

Arkansas Governor's School

2004

Yearbook & Directory



Celebrating Twenty-Five Years of Excellence

AGS DIRECTOR

This summer we celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Arkansas Governor's School. AGS has grown and changed, but the basic idea remains: bring together talented, bright, energetic people to form a community in which learning, creating, and critical thinking are valued for their own sakes as well as for the ways in which they foster leadership. It was a visionary idea twenty-five years ago, one propelled by hope. Today, that hope is woven into a tradition-the idea has been transformed into an institution. We celebrate the transformation.

You are here this summer because of your achievements, and you have reason to be proud. It is also true that you got here with the support of your families, teachers, communities, and fellow Arkansans-you have reason to be grateful. Remember, too, that whatever your achievements, there is always more to learn, more to create, more to think about, more to do-you have reason to be humble.

We applaud you for making new friends, for thinking hard, for listening well, creating sincerely, and looking forward hopefully. Whatever your path, we wish you great happiness and success. We look forward to hearing great things.

Chris Campolo
Director



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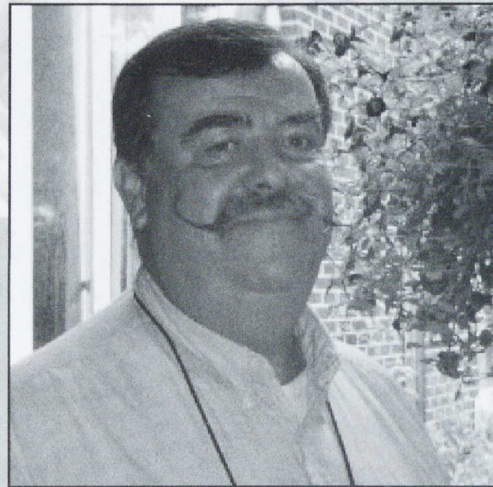
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Area I

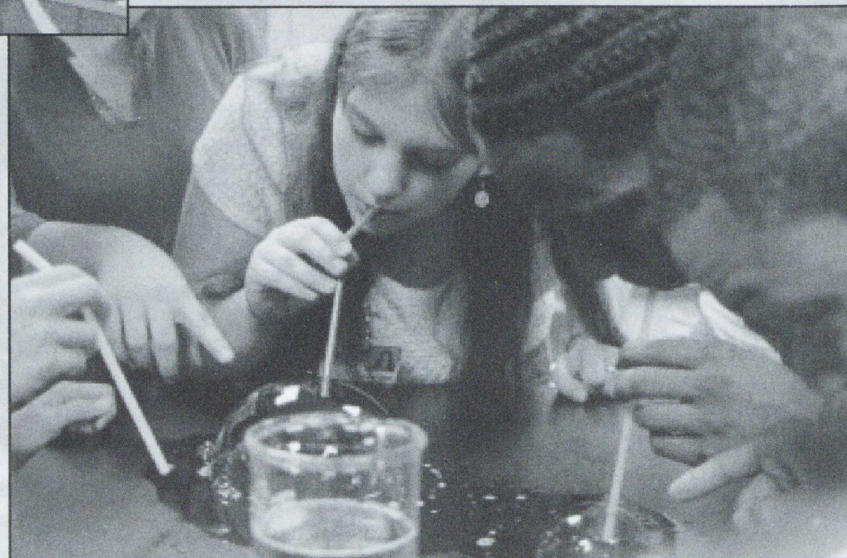
ACADEMIA & THE ARTS

Area I embraces instruction in the performing arts of choral music, drama, instrumental music and visual arts, and course work in the academic disciplines of English/language arts, natural science, mathematics, and social science.

Emphasis in Area I is placed on participatory learning experiences which prepare students to enter and understand the critical systems that undergird the various fields of study. To this end, students examine new, challenging, and often controversial theories, techniques, and works—all designed to challenge them to develop a critical stance based on careful scrutiny of ideas and developments within their areas of interest. Don Baker is the Area I Coordinator and Jon Arms is the Area I Arts Liaison



JON ARMS
ARTS LIAISON

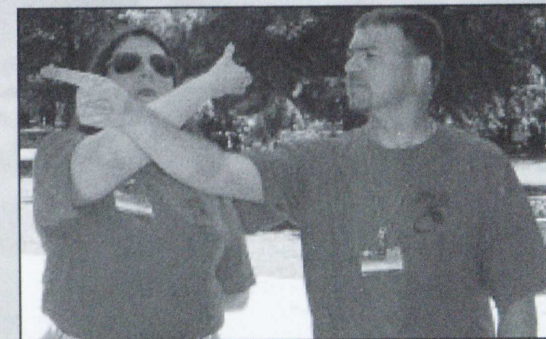
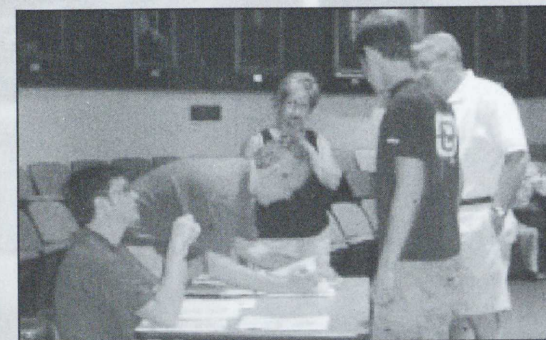


CHORAL Music

PAUL & STEFANIE DICKINSON



(L to R) Row 1: Angelica Mercado, Angel Johnson, Paige Tucker, Charla Moore, Christine Westbrook, Autumn McGaugh, Jenny Temple, Brian Broussard. Row 2: Nakia Handy, Afton Ennis (withdrawn), Ace Gangoso, Diana Brown, Kayla Ibarra, Ashley Ascher, Allison Chilcote. Row 3: Stefanie Dickinson (instructor), Shanui Rudd, Jack Cleghorn, Erin Browning, Cord Baxter, Lauren Holland, Paul Dickinson (instructor), Holliss Proffitt.

