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REVEALING OUR TRUE CHARACTER











Class of 2005
We Are The
Future!!









Revealing
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True
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Alpha Company Class Of 2005



Vronica Joedicke shows her true school spirit.

What Being A Senior Means.....

"Being a senior means getting ready for responsibility, being independent, and having fun with the time you have left in school but still not falling behind in your classes. Kicking it with your homies, hanging out with the class of 2005. It means living your life to the fullest, getting ready to leave all the people you've enjoyed over the years. The most important thing about being a senior is to never forget all the friends you had in the past and all the ones who left us. They will always be in our hearts and in our memories, never to be forgotten."

By Tanisha Moore



Maurice Cables helps out at the Blood Drive.



Alpha Company Commander: C/LCDR Jessica Ludwig

Class of 2005



Olanre Alara



Shretha Allen



Mary Ann Banda

"I was known as the short girl who always had a smile on her face. I'm going to miss all my friends and I wish them good luck. I pray that everyone is successful and remembers me. I want to thank my parents for their support."



Ernestine Beckless



William Bell



Jinnie Berry

"I'm often imitated, but never duplicated.
Didn't know being me could be so complicated. To all my friends who put up with me for 4 years, I must say I love you guys. Especially Brandis who has 7 years invested. So love me, don't hate me, 'cause I'm up and out, holla. L.O.L (lots of love)"



Jerome Borum

"Everything you do,do it big meaning do everything to the fullest."



Rebecca Branscum

"Peace out trout. Classes 06, 07, 08 it's been great. Class 09, I'll see ya when I get out of bootcamp. Keep your head high and remember the side doors of the school are always unlocked. Hee Hee."



Montrell Brewer



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Dana Brown



James Bryant



Maurice Cables

"Stay strong, never give up, and make sure you have FUN in life. And stay real and you will be able to get stuff like Dr. Cables."



Ryan Cleveland

"Our deepest fear is not that we are inadequate. Our deepest fear is that we are powerful beyond measure."



LaDonna Coleman

"Mini boot camp and leadership academy was the greatest experience of my young life. Getting a taste of how everything works in the military and earning something, makes you feel as if you graduate 5 times in a row. it's



Ahmed Coulibaly



Meghan Currans

"I love my years in Cleveland. I was a MAA. I went to basic leadership, and leadership academy. The classes were hard, but taught me what I know now. Cleveland has given me a sense of duty, so I'm going to the army. I've had many great times. It helped me face my challenges with my son and meet my true love. Thank you Cleveland. Hope to see you in 10 years."



Michael Dibartolo

"We live in hell and we die in heaven."



Dwight Curtis



Scott Eckels



Katherine DeMay

Brennan C. England



Quanita Everett



Megan Gilliam

"High school passes you by like a rollercoaster ride, but what I learned most about was Leadership. Thank you for the memories and I wish my friends Mark and Brett good luck. Love it to the core because you miss the little things when it's time to go. With knowledge comes great responsibility to anyone who earns such a task. Know that I will miss who knew me."



Alicia Graham

"After 4 years we are finally leaving Cleveland. Adjusting to college, work, military, or whatever you decide to do may be hard. But there is nothing we have been doing for four years that has prepared us. Not studying or stuck up but having fun. If you are having fun everything else will fall in place."



Sherrie Green



Ronnie Hicks

."What a long, strange trip it's been.



Kenneth J. A. Griffin

"In life we are faced with many challenges. Instead of running away from them, conquer and defeat. Be the best at whatever you do. Wherever you go, go with your head held high and with all your heart. Live life to the fullest. Never let anyone get you down. When life hands you chickens, open up a Popeyes."



Nickolas Gulledge



Voreece Harris



Kimberly Haynes

"Ambitious, driven and drop dead sexy! This is the one and only Kim Haynes. High school has taught me a lot about myself and life, so to all I know "Love thyself and they will you too".



Reonda Hunt



Jeremy Ingrum



Ciara Isaac



Raymond Jackson

"I came, I saw, I conquered."



Ebony James



Jessie James

"I'm leaving a good heritage behind me especially in Band. My faith in God is what kept me this far. I cherish what I learned from here and will take it with me wherever I go. My love for music and people will take me wherever I'm destined."



Linnette Jenkins



Vronica Joedicke



Britt Johnson

"My life has just started for me. So remember thsi is not a goodbye, this is not a farewell, this is a see you later."



Gralon A. Johnson

The past four years here at Cleveland were the most cultivated and substantial years of my life. I've watched some detrimental spirits evolve into gentle hearts. I want to say to the class of 2005, that we are made wise not by the recollection of our past, but by the responsibility for our future. To the future seniors, tomorrow is a new day; begin it comfortably and with too high a spirit to be encumbered with any perplexities or impediments. I leave my walk, waves, style, and genuine sophistication to Corey Bradley, Charles Fischer, Darnell Howard, and James Edward. With my new-found faith, I trust that in the near future, I will be wherever the Almighty blesses me to prosper and do His will.



Reginald Lindsey

"I would like to say that these four years in high school were the best four years of my life. I've made many friends, taught by great teachers, and have also made a lot of memorable memories. I hope that everyone does what they set out to do."



Aisha Love

"I'm the girl who is always loud and speaks her mind. To my classmates I wish you good luck. To my friends Bridget, Brandis, Amy, Mary Ann, Tanisha thanks for everything. To my teachers who helped me succeed thank you. To those who didn't, I made it. To my Granny and Aunt you always encouraged me and that's why I made it this far. To Christian thanks for always making me laugh."



Ashley Malry



Thomas Love

"The best person in the school. Everyone loves me. The best basketball player ever.

Big Daddy Love"



Juan C. Magdaleno



Lisa Marshall



Brandis McCollier

"First of all I want to say bye, I'm gone! For all ya'll who doubted me I made it. Next, bye to CWO4 Taylor, my girls on UAE, I'll be back.To the tennis chicks, hang in there. To the rest of "05" keep ya head up. To Jinnie, Aisha, Bridget, Tamara & Ernie, bye!"



Tamara McGill



Leah M. McRoberts

"For the saddest words of tongue or pen; the saddest are these, 'It might have been.'

Don't dwell on what might have been; you're just wasting time. What's done is done. You only live once, but if you live it right, then once is enough."



Bridget Yirakpoa Member-Meneh

"I've always said life is too short, so live it to the fullest. One phase of our journey is almost over, but it's not the end. It's the beginning to our future. Never let what people say bring you down cause when it's all over, you'll rise above it all. Thank you to all who have helped me through. It's been fun."



Tiffany R. Menard



Ashley D. Misch



Erica S. Mitchell

"High school taught me that life is too short, so live it up, not to be fake, and to have faith. Keep your head up and if you want something in life, take it. Class of 05 we've been through so much & have come out on top and we're the future so let's make the best of it. Holla. It's always about that good of class of 2005!!"



Jamaka C. Mitchell



Ramon A. Mitchell



Benjamin Moleski

"Over these past 4 years I have become a very mature young lady. I have encountered many challenges. However, it has been a blast having fun with my homies "Homieville." I want the class of 05 to take on the world like some soldiers."



Tanisha Moore



Tuyen Thanh Nguyen



LaShonda Nixon

"I am finally out the door. It was a good experience and I will miss this school and most of the teachers, a lot of the students, and many faculty members. To many people I would like to say thank you and I will see you around the way!"



Erica D. Nunley

"I am the chief of achieving the beliefs of believing. The perfected sounds of my quotes are worth believing."



Cassie Oguin



Christopher A. Ontiveros

"SMALLVILLE RULES!"



Rita Orozco-Vargas

"To the rest of the cadets hope you live your high school life to the fullest! I know "homieville" did. To my true friends who helped me with my one main problem, thanks for making me strong. Love always, Rita Orozco Vargas. Class of 2005."



Mark Pardy



Patrick Pentecost

"Graduation is awesome!"



William Pratt



Shirley Rhodes

"When you find your passion grab it and run before someone steals it. And remember good things do come in B.I.G. packages."



Jeffery Runion



Timothy E. Russo



Donald T. Shaver



Ciera Simril

"What you've done reflects who you are, not just your life as a whole. Remember, life is only once, so never give up at all."



Joshua B. Steen



Michael Steward



Felicia Stewart

"First of all, I would like to thank my Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. I want to thank my teachers, expecially Mr. Chalmers. To my friends, Reginald, LC, Kyman, Jessie, thank you for your support. Hopefully, I haven't slighted those people who I haven't mentioned, I appreciate the support. May God bless each one of you."



Kevin Stewart



Clark Stuckey

"2005, What's Next?"



Matthew Suschanke

"Get what you want done now, because you won't have time later."



Ebony Tate

"You can do anything if you set your mind to it. In high school reality isn't anything, but in life, the most important thing."



Trevor Terry



Aisha Triplett

"Everybody makes mistakes. We learn from the ones we thought were the worst."



Menta A. Triplett



Miguel Vargas



Ramon J. Vincent-Price

"3's up, P's down. To all my Pluto playas and all my people with 3rd Flo Ent. Stay up and you'll see me on TV real soon. I leave all my music producing abilities to Khalil Ali.

Shine on Cleveland and R.I.P. to SHOWTIME!"



Claire Walker



Crystal Western



Talandra D. Wheelington

"I am the sexy, over dramatic one of the group I roll with "HOMIEVILLE." But always full of laughter. Never take a day off "CRUNKNESS", except for Sundays, that's the Lord's day. Keep it cool and go further in life than we went on any field trip."



Michael White



Larry Woods



Airmia Word

"Be different, be you and when you do, there's always going to be someone who will try to copy you."



Shannon D. Young

"In high school you go through a lot of changes. Constructive criticism, jealousy, haters haten, but you have to know how to take it. What don't kill you will only make you stronger.

ROTC was the place to be, especially with my girls "Homieville."

Remember, stay positive, blessed and make high school the best years of your life not the worst. Vonda, Stay Black! Much love from ya gurl Cheeks! R.I.P. Showtime."

The following seniors did not have their photographs taken:

Alejandra Barragan Kenneth Bennett Christopher Black **Ned Booker** Doreen Colenburg Sean Cotton Mario Crump Nicholas Dorsey Brittany Edinburgh Timothy Evans Joseph Gebken Jesse Harrison David Heichelbech Hope Hickman Christopher Holdman Alberto Ituarte

Nicole Jackson Antoinette Johnson **Durand Jones** Allen Kopsic Jessica Ludwig Romell Marion Brandon McFadden Don McGhee Jerimiah Pomphrey Dominic Ragland Deandre Rhodes Louis Rush Kyman Shelton Tabitha Williams Theresa Williams Crystal Western

SENIOR ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Some people dream of success, while others wake up and work hard at it.

