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WMC, a small private liberal arts college on "the Hill" of Westminster, MD is not so small anymore. We opened our doors to a freshman class that was not only the largest in the school's history, but the class that will be the first to explore the horizon beyond the hill in the twenty-first century.

After several disappointing and trying seasons, we celebrated as our football team, the Green Terrors, persevered and triumphed as the Centennial Conference Champs for the first time in history. We watched as our campus moved technologically into the future of the dawning of a new science center to prepare our faculty and students alike for the challenges that await us as we ascend the hill into the world beyond our happy and secluded home. WMC's founders Fayette R. Buell and Reverend J.T. Ward are looking down upon us with pride as their dream of creating a small private university has greatly expanded since September of 1867. Since September of 1867, WMC has made its mark this year reaching beyond the view from atop this hill. Through the patience and persistence of faculty, staff, and students and the generosity of parents, sponsors, and alumni, may the class of 1998 be inspired by the changes transpiring here to grow beyond what they ever imagined possible with the seeds of knowledge and plethora of experiences reaching new heights beyond the hill.

Fans gather on the hill surrounding the football field. The Green Terrors received enormous support as they played a championship season.

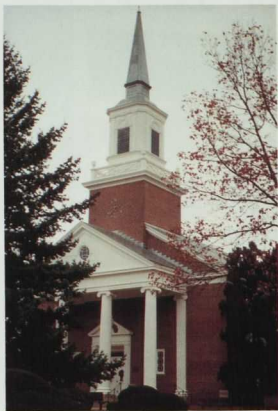
The Westminster community warmly receives the college students. The local restaurants and stores are commonly visited by WMC students and staff.



The newly renovated Hill Hall is an excellent academic facility where students can learn more than ever before. Many students make full use of the extended computer lab hours in this building.



Sam Gordon climbs the steps in Hoover Library. His excellent study habits and hard work resulted in his academic success for his first year at WMC.



Baker Memorial Chapel is one of the many facilities used for both recreational and academic purposes on the hill. Foreign language classes are held in the basement.




The WMC community demonstrated their support for the Green Terrors as they watched the Homecoming game. The football team's remarkable season will always be a memorable one.

The stands were filled to watch the Green Terrors crush their latest opponent. The bands's music excited both the players and the crowd.

Amy Baxter gets her groove on. She enjoyed relaxing with friends after a long week of orientation.



Photos courtesy of Dave Sinclair and Jessie Watts.



REACHING NEW HEIGHTS ON CAMPUS

During the 1997-98 school year, Western Maryland students are certainly making the most of their time on the hill. Campus life is becoming more and more an integral part of each WMC student's daily routine. The year got off to an exciting start with the Green Terror football team winning the Conference championship and achieving one of their best records in the school's history. The energy continued to build throughout the year with students supporting all of the other athletic teams with the same enthusiasm. Many new faces could be seen around campus due to the overwhelming number of entering

students. Each new student quickly adjusted to the active pace of campus life. WMC students were excited to see the enormous progress that took place on the hill as renovations commenced on



Ferenc Levai and Michelle Marrero join in the Halloween spirit. Many students on campus had fun getting into costume for an evening of enjoyment.

Lewis Hall of science. The completion of the new Gill gymnasium was greatly appreciated by the athletes and spectators on campus. Overall, the past school year was filled with much excitement and enthusiasm as WMC campus truly broke the utmost boundaries and accomplished achievements beyond everyone's expectation.

Big Guys -- Small Town

The Westminster community was excited by the arrival of our new visitors this past summer -- the Ravens. Baltimore's new professional football team selected Western Maryland College for their training camp. Beginning on the 14th of July and running until the 14th of August, the Ravens got back into shape. Their practices drew about eight hundred people a day allowing fans the opportunity to catch a glimpse of their favorite Raven. The fans also came to try and get autographs of the players. Several WMC students were fortunate to help out at the camp. It was a great experience to interact with official NFL players and coaches. The Ravens frequented the restaurants and stores of Westminster in an attempt to become friendly with the local residents. This much appreciated excitement was a welcome change to the small town of Westminster.



Fans of all ages gather at WMC to cheer on the Ravens. The support was greatly appreciated by the players.

The catchy logo of the Ravens decorated each helmet. Each player carefully warmed up before practice.

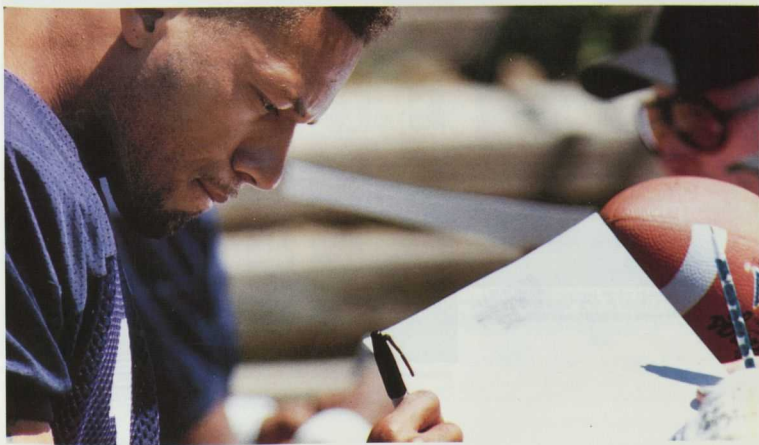


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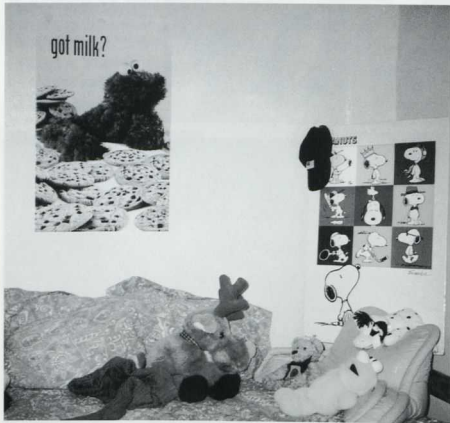


Fans wait anxiously at the sidelines for an autograph of their favorite player. The players took the time to acknowledge their fans.

A Raven player signs a football for a fan. They also brought programs, hats, and other football memorabilia.



A group of students enjoy their dinner in the Garden Apartments. Many upperclassmen enjoyed living in a more spacious and private environment.



This room in a PA house allowed the student the conveniences of a house over a dormitory. However, the far distance from educational facilities was a nuisance.



This student in Blanche Ward Hall enjoys the convenience of a microfridge. She learned that it is necessary to supplement the Glar meals.

Dorms

The dorm room is your home away from home. Many people share this small space with a close friend or two. In the two freshmen dorms Rouzer and Whiteford, many of the doubles had to be turned into triples due to the large size of the incoming class. These students had to get used to living away from home and with two other people. Some students are lucky enough to get a Garden Apartment which they share with three friends. The apartments have a separate living room, kitchen

and bathroom; it usually has two bedrooms. Others may choose to get a single room. This is usually smaller but has the added advantage of being private. Whatever style room a student chooses, it soon becomes "home" at least for the year. After the student moves in, each decorates the room as the mirror of their personality. Every room is different and it shows the diversity of students at WMC.



Kevin Cooke and Damian Turton share a laugh under their disco ball. They had fun living with their fraternity brothers on first floor McDaniel Hall.



Due to the overwhelming number of freshmen, many students had to live in a triple. Although sometimes fun, at times, having two roommates was too close for comfort.

Freshman line up to ring the bell signifying the beginning of their college career. Each freshman had the opportunity to ring the bell while passing through Red Square.



A group of freshman males gather on Main Street during their Orientation scavenger hunt. This was a good chance for them to become better acquainted.



Mom and Dad come to check up on their freshman child during Parent's Weekend. All of the parents enjoyed learning about their child's new surroundings.

The student orienters take a break from their training to pose for the camera. It was a time for them to not only bond with their orientees, but their fellow upperclassmen as well.



Matt Gribbin and his orientees experience their first of many stops at Sheetz. These freshmen quickly learned that snack breaks are a necessity to college life.



A New Horizon

The summer is over and it is time for first year and returning students alike to leave the comforts of home behind and move back into our "home away from home." Student orienters are assigned a group of students to watch over for a weekend of activities and throughout their first semester to help alleviate their fears. The orientation weekend consisted of activities ranging from the scavenger hunt through the businesses of Westminster to pizza parties and the traditional procession of "ringing in the semester" in Red Square.

Weeks after the feelings of homesickness began to go away, parents were invited to visit to make sure that their sons and daughters were settled. This is the first time that most students have seen their families since they left for college. Students are excited to show how they have created a little piece of home here.



A father checks in during registration at Ensor Lounge. Parents were able to meet with both faculty members and student orienters at the various activities.

Photos courtesy of Jessie Watts and Dean Horneff.

Halloween FUN

Halloween is a time for spooks, scares, treats, and fun. Western Maryland College students enjoy this much needed break from studying mid-semester to celebrate Halloween on campus. Although they may legally be adults, some students still practice the ritual of trick-or-treating, claiming that this

activity is enjoyable for people of all ages and should not be limited to just children. Numerous parties sponsored by organizations or simply a group of friends were held in the dorms and the apartments. Many upperclassmen took advantage of the bus trip to Fells Point on Halloween night. At

WMC, you could see a variety of characters on Halloween night as everyone took great pride in their costumes. According to some students, preparing the costume was as important as the actual celebration of Halloween on October 31. As a result, Halloween at WMC is never one to be forgotten.

Sean Chadhuri took much time to prepare his costume. He proudly displays his costume for the camera.



A group of International students celebrate an American holiday together. They had the opportunity to relax among good friends this night.



Paul Charbonnier sweeps Jessie Watts off her feet. These two friends partied together well into the Halloween night.

Photos courtesy of Jessie Watts and Ferenc Levai.

Food Galore

at the International Dinner

Several international students help serve the wide variety of dishes. Entertainment accompanied food at this dinner to promote cultural diversity.



During the Fall semester, the International Club organized and held the International Dinner to promote diversity and cultural awareness on WMC campus. This organization is very large and active at our school. They have over sixty-one

members and truly desire to educate other students about their different background. On this particular Sunday night, a dinner was held in which many foods from a multitude of cultures were served. Due to the abundance of food, no one left this

event hungry. In addition, cultural dances and skits were performed. Students, faculty and staff members, and residents of the Westminster community attended this event to help promote the importance of one's cultural identity.



Students help themselves to a wide variety of desserts served at the International Dinner. No one left this event with an empty stomach.

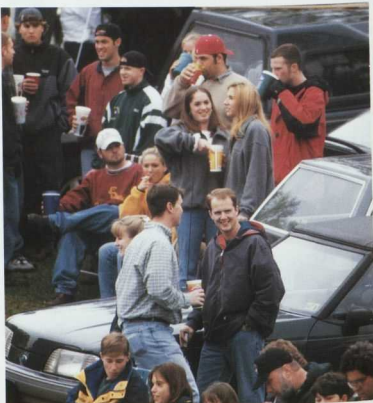
CELEBRATION!

This year's Homecoming included everything from the predictable Homecoming events to the spontaneous and ridiculous. The festivities began with the traditional parade of Homecoming floats down Main street. Residents of Westminster and students lined the streets to watch the Black Student Union float steal the show, as well as first place in the float competition. Their float depicted African history and showed an African king and queen, the pyramids, and an auction block which represented slavery.

Later in the day, the football team added some excitement to the day with the annual Homecoming game this year against Franklin and Marshall. Despite the losing seasons in the past, the football team scored four touchdowns to the applause and cheers of green terror fans and alumni. With a final score of 28-12, the football team added the Homecoming game to its list of victories. This was the team's seventh win during their season.

During halftime, the 1997 Homecoming court of seniors Christiaan Abildso and Erin Von Tobel, juniors Kevin Klunk and Christy-Ann Brown, sophomores Bob Spruill and Dena Morgan, and freshmen Jeremiah Kelly and Jennifer Haines was announced and presented to the crowd. The coveted Brant Cup was also presented to Phi Sigma Sigma for outstanding qualities in academics, community service, honor society, leadership, and athletics. A little spontaneity spiced up these predictable events when two male students streaked across the football field during the WMC Pom-pom performance. Their bodies were painted in green and gold, and they wore clown wings and oversized diapers. The crowd found this unusual devotion to school spirit amusing and one of the more memorable events of Homecoming, '97.

Fans enjoy each other's company as they watch the game. Football games were a great way for alumni to get reacquainted with each other.



The Green Terrors raise their helmets in support of the team following the national anthem. They played with skill and unity as they defeated their opponent.

Photos courtesy of Dave Sinclair and Public Information.

The winners of the Homecoming court proudly posed for a photograph. It was an honor to be voted to this position by their classmates.



Members of the Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity gathered together at the Homecoming game. The numerous fraternities and sororities on campus demonstrated much support for the Green Terrors.

