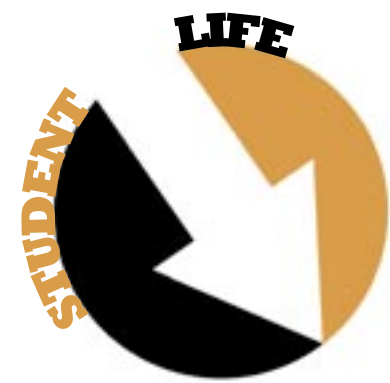


# 2004'S MEMORABLE MOMENTS



## CONSTRUCTION HERE

As one of the last steps in a series of additions that began in 1996, the North East corner of the school received a renovation and an addition. The South Gym entrance received a renovation that now protects waiting students from the elements. The new design also provides for more light to enter the building and a newer look to the aging east side of the building. The new auxiliary gym will be used for sports competitions and practices for volleyball as well as to aid in the overcrowding of gym classes. The new gym, which covered the north teacher's parking lot, neared completion at 2004's end with a predicted completion date in March.



## SLIDING INTO WINTER

The boys' basketball team finished off a strong campaign by hosting regionals. They made it all the way to the regional championship game before falling short to the Warren Blue Devils. They were consistently led by seniors Eric Lear and Kyle White, who are now both playing collegiate basketball. "We really came together as a team last year and had fun every time we stepped onto the court," said White. "I'll always remember the last season because it was the last season I got to play with some people who I had played with since sixth grade." The girls' basketball season also ended its season on a strong note. They upset Libertyville to make it to the regional championship. It was there that they lost to Grayslake, who would eventually make it all the way down to state. Senior, Jennie Dewar, was leading scorer and rebounder, while getting help from junior Katie Hofeldt. Mike Campese enjoyed a tremendous senior campaign for the wrestling Sequoits. Campese placed second in sectionals, enabling him to qualify for state. Campese, who wrestled in the 215 pound weight class, won his first match at state.



## A NEW SCHOOL THERE

After years of overcrowding at ACHS a referendum was finally passed which approved the building of a second campus for district 117. The school opened for summer school of 2004 and in the fall, freshman and sophomore students from the zip code 60046 started attending the school. Eventually to be an entirely separate campus, the school's students will fill in the spots of junior and senior in coming years. The campus, located on the corner of Deep Lake and Grass Lake Roads in Lake Villa, was designed by the same architects responsible for recent renovations to ACHS's campus. Although controversy arose over the exact equality of the two schools, superintendent and principals alike assured students otherwise.



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## SPRINGING INTO ACTION

A strong track and field season was capped off when three individuals made a trip down state. Seniors Andy Napier and Jim Beatty made the trip to state for the 1600 and 3200 meter races, respectively. Oleg Sokolov also made the trip to state, which was held at Eastern Illinois University, for high jumping. After the boy's tennis team came in third at sectionals, two seniors, Sam Hagedorn and Ryan Reimer, made the trip down-state as doubles' partners. Hagedorn and Reimer headed to Hersey High School with a more than respectable record of 17-6 during the regular season. The Girls' soccer team lost in their regional championship game to Prairie Ridge. All season the girls were led by high-scorers, Kelsie Morway and Gina Florian. "We had the pleasure of playing under Mr. Estabrook during his last year at ACHS," said now senior soccer player Melissa Lulofs. "Our team was not very good when we started. But we really turned it around and became more unified." The boys' baseball team finished its season on a high-note as they finished with a winning record of 18-15. Their best starting pitcher, John Snelten, received a scholarship to play at Valparaiso University. Other contributors were shortstop Chandler Kent, catcher Nate Hughes, and pitcher Drew Dittmer.



## MUSICALLY INCLINED

After taking a few years of break time, Outkast came storming back in 2004 with their double CD release "Speakerboxx/the Love Below". Not only did this album stir up talk due to Outkast's comeback, but because of the way the album was recorded. Big Boi goes at it alone on Speakerboxx, while Andree 3000 does the same with The Love Below. Green Day has been a success in the Punk genre for about a decade, and last year gained a much broader fan base when they gave republicans the finger with their controversial album "American Idiot". Green Day exploded on the charts with their dramatic single "Boulevard of Broken Dreams" proving that though they were on break for a while, that they still had the talent and the guts to say what they wanted. The number one song for 2004 came from Usher, with his song "Yeah," which took the charts as number one and was the biggest thing to happen to R&B/Pop since Coolio's "Gangster's Paradise." The song gained so much popularity that it was also the number one downloaded ring tone.



## FALLING INTO VICTORY

To call the Sequoits' football season memorable would be an understatement. They rode on the backs of running back Nate Hughes and fullback Nick Nathan to a 7-4 record. And made it to the second round of the playoffs for the first time in nineteen years. The field hockey team finished a magical season with a fourth place finish in state. The state tournament, held at Oak Park-River Forest High School brought bus-loads of Antioch fans to watch. Leslie Collins, Lindsey Keefe, and Jody Crivello were all captains and all-state players. Senior Joe Kinney finished his Sequoit golf career with a fourth place finish at the state tournament. Soon after, he signed his letter of intent to play at Kansas State University. The boys' soccer team had a very steady season under first-year coach William Stafford. The Sequoits were led by the deadly right leg of senior Gary Mouradian and the astounding goal-keeping of junior Alex Mayer. After beating Grayslake in the regional semi-finals, they fell to highly ranked Warren in the regional championship. The girls' volleyball team was led all season long by co-captain Katie Hofeldt. The Sequoits defeated Warren in the home regional championship and made it all the way to sectionals, where they fell short against Lake Zurich. For cross country, Chip Leffelman stepped in nicely for the departed phenoms Andy Napier and Jim Beatty. Leffelman led his team to the Schaumburg sectional, while also getting a boost from junior Dakota West and Steve Worth. Heather Pease was the only girl-runner to qualify for their sectional race.



## FULL OF LAUGHS

With movies like "Napoleon Dynamite," "Anchorman," "Dodgeball," and "Harold and Kumar Go to White Castle" grossing more money than in any other year it truly was a year of laughs. However, Golden Globes for comedies went to "Eternal Sunshine of a Spotless Mind," and other nominees included "The Incredibles," and "Sideways." Box Office tops included "National Treasure" with Nicholas Cage and "Ocean's Twelve," which grossed \$86 million in the US and \$107 million worldwide by the end of 2004.



## WORKING IT ALL YEAR

The cheerleading squad qualified for state after a second-place finish at their qualifying competition at Downers Grove South High School. This was quite a feat considering how inexperienced they were. The cheerleaders were led by coach Robin Gwinn. The dance team finished fourth place in state for their hop routine and seventh place in state for their kick routine. "It was memorable working with a new coach," said senior dancer Savana Soder. "[Carissa Parker] brought some of the things from her old dance team to our practices."

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