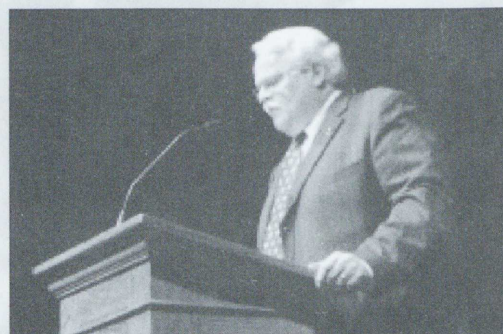
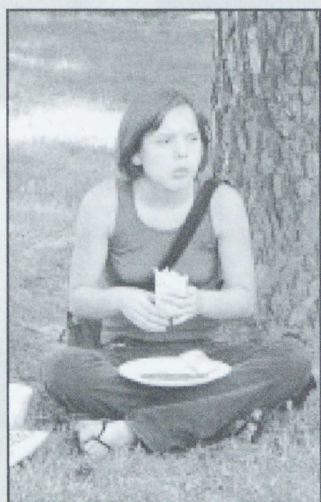


DRAMATIC ARTS

BOBBY ENGELER-YOUNG



(L to R) Row 1: Mary Gephardt. Row 2: Crosby Dunn, Amanda Mills, Kathleen McMurray, Grace Harnish, Chaka Cumberbatch, Bobby Engeler-Young (instructor). Row 3: Ben Gibson, Josh Black, Megan Davari, Hannah Phillips, Ivey Kelly, Randall Johnston, Angela Ellington, Keesha Bass, Heather Appleby, Rae Portwine, Sarah Johnson. Row 4: Jacob Oliver, Lauren Jacobs, Trace Thurman, Mary Nolan, A.B. Montoya, Brandon Straw, Mary Kate Wiles, Candice Grimes, Chelsea Clay.

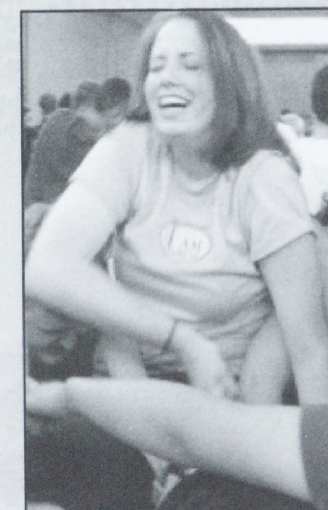


INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC

RICK DIMOND & TOM McDONALD



(L to R) Row 1: Pernell Maxwell, Will Darr, Kendall Fricks, Sean Sweeden (withdrawn), Rick Dimond (instructor). Row 2: Amber Douglas, Tom McDonald (instructor), Ashley DeMass, Alicia Liddell, Noel Leo'n, Marc Lipscomb, BoRam Birdsill, Tasha Grant.

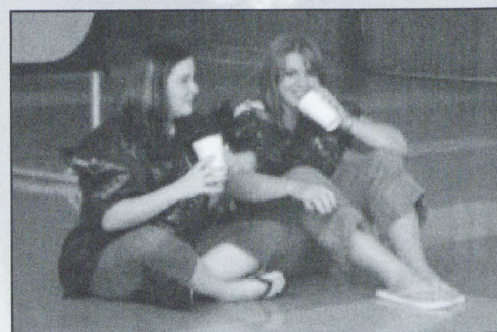
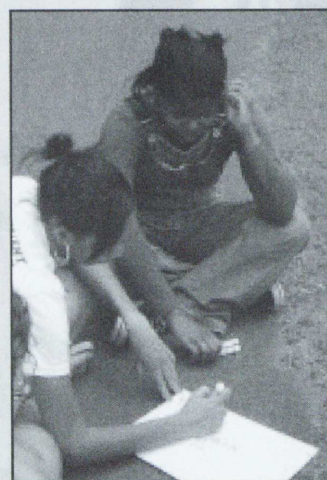
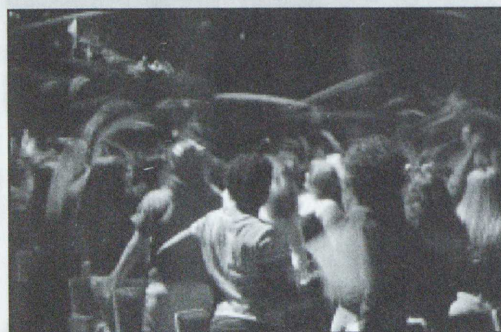


INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC

GERRY GIBSON



(L to R) Row 1: Casey Gambill, Crystal Ross, Kirby Turner, Ashley Butler, Katherine Seidl, Gerry Gibson (instructor). Row 2: Jason Smoller, Ambre Cato, Brian Johnson, Emily Benson, Josh Morris, Bryant Watson.

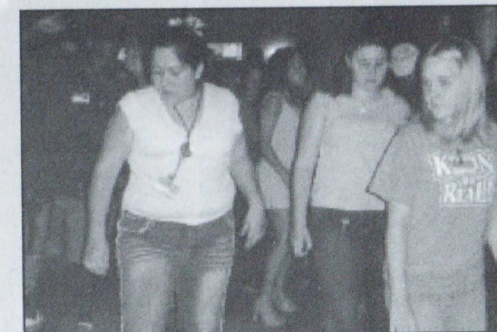
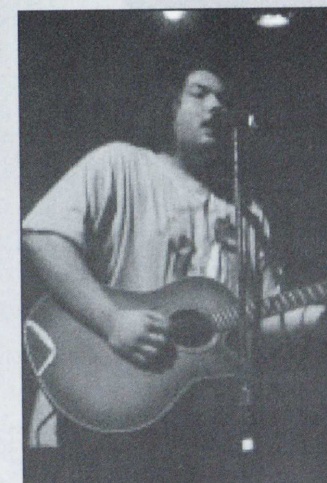
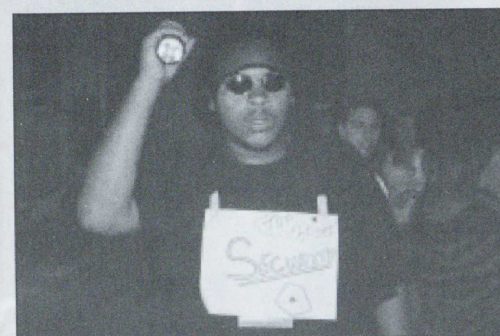


INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC

DENIS WINTER



(L to R) Row 1: Brittany Cooper, Christy Wilson, Angela Guajardo, Nancy Long, Matthew Golden, Denis Winter (instructor). Row 2: Will Nash, Tristan Wilkerson, Ben Bradley, Travante Gordon, Collin Trovillion, Perry Johnson, Andrew Stinson.

