End
of an
Era
1999
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End of an Era
The end of our childhood.

The end of our youth.
THE END OF AN ERA

The end of an era means different things to different people. The end of the millennium, the end of a decade, and the end of our high school career. We are the culmination of everyone who has nurtured, taught and guided us. Our parents, our teachers, and our friends have molded us. We will look back on these four years and realize that in some way, each person in our lives has helped us to get where we are today. We owe all our accomplishments and triumphs in part to them. Although we will be affected by these people far into the future, the end of our high school career is truly the end of a chapter in our life. It is the end of an era.

written by Lori Mahaney
Remember when we wondered what page the homework was on? (pictured are Seniors R.J. Hubert and Courtney Whittfield)

Remember when the crowds went wild? (pictured are members of Varsity Cheerleading)
The memories we have accumulated throughout our four years of high school will stay with us forever. We built floats as freshmen, sophomores, juniors and seniors, sang on the stage in the school musical, strengthened our minds from bell to bell, socialized at our lockers, ate together in the cafeteria, and learned to work together as teammates in our clubs and sports. Whatever our memories may be, they have become a part of each and every one of us as we grew up together.

For four years our lives have revolved around Lindenhurst High School. Our friends, teachers and fellow classmates have all come together to make the most important years of our lives. Everything we have done, from walking through the school doors the first day of freshman year to walking across the field on graduation day, will be etched in our minds forever as lasting memories.

By Lori Mahaney and Melissa Mee

Remember when we were champions once again? (pictured are senior float builders)
Seniors Aliana Terrell and Leslie Dawb are "all smiles".

Showing their support for Lindy at a boys Varsity Soccer game are Vincent Latorre and Sean Kehoe.

Hanging out after the Junior Prom are Dawn Kuhn, Rachel Engley, and Kristy Nicoletti.

The seniors had fun this summer at a pool party at Mr. P's house!

When seniors aren't making plans for college or studying for exams, they are enjoying the Great South Bay, resting after a hard day's work, striking a pose, and smiling in the sun.
When they aren't working hard at academics the seniors know when to take a break.

Chris Legutko, Matt Martinez, Karolina Urbanska, Jillian Roguivitz, and Eddie Ammirata enjoying a day at the beach.

Ciao! Senior Chris Levane dressed up like an Italian woman for a project.

Kristy Gainer and Katie Eriksen vacationing together in Pennsylvania.

Nicole Corin and Adrienne Beattie are all smiles at the Junior Prom.
Senior Daze

All dolled up! Shannon Doseh, Kristy Janes, Dana Clarry, Stacy Cardona, and Rosie Tirado.

Maria Mauri, what a joker!

At a park Liz Daniels strikes a pose.

Mike Egan showing off his "muscles".

Just the two of us: Seniors David Kengle and Kristine Dodge smile for the camera.
Senioritis: Seniors spend time in the rotunda, a favorite “senior privilege”. Doesn’t it look fun?

Look at these studs, posing for the camera.

Homecoming ’98: Lauren Fiteni, Victoria Farris, and Adrienne Frole pose by their homecoming float.

How sweet it was: Mark Drago, Chrissy Witchey, Kerri Cadieux, Anthony D’Michelle and Liz Vaughn dancing at Chrissy’s “Sweet 16” party.
Give me an O, C, E. . . . The winning team, the Oceansiders in the LEFT Olympics. From left to right: John Kilfoil, Becky Bacon, Phil Hoffken, Samantha Quinn, Lisa Gentile, Melissa LaCagnina, Lily Hui, Kerri Galley, Barbara Simmons, and Lisa Bizarro.

Stuff it! Sam Quinn and Lisa Gentile stuffing Kerri Galley's pajamas.

The Royalty of Pecoic Dunes R.J. Hubert and Barbara Simmons winning the crown and title of Mr. and Mrs. LEFT '98.


What Classroom? Here junior James Giordano and Lisa Gentile look to learn about orienteering in our math class of the day.

I hear and I forget, I see and I remember, I do and I understand.
The LEFT trip to Peconic Dunes was a wonderful experience that could never be paralleled. The trip brought the group of 26 students and six core teachers closer in mind, body, and soul as we became a close-knit family. From the time we were awakened in the early morning till the time we collapsed from pure exhaustion, we all worked together as a group. The LEFT trip was fun as well as challenging. We not only learned about nature and our environment, and were taught the educational lessons, we also learned life lessons.

The trip only lasted five short days but to every member of the LEFT crew, it made a world of difference. We all gained different views about each other, the world surrounding us, and the paths that we should follow in living our lives to the fullest. On this excursion some overcame their terrifying fears, others had the chance to reunite with old friends and work out differences, but each of us gained twenty-five new friends. I know that every member of the LEFT family will look back fondly upon their LEFT experience and remember it always in their hearts. I think the most important lessons we've learned from LEFT '98 have been that life is what you make of it and that if you let chances go for any reason, then you'll never fully experience life. I'm so glad that I had a chance to participate in this wonderful program and I hope that it continues to teach its valuable lessons for years to come.

by Lily Hui

Wolfpack moves in ... Matt Martinez passing an orange to Dawn Kuhn while Christina Lamano looks on.

LEFTovers anyone? The first dinner crew hard at work: Erin Giordano, Mr. Martin, John Kilfoil, Matt Martinez, and Kerri Galley.
A major preparation for our annual pep rally and homecoming is spirit week. This year was a huge success. Both teachers and students showed their school spirit by dressing in pajamas, bell-bottoms, crazy hair, Hawaiian skirts with flowered blouses, and green and white attire. This year Wednesday fell on a holiday, we creatively came up with "No school day," a day of full participation by all. The week instilled a school spirit in not only all those willing participants, but also those who enjoyed the show from the sidelines.

Mike Kamme showing his true colors ... by dressing as a hula girl.
Dawn Ramos and Ms. Scharf know how to have fun.

Ms. Scharf and seniors get caught in the 70's.

Keith Leary and Matt Turtell cheer on their fellow teams at the pep rally. Matt ... how long did it take to get the paint off?

Here are some students that are not camera shy.
On October 2, 1998, the gymnasium was filled with bulldog pride and school spirit as we cheered on our fall athletic teams. The pep rally was just the beginning of a very exciting homecoming weekend.

One of the highlights of the evening was the announcement of homecoming king and queen. Victor Kelly and Shannon Speed won the titles and were crowned.

A fairly new tradition at Lindenhurst High School is “Kiss the Bulldog”. The teacher who raises the most money for charity by the end of the week has to pucker up and face the dog. Because of a disagreement over which teacher raised the most money, both Ms. Scharf and Mr. Caravaggio kissed the dog.

This year Mr. and Mrs. Bulldog were chosen for the first time. Mr. McCandless and Ms. Katsionis proudly took this honor.

The pep rally ended in a bang. Gucci fireworks lit up the night sky as students, parents, administrators and teachers watched in awe.

Written by Jessica McCarthy

Hands down: As part of homecoming tradition, homecoming king and queen nominees and team captains are forced to eat cereal with their hands tied behind their backs.
Crowned for a day: Senior Victor Kelly and Shannon Speed were proud to be named Homecoming King and Queen.

What so proudly we hail: Members of the J.R.O.T.C. displayed the flag as we patriotically honored our Stars and Stripes.

Friendly Support: Six seniors support their friend, John Hutzel, also known as "Hammer".

Kick high: Varsity Kickline put on an outstanding performance at the Pep Rally.

Fall Pep Rally 17
Freshman year the final product was "The Bulldog Barge".

"They're always after me Lucky Charms."

Senior Keri Cadieux showing her spirit at the homecoming parade.
Seniors Elizabeth Vaughn, "Lucky", and Allyson Feld doing the Irish Jig.

Scott Gassen working hard on the float, later claiming 1st place in the competition.

They were all smiles on the 1997 Toy Story float. The finished product of the Monopoly float.
The Sophomore float, "Froot Loops," placed fourth this year.

Here come the Bulldogs! #12 Sean McNeilly, #80 Brad Kallman, and #72 Jon Pontecorvo.

The freshman float took third place with their "Breakfast of Champions."

Cheerleader Jeanine Labate cheers on as Bulldog mascot, Heather Olega manages to steal the Sachem mascot's headpiece.
EVERY DOG HAS ITS DAY

For this year's Homecoming game, the Bulldogs faced what might have been their toughest opponent of the 1998 football season. With this as the third game of the year, the Bulldogs had a 0-2 hole to dig themselves out of. Everyone looked forward to seeing our Bulldogs play the Sachem Flaming Arrows; the largest populated school on Long Island and one of the toughest teams.

The game began at 1:30 with Sachem kicking off. On the first drive, quarterback Erik Conroy threw an interception. The turnover cost the Bulldogs. Sachem had possession of the ball on the two yard line, which made their first drive reasonably easy to score.

Sachem scored later on the first quarter increasing their lead to 14-0. Then things started to look up for the Bulldogs as their leading rusher Glenn Schafer scored on a 6 yard run and put the Bulldogs on the board 14-6. They converted on the two point conversion as Vic Kelly faked the extra point and threw to Mike Hamanjian in the end zone making the score 14-8.

That was the closest the Bulldogs would get to beating Sachem in the game. The final score was 35-14. It was a disappointing Homecoming game for the Lindy Bulldogs, but keep in mind who we were playing that day. Coach Biancaniello was disappointed at the loss but he felt that the offense moved the ball better than they had the entire year. The team had 233 yards total offense, which is a great number for a high school team. Some of the players that were a positive in the game were Mike Ortega, Vic Kelly, and Brendan Farrell. This was Vic Kelly's first game back from an injury, and Coach Biancaniello felt he was a big addition to the offense.

The Junior's proudly showed their "ABC's" during this year's Homecoming parade.

Senior Vic Kelly #4 gets the first down against Sachem.
Senior Sean Keboe dreams of home run #71.

The Rugrats on an adventure.

