"Don't cry because it's over; smile because it happened!"

- Anonymous
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Do you remember... Merrowvista???
TEACHERS' PAST LIVES
WHO THEY WERE BEFORE THEY HAD THE JOY OF KNOWING THE 8TH GRADE CLASS.......

Mrs. Darago~Supermodel  Mr. Cadigan~The Weakest Link
Mr. Podgurski~Interrogator Ms. Tsalsoulis~Wedding Planner
Mr. Connolly~Useful Device Inventor/Constructor
Ms. McCann~Cinderella Ms. McNeil~Reignmaster
Mr. Beers~Hockey Coach Ms. Aldrich~Kangaroo Trainer
Ms. Cyr~Rejected Member of a Gang Mr. Dalicandro~Gossip Column Writer
Ms. Lane~Mathematician Ms. Feakins~Movie/Book Critic
Mr. Gerber~Serious Actor in a Comedy Movie
Mr. Grant~Founder of the Japanese WoodChuck Preservation Society
Mr. MacNeil~Owner of a Molecule Dating Service
Mr. McKinstry~Hypnotist Mr. Murphy~Elvis
Mr. Miller~Runaway Actor from Broadway Mme. Welburn~FBI Agent
Mme. Neuman~Silent Film Actress Ms. Oelkers~Elusive Rouge
Mr. Sterm~Door-to-door salesman
Mr. Seely~Airhead vendor Mr. Wenstrom~Smokey Bear
Ms. Hunter~International spy, gifted with many accents
Ms. Chiodo~Lullaby Singer Mr. Wood~Editor of Architecture Digest
Mr. Connor~60s DJ Mr. DiMare~The Next Alex Trebeck
Senora Sira~Flamengo Dancer
Mrs. Rodriguez-Digon~Happy Duck Ms. Ah-Yat~Hula Dancer
Mr. Baldrachi~Matthew McConaughey
Ms. Pawlak~CMS principal
Mrs. Smith~Jewelry Manufacturer Mrs. C. Moss~Clown
Ms. Cowley~Daycare Teacher Ms. Blaire~Tap Dancer
Mr. Bastie~Editor of a Famous Dictionary Mrs. Murphy Baker~Teddy Bear
Ms. Funaki~Olympic Speed Talker Ms. Moran~Professional Polo Player
Alphabetical Best

Abercrombie & Fitch
Banana Republic
CMS
Dunkin Donuts
Eighth Grade
Friends
Gum
Hats
Instant messaging
Josh Hartnet
Kiss 108
Listerine mints
MTV
North Face
On-line
Pearl Harbor
Quiksilver
Rugby shirts
Starbucks
T'ic Tacs
Unbelievable
Vegetarians
Wood (From Harry Potter)
Xtreme Sports
Yearbook
Zzzzzz.....
Homework Excuses

The lights in my house went out, and I had to burn it in a kerosene lamp so I could see the fuse box.

A fellow student fell into a lake so I had to jump into save him. My homework, unfortunately, drowned.

A big gust of wind came and blew it out of my hand, and I haven't seen it since.

I used it to plug a hole in my shoe, so I don't think you want it now.

My father had a mental breakdown, and he used it to make paper dolls.

I didn't do it because I didn't want the other kids to look bad.

My pet gerbil had babies, and they used it to make a nest.

ET stopped by my house, and he accidentally took it home with him.

I lost it fighting this kid who said you weren't the best teacher in the school.

Our puppy used it for toilet training.

Some aliens from outer space borrowed it to conduct studies on the human brain.

I put it in a safe, but lost the combination.

I loaned it to a friend, but suddenly, he moved away.

I didn't do it because I didn't want to add to your already heavy workload.

I was mugged in the street and they took everything on me; including my homework.

and finally...

