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LETTER FROM THE EDITOR: The Sum of Everyone Else

By Jacob Rodney



Here we are, friends. We came of age, we grew up, and we learned that we are everything and nothing. I'd like to believe that I've had a long lasting effect on everyone who's read these, but honestly, I have no idea. I like the idea that we will never really know all of the people we have affected. Your mom's coworker's brother-in-law's friend may be influenced by you, or they may not. You'll just never know.

Which brings me to the idea that we are all simply the sum of everyone else. It's probably been put into better words, but I will be the fool who butchers it. This theory suggests that every single person you've ever

encountered, known, talked to, stood beside, and seen has made you into the person you are today. Without them, you wouldn't have all the parts that are you. It should also be noted that each of us has this effect on other people, too. We introduce our friends, our lovers, our families, and everyone to little things that they might slowly adopt. I used to joke and pronounce "Au Revoir" (goodbye in French) as "reservoir," and my mom loved it so much, she started using it for a little while. I've seen one of my best friends subconsciously text just like their boyfriend after only a few weeks of dating. I've stolen phrases, hand gestures, weird dance moves, and a whole lot more from the people in my life. It's crazy to watch it happen because you don't notice it at first. Then, all of a sudden, your texts mirror your lover's.

We adapt and change and grow and that's what I've been screaming about in each of these letters. But the best part? We adapt and change and grow together. It can be sad because some of the people you've known are no longer in your life for you to keep learning from. Looking back, you can see the graves of all the dead relationships that sit buried in the cemetery of what once was. Goodbye, best friend from middle school. Goodbye, boyfriend from sophomore year. We are both happy to be rid of them and sad that it did not last forever like the bracelets from the beach said it would. Time for a Taylor Swift quote: "Said a prayer of gratitude for each chink in the armor she never knew she needed." The nausea-inducing conversations, the texts that made you cry, the drama you were swept into: were they all not just gashes that forced you to learn more about yourself? Some of it was unnecessary, but look at yourself now, especially my seniors. The glorious mess that you are. It's beautiful.

We've been together for the last 13 years, and now it's time to go off and do all of that growing and changing with people we have not yet encountered. It's exciting, it's terrifying, but it's everything we want, right? For someone to tap on the window of your bedroom and tell you to run away with them, and that school sucks and you were too good for all the bullies. I know I had that dream (thank you unrealistic media, lol). I'd been looking forward to graduation since about halfway through sophomore year. Now that it's so close, I don't know if I still want it. The comfort in knowing is so strong, and next year we won't know anything. At least for a little while. But know this as this school year ends and life goes on: you are not alone.

Underclassmen, you will look around you one day and see that it is the last month of your high school career. I am scared and nervous and excited and ready to make a thousand new memories. I think most of my classmates would agree with me. And as time inevitably passes, we will look back on the lawn of our past and see one headstone with that red and white tassel draped over it: North Hills High School.

Forever tapping on your window, Jacob Rockney



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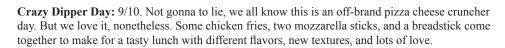


OpinionsWhat's Hot Lunch and What's Not Lunch

By Jacob Rodney
Most of us visit the school cafeteria at least once a day, whether it's for lunch, a vending machine snack, or a dixie cup of morning coffee that just hits different sometimes. Basically, we all know the cafeteria better than we should. I see y'all skipping class to get lunch (looking at you Livy G), simply because some of the lunches are just too good. I am here to rank them after four years of buying lunch, minus the year and a half when we had to scrounge for leftovers or scramble to make a PB&J before our next Zoom class started.

Pizza Cheese Crunchers: 1000/10. On the Senior Survey, basically everyone said that the pizza cheese crunchers were the superior school lunch. And it's true. Don't lie to yourself. You know you love them.

Chicken Tenders & Mashed Potatoes: 10/10. CAN WE GET THE BILL? PURR. Because this is a TOP TIER school lunch. We've got three hot, delicious chicken tenders with a side of mashed potatoes at a perfect consistency. I love this lunch with all of my heart. It never trips up, it constantly gives me what I need, and sometimes, they add the biscuit!



Penne Pasta with Garlic Toast: 8.5/10. I had to throw a .5 in here somewhere, and I believe this lunch deserves it. First off, penne noodles are the best type of pasta, so the lunch ladies get bonus points for that. The garlic toast may be soggy sometimes, but I appreciate the effort to bring some American-Italian cuisine to our school.

Macaroni & Cheese with a Breadstick: 8/10. Some people say this is a heavenly dish and will hate me for putting it at an 8. Others will riot and say that this is one of the worst school lunches to ever exist. But, here's my claim: the mac and cheese is not consistent. Some days it's excellent, delectable, EXQUISITE even. Other days, not so much. I think the inconsistency is what makes people wary of it.

Bacon Cheeseburger with Curly Fries: 7.35/10. Oddly specific, right? That's because it's better than the tomato soup but not quite at the macaroni and cheese standard. It's a solid middle man. This is a pretty good lunch, with lots of condiments to choose from and, of course, bacon! Plus, the fries are free, so... what more can we ask for in these trying times?

Tomato Soup & Grilled Cheese: 7/10. I stan the tomato soup and grilled cheese, so maybe I'm biased and this should be lower, but I think it has more to it than the others below. We're getting soup, people. I think that deserves some praise and definitely adds some *flair*. Is the soup mostly just hot water... yes. But the grilled cheese sandwiches are crispy and honestly, they just hit the spot. I could devour some of those right now.

Soft Beef Taco with Sweet, Buttery Corn: 6/10. Let's be honest, the corn saves this lunch. They weren't lying about the "sweet" and the "buttery." The soft beef taco has some room for improvement, as it's pretty much just mediocre meat and melted cheese in a soggy tortilla. It just doesn't have the pizzaz that some other school lunches have.

Big Daddy's Pizza: 5/10. We all miss Papa John's pizza, but this isn't a bad replacement. They have this everyday in the alternative line, though, so it feels like a cop-out.

Honorable Mention

Fries: No other fries can compare. These are some of the best fries to exist in the universe. I believe that with my entire heart. The school's fries have a grip on me that no other food will ever be able to replace.



Voices in the Hall

By Jacob Rodney

Prom '22 was last weekend, and it was pretty epic, if I do say so myself. I went around and asked some students (after 48 hours of relaxing and reliving the night) what they thought of the experience. Here's what they had to say about their "night under the stars":



"I had a lot of fun, but it felt like we could've gotten a lot more for the expensive ticket. The Hampton prom literally had a 3-course meal and a hypnotist.

It was cool that we were at Heinz Field, but it kind of felt like we got ripped off. I couldn't even find a seat to eat my food, so I had to stand at a table. The company is what really matters, though, so I had a good time." -Sadie Rick

"I thought it was really fun! I wish the dance floor had a little more room so

we weren't so crammed and sweaty. I thought the DJ did a good job of transitioning songs, but I can't say that I was super crazy about most of them. They had a good beat,



though!" -Jenny Snyder

"I thought the DJ wasn't great, but overall prom was a lot of fun and a great experience to end my high school career."

-Asher Harrington

The food was not good. The DJ could not



play a whole song to save his life. But overall, turning up on the dance floor with my friends was fun." -Kadence Harper

Reviews Qivia Roduigo: he Night of a lifeti Bu Cassie Catrain & Katie Catrain

We had the privilege of attending the Olivia Rodrigo concert on April 22nd in Cincinnati. The concert was at 8 p.m. on Friday night, and we traveled to the Andrew J. Brady Music Center at 11 a.m. to wait in line. There were about 300 people already there waiting when we arrived. Everyone had blankets, chairs, snacks, and pillows. It was very hot, so most people were enjoying the sun and listening to music or talking to friends. Everyone seemed so excited to see Miss Olivia Rodrigo, and we were so antsy for the doors to open. As the day went on, more people kept multiplying in the line for general admission. Also, throughout the day, people who worked at the music center were handing out free water and pizza.

They took care of everyone and made sure we were all hydrated and had the chance to eat. People traveled from all over the place to come and see Olivia; she sold out in a matter of minutes.

Once the clock struck 6:30 p.m., ev-

eryone was standing and ready to barrel through the doors. When we got into the pit, the crowd started to get more and more compact. The music center was very small for

how big of an artist she is, which you might've already heard about as she stated that she "didn't want to skip any steps." We were able to get super close to the stage, which

was really exciting. It wasn't until 8 p.m. that the opening act started, so in the meantime, more and more people were piling in. Everyone was

pushing to get drinks and they were trying to have their friends save spots for them, but it was so crowded that there wasn't really any space to save spots. Finally, the clock struck 8:00.

The opening act was Gracie Abrams. The crowd was pretty

> quiet until her last song, as it was the only song the crowd seemed to know. It's called "I miss you, I'm sorry," and we heard some people singing along. There were about 30 minutes in between acts, and a lot of people sat on the floor during the break (because of the exhaustion

from standing for so many hours). When Rodrigo came out, an introduction from One Direction played. Her first song was "brutal," and the crowd went crazy. Most

members of the audience were on their phones recording, dancing, and singing along. Rodrigo covered both "Complicated" by Avril Lavigne and "Seether" by Veru-

> ca Salt. The best song was "traitor," hands down. It was so heartfelt and when everyone was screaming their hearts out, it felt like we

were all connected. It was EV-ERYTHING her fans had hoped it would be. She did a mashup of "1 step forward, 3 steps back" and "enough for you," which was super cool. There weren't many costume changes, but Rodrigo started in a pink dress, and, right before "favorite crime," changed into a sparkly one.

Her last song of the night was "good 4 u." She kept repeating the bridge over and over again, causing so much angst and tension in the room. Right as the beat dropped after the bridge, confetti came pouring down, and it went absolutely everywhere. Honestly, we thought the confetti was butterfly shaped at first, but no, it was just purple and pink rectangles. Once the concert was over. we went outside and there was a fireworks display from the Cincinnati Reds baseball game. It was a magical night and an experience we'll never forget.

