Last...but not least
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"Do I hear a motion? A second motion? Motion carries. Any arguments for and against?" Bill after bill, proposal after proposal, this is what is often said during a House of Representatives and Senate meeting. Andy Kim is the speaker for the Senate and David Kraljevich for the House. Although many know little of what goes on during these often times vigorous meetings, these representatives, elected and chosen by the student body, represent you in the most beneficial manner. They regulate the spending and purchases that are carried out during the school year. Furthermore, they also decide whether or not a new bill proposal is constitutional or unconstitutional. Sadly though, these young individuals are at times looked upon as merely members of another club; the bona fide beauty of what really happens behind the closed doors is never recognized. So the next time you hear the announcement to excuse the representatives for a House of Representatives and Senate meeting, don't think of it as a free period for them, but as a period where they are able to collaborate and rectify our school to a new and higher level.
Experience The Wonder
Homecoming 1998

HOMECOMING ROYALTY 1998

Senior Escort Michael Sullivan and Freshman Princess Ashley Sullivan

Senior Escort Adam Yost and Sophomore Princess Lindsey Mousel

King Jeff White and Queen Mara Patrick

Senior Escort Nick Reaney and Junior Princess Claire Zellinger

Senior Escort Jesse Weinberg and Senior Princess Chrystol White
Winter Tolo Royalty 1998

Front: Freshman Escort Krista Kerr and Freshman Elf Peter Rooney; Second Row: Sophomore Elf Josh Decker and Sophomore Escort Layne Bashor; Junior Escort Kaily Kirkpatrick and Junior Elf Kris Olsen; Back Row: Mrs. Claus Jil Jensen and Mr. Claus Josh Yates, Senior Elf Josh Davies and Senior Escort Lauren Brown

Winter Greetings From Around the World
A Walk in the Clouds

Back Row (L-R): Senior Escort David Kraljevich, Sophomore Princess Kelly VanDeusen, Senior Escort Andy Kim, Senior Princess Robyn Rossmeisl, Freshmen Princess Susanne Weatherly, Senior Escort Gregg Storwick, King Justin Fox, Junior Princess Caitlin McCool, Senior Escort Dustin Stephens; Front Row: Sweetheart Queen Nora Testerman

Sweetheart Royalty 1999
Senior Ball Royalty

Front Row (L-R): Kelly Thorne, Jesse Weinberg, Josh Davies, Andy Kim, and Kurt Fossen; Back Row (L-R): Noelle Strebe, Mara Petrick, Krista Kerr, Melody Wallace, and Layne Bashor

1999
Top Ten Academic

Front Row (L-R): Cayte Cooper, Angie Bates, Erin Cook, Mara Petrick, Katy Lungren, Adam Cornelius; Second Row (L-R): Nora Testerman, Robyn Rossmeisl; Third Row (L-R): Marigrace Becker, Nicole Shipman

Top Ten Outstanding

Top: Josh Davies; Front Row (L-R): Noah Skinner, Cayte Cooper, Nicole Shipman, Marigrace Becker, David Kraljevich, Phil Bruner, Andy Kim, and Mara Petrick
Fall Cheerleading

For the 1998-99 High School Cheerleaders, doing and trying new things is always a plus. The cheerleaders try to keep some of the same traditions, but they also want to pick up new ones to make their cheers even better. The cheerleaders had a successful summer at camp where they learned new and better pom-pom routines, cheers, side line and standup stunts. Cheerleading can be fun as well as hard work; you have to be patient and strong because a lot of practicing is involved. An open mind and a smile are needed in order to make the cheers the best they can be. The cheerleaders also know when to be leaders or when to look to other people's ideas. The cheerleaders this year are even bigger and better than last year, and they did an excellent job this year representing our school.

So that's how they get so limber for all those kicks and splits!
Varsity Football


Milk, eggs, toilet paper, bread...

It's going to take more than two to bring me down!

The face of determination
Women's Swim and Dive


"Hmmm, things sure look a lot different from here."