My little sister ate it, you will have her next year.
WHAT'S HOT AND WHAT'S NOT

**HOT**
* School
* Sweatshirts
* Boot Leg Pants
* Hoop Earrings
* Starbucks
* Contempo
* American Eagle
* Hair Gel
* Baggy Pants
* Gilmore Girls
* Red Sox
* DVDs
* Skiing
* Pea coats
* GAP
* Belts
* Bath & Body Works
* Zip pants
* AOL/AIM
* Josh Hartnett
* American Flags
* Friends
* Last Day of School
* Tom Brady
* Mechanical pencils
* The Pats

**NOT**
* Black Nail-Polish
* Britney Spears
* Tattoo Necklaces
* Scrunchies
* Nickelodeon
* Homework
* Rolling Backpacks
* Colored Shoe Laces
* Baby-Gs
* Braces
* Yankees
* Frayed Pants
* Limited Too
* Tye-Dye
* M.A.C.S.
* School Food
* Dresses
* Gymnastics
* Magnetic Earrings
* Backstreet Boys
* Buffy
* Army Print
* First Day of School
* Rams
Teachers (cont.)
Remember When...

Mr. McKinstry ripped his pants in homeroom. All the doors were locked and people were stuck outside. Peter L went into the girls' cabin at Merrowvista. Leon L. rode on the bumper of the bus. The entire social studies class gave Mr. Merringer the volume signal. Arthur S. got a concussion in gym. Mary H. broke something playing Australian speedball. Mr. Seely recorded the band because they sounded so bad. Ms. Oelkers brought her dog into English and no one paid attention. Ms. Morran "killed" Adrienne Z. and Sasha B. with rat poison. Catherine G. wore her hair down. Lizzie C. and Seamus H. got "engaged" 3 times in one week. Sophie B. choked on candy at Great Meadows. Mr. Grant discovered "chuck bucks". Ms. English fell on the floor during music. Ms. Hunter asked how many people were dating in chorus. Scott T. was not a teachers pet. ... no wait, he still is. Neil B. and Fred E. wore "boy power" shirts. Mr. MacNeil gave his dating speech using molecules. The eighth grade went to the Mood, Food, and Sex discussion. Everyone in Ms. McCann's guided class understood the math. Matt James changed his last name to Pennucci. Ms. Buckley's overhead started burning and she couldn't smell it. Peabody had to be busied over to Sanborn to go to the bathroom. Mr. Merringer told the parents on open house night that the flirting level had "gone through the roof". Damara H. wore sunglasses for two weeks. Ms. Tsatoulis had lunch with a guy from Harvard on a field trip. Will L. threw Whitney's stuffed cat out the window. Chris M. was here. Libby R. complimented Glenn A. on his "dress" during the self-esteem discussion. Jill M. stuck her finger in a toaster and the bandage looked like a snowball. Ms. Lang had a sing along on the bus to Merrowvista. Ms. Thi lost her purple feather pen. Ms. Hunter made Will L. conduct the chorus because he was not singing. Mr. D. kept obsessing about Jillian R. being from California and couldn't be convinced otherwise. All the girls were infatuated with Luke M. Peabody did the Hebron Negotiations. Mr. Murphy started singing on the bus to Roll-On-America. Julie G. beat up all of the boys. Kris C. tried to kick the ball during kickball and accidentally sent his shoe flying across the gym. The Russians came and a bunch of Peabody kids went to New York with them. Zack H. sat in orange juice at lunch. Ms. Lane taught Ms. McCann's math class for a term. Ms. Flowers fell asleep in Spanish. Richard M. became Joey from Friends. Mrs. Darago had to bang the table with a wooden block for 5 minutes to get her class to stop talking. We went to Kimball's for a field trip. The "Middle Eastern Restaurant". Ms. Hannon had to think of a slang swear for the yearbook kids (dung). The World War I rein actors came into peabody. Everyone skipped their classes on picture day. Tia P. called Leon L. a little leprechaun. We had to unload the citrus fruit. The Patriots won the superbowl. Tom Brady was just another guy in tight pants. September 11th was just another school day. .

Wow! Its been a great three years.
What A Pair!
THOUGHTS DURING CLASS

GUYS
She is really cute!
Duh!
Her lip gloss smells horrible.
These seats are so uncomfortable!
My eyes are closing....
Did I do my homework?
ZZZ.......
I should really start bringing pillows to class.
Why is the teacher staring at me like that?

GUYS & GIRLS
Test? What test?
I gotta stay awake!
This class is so boring.
Just...thirty...minutes...left!
Is this lesson really gonna help me in the future?
I really need to check my e-mail.
I wonder what I got on my math quiz?
I wonder if they would know if I checked my email?

Girls
He is really hot!
Why is he staring at me?
Does my hair look okay?
God! She really stinks! Deodorant!
I hate assigned seats.
She wore that shirt yesterday.
Why is she flirting with him?
Arrgg! His cologne is wafting over my way again!

