

# SIGNS OF THE TIME



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# Another opening . . .

Expectations, entrances

and other signs

of beginning the cycle

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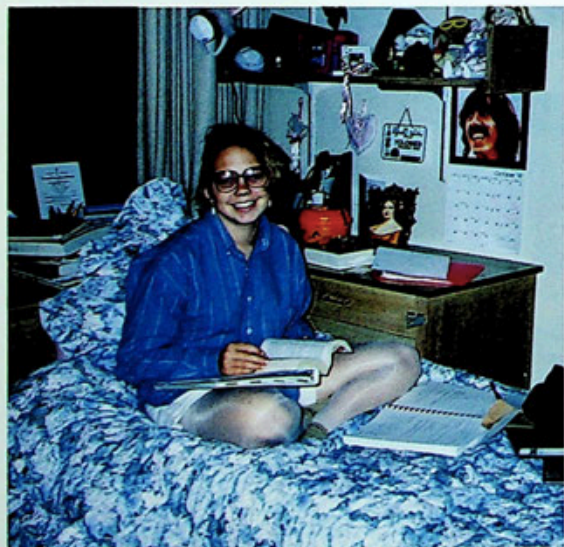
Returning to school in the fall OESians were comforted by familiar signs of September: opening chapel and the entrance of a new class of seniors; busloads of hikers, campers, and trailbuilders heading up Nicol Road; and class schedules requiring the juggling skills of troupes of administrators to land with each subject in place. Yet within the routine appeared indications that for all its resembling other school year beginnings, the year would be unique. Some faces were gone from gathering, replaced by new students and faculty. A new headmaster presented his vision of the future, a new dean opened her door to the minor and the momentous of student life, and a new director of residence forged a family of "dormies" from students of diverse backgrounds.

Subtle marks of change claimed attention: fresh paint on the Upper School buildings, new table tops in the dining hall, final exams in December, and an expanded Winterim program in March. The blending of the familiar and the new was the story of the year.



Under the watchful eye of Prince

Gerald Park takes advantage of the quiet study area in the library loft. Gerald was surrounded by the extensive periodical collection, with titles ranging from Rolling Stone to Physics Today.



Room Sweet Room

Heather McDougall hits the books in the comfort of her dorm room. A new boarder from Saudi Arabia, Heather served as the dorm representative to student council.



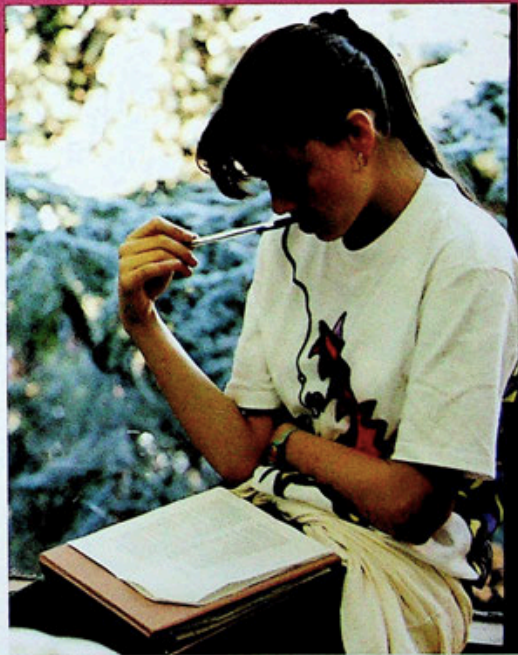
**Nothing up my sleeve**

or hiding in my locker, either. Shilla Kim demonstrates to Megan Walhood the trick of organizing her locker. The two sophomores were accomplished at piling notebooks and texts into small spaces.



**What's the hang-up?**

Getting a grip on life in Upper School were freshman friends Jenny Thomas, Katie Adams, Margaret Spring, and Katie Kirkmire. Ninth graders took part in a new combination P.E./Health offering four times a week.

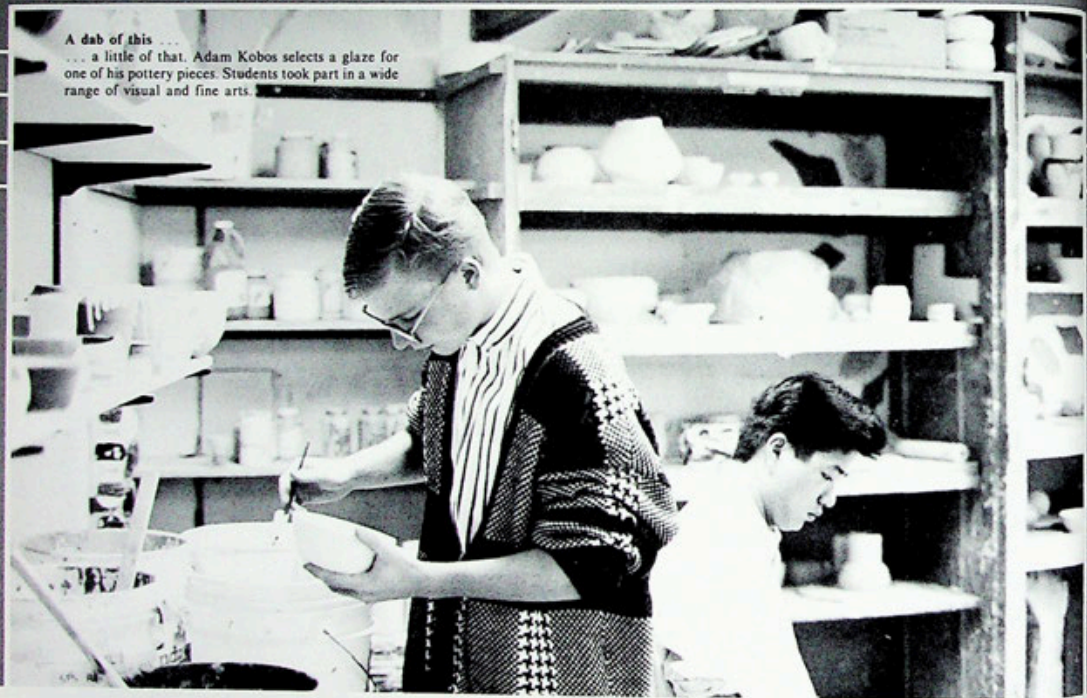


**Lost on Walden Pond**

Tessa Williamson ponders the intricacies of Thoreau as she reads a handout from English. The eleventh grade curriculum featured American literature and history taught collaboratively by Diane Meade and Corbet Clark.

# Another Show

A dab of this ...  
... a little of that. Adam Kobos selects a glaze for  
one of his pottery pieces. Students took part in a wide  
range of visual and fine arts.



#### Give us peace

The choir practices "Dona Nobis" under the direction of Barb Vardenaga. In April the group attended the Northwest League Choir Festival at Corbett, earning a spot at State, where they placed third.



#### When you say that, smile.

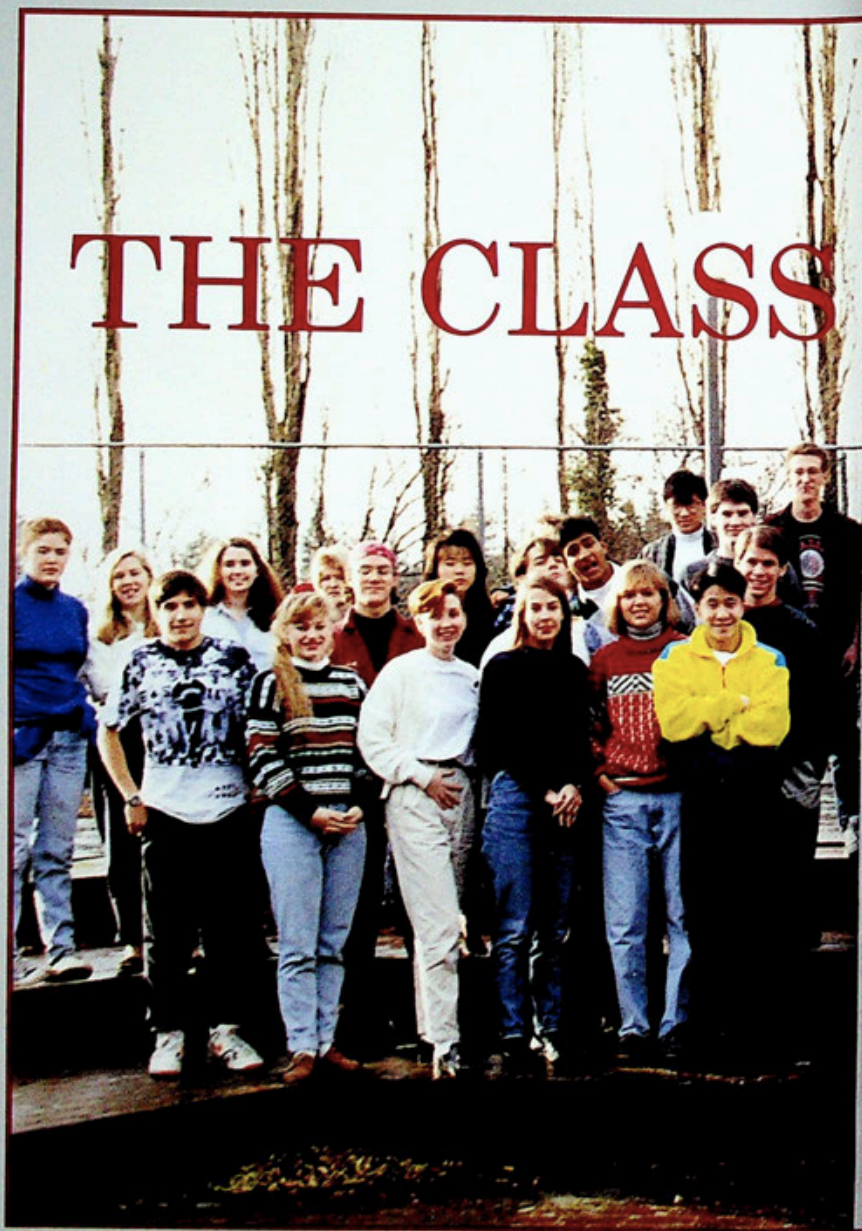
Michael Scheetz is captured in an uncharacteristically serious pose. Mike was known for his high energy level.



# OPENING ACTS

*Expect the*

# THE CLASS



*unexpected*

OF 1991



# Great Expectations for class of '91

Senior bonding began on September 4 at Sarah Bechen's house where members of the class of '91 finalized plans for the imminent Senior Entrance. The passing out of T-shirts and other shenanigans followed the business portion of the meeting.

On the opening day of school the class began the festivities with a fine repast at the local Le Denny's. The off to the chapel in a great cloud of exhaust. After donning tiger togas and hypo-allergenic war paint, the seniors were ready - it was time to EXPECT THE UNEXPECTED.

The embodiment of this theme was "Mogli" from Rudyard Kipling's *The Jungle Book*. Ashwin Budden played the role, burning rubber into the chapel on a BMX bike. This initiated a teeming horde of seniors, wild, crazy seniors. Mike Seaman was "Baloo" in a silver fox coat, dancing and lip-synching the "Bare Necessities." Craig Dowsett welcomed the new school year as the chief of the tribe. It was tres chic.

**EXPECT THE UNEXPECTED**



## Bare Necessities

Tracy Brod and Anna Martens psyche-up for their entrance. Tracy returned for her senior year after spending her junior year schooling on a sailboat.

## King Craig's father

Anil Krishna murthy hangs his head under the gaze of royalty. Once gain the senior class dazzled underclassmen.



## Mogli!!!!

Ashwin Budden gives Kipling's character an updated look. Seniors wore shirts with Mogli's fleeing form emblazoned on them.



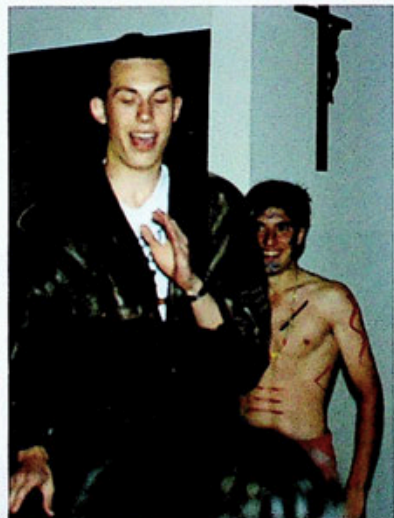
**United we stand**

Tracy Cone and Sarah Bechen smile in relief. Attaining senior status was no small accomplishment.



**A beast of a guy**

Tony Shum is all decked out and only one year to go. As student body vice president, Tony was always ready to get in the act.



**Go Roman**

Roman Zawodny dances for joy at the prospect of his senior year. Josh Orfanakis checks out Roman's fancy foot work.



**Long live the king!**

Craig Dowsett lectures to the congregation on the finer points of being a senior. Having been one for several minutes, Craig felt he had his act together.

# Gearing up for Senior year

## Longtime friends.

Julien Ritter and Derek Collins, friends since freshman year, share a quiet moment.

Our first full day of school was spent discussing college decisions with Cynthia Doran. Peter Stevens came in also to meet us and express his excitement about the new year. By the end of the sessions we were more than ready for Bonnie Stanke's relaxation exercises.

That afternoon we zipped off to spend two fun-filled and informative days along the Sandy River. Most of us thought we were on the coast or in Washington. Luckily we learned our learning styles that evening, so that we knew what to do in future situations.

But we had fun, too. Ashwin accompanied us on guitar while we sang various selections from Bon Jovi, John Denver, the Dead, and Poison around the campfire. A tremendous time was had making up and performing skits. Each food preparation group developed one about college and college-type situations in any of a number of forms (from sit-com to game show). Even the teachers did their own skit on learning styles.

There were serious moments too. Sharon Cade spoke to us about our role as leaders. Class advisors Pam Vohnson and Gary Crossman made us think about community service and our graduation.

We were ready for the 1990-1991 school year to begin!

## A priest and a rabbi walk into ...

Anil Krishnamurthy tells one of his famous jokes to Jessica Tanne and Sarah Bechen.



Rarin' to go!!



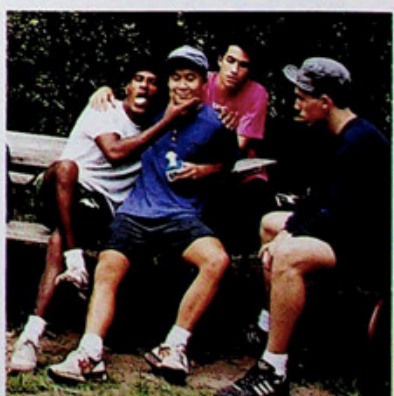
Women on the verge of a nervous breakdown!!!



They're Seniors now??!!

Seniors hold each other in high esteem.  
Elizabeth Cooper used Tracy Cone and Sharon Gebbie as guinea pigs in her photographic experiments.

Sing it to me baby!  
Roman Zawodny, Tony Shum and Anil Krishnamurthy warm up for their skits.



All tucked out.

AAAAHHH! How cuuute!

A break in the learning process.

# Juniors revamp Eagle Creek

Deep in the isolated forest the class of '92 gathered at the base of a great mountain, determined to pave the way for other adventurers to follow. Actually, it wasn't a great mountain, more of a largish hill, and we weren't really deep in the forest, but we were two miles from the nearest grocery store, and (even worse) Domino Pizza couldn't deliver under 30 minutes or less. We were at the Eagle Creek campground, and unlike previous junior trips, we had running water and even toilets (!!). We were there to clean the Wanna Viewpoint trail, which had been partially washed out in a winter storm. The trail had already been cleaned before by a group from REI, but we couldn't tell. The actual clean-up was only half the work. The other half was the grueling climb from base camp to the top of the work site upon a rocky trail full of switchbacks. When we were done, a lady in high heels could have walked it (or even a man in high heels). The class agreed that, except for the food (yuck), the trip was a success.



Yeah, and we ate this stuff, too. Ramon Palanca and Daniel Eding look on while Jeff Willard shows off the day's gourmet feast. Juniors were assigned meals that they were expected to prepare by themselves.



Friday the 13th, part XVII: Arnold's Revenge  
Arnold Park works hard to clear the trail of plant debris. Most juniors learned to use some type of tool during the trip.

**Take 5, guys**  
Chris DeBenedetti, Max Hallin, Charlie Adams, and Sven Nonhoff rest on some rocks after a long day. Trail clearing was a physical job requiring rock clearing, widening of the trail, and raking of debris.



**Praise the Lord, I can see the light.**  
Ina Hunt and Aubrey Merdalo relax while friendly Rolf Snyder tries to show them the path to enlightenment. The trip was blessed with warm weather to the delight of many.



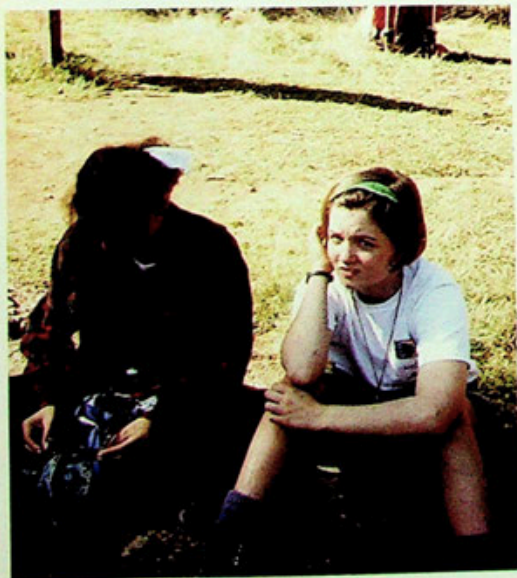
**Well gosh! I forgot my hat.**  
Michael Riviere, Tricia Kreinberg, and a forest ranger make sure all the tools are put away properly. The juniors were so efficient at clearing trails, there was even time left over to do an extra trail.



**Howl'n Mad**  
Esther Daack and Dan Tochen express their overly enthusiastic joy upon finally head home. The class of '92 deserved some good R&R after a most successful trip.

# Sophomores enjoy sun and scenery

The sophomores venturing into the Mt. Jefferson Wilderness frequently used such adjectives as "sweaty", "dirty", "hot" to describe their experience. They hiked six to ten miles a day, finding their way to a lake every evening. Daily activities included breaking camp each morning, hiking, and working in small group activities such as discussions and trust falls. The leaders were Bill Proudman, Dr. Beyer, Ed Rubovitz, Diane Meade, Colleen Conkey, and three Outward Bound guides. Then, there was always more hiking, putting up camp in the evening, and cooking their own food over a campfire. Meraiah Foley said, "The couscous was terrible!", but most sophomores agreed that the food was actually very good. The weather was on the hikers' side for once, and all the sophomores enjoyed getting to know each other better, making new friends, and having a little fun before hitting the books for the new academic year.



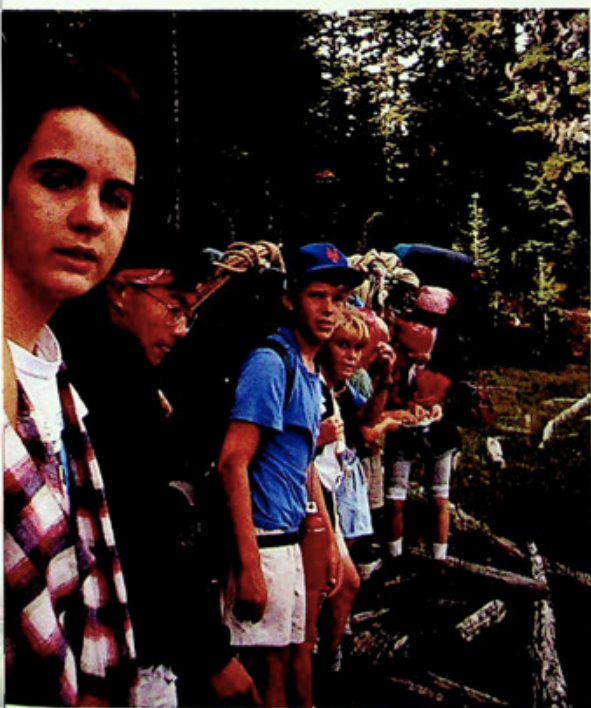
There are how many days left?  
Meraiah Foley and Zanette Johnson can't believe the work they were assigned, but the long, hard days were rewarded by evenings of rest and relaxation.



Didn't we pass that tree about four miles ago?  
Weylin Bibb-Barrett hopes Adam Price has a better sense of the landmarks than he does. The sophomore trip typically involves more energetic hiking than any other school outing.



**Squeezing out a Smile** — This cheery group of sophomores takes time out from their work to look happy for the camera. Just moments after the picture was taken, Melissa Berwind twisted her ankle.



**Fearless Leader** Becky Allen thinks she knows the way but the others in the group aren't so sure.

**There's no place like home . . .** Courtney Sherwood thinks of a far off place that seems almost dream-like — the shower.

# Freshmen in Paradise

Just a few hours after arriving for their first full day of high school, the freshmen were put on a bus and carried off to Camp Merriweather on the Oregon coast. The ride was long but they always found ways, including card games and gossiping, to amuse themselves.

Upon arriving, the students unpacked their bags and got settled in their cabins. Then there were a couple of hours of free time during which people entertained themselves by either hangin' out and talking or playing football in the campsite.

After that all the students gathered in the mess hall and split up into groups.

Each group was given about 25 straws, a roll of tape, and an egg. The task was to build an apparatus around the egg (using only the tape and straws) that would protect the egg from breaking when dropped from a height of eight feet. Almost every group was able to accomplish the feat.

After dinner the students had more free time and most spent it by playing games on the beach or by just walking along the shore.

Then everybody gathered around the fire pit for a campfire. The students and faculty discussed the day's activities while roasting marshmallow over the warm fire.

When the fire had died down everyone got ready for bed and some much needed sleep.

Much of the next day was spent with a sand castle contest on the beach. Among the masterpieces sculptured were a dragon and a VW Bug. The faculty declared the whole contest a multi-way tie. The rest of the time people had free and did small group activities.

Then people packed their stuff and got on the bus. It was the end of what some people said was the best trip of their lives.



#### What a masterpiece!

Dylan Lennan, Damien Ritter, Amy Gearin, Britta Mauritz, and Eric Gebbie kneel over their sand sculpture. The students spent a couple of hours on the last day staging their own sand castle contest.



**Anyone hungry?**

Tyler Freres and Chris Locke (for some reason) proudly stand over their fairly mediocre combination of different, formerly living animals. The food was edible; they're still around, 'nuff said.

**Show them pearly whites!**

Paul Hearn, Lilian Choi, Scott Kremkau, and Britta Mauritz show their reluctant happiness for their snacks. The freshman class was treated with ice cream the last day of the retreat because they were such nice happy campers.



**Bombs away!**

Hey, David Moser, nice try, but the object was to NOT break the egg. Fortunately for David and the rest of the freshmen, they eventually caught on and built many apparati to prevent the egg's breakage. The contest was a success, except for one group.

**Sitting Pretty**

Eric Gebbie, Mike Kremkau, Monty Tuominen, Dylan Lennan, and Toby Menely sit around in a circle waiting for a gathering to start. Gathering was an important part of the day, used for discussing the day's activities.



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# Creativity: A Sign of Blossoming Minds

One night, while I was sitting in my Lazy Boy recliner and listening to the soft crackle of the glowing fire, a word popped in my head ... HUMANITIES. What a funny word ... I admire the striking beauty of the word; it rolls off the tongue, falling and fracturing into so many pieces. Religion, art, English, history and probably even something on arm wrestling in the nude.

Then while I was admiring my dog's beauty, it came to me. Humanities is a major part of the OES community. Required courses such as U.S. History are part of the Humanities montage. How? In what ways? Well, it's a history ... of human beings! Corbet Clark and Karen Talus are the U.S. History teachers ... therefore they are Humanities teachers. By golly, I've got it!!!