Mary Ann Banda

MAA rope, Honor roll, Security force admin, Regimental Assistant MAA

Ernestine Beckless

Drill team (4 years, commander), Soccer (2 years), Academic Olympics (2 years), Honor Roll (4 years), National Honor Society, Regimental Public Affairs Officer

Jinnie Berry

Tennis (4 years), FCA, Soccer (2 years), Softball (2 years), Alpha PC, Graduated!

Dwight Curtis

Honor roll (4 years), MAA, Security Force (2 years)

Mike Dibartolo

2nd place in debate at Nationals, Honor platoon sophomore year

Brennan England

Honor Guard (2 years), Academic Olympic Team, Regimental Staff (Delta Company XO), Purple Heart Award for leadership, Leadership Academy, Varsity Debate - National Tournament Qualifier (4 years), Rifle team, Drill team, SLPS News Anchor

Megan Gilliam

Honor Roll, Debate, Soccer, Drill Team, Security Force, overall honors from FPCC program.

Kenneth J.A. Griffin

Drill team, color guard, Honor Roll, yearbook staff, FCCLA (president), Regimental Charlie CO, cadet of the month, Bravo PC, Delta PC, Academic Olympics, Debate, SLPS News Anchor.

Nick Gulledge

Football (3 years), wrestling, Baseball, Drill team (3 years), Bravo PC, Honor Guard (2 years), Leadership Academy, 1st Battalion CO

Kimberly Haynes

Regimental 2nd Battalion Commander, Mini boot camp, cheerleading (3 years), dance team, Cross county, Honor roll, Delta PC

Jeremy Ingrum

Football, Baseball, Honor Roll, Alpha PC, Upward Bound, Basic Leadership School

Britt Johnson

400 m State qualifier (4 years), PHL champion (4 years), Alpha PC

Gralon A. Johnson

Band, Drill Team, Color Guard, Distinguished Cadet (2 years), Honor Cadet, Drumline, Bravo CO, Leadership Academy, Honor Guard, Rifle Team Commander, Deputy Regimental Commander, President of FCA, Vice President of National Honor Society, Honor Roll (4 years), Academic Olympic Team

Jessica Ludwig

MAA rope, Bravo PC, Alpha Company CO, Honor Roll (4 years), National Honor Society member, Honor Cadet, perfect attendance

Brandis McCollier

Honor Roll (4 years), Drill team (4 years, commander), Tennis, Soccer, Community Service yearly at Fair St. Louis, LEAPS, Regimental Assistant Admin

Tamara McGill

Honor Roll, MAA rope, and Security Force

Leah McRoberts

Honor Roll (4 years), National Honor Society (president), FCCLA (president), Academic Olympics (2 years), Honor Cadet, Delta PC, 50 Flags CO, Regimental Operations Officer, Valedictorian

Bridget Member-Meneh

National Honor Roll, Honor Roll (4 years), National Honor Society, FCCLA (Secretary), Band (2 years), Regimental 1st Battalion XO, Yearbook Staff, Drill Team, Soccer (1 year), Tennis (2 years), Softball (1 year)

Ashley D. Misch

National Honor Roll (4 years), Honor Roll (4 years), National Honor Society, Delta PC, Regimental Delta CO

Ramon Mitchell

Honor Roll (3 years), perfect attendance (4 years), Honor guard commander, Security Force, National Honor Society member, Regimental Staff (MAA Commander)

Megan Mobley

MAA, band, color guard, basic leadership school, Leadership Academy

LaShonda Nixon

Honor Roll (3 years), Drill Team (3 years), Tennis (2 years), Platoon commander (2 years), Security Force (1 year), Regional Teen Institute (1 year)

Cristopher Ontiveros

Over 200 hours of community service

Mark Pardy

60+ hours of community service, Track

William Pratt

Drill team, Color Guard, Rifle team, Honor Guard, Football, Track, Wrestling (state qualified), Delta PC, Leadership academy, Mini boot camp, Received a football scholarship

Tim Russ

Charlie PC, Delta PC, Regimental Commander, Honor Guard, drill team

Donald Shaver

Honor Guard, Color Guard, Drill Team (IDR & Black Knights), Security Force, Debate team, 2nd Place national debate, top 20 speakers in Midwest debate, Regimental Admin

Felicia Stewart

Drill Team (1 year), Soccer (2 years), Volleyball (1 year), Honor Roll

Demetrius Wilson

Leadership Academy, and 2nd Battalion XO

Shannon Young

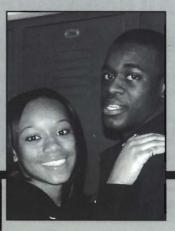
MAA, sophomore maid, Supply rope, Security Force, Cheerleading, Honor Roll, Graduated!



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Best Personality Kenneth Griffin & Britny Edinburgh



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Biggest Hall Roamer Larry Woods



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Best all around William Bell



Prettiest Eyes
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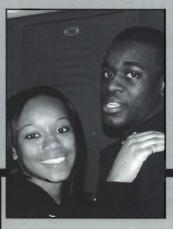
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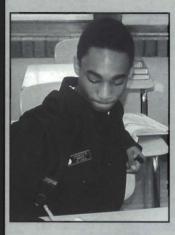
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Be careful not to fall,

The "SENIOR SUPERLATIVES"

Are coming down the hall!

Here we have it folks! Our male & female "Superlatives"!

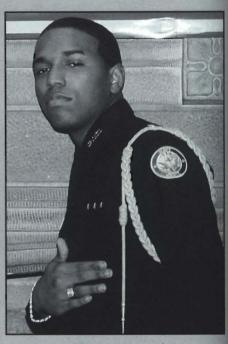
Senior Superlative Female c/o '05'
Mary Ann Banda



Best Smile Best Hair Friendliest Best Looking



Senior Superlative Male c/o '05' Gralon A. Johnson



Best Leader
Best Walk
Best Hair
Best Role Model



Most Popular Montrell Brewer



Biggest Snack Eater Cassie Oguin & Alicia Graham



Most Talented Michael White & Dominic Ragland

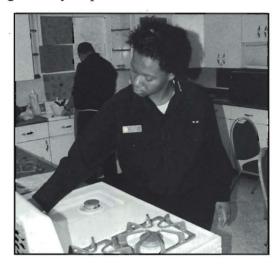


Most Likely to Have the Answer Brennan England & Leah McRoberts

Bravo Company Class of '06

Omar Aziz (left) and Bonnie Jones (right) are geniunely helpful.





What does it mean to be a junior?

On my way to school with two gold stars. Can't get in no bag or j-bar. Got on your dickies with our fresh black Bates. Being a junior is just so great.

Now we are juniors, almost time to say good-bye yet last year, high school was still a surprise. Some have ropes, some play sports many have relationships of all sorts. Two gold stars we proudly wear, no longer do we walk the halls with a paranoid stare.

by Ashley Frost



Bravo Company X/O Nermin Munic and Bravo Company C/O Huan Troung.

Bravo Company~c/o 06



Juniors doing what they do best....relaxing!