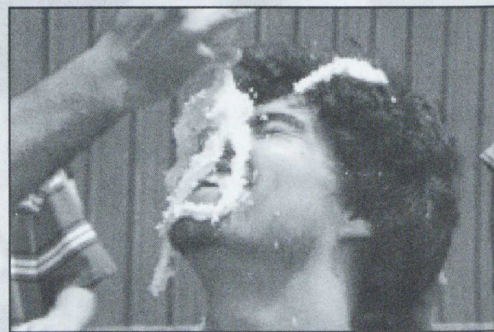
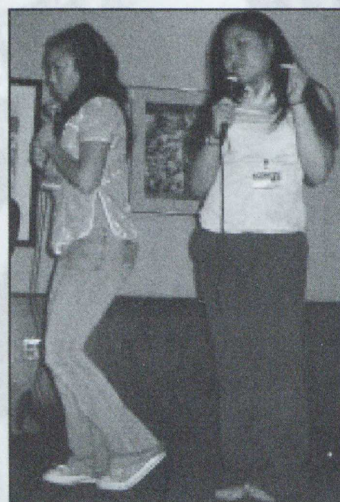
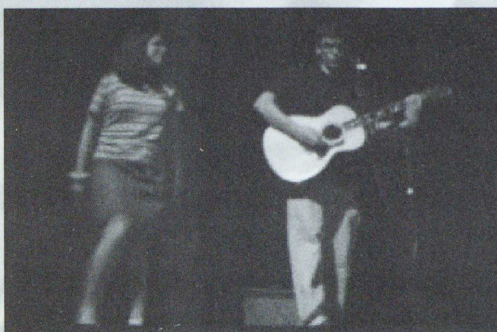


LANGUAGE ARTS

GERSHUN AVILEZ



(L to R) Row 1: Stuart Leiby, Melissa Keck, David Steece, Thomas French, Melissa Bourgoïn, GerShun Avilez (instructor). Row 2: Jeremy Morgan, Alex Simpson, Sydney Butler, Jai Scott, Holly Fisher, Dane Whicker, Sam Hutchens. Row 3: Mary Kate Crumpler, Megan Heald, Kyia Hamilton, Jack Meazle, Mark Traffanstedt, Randa Wolfe, Jordan Downey.

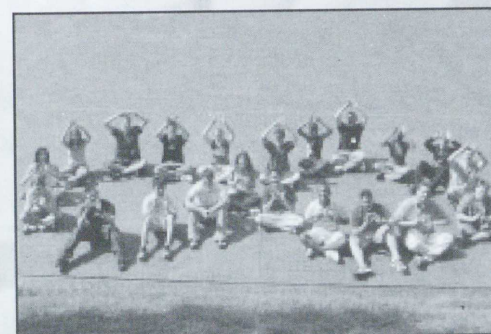


LANGUAGE ARTS

SEAN CHAPMAN



(L to R) Row 1: Hannah Dunham, Cheryl Silveri, Marta Flores, Holly Kirby, Elizabeth Spradley. Row 2: Sean Chapman (instructor), Chondria Baker, Jacob Craig, Jonathan Vogler, Meagan Abner, Savannah Schwitters, Erik Guzmán, Meredith Malony. Row 3: Chris Dendy, Heather Stroud, Tabitha Blanks, Katie Butler, PJ Jordan, Andrew Mobbs, Cody Wilson.

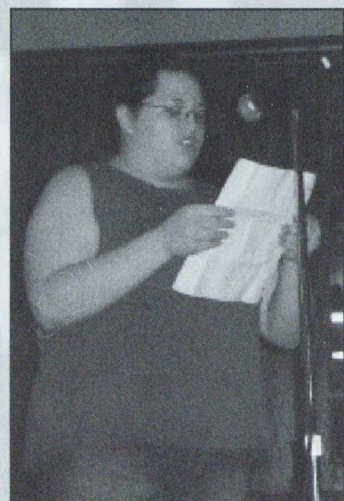


LANGUAGE ARTS

JAMES KATOWICH



(L to R) Row 1: Chris Drangle, Sarita Perez, AJ Johnson, Brooke Cary, Bruce Neel, Marjorie Taylor, Anna McKenzie. Row 2: Song Fox, Veronica Valdizon, John Beaton, Katie Brown, Greer Culbertson, Sara Mullally, Harry Hogue. Row 3: Robert Haynes, Shamus Ridgell, James Katowich (instructor), Jann Soriano, Nic Odekirk, James Grimes.

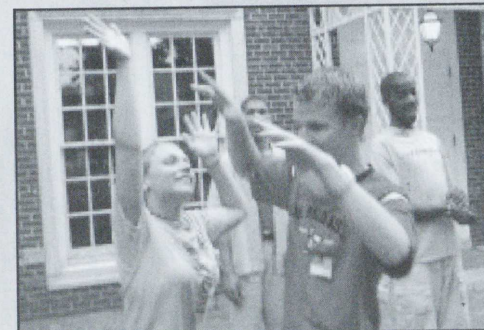


LANGUAGE ARTS

SANDY LONGHORN



(L to R) Row 1: Jessica Standley, Juliet Morgan, Ashlyn Shellito, Carolyn Donald-Alston, Britney Brown, Audrey Kelley. Row 2: Brian Dailey, Dana Dutcher, Robin Wright, Ashley Haskins, Megan Trammell (withdrawn), Rob Adelman, Sandy Longhorn (instructor). Row 3: Casey Padgett, Clark Grant, Rory Chambers, Jeff Baker, Jay Murphy, Benjamin Nissen.

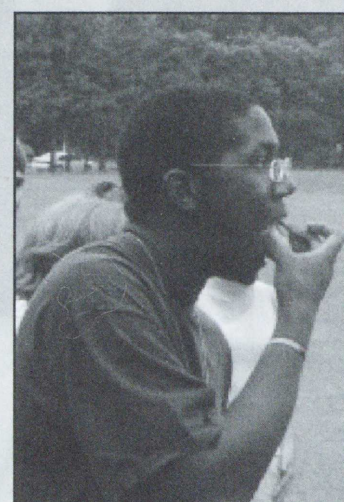
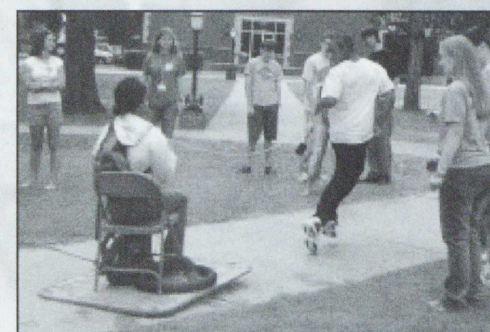