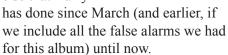






HARRY'S HOUSE! HAR-RY'S HOUSE! OMG! People, this is not a drill. When this issue comes

out, we will have listened to Sir Harry Styles' third studio album. But obviously we can't review an album that comes out the same day as our lovely Arrowhead. So, alas, we must review the era: the singles, the aesthetic, and everything else that Harry



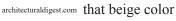
The era began when there were inside sources mentioning a new album from the 1D member (which lasted for what felt like years). There were casting calls, music video shooting sightings, and more. But still, no announcements. As we saw with his previous work, Harry loves a good random website, Instagram account, and Twitter page as an Easter egg. With this album, the You Are Home Instagram has been dropping pics behind half-opened doors since March 19th at exactly 12:02 pm every day. Some of the photos were stills from the "As It Was" music video, others were random objects and colors that didn't seem to have any purpose...yet. One even included a cropped version of the Eroda map from the "Adore You" music video. The Twitter page has been tweeting potential lyrics to some of the songs off Mr. Styles' album. Some of our personal faves are

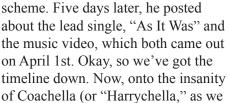
<u>Reviews</u> House

By Caitlyn Vance & Jacob Rodney

"where do the bubbles go?", "what happens in between colors?", and "every place you've ever been will never

> stay the same and neither will you." Some really deep stuff, and we are LIVING for it. Shortly after the Twitter and Instagram accounts appeared, Styles announced Harry's House. March 23rd was the day that everybody's stories included





stans like to call it). On the first night of the festival, Mr. Harry Edward Styles came out in a beautiful rainbow sparkly jumpsuit (perhaps the new infamous Fine Line suspender look for this era?). Styles'

special guest for this night was Shania Twain, one of his childhood idols. As well as "As It Was" and other hits (and two of Shania's), Styles debuted TWO NEW SONGS. The first was "Boyfriends," a heartbreaking ballad that he introduced with an equally sentimental



sentence. The second was "Late Night Talking": a fun, upbeat song, perfect for roller skating and allowing us to picture what life was like in the 70s. While being polar opposites, each song gave a beautiful peek into what Harry will be feeding us with on the glorious day that is May 20th, 2022. The tracklist was released on April 28th, but The Arrowhead articles were due April 29th, so here we are scrambling to claim songs and theorize about the sounds each one holds. "Satellite," "Little Freak," and "Music For A Sushi Restaurant" caught our attention immediately. Is there a connection between "Watermelon Sugar" and "Grapejuice," or are we reading too much into this? Will "Matilda" be based on the beloved Roald Dahl book? Is "Keep Driving" going to finally give us the other perspective on that infamous "Out of the Woods" bridge? Too many questions and not





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a small taste of Styles on his own, and Fine Line only solidified his presence in the music industry. May 20th can not come soon enough, but by the time you're reading this, it's already here. And never forget that you are home.



Features Senior Arrowhead Staff



13 staff members of *The Arrowhead* are GRADUATING this year! As sad as we are to see them go, we're so excited to see what they'll do next year and all the years afterwards. Here's a quick list of some random questions we came up with to ask them, and to be fair, the answers are pretty rivoting.



Name: Jacob Rodney Position on Staff: Editor-In-Chief Elementary School: Ross is Boss Fav. Arrowhead Issue: Lucky Issue High School Highlight: "When Mr. Hillegas waved at me yesterday" Biggest Fear: Birds

Dance Moms Mom You Most Relate To: Cathy, the weird one who shows

Public Enemy #1 In The Student Parking Lot: Jamie Neely Tbh From Staff: Tbh pink beanie is better than pink baseball cap



Name: Q Peters Position on Staff: Print and Media Editor

Elementary School: McIntyre Fav. Arrowhead Issue: Lucky Issue High School Highlight: When someone pushed me down the stairs because I reported them for cheating Biggest Fear: Thigh gaps Dance Moms Mom You Most Relate To: Christi

Public Enemy #1 In The Student Parking Lot: Myself Thh From Staff: Thh our grammar sucks so thank you



Name: Brynna Barbour Position on Staff: Public Relations Elementary School: Highcliff (you wish you had a treehouse) Fav. Arrowhead Issue: Lucky Issue High School Highlight: Dressing up as Ariel the day before the world shut

Biggest Fear: Golden Gooses... Dance Moms Mom You Most Relate To: Miss Holly, an icon Public Enemy #1 In The Student Parking Lot: Morgan McClurg because she won't let me hit her Tbh From Editors: Tbh the fits go hard



Name: Olivia Gorrell Position on Staff: Public Relations Elementary School: West View Fav. Arrowhead Issue: October Issue High School Highlight: Freshman vear semi-formal Biggest Fear: Jacob Rodney

Dance Moms Mom You Most Relate To: Holly

Public Enemy #1 In The Student Parking Lot: Aidan Borsh and Collin

Tbh From Editors: Tbh you're kinda hilarious but we don't vibe all the



Name: Jess Colicchie Position on Staff: Features Elementary School: Highcliff Fav. Arrowhead Issue: Lucky Issue High School Highlight: Falling in the 300 hurdles sophomore year and bawling my eyes out after Biggest Fear: Deers attacking me Dance Moms Mom You Most Relate To: Miss Queen Christi Public Enemy #1 In The Student Parking Lot: People who don't pull forward in the open spot in front of them (WHY??) Tbh From Editors: Tbh you're hold-

ing the features team together so...



Name: Briella Shevchik Position on Staff: PR team Elementary School: Highcliff Fav. Arrowhead Issue: 2014 Senior

High School Highlight: Skipping periods 1-3 and going to Walmart Biggest Fear: Spiders

Dance Moms Mom You Most Relate To: Christi

Public Enemy #1 In The Student Parking Lot: Julia Martin and her car that never starts

Tbh From Editors: Tbh you go to way too many outside school events. Is it like your job? No wenches on the weekends?

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Name: Morgan McClurg
Position on Staff: Entertainment
Elementary School: West View
Fav. Arrowhead Issue: Senior Issue
High School Highlight: Winning like
3 tennis matches ever

Biggest Fear: Escalators

Dance Moms Mom You Most Relate

To: Queen Kelly

Public Enemy #1 In The Student Parking Lot: Brynna Barbour because she purposely swerves to try to hit me

The From Editors: The you're iconic and we love the tea you spill in class



Name: Cassie Catrain
Position on Staff: Entertainment
Elementary School: Ross
Fav. Arrowhead Issue: Holiday Issue
High School Highlight: When Jacob
screamed after not getting off at the
right exit
Biggest Fear: Dying alone

Dance Moms Mom You Most Relate

To: Kelly

Public Enemy #1 In The Student

Parking Lot: Sadie Rick

Tbh From Editors: Tbh your Taylor/ Harry/Shawn/Olivia obsession is out of hand



Name: Jaden Nicholas Position on Staff: PR team Elementary School: Highcliff Fay. Arrowhead Issue: 2011 Senior

Issue

High School Highlight: Sophomore

year homecoming Biggest Fear: Thousand-Leggers Dance Moms Mom You Most Relate

To: Kelly

Public Enemy #1 In The Student Parking Lot: Chastity Richey (and the lei from the first football game hanging on her mirror)

Tbh From Editors: Tbh you're always working on the door. No

hobbies?



Name: Brady Trent Position on Staff: Face of the Sports

Elementary School: WV for life Fav. Arrowhead Issue: Lucky Issue High School Highlight: Ripping my pants in scatterball

Biggest Fear: Being alone

Dance Moms Mom You Most Relate

To: No clue

Public Enemy #1 In The Student Parking Lot: Everyone Tbh From Editors: Tbh, you're the sports team icon but your lack of knowledge of Dance Moms puts you

at the bottom of the pyramid



Name: Alex Smith Position on Staff: Sports Team Elementary School: McIntyre Fav. Arrowhead Issue: Lucky Issue High School Highlight: Senior Basketball Season

Biggest Fear: When a car is driving behind me for a long time

Dance Moms Mom You Most Relate To: Abby Lee

Public Enemy #1 In The Student Parking Lot: Alec Apodaca Tbh From Editors: Tbh we call you

"Alec" by accident a lot



Name: Alec Apodaca Position on Staff: NHTV Team Elementary School: Secilville, Highcliff

Fav. Arrowhead Issue: Fall 2018 High School Highlight: Watching Brady Metz eat a ghost pepper Biggest Fear: Going really far out in the ocean

Dance Moms Mom You Most Relate To: Cathy

Public Enemy #1 In The Student Parking Lot: Paul Weible Tbh From Editors: Tbh we fight but

you're kinda cool



Name: Aiden Tumpa Position on Staff: Sports Analyst Elementary School: West View

Fav. Arrowhead Issue: Lucky Issue

High School Highlight: Sophomore Homecoming

Biggest Fear: Spiders

Dance Moms Mom You Most Relate To: Kelly

Public Enemy #1 In The Student Parking Lot: The guy who says "good

morning" 1,000 times

Tbh From Editors: Tbh you're like never here but it's senior year so it's okay

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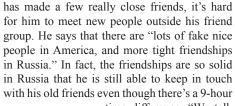
from Russia to Ross Township

By Samantha Smith

Starting a new school year fresh out of a pandemic was hard enough for all of us, right? Well, just imagine if you were not only brand

new to the school, but to the entire country. Meet Vladimir Deianov, one of North Hills' finest juniors.

Vladimir and his family moved to the United States at the beginning of August 2021. He speaks not one, not two, but THREE languages fluently: Russian, German, and English. The imperfections in the way Americans speak (slang, speed, and just bad grammar) caused a barrier that was a struggle for him when he first arrived. He says his other biggest challenge was making friends at North Hills. He states that while he



time difference. "We talk everyday," he says.

After school, Vladimir finds himself at BJ's Wholesale Club running the cash register. His goto snacks are blueberries, green tea, and Activia yogurt. If you're wondering how to dress to impress like my dear friend Vladimir, then Nordstrom Rack is the place to go. After you shop at Nordstrom Rack, you can get a fine meal at Vladimir's favorite place to eat: Paida! When asked about food here versus in Russia, he says that "[the] meat is better here than in Russia, and I love meat, but [I] hate fish."

