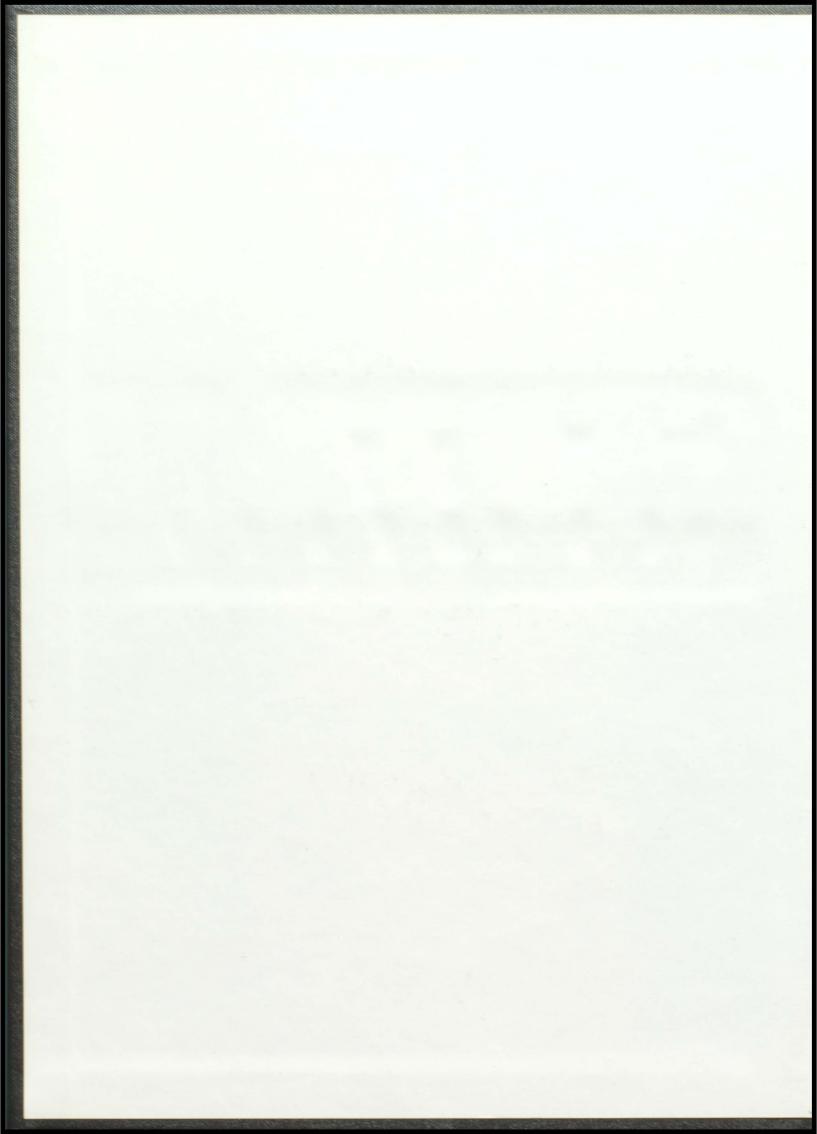
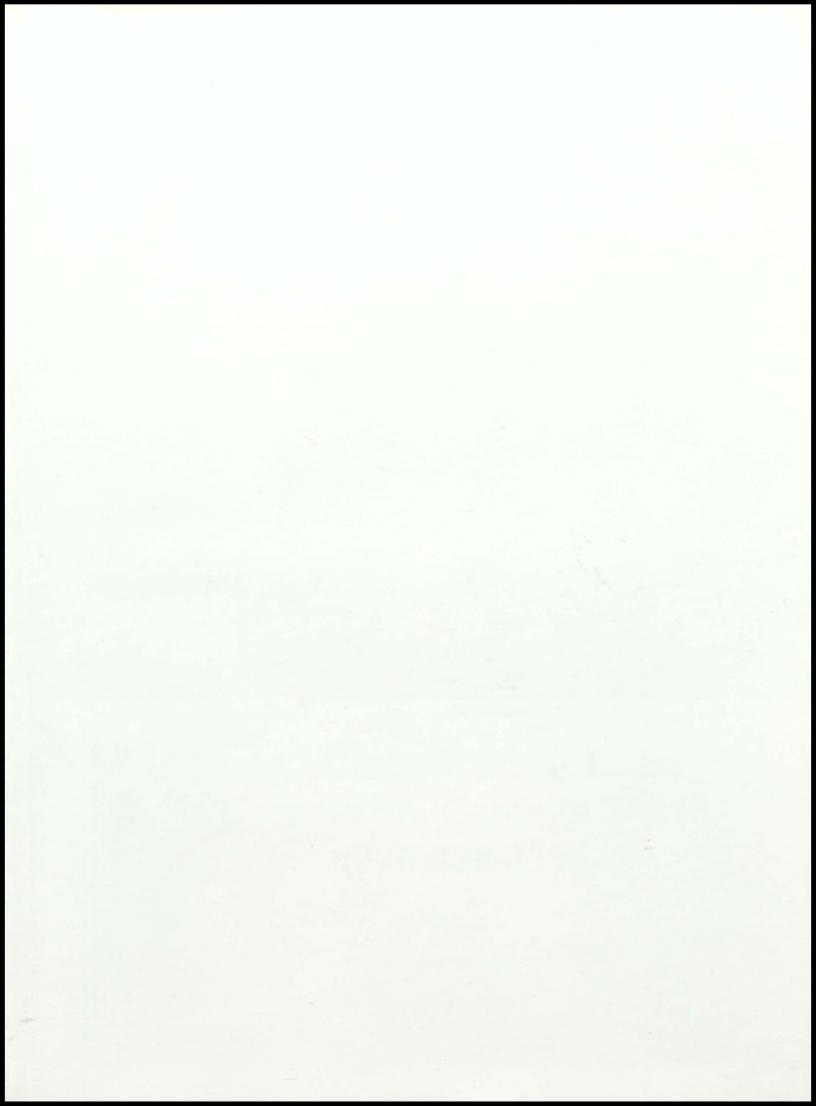
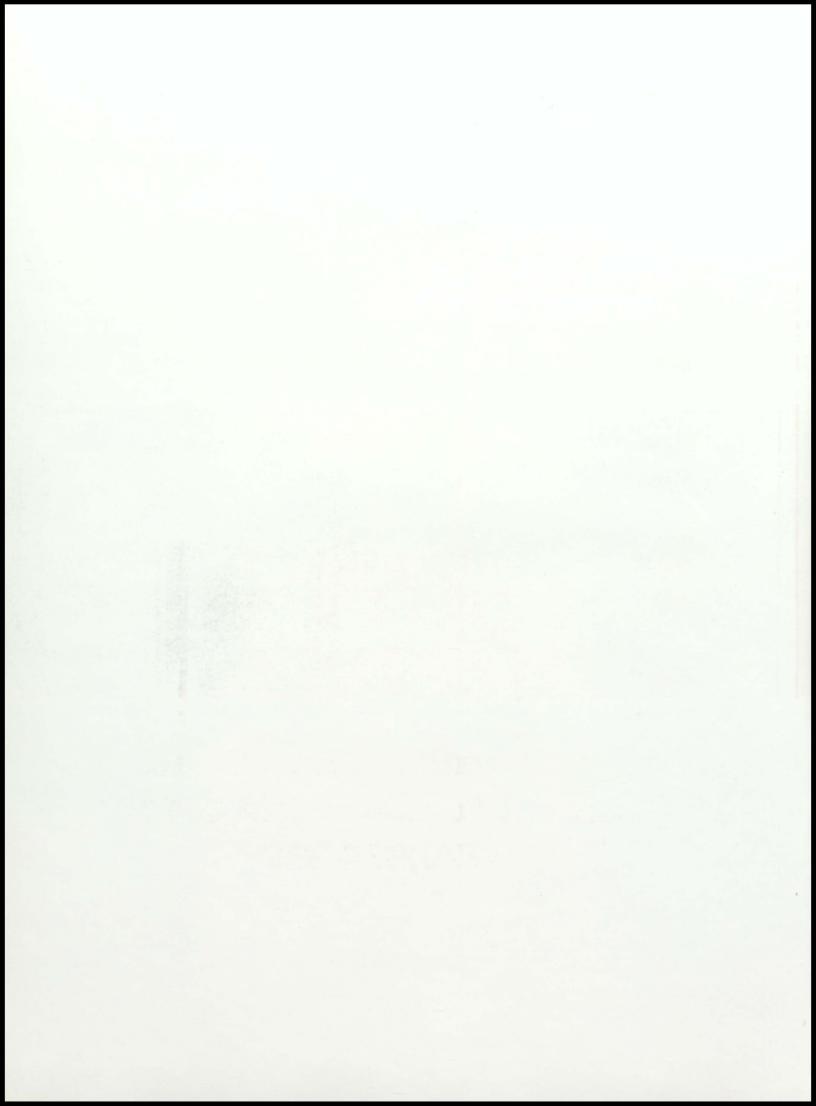
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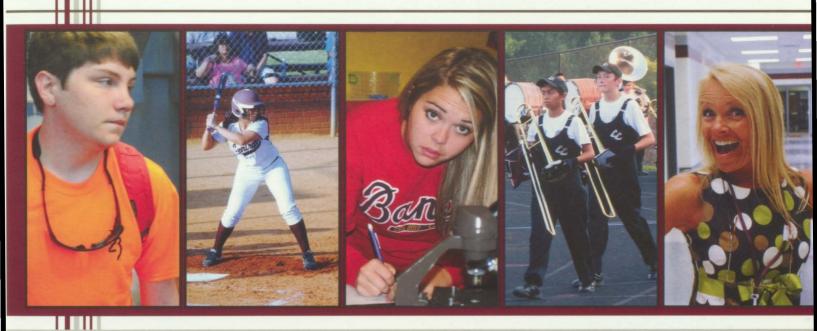






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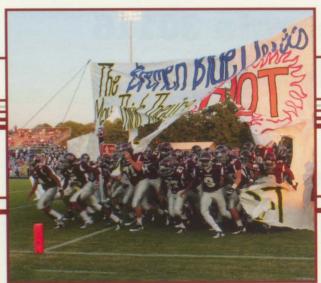
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Beating the bell is always a challenge, especially when students had to make it all the way to the third floor. After a few weeks into the school year, however, people eventually learned shortened routes to make their travels easier.

Mondays are always tough on everyone, especially when your Monday began with math. Thankfully, with the help of great friends and the support of teachers, students almost always found ways to make their school days enjoyable.



Who We Are Central

Welcome to Central High School. We are the home of the lions, but we're so much more than that. We care about each other; we care about our community; we care about the younger lions in our lion pride. We laugh together, study together, learn together, eat together, cry together, and cheer together. We rise to accept challenges, though sometimes we have to push each other along. We motivate each other. We wear bow-ties and scarves. We hang out at Chick-fil-A. We practice 87 hours a week for marching band. We love Mr. Potato Head. We charge the field, the court, and the track. We share our technology with our peers, we share our jokes, and we share a common goal of doing our best in everything and being good to each other. Sometimes, we fail, but we catch each other when we we fall. We stay after school for Spanish tutoring. We don't walk on the lion faces on the hallway floors. We buy honeybuns from the snack machines. We love crispitos. We say the Pledge of Allegiance, and we have a moment of silence, every morning. We check our grades on our Infinite Campus App. We do not text during class (okay, maybe we do). We mudbog on the weekend. We go to Luke Bryan concerts. We hang out at the lake. We work after school, at Kroger, Food Depot, Steak and Shake, Southwire, and Captain D's. We practice for sports, and when we do, we run, a lot. We go to state playoffs. We volunteer. We collect canned goods for the soup kitchen. We shed tears at the Veteran's Day service. We love Homecoming Week and Powder Puff! We look at prom dresses starting in December. We take selfies. We tweet. We go to games and cheer on our friends. We love Mama D. We compete for FFA, FBLA, FEA, and HOSA. We have boyfriends, girlfriends, and best friends. We have gone to school together for a long time. We say hello to each other in the hall. We work hard, and we play hard. We get up and get after it. We bleed maroon and gray. We are Central. It's Who We Are.



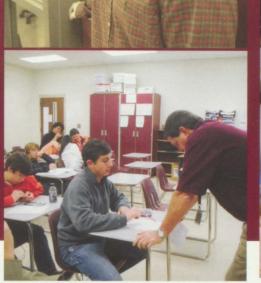
Beta Club always plays an active role in helping out in the Carroll County Community. Each Christmas, members participate in helping families purchase Christmas gifts for children. Mary Katheryn Denmon said, "It always feels great to help those less fortunate than yourself."

Finally! Senior Spencer Morrow waited patiently outside of the yearbook room for someone to unlock the door. With new safety policies in .place, doors remained locked and shut all day every day.

Mr. Conerly is very popular amongst both students and colleagues at Central. As a freshman academy teacher, he helped his students excel in the subject of world history.



Some couples are well-known at Central, such as Maya Babbs and her boyfriend. He even helps her tie her shoes!



Teachers like Mr. Ponder are aways there to lend students a helping hand. Math is a difficult subject for many people, but with the help of teachers, students could always pass. Senior David Jenkins stated, "Math is the hardest subject for me."



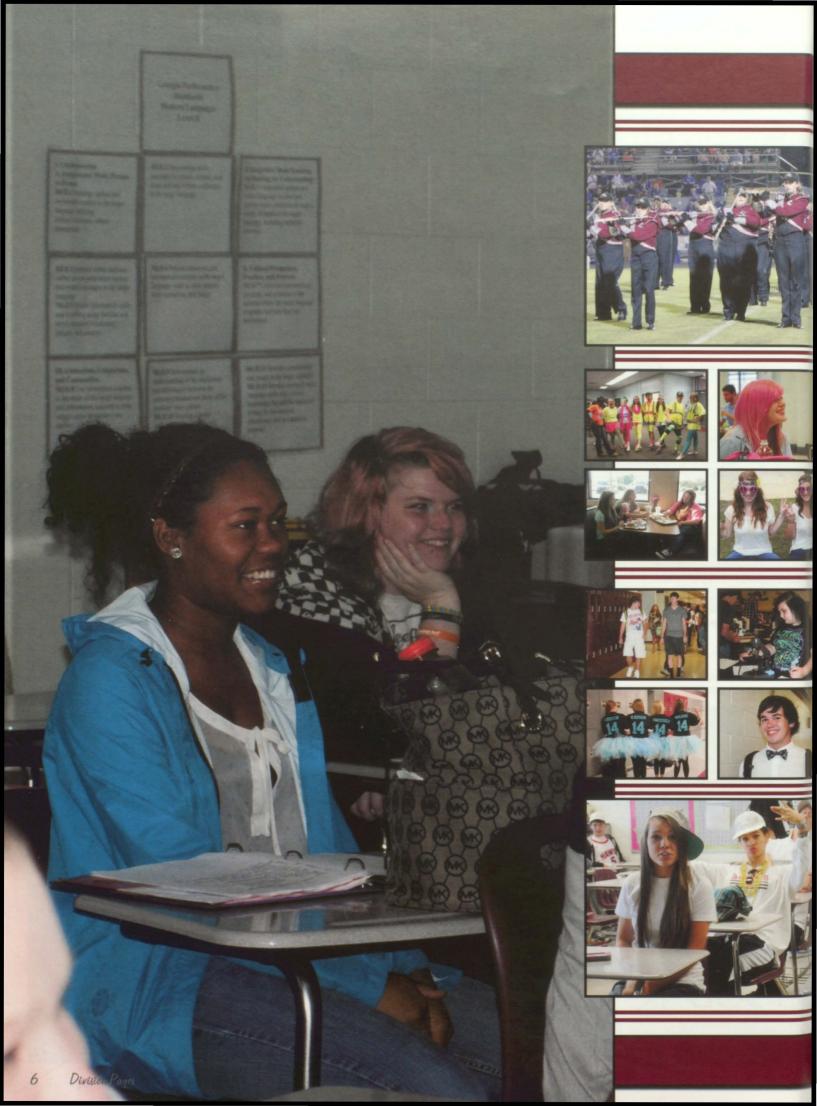
Lunch is a time when many students socialize and get to know new people. Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors alike eat and talk together during the break. Alyssa Paul said, "Its always fun laughing with my friends."



Newly crowned homecoming queen Logan Steed accepts flowers from Hayley Scott, the 2012 homecoming queen.

Open House.
Students and their parents line up outside the Academy building anxiously awaiting for Open House to begin.
Students received schedules and met with their teachers.
Open House was especially helpful for freshmen and their parents.





WHAT IS CENTRAL LIFE?

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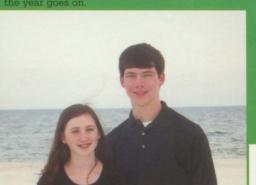
Tailgates & Tan Lines

Summer meant students being free from school, going to the beach, and watching fireworks on the Fourth of July. Some families used summer to take family vacations and spend time with one another. Summer meant getting a brain freeze after eating home made ice cream. Summer meant waking up early and practicing football on the wet morning grass. Volleyball players woke up at six a.m. for their seven a.m. workouts. Softball played summer games in the hot sun, and the band practiced routines and songs for the Friday nights to come. Summer meant kids applying for summer jobs to make a little extra money for the weekends. It meant riding around at night with the windows down and music up. Summer meant spending time with friends and family at the lake, and getting blistered shoulders from laying out all day underneath the sun. Samor James "BIND" Corthwin.

kime on the wookents with friends." Summer was a time when students tried new hamping out with his fairness he said. Summer was a stress reliever and a time to

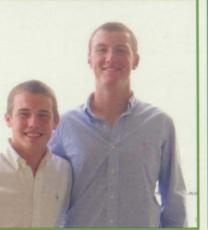
relax. Students looked forward to it every year: Sweet Summertime.

Enjoying their time at the beach, Ben and Erin Lewis take a walk before dinner. The Lewis family to be able to get to spend more time as a family as

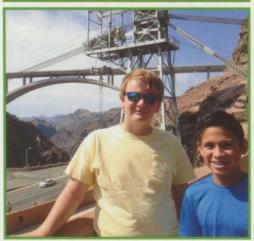


Brannon Fowler shows off his unique and prepared for the season. The weather was hot and





Looking similar at the beach, Gabe Ledford and Will Sheffield dress up to go out to dinner with their families. They both enjoyed spending some of their summer at the beach. They look forward to heading back next summer.



Sophomore Matthew Hicks and his brother. freshman Lucas Hicks, visit Boulder City in Nevada. The brothers traveled to San Diego, California, to attend the wedding of their older brother Jeremy.

What do teachers do during the summer? Mr. Ponder went to Banning Mills Zipline with his daughter. " I had mentioned that I thought of going so she made reservations as an early birthday present." said Mr. Ponder





Seniors Wesley Stone, Chaney Lambert, Amy McBrayer, Carlee Jenkins, and Makaylin Taylor, load up the jeep to head down to the lake for the weekend. It was such a beautiful day outside that they decided to take the doors off and the top down off the jeep.



Rounding the bases, Rhett Duffey looks over his shoulder to find the ball. The Central Lions baseball team

went to multiple tournaments over the summer. The baseball team had successful summer season.

Senior Austin
Danlel rides his
dirt bike and
attempts a stunt.
He enjoyed trying
new tricks. Austin
said, "Its been
something fun to
do, it always
keeps me on my
toes!"

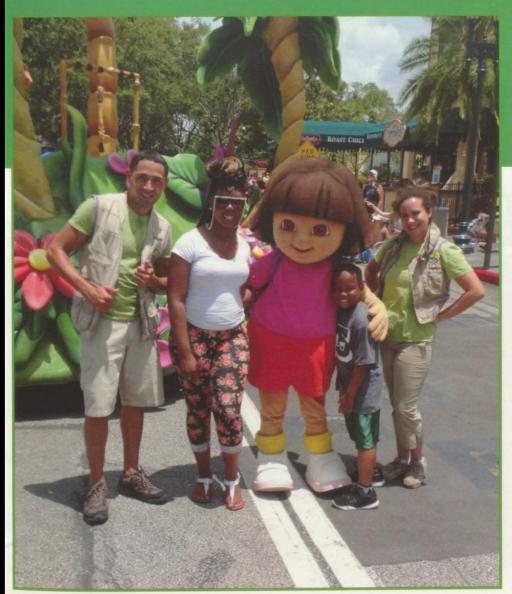


Mr. Ruby leads the band members through the 4th of July parade. The Central High marching band performed well as they walked what seemed like forever through the town of Carrellton.

Traveling Abroau

Senior Wesley Stone took a trip to Europe this summer and visited Paris along the way. Wesley said, "I have never been to a place with so much history and tradition." On the trip they also visited London. "It was great to get to visit the mother country. I had a great time and would love to go back. someday." said Wesley.







Kristen Chismar catches a baby shark while fishing off rocks by the ocean. Kristen was very patient and excited when she got a bite. "It was a tough fight but I pulled through and was able to bring it in", shared Kristen.

Finding Dora! Ashley Boykin and her family members find Dora the Explorer as they spend time at the amusement park.



Mrs. Beverly helps Cade Brunson find his way around the new building on the first day of school. The new building was very confusing for everyone on the first day of school, so Cade was definitely not the first person to stop and ask for help.

Always lending a helping had. Sophomore Myranda Jiles happily helps junior Cole Allen by holding the door open as he enters the Academy building on his first day of school. Myranda is always has a smile on her face.



Looking Your Best

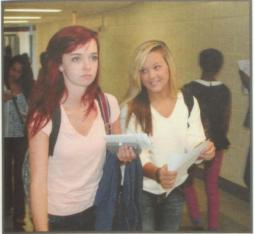
Looking your best was a must for the first day of school. Heads spun from excitement, yet there was the hassle of getting up and back into a routine. Each grade level had a different feel to the first day of school. Some freshmen freaked out and didn't know where to go, but their excitement about starting their first day of high school was evident by the smile on their faces. Freshman Clara Denny said, "I was really nervous because I was scared of getting lost, but I was also very excited!" Sophomores thought, "Yes! I am finally not a freshmen and get some authority." The juniors looked like they had done this a million times and were ready to be done. However, they still jumped and screamed when they saw their friends for the first time since last school year. Lastly, the Seniors walked through the doors for the last first day of their high school career. The mixed emotions of sadness and excitement overwhelmed them, and they didn't know what to feel. Senior Sydney North, said, "The first day of school was exciting yet bittersweet and sad. It feels very surreal to be the oldest in the school." On the first day of school classes flew by, people smiled, and teachers filled students' ears with expectations of the year, which is what the first day of school was all about. The hopes for everyone on the first day was to make a statement, to create a new beginning for the year to come, and most of all, to start making the most memorable memories to share with others one day.





Now sophomores, Lynzie Smallwood and Taylor Jenkins walk towards the lunchroom in search of friends so that they can catch up. They are both active students. Lynzie is a part of the Art Club and Taylor runs track. Demaria Watts is a sophomore now. Because she was confused about navigating through the new wing, she asks Dr. Harman for directions Though she picked up her schedule from Coach McCarty on the 100 hall, her first class was with Mrs. Hardin on the 500 hall.

Dakota Driver and Bradley Newell walk down the stairs from the second floor of the Academy building. Bradley, a junior bounced back and forth between the 600 hall, the 400 hall, the 200 hall, and the 100 hall. Sophomore Dakota inhabited both the main building and the Academy building.













Sophomores Alley Knight and Rhylea Mathis leave the new building headed towards the freshmen academy. The new 100 wing offered many doors and hallways to make all classrooms more accessible.

Taylor Denny talks to a classmate while on his way to class. He got the chance to be more a part of the high school as he gained the freedom of a sophomore, and he had classes all over campus.

Ryan Trotti shares his senior schedule with Mr. Joiner. They discussed the details about his schedule. "I had not planned on staying at school all day, so I asked Mr. Joiner about it. He helped me get my schedule changed so that I can leave at noon and go to work," said Ryan.





Lee Green, an outstanding junior, searches for his advisement teacher so that he can pick up his schedule. Lee is a member of the CHS Marching Pride and plays trumpet.

The freshmen walk in, and then up, to their classes on their first first day of high school. Passing by the second floor and on their way to the top floor, the freshmen are talking and seem to be excited as they enter a new chapter of their lives.

New to CHS

Junior Isaiah Boyd joined the proud family of Central lions this year. Always smiling and friendly, Isaiah said of his first day in the lion valley, "My first day at Central High School was very nebulous. I walked into my first period class knowing not a soul in the room. Later that day I went to my third period teacher Coach Smith who teaches AP US History. I heard a familiar voice that said 'Hey! What's up

Isaiah?!" and it was Cole Glommen, a student from the high school I attended the previous year. I was thrilled to see him in one of my classes because I had no idea he moved to Central like mel He then introduced me to Jacob Barnes and he and I are really good friends now. So, to sum it all up my first day at Central High School was good!"



Mr. Grubbs speaks to FCA students. Every Friday morning students gathered to listen to a valuable lesson and enjoy fellowship with one another. Senior Hunter Hughes liked attending FCA; he said, "There's always a different message that I can learn from and become a better person."

Bethany Durrough enjoys a quick breakfast. Bethany liked eating Chick-fil-A before school nearly every week. She always loved spending time with her grandparents on Friday mornings. Rhett Duffey, Gabe Ledford, Holden Anderson, Jackson Lewis, and Jake Toney grab breakfast before school. The boys drove to Chick-Fil-A on Friday mornings after football morning workouts to eat and talk.











Juniors Jordan Tate and Chris Brown relax and enjoy their biscuits before school. The guys met at CFA frequently before school.

FCA members listen to a guest speaker deliver a message. FCA was a popular student-led group that met Friday mornings before school.

prepared students for Fridays at school.

Welcome to Chick-Fil-A! Andrew Scoggins and Hayley Bayne order breaking on a Friday morning. They were two of many CHS students who stopped by the popular restaurant before school.

Morning Routines

Morning routines differed greatly among the student body. Some arose early to catch the bus or straighten their hair, some slept until the latest minute possible and flew into the student parking lot with just enough time to run in the door before the bell, and some completed homework before school. One thing that most Central people did was go to Chick-fil-A on Friday mornings. In addition to offering tasty chicken biscuits and large cups of sweet tea, Chick-fil-a was also just down the road from the school. within walking distance. For many people, going to Chick-fil-A in the morning was a tradition. For some students it was more than a tradition, but a part of their daily routines. Carlee Jenkins was a Friday morning regular at CFA. She said, I always get a four count chicken mini, medium sweet tea, and a LARGE cup of ice because I'm addicted to it! I've been going since freshman year, and always eat there on Friday's." Another Friday morning ritual for many students was FCA, the Fellowship of Christian Athletes. Members met before school at 7:30 to sing, pray, and listen to a guest speaker deliver an inspirational message to the student body. Students felt a common bond with each other as they shared their faith and their testimonies with others. No matter the acronym, both CFA and FCA









Mariah Alvarado, Luke Spooner, and Tristan Knowles serve in the FCA worship band. They arrived to school extra early on Fridays. Senior Luke Spooner's favorite part of FCA was "getting to shine a light to the students who come out to worship with us."

Never can have enough sauces! Amber Tolbert asks one of the Chick-Fil-A employees for another sauce to go along with her chicken minis. As it was game day Friday, Amber wore her maroon cheer jacket.



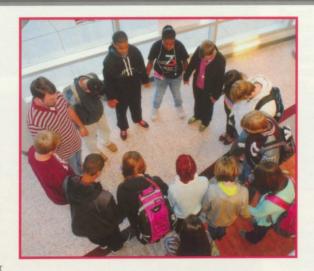
Family Breakfast time.

Every Friday morning at Chick-Fil-A, Joe Simpkins eats with his family. They have been dining at CFA before school for several years.



Breakfast date.

Senior Morgan Richardson and her boyfriend Tyler eat breakfast together on a Friday morning. Morgan was dressed in spirit clothing, ready for the game.



Morning prayer group. Members of FCA gather in the first floor atrium to pray for their classmates, their teachers, and the Central community.

Crazy Morning

Senior Meredith Walker had an interesting morning when she tried to drive to school and a cat was in her car! "I woke up one morning, and my little brother called that there was a cat in my car. I didn't really listen to him. I went to take my dog out, and the garage door was open. You could hear it meowing the entire time somewhere under the hood. I cranked the car to try to get it out of the garage so I could take my dog inside. The cat stayed inside my engine for

another hour. Finally it poked its head out, and slowly came out of my car, walked across the driveway and ran into the woods."



Coach Josh Smith waits for his students to find their seats as they file in from lunch. Coach Smith's class learned about the California Gold Rush.



Pursuing Adventure... English and Social Studies in Action

Students in Mrs. Herring's 2nd period American Literature class complete a "migrant workers gallery walk" in the 2nd floor atrium. The purpose of the assignment was to prepare students to read John Steinbeck's classic, Of Mice and Men. The students analyzed pictures of migrant workers of the Great Depression and wrote a one-word description of the image.

What did Ninth Grade Lit, World Lit, American

Lit, British Lit, World Geography, American History, American Government, and Economics have in common? They were required courses, for all students, in the English and social studies departments. Through these classes, students learned how to add both evidence and analysis in their body paragraphs, how to check for comma splices, and how imagery affected a theme. They learned what GDP stood for, which battles were crucial in World War II, and why the gas prices continued to fluctuate at the pump. Though many students loathed writing essays, they enjoyed their English classes because of the literature and the discussion. David Hernandez said, "My favorite piece of literature that I have studied is Macbeth. It's interesting, and the way that William Shakespeare wrote gives me a challenge in understanding." Through their study of literature from around the world, students made connections to history. The Renaissance was a particularly popular time for some students, but senior Harold Allen liked learning about the Civil Rights movement. He said, "If not for the Civil Rights movement, I wouldn't be where I am today."



Writer's Block

Blank. Smith has assigned an essay on the ruthlessness of Lady Macbeth. Austin Daniel sat down to start the essay and swipe! His mind forgot everything it ever knew about *Macbeth* or any work of literature for that matter. He stared at a blank page for minutes, maybe even hours, while trying to form coherent sentence that even loosely related to the topic. Anything was better than a blank sheet of paper. Everything was more interesting than the task at hand: a squirrel outside of the window, new tweets, an Instagram post. What's a kid to do? Natalie Bowen is known for her refined writing style, but even she finds herself unable the translate thoughts onto paper. Lauren Smith always has a witty comment, but sometimes she even runs out of things to say. Lari Langley says, "Sometimes I give myself a headache trying to come up with the perfect words or phrases to provoke the intended emotion. I've learned to leave a blank on the page and eventually the words find me easier than I find them."

Freshmen in Mr. Conerly's 1st period world history class work diligently to complete a vocab assignment before the bell rings. Devin Rowe said of vocabulary work, "It's easy and it's an easy way to learn."





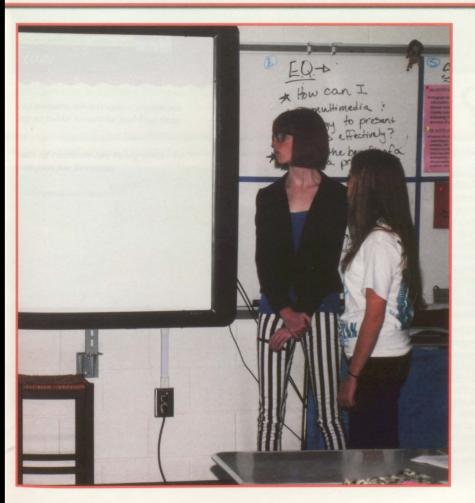
Mr. Conerly takes attendance in his 1st period world history class. He sated,"I have always found history interesting. I think it is important to have an understanding of where you have been so you can know where you are going."





"Ch# q4ái (Eat Up)!" Seniors Nicole Cook and Ben Lewis enjoy brunch in Mrs. Herring's AP Literature class. Students just finished reading The Joy Luck Club, a novel about the clash between American and traditional Chinese culture. To close the unit, members of the class brought a mixture of foods ranging from donuts to eggrolls.

Rebecca Newton reads aloud to classmates in the hall. The seniors in Mrs. Smith's Brit Lit class studied Simon Winchester's *The Professor and the Madman*, a nonfiction account of two men who created the Oxford English Dictionary. Rebecca said, "Even seniors like to be read to now and then."



Sophomores Becca Dawson and Miranda Woods

present information to their classmates in Mrs. Wooten's Honors World Literature class. They read different articles for the *Declaration of Human Rights* and had to present them to the class. Becca said, "I always get anxious when doing such things as presentations, but it is a skill I need for the future. I enjoy research projects because you never know what you're going to find."

Mr. Rooks' fifth period A.P World History class

plays Jeopardy as a fun way to review for their second unit test. Sophomore Kyley Hicks stated, "A.P World History requires much dedication and provides challenges to help in college."



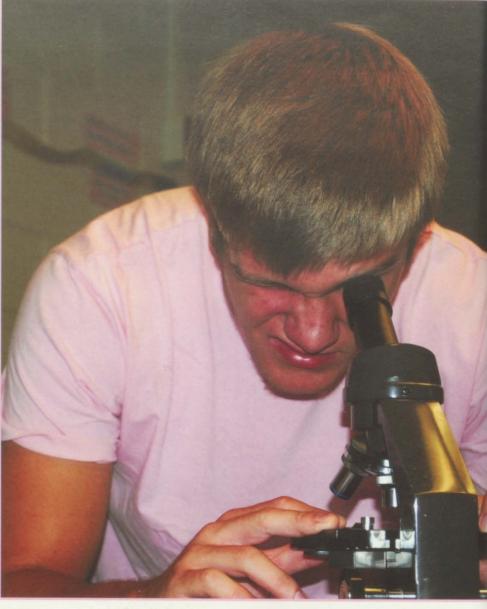
English and Social Studies

Love Science?



Sophomore John Pate, an honors biology student, said, I enjoy classifying different organisms and I like learning the history of evolution. Also, I enjoy the aspects of biochemistry taxonomy and evolutionary theories that make up the science."

First time in the lab. Students in Mrs. Boldt's first period use microscopes to look an unusual objects for a science class. They were looking at a lower case e from the newspaper. Sophomore Conner Eldred said," The little e looked like a herd of earthworms that were staying still like, they didn't want to be seen."



Easy as Pi?

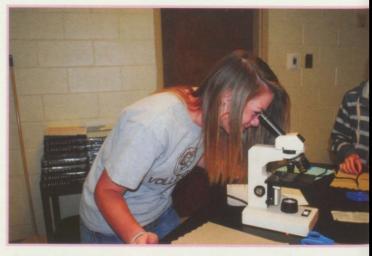




Juniors Sky Fulford and Justin Davidson

work in Mrs.
Manders's math
class. Sky and
Justin work on
the beginning of
the Math 3
curriculum and
are concentrate to
solve their
equations.

Donovan Dunson completes his warm-up on rational functions in Mrs. Cole's accelerated math class. Donavon and his class members spent several days on rational functions.



Sophomore Sophie Conerly looks at slides. This experiments was to see a lower case e from a newspaper under a microscope. Sophie said, "You would never think a little thing like a lower case e would be so complex under a microscope."

Spencer MaGill, a junior, sits in his new seat in Mrs. Cole's Honors Math 3 class. He worked on finding the characteristics of rational functions such as domain and range.

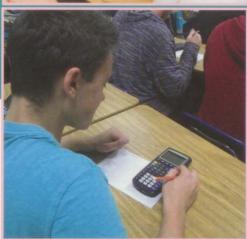
In first period Honors Biology, sophomore Lynzie Smallwood works with a microscope. Lynzie said," I enjoyed the lab experiment because I didn't expect something as simple as a newspaper to look so complex through a microscope! Those kinds of thing intrigue me." **In honors math,** Ryan Cooper completes his warm up and works very hard like he normally does in class..













In Mrs. Robertson's anatomy class, students take notes using their Google Drives. Junior Silvey Rosser said," Using technology is helpful in class, I don't have to worry about losing anything. It's all on my phone."

Tyler Bright, a junior, is sits in his math class graphing the rational function equation on his ti-83 calculator. Tyler was in Mrs. Cole's 5th period Accelerated Math 3 class.

In biology, sophomore Shae Browning learns how to use a microscope. They focused on what the knobs do on the microscope and how to magnify object. Shae said, "Getting to see a new perspective of small organisms is cool."



Sophomore Jake Toney completes a lab in his Honors Biology class during first period. Mrs. Boldt had them look at newspaper print through the microscope to see the aspects of paper that one cannot see with the naked eye.

Was it really easy as pie? For some students science and math just came naturally, but for others, studying came in handy. For big unit tests, students studied the week before, the night before, and for some, the day of. Lucky ones absorbed everything like a sponge. The students who studied the week before tests were normally the students who made the better grade, especially on one of Mrs. Beers' tests. AP Calculus was one of the hardest math classes in the school and all of those students had to study weeks before because they could not get by with studying the day of or only the night before. Honors Chemistry and AP Environmental Science were close seconds in the hardest class categories for science. Non-stop studying occurred for students who took these classes as they were not always a natural subject for students to grasp. When asked about the hardest classes she had taken, Sara Bradley said, "My hardest science class was definitely chemistry. I took it my junior year with Mrs. Beers, and it was very interesting. However, it was hard to remember all of the formulas. I had Mrs. Hightower for math 3. I had a hard time keeping up my grade in that class due to horrible testing skills." No matter the study skills, in the long run, each student strived to succeed in the classes despite their level of difficulty.

Stuff It Up!

Best ways to fill your stomach and your locker.

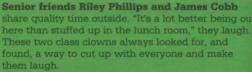
There were many things that students anticipated each year such as homecoming week, Christmas break, Prom, and graduation just to name a few. But while students got excited about these special occasions, which only happened once every year, there was one thing that students looked forward to each and every school day:the bell. Yes, that's right. Students looked forward to hearing that glorious bell each and every day. Why? To a tired and hungry high-school student, the bell represented more than just the end of class; it represented a tiny slice of freedom, if only for five minutes. Between the bells, students found time to mix and mingle, collect their thoughts, and visit their lockers. And lockers at Central were more than just metal boxes. "My locker is my personal space and I love to have it decorated," said Kristen Chismar. Not only did lockers serve as a creative outlet for many people; they also served a practical purpose. From backpacks to calculus books, from tennis shoes to tennis rackets, the contents of a locker were just as unique and unpredictable as the students who owned them. One constant that could be found in most lockers, however, was a lunch box. Because after all, lunch was the most important meal of the day. At least at Central it was. Lunch was more than just, well, lunch. It was the highlight of the day. There was no better bell to hear than the lunch bell (well, besides the release bell anyway). Lunch was where it was at. For the overachieving lunch box enthusiast, a vending machine junkie, or the average lunch-line-waiting kind of kid, lunch was undoubtedly the best part of the day. It was like recess for a teenager, minus the monkey bars of course. Where else would students have been able to get to know each other? It was the perfect setting for mixing and mingling-especially with the new addition of the senior courtyard. Seniors earned the exciting privilege of being able to enjoy the sunshine and cool breeze during the twenty-five minute lunch period. The new picnic style courtyard setting was perfect for the deserving senior class, who, after three years of being the underdogs, finally clawed their way to the top of the food chain. It was also a great privilege that many other underclassman looked forward to.





Junior Kristen Chismar definitely wins the award for best locker. She decorated her personal space with pictures, pink notepads, and little owls. "I like for my locker to be cute and filled with things that I

Senior Matt Rickles visits with friends outside during lunch. "I love the senior courtyard. If there were more tables, I would sit out here every day.' Matt was just one of many seniors who loved the privilege of being outside at lunch.







Junior Maya Babbs enjoys lunch with all her close friends. What makes lunch time even sweeter is that she enjoys lunch before most of her peers. I'm lucky I got first lunch this year!" she laughs.





The lunchroom is always full of surprises. It's no wonder that so many students love this time of the day. Tyler Terry glances at a rowdy table nearby. "Crazy stuff goes on in the lunchroom sometimes! It's hilarious!"





Sophomore Taylor Funk is happy to finally be out of the long lunch line. "The best part about lunch is socializing," she explains. Most students couldn't agree more



Sophomore Alyssa
Paul spends her
lunch at a table full
of juniors! As a 10th
grader, this is her
first year having
upperclassman
lunch. "It's much
more fun than
freshman lunch. The
people i sit with
crack me up!" she
exclaims.



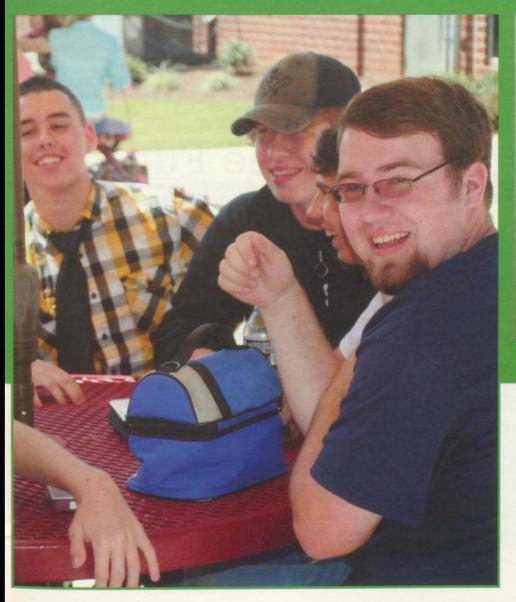
Not every senior chooses to take advantage of the courtyard. Amanda Attison, Kaleb Green, and Rachel Wakefield use their seniority to claim the best lunch tables inside.



Junior Russ Gordon uses his lunch period as a time for texting. Others, like junior Jacob Lane, use the time just just be goofy. "Lunch is a lot more entertaining since we have the new BYOT rules and can use our phones," remarked Russ.



Future Lions let me hear you ROAR
This football season, Central Band,
Football, Cheerleader, and Student
Council Members were able to go
visit all of the Central Cluster Schools
as part of the "Stuck on Central"
Homecoming Celebration. The best
part? "Lunch with the little kids was
precious!" exclaimed Sophie Conerty





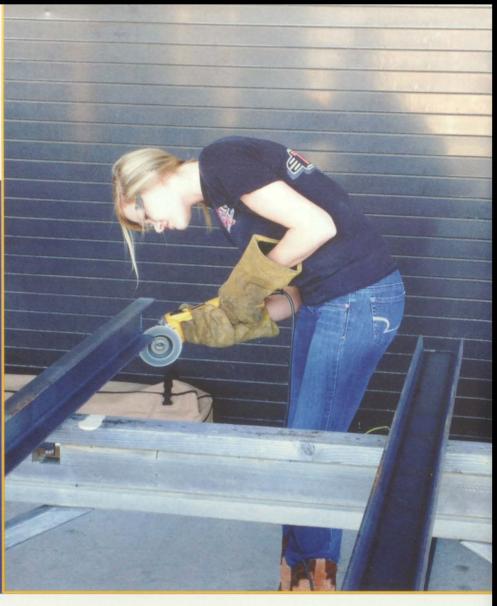
Even lockers can't keep up with everything. Senior Kyle Green, notorious for losing his AP Calculus book, knew that all too well. "Even if I think that I put my book in my locker, I swear it gets lost every single day!" he laughed.

Seniors Dakota Thompson, Tristan Knowles, and Ryan Harris enjoy a picnic lunch in the Senior Courtyard. "It's so much better out here than in that crowded old lunchroom," explained Dakota. The courtyard freed up a lot of space in the lunchroom, benefiting both underclassman as well as seniors.



Who is that? Jake Saunders works in the machine room under the supervision of Mr. Lashley. The agricultural mechanics class prepared for everyday life in the real world.

Kasey White works outside under the working shed grinding metal for a project that her CTAE class is taking part in. Many times the class worked on things around the school such as, teacher desk and walking rails.