"Ok... I got this."
Not in order of appearance: Sara Averill, Marigrace Becker, Eric Berg, Bill Boath, Aaron Brown, Nate Brown, Ted Brown, Eryn Cook, Lance Crutchfield, Roger Culbertson, Josh Davies, Nick Fantini, Justin Felt, Katie Gressman, Melanie Higgins, Loriel Holmes, John Huddleston, Julia Jones, Chris Kilburn, Justin Lockneim, Callie Martin, Sean McDermott, Erik Mikkelborg, Kyle Miller, Kelsey Miner, Colt Nelson, Steve Pitts, Nicole Ramos, Vincent Rhyme, Gail Smith, Marc Smith, Matt Toby, Heather Tracy, Enrique Verdin, Jeff Walters, Megan Williamson, Josh Yates, and Elizabeth Yost.

Who said stretching's not fun?

The "State" qualifying boys battle it out.
Varsity Men's Tennis


Junior Varsity Men's Tennis


Right: "That's a beauty Mr. Bruner!"

With the end of a Love era, a new one was formed: the Koestner era. Aside to this new era rose another new wonder, Kevin Miller. As the new coaches for the men's tennis team, Koestner and Miller had a whole lot of work ahead of them. To help soften their load were seven returning varsity players as well as three players who stepped up their game and ensured the coaches a successful year. "Although losing is not great, winning is not the most important aspect of the game," states Koestner. "If they lose a match, but are able to learn meaningful lessons, then that's all that matters."
Varsity Volleyball

Front Row (L-R): Caitlin Bond, Shelby Morrison, Allison House, Kate Kinkaprick, and Miranda Sheedy; Back Row (L-R): Asst. Coach - Ian Lovelace, Robyn Rassmeisel, Tasha Jaskiewicz, Nicole Shipman, Manager - Abby Parsley, Noelle Strabe, Meleady Wallace, Javessa Awes, and Coach Steve Lazlo

House hitting down in mid air

Melody's ready to block the ball back down
Women's Soccer


Coaching Staff: Debbie Bacalich, Joe Furin, and Tyler Preder

The women's soccer program at AHS began in 1984. In 1994, Joe Furin took over coaching. He says that this year's team had the best skills yet of all the teams he has coached here at AHS. Five years ago, only five freshman started on Varsity. With the continued growth and interest in the program, there were ten returning Varsity players. The girls' hard work and dedication paid off at the end of the season with final standings as fourth in league.
Men's Swimming


Dive Coach: Howard Sulley
Swim Coach: Mike Bemis

Don't drown, dimply David.

Farbes finally finishes.

"Cowabunga," Chris cried.
Varsity Women's Basketball


Caitlin grabs an to gain advantage.

Tarah awaits her rebounding opportunity.

Kaily plows through the opponent for a bucket.
Varsity Men's Basketball

Front Row (L-R): Jeff Walters, Ross Devine, Michael Sullivan, Adam Miller, Matt Birkle, Assistant Henry Parker; Second Row (L-R): Cody Crichton, Mike Lenzi, Riley Holm, Pat Kenny, Curt Downey, Jerad Knutson, Kurt Fassen.

Adam awaits the next drill.

Jerad knocks down another one.
Varsity Men's Wrestling


Above: Matt takes control.

Left: Cayte analyzes.

Right: Colin puts on a serious face.
Wrestling Cheerleaders

Front Row: Christina Schmidt; Second Row (L-R): Krystal Runz, Alexis Eskola; Third row (L-R): Christina Donaldson, Shevon Dunford; Back Row: Nicole Hallman

A group of six enthusiastic girls made up this year's wrestling cheerleaders. After tryouts for all cheerleaders were held last summer, the entire wrestling cheer squad attended two cheerleading camps at the University of Puget Sound, where they worked on various cheers, stunts, and dance routines. As the wrestling team’s full time “spirit”, the cheerleaders hoped to become more involved in school activities, such as performance during pep assemblies. Senior Krystal Runz, who stepped in as assistant coach this year with three years of cheer experience behind her, agreed with the whole squad that the season was destined to be a great one. With highly motivated cheerleaders, the Hawks were fired up for anything!

Twist 'em like a pretzel. Show 'em how to wrestle.

Go, Hawks, Go!

Christina awaits the next pin.
Basketball Cheerleaders


Action! Action! We want action!

