossroads. Her favorite teacher is Richard, she says, "He's wonderful!" She also loves to sit around and observe people. Randi's goals include attending some major eastern school and later going to Parsons in New York to learn the art of design. Her idols are Marc Chagall, Picasso and Edith Prickley (S.C.T.V.) Her pet peeves are people who lie and people who don't respect her for what she is. Her claim to fame is that she is herself. She says, "I am different simply because I want to be." Randi's most important extra curricular activities consist of "anything and everything artistic."



Shana Cohen

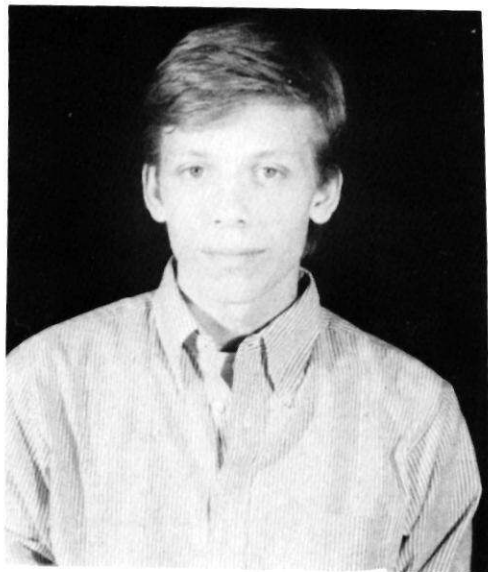
Shana is a junior this year and has been attending Crossroads for a year and a half. Her favorite teacher is Richard and her favorite class is U.S. History. Her goals go something like this: "To move to Israel and to be a successful ambassador to some unknown third world country." Her pet peeves are "People who don't recognize Israel" and her claim to fame is that she is a number one Zionist. Her most important extra-curricular activity is applying to an exchange program in, where else, Israel.



Erik Dahms

Erik has completed, believe it or not, six years at Crossroads, and has come out just fine, excluding his hobby of "watching fish breathe." He loves underwater shuffleboard and aspires to become the next Pat Boone. If he is lucky and succeeds, maybe he'll turn his extra-curricular activity - the manufacture and design of nuclear warheads and checkers - into a full-time job.





Brook Edinger

This is Brook. You may have seen him in his car driving out of the parking lot. In fact, hardly anyone ever sees him drive in. We only see him trying to escape - so far unsuccessfully. Fitting right into his mold, Brook tells us he plans to become a burden on society and he hates ambitious people. He enjoys running and is apparently good at it. He also likes bicycling. His favorite class is his free period. (Which one, Brook?)



Ted Epstein

There once was a guy named Ted,
Who came up with music from his head

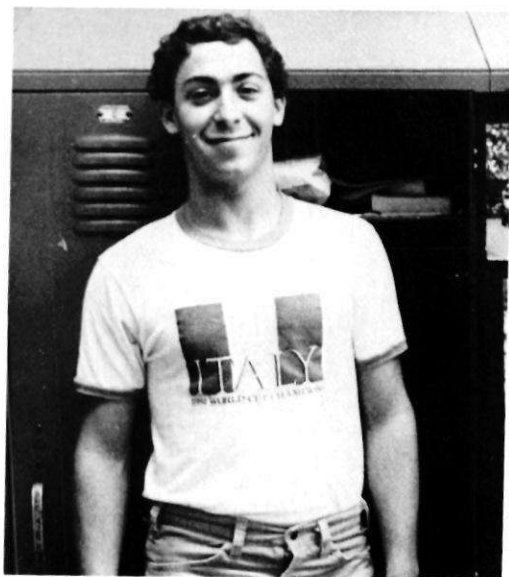
He's written many a song,
Played lots of ping-pong,
And wishes Don Riegle were dead.

In addition to being musically inclined, Ted is a cool guy and a caring person. We all love his blind idiot boots, especially dickus bickus.



Irene Freydina

Irene has been a dedicated Crossroads student for four years. With only one year left, she is as anxious as ever to graduate, go off college, find a respectable occupation, become filthy rich and to eventually retire in complete luxury. Irene has not gone a day without doing her homework. She is an ambitious student. Pee-wee, her idol, has influenced her life for a couple of years now. She is a one and only!



Ricky Gold

Richard is an old-timer at Crossroads. His favorite teachers are Steve, Chris, Ray, Carmel and the list goes on. Rick plans to live on a tropical island surrounded by a harem of "babes," for company. He idolizes Bill Johnson and his extra-curricular activity is soccer. He is a player on the Varsity soccer team here at Crossroads and for *The Voyagers* as well. Rick is the kind of guy who likes to kick back and enjoy life to the fullest.



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Patrick Grote

All around-good-guy Pat Grote is completing his first year with us. Pat is well-acquainted with computers, and also likes baseball, Prince and Richard's U.S. History class. No one knows why he does his homework, but perhaps it is because he sees both law school and med school in his future. Quite an admirable goal.



Huck "Zaki" Finn at the Loftus Home on the Mississippi

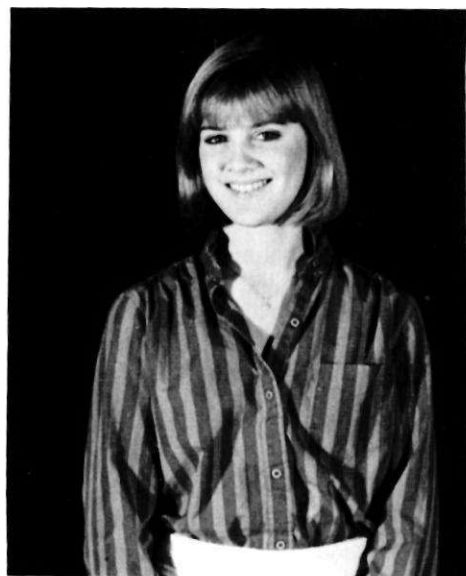


David Koch

"McNugget" has been gracing the Crossroads hallways for two years and is bigger than everybody else. David works for a living but foresees a life of riches and seclusion, like that of his idol Howard Hughes. Strangely enough, David likes math class, but he is bitterly annoyed by short people with blond hair. Usually, it's the other way around. Meditation is an interest of this happy junior, who eternally searches for a greater high in life.

Andrea Little

Andrea Little, a.k.a. "Little Bit," has been at Crossroads for four years. She is a true Crossroadian at it's best. She is a distinguished Advisory Board representative, and a member of the indoor and outdoor girls' soccer team. She is known for her bright green VW Rabbit. So if you ever see her recklessly driving out on the roads: 1) don't worry, she's not too dangerous; 2) Little Bit is probably heading to a shopping mall to spend more of her daddy's money. Spending money is one of her favorite things to do, but attending Richard's History class tops it all!

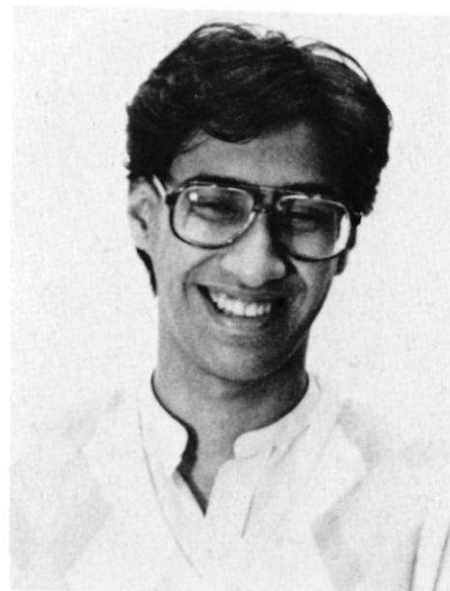


Zaki Mahmood

Zaki has attended Crossroads for three years. His goal in life is to "Make a lot of bucks," as he puts it. His dream is to be an architect known to the world, and a national tennis player on the side. He's one guy with high expectations in life!

Munir Mallik

Munir, or "Muny", is a junior aspiring to acquire a Ph.D. in Human Behavior and then come back to direct Crossroads. He is the only person at School who does not drink soda and he claims to maintain a stable relationship with all student and faculty members. He is interested in basketball, photography and idolizes John DeLorean.



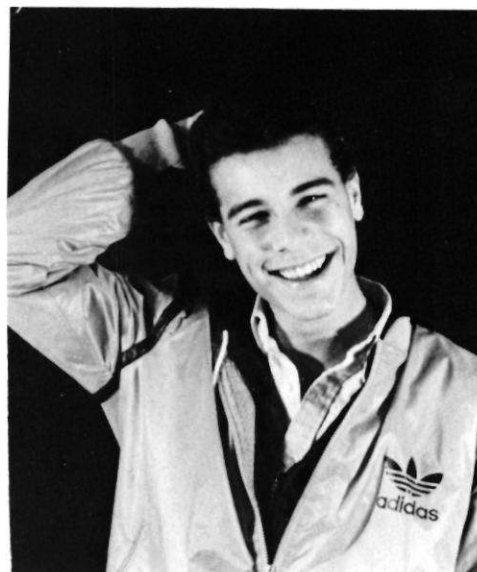
Micki McNamara

Micki claims to never change but rather grow with experience and ambition. Micki certainly has grown a lot this year. She is the head of the prom committee, assistant director to "Bells Are Ringing," and has done other organizing endeavors. Her favorite class is U.S. History with Richard and idolizes J.C. and the boys (Jesus Christ and his disciples). Micki claims to be much more steady and loving in her relationships than most at Crossroads, based on her two year relationship with the same guy (what would happen if you unlocked the closet and untied him, eh, Micki?) Micki also complains she has been here "too long."



Jeff Melnick

Jeff Melnick, a.k.a. Menudo to some, is a 5 year old (oops) Crossroads student who is best known for his soccer talents as the Varsity team's dependable goalie. His favorite class is soccer; his plan is to play soccer professionally; his most important (and only) extra-curricular activity is playing soccer for the "Voyagers" and Crossroads as well; and his hobby and interest is soccer (how did you guess?) Jeff is definitely blessed with soccer mania.





Pat Moore

After being gone for two years Pat Moore has made his comeback! Peppermint Patty likes to teach himself and his favorite class to teach is math. His future goal is to become a history buff. His pet peeve is going to school and Pat's most favorite activities are soccer and basketball. He likes to play games (really Pat?), preferably board games. What about Ku?



Audrey Morgan

This is Audrey Morgan's third year at Crossroads. Her favorite T.V. shows are Star Trek, The Cisco Kid, and Dragnet. Computer is her favorite class and her favorite sports include soccer, street hockey and softball and she likes to watch basketball. Her pet peeve is spiders, and her hobbies are reading, writing, drawing, animals, woodworking, and Indian leather and beadwork.

Caroline Reinach

Once upon a time there was a little (short) girl who somehow stumbled into Crossroads one day. She didn't talk much at first, then she fell into a group of other giggling little girls and was on her way. One thing was for sure; she didn't like tall people. Contrary to this fact she was seen out on the town with a tall, very interesting and intellectual basketball player. It's not hard to spot this unique girl, due to her lovely voice, that, when accompanied by her more lovely laughter, carries through the halls to brighten everyone's mood much like a glow in the dark flashlight. Someday she hopes to be the international spokesperson for Gucci, which would enlighten her already fashionable wardrobe. After all there is no mistaking this girl. And if you haven't figured it out, look at the picture.





Don Rieggle

Don Rieggle is a newcomer to Crossroads. He is one wild guy who deals with transcending all spiritual harmony within himself and everyone else. He secretly admires Otis Woodard. His interest in life "is communicating with everything man - " Wait, there's more! He idolizes Jim Morrison and claims that popular music irritates him. His claim to fame is having in his possession Audrey's intimate apparel which he'll never give back (Don, you devil). Don Rieggle is one character who adds the spice to Crossroads's existence.



Lori Robbins

This is Lori, a four year veteran at Crossroads as well as the distinguished junior, who has already made her mark in the writing world. Her short story, titled "Triple E - Mystery," won a 2nd prize in a writing contest in the highly - regarded teen magazine, SEVENTEEN. Next year Lori plans to release her second fictional work, "The Finder of Lost Loves," for which she is already anticipating a Pulitzer Prize. Lori's other interests include cooking, music, baseball, and, of course, history. Among Lori's idols are Dionne Warwick and Marvin Gaye. We are all anxiously awaiting Lori's future works and we hope she does not encounter writer's cramp.

Katie Schneider

Kati Schneider is the best known ice cream scooper for Baskin Robbins in all of the St. Louis metropolitan area. She's proud of that title and plans to retain it for many years to come (She's now working on being the best dish washer). Flynn Park is her favorite place to go to - particularly at night. She would not reveal any information why. This mysterious girl has been at Crossroads for two years. Katie is the loosest vegetarian known. Her pet peeve is meat.





Amy Struckhoff

This is Amy's second year at Crossroads. Her favorite class is Film and her favorite Upper School head is Carmel Calsyn. Amy's goals include going to college, traveling around the world and "getting rich." Her idols are any senior (especially Patrick) and her pet peeves are people who chew ice and teachers who give a lot of homework (no names, scholars). Amy says she has no claim to fame, "I am just like everyone else at this school." Her most important extra-curricular activities are "working at Duff's" and "going out and socializing in general." Her interests are basketball, softball and last, but certainly not least, PRINCE.

Kim Wilds

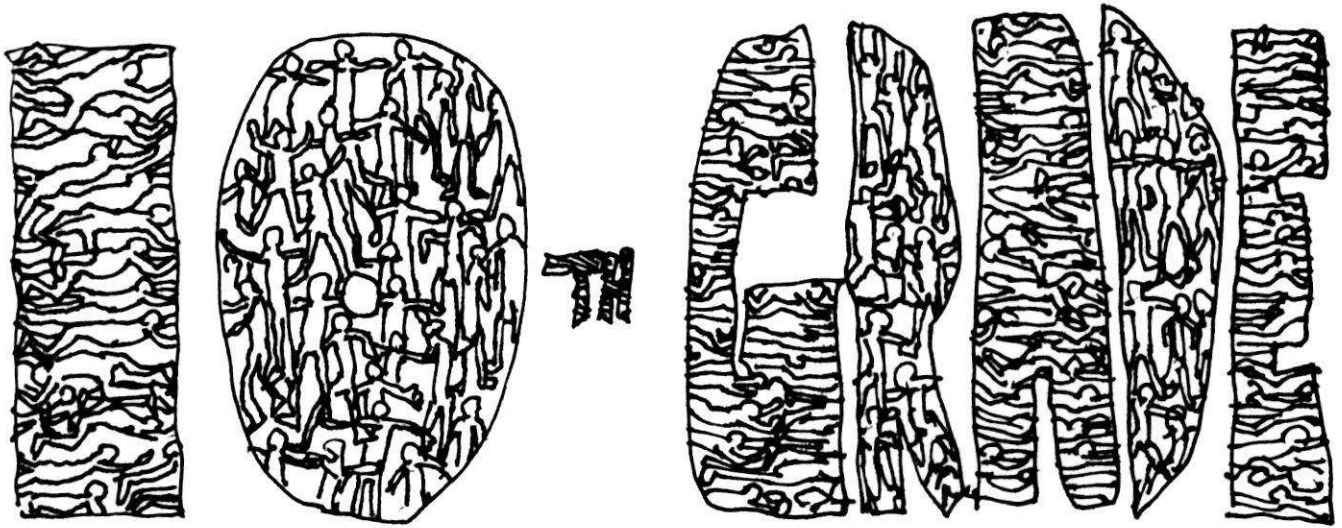
This gorgeous blond-haired, blue-eyed junior is Kim Wilds. Beautiful Kimbo has been at Crossroads for only two years, but her smiling face around school makes it seem longer. Besides loving Richard, this jock is an avid soccer player. Kim's favorite class is study hall (how productive!) She plans to own the Breckenridge (her favorite place) when she reaches maturity. Until then, Kimbo spends her free time seeing if her car floats and taking driving lessons from Andrea. (Why Kim, of all people why did you choose Andrea?) She idolizes Don Riegle (don't we all?), but hates being tickled. Her claim to fame is her yellow MG and her delicious salads.



Emily Wotka

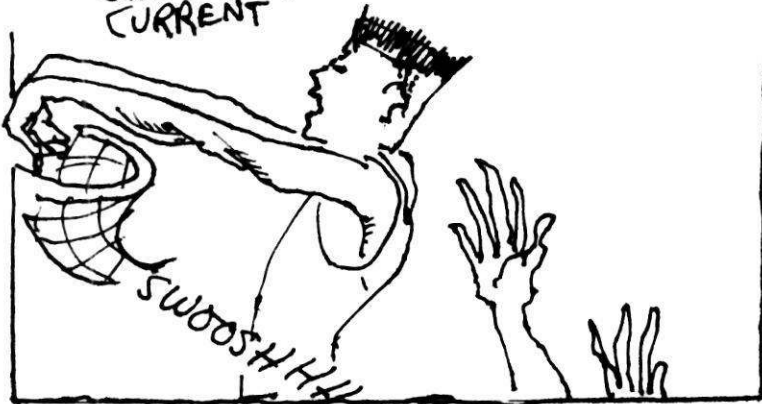
This is Emily Wotka, otherwise known as "Ems." This is Ems' first year at Crossroads from her former school John Burroughs. Her favorite subjects are Richard's history class and French after school with Martine. Emily also enjoys swimming and journalism. Her goals are "to learn Italian and live in Italy and be rich and have a harem (of men)." Her idol is her mother and her pet peeve is Andrea. Her claim to fame is that she is herself and if nobody likes it then forget them. Her most important extra-curricular activities are, and I quote "unmentionable." Her hobbies are listening to music (especially U2) and/or spending her Dad's money, preferably both. She also enjoys going to parties and irritating her step-father.





THERE ARE MANY INTERESTING PERSONALITIES IN THE 10TH GRADE LIKE...