I asked Vladimir which he prefers, living in Russia or America: "The quality of life here is better, but there's a lot of fake nice people." He misses the connections he was able to make with other people in his home country. School also looks a little different back in Russia. He had twenty-one classes, and they studied on Saturdays! So, he enjoys having that extra day off in the week. Vladimir's absolute favorite thing about the United States is being able to drive at sixteen. In Russia, the driving age is eighteen.

Even in his short time at North Hills, Valamir has already made a name for himself. He recently was awarded a "NH Proud" award from Herr Deible for displaying leadership within the German classes and extracurricular activities. Herr Deible also added that Vladimir is more advanced in German than most other students at his age, which gives him the opportunity to tutor and help students taking the language.

We wish Vladimir all the best for the rest of the school year! He's already done incredible things within the North Hills community, and we know he'll go on to do greater things in the future. We're happy to have you here!



Retiring Teachers' Last Remarks

By Briella Shevchik & Jaden Nicholas

Why did you choose to teach history?

Mrs. Smyers: "A lot of it came from the fact that my parents and grandparents, because I'm a first generation immigrant, came from all over the world and were always telling stories about what it was like in other parts of the world."

Mrs. Burnett: "It was my favorite subject in school. I had a 7th grade teacher who taught ancient history, and that's when [I] found [my] love for history."

What made you decide to be a teacher?

Mrs. Smyers: "It's the family business for me." Mrs. Burnett: "For me, I was one of the first in my family to go to college, and I really wanted to be a Home Economics teacher. But I went to the wrong college, so history found its way to me."

What's your favorite time period to teach?

Mrs. Smyers: "I like teaching immigration because of my personal point of view, but I always find things to enjoy in each time period I teach."

Mrs. Burnett: "I love to teach World War Two because I had family members who served, and I always try to share their stories to make it more relatable for my students."

What would you have done if you didn't teach?

Mrs. Smyers: "In the 1950s, when we were born, there were not a whole lot of options, so I don't know, exactly."

Mrs. Burnett: "I would have been a stay-at-Page 8 home mom because there were not many options for us as women."

What's the craziest thing you've had to deal with?

Mrs. Smyers: "I remember being in a class-room during 9/11, along with dealing with Covid and everything as we knew it changing." Mrs. Burnett: "I think Covid sticks out in my mind because of how long I have been teaching, so switching to all online was hard."

What are you looking forward to most in retirement?

Mrs. Smyers: "I love to read. I never get to read for fun as much as I like to. [Also], travel if I can, and spend time with my grandchildren."

Mrs. Burnett: "No school work and spending time with my family."

What's the most rewarding thing about teaching?

Mrs. Smyers: "When I get to watch my students have an 'Oh, I got it!' moment, along with learning from them."

Mrs. Burnett: "When [students] can tell you're having a bad day, and they will come up to you after class to make sure you're all right."

What event did you most enjoy chaperoning and why?

Mrs. Smyers: "Way back when, when my son played 9th grade football, I videoed all the games so that they could watch [the] film. I also got to take 9th graders to Broadway to watch 1776."

Mrs. Burnett: "I got to take kids to Italy, and it was a fabulous time when we went."

What advice would you like to give the graduating class of 2022?

Mrs. Smyers: "Don't forget about where you came from.Also, life has changed in the past two years, and we must get back to our social skills. Lastly, always focus on improving yourself."

Mrs. Burnett: "Work hard, remember where you came from and where you have to return to, and enjoy the roads in between."

Thank you to Mrs. Smyers and Mrs. Burnett for their combined 50 years (each 25 years) of love for teaching at North Hills. Our school is forever touched by your skills and kindness, and we as North Hills High School wish you nothing but the best in your retirement!



Features * Marching For THE Magic

By Samantha Smith

Over spring break, the North Hills Music Department took 150 musicians to Disney.

Day 1:

Our first official stop on our trip was a Golden Corral in Orlando, Florida. After we were done devouring the entire restaurant, we packed back into our charter buses and departed for Typhoon Lagoon Water Park. It was so nice and warm there, especially after being on a bus for so long. The wave pool was the best part of the park in my opinion; however, I did lose my sunglasses and had to buy a new pair for \$25. After the water park, we traveled to Epcot. Compared to all the other parks, Epcot was disappointing. It was just not as fun. My favorite ride there was Soarin', and I enjoyed walking around the countries. I even got the chance to try fish and chips for the first time! 10/10, would recommend. At the end of the night, there was a fireworks show and something caught on fire. No one was hurt, but it was definitely the highlight of the night. Watching the cast members rush to put it out was certainly a unique experience. Now, the hotel was super nice. I had never stayed at an Embassy Suites before, but this fully exceeded my expectations. It was perfect for a room full of five girls! Needless to say, we all fell asleep as soon as our heads hit the pillows.

Day 2:

The second day was arguably the best day of the entire trip. We woke up and had the amazing hotel breakfast, and soon, we were on our way to Magic Kingdom. After traveling via monorail to the gates, we got to see all of the beloved Disney characters: Mickey, Donald, Daisy, Chip, Dale, and

my personal favorite, Minnie! For lunch, my friend and I decided to just check out a small stand. I got a Mickey pretzel, a churro, and a frozen Coke (which you definitely need to try- it was so good). Before we knew it, it was time to line up for the parade. We all met up and walked to the backstage area

to warm up. The parade itself went by in a flash. At one point in the majorette routine, we got to turn around, and it was such a surreal moment seeing the marching band marching with the castle in the background. It's one of those things I'll tell my kids about one day. It wasn't until we were out of the park and walking back down to the pavilion that I felt the immense heat and tiredness sweep over me, but I didn't care, because we had just done something amazing. We all changed and went back into the park to enjoy the rest of the night. My favorite rides at Magic Kingdom were Space Mountain and Splash Mountain, both classics that we were lucky enough to get Genie Plus reservations for. We saw yet another amazing fireworks show in the evening and took the ferry back to our buses.

Day 3:

The day of the orchestra and choir performances! They were both AMAZING! The orchestra was up first in Disney Springs, and they played a truly incredible concert. I enjoyed every second of it. After that, we

> had some free time to walk around. Naturally, I went straight to the gift shop, where I spent an embarrassing amount of money. But it's okay, because it's Disney, right? Next up was the choir performance, which was also spectacular! Then, we went to Hollywood Studios where my friends and I stopped at a small stand to eat. We got s'mores cupcakes, which were kind of disappointing (smh). My favorite ride in Hollywood Studios was the Rock 'n' Roller Coaster. Overall, Hollywood Studios was so fun, and it easily



made the top of my list of parks!

Day 4:

Our last day in Disney was spent at Disney's Animal Kingdom. There was a stand that had the most AMAZING pulled pork mac and cheese that I have ever tasted. Later in the day, we went to Yak and Yeti, and it did not disappoint! They have delicious chicken lo mein there. My friends and I waited in line for an hour and a half to ride Avatar Flight of Passage, and boy, was it worth it! If you ever find yourself in Animal Kingdom, do yourself a favor and get on that ride. Finally, we all made our way to the Tree of Life for a huge music department picture. After walking to the buses, we circled up and took in the last moments together in Disney. Before we knew it, we were on our way back to Pittsburgh.

Day 5:

The last official day of our trip :(We woke up at the crack of dawn for everyone's favorite restaurant, Cracker Barrel. I bought a pair of mushroom salt and pepper shakers and a squishmallow (as if I didn't spend enough money on this trip already). Although it was an amazing time, I think everyone can attest that by that point, we were ready to go home.

Overall, the trip was an amazing experience. The music department learned how to not only travel together, but to live together, as well. Marching down Main Street and performing in Disney Springs was only a fraction of what we were able to accomplish. As a junior going into my senior year, I can confidently say I am excited and very optimistic to travel again with the music department next year!

Sports

SENIOR ATHLETE COMMITS

By Maddie Hummel & Gabby Sole



Devin Burgess Basketball John Carroll University



Kameryn Nelson Soccer Wooster College



Owen Pastorius Swimming Hiram College



Matt Seidl Basketball Washington & Jefferson College



Abby Scheller Softball University of Akron



Maddie Mahoney Swimming Youngstown State University



CJ Walls Football Muskingum College



Cailyn Lucas Softball Chatham University



Connor Radecki Lacrosse La Roche University



Liam Tracey Football John Carroll University



Sophia Roncone Softball Holy Cross University



Nikolai Kunsak Lacrosse Thiel College



Robert Dickerson Football Robert Morris University



Cassandra Fonzi Softball La Roche University



Matt Edlinger Lacrosse Thiel College



Maddie Lyon Soccer Carlow University



Maria Chutko Softball Oberlin University



Mya Bolinda Lacrosse Washington & Jefferson College

Bill Folmer

Track



Sarah Folmer Soccer University of Pittsburgh at Greensburg

Maria Veiga

Soccer

University of

Pittsburgh at

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Kassidy Wittig Softball Seton Hill University



California University of Pennsylvania Alec Apodaca



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Kyra Blauth Softball Washington & Jefferson College



Alec Apodaca
Track and
Football
University of
Mount Union

Sports

A Year In Review By Brady Trent

As the 2021-2022 school year comes to an end, let's take a look at the sports teams this year and how they did in their respective seasons. This is specifically how I, Brady Trent, feel they did based on my own opinions.

Girls Volleyball: The girls volleyball team came into the year with five seniors looking to compete in a tough section while having an all-section honorable mention. The team finished with a 3-11 overall record and 2-9 section record. Hopefully, they'll rebound next time after this underwhelming season.

Boys Volleyball: This squad has struggled a little this season; they are 1-10 overall and 1-8 in section. However, this team is very young with no seniors, so they'll definitely rebound next season as they grow and develop better chemistry.

Boys Soccer: The boys soccer team definitely did not have the season anyone expected or wanted. They finished 2-13 and 0-12 in section. The bright side to this year is that the team is full of lots of young players and are only losing two seniors. So, they have lots of time in the future to capture wins.

