

NEW HORIZONS Youth Ministries

Dear Friends,

For over 30 years New Horizons Youth Ministries has been a tool for families to redeem and challenge teens for Christ. New Horizons has been an instrument in the restoration of relationships and the building of self-esteem in the Lord. We give God the glory for every family and heart that has been changed.

New Horizons started a Christian grade school for Dominicans in the past year. It has been well received by all the community leaders of Jarabacoa who want their kids to speak English, and we just love teaching them about Jesus. What a privilege for us to be missionaries for God in Jarabacoa! The side benefit from this school is the joy of seeing the lives changed.

We completed our chapel at Escuela Caribe and you should see it--stained glass windows and the view of the mountains. Our students and staff have an awesome feeling when worshiping God "on the mountain". So did I when I shared in our new beautiful chapel. I really thank those people who made it all possible.

What New Horizons is about is structure. This is what the book shows: the "doings" of Escuela Caribe, New Horizons Academy, and Missanabie Woods Academy. Structure allows redemptive relationships to happen. Its not the structure, it's the relationships that count. That is what we are all about-- helping parents and teens play roles (structure) that allow positive relationships to grow. Nurturing both staff and students alike--that is what we are all about.

It is our aim for each of New Horizons' staff, students, and parents to develop internal, transparent, and personal relationships: nurturing relationships in the Lord. Thank you for buying this book of remembrances. It is just a small part of our structure showing redemptive relationships.

New Horizons Youth Ministries NHYM Director Tim Blossom

THANK YOU, BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Dear Board,

We know that you don't always get to spend as much time here with us as you'd like, so we thought we'd compile a page of pictures showing you what we **really** do in our free time. We greatly appreciate all the love and energy you put into us!

NHYM Students and Staff











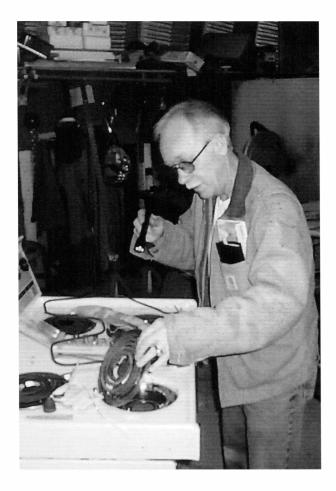


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New Horizons Ministry Staff 2000-2001



Bob Clemons hard at work

Ministry staff having fun





Fred Booker Marge Ashley Bev Wickham Pat Teegarden James Allen

Tony Miner Shari Paul Edith Bailey Betty Bright

Deb Hatland Suzi Lane Georgia

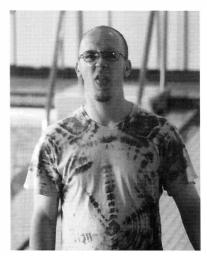
Georgia Mauller Stephanie Wells Ron Powell

If I could sum up the 2000-2001 school year in one word it would be transition. We moved into the new Gordon Blossom School Building, said goodbye to our longtime director Jeff Seabrook and his family, and had a series of acting directors providing leadership for the school. God was faithful to us, however, and showed us that we could find new ways of solving problems. My thanks also to each of the staff for working so hard. Counselors and teachers have enjoyed the new offices and classrooms and all of us have had to adjust to living and working in two buildings instead of one.



The biggest loss has probably been not hearing Mr. Geist yelling "BREAK!!!" throughout the school day. I am thankful for the opportunity to be involved with so many people's lives and look forward to growing in my time as NHA School Director. To God be the glory! Eric Saunders

New Horizons Academy Staff







































John Heflick shows how he feels about broccoli.

Paul Neddo, all dressed up for the Awards Ceremony.

Hester Patterson wisely comments on the retreat softball game.

Jennifer Rohrer watches the retreat softball game and listens to Hester Patterson.

Bill Strube looks over his shoulder to supervise a student in the hallway at the administration building.

Dena Smith tears into a chicken leg.

Bridget Weidenboerner, happy at NHA.

Tony Callender gives a stirring speech at the Awards Ceremony. Wendi Robishaw helps hand out awards.