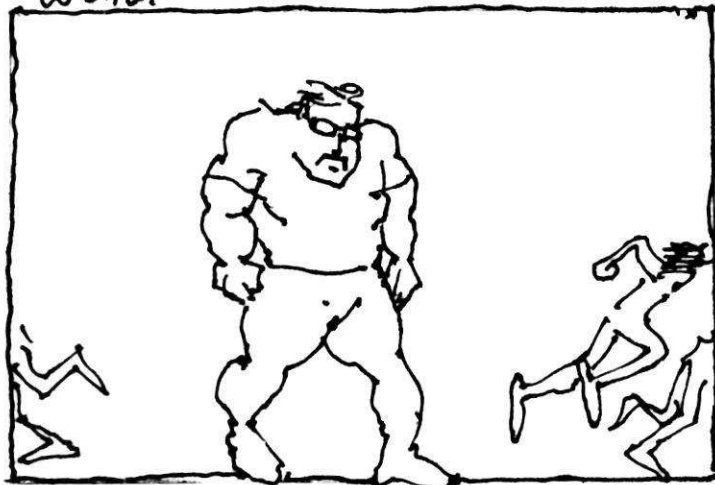
PABLO DE CASTRO, 7 FOOT
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BEN KUBIE, OUR TRANSFER
STUDENT FROM SOUTH OVERT
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AND DON'T FORGET OUR
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Kati Adams

And who is this little person you might wonder? This little person is Katherine Graves Adams, known to us all as Kati. Kati has managed to make it through three years at Crossroads and in that time she has participated in a countless number of acting classes as well as performances. A "claim to fame" for Kati is her dancing ability. She is a senior company dancer for the Metropolitan Ballet Co. of St. Louis, and boy can this little girl dance. After that statement you should not find it surprising that Kati aspires to be a professional dancer one day. Her mostest favorite class is Jazz Exercise, which she was conned into teaching.

Sandi Baber

"Secretly" in love with Ray Butler, Sandy is known for saying "I used to be disgusted, now I am just amused," and wearing her button "I don't see you so you don't pretend to be there." Her claim to fame is the fact that she is normal. Her goals are to go to the University of Melbourne in Australia and to become an EMT. She doesn't idolize anyone, and probably never will. She likes the colors black and red, her favorite sports are basketball and baseball, and her favorite class is math. She likes the Clash and U2. Her hobbies and interests are "not printable."



Nelle Byrne

Nelle, known to her philosophy students as Nelsophes, is in her fifth year at Crossroads. Nelle's greatest ambition in life is to be a bum. With idols like John Travolta and Olivia Newton-John what would you expect?! Nelle's weekends are action-packed, including a good game of D & D with Lisa Marcus on Friday and intensive dictionary study on Saturday. She enjoys discussing various religious beliefs with Reverend Al, Rabbi Shanna, and a good, hard edition of Power for Living.

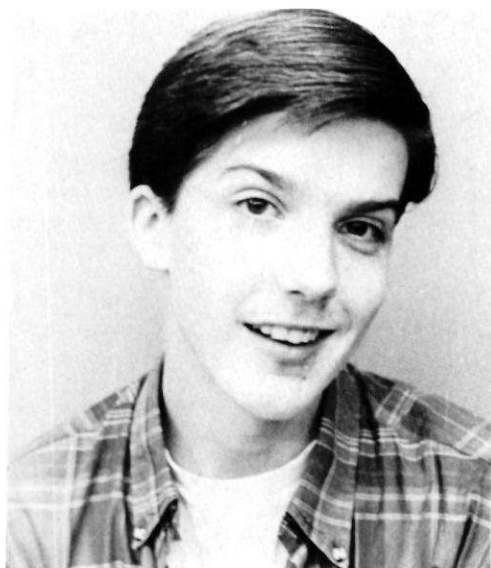
Nikki Chatman

Nicole, otherwise known as "Co-coa", has been at Crossroads for two years. Her favorite teachers are Ray and Martine, and she enjoys psychology. Her hobby is listening to Randy Jackson and New Edition, "Pictures and all!" Her pet peeve is, "When boys act like they're god's gift to the world, and turn out to be ugly." She plans to graduate and move on to college, and then medical school.



Paul Ciampoli

Paul, otherwise known as "Pierre," is in his 4th year at Crossroads. His favorite teacher is Martine, and he enjoys watching movies, swimming, and playing ping-pong in his free time. Paul also plays handball and indoor soccer. His idols are Eddie Van Halen and Ricky Davis, and his pet peeve is the "Womp-Rat." Paul's plan is to graduate from college after majoring in business or journalism.



Keith Clark

As you might have guessed, Keith is a star member of the famous handball "team." He openly worships Steve Smith and Tom Savini and listens to Journey. In the future, he plans to please everyone. He claims to be the starter of the cult following of "Tales from the Darkside" at this school. What an accomplishment! When he isn't being irritated by the "Womp-Rat," Keith can be found playing drums and watching movies.





Scott Condit

Scott Condit, that shady looking tenth grader with the sinister smile, is in his second year at Crossroads. His favorite teacher is Patti and favorite class is Spanish. An unusual person, Scott's idol is Dangermouse, and his pet peeves are stated bluntly as "Geometry and Motley Crue." Scott says that his one and only claim to fame is his hat. Hobbies and interests for Scott include his one and only passion, Chinese food. Archeology is Scott's extra-curricular activity. This series of loves and hates sounds like the winning combination for a swell guy.



Pablo De Castro

This is Pablo's first year at Crossroads. His idols are James Dean, Gus the Fireman, Richard Gere, Spiderman and Tippy Turtle. You can recognize Pablo because he bounces off of the walls and walks on ceilings. He is hyperactive! His pet peeve is being called Q-tip. When asked about his future plans he replies, "I'm going to be rich and retire."

Jason DeRaneck

Meet Jason! Those who are close and personal with him affectionately call him "Pumpkin Head." At any rate, Jason aspires to be a likeness of (in this order): Arthur, Jello Biafra, Mr. Bill and Gumby. He wants to be a Time magazine photographer but if that doesn't work out, he will be satisfied making those styrofoam things for boxes. Pumpkin Head gets extremely ticked off when people break dance, when he listens to the past two Black Flag albums and when he sees hoosiers.



Molly Prebes

Molly, an exciting 10th grader, has blessed us with her presence at Crossroads for the past two years. Her favorite teacher is Ray and her favorite sport is soccer. Her goal is to marry a millionaire. Molly has no idols or pet peeves, but her claim to fame is, as she says, "I am from South County and damn proud of it!"



Alison Dunlop

Warning: The Surgeon General has determined it hazardous to your health to be named Pablo if you interact with "Reverend Al." This "Reverend", after having been exiled from her own land, has been preaching at Crossroads for three and a half years. After completing seminary, she plans to increase the death rate by taking a job as a crossing guard and "deliberately signaling 'GO' when many small children are crossing the street."



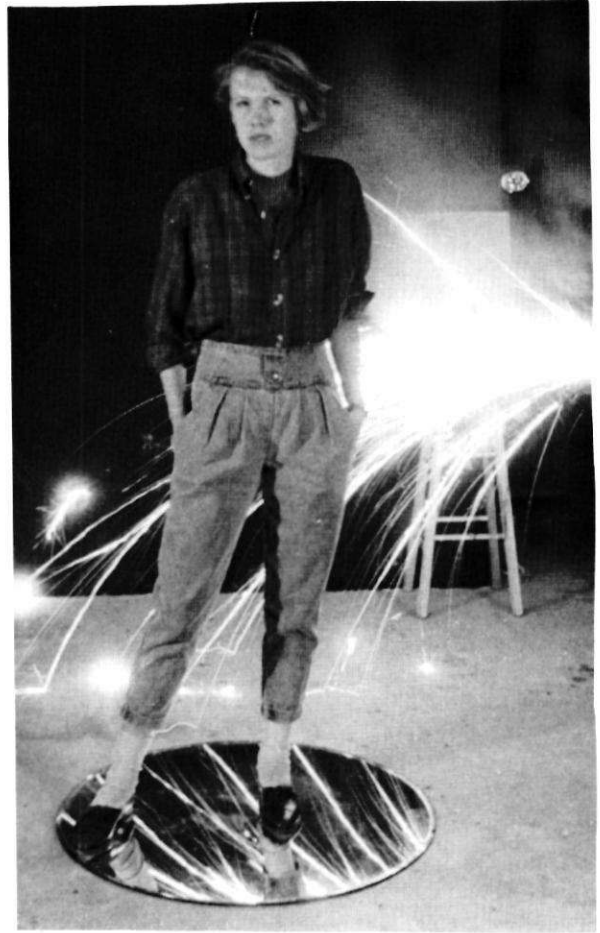
James Duffy

A supposed conformist, James enjoys volleyball, handball, and GIRLS. Confused about what religion he is, he worships his idols Tippy Turtle, Ed Gimly, Billy Idol, Bruce Springsteen, James Dean, Chuck Yeager, Humphrey Bogart, the Three Stooges (he's a guy of varying tastes), Buck Rogers, Popeye, Luke Skywalker, Han Solo, Indiana Jones, James Bond (had enough, yet?), Daffy Duck, Bugs Bunny, Robin Williams, and Nils Lofgren. In between his daily worship services, he plans to canoe from the Hudson Bay to Louisiana.



Michelle Evans

Shelly, as Michelle is often called, has managed to survive 2 well-loved years at Crossroads School. This is a definite accomplishment since she drives half an hour each morning from her South County home, which she is "damn proud of." Michelle plans to become fluent in French through Madame's artistic teaching, and a famed soccer star with the help of Ray, but her never ending energy is also concentrated in gymnastics. Shelly's most futuristic goal is to forget what she learned in school and "go kick back, grow long hair and get down to earth."



Elena Fedor

This is Elena Fedor; she has been at Crossroads for a year. Her nickname is really "none of your business." One of her hobbies is analyzing fellow human beings' bizarre behavior. She hates it when it snows and they don't close the school. Her idols are Paul McCartney and "Bert" Einstein. She likes the last five minutes of fifth hour, lunch and holidays and loves science and the secrets of the scientific world. Elena skis and swims in her free time.



Dianna Feltmeyer

This is Dianna, affectionately called Smurf by those who accidentally step on her in the hall. She came to us two years ago after a year of learning from Confucious. She enjoys showing off this education by quoting, "Yesterday is but a memory, Tomorrow is a dream, Today is a B—H!!!" While working at Schnuck's, bagging groceries and harassing customers, she enjoys day dreaming about, well...you know. As it is, she's still checking out knee caps, and trying to "S.T.O.P." W.W. III.

Maureen ferry

Maureen has regretted every word written in her last three yearsbook biographies only days later (this is her fourth). She is tired of the superficial, spacefilling mumbo-jumbo and the bad sarcasm. She could almost commit suicide out of embarrassment when she recalls her seventh grade bio: "Maureen loves listening to rock music." Although her taste is more refined, she won't say anything for fear that next year it won't be. She only has one thing to say that she won't regret next year, "Hi Mom!"



John Frankowski

This guy is known for being the only Polish Nationalist who plans to become a computer agent, and still like Sid Vicious. His other favorite people are the famed Billy Idol and Art Lieber. He wishes to take over IBM by the time he is 25 and still be playing ping-pong, tennis and computer games. He hates it when people ask "What time is it?" or "How do you spell...?" His favorite teacher is Rob Allard and his favorite class is Modern European History. Al of yet he is without a nickname.





Mar-Shai freeman

Mar-Shai, affectionately known as Rockie, is in her second year at Croosroads. Her favorites are Ray, acting class, Basketball, and Prince. She says her goals are "to be the best basketball player ever born and the greatest lawyer in the U.S." But will she reach these goals? Maybe not because Mar-Shai's most active hobbie is daydreaming about the men in her life.



Jeff Fritz

This is Jeff "Spicoli" Fritz. He is in his first year at Crossroads. He is one laid back mellow dude. Work irritates him, he would much rather be in film class. His idols are Cheech and Chong and John Lennon. He likes to surf and when John grows up he wants to move to California and sleep.



Emily Jackson

What sophomore plans to have an allowance of \$20,000 at an early age? Why, the famed French student "Jack" of course. Emily also plans to "be married to a filthy rich, gorgeous man, and to be happy." This art lover, who favors King Richard above all others, claims that her house cleaning job is the main point in her life. She refuses to idolize anyone, and says that "people who complain about others' bad habits, and then go and do the same thing" really get her goat!



Adam Johnson

Adam is one cool dude, man. If you don't believe that, you must be boring, man. Adam's favorite group is RUSH and he idolizes Geddy Lee. Adam plays bass guitar in a band. Besides the bass guitar he likes the man's sport, handball. He claims he can "handball" in the snow better than any other handballer. Adam says his only major irritant is, yes, THE "WOMP-RAT." He gags at the sight of it. Now if you don't think he is one cool dude, you gotta be dumb!



Emily Kaplan

This is Emily's first year here. Her idol is Lisa Marcus, but her ultimate goal is to grow up to be the spitting image of her mother. She gets really irritated when she has to write yearbook bios, but English is still her favorite class. Diane is her favorite teacher. When asked what makes her unique and different, she replied, "I didn't go to the Prince concert, unfortunately." She has no hobbies, but can always be found doing her most important extra-curricular activity - making sand castles.

Steven Korb

This is Steve "Lester" Korb's first year at Crossroads. He idolizes the Dallas Cowboys and loves to play football and basketball. His favorite class is Geometry and to avoid getting on anybody's black list. He claims he likes all his teachers. He has no important extra-curricular activities or any pet peeves. Having interests in acting and drums he has a slight problem achieving his goal to get A's in every class. His claim to fame is "The Feelings."





Ben Kurbie

For three long years Ben has been seen acting, dancing, and participating in other activities at Crossroads. As you can guess, Ben has two favorite teachers at school Anita and Chris (Campbell or Jackson take your pick). In the spectrum of goals he wants to be a famous entertainer or a janitor. His claim to fame is that "I lived to tell about staying at James' house." Ben spends his free time pursuing girls, sports, truth, justice, and the American way. What a guy! What really irritates this simple yet deep, emotionally complex young boy? "People who spit on one another and James Duffy in particular." So don't spit on James Duffy.

Mike Levine

Mike is in his second year at Crossroads. His favorite teacher is Rob Allard and his favorite sport is basketball. He is known by his fellow teammates as Bernard King or "bread and butter". Mike's idols are Paul McCartney and Bob Dylan, and his pet peeves are Monday mornings and people who stare. He spends most of his free time playing guitar. His only unfulfilled desire is that channel 11 bring back "The Monkeys."

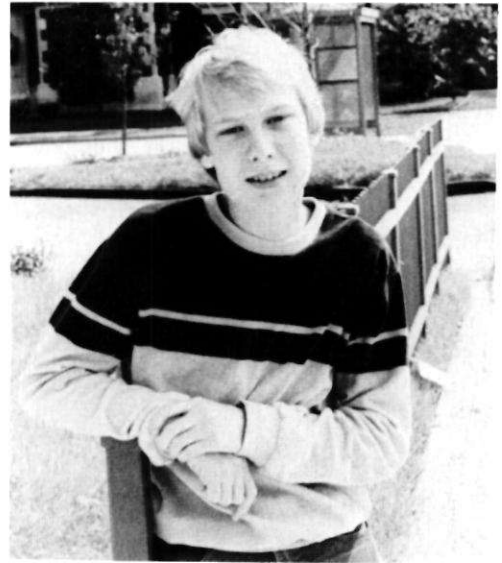


Lisa Marcus

Lisa Marcus is a 10th grader and has been attending Crossroads for 3 years now. Her favorite teacher is Chris Campbell and her favorite class is journalism. Her goal is "to take the only nude photo of Prince in existence." Her idols include photographers with a lot of money and Prince. Her pet peeve is "The Jacksons."

Pat McKee

Pat has been at Crossroads for two years. He spends most of his free time in the computer room. His favorite teachers are Lora, Marian, and Diane, and he enjoys computers, math, and volleyball. His goal is to pass the 10th grade. Pat says his idol is Lisa Marcus, and his pet peeve is people who ask repetitive questions. He hopes in the future to become a computer programmer.



Miriam Newburger

Miriam has been at Crossroads for four years now and she has been longing to be on the beaches of California for the duration. She is hoping to someday attend the prestigious Stanford University in California. As for the far away days of middle age she plans to become a famous tan, blond doctor in California. Besides Miriam's overwhelming interest in the beaches of California she is an active member of the Forward line for the Crossroads' outdoor soccer team. Her active dramatic career has been quite mellow in the past year, but who knows what might be in the future.



Irene Pappas

Edenie Yiorgia Pappathemitrio, better known as Renie, describes her interests as "the beach, guys on the beach, and bikinis to wear on the beach." Her favorite teachers are Madame and Ray. In the near future she plans to attend Mizzou, and become an official Mizzou Tiger! This is, of course, second to the never-ending dream to get her license. There is only one hope, though, that really keeps her going, this is to one day have a mailbox stating "the Scraper and Baby Cures residence."





Anna Price

Anna-Elise is definitely one of the better people at Crossroads. She has been here for four years. She is a fan of the luge team. When asked who her favorite teacher was she responded that all teachers are an unnecessary evil. It is therefore unsurprising that her goals include the removal of all teachers from the planet. She also wants to be the first president to defect to the Soviet Union. Her idols include Bishop Desmond Tutu of South Africa and that terrific actor - President Reagan. Her pet peeve in life is people who call her Anna Price. She is active in the S.T.O.P. group at school. In summation she says, "being an assassin also takes up alot of my time."



Jim Schoulan

This is Jim, a two year veteran of Crossroads. He likes film and baseball, and in his free time you can find him playing Chinese Kenpo. His pet peeves are zits and Middle Schoolers that throw snowballs. In the future Jim hopes to be a vet.



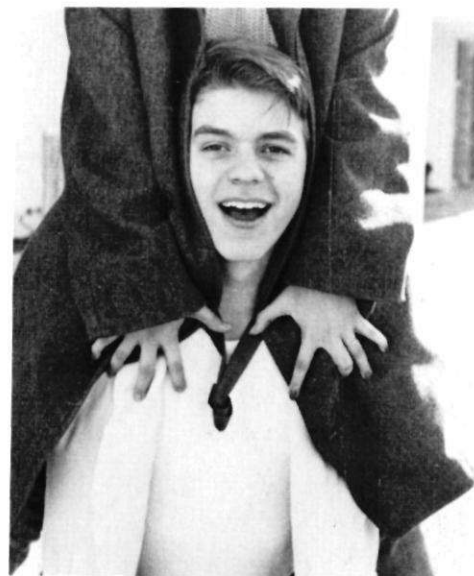
Jenny Sweet

Jenny has been here for four years, but claims that she can't remember that far back. She enjoys watching classic movies in Film class, especially the ones with the good sound tracks. She would like to say that her favorite band is still the Police. She hates to set goals, but would like to gain a sense of humor like Paul Trunells. After changing her idol many times, she finally decided on Pete Townshend and would like to be just like him, rich, talented, and big-nosed. Jenny's claim to fame is having her first car accident on the way to school within the first month she had her license.



Ursula Thayer

Ursula, otherwise known as "Urs," has been a prisoner at Crossroads for four years. Her favorite jailers are Tanda, Diane, Carol, and Louise. She's passing her sentence in her favorite classes, which include, Creative Writing, Computer, and English. She hopes to be an architect and a writer once she is paroled. You could describe her interests in the T.V. show Airwolf as an obsession. This perhaps explains why her idol is Jan-Michael Vincent. It's her fantasy that he will fly in and rescue her in Airwolf.



