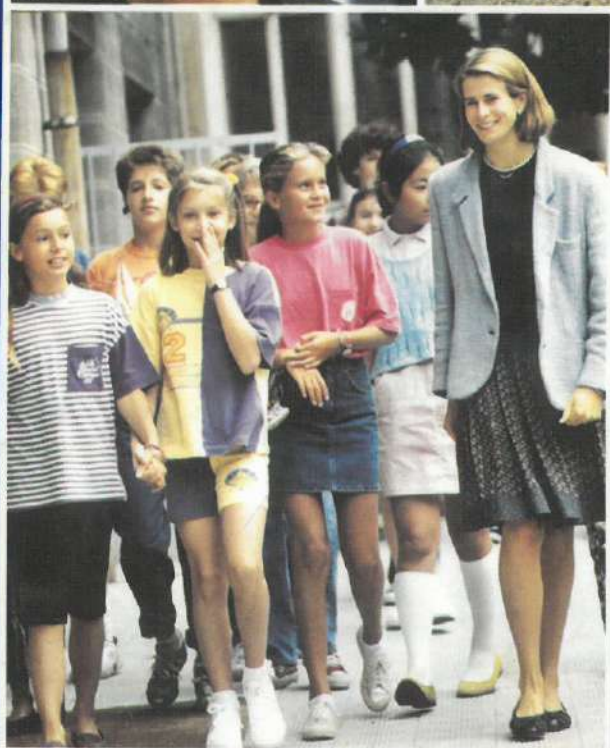


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THE INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL
OF TURIN

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SEPTEMBER 3
SCHOOL OPENS



OCTOBER 7
INTERNATIONAL
DAY



OCTOBER 31
HALLOWEEN



NOVEMBER 18
THANKSGIVING

DECEMBER 18
CHRISTMAS
CONCERT



JANUARY 11
MID-YEAR
EXAMS



MARCH 28
HAT
PARADE



MAY 10
EGG DAY

APRIL 23
CAREER DAY



MARCH 25
CAKE CONTEST



MARCH 17
ROME TRIP



MAY 19
STRACAT

APRIL 20
PTC ART DAY



SPORT
(SOCCER)



SPORT
(BASKETBALL)



JUNE 12
LA MANDRIA

JUNE 14
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GRADUATION



GRADUATION



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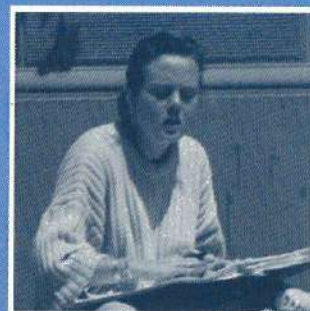
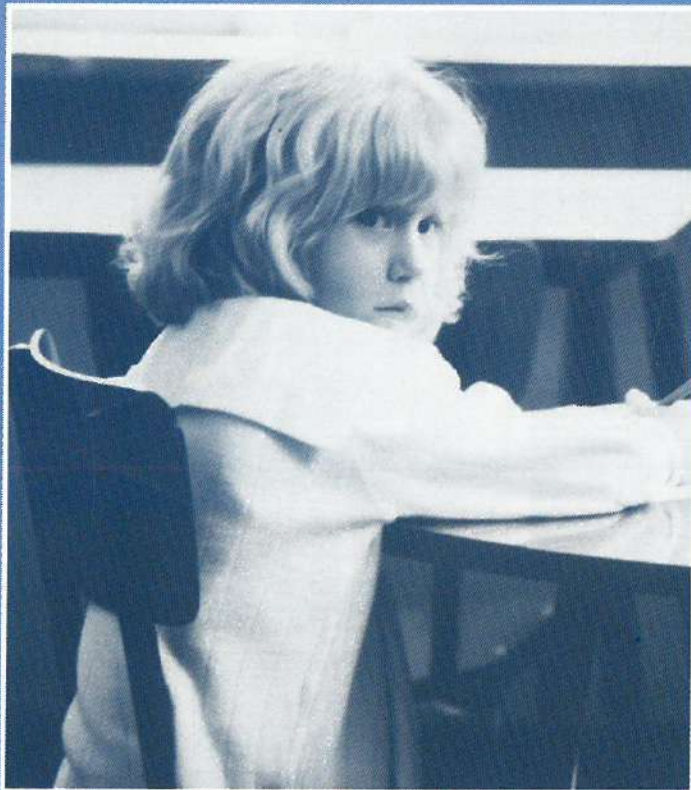
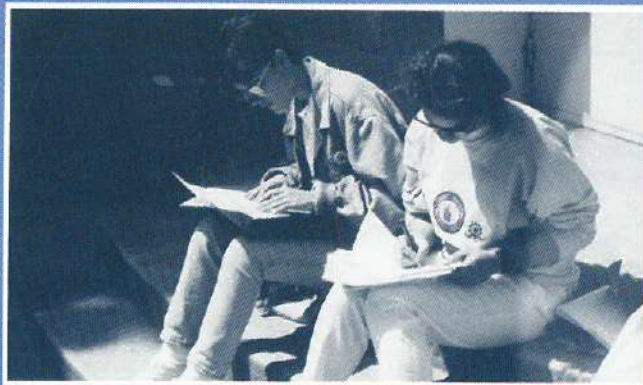
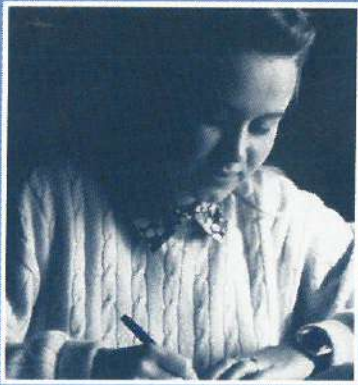
Dedication



In her twelve years at ACAT, multi-faceted Mrs. Shor has distinguished her presence and the school by her dedicated efforts not only as a teacher of History and English but also as graduation coach, cake-contest organizer, school nurse, Parisian tour guide and "Ambassador" to Venice. For all of this and much more, thank you, Mrs. Shor, and best wishes for your continued success.

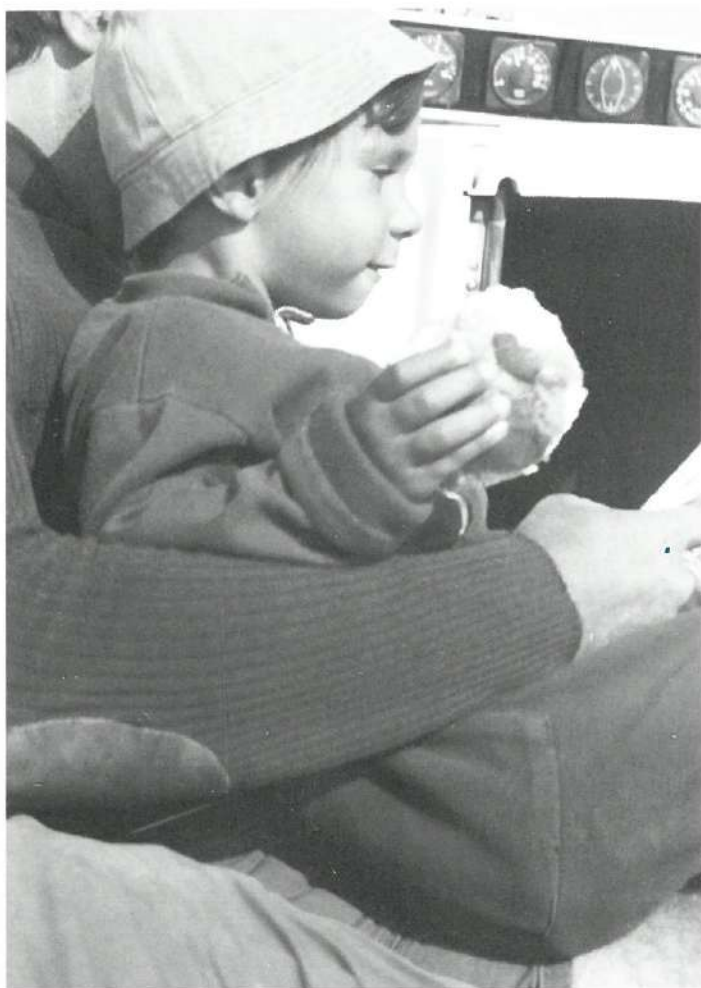
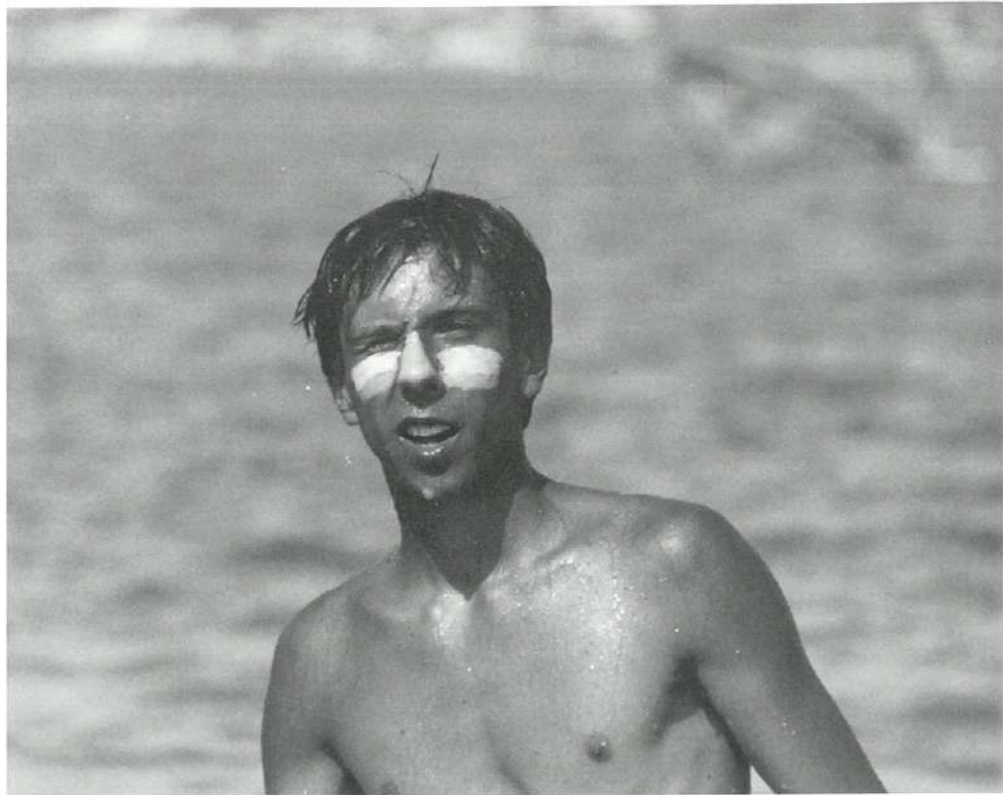


Academics



PAOLO BORI

"Chiudi gli occhi,
senti l'armonia,
ascolta il canto
del vento,
la forza della terra
non essere il centro,
lascia che il tuo cosmo
spazi l'infinito
quando fra te
e un falco
non vi sara' piu' alcuna differenza,
avrà compiuto
il primo passo
verso l'armonia dell'universo."



From the coast of gold,
across the seven years,
I've traveled it all,
far and wide,
but it seems
I'm just a stranger to myself
of all the things I sometimes do,
it isn't me but someone else.
I close my eyes,
and I think of home.
Another city goes by in the night;
ain't it funny how it ends?
You never miss it 'til it's gone away,
and my heart is lying there,
and will be 'til my dying day.

"Wasted Years"
I.M.

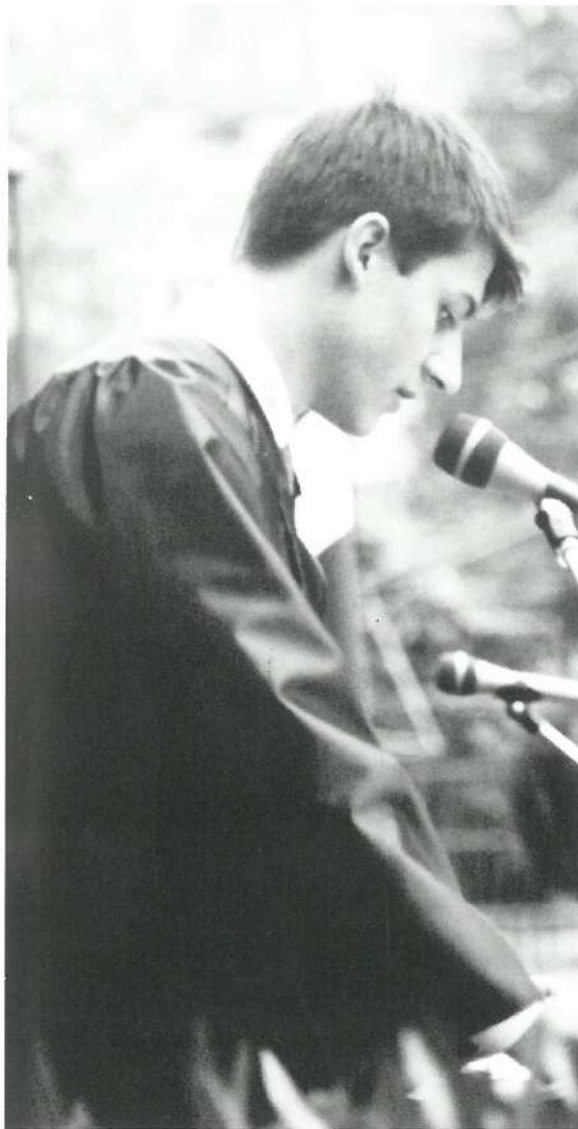
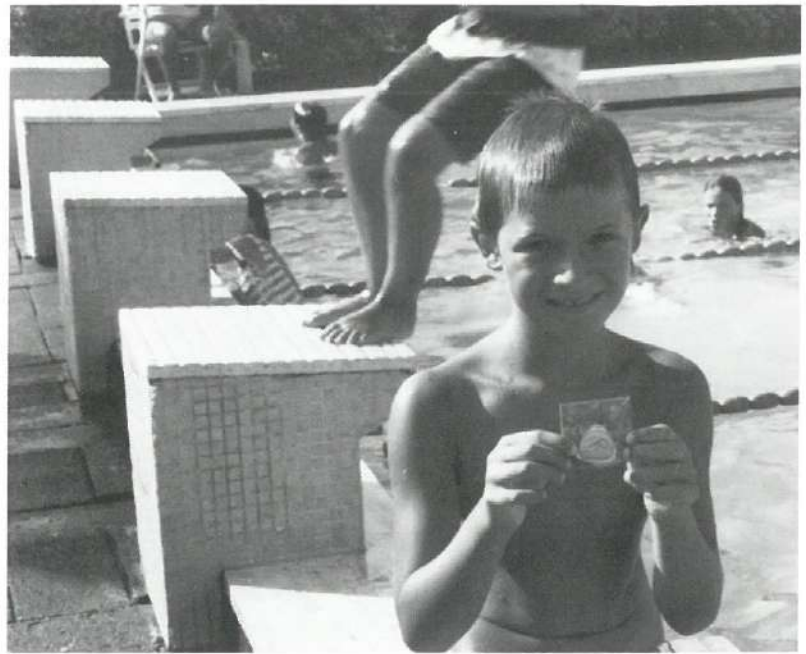
STEFANO JEANTET

"As a field, although fertile, cannot produce fruits if it is not cultivated, so also our spirit cannot give fruits without study."

— CICERO

"Let's live in a manner so that when we die, even the undertaker will be sorry."

— MARK TWAIN



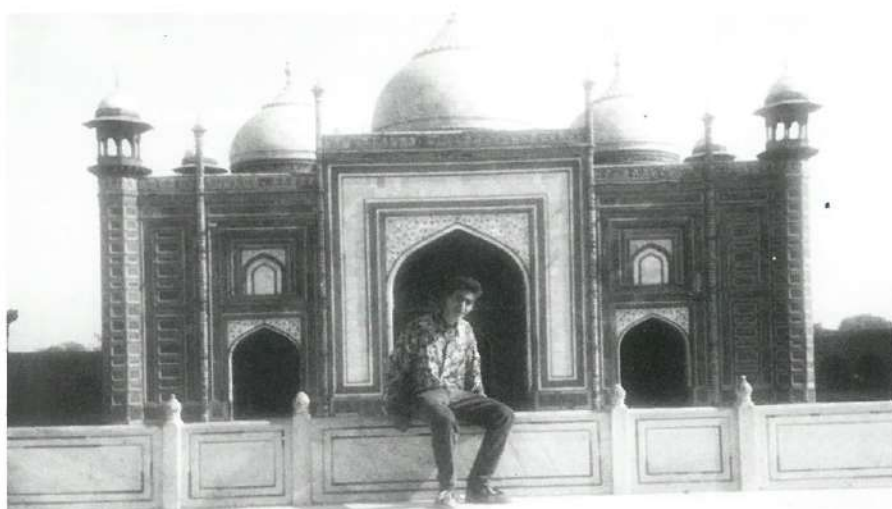
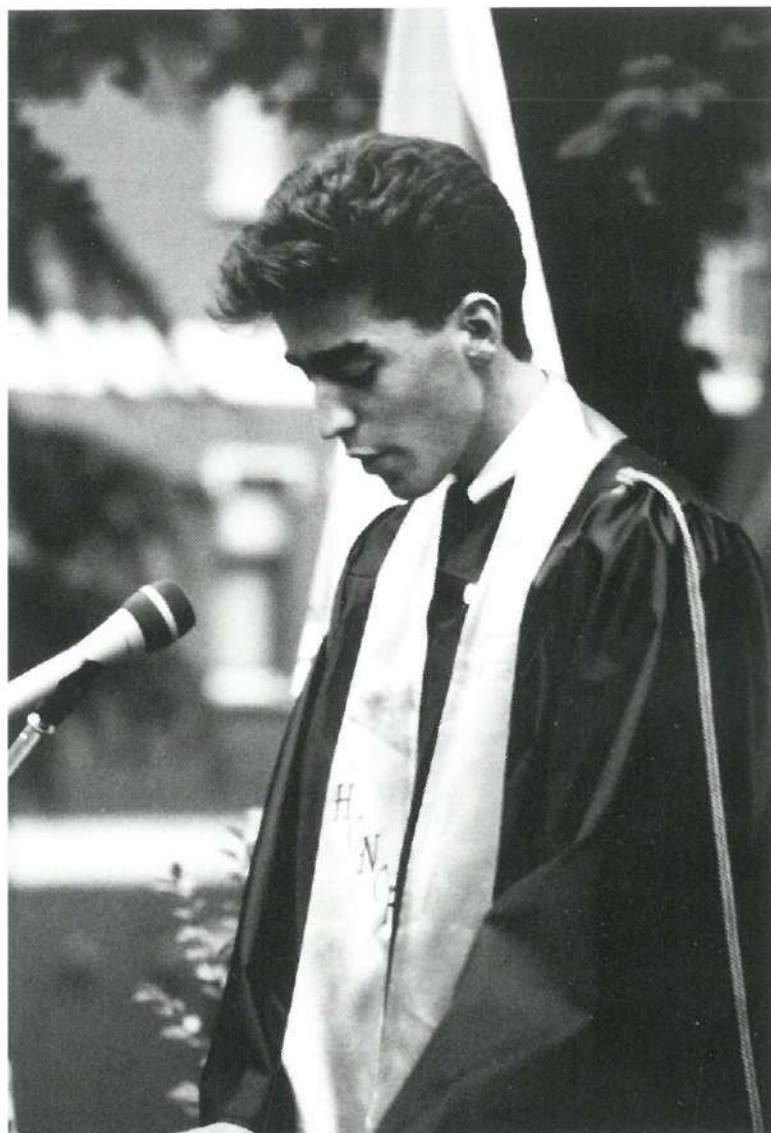
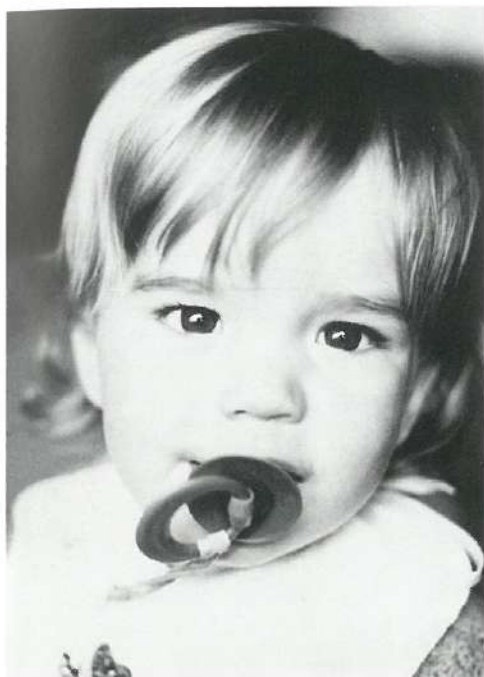
LEILA KEILANI

Cheers! Friends of ACAT!
No matter the time; no matter the weather;
it was always fun when we were together!
YAHOOOO!