Teachers
Every time I tell them not to chew gum they still do!
I give up! They are hopeless!
Are they talking back there?
This lesson is even boring me!
They actually look interested for once!
Are those two lovebirds going out?
Am I too lenient?
Sports

Soccer

Field Hockey

Basketball
More Sports

Soccer

Football

Basketball
Would You Rather...

win $1,000,000 for charity
or win $5,000 for yourself?

change your past
or know your future?

NEVER BE SICK
OR NEVER BE SAD?

have to say everything on your mind
or never speak again?

wake up and find yourself in the middle of the desert
or wake up and find yourself in the middle of the Arctic?

have an endless supply of snowballs
or have an endless supply of water balloons?

be a successful criminal
or be a successful cop?

be born with wheels instead of legs
or be born with wings instead of arms?

know when everyone else is lying
or always get away with lying yourself?

have ten good friends
or have one best friend?

go without talking
or go without sleeping?

go out with someone who picks their nose
or go out with someone with bad B.O.?

say “you know” after every sentence
or say “like” before every word?

never be allowed to leave the house
or never be allowed back in?
School Search

BOOKS
LUNCHES
PEN
SCHOOL
TEST

COMPUTERS
NOTEBOOK
PENCIL
STUDENT

FRIENDS
PAPER
QUIZ
TEACHERS
Didn't Make Much Sense, But We Loved To Do Our Thing
As the empowered students of CMS we should have the privilege to....

* Wear hats: so we can cover up bad hair days.

* Chew gum: to build our jaw muscles and make our breath smell fresh, resulting with more focus on our class work rather than bad hygiene.

* Run in the halls: to let off energy that is suppressed during the long class periods.

* Have our lunch periods extended: so our bodies have enough time to digest food, and our minds have a time to explore social situations.

* Have the right to be able to swear: as anger management control and stress release caused in from excessive mental stimulation.

* Voice our opinions without getting detention: an example of our independent thinking.

* Have yoga classes after school: to encourage a closer mind, body, spirit connection, and expand our body's flexibility to make moving through the crowded halls easier.

* Decide where we want to travel for field trips: to help us plan for our future vacations.

* Wear whatever we want: to increase our individual style, and self-confidence.

* Read magazines and comic books in English: to expand our knowledge of reality.

* Have our school meals done by top caterers in Massachusetts: to enhance our nutritional values.

- The Students of CMS
Palm Reading

**Grade line**
The grade line tells you about your grades. The deeper this line, the harder you work to get your grades. If this line is light and not very visible to the eye it means that you lack the motivation to achieve reasonable grades.

**Social line**
The social line represents your social life in school. If it is a straight line it means you tend to enjoy hanging out with one special group of friends. If this line curves it means that you have friends from “other groups” but you tend to enjoy hanging with those that are really close to you. This is because of misunderstandings or personal preferences. If this lines bends or curves significantly, you are the type of person who can socialize with many different groups of people, whether they are in the math league or on the football team.

**Love line**
The love line represents emotions. The deeper this line the more you tend to be attracted to the opposite sex. It also means that your heart breaks very easily when you break up. If this line slants up you are willing to go out with people but you have your limits when it comes to dating. If the line is straight you are only willing to go out with that one person you have a crush on.
line
your
school. It is
the line it
tend to
getting out
special
friends. If
it
you have
"other
that you tend
caring with
are really
This is
understandings
aul
If this
corresponds or curves
you are
person
socialize
different
people,
they are in
league or in
softball team.
High School Reading List

The First Day of School
By, Anita Break

How to Get Attention in Class
By, Stan Dupp

How I Spent my Summer Vacation
By, Atta Dott Comm

The Best Place to Save Your Work
By, C. D. Romm

The Big Bang
By, Dyna Mite

Basic Math
By, Adam Upp

Finding Cloud Formations
By, I. C. A. Duck

Small Computers
By, P. C. Jr.

Looking at the Stars
By, C. D. Skye

What is a Vacuum?
By, M. T. Space

How to use a Telescope
By, Seymour Starrs

Reptiles
By, Sally Mander

How Plants Eat
By, Oz Moses

Negative Numbers
By, Morris Less

Arithmetic Tests
By, Kenny Ad

Davy Crockett in Texas
By, Al A. Moe

The Oregon Trail
By, Lotta Dust

The French Revolution
By, Gullie Teen

The Last Day of School
By, Ima Free
8th Grade Prophecies...


