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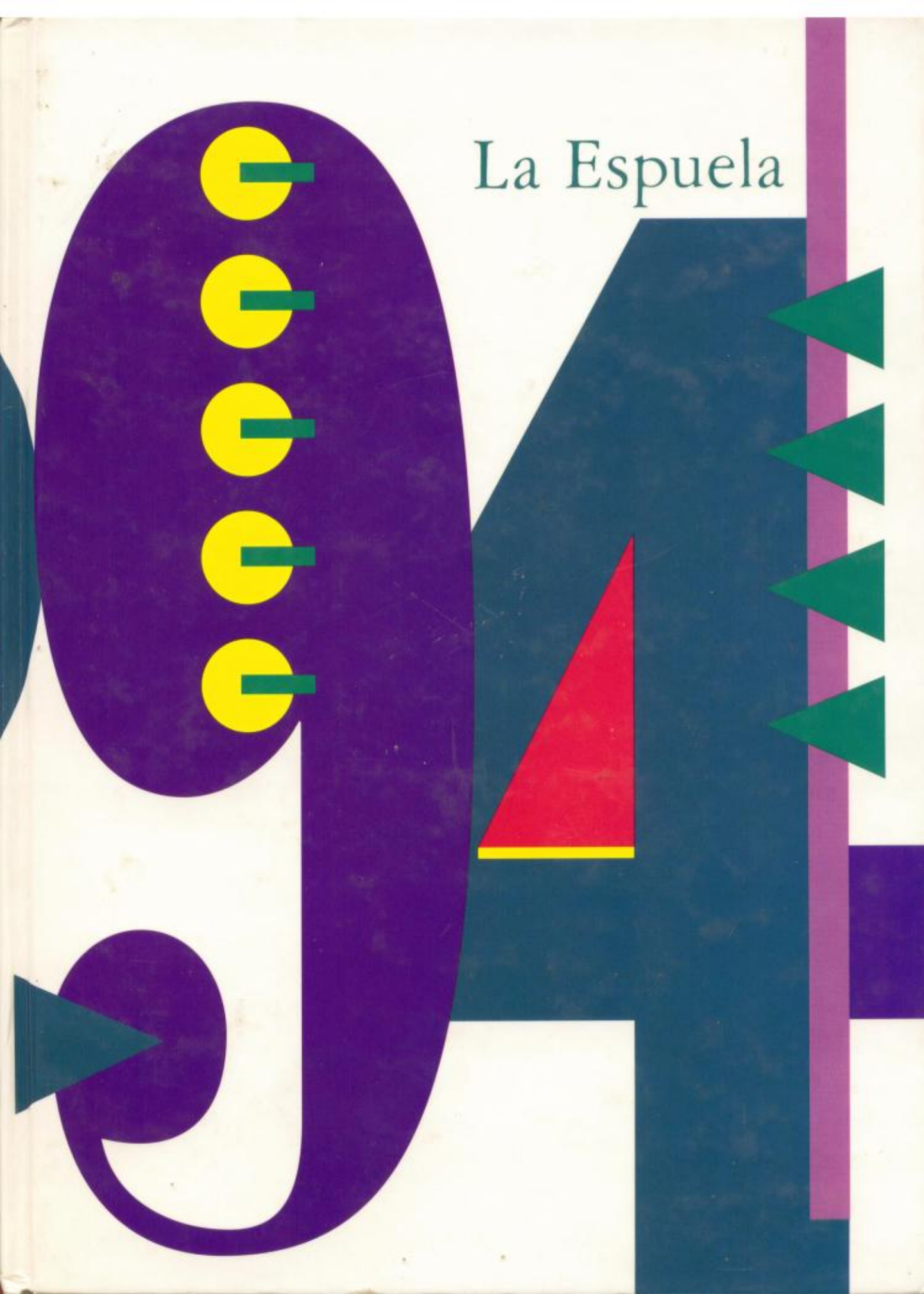

Something New

New Faces . . Sofie, Yesenia, Osbaldo, and Arturo Valdez compare class schedules following registration for new students. SHS/JH welcomed many new students this year.

Something Old

Old Memories Homecoming always sparks the thoughts of "the way it used to be". Many of the traditions followed by SHS/JH students today were begun many years ago.

Something Blue

True Blue . . . Senior Robert Fernandez kept with his goal and represented SHS at the State Track Meet. He won the silver medal in High Jump.

Something Gold

Gold Medal. . Blake Ball won the Samuel French Award, the highest individual honor given to the Best Actor or Best Actress in the OAP state contest.

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New activities
Three new JH cheerleaders joined the ranks this year. Jamie Woolley, Amy Swaringen, Rheanan Adcock, and Kadi White lead cheers at a pep rally.

Another gold winner
Ruthie Valerio qualified for the state FHA STAR competition in the Job Interview Event, junior division. At the Region I contest, Ruthie interviewed for a childcare aide job.

Dancing to the blues
Dionne Robertson, Christi Henderson, Kaci Brownlee, and Mindy Rainbolt are having a good time celebrating Coach Anderson's birthday at the Pizza Hut following the first game at Quanah.

Learning new things all the time
Junior Damin Pellizzari is caught red handed. Part of the duties of the concession stand staff is cleanup. The junior class uses the basketball concession stand as a money-making project.

Sporting new uniforms
The band stands proudly in their new uniforms ready to march at the Wayland Marching Festival. The new uniforms provided separate looks for marching and concert season.

Golden achievements honored
Sophomore Will Humphreys returns to his seat after receiving his membership certificate and pin during the annual induction ceremony for the National Honor Society.

A true BLUE Bulldog fan
Band director Todd Baker keeps everyone guessing each week about what he might pull to promote spirit at pep rallys. No one really knows what is up his sleeve . . . but he is about to show us.

It's all right here

There's something for everyone

It's a NEW year at an OLD school with all the same OLD people. Is that what you think? Well, take another look around.

Sure, there were plenty of OLD people that you all knew with plenty of the same OLD things about to take place. But that is called "tradition". Tradition promotes pride which is something that SHS/JH has plenty of. Check out the homecoming crowd each year.

NEW students and teachers joined the ranks. But there was more. The band sported NEW uniforms. A NEW all-weather track was added to the football field which opened up NEW opportunities for the track program. Work was begun and ground broken for a NEW science lab complex that should be in operation by 1995.

Talk about pride. You can't get any BLUEer than a Bulldog fan. Buttons were popping right and left over many accomplishments throughout the school. One silver medal and four bronze medeals were won at the state track meet. Another silver medal and three GOLD honors were earned at state one-act play. The FHA and FFA organizations continued the winning streaks with district and regional honors qualifying participation at state.

There's something NEW and OLD in every year. Show your BLUE and GOLD pride.

Pouring on the spirit
Shawn Arney stands at the top of a ladder as Cheryl Anderson climbs to the top in a makeshift "spirit gauge". The louder the crowd yelled and cheered, the higher Coach Anderson climbed until she hit the top to be doused with confetti "water".

Check your technique.
Junior exchange student Paul Wysocki came to SHS from Poland. Host parents were Trey and Mina Pellizzari. Students have had the opportunity for several years now to meet and study with exchange students from other countries.

The beginning or the end?
Seniors Chad Key and Dionne Robertson clean out their lockers to leave SHS for the last time. Carrie Fincher and Santos Pina look forward to their own senior years.

Beth and Mindy need Foster Grants, too.
Athletes enjoyed running on the new all-weather track and fans enjoyed watching them run. Spur hosted the first annual Golden Spur Classics and the junior high district track meet.

Student Life

Something New

New twist . . .
The juniors added pool tables as part of the entertainment at the junior/senior prom. With the popularity in playing pool, it gave the non-dancers something to enjoy.

Something Old

Old traditions . . .
Seniors Stephanie Parrish, Chrystal Hill, Penny Kelley, and Dionne Robertson wait in line until it is their turn to have their cap and gown picture made.

Something Blue

Summer blues . . .
Summer is over and it is time to begin a new school year. These students don't seem to be too blue, however. School gives everyone a chance to meet up with old friends and make new friends.

Something Gold

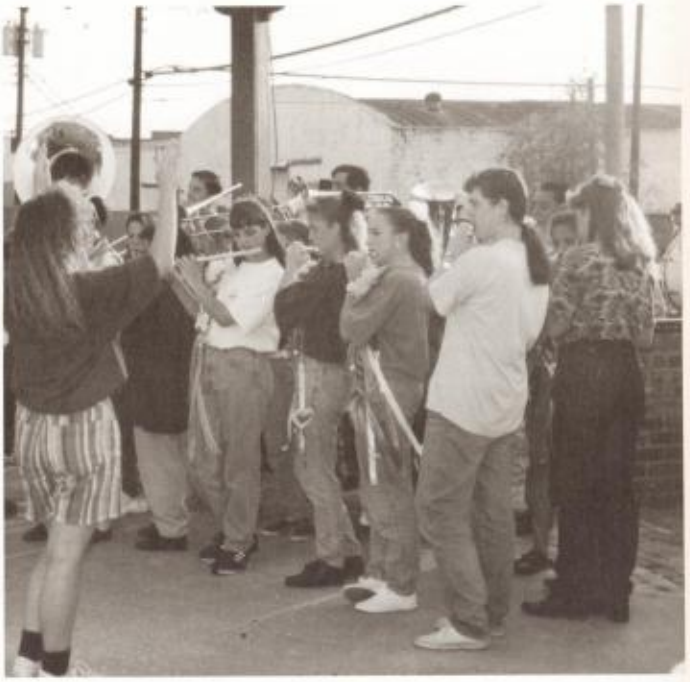
Gold rings . . .
Junior Brandy Clark checks out the selection of senior rings offered by Jerry Clark of Balfour. The juniors are allowed to purchase their senior rings at the beginning of the year.

Always "hamming" it up.
Queen nominee Beth Bingham waits along the sidelines with her dad Alan Bingham. The queen and her court were recognized during the halftime activities.

Crowning the homecoming royalty.
Senior Bulldog Robert Fernandez had the privilege of placing the queen's crown on junior Stacy Castillo after it was announced that she had been elected by the student body.

Keep those toes a-tappin'.
The band performed throughout the weekend entertaining the exes. Heather Adcock leads Elisha Ball, Denise Wyatt, Christi Henderson, and Jalene Young.

Building a big bonfire.
These students stayed after school to help unload materials to build a large bonfire that followed Thursday evening's pep rally.



The Bulldog keeps holding on.
The junior class won the school division with their float idea of the Bulldog roping all of the district competitors. Vicki Diggs designed and built the paper mache heads for the class to use on their float.

Lovin' that Bulldog spirit.
Juniors Michael Kelley, Blake Ball, and Dusty Harris make their way through the elementary crowd at the end of the Friday afternoon pep rally. The Bulldogs have plenty of adoring fans.

Give them plenty of candy.
Seventh grader Dejah Woodward and eighth grader Esmerelda DeLos Reyes throw candy to the spectators during Saturday's parade.

Something for everyone

Homecoming '93

Homecoming 1993 arrived at SHS a week later than usual. But the activities carried on the true blue tradition of Blue and Gold Pride.

Thursday evening's pep rally started things off. The main event was the crowning of the homecoming queen, Stacy Castillo. The football team was introduced and entertainment was provided by the cheerleaders, band, twirlers, and flags. Everyone adjourned to the field behind the school for the bonfire to burn a Crowell Wildcat.

Exes had a chance to visit their old stomping grounds Friday afternoon before attending the weekly pep rally. Blue and gold streamers and balloons welcomed the crowd. Excitement continued to build as the Bulldogs entered the gym through smoke and strobe lights.

The Bulldogs carried through with an exciting 42-0 win over Crowell Friday evening. Andy Hale was rewarded for his outstanding achievement in the game by the Class of '71. During Saturday morning's assembly, 1971 representatives awarded Andy the Silver Spur Award.

Following the assembly, everyone attended the afternoon parade. The junior class was named float winner in the school division. The freshmen won second place and the sophomores won third. Various school organizations were also represented in the parade.

1993 Homecoming Queen & Court
Class nominees for homecoming queen and their escorts were (left to right) seniors Andy Hale and Shay Baldridge, sophomores Monty Thomason and Beth Bingham, juniors Rene Pesina and Stacy Castillo, and freshmen Daniel Woolley and Kelly Sexton. Stacy Castillo was crowned during the Thursday evening pep rally by the football captains.

Everybody yell for the Bulldogs.
Penny Kelley, Kandice Givens, and Shay Baldridge boost Aimee Martin high as Alana Bingham and Alysia Kelley encourage the fans to yell their loudest during the largest pep rally of the year.

PEPRALLY

There is plenty of spirit to go around. So show your Blue & Gold Pride!

Where did these feathers come from?
Eighth grader Jeremy Kelley checks to make sure that no feathers blew into his horn. The band was working hard during a peprally skit to dispel any rumors that had been made of them eating chickens during the previous week.

Stand up and clap those hands!
It's time to support the Bulldogs as everyone stands for a cheer. But you guys are supposed to be watching the cheerleaders, not the photographer.

Who stuck their gum on the ceiling?
Junior Stacy Castillo concentrates hard as Crystal Elmore, Beth Bingham, Holly Fine, and Amanda Benavides make their way through the twists and twirls.

It's pay-back time for these girls.
The coaches turn the tables on the cheerleaders and conduct their own type of contest during the pep rally. There is plenty of apprehension on the faces of these girls.

Making sure there is plenty of noise.
Freshman Martha Montemayor helps classmate Monica Gonzales beat the drums as loud as they can during the Spirit Stick contest. There is not much eighth grader Kyle Walker can do but stand by and wait for his turn.

Strike a pose.
Junior high twirlers Holli Wyatt and Dejah Woodward finish their routine during a junior high/junior varsity pep rally held on Thursdays.

Somebody needs to get in shape!
Todd Baker leads a strange crew through an aerobics activity to gear up for the evening's game. Thank heavens it's the opposing team.

It takes a strong kind of guy.
Seventh grader Al Morales keeps Chancy Long company as he steadies the sign that the Bulldogs will run through at the game.

Gotta' love those Bulldogs/pups.
There is a full range of emotion displayed at the pep rallies as shown by seventh graders Monica Molina and James Clark and seniors Mindy Rainbolt and Jayson Thomason.

Bam! Slam! Ooph! Bop!
Junior high cheerleaders Jamie Woolley and Amy Swaringen act out their parts of a skit prepared for the junior varsity/junior high pep rally.

Fall Fest Queen and King
The senior class sponsored a Fall Fest Queen and King Contest with nominees divided into three groups. Results of the contest were determined by penny vote in cans that were placed around the community. Winners for each category were fourth graders Elise Ramage and Rocky Autry, freshmen Elisha Ball and Ricky Vasquez, and kindergartners Jill Nichols and John Clements.

In charge of the money bag.
Eighth graders Dillon Hale and Andy Vargas supervise Shane Rayvon closely as he places money in his class money bag.

What would you pay to bean these 2?
Juniors Ben Phelps and Cody Crawford are ready for anyone to throw the football at the junior football throw. Classes sponsored various booths to raise $$$.

Annie's got her gun.
Sophomore Kaci Brownlee has a pellet rifle ready for the next customer at her class booth, the BB-shoot.

Counting out the change.
Junior Kandice Givens gives change to a customer at the Junior Pie Walk.

Concentrate on the basket.
Freshman Misty Martin tries her best to win the grand prize at the basketball shoot. She missed winning the prize by a very few baskets.

A sack full of goodies
Sophomore Beth Bingham checks the contents of a paper sack in front of the Fortune Teller's booth. Classmate Shayla Faubus is busy taking down notes.

Ready for business.
Seventh graders Dustin Pellizzari, Adam Hill, Al Morales, and Holli Wyatt stand ready at their class booth to make as much money as they can.

Seeing GOLD at the Fall Fest

Raking in the $$$

The annual Fall Fest was sponsored by the Parent/ Teachers Organization.

Classes and organizations use the activity as an opportunity to provide some entertainment to our small community and make a little money on the side.

The senior class sponsors the Fall Fest Queen and King Contest. Penny votes determine the winner each year. This year's class nominees for SJH and SHS were seventh graders Jamie Woolley and Roland Vasquez, eighth graders Carrie Fincher and Shane Rayvon, freshmen Elisha Ball and Ricky Vasquez, juniors Erin Diggs and Cody Crawford, and seniors Penny Kelley and Mike Ritschard. The sophomores were not represented this year.

Other activites offered this year included the traditional cake walk and pie walk, football throw, basketball throw, duck pond, and face painting. Some classes added rummage sales.

The PTO added a new activity this year. Bingo made a return appearance after a long time away.

Lost in the 50's tonight

Jr. High Banquet

The Junior High Banquet was held at the Alexander Activity Building on the elementary campus.

The building was decorated following a fifties theme complete with the old Bulldog Malt Shop, motorcycles, and records all around.

JH students and their guests were served malt shop specialties of hamburgers, fries, trimmings, cokes, and ice cream sundaes. Parents of the students prepared and served the meal.

Robert and Polly Herrington served as disk jockeys for the dance. Special groups were recognized for achievements made throughout the year.

Mr. and Miss SJH were also revealed. Nominees were Cassie Day, Carrie Fincher, Amy Swaringen, Ruthie Valerio, April Walker, Chris Cranford, Tee Hale, Jeremy Kelley, Shane Rayvon, and Kyle Walker.

Bring on the grub.
Tee Hale, Chris Cranford, and Andy Vargas are hungry and ready to eat those good hamburgers prepared by the parents.

Shake-Shake-Shake
April Walker and Amy Swaringen have no trouble getting in beat with the music during the banquet.

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Ready to make some memories.
Eighth graders Heather Hulme, Rheanan Adcock, and Becky Ramage are ready for the final junior high banquet.

There is a fun-filled evening ahead.
Monica Molina, Teresa Herrera, and Amber Fehland have already begun to enjoy themselves at the junior high banquet.

