## VIKING TIMES

## Climax High School 1986

More than a thousand years ago, the Vikings, who were called "the Northmen", sailed from their homes in Norway, Sweden, and Denmark. The Vikings had fast wooden ships, and they were good sailors. The Vikings were also brave and clever. Although they had no compasses, they sailed their ships as far west as America, and eastward down the rivers of Russia. The history of several countries was changed by these adventurers from the far north.

Many of the $V_{i k i n g s}$ who lived along the Scandinavian sea coasts knew how to bulld boats and sall them. Nobody else built ships like the Vikings. None of their neighbors had ships with seils, 50 none could travel as quickly. Because of the shallow shape of their ships, the vikings could sail them up shallow rivers. But the ships were big enough to take men and horses, and all the things they needed to camp on shore.


The
Vikings
built several different kinds of ships. They had sturdy boats for carrying goods fram one coastal town to another They also had great warshlps. These were called "longships because of their lang. narrow shape.
They could be rowed, but also carfied sails. When the wind filled these sails, the long, narrow ships seemed to fly through the water. The front of a shio. called the prow, was sometimes caryed with the head of a dragon. It made the ship 100 k like a fierce sea monster

Once they had discovered what other lands were like, some of the Vikings began to think of leaving their own homes forever, and settling somewhere better

The Vikings salled westward from their homelands far across the sea. First they found the island of Iceland. Many Vikings made their homes there. One of them was called Erlc the Red - because of his red hair. He salled farther west from leeland and discovered Greenland. Greenland 15 very cold with little good land for farming. Eric the Reds son, Lelt Erlks50n, decided to sall even farther west in search of better land. He and his men oraved the cold seas nobody nad dared to sall before. At last he reached the coast of North America.

And here 15 the story of the Climax Viking5...



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## Knights Alive In '85



Front Row: Dwight Love, Jade Klein, David Allard, Trenton Evenson, James Nielson, Jason Love. Middle Row: Rick Lovestrand, Dan Lindgren, Tyler Grove, Daryl Sorenson, George Slater, Dana Sorenson, Jason Reitmier, David Radi. Back Row: Sean Metzger, Kyle Haake, Paul Senger, Rod Engel, Mike Jordahl, Dean Eggebraten, Todd Sorenson, Paul Metzger, Bob Hanson.


David Allard looking for an opening with Dean Eggebraten and Mike Jordahl blocking.


The Knights setting up for an offensive series.


Javier Mata and George Slater making a great run back.


Front Row: Brian Ketring, Jason Gale, Greg Stortroen, Eric Peterson, Ryan Sedler, Chris Peterson, Mike Santangelo, Tim Leshuk. Middle Row: Shawn Mcgurran, Mike Olson, Nathan Malmlov, Paul Anderson, Wade Sorenson, Randy Hanson, Mike Selle, Tim Beiswenger. Back Row: Jason McDonald, Joe M., Scott Engel, Derek Heden, Jason Aanenson, Eric Sorenson, Lee Gunderson, Benji Carlson, Brad Chaffee.


Scott Engel executing an awesome reception.

## '85 Season

F.C. Knights! F.C. Knights! Spirit and pride backed the Fish-er-Climax Knights all through the season. This was proven by the cheerleaders, fans, and above all, the players.

The support began with the first practice which took place a full two weeks before school opened. The Knights never gave up and strived to be the very best. The 9 and 1 record reveals the Knights neverending strive for excellence. Nothing could hold the Knights completely back, though numerous injuries slowed the team down. As always the spirit and "NEVER GIVE UP" pride kept things going and the season ended with an almost perfect record.

GOOD JOB KNIGHTS!

Fisher/Climax Fisher/Climax Fisher/Climax Fisher/Climax Fisher/Climax Fisher/Climax Fisher/Climax Fisher/Climax Fisher/Climax

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| :--- | :--- |
| vs. | Plummer |
| vs. | Goodridge-Grygla |
| vs. | Gonvick |
| vs. | Gary |
| vs. | Clearbrook |
| vs. | Erskine-Mentor |
| vs. | Middle River |
| vs. | Argyle |


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| 48 | 12 |
| 50 | 6 |
| 52 | 24 |
| 42 | 6 |
| 34 | 0 |
| 48 | 14 |
| 44 | 10 |
| 20 | 30 |



Mandi Spokely and Anthony Michael captured the audience's eye. Mandi and Anthony were our 1985 crown and robe bearers.


Our 1985 Homecoming Queen and her court. Front Row: Queen Tana Chaffee, Rick Lovestrand. Back Row: Shawn Gunderson, Trish Baatz, Lori Bernhardson, Donald Hanson.


The bon fire raged after coronation Monday night.


Walk carefully! Stephanie Gray takes her time in the Mr. Wipple contest.


Stacey Vettern and Daniel Dufner shave with caution in the Bic Shave.


Leap John! John Dufner leaps over Shaun Erickson in the Leap Frog contest.