Girls Soccer: The girls soccer team had four commits to college, but as the girls went into their last dance, they finished 6-12 in section. While having an underwhelming section record at 3-7, they did end up sneaking into the playoffs. They lost to Norwin (5-0) and just like that, an almost-Cinderella story got smashed like that poor pumpkin carriage.

Golf: The golf team unfortunately went winless this year with 0-11 and 0-8 in section. This sets up a fresh start next season in hopes to rebuild and rebound

Girls Tennis: The girls tennis team struggled this season, maintaining a 2-12 overall and 0-8 in section. As they

RECESS ROUND-UP

By Brady Trent

Almost every kid that went to any elementary school knows that their favorite part of the day was recess. I asked a group of seniors from each elementary school in the school district which game was the best to play during the short time we were released to get some fresh air. The options were football, foursquare, moss, basketball, freeze tag, and kickball.

are losing four seniors, they hope to find the other side over .500 next season.

Boys Tennis: The boys tennis team sits at 1-8 and 0-5 in section. Things do not look too hot for them on the outside. But, if you look closely, you'll see the power duo this squad has as they move to WPIAL doubles.

Football: The main focus of North Hills sports is this team right here. With several commits, the boys were ready to make a deep run this season and started off red hot. They finished with a 6-4 overall record and a spectacular 4-1 section record (with a big win over Pine Richland). However, this team couldn't keep the fire they had in the regular season as they lost in the first round of playoffs in a nail-biting loss to Peters Township, who then went deep into the playoffs. While the football team didn't get past the first round, they did have nine all-section players and four honorable mentions.

Wrestling: This team was an interesting one, to say the least. While the record isn't there, as the overall record was 2-6 and 1-2 in section, this by no means shows the level of this team. They had five wrestlers make it to the 3A WPI-AL championships.

Girls Basketball: With no seniors on the squad this year, the team tried to build chemistry and athleticism for the future with their juniors and sophomores. Despite the 1-19 overall record and 0-12 conference record, the future of this team seems bright.

Boys Basketball: You've probably already heard about this historical season. This year's boys squad, although they failed to win the WPIAL championship, went undefeated 23-0 and 12-0 in section. The four seniors balled out for this team, and, as the page turns, we'll be waiting to see how the team rebounds from losing

almost their entire starting lineup.

Swimming and Diving: The swimming team is similar to the wrestling team in that the records do not reveal their full potential. As they went 4-6 overall and 1-3 in section, this team was not made by records, but several people went on to compete in WPIALs (and then two competed at States!).

Boys LAX: The boys LAX squad is currently sitting at 7-5 overall and a 4-3 section record. The team has had its ups and downs this season, but they're sure to catch some heat in their next six games and want to pursue a playoff run this year.

Girls LAX: Girls LAX is in a similar boat as the boys; however, they're a little lower in the ranks as they stand at 5-6 overall and 3-6 section record. They also have six games left, wanting to get to .500 in the section.

Baseball: This team is having one of the most heartbreaking seasons this year. They are sitting at 5-7 overall and 2-6 in section and are hoping to catch fire and finish above .500. While the record is what it is, it does not tell the whole story. The team constantly fights to win every game, and stays in each game up until the 7th inning. Now, getting above that .500 mark is crucial to set this team up next year for their revenge tour.

Softball: What can you really say about this team that hasn't already been said? These girls came into this season trying to defend their WPIAL championship win and they 100% did. They stand with an amazing 10-1 overall record and 8-1 in section record. Some might say they are better this year than they were last year due to the young additions to this team and the leadership of the seniors. The question is, can they repeat last year and perhaps get that state championship?

Ross	West View	McIntyre	Highcliff	
Foursquare: 47%	Football: 69%	Freeze Tag: 47%	Foursquare: 66%	
Football: 31%	Foursquare: 7%	Kickball: 26%	Basketball: 16%	
Moss: 5%	Moss: 7%	Foursquare: 15%	Freeze Tag: 16%	
Basketball: 5%	Freeze Tag: 7%	Football: 10%	Football: 0%	
Freeze Tag: 5%	Basketball: 0%	Moss: 10%	Moss: 0%	
Kickball: 5%	Kickball: 0%	Basketball: 10%	Kickball: 0%	

* THE WORLD SINCE By Brynna Barbour

Kindergarten 2009-2010:

Songs we were listening to (but probably shouldn't have been): "Boom Boom Pow" by The Black Eyed Peas, "Poker Face" by Lady Gaga, "Love Story" by Taylor Swift

Our top movies: Up, Monsters vs. Aliens, Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs Our hottest TV shows: Phineas and Ferb, Kim Possible, The Fairly Odd Parents

Average price of gas: \$1.99

Pop culture: Kanye interrupts Taylor Swift at the 2009 VMAs, :O / Obama is sworn in as the 44th President of the U.S. / Michael Jackson dies



Third Grade 2012-2013:

Songs we were listening to (but probably shouldn't have been): "Somebody That I Used to Know" Gotye ft. Kimbra, "Call Me Maybe" by Carly Rae Jepsen, "We Are Young" by Fun ft. Janelle Monae

Our top movies: Madagascar 3: Europe's Most Wanted, Brave, Wreck-It Ralph

Our hottest TV shows: *Gravity Falls, iCarly, Victorious*

Average price of gas: \$2.75

Pop culture: PSY hit us with "Gangnam Style" / The Boston Marathon bombing happens / Justin Bieber and Selena Gomez break up, devastating tweens everywhere



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First Grade 2010-2011:

Songs we were listening to (but probably shouldn't have been): "Tik Tok" by Ke\$ha, "Hey, Soul Sister" by Train, "Airplanes" by B.o.B ft. Hayley Williams Our top movies: *Toy Story 3, Despicable Me, Tangled*

Our hottest TV shows: Adventure Time, Danny Phantom, Ben 10

Average price of gas: \$2.43

Pop culture: Lady Gaga wears a meat dress at the MTV Music Awards (no one expected that!) / Kate Middleton and Prince William get engaged / The iPad is released and provides the fuel needed to start a generation of iPad kids



Fourth Grade 2013-2014:

Songs we were listening to (but probably shouldn't have been): "Thrift Shop" by Macklemore & Ryan Lewis ft. Wanz, "Radioactive" by Imagine Dragons, "Counting Stars" by OneRepublic

Our top movies: Despicable Me 2, Frozen, Monsters University

Our hottest TV shows: Austin and Ally, Shake It Up, Good Luck Charlie

Average price of gas: \$2.83

Pop culture: The Harlem Shake comes out and people from every walk of life participate in the iconic trend / Kimye gets married / The cup song from *Pitch Perfect* ruins plastic cups around the nation

Second Grade 2011-2012:

Songs we were listening to (but probably shouldn't have been): "Rolling in the Deep" by Adele, "Party Rock Anthem" by LMFAO, "Firework" by Katy Perry

Our top movies: Cars 2, Kung Fu Panda 2, The Smurfs

Our hottest TV shows: The Amazing World of Gumball, A.N.T. Farm, Drake and Josh

Average price of gas: \$2.66

Pop culture: The Harry Potter franchise ends after 10 years / The Royal Wedding occurs / Beyoncé announces she is pregnant (we love a pregnant BeyoncéTM moment)



Fifth Grade 2014-2015:

Songs we were listening to (but probably shouldn't have been): "Happy" by Pharrell Williams, "All of Me" by John Legend, "Fancy" by Iggy Azalea ft. Charli XCX

Our top movies: Guardians of the Galaxy, The Hunger Games: Mockingjay - Part 1, The Lego Movie

Our hottest TV shows: Jessie, Girl Meets World, Star Wars Rebels

Average price of gas: \$1.70

Pop culture: Beloved actor Robin Williams dies at 63 years old / Malaysia Airlines flight 370 disappears / The ALS Ice Bucket Challenge is in FINE form



Kindergarten



& Olivia Gorrel

Sixth Grade 2015-2016:

Songs we were listening to (but probably shouldn't have been): "Uptown Funk" by Mark Ronson ft. Bruno Mars, "See You Again" by Wiz Khalifa ft. Charlie Puth, "Shut Up and Dance" by Walk the Moon

Our top movies: *Inside Out, Star Wars: Episode VII - The Force Awakens, Avengers: Age of Ultron*

Our hottest TV shows: K.C. Undercover, Liv and Maddie, Miraculous Ladybug

Average price of gas: \$1.26

Pop culture: "Hotline Bling" has a grip on every 12-year-old / The infamous dress debate tears families and friendships apart (it was black and blue) / *Hamilton* takes Broadway by storm



Ninth Grade 2018-2019:

Songs we'll never forget: "God's Plan" by Drake, "Perfect" by Ed Sheeran, "Havana" by Camila Cabello ft. Young Thug **Our top movies:** *Black Panther, Avengers: Infinity War, Incredibles 2*

Our hottest TV shows: Insatiable, Chilling Adventures of Sabrina, You

Average price of gas: \$1.42

Pop culture: The Tide Pod challenge goes viral / Cardi B throws a shoe at Nicki Minaj / The Walmart yodel boy goes viral and is now more successful than we'll ever be (get that bag, Mason Ramsey)





Seventh Grade 2016-2017:

Songs that we made our entire personality: "Sorry" by Justin Beiber, "One Dance" by Drake ft. Wizkid & Kyla, "Stressed Out" by Twenty One Pilots Our top movies: Finding Dory, Captain

America: Civil War, La La Land
Our hottest TV shows: Stranger Things,

Our hottest TV shows: Stranger Things Glee, Bizzardvark

Average price of gas: \$1.54

Pop culture: *Stranger Things* debuts (and so does the notorious Christmas light wall) / Trump vs. Clinton becomes the most controversial presidential campaign / Prince Harry starts dating Meghan Markle



Tenth Grade 2019-2020:

Songs we'll never forget: "Old Town Road" by Lil Nas X ft. Billy Ray Cyrus, "Sunflower" by Post Malone & Swae Lee, "Without Me" by Halsey

Our top movies: Avengers: Endgame, The Lion King (live action), Frozen II

Our hottest TV shows: High School Musical: The Musical: The Series, The Umbrella Academy, The Mandalorian

Average price of gas: \$1.71

Pop culture: The Area 51 raid / *Cats* is released and scars us all / COVID (need we say more?)