Then while I was admiring my own handsome image, another revelation struck. History is not the only subject at OES that is a part of the Humanities system. The Art Department, under the direction of Matt Lyon, offers Humanities courses such as Drawing and Paper Arts. By golly, another brainstorm!!! Barb Vardenega and Tom Wakeling are considered Humanities teachers, instructing the choir and jazz band to new vocal and instrumental heights.

While I was still admiring my beauty, additional enlightenment occurred ...

English and Religion are taught at too. Hey, with English teachers like L. Sadler, Diane Meade, Debbie Shan and Terry Hansen, students learned beauties and intricacies of the word. Religious Thought courses such as Mysticism, a seminar on Jesus, East and Western Religions, and Philosophy, taught by David Streight and Terry Hansen, exposed students to the pursuit of the beautiful in the spiritual realm.

And there I had it! The key, the essence, the alpha and the omega of Humanities: all these courses sought a different perspective on the human tendency to search for the beautiful. Not bad work for a good-looking guy and his dog.



**I love it! I really do!**

Josh Michtom expresses his true joy about being in humanities class. In his second year, the format of the class, a combining of English 9 and OWC, drew nothing but raves.



**Just a scrape here, a dab there ...**

Becky Allen puts the finishing touches on her ceramics project. Raku was an interesting change from the normal kiln fired pottery.



**Close quarters**

Adam Price, Ben Pope and Adam Woodward work on an Egyptian man that later would be displayed in the Great Hall. Art Trek produced an interesting array that was often used as added color in the lobby or the Great Hall.

**I can't hit that note!!**

Choir members muddle through some new music. Choir was an informal class that proved to be a stress release during seventh period. (A hot cup of free coffee didn't hurt either!)



**Ready and waiting**

The products of a full ceramics class wait to be glazed. You could always find the members of the ceramics class outside the classroom by the matters of clay in their hair, on their faces, clothes ...



**And furthermore ...**

Corbet Clark addresses the Russian History class, which was enjoyed by most. The current reforms being made in the U.S.S.R. added much immediacy and animation to class discussions.



**Wake up, Roman!**  
Roman Zawodney, Naoki Kawada, Sharon Gebbie debate the finer points of Russian Lit. One of the Russian students' favorite assignments is a short story imitating Chekov's style.

**You've got to be kidding!**  
Kristina Nagy, an exchange student from Hungary, takes a break during Drawing I. The class explored perspective, shading and other aspects of oil and charcoal drawing.



**Look Ma! No (clean) hands!**  
Gerald Park looks up from throwing a pot in Ceramics. This activity was one of the most enjoyed, but messy parts of Ceramics class.



**Can't we do this all period?**  
The bass and alto sections express their true feelings for the back massage portion of warm-ups. This device for loosening up neck and shoulder muscles was enjoyed by most.

ates of Passage? What?  
 endy Siemens pores over her Humanities homework. The freshmen experienced humanities with two teachers new to the upper school: Debbie Hauffer and Karen Talus.



**Study hard, guys!**  
 Charlie Ramsden, Borja Del Palacio, Mike Riviere and Chris Houser spend a quiet day in Junior English. The juniors enjoyed acting out King Lear in January.

**There's a WHAT today?**  
 Heather McDougall looks lost in Modern World History. This course also had a teacher, Hope Stevens, who proved to be an animated addition to the elective sophomore history course.



"Well, I though Tolstoy was . . ."  
 Andy Schleuter and Joseph Ma deal with the trials and tribulations of Russian Lit. The Russian Literature and Russian History classes had a joint Russian dinner in the spring.

## OES's world party: The international students



Coming back from a break, international student advisor Robin Weitzer and Maggie McGrew enjoy a rare moment of relaxation in the International Student Office. Many of the international students spend time with these helpful advisors.

The ESL and International student program is running smoothly one year after its move to the Scott House and continuation under Robin Weitzer. She teaches classes of ESL, just plain ESL and ESL Interviews and compositions were just a couple of creative ways students became more familiar with their adopted town.

Activities planned to promote communication between the foreign students and the surrounding community include Thanksgiving dinner joining many Upper School families interested in the diversity of the school and the International students.



C'mon! toaster ... the alphabet ... Gerald Park prompts his teammates in a competitive round of Pictionary. Word games not only made learning fun, but helped put theory into practice, making it more accessible.



Juniors David Tarlow and Jeff Willard study and hard in French class. With the typically heavy OES course load, Upper Schoolers often found themselves hunched over the books long after sundown.

"Who me?"

Sophomore Makiko Yamazoe is caught slightly off guard during her ESL class. Non-English speaking students fine tuned their English skills during ESL.



Since you asked ...

Jack Laidlaw gives a question in French his best shot. French students at all levels were challenged with a tough foreign language program.



"Not bad!"

So says Madame Ghattas as she passes back a recent test. Many students found taking French a rewarding and challenging experience.



OES Aardvarks or Oregon Ducks?

Gerald Park, a possible future Oregon Duck, discusses college plans with fellow international student, Jong-Hoon. Many of OES's international students continue their studies in college in the U.S.

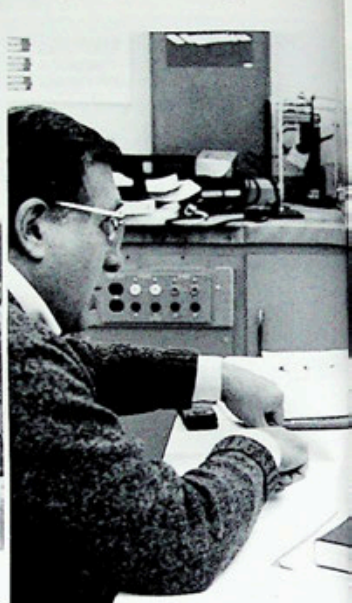
# Oesians struggle with a variety of signs

This year the OES advanced Biology class expanded its environmental topics, and took on course title of Wetland Ecology. Spending most of its time in the OES wetlands and the newly named SAJET creek.

The new computers remain a popular focal point of the students, and a new addition this year was more IBMs in the library.

In the math department a new full time face has been added to the staff. Mr. Locke temporarily replaced Mrs. Doulis while she was on her trip to Greece last year.

The rest of the sciences were busy exploring things like the inner workings of the cell and the use of nuclear power.



#### He-Ross

Ross Harris tests his strength in the battle against the stool. Many physics students not only received mental enlightenment, but physical as well, from Dr. Beyer's physics class.



#### What do you think?

Chris Locke and Elliott de Bruin engage in a heated discussion about math. The addition of a baby into his family turned Mr. Locke into father as well as a math teacher during the course of the year.

#### "Do I pass?"

Chris Houser turns up his nose for the daily nose check in 7th period computer class. Julien Ritter and Jenny Bornholdt smile big, for they just pass the class with flying colors.

"Could you explain that one more time?"  
Meraiah Foley works with Dr. Beyer to finish up a mind splitting physics problem. During his free time, Dr. Beyer could always be found in his class room helping students with their homework.



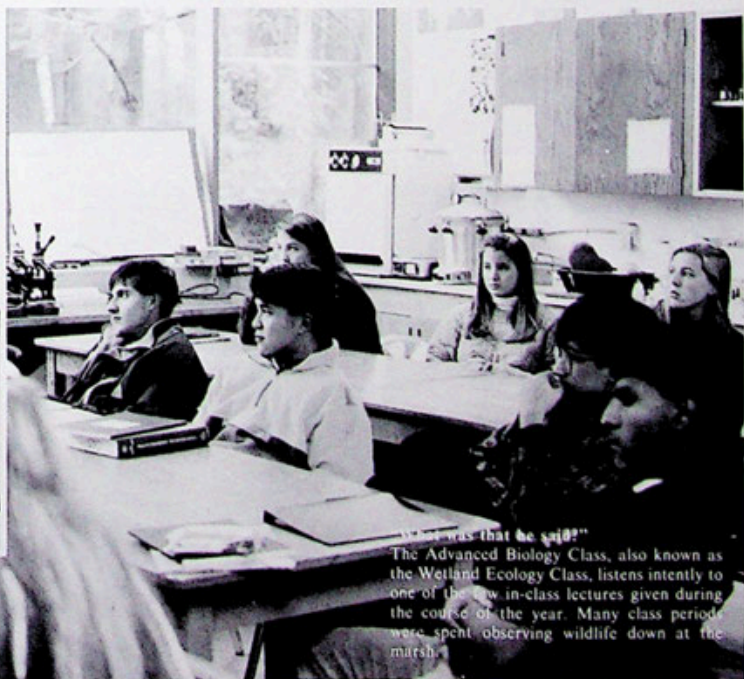
"No pictures, no autographs!"  
Computer/science teacher John Kerslake shields himself from harmful exposure of the camera. We caught him at a rare moment of tranquility, but often he was in a state of frenzy.



I am a whooping crane!  
Once again Dr. Bill Lamb strays from chemical bonds to wetland ecology. Dr. Lamb was always a source of scientific amusement.



Now if you look closely at the feather ..."  
Mr. LeCavalier checks his book to determine whether he had correctly identified the bird. One of Mr. LeCavalier's goals was to keep track of the many different species in the wetlands.



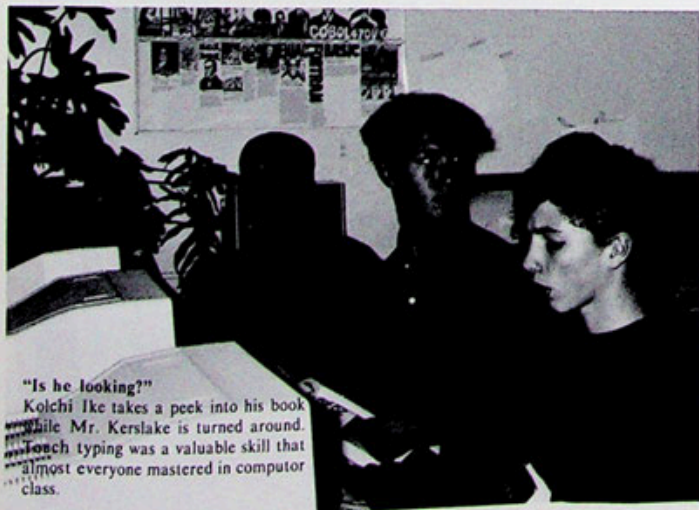
"What was that he said?"  
The Advanced Biology Class, also known as the Wetland Ecology Class, listens intently to one of the few in-class lectures given during the course of the year. Many class periods were spent observing wildlife down at the marsh.

"I didn't do so badly after all."

Dew Tiantawatch and Adam Woodward check over their tests, scrounging for more points. Many long hours were spent preparing for grueling math tests.

**Community problem solving**

Dr. Beyer is surrounded by students pleading for help with vector problems. Many students claimed that Physics was their hardest class at OES.



"Is he looking?"

Kolchi Ike takes a peek into his book while Mr. Kerlake is turned around. Touch typing was a valuable skill that almost everyone mastered in computer class.

"Ok, so now what's it doing?"

Angela Graves records observations from an experiment. Freshman Biology gave students a chance to explore the mysteries of nature.

**Are they really working?**

Lisa Hayward and Courtney Sherwood find joy in problem solving. OES students were often the recipients of many science awards.



**"Where are your goggles?"**

Tiffany Hartgen tests the acidity level of her solution. Students learn the difference between accuracy and precision as they climb the rungs of science education at OES.

**"Could you write a little larger?"**

Erin Lamb, Andrea Bell and Mark Behrens listen intently to Dr. Lamb's lecture. Many visiting students were impressed that not only could one write on the walls in the science room, but also the door.





# Way Out Winterims

As a young child growing up in New York, Chris Locke learned how to deal with many of life's little realities. When he became a teacher at OES, he noticed how many unfortunate students had never learned about these priceless gems like balancing a checkbook or changing a baby's diaper. So when Chris found out about the EARTH-SHAKING major event known to Oesians as Winterim, he jumped at the chance to show off his profound knowledge and his incredible STUD-OF-NEW YORK physique. With Locke-Jaw at the helm, Life's Little Realities became yet another enlightening chapter of knowledge in the week of Winterim.

Juniors spent parts of the week in a class called College Decisions, where students learn about approaching college applications.

Seniors used the week by donating their services to businesses outside the school. Winterim was seen as an informative break from the grind of regular classes and was enjoyed by all OES students and faculty.



Do you think we should drink the water? Shilla Kim And Dew Tiantawach ask those ever important questions before embarking on the Mexico Trip. The week-long voyage was enjoyed, between the frequent trips to the bathroom, by most involved.



Not a man!  
D Stanke flexes his air-pumped muscles to prove his new identity as "Nike Man".  
A brilliant portayal of the newest emerging super hero was part of the final project in  
Video Productions Winterim Group.



Aren't they pretty?  
Courtney Brown shows off her latest creation. The Food Winterim Group a very tasty, but fattening, week.



...e don't make us get on that little bus!  
 ...tired, but culturally enriched group of OESians stops for one last  
 ...oto-Opportunity before climbing back on the bus to head for home.  
 ...le group saw four plays in Ashland, then returned to OES to discuss  
 ...m and their authors.



**Is it Case, or Julia Child?**

Case Fritz, newly discovered master of nouvelle cuisine, tests the consistency of his mixture. Case was an enthusiastic member of the Food Group, as well as supplying them with all the trivia they could handle.

**Ooh-SEXY!!!**

Megan Walhood struts her stuff as the newest celebrity spokesperson for the chic little hole in the wall known to anyone who is anyone as the Covered Bridge Country Store. The Ashland Group stopped here for a cold drink and a stretch on their way down south.

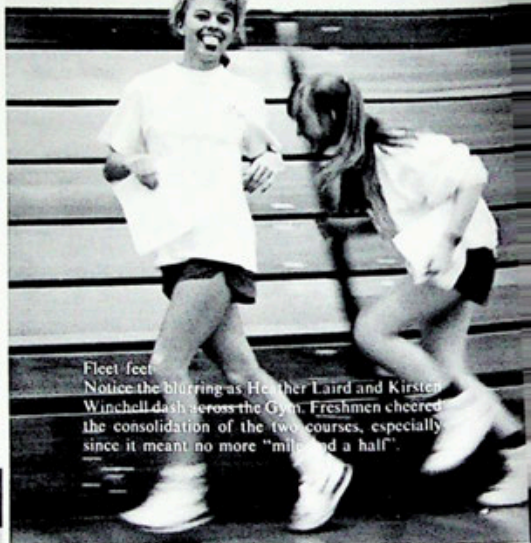


# Students and changes run rampant

The assembly/activity schedule change and the addition of the Intro to Fitness class were major modifications for the P.E. department.

The schedule effected the department by taking away the period, fifth, that was normally set aside specifically for activities and P.E. This forced the P.E. teachers to hold courses throughout the day, not just at one time.

Freshman P.E. underwent radical surgery and out emerged Intro to Fitness, a combination of Freshman P.E. and Health. Time was spent both in the gym and the classroom, showing the link between nutrition, fitness, and good health.



**Fleet feet**  
Notice the blurring as Heather Laird and Kirster Winchell dash across the Gym. Freshmen cheered the consolidation of the two courses, especially since it meant no more "mile and a half".



**No Monty, bend your arms**  
Monty Tuominen smiles for the camera while hanging from the chin-up bar. Freshman PE changed format this year, integrating the health and PE curriculums into one super-course.



**Mr. Versatile**  
Josh Michton races down the court for a quick lay-up during Freshman Intro to Fitness. Later in the year, Josh made a miraculous mid-court shot, to win a contest and a t-shirt.



SPORTS  
EXTRAVAGANZA

# X-Country sets fast pace



**Hey, look at those deltoids**  
Good runners like Anna Martens and Tracy Brod know that an occasional distraction can be beneficial. A good sense of humor was needed to counter the intense workouts.



**The wild and crazy cross country team**  
Back row: E. Legler, A. Martens, M. Arbogast, T. Brod, S. Ou, L. Cooper, coach Gray. Front row: R. Koch, J. Hoff, A. Suzuki, C. Freres.

**Run! Run! There's a bear in the woods!**  
While Erika Legler takes the competition seriously, Libby Brod decides to take a laid back approach to the race. Both girls knew how to handle the competition, except when the boys' team took the local State



**Run run run like like like hell hell hell!**

The boys' team used the boys' team as the inspiration for their song. The boys' team managed to achieve a fine standing in the metro area. The boys' team was always ready to compete, calm and collected, especially Ricardo Koch, who always closed his eyes during the race and kept repeating, "I think I can. I think I can. I think I can."



**Wake up! Hey, wake up to a happy day.**

Tracy Brod and Anna Martens are really enthusiastic about competing in the State cross country meet. Even though they show the excitement of Budapest on a Monday night, they were thrilled to represent OES at State. Substantial evidence is shown in lower left corner of the page.



**It's just some fun in the sun**

Aki Suzuki, Anna Martens, Tracy Brod and Erika Legler show off their pearly whites. Due to the photography session, the cross country team got an "easy day" of practice, which is probably why they're still smiling.

**Compromising positions**

Well, the yearbook staff couldn't decide if Tracy Brod and Anna Martens were stretching or just emotionally frustrated, so we'll leave it to you to decide. Stretching and/or being frustrated must have helped at state because they came in 13th and 21st, respectively.

**Smile for the birdie.**

Hey Aki, I was just kidding. Don't smile for us, just catch that Regis runner and go on to glory. Brownie points may not win races, but the girls' team did.



# Bump, Set, Spike-Key Ingredients for the Future



**We'll finish this conversation later**  
Ina Hunt and Tessa Williamson switch places as soon as the ball gets in play. Ina also went on to play for a USVBA Team, Cowlitz Volleyball Club, based out of Longview.



**Quite a Stretch**  
Jessica MacMurray reaches for the ball. Jessica, a middle blocker, went on to play for Nike-Northwest, a USVBA club based out of Gresham.



**Is this going to hurt?**  
Melissa Berwind grimaces as she pops one up. Melissa was the varsity setter, an essential part of the team.



**1990 OES VARSITY VOLLEYBALL:**  
row: Z. Johnson, J. MacMurray, Coach Cartisser, T. Williamson, I. Hunt, C. deBorja  
Middle row: B. Lee, A. Post, E. Lamb, Berwind, K. Denman. Bottom: K. Adams



**Over and in**  
Brittani Lee serves an ace. Despite her less than mammoth stature, Brittani, a defensive specialist and outside hitter, had one of the highest vertical leaps on the team.



**on ref, Hurry Up!**  
The Adams subs in for Tessa Williamson at the first annual Adams Volleyball Tournament. Katie, an outside hitter and defensive specialist, played on varsity as well as being the captain of the JV team.

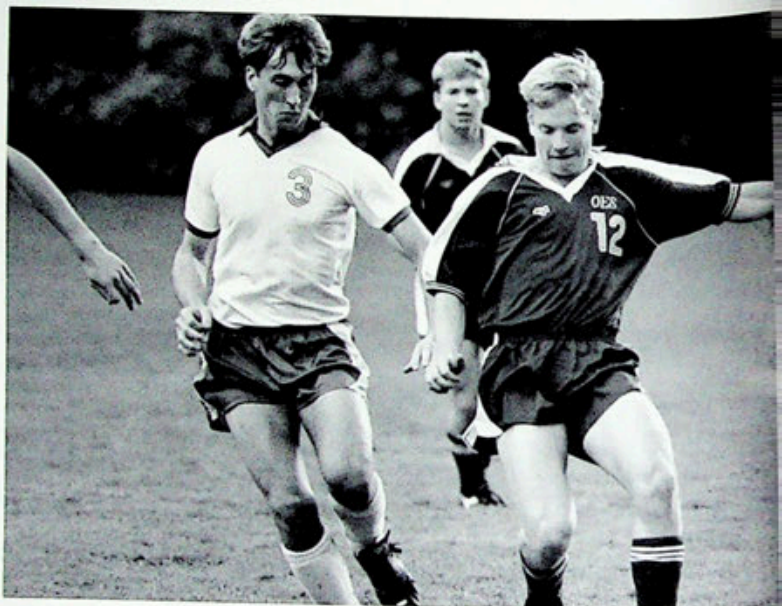
**Got It?**

Claudette deBruin, Jessica MacMurray, Tessa Williamson, Ina Hunt and Amy Post concentrate on the play. These five were all returning members of the varsity team.

**JV Volleyball Team** front row: E. Lamb, Becker back row: Kim, Nagy, Coach Marvin, Gearin, K. Adams



# Boys go on to State, while Girls build for the future



## Close Encounter

Adam Kobos keeps the ball under control and in his possession as he withstands his opponent's defensive on-slaught. Adam received the honor of being elected not only to the first team all league but also to the second team all state.



## Attack of the Killer Jukemasters

A swarm of OESians descend upon a very unsuspecting, and suspect, opponent. Josh Orfanakis and Adam Kobos were two of the seven seniors on the team, including Tony Shum, who made Varsity in his first year of playing goalie.



## Way to use that Tiku Tiku!

Matt Berman demonstrates his enormous skill manipulating the ball during the game against C Gabel. Unfortunately, Catlin was yet again a disappointment for OES boys in the playoffs, defeating them in the game, but still giving them a spot at the state where they met in an exciting match with Philomont.



#### Boys' varsity

Back Row: A. Budden, C. DeBenedetti, C. Adams, Coach Pace, S. Nonhoff, A. Krishnamurthy, E. Gold. Middle Row: J. Orfanakis, J. Murphy, Managers Cone and Gebbie, A. Kobos, R. Snyder. Front Row: B. Del Palacio, K. Ike, T. Shum, M. Berman, N. Asakura.

#### David and Goliath

Rolf Snyder nutmegs his seemingly overtowering opponent. Rolf and Adam Kobos, numbers 13 and 12 respectively, were often mistaken for each other by spectators.

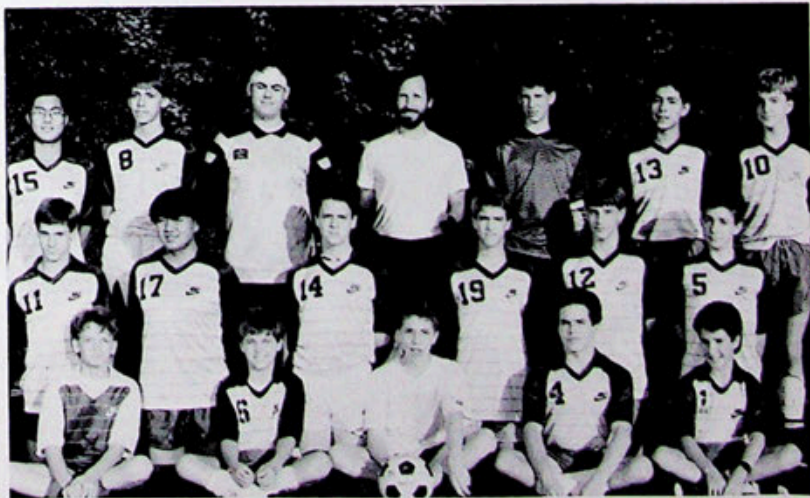


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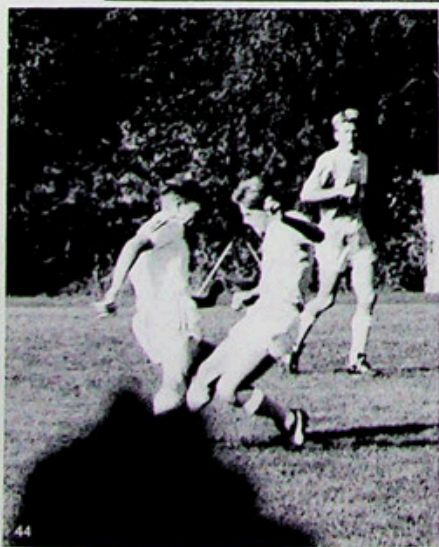
Koichi Ike shadows his man, trying to contain him, as Eric Gold looks on. Eric was awarded for his effort an honorable mention in all league voting. Both Sven Nonhoff and Borja Del Palacio were voted by coaches on to the second team all league.