Don't get too close. Traci Schmaltz tries to pass the life saver to Mike Skavlem in the Hole in One contest.

## Hooked On

## Homecoming

Homecoming week, one of the biggest events in the high school, started on Sept. 9 and lasted till Sept. 13.

Coronation was the first event of the week and was held in the high school gymnasium. Tana Chaffee was crowned our 1985 Homecoming Queen with Rick Lovestrand as her escort. The attendants were Trish Baatz, escorted by Shawn Gunderson and Lori Bernhardson, escorted by Donald Hanson.

The rest of the week was filled with many activities for student participation. The students dressed up in some crazy and different outfits. Also included were games that each class participated in at the end of each day. They included Heman, Mr. Wipple, Leap Frog, The Bic Shave, and The Hole in One.

The sports activities included two games for the volleyball team and one game for the football team. The volleyball team beat the West High "Panthers" on Tuesday night but were defeated by the Plummer "Cardinals" on Thursday night. Friday the football team beat the Goodridge-Grygla "Blue-Devils".

Homecoming week ended with the dance at the high school gymnasium from 8:00 to 12:00. Music was provided by Soundsation. Everyone had a real good time.

## Opponent

Fisher 1
NCW 1
Plummer 3
Twin Valley 0
Sacred Heart 0
Warren 2
Alvarado 2
Mentor 0
Goodridge 0
Oslo 0
Erskine 0
RLF 0
Ada Borup 3
District Tournament
Crookston 3


Front Row: Holly Thoreson, Michelle Vettern, Lori Bernhardson, Tu Lynn Halvorson, Renee Allard, Marlys Stortroen, Back Row: Coach Ruth Hayden, Alyson Nesvig, Trish Baatz, Tana Chaffee, Kristen Gray, Janet Nelson, Stacey Vettern, Asst. Coach Paula Pierson, Mgr. Trista Hornung.

The Viking volleyball team had a very successful season. The "A" team had a total of 21 games with 15 wins and 6 losses. The girls put up a good fight at District, but lost to Crookston. The girls received a Tri-Champion Polar Conference Trophy and Champion in the Northern Plains Trophy. Our team can be proud to have three members selected all-conference. They were Lori Bernhardson, Kristen Gray, and Tana Chaffee. We thank our seniors and also the Managers Trista Hornung and Marie DeLagarza for a good year. We will miss you next year. "B" Team totals were 10 wins ano 4 losses. " $C$ " Team totals were 8 Wins and 3 Losses.


Team Captains: Tana Chaffee and Kristen Gray.


Front Row: Beth Semeling, Kristi Engelstad, Marlys Stortroen, Holly Thoreson, Naomi Keeney, Cindy Taus, Michelle Erickson, and LaRissa Peterson. Back Row: Louise Hanson, Susie Nichols, Michon Spokley, Stacey Vettern, Traci Schmaltz, Heidi Stortroen, Stephanie Gray, Alyson Nesvig, Coach Paula Pierson.


Front Row: Tonya Bangen, LaRissa Peterson, Sheila Boe, Nicole Larson. Middle Row: JaNan Nettum, Kristi Engelstad, Patti Durkin, Beth Semeling, Tracey Hamre, Aimee Gale. Back Row: Nichelle Larson, Veronica Michael, Bobbi Jo Roberts, Stacey Vettern, Erica Nesvig, Louise Hanson, Susie Nichols, Coach Ruth Hayden.


Alyson Nesvig, Trish Baatz, and Holly Thoreson getting the crowd enthused about tournaments; Renee Allard passing the ball for a set up.


## Carnival Craziness

The 1985 carnival was a great success. The carnival committee worked hard to think of some new games that the people would enjoy. The new attractions include the fortune teller, the casino, the pie walk, the cork gun, and movies for the smaller kids.

The freshmen through seniors were busy selling tickets for their classes' king and queen candidates. Sophomore Kristi Engelstad was crowned queen, and Joe

Dufner was her escort.
Other candidates were Kulla Kvamme, escorted by Shawn Brekke for the freshmen class, Alyson Nesvig escorted by David AIlard for the junior class, and Lori Bernhardson escorted by Rick Lovestrand for the senior class.


Mrs. Thoreson practicing blowing bubbles.


Nichelle Larson, manning the hot dogs.



Lynell Skaviem looking for the winning duck.


Only one chance left says Jim Landgaard. Trenton Evenson getting what he really deserves in the stockade.


Kristi Engelstad being crowned carnival queen.


Stacey Vettern, Bobbi Roberts, and Kristen Gray dressed in gypsy attire.


Shame on you Deb! Stephanie Gray accuses Deb Dale.


Alyson Nesvig being herself. Junior candidates Alyson Nesvig and David Allard.


Senior candidates Lori Bernhardson and Rick Lovestrand.


Queen Kristi Engelstad escorted by King Joe Dufner.