Khalil Ali Khalilah Ali Hillmon Allen Lindsay Alston





Mirel Agastra Moises Aguayo





Anthony Arnowitz Omar Aziz Raynal Barbee Rebecca Beard









Elizabeth Beck Ashley Bennett Christina Boehme Nicole Bohn









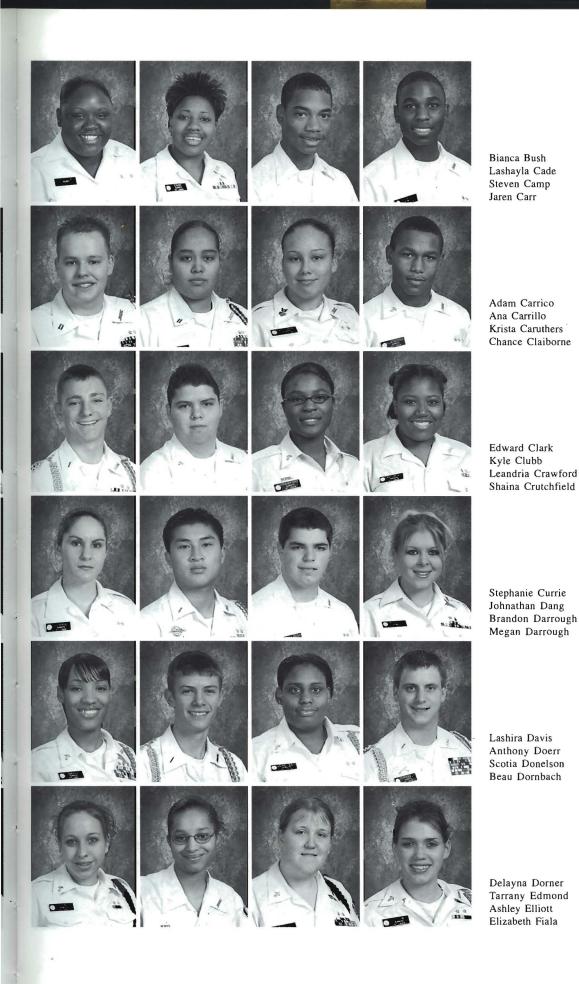




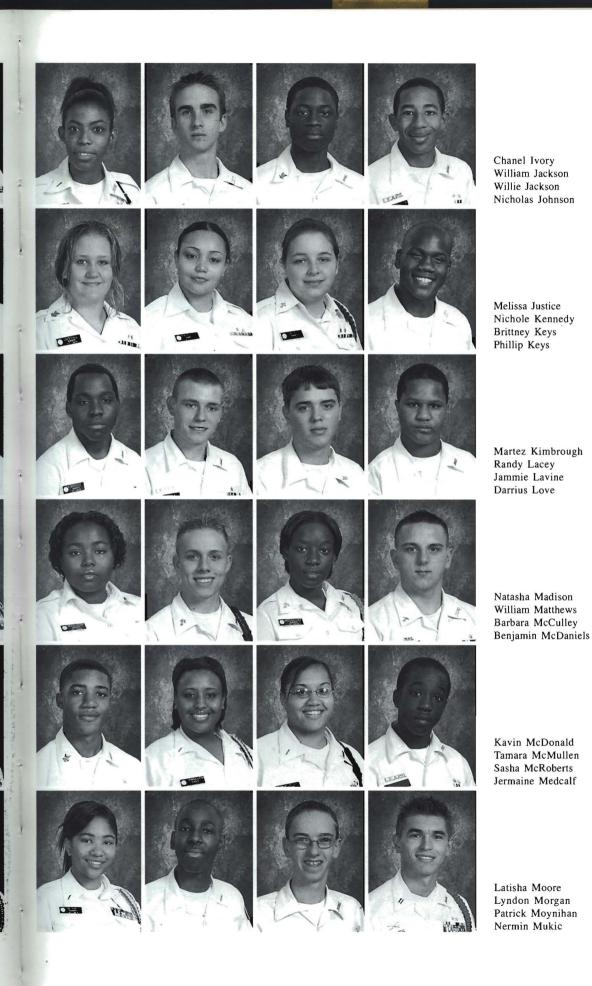




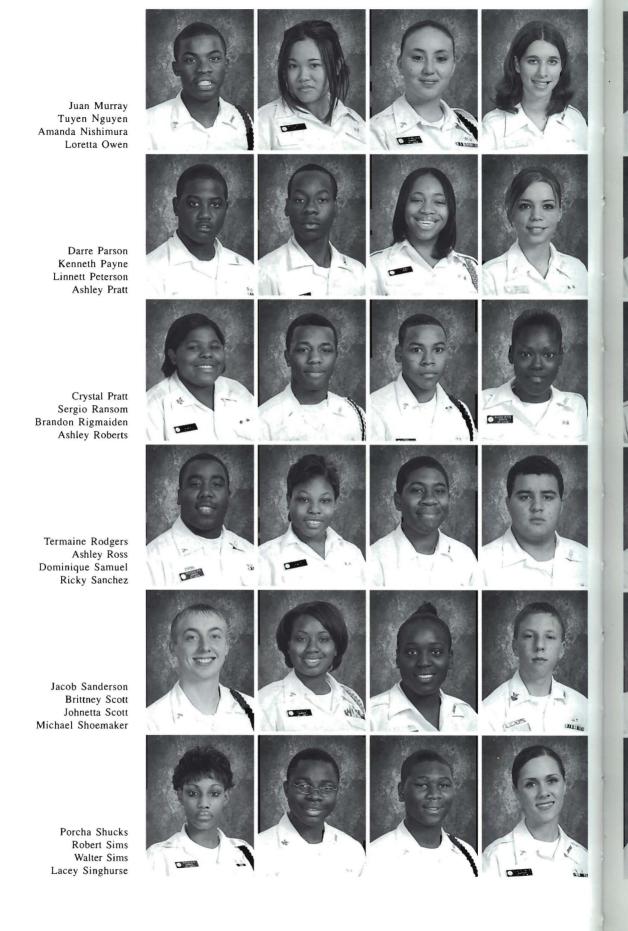




Megan Fincher Tonya Forrester Andrea Franklin LEAPS. Ashley Frost Natashia Gibson Melanie Gillen Makeba Gray Matthew Green Brian Hadley Edwin Hall Charles Harris Katherine Harris Matthew Harris Patricia Helm Preston Helsel O THE Jami Hinton 7.00 Demond Hobbs Michael Hollingsworth Brian Hopen Jennifer Horton Christian Hudson Brett Huelsmann Amber Huffman Antonio Indelicato



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Junior Ring Class Of 2006

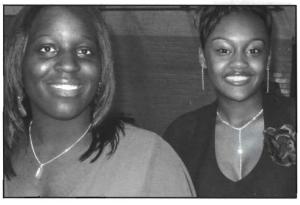
On March 18, 2005, the junior class had their Junior Ring Dance here at school. At the dance they received their class rings and enjoyed the time together. The dance was sponsored by MCPO Kemp, and MSGT Roe. The teachers that attended this dance had just as much fun dancing as the students. The juniors enjoyed having two photographers there to take pictures of them. All in all, that night will be a night they will remember for the rest of their lives.



Eric Tisdale, Huan Truong, MSGT Roe, John Dang, and Anthony Doerr share a photo op.



Megan Fincher and Cody Matthews



Johnetta Scott and Zenobia Turner



Britney Scott and Nicholas Johnson

Charlie Company Class Of '07



Sam Gonzalez presents his platoon.



Charlie 8 at muster!

What being a Sophomore means....

Once you become a sophomore you have a lot more responsibilities than in your freshman year. You have to set a good example for others to follow. You should have matured since you were a freshman. The prefix "soph" means wise or wisdom, and by your sophomore year you should have gained wisdom about yourself. Keeping yourself motivated is very important. For me C/LCDR Griffin has helped guide me appropriately with his constant motivation. Another way to succeed as a sophomore is to help out your teachers, be respectful, and do what you are supposed to do. This is what being a sophomore means to me.

by Jamar Wright



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Charlie Company XO C/LT. Ben Moleski, Charlie Company C/LCDR. Kenneth Griffin



Charlie Company consists of the sophomore class! This year they are headed up by C/LCDR Kenneth Griffin and C/LT Benjamin Moleski. Charlie company has 8 platoons, both divided between Chief Owens and LCDR Eggleston. Charlie company is known for being "cocky" because they finally got real name tags! Charlie company is energetic and with Chief Owens in the midst, there's always a load of fun and FOOTBALL!

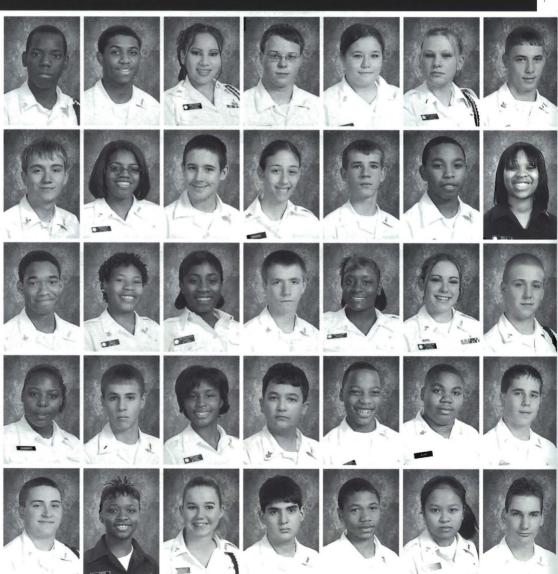
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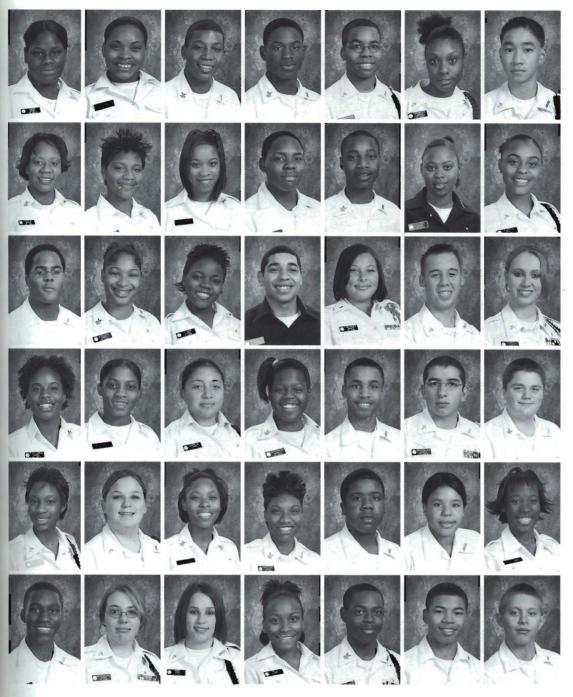
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Darren Bell Nicole Bell Kiera Bernard Christopher Biggs Jovanda Bigham Amber Binger Kevin Bizzle

Tiera Bonds Christopher Brandt Tyana Brown Joseph Brusatti Dontee Buckner John Buhr James Burke

Jacob Calton Kychandra Carr Laura Carter Irvin Casanova Courtney Cauley Ngoc-Tuyen Chau Dylan Clark





Linda Cody Sherita Cooper Jestin Cotton Leondus Crawford Sean Crawford Aigner Crawley John Dang

Chinesa Davis
Joanne Delaney
Jamie Dixon
Terry Donelson
Almonzo Downs
Estherlena Duver
Ashley Eason

James Edwards Latasha Fields Sharuice Finch Prentess Flenoid Beulah Foehner Jeremy Follmer Leah Frey

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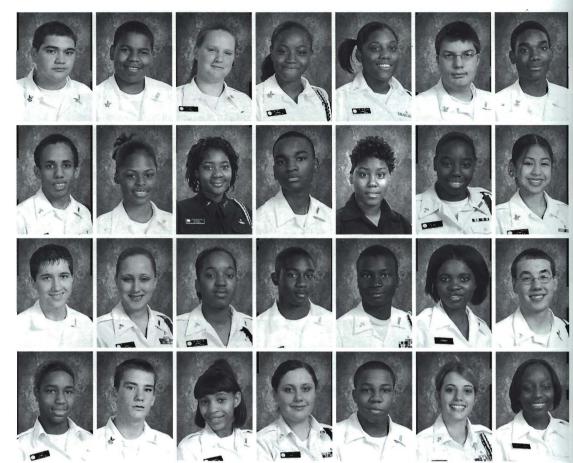
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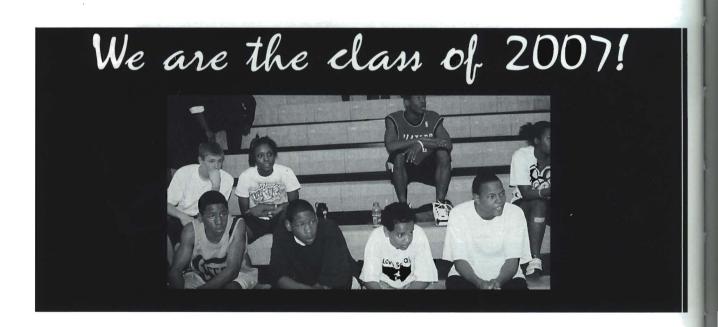
Charlie Company class of 2007 Joshua Holladay Brandon Hudson Melissa Ickenroth Crystal Jackson Erika Jackson Christopher Jaros Ryan Jenkins

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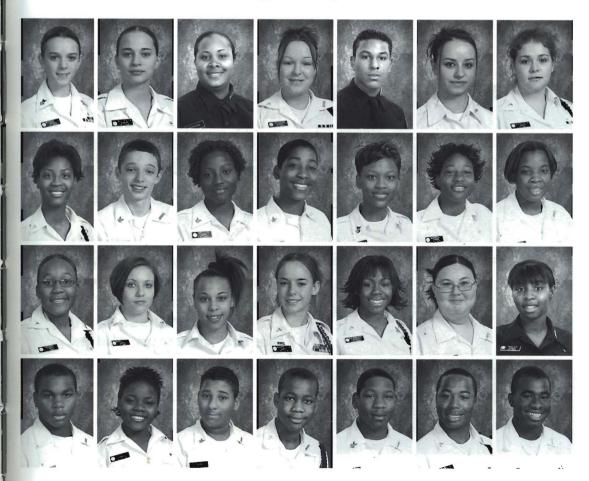
Monette Lee Jeffrey Lewis Shenee Lloyd Amber Mann-Ali Jamell Martin Melissa Martin Brittany McCulley







Charlie Company...at their best!