PHILIPPE OLESON

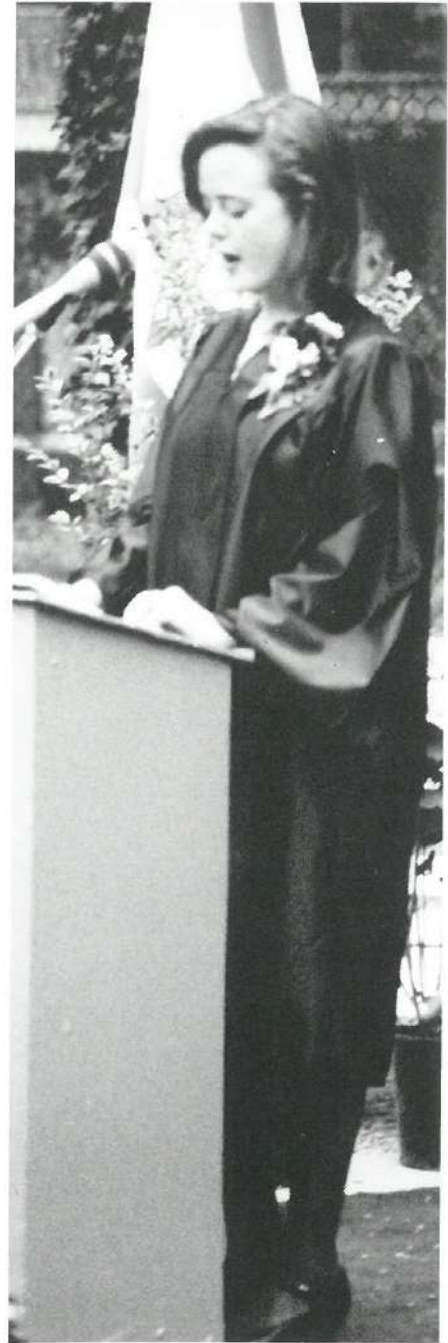
Half a year, one semester at ACAT to end
the end of the beginning, of a student.



BECKY WOOLARD

It seems yesterday; It's already tomorrow.
One day, one week one month, one year,
one life at ACAT gone by.

BYE, BYE.



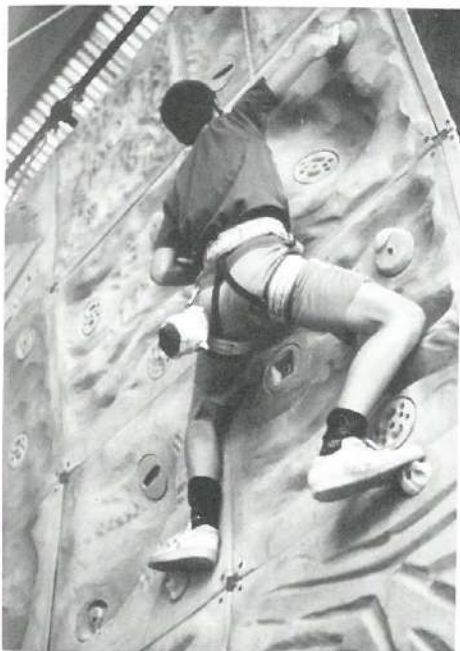
Some Senior Flashbacks.



"Misty water-colored memories of the way we were."



Leila - always in tune.



"Spiderman" Stefano reaches for higher ground.



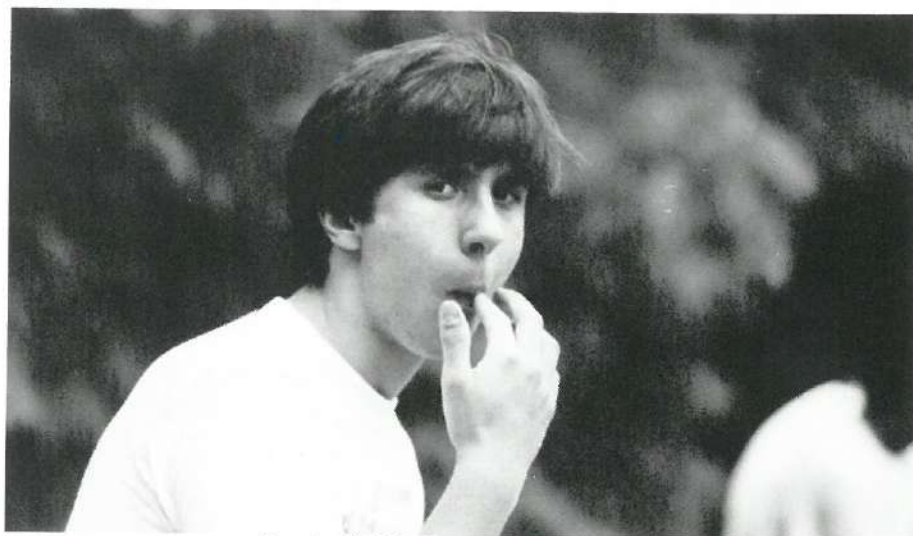
Luca justifies his diligence.



Becky copies (legally!)



The famished stracue line-up.



Lunch at LaMandria is finger-lickin' good.

ELEVENTH GRADE



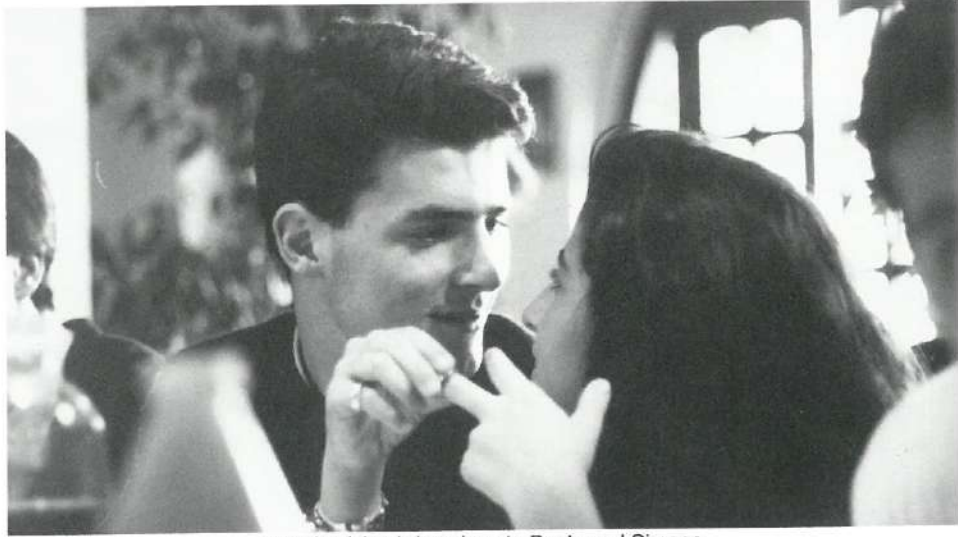
Ashraf Kheir



Alessandro Bardelli



Giulia Asberto



Thanksgiving brings love to Paolo and Simona.



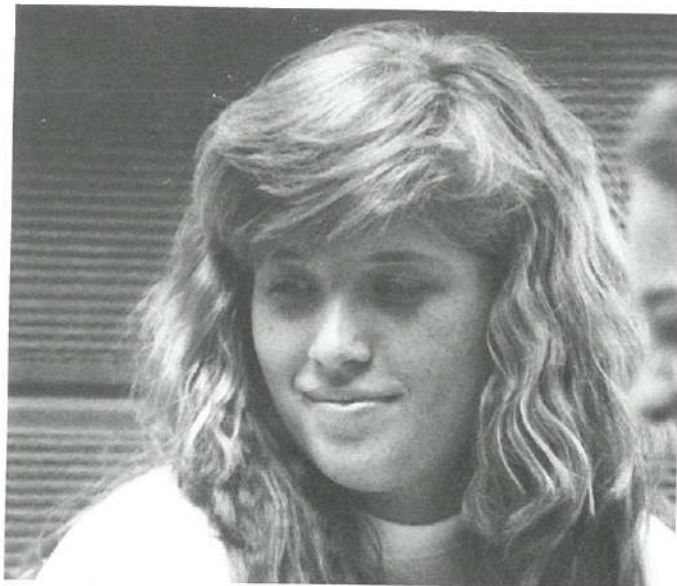
Emanuela Marinelli



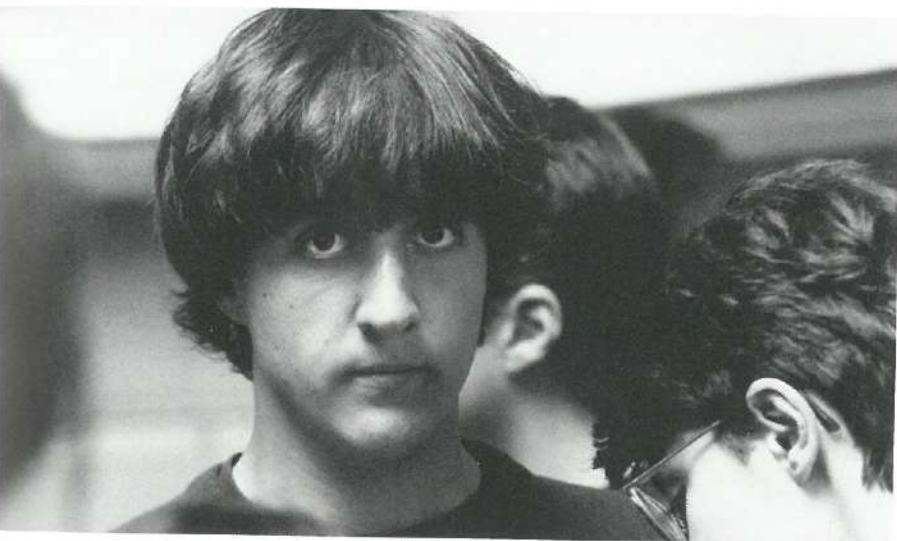
Claes Nordahl



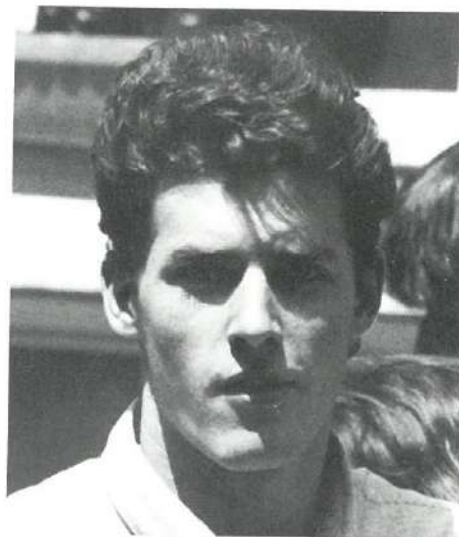
Simona Savio



Anna Paganelli



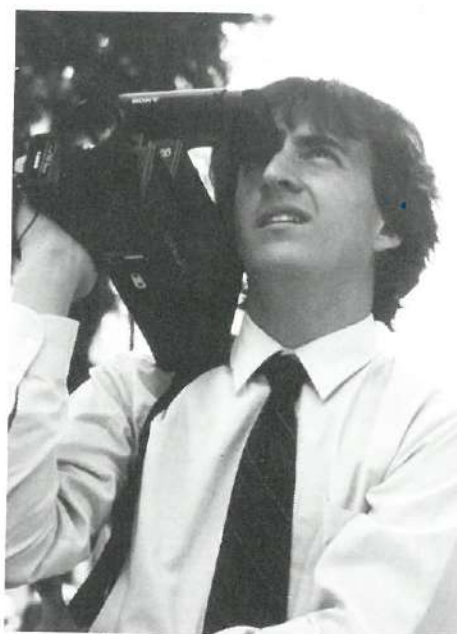
Luca Savio



Paolo Saranga



Patricia Steffen

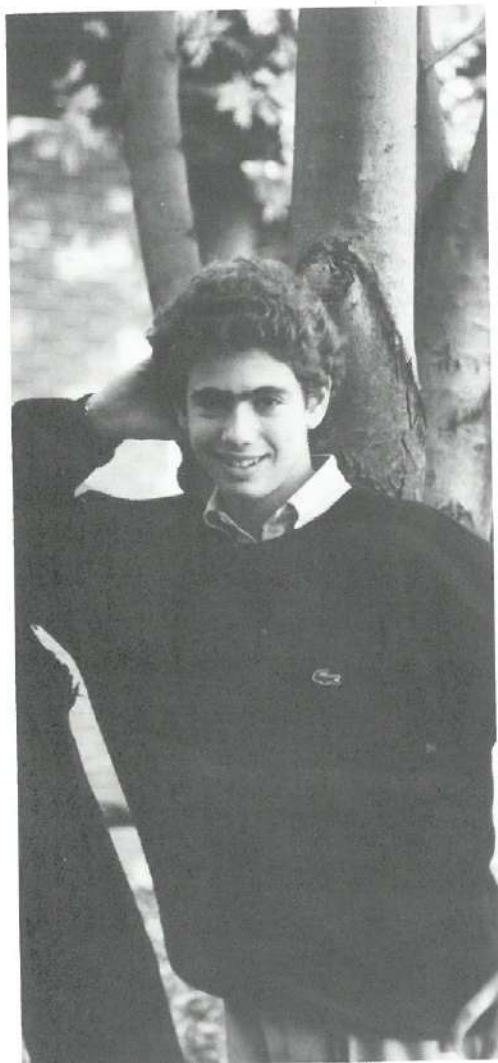


Luca focuses on his future.



Rickard Vayr

TENTH GRADE



Andrea Agnelli



Piero Carello



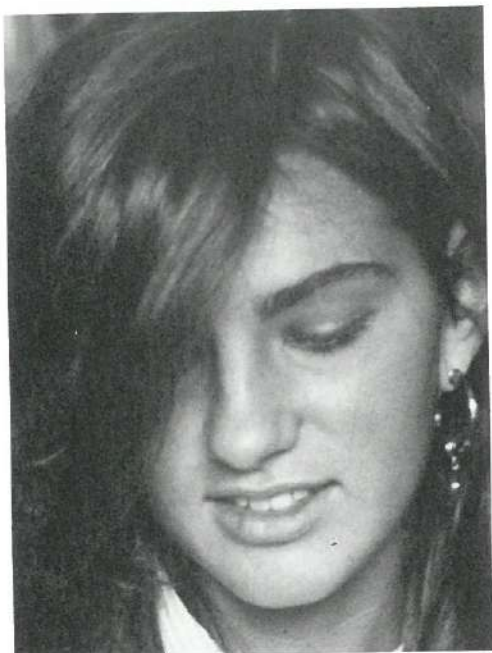
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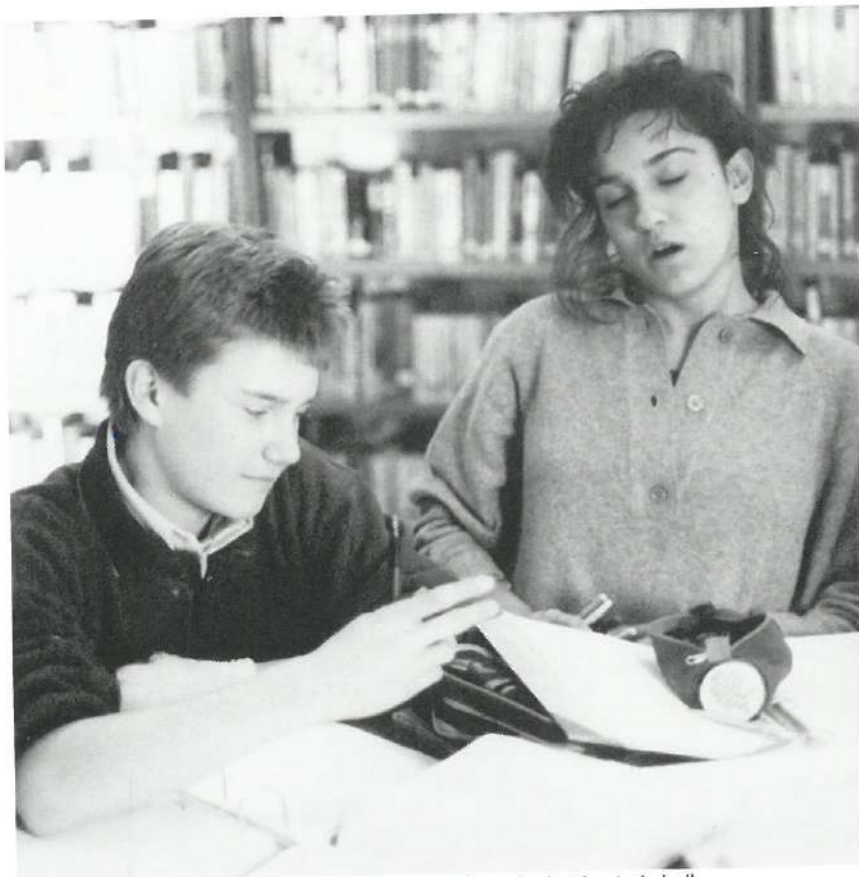
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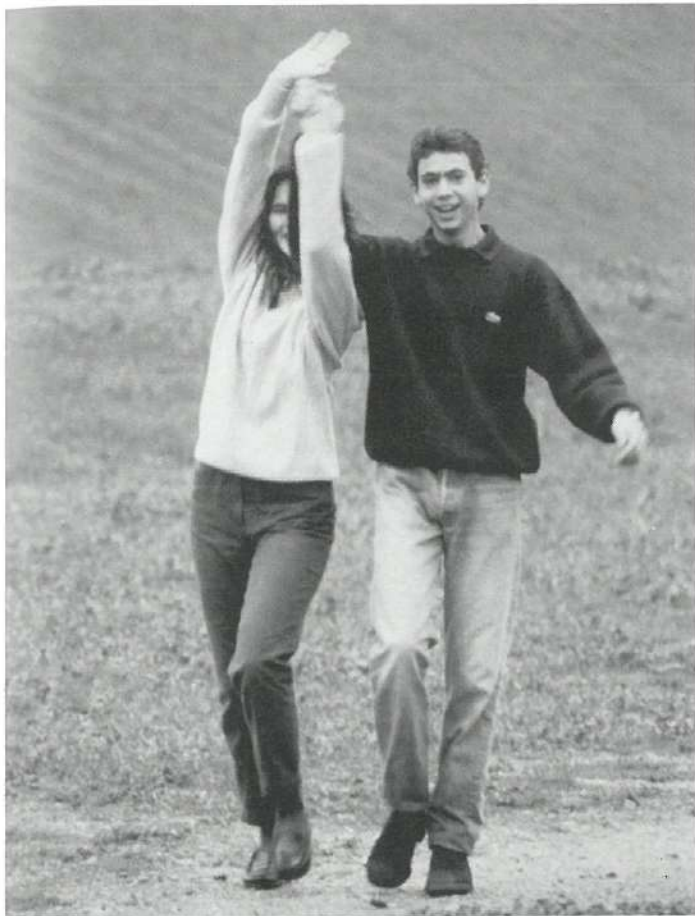
Giulia Ginatta



Valentina Modesto



Deborah's snoring keeps Joseph alert in study hall.



