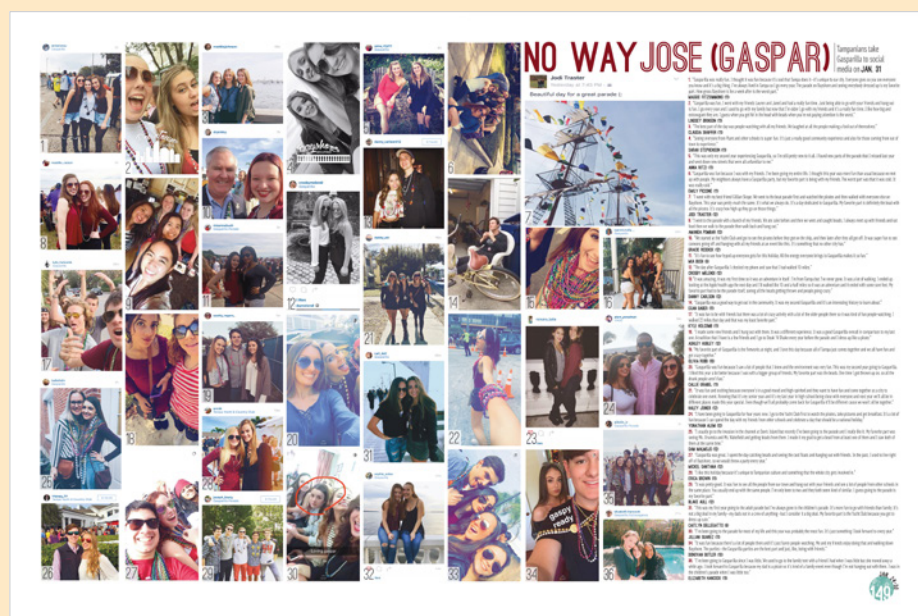


# Using the Index to *IMPROVE*

*Analyzing the previous year's coverage is key to including more of your student body.*





RAMPAGES  
CASA ROBLE HS  
ORANGEVALE, CA

Rampages' theme was "You Can Learn a Lot in 180 Days" with coverage by weeks. Their all-coverage device (ACD) included seven quotes across the bottom of each spread answering the question, "What did you learn today?" Entries are dated and days are numbered, so the ACD not only chronicles the year, but also directly relates to the theme. Sometimes there are multiple entries for one day such as the example shown here.



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# DON'T SWEATER IT

words by Paige Garvey and Alexa Scuggins

It took a lot to pull off the Winter Ball Dance with all the little details adding up to a successful event.

## A LOT/A LITTLE

**A LOT OF**

**A lot of promotion.** The students in Student Government motivated students to go to Winter Ball. Announcements were made on CRCN and flyers were passed out to Casa students spreading the word.

**A LOT OF**

**A lot of root beer floats.** Sophomores Trevor Roberts and Emily Connor made and handed out root beer floats to the thirsty dancers. Seniors Corbin Bailey and Patrick Povey stole one of the ten bottles of root beer for themselves.

**A LOT OF**

**A lot of strobe lights.** Student Government set up two strobe lights in the entry of the small gym the afternoon before the dance. DJ Circle brought his own set of strobe and black lights along with various fog machines.

**A LITTLE BIT OF**

**A little bit of dancing.** Most of the students watched as juniors Adonis Huston and Naum Josan danced to "Venus" by Lady Gaga. Huston and Josan requested the song to try and encourage other students to dance.

**A LITTLE BIT OF**

**A little bit of glow sticks.** Junior Amber Coggins jumped rope using a long strand of connected, colorful glow sticks provided by Student Government. Teachers handed out glow sticks as the students walked into the small gym.

**A LITTLE BIT OF**

**A little bit of students.** Despite the amount of promotion by the Student Government class, the attendance for the dance was lower. A total of about 30 students, many from Student Government, came to the dance.

### IT TAKES A LOT TO...

plan an Art Club competition. A lot went into setting up the "Winter Seasons" Art Club contest.

**2 people**

Co-presidents Kelly Klomp and Nicholas Starrett get together to plan a meeting to discuss their upcoming art competitions. They collect project ideas from the members and Mrs. Judy Butler.

**2 weeks of prep**

Art members gather two weeks before the competition takes place to vote on their monthly submission topic. This gives them two weeks to create their art project.

