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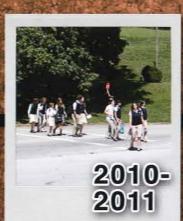












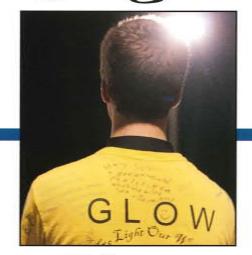


Learning from the Past

Living in the Present

Cooking to the Future







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# Cearning... Living... Cooking...

It is difficult to define a single school year in a just a few words, much less 100 school years! However, as we started discussing our options, three ideas kept presenting themselves to us: the past, the present, and the future. Fletcher Academy exists because of the vision of those who came before us, and will continue to exist because of our present efforts. As we reflect on the past, we should constantly be Learning from it, whether it is one year or 100 years in the past. As we from day to day it is important to take every opportunity presented to us and Lee life to the fullest. Of course we should also be Looking to the future, not only on this earth, but our eternal future. It is the hope of the yearbook staff that you see this theme throughout the book; that you will see yourselves in the recorded events Learning from the Past. Leing in the Present, and Looking to the Future.

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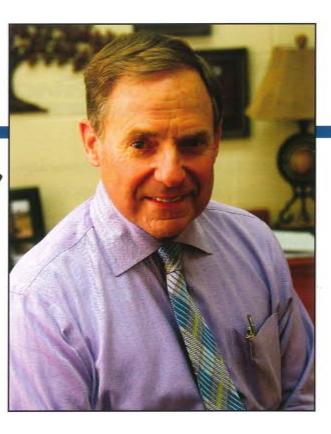


#### Mr. Sigsworth



This year's yearbook is dedicated to one of the most loved teachers at Fletcher Acadmey, a man who has helped us wrap our heads around difficult concepts and complex formulas. Mr. Sigsworth has helped our students in more ways than one. With his jokes and perpetual smile, he has managed to brighten the darkest of days. His unique teaching style and Christian background has taught us about more than just polynomials and graphs. Mr. Sigsworth is arguably one of the harderst workers on campus considering all of the extra time spent in the classroom, helping the many students who don't quite understand. The students of Fletcher Academy appreciate how Mr. Sigsworth provides a positive role model and is friend to all of the students and staff.

## A Jeffer from our Principal



Dear Students,

Have you ever written a letter to someone you love, knowing they will not read it for four months? What can you say today that will be meaningful to your friend four months from now?

That is what I am doing on January 17 -- writing a letter to the Fletcher students, knowing it will not be read for months. When you get this letter, the seniors will within days of graduation and summer will be rolling in. So, what can I say in January that will be meaningful in May? May 2011 and May 2022.

This reminds me of a similar problem God faced. What could be written that would be meaningful and relevant to His people when they read the letters in 2011 and later? Fortunately, this was God's problem and He solved it by inspiring the writers of the Holy Bible.

The solution to my problem is to beg you to read God's solution the Holy Bible. Although it was written over a thousand years ago, He has given you what you need for today and tomorrow. The Holy Bible will give you your answers every day, even though it was written long before you were born.

Thank God -- He has the best answers.

He always does.

Dale Twomley Principal

### Cooking Back: 1910-1935

Certainly the four individuals involved with the early beginnings of Fletcher Academy could not know the far-reaching influences their vision would have. Mr. Brownsburger arrived with his family to the Asheville area for medical reasons. He became acquainted with Mr. Spaulding who was in the area selling books and collecting information on Southern people. Together, with the encouragement of Mrs. White and a financial gift from Mrs. Rumbough to purchase the land upon which Fletcher Academy exists, a dream to reach poor, uneducated Southerners was begun.

Originally the Brownsburgers and Spauldings shared the Big House which had ten rooms and one bathroom. The Big House not only served as a residence, but also as the school house and dining hall. In 1914 John Brownsburger built a 24' by 48' school building. It did not have electricity, water, or desks.

The Jasperson family arrived in 1920. As president (Mr. Jasperson) and principal (Mrs. Jasperson) of the institution, they lived in the very "luxurious" Forget-me-not house - a one room building on skids. The Jasperson family resided in the Forget-me-not for a year, then built the log house.

Another important family to the development of the school was the Marquis family who arrived in 1922. Mrs. Marquis taught Latin, American History and Music. Mr. Marquis' primary job was as plant engineer; however, as was the case with all the early workers, he also worked in the pharmacy and was president of the institution for a time.

In 1931 Professor L. E. Nestell, or "Prof" as he was affectionately called, arrived to teach at the Naples Agriculture and Normal School (which later became Fletcher Academy).

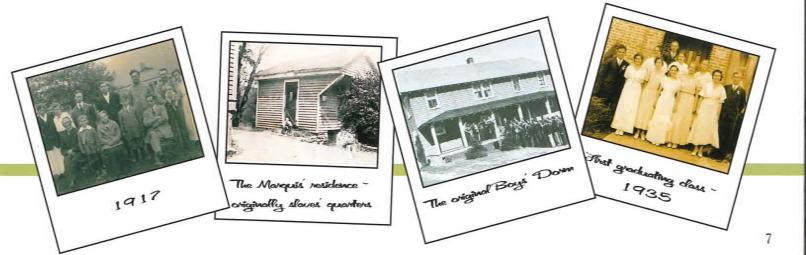
In the early '30's there was a lot of development on the physical plant: Dorms were built for the students who, up until this time had been living with local families; a bath house was constructed for the boys who used the laundry house every Friday afternoon to bathe in preparation for the Sabbath; and construction began on the chapel/classroom building.

The original boys' dorm was built from the lumber of the Rose Cottage and had 17 rooms for the young men who attended the school. There were no indoor facilities, which necessitated the construction of a bath house. In addition, four cabins were used to house students when the dorm filled up - usually this privilege was reserved for the upper classmen.

Work began on the chapel with its a joining classrooms in 1932. Trees from the Fletcher campus were felled to construct the chapel; what wasn't used was sold. During the construction, students studied during the day and worked on on the chapel at night. Their hard work paid off, though; they were able to use the new classrooms in the Fall of 1933.

During the depression years, work was the key to students' education. A student could show up without money for tuition and still receive an education if he or she was willing to work. This work program has been of lasting benefit to the thousands of students who have attended Fletcher Academy.





## Cooking Back: 1935 - 1960

The next twenty-five years were a time of intense growth and change for Fletcher Academy. By 1937 the student population had grown to the point that there was not enough water to support the number of people on campus. Prof. Nestell and a crew of twelve boys added the task of laying pipe to their already heavy work and school responsibilities. They dug trenches by hand 2-feet wide, 2-feet deep, and 6,000 feet long up Couch Mountain to bring a fresh water supply to Fletcher campus.

In the early '40's there was no monetary reimbursement for student workers; they simply received a credit on their school bill. However, in 1943 students began receiving an hourly wage: the rate was 12¢ an hour. Compared to the 10¢ an hour which the teachers and staff were earning during the same time, it was more lucrative to be a student than a teacher!

Because of the continued increase in the student enrollment, housing was a constant problem. Many students lived with families in the community, but there was a need for more on-campus student housing. The Slave Quarters, Rose Cottage, and Forget-me-not house were continually used by students, but were terribly inadequate. Plans were drawn up and construction began on a new extension to Rumbough Hall, also know as the Big House. Work on the building was slow and only proceeded when funds were available.

Then in 1953 tragedy struck: the Big House burned to the ground. On a Friday night during vespers, the fire began. It was later determined that faulty wiring in a closet sparked and started the fire. Despite the efforts of the fire department, students and men on campus, Rumbough Hall was damaged beyond repair, and many of the girls who called it home lost all their possessions.

However, students and staff rallied together and by the time the new school year began Whitford Hall, originally the extension to Rumbough Hall, was finished enough to house the girls in the attic, while cafeteria services were provided in the basement.

During this period of twenty-five years, Fletcher Academy had two principals which together provided leadership for nearly half a century: Mrs. Jasperson was principal from 1925 to 1953; Prof. Nestell was principal from 1953 to 1969. Fletcher Academy would not be the school it is today without the hard work, vision, and dedication these two individuals, as well as those who worked under them, had for the school.



## Sooking Back: 1960-1985

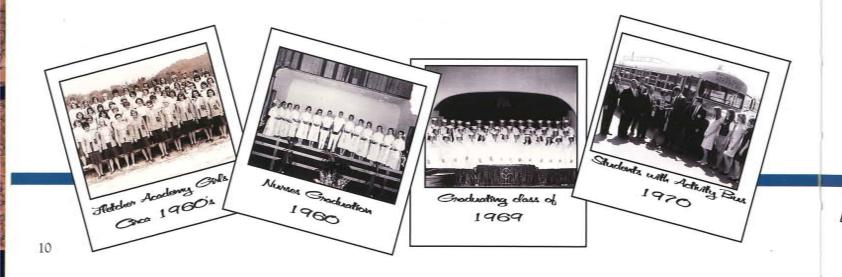


The next twenty-five years saw improvements to the Academy plant with new buildings and additions to buildings which were already in use. In the late 1960's only the current library- and science-room part of the Ad Building existed. However, in 1974 additional classrooms and offices were built. The nursing school used the additional space for their classrooms and resource library.

In 1968 the current Boys' Dorm, Nestell Hall, was constructed. It provided much more room for the young men attending Fletcher Academy, and also gave the deans a permanent housing within the dorm (previouslythe deans were housed in separate cabins).

It was also during this time that teachers' salaries were raised to a more "normal" range. Historically teachers at Fletcher Academy had not been paid much of a salary at all, and that still seemed to be the trend; in the late 1960's teachers were paid a gross salary of \$325 a month. However, in the early '70's the teachers began receiving more pay for their work. It should be noted that the teachers still did not receive summer vacation. They were expected to paint and do other maintenance around the school property during the summer months.

There was even more construction in the early '80's as Roughgarden Hall, the Girls' Dorm, was built. Also a huge contribution was made to the school's grounds: a plot of land which had been a corn field was designated as a future sports' field. For months tractors hauled dirt away from the site to create the field students play on today.





## Cooking Back: 1985 - 2010

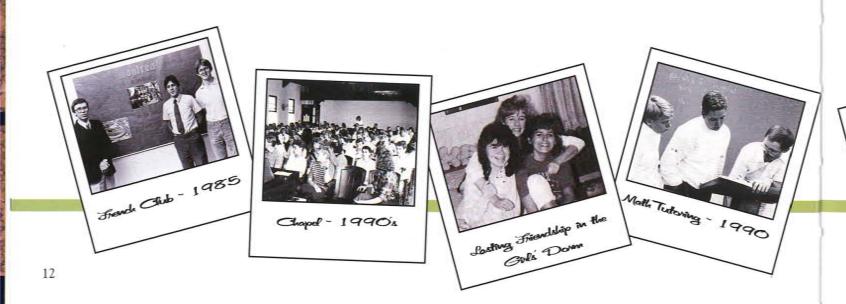
Just as with the previous seventy-five years, the most recent twenty-five years have continued to be ones of change and growth for Fletcher Academy. In1985 the hospital was sold and as a result the last nursing class graduated from Fletcher. A more pressing issue resulted from the sale: many student jobs were lost. Fortunately for those students, as well as current students, Fletcher Park Inn opened in 1988.

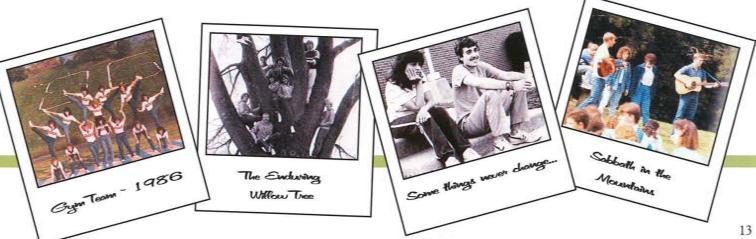
It was during this time that it became obvious that a new gymnasium was needed to replace Pearson Hall. As with other improvements to the campus, much planning and prayer went in to the construction of the building. In 2004 the Lelia Patterson Center was finished, and opened for the enjoyment of students, staff and the community.

It was also during these past twenty-five years that many groups and clubs have been formed for academic enhancement: the French Club made many annual trips to Montreal, Quebec to practice their knowledge of the French language.

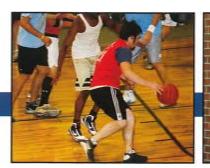
There have been several mission trips to many Latin American countries, and even one to Russia. Fletcher Academy has created a legacy of service to others through these many trips.

As a result of the vision that a few people had one hundred years ago, thousands of lives have been touched. Of course the students who have attended during the past century have been changed, but as a result of their education and experiences, they have been able to go out and change their world. Fletcher Academy stands as a testimony of hard work and God's blessings to those who choose to follow His leading.





## Civing it Up









### After 100 Years.

The weekend of October 1 - 3 was a special weekend for alumni, former students, and current students of Fletcher Academy. Exclamations of surprise, hugs, and introductions were heard all weekend long as former classmates were reunited. Time to catch up had to occur among the activities during the very busy weekend. The weekend was full of memories; Mrs. White, portrayed by Rita Hoshino, made special appearances on Friday night and Sabbath to help tell Fletcher Academy's story.



Current students shared their witnessing experiences prompted by their time at Fletcher Academy. Mr. Lindquist directed the choir and band as they added to the weekend's programming.

After the Candelight Vespers on Sabbath evening, alumni and current students gathered in the LPC for a birthday party. Everyone sang "Happy Birthday" to Fletcher Academy, then enjoyed the cupcakes and other goodies that one would expect to find at a party. Afte the party there were several alumni vs. current students games; teachers, staff, parents and others cheered on former and current students as they faced off during football, baseball, and basketball games.



Certainly the weekend full of good memories, new and old.





