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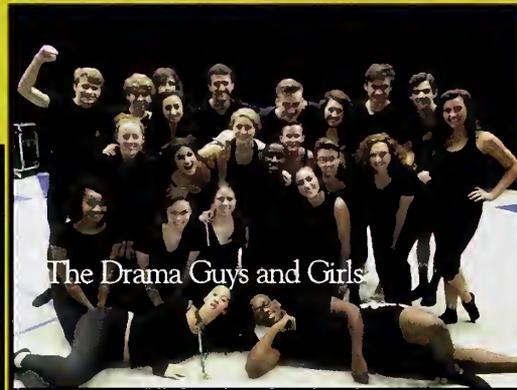
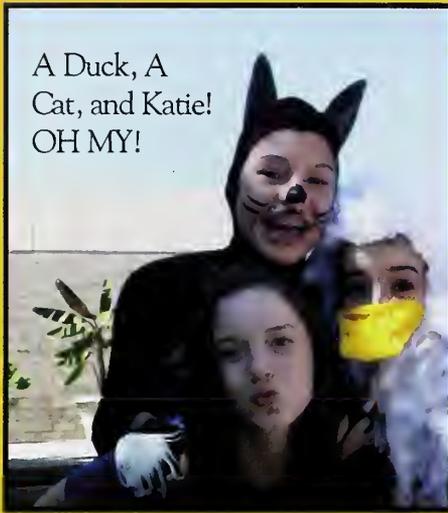
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THIS IS
SPARTA!

Rise of the
Fighting Pickles

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Editors' Vision



The Editors' Vision

Within a conventional world of the mundane and the gray, there are the brave few that seek to splash color into the stagnant mainstream. Amidst a bland sea of common mascots-- the Vikings, the Lions, the Eagles-- there is a single, mighty vegetable one that rises above the rest. A masked mystery. A tutu-clad warrior, wielding a sharp movie clapper and a dripping paint brush. The Fighting Pickle: solitary yet strong, the perfect embodiment of the students it represents. As artists, the work that we do every day is incredibly unique and beautiful, yet also difficult and tedious at times. The artist's path can be a weary one, forever driven by passion in pursuit of passion, but the fruits of our quests are what bring meaning, dimension, and color into what would otherwise be a silent and impassive world. I believe that our decision, as students of UNCSA, to tread such an uneasy path makes us warriors of SpARTa, of strength and resilience and energy. We constantly fight the ongoing battle to not only triumph in our artistic conquests, but to also have art recognized by society for its importance.

Strike a Pose!

In honor of our warrior theme, we called all the high school Fighting Pickles of UNCSA to arms in order to accomplish our ultimate quest: to obtain a fierce warrior pose from each Pickle and to capture the fighting spirit of an artist. We've arranged your warrior poses in small sidebars at the edge of various pages. Special thanks to everyone who participated, and we hope you enjoy the yearbook. Onward, friends!



Kourtnee Schippel:

"Not only am I a yearbook editor, but I am also the Avatar."



Sarah Yang wildly summons lightning.



Meredith Bain's weapon of choice is the Deadly Slice... of pizza.



Copeland Byers takes out all opposition. And his trash.

Artist's Vision



John Ferry, designer of the yearbook cover

I found that the SpARTa prompt was not a particularly difficult one to tackle. All I had to do was figure out what would work well with the text, which had established a fairly specific context to draw from. People associate Leonida's famous quote with Leonidas. The audience is a panel of UNCSCA students. Donning Leonidas in UNCSCA pickle attire seemed pretty appropriate, though hardly ingenious. My vision wasn't a particularly serious one; I mean I don't know how else to effectively approach a prompt if I can't match its spirit and adapt my approach, and mindset, accordingly.

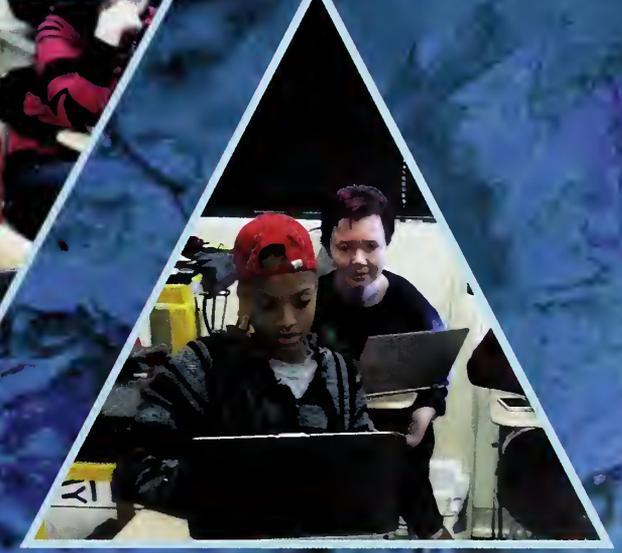
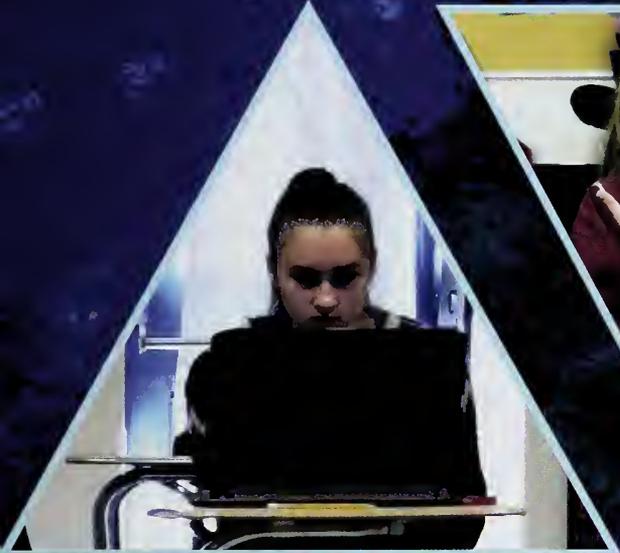
That is not to say I didn't take the task seriously; I was very conscious of my design decisions, such as the inclusion of school colors, placement of the figure, et cetera... It's just that if I can't find something humorous due to mild absurdity, I can't expect that anyone else will.

Yearbook!

Each week, dedicated students from various art departments and grade levels gather together to work on the very book that you're holding right now! We've spent our early Wednesday mornings scavenging for pictures of all your beautiful faces to place in these carefully designed places, so that we can always look back and remember this year, and all the wonderful memories we made together.



Every Wednesday at 8:30 AM, the yearbook staff meets to work diligently on the yearbook!



Crew/PL Week



Sanford 1: Candy Land!



Hard at work... obviously.



Smile pretty!



We're all thugs, actually.



Yes, Chelsea.



SO. MUCH. DECORATING.



Daily meetings in Catawba.



Ready to climb!



There was loads of hard work and decorating that needed to be done before move-in day, but the Crew and PL team still found some time during Crew/PL week to go to the Ropes Course here in Winston! The heat was overbearing, the bugs were hungry, and the heights were HIGH, but at the end of the day, the gang had an amazing time! Through many different team-building activities and obstacle courses, the students built trust and strengthened relationships. Hopefully next year, the Crew/PL team can go back to the Ropes Course!

Opening Weekend



Lights, Camera, Action!

How do you spell "capture" again?
Oh, well...



New Student Orientation!



"Cheese!"



Blue skies and great rides on the hill!



Fergalicious def!



Opening Night Fun!



Move 'em in!



What's New? Buildings!



Students, faculty, and staff alike eagerly await the opening of the new library. Originally set to open in Fall of 2014, the library will have a cafe, a performance space, offices, and learning space complete with computers.



Above: Our finished (and somewhat extravagant) library.



Above and to the right: A new and expanded police station, with more parking space and... holding space? That's right: the new station is now equipped with holding cells.



Students love to shop at the P.O.D. Market! Above, Sean Krusch models a few of the products that the P.O.D. has to offer, but there are many other items for sale, including drugstore items, sandwiches, smoothies, milkshakes, and microwave meals.



Above: The new P. O. D. Market.

New Pickles in the Jar!

At UNCSA, you don't have to be a freshman to be fresh meat. Whether a new student or teacher, adjusting to this school can be difficult at first, but at the end of the year you can say you survived! You made it through an entire year of derivatives, Shakespeare, and rigorous arts classes. Being immersed in a stressful environment at UNCSA allows you to master the juggling of arts and academics. Though first-year seniors stop by for a quick year, others look forward to more crazy years to come!



The Three Musketeers.



Stevie, Skyla, and Emma throwing shade.



New teacher Ms. Zerbe with talented BL6 dancers.



RHCs have fun too!



These new pickles didn't waste an time making new friends!



First year down! Only one more to go!



Whether chilling in their rooms, taking a walk outside, or riding in a laundry cart, these girls just wanna have fun!



Nathalie headed to Tanglewood Park!



Yaman & Seoyoung showing some Gallery love!



After decorating mugs on Mug Night, these fresh dills kicked back, relaxed, and enjoyed The Who!



+ New cello

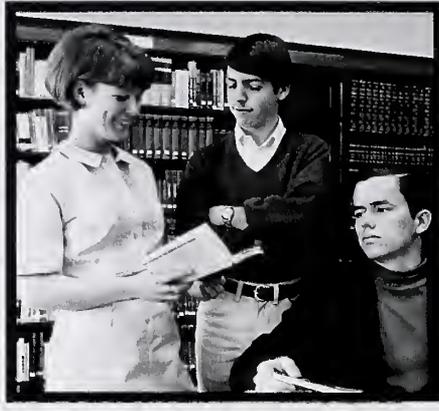


Students hope that the new cantata conductor, Dr. Z, will be Bach next year!



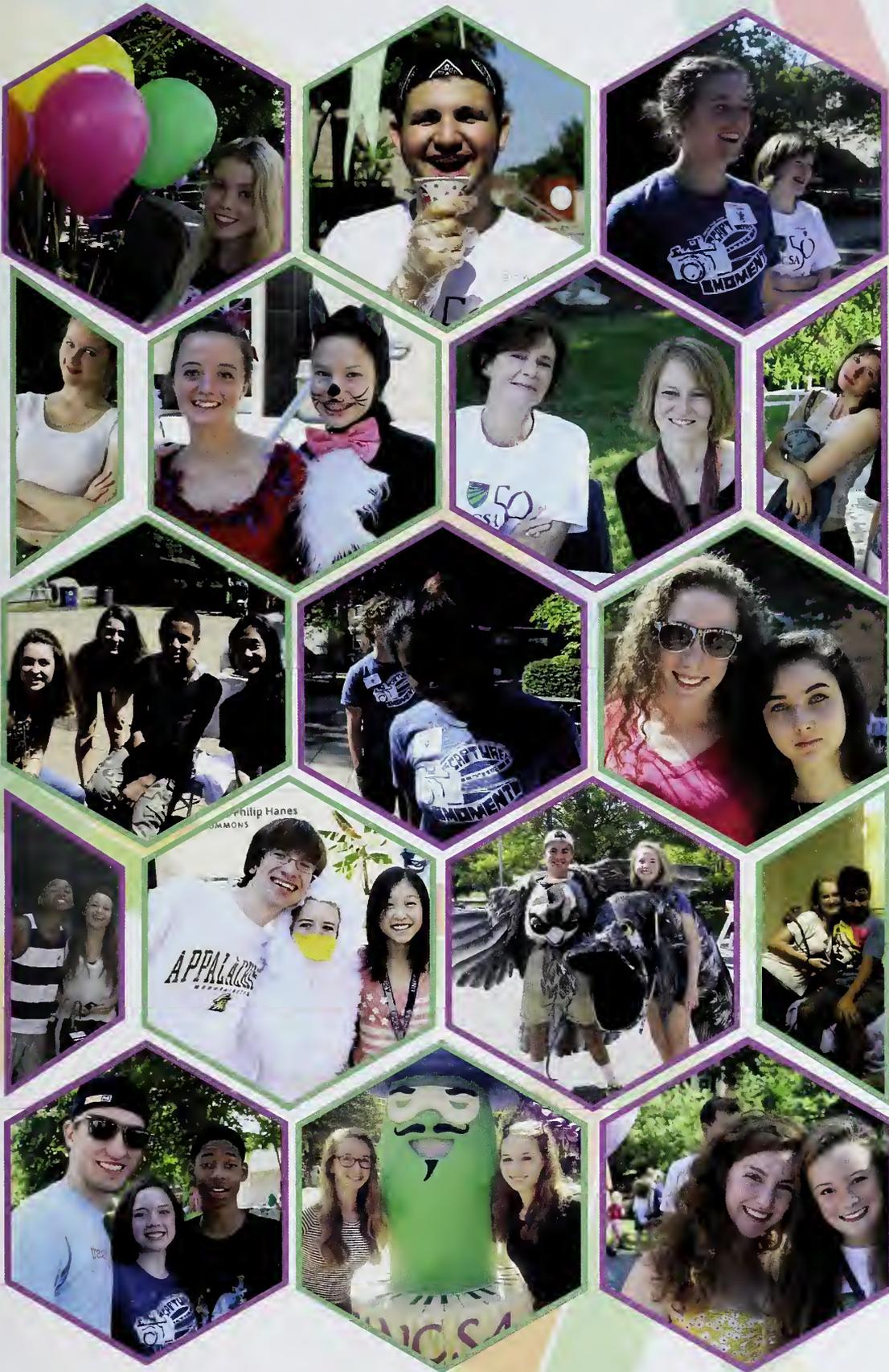
These four take care of 265 artists for the first time. They're the real dill!