**13 members**

On the day of the competition, the 13 members of Art Club took a vote for their favorite submission and created ornaments to go with the meeting's Christmas theme.

**1 winner**

Klomp won the "Winter Seasons" Art Club competition with her drawing. After this was announced, everyone enjoyed desserts to celebrate the upcoming break.

**DAY 76** 12/7/15  
"I learned that if you are shocked by electricity, it travels straight through the heart."  
- Denis Zakharichy, 10

**DAY 77** 12/8/15  
"I learned how to melt lead onto two pieces of metal to hold them together in woodshop."  
- April Oliver, 11

**DAY 78** 12/9/15  
"I learned how to find the length of an arc or part of a circle in Calculus class today."  
- Hunter Quinn, 12

**DAY 78** 12/9/15  
"I discovered that senior project wasn't as hard as I expected."  
- Hannah Kester, 12

**DAY 79** 12/10/15  
"I found out my brother Matthew Johnson looks very good in the color burgundy."  
- Jack Johnson, 9

**DAY 80** 12/11/15  
"Today I learned that Beyoncé is 5 feet and 6 inches tall without heels on."  
- Halle Robertson, 10

**DAY 80** 12/11/15  
"I learned that I like turtles better than any other animal that can be found on planet earth."  
- Joseph Dean, 11

**WINTERBALL ART CLUB AFJROTC 69**



GOLDEN IMAGES  
CHAPARRAL HS  
PARKER, CO

Running across the top of spreads, the ACD in Chaparral HS in Parker, CO includes eight student quotes. Their theme was “It Doesn’t Have to Make Sense to be Perfect” and organization was chronological by week. Each spread asks a different question that relates to both the theme and the spread contents. For example, this is a summer spread and the question asks, “What’s the perfect thing to do during summer?” Other questions took the opposite approach such as, “What doesn’t make sense about the new bell schedule?” on a spread about the beginning of the year.

098

summer vacation  
Holmes verdict, Big Gig

I always go shopping. You need to get new clothes for school. **SR. JOEY REED**

Go on a road trip. **FR. ADAM WRIGHT**

I have huge parties with my friends, which are always a lot of fun. **JR. ANNABELLA REYNA**

It's good to get your homework done and hang out with your family while you can. **SOPH. JACOB KREY**

It's always fun to try and take a trip somewhere new, even if it's only an hour away. **JR. EMMA GUERRA**

Doing one thing that all of you and your friends want to do before going back to school. **SR. BRENDEN REILLY**

Get a lot of sleep and go to a few summer concerts. **JR. MAGNOLIA MACHADO**

I like to go and play football or do some kind of physical activity. **SOPH. PHILIP GREEN**

06/01  
07/31

099

what's the perfect thing to do during summer?

99 problems BUT A BEACH AIN'T 1

06/18

Jumping into the Mediterranean Sea. **SOPHS. KENDALL ROSSING** and **CAMI PETERSON** spend their summer vacation in Europe. The two were part of a student group that spent two weeks in various cities in Italy and Greece where they took tours of the city and experienced the culture there. photo courtesy of cami peterson.

07/09

While at yearbook camp at CU Boulder, **SR. BRANDON CHOI** winces as the dice he stacked fall to the ground. He had a popsicle stick in his mouth and was balancing dice on top of it so photographers could practice their photo taking skills during the Photo Olympics. Other activities tested different aspects of photography, like water balloons, flying a kite and toilet paper wrap. "My favorite part of yearbook camp was seeing the hypnotist make everyone dance frantically," said Choi. photo by J. bulawa.

07/04

Celebrating the Fourth of July, **JRS. GRACE NOLTE** and **MOLLY ESE** honor America by lighting sparklers and fireworks. "My friends and I went in the middle of this huge field and watched these huge fireworks for almost two hours. It was amazing," Nolte said. photo courtesy of grace nolte.

SAIL into BIG GIG

JR. KATIE CHRISMAN TALKS ABOUT A COLORADO MUSIC TRADITION

Every year, the alternative-rock radio station Channel 93.3 puts on a concert called "Big Gig." On July 11, 2015, the 8th annual Big Gig was put on and there was a handful of bands that performed: AWOLNATION, Nate Ruess, Banks, New Politics, Atlas Genius, Saint Motel, and more. **JR. KATIE CHRISMAN** attended this year and said, "I had an amazing time at Big Gig this year! I went with my friend **JR. MADI REDMAN**. My favorite bands that we saw were New Politics, Nate Ruess, and Andrew McMahon and the Wilderness. I've been really wanting to see New Politics for a few years.