Joe Short speaks for a departing student.

Steve Hatland, honoring staff anniversaries.

Fares DaSilva and Maria DaSilva watch games at Pine Ridge.

Chris Lehman oversees retreat games.

Tom Daubert leads his team in water games.

Peter Bergs welcomes students to Moosilini night.

Kirk Thompson smiles for the camera.

Marcy Boone cheers on her team.

Gail Haglund in Support Services.

Jerry Geist puts on his attractive Valentine's Day face.

Mike Aviles plays on the playground.

Nakoma Enochs loves hanging with students.

Michelle Hadley prepares a picnic. Jody Heintz, the next Charlie's Angel. Marilyn Metz provides transportation and style tips.

Not pictured but greatly appreciated Dwight Dunlap, Tina McCord, Angie Boone, Wendy Campbell

...Awards Ceremonies...



Cassie Lane receives an award from Tony Callender and Geoff Whiteman



(Above) Jeff and Joey Locke accept an award from Paul Neddo, Nate Miller, Eric Ward, and Peter Bergs.(Right) Stacie Hoyum.



...Spring and Fall Retreats...

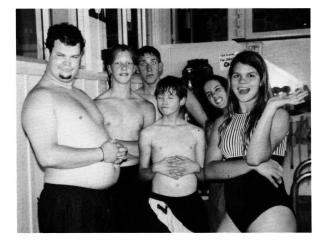












Retreat changed some people's lives forever!

Graduates of

Sean Miller Mary Miller Tess Mardersian Stacie Hoyum Brandon Garza

Celesta Wier Sarah Nalley Maribel Wafford

Lauren Barr in the D.R. David Wier speaking



Graduation









2001



Lauren Barr Tim Meadows Tyler Freeman Travis Damron Eric Jorgensen



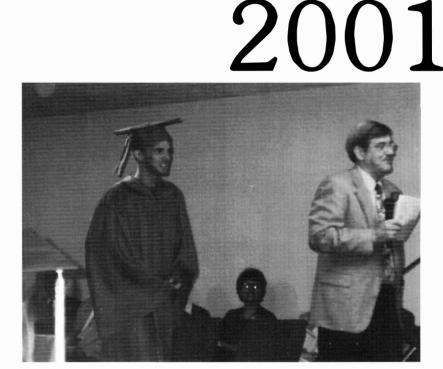


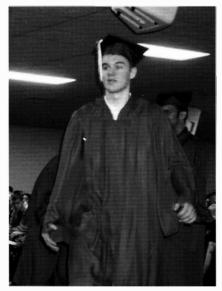




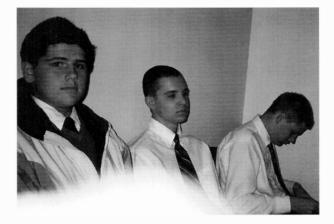
Adam Robertson Wes Jones Luke Hunter

Stacie Celebrating her Graduation Luke H. and Dresha B. after grad









Happy Holidays!

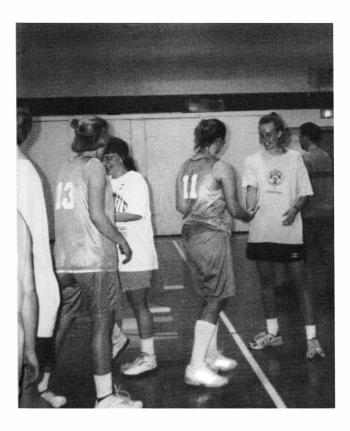


Happy Valentine's Day! Ashley and Eric Ward, Joel Sutton, Tom Daubert, Matt Ance, Cory Hilgendorf and Drew Prather celebrate the holiday of love by enjoying a gourmet meal at historic Hostess House.



- Merry Christmas! (Above) Revelers gather at Craig House on Christmas day to eat Kellie Blossom's famous steak.
- (Right) Dagley House boys enjoy celebrating Jesus's birth with staff at the annual Christmas party.





Girls' Cross Country

Dresha Beckley and Stacie Hoyum take a stretching break before a meet. The girls' team worked hard to build cardiovascular fitness and endurance.