Allard, David Allard, Renee Boe, Danny DeLaGarza, Marie Dufner, John Erickson, Shaun Evenson, Trenton

Gordon, Elizabeth Hornung, Chuck Heden, Doyle Landgaard, James Landgaard, Kenneth Malmlov, Deveryn Nelson, Janet

Juniors
Nesvig, Alyson Ostgaard, Kraig Palm, Todd Schmaltz, Traci Skavlem, Michael


AVAILABLE



Chuck Hornung: Monkeying around.


Danny Boe: Hardly Working.


Algebra 2 students: Working Hard.


Buehl, Kimberly
Dufner, Joesph
Engelstad, Kristi
Erickson, Michelle Gray, Stephanie
Grove, Tyler Halvorson, Le


My favorite movie is:
Back to the Future: Dan Lindgren Karate Kid, Sixteen Candles: Kristi Engelstad Mask: Trista Hornung Silver Bullet: Shelly Erickson Beverly Hills Cop: Stephanie Gray

Shelly Erickson about to speak.


Brekke, Shawn Chaffee, Jonath ) Grove, Shane Hamre, Angela Hanson, Louise Keeney, Naomi Kvamme, Kulla


Larson, Scott Moen, Gwendolyn Nichols, Susan Peterson, LaRissa Reitmeier, Lenny Spokely, Michon

## Freshmen

If I had a choice I'd rather
Be a falcon: Lenny Reitmeier
Be a duck: Susie Nichols
Be a monkey: Holly Thoreson
Be a millionaire and live in Mi-
ami: Shane Grove
Be an elephant: Michon Spo-
kely
Be an eagle: Scott Larson

Spokely, Randy Thoreson, Holly Wegge, John


Jonathon Chaffee enthusiastic about his work.


Class Officers: Front Row: John Wegge, Angela Hamre. Back Row: Scott Larson, Susan Nichols.


John Wegge and Louise Hanson hoping their experiment turns out.


Holly Thoreson and Angela Hamre reading their instructions very carefully.


Aanenson, Jason
Bangen, Torrey
Boe, Sheila
Bratager, Carl
Carlsen, Benjamin
Dufner, Daniel
Erickson, Chad

Erickson, Shane
Gale, Aimee
Gorden, Heather
Hamre, Tracey
Heden, Derek
Hoiberg, Melissa
Michael, Veronica


Front row: Derek Heden. Back row: Daniel Dufner, Sheila Boe, Melissa Hoiberg.

My favorite kind of car is: Benji Carlsen-Corvette Stacey Vettern-Green VW Bug Sheila Boe-Convertible Beth Semeling-Ferrari Melissa Hoiberg-IROC Z-28 Daniel Dufner-Lambourghini


Michael must be up to no good.

Alvarado, Darrel Alvarado, Peter Anderson, Paul Bangen, Tonya Bergh, Steve Buehl, Jeffery Chaffee, Brad

Durkin, Patti Dybing, Kristi Gale, Jason Gayton, Susie Keeney, Denise Keller, Chris Malmlov, Nathan


Larson, Nicole Larson, Nichelle Nesvig, Erica Nettum, JaNan Peterson, Christopher Peterson, Eric

## Seventh Grade



Front Row: Eric Peterson. Back Row: Nichelle Larson, Ryan Sedler, Christopher Peterson.

Sedler, Ryan Sondrol, Ryan Stortroen, Greg


Janan Nettum-Future Teacher.


Bangen, Tracy Chandler, Chanda Chandler, Jason Duckworth, Mollie Grove, Anthony Kvamme, Rolf Larson, Melissa

Malmlov, Tiffany Nesvig, Nicole Nettum, Christina Nichols, Marcia Pinna, Jordan Skalet, Gail Speldrich, Jeremy


GUESS WHO!!
Fifth Grade
Spokely, Jennifer


Above: That was funny. I laughed. Jason Chandler, Anthony Grove, Below: Such an exciting class. Christina Nettum, Jason Chandler



Aanenson, Jamie Bernard, Daniel Blasey, Danielle Chandler, Melissa Dale, Michelle Gayton, Lori Hunter, Benjamin

Larson, Joseph Peterson, Alex Peterson, Andrew Peterson, Jamie Swalstad, Julie Vigness, Rachel


## Third Grade

Who is your favorite superhero?
Julie Swalstad- Punky Brewster
Andy Peterson- Dan Marino
Jamie Aanenson- Joe Senser
Jami Peterson- Michelle
Joey Larson- Black Voltron
Rachel Vigness- Punky Brewster
Daniel Bernard- The Flash
Alex Peterson- Anthony Carter


Left: Want to take a picture? Joseph Larson Above: Time out for a funny face. Daniel Bernard, Alex Peterson, Joseph Larson, Danielle Blasey


Bjorge, Jennifer Dale, Melissa Dybing, Julie Elwood, Susan Evenson, Kari Grove, Justin Gunderson, Scott

Juola, Michael Kvamme, Thea Morgan, Holly Palm, Shana Peterson, Traci Rogenes, Amber Rude, Jesse


First Grade
Sondrol, Robyn Spokely, Erica Tronnes, Michelle Vigness, Marie



Wish I knew what I was making. Scott Gunderson

WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE COLOR?