When asked what was going to be different about this year's squad from last year's, Jill Jensen only had positive things to say. "We have more people, which means more stunts." There are 10 basketball cheerleaders so they'll have 2 squads of five alternating games. Even with these changes, their cheers will remain the same. Along with the rest of the cheerleading team, Jill feels that they are striving to have fun and that they all enjoy what they're doing.

Captain Jill Jensen and Co-Captain Jaclyn Fancher

Go, Fight, Win
Women's Tennis


Right: Allison returns from the west side.

Senior Girls

Right: Senior still has freshman form!

Right: Rob sends a drop-shot over the net.
Women's Golf

Girl Golfers: Heidi Schwalst, Mary Skelton, Sadie Cummings, Erika Cole, Patricia Wills, Katy Morris, and Coach Larry Sawyer

Erika removes the pin.

Sara in good form
The 1999 season was the first to have restrictions on the number of golfers retained, so competition was high. This year showed signs of a promising season, especially with a surprising amount of skill from the younger golfers. Despite the loss of past varsity seniors, the future still looks good for the Anacortes golf team. 31 golfers signed up for 18 positions, so it was bound to be a great season.
The 1999 Track Team

A little pre-run stretch

Finishing the last corner hard.

Senior Stars: Lauren Brown, Sylvia Parmley, Krista Kerr, Maria Smith, and Heather Tracy; Back Row: Rien Long, Travis Beaner, Jerad Knutson, Adam Miller, and Janessa Anves

A good warm-down
Varsity Women’s Fastpitch

Front Row (L-R): Alissa Elway, Jasmine Terrill, Sara Averill, Megan Johnson, Megan McPhee, and Jodie Rock; Back Row (L-R): Coach Tom Swaps, Amanda Colglazier, Layne Bashar, Elishia Van Luven, Caitlin McDermott, Lara Moore, Romany O’Clack, and Coach Brian Tilond

Layne takes a swing during batting practice.

Romany takes a big lead off first.
Varsity Men's Baseball

Front Row (L-R): Brandon McIntyre, Jared Haines, Neil Tiland, Kevin Knutson, Sean McDermott, Alex Lorenzo, and Justin Fox; Second Row (L-R): Coach Berard, Coach Kies, Ryan Melvin, Jeff White, Carl Pires, Joe Wilbur, Michael Franz, Joey Colglazier, Coach Johnson, and Coach Elway

Michael takes some cuts.

Jeff awaits his pitch.
Corey: Could you be loved... Don't let them change ya... or rearrange ya... You got a life to live...

An ode to self-awareness that appears on the Upwisting album.

Produced by Bob Mazley and The Wailers and Chris Blackwell

Mary Dove - We are so proud of your accomplishments, attitude, poise and energy! Be happy, be real, be the best you can be.

Te adoramos.
Mom and Dad

Dear Noelle,
We're so proud of the special person you are and what you have accomplished. You are our laughter and our sunshine. We know whatever you strive for, you will achieve! Hold on to your dreams. We love you.
Mom & Dad

Ryan,
It has been amazing watching you grow into the young man you have become. There are so many things admirable about you: one being that you have confidence enough in yourself to try the challenging things in life. Wherever your new life takes you, remember a piece of my heart will always be with you. Go forth, love, my beautiful son.

Love,
Mom, Dad, Cole

Taylor - Have courage to stand by your beliefs for they make you who you are. Have courage to follow your dreams!... For they will make you who you will be. As always, we believe in and love you.

MOM, DAD, & SHERLOCK

Dear Bryn,
We are proud of you and love you very much. You have many admirable qualities. But most of all, you have become a woman of integrity, good character, and are coming to a walk with God.

With love,
Mom and Ben

Dear Kevin,
Congratulations! You made it through all the ups and downs of childhood in one piece! Work hard towards your goals, and you will accomplish whatever you want. We are so proud of the wonderful young man you've become. We hope you cherish the memories and friendships you have made along the way. Try to focus on the positive in all you do. Hold on to your sense of humor. It is invaluable! We will be there for you and wish you all love and happiness.