When We Grow Up

Peter L. - Night Club Owner
Alice L. - Australian Outback Tour Guide
Sam L. - Beatles Impersonator
Marvin L. - Owner of a Hair Gel Company
Mackenzie M. - Pediatrician
Chris M. - Jester
Richard M. - Joey from FRIENDS
Jill M. - Artist
Jack M. - Soccer Player
Jasmine M. - Dress Designer
Taylor M. - Late Night News Techie
Natalie M. - Dutch Translator
Jamie M. - Electrician
Coretta M. - Mystery Novelist
Alison M. - The Next Mariah Carey
Ashley M. - Owner of Nike
Hayley M. - Nail Technician
Rachel M. - Taste Tester
Elyssa M. - Shakespearean Playwright
Anna M. - Eyeshadow Tester
Toby M. - Fashion Designer
Robert M. - Japanese Animator
Nick M. - Lawyer
Sean M. - Superhero
Jessica M. - Grammy Winner
Zack N. - SNL Host
Courtney N. - News Anchor
Rosie N. - "Famous" Photographer
Gary N. - Superman
Yuka O. - Animator
Elizabeth O'C. - Science Teacher
Elizabeth Oh. - Hair Stylist
Emily O. - Gelfer
Elizabeth Or. - History Teacher
Cody O. - Architect
Doug P. - Winter X-Games Contestant
Katie P. - Stable Manager
Chris P. - Elephant Trainer
Anna P. - Chef
Stevie P. - Tenor Saxophone Player
Jim P. - Lead Singer in an Alternative Band
Lauren P. - Professional Lounger
Jeff P. - Owner of a Bar
Matty P. - Psychologist
Josiah P. - Palm Pilot Salesman
Joanna P. - Damsel-in-Distress
Nick P. - Personal Trainer
Tia P. - The Next Host of "Feel Good" Talk Show
Maddie P. - Model
Libby R. - Marathon Runner
Catherine R. - Hair Designer
Susanna R-H. - Actress on Zoom
Jillian R. - Author
Renee S. - Cat Breeder
Maddie Sa. - Ice Skating Coach
Greg S. - Munchkin from Wizard of Oz
Katie S. - President of the Sean Biggerstaff Fan Club
Meghan S. - Owner of Abercrombie and Fitch
Tom S. - Harvard Professor
Madeline Sc. - CEO of Cosmetics Company
Emma S. - Veterinarian
Olivia S. - Country Music Academy Award Winner
Patrick S. - Comedian
Elena S. - Professional Rock Climber
Luke S. - Manufacturer of Roller Shoes
Paul S. - CEO of a Fish Tank Company
Caleb S. - SNL Host
Becky S. - Snakes Specialist
Josh S. - Motivational Speaker
Arthur S. - The Next Einstein
Mark S. - NFL Quarterback
Anna S. - Editor of Teen People
Shinika S. - Fashion Consultant
Max S. - United States UN Representative
Dave S. - PE Teacher
Justin S. - Pokemon Artist
Caitlin S. - Justin Timberlake's Wife
Ben S. - Celtics Mascot
Susan T. - Author of Children's Books
Hannah T. - Platform Shoe Designer
Valerie T. - Police Officer
Scott T. - Guidance Counselor
Karen T. - Director of a "Famous" TV Show
Chris T. - Martial Arts Expert
Matt T. - French Educational Tape Voice
Jason T. - Founder of an Internet Company
Lee Anne U. - Screenwriter
Hillary U. - Runway Model
Alyse V. - Inventor of the Conveyor Belt Road
Hannah V. - Back up Dancer for a Pop Star
Chuck W. - Guidance Counselor
Heather W. - Architect
Madeline W. - Model for Contempo Casuals
Jesse W. - Pathological Liar
Samantha W. - Singer
Joy W. - Howard Stern
Jessye W. - Lawyer for George Bush
Julia W. - Artist
Danny W. - World Renown Trumpet Player
Mark W. - Rapper
Will W. - Lazy Genius
Ali W. - Penguin
Christy W. - Owner of an Animal Shelter
Jill W. - Beautician
Molly W. - Heritage Swim Coach
Julia Y. - Viola Player
Henry Y. - Belly Dancer
Adrienne Z. - Psychiatrist
Tom Z. - Batman
Lauren Z. - Illustrator for Children's Books
Class of 2006