Gilligan and Skipper, played by Sean Dillon and Debbie Levatino.

Mr. Finder and Mr. McCandless impersonate the "Botavi Brothers."
Senior Halloween Pageant '98

"The millionaire and his wife," Dave Torchiano and Kim Baldwin

Seniors and underclassmen had a great time.
Safe Halloween

Seniors Allison Feld, Melissa Moe, and Lori Mahaney dressed for the occasion.

Thespian seniors Dan Ferrante and Kerry Knowles in a Halloween Play.

Junior Chris Martin and Seniors Lily Hui and Melissa Lacagnina

R.J. Hubert successfully frightened all that entered the senior hallway.
Anthony Mauro getting his hand painted by Kevin Zheng.

Seniors Anthony "Vito" Fracalvieri and Linda Carni

Seniors Amy Kienzle and Erin Giordano.

Safe Halloween 25
Dan Ferrante and Kerri Knowles as the Hardy couple.

Jesse Guglierrri as the manager of the Washington Senators set the story straight with the reporter played by Jen Sosna.

The Washington Senators show that "You Gotta Have Heart."
R.J. Hubert in his villainous role as Applegate. (Satan).

Cast Members:

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Grand Finale of the DAMN YANKEES

The Cigarette girls: Anna Maria Usenza, Alaina Tutrone, Shannon Connelly.

Lola, played by Heather Vernise, contemplates her next scheme.
This Is The Time To Remember

Erik Justvig and Crystal Cody accept the crown for Prince and Princess of The Junior Prom.

Lauren Alizech and Danny Rodriguez are "bustin' a move."

Michelle Diaz and Jessica Jenniwein prove that blondes do have more fun!

It was a girls night out.
The Junior Prom Committee—Victoria Farris, Jen Romarox, Lori Krieg. These are the girls that made it happen.

Coughlin, Cicco, Scottie Mac, and Spada—all prettied up for the prom.

We partied like it was 1999.
Student Life At The Alternative Learning Center
In the end
it’s who you know

The class of 1999 would like to take this opportunity to thank Mr. Smith and Mr. Yampiro for their extraordinary amount of support and guidance. We are also thankful to our teachers and support staff for their hard work, dedication, and the extra time that they have given to us through the years.

The essence of a community is reflected in its schools. Lindenhurst has been a truly remarkable place to grow, learn, and discover. Without the support and spirit of our dedicated members of Lindenhurst High School, we would not be who we are today. Even though we may all travel different paths, we will always go back to our roots. We are proud to have laid our foundations in Lindenhurst and there is no greater truth than this . . . In the end it’s who you know.

Written by Jennifer Su
Thank you Mr. Smith for being a part of all we do and for helping us every step of the way.

Thank you Mr. Yampiro for taking a special interest in our class. We appreciate everything that you have done to make this a great year.
Farisha Ali—"Enjoy your youth because you are only young once."

Anastasia Albert

Farisha Ali

Lauren Alizzeh

Kimberly Altmann

Sean Anderson

Matthew Ascolese

Colleen Atkinson Activities—Volleyball, Basketball, Lacrosse
Michael Avanzato Activities—Bowling

Raymond Asquino

Colleen Atkinson

Michael Avanzato

Jack Balnis—"Spleen N' Liver, Barnyard spoon dip"

Rebecca Bacon

Kimberly Baldwin

Jack Balnis
Michael Banach—“With anything worth doing comes suffering.”

Adrienne Beattie Activities—Cheerleading
Lisa Bender—“Life’s a journey, not a destination.”

Nicole Bernardo—“A life lived in fear, is a life half lived.”

Heather Besser—“Smile, it makes people wonder what you’ve been up to.”
Lisa Bizzarro—“Keep your face to the sunshine and you cannot see the shadow.”
Rachel Blind Activities—Varsity Swimming, Yearbook Editor—"Who knows where thoughts come from? They just appear."

Daniel Bjork  Rachel Blind  Kurt Bohrer

Antoinette Booth  J.P. Boucher  Michael Brescia

David Browne  Danielle Bruccoleri  Maria Bruccoleri

Keri Cadieux Activities—French Club, Student Council, Honor Society, Thespians, Student musical, SOHO, Tennis

Maria Buccafusca  Brooke Burtner  Keri Cadieux

36 Bjork—Cadieux
Ricardo Campana Activities—Soccer

Gaetano Canale—"Notorious B.I.G., The Greatest R.I.P."
Victor Caputo Activities—Golf

Stacy Cardona
Thomas Caridi
Linda Carni

Gerard Carollo
Danielle Carroll
Jeanne Carter
Waldy Charles Activities—MCJROTC, French Club, L’Atelier, Fellowship Club, Spanish Club, Wrestling

Laura Chille Activities—Cheerleading, Soccer, Art Honor Society, Varsity Club

Brian Clifford Activities—National Honor Society, Student Council, Class Council, Varsity Tennis, Ski Club
Andrea Cocivera Activities—Environmental Club, Jump rope for heart

Dana Clarry
Brian Clifford
Andrea Cocivera

Crystal Cody
Philip Coiro
Nicole Conefry
Elizabeth Daniels—“Always follow your dreams, because they are your greatest accomplishments.”

Matteo Delorenzo Activities—Varsity Lacrosse, Peer Leadership, Orchestra, Football

Michelle Diaz—“Don’t stoop to someone else’s lows to make them happy.”
Nick Dilluvio Activities—Soccer, Newspaper, Band

Anthony DiMichele Activities—Football, Concert Choir, Key Club
Kristina Dodge—"The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams."

Martin Dolega Activities—Varsity Soccer

Kristen Donato
Shannon Dosch
Tina Doukas
Kristen Dreyer Activities—Field Hockey, German Club

Robert Dymek—"Live, enjoy life, be happy, you only get one chance."

Melissa Easterbrook Activities—Lacrosse, Cross-country, Ski Club, Peer Leadership

Edyta Dylewska

Mike Egan Activities—Baseball, Drumline, Percussion Ensemble, Peer Leadership

Erica Eisen Activities—Drama and Concert Choir—"Just be yourself."

Michael Egan

Arthur Engleman—"ONLY GOD can judge me."

Rachel Engley Activities—Kickline, Student Council, DECA club, Boys Lacrosse Stats

Michael Engstrom—"Froggy"

Arthur Engelman

Rachel Engley

Michael Engstrom
Catherine Eriksen Activities—Key Club, SOHO—"Hi Dave!"

Victoria Farris—"It's hard to believe the best is yet to come."
Allyson Feld—"Nothing is interesting if you're not interested."

Peter Ferraro—"Comedy is just a funny way of being serious."
Lauren Fiteni Activities—Lacrosse, Student Council, Yearbook
Anthony Fraccalvieri  Activities—Band, Newspaper, Student Council, Percussion Ensemble, Musical, Drumline

Sarah Freund  Activities—Field Hockey

Kristy Gainer—“Nothing is impossible with God.”

Michael Garvin  Activities—Soccer, Lacrosse, National Honor Society, Student Council, Key Club, Track & Field

44 Fraccalvieri—Garvin
Margie Gauci Activities—Student Council, Kickline, National Honor Society, Class Council, SOHO

Joseph Giordano Activities—MCJROTC

Nicole Gorin Activities—Cheerleading and Yearbook
Amber Green Activities—Varsity Gymnastics, Student Council, DECA club
Steven Guarini Activities—Lacrosse, winter track, Student Council, Football

Adam Gwaltney Activities—National Honor Society, Volleyball, Tennis, Student Council, French Club, Ski Club

Christine Hartman—"A moment lasts a second, but the memory lives on forever."

Phil Hoffken Activities—Cross-Country, Swimming and Diving, Track and Field
Stephanie Hughes—“To dream is to have the power to your own future.”

Lili Hui—“Bees with honey in their mouths have stings in their tails.”
Jason Hunsicker—“Much love to Carolyn and my squad!—Jay Suga! NICE!”

Carloyn Hurley—“I will always love you, Jason!”
Melissa Hurley Activities—Band, marching band, Key Club, Environmental Club, DECA club, Tech Crew and Pit Orchestra

John Hutzel—“A.K.A. Hammer”
Lisa Ingino—“True Friends stick together”
Jessica Jennewein—"True friends stab you from the front."

Eric Johnston Activities—National Honor Society, Thespians, Volleyball, Key Club, Choir, Ski Club
Erik Justvig Activities—Peer Leadership—"Keep your intentions high, for the best success."

Marissa Kalt Activities—Gymnastics
Michael Kamme Activities—Student Council President, Class Council, National Honor Society, Swimming, Volleyball

48 Javed—Kelly
John Kilfoil—"Live life. Work hard. Never give up—and be successful."

William Klein—"Do you have any gum?"

Sara Klos—"I yearn for those carefree days of childhood, yeah foreshadow?"

Kerry Knowles Activities—President of Thespians Club, National Honor Society, Student Council, School Musicals, Peer Leadership

Kelly Kozub Activities—Softball, Volleyball, Varsity Club, Class of '99
Tina Kremer—"Yield to the princess."
Lori Krieg—"There is no greater exercise for the heart than reaching down and picking someone up."

Dawn Kuhn Activities—Honor Society, Student Council, Art Honor Society, Spanish Club, Field Hockey

Charles Labansky—"Booka"
Melissa LaCagna Activities—Marching Band, National Honor Society, Thespians, Jazz Band, Italian Club

Mariola Kunysz
Charles Labansky
Melissa Lacagnina

Christina Lamano
Jacob Land
John Lanning
Jeff Larson  Activities—Student Council, Honor Society, Tennis, Jazz Band, Orchestra for school musical, Ski Club

Keith Leary  Activities—Baseball, Basketball, Chorus, Volleyball

Chris Legutko  Activities—Lacrosse, Student Council, Italian Club

Chris Levane—"The worst thing in life is wasted talent."
Debra Levatino—"Wherever I am, it’s my friends that make it ‘My World.’"
Ana Licil Activities—Marine Corps JROTC, Student Council

Anthony Lopardi Activities—Baseball, Football

Michael Lumpp—"This ain't no swap meet!"