Michael, Juola Rogenes, Amber Sondrol, Robyn Morgan, Holly Dale, Melissa Vigness, Marie Peterson, Traci Grove, Justin

Blue
Blue
Red
Blue
Pink
Red
Red
Red

Tronnes, Michelle Bjorge, Jenny

Pink Silver Green Purple Green Purple Pink Purple


It has been a good day so far. Michelle Tronnes



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## Band

The band enjoyed the year. More members, both junior high and senior high participated in solos and ensembles at concerts than ever before. The band members also performed as a group at several concerts throughout the year.


Front Row: Kristi Engelstad, Angela Hamre, Alyson Nesvig, Marlys Stortroen, Elizabeth Gordon, Kulla Kvamme, Naomi Keeney, Susan Nichols. Second Row: Janet Nelson, Holly Thoreson, LaRissa Peterson, Michon Spokely, Kenny Landgaard, David Allard, John Dufner. Third Row: Todd Palm, Jimmy Landgaard, Kristen Gray, John Wegge, Stephanie Gray, Michelle Vettern, Lori Bernhardson. Back Row: Director Jeff Iverson, Carla Noel, Jonathon Chaffee, Trenton Evenson


Junior High Band. Front Row: Bobbi Jo Roberts, Veronica Michael, Heather Gordon, Denise Keeney, Erica Nesvig. Second Row: Nicole Larson, Patti Durkin, Beth Semeling, Stacey Vettern, Chris Peterson, Nikki Larson. Third Row: Ryan Sedler, Jason Aanenson, Eric Peterson, Benjamin Carlsen, Greg Stortroen, Daniel Dufner. Back Row: Director Jeff Iverson, Derek Heden, Brad Chaffee, Steve Bergh, Melissa Hoiberg.


Director Jeff Iverson.

Elementary Band: Front Row: Mollie Duckworth, Lisa Peterson, Heidi Heden, Nicole Nesvig, Rolf Kvamme. Back Row: Chanda Chandler, Jennifer Spokely, Tiffany Malmlov, Melissa Larson, Jason Chandler, Benjamin Larson, Marcia Nichols, Justin Abentroth, Anthony Grove, Jordan Pinna, Darin Vettern.

## Choir



Sr. High Choir. Front Row: LaRissa Peterson, Kulla Lvamme, Cindy Taus, Marlys Strotroen, Angela Hamre, Susan Nichols, LeAnn Halvorson, Kristi Engelstad, Kim Dybing, Marie De La Garza. Row Two: Holly Thoreson, Deirdre Hornung, Kim Buehl, Louise Hanson, Michelle Erickson, Michelle Vettern, Trista Hornung, Lori Bernhardson, Elizabeth Gordon, Naomi Kenney. Row Three: Stephanie Gray, Heidi Stortroen, Patricia Battz, Kristen Gray, Trenton Evenson, Michon Spookely, Renee Allard, TuLynn Halvorson, Traci Schmaltz. Last Row: Todd Palm, John Wegge, Shaun Erickson, Gwendolyn Moen, Randy Sondrol, Tyler Grove, David Rye, Deveryn Malmlov, Danny Boe, Joe Dufner.


Jr. High Choir. Front Row: Nicole Larson, Ryan Sedler, Sheila Boe, Jason Gale, Missy Hoiberg, Chris Peterson. Middle Row: Steve Bergh, JaNan Nettum, Beth Semeling, Heather Gordon, Patti Durkin, Daniel Dufner, Eric Peterson. Back Row: Tracey Hamre, Vreonica Micheal, Stacey Vettern, Erica Nesvig, Jason Aanenson, Benji Carlsen, Bobbi Jo Roberts, Nicki Larson.


Ready to sing?


First Row: LaRissa Peterson, Angela Hamre, John Dufner, Joe Dufner, Shane Grove, Todd Palm, Susan Nichols Second Row: Shaun Erickson, John Wegge, Deveryn Malmlov, Jon Chaffee, Trenton Evenson, Kristen Gray, David Allard, Shawn Brekke Third Row: Randy Spokely, David Rye, Jim Landgaard, Scott Larson, Chuck Hornung, Ken Landgaard, Shane Grove, Advisor - Mr. Nichols Back Row: Kraig Ostgaard, Shawn Gunderson, Doyle Heden, Donald Hanson, Randy Sondrol, Tyler Grove, Ronnie Sondrol.

## FFA

The Climax FFA was busy this year with the purchase of a milk vending machine. The machine has room for four different kinds of milk or juice which were sold for twenty-five cents a piece. The FFA took part in Ag Activities Day at UMC. The ag mechanics team took fifth and the farm management team took sixth. The FFA also went on a ski trip at Buena Vista and a pizza party at Happy Joe's in Crookston.