Taking Steps Towards the Future

Career Technical Agricultural Education, better known as CTAE, played an extremely vital part in many students' lives throughout the school year. A great number of students chose not only to succeed in their required high school classes, but also to go above and beyond measures to prepare themselves for their lives after high school. Classes were offered to students that wanted to prepare themselves for careers such as teaching, nursing, and engineering. Agricultural Mechanics was also a class offered through the CTAE program. Logan Steed, a student who took part in the agricultural program for all four of her high school years, stated, "Being a part of the CTAE program has taught me a lot about the importance of responsibility and having a good work ethic; it has also allowed me to be able to make a ton of friends since I got to travel to many different states around the United States." Taking part in this program was something that students really had to be passionate about. Most of the classes were off of the school's campus. Students missed a lot of time that they could have had to hang out with their friends, but their classes had to be scheduled differently due to transportation issues. Classes for the Career Technical Agricultural Education program were held at the College and Career Academy. Junior Brooke Carroll said, "Learning in the nursing program was very exciting but also challenging; going off campus every day took some time getting used to, but by the end of the year it was awesome and rewarding because I was getting some of my future nursing classes out of the way."





Mrs. Deana Crews is the adviser of the FEA club, and Yasmine Ellis is a student that takes part in the organization at the Career Academy. The Future Educators Association was an organization that helped prepare students for the teaching world.

Logan Steed is a veteran cattle shower in the FFA club. She won many of the competitions that she took part in all around the state of Georgia.

Emily Coffman and Nicole Finn, members of FEA, volunteer at Central Elementary School's Fall Festival. The girls enjoyed manning the bell ringer booth.













Ryanne Heath works on a nine weeks wiring project. Ryanne stated, "I love working on projects like this because it is getting me ready for life in the future; I can never go wrong if I have these simple skills."

Hope Greer and Payton Miles pair up as a team to man the inflatable slide at the Central Elementary School Fall Festival in September. The Festival helped members of the early childhood class learn how to interact with young children.

Bethany Durrough works to add information to the Early Childhood standard board. This board displayed what was going on in the class and other information that the students might have needed to know.

Jennifer Cabrera works to earn

her daily grade in Health Care Science, This class prepared students for the nursing field and gave them a hands on feeling of what it's like to be a nurse.

Members of the CTAE program help at the fall festival event. This was one of the many things that the program took part in to help the community. Yasmine Ellis stated, "Face painting describes the character of each child; I loved helping out."



Victoria Truett diligently works to find information for her Early Childhood Power Point. She had to deliver a presentation to her class over how to discipline young children effectively.

What is your favorite part of being a CTAE student?



Jacob Warren, a student in the information technology program, says, "It gives me the opportunity to advance my knowledge in the career I want to do, and the hands on learning makes it easier to



Nicole Finn is a member of the Early Childhood program. She says: "My favorite part is being able to experience what it is like to be around young children and being able to participate in child related activities that prepares me for my future."

Si, hablo español

A NEW LANGUAGE. In Spanish class they took it back. Spanish instructors took it back to kindergarten. Spanish teacher Liz Beverly stated,"My favorite part about teaching Spanish is going back to kindergarten. We get to color, sing, dance and do all the things that really makes learning fun." Learning a new language was difficult at times, but the fun activities made it easy to understand. Spanish teacher Ginnett Zabala said that her philosophy was "Monolingualism can be cured." She taught her class that her students' minds were comparable to that of three-year-old native speakers. From learning song lyrics, making grammar wheels, singing "Head, Shoulders, Knees, and Toes," to taking Spanish exams, Spanish class was an old but new adventure. Always hearing Mrs. Zabala scream "Miacules" (Cat Day instead of Hump Day), or hearing singing from Mrs. Smith's class made everyone excited to see what they were doing that day. Spanish teacher Erin Smith shared that her class was "active, energetic, and communicative." True to Mrs. Beverly's word, Spanish class took it back to kindergarten.



Instead of calling out the answer, students in Senora Zabala's class raise their hands and go to the board to write their answers. "Going up to the board makes it easier to get speaking points because I don't like speaking out loud," said junior Averi McDonald.

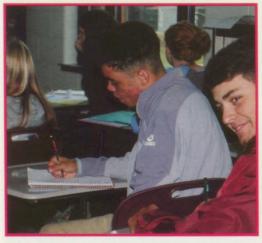
Enjoying class, Senora Beverly's Spanish 2 class learns new vocabulary. They repeated the words after Mrs. Beverly said them. "Studying and learning Mrs. Beverly's hints and tricks for Spanish with all my friends makes learning easy," said senior James Cobb.

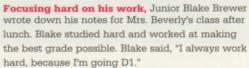
While Mrs. Zabala fills out tutoring passes, the students work on the bell work. Mrs. Zabala offers tutoring every week. Sophomore Lamar Daniel said, "I like how Mrs. Zabala always offers tutoring; it really helps me understand the subject so I can pass the class.

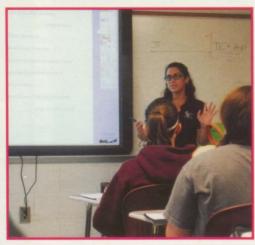












Learning new vocabulary in Mrs. Zabala's class, sophomore Bethany Delekto sits in the front of the class room. Bethany said, "Sitting in the front is great because it helps me stay busy and focus.



Awaiting Mrs. Zabala's arrival, her class works or warm-ups. Sophomore Mitchell Anderson always looked forward to his favorite part of class. Mitchell said, "I always look forward to the part of class were an individual gets to show their personal skills."

ROW PACE IN TO A CANADA AND A C

Working hard in Mrs. Smith's class. After lunch, the students were doing a activity using colored note cards. According to the color of the card the students put either me gusta or no me gusta. Freshman Mallory Geter said, "The flashcards help me get more familiar with the words and its something I can do at home."

What do you think about Spanish?

Freshman Kyle Weers is in Mrs. Smith's 7th period Spanish 1 class. Kyle said," Spanish is interesting to me because I want to learn more about the language.I really enjoy that my teacher talks to us in Spanish and interacts with us! She's very helpful and

considers that we are learning a new language will be difficult, but we can do it."

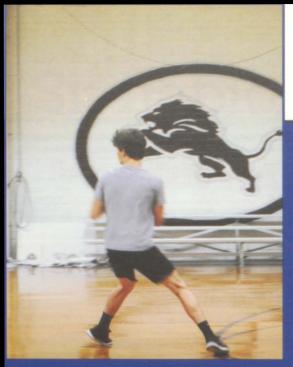




Clapping to the beat. Sophomore Cassie Griffin claps with the rest of her Spanish class. They were clapping to see how many syllables words have. Cassie said, "Doing the hand motions and sounds helps connect the words and I find it easier to learn that way."



Mrs. Smith's afternoon class answers questions about vocabulary. One of Mrs. Smith's Spanish 1 classes, they learned "me gusta" and "no me gusta." Freshman Hannah Rosser said, "Class is energized and entertaining. I feel comfortable and at home in her room."



You're Out! Sophomore Tim Duffey heaves the ball towards the opponent. He was in weight training the class before and used his muscle gain to maximize his throw.

Intimidation. Senior Valera Vandiver and teammates stare down their opponents at the start of the game. Valera and company came up with a scheme in order to win the game, and in the end were successful.



Staying Active

Physical Education

Physical Education, or "P.E." as some called it, was for many students the so called "favorite" class of the day for numerous years. P.E. classes allowed students can relax a little and at the same time stay in shape and be active. P.E. offerd a variety of different activities ranging from volleyball and kickball to running and and push-ups to stay fit. Having P.E. classes offered students the opportunity to exercise and to learn about healthy choices to make with nutrition. Students also freed their minds by getting away from their academic classes and participating in fun and stress-relieving activities. P.E. classes included Team Sports and Weight Training. Senior Kentdrix Chism said he loved his team sports because "It is a time for me to get away from academic classes and have fun." Every week in team sports provided a different activity or sport, ranging from basketball to soccer. Junior Russ Gordon, said that he loved having both weight training and team sports so he could stay fit and healthy as well as active. To say the least, Physical Education was a favorite class of many in Central High School.





Step Back! Sophomore Alan Madison rares back to throw out the opposing team. Alan had previously gotten out, but after a teammate aught a pop fly he was able to return back into he game.

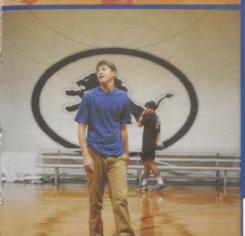
You got Served. Senior Kentdrix Chism lines up his serve for an intense volleyball match. Kentdrix scored multiple points in the match being a huge contributor to his team.

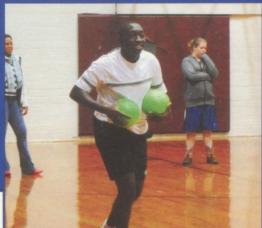
Goin' Hard! Sophomore Dakota Cook opens his palm to make optimal contact as he serves the ball to the opposing team. Coach Ellis's team sports class studied the mechanics of volleyball in November.











Sorry Not Sorry. Sophomore Nic Dye gets out in dodge ball. He was happy to finally be playing, but shortly after, he was hit and forced to go to the bench.

Tag Team! Junior Brandon Justice and Senior Jathem Teal come together and both throw dodge balls at a player in the hopes of getting them out. They had formed a team at the beginning of class and devised a rewarding strategy.

Keep it Coming! Junior Quinton Houston retrieves two dodge balls in the hopes of staying in the game. Quinton was still in the game after many of his teammates had gotten out, and he tried to hold the team together.

Watch Out!

Senior James Cochran ducks down just before the ball comes at his head. He had just came back on to the court from getting out and was not about to go back out again!



Throw! Junior Rhett Duffey grabs a ball to project at his friend on the other team. They had tried to get on the same team but instead were faced with playing against each other.

Stop, Plant,

Spike! Junior CJ Pope jumps after the ball, saving it from going out, and at the same time spiking it across the net to gain his team a point. CJ had recently set the ball the time before and was ready to unleash power and spike the ball.

Favorite Class? George Bugni's first time in a Team Sports class was Coach

Zackery's 4th period . George, a sophomore, said that Team sports is "by far my favorite class of the day." Team Sports offers a variety of different sports and activities and when asked, George commented that "playing football is my favorite thing to do in Team Sports.'

Mane Attraction

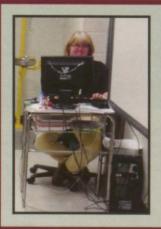
members Brandy Wilcox, Jessica Dixon, Jacob Clark, Dayton Peek, Brianna Pitts, Katelyn Powers, and Madison Nelms begin their afterschool practice by warming up their voices. Choir member Dayton Peek said, "I spend around four hours a week after school."



All the band members practice diligently after school. Senior trombone player Jonathan Kuzy said, "I practice band for about ten hours a week."

The end-of-school bell at 3:15 hardly ended the day for students. Multiple activities occupied their after school hours. Students involved in sports spent many hours on the field, the gym floor, on the mats, or in the weight room. Band members practiced on weekdays and on weekends. Chorus practiced every Wednesday after school. Brandy Wilcox, a Central senior and show choir member, said, "I spent about two hours every Wednesday after school, this school year." Some students spent extra hours in the classroom as they attended tutoring sessions or completed makeup assignments. While Spanish seemed to be the most populated tutoring sessions in the afternoon, many students also stayed after for help in their math and science classes. In addition to extracurricular school activities, many students reported to work after school. Captain D's, Kroger, Sonic, and Food Depot provided jobs for many students. When students finally made their way home, they knew that an evening of studying awaited them. Math problems, Spanish and English vocaulary words, and AP readings kept students up late, yet also teaching them how to manage their time wisely. Students loved their down time on the weekends and over breaks.





Extended Days

Though a teacher's day officially ends at 3:45, many teachers spend much longer at school to catch up on grading, prepare lessons, provide tutoring, or fulfill coaching or extracurricular duties. Mrs. Jane Lyons often works in her room until 6:00 or 7:00 PM.

Final Product. In addition to practicing long hours after school, cheerleaders spend time painting run thru signs for football games.



Freshmen Jacob Cramer and Josh Flournoy stay after school for extra help in Physical Science. The pair stayed after school for tutoring with Mrs. Lyons.



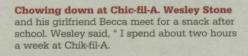
Look at those legs! Junior Scott Anderson finds time for a photo shoot after school. He was featured on the cover of Tanner Health Center's quarterly magazine, which featured an article on athletic injuries.







Senior Bethany Durrough babysits after school every Wednesday. She watches the kids for about two and a half hours. Bethany said, "I have been babysitting off and on since sophomore year."



Thursday afternoon football. and The JV football team plays their games on Thursdays after school, and many students also stay to watch.



Rain or shine, the band always practices after school. Richard Brice said, "I spend around ten hours a week at band practice."

Cornhole, anyone? Members of FFA engage in a fierce cornhole tournament after school. Students in Mr. Lashley's ag classes built the platforms in class and decided to try them out after hours.



Rhett Duffey, Jackson
Lewis, Brandon Justice,
and Holden Anderson love
their Tacoma trucks. Calling
themselves "The Tacoma
Crew," they always made
sure their trucks ran in top
condition, and of course that
they had enough gas to get
to school.



William Mead, Olivia Holloway, and Kyle Werner enjoy driving their Dodge Charger and Ford Mustangs. Olivia said, "It's my baby!"



Start Your Engines

The variety of cars and year models was vast in the student lot. With the exception of some lucky sophomores, the cars mainly belonged to juniors and seniors. The year models ranged from 1990's to 2014, and the cars types went from beat up trucks that could have been passed down the generations to brand new mustangs and other sports cars. Of course, the huge trucks were right in the mix of the different vehicles driven to school. Most of the senior boys drove the big trucks that were in the parking lot. The juniors followed in the footsteps of the seniors by getting lifts, rims, and sound systems put in their trucks. With driving, came a great responsibility as well as a bit of a risk. Shortly before school started Brooke Carroll was in a wreck. She said, "I was terrified. I didn't drive for a month, and had only had my car for a week. I also cried for days after the wreck, but the woman I hit was a hippie, so she was really cool and okay with it." Of course, students heard one mantra from parents and teachers alike: "Don't text while driving!"



Junior Kirey Thompson drives a '68 Cutlass. He loves his car and definitely shows it off. To ensure that people know the car's owner, Kirey sported a specialty license plate with his name on it.



Emily Coffman and Payton Miles both drive beautiful cars. They are best friends and even have similar car types! How cool is that?!



Darby Turner, Anna Schulenburg, and Mary Katheryn Denmon (MK) love their cars so much that they named them. Darby named her 2003 Isuzu Rodeo car Bonnie, Anna named her 2001 Kia Soul Keely, and Mary Katheryn, owner of a 2008 Chevy Equinox, named hers Ella.



Nicole Poncela enjoys her 2013 Ford Focus. When asked about her favorite Focus feature, she said, "Oh, absolutely the color. It is awesome man!"



Anna Rainwater and Amber Tolbert both have a Kia Sportage. Since they both transport their siblings, the Sportage suits them well.



Cullen Morehead, Wesley Stone, and Chase Detscher are all best friends, and they share an affinity for big jacked up trucks. Their trucks attract some of the ladies and are very well known in the parking lot. The boys like to listen to their music turned up all the way.

Junk In Your Trunk







Junior Caroline Conerly definitely has some interesting stuff in her trunk. Caroline traveled with the softball team to play in the elite 8. Caroline did not unpack for days after she returned. She transported a pillow and her bag full of clothes, packed up in the back of her car, back and forth to school for a week. Sydney Reeves, a member of the color guard, has binders and horseback riding gear thrown into her trunk, along with jumper cables. Sydney is always on the go, so that explains why all the junk is in her trunk. Maybe she won't need those cables, but it is always good to be prepared.

Jacob Orbeck and Logan

Green take a break from volunteering at their church's summer camp to get a picture with Will Smith, the son of our own Monica Smith. Jacob and Logan both stayed busy over the summer, but Logan said the part he enjoyed most was "getting to hang out with the kids and teach them valuable lessons."



The ladies of NHS.

JamieLee Korolovich, Haleigh
Hughes, and Rachel
Wakefield decide which gifts
to include in the gift boxes.
NHS packed boxes for
Operation Christmas Child.
The organization sends boxes
filed with various items to
send overseas to children in

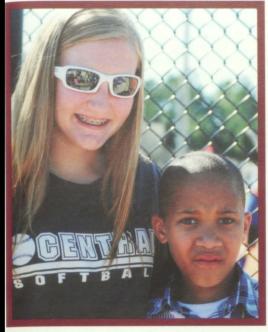


Going the Extra Mile Volunteering at CHS

Volunteering was a huge part of Central High School. CHS offered many new opportunities for students to serve other students, their school, and the surrounding community. There were many clubs that were deeply involved in CHS that any student could have served in. This year students at CHS were engaged and active in the community. Students volunteered at many school events, and even some that weren't on school campus. Sophomore Emily Robison enjoyed volunteering at the Fall Special Olympics in Dalton, Georgia. She said, " I enjoy the look on the kids' faces when they achieve their goals! The athletes are so much fun to be around and make life special." There were many events hosted by Central High School, The Art Department created the posters used in the Homecoming Parade. This was a rigorous task, but was completed by a very dedicated group of artists. They went above and beyond and sacrificed much of their free time, including weekends. Senior Art Club President Jasmine Johnson said, "My favorite part of working with art club was seeing how commitment and dedication from such a small group can make such a huge impact." No matter what the project or activity, students at Central High were eager to pitch in and help out.



Senior David Jenkins volunteers with his younger brother's football team. David was one of the assistant coaches.



Emily Robison likes to spend her free time volunteering with the Special Olympics. She is a regular partner, and her favorite part is "spending time with the athletes and seeing them accomplish their goals."



Chaney Lambert wraps a present despite not knowing who it is going to. The Beta Club bought and wrapped gifts to give to families going through tough times this past Christmas.



Andrew Cook and Chaz Velez test out some of the toys that were packed into boxes for Operation Christmas Child. The boys got to pass on all the fun they had on to someone else in a less fortunate country



Spencer MaGill finishes up wrapping a present for a child in need. This Christmas the Beta Club sponsored children and bought various presents to put under the tree.



Senior Katie-Beth Walls joins her parents and brother every year to help them spread Christmas cheer to local children. Katie Beth's favorite part is "seeing the smiles on the children's faces and bringing joy to them. The holidays are everyone's favorite season so it's great getting to help out."

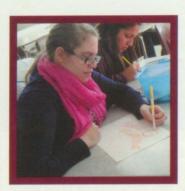
Christmas Crafts



Whether it was giving gifts to children in other countries or the ones around Carrollton, the students of CHS helped show people the true meaning of Christmas. Many students got involved and had an impact on the lives of complete strangers in



a big way. Both the Beta Club and National Honor Society got involved in the festivities, either wrapping presents, filling shoe boxes for underprivileged children, or just sitting down and making cards for them.



Working for the...

From 8:15 in the morning on Monday until 3:15 in the afternoon on Friday, everyone looked forward to a weekend of fun and relaxation with family and friends. Teachers spent weekends attending their children's sporting events, grading papers, or hanging out with family and friends to watch a ball game. Students went to mud bogs, bonfires, hung out at the ball field, went fishing, hunting, attended concerts, relaxed, and even finished up homework. The weekend allowed everyone to put aside worries and enjoy the two days of freedom they had from school. Senior Hunt Saunders said, "I love to hunt, fish and spend time with my family and friends at our hunting land. I enjoy spending time in the woods; it helps clear my head after a long week at school." Other students preferred indoor activities. Sophomore Becca Dawson said, "I like to spend time relaxing, shopping, spending time with friends, and I also enjoy doing arts and crafts, and playing video games or attending photo shoots."

Teacher Cynthia Beers said she enjoyed spending her free time going to concerts, camping, going on day trips with her family, and reading for pleasure. The diversity among CHS was evident; however, the population of Central had one thing in common: they enjoyed having free time.



Mrs. Beers and her family visit a children's museum in Atlanta. Her children Connor and Zachary enjoyed using a pulley system by pulling themselves off the ground with a rope while being pulled up a metal pole. Mrs. Beers said,"I love trips like these. The boys have fun and its a good learning experience!"



Sophomore Becca Dawson poses for a Lifestyle photo shoot in Piedmont Park. Becca passion. I love fashion!

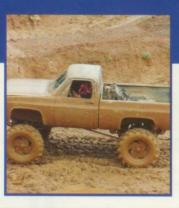


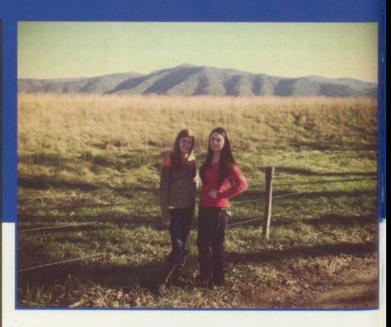
Freshman Taylor Swanger enjoys babysitting in nine months. Taylor said, "I love kids! They are so sweet, and they are so much easier to deal with.

Dirtroad Diaries

Senior Laci Meeks is one of Central High School's only girls to compete at mudbogs and race. Laci said, "I compete every time I get the chance. We travel all over racing! I'm the only girl here locally that has her own truck. I enjoy mudbogging and I love winning! The feeling is phenomenal!!! From the late nights working on the truck to the early morning race days I wouldn't trade any of it for the world. I love what I do and I love having so many fans supporting me in the stands and on the side lines! Racing is my passion and I can't imagine my life without it. I live by the quote, 'Love to dance and love to flirt, ain't afraid of a

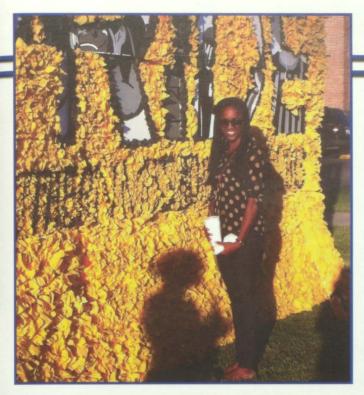






Sophomores Emily Scoggins and Jordan Whitley visit Cade's Cove during a weekend trip to Gatlinburg, Tennessee. Jordan went with Emily's family. Emily said, "I had an ecstatic weekend with my best friend. Good

little dirt'."



Mrs. Ford, a new teacher at Central High School attends a homecoming tailgate are her alma mater, the University of Southern Mississippi. It is located in Hattiesburg, MS. Mrs. Ford said, "I traveled about 6 hours to be there. I think I was holding a hot-dog and a coke. The float says, "Never hide that eagle pride." I had a great time with one of my best friends Kim."



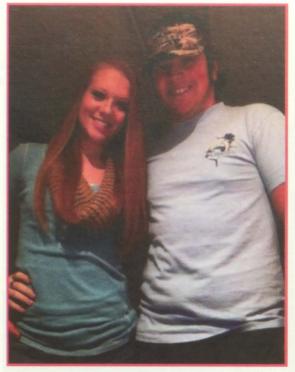
Sophomore Tabitha Turner and her friend Kelsey spend their weekends decorating t-shirts and participating in a car wash for Kelsey's church. The International House of Prayer youth group spent the day raising money and raised around \$500. Tabitha said, "I enjoyed dancing around and singing with people."



Seniors Chase Detscher, Carlee Jenkins, Chaney Lambert, Amy McBrayer, Wesley Stone, Cullen Morehead, Makaylin Taylor, and Luke Sims enjoy a weekend at Lake Wedowee. They all had a great time at the Stone's lakehouse. Amy McBrayer said, "It was so much fun. We went at the beginning of senior year, and it got the year started off right with so many memories of us tubing, Wesley doing back flips, and surfing!"



Senior Hunt Saunders catches a brown trout while fishing in North Carolina in October. Hunt was on a family vacation. Saunders said, "It was very relaxing and exciting because it was my first time going.



Senior Madison Eidson and junior Tyler Dukes enjoy spending time just being with each other. They love to laugh and smile and make jokes. Madison said, "When I think of something that describes us, I think of this quote... 'Our love is sweet, our love is true. If there's

one thing to say, it's I Love You!"

Seniors Joseph Graham and Lauren Smith
have been together since she was sixteen. They
were best friends even before they began to date.

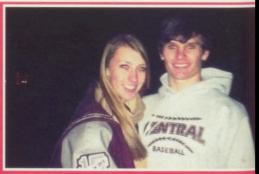
Lauren said, "The most important thing to
remember in a relationship is that, above all else,
you're still best friends."



Stop! In the Name of Love.

Getting out-and staying out-of the friend zone.

Dating in high school was an art. It required effort, thought, and sometimes even creativity to make a relationship work, especially when people were constantly changing. So what was the key to a successful relationship? "The most important thing to remember in a relationship is that, above all else, you're still best friends," advised Lauren Smith. This was likely the same advice one would have received from any successful teenage couple. Relationships that lasted were about more than just infatuation and short-lived teenage crushes. Relationships that lasted were about laughter and goofiness. Relationships that lasted were about compromise and working together. Relationships that lasted were about trust and accountability And more than anything, relationships that lasted were about old-fashioned genuine love and friendship. Sometimes, though, in high school, relationships were short-lived and just a time to meet new people and have fun together. There were many different activities that students liked to do when going on a date. Some people enjoyed going to the movies while others enjoyed bowling with friends- anything to have a good time. The most important thing to high schoolers was making memories so that they could look back on their teenage years and smile. Students took any opportunity to meet new people and form new relationships. They may have dated some of their fellow Central High School peers, or they may have even chosen to step out of their comfort zone and date someone from a different school, city, county, state, province, territory, country, continent, world, and/or galaxy (these people may or may not exist.) Whatever their preference of person or wherever their choice of date night vas, all Central High School students agreed that dating was one of the most exciting things about high school.





Cassie Griffin and Aaron Startup are both members of the class of 2016. After the homecoming Powderpuff game Aaron said, "We didn't win but my girl played great!" Both were key member of their team during homecoming.

Seniors Joseph Mashburn and Megan Bolt have been together since school started. Joseph said, "Our relationship isn't like any other. We have so much fun together, and she is the most amazing girl!" They hope to finish out senior year with each

Seniors Anna Wolford and Dakota Harry enjoy spend time together. They love to either hang out

with friends or go to a bonfire. Anna said, "We just like to hang out with each other and have fun!"













Juniors Kirey Thompson and Jessica Pelaez have been together since last year. Jessica enjoys watching Kirey play football; after every game they would relax and watch a movie. Jessica said, "We go by the quote, "Good relationships don't just happen; they take time, patience and two people who truly want to work to be together."

Sophomores Emily Robison and Bryce McNulty go on a date to Mr. Shucks pumpkin patch and corn maze. They have been dating over half a year. Bryce said, "I enjoy spending time with her. We are always laughing.'

Freshmen Camille Heath and Dawson Hunt have known each other since middle school. The pair even went to the eighth grade ball together. "I couldn't have asked for a better girl, " says Dawson.

Senior Tucker Musick has been girlfriend, junior Bailey Thomas, ever since his junior year of high school. Tucker says, "Bailey is my other half." The two even went to prom together after Tucker asked Bailey to be his date with tons of balloons and lots of effort.



Senior Meredith Walker has been dating her boyfriend, Central Alumnus Jonathan Brown, for over a year. "He asked me out on the bus home from a football game," she says. "It was so cute!" The two met in band. Meredith keeps a picture of him hanging in her locker.

High School Sweethearts

Elizabeth Minick & Jacob Barnes are an iconic couple at Central. Elizabeth says " We've been dating for over 2 years now– all of our high school careers. We



are BEST friends! We love to just have a great time together and be n each other's company. To be in a long term relationship like ours, ve've had to work on communication and encouraging each other in verything we do in order to make things work. And we may go through bumps in the road, but in the long run everything works out and we love each other even more than before! God has blessed us with an amazing relationship.

Trend Spotter

Fashion fades. Style is Eternal.

What's your style?

Many images came to mind when hearing the word fashion: shoes, skirts, scarves, and any other article of clothing. Style, on the other hand, was a bit more persona: the filter on top of the picture, the filling inside of a Dunkin Donut, the individuality which drives a person to unique acts of expression. Without style, the students of Central High might as well had been assigned to wear uniforms. Instead, the hallways were the runways where fresh fits were modeled on a daily basis! Senior Arlene Cler described style as "the way to say who you are without having to speak." She goes on to say, "I want to be a successful doctor in the future. I want people to look at me and see a confident and devoted person before I even say one word!" Some students sported highfashion hair hyped up with curls, color, or cuts. There was a display of every color in the rainbow on the heads of students as they sat in the classrooms. Girls showed their princess sides with a decorative assortment of accessories to amp up their wardrobe. Distracting as it may sound, the student body remained focused on the academic side while still exercising their freedom of expression!

Making a Mark. Conner Eldred begins his high school experience. He believes that first impression are the most important factors in building relationships.

What's Hot?

Top Brands

Many Crowns

nior Jasmine Johnson is classmates looked forward to seeing which hairstyle she selected each morning. long, straight hair. Everyone was used to that look. I found it boring and expected. In the year, I was ready for a curly hair. My brother said I looked like a tennis ball! That was the day I really became myself. I want to make a statement everywhere I go. I'll be more memorable being myself than I would trying to follow the crowd." Jasmine followed the mantra of Coco Chanel: "A woman who cuts students used their hairstyles and clothing to express their unique style, and relished in being able to change it.

»» Nike

»» 2 Forever 21

»» **3** American Eagle

»» 4 H&M

»» **5** Ralph Lauren Polo





Wrap it up! Sophomores Myranda Jiles and Haley Harrison select scarves as a way to accessorize. Haley says, "A scarf is an easy way to dress up without even trying!" Scarves were a hot item among female members of the student

Chevron tops. The girls sport similar tops with the exact same sandal! What a coincident!

Dress to impress. Roy Hobbs, Tim Duffey, and Jake Toney grab attention with their timeless style. On game days when athletes wore their best, many guys opted for bow ties instead of the traditional necktie.





"Shine Bright like a Diamond."

Quinn Evans rocks an elegant hair brooch. When asked if there is any emotional attachment to the piece, Quinn said, "Not Really, I just think it's pretty."



Let down your hair. This real-life Repunzel has "perfect" hair! Senior Morgan Richardson's soft curls reflect her gentle character. This character ultimately led the girls to vote her as the Varsity Football Cheerleading Sweetheart in the fall.

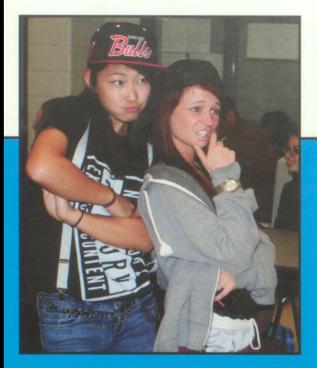




"Life is too short to wear boring jewelry." Senior Jamie Lee Korolovich is known for her gregarious personality. Her jewelry collection expresses the same vibel

Speak Silently. Senior Rachel Wakefield graces the hallways every day with her effortless style. Rachel describes style as "being able to show others who you are and how you feel that day based on what you are wearing."





Embracing their inner Rap, seniors Rebekah Smith and Michaela Cubitt model rappers during their lunch period. These outfits were put together for Wednesday's theme, "Music Genre Day." Because this homecoming was their last, they made the best of it.

Juniors Caroline Conerly, Quinn Evans, Darby
Turner, and Bailey Thomas show their love for Twin Day
on Tuesday with utfits each imitating a different super
hero. Bailey Thomas shares, "I think that our outfits stood
out around the school, I really enjoyed twin day."



Sounds of Homecoming

Dress up Days

At the beginning of every school year, students got excited about homecoming week. Everyone wondered what the theme of the week was going to be. This year the student body was thrilled to hear that the theme was Sounds of Homecoming. On Monday students enjoyed their fall break and planned the outfits that they were going to wear throughout the week. Tuesday morning many students met each other so that they could walk into school dressed like twins. There were twins ranging from Starbucks Coffee to Marathon Runners. Anna Schulenburg said, "this years twin day was one to remember. All of my friends and I dressed up like Falcon Fans to show our passion for homecoming twin day." Wednesday was set around the actual theme of homecoming. Every grade had its own music genre. Freshmen dressed disco, Sophomores were displayed as pop, Juniors modeled country stars, and Seniors filled the genre of rap. There were many music stars being emulated around the halls, such as Two Chainz, Taylor Swift, and Miley Cyrus. Ms. Walker shared, "I grew up in the Disco - 'Staying Alive' was the best movie ever!" To show her enthusiasm and personal connection to her grade's genre, she wore tie dye and an afro. Thursday lit a spark in the school. There were neon colors everywhere. From head to toe, all grades

spark in the school. There were neon colors everywhere. From head to toe, all grades dressed in neon. This day had the most participation. Everybody loved making the hall extra bright in their neon colors. "Neon day was the best day during homecoming week; I loved this day because it was different, we have never had a neon day before," stated Emily Willett. The last day of homecoming was dedicated to school spirit. The school colors maroon, gray, white, and black were displayed around the school by each grade. Of course the seniors were decked out in all black to show their seniority. William Meade expressed, "Hanging out with my friends and dressing up is something that I'll never forget."





A spirited sophomore class takes the time to organize shirts to represent their class at the pep rally. These students decked out in gray to support their grade's designated color for



Sophomores Myranda Jiles and Savannah McWhorter dress as the "before and after" styles of pop star Miley Cyrus. During the day, Savannah shared that she received many comments and compliments on her superb and accurate outfit.

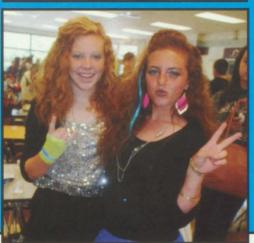


Finally able to wear black, seniors display their school and class spirit on Friday for the Pep Rally festivities and competitions. Brittany Reese stated, "I loved dressing in black; it showed my authority."





Radiant and colorful team sports students Karley Strike a Pose. True to Madonna's hit song, Runels, Mattie Hutcheson, Will Sheffield, and Cassie Griffin enjoy their first class on Thursday while sporting the appropriate and bright attire for 'Neon Day'. Karley explained, "I enjoyed this day because I was able to shine throughout the day.".



sophomores Sydney Stone and Cassie Griffin model the pop start look that captures Wednesday's theme. Cassie stated, "The best part was being able to tease my hair!"



Brightening the day, Freshmen Logan North and Merideth Johnson are covered from head to toe in an assortment of florescent clothing for Thursday's 'Neon Day.' The two girls spent Thursday at cluster schools campaigning the theme "Stuck on Central."

Savvy and matching in pink boas with black shirts, the entire second floor faculty comes together for a group picture that reflects their motif for "Twin Day."

Student Council members dress in all neon on Wednesday. Through out home coming week they dressed to impress all of the county cluster schools. Homecoming pep rallies were held at Roopville, Whitesburg, and Central.



Frat Alert! Seniors James Cochran and Matt Rickles successfully attempt to resemble twinning prep students on Tuesday. From bow ties and button ups to high colorful socks, these outfits were worn to a 'T'. As their last year to dress up, James shared, "We thought we should go all out with it being our last chance to be involved with dress up days."

Favorite Day??



I liked rap day because it allowed me to break dress code, I got to walk by Dr. Harman sagging my pants without her telling me to pull them up. I was not dressing up though, I was revealing my inner rapper. "

James Moye



County music day was my favorite day fun. I think everyone had a blast. It was easy to participate.

-Will Sheffield

Huddle up for Homecoming







Uniting in the same mind set and game plan, the junior team huddles to prepare for the task ahead. The 11th grade proved their skills and defeated a spirited sophomore class and played a close game against the seniors for first place. Purple and all, the juniors made a successful run during the powder puff events. Pictured to the right, this same junior class captures the moment with coaches and fellow teammates.

New to the powder puff games, the freshmen end the day in smiles after an exciting day of relentless competitions and passionate plays. This class of ninth graders remained dedicated and motivated during the challenges that each game brought in the intimate setting of the gym on Friday.

Central's student body was known for operating

as one big family. However, that family was divided during the week of Homecoming. To end a festive week of costumes and excitement, the girls competed in intense Powder Puff games on Friday. Each grade level players wore colorful and thought provoking shirts on the much anticipated game day. When the day finally arrived, each grade was heated and prepared to take care of business on the court. With each class having a competitive drive to taste the thrills of victory, the seemingly casual games grew fierce. Seniors were especially motivated by a 'last chance at victory' motto and behavior. Underclassmen were equipped and chomping at the bit to take a stab at defeating the impressive senior class. Proving their genuine authority and seniority, a spirited senior class prevailed in the end, closing out a memorable week.

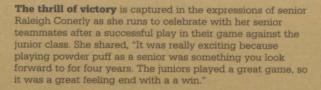


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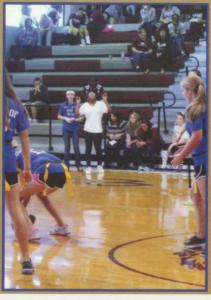
Michaela Cubitt served as vital player to the senior powder puff team. With this year's game being hands down the most memorable one to her, she shared, "It was our last chance to shine and show our skills!" A key to their success and making the games genuinely fun was the unity that her senior class displayed while being full of spirit and pep. Michaela went into these games with one goal: to score a touchdown. She came out victorious, accomplishing this goal in perfect timing, for this was her last chance at a powder puff touchdown.



Satisfied after a win over the freshmen class, sophomore players and coaches gather to commemorate a Homecoming week filled with spirit and rivalries. The class finished the day 1-1 after a loss to the juniors and a memorable win over the freshmen.



Freshman Mattie Dodson prepares to hike the ball in an attempt to get points on the board for her freshmen team during their first game against the seniors. She explained, "I think our class played well, and we're ready to take them on again next year!".







A victorious senior class celebrates a hard fought win against the junior class. It was the student's last chance at a claim to victory, and they proved to be not only the victors, but also a class with dedication and spirit like no other. The class events during Homecoming week created memories to last a lifetime.

Motivated to beat the seniors, Junior Hayley Sims reaches to secure the football in the midst of a fierce game against the senior class. She explained later, "Powder Puff means so much to me. I needed to catch that pass not for myself but for my class of 2015 family!"

Concentrating on the the game, Seniors Sherae Bonner and Daysi Escobar prepare to make a defensive statement by holding the junior class from scoring a touchdown. Sherae shared, "It was my last powder puff game, and we needed to win to leave a good mark for the senior class of 2014."



Down Memory Lane

In 2010, Central High School brought back the Homecoming Parade. The parade allowed the community to come together and get excited for the upcoming football game Friday night. The parade featured homecoming representatives, sweethearts from school organizations, cheerleaders and football players, and kids from Central cluster schools. The female homecoming representatives were excited to dress up in prom dresses, and the boys were excited about the cool cars and trucks they got to ride in. The JROTC began the parade marching with flags, and they preceded a loud roar from Central High School's Marching Pride Band. The elected sweethearts for every club and sport followed the band in an entourage of sports cars, both classic and exotic, big trucks, and several jeeps. Homecoming court representatives emerged after the sweethearts waving to family and friends. The crowd yelled for their favorite candidates and raved about who they thought would be the next Homecoming King and Queen. The crowd of the parade got the football players enthused for the game. They yelled and cheered even louder as they drove by, and the football players and cheerleaders felt such pride knowing they had such a big support system. For many it was their first time ever being involved in a parade. For Junior Garrett Suthard, the experience was "very unique due to the excitement that the community brought to the atmosphere!" For others, they simply enjoyed the school spirit and the memories it gave the students. Mrs Duffey said, "I loved seeing the smiling faces and the crowds cheering on the kids. You could feel the support from the community." For others it was their final time of being in a homecoming parade. Senior Cheerleader Elyssa Jordan said, "It was exciting seeing my friends and throwing candy and just being able to be apart of a parade my senior year!" It created several memories for those who never had the opportunity to be in a parade before, and it also added more memories to those who would be graduating this year. Cheerleading Coach Kaci Eady said, "Since it was my first year teaching here I was excited about the parade. It was a huge success and I can't wait to watch it grow every year!"





Central High School's JROTC leads the marching pride band at the beginning of the parade. The Suthard said, "I had the best time! It was awesome!

Central High School's Marching Pride Band astonishes the crowd as they come around the corner playing. Everyone yelled as they got louder and louder. Mr Ruby said, "The kids did great. We



her best friend. She was the FBLA's sweetheart representative. Quinn said, "It was a great time. I had a blast. I loved getting to be a sweetheart!!!"

Junior Quinn Evans throws up a peace sign to







Sandy Duffey leads a pack of Junior Lionbackers through the homecoming parade. Boys and Girls from Central's Cluster schools attended to see their friends in the parade. Mrs. Duffey said, "The kids had the best time. It was their first time in a parade!



T.J. Dunson, Makaylin Taylor, and Katie Beth Walls throw candy to family and friends. They rode on Katie Beth's dads work truck. T.J. said, "We tried to eat most of the candy, but Makaylin and Katie Beth made us throw it to the kids."



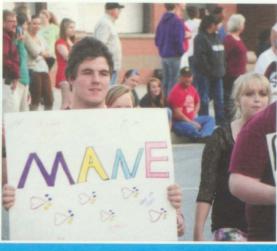
Freshmen Lauren Huff smiles big and waves to family as she drives by. Lauren said, "It was my first time ever on homecoming court, and I was so excited to be a representative."





Sophomore Sambau Ly waves to the band as he drives by. Sambau represented the sophomore class for homecoming. Sambau said, "Yeah... I got to ride on top of a big truck. Anytime you get to do that its fun!"

Senior Michaela Cubitt absorbs all the smiles and laughter as she looks around. She is a homecoming representative for the senior class. Michaela said, "The best part was seeing everyone have a good time."



Senior Jacob Clark walks with the chorus in the homecoming parade. This was the chorus' first time being in the parade. Jacob Clark said, "This was actually my first time being in a parade, and I was with my friends so it was fun!"

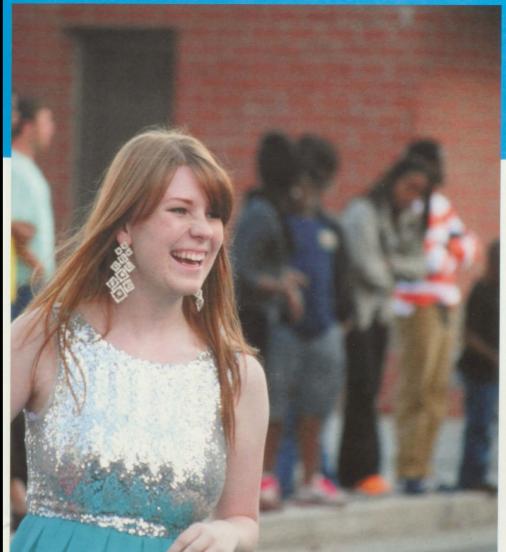
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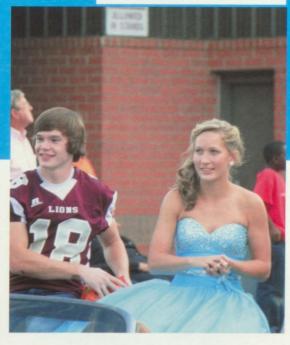
Senior Jalen
Dukes march
in the



Dukes marches in the homecoming parade, playing the tuba, with Central High School's Marching Pride

Band. Jalen said, "I was proud of seeing one of my best friends, Jacob Orbeck, on homecoming court and in the parade again. I enjoyed being a part of my senior year homecoming parade. It created a lot of great memories!"





Junior homecoming representatives Elizabeth

Minick and Jacob Barnes throw candy to friends and family. They both enjoyed having the opportunity to be in the homecoming parade and riding together. Jacob said, "It was fun. I enjoyed being with my girlfriend and eating candy. It was just a good time."

Senior Sydney North is National Honors Society sweetheart representative. Sydney was seen smiling and laughing throughout the entire parade. Sydney said, "I loved it. Out of all the parades I have been in, this one was the best!"

