



Candidates Walking in a Winter Wonderland

by Brittany Bilyeu

Kendle Walker was sent competing for the title of crowned the queen of the princess, including junior Winter Wonderland Sarah Campbell, sophomore Homecoming for 2002-03. Katy DeWitt, and freshman Other candidates included Sarah Batchelor.

was a big night and a great win in front of our home crowd."

seniors Dandy Braden and Amanda Lykins. Attention from each high school class were also pre-

Homecoming Princess Katy DeWitt said, "Homecoming was a great experience; it was an honor to participate."

After the crowning, the varsity boys basketball team defeated the Spokane Owls. Coach King said, "It



Computers for the Community

A series of free computer training sessions open to members of the community will be offered at Chadwick School this spring. Mrs. Gail Ellis will be conducting the training from 3:30 to 4:30 in the high school computer lab. Community members interested in attending the sessions should contact Mrs. Ellis at least one day in advance for more information.

Mrs. Ellis said, "You don't have to know a lot about computers to come to the sessions. All the classes require only basic computer skills, and if you feel uncomfortable, you can always just observe."

Computer Training Schedule

March 19	Word Processing
April 2	Clipart and Watermarks
April 16	Excel
	Spreadsheets
April 30	Graphs
	Getting Organized
May 14	Creating Folders
	Internet Tools
	Internet for Research
	Searching the Internet

Left: Homecoming candidates and attendants pose with the 2001-02 Queen Ashley Pierce.

Photo taken by Mrs. Gayle Ellis

Below: Chris Workman and Emilie Smith write short stories in English IV.

Photo taken by Dandy Braden

Success at the Language Arts Fair

By Ashley Maggard

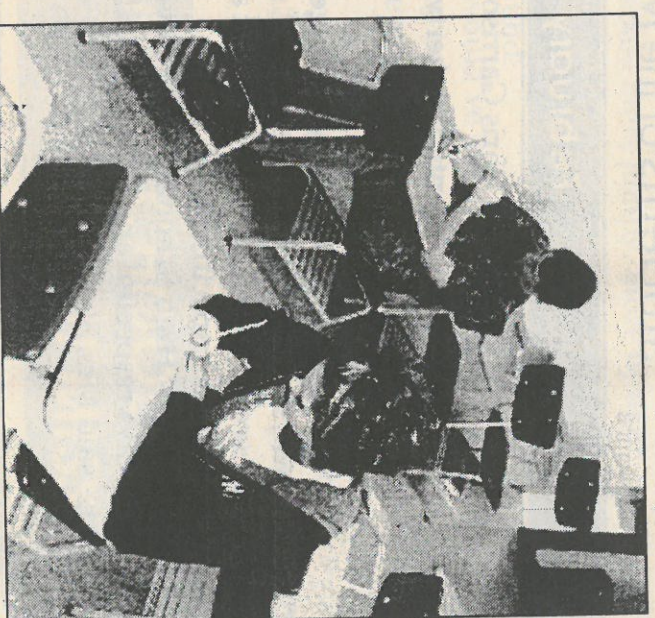
Chadwick secured second place trophies in both the high school and middle school divisions of the Mark Twain Conference Language Arts Fair competition on February 5, 2003. Many Chadwick students received medals for their work. From the eighth grade, Bobbie Clifton placed third in

short story, Ashley Stevens took second for free verse poetry, and Brittany Seals received second place for an essay. Seventh grade was also quite successful. Casey Short earned second place in rhymed poetry and third place in free verse poetry, and Kathleen Hahn won third in rhymed poetry.

In high school, seniors

Emilie Smith placed first and Chris Workman placed second in the short story competition. High school English teacher Mr. Tyler Walker said, "Emilie and Chris put a lot of hard work into revising their short stories, and I was glad to see their effort pay off."

"I was very proud of my students. I thought they represented our school well."



MAP Questions and Answers

by Mrs. Amy Youngblood

Thomas Edison once said, "If we did all things that we are capable of doing, we could literally astonish ourselves." Missouri Assessment Program (MAP) testing is approaching in our school. As I write this we have 27 school days left before MAP testing begins. MAP testing will be April 15, 16, 17, 22, 23, and 24. Here are some answers to some questions you might be asking yourself:

Will my child be tested?

Children in 3rd, 7th, and 10th grades will be tested in science, 4th, 8th, and 10th grades will be tested in Math, 8th and 11th grades will be tested in social studies, and 3rd, 7th, and 11th grades will be tested in communication arts.

If my child is not testing, what will he or she be doing during these days?

Any child not testing will be engaged in educational activities, just like he or she would be on any other school day; however, we will be asking other students to be very quiet when they are in the hallways, so they will no disturb the testing.

Remind your children that they can do it. They can astonish themselves!

Benefit Is Big Success with Auction, Barbecue, Basketball

by Callie Lewis

The Chadwick community came together in support of Chance Coffey and his family on February 4th. Chance, a junior at Chadwick High School, was injured in a hunting accident over the winter break and has spent much of the time since in rehabilitation. The benefit raised over \$14,000, which will be used to help pay for medical expenses.