Paul Trunnel

Hi. My name is Paul. I have been at Crossroads over a year. I am a sophomore. Can you say sophomore? It's from a Latin term meaning "wise fool". Aren't you glad you know that? I sure am. I like school very very much and enjoy all of my classes. I don't participate in competitive sports because I wouldn't want to hurt anybody. When I grow up, I want to be the President, and I want to bring peace to the world. But most of all, I want to steal your T.V. set.

Ursula Wayne

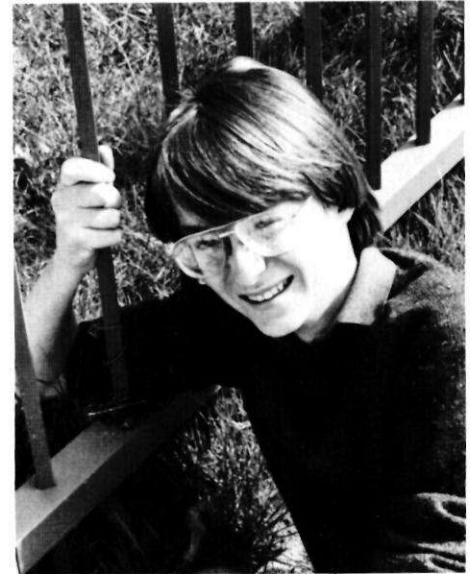
This is Ursi. She has been at Crossroads for five years. She is often being told to "stop smiling!" Ursi's favorites are Rob Allard, dance, and tennis. Her goals are to be a world famous actress, rich, and last but not least, to marry a gorgeous guy. Ursi feels that her claim to fame is not being able to gain weight. In the near future Ursi hopes to go to a certain western mountainous city (D—R) to see a certain person.





Barbara Wingfield

Who would definitely be missed if she didn't come back after four long years here? Why "Babs" of course! In a galaxy far, far away in the future she plans to become a journalist or a lawyer. Right now she is satisfied with playing the piano and watching television. She really enjoys being known as the most reliable person at Crossroads, one who all can lean on. Part of her time is spent dealing with and dabbling in psychology and nature, with the help of Nature's Way class. She enjoys basketball and really respects Cheryl Miller because she is a good basketball player.



William Wohlf

William has been at Crossroads for 3 years. His nicknames are Willy and Willard. He enjoys computer programming, math class, volleyball, softball and soccer. William's hobbies are drawing, model-building, computers, walking, reading, and Dr. Who. His claim to fame is that he spends .333 of his year on the small jungle island of New Guinea. He claims he has no idols, but people who repeat stupid questions really get him mad. His plans are to go to Spain, be able to speak fluent Spanish, go to college, to earn lots of money, and to be either an engineer, mathematician, or a computer programmer.

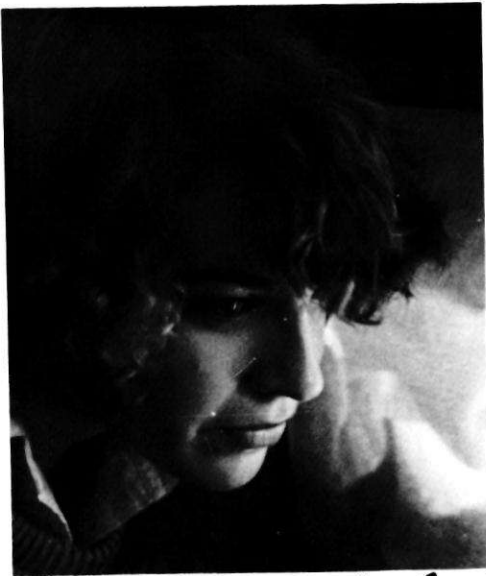
Gene Woods



Gene has been at Crossroads for four long years and is now in the 10th grade. He's known around school as Geno Vanelli or simply "Rush King." Gene says he has no favorite classes or teachers - he likes to remain neutral. But when it comes to sports it's handball all the way. Geno is one of the original handball greats and founders of the National Handball Association (NHA). He likes to think of himself as one of the few, the proud, the handballers. Geno idolizes Tippy Turtle and plans on forming a Tippy Turtle fan club. So hurry and send \$5.00 with your application form to Geno Vanelli, the Rush King.

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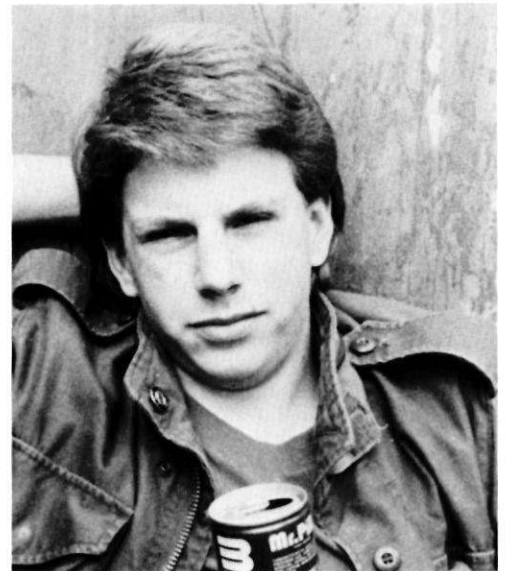
Joe Gerteis

Meet Joe, "Sex God," Gerteis who deserves to be called a foreign visitor although in fact he is not. He has been here for roughly a year and a half (he spent the missing six months, in England). He plans to become the #1 jock on the Crossroads basketball team, and he likes the Clash, Joe Strummer, and Lisa Marcus, who is not as successful in the music field as the above mentioned. Joe says he hates middle-schoolers with the exception of Tom Keating. He spends his time sleeping, arguing with his father, setting his electric blanket, and just plain moping around. Whatever happens to him in the future, he will always remain famous for having lived in England (for at least a while).



Michelle Jarris

Michelle has been here for three years. Every year she has signed up for her favorite class: Color Coordination by Ricky Gold. Michelle, a.k.a. "Hillbiller," loves that famous sport frog stomping. Oh yeah, folks, she is a real rhinestone cowgirl! She likes to listen to Willie Nelson while riding Mable to the drive-in. Another of her favorite pastimes is sitting on the front porch of the farmhouse trying to figure out how to fit a whole tree into one piece of paper. But at night she's the Disco Queen, dancing with a John Travolta look alike. She is notable because she is the only person who has seen "Saturday Night Fever" in it's entirety.



Emily Gold

Emily Gold has stuck it out at Crossroads for two years. Emily is known as "Cuddles" by one affectionate ninth grader. She is a future Republican of America and obviously her idol is Ronny Reagan. She spends her freetime in the company of Wildard Oatmeal and her friends, and she reads avidly. She gets very annoyed when people pick their noses or chew their toenails in her presence, but lucky for her not too many people do this in public. After competing high school, she plans to attend the Bailey Technical School just so she can be in one of their commercials, if they ever make a new one.

Roslund Harris

This is Roz Harris' first year at Crossroads. Roz seems to be a down-to-earth kind of girl, as her only claim to fame is that she is normal. Her hobbies are music, biking, and shopping. She loves Prince, and Ancient Greek Civilization. Roz has no idols but says her single goal is to "make it through today."



Amy Himmeger

Amy has been going to Crossroads for three years. She and her friend/sibling Michelle F. both lust after Ricky Gold and wish they too could have Rick's color coordination. She enjoys playing basketball, soccer, and listening to her favorite group the Bee Gees, saying "They are coming back, they are." She was one of the star half-backs on the unique and well-dressed outdoor soccer team, but has shined most brightly as Ray's star power forward on the basketball team.



Marcy Hoeflich

Marcy has been at Crossroads for two years now. She idolizes Keith Hernandez and her favorite sport is of course, baseball. Her goal is to be a special guest on "Mister Roger's Neighborhood." Teachers really get on her nerves; however, Anita is the privileged one because she is Marcy's favorite. She states with much enthusiasm that Western-Civilization/World Lit is definitely her favorite class. Her most important extra-curricular activities are photography and music.





Terence Holmes

Terence Holmes is a third-year student at Crossroads. His favorite teacher is Chris and his favorite activities are softball, soccer and swimming. His goals include becoming a real estate entrepreneur or obtaining a swimming scholarship. His pet peeve is getting water in his ears while he swims. Terence's claim to fame is his big hands and feet. His hobbies are collecting model cars, baseball helmets, albums, shoes and last but not least, watching girls.

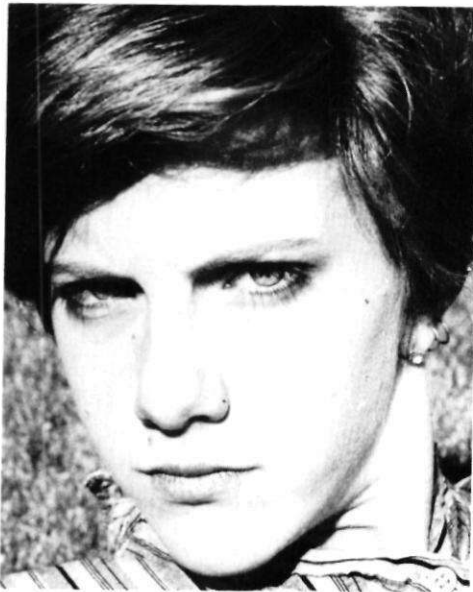


Jason Jaycox

This is Jason's first year at Crossroads. Jay's favorite teacher is Steve, his favorite class is film, and his favorite sport is football. His goal is to make good grades and stay in this wonderful school. He idolizes no one and gets irritated when he's overloaded with homework, and when we have school when it's snowing. Jason's extra-curricular activities include film and computers and his hobbies are flying airplanes, skiing, and boating.



...and you thought **Eddie Murphy** and **Dan Akroyd** were good.



Amy Keating

Amy has been at Crossroads for two years now, but still has not found a teacher or class she can call her favorite. She says she is a very normal person and therefore does all the other things teenagers do. She likes smoking and spaghetti (she doesn't smoke it) and having affairs with none other than her telephone. She idolizes Killer Tomatoes but hates rich nature lovers and people who chew styrofoam. Someday Amy hopes to become the patron saint of postmen.



Ku Kennedy

Ku has been at Crossroads for three years and she says she has enjoyed almost all of her teachers. Greek cookies are also an excitement for Ku. Bad breath irritates her, so it can be assumed she brushes at least twice a day. Finger-painting is one of Ku's most active hobbies as are both soccer and, of course, horseback riding. Equestrian classes are very important to our barnyard friend. Led Zepplin imitations take up the rest of Ku's day.

Susan Kim

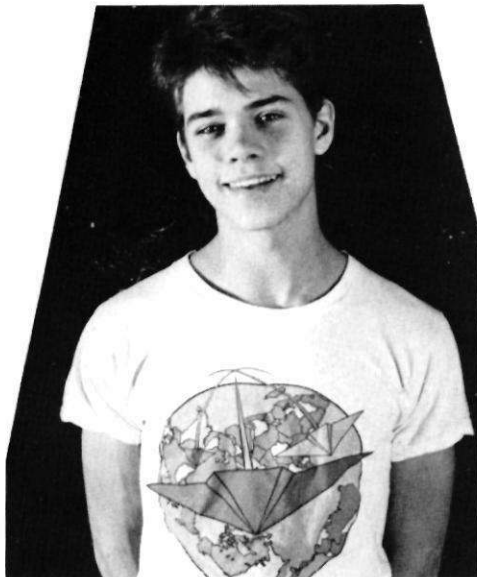
This is Susan's 1st year at Crossroads. She likes basketball, dancing, horseback riding, and throwing paper airplanes at her Western Civ teacher. She idolizes all famous people who have made history, like Mozart, Washington Carver, Thomas Edison, and especially Andrew Carnegie. Susan is very irritated by money-motivated people and feels everyone should be like Jesus Christ. Susan is presently active in the S.T.O.P. program.





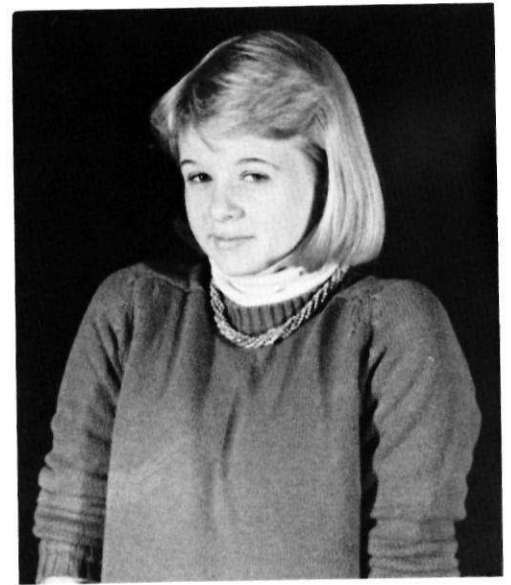
Chris L'Ecuyer

Meet Chris, aka. the Terminator, who's only been at Crossroads for one year. He has already acquired a liking for Steve and Diane, but still has no favorite class (they are all difficult). He adores James Bond, Bugs Bunny, Spider-Man, and Ron Reagan, none of which practice quadrapalegic racquetball which is Chris' favorite sport. He hates doing Carols homework, getting yellow slips, and sleeping in squeaky beds. He likes violent things like killing people and molesting and abducting senior citizens. Chris' other interests lie in the field of, as Chris put it, "women, girls, and females."



Sharif Mebed

Sharif's secret desire is to go out with Jeff Melnick's girlfriend. If that doesn't happen, he will settle for becoming great, rich, and famous. He idolizes Bono, Bob Marley, Tom Keating and Jeff Spicoli. What really tips Sharif's boat are dry walls, rooms without windows and Basketball. He claims to have no cavities, gorgeous green eyes, and be the love of Suzanne. If Sharif isn't playing soccer or sky diving with Steve, this stud can be found playing back up bass with Van Halen, Afrika Baambata the Smiths, the English Beat, and Translator. He hopes to combine his two favorite hobbies- bath tub games and acting, in an upcoming production of "Splish Splash I was Takin' a Bath."



Laurie Koch

Laurie is an original freshman, her claim to fame is that she is herself. She says people need to learn to accept other people for the way they are. Her favorite teachers are Steve and Carol. Her favorite class is science, and her favorite sport is skiing in Colorado. In the future she would like to go to Lindenwood and major in Early Childhood Education. She would also like to find her biological parents and find out who they are and what they do. She idolizes lots of people, but Madonna is not one of them. To Laurie she is slime. Her hobbies are numerous: listening to the radio, Eurithmics and other assorted groups, skiing in Breckenridge, Colorado, shopping, and going to the movies.

Alice Meek

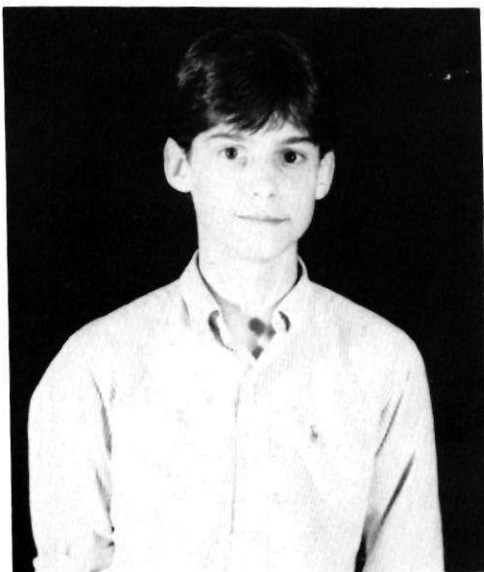
Porks, I mean Alice, Alice the Meekster, wants to spend the rest of her life in a cave. This will make it kind of rough for her to meet Matt Dillon. But then again, this girl, whose hobbie is talking to her cat, shouldnt mind waiting a while. Her claim to fame is that she's swum in Lake Michigan more times than anyone else at Crossroads. Fabulous. Although some people consider Alice a little weird, she has brightened the days of many here at Crossroads.



Kim Moore

This is Kim, also known as "Micky" "Kimby" and "Gumby" by someone she knows. Her plans are going to college, becoming a pediatrician, and making the Olympic basketball team. Kim idolizes Prince and says that her pet peeves are "people who want detention and try to make themselves noticeable." She says that her hobbies are boys, shopping, and watching basketball on T.V., especially DePaul and Georgetown, which, is why her interests are Marty Embry and Michael Jackson, two of her favorite and the most handsome basketball players. Kim's claim to fame is being the only girl in the school to play all the sports every year.





Fred Neis

Fred is a third year student at Crossroads. Fred, alias, "Cornball", enjoys soccer and his favorite subject is Algebra 2/Trig. His goals in life include earning a masters degree in engineering and working with computers. His idol is John Sata and his pet peeve is ugly girls. Fred's most important extra-curricular activities include playing soccer and watching T.V. His hobbies are working with lights and sound for productions and going out with girls.



John Sata

John, who is glad he has been able to stay out of prison for the four years he has been at Crossroads, wants everyone to know that he lives at 7230 Maryland. John listens daily to Prince and the Time on Majic 108. On Tuesday nights John contributes his excellent volleyball skills to the Crossroads Coed Volleyball team. He idolizes the Soft Batch cookie company, Barney and Fred's Breakdance commercials and David Letterman. Believe it or not, John ran into a pole once. The details of this unfortunate incident are unknown.



Kenneth Soucy

This is Ken Soucy's first year at Crossroads. His idols are Quincy and Harry Orwell. He doesn't have a favorite class or teacher or any claim to fame, but his pet peeve is Fields Black. His hobby is Chinese Martial Arts.

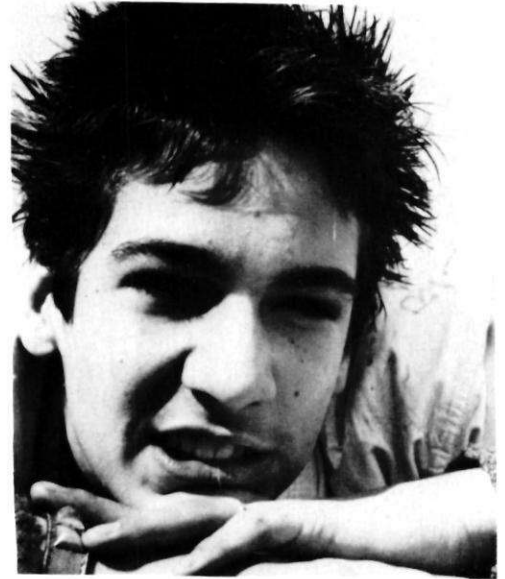


Damien Stahl

Damien Stahl, a.k.a., "Hemer", "Remer", or "Raheme", is in his second year at Crossroads. He enjoys soccer, drinking (O.J. of course) and going "out with the boys." His plans are to play soccer or go to law school. His idol is Afrika Baambata and his pet peeves are Melnick's hair and the Scout. His claim to fame is running around a car in "truth or dare" (don't ask). His hobbies are soccer and partying and, according to his friends, he excels in both.