Homecoming
All hail the Queen and King.

Senior Logan Steed receives the coveted title of homecoming queen. She was elected onto the court by her peers. "I was so shocked. I still can't believe it!," beamed Logan.

Senior Sherae Bonner is honored to be crowned as the 2013 Homecoming Princess.







Madison Simmons



Haley Bayne



Jessica Pelaez





Candice Copeland



Kyndal Austin











Lindsey Ortiz



Lauren Huff



Homecoming was a celebration and a week that all students looked forward to. It was filled with many fun activities like powder puff and the homecoming parade. Though students enjoyed dressing up on theme days and engaging in class competitions, they eagerly gathered at Roy Richards Stadium to see the week culminate with the proclamations of Homecoming King and Queen. 2012 King Stephon O'Neal crowned Jacob Orbeck as king during Pre-Game festivities, while 2012 queen Hayley Scott presented the crown to Logan Steed at halftime.

Jacob Orbeck is honored to receive the title of homecoming king from his senior peers.

Elijah Ross is excited to be named homecoming prince of the 2014 senior class.





Kyle Green



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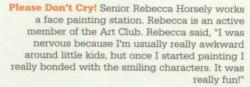




Homecoming Court



Superheros unite! Children from the Central Cluster elementary schools parade around the cars in Trunk - Treat.





Trunk-r-Treat

It's for the kids

Halloween was near. The Beta Club focused on the children of the Carroll County area once again. When the club's sponsor, Mrs. Beverly, was asked about the inspiration behind Trunk or Treat, Mrs. Beverly replied, "The inspiration came from the Beta club officers in 2012. I suggested a service project that would be a cluster event, and they jumped at the idea of finding a way to showcase all of the great clubs, activities, and athletics that the elementary school students could start looking forward to being a part of one day. I can't take credit for the idea; it was a great group of student leaders that came up with the idea and it is an amazing group of high school students, sponsors, and coaches that make it happen." The Beta Club organized the second annual trunk or treat for October 29, 2013. Each club supported the event by not only bringing in bags and bags of candy, but also by developing themes and costumes to thrill the children who visited. It was the perfect time to stop worrying about the stresses of being a teenager and channel the "inner kid" present in everyone. Mencius Book said, "The great man is he who does not lose his child's heart." Around 5:30 the decorated vehicles began to fill their spaces, along with excited passengers. It was apparent that club members took advantage of this time to show off their creativity. Soon a line of excited bumblebees, supermen, witches, and many more special guests formed outside if the gate. The small children and the event's hosts were equally anxious for an evening of sugar and smiles.





Making a difference. HOSA members pass out candy to excited children. Anna Rainwater, Ciara Lewis, and Silvia Rosser are a part of an

the health care industry and enhances the delivery of quality health care to all people.





Celebrity status. The lead characters from the marching band's show entertain trunk-r-treaters. Mr. and Mrs. Potato Head always wow the kids on the field. Seeing the character close up was a huge thrill for the children!

Tradition starts early. A youngster displays lion pride at a young age. Tradition is defined as a long-established or inherited way of thinking or organization that "promotes career opportunities in acting. The lion tradition is engraved with determination, intelligence, and excellence.





Out of this world. Children are blown away by the first trunk on display for the event. The Beta Club transformed Anna Schulenburg's trunk into an outer space scene.

Born to be wild. Arlene Cler, Daysi Escobar, Rachel Wakefield, and Meredith Walker show their cavewoman instincts. The queens of the jungle represent the Key Club. Daysi, a senior, says,"We were going for the theme The Croods; it was a funny cartoon movie and a fun way to dress up."





Catch that wave. Macy Walker embraces a little duckling next to the Beta Club's ocean themed trunk. Macy arrived early on the scene to decorate. She really loves anything that involved small children.

barnyard. FFA brings a miniature farm. Chickens their appearance at this special event. One member even

and rabbits made wanted to bring an alpaca to the party, but he wouldn't fit in her car.

The Lioness Club members show their tough side by modeling football uniforms for the kids. Mama D is definitely #1, Curtis Davenport's number one fan.



g! Snow White walks around the cars at Trunk-r-Treat in hopes of scoring some candy. She stole the hearts of many as she made her rounds!

The Child Within (Literally)



Mrs. Robertson

took part in the festivities, accompanied by the Junior Varsity Cheerleaders, with a spirited trunk! She was excited to be among so many small children as she was expecting her own bundle of joy. The JV Cheering car featured a lions theme, complete with stuffed lions, pom poms, and megaphones filled with candy.

God Bless America

Veteran's Day

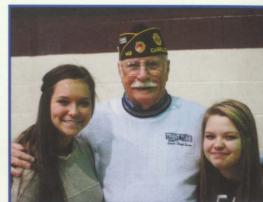
Honoring Veterans was a day when the entire student body came together in the gym to say thank you for all the men and women who fought for our freedom. At the assembly, military members currently serving joined veterans who served in the past. The Air Force JROTC conduced the assembly by doing a flag ceremony, and they set up a table in the center of the floor for prisoners of war and missing in action. The table included hats of Army, Navy, Marine, and Air Force soldiers, a red rose, and a candle. Each object had a significant meaning. Regarding those who sacrificed their lives for their nation, Major May said, "No greater love have a man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends." During the assembly, all the students stood and said the pledge of allegiance, followed by a long moment of silence to remember all veterans.



The band plays in honor of the veterans attending the assembly. They played the theme song from each branch of the military. As the band performed the song from the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines, and Coast Guard, veterans from each branch stood to be recognized.



Junior Katelynn Payne helps unfold and fold the American flag during the assembly. She was a member of the JROTC. Katelynn had worked hard to get where she was.



Senior Candice Copeland and her sister, freshman Kindall Copeland, welcome their grandfather, a Navy veteran, to the ceremonies.

OW/MIA Table



At every veterants Day assembly, there is a square table in the center of the gym. That table has a white cloth on it, along with a candle, red rose, and other significant objects. However, the four hats on the table are very meaningful and special. Each hat represents different armed forces that men were a part of. The Marines, Army, Navy, and Air Force hat signifies all the prisoners of war and those missing in action in that armed force. Everyone took a moment of silence to remember those men.



Mamhors of the JROTC march in the gym. As they marched in, they each were carrying a different style hat. Each hat represented a different armed force. The hats were being taken over to the center table to remember all the captured men and the ones missing.



The chorus sings the Star Spangled Banner during the Veteran's Day Assembly. Two students in chorus played the guitar as the others sang the song aloud to the music.



Two current members of JROTC and two veterans march together as they present the colors. They march into the gym during the assembly while they carried two flags representing the United States. The student body stood and said The Pledge of Allegiance.



Fields Valuerans and aritime norther men and momen stand to salute the Pledge of Allegiance.



at the Veterans Day assembly.He explained the significance of the flag folding ceremony and the POW/MIA ceremony.

Grace, Poise, and Pagentry Miss Leonine 2014



Miss Leonine was one of Central High School's greatest traditions. Each year, young ladies from every grade competed for the coveted title and crown. Year after year, the competition field grew more and more competitive. All of the girls who competed in the 2014 Miss Leonine Pageant were more beautiful and poised than ever. With fourteen worthy pageant girls, the judges had a difficult time choosing even the top ten, much less the overall winner. Sophomore contestant Alyssa Paul stated, "This year's competition was a lot of fun! All of the girls looked gorgeous." The crowd could not have agreed more. Supportive family and friends cheered on the lovely ladies with rounds of applause and showered them with bouquets of flowers later. Though each girl was beautiful in her own unique way, by the end of the night, there could only be one winner. Central High School was honored to name Carlee Jenkins as the coveted Miss Leonine 2014. Carlee was an experienced pageant girl. Miss Leonine was definitely not her first rodeo. As a young child, Carlee competed in multiple pageants, including the Little Miss Roopville pageant, which she also won. "Winning Miss Leonine was such a sweet moment. I was so excited and surprised when I heard them call my name," Carlee beamed. There were many perks that came with being Miss Leonine, including the crown, the sash, and the opportunity to come back in the following year and crown the next in line for Miss Leonine.



New Era of

Miss Leonine is one of the most time

honored traditions held at Central High School. Many girls long for the crown, but only a few receive it. Madison Eidson, as the reigning 2013 Miss Leonine, was more than excited to pass the torch on to the next generation of Leonines. "I was so nervous for all of the contestants. I know exactly how it feels to be in their position," she remarked. Former Miss Leonines are very active members of the pageant each year. From giving competitors tough questions during the final round, to honoring the newly crowned Miss Leonine, former Miss Leonines are the wheels that keep this cherished display of pageantry turning.







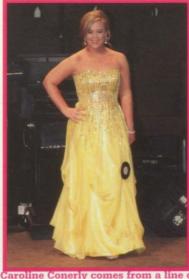




Senior Alyssa Roberts has competed in the Miss Leonine Pageant multiple times through her high school career. She always prided herself on being a strong competitor.

Bailey Thomas looks regal in red on the runway. As a Junior, this was Bailey's second time competing in the Miss Leonine Pageant. She was honored to be chosen as a top ten finalist.





Caroline Conerly comes from a line of former Miss Leonines. Her mother also competed in, and won, the the pageant in her high school days. Caroline's stunning yellow dress reflected her



Anna Schulenberg always looks fabulous, but she looked especially beautiful during the pageant. A veteran place amongst the top five contestants.



As reigning Miss Congeniality, Senior Katie Beth Walls dazzles the crowed in a coral gown. Katie Beth competed in the pageant competitor, Anna was proud to take her three times and was excited to usher out her career with a top ten finish. "I'm really going

to miss the pageant. It is always so much fun!" she exclaimed.



Johnson, and Ciera Lewis are overjoyed when they hear their names announced as part of the elite top three. Sophomore Alyssa Paul was equally excited to hear her name announced as the new Miss Congeniality. "I was so surprised. I couldn't have asked for more tonight," Alyssa excitedly remarked after the pageant.



Getting New Wings

Ribbon Cutting Ceremony

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"At the beginning of our school year 1959, the Superintendent of Carroll County Schools cut the ribbon as he was assisted and backed by County Board members, speakers, Central High Principal and friends. This was a great moment filled with thrills and chills. We thrilled at the prospect of beginning school in our huge beautiful, new building and we chilled at the problem of amalgamating students from five areas. The challenge had become a reality and today students, faculty, and parents march forth to a new future. The question was shall we succeed or shall we fail." –Leonine Staff, 1960

Central High School succeeded. Almost fiftyfive years after the original ribbon-cutting at 113 Central Road, current Carroll County Board members also participated in a ceremony to commemorate the opening of a new Central High School wing. This new addition contained offices, classrooms, and a new school store. Additionally, the entire school received a face lift; seniors had a new and improved courtyard, the 300 and 400 halls matched the decor of the new 100 hall with fresh paint and tile, and the old "gold hall" was replaced with an outdoor covered corridor connecting the new wing to the 300 hall. Even more astounding than the appearance, however, was the ambiance of the school. Maroon and gray flowed through the halls. Leaping lion tile murals decked the floors at hallway intersections. The wall of fame recorded fifty-five years of names of students and teachers who achieved excellence both academically and athletically. The new wing screamed lion pride.

The 1960 Leonine staff charged its student body with a question: would they fail or succeed? Central High School most definitely succeeded.

Best thing about the new wing?

Main office secretary Sandy Duffey, also



affectionately known as "Mama D," loves the new wing. She said, "I love that it's so open and big. It's fresh and clean, and I love the "branding" of Central High School that is evident on the new 100 hall. The walls shout

school spirit. It is a great place to see the history of Central through our wall of fame."





SCHOOL STORE





Quinn Evans and Amber Tolbert showcase the new school store. Students visited the store before school, at lunch, and in between certain class periods of the day.

Mrs. Boldt and Mrs. Wooten attend the ribbon cutting ceremony, which was held on January 14, 2014





Mr. Corbett and Mr. Cole welcome guests as they arrive for the ribbon cutting ceremony.



Tucker Musick and Scott Anderson converse with Central High School's matriarch, Mama June Maxwell. Mama June cut the ribbon at the dedication of the three story building in 2009. All six of Mama June's children graduated from Central High School, as well as numerous grandchildren.



Part of the new 100 hall is dedicated to showcasing a "Commitment to Excellence" by both faculty and students from Central. Plaques record names for outstanding achievements in athletics and fine arts, teachers of the year, star students, faculty cup recipients, valedictorians, and hall of fame members.

On a high note

Chorus

The chorus played a huge part in the school. The chorus brought excitement and enjoyment to assemblies such as Veteran's Day. They also performed in concerts through the school year. The Christmas concert, held in conjunction with Central Middle School, gave many students the opportunity to showcase their many talents. Singing telegrams were also a way to bring excitement and fun into the school day. Every year on Valentine's Day, chorus members serenaded students whose valentines had requested a telegram to be sung to them, Teachers as well as students enjoyed the spontaneous concerts throughout the day. The singing telegrams gave students a chance to tell someone they care for them in a unique meaningful way. Autumn Martin, a sophomore who participated in delivering the telegrams, said, "It feels great to give the students a gift that they will remember forever." The singing telegrams gave the school a great way to make Valentine's day a memorable day.



The mixed chorus sings joyfully at their Christmas concert at Roopville Road Baptist Church. Erica Donaldson was a new member of the chorus this year. Erica said,"It was exciting to be involved with the chorus for my first year."

Behind the scenes-what do you do before you go on stage?

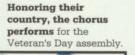
Nick Askew said, "Before i go on stage i just focus on getting my nerves and butterflies out. We all joke around and laugh to get our nerves out. Its really exciting waiting to go out there".





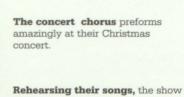












choir practices for their big





Timothy Payne, Dakoda Massey, Dayton Peek, and Jacob Clark add a nice tenor sound to the choir.



The chorus receives a visit from the University of West Georgia opera for a choral workshop. They showed the chorus their acts and gave them tips on how to make their performances better.



The "Mane Attraction" show choir performs at the Christmas concert.
They practiced many times before the big performance. Sophomore Brianna Pitts has been in the chorus for many years. Brianna said, " It's great to know all my hard work has paid off in the end by putting on a great performance."

We are ONE. The students of drama club participate in a unique exercise to become more comfortable in any role they are given, even if that means becoming a snake! Levi Garrett, Mitt Conerly, and Peyton Burke lie on the floor and channel their inner reptile. Peyton had this to say about her experience: "That was an interesting exercise, but all of us had fun!"



It's A Family Affair

"Do It For the Kids!"

 $Fam \cdot i \cdot ly$ (n) a group of people who are generally not blood relations but who share common attitudes, interests, or goals and, frequently, live together

CHS drama students were not related by blood. However, the bond that they shared was beyond impressive! It was as if someone handpicked the most outgoing, spontaneous kid from every classroom and placed them into one spot, the atrium of the top floor. Each day as the bell rang for the last period of the day, the excitement began. The students continuously came together to engage in games that forced them to think even further outside of the box. Dictator was a game where one person led the group to do whatever he requested. Ultimately, this game demanded teamwork to successfully entertain the dictator. Gradually, actors were evicted from the group until there was one actor or actress standing. The winner served as dictator for the next round. The result of the many exercises was a class of talented students who learned to effortlessly wow a crowd! Each person had a great personality of his or her own, but still managed to adopt a new one to fit endless roles. This group was extremely skilled at speaking on the fly.





Art

The art program was filled with many talented participants. The curriculum aimed to challenge students to grow more and comfortable in using their unique thinking and skills to successfully meet an intended goal. Each art course had more freedom than the course before. Consequently, the expectations increased as well. Senior Morgan Wyatt said, "When I started out as an Art 1 student, I remember having so many classmates. Now as an Art 3 student, there are only seven seniors who have stuck with the program." Continuing in the Fine Arts pathway requires stamina, dedication, and patience. As students completed one level of Art and advanced to another, they all felt accomplished. They have been pushed to further expand their skills and creativity by Mrs. Landon with every assignment whether it be create a landscape out of food, make a life-sized animal from paper mache, or paint a self portrait in a style completely opposite from his own. Students gradually discovered their place in the world of

Lauren Smith

Lauren is a prolific artist and has been in Central's art program her entire high school school career. Below are some of her masterpieces.



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Materials: ball point pen with a stippling technique.

I saw a stone rams head and olive branches on a bank building while in Atlanta and was inspired by the texture of the wall. Stippling seemed like the best option for him.



Materials: charcoal on yellow paper.

I have a love of small detail found in subjects such as hands, and I thought I could push myself by using a much darker value scale.



"Perfect Perch"

Materials: sharpie and gel pen. Birds are what truly inspire me. They come in so many shapes and colors that you can convey any emotion with them. I used bright colors of a painted bunting to offset the black and white background.









"Control" by Jasmine Johnson

Freshman Amy Bradley mixes colors to go on her organic mask for her Art I class.

Concentrating on her technique, Lauren Smith sculpts her clay vessel for her Art IV class.





Sophomore Emily Willett works diligently on her wood self portrait for her Art II class. She said of the project, "It's very difficult. You have to make sure every piece is in the right place or it won't work, or look good."



Haley Smith works on creating a clay vessel for an Art IV project. Part of the project requirement was to use something that Haley found inspiring, so she chose human bones. She said, "Bones are pretty, and they are amazing. To think of a person moving or dancing so fluidly, and then realizing that your bones also make those movements is fascinating."



Freshman Zach Sullivan paints his organic mask for his Art I class. Zach said, "Our task was to make a non-Western mask. Mrs. Landon said to use earth tones for our colors. I chose to make a mask from Africa."

"With a Bang"

Symphonic and Concert Band



For many music lovers at CHS, marching band just wasn't enough. They wished to be involved in the band program all year, so they enrolled in concert band or symphonic band. These auditiononly organizations focused on more classical pieces of music, as well as more technical. Without the added burden of memorizing drill, band members were able to spend more time on the actual music. Sophomore Alana Lyle, a member of concert band, stated, "In concert band we play more technical music. I enjoy concert band because I get to experience the music more. I can really listen to the sounds and be in tune with it." The concert and symphonic bands spent a large amount of time preparing for LGPE, or large group performance evaluation. Band members were challenged with the task of sight reading in addition to performing perfectly. Both concert and symphonic band members practiced in class and after school for special rehearsals. The LGPE musical selection for concert band included "Rough Riders," "March of the Trolls, from Lyric Suite, op.54, and "Sun Cycles." The symphonic band performed "El Relicario," "Third Suite," and "Do Not Go Gentle Into That Good Night."

School ions



Concert band member Morgan Eidson has been playing the trumpet since the 6th grade. When asked why she plays trumpet, she said, "It's a family tradition to play a brass instrument. My family traditionally

played the trombone, but I was too small for the trombone, so picked the trumpet instead."





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The concert band waits for Mr. Ruby to begin conducting the next piece.







Trombone players in the concert band warm up before rehearsal by playing arpeggios.



Symphonic band members perform "Third Suite," their final concert selection. They played all three movements of the piece.



Mr. Ruby introduces the concert band to the audience and describes the three pieces that they will perform.

Winter Guard and Percussion

"One Last Time"

The Winter Guard and the Percussion Ensemble were both small groups but they were both very talented. The Winterguard was consistently ranked as one of the top Winter Guards in the nation. The Guard was led by Captains Rachel Wakefield, Meredith Walker, and Morgan McDonald. Members included other seniors Amanda Attison, Madison Eidson, and Emma Eidson. Juniors included Savannah Couch, Kristen Chismar, Averi McDonald, and Katie Stitcher. Sophomores included Addy Gilland and Michelle Wren. Instructors were Melody Lopez and Brandon Dailey. The Winter Guard performed in two different circuits: WGI, Winter Guard International, and SAPA, Southern Association for Performance Arts. They performed at The World Championships in Dayton, Ohio nearly every year. The Percussion Ensemble included Lydia Fuller, Lyndsey Koziel, John Pate, Jacob Lawson, and Mason Parker

with instructor Jay Bumgardner.

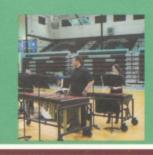
Senior Amanda Attison used her experience with cosmetology to help with the Guard's makeup this year. She picked the three different components that go into the Winter Guard's makeup and taught the girls how to apply it. The final result is a striking contrast between the powerful movements on the floor and their dark makeup. The hardest thing, Amanda said, about doing the makeup was that, "it has to be big and bold, yet pleasing to the eye. It has to fit the show and match the uniforms."

The Making of The









Morgan McDonald, Addy Gilland, Rachel Wakefield, along with the rest of the guard, switch to white and gold flags to finish out the rest of their performance.

Amanda Attison and Madison Eidson hold nothing back to perform one of their best shows of their senior year.





Madison Eidson prepares to throw one of her harder tosses in the show. As a senior Madison said she'll miss the competitions the most when this season is over.



Lydia Fuller and Jacob Lawson play a specific part in their own show performance. The percussion ensemble took a unique approach to performing. They managed to create the resounding effect of a very large percussion ensemble with just a few members.



The ladies of Winter
Guard perform one of their
last movements in the
show. Each person had to
be in sync with the person
next to her for the dance to
be performed perfectly.
This is Averi Mcdonald's
favorite part of the show.
She said, "It's my favorite
because we all look so
beautiful and graceful."

Go Pride Go!

Central-Carrol Marching Pride



The CHS Marching Pride.... A Tradition of excellence. From marching on the field of Roy Richards Memorial Stadium to the streets of Atlanta, to the streets of Philly, the Pride proved their devotion to the cause and represented Central High gloriously. Receiving superior scores in all competitions and representing Carrollton, Georgia, in the Philadelphia Thanksgiving Day Parade were just a few of the ways the Marching Pride put their best foot forward. Mr. Ruby proved over and over again that hard work and dedication created positive results. The Marching Pride was a key part of Friday nights not only during half time, but also in the stands during games with their amazing stand tunes and captured the hearts of the Lion faithful. Band Director Neil Ruby stated, "The Central- Carroll Band serves as a source of pride for many people in our school and community. It's an honor and privilege to work with such wonderful, caring, and hard working students every day! Go Pride Go!"



Jacob Orbeck

What is one of your favorite privileges about

being a Band Senior?

"One of my favorite privileges that Seniors get is being able to cut in line in front of the other band members when we are eating with the band. When we go places or sign up for stuff Seniors go first!"

What will you miss most about being in band?

"I will miss the friendships I have made and also the people I have met through the years."









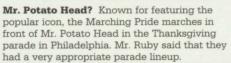
Drum major Shae Browning leads the pride through their show, The Great Potato Heist, which featured the music from James Bond to Hawaii 5-0, from Michael

Jackson to The Incredibles.

The flute players provide a stellar performance of The Great Potato Heist.









Senior Emma Eidson enjoys performing as a member of the guard. She performed with the guard for four seasons. This year's music allowed band and guard members to use lots of personal expression in their performance.



Make some music!
Trumpet, trombone,
saxophone, mellophone, and
tuba players belt out the
notes to Michael Jackson's
"Bad" and "Smooth
Criminal."

WHAT MAKES US CENTRAL LIONS?

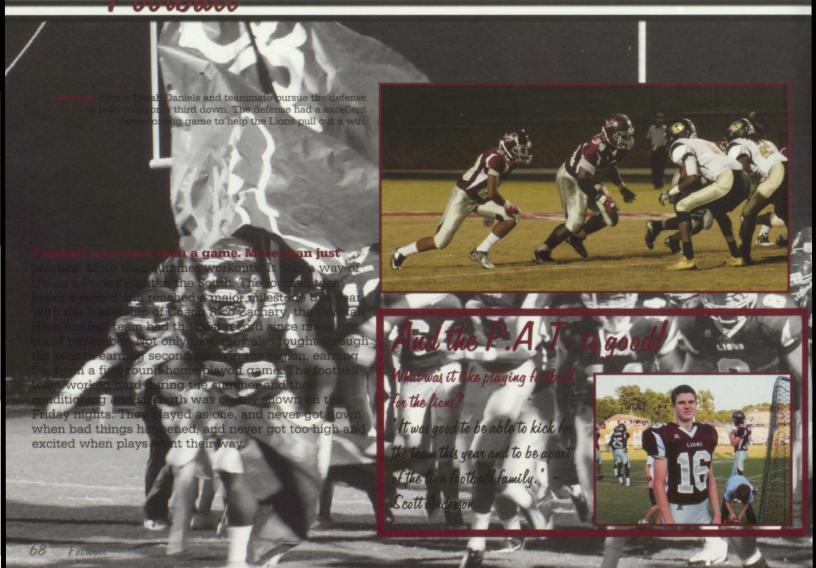
STORMING THE FIELD AFTER THE FOOTBALL GAME. RUNNING. SYDNEY STONE EQUALS BRICK WALL ON THE TENNIS COURT. TUMBLING AND STUNTING. ACING A SERVE. GOOOAAAALLLLLL! SCALDED DOGS. R-E-B-O-U-N-D! MAROON DAWN. WILL SHEFFIELD PITCHING. RUNNING. LIONHEARTED. PAR THREE. MITT CONERLY TEACHING THE POLE VAULT. SACRIFICING SUMMER. RUNNING. MAMA JUNE'S FRIED CHICKEN. MAKAYLIN TAYLOR'S SMILE ON FRIDAY NIGHT. STUDENT SECTION. CORY HOLT AT EVERY SPORTING EVENT. TEAMWORK, COMMITMENT, RUNNING. SINGLETS. KILL! LION VALLEY. POTLUCK. WORK HARD, PLAY HARD.







Boys Of Fall

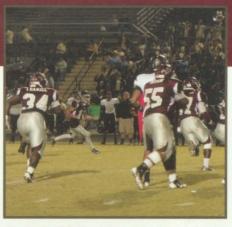




Ready. Set. Hike. The Central Lions offensive line gets set and ready in hopes of producing a play that will put them in the end zone. The lions offense played great this year and was able to put the lions into the third round of the playoffs.



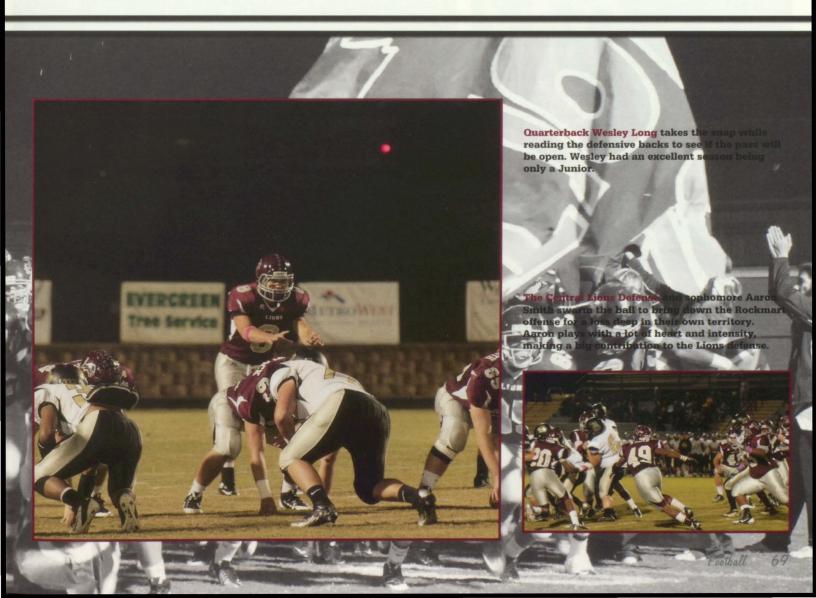
Great Play. Coach Cowart gives the offense a high five as they come off the field. The team had just punched it in the end zone putting the Lions up on the scoreboard.



Senior Isaiah Daniels and Junior Ben Boykin run after Rockmart's running back. The defense held Rockmart on 3rd down giving the offense a chance to score.



Touchdown! Sophomore, Demarius "Smooth" Owensby scores a touchdown for the Lions against Rockmart on Homecoming. "Smooth" stood out this year as a key player for the offense and will be a lookout for next year's season.



For the Love of the Game

P.A.T. Junior Scott Anderson punches the football through the uprights after the Central Lions score against Rockmart. This year was Scott's first year kicking for the Lions.



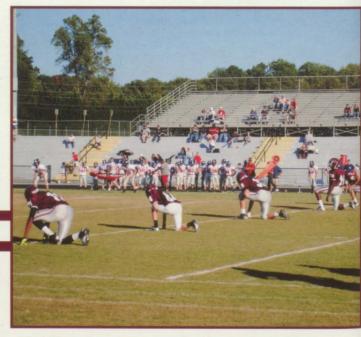
The strength of Kirey Thompson and Dejour Riddle is shown here as the junior and sophomore take down the Yellow jacket running back. The two players have made big impacts on the defense and both will be returning next year hoping to be stronger and bigger.

Like brother like brother. Sophomore Dallin Anderson plants and kicks the ball for the Junior Varsity team on their Thursday game against Haralson County. Not often are there two brothers on the team that are kickers. However this year, both Scott and Dallin Anderson joined the football team to put forth their soccer skills to kick for the team.

Hard work pays off! When asked about how he would describe the lions football season, Isaiah Daniel stated, "A lot of emotion, fun, blood, sweat, and tears, and a lot of getting yelled at, but we came together and had a great season."







Kickoff! The Junior Varsity team gets set and ready for the kick and to take down the deep man in hopes of pinning the Rebels deep in their own territory.

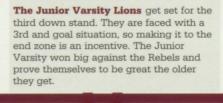


Post Season. It is what every team works towards. This year the football team reached new heights. After coming in second in the region, the Lions were granted the opportunity to host the first round of playoffs, an honor every team fights for. Every team worked for the post season, and to play more games than just ten. Not only did the Lions win, but they won big, progressing to the second round of the playoffs against Appling County. The Lions came out strong against the Pirates in the first half, putting them up big going into the third quarter. The Lions ended up winning and not showing any signs of slowing down. The Lions then progressed into the third round of the State Playoffs against the Ringold Tigers. After the week of Thanksgiving, the team traveled up to Ringold with hopes of winning and progressing into the fourth round. Both the Lions and Tigers came out strong in the first quarter. In the end the Lions lost a hard fought game. The Lions had a record breaking season, going to the third round of playoffs, and showing that the team is getting stronger and stronger with the hopes of having many great seasons to come.

Here comes "Smooth".

Demarious Owensby takes the hand-off from quaterback Wesley Long. Owensby looks for opening to attack while dodging and running through tackles.





Team work. The offense puts their eyes on the coaches as they get the play call. The lions work together each and every play in order to get the ball moving down the field.



"Great Moments are born from Great Opportunity"

at-Ilhall!

Before the game, the lady lions circle around first base to say a couple of motivating words to each other. Junior Hayley Sims stated, "These moments around the base with my teammates meant so much to me. We got to shake out all of our butterflies and get ready to play the game we all love." The lady lions were a big family; every time they stepped on the field they played for one another.



Getting down and dirty, Junior Aubrey Bennett dives back into first base and looks up at the Haralson County player to make sure that it is safe for her to get up without being tagged out. AB was a key player for the lady lions; she led the team in many areas.



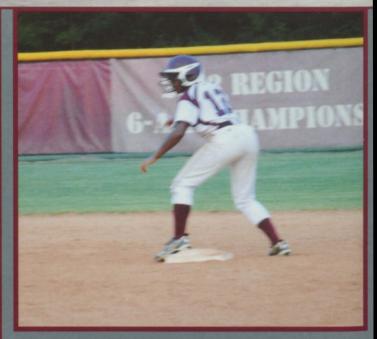
Sophomore center fielder Cassie Griffin gathers herself and gets ready to throw the ball in to her cut off. Cassie played a lead role for the lady lions. With her speed, she was able to track down balls that many people thought were uncatchable.

Welcome to the Family

This season was Madison Dodson's first year being a Central Lion. She fit right in with the family, and also did a great job on the field. Madison Dodson stated, "I am so proud to be a part of the Central Lion Family. I feel very fortunate to play on such a welcoming team. Getting to contribute to our success and going to state has been an amazing experience. I look forward to next year."







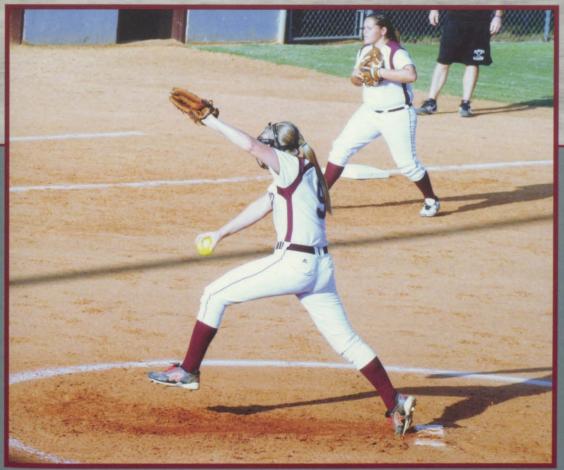
Base Bandit Sophomore Eliza Luke preps to get a lead. She was the player put in to steal a base or two. Every time Eliza got put in to run, there was a great chance the Lions were going to score. Jordyn Scott stated, "Z is extremely fast. I remember one game she ran from second base all the way to home plate to score on a pass ball."



The lady lions led themselves back to the Elite Eight Tournament in Columbus, Georgia. The 2012 season ended with a third place finish; the 2013 season ended with the lady lions being the AAA State Runner-Up. "We keep moving up, in the right direction. Every at bat since last season, every throw home, every pitch thrown, we made it count! We are not a team, we are a family," stated Junior Caroline Conerly. Not only did the team get better as a whole, they had to conquer a new program setup and coaching staff. First year head coach Dave McKenna came into the program determined to make the team mentally and physically better than they were the past year. Sophomore Mattie Hutcheson said, "The change in coaches this year was definitely an adjustment! Practice was different and he pushed us harder than we were used to. Over time I realized that the change was in our best interest!" Starting in July the team began working on the field together, trying to get themselves equipped with one another. The season started out with a bang. Second year coach Kyle McCarty said, "We knew going into the season that we'd have a shot but things really fell into place after the Callaway Tournament. The bats got hot and it was on from there."

A brand new coaching staff leads the the lady lions back to the state tournament. Dave McKenna, Kyle McCarty, and Ken Minick pushed the girls to their limits on the field, and their success showed it.

With her head on the ball, Logan Wood makes perfect contact. Logan was a sophomore leader for the team: she caught and played outfield some for the lady lions. Logan stated, "Being a part of this team was awesome; I cannot wait until next year."



Junior Taylor Funk controls the circle for the lady lions. Strike-out after strike-out, there was no doubt that Taylor was one of the best pitchers in the state. She also had a strong bat for the lions. Taylor played a key role on the team, and she really had a part in the state-runner up title.





Taking an angle towards the ball to cut it off, senior Rebekah Smith prepares to gather herself and throw a runner out. Eliza Luke stated, "Rebekah was an awesome senior this year; she was always pumped up and excited for the games. Everybody on the team loved her, and we will really miss her next year."





Freshmen Kayla Sales squares around to lay down a bunt against region rival Chapel Hill. Kayla was one of the many freshmen that stepped up and produced very well at the varsity level. Unfortunately she got hurt during the middle of the season, but she still cheered the team on through the last game.



Junior Jordyn Scott makes great contact with the ball, which allowed the runner at third, Eliza Luke, to score. Jordyn played second base for the lady lions. She was also a vocal leader on the team throughout the entire season.



Junior third basemen Cade North controls her base. She made many key stops that helped the team out. Cade also was a big bat in the line up for the lady lions.



What do you like best about Central Softball?

"We had a great year this year. The girls
played hard and had fun doing it. We have a
great team and they are fun to be around."
--Coach David McKenna



After fielding the ball cleanly, Silvey Rosser uses proper technique to over hand the ball directly to Ashleigh Hurston at first base to get the out. Silvey was a leader on the JV team; she played very well during the season which helped with the teams success.



Saying their prayer before the game, the JV team prepares for the Bowdon High School game at home. All the girls focused on what they had to do to get the win. Sophomore Jessica Roberson said, "Before the game, I think about the quote, 'Never let the fear of striking keep you from playing the game.' It motivates me to stay positive throughout the entire game."



Sophomore Emily Robison

stretches out at first base to receive a ball being thrown to her. She played a lot of first base for the JV team, and she was a leader at the plate.



Katie Blanton, a sophomore

center-fielder, slides into home plate to score a run for the JV team. The Lady Lions faced the Bowdon Lady Red Devils.

Storming through region allowed the lady lions to host the Region Tournament. The region championship was played against the Chapel Hill Panthers, but the lions fell short. This made them go into the state-playoffs as the second seed. Junior Varsity and Varsity player Logan North stated,"Losing to Chapel Hill opened our eyes; it showed us that we were not going to just fly threw the post season easily. We were going to have to fight." The first round of the state tournament was against Peach County; with lion family support the lady lions won the game with a breeze. The next roadblock for the lady lions was to get past a No. 7 team in the state, Tattnall County. Traveling four hours and playing three games in two days, the lady lions came out on top. Those wins meant the girls would be going back to Columbus for the second year in a row, but this year it just took a little bit more heart and determination. Both the varsity and junior varsity teams became one huge softball family throughout this long five month journey. Lone senior Rebekah Smith stated, "My last year of softball was unforgettable. I was able to be a part of a great team that achieved the State Runner Up Title. It is a great accomplishment, but an even greater memory, that nothing will ever replace."



Junior Hayley Sims and head coach Dave McKenna have a chat before she takes her at bat during the Chapel Hill game. Hayley stated, "Coach asked me what they had been pitching me all game. I replied outside and he said, 'Well look middle away.' When I got up to the plate that is exactly what I did. I hit the ball and we won the game."

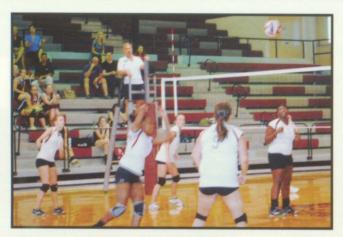


"The way a team plays as a whole determines its success. You may have the greatest bunch of individual stars in the world, but if they don't play together, the club won't be worth a dime." Babe Ruth. The lady lions softball team was a true example of a team that played as a whole. Softball

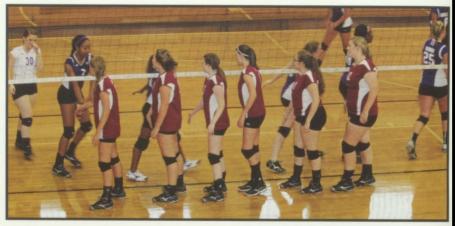
Game, Set, Match Lady Lions Volleyball

Coach Smith leads a huddle before the start of a home game to get the girls pumped up and ready for a win. Rosie Eason said of Coach Smith, "He's always pushing us to do our best, on and off the court. He's never given up on us, even when we're about to give up on ourselves."





Jasmine Thrash sends one back over to the opposing team. Jasmine was a key member of the junior varsity team as she helped assist in many points with her fellow teammates.



Showing sportsmanship above all else, the members of varsity players congratulate Chapel Hill for their great effort. "I love that after a game, no matter the score, we can always come together and be proud of each other." said Karley Runels.

How Do You Do Your Do?

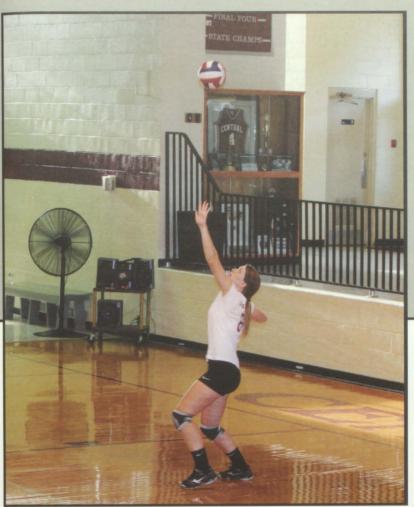
Raleigh Conerly knows how to do an up do. She does her teammates' hair also, but Raleigh's by far is the most complicated. "I have to put three braids in my hair because it is so short. First, I do a French braid in the bottom half of my hair, then I part the



hair on the top of my head in half and dutch braid each side to meet the hair at the bottom. I pull the bottom half into a bun and wrap the dutch braids around the bun."



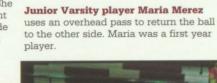
The varsity squad comes together before a game. Jamielee Korolovich's favorite thing about her teammates is their sense of family. She said, "The love and support we give one another both on the court and in the halls makes me love this group of girls so much!"



The Lady Lions experienced a season with major change. Overcoming the challenges of a new coaching staff, new players, and a small number of experienced players to lead the team, the Lions went on to have a successful season. The veterans on the team assumed their leadership roles and helped to lead the less experienced players. Senior Raleigh Conerly was ranked within class triple A for blocks per game. Senior Daysi Escobar was ranked in digs per game in the state and just shy of making it into the top five digs per game in the entire state. Junior Bailey Thomas ranked in the state in kills per game. Coach Chris Smith, who returned to coach the Lady Lions after a three year hiatus, said, "I feel honored to be able to coach such a hardworking group of young ladies. I am already looking forward to next season."

Sophie Conerly throws up a powerful serve. Sophie dominated the right side. She contributed many important kills. She loves the right side because "most teams don't have a right side so they don't have any defense against them and you can

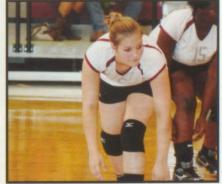
score a lot of points!"





Setting up for a spike. Bethany Delekto assist Bailey Thomas in a point gained after a well placed ball falls on the other team's side.

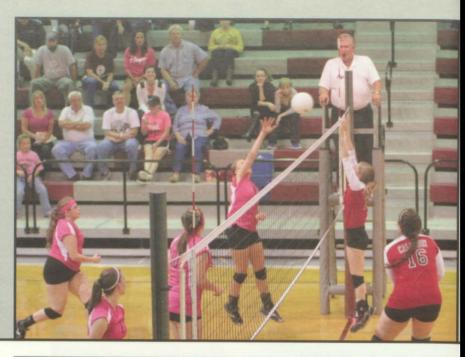




JV setter Tamara Buckhannan preps for a serve-receive. Because she was the setter, she stayed low when the other team served the ball so that the back row could see to receive. Once the ball volleyed to the Lions' side, she sprang into action.

Pretty in PINK Playing for a Cure

Junior Bailey Thomas spikes the ball over the net right past a defender. The Lady Lions took on Calloway for their first ever PINK out. Bailey was a valuable asset to the lady lions; she dominated near the net and was named the team MVP.





Bethany Delekto sends the ball shooting back across the net to score a point against Calloway. Being one of the most dependable setters on the team, her teammates could always count on her to place the ball in the best place for them to score.

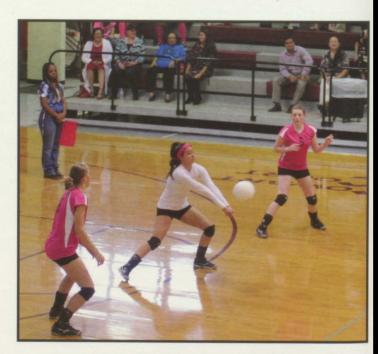


Seniors line up to receive their awards on senior night. The Lady Lions honored their 3 seniors with plaques, flowers, and a personalized poster. Raleigh Conerly, Jamielee Korolovich, and Daysi Escobar all stand with their families to be honored for their years of service to the volleyball team.