Front Row: Advisor-Mr. Nichols, Secretary- Todd Palm, President- John Dufner, Vice President- Donald Hanson, Officer at Large- Jim Landgaard, Back Row: Treasurer- Ronnie Sondrol, Sentinel- Shane Grove, ReporterShaun Erickson


Ag mechanics class.


Front Row- Nicole Larson, Aimee Gale, Michelle Vettern, Marlys Stortroen, Carla Noel, Tonya Bangen. Middle Row-Patricia Durkin, Beth Semeling, Trista Hornung, Renee Allard, Kim Buehl, Lori Bernhardson, Nikki Larson, Janet Nelson. Back Row-Bobbi Jo Roberts, Louise Hanson, Stacy Vettern, Erica Nesvig, Gwenny Moen, Alyson Nesvig, Veronica Michael, Advisor-Miss Walsh.

## FHA

The FHA had a busy year with events such as the Action Activity Events at the Mid Winter Meeting in Warren. Renee Allard, Kim Buehl, Lori Bernhardson, Veronica Michael, and Michelle Vettern received silver ratings. Patty Durkin and Nicole Larson received bronze ratings.

Other FHA activities were the Halloween dance, where everyone dressed up in costumes, FHA week, and Cookie sales for both Valentine's Day and Easter. The FHA made about \$175 profit on the cookie sales.


Officers: Front Row-District Vice President-Alyson Nesvig, Re-creation-Veronica Michael, Reporter-Kim Buehl, Back Row -Secretary-Lori Bernhardson, President-Trista Hornung, Vice President-Gwenny Moen, Treasurer-Bobbi Jo Roberts.


Patty Durkin looks thrilled about baking cookies.


President, Trista Hornung, enjoys decorating cookies.


Girls Varsity: Angela Hamre, Susan Nichols, LaRissa Peterson.


Jr. High: JaNan Nettum, Sheila Boe, Denise Keeney, Nichelle Larson, Nicole Larson, Bobbi Jo Roberts.


Jr. High Cheerleaders during a Pep Rally.
Cheerleaders


Boys Varsity: Front-Trista Hornung. Middle-Traci Schmaltz, Janet Nelson. Top-Lori Bernhardson.

The Cheerleaders of 85-86 would like to thank the Viking Fans for supporting all of the teams the way they did. Victory or defeat you all seemed to be behind us. The Cheerleaders in all three squads did a good job in leading our student body in school spirit!


Trish Baatz and Kristen Gray look really fired up for Snow Week.

Snow Week was held on the last week of January for the 85-86 school year.

The Snow Week Activities had the students dressing up differently for each day of the week. Friday was the crowning of the King and Queen. The King and Queen for the year were Tyler Grove and Cindy Taus.
The dress up days were as follows: Monday ... Hat and Sunglasses Day Tuesday ... Wild-n-Crazy Day Wednesday . . . Heart Day Thursday . . . Rambo Day Friday ... Formal and Flower Day

Snow Week ended on Saturday with the Cheerleader sponsored Snowball Dance. Music was supplied by the "Right Effect."



Trenton Evenson and Marie DeLaGarza going bananas on Wild-n-Crazy Day.


Fashion Consultant: Eric Peterson.

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## A Team To Be Reckoned

## 1985-86 Boy's Basketball

The boys had a good season this past year. In fact it was the best season since 1979. The good play this year brought the boys and the school a Polar Conference 2nd place trophy. Along with the trophy the team had three people named to the All-Conference team and two honorable mentions.

The three All-Conference players were senior Rick Lovestrand and juniors Dave Allard and Jim Landgaard. The two honorable mentions were junior Mike Skavlem and sophomore Randy Sondrol. Also, helping lead the team were seniors Ron Sondrol and Donald Hanson.

The Vikings' success was due to teamwork. The team worked together to get points and it seemed there was a lot of effort by everyone to put the ball in the hoop.

The team's 14 wins and 6 losses made the Viking boys the pride of the school and the community. The boys proved that Climax Vikings are a team to be taken seriously. Good job boys!


Varsity-Back Row: Todd Palm, Dan Lindgren, Tyler Grove, Mike Skavlem, Donald Hanson, Randy Sondrol, Rick Lovestrand, and Coach Dan Storrusten. Front row: Shaun Erickson, Ken Landgaard, David Rye, Jim Landgaard, Ron Sondrol, Trenton Evenson, and David Allard. Not pictured is Doyle Heden.


Junior varsity-Back row: Trenton Evenson, Ken Landgaard, Randy Spokely, Tyler Grove, Scott Larson, Coach Dale Davies. Front row: Dan Boe, Shaun Erickson, Jon Chaffee, John Wegge.


Back row left to right: Coach Morken, Benji Carisen, Jason Aanenson, Chris Nelson, Steve Bergh, Traci Hamre. Front row left to right: Chad Erickson, Daniel Dufner, and Shane Erickson.