#### Boys' Junior Varsity

Back Row: J. Han, R. Harris, D. Diman, Coach Whitmore, M. Kremkau, D. Tochen, W. Bibb-Barrett Middle Row: J. Matheson, A. Park, S. Spencer, S. Kremkau, T. Tewksbury, B. Stanke, A. Woodward, E. deBruin, A. Ajami, J. Ritter, D. Moser.



**Square!**  
Courtney Sherwood looks around for a friend to pass to. Courtney was one of few veterans team, with six new players, some never having soccer before.

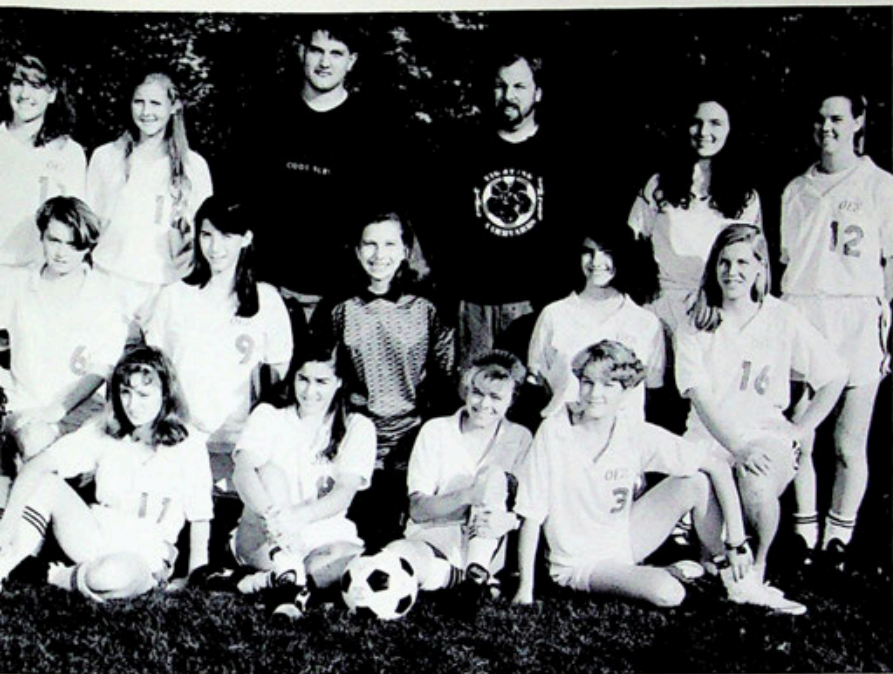


**The Last Tango at OES**

Adam Kobos and his opponent tangle for the ball. Adam was the team captain for the second year in a row.

**Mr. Stevens, Where's your costume?**

Jessica Tanne, who got into the spirit of Crazy day, and Peter Stevens cheer the boys' team on in a playoff game. The OES versus Catlin Gabe matches drew especially large crowds of spectators.



#### Girls' Varsity Soccer

Back Row: J. Sankey, T. Kreinberg, Manager Scheetz, Coach Van Hatcher, C. Sherwood, T. Sorenson Middle Row: M. Spring, A. Tarlow, E. Daack, L. Hayward, S. Bechen Front Row: C. Reali, C. Brown, H. Laird, B. Mauritz.



#### Jockeying for position

Cristan Reali looks ready to defend her teammate as Tara Sorenson battles for the ball. The season was a disappointing one for the girls' team, who played hard and improved their skills during games, but had a difficult time carrying through for the win.



#### A Moment's Rest

Tara pauses, waiting for the cue to run in for the throw-in. Tara and Courtney Brown both continued their soccer seasons by competing on winter soccer teams.

# All rain, no snow, but Oesians keep skiing

## Mmm, the fondue is good!

Jennifer Bomholdt's sister, Katie, amuses her new-found friend, Andy Schleuter. Katie added spice to the girls's cabin, trying desperately to stay up later than the ski team members.

## Beauty is a beast

Brittani Lee stares at the camera as she would at a course, defiantly. Brittani's injury-be-damned attitude and style worked exceedingly well for her, netting her the top spot (shared by Catlin nemesis, Annie East) in the Metro League.

## The next Alberto Tomba

Scott Spencer goes into a tuck early in the race. The boys' ski team improved greatly, consistently placing above at least two teams (one of which was Carleton Place and that's all that matters).



### Ski Team

Front Row: N. Yoshida, R. Snyder, B. Lee, J. Bomholdt, S. Kim, S. Spencer. Middle Row: T. Brod, A. Martens, J. Sankey, S. Bechen, Asst. Coach Kelly Back Row: Coach Lippert, C. Dowsett, A. Schlueter, J. Willard, C. Adams, S. Nonhoff.



#### Bring on the snow!

Jessica Sankey, Shilla Kim and Tracy Brod opt for the nostalgic way to get in shape, reminiscing about other playground hours. Dry land Training was changed to add a strength component one day a week spent weight training.

#### Refueling

Jessica Sankey and Tracy Brod chat about the nuances of the course while replenishing the nutrients their hard skiing had used up. Often times there were two runs per race, so stamina and endurance were key.



#### Last minute pep talk

Coach Lippert gives Charlie Adams some encouraging words as the starter gives his count. From the start of the season, team unity was emphasized, through the playing of team sports in dryland to the purchase of team vests.

#### How much time is there?

Shilla Kim and Charlie Adams wait patiently for their turn in the starting gate. The girls had a wonderful season; capturing the Metro title with three individuals, Brittiani Lee, Anna Martens, and Jennifer Bombholdt, placing in the top ten.



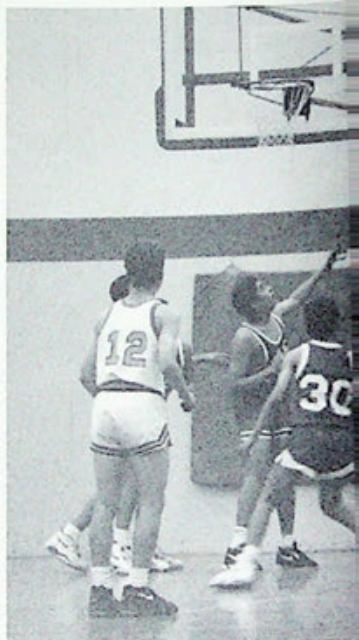
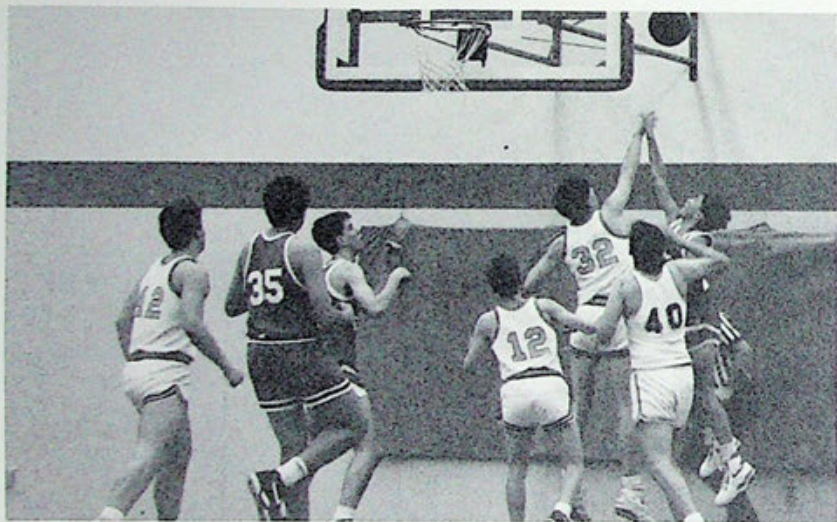
# The "Controlled Fast Break"

## Where's the ball?

The ball spent more time in the air than in the hands of the players during this game.

## Gimme five!

Adam Price swats Catlin players away like flies to get the rebound during a home game at OES. Adam played in both J.V. and varsity games.



## The field goal is good!

Opponents threw their hands in the air in desperation and defeat. Marcotte Anderson and Case Fritz fight the Falcons for the ball.

## Above the rim.

Todd "Spring-Heels" Crawford attempts to recover the ball against some tall competition. Efforts like this helped to make the year a success.



**It must be the shoes!**

Case Fritz boxes his man out of the key as Dave Tarlow takes a tough shot. Next year's seniors will be tough to beat.



**Boys varsity**

(Top row) Case Fritz, Ross Harris, David Tarlow, Eric Gold, coach Mark Flood, Adam Price, Marcotte Anderson, Adam Kobos, (bottom row) Borja del Palacio, Matt Arbogast, Tony Shum, Ali Ajami.



**Boys J.V.**

(top row) Matt Berman, Mike Kremkau, Todd Crawford, coach Faulk, Toby Menely, Mike Riviere, Johnathan Hoof, (bottom row) Josh Michtom, Scott Kremkau, Brian Sitoski.

#### Defensive Power

Ina Hunt and Tessa Williamson block out a Knappa opponent. Ina and Tara Sorenson were co-captains of the team.



#### Lightning Quick

Kasey Denman brings the ball up court to start the offensive process. Kasey was known chiefly for her quickness and defensive prowess.



#### Don't we have a set play for this?

After the game, confusion reigns as words of praise and vows of concentration fly. The girls had a great season and will only improve, since there were no seniors on the team.



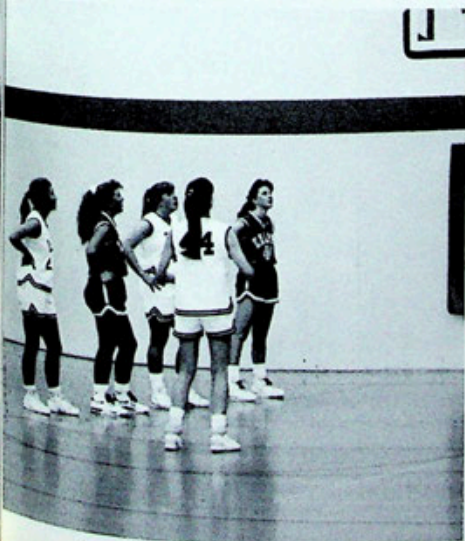
#### Varsity Girls' Basketball

C. Brown, K. Adams, T. Williamson, K. Denman, I. Hunt, Coach Conkey, Coach Van Hatcher, T. Sorenson, T. Kreinberg, A. Koegler, L. Hayward, A. Skolnick



#### JV Girls' Basketball

K. Adams, H. MacDougall, T. Hartgen, C. Sherwood, W. Siemens, Coach Conkey, Coach Van Hatcher, A. Koegler, E. Moss, A. Graves, L. Hayward, A. Skolnick



#### Right on the mark ... hopefully

Tessa Williamson shoots a free throw, hoping that all her practice will make perfect. Tessa and Tara Sorenson were named to the third team All-League, while Ina Hunt was awarded Honorable Mention.

#### Menial Intimidation

Courtney Brown assesses the half-court situation. Courtney was recognized as an aggressive player, using intimidation as a complement to her ball-handling skills.

# Fencers lunge to State Title



## Butting Heads

Rob Froom meets heads with his opponent. He was a late joiner, yet his previous mastery of fencing was obvious. Unfortunately, injury came in his way.



## En Garde

Claudette stands face to face facing her opponent whom she most likely annihilated. She was good at doing that.

## Take the Damn picture will ya!

After a tough duel, Elliot de Bruin, supported by his trusty foil, tried not to fall over while posing for his picture.



## The Victorious Smirk.

Claudette de Bruin ties her shoes, one of her vast talents along with fencing. Claudette is an essential fencer for not only the OES team, but also the na



**The Fencing Team.**  
 Front: C. de Bruin, A. Park, Coach Olney, G. Park, Tuominen, E. de Bruin. Back: Velasco, Surya, Stirrace, Froom, Kuwada.



**The Three Musketeers.**  
 Freddy, Nikki, and Naoki take a long deserved breather on the couch. They were some of the members of the team that were fortunate enough to miss school to party in L.A.

# Court Contenders

## Girls' Tennis Team

**Back row:** Ahmad, Patsis, Surya, Bechen, Yonai, Soponpanich, Yamazoe, Geary, Coach Conkey  
**Front row:** Merdalo, Sankey, Hartgen, Moreland, Legler, Bennington, Kirkmire



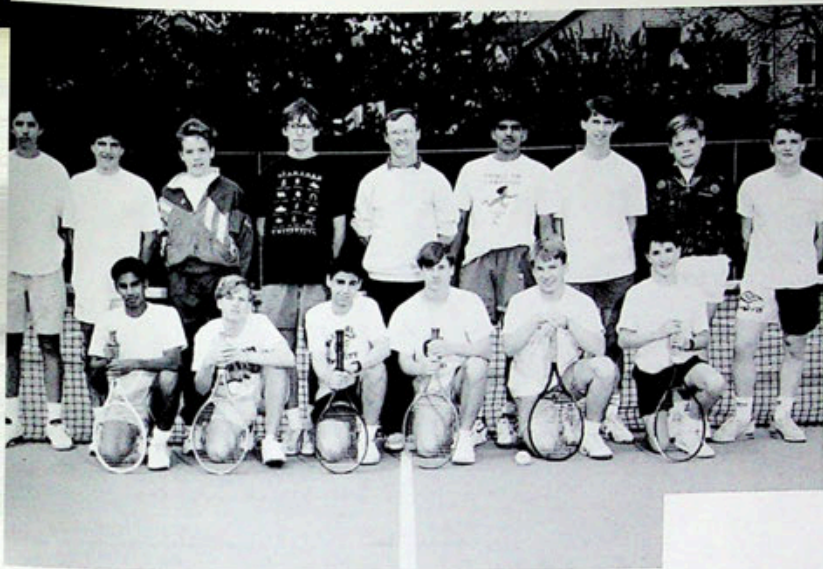
### District dread

Kyle and Tyler Freres and Mike Hebb do their best to look relaxed as they face district-level competition. Kyle and Tyler enjoyed the advantage of making their opponents think they were seeing double.



### Serve to win

Kyle Freres practices his powerful serve. Although SPARC was equipped with five indoor courts, when it rained practice could be as late as 6:00 because of the large number of team members who used the facility.



#### Boys Tennis Team

Back row: Eding, Orfanakis, K. Freres, Harris, Coach Devenney, Krishnamurthy, Bleeck, T. Freres, Spencer  
Front row: Punja, Hebb, McClelland, Matheson, Snyder, Moser

#### How much longer?

Rolf Snyder discusses his match and Josh Orfanakis tells his doubles partner, Joe Matheson a story while waiting for their teammates to finish a match. Mike Hebb played the longest matches of anyone on the team.



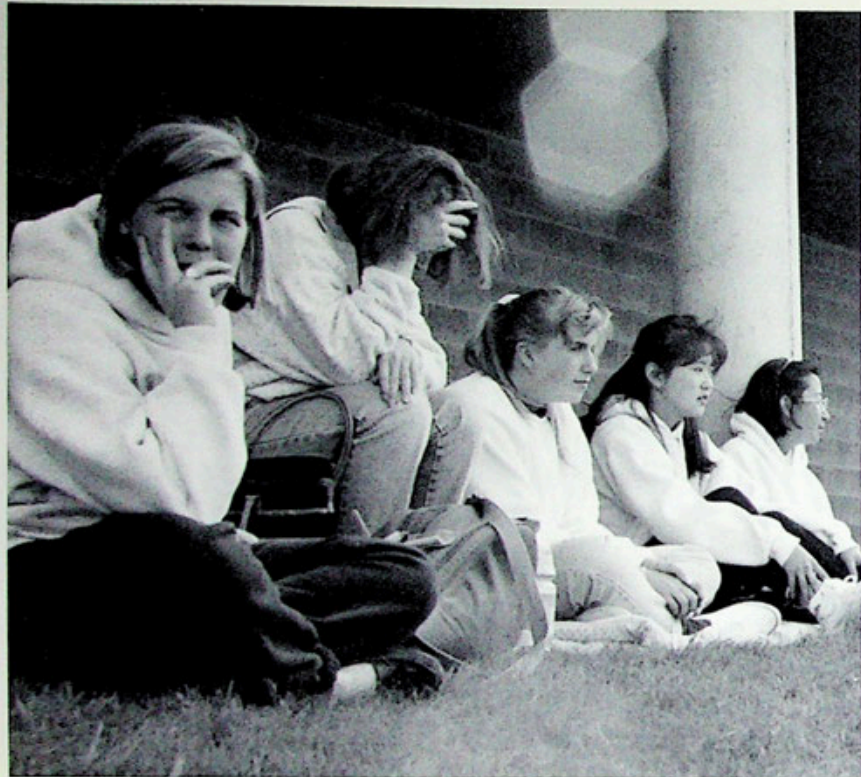
#### Jessie's #1 fan, Suzi's #1 fan

Jessica Sankey and Suzanne Geary send subliminal messages to each other during the match. Suzanne and Jessica had a fantastic season winning every match except two against Estacada.

#### Watch out for these Freshmen

Coach Devenney proudly gets his picture taken with the five Freshman Varsity players David Moser, Joe Matheson, Tyler and Kyle Freres and Mike Hebb. He combined his talent with those of Josh to create a powerful team that placed fourth at Districts.





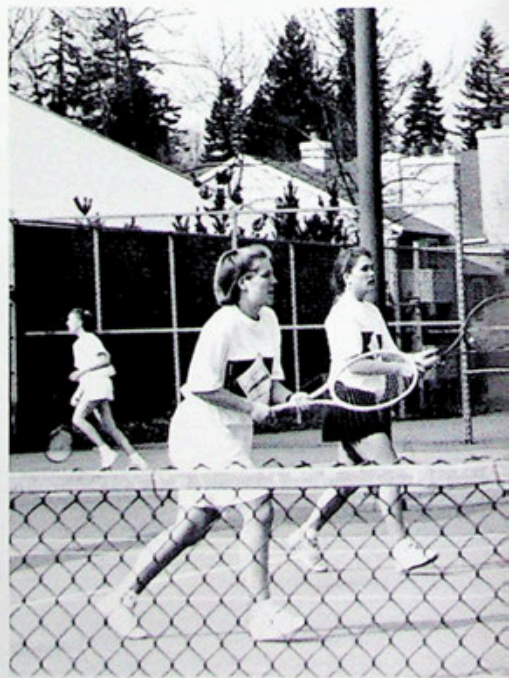
#### An intense moment

Sarah Bechen, Sherrill Bennington, Team captain Ina Hunt, Aguri Yoni and Makiko Yamazoe and their teammates play a difficult and long match. Unlike basketball, support in tennis is shown by clapping and silent smiles.



#### Who wants a cookie?

Joe Matheson, Josh Orfanakis, Rolf Snyder and David Moser fuel up for their next match. Rolf swept up at Districts and became District Champion in singles beating last year's champion.

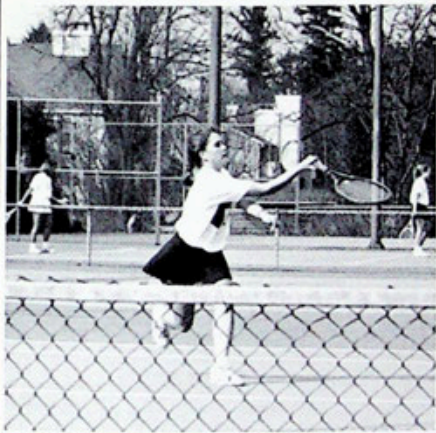


#### Synchronized tennis

Jessica Sankey and Sarah Bechen show the observers how a real doubles team should play.

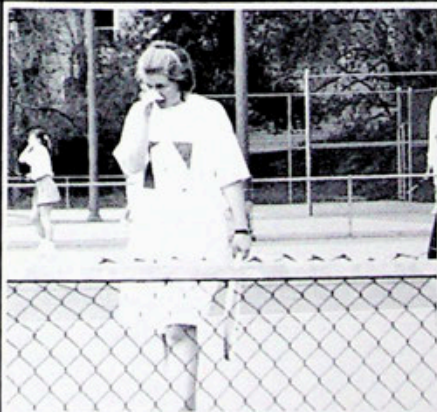
#### Got it!

With the right foot work and a good stroke Jessica Sankey scores another point. Katie Kirkmire was District Champion of singles and went to State.



#### The waiting game

Ross Harris gets in a comfortable position while he waits for his match to begin. Between matches the boys rested up and cheered on other team members.



#### A mind game

Sarah Bechen reflects back to the last few points while walking over to her coach, Coleen Conkey. Sarah was a versatile person playing both singles and doubles during the tennis season.



#### Open wide

Erika Legler is eager to give refreshments to her fellow teammates. Between matches they often went to a local store to by their favorite snack food, Smart Foods.

# Girls are small but strong and boys have banner year



**Leaning into the tape**  
 Tony Shum and Eric Gold bat out at the finish line of the 100. Eric and Tony were each member of relay teams, the 400 and 800, respectively.



**They, look at this!**  
 Tracy Cone looks over the girls' team schedule with Margaret Cooper and Elizabeth Cooper. The girls' team lacked the sheer numbers of other teams but overcame such obstacles and won many to state, including Margaret in the 800m.



**Powering Through**  
 Jack Laidlaw finishes strong as the anchor of the 4x400 relay team. Jack qualified for state in three events, both 300 intermediate and 110 high hurdles and the 4x400; he placed sixth in all three.



**Putting the shot . . .**  
 Griffy Owens amazes photographers and foes with his form at the OES Invitational track meet. Griffy won the conference in his event, the shotput.

that's why Clair's always behind the  
mera.

air Clark cleans up after hosting a meet.  
e girls' 4x400 relay team, consisting of  
acy Brod, Kasey Denman, Lisa  
yward, Heather Laird, went to state  
o.

**vised for perfection**

att Arbogast waits for the gun to start  
e 3000. Matt's strongest event was the  
le vault, in which he earned second  
ace at state and a school record.



Track Team Front Row: M. Spring, K. Denman, B. Sitoski, S. Dooley, T. Shum, M. Arbogast, M. Riviere, P. Bowler, A. Smith, A. Budden, T. Cone, J. Murphy, H. Laird. Middle Row: A. Miller, T. Brod, T. Tewksbury, A. Kobos, J. Laidlaw, C. Dowsett, J. Willard, D. Tochen, C. DeBenedetti, C. Clark, E. Gold, L. Hayward, B. Staudigl. Back Row: J. Ritter, H. MacDougall, S. Ou, G. Owens, R. Koch, D. Johnston, M. Behrens, Coach Grey, Mgr. Gebbie, M. Sheetz, N. Williams, S. Nonhoff, M. Kremkau, A. DeWeese.

**An All-Around Kinda Guy**

Griffy Owens shows his versatility in the 4x100 relay. The captains of the track team were Adam Kobos, Eric Gold, and Elizabeth Cooper.

ep walkin'  
ny Shum cools down after a hard sprint. Tony also  
mpeted in the High Jump, an event he hasn't com-  
ed in since eighth grade.



#### Highway to China

Steve Ou struts his stuff in the 3000 meter dash. This event was dreaded by both fans and track stars.

#### The sky's the Limit

Chris DeBenedetti reverse limbos on the jump. The high jump was difficult to train for to the bad weather.



#### Oh No!!! Tripwire!!

Jack Laidlaw comes in first in the 100 mete dash. Jack also broke the school's record in the high hurdles twice.



#### GIVE ME AN L?

Libby Cooper shows what she has been learning on the Richard Simmons show. Stretching was a necessity in order to avoid injury.

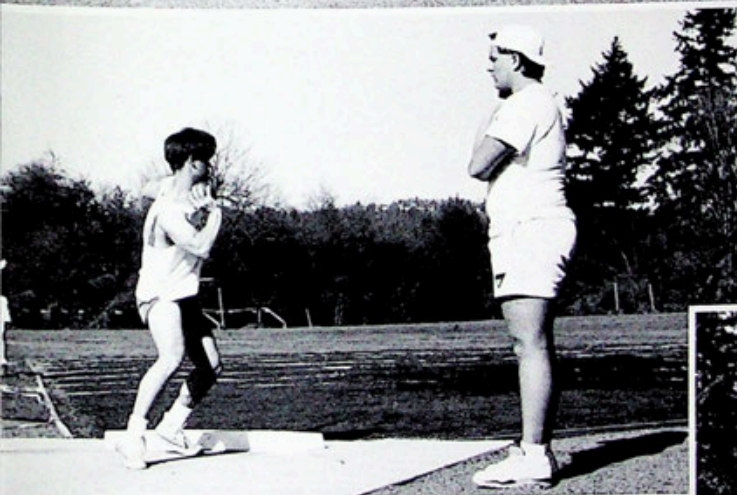
### HANDS BEHIND THE LINE!