Samantha Adams  Bethan Allam  Glenn Amundsen  Kendall Anderson  Elizabeth Andrews  Joseph Araya

Pajmon Ayandeh  Kathryn Bailey  Robert Ball  Nathan Bartfield  Benjamin Beratz  Elizabeth Berger

Jake Bilodeau  Zachery Bossberg  Kimberly Bowen  Joseph Boyle  Neil Brandon  Victoria Bepartson

Abby Brewer  Aleisha Browne  Anessa Browne  Drew Brzozowski  Sophie Buonomo  Abigail Burns

Maya Burns  Nora Busacola  Nicole Butterworth  Kristen Carracho  Brooke Cantone  Eva Cataldo
NOT PICTURED:
Jessica Ryan
Keita Ozaki
Barbara Galvao
Megan Bomil
Justin Sudama
Grade 8 Homerooms

Mr. Beers
Mr. MacNeil
Ms. McCann
Mr. McKinstry
Ms. McNeil

Mr. Miller
Mr. Murphy
Ms. Oelkers
Mr. Podgurski
Mr. Stern
"just click your heels together and repeat
there's no place like homeroom ..."
Horoscopes

Aries
If you've been thinking about making some new beginnings over the past few days, this summer you should start to think about what you'll need to help you get where you want to go. Take a little time to assess your financial needs and capabilities, you are sooooo broke. Don't get demoralized if you don't feel that you have everything that you want.

Sagittarius
You could be entering a period of transformation this summer, as are most kids YOUR age. Don't be afraid to seek the advice of friends you trust and whose opinions you value when it comes to making important decisions. Because so much is changing around you, you might benefit from some helpful guidance or counseling. Think about it.

Virgo
You might still be feeling a little confused, as always, about what to do when it comes to certain social situations. Don't feel that you have to make any decisions just yet. Be prepared to bide your time for a while, and just make certain that any financial agreements that you participate in at this time, being the money crook you are, are firmly based in reality.

Gemini
You should have the drive and energy to break out and start expressing yourself a little more creatively this summer. Try not to let fear or uncertainty slow you down. You are a complex person, but try and simplify your life a little. Geez! Lighten up!

Aquarius
Take the time to carefully consider your position. Do you feel that you are being adequately compensated for your efforts? If you feel that all your efforts are not being fully appreciated by everyone around you, just remember that you have the responsibility for creating a better environment and greater security blanket for yourself.

Scorpio
You can probably get more done by yourself now because other people are only likely to provide distractions and interruptions. You are much better yourself.....just keep your eye on the big picture and don't let yourself get distracted by small details. Your security and satisfaction will depend largely on your own efforts, so just try to keep things simple right now, but not too simple, simplicity is bliss, but can be very dundy.
Horoscopes

Leo
You might feel like many things in your life are in a state of flux this summer. Certain people may not be cooperating with you. Don’t be surprised if someone close to you might be acting a bit mysterious as well. You are a funny person, so you might want to hook up with another cuckoo person.

Thursday
Instead of blaming others if things get difficult this summer, don’t be afraid to accept responsibility. Your words and actions are being noticed, and people may be looking to you for guidance and inspiration. But the less you say, the wiser and more fascinating you’ll appear to be. Don’t create a place where your stubborn attitude plays the wild card against your personality.

Capricorn
You should be making slow but steady progress with a relationship this summer. And that trip into a kiss is so lame. But you still might not be sure whether or not a person shares your perspective. And some other people around you still have some personal issues that need to be dealt with. Just remember that you can’t always control everything.

Libra
People are bound to be impressed with you even if you don’t put in a lot of effort this summer, and some interesting opportunities should be coming across your path at this time. There’s no need to continually try to impress others, you know you can’t impress anyone. People are likely to appreciate you no matter what you do.

Cancer
Your belief in yourself and your own abilities can really make the difference this summer. If you can just show a little dungin’ enthusiasm, people should pay attention. Remember to be your most inspiring self and you just might get what you want. You could have a lot more control over your own life than you realize. You can do it! Or at least maybe...

