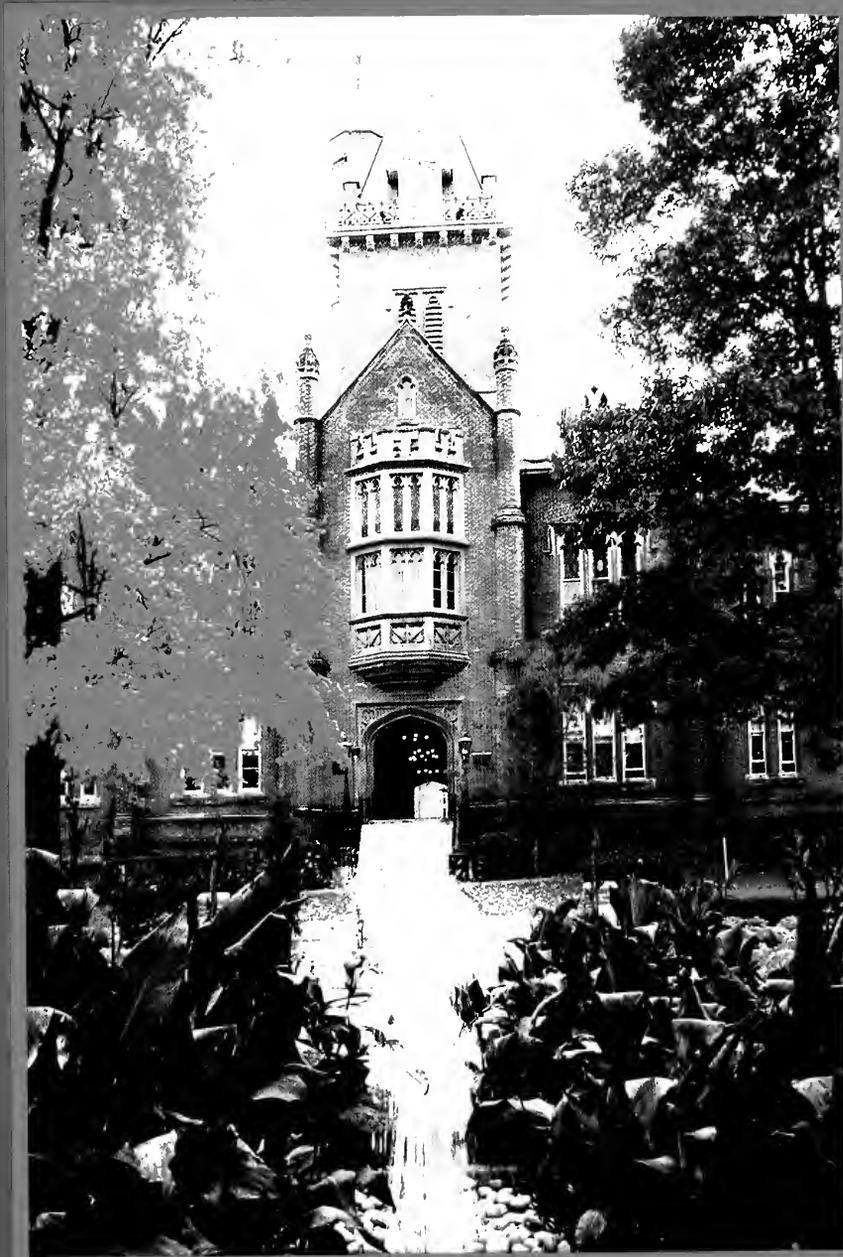


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# Student Life

## A Cut Above The Rest

The year saw some tough changes. New administration, new rules, a new stoplight. Route 67 was closed for repairs on an eroding hillside. Every week there was a new uproar. We saw the suspension of TV3, the NCAA tournament and the inauguration and resignation of a college president. We parked at Coal Bowl. We braved the ice and snow each day of the winter, and some were better than others at making it to class on two feet.

As new changes occurred, we adjusted. Change was a challenge. We excelled. After all, Bethanians have always been

— A Cut Above The Rest.





Left: Sophomore Paula Maxwell, freshman Melissa Snyder and sophomore Alena McAllister hang outside of Richardson Hall before class.

Below: Sophomore Annales Henry and senior Shawn Knarr enjoy a game of frisbee on Richardson Lawn.



Left: Students take a break from their busy day to go to the post office.

Above: Taking time for lunch is a must, especially on Chicken Patty Wednesdays. These students are heading down to the cafeteria.

# Royalty Weekend

Homecoming is a fun-filled weekend that many look forward to.

Kuhn, Katie Tetzlaw, Megan Maloney, Sarah Anderson, Sara Sypula, Beth Smith,

Beth Wichowski and Jessica Duymich. The king's side of the court included Steve Ochap, Dave Weibe, Paul Barsotti, Eric Day, Noah McKay, Brandon Heisler, Nathan Marshall and Nate Smith. The returning homecoming royalty from the year before came



Noah McKay having been crowned Homecoming King awaits the crowning of Katie Tetzlaw as Queen.

back to pass down the crown to the new homecoming

festivities include various tents, a parade through town with a float contest, and the crowning of the homecoming king and queen. The homecoming court of 2003 included Maggie

ing king and queen of Bethany College. This year's winners were King Noah McKay and Queen Katie Tetzlaw of Phi Mu.



The pep band marches through the streets of Bethany and around campus during the parade to show their school spirit before the Homecoming game.



Left: The Homecoming parade winds its way around campus before the rest of the Homecoming events get underway.



Below: Noah McKay and Katie Tetzlar pose for the camera after being crowned King and Queen at the Homecoming half-time activities.



Zeta Tau Alpha is showing their RC spirit during the Homecoming parade.



Jess Buymich and Brandon Heister give their royal wave as they take a lap around the track at the Homecoming event.

# Ghosts, Goblins and Renner Too

*H*alloween was supposed to be all about goblins, ghosts, trick or treating and being scared. Here we celebrated Halloween in our own way. We had our own version of the spooky scary part. Alpha Sigma Phi presented "Ghosts rail Tails." At midnight students gathered on the lawn of Richardson to hear Larry Grimes, chair of the English department, tell chilling tales about campus. The tales scared



Matt Swearingen

some students more than others — especially those who live in Phillips or Morlan. After hearing the stories, students' questions were answered about mysterious things that they heard and saw in their dorms. There were stories of how some rooms in Phillips do not like it when boys stay over and there is another story of a girl, Sarah, who killed herself and still hangs around the dorm. From Morlan students could see a "ghost" at the top of the clock tower jump off like he was committing suicide.

There was also a Halloween Dance sponsored by MSCS for the whole campus that was held in Renner Too. A Disc Jockey was

hired and there were free refreshments. Students had a good time as they danced the night away.

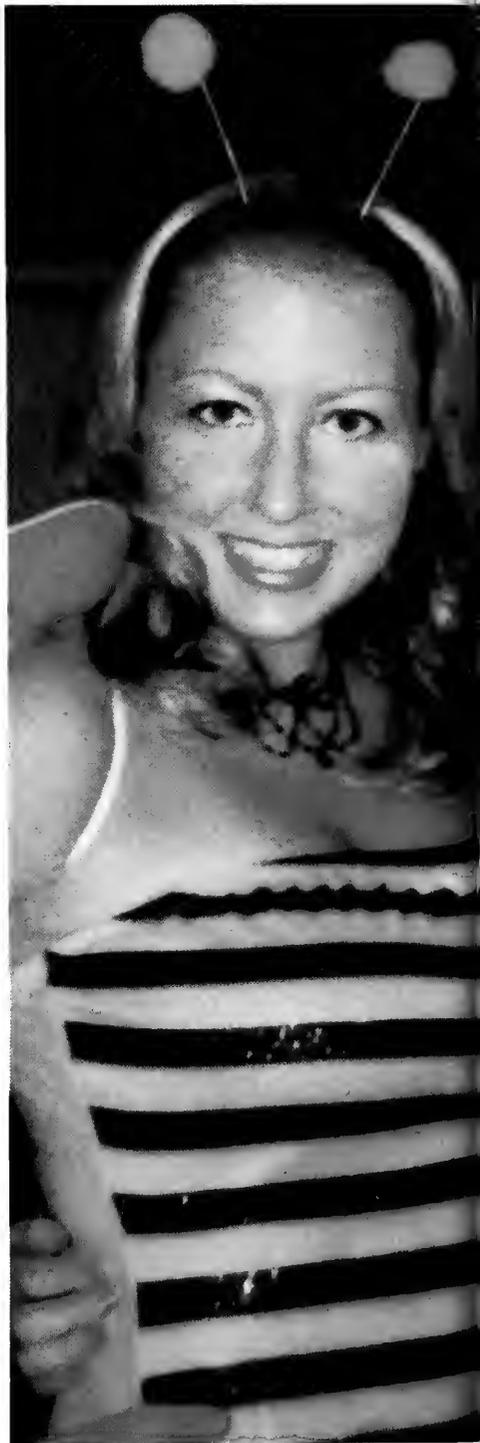
The all campus annual Halloween Party was thrown by Alpha Sigma Phi and Zeta Tau Alpha. Everyone on campus was invited to come and dress in costume. An award is given out to the person with the best costume every year. There was a wide variety of costumes; everything from ani-

mals, objects and people dressed like other people.

The party was held at the "local establishment" and the theme was appropriately enough called "A Night of Sin at Bubba's Bison Inn." With a small admission fee free drafts were given to anyone who attended the party. A good time was had by all and the bar was the most crowded anyone had seen it in a long time.

Halloween was one of the best times of the year. With the many things that went on around campus, everyone was sure to find something to do. Whether it was scary stories, dancing or the annual party, a good time was guaranteed.

Right: Corinne Costellic and Tricia Chesney are at "A Night of Sin" at Bubba's Bison Inn.





Members of Sigma Nu are all dressed up for Halloween.



Students are having fun at the Halloween party.



Michael Nesbitt parties during the Alpha Sig/Zeta Tau Alpha Halloween party.

# Seventeenth Presidential

## Inauguration

Dr. Patricia Lewis Poteat was inaugurated as Bethany College's 17th president on Saturday, Oct. 25 at a formal convocation held in Commencement Hall. The theme of the inauguration was, "Celebrate Bethany." A Campbell symposium started the festivities on Friday and continued through Saturday afternoon.

The installation convocation was at 3:30 p.m. on Saturday with the Chairman of the board of trustees James Companion presiding. Companion charged and presented President Poteat with the symbol of office. President Poteat spoke to the crowd in commencement that included faculty, students, staff and guests on the topic, "To Begin the World: Reflections Upon the Dream of America and the Idea of Bethany."

Featured at the convocation was an academic procession that was led by Bethany students carrying flags representing eight of the Greek organizations on campus, students carrying their home state

flags, representing 22 states and the District of Columbia, followed by students carrying flags of different countries, representing 15 of their home countries.

Following the Convocation was a reception at Gresham Garden. Later that evening there was a dance held in Commencement Hall with a swing band for entertainment where faculty, students and staff celebrated the inauguration together, followed by a display of fireworks.

"Billed as a celebration of Bethany, the inauguration was just that: A wonderful celebration. I was especially happy to see students, faculty, staff, alumni, trustees and people from the town both honoring the college and enjoying themselves—all at once and all together. Splendid. This tells me that we should celebrate together more often. It's good for the school and good for everyone associated with it," President Poteat said, according to an article in *The TOWER*, the college's newspaper.

Left: James Companion presents President Patricia Poteat with the symbol of office.



Right: President Patricia Poteat, Chairman of the board of trustees James Companion and Professor of English Emeritus John Taylor are joined by trumpeters David Dayton and Matthew Parsons at Poteat's inauguration.





Left: Pictured are members of the administration: Front Row: Vice President for Finance and Treasurer Joe Kurey and President Poteat. Back row: Dean of Students James Fitzpatrick, Vice President for Academic Affairs and Dean of Faculty Michael Mihalyo, Vice President of Enrollment Angela Griffin Jones and Vice President of Institutional Advancement Robert Knechel.



Maccheaner Tessa Wegener, President Patricia Poteat and other administration members lead the procession.



Students carried their home state's or home country's flag at convocation.



Sue Andrzejewski spoke at President Poteat's inauguration.

# Greek Week

What is the closest thing Bethany has to the Olympics? GREEK WEEK of course! Each year all the fraternity and sorority houses meet to battle each other and see which house rises above the rest. Competitions were as rigorous as the real Olympics, but a unique fun. With games like arm wrestling, Jell-O eating, keg rolling races, family feud, tug of war and above all Greek Sing, the competition was pretty rough.

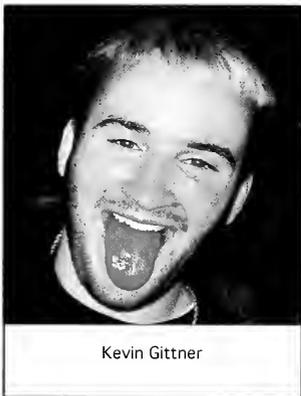
Some houses actually trained before the events and practiced a month ahead of time. Throughout the week, houses all joined together dressed in their house colors and everyone tried to look as ridiculous as possible. Although it was all in good fun, the cheering and yelling for each team could get pretty loud and angry.

The winner was determined by places. Throughout each event a place was awarded. After the last event, Greek Sing, the scores were averaged and the winner was announced.

After a week of hard competing, close finishing and the elimination of the shopping cart race, it was time for Greek Sing. This was the event that houses practiced for the most. Taking songs and making them "their own," each house put their own special touch on each song they sang.

Phi Mu did a rendition of Chicago that was spectacular. The girls dressed in the theme style of

the movie and had wonderful outfits made. Alpha Xi Delta had a great tribute to the one and only Madonna. Different groups of girls dressed in the different Madonna eras. Zeta Tau Alpha had a country theme, with every girl wearing a jean skirt, a black tank top, a cowboy hat and



Kevin Gittner

of course no shoes to keep with the country theme.

Delta Tau Delta sang a variety of songs but the crowd pleaser was the Red Hot Chili Pepper's "Under the Bridge." The guys even sang in a high pitch with the whole house wearing football jerseys. They were definitely a favorite. Alpha Sigma Phi decided to clean up their act. After a shocking performance at last year's Greek Sing, the guys were able to come back and make fun of the situation.

Phi Tau swooned the audience with their great voices and the whole crowd felt serenaded as they sang "Brown-Eyed Girl." Sigma Nu came dressed in the traditional crazy attire. The Kappa Alpha Order decided not to participate in Greek Sing, but still showed their support by showing up.

It was hard to pick a winner, but at the end of the week the winners were chosen. Congratulations goes to Alpha Xi and Delt.

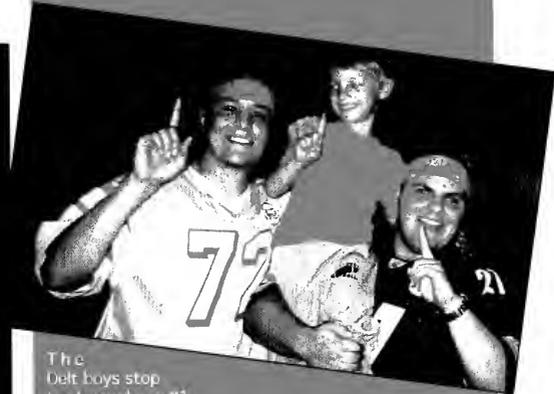




Left: Phi Mu Seniors Lisa Gunno, Kristy McGrew and Kelly McGrew get into the swing at Greek Sing.



Below: Anne Dewey, Jenn Purin, Maggie Kuhn and Megan Maloney during the Greek Week events.



The Delt boys stop to show who is #1.



The guys from Delta Tau Delta are competing in the tug of war event during Greek Week.

# Just a Little R and R

Spring break is defined as a period of recess, usually lasting one

week, during the spring term at school. Spring break is a vacation that is highly anticipated by all students. Some choose to spend this time lounging around at home, while others take advantage of the time off by expanding their horizons and venturing away with a club, sport or even just a group of friends. Many campus groups chose to use their time off to compete, help others or simply bond.



Bob Koglin utilized his break by studying for upcoming exams. Koglin said, "Despite the time off, I still had assignments to complete."

Among these were the baseball and softball teams. The baseball team traveled to Florida to begin their season at Fort Pierce. They won their season opener and claimed a 4-5 record.

Freshman baseball player JoJo Morgan said, "Even though we would've liked to come back with a winning record, we played some good baseball and beat some solid teams making the trip worth while to the end." The softball team also began their season on the go in Georgia. Despite a rough beginning involving a bus accident the women came home with a 4-0 record.

The Spanish Club utilized their spring break to travel to Madrid and Pamplona. They were in Spain during the March 11 train station bombings but all returned home safely.

Another group that was on the go during break was the National Broadcasting Society, who went to Miami for their annual national

convention. They were able to speak with leaders in the broadcast field as well as participate in organized activities.

The International Student Association (ISA) spent their break in Panama, Fla. ISA planned this trip for international students who were unable to go home over the spring semester break.

Members of the fraternity, Phi Kappa Tau, used their break to help others at a camp in Florida called Camp

Boggy Creek. The purpose of this trip was to help children with life-threatening illnesses.

Members of Alpha Phi Omega attended a training session at Carnegie Mellon University, while the political science department clubs such as Model UN, Political Awareness Society and Amnesty International traveled to the Gambia in order to study political and environmental problems facing that culture.

Freshman Whitney Wilding said, "The trip was not an easy one by any means and it was difficult to not have that week for resting, seeing family and friends and working on papers but the experience was well worth it."

Some students opted to spend their break working for a little extra spending money. Eric Bennett added, "I worked a lot at my parents' restaurant, Greco's, over spring break to help me raise money for a new car I plan to buy."





Left: "Packing is my least favorite part of break. I never know what to take or leave behind because I tend to be an over-packer," freshman Natalie Hirkala said. Hirkala spent her break at home relaxing with friends and family.



Members of the Spanish club went to Spain during spring break. They are front row: Emma Archer, Brenda Sorice, Matt Girod and Neil Heard. Back row: Hillary Norman, Kelly McGrew, Kristy McGrew, Associate Professor of Foreign Languages Joe Lovano, Jessica King and Stephanie Kappel.

Below: Members of the National Broadcasting Society gather for a group photo during their national convention.



Making new friends, members of the political science clubs such as Model UN, Political Awareness and Amnesty International gather together with dancers from the Jola tribe in Gambia. The dancers performed for the group after a dinner during their spring break.



Varsity softball player Nikki Zalazink glides into second base safely. The softball team spent their break at the National Fast-Pitch Coaches Association Lead-off Classic in LaGrange, Ga.

# Graduation

The class of 2004 had their Baccalaureate service on May 7 in Commencement. Charles Bell, a Wellsburg attorney and chair emeritus of the board of trustees, spoke at Baccalaureate. The next day the seniors spent their last hours on the college's campus as students, soon to be alumni. It was the big day, the day that they had been looking forward to for at least four years. It was their college graduation day.

The Commencement exercises were held outside in the Old Main Quadrangle.

Jane Campbell, the mayor of Cleveland, spoke at graduation.

That Saturday morning the seniors took the traditional walk up the cobblestone road, through the middle Oglebay Gate and around the fountain through Old Main corridor to the back of Old Main. They sat in anticipation of receiving that hard-earned diploma.

Kristy McGrew was named the valedictorian of the class of 2004.

Senior Amy Housley said, "Graduating from Bethany was bittersweet. I was sad to leave behind the community that had embraced me for the past four years, and the friends and memories that I had made. On the other

hand, I felt prepared to face the 'real world' with all the hopes and possibilities I had in front of me. I know that Bethany will also be a home to me."



Amy Housley and Adam Van Boxel speak during Baccalaureate services.



The Class of 2004





Left: Faculty lead the seniors past Old Main before graduation.



Seniors Brenda Sorice, Beth Michalec, Emily Young and Jenny Brown walk out of the Baccalaureate service thinking of receiving their college diplomas the next day and what will lie ahead in the years after Bethany.

Below: Graduates await walking to receive their diplomas.



Seniors take their walk around campus before the graduation ceremony.



Faculty and the choir are listening to the speakers at Baccalaureate.

# Alpha Phi Omega

This year brought a new set of Greek letters to campus - Alpha Phi Omega. The national co-ed service fraternity, known as APO, was founded in 1925 at Lafayette College. Since that time, it has grown to be the largest Greek-letter organization in the country.

A group of Bethany students has started the process of bringing a chapter to campus. The group gained recognition from the national office as an interest group and were promoted in the spring to a petitioning group, the last stage before chartering. In the meantime, the group's numbers doubled and they continued to work hard at fulfilling the three principles APO was founded on: leadership, friendship and service.