Winners at 1991 Circus Maximus "BOYLE TOURNAMENT"



Reena Pavan



Joseph Piovano



Ann Pizzini



Guilherme Steffen •



Francesco Stella



Deborah Russo



Isabel Vasamillet

NINTH GRADE



Paola Aprato



Goffredo Baduini



Barbara and Kirsten explore the animal world together.



Matthew toils through Mr. Boyle's history exam.



Barbara Cambiati



Kirsten Gelsomini



Margherita Giovannoli



Natalia Louzine



Valentina Nicolucci



Hector Perrone



Matthew Round



Yuriko Tsuda



Monica Zabaldano



With a friendly smile, Noriko guides newcomer Yuriko around ACAT.

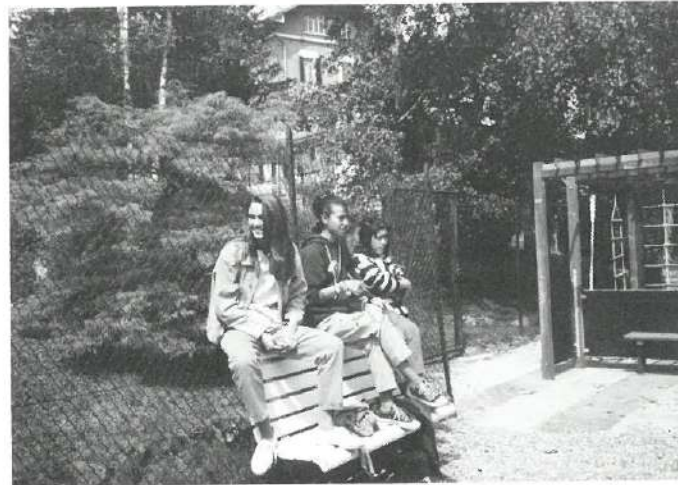


Barbara's bag of tricks helps her through the day

Another look at the high school



The River Rafterers get psyched for their adventure.



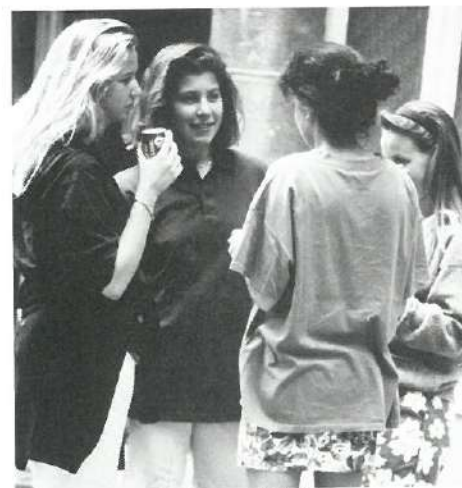
On the bench, the 9th graders get close to the action.



Luca discovered a strange object on his neck.



Simona revives her energy for the rigorous descent.



News update?



Character study.



Ann stifles a smile as Vale gives her the latest.



An Etruscan tomb is hardly the place to spend the weekend.



Luca opens the door to new horizons.



Guillermo dons his thinking cap for some serious clowning around.



Barbara's not one to let a hot subject escape.



Isabel indulges her carefree spirit.



Yuriko and Noriko decipher their history notes.



Reena catches up on her meditation.

EIGHTH GRADE



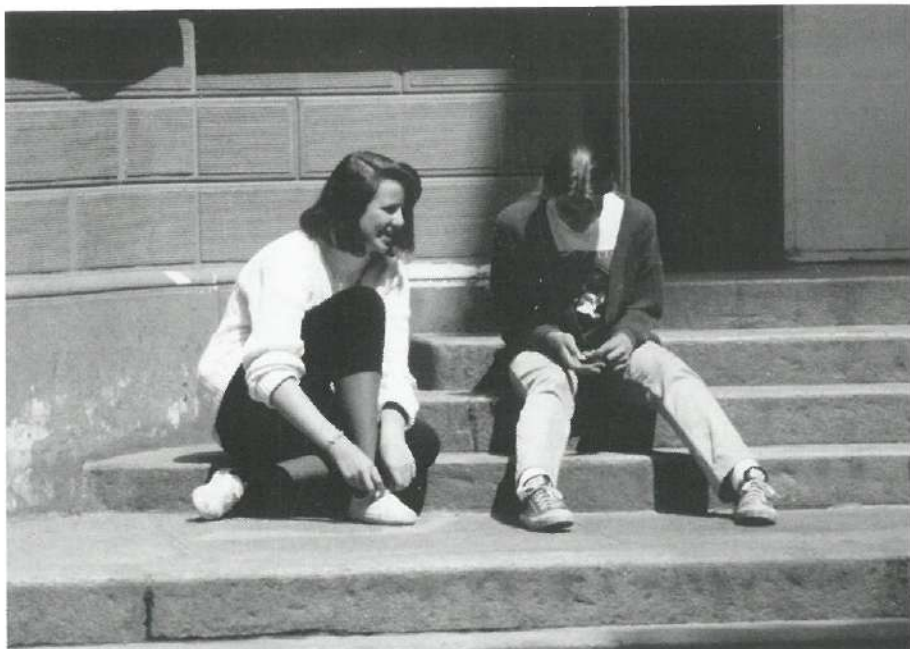
Hisham Abdel-Rahman



Adly Ayoub



Ann trains to be a Sherpa guide.



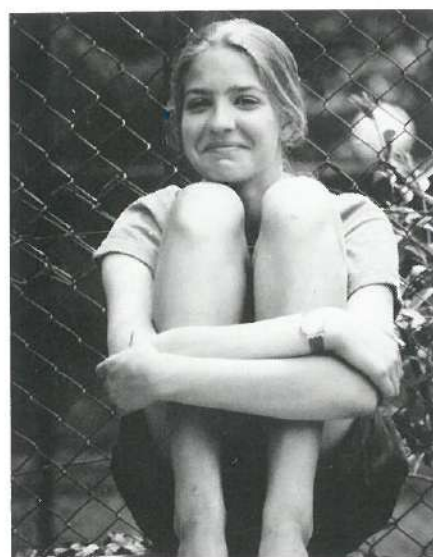
Kirsten and Elizabeth discover the delights of ACAT sunbathing



Maddalena Carello



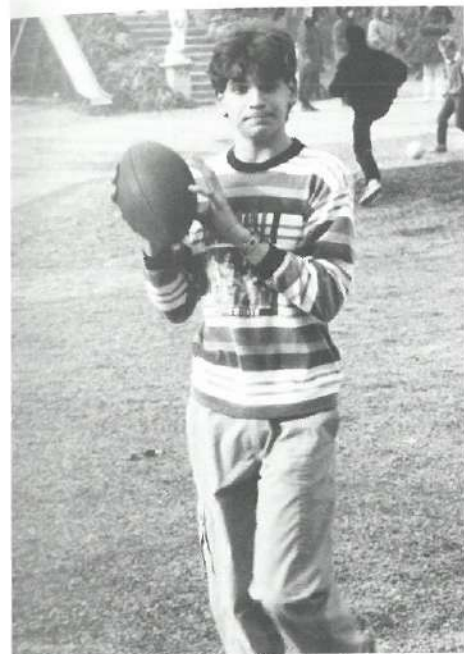
Sara Cordero



Kirsten Davis



Gioia Gabrielli



Brendan Kilroy



Massimiliano Marsiaj



Gioia smiles at the prospect of an artistic career.



Kristina provides free reading sessions at STRACAT.



Kristina Nordahl



Elizabeth Norris



Davide Rinolfi



Eleanor Round

SEVENTH GRADE



Anna Agnelli



Lisa Bardelli



Luca Cazzaniga



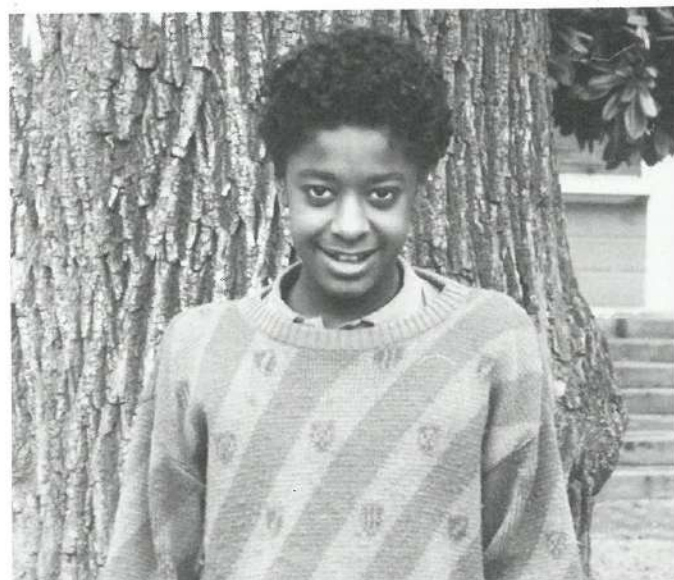
Matteo Borzone



Seventh and Ninth Graders visit backstage at Teatro Regio.



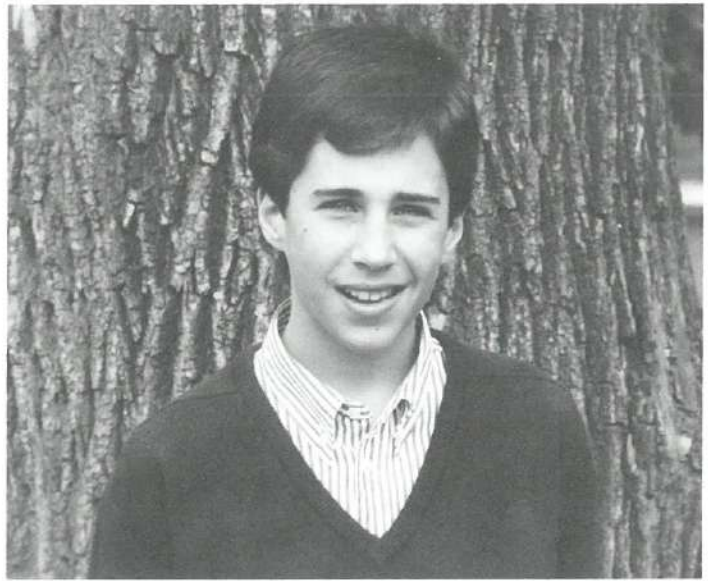
Francesca Genesio



Mohamed Kheir



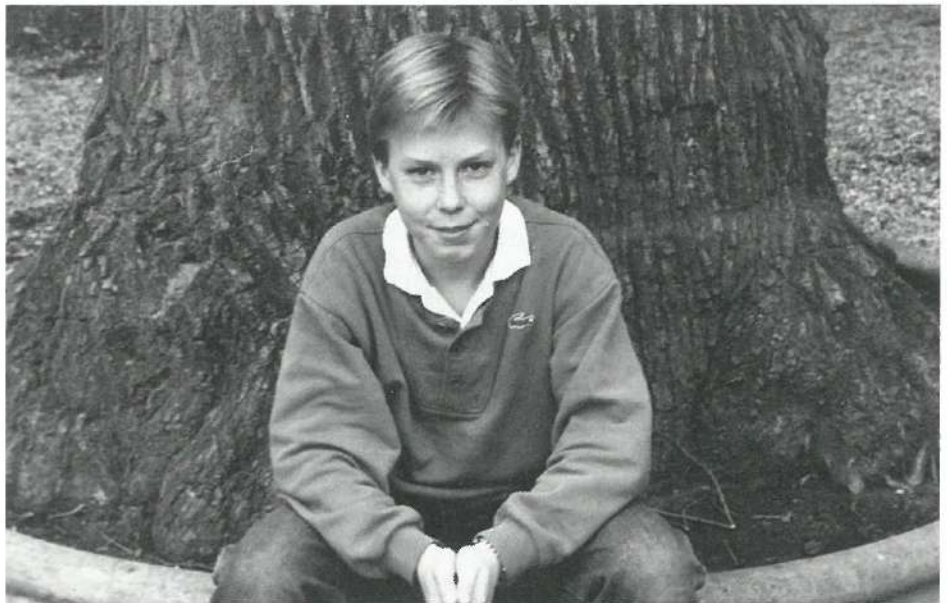
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Paolo Paganelli



Andrea Palisca



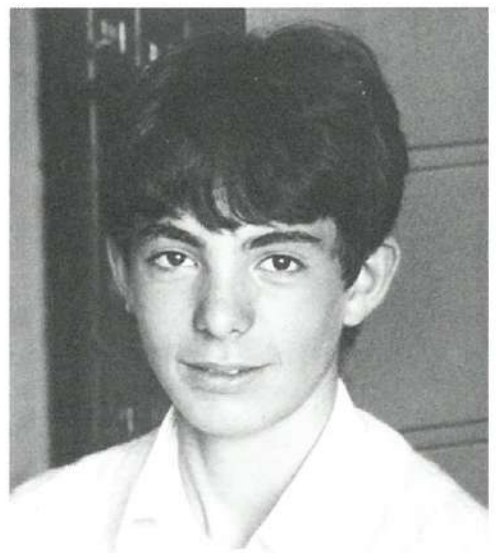
Carl Piovano



Amanda Pluviano



Valentina Rho



Edoardo Vignani

SIXTH GRADE



Ben Batey



Helena Benzinski



Alessia Borge



Roberta Carello



Vanessa Davis



Simona Bozzarelli



Sonia Griffa



Kevin Hunter



Shelley Marinelli



Maria Nordahl



Sonia, Simona and Shelley synchronize their ice creams.



Emiliano Paolucci



Irene Pozzoli



Diego Tuttolomondo



Noriko Umemura



Sandra Wonisch



Patient sixth graders wait to become Patient seventh graders.



One of the joys of history is having one's history notes up-to-date.

Middle Schoolers on the loose



A Renaissance Kitchen finds disillusioned 7th graders waiting for hamburgers and fries.



One's first eggspierience with Egg Day can be eggs hilarating.



Chiara enjoys the special ACAT service - the lower garden tour.



Lisa sports a souvenir from the Gulf War.



Diego, the lone kicker, strikes again.



Francesca presents Mr. Mores with his certificate of good attendance.



"Well my bags are packed; I'm ready to go; I'm leaving on a jet bike ..."

FIFTH GRADE



Silvia Appendino



Astrid Ayoub



Katherine Benzinsky



Alessandra Besana



Simone Bobbio



Carola Canavesio



Jordan Goodall



Eliana Grasso



Mrs. Compton enjoys a pleasant break with her students.



The Fifth graders and Mrs. Compton rally around the sphinx.



Daniel Gremlin



Silvia Lazzaro



Filippo Marchino



Annalisa Palisca



Melissa Pesola



Sara Pironti



Margherita Ponti



Yuka Sato



Arndt Schmidt



Walter Villa



The book fair allows Mrs. Compton to help Walter improve his library.

FOURTH GRADE



Kelsie Bell



Irene Biglino



Ross Bloom



An exercise in measures results in a loaf of bread (more or less).



Tato Carello



Valentina Goncalves



Yosuke Kimura



Mari Kitawaki



Davide Lunardi



What drama classes fail to do, the camera manages.



Valentina Malcotti



Emanuele Pedrana



Jennifer Pesola



Sara Roletto



Rafael Steffen



Aspiring grissini master, Hector Recio tests his measurement skills.



Sayoko Suzuki



Lucina Tabasso



Rieko Tanaka

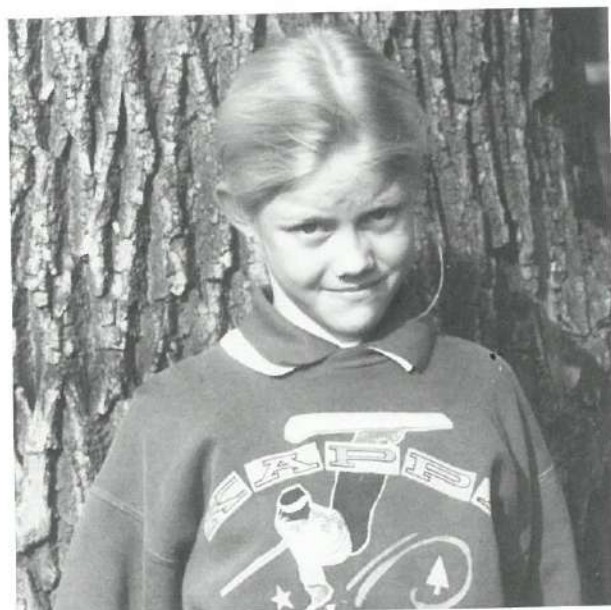
THIRD GRADE



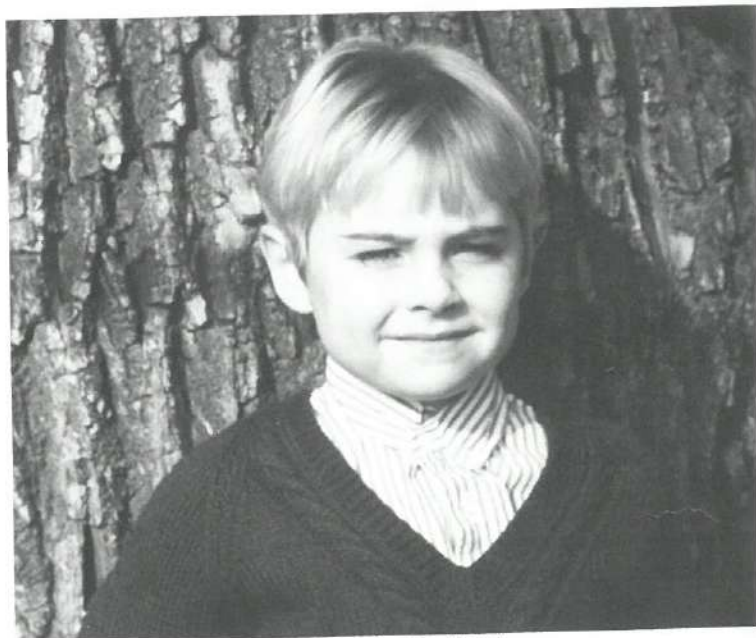
Third grade: CIAK!?!