Come join me at my table.
Cassie Day waits for the other guests to arrive at the junior high banquet. Parents planned and prepared the evening's festivities.

Mr. and Miss SJHS
The junior high student body voted on the nominees and chose Carrie Fincher and Shane Rayvon as the honorees.

Check out the program.
Dillon Hale is dressed and ready to have some fun at the banquet. He's checking the program to see what is coming up next.

Get everyone's autograph.
Ryan Garner autographs a program while Jeremy Kelley and Carrie Fincher wait their turn.

A flash from the past.
Who could it be? James Dean move over because "Spike" Shawn Arney and "Totally Awesome" Todd Baker have arrived on a *cool* bike.

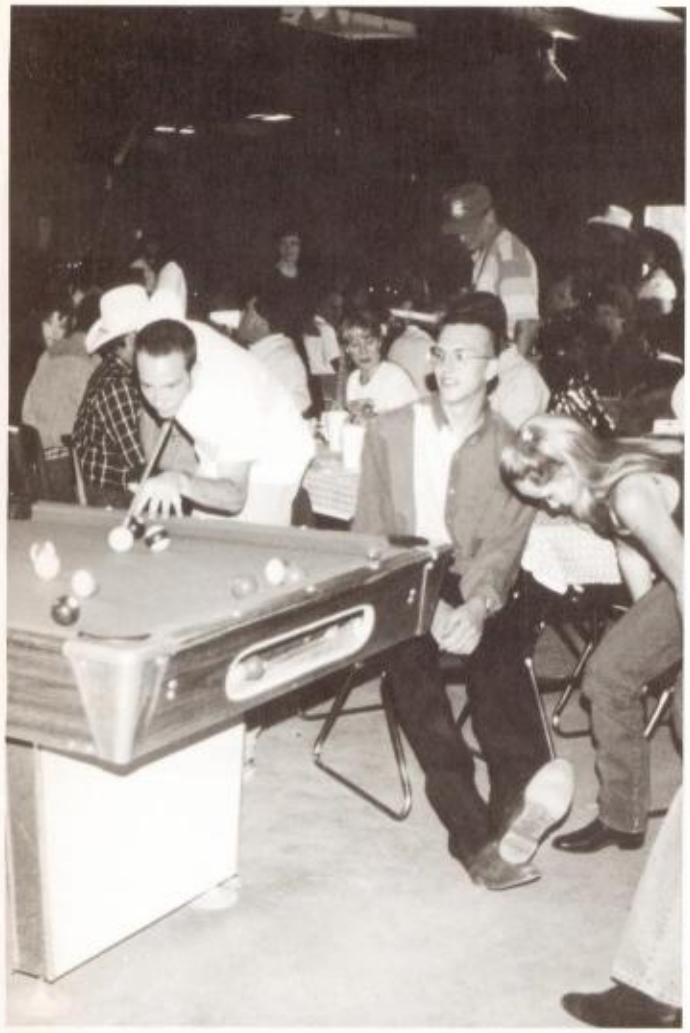
They've got their dancin' duds on.
Ed Dillashaw and Kristina Hyatt have changed their clothes for the dance portion of the junior/senior prom.

Where is your dance fever?
The meal is complete and Dusty Harris, Kandice Givens, Cody Crawford, Jamie Long, Shayla Faubus, Beth Bingham, and Kevin Swaringen are ready to begin the dance.

Prom Royalty
Prom King and Queen (seniors): Dionne Robertson and Chad Key
Prom Prince and Princess (juniors): Anna Casey and Ben Phelps

A corner-pocket shot..
A new activity at the prom this year was added for those guests that would rather not dance. Senior Ryan Middleton concentrates hard on his pool shot.

The hayfever is acting up.
Gaite Taylor, Cody Crawford, and Jamie Long have finished their meal and ready for the next event to get started.



But I wanted a hamburger.
Josh Flud is ready for a cool drink of iced tea while waiting for his plate. Eating those salted peanuts will make anyone thirsty.

This is supposed to be fun?
Brandy Clark doesn't look very amused with the group dance, but Jamie Flud, Damin Pellizzari, Erin Diggs, and their guests are sure enjoying it.

Grab a partner and dance.
Guests had the opportunity to dance to difference kinds of music, play pool, or visit with friends at the end of the evening.

Everyone has the same idea.
Jamie Flud, Kevin Swaringen, Beth Bingham, Blake Ball, Kelly Sexton, and Mindy Rainbolt have one thing on their mind--EAT!

It's a Country Thing

Changing Tradition

It's a tradition that has aged with the school building, but classes are looking at ways to make it different from year to year.

This year was no exception for the traditional junior/senior prom.

For the first time, the "prom" was held at the Exhibition Barn in Swenson Park. Informal dress was revived from a previous year and the "barn" was decorated in a country theme complete with mesquites, stalls, a chuckwagon, wagon wheels, and lanterns.

Guests were served shish-ka-bobs, baked potatoes, salad, and cobbler with all the trimmings while seated at cable spools. Brown sack luminarios and favors of mugs filled with peanuts completed the tables.

Robert Herrington served as the DJ for the dance. He recognized various achievements of high school groups throughout the night and announced the prom royalty.

We couldn't do it without them.

Community Pride

There's no better way to say it.
Supporting Spur ISD is definitely a "SPUR" thing. Whether it is academics or athletics, the community and county have always shown strong support.

Recognizing the seniors.
LaTricia Perry, Stephanie Parrish, and Kristina Hyatt enjoy a meal at St. Mary's Catholic Church. Several churches honor the seniors each year.

It's time to meet the Bulldogs.
Parents and fans always support the teams. James Clark, Becky Middleton, Becky Swaringen, Christi Henderson, Lyndi Thomas, and Elisha Ball enjoy "Meet the Bulldogs" night.

Enjoying refreshments.
Scarlett Hagins and Damin Pellizzari enjoy refreshments following the Dickens Electric Coop's Speech Contest. Each year the Coop sponsors a trip to Washington, D.C. for two high school students. Damin and Blake Ball represented Spur High School.

It's stock show time.
Jamie Woolley and Chad Smith work hard to get their pigs noticed by the judge at the Dickens County Junior Livestock Show.

Would you care to buy some wood?
Juniors and seniors sell firewood as major fundraisers. Raegane Richey and Stacy Castillo are proud of work done as Ben Phelps and Josh Flud stay busy.

Decisions, decisions.
Sophomore Eli Kendrick must decide what kind of homemade icecream he wants at the "Meet the Bulldogs." Parents provide the refreshments at the annual event.

Parents stay just as busy.
These parents and fans of the band program serve sandwiches and trimmings to the Spur and Jayton bands at a combined marching work session.

Money needs to be earned.
Many of the students are involved in church activities as well. Aimee Martin and Nikki Parker pour tea for a dinner their youth group sponsored at the Methodist Church.

Who is this lady in my lap?
Blake Ball is not quite sure what to make of Stephanie Clark's flirting role in a skit. Parents, teachers, and fans are always eager to lend their support to the athletic teams in many ways.

What do I do next?
Flagger Beth Bingham appears to be lost in her pep rally flag routine. Don't worry, though. It is just a part of the dance she must do in the group.

Feathers, feathers everywhere.
Shane Rayvon doesn't know what to think about all the feathers flying from Kendra Atkinson's drum. The band used the feathers in a pep rally skit.

And I promise a victory for the Pups.
Eighth grader Chris Cranford drives a point home in his rousing speech to the fans at the JV/JH pep rally. Seventh grader Rodney Adams is up next.

Hamming it up.
Pictures must be made, but at least t group of banders have found a way make it fun and enjoyable. Leave it the percussionists.

How is the weather down there?
Freshman Aimee Martin gets to see what it feels like to be a bad apple tossed away and forgotten. It's the price you have to pay being a freshman cheerleader.

Down in front.
It's hard to see what is going on when you are a seventh grader standing behind a junior varsity player at the pep rally. So James Clark is just going to enjoy the scene in the stands.

Check out the class schedule.
Freshmen Tyeba Kelley, Tamika Francis, Amanda Benavides, and Paulette Walker pause for a moment to see just what classes will fill their days through their first year in high school.

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Pick out the most expensive ring.
Juniors Marshall Newman, Cody Crawford, Kandice Givens, and Brandy Clark check out senior rings.

We've got spirit, yes we do!
These seventh graders yell as loud as they can to win the spirit stick at the Bulldog pep rally.

Is it time to go yet?
Sometimes class meetings get to be a real drag, but you have to make decisions in some way. These seventh graders have a few years of meetings left ahead of them.

Yes, I hear that tone.
Junior Anna Casey signals that she can hear a tone during an annual hearing test administered by Marva Rainbolt.

We've got a problem here, fellows.
Junior parent Charlie Morris takes a break from woodcutting to see if he can offer any suggestions to help these guys with their overturned tank. Blake Ball, Ben Phelps, and Cory Morris just don't have enough weight to tackle this problem.

Make sure it is all here before turning it in.
Seniors Mindy Rainbolt and Gaite Taylor check against each others' reference notebooks that must be kept for a grade in Mrs. Ball's class.

They're space cadets . . .
After being up for twenty hours, the one-act play cast and crew began acting a little strange. After results were announced, the group had to wait longer for their critique from the contest judge.

Everybody looks perky in this classroom.
These eighth graders have pencils and paper handy and are ready to take some important notes in Mrs. Clark's Language Arts class. Chris, Carrie, and Cassie . . . you're not paying attention.

What have you got for me?
Freshmen Megan Clifton, Elisha Ball, Lyndi Thomas, and Holly Fine anticipate what schedules they might have as Alana Bingham is closer to finding out for sure.

Academics

Something New

New buildings...
Excess tax revenue from Jayton was used to build a science lab complex. Participating in the groundbreaking were Ray Faubus, Spur Board Pres; Oran Hamilton, Supt; Shawn Arney, science teacher; John Fowler, Jayton Board Pres.; Leo Day, board member; Trevor Ford, architect; Gary Harrell, Jayton Supt.; and Kent Hewlett, construction mgr.

Something Old

Old classes . . .
It may be a new group of kids, but they are learning the same classes that have been around for a while. These seventh graders stay busy preparing for a science exam coming up in a future class.

Something Blue

Blue ribbons ...
Outstanding academic achievement is rewarded each year with an Award Assembly. Joyce South presented freshman Jim Tagle with an achievement certificate for Algebra I4.Mrs. South joined our staff second semester.

Something Gold

Shining gold . . .
Rene Pesina places the ring on Erin Diggs finger signifying their mock marriage for a special project in their junior Family Living class.

We've got plenty of CLASS

Class activities round out the busy schedules of students

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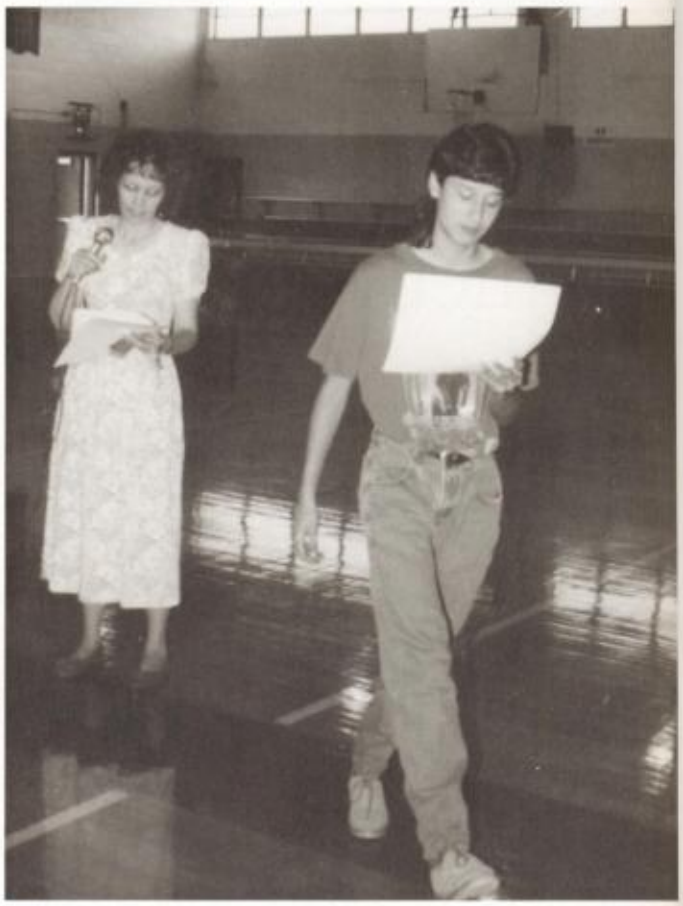
It's time for a change.
The beginning of each new semester brings many students to the office to change their schedules. Sophomore Marcos Montemayor visits with Mr. Walker requesting a change in classes.

We have a tangled-up mess.
These seniors are busy spinning a web as a special self-esteem project in Microcomputer Applications class. Something really funny has been directed to Jayson Thomason's spot.

Check out the name on that paper.
Seventh grader Sofie Valdez checks out her Academic Achievement Award certificate that was presented by her teacher, Stephanie Clark, for Reading Improvement.



Nineteen students were honored by their teachers for outstanding achievement in individual classes.

Receiving awards this year were: Chrystal Elmore, English I; Kelly Sexton, English I Honors; Osbaldo Valdez, English II; Will Humphreys, English II Honors, Algebra II, Chemistry I, U.S. History; Raegane Richey, English III; Anna Casey, English III Honors, Spanish II; Gaite Taylor, English IV; Chad Key, English IV Honors, Pre-Calculus, Government, Economics, Microcomputer Application; Jim Tagle, Algebra I4, Physcial Science; Denise Wyatt, Algebra I, Biology I; Brandy Clark, Geometry, 11th grade Band; Shay Baldridge, Biology II, Accounting; Scarlett Hagins, World History; Megan Clifton, Health; Heather Cash, Keyboarding/Word Processing; Adrian Armendariz, Spanish I; Aarone Atkinson, Physical Education, 9th grade Band; Eli Kendrick, 10th grade Band; Heather Adcock, 12th grade Band.

HIGH SCHOOL ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS
Bottom row: Brandy Clark, Shay Baldridge, Denise Wyatt, Megan Clifton, Will Humphreys. *Middle row:* Heather Adcock, Anna Casey, Scarlett Hagins, Heather Cash, Chad Key, Gaite Taylor. *Top row:* Aarone Atkinson, Crystal Elmore, Jim Tagle, Eli Kendrick, Adrian Armendariz. *Not pictured:* Kelly Sexton, Osbaldo Valdez, Raegane Richey.

Let me help you with that bite. Juniors Cheri Robinson and Rub feed each other a bite of tra wedding cake during the recept lowing their mock wedding fo ec. class. Two "couples" partici the mock wedding to learn abo expenses.

Check the posture and technic Juniors Marshall Newman an Phelps are too busy working on boarding and advanced word pr ing assignment to worry about t rect posture.

UNIOR HIGH ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS
Bottom row: Kadi White, Jeremy Kelley, Rodney Adams, Tee Hale. *Top row:* Holli Wyatt, Esmeralda DeLos Reyes, Becky Ramage, Jamie Woolley.

Eleven junior high students were honored in the annual awards assembly, Monday, May 16, for outstanding achievement through a year of study in individual classes. Teachers made individual presentations.

Seventh graders recognized were:

Rodney Adams, Band;

Danny Garcia, Physical Education.

Jeremy Kelley, 8th grade, Math;

Sofie Valdez, Reading Improvement;

Kadi White, English;

Jamie Woolley, Math Science;

Holli Wyatt, Texas History;

Eighth graders recogn were:

Esmeralda DeLos Re U.S. History;

Joe Gutierrez, Readir Improvement;

Tee Hale, English, E Science, Computer Liter

Becky Ramage, Banc

One-Act Play Nabs Top Honors

'Scenes and Revelations' named First Runner-Up in State Contest

It was a tough trip. But the One-Act Play cast, crew, and director's hard work paid off. The group netted First Runnerup, Best Actor, Best Actress, the Samuel French Award, and an Honorable Mention at the state contest.

Spur advanced from Zone in Petersburg and District in Paducah with Petersburg's *One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest* to Area contest at Lubbock Christian University. From there, the group advanced to regional level at South Plains College, Levelland, and state level at the University of Texas, Austin, with O'Donnell's production of *God's Country*.

Here is money for a trip to England.
Uncle Jacob (Snook) presents Charlotte and Helena with money to buy passage tickets to visit him in England. Thegesture comes during a sentimental trip to his brother's grave in the states.

Finding comfort together.
Charlotte (Richey) comforts Helena (Maben) as she reflects on the family's problems that have lead to the sale of the farm and homestead that they have owned for so long.

It's still dark at 6:30 in the morning.
Ryan carries a load of equipment to the dressing room at state contest in the early hours of the morning. Props had to be unloaded before the company meeting at 7:30 that morning.

It's been a VERY LONG day.
Everyone catches a few winks while waiting on the final critique. Results were announced following the last play around 12 midnight. It was a very tiring, but rewarding day for everyone.

UIL ONE-ACT PLAY: ***SCENES AND REVELATIONS***
Back row: Jim Devenport, Director; Anna Casey, Projectionist; Raegane Richey, Charlotte; Christi Henderson, Lighting Technician; William Snook, Uncle Jacob and Mr. Karonk; Scott Rankin, Crew Manager; Blake Ball, The Man; Vallye Maben, Helena. Front row: Ryan Middleton, Alternate and Projectionist; Kyle Hulme, Sound Technician; Alysia Kelley, Alternate; Elisha Ball, Rebecca; Kaci Brownlee, Millie. Not pictured: Jalene Young, Projectionist.