Basketball

The girls' basketball team hone their skills against an all-star staff team. Good sportswomanship abounds!

The boys' basketball team also put in a fine showing this year, excelling in team work and positive attitudes.



Boys' Cross Country

Damon McCreary and Mark Liston show team work even before meets, helping each other stretch. The entire boys' team strove for victory in spite of their relative inexperience, persevering through all circumstances.

Herrick House



Sarah Pluim and Danielle Scott



Herrick House 2000-2001



A Herrick House Christmas



Graduates Mary Miller, Stacie Hoyum, & Maribel Wafford



Alice Pratt--What a sweetheart!



Herrick House at the Hostess House for Valentine's Day

Pitts House



Pitts Housetrip 2001



Pitts at Roadkill Cafe



Friends Amanda Wilson & Cassie Lane



Pitts at Valentine's Banquet



Jennie K. and Valeri P. ''grappling'' Delyn K. climbing a tree Peace, Love, and Mr. Whiteman's Pitts House

Craig House





Nate Krugeman and Tim Meadows

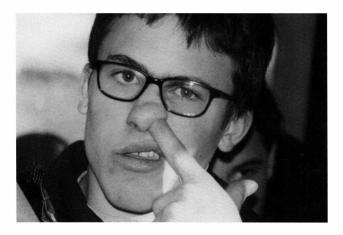
House Trip 2001 at Cumberland Falls



Working hard or hardly working?



Houseparents Zac and Kellie Blossom



Alex Perez mining for gold.



"The beach is THAT way!"

Lare House





My, how the Lare House Buddhas have grown!

Matt Ance and Cory Hilgendorf--surprised by the camera?



Byron, Justin, and Groupleader John are ready to play some laser tag.



Houseparents Ashley and Eric Ward



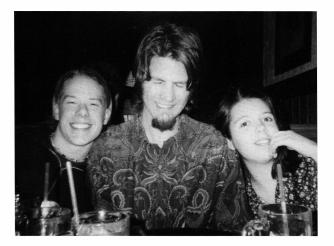
Lare House is all spiffed up for Valentine's Day.



Brandon & Justin--enemies on the field, bros in the house

Dagley House--One House Fits All





The Dagley boys enjoy lunch over at the admin building.

Joey Locke with Houseparents Nate and Jean Miller.



Bryan Dempsey and Joel Sutton



The Dagley House girls pose at their favorite campground.



Jennie, Stacie, Janean, and Tai rest after chores.



Tai, Danielle, and Lara are "Good sharers" at the playground

MWA 2001



What a mighty God we serve. He has done wondrous things and His grace is beyond understanding. Through His faithfulness Missanabie Woods Academy has had the great privilege of experiencing one of the best summers ever. Although the student numbers were smaller than in previous years, God's mercy was larger. Many of the hardened hearts were softened through the workings of the Holy Spirit. Staff's lives were strengthened as they gave unselfishly of their time and energy. Much joy and gladness was experienced various times throughout the summer as individuals publicly professed their faith in the Lord Jesus Christ. Praise Him for His sacrificial life and death that enables us to witness such a wonderful summer. May these pictures remind you of our Lord's saving work in your own life.

May our Heavenly Father richly bless you, Tony Wormgoor

MWA Staff

Groupleader Dave Moore Counselor Carrie Poche Trail Boss Heather Raake Outtrip Coordinator Ashley Ward and Homelife Manager Eric Ward Support Services/Works Department Manager Kirk Thompson

Support Services Department Head Paul Neddo and Social Services Dept Head Heidi Neddo Cook Beth Webb Homelife Dept Head Danny Bird Relief Homelife Staff Paul Birnbaum and Counselor Sarah Birnbaum Relief Team leader Neil Dainio





Our fabulous and incredibly hard-working kitchen staff



Nurse Mark Marshall grooves on guitar

Head Secretary Holly Amelotte Works Department John Barban Environmental Training Educator Jerry Geist Works Department Roberto Cruz Team Leader Ed Wood

Camp Director Tony Wormgoor Team Leader Paul Baxter Counselor Nick Renault Chore Boss Bill Strube Canoe Boss Dena Smith

Group Leader Erika Baxter Cook Darcy Gibson Secretary Tiffany Purtee Comptroller Kathleen Wormgoor Works Services Department Head Peter Bergs



WE LOVE CANADA

WORK PROJECTS:

HENCKEL CABIN





HENCKEL HAULED RAW MATERIALS FOR MANY PROJECTS.