Fiftieth Anniversary



In 1965, the North Carolina School of the Arts opened its doors to dancers, drama students, and musicians. As the first state-sponsored conservatory in the nation and the first art school in the south, UNCSA quickly set a high standard for aspiring artists everywhere.





Fifty years after its opening, UNCSA is the home of 265 high school students who go above and beyond in their intensive studies of music, dance, visual arts, and drama. Although our school is constantly evolving, our commitment to excellence both in learning and the arts sets us apart from traditional high schools.

The night we dream of all through the year . Planning the details, choosing the clothes. The most formal occasion to be with our friends. Its the night of our lives that will never happen again. The decorations and music of a magical theme. These memories will last you a lifetime.

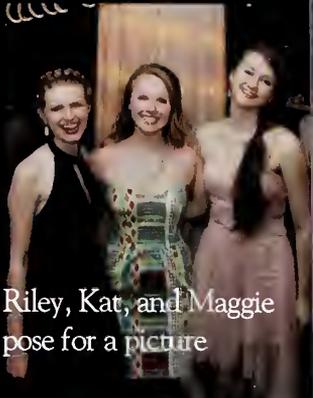
PROM 2014



Sydney and Ryan



Pretty in Red



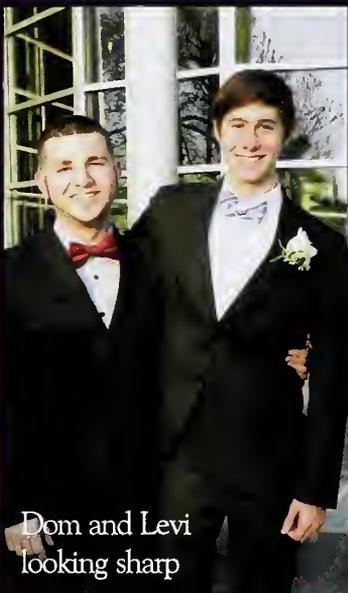
Riley, Kat, and Maggie pose for a picture



Slide to the left
Slide to the right
Cris cross



Marcus showing his moves



Dom and Levi looking sharp



Crew members strike a pose



Three wise monkeys



Emil, George, the Duffy, Sarah, Sawyer, and Webb



Sophomores crash Club Prom



Danny and his ladies

Cloze arts 2014



So there we were at the 2014 Cloze Arts Carnival. The air was warm, one of few warm days since winter, and the crowd was beginning to fill out. There was a spinning ride, a game where you shoot the teeth out of cowboys, cotton candy, popcorn, snow cones-- and then the bungee jumper. "Hey Bo!" Are you going to jump on the bungee jumper?" We called out.

Minutes later, there he was waiting in line for the bungee jumper. He selected his trampoline, harness, and bungee cords, ready to be strapped in. Slowly, the bungee cords were tightened and Bo began to jump.

We soon called out "Bo! Do a front flip!" with full intentions of being amazed by his trampoline skills. Next thing we knew, Mr. Bo was parallel to the trampoline, laughing so hard he couldn't right himself. After what seemed like an eternity of scrambling, twisting, joking, and tilting, Mr. Bo finally found up from down.

As he was lowered sheepishly back into an upright position, our only regret was that the event had lasted but a minute. We must simply content ourselves with its exquisite photo documentation, presented here.



The Spartan Top Ten

The
Who

Community Meetings



Sick Teacher = No Class



The Ice Bag Orchestra



Performance Hour

Meal Exchange





W lcome to Sanford 3
POOPies



A Very Spooky Halloween



Levi, Caroline, Gracie, Austin, and Bree rock their Disney themed Halloween Costumes as Peter Pan, the Kim Possible Crew, and Elsa from Frozen.



Susan Ashmore embodies her instrument by dressing up as an oboe for Halloween, complete with a double reed hat.



On the right, the UNCSA High School Drama Department displays their Halloween spirit in this group photo, including all their unique costumes.



Halloween Costume Contest Winners:
 Erica Devann Boyd as "Daenerys Targaryen"
 and Emily Monroe as "Pierrot: The Sad Clown."

The winners of the costume contest had the pleasure of pieing faculty members Mr. Hoover and Mr. Smith!



Froze Arts 2015!



A student body, united by post-winter-break blues and a proclivity for procrastination, gathered for a weekend of incredible icy fun at Froze Arts 2015. Between an all-school ice skating trip, a mind-boggling magic show, and a legendary Disney movie marathon, this year's Froze Arts was a weekend to remember.





Look at 'em go

Dream Teams

Jason's got that #swerve



Do you believe in magic?



Squad... on Ice

Artists gotta eat



Events on fleek

Get down on the flo'!

Clubs!



LIA, or Ladies in the Arts, is a service organization for the women of UNCSA High School. As one of the longest-running clubs here, their functions include Humane Society volunteering, carnation sales for Valentine's day, and looking really good even when wearing yellow and orange.



Kookin' with Kat, one of UNCSA's newest clubs, poses for a photo after partaking of another gourmet Kat-inspired meal.



MIA, or Men in the Arts, is the male counterpart to LIA. Major functions include calling last-minute meetings after curfew.



Three student government members attend to important business at Mr. Smith's house.



The fledgling chess club, led by Dayton Hare and Gavin Maddock, poses for a shot in the meeting room after a riveting round of chess.

The GSA convenes in the gallery to discuss "gay stuff."



A rare photo of the illustrious chess club in action. Several geniuses appear to be hard at work.

A surefire way to achieve optimum club turnout: free food



The Common App is open. You type in intimate information about your dwellings, parents, and siblings, and ask for recommendations. Only one thing left... extracurriculars.

You break out into a cold sweat. You panic and write in some petty ensembles or dance productions or art shows from your freshman year, but there are still too many blank spaces. Heart racing, you grasp your head in your hands and rock back and forth, chanting "clubs...clubs...CLUBS!"

All of a sudden, you remember the announcements from a recent community meeting. Feeling saved and relieved, you rush down to the Connector Desk to sign up for as many prestigious-sounding clubs as you can. Quidditch! Varsity Hide-and-Seek! LIA! MIA! Chess club!

You wipe the sweat off your brow and retreat back to your room, feeling satisfied and sufficiently involved.



Above: Responsible members of Student Government hang out at Mr. Smith's house. To the right: Other LIA members meet in the connector.



Dom leads the GSA club in the Gay Pride Parade.

"The pen is mightier than the sword."



Midnight. Crunch time. Tension charges the air. Hands fly over keyboards, pencils scratch over paper; hammering out last-minute essays on laptops, scribbling down answers that might vaguely pass as math. Your roommate sighs loudly and pushes his/her head under the pillow, but no time for that now: Your teachers have all conspired in a plot for your demise, and have strategically arranged all of their work -- projects, essays, problems 1-10 billion -- to be due tomorrow. Challenge accepted!



Day dawns. Your alarm goes off. You got exactly 2 hours of sleep last night, not just because of schoolwork, but also because your friend came into your room at 2 AM for a meaningful late-night discussion about life, and/or some noisy brats were catcalling down the halls for one hour straight (okay, so maybe one of them was you), and/or the lure of Instagram/Facebook/Twitter/Snapchat was just too powerful to resist, no matter how late the time. But none of that matters now; you've got a way-too-early o'clock class to catch, and for an added bonus, you just slept through your alarm, and now have about 3 minutes to make yourself look somewhat human and get your sleep-deprived butt to class.





While your hand may be mighty in your art, wielding a pencil and a three-ringed binder might be a totally different story. Throughout the high school academic hall, countless battles are fought - some won, and some lost. Reading passages are analyzed, U.S. history is recounted, atoms are acknowledged, and math problems... well, math problems are stupid.



But the most dreaded part of it all? The inevitable Assignment. The terrible declaration that sends shivers down every student's spine. 5 more minutes of class, and you can see the teacher winding up for the final fatal blow. His/Her mouth moves in slow motion. Here it comes, here it comes. You pray that maybe the teacher is just about to adjourn class early. But fate has decreed it otherwise: The teacher smiles, opens his/her mouth, and points to your planner that's already filled to the brim.



Teacher Superlatives

Mr. Milner



Most Likely to Give Everyone Code Names

Mrs. Coyle



Most Likely to Break the Enemy's War Code

Mr. Bo and Mr. Hoover



Mrs. Thompson



Most Likely to Keep Peace

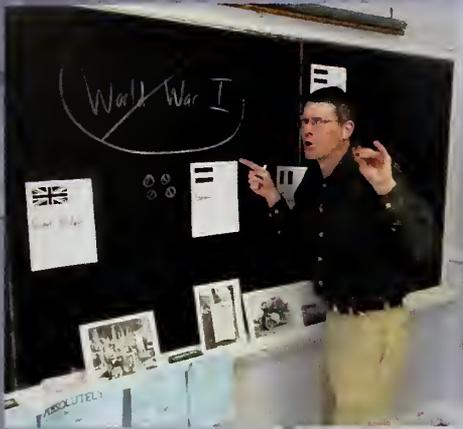
Dynamic Duo

Ms. Whiteman



Most Likely to Protect a War Secret

Mr. Pfefferkorn



Most Likely to Talk His Way Out of the War

Mr. George



Most Likely to Plan Battle Strategies



Mr. Smith



Most Likely to Go to War Dressed as a Super Hero

Dr. Haigh



Most Likely to Consider the Existential Ramifications of the War



Ms. Davis and Mrs. White



Most Likely to Bring Cookies to the Troops

Mme. Golden



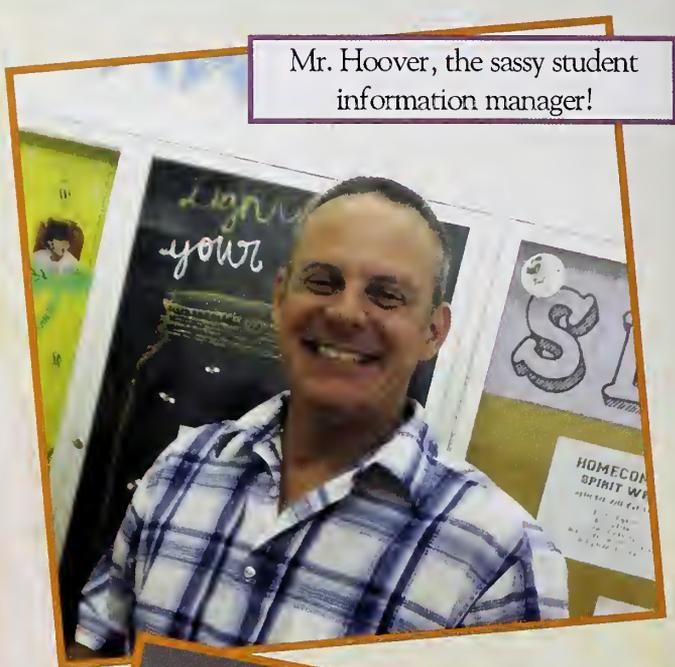
Most Likely to Motivate You During the War



Support Staff



Pat and Margie, the wonderful custodians of Gray.



Mr. Hoover, the sassy student information manager!



The fantastic caterers at The Listening Post in the Well.



Silent Supporters

What do the support staff do? They don't teach us school smarts or help us flourish in our arts, but they work as quiet warriors behind the scenes to aid in the success of the world's future stars. They humbly grace this school with care and precision, making it a better place for learning and living. They quietly listen and quietly serve (well, except for Hoover), often without a thank you in return. So when you see someone cleaning, typing in the office, or serving food in the cafeteria, take notice and recognize these modest, willing soldiers.



Hector, our cafeteria diva!

Cafeteria Staff strikes a pose.



Our Pickle Staff feeding us in the most desperate times.



The one and only Quandrea.



Queen Pringle in the brand new Pod.



Living with the Arts

Monsters on the Halls

They are there when you're sleeping, when you're awake, when you aren't even in your room. You turn a corner, go into the bathroom, trip over a trashcan and there they are. They scurry away or worse, just sit there.

What are you supposed to do? The thought of stepping on it, the feel of the crushed body and the sound of the crunch, is repulsive. Do you just leave it and let it cause havoc elsewhere? Do you trap it and leave to suffocate under a box. Of course then you have to take care of the body.

There is no good solution. So you stand stuck in the horror of the situation. And then it moves. One of the antenna twitches and it starts moving in your direction. The creature is seemingly unafraid of your presence, crawling towards you as if with a purpose. You are now faced with a decision. Step on it, trap it, or just run away? Time is running out and you can feel the pressure.

Then, in a moment of panic, you act without thinking and step on the creature. You feel the crushing body and hear the crunch. It was quick and then it was over. You breathe a sigh of relief and you walk away leaving the small cockroach body as someone else's mess to clean up.



Katie, Emma, Kourtnee, and Maddie cuddling in the gallery.

Meredith, Christian, and Gehrig chattin' it up before curfew.



Family shot in the connector!

Even though we are all different and we are different artists, we are able to live together in our residence halls.