REBECCA, I'M GOIN' TO HONEYMOON WITH MY HOSS!
Peter is impatient to leave on his honeymoon with Rebecca. Upstairs, the sisters are saying their final goodbyes. Blake's role was named "The Man" and consisted of four separate characters: Samuel, Peter Martin, Dr. Zigler, and Dennis Houser. He won Best Actor at the District, Area, Regional, and State Contests and was awarded the Samuel French Award as Outstanding Performer at State.

This is better than kissing my Aunt Roberta.
Dennis grabs a quick peck after Millie agrees to a first kiss. Blake and Kaci won Best Actor and Best Actress honors at the State contest. Blake was also named as receipient of the Samuel French Award which is awarded to the outstanding performer of the contest.

Haven't you dreamed of the West?
Samuel challenges Helena to follow her dreams and think about joining him in his goal of moving West to check out all the promised treasure. Once they crossed the California border, Samuel plans to make Helena his wife.

You've taught me well, doctor.
Charlotte confronts Dr. Zigler in his motives in trying to convince her to study medicine. His religious values prevent him from following the romantic feelings he has for her.

WE HAVE A PROBLEM, LADIES! BAGS...TOO MANY... TOO BIG!
Mr. Karonk is perplexed with the amount of luggage the sisters have packed to make the move to Manchester, England. The problem is truly ***preposterous***. William Snook's role consisted of two characters, Uncle Jacob and Mr. Karonk. He won All-Star honors at Zone and Honorable Mention honors at District.

EVERYTHING WILL BE BETTER IN MANCHESTER
The three older sisters comfort Rebecca in her grief of loosing her husband, baby, and home. Vallye Maben (Helena), left, won Best Actress at Area and Honorable Mention honors at State, Regional, District, and Zone. Raegane Richey (Charlotte), standing, won Best Actress at Zone and District and All-Star honors at Regional.

Where are the Village People when you need them?
Raegane Richey, Vallye Maben, Elisha Ball, and Kaci Brownlee clown around and test their spelling skills to see if they know how to spell Y-M-C-A following the public performance the night before Zone contest.

Hang on to that ribbon, Nicholas.
Shawn Arney, science teacher, presents seventh grader Nicholas Palmer with his fourth place ribbon for the UIL Life Science contest held during the spring literary meet.

Waiting for someone to say "Begin"
Ryan Middleton, Anna Casey, and Julie Flug are ready to begin their jobs assigned for the OAP Festival in Vernon. As soon as the actors and the rest of the crew arrive, things will get going.

There's a lot of studying going on.
These juniors have finished a regular session of Biology II and are ready to move to a new class. Jerry Robinson can hardly wait to jump out of his seat, but Ruben Lara, Anna Casey, Scarlett Hagins, and Stacy Castillo wait.

EVERYONE NEEDS A BREAK NOW AND THEN.
Senior Chrystal Hill has finished a long assignment in her Microcomputers Applications class and decides she deserves a reward. Students get the chance to unwind from their busy study and homework schedules and play a few computer games in the computer labs.

HIGH SCHOOL UIL CONTESTANTS
Bottom row: William Snook, Eli Kendrick, Chad Key (3rd, Number Sense), Blake Ball, Kyle Hulme. *Middle row:* Elisha Ball, Serena Melton, Brandy Clark, Denise Wyatt, Alana Bingham, Megan Clifton. *Top row:* Vallye Maben, Aarone Atkinson, Scarlett Hagins, Jamie Flud (5th, Literary Criticism and 4th, Science), Beth Bingham. Not pictured: Zach Diggs, Christi Henderson, Kelly Sexton, Chad Smith

What are we going to do?
Millie looks for answers as Rebecca clutches an imaginary baby. Kaci won Best Actress at State and All-Star honors at Area, District and Zone. Elisha won All-Star at Area and Honorable Mention at District and Zone.

UIL District Winners
Senior Chad Key placed 3rd in district Number Sense. Junior Jamie Flud placed 4th-high individual in the Science contest and 5th in Literary Criticism. The spring literary meet was held in Paducah.

Where are you going?
We hope that this is a friendly visit to the principal's office for T.J. Garcia.

JUNIOR HIGH UIL CONTESTANTS
Bottom row: James Clark, Kadi White, Dejah Woodward, Monica Molina, Chris Cranford, Ryan Garner. Second row: Jay Whitefield, Esmeralda DeLos Reyes, Ruthie Valerio, Rheanan Adcock, Cassie Day, Roshanda Bethany, Amy Swaringen, April Walker, Clinton Adams. Third row: Tobin Hancock, Dustin Pellazzarri, Toby Daughtry, T.J. Garcia, Brian Combs, Nicholas Palmer, Kyle Rainbolt, Rodney Adams. Back row: Holli Wyatt, Jamie Woolley, Jeremy Kelley, Eric Phillips, John Gonzalez, Michael Chunn, Adam Hill.

Third place winner.
Junior high UIL coach Stephanie Clark presents John Gonzalez with his ribbon won in the 7th grade spelling contest.

Sixteen junior high students earned twenty-one ribbons the junior high UIL Literary Spring Meet. Achievements were recognized and ribbons presented in the annual Achievement Awards Assembly on May 16.

Kadi White-Maps, Graphs, and Charts, 5th, Spelling, 4th; Rodney Adams-Dictionary Skills, 6th; Tobin Hancock-Dictionary Skills, 5th; Monica Molina-Listening Skills, 3rd; Michael Chunn-Listening Skills, 6th; Rheanan Adcock-Listening Skills, 1st; Chris Cranford-Listening Skills, 5th, Impromptu Speaking, 4th; John Gonzalez-Spelling, 3rd; Cassie Day-Spelling, 5th; Ruthie Valerio-Spelling, 6th, Ready Writing, 3rd, Impromptu Speaking, 5th; Nicholas Palmer-Life Science, 4th; Jamie Woolley-Ready Writing, 3rd, Oral Reading, 2nd; Holli Wyatt-Ready Writing, 4th; Jeremy Kelley-Oral Reading, 1st; April Walker-Oral Reading, 2nd; Amy Swaringen-Oral Reading, 3rd.

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Spur Athletic Booster Club
"Behind the Bulldogs and Spurettes all the way."

Lending a helping hand and getting a closs look.
Seventh grade Bullpups Brandon Adams and Rodney Adams served as water boys for the varsity football team. It gave them a chance to get a close look at how the "big boys do it."

A change in technique should prove helpful.
Junior Blake Ball receives information from Coach Clark in the pressbox on some changes that need to be made to effectively stop an opponent.

Let the season begin.
These bulldogs have just been recognized at the annual Meet the Bulldogs rally sponsored by the Athletic Booster Club. They are just waiting to be served homemade ice cream by the cheerleaders.

It's a tough job, but someone's got to do it.
Scarlett Hagins waits for her assignment and Dionne Robertson and Mindy Rainbolt catch a ride to their designated spot on the cross-country track. Shayla Faubus will run in this contest.

Sports

Something New

New Track . . .
Seventh grade Bullpup T.J. Garcia trys out the new triple jump pit at the JH District meet. Adam Hill waits his turn. Spur hosted the event with the completion of the new all-weather track built following football season.

Something Old

Old events . . .
It's been around for quite a while, but athletes still enjoy the recognition served by the Athletic Booster Club at the annual athletic banquet. It will be a new experience for senior Mike Ritschard, an exchange student from Switzerland.

Something Blue

Blue Spirit . . .
Nothing promotes the Bulldog spirit like the coin toss of the first football game with the senior players lined up and ready for battle. Chad Key, Robert Fernandez, Shawn McDonald, and Scott Rankin take their turn on the line with the game referees.

Something Gold

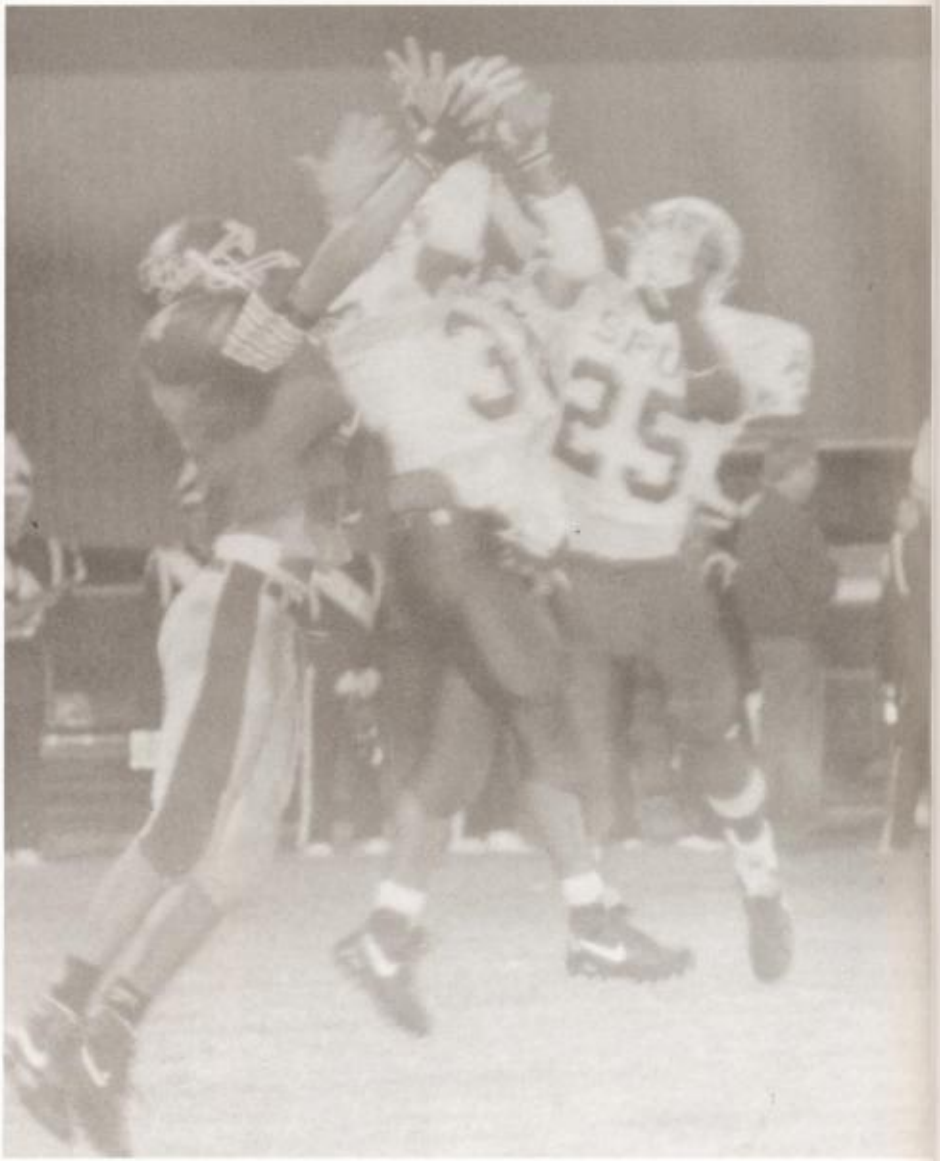
Golden opportunity
Memories are made as Julie Flud bends down to receive her bronze medal at the state track meet in Austin. The sprint relay team represented SHS with plenty of blue and gold pride.

Whoops! There he goes for more yards.
"Quickfeet" Michael Kelley weaves in and out among his Jackrabbit opponents as Dusty Harris, Les Fincher, Shawn McDonald, and Kevin Swaringen work to keep the way clear for him.

You slipped through this time.
Senior Clint Fry makes a dive to catch a Ralls Jackrabbit. Dusty Harris pushes away another Rabbit to offer assistance.

Trying as hard as he can.
Senior Robert Fernandez tries to gain some yards for the Bulldogs in the Idalou Wildcat game.

I believe the Dogs have it.
Rene Pesina and Shawn McDonald both reach high to intercept a pass to an opponent.



You've gone far enough.
Chad Key brings his opponent down while Cory Morris and Kevin Swaringen come in to make sure he stays down.

Tripping another one up
Shane Hickman goes down as Tom Ward comes in to pick up their opponent on the run.

On the road again to a playoff season

Bulldogs share District 3A spotlight with Munday Moguls in playoff

TAKE A LOOK AT THE SCOREBOARD

Pre-District Scoreboard

	Us	Them
Tahoka	55	12
Ralls	30	0
O'Donnell	24	6
Idalou	7	16
Lorenzo	55	0

District Scoreboard

	Us	Them
Crowell	42	0
Knox City	49	21
Munday	13	39
Motley County	51	36
Paducah	33	7

Area Scoreboard

	Us	Them
Sudan	7	48

trict 31 Runners-up and Area Finalist
nding: Coach Dewayne Sexton, Blake Ball, Kevin Swaringen, Cory Morris, Andy Hale, Marcos Montemayor, tt Rankin, Robert Fernandez, Les Fincher, Chad Key, Michael Kelley, Tom Ward, Coach Greg Cowart. *eling:* Coach Roddy Clark, Shane Hickman, Louis Leyva, Dusty Harris, Clint Fry, Monty Thomason, Will mphreys. *Not pictured:* Coach Neilan Hensley, Rene Pesina, Shawn McDonald.

For the fourth time in five years, the Bulldogs advanced to the playoffs and faced Sudan for an Area rematch in Abernathy. Sudan won the game and went on to become the state champs.

Twelve players received individual recognition through special teams:

Michael Kelley-Lubbock AJ's All-South Plains Offensive Player of the Year, All-State 2nd team offense, All-District (unanimous selection) 1st team offense and defense.

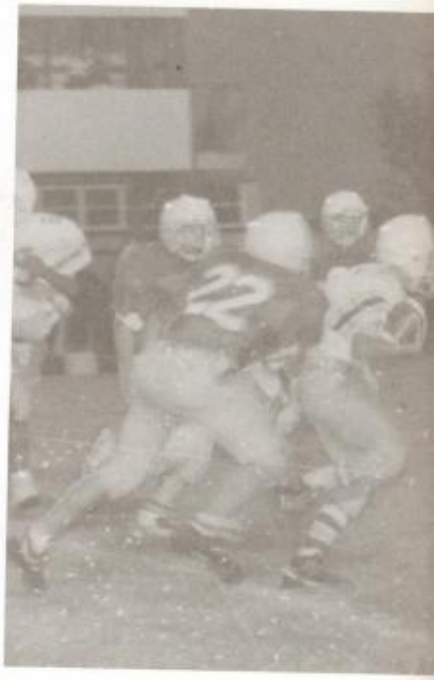
Andy Hale-All-South Plains, All-State Honorable Mention, All-District 1st team offense.

Chad Key-All-South Plains, All-District 1st team offense.

Other All-District honors went to: **Robert Fernandez**, 1st team offense, 2nd team defense; **Cory Morris**, 1st team offense; **Dusty Harris**, 1st team defense, 2nd team offense; **Les Fincher**, 1st team defense, 2nd team offense; **Shawn McDonald**, 2nd team offense, Honorable Mention defense; **Scott Rankin**, 1st team defense; **Blake Ball**, 2nd team defense; **Clint Fry**, 2nd team offense, Honorable Mention defense; **Kevin Swaringen**, Honorable Mention offense, Honorable Mention defense.

Does someone have the football?
It is a mad scramble to gain possession of the football in this pile of junior varsity Bulldogs Cory Childers, Daniel Woolley, Heath Herrera and their opponents.

Catching him by his shirt tail
Bullpup Shane Rayvon catches hold of his opponent before he can get too far down the field.



Playing both fields
Jerri Robinson slides around two Knox City Greyhounds in a varsity game. JVers suited up with the varsity players when the opposing school did not have a junior varsity team.

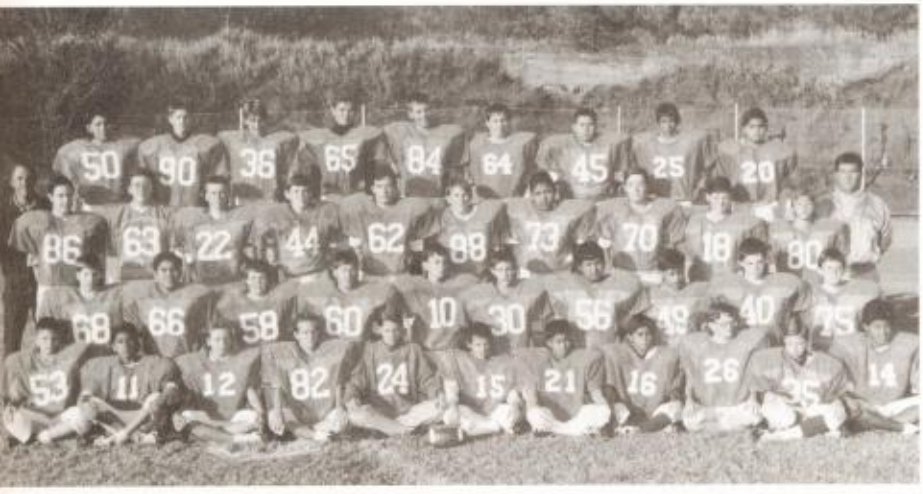
Coming to the rescue
Several junior varsity Bulldogs come through to teammate Eli Kendrick on the ground.

Going to the ground
Bullpup Clinton Adams is forced to the ground by his opponents while Eric Phillips works his way in for assistance.

What do we do next, coach?
Jerri Robinson and Daniel Woolley wait for instructions from Coach Neilan Hensley on a key play that will prove fatal for their opponents.

nior Varsity Bulldogs
nding: Coach Dewayne Sexton, Clint Day, Richie Diaz, Derek Key, Cory Childers, Brandon Phillips, nmy Adams, Zach Diggs, Kyle Hulme, Eli Kendrick, Coach Greg Cowart. Kneeling: Heath Herrera, Daniel oolley, Monty Nolan, Coach Roddy Clark. Seated: Michael Valerio, Ricky Vasquez. Not pictured: Coach ilan Hensley, Jerri Robinson, Mike Ritschard.