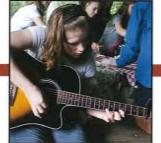


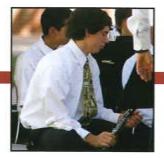


## License to Smile





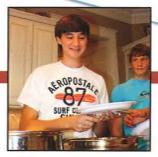






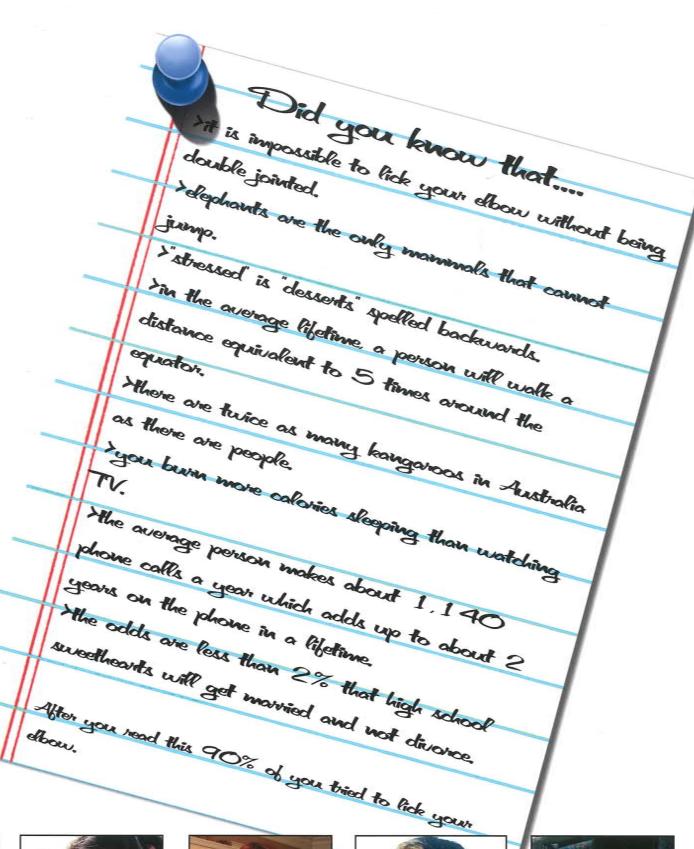


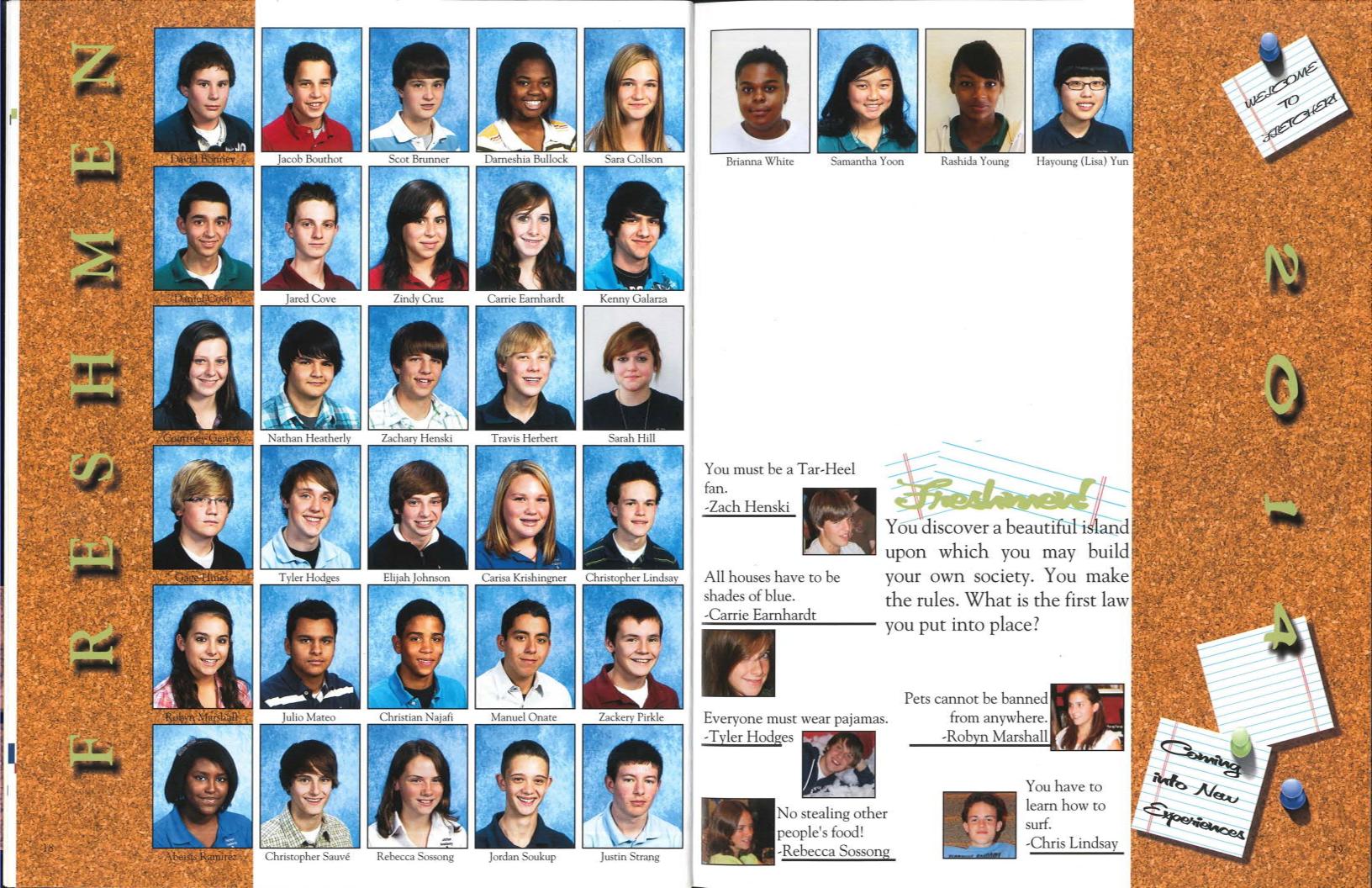
















Benjamin Bobbitt



Sarah Bonea



Christian Bunch



Brita Cárdenas







Whitney Gallimore



Nathan Green



Aleighsha Gresham





Saminta Hean



Cody Heyer



Ritchard Hickman



Jeremy Holt





Su Yeon (Rachel) Jun





Callan Jupp



Karen Lindamood



Jonathan Lowery



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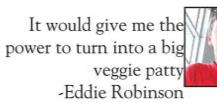




You accidentally ate some radioactive veggie-meat! It was good, and what's even cooler is that it has endowed you with the super-power of your choice. What is it going to be?

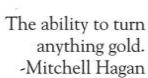


I can create pizza whenever I want. -Christian Bunch





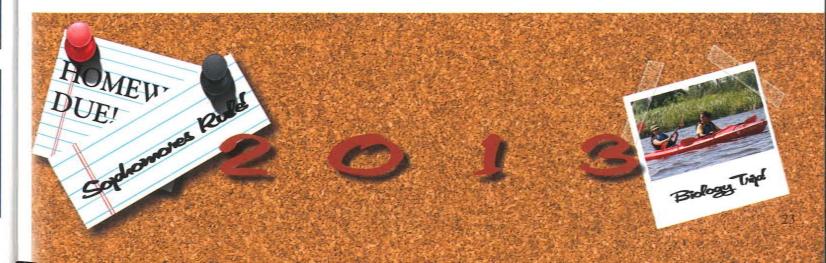
Being a genie. (To be able to blink and get or do anything.) -Brianna Willis





Lazer-beam eyes -Ben Bobbit









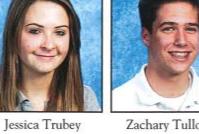
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Rachel Smith







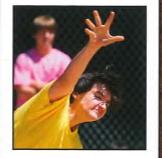
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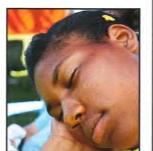


Brianna Willis

















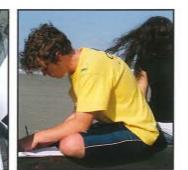


















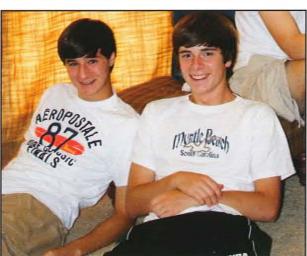


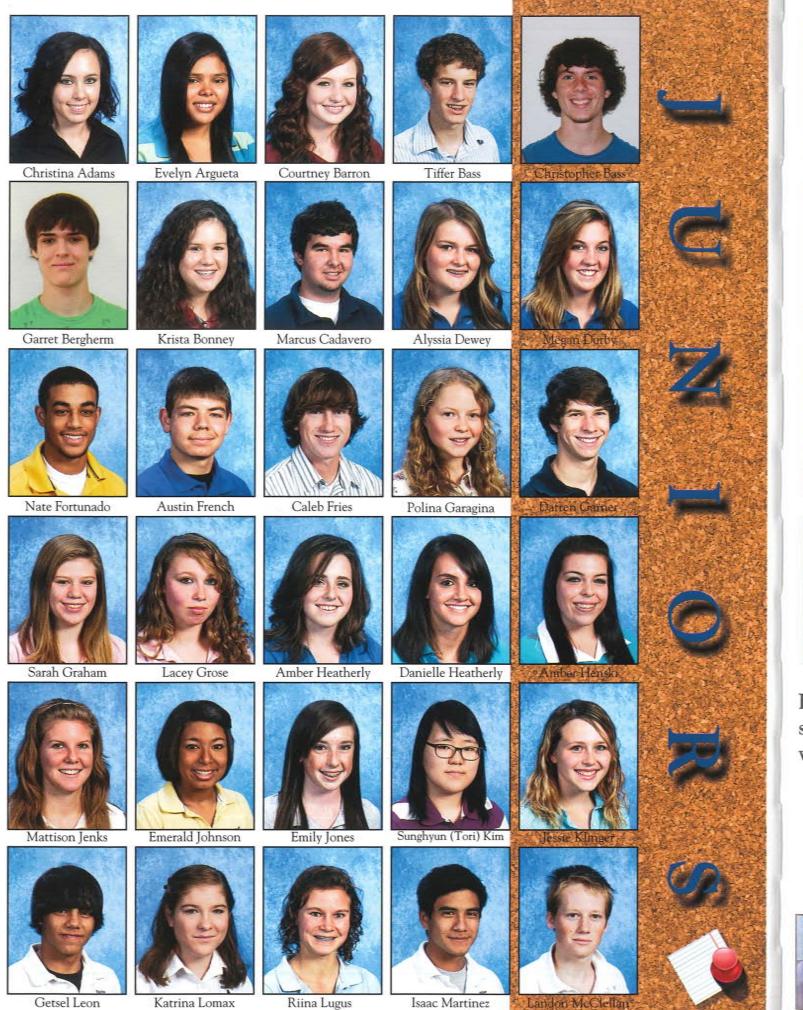


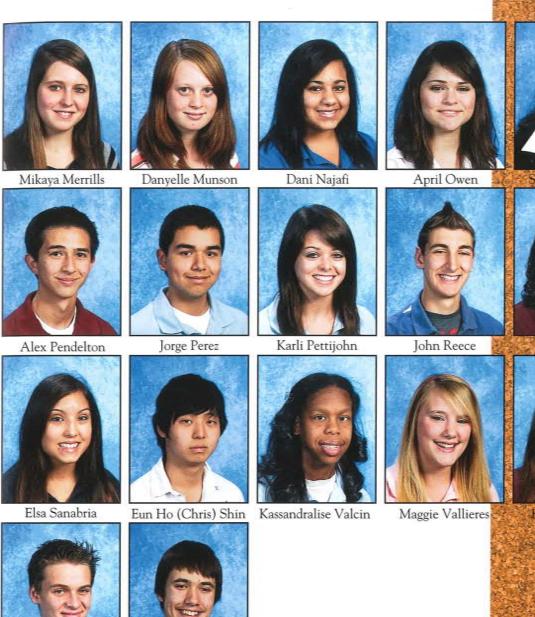




SURPRISE







During a leisurely stroll through the forest for no evident reason, you have stumbled upon a time machine! Now you can go back to any time period you want and meet whomever you want. Who would you like to meet?



Italian violinist and composer Niccolo Paganini.
- Polina Garagina

Obadiah Wright

Alexander Hamilton, because he knew a lot about money, and I'm always broke. Emerald Johnson



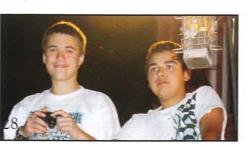
Siding 6

To Michael Jordan's prime and tell him that there will be a guy named LeBron James that will be better than him someday. - Marcus Cadavero

































invoked the Liberty Bell in their struggle for





Serions

2011

Lasting Legacy



S- Sayings

### Class of 2011

E- Enjoyments

N- Nicknames

I- Irritations

O- (future) Occupations

**R**- Remembrances

**S**- Secret Ambitions





#### Chelsea Coston - President

S- "Good gracious Heavenly day", "Heaven help us all", "'-ly. ' It's an adverb."

E- Singing, playing piano and the violin, friends, all kinds of music, reading, taking trips, working out.

N-

I- People that talk although they have nothing to say. Pre-calc.

O- Businesswoman, wife and mother.

R- Chicago Trip, Texas Trip, Biology Trip, "Dora the Explorer", History Trip, Senior Survival, Leadership Conferences.

S- To be a pro-triathlete, sing in a Broadway musical, sing with a world class choir, sing a classical solo with an orchestra.

I will my mad office skills to Brita and Megan, my fearless voice to the Soprano section, and my ability to stay upright to all future choir members.

#### Jens Grindley - Vice President

S- "That's what she said", "Practice, we talking about practice."

E- Gymnastics, riding motorcycle, snow boarding

N- I. Squeezv

I- Being old enough for stuff, but beng told I can't "manage" my life

O- Nursing, or rat trap tester

R- Texas trip sophomore year! Pair stunting with Sarah Hill.

S- To become the 5th Ninja Turtle, and to prove that the "Force" really does exist.





I will my sick pair skills to Christian Bunch. I will Burger King runs to Isaac Martinez and Darren Garner. I will Whitney Gallimore my tripping skills.





#### Lauren Heatherly - Secretary

S- "Hey sugar pie!"

E- Reading for pleasure, gymnastics, time with friends and family.

N- Laurina, Laureena, Ren, Porky, Fuzzy

I- When people tell you they have a secret but don't tell you what it is.

O- Singer, Psychologist

R- Senior Survival bonding, my last AcroFest, fun times in gymnastics, lunch time with friends, all the love shown by my teachers, talent show Sophomore year.

S- To make a difference in the world in some way, maybe with music.

I will my position as the senior Heatherly of the school to Amber and Danielle. I will my graduation cry to Matti. I will my friendship to anyone who wants it! I will my fast attendance-taking skills and mastery of formulas and Excel skills to next year's attendance office.

#### Alex Brown - Treasurer

S- "What now?!", "Oh, man...", "Yeeeeah, no.", "Hot dog!"

E- Hanging with friends, relaxing at home, snowy/rainy days

N- Agg, BO, Cookie, Brownie, Brother

I- Hypocritical people, people who make up stuff to get attention, people who are unnecessarily mean, when people don't give straight answers.

O- Animator, game artist, game designer/programmer, psychologist.

R- Going to The Ugly Mug with friends, going bowling, Senior Survival.

S-





will my Legos to Amber Heatherly, I will my locker to Cody Heyer, I will my running abilities to Evelyn.

#### Alexander Gallimore - Co-Pastor

S- Anything random

E- Composing music, playing basketball, making crazy videos

N- Alec, Michelango, Alexander the Salamander, Aley, Alleyoop

I- Someone poking me, when AJ acts like he is going to give me a high five then doesn't.

O- Psychology, music

R- Jens soaking Holly under a water spicket, Robby beating up Seth in English class.

S-

will Eric Collson my desire to keep my shirt tucked in.

#### Keylin Ojeda - Co-Pastor

S-

E- Singing, hanging with friends, playing piano, drawing

N- Keke, Keylime Pie, Keylina, KOC, The Cuban

I- Fuzzes!

O- Psychologist, musician, orthopedic surgeon

R- Senior Survival, Junior & Senior, Heidi's & Holly's house, Talent Show, Fall Picnic, Winter Olympics





#### Robby Courtney - Parliamentarian

S- "What's goin' on?", "Deuces.", "Hey Bo!"

E- Fishing, sports, my girlfriend, my Chevy truck, working outside, NASCAR, gymnastics

N- Handsome Rob, Robster, Keith Daddy

I- Stupid people, lazy people

O- Fish farmer, crash test dummy, CRNA

R- Texas trip, Gymnastic trips, dorm stuff, class of 2011

S- I wanna go fast!

will my truck to nobody. I will my fishing skills and my love for Chevrolet to Tiffer. I will my work ethic to the ternoon crew. I will the freshy beater to Shin.



#### Carlee Cline - S. A. Representative

- S- "Sweet action!", "Sweet mercy..."
- E- Music, Shakespeare, shoes
- N- Carlisle, CC, Miz Cline
- I- People who talk too much
- O- Counselor
- R- Boston trip, random dance parties in the girls' dorm, Prayer Conference, bonding with Danielle at Senior Survival, my beautiful, amazing deans/bosses
- S- Join the Peace Corps, become a freelance writer, take photos for National Geographic, become a counselor almost as cool as Mrs. Cove, run away to Greece

I will my white teeth to Darneshia. I will my sweet dance moves to both Samantha Hean and Alyssia Dewey. I will my taste in music to Emily Jones. I will Picasso the Frog to Miss Evans.





#### Andrew Durby - S. A. Representative

- S- "Really"? "Bless your heart."
- E- Football, basketball, soccer, singing, beating Elsa in debates, Gen. Psych (I love you, Mrs. Kim)
- N- Drew, Durby, Durb, President, Beanman
- I- Obama, Pelosi, Democrats in general, closet Democrats (love you too, Miss Evans!), People destroying my country, The Dallas Cowgirls and their fans
- O- Teacher, President, Singer
- R- How accepting everyone at Fletcher Academy was of me. Being "the" new Senior was hard, but it wasn't long before I felt right at home.
- S- To become President (d4p28.webs.com), to sing in the Gaither Vocal Band.

To Jordan, I leave the 1st Tenor line in quartet. To Nathan H, I leave a pair of scissors. To Tyler, I leave my uglyness. To Zack P, I leave whatever food you haven't already mooched. To C. Bunch, I leave a dad who knows a good football team when he sees one. To Callan, enough said. To Ritchie, I leave my Alum & the Chipmunks CD, just 'cuz. To Sam Hean, I'd leave my smile, but yours is already perfect. so I leave my guitar pick.