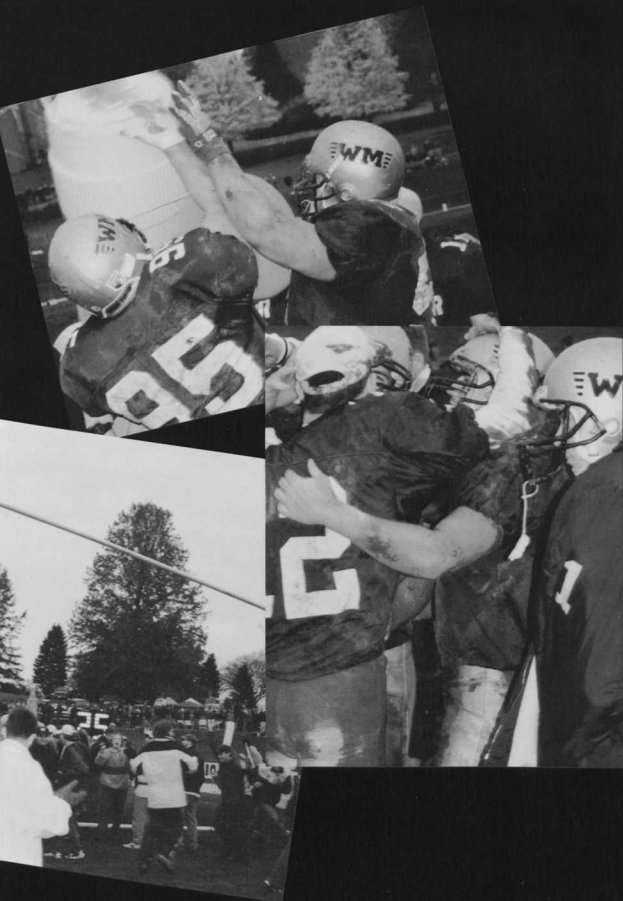


School spirit overwhelms Jesse Lewis and Nathan Birdsall as they interrupt the Pom Pon performance. These students added an element of surprise to the Homecoming festivities.

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The renovations to Lewis Hall of Science were well under way by the early winter months. Unfortunately, parking lots near Blanche Ward Hall and Peterson Hall had to be closed as a result.

The construction workers use the bulldozer to prepare the ground for the new building. A new steam line has to be placed in the earth.





The bulldozer is fenced off to avoid injuries by members of the campus community. The students, faculty, and staff were very understanding of the slight inconveniences in traffic patterns.

The construction is in progress as quickly as possible. Almost all of the buildings on campus were affected by the new changes.



Through the courtesy of sponsors such as the technology company Lockheed Martin as well as private contributors, the science department is going to get a face lift by the turn of the century. The creaky floors, weathered glassware, and crammed chemistry lab lecture room will all be replaced with a more than two million dollar technologically advanced science lab facility. Although maneuvering around campus will be a challenge while the center is in construction, the picturesque scenery will be renewed and the biology/chemistry/physics faculty and students will advance into the twenty-first century in no time at all.

**Science
in the
Next
Century**

Dancing the Night Away at the Formals

Throughout the semester, college students sometimes like a change from the daily routines of wearing jeans and sweatshirts to dressing up in formal attire. In both the winter and spring, CAPBoard sponsored a formal for the general school population. The winter formal was held at the Omni Hotel in downtown Baltimore. Everyone had a wonderful time dancing the night

away to a variety of music played by the d.j. Before the spring final exams begin, CAPBoard held a formal which consisted of a boat cruise around the Baltimore Inner Harbor and Chesapeake Bay. The numerous fraternities and sororities on campus also hosted formals for their members. These evenings were a welcome change for WMC students from the rigorous schedule of college life on the hill.

Jason Barr and Jen Vick are looking sharp. They had a pleasurable evening dancing among friends.



Sam Gordon and his dates pose in the lobby of the Omni. He could have danced all night with these ladies.





This couple takes one last picture before they board the bus. They anxiously awaited their first formal at WMC.

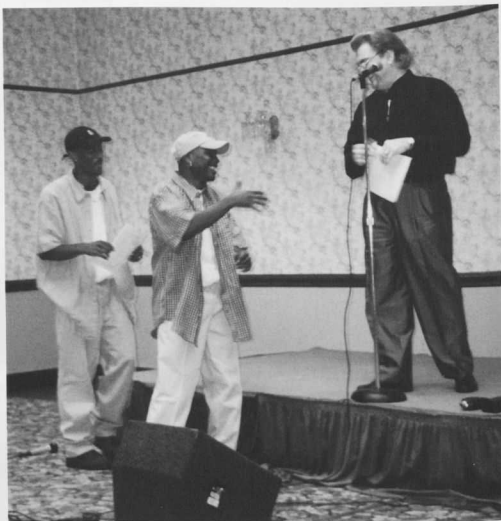
Courtney Rosenthal and Crystal Ecker take time out to pose for the camera. They enjoyed the food and beverage selection.



Sounds of The STUDENTS

Raphael Taylor and Kash Wright accept their first place prize for a music competition held in Baltimore City. These two students, who are presently members of the Gospel Choir, have just signed a recording contract.

The Monday Night Jazz Band performs at the Jazz Festival. This band was composed of many talented WMC musicians.



Jen Koch sit down to play a Spanish board game. They had a wonderful evening at this festivity.



Cinco de Mayo Festival



Michelle Marrero plays with her paddle ball at this cultural event. She really had fun celebrating her heritage with friends.

SPRING FLING -

It was a scream!

Every spring at Western Maryland, tension builds as the end of another year approaches. Last minute projects to finish, senior sems to write, jobs and internships to find...all of these thins add up to a completely stressed student body in desperate need of a stress-reducing weekend. So, on Saturday, May 2, WMC took a break.

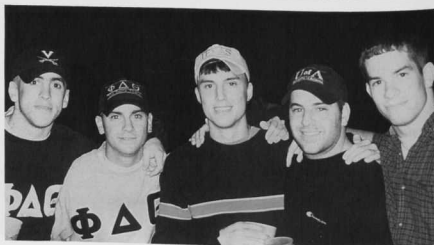
The day started with clubs and organizations setting up tables in the forum to promote their groups and to raise some money. Bands also played throughout the afternoon to entertain the WMC crowd. Although many events were inside due to the threat of rain, others, like the inflatable rock climb, were outside where the rain drizzle couldn't dampen the fun in the air. Friends gathered in the quad and outside the dorms where they played games and enjoyed this last weekend before finals.

As evening approahed, students found their way to GLAR for an indoor picnic. After a brief break in activity, students then gathered again in the forum for the last band of the day. Dancing until the early hours of the morning, another Spring Fling comes to an end and studetns return to their rooms to get sleep before they go back to **STRESSING OUT!**

Megan and Matt take time out from the Spring Fling festivities to enjoy each other's company. They enjoyed spending time together this weekend.



Several brothers of Phi Delta Theta hung out together. They are a close knit fraternity.





Two WMC students cartwheel across the quad. They enjoyed the sunny weather to relax outdoors.



Craig Combs smiles for the camera. He enjoyed his last Spring Fling at WMC.

Jesse Lewis and Dina Awad are all smiles for the camera. They had a great time joining in the Spring Fling festivities.

Building up to the Grand Finale

As the graduates' careers at WMC come to an end, these students are able to celebrate their final week on the hill with an assortment of enjoyable activities. They enjoyed an Orioles game at Camden Yards in Baltimore, followed by an evening spent relaxing in Fells Point. Also, they had several activities in the quad. In the faculty-senior softball game, the students had the opportunity to play against their favorite

Many seniors took advantage of this chance to try out the bars in Fells Point. They gladly smiled at the camera.

professors. The seniors spent one evening enjoying the summer weather under the stars on a cruise in the Baltimore Inner Harbor. These events helped seniors enjoy time together without the pressure of classes in celebrating their achievement. Pictures were taken, stories were shared, and good-byes were said. The graduates will always remember these last moments they had to spend among their fellow WMC classmates.

The seniors enjoyed a picnic in the quad. They celebrated with food and sun.





The graduates enjoyed America's favorite pastime. Oriole Park at Camden Yards was the perfect location for a senior week activity.

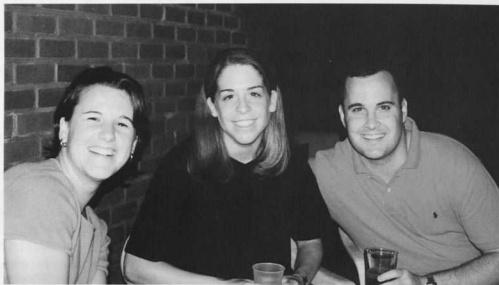


Seniors stand on deck to watch the stars and see the city go by. It was a beautiful evening to see the harbor.



Seniors cheer on their fellow classmates as they battle the faculty. The competition was fierce among the students and professors.

Ginger Rosetta and Jennifer Lloyd hang out together at the Westminster Inn. Many of the senior week events were held off-campus.



Jessica Mongrain, Marlene Wagner, and Mike enjoy their remaining days together as WMC students. They will really miss each other as they go their separate ways after graduation.

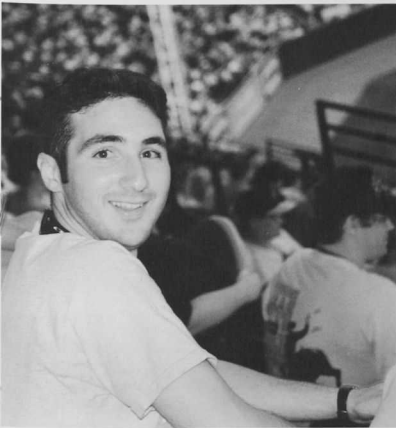
Dina Awad, Kim McNally, and some friends pose for the camera in the gazebo. They thoroughly enjoyed the Senior Week festivities.



Senior Week Celebration



Henriot St.Gerard, Erik Anderson, John Haigh, and Hesham Kahmal show off their manly physiques. These friends have known each other for many years.

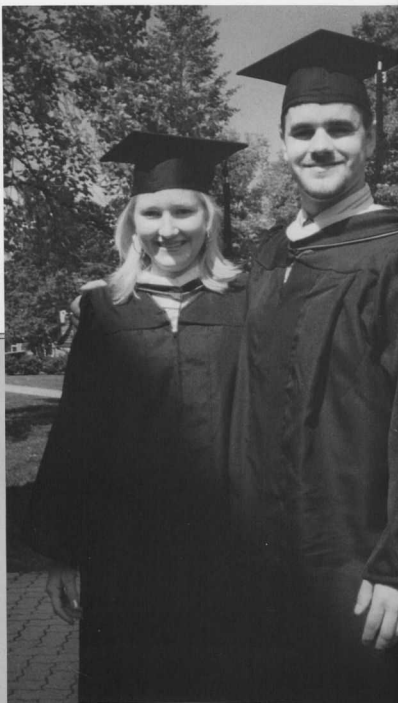


Senior Jesse Lewis and sophomore Kittie Deluca give each other a big hug. Jesse will miss his younger friends after graduation.



This quiet area beside the library is great spot to catch up on reading. Students found a variety of places to study around campus.

Jessie Watts and Ferenc Levai anxiously anticipate Honors Convocation. They enjoyed one of their final ceremonies on campus.



Art majors create imaginative projects in the studio. Many students had their artwork displayed in the Rice Gallery.





REACHING NEW HEIGHTS IN ACADEMICS

We came to learn. We should never forget that point. For four years we studied and crammed and wrote and discussed the world in which we live. Learning made us better people. Our once blinded eyes were cast open by the caring and dedication of those wacky professors. Whether we want to or not, we can all look back and say, "it was worth it."

The road we traveled was not an easy one. Who can forget those all nighters? We fought hunger, fatigue, and deadlines as we wrote a ten page term paper in a matter of hours. Remember those late night snack runs to Sheetz or Shell? They became more than a necessity as we tried to sound eloquent at 3 AM; they became ritual. We could get called from our friends (usually those who didn't have any homework) and

they would guilt us into going down Main Street. Then before we knew it, the sun was rising and so was our panic levels. It was worth it. The pressure brought out the best in us.

The professors too brought out the best in us. We were the lucky ones




Senior Julie Backof shows a big smile after graduation. The four years of hard work at WMC truly prepared her for her future career.

to have been able to talk to them whenever we needed answers. Other schools didn't have it as good as we did. The Dr. Paneks and Colyers and

Iglichs and Alles' and Dillmans and Evergates (both husband and wife) of this campus worked hard to make us better learners. They had the ability to reach out and get our attention. They compromised nothing for our education.

They also pushed us. Who amongst us was not challenged by one professor or another? They knew we were here to gain knowledge and skills. That diploma we got is not some empty token. We EARNED it the old fashioned way. We broke our backs, taxed our minds, and pushed hard for four years. It was worth it. Remember the effort it took to earn that piece of paper each time you look at it. We came to learn, and we did.



Students perform at the Jazz Show as the culminating experience of the class. They worked very hard all semester in preparation for the show.