Back row left to right: Coach Morken, Ryan Sondrol, Nathon Malmlov, Brad Chaffee, Jason Gale, Steve Bergh, and Traci Hamre. Front row left to right: Eric Peterson, Chris Peterson, Ryan Sedler, Jeff Bueht, and Greg Stortroen.

## Girl's Basketball 1985-86



Tana Chaffee putting the moves on, inside.

Below: Stacey Vettern tips off to start the game.


Front Row: Michelle Vettern, Patty Durkin, Beth Semeling, Naomi Keeney, Michelle Erickson, Michelle Larson. Back Row: Renee Allard, Holly Thoreson, Veronica Michael, Erica Nesvig, Stacy Vettern, Michon Spokely, Stephanie Gray.


Holly Thoreson flying past defenders.


Renee Allard, heads up!!


Holly Thoreson is ready to set the play into motion.


As Cindy Taus shoots for two, Stacey Vettern gets in position to rebound.


Renee Allard watches on as Michon Spokely shoots her freethrow.


Stacey Vettern drives toward the basket.

The record of the girls basketball season this year is not a reflection of the hard work and determination the girls put in. The girl's team leaders were the seniors, Tana Chaffee and Cindy Taus. They will be missed next year. The highlight of the season for all the girls was having Stacey Vettern be picked for the Polar All-Conference team. This is a big achievement for a girl in the eighth grade. Congratulations are due to Stacey as well as the rest of the team. If it was not for the rest of the team there would have been no possible way for Stacey to get the Polar All-conference award. The girls are improving all the time. Good Luck Next Year!!


Stacey Vettern picked to all-conference.


Front Row: Cindy Taus, Marlys Stortroen, Michelle Erickson, Alyson Nesvig, Holly Thoreson, Naomi Keeney. Back Row: Coach Ellen Green, Michelle Vettern, Renee Allard, Tana Chaffee, Stacey Vettern, Michon Spokely, Stephanie Gray, asst. Bob Peterson.


Student Council: Front Row: Elizabeth Gorden, Jason Gale, John Dufner Middle Row: Trista Hornung, Michon Spokely, Rick Lovestrand, Veronica Michael, Marlys Stortroen. Back Row: Trish Baatz, Tana Chaffee, TuLynn Halvorson.


Aides: Front Row: Louise Hanson, Kristen Gray, Tana Chaffee, Angie Hamre. Back Row: Lori Bernhardson, Rick Lovestrand, Deirdre Hornung, Michelle Vettern.


Lettermen: Row 1: Doyle Heden, Trish Baatz, Tana Chaffee, Benjamin Carlsen, Todd Palm, Elizabeth Gorden, Lori Bernhardson, TuLynn Halvorson, Trista Hornung. Row 2: Marlys Stortroen, Tammy Thomas, Trenton Evenson, Kristen Gray, Deveryn Malmlov, Alyson Nesvig, Renee Allard, Jim Landgaard, Michelle Vettern, Stephanie Gray. Row 3: Janet Nelson, Angie Hamre, Holly Thoreson, David Allard, Ken Landgaard, Naomi Keeney; Deirdre Hornung, Kim Buehl, Traci Schmaltz, Cindy Taus. Row 4: Tyler Grove, Shelly Erickson, Heidi Stortroen, Rick Lovestrand, LeAnn Halvorson, Jason Aanenson, Beth Semeling, Stacey Vettern


School Board: Front Row: Leon Vettern, Delano Thoreson, Betty Muhonen Back Row: Ervin Vigness, Walt Aanenson, Richard Evenson, Arlan Larson.


Walt Aanenson, Superintendent; Tom Sedler, Principal

Secretaries: Emily Boyer, Pat Landgaard, Ethel Ramstad.


Olga Colbert
Spanish/History/Art


Ruth Hayden Phy.-Ed/Health


Paula Pierson Math/Phy. Ed.


Shari Walsh
Home Ec./Yearbook/
Communications


Dale Davies Math/Computers


Leslie Hock English


Dan Storrusten Social/Phy.-Ed


Cathy Morken
Kindergarten


Milfred Engebretson
Ag. Power


Jeff Iverson Band/Chorus


George Taus Business Education


Debra Dale
First Grade


Karen Thoreson Science


Joyce Nornes
Second Grade


Helen Bernhardson Third Grade


Yvonne Cooper SLBP


Ellen Green Fourth Grade


Sandy Nisbit Speech Therapy


Roger Morken Fifth Grade


Eunice Evenson Special Education


Climax Cooks: Front Row: June Domier, Grace Aas, Back Row: Arla Rarick, Beulah Engebretson.


Bus Drivers: Art Vraa, Pat Langaard, Keith Evenson, Rueben Gorden, David Palm, and Jeff Koth.


Climax Custodians: Morton Swenson and Milfred Engebretson.


Shelly Cook and Custodian: Nancy Nelson and Tilfred Swenson.


Maureen Baggerud and Helina Koth. Management Aide and Aide.