THEY ALSO INSTALLED BOARDWALK BY THE TRIP KITCHEN.

MARION CABIN

FAUL TEAM



MARION CONSTRUCTED A NEW SECTION OF BOARDWALK.



FAUL TEAM RE-BUILT PASTOR'S DOCK FROM THE MUD UP.

Marion Cabin





Trail Camp--This is the life!

Marion Cabin wins the trough--five gallons of ice cream with toppings!



Amanda Wilson, Ashley Minshell, and Delyn Kazdan



Melody Martinez & Briana Bryan fight for the "Tomahawk."



Marion Cabin heads off for a wonderful week on the trails.

Briana Bryan and her culinary creation.

Starr Cabin



Nerds (Starr Cabin) go to town on Moosilini Night!



Valeri Padgett gets wild.





Terri McNamara and Jennifer Yepez bust out in the pit.

Group leader Abby Matchette and Team leader Jay Lutter



Jennifer Yepez gets ready for ITCs.



It doesn't get much weirder than this! Starr Cabin at Weird Night 2001.

Faul Cabin



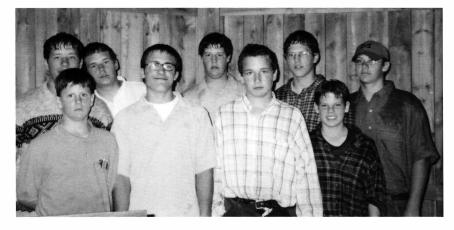
Mark Liston, David York, and Team Leader Jamie Liddick



Talon Stuart precariously switches canoes.



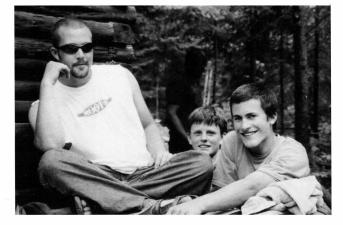
Group Leader Josh Molnar



Faul Cabin loves Chapel!



Trail Boss Heather Raake and Faul Cabin



John Barban, Mark Liston, and Alex Perez take a break.

Henckel Cabin



Henckel Cabin pigs out on the trough.



At attention, Henckel!



Fabulous free days at the cliffs.



Who stole Dan's pocket protector?



Henckel celebrates after winning the Bulldog.

"Who are we? HENCKEL!"

...COMPETITIONS...



TERESE P. LEAPS GRACEFULLY THROUGH A TIRE



ABBIE N., TERESE P., DAN Y .-- MARATHON CHAMPIONS



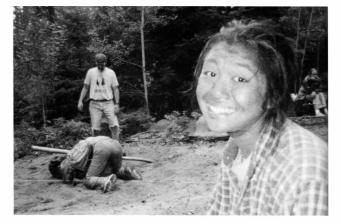
HENCKEL DURING G.I. COMPETITION



THE MIGHTY FLEET OF G.I. RAFTS, GENTLEMEN, START YOUR ENGINES!



VICTORY SHOT FOR ALEX, DAVE, AND JAMIE LIDDICK



WAR TORN, AMANDA RESTS FROM GRAPPLING

...OUTTRIPS...



MARION CABIN--CONQUERORS OF THE VAST, UNTAMED WILDERNESS



MARK LISTON JUST ATE A LEECH!



DON'T WORRY--TERESE DOESN'T BITE ... MUCH



MELODY CHILLS BY A STREAM--THIS IS THE LIFE!



CORY ADVANCES INTO BATTLE



CAP'N DAN LEADS HIS BAND OF RUFFIANS TO PLUNDER

...SPECIAL EVENTS...