New Learning

And Artwork on Display

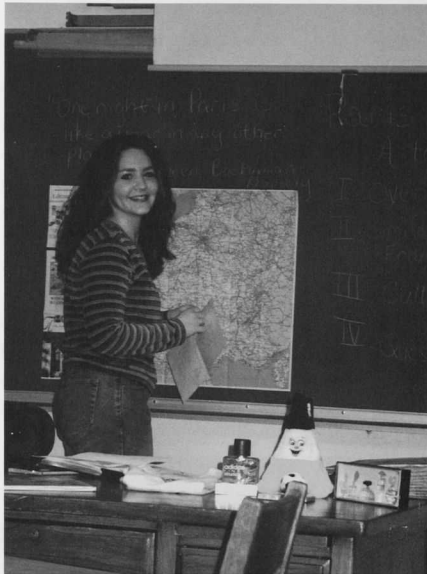
This year's freshmen class had a new opportunity at WMC for learning in an individualized environment. Every freshman was involved with a first year seminar. This class which lasted throughout the fall semester fulfilled a BLAR and was taught by the students' advisor. A classroom assistant acted as an intern and attended the classes as well as held frequent review sessions. This C.A. also organized activities outside of class to encourage comederaderie among the students. Seminars were given in a variety of subjects relating to the students' majors such as French, Spanish, Business, Sociology, and English. According to Sam Gordon, "In my French seminar, I met a lot of cool people." Every freshmen had the opportunity to rely on both a student orientor and a classroom assistant for guidance in adjusting to the daily routines of college life. The seminars were a great way to engage in an introductory college courses, gain new knowledge, and interact with a variety of students and faculty members on a one-to-one basis.



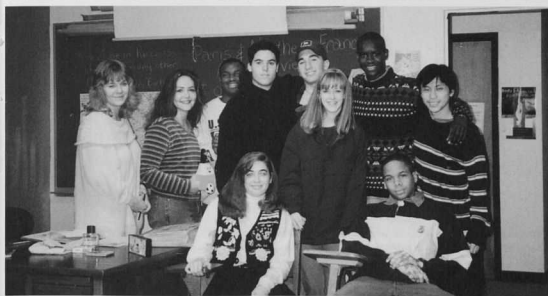
Jessica Boehman's painting is displayed in the lobby of McDaniel Hall. She depicted the clear, stary night in Memorial Plaza.

Many students enjoy expressing their inner emotions through various means. Art is a technique through which many students display much talent and emotion. At WMC, student artwork is frequently recognized and placed on displays in galleries and several locations on campus. For example, this past year, student artwork was placed in the newly renovated lobby of McDaniel Hall. As students enter their dormitory, they are greeted by the paintings which represent various sections of the WMC campus. The paintings help to make the atmosphere more welcoming and comfortable. Also, many WMC students are recognized for their outstanding academic as well as artistic achievements.

Amanda Goldman gives a presentation of Paris during a freshman French seminar. She studied the government and politics of France during the semester.



A WMC student artist is fortunate to have a painting hung in the lobby of a residence hall. The arch entranceway behind Alumni Hall is skillfully portrayed.



These students are members of the Issues in Contemporary France Seminar. They enjoyed having the encouragement of their Classroom Assistant

ARMY R.O.T.C.

The Western Maryland military science program gives students the opportunity to experience military life. They offer a wide variety of activities for students to participate in. Some of these events include: Ranger Challenge, where the Western Maryland team finished first in the 10K ruckrun, the army ten mile run, field training exercises, color guard and indoor soccer. The students that attend these events get the chance to challenge themselves at a higher level. It is hard work but also very rewarding. The upper class students are the leaders of the Western Maryland Battalion. They are called upon to teach mini-classes during labs and to support the rest of the team. All R.O.T.C. members are expected to lead by example. The experience gained from participation in this class and its outside activities offer a student the chance to grow academically and mentally. The skills learned here can be used in any future endeavors.



After a long and challenging weekend these students take time for a picture. These cadets showed great leadership qualities at Ranger Challenge.



After the Army 10 miler these students take a minute to relax. The run was tiring but very rewarding.

This team of WMC cadets is getting ready for the next event at Ranger Challenge. They performed very well here.

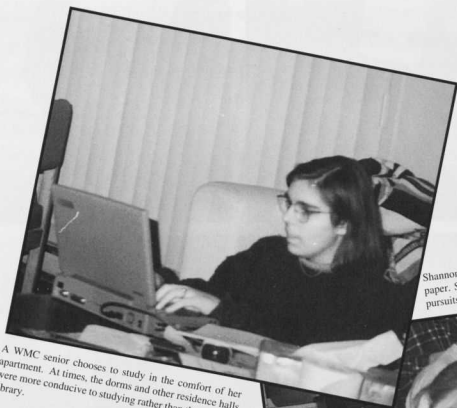


Three WMC seniors are ready to receive their awards at the first lab of the year. These students demonstrated excellent leadership throughout the year.



The ROTC cadets on scholarship take time to pose for the camera. They learned a lot about military life this year.

Hard Work Leads To...



A WMC senior chooses to study in the comfort of her apartment. At times, the dorms and other residence halls were more conducive to studying rather than the crowded library.

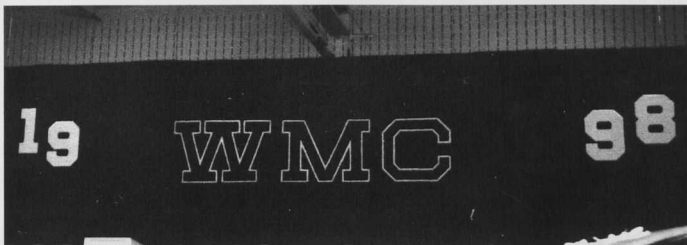
Shannon Tinney is hard at work on finishing her paper. She has had much success in her academic pursuits.



Success!



These majors gather together for the English Department senior dinner. The instructors gave out awards for the English Major Scholars and the Creative English Majors as well as reminisced.



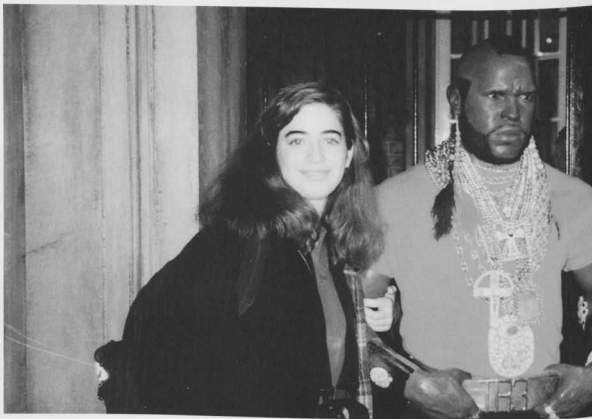
The students receive their diplomas in G i l l Gymnasium at graduation. T h i s ceremony was t h e culmination of each student's a c a d e m i c endeavors.

Many WMC students explored the sights of Austria during January term. The landscape was very picturesque.

A traditional Dutch profession is the making of wooden shoes. In a typical Dutch village, travelers could view this display along with a cheese maker and windmills.



Joy Fourhman and Courtney Rosenthal enjoying the realistic wax figures at Madame Tussaud's Wax Museum. This was one of the highlights of the London stops on the tour.





STUDYING NEW CULTURES

WMC students always welcome adventures. This past January term, many students had the opportunity to experience diverse cultures and explore numerous historical sights. Many study tours were offered during the three week period. On one trip, led by Professor Sue Bloom, students went overseas to visit England, Belgium, and Holland. For some of the participants, this was truly a new experience as they took their first airplane flight. Utilizing photography as a guiding principle, these students captured the images of castles, museums, and other points of interest. According to Joy Fourhman, "The trip was a wonderful chance to meet new

people while exploring other parts of the world." London offered much excitement with the abundance of sights, shopping, and pubs. During the brief visit in Belgium, the WMC group appreciated the quaintness of a small European village. In Amsterdam, the tour took a canal cruise and enjoyed the free nights to experience the unique opportunities of the city. Studied tours were also offered to Germany and surrounding countries, the Bahamas, and San Fransisco and the Bay area. In the liberal arts curriculum at WMC, diversity in learning is always encouraged.,



WMC students were awed by the prehistoric Stonehenge. They thoroughly enjoyed the sights in the English countryside.

Well-Deserved Honors

So, did all that hard work really pay off? Apparently so, based upon the plethora of awards presented at the Honors Convocation. The awards including departmental honors for which some students submitted extra projects and Who's Who Among American College Students for which students were nominated by the professors and were chosen from a pool of distinguished candidates throughout the country. Relatives, friends, professors, and fellow students gathered to celebrate the achievements of the honorees. Congratulations - you earned it.

Senior Jessica Mongrain is honored by her superior for her achievements in Military Science. She enlisted and was sent to Germany for service.



A motivational speaker smiles for the camera following her optimistic and uplifting speech. She too remembered the feelings of ambivalence at the time of graduation.



Honors Advisor Nancy Palmer embraced James Riggins to congratulate him on his awards at Honors Convocation. He graduated prepared for future career in Chemistry.

Senior Lynnae Stoeher receives a necklace from President Chambers. She represented her class well as their president.



Dean Joan Coley congratulates a senior member of Phi Delta Theta. She was proud of the many accomplishments of the senior class.

REACHING

A Culmination of Years of Hard Work

THE TOP

Graduation -four years of hard work and crazy times all come down to this one day. This piece of paper, the diploma, whether it represents the achievement of a masters or bachelor degree, opens a whole new window of opportunity for the seniors and master programs recipients.

Some will embark into the corporate world facing the best job market for graduates in years. Others aspire to brave graduate or

professional school for a few more years to delay diving into the waters of the world at large.

Seniors reminisce about the high and low points of life here on the Hill. From the wild times of senior week, to the lab disasters in Lewis, late nights dodging campus safety, Thursday nights at Champs, countless all-nighters during finals week, and the arduous process of producing the Senior Sem, it's been a mixed

bag of fun and frustration at WMC.

The four years atop the hill seemed to pass by so fast. It seemed like just yesterday the seniors left the comforts of home to find their place at WMC. Now that they have reached the apogee of the hill, we, the WMC community, wish the graduating class all the best in attaining their goals and dreams beyond the horizon.

A grad student gets her hood from the faculty. It is a day of great pride and accomplishment for her.



Dr. David Herlocker and his son embrace as he congratulates him for attaining his degree. It was a touching moment for all.



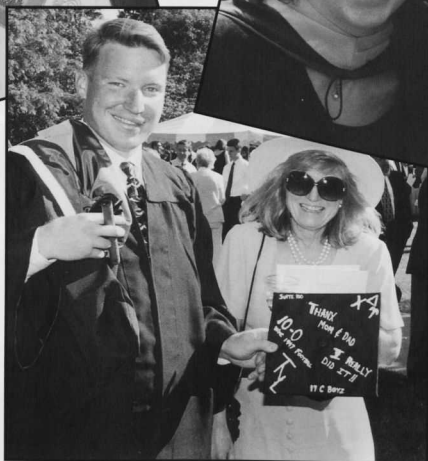


Joy Hoffman stands with pride as she is congratulated for receiving the honor of the highest G.P.A. of the graduating class. Many days of hard work went into achieving such a feat.



Barry Wyche proudly accepts his diploma from Dr. Lightner. His contribution to WMC was noteworthy.

A graduate looks on into the crowd searching for her loved ones. She was happy to have support on her special day.



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The Hispano-Latino Alliance gathers together at the Cinco de Mayo celebration. This was a new



Students dress in costume for the International Dinner. The International Club was a very active organization.

The Student Government Assembly works as a unit to improve life at Western Maryland. They are composed of representatives from all four classes.



cultural organization.



REACHING NEW HEIGHTS IN CLUBS

With numerous organizations on campus, it is hard to decide what to do. But once you make that decision, it is easy to become very involved in a variety of clubs.

From Greek groups to cultural clubs to community service groups, there are a lot of ways to follow up on your interests. Meeting new people who have similar ideas and goals is another

definite advantage to joining in at WMC events. By belonging to organizations, you can be exposed to new thoughts, perspectives, and points of view. Leadership qualities, often looked for in prospective employees, can be expanded by holding officer positions.

Whatever your role on campus, it is true: you get out of it what you put into it. And WMC students put a lot into it!



CAPBoard sponsors performer in the Pub. This organization brought many entertainers to campus.

AIDS Support Awareness Prevention



First Row: Anita Miles, Lynnell McLean. **Second Row:** Nicole Sinclair, Janet Keymetian, Shannon Tinney, Sara Gruber, Crystal Muia. **Third Row:** Erin Owen, Maytinee Pramannt, Erica Rozali, Jessi Heil, Summer Lyles, Jenifer Sirkis, Mackenzie Cummings, Jessie Belz, Ginger Parke, Kendra Pulis. **Not pictured:** Aimee Crewalk, Meghan Gross, Amanda Cline, Jimmy Reddan, Libby Liu.

Allies



First Row: Tim Baylor, Advisor, Megan Milesky, Merideth Peruzzi.
Second Row: Rich Simmons, Rich Suchoski.