Melanie Lynn Activities—Class President, N.A.H.S., Student Council Publicity officer, Editor of L'Atelier, Cheerleading, Lacrosse
Shannon Lyons—"Once someone touches your heart, the fingerprints last forever."

Melanie Lynn
Shannon Lyons
Robert Maciejski
Scott Mackiewicz Activities—Varsity Baseball, Spanish Club, Student Council
Lori Beth Mahaney—"Give me truths, for I am weary of the surfaces."

Josephine Mannino—"No Tee, we HAVE to go to school today." Well O.K.

Veronica Martin Activities—Spanish Club.
"Class of '99, let's raise the roof!"
Jessica McCarthey—Activities—Yearbook, Chamber Orchestra, Color Guard, Pit Orchestra

Melissa McQueen—"A single moment of understanding can flood a whole life with meaning."

Melissa Mee—"There's only now, there's only this, forget regret or life is yours to miss."

Maria Mauri Anthony Mauro Jessica McCarthey

Stephen McGrath Melissa McQueen Mark Medina

Melissa Mee Jeffrey Michta Ria Migadakis

Thomas Mikalinis Anthony Miller Christopher Miller
Matthew Miller: Activities—Marine Corps JROTC

Shereka Mohammed: "What goes around always comes around."
Jaime Molineux: "Live life forwards because you can't go backwards."

Suzanne Nabavi: Activities—Field Hockey, Lacrosse, Student Council, Varsity Club

Christina Nelson: Activities—Student Council, Honor Society, Kickline, Symphonic Band, Class Council
Kelly Newman: Activities—Field Hockey, Lacrosse
Kristy Nicoletti Activities—Lacrosse stats, Kickline, Student Council, National Honor Society, Deca Club
Jillian O'Reilly—"Things happen for a reason."

Janine Pane—"To save time, just assume I know everything."

Jennifer Pannone Activities—Kickline, Student Council, National Honor Society, Italian Club

Chris Pappas Activities—Football, Cross-Country, Winter Track, Spring Track

Shradha Pawa
Angela Petracca
Katarzyna Poznanska
Frank Rivero Activities—Marine Corps, J.R.O.T.C., Baseball

Jennifer Romano Activities—Kickline, Class Council, Student Council, Peer Leadership
Thomas Romano Activities—Soccer, Musical, Drama, Thespians
Daniel Romero Activities—Marching Band, Jazz Band, Computer Club, Art Club, DECA, French Club

Cheryl Rosenberg—"Nothing lasts forever."
Rich Rossi Activities—Basketball, Baseball, Key Club, National Honor Society, Student Council, Mock Trial Club

Jared Salina—"Why ask if you know?"

Michael Scalone Glenn Schafer David Schweitzer
Nahum J. Smith Activities — Spanish Club, Key Club, National Honor Society, Student Council, Renaissance Club, Jazz Band

Sean Sowden Activities—Art Honor Society
Shannon Speed Activities—Field Hockey, Basketball, Softball, Varsity Club, Ski Club
Jennifer Stebe Activities—Key Club, Tennis, National Honor Society, French Club.—“All you need is love.”

Jennifer Su—“Hold tight to your dreaming”

Enoch Tang Activities—Charles Street Times, Student Council, National Honor Society, French Club, Fellowship Club

Dave Tatara—“The world will still be turning long after you’re gone”

Dan Taylor—“I’ll stop procrastinating ... once I get around to it”

Christine Terzella Activities—National Honor Society, Italian Club, Student Council, Key Club

Alaina Terrell

Christine Terzella

Rosemarie Tirado
Kevin Toomey Activities—Basketball, Soccer
David Torchiano—"What can I say, I had fun"

Adriana Tobon

Kevin Toomey

David Torchiano

Anthony Travolina

Melissa Trotta

Maria Tsistinas

Jessica Tufano

Eric Tursi

Thomas Ulrich

Karolina Urbanska—"K. Kay"

Steven Ulrich

Karolina Urbanska

Thomas Urraro

Eric Tursi—"You can't dye your hair too many times"

Tom Ulrich Activities—Lacrosse
Jason Valente—“Das Boot!”
Elizabeth Vaughan Activities—Marching Band, Thespians, National Honor Society, School Musical, Student Council

Heather Vernisie Activities—All-State Women’s Chorus, All-County Choir, Cheerleading, Lacrosse, Student Council, Drama Club

Chrissy Witchey Activities—Key Club—
“Don’t be sad it’s over, be glad it ever happened!”
Nichole Younker  Activities—Cheerleading, Peer Leadership. "Smile it can't be that bad"

George Zaharioudakis  Activities—Football, Varsity Club, Spanish Club.

Theresa Zampella—"I've seen my share of devils in this angel town"

Wysocki—Zukowsky 63
And The
Envelope Please . . .

MOST LIKELY TO BECOME PRESIDENT
Brian Clifford and Kristina Dodge

MOST LIKELY TO RECEIVE AN ACADEMY AWARD
Dan Ferrante and Kerry Knowles

WARME ST PERSONALITY
Lisa Bizzarro and Billy Klein

MOST SCHOOL SPIRIT
Melanie Lynn and Pete Ferraro

Senior Picks 65
MOST CHANGED SINCE THE 9th GRADE
Joe Spada and Michelle Diaz

BEST DANCERS
Adrienne Beattie and Danny Rodriguez

MOST UNIQUE
Kristen Dare and James Mohr

MOST OPTIMISTIC
Dave Torchiano and Melissa McQueen & Victoria Farris

BEST DRESSED
Marissa Kalt and John Laming
NICEST SMILES
Victor Kelly and Christine Dolginko

MOST MUSICAL
Linda Carni and Mike Egan

NICEST EYES
Nicole Gorin and John Kilfoil

MOST TALKATIVE
NJ Smith and Jessica Jennewein

MOST INVOLVED IN THE COMMUNITY
Lori Krieg and Mike Kamme
MOST LIKELY TO TAKE OVER MICROSOFT
Adam Gwaltney and Maria Tsistinas

CLASS CLOWNS
Danny Ward and Shannon Speed

CLASS GOSSIP
Kelly Newman and Tom Ulrich

MOST DISTINCTIVE LAUGH
Anthony Dicicco and Melissa Lascalas

MOST ATHLETIC
Rory Malone and Barbara Simmons
MOST LIKELY TO BECOME AN MTV VEEJAY
Kim Baldwin and Eric Tursi

MOST LIKELY TO BLUSH
Dave Kengle and Maria Maun

WORST CASES OF SENIORITIS
Steve McGrath and Angela Juliano

MOST ARTISTIC
Dan Romero and Christy Jones

MOST LIKELY TO FALL ASLEEP IN CLASS
Shannon Dosch and Lauren Allizeh
The past four years of high school have taught me tremendous lessons in life. I am ready for the next challenge. Although the mountain ahead is steep and rocky, the view from the top is worth the sweat and tears it will take to get there.

"Imagination is more important than knowledge." – Albert Einstein
This year the Bulldog ’99 has been dedicated to Mrs. Davis.

TEACHER PROFILE

What is your background? I was born and raised in New York. I reside on Long Island with my husband and son who attends the University of Delaware.

What universities did you attend? Hofstra University and U.C.L.A.

Why did you become a teacher? While in high school I had the same English teacher for three of my four years. His classes were challenging and memorable. He and his students found learning enjoyable. My love for literature and language were sparked. This teacher was instrumental in my decision to pursue a career in education.

What is your most memorable moment? There is not just one memorable moment. Each time a senior informs me of a college acceptance or a former student achieves success in a college classroom—these are memorable moments to me.

Best piece of advice: Believe in yourself and you can succeed.

Quote: Life is a challenge!
DAZE TO COME

Juniors Danny Burke, Dave Weckerly and Brett Kearney strolling into the gym.

Juniors Melissa DeMayo and Alaina Tutrone run through the town proudly displaying their school spirit.

Courtney Bender and Megan Schafer cheering on the Lindy Dawgs from their post on the freshmen homecoming float.

Is Junior Chris Schafer paying close attention to Mr. Forti... or the camera?
Lauren Boattie and Jen Cody reluctantly make their way through the familiar hallways towards their next class.

Heather Yeomans, Michelle La monte, and Rena Rodriguez flash their pearly whites for the camera.

Taking a quick break from the strain of schoolwork, sophomore Andy Legowski relaxes outside the shop rooms.

Gillian Thomas and Keith Lynch making their way through the packed hallway before the bell rings.
Margaret A. McKenna
Superintendent of Schools

Richard Nathan
Assistant Superintendent

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Chairperson of Pre-School Services
To The Class of 1999:

Your graduation from Lindenhurst Senior High School represents a "passing through." Your four years of high school were years of structure and direction. As you leave us you enter an unstructured world and you now must find your own direction. You are moving from a period of security to a period of confusion. However, I am greatly impressed with your academic accomplishments, the level of your involvement in the school community, and the sophistication by which you address the world.

The education that we have provided you here has been sound if we have taught you how to learn. Through learning you become a better person; a person who understands that part of being brave is to fear. Learning shows us that the purpose of life is to do something that makes a difference. You are excellent models of the product that develops as a result of good families, a community supportive of education, dedicated teachers, and a truly outstanding school that will continue to meet the needs of all students.

As you move on, we, of course, wish you the best that life has to offer. From our association, I have learned many things from you and consider myself fortunate to have known each of you. Thank you for all you have contributed to Lindenhurst High School. Go out into the world and continue to give to yourself so that you can give to others. God bless each of you.

Sincerely,

Frank M. Smith
Principal
Mr. Louis Yampiro
Assistant Principal

Mr. Yampiro enjoys the challenge of being an Assistant Principal at Lindenhurst High School. He is currently the Principal for the Senior Class. Mr. Yampiro taught at Lindenhurst High School for sixteen years prior to becoming a Principal. He fondly refers to his teaching years as memorable moments.