Tony Shum shoots out of the blocks in the 4/100 meter dash. Tony was one of the few who always looked like he was going to fall flat on his face.



### Throw that Sucker!!!

Craig Dowsett listens to Mike Sheetz's advice while throwing the shotput. Shotput requires great arm strength in order to throw a shotput well.



### Praise The Lord!!!

Ashwin Budden jumps a good 19 feet in the long jump. Ashwin was a key varsity contributor to the team.



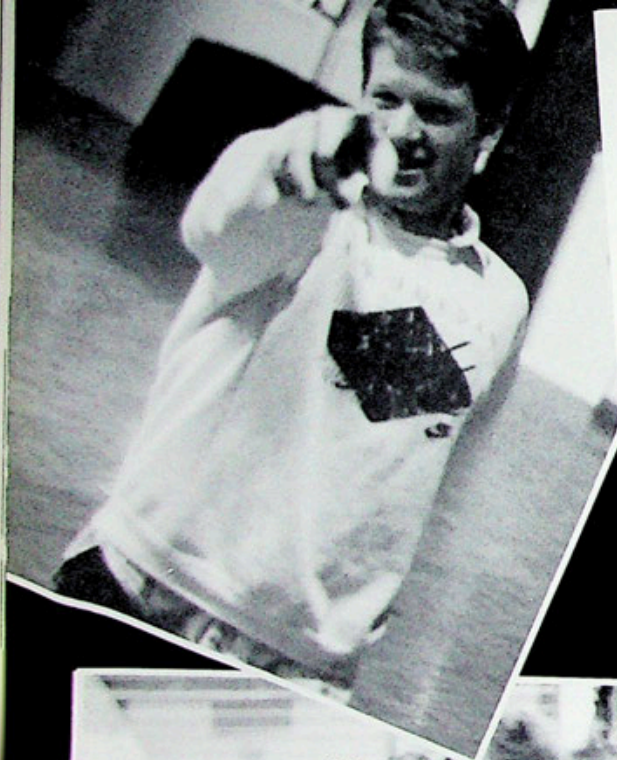
### What are YOU looking at?

Kasey Denman looks for something to drink in the first aid box. The box supplied tape and other medical needs to the track team.



### To the beach!!!!

Tracy "I Love Sand" Cone leaps towards destiny at the OES long jump pit. If Tracy ever got in a tough situation and had to jump into a volcano, she would not have any problems.





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# The Blazers vs. The Beat

Ooww! Nice legs, Chris!

Chris Houser tempts and tantalizes Dan Tochen in his womanly guise. The duo did the campy song "Do Touch Me There".

Ten minutes till showtime. The two guys ... excuse me, men, are beginning their rehearsal for the Lip Sync.

"NO! ROLF! NO! NO! NO! It is far, we've been traveling far."

"Hunter. There is no way we can get this down in ten minutes."

"Ok Rolf. Here's the deal. We will look at the other acts and see if ours is halfway decent. Capiche?"

It's SHOWTIME!!!

The two men walk into the Great Hall only to be greeted by flashing lights and loud technotronic music. I look at the bare dance floor and turn to dean Cade "Where is everyone?" "In the foreign language office. The Blazers are playin'." "Oh. Hey Rolf. Looks like we won't need to worry about the crowd. There won't be one."

Despite the triple overtime Blazer victory, the show must go on.

Case Fritz, Chris Houser, Dan Tochen and many others have been performing some outstanding skits.

Now it's our turn. Our hearts beat rapidly. It is nerve racking. But once Neil Diamond's chorus kicked in, the crowd was behind us all the way. It, and the Lip Sync as a whole, turned out to be a huge success.



Way to hit that high note

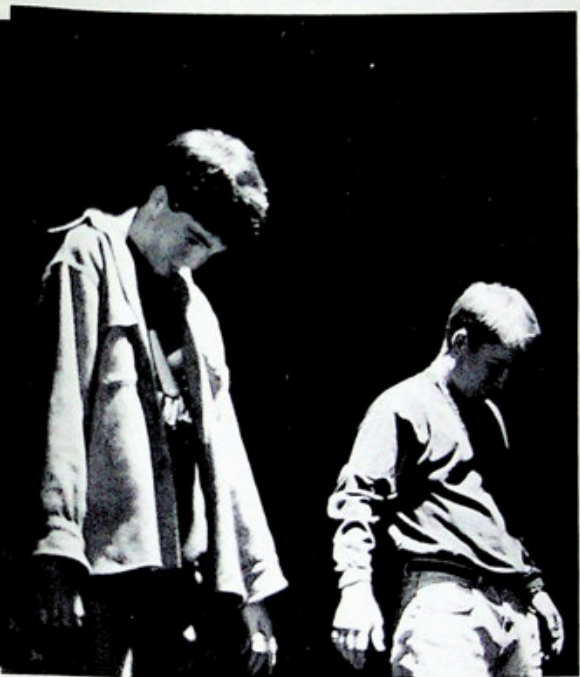
Andy Schleuter drops to his knees for the grand finale as the spotlight zeros in. Performing in front of the finicky student body took not only talent, but guts as well.



Can't Touch This!

Tony Shum and Roman Zawodny are once again the centers of attention as they perform an impressive dance exhibition.

**Patriotic Duo**  
Senior Greg and Rolf Snyder wait, then listen intently for the opening strains of "Coming to America" by Neil Diamond. Their earnestness and unison won them many applause from their peers.



**Pansy? Or is he a tulip?**  
Craig Dowsett does an unconvincing impression of a budding blossom during his lip sync to Spinal Tap's "Listen to What the Flower People Say".

**Jamming to the beat**  
Jonathan Hoof rips off some screaming riffs, shedding his academic facade. The cut-loose atmosphere of air guitar playing was an attraction for many serious students.

# A Sign of New Friendships

As a class work service project, the seniors sponsored an Upper School Christmas party, on December 8, in north Portland. The seniors were also responsible for pairing an O.E.S. student with an elementary-aged, at-risk youngster. In the spirit of the season, two groups from different backgrounds met to share a part of themselves.

On the frosty, winter morning, a yellow bus arrived at the Augustana Lutheran Church, full of present-laden Oesians.

Meanwhile, in the warm basement of the church, the children eagerly awaited the entrance of their mystery siblings, while putting the finishing touches on handmade ornaments, to later be given as gifts. Outside, the highschoolers were greeted by elves, dressed merrily in vibrant green and red, as the students made name tags for themselves, as well as their little brother or sister.

Soon, everyone gathered in a neighboring park for new games, lead by Bill Proudman. By that time, most students had found their sibling and were already beginning to get acquainted. The diversity of people was incredible; there were natives of Nicaragua and the Soviet Union mingling with those of Portland.

After the games, a service was held in the church. The Martin Luther King Jr. choir performed traditional songs. And as a special treat, a family of eleven, who recently emigrated from the Soviet Union, sang a Russian Christmas carol. There was also a visit by Santa before an indoor picnic of hot dogs, baked beans, and potato chips.

The church floor was littered with brightly colored wrapping as gifts were exchanged. Goodbyes were said, a little hesitantly; the morning had passed by too quickly. And as the last car pulled out of the parking lot, visions of future Christmas parties danced in many a head.



"Sharing Smiles"

Alex deWeese and young friend show each other their artistic talents. Crafts was one of the events in the Christmas program.

"Ride on King Courtney"  
Courtney Brown spends Saturday celebrating the days with the at-risk child program. Courtney was one of the many OES students involved in this program.



...ey, where'd ya find the guy."  
 ...y Miller waits patiently to exchange gifts at the  
 ... of the day. OES and J.C. Penney played Santa  
 ... over two hundred children.

**"EEUW! A girl?!"**

Tricia Krienberg and friend join in with some first rate carol singing. All of the students and children gathered in the chapel to take part in the event.



**"Gather around,"**

Kelly Chapman keeps full control of the children program. Kelly was one of the people who organized the party.



**"Friends forever."**

Erika Legler and her new friend pay close attention to Bill Proudman's opening speech. The two spent the rest of the day getting to know each other.

# The Sign of a Great Time



**RASTAMAN!** The RA's greeted Semi-Formal goers at the door of the "Jamaica Wonderland" on a chilly February evening. The dormies had once again transformed our familiar old dining hall into a mystical realm complete with palm trees, live goldfish, and red, yellow and green streamers. There was even a bar serving "mocktails" served by Noah Williams, Jack Laidlaw, and Brian Sitoski-Gabbard. Although the Winter Semi Formal did not set any attendance records, it was one of the most organized in recent years, was quite well attended, and was generally a pretty good time.

## Dance the Night Away

Tracy Brod and Jessica Sankey get into the groove to the music of Bob Marley. The dormies put in many long hours to transform the cafeteria into Jamaica, complete with palm trees and live goldfish.



## "Hey you guys!"

Charlie Adams, Ashwin Budden and Erika Le-geler pause in their revelry to capture his irresistible moment. Seniors made up majority of the participants at the dance.

## Where are your shoes?

Aubrey Merdalo and Rolf Snyder step away from the speakers where they can hear each other talk. Many students agreed that the fun of Semi came in dressing up and going to dinner.





he stoops to conquer ... the height difference, that is.

sh Orfanakis and Anna Martens go through the traditional pre-semi photo session with her parents. Josh's tie prompted many raves from admiring fashion inferiors.



Best dressed in the West.

Three seniors Ashwin Budden, Adam Kobos and Josh Orfanakis display their formal attire, which is normally hidden in the recesses of their bedroom closets. Dress varied from t-shirts and tennis shoes to stunning strapless sheaths.

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# A genuine gala affair



**photo**  
Couples gather together for a group shot prior to  
m. It was common to see couples double or  
ate this year.

#### Say Cheese ...

Adam Kobos and Suzanne Geary take time out to smile for the camera. Many parents require their children to take part in these types of photos.

As a young child Eric Gold had a love for two things: Rocky Road Ice cream and his favorite color Rose Madder Green. Many years later when Eric became president of the Upper School, he was determined to show his love for these things by using them at the prom. It turned out that the student body did not feel the same way about Rocky Road Ice Cream as he did, so he was unable to use that as an appetizer. Instead, he decided to use his other favorite thing as the theme for the prom. The student body began to question his judgment and had doubt as to how good the prom was going to be. Eric had no worries though. With a name like that, and an excellent DJ and band he knew that the prom would be a success. And as most would agree, he was right.



**Face Front**

Courtney Brown and Josh Derry flash their prom wardrobe to the camera. The prom had an assorted flavor of fashion wear ranging from tailored pants to Levi 501 jeans.



**The Jokers Wild**

Anil Krishnamurthy shows off his new hat to Roman Zawodny in front of the OES bell tower. Many students could be found on the OES campus before the prom.



**Married?**

Snyder and Aubrey Merdalo pose for the camera outside the Hilton. The Hilton Hotel seemed to be an excellent place to hold the prom.



**Enjoying the festivities**

A group of friends step out to take a breather. The outside patio provided a place for people to talk to one another without screaming.

# Hands-on healing

**It's a Small World**  
Matt Lyon and Gail Fleenor show what they were able to create with the tiles students made during Earth Day '90. These tiles expressed students' feelings about the earth.

When you're throwing that can of Vidal Sassoon hairspray into the OES wetlands, do you ever think of what you are actually doing? Actually, you are seeing how far you can huck the sucker. But what you're not thinking about is the environment that you are disturbing. Many birds, rattlesnakes, Grizzly bears and rare arabian cobra snakes live in that area you use as a garbage can.

Well on April 20th, a small school located just west of Africa, took time out to help clean up the environment surrounding it. Yes, that school is OES. From kindergarten on up, students participated in such activities as tearing ivy off trees and picking up garbage in the forest.

In contrast to Earth Day '90's ceremony, which took a more philosophical viewpoint on the problems of the environment, Earth Day '91 was more of a hands-on approach; a reminder that talking about our problems is fine, but we have to take action to improve things.

**Up and Away**  
David Pace energizes the OES crowd with his grand entrance as Captain Recycle. This was the highlight of the closing ceremonies at Earth Day '90.



School Awareness  
 LeCavalier and a lower schooler put their minds together when brainstorm-  
 ing. John once again was a key factor with the Earth Day festivities.



Low Rent Housing  
 Ericka Hagensen and a lower school friend construct a bird house under the covered blacktop. These houses were placed all over OES grounds to provide shelter for birds.

Earth Tiles  
 A closer look at what the earth mural was made up of. The mural hangs on the outside of the middle school building.



# Few in Number, Full of Spirits



**Bedtime!**  
Agun Yonai gets ready to hit the sack. Dormies had to be in their rooms by eleven o'clock.

Dormies, resident students, or boarders, regardless of name, were an important fixture of OES life. They could be seen walking up Nicol Road, hoping to hitch a ride to Freddie's from some kind-hearted Oesian. Or perhaps, on the weekend, after committing the Tri-met schedule to memory, they flocked to either Washington Square or downtown, both very popular dormie hangouts.

But who exactly were these folks? Well, to begin with, these students represented not only a diverse cross section of the United States, but the international community, as well. Almost a dozen countries were represented in the dorm population, extending from the Far East to Europe. The "foreign flair" was present not only in the classroom but in extracurricular life also.

Each autumn, the dorms assumed a different aura. Students decorated their rooms with posters of rock groups, pictures of family and friends. And some dormies even undertook drastic remodeling projects and brought in carpeting. Each room reflected the individual tastes of the occupant and his or her effort to make it home for the year.

Ever in search of a break from the routine of homework and study hall. Dormies found ski and beach trips popular weekend getaways for a change of scenery. And, the dorm council annually sponsored the Semi Formal dance.

The school year brought another new Resident Adviser and surrogate parent, Maggie McGrew, formerly of Whitman College (and before that Reno, Nevada). Maggie, her dog, Lucy, and her Joan Armatrading collection received a hearty welcome. And looking back, she viewed the year as an overall success (except for those certain few incidents that add spice to the lives of the dormies and cause the R.A.s to have nervous breakdown).

So, once again, the dormies proved that they could survive community life, with many returning next fall for yet another round.



**Rise and shine!**  
Heather McDougall gets caught sneaking out of the bathroom early one Monday morning. With limited bathroom facilities the dorms were a crowded place in the A.M.



## What's up DUDES?

Mike Hebb and Tyler Freres check in after a night in the town. If the Dormies could make it back eleven, they were allowed to go off-campus.



we look okay?  
 re are Koichi Ike and Rob Froom just stepping  
 of the dorms to perform at the lip-sync. Although  
 b was not a dormie, he was often seen just hangin'  
 und.



Little Bo Peep tends to her sheep Agun Yonai and her sheep, Amy Miller, get ready to go to the dorm Halloween party. The dorms often had get togethers to unite the students.



Pony tails are supposed to go down, not up! Senior Koichi Ike often had new and impressive hairstyles to keep things moving. Junior Chris Houser also joined the club with his mohawk.

**Tan man!**

Sven Nonhoff, a German exchange student from Cologne-hits the books to catch up on some back homework. Almost all of the exchange students in the dorms had a host family.



**Study hard!**

Aki Suzuki sits curled in a ball while she studies late one night. Dormies who were honor students were allowed to forego study hall and study on their own time.



**Friends Forever**  
 Koichi Ike, Julian Ritter, and Rowan Price  
 their dorm companionship. After 9 months to-  
 r, the dormies formed a new family.



**Well hello there.**  
 Aaron Murray takes the short walk home after  
 school. Dormies were always happy to give a friendly  
 welcome to day students dorms visiting the dorms  
 through the "backyard exchange."



**Smile!**  
 Heather McDougall gives her best smile. Heather  
 the dorm representative in student council.

**Musical Harmony**  
 Julian Ritter and Peggy Stewart feel groovy strum-  
 ming their classical guitars. Julien and Peggy per-  
 formed at one of the many festivities in the Resident  
 Halls.





RAVE REVIEWS

# Summer Brave

by  
William Inge



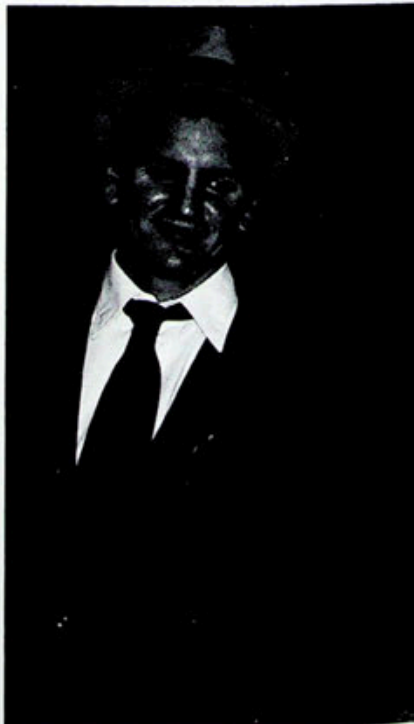
Nov. 15 - 17, 1990  
8:00 PM Great Hall

by Brian Sitoski-Gabbard

The best laid and most conventional plans fall apart one Labor Day weekend in a small Kansas town. In the process, William Inge's characters must examine such fundamental questions as who they are and how they want to love and live. The drama pivots on the journey of self-discovery of two very different sisters, one the town beauty, played by Jessica MacMurray, and the other the star student, played by Kirsten Winchell. Both girls reject the stereotypes others put on them. Subplots hinge on a past-her-prime school teacher choosing marriage over lonely freedom from commitment and a single mother and her spinster neighbor recalling the thrill and abandon of romantic love.



Passion versus practicality  
Madge (Jessica MacMurray) tries desperately to deny her feelings for the irreverent stranger (David Tarlow) who has wandered into town and into her heart.



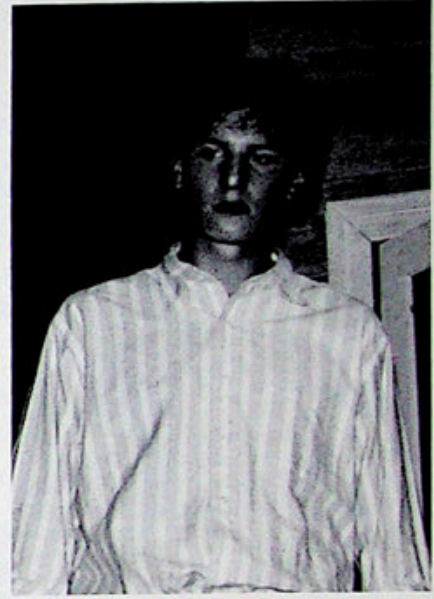
**Talking on the wild side**  
 indulging the Kansas matrons with his casual  
 approach to dress and to life, Hal Carter (David  
 Row) prepares to raise a ruckus. Pam Vohnson  
 directed the production.



**Life is not a ball**  
 Millie (Kirsten Winchell) tries to learn to dance and  
 drink in the same evening, with little success. Jack  
 O'Brien designed an elaborate two-story set that de-  
 fined Millie's small-town world.



**Nice guys finish last**  
 Alan Seymour (Adam Kobos) bails out his friend, Hal  
 Carter. Hal returns the favor by stealing his benefactor's  
 girl.



**The Comes the Bride**  
 Mary (Jessica Sankey) receives congratulations from her former colleague (Megan  
 Price) on her surprise marriage to the local hardware store owner (Rowan Price). Megan's  
 role in the classroom was played by Nora Kobos.



**The Belle of the Ball**  
 While making last minute adjustments on her dress for the picnic,  
 Marge's mother (Andrea Bell) lectures her daughter on the impor-  
 tance of marrying prudently. Andrea's feisty neighbor was played by  
 Lilith Hayakawa.



**Cast**  
(in order of appearance)

Mollie Ralston	Barbara Vardanega (music)
Giles Ralston	Jay Thomas (kitchen staff)
Christopher Wren	Bill Wolsleben (kitchen staff)
Mrs. Boyle	Nancy Doulis (math)
Major Metcalf	Terry Hansen (English, religion)
Miss Casewell	Debby Schauffler (humanities)
Mr. Paravicini	David Pace (religion, drama)
Sergeant Trotter	Corbet Clark (history, chaplain)

Directed by  
Stage Manager  
Set Design  
Lighting Design

David Streight (psychologist)  
Ian Johnston (grade 12)  
Jack O'Brien (drama, art)  
Mark Ashton (grade 12)

**Lights**

Mark Ashton  
Jonathan Hoof (grade 11)

**Sound**

Tracy Brod (grade 12)  
Suzanne Geary (grade 12)

**Stage Crew:**

Erika Hagensen (grade 10)  
Erika Legler (grade 12)  
Jonathan Hoof  
Wendy Siemens (grade 9)  
Jessica Tanne (grade 12)  
Suzanne Geary  
Tracy Brod

**Poster design**

Sherrill Bennington (grade 12)  
Clare deVilliers (class of 1985)

**Costumes:**

Anna Mariens (grade 12)  
Jessica Sankey (grade 12)  
Erika Legler (grade 12)

**Props:**

Sherrill Bennington (grade 12)

**Makeup**

Pamela Vohnson (foreign lang)  
Sharon Gebbie (grade 12)  
Libby Cooper (grade 12)  
Tricia Dehen (grade 10)



**Spotlight**  
 Vardenaga and David Pace, frequently the ar-  
 directors behind the stage in Middle School  
 productions, have an onstage encounter of the OES  
 Audiences were treated to a fine display of their  
 atic abilities.

**Staying in character**  
 Students were more familiar with Corbet Clark and  
 Debby Schaufler in their roles as history and hu-  
 manities teachers. In her first year at OES, the pro-  
 duction marked Debby's Great Hall debut.

Once again OESian thespians took to the boards in an Agatha Christie mystery. The winter production of The Mousetrap represented the eleventh all-school dramatic endeavor involving faculty, staff, and students. For the first time, members of the kitchen staff emerged from behind their aprons to grace the stage with their considerable talents. On opening night the entire kitchen crew was in the audience, applauding the debuts of fellow staffers. David Streight returned to the director's helm, and despite his self-deprecating remarks along the lines of "if I were a better director," the cast was unanimous in their praise of his direction. The school community pulled together to design and build the set, mount the production, and even costume the actors, with parent Henrik Martens contributing his ski apparel to outfit Corbet Clark. Despite an opening night mix-up that had Nancy Doulis coming back from the dead onstage, the play was a resounding success.

**Will Fr. David finally crack up?**  
 Sherrill Bennington, Suzanne Geary, and Erika Legler look like just the zany production crew members to catch David Pace off-guard as he comes off stage. The girls went to great lengths to get a rise out of their former religion teacher.



# The Importance of Being Earnest

## A Play By Oscar Wilde



APRIL 25, 26 & 27  
THE GREAT HALL 8 PM.



With three Jessicas in the cast, the confusion in real-life matched the dramatic confusion created by Oscar Wilde in his farce The Importance of Being Earnest. The spring production marked the return to O.E.S. theater of Jeff Hicks, who, after years performing in the all-school productions, took to the director's chair for the first time. His direction proved top-notch, as audiences on three consecutive nights delighted at the carefully controlled histrionics of John Worthing (David Tarlow) and his Gwendolen (Jessica Sankey), not to mention the romantic melodrama of Algernon (Adam Kobos) and his Cecily (Jessica MacMurray).



And I was looking forward to cucumber sandwiches ... Lady Brackness (Lilith Hayakawa) looks forlorn as her nephew, Algernon (Adam Kobos), converses with his butler, Lane (Mark Behrens). Julien Ritter played the other abused butler, Merrimen.



Contemplating "Bunburying" Algernon (Adam Kobos) reflects on the prospect of visiting his nonexistent friend in the country. Adam also played a leading role in the fall p...