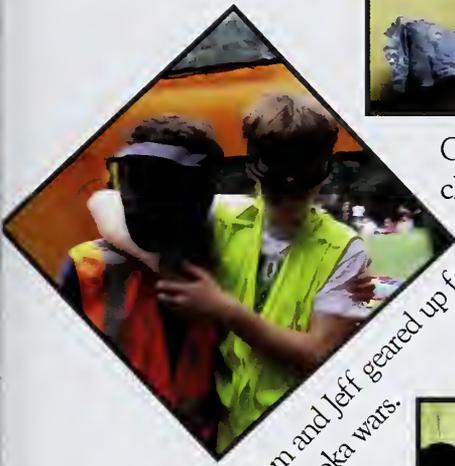




Chris and Gabrielle just chillin'.



Suzanna and ReAnn taking a break from bazooka wars.



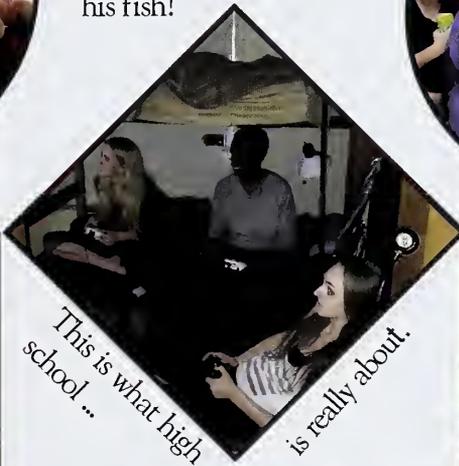
Sam and Jeff geared up for Bazooka wars.



Krishna is very proud of his fish!



It's a party during interviz!



This is what high school... is really about.



Dancers chillin' on Sandford 1.

VAs watching a movie during interviz.



Kat and Skyla Hanging out with Adi during interviz.



It's always homework time!



Commuter Tribe



This year, commuters had a comeback on campus! The new Peer Leaders organized a slew of events including a cookout, bowling and laser tag trip, an ice skating excursion, and a scavenger hunt. Commuters and residents mingled at the commuter sponsored bonfire, cozying up around the bonfire, roasting marshmallows, and sipping piping hot apple cider.

The commuters hit up the bowling alley for their first big trip of the year. It proved to be a smashing success!



Jefferson and Nico take advantage of their commuter peer leader positions to snag some tasty treats.



Elizabeth gets ready to drive home in her hot ride after a long, trying day at school.

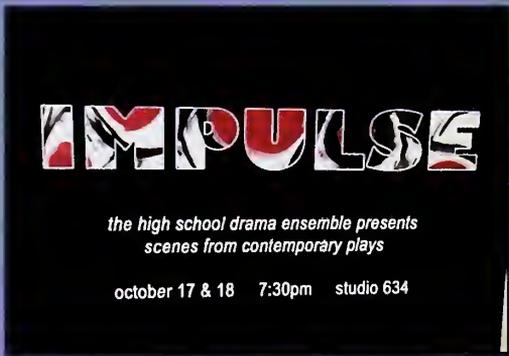


Commuters kick off the school year with a picnic in Washington Park and a friendly game of kick ball afterwards.



Impulse

"Impulse means more to me in life than it does on stage. Impulse can stand for breaking down self-boundaries, stereotypes, insecurities, fears, and judgements. I'm doing now, for numerous hours a day, something that I couldn't have even dreamed of doing five months ago. Last year, my curriculum saw me crunched over a keyboard and now I present myself on, what is essentially, a nationally renowned stage. My experience here has been revolutionary, unbelievable, and (most importantly) caring; something that I've never been able to be a part of before. I feel the term "Impulse" is just our way of articulating something so complex. It stands for following ambitions and core beliefs. Follow your impulse to be the person you want to be." - Adam Jellicorse





"Impulse has opened my eyes to the fact that being "impulsive" isn't bad like I'd always heard. It's a means of achieving more than you thought possible, because if you had thought about it then it wouldn't have BEEN possible." - Mitchell Holsclaw

Drama Class of

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"To me, impulse means to not close yourself to what could be, If you can imagine it, then it can become a reality if you just go for it. Impulse is a word that can open you to a world of possibilities not only in acting, or on stage, but in life. Impulse forces you to listen to your body and accept what you want and go for it without a second thought." - Isaiah Christian



Impulse Takes Chicago



This is what it looks like when you have to leave the dorms for the airport at 5:00 in the morning.



Because who takes a trip to Chicago without visiting the legendary bean?





Every year, the high school drama dean provides an opportunity for his students to audition for their top colleges at the Chicago Unified Auditions. The Unified Auditions allow students to audition for numerous acting and musical theatre university programs in one location over the course of a few days. This saves the students time and money and also allows universities to hear a wider range of students than they would otherwise see on campus. Besides their auditions, the students try to fit some other fun and simple activities in to take their minds off of all the stress. During this trip, the Impulse Ensemble saw productions like the notable *Second City*, and watched the Super Bowl at a Chicago pizza restaurant. Chicago Unified is often seen by UNCSA students as just a week that the drama students are gone, but it is actually a crucial component to prepare for their futures.



All around: Selfies and dramatic pictures to capture their experience in the beautiful city of Chicago. To the left: Chicago style pizza.



The Visual Arts Level 1 kids have had quite a year : our trip to Penland, the mid-semester Intensive, the departure of our sculpture teacher, and all the other unexpectedly difficult projects. I'm sure that not a single person would disagree when I say that our view on art has flipped 360 degrees.

The mid-semester Intensive is what really brought us together as artists, and as VA 1's. We went in with good intentions and came out humbled and a little bruised. Working with plaster was a foreign experience for many of us, and the brutal demands of the Intensive left us working long into the night, making frequent trips to the sculpture studio, and having nightmares about who might knock over our sculptures while we were away.

At the end of the Intensive, we took a group photo with our plaster sculptures. I'm sure that from the college-bound to the juniors who may return for a second year at UNCSCA, all of us will remember our Art Intensive with a sense of pride and love for our other VA's.

Fine-artists, cartoonists, and sculptors alike have worked this year to build common ground, work ethic, and knowledge for our foundation as working artists.



Visual Artists working on still-life drawing for Will.



Visual Arts I



A few VA's hanging out after class.

VA I's listening to Will give instruction.



VA I's working in the drawing studio.



Photoshoot in the VA Studio.



Gittelman photographing the wildlife of UNCSA.



Snow day adventures!

Visual Arts II



Interesting things can always be found at Goodwill.



Students waiting for sculpture to start



Anna Grace working on painting



Isn't this purse so Emi?

November is a time characterized by the onset of a VA epidemic called panels. Panels: a large presentation of all the work over the fall semester, without notes or any kind of a guaranteed success factor. Symptoms include mild to severe hallucinations, insomnia, a detached sense of self, and perpetually sweaty palms. This can be hard to diagnose, but on rare occasions can be recognized by the appearance of holes in the gallery wall. During this time of dire need, the Visual Artist can be seen absolutely nowhere visible on campus due to the lack of willpower to engage in social activities that will distract them from panels. The only known treatment is to get up there and do your best. After the presentation and critique, the Visual Artist will feel an overwhelming sense of relief, and the realization that he or she was freaking out for no reason at all.

Bubble Tea at the Mall



Artist work selected to become greeting cards.



Jennifer painting a stand for her sculpture.





Volunteers painting faces for the Fall Festival



Students posing for projects near studio



That looks like it hurt!



Hanging out in the foundry pouring aluminum



Spooky Mol

Gray One

FUN!



Whether you practice seven hours a day or seven days a year, every musician spends at least some time on Gray One. For those of us who love what we do (or are scared of our teachers), Gray One becomes a sort of second dorm.



Some practice alone; some with friends; some learn in masterclass; some rehearse with friends. From the early hours of the morning right up until curfew, high school musicians make themselves heard and prepare for a life as a professional musician.

Black Tie Performances

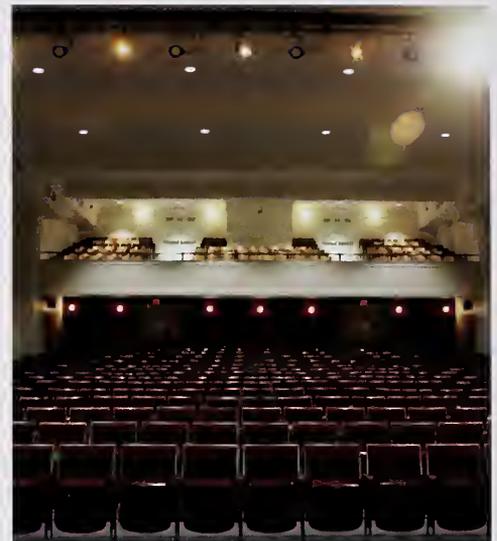




Weeks of preparation and hours of tireless rehearsing are invested in each School of Music concert. Whether it's a saxophone ensemble in performance hour, or the pit orchestra for opera, students anticipate hearing the hard work that their colleagues have done. In most cases, the blood, sweat, and vinegar that the Fighting Pickles pour into their music pays off in a beautiful Stevens Center concert; however, on those occasions when we fall short, Profs. Lees and Mosenbichler-Bryant pick us up by the pickle-y appendages and whip us back into shape for the next cycle.



Music Continued



Above Left: The cast of the winter opera, *Die Fledermaus*, takes a final bow. Above Right: Crawford Hall anticipates another Perf Hour -- it could go either way...



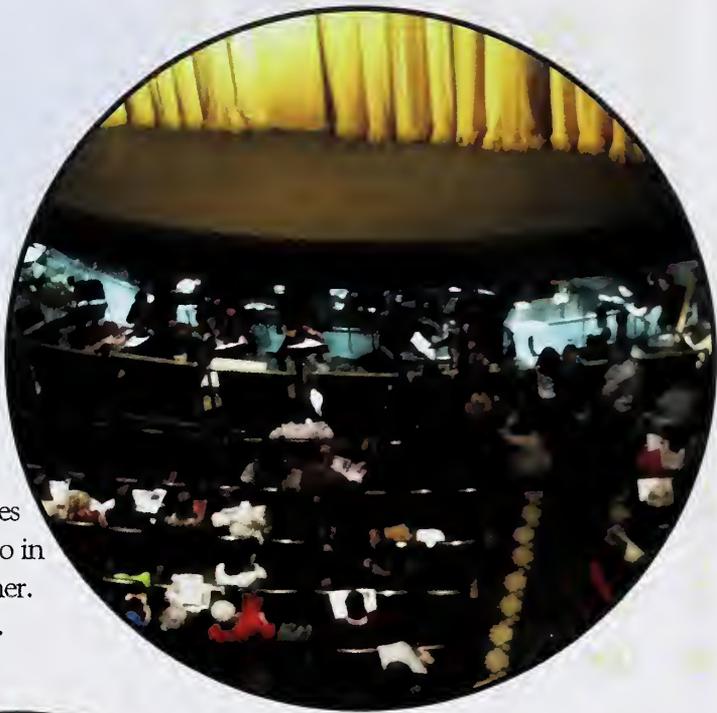
Above: Christian Cail, Charlie Sothcott, Alex Boney, and Brodie Heginbotham rake in the big bucks as Macy's slaves.... I mean, employees.



Above: Chris Lees leads the orchestra through a smashingly successful concert. The UNCSA Symphony Orchestra will live to play another day!



Left: The clarinet studio unites, despite differences in age and height.



Above: The Nutcracker Orchestra warms up for ANOTHER run.



Left: Meredith Bain struggles through the Gliere Concerto in front of an important teacher. RIP Meredith's horn career.



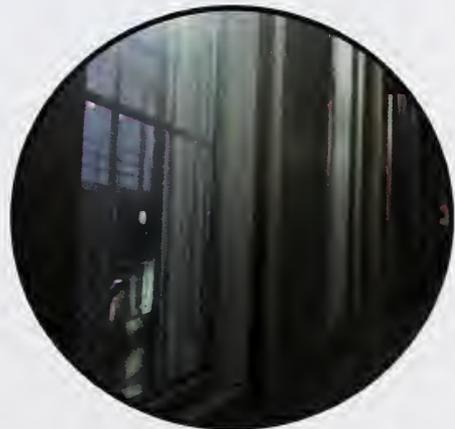
Left: Is the violin really tiny or is Jose really big?



Right: Charlie Sothcott uses his sweet trombone skills to woo some ladies.



Left: Liz Harlan, Dayna Hagstedt, and Auri Landman frolic in a practice room.



Right: Gray 1 is eerie at night.

"HANDS OFF THE BARRE!"
Love, Mrs. Martin



Allie, Sarah, and Kate share some
love before class.



Madison, Lillia, and Caroline prepare
for ballet battle.



The Battle-rinas

You go to this school. So you've seen. The hair in buns. The tights on legs. The foam rollers. The ice packs. The dance bags. Strolling down the hall, feet still turned out. Sitting in class, legs propped up at seemingly impossible angles. Sprawled on the floor, frantically sewing ribbons onto pointe shoes. That's who we are. Who we've become. Yes, we're different. Yes, it's hard. Who said it was easy to pursue perfection? Ask any dancer: the process definitely isn't just sparkles and pink tutus, it's also duct-taping your toes. Dry-swallowing Advil. Plowing on through mile upon mile of blisters, tendonitis, and ballet teachers shaking their head and saying, "Again." We've all been there.

But is it worth it? For that tiny fraction of time in our lives, when we take a deep breath and step out onto the empty stage, out into the warm spotlight, into the eyes of our waiting audience? And would you believe us if we said, yes; yes, it was completely worth it? Because it's so much more than that. It's not just stepping onto a stage, it's stepping outside of your limits. Pushing the edges of your potential. Reaching for something more, something intangible and impossible to touch, but something that can still be felt with the heart. Something spiritual. Something beautiful.