They were really cool because they would crowd surf while they played. I decided to go this year because one of my friends had an extra ticket so I was able to go and I'm so glad I could. I had so much fun being surrounded by good music and people to enjoy it with. I would definitely recommend it to anyone who hasn't gone."

photo courtesy of katie chrisman

07/20

Walking in the streets of San Juan, **SR. JULIA HOFFMAN** gets swarmed by pigeons. Hoffman travelled to Puerto Rico with **JR. STEPHEN LANGLEY**, and the two stayed there for three weeks. Hoffman said, "It was so wonderful to experience the different lifestyle and culture that Puerto Rico has to offer. It also made me appreciate the life I live here in Colorado and helped me gain a better global understanding." photo courtesy of julia hoffman.

07/10

A top the Great Wall of China, **JR. LAUREN OTT** displays the Colorado flag. Lauren and her friend **JR. KYLIE BUCHEN**, were in China as exchange students. This was Lauren's second time as an exchange student in China and Kylie's, first time as a part of the program. photo courtesy of kylie buchen.

08/04

Gasping for air, **FR. JOEY ULRICH** swims the breaststroke down his lane in a pool. Ulrich swam for the United States in a competition in Hawaii against swimmers from all around the world. He got eleventh place in the western zone and qualified for a sectional meet. photo courtesy of abby ulrich.

07/09

At yearbook camp, **SR. JOSH BULAWA** (who is hypnotized) cries after another person got to dance with the hypnotist, and he didn't. Josh was also hypnotized to believe he was a barbie collector, and even danced like Barbie. photo by m. brockman.

and the VERDICT is...

In 2012, after the Aurora theater shooting, James Holmes was arrested and taken into custody. It wasn't until July of 2015 that his trial finally reached a conclusion. Holmes was sentenced to life in prison with no parole. The jury was divided with the verdict, with half pleading for the death penalty. Many people have differing opinions about Holmes's final verdict.

"I'M NOT IN CHARGE OF OTHER PEOPLE'S FATE, so as a jury member I don't think I would make the decision to end someone else's life, no matter their crime." **SR. EMILY POOK**.

"IF IT IS ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY, I think the death penalty is okay. In the James Holmes case, he is too dangerous to stay living and he will only take up space in a jail cell. He will never feel remorse for what he has done." **JR. ADDIE CLAY**.



CARILLON  
BELLARMINE COLLEGE  
PREPARATORY  
SAN JOSE, CA

Profiles can be used to add content to people pages like this example from Bellarmine College Preparatory in San Jose, CA. This half spread features profiles on two sets of twins, so four students are included. For added variety, one set is covered in a more traditional story, while the other is covered with brief comparisons of their favorites.

# DOUBLE TROUBLE

Declan Bernal '19 and his twin brother, Aiden Bernal '19 succeeded in sports with superior communication and familiarity with one another.

written by ben beiers  
designed by hetesh sehgal



**C**OMMUNICATION is vitally important in many sports. Because of this, Declan and Aiden Bernal '19 had an advantage in the sports they played together. They had such great chemistry that they teamed up to play Frisbee and tennis. "We usually have much better chemistry than other people, which really helps us in competition. We each know what

the other is going to do, and we know each other's play styles extremely well," Aiden said. This is crucial in doubles, as both members need to be in sync and communicating well. "We don't usually make mistakes having to do with communication that so many others do," Declan said. Playing sports brought the brothers closer together and improved their communication even more.

# SUPER BRANDIS BROS.

Nicholas and Jacob Brandis '19 were not identical, but had much in common.