#### Philip Amoroso

- S- "Hey! Lemme holla at ya right quick.","Are you stupid?","WHAT'S
- E- Sports, drifting, high-speed cop chases, instruments
- N- Schmeal, Stanky, Phily
- I- Static, certain Democratic political parties, Stupid people
- O- Grounds, Maintenance, Resident Assistant
- R- I'll never forget all the good times in Gymnastics. All the great times with my class on trips. Nate, Alex Cox, Chris Shin-nights in thedorm.
- S- If I told you my "secret ambition," it wouldn't be a secret anymore.

I will Christian B. my stunning left-handed throw and my catch. I will Chris Shin everything Alex Cox owns, including his garden. I will Calel my voice, it's so amazing. I will Garret all my candy so he can... well he knows, don't you blue? I will Daniel N. all schfifty-five of whatever he wants. I will Danielle H. my good looks, not that she needs it. I will Gage my archery skills. I will Samantha my guns.





#### Megan Baker

- S- "Weak sauce", "I crack myself up", "Good day, Sir...I said good day!"
- E- Buying shoes and purses, riding fourwheelers
- N- Zegan, zag, zeggie, nutmeg, may may, megbacker, majello, m.baker
- I- Water running down someone's body
- O- Social worker
- R- Trust fall/ fish funeral, checking to see if Rissa's milk is sour

I will Sarah G. the secret of the hair. I will Courtney G. my loudness. I will Megan D. the best name, ever. I will Daniel N. my gossiping skills I will Riina my grading skills. I will the Ganns my turtles. I will Kristy my poor, dead fish. I will Darneshia drip, drip. I will Sam Hean my charger. I will John my Kool-Aid for kids. I will Abeises my stomping skills



- 'Oh, Bummer!", "Crap face."
- Watching movies with my dad, spending Sabbaths with my friends, taking naps, chilling with my brother, eating, reading, Wii, tubing.
- Beaudette, Beau, Dani, Bow-tie, Danyelly, Bodetty.
- Obnoxious people, people driving slowly in the fast lane, Christian Bunch.
- Physician's Assistant
- Russia Mission Trip, being suite-mates with Carlee, Emerald, and Emily, spending time with Emerald and Kristy, late night chats with Emily and Miss
- To travel, to become a student missionary to Greece.
- will Alex my good memories and my sarcasm. I will Daniel my tweezers. I will Kristy my ability to do math. I will Emerald my good sense and llity to have patience with family. I will Eveyln a house with one porch. And I will Christian Bunch my ability to actually get some grading





- Monique Brown
  S- "Hakuna matata, no worries!!", "Trust God", "God's blessings all ways, always."
- E- I love to be outside, especially when working with friends. I love watching birds, bugs, clouds...to feel the wind and sun, playing with the animals, bringing a smile to those around me, sharing His love best I can.
- N- MoniQ, Mona, Mo, Pocahontas, wild child, Tarzana, Ojibwe, Ma Petite, naturegirl.
- I- People who say but do not do.
- O- I love being outside and working hard. I love to help. Matthew 28:19,20
- R- Everything! Singing, campouts, outreach, school, every blessing, every day. All my favorite teachers, and all who where, but are now gone, Mr. Bradley, Alan. For all the stories, all the laughs, and knowledge you passed to me.
- S- To be the best example I can be to my family, to my friends. To go city to city with friends and family using all of our talents to share His love until every person is

reached. will myself to God, our Lord, and all of my friends and family to His care, His love all ways, always. I will and pray that His light shines from every day.

#### Iames Bunch

- "We talkin' about practice.","Playoff?!","We landed on the moon!"
- Watching and playing sports, spending time with friends
- Bro of Buff Bough, Jimmy
- Peyton Manning, Dallas Cowboys, bandwagon fans, Duke
- undecided
- Acro trips, AUC, Fall picnics, beating the Juniors in basketball my Freshman year, sports against Pisgah
- Professional singer





will my 4.0 GPA to Christian. I will my dog to anyone who will take her. I will my moped driving skills to Johnson. I will my amazing speed d quickness to Karli. I iwll my antiperspirant to Lil Minta. I will 10,000 roses to Danielle Heatherly.





- S- "That's so dope!", "Weak sauce!", "You know?", "Awww, how precious."
- E- Taco Bell trips, singing & playing guitar/piano, time with friends.
- N- Rissa, Roo, Roo-A-Coo, Miss Riss, C2, Snuggle Bunny, Pumpkin, Sweetie
- I- Huge reading assignments, Pre-Calc, saying good-bye, stupid questions, crazy
- R- Peanut butter fights, Lady Gaga/Ke\$ha dances, Drama tours, visits to Sarah's office, Getting put on social on my birthday.
- S- Learn how to wink, become a professional wrestler, run my own daycare, be a singer/songwriter, be a missionary, become adept at yodeling.
- John Reece I will my heart and my Southern (not Redneck) pride. To Christian N, my love for the Gamecocks. To Kristy and Sarah Hill height. To Carrie and callan, my love for the South (CAA). To Tiffer, my math skills. To Chadwick, my beat boxing ability. To Mitchell, drama skills." I will my red bugs to Daniel Neascu. To Ito, my horrible Spanish pronunciation. To Obie, my occasional tactfullness.

#### Alex Cox

- S- "Very nice.", "I like", "How much?", "What's goin' on!?!", "Yo, what up? Let me holla atcha rite quick!", "This suit is black.....NOT!"
- E- Basketball, Football, girls, school, Sundays at the Bunchs'.
- N- A.Cox, Cox, Cox in a Box, Coxsicle
- I- Emotional girls, school, static
- O- FPI Kitchen Boss
- R- Philip, Shin, when Chris broke his toe at Jimmy's house.
- S- Very Nice!

I will Chris Shin my toilet seat. I will Daniel N. my hotness.









- Candice Dill S- "Piro!", "Insert witty reply here", "Good morning", "Can I help you!"
- E- Scones, muffins, reading, long walks on the beach
- N- Kirky, Candi, Bunny, Bibi, Petite lapin
- I- Hypocrites
- O- Writer, actress, artist
- R- Becky, Katie, Chris, Alex, Jason & me playing Tennis. Hide & Seek at the LPC.
- S- World Domination

I will "that" leaf to Katrina. I will my ability to fix sunglasses to Danyelle. I will my locker to Katrina. I will my desk to Jessie. I will my hair to both Jessie and Katrina.

#### Ahn Dinh

- S- "OOH!", "You know what happened???", "Guess what?", "I love you."
- E- Pooh Bear, Polina & the Owens, Uno, Noodles, Ice-cream, spending money, shoes, Rashayne and Matthew whipping their hair back and forth
- N- Off, Dinie, Annie, Pooh, Sugar Lips
- I- Broken nails, being broke, when I don't have minutes on my phone, working on Sunday, two-faced people
- O- Dental Hygiene
- R- Boston Junior History trip, Senior Survival, Everything!
- S- Chewing gum in choir

I will my violin to Polina. I will "bunch" to April. I will Chemistry homework to Stephanie

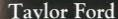




#### Jason Dull

- S- "Sweet deal!", "Do you mind if I win?", "Go for it.", "I'd give you a dollar."
- E- Drawing, sleeping, hanging with friends, playing Halo, watching movies, taking days off work, eating tomato sandwiches and poptarts.
- N- Jay, Jaybird, supercutie, Papa J, Sweet guy
- I- Wrinkled or dirty paper, Chris, making plans, people who ignore people that aren't in gymnastics, insulation and fiber glass all up your arms.
- O- Artist, game designer, book illustrator.
- R- Carpet burns every dodgeball tournament, Senior Survival, all ski trips, having many crazy bosses, all the other trips with friends.
- S- Going on vacation to another country, buying a Porsche, learning a language that isn't Spanish.

I will my iPod music to Evelyn, my art skills to Heather, my Converse and hair curler style to Alyssia, and everything I don't have to Alex P.



- Ya know?", "Hey can I sign off?", "If you didn't know, I'm actually a big deal.","Blame the penguins."
- Listening to music, good coffee, Xbox 360 all-nighter, winning in StarCraft, family reunions, breaking more than one dorm rule at 3am
- Tfizzy, Tbaby, that guy, Tpain
- Ignorant people, sleeping-in days interrupted by the sun.
- Nuclear Engineer, Diplomat, Mad scientist, Chemist
- History trip, StarCraft sophomore year, Mr. Carter's Bible class, Friendship and brotherhood in dorms.
- Cure Cancer and AIDS, create first "smart" A.I., own an Aston Martin.
- will my gaming of Halo to John. I will my ability to always sign off to Chad. I will my talking to Justin Deluca, and my ubbornness to Tiffer.



#### Heidi Freck

- E- Hiking, Coffee, Fall time, music & singing, movie nights
- N- Fuzzy, Bear
- I- One word people, desk bumpers, slow turners
- O- Dental Hygiene
- R- My first Acrofest
- S- To be a song writer

will my sick elevator dance moves to Amber Heatherly and Megan Durby. I will my loudness to Rachel Jun. I will ly spunk to Heather White. I will my "Frecking" title to Holly Geddings; you earned it!

#### Josh Fries

- "Shoot, Fire, and Brimstone!"
- Sports, eating, and sleeping
- J. Daddy, J. Poppy, George
- Fake people, cops
- Undecided
- Being an R.A, Senior Survival, Gymnastics Trips, Grounds
- To be a Secret Service man





will my R.A position to Chris Shin, I will my roommate to T. Ford and Zach Pirkle. I will my facial hair to Donovan enks. I will my first place in the 5K to Caleb Fries.



#### Holly Geddings

- S- "Guess what!"
- E- Coffee, camping, gymnastics, singing, TV/movies, hiking, BEACH
- N- Hollybug, Hollywalley
- I- Fuzzes!
- O- Dental hygiene, Nursing
- R- Senior Survival, Virgin Islands, Senior class trip
- S- Learn French





#### Christopher Heyer

- S- "Giggity", "Oh, crap", "Pretty boi swag"
- E- Talking with improper grammar around Yingling.
- N- Earl, Puppy
- I- The Twins' squeals, being politically correct, people saying big words, people who skip to the front of the classroom to turn in their homework, people saying, "I seen that."
- O- Marine
- R- Senior Survival, Government debates
- S- Old, retired Marine sitting on my front porch with a shotgun.







#### Seth Hill

- S- "'Sup, Dawg!"
- E- Snowboarding, Mx, video games
- N- Lil'man
- I- People that lie to my face
- O- Nuclear engineer, Nano tech programmer
- R-
- S- World domination

#### Dakota Hines

- S- "I win!", "You're Fired!"
- E- Rock climbing, reading, gymnastics, singing.
- N- The Ninja, DK, D-A-K 47-Human Weapon.
- I- People touching the door I hold open for them.
- O- Nurse Anesthetist, Psychologist
- R- Sophomore Acrofest and Texas trip.
- S- I want to tour Europe





I will my pairs ability to my brother Gage. I will my super speed to Chris Bass. I will Yo to Evelyn. And I will a Ninja card to Alex Pendleton.

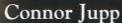




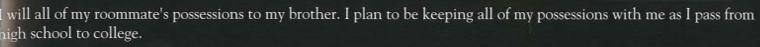
#### Donovan Jenks

- S- "Hey Bo, What's goin' on?!"
- E- Hunting, fishing, hiking, riding, camping, pairs
- N- Cocoa Don, Don Don
- I- Rainy days, bad drivers
- O- Gas station pumper
- $\ensuremath{R\text{-}}$  Texas trip, Gymnastics tour to NYC, Virgin Islands
- S- To be as cool as "Tim the Timidator"

I will my sweet pairs partner to C. Bunch. I will my Monster business to Darren Garner. I will my bird watching skills to Tiffer Bass.



- S- "Peace through superior firepower"
- E- Video games, sleeping, talking to friends
- N- Moe, C Jupp
- I- Snitches, Liberals
- O- Engineer
- R- Paying out the nose to go to Fletcher
- S- It's a secret





#### Matthew Kline

- S- "That's too bad.", "oops..."
- E- Snow skiing, gaming
- N- Matt
- I- Being called Matt, having to repeat myself more than twice, Spanish worksheets
- O- School, of course
- R- Breaks in the dorm, calculus class, working at Laundry, Bass Faculty Family
- S- I secretly want to become a secret Engineer

#### Alexandra Ludders

- S- "Awesome!","Oh my word","Holy Cow!"
- E- Shopping, reading, hanging out with friends.
- N- Ludder, Twin, T1
- I- Pencils tapping on desks, feet tapping on the back of my chair, frillies left on papers.
- O- Nurse, English teacher
- R- Chicago band tour, Texas trip, choir trip to Russia.
- S- Fashion Designer





will my percussion skills to Samantha Yoon and my status as "the awesomest grader" to Elsa Sanabria.





#### Morgan Ludders

- S- "You're a 'tard.", "I hate math", "Mr. Sigsworth! We need your help!"
- E- Eating chocolate, chilling in the math room.
- N- Morg, Ludder, Twin, T2
- I- Annoying loud people, fake people, people who breathe loudly.
- O- Nurse Anesthetist
- R- Chicago tour, Russia, Hanging out in Megan and Hannah's room.
- S- Make-up Artist

o Sara Collson, I will my librarian skills. To the Freshies in percussion, I will my awesome percussion skills. I will Evelyn my twin-ness, I ill Tiffer my awesome math skills. I will Whitney my wonderful whining skills. I will Ben Bobbit, I will my music counting skills and "gentle spel." And to Daniel Neacsu, I will gossiping.

Magdalana Pickens

S- "You're weird.", "Yups.", "I'm always right.", "You missed.", "Whatever."

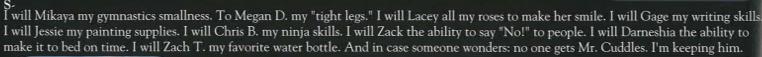
E- Reading, writing, singing, basketball, silks, early morning workouts, painting, smelling flowers, morning devotions

N- Mags, Magpie, Shorty, Little Maggie, Ninja girl

I- Laying in bed unable to fall asleep, stuck up people, nosey people, people who don't give others a chance, clicks, long cafeteria lines, people who complain

O- Chef, Journalist, Editor

R- My favorite girls, Heidi & Holly, Russia trip, Texas trip my Sophomore year, Freshman year working at FPI, AcroFest and gym trips, walks in the rain, watching the stars fall with dorm girls and Miss Evans, THE WILLOW TREE







La'Quinta Reed

S-"Ello!", "Howdy (salute)", "How about...no!", "That's the kind of stuff you watch from a distance!!!"

E- Playing my guitar, basketball

N-LQ, Kinta, Quinna, Shanniqua

I- People that feel they always have to be right & people who take jokes too far.

O- Medical Missionary

R- Junior History Trip, Acro trips & my first backflip

S- I've always wanted to be in a cool movie like High School Musical or Jump-in.

I will my beast mode basketball defense skills to Jared Ryan; my guitar skills to Ito Perez. And all my food to Saminta Hean. And to Abeisis Ramirez, all my crazy hair styles.

#### Janna Robinson

S- "Heck, Yeah!", "No way?"

E- Horseback riding, shopping with friends, family beach trips

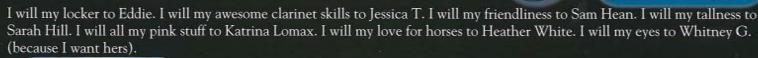
N- Ian, Hane, Jubber

I- When someone gets out of the shower with wet feet, then walks across the floor

O- Traveling nurse

R- Late night dorm parties, suite-mate peanut butter fights

S- To be a dorphin trainer, or a Dixie Stampede horse rider







#### Celina Rueda S- "Holy mess.", "Really?!? I know."

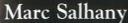
E- I love to play soccer, hang out with friends, listen to music, travel, hike, camp, and I absolutely love to bake and cook.

N- Cici, LiLi, Roo-Roo, Celi, Mexican, C-Ford, Fea

- I- I hate with people don't pay attention and ask the same question twice, when people eat with their mouth open our chew their gum like cows.
- O- Ob-Gyn, or Pediatrician
- R- Russia choir trip, London Pizza Hut with Shelby, Junior class trip. Girls' club campouts. Crazy dorm nights, Senior Survival, Taco Bell runs with Rissa.

S- I want to travel the world: I want to be a student missionary.

I will my hair to Johnson, my massage skills to Tiffer Bass, my love of drawing in Yingling's class to Sarah Hill, my strength to Getsel, my soccer skills to Manny. I will my awesome randomness to Amber Henski. I will my friend KT to Evelyn, my shortness and my easiness to blush to Chad.