Brittany McDaniels Brandy McGrath Diane McIntyre Shanna McNabb John Medina Aida Mehmeti Karen Mendoza

Tiara Metcalfe Michael Miller Porsha Miller Lloyd Mitchell Tiffany Mitchell Kareemah Moment Shamika Moody

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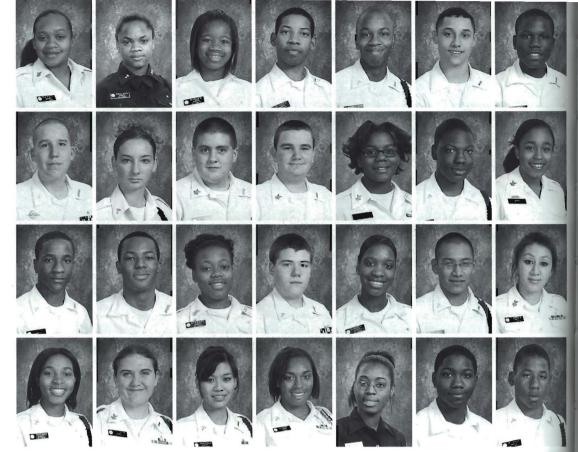
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Mary Puckett
Alethea Ragland
Karyn Rhodes
Kenyatta Rhodes
Ronald Robertson
Robert Robinson
Darnell Roy

Anthony Rulo
Brandy Sandwick
Nicholas Sarkis
Stephen Schaefer
Veronica Scossield-King
Kevin Sims
Mia Sing

Christopher Smith Cortrelle Stephens Taneisha Stewart Nicholaus Stout Niesha Summers Jesus Tomas Viridiana Torres

Tamara Trotman
Patricia Tucker
Stephanie Vorachack
Sheilise Waddy
Candace Washington
Montrelle Washington
Raymond Webber





Charlie Company Platoon Commanders

Back Row: Jamar Wright, Leah Frey, Wayne Weidhaas. Middle Row: Rachel Johnson, Sam Gonzalez. Front Row: Melissa Martin, Martha Amezcua, Nubari Kogbara



(left) Chief Owens and LCDR
Eggleston (Charlie Company NSIs)
converse during morning muster.

Cadet SCPO
Gonzalez
(right) obeys
orders given
by the
company
commander.



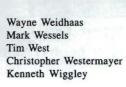


































Clifford Womack Jamar Wright Terence York Jonathan Young Raygon Zimmerman

SOPHOMORE SPOTLIGHT

For the sophomore spotlight we sought out three leaders in the class of 2007. These are the platoon commanders for Charlie Company that were chosen because of their leadership, character, and overall responsibility.



Where do you expect to be in 2 years?

"In two years I will graduate from Cleveland Jr. Naval Academy as a battalion commander or company commander, I hope. I will be preparing to enroll in the U.S Coast Guard Academy. Once I graduate from there I expect to have a long career in the Coast Guard. I plan on retiring 20 years after I serve my country." - Wayne Weidhauss

What do you expect to be on regimental staff?

"I hope to be either the regimental commander or deputy regimental commander. As the deputy or regimental commander I am going to try to instill what's important here—the respect for others, and strict military background. Since I enrolled here in 2003 I have wanted this position for the longest, it something I have dreamed about and I see it in my immediate future." - Melissa Martin





Who inspires you here at Cleveland Jr. Naval Academy?

"Here at Cleveland I am inspired by many, but there is one person that inspires and motivates me. That person would be C/LCDR Kenneth Griffin. Mr. Griffin has given me a sense of confidence that no one else has given me. He has taught me how to drill, stand out and lead others. His inspiration will follow me throughout my career here at Cleveland."

-Jamar Wright

Delta Company Class of '08

Freshmen in class with Ms. Buford (left) and at muster (right).





Being a freshman means. . .

Stepping up to a new level. A level where responsibilities and leadership are required. Being a freshman cadet at Cleveland can be a challenge. We are expected to uphold certain levels of respect. A few things you learn are respect, honor, leadership, communication, liberty, and responsibilities. We must have discipline and respect because it is enforced through Delta Company Commander Ashley Misch and Executive Officer Brennan England.

Being a freshman has its ups and downs, but if you have respect, discipline, leadership abilities, and patience, you can and will succeed here at Cleveland. Good luck to the Class of 2008. We must strive to achieve better things for ourselves and our school.

by: Eric Moore



Delta Company C/O Ashley Misch and X/O Brennan England

Kristina Abounader Adela Alispahic Nathan Alivernia Cornellius Allen Alexsa Anderson Bridgette Andrews Armand Banks Charles Banks Taminka Bass Anthony Behiter Kiara Bennett Samantha Blosser Shirley Bogin Lauryn Bohn Keona Borroum Andre Brady Amber Brewer Jessica Brewer Fredrick Brown Jamal Brown Sereina Brown Allison Buck Christopher Bullock Ashley Burns Antonio Cannaday Luis Carlin Tara Carpenter Jamal Carter Geoffrey Chandler Christian Clay Zetravia Coleman Terrance Craig Adam Crouch Matthew Crouch Tommy Dillworth Jacklyn Doerr Victor Dunbar Mark Earls Gloria Esparza Carl Evans Anthony Favuzza Justin Fitzhenry

DELTA COMPANY~ CLASS 0F 2008

Delta Company holds the "fresh" men and women of the school. It consists of the freshman class which this year is headed by the Company Commander C/LCDR Ashley Misch and the Company Executive Officer C/LT Brennan England. It is divided into 10 platoons and 3 teams which are the blue, red and purple teams. Freshman class leadership is important because the freshmen are new to the naval academy and need the best examples to follow. The Naval Science Instructors for Delta Company are SCPO Fields, MCPO Cochran and CWO4 Taylor.





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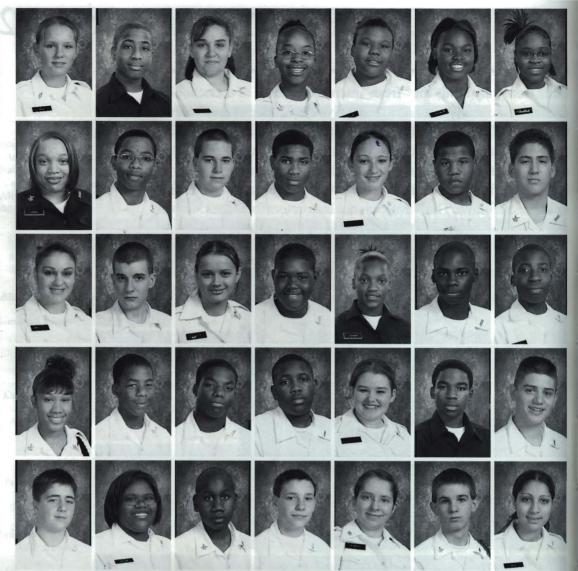
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Class of 2008

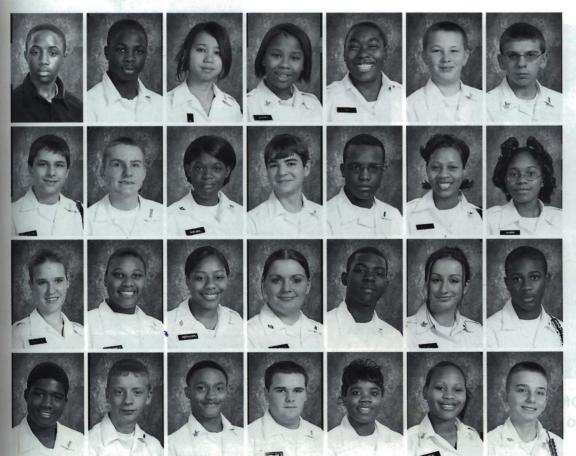


Whether it's participating in class or marching in step, Delta company knows what's best!



DELTA COMPANY

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Eugene Lane
Melvin Latimore
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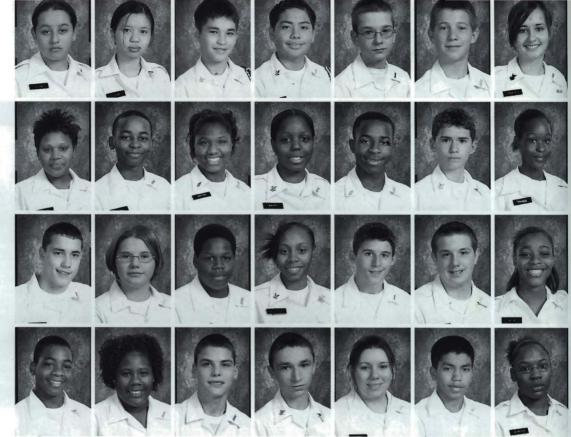
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Janet Perkins
Michael Pollard
Jasmine Prater
Credell Pratt
Lorenzo Prude
Nicholas Raic
Victoria Randle

Greg Rawlins
Ashley Remphry
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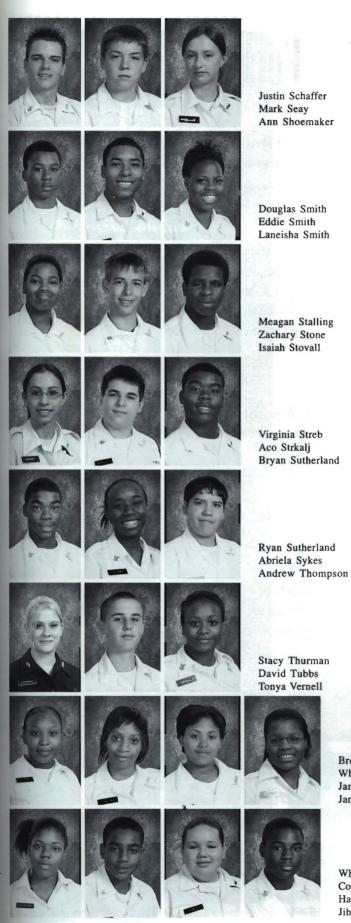




Warrant Officer Taylor gives instructions to his platoon.



The company commander C/LCDR Ashley Misch Conducts morning muster.



Breanna Walker Whitney Walls Jamyra Westmoland Jammie Wheeler

Whitney Whitfield Corey Willis Hannah Wilson Jihad Wright

Freshmen Focus

For the Freshmen Focus page we choose four cadets from the class of 2008. We picked these four because they show leadership, character, and great potential. We asked them all the same two questions.

- · Do you think that you will have the same friends senior year that you have now?
- What do you wish to accomplish within your four years of high school?

Here are those cadets' responses . . .



"No, I do not believe that I will have the same friends senior year that I have now because three fourths of these people are fake and do not know the meaning of friendship. What I want to accomplish is graduating from high school and ultimately succeeding."