Yes, it's completely worth it. It's ballet.



The BL1's strike a pose.



The BL2's demonstrate their flawless technique.



Another day, another flawless fish.



Sergeant Zerbe and BL6 soldiers

Below:
For the Katherines, the
battle to look fierce is an
easy one to conquer.



Below:
If you think you're
struggling, just remember
that the BL3's have
character class with Misha.



Above:
Friends are worth
fighting for.



"PLIE! DEEPER!"
Love, Mr. Redick



Reverance = thank-God-class-is-
finally-over

Contemporary

For some, it can be stressful and overwhelming. For some, it can be nerve wracking and out of their comfort zones. For some, it can be exciting and seen as a chance to show their personalities through their own, unique choreography. This is it.

This is Partita. Each year, the M2 Contemporary dancers spend a semester innovating and creating their own piece to perform in DeMille Theatre at the end of the term. Most high school students in the contemporary program have done Partita or will have to do it before they graduate, and the long rehearsals as well as the hours of individual practice are no joke. So if you're ever feeling overwhelmed or stressed, you know who to talk to.



Emmalie and Brooke ready for comp class!



Comp class madness!



Ya filthy animals



Strike a pose



The whole crew!



Joanne with her serious face on



Halloween #meanmuggin



Tilt Tuesday



Selfie game strong



#fitlife



Lilly and Ardyn in their walking boots!



Lean with it
rock with it



M2 at the zoo!



Emerging



Sue sending you peace

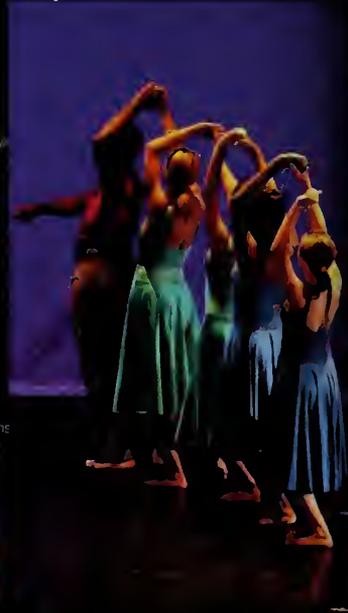


Brilliant minds at work

Dance Performances



Peter Mueller © Helen Simoneau Dance



The lights go dark. We scramble to find our places amongst the nearly invisible glow-in-the-dark tape. The relentless hum of the music that we had been rehearsing to for weeks flows into our ears. I take one last deep breath and begin counting: one, two, three. The lights go up, and 100 tiny faces in the audience stare up at me as I begin to move across the floor...

And as the lights go down, and I come out to bow, I remember nothing, just the relentless hum of the music that we had been rehearsing to for weeks.





After at least an hour of futile attempts to create a Mrs. Martin-approved bun, I give up and begin looking for someone to do it for me. But as soon as I walk out into the hall, I'm immediately caught and hurried back into the dressing room for not having enough eye shadow. And so I beat on, forever trying to recreate the perfect stage hair and makeup.



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DANCE





Fresh Pickles





The Abbreviated Journey of the Fresh Pickles

We began our journey in August, a meet-n-greet with a mustachioed pickle in a piano tutu. And this pickle gave us our charge- "Go, be a Fresh pickle." For dancers, that meant placement classes. For musicians, it meant first-of-year hearings. And for all of us, it meant Smith's World History class. We were chalk marked and assaulted with notes. We flung pencils at the ceiling to prove our worth and studied for hours in vain. We overcame Ebola in the reading of *The Hot Zone*, with varying degrees of vomiting in class. We watched movies with Mr. Bo, and had one-sided discussions about *Stand By Me*. We had heated debates over milk with Mr. Snyder, and stole crackers with disastrous results. Soon winter finals were upon us, and studying became our second nature. We descended to Starkfield and Ethan Frome over Winter Break, all except for Finn, who didn't read it. As Mr. Bo came out of the cabinet as a gay red glass, the sound of actual glass breaking echoed through the halls, accompanied by the faint wailing of "Why Krishna, why?" We finally made it off the island with the boys and a pig head on a stick, and began our ascent towards Spring Break. It was smooth sailing for the Fresh pickles, despite ant-infested showers and major candy theft. We finally made it to the end and headed off to distant shores, our maiden pickle voyage a fond memory, and our eyes on the Soph-pickle journey ahead.



Greta Abbey
Lillia Andrews
Carlos Bardales
Kai Darrow



Kathryn Drozd
Libby Dy
Frankie Garcia
Sophie Hiersteiner



Andrew Lester-Niles
Isabella Limouris
Emily Lin
Harrison McClintock



Twinning with Mr. Smith.



Emily in her natural state.



Nimrods dressed as Muppet characters.



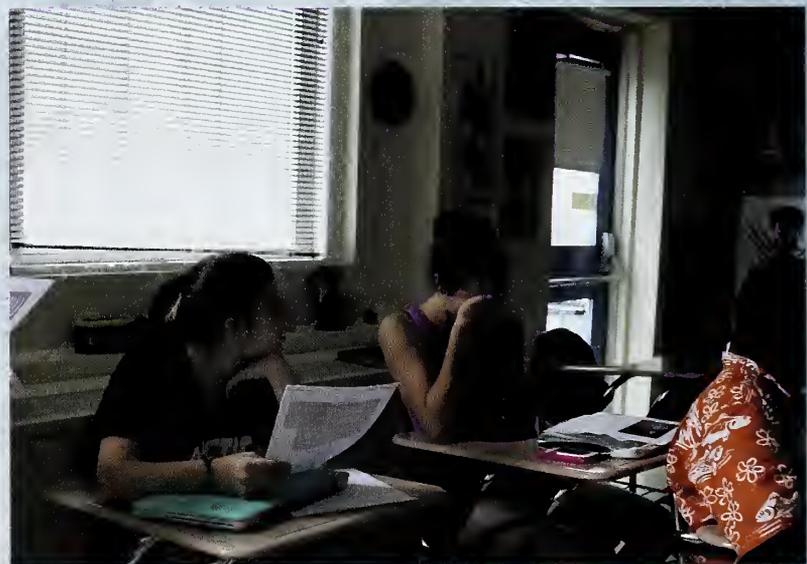
Kyra Monsam
Krishna Palanivel
Zoe Parker
Audrey Puschinsky



Isabelle Their
Bella Ward
Jace Weyant



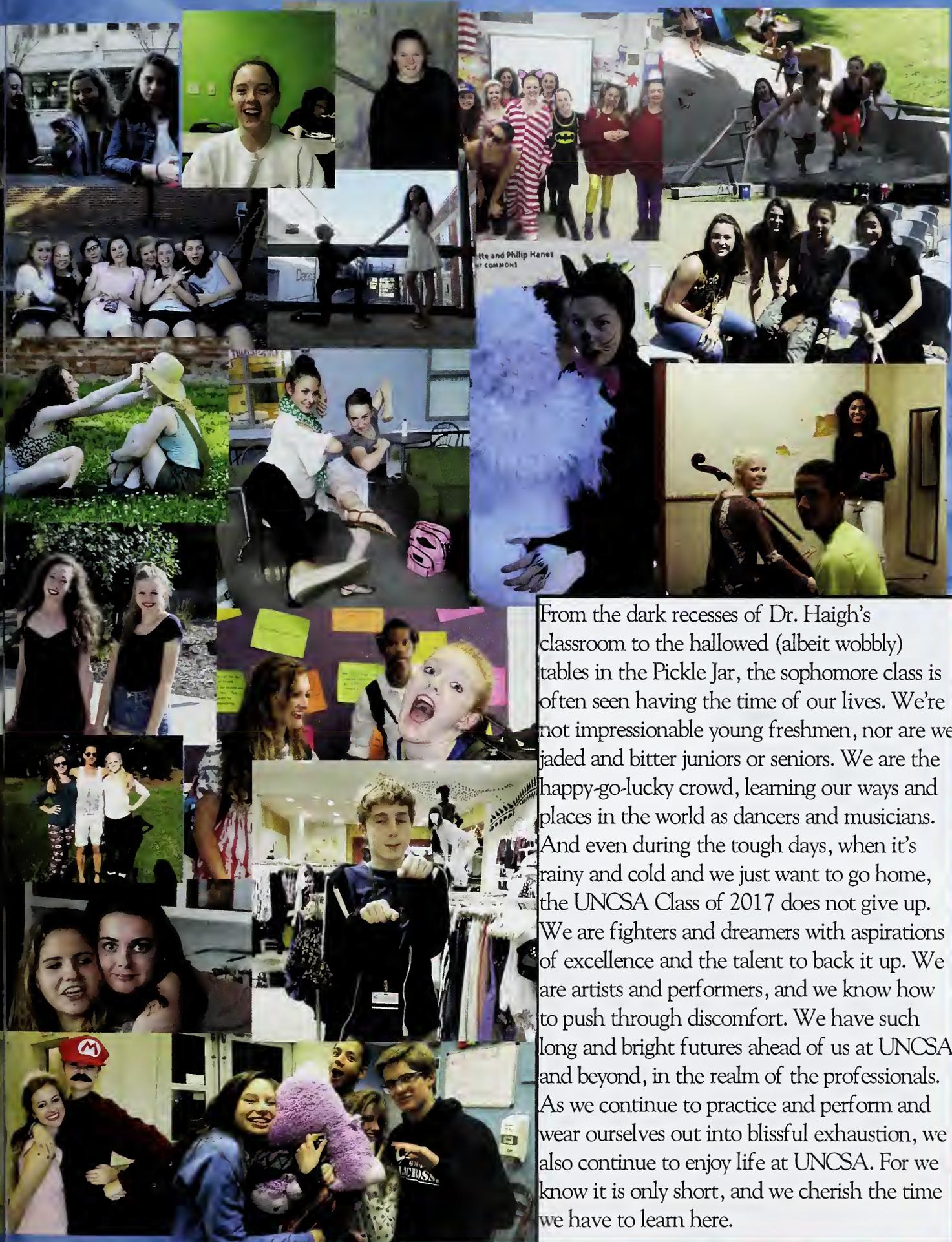
8 year old child spotted on the
Nutcracker stage.



The stress of Smith's class is real.

Sophomores





From the dark recesses of Dr. Haigh's classroom to the hallowed (albeit wobbly) tables in the Pickle Jar, the sophomore class is often seen having the time of our lives. We're not impressionable young freshmen, nor are we jaded and bitter juniors or seniors. We are the happy-go-lucky crowd, learning our ways and places in the world as dancers and musicians. And even during the tough days, when it's rainy and cold and we just want to go home, the UNCSA Class of 2017 does not give up. We are fighters and dreamers with aspirations of excellence and the talent to back it up. We are artists and performers, and we know how to push through discomfort. We have such long and bright futures ahead of us at UNCSA and beyond, in the realm of the professionals. As we continue to practice and perform and wear ourselves out into blissful exhaustion, we also continue to enjoy life at UNCSA. For we know it is only short, and we cherish the time we have to learn here.



Caroline pushes Kaylin into the fountain

Sierra Armstrong
Taylor Ballard
Isabela Blasdel



Cleveland Boney
Kennady Brim
Sarah Bryant



Savannah and Minto spar with Nerf guns in the Connector.

Hope Clayton
Maura Cowan
Annie Ewell



Bridget, James, and Riley at Halloween.



Dr. Haigh's "round table"; also known as his amazing 11:20 English class.



Tomas Fischer
Florrie Geller
Catherine Grimley



Dayna Hagstedt
Katie Hemphill
Caroline Henderson



Hope and Amy practice
in the oboe studio.



Seoyoung Hong
Claire Howes
Yaman Kelemet



Sophomores have fun
downtown.



End-of-the-year 2014 pool party with
returning sophomores.



Shoe inspections in Dr. Haigh's class.



Bex and Mackenzie hang out in Mr. Bo's room.

Hajung Kim
Aurelie Landmann
Bridget Leyendecker



Katie Lovejoy
Madison Macfarlane
Megan Mckelvey



Rebecca Nelson
Mackenzie Quattlebaum
Riley Robinson



Ray draws while enjoying the view from Camino Bakery.



Sophomore selfie between classes!



Ray, Annie, and Bridget in front of their chalk-tag wall for Civics.



Charlie Sothcott
Kaylin Thistle
Samuel White



Savannah Willis
Ray Yang



Taylor and Riley
navigating campus
via yellowvator.



Hope and Dayna enjoy
some dog therapy time.



Charlie waits for the
bus after wind
ensemble.



Dayna and Minto have fun with the last
surviving snowman of the snowpocalypse.



Sophomore selfie at the
first all-campus open mic
night.



Savannah and Kaylin at
Community Day.



Kennady and James pose for a
picture!

Class of 2016



The Age of Enlightenment. Fresh from the Underclassmen Underworld, you emerge, blinking, into the dazzling world of the Upperclassmen. It's your first year of being an upperclassman; your first glimpse into (gasp) becoming an adult. College applications and senior year loom just around the corner, but for now, you have bigger fish to fry. There are AP classes to tackle, and, turns out, the PSAT isn't so PHAT. Yet stressful as it may seem, junior year is the year to savor. It's the milestone year: congrats, you're over halfway through with high school! It's the final year before The Final Year. You're almost an adult, but there's still time to be young and carefree. So sit back. Smile. Relax. But don't forget to buckle your seatbelt. It's going to be a bumpy ride, but we're going to make it.