Songs we'll never forget: "Levitating" by Dua Lipa, "Save Your Tears" by The Weeknd & Ariana Grande, "good 4 u" by Olivia Rodrigo

Our top movies: Spider-Man: No Way Home, Shang-Chi and the Legend of the Ten Rings, Sing 2

Our hottest TV shows: Euphoria, Wanda-Vision, Squid Game

Eighth Grade 2017-2018:

Songs that we made our entire personality: "Shape of You" by Ed Sheeran, "Something Just Like This" by The Chainsmokers & Coldplay, "Despacito (Remix)" by Luis Fonsi & Daddy Yankee ft. Justin Bieber

Our top movies: Star Wars: Episode VIII-The Last Jedi, Spiderman: Homecoming, It Our hottest TV shows: Riverdale, 13 Reasons Why, The Vampire Diaries

Average price of gas: \$1.69

Pop culture: Taylor Swift lashes back at the media (and Kanye) with her music video for "Look What You Made Me Do" / Kendall Jenner's life-saving Pepsi commercial airs / The #MeToo movement gains popularity



Eleventh Grade 2020-2021:

Songs we'll never forget: "Blinding Lights" by the Weeknd, "Don't Start Now" by Dua Lipa, "Circles" by Post Malone **Our top movies:** *Jumanji: The Next Level, Trolls: World Tour, Sonic the Hedgehog*

Our hottest TV shows: Tiger King, Love Victor, I Am Not Okay With This

Average price of gas: \$1.32

Pop culture: Harry Styles wears a dress on the cover of Vogue / Prince Harry and Meghan Markle give us the BTS with Oprah / Billie Eilish debuts her blonde hair and breaks the internet



Average price of gas: \$2.34 (now \$4.16) Pop culture: #FreeBritney is finally fulfilled and we couldn't be happier / Kanye and Pete Davidson beef on main / Robert Pattinson relives his *Twilight* days with *The Batman*

NHHS MISERY IS...

By Morgan McClure

- 1. Disrupting a photo shoot in the girls bathroom
- 2. People not walking on the right side of the hallway
- 3. Having to walk as slow as humanly possible behind a horizontal line of three or more people, meaning you can't cut in front of them
- 4. Stopping in the middle of the hallway to have a meeting of the minds
- 5. Kissing in the hallway (There are TOO. MANY. GERMS.)
- 6. When the WiFi doesn't work
- 7. Watching a video and having to do a worksheet on it
- 8. The hard, stale breadsticks in 8th period lunch
- 9. When there's no tissues to be found so you have to use a scratchy paper towel
- 10. When nothing that was on the review sheet is on the test
- 11. The student parking lot from 2:00pm-2:15pm
- 12. Not being able to open your locker (We've been doing this since 7th grade. And yet here we are, on attempt number five of twisting that lock. Your thumbs are numb, tears are filling your eyes, your vision is blurry. You realize you're going to need to

- ask a random teacher you've never seen before for a key, and you feel as if you're going to faint. All you want is your jacket. That's it. Is that too much to ask for?)
- 13. People who are not your friends telling you a little too much information about their lives that you just don't care about
- 14. Being chosen to read out loud when you didn't volunteer to
- 15. People looking back while walking as if you're following them
- 16. Rulers??? (Recently found out I don't know how to use one)
- 17. Getting called on when you didn't raise your hand
- 18. Working on a project with an ex-friend and it's really awkward
- 19. Waiting in line to use the bathroom, then watching like four people walk out of one singular stall
- 20. Staying up all night doing a homework assignment and it ending up not being a lot of points
- 21. Getting stuffed into the middle school annex for a pep rally you didn't know was happening
- 22. Notability getting deleted on a random Tuesday morning and all of your worksheets, homework, and projects being lost to the mad, mad world of iCloud

Senior Bequeathals

- I, Jacob Rodney, bequeath my fluency in French after one year to Kassidy Yuzon.
 - I, Q Peters, bequeath my napping spot in Ms. Sarazen's office to Emma Hopf.
 - I, Cassie Catrain, bequeath my awful parking skills to Andrea Ferris.
- I, Brady Trent, bequeath my hard work on the sports team to Maddie Hummel.
 - I, Brynna Barbour, bequeath my Instagram story skills to Sammy Smith.
- I, Jaden Nicholas, bequeath being the most emotional person in the senior class to Taylor Mahoney.
- I, Olivia Gorrell, bequeath my two parking spots in the back of the student parking lot to Giana Cutenese.
 - I, Kallie Polaski, bequeath my Harry Styles obsession to Caitlyn Vance.
 - I, Gianna Smerilli, bequeath my knowledge of not being late to class to Dailyn Dickman.
 - I, Marisa Napolitano, bequeath my Grinch (Jim Carrey version) obsession to Tyler Muller.
 - I, Maddie Casella, bequeath my post-musical sadness to Felicity Ross.
 - I, Morgan McClurg, bequeath the title of "Least Favorite Tennis Player" to Veronica Sciulli.
 - I, Emma Kim, bequeath the title of "Favorite Tennis Player" to Veronica Sciulli.
 - I. Jamie Neely, bequeath my struggles in math to Emily Ammer.
- I, Eden Anderson, bequeath the basement girls bathroom with the full body fit check mirror to Madelyn Quolke.
 - I, Sabastian Pike, bequeath the man bun to Walter Vitovich.
 - I, Zach Zibikowski, bequeath my pottery skills to Vladimir Deianov.
 - I, Cassidy Tony, bequeath my drip to Connor McCarthy.
 - I. Aidan Borsh, bequeath my Sheetz runs to Caitlyn Streza.
 - I, Ben Knouff, bequeath my hunky beanies to Elena Ademia.
 - I, Colton Bozagan, bequeath my squatted truck to Blake Meinert.
 - I, Caden Richter, bequeath my mechanic skills to Frank Tome.

Entertainment Oh the places you'll go! By a Peters

University of Pittsburgh

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Kaylee Reid (Business)

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Brenton Perkins (Secondary Education Social Studies)

Carnegie Mellon University

Emma Kim (Chemical Engineering and Bio-

chemical Engineering)

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Mya Bolinda (Undecided) **Duquesne University** Ally Kraus (Biological Sciences)

Melea Johnson (Social Work and Criminology)

Kent State University

Harrison Miller (Architecture) Matt Schutzman (Mechatronics Engineering)

Hiram College

ment & Communications)

Baldwin Wallace University

Education)

versity

Disabilities)

Maddie Casella (Communication Sciences & Disorders)

Michigan State Uni-

Madison Taylor (Special

Education & Learning

Lydia Kutzer (Biomedical Engineering and Nursing) Emily Herzog (Business)

Matthew Kulka (Finance) Maxwell Kazmierczak (Nursing) Therese Grande (Undecided)

Chris Copp (Pharmacy)

Tibo Roy (Business)

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Maddie Lyon (Pediatric Oncology) Gianna Dunn (Criminal Profiling)

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Robert Morris University Tatum Zwick (Nursing)

Robert Dickerson (Media Arts)

La Roche University Conner Radecki (Math Education)

Cassandra Fonzi (Health & Exercise Science)

Seton Hill University

Kassidy Wittig (Nutrition & Dietetics)

Morgan Ross (Elementary & Special Education)

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Reese Bricker (Physician's Assistant/Biology)

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Grace Pusateri (Cosmetology)

Youngstown State University

Connor Farrar (Emerging Media

& Technology)

Owen Pastorious (Sports Manage- Sciences & Disorders)

Kallie Polaski (Secondary English tistry)

Beth Satariano (Vocal Perfor-

mance)

University of Akron

Abby Scheller (Early & Special Education)

College of Wooster

Kameryn Nelson (Undecided)

Ohio University

Grant Mandell (Biopsychol-

Ohio State University

Elli Topnick (Communication

University of Dayton

Eden Anderson (Pre-Den-

John Carroll University

Devin Burgess (Finance) Oberlin College

Maria Chutko (Political Science and Environmental

Studies)

Lauren McCarthy

Notre Dame University

(Chemical Engineering)

West Virginia University

Olivia Gorrell (Agribusiness Management)

Briella Shevchik (Political Science) Aidan Borsh (Forensic Examiner) Caitlin Maiette (Psychology) Mya Delost (Nursing)

Florida State University

Mack Wiseman (Art History) **Nova Southeastern University**

Mia Simpson (Psychology)

Fort Lewis College

Hannah Cloonan (Adventure Education)

University of Mississippi Bella Bell (Pharmacy)

Syracuse University

Odette Sherk (Marketing Management) **Hofstra University**

Drama)

Q Peters (Forensic Psychology and

Jessica Colicchie (Psychology and Justice & Law)

American University

Workforce

Autumn Adamiak

Mason Brown (Electrician, Coal City

Contracting)

Alexis Garvey (Licensed Cosmetologist) Allyson Bauer (Veterinary Technician) Andrew Szymczak (Sheet Metal Workers

US Marine Corps

Luke Brown (Combat Engineering)

Military

Gabriel Newton

Gap Year: Vivian Lipchak (Dermatology) 4-year college/university: Nina Carter

(Art)

4-year college/university: Jeremy Lange

(Engineering or Physics)

By Jess Colicchie & Morgan McClurg

Everyone says "this summer is going to be the best summer yet!" every year. But c'mon. We all know that it never turns out like we want it to, especially within the last two years. But with COVID slowing down, we have a feeling that this summer is going to be significantly better, especially for us seniors (sorry, underclassmen). We feel like it's always been a tradition for seniors to go on a "senior trip" with all their friends before they take the next step in their life, so let's see where everyone's going and what the vibe is for this exciting season.