Projects for the year included a quilt raffle to benefit a local resident, campus cleanups and serving dinner at a soup kitchen in Steubenville. Members also volunteered on a weekly basis with the Bethany Cub Scouts. For the first time, Bethany was also represented at the section conference over spring break. The "Spring Training," held at Carnegie Mellon University, brought together fraternity members from throughout the area to learn more about running a chapter and to share service ideas. National Vice President Maggie Katz was also present.

APO is unique to the Bethany Greek system because it is co-ed and does not fall under the Interfraternity or Panhellenic councils. A separate rush period is held and membership is open to both Greeks and nonGreeks. 16 Student Life

Adviser Ron Rice has been with the group since the beginning. "Like a grandfather looking proudly on the successes of his children and grandchildren, I was so very blessed and proud this academic year to advise and observe a small group of the most mature, dedicated, socially-aware

Bethany students, give birth to a wonderful infant this academic year, an Alpha Phi Omega Interest Group. They caringly and steadfastly nurtured that infant to prepare it for and to accomplish its formal baptism as an "APO Petitioning Group," he said.

"Then, as that proud parent and grandparent, I am now experiencing a grief from some of those children moving away to pursue their journeys of life in far off places," Rice said.

"But, my grief is wonderfully balanced by the fact that my other children are still with me and those children who departed the area further blessed me by leaving grandchildren here with me to continue the family's worthiest of missions.

"So, though I will miss those who are now distant, I will treasure the wonderful memories of this year forever and I will take great joy from the knowledge that the APO "family" that we lovingly established this year, as a legacy to Bethany College - will go on to successfully become an APO chartered chapter this coming year because of the efforts of those left behind and all their new children they beget - who will continue on the building of that selfless APO vision instilled so indelibly by those who initiated."



APO joined in the fun of Homecoming activities by painting a window in the cafeteria. The window, being worked on by Christina Clark above, showed the main purposes of APO. Members also helped with the Allison's Run during Homecoming Weekend.



Above: Marianne Majewski and Emily Gardner are at the town birthday party in September. Alpha Phi Omega auctioned off a quilt made by Laura Slacum. The proceeds went to a local woman for medical expenses.



## Service Fraternity



Below: Chapter president Jacquie Simon takes a turn at the chalkboard during a leadership training activity.



Above: Members of Alpha Phi Omega show off their artistic talents while creating advertisements for their upcoming rush events.



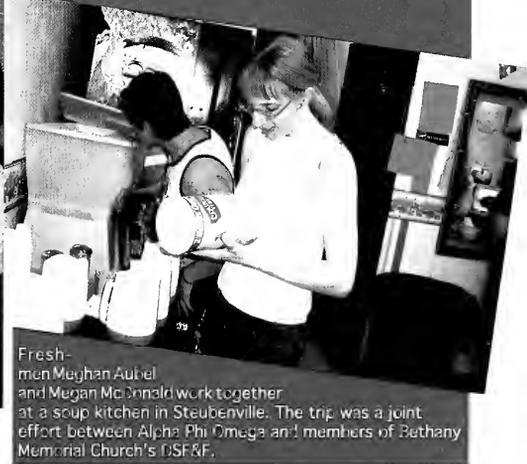
Alpha Phi Omega during their petitioning ceremony. The ceremony involved their members, their adviser Ron Rice, representatives from their section and national leadership, as well as members of the West Liberty State College chapter (Bethany's "big brother" chapter).



Senior Matt Amos got into the Christmas spirit as Alpha Phi Omega dressed teddy bears to go to area children.



Alpha Phi Omega when they got their new members in the spring semester.



Freshmen Meghan Aubel and Megan McInnald work together at a soup kitchen in Steubenville. The trip was a joint effort between Alpha Phi Omega and members of Bethany Memorial Church's DS&F.

# Alpha Sigma Phi

**A**lpha Sigma Phi is the 11th oldest Greek fraternity. In 1845, three freshmen at Yale University wanted to build an organization that would be a rival for the only other fraternity on campus at the time. The first pledge class was 14 and this number steadily grew as the years went on.

The fraternity has faced some hard times. In 1864, the Alpha chapter became inactive because of an alliance formed from another fraternity. With the help of the Delta chapter at Marietta College, Alpha Sigma Phi survived through the 1900s and quickly began to flourish. This fight for the fraternity to survive shows the strength of brotherhood that the Alpha Sigs have. This showed their willingness to face hardships and how they emerged triumphantly.

As a result of this, the phoenix became Alpha Sig's mascot. The phoenix fits perfectly as the mascot because it is a mythical bird that rises from its own ashes; this shows a perilous fight to survive. The spirit of the phoenix is well represented by all Alpha Sigs because of their dedication, commitment and loyalty to their fraternity, brothers, colleges

and communities.

Alpha Sig is represented by the colors red and black. Their fraternity's motto is "to create and perpetuate brotherhood."

Bethany's chapter of Alpha Sig started on May 4, 1929, and became the Beta Gamma chapter.

The Beta Gamma chapter helped raise money for many causes. Among the many causes was "Canine Companions." This was a fund that the guys raised to help buy seeing eye dogs for visually impaired people. They raised money by

doing many various fund raisers including going from dorm to dorm collecting money from students in a penny drive.

Alpha Sig has one formal every year and annually hosts the campus' main Halloween bash which they throw with another sorority.

Also around Halloween time, the guys sponsor the "Ghost Trail Tales." This is something the campus looks forward to every year. The brothers get Larry Grimes, chair of the English department, to tell all the spooky ghost stories about Bethany to students sitting outside on Richardson lawn late at night.



Brad Porterfield





Left: This guy must have been the life of the party. He got hit in the head with a baseball bat, and he's still smiling.

Below: Now this is called brotherly love. Bob Shuman and Jo Jo Kennedy battle it out on the back deck. Only brothers could fight with no hard feelings.



John Dwyer watches to make sure the game is fair. David Weibe and Benjamin Recenburg play against Jimmy Hershner and Andrew Robinson.



John Dwyer, Mike Nesbitt, and Nate Felton are having a great time blowing off steam after classes.



A deck party! Some of the guys gather on the back deck for a picture.

# Alpha Xi Delta

*A*lpha Xi Delta was founded nationally in 1893, and the Bethany College chapter of Alpha Xi was founded on campus in 1903.

Since then, Alpha Xi has been home to a group of great girls. Alpha Xi's mission is to inspire women to reach their potential, and their flower is the pink rose. The Bethany College's chapter's adviser is Keely Camden and this year their president is Emily Young. Their national philanthropy is Choose Children, and the girls are very active in their

support of the program. They took teddy bears to a local hospital as gifts for sick children.

Alpha Xi had a haunted house for children from the surrounding area to attend. They also hosted an Easter Egg Hunt with Big Brothers, Big Sisters for children from the

surrounding area.

They also held Take Back the Night in which they raised awareness for domestic violence. Take

Back the Night included a self-defense course, a rally that alumna and family court judge Joyce Chernenko spoke at, a candlelight vigil, ribbons being handed out and cafeteria chairs being blocked off in memory of domestic violence victims.

Alpha Xi won Greek Sing and were the Greek Week winners. Brenda Soricice, a senior sister of

Alpha Xi, won the Greek Woman of the Year Award at the Greek Week events. Soricice said, "I was surprised and honored to have won the award and to have the chance to represent my sisters." They also had a sister, senior Maggie Kuhn, on the Homecoming Court.



Dana Culbert and Nicole Hoy demonstrate sisterly love at the formal dance.



Alpha Xi is doing their Madonna-themed performance for Greek Sing.



Left: Amanda Braddock and Ashley Josay are all dressed up and posing for a picture before the formal.



The Alpha Xi girls show their spirit during the Greek Week activities.

Below: Brenda Sorice, Suzie Cramer and Michelle Morton are smiling while they wait to enjoy a meal in Old Main.



The new Alpha Xi girls quickly learn the tricks of toga making.



Relaxing with the girls in the Alpha Xi Delta lounge.

# Delta Tau Delta

Delta Tau Delta was founded in 1858 at Bethany College. Eight undergraduates were angered

by a fixed vote for a prize to be given at the Neotrophian Literary Society, which was the only real forum for students to practice and demonstrate skills in poetry, public speaking and writing essays.

The eight students responded by forming a secret society whose purpose was to see that the Neotrophian Literary Society

returned to popular control. Delt was founded on the knowledge that integrity is essential. Delt's

mission is "Committed to Lives of Excellence."

During Homecoming weekend

Delt honored Adviser Jack Lozier, professor of history, for his 30 years of service as the adviser of Delt. Lozier was honored by both the Bethany chapter as well as the international fraternity.

Delt had a brother, senior Paul Barsotti, on the Homecoming Court. They were the winners of this year's Greek Week. They won the tug-of-

war, the keg roll, the Jello-eating contest, arm wrestling and the balloon toss.



Chad Eimer



Delt is singing during Greek Sing in the fall semester.





Left: Delt's president, Matt Dobrick, knows that tonight is going to be great. Matt poses next to Delt's new adopted mascot Marshie.



Shawn Foster and Rob Melnick catch up on their studies as they concentrate on learning about World War II.



Below: Just hanging around, Kevin Eckenrod, Dustin Bosely and Joe Slezak enjoy a typical crazy day at Delta Tau Delta.



Relaxing in the lounge after a hard week's work. Nothing beats watching the game on Delt's "stadium seating" couches.



Delt football players Jon Cole, Paul Barsotti, Chad Eimer, Kevin Crivellaro and Rob Melnick pose for their last football picture together.

# Kappa Alpha

The brothers of Beta Beta put their best foot forward as leaders around campus, in the community, the classroom and within their house.

As the semester started, the brothers were determined on being leaders in the classroom. It began with a strong pledge class from the spring having a 3.5 GPA. The brothers would strive throughout the semester for excellence, having one 4.0 by senior Todd Welsh.

Next, the brothers took their role in campus media management to a new level.

The chapter had Jay Wes, Beta Beta alumni '93, inducted into the Bethany Athletic Hall of Fame during Homecoming Weekend. The brothers also re-started their alumni newsletter, sending it out to over 450 alumni of Beta Beta in the month of November. Next, the brothers began to rebuild their community relations in Bethany. Sophomore Jason Brun organized a clean up at the Historical Campbell Mansion. There they were able to help by cleaning out gutters and the surrounding areas of the mansion.

The brothers also took an invitation given by Mike Naylor, Beta Beta alumni '99, to volunteer at

the Claysville Senior Center in Claysville, Pa., while the brothers painted, cleaned out rooms and worked with the senior citizens.

The brothers held their annual coin drive for MDA. The brothers went door to door around campus asking for donations. They raised \$140 during the first semester.

The brothers also held their annual Goldfish party. The party was the biggest in numbers all year according to Dean of Students Paul Kingsbury.

During second semester junior Kyle Neptune took over the role of president from Welsh. His executive board also included sophomores Brad Leckenby and Scott Jugan.

The brothers brought in a spring pledge class of four: Paul Duffy, Justin Gerber, Sean Liggett and Clayton Williams.

During their annual Alumni Weekend in April Brian Cook, alumni relations chair, was able to bring in more alumni than they had in past years. The alumni ranged from the 1970s to present.

During the weekend KA celebrated their 100 year centennial having their Province Commander Larry Ledso come in to give a proclamation from the Knight Commander, KAs national president.



Sophomore David Goodwin sweeps off the steps at Campbell Mansion.





Active KA's and alumni enjoy alumni weekend with a BBQ at the KA mansion. This was the biggest alumni turnout for KA in recent history.

Sophomore Matt Carroll holds a bag out for senior Todd Welsh to clear out gutters. The brothers of KA clean up Campbell Mansion which was one of their service projects in the community.



Sophomore Brian Cook presents a plaque of appreciation to KA Adviser Walt Turner for his first year as adviser.



The brothers of KA strike a pose after their spring formal.



Freshman Paul Duffy and sophomore Aaron Curtis lounge around the KA mansion after a long weekend.

# The Ladies Of

## Phi Mu

Phi Mu Fraternity was founded in 1852 by Martha Hardaway Redding, Mary Myrick Daniels and Mary Dupont Lines at Wesleyan College in Macon, Ga.

Wesleyan College was the first institution to grant women college degrees in the U.S. Beta Nu Chapter began as a local sorority, Gamma Chi, in 1923. It became the Omega chapter of a national sorority, Alpha Delta Theta, in 1932. Finally, in 1939 it became the Beta Nu chapter of Phi Mu when Alpha Delta Theta merged with Phi Mu Fraternity.

Phi Mu's colors are rose and white, and the fraternity's flower is the rose color Carnation. Sir Fidel is Phi Mu's mascot; the lion has been a symbol of "The Faithful Sisters" since its beginning. The quatrefoil, an ancient symbol, is also a symbol of Phi Mu.

Today there are over 140,000 Phi Mus nationwide, as well as over 140 chapters. March 4 is celebrated as the Phi Mu Founder's Day. Noted Phi Mus include Susan Harling, the inspiration for the play and movie *Steel Magnolias*; Joyce Carol Oates, the famous published author; and Susan Harling, the first woman to fly solo around the world, just to name a few. Every year Phi Mu raises thousands of dollars for the sorority's philanthropy Children's Miracle Network. The Phi Mu fundraised this year for their

philanthropy by organizing a project called, "Kisses for Kids."

This year Beta Nu has had a group of seniors that enjoyed extreme success. There were

five Senior Fellows and eight Distinctions on their Comprehensive Exams. Furthermore, there were Phi Mus on the tennis, basketball, cross-country, track, softball, swimming and soccer teams. Clubs such as SNEA, German and Spanish all had members that were members of Phi Mu. Also, a senior Phi Mu Katie Tetzlaw was crowned



Laura Dick and Katie Chivers are all "dressed up" and pretty in pink for the Greek Week challenge.

Homecoming Queen, and another senior Phi Mu Kristy McGrew was the Valedictorian of the senior class. Phi Mu sophomore Jo-Ellyn Decker received the Richard B. Kenney Freshman Leadership award at the first convocation of 2004. Senior Emily Scerba won Best in Show at the annual Bethany College student art show. No matter where you saw them, Phi Mu enjoyed great success this year.

The ladies of Phi Mu brought home the Anna Ruth Bourne Award, better known as the "smart cup," for having the highest GPA of all the female organizations on campus.

Phi Mu also received two new advisers, Becky Pauls and Angela Piverto this year. Phi Mu was not only a place where students could feel welcome, but where they made lifelong friends.

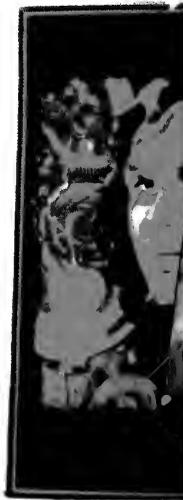




Left: Laura Dick, Natalie Ross, Katie Chivers, Cara Ciccollela, Mandy Mayer-nick, Ashley Stefka, and Lindsay Pre-sendorfer are with the brothers of Phi Tau and are ready for Luau.



Below: Emily Pat-ton, Emily Scerba and Marlena Rohm are at Phi Mu's winter formal.



The Phi Mu Winter Formal was held at the Phi Mu Ballroom in the Phi Mu Center. The Phi Mu Winter Formal was held at the Phi Mu Ballroom in the Phi Mu Center.

# Phi Kappa Tau

With the highest pledge class on campus, a grand total of 17 new members, Phi Kappa Tau is officially the largest guys fraternity on campus. Phi Tau has had the highest male GPA on campus the last five years.

Phi Tau's colors are Harvard red and old gold. They have two mottos. The first is, "Makes good men better." This could not be more true for the guys. Their national philanthropy is the Hole in the Wall Gang. This is a camp they attend and sponsor for terminally ill children.

The camp was founded by Paul Newman and there are various sites all over the world. On the label of all Paul Newman's salad dressings and spaghetti sauces it is noted that all proceeds go to this camp.

The brothers of Phi Tau help out a lot, too. They hold their annual spaghetti dinner which raises money for the cause. A total of \$2,600 was earned this time for their cause (not only that but a lot of people had some good eating, too). The guys actually take part in the camp, too.

Phi Tau sent members down to

the Florida camp over spring break to help out. The brothers came back with an experience words can't describe and the satisfaction of helping out.

Their other motto is "Force of many, power of one." With the biggest house on campus they are bound to have a few gatherings that attract attention. One that comes to mind to all of campus is their annual Luau party. Each year the guys throw a party and invite a sorority to host it with them. Phi Mu had the honor this year and the party

was a huge success. People had to be stopped at the door because they were in danger of having too many people in the room according to fire code.

Albert Buckelew, chair of the biology department, is the house's adviser and each year the house picks a freshman girl of the year. Zeta Tau Alpha sister Natalie McCall was chosen. Ryan Drilak was named the Biology Senior Fellow for the year 2004-2005. Brad Spataro also has won two awards.

Steve Ochap won Kalon, was named a Presidential Scholar, was a four-year-starter and three-year-captain of the football team.



Chris Scaggs covers himself in shaving cream.





Left: Wearing their Rolling Rock shirts, the brothers prepare to take their new members to Breezy Heights.



Having worked all day on their float, the Phi Taus participate in the Homecoming Parade with the pig roasting from the Luau.

Below: Dave Bernard, Carl Yamnitz, Scott Berg and Joe Henderson are helping out at the Hole in the Wall Gang Camp. They got involved in their national philanthropy by donating their time at the camp in Florida during spring break.



John "Frosty" Kamulowsky takes a nap on the pool table. This was a regular event for Frosty.



Steve Ochap and Ryan Drilak relax after a week of classes. Partying it up on the weekends was the perfect stress reliever.

# Sigma Nu

Sigma Nu is not so "Nu." The fraternity was organized at Bethany 121 years ago in 1883. Currently the establishment is located in downtown Bethany. Sigma Nu's mission is "To believe in the life of Love, to walk in the way of Humor, to serve in the light of Truth- this is the Life, the Way and the Light of Sigma Nu. This is the Creed of our Fraternity."

During the 2004 school year Sigma Nu accounted for 30 active members, two of which were pursuing internships in Washington, D.C. The fraternity also opened the doors to six candidates who participated in rush activities

during the spring semester in order to join the fraternity.

Aside from being active around campus, the members of Sigma Nu participated in many outside activities to benefit the town of Bethany as well as other local and national causes.

Once a semester the members join together to help clean up the Bethany community. They also collect clothes to donate to the Salvation Army. The national organization Sigma Nu aids is the St. Jude Children's Hospital. The hospital is located in Memphis, Tenn. During the fall semester the brothers of Sigma Nu conducted a tag day in Wellsburg to raise money for the hospital. During their event, they raised \$600.

During Homecoming Sigma Nu members participated in many of the events. The group came together

er to carry on the annual tradition of painting the cafeteria windows. They also were awarded Worst Drink in the Non Alcoholic Mix Off. Four of the members were voted

to the homecoming court. The king candidates were as follows: Eric Day, Brandon Heisler, Nathan Marshall and Nathan Smith.

The fraternity also took part in the activities during Greek Week such as Greek Sing. Senior Nathan Marshall was awarded Greek Man of the Year.

Many of the members of Sigma Nu served as officers. The commander was Kenneth Hopper. Jeff Weisberger

served as both lieutenant commander as well as lead chairman. The treasurer position was filled by Jonathan Taliani. Justin McCrea headed two positions including recorder and alumni relations.

The marshall was Ian Conaway. Jon Erik Gillot and Bruce Clark shared the position of co-rush chairs while Noyan Eyigor and Adam Moskey both worked as house managers. Matthew Pegg was the chaplin and sentinel was Kevin McGann. Neil Heard was in charge of scholarship.

With their frequent involvement on and off campus, the school year was certainly eventful for the brothers of Sigma Nu.

From involving themselves with national organizations to helping around the community they kept busy while also having fun along the way.



Eight members stop to pose by a sign. The sign was of interest due to the fact one of the main principles of Sigma Nu is honor. The brothers came across this discovery while on their way to their spring break destination.





Left: Celebrating another eventful year, the brothers dance together during their spring formal. The event is a time to recap on successes while enjoying the company of their closest friends.

Below: You can dress them up, but boys will be boys. The brothers pose together prior to their spring formal. Formal gives the guys a chance to shed their normal apparel and enjoy an evening dressed up.



With fury in their eyes, members of Sigma Nu take time out of winning to pose for a picture. The group was the Intramural football team. The team defeated Delta in the Intramural football championships.



The annual window painting event took place prior to Homecoming. As usual the brothers of Sigma Nu claimed their spot with their letters and symbol adorned in their colors. Many groups and clubs around campus participate in this event.



Participating in Greek Sing, members of Sigma Nu come together for the annual event. Although they were not awarded first place, they performed songs such as "Kung Fu Fighting" and "Magic Carpet Ride."

# Zeta Tau Alpha

Zeta Tau Alpha Theta chapter was founded at Bethany College in 1902. Nine young girls under the hand of Providence and with courage, dreamed a real dream of hope on the stage of fellowship. Those nine girls are responsible for forming the fraternity known to us as Zeta.