Learning early how to build a dog pile.
Bullpups Kyle Rainbolt, Tee Hale, Dillon Hale, and teammates close in on top of an opponent. The poor opponent learns early on what it feels like to be at the bottom of a dog pile.



Junior High Bullpups
Back: Michael Chunn, Dustin Pellizzarri, Brian Combs, Brian Michulka, Kyle Rainbolt, James Clark, Robert Greer, Al Morales, Roland Vasquez. *3rd row*: Coach Roddy Clark, Eric Phillips, Donald McArthur, Shane Rayvon, Kyle Walker, Daniel McArthur, Rick Nolan, Andy Vargas, Eric Thompson, Clinton Adams, Adam Hill. *2nd row*: Nicholas Palmer, Martin Molina, Dillon Hale, Tee Hale, Chris Cranford, Rodney Adams, John Gonzales, Alex Ontiveros, Brandon Adams, Jay Whitefield. *Front row*: Toby Daughtry, Larry Pecina, James Prince, Jeremy Kelley, Jayme Adams, Willie Kelso, TJ Garcia, Freddy Saucedo, Chancy Long, Daniel Casey, David Hernandez.

Building endurance and stamina
Lyndi Thomas and Alysia Kelley concentrate on keeping a steady pace as they make their way around the course in a pre-season cross-country meet. Lyndi also ran in the district junior varsity meet.

Long distrance runner
Freshman Megan Clifton runs cross-country in the fall and long-distance runs during spring track season. Megan represented SHS in the district cross-country meet held in Spur.

Making it look easy.
Freshman Paulette Walker makes her way to the finish line in the varsity cross-country district meet. The meet was hosted by SHS and run on Swenson Park's golf course.

Making strides toward another regional run.
Junior Damin Pellizzari has a steady stride as he makes his way around the cross-country course. Damin ran away with the silver medal, advancing to the regional meet in Lubbock.

Needing a drink and a rest.
Cross-country runners Cheri Robinson, Lyndi Thomas, Damin Pellizzari, and Jerri Robinson catch their breath and visit following their district run.

Will we survive?
JV runners Kelly Sexton, Elisha Ball, Megan Clifton, Lyndi Thomas, Alysia Kelley, and Penny Kelley show different emotions about the long-distance run ahead of them.

Pellizzari returns for regional run

Spur hosts cross-country district meet, Petersburg, Munday claim titles

District Varsity Cross-Country
Back row: Paulette Walker, Tamika Francis, Cheri Robinson, Alana Bingham. Front row: Heather Cash, Coach Cheryl Anderson, Shayla Faubus.

District Junior Varsity Cross-Country
Back row: Elisha Ball, Lyndi Thomas, Denise Wyatt. Front row: Megan Clifton, Coach Cheryl Anderson, Kelly Sexton.

District Varsity Cross-County
Jerri Robinson, Damin Pellizzari, Coach Cheryl Anderson.

No time to tell secrets.
Shayla Faubus takes advantage of the time before her cross-country race to visit.

Junior Damin Pellizzari returned to the regional cross-country meet and posted an 18:16 run, his personal best. Damin qualified for the regional run after winning second place in the district meet with a 19:51 run. The regional time placed him as 28 out of 70 runners.

Teammate Jerri Robinson had placed in the district meet and was to advance to regionals, but was disqualified for stepping off of the running lane.

Both runners had prepared through the pre-district season and medaled at several meets including Brownfield, Lubbock Cooper, Spur, Floydada, and Abilene. Petersburg won the district title with 15 points in front of Motley County, 49 points.

The girls basketball team used the cross-country season to build strength and endurance, running in the same meets. Cheri Robinson medaled in the Lubbock Cooper meet alongside her brother. Petersburg won the girls varsity district meet with 25 points. Munday won second place with 74 points.

Matadors can't stop him.
Junior Marshall Newman goes up through a Matador defensive to score two more points for the Bulldogs. Marshall was named to the All-District team by the district coaches.

All the way up and through.
Junior Michael Kelley makes an easy layup in front of his opponents. Michael was awarded Honorable Mention on the All-District team by the district coaches.

He knows exactly what to do with that ball.
Senior Robert Fernandez joined the team after the season began due to knee surgery, but that didn't slow him down. Robert received Honorable Mention honors on the All-District team.

Stop him if you can.
Sophomore Tom Ward goes over his opponent for a short jump shot. Marshall Newman stands ready to grab the rebound if necessary.

I'm going on through.
Senior Shawn McDonald doesn't let his Lorenzo opponent stop his two-point attempt. Shawn was named to the All-District team with teammate Marshall Newman.

On the defensive.
Senior Chad Key and juniors Marshall Newman and Michael Kelley work a strong defensive line on their home court. Chad was named to the Honorable Mention All-District team.

Bulldogs come close to the top

Petersburg and Lorenzo holds on to district title ahead of Bulldogs

TAKE A LOOK AT THE SCOREBOARD

	Us	Them
Idalou	55	56
Ralls	66	51
Ralls Tour:		
--New Deal	52	80
--Floydada	74	71
--Motley County	46	53
Aspermont	73	70

	Us	Them
Idalou Tour		
--L. Cooper	48	59
--Lorenzo	48	80.
Aspermont	73	70
Jayton Tour		
--Guthrie	58	58
--Paducah	53	57
--Jayton	36	39

	Us	Them
Roby	53	77
Slaton	56	65
Silverton	85	52
Motley County	76	68
Lorenzo	58	56
Motley County	68	51
Petersburg	58	63

Bulldogs--Varsity Basketball
Coach Roddy Clark, Damin Pellizzarri, Marshall Newman, Robert Fernandez, Shawn McDonald, Tom Ward, Michael Kelley, Chad Key, Ben Phelps, Andy Hale.

The Bulldogs have been working through the previous years rebuilding a winning program. This year, they almost made it.

Lorenzo and Petersburg were still the powerhorses of the district. However, the Bulldogs pulled a surprise win over the Lorenzo Hornets on their own court. The district title remained out of reach when the Hornets returned the favor on Spur's own court.

The future looks promising for the dogs. The team loses four seniors but will be returning a very strong nucleus of four juniors and one sophomore.

Individual All-District honors netted by the team included senior **Shawn McDonald** and junior **Marshall Newman**. Honorable Mention All-District honors went to seniors **Robert Fernandez**, **Andy Hale**, **Chad Key**, and junior **Michael Kelley**.

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Spurettes going through a stage

Spurettes "hot on the trail" of rebuilding a winning tradition for SHS

It was a tough season for the Spurettes as they paced themselves through a rebuilding stage.

The team consisted of two seniors, two juniors, three sophomores, and two freshmen. They worked hard to overcome their inexperience knowing that the future would look bright once again for the Spurette program.

The final 11-15 overall record (1-5 district) might look bleak to anyone that did not witness the hardships that hit the girls' team. The major part of the past year's team (nine players) graduated leaving young, innocent players to pick up the pieces of a winning tradition. Injuries plagued the group throughout the year keeping what hopes they might have always dangling in front of them.

That's okay. There is next year. Every team must go through that rebuilding stage every now and then. The Spurettes just had theirs.

Named to the All-District team were **Heather Cash** and **Kandice Givens**. **Dionne Robertson** won Honorable Mention All-District honors.

TAKE A LOOK AT THE SCOREBOARD

	Us	Them
Idalou	37	53
Ralls	41	36
Ralls Tour:		
--Hale Center	44	33
--Floydada	29	56
--Motley County	42	47
Aspermont	50	34

	Us	Them
Idalou Tour:		
--L. Cooper	23	35
--Lorenzo	27	34
Aspermont	45	36
Jayton Tour:		
Guthrie	27	32
--Paducah	52	39

	Us	Them
--Aspermont	46	29
Roby	31	44
Silverton	45	41
Motley County	32	36
Lorenzo	38	56
Motley County	43	40
Petersburg	27	44

Spurettes Varsity Basketball
Manager LaTricia Perry, Manager Raegane Richey, Kaci Brownlee, Kandice Givens, Dionne Robertson, Mindy Rainbolt, Heather Cash, Coach Cheryl Anderson, Coach Greg Cowart. Seated: Tamika Francis, Kendra Atkinson, Shayla Faubus, Christi Henderson.

Looking for help.
Freshman Kendra Atkinson looks for a teammate that she can pass the ball to, but her Lorenzo opponent looks like she might like to have the ball.

She's got her eye on you.
Sophomore Christi Henderson begins to pass the ball to a teammate while a Lorenzo opponent rushes to gain possession.

Relaxing after a game with music.
Spurettes Dionne Robertson, Kaci Brownlee, and Christi Henderson hit the juke box at the pizza parlor following their first battle against Quanah.

It's my turn for two.
Junior Kandice Givens has to battle a team of opponents as she makes her way to the hoop for two points. Kandice was named to the All-District team by the district coaches.

Going over the hand for two.
Sophomore Kaci Brownlee stops in mid-lane for a two-point jump shot against a Quanah opponent.

Warming up for play.
Spurettes Christi Henderson, Dionne Robertson, Mindy Rainbolt, and Kaci Brownlee go through their warmup routine before a district game.

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Spurettes Junior Varsity Basketball
Back row: Carissa Vasquez, Elisha Ball, Cheri Robinson, Coach Greg Cowart, Beth Bingham, Kelly Sexton, Lyndi Thomas. *Front row*: Misty Martin, Paulette Walker, Manager Jamie Flud, Alana Bingham, Denise Wyatt.

There's no one in sight.
Freshman Richie Diaz makes an easy two points for the junior varsity Bulldogs while all alone at the goal.

Bulldog Junior Varsity Basketball
Romeo Tagle, Jerri Robinson, Clint Day, Richie Diaz, Eli Kendrick, Cory Childers, Timmy Adams, Michael Valerio, Coach Neilan Hensley.

Got your back covered.
Beth Bingham comes around her opponent to be able to rebound if necessary for Denise Wyatt's two-pointer.

Going over all the rest.
Eli Kendrick makes a high jump-shot over a Ralls Jackrabbit. Timmy Adams is ready to go in to get the ball back if necessary.

Two on one.
Misty Martin tries to go over two Quanah Lady Indians in the first game of the season.

Flying through the air.
Jerri Robinson makes his way to midlane for a two-point jump shot against the Ralls Jackrabbits.

Here comes the bounce pass.
Cheri Robinson prepares to make a bounce pass to a teammate in a pre-season scrimmage.

Watch the hands on the back.
Elisha Ball goes up against two opponents for two points while Alana Bingham and Cheri Robinson make their way to get in place for a rebound.

Everyone wants the ball.
Carrie Fincher rushes to help her teammate April Walker as they fight off their Lorenzo opponents for possession of the ball.

Get in their face to play defense.
Becky Ramage throws up her hands to fend off a Lorenzo opponent's pass. Rosary Segura pays attention to what is going on so that she will be ready.

JH Basketball

Still Growing

Junior high basketball programs are known for raising experience in young basketball players. The SJH players have gained experience and are ready to advance.

The eighth grade girls led the way through an undefeated season, giving a glimpse of power that they are willing to lend to the high school program next year. The only team that scored close to the Spurettes was Crosbyton (within eight points).

The seventh grade team was a very small team offering experience to six players. However, when the season was over, they had offered a challenge of their own.

The boys teams had many challenges to overcome, the main one was SIZE. Both the eighth and seventh grade teams were outmanned throughout their season in height and weight. But no one could come close to meeting their level of determination. Each player fought to the bitter end knowing that their day would come.

Eighth Grade Basketball
Standing: Manager Nikki Parker, Jamie Woolley, Coach Greg Cowart, Sofi Valdez, Manager Ruthie Valerio. *Seated:* Marlene Sanchez, Holli Wyatt, Dejah Woodward, Kadi Jo White.

Seventh Grade Basketball
Standing: Manager Ruthie Valerio, Coach Greg Cowart, Manager, Nikki Parker. *Kneeling*: Roshanda Bethany, Rosary Segura, April Walker, Amy Swaringen. *Seated*: Becky Ramage, Rheanan Adcock, Carrie Fincher, Cassie Day, Teressa Herrera.

Get down and move your feet.
Tee Hale, Chris Cranford, Daniel McArthur, and Donald McArthur execute their defense program against a Lorenzo opponent.

Carrying it down the court.
Daniel McArthur works the ball down the court ready for some offensive play for the Bullpups.

Eighth Grade Basketball
Coach Dewayne Sexton, Jeremy Kelley, Tee Hale, Daniel McArthur, Donald McArthur, Chris Cranford, Andy Vargas, Dillon Hale.

This is my ball and you can't have it!
Dillon Hale has possession of the basketball and he is intent on keeping it away from his Lorenzo opponent.

Seventh Grade Basketball
Standing: Coach Dewayne Sexton, John Gonzalez, Chancy Long, Eric Phillips, Jay Whitefield, Jayme Adams, Roland Vasquez, Kyle Rainbolt. Kneeling: Rodney Adams, Nicholas Palmer, Daniel Casey, Michael Chunn, Adam Hill

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Clearing the next level.
Sophomore Tom Ward begins his approach to the high jump bar hoping to clear the current level. Tom added points to the Bulldog score in the triple jump and 1600m. relay.

I think I can, I think I can, I think I can. . .
Senior Scott Rankin makes his approach to the hurdles. Scott advanced to regional in the 110m. and 300m. hurdles and qualified as alternate to the state race in the 300m. hurdle race.

Just me and my baton, just running along.
Junior Kevin Swaringen carries the baton on his leg of the 1600m. relay. Kevin and teammates Richie Diaz, Scott Rankin, and Tom Ward placed 6th in district.

Dashing for the finish line.
Freshman Cory Childers and sophomore Monty Thomason race to the finish in the 100m. dash. Monty won 2nd place in the race and Cory finished 3rd.

Stretchin' as far as he can.
Junior Marshall Newman stretches out as much as possible on the long jump. At district, Marshall placed fourth in the long jump contest.

Bulldog Varsity and Junior Varsity Track
Back row: Cory Morris, Jerri Robinson, Richie Diaz, Rene Pesina, Les Fincher, Daniel Kendrick. *Middle row*: Coach Dewayne Sexton, Paul Wysocki, Tom Ward, Cory Childers, Damin Pellizzari, Scott Rankin, Monty Thomason. *Bottom row*: Kevin Swaringen, Blake Ball, Dusty Harris, Derek Key, Bear Long, Marshall Newman.

Still in the running.
Senior Scott Rankin and junior Marshall Newman approach their hurdles in the 300m. hurdle race. Scott advanced to regional and qualified as alternate for state. Marshall won 6th place in the district contest.

Fernandez wins silver medal at State

Bulldog team adds fourth district trophy to the display case

Another regional qualifier.
Senior Robert Fernandez qualified for the regional meet in three contests: high jump, long jump, and triple jump. His high jump feat of 6'4" won him the silver medal at the state meet.

Adding more points to the board.
Sophomore Derek Key and junior Blake Ball push toward the finish line in the 400m. dash. Derek won 3rd in the race and Blake added points in the shotput and discus throw.

The Bulldogs won their third consecutive district track title run at Crowell. The Bulldogs took the meet with 105 points. Following the Dogs were Petersburg, 98; Munday, 96; Paducah, 86; Knox City, 48; Motley County, 42; Lorenzo, 31; Aspermont, 24; and Crowell, 19.

"I have to say the leadership and competitiveness of our two seniors, Scott Rankin and Robert Fernandez, set the tone for the day," Coach Sexton said. "For the most part, everyone competed their heart out for this title."

The Bulldogs began their season with several pre-district meets, grabbing wins along the way. They participated at Munday (varsity, 5th; JV, 3rd or 4th), Jayton (varsity, 4th out of 20 teams), San Angelo (varsity, 15th out of 21 A & AA teams), Aspermont (JV, 3rd), Hamlin (varsity, 5th; JV, 4th), and Gold Spur Classic (varsity, 1st; JV, 5th).

Winning points at district were:

Cory Childers, 100m. dash-3rd, 200m. dash-3rd; **Richie Diaz**, 1600m. relay-6th; **Robert Fernandez**, high jump-1st, long jump-1st, triple jump-2nd, shotput-6th; **Marshall Newman**, long jump-4th, 300m. hurdles-6th; **Damin Pellizzari**, 3200m. run-4th; **Scott Rankin**, 110m. hurdles-2nd, 300m. hurdles-1st, 1600m. relay-6th; **Jerri Robinson**, 800m. dash-1st, 1600m. run-1st; **Kevin Swaringen**, 1600m. relay-6th; **Monty Thomason**, 100m. dash-2nd, 200m. dash-4th; **Tom Ward**, triple jump-5th, 1600m. relay-6th.

Scoring points in the JV division were **Blake Ball**, shot-3rd, discuss-6th; **Derek Key**, 400m. dash-3rd.

First and second place winners qualified to compete in the Regional Meet held at South Plains College in Levelland.

Robert Fernandez tied for first place in the high jump with a jump of 6'4". Medals were determined by a coin flip, and Robert received the silver medal advancing to the state meet. Scott Rankin placed third in the 300m. hurdles and advanced to the state meet as an alternate in that race. Cory Childers ran in the 100m. dash as an alternate but did not advance to finals.

Robert continued his quest for a medal and accomplished his goal by winning the silver medal in Austin. His 6'10" jump was beat by Burris of Latexo with a jump of 6'11".

Sprint relay wins state bronze medal

Spurettes win third in district race, send eight to regional, six to state

The Spurettes pulled out a third place win in the district track meet held in Crowell.

Winning the meet was Petersburg with 140 points with Munday following close behind with 133. Spur earned 114 points. Others schools were Aspermont, 68; Crowell, 45; Knox City, 44; Motley County, 33; Paducah, 9; and Lorenzo, 2.