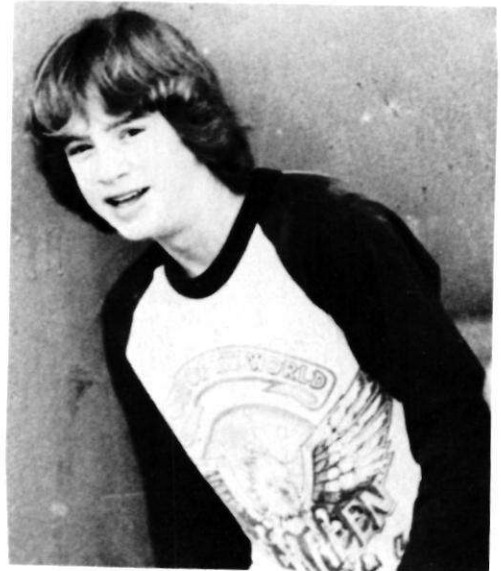
Jon Sweeney

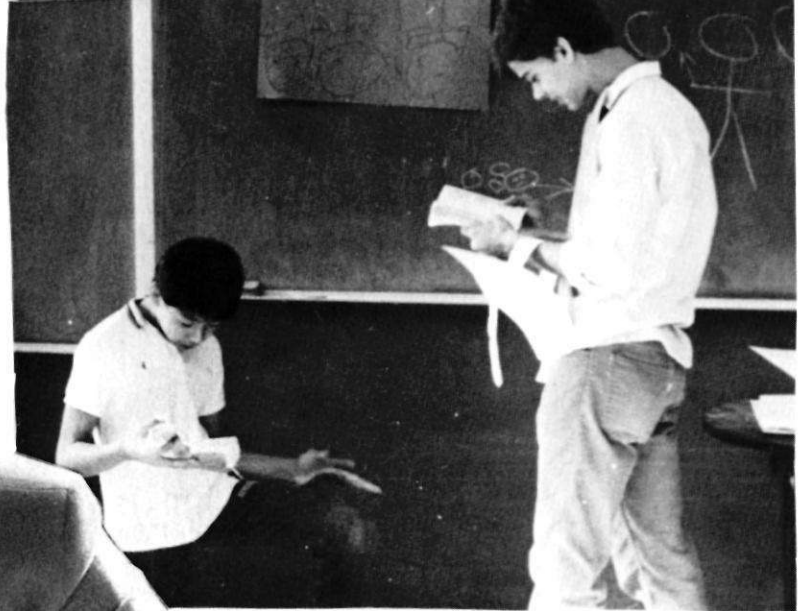
This adorable face belongs to Bobby Sweet. He states that he is in grade "F" and his favorite teachers are Diane, Steve, and Charlie and, of course, Chris. He enjoys watching movies in the infamous film class. Bobby has a dry sense of humor and a unusual style of dress. His goal in life is "to have my mind be completely controlled by society." His hobby is collecting normal rocks and he is very interested in McDonald's ketchup, on which he plans to do an in-depth study. His most important extra-curricular activities are Emily Gold and causing his father grey hairs. You may see Bobby on a billboard one day as he plans to follow the footsteps of his idol, the Camel cigarette man.



Bobby Sweet

In response to the question "What did you do last Saturday?" Jon replied "Well, we, that's Eddie (Van Halen) and me, like, went drinkin' over at Studio 54 up in the Big Apple. We saw Mick Jagger and the rest of the guys (the Stones). Then we picked up, like, these awesome girls from ol' Dave's new Video (yes, David Lee Roth's "California girls"). We got home about, ah, 9am on the Lear jet. Eddie gave me the telecaster (as scene on the first video of their soon-to-be-released 1985 album)." But really Jon, "Oh, I dabble in baseball as a short stop and I bat about a 300." He lives out in Jennings and fortunately for him, he doesn't talk about it. Besides being an excellent student he also owns a whopping five pairs of shoes.



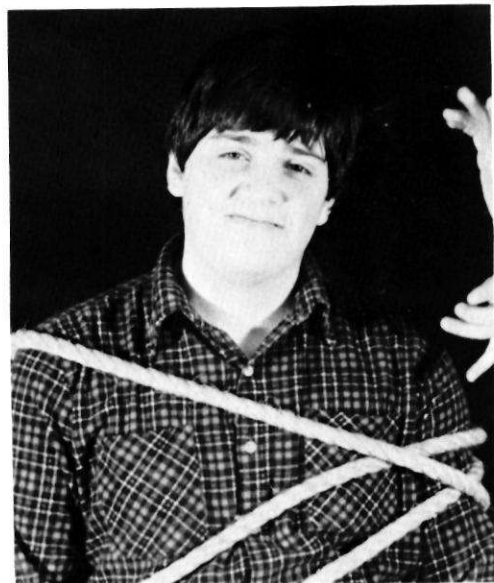






Nikki Alexander

This is Nicky's third year at Crossroads. Her goals are to be rich and stay cute. Her idol is Mary Ellen Walton, whom she uses as her fashion guide. Her favorite class is drama and her favorite sport is basketball. Her most important interest is "me." Her claim to fame is honesty.



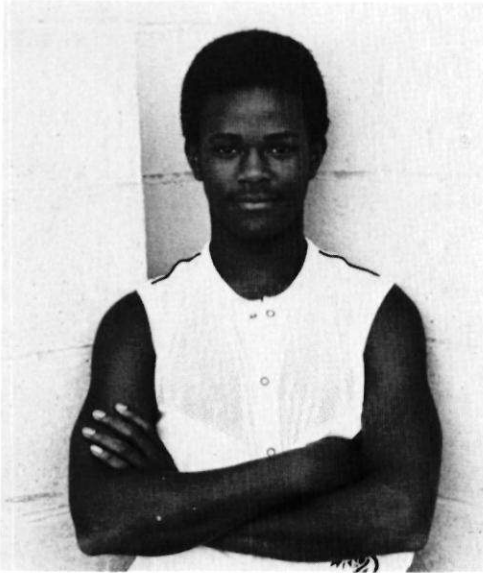
Igor Alperovich

This is Igor Alperovich's first year at Crossroads. His favorite class is Algebra and he plans to be a mathematician. He idolizes Albert Einstein and his hobbies include Dungeons and Dragons, Star Fleet Battles, Squad Leader and Up Front.



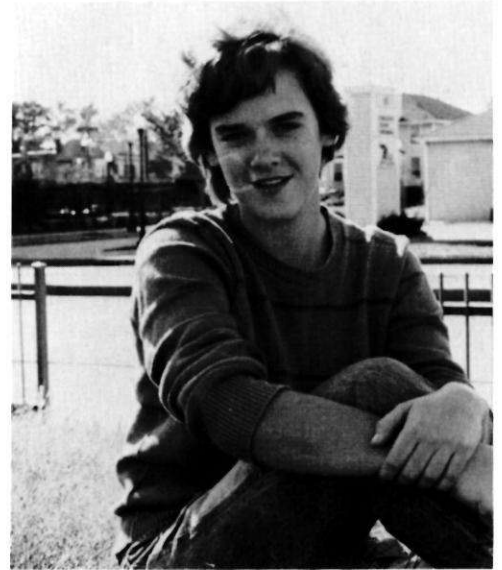
Wizzie Bartley

Wizzie has been at Crossroads two years. She wants to be a P.E. teacher and a housewife when she grows up. Wizzie's idol is Tommy Herr (the Cardinal's second baseman). She loves sports, but hates Ray's dumb jokes. Her hobbies are sports and spending money. She plays soccer and basketball on the Varsity teams.



Geoffrey Bell

Geoff is a new student at Cross-roads this year. His favorite teacher is Richard, his favorite class is history, and his favorite sport is basketball. He idolizes no one. When asked his pet peeve, he replied, "Seeing girls being hit by the Rat Pack!" He is interested in "flying," and in the future plans to "fly the world." In his spare time he coaches swimming.



Eve Birge

Eve Birge, a third year Cross-roadian, plans to become a dancer or a fashion designer. Her pet peeve are Mondays and getting up early. She likes to hang around with Alicia and do anything active. Her hobbies include going to movies, dancing, singing and being overly active.



Alison said, "Moo Moo! Keep your filthy claws off my brother!"



Rebecca Bischoff

Rebecca has been at Crossroads for 3 years, but still hasn't acquired a nickname. Her favorite teacher is Richard, and her favorite sport is racquetball. She idolizes Richard's Grandma. Her claim to fame is that she mashes everything up (according to Chris Cooper). Her most important extra-curricular activity is collecting pens while listening to Majic 108.

Maroula Bratakos

Moo-Moo's favorite sport is swimming. She belongs to the Clayton Shaw Park Swim Team. Her claim to fame is that she knows the Swiss Miss Pudding girl. Her favorite group is Genesis and her favorite class is algebra. Maroula hates it when people say "you're so tall." For extra-curricular activities she plays J.V. basketball and takes band. Maroula plans to go to college and wants to know a famous person.



Dylan Calsyn

Dylan, also known as "Rover", is attending his second year at Crossroads. His favorites are Diane, history class and soccer. He has no goals but idolizes Aqua Man and June Cleaver. His pet peeves are waking up and and people who wash their hair "once in a while." His most important extra-curricular activities are soccer and basketball and in his free time he enjoys listening to music and socializing.

Jennifer Clark

This is Jennifer "Roach" Clark's first year at Crossroads. Her goal is to be just like her brother, Keith, and her idol is Mary Lou Retton. Her favorite teachers are Ray and Richard and her favorite sport is gymnastics. Her pet peeve is people who ask her if she's going to the Olympics. Believe it or not she may!

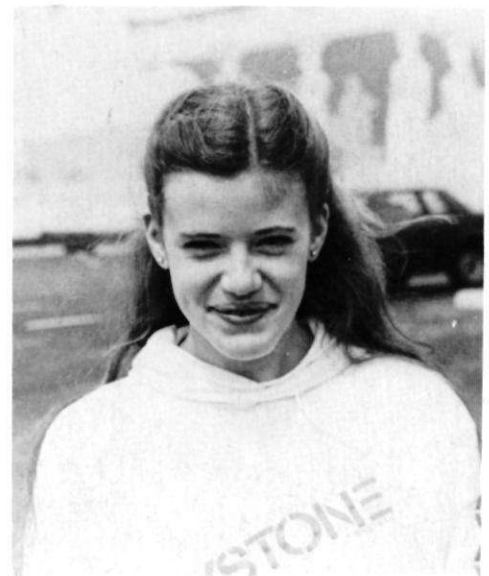


Chris Cooper

Meet Chris Cooper, better known as Lois Lane. Lois is in her third year at Crossroads. Her favorite teachers are Chris and Richard and she loves working for the paper as Middle School Editor. She like the Police and idolizes Sting. She has no future plans, because "I can't think any further than next Tuesday." Her pet peeves are Nicky Alexander and filling out yearbook bio forms.

Alicyn Dahms

Alicyn, or Swiss Miss, plans to be a doctor when she grows up. Her idols are Laura Sternman and Laura Ingalls, her identical twin. She really hates people who pick their nose in public. She likes to do "anything that's fun." Her claim to fame is that she hasn't received a yellow slip in three years at Crossroads.



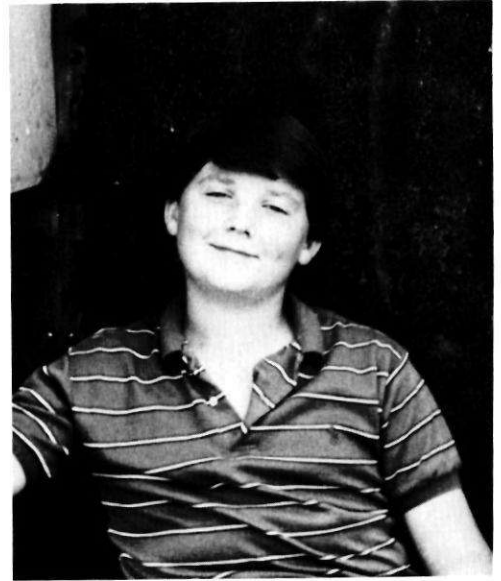


Justin Early

Justin, a second year Crossroadian, plans to fly an F-15. He likes Richard's history class and Cal's literature class. His idol is Chuck Yeager and his pet peeve is punkers. He likes soccer and riding go-carts. He believes that "there is no such thing as too much power, but the F-15 comes pretty damn close."

Michael England

What not-so-famous actor likes Dick Fulton and considers him a favorite? No, not Eric Vincent, it's Mike England. Mike plans to be a famous actor. This explains why part of his interest lies in acting. His other hobbies are all sports. Mike doesn't have any idols and spends all his spare time reading plays. This year Mike will have been here two years.



Raleigh Freeman

This is Raleigh's third year at Crossroads. Raleigh's nickname is Wolfgang. His favorite teachers are Richard and Cal. His goals are "to become a hired assassin or an accountant." His idol is Godzilla. His pet peeve is the Smurf's newest member, Mike England. Raleigh's claim to fame is "my insanity." His most important extra-curricular activity is building models and nuking airports. We all hope to see Raleigh's face (and the rest of his body) here next year.

Brian Gilby

Brian is in his 8th grade year, and he has been at Crossroads for three years. He likes soccer and skiing. Rob Allard is his favorite teacher. His goal is to be a host on Saturday Night Live. He also wants to be rich!!! His idols are Billy Idol and Eddie Murphy. He hates it when people pinch his cheeks and say he is "so cute."



Daniel Gohagan

Daniel, or Dan, has been here two years and likes Richard, history, and playing basketball. "Spike" wants to be a lawyer and he hates when people "pinch my cheeks." Dan enjoys collecting knives and being on the basketball team. His claim to fame is "my hair cut."

Chris Henze

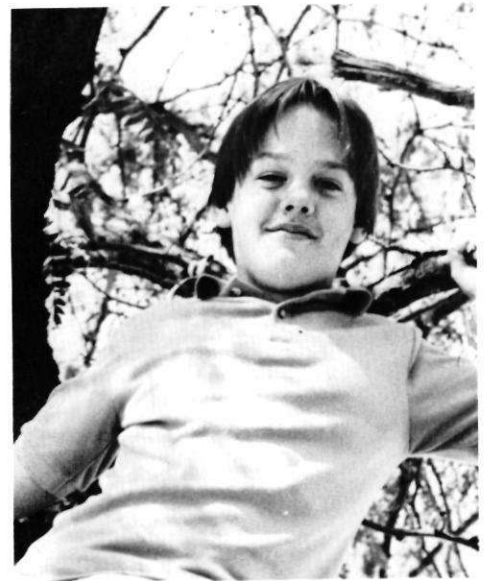
This is Chris "Hey You" Henze's first year at Crossroads. She like Diane's class, and plans to be rich and happy. "Hey You" hates dumb people, people messing up her hair and snobs. She claims to be different because she dresses like a preppie, yet listens to K-SHE 95. She likes to learn, swim, ride horses, play tennis and raquetball, and listen to "On the Road Again."





Jon Hoare

Jon has been at Crossroads for two years and is presently in the 8th grade. He loves soccer! His plans are to get rich and enjoy his life. His only idol is Nicky Alexander, but you would never guess it, because he's always trying to beat her up. His claim to fame is his last name. He's always seen with Seth, Justin and Thornton.



Mike Hilfrink

Where have all the Hilfrinks gone? Long time passing. Where have all the Hilfrinks gone? Long time away...Well there is one left, Mike. The hope for the future. A year and a half at Crossroads and five more to go. Mike and Aaron, his best pal, are destined to go down in sports history as power forwards and formidable handball players. Mike might have problems balancing his sports and science careers, but with the right diet, he'll succeed.



Our own Mike Hilfrink, reaches the summit of the Majic Tower.



Ronda Jackson

"Cheeks" has been at Crossroads for two years. She claims she's unique because "my clothes always match and I am the best advisory rep that ever lived." She hopes to be able to stay cute! She idolizes anyone who is musically inclined or funny, in addition to her mother, Prince, Eddie Murphy, and all her friends. Her pet peeves are Nicky's non-matching earrings, greasy curl activator, "ghetto mobs" and glow-in-the-dark sports wear. Her favorites are Richard, Cal and Tanda; her favorite classes are lunch and cooking; her favorite sport is basketball.



Rachel Jameton

This is Rachel's first year at Crossroads. She enjoys swimming and she wants to fight for peace. Having a large wardrobe of polyester leisure suits is one of her goals. One of Rachel's favorite pastimes is listening to country music.



Aaron Johnson

Aaron "Magic" Johnson has been at Crossroads for two years. His favorite teachers are Ray and Richard, his favorite class is history, favorite sport is basketball and he likes to play the guitar. He idolizes Jimi Hendrix, The Who, Eric Clapton, Jeff Beck, Jimmy Page, B.B. King, and Stevie Ray Vaughn. He hates "wimp-rock" and his claim to fame is being "an awesome guitar player."



Alicia Judy

Alicia's goal in life is not to grow up. Her idol is Harry and her nickname is Polk. Alicia is a great prep. She loves Polo clothes and has everything Polo from napkins to socks and jackets. She hates noseey people and snobs. She loves Billy Joel.

David Kaufman

Meet David Kaufman, better known as "Brain" or "Coffee Bear". This is his first year at Crossroads. His favorite teacher is Richard, his favorite class is history and he likes most sports - especially baseball. He idolizes Ty Cobb, Rockefeller, J.P. Getty and plans to earn 10 million dollars before he's 50. He hates people who cheat.

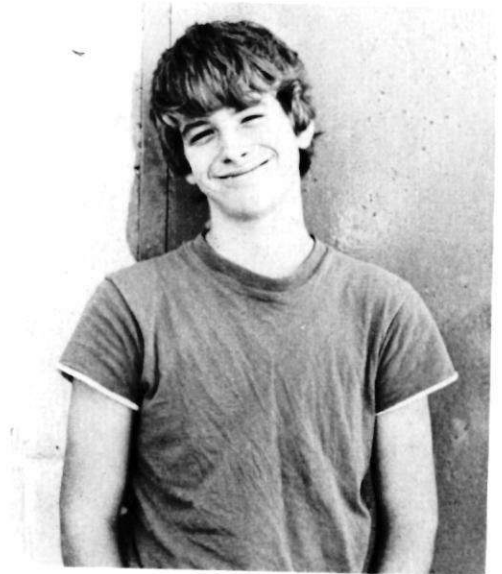


Rachel Kelsey

This is Rachel "Betty" Kelsey. She's been at Crossroads for two years and her hobbies are herself and life. Her claim to fame is "all 304 freckles." She idolizes Bonzo the Clown, and the Brady Bunch. Her favorite teacher is Rob A. and she loves cooking. She plans to be rich and lazy, but despises Eric.