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Alpha Nu Omega



First Row: Laurel Monroe, Shelly Hughes, Corie McFaul, Amy Heffner, Lori Hansch. Second Row: Dina Awad, Nikki Calhoun, Dena Morgan, Melissa Linton, Marlene Wagner, Carrie Gatton, Kristi Simon. Third Row: Amy Baxter, Laura Watson, Kimberly McNally, Melinda Virts, Meaghan Kelly, Tara Matusheski. Fourth Row: Liz Valuet, Suzanne Weatherby, Becca Hunt, Angelica Jusino, Jill Wang, Jessica Mongrain, Kim Tower. Not pictured: Michelle Crow, Karen Williams, Nazhin Beiramee, Lisa Price, Jill Johnson, Katie Anderson, Laurie Giorno, Ang Lewis, Jessica Seidel, Christy Veneziani, Erin Webb, Amy Gunderson, Janet Hosford, Lauren Hine, Amy Cipoloni.

BACCHUS



First Row: Summer Rae Lyces, Anita Miles, Latrice Quickley, Nicole Sinclair, Michelle Quigley.

Catholic Campus Ministry



First Row: Christian Wilwolhl, Monica Marinello, Megan Martin, Maddalena Tilli. Second Row: Brian O'Connor, Valerie Kahn, Stephanie Price, Elizabeth Price, Jeanne Chamberlaine.

Christian Fellowship



First Row: Jodi Miller, Nicole Sinclair, Jenny Weddle, Heather Miller, Tricia Chin Quee, Lori Hansch, Erica Colton. Second Row: Christy-Ann Brown, Cindy West, Katie Crosser, Beef, Kerrie Wille, Suzanne Weatherby, Pamela Murrell. Third Row: Anita Miles, Jamie Walker, Rob Newman, Paul Luce, Lisa Peterson, Mary Cannon, Matt Steiner, Eric Brind'amour. Fourth Row: Julie Brown, Nicole Mechaly, Jason Bhargava, Matt Rittler, Brad Ingram, Ryan Bowman, Andrea Ahlborn. Not pictured: Amanda Cline, Jeremiah Kell, Heather Pinto, Taylor Redding, Ian Van Tassell, Clint McKay, Matt Burger, Matt Wilson.

Circle K



First Row: Sonia Pant, Lisa Peterson, Amanda Cline, Stacey Dobres, Angie Hurd, Robin Lilley, Megan Martin. Second Row: Freela Karos, Gail Taylor, Elizabeth Price, Stephanie Price, Jason West, Brian Hornbecker, Crystal Muia. Third Row: Jamie Goldsmith, Jen Frazetti, Katie Crowe, Kim Aurig, Meghan Joyce. Not pictured: Kendra Jones, Erin Williams, Liz Pfaff, Erin Garonte, Aaron Corbett, Jen Knox, Meghan Humbert, Kara Wnukowski, Amanda Leshner, Clint McKay, Jessie Belz, Nicki Kassolis, Christy Addeo.

French Club



First Row: Courtney Rosenthal, Brooke Vizi, Juba Siqueira, Eliane Maroun. Second Row: Joy Fourhman, Don Todd, Sam Gordon, Beth Budny.

Gamma Beta Chi



First Row: Mark Frey, III, Mike Sansone, Matt Koelling, Kevin Cooke, Paul Scott. **Second Row:** Jason Wack, Wade Hughes, Jayme Bechtoldt. **Not pictured:** Brett Sweeney, Kevin Dooley, Kyle Crawford, Phil Shipos, Dan Herlocker.

Gamma Sigma Alpha



First Row: Ahsan Latif, Christina King, Alison Wagner, Christine Kalobius, Laurie Cicero, Merideth Bowen, Rich Agnello, Amy Heffner, Jessica Mongrain. **Second Row:** Christian Wilwohl, Stephanie Cox, Rebecca Tothoro, Charlotte Saylor, Jamie Lemmon, Jeanne Calishan, Samantha Aldrich, Stacey O'Brien, Jamie Moyer, Sara Beth Reyburn, James Riggins. **Third Row:** Niki Grandirino, Natalie Hannibal, Amy North, Betsy Chimock. **Fourth Row:** Justin Stafford, Nate Henry, Janice Korenkiewicz, Mike Rockefeller, Dan Angelini, Jason Barr, Stephen Manger, Jorge del Villar.

Hispano-Latino Alliance



First Row: Kim Bloch, Jessie Watts, Michelle Marrero, Antonio Betancourt, Cecy Sanchez. **Second Row:** Silvana Bela, Jack Hayden Meyers, Jorge del Villar, James Felton. **Not pictured:** Evan.

Honors Program



First Row: Maddalena Tilli, Valerie Kahn, Joy Hoffman, Martha Tudor, Jeanne Chamberlaine, David Seidel, Benjamin Liska, Teresa Needer, Angela Hurd, Ryan Keough, Adam Schwanniger, Christa Farrar, John Craig, Michael Duus. **Second Row:** Jennifer McCabe, Sarah Radice, Raini Wright, Rashmi Wright, Lori Hansch, Alethea Desrosiers, Julie Kirchner, Megan Townsend, Matthew Gribbin, Kevin Worley. **Third Row:** Amanda Lecher, Sarah Harper, Jenn Knox, Megan Drost, Shawn Sprague, Nicole McNally, Jamie Walker, Melissa Donner, Ryan Ewing, Freda Karos. **Fourth Row:** Teresa Addeo, Robin Lilley, Melanie Cook, Christina Addeo, Emily Murphey, Dennis Lucey, Erin Williams, Matthew Thomas. **Fifth Row:** Jonathan Bearr, Anna Boyer, John Sebenski, Brian Hornbecker, Nicki Kasolis, Sarah Chenoweth, Clint McKay, Aaron Heisler, James Riggins, Amanda Hoffstetter, Paul Ostazeski, Alfred Milliner, Don Todd, Nathan Williams.

Inter-Greek Council



First Row: Laurie Jones, Shane Toothaker, Stephanie Craven.
Second Row: Betsy Chimock, Jessica Haller, Kim Tower. Not
picture: Amy Doane.

German Club



First Row: Deena Reynolds, Merideth Bowen, Amy Dreibelbis.
Second Row: Ferenc Levai, Miriam Tegeler, Jeanne Chamberlaine.
Third Row: Dr. Mohamed Esa, Clint McKay.

Kappa Mu Epsilon



First Row: Krissy Kurtyka, Fred Butler, Brian Hornbecker, Kendra Jones, Jenny Addeo, Christina Addeo. Second Row: John Renaut, Mike Morgan, Kevin Worley, David Meckley, Rob Newman, John Sebanski, Amy Larrick, Jason Barr, Julie Brown. Not pictured: Tom Lapato, Ed Milliner, Paul Luce, Matthew Gribbin, Tavis Tucker, Joanna Gurbada, Julie Flnk, Fay Ingram, Mike Rockefeller, Paddy Taylor, Chris Saumenig, Maureen Brooks, Chris Kulp.

Multicultural Student Association



First Row: Nicole Sinclair, Anita Miles, Eric Brind'amour, Camille Cooke. Second Row: Micole Patton, Summer Lyles, Sarah Harper. Not pictured: Sergey Fayvusovich, Aleya Horn, Michelle Kairis, Stephanie Kairis, J.R. Lighter, Shawn Sprague, Corela Tamagnini.

Order of Omega



First Row: Jessica Haller, Amy Heffner, Corie McFaul, Denise Dill, Niki Grandrimo, Jessica Mongrain. **Second Row:** Rob Newman, Laurie Cicero, Stacey McIntire, Amanda Hoffstetter, Stacey O'Brien, Lisa Hopkins, Betsy Chimock.

Phi Sigma Sigma



First Row: Janna Malehorn, Shannon Benson, Melina Asensio, Nicole Interior, Rana Razaque. **Second Row:** Amy Horn, Jessica Duquette, Kelly Hacker, Laurie Cicero, Niki Grandrimo, Jessica Haller, January Scott. **Third Row:** Erin McGrady, Gina Rende, Jamie Moyer, Denise Dill, Tracie Browning, Natalie Phelps, Stacey Romesburg, Danielle Dickerson. **Fourth Row:** Lisa Hopkins, Malissa Morin, Stephanie Craven, Stacey O'Brien, Melanie Matejebich, Holly Huffer, Ashley Welter, Allison Conway. **Not pictured:** Amy Doane, Liz Clark, Erin Von Tobel, Erin Kelly, Merideth Bowen, Tanelle Miliam, Kristin Miller, Jodi Klebez, Erica Hiebel, Cynthia Berger, Cindy Hess, Lisa Healey, Heather Huffer, Erika Herron, Kris Rider, Julie Edwards, Erin McGrady, Becky Early, Jocelyn Orkin, Sarah Rasinsky, Jodi Wagner, Christine Kalobius, Katie Haley, Jenn Fort.

Phoenix



First Row: Emily Stamathis, Erin Howard, Eric Berry, Megan Martin, Jenn Vick. **Second Row:** Jeremy Lopus, Sarah Radice, Adam Dean, Kate Hampson, Jessie Watts. **Third Row:** Ann Butler, Rich Suchoski, Jonathon Shacat. **Not pictured:** Rich Simmons.

Pi Gamma Mu



First Row: Sara Beth Reyburn, Rebecca Sommer, Kimberly Walter, Christina King, Kelly Foley, Victoria Oneda, Margaret Kimura. **Second Row:** Dr. Chase, Daniel Shattuck, Stan Mansky, Justin Stafford, Daniel Burger, Eleftherios Michael. **Not pictured:** Joy Fourhman, Jamie Moser, Meghan Joyce, Shannon Tinney, Amanda Hoffstetter, Becky Tothero, Michelle Hamilton, Liz Valuet, Christian Wilwohl, David Shoemaker, Stephanie Manger.

Pom Pon Squad



First Row: Brooke Vizzi, Amanda Hoffstetter, Chandra Westergaard, Karey Sellers. Second Row: Stephanie Nemecek, Michelle Bernhardt, Laurie Jones, Laura Russell.

Ranger Platoon 1997-98



First Row: Pete Bushnell, Rob Taber, Rob Schoppert, Dudley Cobb, Dave Rogers, Jessica Mongrain. Second Row: Jimmy Moore, Brian Ferguson, Mike Cushwa, Jeremy Bell, Alex McLean, Liz Clark. Third Row: Brian Hayes, Ben Craven, Patrick Douglas, Francesca Saylor, SFC Patrick Parker.

Sigma Phi Epsilon



First Row: Duane Campbell, Jameson Pain, Frank Stanton, Jason Michelson, Scot Hoover, Kevin Klunk. **Second Row:** Rob Taber, Sandor Zwack, David Fox, Chad Obringer, Aaron Burleson.

Sounds of Silence



First Row: Jeremy Trammelle, Jeanne Chamberlaine, Eric Berry, Jessie Belz. **Second Row:** Joanne Dennie, Jenn Fort, Ginger Park, Elizabeth Price, Stacey O'Brien. **Not pictured:** Erica Colton.

Spanish Club



First Row: Jenn Addeo, Jacqueline Smith, Jessica Boehman. **Second Row:** Andres Beneroso-Soler, Nicole Castro, Jonathon Shacat.

Substance Free Affinity Group



First Row: Trang Dam, Dana Jacobson, Summer Byers. **Second Row:** Stephanie Thoren, Megan Lewis, Stacey Dobres, Colleen Shannon. **Not pictured:** Taijiwantie Persaud, Renada Vesnovsley, Cynthia Callen, Maggie Kimura, Stacy Fudala, Karen Rollins, Bronwyn Craig, Kim Hall, Amy Prichett.

Beta Beta Beta



First Row: Rob Newman, Christina Santoni, Danielle Council, Nicole Mechaly, David Seidel, Diane Grove, Jennifer Belbot. **Second Row:** Stacey O'Brien, Jenn Spar, Amy Heffner, Maddalena Tilli, Stephanie Price, Beth Budny, Tara Mazza, Courtney Rosenthal. **Third Row:** Mary Cannon, Jennifer Sacks, Jason West, Brad Ingram, Sarah Fike, John Berr, Erin Williams.

Trumpeters



First Row: Brian Hornbecker, Mandy Hoffstetter. **Second Row:** Kendra Jones, Sara Beth Reyburn, Heather Huffer.