- S- "Awesome", "Whoo to the who", "What?", "What's up!", "Shhh!"
- E- Sleeping, reading, the gym, singing
- N- Marcus, Marky Marc, Marco
- L Marco Polo, chalkboards, loud, annoying, obnoxious people, Shane singing Justin Bieber, bright lights.
- O- Pilot/mechanic, architect, researcher, scientist,
- R- First banquet, Really cold water at Sliding Rock, NY, Russian Mission Trip. Faculty Family time, Mr. K, Mrs. Jenks and Sigsworth
- S- Chit chat with God, Weightlessness, Heaven

will my muscles to Cody. I will my backpack to Eddie. I will my fish to Julio. I will my C.S. Lewis collection to Justin. I will my Russian hat to Chad. I will my devotion book to Jeremy and my Bible to Jared. I will my cleats to Kenny.



#### Hannah Simmons

S- "Dope!", "Weak sauce!", "Dank."

- E- Sports, playing guitar, horseback riding, spending time with friends, being outside, watching movies
- N- Han, Hanner, Hannah Montana
  - I- When people touch me too much, singing off-key
- O- Nursing, Ranch (camp for autistic kids)
- R- Trips, late nights in the dorm, Jr. year, talks with the Ganns, my 18th birthday party!, and my walk
- S- FBI agent, a rock star, have a house underwater, and marry Batman

will Abeisis my room her Junior year. I will Danny Coon my ability to talk. I will Carisa my smiles and laughs. I will Carrie E. my brother. I ll Sarah H. my late night talks. I will Zach H. long notes in band. I will Sam Y. my percussion skills. I will Tyler. my southern accent. I will en my straight hair. I will Jessica T. my Spanish skills. I will Austin my social skills. I will Callan my PB&J sandwiches.

#### Rashavne Tulloch

- "Whip my hair back and forth."
- Comics, food, and video games
- Shane
- Slow computers
- Aeronautical Engineering
- Texas trip
- To be a billionaire, jk... to travel the world, being rich would be nice.

will my Jordan-like skills to new freshmen.







S- "Me gusta.", "Enjoy it while it lasts, man.", "Have mercy!"

- E- House, M.D., vanilla ice cream and anything gummy, jamming on the keys, supper at the café with Landon
- N- Ahj, Alazer, Jazer, Adrian, Bumblebee
- I- TYOPS!, moochers, two-faced people, racial overtones/stereotypes, anything that sounds like running water, people who can't say my full name correctly
- O- Neurologist, musician
- R- Band tours, Russia Choir Mission trip, Junior History trip, Mr. Carter and Mr. Wetmore, Prayer Conference, Good News men's "quartet", class-on-class events, T Talent Show, being an ambassador for Academy Days 2010, 11th Hour, working at the Finance Office, opportunities to witness.

S- Start a band and end the violence.

will my Northerner swag to Tyler. I will my sightreading abilities to Landon. I will my Eagles pride to Gann and Johnson. I will my waves to vin and my 'fro to Jared. I will the best birthday ever to my October 22 buddy, Mrs. Hagan. I will my crossing guard abilities to Eric.





#### Courtney Willison

- S- "What do you want for breakfast?", "Really guys? Really?",
- E- Writing, listening to music, sleeping, friends, shopping with my dad.
- N- Court, Bubbly, Hulio (only from my dad) Grace, Mickey
- I- Lots of homework, demanding people, Stringy cheese on pizza, My phone and overplayed songs on the radio.
- O- Dental Hygiene
- R- History Trip, working in the cafeteria, Senior Survival.
- S- To be a Forensic Serologist and songwriter

I will my Converse keychain to Jessie. I will my awesomeness to Katrina. To Kenny and Jonathan, I will my sisterly love and advice. To Landon, I will my basketball skills. And to Marcus, I will a glass of water and possibly a dry shirt. And to T. I will the lyrics to the song My Wish by Rascal Flatts.



#### Melanie Yoon

- S- "Suck it up!", "Chill your potatoes!", "You're a freak!", "But that would just make too much sense."
- E- Reading, chocolate, French horn, friends
- N Melon, Melly, Melanoma, Melon head, Mellow Yellow, Momo
- I- Arrogant people, when Mr. L. plays his trumpet with the altos who don't need as much help as the tenors, Nickles, Tuesday
- O- Nurse Practitioner, mom
- R- Chicago Band Trip, Russia, Senior Survival, General Psychology, Biology, Dora the Explorer

S- To sing well I will my alto skills to Sarah G. I will my 1st horn seat & my awesome horn playing skills to Sam H. To Whitney, I will my "meanyness." I will my craziness to Carisa. To Sara B: sisterhood... You aren't disowned anymore.! Amber Heatherly, my ability to make awesome salads. Tuba Boy, my good looks. I will my double band stand to Chris B. I will Sam Y. my math skills, loudness, and my advice.













































































## Lessons on Life



>Mr. Johnson's least favorite job was when he worked at Burger King the summer between his Sophomore and Junion years. "Everyone was mean and importent," he >Mrs. Gardenas remembers being hit on by creepy old guys when she was 19 as she tried to sell our points >In high school Mr. Comill worked for two weeks that she didn't even know the names of pidaing apples in the cold and nain. He nemembers it being >Mrs. Henda enjoyed being a surgeon's assistant in the Operating Room. She loved being able to reconstruct >Nr. Boss formite summer job was when he had his oun landucaping business. He said he enjoyed being able what God had made. > In high school Miss Evans was a jointon at an elementary school. With disgust she remembers having to to work outside all days >Mr. Signworth didn't like being a Hospital Administrator because he had to listen to complaints on the phone Once he even fell asleep while listening to a complaint!



## Bil Ho

#### BINBass

#### Bible II, Bible IV, & Auto/ Home Repair

"He's a really good storyteller and super entertaining. There is never a dull moment in his class."
-LaQuinta Reed



#### Melavie Cárdenas

Spanish I, Spanish II,
Computer Apps, & Yearbook
"She makes learning Spanish easy.
We don't just have to memorize
things, and it's really interactive."
-Krista Bonney



#### Kimberly Carr

#### Vice Principal & Calculus

"She's very good at explaining things, and always makes sure we understand what we're doing. It's not usually a challenge to understand something." -Matthew Kline



#### Clinton Carvill

#### Biology, A&P, Earth Science, & Algebra I

"I like the way he teaches. He always helps the students personally and is 100% there." -Zack Pirkle



#### Kim Cove

#### General Psychology

"The relaxed and open atmosphere makes it like a family. I enjoy her spiritual insight, and learning about the different temperaments."

-Chelsea Coston



#### Rebecca Evans

Algebra I, Physics, Conceptual Physics, & Assitant Girls' Dean

"She is so funny, always says the randomest things, and it's fun to try to get her off topic in class."
-Kristy Reyes



#### Bryce Fisher

Assistant Acroknights Coach & Assistant Boys' Dean

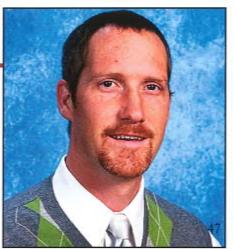
"He helps me whenever I need help. He also gives good advice." -Callan Jupp



#### Michael Gann

Team Sports, Health, & Boys' Dean

"He makes Health and other topics interesting."
-Rashida Young





Gaig Gerst Bible I, Bible II, Individual Sports, & AcTs 2

"We have a lot in common. And I really really enjoy the debates we have in class." -Sarah Hill



Mary Beth Hagan English I & Life Skills

"She is so animated that it keeps it interesting. I really like the games we play in English class." -Tyler Hodges



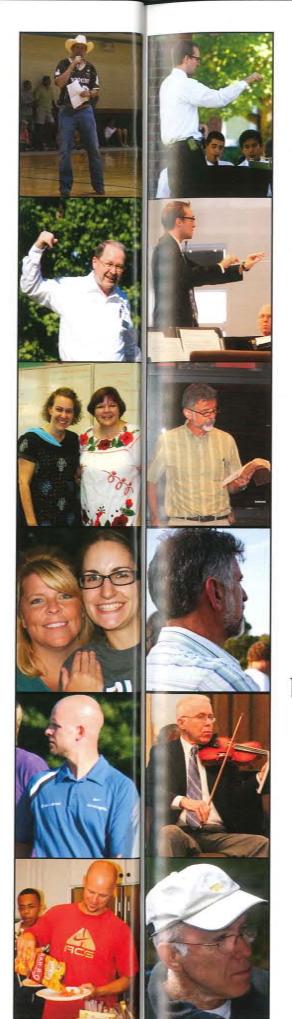
Kim Henski Art & Girls' Dean

"She's super nice, and I really like that she doesn't grade on skill in Art." -Emerald Johnson



Gaig Johnson American & World History, Government, Economics, & Acroknights Coach "He's really funny, and tells a lot of stories to make History interesting."

-Marcus Cadavero



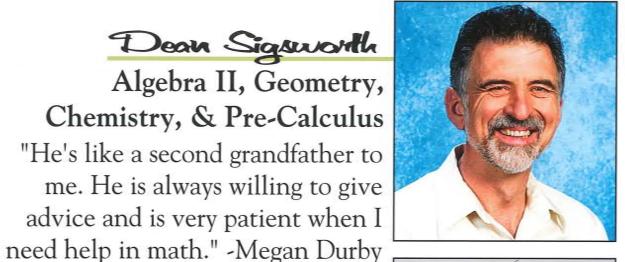
#### Greg Lindquist

Band, Choir, & Strings "I think he's a really good director, and I like how he teaches his classes." -Sarah Graham



#### Dean Sigsworth

Algebra II, Geometry, Chemistry, & Pre-Calculus "He's like a second grandfather to me. He is always willing to give advice and is very patient when I



#### Convie Twomley

Music Appreciation

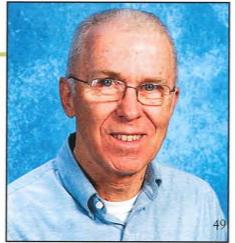
"I like when she plays the organ because it sounds nice. Her cooking is really good!" -Polina Garagina



#### Brent Yingling English II, English III, &

**English IV** 

"You always learn something in his class. And he makes things interesting." - Monique Brown





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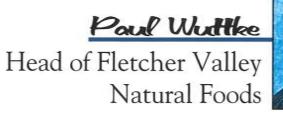


David Wade Head of Plant Services



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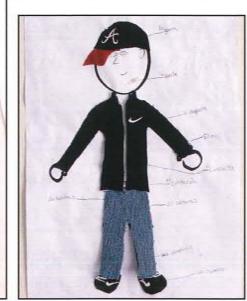
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Learning Spanish is a hands-on endeavor. Mrs. Cárdenas doesn't only use worksheets to teach grammar and vocabulary. The students act out restaurant scenes, make traditional bread, create "monsturos" and their own fashion "modelos." Each project is designed to make the Spanish language personal to the students.



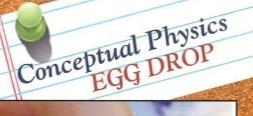




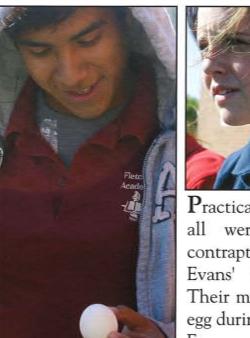
















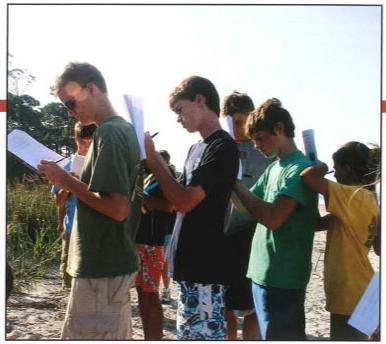
Practical, imaginative, and bizzare; all were characteristics of the contraptions used by students of Miss Evans' Conceptual Physics class. Their misson: Protect one lone raw egg during a fall from a tall building. From packing peanuts, to backpacks and pillows, to mass amounts of rubber bands, the students' creativity flowed into their inventions. Some were successful; and some were not. Either way, it was a fun learning experience.

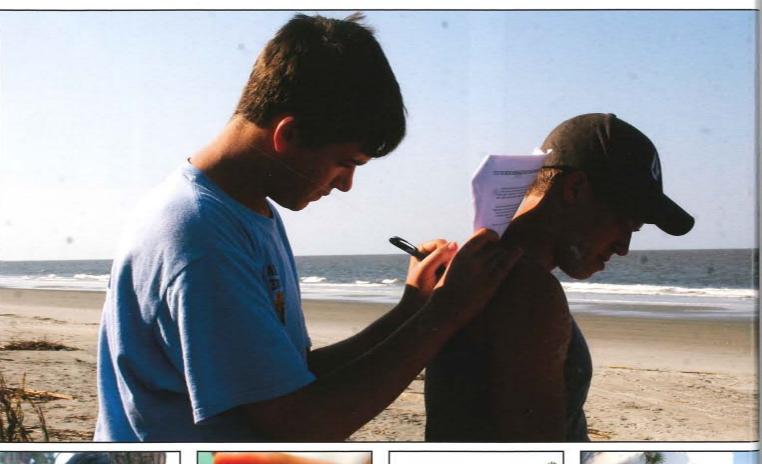


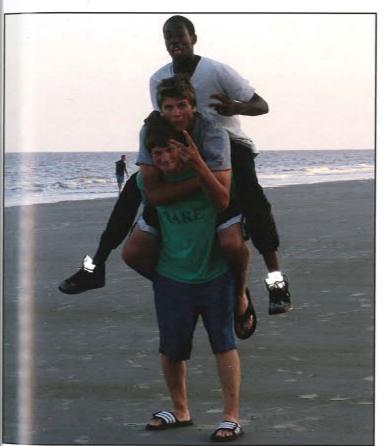
## Cooking for Ecosystems

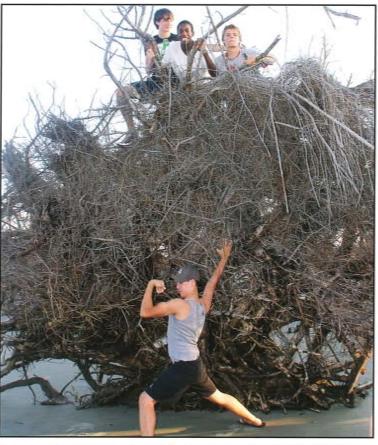
In mid-September the Fletcher Academy Biology class left the classroom and headed south to Hunting Island, SC, for a hands on Biology experience. On the three-day trip the students learned about beach and lowland ecosystems, caring for baby sea turtles and other endangered species. If that wasn't enough, they also sang songs, went paddling down the Edisto River, and had a great time camping. Jared Ryan said, "My favorite part of the biology trip was when we walked down the beach and went through the debris of trees on the sand. We had fun making it an obstacle course."









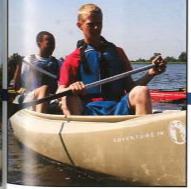


















## Cearining of History







"I'm not tired...see I'm wide awake...not tired at all." -Amber Heatherly

"Ummm... I think I'm stuck...can somebody help me?" -Mikaya Merrills





Smile, Emily Jones and Emerald Johnson! You're on candid camera!

In mid-October the Juniors set off on a bus trip to Boston. Everyone was super excited about the trip as they boarded the bus. However, only three hours into the several-hour drive, everyone was ready to stop and eat! The students had the opportunity to spend the night at Washington University. The next day they continued on to Philadelphia to see Independence Hall and the Liberty Bell. "Even though it was cold and we were exhausted; we had a lot of fun," said Danyelle Munson. The Juniors agreed that one of coolest things they experienced was standing in the middle of Time Square at midnight and seeing all the lights."



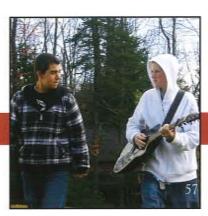










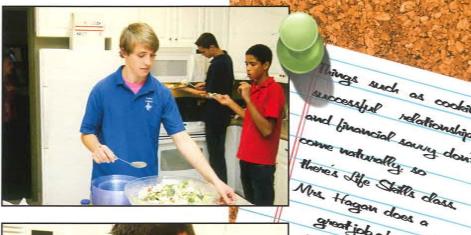


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eat does to take for creativity. Mrs. Hense has the students do a wide variety of out projects making mades out of with contons pointing with oils painting conswics a splatter paint project, and a silvouette project ore just a few of the fun things that the students have created this Zear.