Love,
Mom, Dad, and Sen
Angel:
Still reaching higher and further. You can and will do it. Always have and always will. You have the ability - Reach for it!
With all our love,
Dad and Mom

Dustin:
There is no limit to the goals you can attain, the success you can achieve... your possibilities are as endless as your dreams. We're very proud of you.
Love you -
Dad and Mom

Dear Adam-
Thank you for all the joy you have brought into our lives. You have grown into a confident young man with many talents. Share these talents with others as you go into the world, but remember to be kind to yourself. Enjoy the adventure ahead, and know that we will always be here for you. We respect you tremendously and love you always.
Mona, Dad, and Alex

Nicole:
You've made it through 18 years with a lot of hard work and effort. Congratulations! We are very proud of you and your accomplishments. Your dedication will help you prosper and obtain success in the future. We appreciate your commitment of always doing your best to achieve your goals.
Keep Smiling!
Lots of Love.
Dad, Mona, Doug and Sylvester

Robyn-
You are the greatest, and we couldn't be more proud!
Love, Mom, Dad, and brothers

Joey,
You have always been a constant source of pride, never ending thrills, and pure joy! You've grown into a wonderful young man. Always be yourself, follow your dreams, and the future will be yours!
We love you,
Mom, Dad, and Amanda

Gabi -
Hollywood or Bust!
Mom, Dad, Travis and Cassie
Krista - Reach for the stars **** they are closer than you think. Congratulations
Love Always,
Mom, Dad, Kyle, Kevin, and Korey

Jesse,
Thaks for always giving me the extra push
Love, Robin

Congratulations Bev!
We are so proud of everything you have accomplished. Set your goals and reach high. You are very special. We love you.
Good luck.
Mom, Dad and Joanie

Congratulations Sylvia,
You are finishing your first major step of the long stairway ahead. Your strong responsible independence, care for others, and enjoyment of learning will serve you well. Thanks for being you.
Love,
Dad, Mom, Susan, and Grandma

Our Dear Nico - You are our spardle; you are our 'soul' you are our hero. We are proud of you Nico. Your gift of intelligence, many talents and sensitivity will carry you far. Remember where you came from and let God lead you into the future. We love you more than the whole earth, the whole sky, and the whole universe.
Mom and Dad, Peter, Vinz, and Maria

Dear James,
We are so very proud of you for having always been determined and successful in everything that you do. You've definitely shown us and the world that nothing can stop you. You are achieving the things that you want in life. You have dealt with many challenges and have come out on top by your selves.
You have dealt with it and done it all in any situation and that's why we are so EXTREMELY PROUD OF YOU. So, we definitely have come to love you.
SWEETHEART
Love Ya,
Dad, Mom, and Jackie

Some people make the world special just by being in it. Melody, you have made our world very special. We love you. You are the best.
Love,
Mum, Gary, Chris, Jay, Boy, and PJ.

Jillian -
You are my heart! Within you there shines a light like no other. Thank you for being a daughter. I'll love you always and forever.
MOM
Dear Sunny,
You are my sunshine and you do make me happy when skies are gray! I’m so happy to have had you as part of my life for the past 17+ years and look forward to relating to you as my adult daughter. You will always be very special to me! Don’t forget what my mother used to say!
Love, Mom

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Crystal,
There is no one like you in all the world. And the world awaits you! You and your imagination, integrity, creativity, compassion, your humor and strength should make it a much better place.
To your happiness and success.
Mom

Jimmy,
Congratulations! We are so very proud of you! It has been such a joy watching you grow up. You have so many wonderful qualities: honesty, insight, humor, and inner-strength, that have kept you strong and on the right path. They say to teach your children well, but it was you who taught us more. Thanks for being such terrific son!
Love, Mom and Dad

Kristin,
You are the sunshine of my life. Continue to smile, be happy, and complete your goals. Congratulations, I’m very proud of you!
Love, Mom

To Suzanne:
I know that with your determination, wisdom, skills and enthusiasm you will be a great success in all that you do in life. I’m so proud of you!
Love, Mom

Jazlyn,
When you go to college and I find myself missing you, I’ll think of your love, the winter season, Christmas, and running in the rain. The memories of watching you fulfill your dreams of being a ballerina in the Nutcracker, always playing sports to the best of your abilities, learning French, and becoming a cheerleader, I’ll proudly watch you pursue your dreams of traveling to New York and France, earning a degree in the field of Health and Nutrition, and reflect on your warm smile with that mischievous twinkle in your eye; those are the moments that will comfort me...
I’m always here for you, and love you dearly. Love, Mom