Seth Kroeck

This gorgeous eighth grader has been at Crossroads for two years. Already Seth has caught the eye of many Upper School girls. He enjoys soccer, fishing, camping and hunting (an outdoorsman). This great guy hates fat girls and idolizes Ronald Reagan and Roland Martin.

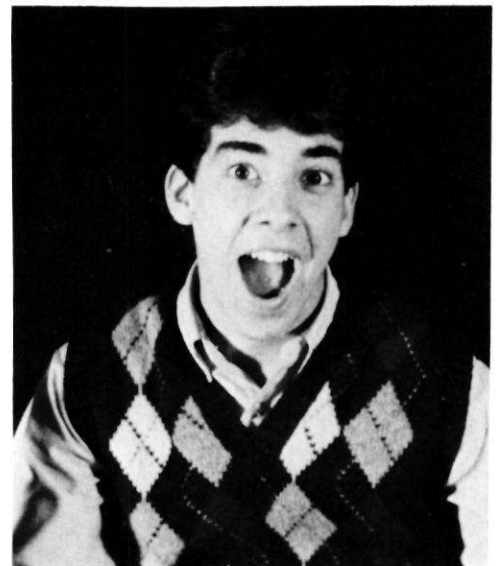


Tawna Ledesma

Tawna loves Richard, history, pizza, baseball and the color lavender. She plans to obtain a good education and get a job. She idolizes Bill Murray and Bugs Bunny. She hates her brother and people who think they know it all. She also likes to read, listen to music, shop and take band.

Scott Levine

Scott has been here for two years. His idol is Prince. His most important after school activity is, well, unmentionable in a family yearbook. He loves spending money and just can't stand dirty people who smell. Scott really doesn't like people who play D & D or people who are extremely smart and really like to show it. Even though Scott is very studious, he can't stand people who look forward to school. Steve Perry is not on Scott's list of best singers. He has no favorite teacher. He'd like to graduate with a clean record (or at least just graduate). He just can't wait to have geometry with Laura Serman. His claim to fame is that he's never helped an old lady across the street.





Jim Lindsley

Jim's nickname is "unprintable". Jim's favorite teacher is Rob Al-lard, his favorite class is English, and his favorite sport is soccer. Jim would like to "live a long and prosperous life and to remain sane while my brother is still alive." Jim's idol is his brother and he hates "people who get on my nerves, people who wear the same clothes seven times a week, and people who never take showers." His claim to fame is his shoes that have holes in them. His hobbies include soccer and tackle football.



Tracie McKinney

Tracie, now in her third year at Crossroads, is affectionately known as "Dimples." Her favorites are cooking class, drama courses and all of her teachers. Her ambition is to pursue a career as a professional actress. Tracie's idols are any successful black achiever. Among other things, Tracie can't stand dirty people who don't wash their hair and wear clashing, non-matching clothes. Tracie's claim to fame is the Mexican Lover and his dogs.



Thornton McPheeters

Thornton's claim to fame is that he's a "great guy." Teachers love him and his great handwriting. He tries to model himself after Mick Jagger, who is his idol. His most important extra-curricular activities are snowball fights. Thornton (or Wheathead) wants to shoot the President and he hates wimps. His favorite class is history with Richard.



Jason Morros

This is Jason's second year at Crossroads. Jason likes "all of my teachers, but some more than others." He enjoys watching game shows, and listening to top 100 songs. His goals are to be a newscaster in a small city (like St. Louis) and then a newscaster on a network and then "when I'm as old as Mister Rogers, to have a children's T.V. program on PBS and to sing The Neighbor Song everyday because it's one of my favorite songs." His idols are Mister Rogers, Oscar the Grouch, and Barbara Walters. Jason's pet peeves are redundancy and "teachers who say one thing, but then change their minds." His most important extra-curricular activities include journalism and being on the Middle School Advisory Board. His hobbies include "doing stuff on my computer," asking questions, studying literature vocabulary words, and writing.



Gary Rafin

Gary is unique! He is probably the only student in Crossroads who loves all of his teachers and classes. "Fozzy" plans to be a violinist or journalist and his idol is Wayne Gretzky. He hates it when a teacher tells him to use a dictionary but loves soccer, football, baseball and tennis.





Alicia Smith

Alicia, a two year veteran, loves Richard, history and anything chocolate. She plans "to live, to love, and to die." She hates her sister and people that whine. Alicia's claim to fame is that she can belly dance. She spends her free time sleeping, singing, acting and dancing.

Sela Thompson

This is Sela's second year at Crossroads. Sela enjoys Richard and his history class, drama, and Rob Allard and his English class. Sela's goal is to have a career in business. Her idols are her parents. Sela's claim to fame is her "acting ability." Her extra-curricular activities include drama and being on the Middle School Advisory Board. Sela's hobbies include sewing, reading and exercising.



Eric Vincent

Guess what eighth grader idolizes Don Ingerson? You guessed it, Eric Vincent. Eric has been here two years and loves all of his teachers. His favorite class is history. Eric plans to become an actor or a dentist. He hates "Smurfberry Crunch" commercials and claims his ego makes him different. He likes to act and listen to his stereo in his free time.

7TH GRADE

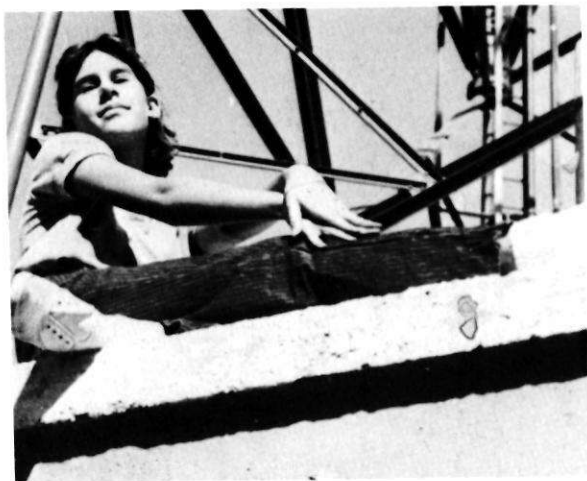
A FEW 7TH GRADERS IN 15 YEARS





Ray Adams

What seventh grader is a computer junkie, a gymnast, and idolizes his sophomore sister? Ray - a.k.a. - "hawk" or "Hey Ray." Hawk enjoys gym, science, reading (his sisters diary), and spending time at the St. Louis Gymnastic Center. He also enjoys attending Tandra's science class and Chris' social studies class. He abhors Lit. tests and Spelling, and says that his claim to fame is "being me." As for the future this rather short gymnast is an Olympic hopeful and plans to take the 1988 Summer Olympics by storm. We all hope to see him flip-flopping his way through the halls next year.



Jacenta Bowers

Jacenta, often called Joe, has just finished her first year at Crossroads. Jacenta likes baseball, leisure sports, and photography and her favorite teacher is Richard. In the future, she plans to get a good job and do whatever she likes. She idolizes people in her family, and her claim to fame is "being herself." In Jacenta's free time she enjoys skating, dancing, and swimming.

Natalie Cameron

What seventh grader

- a) enjoys roller skating and talking on the phone?
- b) enjoys collecting stickers and buttons (pins)?
- c) hates homework?

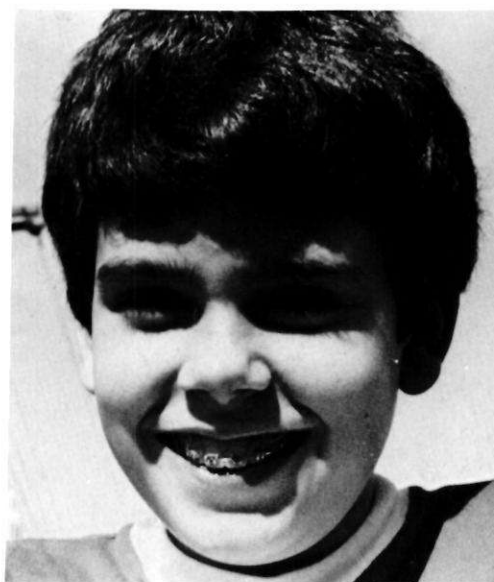
If you guessed half the seventh grade - you are correct! But - if you include

d) singing, talking, soccer and Nadia Comanecchi you're describing Natalie - worshipper of Red Skelton, George Carlin, and George Burns. She hates homework and cleaning, and claims that being wrong really drives her up a tree! In the future, this record lover plans to be on the soccer team at Crossroads, then go on to become a lawyer and then a judge for the Supreme Court.



Patrick Dolan

Everybody knows Pat! He is the loudest kid with the deepest voice in the 7th grade or the whole school for that matter. You can recognize him by his GQ fashion as he struts down the hall in the latest look. His favorite teachers are Chris and Ray, and his bestest buddy pal is senior Devonne. Pat loves soccer and Johnny Cash, but not Linda. You can find him jumping rope, playing ping-pong or 4 square. His goal in life is to be on "Wheel of Fortune."



Jason Gutting

This is Jason Gutting's first year at Crossroads. His favorite teachers are Tania, both Robs and Anita. His favorite classes are science, civics, math, and literature. He plans to be a lawyer or an astronomer. In his spare time, Jason collects baseball cards, stamps and comics.

Eddie Haynie

Shorty here really gets into soccer, tennis, science, and, of course, Chris Campbell is a truly underrated teacher by B's standards. Soccer though, does come before Chris. Eddie plays this game before school, during lunch, after lunch, after school, and during classes as much as possible. Although it does look as though Eddie will be another promising soccer star at Crossroads, he idolizes the smurfs, which is a definite disadvantage. In the future Shorty plans to be a lawyer, but this will only be possible if he can survive his next few years at school.





Helena Hillman

This is Helena's first year at Crossroads, and she has made it clear that she is herself and she doesn't "try to be anyone else." She is a distinguished member of the Math Team and the spring play, "Bells are Ringing." Helena's favorite class is Literature with Antia and her favorite sport is tennis. Her future goals include going to college and "doing something important to help endangered animals." Helena idolizes her mom and dad but her pet peeve are people who are lazy. In her spare time Helena enjoys playing the piano and collecting figurines.

Tonia Hutchinson

"Tiny" Tonia loves french fries and enjoys eating them at every chance she gets. Tonia's future goal is to turn into a french fry with blue eyes and blond hair. Her idols include none other than Big Bird, Herman, and Mr. Rogers. Tiny has only one specific pet peeve, though, and that is Erricka Moorehead. Tonia claims that her coat makes her different from everyone else at Crossroads, but that is certainly a subject that could be argued. Being a member of the K.M.A. Club (whatever that may be) is apparently very important to Tonia so we all hope that she can continue her membership throughout her days here at Crossroads.



Erika Johnson

Ree-Ree, a novice at Crossroads, plans to go to an exotic place like Florida or Hawaii and make it big by using her great personality. She says she hates being blamed for things she did not do, but, with her innocent look this does not occur very often. Her favorite class is civics. She enjoys all of Rob Allard's classes.

Kate Keller

How would you like to known as the shortest person in the seventh grade? It does not bother Kate, who considers it the best claim to fame she has. Kate is not a choosy person, her idols are too numerous to list. Kate has been here for two years and plans to finish college and go on from there.



Erik Lawrenz

This is Erik's first year at Crossroads. His favorite teachers are Anita and Tanda and his favorite sports are football and baseball. He plans to be a lawyer or own his own company. He idolizes Rick Jason and Vic Morrow and claims that being weird is what makes him different. Erik spends his free time reading and using computers.



Michelle, Marty and Sam plot the overthrow of the Upper School Advisory Board while Ree-Ree cheers them on.



Alea Light

"Al," a charming young 7th grader, is currently in her first year at Crossroads. In accordance with her goals, she should be a famous rock singer by the year 2000. This isn't surprising seeing her idols are Madonna, Prince, Duran Duran, and Eddie Murphy. Oh! we can't forget her favorite - her mother. Well we wonder how much her mother likes her favorite hobbies: talking on the phone, checking out boys, and going to concerts. She doesn't like it when her dog wakes her up in the morning and when teachers embarrass her. She says her claim to fame is that "I'm special in my own way," -which seems to be true.



Marty Mc Kee

This is Marty. She likes the musical group Duran Duran. She can be seen playing soccer and football. She hopes to go to college and pass seventh grade science. When she grows up she wants to be just like Bugs Bunny. She gets very mad when people don't tie their shoelaces and trip! Her claim to fame is the striking natural color of her hair. After school she likes to play basketball and be on the math team. She is one of the many 7th graders who likes Garfield. She spends quite a bit of time outside of school scanning the ground for pennies and admiring cats.



Michelle Merson

Michelle (Mich, or Peanut) is in her second year at Crossroads. Michelle enjoys swimming and laughing. Her idols are John Belushi and Yanna. Her pet peeves are dirty Prince songs, and being the shortest kid on the basketball team. Her hobbies are taking Hebrew lessons and borrowing money from her little sister. Her future goal is to go on a Caribbean Cruise if she graduates.



Stacey Messenger

Stacey, a.k.a. "Staskity," enjoys dancing, eating and swimming. She also enjoys her classes with Anita and Chris. Her pet peeves are her sister, her brothers, and being told to get her socks on. She plans to become a prima ballerina or a secretary (like her mother). Meanwhile, she will continue dancing down the halls and calling people dummies.



Erricka Moorehead

Do you know Cupcake? Well, if your answer is no, then here is an opportunity to catch up on the habits and the likings of this illustrious two year member of the Crossroads community. She admires Martin Luther King and his teachings of nonviolence. She counsels depressed and distressed classmates. Who knows? Maybe depression is contagious. She plays touch football, hide-and-go-seek and frequently practices indoor sports.

Chris Morton

This is Chris' first year at Crossroads. He's known around school as "Red" and it is not because it's his favorite color. Instead of doing his homework Chris would rather be watching an LA Raiders game. He'd just be tickled pink if Lyle Alzado would smash a few of his teachers on the turf. Besides being the biggest Raiders fan, he's a true Reagan fan and known for it. He's also known for his drawing. Chris plans to be the first cartoonist with red hair, and he probably will be.



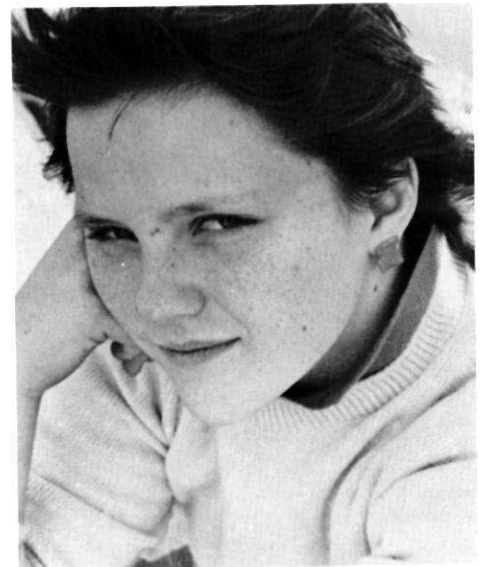


Ben Neis

Ben Neis, a.k.a. "Cornball" is here for his first year of Crossroads. He likes Chris Campbell, Tanda and soccer. He's dying to be on "The Joker's Wild" and "Name That Tune". He enjoys watching Channel 2 news to see his idols - Zip and Larry Connors. He has one pet peeve whose name is Tom Wotka. Ben has an odd sense of humor. He really gets into hopscotch, jacks and those good old fashioned Disney Cartoons. He likes playing swat (with his pet peeve) and indoor sports.

Yanna Palmer

Yanna-otherwise known as Iggy, but only to her closest friends-has managed to make her way through two years at Crossroads School. Favorites for Yanna are: Chris, Anita, Tanda, and baseball. She obviously has good taste. Iggy makes all of her views known through her record breaking marathon talking and by being strange. After graduating from our esteemed school, Yanna plans to go into journalism. Hopefully, nearer in the future she will learn to be quiet. She has established herself at Crossroads through her beautiful singing voice and a hidden talent for acting. The things that really bother her are soggy cereal and teachers that ramble.

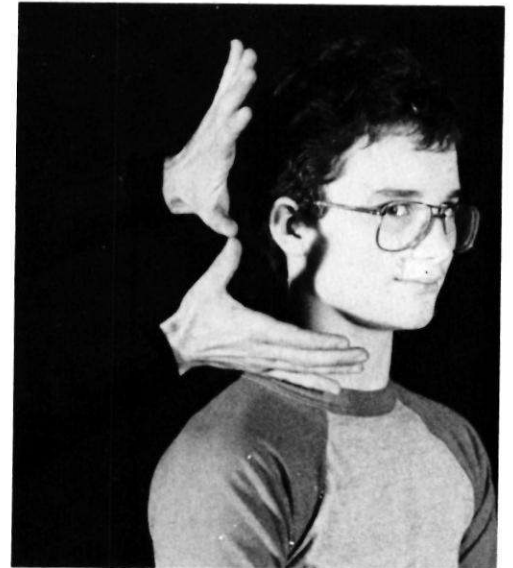


Virginia Price

Who at Crossroads enjoys reading and babysitting? Why it's Virginia, of course! She does many other things after school: dancing, singing, math and having fun! Her claims to fame are getting A's, "being me," dancing and singing. Her pet peeves are people, B's, C's, D's, F's and bad teachers. Her future goals are to be an actress in a musical. Her favorite teacher is Anita. She loves Literature, baseball and rhinos. She has no idols. And last but not least, she hates ugly boys.

Jared Ragland

Jared, alias "Cutter," plans to someday receive a Masters degree in electronic engineering, and a Doctorate in nuclear physics. He enjoys snorkeling, idolizes Einstein and his favorite teacher is Anita. He hates people who like "G" rated movies. He claims that he looks up to nobody, and he looks down on everybody. He enjoys playing Dungeons and Dragons, Car Wars, and Armour Building.



Chelsea Somers

Chelsea Somers is in her second year at Crossroads. Her favorite teacher is Chris and her favorite class is science. She enjoys eating french fries after taking them from others. Chelsea's goal is to become a vet. If she doesn't succeed, she says she wants to be an earthworm farmer. Her pet peeves are Pat and Tom, and she plays the piano beautifully.

Alita Thomas

Alita, also known as Shell, is enjoying her first year at Crossroads. Shell tells us her favorite teachers and classes are Anita, Chris, Literature and civics. Alita passes the time by playing basketball, skating, and by collecting stamps and stickers. A goal Shell has set for herself is to help more people. Help them with what? We'll later find out. Martin Luther King and Jesus Christ happen to be favorites of Alita. She explains "My style, clothes and me" are what make her different.