Carlotta Amerio



Charlie Batey



Christopher Buckland



Claudia Canavesio



Federica Capranico



Benedetta Carello



Alice Cerutti



HELLO FOLKS!!! WE'RE THE THIRD GRADE



Hannah Hill



Trevor Hunter



Satoko Kimura



Maria Teresa Lazzaro



Edoardo Mazzucco



Enrico Maria Mussetto



Nicolo Peci



Edoardo Pozzoli



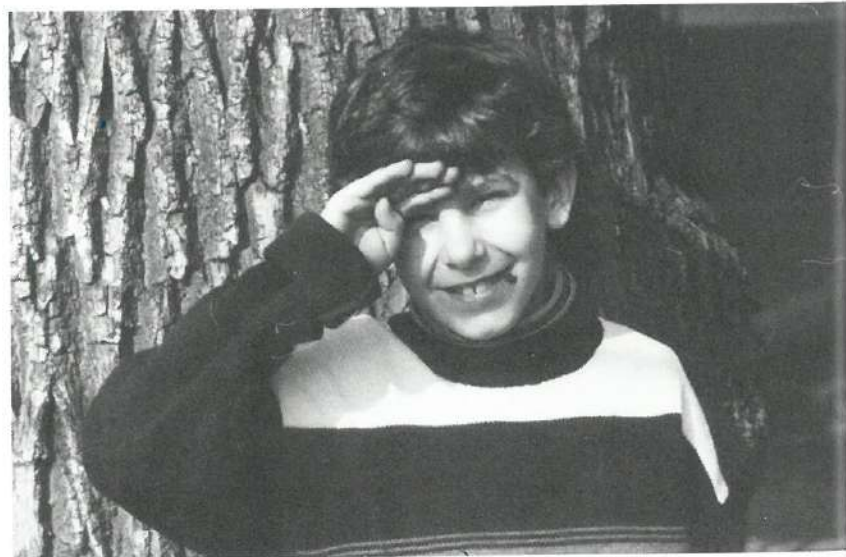
Carlo Ricatto



Mariko Takayama



Clare Williamson



Julien Vasamillet

Elementary Candida



We know we've made it when they give us a chup-a-chup



Miriam settles into the relaxed atmosphere of Library time.



The new slide is great, but there's too much traffic.

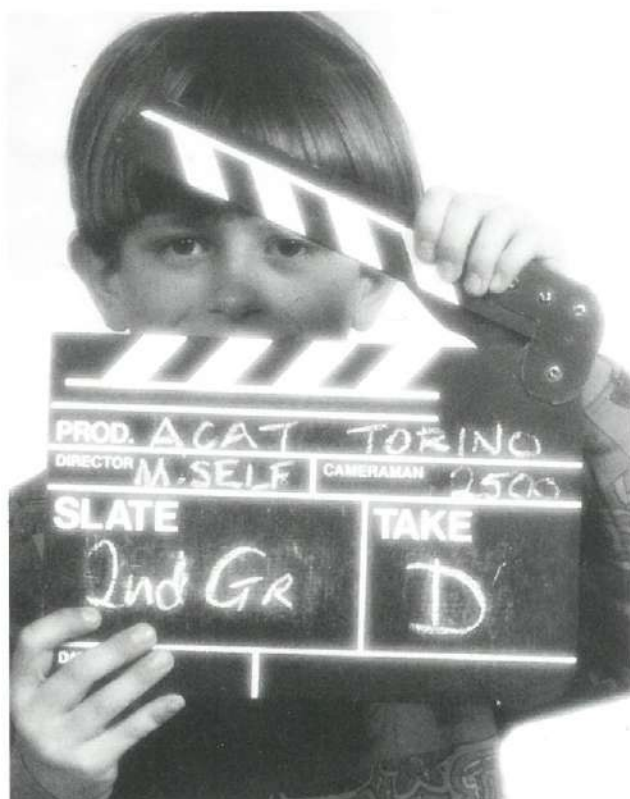


Why do we knead you so?



Please don't feed the kids.

SECOND GRADE



CIAK!!!



Mario Ginatta



Alberto Grinza



Alice Ardissonne



Emanuele Bobbio



Luca Gola



Emi Kitawaki



Alberto Mauro



SECOND GRADE Christmas assembly.



Yasuko and Emi await their cue to perform.



Costanza Profumo



Cecilia Tabasso



Yasuyo Suzuki

FIRST GRADE



Bassan Abdel-Rahman



Chiara Appendino



Cecilia Canavesio



Amoun Ayoub



Emily Clarke



Astrid Fiengo



Antonella Gelormini



Andrew Goodall



Colorful playground equipment attracts first graders.



Robin Hill



Federico Ienna



Allegra Loccisano



After lunch have a friendly walk towards the playground.



Laugh at life.



Bianca Maria Macario-Gioi



Mattia Macchi



Mario Malerba



Stefano Maricosu



Jason Nikanpour



Ms. Mabry's Art class on the terrace was a brilliant experience.



Kazuhiro Nishiuchi



Carlo Palisca



Andrea Riccardi



"Look here, young man, we run a tight garden."



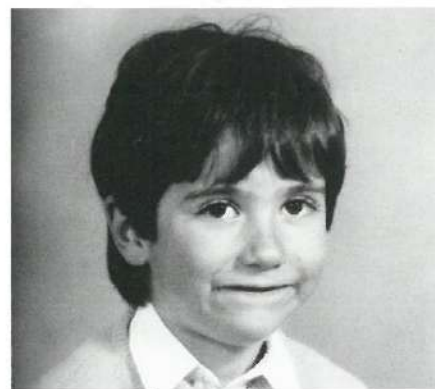
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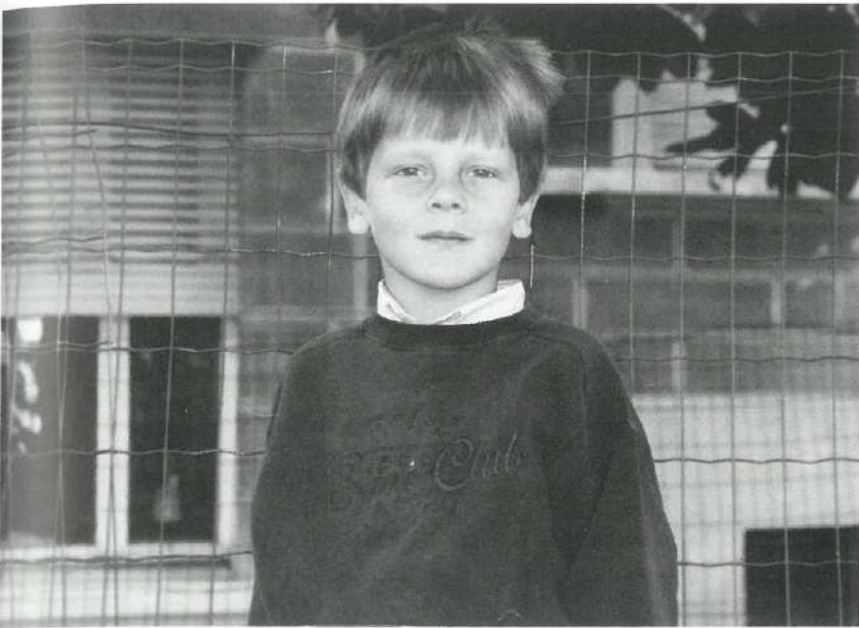
Kindergarten students line up after a hard working day.



Laurey Buckland



Edoardo Carello



Giacomo Casassa



Maria Vittoria Gagliardi



Zachary Hilbers



Amira Kheir



Yasuyo Kimura



Angelica Leveroni



Guida Marchino



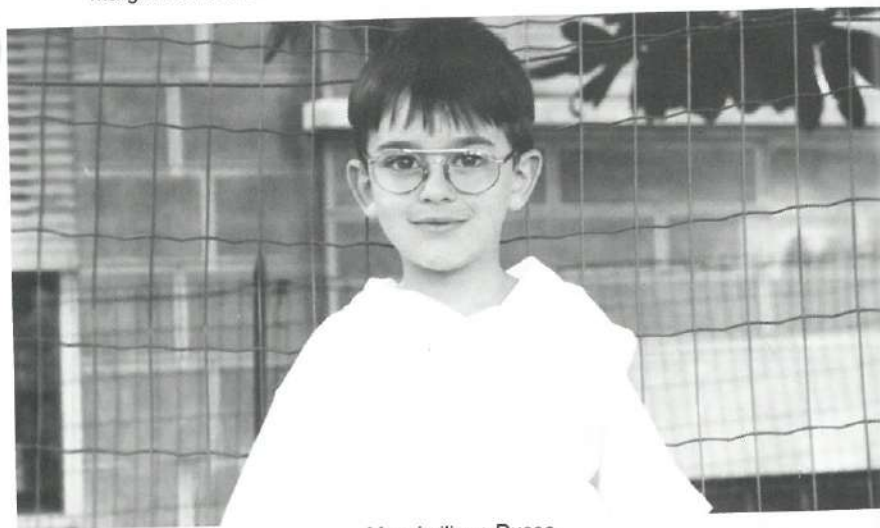
Margherita Mauro



Catherine Orton



Valentina Roletto



Massimiliano Russo



Margherita Stancati



Stav Taub



Katy Williamson

PRE-KINDERGARTEN



Federico Bobbio



Maria Elena Bosco



Maria Virginia Cravero



Marta Gilardino



Bianca Grivet-Branc



Susan Hamilton



Anna Irrera



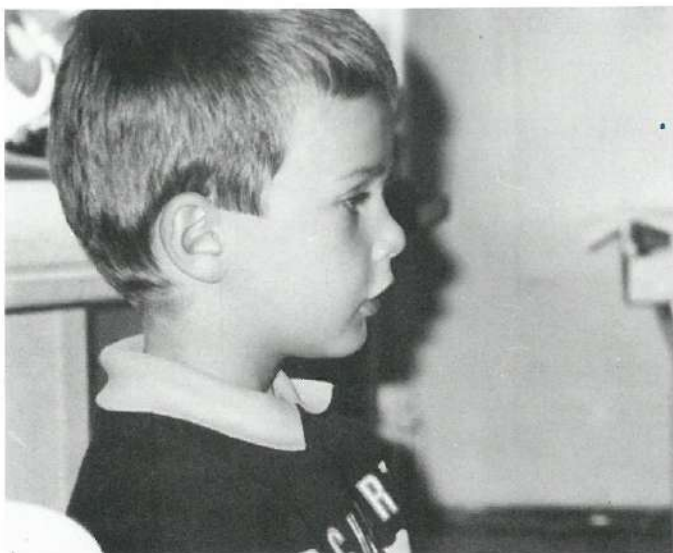
Vittorio Loccisano



Chiara Lunardi



Toshihiko Nishimura



Benedetto Pastore



William Piovano



Elisabetta Roasio



Luigi Sala



Lucia Scarampi



Richard Sokolowski



Elisabetta Tabasso



Marta Tabasso

Nursery



Alessandro Bettega



Pietro Bosco



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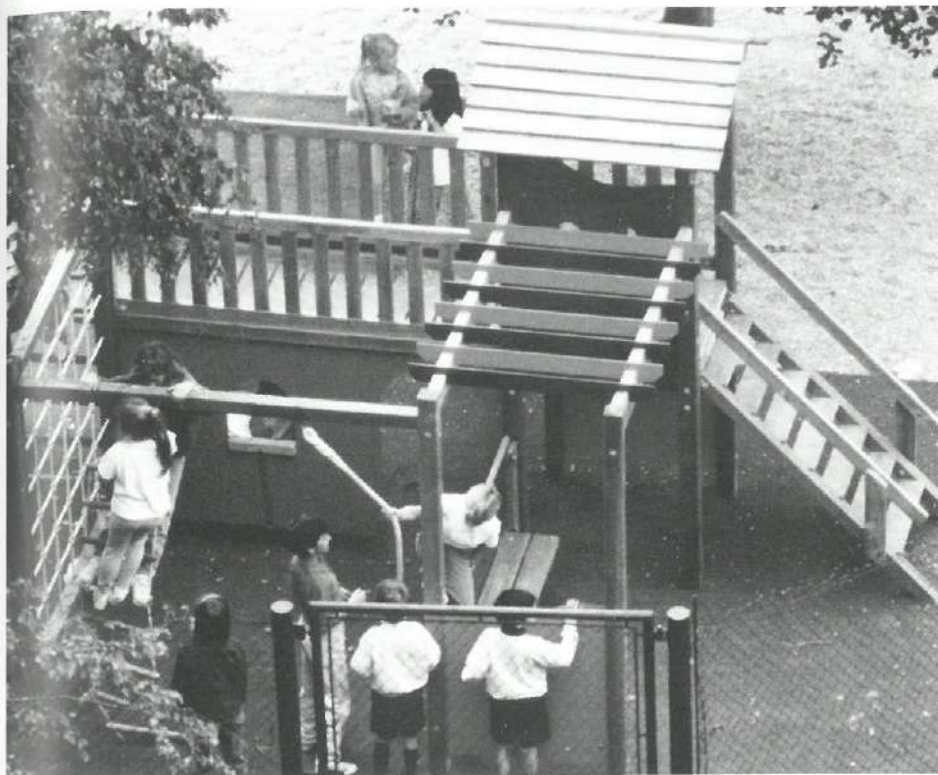


Umberto Garabello



Lorenza Gay





The new playground equipment is finally put to the test.



A teddy bear and a kind word go a long way.



Kelsey Hilbers



Eleonara Riccardi



Alessandra Scarampi



Bayan Sclaverano



Giulia Sericano

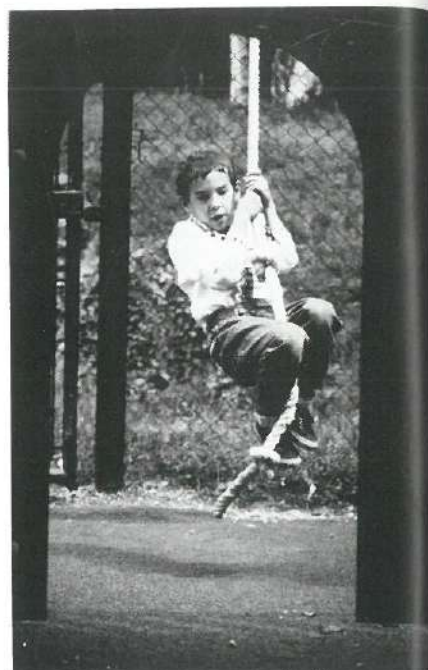


Axelle Tigani-Sava

ELEMENTARY CANDIDS



Recess time!!!



"Indiana Jerome" breaks in his new rope swing.



The girls engineering team reconstructs ACAT's entranceway.



Walter + Eliana in an intensive cutting competition.



Perhaps Darwin was right.



Fourth grade castle-hopping buffs at Aosta.



Fourth grade traffic jam in a Medieval alleyway.



One gets along with a little help from one's friend.



Little corner bookshop under the Wisteria bush.

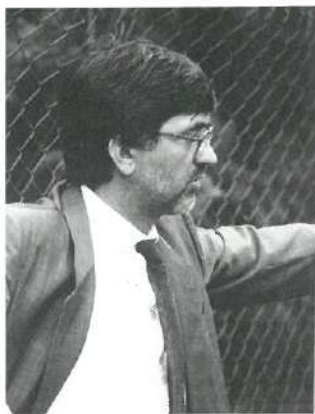
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Margaret Ginatta: President



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Darius Nikanpour



Riccardo Pozzoli



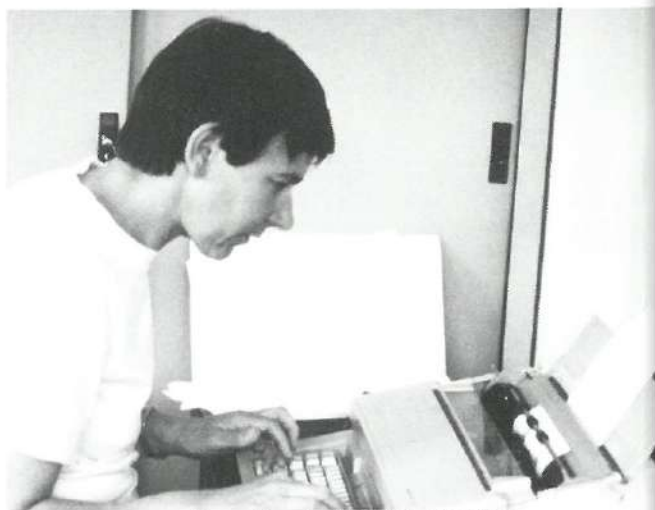
Renata Savio



Rolf Nordahl

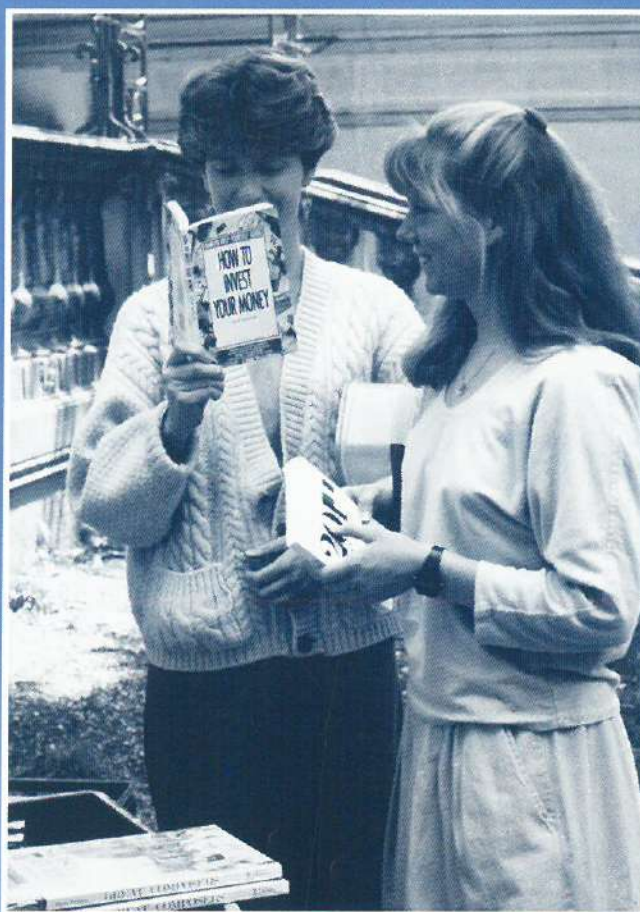
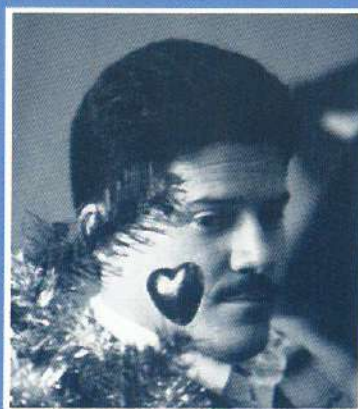
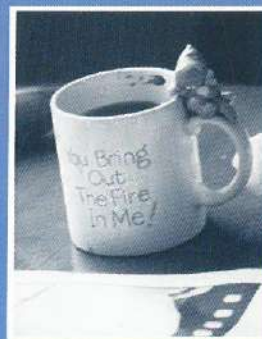


Katsumi Kimura and associate with Mr. Selby.