Zeta has the open motto of "Seek the Noblest" which is used to lift moral standards and bring out social interest in all of its members. The fraternity's flower is the White Violet and their colors are turquoise blue and steel grey.

Zeta's mascot is the bunny, which is why you can usually see them wearing bunny ears out on the night of their "Big/Lil' Ritual." Crowns and strawberries are the two symbols that represent Zeta.

President Bethany Smith helped keep Zeta active all over campus, the community and the country. Zeta's national philanthropy is the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation. Zeta does many things to help raise money for breast cancer. Each year at Homecoming they hold the fund raiser "Bounce for Boobs."

Zeta also has "Race for the Cure." This is where they celebrate breast cancer survivors and walk in memory of those who have passed. Zeta went to a Pittsburgh Steelers game, where they stood in the parking lot and handed out breast cancer ribbons to everyone who walked by.

Each year they also hand out hundreds of pamphlets on how to administer self breast examinations.

Zeta is always helping out through the community. They had community clean ups where they go around the town of Bethany and pick up any trash. Zeta regularly holds penny drives for a variety of purposes: sicknesses, tragedy victims and more. "House Arrest" is another way the fraternity raises money, by capturing another house's president and making them pay to get them back.

"Bounce for Boobs" was not the only reason Zeta had reason to go to the Homecoming festivities. Bethany students voted six Zetas onto the Homecoming Court. The girls were also awarded first prize in the float contest. Zeta made a huge, pink breast cancer ribbon completely out of balloons.

It must have been the "Hollywood" theme this year that made girls run to Zeta. During Rush this year Zeta swept again, gaining the most new members and meeting their house quota with 27 girls.

At their annual convention "Zeta Day" our Bethany Zetas received the Crown Chapter award and Robyn Fenstermacher was named Zeta Lady for their province. This year at convention the girls are going in hopes of receiving the title of Silver Chapter, the highest award. Bethany Smith is also in the running for Zeta Lady.



Carissa Moore and Beth Wchrowski join for their Greek Sing Theme. Carissa and Witchy show off the "western" in them as they pose for the camera.





Left: Feeling the excitement of Bid Night, the sophomores pose to show off their shirts. Why are the sophomores smiling? They know "...it's better than yours."



Bianca Barnabei, Alyssa Merriner, Tricia Chesney, Jackie Cobetto, Amanda Foose and Jody Wilson are picture perfect. There are no better memories than the ones made with sisters.

Below: This Zeta family is all dressed for their winter formal. Nicoloe Serene and Corrine Costelic enjoy their last ZTA formal with their family.



Happy Birthday to Heather Witsiepe on her 21st birthday. It was the tradition of Zeta to wear the birthday T-shirt when celebrating a sister's 21st birthday.



Nothing is like a formal night. These Zeta's party it up at formal after a long week of classes. These girls know how to dance.

# A Cut Above The Rest

## Seniors

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Nathan Marshall (left) jumps for joy at the thought of his first television appearance. Marshall had a small, but crucial role to the plot of the NBC original movie, "Deep Attack." Ian McGlone (above left) helped with the heritage day held at Campbell Mansion. Susan Cramer (above right) plays the role of the queen in Bethany's production of Cinderella.

## Juniors

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Lindsey Keese and Stephanie Riker (far left): girls just want to have fun. Chuck Angelo (left) receives an award at the annual banquet at the end of Communication Week. Kristi Hicks (above left) stars as Cinderella in the Bethany theatre's production of the musical. Myasha Millner (above right) is enjoying herself at one of the parties on campus.



# Sophomores

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Neil Heard and Nikhil Kapur (above) play some of the king's men in the production of Cinderella that was performed during the spring semester. Sarah Kudrin and Jess Kearns (right) are all smiles while taking a break from cheering on the Bison football team.



# Freshmen

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Stacy Krempasky (above left) plays one of the girls who attends the prince's ball in Cinderella, while Erik Bowman (above right) plays one of the king's men. Trevor Hayes (far right) smiles proudly after a swimming competition. Alejandra Viveros (middle) dances for the talent show. Jenny Braum (right) makes a necklace at the spring carnival.



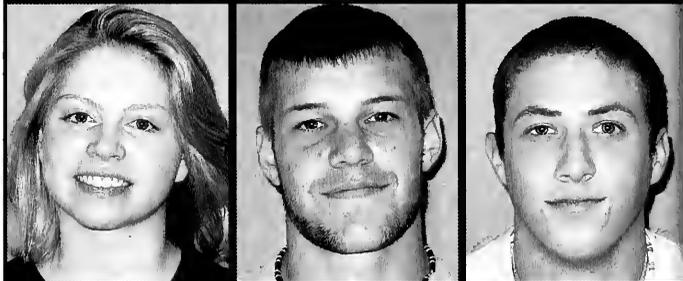
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Banna, Nazih  
Barsotti, Paul

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Baumgart, Tiffany  
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Bednarski, Neil  
Bernacki, Dana  
Blake, James

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Boyce, Olivia  
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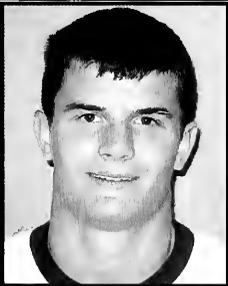


# Honors Awarded

The classic saying, "Hard work never killed anybody, but why take a chance?" obviously did not apply to those seniors awarded and recognized at the Honors Convocation. This ceremony was held on April 8 in Commencement Hall where the distribution of Honors Day awards and members of recognition societies were spotlighted.

A round of applause goes to the following Honors Day awards recipients (in order of the presented awards): Tessa Wegener, Susan Andrzejewski, Amy Furda, Bradley Spataro, Jacquelyn Simon, Amy Housley, Kelly McGrew, Jay Foster, Lisa Gunno, Kristy McGrew, Christopher Pusateri, Shae Baxter, Robyn Fenstermacher, Allison Normand, Rachel Halko, David Smithbauer, Nathan Cole, Frank Ballato III, Brenda Sorice, Elisa Gumm, Deborah Duckworth, Kristen Link, Ian McGlone, Matthew Girod, Kasha Nelson, Emily Puckett, Amy McNulty, Susan Cramer, Jennifer Brown, Matthew McCardle, Jamie Hoelzeman, Jessica King, Michael Hodge, Dawn Klimas, Brian Laik, Ryan Segrist, James Montecalvo, Amy Stoner, Derek Powell, Jennifer Matovich, Adam Van Boxel and Roslyn Cunningham.

Congratulations and much luck to the Class of 2004!



A little Greek spirit is reflected in these pictures from the Honors Convocation. The sisters and brothers of Phi Mu and Phi Kappa Tau fraternities received the Anna Ruth Bourne Award and the W. Kirk Woolery Award, respectively, for maintaining the highest scholastic standing.

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Clarke, Destiny  
Claus, Lisa  
Cole, Jonathan  
Cole, Nathan  
Conaway, Ian

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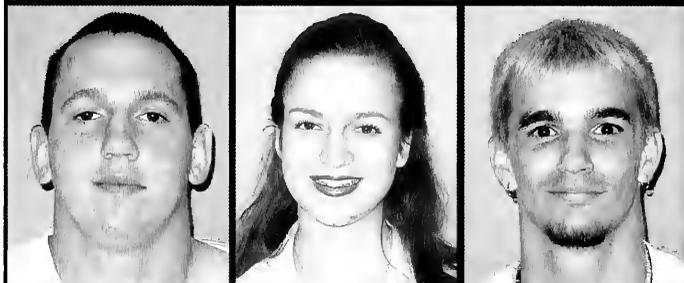
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Critchfield, Leslie  
Crivellaro, Kevin  
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Day, Eric  
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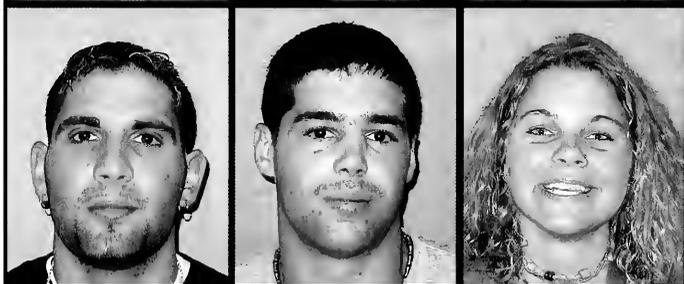
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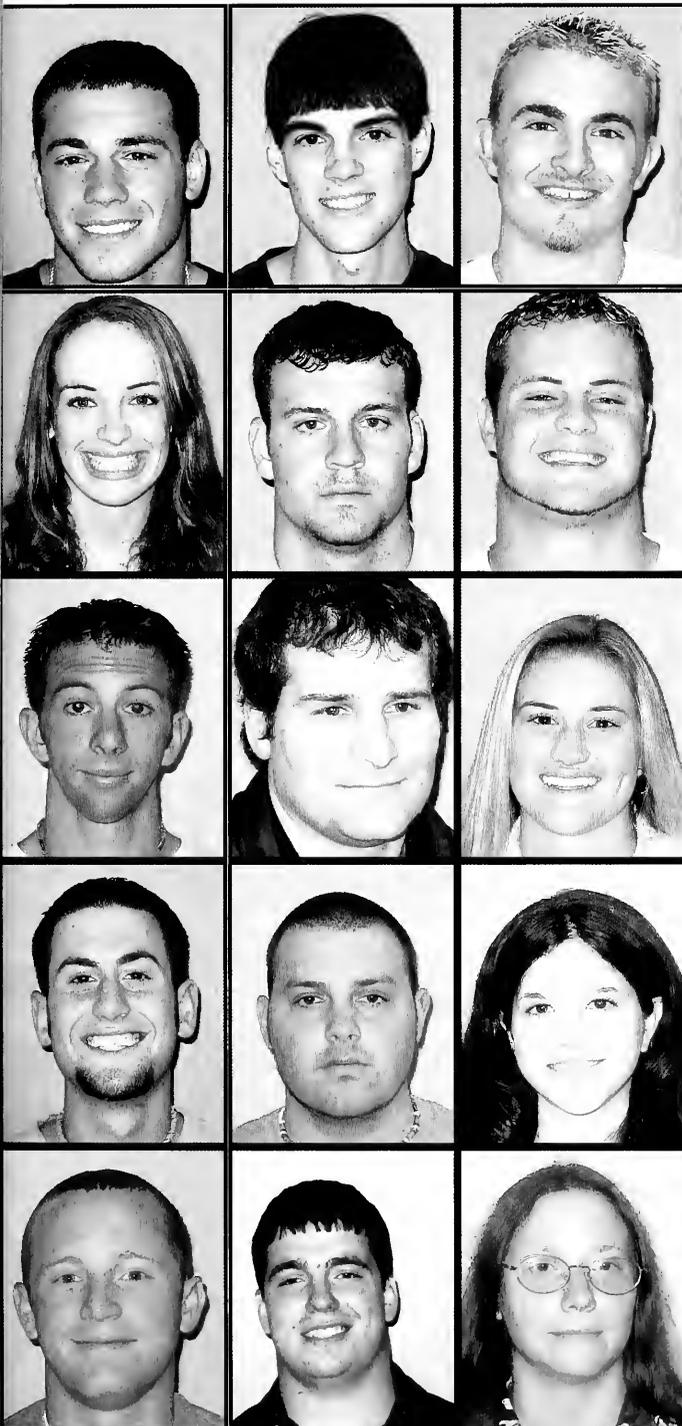
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Fanciullacci, Daniel  
Farone, Raymond  
Fenstermacher, Robyn  
Foster, Jay  
Foster, Shawn  
Frederick, Darlene

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# Spring Break

Have you ever wanted to get out of Bethany? Bethany College seniors Anne Dewey, Megan Maloney and Sarah Anderson finished their college career with a trip to Cancun over spring break. The trip started off a little rough with an allergic reaction to octopus and stolen money, but nothing was going to ruin their break. The first night out, they met the Penthouse Pinup of 2003 at a Corona bar and that was just the beginning of their celebrity run-ins.

The girls said that the highlight of their trip was a toss up between meeting Pauly Shore and getting sprayed with Cristal by fifty Cent and G-Unit at a surprise concert. During their seven day stay, the girls kept very busy by snorkeling at a national wildlife coral reef, rented wave runners, took a jungle tour and went shopping. During the day the girls did not go far from the swim-up bar in their hotel, but once night came they bar hopped and visited the famous clubs of Cancun including Coco, Bongo, The city, Daddy Rock and Daddy O's.

Megan Maloney said, "Cancun was out of control, but these are the crazy times that add life and great memories to our friendship."



Megan Maloney, Anne Dewey and Sarah Anderson take time out of their wild vacation to flash their pearly whites.

Freidel, Andrea  
Galardi, Nicholas  
Gardner, Emily  
Girod, Matthew  
Greene, Jeffrey

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Guinan, Pamela  
Gunno, Lisa  
Hake, John  
Halko, Rachel  
Halldin, Jesse

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Hardie, Katie  
Haught, Marcia  
Haynes, Marlana  
Healy, Michael  
Heinonen, Markus

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Heisler, Brandon  
Hershner, James  
Hibbits, Kristin  
Hicks, Bradley  
Hodge, Michael

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Hoelzeman, Jamie  
Hofrichter, Jillian  
Hostetler, John  
Housley, Amy  
Irwin, Daniel

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# Dave Weibe

Dave Weibe has been seen playing his music many times around Bethany College. Whether it be singing to the Zeta and Phi Mu girls or leading Alpha Sig during their Greek Sing competition, Weibe's future looks bright. Get your autographs now!

Dave Weibe is a graduating senior from Severna Park, Md. During his time at Bethany he has served as president of Bethany's Alpha Sigma Phi chapter and captain of the men's soccer team. However, many people know Dave as another person, a talented musician and songwriter. After playing the piano for nine years, Dave picked up the guitar at the age of 16 and hasn't put it down since. While at home, he plays with his band Fat Man Candy which includes his best friend and rising rock star Brandon Bartlett on drums. Playing mostly as a duo with guests frequently, Fat Man Candy has drawn the attention of Billboard Producer of the Century Nile Rodgers, whose past productions have included recordings with Paul Simon, Mick Jagger, Madonna, Britney Spears and Stevie Ray Vaughan.

"Being so busy at Bethany for the past four years has put a bit of a dent in how much I have wanted to play, but I have every intention of putting music at the forefront of what I'd like to end up doing in life," Weibe said. "Although blues has been my ultimate musical passion, it has been the progressive rock songs I've written that have gotten the most attention."

When asked about his favorite musical moments, Weibe replied, "Well there are a lot to sift through but nothing beats jamming out at Alpha Sig during a latenight with Brandon on the kit and my younger brother on the other guitar."



Dave Weibe hanging out at the Alpha Sig house.

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Johnson, Emmy  
Kamlowsky, John  
Kapanyko, John  
King, Jessica  
Klimas, Dawn



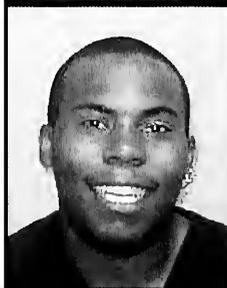
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Kosta, Justin  
Krayvo, Nicholas  
Kuhn, Maggie



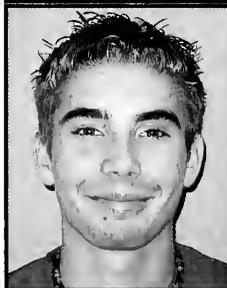
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Legros, Shari  
Lichtenstein, Jamie  
Link, Kristen  
Lion, Nicholas



Llanos, Adam  
Longo, Erik  
Lopez, Leslie  
MacCleary, Shayna  
Majzun, Michael  
Maloney, Megan



Marshall, Nathan  
Martinkosky, Alexander  
Masters, Janice  
Matovich, Jennifer  
McCardle, Matthew  
McCoy, Charles





# Robyn Fenstermacher

Robyn was very active on Bethany campus during her time here. She was president of her sorority Zeta Tau Alpha and highly respected as a friend and confidante among all the sisters. Robyn was born a leader and will be greatly missed next year by all who knew her.

"I can honestly say that my adventure through life has not been "normal." I started my college career as a crazy freshman, getting into anything and everything. But it was when my life was in jeopardy that I realized something. Life is a gift, a time to blossom and grow. Because of this realization I have changed my outlook on life and my attitude toward the world," Robyn said.

"I am about to graduate from college; something that many thought would never come true. It has been a hard-fought battle, but I won! I am so excited and honored to go into the fast-paced world and teach the children of tomorrow. I believe that the "hard times" in my life have given me strength to strive to be the best person, sister, daughter, friend and eventually teacher that I could possibly be."



Robyn Fenstermacher takes some time out to have fun at the cafeteria.

McCrea, Justin  
McDonald, Jason  
McDonald, Jonathan  
McGlone, Ian  
McGrew, Kelly

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McGrew, Kristy  
McGuire, Shana  
McKay, Noah  
McNerney, Holly  
McNulty, Amy

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Megyesi, Joseph  
Mehle, Jesse  
Melnick, Robert  
Merico, Mandy  
Michalec, Beth

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Mills, Michael  
Montecalvo, James  
Morton, Michelle  
Murad, Mikida  
Myles, Mary

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Nelson, Kasha  
Normand, Allison  
Ochap, Steven  
Ohalek, Jennifer  
Otto, Abbey

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# Nicole Serene

During her time at Bethany College, Nicole Serene was very driven in her schoolwork. She was the scholarship member of her sorority Zeta Tau Alpha for two years and also a pitcher for the softball team.

After Bethany, she will be attending Bowling Green State University to get her MED in sport psychology. She has been offered and accepted an assistantship in the school of human movement sport, and leisure studies.

Her contract will require her to work as a teaching or research assistant for Bowling Green for nine months. The contract is for \$5,000 and the funding for her assistantship will also give her a 100 percent tuition waiver.

It looks like her hard work as scholarship chair might not have gotten Zeta the "smart cup" but it certainly helped her out.



Nicole Serene smiles just after completing her comps.

Packard, Adam

Page, Lloyd

Palmer, Kristopher

Pasquinelli, Cara

Pegg, Matthew

Peklicz, James

Petrel, James

Petrov, Georgi

Porterfield, Bradford

Powell, Derek

Puckett, Emily

Pusateri, Christopher

Raiti, Matthew

Reid, Melissa

Richardson, Kelley

Robinson, Andrew

Roche, Corey

Rodgers, Marvin

Rohm, Marlena

Romano, Stephen

Rossi, Andrew

Sacco, Abby

Scerba, Emily

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Schultz, Vaughn

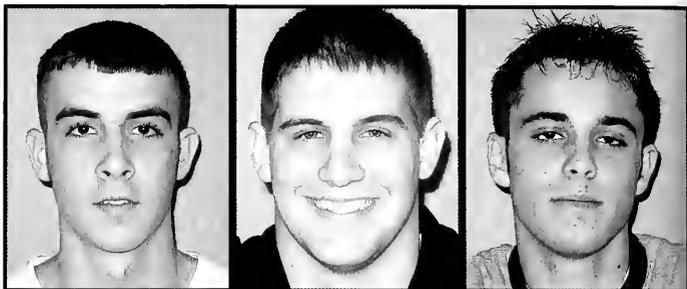
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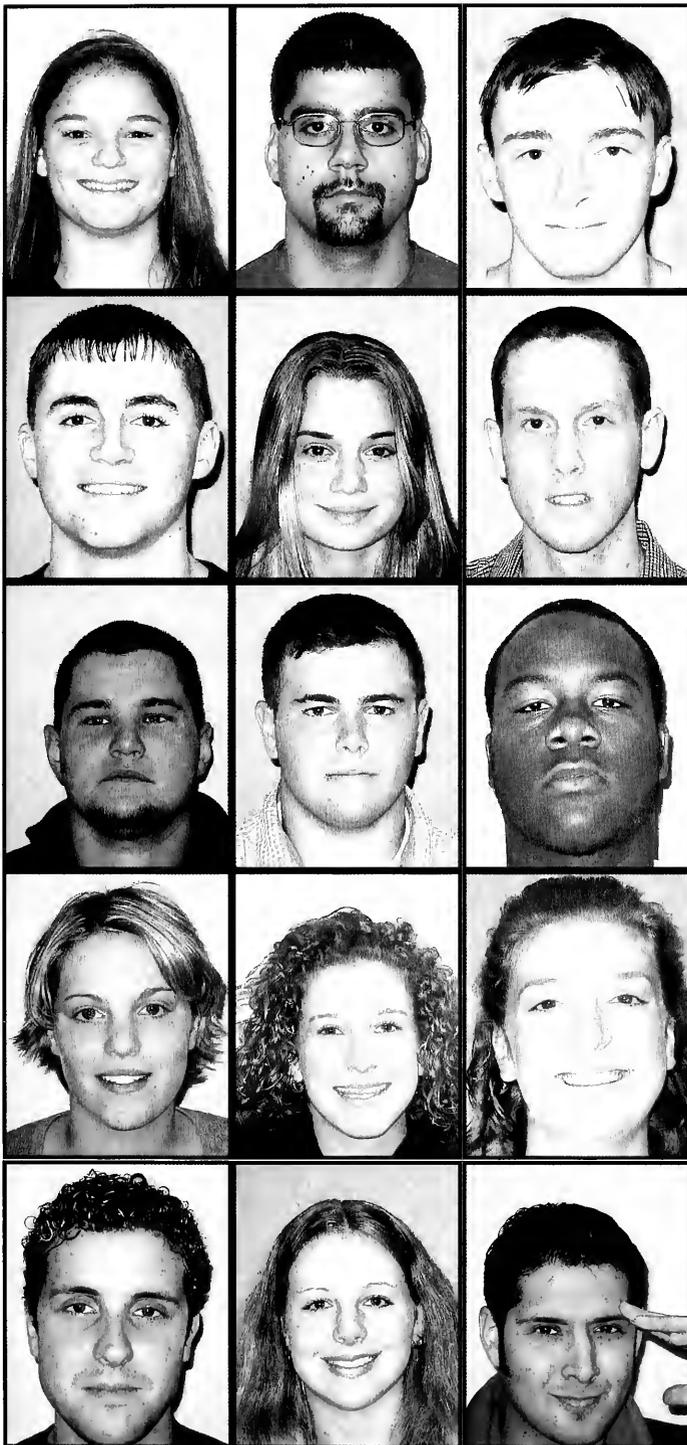
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Serdar, Vladan

Serene, Nicole

Sharma, Gaurav





# Mary Snyder



Senior Mary Snyder performs a poem by Shel Silverstein entitled "Sick." Snyder's senior project was entitled "Selections from Silverstein" and was performed April 15 through April 17. The play was a one-man show that took about three months to construct. Designing the set and creating all her own props was a very time consuming process.