Aberts, Valerie
Art/Art History

Abildso, Christiaan
Business Administration/
Economics

Aldrich, Samantha
Communication

Allen, Amy
Social Work

Ambrus, Attila
Business Administration/
Economics

Anderson, Katherine
Sociology

Anderson, Laurina
Social Work

Angelini, Daniel
Biology

Asencio, Melina
Exercise Science/
Physical Education

Awad, Dina
Biology

Backof, Julie
Biology

Barr, Jason
Math/Computer Science

Beiramee, Nazhin
Exercise Science/Physical Education

Benedek, Balazi
Business Administration/Economics

Benson, Kristina
Sociology



SENIORS



Berry, Tasha
Political Science



Beyer, Kathleen
English



Blevins, Karin
Psychology



Brown, Julie
Math



Bukolyi, Dora
Business Administration/
Economics



Butler, Frederick
Math



Chadhura, Sean
Physics



Chenoweth, Sarah
Chemistry



Chesnik, Cameron
Business Administration



Ciccone, Kara
Social Work



Cicero, Laurie
Psychology



Clegg, Scott
Biology



Collins, Tameka
Social Work



Combs, Craig
Sociology



Conover, Walter
Sociology





Conway, Alison
History/Art History

Crow, Michele
Business Administration

Cummings, Michael
Art

Dare, Jason
Exercise Science/Physical
Education

Davis, Kelly
Social Work

Deitrich, Colleen
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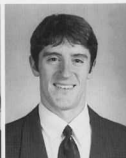
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Business Administration/
Economics

Earley, Rebecca
Biology

Eberwein, Karen
Psychology/
Communication

Ensor, Kate
Sociology

Franko, Daniel
Theatre Arts



SENIORS



Frazier, John
English



Gatton, Carrie
History



Giorno, Laura
Communication



Grandrimo, Nicole
Political Science



Grant, Emily
Art History



Gross, Megan
Art/French



Hadjipsaltis, Constantinos
Business Administration/
Economics



Haigh, John
Biology



Hamilton, Michelle
History



Harris, Amber
Religious Studies



Harrison, Rachel
History



Hauser, Angela
English



Heffner, Amy
Biology



Heibel, Erica
Art



Henry, Nathaniel
History





Hess, Andrew
Social Work

Hess, Jennifer
Biology

Joffman, Joy
English



Hopkins, Lisa
Biochemistry/Biology

Hosford, Janet
Social Work

Howell, Laurie
Psychology



Huffer, Heather
Biochemistry

Hughes, Gina
Exercise Science/Physical
Education

Jacoby, Heather
Spanish



James, Daria
Social Work

Johnson, Jill
Sociology

Johnson, Jolie
English



Jones, Kendra
Chemistry

Kairis, Lisa
English

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Political Science



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Art



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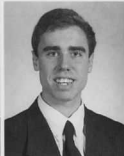
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Exercise Science/Physical
Education



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Sociology



Kulow, Sara
Social Work/Sociology



Kulp, Christopher
Math/Physics



Larrick, Amy
Math



Larrimore, Laura
Psychology



Lawrence, Amy
Psychology



Lawrence, Cori
Religious Studies



Leavelle, Amanda
Biology



Lemerise, Maggie
Communication



Levai, Ferenc
Business Adminis-
tration/Economics





Levy, Shery
English

Lewis, Jesse
English

Long, Daniel
Business Administration



Majkowski, Holly
Business Administration/
Economics

Manger, Stephen
Psychology

Mansky, Stan
Political Science

Marrero, Michelle
Biology

Marshall, Will
Exercise Science/Physical
Education

Mason, Pete
Studio Art/Art

McNally, Kimberly
Biology

Menyhart, Zoltan
Business Administration/
Economics

Michael, Nathan
Psychology/Sociology

Michelson, Kurt
History/Sociology

Miller, Brian
Sociology

Miller, Karen
Music



SENIORS



Milliner, Ed
Math



Mongrain, Jessica
Exercise Science/Physical
Education



Moyer, Chryssa
Art



Murphy, Mika
English



Musick, Stephanie



Northcut, Cody
Political Science



O'Brien, Stacy
Biology



Orkin, Jocelyn
Graphic Design



Ormiston, Brent
Business Administration/
Economics



Parks, William
Exercise Science/Physi-
cal Education



Patterson, Craig
History



Patton, Nicole
Social Work



Peltier, Brian
Business Adminis-
tration/Economics



Petwal, Vijay
Biology



Picton, Robert
Exercise Science/
Physical Education





Price, Melissa
Sociology

Price, Stephanie
Biology

Ragin, Tomeka
Psychology

Rash, Richard
Business Administration/
Economics

Reichard, Reka
Business Administration/
Economics

Reyburn, Sara Beth
History/Political Science

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Economics

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Biology

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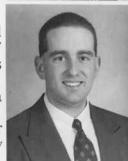
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Political Science

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Shoemaker, David
History/German



Silverblatt, Allison
Biology



Smiddy, Stephen
Exercise Science/Physical Education



Smith, Jacqueline
Spanish



Sommer, Rebecca
English/History



South, Sarah
English



Sparr, Jenny
Biology



Stoehr, Lynnae
History



Taylor, Gail
Psychology



Tharpe, Jason
Exercise Science/
Physical Education



Thompson, Kari
Exercise Science



Tilli, Maddalena
Biochemistry



Tothoro, Rebecca
Political Science



Tucker, Tavis
Math



Valuet, Elizabeth
Business Administration/Political Science





Verrastro, Dan
Sociology

Vick, Jennifer
English

Volz, Jason
Sociology



Wagner, Jodi
Exercise Science

Wagner, Marlene
Exercise Science

Walter, Kim
Psychology



Watts, Jessica
Business Administration

Walter, Ashley
Sociology

Williams, Karen
Communication



Wilwohl, Christian
Political Science/French

Wood, Matthew
Political Science

Wyche, Barry
Sociology



Yarroll, Douglas
Communication



SENIORS

Seniors Not Pictured:

Abron, Donte Sociology	Deri, Tamas Business Administration	Kimball, Lauren History	Schott, Joseph Communication
Adamo, Natalie Communication	Drawbaugh, Christopher Sociology	Lavis, Justin Sociology	Schrott, Harry Communication
Bechtoldt, Jayme Studio Art	Dutill, Rene Biochemistry	Le Doux, Nicole English	Scott, Paul Sociology
Becker, Anthony Physics	Edwards, Sharon Biology	Lepley, Amy Sociology	Shattuck, Daniel History/Political Science
Belbot, Jennifer Biology	Felix, Colleen Psychology	Malone, Patricia Sociology	Shuck, Kristopher History
Boden, Courtney Political Science/German	Fillius, Michael Biology	Marsh, Kevin Political Science	Smith, Nathan Physics
Bosley, Deborah English	Fink, Julie Mathematics	Maschke, Dave Biology	Sprinkle, Kimberly French
Boughan, Julie English	Forsythe, Liam Political Science	McDonough, Erin Studio Art/Art History	Steelberg, Brooke History
Bowen, Meredith German	Frey, Mark Sociology	McDonough, Maureen Studio Art/Art History	Steiner, Matthew Psychology
Bradley, Ruth English	Geiman, Kelly Business Administration	McDowell, Susan English	Thomson, Scott Exercise Science
Brooks, Laurian English	Gertsen, Eric History	McIver, Maureen Communication	Tillson, Gregory Physics
Brown, Julie Mathematics	Goff, Tracie Sociology	Meiklejohn, Richard Economics	Tran, Dan Sociology
Brown, Kathryn English	Goodison, Karen Biology	Miley, Thomas Biology	Tripp, Christopher Sociology
Brown, Kevin Communication	Gregg, Scott Business Administration	Polinszky, Tamas Business Administration	VonToble, Erin English
Callahan, Jeanne English	Gregory, Morgan Student Design	Pulis, Kendra Sociology	Walker, Raymond English
Cannon, Mary Biochemistry/Biology	Hamilton, Richard Communication	Rasinsky, Sarah Sociology	Walton, Linda Chemistry
Carberry, Todd Exercise Science	Harding, Matthew Communication	Reichardt, Timea Political Science	Whalen, Kimberly English
Cashman, Barton Physical Education	Herlocker, Daniel Sociology	Riggins, James Biochemistry/Chemistry	Widomski, Jessica Political Science
Cobb, Dudley Exercise Science	Herr, Jennifer Studio Art/Art History	Robinson, Scott Biochemistry/Chemistry	Whittenburg, Heather Biochemistry/Biology
Colyer, Gwyneth Communication	Heves, Adam Business Ad/Economics	Roche, David Political Science	Wolff, Roland Business Administration
Crawford, Kyle Sociology	Hilton, Joseph Biology/Psychology	Saumenig, Christopher Mathematics	Zwack, Sandor Political Science
Crewalk, Aimee Studio Art/Art History	Hutchison, Todd Art History	Scarborough, Michael Business Administration	
Csiszar, Eva Art	Junkin, John Sociology	Schnabele, Kathy Political Science	
Currey, Brian Business Administration	Kelly, Erin Sociology	Schneider, Michelle Psychology	

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Biology

Dr. Robin Armstrong
Music

Dr. Julie Badiie
Art & Art History

James Baldree
Military Science

Roy Barnes
Military Science

Garth Baxter
Music

Dr. Herman Behling
Education

Dr. Mary Bendel-Simso
English

Richard Blanchard
Education

Susan Bloom
Art & Art History

Dr. Robert Boner
Mathematics

Carolyn Boner
Mathematics

Dr. Margaret Boudreaux
Music

Dr. Michael Brown
Biology

Dr. Richard Carpenter
Exercise Science





Joseph Carter
Economics



Dr. Samuel Case
Exercise Science



Dr. Robert Chambers
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Dr. Jack Clark
Mathematics



Dr. Richard Claycombe
Economics & Business



Dr. Richard Clower
Exercise Science



Dr. Stephen Colyer
Psychology



Dr. Judith Corwell
Education



Terence Dalton
English



Dr. Cornelius Darcy
History



Dr. Thomas Deveny
Foreign Language



Richard Dillman
Communications



Ira Domser
Theatre Arts



Karen Doyle
Military Science



Kim Easterday
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Dr. Mohammed Esa
Foreign Language





Dr. Linda Eshleman
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History

Dr. Theodore Evergates
History

Ms. Judith Falzon
Library

Dr. Francis Fennell
Education

Dr. Carol Fritz
Exercise Science

Dr. David Guerra
Physics

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Military Science

Dr. Colette Henriette
Foreign Language

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Dr. Sherri Hughes
Psychology

Dr. Esther Iglich
Biology

Mr. Timothy Keating
Exercise Science

Bayard Keller, Jr.
Military Science

Dr. Ramona Kerby
Education

Ms. Rochelle Lauret
Exercise Science





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Dr. James Lightner
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Biology

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Education

Dr. Joel Macht
Education

Ms. Rebecca Martin
Exercise Science



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Education

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Communications

Dr. William Miller
Psychology

Dr. Ronald Miller
Theatre Arts



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Economics & Business

Carole Malloy
Exercise Science

Dr. Charles Neal
Political Science

Dr. Alexander Ober
Exercise Science

Ms. Suzanne Olsh
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Dr. Howard Orenstein
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Dr. Julia Orza
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Mr. Robert Padden
Education

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Dr. Henry Reiff
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Ms. Mary Lee Schmall
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Mr. David Seibert
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Dr. Ethan Seidel
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Ms. Jane Sharpe
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Dr. Richard Smith
Chemistry



Dr. Herbert Smith
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Mr. William Spence
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Carmen Weeks
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Ms. Joan Weyers
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Dr. Laurence Wu
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Development Associate of Major
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Admissions-Assistant Director

Constance Bittman
Development Secretary

Philip Boob
Physical Plant/Director of Buildings
and Grounds
Barry Bosley
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Assistant

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Director

Mary Jo Colbert
Conference Services-Director





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Academic Affairs-Provost/Dean

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Campus Safety-Senior Supervisor

Velve Cooper
Personnel Services-Assistant
Director

Suzanne Corbin
Education-Secretary



Katherine Cousins
Conference Services-Special Events
Coordinator

Nancy Cornell
Development-Secretary

Brenda Davidson
Dining Services-Catering Manager

Wanda Duley
Development- Secretary of Annual Giving

Rosalind Esteves
Financial Services-Accounts Payable
Clerk

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Alumni Affairs-Office Manager

Hope Filer
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Programs

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Financial Aid-Counselor

Virginia Gent
Sociology-Secretary

Susan Glore
Counseling-Director



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Administrative Assistant

Sarah Hensley
Graduate Program-
Administrative Assistant

Juanita Hill
Registrar-Transcript Clerk

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Hoover Library

Patricia Holford
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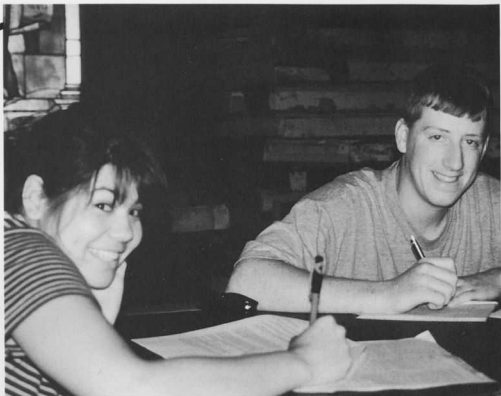






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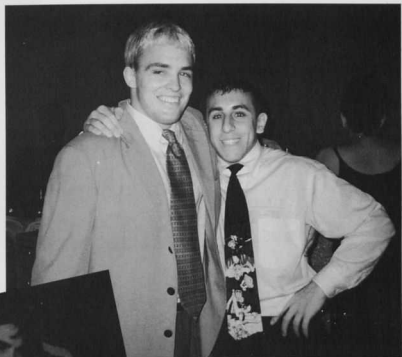
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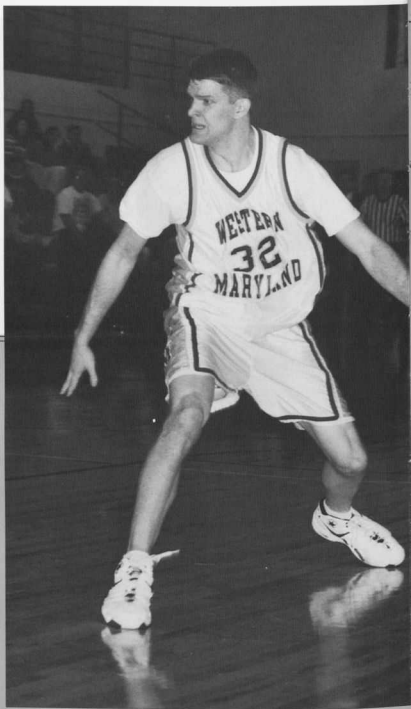


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Faces in the Crowd










REACHING NEW HEIGHTS IN SPORTS



Overall, the Terror's sports teams tore through the competition this year. On the men's side, the golf team had a successful season, the football team went all the way, and the basketball team almost tasted the centennial conference

playoffs. For our women, the basketball team made us proud being near the playoffs, our soccer ladies

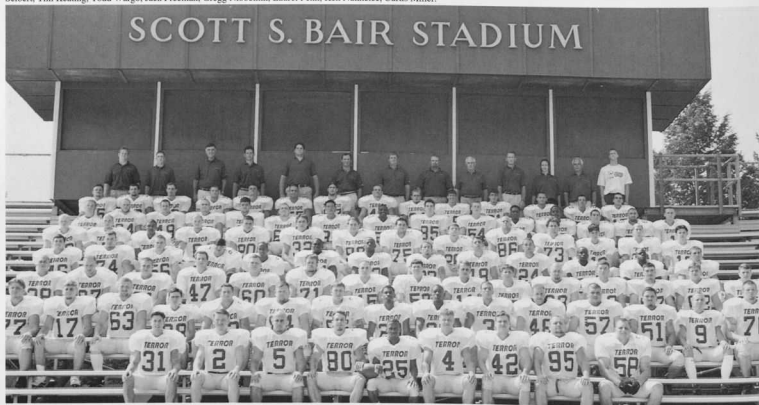


were regionally ranked, and lacrosse's season shined.