"Ernest" produces such vibrations Gwendolen (Jessica Sankey) swears to the impossibility of ever loving a man not named "Ernest." Jessica received the Drama Award in recognition of her many stage performances in student and school productions.



**What happened to your German lessons?**  
 Cecily (Jessica MacMurray) avoids "horrid, horrid German" by solicitously tending to the garden. Jessica and Adam had better luck as a romantic pair this time than in the fall play, when she spurned him.

**"As a man sows, so shall he reap!"**  
 Miss Prism (Jessica Tanne) philosophizes on morality and lust (!) with Dr. Chasuble (Cris Houser). The duos' exchanges were filled with double entendres.



## OES' Top 2 Places to be after Second Period

QUIET IN THE CHURCH HOUSE, CORBET IS ABOUT TO SPEAK. FIRST ONE TO SPEAK IS A MONKEY FOR A WEEK!!!

Despite the fact that according to Dr. Lamb we have over a hundred monkeys in this school, it looked as if chapel worked out well in the end.

Thursday chapel consisted of whispering, homework and now and then some preaching. Not always about God. Often there were discussions on world events and in school activities. Chapel at OES is not only a place to praise God, but also a place to meet and congregate as a community. Most students attend, keeping in mind the fact that extreme punishments were given if caught skipping.

QUIET IN THE GREAT HALL, ERIC IS ABOUT SPEAK. FIRST ONE TO SPEAK IS AN UGLY MONKEY FOR A WEEK!

According to Dr. Lamb, there is a whole zoo in the Great Hall.

Gathering is the time of day where students and faculty gather together to hear announcements and watch people make fools of themselves. There were very few pranks pulled this year, which led to more time for announcements. The president, Eric Gold, was the person who led Gathering. Gathering has proved throughout the years that it is an essential meeting time where crucial information is announced to both the students and the faculty.



No, that's not here ...

Charlie Adams feels this way through a group of junior girls, trying to identify Tessa Williamson, who was never really part of the group, at one of the and far between Mystery Fridays held this year. A few that student council planned were a good way to lighten up the stressful OES schedule.



### OES meets Elephantologist

Dr. Richard Leakey answers questions by members of Dr. Lamb's Science, Technology, and Society class at a press conference in the library. Dr. Leakey was

not able to speak to the entire student body due to a plane delay, but any interested students were invited to attend the press conference later in the day.

mon . . . Sing!

□ Krishnamurthy and Andy Schleuter get some help singing the hymns by some lower schoolers at the billionth annual St. Nicholas chapel. Complete with St. Nick and Black Pete, the chapel was on the last day of mid-year finals, directly before the holiday break.



**Just let me sit down please!**

Mark Behrens gives his body for Science. Jeremy Rifkin, also pictured, provoked a lot of thought from the student body, and was the subject of much discussion throughout the year.

**Stare down**

Adam Kobos, Johnathan Hoof, Jessica Tanne, and Sherrill Bennington listen as Clair Clark presents her ideas regarding ivory trade and elephant poaching in Africa. The group of students, which also included Tracy Brod and Libby Cooper, had a chance to deal with the issues in a special assembly organized by Dr. Lamb.

# Refining the Fine Arts

Let me just tell ya, being a rookie bass member in the OES choir was no box of chocolates. Actually, it's a box of white cream puffs lightly sprinkled with walnuts. But that's not important. What's important is my voice. How high is my pitch? Did I drop the olive — I mean octave? Well when I needed those questions answered I knew who to turn to. I asked my choir teacher, Barb Vardenega. Quite a gal, Barb was. I had never met anyone like her. Well then again, I'd never tried to meet anyone like her. But that's OK. It wasn't like I regretted it or anything. Actually I am glad I joined choir. When I first entered the art, I was just a fledgling New Kid. But now, well let me put it this way. You can find me on SOUL TRAIN next Wednesday at one a.m.

To continue on in this musical vein, let's talk about the Jazz Band. Let me tell ya a little somethin' about the OES Jazz Band. Quite a band, the OES Jazz Band was. With POWER HOUSE DAN DIMAN on keyboard, and other maniac members, the group helped put energy into the fans at the home basketball games. The band often showed their talent in assemblies and chapels. Rockin' the house down was just one of the many things they were able to do.

The OES acting classes have helped young student actors greatly. Led by Terry Hansen, Acting was a popular art course. The class often worked on improvisation, which helped the students cover up mistakes when they were under pressure. Of course you've got to have been through the Speech and Performance class before you can take Acting, so you were already knowledgeable on how to talk about things you knew something about.



**Aaah inspiring**

The bass and alto sections of the OES choir practice the "Hallelujah Chorus" for the annual Service. Choir was an essential part of many chapel services.



**Improvisation is the key**

Terry Hansen stresses to his students importance of learning to act spontaneously. Many students, inspired by their acting class, continued on to perform in one of the school plays.



**Gooh, I can hear you Paul!**

David Tarlow and "Monty Python" Tuominen, electric basses, add their melodious sounds to the polished product. David, along with Andrea Beck and Jessica MacMurray, competed at the OMEGA Ensemble State Competition.



# CAST LIST



**Photo time**

Heather Laird and Katie Kirkmire take a break from their studying to get their picture taken. The Great Hall was a place where students could study and hear the latest gossip at the same time.

Adams, Katie  
Asakura, Naoki  
Choi, Lillian  
Crawford, Todd



Freres, Kyle  
Freres, Tyler  
Gearin, Amy  
Gebbie, Eric  
Hartgen, Tiffany  
Hearn, Paul



Hebb, Michael  
Herman, Jimmy  
Hiller-Webb, Shannon  
Kirkmire, Katie  
Kremkau, Michael  
Kremkau, Scott



Laderas, Ted  
Laird, Heather  
Lennan, Dylan  
Matheson, Joseph  
Mauritz, Britta  
McClelland, Ian





Eric Gebbie

Hobbies: To maintain his physique, Eric passes many a merry weekend fencing or partaking in alpine skiing. He satisfies his aquatic fascination by keeping aquariums full of tropical fish. He also enjoys collecting exotic sugar packets from various locales. (At this point, he has 324 packets and counting!)

Personal Philosophy: "There is beauty in everything, even in sugar packets."

Favorite book: *Gunga Din* by Rudyard Kipling

Favorite movie: *Howard the Duck*

Something you probably didn't know about Eric: He has had ten out of body experiences in the month of November alone!



Menely, Toby  
Michtom, Joshua  
Moreland, Heather  
Moser, David  
Patsis, Heather

Pope, Ben  
Ritter, Damien  
Scheetz, Tracy  
Siemens, Wendy  
Smith, Aaron  
Spring, Margaret

Stanke, David  
Streight, Chris  
Thomas, Jennifer  
Tuominen, Monty  
Winchell, Kirsten  
Woodward, Adam

**Club Med?** Kasey Denman, Melissa Berwind and Katie Adams muster some enthusiasm while waiting for the volleyball team pictures to be taken. For the first year, OES hired a pro for the pictures, which turned out to be a very lengthy process.



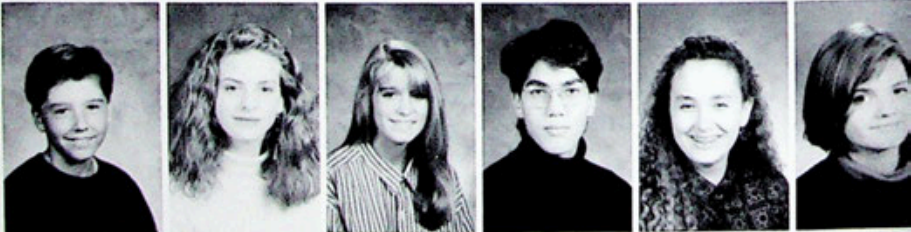
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Denman, Kasey  
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Dezsofi, Alison  
Foley, Meraiah



Freres, Cameron  
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Han, Jong-Hoon  
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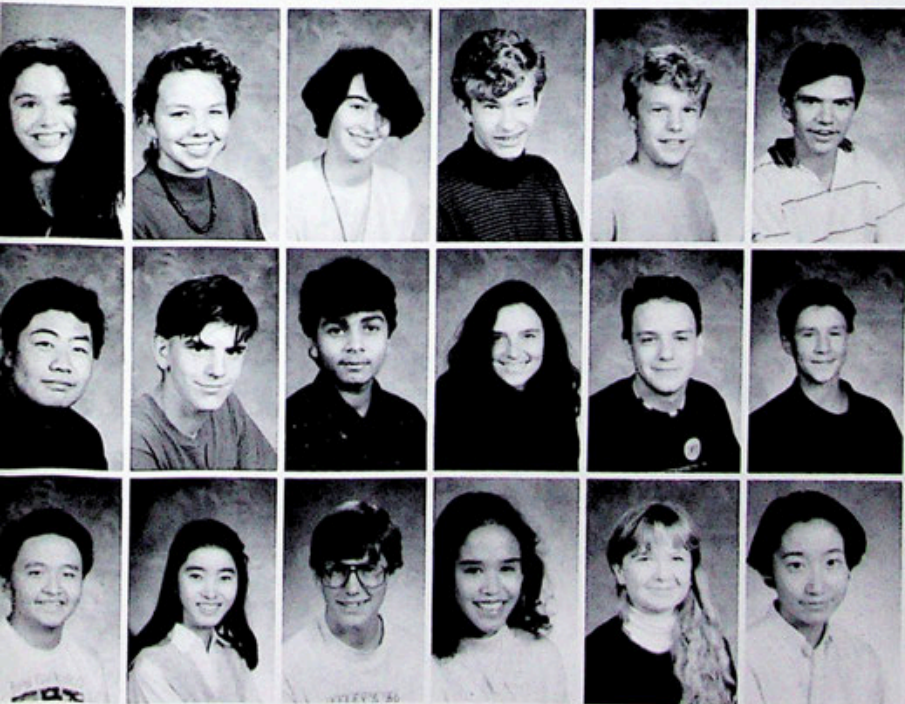
**Zanette Johnson**

**Hobbies:** In her spare time, Zanette likes to groove to the music of U2, R.E.M. Nero's Rome, and Completely Grocery from her extensive collection of albums. Aside from listening to tunes, Zanette is very musically inclined and plays both the guitar and the piano, the latter of which she's played for eight years. When the music doesn't help relieve some of the stress of being an Oesian, you may find Zanette whacking a volleyball around with friends at the local gym!

**Favorite book:** *Did you know that Oysters are alive when you eat them?* by Anton Chekov (Zanette implored the author of this piece to add that this isn't really her favorite book but it was the one she read, in French, most recently and it sounded cool!)

**Favorite film:** *Jesus of Montreal*

**Something you probably didn't know about Zanette:** She is a vegetarian, who on occasion forgets to take her protein power pills and laughingly must be carried by her friends to Saturday Market to satisfy a quick Bean Chimichanga fix. She also likes to nibble on green Playdo. Hmm . . .



MacMurray, Jessica  
McDougall, Heather  
Moss, Emily  
Murphy, Justin  
Murray, Aaron  
Neal, Anthony

Park, Gerald  
Price, Adam  
Shah, Sujay  
Sherwood, Courtney  
Spencer, Scott  
Stoeckl, Philipp

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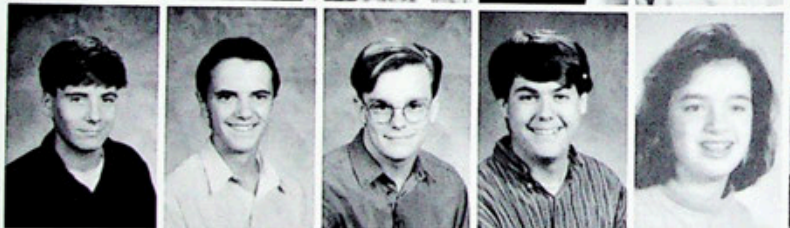
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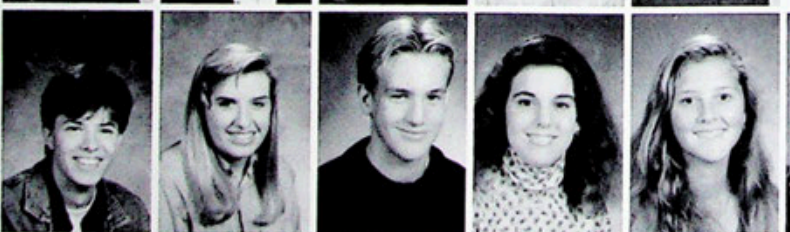
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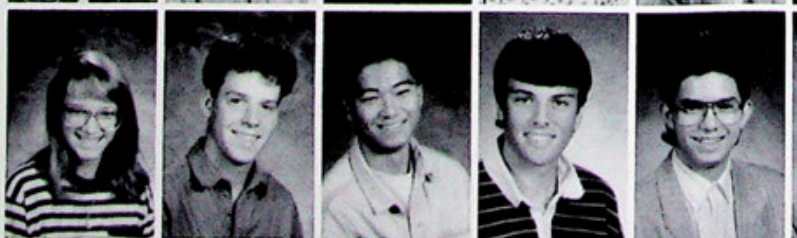
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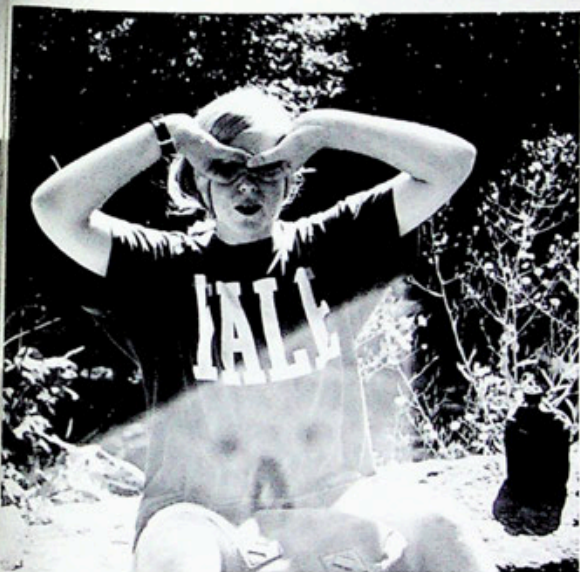


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 Owen, Griffin  
 Palanca, Ramon  
 Park, Arnold





**Laura Buhl**

**Hobbies:** When Laura is not rowing with the Blue Heron Rowing Club on the Willamette River, she enjoys being politically active by participating in rallies for local and national organizations. She is also involved in the Amigos program and will journey this coming summer to Latin and South America. In her few free moments, she finds time to indulge in her secret passion; playing the piano, which she has played for twelve years.

**Personal Philosophy:** "Who shall say what prospect life offers another?"

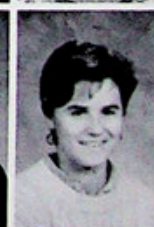
**Favorite book:** *Grapes of Wrath* by John Steinbeck

**Favorite film:** *The American Way of Death*

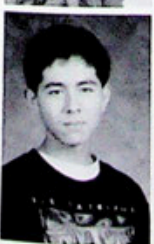
**What she likes to do on a rainy Sunday afternoon:** "Something cultural!" She may be found taking in a film or meandering through the art museum Downtown, checking out the latest exhibits.



Punja, Michael  
Raleigh, Cynthia  
Ramsden, Charlie  
Reali, Cristan  
Riviere, Michael  
Saunby, Kori-Lyn



Skolnick, Alexandria  
Snyder, Rolf  
Sophonpanich, May  
Sorenson, Tara  
Starace, Nikki  
Staudigl, Bettina



Tarlow, David  
Tochen, Daniel  
Velasco, Asier  
Willard, Jeffrey  
Williamson, Theresa  
Yoshida, Nat



**That thing is huge!**  
 John Locke grimaces at the most painful part of donating blood, the cleansing process. For some people donating blood was not the pleasant and rewarding experience that student council had promised it would be.

Beyer, Robert  
 Cade, Sharon  
 Clark, Corbet  
 Conkey, Coleen



Crossman, Gary  
 Doran, Cynthia  
 Doulis, Nancy  
 Freeman, Pat  
 Ghattas, Micheline  
 Gray, Joel



Hansen, Terry  
 Jensen, Sue  
 Kerslake, John  
 Lamb, Bill  
 LeCavalier, John  
 Lewis, Dana



Locke, Chris  
 Loggan, Kate  
 Lyon, Matt  
 Meade, Diane  
 O'Brien, Jack  
 Proudman, William





#### Positive Reinforcement

Sue Jensen smiles as she sees the work of another budding artist. Sue taught Graphic Arts and Paper Arts. Sue was also a member of a Baroque Quartet that performed in many places and was featured in the Oregonian's A&E section.



Rubovits, Edward  
 Rubovits, Nancy  
 Sadler, Lynne  
 Sapp, Mary  
 Shauffler, Debbie  
 Spooner, Paula

Stanke, Bonnie  
 Stevens, Hope  
 Stevens, Julie  
 Stevens, Peter  
 Streight, David  
 Talus, Karen

Van Hatcher, Chris  
 Vardnega, Barb  
 Vonson, Pamela  
 Wakeling, Thomas  
 Weitzer, Robin  
 Zosel, Carol





SENIOR CURTAIN CALL

# Daring on the Deschutes

Early in the year a group of Seniors approached Bill Proudman that they do something besides backpacking or hiking for their Senior trip. Something that would allow them to get together as a whole group before the last night. After discussion, research, and consideration, the students found themselves on Friday morning, June 7th, on a bus to the Deschutes River for four days of white water rafting.

For many, this was an entirely new experience, so everyone started with the basic strokes, but by the end everyone had a chance to captain (steer and take charge of) the boat.

The class was divided (and re-divided) into three groups. Each group had three boats, two paddle boats and one oar boat for

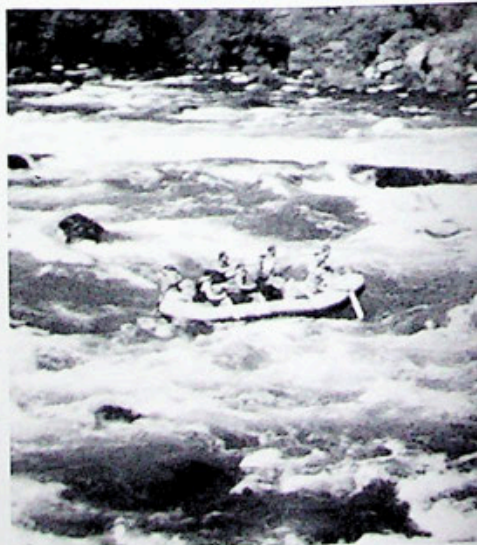
gear. Each group had a distinctive style, one group powered through each day's stretch, first in the water every morning. Another group liked to be last, savoring the sun, drifting through calm water, taking long, leisurely lunches, and taking detours to places like the water pump and the Jumping Rock. The third group loved water fights, starting the first day and not ending until everyone boarded on the bus for home.

There was some intermingling of groups before and after dinner at the campsites, everyone ate and slept in their groups, but the whole class wasn't together until the last night (probably the only major complaint about the trip). Everyone reflected on the past four days and their years at OES, a fitting close to the wonderful trip.



## This is Heaven

Jack Law, Ashwin Budden and Brian Sitoski soak up a last couple of rays before heading back to Portland where they are guaranteed to be greeted by clouds and rain. Unlike prior trips, most students came home clean, except for their hair, which left much to be desired.



## Get out of the way!

Despite the quickly approaching train, Anna M... tens and Suzanne Geary stand still. The three groups were required to scout each large rapid from land before venturing down them in the boat.

## Forward paddle!

Group 2 begins their adventure down their first large rapid, White Horse. The first day on the water was calm so that everyone could learn how the boat handled before heading down the large rapids.

It and dry ... not for long

Proudman and Eric Gold scout the rapids ahead. While rafting the calm waters, time was spent learning to spot areas of danger and finding the routes that would get the largest number of people in the boat.

Are you wearing sunscreen?

Adrian Brandt and Koichi like flip their hats up so that the sun can reach their faces. Although the importance of sunscreen was stressed each day many students returned home with deep, dark tans, and some with cherry red burns.



Are you guys paddling?"

Like Scheetz navigates the boat, while Josh Orfanos, Jack Laidlaw and Adam Kobos take a rest. Calm waters gave people a chance to sit back and relax and observe the scenery, or take a quick dip in the river.

# Expressions of gratitude

The Awards Assembly offered teachers the chance to recognize outstanding performance in a wide range of school-related activities, with citations that honored everything from superior stage managing (Sherrill Bennington) to most positive participation of a foreign student (Aguri Yonai). Coaches' Awards recognized the multi-sport participation of Adam Kobos, Tracy Brod, and Jessica Sankey. Academic department awards honored excellence in the study of particular subjects. All school awards recognized Eric Gold and Tony Shum with the Alumni Award, Adam Kobos with the Bishop Dagwell and Headmaster's Award, Jack Laidlaw with the J. Milne Manson Award, Clair Clark with the Mary Rodney Award, Anna Martens with the Patron's Award (named in honor of Tadaki and Sadako Kawada), and Erika Legler and Jessica Sankey with the Susan Elizabeth McClave Award.

The Senior Service was a very personal affair, performances and presentations were truly from the heart. There were two musical "gifts" by Roman Zawodney and Andrea Bell, a commentary on Rap music from Julien Ritter, and- reminiscent of many a Great Hall Gathering- Craig's own Top 10 Words of Advice to OESians. A big screen TV had been set up, and a video of the white water rafting trip was shown. One of the class' advisors, Gary Crossman, read from Dr. Seuss's "Oh, The Places You'll Go!", words of wisdom and encouragement to the class he'd watched grow since sixth grade. Then, he and Pam Vohnson were honored for their devotion and leadership as advisors. A final speech, expressing her fears, gratitude, confusion, excitement and sadness in moving on, was eloquently given by Lilith Hayakawa.



#### A class full of talent

Andrea Bell sings three songs at the senior service. Many students were urged by their peers to show their unique talents, but the thought of performing in front of a large audience frightened them off.



#### Congratulations

Peter Stevens presents Eric Gold with the Alumni Award. This year two Alumni Award's were given, the second to Tony Shum.



#### Musical harmony

Roman Zawodney plays a movement from a piece composed himself. With the help of Barb Vartane, Roman had composed a beautiful piece by the end of the year.



**Bear hug**

Calir Clark gives Ed Rubovits a warm hug of appreciation as Ed presents her with the Milne Manson Award. Clair also received the History departmental award.



**Ten years from now . . .**

Adrian Brandt reads someone's future. Prophecies tended to focus on a certain talent or notorious habit.



**Gracious Giving**

Anna Martens receives her award from the Kawadas. Anna also received a Foreign Language departmental award and a Yearbook Award.

# Class of '91 commences

When poet and essayist Kim Stafford addressed the members of the class of '91 as the "robbed heroes of the graduating class," he was indulging in a moment of levity. However, Headmaster Peter Stevens' summarizing of the class's accomplishments supported the accuracy of the title; their work as scholars and community members approached the heroic. In his remarks the headmaster referred to the theme of Senior Service, praising the class for "daring to make a difference." Commencement speaker Stafford told the class that "learning gives back what life takes away," and urged them to consider the idea

that "school taught how to learn, not what to learn." Speeches were followed by Bishop Ladehoff's presentation of diplomas. Seven members of the class had attended O.E.S. for their entire school career. Following the recessional, friends, relatives, alums and graduates gathered for refreshments in Kempton Hall. A record number of recent alumnae were on hand to update former classmates and teachers on their college activities. Around 10 o'clock, the class of '91 departed for an all-night party at Griffith Park Athletic Club, where parents had arranged a slideshow highlighting their years at O.E.S.



**Yes! I did it!**  
Jessica Tanne strolls down the aisle officially ending her senior year. Screams of joy and excitement could be heard as the seniors had reached the courtyard.