Snyder said, "I'm very fortunate to be able to have such an expressive form of senior project, instead of just writing a paper. It was a lot of hard work, but it paid off in the end. It's definitely an experience I'll never forget."

The play was directed by senior Debbie Duckworth, who was also a theatre major.



Shuman, Traci  
Simon, Jacquelyn  
Skywatcher, Michael  
Skywatcher, Patricia  
Smith, Bethany  
Smith, Nathan  
Smithbauer, David



Snyder, Mary Lorene  
Soly, Steven  
Sorice, Brenda  
Spataro, Bradley  
Spencer, Shaun  
Stanley, John  
Steets, Lisa



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Sturges, Robert  
Sweeney, Jeremy  
Sypula, Sara  
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Tetzlaw, Katie  
Tomlan, Alecia

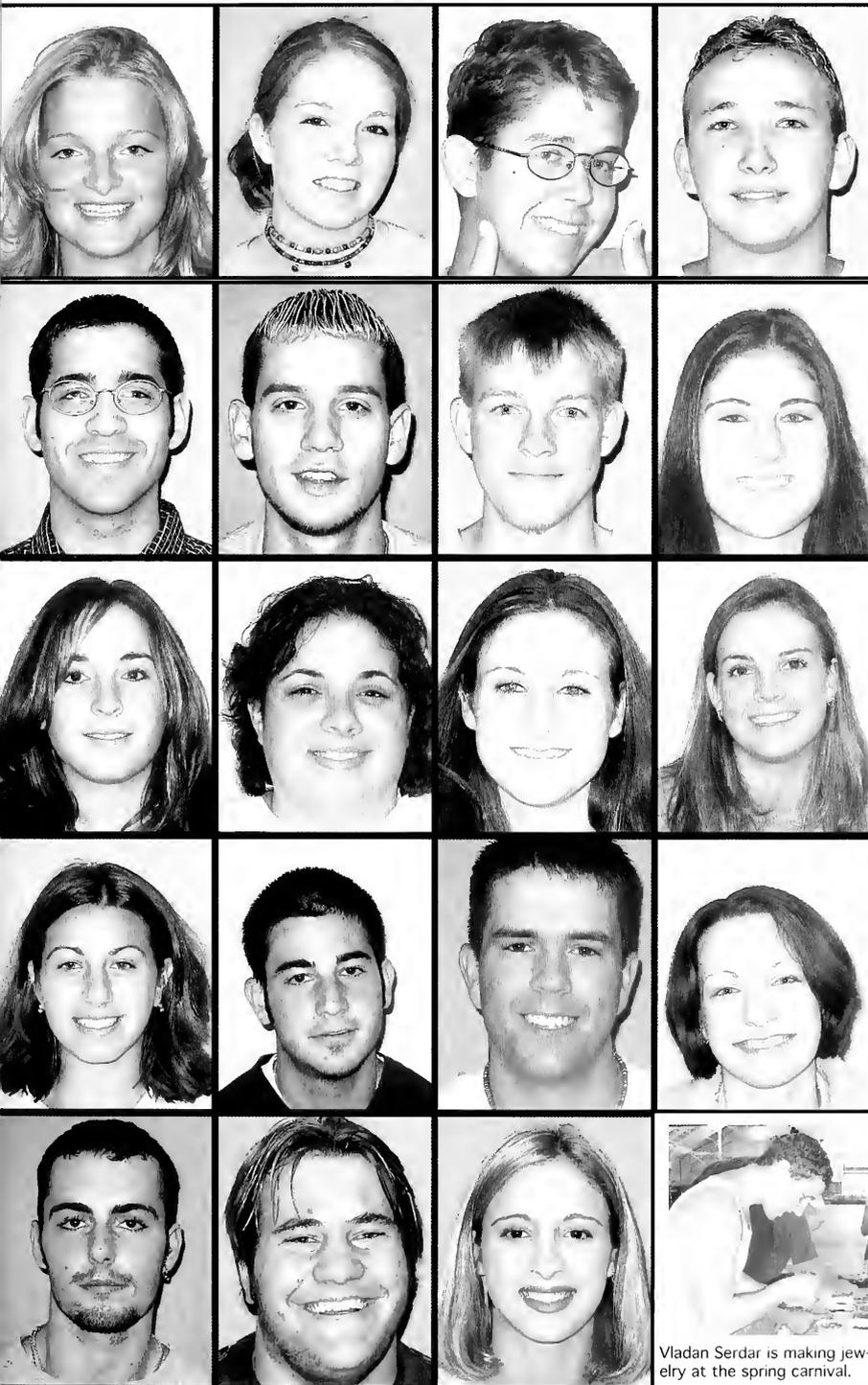


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Van Steenburg, Mark  
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Wegener, Tessa  
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Welsh, Todd  
Whitecotton, Lisa

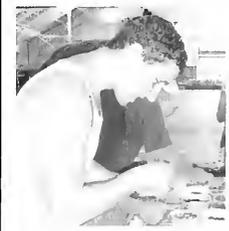


Wichrowski, Beth  
Williams, Benjamin  
Winters, Monica  
Wojtanowski, David  
Yash, Kenneth  
Young, Emily





# S E N I O R S



Vladan Serdar is making jewelry at the spring carnival.

Allen, T.  
Amos, Matthew  
Anastasio, Steven  
Anderson, Joseph  
Angelo, Charles  
Babik, Nicole  
Bah, Mamudou



Bainey, Heather  
Beekmann, Amanda  
Beeson, Eric  
Bell, Virginia  
Berg, Scott  
Bergstrom, Jennifer  
Bernard, David



Bianchin, Bryan  
Boley, Katrina  
Bota, Lucas  
Bottorff, William  
Brancazio, Brianna  
Brandebura, Brad  
Brownlee, Dana



Brush, Trevor  
Busato, Ryan  
Buxton, Joseph  
Chambers, Timothy  
Chaney, Kelly  
Chivers, Katie  
Ciccolella, Cara



Cipoletti, Thomas  
Cole, Geoffrey  
Conaway, Sean  
Conn, Bethany  
Cox, Crystal  
Crihfield, Christina  
Cunningham, Roslyn



Dankert, Brian  
Della Penna, Amanda  
Dewey, Anne  
Dice, William  
Dick, Laura  
Diffendal, Mark  
Dougherty, Ashley





Lindsey Preisendorfer works diligently at the Recreation Center. Preisendorfer is a communication major and a member of the Phi Mu sorority. Like many students on campus, Preisendorfer fulfilled her work study hours at the Recreation Center. Run by Joe Kalp, also the quarterback coach for the football team, the Rec was a great place for students to work off some sweat during the stressful school year.



Trevor Brush and Amanda Morris take a break from class for a photo. Both juniors are psychology majors. Brush is a member of the Phi Kappa Tau fraternity.

Doyle, Valerie  
Drilak, Ryan  
Drubel, Charles  
Dwyer, John  
Dzura, Mary  
Dzuris, Mark  
Eberle, Bethany

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Edwards, Benjamin  
Eimer, Chad  
Eisenhauer, Jennifer  
Elliott, Paul  
Emch, Jodi  
Feesler, Ben  
Feist, Christopher

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Findling, Michael  
Frazier, Dustin  
Fritter, Ralph  
George, Megan  
Givens, Eric  
Gray, Justin  
Greene, Patrick

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Grossmann, Natalie  
Gumm, Elisa  
Hankey, Lindsay  
Haught, Kristin  
Haught, Rochelle  
Haun, Michael  
Hicks, Kristen

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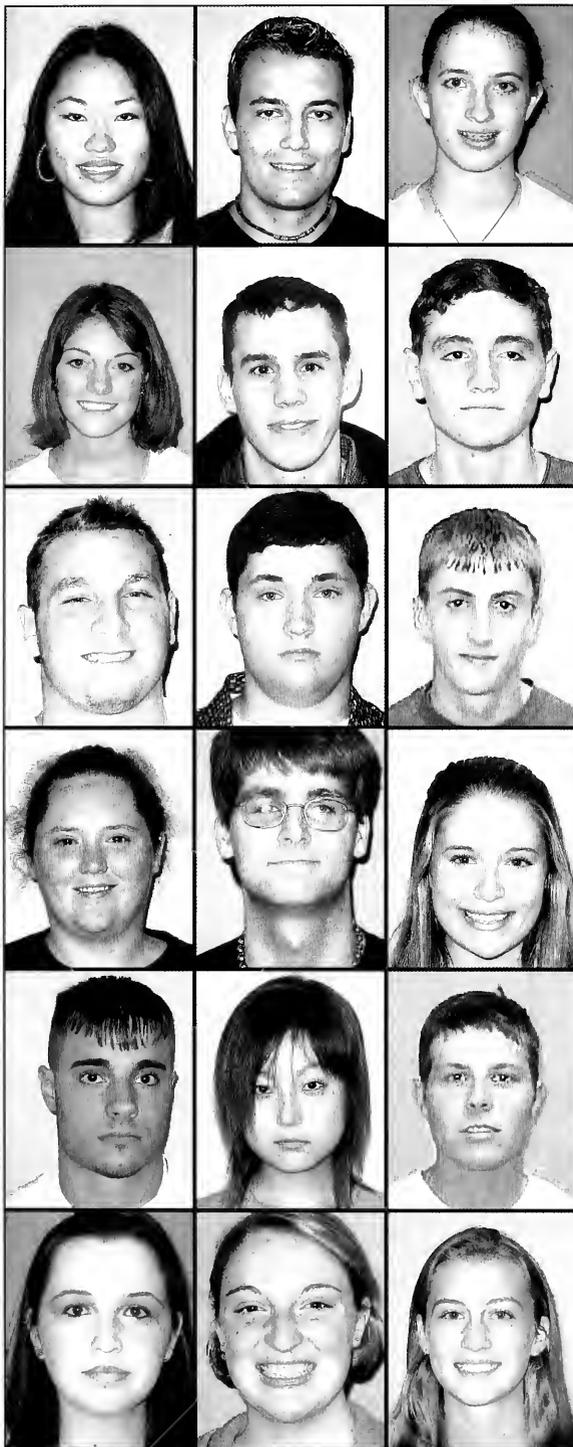
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Johnson, Kelly  
Jones, Pam  
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Julius, Ashleah  
Justice, Kimberly  
Keese, Lindsey  
Kemp, Heidi

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Junior Crystal Cox is standing in front of one of the clock faces inside the Old Main clock tower. She went up inside the tower as part of an article that Sarah Kudrin was doing about the mysteries of Bethany.



Chris Sharp and Tom Runkel are in Tampa, Fla., for the Society of Professional Journalists convention.



Missy Mansberry gets into the BC spirit, cheering the basketball team in style.

Kerber, Nicholas

King, Emily

Klipa, Zachary

Knobbe, Travis

Knopp, Nicole

Knowlson, Julie

Koshino, Yuki



Kuhn, Chad

Langer, Anton

Lioi, Melissa

Lollini, Angela

Long, Wayne

Maderia, Aaron

Majewski, Marianne



Manganello, Jessica

Mansberry, Melissa

Marton, Daniel

Mauck, Lisa

Mayernick, Amanda

McClory, Joseph

McGowan, Jacqueline



McFern, Shawn

Meredith, Jessica

Merz, Zechariah

Millner, Myasha

Moore, Carissa

Morris, Amanda

Murphy, James



Navarra, Katherine

Neptune, Kyle

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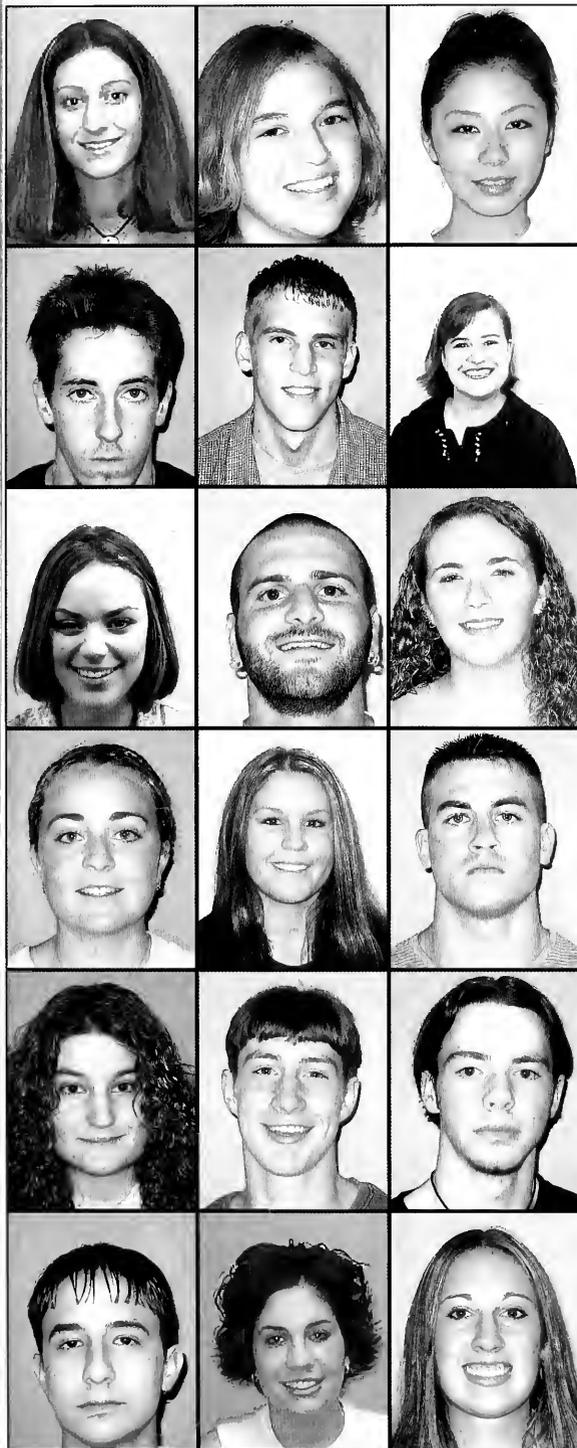
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Petrarca, Jordan

Preisendorfer, Lindsey

Resanovich, Katherine





Amanda Beekman and Ashley Daugherty show their sorority spirit.



Trish Higgenbotham, Heidi Kemp and Rob Patterson placed second in the three-person team category at an economics competition at Marietta College in Marietta, Ohio, in April.



T. "Tuna" Allen and Stefanie Parnas pause for a picture during the Greek Week events.

Riker, Stephanie  
Robinson, Sara  
Ross, Natalie  
Roupe, Leanna  
Ruggiero, Marianna  
Runkel, Thomas  
Ruppenthal, Nancy



Safran, Jesse  
Sandusky, Robin  
Saxe, Brian  
Schiefelbein, Justin  
Schumacher, Julie  
Seifert, Adam  
Setlak, Maria



Shaffer, Jessica  
Sharp, Christopher  
Shepherd, Jaime  
Sheridan, Robert  
Shimizu, Yuki  
Shuman, Robert  
Skrinjar, Michael



Slezak, Joseph  
Soly, Michael  
Stefka, Ashley  
Suzuki, Mai  
Taniguchi, Mayu  
Toshima, Kimiko  
Trbovich, Kirsten

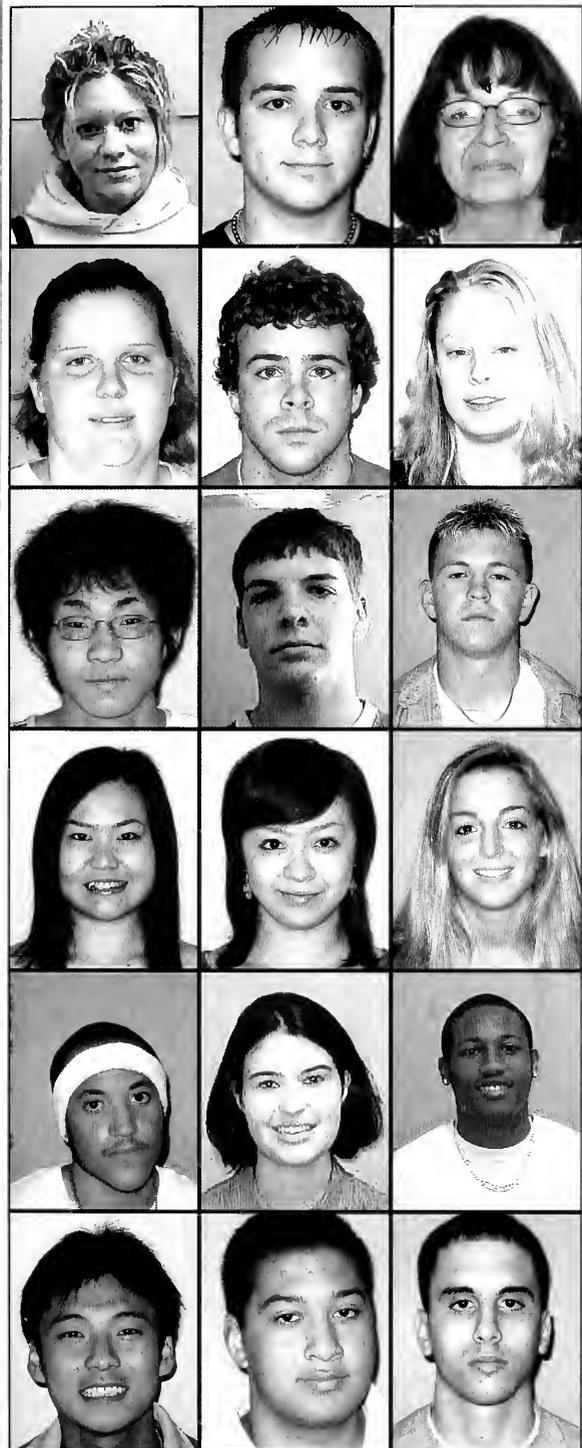


Tweedlie, Bethani  
Uhrig, James  
Vernon, Cameron  
Walkley, Joel  
Weathers, Aaron  
Wheeler, Mary  
Whitaker, Chad



White, Jacquelyn  
Williamson, Kara  
Wilson, Amanda  
Witsiepe, Heather  
Yamada, Yosuke  
Yamnitz, Carl  
Yanni, Sean





Heather Witsiepe and Angela Lollini are looking sweet in their school girl outfits.



T. "Tuna" Allen



Bethani Tweedie and Amanda Beekman are all smiles.