We asked a bunch of seniors where they were planning on going, and to be honest, the responses were LAME. Y'all are so boring. It's SUMMER! Do you just wanna sit around all day and do nothing? Go have fun! Anyways, here's the responses we got (even though they weren't giving):

Ocean City, Maryland- So far, we only know of one group that's slumming it and going to Ocean City. We really thought there'd be more, because we thought EVERYONE went there. The stuff to do there is pretty typical of a summer vaca: the beach (obviously), the boardwalk, shopping, museums, amusement parks, etc. However, we've heard very questionable things about how clean it is, so try to do some searching for nicer

houses. It's a hotspot for seniors, so you'll definitely have to watch out for opposing friend groups if you're going there (if you know, you know).

Erie, Pennsylvania- If you're traveling on a budget with a group of friends, this is the place to go. It's only two hours away, making the drive nice, easy, and most importantly, quick. You could even make it a day trip if you wanted. There's lots to do, such as going to the lake, tanning, hiking, and spending some time at the zoo, museums, or restaurants, etc. Also, there are pretty inexpensive hotels near the bay if you're staying a couple nights. Overall, this option is the best if you want to travel on the cheaper side.

New York City, New York- This isn't the typical place for seniors to go on a senior trip, but we personally love New York City. Besides the filth, it's a beautiful city with so much to do. It's only about six hours

from here and can be expensive depending on what you do, but if you plan out your trip and find things to do that are relatively cheap, it'll



work. Now, if you hate city driving, this may not be the best idea for you (New York drivers are pretty reckless). The subway is scary and disgusting, but that's another option. If you're a city gal like me, this is a good spot to

The Outer Banks, North Caroli-

na- This is where our group is going. To be honest, it isn't too expensive, and it seems relatively nice. The only problem is the drive, especially with the current gas prices. We don't think we need to say more on that. If you're willing to pay the price and drive a long distance, there's many good spots down there. In our experience, riding bikes either on the bay or along the beach is super fun. Depending on where you stay, restaurants and activities can be a little bit of a drive, but it's worth it (in our humble opinion).



1. "Enjoy high school while you can- it

goes faster than you think." 2. "Always overestimate how much

time you have for homework, for you'd be surprised how quickly that time flies bv."

- 3. "Don't procrastinate and ask teachers for help."
- 4. "Stop vaping in the bathrooms."
- 5. "If you're tired, go to bed. Don't study because you won't remember half of what you studied."
- 6. "Take the classes you want to take because you might not be able to get them in your schedule later."
- 7. "Chill out."
- 8. "Don't keep your expectations too high for the 'big moments' like homecoming or football games. Just enjoy Page 16

By Jess Colicchie the little moments you have with your

friends. Often, they matter the most." 9. "Don't go driving on a snow day. They mean it when they say the roads are bad."

- 10. "Take advantage of every single opportunity available at the high school and create unforgettable memories with vour friends."
- 11. "Take up as many parking spots as you want in the [student] parking lot."
- 12. Stop randomly barging into other people's lunch tables."
- 13. "Take classes that actually interest you. You will be excited to learn and want to do your work."
- 14. "Be nice to your teachers and fellow students; these are the people you're going to see every day of the school year

until you graduate."

- 15. "Respect each other regardless of what reasons you have. Treating each other terribly just makes everyone's day worse. Also, don't be scared of the history teachers- they don't bite."
- 16. "Know your place."
- 17. "Don't be an underclassman."
- 18. "Find the fun and memories in everything, whether it's class, activities, sports, or clubs."
- 19. "Drama isn't worth it."
- 20. "Take as many diverse classes as you can. I found out my major for college by taking a class I never thought I would like."
- 21. "Take your time. Don't forget to enjoy your life!"
- 22."Don't slack, but have fun."

Entertainment Staff Apologies By The Arrowhead Staff

single issue (except this one).

Sorry to Briella for calling you Brynna a lot more than I [Jacob] should have.

Sorry to Regan Borsh for spelling your name wrong in The Lucky Issue.

Sorry to the "Top 10 Good Luck Charms" and "CoStar: Did the Stars Actually Align?" articles for the titles' fonts deal with constant typing during layout week. getting messed up.

Sorry to Morgan for not putting your byline on the Miss Quinn interview.

Sorry to our first semester staff that didn't get to stay the whole year. Wait, actually, we don't feel bad. That was your own fault. Apology redacted.

Sorry to Mrs. Long for the absolute craziness and stress V this class has brought you.

Sorry to *The Arrowhead* website that has been forgotten about yet again.

Sorry to Jacob's hairline that'll never recover after a straight 2 years of wearing a hat everyday to school.

Sorry to all of you losers who didn't take Journalism this

Sorry to all the teachers for disturbing you with our loud music on Arrowhead DaysTM.

Sorry to Jaden for spelling your last name wrong in every Sorry to the editors for waiting until the last minute to write our articles.

Sorry to Sam for never wanting to go on the announce-

Sorry to the hard working yearbook staff whom we took pictures and cameras from.

Sorry to every single class of Mrs. Long's that have to

Sorry to the classes we missed to do Arrowhead stuff instead.

Sorry to the THON picture we didn't take due to poor coordination.

Sorry to all homerooms for how much Taylor Swift content we put on the announcements.

Sorry to FBLA for the beef we had during the 8th grade orientation.

Sorry to Little Caesar for dropping the sponsor after *The* Holiday Issue.

Sorry to the student body who really haven't seen enough of Sam and Jacob harassing students.

Sorry to everybody in the North Hills Senior High School for continually bringing you such amazing content. We know it makes you feel inadequate. It's okay. We completely understand. Maybe one day you'll reach our level. Probably not, though.

Throwback To Quarantine

By Lauren Eddy

Whipped coffee

Tiger King on Netflix

Trump trying to ban TikTok

Murder hornets

Fortnite making a comeback

Everyone playing Among Us

Tye dying anything and everything

The toilet paper panic

Making different types of bread

Family walks

The song "Supa Lonely" by Bénee

Chloe Ting workouts

Adopting Animals

Zoom meetings

Animal Crossing on the Nintendo

Switch

Tomatalk

"Big Girl Gotta Eat"

"Strange little men shouting, 'Hail CAESER!'"

By The Students Overheard in the Hallway "Losing feelings doesn't mean

cheating"

"RatSSS!" "And he said 'he

"What's the deal with scientology?"

"I've squished many, many important things in my bag"

smells like they're making granola,' and we were making granola"

"We just have narcissitic traits, it's fine"

"You got this. You always got

enough tripod for you?"

"Is my arm

not a good

"When you join a sorority, can you get out of it, or is it like a gang?"

"I got number 5 this. Periodt." in the nation on Subway Surfers" "Russia is NOT near the equator"

"I got catfished, but it was like a good catfish"

"Do you feel better about yourself after making fun of me in the German language?"

"I don't want to be in charge, I wanna be a goon"



The infectious spirit of these dynamic students

creating a carnival from scraps of cardboard to winning a district wide Puzzlelympics tourna-

ment. I am so excited for their incedible journey

they have ahead of them and know they are all going to accomplish greatness in their life. Just

remember you always have someone at High-cliff who thinks the absolute world of you and

Drama Club Seniors—I will always remember the fun times we had in *Peter Pan*, *Aladdin*, and

you who have been student directors! You have made me so proud to have been your director!

Mary Poppins and will forever be grateful to

Much love and happiness, Ms. DiNapoli

wishes you the very best!

made them a pleasure to teach at Higheliff in the GATE classroom. I have seen them grow as students but more importantly watched them turn into incredibly talented individuals with limitless enthusiasm and energy for learning. These highly motivated students set the standard high with their incredible work ethic towards any challenge I threw at them, from

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By Jess Colicchie

"22 (Taylor's Version)"

-Taylor Swift

"Party in the USA"

-Miley Cyrus

"Toxic"

-Britney Spears

"Last Friday Night"

-Katy Perry

"Replay"

-Iyaz

"Party Rock Anthem"

-LMFAO

"Call Me Maybe"

-Carly Rae Jepsen

"Viva La Vida"

-Coldplay

"Super Bass"

-Nicki Minaj

"Low"

-Flo Rida

"Time of Our Lives"

-Pitbull

"DJ Got Us Fallin' In Love"

-Usher

"Bad Romance (Alvin and the Chipmunks Version)"

-Lady Gaga

"Umbrella"

-Rihanna

"Best Day of My Life"

-American Authors

"I Lived"

-One Republic

"Fireflies"

-Owl City

"Somebody That I Used To Know"

-Gotye

"Everybody Talks"

-Neon Trees

"Girlfriend"

-Avril Lavigne

"Baby"

-Justin Bieber

"TikTok"

-Kesha

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To the Class of 2022 NH Girls LAX players... You each are hard workers. often over-achievers, and true team players. You do all that I ask and more, and for that I am deeply appreciative. This next chapter of your life is often the most challenging one that will have a large impact on the rest of your life. I look forward to hearing about all of the accomplishments that you will have. Each of you has a special place in my heart, and there is no doubt in my mind that you will be successful young ladies in your future endeavors. You all will be missed as each of you have contributed in a unique way. Remember my door

Dear Seniors, As you embark on this new journey, one that will take you to many new places, don't forget to enjoy the journey and not just look towards the destination. There is so much to see, learn, and experience out there. Realize that whether something good or bad happens to you, try to learn from each and every situation. There will be bumps and side roads, and that is normal. I know that you all have so much to contribute to the world, and I wish you all the best. -Ms. Weber

is always open...Once an Indian,

always an Indian!

-Coach Cassandro

To My Seniors: You are moving on to new and exciting chapters in your lives. I wish you all the best for the future that lies You are off to great places! Today is your day! Your mountain is waiting,

so get on your way! Oh, the places you will go!!! Congratulations on your High School Graduation! All the best, -Mrs. Towers

Always remember, The greatest ability, is dependability! I wish you the very best, today and always. Sincerely, Mrs. Kohne

Congratulations on your graduation!
-Ms. Marcellus

I want to commend the class of 2022 for their resiliency. You have made it through high school during a pandemic and have rolled with all the changes. You have been leaders to the younger students throughout these trying times. I am proud of you, class of 2022! Sophia and Kevin, the other officers will greatly miss you next year during Thon prep and so will Mrs. P and I. Thank you for all of your help and leadership. Good luck next year!
-Mrs. DiPasquale

Best of luck to the class of 2022! It's hard to not picture you as third graders at Highcliff learning how to multiply and write in cursive. You have accomplished so many wonderful things to get you to this point. Be proud of yourself, work hard, and please come back and visit!