Pisces
Your creative energies could be amazingly high and your desire for romance should be on the rise. You might want to think about taking some kind of art class since you could be on the verge of heading down some new creative path. Your intellect in the skill will lead you to a better realization of your life. Don’t stare at that person in the seat next to you, they notice, and get all weirded out. When they look at you, then gaze.....
Things to Forget

Sunday nights... What I don’t have any Homework... oops!
Homework... AAARRRGGCGGHH!!!
Tests... “OMG I forgot to study!”
Waking up... Yawn
Subs... “Hey, want to switch names?”
Catching the bus... OH NO! THERE IT GOES!!
Mondays... It’s Monday all ready?
Pop Quizzes... “clear your desks, pencils out” “uh oh.”
Stella... “Does anyone know the helicopter one?”
The bell/ buzzer... MY EARS!!!
Zits... It’s so BIG! Can I cover it up?
Bad hair days... Not all the hair gel in the world can cure this one
Tuesday... Terrific Tuesday, half day!!!
School Pictures... OMG, I’m definately getting retakes
Rules... There are just SO MANY!
Fire Drills... “please exit through the nearest fire exit.”
Mood, Food and Sex... “That’s a red light.”
Wednesdays... 2 days until the weekend...
Problems of the Week... No offense Mr. McKinstry
Fuzzy ceilings in gym... remember not to kick the ball too high in matt ball
Bright orange, taped rugs... How tacky can you get?
The no hats and gum rule... Don’t make me keep that in the office
Thursdays... Almost Friday!
School Lunches... “I guess I’m not THAT hungry.”
Realizing that your next class is on the other side of the building... “Oh no!! GYM!”
Forgetting your calculator on the day of a test... “Does anyone know mental math?”
Projects... That’s due tomorrow?
Dress code... How is my tank top provocative?
Carpeted gym... OUCH! Rug burn!!!
Report Cards... Let’s see, how do you make a ‘D’ to an ‘A’
Table Captains... How long has it been since they changed that water?
Interim reports... “Mom! I swear! I don’t talk, they just hate me!”
Fridays last period... I swear, interminable...
Even More Class Times
Grade 6 Homerooms

Ms. Donovan

Ms. Hanson

Mr. Haan

Ms. Hunter
Grade 6 And Grade 7 Homerooms

Ms. Walsh

Mrs. Benoit

Mr. Wood

Mrs. Boudrot
Dear Edwina
Ms. Lane or the Living Mona Lisa?
Hello Operator?
Riiight....Whatever....
Mr. Baidrachi WAS in 8th grade?!

The Famous "You're-In-Big-Trouble" Look

To be or not to be a woodchuck... that is the question...

Did Mr. Miller ever have hair?
Smile For the Camera!

Mr. MacNeil Hard At Work.

Big hair must've really been in...
"I Hope You Dance"
Lee Ann Womack

I hope you never lose your sense of wonder,
You get your fill to eat but always keep that hunger,
May you never take one single breath for granted,
God forbid love ever leave you empty handed,
I hope you still feel small when you stand beside the ocean,
Whenever one door closes I hope one more opens,
Promise me that you\'ll give faith a fighting chance,
And when you get the choice to sit it out or dance.

I hope you dance....I hope you dance.

I hope you never fear those mountains in the distance,
Never settle for the path of least resistance
Livin\' might mean takin\' chances but they\'re worth takin',
Lovin\' might be a mistake but it\'s worth makin',
Don\'t let some hell bent heart leave you bitter,
When you come close to sellin\' out reconsider,
Give the heavens above more than just a passing glance,
And when you get the choice to sit it out or dance.

I hope you dance....I hope you dance.
I hope you dance....I hope you dance.
(Time is a wheel in constant motion always rolling us along,
Tell me who wants to look back on their years and wonder where those years
have gone.)

I hope you still feel small when you stand beside the ocean,
Whenever one door closes I hope one more opens,
Promise me that you\'ll give faith a fighting chance,
And when you get the choice to sit it out or dance.

Dance....I hope you dance.
I hope you dance....I hope you dance.
I hope you dance....I hope you dance.