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Addis, Bethany  
Allen, Brett  
Anderson, Jennifer  
Anderson, Suzan  
Apodiakos, Eric  
Archer, Emma  
Bannan, Andrew  
Barnabei, Bianca



Baughman, Susan  
Bell, Rachael  
Bencivenga, Anthony  
Bengele, Bradley  
Berty, Daniel  
Betts, Christopher  
Bosley, Dustin  
Boyd, Chelsea



Brady, Matthew  
Braszo, Ivan  
Brown, Mark  
Brown, Sharon  
Brownlee, Benjamin  
Brun, Jason  
Bruno, Patricia  
Buck, Danielle



Burich, Desiree  
Burin, Jennifer  
Burke, Megan  
Byers, Adam  
Campbell, Stephani  
Caprarese, Lindsay  
Carlier, Matthew  
Carroll, Matthew



Cerullo, Brian  
Champion, James  
Chapman, Callie  
Chase, Radley  
Chesney, Tricia  
Clark, Bruce  
Clark, Christina  
Clay, Margaret  
Cline, Rebecca



Cobetto, Jacqueline  
Collett, Kellie  
Cook, Brian  
Cook, Megan  
Copeland, Andrea  
Copeland, Zachary  
Corney, Terrence





## Sophomores help move in freshmen

After a relaxing summer break, students returned to the Bethany campus for another year of working hard. Sophomores Ben Brownlee, Jessica Kearns and Stephanie Hovatter, members of Bethany Orientation Student Services (BOSS), helped new freshmen move into their dorms.

Members of BOSS helped families of freshmen unload their vehicles and transport their belongings to their assigned rooms. This hospitable service allowed new students to focus on the other important activities of the day rather than unloading their car. It also gave upperclassmen the opportunity to mingle with the new freshmen.

Adviser Angela Piverotto, Admissions, encouraged students to become involved in this unique campus activity through e-mails during the summer.



BOSS students help a freshman student's family move her belongings into Phillips Hall.

Cowser, Lindsey  
Crites, James  
Culbert, Dana  
Curtis, Aaron  
Dailer, Jacob  
D'Antonio, Michael  
Davidson, Lauren  
Deavers, Megan



Decker, Jo-Ellyn  
Deer, William  
Delguzzi, Christine  
DeSantis, Angelina  
Detwiler, Scott  
Dick, Raymond  
DiGiacinto, Meghan  
Dobrick, Matthew



Dorado, Juan  
Doyle, Michael  
Drahos, Matthew  
Drahos, Michael  
Drexler, Deborah  
Dunn, Ian  
Eastham, Kirk  
Eckenrod, Kevin



Edgar, John  
Edwards, Ian  
Emmerling, Peggy  
Eyigor, Noyan  
Fatigati, Lynn  
Felton, Nathaniel  
Fields, Karen  
Foose, Amanda



Freed, Bethany  
Furda, Amy  
Gallagher, Julia  
Gardner, August  
Gerba, Gary  
Gibbons, Ian  
Gilot, Jon-Erik  
Gittner, Kevin



Goetz, Timothy  
Goodwin, David  
Gordon, Stephanie  
Grady, Justin  
Gump, Dana  
Gump, Daniel  
Haines, Katherine  
Hammond, Jared



# Freshman Leadership Award

Sophomore Jo-Ellyn Decker was awarded the Freshman Leadership Award in September 2003. This award is given to a freshman who is active on Bethany's campus during his or her first year as a student at the college. The freshman given this award should be involved in a variety of organizations and have a suitable GPA.

The winner is chosen through an application process entailing all of their activities and an essay about why the applicant feels they should receive the award.

Being a member of Phi Mu, secretary of SGA, secretary of the German Club, FCC representative and member of the Dean's List are some of the activities that helped Decker to win the award.

Decker said, "I really appreciate the award and would like to congratulate the other nominees."



Sophomores Sarah Kudrin, Jessica Karns, Jo-Ellyn Decker, Stephanie Hovatter and junior Crystal Cox pause for a picture to congratulate their friend at Fall Convocation.



Hampton, Hank  
Happe, Stephanie  
Hardman, Andrew  
Heard, Neil  
Heaton, Bryan  
Heil, Johanna  
Heim, Matthew



Henderson, Joseph  
Henry, Annalesse  
Henry, Cara  
Hepburn, Brian  
Hopper, Kenneth  
Hovanic, Ashley  
Hovatter, Stephanie



Johnson, Brian  
Judy, Kristen  
Jugan, Scott  
Kanotz, Ashley  
Kapur, Nikhil  
Kearns, Jessica  
Kelly, Colleen



Kennedy, Joseph  
Kirby, Kelly  
Kiska, Jillian  
Korinko, Anna  
Kramer, Daniel  
Krevens, Frank  
Kudrin, Sarah

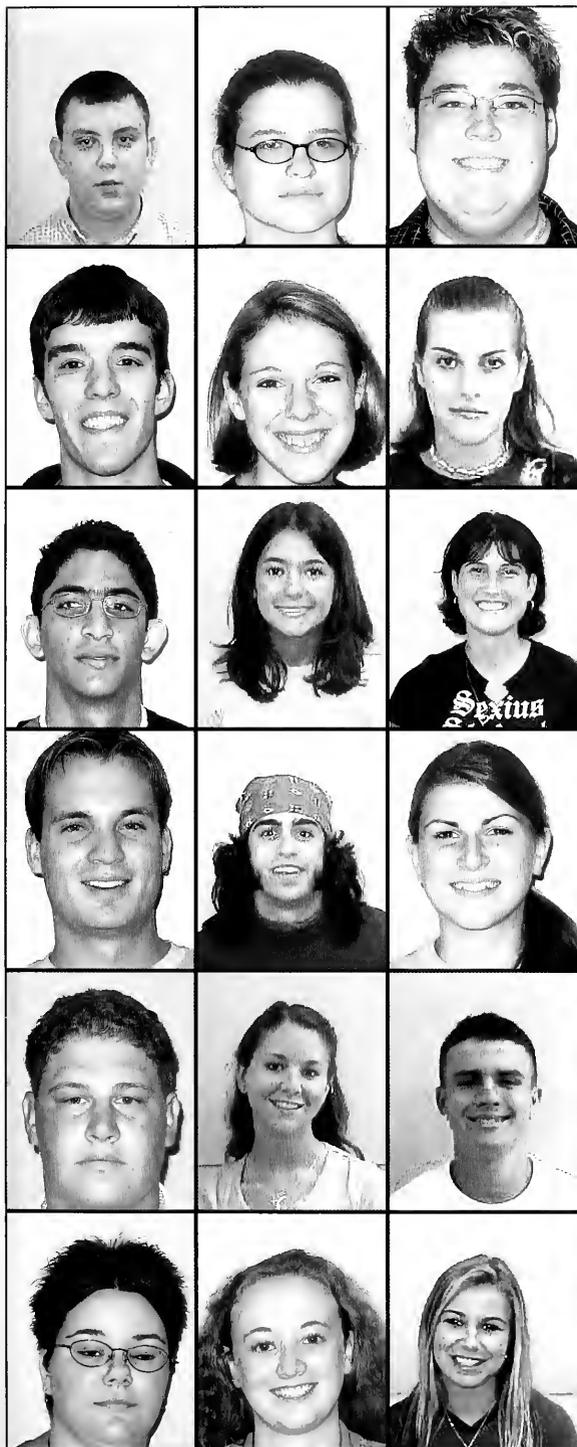


Kunkle, Jessica  
Kusich, Shaun  
Laing, Kristin  
Lance, Andrew  
Langford, Matthew  
Leatherman, Briana  
Leckenby, Brad



Lowe, Donald  
Majewski, Richard  
Martin, William  
Martinko, Holly  
Maxwell, Paula  
McAllister, Alena  
McCall, Natalie





Sophomore Donald Lowe breathes hard to give his last set all he's got. A transfer student, Lowe came to Bethany with high expectations. Lowe was a member of the football team but was injured, which prevented him from playing as much as he would have liked.

Like the other players on the football team, Lowe worked out at the Recreation Center. When football wasn't in season, the players were encouraged to work out.

In the fall semester the team had mandatory lifting sessions four days a week. In the spring the team had spring ball which helped get them ready for the next season. Lowe and the other players are looking forward to next year's season in August.



Sophomores Emma Archer and Christina Clark are hanging out at an Alpha Phi Omega picnic at adviser Ron Rice's house.

McConnaughy, Cassandra  
McCormick, Stephen  
McGann, Kevin  
McGee, Megan  
McNeish, Tara  
Meadows, Aaron  
Meeks, Timothy

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Meneely, Kelley  
Mercer, Kristan  
Merenda, Dea  
Merriner, Alyssa  
Miller, Christopher  
Mills, Christopher  
Mills, William

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Montgomery, Joshua  
Moore, Jillian  
Morley, Ann  
Morris, Matthew  
Moskey, Adam  
Murray, Bryan  
Needham, Lee Ann

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Neely, Darren  
Nicholson, Mindy  
Niziol, Robert  
Norman, Hillary  
Obenauf, Brian  
Oldham, Catherine  
Palatiello, Alexei

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Patton, Emily  
Peoples, Charles  
Phillis, Christine  
Pierson, Megan  
Place, Jennifer  
Platek, Amber  
Polantz, Joshua

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Polega, Brooke  
Porter, Timothy  
Prisuta, Jesse  
Provance, Phillip  
Pustelak, Natalie  
Raney, Patrick  
Raynovich, Katie





## Sharing the Holiday Spirit



Sophomores and freshmen living on the third floor in Phillips Hall get in the holiday spirit by holding a Christmas gift exchange.

## The Next American Idols?



Sophomores Ann Morley, Joey Williams, Kristen Workman and Dana Culbert make a music video-one of the activities at the Spring Carnival.

Reese, Michael  
Reese, Nathaniel  
Repasky, Rebecca  
Rinfret, Alexis  
Roadman, Mallory  
Rosatone, Beth  
Rose, Terri  
Samol, Justin



Sanor, Jane  
Sanzotti, Damien  
Scaggs, Christopher  
Schlumpf, Nathan  
Schubert, Jason  
Scriver, Daniel  
Senay, Chrystal  
Shehady, Renee



Shepard, Jacob  
Shepherd, Chad  
Shreve, Brandon  
Signore, Tonia  
Slack, Stacy  
Sloane, Edward  
Smith, Ashley  
Smith, Erica



Smithbauer, Matthew  
Snyder, Christina  
Soave, Christina  
Sperlazza, Eric  
Stark, Christopher  
Steele, Samantha  
Stell, Stephanie  
Stockdale, Daniel

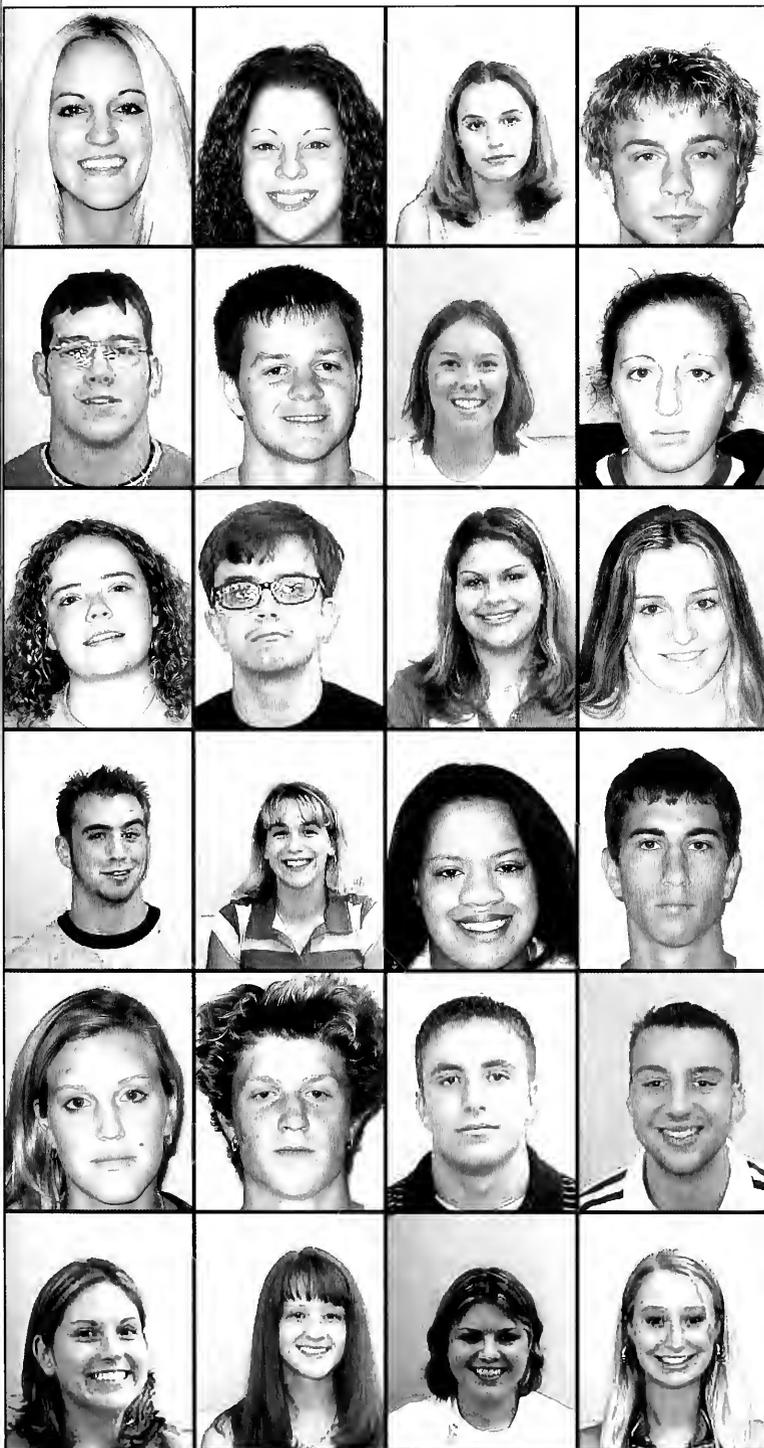


Story, Lisa  
Stover, Stormy  
Sullivan, Amanda  
Sullivan, Ryan  
Summer, Andrea  
Szypulski, Raymond  
Takah, Joshua  
Taliani, Jonathan



Thomas, Pennie  
Thompson, Ashley  
Toth, Amanda  
Traylor, Laura  
Treherne, Jennifer  
Tyers, Rebecca  
Unger, Dana  
Vansant, Meredith





Jackie Cobetto takes a break to smile for the camera.



Kristen Workman and Hillary Norman participate in the annual Dia de Los Muertos (Day of the Dead) celebration.



Left: Ashley Zoretich and Kelley Meneely perform a skit during the annual foreign language skit night.

Vavrek, Brittany  
 Vescovi, Kenneth  
 Vivirito, Ashley  
 Vlajkovich, Nicole  
 Votuc, Lindsay  
 Warren, Shannon  
 Waters, Romney



Watson, Daniel  
 Waychoff, Justin  
 Weisberger, Jeffrey  
 West, Todd  
 Williams, Carson  
 Williams, Gavin  
 Williams, Joseph



Williams, Lavel  
 Wilson, Jody  
 Win, Thetaung  
 Wineberg, Brian  
 Winnett, Megan  
 Winwood, Douglas  
 Wootton, Monica



Workman, Kristen  
 Works, Allison  
 Wright, Darriel  
 Yacoviello, Jonathan  
 Yakubik, Rachel  
 Yandrick, Michael  
 Yater, Ashley



Young, Corrina  
 Zielinski, Angela  
 Zoretich, Ashley

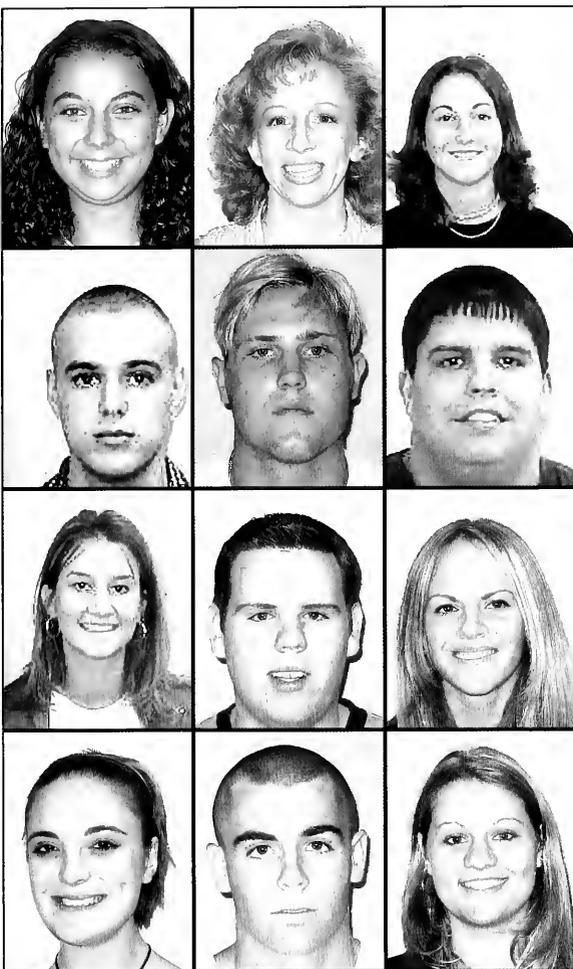


Holly Martinko, Cara Henry and Beth Addis are at the spring carnival.

Right: Natalie McCall and Katie Raynovich are ready for the Wild, Wild West. The question is, "Is the West ready for them?"



Ken Hopper runs for the cross country team.



Amanda Foose sings for the talent show held on campus that was hosted by the Student Activities Council.

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Sophomore Sarah Kudrin investigates the attic in Phillips Hall to write her mysteries of Bethany article.

Lindsay Caprarese, Alyssa Merriner, Dana Gump, Mallory Roadman, Alexis Rinfret and Natalie Pustelak are ready for some dancing and partying.

Aikins, Katie  
Ali, Jessica  
Allen, Angelina  
Anderson, Brian  
Anderson, Clifton  
Antonik, Lindsay  
Aubel, Meghan  
Aul, Natalie



Ayers, Stacie  
Babbey, Joshua  
Bartholomew, Brett  
Bashioum, Amanda  
Baumgardner, Rachel  
Bee, Jeffrey  
Bell, Daniel  
Benedict, Kurt



Bennett, Eric  
Bernacki, Stefan  
Bittner, Melissa  
Bloom, David  
Boneshefski, Jaclyn  
Botti, Vincent  
Bowman, Erik  
Braddock, Amanda



Braum, Jennifer  
Braunlich, Bryan  
Brewer, Elizabeth  
Brewer, Gregory  
Broadwater, Steven  
Buell, Loretta  
Burdette, Lindsey  
Burger, Robert

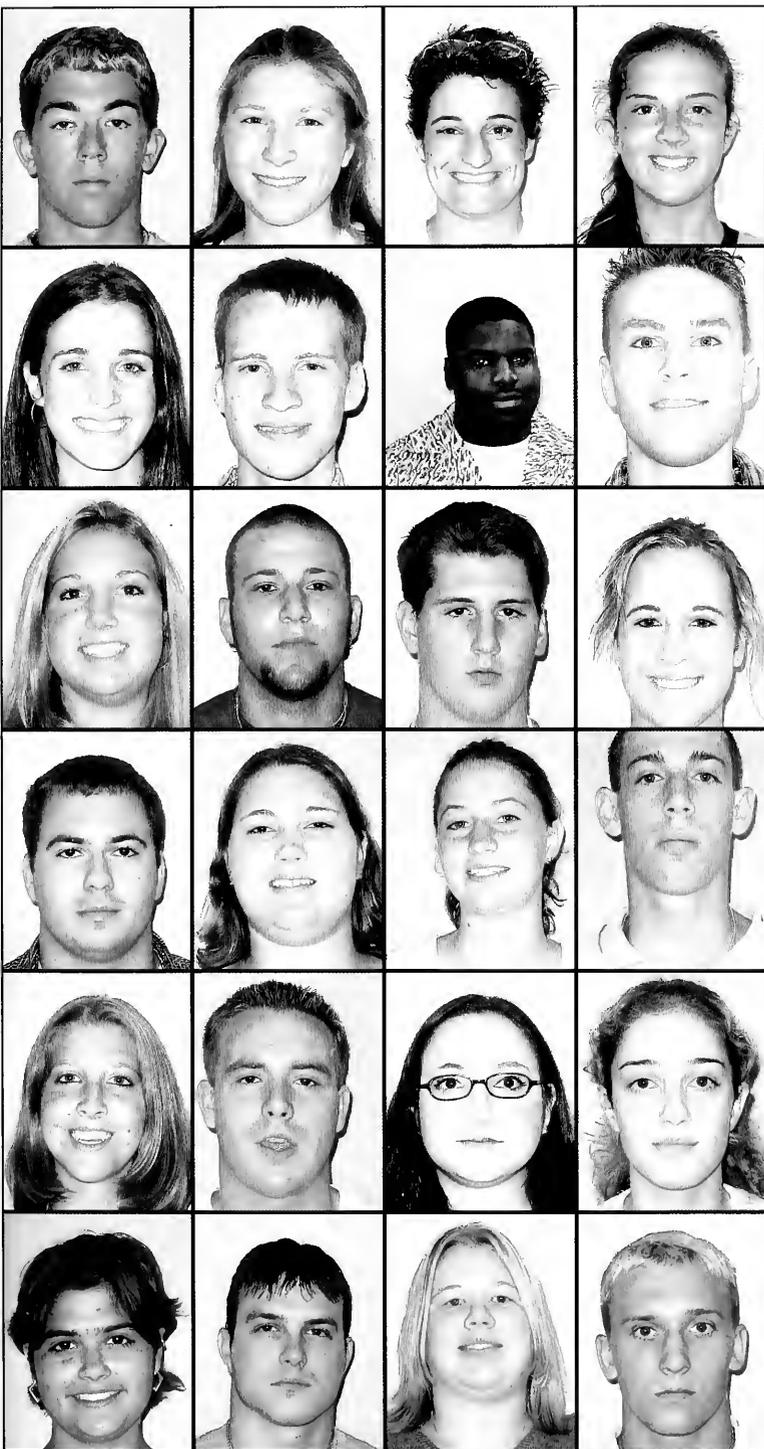


Butterworth, John  
Call, Jerad  
Callahan, Casey  
Carlile, Kelly  
Chalmers, Jennifer  
Chester, Jacob  
Chichvak, Joanna  
Coghill, Lindsey



Collett, Ashley  
Collins, Brandon  
Colussi, Gina  
Compton, Charles  
Conley, Kristi  
Cowan, Michael  
Cowden, Amy  
Crawford, Eric





Heidi Jenkins and Heather Henthorn are at a BC football game.