By: Justin Karl

"Yes, I will have the same friends because they are nice. I want to receive scholarships to college." By: Jannis McCollier

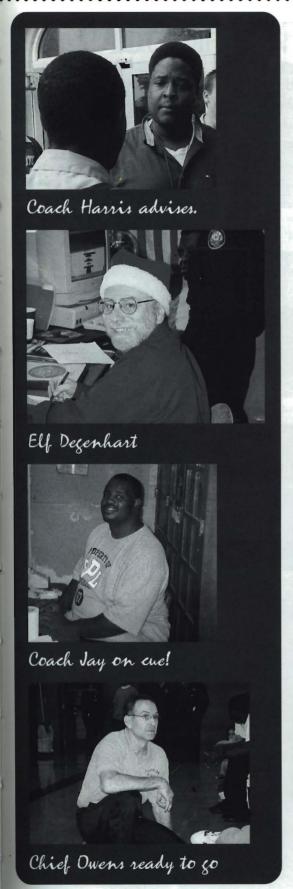




"No I will not have the same friends because they talk too much stuff. I want to accomplish graduating from high school and going to college." By: Andre Huntspon

> "Yes because most of them will probably be here. I want to accomplish graduating and going to college." By: Brittany Stuckey



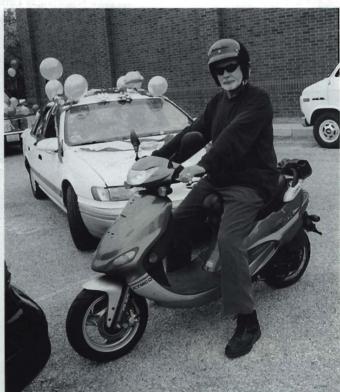


The Bold and the Brave. . . Cleveland Faculty and Staff

A school without a qualified, caring faculty and staff leaves a lot to be desired. The next few pages show the men and women

who proudly answer the call of service at Cleveland.

A school without a faculty is, well, probably not a school.



Mr. Nolan is about to set off on his motorbike at the Homecoming parade. A couple of months after this photo was taken, a serious accident resulted in the end of the bike but fortunately, not the end of Mr. Nolan. You can still catch his act, performed five times each day, in Room 214.

Faces Of The First Floor



Capt. Lawrence Meyer Commandant



Mrs. Susan Viviano Assistant Principal



Mrs. Juanita Jones Assistant Principal



Mr. John Kelley-Disciplinarian



Mrs. Terri Kightlinger-Parent Liason



Mrs. Relana King-Parent Liason



Ms. Joann Ganschaw-Counselor



Dr. Gainer - Counselor



Mrs. Debbie Brockschmidt - Social Worker



Mrs. Shirley McCain - Nurse



Mrs. McGahee - S.R. Specialist



Ms. Kelly - Secretary



Ms. Jenkins - Secretary



Mrs. Sawyer - Secretay



Ms. Liner - Secretary

Our Fine Naval Instructors



CAPT. James Farrar



MSGT. Glen Robinson



CWO4 James Taylor



MSGT. Willie Roe



MSGT. Roe knows he's not allowed!



SCPO. Lawrence Fields



MCPO William Cochran



Chief James Owens



LCDR Rollin Eggleston

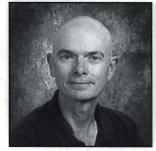


CWO4 Taylor shows he's not a cold-blooded person!

Essays, Equations; English and Math Teachers



Mr. Mike Nolan - English



Mr. Kenneth DeNeal-English



Ms. Bonita Thomas-English



Mr. Alfred Katzenberger-English



Mr. Tony Grobe-English



Ms. Sandra Gerber - Math



Mr. Jesse Jost - Math

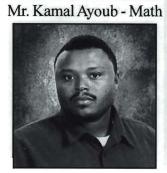


Mr. Nolan shows off his dance moves....



Mr. Bill Stadtlander - Math

Mr. James Clarke- Math



Mr. Rolando Merriweather-Math



Mr. Albert McMahon- Math

More Of The Best Of The Best



Mrs. Deborah Schmidt Social Studies



Mr. Oashon Chalmers Social Studies



Mrs. Debra Acton Social Studies



Mrs. Sarah Wright Social Studies



Mr. Gary Harris Social Studies



Mr. James Greenlee Social Studies



Mr. James Francis Social Studies



Mrs. Olga Hunt Science



Ms. Ginger Russell Science



Ms. Shana Ward Science



Sr. James Wiswall Spanish



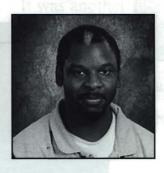
Sr. Barry Hagan Spanish



Mr. Geoffrey Macy Physical Education



Mr. Barton Davis Physical Education



Mr. Leonard Becton Music

Resourceful and Ready To Teach...



Mr. Thomas Jeffrey Resource



Ms. Bridget Waltz Resource



Mr. Greg Degenhart Resource



Ms. Becky Zagurski Resource



Ms. Stephani Estes Resource



Ms. Carolyn Stone Resource



Ms. Hope Lewis Resource



Ms. Sheryl Davenport Resource



Mr. Harris armed and ready to teach!



Mr. Luster and his wife enjoy the dance!(left)



SCPO Parson and Mrs. Acton support each other after giving blood!

The Commanders and Lady Commanders Always bring Their "A" Game. . .

Cleveland Athletics

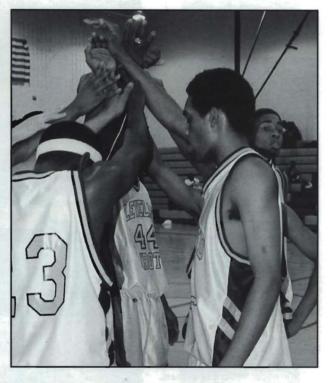
"Sports serve society by providing vivid examples of excellence."

—George F. Will



Clockwise from top: Ciara Issac cheers on her volleyball buds; boys basketballer players prepare for action; softball team members roar at the pep rally.





It was another successful year for our sports teams! Thanks go our athletes and coaches for their good sportsmanship and to Mr. Kelley and Ms. Miller for their leadership and direction.

Fall Sports Full of Spirit

Athletics begin in the fall with a number of sports. While football may be the most popular, it is not the only sport. Here's a tribute to all fall teams and athletes.

WHAT DOES IT
MEAN TO BE
PART OF A
TEAM? "The
girls volleyball
team at
Cleveland can
best be
described as
one big family"
—Cadet Leah
Frey







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Some familiar, if not famous, faces from fall sports are shown on this page. Clockwise, from above, are: the Girls Volleyball B-team, coached by Mr. Bergeron; the varsity Volleyball team, coached by Mrs. Schmidt; an injured Juan Magdaleno; and the Boys Soccer team, coached by Mr. Dresslaer and Mr. Clarke.

The teams gave their all and enjoyed their seasons despite many of the challenges facing schools competing in the Public High League.



Excellence!

Dedication!

Effort!



Varsity football had their biggest night of the year at the Homecoming game against Vashon. Even though the result did not not favor the Commanders, the team enjoyed the attention afforded them by a strong showing of fans. In this photo, a Cleveland running play is squashed at the line of scrimmage. Looking on are Mike White (11), William Bell (34), and Dewayne Taylor (52).



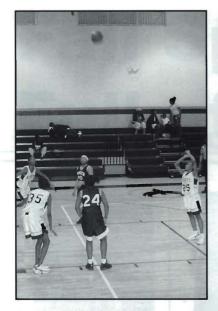
Quarterback Mike White calls signals during the Homecoming game against Vashon. One of the strongest impressions of the players had after the season was the less than ideal playing field at Gateway. Seniors Clark Stuckey and Olanre Alara described the field as "rugged" and a place where "you don't know what you're going to run into."







Cross Country is an overlooked but tough sport for boys and girls. Try running 3.1 miles up and down hills and see how you feel. Coached by Mr. Greenlee and Ms. Russell, the team gave 100% at the district championship. Shown here from the top are: Britt Johnson, Demetrius Wilson, and Amber Huffman.



The Girls in Action!



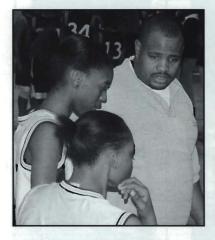
Senior Elite R.O.T.C. Boys



BASKETBALL



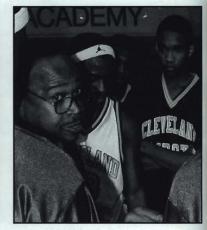
The Boys in Action!



Coach "Jay" schooling the girls!



The Divine R.O.T.C. Girls



Coach schooling his boys!



Girls Varsity Basketball Team



Boys Varsity Basketball Team

Girls Varsity Basketball

LaDonna Coleman

Tanisha Moore

Erica Nunley

Aisha Triplett

Diana Hill

Tiara Metcalfe

Porcha Shucks

Ashley Triplett

Whitney Whitfield

Boys Varsity Basketball

Thomas Love

Montrell Brewer

Britt Johnson

Mario Crump

Olanre Alara

Clark Stuckey Jr.

Dominic Ragland

Darren Bell

Raynall Barbee

Steven Camp

Tony Doerr

Demond Hobbs

Kavin McDonald

Kenneth Payne

Brandon Rigmaiden

Eric Smith

The Teams

Girls B-Team

Kiera Bernard

Tyana Brown

Rasnick Fullard

Monette Lee

Shanna McNabb

Tamika Newton

Laneisha Smith

Tamara Trotman

Raygon Zimmerman

Boys B- Team

Nathan Alivernia

Chris Biggs

Chris Brandt

Geoffrey Chandler

Christian Clay

Sam Gonzalez

Shelton Green

Ahmed Ibrahim

Rodney Mondaine

Darius Powell

Kenyatta Rhodes

Raymond Webber

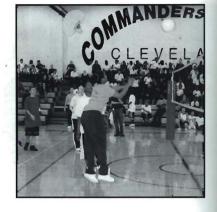
Cliff Womack

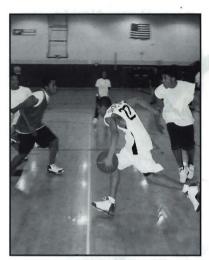
Ryan Jenkins



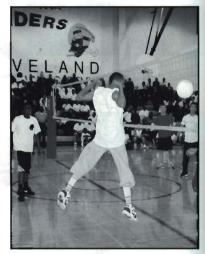
LET'S GET IT ON.... COMPANY VS.

COMPANY





Every year Cleveland has a company vs. company volleyball and basketball game. This year the Juniors won the volleyball game and the seniors came out on top for the basketball game. However, the competition isn't all that mattered. The money that was raised is used to help out with Cleveland's annual Naval Ball.



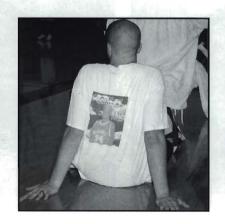


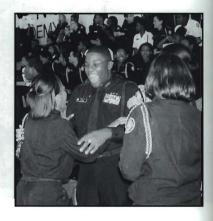
Here are some pictures from both games that show the skills of athletes like Thomas Love and show the excitement of victory.

Aside from the excitement, people also took time out to remember those who have come and gone, but will not be forgotten.











The girls Volleyball team, coached my Mrs. Schmidt, cheer their way on to the court at the school's Homecoming Pep rally.



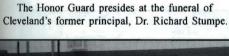
Senior Vronica Joedicke shows her school spirit at the Pep Rally.