MATHEMATICS

ROBERT AUSTIN

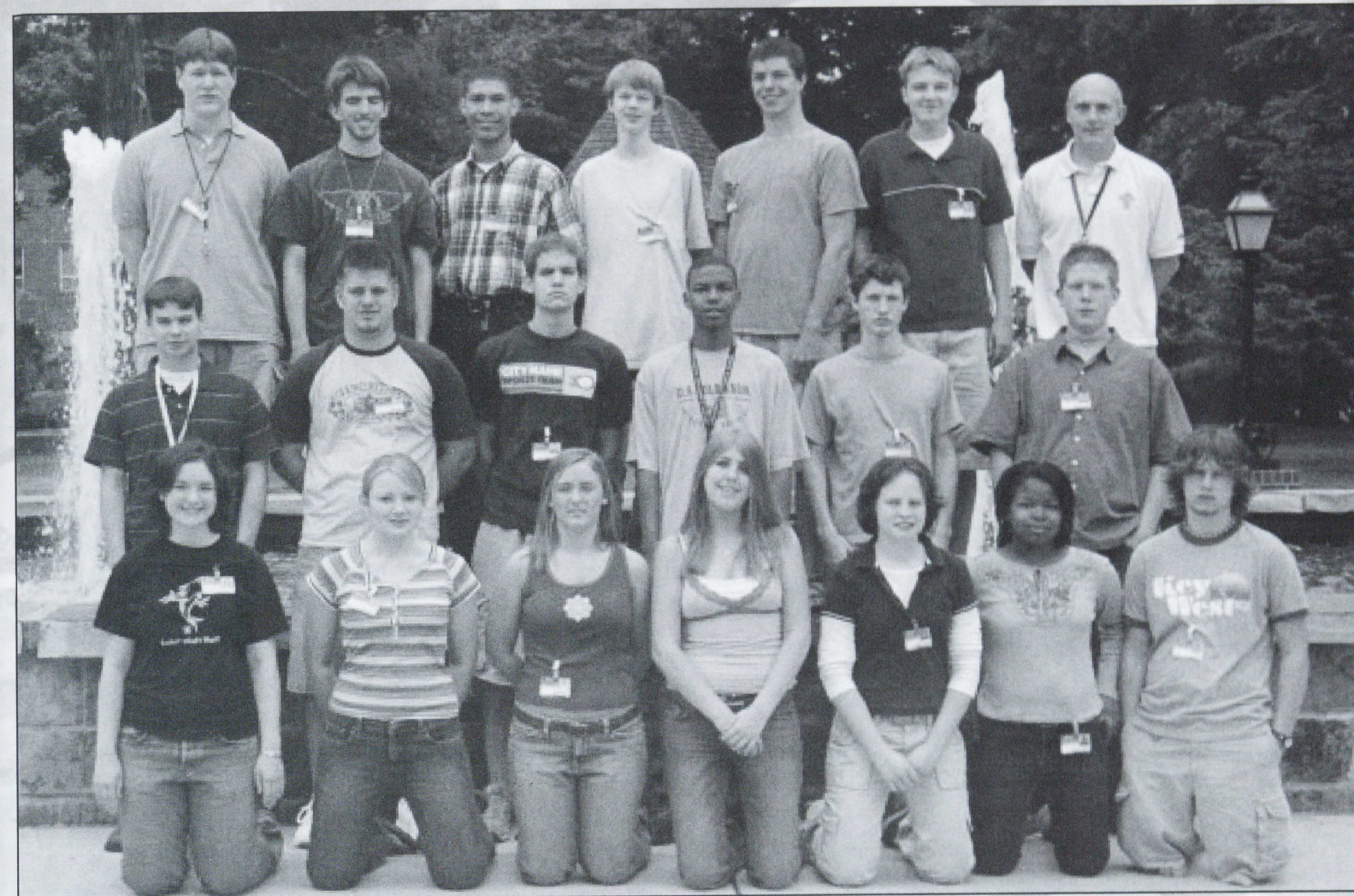


(L to R) Row 1: Robert Austin (instructor), James McKinney, Chris Echols, Sara Ash, Morgan LaPorte, Alex Topich. Row 2: Varell Hawkins, Lacey Gebhart, Michael Ward, Ashley Thomas, Celeste Much, Megan Cobb, Ashley Brown. Row 3: Adam Jacobs, Justin Selby, Ben Owens, James Tidwell, Teng Yang, Mark Gentry, Matt Wilson, Tory Jones.

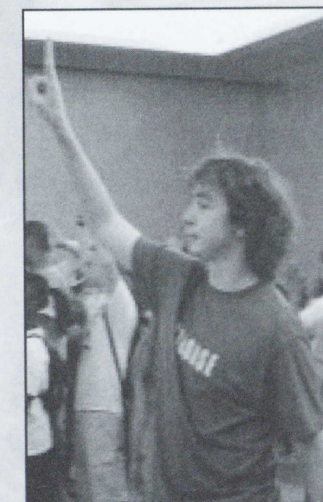


MATHEMATICS

STACY KEY



(L to R) Row 1: Kristen Wetzler, Brooke Dutton, Sarah Bridges, Lauren Karney, Stephanie Clark, Tenesha Graydon, Matt Scott. Row 2: Aaron Johnson, Trey Skaggs, Bennett Ponder, Justin Luckadue, William Patton, Jimmy Thomas. Row 3: Chad Bell, Chris Stewart, Keenan Williams, Spike Snell, Ben Kennedy, Ryan Patrick, Stacy Key (instructor).

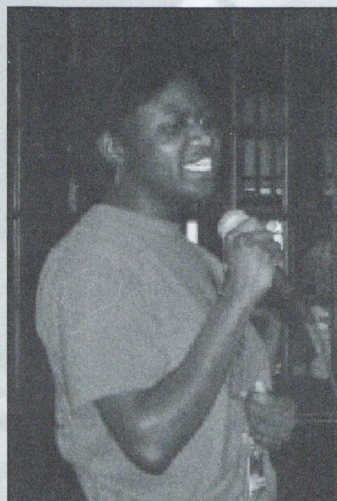
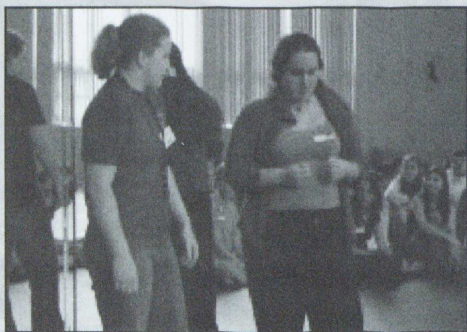


MATHEMATICS

PRESTON SLAUGHTER



(L to R) Row 1: Amos Skidmore, Jim Gao, Alan McCray, Albert Im, Matt Naglak, Preston Slaughter (instructor). Row 2: James Gasaway, Mikita Jews, Cassandra Carter, Beth Bascue, Rachael Thompson, Brandon Gerdes, Melanie Henderson. Row 3: Johnson Wong, Stefan Mueller, Taylor Sorrows, James Talley, Josh Watson, Mallory Shy, Schawanda Daugherty, Ross Mayer.