Mr. Yampiro spends his leisure time golfing, practicing karate, running, rock climbing, scuba diving, down hill skiing, and playing racquetball. He can always be counted on to be there for his students.

Mr. Daniel Giordano
Assistant Principal

Mr. Giordano is currently the Assistant Principal of the Class of 2000. He feels that he could not have started his career as an administrator in a better school. Before becoming an assistant principal at Lindenhurst High School, he taught music at both Levittown Division Avenue High School and Huntington High School.

Mr. Giordano enjoys playing golf, computers and vacationing in Disney World.

Mr. James Connolly
Assistant Principal

Mr. Connolly has been both a teacher and administrator in Lindenhurst for the past 36 years working in both the Junior and Senior High schools. He has been a class advisor for the Classes of 1970, 1977 and 1980, as well as past advisor to both the Math Team and the Student Council.

He presently serves as Principal of the ALC as well as the 10th grade here in the High School. He covers security, state testing, transportation and also works with the Math, Physical Education and Health departments.

Having finished coaching his five children through soccer, basketball and baseball, he now enjoys photography, taking videos, fishing and cross-country skiing.

Ms. Linda Flannelly
Assistant Principal

Ms. Flannelly is enjoying her first year as the ninth grade assistant principal at Lindenhurst High School. Before coming to Lindy, Ms. Flannelly was a Dean at Hicksville High School for five years. Prior to being an administrator, Ms. Flannelly taught English as a Second Language (ESL) in Flatbush, Brooklyn.

Ms. Flannelly loves to write, read, draw and travel. Her numerous trips have ranged from snorkeling in the Great Barrier Reef (Australia), camel-riding in the Sahara Desert (Africa), to cycling through the steam of geysers in Auckland (New Zealand). She is the granddaughter of a former N.Y.C. mayor and a former Commissioner to the U.N. Two of her grandparents were school principals in Ireland and she is the daughter of a popular Irish radio host.
ENGLISH DEPARTMENT

Rosanne Adams
Michael Albano
Richard Biancaniello

Maureen Bjerke
Savino Calabrese
Renee Davis

Frank Feil
Andrea Floresta
Gerard Kiernan

Catherine Kurdt
Barbara Leun
Donna Lubow

78 People
Yolanda Lullo
Jesse Martin
Harolyn Meyer

Yolanda Montefusco
Ellen Simon
Kathleen Stefanelli

Kristen Strenk
Daniel Sullivan
Daniel Atkinson

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William Brodmerkel
Dawn DeSimone
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Janine Stevenson

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Tara Toomey
Custodian
Nick D'Andrea
Custodian
Academic life at Lindenhurst High School is extremely important to all of the students. English 9 to English AP, Global Studies to Political Theory, Sequential 1 to Calculus, Art, Music, and Theater. We have excelled in many courses and others have given us hardship, but more importantly, we have learned. We have evolved into thinking, open minded individuals.

Our teachers have not only taught us the basic curriculum, but have given us lessons in life. Here, at Lindenhurst, a personal relationship develops between the students and faculty. Graduating students often leave behind a strong bond of friendship between themselves and their teachers. Our teachers inspire us. They are why we are here. They educate our minds and draw out our thoughts. They teach us to have an opinion and think for ourselves.

Education is the foundation for a better world. In the past thirteen years we have proved our existence and developed individual identities. We must now take what we have learned and apply it to our lives. That is the final exam. Each one of us has the power to change the world. To quote Walt Whitman, “The powerful play goes on and you may contribute a verse. What will your verse be?” We must ask ourselves what we will contribute and always remember that we are strong, young, educated people ready to enter the world.

By: Melanie Lynn
Sign Language: Senior Scott Mackiewicz is at a loss of words so he signs his thought.

Having Fun?: Alaina Terrell and Frank Catania showing that you can have fun and learn at the same time.

Concentration: Junior Joe Citron scanning his memory for the answers.
IT ALL ADDS UP!

E = Mc² Mr. Forti shares his knowledge with two of his students.

These freshmen science students are sure to get an "A" on their lab.

"Oh, I didn't know it was that easy!", says Samantha Quinn.
I moved to Florida in November only to come back in February to a math class I could only dread. Proofs, theorems, logic . . . what was I to make of all of this? With the help of Mr. Lankau, a generous teacher who was willing to stay after school and help me understand the mass confusion, I got a 95 on the regents and a sense of pride that I will always carry with me.

—Daniel E. Rodriguez
"We have now become what we have learned"—Mike Banach
"Stand up to what is right, do not let the majority cloud your mind."
—Enoch Tang

Jeanette Wood sharing a social studies classroom with an Orion student.

Junior Dave Mammina reading the *Great Gatsby* in his English class.
THE WRITINGS OF HISTORY
LANGUAGES IN TECHNICAL TERMS

Junior Lianne Sandberg finishing an essay in German class.

Mr. Caso and Senior Ray Vota showing craftsmanship in building a miniature house.

Sophomore Michael Devlin looking up answers in his Italian textbook.
Mr. Vavalle is a wealth of knowledge for his sophomore Italian class.

Sophomore Lauren Lyman finishing her pie in home and careers.

Seniors J.P. Boucher, Lauren Allizeh and Melissa Mee listen to Mr. Lombardo as he reads off the grades for the class.

Explaining the details of an engine, Mr. Adams holds the attention of his class.

Foreign Language / Practical Arts 105
Peer Leadership has taught me the one lesson I will take with me forever: everything happens for a reason.

—Rebecca Bacon
Mr. Caravaggio’s peer leaders: **back row:** Mike Egan, Victoria Farris, Melissa Easterbrook. **second row:** Marty Delorenzo, Joe Calabrese, Marissa Kalt, Kelly Newman, Cheryl Rosenberg, Nicole Younker, Elizabeth Daniels, Tom Urraro, Mr. Caravaggio. **third row:** Jen Romano, Heather Besser, Lori Krieg, Margie Gauci, Kerry Knowles, Elizabeth Hurley, Kristy Gainer, Nicole Golin, Adrienne Beattie, Lisa Bizzaro, Victor Kelly.

Ms. Oslander’s peer leaders: **back row:** Jen Civilla, Erik Justvig, Gina Corvino, Linda Cami, Dave Torchiano, John Lanning, Rory Malone, Program Director Shelly Shulman. **second row:** Dawn Ramos, Kim Baldwin, Christine Hartman, Caitie Eriksen, Melissa McQueen, Mike Engstrom, Angela Juliano, Kristen Donato, John Kilfoil. **third row:** Melanie Lynn, Sarah Klos, Becky Bacon, Sean Dillon.

**BODY, MIND & SPIRIT**

Gym/Health 107
THE COLOR OF MUSIC

Concert choir ... where beautiful notes come alive and occasionally group back massages are given!

Kevin Zheng artistically brushes life onto paper.

Jillian Rogovitz creatively develops photos in the lab.
"Art is an important part of our curriculum here at Lindenhurst High School. It teaches us to express ourselves in a vibrant and colorful way. Our teachers inspire and teach us how to mold our works into something truly unique. In my own experience, art at Lindenhurst has had a profound impact on my life. In the future I plan to pursue a career in the arts."

—Melanie Lynn
SKILLS FOR THE FUTURE

In typing class, senior Shannon Speed improves her skills for the business world.

Senior Colleen Atkinson learns about the tough realities of competition in business.

Sophomore Anthony Perez sharpening his computer knowledge.
Computers are no longer the wave of the future, but part of everyone’s lives in the present. —Jennifer Su

Working diligently in the computer lab, senior Michelle Diaz knows that hard work can really pay off in the future.

Senior Barbara Simmons reviews her Applied Business Mathematics examination.
Donna Burke of the Art Club contently works on winter hall decorations.

Daniel Ward practices his strategy with a friend.
At The End Of The Day

Some of us may go home or to jobs, and some of us stick around after school. Whether athletically or academically we strive for a common goal. Many of us have an interest in a variety of clubs, ranging from the Environmental Club all the way down to the National Honor Society. Whatever the interest may be, each club at Lindenhurst High School always brings out the best in their participants. We learn how to interact with a wide range of people with diverse backgrounds and we learn how to work as a team. This experience gives us a beneficial outlook on life and an edge in future occupations. We truly feel a sense of satisfaction at the end of the day.

Written by Mark Medina and Mike Balicki

Allyson Feld and Nicole Zuccarello of the Environmental Club work in the Greenroom.

Student Council
Lindenhurst National Honor Society

National Honor Society Executive Board: President: Brian Clifford, Vice Presidents: Mike Garvin, Adam Gwaltney, Recording Secretary: Christina Nelson, Corresponding Secretary: Elizabeth Vaughan, Treasurer: Jennifer Romano, Fund Raising: Jeff Larson, Christine Terzella, Publicity: Margie Gauci, Jennifer Pannone, Student Council Rep's: Amy Kienzie, Kerry Knowles, Community Service: Erin Giordano, Enoch Tang
Senior Class: Mr. Martin, Allison Feld—Sergeant at Arms, Christine Hartman—Vice President, Lily Hsi—Treasurer, Melanie Lynn—President, Lori-Beth Mahaney—Secretary, Jennifer Romano—Public Relations, Enoch Tang—Twelfth Grade Representative, Ms. Scharf.

Junior Class: President—Frank Cush, Vice President—John Loiacono, Corresponding Secretary—Ryan Lynch, Recording Secretary—Melissa DeMayo, Treasurer—Anna Mikucka, Fundraising—Lisa Verdolino, Class Competition—Amy Crean, Public Relations—Jennifer Verdulino, Eleventh Grade Representative—Alaina Tutrone
**Sophomore Class:** Jackie Meyer, Agata Jasiewski, Melanie Katchford, Amy Tang, Jennifer Maurier, Heather Yumoms

**Freshmen Class:** Back Row: Mr. Pramatarios, Erin Fowler, Meghan DeMayo, Valerie Wright, Mandi Loiawno, Mr. Viggiano Front Row: Danielle Falco, Nicole Piering, Janus Valentin, Kelly McNutty
MUSIC IN MOTION

U.S. Scholastic 1998
Marching Band Championships

Junior Katrina Sharrock showing spirit during a color guard performance.