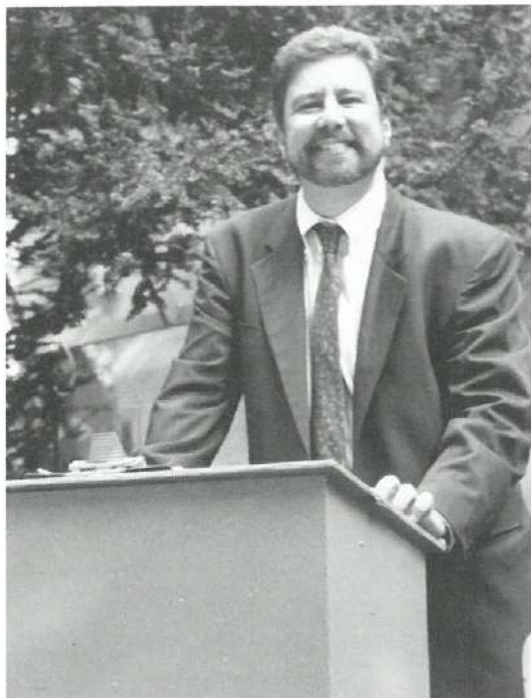


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George Selby: Headmaster



Diana Travis: Principal



Tom Smith: I.B. Coordinator, ESL



Milena Chiarle: Assistant Business Manager



Bianca Kyler: Business Manager



Bianca's busy day starts on an optimistic note.



Jane Bardelli: Second Grade



Graziella Boscotti: Italiano



William Boyle: History, English, Latin



Cinzia Buono: I.B. Italiano A



Benito Carlacchiani: Bus Service



Richard Churches: Music



Irma Corgnati: Matematica, Scienze, Ed. Tecnica Italiana



Carmel Cumiskey: Pre-Kindergarten



Ann Compton: Fifth Grade



Violet Emami: Secretary



David Forsythe: P.E.



Susan Gelsomini: Kindergarten



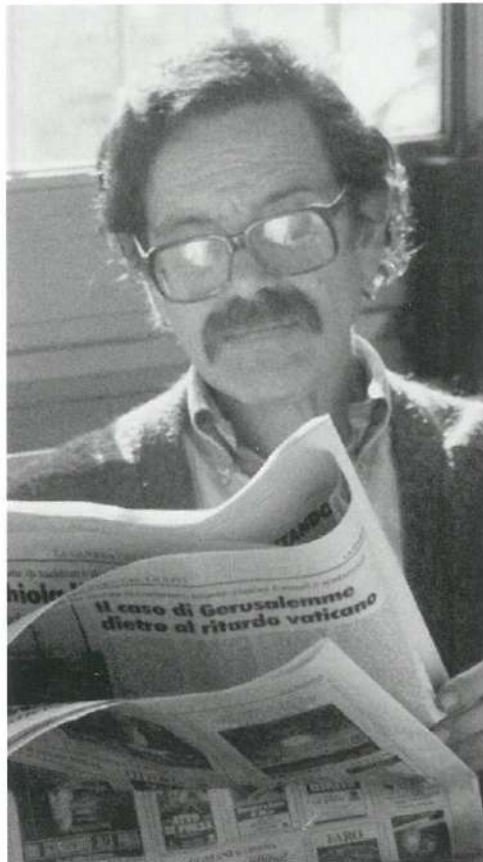
Kris Horsley: Assistant



David Johnson: I.B. English, ESL



Juditte Leiser: Librarian



Steve Leiser: I.B. Biology, Math



Mr. Churches re-composing at La Mandria



Catherine Lencioni: I.B. French



Gwenyth Mabry: Art



Paola Manfredi: Italiano



Cristina Manina: I.B. Italiano, ISL



Annamaria Mazzucco: Italiano



Giulia Massazza: Secretary



Anna McKenzie: Fourth Grade



Buba Milne: Librarian



John Mores: I.B.M.S., Computer



Joyce Mostert: I.B. Chemistry, Math



Dorothy Murphy: Nursery



Teresa and Alise Rossi: Maintenance



Marty Taft: Third Grade



Mr. Mores and Mr. Forsythe, observe Egg Day action.



Kelly Welykholowa and Elaine Urquhart: Assistant and Nursery



Harriet Whitten: Assistant



Dawn Zabaldano: First Grade



Peggy Shor: I.B. English and History



Mariolina Scolari, Secretary

Sports



THE ACAT INTERNATIONAL BASKETBALL MATCH



Brendan jumps for the rebound



Kirsten and Hisham scramble over a loose ball.



"Quick-whistle" Mores spots another foul action.



Guilherme lobs a three point shot.



Kirsten swiftly avoids (Guilherme's) reach-in and scores.

The most active ACAT members showed off their sporting skills and competitive sprints in a spectacular basketball match. Piero led the blue team to victory with 20 points.



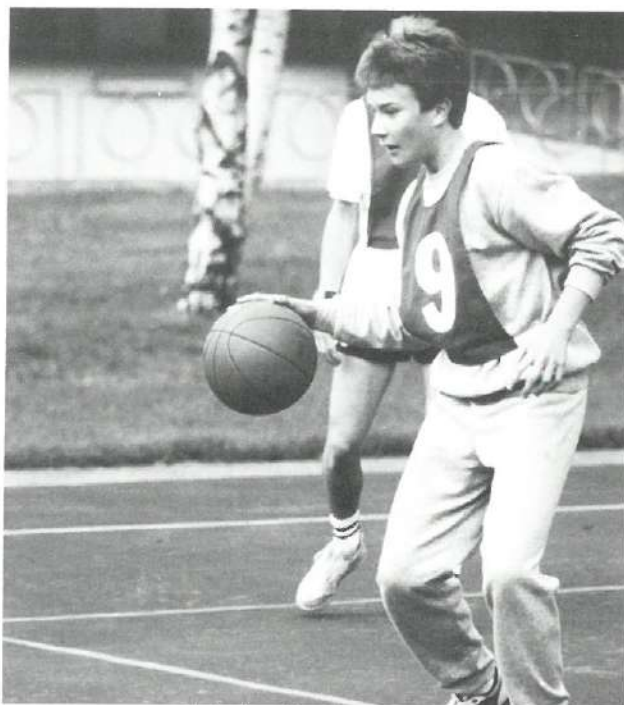
Time-out allows Brendan to reconstruct the defense.



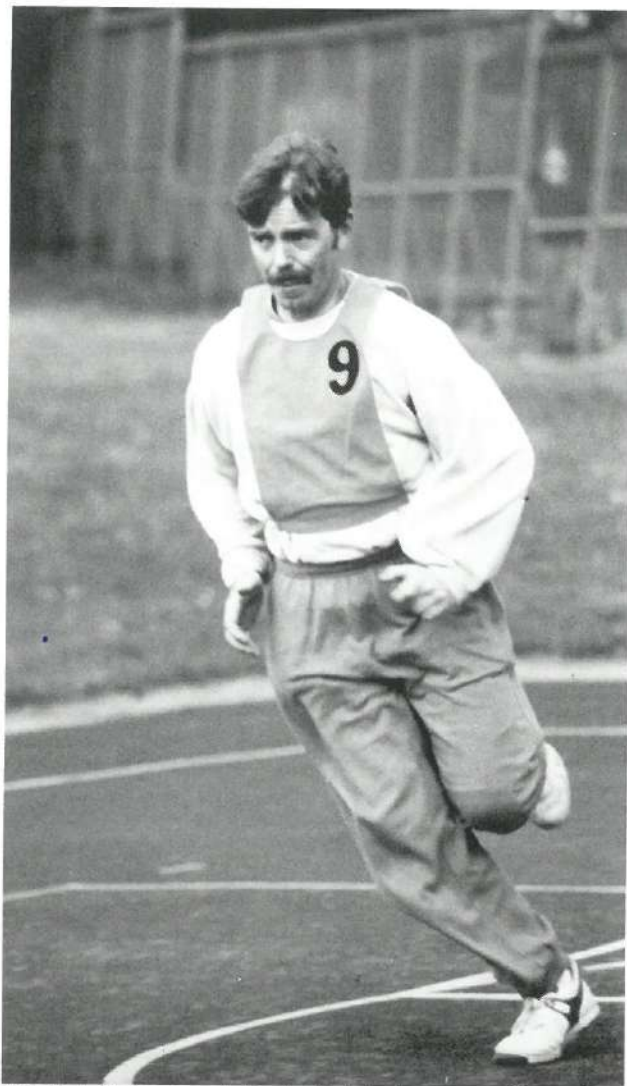
The Steffen-Davis one-on-one continues.



Hisham sprints down the center line.



Jo leads a blue team attack.



Mr. Forsythe's concentration kept him in the center of the action.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE SOCCER SEASON

ACAT's would-be-soccer players gathered on the soccer pitch of the BIT for an aggressive ITALY vs REST OF THE WORLD match won by the R.O.W. team thanks to Mohamed's goal in injury time. In early May, the ACAT team was challenged by the "Moncrivello Institute", which then lost 13-10.



Mr. Forsythe punts the ball toward Massimilano's goal.



The Italian team.



Tommaso dribbles swiftly down the sideline.



The REST OF THE WORLD team.



Italy's secret tactics brought the team to a great recovery during the second half.



The action was spectacular throughout the game.



Jo throws the ball back into action.



Moncrivello's tough defense forced the ACAT team to try many long distance shots.



A momentary lull allows the teams to regroup on the pitch.



End-of-match (combined teams) photo.

P.E. End-of-the-year in Review.



Laughingly, Maria and Alessia consider the opposition team.



The opposition team responds accordingly.



Simona prepares to serve.



Irene gently pops her devastating serve.



Roberta slashes into Irene's devastating serve.



The Sixth Grade Dolphins

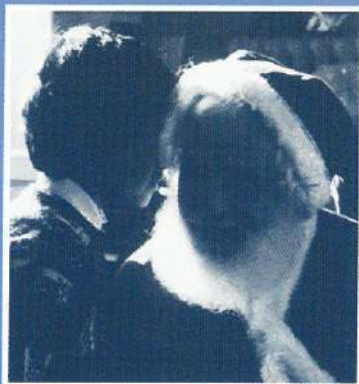


Dolphins II (not to be confused with Jaws II)



Airborne 6th graders await the big splash.

Activities



INTERNATIONAL DAY:

A congenial assembly of ethnic pride.

In commemoration of both Columbus Day and the inauguration of the I.B. program, this CAS-sponsored event saw the school garden come alive with color and movement. Opening with a roll of drums and a fluttering of flags, the day blossomed with a delightful "spring dance" by our kimono-clad Japanese students, and meditative Samurai exercise by Mr. Suzuki. Despite the cloudy skies and occasional sprinkles, a significantly different sunshine of friendship and cultural exchange made it a memorable day.



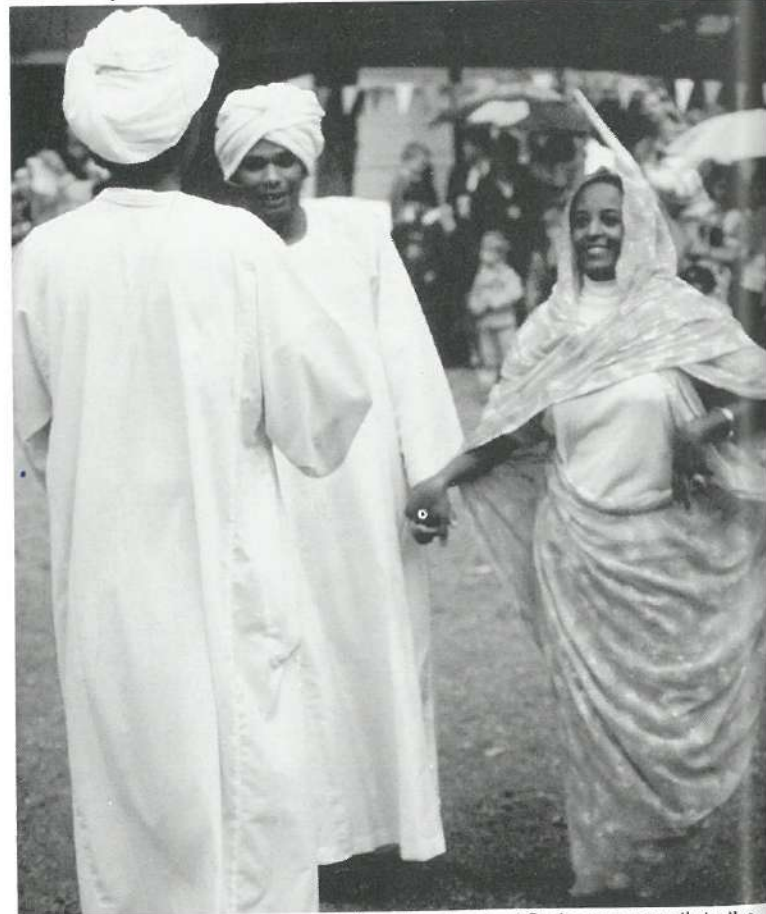
Paolo adds the final touches to the massive advertising production.



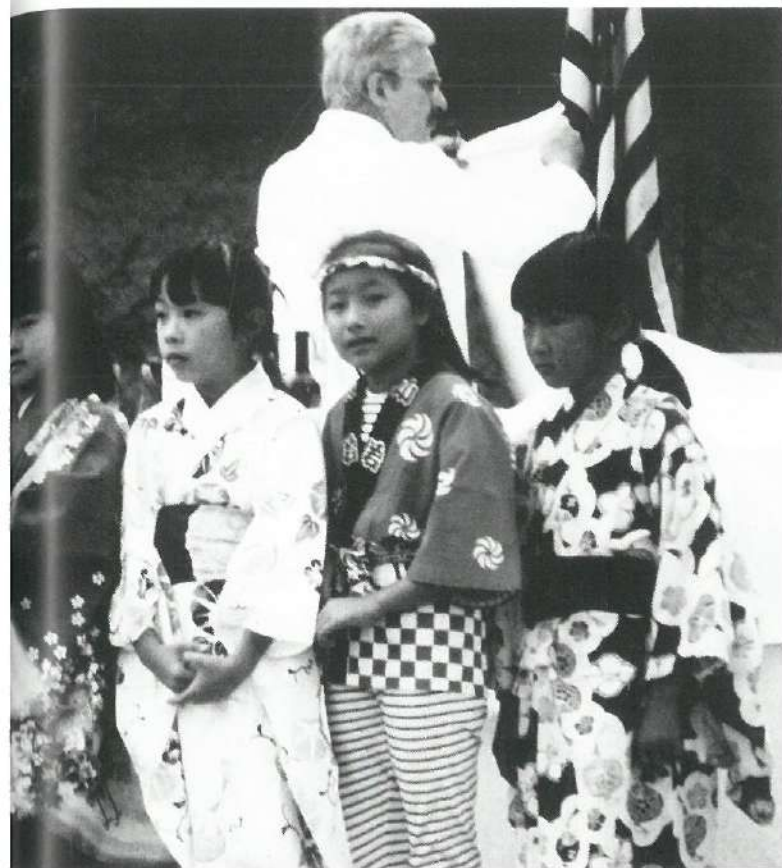
A smiling Philip reflects a younger ethnic pride.



Dressed in elegant kimonos, ACAT's Japanese girls await their dance turn with anxiety.



With a graceful dance, Mrs. Kheir brings in a touch of Sudanese warmth to the chill of the day.



Ross leads the operations in the American corner.



Simona becomes a wet Italian flag post.



Amira and her friend stand by in wonder as the colorful action continues.



Warm table conversations helped make people forget the chill and rain.

HALLOWEEN:

The spirits of ACAT passed.

On every October 31, as everyone knows, strange things happen to human beings younger than twelve years of age.

An uncontrollable urge to be transformed into NINJA TURTLES, Devils' helpers, spectral vampires, grim reapers, and other fantastic creatures inspires the creative imaginations of our elementary students.

This annual metamorphosis is a delightful revival of the spirits of ACAT.



These are some of the weird little folks that reach out to terrify our neighbors.



A mini-Dracula sharpens his claws for the feast.



A little ladybug gasps at her creepy colleagues.



A tiny turtle trots to take part in the parade.



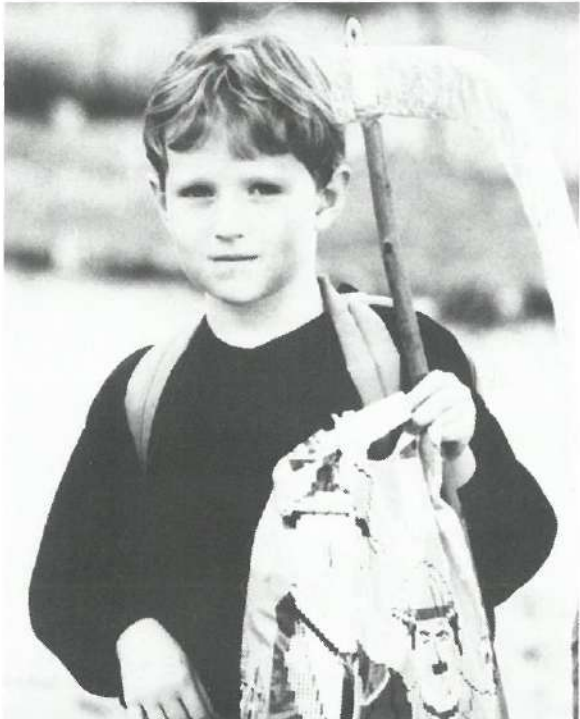
A ghostly ghoulish grimaces glumly.



A fearsome fourth grade lines up for the frightening fun.



A well-knitted Ninja winds up for the final scare.



Menacingly, Mephistofeles marches into the melee.



A grim reaper waits patiently to fill his bag.



Two witches decide which one gets the broom. ("WITCH ONE"?)

THANKSGIVING: The annual ACAT sharing event.

In its annual search to accommodate the increasing number of participants at the Thanksgiving feast, the P.T.C. found a mouth-watering solution at Carletto's restaurant in Pecetto. Nearly 300 people gathered to talk and eat turkey in an agreeable atmosphere of camaraderie.

Again this year, to the energetic members of the P.T.C., who have worked so hard to help the school, "Thanks for giving".



Ashraf and friends share a quiet conversation before the meal begins.



Even serious discussions were allowed.



Mr. Pozzoli keeps the atmosphere light-hearted with his jokes.



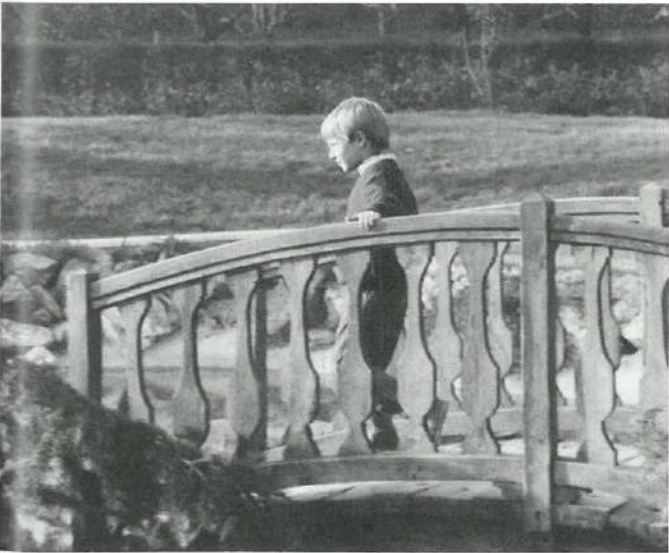
Deborah holds court with a juicy tid-bit of information.



