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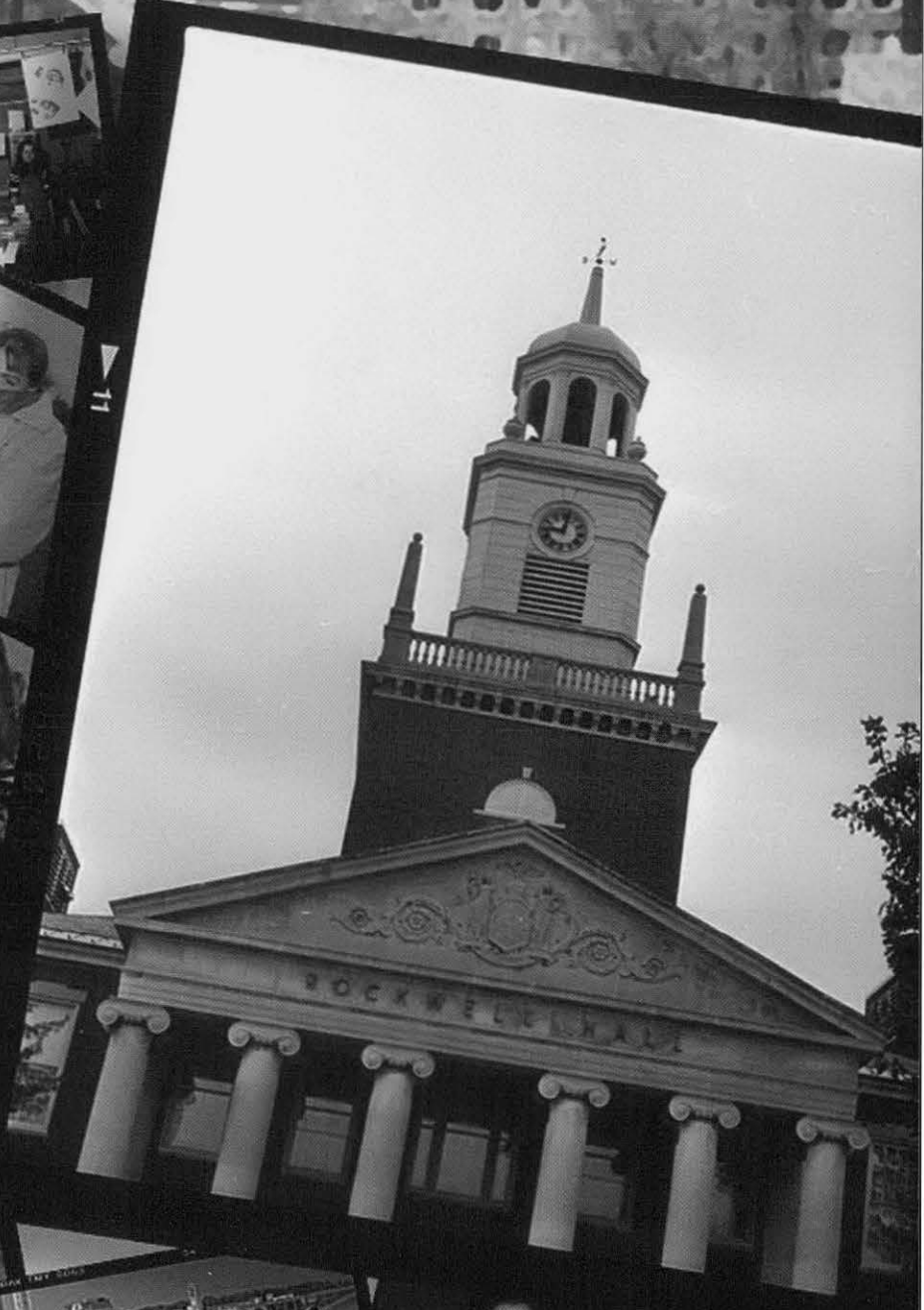