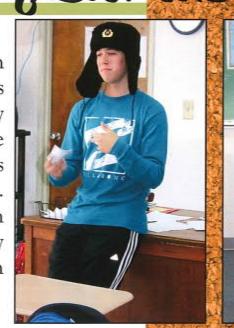






## essons from the Past

History may be boring to some, but with Mr. Johnson as a teacher History comes to life at Fletcher Academy. The History students had the opportunity to do some teaching of their own; their presentations ranged from Mummification to Ninjas. Combined with the annual American History trip to Boston, the History students are kept busy and see History in a new and interesting light.





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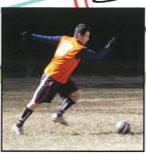
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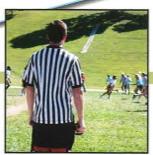
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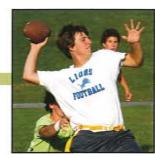
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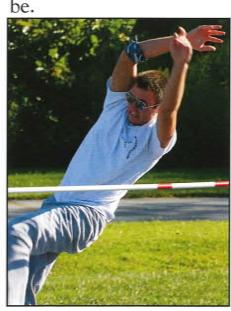






onging to Win

**E**arly in September, the Fall Picnic was kicked off with a torch run by the members of the Student Association. The events then took off with sprinting, long distance running, tug of war, and relay running. The remainder of the events took place the next day: more sprinting, high jump, football, shot put, and other activities which lasted the whole day! All the students were involved, and everyone had an exiciting time, whether it was participating or cheering for teammates. Some athletes even beat their own school records. After the scores were tallied it was revealed that the Senior class received the most competition points with the Junior class coming in a close second. We can hardly wait until next year to see who the next top athletes will



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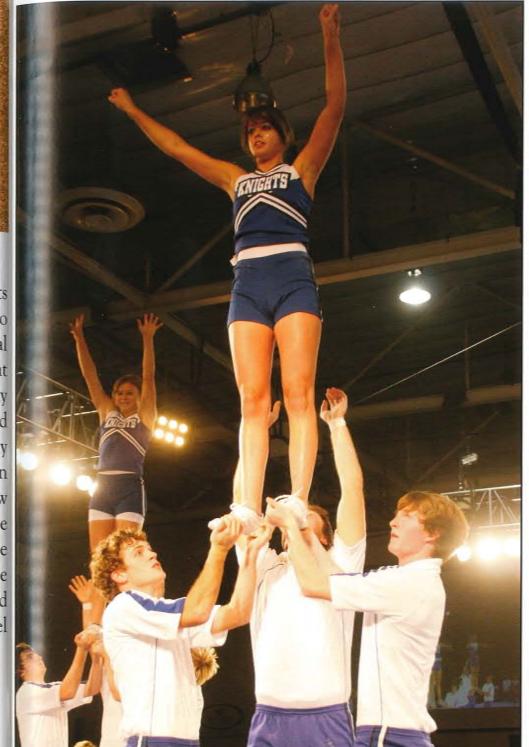


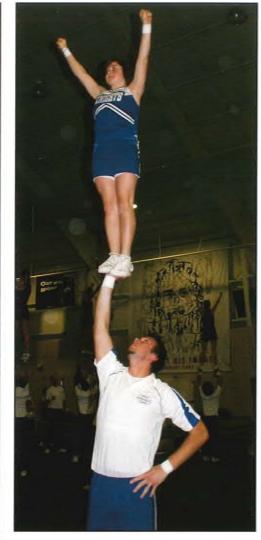


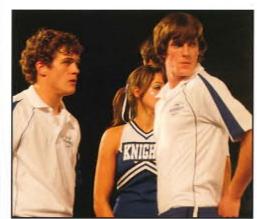
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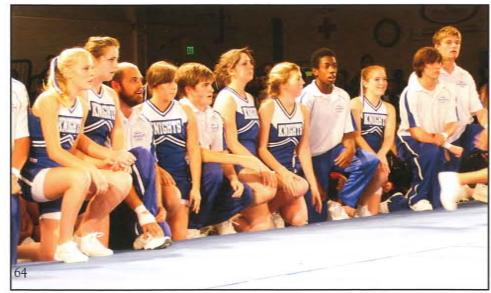


In November the Acroknights team of 2010 traveled to Tennessee for the annual Acrofest which was held at Southern Adventist University this year. The Acroknights had the opportunity to see many teams from other schools in action, acquire many new moves, and learn the importance of teamwork. "This experience brought us together, and we learned a lot as a team," agreed Christian Bunch and Daniel Neacsu.



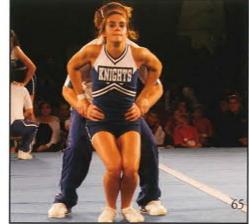








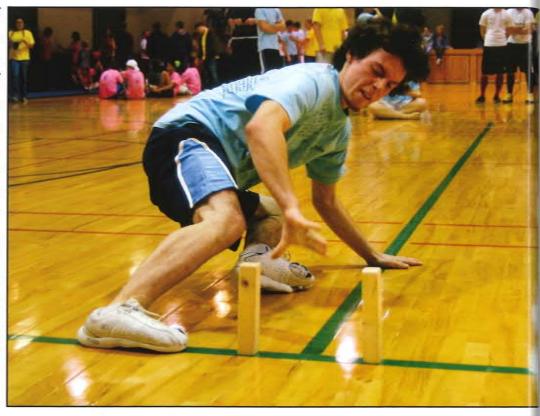






## eaping into the sky

Even though the students of Fletcher Academy were plagued with a terrible sickness during the week of Winter Olympics, every class still managed to have participants for every event. The main event Saturday night began with a quick worship thought given by Student Association pastor, Jared Ryan. He challenged each student to give his or her best effort in whatever challenge was presented. After prayer, parents and students headed to the pool to cheer on the swimmers.























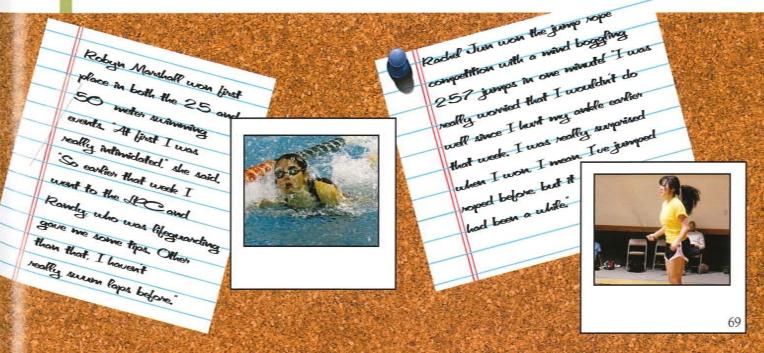


The girls and guys from every class swam, jumped rope, played volleyball and basketball, did bench presses, sits ups, push ups, shuttle runs, pull-ups, vertical leaps, free throws, and three pointers. Everybody was involved, even if they only played for a couple of minutes or did only one event. Whenever you were not on the court or mat, you were encouraging your classmates. "My favorite event to watch was the Junior vs. Senior guys' basketball game," said La'Quinta Reed. "I loved how fast-pace and intense it was!" At the end of the night, everyone gathered around for the award ceremony. Hoarse from screaming and cheering, the student body still managed to congratulate the Juniors, who won first place.







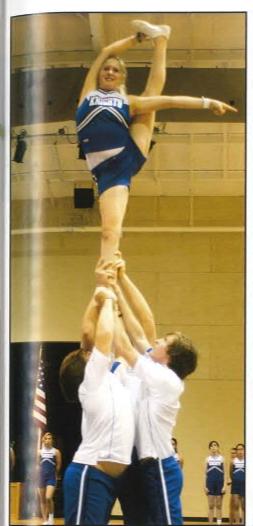




# Cifting Each Other Up





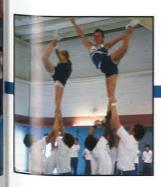






This year the Acroknights went on several day or short tours, including a trip to a Bobcats game. "Even though this is my first year on Acro, I've learned a lot and when I perform I am not as nervous. Getting to go on tour with the team is great," says Katrina Lomax as she tells of the team's experiences. During the performances and shows some of the team members said that they felt very confident and felt like they worked well as a team. "It was my second time performing at the Bobcats game so I wasn't as nervous and I actually felt confident this time around," says Jonathan Mencias. The Acro members reported that they get to see a lot of what goes on behind that scenes at these events and overall the team had a great time.





















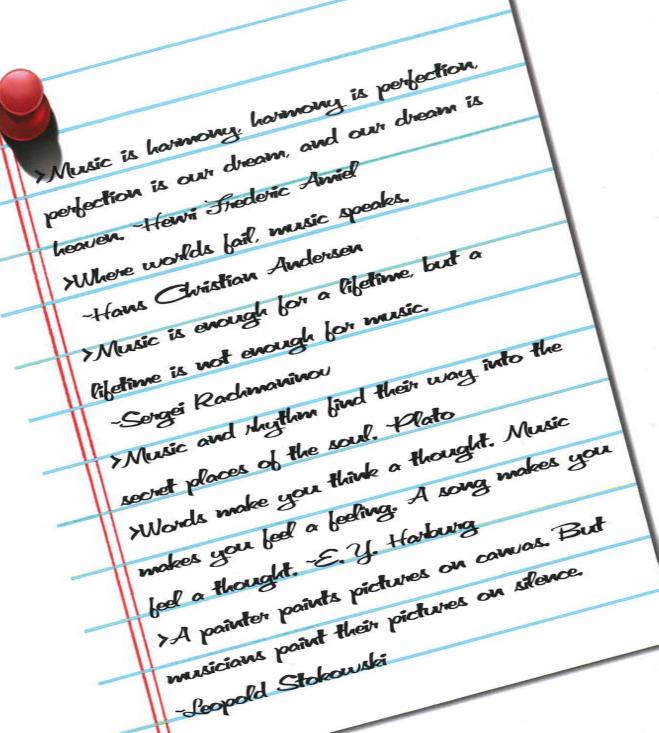


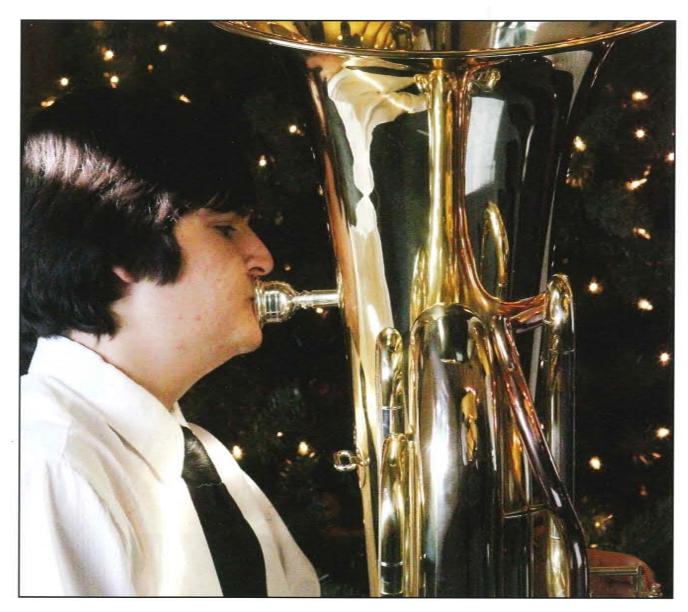












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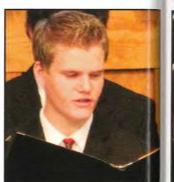


**B**lack folders, black dresses, black suits, and black shoes; all hiding the true vivid colors that make up the choir. Full of emotion and feeling, a brilliant color that can only be expressed through the combined uplifting of voices. The Fletcher Academy Choir, directed by Mr. Gregory Lindquist, has shared many beautiful melodies to the Fletcher church and school, showing their talent, all for the sole purpose of glorifying God.





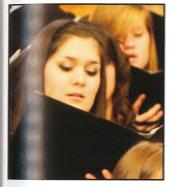


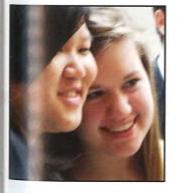


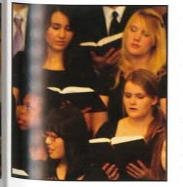


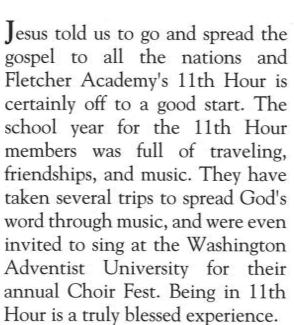










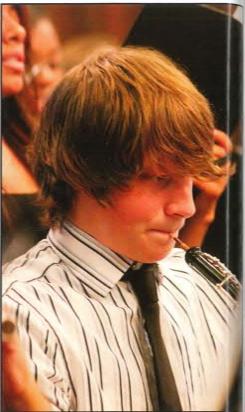






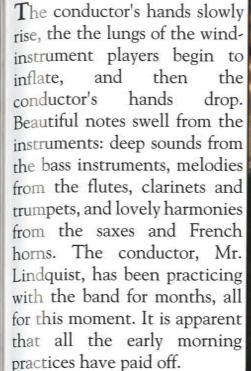




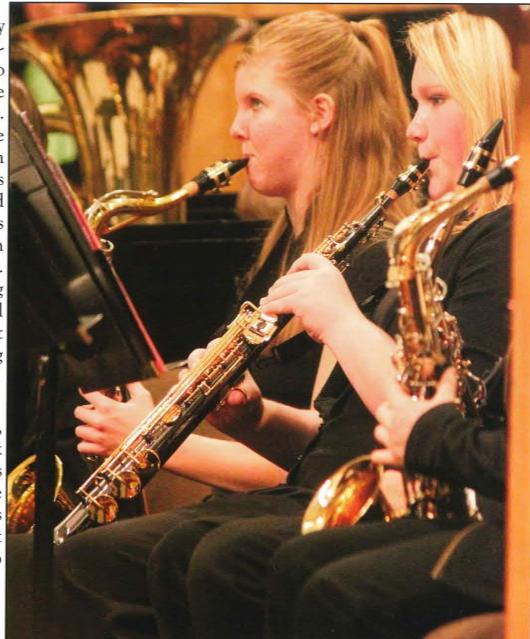








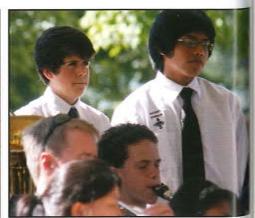
Being in band takes dedication, practice, and the ability to work individually so the group sounds as good as possible. The students spend many Sabbaths performing at local churches. It is great that they are willing to share their talents with others.



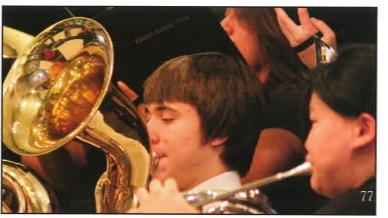
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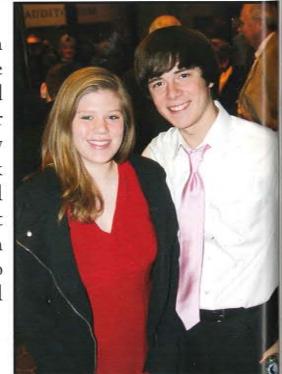






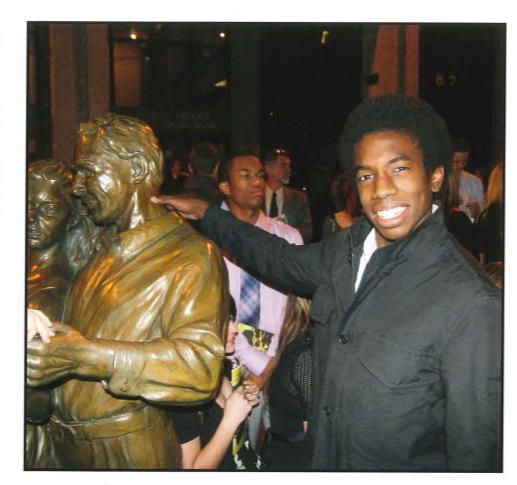
# Coving the Auts

The students of Fletcher Academy had a night of high culture when they went to a performance of the Asheville Symphony Orchestra on March 12. With two buses filled to their capacity, the group headed to the symphony for a night of the arts at the Asheville Civic Center. They enjoyed music from composers such as Antonín Dvorák and George Walker. Every one enjoyed the beautiful notes which softly drifted from the orchestra. When it was all over everybody said that it was more exciting than they had expected and they enjoyed the opportunity to dress up and enjoy each others' company in a more formal setting.