Laura Agner
 Joshua Alley
 Amelia Atteberry
 Teresa Bowden



Dorothy Carlos
 Sarah Cauley
 Alexandria Chapman
 Katharine Clark



Gabrielle Cone
 Sarah Cook
 Sadie Cornette-Cook
 Chelsea Daniel



Top Left: Rachael and Ryan share an embrace in the Connector.



Top Center: Just because it's called the academic hallway, doesn't mean you can't dance.



Top Right: Michele looking artsy while practicing.



Bottom Left: Rohima smiling because those flowers smell good.



Bottom Right: Bre and Kat cheesing in the Connector.





Robin Davis
Kaitlin Dodds
Claire Donovan
Kayleigh Efird



Madison Elliott
Lilian Eselgroth
Rachael Fisk
Anna Gasanova



Gabrielle Gialenios
Grace Gittelman
Mara Goebelbecker
Anastasia Harlan



Top Left: Aleisha playing in the snow.



Top Center: Adi chilling at the barre.



Top Right: Ty doing the most epic power pose in the pickle.



Bottom Left: Katherine realizes she has gotten marshmallow in her hair.



Bottom Right: Free sunglasses in the caf!

Katherine Henriksen
 Kryn Hladik-Brown
 Eli Hooker
 Samantha Huebner



Ryan Jung
 Ilsa Kelischek
 Hana Kim
 Jaewon Lee



Gabrielle Lewis
 Daniel Malawsky
 Ryan McNally
 Elizabeth Mitchell



Top Left: The Yolks
 (Claire, Caroline,
 Katharine, and Gabby)
 attend a performance at
 Watson Hall.



Top Right: Hana is
 working hard in Mr. Bo's
 office.



Bottom Left: The greatest
 person you will ever meet.

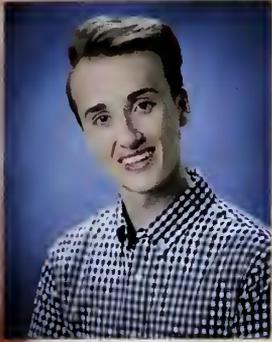


Bottom Right: A beautiful
 candid of Jose laughing.





Emily Monroe
 Mirjam Mueller
 Madeline Newlin
 Jose Olea Vico



Isaiah Ollis
 Anna Carolina Pelaes
 Carissa Puppo
 Kathryn Robertson



Kezia Rogers
 Emma Sarver
 Tara Schiphof
 Kourtnee Schippel



Top Left: Yang and Katie strike a pose for the camera.

Top Center: Peter needs all kinds of glasses.

Top Right: Isaiah with that fierce selfie.



Bottom Left: Kat and Gabrielle singing their hearts out.

Bottom Right: Karyn, Sarah, and Sadie enjoying the beautiful snow day!

Nathalie Schmalhofer
 Grace Shanholtz
 Emilia Sharpe
 Bailey Sito



Peter Smith
 Sarah Smith
 Rebecca Speechley
 Shauna Sumner



Tyrone Sykes
 Aleisha Thompson-Heinz
 Eric Van Leuven
 Rohima Ward



Top Left: Ty and Maddie at the only store anyone needs, Goodwill.



Top Right: Sequoia pulling out her best face for the camera.



Bottom Left: Emma and Mia doing VA stuff.



Bottom Center: Nathalie practicing her violin skills.



Bottom Right: Tara and Samantha take a selfie in the snow.





Skyla Ward
April Watson
Sequoia Wright
Myah Wyse



Sarah Yang
Caroline Young
Michele Zimmerman
Emma Zuber



Top Left: Emi soaking up the sun.
Top Center: Gracie dancing through the streets of Winston Salem.
Top Right: Emma and Mara running around in the splendid rain.



Middle left: Becca looking fierce in that blue lighting.
Middle Center: Shauna, Sarah, and Garret take a selfie on a Sunday.
Middle Right: Dorothy and Karyn pose for a roommate picture in the snow.



Bottom Left: Kourtnee and her lil puppy dog before Stars and Stripes.
Bottom Center: Amelia and Robin smiling because of the snow day!
Bottom Right: Ryan celebrating Mardi Gras in the caf.



Normal High School

Snapchat Savvy

Best Smile



Austin Spero & Ahna Lipchik



Molly Mir & Christian Cail



UNCSA Mom & Dad



Maxine Ford & Lorenzo Zapata

Most Likely to be Late to Graduation



Katherine Murdoch

Superlatives

Best Dressed



Julian Smart & Emi Bender

Most Likely to Brighten Your Day



Lucy Brooks & Lucas Gerbe

Never Apart



Copeland Byars & Paul Sessoms



Meredith Bain & Leyna Beery

Art School Superlatives

Doodle Dandier



Ally Blalock & Jeff Shea

Most Likely to Skip Class to Practice



Levi Posasa & Jason Lewis

Biggest Party Rooms



Marcus Cooper & Sean Krusch



Jennifer Medina & ReAnn Orr

Best Bun

Jefferson Bullock



Kate Duffy



Art School Superlatives continued.....

Most Changed Since Freshman Year



Ali Webb & Alejandro Mojica

Sparta Superlatives

Most Likely to Rule a City-State



Annelise Senkowski & Ethan Swofford

Most Likely To Go Missing in Action



Suzanne Haydt & Mario Kelley

Most Likely to Win the Hunger Game



Nico Rodriguez & Katie Davis

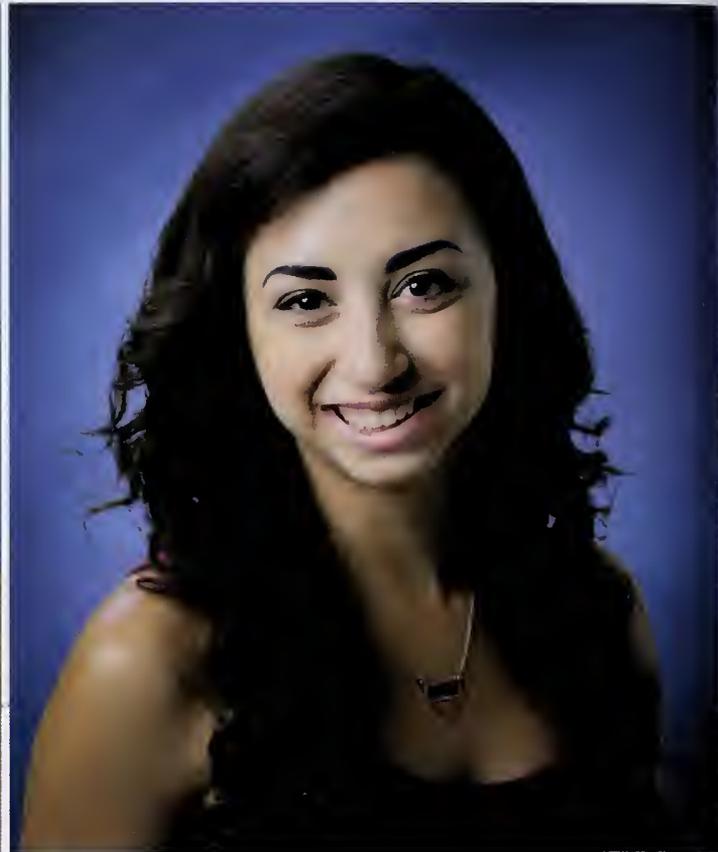


Sivan Ambrose & Dayton Hare

Got Your Back In Battle



Susan Ashmore



Caroline Attayek

(Exit, Pursued by a Bear)

-The Winter's Tale by William Shakespeare



Nicoletta Baffo

"As an artist, be able to express the timeless vulnerability of the human spirit."



Meredith Bain

"There are two means of refuge from the miseries of life: music and cats." - Albert Schweitzer, 1875-1965



Miranda Barker

"I'm the black sheep running with a pack of wolves."



Julian Barlow



Marisa Baskin



Sydney Bedore

"We delight in the beauty of the butterfly, but rarely admit the changes it has gone through to achieve that beauty." - Maya Angelou



Leyna Beery

"It might be cold outside, but you're about to take safe haven in a warm bathtub full of my jazz". -Ron Swanson

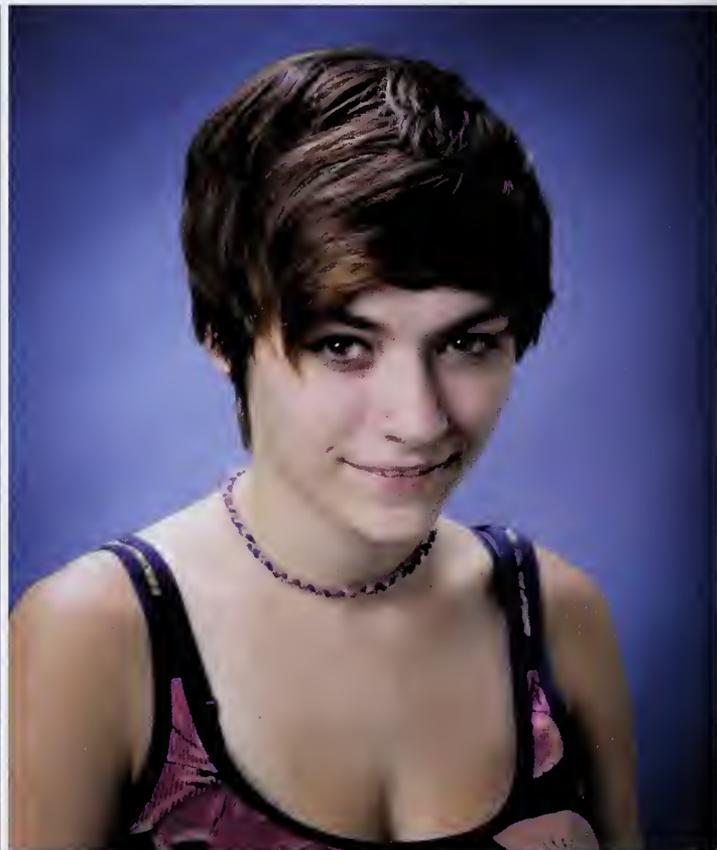


Emi Bender



Camille Bergin

"Never memorize something that you can look up."
-Albert Einstein



Allyson Blalock



Devann Boyd

"An eye for an eye will only make the whole world blind."
-Mahatma Gandhi



Dominick Boyle



Kristine Braddy

"I think it's perfectly acceptable and rather admirable to be
moderately delusional." - Matthew Gray Gubler



Naomi Bradford

"Ginsberg is God."



Lucille Brooks

"I am not funny. What I am is brave." -Lucille Ball



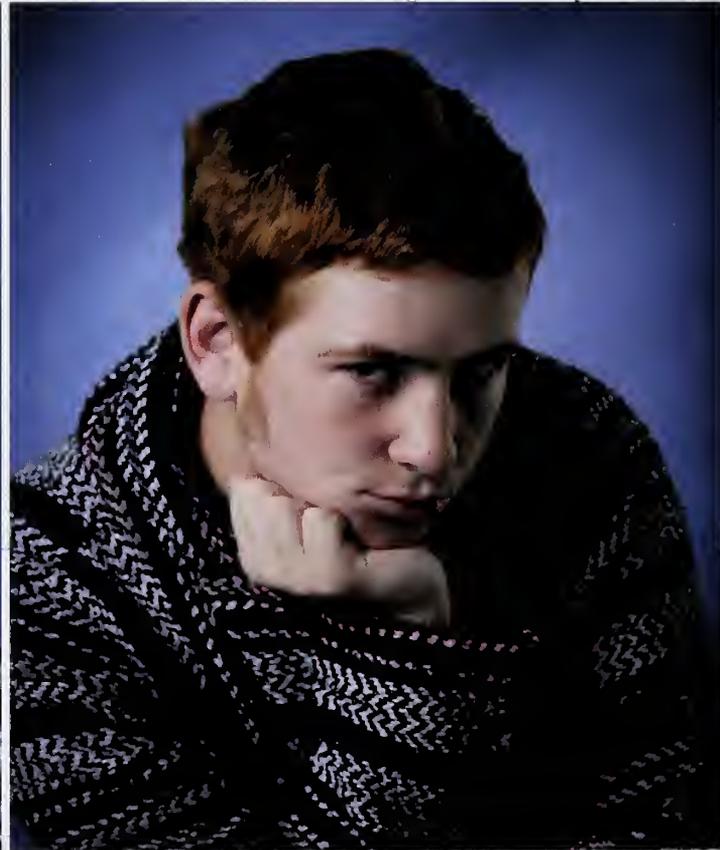
Jefferson Bullock

"I'm a simple man. I like pretty, dark-haired women and breakfast food." - Ron Swanson

"Those who are resistant to change are destined to perish" - Dave



Liam Burke



Copeland Byars

"Badass nationwide." -Dr. Mims



Christian Cail

had to sell my senior quote as ad space for some extra money: Buy
Copher's Canned Hash Meat: Family Values and Family Meat™



Alexa Cavas

"The greatest cruelty is our casual blindness to the
despair of others."



Soo Ji Chae

"Methinks my listening spirit hears
Sweet melody of chiming bells!"