The world of sports

reached new heights this year, and the Western Maryland community was out and about to support their players. No matter if we win or lose, as long as we keep reaching for new heights, we will always be among the stars.

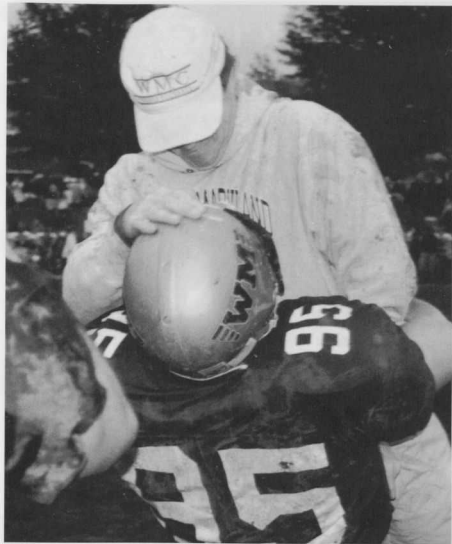
The 1997 Football Team: Front Row -- Kevin Brown, Trey Rash, Bill Parks, Donte Abbron, Tom Lapato, Dan Angelini, Bob Picton, Justin Lavis. Second Row -- Zach Galemore, Tim Herb, Mike Tice, Brad McKendry, Joey Garrison, Steve Middleton, D.J. Stichel, Pat Douglas, Gavin DeFreitas, Ty Grant, Matt Dauphin, Ryan Hines, Brian Weersing, Justin Sheridan, Mat Mathias. Third Row -- Len Tucker, Matt McCann, Joe Middlesworth, Matt Meiklejohn, Terry Otto, Steve Moore, Greg Dubell, A.J. Barchetto, Scott Cristy, Ron Sermanini, Stephen Peed, Ryan Legge, Matt Freas, Matt Olear, Chris Hydorn. Fourth Row -- Rory Maher, Dan Harman, Dan Gadd, Tommy Selecky, Anthony Burgos, Larry Headen, Marvin Deal, Mike O'Dell, Marc Alegi, Bob Spruill, Raphael Taylor, Rudy Pearson, Tony Russo. Fifth Row -- Duncan MacRae, John Crumlish, Mike Starke, Joe Crumlish, George Trujillo, Luke Page, A.J. Ernst, Scott Williams, Matt Jackson, Paul Oakes, Tony Case, Jason McConnell, Steve Wilcox, Brent Sandrock. Sixth Row -- Jonathan Bussard, Mike Wood, Andrew Allen, Jeff Knight, Joe Rineer, Mike McKay, David Bubb, Sam Gordon, Matt McVey, Colin Quay, Derrick Gwyn, Josh Gregory, Nick Maglio, Michael Rankin, Tommy Paolucci. Seventh Row -- John Croyle, Ryan Hain, Jeff Groff, Bryan Miller, Kevin Kramer, Ron Filipowicz, Anthony Delle Donne, Aaron Bartolain, Jeff Garza, Ryan Smith, Joe Kendorski, Chris Slattery, Will Blankenbaker, Stan Lewandowski. Back Row -- Steve Gill, Rob McBride, Al Thomas, Butch Schaffer, Steve Gill, Dave Seibert, Tim Keating, Todd Wargo, Jack Freeman, Gregg Nibbelink, Laurel Penn, Ken Nunnelee, Curtis Miller.



Kevin Trent supports his teammate in making a tackle. Freshmen talent greatly contributed to the team's success.

The Green Terrors are exhausted after their trying victory over Hopkins. The muddy field complicated the game even more than the skill of their opponent.





Photos courtesy of Dave Sinclair and Sports Information.

Bob Picton gives Coach Keating a celebratory hug. Keating was very proud of his team's achievements.

Marvin Deal uses tricky maneuvering around his opponent to make the play. Deal's skills as a cornerback allowed him to make the All-Conference Team.



With senior leadership such as Kevin Brown, Donte Abron, Bill Parks, Bob Picton, Dan Angelini, Trey Rash, Justin Lavis, and the other thirty-seven returning letter winners, 1997 was truly a breakthrough year for the Green Terrors. Coach Tim Keating and the assistant coaches expected nothing less than a Centennial Conference Championship from his squad. They got what they wished for as WMC

defeated Johns Hopkins 21-3 to finish 10-0 winning the first Centennial Conference Championship in school's history.

The addition of the freshman and transfer players proved the difference in this year's team, along with the emergence of some players who thought it was their time to shine. Thanks to the coaches keeping the players' spirits and enthusiasm up, the players played well from the very

beginning. The revamped offensive line helped quarterback Ron Sermarini to be one of the best in the nation and runningback Gavin Defreitas to rush for more than 950 yards and nine touchdowns. On the defensive side of the ball, coach Al Thomas turned an average defense into the number two defense in the nation. Tom Selecky led the defense in tackles and sacks, while Bill Parks led the team in interception.

With a good offense, special teams, and great defense, Western Maryland became only the second team in conference history to have a winning season. WMC outscored its opponents 370-73 and reached the national playoffs for the first time in school history. The football team worked as one and finished perhaps the greatest season ever. Their dedication, heart, and will to win were the keys to the Terror's success.

CHAMPIONS

EFFORT: MEN'S SOCCER DEMONSTRATES SPIRIT!

The Western Maryland men's soccer team had a good season this year. They had some obstacles to overcome such as the loss of some key seniors to graduation last year and injuries at the beginning of this

season. According to Dan Strine the season "was a bit disappointing because we lost a lot of close games." This year's team had eleven players returning so that was a benefit for them. Senior captains Christian

Abildso and Costas Hadjipsaltis gave the team the added strength and motivation. They kept the rest of the team focused during hard games and long practices. The team was glad to have senior goal keeper Mark

Rohme back this year. Also adding depth to the Terror's was senior Jeff Soltz, and juniors Martin Oswiecimka, Duane Campbell, Jason Wattenschaidt, and Dan Strine. Darren Wolf and Soltz

were the lead scorers this year. The team played well this season, though their record might not show it (3-9-2). They had a lot of new players and are looking forward to a stronger and more successful year.

1997 Men's Soccer Team: First Row -- Steve Como, Christian Abildso, Toki Okorie, Darren Wolf, Scott Trader, Mark Rohme, Mark Whitehead, Art Crouse, Dan D'Agostino, Ryan Bowles. Second Row -- Asst. Coach Brian Redding, Martin Oswiecimka, Chuck Vassar, Costas Hadjipsaltis, Nick Wissel, Scott Edwards, Jason Wattenschaidt, Dave McConky, Duane Campbell, Dan Strine, Coach John Plevyak. Not pictured -- Justin Wiener, Jeff Soltz, Jeremy Bell.



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Junior Martin Oswiecimka challenges his opponent as he races towards the goal. His talent was appreciated in the midfield.



Senior captain Christiaan Abildso takes a shot on goal. His experience as an offensive player helped lead the team to success.

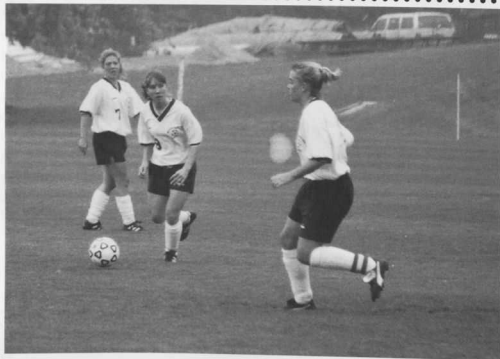


Freshman Darren Wolf pauses just before beating his opponent. He was one of the lead scorers this year.



Costas Hadjijsaltis keeps the ball away from his opponent. He was an excellent defensive player this season.

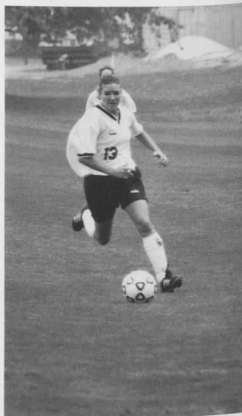
TEAMWORK Among The WMC Women's Soccer Team



Freshman Tracey Castor takes control of the ball. Her teammates offered support throughout the game.

Senior Erin Kelly beats her opponent to the ball. Her speed and skill were helpful in offensive plays.

Natalie Hannibal dribbles down the field. She was one of the lead scorers on the team.



1997 Women's Soccer Team: First Row: Julie Backof, Niki Grandirno, Meaghan Giorno, Erin Kelly, Erin Murphy. Second Row: Jessie Stickles, Beth Blasi, Elaina Herndon, Kearl Thompson, Jessica Mongrain. Third Row: Marci Short, Natalie Hannibal, Lynnae Stoeck, Tracey Castor, Tara Mazza, Sandra Geiman. Fourth Row: Lynn Stone, Scott Swanson.



Beth Blasi outdribbles two opposing players. She was a first year player and valuable asset to the team.

1997 Women's Field Hockey Team: First Row -- Ern McGrady, Shauna Oplinger, Jaime Walker, Shelly Dinterman, Lisa Weber, Jennifer Boyer. Second Row -- Asst. Coach Laura Heinley, Ashley Meehan, Kristine Knox, Nicole Horn, Jessica Horwath, Heather Arnold, Amy Welsh, Coach Tracy Folio. Third Row -- Kerry Wilson, Katie Haley, Shannon Benson, Sara Fogler. Fourth Row -- Amy North, Stephanie Thompson, Julie Edwards, Tammy Fletcher, Melissa Reynolds, Lolita Johnson, Gina Rende. Not pictured: Marjorie Hargrave.



Shannon Benson tries to get a shot off on goal. The goal was carefull blocked throughtout the game.

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Marjorie Hargrave passes the ball downfield. Her experience will be missed next season.



Stephanie Perry challenges her opponent. She was an asset to have on the offensive end of the field.

FULL SPEED AHEAD

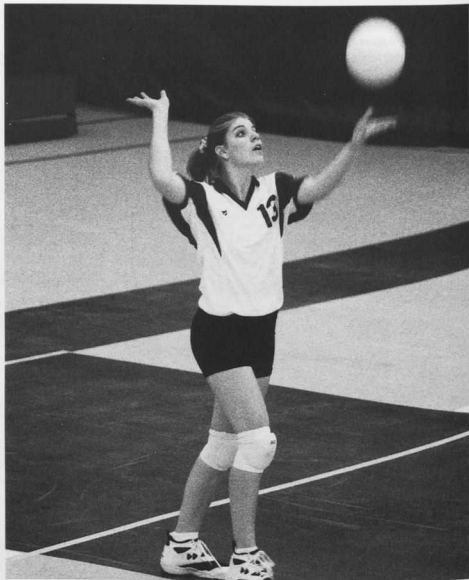
The Western Maryland women's field hockey team had a 6-10 record this year. This does not reflect the talent or determination the team members possessed. There were twelve returning players and ten freshmen this year. Senior captains Marjorie Hargrave and Katie Haley led the team to many victories. Rigorous practices were held on a daily basis and helped the team improve as the season progressed. Amy North, Haley, and Hargrave were the lead scorers of the team. The team is in a state of rebuilding and is looking forward to a stronger season next year.



Katie Haley fights for control of the ball while her teammates stand by for support. Teamwork was an essential key to their victories.



Krissy Kurtyka serves the ball. Her skills helped lead the team to a successful season.