#### Not again

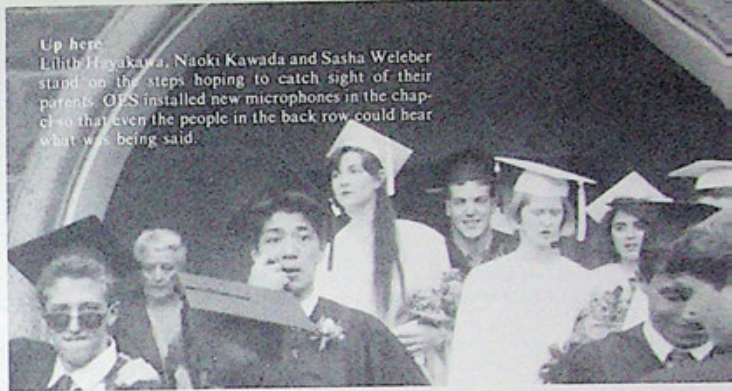
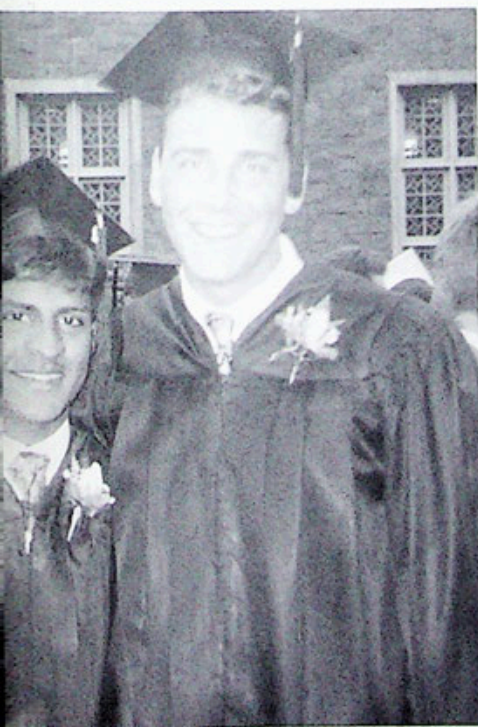
Amy Post, Sherrill Bennington and Sharon Gebbie appear a little crazy after they realize that, yes, they have to be freshmen again. Before the ceremony began many seniors could be found in the bathroom preparing to face many cameras.



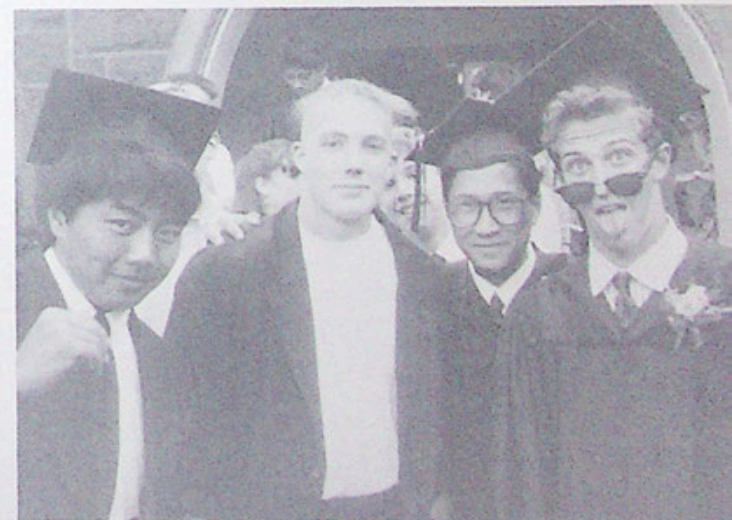
#### Forever buddies

Jack Laidlaw, Ashwin Budden and Mark Behrens pose for a few seconds before departing for the senior party. Seniors only had a few minutes of socializing with friends and family before they rushed off to the mystery location.

... for the grandparents  
 with their roses in their hands Sherrill Bennington and  
 Sarah Bechen practice their smiles in front of their par-  
 ents. Many parents set personal records of the number of  
 pictures taken in one hour.



Up here  
 Lilith Hayakawa, Naoki Kawada and Sasha Weleber  
 stand on the steps hoping to catch sight of their  
 parents. OPS installed new microphones in the chap-  
 el so that even the people in the back row could hear  
 what was being said.



#### Is he a Senior?

Arnold Park gets a feel for the cap that he will wear in the future while Rob Froom, Joseph Ma and Andy Schlueter show their feelings about graduation. Graduation was a time of relief for all students, especially the freshmen, who had finally become sophomores.

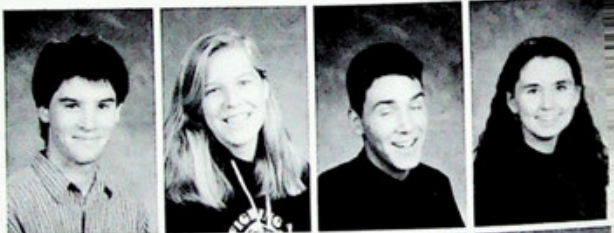
#### Advisors and Advisees

Suzanne Geary, Anna Martens and J. Sankey come together to capture a moment with the Senior class advisors Garry Crossman and Pam Vohnson. Mr Crossman and Mrs. Vohnson were the "mama" and "daddy" of the senior class, guiding them through four years.

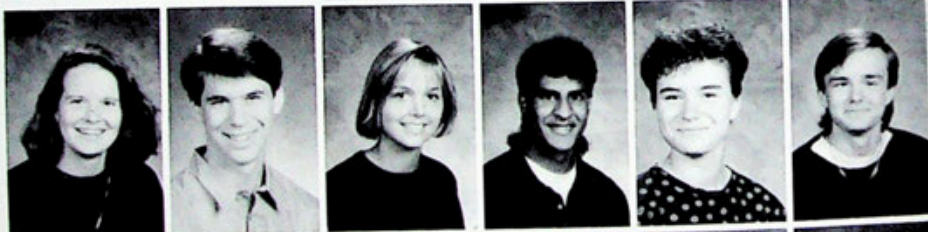
**When the electric heat fails . . .**  
 Amy Tarlow and Mark Behrens try to heat at their icy hands in front of the fireplace scene set up in the cafeteria. Student council helped raise student spirits by decorating the Great Hall with greenery and a Christmas tree.



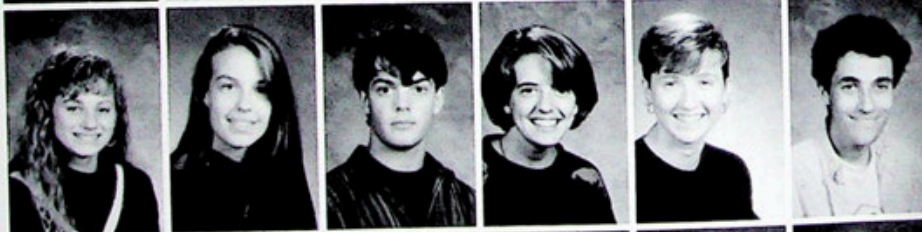
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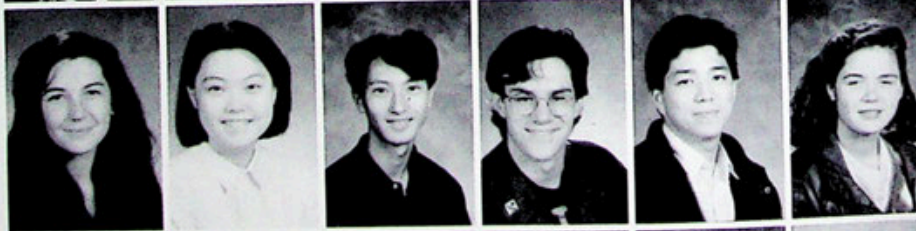
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Cone, Tracy  
 Cooper, Elizabeth  
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 Geary, Suzanne  
 Gebbie, Sharon  
 Gold, Eric



Hayakawa, Lilith  
 Huh, Jiyoung  
 Ike, Koichi  
 Johnston, Ian  
 Kawada, Naoki  
 Keys, Ryanne



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 Laidlaw, Jack  
 Lee, Brittani  
 Legler, Erika  
 Ma, Joseph





**Julien Ritter**

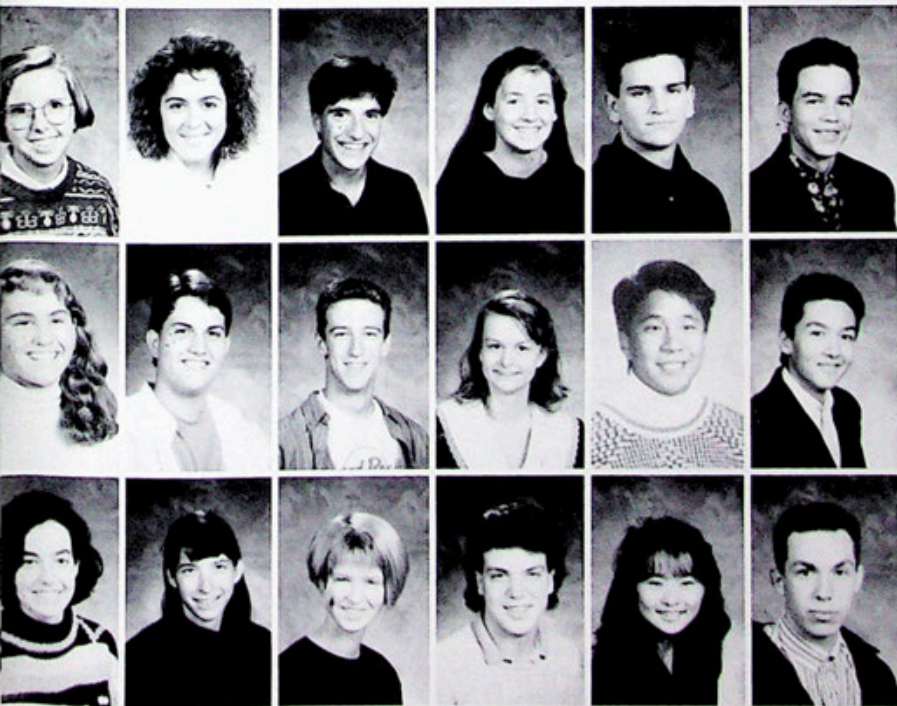
**Hobbies:** Julien, who is quite a philosopher and keen observer of human life as this author found out, also plays soccer, and relaxes by strumming melodies on his guitar. He recently acquired a new interest; boxing.

**Personal Philosophy:** "Life is a learning experience which feeds those of us who hunger for it. If you want to taste it, then take a piece and indulge in your future."

**Favorite book:** The Stranger by Albert Camus "A man is victimized by reality and must follow his life with no emotion, no black and white. There is just a plateau. His life is sketched on an easel of depression and denial."

**Favorite film:** Pump up the Volume

**What he likes to do on a rainy Sunday afternoon:** "Simplicity is best. I enjoy drinking a good cup of French Roast and listening to old Smiths and Joy Division records."

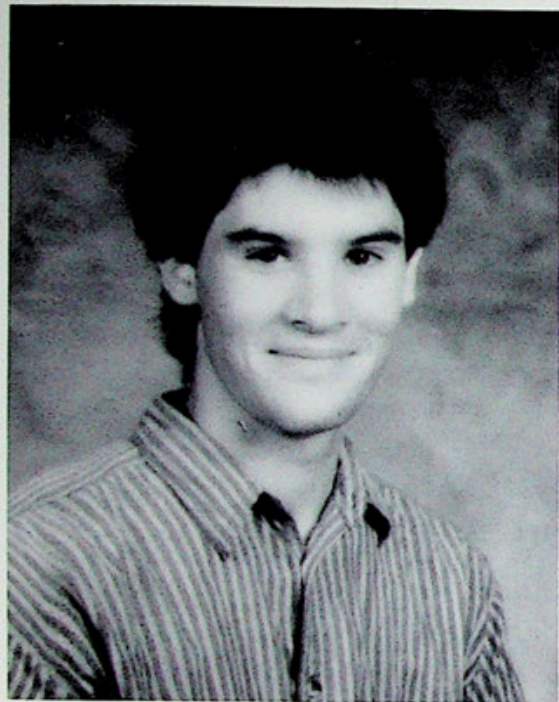


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Nagy, Kristina  
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Ritter, Julien

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Scott, Heather  
Shum, Tony  
Sitoski-Gabbard, Brian

Tanne, Jessica  
Tarlow, Amy  
Weleber, Sasha  
Williams, Noah  
Yonai, Aguri  
Zawodny, Roman

## Mark Ashton



I must not fear. Fear is the mind killer. Fear is the little death which brings total obliteration. I will face my fear. I will permit it to pass over me. And when it has passed I will turn the inner eye to see its path. Where it has gone by there will be nothing. Only I will remain. -Frank Herbert

master procrastinator ... best under pressure ... wake up school homework drive homework sleep dream ... life is a chess game ... computers ... books ... chaos ... fractals ... games ... food ... stagecraft ... college ... work ... future???

## Sarah Gose Bechen



To live **only** for some future goal is shallow. It's the sides of the mountain which sustain **life**, not the top. Here's where things **grow**. -Robert Pirsig

Sherrill- **Remember**: If you were happy everyday you wouldn't be a human being. you'd be a gameshow host. -Heathers

To all of **OES**, you've been my life for ten years. I'll never forget you.

It takes so little, so infinitely little, for a person to cross the border beyond which everything loses meaning: love, convictions, faith, history. Human life - and herein lies its secret - takes place in the immediate proximity of that border, even in direct contact with it; it is not miles away, but a fraction of an inch. -Milan Kundera



Your days are short here; this is the last of your springs. And now in the serenity and quiet of this lovely place, touch the depths of truth, feel the hem of Heaven. You will go away with old, good friends. And don't forget when you leave why you came. -Adlai Stevenson

Up, down, turn around, please don't let me hit the ground. Tonight I think I'll walk alone; I'll find my soul as I go home. -New Order

Who flies afar from the sphere of sorrow is here today and here tomorrow. -James Thurber

But if a dream escape you, in what market-place the wide world over can you hope to regain it? What coin of earthly minting will ever buy back for you that lost and lovely vision? -L.M. Montgomery

To mom, poppy, and, yes, even you kiddo, love and thanks for everything.



# Mark Christian Behrens

Express yourself! -Madonna



Each little snail here  
knows how to wail here,  
rats why its hotta, under de water  
a, we in luck here,  
own in de muck here,  
'nder de Sea!

-Sebastien  
(from The Little Mermaid)

Standing at the Point,  
The road it cross you down.  
What is at your back?  
Which way do you turn?  
Who will come and find you first,  
Your Devils or your Gods?

-Tracy Chapman

All those insecurities  
That have held me down for so long  
I can't say I've found a cure for these,  
But at least I know them  
So they're not so strong.  
You look for your dreams in Heaven,  
But what the hell are you supposed to do  
when they come true?

-George Michael

Mom and Dad- I don't know how else to say thank you, but can only say "I Love You". Rachel- My sister and lifetime friend. Always there when I needed you, through all the moves. Life's tough, but you'll make it. I believe in you. Love and friendship always. I'll miss you ... Brian- Time and life have flown past us, but our friendship will endure forever.: Noah- Four years and counting ... Clair- Go navy! see ya round.: Special Thanks to Kristen, Jack, Mike S. Jr., Tracy C., Abby, Sharon, Lilith, the majority of the Class of 1991, Calvin (my Dog), and the people I will always remember, but forgot to mention.: Kodi- Your free spirit will always be a part of me.

## Andrea Janine Bell



... He passed his eye over the many books that covered the walls of his shop from floor to ceiling, pointed the stem of his pipe at them, and went on:

"There are many doors to Fantastica, my boy. There are other such magic books. A lot of people read them without noticing. It all depends on who gets his hands on such books."

"Then the Neverending Story is different for different people?"

"That's right," said Mr. Corcander. "And besides, it's not just books. There are other ways of getting to Fantastica and back. You'll find out."

"Do you think so?" Bastian asked hopefully. "But then I'd have to meet Moon Child again, and no one can meet her more than once."

"Let an old Fantastica hand tell you something, my boy. This is a secret that no one in Fantastica can know. When you think it over, you'll see why. You can't visit Moon Child a second time, that's true. But if you can give her a new name, you'll see her again. And however often you manage to do that, it will be the first and only time."

"Bastian Balthazar Bux," he grumbled. "If I'm not mistaken, you will show many others the way to Fantastica, and they will bring us the Water of Life." — Michael Ende, The Neverending Story



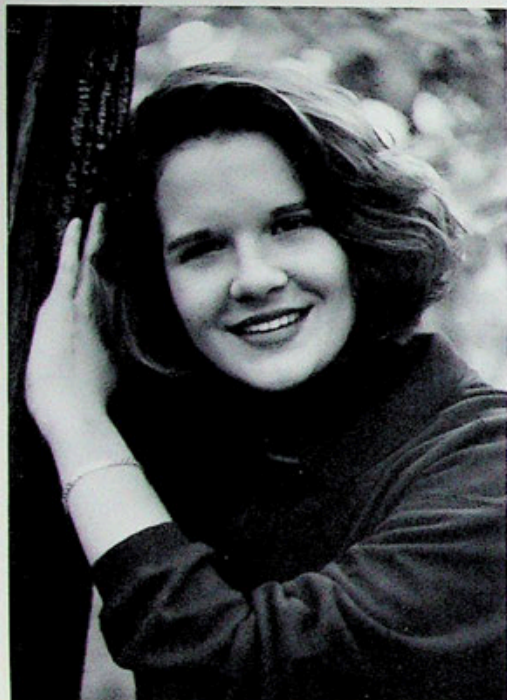
Aguédate que sales como una estrella. —  
Federico García Lorca y su perro feo

Thank you Mom, Dad, Krissy, Jeff, LH, SW, CC, JB, Barb, all my teachers, and everyone at OES. I wouldn't trade one of these wonderful nine years. I will always love you all for so many different reasons, and I will carry you with me for the rest of my life.

Move on  
Stop worrying where you're going  
Move on  
If you can know where you're going  
you've gone  
Just keep moving on  
Anything you do  
Let it come from you  
Then it will be new  
Give us more to see

— Stephen Sondheim

## Sherrill Lynn Bennington



Learn to love and love will never hurt you  
Follow your dreams and your dreams will never  
fade  
Don't believe anybody who tries to tell you he's not  
afraid  
Cause we're all afraid  
And it's okay

-Crack the Sky

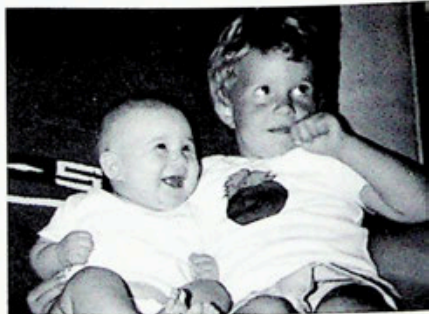
CJ- I've seen fire and I've seen rain  
I've seen sunny days that I thought would never  
end  
I've seen lonely times when I could not find a  
friend  
But I always thought that I'd see you again

-James Taylor

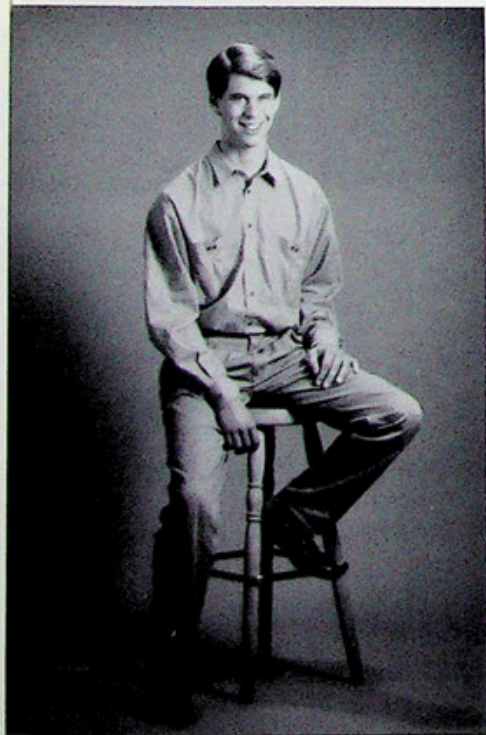
face the defeat  
just don't be defeated  
-Maya Angelou

To my friends and family-  
Thank you for giving me  
your love and support. You  
have taught me much and I  
love you all.

And to OES- I never  
thought I'd say it, but I'm  
going to miss this place. A  
big thank you to my teach-  
ers - you are the best.



## Martin Bleek



Before God and the bus driver we are all  
equal.

German Proverb

What a wonderful world this would be if  
all did as well today as we expect to do  
tomorrow.

-Anonymous

Oh my. How the world still dearly loves a  
cage.

-Ruth Gordon, "Maude"  
*Harold and Maude*

-No hay muerte para me. Mientras yo  
viva, no existe la muerte.

-"Pablo"  
*Fiesta al Noroeste*



## Adrian Brandt



I, for one, know of no sweeter sight  
for a man's eyes than his own country  
try . . .

-Homer

The sky is darkening like a stain,  
something is going to fall like rain  
and it won't be flowers

-W.H. Auden

Brah- Pa'akalolo fo' evahs!  
Miguel- Henicken and USMC rule!  
Tober- Let's listen to some tapes.  
Dirtbag- Turkey . . . . . orospo!



## Tracy Ann Brod

When the night has come  
and the land is dark  
and the moon is the only light we'll  
see  
no, I won't be afraid  
Ohh, I won't be afraid  
just as long as you stand,  
stand by me.

-Ben E. King



There is no possession more valuable than a  
good and faithful friend.

-Socrates

When the go'n gets tough, get horizontal.

-David Streight

We cannot command nature except by obeying  
her.

-Sir Francis Bacon



Let us die young, no let us live forever.  
Forever young. I want to be . . .

Alphaville

Don't hurry, don't worry. You're only here  
for a short visit, so be sure to stop and smell  
the flowers.

-Walter Hagen

We eat, we sleep, we get ready for watch,  
watch.

-anonymous

. . . every little thing is gonna be alright. - E  
Marley

## Ashwin Budden

It's perfectly fine to sleep in a chair from  
Monday till Saturday

-The Sundays

I am dumb -Bassanio from Shakespeare's  
The Merchant of Venice

A flute with no holes is not a flute, and a  
doughnut with no holes is a danish

-Zen philosopher Bashou

Buy the sky and sell the sky and lift  
your arms up to the sky ...

-R.E.M.

Rejoice, Rejoice we have no choice  
but to carry on

-Crosby, Stills, Nash, and Young

Nicely packed bag boy

-Dave Letterman



I get by with a little help from my friends  
-Joe Cocker  
(with a little help from the Beatles)

... On my way to better things ... I found  
myself some wings ... Distant roads are call-  
ing me ...

-The Guess Who



The sun's not yellow, it's chicken

-Bob Dylan

Now he's gone, lord he's gone like a  
steam locomotive rollin' down the  
track. He's gone and nuthin's gonna  
bring him back

-The Grateful Dead

Thank you



To air is human



## Clair Kristine Clark

There is a legend about a bird which sings just one in its life, more  
sweetly than any other creature on the face of the earth. From the moment  
it leaves the nest it searches for a thorn tree, and does not rest until it has  
found one. Then, singing among the savage branches, it impales itself  
upon the longest, sharpest spine. And, dying, it rises above its own agony  
to outcarol the lark and the nightingale. One superlative song, existence  
the price. But the whole world stills to listen, and God in his heaven smiles.  
For the best is only bought at the cost of great pain ... Or so says the  
legend.

-Colleen McCullough

The Thorn Birds

Thank you OES, for giving me a chance to realize there is more to life  
than merely surviving. "L-I-V-E, live, otherwise you'll have nothing to  
talk about in the locker room." -Harold and Maude I hope I shall never  
stop talking. GO NAVY, or not.

Too many people merely do what they are told to do. The greatest  
satisfaction derives from the realization of your individual potential,  
perceiving something in your own way and expressing it through adequate  
understanding of your tools. Take advantage of everything; be dominated  
by nothing except your own convictions.

-Ansel Adams (Is he a stud or what?)