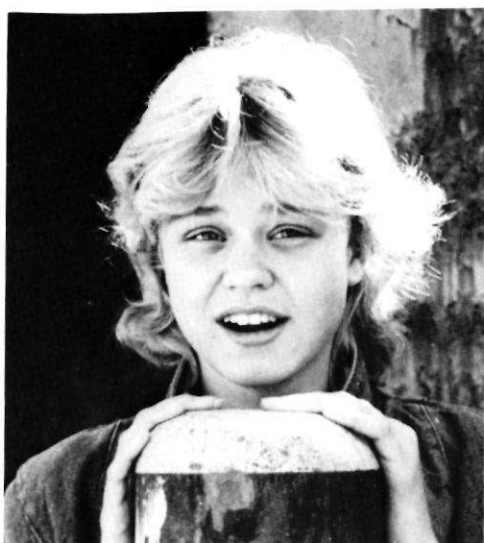
Aaron Toyen

Aaron has completed his first year as a distinguished Crossroadian. Aaron is a big hockey fan and he idolizes Mike Liut, the St. Louis Blues goalie. He plans to attend Harvard Law School in Cambridge, Massachusetts. Aaron will always be remembered for his exemplary soccer play in after-school pick-up games.



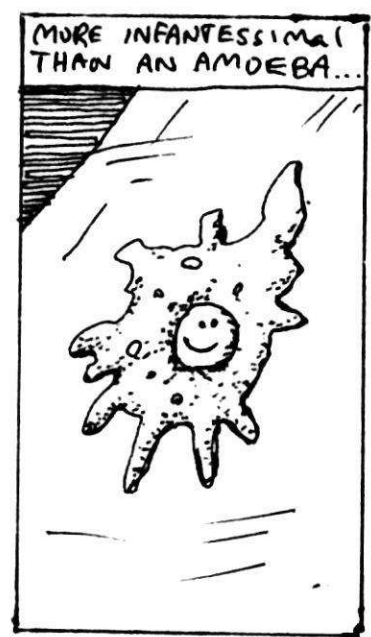
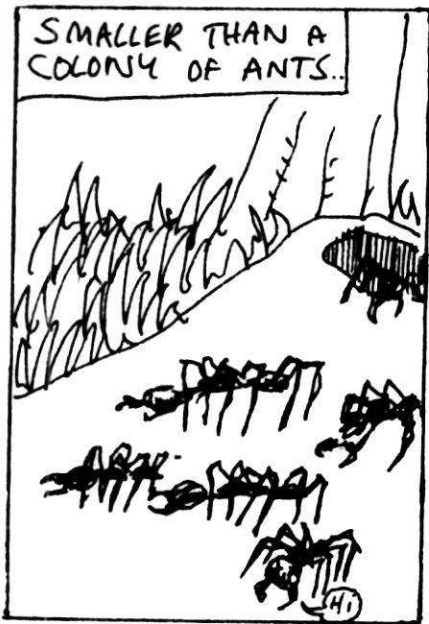
Tom Wotka

Tom Wotka - man, soccer king, legend. James Dean, stand aside. This is Tom's first year, but it is certainly not his last. Tom is now only a seventh grader with such passive interests as soccer, G.I. Joe dolls, world events and girls. But before long, he'll be in the eighth grade. What will we do then? With his sweet and innocent "wet puppy" look, this tanned god will soon knock you off your feet - but that's not all! Even though his favorite teacher is Chris, this young gentleman displays charm, taste, and finesse beyond his years. For Sale Now, by his sister. Don't delay!

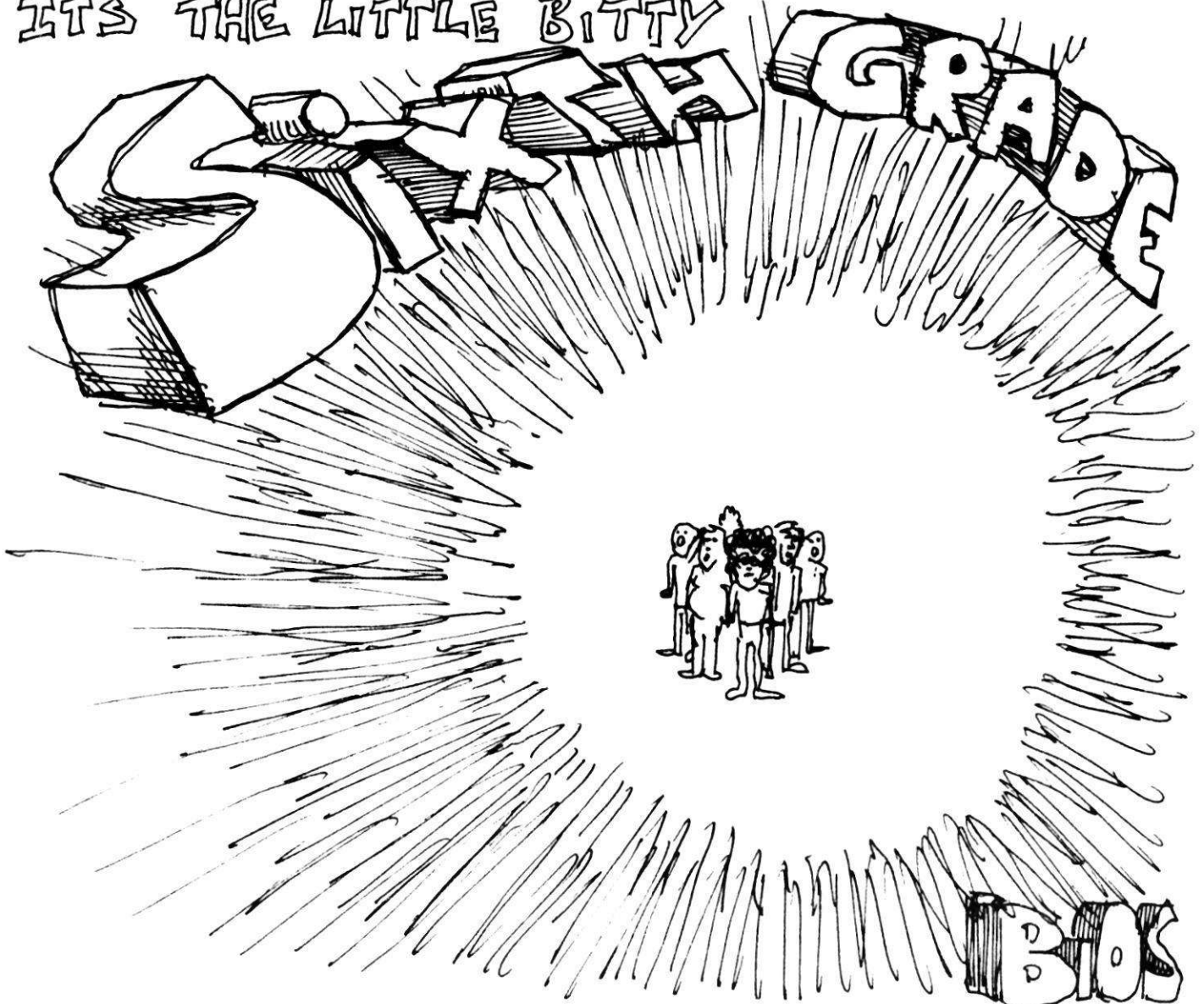


Samantha Young

This is Samantha "Sprout" Young. She's in the seventh grade and loving every minute of it. Her favorite teachers are Rob and Anita. Her best subjects is literature. Sam enjoys playing basketball and collecting anything she can get her hands on. Her pet peeves are the seventh grade class, and Tom.



IT'S THE LITTLE BITTY





Tarraugh Flaherty

By the end of 1985 you thought there would be no more Flahertys around Crossroads. But wait, along came Tarraugh, who seemed to find her own little niche in the Crossroads community. She says her favorite teachers are Marjie and Richard. She has no career goals because she's "too young to decide." The majority of her free time seems to be spent dancing. Tarraugh doesn't seem to get angry unless you don't rinse out the bath tub after you use it, according to her brother, Darryl. This is her major irritant. Tarraugh claims to be rather "casual," not a "preppy person."



Tom Keating

Tom, who simultaneously finished the sixth grade and his first year at Crossroads, plans in the near or distant future to make Mister Rogers sweaters. He literally looks up to Big Bird and spends part of his free time tuned in to Sesame Street and Diff'rent Strokes. Tom is not happy-go-lucky all the time though, he really gets upset when people insist on poking him.



Charlie kidnaps the entire 6th grade class in his truck.

Matt Ledesma

Matt plans to become a veterinarian. In fact his nickname of "Squirrel" says a lot about his choice of a profession. Matt doesn't have too many favorites except for soccer, soft rock, and Dr. Who. In his spare time he works on folding his tongue back in his mouth (which happens to be his claim to fame). Matt also spends part of his time on a hobby, but he wouldn't divulge anything about it. Matt hopes, someday, to be a boogie boarder in sunny California.



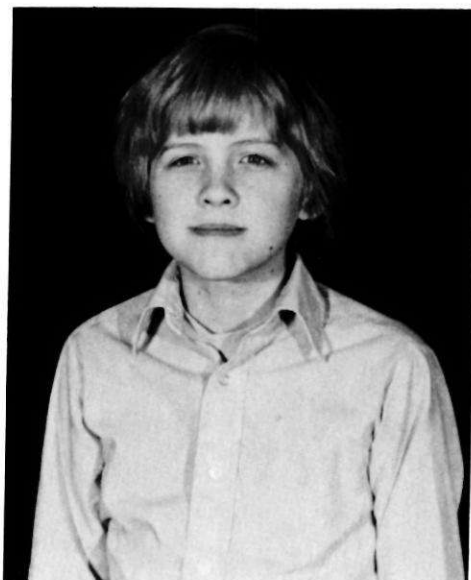
Denise Merson

Denise, known as Squirt, really doesn't have any goals after her first year here, but she definitely knows what she hates! In her free time she goes to band practice but hates it. She also hates most sports, not softball. Squirt doesn't go around hating everything though. She seems to enjoy knitting and collecting stamps. She also likes math class and loves softball even though the bat is as tall as she is. If you want to see a unique trick, ask Denise if she will make her tongue into a clover for you.



Jon Parsons

Jon spends his free time shooting off model rockets, swimming, and playing the violin (boy can he play!). Jon thinks that he has more Dungeons and Dragons books than any student here. He enjoys playing Dungeons and Dragons, Car Wars, and has an interest in model rockets. In the future, a long time from now, Jon wants to be a computer programmer.



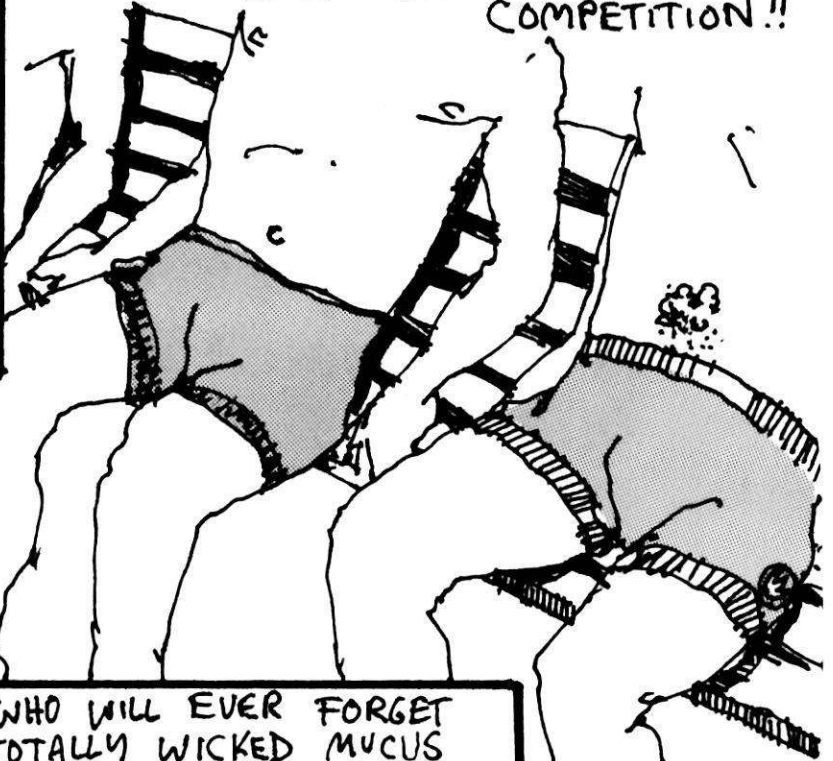
EVENTS

WHAT A GREAT YEAR FOR EVENTS!!!

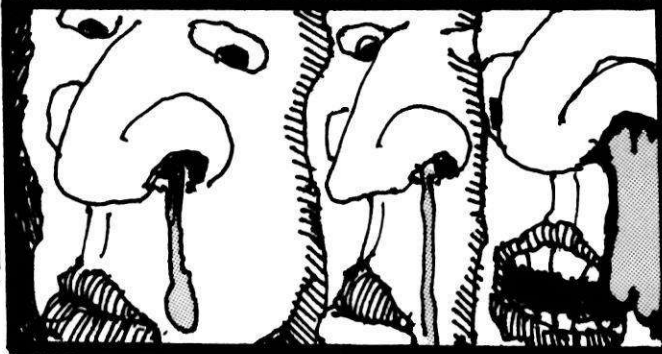
WOW!!! WHO CAN FORGET
THE AWESOME TOENAIL
GROWTH CONTEST??!!



AND THE AMAZING BELLY
BUTTON LINT COLLECTING
COMPETITION!!



AND WHO WILL EVER FORGET
THE TOTALLY WICKED MUCUS
DRIP RACE!!



GEE WHIZ!!
THE BAVARIAN COOKED
WORM EATING CONTEST!



Arts Week

During the week of January 22-25, Crossroads had its first special events week. This year the focus was on the arts.

Organized by the Coordinators of the Co-Curriculum, Carol Lieber and Louise Cameron, the Arts Week consisted of many events and performances from many different fields. Students were given the chance to be exposed to many new and interesting fields of art.

Wednesday was Arts Day. Students did not attend their regular classes but instead they went to different workshops, such as Pastel Drawings, Studio Drawing with a professional model, and "Design a T-Shirt." Students also went on field trips to many galleries, studios, and even backstage at the Repertory Theater.

On the other days students were treated to different types of performances during assemblies. These included music by Tony Petrie and friends, the Sweet Adelines Quartet and the Mid-America Dance Company.

Next year students may see more of these special events weeks possibly focusing on the sciences or related themes. This could be the start of something big.



Students learn that if they try hard enough, they too can defy gravity. Keep trying Michelle!



The Mid-America Dance Company performs "Tribute to Canines: Where's the Fire Hydrant."



An unforgettable performance by Plácido Domingo.



For Thornton and Jon the bikathon was a matter of course...

The '84-85 Bikathon at Forest Park, Crossroads' first, was a success. Twenty five bikers rode approximately 625 kilometers, raising \$1,500.

Parent Arthur Neis organized the event with a group of parents including Nancy Mebed, Thomas Dahms, and more, who worked endless hours preparing for that Saturday afternoon.

As eighth grader John Hoare said, "I rode about 32 miles and it was pretty fun. It was a good idea and hopefully next year it will be done again, with more people!"



For Amy, it was a matter of staying on course.

Roller skating



On February 8, all of Crossroads along with the guest A.F.S. exchange students from other St. Louis schools took off to Saints Roller Rink for an afternoon on wheels.

The rink was rented out for the afternoon for the school. Everyone seemed to enjoy it, as usual, and this tradition will probably continue as long as Crossroads does.

This year's skate was especially well-timed, as it coincided with the school's evaluation following the infamous "acid spill."

Pat Duffy demonstrates why he plays basketball instead of roller derby.

Science fair



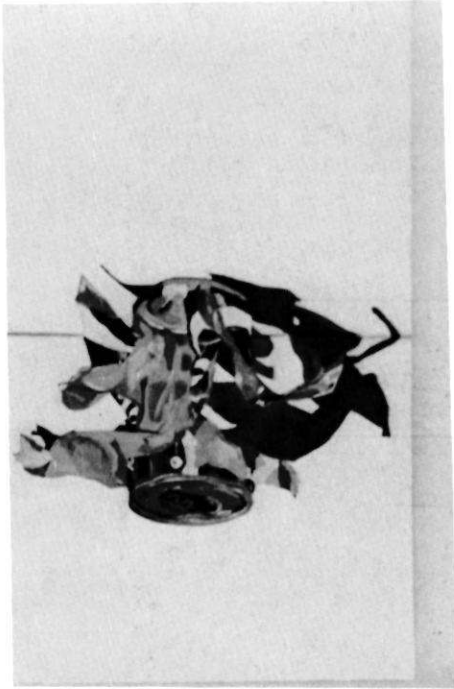
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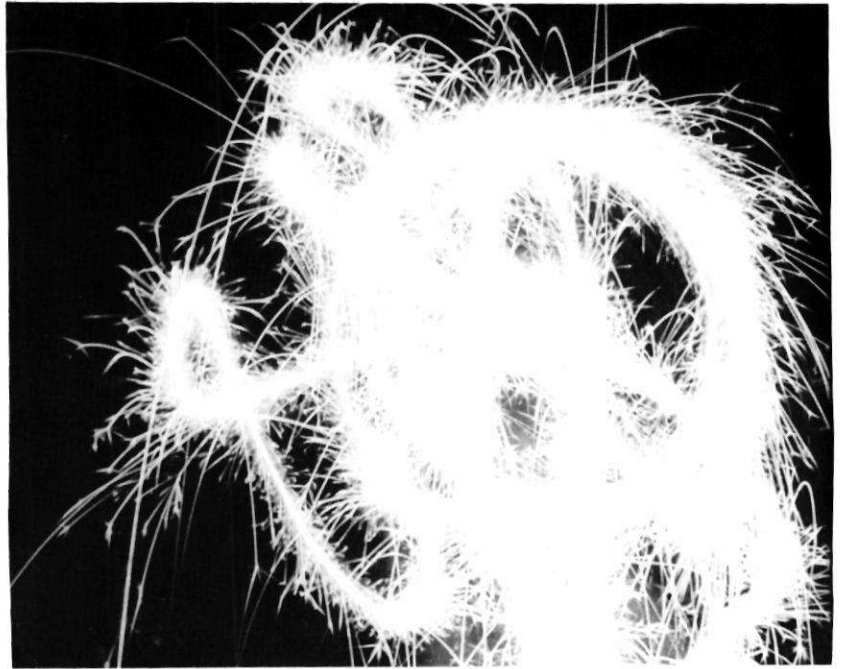
Chelsea Sommer, Eric Vincent, Munir Mallik, Tanda Pommier (faculty advisor), Jason Morros.