The 1997-98 Volleyball Team

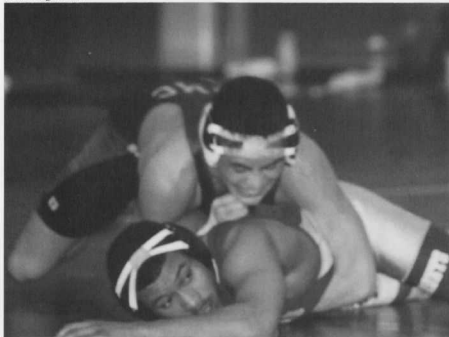


Ready, Set, Slam!

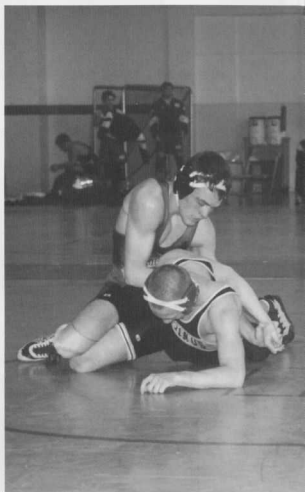
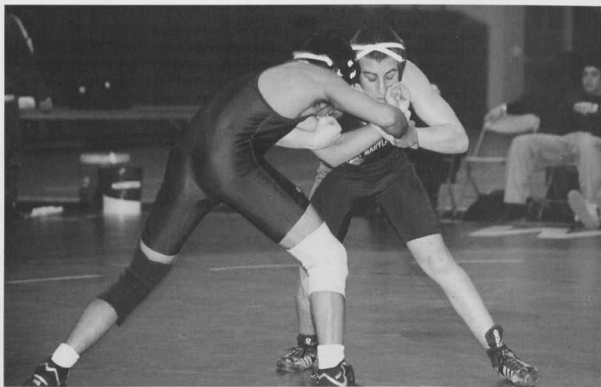


Western Maryland takes on Johns Hopkins. It was a very tough match.

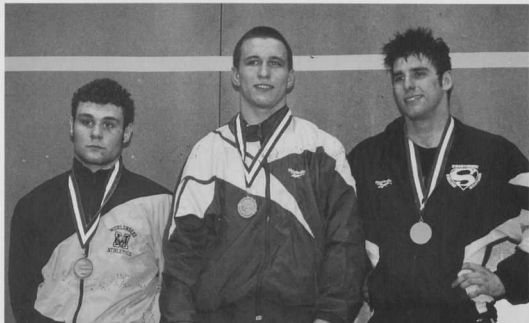
Steve Smiddy prepares to pin his opponent. Smiddy graduated with the most career wins (97) at WMC. Rodney Stine strikes fear in the heart of his helpless opponent. Stine was Centennial Conference Champ in his weight class.



Jon Pitonzo skillfully wrestles his opponent. As a sophomore, he was third in the Centennials and Academic All-American.



Rebuilding A Winning Tradition



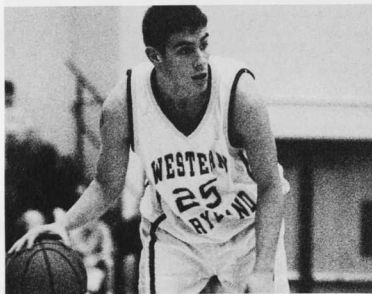
Andrey Brennar wins a medal for Centennial Conference Champ. He was also a National Qualifier and placed third at the East Regional.



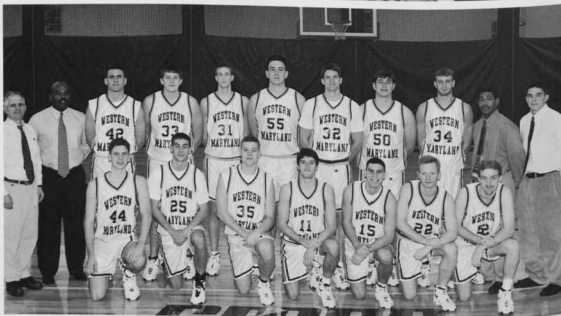
1998 Centennial Conference Champions: Rodney Stine, Jon Pionzo, Steve Smiddy, Josh Ellin, Andrey Brennar, Charlie Conaway, Cody Brenneman, Chris Poling, Scott Taylor, Brian Jones.

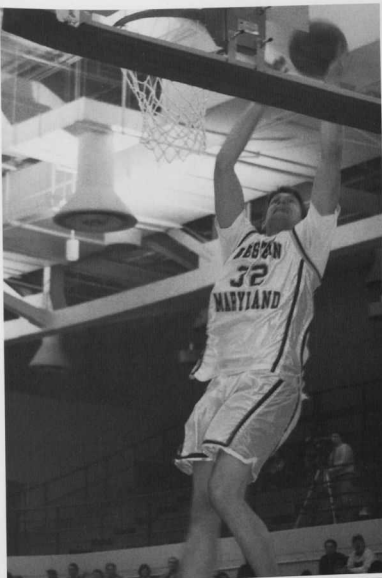
Jeff Cree surveys the defense looking for a lane to drive to the basket. He was an excellent offensive player.

James Hegmann gives Dickinson the hook. HE'S TALL!



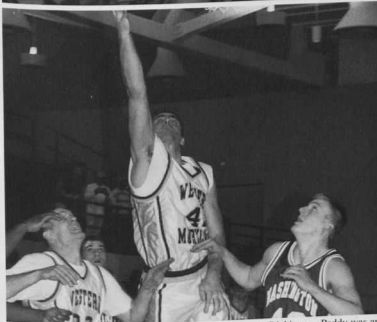
Back Row: Head Coach Nick Zoulas, Assistant Coach Brian Hollingsworth, Brian Billman, Scott Driscoll, Curtis Miller, James Hegmann, Captain Will Marshall, Mike Furey, Karl Freidham, Assistant Coach Pat Young, Jack Kowalik. Front Row: Sean Pond, Jeff Cree, Captain Brian Tombs, Mike Cummings, Jeff Meyers, Paddy Taylor, Kevin Buckley.





Will Marshall drives for a lay up. Will led the team in scoring for the fourth straight year.

Brian Billman takes the ball strong to the basket. He was an asset to the team.



Paddy Taylor makes an acrobatic shot during a game verses Dickinson. Paddy was an emotional leader on the team.

Shooting for Success

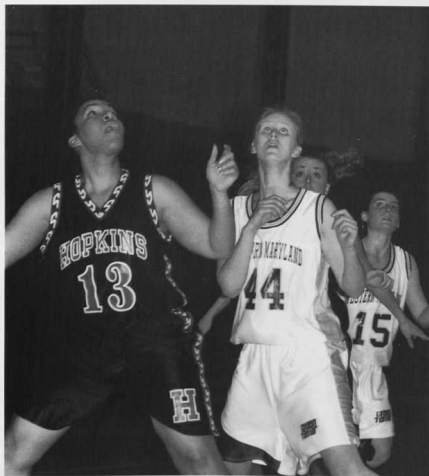
This year's men's basketball team finished the season 11-12 overall and 6-7 in the Centennial Conference. The season was a tough one because they came into the year with high expectations. The team returned nine players and had an excellent recruiting class. The Terror lost six games by five points or less. With a little luck, they could have been playing for the Conference Championships. After a 5-7 start, the men went on a four game winning streak and was within a half game of first place but lost by six to Johns Hopkins in a very competitive game.

This year's team was led by senior Will Marshall. Marshall finished the season

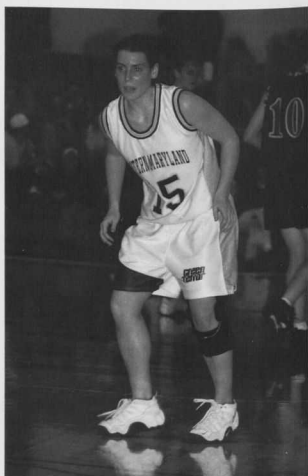
first in scoring and sixth in rebounding. He was named to the first team all conference. Marshall also closed out his brilliant career by becoming the Green Terror's all-time leading scorer surpassing Art Bress' long-standing record. Sophomore Captain Brian Billman also had a sensational season finishing sixth in the Conference as well as rebounding and eighth in scoring.

Next year's team will return twelve of the fourteen players. Seniors Will Marshall and Mike Cummings finished their careers this year at WMC. The team would also like to thank Cheryl Eichhorn and Amanda Goldman for their time and effort throughout the season.

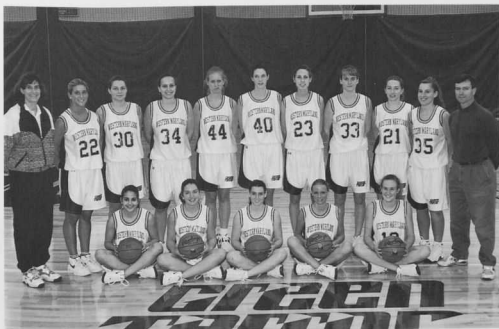
this is women's basketball



Michelle Jarmin waits for a rebound. She is a great help to the team this year.



Erin Murphey anticipates the opponent's next move. The team was happy to have her play again this year.



1998 Women's Basketball Team: First Row: Patricia Russo, Katie Swierkos, Erin Murphey, Dena Morgan, Kristin Miller. Second Row: Coach Becky Martin, Trisha Swiderski, Brianne Bray, Julie Backof, Michele Jarman, Jill Ibex, Kathi Snyder, Katie Haley, Karen Millar, Megan Linch, Asst. Coach Terry Brant.



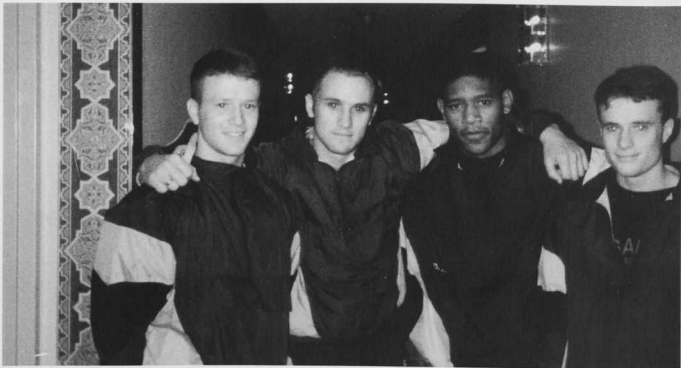
A WMC basketball player takes the shot. A combination of cooperation and skill led the team to many successes.



Some participants on the women's track team form a pyramid. They entertained themselves in the evenings after a successful meet.



Members of the Men's track team hang out at the hotel during the meet. They were enthusiastic about their competition the next day.



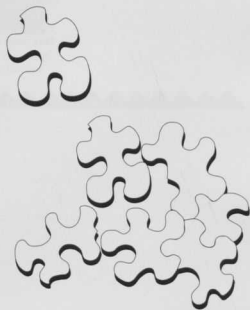
The relay team passes the baton. They used teamwork and cooperation in this event.



Putting the Pieces Together for the Track and Cross Country Teams



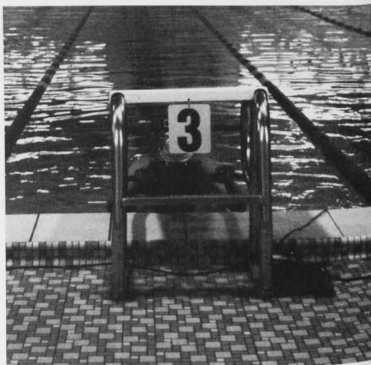
Parents of WMC track members cheer on their children. They are proud of the success of the track team this year.





Back Row: Aaron Corbett, Jason West, Luke Page, Chris Drawbaugh, Martin Winsor, Jameson Pain. Front Row: Kara Wnukowski, Meghan Joyce, Michelle Garvey, Jenny Weddle.

The men swimmers prepare for a race. They swam with spirit.



SPLASH!!!!!!!!!!!!



The Western Maryland College swim team is small in numbers but their determination makes up for this minor detail. The men's team finished fifth out of seven teams at the Centennial Conference Championship. They had a five and five record this season. The women's team finished with a three and eight season. At the Centennial Conference Championship, they played sixth out of eight teams. The teams have a lot of fun together, and their team spirit helps to overcome their small numbers.

Meghan Joyce prepares to enter the water. She swam well for the team this year.



This female swimmer performs the butterfly stroke. She was putting full concentration into her stroke.



The female swimmers take their mark. The Green Terrors did well in this race.



L A C R O S S E M E N ' S

A *Scooping, Slamming Season*



A WMC lacrosse player squeezes through the defenders on his way to the goal. The team scored many goals this season.

Gaelen Cross presses the line. His athletic prowess was extremely helpful in leading the team to many victories.





Several players scramble for the ball. Teamwork was always the key to victorious games.

Player 17 sets for a pass. The team at WMC has shown much improvement over the years.