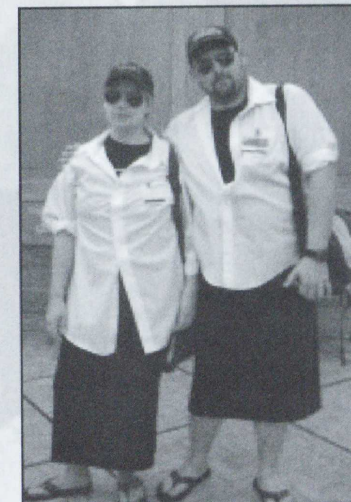


NATURAL SCIENCE

DWIGHT DAUGHERTY



(L to R) Row 1: Kim Mason, Amber Williams, Joseph Scott, Angela Moore, Paola Romero, Amy Warren. Row 2: Stephen Anderson, Jacob Hawkins, Tara Crites, Andi Blankmeyer, Erika Oliver, Kimi Brown (withdrawn), Samuel Steadman. Row 3: Dwight Daugherty (instructor), Amelia Gillespie, Marci Raney, Thomas Young, Jason Hogan, Eddie Eigenbrodt.

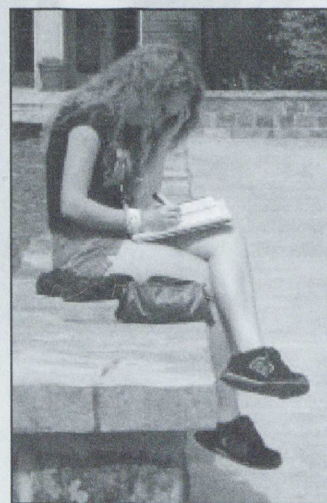
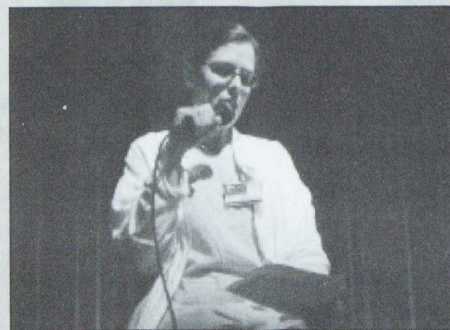


NATURAL SCIENCE

TERRY JOHNSON



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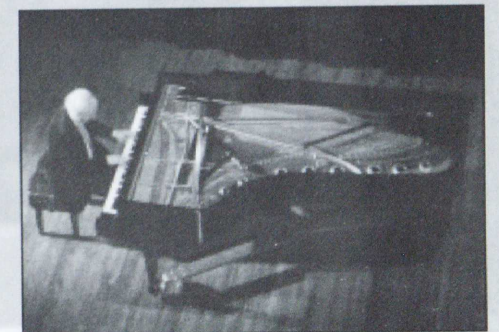
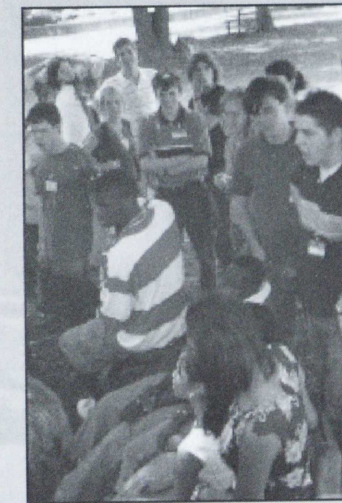
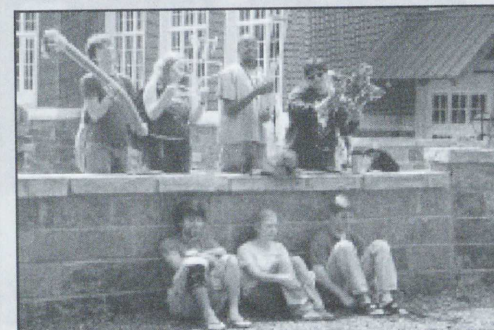


NATURAL SCIENCE

JAMES NJENGERE



(L to R) Row 1: Jessica Perry, Caitlin Reid, Teryin Wixson, Falesha Graydon, Allison Scalia, Cashen Arrington. Row 2: James Njengere (instructor), Adam Britt, Isabel Farrell, Joy Collins, Natalie Sigsby, Nicole Nichols, Jennifer Davis. Row 3: Ellis McVoy, Sam Kreimeyer, Jeremy Lusk, Ricky Anderson, Brittany James, Cory Vaughn, Cody Henslee.

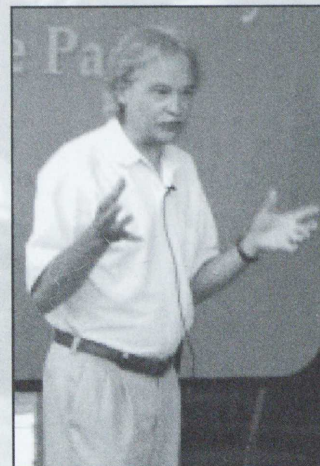
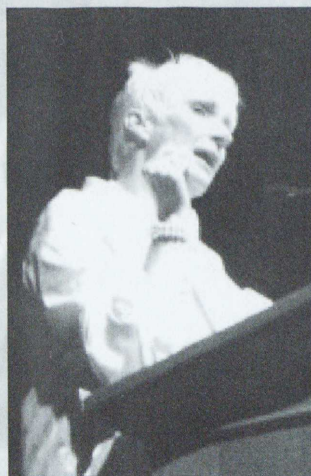


NATURAL SCIENCE

JASON WILES



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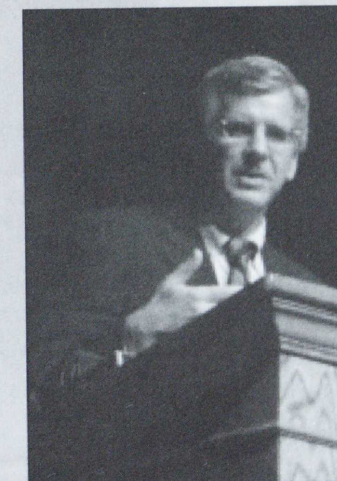


SOCIAL SCIENCE

DON BAKER



(L to R) Row 1: Mackenzie Smith, Kristen Raney, Meredith Moore, Deborah Cavener, Ashly Gunn. Row 2: Amanda Jones, Shari Ervin, Savahanna Riley, Anna Maris, Jonathan Welk, Mandy Broyles (withdrawn). Row 3: Auna Hearne, Chris Swaty, Dave Sawyer, Greg Parris, Adam Flemming, Billy Watson, Ikemba Balogu, Tom Gerard.