The fundraising event began early Saturday morning with a youth basketball tournament at Chadwick school. In the evening, the gym was packed for a dinner and the

auction that followed. The best part of the auction was when they auctioned off a pie to throw said junior Brittany Bilyeu. Debbie Cole remarked, "There is strength in numbers and in a community that cares and understands and supports its members. Healing takes place more effectively where bonds are strong and they are very strong in Chadwick."

FFA Area 9 Banquet

by Dandy Braden

On March 4, several members of the Chadwick FFA Chapter attended the Area 9 Banquet in Cassville, which is held annually to honor the outstanding achievements of area FFA members.

Sophomores Jessica Burkhardt, Betty Mitchell, Bub Payne, Jessi Pierce and Rebecca Seals received their Area FFA Degrees while Senior, Dandy Braden received a first place Proficiency

Award for Environmental Science and Natural Resource Management. In April, Dandy will go on to compete at the state level at the FFA Convention.

Ms. Kristy Grimm said, "I am very proud of the award recipients for all of their hard work and dedication toward the FFA."

FFA was first introduced to Chadwick in 2000 and has continued to grow. Participating students have learned valuable skills including leadership, goal-setting, and team work.

Cardinal Chronicle Students of the Month

February

By Chris Garrison

Elementary: Brent Daugherty, Kindergarten
Mrs. Amanda Hays said, "He is always nice to everybody. He has always got a smile on his face."

Middle School: Shylah Rogers, 7th Grade
"She is always helpful to her classmates," said Mr. Steve Kirk. "She is very acquiescent." Mrs. Mary Jo Burkhardt added, "She is always ready, responsible, and respectful."

High School: Amanda Lykins, Senior
"She is always respectful and does as asked. She is a very conscientious student," said Mrs. Stefanie Turk.

Did you know?

The history of Chadwick as a town dates back to 1842. It did not really begin to boom until the railroad came to town in 1881. It was then that "Log Town" was named Chadwick, in memory of John F. Chadwick, a railroad foreman who died after being kicked in the head by a mule.

Source: Chadwick Collections and Recollections by Marie Day

Love Struck

by Sarah Campbell

Love was in the air on Valentine's Day at Chadwick School! Students and teachers found many ways to show their loved ones how much they care. Many people bought exquisite long stem roses for their special someone. Junior class president Megan Loomis said, "Our class sold seven-dozen roses this year; we did pretty well." Others bought candykiss roses from the art club. "We sold about 150 roses," said senior art club member Amanda Lykins. Those who wanted to see their sweetheart blush sent them a very romantic singing

valentine courtesy of the high school choir. Mrs. Thorne said, "It went very well, and it was a lot of hard work. I think we will charge more next year!"

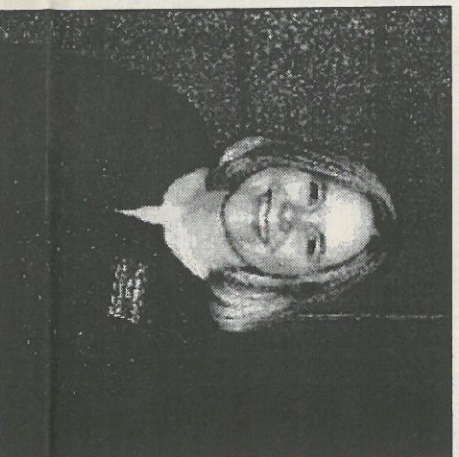
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Top 10 Rejected Suggestions from the Staff for School Renovations

1. Coach Michael Creekmore's suggestion for baseball stadium complete with astro turf, dome ceiling, and professional cheerleaders.
2. Ms. Kristy Grimm's suggestion for remodeling the multipurpose building to include feeding stalls and milking machines.
3. Mr. Steve Long's suggestion of adding a heart-shaped jacuzzi tub in Mrs. Arleigh Long's office.
4. Mr. Steve Kirk's suggestion that the playground equipment be reinstalled inside the teacher workroom.
5. Mrs. Stefanie Turk's suggestion for the world's largest student-powered pottery wheel.
6. Nurse Tracy Phillips's suggestion for one of those cool defibrillators like she's seen on E.R.
7. Mr. Maurice Harris's suggestion for a monster truck conversion kit for his school bus.
8. Mrs. Helen Newberry's suggestion for a toaster that holds 200 slices.
9. Mrs. Yolanda Overby's suggestion for a secret laboratory with retractable ceiling for lightning-based reanimation.
10. Mrs. Amy Youngblood's suggestion that a giant minigolf windmill be added to her office to match the carpet.