Haley Chapman

"It makes a big difference in your life when you stay
positive." -Ellen DeGeneres



Connor Cheek

"Thinking of a suitable senior quote is way too much work."



Isaiah Christian

"I was a Beyoncé in a school of Katy Perrys..."



Brooke Church

"The bend and snap....works every time."
-Legally Blonde



Sydney Colopy

"For in dreams we enter a world that is entirely our own. Let them swim in the deepest ocean or glide over the highest cloud." -Albus Dumbledore



Marcus Cooper

"Life is pretty awesome. Just keep at it, and I'll keep going too." -Monty Oum



Chloe Dacosta

"Make a move and form a line, 'cause it's party time so keep it movin'."



Katie Davis

"You do it because the doing of it is the thing. The doing is the thing. The talking and worrying and thinking is not the thing." - Amy Poehler



Trevor Daw

"There are no facts, only interpretations."
- Friedrich Nietzsche



Alessandra De Paolantonio

"Everything happens for a reason, live it, love it, learn from it! Make your smile change the world, but don't let the world change your smile."



Katherine Duffy

"Have fun storming the castle!"
-The Princess Bride



Fritz Eagleton

"You can pour drinks on me, you can throw food at me, you can even spit on me. I'll just laugh that stuff off, but good reason or not, nobody hurts a friend of mine." - Red Hair Shanks



Megan Elks

"Where we're from the birds sing a pretty song, and there's always music in the air." -Twin Peaks



Hannah Grace Falk

"Blow out your candles, Laura- and so, goodbye!"
-Tennessee Williams (The Glass Menagerie)



John Ferry



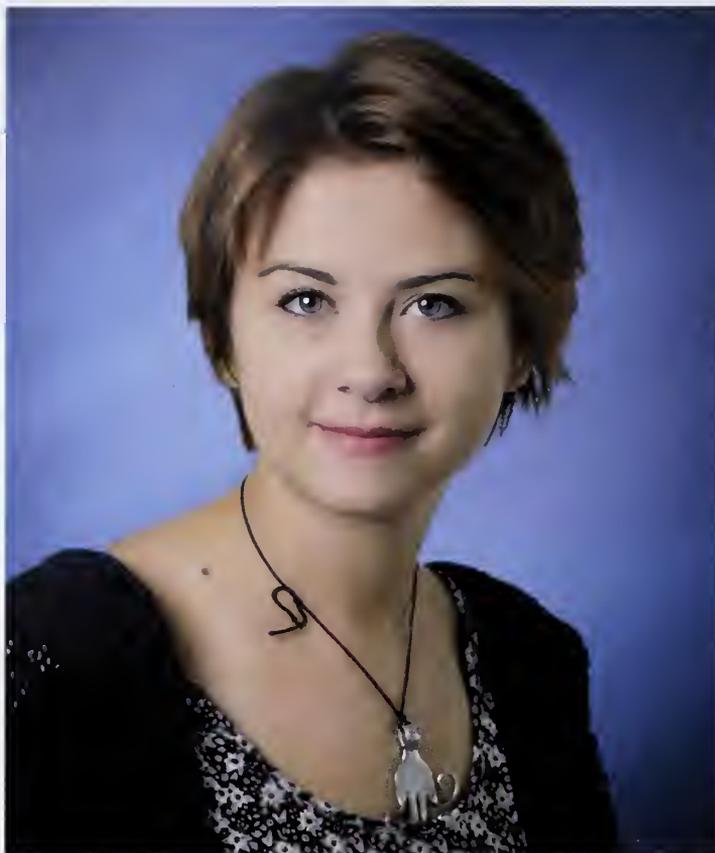
Ardyn Flynt

"A diamond is merely a lump of coal that did well under pressure" -Henry Kissinger



Maxine Ford

"Today is the day to do something amazing, something life changing, something worth saying and praying about."
- Maxine Ford



Elaina Frieberg

"The greatest pleasure in life is doing what people say you cannot do." ~Walter Bagehot



Dakota Galley

"I want my quote to be the perfect combination of deep meaning and wit."



Allison/Kai Gelbron

"When you reach the end of your rope, tie a knot in it and hang on." -FDR



Grace Gelpi

"The inner machinations of my mind are an enigma."
- Patrick Star



Emmalie George

"I do not know where there is, but I believe its somewhere, and I hope its beautiful." -Thomas Edison



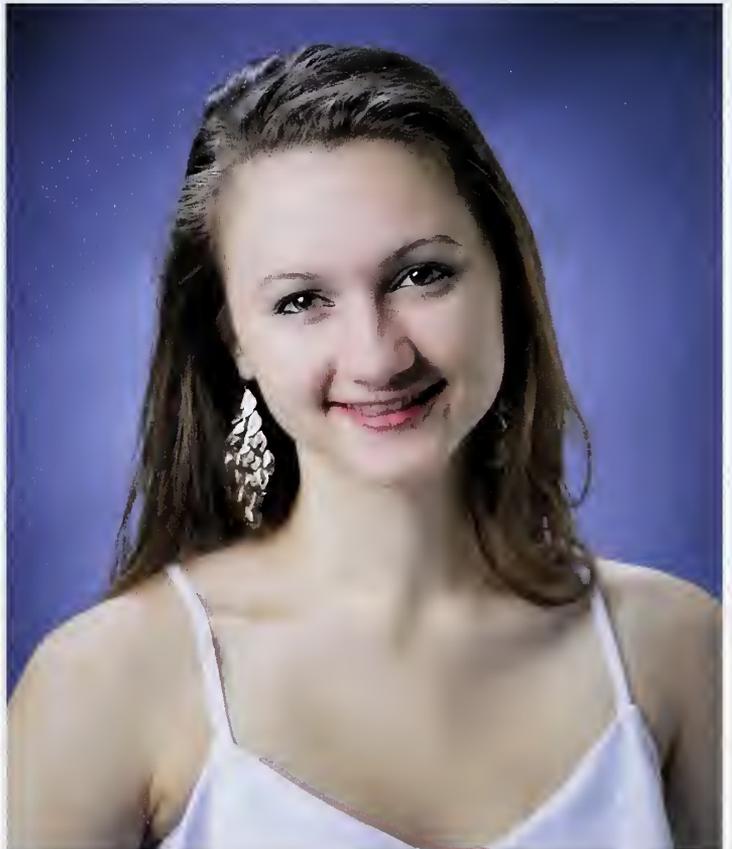
Lucas Gerbe

"Yaaaaaaaasss"



Thomas Greenough

"Find me on tumblr and Instagram! @restrictingpantyhose."



Margaret Haddock

"I hope the exit is joyful - and I hope never to return."

-Frida Kahlo



Melissa Hagstedt

"If you don't imagine nothing ever happens at all."
-John Green



Dayton Hare

"The object of the artist is the creation of the beautiful.
What the beautiful is is another question." -James Joyce



Raymond Hawkins

"Unless you try to do something beyond what you have already
mastered, you will never grow." ~ Ralph Waldo Emerson



Suzanna Haydt

"If I mess up, I'll just paint over it."



Brodie Heginbotham

"Music is a higher revelation than all wisdom and philosophy" -Beethoven "What?" -Also Beethoven



Mitchell Holsclaw

"Not with that attitude."



Joanne Hong



Matthew Howard

"Be who you are and say what you feel, because those who mind don't matter and those who matter don't mind." -Dr. Seuss



Elizabeth Huttman

"There are only three forms of high art: the symphony, the illustrated children's book and the board game." - D. Oswald Heist



Sumire Ishige

"I could drink a case of you and I'd still be on my feet."
-James Blake



Adam Jellicorse

"What happens when a man stands up and says enough is enough?"



Ben Johnson



Timothy Jones



Charlotte Keefe

"If you want to walk on water, you've got to get out of the boat." -John Ortberg



Kirsten Kitchens

"May the force be ever in your favor, Mr. Potter."
-Gandalf (The Chronicles of Narnia)



Elizabeth Kline

"We're almost there and nowhere near it. All that matters is we're going." ~Gilmore Girls



Cailin Kluttz

"If you are always trying to be normal, you will never know how amazing you can be." -Maya Angelou



Sean Krusch

"What?" - Richard Milhous Nixon



Rayven Leak

"Yeap, that's me" -That's So Raven



Jason Lewis

"Every child is an artist. The problem is how to remain an artist once he grows up. Stay Curious." - Pablo P.



Ahna Lipchik

"But I know that I have a Will; and will and energy sometimes prove greater than either genius or talent or temperament." -Isadora Duncan



Meredith Lipson

"Though she be but little, she is fierce."
-William Shakespeare



Gehrig Loughran

"First say to yourself what you would be; and then do what you have to do." -Epictetus



Ashlyn Lund

"Right now, I kinda wish that my mom named me Bob instead of Ash." -Ash Ketchum



Gavin Maddock



Gracie Mahaffey

"Keep some room in your heart for the unimaginable."
- Mary Oliver



Carson Mason

"Straw-ber-Rita dreams turn to champagne reality."
-I Love Makonnen



Erin Massey-Nowadly

"I don't know half of you half as well as I should like; and I like less than half of you half as well as you deserve." - Bilbo Baggins



Jacob McCall

"We have Art that we may not perish from Truth."
- Nietzsche



Aidan McManis

"Music is what we use to portray those feelings and emotions
that are known by all, but spoken by no one."



Jennifer Medina

"...ke nonsense, it wakes up the brain cells. Fantasy is a necessary ingredient in
living, It's a way of looking at life through the wrong end of a telescope.
Which is what I do, And that enables you to laugh at life's realities."



Henson Milam

"I am not afraid of storms for I am learning to sail my ship."
- Louisa May Alcott



McClain Miles

"Short sleeve button-downs are coming back but health care has always been in style." -VP Joe Biden's Twitter Page



Molly Mir

"I AM NATURALLY SLIMY THAT'S WHAT I AM!"



Alejandro Mojica

"Buttcheeks, we all have them but we all take them for granted as well, be happy you can comfortably sit down right now"
- Lil B 'The BasedGod'



Georgia Morgan

"Never grow a wishbone where your backbone ought to be."
Sarah McMane



Christian Muller



Katherine Murdoch

"The purpose of life is to be defeated by greater and greater things." -Ranier Rilke



Janice Orr

"You can't look stupid if you're having fun." -Amy Poehler



Lilly Payne

"A candle loses nothing by lighting another candle."
-James Keller



Jacob Powell



Schuyler Roberson

"Why wear pants when you could not wear pants?"



Oreine Robinson

"Stop trying to reinvent the wheel."



Nico Rodriguez

"Quit while you're a head."

"I am the judge of nonsense." - Wanda Coyle



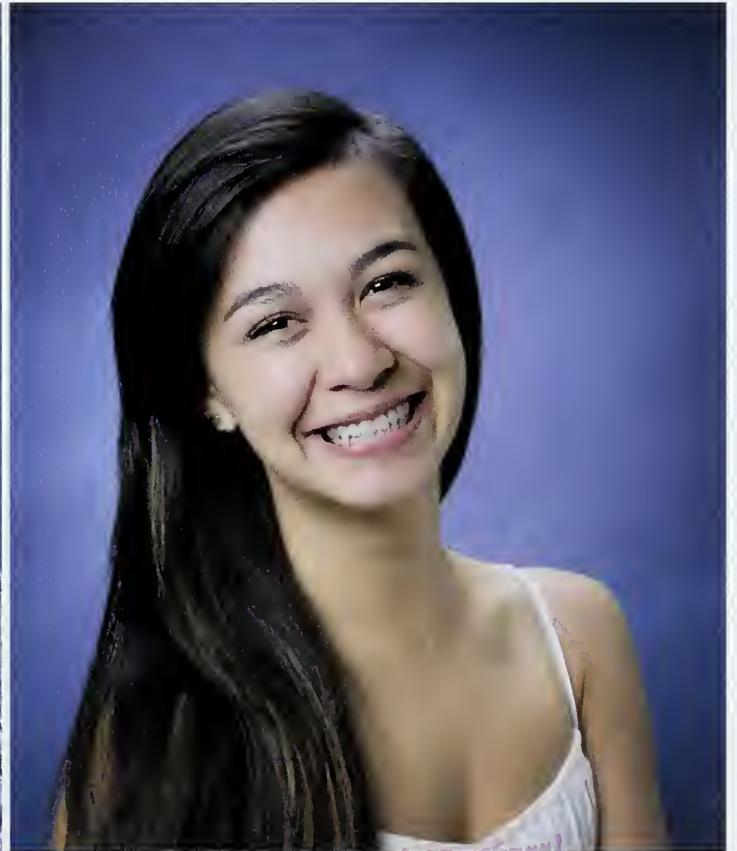
Elijah Rogan-Kelly



Sarah Savage
"I left them awkward."



Richard Schneider
"No one shall split the bonds that have been forged
between us all."