THE MOOSILINI FAMIILIA

DENA SMITH AND JILL McCLEARY= STRENGTH AND BEAUTY



TWIN NIGHT WITH JERRY GEIST AND PAUL NEDDO



SPIRITUAL EMPHASIS WEEK WITH SHAUN DUNN

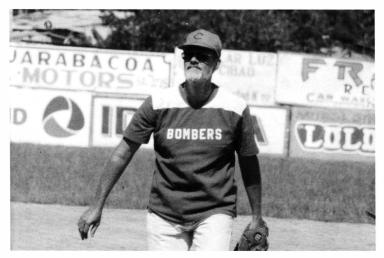


"HOWDY!" M. MARSHALL, B. STRUBE, K. THOMPSON, N. DAINIO



NEIL FOSS AS PETER BERGS

Escuela Caribe



Where were you when...Certain events are defined by where we stood or by what we were doing at a certain point in time. September 11, 2001, marked one such time for all. We shared in anger over the attacks against innocents, reveled in the bravery of police and fire department, stood with the flag in supporting our military and shared in the renewed level of patriotism and faith our nation discovered.

Stepping up to the challenges of life: Director Phil Redwine pitching for an all-school game.



As Christians, we have already known such points in time. Though we cannot tell where we stood, we have record of where others stood in the shadow of a crucifixion and a resurrection. U.S. history hinges on December 7th and September 11th, but all of history hinges on One Man on one day. If the resurrection determines how we then should live, how should we live following September 11th? Greater than the sorrow we felt at Columbine, greater than the loss of natural disasters, the sorrow of that day changed a nation.

Above) Welcome to Escuela Caribe Below) Reflecting on moments at Escuela Caribe



The photos held herein speak of our lives changing, of personal crucifixions and resurrections. They also speak of the key to life: relationships. May you look back on these points in time with fondness and sweet memories, even through hard times.

Phil Redwine, Escuela Caribe Director

We Love Escuela Caribe Staff!





Back together again. Annie Seabrooke and Cindy Hundley once again bring spunk and pizzazz to Escuela Caribe.

We all enjoy the spiritual leadership chaplin Matt Keltner shares with us.



Eric Grant's tricks of the trade-from discipline to scuba diving.



Donna Webster advises the students and enhances lives in the community.

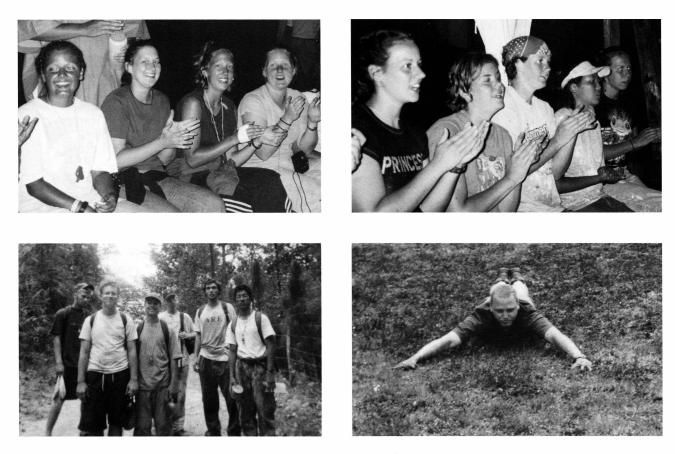


Rosa Pieczara plans her attack to assist the soccer team at retreat.

Pico Duarte



(Above) Kyle Swagman, Ted Evans, Mark Schultz, Logan Newell, James Linskey, Jared Cantrell, Joey Locke, Owen Postma, Andrei Quick, and Nate Jansen take a break at the summit of Pico Duarte.
(Below left) Brieanne Burnthon, Summer Palmer, Corrine Ternstrom, and Melissa Olsen enjoy the festivities of Pico night life. (Below right) Sarah Hager, Dresha Beckley, Morgan Riffe, Melissa Chun, and Sarah Strong keep the beat of the mountain music.