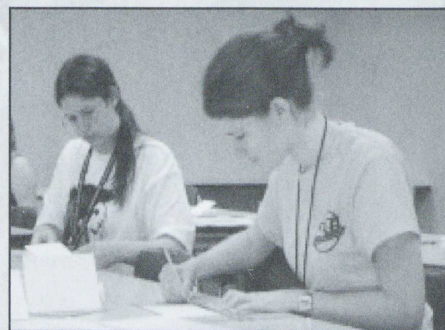


SOCIAL SCIENCE

DAN GREENBERG



(L to R) Row 1: Rachel Wright, Diana Taylor, Sarah Novak, Shaunna Reed, Leslie Fisher, Hattie Martin. Row 2: Dan Greenberg (instructor), Kerri Gatliff, Natalie Greene, Will Deaton, Matt Higgins, Elizabeth Jones. Row 3: Jordan Roman, Elissa Erwin, Katy Phillips, Jong Shin, Ashley Fortner, Jason Arthur, Jacob Sperry.

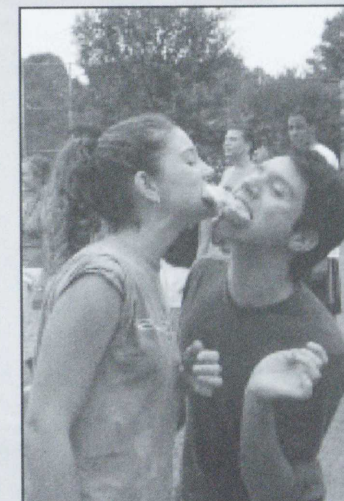
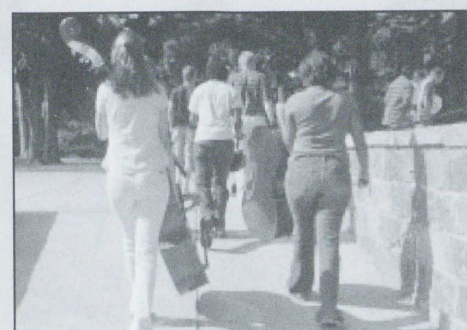


SOCIAL SCIENCE

RAPHAEL LEWIS



(L to R) Row 1: Angela Tracy, Kyler York, Kasey Garrison, Ryan Stovall, Andrea Sajak, Amanda Price. Row 2: Raphael Lewis (instructor), Hallie Shoffner, Natasha Reed, Ashley Carney, Erin Finney, Zac Harmon, Bridget Meleney. Row 3: Sam Hinson, Drew Aylesworth, Lawrence Watts, Walter Lang, Alex O'Keefe, Cody Glover.

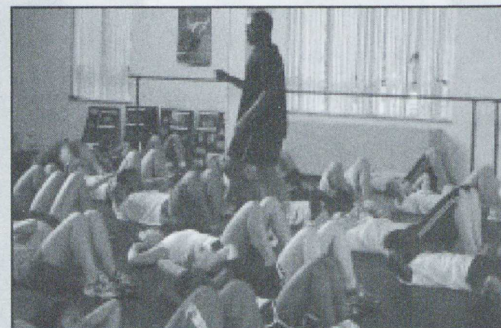
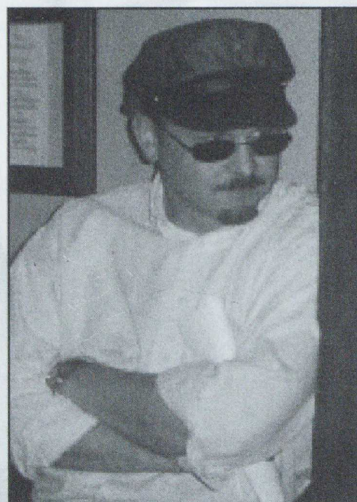


SOCIAL SCIENCE

MIRANDA MORRIS



(L to R) Row 1: Kyra Adway, Beth Ibrahim, Becca Zimmerman, Jessica Rice. Row 2: Chad Sardashti, Krista Messer, Camille Hart, Miranda Morris (instructor). Row 3: Grant Page, Jason Lyon, Louis Chacon. Row 4: Anthony Simmons, Sarah Williams, Merritt Watson, Evan Carver. Row 5: Daniel Pullen, David Vaught. Row 6: Alex DePriest, Duane Swartzell (withdrawn), Cody Gilbert.



VISUAL ARTS

CAREY VOSS



(L to R) Row 1: Laura Lawon, Courtney Tucker, Kara Foster, Karina Aguilar, Alex Emmons, Kimberly Allen, Elly Denny, Dana Nguyen, Sara Morshedi. Row 2: Kayce Johnson, Elenore Vena, Ben Pleiss, Jessi Perren, Cailey Tolson, Haley Hamilton, Alison Murphy, Amanda Rhea, Laura Short, Carey Voss (instructor). Row 3: Amber Johnson, Sarah Rhodes, Lauren Crymes, Christine Faubel, Aeisha Smith, Ashly Eaton, Collette McCray, Jonathan Gray.