Annelise Senkowski
"Remember, remember, this is now, and now, and now. Live
it, feel it, cling to it." - Sylvia Plath



Paul Sessoms

"You better watch out when Paul's about." -Paul



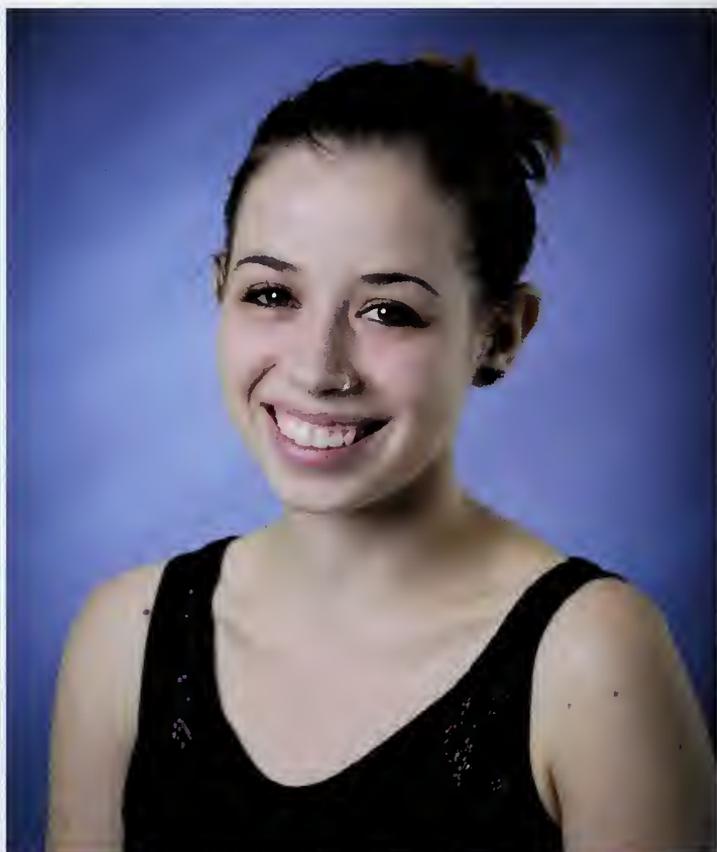
Jeffrey Shea

"I need to find my way back home again so I can be with family and friends" -OPM and also my friend that one time



Tatiana Shumoski

"I never lose sight of the fact that just being is fun."
-Katharine Hepburn



Ivy Simmons

"Existence is but a speck of perspective in the concept of reality." -A.G.H.



Julian Smart

"If the artist has outer and inner eyes for nature, nature rewards him by giving him inspiration." —Wassily Kandinsky



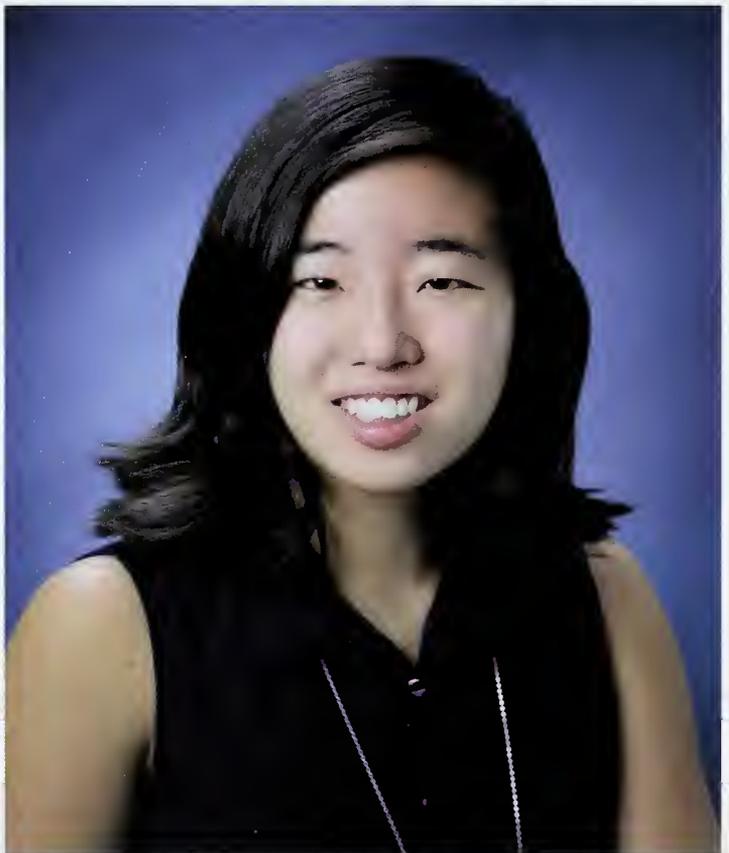
Austin Spero

"The best Scarers use their differences to their advantage." - Mike Wazowski, Monsters University



Collin Sterne

"The struggle itself [...] is enough to fill a man's heart. One must imagine Sisyphus happy."

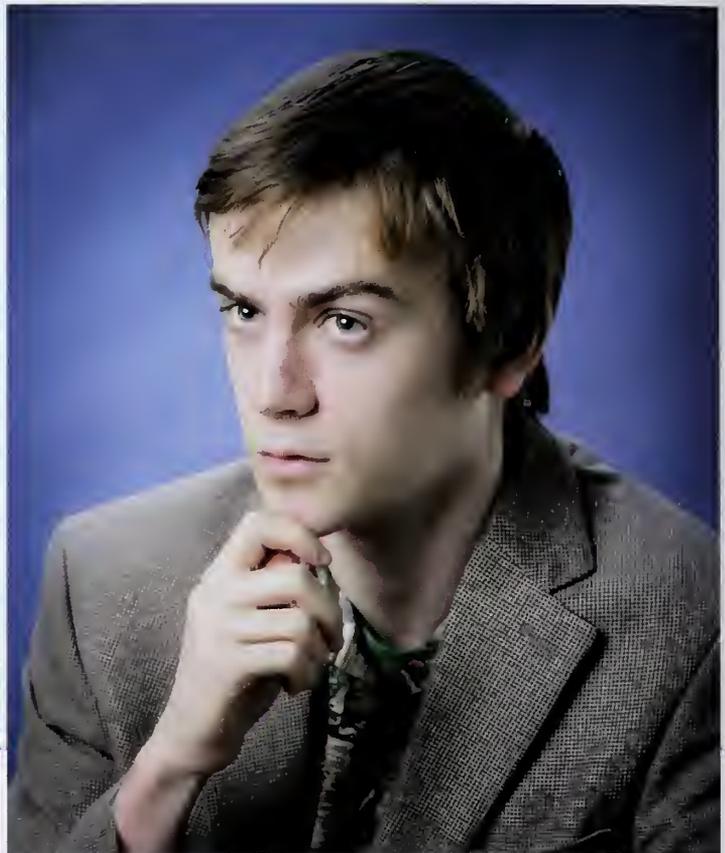


Ashley Suh

"I'm pretty sure there's more to life than being really really ridiculously good looking, and I plan on finding out what that is." -Derek Zoolander



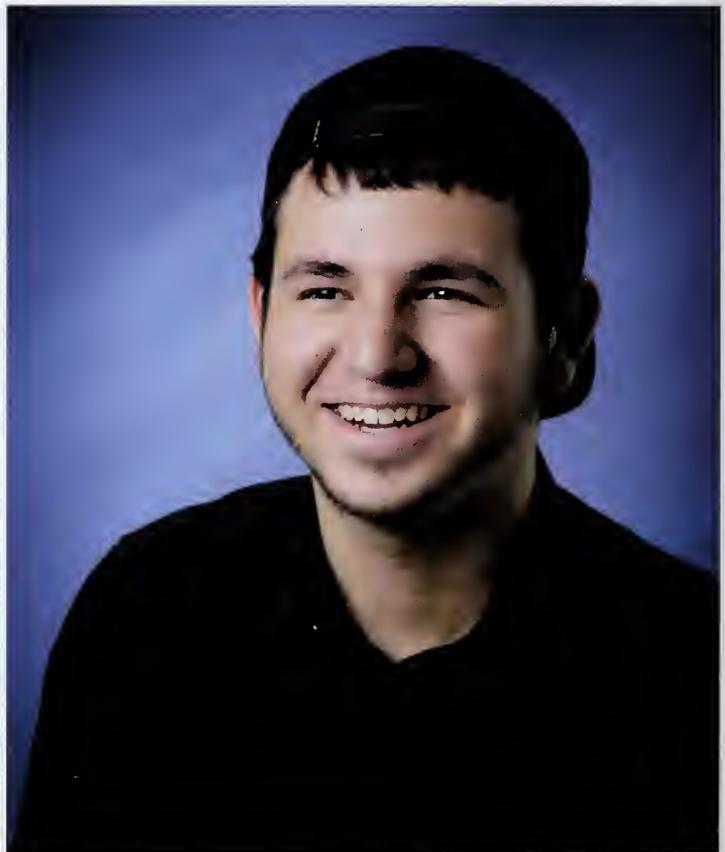
Kristen Sumrell



Ethan Swofford



Logan Trotter



Dominique Valenzuela

"Go confidently in the direction of your dreams. Live the life you have imagined." -Henry David Thoreau

"Don't gain the world and lose your soul, wisdom is better than silver and gold." – Bob Marley



Caleb Waldrop

"We are not factory made, we are the ones that will bring the change."



Anna Waller



Hayley Watson

"Believe it or not, I can actually draw."
- Jean-Michele Basquiat

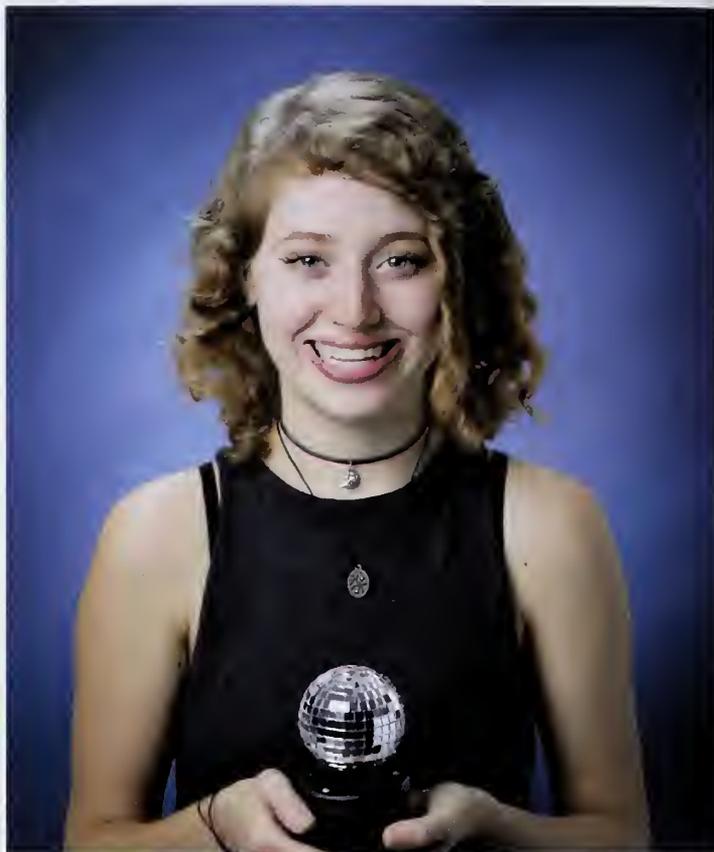


Alexandra Webb

"Thus you did to my vase."-Clovis



Mila Webb



Siena Werber

"You can fail at what you don't want, so you might as well take a chance on doing what you love." --Jim Carrey



Jaevon Williams

"To be nominated was enough, but when I won the Tony I just felt relief." Patti LuPone

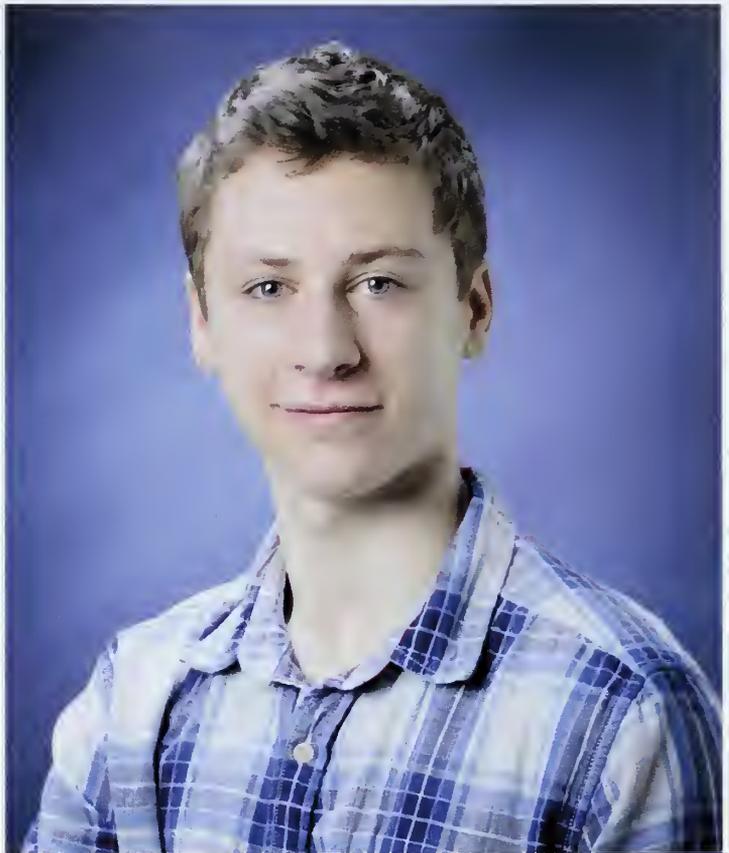


Claire Wilson

"Every single night, and every single day, imma do my thang." --Miley Cyrus



Levi Woodall-Posada
"119, WAZ ON YO SAMWICH?!"