Mindful of more frenetic times, Mr. and Mrs. Compton relished the relaxed atmosphere.



Fidgety youngsters await their dessert.



Mario takes a digestive stroll in the garden.



P.T.C. President, Sue Benzinski calls out the lucky raffle winners.

CHRISTMAS: festing with Santa and Co. at Teatro Matteotti



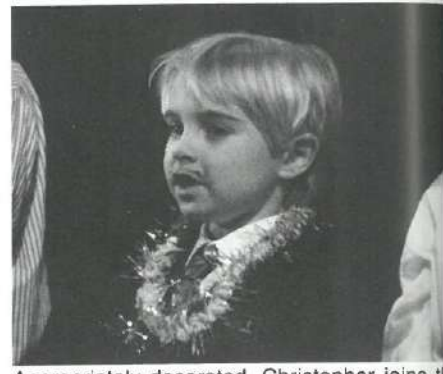
Julian the (red-nosed) reindeer had a very shiny nose.



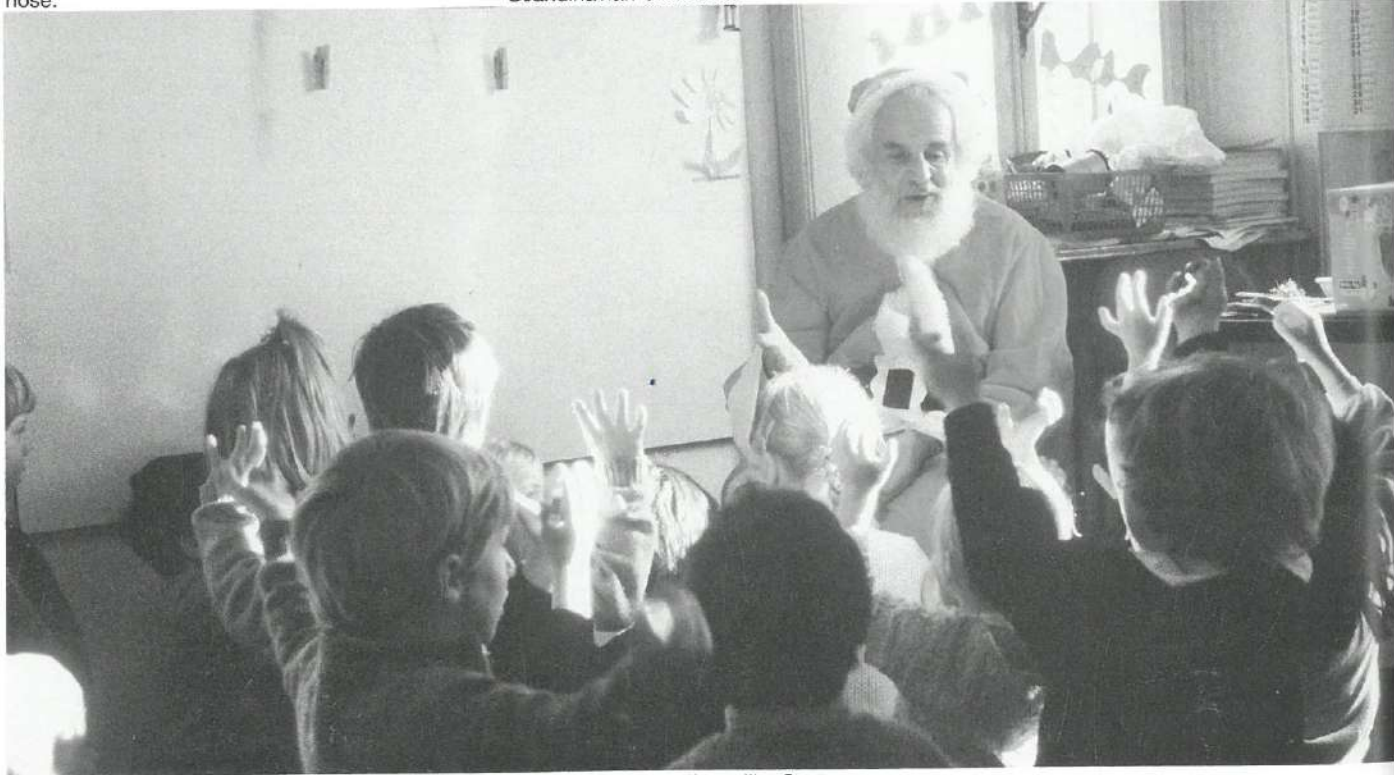
The joys of Christmas come alive in the songs of children.



As Santa Lucia, Sylvia recalls a Scandinavian Christmas.



Appropriately decorated, Christopher joins the chorus.



Hands up if you like Santa.



Christmas harmony depends on well-adjusted teeth.



Santa Ross is coming to town.



Emi + Yasuko help Santa expand the Christmas spirit.



Santa's elf takes a break between baskets.



... and the littlest angel dreamt golden dreams.

SKI WEEK: A Downhill Run to a Snowy Adventure



ACAT's Precision Downhill Team eyes the steep slope with a certain anxiety.



Amidst the raging snowstorm, Mr. Forsythe grins confidently.



The ski-lift sun-bathing facility ...



ACAT's Precision Downhill Team.



Elaine gets ready for a challenging curve.



Coach Forsythe prepares to lead the "littl'uns" down an adventurous slope.



A rescuer crashes in the attempt to save half-submerged Mr. Johnson.



The exhausted skiers hang over their poles in an attempt to rest.

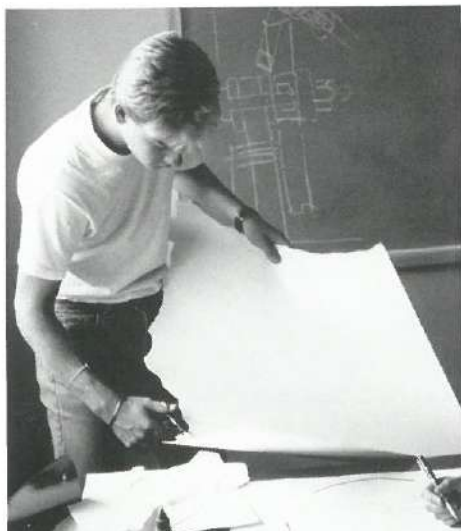


Elaine pauses to catch her breath along the foggy forest slope.



Shelley displays her off-the-slopes dancing talents.

CAS: Creativity, Activity, and Service take on new meanings for I.B. students.



Claes works at capturing Sweden's image for International Day.



Rickard and Mrs. Benzinski collaborate on the U.K. booth.



Cinzia and Mrs. Aprato supervise the Italian booth at International Day.



The Kimura family gets into the spirit of INT. DAY.



Alpine guide Renzo Luzi gives a pep talk to ACAT's mountaineers.



Simona hangs loose at Rocca Sella.



Let the others wear themselves out; Stefano prefers the meditative approach.



Anna takes her suspension lightheartedly.



Could this be the last Tango at ACAT?



Giulia + Simona prepare their circus act.



Rickard finds the exercise a big let down.



Ema reaches out to the ancients and paints them.



To understand children you have to be a child - at least in spirit.



Patti's smile brings sunshine to the ancients.

MODEL UNITED NATIONS



Claes Nordhal, Becki Woolard, Mr. Johnson

The Dance: Highlight of the Student Council Year



The Davis sisters won the ball-room dance contest.



A student council meeting brings out hidden talents in its members.



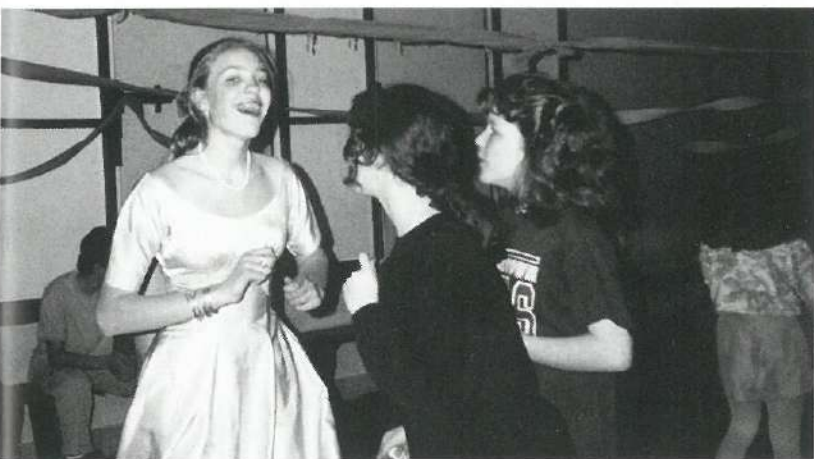
The ACAT dance.



Student council members are very versatile.



All dressed up and no place to go.



Kirsten could've danced all night.



Francesca sways to the sound of music.

EASTER HAT PARADE: The survival of a favorite tradition



Happy hatters join Mrs. Zabaldano for a stroll past the spectators.

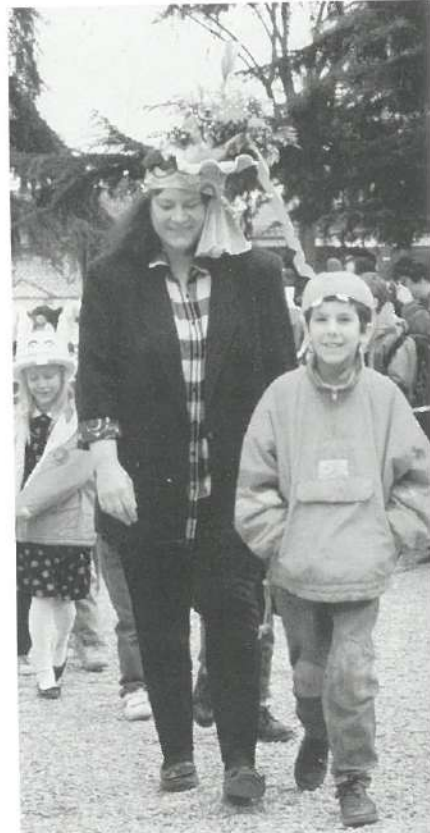


Ms. Manina joins in the spirit of the day with her original entry.

There was a time in America when Easter Sunday was an occasion for people to show off their individuality and good taste by donning their new hats and suits. The modified ACAT version of this "Easter Parade of Fashion" initiated as an annual challenge to show off one's creativity in the production of an original hat. Once again this year the "littl'uns" deserve a round of applause for their **colorful** continuation of this tradition.



Representing the upper school, Anna and Francesca sport their fashionable chapeaux.



Keeping up with Julian's pace, Ms. Taft st by in a blare of colors.



The three bonnetteers ...



... wait to display ...



... their creativity



A kaleidoscope of creative geniuses.



George & company troop down the fashion lane.



Charley and the bunny hat smile through the parade.

CAREER DAY: A CAS-

sponsored chance to think ahead.

On April 23rd, a varied group of professionals accepted our invitation to share first thoughts on their chosen careers. Throughout the day the student response to these informal chats about the world of work grew more enthusiastic, and all agreed that the change of pace was welcome and constructive.



Dr. Mela braces himself for his conference on plastic surgery.



Giulia reviews the day's schedule with Dr. Baduini.



Matt and Brendan listen attentively.



Commercial Lawyer, Mr. Brosio, describes his professional satisfaction.



Author, educator, T.V. host, Mr. Beccaria is at ease with his ACAT audience.



With Luca as interpreter, Mr. Rampanti relates an anecdote about managing a soccer team.



After discussing the world of business with the kids, Mr. Salza discusses the world of ACAT with Mrs. Ginatta.

MORNING PLAN		
Speaker	Profession	Room
A Mr. Derrico	Psychologist	4B
Mr. Rampanti	Sports Dir.	2C
11B Mr. Brosio	Lawyer	2C
Mr. Camagna	Art Printer	LAB
Mr. Corradi	Computer	Comp
B Mrs. Balduini	Neurologist	4B
Mr. Moreggio	Hotel Mgr.	4B
15S Mr. Acla	Trauma Surg.	2C
Mr. Mangiarotti	Biogen. Res.	LAB
Mr. Bellèga	Soccer Player	2C
C Mrs. Ttus	Art Workshop	2C
Mr. Beccaria	Education	2C
10S Mr. Vergnano	Wine Prod.	LAB
Mr. Pedrana	Business Mgr.	2C
Mr. Salza	Chamb. of Com. Corp.	2C
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Mrs. Bertolotto	Archaeologist	2C

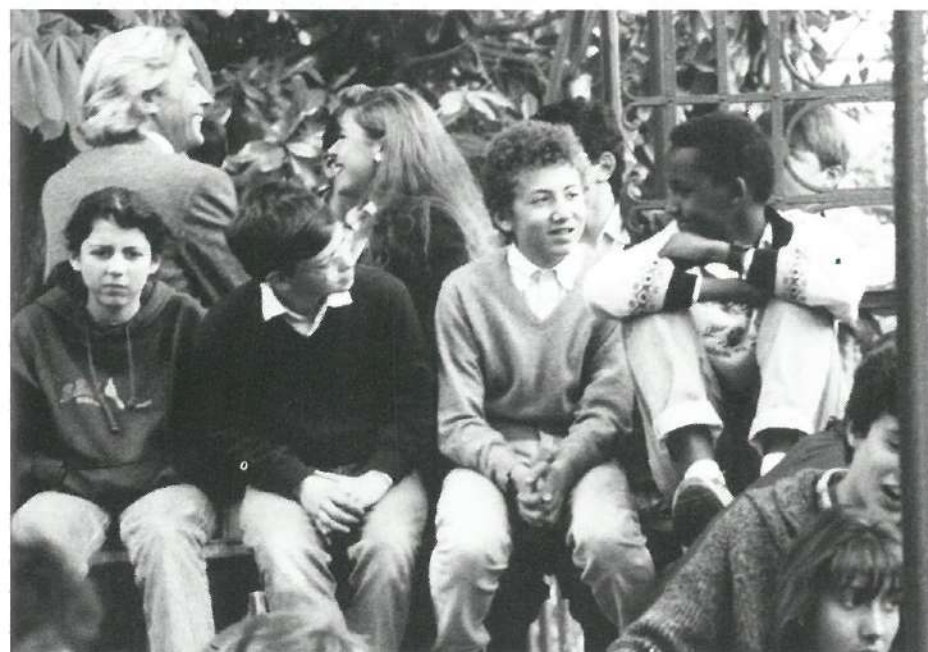
The morning plan.



Luca records it all for posterity.



Alpine guide Renzo points out the way down to his wary apprentices.



The terrace quickly filled with spectators eager to see the kick-box demonstration.

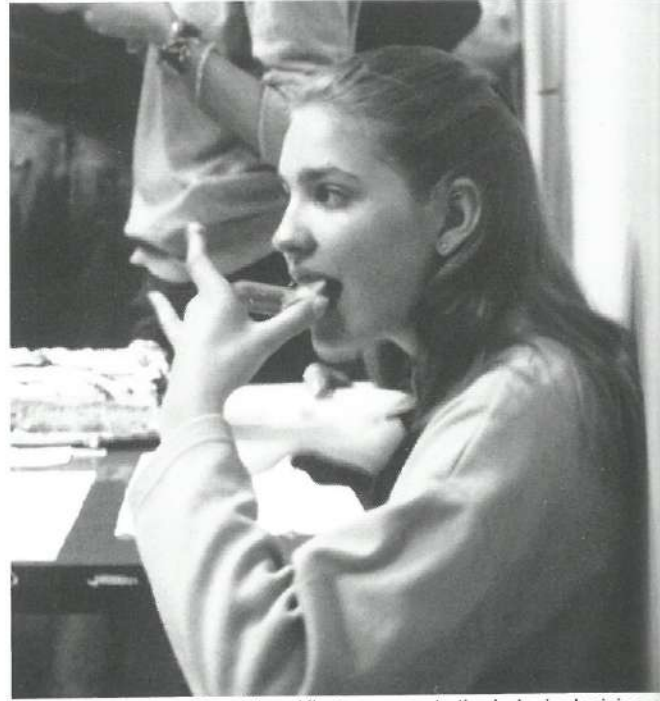


Mrs. Shor refreshes her "kick-box" vocabulary.

The Annual Cake Contest: why mothers (and kitchens) get gray.



Donning her official judge's hat, Ms. Mostert samples the various entries.



Offering a second opinion, Kirsten supports the judge's decision.



The winning contestants; come back again next year.

P.T.C. Art Fair: parents, teachers, and kids being creative together.



Mrs. Clarke offers a workshop in flower montage.



William attacks his project.



Mrs. Goodall supervises the ever-popular cake sale.



Painted face = happy kids.



A favorite activity is painting rocks.



Dedicated P.T.C.-er, Mrs. Batey joins in the fun.

EGG DAY: A change-of-place test for future engineers.

Take a bit of string, some glue, rubberbands, and drinking straws and construct a contraption to keep an egg intact when it is dropped from a high place. The result is a fun change in the routine as well as a chance for future engineers to show off their skills.



Head engineer Leiser eggsplains the competition rules.



An eggspectant crowd anticipates the first drop.



The audience.



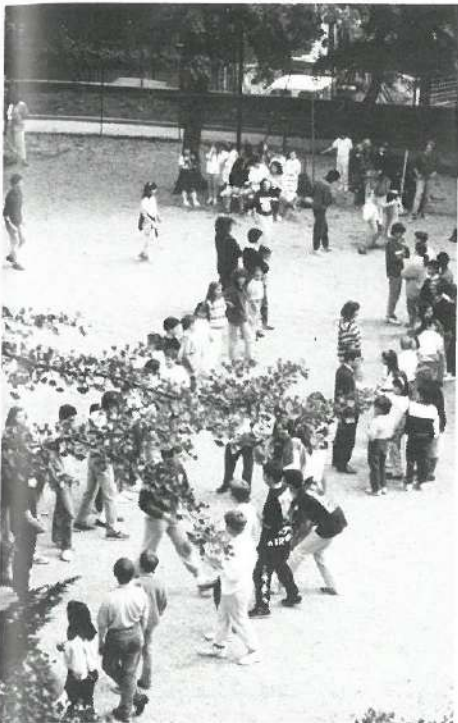
The confident Sixth graders line up for their first trial drop.



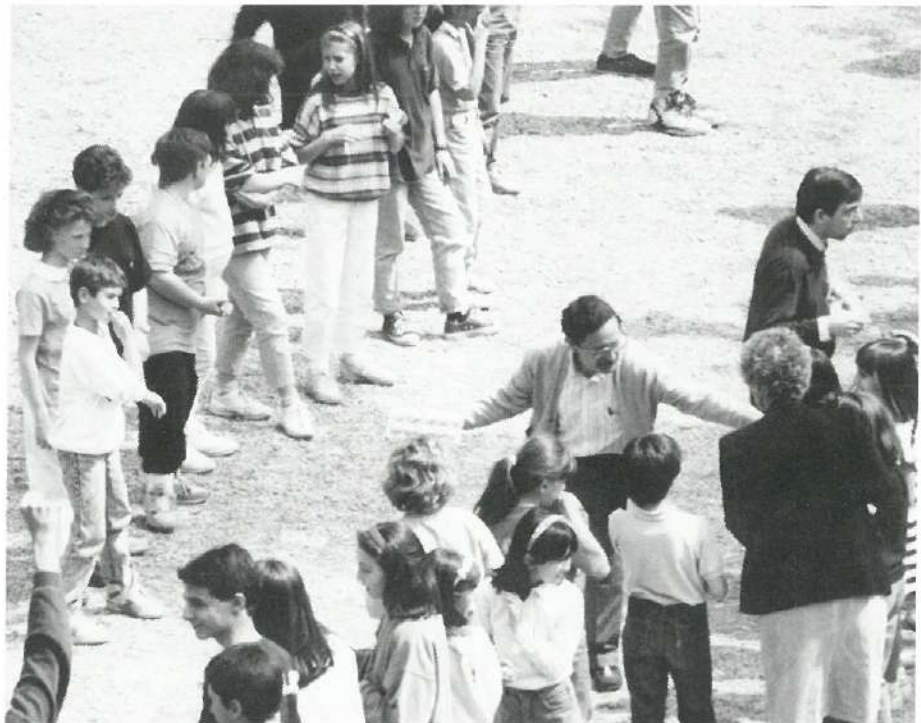
The more serious engineers of the seventh grade discuss the merits of straws over string.