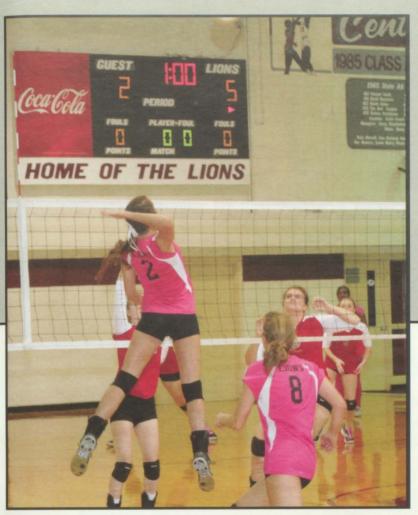
We Are Family



Both on and off the court the Lady Lions are one big extended family. To honor that family they hosted Central's first ever PINK Out to raise awareness for for breast cancer and honor families affected by it. A member of the CHS family has been personally affected by cancer. Bethany Delekto, a player very important to the varsity squad, has been personally affected by cancer. Her mother was diagnosed with breast cancer and has been undergoing treatment to fight it. Following the senior night festivities during the PINK Out, Coach Smith, on behalf of the entire team, presented Bethany's mother with a custom jersey that both the junior varsity and varsity players signed to honor her and her hard fight against cancer. Bethany's mother was a picture to both Bethany and the entire volleyball team of what true commitment and determination looks like.



Senior Daysi Escobar digs deep to keep rival Calloway from scoring a point. Daysi does what she's best known for, and she does it well. As the libero it's her job to make sure it's nearly impossible for opposing teams to score,

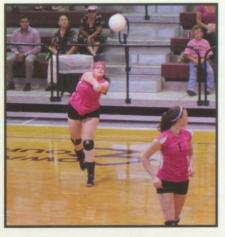


Because Senior Night fell in October, the volleyball team hosted the first ever PINK Out tri-match in honor of National Breast Cancer Awareness month. The Lady Lions took on Callaway high school and Chapel Hill High school. The PINK Out was also senior night for the lady lions. The senior trifecta of Raleigh Conerly, Daysi Escobar, and Jamielee Korolovich helped lead the team this season. The girls all had special jerseys made for this match. Coach Smith and Coach O'Leary even joined in for the occasion, surprising the girls with their own pink attire. Everyone enjoyed the match because it wasn't just a fierce rivalry between area schools; it was a fun way to raise awarness for breast cancer.

Hanna Dryden jumps head and shoulders above Calloway's girls to slam down a powerful spike! Hannah was a very talented outside hitter for the Lady Lions and was responsible for many kills on the court. Senior Jamielee Korolovich gives a perfect set that her fellow lions take advantage of to score a point. Jamielee was the defensive specialist and helped assist her teammates in stopping spikes.



Senior Raleigh Conerly doesn't ever let the ball past her without a fight. As the Lady Lions Hitter/Blocker it's her job to make sure she blocks any fast moving spikes from getting too low. Raleigh loves volleyball because "it's a fast paced, high energy sport where you're completely dependent on your teammates."



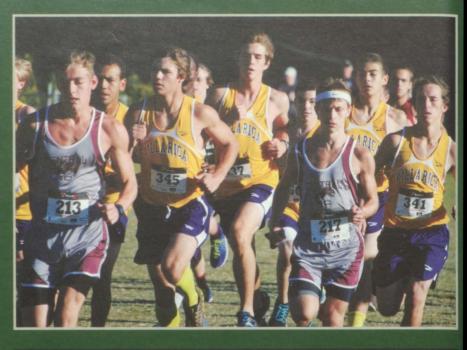


Coach Smith gives the team a mid-game pep-talk to keep the girls focused and alert. He and Coach O'Leary surprised the girls by wearing pink themselves.

Follow the Leader

Cross Country

Guiding the pack, Seniors Hunter Hughes and Connor McCray begin the course with a profound statement by an immediate lead. Ahead of rival runners, these two dedicated Varsity members were able to remain cool under pressure and finish the race with satisfying times.





Reaching the home street. Sophomore Savannah McWhorter is determined to finish strong in the home meet at Central Middle School. After conquering the course, she shared, "The course is always a tough one, but what matters is that I did the heat I could"



Ready Set Gol Prepared to begin the meet, anxious junior varsity runners take off and set the pace for an intense race. These dedicated athletes left everything on the course, for it was their final meet of the year. Conquering their home course, the runners finished with pride and fulfillment of their last race, closing in on a terrific season.



Cross country and running in general is a good way to learn to push yourself. It's not always the most fun, but it is definitely a true test of character.

irtney Allen

I run because I like the results afterwards. Setting goals of faster times and making varsity motivates me to try my hardest. - Pallin Anderson

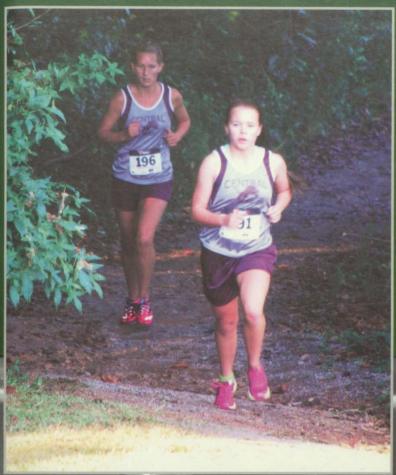
I run to stay in shape for other sports. I'm not

fast, and I have never claimed to be; however, in my opinion it's not about how fast you run the race - it's about having the strength to push yourself to the end. - Savannah McWhorter





Focused on overcoming the course, senior Kyle Green and freshman Christian Potts pursue the finish line with a steadfast mentality. These two varsity runners were able to embrace their home course as it was a region meet. Kyle stated, "I finished with an adequate time and enjoyed having the meet at our home course."



Going the distance, cross country members endured yet another season involving harsh weather, long distances, and dedication. A determined and successful boys' team made strides throughout the season to hold a spot in the GHSA state meet, held in Carrollton. Bright and early with students from all around Georgia, the boys competed during an unusually frigid Saturday morning. Competing and conquering the rough and well known course at Carrollton, Connor McCray comically explained, "I run for the shirts and enjoy wearing spikes on my shoes. I like shoes as much as girls do - just ones with spikes!" The girls' team also thrived. Having both new recruits and veteran runners to make up the team, the season was filled with new achievements and personal records. Sophomore Catherine Wescott enjoyed her second year with the team and shared, "I run not for myself alone but also for others who are not able. It makes the sport even more satisfying."

The team was led to a successful and exciting season by an enthusiastic and committed Coach Steve McCray. As his first year being Central's cross country coach, he enjoyed the experience and opportunities that the sport provided.

Pressing towards the finish line, devoted Varsity runners Anna Farmer and Elizabeth

awaited home meet. Anna Farmer explained, "Running

Farmer explained, "Running allows me to remain in shape and I have a great time doing it while being around my friends."



Closing in on the last meet of the season, freshman Courtney Aller perseveres through a final stretch in the Central Middle School course. Courtney was able to finish strong with a satisfying first season in high school. She expressed I did decent, but is wasn't my best race.



Neck and neck, Sophomore Daniel Moye battles out the last minutes of the race with fierce competitors. As both runners closed in on the stretch to the finish line, Daniel grew determined to run his hardest. He explained, "The sooner I crossed the finish line, the sooner I would be done!"



Determination fills senior Hunter Hughes as he approaches the end of the course at Central Middle School. As a three year Varsity runner, Hunter has experienced a variety of courses and was prepared to take on yet another near the end of the season. The thought "just one more hill and then it's over" was on his mind as he advanced closer to the finish line.

Keep Calm and Lead on

Special Olympics

Members in the community based instruction classes always have P.E. class during 3rd period. During this period all classes are together for once during the school day. They enjoyed participating in a variety of activities.





Coming in the top 5, Jeannie Weese receives her ribbon for bowling. She worked and practiced for many weeks to play in the area Olympics. Jeannie also participates in bocce. Jeannie was new to the Lion pride this year.



Dressing up and looking beautiful like always, Brianna Dixon, Sara Philpot, Destiny Rodcliff, and Meagan Graham get ready to go out on stage for the Miss Sparkles pageant for Special Needs.

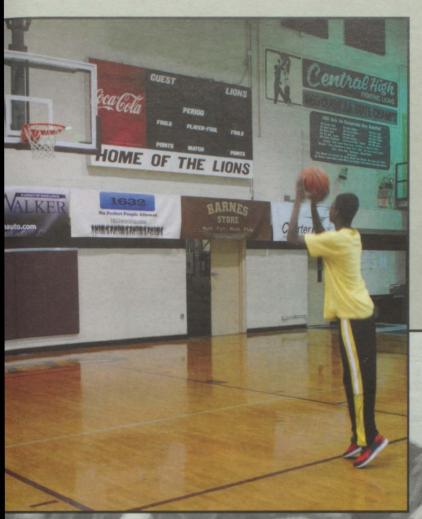
Austin Harper was an active athlete in Central's Local Special Olympics. He said, "I work and practice a lot to get



ready for the games. I like running. I feel good when I get my medals."



Throwing in the ball to get the out, Dacola Dyer was #12 for the Carrollton softball team for Special Olympics. She was a big help in getting outs and bring in runs. Dacola has been in the games for many years. She participates in many different sports such as gymnastics, softball, and basketball.



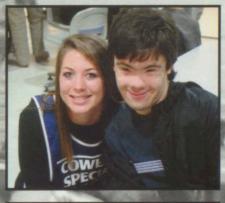
"Let me win, but if I cannot win, let me be brave in the attempt." During opening ceremonies athletes from all over Georgia repeated the oath and held the running of the torch. When the torch was finally lit, the games began. Special Olympics was a year-round sports training and athletic competition in a variety of Olympic-type sports for children and adults with intellectual disabilities, giving them continuing opportunities to develop physical fitness, demonstrate courage, and experience joy. Additionally, they were able to participate in sharing of gifts, skills and friendship with their families, other Special Olympics athletes, and the community. The state games included winter, summer, and fall events. There were also local games and competitions held any time of the year. The Georgia state games offered 25 sports for competition: Alpine skiing, aquatics, artistic gymnastics, track and field, badminton, basketball, bocce, bowling, cycling, equestrian, flag football, floor hockey, golf, ice skating, kayaking, long distance walking and running, power lifting, rhythmic gymnastics, roller skating, sailing, soccer, softball, tennis, and table tennis.

Getting most of the points, Jeremiah Perry has great aim with a basketball. He was a big help to the Special Olympics basketball team with them bringing home the wins this year. Jeremiah has played in Special Olympics since he was 8.

Sophie Conerly and Brandon Harris attend this yearss area Olympics at Junction Lanes in Newnan for bowling. Sophie has been a partner for three years now. Brandon has been an athlete for Central for many years. He participated in many sports and he was an active athlete in all Olympics events.



Cheering on the Olympics, Becca Geiger is on the S.N.A.P.S. cheerleading team. S.N.A.P.S. stands for Special Needs Athletic Pep Squad. She also competed in gymnastics for the winter and summer games. She's a hard working and determined athlete.





Justin Price patiently waits to see how many pins his ball knocks down. Justin had been an athlete in Special Olympics for many years. Justin had worked hard and practiced hard to reach his goal. He has many more years of bowling and Olympic games ahead of him.

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Senior Jalen Dukes goes between two defenders in order to score the basketball. The lions were played Newman High School, which had a basketbal team highly ranked in the state.



Senior "EJ" Ross brings the ball down the floor while a defender is on him. EJ had to determine what defense the opposing team was in and what play he wanted to call so his team could score during the possession.



Junior and first year lions basketball player Isaiah Boyd keeps his eyes up while being closely defended. He is looking for an open teammate they he can pass the ball to. Boyd is new the the lion squad, he bought a lot of different aspects to the team.

Swoosh! You Know!

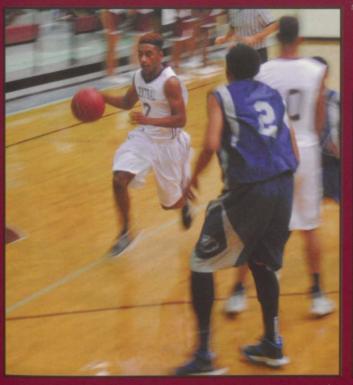
Made up of an extremely young team that only consisted of five seniors, the lions really had a building year in the 2013-2014 season. The five seniors that took over the leadership role for the team were Elijah Ross, Tray Relthford, James Coachan, Malik Strickland, and Jalen Dukes. Coach Smiley Stated, "This year's season was challenging, but regardless of the win loss record, the guys gave their all each night they stepped out on the floor and never gave up. The five senior boys lead the team and motivated them to never give up." Many underclassmen got to see large amounts of playing time on the court. Freshmen Johnkell Lewis stated, "I loved being able to play on the varsity level as a freshmen. It allowed me to really get a feel for the competition I would be playing against for the next three years of my high school career." Having guys that could play a lot of minutes on the varisty level was great for this ball club, and it showed what great talent the team would sustain in the years to come.



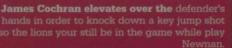
Senior Malik Strickland plays tight defense on the Jackson ball handler. The defense that Malike is playing makes it hard for the opposing player to see the floor and find an open player.



Tay Reithford gets fouled when going up for a layup. Tray was one of the most vocal leader on the court for the lions, this season. He stayed positive through everything and was always determined to win.



"EJ" drives the ball past his defender and to the basket in hope of getting fouled. Driving the ball into the hole was EJ's thing to do while on the court. There was never a defender that could catch up





James Cochan looks for an open teammate to pass the ball to. James was a great

Hoop, There It Is! Boys Basketball

Hasan Smith looks to score the basketball as two Newnan defenders run at him trying to block the





Zeke Lawson watches Jackson of Atlanta's point guard's waist in order to keep up with him if he tries to dribble past to score a basket



Zeke Lawson pushes the ball down the court after a defensive possession in order to catch the opposing team off guard for an easy basket.



The team sets up in a 2/3 zone in order to defend Jackson of Atlanta's in-bound play.



Malik Strickland crosses over the defender in front of him in order to pass the ball to an open teammate.



Johnkell Lewis shoots a 3-pointer and follows through to increase the Lions' score.



Elijah Ross makes a chest pass to James Cochran in order to shift the opposing teams defense.



Malik Strickland puts his head down and drives hard to the basket in hopes of getting fouled so he can take his chances at free-throws.



"The best teamwork comes from men who are working independently toward one goal in unison," stated James Cash Penney. Working hard together helped the lions with their success. Every player and coach that made up the team was extremely passionate about what they were doing. At practice they all worked hard, stayed focused and encouraged one another through all adversity. Senior Jalen Dukes stated, "Playing on this particular team my last year in high school was amazing. At times we faced problems, but as a team we all came together and conquered our goal." The lions played a tough schedule throughout the entire season, but it allowed them to grow into a team that is going to me extremely talented in successful in the future. Byron Brown stated, "I can tell the the future for Central is bright. This year forced us to grow. It prepared us for the future. I cannot wait to see what next season is going to bring; we just have to stay focused."

Elijah Ross gets into the paint and shoots a jump shot. Without "EJ's leadership role the team would not have been as well rounded as it was.

Malik Strickland attacks the basket off the dribble in order to score two points for the lions.



Hasan Smith puts the ball in triple threat and looks for an open team mate cutting to the basket.





for the team to get set and adjust to the defense that Newman transitioned to,

James Cochran holds the ball in order





With two Villa Rica defenders around her, junior Brianna Cousin goes to the basket strong in hopes of getting a foul or either an "And One". Brianna was a key post player for the lady lions down under the basket. Elizabeth Minick stated, "Bri is the quietest person on the team, but when she steps on the basketball court she plays very aggressive and controlled.

Driving by her defender, junior Wesli Simmions keeps her head up in order to see the other four teammates on the court that might be open. Wesli was one of the many players on the court for the lady lions that could handle the ball very well. She was a key offensive threat on the court. Wesli stated, "When I got the ball in my hands the first thing I did was look for an open teammate that might be cutting in the lane, or if I had an opening I would drive the ball in hopes of making the basket or getting fouled.

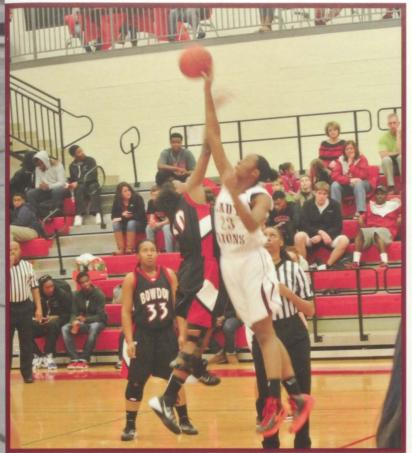
Was the transition to coaching the Lady Lions easier or harder than you expected?

First year head coach Mia Washington stated, "Neither, it was exactly what I expected. It definitely took some time for me to become familiar with the girls, but the transition was smooth. I expected to come in and find a group of young ladies who were ready to work hard and win and that's what I got."





Junior Hayley Sims goes up to the free throw line after getting fouled during the Villa Rica game. Hayley was the starting point guard for the lady lions. Hayley stated, "Being the point guard on such a competitive team can be nerve racking at times but I would not trade it for anything."



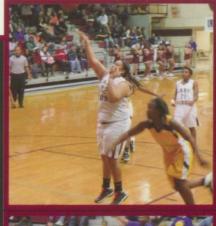
Six foot lone senior Sherae Bonner, never loses a jump ball tip. Sherae played a huge role on the lady lions basketball squad. She led the team in scoring throughout the entire season. She was truly a key in the 2013-2014 season.

Losing only one senior from the 2012-2013 season, the lady lions were excited to get back on the court and make a run deep into the state playoffs. This year was a little different for the team though. Junior guard Jasmine Thrash stated. "Going into the season with new coaches was extremely scary but also exciting. I was thrilled to see how they were going to structure the team." During the summer the team got together for practices and a couple of tournaments. This gave the girls sometime to bond together and also let Coach Washington see exactly how they played as a team. At the end of June the girls took a break and did not start back until October. At the start of the season the team played many teams that were not in their exact region but was good local competition. The lady lions started the season with a bang, losing only one game before heading into the region schedule. Junior Hayley Sims stated, "I really enjoyed playing the eleven games against local teams such and Villa Rica and Newnan. It allowed us to face good competition that prepared us for our region schedule." The Lady Lions started out the region schedule with two extremely well coached and athletic teams, Haralson County and Douglass of Atlanta. Sophomore Cici Hammett stated, "Starting region off with two of the top teams was very exciting; beating these teams by large amounts was even more exciting. As a returning player I could really see how much our team had already grew from the previous season." The overall team goal was to keep playing hard and winning region games so that the team could get deeper in the playoffs than they did the past year.



During a thirty second timeout at the County Christmas Tournament, head coach Mia Washington positively instructs her team on what she sees from the sideline and what she would like them the change when they go back out. Freshman Christina Lay stated, "Even when coach is upset with us, she tries to stay positive during instruction."

After getting around her defender, sophomore post player Cici Hammett shoots and makes a jump shot in front of a home crowd at the first game of the season.





Driving hard to the basket, junior Jasmine Thrash gets into the lane to either sore a basket or dish the ball to someone spotting up for a shot.



"Defense teaches players how to work together. It makes players unselfish. They have to rely on their teammates to be successful," stated head coach Mia Washington. Playing solid team defense played a huge role in the lady lion's success. During the Bowdon game, Elizabeth Minick plays great help side defense by seeing the ball and her man at the same time. Elizabeth stated, "Both Coach Washington and Coach Ford strongly believe in playing team defense. It took some time for us to get use to the style of defense they wanted us to play, but by the end of the season we had it down pat."

Girls' Basketball

How would you describe your first season coaching basketball?

Assistant Coach Jazmyn Ford stated, "My first season as an assistant coach has been challenging, yet rewarding. I have had to learn how to manage my duties as a coach and a teacher. I had to learn the rules, as well as complete different coaching clinics. I played basketball in high school, but playing and coaching are very different. As a coach I have to be able to make specific observations that I did not have to make as a player.

Coaching has also been rewarding. As someone who loves the game of basketball, there is nothing better than passing down knowledge of the game to someone else. Being able to be a part of a memorable experience the girls are experiencing gives me great joy!





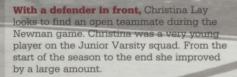


Running the offensive play that Coach Ford called out from the sideline, Deja Henderson drives the ball to the baseline in order to get the ball to either Christina Lay in the post or Taylor Carroll at the top of the key. The Junior Varsity Team consisted mostly of freshmen, which means that the Lady Lion basketball program is growing rapidly.



After getting fouled, Captain Eliza Luke shoots a free throw during the Newman game. Eliza was one of the main players both vocally and athletically on the Junior Varsity Squad. She also played a huge role on the Varsity team. Coach Ford Stated, "Eliza helped the younger girls when it came to them learning the plays an the rules of basketball."







Freshmen Alexis Farley goes up for a lay up in hopes of making the shot or getting fouled by the defender. If she misses the shot, Taylor Carroll will be on the opposite side of the basket ready to get the rebound.

Becoming a unit on the floor and understanding Coach Washington's and Coach Ford's coaching style was not a hard task for the team. It was a drastic change from the previous year, but since the team had many practices before the season started and many days that they just hung out with one another it was an easy transition. Wesli Simmons stated, 'When we found out that we were getting a brand new coaching staff we were a little stunned. But, Coach Washington and Coach Ford made it easy for us to get used to them. They were strict when it came down to playing and learning more about the game of basketball, but they would always allow us to have some fun." The different coaching style the new coaches brought to the table helped this particular group of girls the most. Eliza Luke stated, "Coach Washington made it clear to us from the beginning that she was going to get what she wanted out of us. We were going to play hard every time we stepped on the floor. She had high expectations for us and we were going to fulfill them." Overall the lady lions had a much better season Lone Senior Sherae Bonner stated, "I really enjoyed my last year playing under this coaching staff. They made so many positive changes; the program is really about to take off in the right direction.



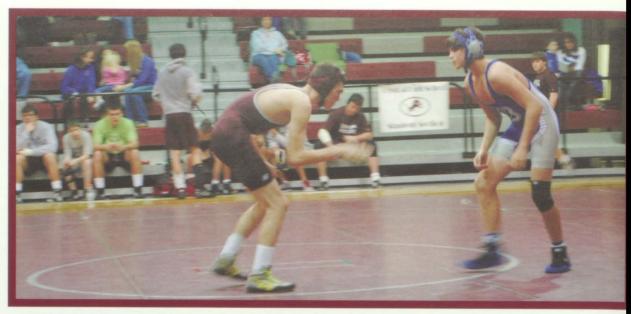
Talented post player Senior Sherae Bonner gets past her defender while Junior Hayley Sims spots up on the three point line for a shot. Sherae had the option to either kick the basketball to Hayley or keep driving to the basket

The best teams have chemistry. They communicate with each other and sacrifice personal glory for a common goal. The Lady lion basketball team did that exact thing. Everyone had one common goal that they wanted to achieve and everyone did what it took to reach that goal. Throughout the entire season the lady lions really came together and "Embraced the Grind."



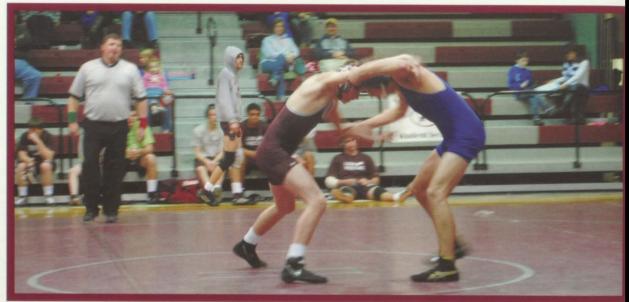
Senior Hunter

Cornelison prepares for his last wrestling match on his home mat. Hunter has been a part of the wrestling team since 9th grade and has cheered on and supported the team every year, showing the heart of a champion.



The Lion Grappler

muscles his way towards the hopes of victory as he wrestles with the Bremen opponent. The wrestling team had many underclassmen this year but that did not hold them back from having a great year and matches like this one shown.

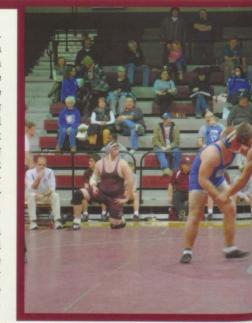


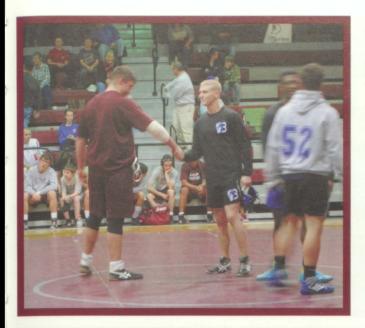
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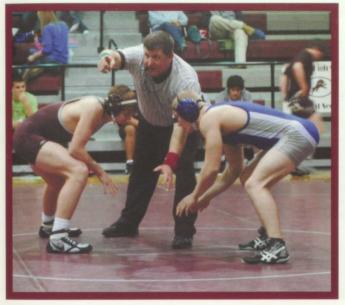
Blood, Sweat, and Tears. Wrestling tested young men in many different ways. Whether it was practice every day, or going home barely able to walk and then having to do it all again the next day, wrestling definitely separated the men from the boys. This year the wrestling team was younger than usual, but they still were able to pull out a successful year. Coach Marenda said that although they were young this year and not to their fullest potential, the team showed proof of a strong couple of years to come as the underclassmen begin to become upperclassmen and leaders on the team. Wrestling required a great amount of power and energy. It took all the countless hours of conditioning in the mornings and afternoons, all the long and hot practices that take place, and the pain felt after finally being able to rest. It was all for one goal though, and that was to win, to dominate and show the other competitor who had the most strength and endurance in the match by relentlessly going harder and harder until the other finally was pinned.

Sophomore Micheal Paea wrestles with the Bremen team member in the hopes of taking him to the ground and getting a pin for Central that would hopefully give Central the chance to win. Micheal is in his second year on the wrestling team and is ready for the years to come and to get better.





Junior Cole Glommen shakes hands with the opposing team member before the match begins. This was Cole's first year on the Wrestling team, and he contributed greatly to the team.

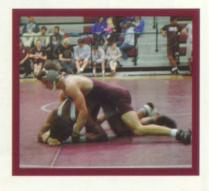


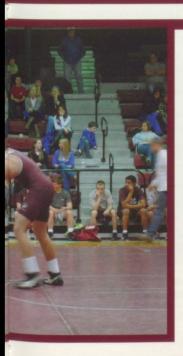
Freshman Preston Hale squats in the hopes of dominating the opponent for a win in his first year apart of the Central Wrestling team. Preston wrestled in Middle School and has the hopes of having a successful four years on the Varsity Wrestling team.

4 Years in the Making

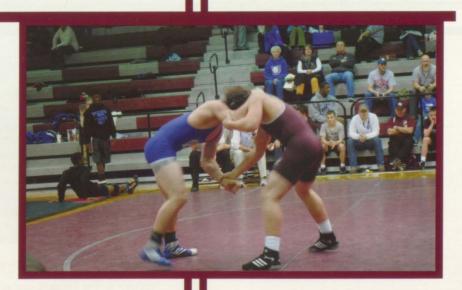


Senior Jacob Terry has been wrestling for Central ever since he first walked through the doors of Central High School as a Freshman. He has paid a major part to the team and always steps up to be a leader and lays it all out on the line and leaves it all on the mat. He will be greatly missed next year on the Wrestling team.

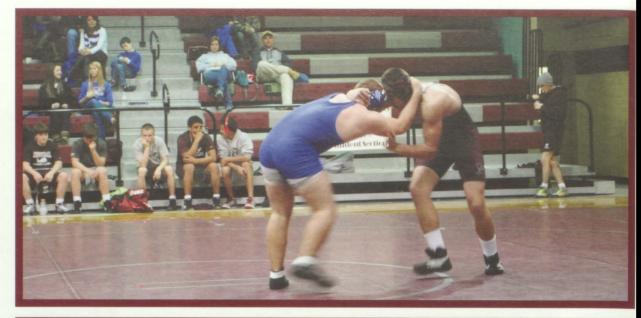




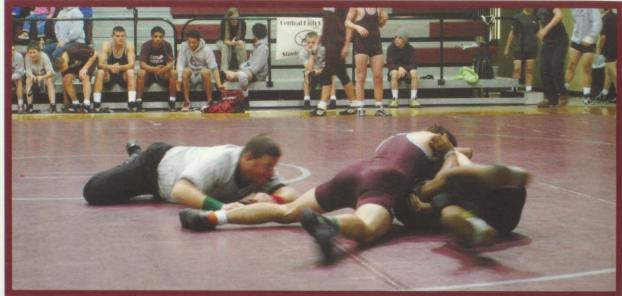
Take Him Down! The
Lion wrestler fights hard
to take down his
opponent and get a pin
for the team. This pin
would put Central in the
chance for a win for the
match between the two
teams, and our Central
wrestler was not going
down without a fight.



Michael Paea goes in face to face with his opponent. They had not hit the floor yet. The lions had their mind set to pin the guy down.

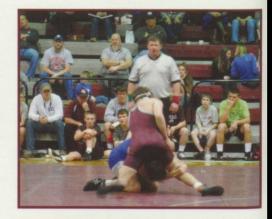


In this match, the visiting grappler has no chance against Chandler Butler.

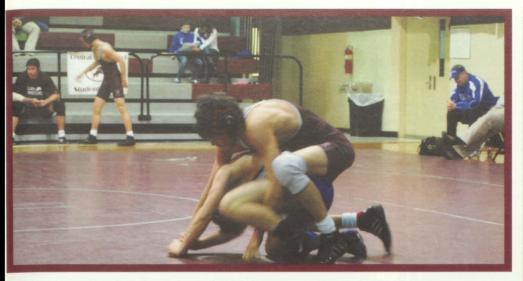


"All In" Varsity Wrestling

This year the Varsity Wrestling team was younger than usual. This didn't hold them back, however, from being a dominant team in the region. The wrestling team was able to come together as a family, work hard, and prove themselves in the region winning many important matches. They team spent countless hours in the wrestling room and track conditioning and training to go the longest in matches and be the strongest team in the region mentally and physically. The team spent their year building not only for the season but also for the years to come. Coach Marenda said that he looks forward to the upcoming seasons as the underclassmen become mature and become strong leaders on the team. The wrestling had a good season, building them for the seasons to come.



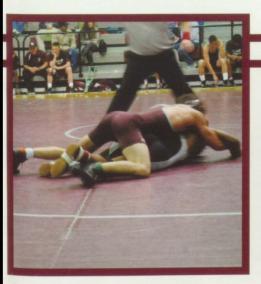
Sophomore Gabe Ledford uses a cool wrestling technique on the mat. He was up against a tough opponent, but had his mind set to come out with a win.



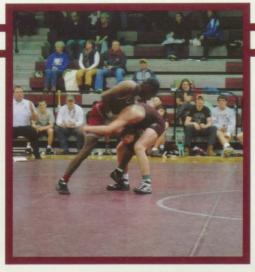
Lion wrestler Bo Ly goes all for it against his opponent on the mat. He pinned his opponent to his knees while on top of his back. Lions were definite of a win.



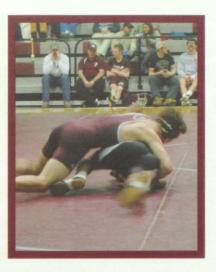
Lee Laney stands face to face against his opponent. He stood ready to pin the guy down and in hopes of getting a win.



The Lions go for the best during this match. The lion wrestler got on top of his opponent to pin him down flat. That gave him a better advantage to win.



Lion wrestler Chandler Butler goes in low on his opponent. He bends down lower, and grabs his opponents legs. That is a typical wrestler move.



Jacob Terry establishes his advantage early in his match.

Favorite Move?



Wrestlers
have a
plethora of
moves up
their sleeves,
figuratively
speaking.
Junior Cole
Glommen has
a favorite
move. He

said; "I like the Russian because it's a 2 in 1 move. You have their wrist, and your hand is cupped around their elbow. It gets them off your head."



Cheering It's a lifestyle.

Just Keep Smiling. Senior Jasmine Johnson flashes her pearly whites as she cheers on the boys. Fans in the crowd comment on how she looks happy every game, whether rain or shine. "I didn't know that people actually paid attention to me as I cheered until I wasn't on the sidelines one game, and strangers kept asking what was wrong. They said they missed seeing my smiling face. Cheering is a time when my life motto comes in handy; if you cant smile for yourself then smile for whoever make be watching."

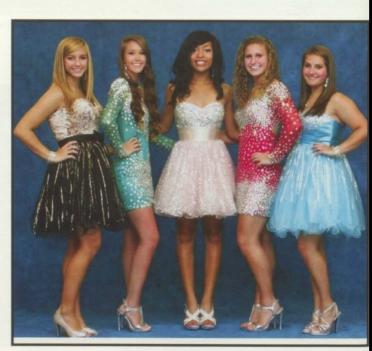


Hear her roar! The seniors crowd around the beloved lion. A football team isn't complete without a friendly mascot! This year the face behind the mask was senior Logan Steed. She had always wanted to be a cheerleader, and this was her way

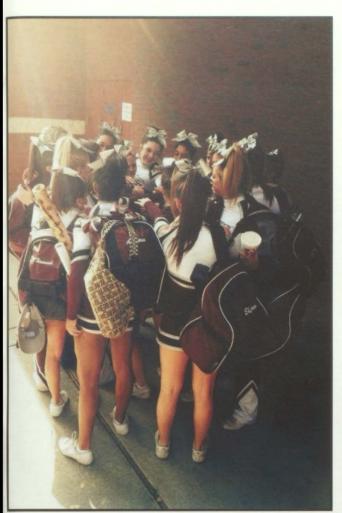


During homecoming,
Mrs.Hammack's class
piled around former
CES students Robin
Hubbard, Jasmine
Johnson,Anna
Schulenburg, and Mary
Katheryn Demon. Haley
Harrison formerly

attended school in Lousiana, but is happy to be a Central Lion. Every Friday during the season, the varsity football cheerleaders visited the "cluster" elementary schools; this included Whitesburg, Roopville, and Central Elementary. The children waited anxiously all week long for the girls to come sporting their uniforms with a box of spirit goodies in hand! Students could buy pom-poms, tattoos, ribbons, and much more to support the Lions. This was a time for the cheerleaders to bond with those who will walk the halls of Central High and continue the legacy of excellence.



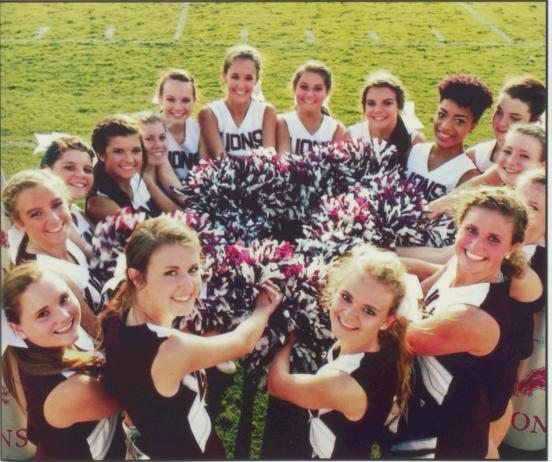
Keep it classy. The Senior cheerleaders model dresses for one of many advertisements in the football program. Each girl stands beautifully in a dress picked just for her!



The web describes a cheerleader as "a person who leads spectators in organized cheering at an athletic event." The Varsity Football Cheerleaders were definitely a large part of the recent surplus of school pride and support of the football team. Of course the squad stood sharp, yelled loudly, and jumped high on the sidelines of every game. Every Friday the girls walked around the hallways decked out in the famous maroon and gray. Just as the boys prepared for the game of the week, the squad practiced cheers and chants every Tuesday and Thursday afternoon, not to mention the hours spent painting signs and run-trhoughs. The Varsity Competition Cheerleaders were known for showing their strength and complex skills on the blue mats every Saturday. The closed practices that started before school even released every day were obscure to most people. This group of dedicated girls began preparing for their fall season with hardcore conditioning which began right after tryouts in March. Any girl on the competition squad had learn to smile through the pain because competitive cheerleading was one of the most dangerous sports. Everyone saw the results that cheerleaders displayed at games and competitions, but most were unaware of the behind the scenes work that went into the sport. A positive attitude, dedication, and sense of family was a part of every cheerleaders on the field, mat, court, and anywhere else the girls went.

One team. One Heart. The competition girls understand the importance of family and team work in order to be successful. The join in encouraging words and prayer before competing in front of hundreds of spectators.

You go girls! The varsity competition squad waits anxiously to depart the school on Thursday November 14th. The girls work relentlessly all year long to be able to compete with the best at the state competition.



Bring it in. The Varsity football cheerleaders smile excitedly as they begin their season at the massive University of West Georgia stadium. The circle represents the ever-continuous bond among the girls.





Wheels on the bus go 'round. Long, bumpy bus rides like this one to Appling County are a part of the job. Cheerleaders entertain themselves with songs, silliness, and selfies of course!

Cheering The Voices Behind

Where do you get the energy to remain highspirited throughout all four quarters of a football game?

"Sometimes I get tired, but
then I imagine how
exhausted the boys are on
the field. The band plays
nonstop, and the fans scream
and stand on their feet. After
seeing everyone giving 100
percent, suddenly cheering
becomes easier."

-Junior Anna Schulenburg



What was the most memorable moment for you this season?

"I favorite part of the whole season was definitely Senior night, because it was the night after the eleep over and we were all so nuch closer, we all had a blast that night, and we won. Plus I'll never forget having to scrub the paint of my torchead from the Senior growns!

-Senior Morgan Richardson

How would you describe cheering for varsity football?

"This was the first time cheering football and the feeling of the football game in itself was indescribable. The fans, the band, the players, and the awesome student section combined made the whole experience amazing."

Junior Robin Hubbard

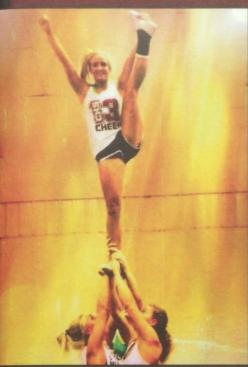




What qualities make a good cheerleader?

"Some qualities that would make someone a good cheerleader would be very spirited, energetic, but above all friendly."

Katie Both Wall



What motivated you to keep going strong throughout competition season?
"We had many setbacks throughout the season, with injuries and such, but I would are the applications of the season. say the support and dedication from my coaches, teammates, and fans are what kept me going strong and kept me going strong and kept me going strong and kept me giving up. Sometimes you feel like you can't push any further, and if felt good to have so many people believe in us."



What do you live most about

cheerleading?
"Oh gosh lol okay..The thing I love most about cheerleading is getting to go around the the elementary schools and seeing how excited the kids get. Also, I love that I can say I'm a part of the amazing football program and family'





What was your motivation to keep going strong during competition season? "I knew that we had the opportunity to do very well at state with the talent on our team and also do make it a great year for our seniors!"

> How did it feel when you stepped on the mat at a cheerleading competition? "It's an indescribable feeling to be out there with you're team when we have all worked so hard for this moment. When you're competing, every second counts. "

D-E-F-E-N-S-E

Basketball Cheerleading

Pump, Pump, Pump it Up! Keyonia Thrash, Katie Beth Walls, Averi McDonald, and Caroline Conerly engage in a crowd favorite cheer. The girls love to please the fans so that they will join them in cheering on the team.





We want a basket! Janeia Thomas and Zoe Marriott cheer on the lions during senior night.



Get ready to rumble! The squad lines up to cheer on the Lady Lions as the announcer acknowledges the starters. The varsity girls always feel much better after starting the game with so much enthusiasm.

-avorite Basketball Cheen

Junior Ashley Boykin, a member of the basketball cheering squad, said her favorite cheer is "You Don't Want None," because "it shows school spirit along with a little attitude!"



We love our seniors! Caroline Conerly and Angelica Cox support the senior class. Senior Night was a huge hit for fans and students.



Central Lions let me hear you yell! The Lions loved their basketball boys and girls. From record breaking attendance to new and inventive crowd cheers, the fans of the Central basketball teams were just as much an integral part of the victorious season as the actual players. Who better to lead the spirited student section in chants and cheers than the basketball cheerleaders themselves? Game after game, night, after night, the basketball cheer squad members yelled their hearts out for the Mighty Lion Pride. Led by senior Katie Beth Walls, the girls pumped up the crowd and consistently turned the atmosphere of the Walker Gym into one of excitement and enthusiasm. It was not all fun and games though. The cheerleaders prepped and practiced tirelessly to ensure that they had the routines and the moves down pat. "It's hard work, but it's worth it at the end of the day," remarked Katie Beth, the single senior on the team. And their hard work paid off, as their flawless cheers were admired by many onlookers. The Central High School Basketball Cheer Squad was one of the many staples of basketball season that students looked forward to seeing year after year.

Central High School's

basketball team pushed through many nail-biters to come out victorious in the end. The spectators weren't the only nervous ones though. Cheerleaders and students alike often found themselves watching with anticipation the final few moments of a close game.

Go. Fight. Win. Shandaria McClure cheers her heart out at a Central basketball game. Shandaria, a junior, has cheered on the basketball cheer squad both her tenth and eleventh grade years



Holding down the fort in Central's Walker Gym, Angelica Cox, Katie Beth Walls, and Averie Armstrong keep up the spirits of the basketball team. Even in tough situations, the girls helped the teams pull through with their cheery attitudes and confident smiles.





L-E-T-S G-O! The girls on the basketball cheer squad, coached by Coach Gallas, are experts at helping rally up both the players and the student sections. They were especially well known for their loud enthusiasm and extreme love for all things

Relentless Development

Varsity shortstop Brandon Justice rotates his hips to track down a blooper that got hit right over his head. Brandon had to have great communication with left fielder Matt Harman in order to catch this ball.



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In keeping with baseball tradition, Before every game all the players line up at their position and listen to the National Anthem.



Freshman Zack Gaines pitches to the South Paulding batter on one of the Saturday games that the Junior Varsity played. The coaches scheduled as many games for the JV players as possible so that they could gain experience and prepare for the next season.

'Atta Boy!

Leadership is a big part in the making of a team or

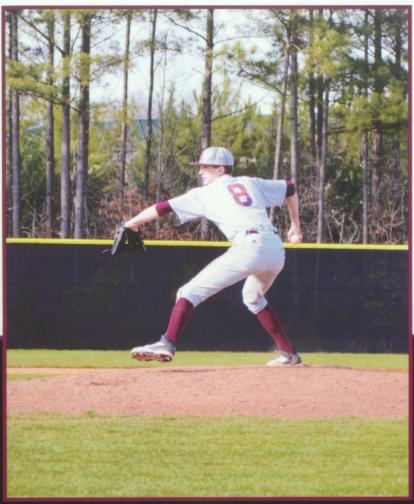
a leader. To be a leader you have to have the characteristics of one, which are being a good sport, being able to take charge, and always having a good attitude. Nic Dye and Wesley Long are all about leadership. Even though they are only a sophomore and a junior, they have seniority on the varsity team. Sophomore Nic Dye stated, "We take care of each other.

No one tries to be better than the other, and that's what leadership is about."





Freshman leader Kent Evans loads and keeps his eyes on the ball as the pitcher gets his sign from the catcher and gets ready to throw the ball. Kent was one of the leading hitters on the team. He led the team in many areas offensively.



Bob Feller once stated, "Every day is a new opportunity. You can build on yesterday's success or put its failures behind and start over again. That's the way life is, and that's the way baseball is." The 2014 varsity baseball team only consisted of three senior players, so a large number of the starting line up was made up of extremely athletic and determined juniors. Several underclassmen played a huge role on the team also; they really worked hard and competed well on the varsity level when the team needed them to step up the most. Coach Shiver and the other coaches on the coaching staff worked tirelessly on ways to get the team better everyday. Since each coach played on the collegiate level they knew many different techniques that would help the team strive even when times got extremely tough. Starting pitcher for the varsity squad, Will Sheffield, stated, "The coaches give us the drive and motivation to be the best we can day in and day out. They make us realize that we only get high school baseball once so we have to treat every rep like it is our last." Having a good group of core players that wanted to succeed was huge for this program, and their season's success showed it.