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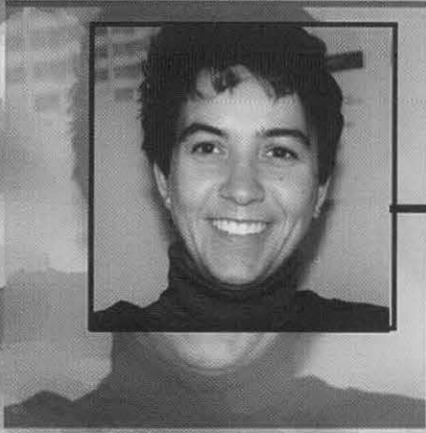
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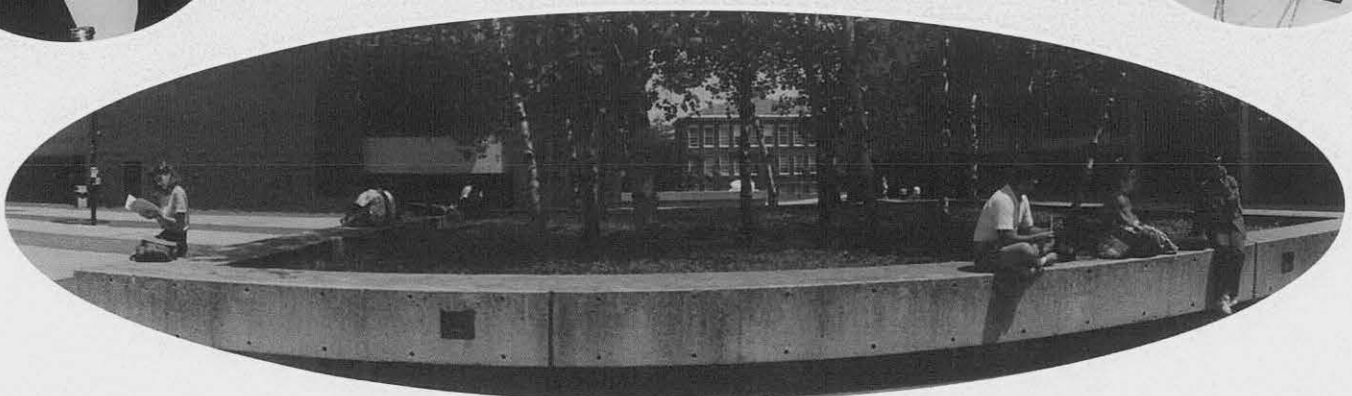
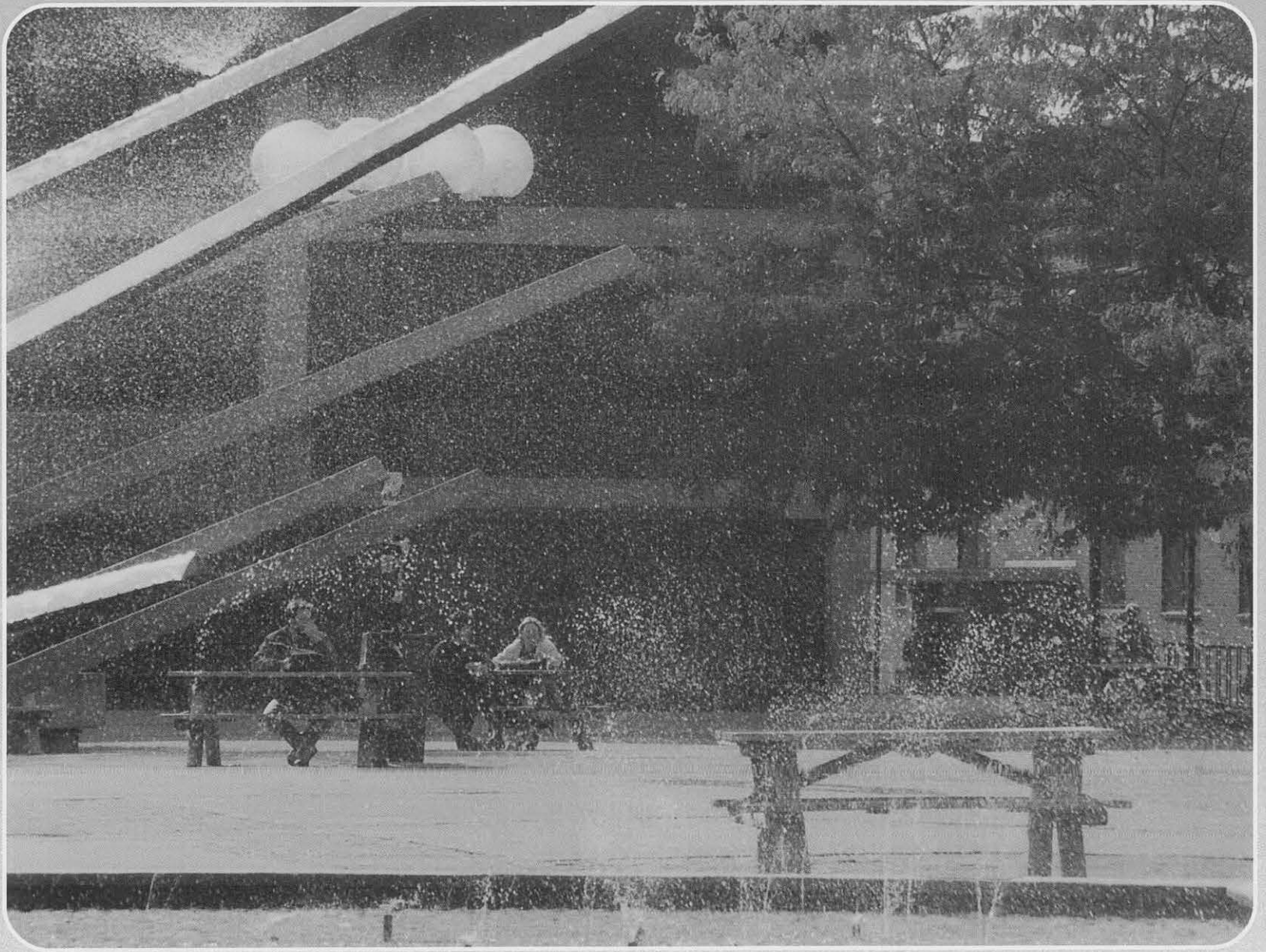