The Life of Cleveland:

the Highs, the Lows, and Everything in Between



A Delta platoon is forced to drop, while their platoon commander looks on.





Jeremy Ingrum takes a fall while participating in the company vs. company volleyball game.



Juan Magdaleno and an opposing team member from Metro fall in an attempt to get the ball.

2005 Regimental Staff



"Our 2005 Elite Regimental Staff"

Regimental Commander: C/Capt. Timothy Russo

Delta Company CO: C/Lcdr. Ashley D Misch

Master At Arms Xo: C/Lt. MaryAnn Banda

First Battalion XO: C/Lcdr. Bridget Member-Meneh

Second Battalion CO: C/Cdr. Kimberly Haynes

Deputy Regimental Commander: C/Cdr. Gralon A

Johnson

Assitant Administration Officer: C/Ltjg. Brandis McCollier

Supply Officer: C/Lcdr. LaDonna Coleman

First Battalion CO: C/Cdr. Nickolas Gulledge

Public Affairs Officer: C/Lt. Ernestine Beckless

Master At Arms CO: C/Lcdr. Ramon Mitchell

Bravo Company XO: C/Ltjg. Nermin Mukic

Bravo Company CO: C/Lt. Haun Troung

Operations Officer: C/Lcdr. Leah McRoberts

Alpha Company XO: C/Lt. Jessica Ludwig

Awards Officer: C/Lt. Aisha Triplett

Second Battalion XO: C/Lcdr. Demetrius Wilson

Charlie Company Xo: C/Lt. Ben Moleski

Charlie Company CO: C/Lcdr. Kenneth Griffin

Adminstration Officer: C/Lcdr. Donald Shaver

Assistant Supply Officer: C/Ltjg. David Heichelbech

Delta Company XO: C/Lt. Brennan England

Alpha Comapany CO: C/Lcdr. Ahmed Coulibaly

We asked a few teachers what they really thought about this year's Regimental Staff...and here are the results.......

"Remember Regimental Staff is made up of normal kids.
Accomplished, and talented but ultimately normal. I have enjoyed knowing them and I am proud to have taught some of them. Good luck and keep it real." Mr. Grobe

"In general Regimental Staff is the positive role models for the up and coming cadets. The Regimental Staff this year are more in touch with the cadets than in previous years." Mrs. Acton

"Regimental Staff represents the leaders in our school. They reflect a unique quality image." Mr. Ayoub



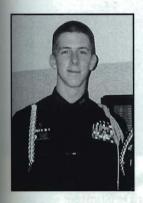
The Deputy & Regimental Commanders: Gralon Johnson and Tim Russo



Brennan England



Gralon A Johnson
"The rope is nice, the
friends are invincible!
Don't lose friends,
sleep, or fail classes
over a garment on your
shoulder."



Timothy Russo
"I learned a lot from my
position on staff and it
was a fun experience."

The Real Regimental Staff

by Brennan England

People here at Cleveland may think that Regimental Staff is a position that when you are put in it, you can kick the breeze, skip class, and essentially do what you please.

After reading some opinions of those who have served on this year's staff, they might be viewed differently by others.

The comments made by this year's staff members may seem to come from a completely dissimilar group than the bright-eyed ambitious juniors (and sophomores) that I was part of last May at Change of Command.

We are all so excited about being on staff. We were the staff that would change everything because we would take nothing from anyone.

How a year can change things! I think that as with anything, the glamour of the job died, but the responsibility has not. The Regimental Staff is often consumed with the problems and stress they face having a rope.

The impact that Naval Science has on the school is heavy. Not only do we bring uniqueness to our school, but also to ourselves. Being on Regimental Staff gives us a taste of true leadership and responsibility. We are put in a position of making a mass of people function according to our examples and enforcement, and we are also forced to delegate certain authority to complete all assigned duties. We are, in other words, given a chance to see what it is like to have an influential role in society. This is a role that comes with its blessings and burdens, but must not be short-changed. I think our staff will be remembered and admired, not only for our leadership abilities, but for our character.



Ashley D. Misch
"Regimental Staff, what
can I say everyone wants
to be us, but very few can
handle the job."



Bridget Member-Meneh
"Never judge if you're not
in the position. Staff is not
worth losing anything over
especially friends. Keep it
real because people
change once they got it."



Leah McRoberts
"I wanted this because I thought it would give me a sense of accomplishment."

Tribute to The Honor Guard

Behold their strength and noblity to show their stripes!

Whether it be Homecoming or a funeral, the Honor Guard represents the true meaning of dignity with honor because these students take time out of their schedules to show respect to those who came before them.



Fellow Honor Guard students salute a fallen friend, former principal Dr. Richard Stumpe.



Ramon Mitchell and Michael White stomp on to present the Homecoming Court.



Front: Michael White. Second row: Ahmed Coulibaly, Jesse James, Joshua Cunningham, Benjamin Moleski. Third row: Nermin Mukic, Anthony Doerr, Sergio Ransom, Huan Troung, Nick Gulledge. Back row: Jonathan Dang, Beau Dornbach, Clark Stuckey, William Pratt, Donald Shaver, Kennard Williams.



At Jefferson Barracks Michael White and Jesse James lead the Honor Guard after the funeral ceremony for Dr. Stumpe.

Cleveland's very own "Men of Honor":

The Knights of Nobility



Honor Guard honors the Homecoming Court in their presentation of their swords.



The Honor Guard present the Homecoming Court by escorting them under cross swords.



MSGT Roe oversees Honor Guard members as they practice folding the flag.



Kennard Williams and Sergio Ransom learn how to correctly fold and present the flag.

ROTC's Finest Girl Drill Teams....

The girls drill team consist of three different teams. The teams are as follows: Unarmed Exhibition (UAE), Individual Drill Requirements (IDR), and Exhibition. UAE uses Military drills and various body movements to step in their routines. IDR uses basic rifle handlings and movements to execute drills. Last but not least, Exhibition uses rifles with precise execution to make it their own. With CWO4 Taylor in charge we know what to do, how to do it, and when to do it. We perform at many events such as: The Colombus Day Parade, Veteran's Day, Homecoming parades, and many other events. We also go to the Drill Team Competition which takes place in Indianapolis. One reason why I love being on the girls Drill Team is that we're a family of one and CWO4 Taylor is our "grandaddy."

-by Bridget Member-Meneh and Ashley Misch



UAE-Back row: Brittney Scott (Jr.), Marlo Springfield (So.), Rachele Newton (So.), CWO4 Taylor, TeNiesha Hamilton (SO.), Patricia Helm (Jr.). Front Row: LaShonda Nixon (Sr.), Christian Hudson (Jr.), Shalic Woddy (So.), Bridget Meneh-Member (Sr.), Morgan Johnson (So.), Crystal Jackson (So.), Brandis McCollier.



IDR-Back row: Virginia Streb (Fr.), Nicola McDaniels (Fr.), Shirley Bogin (Fr.), Lucero Flores (Fr.), Joanna Indelicato (Fr.), Hannah Wilson (Fr.), Kristen Barks (So.). Front Row: Jackie Doerr (Fr.), Theresa Antonio (XO-So.), Quanita Everett (Commander-Sr.), Danielle Hahn (Fr.).



Exhibition-(Commander) Ernestine Beckless (Jr.), Amber Huffman (Jr.), Melissa Martin (So.), Katie Moynihan (So.), CWO4 Taylor, Leah Frey (So.), Alisha McClendon (Jr.), Chanel Ivory (Jr.)

....and ROTC's most divine Boys Drill

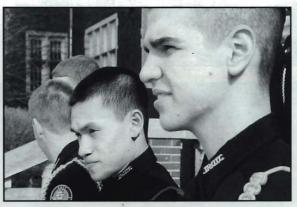
Team

On the other hand, the superior boys drill teams, the Black Knights and the Squires, dazzle crowds with their remarkable precision. These dynamic drillers are two armies of one: Exhibition and Individual Drill Requirments (IDR). The Exhibition drill team uses the basic military drill movements and transforms them into a military masterpeice. The team is nationally known now and in previous years for their miraculous accomplishments and achievments. The Exhibition team is normally headed by the more experienced members; who have been on the IDR team for at least a year. The Individual Drill Requirments team is composed of freshmen and/or beginners to the Band of Brotherhood. This team, like its elder team, is also known for its newly-found ability to impress the audience with their military drills and procedures they have been taught and learned. SCPO Fields is the genius behind this dynamic group of gentlemen!

-by Gralan Johnson and Ashley Misch



EXHIBITION- Nickolas Gulledge (Sr.), Beau Dornbech (Jr.), Huan Truan (Jr.), Donald Shaver (Sr.), Anthony Indelicato (Jr.)





IDR-Back row: Jason Jones (SO.), Armand Banks (Fr.), Nicholas Beck (So), Chris Bullock (Fr.), Jamar Wright(So). Front row: Troung Nguyen (Fr.), Huy Nguyen (Fr.), Nubari Kogbarn (So.), Ronald Robertson (So.), Josh Andrews (Fr.).



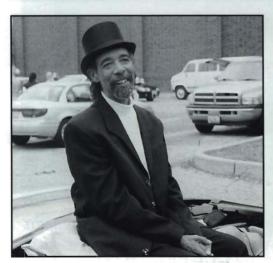
Left: Jessie James and Right Michael White leading the school band at Homecoming parade.

Below: Girls drill team waits at parade rest.



Left to right: Sherrie Green, Leandria Crawford, and Lisa Marshall look cute for the camera.





Mr. Ruffin poses for a photo as the Grand Marshall of the Homecoming parade.



Boys drill team shows off at the parade.



Honor Guard: Josh Cunningham, Nermin Mukic, Huan Troung, Johnathan Dang, Donald Shaver, Eric Tisdale, John Dang, and Anthony Doer.

elt's all about

During Homecoming week, everyone gets caught up in the spirit. We are busy buying tickets, new outfits to sport, and looking for ways to show our support for the football team.

We enjoyed ourselves at the Homecoming game, supporting our team 100%, but as it turned out, we lost to Vashon 14-12.

The Homecoming parade was on a Saturday. It was a nice cool day, with the parade route starting on Louisiana and proceeding down Meramec and Grand.



Leandre Crawford, Kenneth Griffen, Ashley Misch, Tuyen Ngyuen, Kymm Haynes, Rita Orozco, Shannon Young, Bridget Member-Meneh, Asha Love, Sherrie Green, Ciera Simril gather together to cheer on our team.



Homecoming GETTING DOWN WITH THE BEAT!

Cleveland's Homecoming was fun filled night of glamour and style. Cadets danced to the beat until dawn.



Our lovely Homecoming Queen, Sherry Green, smiles while seated next to two members of her court, Sophomores Tamara Trotman and Kendra Rigmaiden.



Homecoming 2004

Aisha Triplett and Lakeshia Brisby look flashy in their Homecoming attire.