Mr. Leiser holds up a winning egg.



Wary opponents take their positions for the egg toss.



A genial host, Mr. Leiser, distributes the messy missiles.



Agile Simona demonstrates her "toreador style" of catching the egg.



Annalisa favors more of the "teddy bear" approach.



Valentina disco dances into the egg.



Gentle Emanuele prefers to coddle his egg.



Apprehensive Ms. Taft fields a sizzler from Mr. Selby.

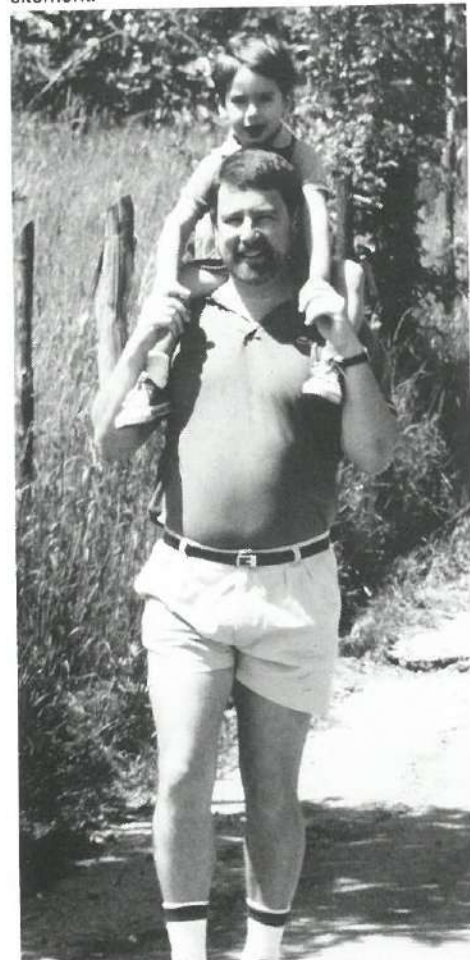
STRACAT: A nostalgic romp through the rolling green hills of Pecetto.

An ever-popular P.T.C. activity is the annual walk (run, stroll, roll) along the country roads surrounding Pecetto.

Thanks again to the P.T.C. for organizing yet another genial occasion for the ACAT community to come together.



Last-minute sign-ups help create pre-race excitement.



Nick found the easy way to STRACAT ... but daddy didn't.



Happy is the family that STRACATS together.



Alessia + Maria discuss their winning strategy.



Quality traffic control is a MUST at STRACAT.



The Williamsons sprint to the finish line.



An encouraging reception awaited runners the last check-point.



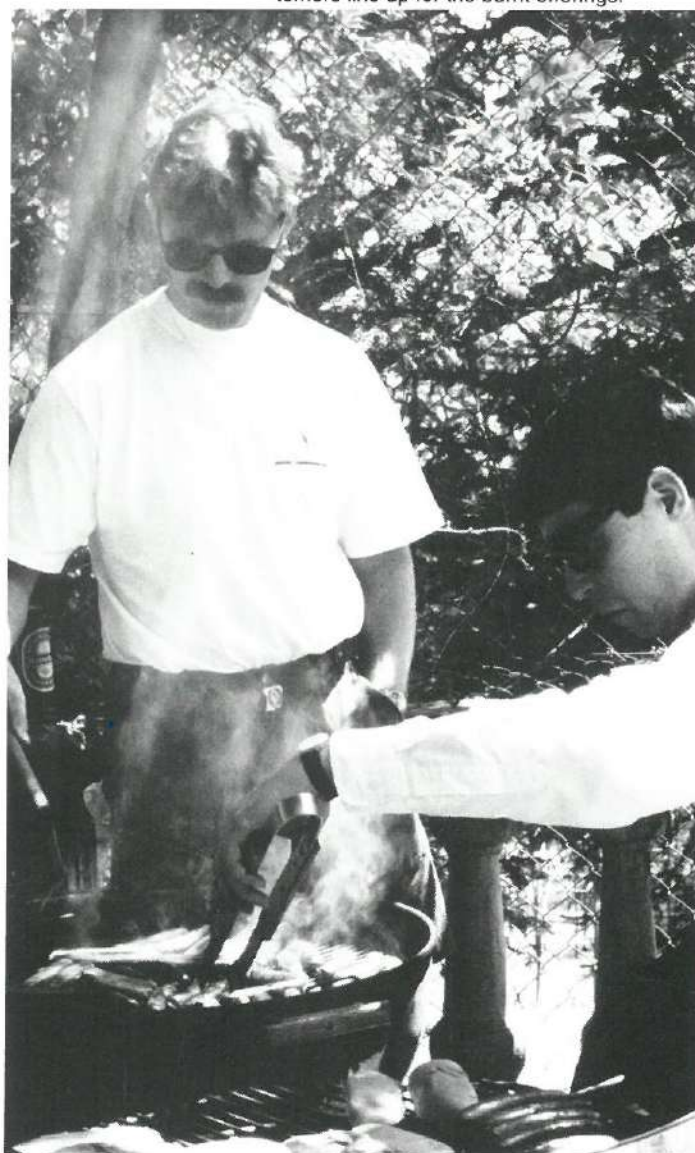
Famished STRACATERS nibble their nails in anticipation of the charcoal-broiled hot dogs.



With anxious looks and heart-in-hand, customers line up for the burnt offerings.

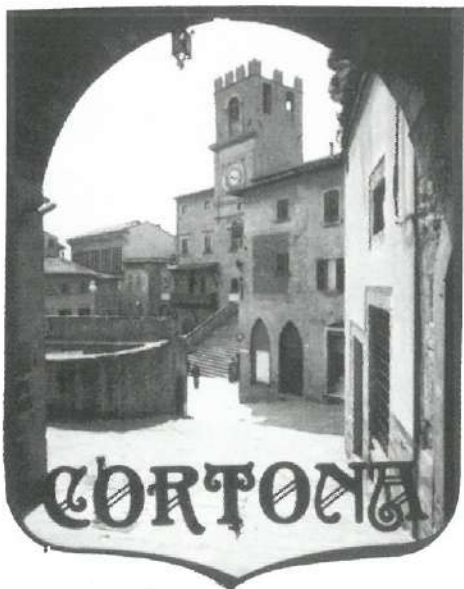


STRACAT organizers (official tasters) Williamson and Benzinski run a taste test on the first round of dogs.



The dynamic duo, Dave and John, offer you a hot dog you can't refuse.

Cortona: Where Creative Learning is an annual treat for the fourth and fifth grades.



We all dressed up and went to the disco.



Theater Workshop activities ...



... help get rid of our inhibitions.



Proud fourth and fifth graders show off their hand-painted T-shirts.

ACATING AROUND.

Under drizzling March skies, a hearty group of 9th and 10th graders dug for potsherds in a Roman dump, raced in the Circus Maximus, and generally discovered that Rome, though wet, was still fascinating after all these years. In more favorable weather conditions, another adventurous group of seventh graders took a Renaissance sprint to Florence.

Unique ways of supplementing class discussions, such field trips have become a traditional part of the curriculum.



A rest stop finds the group in a San Gimignano courtyard.



Weatherproof Matt pushes on to discover soggy Rome.



Despite its storied past, the Circus Maximus witnessed the strangest footrace on record.



Among the Etruscan ruins, the explorers found a refreshment stand still operating.



Public-bussing it to Fiesole, the class "drivernaps" Mario.



Renaissance buffs at Piazzale Michelangelo get an overview of Florence.

ELEMENTARY ACTIVITIES



Story-time in the garden.



Play-time with the little 'uns.



Carnevale one.



Carnevale two.



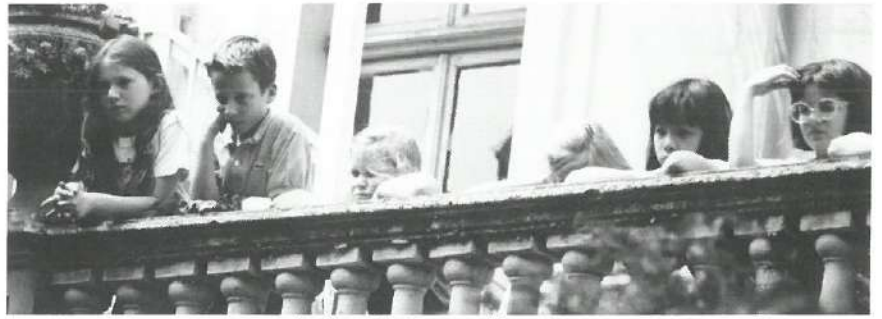
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Teddy bear day.



Mago Sales helps celebrate Guia's birthday.



Audience's terrace with a view.



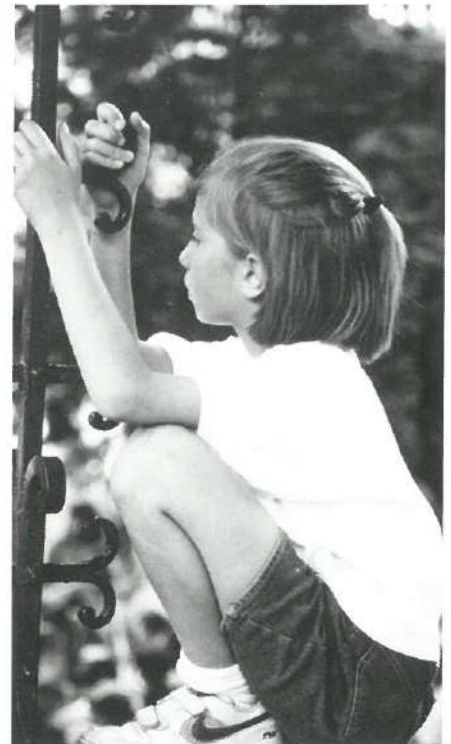
Attentive spectators at the talent show.



Kelsey + Irene in a lively pantomime routine.

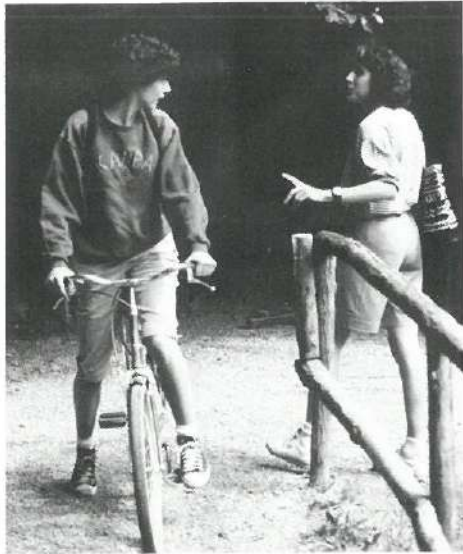


Mari + Valentina in a satirical commercial.

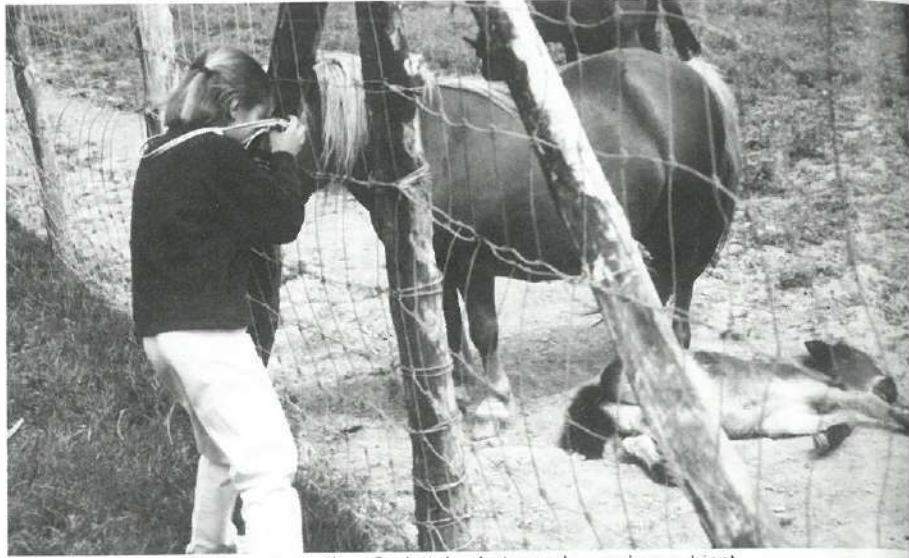


Carlotta follows the scene from a special perch.

La Mandria: The annual field trip for those who think young.



Isabel pauses for pre-trek advice from Coach Lencione.



A young foal offers Carlotta's photography a prime subject.



Daniel takes a ride on the wild side.



Raphael reaches for a wild throw.



Mr. Forsythe lobs a lazy pop-up for Raphael.



Davide rallies the middle-schoolers for a soccer match.



Arndt braces himself for a smashing return.



Paolo and Luca restore their exhausted spirits.



The explorers return from their discovery of LaMandria's scenic offerings.

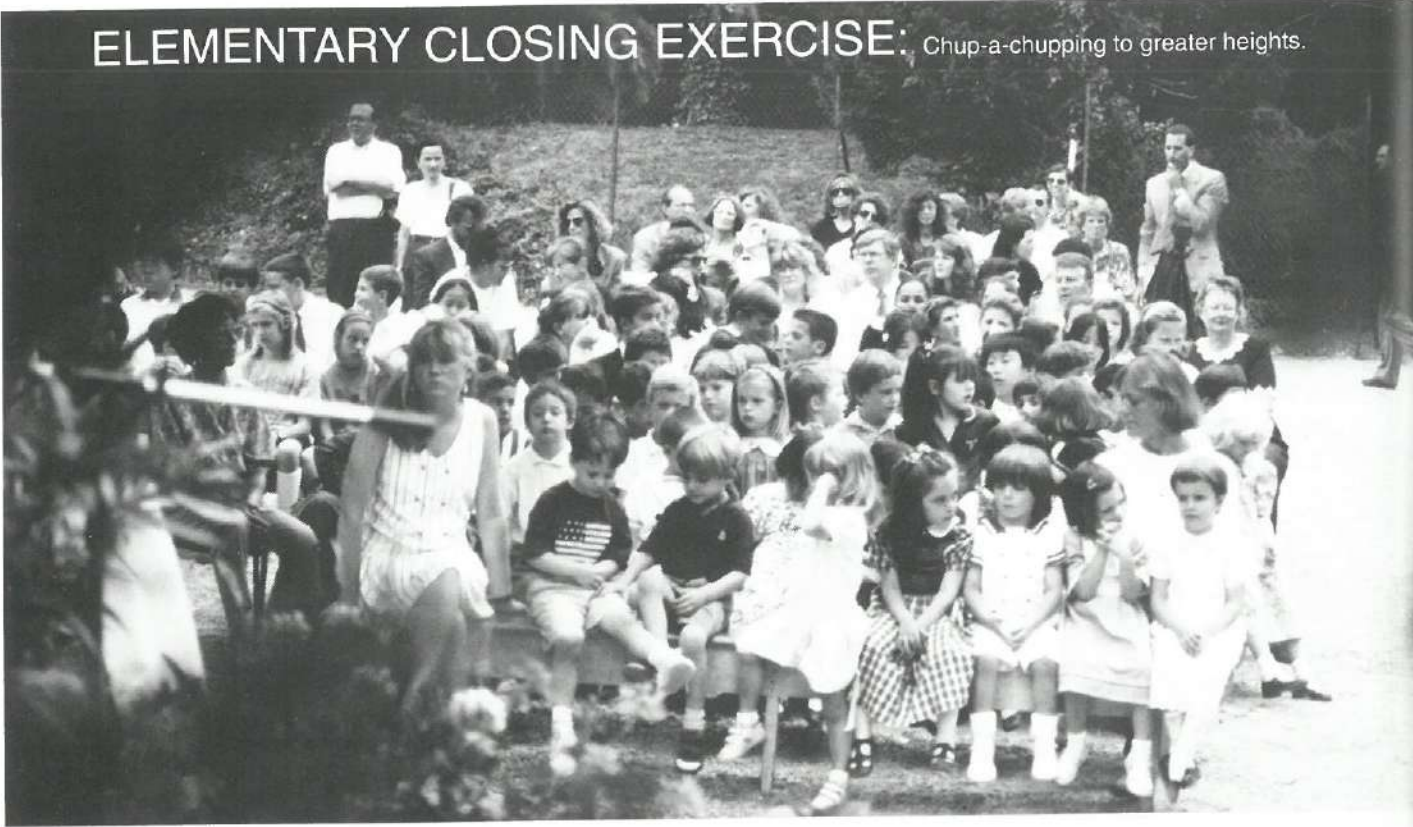


Talking about school is forbidden at the LaMandria!



Ms. Mabry puts the final touches on her painted T-Shirt.

ELEMENTARY CLOSING EXERCISE: Chup-a-chupping to greater heights.



Mrs. McKenzie and her fourth graders attentively follow the ceremony.



The Nursery chorale cues up for its presentation.



Music director, Mr. Churches prompts the chorus.



The Audience part II



Eliana shares her beautiful gift.



Kelsey on stage and ready for promotion.



Christopher beams proudly at his promotion.



The third graders end the year in tune.



Kindergarten choraleers liven up the entertainment.

GRADUATION: tearful goodbyes and promising starts.



Mr. Selby opens the ceremony.



Paolo + Tato share observations on the ceremony.



A thoughtful mixture of emotions filled the air.



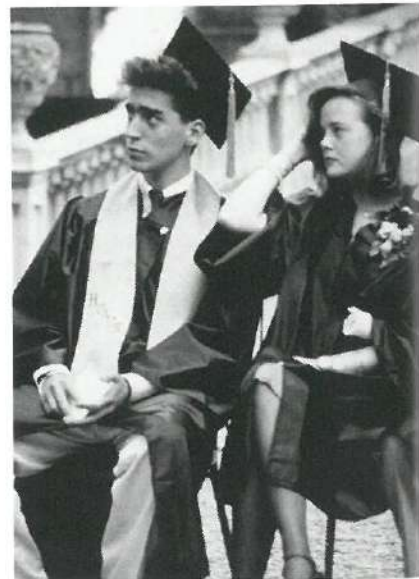
Proud parents experience "the end of the beginning".