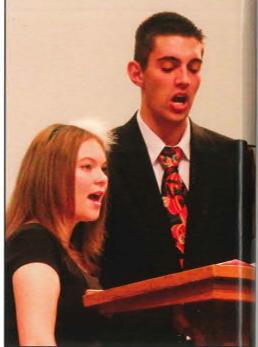








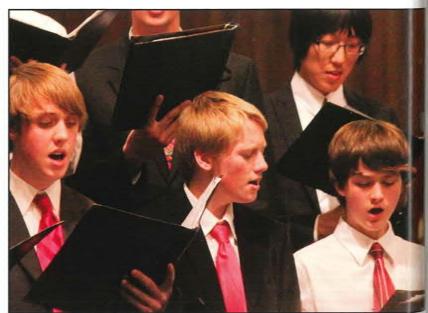


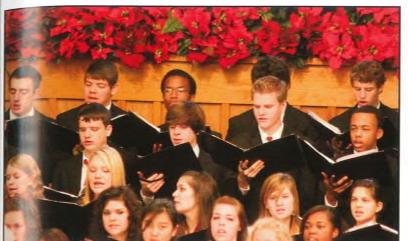


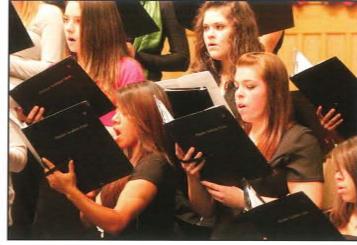
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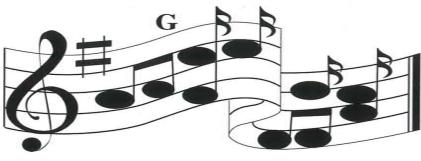
This year the annual Christmas concert was performed at the Fletcher Church. The sacred vespers service helped to remind the performers and audience alike of the real reason for the season. The students had been practicing their parts for months and the concert was an excellent time to showcase the great talent of Fletcher Academy. From the full choir, to the select 11th Hour choir, the full band to the brass group and string ensemble, the music performed was a reminder of why we celebrate Christmas and the joy we have as Christians.









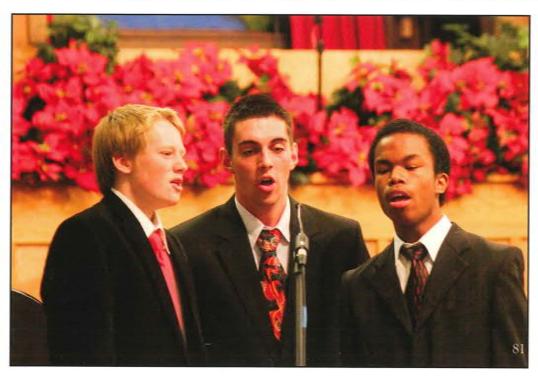








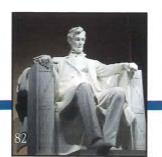




# Washington Adventist University Choir Fest



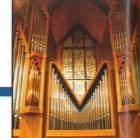
Just when Fletcher was beginning to experience some warm weather, selected members from 11th Hour took an 8-hour bus trip north to the freezing weather of Washington D.C. There, they combined their voices with the voices of several other choir groups, in day-long practices. They were all directed by Dr. Bingham from Washington Adventist University. On Friday evening all of the choir groups participated in one enormous concert in the beautiful Spencerville Seventh-day Adventist Church. For the Sabbath church service they sang for special music at the Sligo Seventh-day Adventist Church. In addition to practicing and performing, the choir members were able to roam through Washington D.C., visit various monuments, take a tour through the Seventh-day Adventist World Headquarters, and learn an amazing amount about training their voices and praising God.















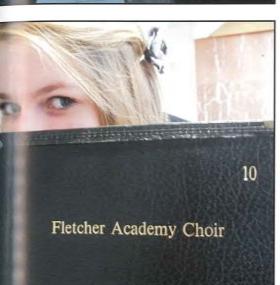










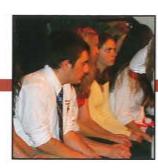


















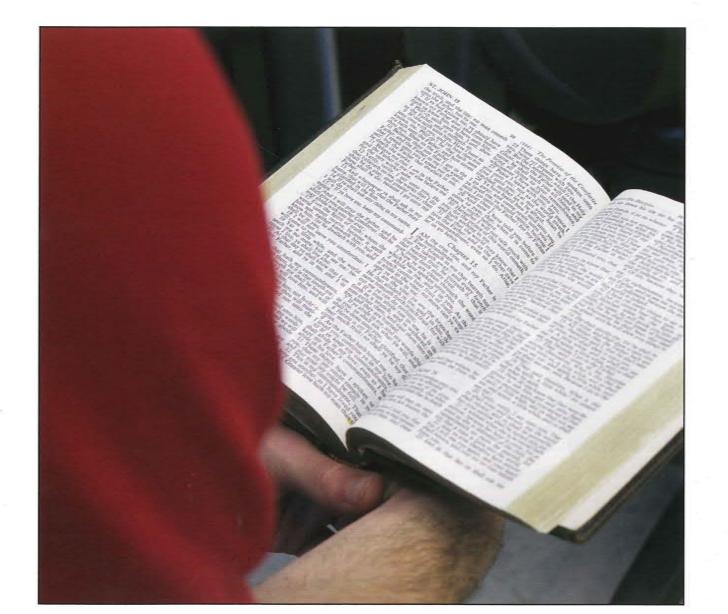








## Ceading by Example



And you will seek Me and find Me, when you search for Me with all your heart. Let not your heart be troubled; you believe in God, believe also in Me. John 14:1 Morefore submit to God. Resist the deal and he will flee from you. James 4:7 I will say of the LORD. "He is my refuge and my fortress My God in Him I will trest." Proling 91:2 With men this is impossible but with God all things are possible Matthew 19:26 Strust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine our understanding. In all they ways acknowledge him and he shall direct your paths Proverbs 3:56

# anguishing in the Rain Sabbath In The Mountains

Everybody loves a nice summer day in the rain...right? Maybe the devil didn't like our skits, or maybe we brought God to tears; either way we still managed to have a good time depsite the pouring rain. Everyone laughed we watched hilarious skits presented by various groups of students. We also had inspirational small group minibile studies. The rain barely damped our spirits and didn't stop us from having an awesome time while we came closer to God and our friends.







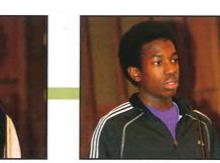


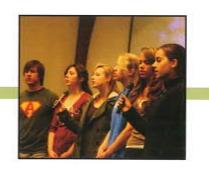
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Six students known as "Spiritual Leaders" in the school shared sermons throughout the student-led Week of Prayer which focused on knowing God. The students were involved in leading out in all the activites. These activities included: song service, talks, and the rest of the planning of Week of Prayer. Some students talked up front for the first time, overcoming their fears to share their messages with the rest of the student body. It was a great experience, particularly for those involved to see and feel the Holy Spirit's leading. A number of students had a life-changing week as a result.



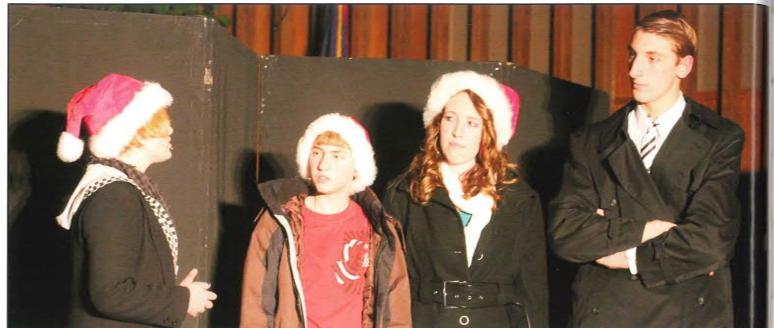












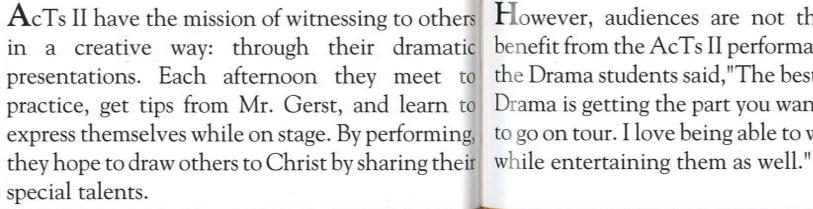


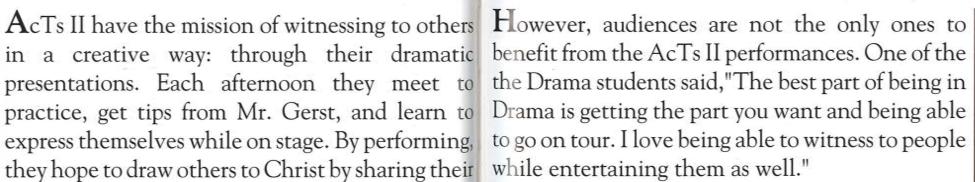


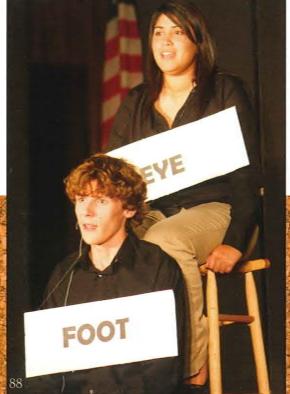


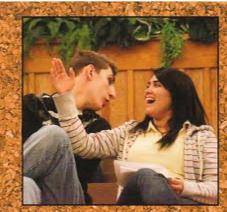


































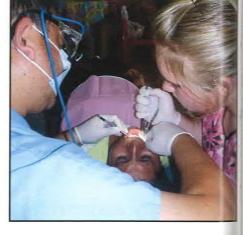
















Mexico, the group of students was ready to start the hard work that lay ahead of them. The group of thirty-four was split up among three different places. A few students assisted two dentists in a free dental clinic. Several of the students even had the opportunity to pull teeth! Others helped with a VBS for the Mexican children. The rest of the group worked diligently constructing a church out of metal rebar and cement blocks. Even though they got a "late" start on the construction, the church was completely finished a day early!

The group spent just as much energy during the relaxing times as well. Many of the students in Acro performed some gymnastics moves in various locations and were even joined by some locals in a competition. The jury is still out on who had the better moves! On Sunday, before coming home, the group spent the day at Atitlán Lake in Guatemala for a time of relaxing and buying souvenirs. The entire group got to experience a taste of the Mexican and Guatemalan cultures, learned many new words, and had a wonderful time being God's hands and feet!







### Coving to Serve

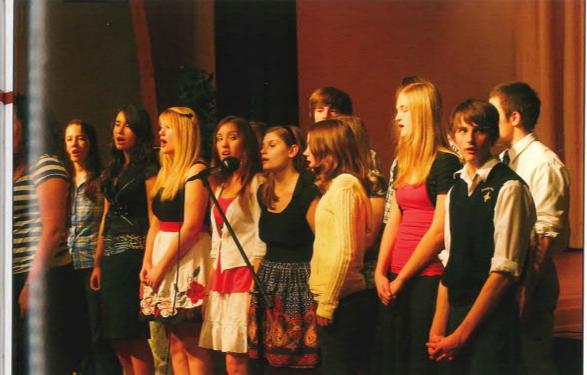




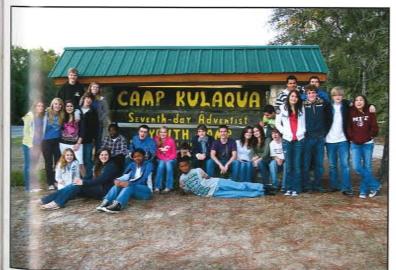








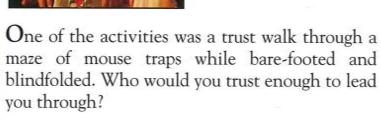
## Leading in Prayer





When it comes to prayer, it seems like we all have different ideas of what to expect. At Camp Kulaqua this year Pastor Litchfield gave young people from several Southern Union Conference schools a chance to answer this question for themselves.

The Fletcher group also got a chance to form new friendships with people from other schools. As the weekend progressed, it was amazing to see the Fletcher students, along with the other participants accept the challenge given by the pastor to live for Christ, and to continue to persevere in their Christian walk.



got raked and a large amount of food was collected for the those who are less fortunate. It was awesome to see the surprise on various peoples' faces when the students went to the door and asked if they wanted any yard work done for them. Possibly, for the first time, many students realized how exciting

community service and making

Fletcher Academy's students were let

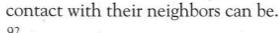
loose on the community for the yearly

all-school service day. The students

could choose from two activities: leaf

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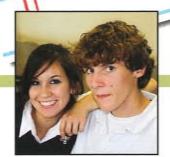


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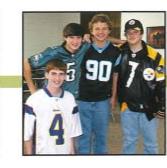
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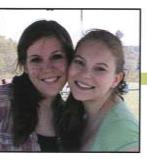






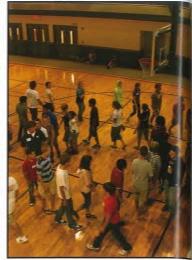


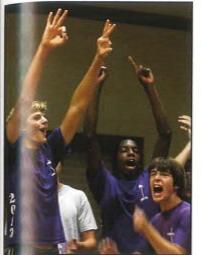
















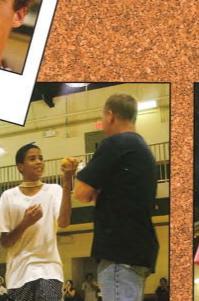
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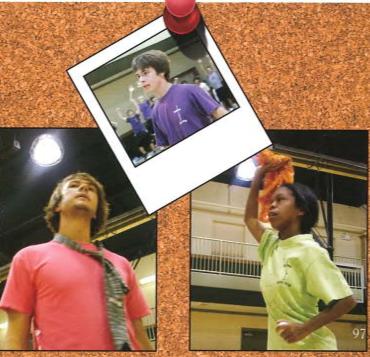
That is when all the fun begins. First the Student Association leaders are introduced, and Class Scramble. The students arrived prepared, hauling baskets full of random objects then everyone shakes hands. This year Handshake was held in the LPC because it was into the gymnasium to set up in their respective corner. The items ranged from teddy bears raining. However, a few days later the classes met on the field to play games, have fun, to apples, guys with lipstick to girls with shaving cream, and even ironing boards and and get to know each other better.

At the beginng of each school year the whole student body gets together for Handshake. On the first weekend of school, the classes battled it out in the LPC during the annual snow shovels. The classes raced to bring the object to the middle first to earn points for their team. It took the Freshmen most of the evening to get on the board. It was a close race between the Seniors and Sophomores, but eventually the Seniors won.



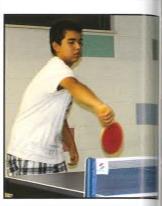


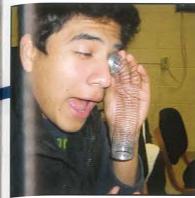






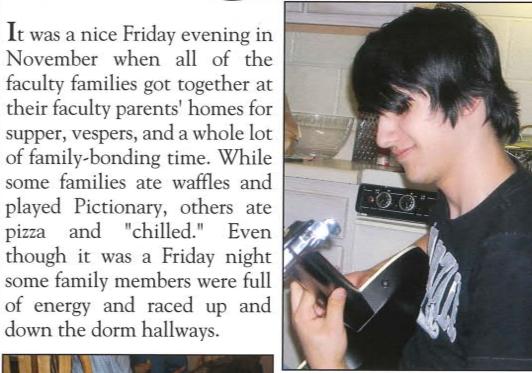




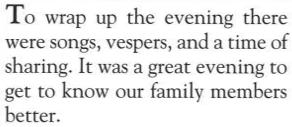








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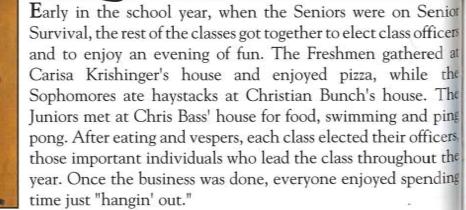
















### Casting Memories



I'm sorry if you don't like heights, but we expect you to do it anyway. Many looked at it in fear but everyone conquered that fear and all forty-one Seniors fell backwards off of the top of the shelter to the waiting arms of their classmates below. A phenomenal accomplishment that we dare next year's class to match. By the way - Go Megan Baker! You are our hero! - Don't worry it's a Senior thing.