Clarinet players warm up in preparation for a show.
Senior Dan Romero tootin' his horn.

Seniors Anthony Fracalvieri, Phil Colto, Mike Egan and Junior John Colto are striving for the perfect beat.

Freshman Greg Doelger playing the saxophone at a competition.

Drum Majors, Senior Linda Carni and Junior Bess Rogers show their true colors.
Semper Fidelis

Master Gunnery Sgt. Jones, Ms. Castellan, Major Sureau

"Oh say can you see?"
Ximena Rios, Frank Rivero, Jack Balnis and Joe Giordano.

Senior Matt Miller and sophomores Ryan Letow and Danny Dimarsico

The M.C.J.R.O.T.C. trick drill team displaying their arms.
Danny Dimarsico showing pride in his unit.

"Unity in motion," as the J.R.O.T.C. marches.  

"Strictly Business" for the Birthday Ball.
Yearbook Staff Members
Becky Bacon
Sara Barthelson
Michael Banach
Heather Blind
Rachel Blind
Jessica McCarthy
Danny Rodriguez
Michael Worgul
Advisors
Ms. Cooke
Ms. Schulte
Mr. Finder

A special thanks to:
Victoria Farris
Allyson Feld
Lauren Fiteni
Nicole Gorin
Lori-beth Mahaney
Samantha Quinn
Senior Class Advisors and Executive Board Administration

Mr. G's pizza for always delivering on time
Sal the night security guard
Karl the night custodian for cooperating with us
Dorothy Haverty, the evening PPO secretary
The parents, businesses and faculty who contributed funds for advertising. Without such support the book would not have been possible.

Sophomores Heather Blind and Sara Barthelson look over past yearbooks to get ideas.

Working on copy for the Marching Band spread, seniors Mark Medina and Danny Rodriguez cooperate to choose the best words possible.
Staff members Rachel Blind and Mike Worful design the academic section divider.

Heather Blind carefully crops a picture to fit the academic spread.

Sara Barthelson laughs over a candid picture while Mike Worful and Heather Blind try to figure out just what is so funny.

Seniors Rachel Blind and Becky Bacon research in order to form ideas to improve on the yearbook.
ALC Student Council

Renaissance Club: Frank Cushi, Chris Garwood, Dave Pugh, Heather Stull, Jen Su, Maggie Bopp, Justin Robinson
Senior Concert Choir Top Row: Waldy Charles, R.J. Hubert, Tom Romano, Danielle Carroll, Anthony Di-Michelle, Dan Taylor Middle row: Erica Eisen, Victoria Farris, Liz Vaughan, Courtney Whitfield, Keri Cadieux Bottom row: Jennifer Su, Kerry Knowles, Dan Ferrante, Heather Vernisie, Debbie Levatino Missing from Photo: Lily Hui, Keith Leary, Shannon Speed
Song Birds
Top row: Alaina Tutrone, Elaina Cuoco, Liz Triolo, Bess Rogers, Barb Hubert Bottom row: Liz Vaughan, Steffie Eberhard, Allison Pohl, Lisa Lazarek

Odyssey
Top row: Laura Chille, Waldy Charles, Dan Ferrante, Courtney Whitfield, Keri Cadieux, Dan Taylor Bottom row: Matthew Plenk, Kerry Knowles, Heather Vernisie, Thomas Suhrland, Debbie Levatino
Mock Trial: Back Row: Mr. Pramataris, Ian Toth, Andrew Nolfo, Joe Campenelli, Rich Rossi, Bill Feisen, Danny Vega, Mr. DeVenuto
Front Row: Tiffany Florentino, Lily Hui, Jamie Schlossler, Danielle Renna.

DECA: Back Row: Gail Eberhart, Stephanie Eberhart, Gwen Davis, Kristin Derwiter, Dan Runuro, Anthony Delia, Dave Collins
Front Row: Linda Carni, Bess Rogers, Phil Cairo, Katrina Sharrocks
Environmental Club: Back Row: Jen Su, Allyson Feld, Nicole Zuccarello, Danielle Zuccarello, Steve Perotta, Ann Marie Glaser

Decca Officers: Bess Rogers, Linda Carni, Phil Coiro, Katrina Sharrocks
Dame! Bjork puts on the moves.

Allison Morra takes a breath after a grueling game.

Mike Hamanjian says to David Kengle, “Let’s see what you’ve got.”
Alyson Tumsuden covers Eleni Matheos with outstanding defense.

The second annual Hoops for Heart tournament, which was sponsored by the American Heart Association, took place on Thursday, November nineteenth. It was a three on three coed basketball tournament along with a free throw and outside shooting contest. Lindenhurst raised 3,167 dollars which doubled last years total. It was a huge success.

Annmarie Romeo looks to pass to an open player.

Christian Burdich and an opposing team member battle under the boards for the rebound.

Mike Garvin elbows for position.

What goes up must come down!!
French Club: Justyna Balicka, Samantha Feld, William Hayes, Erin McCarthy, Kamila Ruthowska, Michelle Schroeder, Vinny Vijh, Chris Wessel, Melissa Gervosi, Nicole Gitau, Anthony Ling, Katie Lumpp, Drew Nolfo, Pinar Akgun, Nicole Andre, David Azer, Amy Castiglia, Jessica Davies, Katie Dorr, Angela Duque, Felicia Estes, Tiffany Fiorentino, Debbie Frevele, Michelle Gardner, Muzzamil Hafeez, Bill Hughes, Krystal Laurencio, Charlene Miller, Nicole Nalewajk, Jaclyn Palagye, Jamie Schlessor, Lauren Schuerman, Brandon Seekins, Patty Tang, Gillian Thomas, Teresa Torchiano, Lisa Verdolino, Jennifer Verdolino, Stephen Versace, Kristen Vita, David Weckerle, Keri Cadieux, Christina Laman, Enoch Tang, Waldy Charles

German Club: Scott Collins, Guin David, Mike Banach, Kim Kallmar, Liz Bergs, Sheryl Burger, Lisa Samperisi, Anna Sidz, Ken Vosper, Tom Alfonso, Brad Kallman, Anna Chu

132 Clubs and Activities
**Italian Club:** Carolyn Lamartina, Teresa Tamburino, Jackie Boros, Maitap Bicer, Angeley Ferrandino, Jamie Ryan, Gina Shields, Sara Duque, Nicki Guerriero, Anthony Perez, Jason Hunsicker, Carolyn Hurley, David Torchiano, Aroun Chough, Paul D'Angelo, Victoria Barbieri. _Not Shown_ Gabrielle Gaudio, Danielle Malagreca, Amy Kienzle, Christine Terzella, Erin Giordano, Mike Garvin, Jen Pannone, Melissa Lacagnina

**Spanish Club:** Christina Felix, Kenny Collado, Shaunak Sachden, Raghav Sachden, Aran Chugh, NJ Smith, president, Jennifer Brady, Domenick Santonastaso, Kerry Foley, Ryan Crosby, Waldy Charles, Cassandra Herrmann, Kelly Parry, Amy Samperisi, Kathryn Medina, Joann Ramos, Tina Fagan, Patricia Fagan, Scott Keicher, Kevin Kobelski, Ryan Taylor, Mrs. D'Angelo
Key Club

**Art Club:** Advisor: Ms. Schulte Members: Don D'Amato, James Mascia, Dawn DeSola, Nicole Gitau, Donna Burke, Jessica Schwartz, Frank Kennedy, Katie Lumpp, Ursula Sidz, Tracy Ralston, Isabella Massa, Katharina Arroyo, Dan Romero, Danielle Zuccarello, Anna Chu, Jennifer Vitale

**National Art Honor Society:** Advisor: Dr. DeLuca Members: Laura Chille, Darlene Estremera, Adrienne Frole, Kathleen Hunt, Dawn Kuhn, Melanie Lynn, Anthony Mauro, Sean Sowden
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General Chorus—Sopranos—

General Chorus—Altos & Basses—
Concert Band

Symphonic Band
Concert Orchestra

Symphonic Orchestra
Symphonic Orchestra—
Principal Players—
Calligraphy Club: Melanie Lynn and Samantha Quinn

Chess Club: Jared Salina, Mr. McCandless, Sean Grahm, Mike Thomson, Robert Wellons, Vitaliy Yershov, Michael Garvin. Missing: Matthew Ascolese, Daniel Ward
**Computer Club:** John Benini, Lisa Lazarek, James Matias, Michael Morrison, Brandon Sukins

**Math League:** Billy Hughes, Shaunak Sachdev, Wil Stead, Raghav Sachdev, Mr. Valentine, Gokay Toskin, Dan Taylor, Anna Mickucka.
REACHING THE FINISH LINE

The thrill of winning, the agony of defeat. Lindenhurst athletes know both of these feelings well. Athletes at Lindenhurst have dedication, competitiveness, and a desire to always be their best. Combined, these three aspects make an unstoppable force on the playing field. Lindy athletes don't only want to be better themselves, they are also in full support of their teammates in their quest to be the best they can be. No matter what obstacles they come across or hardships they may endure, the athletes of Lindenhurst High School always reach the finish line.

By Lori Mahaney and Melissa Mee
Senior Victor Kelly and Junior Ed Raiford speculate together on how they can win the game.

Junior Alice Theodoro sprints down the field to score a goal.
Katie Dorr #4 breaks away in a game against Bayport.

This year the girl’s Varsity Field Hockey team is very young. Not only are the players young, there is a new coach, Nicole Gaskill. The team plays very well together and they look forward to dominating in the playoffs.

Alex Poitras #51 practices before a game.

Dawn Kuhn #40 and Suzanne Nabavi #54 concentrate before a game.