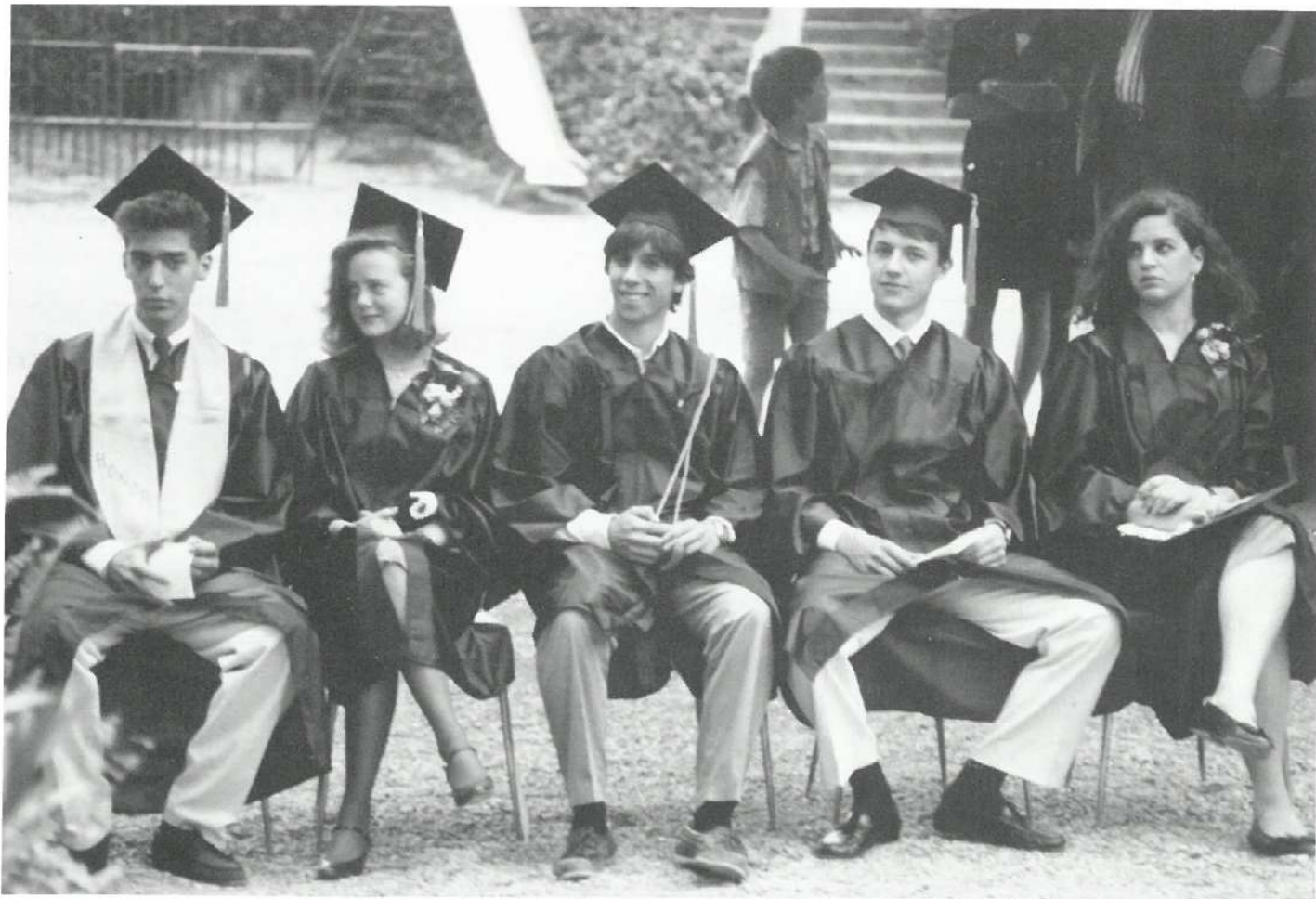
Ms. Ginnata and Mr. Price, guest speakers.



A lively medley from "Grease" highlights the evening's entertainment.



"Those were the days my friend".



The graduates: Philip Oleson, Becki Woolard, Paolo Bori, Stefano Jeantet, and Leila Keilani



Mr. Price shares his inspired words with the graduates.



Most of the seventh grade added a musical note to the ceremony.



Sixth grade choristers become Seventh grade choristers.



The ninth graders become PRE-IB students



And it was all immortalized by Julian.

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Isabel Vassamillet



The staff enjoys a brief respite to restore their creative energy.

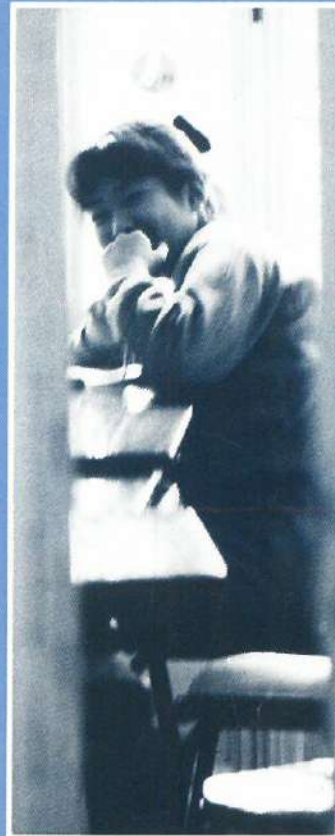


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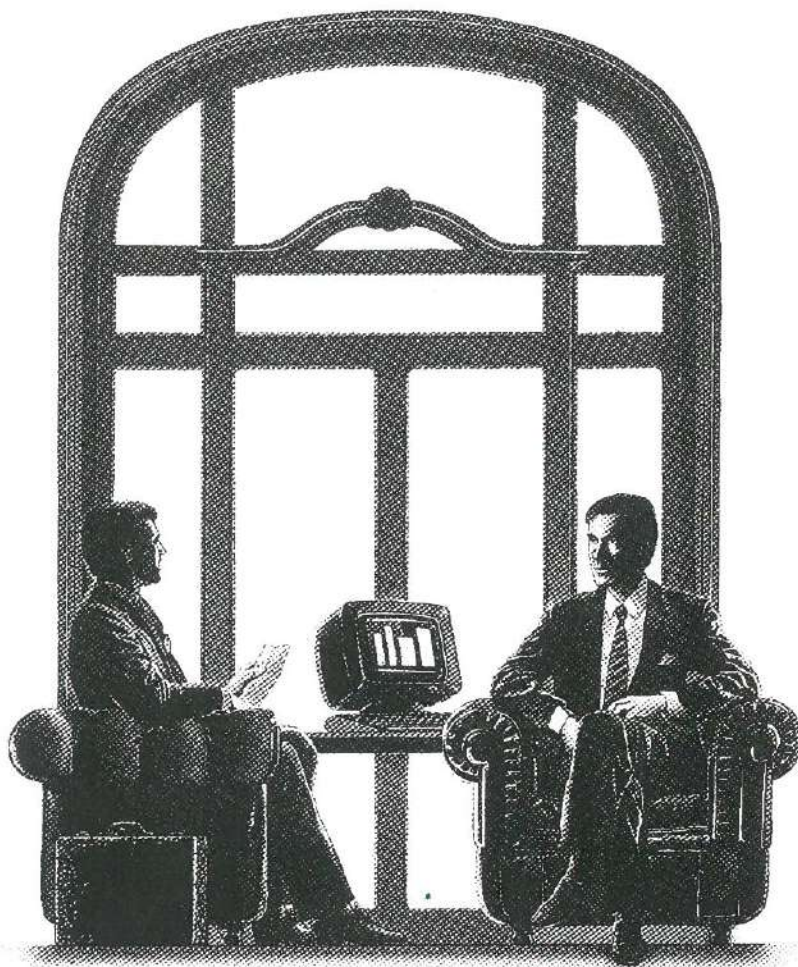
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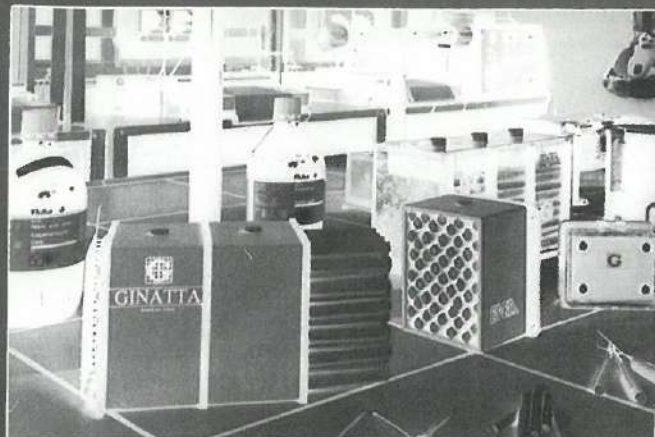
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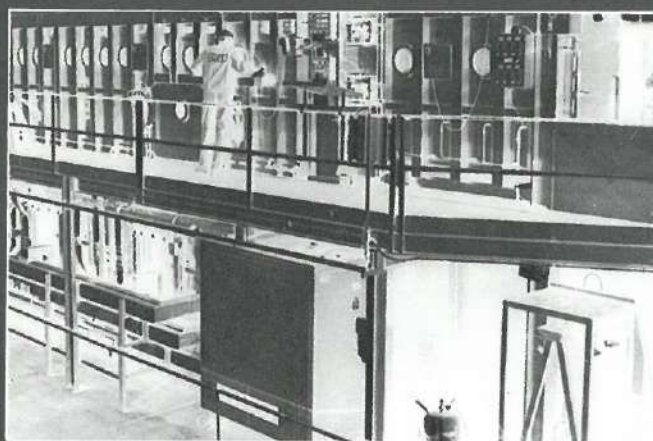
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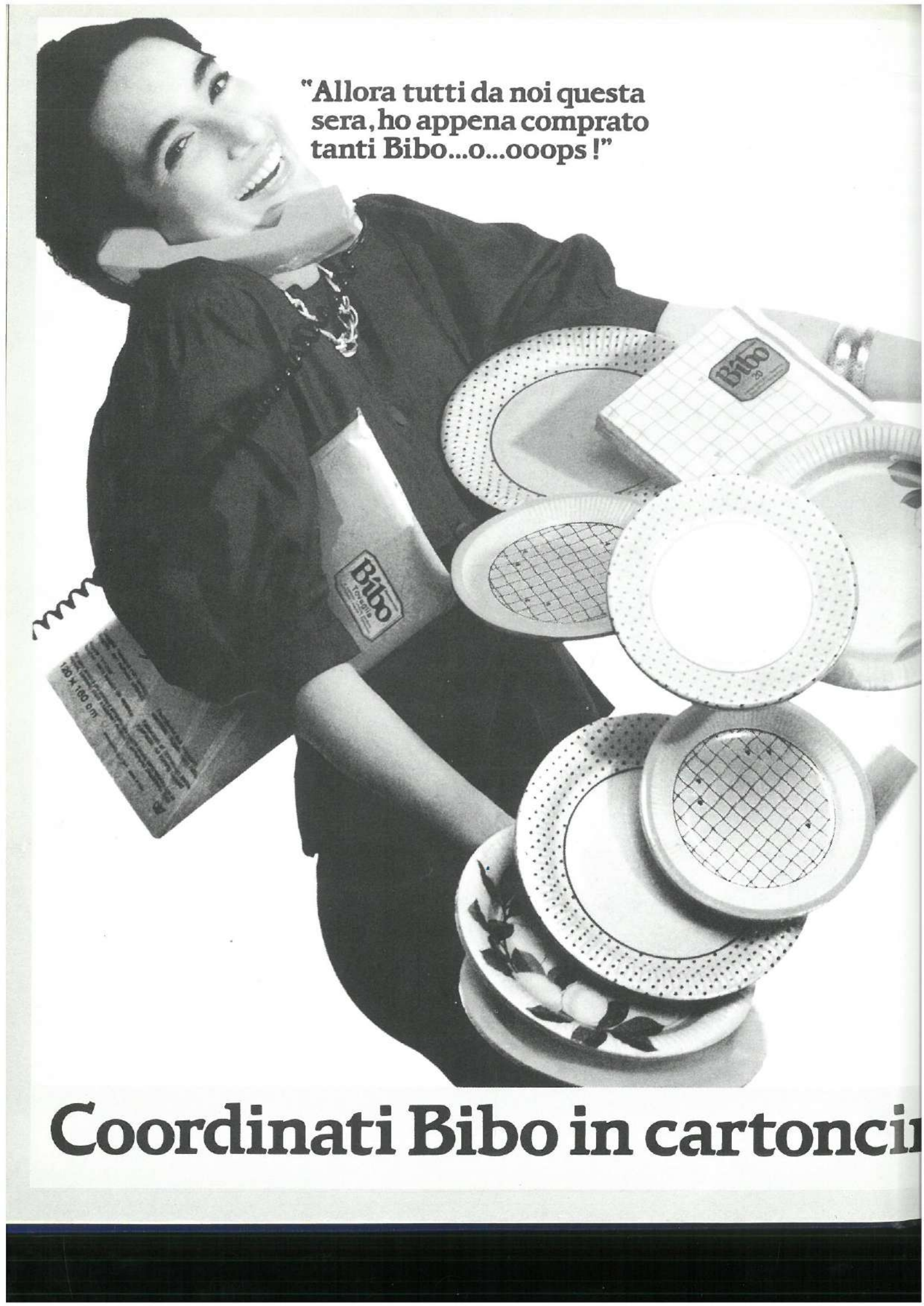
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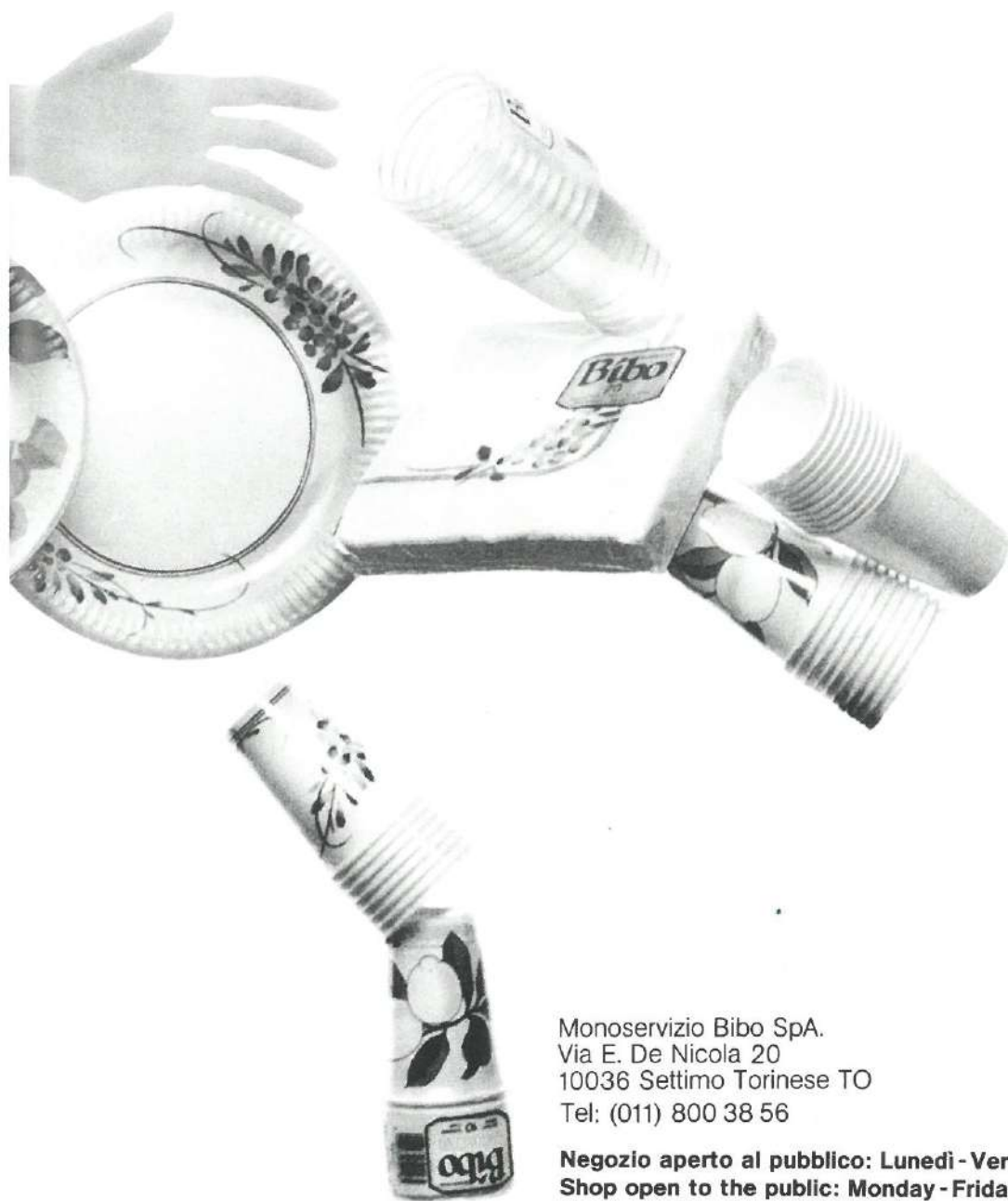
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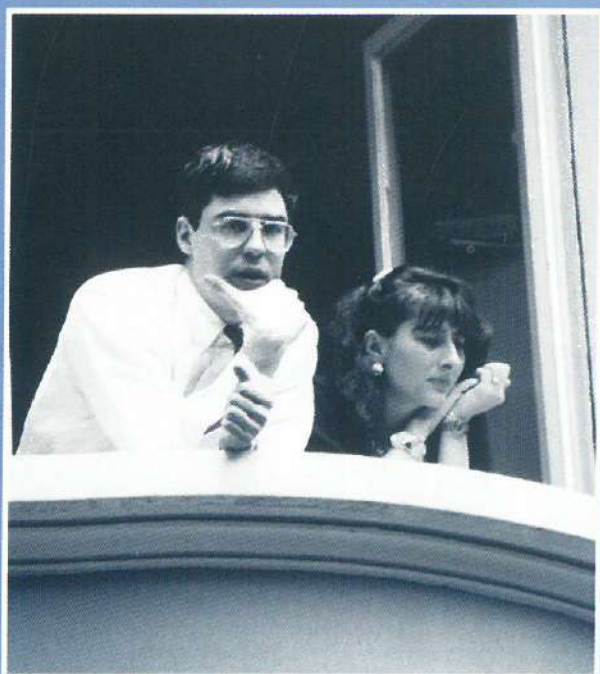


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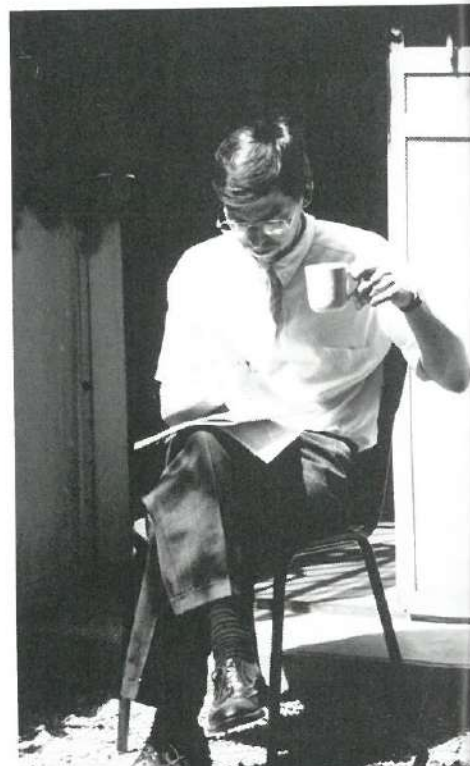
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