Winning points at district meet were: **Alana Bingham**, 800m. relay-2nd; **Megan Clifton**, 3200m. run-5th; **Julie Flud**, 400m. relay-1st, 400m. dash-2nd; **Tamika Francis**, 400m. relay-1st, 800m. relay-2nd, 200m. dash-3rd, triple jump-3rd; **Kandice Givens**, 800m. relay-2nd; **Penny Kelley**, 400m. relay-1st, triple jump-1st, 200m. dash-2nd, long jump-2nd, 100m. dash-3rd; **LaTricia Perry**, discuss-2nd, shotput-6th; **Cheri Robinson**, 400m. relay-1st, long jump-1st, 800m. relay-2nd, 100m. dash-4th; **Kelly Sexton**, 3200m. run-6th.

The 400-meter relay team, made up of **Cheri Robinson**, **Julie Flud**, **Tamika Francis** and **Penny Kelley**, originally broke the school record with their district run of 51.41. They broke that record again at the state meet. **Cheri Robinson** also broke the school long jump record jumping 17' 3/4" in the district meet at Crowell.

In their pre-season meets the Spurettes added Munday, 5th; Aspermont, 2nd; Hamlin, 6th; Golden Spur Classics, 2nd to their winning record.

First and second place district winners advanced to the regional meet held at South Plains College in Levelland. The 400m. relay team won 1st place at regional and posted the best time in the state of 51.7. **Penny Kelley** won 3rd in the 200m. dash and tied for 6th place in long jump with a jump of 14'11".

Penny Kelley was the lone team runner with state experience in the State Meet. The 400m. relay was determined by a finish line photo. When everything was over, the Spurettes won third place with a 50.7 time behind Lindsey's 50.2 and the silver medalist's run of 50.5.

How many more times around the track.
Freshman Holly Fine works her way around the track in the district track meet at Crowell. Holly ran for the Spurettes in the 800m. run and the quarter-mile race.

Another lap closer to the finish line.
Junior Jamie Flud ran for the Spurettes in the 800m. run in the preseason meets and at district in Crowell.

Showing off those pretty new medals.
The sprint relay team poses with the gold and silver medal winners for pictures at the State Meet. The team broke the school record at district, then broke their own record again at the state race.

Let me have it.
Senior Penny Kelley reaches behind her for the baton handoff from freshman Tamika Francis at the regional meet in Levelland. The relay team finished in 1st place advancing to the state meet in Austin.

Cleared another one.
Freshman Alana Bingham makes her way down the track in the hurdles. Alana and teammates Tamika Francis, Kandice Givens, and Cheri Robinson advanced to the regional meet in the 800m. relay.

It's your turn, now.
Junior Cheri Robinson has just handed the baton to sophomore Julie Flud in the 400m. relay at the state meet. The final results were determined by the finish line photo.

Here she comes again.
Senior Penny Kelley qualified for regional in four events: 400m. relay, triple jump, 200m. dash, and long jump.

Landing on her feet.
Freshman Tamika Francis makes a clean landing in the triple jump at the district meet in Crowell. Tamika added points to the Spurette score with her 3rd place jump.

Spurette Varsity Track
Back row: Jamie Flud, Julie Flud, Kendra Atkinson, Kandice Givens, Holly Fine. *Middle row:* Megan Clifton, Kelly Sexton, Tamika Francis, Cheri Robinson, Alana Bingham. *Bottom row:* Manager Heather Cash, Coach Cheryl Anderson, Manager Shayla Faubus. Not pictured: Penny Kelley and LaTricia Perry.

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Up and over.
Seventh grader Rodney Adams clears another hurdle in the district meet held on the new track at Spur.

Ready for the measure.
Eighth grader Rheanan Adcock makes a clean landing in the district junior high triple jump.

Running up points

JH takes third, fourth places at district meet

It has been a while since Spur ISD hosted a track meet, but they got the chance to show off the new all-weather track in two meets this year. The school hosted the junior high division of the district track meet.

Petersburg won the JH division of the district track meet for both boys, 217 1/3 points, and girls, 196 points. Spur boys finished fourth with 39 1/3 points behind Lorenzo's 193 1/3 and Motley County's 96. The girls won third with 140 points following closely behind Lorenzo's 143 points. Motley County was fourth with 92.

Winning points for both teams were: **Rodney Adams**, 1600m. relay-4th, high jump-tied for sixth; **Brian Combs**, 1600m. relay-4th, 400m. relay-4th; **Chris Cranford**, high jump-4th; **Ryan Garner**, 1600m. relay-4th, 400m. relay-4th; **Adam Hill**, 200m. dash-6th, 400m. relay-4th; triple jump-6th; **Jeremy Kelley**, 300m. hurdles-4th, long jump-6th, 400m. relay-4th, 110m. hurdles-3rd; **Brian Michulka**, 1600m. relay-4th; **Nick Palmer**, pole vault, 5th.

Rheanan Adcock, 100m. low hurdles-4th; **Rashonda Bethany**, 400m. relay-2nd, 200m. dash-3rd; **Cassie Day**, 1600m. relay-3rd, 800m. relay-3rd, discus-6th; **Carrie Fincher**, 400m. dash-1st, 100m. low hurdles-1st; 400m. relay-2nd, triple jump-2nd, long jump-2nd; **Teresa Herrera**, 800m. relay-3rd; **Monica Molina**, 800m. relay-3rd, 1600m. relay-3rd, 400m. dash-4th; **Becky Ramage**, 800m. run-6th; **Amy Swaringen**, shotput-6th; **April Walker**, 200m. dash-2nd, 100m. dash-2nd; 400m. relay-2nd, triple jump-1st, long jump-3rd; **Jamie Woolley**, 400m. relay-2nd, 400m. dash-2nd; **Dejah Woodward**, 1600m. relay-3rd, 800m. relay-3rd; **Holli Wyatt**, 800m. run-3rd, 1600m. relay-3rd.

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Ready or not, here I come.
Eighth grader Jeremy Kelley works hard to make up time on his leg of the 400m. relay. Jeremy and teammates Brian Combs, Ryan Garner, and Adam Hill placed 4th in the district meet.

No t waiting on anyone else.
Seventh grader Dejah Woodward hands the baton to Cassie day in the district relay race. Cassie and Dejah ran on both the 1600m. relay team that placed 3rd at district and the 800m. relay team that also placed 3rd at district.

Looking for a winning jump.
Eighth grader April Walker stretches out as long as she can in the district triple jump. April won the contest and also placed in the 200m. dash, 100m. dash, 400m. relay, and long jump.

Striding to keep the lead.
Eighth grader Roshanda Bethany adds more distance between her and her opponent. Roshanda and teammates Carrie Fincher, April Walker, and Jamie Woolley won 2nd place in the district race.

Junior High Girls Track
Back row: Coach Cheryl Anderson. *Middle row*: Ruthie Valerio, Becky Ramage, Heather Hulme, Rheanan Holcock, Cassie Day, Carrie Fincher, April Walker, Amy Swaringen. *Front row*: Kadi Jo White, Monica Molina, Lisa DeLos Reyes, Holli Wyatt, Jamie Woolley, Marlena Sanchez, Dejah Woodward, Teressa Herera.

Giving it plenty of muscle.
Seventh grader Alex Ontiveras musters all the strength he has to throw the shotput as far as he can at the district meet.

Junior High Boys Track
Back row: Ryan Garner, Alex Ontiveras, Brian Michulka, Dustin Pellizzari, Roland Vasquez, T.J. Garcia. Middle row: James Prince, Toby Daughtry, Rodney Adams, Michael Chunn, Jeremy Kelley, Chris Cranford. Front row: James Clark, Adam Hill, Brian Combs, Nicholas Palmer, Kyle Walker, Jay Whitefield, Coach Roddy Clark.

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UT sure does have a big stadium.
Cheri Robinson, Tamika Francis, and Julie Flud were rookies to the state track meet. Tamika thinks the UT stadium is an awesome sight for any freshman runner. Penny is an old pro at state.

We can count.
Workers paint the lane numbers and other designs as the final touch on the new all-weather track built around the football field at Jones Stadium. The first Golden Spur Classics track meet was run this year.

Just waiting to do her duty.
Junior Jamie Flud stands by at the pre-district cross-country meet hosted by Spur. Students assisted in running off the meet in various areas.

I think we should run the ball right over there.
Coaches Neilan Hensley and Dewayne Sexton confer about a strategic move during a football game.

District and regional qualifiers.
Scott Rankin and Cheri Robinson take the court together to warmup before zone contest at Monterey High School. Both advanced to district play and Cheri went on to regionals.

Keep your eye on the ball.
Marshall Newman stands ready to return a hit by an opponent. Marshall and doubles-mate Ben Phelps won their first match at zone, but couldn't pull a repeat to advance out of zone.

Tennis
Back row: Damin Pellizzari, Monty Thomason, Ben Phelps, Marshall Newman. *Front row*: Scott Rankin, Coach Greg Cowart, Cheri Robinson.

Golf
Back row: Misty Martin, Kelly Sexton, Brandy Clark, Raegane Richey, Kendra Atkinson, Beth Bingham, Heather Cash. *Middle row*: Timmy Adams, Clint Day, Derek Key, Kevin Swaringen, Bear Long, Chad Key. *Front row*: Zach Diggs, Coach Neilan Hensley, Kyle Hulme.

Win, Lose, or Draw
Tennis/Golf

Junior Cheri Robinson advanced to the regional tennis meet after winning second place in the district meet held in Knox City.

Through the "luck of the draw", Cheri was seeded against the number one player in the region and was eliminated in her first round.

Senior Scott Rankin won third in the district meet. Scott won second place in the zone singles contest.

Zone tennis was played at Monterey High School in Lubbock on April 8. Marshall Newman and Ben Phelps won their first match, but lost their second match. Damin Pellizzari and Monty Thomason lost both rounds of their zone competition.

The Spurettes golf team won 3rd with a score of 411 in the district tournament played in Knox City. Motley County won the contest with a score of 387 in front of Knox City, 392. Kendra Atkinson tied with Leigh Ann Pipkin of Motley County for 3rd medalist with an individual score of 92.

The Bulldogs won 8th place in their district tournament played in Roaring Springs. Combined score for the Bulldogs was 421. Paducah won the tournament with a score of 327 and Motley County won 2nd with a score of 368.

Hitting the "big time"
Freshmen Misty Martin, Alana Bingham, Elisha Ball, Clint Day, Denise Wyatt, and Lyndi Thomas are ready for things to get rolling, but seniors Scott Rankin and Mindy Rainbolt know what to expect.

Ready to dig in.
Seniors Clint Fry and Mike Ritschard stand in line one more time waiting to be served at the banquet. Clint has had plenty of experience with these banquets, but this is a first for exchange student Mike.

Get plenty of butter for the potato.
Senior Shane Hickman makes the final decision before heading to the table so that he can enjoy his meal. The banquet was catered by Cattleman's Restaurant of White River Lake.

There is always a camera around!
Junior Raegane Richey seems to be irritated that someone is ready to record her "chowing down" with a special "Kodak Moment." Julie Flud and Nicholas Palmer are too deep in discussion to notice.

Check those snazzy ties, guys.
Sophomores Will Humphreys and Derek Key sport spiffy ties for the dress-up occasion. Freshman Daniel Woolley and eighth grader Tee Hale just want to get a plate full of food.

They're just happy to be here!
Heather Cash and Kandice Givens wait patiently for things to get started while Kendra Atkinson and Scarlett Hagins take advantage of the time to have a meaningful conversation.

Team + Work = Winners

Athletic banquet awards outstanding athletic achievements

The Athletic Booster Club honored all SHS athletes in the annual Athletic Banquet. Theme for this year's banquet was Team + Work = Winners.

The banquet was held at the Alexander Activity Building on the elementary campus May 19. Serving as Master of Ceremonies was Booster Club President Gary Key.

Following the catered meal, Key introduced Dewayne Sexton, athletic director and head coach of Spur ISD. Sexton then introduced his entire coaching staff. Following all introductions, coaches presented individual awards to the following athletes:

Football--Adrian Rickels Memorial Gold Helmet Award, **Michael Kelley**; Brian Clark Fighting Heart Award, **Robert Fernandez**; Most Valuable Back, **Andy Hale**; Most Valuable Lineman, **Les Fincher**; Sportsmanship Award, **Dusty Harris**.

Basketball--Most Valuable Girl Player, **Dionne Robertson**; Defensive Player Award, **Kandice Givens**; Offensive Player Award, **Heather Cash**; Shadow Award, **Tamika Francis**; Most Valuable Boy Players, **Robert Fernandez** and **Shawn McDonald**; Fighting Heart (Hustle) Award, **Ben Phelps**.

Track--**Penny Kelley**, **Robert Fernandez**, **Scott Rankin**.

Golf--**Kendra Atkinson** and **Clint Day**.

Tennis--**Cheri Robinson** and **Scott Rankin**.

Jerry Don McAlpin Team Player Award--**Christi Henderson** and **Chad Key**.

Principal's Award--**Dionne Robertson** and **Chad Key**.

U.S. Marine Corps Distinguished Athlete Award--**Heather Cash** and **Kevin Swaringen**.

U.S. Army Athlete Award--**Dionne Robertson** and **Chad Key**.

State participation certificates were presented to **Robert Fernandez**, **Tamika Francis**, **Julie Flud**, **Penny Kelley**, and **Cheri Robinson**.

Athletic Achievement Awards
Clint Day, Christi Henderson, Scott Rankin, Heather Cash, Chad Key, Dionne Robertson, Dusty Harris, Ben Phelps, Kandice Givens, Kevin Swaringen, Cheri Robinson, Kendra Atkinson, Penny Kelley, Andy Hale, Julie Flud, Robert Fernandez, Les Fincher, Tamika Francis. Not pictured: Michael Kelley and Shawn McDonald.

Waving the victory flag for the Bulldogs.
Bulldog mascot Brandy Clark waves the Bulldog spirit flag proudly as the team makes another score against a competitor. Brandy was awarded a trophy at Wayland Cheerleading Camp as Most Improved Mascot.

Do you have another size?
Chris Cranford and Clint Day try on the new band uniforms. The new uniforms offered the group a separate look for marching season and concert season.

SHS represented through region officer.
Jalene Young was sworn into the office of Region I FHA Vice-President of STAR Events during a special installation ceremony at the conclusion of the Region I FHA Conference.

Who has it?
Serena Melton and Kaci Brownlee spot their batons in a high toss trick. The feature twirlers joined together to perform duet routines at pep rallies.

Organizations

Something New

New members
Jamie Flud, Julie Flud, Christi Henderson, and Will Humphreys stand proud to recite the NHS pledge after receiving their pins and certificates of membership at the induction ceremony.

Something Old

Old Traditions
La Espuela staff members Alana Bingham, Raegane Richey, and Holly Fine look through examples of yearbook styles during a work session at Mrs. Ball's house.

Something Blue

Black & Blue
Alana Bingham, Kandice Givens, and Penny Kelley may sport new school colors when they finish riding the mattress down the dorm staircase at Wayland's Cheerleading Camp.

Something Gold

Gold medals
Bear Long, Jamie Flud, Jayson Thomason, and Gaite Taylor sport the first place trophy they won in the Meats Judging Contest making them eligible to compete at state.

It's a GOLD-en Opportunity!

Everyone needs help.
Erin Diggs, Serena Melton, Megan Clifton, Heather Adcock, and Yesenia Valdez helped the Student Council build the bonfire.

STUDENT COUNCIL
Kendra Atkinson, Freshman Representative; Stacy Castillo, Junior Representative; Penny Kelley, *Vice President*; Tee Hale, 8th grade Representative; Jamie Wooley, 7th grade Representative; Shay Baldridge, *President*; Christi Henderson, Sophomore Representative. *Seated*: Adviser Cliff Hightower.

Another new member.
Sophomore Osbaldo Valdez returns to his seat with his pin and certificate of membership in NHS.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY
Melody Morales, Julie Flud, Jamie Flud, Osbaldo Valdez, Will Humphreys, Christi Henderson, William Snook, Eli Kendrick, LaTricia Perry, Penny Kelley, Chrystal Hill, Heather Adcock-*Reporter*, Brandy Clark, Anna Casey, Vallye Maben, Raegane Richey, Kandice Givens, Scarlett Hagins, Heather Cash, Blake Ball, Dusty Harris, Dionne Robertson-*Treasurer*, Kevin Swaringen, Damin Pellizzari, Bear Long, Chad Key-*President*, Shay Baldridge-*Vice President*, Mindy Rainbolt, Andy Hale.

Clean-up detail.
The cheerleaders gather all of their equipment following another pep rally for the Bulldogs.

VARSITY CHEERLEADERS AND MASCOT
Shay Baldridge-*Head Cheerleader*, Aimee Martin, Kandice Givens, Alana Bingham, Alysia Kelley, Penny Kelley, and Mascot Brandy Clark.

Checking out the food table.
NHS inductees Eli Kendrick, Melody M rales and William Snook make their w through the refreshment line following t NHS induction ceremony.

Kick back and relax
Bear Long, Penny Kelley, and Will Humphreys enjoy cool refreshments after being under those hot lights during the NHS induction ceremony.

Keeping balanced
Kandice Givens offers strong shoulders for Shay Baldridge. The cheerleaders offered gymnastic stunts to entertain and motivate the crowd to show their spirit.

NHS Induction Ushers
Kelly Sexton, Brandon Phillips, Elisha Ball, and Denise Wyatt qualified to serve as ushers for the NHS Induction Ceremony because of their academic achievement.

All lined up
The cheerleaders and mascot performed rousing cheers to motivate fans to support the teams at the games.

Vocational Teams Keep On Winning

FFA recognized achievement in the annual awards banquet. Mr. Woolley and his chapter officers recognized team contest participants and individual honorees for chapter projects.

Judging teams recognized were:

Horse--1st District, State Qualifier: Chad Smith (high individual/State), Daniel Woolley, Stoney Taylor, Zach Diggs.

Livestock--3rd District: Chad Key, Andy Hale, Clint Fry, Cody Crawford.