After a game Katie Dorr and Lisa Verdolino pack up their equipment.

Suzanne Nabari, Lisa Verdolino, and Mary O’Connor share a laugh before a game.
Bottom Row: K. Newman, S. Speed

Junior Varsity Top Row: K. Martin, K. Desetto, T. Bell, E. Lynch
Second Row: A. Yeomans, J. Mullan, S. Hartofil, E. Fowler, L. Blum
Bottom Row: M. DeMayo, J. Speed
Missing: Coach Person

Captain’s Quotes
“Always give your all. I’m proud of everyone and I love them.”—Shannon Speed
“We’ve had a very successful season and I’m very proud of the girls. I will miss them very much!”—Kelly Newman
FIRST AND
TEN

Running back Mike Ortega #29 eludes a Sachem tackler.

Senior Anthony LoPardi #81 looks for the pot of gold on his final homecoming game.

Erik Conroy slips by a Sachem defender as Jimmy DeBetto #70 looks to help out.

Fernando Gomez #66 brings down a Sachem ball carrier with some help from his teammates.
Bottom Row: M. Kelly, R. Dare, J. Pontecorvo, M. Feser, M. VanBourgondien, G. LaFlare, R. DeFalco

Junior Varsity The next generation in Football for Lindenhurst.

Glenn Scaffer #30 receives congratulations from Mike Hamanjian following his touchdown run against Sachem.
"The will to win is nothing without the will to prepare."—Coach Smawley

"The team is looking strong this year, and I hope we have a winning dual season."—Captain Phil Hoffken

"We run hard, we run fast, and we have fun!"—Captain Liz Gardner

Second Row: J. Gardner, W. Hughes, S. Sebastianpeli, G. Muller, P. Hoffken, B. Wagner, J. Anderson


Kurt Bohrer and Phil Hoffken take a run around the high school.
"Golf is an easy game to play, but a hard game to be good at." — Coach Valentine

"The team is very successful this year and I am proud to be a part of it." — Billy Scotti

This year's golf team achieved a better record than the last two years, but we are looking forward to outstanding seasons in the future.

Top Row: Coach Valentine, B. Scotti, B. Mounsey, J. Kent, R. Lynch, M. Horjus
Second Row: V. Caputo, C. Batey, S. Versace, S. Schader

Captain Billy Scotti takes a swing.

Senior Vic Caputo looks for a birdie.

Captain Billy Scotti gets ready for a putt.
The Varsity Cheerleading Squad led by their coach Mrs. Corcoran did a Great Job in the pep-rally as well as at the homecoming game this year. They worked hard to succeed in perfecting new stunts for their competitions and overall had a great season.

**Varsity Cheerleaders:** Adrienne Beattie, Jessica Bianco, Christina DiGiovanni, Victoria Farris, Kerry Foley, Michelle Gardner, Gabrielle Gaudio, Nicole Gorin, Jeanette Huber, Joanne LaBate, Melanie Lynn, Sam Quinn, Heather Vernisie, Nichole Younker, Aaron Lohman, Ryan Crosby

Melanie Lynn and Victoria Farris showing off their spirit.

Adrienne Beattie getting the team ready for the game.

Victoria Farris cheering on the Bulldogs.
SHAKIN' IT UP

In the words of Ms. Wish, "Do it up J.V."

I said SMILE girls!

"Corky" Corcoran and Our Captains.

Nicole Gorin and Gabrielle Gaudio paying "real" close attention.

Cheerleading 153
Tumbling Into the Season

Head over heels: Junior Keri Cornwall performs on the uneven bars.

Top Row: Head Coach Marissa Wharry, Rebecca Newton, Michelle Jablow, Amber Green, Gillian Thomas, Juliane Marx, Marissa Kalt, Charlene Miller, Heather Blind, Keri Cornwall, Rosanna Messina, Assistant Coach Tracy Harrington.


Third Row: Meghan DeMayo, Megan Lai.

Twinkle Toes: One of our eighth graders, Megan Lai, perfects her beam routine.

Team Leaders: Varsity Captains Marissa Kalt and Amber Green.
A balancing act: Junior Charlene Miller instructs Freshman Rebecca Newton and Katie Frole.

Kickin’ back: Erin McCarthy and Gina Conarello relax after a long day of practice.

Bending over backwards: Captain Amber Green perfects her backbend.
Ole, ole, ole! Top Row: Monika Balicka, Barbara Simmons, Melissa McQueen, Alice Theodorou, Liz Bergs, Kim Baldwin, Casey Eidenweil, Laura Chille, Allison LaMarca, Coach Tony Byrne
Second Row: Kristen Ford, Regina Atria, Melissa Mazzapelle, Agatha Kijek, Teresa Torchiano, Nancy Schnatz, Alyssa Bianco, Brittany McDonald, Alicia Napoli
Bottom Row: Goalie Liz Daniels

Junior Varsity Top Row: Christina Felix, Michelle Paladino, Erika Herbst, Eleni Matheos, Megan Shafer, Allison Marra, Monica DiBenedetto, Katelyn Scanlon, Amy Mascia, Coach Pete Gugliieri
Second Row: Katie LaMarca, Melissa Martin, Katherine Lindo, Nancy McGowen, Jessica Maltese, Amber Werkmeister, Shannon Hovanec
Third Row: Captains Heather Yoemans, Michelle LaMonte
Bottom Row: Kacie Borgs, Rhina Rodrigues

"You're not getting by me!": Junior Teresa Torchiano moves into position to intercept the ball from the opposing team.
"That's my ball.": Junior Kristen Ford blazes in a breakaway.

It all adds up to this: Seniors Barbara Simmons, Melissa McQueen, Liz Daniels, Kim Baldwin, and Laura Chille, proudly revel in their last season together on this team.

GOING FOR THE GOAL

"If I were playing, we'd be winning.": Sophomore Regina Atria contemplates the game on the bench with fellow Varsity team members.

It only matters how dirty you got: After the win, sophomores Alicia Napoli and Agatha Kijek and seniors Barbara Simmons and Kim Baldwin participate in a little friendly mudslinging.
THE ORIGINAL FOOTBALL

Dribbling the ball down the field, Jon Hutzel has one thing in mind ... the goal!

Ricky Campana waits for the ball to drop.

Captains Mike Balicki and Dave Torchiano, "A Time to Shine".

A powerful play by Omar Henao.

A nice save by Mike Carvin.

The guys having a ball.
Mike Balicki changes direction.


Matt Ascolese battles for the ball.
Swim the Length to Build the Strength

Captain's quote: "It's not good enough to be good if you have the ability to be better."—Senior Rachel Blind

Senior Crystal Cody, Senior Captain Lisa Bender, and Senior Captain Allyson Feld.

Senior Crystal Cody pauses for a photo before a swim meet.

Lauren Vasper comes up for air while swimming the breast stroke.
Captain's quote: "Motivation is the key to success."—Senior Allyson Feld (pictured with Senior Crystal Cody)

Top Row: Felicia Estes, Alaina Tutrone, Crystal Cody, Heather Stoll, Allyson Feld
Second Row: Coach Tommy Cornelia, Colleen Brown, Elizabeth Hearns, Lisa Bender, Milena Ratusny, Lauren Vasper
Bottom Row: Coach Diane Grice, Nicole Liguori, Danielle Fiella, Samantha Feld, Coach Molly Sheriff

Two swimmers are poetry in motion.

Senior Captain Rachel Blind orchestrates a perfect dive.

Captain's quote: "What the mind believes, the human body can achieve."—Senior Lisa Bender
TENNIS ANYONE?

"Being good isn’t enough when you have the ability to be better."—Keri Cadieux

"Even though our team is very young, we had a very good year and they’re going to be awesome in the next few years!"—Jennifer Stebe

Emily Mangano is looking for an “ace.”

"Yeah baby, you’re a beast!"—Josephine Mannino
Top Row: Coach Bonanduci, K. Rutkowska, K. Drummond, S. Duque, E. Mangano, J. Balicka
Second Row: D. Falco, J. Vitale, A. Samparesi, A. Duque, V. Wright
Third Row: Senior J. Stebe, Senior J. Mannino, Senior K. Cadieux
Missing from photo: A. Sliwoski

With the support of Coach Paul Brodmerkel, the Junior Varsity Tennis team is one to watch.

Keri Cadieux does her impression of Monica Seles.

Seniors are causing a "racket".

Jennifer Stebe and Jennifer Vitale "love" to play Tennis.
Don't judge, play hard

Senior Quotes

Kelly Kozub: “Dream it-Believe It-Achieve it!” “See ‘ya bye! I will!”

Christine Hartman: “Coming Together is a Beginning, Keeping Together is a Process, Working Together is a Success”.

Colleen Atkinson: “We’re All for One and One for All” “If we play as a team we can accomplish any of our goals and have fun doing it.”

Kristina Dodge: “Do not look back in anger, or forward in fear, but around in awareness.” (James Thurber)

Senior Colleen Atkinson and Junior Cara Burger practice for their up coming game.

164 Fall Sports
Senior Kristina Dodge gets ready for a forearm pass.

Girls Varsity. Top Row: Erica Romann, Agnieszka Koniecha, Sara Gorman, Ms. Stevenson, Ms. Moxon, Anna Mickuca, Kristen Collins, Kristin Caravino

Second Row: Christine Hartman, Kelly Koziub, Colleen Atkinson, Maggie Bopp, Kristin Vita, Beth Gismervik

Bottom Row: Lisa Arpino, Sheryl Burger, Rebecca Iraci, Cara Burger, Kristina Dodge

The varsity girls show a softer and humorous side. Watch for the J.V. girls, they're up and coming.
#26 Matt Turtell and #29 John Parry reach new heights with a great block against West Islip.

Showing their team spirit, the Volleyball players get together for a round of "congratulations."

Junior Varsity Volleyball—the next to dominate.

Pausing to reflect on the game are Senior #11 Rory Malone and Junior #26 Matt Turtell.