Freshman pitcher Garrett Lovvorn rares back after getting the sign from his catcher and throws a change-up to the opposing team's batter. The JV squad had many talented pitchers, which really helped throughout the season.

Freshman Jake Buchanan gets a lead at first base and watches the pitcher closely so he will know when he needs to dive back into the bag.





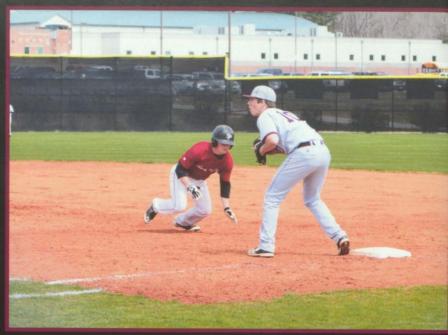
Pitcher Adam Kinnard focuses in on the pitching sign that his catcher gives him. Adam was one of the leading pitchers for the team; during most of the games he relieved the starting pitcher.



Starting varsity pitcher Will Sheffield rares back and throws a heater to one of the opposing team's batters. The junior pitcher played a huge role in the team's season success. He really came through for the team on the mound when the team needed a win.

Hit and Run Baseball

As the South Paulding base runner dives back into the bag, freshman first basemen Blaine Chambers gets ready to stretch for the baseball coming from the pitcher and apply the tag on the runner.





After analyzing the first couple of swings that the batter has already displayed, Head JV Coach Kyle McCarty gives a location and pitch sign to his catcher, in hopes that it will help his team reach a victory.



Varsity player Matt Harman gets a lead off of first base while watching Coach Shiver for a sign and the other team's pitcher so he will know if he is going to throw back at him.

Batter Up!

Everybody has a pre-game ritual or a "good luck charm," whether you're on a team or in an individual sport. A lucky pair of socks, always eating sunflower seeds before a game, or even listening to the same song before a game are some examples of good luck charms. Sophomore Spencer Caradine was on the 2014 JV baseball team this season. When asked what he

does before he's up to bat, he said,"I always rub dirt on my hands. I know almost everybody does that probably, but it always seems to help me focus, in some way."





Junior catcher Wesley Long gets a pitching and location sign from Coach Minick, one of the team pitching coaches. The pitching department for the team is very powerful and has a lot of potential.



Running into the season with a head start, the junior varsity baseball team went into the 2014 season determined to work hard. Every player was committed to getting better and striving for excellence in order to be ready to play at the varsity level next year. The JV players were extremely supportive of the varsity players and the varsity players were great role models to them. The JV baseball team never let a loss get them down, they always took a loss with a positive mind set. This allowed them to become a better baseball team every time they stepped on the field. The teams desire to be the best, payed off. The team was consisted of mostly freshmen and sophomores, and led by second year head coach Kyle McCarty. "The talent that I see in this group is unbelievable. Something special is in store for these guys if they are willing to work for it. And that's what they are going to do - work. Because the sky is the limit,"stated Coach McCarty. Having a large group of young players that were excited about getting better as a whole and not individually is awesome. The baseball program is expected to continue to keep growing into a successful program, if the young players keep working hard each day to become better baseball players.

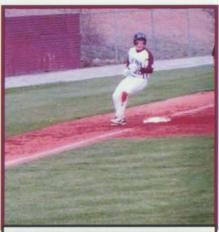
Junior Holden Anderson

loads and watches the pitcher as he gets ready to release the ball. Holden had a big bat for the team; he was truly a spark plug in the lineup.

Rhett Duffy, junior leader on the team, rounds third base after one of his fellow teammates hits a hard ground ball through the gap.



Coach Kyle McCarty gathers his team around before they go out on the field to play defense. Coach McCarty tells the boys what he expects from them while out there and also motivates them to have each others back, if one person makes an error there should be someone there backing him up.





Freshman Dylan Wyble stands in the outfield and waits until it is time for the inning to start back up. Being on your toes and ready for any kind of ball in the outfield is extremely important.

Nothing but net Boys Soccer

Getting loose and warm before every game results in less injury. The boys joke around and run through their warm-ups quick and easy to get ready for their game against Best & CSK at home. Freshman Jameson Cochran said, "Warm-ups help get my head in the game and in the soccer mood."





Sophomore Nolan Williams waits on the ball to be passed to him. Nolan said, "The fullback works hard to protect the ball from getting close to the goal. I enjoying being able to help the team from the back."



Sophomore Daniel Moye hustles back to his position after completing a tough play. Daniel said,, "I've always enjoyed playing soccer and enjoyed being with the guys."

Throughout high school students change and

Vewbies



decide what they
want to participate in.
Juniors Jayleen Terry
and Blake Brewer
decided to play soccer
for the first time.

Jayleen said, "It feels great to take part in this great new experience. The team and coaches have accepted me as part of their soccer family and I feel like I belong there. I always have a great time with the guys."



Protecting his goal, Freshman Justin Rice watches the ball come his way and gets ready. Justin said, "When I block a ball it makes me feel good because I helped my team out by not letting the other team get another goal."

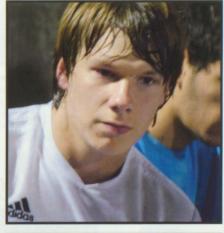


Through strength, determination, and pride the boys soccer team fought to win. They practiced every day, no matter the weather, to get better and to gain their victories. The coaches strove to push the players to be the best they can be and play their hardest. The team focused on having fun and achieving their goals. Teamwork played another big part in the team success. All the boys knew each other's strengths and weaknesses. They all had a special connection with each other. Sophomore Bryce McNulty stated, "Knowing how each other play really helps out in a game. We all know when and where to be to help someone in a situation. We also know how to make each other feel better and get their head back in the game after a mistake." The boys worked together very well this year to earn their goals.

Working together to move the ball down the field,

Seniors Spencer Morrow and Kentdrix Chism pass the ball back and forth past their opponents from Jackson of Atlanta. Spencer stated, "One of the main players I enjoyed playing with was Kentdrix because we have been playing together since 6th grade.'

Senior Dakota Malcom takes a breather and watches intently for his next play. Dakota explained, "While taking a rest I always think about how i just played and how i can improve."





Senior Hunter Hughes pauses to think about what he should do in the next play. Hunter remarked, "Playing my final games this season makes me want to try hard and prove that I'm supposed to be out there.'

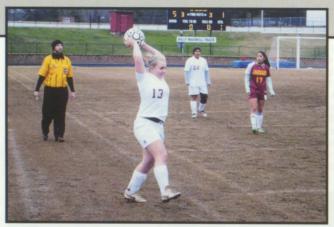


Watching the game and waiting to go, the boys cheer on the other players. Freshman Chris Sims said, "When I'm on the bench I'm thinking about what I get on the field and how I am going to use that time on the field to show the team that I know what I'm doing."

Out Hustle, Out Work, Out Think, Out Play Girls Soccer

Junior Darby Turner executes a move behind her back to get past the defender for Jackson of Atlanta. Called a Cruyff, the move is her favorite, and she tries to do it whenever it is possible. Darby plays right-mid or center mid and maintains a starting position on the team.





Center defender Savannah McWhorter comes to the sideline to throw in the ball back into play because Jackson of Atlanta kicked the ball out. Savannah has to drag her back foot on the ground a put her plant foot before the sideline and make the ball go all the way over her head before she throws it to make a legal throw in.



Freshman Camille Heath uses the inside of her foot to control the ball to get past Jackson's defender. Camille plays center-mid and forward. Camille has very good footwork and can dribble around people with ease as well as blow past them with her speed and incredible ball control.

How do you do your do?



Each player has a unique way of wearing her hair to participate in the sports that they play. Most times this hair style almost becomes a players signature and when on the field that is what other people know them by or recognize them by to help distinguish them from the other players. Junior Darby Turner is known for wearing her hair in a braided pony tail whenever she is doing something soccer related; whether she is at practice or a game, her hair is always in a braid. Junior Wesli Simmons is known for dving her hair

this fiery red and always wears it in a bun on the top of her head. It is never in a regular pony tail. Junior Jessica Pealeaz and Sophomore Savannah McWhorter always wear their hair straight and in a ponytail, game days or practice. Lastly, Junior Alexis Franklin has started wearing her hair in a French braid on game days. Before every game you will see Amber Powell French braiding her hair in the classroom in the field house. As for the rest of the team, they wear their hair up in a pony tail.



Grace Heath gets her hips turned and is trying to get under the ball to take a shot with her laces on her cleats so the ball will be hard and driven to goal. Grace plays center mid-field or left mid-field and maintains a starter position.

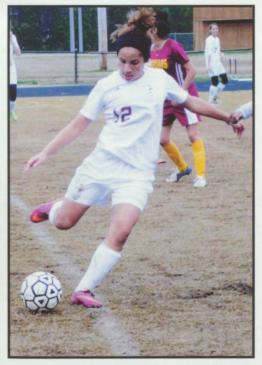


Following the Elite 8 appearance of the 2013 season,

the Lady Lions Soccer team did not disappoint in the 2014 season. Teamwork, dedication, family, and confidence were all key to this seasons success. Every practice was serious, and each player always gave one hundred and ten percent. Each individual contributed different qualities to the team which made the Lady Lions unstoppable. The offense and defense were both extremely strong and got even better as the season progressed. The family atmosphere of the team made the chemistry on the field even better and allowed them to know where everyone was at on the field and everyones strengths and weaknesses so each player could work to the teams advantage. Captains Wesli Simmons and Daysi Escobar were very successful in leading the team. Conditioning is a big part of the game along with footwork, ball-handling skills, and communication. Each of those skills was perfected in practice every day, and it showed in the high scoring games that were present in the games. The defense worked extremely hard to keep balls out of the back of the net and in return the offense scored as much as possible. Senior Daysi Escobar said, "I love being part of this team and I love the atmosphere of being on the field and working hard for good outcomes."

Wesli Simmons steps out of the box and takes a corner kick. Normally Wesli is in the box ready to get a head on the ball to score an amazing goal. Wesli is a key component to the team and a scoring machine.

Autumn Martin dribbles the ball down the field on a slight break away hoping to beat her opponents and score a goal. Autumn plays forward and is a first year player.



Captain Wesli Simmons dominates on the field as she attempts to pass the ball to the outside so her wing player can cross the ball back into the middle for Wesli to connect with and hopefully score.



Freshman Grace Heath takes a corner kick in hopes that someone will get on the end of it to score a goal. Grace is a starter and plays either center-mid, left-mid, or right-mid. Because of her accuracy and her powerful foot, she scored a lot for the team from many different distances and places on the field.





Jessica Pelaez looks for her outside player, or wing player, so she can pass the ball off to get the team moving up the field into the attack. She is shielding the ball from Jackson of Atlanta's forward so she can easily pass the ball off. Jessica is playing and always play left or right defensive back.

Livin' on the Lines Girls Tennis

mis players Sydney Stone, Cassie Griffin, Alys aul, Elizabeth Minick, Lindesy Pierce, Erin Lev oncela, and Anya Dunn stand proudly with trophy that they won at the annual LaGra Tennis Touman





During a tennis match, Courtney Allen begins to serve at the service line. She reared back with her knees bent, ball tossed high while her hand spotted it in the air. That serve looked definite on being in



Player Cassie Griffin is ready at the base line of the tennis court. As a ball came over the net, she got ready to run after it. Cassie prepared her racket in hand to bring it back, and hit the ball with a hard swing.

There are many essentials that are kept in a girl's tennis bag. Of course, they include the



basics which are tennis rackets, tennis uniforms, and any other tennis essentials. Many of the girls shared what they have in their tennis bag. Erin Lewis said, "I do not have too much interesting stuff in my bag, but all that's in there is gloves, contact solution,

headband, tennis shoes, and my two rackets." Sydney Stone said, " I have hairspray, gum, golf gloves, slide on shoes, brush, pencil, hand warmers, and a bunch of clothes." Quinn Evans said, "Two racquets, sunscreen, chapstick, random jewerly, fifteen half drunk water bottles and gatorade, and socks."



Number three singles Lindesy Pierce comes up to the net for an overhead shot. She had her racket back and ready while looking up to spot the ball. Those type of hits can be a winner shot if hit just right on to the other side.

ventrals In Your Tennis Bag



Hardwork, dedication, and commitment are all key words that described the girls tennis team. Every weekend, Coach Wadlington planned a practice that was optional, and instead of just a few players coming, most of the players came because that was how dedicated the players were to the sport, and wanted to get as much practice in as they could. The girls team consisted of juniors, sophomores, and freshman, with no seniors on the team. Also, hard work was another important quality that the members of the tennis team showed. Their hard work especially showed during matches when they came out with a win. This hard work and dedication was a great example to the underclassmen. The girls had commitment set in their minds when they set forth on the tennis courts. All the hours put into practices and matches shaped the Lady Lions into better tennis players throughout the year. Courtney Allen said, "This year I am one of many freshmen girls playing tennis, and I feel privileged to be playing on the varsity team my first year." Coach Wadlington impacted all these characteristics into his players, knowing it would make them stronger.

Elizabeth Minick has an intense facial expression as she is just about to hit the ball. She was in forehand position and a step back ready to give that ball a good hit across the court. Elizabeth's hits were very hard, and straight forward, which was difficult for some of her opponents to return.

With her eyes set on the ball, Erin Lewis just hit a forehand shot over the net. Her technique was good because after every shot, she finished with her racquet over her shoulder. Erin did very well during the season as she played both singles and doubles at times.



One of the team's best players Sydney Stone takes number one for singles on the girls tennis team. She came up for a volley shot at the net, and had just hit it to go over the net. Sydney was in good position at net with forehand shot as her left foot stepped out. The team liked to say Sydney was a "brick wall", which meant nothing could get past her while on the court.





After hitting a serve, Anna Schulenburg finishes with her rackuet behind her back. She focused on the ball to make sure her ball went over and in correctly. Anna is a very constant player that can usually keep a ball in play for a good amount of time.

Game, Set, Match

Boys Tennis

Taking care of business, junior Jacob Barnes executes a relentless serve on his opponents at Washington Park. Enjoying a win with his doubles partner Alex Stewart, Jacob expressed, "I'm driven by my competitive nature and getting a win for the team as a whole."





Anxiously awaiting an overhead, senior James Moye positions himself to successfully enforce a powerful shot on his region competitor. He triumphed in not only this point but in also many other matches as a whole throughout the rigorous yet rewarding season.



Filled with lion pride and determination, seni Richard Brice mentally prepares for the next point in his match against Jackson of Atlanta Richard won this region match along with many other region matches throughout the season.



Sophomore Joe Cubitt puts away an impressive volley at the net during a home match. After a successful season he remarked, "I enjoyed the fellowship and being around Coach Wadlington the most."

Whether it be a meaningful accessory,



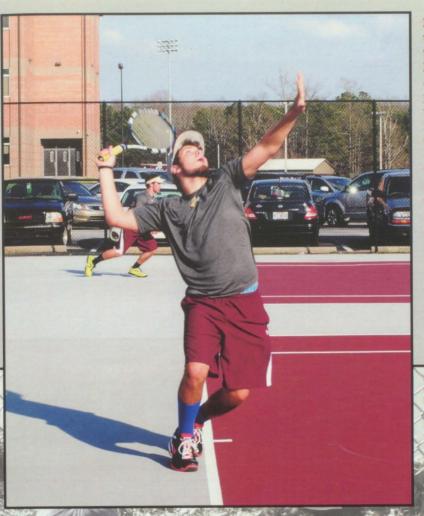
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unique or
unusual they may be.

Sophomore Aaron Startup explained, "I always wear my Jesus fish necklace. I also wear my socks: one pulled up high and one low." A

"Jesus necklace" also serves as Timothy Duffey's good luck charm, present whenever he is on the court. Perhaps the most unique pre-game ritual belongs to senior James Moye, who shared, "I open the can of balls and immediately smell them. When I take them out, I kiss every ball!"



With focus and determination, senior Ben Lewis executes his backhand on the court while warming up for a region match. Proving that hard work and practice pays off, he went on to win his match against Haralson County. Playing for two years now on Central's tennis team/ Ben can attest to the reward that comes from playing the sport and being committed to it.



Eager and determined to accomplish a historical season, the boy's tennis team succeeded in winning big on and off the court. Through hard work, sweat, and determination, a hopeful boys team proved their skill on the court with class and integrity. Sportsmanship and respect filled each player, paving the way for an exemplary boys tennis team. Leading the team in their success was head coach Jeff Waddlington. Dedicated to the team and creating a lasting experience for the players, he supported the team with his not only his coaching but also his positive, contagious spirit. He shared, "What I love about the boys team this year is the strong leadership of the juniors and seniors coupled with a talented, hard working group of sophomores and freshmen. It was a great year and looks like a great future ahead!" With four seniors contributing to the line up, the team was fortunate in having experienced players to lead the team. Through practices, matches, and tournaments, the players bonded and became a close knit team offering each other support and encouragement

during the highs and lows of what turned out to be a

praiseworthy season in more ways than one.

In the midst of a powerful serve, sophomore Aaron Startup gauses and gains momentum to accelerate his racquet head speed. In this region match up against Haralson County at home, Aaron went on to win his match 60, 60.

Engaged in a region match up on his home courts, senior James Moye anticipates a serve from his Haralson County opponent. As his last year on the tennis team, he was determined to make it his best. The boys team played on to defeat this region competitor and excel in their regular season matches.



Dominating at the net, senior Alex Stewart makes use of his volley and overhead skills during a match at Washington Park. With his doubles partner Jacob Barnes, Alex was victorious over his opponent and won the match. Playing a mixture of line three singles and line two doubles, Alex stated, it's been memorable because we've become more of a family, and it's allowed us to joke around more and improve our game.



All Smiles, sophomore Conner Caldwell watches his winning shot pass his opponents. Playing second line doubles with Ben Lewis, he won his match with ease and had a great time playing. He shared, "It's really a fun sport to play. It's different than all the other ones!"



Risk it all. Gain it all. Sophomore Eliza Luke gives it all she has in the 100 meter dash. Coach Washington had suggested that she not run because she iced her legs just minutes prior. However, Eliza did not want to let the team down and ran. She

Touch all of the bases. Coach Reynolds explains the rules to the teams competing in the boy's 4x1 relay. The boys have heard this a million times before, but coach wants to make sure that everyone understands the basics so that no one is hurt or disqualified.



ce Yourself

If you ever watch any long distance race, you will notice a trend amongst the athletes -stop watches! As the runners anticipate the gun, they also anticipate starting the time on their watches. There are many

different explanation. Unlike the short dashes, long distances racers aren't designated to one lane; girls and guys run at the same time and the track can get really crowded. Some runners keep up with the time just in case the time keepers make a mistake. Other athletes like to stay focused on their personal time and block-out everyone else. It is easy to get distracted when there are twenty people on the track for eight laps. It can also be confusing when the lap counter says that there are three laps left for the last runner, but you know that you only have two.

Sophomore Bo Ly says, "Keeping up with your own time helps you pace yourself throughout the entire race."



Bring it home! Junior Jasmine Thrash is what is known as the anchor of the 4x1 relay team. She is the last person to grab the baton but definitely not the least important. Her job is to either maintain the lead that the other three girls have made possible, or make up for lost time by showcasing her spectacular speed.



Track and field is running, jumping for height and distance, and throwing for distance using implements of standardized design. But it was much more than that; track was a lifestyle. Track athletes were required to think, eat, and behave a certain way to be successful in their meets. Long distance runners like Connor McCray understood the importance of staying hydrated. He did not wait until he ran his first lap of practice to reach for a water bottle; instead, he carried around a gallon of water throughout the school day to ensure that he gave his body enough water to perform at it's best. It was not only about what to take in, but also important to avoid certain foods during the season like the greasy, deep fried foods that most teenagers "can't live without." Because "you are what you eat," a double quarter pounder with cheese would not have made it too far on the track. "I still eat fast food every no e Bonner. Not only did they have to have the diet of an athlete, but physical dedication was required on and off of the track. Junior Kirey Thompson spent hours in the weight room each week building up strength and endurance for his turn at shot put. The team took strides in every part of their lives to be healthier and more successful

meter hurdles

All it takes is all you've got. Freshman Averie Armstrong prepares to throw the discus early on a Saturday morning. She challenges herself each meet to throw harder and further than before

on the track or field.

"Keep your best wishes close to your heart and watch what happens" Breshawn Carter meditates before his race. He has several events, but the one which challenges him the most is the 300

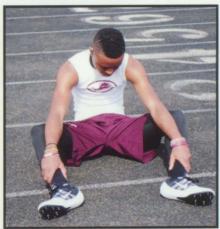


"Run your own race." Senior Curtis Davenport participates in the 200 meter dash on Saturday, March 15th. His competitors are fierce and as anxious to claim first place as he is. As the finish line approaches, Curtis digs to ensure his first place medal by leaving all of his opponents in the dust! He truly owned this race.



Every pack needs a leader.

Coach Reynolds is followed by three of his main helpers: Blake Brewer, Emmanuel Hudson, and Ben Boykin. These guys always assist coach when he needs it, whether it be to pass along a message to the teams or keep times for every race.



Making it look easy. Senior Elijah Ross passes all opponents about halfway into the 100 meter dash. Always an impressive runner, but he definitely turned up the heat for his senior year. Elijah stands out as a major threat on the track for everyone who lines up with him.

Pain is temporary, Pride is FOREVER

Central Track

The pride you gain is worth the pain......

Central's track team had many incredible athletes. Hours of practice, pain and dedication were spent pushing this years athletes to be the best runners they could be. On and off the track runners showed not only their passion for their sport, but also their passion for their education. Coached by Mia Washington and narrod Reynolds the team was made up of many different types of runners: long distance runners, jumpers, shot put throwers, and sprinters but heart, pride, and dedication pushed everyone to do their very best and be a team. Pride was what kept everyone doing their best. Pride was what kept everyone pushing along when they thought they didn't have anything left. Pride was what kept everyone wanting to practice every day. Pride was the attitude to cheer everyone on, no matter what. Pride was the commitment to give everything they had. Pride was having a bad race, but not being defeated. Pride was the thing that made the diverse group of Central runners... A CENTRAL FAMILY.

It Been A Good Run!!!

In concluding his career as a Central Lion athlete, Senior Curtis Davenport reflects on his time as a Central High Track Team Member. When asked, What was your most memorable moment while on the track team? Curtis responded, "The track meet at Lakewood Stadium was my most memorable moment. We had a lot of fun and we competed hard. It was just a great experience." Saying goodbye is hard for a senior athlete. When asked, "What will you miss most

When asked, "What will you miss most about high school track?," Curtis said, "I will miss the teammates. I will also miss the friendships that I have formed with every one on this team. We aren't just a team, we are a Central Family."





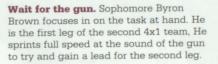
Let's talk strategy. Junior Wesley Futrell converses with opponent runners before his event. Wesley has been a member of the track team since his freshman year. His strategy is to remember the relief he feels when each race is over; even though he's dog-tired, that thought pushes him to run even harder.



Team work makes the dream work! Freshman Anissa Ly paces herself in the two mile race. Her teammate cheers her on from the sideline. This support system encourages Anissa to do her very best.



Work through it. Sophomore Dajour Riddle rests after running the 100 meter dash. This race was particularly difficult because just as he approached the 50 meter mark, he felt a "pop!" He overstretched his hamstring, but still managed to finish strong.





Finish strong! Hunter Cornelison brings it home in the last stretch of the mile race. He has been a faithful track athlete since the sixth grade. Hunter gives his best efforts into his races as his finishes his last season as a high school athlete.



Pass it! Junior Jared Waller runs to pass the baton to the next runner during the 4x4 relay. This is the last race of every meet and the most important!



Cruising the Fairway

Central Golf

Sinking the putt. Senior James Cochran sinks his putt for par in their match against Cedartown. James had been working hard all year on his putting to better his game, and it was clearly shown in that match.

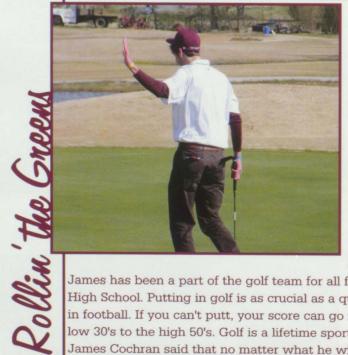




Thumbs up! Senior Wesley Stone and Sophomore Jacob Wilbanks are please with their drives after teeing off. The match had just begun and both Wesley and Jacob had impressive drives, setting them up for a good chance to start out even in the



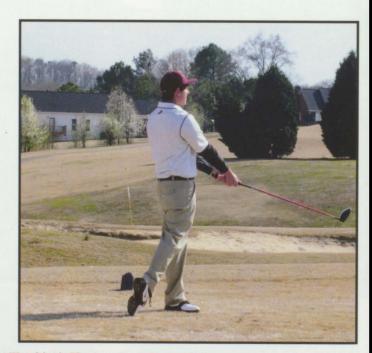
Full Swing, In the hopes of completing his low score on a Par 3, Senior Wesley Stone takes a full swing on their home course at Oak Mountain. Wesley had previously parred the hole before and insured his win against his opponent by parring this hole.



more of a mental game than physical, but when I get to the greens is where it counts the most. My whole round can be bad if I can't putt," said **James** Cochran.

"Golf is

James has been a part of the golf team for all four years of High School. Putting in golf is as crucial as a quaterback is in football. If you can't putt, your score can go from the low 30's to the high 50's. Golf is a lifetime sport, and James Cochran said that no matter what he will always be playing the great game of golf.



Watchin' it Fly. Sophomore Hunter Walker watches his booming drive in the hopes of finishing strong on the last few holes. Hunter's second year with the golf team proved successful as he had been working all year to better himself and contribute to the team.



Just tap it in.. The golf team was led by the four seniors, Matt Rickles, Wesley Stone, James Cochran, and Chase Detscher. They were coached by Jeffrey Cowart, and he kept them all striving to shoot lower and lower every match. The beginning of the season was slow for the golf team as the weather kept them from playing many matches and having practices. But the golf team stayed strong still played well in every match with numerous victories. They started off the season undefeated and finished just as strong. Golf is just as much a mental game as it is physical. To be able to put both together for every match is what made the champions out there today and what the Central golfers strived for every day. Senior James Cochran said he will miss the times playing on the course and having fun with all his buddies.

Senior Matt Rickles takes a swing as his second shot in the hopes to get close to the hole for a birdie opportunity. Matt had been playing number 1 for the past two

Taking a stance, Sophomore Rosie Eason lines up to her ball to take a swing for the green. This was Rosie's first season with the golf team.



Watching her ball fly, Sophomore Emily Scoggins finishes her back swing and watches her ball land right on to the green in the match against Cedartown. Emily has been playing for the Central Golf team for the past couple of years and contributed to the team in major ways.





Senior Chase Detscher watches his ball after teeing off against Cedartown. It was Chase's first year with the golf team. Chase was able to contribute to the team as being a senior leader.

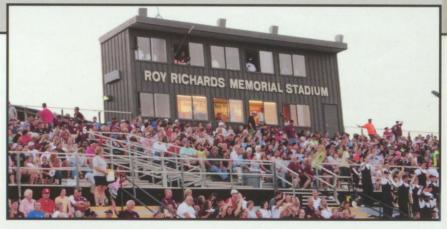
FEARLESS FANS STUDENT SECTIONS

To embrace a night filled with seniority, seniors in the student section paint up and cheer on their fellow seniors in the band, football team, and cheer squad at the last regular season football game of the year. The players went on to win the game with a memorable home victory on their spirited senior night.





At a football game maroon out, students bring all shades of maroon to the student section along with supportive and reassuring signs. The appropriate phrase 'fear the cheer' suits the student section well, as Central's students make their presence and enthusiasm known whatever the sport.



Roy Richards Memorial Stadium experiences a typical Friday night crowd near the end of an impressive Lion football season. From the band and the cheerleaders down to the overflowing student section, these stands accommodate faithful, radical, and passionate fans eager to spread and make known their Lion Pride.

The goal of the "Lion Student

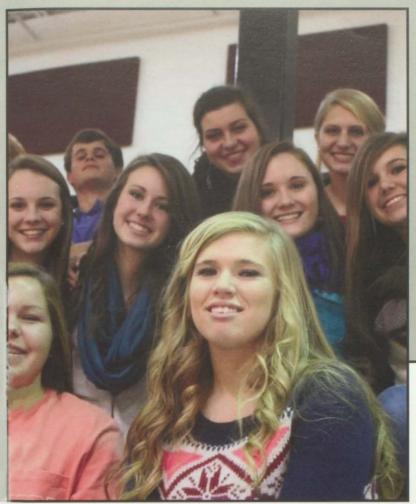


Section" twitter is to tweet uplifting, positive messages as well as updates for various sports and events happening at

CHS. At games, a bigger fan base results in bigger victories, cheered on by devoted and updated students who stay 'in the know' from motivating and up to date tweets. The twitter account's bio explains: "We support all our athletes and we try to get in the opposition's head!!! Let's turn up and bring our Roar!!"



Will Sheffield and Haley Sims generate spirit and enthusiasm on a Friday night basketball game. Cowart Court saw plenty of action from the players down to the students in the stands. Haley expressed, "The student section is always fun to be a part of. Saying different chants at different parts of the game always keeps the fans and players excited about the outcome."



C-E-N-T-R-A-L! Relentless and partial to victory, students filled the stands with not only their sound presence but also with Lion Pride and passion. From playoffs to region match ups, students were constant in their support and spirit. Student involvement was key in bringing momentum and intensity to important games, matches, and meets throughout the school year. With the student section activities ranging from toe touches to deafening chants, students were bound get crunk. Students took advantage of their opportunities to contribute to sports they were not a part of and prove their devotion and support to the school. At football games, the student section flooded the field, possibly with as much enthusiasm and excitement as the football players themselves after well deserved victories. With the same enthusiasm, students also made themselves a part of the basketball games, swarming the rails on the stands and cheering for a big win. A dedicated and enthusiastic Will Sheffield explained, "I am extremely competitive, and I love my school, so I take things very serious when it comes to athletics. There is no better place to watch and no

better team to watch than the Central Lions!"

Filling the stands reserved for students, sophomores and juniors capture the night with a picture. Friday night games had a tendency to draw a crowd, and the students were there to prove it. Anna Schulenberg commented, "I love being a part of the awesome student section because we're so loud and pumped up."

Engaged in a region match-up on their home turf, Rhett Duffey, Adam Kinnard, and Russ Gordan occupy the fence, cheering on seniors as they are recognized for their commitment to the team. They were just a few of the many students who painted up in support and encouragement for the relentless lion football team.





With an elevated perspective, students cheer on the softball team as they work towards what would be a legendary season. During home games, dedicated students were found on the open and overlooking platform that proved to be very useful to the fans. Aaron Startup shared, "I love to see Central succeed in every sport. We are a family that cheers on every family member in every sport!"



Sending good luck and confidence out to players, the student section wholeheartedly engages in a free throw shot. This process of generating enthusiasm and spirit is a tradition at basketball games and gives not only the players but also the crowd a feeling of unity and passion. This weekend game attracted energetic students who cheered both teams on as they modeled determination and skill.

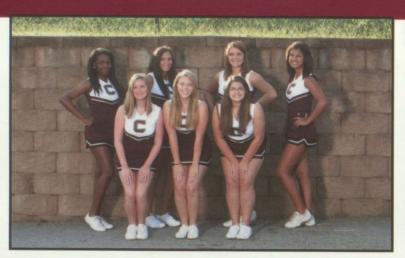


WHO ARE CENTRAL PEOPLE?

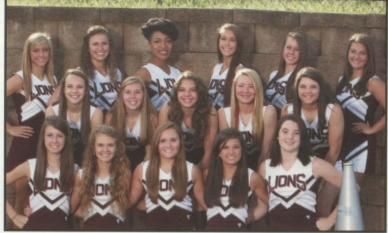
COACH COWART AND HIS DUCT-TAPED YARDSTICK. VOCAB QUIZZES ON FRIDAYS. SENIORS! LINDA MORRIS IS TOO COOL FOR SCHOOL, COACH MCCARTY PLAYING THE GUITAR IN THE HALLWAY. MAMA D.TAKING CARE OF US. CULLEN MOREHEAD'S WHITE TRUCK. CURTIS DAVENPORT, NATIONAL PLAYER OF THE WEEK. BIRD. WESLEY LONG'S STRUT. WATCHING MRS. LYONS RUN DOWN THE HALL. ISAIAH DANIEL AND JALEN DUKES BLOCKING THE STAIRWELL. FRESHMEN ON THE THIRD FLOOR, MRS. BEERS' CARPET, MR. GRUBBS DIRECTING BUS TRAFFIC EVERY DAY, STOCK MARKET GAME. MORNING ANNOUNCEMENTS THAT END WITH "GET UP AND GET AFTER IT!"

Football team members include Front Row: Curtis Davenport, Dajour Riddle, Byran Brown, Tyler Terry, Chris Thornton, Demarious Owensby, TJ Dunson, Wesley Long, Jaleel Terry, Xavier Vaughn, and Taylor Gamble. Row 2: Blake Brewer, Jared Walker, Tyrel Chambers, Scott Anderson, Xavior Hammett, Jacob Barnes, Kahleel Abdussalm, Kyle Terrell, Josh Dunson. Lamar Daniel, Brandon Delaney, Zeke Lawson. Row 3: Daniel Stegal, Jayleen Terry, asdsd, Chris Holiday, Tavian Yancey, Joe Simpkins, Rick Dyer, Isaiah Daniel, Kirey Thompson, Trace Musick, assdf, Kereme Boykin. Row 4: Zavior Feilds, Aaron Smith, Timothy Cox, Jackson Lewis, Gabe Wiggins, CJ Brock, Wesley Postelle, Ben Boykin, Austin Kilgore, Marquavious Slaughter, Aaron Startup, Holden Anderson. Row 5: Austin Roddy, Max Whitlock, Chandler Butler, Dillon Finley, Cody Smith, Cole Glommen, Michael Paea, James Cobb, Antravious Relthford, Luke Braswell, and Cole Hodges. Back Row: Cal Hunnicut, Bailey Lewis, Christian Wadley, Tyler King, Nasaih Daniel, Brannon Fowler, and Garrett Suthard. Coaches: Sherard Reynolds, Josh Smith, Burton Thomas, Gregory Hill, Rico Zackery, Jefferey Cowart, Charrod Taylor, Sumner Ellis, and Darius Smiley

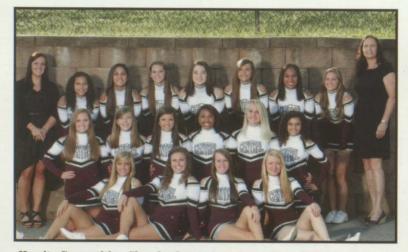




Junior Varsity Cheerleaders include Front Row: Kelsi Glover, Zoe Marriott, and Clara Denney. Back Row: Keyonia Thrash, Kyley Hicks, Kimberly Johnson, and Averie Armstrong.



Varsity Football Cheerleaders include Front Row: Anna Schulenburg, Macy Walker, Alyssa Paul, Emily Heath, and Lexi Ray. Row 2: Mary Katheryn Denmon, Robin Hubbard, Myranda Jiles, Haley Harrison, and Amber Tolbert. Back Row: Carlee Jenkins, Makaylin Taylor, Jasmine Johnson, Morgan Richardson, Elyssa Jordan, and Katie Beth Walls.



Varsity Competition Cheerleaders include Front Row: Carlee Jenkins, Makaylin Taylor, Elyssa Jordan, and Haley Harrison. Row 2: Alyssa Paul, Catie Terry, Emily Heath, Ayllexus Herring, Brodi Hobbs, and Hannah Rosser. Back Row: Coach Kaci Eady, Ali McKey, Lauren Huff, Brianna Woodard, Lexie Ray, Kaylee Woodard, Jasmine Pittman, and Kennedy Sims. and Coach Maureen Garber.

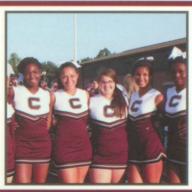


Varsity Basketball Cheerleaders include Zoe Marriot, Keyonia Thrash, Ashley Boykin, Katie Beth Walls, Averie Armstrong, Caroline Conerly, and Angelica Cox.









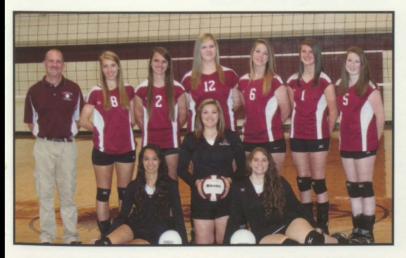


Varsity Softball members include Front Row: Mattie Hutcheson, Hayley Sims, Jordyn Scott, Rebekah Smith, Cade North, Caroline Conerly, and Cassie Griffin. Back Row: Aubrey Bennett, Emily Williams, Kayla Sales, Madi Dodson, Logan Wood, Logan North, Eliza Luke, and Taylor Funk.



Junior Varsity Softball members include Front Row: Logan North, Kayla Sales, Emily Robison, Eliza Luke, Slivey Rosser, and Katie Blanton.

Back Row: Coach Dave McKenna, Emily Williams, Mattie Hutcheson, Caroline Conerly, Logan Wood, Madi Dodson, Jessica Roberson, and Coach Kyle McCarty.



Varsity Volleyball members include Front Row: Daysi Escobar, Raleigh Conerly, and Jamielee Korolovich. Back Row: Coach Chris Smith, Bailey Thomas, Hanna Dryden, Rosie Eason, Sophie Conerly, Bethany Delekto, and Karley Runels.



Junior Varsity Volleyball members include Front Row: Faith Dabre, Melissa Anderson, Tamara Buckhannan, Maria Meraz. and Jasmine Thrash. Back Row: Sydney Powell, Katy Murkot, Brooke Musick, Madison Nelson, and Destiny Watts.











Cross Country team members include Dallin Anderson, Scott Anderson, Tyler Brantley, Channing Chastain, Jameson Cochran, Trent Denninger, Wesley Futrell, Lars Garmon, Levi Garrett, Kyle Green, Lucas Hicks, Daniel Huff, Hunter Hughes, Melik Lewis, Alex Martinez, Connor McCray, Daniel Moye, James Moye, Christian Potts, Tray Relthford, Avery Savage, Zachary Sullivan, Jason Walker, Kyle Weers, Courtney Allen, Anna Farmer, Sara Heath, Kyley Hicks, Savannah McWhorter, Elizabeth Minick, and Catherine Westcott. The coach is Steve McCray.

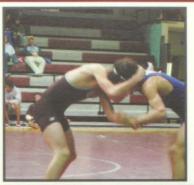


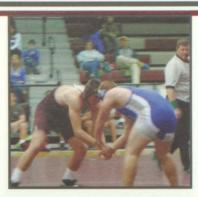
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Varsity Girls basketball players include Coach Jazmyn Ford, Eliza Luke, Pherrin Lowery, Elizabeth Minick, Briana Cousin, Sherae Bonner, Cici Hammett, Wesli Simmons, Christina Lay, Hayley Sims, Jasmine Thrash, and Coach Mia Washington.











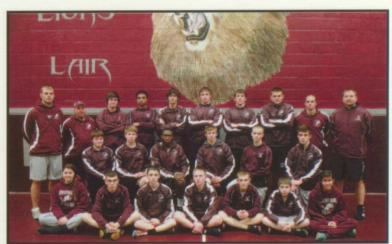
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Junior Varsity Girls basketball players include Eliza Luke, Tamara Huburt, Deja Henderson, Taylor Carroll, Cici Hammett, Alexis Farley, Christina Lay, Pherrin Lowery, Rachel Morehead, and Coach Jazmyn Ford.



Freshmen basketball players include Front Row: Luke Braswell, Eli Boswell, Demontrea Ackey, Hason Smith, and Martavious Slaughter. Back Row: Malik Brown, Jaiquan Lewis, Johnkel Lewis, Coach Darius Smiley, Xavier Hammett, Kyle Bailey, and Xavier Vaughn.



Wrestling team members include Front Row: manager Morgan Wyatt, Hunter Cornelison, Bailey Lewis, Dawson Hunt, Colton Kelley, Brice Taylor, and manager Anissa Ly. Row 2: Lee Laney, Preston Hale, Quinton Houston, Levi Huckeba, Trilan Howell, and Jacob Terry Back Row: Coach Josh Spruell, Coach Gerald Adams, Daniel Moye, Donovan Collins, Bo Ly, Cole Glommen, Chandler Butler, Micheal Paea, Coach Sumner Ellis, and Coach Marcus Marenda.











Varsity Baseball players include Front Row: Luke Sims, Tucker Musick, Rhett Duffey, Brandon Justice, Chaney Lambert, Jake Duncan, Zach Spratlin, James Bragg, and Nick Whortman Back Row: Holden Anderson, Matt Harman, Will Sheffield, Nick Dye, Jacob Lane, Adam Kinnard, Cullen Moorehead, and Wesley Long Diamond Girls: Ciera Lewis, Carlee Jenkins, Cade North, and Amy Hill Coaches: Coach Wes Shiver, and Coach Kyle McCarty, Dave McKenna, and BJ Long.



Junior Varsity Baseball players include Front Row: Zack Gaines, Cal Hunnicut, Kent Evans, Dylan Wyble, Dawson Hunt, Mason Dodson, and Jake Buchanan.Back Row: Rosie Eason, Coach Kyle McCarty, Garrett Lovvorn, Dayton Bearden, Blaine Chambers, Jarod Swafford, Spencer Caradine, Jason North, Casey Webb, Preston Hale, Kether Wilson, Kayla Sales, and Ivie Sheffield.



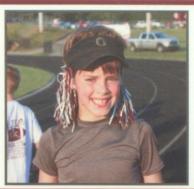
The boys' soccer team includes Front row: Justin Rice, Kendrix Chism, Scott Anderson, Tyler Bright, and Tavian Yancey. Row 2: Dallin Anderson, Alex Martinez, Dakota Malcom, Christian Potts, Justin Nichol, Jayleen Terry, Hunter Hughes, Spencer Morrow, Nolan Williams, Bryce McNulty, and Brice Taylor. Back row: Coach Marcus Marenda, Justin Meade, Jameson Cochran, Dillon LeBlanc, Simon Shoemake, Blake Brewer, Emmanuel Bullock, Caleb, Milam, Jacob Rice, Daniel Moye, Cody Daniel, Landon Williams, and Coach Rob Stewart.

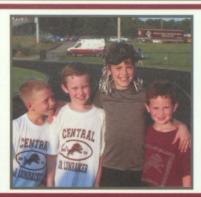


The girls' soccer team includes Front row: From left to Right, Alejandra Martinez-Guerrero, Grace Heath, Camille Heath, Anna Farmer, Hannah Farmer, Sydney Powell, Sarah Davis and Savannah McWhorter. Back row: From Left to Right, Coach Brittany Maddox, Rebekah Smith, Dakota Stewart, Jessica Pelaez, Alexis Franklin, Tifini Smith, Amber Powell, Autumn Martin, Wesli Simmons, Daysi Escobar, Aleigha Cheeks, Darby Turner, and Coach Amy.

108 Team Pics











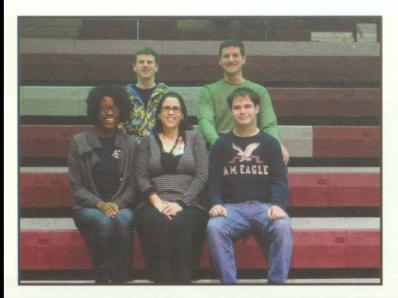
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Tennis team members include **Front Row:** Cassie Griffin, Erin Lewis, and Alyssa Paul. **Second Row:** Timothy Duffey, James Moye, Hali *, Meredith Johnson, Karen Hannah, Sydney Stone, Lindsey Pierce, Katelyn Bennett, Eli Boswell, and Zachary Sullivan. **Back Row:** Coach Katie Jones, Connor Eldred, Jacob Stuart, Ben Lewis, Richard Brice, Quinn Evans, Anna Schulenburg, Anya Dunn, Elizabeth Minick, Courtney Allen, Aaron Startup, Jacob Barnes. Connor Caldwell, Trent Paul, and Coach Jeff Waddlingtion.