It's a dog eat dog world and I am wearing Milkbone underwear.

-Cheers

There is beauty in the world, find it!-2010

The mind is the most disabling part of the body.-Giles Lewis Thompson  
Rue-May you always have sum peece's. Lala-May you always have a  
rose to remind you how special you are. Joseph-May you find a cure for  
liver problems. Marcos-May you always treat my heart that you carry  
around with care, and receive only the best, you deserve it. I love you.  
"Here's a dime, call all of your friends"



# Derek Jason Collins

I WAS BORN TO CHEW!



"Naoki, what do you think of OES?"

Julien (Pony Boy)-Seattle/Pacific Plaza hotel/Henry Weinhardt/Skoal classic/Kodiak/Copenhagen. sneeze/Valley \$1.50/Boxing/Brother/ "I just love the way you dig puntang Pony Boy!" /guitar/Segovia

You stroll, you jump, you're hot and you tease  
cause I'm your *small* cool one and I'm built to please.

-Robert Plant

Take another swig of whiskey and go back to bed!!!

-Rowan Price

Thank you JR, RZ, RP, JM, NK, AP, AP, KI, TC, KC, G&D, AK, TS, CD, CH, CC, MJ, MB, HA, CF and the THEODORES, TB, JS, SB, EL, JH. Special thanks goes to my Mom, my Father, and my Sisters who are always there for me. Especially to my Grandfather who made OES a reality.

# Tracy Allison Cone

It seems to me we have all gotten a little carried away, can't we get ourselves carried back somehow?

-Winnie the Pooh

I want to be forever young. -Alphaville

It's been a long road  
We've walked the last mile  
We reach the same conclusion  
And we stop for a while  
-Alan Parsons and Eric Wolfson

This is the time to remember  
Cause it will not last forever  
These are the days to hold on to  
Cause we won't although we want to  
-Billy Joel

When I was a child  
I caught a fleeting glimpse  
Out of the corner of my eye  
I turned to look but it was gone  
-Pink Floyd

Through the storm we reach the shore -U2  
Mom, Tots, and Cassie I love you so much. Thank you for always being there for me when I needed you.

EL, SEG, LC, SG, CD, JO, ACK, KKH, AB, MB, SB, Mrs. Cade, you guys are the best, I love you, and will miss you a lot.



## Elizabeth Lydia Cooper



'Tis in my memory locked, and you yourself shall keep the key of it. -Shakespeare

It is better to remain silent and appear stupid than to open your mouth and remove all doubt. -Mark Twain

If one advances confidently in the direction of his dreams, and endeavors to live the life which he has imagined he will meet with a success unexpected in common hours. -Henry David Thoreau

Bebo su sangre lentamente hasta las vacas regresen a la casa. -S.G. & L.C.

Thank you Mom, Dad, and Katie. I love you.

To my friends: See you soon

To Brandon: All my love



## Craig Dowsett



Have a good time all the time -Viv Savage of Spinal Tap

Sophomore parties aren't really parties, but more of a parody of a party -Matt Britt

Give me Atomic or give me Head. -OES Boys' Ski Team

No chew is just any chew. -Andy Laing

INSTITUTIONS of HIGHER EDUCATION metamorphasize the YOUTH -Chris Houser

Being out of one's dorm after LOCK-UP is strictly prohibited. -OES Dorm rules

It's all fun and games until someone gets a grapefruit in the crotch. -Henry Abbott

Free at last, free at last, thank God almighty we are free at last. -Martin Luther King

Josh, in college you're gonna have to whack those girls off with a stick. -Tracy Cone

If you live life straight as a pencil, remember pencils only get shorter. -Henry and myself

Dat's the worst -Charlie

Bullshit as sincerely as possible. -David Streight

Later CH, DT, MH, HG, RF, and CD, keep the school UnSaFe. Julien, Derek, Rowan, and all the other dormies - Thanks for an intoxicating year.

## Suzanne Janet Geary



I met a little Elf-man once,  
Down where the lilies blow,  
I asked him why he was so small,  
And why he didn't grow.

He slightly frowned, and with his eye  
He looked me through and through.  
"I'm quite as big for me," said he,  
"As you are big for you."

-John Kendrick Bangs

Anna,  
Does anybody have two eighty pound rats?  
I want to rid my house of cats. -Shel Silverstein

Just kidding Anna. Long live the felines!

Jessica,  
I was trying to find a funny quote but none  
were as funny as we are, at least not according  
to me. I'm glad we got to be ... you know ...  
so tight.



To all my friends (forget the initials — you all know  
who you are), my mom and dad: thank you so much  
for everything!



Sometimes we are lucky enough to know that our  
lives have been changed. It happened to me that  
summer's day when my eyes opened to the world  
beneath the surface of the sea. -Jacques Cousteau

I just had to put something in by my mentor (not  
Corbet, the other one).

# Sharon Eileen Grebbie



PKMMD-I smuket you AE-I  
adore you TLC- I'll miss you  
AMSB go MB CDAB- you! I f'mly  
had some fun PT- grrr. thank you  
for every body ELSE- ten years  
isn't enough, I loved it I hated  
it. Thanks- I'll be scrubin' ya.



## Eric Gold



This is the life you have.

-Living Colour

Thanks to OES, my friends and my family

## Lilith Hayakawa

I will not be anything other than what I am; I find too much content in my condition; I am always caressed.

-a young French witch c. 1660

The earth has music for those who listen.

-Shakespeare

Only in silence, the word  
Only in dark, the light.  
Only in dying, life;  
bright the hawk's flight  
on the empty sky.

-Ursula K. LeGuin

and at my feet eternity draws ever sweeter  
plans for me ...

-Robert Plant



OES - Thank you for my life.  
Roo, Clair, Sasha, my love always-  
Well, I been 'fraid of changing 'cause I built  
my life around you. But time makes you  
bolder and children get older and I'm getting  
older too.

-Fleetwood Mac  
Don't leave your Big Macs in the ceiling.

KEEP BREATHING

-Malcolm Manson

-Tom Collins



In Eastern mythology Lilith was the first wife of Adam. She was created separately from Adam and was the first feminist, challenging Adam's authority as head of the household. When Adam was too stubborn to compromise, Lilith left him and God tried to make up for the fiasco by creating Eve out of Adam's rib so there would never be any doubt of man's superiority over woman. Eventually Lilith supposedly became a demon.

-Sue Browder



## Jiyoung Huh

Youth is happy because it has the capacity to see Beauty. Anyone who keeps the ability to see Beauty never grows old.

-Franz Kafka

The value of money is that with it you can tell anyone to go to the devil.

-William Somerset Maugham

But it is better to fail in originality than to succeed in imitation.

-Herman Melville

Without knowing what I am and why I am here, life is impossible.

-Tolstoy

Time is the father of truth, and experience is the mother of all things.

-John Florio

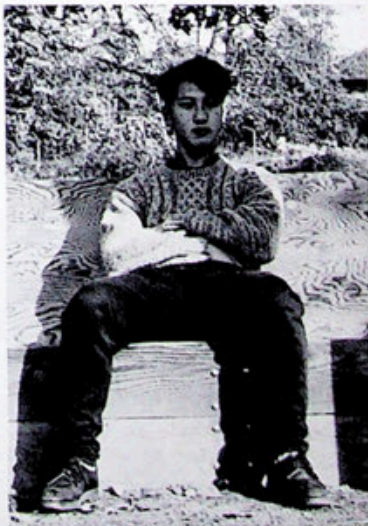


## Koichi Ike

Special Thanks To: Mom, Dad, My brother, Annie & Bill, Mary & Peter, and G.B.H.

"Punk is dead"—Disorder  
but

"PUNKS NOT DEAD"—The Exploited  
SKOAL, KODIAK, Marlboro Light, Dr.  
Martens, SCREWS 4 NICKLES, X



uri Y.-Be strong, weak lady!  
lam K.-Don't forget about the ball!  
ic G.-'X' is your life.  
unter G.-Keep joking and laughing!  
ob F.-Choose only one girl & stay cool, Chulla!  
lien R.-Rap forever!  
nold P.-Don't sleep on my bed!  
on't make me wake you up every morning!  
on't mess up my room!

To Amy M. - Thank you for everything. I am going to miss you, but I will never forget all the fun we have had together and will always remember everything about you wherever I go. Stay the way you are.

## Ian Johnston

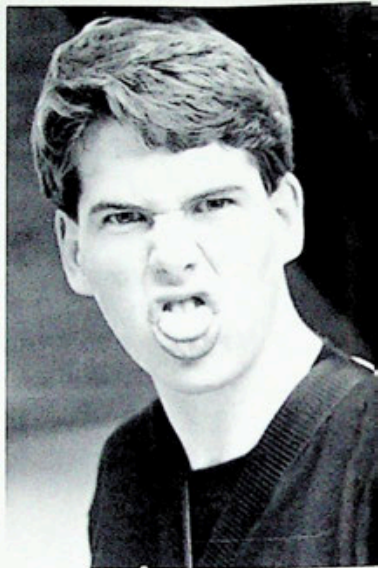


To Stephanie:

The boys' eyes said "How beautiful, she glitters like a star." -Robert Smith

Social Life is the only Life -Me

Keep smiling, because someday you'll be dead. -Lilith Hayakawa



## Naoki Kawada



I spent some of the most significant years in the OES community. There were three realizations which took place in myself. The first realization was that life in Tokyo is not only reality. The second realization was that the human mind can go beyond national and natural borders. And the third and most significant realization was that a soul is one of the materials which conserves. Three as a perfect pair. All in all, I am just a metropolitan guy in a non-urban society.

I walk where you never walked,  
I hear what you never heard,  
I see what you never saw,  
I feel what you felt before.

- Ryuichi Sakamoto (Y.M.C.)

Schizophrenic tendencies keep it complicated, keep it aggravated and full of this hopelessness. What a perfect mess! -King Crimson

To Dwijy & Rome - You are my best friends, I'll miss you.

To RP, DC, AP JR, JC, and CB - I love you all, but I'm not a homo.

To Orfanakis - Thanks for all the support you've given to me.

To Dorm - Thanks for teaching me how to cuss.

To Buddha - You are cool.

To all Kawadas - I love you all. Shine as the best!

Kazuma (my nephew) - Thank you for cheering me up all the time since you were born. You are a candle in absolute darkness.

I know what I like, and I like what I know. -Genesis



## Ryanne Keys



### What The World Needs

A little more kindness,  
a little less need  
A little more giving,  
a little less greed  
A little more gladness,  
a little less care  
A little more faith,  
and a little more prayer

A little more "we",  
and a little less "I"  
A little more laughter,  
and a little less sigh  
A little more sunshine,  
brightening the view  
And a lot more friends,  
exactly like you.

-Lucille Boesken

## Adam Carl Kobos



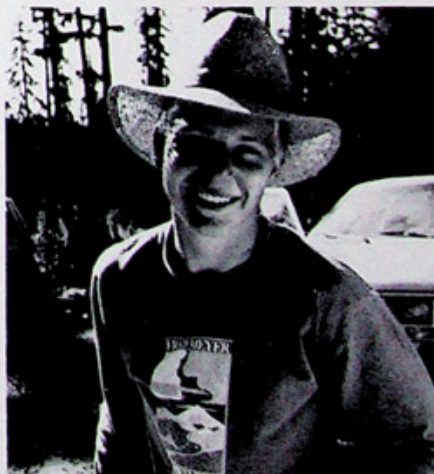
There's not enough money in naturalism to stuff a monkey's ass. -Voodoo Chile on My Family and Other Animals

Elvis is dead -Living Colour

Ignorance and prejudice and fear  
Walk hand in hand -RUSH, Witch Hunt

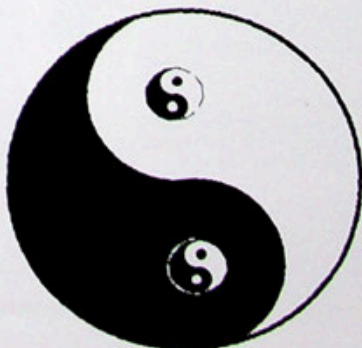
Better the pride that resides  
In a citizen of the world  
Than the pride that divides  
What a colourful rag is unfurled

-RUSH, Territories



So, throughout life, our worst weaknesses and meannesses are usually committed for the sake of the people whom we most despise. -Charles Dickens, Great Expectations

Play the game, but don't believe in it - that much you owe yourself. -Ralph Ellison, Invisible Man



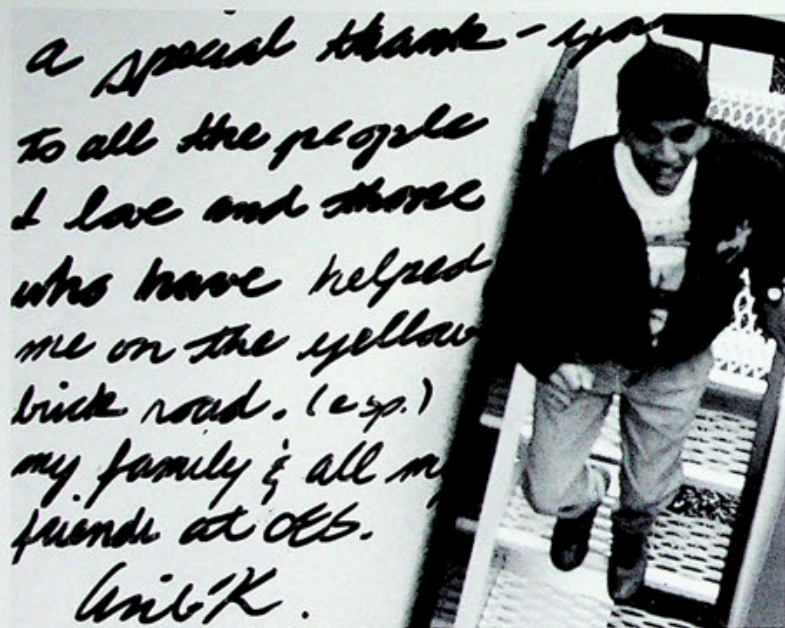
ers have an uncanny power over the human mind.  
n Underhill

w immaterial are all materials! What things real  
ere, but imponderable thoughts! -Herman Mel-  
oby Dick

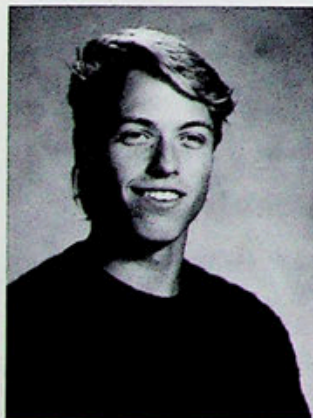
general incivility the very essence of love? -Jane  
y, Pride and Prejudice

y has claims on us all. -Jane Austen, Pride and  
ice

## Anil Raj Krishnamurthy



## John William Laidlaw



Jennifer —  
you ask me,  
and I always try to hear

-INXS

When I'm not there,  
in spirit I'll be there

-Depeche Mode

I'd go out of my mind but for you

-STING

Live by love,  
though the stars run backwards.

-E.E. Cummings

SILVER BLUE

We will always be Forever Young ...  
I'll always love you

It takes a man to suffer ignorance and smile

-STING

TO NW, RF, BS, JR, MB:

If it's a future, world we fear, we have tomorrow's seeds right here for you can hold them in your hand or let them fall into the sand

-STING



CONSIDER ME  
GONE

-STING

LOS HERMANOS  
LOBOS

-JUNJI

Overbite, I like that one ...

-ROB

OES: This place has helped me grow, but it's not the place ... it's the people.  
THANKYOU

Be yourself no matter what they say

-STING

Mom and Dad, your support means a lot to me. I love you.

## Erika Kristen Legler



### NO DIFFERENCE

Small as a peanut,  
Big as a giant,  
We're all the same size  
When we turn off the light.

Rich as a sultan,  
Poor as a mite,  
We're all worth the same  
When we turn off the light.

Red, black, or orange,  
Yellow or White,  
We all look the same  
When we turn off the light.

So maybe the way  
To make everything right  
Is for God to just reach out  
And turn off the light!

-Shel Silverstein

## Brittani Nicolé Lee



Smith n' Wesson, the ultimate in feminine protection. ?

The greatest remedy for anger is delay.  
-SENECA

It's practically impossible to look at a penguin  
and be angry! ?

Funny thing about life, if you refuse anything but  
the best, you very often get it. ?

Crime expands according to our willingness to put  
up with it. ?

The measure of a man's real character is what he  
would do if he knew he would never get caught. ?

### MOM & DAD

I love and respect you both! Thank you  
for the love you have given me, the  
volition to choose, the freedom to  
move, and your protection.

No temptation has overtaken you but such as is common to man; and God is faithful, who will not allow you to be tempted beyond what you are able, but with the temptation will provide the way of escape also, that you may be able to endure it.

1 CORINTHIANS 10:13

## Joseph William Ma



I have not found one who is yet strong enough to laugh in a right fashion. -Friedrich Nietzsche

As women: No one gives birth because giving birth is fun. The pains make artists and poets cluck. -Friedrich Nietzsche

I am absolutely certain that I am smarter than you are . . . -Message to Mankind, Rowan Price

I just think that I am closer to Truth than anybody else. And I feel sorry for them. -Naoki Kawada

You son of a mongrel bitch! -William Shakespeare, King Lear

I wonder, though, what people fear most. It seems to me that what they are afraid of most is taking a new step or uttering a new word. However, I am talking too much. -Character Raskolnikov, Crime and Punishment

I am a sick man, I am a spiteful man, I am an unattractive man, I think there is something wrong with my live. -Fyodor Dostoyevsky, Notes from the Underground



To die of thirst in the ocean is terrible — so my brothers, do you have to salt your truth so heavily that it doesn't quench thirst anymore? -Friedrich Nietzsche

The overman must grow and grow and grow till he reaches his height where the lightning strikes and destroys him — yet tall enough to be struck. -Friedrich Nietzsche

Subtle. Intangible. Seemingly without Shape. Mysterious. Elusive. Seemingly without Sound. They mastered the destiny of their opponents. Sun Tzu, The Art of War

In order to conquer, resemble the nature of Water. One always appear as peaceful and as silent as a dead body of water. One always strike as deadly and as overwhelming as the torrents of a stormy ocean. -Sun Tzu, The Art of War

## Anna Charlotte Martens



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

To my parents and all of my friends at OES: My years at OES would never have been the same without you. Thank you.

It is always the way of events in this life . . . no sooner have you got settled in a pleasant resting-place, than a voice calls out to you to rise and move on, for the hour of repose is expired. -Charlotte Bronte

Public opinion is a weak tyrant compared with our own private opinion. What a man thinks of himself, that it is which determines, or rather indicates, his fate. -Henry David Thoreau

Real isn't how you are made, said the Skin Horse. It's a thing that happens to you. When a child loves you for a long, long time, not just to play with, but REALLY loves you, then you become real. -The Velveteen Rabbit

Every person passing through this life will unknowingly leave something and take something away. Most of this "something" cannot be seen or heard or numbered. It does not show up on a census. But nothing counts without it. -Emile Locard

Be bold in what you stand for and careful what you fall for. -Ruth Boorstin



# Kristina Sophia Nagy

and look again at the roses. You will understand now that yours is unique in all the world. Then come to say goodbye to me, and I will make you a present of a secret."

The little prince went away, to look again at the roses.

"You are not at all like my rose," he said. "As yet you are nothing. No one has tamed you, and you have tamed no one. You are like my fox when I first knew him. He was only a fox like a hundred thousand other foxes. But I have made him my friend, and now he is unique in all the world."

The roses were very much embarrassed.

"You are beautiful, but you are empty," he went on. "One could not die for you. To be sure, an ordinary passerby would think that my rose looked just like you — the rose that belongs to me. But in herself alone she is more important than all the hundreds of you other roses: because it is she that I have sheltered behind my glass; because it is for her that I have killed the caterpillars (except the two or three that we saved to become butterflies); because it is she that I have listened to, when she grumbled, or boasted, or even sometimes when she said nothing. Because she is my rose."

So he went back to meet the fox.

"Goodbye," he said.

"Goodbye," said the fox. "And now here is my secret, a very simple secret: It is only with the heart that one can see rightly; what is essential is invisible to the eye."

"That is essential is invisible to the eye," the little prince repeated, so that he would be sure to remember. "It is the time you have wasted for your rose that makes your rose so important."

"It is the time I have wasted for my rose —" said the little prince, so that he would be sure to remember. "You have forgotten this truth," said the fox. "But you must not forget it. You become responsible, forever, for what you have tamed. You are responsible for your rose . . ."

"I am responsible for my rose," the little prince repeated, so that he would be sure to remember. -Antonia Saint Exupery The Little Prince



# George Henry Joshua Orfanakis

"I'm a restless young romantic wants to run the big machine -Rush  
 hsh!! -Andres & Borja Wouldn't that be great -KB !!Goal!!! USA '94  
 nity is a cozy lie -SS NE14IOS You be hiking I let you know -JC  
 's go golfing What the heck da ball -Naoki K All the world indeed's  
 age and we are merely players performers and portrayers each and  
 ers audience inside the gilded cage -Rush (Shakespeare)



AKABTSAKJSAMSGTCLCSGK it was fun, keep in touch.  
 OES despues de 12 anos, gracias 12 anos-oh my godness (Borja) Andi,  
 mom, and dad you are the grandest part of my life-I love you Mom I'll  
 be home for breakfast, dad may you be Sargon's master, Andi, be nice  
 to the high school-Josh

## Amy Susanne Post



Momma and Daddy, Chrissy and Eric,  
thank you so much for being my family. I  
love you.



Keep your face to the sunshine and you  
cannot see the shadow.

-Helen Keller

El bien no es conocido hasta que es per-  
dido.

-Antiguos  
Refranes  
Españoles

THANKS OES!

## Rowan Price



Thank God for DCRZJRNKKCJMaASCRJMCDDMMY&FY, all beautiful people, and for my  
dearest brother Adam. "Good! Bravo! Hurrah! Long Live!" they all shouted, coming up to him and  
clinking glasses. When Chickikov had touched every glass with his own, they shouted, "Now let's do  
it again!" and they clinked glasses once more, and then they all wanted to clink glasses a third time  
and did so. Within quite a short time everyone felt extraordinarily happy.

-Gogol

TO OES: You see the mistake I make dumb? It is not me. It is this sun-of-a-gun head. It is not my  
head. Long time I am in the war fighting. I am Italian side. Was twelve o'clock. Was guns go bang  
all around. BANG! Is shot off my head. I look around to find him, but I forgot my eyes is gone too.  
Then I heard the captain yell to change. I do not like to disappoint. I feel on the ground and find this  
head and put him on. It is all right for the fight, but when I look in glass, it is not my head. It is  
German's head with big mustache.

-Unknown

I arrived here four years ago bearing with me great hopes and aspirations, anticipating a truly  
wonderful experience. And living here, well, basically, I've seen all those hopes and aspirations turn  
into sh\*t; which is probably half your fault, and half mine . . . well 60-40 anyway. What the heck,  
honesty is the best policy, 80-20!

-Chevy Chase (paraphrase)

## Jessica Sankey



There is a way of becoming so alive that anything on earth that happens is a privilege.

-Margery Latimer

Applause is my oxygen.

-Luciano Pavarotti

But of course, if things are going to happen I'd like them to really happen.

-Lesley Frost,  
"The Very Mischief"

I don't associate with anything that doesn't have a sense of humor.

-Craig Dowsett (Yow!)

To all the Scandinavians in my life;  
Orken Dorken Dugan Wop  
("Long live red porridge")

I'm really glad to have been at OES.

Thank you.



## J. D. Ritter

To the 711 Posse- Follow your own trail!WORD!

but not least he made man to rule the land but man a different plan understand?

-Shinehead

THE RIGHT THING! Ya Dig Sho Nuff

-Spike Lee

is more dramatical: The white one or the black one?

SONE

WOMAN NO CRY -Bob Marley

LR- Peace ... Hopefully

he three studs and the mare- Y'all know you're nitely in here!

Matt Berman- Get a driver's license.