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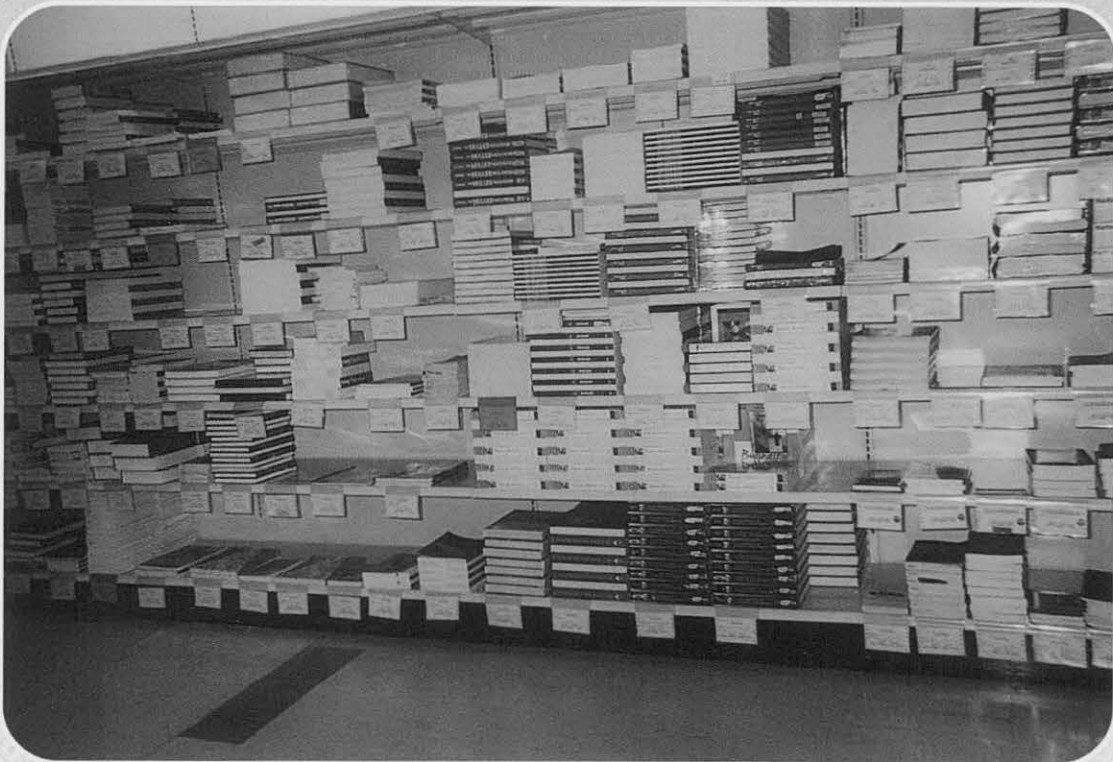