Golf team members members include Front Row: Hunter Walker, Matt Rickles, Emily Scoggins, and Wesley Stone. Back Row: Rosie Eason, Joseph Fraser, Jacob Wilbanks, James Cochran, Coach Jeffrey Cowart, and Chase Detscher.



Spanish Honor Society members include **Front row:** Maya Babbs, sponsor Ginnett Zabala, and Andrew Cook. **Back Row:** Scott Anderson and Chaz Velez.



Academic Team members include Front row: Morgan Eidson, Kiele Kaupe, Jamielee Korolovich, Courtney Allen, and Payton Burke. Row 2: Scott Anderson, Ethan Milam, Luke Hardy, and Cade Brown. Back Row: Sponsors Kelly McArthur and Cyndi Crews.

Drama members include
Front row: Daniel Moye, Heather
Baxter, and Dayton Peek. Row
2: Grace Weaver, Wesley Walker,
Will Henderson, Kierra Middleton,
and Rebecca Horsley.
Back row: Levi Garrett, Peyton
Burke, Jackie Aparicio, and
Maya Babbs.
The Drama sponsor is Jamie Biddle.



Book Club members include Jasmine Beasley, Brittany Roberts, Jessica Brown, Michaela Born, and Sponsor Linda Morris.





Student Council members include Front Row: Sponsor Linda Morris. Logan Steed, Raleigh Connerly, James Moye, Kyle Green, Wesley Stone, and Sydney North. Row 2: Jacob Lane, Jordyn Scott, Caroline Conerly, Anna Schulenburg, Hayley Sims, Mary Katheryn Denmon, Darby Turner, and Rhett Duffey. Row 3: Kelsi Glover, Sydney Stone, Savannah McWhorter, Daniel Moye, and Alyssa Paul. Back Row: Camille Heath, Logan North, Katelyn Bennett, Anya Dunn, and Meredith Johnson.

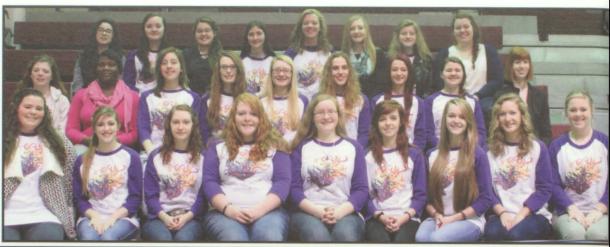


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FCA members include Front row: Cason Morehead, Garrett Suthard, Ben Lewis, Joe Cubitt, Terrian Daniels, Michaela Cubitt, Richard Brice, Te'jad Daniels, Madison White, Anna Stewart, Hannah Farmer, Katie Beth Walls, and sponsor Joel Grubbs. Row 2: Grace Heath, Camille Heath, Mariah Alvarado, Taylor Swanger, Sydney Stone, Savannah McWhorter, Cassie Griffin, and Elizabeth Minick. Row 3: Bethany Durrough, Erin Lewis, Leigh Scott, Austin Fordham, Simon Barber, and Russ Gordon. Back Row: Morgan Wyatt, Cole Glommen, Jacob Barnes, Sydney North, Kyle Green, and Lars Garmon.

Art Club members include Front row: Cheyenne Goodspeed, Miranda Woods, Haley Smith, Rebecca Horsley, Lauren Smith, Lynzie Smallwood, Alyssa Smallwood, Elizabeth Minick and Caroline Conerly. Row 2: Kelsey Timms, Destiny Watts, Megan Bailey, Alana Sasser, Haley Harrison, Autumn Popphan, Michaela Cubitt, Morgan Wyatt, and Becca Dawson. Back row: Luciana Vinci, Becca Thompson, Clara Denney, Dixie Newton, Amy Hill, Emily Robison, Robin Butler, and Emily Willett.





National Honor Society members include Front row: Jennifer Cabrera, Jamielee Korolovich, Arlene Cler, Hayley Sims, Kelly Caviness, Sydney Reeves, James Moye, Lari Langley, Katie Beth Walls, and William Meade. Row 2: Elizabeth Minick, Aubrey Bennett, Quinn Evans, Caroline Conerly, Darby Turner, Morgan McDonald, Raleigh Conerly, Kaleb Green, and Kyle Werner. Row 3: Taylor Funk, Jordyn Scott, Mary Katheryn Denmon, Macy Walker, Bailey Thomas, Trace Musick, Jacob Barnes, Lars Garmon, Dylan Baxter. Ethan Milam, Nicole Poncela, Lexi Mitchell, Kristen Chismar, Brandy Wilcox, Alex Stewart, Scott Anderson, Chris Brown, and Hunter Hughes. Back Row: Sponsor Megan Wooten, Chaz Velez, Andrew Cook, Natalie Bowen, Lydia Fuller, Cole Glommen, Rachel Wakefield, Meredith Walker, Kyle Green, Sydney North, and Sponsor Jennifer Harris.



FBLA members include Font row: Cassie Griffin, James Moye, Kelsi Glover, Kimberly Johnson, Skylar Brown, Trent Paul, Scott Anderson, Raleigh Conerly, Caroline Conerly, Quinn Evans, Amber Tolbert and Sponsors Sarah Eidson and Kelly Bass. Row 2: Alyssa Paul, Mallory Geter, Carlee Jenkins, Amy Hill, Timothy Duffey, Ethan Hobbs, Myranda Jiles, Bailey Thomas, Tucker Musick, Alex Stewart, Cash Austin, Michael Mitchell, Griffin Thomas, and Connor Caldwell. Row 3: Merideth Johnson, Logan North, Hunter Hughes, Will Sheffield, Cullen Morehead, Wesley Stone, Maya Babbs, Logan Wood, Karley Runels, Savannah McWhorter, and Lryic Crowder. Row 4: Ethan Milam, Tyler Patterson, Anna Stewart, Austin Fordham, Devin Rowe, Kobe Wilson, Nick Askew, Randy Hemrick, Nick Whortman, Nick Dye, Sydney North, and Sydney Stone. Row 5: Cade Wall, Connor McCray, Dallin Anderson, Mitt Conerly, Jake Toney, Austin Cofield, Levi Garrett, Hayley Sims, Aisha Lawson, Rebekah Smith, Camille Heath, Holden Anderson, Alyssa Smallwood, and Hayley Bayne. Back row: Dylan Baxter, Matt Harman, Brandon Justice, Alex Merrell, Jacob Lane, Darby Turner, James Cochran, Jackson Lewis, Mary Katheryn Denmon, Anna Schulenburg, Rhett Duffey, and Daniel Moye.



FFA members include Front row: Mark Lashley, Cullen Morehead, Chase Seabrook, Lee Worley, Ryanne Heath, Logan Steed, Jake Saunders, Hali Gladden, Aaron Holloway, Trent Lovell, Dalton Goolsby, Eli Boswell, Jeremy Goolsby, and Keena, Hardin. Row 2: Luke Hardy, Sarah Davis, Juliann Williams, Wesley Long, Becky Nelson, Cody Lankford, Tyler Goodwin, Brodi Hobbs, Anna Sprayberry, Kacey Youngblood, Dayton Peek, Alex Higgins, Caleb Milam, and Landon Williams, Row 3: Kether Wilson, Alyssa Roberts, Kyndal Austin, Jake Hayes, Tyler Terry, Austin Daniel, Levi Huckeba, Bridget Perry, Will Drumm, Jacob Cramer, James Huckeba, Carlos Benitez, and Zane Polk. Row 4: Dakota Cook, Dakota Harry, Riley Phillips, Jared Bell, Katherine League, Chris Cole, Johnathan Smith, Jacob Wilbanks, Hunter Walker, Caleb Hogan, Jake Duncan, and Zack Spratlin, Row 5: Robbie Wright, Andrew Anderson, Chase Spruill, Richard Williams, Jake Brown, Trevor Cates, David Jenkins, Joseph Mashburn, Megan Bolt, Madison Eidson, Ryan Trotti, Hannah McGuire, John Rooks, and Macy Walker. Back Row: Joseph Fuller, Charlie Staples, Fred Baskin, Alyssa Smallwood, Hayley Bayne, Jesse Walker, Brandon Nunez, Mackenzie Lewis, David Harris, Lela Shadinger, Noah Hicks, Mitchell Anderson, Joseph Fraser, and Spencer Windom.

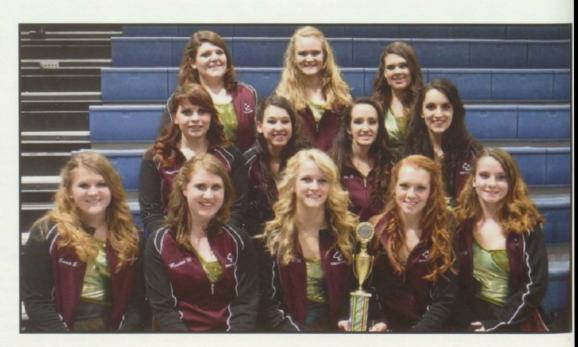


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Marching Band members include Drum Major: Shae Browning. Flutes: Brianna Abernathy, Heather Baxter, Sydney Blunschi, Harley Cummings, Maggie DiRoma, Anya Dunn, Heaven George, Kylie Hamilton, Michaela Jackson, Merideth Johnson, Brittany Ledbetter, Harmony Lloyd, Emma McGrew, Lexi Mitchell, Kelsi Mixon, Lindsey Ortiz, Taylor Reese, and Amanda Reilly. Clarinets: Carlos Benitez, Ryan Calkins, Cheryl Campbell, Karlee Eidson, Deja Henderson, Megan Hogan, Abby House, Jessica Huckeba, Christine Huffman, Alexis Jarrett, Emily Justice, Alley Knight, Gabby Knight, Madison Reeves, Cashlyn Shadinger, Madison Smith, Brooke Thompson, Hannah Turner, and. Alex Wilson. Saxophones: Natalie Bowen, Donavin Collins, Becca Dawson, Donavan Dunson, Dalton Dyer, Mason Gunter, Chris Howell, Josh Horsley, Cole Mayer, Jaclyn Moss, Madison North, Samantha Pelaez, Nicole Poncela, Katie Sticher, Trent Paul, and Kyle Werner. Mellophones: Tambsie Berkeley, Michael Cox, Anissa Ly, Jenna McCray, Olivia Rippey, Rebecca Rooks, and Chris Sims. Trumpets: Madison Briggs, Phillip Brown, Dakota Dyer, Morgan Eidson, Hali Gladden, Lee Green, Alex Grimsley, Karen Hannah, Erin Lewis, Bo Ly, Alana Lyle, David Mack, Josh Maddox, Riley Mitchell, Bailey Morgan, Ridley Sheffield, Tyler Williamson, and Meredith Woodward. Trombones: Andrew Anderson, Seth Brand, Ryan Cooper, Steven Couch, Kendall Eidson, Austin Gray, Kiele Kaupe, Catherine Kuzy, Jonathan Kuzy, Melanie McCrackin, Kierra Middleton, Christian Noell, Caitlin Puckett, Andrew Stewart, Cody Stinecipher, Wesley Walker, and Hope Williamson. Tubas: Jacob Adams, Tyra Babbs, Mari Jo Blair, Ariana Britt, Jalen Dukes, Chris Lewis, Mason Morgan, and Jacob Orbeck. Percussion: Noah Adams, Maya Babbs, Richard Brice, Tatiana Calvin, Tyler Cooper, Bethany Durrough, Lydia Fuller, Matthe Hicks, Kyle Knott, Lindsay Koziel, Jacob Lawson, Beau Madden, Seth Marshall, Kayla Mullis, Mason Parker, John Pate, Madison Robison, James Thompson, and Kobe Wilson. Color Guard: Amanda Attison, Brittany Brantley, Kristen Chismar, Savannah Couch, Emma Eidson, Madison Eidson, Addy Gilland, Cheyenne Harrell, Hope Harrison, Averi McDonald, Morgan McDonald, Brianna Minis, Sydney Reeves, Maria Sanchez, Alexis Savage, Lizzi Simmons, Rachel Wakefield, Meredith Walker, and Michelle Wre, Characters: Abby Condron, Macy Griffin, Britney Harris, Adrie Mitchell, Lindsey Orbeck, Natalie Orbeck, Hannah Puckett, and Kenji Trumble. Director: Neil Ruby.

Members of the Winterguard
include Rachel Wakefield,
Meredith Walker, Morgan
McDonald, Amanda Attison,
Madison Eidson, Emma Eidson,
Savannah Couch, Kristen Chismar,
Averi McDonald, Katie Stitcher.
Addy Gilland and Michelle Wren.
Instructors are Melody Lopez and
Brandon Dailey.





Symphonic band members include Andrew Anderson, Maya Babbs, Dylan Baxter, Emily Baxter, Katelyn Bennett, Natalie Bowen, Ariana Britt, Victoria Browning, Cheryl Campbell, Maggie DiRoma, Anya Dunn, Dakota Dyer, Lydia Fuller, Lee Green, Kylie Hamilton, Matthew Hicks, Abby House, Jessica Huckeba, Kiele Kaupe, Alley Knight, Kyle Knott, Lindsay Koziel, Jacob Lawson, Christopher Lewis, Anissa Ly, Sambau Ly, David Mack, Joshua Maddox, Cole Mayer, Averi McDonald, Kierra Middleton, Alexandria Mitchell, Christian Noell, Madison North, Jacob Orbeck, John Pate, Nicole Poncela, Laura Puckett, Sydney Reeves, Olivia Rippey, Lela Shadinger, Keaten Sheffield, Christopher Sims, Madison Smith, Katie Sticher, Brooke Thompson, and Kyle Werner.





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Concert band members include Brianna Abernathy, Courtney Allen, Carloz Benitez,

Members of Percussion Ensemble include Lydia Fuller, Lyndsey Koziel, John Pate, Jacob Lawson, and Mason Parker. The instructor is Jay Bumgardner.

Zachary Sullivan, James Thompson, Hannah Turner, Wesley Walker, Abigail Walls, Kyle Werner, Caleb Williams, Hope Williamson, Tyler Williamson, Alex Wilson,

and Meredith Woodward.

Advanced Concert Choir includes
First Row: Emily Cline, Paige Watson,
Deontae Almon, Dayton Peek, Nick
Askew, Brianna Pitts, and Ondi
Parham. Row 2: Jessica Dixon, Mary
Powers, Jacob Clark, Chase McDaniel,
Stevie Crawford, Sade Lawrence, and
Connie Bell.

Back Row: Amanda Petosky, Ashley Boykin, Dakota Massey, Tristan Knowles, Timothy Payne, Cierra Hammett, Whitney North, and Taylor Miller



Beginning Mixed Chorus includes Angel Ackey, Jonathan Benitez, Natalie Blanton, Madison Brooks, George Bungi, Sarah Carlisle, Aleigha Cheeks, Amanda Cowger, Faith Dabre, Sarah Davis, Erica Donaldson, Megan Doss, James Drumm, Jonathan Ford, Deborah Freeman, Cheyenne Goodspeed, Abigail Hooper, Kira Humbert, Ashleigh Hurston, Laura Barra, Autumn Martin, Kaleigh McCauley, Ally Mulcahy, Nadia Mullins, Madison Nelms, Gracie Ross, Devin Rowe, Rebecca Sanchez, Jasmine Schevers, Stormy Stephens, Taylor Swanger, Georgia Thompson, Macailah Truett, Siera Waits, Miranda Woods, and Morgan Wyatt.



Members of Show Choir include Brandy Wilcox, Megan Doss, Dayton Peek, Rebecca Sanchez, Brianna Pitts, Madison Nelms, Jacob Clark, Alyssa Holmes, and Katelyn Powers.





GHP Finalists include Andrew Cook (Spanish), Quinn Evans (Executive Management), John Jones (Mathematics), Sydney Stone (Social Studies), Caroline Conerly (Social Studies), and Alana Sasser (Visual Arts).



Dream Team members include Alley Knight, Elizabeth Minick, Lydia Fuller, Dylan Baxter, Sydney North, Jacob Barnes, Scott Anderson, Quinn Evans, Daniel Moye, and Mary Katheryn Denmon.

A.F.J.R.O.T.C.

Major May





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C/AB Duke
C/AMN Duncan
C/SrA Farmer
C/TSgt. Folsom
C/Capt. Fowler
C/AMN Furgeson
C/AB Gann

C/AMN Gore
C/AB Green
C/A1C Grimsley
C/CMSgt. Hardy
C/A1C Harrel
C/COL Harris
C/A1C Haynes
C/SSgt. Hewett





Coach Jeffrey Cowart embraces a picture opportunity and poses while he begins to

begins to think of a way to land tickets for the ACC Championship which would be played between Florida State and Duke, his alma mater.



With joy and dedication, a



committed lunchroom staffer unpackages and prepares chicken during the morning for lunch that will follow.

staff can always be found with smiles and positive attitudes.

After an amusing and engaging second period, Teresa Boldt prepares for another Biology class

Biology class filled with past experiences and fascinating topics. Mrs. Boldt is known for



In an attempt to prepare his



class for a unit test, David Rooks walks his students through an intense game of Jeopardy. This activity brought

attention and excitement to his sixth period class.

Showing concern and sincerity,

Erin Smith
has a
conversation
during class
change with
a student.
New to
Central, she
has helped
tremendously



Faculty



Vital to the process of preparing various lunch meals, Christal Simpkins begins her day in the school's impressive kitchen. She described, "I enjoy this job because I get to see kids every day."



Bringing enthusiasm and humor to math, Grady Reynolds gives his Analytic Geometry class a sneak peak of the math ahead of them in eleventh and twelfth grades. As an experienced teacher of many different math subjects, Mr. Reynolds has a wide knowledge and understanding helpful for his students.



Benji Cole, Assistant Principal



Dana Harman, Principal

Filled with Lion Pride, Linda Morris and Sandy Duffey embrace the festivities of the homecoming football game.





Operating the computer for breakfast meals, Donna Terry takes a moment to capture the morning with a picture. Excited for the upcoming Christmas break, she remarked, "Seeing smiles on the kids faces makes this job a rewarding one."



Brad Corbett, Assistant Principal

Spanish to her classes

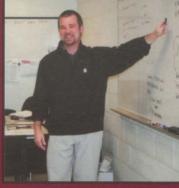
Teacher Superlatives

Neil Ruby



Most Creative

Most Passionate



Don Riggins

Josh Smith



Most Talented Most Motherly



Monica Smith















Susan Bedford



Mitt Conerly







Jeffrey Cowart



Linda Foster









Teresa Boldt





Joel Grubbs







On the first day of school, Josh

Smith serves a major part in helping classes and



nerve racking and exciting Thursday

Giving her students an



Zabala

Welcoming his morning **Biology**

stands tall hall. role that he



Taking the field for a memorable Homecoming football game, Coach



Liz Beverly monitors students day. Each teacher had lunch duty on a designated day of the week

outside of classroom



All smiles, Sarah Eidson and Linda Morris take time to capture their moments in the library for the morning. These two faculty members were excited to take on the day and all of its twists and turns.





A smile comes standard with the lunchroom staff at Central High. These staffers can agree that bringing that same smile to the students is what makes their efforts worth while. From preparation to communication, these faculty members can brighten the day.













providing nutritious food is the best part of my job."

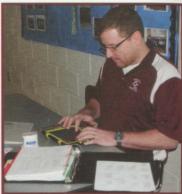
Accomplishing the task of displaying the day's menu on the

board, Susan Blanks prepares for a

day of popular lunch selections. She

shared, "Working with students and





With work a priority, Coach Marenda takes time during lunch to take care of pressing issues. As the wrestling coach, he had many responsibilities during the year.





Jessi Manders

Julie Meunier











Linda Morris

Kelly McArthur

Samantha Jordan

Kyle McCarty

Dave McKenna

Teacher Superlatives

Jennifer Harris



Sweetest

Craziest



Jane Lyons

Charrod Taylor



Most Intimidating Best Dressed



Sharrod Reynolds



Ricky Murphy





Mia Washington



Matthew O'Leary





Keely Whitmer



Charles Ponder





Megan Wooten







Rico Zackery



Annette Reid



Josh Smith



Grady Reynolds



Monica Smith



Don Riggins



What do you enjoy most about high school?

Clara Denney: I like the fact that I have more opportunities than I did in middle school.



Annisa Ly: I like everything about high school.



Austin Roddy: I really love playing football.

Courtney Allen: I like band and cross country.



Jarrett Whitley: I like the freedom I have this year.



Taylor Denney: I like lunch.



Freshmen

Angel Ackey Demontrea Ackey Courtney Allen Deasia Almon Shilah Alvarado Averie Armstrong



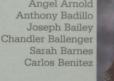


































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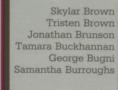












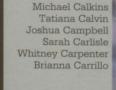


















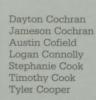












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Ethan Hobbs is known for being the freshman class clown. Even though he was an honors student, he always found plenty of time to goof off. "I like to have fun all the time, even in school," he laughed.

Some students goof off in class, even in academic classes. However, others are very studious and try to pay attention in spite of the antics of their peers.









Freshman year is a stressful year for many students. Many teenagers were shocked to find out about all of the work that had to go into high school. "I've never had to study so much in my life," remarked Kaylee Woodard.

In Mrs. Eidson's class Christian Potts works hard on Microsoft Word documents. He said,"I like the things we do in here. I think it will help me in real life."

What activity interests you the most and why?

Lindsey Ortiz: There are so many good activities I can't pick one.



Brooke Thompson: Band because its fun.



Kobe Wilson: I like the variety of activities.

Jeremy Harper: I have no idea; all the activities are pretty



Anya Dunn: Tennis interests me the most

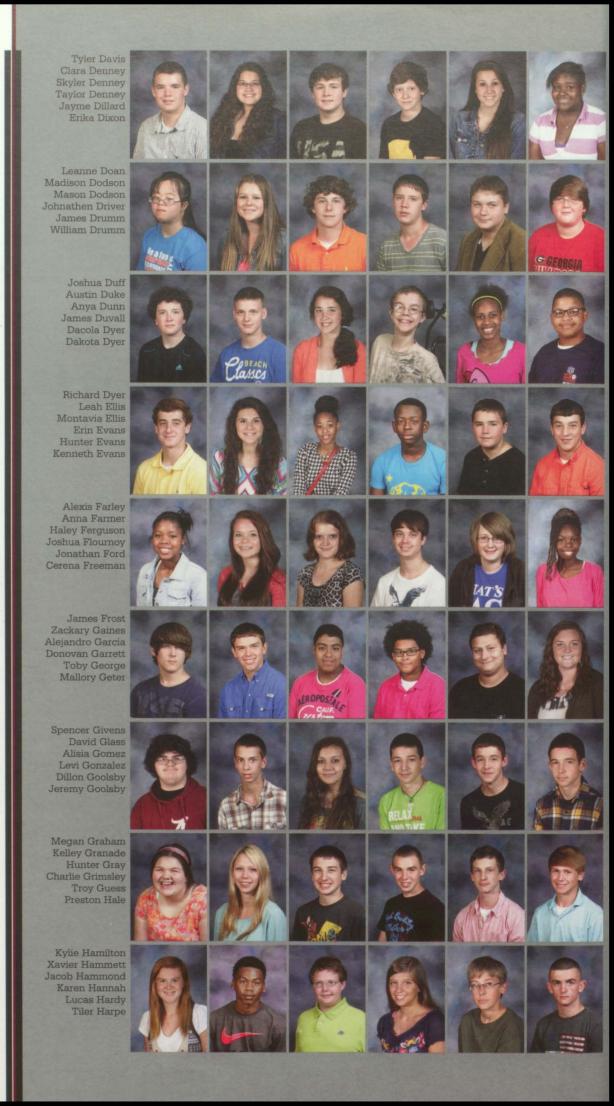


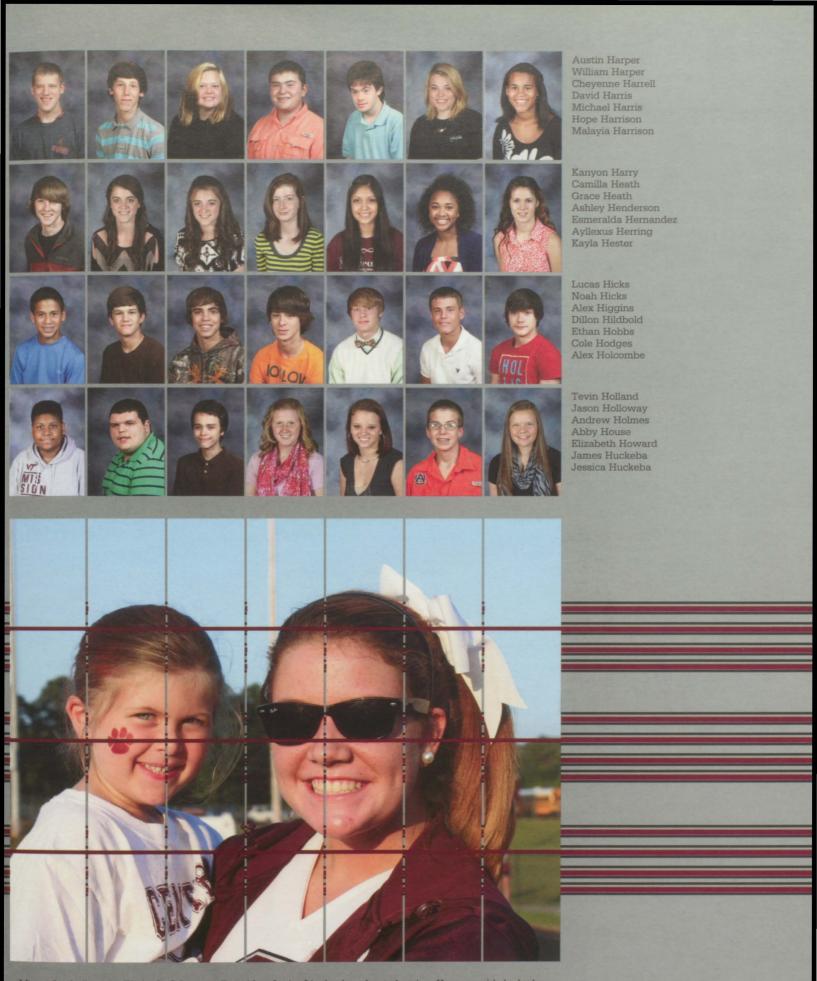
cool.

because its my favorite sport.

Logan North:
I like tennis and band.







After a football game, Kimberly Johnson talks with a Junior Lionbacker about cheering. Younger girls looked up to cheerleaders and were always excited to see them after a football game. Kimberly said, "I love seeing all the little kids after a game."

What do you enjoy most about being in high school?

Kelley Granade:



The amount of respect I get from the teachers and staff.

Meredith Woodward:

Freedom. High school lets you do as you wish as long as it's not



dumb and lets you experience the fun of being responsible.

Elizabeth Howard:



I enjoy almost everything, but what I enjoy most is the

A.F.J.R.O.T.C program.

Madi Thomason:

I enjoy the new atmosphere at high school the most... I feel much more



mature and responsible.

Avery Savage:



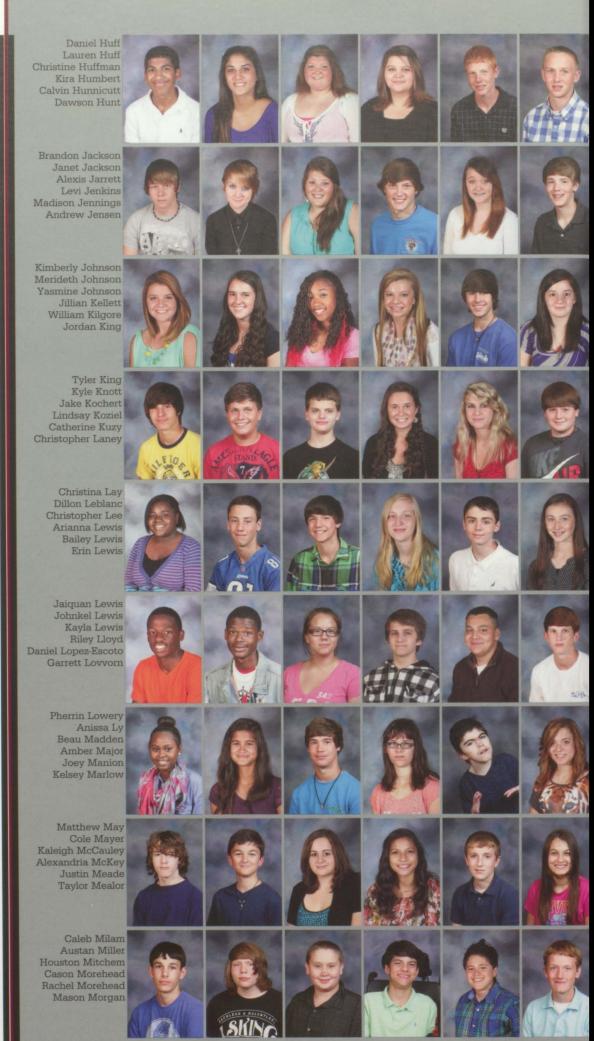
I enjoy learning things I haven't learned yet, and having

more freedom to do what I want.

Christian Potts:

I have enjoyed the academics that this school has provided.

















Lily Morris Meghan Morrow Rylan Morrow Jaclyn Moss Ally Mulcahy Justen Mullins Zackery Murdock











Kathleen Murkot Madison Nelms Christian Newman Dixie Newton Christian Noell Crishae' Norman Stephanie Nomis

























Kimberly Pittman Payton Polk Wesley Postelle Christian Potts Sydney Powell Mason Prance Laura Puckett

Mr. Conerly teaches his fifth period about World War Two. This was Mr. Conerly's first full year at the high school. Mr. Conerly said, "It has been a great experience and I have enjoyed this first year!"

Ms. Crews discusses the fours stages of matter in her physical science class. Students prepared for the End of Course Test by taking notes. Freshmen Brianna Woodard said, "I love science. Its so much fun, and I love Ms. Crews!"





Coach Biddle, a literature teacher in the Academy, engages his students' attention by acting out the poem as he reads it. Logan North said, "I love having him as a teacher. He keeps it fun and interesting every day."





Ms. McArthur prepares the kids for their upcoming semester final exam. The students worked diligently in the class. Mrs. McArthur said, "They are a good group of freshmen and listen well in class."

What activity interests you the most?





Band, because we got to go to New York!

Jaiquan Lewis:

I enjoy playing basketball It keeps me in shape, and I love to shoot basketball with my friends!





I would have to say tennis is my favorite activity.

Jarod Swafford:

The most interesting to e was powder puff mainly because I got to be a coach! When I was a coach I got really in to it and I had fun!

Ayllexus Herring:

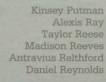


Varsity Competition Cheerleading interested me the most. It

was my first time ever being a part of a varsity level sport and we got third in the state, so that was really exciting. It was awesome!

Christian Newman:

Sports are the activity that interest me the most. They are fun and you can never go wrong with going to a game!



















Hannah Rosser

Devin Rowe Hannah Rudisel





















Fet in the









Dakota Skipper

Amber Smith

Andrew Smith Erik Smith

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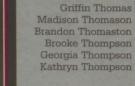


























































Sierra Whitaker Chris White Kenneth White Thomas White Wade White Jarrett Whitley Jordan Whitley











Brianna Woodard Meredith Woodward Dylan Wyble



Jake Wilcox Caleb Williams Emily Williams Landon Williams Hope Williamson Braxton Wilson Hunter Wilson











Many freshmen excitedly participate in Neon Day during Homecoming Week. This was their first homecoming, and they were excited to be able to participate in such a fun week. Clara Denney said, "I loved dressing up every day. I laughed at everyone's crazy outfits!"

Which is worse: Driver's License Picture or Freshman Picture?

Chris Lewis: I would say my driver's



license for sure. When I was getting ready to take the picture, I was fixing my shirt and things

to look nice and I was waiting for them to count down but no! She just took it! It is horrible!

Destiny McGouirk:

My driver's license picture is so embarrassing! My freshman picture is so much better!



Miranda Woods:



My driver's license! I was NOT prepared to take a picture!

Aisha Lawson:

Definitely my freshman picture, I had a bad morning and there was just no going back on that picture.



Madison Robison:



Considering I'm only fourteen and don't have my learner's yet, I would say my Freshman picture.

Damarious Owensby:

My license is worse than my freshman picture. I had a bad haircut.



Sophomores

Brianna Abemathy Chris Acree Deronte Almon Mariah Alvarado Alissa Anderson Andrew Anderson

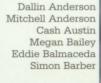






















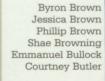
























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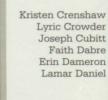




















































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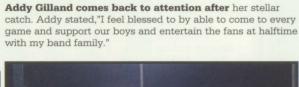






John George Melody Gibson Addalyn Gilland Kelsi Glover Cheyenne Goodspeed Briana Goodwin Montana Gray

Mattie Hutcheson, Lindsey Pierce, Sydney Stone, and Cassie Griffin show off their superhero and nerd outfits. They got an "A+" for effort, and they had a "flash" of brilliance when they chose each other to be twins. Lindsey Pierce said,"I knew what to expect this year and it was a better experience.







Trunk or Treat! Devin Schevers and Miranda Woods blow bubbles for the kids in line for face painting. Devin said,"I liked having something for the kids to laugh at."





CiCi Hammett and Aisha Lawson participate in Twin Day. They roamed the halls "dressed to impress" as milk chocolate and dark chocolate. CiCi said,"We wanted to do something that no one's ever done before."

What's your most embarrassing moment?

Cheyenne Goodspeed:



My most embarrassing moment was when I was at my friend Emily Willett's house

and was on her treadmill and then went flying into a bookshelf when I fell off.

Aleigha Cheeks:

on the ground very hard. I

One day at home. I tried to see how high my leg would go. I was wearing fuzzy socks on the kitchen floor, and I slipped and fell

just laughed it off.



Kiele Kaupe: During Band Camp when we were performing a skit, I gave myself a

concussion by falling on the floor pretending to die dressed as Batman.

Kelsi Glover:

I fell on my face in the hallway when Chris Acree





Tripping and falling my first day of school freshman year in front of all

the seniors would be my most embarrassing moment.

Kennedy Sims:

Last year I was running late to class and fell down the stairs in front of everybody!



Cassie Griffin Phyllicia Hall Cici Hammett April Hanahan Kelsey Hand Drew Harris

Matthew Hicks

Taylor Hills Brodi Hobbs

Caleb Hogan

Christopher Holliday Ryan Holloway















































Austin Kilgore

Dustin Lawler Aisha Lawson Zarkarian Lawson

Gabe Ledford

Chris Lewis

Ellie Ligon Kristin Link

Vanessa Lerma

Karla Lopez-Escoto

Brittany Ledbetter

Alley Knight





























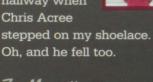






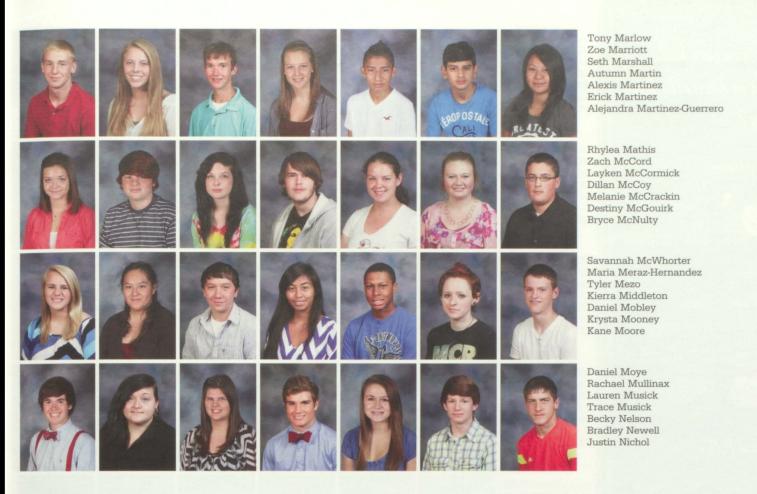














Powder Puff! Sophomore teammates wait on the sidelines for their turn on the "field." Catherine Wescott stated,"I felt so confused and didn't know what I was doing. All I wanted to do was win the game."

Have you ever had braces or currently have braces?

Kacey Hester:



Thankfully I have never had braces.

John Pate: I had braces for five years before



getting them off.

Savannah Pillow:

No, I have never had braces.



Rosie Eason:



Yes, I currently have braces. They suck!

Brittany Ledbetter:



I have never had braces. but I probably need them.

Thomas Noell Madison North Whitney North Matthew Ogilvie Damarious Owensby Michael Paea













Teeia Parrish John Pate Alyssa Paul Trenton Paul Diana Perez Jeremiah Perry











Flavia Phillips Vanessa Phillips Alma Piedra-Moreno Lindsey Pierce Savannah Pillow Brianna Pitts











Katelyn Powers James Prince Becky Rains Omar Ramirez William Rice Leah Rickles















Dajour Riddle Brittany Rivers Jessica Roberson **Brittany Roberts** Rosemary Robinson Conner Robinson

















Morgan Shaw Keaten Sheffield

> Joe Simpkins Kennedy Sims

Jacob Skelton

Simon Shoemake



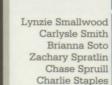






































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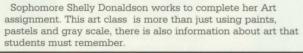




Dakota Vanzandt Audrianna Vaughn Nicholas Vaughn Logan Waddell Jacob Waldrep Hunter Walker Montana Walker

Sophomore Kierra Middleton walks to class on her first day. With the "Freshman Year Butterflies" no more, Sophomores were excited to see what their second year of high school had in store for them. Kierra said "I was excited to be out of the Freshman Academy but I got lost a

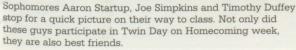














Sophomores Eliza Luke and Brittany Ledbetter work diligently on their art assignment during first period. Students in Art use a variety of techniques to create their masterpieces.

What is your favorite vacation spot?

Mitchell Anderson: My favorite vacation spot would be Southern Florida. I just love everything about it.

Dakota Cook: In a remote place in Hawaii. With clear water and white beaches.

Phillip Brown: My favorite vacation spot would have to be The Great Smoky Mountains in Tennessee.

Kether Wilson: My favorite spot would be the North Georgia Mountains.



Will Henderson: My favorite

spot to vacation is Gulf Shores, Alabama.

Wesley Walker Barbara Warren Aleah Watson Ashton Watson Paige Watson Demaria Watts

> Susan Weaver Abigail Webb

Casey Webb Kyle Weers

Marcus Wells

Christopher West



































Sophomore Brooke Musick works hard to represent her grade on the court. Brooke has been a member of the CHS Volleyball team for both of her high school years. Not only did Brooke excel on the court this year, she also excelled in the classroom.





Sophomores Emily Robison, Emily Williett, and Miranda Woods end their day at CHS with a snack from Chick-fila. Many of the Central family spend time at Chick-fil-a either in the mornings before school or in the afternoons after school waiting for someone to pick them up, or waiting for a sports practice to start. There is no doubt Chickfil-a is a staple in most CHS students' diet!













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Tyler Windom Logan Wood Kaylee Woodard Miranda Woods Michelle Wren Robbie Wright







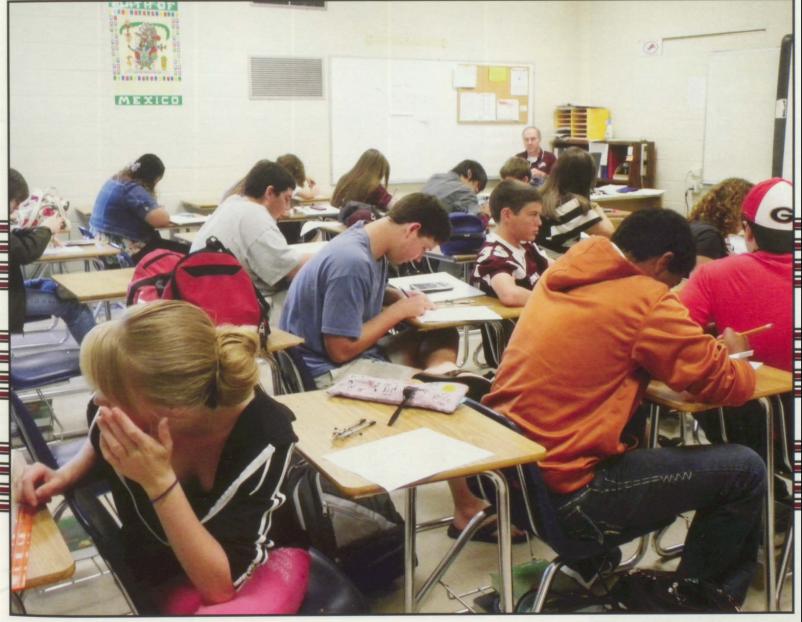






Allen Wynn Brittany Wynn Randy Wynn Dalton Wyrick Tavian Yancey Kathern Young Kaci Youngblood

Students in Mr. Reynolds' honors geometry class work diligently to complete math problems before the class discusses them together.



What is the most memorable moment in your life?

Elizabeth Minick:

Meeting Robin Hubbard in 4th grade. We became best friends and it has stayed that way.



Will Sheffield: When me, Jacob, Holden, Brandon, and Russ flipped Jacob's golf cart at 1:30



Wesli Simmons:

am, and

broke it.

My most memorable moment for now, until I meet Cam Newton, has been seeing the Celtics



Matt Harman:

play.

My most memorable moment is when I shot my first deer.



Jordyn Scott: Getting stuck in the

elevator at state for softball with Aubrev. Hayley, and Caroline.



Juniors

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Jacob Barnes Dylan Baxter **Emily Baxter** Hayley Bayne Brittany Beacham











Jasmine Beasley Constance Bell Aubrey Bennett Haley Blair Natalie Bowen













































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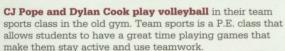


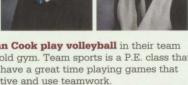




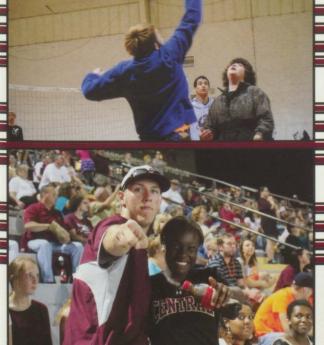


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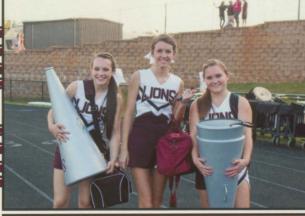








Two of the most spirited students, Will Sheffield and Hayley Sims support the lions at a home football game. Will was the student section president and led the section in all of the chants and cheers that made the students roar with pride!





Kirey Thompson, a well known student in the class of 2015, sports a license plate that was customized to say his name. Kirey has a '68 Cutlass, and everyone knows his car when they see it.

Where is the furthest place you have ever traveled?



Baxter: furthest

place I have ever traveled to is Puerto

Robin Hubbard: I have traveled as far as North



Carolina.

Olivia Rippey: The farthest I have ever traveled is to California.



Cade North: I have traveled as far as Illinois.