1998 Men's Lacrosse: First Row: Gaelen Cross, Anthony Burgos, Bob Brannon, Rob Schuck, Tom Caldwell, Will Smith. Second Row: Mike Wood, Vince Hackler, John Harrison, Adam Gresk, Brett Sweeney, Brian Nottingham, Dave Riley, Gunnar Burdt, Ross Reeder. Third Row: Head Coach Keith Reitenbach, Asst. Coach Jeremy Bryant, Jason Goodman, Rob Witte, Tomas Urbano, Brent Ormiston, Mike Sargent, Bo Schrott, Matt Olley, Matt Moscato, Jeremy Kober, Ed Swiatek, Charlie Heinzer, Marshall Brown. Not picture: Justin Cross, Brent Whalen.

A WMC lacrosse player intercepts a pass. The lacrosse team overcame some difficulties to have a winning season.



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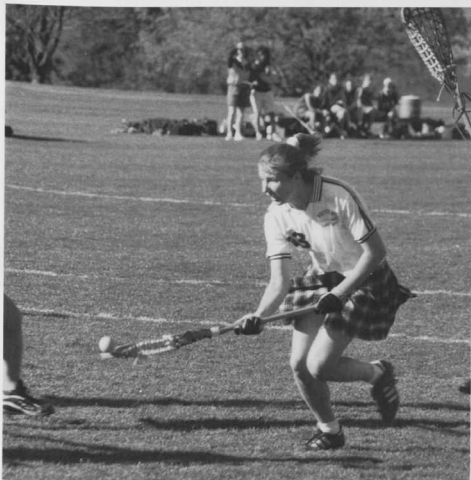
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Another Season of Suc- cess



The WMC lacrosse team attacks the goal. They took

Natalie Hannibal takes control of the ball. She was a great asset to the team this year



Senior Courtney Boden takes the ball to the goal. Her offensive skills were a key to the team's success.



the lead with this goal.



A WMC lacrosse player challenges her opponent. The team achieved the majority of their goals.

A WMC player steps up to the plate. The team had batting skills.



1998 WMC Baseball Team:
First Row: Sean Giblin, David Blank, Brian Miller, Christian Abildso, Dan D'Agostino, Shaun Owens. Second Row: Rich Steigerwalt, Tim Smith, Mike Marino, Kevin Worley, Garrett DeGroot, Jeff Berthof. Third Row: Mike Wolfe, Mike Waddington, Andrew Allen, Tim Foley, Erik Winkler, Jack Sorto. Fourth Row: Ryan Legge, Matt Gribbin, Brent Fuchs, Marc Alegi, Jeremiah Kelly, Dan Elbaz, Kevin Culley. Fifth Row: Jon Vandernat, Kacey Jenkins, Barrett Gugliotta, Joe Rineer, Stan Lewandowski, Dave Seibert (Head Coach).





This Terror keeps his eye on the ball. The team worked hard to achieve their goals for the season.

Batters UP!



Kevin Culley winds up for the pitch. His unique talent was of benefit to the team.

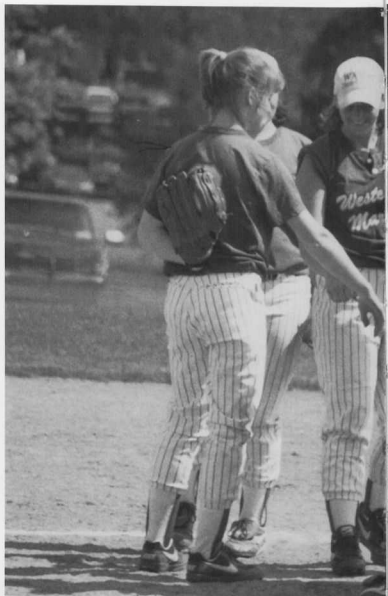


This WMC pitcher prepares to strike out his opponent. The team had a strong pitching staff.

Kim Ruprecht delivers the ball to the plate. She overpowered the opponent.



The batter closely watches the pitch. She had a good eye.





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WMC Softball

The infielders gather for a huddle. They congratulated each other after a good play.



The infielders await the play. They had to be quick on their feet.

Tennis Aces

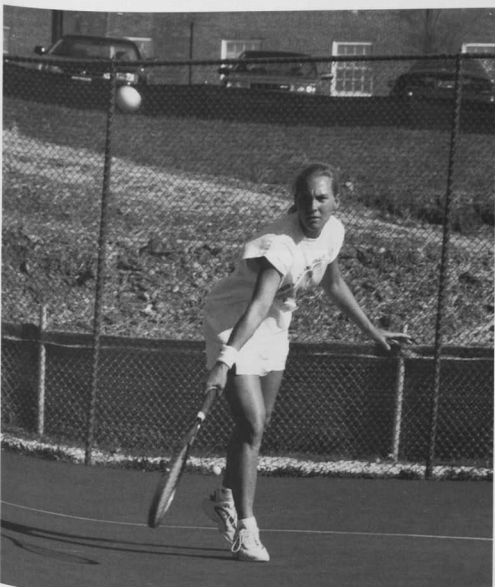
A WMC tennis player serves the ball. The team had much success in this match.



1998 Men's Tennis Team: Dan Powell, Sandor Zwack, Zoltan Menyhart, Paul Beck, Colin Forman, Kevin Klunk, Mark Weiser, David Zepesi, Cara Ober.



1998 Women's Tennis Team: First Row: Kim Yeller, Lara Henderson, Amy Sheridan. Second Row: Kali Hosford, Becca Lyter, Stephani Nemecek, MaryAnn Tyler, Christina Santoni, Jim Lopez.



This player gives it her all as she reaches to return the ball to her opponent. Both the women's and guy's tennis team practiced hard to improve their skills.

This Terror takes a backhand swing. Teamwork was the key to success for the women's team.

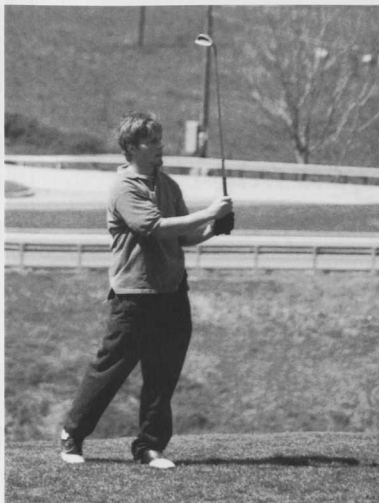


1998 WMC Golf Team: Tony Santillo, Craig Zabora, Ryan Reid, Mike Diehl, Tony Worm, Coach Scott Moyer.

A WMC golf takes a shot. The team did well at this tournament.



Mike Diehl steps back to analyze his shot. His efforts really aided the team this year.



Kris Shuck drives the ball. He enjoyed his last year to play golf.



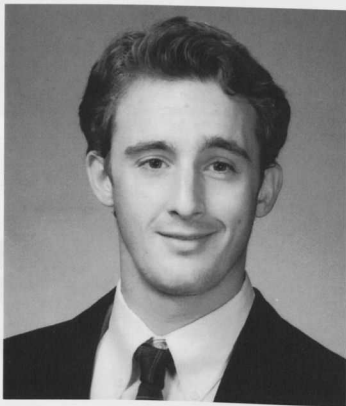
Coach Moyer gives pointers to his players on how to get the ball onto the green. Practice was the key to improvement for the golf team.

The WMC Golf
Team was
RED Hot!



*There are purposes that you
cannot perceive or
comprehend. You may never
understand - at least not in
this life - but you must not
let go of your faith.*

In loving memory of our precious son and brother
MARTIN HENRY OSWIECIMKA

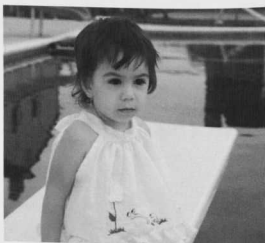


from Mom,
Dad, Mark,
and Matthew
Oswiecimka



*In Memory of Martin
Oswiecimka - one
who will be greatly
missed, but always
remembered on the
Hill.*

-- Alpha Gamma Tau and the WMC community



Dear Niki:

As we travel life's road we
have memories so dear, of all
you've accomplished through out
your years,

From when you were small -- a
genius of mind
With a heart that was caring, lov-
ing, and kind,

God gave you ability and wisdom
too,

And said "now Nicole its up to
you."

You set your goals high-- wouldn't
settle for less.

You always intended to be your
best

So as we look back through the
years we'll find

Precious memories of you etched
deep in our minds.

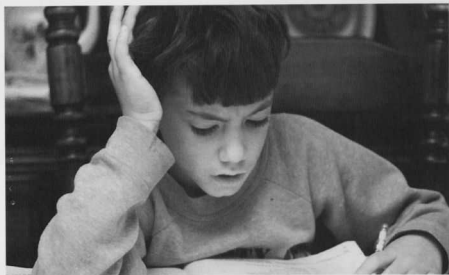
Love Ya
All of Us





At times the
road got
tough

But you continued



And the
years of
hard work
have paid
off.

Your mother would be very proud as we are all very proud of you today.

Congratulations Jason!

Thank you WMC.

Good luck and best wishes to the Class of 98!

Love,

Dad and Erick

The Volz Family

Dear Allison,

You captured our hearts years ago and you still have us under your spell.....
We are so proud of you and the wonderful accomplishments that you have achieved in only 21 years!



May your future be as bright as your eyes and your opportunities be as wide as your smile!

All Our Love,
Mom & Dad

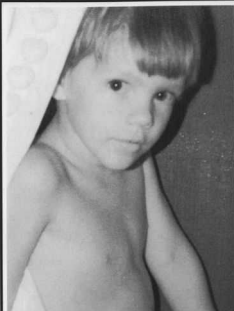


CONGRATULATIONS, GINA!

You filled those
BIG shoes!

Love,
Dad, Shawn,
Mom-Mom and
Poppy





CONGRATULATIONS, JESSE. WE'RE PROUD OF YOU?





Lisa Renee Kairis
and best wishes for the
days to come!

xoxo
Mom & Dad
Stephanie & Michelle
wmc'99 wmc'99

VALERIE ANN -

ANOTHER FOUR YEARS HAS COME AND GONE
I CAN HARDLY BELIEVE IT'S TRUE
YOU LEFT HIGH SCHOOL AND STARTED COLLEGE
WHERE EVERYTHING WAS NEW!

WITH SARAH AS A ROOMMATE
FOR THE FIRST TWO YEARS
YOU MADE NEW FRIENDS
AND CONQUERED YOUR FEARS!

YOU WERE NEVER BORED
THERE WAS MUCH TO DO
WITH WORKING AND STUDYING
AND SOCIALIZING, TOO!

THE FUTURE AWAITS YOU
THE PAST IS NOW DONE
AND YOU'LL LOOK BACK AT COLLEGE
AND REMEMBER THE FUN!

USE THE KNOWLEDGE YOU'VE GAINED
AND NEVER FORGET
EVERYTHING THAT YOU'VE LEARNED
AND THE PEOPLE YOU'VE MET!

LOVE, MOM, DAD, AND BILLY



TO: JESSICA LYNN WATTS

We've been working so very hard and long
To find words that would really fit
About just how happy and proud we are
That you kept going and didn't quit.

You've done it all by yourself
And it's been hard on you we know
Yet you've come thru it gracefully
You, your spunk, and loving soul.

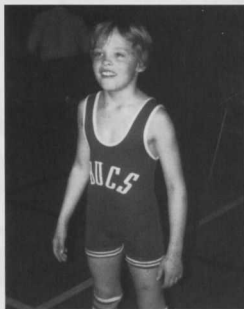
All we can say is that we're proud of you
And all that you have achieved
You've done so much in four short years
Than anyone could ever believe.

Congratulations and WE LOVE YOU!!!
Dad and Cindi



Goals that start out
small are often
achieved. Congratu-
lations, on your
graduation.

Love, Mom and Dad





Karen,

Tony and I are proud of you. You are a remarkable young woman.

Love, Mom and Tony

***For Kimberly
Walter***

***Congratulations
Kim on your gradu-
ation and your new
job at WMC. We're
so proud of you!***

***Love ya,
Mom & Dad***

LAURIE,

**You are our future. We
are so proud of you.**

**Love always,
Mom, Dad,
Meg, and Drew**



Congratulations
MELINA!

Love,
Mom and
Dad

*Congratulations,
Laura
We're proud of
you!*

*Mom, Dad,
and Bobby*

MAUREEN McIVER - Great job!
We're sooo proud of you.
(Mom, Dol and Girls)

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Dill
“Best Wishes
Class of 1998”

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**From the
Crossroads
staff**

Class of 1998

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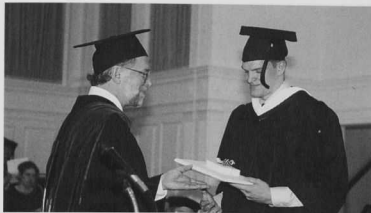
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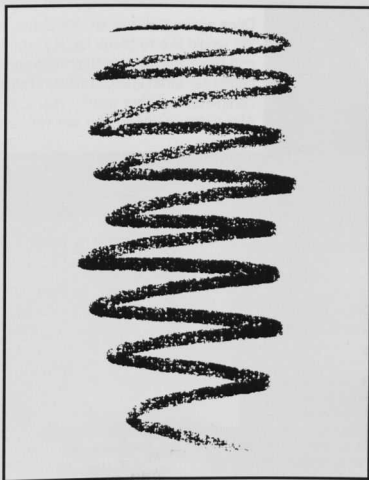
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