On a weekend in August the seniors participated in the dreaded and highly anticipated Senior Survival. All fears had to be put away as the intrepid students set out for a weekend of teamwork and bonding. If making their own shelters wasn't bad enough, the teamwork activities stretched the Seniors beyond their comfort zones, but helped them appreciated each other as individuals within a great class. Most of the Seniors agree that they would gladly "endure" the weekend over again as it helped each of them realize their inner strengths and appreciate the unique talents of their classmates.









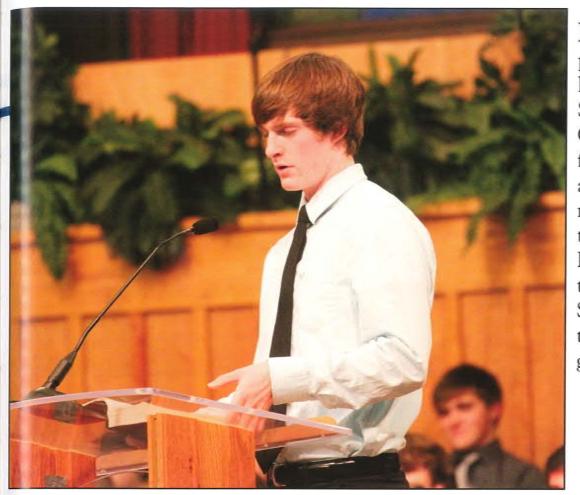




### eathing from Experience

The dedication of the 2011 graduating class was a special occasion as parents, students, and teachers took time to look back on the last four years of school. The reflective atmosphere helped the students take to heart the challenge from Mr. Sigsworth.

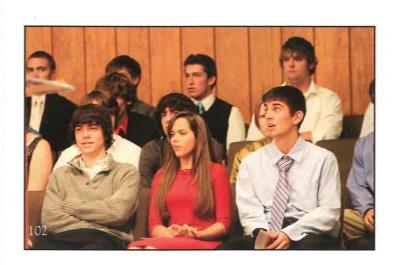




Mr. Sigsworth drew on personal experience as he challenged the Seniors to listen to God's Word, have faith, use their talents and special gifts, and rely on the wisdom of those around them. His words were meant to encourage the Senoirs as they push towards their goal of graduation.

A prime example of using God-given talents was the special music given by Heidi Freck and Lauren Heatherly. It touched the hearts of the Seniors and their families. Their song, *This Is My Desire*, helped the Seniors remember that their years at Fletcher Academy are meant to prepare them to serve the Lord with all their heart.









































iving Like Sisters

GIRLS' CLUB CAMPOU'



A lake, a zipline, a crackling fire, and friends; all are trademarks of a fantastic Girls' Club campout that took place in September of 2010. Together with the deans, The Fletcher Academy girls experienced fun in the sun and rain, learning more about themselves and each other. Together they learned to live like sisters with one another, and to live like daughters of Christ.





When guys go on a campout, it's always something special, and it was the same this year when the Boys' Club went on their annual campout. It started out

loaded up in vehicles and went to Lake Jocassee.

all around. So naturally, they not only had fun

swimming, but also enjoyed hiking, boating, and

sitting around the fire enjoying a time of relaxation.

The campout was quite fun except the fact that they

had to evacutate in the middle of pouring rain early

Sunday morning by boat. Guess they got a shower













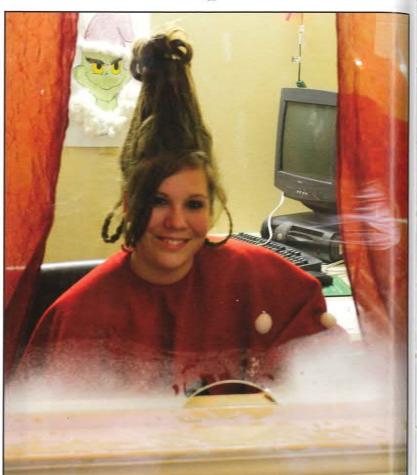




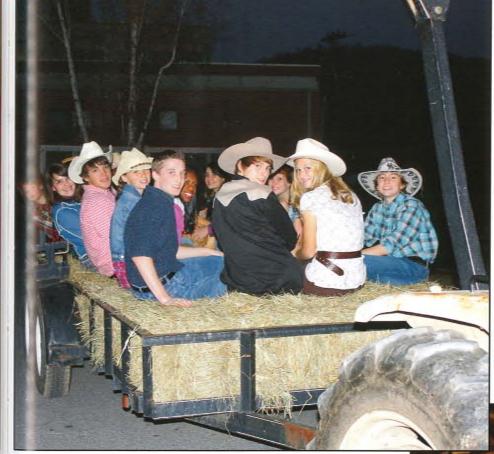


Girls' Club Open House

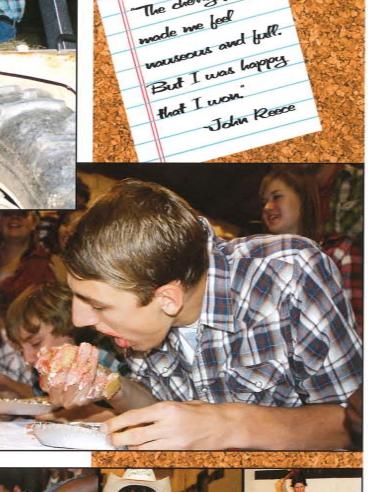




Complete with tinsel, garland, and fake snow, the Girls' Dorm was transformed into a Who-ville winter wonderland. The Grinch grinned his unpleasant grin from behind windows, and even from Mrs. Henski's shirt. The Grinch played in the upstairs recreation room, Christmas music floated out from the rooms, and many of the girls' rooms were decorated in festive, holiday style. There were even dorm residents dressed up as a "Who" from Dr. Seuss' classic tale, handing out candy canes to the eager visitors.



Students met in front of the Ad Building for the hay ride up to Pearson Hall for the Boys' Club Banquet. The guys had decorated the gym in western style and everyone looked great in plaid, cowboy hats and boots. There were even a few Indians to lend authenticity to the atmosphere. The students enjoyed western fare: hot dogs, chili, and corn bread, and lots of pie for dessert. For entertainment some students participated in a pie-eating contest. The winners were both Juniors: John Reece and Krista Bonney.



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something. It was a true success story!

Kristo Bonney



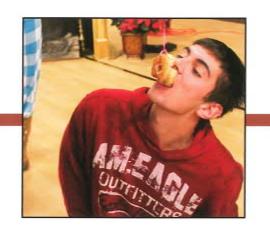


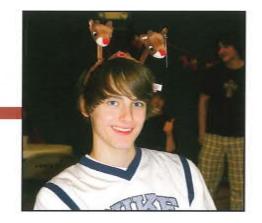
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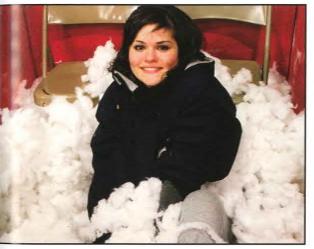
On a very cold December night a large group of FA students congregated in front of the administration building in a cheerful holiday mood to attend the SA Christmas Party. They all loaded up in buses and headed to the Arden Church gymnasium which had been decorated to look like Christmas morning. After a "breakfast" of waffles, biscuits and gravy, and other yummy breakfast food, the students participated in the planned games led by Mr. Gerst. The games included a Santa's whipped-cream-beard contest, name that Christmas tune contest, and a donut eating contest. There were also stockings for everyone filled with goodies. To wrap up the evening everyone enjoyed the movie "Elf."

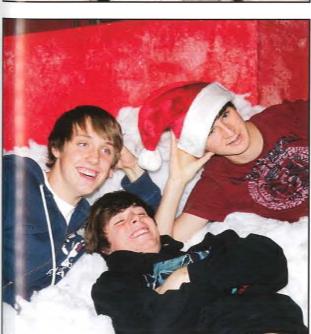
















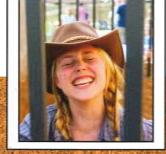


# inking People Together Fall Festival



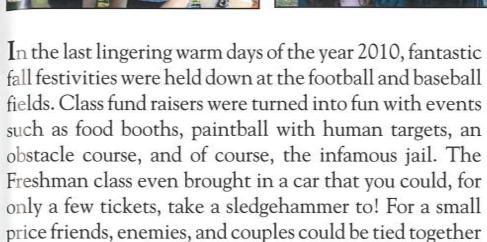








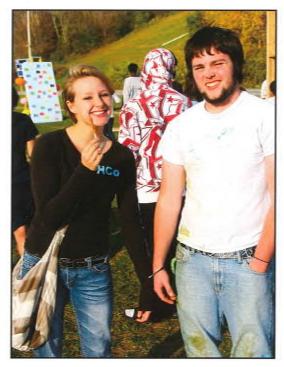


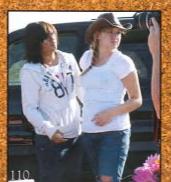


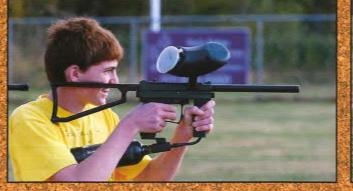
(without risk of "social") for just a few minutes or up to the whole afternoon. A lot of money was raised for each of the classes and clubs, and of course, lots of fun was had

















by all who attended.







# Cooking Our Best Spirit Week

Monday Tacky/ Nerd Day

Country/
Western Day

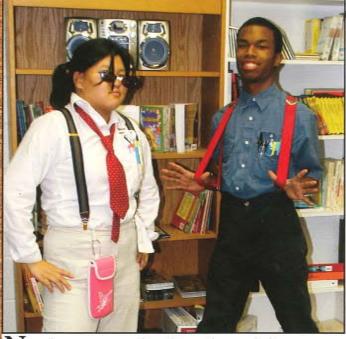
Wednesday.
Pajama Day

Thursday

Friday

Inter National

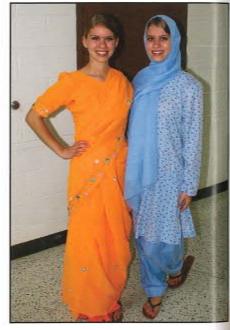
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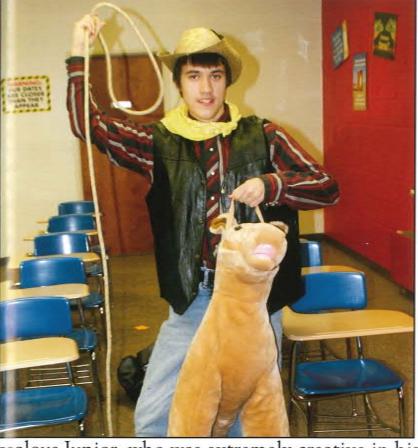
Nerd Day was the first day of this crazy week. With many of our students competing with Einstein and Newton, it was a wonder we didn't reach Harvard status! Maybe the favorite day of the whole week was Pajama Day, when students could just roll out of bed and walk into the classroom in their jammies and slippers.



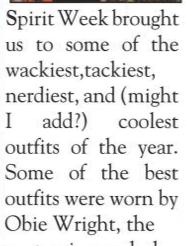














zealous Junior, who was extremely creative in his costuming each day. Don't forget to tip a hat to the cowboys/cowgirls on Tuesday. Many students brought out their beloved jerseys as they rooted for their favorite team. On Friday the school was filled, not with American students, but with people from all over the world.



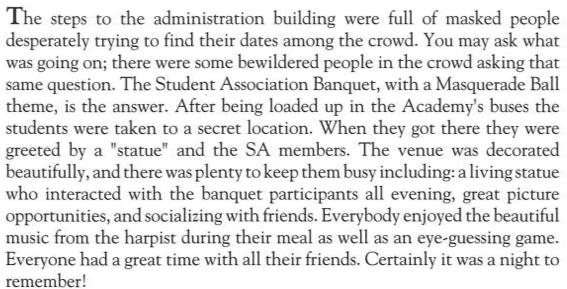














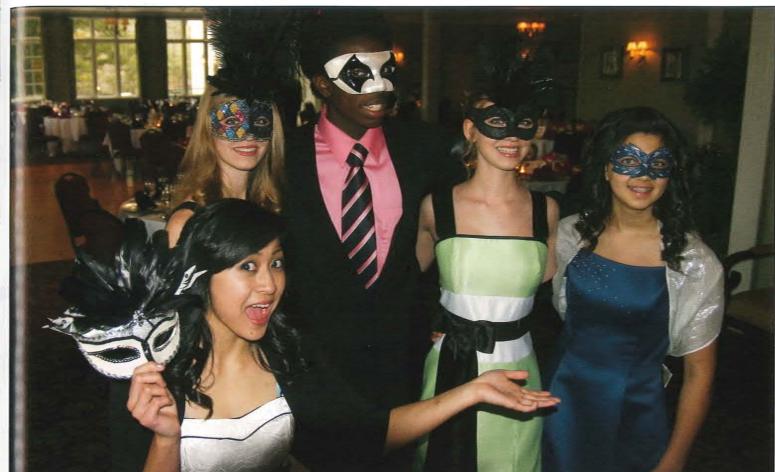












# ooking Beyond the Mask







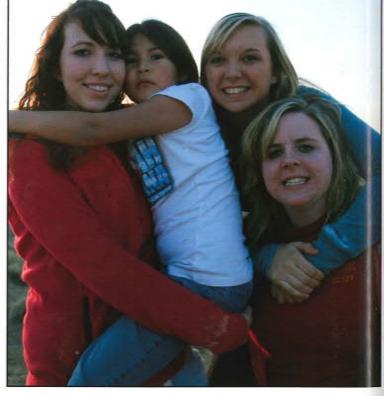


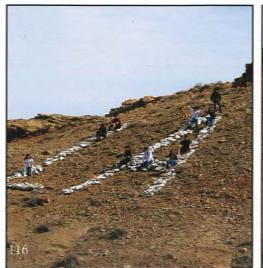




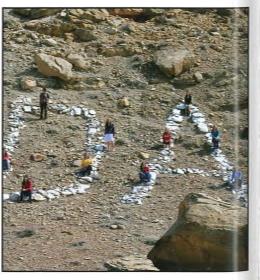
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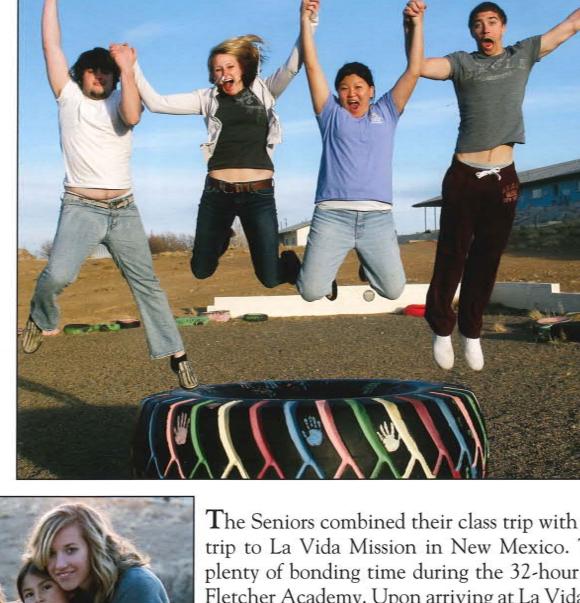


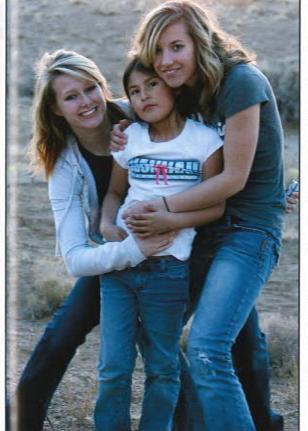












The Seniors combined their class trip with a mission trip to La Vida Mission in New Mexico. They had plenty of bonding time during the 32-hour trip from Fletcher Academy. Upon arriving at La Vida Mission, the Seniors were broken up into groups: Some helped in the classrooms with Science projects or Math tutoring; others helped to organize the school library. Many of the guys worked outside helping with various maintenance projects. The Senior girls also led out in a VBS program.