Becca -
My first born and my best friend. Do what’s in your heart, follow your dreams.
May all the angels in Heaven watch over you, whatever you do in life. I’m so proud of you and love you, too...
XOXOXO
Mom

Dear Katy,
Watching you grow into a caring young lady has been such a joy. Your sweet smile and loving heart have touched many, especially all the young children you’ve worked with. We treasure your humor, your wonderful spirit, and your positive outlook on life.
And --- we love you very much.
May all your dreams come true!
Love Mom and Dad
Dusty
Thanks for being a great big brother. I'll miss you next year.
Love you - Melanie

My eyes are brown
I have no brown
My height is 4 feet
And I hate beets.
JWW 1992

We stop and watch with
great wonder, the ever
emergent yo! All love,
all ways, Mom Dad

Tristan,
Never change the way you are.
Your mother and I
know whatever you do and
wherever you go you will
bring happiness and love
to those around you.
Love,
Mom and Dad
P.S. "But don't be late!"

Lauren,
You entered the world smiling
- This we love
- you have grown with a healthy positive attitude.
- This we love
- You are compassionate and caring towards others.
- This we love
- You make us proud. Having you as our daughter is a pleasure beyond words.
- We love you
- Mom and Dad

Tyanz,
The time has gone by so fast. You have been an absolute joy to have as a son and friend. We are extremely proud and happy to call you our son. We know that you will do well in life, no matter what it is you choose to pursue.
Congratulations on your graduation.
Love Dad, Lori, Eric, Rachel and Guenter

Xyle,
It's hard to believe this time has come. It's been a struggle at times but it's been worth it. You have brought so much joy to our lives, the love we have for you will always be. Set your goal and aim for it because we know you can do it. You have given us so many memories. Way to go, Bubba!!
Love always and forever.
Mom, Dad, Kyra, Kris, Kelsie, and Kourney

Congratulations Andy!

We are very proud of you!

We love you always,
Mom, Dad and Pete
Adam, We have enjoyed everyday with you and are so proud of the person you have become. You are a wonderful role model and brother to your siblings. You have enriched all our lives with your special personality. Your positive outlook, your kindness, your zest for life, your faith, and your humor will take you to your dreams. Thanks for all the fun and blessing as well as that smile of yours.

Congratulations Adam
With much love and best wishes,
Dad, Mom, Elizabeth, Emily and AJ.

“Is there anything half so much fun as being alive, I'd like to know what it is.”
Yep, Missie. Our Sunshine, that about sums you up! You have brought so many smiles to us. We admire you - your sense of humor, strength of character, independence and always your smile.
You’ve made us so proud - we know you will achieve whatever you wish for - you’ll go after it with a vengeance - just like always!

Never forget we love you.
Dad, Mom, AJ, Ben, Mary, Molly

Rombo,
Congratulations, you are crossing the gap again. We will always be there to help show the way.
Love you always,
Mom, Dad, Jesse, Steve, and Zoe.

Mike,
I am so proud of you for all your hard work.
When you moved from California, you had a lot of make up to do.
But now you made it.
You made it happen.
I love you,
Dad

Kids,
You are the best thing that EVER happened to us! We are so proud of you both. You have become awesome young adults. God bless you and keep you in all that you do.
Love,
MA and PA

Nora, We have enjoyed the journey from potty-training and party hats to this moment of high school graduation. Now real life begins. You are well prepared for the wonderful future ahead. We will continue to be behind you all the way.

Family love,
Dad and Mom
Shelby and Jill
Dear Jerad,
A smile as bright and beautiful as yours is the greatest gift in the world. Share this gift your whole life, and happiness will always follow you.
We love you!
Mom, Dad, Nate and Riley

We treasure the gifts you bring to the world.

Mom, Dad, and Gretchen

Make a way for yourself inside yourself. Stop looking in the other ways of looking. You already have the precious mixture that will make you well. Use it.
-Rumi

We love you, Morgan
Always and Forever.
Mom

Patricia,
You made it! Being the oldest wasn't easy. You were always there to help us.We'll be there always to help you.
Love,
Dad and Mom
Layne,

On the other side of the door
I can be a different me,
As smart and as brave and as funny or strong
As a person could want to be.
There's nothing too hard for me to do,
There's no place I can't explore.
Because everything can happen
On the other side of the door.