Area II

GENERAL CONCEPTUAL DEVELOPMENT

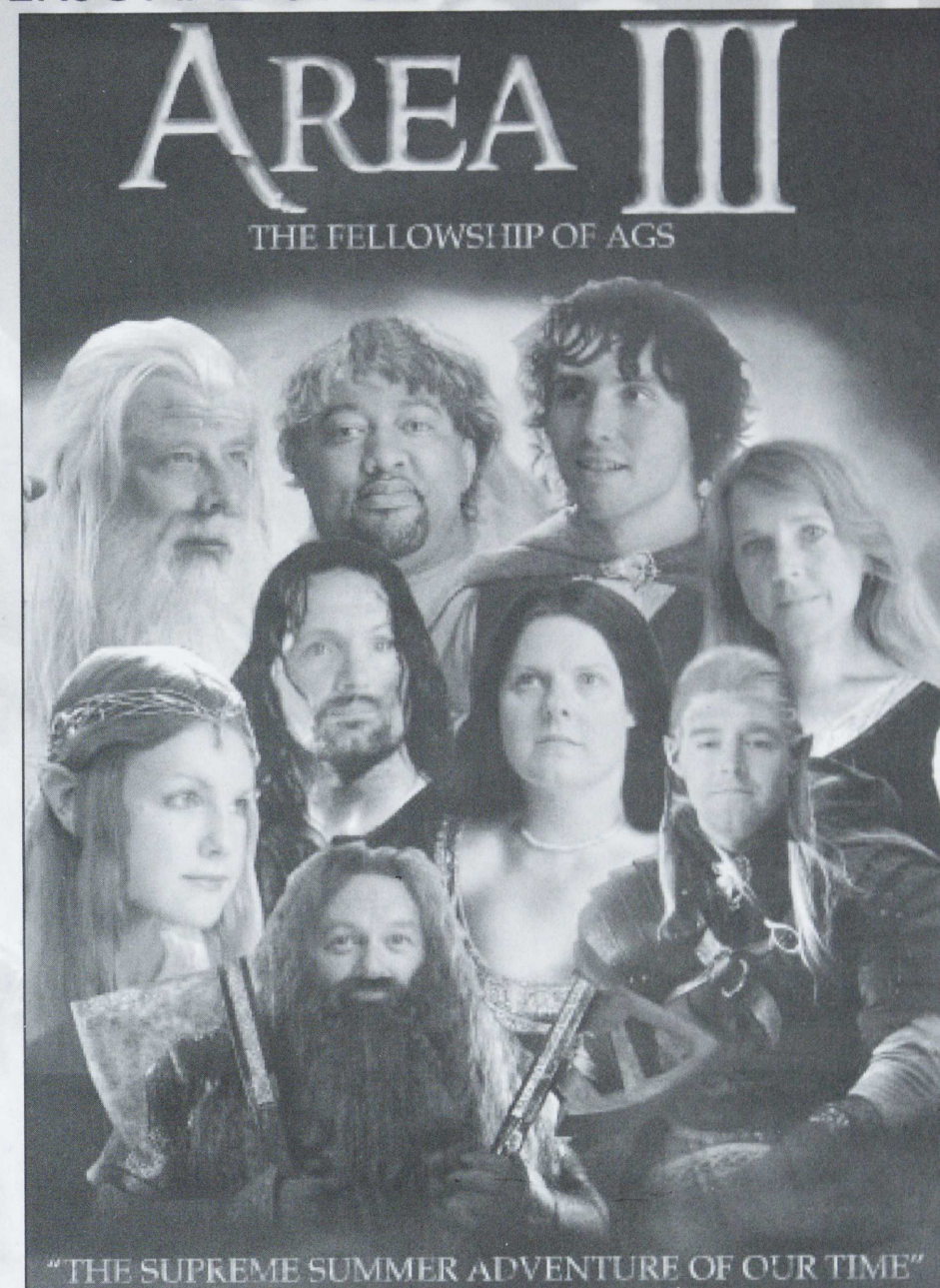


Row 1: John Abromeit, Michael Simeone, Mojo the Area II Helper Monkey, Andy Kelso, Chuck West. Row 2: Mark Elrod, John Walchak, Phillip Spivey, Steve Smith, Sarah Robins.

The Area II curriculum is designed to enhance conceptual development. Students are encouraged to learn more about how knowledge is acquired (epistemology), and to understand the various ways of knowing in different disciplines. In striving to increase their ability to analyze diverse perspectives on current normative issues, students gain a new appreciation for their implications. Classroom discussion then leads students to progress toward deeper levels of intellectual reflection, which enhances their ability to become better thinkers. Mark Elrod is the Area II Coordinator.

Area III

PERSONAL & SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT



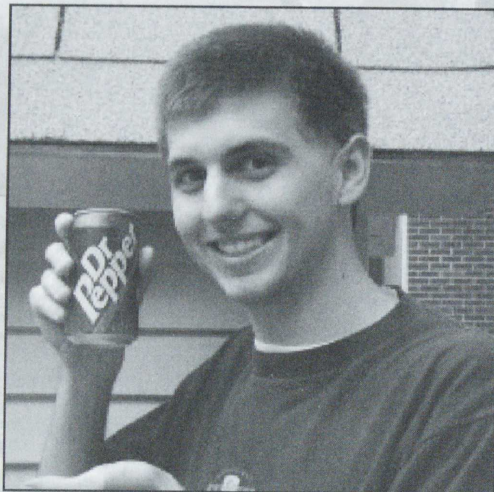
Starring: Phillip Melton, Rob Bryant, Whitney Bauman, Debbie Wahl, April Gentry-Sutterfield, John Shirron, Melinda Beith, Chad Terrell, Fred Boosey

Area III is designed to foster the personal and social development necessary for the students to benefit fully from their Area I and Area II classes and the comprehensive cultural and social events of the AGS program. The Area III curriculum provides an opportunity for the students to see the importance of taking personal responsibility for one's own ideas and for one's participation in a democratic society. Area III provides students a forum for activity exploring civic responsibility; it seeks to inspire a student's understanding of his or her own personal potential and to impress upon the student the value of character, leadership, integrity, insight, and compassion, not only within their own communities, but also in a society at large. Within this framework students explore curricular issues such as theories of intelligence, conflict and stress management, psychological and personality theory, goal setting, and community service. Phillip Melton is the Area III Coordinator.