Laura Skelton and Linzy Turner take a moment to smile for the camera.

Culler, William  
Cullumber, Carissa  
Cummins, Zachary  
Cypert, Rebekah  
Cypher, Brendan  
DaGrava, Jessica  
Davis, Elizabeth

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Davis, Matthew  
Deep, James  
Defebo, Ashly  
DeMundo, Katherine  
DeTal, Bethany  
Dickey, Lindsay  
DiPippa, Erica

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Dobias, Rachel  
DuCoeur, Devin  
Duffy, Paul  
Duncan, Brandon  
Dylewski, Craig  
Edge, Stephen  
Elderkin, Eleni

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Elias, William  
Erdy, Kathleen  
Etzel-Hardman, Meghan  
Falbo, Lauren  
Fenton, Kara  
Ferda, Mary  
Ferda, Megan

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Fiano, Ryan  
Fink, Jessica  
Fisher, Kara  
Flaherty, Joseph  
Flatley, Daniel  
Fox, Daniel  
Franckhauser, Sara

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Franklin, Caitlin  
Franklyn, Ramon  
Frazier, Michael  
Gabel, Shanna  
Gardner, Christopher  
Garrett, Shelaine  
Gerber, Justin





Students sign the Matriculation book. Signing the book is a long-celebrated tradition of Bethany.



Freshmen Amanda Tournay, Jaclyn Boneshesfski, Jen Rickey, Rebekah Cypert and Alejandra Viveros stand outside Old Main on the day of President Poeteat's inauguration.

Geyer, Douglas  
Giovanetti, Michael  
Goletz, Andrew  
Gray, Kristy  
Groff, James  
Guerriere, Shane  
Hall, Deidra

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Hannum, Lindsay  
Hayes, David  
Hayes, Trevor  
Heard, Rodney  
Heard, Ronnell  
Henthorn, Heather  
Hill, Jamie

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Hirkala, Natalie  
Hladek, Lucas  
Housley, Sarah  
Hower, Rachel  
Hudson, Bryon  
Hunter, Seth  
Iqbal, Sabrina

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Irwin, Courtney  
Jackson, Leigh Anne  
Jackson, NaShaun  
Jeffers, Cody  
Jenkins, Heidi  
John, Megan  
Kamlowsky, Meghan

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Keathley, Abigail  
Kelly, Kimberly  
King, Stephen  
Kisak, Andrew  
Kline, Abbey  
Koglin, Robert  
Kowcheck, Tyler

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Krempasky, Stacy  
Kreuger, Kayla  
Krulock, Lindsay  
Kurpiewski, Julianne  
Kurta, Amanda  
Lanigan, Daniel  
Lastoria, Angelina





Students gear up for the fun of winter weather in Bethany.



These sisters are bad to the bone. They are Laura Skelton, Kim Strabley, Rachel Baumgardner and Sarah Reed.

Latimer, Tiffany  
Lauttamus, Jeffrey  
Lees, Gary  
Lefebvre, Michael  
Leininger, Sara  
Liggett, Sean  
Lindley, Dustin  
Lish, Brian



Longshore, Adam  
Lowe, Robert  
Lydic, Sara  
Mackey, Justin  
Macklin, Rachel  
Magerko, Rachel  
Mann, James  
Maravola, Jennifer



Martiss, Suzanne  
Masucci, Brian  
McCarron, Michael  
McCrary, Matthew  
McDonald, Megan  
McIntosh, Megan  
McLane, John  
McLane, Joseph



Migliaccio, Gary  
Miller, Jacob  
Mills, Katlin  
Moinet, Zachary  
Morgan, Joseph  
Moury, Lisa  
Mowl, Elizabeth  
Mullen, Nicole

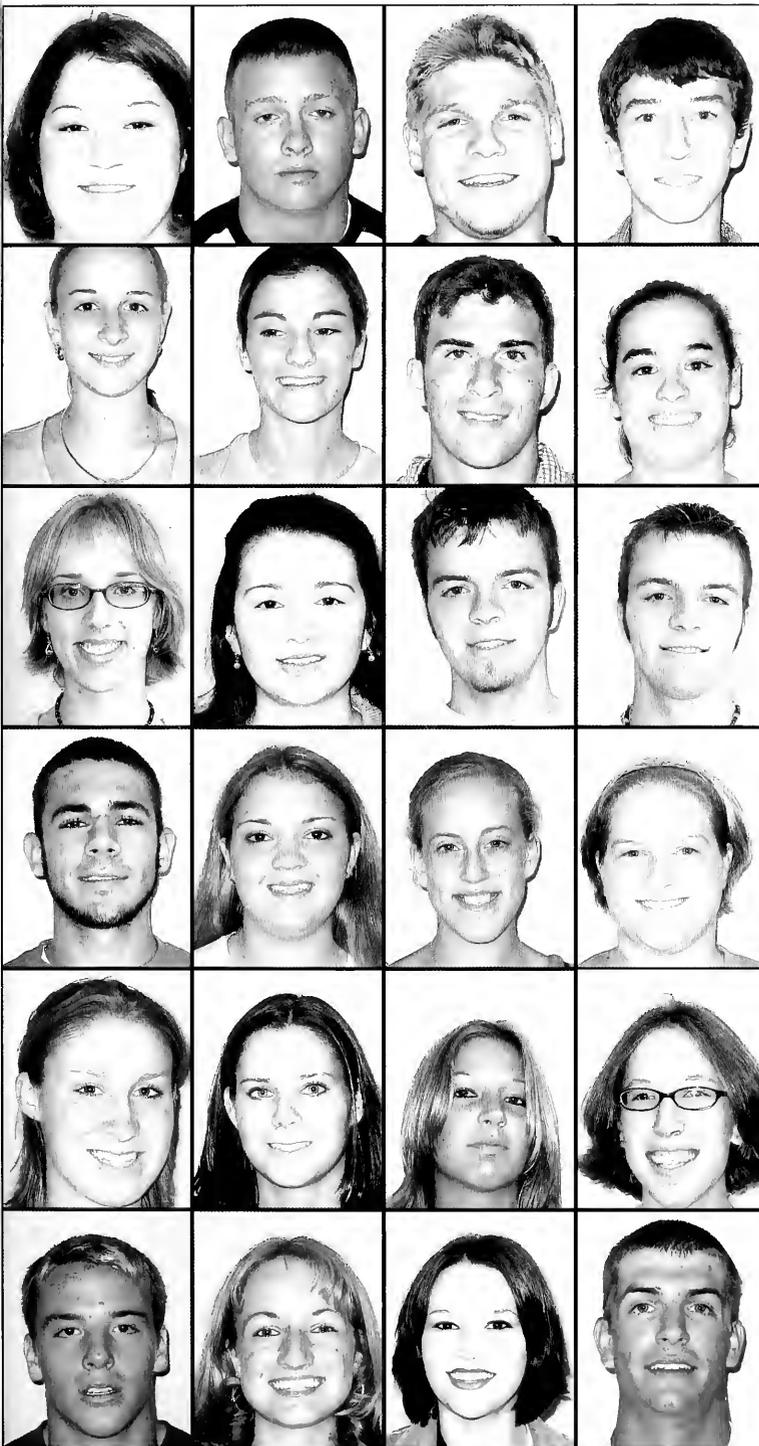


Munas, Gabrielle  
Murphy, Katie  
Murray, Patrick  
Myers, Vanessa  
Neighbarger, Tara  
Nichols, Amber  
Noll, Jessica  
Nosal, Susan



Obloy, Elizabeth  
Orban, Mary  
Page, Jenna  
Palo, Christopher  
Parker, Anthony  
Pastorius, Lindsey  
Pessin, Neely  
Petruska, Christopher





Carissa Calumber carves a pumpkin at the annual Halloween party hosted by college chaplain Sarah Webb.



Lindsey Pastorius accepts an award from Professor of Communication Russell Cook at the annual Communication Week banquet held in April.



Megan Aubel helps with the heritage day held at Campbell Mansion.

Phillippi, Dino  
Phillips, Jacob  
Pietranton, Frank  
Pietranton, Vincent  
Pistorius, Megan  
Pletcher, Tara  
Plumly, Vanessa

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Poland, Megan  
Policz, Kendra  
Reed, Sarah  
Reid, Douglas  
Reynders, Cedric  
Richards, Ashley  
Rickey, Jennifer

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Ridjaneck, Mark  
Riggle, Elexis  
Roberts, Ashlie  
Rollandini, Jobeth  
Roney, Rachel  
Rush, Ryan  
Ryan, Holly

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Sankey, Michael  
Scarsella, Abbey  
Schnader, Nicholas  
Schwertfeger, Justin  
Shannon, Cody  
Shaw, Andrew  
Shonk, Ryan

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Shough, Robert  
Simmons, Kristopher  
Simmons, Ryan  
Siwu, Lolourien  
Skelton, Laura  
Smith, James  
Smith, Kevin

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Smithberger, Jaime  
Snyder, Melissa  
Spencer, Jessica  
Sprumont, Joseph  
Spusta, Deanna  
Stenger, Laura  
Stephens, Christopher





Freshmen Sarah Reed, Kendra Policz and Casey Calahan are partying at the annual luau held in the fall on Bethany Beach.



Neely Pessin and Mary Orban at God's Acre. Let's hope this picture is really of students doing an assignment for Professor Ragan's Information Gathering class and not a mix of Bethanian mischief and evocation of the spirits.

Sticha, Phillip  
Strabley, Kimberly  
Strang, Julie  
Strano, Kimberly  
Stritmatter, Paul  
Stull, Rebecca  
Summers, Caroline



Swearingen, Matthew  
Sypula, Thomas  
Taylor, Jennifer  
Taylor, Travis  
Thorne, Laura  
Tournay, Amanda  
Trapazona, Jennifer



Trapp, Jacqueline  
Trump, Matthew  
Turner, Linzy  
Turowski, Amanda  
Udovich, Alison  
Valentino, Megan  
Vandzura, Carla



Velto, Thomas  
Verosko, Andrea  
Viveros, Alejandra  
Vossen, Sherele  
Vuchenich, Samuel  
Vujnovic, Emel  
Waite, Lindsay

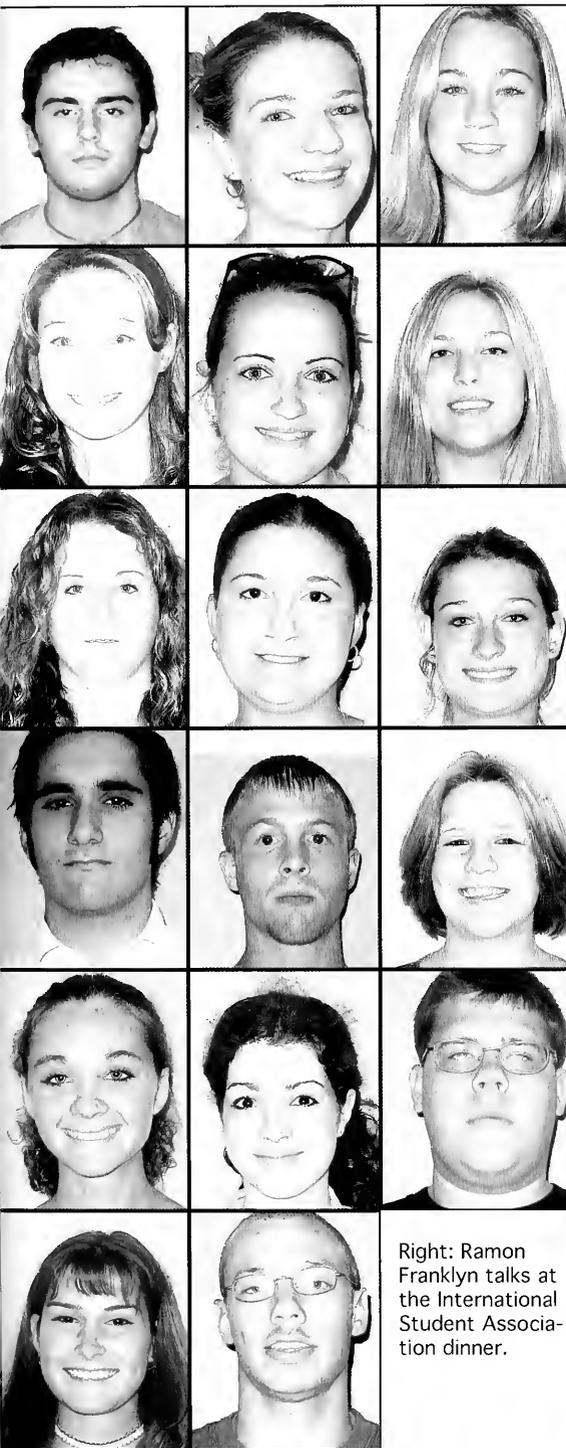


Wallace, James  
Ward, Melanie  
Whittington, Ian  
Wiercinski, Tess  
Wiggins, Bethany  
Wilding, Whitney  
Wilfong, Charles



Williams, Clayton  
Wilson, Cory  
Woods, Renae  
Wright, Courtney  
Zalaznik, Nicole  
Zinz, Stephen





Right: Ramon Franklyn talks at the International Student Association dinner.



Lindsay Dickey and Rachel Baumgardner having a night out on the town.



Abbey Scarsella is at the spring carnival.



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# Sports

## A Cut Above The Rest

All of the Bethany sports teams worked hard and had good seasons, even if they did not win every time they went out and competed. They gave it their best. Students, faculty and community members came out to support the BC teams. After all, Bethaninas have always been

— A Cut AboveThe Rest.

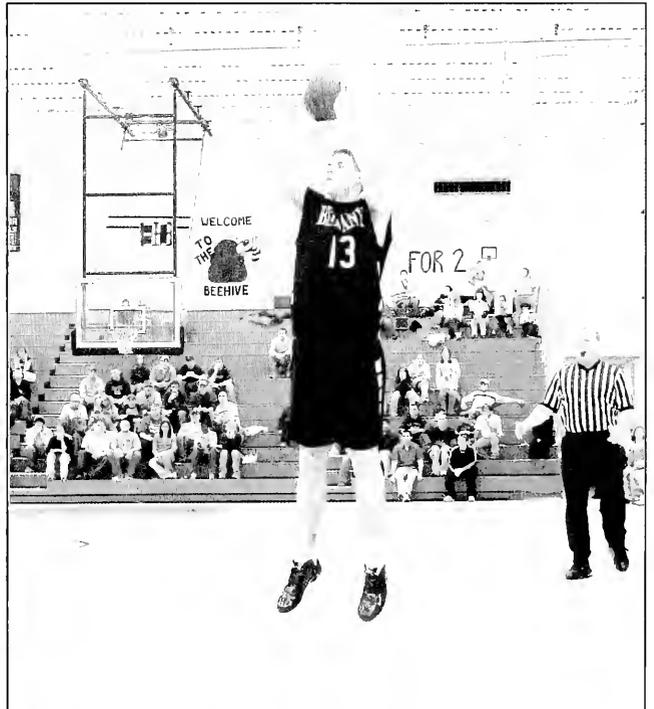


Sophomore Mallory Roadman pitches while senior Janice Masters is ready to catch the ball and get the batter out (below). Sophomore Brittany Vavrek and senior Alecia Tomlan are hanging out at the football field before a game (bottom left). Junior Eric Beeson prepares to return the serve (above).





Sophomore Joe Kennedy is cheering the soccer team on (bottom left). Bethany baseball player winds up for the pitch (above left.) Bethany students take time from cheering the football team on to smile for the camera (above).



Sophomore Matt Drahos goes for the shot.

# Football

The season began in the brutal August heat and looked positive. With key players coming back, Coach Chris Snyder had high hopes for the Bison. With the loss of running back Will Anderson, and quarterback Jeremy Lacaria, the inexperienced Bisons had big shoes to fill. It started early in camp when running back J. K. Murphy went down with a foot injury and escalated in the first few games of the season with injuries to quarterbacks Brian Winebert and Sean Yanni.

Though the Bison youngsters stepped in to do an admirable job, it was not enough to compete with the more experienced PAC teams. Although the Bison finished the season with a 1-9 record, the team was looking forward to next season.

## SCORES

Home	Carnegie Mellon	L 24-38
Away	Kenton	L 17-27
Home	Wolster	L 7-69
Away	Grove City	L 3-17
Home	Wynesturg	L 0-42
Home	Westminster	L 0-33
Away	Washington & Jefferson	L 3-38
Away	Thiel	L 14-42
Home	Newport News Apprentice	W 30-6A
Away	McDaniel	L
Record 1 - 9		



Above: Team work is key! The 2003 Bethany College football team huddles together during a home game at Hummel Field. The Bison team completed the season with a 1-10 record despite valiant efforts.

Right: After receiving a punt return, senior corner back Ryan Nohe heads down the field. Nohe was a two time All-PAC player. "Ryan is a high energy player," recalled Coach Snyder.



Left: Splish, Splash. Senior tight end and three-year starter Pat Crossey along, with defensive line backer senior Steve Ochap pour water on Coach Snyder after a home game against Apprentice.



Below: Two-year kicker Paul Barsotti blasts the ball. Coach Chris Snyder commented, "Paul took over the full-time kicking duties last season and has worked hard to improve his skills."



Left: Guts and glory! Senior defensive back Nick Lion takes a break during a home game. Lion was a three year starter for the Bison team.

Above: The Bison football team strategizes their next game plan along with head coach Chris Snyder and first year coach Scott Gasper. Gasper assisted the Bison wide receivers.

**All PAC First Team:**  
 Ryan Nohe: Senior Cornerback

**All PAC Second Team:**  
 Steve Ochap: Senior Linebacker  
 Mike Mills: Senior Defensive Line  
 Nick Lion: Senior Defensive Back  
 Pat Crossey: Senior Tight End

**All PAC Honorable Mentions:**

Chris Betts: Sophomore Offensive Line  
 Paul Barsotti: Senior Kicker  
 Chad Eimer: Senior Wide Receiver  
 Mark Brown: Junior Defensive Line  
 Tim Geotz: Sophomore Linebacker  
 Mike Skrinjar: Junior Linebacker

**When asked about the season:**

Nick Lion said, "Even though the season wasn't as successful as I wanted it to be, I still enjoyed all of the great times I had with my teammates."

Mike Mills said, "It was the best of times and it was the worst of times. Even

though our team wasn't as successful as we had hoped, I had a lot of great times and I will cherish the memories for a long time."

# Life and Swing

The team did outstanding at PACs. They came in second place. Mallory Roadman and Tiffany Baumgart were both first team ALL PAC while Kristy McGrew was second team. Mallory was also named Academic All American for her performance at the NCAA Regional Championship. Mallory got this honor by placing in the top 25 percent and having a 3.5 GPA or better.

Senior Tiffany Baumgart said one of her favorite memories was how the coach referred to her and the McGrew sisters as "triumverant." This was because they ran cross country together all four years at Bethany; the three would always be hanging and working out together. She said nothing could compare to Coach McGowan wearing a windsuit that resembled candy corn at PACs.

Coach McGowan was a big part in every runner's experience. The team had some favorite Coach McGowan lines: "Last one, fast one!" "The girl behind you has your t-shirt!" "Lift and Swing! Lift and Swing!"