So for the most life has to offer Layne: Open the door, never be afraid, and make things happen. We believe in you!

Love,
Dad, Mom, and Drew

You did it Ra-Ra!

We love you!
Mom
Dad
Jeff
Starbucks
Echot
Nattie

Kristyco.
You have always been our happy girl. We wish you to stay happy and successful in time to come. We love you and believe in you.

Hodina stoji na vrhu ve Treni živote Ti pači

Vena, Dad and Dorvoj

Congratulations Sadie!
SAVING THE BEST FOR LAST
Senior Polls

Class Clown: Alesa Kway and Travis Beauce

Worst Driver: Nick Booney and Emille Kiser

Best Smile: Jesse Weinberg and Robin Beeward

Bottom Right: Best Dressed: Noelle Soren and Andy Kim

Below Most Athletic: Jeff White and Morgan Kirkpatrick

Most Outspoken: Chrysal White and Phil Sean
Most desired to be stranded on a deserted island with: Mara Perlick and Adam Yow

Most bashful: Kelly Thorne and Nicole Shipman

Most School Spirit: Noah Skinner and Krista Kerr
Right-Clas Flirts: Jill Jensen and Adrian Miller

Bottom Right: Most Artistic: Ryan McAmore and Ryan Bishop

Most Likely To Succeed: Margie Berber and Adam Comellas
Maria Aguilar

Jakob Anderson

Hollie Anthony

Janessa Awes

Kristin Barquist

Hollie Barrett

Layne Bashor

Angie Bates

Michael Baz
Kathryn Kane

Mikel Kay

Tyson Keller

Krista Kerr

Jon Kidder

Andrew Kim

Clinton Kinslow

Karly Kirkpatrick

Morgan Kirkpatrick
How shall I pose?

A Night at the Opera

One Last Look

"Hey, hey, hey"

Rock and Roll Hoochie-Koo

Tristan se prépare pour le bal

Seniors 167
Senior

Karl Lapine with sisters Amber and Ariel Winge.

Chryostol and Carl White, Rebecca and Heather Picone, Mara and Cedar Pender.

Kelly and Colin Thomas, Clint and Calvin Kinslow, Peter and Nica Raney, Robin and Jesse Wiesenberg.

James and Lydie LeBar.
Above: Emilie and Katie Kiser, Kaily and Kye Kirkpatrick; Left: Joe and Suzanna Wilbur, Jay and Stacey Ferraria, Joey and Alexis Dassler, Adam and Elizabeth Yest; Bottom Left: Jil and Mogen Jensen; Bottom Right: Jon Bowen, Steve Depira and Bruce Springer, Ely Rodgers and Hillary Sundeen, Ted and Chelsea Brown
Welcome to the Jungle

Eliza helps with hallways

Ohh - that tickles

This tree is going to look so pretty!
Tam puts another one down.

How are we going to get down?

Joey suspects annual photographer of malice.

Brooke wins the clash competition.

Uh... gimme a break.
To be or not to be?

Gosh, in Portugal we never had to work this hard!

What a cute pair!!!
Senior Studs

My CWP cartoon is due next period!

Your move Kevin

Puzzy Muffin is always smiling!

Come on Nico, we need to add a few more bricks.
I hope my report isn't due tomorrow...

Gino and Kyle dressed to kill

Senior Class Of

2023
Words from our president:

It's been a memorable year one that I will never forget. It's not only been a privilege, but an honor to work with such an incredible group of talented individuals. We really worked well as a team, not only during homecoming week, but throughout the entire year. The class of '99 has made my high school career a positive experience. I wish each and every one the best of luck in the future. Thanks seniors, it's been real.

See you in '00,
Phil Bruner

Senior Leaders Association

To bring forth a new level of interest and spirit, something needed to be done to the senior class. To optimize these needs, the creation of the Senior Leaders Association came forth. The purpose of this club is to inspire those students who constantly show their involvement to their class by receiving recognition as a part of an association who truly are dedicated to their graduating class. There are no costs; only your time is asked of you. No senior shall be excluded from this prestigious organization, but only those who strive to be affiliated with the club are admitted as a member of the Senior Leaders Association.