Seniors Lashonda Nixon, Bridget Meneh-Member, Tamara McGill, Aisha Love and Jinnie Berry take a break from the dancing.

"Homecoming is the highlight of the fall sports season. Also it brings out the best of our school spirit." —Host of Homecoming Events, Mrs. Mann.









The Few, the Proud, the Marines

Celebrating an Annual Tradition at Cleveland

On November 10, Cleveland celebrated the 229th birthday of the United States Marine Corps. Among those attending the special celebration were MSGT Roe, MSGT Robinson, Capt. Farrar, Chief Hair, Mr. Wiswall and our school's honor guard. The party was also supported by Ms. Kightlinger, Ms. King, and Ms. Miller.

This celebration is observed at Cleveland because of the vital role that the Marines have played in the structure of our school. The birthday symbolizes the unity of service within this branch of the military. All marines are considered brothers and celebrate their brotherhood by

receiving a piece of the Marine Corps birthday cake. Along with the cake came the motto "Band of Brothers."

Many of our recent graduates have enlisted and served proudly in the Corps. The spirit of the Marines is summed up in a motto that MSGT Roe recalls from his days of service in Vietnam:

"There is no one above me There is no one below me You watch my back and I'll watch yours Together we can make it."

The pledge is sealed with an official USMC handshake.

(Below) Capt. Farrar is proud to honor his Marine compatriots by cutting the birthday cake.

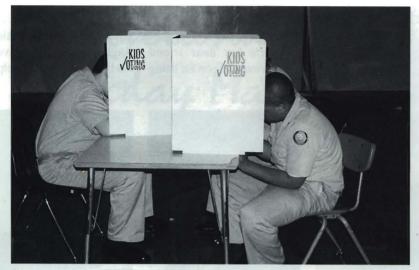




(Above) After participating in the birthday ceremony, members of Honor Guard enjoyed the spoils of the party and were even served by MSGT Robinson.

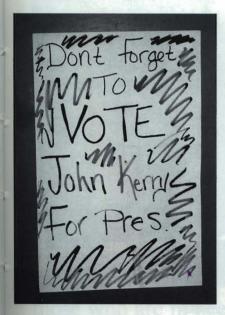
(Right) MSGT Robinson and MSGT Roe are Marine Corps veterans who bring a sense of discipline and excellence to the cadets at Cleveland.





Cleveland Votes, Kerry Wins, But Bush Gets Four More Years

In a mock election on November 2, Cleveland students voted overwhelmingly for John Kerry for President The nation's decision was different, but the election proved to be a valuable experience for many young Americans and brought out numerous first-time voters.





(Above) Campaign signs sprouted up throughout the school. Mrs. Schmidt, the election coordinator, was pleased with the enthusiasm shown by the student body.

(Left) The polls were set up on the stage and were busy all day. Students from all four classes took time to vote during the Social Studies class periods.

(Below) Cadets Ashley Malry and Mark Pardy were among the seniors who took the time to work as poll judges.





(Above) Maurice Cables oversees the return of a completed ballot.

The **Blood** R

(Below) Garlon Johnson gave blood after they finally found his veins of steel.



(Below) KimberlyHaynes (Below) Senior Dominic comforts her dear friend Ragland unselfishly gave Demetrious Wilson for being his time and blood to help others.



brave.





Miss Estes was heroic enough to join in helping other people.

The Red Cross visited Cleveland on December 9th. It gave some teachers a faint memory of the day. Some students were brave enough to endure pain to save lives.



(Above) Benjamin Moleski was already scared enough. When he saw Nickolas Gulledge with a needle he seemed more afraid.



Sherry Green courageously looks on as the nurse attempts to find a vein.

Cleveland's Holiday Magic

Students at Cleveland brought holiday magic throughout the school. The highlight of the season was a holiday pageant showing Christmas around the world. On the right we see some scenes from before the holiday break.



This year through Toys for Tots, students and staff gave back to those who are in need, and Ladonna Coleman was one of those busily collecting donations.



Your Book?

Yearbook Returns to Cleveland!



The Commander staff (left): Megan Gilliam, Ashley Misch, Leah McRoberts, Bridget Meneh-Member, Kenneth Griffin, Ernestine Beckless, and Gralon Johnson. (Below): Antoinette Johnson and Cassie Oguin.



For the first time since 2002, Cleveland undertook the publication of a school yearbook. Those who served on the staff will tell you that it is a daunting and challenging task. However, we wanted to begin a process that will carry on for years to come. A school without a yearbook is, well, not quite a complete school. This book would not have been published without the hard-working and fun-loving staff who made 4th period the best period of the day! We didn't have an editor-in-chief, but each of those students—Ashley Misch, Leah McRoberts, Gralon Johnson, Kenneth Griffin, Bridget Meneh-Member, Megan Gilliam, Ernestine Beckless, Cassie Oguin, and Antoinettte Johnson—were invaluable. Special thanks also go to Capt. Meyer, for greenlighting the project, to Mr. Nolan and MS. Schmidt, for their encouragement and cooperation, and to our Herff-Jones representative, Liz Cox, who is the greatest!!



Members of the Publications class lead at cheer at the Herff-Jones workshop held at UMSL in October.

Time to Rap and Rhyme Poetry Readings Carry On

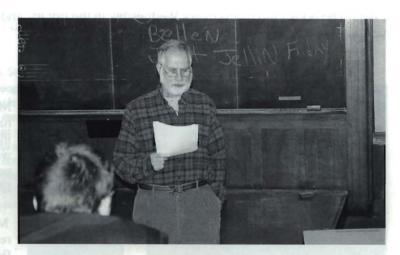


The poetry reading was begun by Ms. Roberts last year. Mr. Nolan, Mr. Grobe, and Mr. Dresslaer thought that continuing this project would benefit students into real experiences through learning.

"I think the importance of this experience was to learn that you must strive for a challenge in order to learn something that is a real experience." Mr.

Dresslaer said.

Pictured clockwise from top are poets Ashley Pratt, Mr. Nolan, Jennifer Williams, and the team of Ashley Bennett and Lorretta Owens.

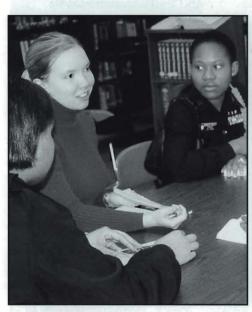






Building Great Minds With Good Books

Every great mind requires a good book, which is exactly the prize received when you're a loyal book club member. The book club offers you the opportunity to interact with your peers in a positive learning environment. It also offers you the chance to explore the world of literacy in a way that challenges your normal way of thinking. The book club is very diverse in choosing its titles from "The Color Purple" to "Slaughterhouse Five." The book club meets every Wednesday in the library, and is organized by Ms. Thomas and Ms. Wright.



The book club engages in a dramatic discussion.



Ms. Thomas' favorite book that the Book Club has read so far is "Their Eyes Were Watching God" by Zora Neale Hurston. She said it was her favorite because, "For that time period for a woman to marry two men was liberating."



Ms. Wright's favorite book that they have read is "Cry The Beloved Country" by Alan Paton. "It shows the difference in the cultures and it binds two people from different cultures together."



Lakeisha Madison's favorite book that they have read is "Cry The Beloved Country" by Alan Paton. That is her favorite because "It gives you a persepective on other cultures."



Ebony James making a point about something that they just read.



This was her favorite because of "the old fashioned setting, and their morals are the same as our reality."

Ebony James's favorite book that they have read is "Cry The Poloved County."

Bridget Member-Meneh's favorite book that they have read is "Their Eyes Were Watching God" by Zora Neale Hurston.



Ebony James's favorite book that they have read is "Cry The Beloved Country" by Alan Paton. This is her favorite because "It shows the nature of the African culture."



Brandis McCollier's favorite book that they have read is "Their Eyes Were Watching God" by Zora Neale Hurston. She liked this book because "It relates to things that are happening today and in our school."

As the class of 2005 approaches graduation, we realize that there are many people who have deeply impacted our lives that deserve a huge thank you.



Mr. Starks

Mr. Starks was a man of privilege who brought Cleveland some memorable moments throughout the time he was here, and I believe he was one of the people we as Cleveland students should say thank you to even though he is no longer at our school. Mr. Starks was a man you could talk to without feeling inferior and he was one you could relate to when things weren't always in your favor. My experience with Mr. Starks was that he always tried to allow the students to understand the importance of excelling in high school even though not everyone makes it to graduation day. Not many of the underclassmen can say that Mr. Starks was important to them, but the juniors and seniors can understand his involvement as the one person who made Cleveland stand out as a unified high school. On behalf of the senior class he will be missed in our hearts, but not forgotten from those he touched.

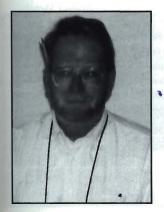
By Megan Gilliam

Mrs. Pfefferkorn

Mrs. Pfefferkorn was a woman everyone will remember as the one who asked the hard questions, and gave extra homework not for amusement, but for her students to gain knowledge through reading pieces of literature that other people may not have ever read. She made her Honors American Literature class take on challenges that previous classes have accomplished, but with more humor. Even some students can say that their parents had her in their younger years. The journals at the beginning of the year were challenging sometimes, but the journals got better throughout the year. The constant pressure of our mid-term essay was a handful for most of us.

The seniors this year remember her for pushing us to be better as individual students as well as growing a better future for ourselves. She made us realize that we have the power of changing those who don't really understand the truth of learning. Also, she was a former graduate of Cleveland; she gave her knowledge back to the community. The Advance placement class had the full force of her every effort to make them realize that understanding literature is the most important thing to gain in high school for college.

By Megan Gilliam



Mr. Brush

There's a new sheriff in town. Mr. Brush, known to others as "Sheriff Bill": Cleveland's own police force. Mr. Brush was a teacher here at Cleveland for twelve years. His main job besides teaching was keeping the halls clear on the second floor's north wing. He was one of the top science teachers at Cleveland. From dissecting pigs to teaching the anatomy of the human body he did it all. Any student that has ever had the chance to have Mr. Brush received a great education. Many others missed out on a chance of a lifetime due to his untimely heart attack that forced him to retire. Nevertheless, Mr. Brush has inspired many cadets here at Cleveland so much that we stand and salute you.

By Kenneth Griffin



Ms. King & Mrs. Kightlinger

Many people truly don't understand what these two great ladies do. During the summer of 2004 they were relieved of their duties. They were offered another position that wouldn't guarantee that they would be back here at Cleveland. But, through a stroke of luck we were able to get them back for another year. Ms. King and Kightlinger are now Family and parent Resource Specialists. They deal directly with the cadets and their families with the problems they may face at home. Not only do they deal with those situations, but they also help the cadets here at Cleveland with most of our problems. They are people that are just great to talk to. No matter what the problem may be they can give you a solution. They are our own personal psychologists. They are there to help us and guide us in the right direction with their advice. We here at Cleveland are proud to have these two special ladies, Ms. King and Mrs. Kightlinger.