**HEIGHT:**  
5 feet 6 inches

**FAVORITE READING MATERIAL:**  
Comic Books

**FAVORITE RESTAURANT:**  
In-N-Out Burger

**FAVORITE TV SHOW:**  
Arrow

**FAVORITE SUBJECT:**  
Science

**HEIGHT:**  
5 feet 4 inches

**FAVORITE READING MATERIAL:**  
Comic Books

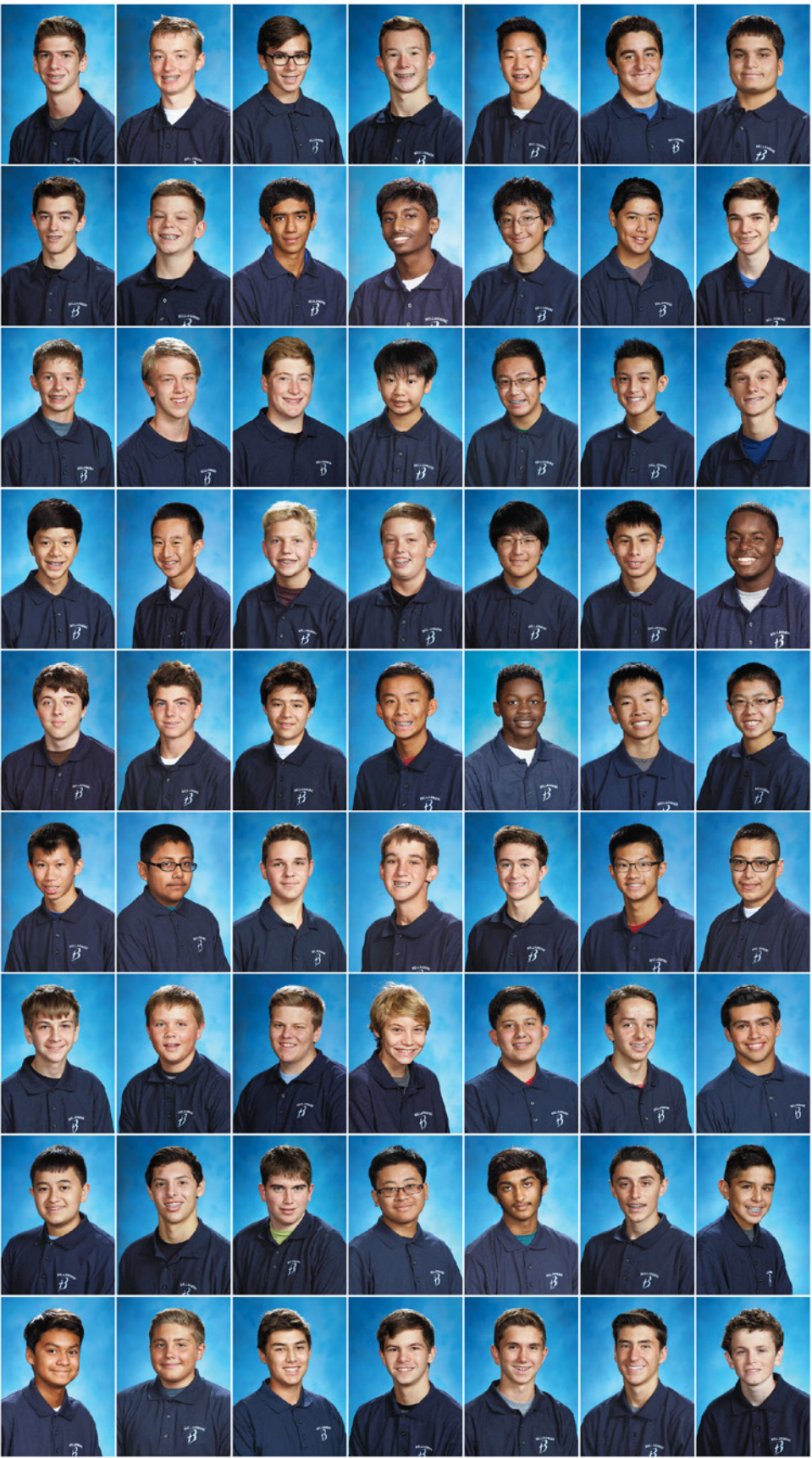
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In-N-Out Burger

**FAVORITE TV SHOW:**  
Arrow

**FAVORITE SUBJECT:**  
English



NICHOLAS BRANDIS '19 JACOB BRANDIS '19



Isaac Katcher  
Cian Keeney  
Cameron Kelly  
Logan Kightly  
Daniel Kim  
Dominick Kirk  
Rahul Kiss

Spencer Knapp  
Preston Knickerbocker  
Varun Kolli  
Ruthvik Konda  
Zachary Konda  
Ethan Kone  
Jack Kovaleski

David Kress  
Kiran Kruse  
Hayden Laccabue  
Matthias Lai  
Allen Lam  
Nathan Lam  
Stefan Larsen

Joseph Le  
Ryan Le  
Kyle Lebeck  
Andrew Lee  
Dongchan Lee  
Joshua Lee  
Keanu Lee