Love, Mrs. Holmes

Seniors, you will be missed. Never forget how far you've come, but never lose the desire to keep moving forward. You truly are capable of doing almost anything, but it will take diligence and dedication beyond what you've ever known to get there. Never give up. Put good and positivity into the world. Make someone's day every day.

-Herr Deible

Graduation is such a special time; take a second to take it all in. Enjoy the happiness of accomplishing all that you have during your years here. Be proud of yourself and look forward to new adventures! Congrats class of 2022!! -Mrs. Hoffman

Farewells

Congratulations West View Alumni! It doesn't seem all that long ago that you graduated from West View, and now you are graduating from high school. What an adventure you've had through the years. I wish you success as you blaze your trail. May you always look back to your elementary roots with fondness.

Best Wishes, -Mrs. Aftanas

Congratulations class of 2022! May all your dreams come true! -Mrs. Lehmeier



May you be brave enough to show the world your true self! Good luck on your next adventure.

Mrs. Mikula

Success is not final, failure is not fatal: it is the courage to continue that counts."
-Winston Churchill
Seniors, go out and be courageous.
Ms. Vales

Congratulations to the Class of 2022! I have so many fond memories of you from your days in 6th grade at McIntyre! My favorite memory is the baby shower you threw for me at the end of the school year. Your book of baby advice still sits on my son's book shelf, and I laugh out loud every time I read your words of wisdom! Wishing you all the best in your bright futures ahead:)

-Mrs. Falcettoni



Dear Graduating Class of 2022, Wow - 6 years really flew by! It's hard for me to believe that you all are graduating high school, as I can still picture each of you as 6th graders at Ross. I have so many great memories from that year - from the shrieks and laughs that we had when working with the cockroaches in science, to the holiday parties, to the end of the year field trips, you always kept me on my toes and laughing about something. I wish you all the best as you start on this next chapter of your lives. Continue to grow and challenge yourselves, stay positive, and have fun along the way! Good luck!!

want!
Follow your passion.
Stay true to yourself.
Never follow someone else's path...unless
you are in the woods and you're lost and
you see a path.
By all means, you should follow that.
Mr. Kasperowicz

This is the beginning of ANYTHING you

Congratulations Seniors! You made it and I wish you all the best in the future! Always remember NH prepared you for what comes next in your life! I will miss you! Mrs. Burnett, 9th American Studies

Your life is your story. Write well.
Edit often.
Be careful how you are talking to yourself because you are listening.
Everything in your life is a reflection of a choice you have made. If you want a different result, make a different choice.
Mrs. Palmieri

This is the beginning of anything you want. Congratulations class of 2022! Mrs. Karenbauer

If you live life with the best of intentions and listen to the voice inside you, good things will come your way. Life is change, but it can also be about growth if you choose. Be patient, remember your roots, be open to all the possibilities, and find friends who are family. I wish you all the beautiful things this life has to offer!

Live happy and be well!

Mrs. Long

Seniors-

You have worked so hard to get to this point - this is a major accomplishment and one that will be in a long line of many in your lives! Please take with you the memories and good friends from this part of your journey as you leave North Hills for your next adventure. Thank you, seniors, for being a part of the North Hills family. Your teachers are so proud of you!

Madame Marangoni

Dear Seniors,

I hope you love high school as much as I did and still do! I have enjoyed the opportunity to meet so many of you and teach you as 9th graders and then watch you flourish over the years – through Covid and back!

As one chapter of your life closes, another one begins, and I know you will continue to grow and succeed! Cherish the memories and friendships you have made in North Hills. Move forward, exploring and continuing to mature as you begin your next chapter and embark on your post-secondary plans. Find out what the world has to offer. You are amazing! You have made me very proud.

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To the Class of 2022, I wish you the best years ahead and hope you will stay in touch with me and the rest of your North Hills Family.

With much love, Mrs. Kanith

GRAD PARTY BANGERS

By Jess Colicchie

"Industry Baby"

-Lil Nas X

"Kiss Me More"

-Doja Cat

"Easy on Me"

-Adele

"Happier Than Ever"

-Billie Eilish

"driver's license"

-Olivia Rodrigo

"As It Was"

-Harry Styles

"All Too Well (10 Minute Version) (Taylor's Version)"

-Taylor Swift

"Levitating"

-Dua Lipa

"Heat Waves"

-Glass Animals

"Peaches"

-Justin Bieber

"Leave the Door Open"

-Bruno Mars

"Stay"

-The Kid Laroi

"Bad Habits"

-Ed Sheeran

"Save Your Tears"

-The Weeknd and Ariana Grande

"Butter"

-BTS

"Dakiti"

-Bad Bunny

"Good Days"

-SZA

"Rockstar"

-Da Baby

"Savage"

-Megan Thee Stallion

"abcdfu"

-GAYLE

"We Don't Talk About Bruno"

-Encanto Soundtrack

"First Class"

-Jack Harlow

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What We'll Miss The Most

Most Popular Answer: Seeing friends

- "The people and friendships." Katie Catrain
- "Seeing my friends at lunch." Lydia Kutzer
- "Being with all my best friends everyday." Marisa Napol-
- "Getting to see my friends and teachers every day." Abby Alexander
- "Crazy dippers." Caitlin Maiette
- "Events like dances, THON, sports, the student section." Mya Bolinda
- "The vending machines." Mills Harrington
- "All the random homeroom discussions and rants." Odette
- "FBLA." Matthew Kulka
- "The drama club." -
- "The swim team and choir." Owen Pastorius
- 'Cheering." Melea Johnson
- "All of the underclassmen I've become friends with." Beth
- "Growing up with the people in my grade and seeing everyone change." - Ally Kraus
- "The people, the memories, the familiarity." Kevin Tian "The dreams I have during mid-class naps, especially when Mr. Franks was roller skating while I was asleep and getting confused why he wasn't when I woke up." - Logan Connolly

What's the Spot?

- "Anywhere in the rotunda." Mya Bolinda
- Most Popular Answer: the Rotunda

 "Anywhere in the rotunda." Mya

 "The rotunda—it's chill, quiet, and around in a circle all you want. Plu like chocolate chip cookies." Viv

 "Preferably the rotunda. Despite mand looking at artworks from other "The rotunda—it's chill, quiet, and you can just walk around in a circle all you want. Plus it sometimes smells like chocolate chip cookies." - Vivian Lipchak
 - "Preferably the rotunda. Despite meeting my art teachers and looking at artworks from other students, I can also go in circles trying to stray away from people." - Lauryn Palone

•Mrs. Hoffman's Room

- "Mrs. Hoffman's room, duh." Luke Brown
- "My favorite spot is Mrs. Hoffman's room because of how." cozy it is and how comfortable she makes everyone feel."
- Veronica Yeschke

"Mrs. Long's comfy chair"

- "Mrs. Long's red chair fr."- Jacob Rodney
- "Mrs. Long's comfy chair." Jess Colicchie
- "Third floor B-hallway by all the windows." Milla Harrington
- "Those benches in the back of the library by the windows. They're really cozy." - Odette Sherk
- "The courtyard between the cafeterias when it's sunny and •warm." - Beth Satariano
- "The band room when it's empty." Maggie Knox
- "The gym that's always way too hot." Makayla Knous
- "Those tiny stairs in the first floor E-hallway." Connor Ra-

Our Favorite Lunches

Most Popular Answer: Pizza Cheese Crunchers

- "If you don't say pizza cheese crunchers,
- CANCELED." Luke Brown
- "PIZZA CHEESE CRUNCHERS." Tatum Zwick
- "CHEESE CRUNCHERS." Mya Bolinda
- "Teriyaki nuggets for sure." Emma Klaas
- "That double cheeseburger with the spicy curly fries. Absolute delicacy." - Lydia Kutzer
- "Tacos with the churro (mostly just for the chur-•ro)." - Milla Harrington
- "None-I pack for a reason, babe." Vivian Lipchak
- "I like the fruit punch." Hayden Uy
- "Complimentary chicken sandwich." Matthew :Kulka
- "I pack, but the fries are good." Maggie Knox
- "Those little circle pizzas." Makayla Knous
- "Grilled cheese and fries. I usually pack but that's the only school lunch I've ever had." - Autumn •Adamiak

What We'll Miss The Least

Most Popular Answer: Getting up early

- "The early start." Rebecca Miller
- "Getting up in what feels like the middle of the night." -Odette Sherk
- "Waking up while the stars are still out." Autumn Adami-

"Crowded bathrooms."

- "6 girls in the bathroom stalls at once." Ally Kraus
- "The 400+ girls in the handicap stall." Elli Topnick

"The walk from the student parking lot."