By Kenneth Griffin

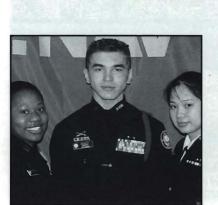
Former Cadets that are Currently Serving in the Military

The price of freedom isn't cheap. Several cadets from Cleveland NJROTC have accepted the challenge to protect not only their freedoms, but yours also. The men and women of the armed forces endure many hardships, and make many sacrifices for their country. They are willing and ready to travel far from home to foreign lands and risk their own lives, and that deserves recognition. Cadets that have gone on to serve their country dutifully are:

Thomas Bottini	Ahmed Ali	Juan Osorio
Alex Osorio	Erin Markham	Alfie Sharp
Stewart Thomas	Andree Franklin	Thai Chi Truong
Terry Towner	Amos Griffin	Patrick Rogalin
Henry Rogalin	Chris Randall	Joshua Arnett
Daniel Niethe	David Kiebler	Jamie Fisher
Shawn Cunningham	Ryan Branscum	Eldonovan Black
Jack Dillard	Shawn McDaniels	Matthew Darby
Donald Keener	Josh Smith	Roger Tesson
Martin Collins	Mikki Garcia	Brian Johnson
Tommy Shaw	Ashley Hemmeain	David Eskew

There are many other cadets that have gone on to serve, and even though they are not mentioned, they are not forgotten.

By Kenneth Griffin and Leah McRoberts



Foreign Students of Cleveland

Many students at Cleveland high school are foreign students that endure the hardships of adjusting not only to a military environment, but also to a culture very different from their own. Many students come from various parts of Africa, such as Bridget Meneh-Member; or they come from Bosnia like Nermin Mukic, or Vietnam like Tuyen Nguyen. All of these students are genuinely unique for representing not only themselves here, but also the challenges they had to survive in order to attend Cleveland.

All foreign students that attend Cleveland high school should be as praised for what they have endured in order to have a reasonable opportunity for an education. All students should be grateful for being given the opportunity to enjoy these freedoms at our school. Some foreign students have been subjected to many things most people here would never dream of dealing with. Cleveland has inspired them not to lose hope for a brighter future. Each of these students is brilliant and bright and an integral part of our community.

By Megan Gilliam

Naval Science Instructors

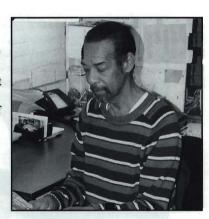
Eleven notable gentlemen run this unique academy. All of these well known men are more exciting to see everyday than most people will admit, and they barely receive the credit they deserve. This is the senior class way of saying thank you for the memories and all the laughs through the years. Thank you to Captain Farrar for his dedication and determination to turn Cleveland into the best navy school. A thanks to SCPO Fields for teaching us as freshmen that it pays to be organized. Thank you to CWO4 Taylor for the great times at Basic Leadership School. Thank you to LCDR Eggleston for useful naval history and funny jokes. Thank you to CPO Owens for the weekly football games. Thank you to Master Chief Kemp for the hard work put into the Junior Ring dances. A thanks to MSGT Roe for his constant attempts to instill discipline in us, regardless of whether or not we listen, some of us do appreciate it, and for the work put into the Junior Ring dance. Thank you to MSGT Robinson for the help with community service and useful computer knowledge. Thank you to SCPO Parson for the help with college and/or life after high school and the candy store. Thank you to Chief Hair for the hard work and dedication put into supply. Lastly, thanks to MCPO Cochoran for coming in to Cleveland and working with the freshman, and we hope that your stay here at Cleveland is a long lasting, memorable one.

By Leah McRoberts

Mr. Ruffin

If influential people are vital to the class of 2005, Mr. Ruffin definitely fits into that category. He has deeply impacted not only the seniors, but also the whole student body of Cleveland Junior Naval Academy. He is a very diverse individual and shows great compassion and concern for everyone he knows and comes across. His conversations are so powerful and effective because his level of intelligence and respect makes you feel as if you are the most important person in the world. His suave and sophisticated style is calming, and his humble spirit reminds you that there is not a situation too strenuous for you to handle. He is a symbol of peace and a man of honor. Mr. Ruffin, the class of 2005 salutes you!

By Rev. Gralon A. Johnson





Cleveland's Cleaning Crew

Without the cleaning crew of Cleveland would not have the cleanse look of shine to them all. The cleaning crew is important because without these hard working, loving people we would not have our shinning stairs or halls. The main motto of the cleaning crew is they clean up the trash in the hall, and other places in the school.

Eugene Johnson, Lloyd Harper, and Cece Watkins are the three longest cleansing members at Cleveland High School. We thank you for your service in doing such a wonderful job.

By Megan Gilliam



Mr. Clay

Last year the engineers went on strike. Cleveland was without water, lights, and heat. Could you imagine going without those things constantly? Most don't realize it, but without Mr. Clay you'd have to do without those needs. Mr. Clay has worked for Cleveland a very long time. His service has been among almost every student, but the faculty knows this gentleman better than anyone.

Mr. Clay is a man of privilege who works hard for his simple meaningless job from some students' perception, but the faculty realizes this man as person of true joy. On behalf of the yearbook staff we would like to say thank you for taking your time to serve us these simple obligations in order to proceed during the day.

By Megan Gilliam

Cleveland Security Guards

Security! Security! The security guards here at Cleveland are exceptional. They provide safety for us each and everyday. We couldn't publish a yearbook without acknowledging the ones that keep us out of harms way. Throughout the course of our four years, security guards have come and gone, but no one has left such a mark as SO Lewis. Anyone who knew him knew that he was someone special and dear to us all. If we ever had a problem, school related or not, he was there for us to confide in. The class of 2005 thanks Officer Lewis, and all past and present security guards.

By Kenneth Griffin and Leah McRoberts





Carolyn Phillips

Cookies! Juice! Carolyn Phillips has worked for Cleveland for quite a while. Many people may not even know who she is. However, her unique voice is one of a kind. Each and every day she provides us with St. Louis's finest chicken sandwiches and cheese fries. Despite the fact that she works with two other women, she dominates her area, and is a perfectionist at what she does. Whether or not it is a sandwich or pure knowledge, she always has something to offer you. Mrs. Phillips has contributed to several gained pounds for the class of 2005 over the past four years. Mrs. Phillips, we the class of 2005, thank you for your hard work and dedication to Cleveland.

By Kenneth Griffin and Leah McRoberts

Remembering Our Fallen Angel Charles

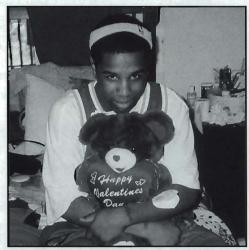
A Reflection on "Showtime": Charles was one of the most popular kids around the school. He was very good in basket-ball. He started at point guard for our school. He was liked and respected by many. Some people knew Charles for always asking for a dollar. He was also known for having all the Jordans and Jerseys. The nickname on the court was Young Kobe. They called him "Showtime" because on the court he would put on a show. For every game he would do amazing things with the ball, and win the game. I remember sophomore year at the company vs. company game he made the last shot and won the game with 3 seconds left on the clock. He always knew how to make money in a quick hurry using the term "Showtime." by: Jerome Borum

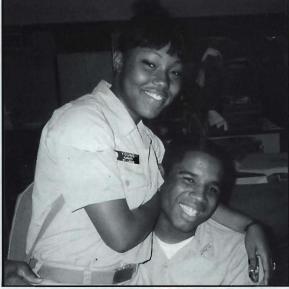
A Million Times

A million times we loved you A million times we've cried If love alone could have saved you, You never would have died. In life we loved you tremendously. In death we love you still Charles, you had a place in our hearts No one, nowhere can fill. A million times we miss you We know you miss us too! But heaven has a place for us Right there next to you! We know you're saying, "Be strong, Keep ya head up, We will meet again." Oh but, a million times we miss the way you walked, talked, smiled, and even your smell, But most of all we miss you, Showtime more than a million times!

We Love You, Charles Class of 2005









Where Will You Be In Ten Years?

We asked a group of seniors where they thought they would be in ten years and these are their responses:

MaryAnn Banda says she will be a Obstetric Nurse with a mansion and an Escalade parked in back, married with two kids.

Ernestine Beckless says she will be in a bank working as an accountant making 100,000 dollars, being married, and having two kids.

LaDonna Coleman says she will be a Registered Nurse.

Katie Demay says she will be living as a dentist and married.

Quanita Everett says she will be in California working as a columnist for a local newspaper with the intent to start my own newspaper. I hope to be living a very simplistic, happy, healthy life, full of focus and drive.

Kenneth Griffin says he will have earned his MBA from the University of Missouri-Columbia. Working as a successful business consultant for a major corporation, residing in Atlanta, Georgia with a finnce and a child on the way.

Voreece Harris says she will be a doctor and own her own home and a car, maybe two cars.

Ebony James says she will be a lawyer, living in New Orleans with her husband and two kids.

Jesse James says he will be a well known artist world wide.

Gralon A Johnson says "In the next decade, I have high hopes that I will be a successful ordained minister. By then, I should have my doctorates in Psycho-Therapy and Theology, and a masters in Business Management/Marketing. I'm sure I will be prosperously married to a divine woman and we will reside in our million-dollar estate with our 4 children. I'm sure if the good Lord above permits, I will someday pastor God's people and be a shepherd among mankind."

Allen Kopsic says he will be working in some kind of law enforcement protecting people, and married to his beautiful girlfriend with one or two kids in a big house.

Thomas Love says he will own his own entertainment business.

Jessica Ludwig says she hopes to be out of college, married with 2 kids, wealthy, with a big house, nice cars, living up life with the love of her life.

Leah McRoberts says she will be over at Ernestine's house playing spades. Just kidding. I'll be a successful registered nurse, married, and a mom with three kids.

Bridget Member-Meneh says she will be done with college, being a successful business woman, married, having at least one kid with a house and two cars. That is my African Dream.

Ramon Mitchell says he will own his own Architectural Firm, married with two kids (boys), and living in a mansion on his own private island getaway, being very wealthy.

Ashley D Misch says she hopes to be living as a wealthy Pharmacist with her husband and 4 children in their mansion with cars, they will be living with happiness, health, hope, money and love. Meghan Mobley says she will be in the army working on a law degree, with three kids, traveling with her husband Matt.

Tanisha Moore says she will be living in ATL as a RN, and married to the love of her life.

Aisha Triplett says she will have finished college received her degree, and will be working to be the best lawyer.

Michael White says he will be a music teacher here in STL.

Demetrius Wilson says he will be living in one of his mansions, he will own many mansions all across the country, including his own island he will obtain all of this by winning the Nobel Piece Prize from Bioengineering, he will have found a cure for many diseases, and have at least seven children.