Dedicated to the class of 2006

Time is a wheel in constant motion always rolling us along.
Who wants to look back on their years and wonder where those years have
gone. We, the CMS faculty, administration and staff know you\'ll dance.
CMS Activities
- model UN
- band
- environmental club
- chorus
- talent show
- triple crown
- student leadership
- math team
- orchestra
- poetry magazine
- math olympiad
- magic club
- yearbook
- peer mediation
Weren't We Cute?
You think you know, but you have no idea, These are the CMS Polls

**Burger King vs McDonalds**
21%  79%
The fries won it for 'em!

**Homework vs Schoolwork**
50%  50%
Why are they not both 0???

**Pepperoni vs Plain**
26%  74%
What about the school pizza?

**Macintosh vs PC**
18%  82%
The Macs may have pretty colors, but DUDE, YOU GOT A DELL!

**Fear Factor vs Survivor**
60%  40%
got real

**NSYNC vs Nails on a chalkboard**
2%  98%
Bye bye bye...NSYNC!

**Gap vs Old Navy**
43%  47%
It's the SAME company!

**Teachers vs Students**
90%  10%
Obviously the teachers had something to do with this... and they tell us not to cheat....

**Yankees vs Red Sox**
Zach H.  Rest Of CMS
Dude, we feel for you...

**Pepsi vs Coke**
61%  39%
Soda is soda...It doesn't matter what blond singer promotes it.

**Friends vs Gilmore Girls**
57%  43%
"How you doin'?

**Bike vs Skateboard**
74%  26%
BMX, IT'S THE ONLY WAY TO GO!
Fond Farewells

Thank you Mrs. Pawlak. No one can handle a two ring (Peabody & Sanborn) circus better. You always knew what act to introduce next, be it an annual Grade 8 trip to Washington (Philadelphia this year), or team building trips to Interlocken (now Merrowvista). We wish you well and thank you, not only for the trips, assemblies, parties, and plays, but for all of your years of dedication to Concord Middle School. You will be truly missed by your students, staff, parents and community. We will not forget you or your contribution. Go Pats!!

Mrs. Pawlak, Principal, 1991-2002

We thank you, Ms. Walton, Dr. Curtin, Ms. Boudrot, and we wish you the best. What can we say, you were there when we needed you most, everyday. When we needed a boost, you were there; when we needed to understand, you were there; when we needed a demonstration, you performed; and of course, when we needed a good talking to, you were also there. Thank you for all of the times you were there for us. Can you come to the high school next year??

Ms. Walton 1996-2002
Dr. Curtin 1969-2002
Ms. Boudrot 1980-2002
It's A Three Ring Circus Everyday!

Mrs. Pawlak — Ringmaster

Ms. Lane — Lion Tamer

Mrs. Cignotti — Tightrope Walker

Mrs. Moran — Poodle Act

Mrs. Larsen — Flaming Torch Juggler

Mrs. Bell — Contortionist

Mrs. Caplan — Acrobat
2002 Class Song
Superman (It's Not Easy) / We Live For Fighting

I can't stand to fly
I'm not that naive
I'm just out to find
The better part of me

I'm more than a bird...I'm more than a plane
More than your pretty face beside a train
It's not easy to be me

Wish that I could cry
Fall upon my knees
Find a way to be
About a home I'll never see

It may sound absurd...but don't be naive
Even Heroes have the right to bleed
I may be disturbed...but won't you concede
Even Heroes have the right to dream

It's not easy to be me

Up, up and away...away from me
It's all right...You can call sleep sound tonight
I'm not crazy...or anything...

I can't stand to fly
I'm not that naive
Men weren't meant to ride
With clouds between their knees

I'm only a man in a silly red suit
Dancing for kryptonite on this one way street
Only a man in a fancy red suit
Looking for special things inside of me

It's not easy to be me.
What A Year ... Book! We Hope You Enjoyed The Ride.

Elevator Operators: Brooke Cantone, Hillary Green, Celia the montage Hipsman, Elizabeth scanner Hwang, Katie Lietzau, Grace like the movies Kelly, Perri Kinskyman, Jocelyn Krauss, Rosie can I bring a friend Nevins, Elizabeth yearbook Orr play, Emily Oot, Katie Parrish, Olivia remember the time Sederland, Scott dung Teabo, Hillary Urbanic, Molly Wolf, Adrienne Zak

Top Floor Executive Suite: Courtney Cronin And Whitney Doe