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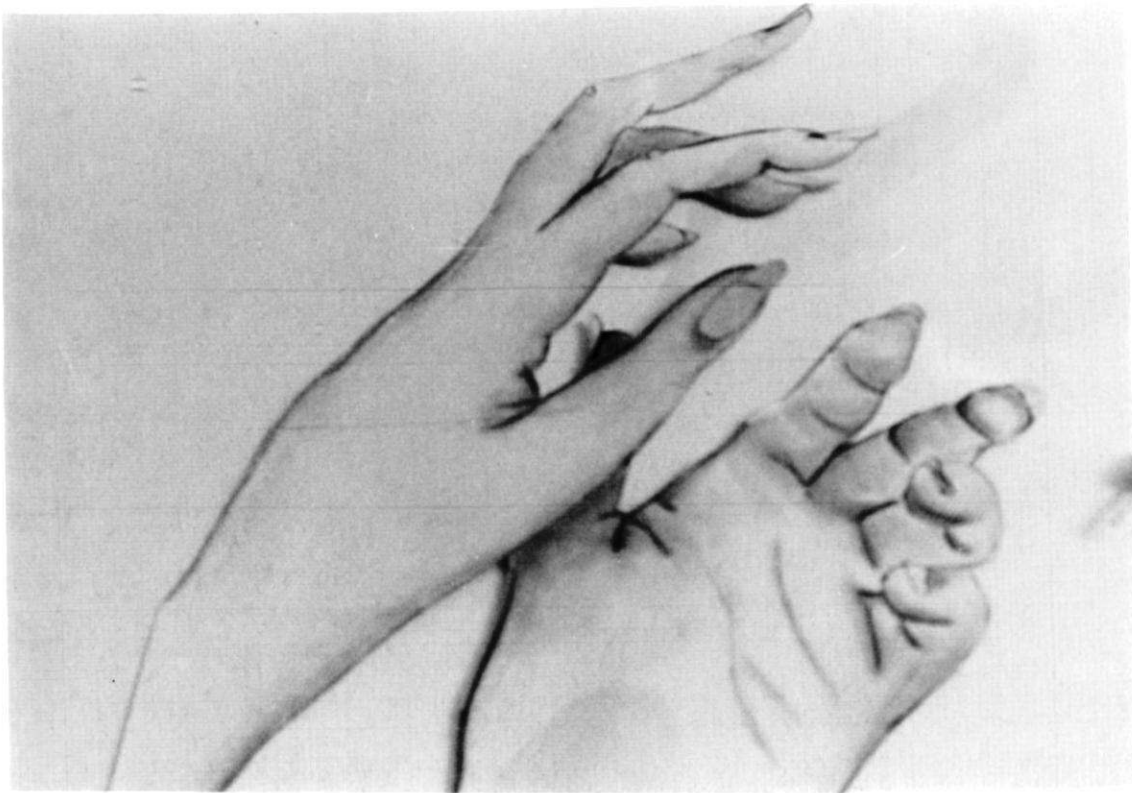
Rachel Kelsey

Student Art

Alison Dunlop illustrates an exploded coke can.



A collaborative effort by the Middle School photography class of sparklers in the dark.



A chalk drawing by Emily Jackson.

Student art is very prominent at Crossroads. The lobby and halls are filled with sculptures, paintings, and display cases.

This year Crossroad's art classes were taught by Charlie Sitzler and Louise Cameron. Sitzler taught sculpture, Photo Journalism, Graphic Design, MAPWAIR, Middle and Upper School Photography and Film and Video. Cameron taught Drawing, Advanced Drawing, 3-D construction, Ceramics, and Art Media.

For the third year in a row, a Crossroads student, Josh Kohn, was a finalist in Washington University High School Art Competition. Kohn's portfolio, along with those of other finalists, was shown at Bixby Gallery at Washington University in early February.

Other of Crossroads' outstanding art students include Randi Chervitz, Alison Dunlop, Michelle Evans, and Irene Pappas.



A chalk drawing by Alison Dunlop.



Sculpture by Erik Dahms.

Speakers



The Mayor explains how looking like Howdy Doody is a Political benefit.

Crossroads had many fascinating and entertaining speakers who came to talk to the students and faculty this year.

Among them were A.F.S. students, Mayor Schoemehl, Alderman Freeman Bosley, Judy Manning from "Operation Crossroads" (no relation), Otis Woodard and psychic Linda Frost.

The A.F.S. students came from Germany, Japan, Portugal, and France. They talked to Crossroads about cars, food, world peace and modern appliances in their countries.

Mayor Schoemehl and Mayoral-candidate Freeman Bosley presented their platforms for the 1985 primary election.

Judy Manning talked about fighting world hunger and her organization, Operation Crossroads, and Otis Woodard talked about the hunger in St. Louis.

The last speaker was Linda Frost, a psychic, who talked about "feeling our own and each other's auras." The students and faculty both participated in finding them. Arthur Lieber, school director, said, "We are always willing to have speakers from elsewhere in our galaxy and clearly this experience showed our commitment to that goal."



Candidate Bosley explains the difficulty in running against a man who looks exactly like his childhood hero.

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ORGANIZATIONS

THERE ARE MANY UNIQUE ORGANIZATIONS AT CROSSROADS,
SUCH AS THE ...

1) SOCIETY FOR PEOPLE WITH
BIG HEADS.



HEY MAN
I WAS
JUST BORN
THIS WAY

3) THE ORGANIZATION
FOR SEXUAL
DEVIANTS

2) THE ORGANIZATION FOR PEOPLE
WITH NO HEADS.



American Field Service



Standing (right to left)

Erik Dahms, Molly Drebes, Maureen Perry, Helen Lecouvey-Braille, Megan Perry, Amy Struckhoff, Darryl Flaherty, Patty Costello

Kneeling

William Wohlt

Not Pictured

Martine Matzke

One of the most exciting things Crossroads has to offer to students is the American Field Service (A.F.S.) program for exchange students. Crossroads is not only a member of A.F.S. but a chapter. Each year the A.F.S. committee helps raise money to pay the dues: \$1000.

Throughout the year A.F.S. has held five fund raisers, including bake sales, the annual Christmas poinsetta sale, the annual Valentine's carnation sale, and the chrysanthemums and tulip bulb sale.

Besides fund raisers, A.F.S. has time for fun, too. Each year there is a special Christmas party for Crossroads' A.F.S. exchange students, which includes roller-skating at Saints.

Crossroads' 1984-85 exchange student was Helene Lecouvey-Braille of Lyon, France. She stayed with the Emersons whose daughter, Elisabeth, a Crossroads student, is now in Belgium through the A.F.S. program. Helene finds the United States "very interesting" and we're sure she's gotten a taste of Crossroads in her year's stay.



International Harmony at Crossroads.



Thespians



Standing (left to right)

Ursula Wayne, Megan Perry, Josh Kohn, Miriam Newburger, Kati Schneider, Maureen Perry, Randi Chervitz, Ben Rubie

Kneeling (left to right)

Caroline Reinach, Helene Lecouvey-Braille, Suzanne Drebes, Katie Adams

Theatre - a seven letter word which at Crossroads encompasses everything from acting classes to "Bells Are Ringing," which was performed April 26, 27 and 28 1985.

The theatre department at Crossroads, under the direction of Anita Grunmann, started a chapter of the International Thespian Society this year. The students involved were Kati Adams, Randi Chervitz, Heidi Domzalski, Megan and Maureen Perry, Suzanne Drebes, Ben Rubie, Miriam Newburger, Josh Kohn, Kati Schneider, Helene Lecouvey-Braille and Dianna Feltmeyer. In June, some of the members hope to attend the society's festival in Muncie, Indiana.

Earlier this year students participated in a Performing Arts Day. Students from all Confederation schools participated in all day workshops where they danced and performed monologues. They were all critiqued by a panel of performing artists.



"Bells Are Ringing"

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First Row (left to right)

Sharif Mebed, Ben Rubie, Maureen Ferry, Katie Adams, Randi Chervitz, Scott Carter, Suzanne Drebes, Josh Kohn, Alice Meek, Amy Himmeger, Michelle Farris

Second Row (left to right)

Helena Hillman, Elena Fedor, Alicia Smith, Yanna Palmer, Eric Vincent, Tracie McKinney, Raleigh Freeman, Ronda Jackson, Erik Lawrenz

No Picture: Darryl Flaherty

The musical comedy students spent one night earlier this year showing off their talents. Suzanne Drebes and Kati Adams choreographed the dance numbers while Chris Jackson helped students with their songs. The night was for both Upper and Middle School students.

As mentioned above, "Bells Are Ringing" was performed by Cross-roads students in late April. It was a 1950 musical dealing with teens, friendship, deceit, and romance.

The musical director was Chris Jackson and the choreographer was Margie Rowe. An immense number of students from the senior class participated.



First Row (left to right)

Sela Thompson, Katie Schneider, Micki McNamara, Virginia Price, David Koch, Alea Light, Alita Thomas, Erika Johnson, Fred Neis, Ted Epstein, Rachel Cohen, Shana Cohen, Alison Dunlop, Amy Struckhoff

Second Row (left to right)

Dan Gohagan, Helene Lecouvey-Braille

Middle School Advisory Board



Standing (left to right)

Alita Thomas, Denise Merson, Marjie Butler, Jason Morros, Rob Ciampoli, Pat Dolan

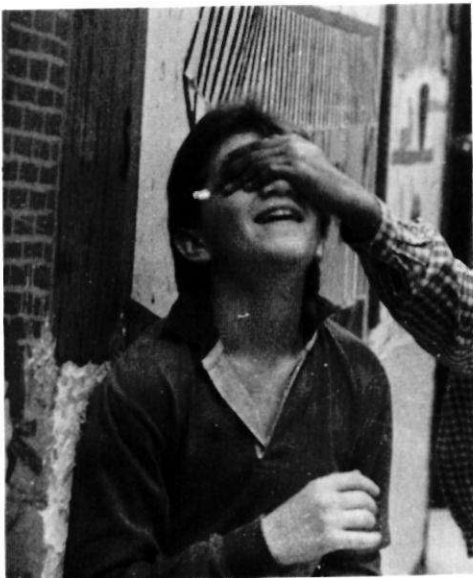
Sitting

Dylan Calsyn, Scott Levine

This year's Middle School Advisory Board consisted of a total of 13 Middle Schoolers. During the first semester Matt Ledesma, Michelle Merson, Yanna Palmer, Sela Thompson, Alicia Judy, and Ronda Jackson were the participants. During the second semester the participants were Scott Levine, Dylan Calsyn, Jason Morros, Michelle Merson, Denise Merson, Pat Dolan, and Alicia Thomas.

During the first semester these members decided to have a Halloween Party and they worked hard to get off-campus privileges for the eighth grade.

During the second semester the members ratified the vending license law and opened a bookstore. The bookstore sold various items like pencils, pens, and paper.



Upper School Advisory Board

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Back row (left to right)

William Wohlt, Nelle Byrne, Jason DeRanek, Heidi Domzalski, Carmel Calsyn, Beth Sindel

Middle row (left to right)

Alice Meek, Caroline Reinach, Andrea Little, Miriam Newburger, Suzanne Drebes

Kneeling (left to right)

Pablo De Castro, Ted Epstein, Mar-Shai Freeman, Barb Wingfield.

Upper School Advisory Board - the minds behind the movement - continuously making day-by-day decisions which only they, as school representatives, can make. The '84-'85 school year has been full of action-packed excitement and adventure for the Advisory Board. The most significant accomplishment that was made this year was the controversial "Junior Driving."

Junior Driving was a proposal submitted by junior members of the Advisory Board to allow the juniors to drive off-campus during lunch hours. This was possibly the most enveloping submittal to the Advisory Board since its early existence. This submittal allows any and all juniors, with permission forms, to drive off campus to wherever they please, but they have to be back by the end of lunch.

There was also a submittal for a "sophomore riding privilege" which would allow sophomores to ride with juniors and seniors to places off-campus during lunch; this proposal, however, was rejected.

Another major project was the Semi-Formal Upper School Dance, held February 15th at Nelle Byrne's house, master-minded by sophomores Miriam Newburger, Molly Drebes, Michelle Evans, and freshman Alice Meek. The proceeds from the dance went to Crossroads American Field Service (A.F.S.) chapter.

During this year, the Board extended off-campus boundaries eastward to the corner of Pershing and Belt, and northward to the Delmar Inn. This occurred because of the demolition of the China Inn, and the local McDonalds moving 2 blocks away.

The Advisory Board also rejected only a few little-known proposals, including the nude mud-wrestling, and the "Throw the Middle Schooler" contest.

Prom Committee



Back Row (left to right)
Pablo de Castro, Chris L'Ecuier, Randi Chervitz

Front Row (left to right)
Don Riegle, Scott Carter

Second Row (left to right)
Ricky Gold, Katie Schneider, Pat Grote, Caroline Reinach, Kim Wilds, Andrea Little

As the yearbook was going to the printer, the 1985 prom was still in its planning stage.

The juniors agreed to fund this year's prom at the Holiday Inn downtown in exchange for the privilege of junior driving.

The prom committee consisted of juniors Andrea Little, Randi Chervitz, Micki McNamara, Kim Wilds, Pat Grote and Eric Dahms.

They raised \$400 from Junior Slave Day, when they "auctioned off" the Junior class.



Andrea shows a "little bit," hoping to get a bit more for the juniors.

Scott shows us what he's got.

Students and Teachers Organized to Prevent Nuclear War



From Left To Right

Anna Price, Dianna Feltmeyer, Susan Kim, Megan Perry, Shana Cohen,
Nelle Byrne, Pablo de Castro, Debbi Brown

In its second year at Crossroads, Students and Teachers Organized to Prevent Nuclear War (S.T.O.P.) has accomplished many things. It consists of 15 students and Carol Lieber and meets second hour Wednesday mornings to discuss and learn about the issues surrounding nuclear war. They have had guest speakers and seen many films to increase their understanding of the consequences of nuclear war.

The S.T.O.P. members have taken a survey on the feelings of the community on the arms race and had the results published in the Post-Dispatch. They have also petitioned for a bi-lateral freeze and they took the results with them to Washington D.C. in April.

S.T.O.P. is an organization based out of Chicago with many chapters like the one here at Crossroads all over the U.S. While they do not have enough force to stop nuclear war, their main goal is to become more educated and more comfortable with the issues of nuclear war.

Math Team



Standing (left to right)

Suzanne Drebes, Rob Ciampoli, Maroula Bratakos, Igor Alperovich, Marty McKee, Helena Hillman, Jared Ragland, Diane Picard

Kneeling (left to right)

Virginia Price, Alicyn Dahms

Our prestigious Middle School math team this year placed sixth out of twenty-two teams that competed in the St. Louis metropolitan area "Math Counts." They worked out two weeks during B period to get in shape. They received no trophy for their efforts but got a free lunch and a lot of self-satisfaction.

Also several Upper Schoolers participated in a math contest held at Washington University. Even though they didn't win, Suzanne Drebes, Zaki Mahmood, Amy Struckhoff, Alex Bischoff, Beth Sindel and Andrea Little were happy about the results.

Chronicle



From Left to Right

Don Ingerson, Josh Kohn, Sharif Mebed, Irene Freydina, Darryl Flaherty, Emily Wotka, Maureen Perry, Dianna Feltmeyer, Jenny Sweet, Lisa Marcus, Chris Campbell, Emily Kaplan, Jason Morros, Charlie Switzer

Not Pictured:

Chris Cooper, Devonne Hutson, John Frankowski

This year the Chronicle Staff was composed of a group including for the first time two eighth graders acting as Middle School Editors. They were Jason Morros and Chris Cooper. Other editors were: Devonne Hudson and Don Ingerson as Co-Editors, Irene Freydina and John Frankowski as Typeset Co-Editors, Diana Feltmeyer and Jenny Sweet as the Copy Editors, Maureen Perry as the Photo Editor, and Joshua Kohn as the Graphics Editor. The staff was advised by Chris Campbell and Charles Sitzer. The "Spiritual Consultant" was Calvin Fussman.

The Journalism class published six issues of "The Crossroads Chronicle" despite disputes over press freedom with the administration. They also published one issue of "The Crossroads Ironicle," an April Fools issue.





The 1984-85 yearbook editorial staff was composed of Randi Chervitz, Scott Carter, Emily Wotka, Caroline Reinach, Alex Bischoff, Micky McNamara, Irene Freydina and Maureen Ferry. Darryl Flaherty was the editor in chief.

As editor, Flaherty worked on layout, editing and delegating responsibilities to other staff members.

Photos were taken by the photo-journalism class throughout the year. It took the staff about two months to put the yearbook together.

Flaherty said the hardest thing about working on the yearbook was, "getting everyone to give quality work and to get along."

From Left To Right

Irene Freydina, Maureen Ferry, Josh Kohn, Randi Chervitz, Emily Wotka, Caroline Reinach, Scott Carter, Darryl Flaherty, and Micki McNamara



Back Row (left to right)

Irene Freydina, Darryl Flaherty, Josh Kohn, Lisa Marcus, Emily Wotka, Jenny Sweet, Shana Cohen, Emily Kaplan, Don Ingerson, Dianna Feltmeyer, Sharif Mebed, Micki McNamara

Front Row (left to right)

Maureen Ferry, Jason Morros, Megan Ferry, Andrea Little, Molly Drebes, Miriam Newburger, Scott Carter, Caroline Reinach, Randi Chervitz

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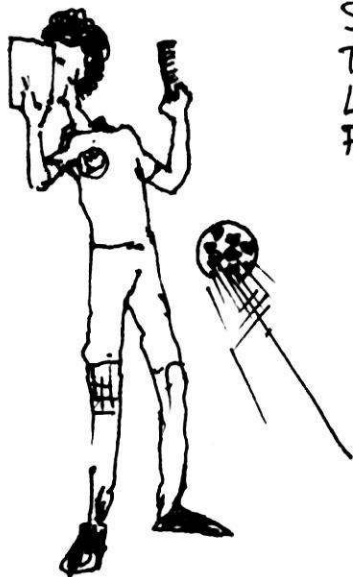
Chris Cooper, John Frankowski, Alex Bischoff, Katie Schneider

SPORTS

OUTTAKES



THE CROSSROADS UPPER SCHOOL OUTDOOR SOCCER TEAM LOSING ONE OF ALL THE GAMES THEY LOST THIS SEASON.