Huyck

House



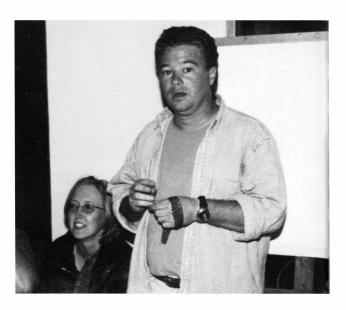
Sonia Beam sharing her gift of music at our Easter Sunrise Service.



Jay Gonzalez prepares for his downhill run from Flat Top.



Mark Thompson, always the safety man.



It's okay Chris Beam, they are al here.

Huyck House



Christmas 2000--Front from the left: Jay Gonzalez, Tom Warren, Dustin Eyerly, Chris Beam, Sonia Beam, Bill Pieczara, Taige Hall, Chad Soucy. Back from the left: Tyler Freeman, Chris Marron, Chris Brownell, Adam Tibbits, Steve Chase, Mark Thompson, Rob Rich.

Phat Man and his backup dancers rock retreat with another performance. Taige Hall, Chris Marron, and Jay Gonzalez, with Tyler Freeman as Phat Man.





The brains of Huyck House: Chris Beam, Sonia Beam, Steve Chase, Erin Summers, and Luke Meyers.

Lance House

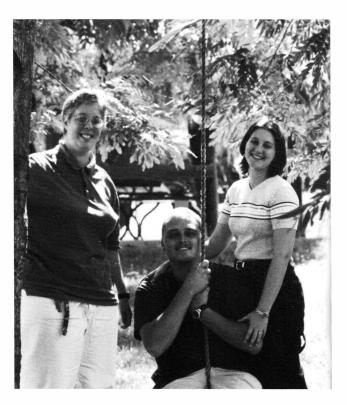


Lance House gathers in the Colonial section of Santo Domingo. (left to right) Jayson Gard, Rachel Pawelko, Corrine Ternstrom, Melissa Olsen, Danielle Scott, Abbie Nelson, Wendy Gahafer, Katie Friddle, Kate Sponsler, Monica Tuene, and Jeremy Palmer.



(Above) Tia Zirnheld, Wendy Gahafer, Richard Webster, and Katie Friddle passing out confo.

(Right) Kate Sponsler, Jeremy Palmer, and Summer Palmer make up the house staff that loves and supports the girls of Lance House.



Lance House



Katie Friddle, Lara Coleman, and Bethany Webster performing for retreat.





(Left) Brieanne Burnthon denying ownership of "the pants".

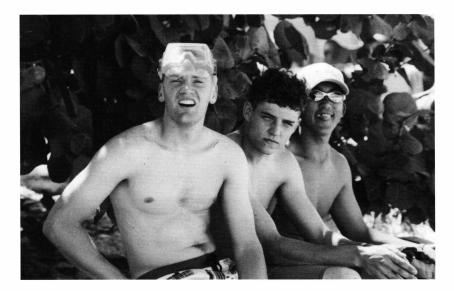
(Above) Jayson Gard and Delight Yokley face off.

TKB House

The men of TKB strut their stuff at the sock hop.

(Left) Wes Jones, Ryan
Ruemler, Owen Postma, Kyle
Swagman, and Byron
Kroondyk.
(Front Right) Scott Clause,
James Linskey, and Ben
Hockenberry.
(Back Right) Nate Jansen,
Andrei Quick, and Adam
Robertson.





Beach Bums

Nate Jansen, Adam Robertson, and Kyle Swagman are preparing their game faces for another day of spear fishing.

In the midst of training for the crabwalk, Tim Meadows and Andrei Quick stop to encourage one another.



TKB House



A house with three proud graduates.

Jared Cantrell, James Linskey, Nate Jansen, Mandee and Dominic Hostetler, Kyle Swagman, Katie Mitchell, and Troy Richie come together on the awaited day.

Bathing Beauties of TKB.

Mark Schultz, Tim Meadows, Andrei Quick, Dominic Hostetler, and Adam Robertson pose by their modified shower.





Mandee and Dominic Hostetler take a break from Houseparenting for an Easter picture.

Starr House



Starr House pauses for a house photo at the 2000 fall retreat. Front row: Stacey Ogletree, Milli Martin, Sarah Nalley, Sarah Paige, Maribel Wafford. Second row: Matt Yoder, Melissa Chun, Wendy Gahafer, Sarah Hager, Lauren Barr, and Joy and Bryan Turner.