After their time at La Vida Mission the students traveled up to Colorado for some rest, relaxation, and SNOW! Everyone enjoyed the time to ski, snowboard, and just hang out. It was a great experience for the class.

### eading Our Friends

Boys' Club Officers



Josh Fries, Vice President, Philip Amoroso, Secretary, Robby Contrney President, Marc Salhany Go, Pastor, Alex Cox Parlimentablith, Matthew Kline Treasurer, Not in photo: Landon McGlellan Co. Pastor Not in photo: Landon McGlellan Co. Pastor

Sophomore Class Officers



bara Bohea Secretary, Brita Cardenas Treasurer, Daniel Neacsu-Bastor, Christian Bunch President: Ben Bobbia SA Rep. Zuch Tullock Parlimentarian, Jeremy Holi-Vice President, Eric Collson-SA Rep Girls' Club Officers



Maggie Pickens-Pastor, La'Quinta Reed-Gor Song Director, Sarah Graham-Vice Ptesident, Amber Henski-President, Kristy Reyes-Secretary, Darneshia Bullock-Parliamentarian, Carrie Earnhardt-Treasurer, Not in Photo: Sarah Hill-Co. Song Director

Junior Class Officers



Christina Adams-President, Krista Bonney-Secretary, Chris Bass-Treasurer, John Reece-SA Rep, Alyssia Dewey-Parliamentarian, Megan Durby-SA Rep, Danielle Heatherly-Vice President, Garret Bergherm-Pastor

Student Association



Freshmen Class Officers



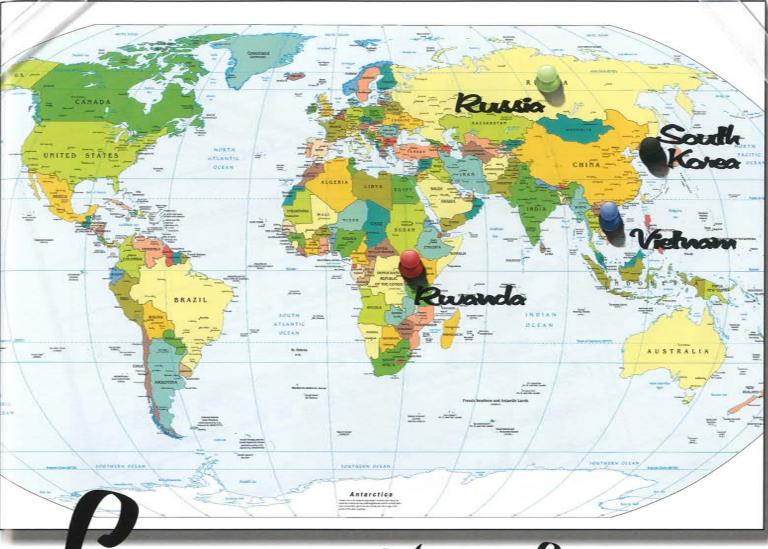
Chris Lindsay-SA Rep, Robyn Marshall-Vice President, Chris Sauvé-SA Rep, Sara Collson-Secretary, Rebecca Sossong-Treasurer, Carisa Krishingner-Parlimentarian, Tyler Hodges-Pastor, Courtney Gentry-President

Senior Class Officers



Alex Brown-Treasurer, Andrew Durby-SA Rep, Alex Gallimore-Co. Pastor, Robby Courtney-Parlimentarian, Jens Grindley-Vice President, Lauren Heatherly-Secretary, Keylin Ojeda-Pastor, Carlee Cline-SA Rep, Chesea Coston-President

Mitchell Hagan-Rec Coordinator, Morgan Ludders-Treasurer, Jared Ryan-Pastor, Heather White-President, Elsa Sanabria-Vice President, Clarissa Cheney-Parlimentarian, Whitney Gallimore-Secretary, Saminta Hean-Public Relations



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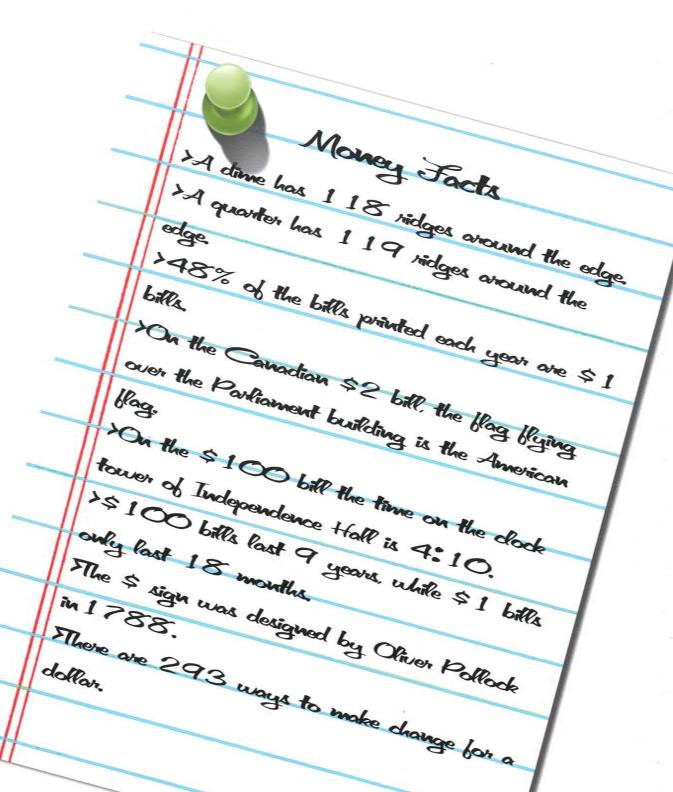
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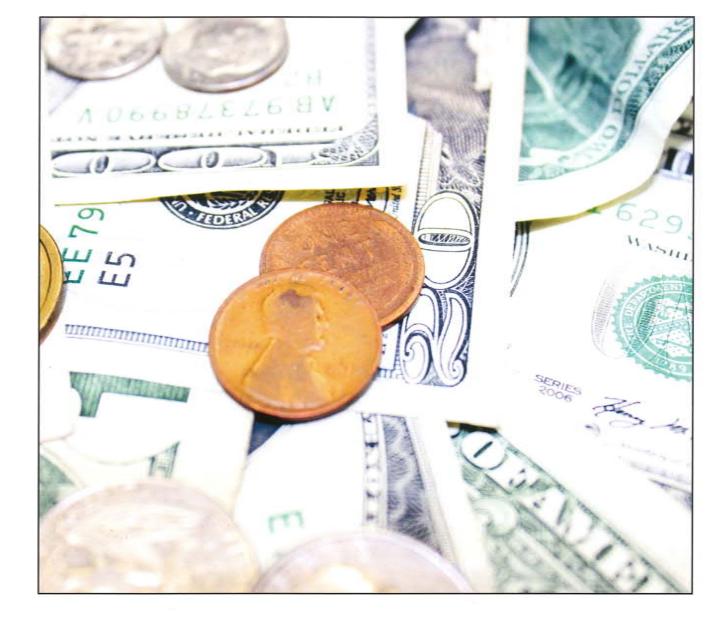
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## Lump Sum

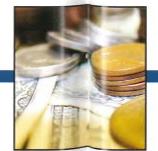




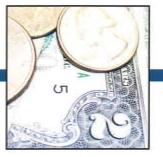




















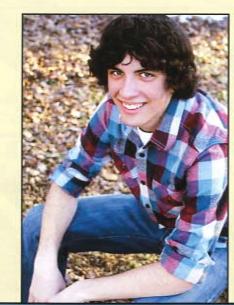
Dear Robby,

Roses are red. Violets are blue. God sends many blessings, And one of them was you!

With all our love,

Mama, Daddy, Kelly, & Kristina

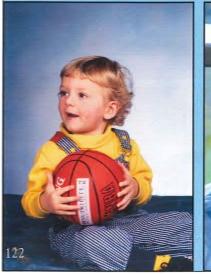
Jason:
Way to go!
Keep Jesus #1 always.
Love,
Mom, Dad, and Steve



### Jimmy,

We couldn't be prouder of you.

Love, your biggest fans, Dad, Mom, & Christian















Alex,

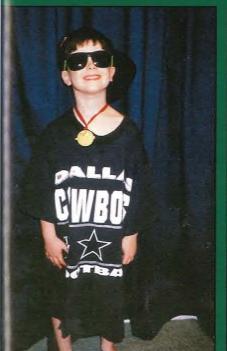
We are so proud of the young man you have become. God has blessed you with many special gifts that have brought our family great joy and wonderful memories. Keep drawing close to God and seeking His promised plan for your life (Jeremiah 29:11).

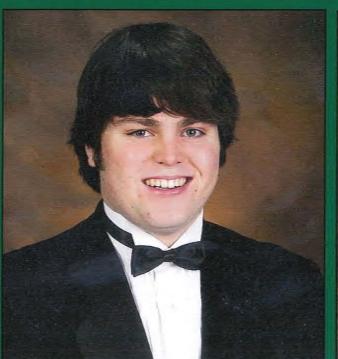
"There are no constraints on the human mind, no walls around the human spirit, no barriers to our progress except those we ourselves erect." Ronald Reagan

Pray hard, Study hard, Work hard, Play hard! Above all, Persevere!

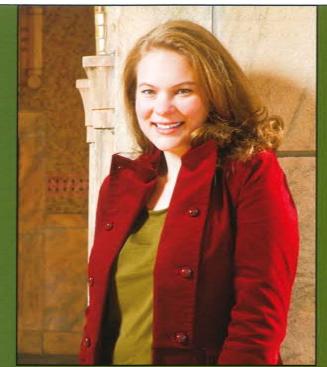
We Love You Always,

Mom & Dad, Victoria, Andrew, Caroline









Congratulations Chelsea!!
You have accomplished so much, and matured into a wonderful young woman.
May God continue to guide you.
We Love You!
Mom, Dad, and Christina

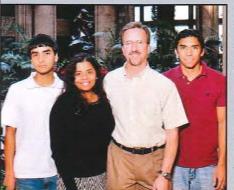
### Dear Alex,

We are so very, very proud of you. You are a very special young man and we know that you will go far and that you can do anything you want to. Our home will be very empty when you go to college, but remember...this is always your home and you will never leave our hearts.

We love you more than you will ever know.

### Mom and Dad

P.S. from Mom: "I'll love you forever, I'll like you for always. As long as I'm living, my baby you'll be."



Dearest Matthew,

Time's gone by so fast. It seems like just yesterday you were taking your first wobbly steps. Now, all of a sudden, you're taking confident strides down the aisle as a Senior, and we couldn't be prouder of how much you've accomplished.

Matthew, you've always had a loving, tender and fun-loving heart. Keep God there and that will never change.

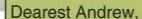
Remember, we love you very much and we will always be there for you.

Mom & Dad



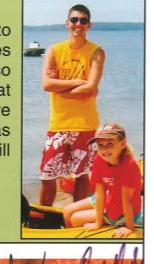




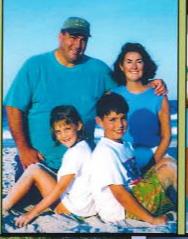


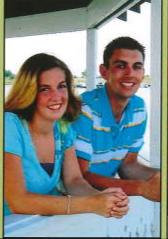
You have had so many interests growing up from Thomas trains to Durby for President 2028, and collections ranging from telephones and football cards to Southern Gospel Music. This has added so many interesting dimensions to your life and ours! You are a great traveling companion - always ready to go somewhere new and have a great adventure! We believe with all of our hearts that God has very special plans for your life; as you grow and live for him He will continue to unfold them for you.

With all of our love and prayers, Dad, Mom, Megan, Grandma & Pop-Pop









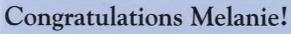








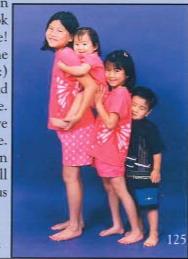






Wow, it doesn't seem like that long ago when we picked you up from FLAG camp and took you to FA to register...much to your surprise! I think the halls are still echoing from the screams of delight from Alex and Morgan:) We are so proud of your accomplishments and the talented young lady that you have become. We have enjoyed watching you grow....we know that God has special plans for your life. We hope that as you go on with your education and pursuing your life's goals, you will remember how much God loves you....and us

Love and hugs, Dad, Mom, Samantha, Michael, and Natalie



### Dakota Hines

Welcome to the next step in your life! You have everything it takes to succeed & an exciting adventure awaits you.

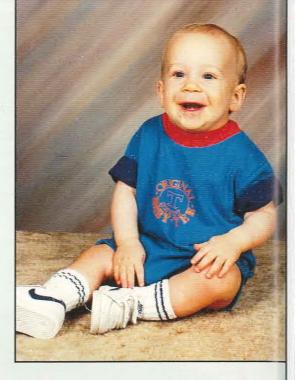
Be Brave! Be Strong! Be in Prayer...

And, then hang on because your heavenly Father has a perfect plan and you are just the guy He needs! With your many gifts and all the resources of heaven, big things are sure to happen.

I love you & I am proud of you. Mom







### Congratulations! (You still owe me for that cover-charge.) Joe



Dakota,

As you begin this new chapter in your life, I want you to know the pride you have given me for the past 18 years. It has been so much fun watching you grow and mature into the young man you are today. I wish the very best for you in the future and I know you will find success in whatever career you choose. I'm just so happy you decided not to be a dinosaur. God Bless You and I love you, Nana

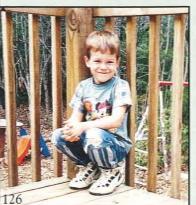
Dakota,

We are so proud of you! Time has gone so fast and you have grown into an amazing young man! We wish you all the best life has to offer!

Joshua 1:9 - Be strong and courageous. Do not be terrified; do not be discouraged, for the Lord you God will be with you wherever you go.

Love.

Uncle Nolan, Aunt Julie, Treston and Braeden



Dakota, my son,

It is time. Time for you to step up and show the world the man you have become. You truly can do wonders with the love you have in you. The world needs millions like you.

What you do with the time God blesses you with is a big responsibility. Take care to give thanks often, and respect our God.

Dakota, you are meant to do big things in your life. Love, Live, and Laugh a lot.

I will always love you,

Dad



We are so proud of you. We have watched you grow from a shy little boy to an outgoing, young man. There have been so many changes in your life that we have enjoyed going through with you. Thankfully, some things have not changed: your work ethic, care and compassion for people and animals, and your love for Christ. We know that you will do great and wonderful things in your lifetime because of the foundation you have built, your devotion to Christ and the love you have for others. This is the beginning of the rest of your life. Enjoy it, be proud of how hard you have worked and remember the times spent at Fletcher Academy. You may not look back but know that we will always be there for you.

Mom and Doug









My Son Chris,

You have completed your first step of your journey. Taking this journey with you has been awesome. I am very blessed to have been by your side. Now, as you embark on your next step I can only be at a distance. You have all the tools you need Christ. Through Him you will have the strength and knowledge to be successful. To be a strong Christian man. As you, I cannot wait for this step to begin. I challenge you to make your mark. To strengthen your walk with Christ. To know those are His footsteps in the sand. Now go, go be a soldier for Christ.

Dad (No, really GO!!)







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It has been such a privilege for the entire Yearbook Staff to work on the 2010-2011 book for Fletcher Academy. Our group of seven has gone through struggles, laughed together, and most importantly, we have come closer together as a team to create a wonderful book of this year's memories.



It has been a learning experience for all of us, since this is the first year any of us has had a part in creating a yearbook. We hope that you remember all the good times you've had, and enjoy looking through this book as much as we have enjoyed creating it.

### Coving to Greate





# Casting Impressions

It has been said that photography is 20% skill and 80% being in the right place at the right time. However, there are times when this previously mentioned "luck" doesn't really apply to some of the pictures Yearbook students have managed to take. Even though it can sometimes be aggravating when a picture is unusable, the Yearbook staff has still managed to have a couple of good laughs. So, in order to brighten up your day, here is this year's FAIL PAGE!



