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## Track



Front: Nicole Larson. Middle Row: Patti Durkin, Tracey Hamre, Naomi Keeney, Cindy Taus, Shelly Erickson. Back Row: Coach Paula Pierson, Beth Semeling, Heidi Stortroen, Erica Nesvig, Alyson Nesvig, Renee Allard, Mgr. Marlys Stortroen.


Boy's Track Team: Rick Lovestrand.


Naomi Kenney receives the baton from Cindy Taus.


Alyson Nesvig giving it her all.


Heidi Stortroen with an excellent throw.

Renee Allard takes over in the relay for Cindy Taus.

## Winnie-The-Pooh Comes To Life In 1986 Jr. /Sr. Class Play



Pooh Bear (Dan Boe) thinking hard.



Pooh Bear (Dan Boe), Piglet (Marie DeLaGarza) and Rabbit (David Allard) giving Eeyore a bad time.


Kanga (Janet Nelson) beats on Pooh while Piglet, Rabbit, and Roo look on. The forest animals ready to pull Pooh out of Rabbit's hole.


Roo feeling very ill while Rabbit and Pooh figure out what to do.


Kanga, Roo, and Piglet out for a walk in the forest.


Front Row: Piglet (Marie DeLaGarza), Narrator (Jim Landgaard), Owl (Traci Schmaltz), Tigger (Trenton Evenson), Middle Row: Roo (Lori Bernhardson), Bunny 1 (Alyson Nesvig), Bunny 2 (Kim Weerts), Bunny 3 (Cindy Taus), Rabbit (David Allard) Back Row: Kanga (Janet Nelson), Christopher Robin (Ken Landgaard), Winnie-the-Pooh (Dan Boe), Raccoon (Renee Allard), Skunk (Tu Halvorson)


Christopher Robin (Ken Landgaard), Piglet, and Roo discussing the situation.

Winnie-the-Pooh came to life in the Climax gym. The director was Deb Dale. While the cast consisted of juniors and seniors, everyone worked very hard to be able to act out their part. Each cast member had a costume that looked like some forest animal. These costumes were made especially for them by Helen Bernhardson and Nancy Nelson. These costumes may be used again in a few years for another Winnie-the-Pooh play.

## Cherish <br> The

Night-
Prom

1986

The Climax Junior-Senior Prom was held Saturday, Mary 3rd, 1986, on the Dakota Queen River Boat in Grand Forks.

Prom couples took pictures at 6 o'clock. After pictures, Janet Nelson gave the official welcome, then Tana Chaffee gave the Response. After the response Dave Nichols led a toast in honor of the Senior class. Trenton Evenson gave the invocation before the dinner of prime rib, potatoes, green beans, bread, salad, and beverage. After the meal Ronnie Sondrol gave a toast to the Juniors, and Karen Thoreson presented the faculty toast to the Juniors. After this Kristen Gray recalled several of the Senior class' memories. The theme song of the prom, "Cherish," was sung by Deirdre Hornung and Lori Bernhardson, accompanied by Julie Aanenson. To end the program closing remarks were made by Tom Sedler.

The Grand March was held at 9 o'clock, followed by the dance aboard the Dakota Queen.

There was an after-prom party at the Climax Community Center from 1:30 to 4:00 A.M. Prizes such as shirts, pop, money, gift certificates, sunglasses, make-up, savings bonds and a grand prize of a color TV were distributed at this party. Snacks, games, movies and music were the various forms of entertainment provided for the party. Breakfast was served at the home of Randy and Carol Chaffee.


Above: Trenton Evenson and Beth Semeling. Shawn Gunderson looks like he belongs on Miami Vice.


Trish Baatz, Ron Sondrol, Tu Halvorson, and Shaun Erickson dancing away the night.


Lee Magnussen, Tammy Thomas are a very happy couple.


Mr.and Mrs. Aanenson enjoying Prom.

## Yearbook Communications

This year the Yearbook staff underwent some changes. A communications section was added to the yearbook class.

As a part of the communications section the class started a monthly paper. They used the Apple computers and a program called Appleworks which is a word processing program. They also put together a Missing Children file of all the elementary students.

As in other years the yearbook staff went out to sell ads, which keeps the cost of each annual down. This year the staff worked hard to sell, 1,400 dollars worth of ads. The more ads the staff sells the less each annual costs.

This year's editors were Lori Bernhardson, Tana Chaffee and Deirdre Hornung. These three editor's worked very hard with the rest of the staff to produce the best annual possible.


Lori Bernhardson checking over her materials. Below, Editors Lori Bernhardson, Tana Chaffee, and Deirdre Hornung.



Front Row: Janet Nelson, Renee Allard, Alyson Nesvig Middle Row: Trenton Evenson, David Allard, Ken Landgaard Back Row: Dan Boe, Advisor: Miss Walsh, Doyle Heden Tana Chaffee, Lori Bernhardson, Deirdre Hornung, Jim Landgaard, Todd Palm


Janet Nelson creating new ideas for the yearbook

Tana Chaffee, Dan Boe, and Todd Palm carefully sizing up the situation.