Matt Yoder fulfills his promise to Sarah Hager after losing a bet. Matt's hair went from brown to purple in minutes.



Morgan Riffe plays her clarinet for the talent show.

Starr House



The joyful support of Starr House consists of Rebecca Ahmann, Bryan and Joy Turner, and Matt Yoder.



Morgan Riffe, Lauren Barr, and Sarah Paige are off to gather Easter eggs.



Starr House is visited by a Carribean Santa in shorts? Oh, no, that is Bryan Furner.



Stacey Ogletree is putting the finishing touches on the finely manicured lawn.

Thomas

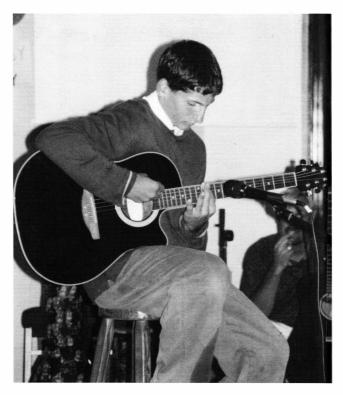


At first glance, it appears that Thomas House has had a rough day of scrubbing, but in all reality they chose to take a romp in the mud. Dripping with mud are (front) Dave Weidenhamer (second row) Jon Habbeger, Ben Heys, Roy Freida (third row) Mike Crist. John Woodward, and Andy Kopenski.



(Above) David Hupp, doing what he likes best, tinkering with hard drives.

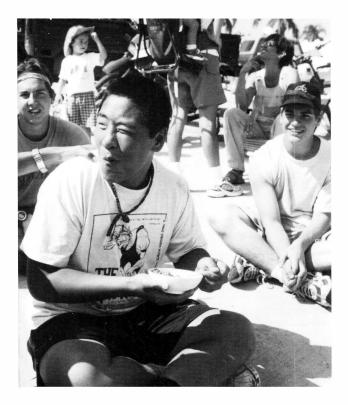
(Right) Dave Weidenhamer shares his gift of performance and song writing.



House



As the boys of Thomas House take steps towards becoming men, their house team is there waiting to give support. Joel Strunk, Denise Shuey, Chad and Barbara Soucy, and Steve Farag offer helping hands.

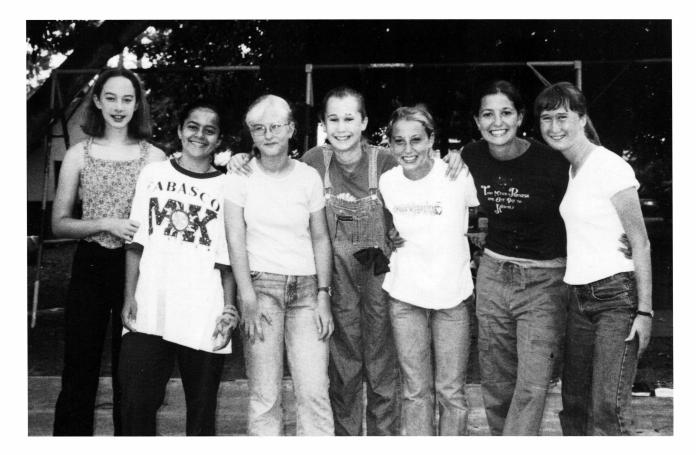




(Left) Ben Heys, of the Garfieldians team, enjoys a bowl of sardines in an attempt to push his team to victory.

(Above) Jon Habegger and Andy Kopenski have mastered the fine art of cement mixing.

Quisqueya



In its first year of existance, Quisqueya learns to live together at the 2000 Fall Retreat. Christina Little, Jennifer O'Conner, Charissa Redwine, Christy Baker, Rachel Wier, Celesta Wier, and Lynae Baker are still all smiles.



Christy Baker, Lynae Baker, and Bethany Webster taking a break.



Rachel Wier refining her skill in stained glass making.



Lynae Baker's first, but far from last, performance at Escuela Caribe.