Mason Leece  
Jack Leiker  
Sean Lennon  
Colin Leung  
Noah Lewis  
Timmy Lin  
Isaac Liu

Nathan Liu  
Daniel Lopez Blas  
Maxwell Lovett  
Jay Lozano  
Dante Lucchesi  
Nathan Lue  
Erik Luna

Andrew Lutsky  
Henry Lyon  
James M'Guinness  
Christopher Maamari  
Sean MacFerran  
Ronan MacRunnels  
Nicholas Maes

Giancarlo Magarelli  
Anthony Magri  
Ethan Mancini  
Leonardo Mangalindan  
Gautama Manja  
Joseph Marenin  
Luis-Guillermo Marquez

Daniel Martinez  
Connor Maselli  
Pablo Matan  
Jack Matson  
Antonio Matusich  
Gianluca Mavica  
Rory McCarthy



ASH-Á-WÛT

SAN GABRIEL, CA

no HS in San Gabriel, CA

from the spring sports season.

environmental shots, making

profile is brief, highlighting three

accomplishments with a quote from

each athlete.





DAEDALUS  
NORTHEASTERN HS  
MANCHESTER, PA

When planning mods, think beyond quote collections with mug shots where students simply offer opinions or answer questions. This lower right mod from Northeastern HS in Manchester, PA includes three students with quotes, but the focus is on the costs of different uniforms. In addition to more students in the book, the mod also adds interesting information.

getting ready for the  
**NEW YEAR**  
First Priority hosts a breakfast for the faculty and staff

**WHAT:** a breakfast of bagels, muffins, donuts, and fruit  
**WHERE:** library  
**WHEN:** 7:30 a.m. August 19, the day before school started  
**WHY:** "We really just wanted to show our appreciation for the faculty."  
-Jordan Sanderson, 12



*being marcus*  
**STRONG**

Brett Hersh, 12, held Marcus Strong Day as part of his senior project to help raise money for Marcus Josey, 12.

Brett Hersh knew he didn't want to do an ordinary senior project; he wanted to do something that would make a difference. For him that was Marcus Strong Day.

On May 10, teammate Marcus Josey was diagnosed with Acute Lymphoma Leukemia. "I decided to do this for my project because I wanted to raise money for Marcus specifically," Hersh said.

Starting in May planning took three months and included getting sponsors, putting up fliers, and making t-shirts. Hersh also outlined the timing of the day's events.

When July 26 finally arrived, Hersh was optimistic and emotional. The event

turned out to be a success as 250-300 people showed up at Cly Park to participate in activities such as basketball, kickball, and carnival games.

Ever since 7th grade when teachers sat them beside each other, the two had been best friends. "Out of all my friends, he probably took the most time out of his day to visit me while going through this, so once he told me he was dedicating his senior project to me it meant a lot," Josey said.

Hersh raised \$2,500 for Josey and his family. "My family is going through a struggle financially because of me, so him raising money for us was so special," Josey said.

copy by B. Eisenhart

**1. WIDE SMILES.** Brett Hersh, 12, and Marcus Josey, 12, pose for a picture alongside York Revolution's mascot, Downtown. "I had to email and go to businesses for sponsorships," Hersh said. To do so, Hersh put fliers and brochures throughout small businesses in Manchester. **2. SLAM DUNK.** During a game of pickup basketball Brandon Coleman, 11, dunks while his friends watch. "Marcus is my friend and teammate, so I wanted to come and support him," Coleman said. Four members of the basketball team came to support Josey. **3. HANG TIME.** Greeting the rim, Jeffrey Reynolds, 12, dunks while playing basketball. "I thought it was a really nice gesture by Brett to help Marcus out," he said. Basketball was Reynolds's favorite game at the event. **4. TRUE FRIEND.** While wearing the t-shirt Hersh designed, Josey dribbles down court. "Brett doing this for me just solidified that this kid really cares about me," Josey said. They have been friends since middle school. **5. TAKE A SHOT.** In competition with another participant, Hersh plays arcade basketball. "Overall, I felt really good about it," Hersh said. Other activities included cornhole, washers, a dj, and raffles. *photos courtesy of C. Riddle*



*expensive*  
**THREADS**  
Marching Band, Varsity Football, and Boys Soccer purchase new uniforms



**\$27,000** > **\$15,000** > **\$6,300**

"The other ones were really old and we needed to get new ones. I really like the hats." - Christian Roque, 12  
*photo by B. Eisenhart*

"I like them a lot. They feel more put together and make me hype for this season." - Jonathan Butler, 11  
*photo courtesy of J. Kain*

"The jerseys last year were just black or just white. I like having our soccer logo on the new ones." - Hayden Seifert, 11  
*photo by S. Edwards*

**6** >>> summer

Just one **MORE** thing... Reynolds dunked the ball five times during Marcus Strong Day.