Meats--1st District, 1st Area, State Qualifier: Gaite Taylor (high individual/Area), Jayson Thomason (8th high individual/Area), Jamie Flud (2nd high individual/WTSAM), Bear Long.

Dairy Judging-5th District: Misty Martin, Cole Jackson, Monty Nolan, Kip Pool.

Entomology--3rd District: Will Humphreys, Derek Key, Timmy Adams, Heath Herrera, Rhett Keith.

Leadership teams were:

Jr. Skills--2nd District: Chad Smith, Stoney Taylor, Daniel Woolley.

Sr. Skills--2nd District: Clint Fry, Gaite Taylor, Cory Morris, Dusty Harris.

FFA Quiz Team: Cole Jackson, Monty Nolan, Zach Diggs, Kip Pool.

FFA Radio Team--2nd District: Chad Key, Andy Hale, Shay Baldridge, Jayson Thomason.

Certificates of Merit were presented to the following members during the annual awards banquet for livestock projects:

Lambs-Kandice Givens, Andy Hale, Chad Key, Derek Key, Mindy Rainbolt, Daniel Woolley, Denise Wyatt.

Barrow-Kendra Atkinson, Shay Baldridge, Elisha Ball, Shayla Faubus, Holly Fine, Will Humphreys, Misty Martin, Marshall Newman, Mindy Rainbolt, Chad Smith, Lyndi Thomas, Monty Thomason.

Poultry-Cody Crawford, Will Humphreys, Cory Morris, Damin Pellizzari, Paul Wysocki.

Rabbits-Zach Diggs.

Beef-Rhett Keith.

National FFA Foundation Awards presented at the banquet were: Ag. Mechanics, Kevin Swaringen and Les Fincher; Horse Proficiency, Kendra Atkinson; Swine Production, Shay Baldridge; Sheep Production, Kandice Givens and Denise Wyatt; Achievement in Volunterism, Cody Crawford; Beef Production, Mindy Rainbolt; Wildlife Management, Shane Hickman; Rabbit Production, Zach Diggs; Poultry Production, Will Humphreys.

The FHA chapter competed on the state level of STAR (Students Taking Action for Recognition) Events.

A team made up of Brandy Clark, Erin Diggs, and Monica Adcock competed in the Volunteer Action Event. This event recognizes members for participation in a community service project completed during the current school year. The chapter's service project involved the Spur Care Center.

Eighth grader Ruthie Valen competed in the Job Interview Event. This event recognizes members for learning job application and interview skills through Home Economics classes. Ruthie applied and interviewed for a child-care position.

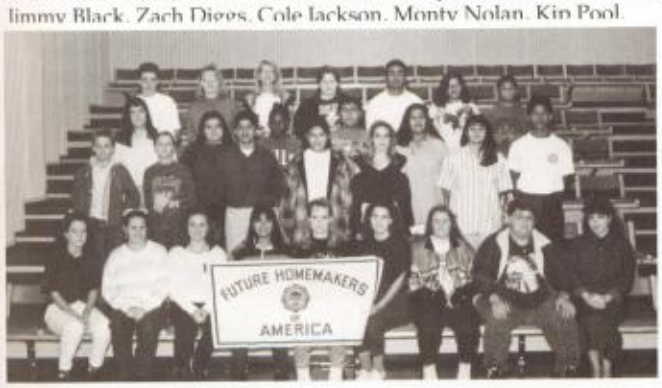
The chapter was also represented by Jalene Young. Jalene was elected at the regional conference as the Region I Vice President of STAR Events.

Ready for some fried chicken.
Cole Jackson and Kyle Hulme visit with fellow FFA members before the meal is served at the awards banquet.

After all is said and done . . .
Advisor Kermit Woolley and his officers gather notes and plaques following the FFA Annual Awards Banquet. Outstanding achievement was recognized for students throughout the year.

FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA Andy Hale-*Vice President*, Clint Fry-*Treasurer*, Chad Key-*President*, Gaite Taylor-*Secretary*, Shay Baldridge-*Reporter*, Jayson Thomason-*Sentinel*, Chad Smith, Clint Day, Denise Wyatt, Kelly Sexton, Elisha Ball, Misty Martin, Les Fincher, Heath Herrera, Jamie Long, Shayla Faubus, Will Humphreys, Kendra Atkinson, Kyle Hulme, Megan Clifton, Julie Flud, Aimee Martin, Holly Fine, Lyndi Thomas, Alana Bingham, Marshall Newman, Daniel Woolley, Dusty Harris, Cory Morris, Robert Fernandez, Tom Ward, Stoney Taylor, Brandon Phillips, Yogi Bhakta, Daniel Kendrick, Josh Flud, Cody Crawford, Ben Phelps, Bear Long, Monty Thomason, Mindy Rainbolt, Shane Hickman, Kandice Givens, Kevin Swaringen, Shawn McDonald, Adrian Armendariz, Timmy Adams, Jason Parrish, Jimmy Black, Zach Diggs, Cole Jackson, Monty Nolan, Kip Pool.

Ready for awards.
Senior Gaite Taylor visits with special guests before the festivities begin at the FFA Awards Banquet. Gaite served as his chapter's secretary during the current year and was awarded the Outstanding Senior Ag. Student award sponsored each year by Spur Security Bank.



FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA Anna Casey-*Historian*, Monica Adcock-*Parliamentarian*, Heather Adcock-*Treasurer*, Stacy Castillo-*President*, Erin Diggs-*Vice President*, Brandy Clark-*Recreation*, Christi Fitzgerald-*Secretary*, William Snook-*Reporter*, Rena Jones-*Adviser*, James Prince, Daniel Casey, Michael Valerio, Becky Molina, Lizabeth Martin, Raquel Perez, Jalene Young, Stephanie Parrish, April Walker, Jim Tagle, Monica Gonzalez, Romeo Tagle, Brandon Adams, Crystal Breshers, Crystal Elmore, Aarone Atkinson, Rene Pesina, Ruthie Valerio, Ricky Vasquez.

State Qualifiers
Brandy Clark, Erin Diggs and Monica Adcock won 1st place in the Volunteer Action Event, senior division. They had to prepare a manual illustrating work completed on a community service project by the chapter. They also had to present an oral summary and answer questions from a panel of judges.

Learning more about FHA.
Stephanie Parrish, Heather Adcock, Ruthie Valerio, Erin Diggs, Monica Adcock, Brandy Clark and Crystal Elmore joined 871 other FHA members from Region I for a weekend of fun and learning.

Our first banquet as members.
Freshmen Kendra Atkinson, Misty Martin and Elisha Ball wait in line as the meal is served at the awards banquet. Families and teachers were special guests of the members at the banquet.

Ready for the festivities to begin.
Junior Kandice Givens and freshman Megan Clifton stand in line with their parents as other guests are served the traditional fried chicken. It would never by a FFA banquet without that fried chicken.

FFA Achievement Award s
Chad Key, Caraway State President's Award; Clint Fry, Rolling Plains PCA Ag. Mechanics Award; Andy Hale, Bill Gregory 4-year Ag. Award; Gaite Taylor, Outstanding Senior Ag. Student; Jayson Thomason, DeKalb Agricultural Award; Heath Herrera, Outstanding Sophomore Ag. Student; Will Humphreys, Star Chapter Degree; Daniel Woolley, Star Greenhand; Chad Smith, Outstanding Freshman Ag. Student. Not pictured: Jamie Flud, Outstanding Junior Ag. Student.

There is a NEW Look

Which way?
Flaggers Holly Fine and Amanda Benavides are going in opposite directions, but they know exactly what they are doing in the peprally routine.

BAND DRUM MAJORS AND FLAG CORP
Stacy Castillo, Flag Co-Captain; Amanda Benavides; Heather Adcock, Drum Major; Crystal Elmore; Stephanie Parrish, Drum Major; Holly Fine; Beth Bingham, Flag Co-Captain.

Watch this spike!
Richie Diaz is ready to give the other side a hard spike at the volleyball game following the Spring Concert. Banders enjoyed a picnic of pizza after the game.

WOODWINDS
Denise Wyatt, Anna Casey, Carissa Vasquez, Becky Middleton, Christi Henderson, Elisha Ball, Megan Clifton, Esmeralda DeLos Reyes, Lizabeth Martin, Aimee Martin, Rheanan Adcock, Heather Hulme, Alana Bingham, Jim Tagle, William Snook, Raegane Richey, Misty Martin, Kelly Sexton, April Walker, Jalene Young, Raquel Perez, Becky Vasquez, Cassie Day, Teresa Herrera, Lyndi Thomas, Ruthie Valerio, Amy Swaringen

It goes just like this
Becky Ramage is assisted by an instructor helping the band prepare for marching contest.

PERCUSSION
Chris Cranford, Ben Phelps, Kyle Walker, Clint Day, Kendra Atkinson, Paulette Walker, Rhonda Green, Martha Montemayor, Becky Ramage, Alysia Kelley, Cory Childers, Monica Gonzalez, Tamika Francis, Tyeba Kelley, LaTricia Perry

When do I get to play?
Tobin Hancock and Brandon Phillips ready their horns at a football game. The band is always eager to pump up the fans and team with some jivvin' music.

Getting the sound just right.
The Band Boosters sponsored a band clinic to help the group prepare their selections for marching contest. For the third year in a row, the group's ratings went up.

Keeping a sharp note.
Dillon Hale looks sharp in his new band uniform at the Spring Concert. The uniforms were easily converted to concert wear by removing the vest and adding tuxedo shirts.

We've got the beat.
Paulette Walker and LaTricia Perry offer their own type of backup for Blake Ball's trombone solo.

New ideas coming along.
The band had a surprise for the community at the Spring Concert. The newly formed jazz ensemble entertained at the beginning of the concert.

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Spur Band Boosters
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We're ready for anything.
Crystal Elmore, Alysia Kelley, and Becky Vargas man the front lines at the volleyball game during the band picnic. The Booster Club honored the group with pizza after their Spring Concert.

Swayng along.
The flags, mascot, and twirlers join hands in the traditional singing of the alma mater at the end of each pep rally.

Her future is so bright . . .
Megan Clifton squints against the bright sun as she and Kelly Sexton waits to march on the field at the Wayland Marching Contest.

Outstanding Band Achievers
Jeremy Kelley, 8th; Aarone Atkinson, freshman; Michael Valerio, Most Improved; Heather Adcock, senior; Eli Kendrick, Overall Bander; Christi Henderson, sophomore; and Ben Phelps, junior.

Brassy Bunch.
Brandy Clark, Aarone Atkinson, and Eli Kendrick concentrate on their part during the annual Spring Concert.

True BLUE Spirit Marches

BRASS
Shane Rayvon, Jennifer Wells, Tee Hale, Michael Valerio, Cheri Robinson, Carmen DeLos Reyes, Jackie Hernandez, Dillon Hale, Jeremy Kelley, Chris Hendry, Ricky Vasquez, Richie Diaz, Blake Ball, Eli Kendrick, Brandon Phillips, Romeo Tagle, Tobin Hancock, Minnie Montemayor, Aarone Atkinson, Brandy Clark, Kyle Hulme.

Watch your head
Serena Melton kicks high over Kaci Brownlee in one of their duet routines at the pep rally.

HIGH SCHOOL TWIRLERS
Serena Melton and Kaci Brownlee

Feature twirlers Serena Melton and Kaci Brownlee both competed in individual twirling ratings at the UIL Marching Contest held at Texas Tech in Lubbock. Both girls received ratings of I which qualified them for state twirling in San Marcos. Serena competed at the state meet earning a Rating II..

Band Favorites:
Miss Rhapsody
Heather Adcock
and
Mr. Rhythm
Blake Ball

A sampling of contest.
Carissa Vasquez, Kelly Sexton, William Snook, and Raegane Richey carry their parts of the Spring Concert ensemble.

Semper Fidelis Award Winner
Band director Todd Baker recognized Heather Adcock as the Semper Fidelis Award winner. He presented her with a plaque at the spring concert that will be displayed in the band hall.

The Spirit of Spur Band continued their tradition of building with new accomplishments this year.

In UIL Marching Contest, the band received a Division II rating with two judges awarding them II's and one judge giving a III.

In UIL Concert and Sightreading Contest, the band received a Division II rating again. But this time one judge awarded a I rating and two judges award II ratings for both contests.

Are we boxing or cheering?
JH cheerleaders Jamie Woolley and Amy Swaringen lead the crowd through a yell at the weekly JH/JV pep rally to build spirit for the games that evening.

A winning season.
The 5th, 6th, and 7th grade bands combined to compete in the Hale Center Band Festival. The group received a Superior rating and brought home a large, impressive trophy.

Staying together.
Junior high twirlers Esmerelda DeLa Reyes and Holli Wyatt keep a watchful eye on each other to keep their routine together at a JH/JV pep rally.

Which way do we turn?
JH twirlers Cassie Day and Dejah Woodward entertain the crowd at the JH/JV pep rally. The twirlers performed at the games during halftime.

All lined up in a row.
JH cheerleaders Jamie Woolley, Amy Swaringen, Rheanan Adcock, and Kadi Jo White line up for a yell at the pep rally. It looks like everyone behind them needs a good dose of spirit.

JUNIOR HIGH CHEERLEADERS
Rheanan Adcock, Amy Swaringen, Jamie Woolley, Kadi White

Holding the final pose.
JH cheerleader Kadi Jo White strikes the ending pose for a cheer just completed at the JH/JV pep rally.

SEVENTH GRADE BAND
Daniel Casey, Jay Whitefield, Andrew Castillo, Dejah Woodward, Holli Wyatt, Kadi White, Brian Combs, Chancy Long, Jayme Adams, Brandon Adams, Dustin Pellizzari, Toby Daughtry, Nicholas Palmer, Larry Pecina, Willie Kelso, T.J. Garcia, Roland Vasquez, Al Morales, David Hernandez, Rodney Adams, Kyle Rainbolt, Jamie Woolley, Eric Phillips, John Gonzalez, Christi Cantu, Michael Chunn, Monica Molina, James Clark.

Keeping the beat going.
Seventh grade drummers Adam Hill and Dustin Pellizzari hold a steady beat as a lead for the 5th, 6th, and 7th grade bands performance at the spring concert.

JUNIOR HIGH TWIRLERS
Cassie Day, Dejah Woodward, Holli Wyatt, Esmeralda DeLos Reyes

Combined efforts
Eric Phillips and Michael Chunn wait until it is their turn to play in the spring concert.

Outstanding achievement.
Seventh grade Rodney Adams auditioned and was named to the All-Region Middle School Band in the spring. To reward his achievement and leadership in band, Todd Baker presented Rodney with the Director's Award for Outstanding Junior High Achievement. The award was reactivated by Mr. Baker this year and will be displayed in the band hall.

Swinging through the routine.
JH twirlers Dejah Woodward and Cassie Day perform a swing section of their JH/JV pep rally routine.

More difficult than it looks.
JH twirlers Esmerelda DeLos Reyes, Dejah Woodward, and Holli Wyatt must execute careful balance to be able to wrap the baton around their teammates leg and their neck while holding their leg so that another teammate can do the same.

Yearbook planning is too serious.
Staff members Elisha Ball, Scott Rankin, and Beth Bingham take a wrestling break from their planning session.

We've worked hard tonight.
LaTricia Perry, Alysia Kelley, and Cory Childers have some fun following the Spur/Jayton band work session.

Is that all you're going to eat?
Kelly Sexton checks out Elisha Ball's choice of pizza. Alana Bingham is mesmerized by the flash of the camera.

Are you hitting the right notes?
NHS members stand around for a visit with Mrs. Ball as she prepares to play the music necessary for the NHS induction ceremony.

I've got something to say!
Ben Spradling leaves his post against the back wall to offer his own ideas to encourage spirit at the pep rally. Kandice Givens is not sure what to think, but Shay Baldridge is enjoying it.

Ready to do our thing.
The band prepares to march onto the field at the Wayland Baptist College Marching Festival. The festival gave them some practice before UIL.

Doing a little Bulldog dance.
Mascot Brandy Clark performs her d
dance routine at one of the pep ralli
Brandy sported the new mascot c
tume at football and basketball gam

It's time for a pizza break.
The varsity cheerleaders enjoy pizza in their rooms during a break at cheerleading camp. The camp gave them the opportunity to learn new routines.

Waiting our turn.
Cheri Robinson and Jennifer Wells enjoy the pep rally and wait their turn to play with the band.

This is no time to take a nap, Stacy.
Flaggers Stacy Castillo and Crystal Elmore participate in a routine that the flag corp prepared for the weekly pep rallies.

Enjoying fellowship together.
NHS members, parents, and teachers had a chance to visit with each other over refreshments following the annual induction ceremony.

Everyone has a job to do.
Band members Alana Bingham, Rheanan Adcock, Tee Hale, and Esmerelda DeLos Reyes and others presented their annual Spring Concert in May.

Going to the top.
Shay Baldridge makes her way up to stand on Kandice Givens' shoulders at a football game. The girls learn different stunts at camp to motivate the crowd.

Plenty of strength is necessary.
The cheerleaders must display plenty of strength as well as a great deal of trust as they combine their talents to motivate the fans.

The sign painting is never complete.
There is always a new idea or new reason to paint another sign. The cheerleaders stay busy keeping on top of everything that is going on.

The last induction ceremony.
Senior NHS members Andy Hale, Chad Key and Mindy Rainbolt visit together following their last induction ceremony.

Show and Tell time.
Alysia Kelley has her mouth full of pizza during a break from cheerleading camp sessions.

It's almost time to play.
The band prepares to play for another pep rally for the Bulldogs.

Ummmmm, good hamburgers.
Banders Jalene Young, Christi Henderson, Beth Bingham, and Kaci Brownlee enjoy hamburgers prepared by the band boosters.