## SCORES

Away	Westminster Invitational	2nd/4 teams
Away	Thiel Invitational	5th/9 teams
Away	Pitt-Johnstown	W 27-28
Away	Marietta Invitational	10/14 teams
Away	St. Vincent Invitational	3rd/9 teams
Away	Mount Union Invitational	6th/6 teams
Away	Carnegie Mellon Invitational	8th/ 15 teams
Away	Waynesburg Invitational	2nd/ 6 teams
	PAC Championships	
	2nd Place/ 54 pts.	



Above: Women's Cross Country Team: Front Row: Mallory Roadman, Kristy McGrew and Alexis Rinfret. Back Row: Dana Culbert, Kelly McGrew, Tiffany Baumgart, Amber Platek and Ashley Hovanic.

Right: Alexis Rinfret and Kristy McGrew race to the finish line near the front of the pack.





Sophomore Mallory Roadman is far ahead of the rest. Mallory was PAC runner of the week four times during the season.

The women get themselves ready for the miles to come as they line up with other teams at the starting line.



Left: Alexis Rinret from Holmes County, Ohio leads the race as she proves that practice pays off.

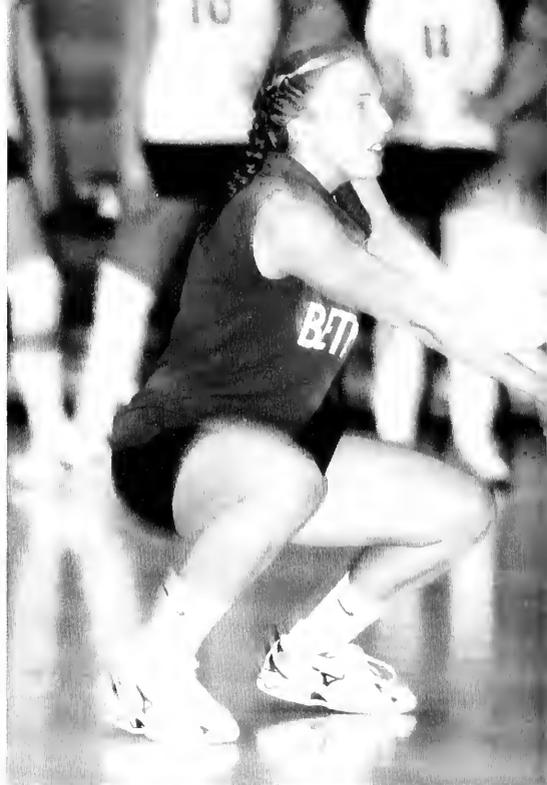
Above: The women are all smiles after running a hard race for several miles and take time to pose for the camera.

# Face

The volleyball team knows the meaning of the word "attitude." Although they faced a few setbacks and tough opponents, this team worked hard to prove that they were there to win. From their spikes to their serves, these women perfected their skills in long and hard practices.

Most of the members of this team have been honing their skills since middle school. Their dedication to the sport was obvious. But after all, it's so hard to say goodbye to yesterday.

Sophomore Peggy Emmerling said, "This team has come a long way and we won the first tournament ever in the history of Bethany volleyball (the Oberlin Tournament)."



## SCORES

Away	Oberlin Tournament (Oberlin)	W 3-0
	Olivet	W 3-0
	Pitt-Greensburg	W 3-0
	Grove City	W 3-1
Home	Malone	L 0-3
Away	Kenyon	L 0-3
Away	Penn State Behrend Tournament	
	St. Vincent	L 0-3
	Washington & Jefferson	L 2-3
	Penn State Behrend	W 3-0
Away	Westminster	W 3-2
Away	Roche Tournament (LaRoche)	W 3-1
	Madecaille	W 3-1
	Penn State Behrend	W 3-1
Home	Westminster	L 2-3
Home	Bethany Quad Match	
	Denison	L 0-3
	Hiram	L 0-3
Away	Grove City	L 1-3
Away	Waynesburg	L 0-3
Home	Chatham	W 3-1
Home	Washington & Jefferson	L 1-3
Home	Thull	L 2-3
Home	Pitt-Greensburg	W 3-0
Home	Grove City	L 1-3
Home	Waynesburg	L 1-3
Away	Washington & Jefferson	L 1-3
Away	Thull	L 1-3
Away	FAC Tournament	
	Westminster	L 0-3
	RECORD 12 - 16	



Above: Front Row: Jen Matovich, Alecia Tomlan, Abby Otto, Rebecca Cline and Linzy Turner. Second Row: Brittany Vavrek, Katie Critchfield, Shae Baxter, Peggy Emmerling and Lindsey Cowser. Back Row: Leah Brock, Angelina Allen, Amanda Bashoum, Amanda Turkowski and Kristy Gray.

Right: The girls rally to get psyched for the big game. With a 12 and 17 record, this was something fans could catch the girls doing before every game.



Left: Jennifer Matovich dives to make the save. Looking toward the future freshman Linzy Turner said, "I'm really looking forward to next year."

Below: Brittany Vavrek makes a warm-up serve. "We looked really good at the beginning of the season, but as the season went on we faced tough competition."



# Statistics

Kills: 1344

Assists: 1215

Aces: 151

Digs: 1212

Solo Blocks: 167

Assisted Blocks: 235

Total Blocks: 284.5

Abby Otto, a senior outside hitter, was named to the All-PAC second team after the season.

Shae Baxter, senior outside hitter, was an Honorable Mention All-PAC pick.



Brittany Vavrek finished the season ranked second in the PAC with an average of 10.44 assists per game.

Abby Otto and Peggy Emmerling were second and third in the conference for blocks, averaging 1.14

and 1.08 per game, respectively.



Left: Peggy Emmerling blocks the spike. Reflecting on the season she said, "All teams have their ups and downs. No matter what we always had fun and played as a team. I am extremely looking forward to next year because we have a great group of girls coming back!"

Above: The women take some time out of practice and the stress of their season for a goofy team photo. Senior Leah Brock said, "Even though our season didn't turn out as we'd hoped, we still accomplished a lot together, and we won our first tournament in the school's history."

# Exhausting Competition

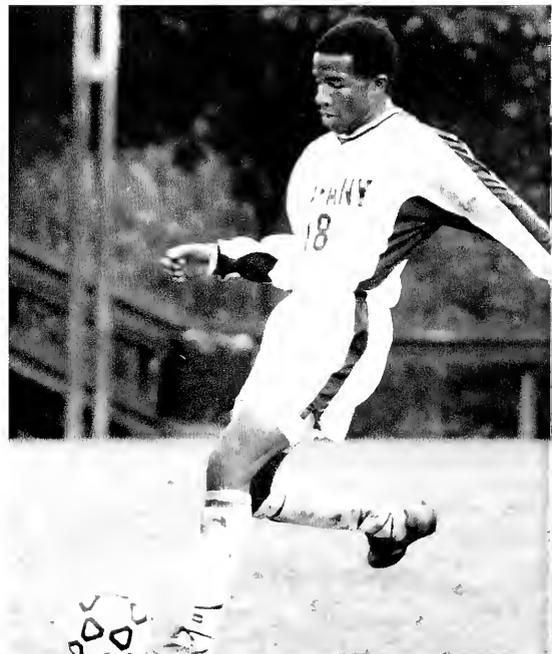
"Mass genocide is the most exhausting activity one can engage in next to soccer." -Matt Damon, in "Dogma."

The men's soccer team knows how exhausting soccer can be. After long, strenuous hours on the field this summer, the team was ready to show opponents that dedication really does pay off.

Nursing the loss of a talented graduating class, the team was eager to prove their talents. With the help of Coach Koz (Mouratidis), the men improved their game throughout the season. Although they suffered some disappointing losses, the team maintained a hopeful attitude.

## SCORES

Away	Ohio Wesleyan Tournament	L 0-4
Away	Washington & Jefferson	L 0-2
Away	Greensboro Tournament Greensboro	L 0-4
Away	Greensboro Tournament Piedmont	L 0-3
Home	Thell	T 1-1
Away	Grove City	L 1-6
Home	Grove City	L 1-2
Home	Frostburg State	L 1-3
Away	Wilmington	L 0-6
Home	Geneva	L 1-4
Home	Waynesburg	W 5-0
Away	Thell	T 2-2
Home	Fenn State Behrend	L 1-2
Away	Waynesburg	W 2-1
Home	Westminster	L 1-2
Away	Washington & Jefferson	L 1-3
Home	Lafayette	T 0-0
Away	Westminster	T 1-1
Home	Pitt-Greensburg	L 1-4
Home	FAC Tournament Waynesburg	
	RECORD 2-14-4	



Above: Front Row: Jim Man, Mike Sankey, Brian Cerullo, Kenny Vescovi, Patrick Raney, Damien Sanzotti, Adam Seifert, Jimmy Hershner, James Groff, Corey Wilson and Ryan Fiano. Back Row: Coach Shey Maguire, Ramon Franklyn, Brad Porterfield, Ben Peoples, Luke Hladek, Dan Stockdale, Mark Dzurns, Dave Weibe, Lavel Williams, John Dwyer, Nick Krayvo, Andrew Robinson, Zach Klipa, Joe Megyesi and Coach Kosmas Mouratidis.

Right: Sophomore Lavel Williams blasts away the free kick. Lavel came to Bethany from Ontario, Canada, and was the leading scorer on the team during the season as well as the leader in total points.

# Statistics

Leading Goal Scorer: Lavel Williams

Leading Assists: Dave Weibe

Leading Total Points: Lavel Williams, Jimmy Hershner and Dave Weibe

Leading Shots on the Goal: Jimmy Hershner and Dave Weibe

Leading Saves: Adam Seifert

Sophomore Lavel Williams and seniors Nick Krayvo and Dave Weibe were named to the All-PAC First Team.

Senior goalie Adam Seifert and Jimmy Hershner were Honorable Mentions to the All-PAC team.

The Bison finished with a 3-15-4 overall record and 3-6-3 in the PAC. They advanced to the semifinals of the PAC Championships by defeating Waynesburg.

When asked about the season players replied:

Lavel Williams: "To be a true champion, you must understand the feeling of loss, then and only then will you truly understand the meaning of being a champion."

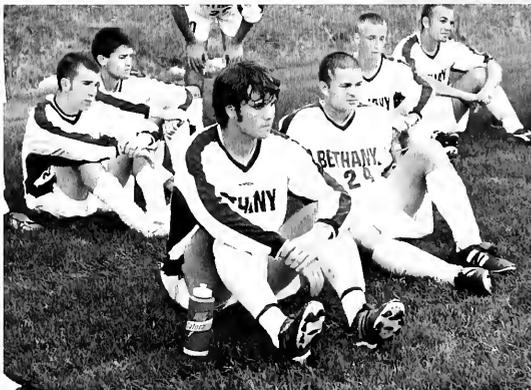
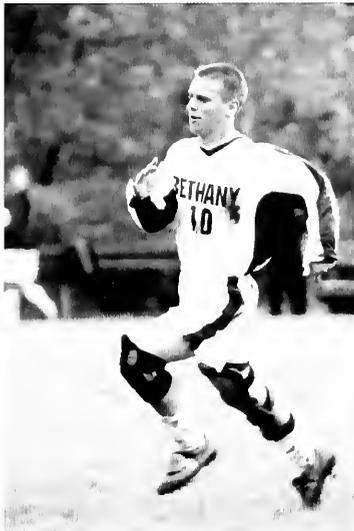
Ramon

Franklyn: "We had a rough season, but the PAC championships are in our blood, so watch out for next year."

Dan Stockdale: "It wasn't the perfect season, but with hard work, I'm hoping next year will be better."

Left: Goalie Adam Seifert kicks away the ball. Seifert had a great season and was named Honorable Mention to the All-Pac team. He led the team with 93 saves.

Below: Ryan Fiano chases a defender. As a freshman, Fiano made four goals and had three assists and one unassisted goal as he played a large role in the team's wins.



Left: Sophomore Dan Stockdale makes a break for the goal. The team scored only 19 goals on the season. They had a record-breaking 273 fouls and managed 107 saves, while their opponents had a total of 104 saves against them.

Above: The team reflects on the match they played. Although the Bison's season was not perfect, Coach Mouratidis worked on recruiting athletes who would take them back to their elite status in the country.



# Practicing

## Pays Off

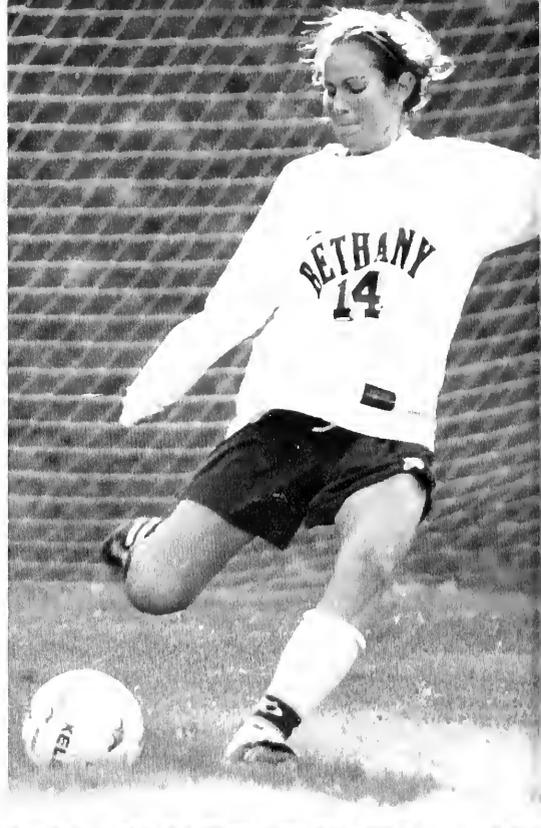
The women's soccer team was in full-force in the Fall. They came out rockin' with energy and skill and finished the season with the same enthusiasm and a better understanding of their sport and how to work as a team. After practicing in the stifling summer heat, they brought together all the things they had learned to become a force to be reckoned with.

The first-year players stepped up to fill the shoes of those who had graduated. Memories of high school soccer still fresh in their minds, they contributed much heart and will to a winning team spirit. Taking up the leadership positions, the experienced seniors provided guidance and encouragement to the young team.

Overall, the team had a decent season. Although they did endure some disappointing losses. The girls made the best of a growing year and looked forward to coming out strong again next season.

### SCORES

HOME	Marietta	L 0-3
HOME	Greensburg	L 0-1
HOME	Thiel	L 0-3
HOME	Dacmon	L 0-2
Away	Westminster	T 1-1
HOME	Waynesburg	L 0-1
Away	Washington & Jefferson	L 0-4
HOME	Penn State Behrend	L 0-4
HOME	La Roche	L 1-4
HOME	Greve City	L 0-3
HOME	Westminster	W 1-0
Away	Waynesburg	L 0-2
HOME	Washington & Jefferson	W 2-1
Away	Thiel	L 0-2
HOME	Fristburg State	
Away	Greve City	



**Above:** Front Row: Brianna Brancazio, Cara Pasquinnelli, Pennie Thomas, Megan Maloney, Mary Urban, Andrea Summer, Lindsey Coghill. **Back Row:** Maggie Kuhn, Katie Mills, Abby Sacco, Erica Jackson, Anne Dewey, Rachel Baumgardner, Amanda Tournay, Lisa Claus, Jennifer Burin and Coach Stuart Bacher.

**Right:** Junior Midfielder Brianna Brancazio, one of the team's top goal scorers, makes a stellar move against her defender on her way to the goal.



Left: Senior Defender and Team Leader Lisa Claus makes a move against a defender. Claus was named to the Second Team All-PAC.

Below: Sophomore Forward Pennie Thomas dribbles past her defenders leaving her the option to pass to her teammate or shoot a goal.



The Bison defeated Thiel in the first round of the PAC Championships, but lost to Grove city in the Semifinals.

When asked about the season, the girls replied .....

Megan McGee: "Though it was a tough season, we plan to work hard to get better for next year."

Ashley Vivirito: "We had a lot of good players, but just couldn't put it together, so we will just call it a rebuilding year."

Maggie Kuhn: "We had a tough year, but it's not because we lack ability, we just didn't live up to our potential."

Left: Senior Goal Keeper Maggie Kuhn is defending the net. At the end of the season Kuhn had the honor of being named to the First Team All-PAC team.

Above: Prior to the game, Coach Stewart has the girls do a warm up jog. This helped them to get a good stretch and to prepare their legs for a hard fought game.



# Statistics

Leading Goal Scorer: Megan Maloney

Leading Assists: Megan Maloney, Jennifer Burin, Erica Jackson and Abby Sacco

Leading Points for the Season: Megan Maloney

Leading Saves: Maggie Kuhn

Leading Shots on the Goal: Jennifer Burin

Maggie Kuhn, a senior goalie, was a First Team All-PAC recipient.

Cara Pasquinelli and Lisa Claus were named to the Second Team All-PAC.

Abby Sacco was an honorable mention to the All-PAC.

# Women's

# Basketball

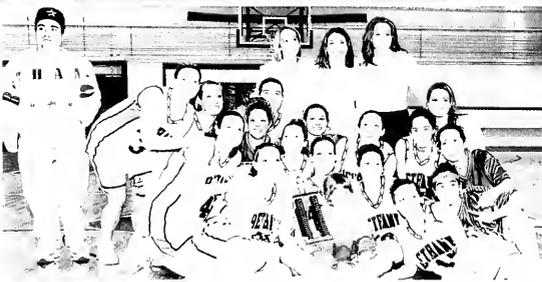
The women's basketball team started the season off with high hopes. With a lot of players returning from last year's squad, the ladies were ready to play. They posted a 23-5 record overall and a 10-0 conference record.

After running through the PAC with ease, the ladies were invited to the NCAA Division 3 playoff. In the first round of playoffs, they lost an exciting game against Christopher Newport.

## SCORES

Away	Capital Tournament/Capital	W 68-64
	Capital Tournament/Alma	L 77-72
Home	Penn State Behrend	W 82-58
Home	Ottobain	L 85-67
Away	Pitt-Greensburg	L 92-85
Home	Bethany Tournament/Casa Western Reserve	W 82-64
	Bethany Tournament/Thomas Mcg	W 71-65
Home	Allegheny	W 65-62
Away	Muskingum	L 88-78
Home	LaRoche	W 85-46
Away	Great Bahamas Shootout/Hamilton	W 80-58
Away	Junata	W 75-64
Away	LaRoche	W 81-63
Away	Grove City	W 72-65
Away	Waynesburg	W 67-58
Home	Washington & Jefferson	W 63-40
Home	Thiel	W 82-48
Away	Westminster	W 82-64
Away	Ohio Eastern	W 66-44
Home	Grove City	W 52-46
Home	Waynesburg	W 89-63
Away	Washington & Jefferson	W 87-74
Away	Thiel	W 76-55
Home	Westminster	W 82-67
	PAC Tournament/Grove City	W 59-54
	FAC Tournament/Washington & Jefferson	W 83-74
	NCAA Tournament/Christopher Newport	L 61-60

RECORDED 22-5



Above: The team gathers together for a picture after the PAC championship game. The championship trophy is proudly displayed as it is returned to Bethany.

Right: Senior Captain Kelley Richardson shoots a layup. Kelley led the team and league in scoring.





Left: Senior Guard Katie Tetzlaw celebrates as she cuts down the net after capturing the PAC Championship.

Below: Sophomore Renee Shehady, getting a lot of game time, dribbles down court looking to set up the offense.



# Statistics

	Bethany	Opp.
<b>SCORING</b>	2070	1756
Points per game	73.9	62.7
Scoring margin	+11.2	-
<b>FIELD GOALS-ATT</b>	700-1688	656-1689
Field goal pct	.415	.388
<b>3 POINT FG-ATT</b>	200-543	136-436
3-point FG pct	.368	.312
3-pt FG made per game	7.1	4.9
<b>FREE THROWS-ATT</b>	470-652	308-474
Free throw pct	.721	.650
<b>REBOUNDS</b>	1157	1059
Rebounds per game	41.3	37.8
Rebounding margin	+3.5	-
<b>ASSISTS</b>	456	366
Assists per game	16.3	13.1
<b>TURNOVERS</b>	467	520
Turnovers per game	16.7	18.6
Turnover margin	+1.9	-
Assist/turnover ratio..	1.0	0.7
<b>STEALS</b>	253	218
Steals per game	9.0	7.8
<b>BLOCKS</b>	74	62
Blocks per game	2.6	2.2
<b>ATTENDANCE</b>	4017	3381
Home games-Avg/Game	14-287	11-286
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	3-77



Left: Junior Guard Nikki Babik, a three-point specialist, puts up yet another big three-point shot for the score.

Above: Seniors Kelley Richardson, Katie Hardie, Katie Tetzlaw, and Shannon Boyle hold the championship trophy.