- "Walking from the student lot to the school at 7am when it's 30 degrees." - Marisa Napolitano
- "The long walk from the student parking lot." Connor Radecki
- 'B hallway wifi connection (or the lack thereof)." Luke Brown
- "The bathroom photoshoots." Morgan McClurg
- "Stupid high school drama." Kaylee Reid
- 'Uncomfortable desks and chairs." Veronica Yeschke
- 'Getting 'road rage' in the hallways when people walk slow."
- Gianna Smerilli
- 'Clogged stairwells." Maddie Casella
- 'Only those teachers who stand outside their doorway between classes that monitor the hallways. Their hawk-like stares drowns me in fear..." - Lauryn Palone



Our Favorite Teachers

Most Popular Answer: Mr. Pedrosky

- "The best teacher at grading assignments, and he has a really cute dog." Marisa Napolitano
- "He's just a fun teacher." Gianna Smereilli
- "The most chill." Caitlin Maiette

"J-Hoff: best advice, treats all students with respect, and literally is so funny." - Luke Brown

"Mr. Ebert, because I like his dry humor and he has a wide variety of stories to tell." - Everett Harrington

"Mrs. Washington- she keeps it real." - Brandon McEwen "Mrs. Mikula; she treats everyone as if we are her own children." - Veronica Yeschke

"Madame Marangoni. She always brings us food and we have awesome dance parties." - Odette Sherk

"Mr. Lisak. Regardless if it is a question about history or what he thought of last night's Penguins game, I always feel like I'm talking to a friend, not a teacher." - Mason Brown "It's a tie between Mr. Heil and Mr. Timko. They both say the most outrageously hilarious and whacky things." - Hayden Uy

"Mr. Swanson, he's just so swag" - Jessica Colicchie "Ms. Downey, I had her for two periods in a row my freshmen year when I had Leadership as a class and also English. She was always smiling and someone I felt comfortable talking to about my home life." - Makayla Knous

Additional Superlatives

Underrated Class Clown - Jeremy Lange (nominated by Everett Harrington, Asher Harrington, and Conner Radecki)

Best Couple - Cassidy Tony and Dillon Quinn (nominated by Melea Johnson)

Cutest Couple - Elli Topnick and Ryan Tyson (nominated by Logan Connolly)

Super Star, Truly Iconic - Luke Brown (nominated by Luke Brown)

Worst at Parking - Logan Sheran (nominated by Autumn Adamiak)

Cutest Style - Julia Addink (nominated by Lydia Kutzer)

Most Artistic - Vivian Lipchak (nominated by Lydia Kutzer)

Best Mother - Jenny Snyder (nominated by Milla Harrington)

Sleeps the Most in Class - Richard Sheptak (nominated by Katie Catrain)

Teacher's Pet - Brenton Perkins (nominated by Ally Kraus)

Our Favorite Classes

Most Popular Answer: Pottery

- "Relaxing and super fun class, plus you get to take all your stuff home and show off your pots." Ally Kraus
- "How can you not like pottery with Hillegas?" Mya Delost
- "Hill-dawg is super swag." Elli Topnick

"Psychology because I get to understand the mechanics of the brain and how it can affect your life." - Owen Pastorius "Graphic Design because the vibes in the classroom are immaculate. Also, the class is so interesting and fun." - Lydia Kutzer

"Gym because it doesn't require thinking." - Katie Catrain "Creative Sewing because it is so chill and we always have a good time creating things." - Kallie Polaski

"Any foods or nutrition class. You not only eat good food, but you also get to learn basic cooking skills so you're not eating hot pockets for every meal." - Rebecca Miller "My favorite class throughout high school has always been French. I love my French family and both Madames make their class so fun and welcoming!" - Kaylee Reid "Acting Classes with Ms. Sarazen. We have the most fun, and it's always a unique combination of students you won't get in any other classes." - Beth Satariano

"Wind Ensemble has been my favorite class all throughout high school. It has been a completely life-changing class and is the one part of my day where I get to just make music with my best friends." - Abby Alexander

"Law and Justice with Mr. Lisak; he's an awesome teacher. We both share a love of the criminology and forensic aspect of law, and we talk all the time after class about the topics we've discussed and cases we've gone over." - Gianna Dunn

Guitar Hero Champion - Julian Drake (nominated by Beth Satariano)

Extremely Underground - Maggie Knox (nominated by Maggie Knox)

Always Smiling - Olivia Gorrell (nominated by Brynna Barbour)

Most Reckless Driver - Mya Delost (nominated by Jessica Colicchie)

Social Butterfly - Eden Anderson (nominated by Kevin Tian)

Best at Fortnite - Tibo Roy (nominated by Matthew Kulka)

Teachers (all nominated by Kevin Tian):

Funniest Teacher - Mr. Ebert Most Personable - Ms. DiPasquale NH MVP - Ms. Zimmerman

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Best Personality - Mr. Pedrosky

Jenior Survey

TIMES WE WERE HUMBLED

"I thought the SD card in your phone was called the 'LSD' card, and I talked about it in front of the whole class until finally my teacher had to correct me."

-Milla Harrington

"Locker clean-outs." -Madison Taylor "When Luke Brown set a fart bomb off in 8th grade and he and I got suspended." -Bella Stanton

"When I got suspended for a fart bomb." -Luke Brown "I dropped all of my books on the stairs in 9th grade, and a bunch of seniors had to help me pick them up. It was just like a movie." -Autumn Adamiak

"When my friends and I used a Jake Paul song in a project." -Matthew Kulka "The funniest AND most embarrassing one (double whammy) is when I drew something inappropriate on the Jamboard app on my iPad. Little did I know, it would show up on the projector screen where everyone could see it, and alas." -Hayden Uy

"I would make little houses for worms and bugs under the ramp going down to the basketball courts in elementary school."

-Jess Colicchie

"When I was in first grade, I cried when I couldn't remember how to spell the word 'of.'" -Abby Alexander

"In 2nd grade I peed my pants and told Robert Dickerson in the hallway. He then proceeded to tell everyone."
-Therese Grande

"When Mr. Texter yelled at me for leaving the room. I was so embarrassed. I've never left a room since." -Jacob Rodney

"Hayden Uy tripped me and I dislocated my arm." -Olivia Gorrell

"Being made fun of by Mr. Besh every day." -Mya Delost

"All of my middle school outfits."
-Tatum Zwick

"Definitely going on the field trip in 7th grade to Skyzone then spending like 4 days in the hospital because of it." -Ally Kraus

"I slipped on a banana peel in 8th grade in front of everyone, and part of me died that day." -Marisa Napolitano

"When I told my softball coach to hit me another ball to be a show off, and it resulted into me getting a ball to the face where I got a black eye for a month." -Gianna Smerilli

"When my arm got stuck in between the wall and the arm rail in elementary school." -Brynna Barbour

"Ripping my pants in 4th grade." -Collin Quinn

"Don't know, most days were pretty embarrassing." -Emma Klaas

One Childhood Dreams

Most Popular Answer: Teacher

- Makayla Knous, Tatum Zwick, Conner Radecki, Bella Stanton, Emma Klaas, Kaylee Reid, Logan Connolly, Veronica Yeschke, Jacob Rodney

Ice Skater - Melea Johnson Fashion Designer - Hanlin Zhang Zookeeper - Maddie Lyon Firefighter - Madison Taylor

"I wanted to be a polar bear, but I now know that isn't very likely." - Hayden Uy

Orthopedic Surgeon - Olivia Gorrell

Architect - Autumn Adamiak Marine Biologist - Maddie Casella

"An astronaut in the ocean." - Jeremy Lange

OUR FAVORITE MEMORIES

"'Go Out To Eat Wednesdays' with my friends" -Matthew Kulka

"Tricking the entire cafeteria into leaving 5 minutes early" -Gabriel Newton

"Thon 2019. I ate 4 crepes and got very close to throwing up but it was 100% worth it." -Logan Connolly

"When Scott Clegg handed a rotisserie chicken to someone in Wind Ensemble" - Autumn Adamiak

> "Watching someone take a bite out of a stick of hot glue" -Riley Bupp

> > "Getting a 100% on my math test" -Milla Harrington

"Painting the bathrooms my sophomore year. I loved being able to make people smile." -Brynna Barbour

"That random pep rally in 10th grade" -Conner Radecki

> "Going halfway to the Music for All National Band Convention with Chloe, Jesse, and Elaine my sophomore year." -Maggie Knox

> > Yes: 81.1%

No: 18.9%

STATS & FACTS

"Playing ultimate

frisbee and volleyball

in Sports and Rec"

-Asher Harrington

Highcliff: 24.5%

ntary school

Ross: 22.6%

West View: 11.3%

McIntyre: 17%

Other: 24.5%

Top three answers

6:30AM 6:15AM

6:00AM

Honorable mention:

4:30AM

Top three answers

7:00AM

7:05AM

7:10AM Honorable mention:

7:33AM

4-year college/university: 81.1%

What are your future plans?

Community college: 5.7%

Trade school: 1.9% Work/job: 1.9%

Military: 3.8%

Gap year: 5.7%

6th: 44.4%

7th: 35.6%

8th: 13.3%

5th: 6.7%

Yes: 75.5%

No: 24.5%

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Got stuck behind underclassmen because they don't know how to walk	Came into school late because you were tired	Went to one of those weird orches- tra field trips down- town	Accidentally unmuted on Zoom and didn't realize	Participated in a Senior Skip Day (if you even knew when they were)
Regretted who you went to a school dance with	Was forced to change your sched- ule and ended up loving it	Got heat stroke/ passed out at Her- shey	Completely reinvented yourself over quarantine	Read Catcher In The Rye
Got a free pen from the military table in the cafeteria	· ·	Were harrassed by the NHTV people (aka Free Space)	Bought something from the vending machine and it got stuck	Won the 6th grade Olympics (Ross is Boss)
Was mentioned in The Arrowhead	Ran out of breath from walking up 3 flights of stairs	Spilled your drink at the lunch table and had to wipe it up with the non-ab- sorbent paper towels	Went to one of the highly anticipated middle school dances	Left your iPad in a classroom because you were charging it
Got hit in the stu- dent parking lot	Witnessed THE Storm Chasin' Jason	Went to Disney both times	Got posted on the NH sleep account	Did the Voices of Freedom play in elementary school

This is the first year since the pandemic that we have been able to put out print issues of *The Arrowhead*. The Staff was very, very excited to bring back this tradition and this year has been amazing. While, yes, we are the faces and bylines you see in these pages, there's a special teacher who sits behind all of it and without her, none of it would be possible. Here's a special thanks to Mrs. Long for all of the hard work she has put into making each issue more outstanding than the last. We couldn't ask for a more creative and open-minded teacher who lets us bounce ideas off one another and wrangles us up more times than we'd like to admit. We'll miss the laughs, fights, and talks we had during and outside of class. I hope this year was just as fulfilling for you, Mrs. Long, as it was for us.

Love Always,
The 2021–2022 Arrowhead Staff