Trace Yeames
"There are two important moments in a person's life: when they are born and when they find out why."



Peyton Yearick



Stephen Young



Clare Yu



Lorenzo Zapata

"I am not crazy. I am unique."
-Suzanne Warren (Crazy Eyes)





"What's brown and belongs in the toilet? Mario."



Cutest couple award!



"Don't push me I'm too close to the knowLEDGE. Cultivate the human condition."



Julian and Rebekah looking fierce.



"I love people who make me laugh. I honestly think it's the thing I like most, to laugh. It cures a multitude of ills. It's probably the most important thing in a person." -Audrey Hepburn



Snow daze.



Buds for life.



A couple of VA 2's at their 2014 intensive arts gallery show.



Emmalie, Sue, and Devann at ResLife's first bonfire of the year.



Katie tangled in a tree on a wonderful, wintery day.



Hudson and Katherine take a couple selfie.



Beautiful people.

ANNELISE CLAIRE SENKOWSKI

Congratulations Prez !!!!



Onward and upward Class of 2015

CONGRATULATIONS
GRACE!



WE ARE SO PROUD
YOU REALLY ARE AMAZING



Congratulations Ashley, on a lifetime of music and fun!

Congratulations!

You are such an inspiration to us! You chose to follow your dreams. And now, you are a beautiful artist as well as a smart, creative, funny and sensitive soul.

We can't wait to see where you'll go next and who else you will inspire!

Love, Mom, Dad, Emily, and Nana



SYDNEY BEDORE

Congratulations on your graduation from UNCSCA! You've come a long way since you were our tiny little ballerina and we are so proud of you! You are kind, patient, generous and beautiful inside and out. We know AMAZING things await you in the future. Remember to always have fun and never stop chasing your dreams (until you catch them)!

We ALL love you so much!
Mommy, Daddy, Bella & Lulu

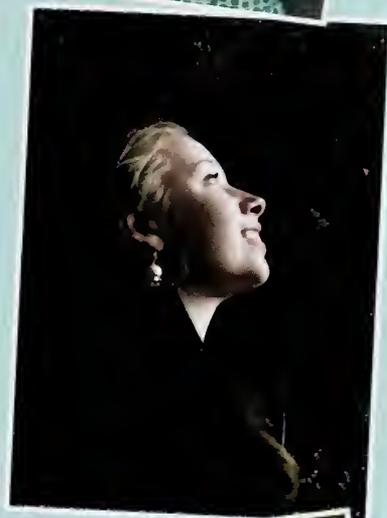




Congratulations Emi!

You are smart, strong, and beautiful
You are perfect just the way you are
You can be anything you want to be
We are very, very proud of you
We love you very much!

Mom, Dad, and Adam





Connor Cheek

We are so proud of your hard work and determination. You have brought us so much joy. Remember...all the world's a stage. Now go make the world a happy place!

We love you!

Mom, Dad, Holden, Tyler, Casey, Bradley & Lauri'Ann



Mom and Dad are so proud of you! Brava Devann

Marisa Baskin



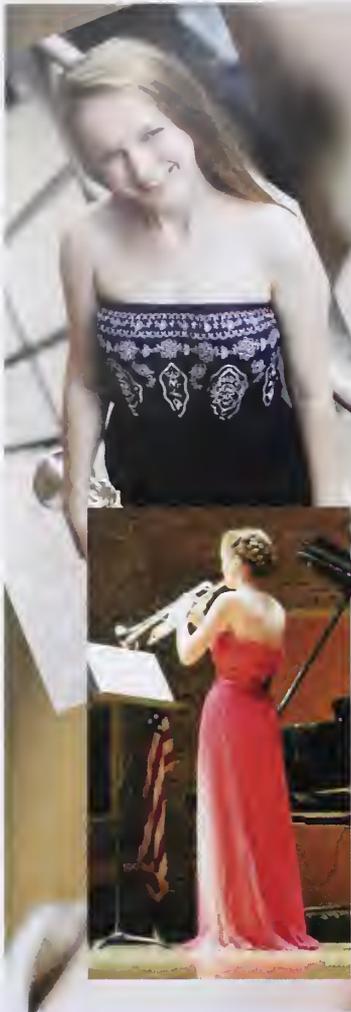
We're so proud of you baby girl!
Love, Mom & Dad



Carolyn, Abby &
We won't wait to see where your
dreams and all your hard work takes
you!

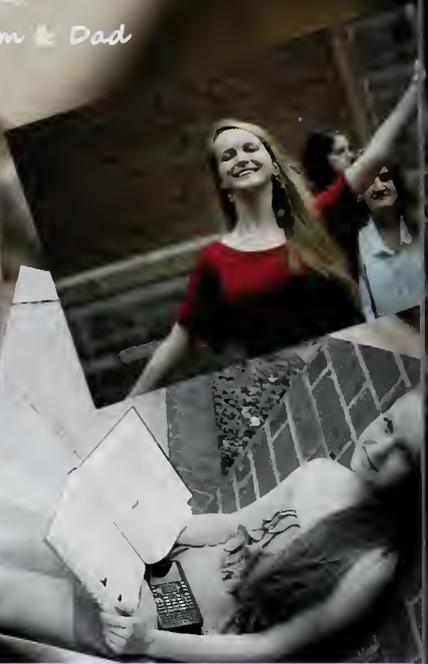


We love you so much!
Mommy and Daddy



There are no words to say how much we love you and how proud we are of you and the wonderful young woman you've become! As one chapter ends, another begins. We can't wait to see what happens next!

Love,
Mom & Dad



Lucy Brooks

Dear Lucy,
You are beautiful and stylish like Rachel, conscientious like Monica, hilarious like Chandler, talented and gorgeous like Joey, intelligent and a little neurotic like Ross... Will be there for you!!

Love,
Mom, Dad, Daisy & Polly



Copeland {Copey} Byars



You take your car
to work
I'll take my board
And when you're
out of fuel
I'm still afloat



-Weezer



C O N G R A T U L A T I O N S

Sydney

WE ARE SO PROUD
of all that you have accomplished
and are excited to see you
enter the next "stage"
of your life at
Duke!

Love you!
Mom, Dad
& Hannah



UNCSA Class of 2015
Duke University Class of 2019



Sassy Spanish
December 2012



Those Aurora hands
January 2010



Future Dukies at Cameron
January 2005



Ooh ah, ooh ah, cool, cool kitty
May 2003

Rebekah Chae

Congratulations



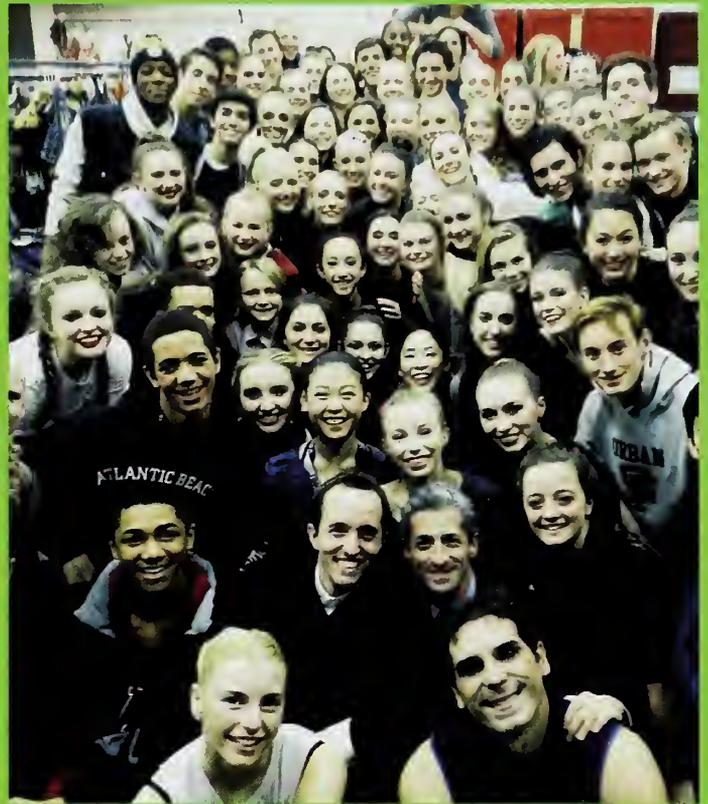
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Congratulations, Matthew! We are so proud of all your accomplishments. Thanks for such great memories! We wish you every happiness and success. Love - Mom and Dad

CONGRATULATIONS CAILIN

Quickly, these last two years passed, embracing challenges, learning, growing and sharing with friends becoming lifelong memories. This is the starting point for the rest of your life. Love and happiness surround you.



Logan

We are so proud of you for achieving this milestone in your journey. You are a precious gift to our family.

Wishing you love and blessings as you pursue your passion!

Mom, Dad, Susanna,
Garrison and Kiva

"If you can imagine it, you can achieve it. If you can dream it, you can become it."

-William Arthur Ward



Career.

Congratulations! You have come a long way from being our little girl in purple sequins stepping onto the stage for the first time. We've always enjoyed watching you dance. We are very proud of you. With love. Mom, Dad and Kendall



Tatianna

What a joy it has been to share your school years with you. You are such an example of courage and grace. Your talent and beautiful spirit inspire us and your wit always makes us smile.



Congratulations
We Love you Always
Mom, Dad and Anastasia



*Arise and be all that
you dream.*

*Ivy Elizabeth Simmons,
We love you dearly and forever. You are
always in our hearts. ~Mama and Papa*

Congratulations!
HENSON
ALEXANDRA
MILAM
2015



With love always,
Mom,
Dad,
and Alley

"Of the four elements, air, earth, water, and fire
 man stole only one from the gods. FIRE. And
 with it forged his will upon the world."
 anonymous



Jacob Grainger Powell
 UNCSA
 Class of 2015

We are proud
 of you and
 how hard you
 have worked
 this year!
 We can't wait
 to see what
 you will create
 in the future.



Peyton Yearlick
 "I know the plans I have for you" says the Lord. I want
 you to prosper and to enjoy success. I do not plan to harm you, I will give you
 a future and hope. For years to come. Jeremiah 29:11

We are so blessed you danced into our lives.
 We are so proud of you! May all your
 dreams come true! Much Love, Mom, Dad, & Ke

Sarah Catherine Savage

"If there ever comes a day when we can't be
 together, keep me in your heart, I'll stay there
 forever."
 -Winnie the Pooh

Sarah, you are always with us. We are so proud of you.
 With love,
 Mom, Dad, Mollie, and Lacey

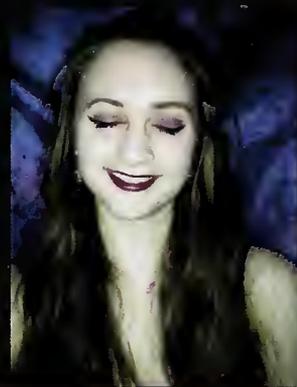




Dear Maggie,

YOU'VE WORKED SO HARD! Never stop being a beautiful dancer, dedicated friend, and delicious pancake. You're the one who makes everyone else feel special.

Copeland, Paul, and Meredith.



Congratulations, Meredith!

We're glad you're not still pretending to be a cat.

Love, Mom and Dad

P.S. you are our favorite





"Dakota,



You've worked tirelessly to reach your lofty goals and we are so very proud to see you reach yet another one!



Celebrations and congratulations!

We love you so much,

Mom, Dad, and Nic



We'll miss you!



High School Leadership Program

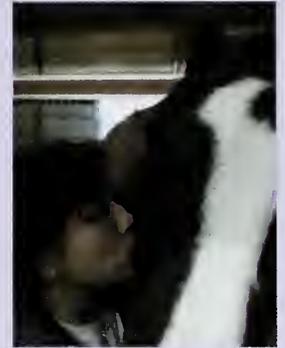
American Red Cross

**It all starts with a leader.
It starts with you.**

Visit redcrossblood.org today to learn more about the High School Leadership Program and schedule an appointment to donate blood.



"Hi, I'm Mr. Milner and I'll be your teacher this year. We're gonna laugh a little and we're gonna cry a little."



Congratulations Alexa!

You are an amazing and inspirational young woman. You have touched everyone who knows you with your laughter, love of life and the arts, and your kind heart. As you figure out where the future will take you, know that you have no boundaries or limits. Reach for the stars and chase every dream. We are so proud of you!!



Final Snap Shots!



Even Germans are welcome here!



Seniors Ahna Lipchik, Alejandro Mojica, Carson Mason, and Clare Yu get funky at intervis... but not too funky.



ALMOST THERE!!!!



Above: Seniors procrastinate.
Below: VA 2 selfie! #artsy



Above: VA's pose after a taxing art show. Below: Dom and Emmalie show their Texas Pride!



Above: VA's survey their kingdom from the hill.
Below: Krishna and Frankie enjoy one another's company.



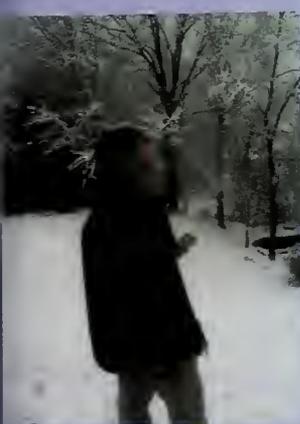


Best

Buds!



From Gray 3 Halloween to Sanford 3 struggles to Moore 1 intervisitation, pickles know how to do it right.



SNOW
DAY
FUN!!