**marcus strong day** >>> **7**  
summer experiences, first priority, new uniforms

**experiences**  
**MORE**  
students learn by doing over the summer

*photo courtesy of B. Foster*  
Bri Foster, 10, attended Baton Nationals in North Carolina. "I didn't cry or get emotional; I was just very happy," Foster said. Foster's team competed against 76 teams and ended up winning.

*photo courtesy of M. Mills*  
Mitchell Mills, 11, hiked the Poconos Black Trail with his Boy Scout Troop. "The atmosphere was very friendly; everyone was encouraging each other to not give up," Mills said. It took them six days to hike forty miles.

*photo courtesy of R. Shindler*  
Ryan Shindler, 11, took multiple fishing trips. "If I had a choice I don't think I'd ever leave the water," Shindler said. During his 24 hour fishing trip, he caught a 7 foot Mako shark and Mahi Mahi dolphin.



**JUNIORS**  
**CUPSTACKING**  
"Cupstacking was very entertaining because I was able to put all of our effort into doing it and we had the entire crowd cheering," Ty Grossmen '17 said.



**SENIORS**  
**CRAB WALK**  
"I enjoyed the crab walk because I had my friends to do with me and I was able to go all out my senior year," Sam Kullib '16 said.

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**SENIORS**  
**NUGGET**  
"Eating is a  
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rewarded for  
Vasquez '16

**HEATING**  
always fun,  
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it," Ellis  
G said.

**JUNIOR SHARK**  
“On such days as today, I like to take it all in a way that makes me feel like I was born to win.”  
—Lee ‘17

**...A BIT MY CUP**  
On a hot day  
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**MARK BOB**  
Everybody does crazy things at one point in their high school life, and I had fun. It's really all that matters. Alexis Hernandez '17, with Greg '17, said.

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sent my class,"  
Todd '16 said.



**CATCH THE BAIT**  
It was cool to see the competition between the upperclassmen and the school spirit shown during this game," Molly Phibbs 17 said.

**STUFF THE WHALE**  
"My friends and I participated in the event and it was just an all around fun time to spend with everyone," Kayla Binford '17 said.

**SENIORS**  
**DODGE THE V**  
"It wasn't fun, but helping to victory for the was a lot of fun Jacob Morris."

**WAVE**  
to get  
on me,  
get the  
seniors  
in,"  
16 said.



**SOPHOMORE CLASS PYLON**  
 "The class is challenging. The challenge is to balance our academics with the girls' soccer. At the same time, it's challenging to be a sophomore. Tori Morales is a sophomore." data-bbox="200 100 350 250"/>

While playing Dodge the Wave at the Class Games, Brooke Bradshaw '17 celebrates her team win. The Junior team came in second place in this contest. "This was the first Class Games I've ever participated in. I didn't like it due to the fact that people were running towards me and dumping water all over me instead of the cup, but it was a lot of fun and everyone should experience a Class Games sometime in their high school career," Bradshaw said. *photo by kiana graham*

Unlike previous Class Games, this year's Homecoming theme, Shark Week, was incorporated into the different competitions. Though there was still the traditional tug-of-war and pyramid building between classes, new games such as Cup Stacking and Catch the Bait were included. The students like Eric Gregory '17 found the new events more interactive while competing to show who was top shark.

While in the past, each Class Game had a select few students participating for their class, a new, never before seen game, Sharks and Minos was played where the entire student body was able to participate. This game included every class to rush down to the football field to be chased by Student Government. The Student Government members were sharks and the student body was minos.

"WITH BEING ON A SPLIT SCHEDULE, WE DON'T REALLY GET TO SEE EACH OTHER. SHARKS AND MINOS WAS A GREAT EXPERIENCE FOR EVERYONE BECAUSE WE WERE ABLE TO COME TOGETHER AS A WHOLE SCHOOL AND HAVE A FRIENDLY COMPETITION," ISABELLE REICHOW '19 SAID.