Mary Katheryn Denmon: The farthest I have traveled is to France on a church



Amanda Cowger Timothy Cox Christopher Coyle Travis Crowder Christopher Daniel









Justin Davidson Casie Davis Riley Deaver Mary Katheryn Denmon Trent Denninger









Taylor Dennis Megan Doss Rhett Duffey Caitlin Duke Donovan Dunson









Morgan Eidson Sydney Ellis Yasmine Ellis Quinn Evans Courtney Farmer











Nicole Finn Allison Foster Brannon Fowler Alexis Franklin Skylar Fulford











Taylor Fulford Lydia Fuller Taylor Funk Wesley Futrell Ashley Garrett











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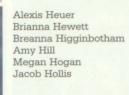






















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Lee Green and Michael Mitchell work on their warm up in Accelerated Math Three. They were learning about the characteristics of functions.





Looking amused, Tyler Brantley attempts to focus on his math work in Mr. Ponder's Math Three class. Mr. Ponder got to enjoy him in class and was kept amused by his funny sense of humor. Tyler is a member of the CHS Cross Country team and track team.

Who are you named after? Why?

Jade Carolyn Kelley:

Jade was a name that my dad liked and Carolyn was after my mother and grandmother.



Anna Schulenburg:



I am named after my grandfather's mom.

Emily Coffman: I am not named after

anyone, but my brother and sister named me.





Quinn Evans: I am named after my mother's

maiden name. Her last name was O'Quinn and we made the Quinn part my name.



Heavenly Hope Green: I do not know where

my name came from. I think my parents just really liked it.

David Kilgore Malequa King Adam Kinnard Sierra Lackey Jacob Lane



















Ansley Long Wesley Long Terry Lowe David Mack Brett Madden



















Alex Merrell Daniel Mickel Payton Miles Elizabeth Minick Alexandria Mitchell











Michael Mitchell Kelsi Mixon Kevin Moffitt Robert Moran Kayla Mullis











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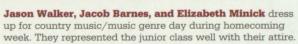






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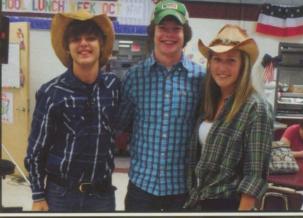








Wesley Futrell sits on the floor of the college and career academy. He was captivated by his fellow students entertaining him in the hallway. The smile on his face determined that he was having a good time.





Russ Gordon enjoys himself at lunch with his friends. He laughed at a statement that was said at his table by a friend. Lunch has always been a time to relax with friends while not doing academic work.

What school grade has been your favorite? Why?

Amber Powell:

This year has been the best school year so far, because I have grown as a person and had to make important life



Bailey Thomas:

decisions.



Seventh grade was my favorite, because I had a

great group of friends and it was before homework on the weekends.

Jackson Lewis:

Freshmen year because it was the least amount of stress.



Jacob Lane:



Freshmen year because it was the first year of high school and it was overall better than middle school.

Caroline Conerly:

Junior year is my favorite because it's fun not to be the freshmen and get to do the picking on but at the same time I still have another year with my classmates!

Anna Schulenburg Jordyn Scott Kaitlyn Seaman Michael Seritt David Shadix











William Sheffield Anna Sibley Madison Simmons Wesli Simmons Hayley Sims









Shakeah Sims Alyssa Smallwood Aaron Smith Brandon Smith Cody Smith



















Brent Strickland Johnathan Strickland Ashley Sullivan Garrett Suthard Jordan Tate











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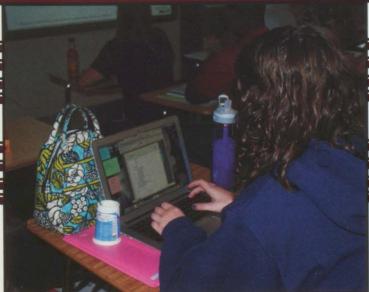




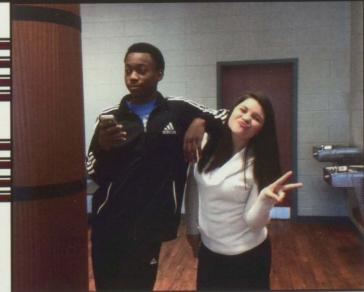
Juliann Williams Zachary Williams Alexandria Wilson Nicholas Wortman

Hard workers, Grace Weaver and Hayley Harrison work on chemistry practice problems assigned by Mrs. Beers. They were working on electron dot structures.





Brooke Carroll diligently takes notes on her computer and also enjoyed a Yoplait yogurt for a snack during class. Brooke is a very good student who always puts in hard work on every assignment.



These crazy kids. Isaiah Boyd plays with his phone, and people watch as Amber Tolbert throws up the smoothes pose for the camera. Isaiah was new to CHS, and Amber treated him as if he were always part of the lion family.

What's the best thing about graduating?

John Williams:

The best thing about graduating is going off to college and continuing to pursue my dreams.



Olivia Holloway:



I will finally be done with high school and will be starting a new chapter in my life.

Chaney Lambert: The best part

about graduating is getting to go off to college.



Jacob Clark: I get to sleep in more, plus I get to go to college and start my career.





Tiffany Adan



Harold Allen



Jessica Allev



Amber Almon



Jackie Aparicio



Amanda Attison



Kyndal Austin



Lauren Bailey



Madison Bennett



Christopher Bierley



Cody Bloodworth





Sherae Bonner



Kendall Borders



Elizabeth Boswell



Sara Bradley



Richard Brice



Jacob Brown



Joshua Brunson



Victoria Buchanan



Payton Burke



Kyle Burns



Emelie Carter



Trevor Cates



Austin Cecil



Kentdrix Chism



Jacob Clark



Arlene Cler



Emily Cline



James Cobb



Seniors Arlene Cler, Jamielee Korolovich, Haleigh Hughes and Rachel Wakefield spend some senior bonding time together while earning National Honors Society credit. These ladies were working hard to earn enough credits to receive an NHS cord at graduation.



Amanda Attison and Payton Burke take a moment to stop and talk to Mrs. Beers on the first day of their senior year. Seniors experienced many mixed emotions on their "last first day of school."



Seniors Jasmine Johnson, Katie Beth Walls, Sydney North and Madison Bennett show their Lion Pride. 4 years and 4 homecoming weeks later, this group of best friends celebrate their last homecoming together as Central High students.

What's the most memorable event you have attended at CHS?

Jasmine Johnson:

The most memorable moment event for me was at the Black History assembly wHere the five girls presented for colored girls.

Tucker Musick:

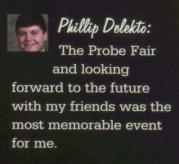


Valera Vandiver: Speaking at FCA and hearing Mr.Cole pray.

Georgia.



Wesley Stone: Starting safety as a sophomore for the varsity football team and beating Bremen in OT, breaking the previous record of 0-10.





James Cochran



Austin Coe



Raleigh Conerly



Nicole Cook



Candice Copeland



Stevie Crawford



Kenneth Crowder



Michaela Cubitt



Isaiah Daniel



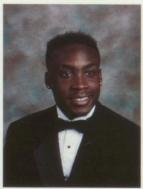
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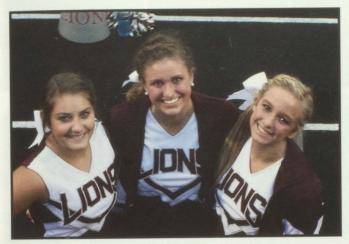
Salli Duke

At trunk-or-treat this year, senior Lauren Smith draws a fun skeleton for a trunk-r-treater. She was having a fun time that night, while her face was painted, also, showing the kids different designs that they could have. By the end of the night, many had been painted on by this talented senior.



During powderpuff this year, this group of seniors celebrate their victory. They had just won the powderpuff game of 2014.





Seniors Katie Beth Walls, Makaylin Taylor, and Carlee Jenkins show their school spirit uniforms. They wanted this picture to show all the fun times they had while being teammates.



The seniors of color guard take a picture at one of the many football games. They wanted to make a memory to remember all the fun times they had while in color guard, those four years of high school.



Jalen Dukes



Josiah Dunson



Tobias Dunson



Bethany Durrough



Emma Eidson



Madison Eidson



Daysi Escobar



Hannah Farmer



Ashley Folds



Austin Folds

Who is one teacher you will miss the most? Why?

Madison Bennett:

The one teacher I will miss the most is Coach Riggins because he is a really great teacher and he is pretty cool.



Meredith Walker:

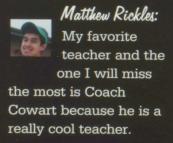


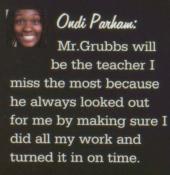
Mrs. Herring, because she is one of the nicest people I

have ever met and cannot imagine school of any kind without her whimsical personality.

Robert Turner:

The one teacher I will miss the the most is Mrs. Smith because she is the best teacher ever.







Levi Folsom



Deborah Freeman



Zachary Gabriel



Taylor Gamble



Lars Garmon



Spencer Gaston



Cody Gay



Connie Germany



Ashleigh Githens



Tyler Goodwin



Kaleb Green



Kyle Green



Logan Green



Mason Gunter



Bethany Harris



Ryan Harris



Patrice Harrison



Jacob Hayes



Darius Henderson



Brenda Hernandez



David Hernandez



Jonathan Herndon



Alexis Heuer



Courtney Hills



Devon Hobgood



Olivia Holloway



Rebecca Horsley



Desney Huckeba



Breanna Hughes



Haleigh Hughes



Senior band members Emma Eidson, Rachel Wakefield, and Meredith Walker enjoy their break during third quarter.



Zach Lawson speaks in front of the student body. Because he was a cadet in the JROTC program, he gave a speech at the Veteran's Day assembly.



Seniors Iesha Rutledge, Ondi Parham, and Brandy Mason walk through the hallway to class. With a binder in hand, those girls looked ready for another class period.

What's one thing you will miss about CHS?

Kaleb Green:

One thing I will miss about CHS is the familiarity of home; CHS feels like home to me.





I will miss getting to be a part of all the sporting events and getting to cheer for all my friends.

Jacob Mandall: One thing I will miss about CHS

will be getting to see my friends every day.



James Moye: I will miss getting fired up at the pep rallies and watching our players in the powder puff game.

Spencer Morrow: I will miss the Friday night football games and getting to hang out with my friends before and after.



Hunter Hughes





Carlee Jenkins



David Jenkins



Austin Johnson



Brittany Johnson



Diamond Johnson



Jasmine Johnson



Angelique Jones



Elyssa Jordan



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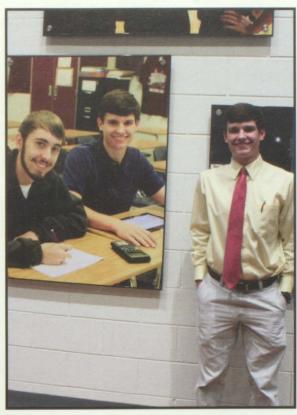
Lari Langley



Daysi Escobar, Arlene Cler, Meredith Walker, and Rachel Wakefield show off their club's trunk at the second annual Trunk or Treat. The festivity was sponsored by the Beta



James Moye escorts Sydney North for the homecoming sweetheart walk. Sydney got sweetheart for NHS.



Senior Tucker Musick stands beside a large picture of himself and John Williams displayed in the front atrium. Tucker was an outstanding senior. He was very involved in extra-curricular activities such as FBLA and the baseball team.



Korin Lanier



Dareyon Lawson



Zachary Lawson



Benjamin Lewis



Mackenzie Lewis



Schad Lloyd



Darius Lowe



Dakota Malcom



Jacob Mandall



Joseph Mashburn

What has been your most memorable senior moment?

Jamielee Korolovich:

One day in Mrs. Boldt's class, we turned our chairs the other way and didn't talk to her. It was pretty funny!

Katie Beth Walls:

My most memorable moment was scaring the underclassmen during Senior Prank Week.

Madison Bennett:

My most memorable senior moment was when we turned all the chairs around in Ms. Boldt's A.P. Biology class.



Curtis Davenport: My most memorable moment this year was running the football 99yards.



Brandy Mason



Dakoda Massey



Amy McBrayer



Connor McCray



Chase McDaniel



Morgan McDonald



Hannah McGuire



Xzavior McPherson



William Meade



Laci Meeks



Ethan Milam



Taylor Miller



Brianna Minis



David Morales



Cullen Morehead



Robert Moreland



Bailey Morgan



Spencer Morrow



James Moye



Tucker Musick



Exon Patlan



Elijah Paron

Ondi Parham



Sara Philpot

Riley Phillips

After completing their class assignment, Tristan Knowles and Jackie Aparicio discuss their plans for the upcoming winter break.

Alyssa Roberts walks across the stage at the Miss Leonine Pageant. Alyssa said, "It was a fun experience and I had a great time."

What is the best thing about being a senior?

Bethany Harris:

The best thing about being a senior is knowing thats its my last year of high school and I will be graduating.

Hunter Hughes:



The best thing about being a senior is getting to leave school early.

Morgan Richardson: Getting to plan and look forward going off to college.



Angel Jones:



The best part about being a senior is graduating and the feeling of, "I finally made it!"

Xzavior McPherson: Graduating





Zac Polk



Allyson Poole



Brittany Reese



Amanda Reilly



Atrayu Relthford



James Richardson



Morgan Richardson



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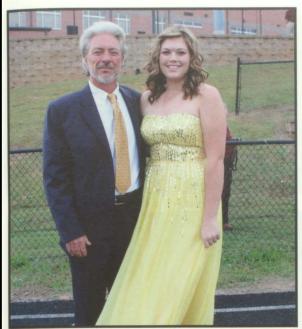
Andrew Scoggins



Leigh Scott



Chase Seabrook



World History teacher Mitt Conerly escorts his daughter Raleigh Conerly, who is the homecoming sweetheart for volleyball.



Elyssa Jordan supports the lions on Friday nights. Elyssa cheered all four years of her high school career.



Carlee Jenkins, Wesley Stone, Macy Walker, Makaylin Taylor, Luke Sims, and Amy McBrayer spend quality time together during the summer before their senior year.



Senior James Cochran enjoys playing dodge ball in his last team sports class of high school.



Ronnie Sellers



Kristian Shoemake



Luke Sims



Brianna Smith



Haley Smith



Jacob Smith



Lauren Smith



Rebekah Smith



Luke Spooner



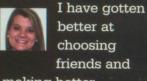
Hunter Spruill

How have you changed since you were a freshman?

Carlee Jenkins:

I've learned to always be myself and choose my friends wisely because it always seems that the ones you are the closest to are the ones who will hurt you the most.

Logan Steed:



making better decisions.

Luke Sine:

I have matured and met many new friends along the way.



David Jenkins: The older I have gotten, I started to realize who my real friends were, and I used to act like a little kid.

Phillip Delekto:

I have a better sense of how life works, and how to expect the unexpected.



Logan Steed



Alex Stewart



Anna Stewart



Wesley Stone



Malik Strickland



Socorro Tadoada



Makaylin Taylor



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Jacob Terry



Dakota Thompson



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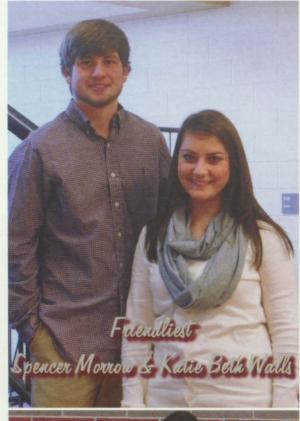
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Senior Superlatives









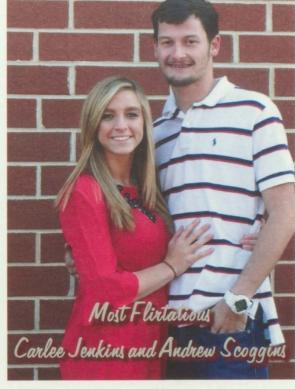






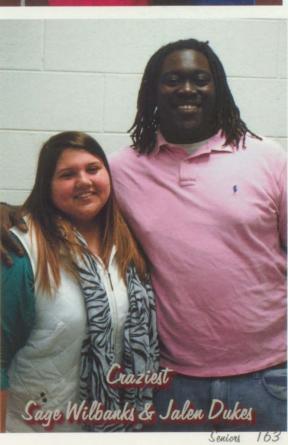
Nominated by their peers, the Senior Superlatives proudly accepted the titles given them, and they lived up to them as well. Curtis and Sherae did not disappoint on the field or the court; everyone expected a grin from Carlee and Andrew; Football Fridays always gave Makaylin and Wesley a chance to show their school spirit; Jalen and Sage kept everyone laughing (including their teachers); Aaron and Michaela wowed their audiences; Katie Beth and Spencer always had a smile and kind words for everyone; Jasmine and "Bird" kept everyone up to date on the best fashion styles; Cullen and Candice always looked their best, Ethan and Raleigh gained the admiration of their peers in the classroom, and James and Logan, as Mr. and Miss CHS, proved to be the most well-rounded seniors in the class.



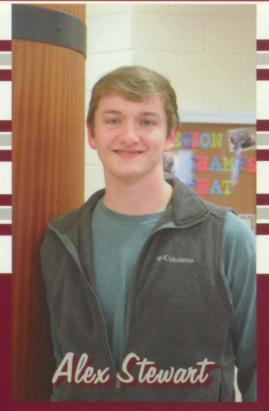








OutstandingSeniors













Each year, faculty members nominated seniors who best represented Central High School and deserved the title of an Outstanding Senior. This year's outstanding seniors did just that. Collectively, they led the class academically and athletically. From taking advanced placement or dual enrollment courses to scoring touchdowns on Friday nights, from working with elementary kids in the Central cluster to being Homecoming Queen, the outstanding seniors immersed themselves in CHS. They worked directly with teachers as apprentices, served as officers of Student Council, editor of the yearbook staff, and president of FFA. Outstanding seniors cheered on the lions, scored points on the basketball, volleyball, and tennis courts, and wore maroon jerseys on the football field on Friday nights. They supported their friends at sporting events and dominated their competition in region FBLA and HOSA events. Outstanding seniors were dedicated to Central High School; it's who they were.



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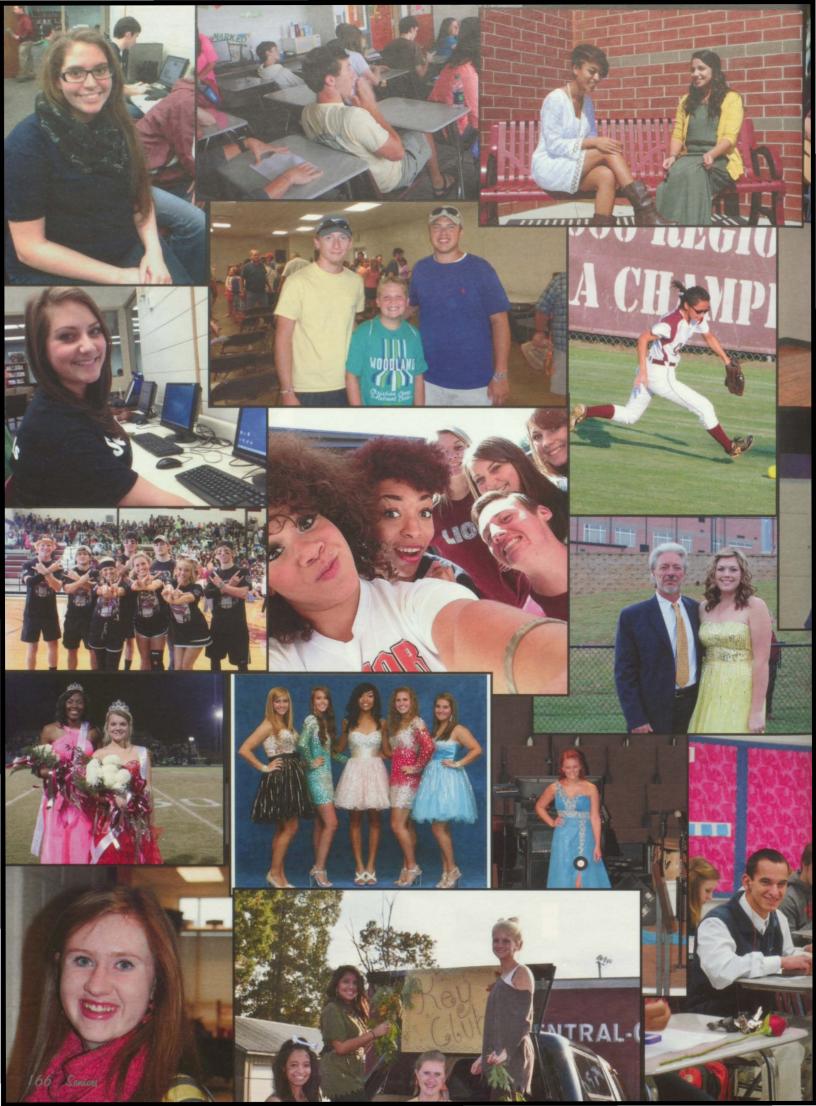


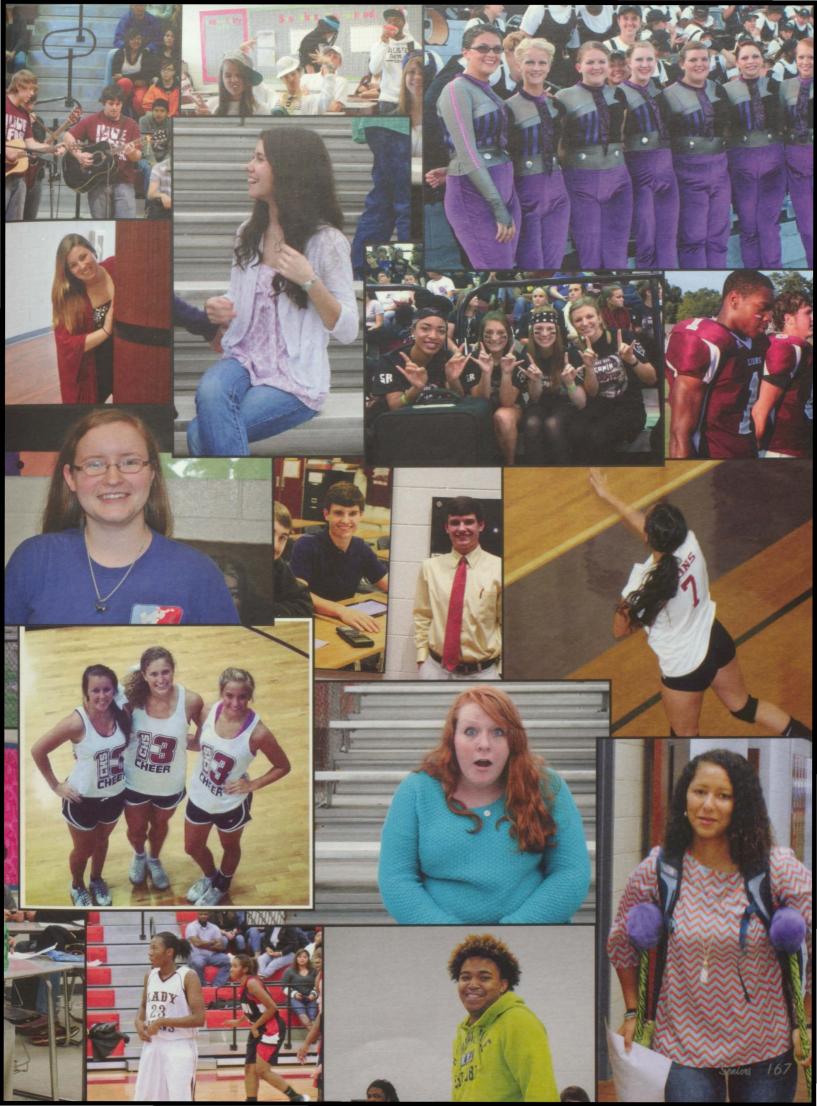


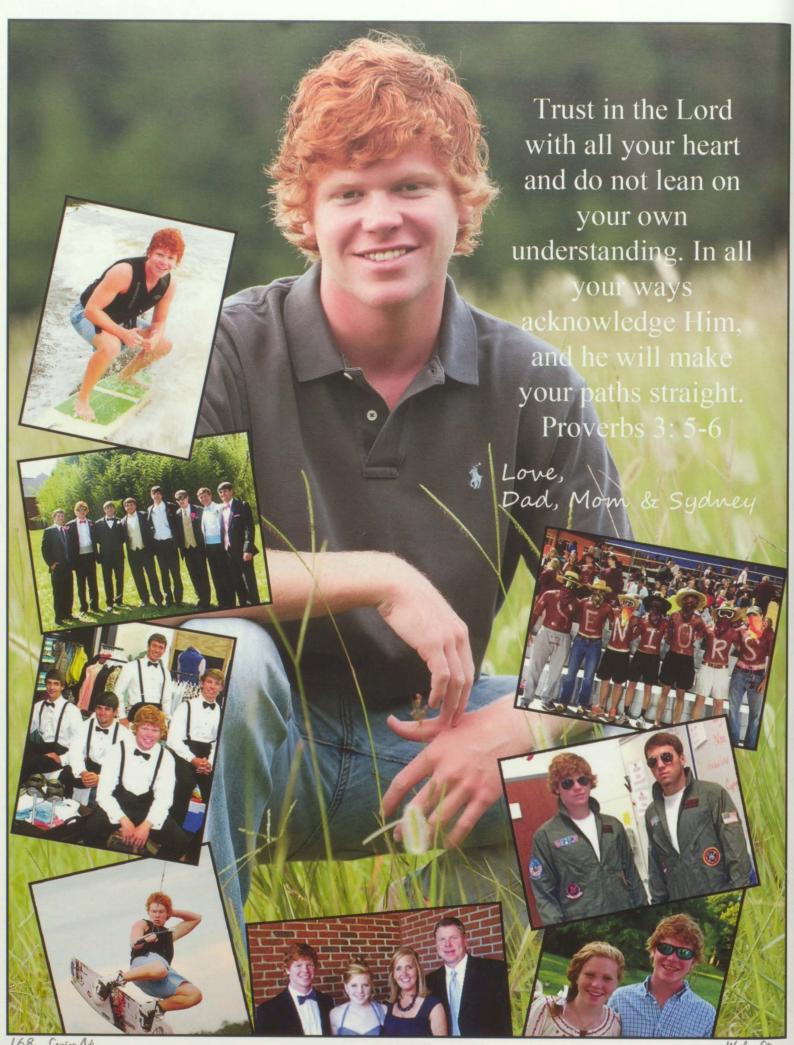


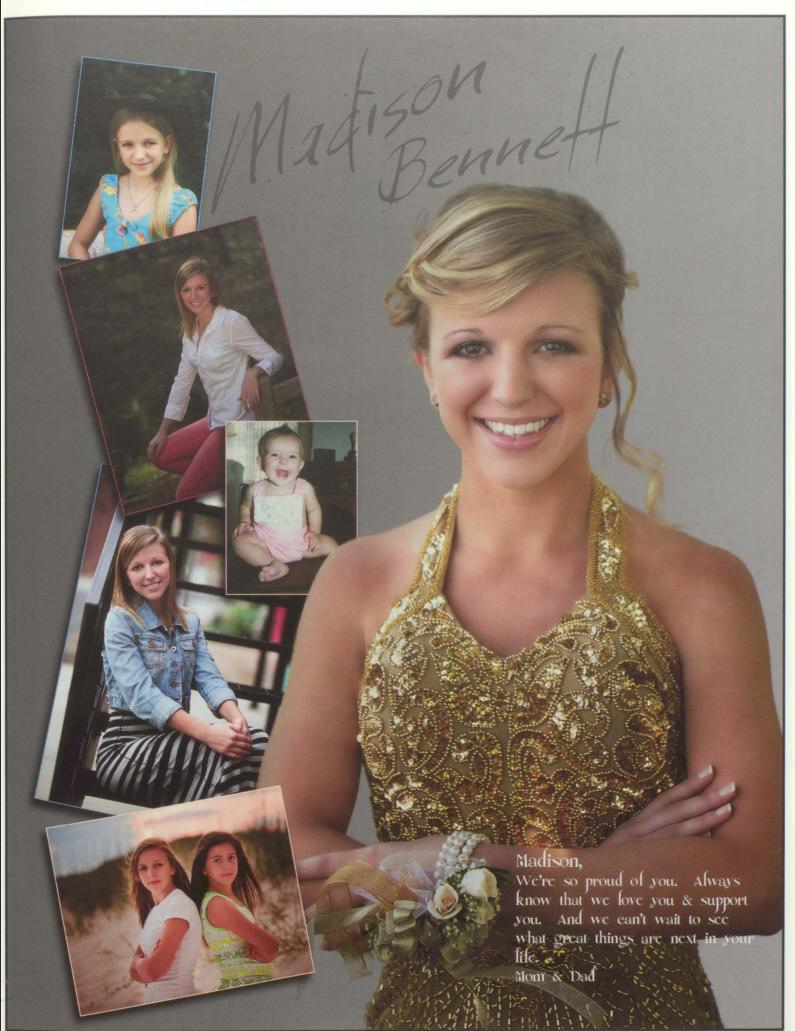


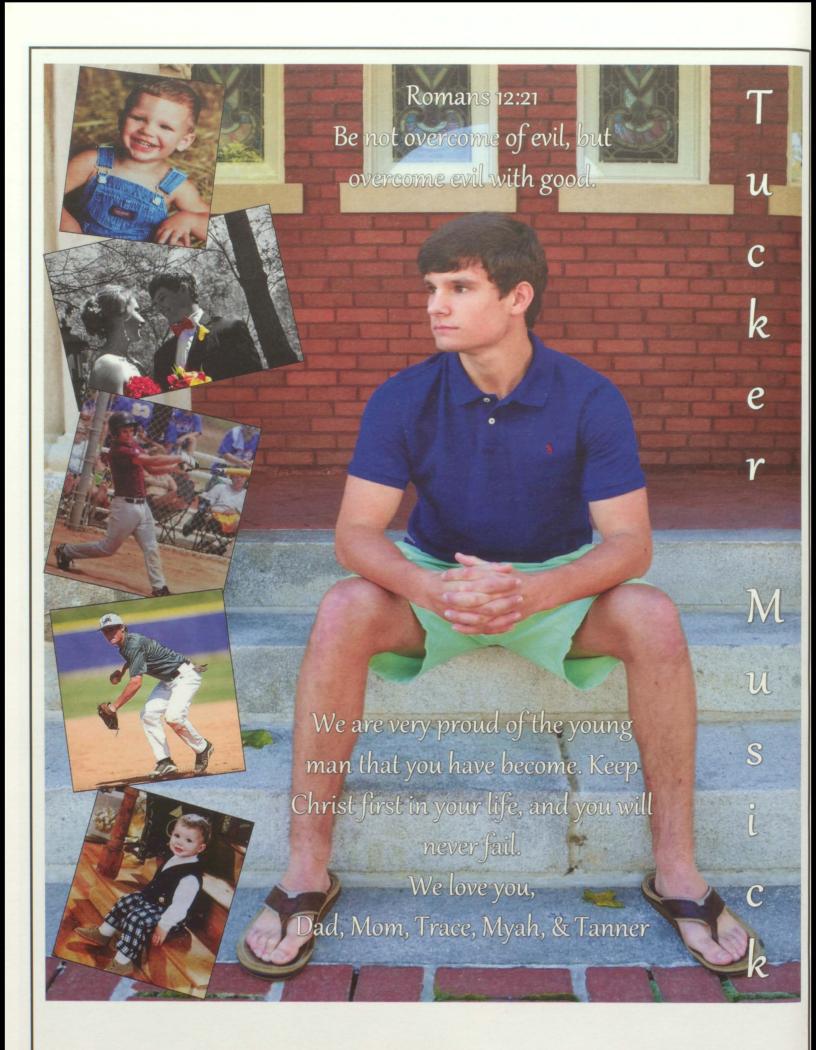


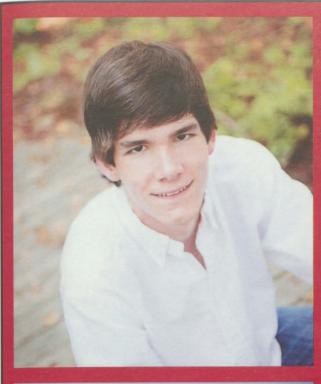


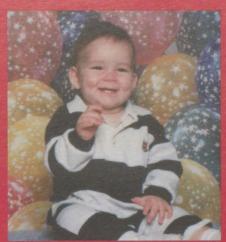














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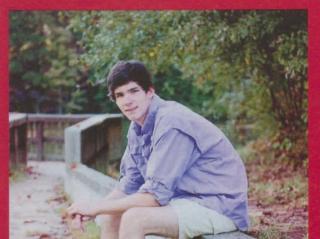


Trust in the Lord with all your heart:

do not depend on your own

understanding.

Seek his will in all you do, and he will show you which path to take.



We love you, Mom, Dad, Josh, and Kyle.





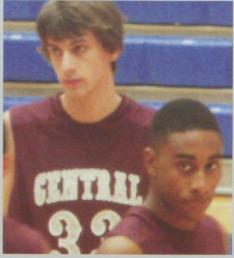








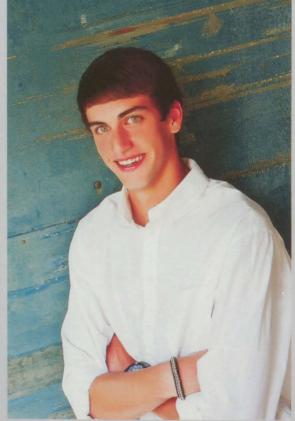












I hope you had the time of your life

James "Bird" Cochran

Riley Phillips

You have grown into an amazing man and we could not be more proud of you. You are a great treasure to us both.

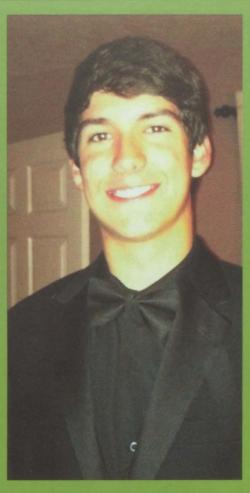
Congratulations,

We love you,

Mom and Thatcher

"But He knows where I am going, and when He tests me I will come out as pure gold." Job 23:10









Elizabeth A. Boswell

Elizabeth,
We are so proud of you with
your academic studies and the
Godly young lady you have
become.

We love you, Dad, Mom and Kristen

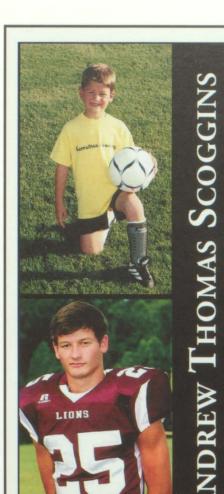
Remember . . .

Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding.

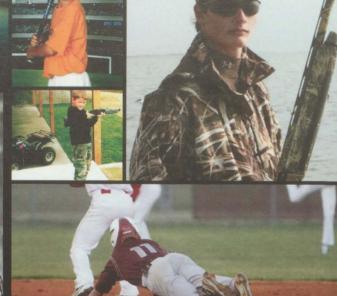
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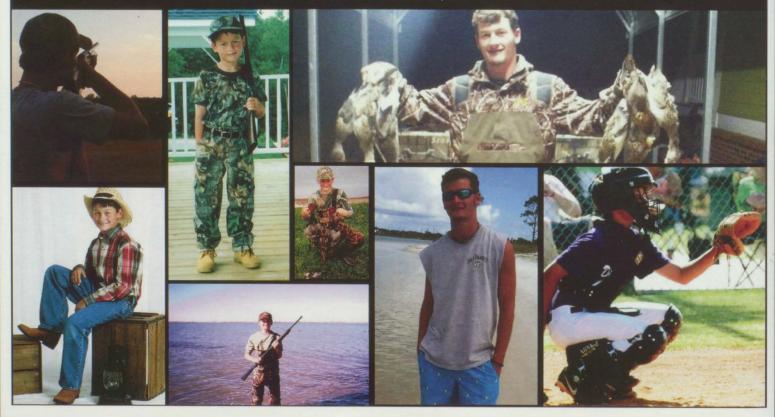






Choose to live by choice, not by chance; to make changes, not excuses; to be motivated, not manipulated; to be useful, not used; to excel, not compete. Choose self-esteem, not self pity. Choose to listen to your inner voice, not the opinions of others. Choose God! We Love You!

-Mom, Dad and Emily



Jamielee Korolovich

Jamielee we are so proud of you and love you so much. Remember Querer es Poder. Love, Grandma, Mom & Eric



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

David Jenkins

Greet your future with anticipation- Dream BIG & work hard Remember your roots, manners & the way home.







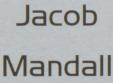






May your life be filled with all the love and laughter you deserve!

We are so proud of you!

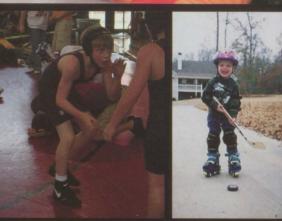


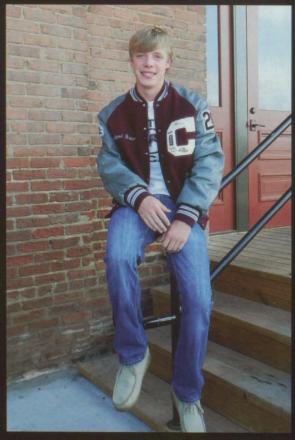
You are so Amazing! We Love You Very Much!

Mom, Dad, Mikey, and Nicole



















The greatest job we've ever had has been the job of raising YOU. We wouldn't trade a minute of the time we've spent caring for you, cheering for you, and watching you grow.

We've laughed with you and celebrated your victories, we've worried about you and shared your hurts, and through it all you've filled our hearts with love beyond compare.

The greatest JOB we've ever had has been the JOY of raising you, Mom & Dad

Richard Brice



Dakota Thompson
We are so proud of you!
Love Dad, Mom, Brooke & Logan

Craig and Jonathan

Congrats!!! We are so proud of you! Love, Mom and your big sister Courtney















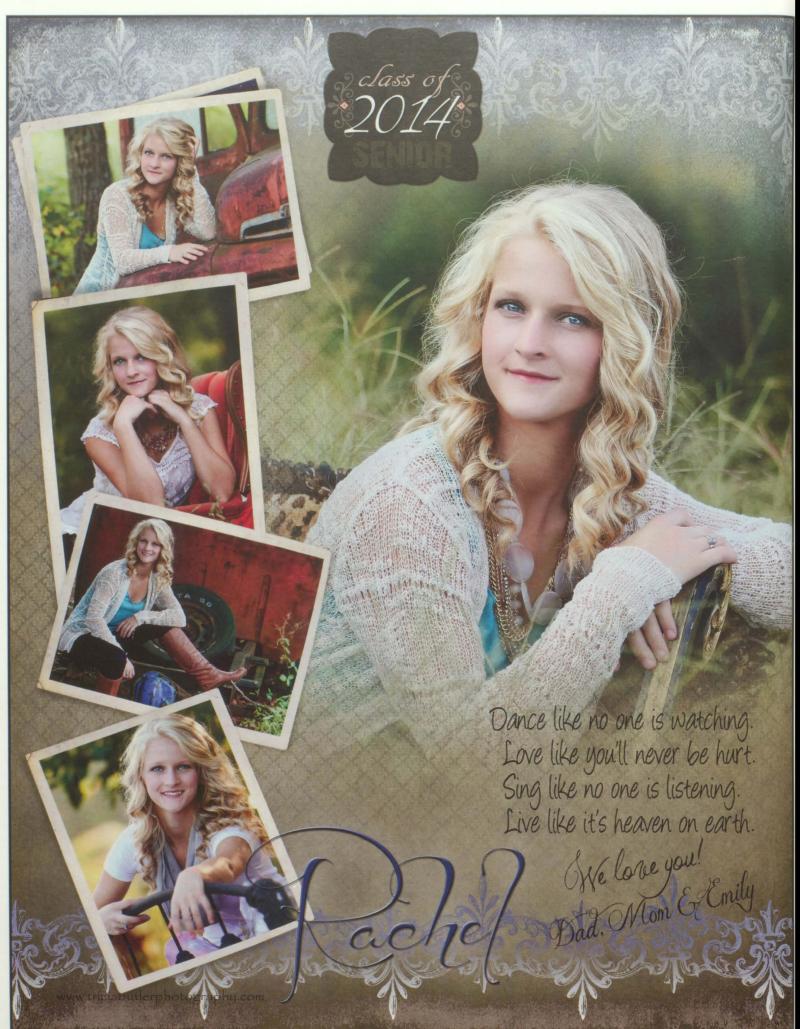




Devon Hobgood

We are so proud of you! Love,

Your ALA-GA Roll Off Container, Inc. Family



Lari Langley













We love you and are so proud of your accomplishments. As you look to the future, take hold of your dreams and allow God to direct your path.



And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God.

Romans 12:2

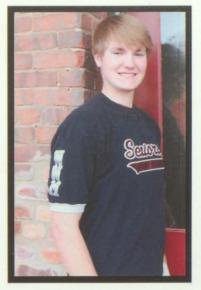




William Walter Meade

No words could ever tell you or show the full extent -Of what a special Son you are and what you've always meant -And so these special thoughts bring you a world of love -With wishes for the happiness you're so deserving of!





We love you and are very proud of the young man you have become. Pursue your dreams and let God guide your path. Love you, Mom, Dad, and Justin









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Alex Craig Stewart

For I know the plans I have for you, "declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future. - JER 29:11











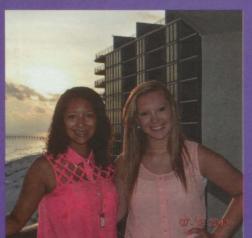
We look at you and cannot believe the young man you have become. As your walk expands always remember to put God first in all that you do. We are so very proud of you and love you more Dad, Mom, Jacob & Andrew than words can ever say.