166 Fall Sports
CAPTAIN’S CORNER

“If I could tell you the key to success we would be the most dominating team around. But since the key to success is a mystery we must stay away from the key to failure, which is lack of teamwork, communication and confidence. Remember for the future generations... United we stand, divided we fall. OMPF!” — Keith Leary

“I have great expectations for the team this year. Although this is a young team, we expect to make the playoffs for the third year in a row.” — Evan Finch

“When the team plays hard and together, we can go up against any team in the league.” — Rory Malone
Preparing to drum the night away is Senior Mike Egan.

Varsity Cheerleaders Jeannine LaBate, Michelle Gardner and Melanie Lynn discuss their good performance at the pep rally.

Freshman cheerleader, Kristen Selvaggio standing at rest before a cheer.

Lindy track stars look on as the kickline performs.

168 Winter Sports
Winter Pep Rally

Coach Albano pumps up the crowd as the varsity basketball team looks on.

Winter Pep Rally Heats Things Up

Agata Jasiewski anxiously awaits the kickline performance.

Jeff Larson and Dan Romano look over the sheet music.
Shoot for the Stars.

Junior, Maggie Bopp, with the inbound pass.

Who says girls can’t play rough too?

“With hard work and determination you can do anything.” Shannon Speed.

The Girls J.V. Basketball Team.

An anticipated Teresa Torchiano gets ready for the rebound.

“Keep your chin up, no matter how many times you miss.” Barbara Simmons.
Top Row: Coach Stevenson, Sara Gorman, Liz Bergs, Marie Romeo, Teresa Torchiano, Kristin Drummond, Barbara Simmons, Coach Schnatz
Bottom Row: Colleen Atkinson, Shannon Speed, Tricia Favara, Rhina Rodriguez, Annmarie Romeo, Danielle Caldararo
Camera shy: Emily Mangano, Maggie Bopp, Heather Stuhl

Rhina Rodriguez, Maggie Bopp and Danielle Caldararo showing their sportsmanship.
Teresa Torchiano gets open for the pass.
Hoop It Up

Coach Albano shares words of wisdom with his team.

Players calmly discuss a call with the referee.

Hustle: a key part of basketball demonstrated by Christian Burdich.

Jared Dowd takes deep breaths after an exhausting play.

Simon Casel and his towering dunk.

D-Fense with Christian Burdich and Eric Conroy.
Top Row: Coach Albano, Eric Conroy, Tom Saccaro, Tom Shobla, Will Fowler, Simon Casel, John Parry, John Petoske

Junior Varsity Top Row: Coach Schnatz, Justin Haines, Rafael Cabrera, Mike Hanbury, Andrew Stillwagon, Ryan Behnken, Pat Kier.
Middle Row: Deryck Singh, Mike Kelly, Peter Bober, Anthony Montesanto, Ariel Carona.
Bottom Row: Joe DiMaria, Adam Quinn

John Maes controls the pace of the game.
Top Row: Keri Geoghegan, Michelle Gatto, Kristina Herman, Stephanie Ness, Christina Nelson, Lindsay Furrari, Rachel Engly, Kristy Nicoletti, Stephanie Carey, Danielle Engly, Jessica Desula, Marissa Moscarelli.

Bottom Row: Desiree Passerino, Lisa Samperisi, Jennifer Pannone, Jennifer Romano (captain), Stephanie Evans, Anna Marie Dardano, Gina Allemand.
Missing from photo: Margie Gauci (captain), Agata Jasniewski, Katie Lumpp

Kickline struts their stuff during the Winter Pep Rally.

Kristina Herman, Agata Jasniewski, Anna Marie Dardano and Stephanie Evans cheer during the float ceremony at the 1998 Homecoming Parade.
Captain Jen Romano and Lisa Samperisi perform for the crowd at the Winter Pep Rally.

Members of the Kickline prepare for their next big move.

Jenn Panonne takes a rest after an outstanding performance.

Jessica DeSola, Katie Lumpp, Agata Jasnewski and Gina Allemand perform for the crowd.

Gina Allemand and Anna Marie Dardano cheer on the Football team at the 1998 Homecoming game.

Kickline members perform to the Marching Band's music during the parade.
Life in the Waxed Lane

Top Row: Mike Avanzato, James DeMegho, Dave Tatara, Mark Schlegelmilch, Jeremy Nissinbaum, Ed Splain, Coach Slowey
Bottom Row: Joe Fulello, Jeremy Schatter, Damien Floremzo, Jennifer Maurer, Matt Attia, Bill Knippir, Brian Kugan

Mike Avanzato demonstrates his perfect form.
Seniors: Mike Avenzato, Dave Tatara, Ed Splaine, and James DiMeglio

Dave Tatara envisions his next strike.
Rise Above the Waters

Juniors Nolan Reynolds and Brian take a break in lane one.

Junior Brian Bivona shares strategies with a friendly opponent.

Senior Captain, Michael Kamme applauds the team by whistling.

Expertly executing the butterfly stroke is Senior Chris Ratusny.

Senior Mike Balicki, "Ghetto Yo." Nolan Reynolds asks Brian Bivona, "Who's up next?"
Varsity Swimming: Back row: Coach Brian Washington, Nolan Reynolds, Michael Kamne, James Giordano
Middle row: Chris Ratuszny, Brian Bivona, Michael Balicki
Front row: Gary Minutolo, Greg Mueller, Frank Usenza, William Felsen

After a vigorous swim, Chris Ratuszny catches his breath.
Junior James Giordano's positive outlook shines from the swimming pool.
Sprinting Ahead

Kristen Ford and Amber Workmeister

Jennifer Davidson, Jamie Volz, Christina Newlands, and Erin Smith.

Erin Smith

Jamie Volz, Jennifer Davidson, Christina Newlands.

Senior, Elizabeth Gardner.

April Yeomans.
Back row: Captain Phil Hoffken, Captain Matt Russo, Mike Garvin, Dennis Boiko, Keith McDonald, Tom Urraro, John Fiske, Kurt Bohrer

Middle row: Rich Rossi, Steven Versace, Chris Connon, Anthony Mangano, Joe Brescia, Paul Wineriter, John Ryan, Coach Mr. Jim Westpfahl

Kneeling: Matt Turtell, Mike Sofolarides, Matt Itkin Absent from photo: Coach George Smawley, James Anderson, Bill Hughes, Jon Kot, Mike Ortega, Dave Torchiano

Phil Hoffken does his usual four-mile warm-up before his actual training. He later achieved a school record in the 3200M (2 mile) run. His time was 9:54 minutes.

Captain Matt Russo—
All-League

Captain Phil Hoffken—
All-League, All-County
SPRINTING

FORWARD

Rich Rossi and John Ryan in a race to catch Captain Matt Russo.

Joe Brescia and Paul Wineriter doing "striders"

Captains Matt Russo, Rich Rossi, John Ryan, and Paul Wineriter joke around before they run.

Paul Wineriter and Joe Brescia at the beginning of a sprint.
Coach Russo announced wrestling team at the Winter Pep Rally.

Stretching the Limits

Bobby Dane and Keith Gholson

Steve Ribando and J. Pierce

Ryan Laflare

Ryan Lettow and Brian Moscarelli
James Rosati and Tom Storza

Middle: P. Summers, B. Dare, S. Sebastopoli, T. Sforza, C. Ficalora, C. Sigfried, S. Ribando, K. Gholson

Keith Gholsen, Coach
Russo, and Steve Sebastopoli
Brittany Drovin says bye-bye birdie.

**Varsity Badminton:** Top: Jack Balnis, Dave Browne, Matt Ascolese, Matt Miller, Joe Giordano, Jesse Gugliaro Second: Jamie Kunta, Kristine Kunta Felicia Estes, Anna Cheng, Janecia Carter, Catherine Zattoni, Jessica Becker, Coach Michels Third: Brittany Drovin, Michelle Zattoni, Molly Scheriff, Heather Pensu, Nicole Andre, Alexandre Manni, Lauren Walsh Bottom: Donna Burke, Michael Rabuette, Kevin Zheng, Nicole Gitau, Anna Chu, Sean Dillion, Michael Schimmel, Dawn Desola

Senior Sean Dillon looks on as Kevin Zheng practices his swing.

Felicia Estes catches her breath after a tough match.

Watch the Birdie

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Captain Anna Chu: “I was happy to have such a large turnout of people in comparison to earlier years. I think this is going to be a great season and the beginning of great seasons to come.”

Sophomore Donna Burke practices her serve.

Michelle Zattoni demonstrates a power hit. What goes up, must come down. Catherine Zattoni waits to make her hit.
Senior Keith Leary is warming up in these winter-like conditions.

**Varsity Baseball Team:** Corey Baty, John Cronin, Mike Curcuru, Anthony Delia, Lou DePaolo (co. captain), Mike Egan, John Fiske, Mike Hammalian, Brad Kallman, Keith Leary, Brian Livingston, Scott Mackiewicz, Jimmy Martin, Justin Robinson, John Ryan, Mike Sciame, Matt Turtell, Tom Urraro (co. captain), Danny Vega

Coaches Caravaggio and Canobbio with senior players: Tom Urraro, Lou Depaolo, Keith Leary, Mike Egan, Scott Mackiewicz

Senior captain Lou DePaolo states, “We are a young team that shows a lot of dedication. With all of the dedication we will be a strong team.”

**Let’s Play Ball**
Senior Captain Tom Urarro: "The team is young and upcoming with great dedication from the juniors and great leadership from the seniors. We will be strong in the playoffs."

Senior Michael Egan— Junior John Ryan
Get the radar gun.

Shortstop Lisa Gentile getting ready to show off her skills.

Senior Captain Barbara Simmons, "Don't forget the best or you'll be like all the rest."

Senior Captain Shannon Speed, "If the team doesn't give one hundred percent, it's not worth playing at all."