Gerry Curls- Ain't got no time for little girls!

-KRSONE



LIFE IS ... TOO SHORT -Too Short

To Ram- NEVER GIVE IN! -Pato Banton

To Jack- Comfortably Numb! Oh yes!

To Dal(D.C.)- Stay Gold Bro!

To A.E.M.- All of you in my memory is still shining in my heart -X

To Rob- Biiitch! -Too Short

To Red Beaver- I'm enlightened -Julien D

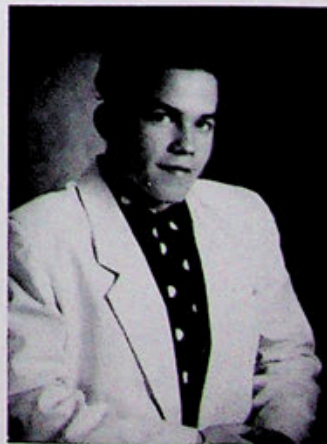
To Ike and Arny- Let's make some rice and drink some piru!



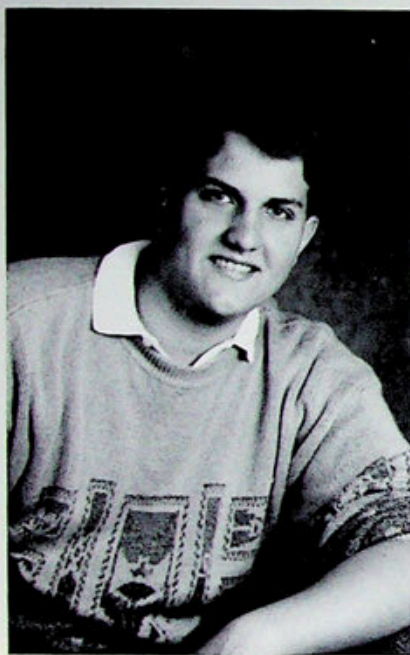
To my family: Mom, Dad, Ben, Kate, and Damien (Boris)- You've contributed to all parts of me! I love ya!

But men labor under a mistake. The better part of man is soon ploughed into the soil for compost.

-Henry David Thoreau



## Michael Curtis Scheetz



Every government is run by liars and nothing they say should be believed. -I.F. Stone

Never put off until tomorrow what you can do the day after tomorrow. -Mark Twain

Like its politicians and its wars, society has the teenagers it deserves. -J.B. Priestley

FUBAR Big Time -Tango & Cash

I don't think so, Homey don't play that! -Homey The Clown

The lethal weapon is the mind. -Ice T

To my closest friends, BS, MB, JL, NW, JB, and the others ... Peace, Love, Friendship, & Humptiness Forever.

Freedom is a road seldom travelled by the multitudes ... -P.E.

Freeze this moment a little bit longer, make this feeling a little bit stronger ... Time stand still. -RUSH

To my Mom, Dad, Little Sister, and OES, I love y' all! I hope that I have been as much of a force on you as you have been on me.

I go to school, but I never learn what I want to know. -Calvin



## Andy Schlueter



Take another swig of whiskey and go back to bed. -Rowan Price

These are our golden years, hold on to them and never forget the good times. -Charlie Ramsden

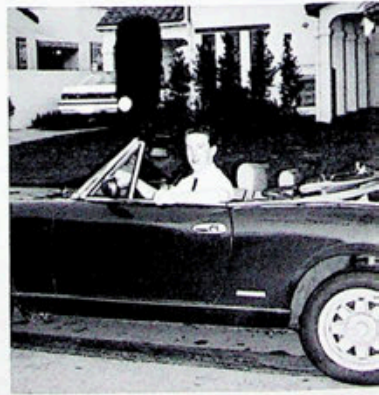
It is better to be pissed off than pissed on. -Julien Ritter

SCUD- Stupid, Cowardly, Underground, Doo-doo eaters. -Beaver & Andy

Let's just say I was testing the bounds of reality. -Jim Morrison

You've got to lose, you can't win all the time. -Goerge Thorogood

Big ship sailing on the ocean, we don't need no commotion. -Unknown



May the dorms continue to rebel

Thanks for twelve years Peter Sipple, Malcolm Manson and Peter Stevens.

To OES: I love you and I thank all of my friends for taking part in an existence that gave us a reason to move on!

Every need, got an ego to feed

Emancipate yourselves from mental slavery  
None but ourselves can free our minds

Some people got everything  
Some people got nothing  
Some people got hopes and dreams  
Some people got no aim it seems

Life is one big road with lots of signs  
So when you're riding through the knots  
Don't you complicate your mind

-BOB MARLEY

## Heather Lynn Scott



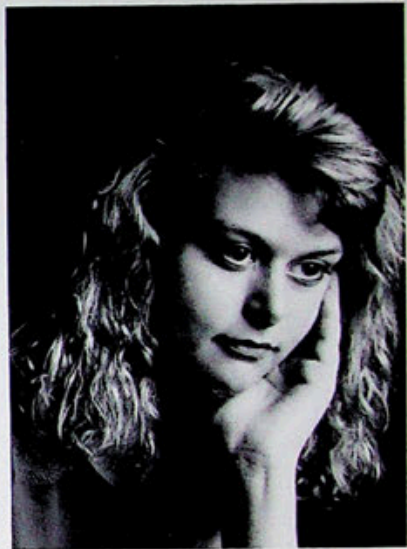
What lies behind us and what lies before us are tiny matters compared to what lies within us. -Ralph Waldo Emerson

Mom and Dad,  
Thank you for making my Senior year at OES possible.  
Thanks for understanding, Mom I LOVE YOU!

Never play leapfrog with a unicorn.

AT&M, HMcD, AY, TH - There's the Big Dipper ...  
Two obese Patties, special Ross, Lester cheats and picks  
his bunions on a Sesame Street bus ... the Cow ...  
Minimum wage ... Saudiwomen-Trust in Allah but tie  
your camel ... Tiff-don't forget all those trips downtown  
... Turtle-thanks for everything ... Keep in touch y'all  
....

To everyone who helped make my year at OES special-  
THANKS FOR THE MEMORIES!



## Anthony Kinmen Shum



Festus- Yo Doughnut, got any green gum?  
VooDoo- p-p-p-Poison! Hey Japan, your hair is  
getting way out of hand!  
Cupcakes and Anna Banana- Vancouver  
RULES!  
Depot Master- Manco, heart -n-soul d-d-  
DANCE!  
Anil Raj Krishnamurthy- What's your point?  
SO?  
Lil' J.- Got any ice cream yet?  
BOODEN (Vishnu)- Take off that corny hat!!  
T.A.B.- Oh Well, Anyway(s) ...  
It's my goddamn speech community, leave me  
ALONE! -m3  
Guys, its' that Simple ... -Mark Flood  
One must never preach, but intensely live what  
one believes. -Ramakrishna  
If a man does not keep pace with his companions,  
perhaps it is because he hears a different drum-  
mer. Let him step to the music which he hears,  
however measured or far away ... Shall he  
turn his spring into summer? -Thoreau  
For doubting pleases me no less than knowing. -  
Dante  
I mean that they should not play life, or study it  
merely ... but earnestly live it from beginning  
to end. -Thoreau  
For I know the plans I have for you, declares the  
Lord. Plans to prosper you, and not to harm  
you. Plans to give you a hope and a future.  
Then you will call to me, and come to me, and I  
will listen to you. You will seek me and find me  
when you search for me with all your heart. -  
Jeremiah 29:11-13



Perfect valor is to do without witnesses what one would  
do with all the world. -La Rochefoucauld

To my family- Mom, Dad, Brent, Brenda & Brian, I love  
you. Thanks for giving me so much.

... is the most durable power in the world. This cre-  
ative force, so beautifully exemplified in the life of our  
Christ, is the most potent instrument available in man-  
and's quest for peace and security. -Martin Luther King

## Brian M. Sitoski

"Love's something shared, not given. If you say you don't love someone any more, either you're lying, or you never did."

-Moi

"La figure fait la beauté d'une statue, l'action fait celle de l'homme."

"The form does for the beauty of the statue, that action does for the man."



"Life is the continuous adjustment of internal relations to external relations."

-H. Spencer

"Education is a weapon, whose effect depends on who holds it in his hands, and at whom it is aimed."

-J. Stalin

"J'ai vécu." (I survived)-E. Sieyès

"If I can't dazzle 'em with wisdom, I'll baffle 'em with BS."-Moi

To all those people who have walked in and out of my life: some left impressions, some left memories, some just left. But they all mean something to me . . .

Mark: "God will not look you over for medals, degrees, or diplomas, but for scars."

-E. Hubbard

Don't be afraid to try, and fail; just remember I'll always be there to pick you back up, just as you've done for me.

Jack: "Man is a social animal."

-B. Spinoza

You've been a support for all these years, I seriously couldn't have made it, if it weren't for you. Though I've tried to repay the advice you've given me, I've no hope of ever fully returning the favors.

Noah: "The end must justify the means."-M. Prior

You are what you make yourself, I'll always be there to add in a few ingredients, but you've got the makings in your grasp.

Mom & Dad: You've given me that greatest gift of all, life; but it pales next to the amount of love I've received from you. Thanks.

Mike, JR, CC, and LH; Thanks for not leaving, and remember:

"In our youth is our strength; in our inexperience, our wisdom."

-H. Melville

"What goes around, comes around."

-Moi

'Lots 'o' fun'

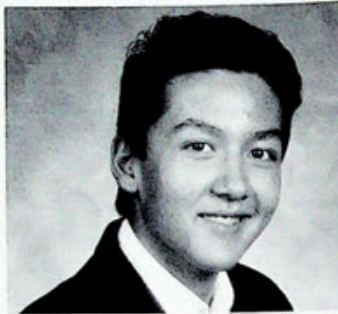
-Moi

"What can be conceived, can be created."

-Ferrari

"You can have any color you want, as long as it's black."-Henry Ford

"The aim of art is to represent not the outward appearance of things, but their inward significance."-Aristotle



"Thunder is impressive, but it is lightning which does the work."

-Mark Twain

"But as lightning equalizes the tension in two different charged strata of the air, so will the sword always be, and remain till the end of the world, the finally decisive factor."-F. Wilhelm

## Jessie Eve Tanne



How small it's all.

-James Joyce

Do not fear risk. All exploration, all growth is a calculated risk. Without challenge, people cannot reach their highest selves. Only if we can accept our problems as challenges can today's dreams become tomorrow's realities. Only if we are willing to walk over the edge can we become winners.

-Unknown



The value of life lies not in the length of days, but in the use we make of them; a man may live long yet live very little.

-Michel de Montaigne

## Amy Tarlow



I've been looking so long at these pictures of you that I almost believe that they're real. I've been living so long with these pictures of you that I almost believe that the pictures are all I can feel . . .

There was nothing in the world that I ever wanted more than to feel you deep in my heart. There was nothing in the world that I ever wanted more than to never feel the breaking apart. All my pictures of you.

-The Cure

The triple A's are back!-the RAs; (whistle) Aguri!-AT, AM; S&N- Rob; RPF want a massage?; MINIMUM!!! WAGE!!!! HEYY AAAAH!!!! (WHIPCRACK!!-TMGB; Why did you call his mother a garden tool?-from "House Party" AM, AY, RF, KI, remember Sunday Oct. 14th; BEEELLLCH!!-AM; I am losing my keys-Sujay

in complete darkness we are all the same. It is only our knowledge and our wisdom that separate us. Don't let your eyes deceive you.

-Janet Jackson

Lots of LOVE to my WHOLE family & to all my friends, I love y'all & I'll miss ya lots. Keep hangin' tough

-Me



Don't sell the dreams you should be keeping pure and simple everytime.

-Ian Broudie

Life sucks and then you die-Pat; Life goes on-Rams

I've conquered my past

The future is here at last I stand at the entrance To a new world,

I can see The ruins to the right of me /Will soon have lost sight

of me Love rescue me

Bono and Bob Dylan

I just believe in me.

Give peace a chance.

-John Lennon

Shout! Shout!

Let it all out!

-Tears For Fears

I need some freedom

Freedom for my people

-Sterling Magee

Never kick a man when he's down . . . he might get up.

-Leo Buscaglia



## Sasha Kristin Weleber



Truth is a fire, and to speak the truth means to shine and burn.

-L. Schefer

Who will reawaken this long-smothered flame

To its burning?

-Jean-Baptiste Mutabaruka, "Song of the Drum"

Time will say nothing but I told you so,

Time only knows the price we have to pay;

If I could tell you I would let you know.

-W.H. Auden, "If I Could Tell You"



And I am queen of this summer hotel or the laughing bee on a stalk of death.

-Anne Sexton, You, Doctor Morton

Dreaming a dream to prize,  
Is wishing ghosts to rise;  
And, if I had the spell  
To call the buried, well,  
Which one would I?

-Thomas Lovell Beddoes, "Dream-Pedlary"

Better by far you should forget and smile,  
Than that you should remember and be sad.

-Christina Rossetti, "Remember"

Oh my Lord

There's so much to do

Tomorrow I think I'll pour a pitcher of water down the mail chute.

-Kay Thompson, Eloise

## Noah Williams



There's a fine line between going too far and not going far enough.

Tom Cruise

she being Brand  
-new; and you  
know consequently a  
little stiff i was  
careful of her and (having  
thoroughly oiled the universal  
joint tested my gas felt of  
her radiator made sure her springs were O.  
K.) i went right to it flooded-the-carburetor  
cranked her up, slipped the  
clutch (and then somehow got into reverse she  
kicked what the hell) next  
minute i was back in neutral tried and  
again slo-wly; bare.ly nudg. ing (my  
lev-er Right-  
oh and her gears being in  
A i shape passed  
from low through  
second-in-to-high like  
greasedlightning) just as we turned the corner  
of Divinity avenue i touched the accelerator and  
give her the juice, good  
(it was the first ride and believe i we was  
happy to see how nice she acted right up to  
the last minute coming back down by the Public  
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:Still)



Mom and Dad, I could say thanks-like so many will,  
I could say your the reason I made it,  
I could even say I love you, but instead  
I think I'll say all this, and one last thing,  
I will always be your little pooh bear.

Jack, Mark, and Brian — I love you and I will be  
there whenever you need me. Thanks.

To the following: A.S., K.S., M.S., C.C., A.S., M.B.,  
and L.H., — Thanks for making it fun! See Ya!

e.e. cummings

## Aguri Yonai



Amy T., Thanks for knocking on my floor every night, and you are a smart girl.

Eric, I bet you had a wonderful time in Statistics. HA, HA, HA! Aren't you glad you took the class?

Erika L., It's very nice to have a friend like you. Keep playing tennis and we will play together again sometime soon.

And also, I want to say "THANK YOU" to all of you and to my parents.

Rob, Thank you very much for being nice to me, and also for teaching me self defense. I feel so strong!! I will never forget you and I hope we will keep in touch forever. I love you alot!

Amy, Thank you very much for being such a good friend to me. I will never forget the time we spent together, and our little talks after 11 O'clock. I will always remember that you demonstrated with pickles for me at the Portland Deli. Miss you a lot!

p.s. don't burp loud anymore!

Koichi, Next time make sure you take the bottles and chips downstairs.

Arnold, I will never forget my 18th Birthday and a great present (the yogurt cake) you threw in my face!! Thanks a lot.

Hunter, You remind me of snoopy, and I like your Domino Pizza jacket.

Julien, I still don't think I gave you anything our freshman year.

Aaron, Don't you wish I made you a mug?

Heather M. Don't say "I farted" anymore.



# Roman Janusz Zawodny



Music is where you make it -Jacob Avshalomov

Naoki- May you stay faithful to the Buddha and live a narcissistic life forever.

Anil- When you are old I will come again for fine Indian cuisine and we'll go the Hip-Hop USA in Beavo land.

Derek- Keep your feet on the ground and keep reaching for the stars-American top 40

Joseph- Eat noodles and read the philosophical section in Playboy forever. Don't cry Dunhill man. You were too good for Harvard anyway.

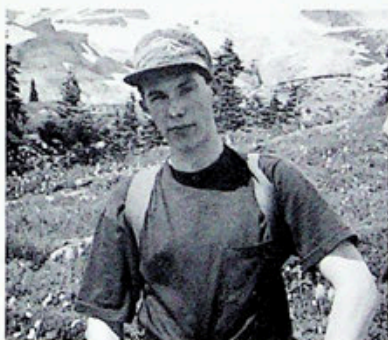
Ali- Renovate Depot

Rev. Corbet Clark- Sorry for all those re-writes!

Admissions committee- Thank you very much for an education. Without the \$ it would have been impossible.

To all the teachers that have shared their knowledge and time- I will remember you all for what you have given me.

OES- I'll miss you.



Look how we've changed . . .



# Signing off

With college acceptances and diplomas in hand, seniors completed their high school experiences and prepared for the world beyond OES. Juniors looked forward to ascending the giddy heights of seniordom. Teachers graded and marked final exams, and began the tasks of excavating desks bearing the paper vestiges of another school year. Headmaster Peter Stevens completed his first year at the helm of OESia, a year that saw outstanding accomplishments by students in academics, athletics, and the arts, as well as the completion of the Aardvark Fun Park and the successful participation of Upper School faculty and students in an expanded Winterim program. The schedule for the year changed yet again, with finals taking place before Christmas and in mid-May. The school changed, grew, and moved through the first full academic year of the last decade of the millennium. We all tried to glimpse and capture the signs of our times.



## The Wilde Look

Convinced that OES drama is enough to curl his hair, Adam Kobos gamely submits to the efforts of the techies to help him fit the role of Algernon in The Importance of Being Earnest. Period costumes also helped achieve the desired effect.



## Our Leader

Eric Gold keeps track of records during the blood drive, one of many events sponsored by the Student Council during his tenure as president. When he had the time, Eric enjoyed writing short stories.



#### Formally Attired

The Upper School choir makes an elegant statement as they pose with their third place trophy from the All State Choir competition. Barb Vardanaga directed the group.

#### Ready to Run

Sharon Gebbie and Libby Cooper catch some rays and the competition at the OES Invitational Track Meet. The track was a popular spot for serious runners and health-minded walkers.



#### Bonnie and Clyde ...

... or is that Clyde and Bonnie? Actually, it's Tony Shum and Tracy Brod forming a deadly duo for Crazy Day. The set for the fall play provided a perfect backdrop.





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**First smile of the day**

For many students, the first fellow OESian encountered in the morning was Michael Cook, secretary to the Headmaster and Registrar. Mike was one of many staff people whose considerable talents kept the school functioning smoothly.



**Physics spoken here**

Dr. Bob Beyer explains some fine points of physics to Nikki Starace. Nikki, whose home was Milan, Italy, spent the year with his host parents, the Findlays.

**Great minds think alike**

Mike Devenney master-minded 'the boys' tennis team, sending members to the district level. Mike also taught Middle School health and served as chaplain.





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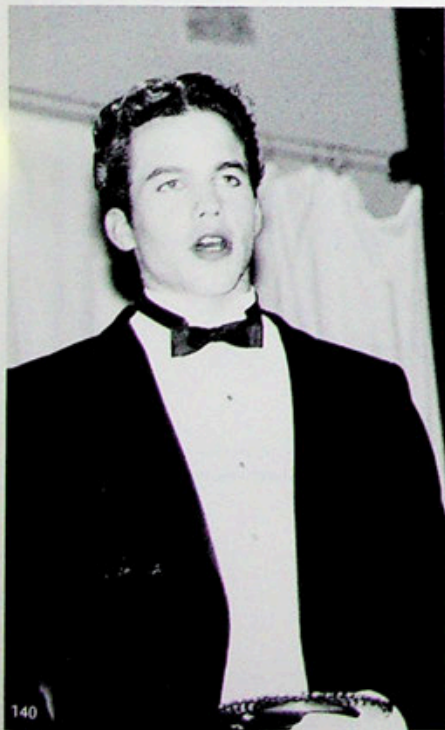
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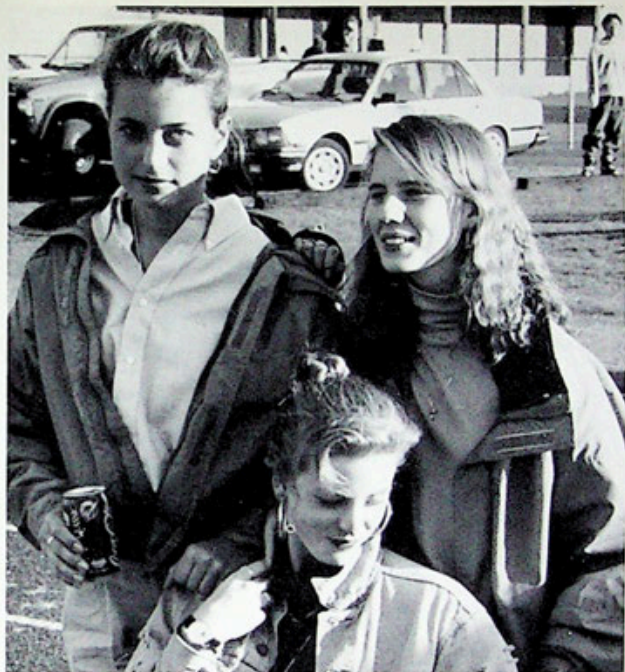


**The carriage is at the door**  
Julien Ritter, silver tray in hand, plays a butler called Merri-men who is anything but merry. He performed in the spring play, The Importance of Being Earnest.

**Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde**  
Hamming it up as mad scientists are Nikki Starace and Ramon Palanca. Despite his antics, Roman received a Science Department Award in June.

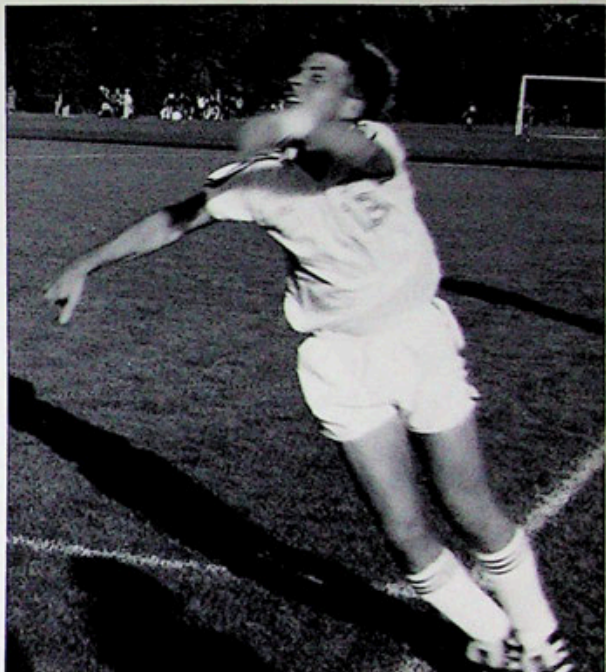
**The X man**  
Koichi Ike offers his version of a member of the Japanese heavy metal band, X, on Crazy Day. OESians were known for their imagination in creating alter egos in honor of Halloween.





**Soccer supporters**

Tracy Scheetz, Jennifer Thomas, and Trisha Dehen are on hand to cheer the efforts of their team. Trisha also provided the impetus for "artist jams" throughout the year, featuring poetry and musical performances.



**Using his head**

Rolf Synder gives a sample of the form that made him a key member of the varsity soccer team. Playing center defender, Rolf found his number thirteen anything but unlucky.

**Edible art?**

Known for his life-like drawings, Craig Dowsett (second from left) tries another medium - catsup. Smiling approval are Jessica Sankey, Anna Martens, Mark Behrens and Tracy Cone.



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Educators speak of "experiential" education, of allowing students to assume responsibility for their own learning, and of providing challenging curriculums. The staff of the Legend-Delphic didn't know when the year began that they were to be models of these values, easy to philosophize about, but difficult to enact. Essentially without an advisor, the staff planned and executed this yearbook. They taught those new to the yearbook process, learned to give and take instructions, met deadlines, and produced a publication with little faculty help. For their efforts they received no grade or academic credit. You have before you the record of their accomplishment.