Trenton Evenson wondering why he's in Yearbook/ Communications class.


Dan Boe giving some advice to Miss Walsh

## Awards Night



Perfect Attendance: Eric Peterson, Kristi Dybing, Shelly Erickson, Todd Palm, Alyson Nesvig.


Senior Honor Students: Ronald Sondrol, Christopher Lovestrand, Deirdre Hornung, TuLynn Halvorson, Tana Chaffee, Lori Bernhardson.


Boys Varsity Cheerleader Letter Winners: Trista Hornung, Lori Bernhardson, Traci Schmaltz, Janet Nelson.


Scholastic Awards: Deirdre Hornung, Elizabeth Gorden, Marlys Stortroen, Angela Hamre.


Donald Hanson received the George Keller Award.


Lori Bernhardson received the highest honor in high school, the Marcus Aas Award.


Mr. Storrusten presents David Allard with the Most Valuable Defense Award.

National Honor Society:
Lori Bernahrdson Ricky Lovestrand Deirdre Hornung James Landgaard Marlys Stortroen

Student Council Officers:

Citizenship Award:

Activities Award:
O.T. Oisen Scholarship:

Bremer Scholarship:
House-Stenshoel Scholarship:

Arthur P. Anderson Scholarship From UND:

Girls Basketball Letter Winners:
Cindy Taus
Alyson Nesvig
Marlys Stortroen
Stacey Vettern

Boys Basketball Letter Winners:

MGR: Todd Palm
MVP: Rick Lovestrand JV. MVP: Tyler Grove

Jim Landgaard Dan Lingren Randy Sondrol Donald Hanson Rick Lovestrand

Football Letter Winners:
Rick Lovestrand Trenton Evenson Tyler Grove Deveryn Malmiov

Ron Sondrol Donald Hanson John Dufner Ken Langaard

Patricia Baatz Rick Lovestrand Marlys Stortroen Veronica Michael John Dufner

Ken Landgaard

David Allard

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Tana Chaffee
Renee Allard
Shelly Erickson
Holly Thoreson

David Allard
Mike Skavlem
David Rye
Ronald Sondrol

David Allard
Todd Palm
Dan Lindgren

Girls Varsity Cheerleader Letter Winners:
Angela Hamre Susie Nichols LaRissa Peterson

Drama Awards:
"The Happy Journey to Camdenand Trenton"
Todd Palm Michelle Vettern
TuLynn Halvorson
Alyson Nesvig
"Winnie-the-Pooh"
Danny Boe
Marie DeLaGarza
Traci Schmaltz Todd Palm

Deirdre Hornung Marlys Stortroen Trista Hornung

Music Letter Winners:

Danny Boe
LaRissa Peterson
Marlys Stortroen
Heidi Stortroen
TuLynn Halvorson
John Dufner
Michelle Vettern
Kristen Gray
Beth Semeling
Trenton Evenson
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## Graduation '86



The graduating class of 1986, Climax High School.


Pastor Carlson gives the invocation.


Hip, hip, hooray - we're done!


Lori Bernhardson: "Friendship."


Deirdre Hornung: "Our Greatest Success."


Rick Lovestrand: "Finished Yet Beginning.


The choir sings "Look Beyond Tomorrow."


Trish Baatz leads the way.


Shane Grove comments to Shawn Gunderson, "I think somebody is watching us!"


Honor guards, left to right: John Dufner, Elizabeth Gorden, Ken Landgaard, Janet Nelson, Jim Landgaard, Alyson Nesvig, and David Allard.


The band plays "Park Street Celebration."


Rick Lovestrand, "Are you happy?"

The senior class of 1986 became alumni members of the Climax High School when they graduated on the 26th of May. The 13 years of anxious preparation came to a halt - at least for the moment.

The ceremony started with prelude music by Stephanie Gray. Then the processional was played by the band as the seniors marched in. After that pastor Carlson gave the invocation. The speeches started with Mr. Aanenson followed by Deirdre Hornung and Rick Lovestrand. Then the band played a song selected by the seniors. Lori Bernhardson gave her speech and the chorus sang a couple of songs. Kristen Gray sang a solo and narrated "The Halls of Ivy" with the choir. Mr. Sedler presented the class to Mr. Delano Thoreson, followed by Pastor Carlson with the benediction.

The newly graduated class marched out to the recessional.

## Do You Remember

## Key Phrases

The Happy Journey 8th Grader All Conference Measles Epidemic Spring Snowstorm
Foreign Language
Finals
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Winnie The Pooh
Volleyball Tri-Champs
Prom On Riverboat
School Newspaper
Yearbook \& Communication
Videotaping Elementary
Terrorist Attacks


Stacey Vettern, Nikki Larson, and Veronica Michael goofing off, feeling springy!


Tammy Thomas models her two colored jeans. The latest in fashion!!


Erica Nesvig getting ready to "JAM OUT!'"

Dev Malmiov giving Traci Schmaltz helpful hints on studying.

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