Even though the seniors won the most competitions, by the end, the Class Games had captured the Homecoming theme within the games and brought the school together with one tradition that didn't stop because of the current split schedule.

**WITH THEIR HANDS IN THE AIR** Tavia Vies and Cherrille Martin '16 cheer in the front row with their senior class behind them watching the Class Games. "We wanted the seniors to show the underclassmen that Homecoming week is the best part of the school year. We wanted the seniors to be crazy and cheer for the senior class," Vies said. "We attempted to plan a list out to show that the seniors ruled the school, and we had tons of fun doing it." *photo by Greg Munn*

**TRYING TO KEEP HIS INTEREST** Gabe Griffin '16 represents his class while playing Fish Stop. The game was very simple to play, except with important consequences. Griffin had to sit in an instructor's chair and watch the students from the announcer's booth. "It was important to be involved and represent my class," Griffin said. *photo by Greg Munn*

**RUNNING AROUND THE FIELD** Cody Smith '16 moves away from Student Government members during a Sharks and Minos game. "Playing Sharks and Minos and participating in Class Games was fun. Considering I'm a senior, I wouldn't miss it for the world," Smith said. *photo by Greg Munn*

ANCIENT  
WITH THE  
BULLDOG,  
Serena Torrez  
'18 found  
herself getting  
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roaring with  
applause  
while having  
a dance battle  
with the  
school mascot  
during Class  
Games. With  
extra time  
during the  
Class Games,  
Student  
Government  
had Torrez  
battle the  
bullying in  
a dance  
competition  
as DJ Burke  
Edgar, Art  
teacher,  
played music  
from the  
announcer's  
booth. "I've  
never done  
something like  
this in front  
of the whole  
school. At first  
it was a little  
embarrassing,  
but it was  
really fun,  
and I think I won  
the battle,"  
Torrez said.

**AT DUSK STUDENTS GATHERED** at the Vikan Middle School dirt lot to for the traditional bonfire. The band started off the festivities by performing some songs while the POMS and Cheerleaders moved along beside them.

After Principal John Biner spoke about how the football team was going to do great at the Homecoming Football game, the bonfire was lit. Then, a DJ began to play music for students to dance to around the bonfire like Mariah Escarsega '17 who even did a needle in front of the fire.

"I think school spirit is what makes high school so much more fun and exciting, so I attended the bonfire," Escarsega said. "I wanted a unique picture to remember my first bonfire so I did a needle."

Other students participated in taking selfies with friends so they could keep memories from the bonfire as well.

"It's nice to be part of the school and be involved in school spirit. It's a good experience and it's something I'll always look back on," Jaylene Chavez '18 said.


  
 Mariah Escosage doing a needle in front of the bonfire. Dwyane Williams '15, Dylan Velasco '16, and Zachary Gémalofo '16 pose after performing with the band. Jaylene Chavez '18 takes a selfie with her friends. *photos by greg rasnes*

WITH A FEW EXTRA MINUTES LEFT DURING THE CLASS GAMES, STUDENT GOVERNMENT DECIDED TO HAVE A DANCE CONTEST BETWEEN THE HIGH SCHOOL STAFF AND MEMBERS OF THE POMS TEAM. WITH BURKE EDGAR, ART TEACHER, SERVING AS DJ, HE BEGAN TO PLAY SOME MUSIC AND STAFF MEMBERS SUCH AS TED HALBERT, ENGLISH TEACHER, BEGAN TO STRUT THEIR DANCE MOVES. PRINCIPAL JOHN BINER SERVED AS JUDGE. "MY MAIN FOCUS DURING THIS DANCE OFF WAS TO SHOW STUDENTS THAT TEACHERS CAN HAVE FUN AS WELL. IT WAS NICE TO SEE US ALL COME OUT AND BE PART OF THE ASSEMBLY WITH THE STUDENTS AND HAVE SOME FUN. HOPEFULLY, THIS IS A NEW TRADITION THAT WE HAVE STARTED," HALBERT SAID.



TAMPA, FL

Think about taking advantage of students' obsession with social media, selfies and Instagram. This whole spread from H.B. Plant HS in Tampa, FL comes from students contributing content. The spread contains 36 photos, some with multiple students. But it's not just a spread of student photos. It's coverage on a major festival that takes place in Tampa every January, so it not only covers more students, but covers the community as well.