GOALIE JEFF MELNICK, WHILE PAUSING TO COMB HIS HAIR, ALLOWS A CRUCIAL GOAL.

THE VOLLEYBALL TEAM DISPLAYS ITS SKILLS (OR LACK THEREOF) BUT AT LEAST THEY HAD FUN.



PAT DUFFY TRIPS.



Standing (right to left)

Coach Ray Butler, Geoff Bell, Jim Lindsley, Scott Levine, Gary Ratin, Brian Gilby, Ben Neis, Matt Ledesma, Michael England, Mike Hilfrink, Pat Dolan

Kneeling (left to right)

Eddie Haynie, Tom Wotka, Seth Kroeck, Tom Keating, John Hoare, Jared Ragland, Daniel Gohagan.

The '84-'85 Middle School Boys Soccer Team successfully defended their University City Crown by compiling a 6-2-2 record.

The team was led by eighth grader Dylan Calsyn, a leading scorer. Other outstanding players included sixth grader Tom Keating, seventh grader Ed Haynie and eighth graders Scott Levine, Mike Hilfrink, Jim Lindsley, Ben Neis, and Brian Gilby.



Jon and Seth down a few brews before the game:
"Lots of protein."

Upper School Girls Soccer



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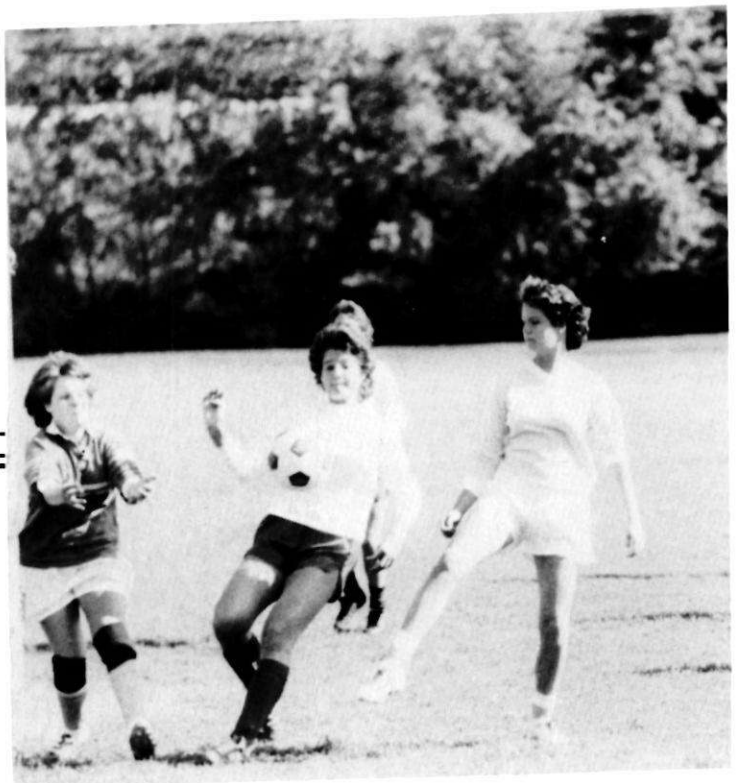
Ray Butler, Kim Wilds, Michelle Evans, Wizzie Bartley, Maureen Ferry, Megan Ferry, Kim Moore, Caroline Reinach, Alice Meek, Andrea Little, Katie Schneider, Audrey Morgan

Front Row (left to right)

Michelle Farris, Molly Drebes, Alicyn Dahms, Amy Himmeger, Miriam Newburger, Roz Harris, Laurie Koch

The Girls Varsity Soccer team suffered through a winless year of disappointments, but it was also a learning year for the girls, over-matched in a "select teams" soccer league.

The team was supported by strong goal tending by eighth grader Wizzie Bartley, and mid fielding by sophomore Irene Pappas, Miriam Newburger, and Molly Drebes.



Member of opposing team shows Alice how to kick a soccer ball.



Standing (left to right)

Steve Jonak, Don Ingerson, Josh Kohn, Pat Duffy, Ricky Gold, Fred Neis, Kent Evans, David Koch, Terence Holmes, Chris L'Ecuier

Kneeling (left to right)

Erik Dahms, Darryl Flaherty, Pat Moore, Jeff Melnick, Sharif Mebed

The Boys' Varsity Soccer Team played an almost flawless season. The '84-'85 team will go down as Crossroads' best, the team's record being 13-1.

Rick Gold, Don Ingerson, and Jeff Melnick captained a successful team with outstanding players like seniors Pat Duffy and Steve Lindsley, junior Pat Moore, and freshmen Damien Stahl and Sharif Mebed.



An irrepressible Irishman, Pat finds it hard to restrain from doing a traditional Jig.

Blind with passion, Pat mistakes Chris for Ku.

Volleyball



Back Row (left to right)

Marjie Butler, Ray Butler, James Duffy, Chris L'Ecuier, Alice Meek

Front Row (left to right)

Gene Woods, William Wohlt, Molly Drebes, Roz Harris

This year's coed volleyball team did not exactly reach the apex of the sport. The team finished with a record of 6-24.

"It was great; it was fun; we didn't win but it didn't matter," ejaculated Willie Wohlt. The entire team seemed to have the same point-of-view, despite the tough arduous competition this year. Team coach Marjie Butler said, "The season was long, too long, but most of the team stuck with it."



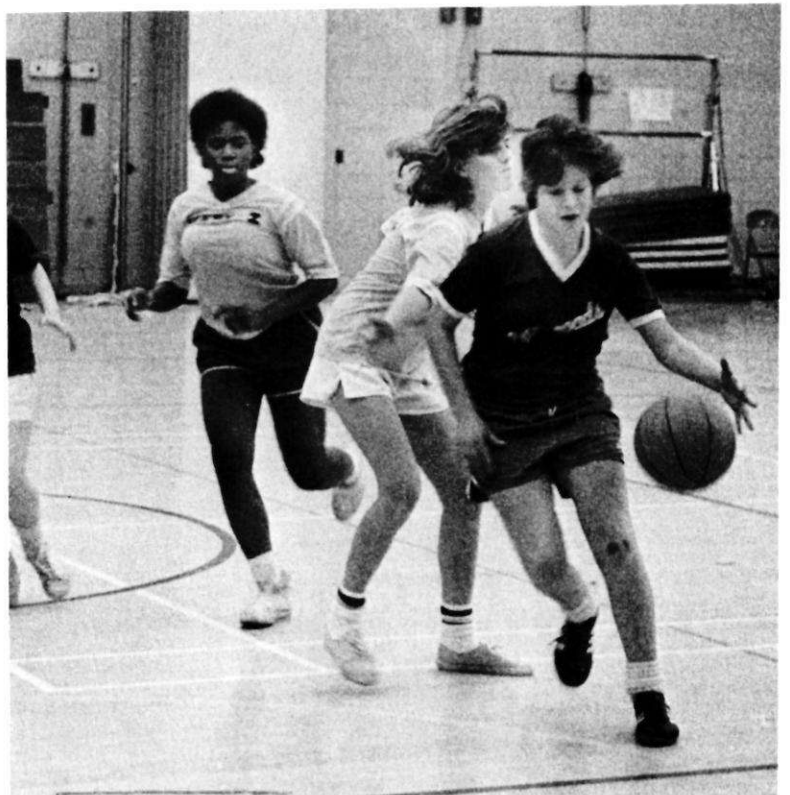
Standing (left to right)

Sam Young, Maroula Bratakos, Marty McKee, Wizzie Bartley, Alicyn Dahms, Chris Henze, Cal Fussman

Kneeling (left to right)

Alea Light, Natalie Cameron

The Girls Junior Varsity Basketball team ended with a very impressive record of 4-1-1. Outstanding members of the team, coached by Cal Fussman, were eighth graders Elizabeth "Wizzie" Bartley, Nikki Alexander and seventh grader Samantha Young.



By using electro-majic connectors, Wizzie magically moves the ball down the court.

Middle School Boys Basketball



Standing (left to right)

Ray Butler, Dylan Calsyn, Gary Ratin, Geoff Bell, Aaron Johnson, Scott Levine, Daniel Gohagan

Kneeling (left to right)

Eddie Haynie, Pat Dolan, Tom Keating, Tom Wotka, Mike England, Mike Hilfrink

The '84-85 Middle School basketball team ended its season with an 8-3 record, and also placed second in the Victory Invitational Tournament, despite high school competition.

This year's team was led by eighth graders Scott Levine and Dylan Calsyn, in addition to Mike Hilfrink, Geoff Bell, and Aaron Johnson.

Said coach Ray Butler, "This year's Middle School squad was by far the most well rounded team ever, it even surpassed the David Dougherty Era."

Upper School Girls Basketball

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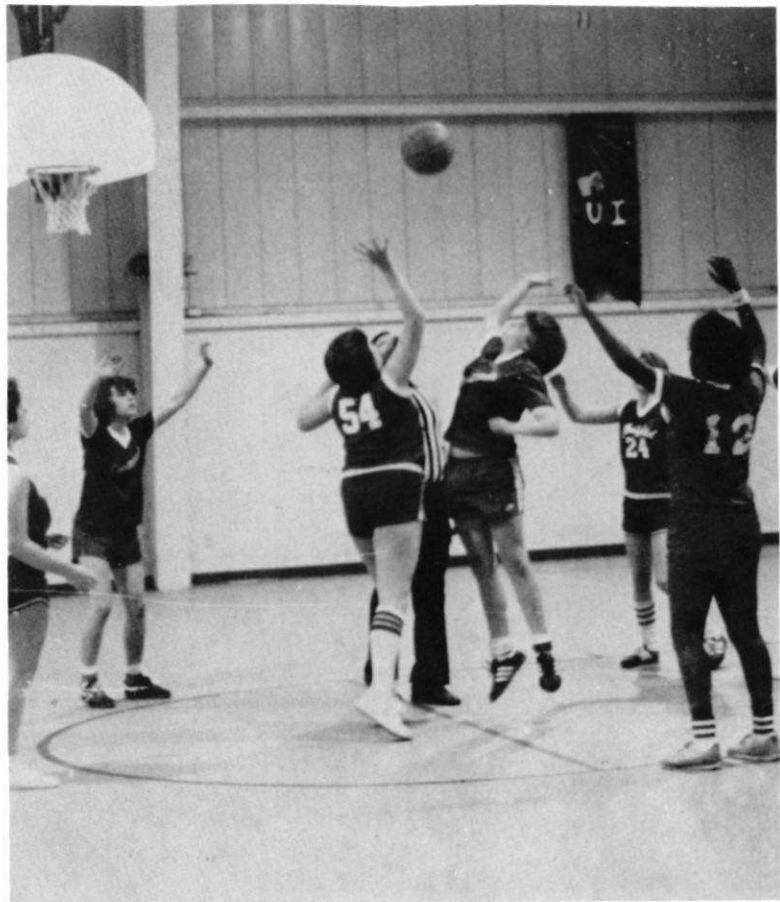
Ray Butler, Alice Meek, Kim Moore, Michele Farris, Mar-Shai Freeman

Front Row (left to right)

Wizzie Bartley, Barb Wingfield, Amy Himmeger

This years Crossroads Girls' Varsity Basketball team ended their short season with a 3-5 record. "The team improved greatly since last year," said coach Ray Butler.

Captain Devonne Hutson summarized the season: "It was really fun playing with new people this year. They really cooperated and played well together."



Wizzie gets the tip as number 54 demonstrates the gravitational effect of too many twinkies.

Upper School Boys Basketball



Standing (left to right)

Chris Campbell, David Koch, Josh Kohn, Zaki Mahmood, Ted Epstein, Mike Levine, Don Ingerson, Ben Kubie

Kneeling (left to right)

Pablo de Castro, Kent Evans, Pat Moore, Pat Duffy, Erik Dahms, Sharif Mebed,

The Crossroads Boys' Varsity Basketball team ended the season with a record of 6-14, slightly better than last year's 4-12 mark.

Coach Chris Campbell felt that with more breaks and consistency the team could have taken the season-ending Gray Summit Tournament.

Outstanding players were senior Patrick Duffy, senior Kent Evans, junior Pat Moore, and sophomore "Scoring Machine" Mike Levine.



Pat Duffy revealing his true self.

Girls Softball

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From Left to Right

Marcy Hoeflich, Roz Harris, Shana Cohen, Susan Kim, Barbara Wingfield, Nicole Chatman, Amy Struckhoff, Mar-Shai Freeman, Amy Himmeger, Kim Moore, Audrey Morgan

Not Pictured: Alice Meek

Well, as the yearbook was going off to the printer, it looked like a big season for Crossroads Varsity Girls' Softball team. The team has a new coach, Carmen Cannon from Harris-Stowe Teachers College.

The team seems very optimistic about the season and is very pleased with their new coach.

Some strong points the team has are Kim Moore, pitcher; Amy Struckhoff, shortstop; and Shana Cohen, on first. Cohen said, "The attitude is better this year and will do okay if the ball doesn't go past the in-field."

The school was also planning to hold its first annual Crossroads softball invitational, May 23rd. The tournament is expected to rival the World Series in terms of excitement and popularity.

Boys Softball



Back Row (left to right)

Terence Holmes, Bobby Sweet, Josh Kohn, Jim Schonlau, Chris L'Ecuyer, Don Riegler, James Duffy, Pat Duffy, Ben Kubie, Ray Butler

Front Row (left to right)

Gene Woods, William Wohlt, Pat Moore, Eric Dahms

As the yearbook was being sent off to the printer, this year's varsity softball team appeared to be shaping up as one of the more interesting squads in recent years. The team had excellent hitters such as Don Riegler and Pat Grote, and a mean-green defense. But their win-loss record was likely less dramatic than their uniforms, beautiful and expensive prom dresses.

As sophomore Miriam Newburger pouted, "Pat Grote wore the same dress to the playoffs as I did to the Junior/Senior Prom... and he has better legs!"



First base person Don Riegler psyches up for a game.



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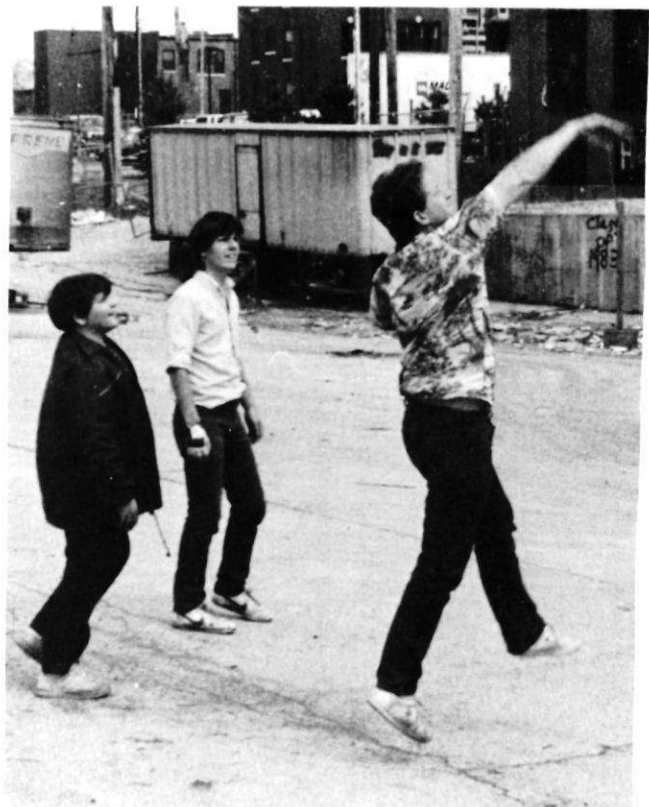
Gene Woods, James Duffy, Adam Johnson, Jim Schonlau, Keith Clark

Kneeling (left to right)

Aaron Johnson, Mike Hilfrink, Paul Ciampoli

The '84-85 season has been a prosperous one for Crossroads' handball team, who won a second place trophy in the International Scholastic Amateur Athletics Contest while on a world tour.

The tour included stops in New York, Europe, a three-day lay over in Switzerland, and an Indochinese vacation package.



Three Crossroadians warming up for a handball game on Crossroads expensive new internationally renowned handball court.

Remember When

Megan said, "Hey, I want to be in a remember when."

The young chemists TOOK their Chemistry test.

Caroline said she'd be afraid to sleep in Steve Lindsley's bed.

When Richard referred to Alex as "his sweetheart"

When Pat's car rose from the dead and made an attempt to join its owner's soccer game at Whitfield.



Ricky yelled out 1823 and it was the right answer!

Richard asked Mike England "where would the slaves go when they escaped?" Mike replied, "To the Ocean?!"

Eric Vincent was rocking on a stool in Tandi's room saying how awesome he was and then he fell off.

Scott Levine asked Diane, "What if it doesn't go in all the way?"



Remember When.....



TR came to school.

Maureen wanted to take pictures of the boys indoor/outdoor basketball.

Carmel said, "That's a lot of crap."

It was said, "the older you get the worse your smeller gets."

Micki came to school in her teddy bear slippers.

Ben was on time for Spanish class.

Josh said, "Spread 'um, Sue."

Ben said, "My butt hurts from last night."

Darryl showed up on time for yearbook class

Miriam, Megan and Suzanne "wanted it all."

Everyone wondered how Kim "got her car stuck" sideways in a vertical parking place.

Heather and Ben almost had the lockers fall on them in their scene.

Micki had to carry Katie to classes for a day.



Remember When.....

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There was an "acid" spill at Crossroads.

Mar-Shai brought back some gross guys from McDonalds.

There was a brutal game of frisbee with records from the MAJIC dumpster.

Tanda told the chemistry class to get their sunglasses.

Timmie said, "Let's not do anything today."

Everyone was becoming "aware."

Rick fell asleep in class and everyone left and turned off the lights and he thought he had missed his 4:30 interview.

Amy K. found mold in her book.

Scott C. didn't want to come back from "mental exertion."

Reidi had "infatuation" thoughts.



Zaki showed us his feminine side on slave day.



Kent threw nacho dip on Debbi and Devonne in bed.

Kent kicked Megan in the middle of the night.

Emily, Andrea, Alex and Don "visited Richard."

Josh took the pop tarts and TR took the Hershey's.



Steve got into bed with Maury (and we have pictures to prove it)!

The seniors had a fire extinguisher fight.

Crossroads students almost burned down Pasta House.

Scott Carter came to school in a mini skirt.

Alex was the "Polyester Kid" for a day.

Debbi Brown got her "hair cut."



Yearbook Photographers



From Left to Right

Jason DeRanek, Erik Dahms, Joe Gerteis, Charlie Sitzler, Elena Fedor, Maureen Ferry,
Mike Levine

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Happy Trails To you,

Until we meet again...