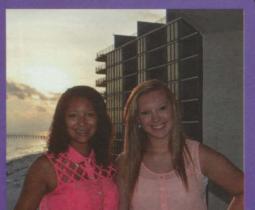


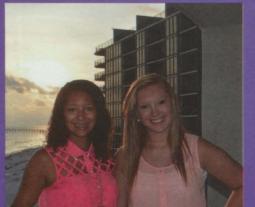










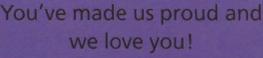






Olivia Hollway

... let us lay aside every weight, and sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us, Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith; Hebrews 12:1



Mama, Daddy, Kayley & Ryan













Sydney CLASS OF 2014 As a baby you were always so















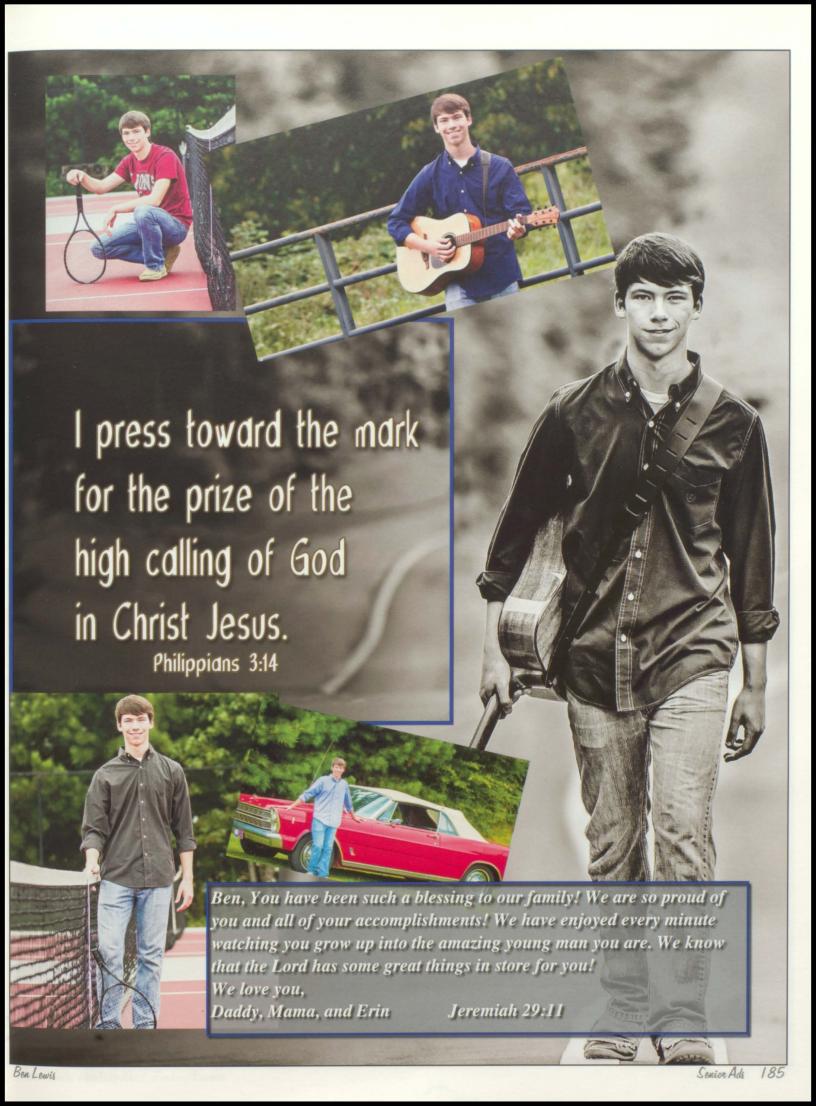


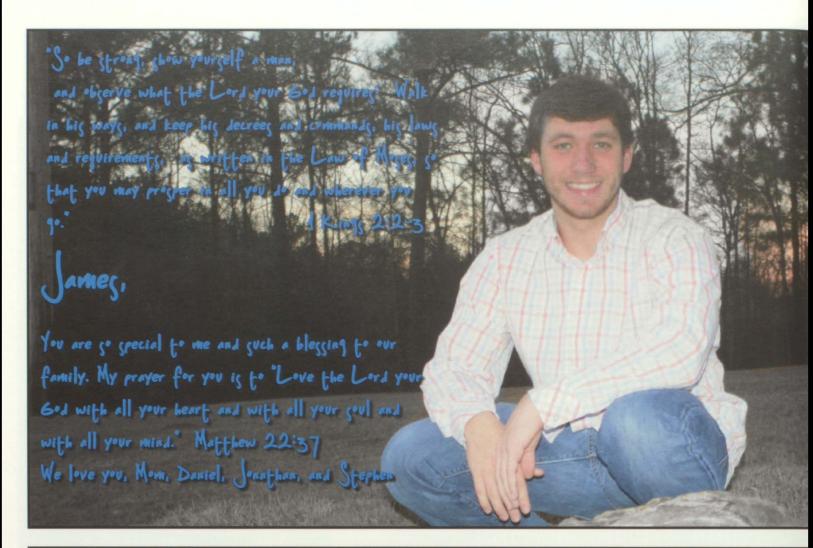


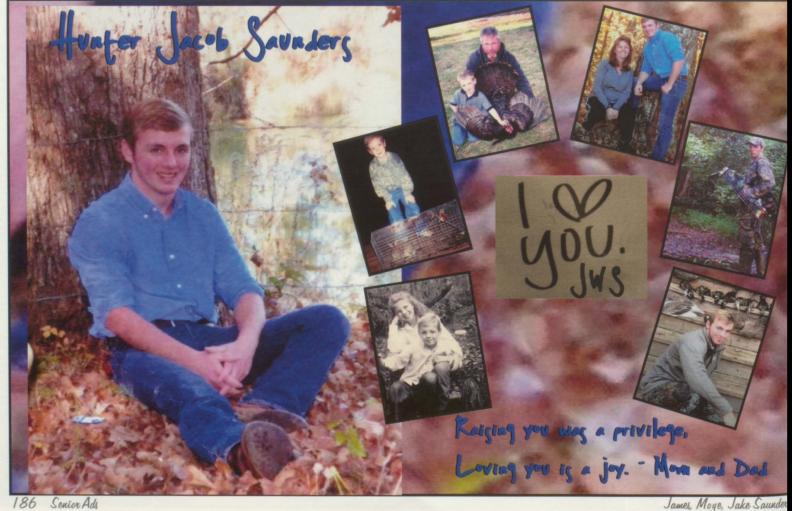
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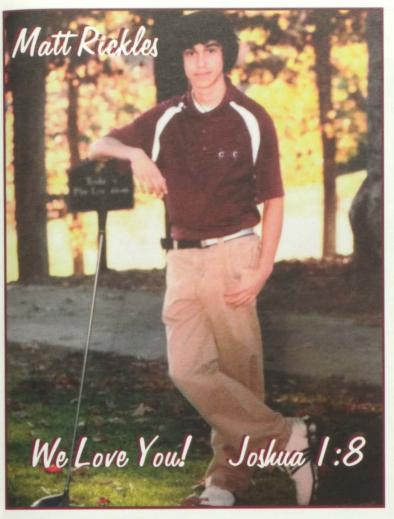


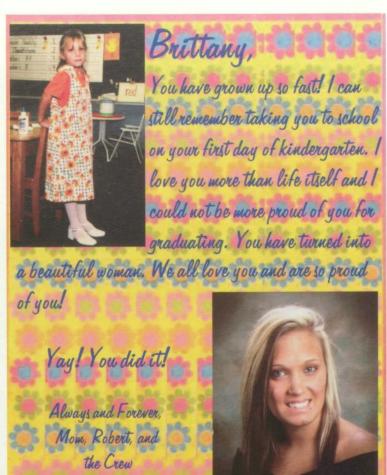






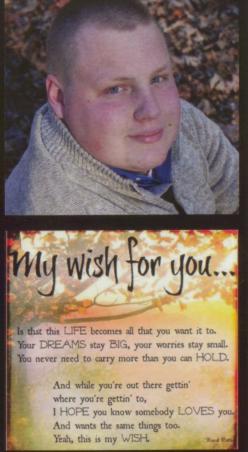












Estelle Carte Emelie

I hope the days come easy and the moments pass slow
And each road leads you where you want to go
And if you're faced with the choice and you have to choose
I hope you choose the one that means the most to you

And if one door opens to another door closed
I hope you keep on walkin' til you find the window
If it's cold outside, show the world the warmth of your smile

I hope you never look back but you never forget
All the ones who love you and the place you left
I hope you always forgive and you never regret
And you help somebody every chance you get

But more than anything, more than anything

Oh, you'd find God's grace in every mistake
And always give more than you take
But more than anything, yeah more than anything

My wish for you

Is that this life becomes all that you want it to

Your dreams stay big, your worries stay small

You never need to carry more than you can hold

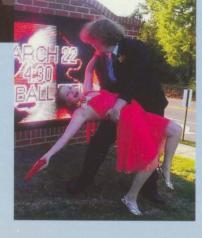
And while you're out there gettin' where you're gettin' to I hope you know somebody loves you And wants the same things too $\text{Yeah, this is my wish} \sim \text{Rascal Flatts 2006}$

The journey of a thousand miles begins with one step. Your path has not been easy, but you persevered, overcame the obstacles, and you succeeded.

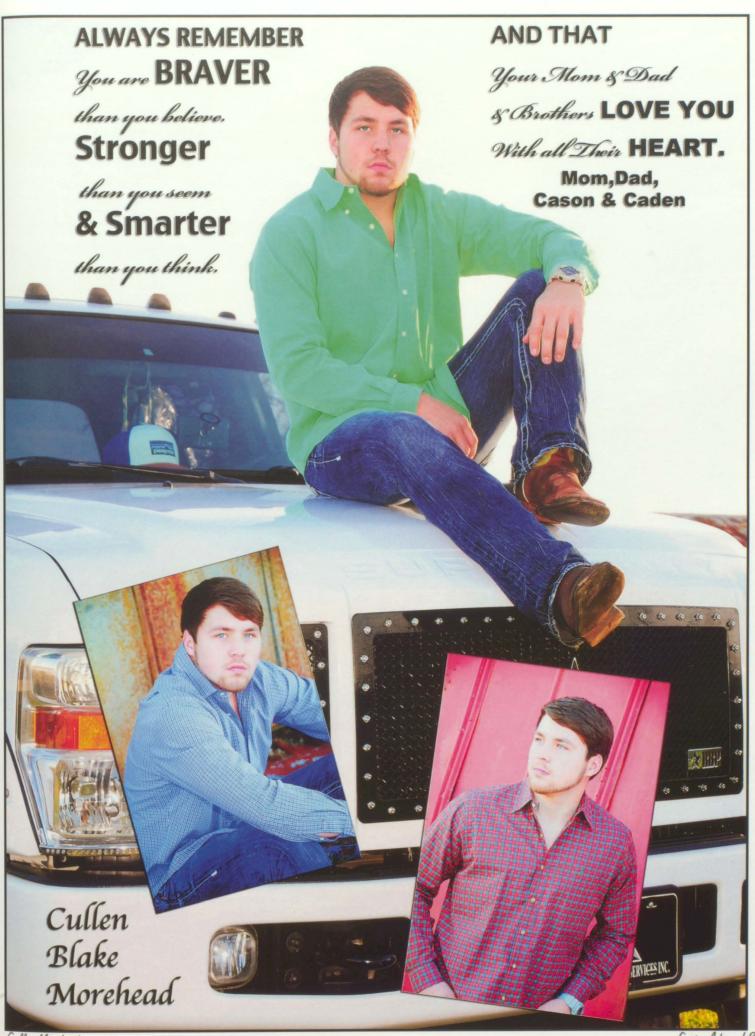
I am so very proud of you!

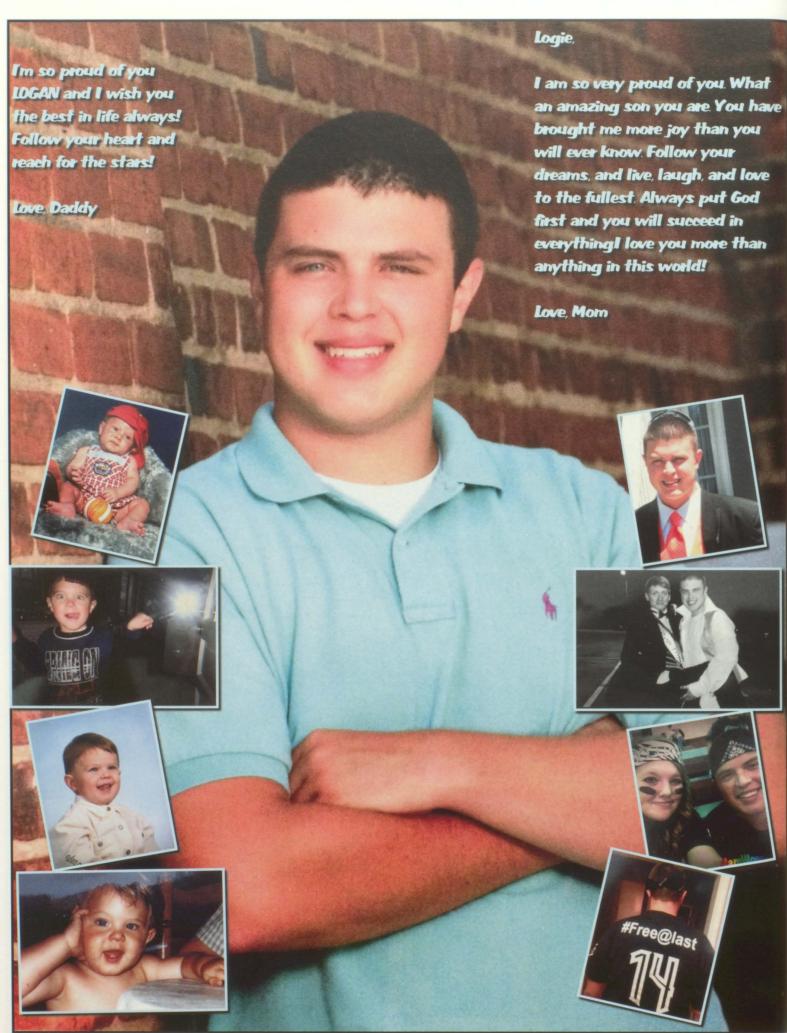
Mom





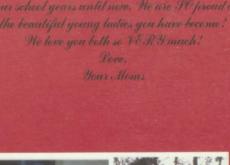
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Callie





Peyton Brianna



Laci Meek

Happy Graduation Day! Everyone is proud of you. You've grown into a woman From the girl we once knew.

A girl who faced obstacles With courage and a smile. A girl who learned life's lessons And did it with great style.

A girl who really loved to play And brighten up our lives. That precious little girl has grown Into a woman before our eyes.



The day that you were born Was such a happy day, And you blessed us all In so many different ways.

So Happy Graduation Day, And remember in your plans We are all behind you, And you're always in God's hands







Madison Eidson

We have watched you grow up to become an amazing, loving, beautiful young lady. We can't begin to describe how proud of you we are.

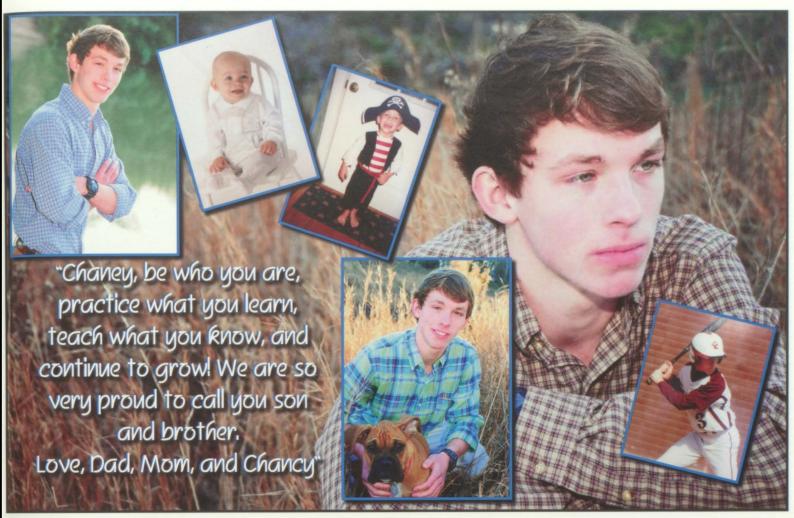
Love, your Mom, Dad, and Kendall

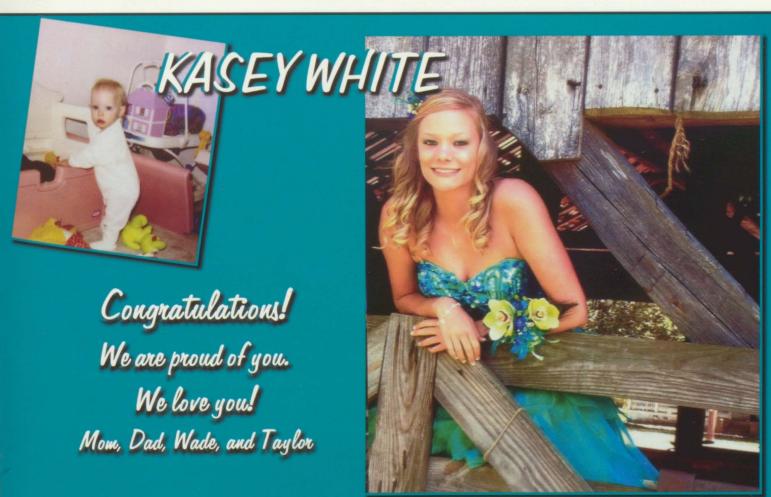
Psalm 105:4 - Look to the Lord and his strength; seek his face always.





Madison Eidson





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Sage Wilbanks



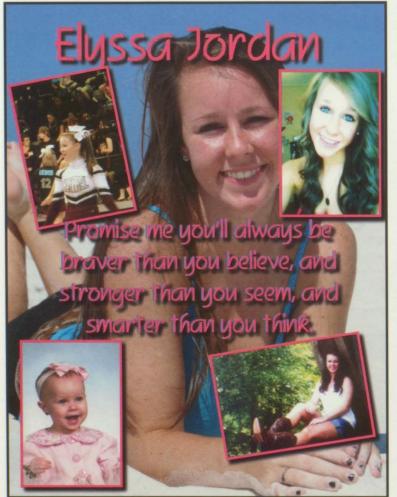




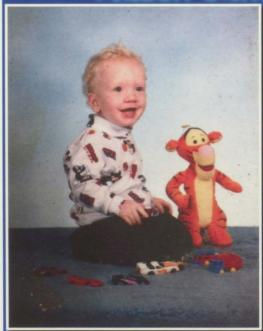


We are so proud of you. You have grown into such a beautiful person. We can't wait to embrace your second journey in life. We love you so much!

Love, Dad, Kim, Doodle & BoBo



Mason Gunter

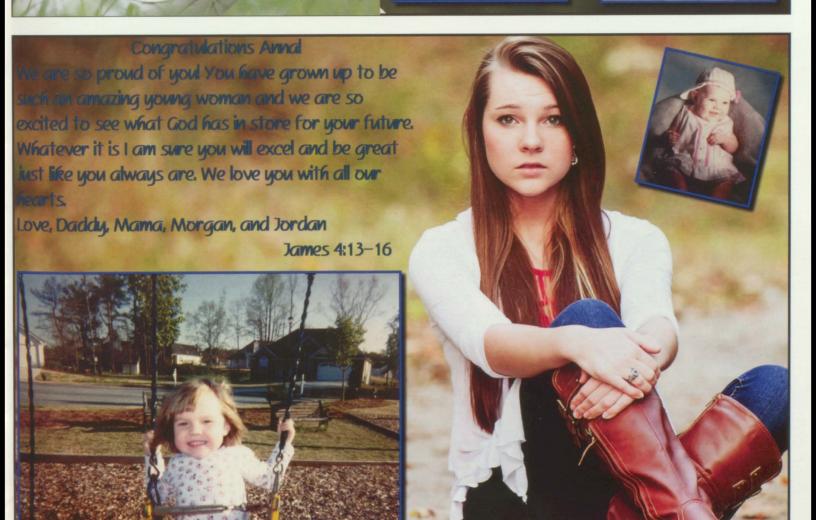


So very proud of the Christian young man you've grown up to be! Keep your verse in your pocket always. Philippians 4:13 ~ I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me.

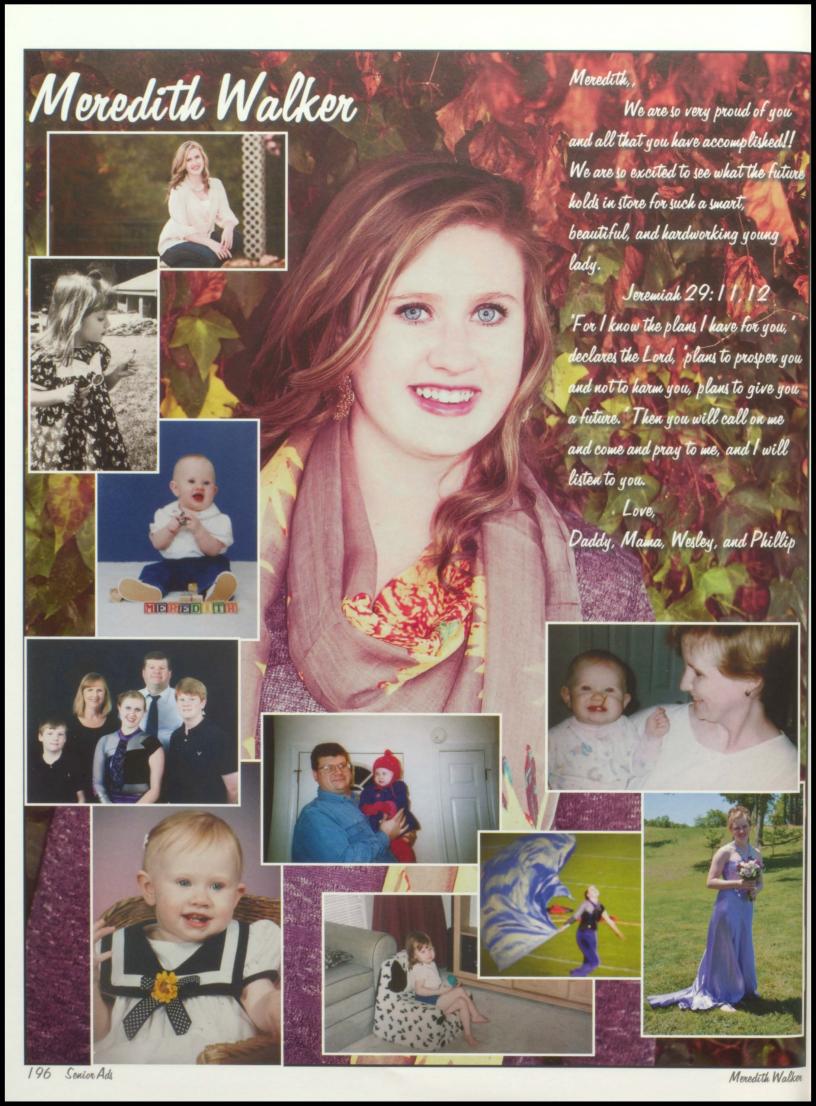
Love, Mom, Dad, and Katie

Love, Nana & Pawpaw, Aunt Randi & Uncle Matt, PawPaw L Love, Grammy, Poppa, Aunt Laura, Uncle Danny, Drew & Abbie





Senior Ads



CONGRATULATIONS BRANDON DELANEY

Class Of 2014

We are so proud of you. Be a leader and not a follower. We cannot wait to see what your next chapter is going to be in life. You can do all things through Christ who strengthens you

Philippian 4:13

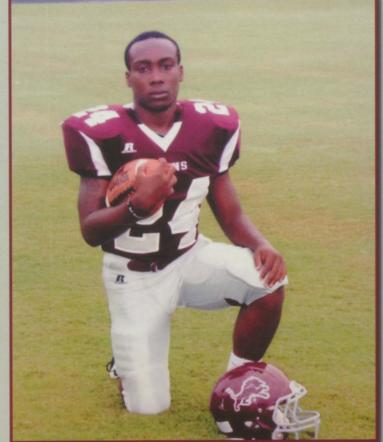
Love Mon, Dad, & Smurf











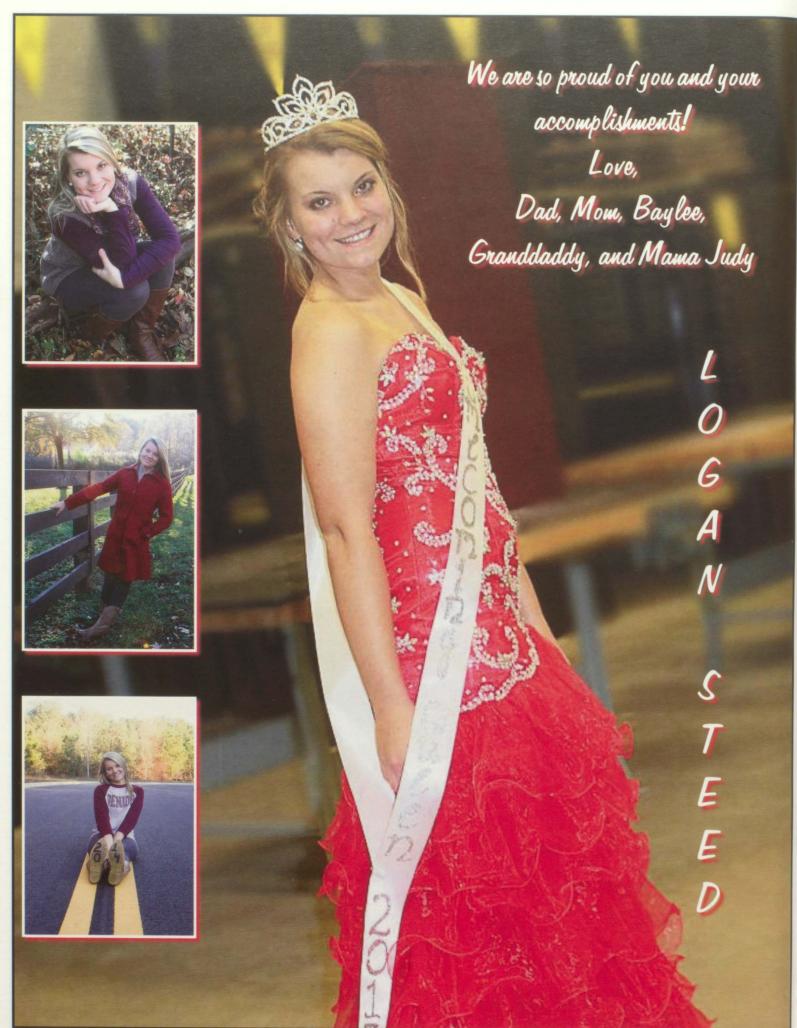


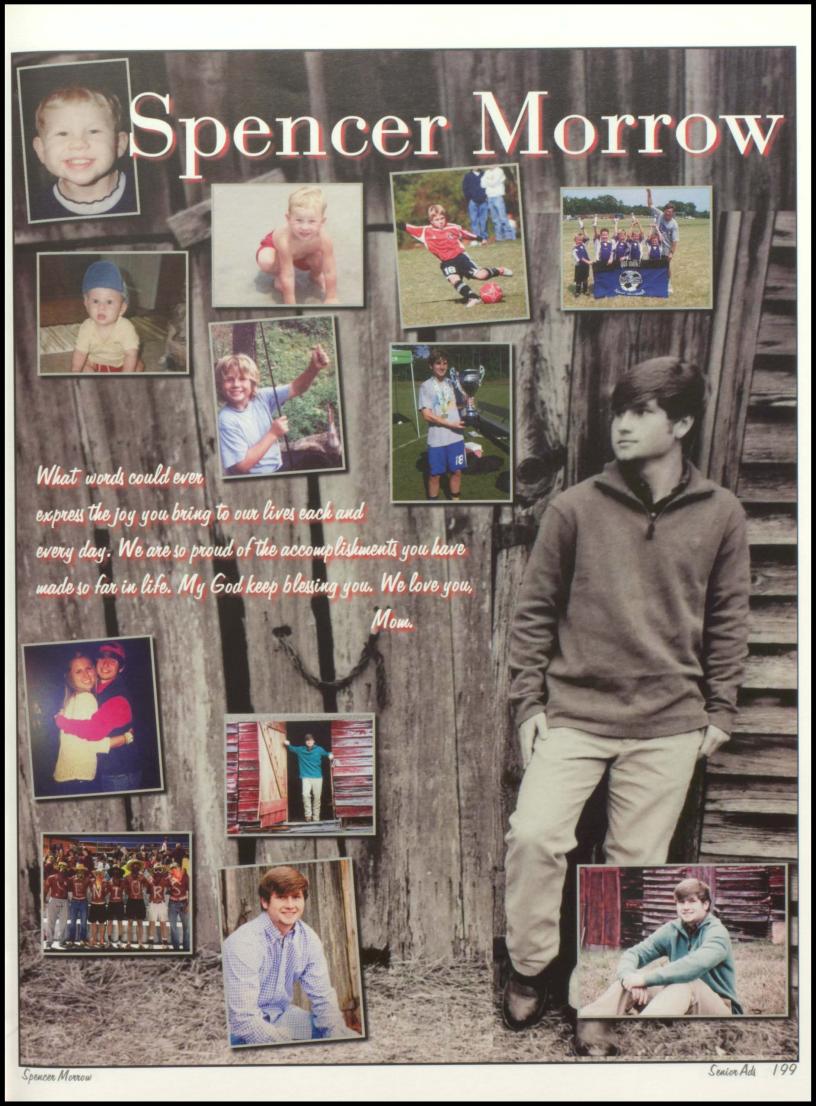


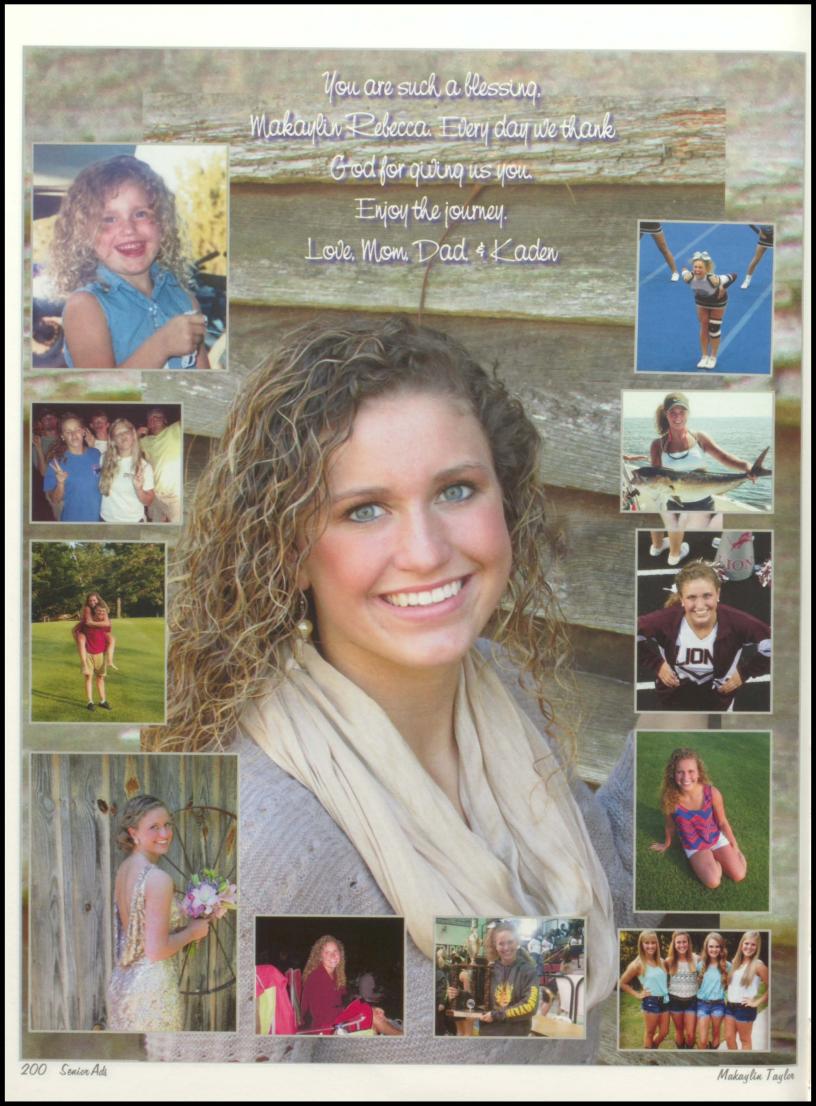
























We are very proud of your accomplishments. Set your goals high and follow your dreams, and remember if you believe it, you can achieve it.

With love, Dad & Lynn















Always keep God first in your life and make all your dreams come true.

9 am so proud of you!

Love. Momma and Abby

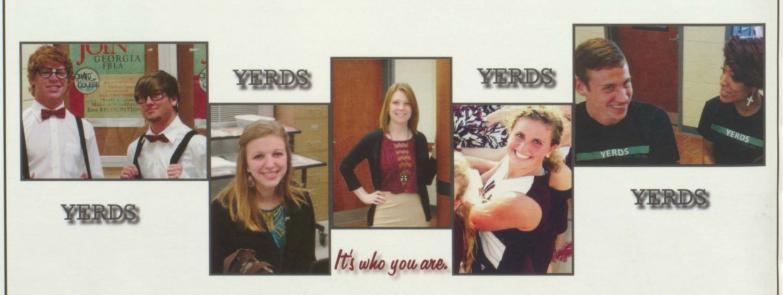
Proverbs 3:5=6





Yearbook Seniors, I'll miss you! Thanks for being awesome. I wish you the best of luck in the future. May you find success and happiness, but always remember that nothing worth having comes easy.

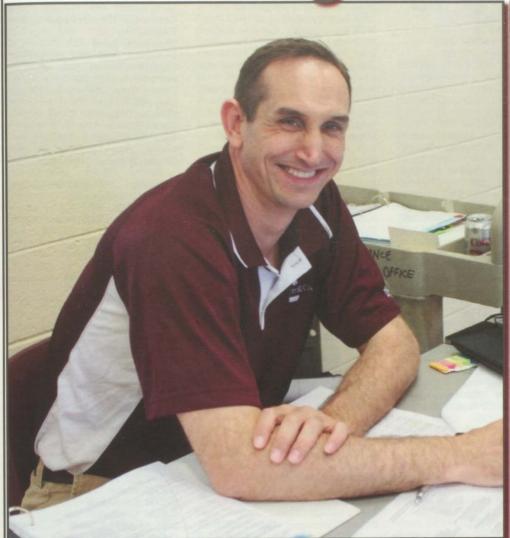
Never forget that you will always be a Central Lion.

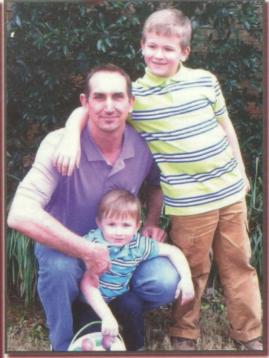


Love you all, Mrs. Smith

Proverbs 3:5-6

In Loving Mem







Business mogul Harold Geenen once stated, "A true leader has to have a genuine open-door policy so that his people are not afraid to approach him for any reason." Mr. Kevin Campbell was known for his open door. He was always ready, willing, and able to assist students with schedule changes, transcripts, or questions about colleges. His friendly demeanor and heartwarming smile affected many students and teachers alike on a daily basis. Traditionally the senior counselor, Mr. Campbell routinely called students in his office to make sure that they were on track for graduation with credits, that they had passed the graduation tests, and that he had the proper spelling of their names for diplomas. Even more than for crossing t's and dotting i's, however, students loved Mr. Campbell because they knew he cared. He took time to follow up with students to see how they were doing and to offer his assistance if they needed it. Students knew his door was always open, and he was ready to help.



Kevin Campbell
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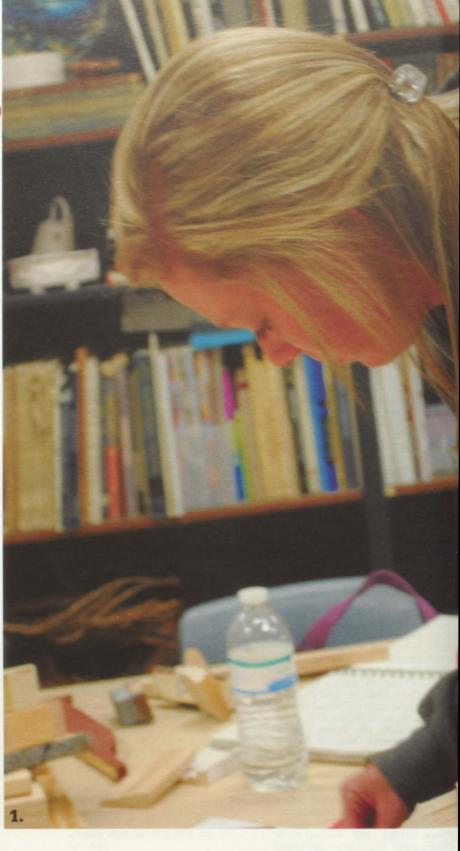
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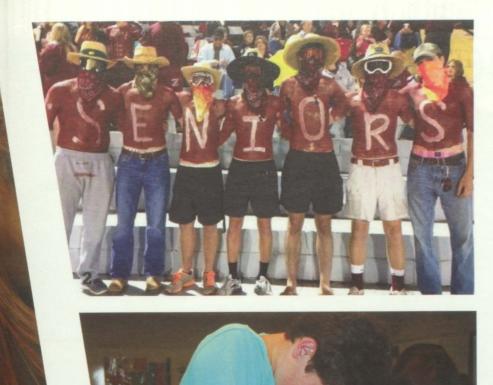
Who Are YOU?

High school. Some would say that it's all about education. Some would say that it's all about extracurriculars. But really, it's about so much more than that. It's about revealing your passions. It's about discovering your hobbies. It's about uncovering the real you. So, who are you? Maybe you're the sports guy, the one everyone turns to for the latest baseball stats. Maybe you're the artsy gal everybody relies on to make the pretty banners and run-through for homecoming week. Maybe you're that brilliant kid, that teenage Einstein everybody clamors for to be their chemistry partner, the sure fire choice for Valedictorian. Who knows? Maybe you're even that class clown that keeps everyone in stitches and makes the day just a little bit brighter. Whoever you are, however you are, you are the best. And do you know why? Because no one pulls off you better than, well, you! Your unique ideas, your strange quirks, your awesome interests-all of these things play a part in creating the amazing individual that you have become and are still becoming each and every day. And it's also what makes us who we are here at Central-a diverse family full of Lion Pride. Be proud of who you are individually. Be proud of who we are collectively. Find your niche. Route your path. And, in the words of Henry David Thoreau...



Go confidently in the direction of your

Live the life you've imagined."









- 1. Art with heart. Art is a source of self-expression and is used as a creative outlet. That doesn't mean that art class is a free grade though. Ms. Landon is known for persistently pushing her students to reach their highest potential in everything from sculptures to sketches.
- 2. Go Pride Go! Cullen Morehead, Chase Detscher, Luke Sims, Spencer Morrow, Chaney Lambert, Wesley Stone, and Chase Seabrook show their Lion Pride by painting up in honor of Senior Night. These proud Lions were some of the football team's biggest supporters. "Painting up and tailgating before Friday night football games is one of my best memories from Senior Year," exclaimed Luke Sims.
- 3. Busy in Boldt's World. Sophomore Timothy Duffey gets to work on a microscope lab in Ms. Boldt's biology class. "Ms. Boldt is one of the coolest, most laid back teachers I've ever had," he says of the seasoned science teacher. "I love listening to her crazy stories."
- 4. Peace on earth and goodwill to men. National Honors Society was more than honored to be able to participate in "Operation Christmas Child," an initiative that sends boxes filled with hygiene items as well as small toys, to children in need during the holiday season. "Not only is it fun to work on this project with your friends," claimed Senior Jamielee Korolovich, "but it also makes you feel good to help those less fortunate than you."
- basketball season was a season to remember for the Lady Lions. The girls had an outstanding run, not only in the regular season, but in the post season as well. "We are really proud of how we played and we're looking forward to taking it even farther next year," stated Junior Hayley Sims, a very important member of both the girls' basketball and softball teams.

Say Cheese



Senior staff members bid a fond farewell to the Leonine Staff. Wesley Stone, Spencer Morrow, Makaylin Taylor, and Sydney North spent three years on staff.

The 2014 yearbook staff consisted of 7 seniors, 4 juniors, 3 sophomores, and Mrs. Smith. Sydney North served as editor-in-chief.



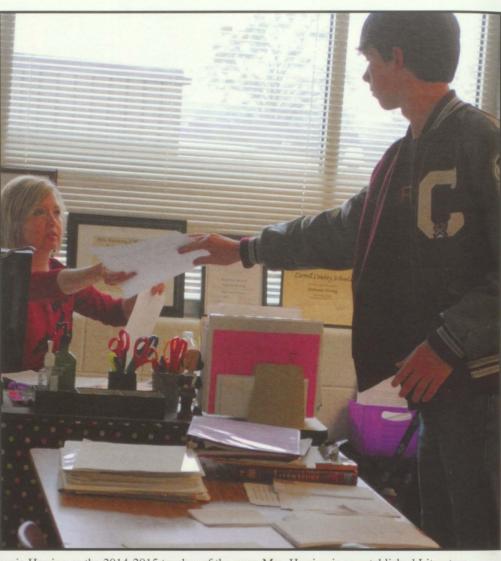
Makaylin Taylor and Hayley Sims were assistant editors. Section editors included Wesley Stone, Spencer Morrow, Anna Schulenburg, Darby Turner, and Jasmine Johnson. Newcomers to the staff, Madison Bennett, Kyle Green, Emily Coffman, Emily Robison, Emily Willett, and Sydney Stone, worked tirelessly on pages for each of the five deadlines from November to March. The Leonine Staff took pictures of school events and students in classes. Being on the yearbook was stressful at times when it came to the deadline of a page, which could not be late. The staff managed to persevere and get the job done. Yearbook taught students how to really bring out their interviewing skills, research skills and creativity, which came in handy when writing body copy and captions on things they didn't know much about! Yearbook sponsor Monica Smith was pleased with the efforts of the staff. She said, "I have enjoyed watching my yearbook students mature over the last few years. I am proud of the yearbooks that they have created, and I definitely have seen growth in the students and in their product." The 2014 Leonine Staff worked as a team to produce the 2014 Leonine. Though the pages were not always perfect, they illustrated the creativity of the staff, and they reflected the theme of 'It' Who We Are.' In creating the pages of the book, the staff discovered that Central High School was a place of unity and diversity, brains and brawn, ups and downs, friends and family.



Teacher of the Year







Central High School was honored to name Mrs. Stephanie Herring as the 2014-2015 teacher of the year. Mrs. Herring is an established Literature teacher at Central who teaches AP Literature to Seniors as well as 11th Grade American Literature. She has won numerous awards throughout her teaching career, including English Teacher of the Year for the state of Georgia. Mrs. Herring is highly respected by both her colleagues and her students. Mrs. Herring's students say that she is "one of the most enthusiastic teachers at Central High School." Tucker Musick says, "her willingness to educate her students is present in her commitment and passion to teaching." She leaves an impact on her students, whether that impact is educational or personal. Mrs. Herring is genuinely adored by every student who walks through her classroom doors.

Stephanie Herring

Leonine Dedication







The Senior Class of 2014 gladly nominated Mrs. Cynthia Beers for the honor of the Leonine Dedication. Mrs. Beers is a revered Science teacher at Central High School, who teaches both AP Environmental Science as well as Honors Chemistry. She is well known by students at Central for her knowledge and passion for her subject. "She is a very challenging teacher, but I always have fun in her class. She has definitely prepared me for college," student Brandy Wilcox. Many students who have had her for both AP Environmental Science as well as Chemistry sing her praises stating, "Over the past two years her passion to advance her students knowledge has been present each day she walks through the doors of Central High School. Her willingness to further her students expansion of education is present in her passion she holds within each student that walks into her life."

Cynthia Beers

The Final Word

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Central High School's annual yearbook, The Leonine: It's Who We Are, Volume 55, was printed by Herff Jones, Inc., Gettysburg plant. This edition was created using 80# matte paper stock with 9x12 inch trim. The cover was Vista Custom Embossed and featured debossing on 1860 VTEX Linen Graphite. It was produced using PMS 7421, Silver 704, and White 706 ink. This book was bound with Smith Sewn Binding. The primary fonts used throughout this production were AHJ Serific and AHJ Alperton.

We sincerely hope you enjoy this edition of The Leonine. Our staff worked tirelessly over each and every detail in order to make Volume 55 of the Central Collection the best yearbook to date. Our goal every year is to create a book that preserves the year's greatest memories and moments. In completing this arduous task, we often called upon many important individuals to help us achieve our end goal. The Yearbook Staff would like to extend our gratitude towards the Central High School Administrative and Teaching Staffs as a whole for their continued support of the Leonine. We would also like to specifically thank Mrs. Linda Morris and Mrs. Sandy Duffey for their numerous contributions, ranging from pictures to design ideas, in the book. The 2014 Central High School Yearbook Staff is honored to have been a part of such an important production and we hope that, in the future, it helps to remind you of who you were and who you always will be-a proud Central Lion. After all...