Hang another balloon over there.
Shay Baldridge decides where this ballon will go. Moms and cheerleaders decorated the old gym before the exes arrived for the pep rally during homecoming activities.

Pracitce makes perfect.
NHS advisor Martha Goad goes through the routine during the practice session for the NHS induction ceremony.

Ready for refreshments
Crystall Hill sits with her mom and friend following the NHS induction ceremony. The reception honored the inductees and members.

Just getting warmed up.
La Espuela staffers Jalene Young and Kristina Hyatt enjoy pizza as they make initial plans for the yearbook.

We're still practicing.
The cheerleaders and mascot practiced to prepare for the competitive sessions at cheerleading camp.

Does everyone know the pledge?
Current NHS members stand to recite the organization's pledge along with the inductees at the end of the induction ceremony.

Time to warm up
Banders Megan Clifton and Carrie Fincher take a moment to warm up on the sidelines before a halftime performance at a football game.

Leading the pack
Senior cheerleaders Shay Baldridge and Penny Kelley go through their routine as the alma mater is sung at the end of a Bulldog pep rally.

This is where it all began.
Aimee Martin places a banana in front of Coach Clark as he is blindfolded for a banana-eating race among the coaches. The race was special entertainment for fans at a Bulldog pep rally.

I've got a chicken for sale
FFA member Eli Kendrick displays his prize winning chicken to the spectators at the Dickens County Junior Livestock Show Sale.

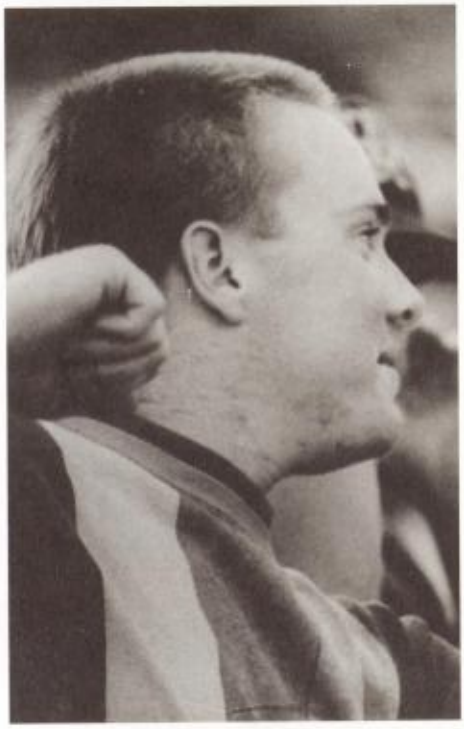
Sweet treats
NHS inductee Osbaldo Valdez has a chance to enjoy the treats at the reception following the NHS induction ceremony.

Following the leader
Senior drum major Stephanie Parrish leads the band through a warmup routine before the group enters the field during the Wayland Band Festival in Plainview.

The view is so interesting from down here.
Flaggers Crystal Elmore, Amanda Benavides, Holly Fine, and twirler Kaci Brownlee decide to watch the game at the bottom of the hill before it is time to perform for the halftime crowd.

A kiss for good luck
Denise Wyatt plants a good luck kiss on Tee Hale's helmet before a junior high Bullpup game. Carissa Vasquez appears to wonder what new game tactic this is.

Somthing (or somebody) has caught his eye.
Junior Dusty Harris turns away from the camera for something obviously more important than posing.



Friends together one last time
Heather Adcock and Cody Williams enjoy the meal served at the annual junior/senior prom.

A look of wonder crosses his face.
Junior Kevin Swaringen is deep in thought about a very serious matter. Sur-r-r-r-r-r-e!

People

Something New

New faces . . .
Each year brings a fresh group of new faces when the seventh graders arrive on campus. Kyle Rainbolt and Adam Hill make their presence known at a Bulldog pep rally.

Something Old

Old business . . .
The freshmen go through the motions of a class meeting to make decisions concerning projects that they will undertake throughout the year. Classes begin early preparing for senior year projects.

Something Blue

Blue robes . . .
Seniors Mike Ritschard, Robert Fernandez, Shawn McDonald, and Ryan Middleton don their new graduation robes for cap and gown pictures.

Something Gold

Golden support . . .
High schoolers Paul Wysocki, Heath Herrera, Will Humphreys, and Daniel Kendrick offer their support to the junior high tracksters at their district meet. Then there is always a clown hiding behind their hand.

Okay, ma'am, pick him out!
What a lineup. Shane Hickman, Chad Key, Scott Rankin, Mike Ritschard, Andy Hale, Clint Fry, Shawn McDonald, and Robert Fernandez are introduced at Meet the Bulldogs.

Mr. & Miss SHS Nominees
Nominees for Mr. and Miss SHS hono were chosen by the faculty. Other nom nees were Shay Baldridge, Vall Maben, Scott Rankin, and Gaite Tayl

I'm ready for plenty of pizza.
Gaite Taylor is ready for another flavor of pizza. The Church of Christ honored the senior class with a pizza party at White House Pizza.

Mr. and Miss SHS

The student body chose Dionne Robertson and Chad Key as Mr. and Miss SHS for the 1994 school year. Dionne is the daughter of Dan and Dixie Robertson. She is active in basketball and is a member of the NHS. Chad is the son of Gary and Elaine Key. He participates in football, basketball, and is a member of NHS and a class officer.

Making plans to head towards South Texas

Senior year is here

The year 1994 has finally arrived and this senior class was ready to see it . Plans have been discussed since their freshman year, and it is time to put those plans in motion.

New members joined the class and old members moved away at the beginning of the year. But things kept on moving.

Major fund raisers for the class included t-shirt sales, woodcutting, cowchip bingo, and Fall Fest King and Queen contest/cake walk.

Second semester came and everyone was ready to look towards graudation. Local churches honored the senior class with traditional parties: First Baptist, Hobo Party; First Methodist, Western Banquet; St. Mary's Catholic Church, Mexican Food Dinner; and Church of Christ, Pizza Party.

Plans were finalized for the senior trip. Plans included stops along the way towards the coast of South Texas.

The class enjoyed being on the honoree end of the prom this year. They had plenty of suggestions of what to do but were glad they weren't the ones having to do it.

Smile for both birdies!
Penny Kelley records those final days at SHS. The class used the videos as a special feature during their graduation exercises.

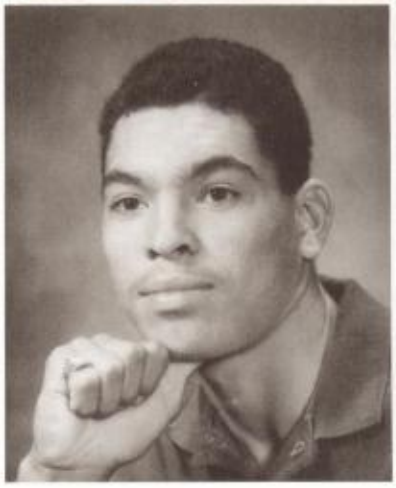
So this is what it feels like.
Chad Key and Shane Hickman are ready to have their picture made in their caps and gowns. Andy Hale, Jayson Thomason and Gaite Taylor are already through.

Heather Adcock
Honor Graduate

Shay Baldridge
Salutatorian-
96.4375 GPA
Honor Graduate

Robert Fernandez

Clint Fry



Who can this be?
Senior Scott Rankin gets caught up in the excitement on the state one-act play trip and tries his hand at portraying Alfalfa. Looks pretty authentic, Scott.

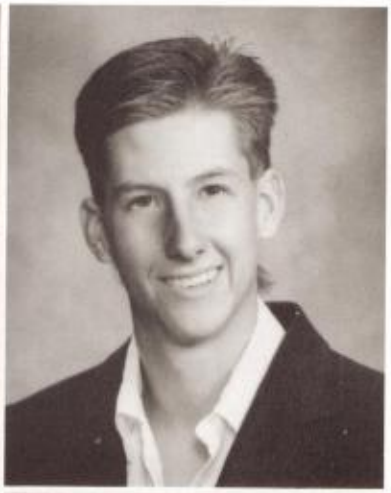
Always flying a little high.
Chad Key, Andy Hale, and Jayson Thomason show that they can climb and hang on. But, guys, so do monkeys.

Dig in.
Stephanie Parrish checks out Cody Williams' plate at the junior/senior prom.

Senior Bulldogs
Chad Key, Robert Fernandez, Shawn McDonald, and Scott Rankin watch closely as the referee flips the coin to determine possession before the O'Donnell game.

Get along, little doggie.
Shawn McDonald gears up for the cowboy relay race at the Western Banquet sponsored by the Methodist Women.

I'm an ex-student, now.
LaTricia Perry goes through her locker to keep treasures and throw away old papers and supplies that she won't need again.



Saprina Garcia

Andy Hale
Honor Graduate

Shane Hickman

Chrystal Hill
Honor Graduate

A dab of makeup here.
Vallye Maben is through putting her makeup on for her final one-act play performance at state contest. Vallye was named to the Honorable Mention All-Star Cast for her portrayal of Helena in the play.

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Check out the cute waitress.
Something has sure caught Ryan Middleton's attention at The Magic Time Machine, but Tessa Mayberry and Kristina Hyatt aren't interested.

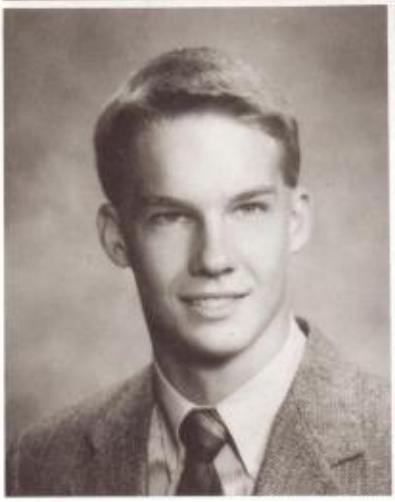
He's got that dance fever.
You can just look at Shane Hickman's face and see that he is ready to get things started so that he can get right to the dance floor. Yeah, we think so too, Bear.

Two-steppin' around the hall.
Penny Kelley and Scott Rankin enjoy the music as they learn various western dances at the Western Banquet.

Kristina Hyatt

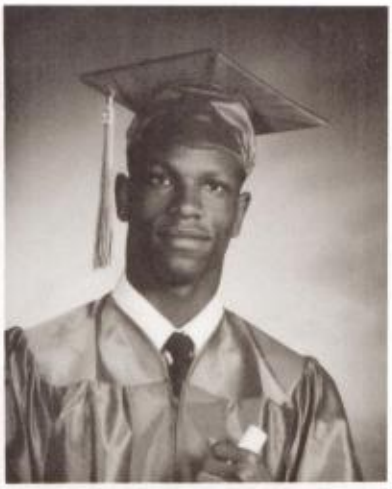
Penny Kelley
Honor Graduate

Chad Key
Valedictorian-
98.750 GPA
Honor Graduate

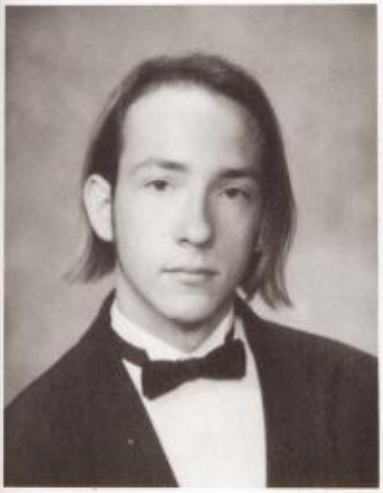


Vallye Maben
Honor Graduate

Tessa Mayberry



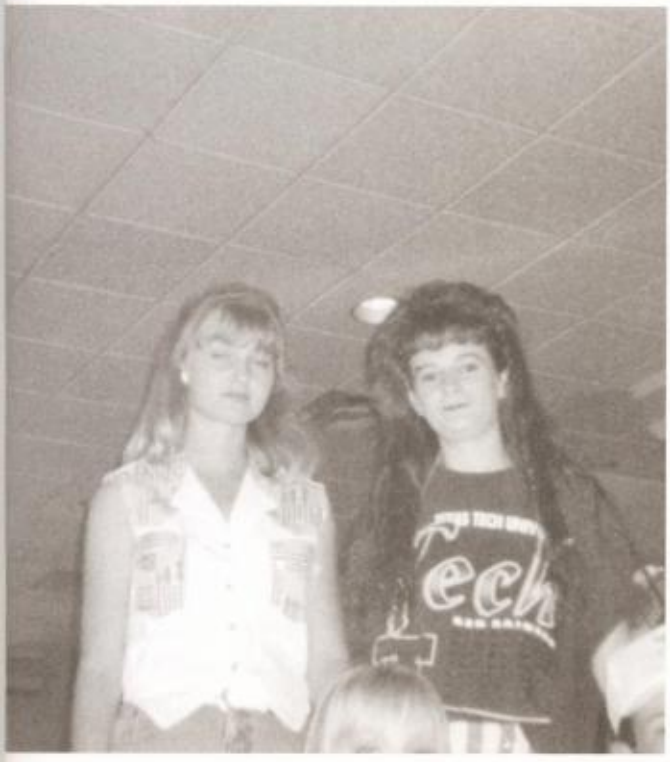
Shawn McDonald



Ryan Middleton

Stephanie Parrish

Ready to get some rest.
Ryan Middleton props himself up in the corner following the long day at state one-act play contest.



Where do we go next?
Tessa Mayberry and Kristina Hyatt are ready to go on to the next activity on the senior trip.

There are strangers lurking about.
Heather Adcock, Penny Kelley, Stephanie Parrish and Saprina Garcia pose with their waiter at The Magic Time Machine.

LaTricia Perry
Honor Graduate

Mindy Rainbolt
Honor Graduate

Silver medal winner.
Robert Fernandez represented his school and community bringing home the silver medal in the high jump at the state track meet.

Scott Rankin

Mike Ritschard

Over the next one.
Scott Rankin prepares to jump over another hurdle in the 300m. race at the regional track meet in Levelland. Scott won 3rd place qualifying him as the alternate to state.

Who has the next dance?
Vallye Maben, Stephanie Parrish, Shawn McDonald, Penny Kelley, Ruben Lara, Rene Pesina, and Cheri Robinson have fun with the homecoming dummy. He had a hot date at the Thursday evening bon fire.

More honors for the seniors.
Penny Kelley, Heather Adcock, an LaTricia Perry make their way into th fellowship hall of St. Mary's Cathol Church for a special dinner prepared honor the graduates.

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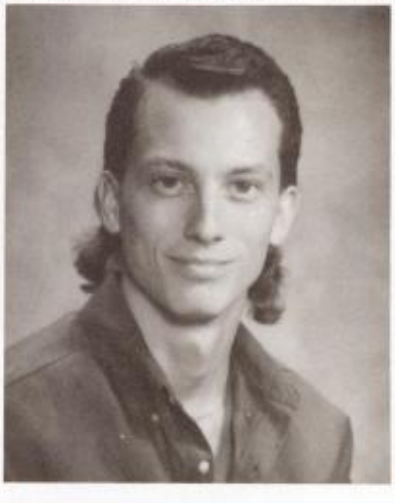
This is the way it goes.
Drum majors Heather Adcock and Stephanie Parrish lead the band through another song at the weekly pep rally.

Get up and get going.
Penny Kelley, Stephanie Parrish, and Yesenia Valdez take a breather before they are off again to another sight.

Dionne Robertson
Honor Graduate

Gaite Taylor



Jayson Thomason

Yesenia Valdez

Are you following me?
Scott Rankin appears to suspect that someone is following him down the long hallway with a camera.

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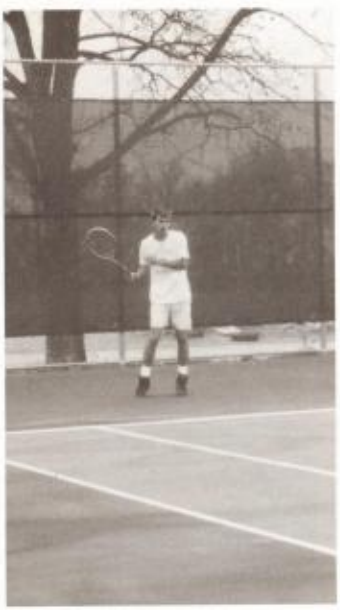
Senior Class Officers

Class officers for the Class of 1994 were Shay Baldridge, Secretary-Treasurer; Scott Rankin, Reporter; Gaite Taylor, Vice President; and Chad Key, President. Sponsors were Shawn Arney, Rena Jones, and Perla Wilson.

What kind of banquet is this?
Mike Ritschards came to SHS from Switzerland. His host family was Larry and Nan Martin.



Hitting his way to district.
Scott Rankin prepares to return the ball in his zone tennis match. Scott advanced from the zone contest to district.

Check the wanted posters.
Chad Key, Jayson Thomason, Shane Hickman, and Clint Fry are excited about their next sightseeing trip.

Honoring the seniors on their night.
Shay Baldridge and Mindy Rainbolt are ready for things to begin at the junior-senior prom.

An Alma Mater tribute.
The band honored senior members LaTricia Perry, Stephanie Parrish, and Heather Adcock by playing the alma mater at the spring concert.

Let me help you with those spurs.
Robert Fernandez and Yesenia Valdez help Scott Rankin with the western getup for the relay race at the Western Banquet.

A family gathering
Clint Fry and Jayson Thomason enjoy the fried chicken dinner with their parents and grandparents at the FFA Awards Banquet.

A homecoming to remember.
Senior queen candidate Shay Baldridge and her escort Andy Hale wait on the sidewalk until it is time for their introduction during the Thursday evening pep rally.