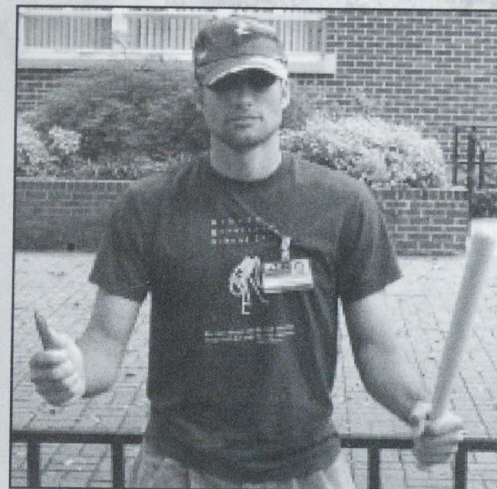
OFFICE STAFF



PHILIP ADAMS
OFFICE MANAGER



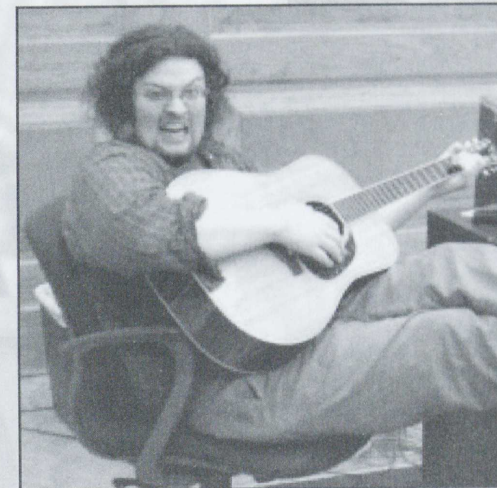
WESLEY BEAL
ACTIVITIES DIRECTOR



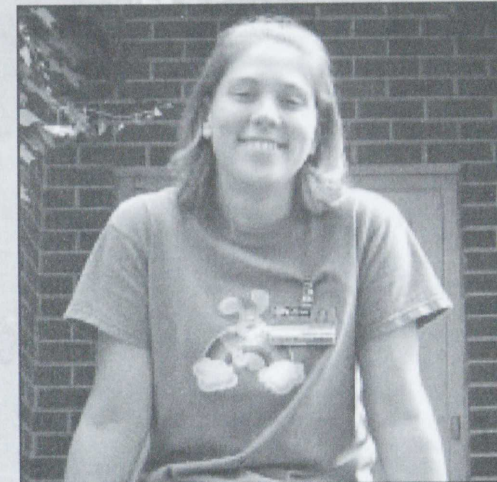
CHRISTOPHER SIMEONE
RECREATION DIRECTOR



SPENCER SUTTERFIELD
OFFICE/COMPUTER LAB ASSISTANT



MATT FULLER
OFFICE/COMPUTER LAB ASSISTANT



WHITNEY HOGUE
OFFICE/COMPUTER LAB ASSISTANT



STACI MILLER
MEDIA SPECIALIST



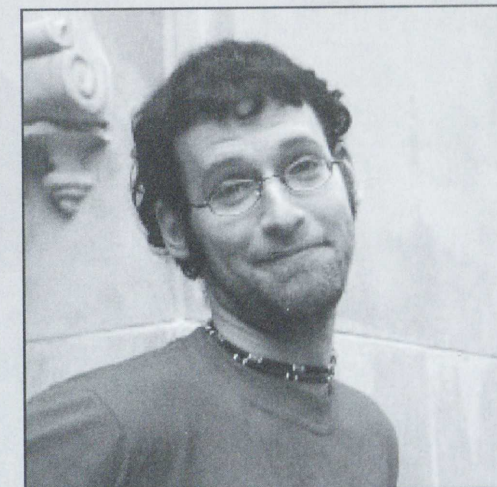
ASHLEY MCKELVY
PUBLIC LIAISON



DANA FALCONBERRY
AUDIO/VISUAL SPECIALIST



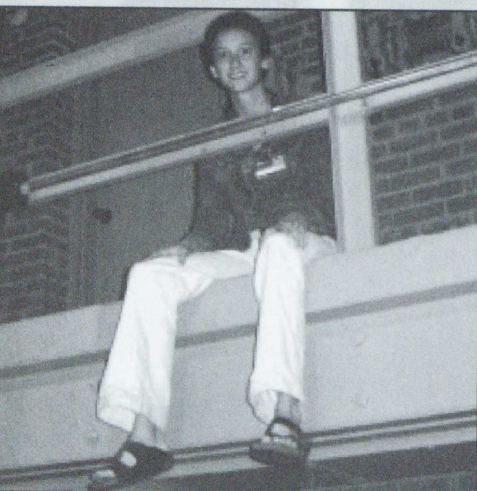
ASHLEY PELLETIER
OFFICE/COMPUTER LAB ASSISTANT



JONNY DOVER
LIFEGUARD/OFFICE ASSISTANT



NANCY COCKMAN
ADMINISTRATIVE MANAGER



LENA BURKETT
AUDIO/VISUAL SPECIALIST

RESIDENCE HALL STAFF



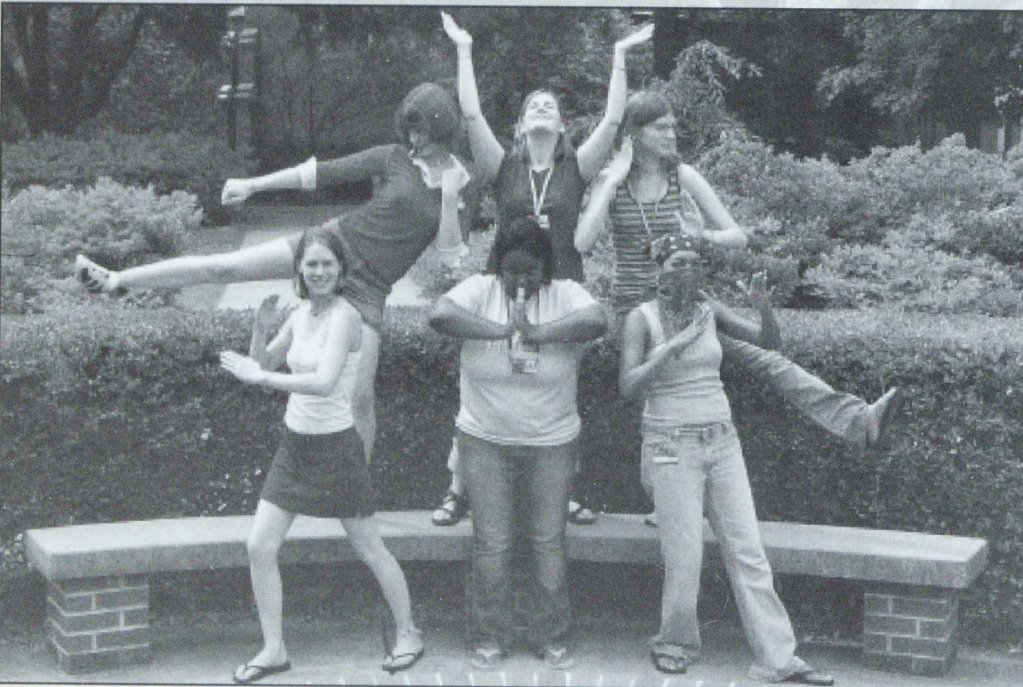
JOE GRAY
RESIDENCE STAFF COORDINATOR

COUCH HALL



(L to R) Front: Danielle Del Sol, Courtney Jones. Back: Melanie Pauls, Kim Purkiss (hall director), Hanna Ricketson, Kristen Kliner.

HARDIN HALL



(L to R) Front: Margaret Box, Tanisha Green (hall director), Lydia Jones. Back: Annie Mitchell, Juli Burrow, Keeley Murray.

RESIDENCE HALL STAFF

RANEY HALL



(L to R) Everette Callaway, Christopher Schaechtel, Michael Chappell (hall director), Jonathan Self.

VEASEY HALL



(L to R) Chris Arrington (hall director), Tony Nash, Brandon Call, Daniel Doyle.

AUTOGRAPHS

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Arkansas Governor's School 2004

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27	28	29 Dr. Jay McDaniel	30	1 Dr. Leonidas Lipovetsky <i>Lipovetsky concert</i>	2	3 Parent's Day
4	5	6 Student's return Between 5-7	7 Classes resume	8 Jo Luck Heifer International <i>Rabbit-Proof Fence</i>	9 Invited Educator's Day	10 Samplers
11	12	13 John Churchill	14	15 Mark Schantz <i>The Battle of Algiers</i>	16	17
18	19	20 Paul Greenberg	21	22 Loung Ung <i>Life is Beautiful</i>	23	24 Closing Convocation