Diamonds in the Rough
Seniors: Lisa Gentile, Barbara Simmons, Christine Hartman, Kelly Kozib, and (Lying across) Shannon Speed.


Captains: Barbara Simmons, Shannon Speed, Lisa Gentile.
Varsity Lacrosse Team: Jon Kot, Andrew McCandless, Ken Keohler, Mike Garvin, Sean Kehoe, John Maes, Sean McNeilly, Tom Ulrich, Blayne Murray, Joe Davidson, Victor Kelly, Chris Legutko, Rory Malone, Christian Burdick, Chris Connell, P.J. Letosky, Marty Hosey, Mike Vargus, Matt Martinez, Marty Delorenzo, George LaFlare, Anthony Rosado, Jason Rau, Steven Guarini, Coaches: A. Dettero, K. Cullen

Seniors: Mike Garvin, Sean Kehoe, Tom Ulrich, Victor Kelly, Chris Legutko, Rory Malone, Christian Burdick, Chris Connell, P.J. Letosky, Matt Martinez, Marty Delorenzo, Steven Guarini, Joe Davidson.

Catch me if you can. Anthony Rosado and Chris Connell battle it out for a ball in a practice.

Fastest Game on Foot
Senior captain Marty Delorenzo states, "We have a lot to live up to after last year, but I feel the team is really coming together. The hard work and dedication will pay off."

Touche, on guard! Senior captain Steve Guarini states, "Over the past few years we’ve worked really hard to get where we are now, and nothing will stand in our way to get what we want."

"That’s the sound of the man". George LaFlare, Victor Kelly, and Steve Guarini lead the team.

Senior Sean Kehoe on the move. Senior captain Tom Ulrich states, "I’ve had a very good experience in lacrosse in these past few years—I’ve made a lot of great friends. We’re going to have a promising season."
Sophomore April Yeomans

Varsity Lacrosse Team: Top Row: Coach Peppard, Allison LaMarca, Melissa McQueen, Megan Bruno, Erica Romann, Kristin Drummond, Kristen Collins, Colleen Atkinson, Coach Viggiano second row: Gillian Thomas, Katie Falco, Alice Theodorou, Maggie Bopp, Jeanette Huber, Amber Werkmeister, Lauren Fiteni, Jennifer Vitale bottom row: Sue Nabovi, Sheryl Burger, Cara Burger, Marianna Fiore, Jessica Piro, April Yeomans

Senior Players: Melissa McQueen, Lauren Fiteni, Sue Nabavi, Colleen Atkinson

Senior captain Melissa McQueen states, “The people we remember forever are the ones who touch our hearts and inspire us to achieve.”

Junior Katie Falco

Check This!

194 Spring Sports
Junior Varsity Lacrosse Team

Senior Captain Suzanne Nabavi states, "Work and the world shall be yours."

Senior captain Colleen Atkinson states, "All the talent in the world won't take you anywhere without your teammates."

Senior captain Lauren Fiteni states, "This year all the girls are working really hard, together as a team. Women's Lacrosse Rules!"
John Loiacono shows off his wicked backhand.


**Senior Varsity Players:** Adam Gwaltney, Brian Clifford, Jeff Larson, Billy Scotti.

Brian Clifford gets ready to use his forehand smash.

**LOVE TO SERVE**

196 Spring Sports
Junior Varsity Tennis

Chris Sigfried practices his volley.

Jeff Larson follows through the ball.  David Azer shows off his new dance step.
Girls Track captains: Kristen Ford, Lisa Verdolino, Teresa Torchiano.

Susan Zheng, Karina Escoba, Urs Sidz.


Kristen Ford, Teresa Torchiano, and Lisa Verdolino lead the team in a practice run.

Casey Eidenweil and Sara Duque keep their balance as they do their daily stretches.

**Running on Faith**

Two team members help each other to get a better stretch.

Boy’s Track captains: Phil Hoffken and Matt Russo.

Off we go—team members warm up with a practice run.

Chris Cannon, Steve Versace and James Anderson stretching their hamstrings.

Girl’s & Boy’s Spring Track 199
The Last Word
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Thank you for being you —our daughter and friend.

Remember all of the good times and all of the friends that you have made throughout your school years but this is not the end—it is only the beginning!

All of Our Love,

Mom, Dad, John and Sandra
P.S. Brandy too!

Congratulations to the Class of 1999!!!
From the day you were born, you have filled our lives with happiness. We are so very proud of you, not only for all of your accomplishments, but for the warm and loving young man you have grown up to be.

May all of your dreams and wishes come true. Reach for the stars and they will shine down on you. How blessed we are to have such a wonderful son! Good luck in college and all the days of your life.

Love
Mom, Dad and Grandma

Congratulations to the Class of 1999!
Congratulations Heather!
We are so proud of you. Always remember, you are the best!
Love,
Mom, David, George, and Tammy

Congratulations Melissa!
May you continue to be successful in the future.
Proudly with love,
Mom and Grandma

Kristen,
Congratulations!
Best wishes always for your future!
With all our love,
Mom, Dad and Rob

Rich—
As the youngest member on both sides of our family and the last to graduate, we are all very proud of you and wish you nothing but the best.
Love,
Mom, Dad, Michael, Grandpa, Grandma, Pop-pop, The Flashners and the Murrays
Dear Vic,
We are all so very proud of you. Keep striving for all you can be.
Love,
Mom, Dad, Mike, Ro and Grandma

Steve,
You’re a wonderful person. We are so proud of you!
Love,
Mom, Dad, Mike, Rob, and Dan

Dear David,
Congratulations! We wish you continued success in the future.
All our love,
Mom and Dad

Jessica—
We are all so proud of you! Best of luck in college. We love you!
Love always,
Mom, Dad, Alissa and Jimmy
P.S. We’re proud of our third daughter too! Heather, best of luck to two of the best cheerleaders!

Congratulations Tony!!
Love,
Mom, Father and Nicholas

Christine,
We hope all your goals come true!
Love, Mom and Dad

Dawn,
May all your dreams come true as ours have with you. We are so proud of you.
Love, Mom and Dad

Dear Daniel,
Go out into the World, Find work that you Love, Learn from your mistakes, and work hard to make a difference. You fill our hearts with PRIDE!

Jess,
You are the “bandit” that stole our hearts. All our love and best wishes for the future!!
Love, Mom, Dad, Peter, Sa and Mary

Dear Christina,
There was a little girl born 18 years ago and when she was bad, she was oh so bad. However, when she was good, she was oh so good. I want you to know how proud I am of you.
Love, Mommy

Dear Christian,
Thank you for bringing so much joy and love into our lives. We are so very proud of you. May God bless you always.
Love always, Mom, Dad and family

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To Our Special Angel
Congratulations!
We’re so proud of you!

Love,
Mom & Dad

We are so proud of you!
Congratulations Joe! Good luck with your future

Erica,
You are still dazzling with your style and grace.

Love, Mom, Dad and Adam

Brandon
Wishing you all the luck and happiness you deserve. You are a great son, and we are very proud of you.

Love,
Mom, Dad, Noelle & Tyler

Kimberly—
You have your wings—we’re so proud!
Use them wisely!
Love Mom, Dad, and Ray

Dear Amy,
Words could never express how proud we are of you! Not only because of your scholastic achievements, but even more for the exceptional person you have become.
Lots of Love Dad, Mom & Becky

Congratulations Joe!
Keep reaching for your goals.

Love, Mom

God Blessing Shereka
May God bless you with good health, wisdom, knowledge, and understanding. Success in all your endeavors and grant that the Lord will guide your footsteps. “Stay as beautiful as you are.”

Love Always,
Gram

Victoria, You always make us SO PROUD.
Love, Mom and Dad

Shereka,
We are so proud of you.
Love
Mom and Dad
To Our Granddaughter, Jennifer!
We are so proud of you and all of your accomplishments.
Good Luck in College.
Love,
Grandma Rosie and Pop

To Keri & Chrissy
Congratulations to 2 forever friends who through the years became like sisters.
We Love You Both
Love Your Parents
Geri & Denise
&
Steve & Bill

To Our Peanut.
You'll always be our shining star. We love you so much. Keep reaching for the sky.
We're proud of you.
Love
Mom & Dad

Danielle,
Congratulations!!
We are so very proud of you.
Love,
Mom, Dad,
Misty & Family

Chrissy,
May you live as long as you want & never want as long as you live. Congratulations! You've made us very proud. Stay sweet.
We Love You
Mom & Dad

Jillian,
You Are One of God's Greatest Creations on Earth and We Are All Proud of You! Keep on Doing Your Best and All Your Dreams Will Come True.
Congratulations
Dad

Dan,
You're the Best!
We are so proud of you. Always follow your dreams.
Love
Mom & Dad
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Congratulations to all Graduates.
We are very proud of you!
Your High School Guidance Counselors.

"Felicitations"
à la classe de mes rêves
—Mme. Warren.

Dear Students:
I would like you to know that my experience as a teacher encompassed a wide variety of ages—from young children to adults. But nothing has given me greater satisfaction than teaching high school students. At a time when you guys felt the pressure of entering adulthood in the earlier years of high school, and anxieties and emotions tend to be very high, it is the time when compassion is an absolute necessity in the teaching profession. I can tell you that, anyone that can graduate high school under these difficult times, there is no limit what you can do now since you've already passed the toughest part of your life! Go for it!!

Mr. L. Caso

Jen—
If you intend to go the distance you will always stay forever young.

Love,
Mom, Dad, Chris

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Dear Chris,

It’s been a long time since this 1st graduation, but this is the one that really counts. Congratulations Chris we are so proud of you on your graduation & always. We wish you the best of luck in College & whatever you do in life and remember we all love you very much. Love Always.

Dad, Mom,
Kerri-Ann & Johnny

James,

We are so proud of you. Best of everything. We love you.

Mom, Nick,
Michelle & Nicole

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As your high school careers come to an end, we would like to congratulate you on a job well done. We wish for you the best of luck in all you do and a future filled with happiness.

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