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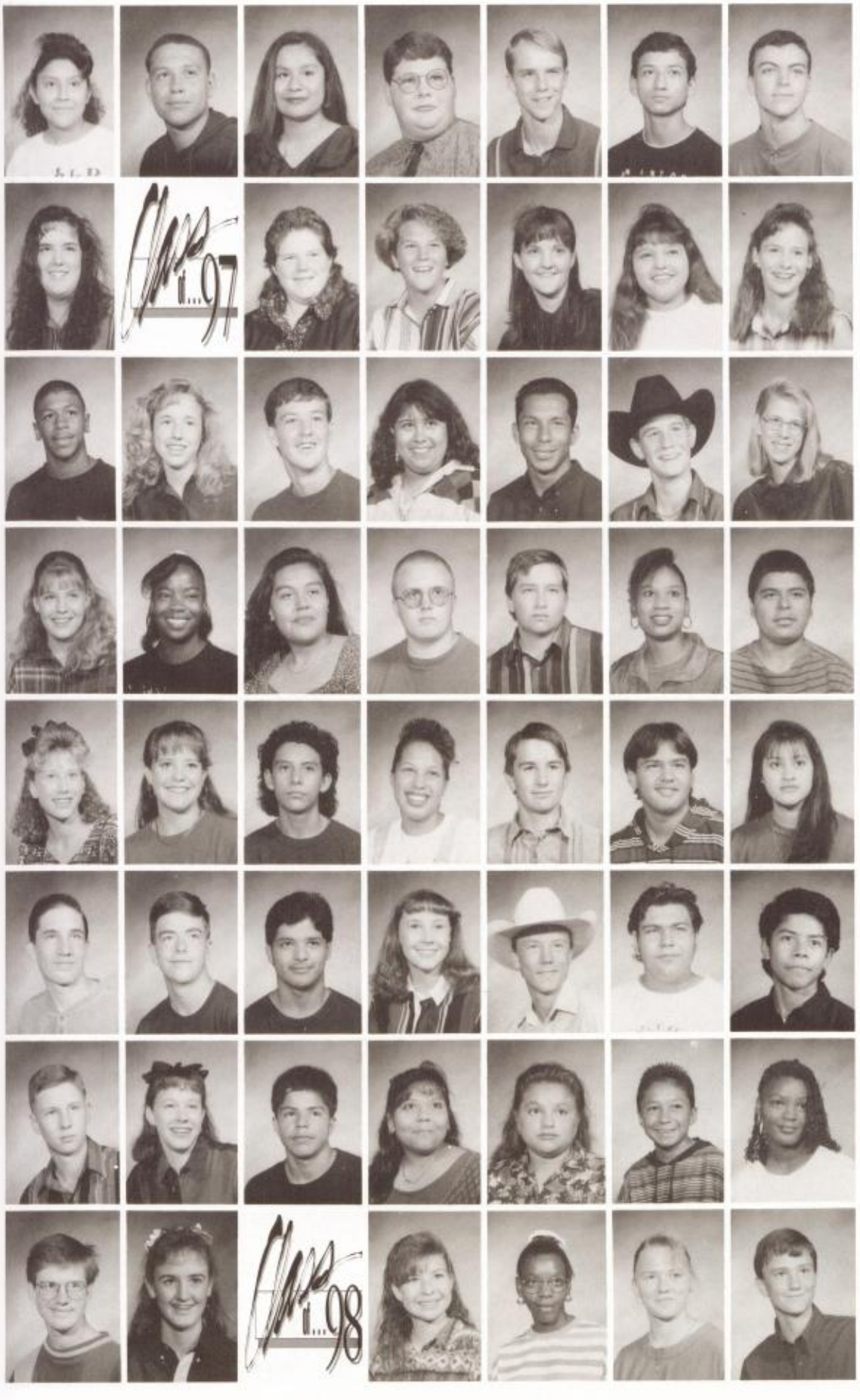

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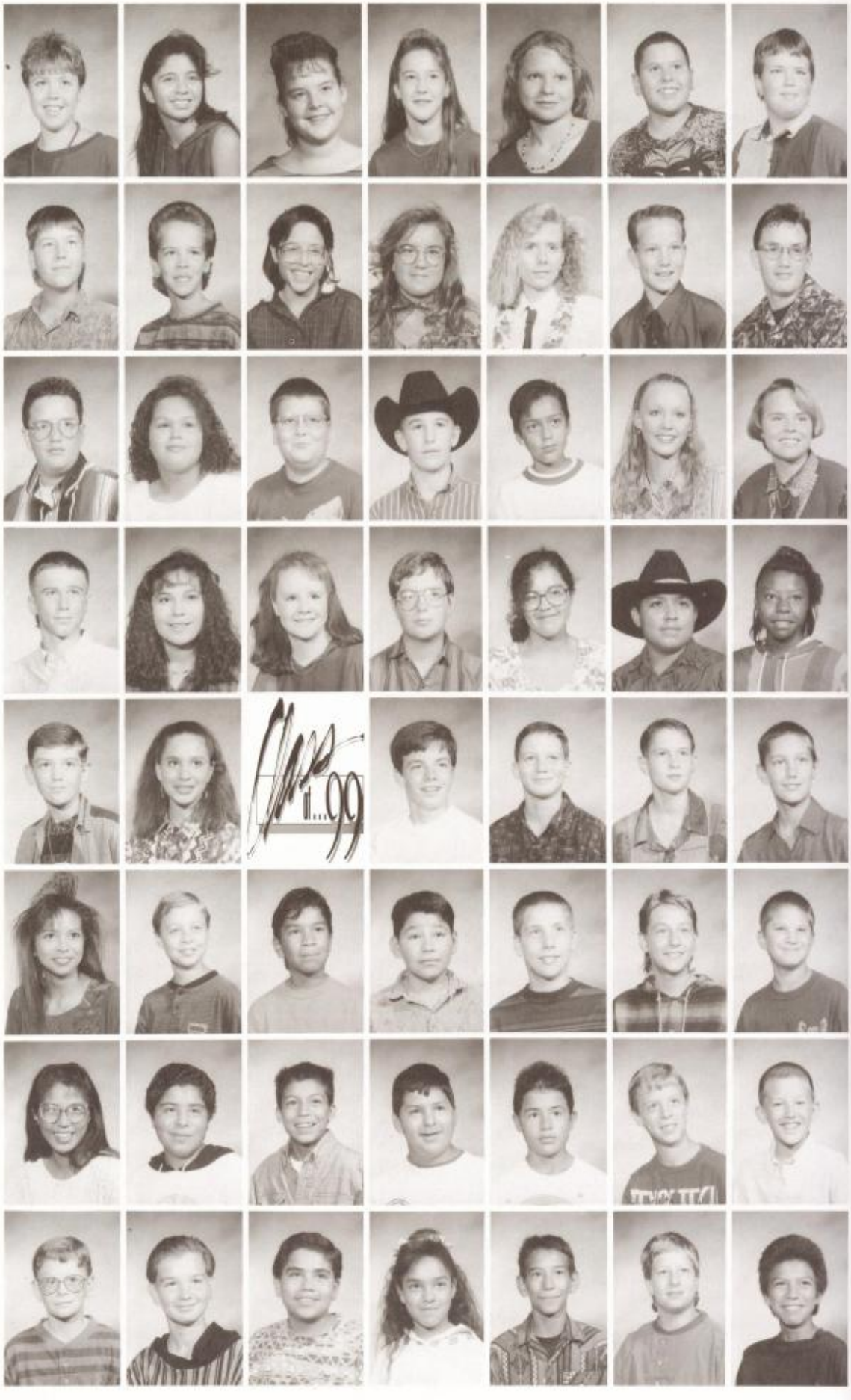

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Class Favorites Serve as Shining

Senior Favorites

Scott Rankin & Heather Adcock

Junior Favorites

Dusty Harris & Scarlett Hagins

Sophomore Favorites

Will Humphreys & Beth Bingham

Just taking it easy.
Dusty Harris kicks back and soaks up some sun. If we could just look through the reflection of those sunglasses we might have a clue to what he is watching so closely.

Happy faces all in a row.
Andy Vargas, Cole Jackson, Stoney Taylor, Zach Diggs, Kip Pool, and Jerri Robinson are having a good time at the pep rally.

Have a got a story for you!
Beth Bingham has something on her mind. Hope she will share it with all of us.

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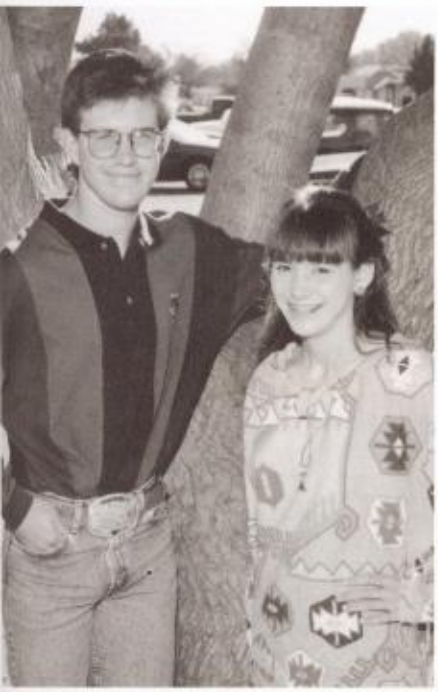

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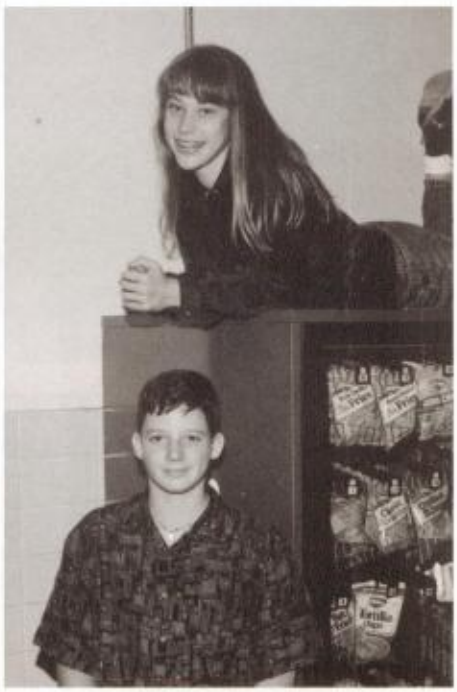
Daniel Woolley & Alana Bingham

8th Grade Favorites

Carrie Fincher & Tee Hale

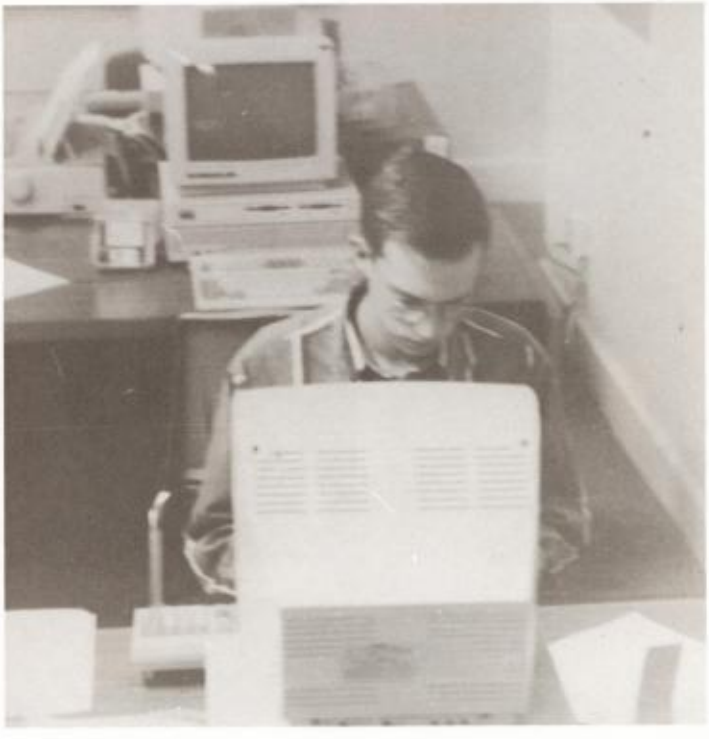


7th Grade Favorites

Clinton Adams & Jamie Woolley

Did you get all of that down?
Clint Day just doesn't seem to believe what he has heard in class.

Do you know any of these people?



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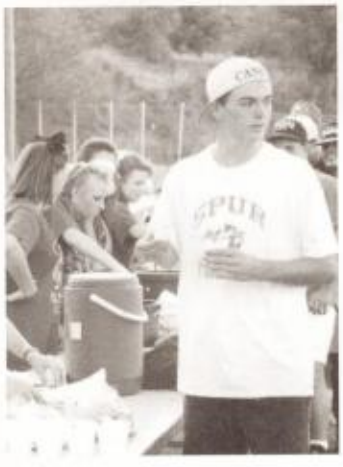
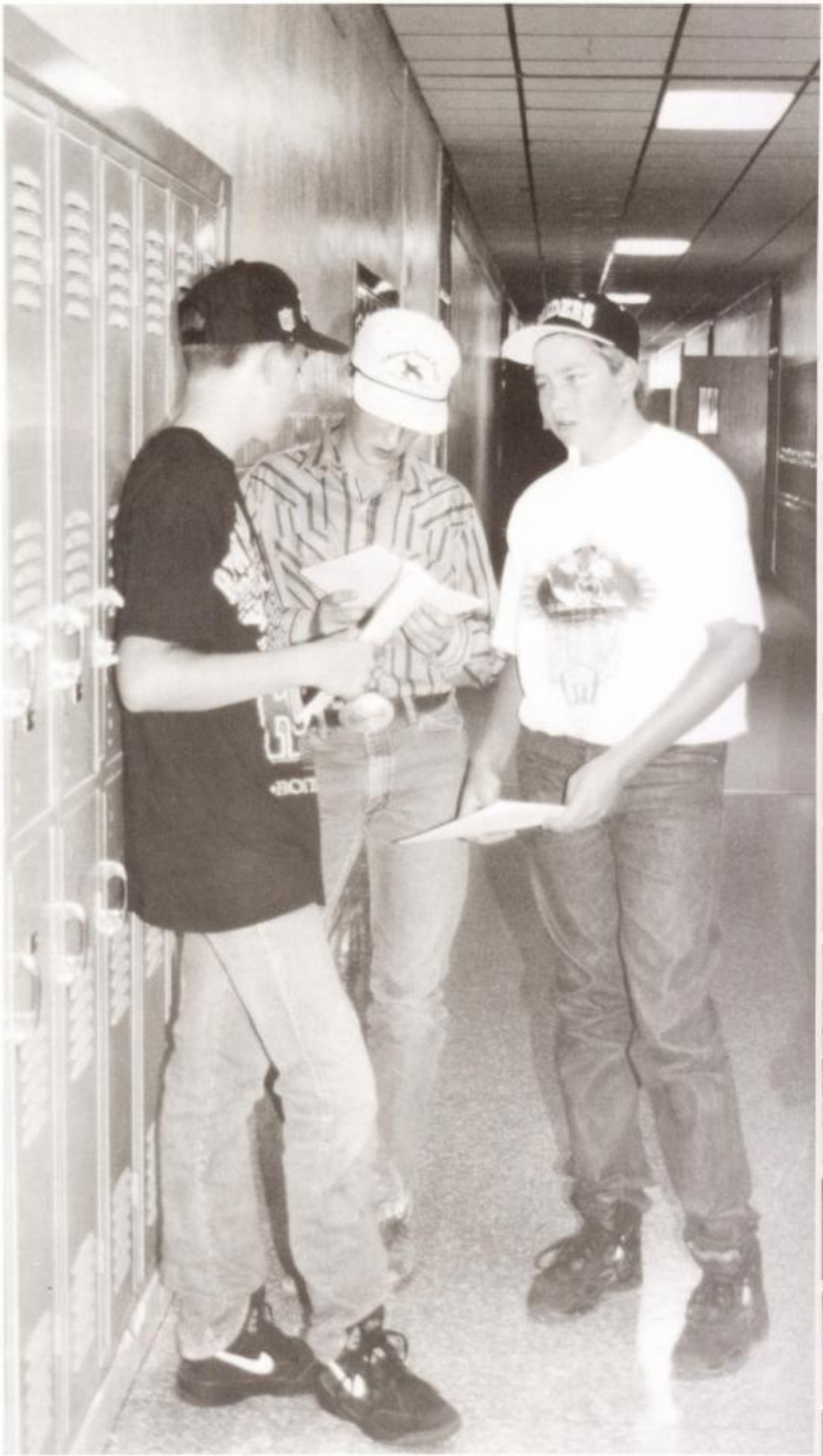


A face only a mother could love.
Senior Mindy Rainbolt shows her dedication to basketball by sporting new face tatoos after workout. The bow completes the outfit.

Pretending to be a statue?
Senior Ryan Middleton steps up to get a better view of the scenery outside the theatre at the UIL State One-Act Play Contest.

So when is lunch, guys?
Freshmen Kip Pool, Zach Diggs, and Cole Jackson compare class schedules before the first day of school.



Fill 'er up!
Juniors Erin Diggs, Callie Pool, and Scarlett Hagins put their supplies away after locating their lockers assigned to them for the year.

Just like a sidewalk cafe.
Les and Carrie Fincher bring their lunch to school rather than leaving campus. It gives them a chance to enjoy the fresh air between classes.

Making plans for an escape route.
Juniors Bear Long, Cody Crawford, and Dusty Harris enjoy the outdoors as they wait their turn to have their hearing checked.

It's got to be the new uniforms.
Freshman Cory Childers shows his excitement, but we're not sure if he is excited about sporting a new band uniform or excited about a new marching season getting under way.

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The stuff you really couldn't care less about!

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Put your feet up and rest a while!

It has been a busy year for everyone at SHS/JH and you deserve the chance to put your feet up and catch your breath before beginning a new year that waits in the future.

The La Espuela offers you a chance to relive the memories that you have made and records a bit of history in a permanent mode. You have your own memories that must be added to the pages of this book. This is a year that you should never forget.

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And BLUE and GOLD spirit is alive and well in Spur.