Cardinal Chronicle Teacher of the Month

February



By Jennifer Lafferty

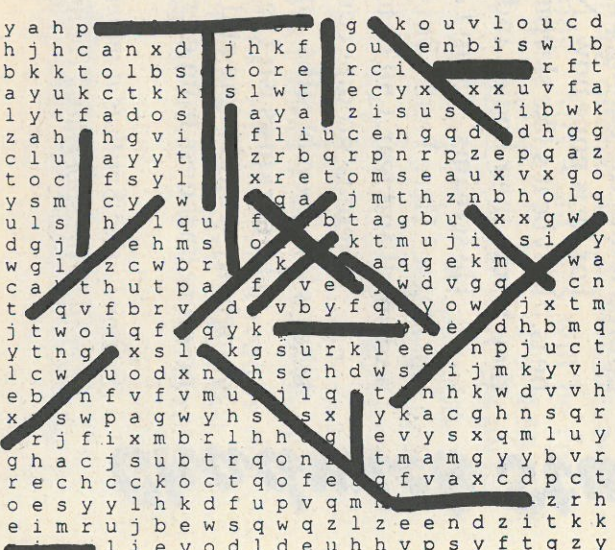
Mrs. Hays has taught at Chadwick for three years. She currently teaches kindergarten and says she loves it, but also loved teaching her fourth grade class. One of her main goals is to get all of the kindergarten students to read. During her free time she plays with her daughter, Madison Hays, "the most beautiful baby in the world." She also enjoys "scrapbooking."

Chadwick Teachers

Can you find the names of 20 Chadwick teachers below?

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WORD SEARCH ANSWER KEY



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by Casey Shortt

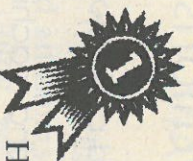


Both of us went to the party,
My best friend and I.
We had no clue that one of us would die.
I said no to drugs, every time I was asked.
I actually started thinking it was my task.
My best friend thought it would be just fine;
No one ever gets addicted or hurt their first time.
At first I was worried,
But she seemed to be okay.
But I'm not her, so who am I to say?
Even though she said she was fine,
I knew something wasn't right.
She seemed more jumpy, more uptight.
But now my best friend is laying on the ground.
There are people and policemen standing all
around.
If she would've just said no, none of this would
have been done,
But she said yes, and now I'm all alone.

Chadwick Students Write

*This poem placed second in the Rhymed Poetry Category
at the 2003 Mark Twain Conference Language Arts
Fair.*

YOU MISS SCHOOL
YOU MISS OUT



Eternal Repose

by Emilie Smith

He had always been afraid of the dark. He didn't know why or how it came about, but the dark was scary: never sure what's in it, who's in it, where they are, or what they could be doing. But there he was, right in the middle of it. Cold, scared, and alone.

Often, he thought of things that made him feel like the sound of the wind when it dances past your ears. He would think about his dad taking him fishing and his mom making him double sweet potato pie and the first sleepover with a friend and his first set of new wheels.

But that has all changed now. There is no one to take fishing and no one to make double sweet potato pie and no one to lick the bottom of the batter bowl after mom had poured it into the baking pan. No one.

For he is gone now. Not from the world, but from reality. For nobody knows where he is. "Maybe it's like sleeping," some say. Others believe that there are better places to go; they betray their bodies and live on without them.

He screams, "Here I am! Right here! Look for me, and you will find me! Don't give up. Please? Here I am!" But he gets no reply and no answer. The darkness is all he can see and smell and fear. Out of touch.

"There is no one coming," he thinks. So he closes his eyes, his weary blue eyes, takes a few deep breaths, and lets go.

The darkness isn't so dark anymore. "What is this?" he asks. "Light? Yes, I knew it; somebody would come and find me! Thank you, thank you for saving me!" And so he saw no more darkness from eternity on.

Senior Emilie Smith is a member of the Chadwick Creative Writing Club. This story placed first overall in the short story competition in the 2003 Mark Twain Conference Language Arts Fair.

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Chadwick Students Write

MARCH

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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	3 Districts Begin	4	5	6	7	8 Project Graduation Volleyball Tourna- ment @ 9:00am
2	B: Biscuits L: Hamburger	B: Oatmeal L: Cheese Burger	B: Ham/Egg Bar L: Chicken Chunks	B: Pancakes L: Beef Ravioli	B: Biscuits & Gravy L: Hot Dog	
9	10 MTC Music Competition @NLA	11 School Science Fair	12 K-5 Dental Screenings Bake Sale	13 Dismissal @ 12:30 PT Conf. 2-8pm Board Meeting Title I Open House B: Biscuits L: Pizza	14 No School PT Conf. 8-Noon Title I Open House	15 Senior Volleyball Tournament
	B: Biscuits L: Little Smokies	B: Muffin L: Chicken Patty	B: Pop Tart L: Burrito			
16	17 FASFA Workshop	18 Bake Sale MTC Science Fair Curriculum Meeting	19	20	21	22 Junior Volleyball Tournament
	B: Biscuits L: Chicken Chunks	B: Oatmeal L: Taco Salad	B: Ham/Egg Bar L: Little Smokies	B: Pancake L: Spaghetti	B: Biscuits L: Cheeseburger	
23	24 B: Biscuits L: Chicken Tenders	25	26	27	28	29 FFA Barnwarming @ 6:30
	B: Biscuits L: Hamburger	B: Muffin L: Spaghetti	B: Pop Tart L: Chicken Patty	B: Biscuits L: Beef Patty	B: Pizza L: Pizza	
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