SCORE BY PERIODS:	1st	2nd	OT	Total
Bethany	1033	1024		15
Opponents	809	920	27	1756

# A Winning

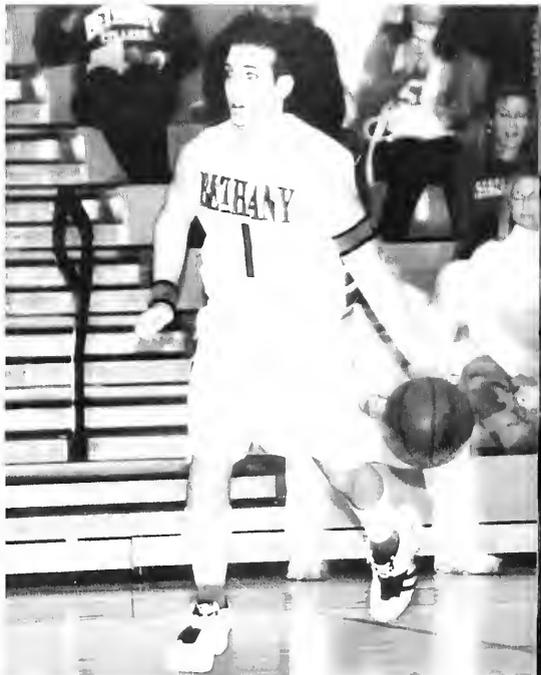
## Tradition

Men's basketball had a great season with Coach Aaron Huffman on the sidelines. The Bison ended the season with an 18 and 9 record, and they finished second in the PAC behind Westminster College. Sophomores Matt Drahos and Mike Drahos made the PAC first team. Mike Drahos was named PAC Player of the Year. The Bison were number one in the PAC for the most points of a rebounding offense as well as blocked shots.

With all the success the young Bison had throughout the season, it was a disappointment to finish the season with a loss in the PAC championship game. Freshman Jim Deep said, "With the disappointing loss to Westminster, we realized how good we can be, but in order to accomplish our goals next season we must work hard this off season. We are young and very talented. Bison fans can expect great things out of this team in the near future."

### SCORES

Away	Capital Tournament Capital	66-86
Away	Capital Tournament Alma	102-100
Home	Pitt-Greensburg	88-77
Home	Notre Dame (OH)	80-75
Away	Wendy's Classic Wheeling Jesuit	74-109
Away	Wendy's Classic Ohio-Eastern	110-93
Away	Mount St. Joseph's	61-85
Away	D'Youville	61-51
Away	Hiram	81-65
Away	Oberlin	70-78
Home	Medaille	109-78
Home	Lancaster Bible	95-66
Away	LaRoche	69-66
Away	Grove City	68-51
Away	Waynesburg	82-74
Home	Washington & Jefferson	90-64
Home	Thiel	88-74
Away	Westminster	81-103
Away	Penn State-Altoona	85-91
Home	Grove City* (Alumni Game)	80-72
Home	Hood	93-90
Home	Waynesburg	74-65
Away	Washington & Jefferson	87-85
Away	Thiel	63-64
Home	Westminster	95-99
Home	PAC Semifinals Grove City	78-71
Away	PAC Championship Westminster	95-99



Right: Freshman Jimmy Deep dribbles down the court searching for a teammate to pass to as the clock runs down.



Left: Freshman Chris Stephens dodges his opponent and makes a break for the basket after receiving a pass from Josh Polantz.

Above: Sophomore Jacob Dailer stares after making his shot, hoping it goes in the basket as time on the clock is about to run out.



Left: James Wallace warms up before the game, going through the usual practice shots and team drills as the supporting fans watch.

Above: Freshman Zack Moinet looks on at his teammates while they work toward another Bison victory against Waynesburg College.

## Statistics

SCORING	2218	2129		
Points per game	82.1	78.9		
Scoring margin	+3.3			
Field Goals-Att	795-1696	774-1788		
Field goal pct.	.469	.433		
3 Point Fg-Att	213-616	196-596		
3-point FG pct	.346	.329		
3-pt FG per game	7.9	7.3		
Free Throws-Att	415-594	385-580		
Free throw pct	.699	.664		
Rebounds	1097	1003		
Rebounds /game	40.6	37.1		
Rebound margin	+3.5			
Assists	508	425		
Assists /game	18.8	15.7		
Turnovers	507	442		
Turnovers /game	18.8	16.4		
Turnover margin	-2.4			
Assist/turnover ratio	1.0	1.0		
Steals	216	266		
Steals per game	8.0	9.9		
Blocks	79	83		
Blocks /game	2.9	3.1		
Winning Streak	0			
Home win streak	1			
ATTENDANCE	3667	7649		
Home Avg/Game	11-333	14-486		
Score By Periods:				
	1st	2nd	OT	Total
Bethany	1083	1101	34	2218
Opponents	933	116	135	2129

# Competition

The 2003-2004 Bison swimming teams were led by Coach John McGowan. McGowan has been instructing the college swimming team for 24 years. Despite a lack of upperclassmen, the Bison began their season with optimism and much practice. Many of the swimmers spent the winter break at Bethany preparing for the upcoming season.

Their season began on Dec. 6 at home versus Ohio Northern. Both men's and women's teams were defeated. On Jan. 10 Baldwin-Wallace visited the Bison and captured wins from both the men and women. The men lost 117-81 but had members place first in numerous events. Freshman standout Stephen Zinz captured two first place wins. His victories were in the 500-yard freestyle and the 100-yard fly. Sophomore diving team member Joe Kennedy earned first place in both the 1-meter and 3-meter diving events. The men's relay team of sophomore Damien Sanzotti, freshman Michael Giovanetti and freshman Gary Migliaccio won the free relay. As for the female swimmers, sophomore Dana Culbert defeated Baldwin-Wallace in both the 50-yard free as well as the 100-yard free. Lone female senior swimmer Emily Young, captured the first place title in the 500-yard free while sophomore Rachel Yakubik took the win in the 3-meter diving category.

The men's team captured their first win of the season versus Penn State-Altoona at home on Jan. 17. Sanzotti secured three wins in the 200-yard individual medley, the 100-yard free and the 100-yard breast. Freshman Trevor Hayes earned first place in both the 1-meter and 3-meter diving categories while sophomore Ben Brownlee gained first place in the 100-yard backstroke. Despite the men's victory, the women were once again defeated with 81 points to the opponents' 101 points. Yakubik took home first in the 1-meter and 3-meter diving events. Culbert tallied a win in the 50-yard free with a time of 26.26 seconds.

Frostburg State traveled to Bethany and defeated both the men's team, 113-92, and the women's team, 105-80. Both teams earned victories when they traveled to the University of Charleston on Jan. 24. The men earned 46 points to defeat the opponents' 22 points. Sophomore Yuki Shimizu captured a first place finish in the 1,000-yard freestyle and sophomore Noyan Eyigor gained first in the 200-yard individual medley. As for the women, Young brought home a win in the 200-yard individual medley and Culbert earned a first place title in the 200-yard free.

Both teams were defeated on Jan. 31 at Mount Union. February 4 also brought defeat versus Washington & Jefferson in the final regular season meet. Despite wins from both Kennedy in the 1-meter and Sanzotti in the 100-yard breaststroke, the men's team lost 109-91. The women found winners in Culbert in the 50-yard free as well as 100-yard free and Yakubik in the 3-meter diving category.

From Feb. 12 through Feb. 14, both Bison swimming teams competed in the Presidents' Athletic Conference (PAC) at Grove City. Both teams earned fourth place finishes. The men gathered a total score of 306 points while the women tallied 98 points. Kennedy earned the other first place for the Bison in the 1-meter dive. He also gained 325.20 points in the 3-meter dive. The 800 freestyle relay team consisting of Palatiello, Brownlee, Sanzotti and Eyigor placed seventh during the PAC conference. Culbert swam to a third place for the girls in the 100 freestyle and Yakubik placed third in the 3-meter dive and fourth in the 1-meter dive.

Aside from earning fourth place finishes in the PAC conferences, both swimming teams were also named West Virginia Division III Swimming and Diving State Champions.



Above: Sophomore Ann Morley competes in the three-meter diving event. Morley, from New Brighton, Pa., is a two-year member of the team.

Right: Coach McGowan is all smiles during the PAC Championships. McGowan has been the swimming coach for 24 years. He is also the men's and women's cross country coach.



Above: Dana Culbert at the PAC Championship.



# Statistics

## Women's Swimming

### SCORES

HOME	Ohio Northern	L 125-81
Away	Grove City*	L 117-70
HOME	Baldwin-Wallace	L 127-75
HOME	Penn State-Altoona	L 101-81
HOME	Frostburg State	L 105-80
Away	University of Charleston	W 40-33
HOME	Westminster*	Canceled
Away	Mount Union	L 106-89
Away	Washington & Jefferson*	L 93-60
Away	PAC Championships	4th Place
	RECORD 1-7	

## Men's Swimming

### SCORES

HOME	Ohio Northern	L 119-106
Away	Grove City*	L 100-93
HOME	Baldwin-Wallace	L 117-81
HOME	Penn State-Altoona	W 119-43
HOME	Frostburg State	L 113-92
Away	University of Charleston	W 46-22
HOME	Westminster*	Canceled
Away	Mount Union	L 119-89
Away	Washington & Jefferson*	L 109-91
Away	PAC Championships	4th Place
	RECORD 2-6	



above: Sophomore Joe Kennedy prepares to dive. He was the only team member to bring home a first place finish in the PAC championships.

right: Rachel Yakubik defies gravity while competing in a diving event. Rachel is a sophomore from Cambridge, Ohio. She is a two-year member of the team.



below: Ashley Richards competes in the PAC. She challenged others in the 200 breast stroke. Richards, from Washington, Pa., is a newcomer to the swim team.



Sophomore Joe Kennedy receives a first place medal during the PAC Championships for his performance in the three-meter diving event (left). Kennedy takes a little off the top of Gary Migliaccia (above). It is a tradition to shave prior to large events in order to compete with the best times possible.

# Women's

# Tennis

The young, eleven-member women's tennis team under Coach Jina DeRubbo finished the season with an accomplished 8-4 record, being 4-1 in the PAC. Dedication and determination led the team to a tie for third place in the PAC Championships in Erie, Pa., in October.

The team played very well all year, especially when it counted during PAC play. With several team members returning, the future looks bright for Bethany tennis.

## SCORES

HOME	Waynesburg	W 5-4
HOME	Westminster	W 5-4
Away	California (Pa.)	L 1-8
Away	Grove City	L 1-8
HOME	Frostburg State	W 6-3
Away	Westminster	L 2-7
HOME	Thiel	W 9-0
Away	Washington & Jefferson	W 7-2
Away	Fairmont State	W 6-3
Championships (Penn State Hazlet Club - Erie, Pa.)		3rd/ 18 pts.
PAC Championship		4th/ 20 pts
Record: 8-3		



Above: Front Row: Hillary Norman, Tessa Wegener, Lindsay Caprrese and Back Row: Carissa Moore, Beth Wichrowski, Katie Navarra and Coach Jina DeRubbo.

Right: Alejandra Viveros maintains the volley.



Left: Lindsay Caprarese stretches to make the play.



Below: Carissa Moore serves for the Ace.



Left: Hillary Norman serves for the win.



Above: August Gardner returns the serve.

When asked about their season, the girls replied:

Tessa Wegener: "I had a lot of fun my senior year. Because of the small size of the team we got the chance to know each other very well and became very close."

Beth Wichrowski: "We did well although I feel we could have done a little better. Nevertheless, we still had fun."

Alejandra Viveros: "I am glad I got the opportunity for an awesome team. As a freshman this year I learned a lot from the girls. We had a lot of fun on the courts and especially in the van with the coach. We'll just have to see what next year brings."

# Organizations

## Spanish Club

The Spanish club's main purpose is to allow the students to learn about the language and the culture of Spanish-speaking countries outside of the classroom. They hosted the Day of the Dead party and the Tri-Lingual Christmas party with the German and French clubs.

Over spring break, they went to Madrid, Pamplona and Toledo. They also went to see the Alamo, had a night of dinner and dancing in Pittsburgh and an end of the year party called La Gran Vuelga.



During a break from their busy schedule the Spanish club stopped at a coffee shop at the Universidad de Navarre. They are Kelly McGrew, Kristy McGrew, Neil Heard, Matt Girod, Stephanie Kappell, Emma Archer, Hillary Norman, Jessica King, Concha Martinez Pasamar, Carmen Blanco, Carmen Llamas and Professor of Foreign Language Joseph Lovano.

## German Club

The German Club is a club that promotes international interaction between students, faculty and the community of Bethany. It is open to anyone interested in learning about Germany and other German-speaking countries. Knowledge of the language was not a requirement.

Activities included frequent movie nights, the annual pumpkin carving, trips to German restaurants, a German play in Pittsburgh and a German-style breakfast. They also attended two nationally recognized foreign language conferences in New York City and West Virginia University. The two biggest activities were trips to Heidelberg/Berlin and Switzerland, Austria and Germany.



The German club paused for a moment during their weekly meeting for a group picture. Front row (l to r): Lindsey Coghill, Sharon Brown, Ian McGlone, Vanessa Plumly, Tessa Wegener, Whitney Wilding, adviser Harald Menz. Back: Andrew Kisak, Markus Heinonen, Jo-Elynn Decker, Claudia Diehm and Adam Moskey.

Kelly McGrew, Kristy McGrew, Matt Girod, Stephanie Kappell, Emma Archer and Neil Heard. While enjoying the sites the students looked on while the tour guide pointed out some of the most remarkable spots in Pamplona.



# French Club

The main events for the French club this year have been a trip to Chez Gerard, an authentic French restaurant in Uniontown, Pa., and a trip to the Cleveland Museum of Art, where they saw French impressionist paintings, among many other works of art from around the world.

They also took a trip to Cleveland, where they went to Fat Fish Blue, a Louisiana cajun-style restaurant. While enjoying the meal the members listened to Dr. Levin from the University of Pittsburgh speak to them. Levin is a member of a Jewish family and lived in France during the Nazi occupation in World War II. She told them about her experience during that time.

Along with the other language clubs they conducted the annual foreign-language Christmas party where all three language clubs brought traditional Christmas food and sang traditional Christmas songs.

In the spring semester, they went to Le Perroquet, a French restaurant in Pittsburgh and held their fourth annual cabaret on April 14. At the cabaret they decorate Maxwell's like a Parisian cabaret, eat lots of French food and sing French songs. This is their biggest event of the year and usually has a really good turnout from the college and the community.

Left: After a day full of excitement and information club members Michelle Morton, Susan Cramer and Tiffany Baumgart take a moment to pose for the camera while on a trip to Quebec.



During a dinner with their adviser Pauline Nelson (on right), Tiffany Baumgart, Michelle Morton and Susan Cramer take a moment to reflect on the night's events.

# Psychology Club

The psychology club has a list of activities that they do every year, not only for the public but also for students in psychology classes. Among their activities for the year were Adopt-A-Highway, in which they have done three clean ups and are planning more in the future and Adopt-A-Grandparent, where at every holiday they color signs and place them on the doors of the elderly to brighten up their holiday. They also make Christmas cookies for them and decorate Easter eggs.

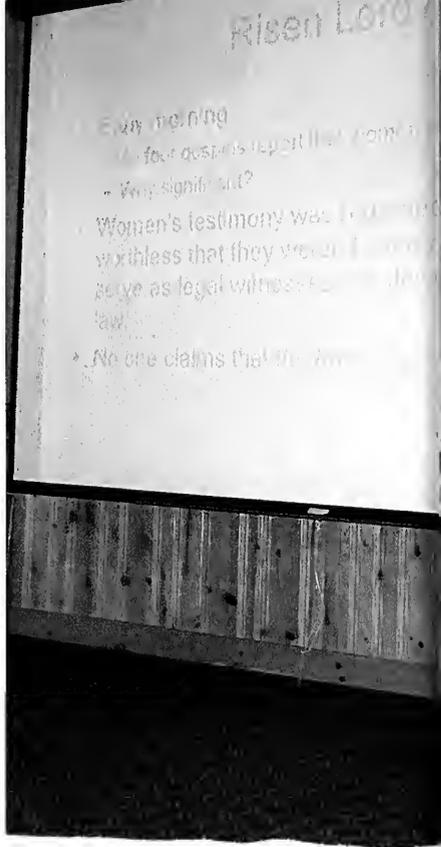
Twice a year the psychology club conducts a canned food drive to help out the less fortunate. They also conduct coin drives. One was done for military care packages in which \$260 was collected. In another for CASA, an organization that takes care of abused and neglected children in Brooke and Hancock Counties, \$110 was given.

Their club also attempts to entertain and help students at the college. They brought the movies Gothica and Matrix 3 Revolutions to entertain students. They hold study sessions a couple of nights before or the night before tests in each of the psychology classes to help the students in those classes prepare for the tests.

They also hold the Multiple Divisions of Psychology conference where they had speakers as well as some people from graduate schools.



Psychology Club: Front Row: Jeremy Infantino, Rachael Bell, Ashleigh Diserio and Elisa Gumm. Back Row: Megan McDonald, Lindsey Burdette, Andrew Kisak and Joey Williams.



Right: These are donations that the psychology club collected to help people who are less fortunate.



Speaking to his usual weekly group sophomore Hank Hampton, also founder of The Well, spreads his ideas and gets feedback by discussion groups. Each week he speaks on a different topic such as the happiness series.



## The Well



The Well: Front Row: Natalie Grossmann, Kristen Workman, Rebekah Cypert, James Champion, Joel Walkley, Carissa Cullumber and Kim Kelly. Back Row: Mike Hodge, Brandon Shreve, Hank Hampton, Megan McDonald, Karen Fields, Cedric Reynolds, Paul Elliot, Bethany Eberle and Matt Brewer.

## Political Awareness Society

The purpose of Political Awareness Society is to promote political awareness and necessary information to the college community. This organization is bipartisan in its political beliefs. Political Awareness Society participates in voter registration drives, hosting speakers and debates and community service. This year in particular they did a drive to support the troops. The club meets weekly and welcomes new members at any time.



Political Awareness Club: Front Row: Chris Palo, Ron Perkins, Kirk Blake, Joey Williams, Whitney Wilding and Angela Zielinski. Back Row: Lauren Davidson, Kristan Mercer, Patty Bruno, Jen Treherne and Josh Montgomery.

During the sermon Carissa Cullumber and Kim Kelly diligently listened and took notes on what was said. The Well is a place where students come to have a good time, with great talks and throw in a little religion.

# Student Activities Council

The Student Activities Council (SAC) are those wonderful people who put on most of the fun events that go on here. Sophomore Zeta member Meredith Vansant headed the council as president.

One of the most memorable things that SAC has brought us this time was the comedian Harlan Williams. This comedian appeared in movies such as "Sorority Boys," "Half Baked," "Dumb and Dumber" and "Rocket Man." When he performed his stand up in Wailes Theatre there was literally only standing room. Students filled the theatre and some had to stand in the hallways to see this comedian in action.

Some of the SAC members and the director of SAC Brian Fernandes went on a trip to Cincinnati, Ohio, for a convention. In Cincinnati they met many celebrities, some old and some new. Among the people they met were childhood favorite Mr. Belding from Saved by the Bell and a few stars from the MTV reality shows Real World and Road Rules.

SAC also brought in Dat Phan for a stand up comedy show. You might remember him because he was the winner of the hit reality show, Last Comic Standing. School was just full of laughter this year thanks to SAC.

Comedy wasn't the only thing our Student Activities Council brought. Two bands came to entertain us Bethanians. Blessed Union of Souls, best known for their hit "Hey Leonardo (she likes me for me)," came and rocked out. Another band that came was Two Skinny Dorks.

SAC also helped coordinate the activities put together for Sibling Week-end. Everyone who attended had a good time since at the Spring Carnival that weekend was a mechanical bull, jousting, bungee run, t-shirt making and much more!



Above: Student Activities Council members are (l to r) Neil Heard, Adam Llanos, Meredith Vansant, Matt Pegg, Jeff Weisberger, Brian Fernandes (director), Katie Critchfield and Dan Scriver. Right (top and bottom): Students enjoying the activities that SAC brought to the Spring Carnival.





# Photography Club

The photography club is a student-run organization that teaches the processes of picture-taking, especially in black and white, and of film development. The club takes pictures at sporting events, campus activities and other aspects of the college, the campus and life to display and to sell. Anyone interested is always welcome to join the club.



Photography club: Front row (l to r): Amy McNulty, Yo Yamada, Lolourien Siwu and Megan McDonald. Middle row: Kimiko Toshima, Whitney Wilding, Emily Young, Brenda Sorice and Adviser Harald Menz. Back row: Ian Conaway, Sarah Kudrin, Reuben Yrkes and Juan Dorado.

# Society of Professional Journalists



Members of Bethany's chapter of Society of Professional Journalists attended the national conference in Tampa, Fla. They are (l to r): Tom Runkel, BJ Cook, Kelly McGrew, Amy Housley, Jim Shannon and Chris Sharp.



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