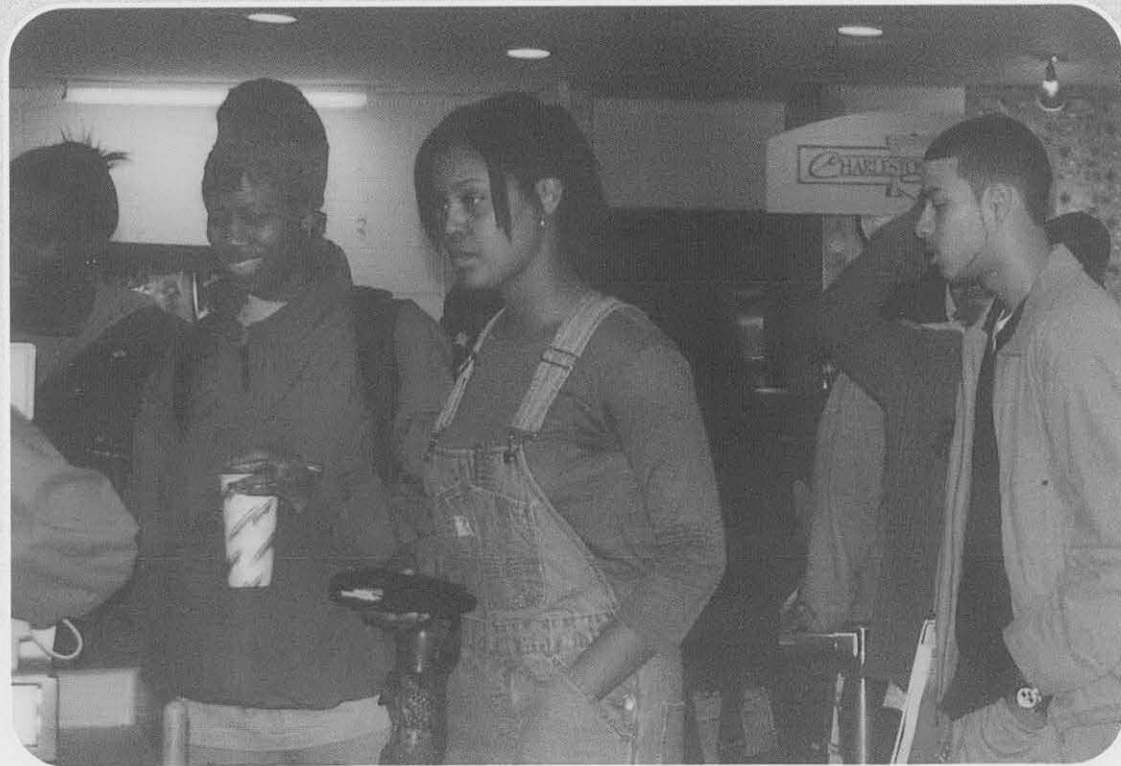


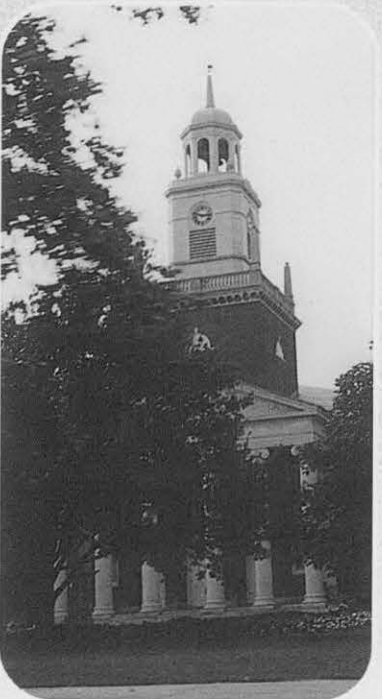
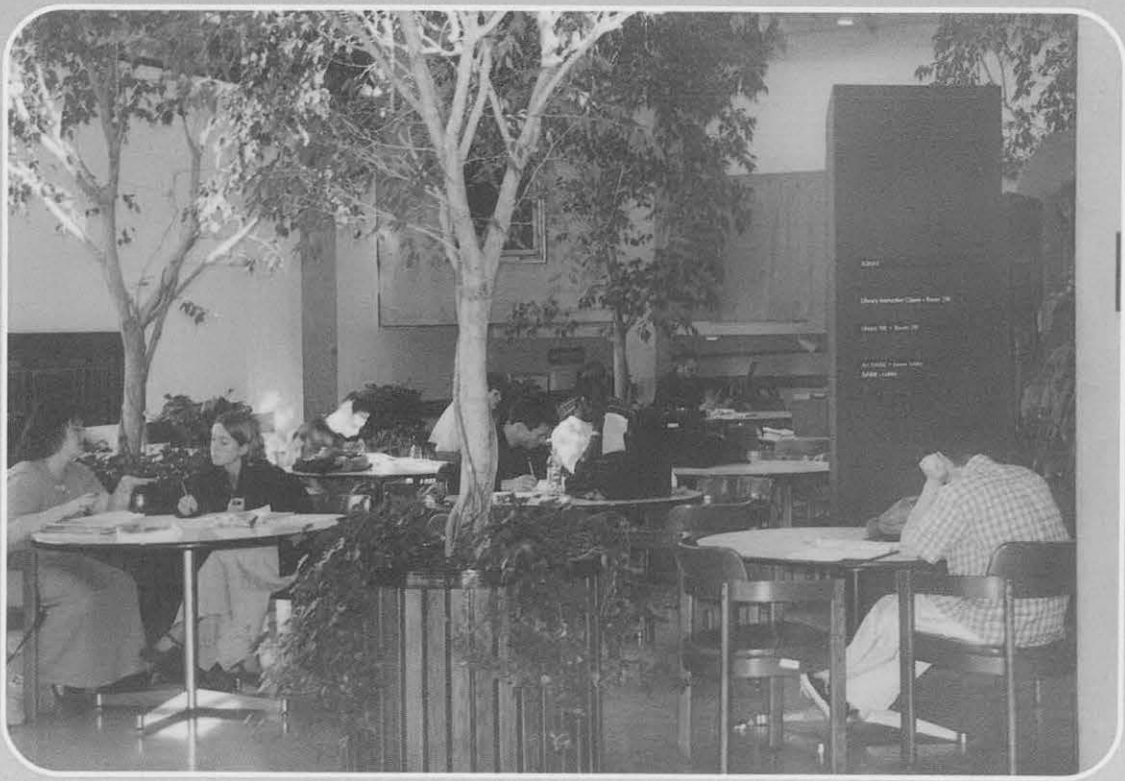


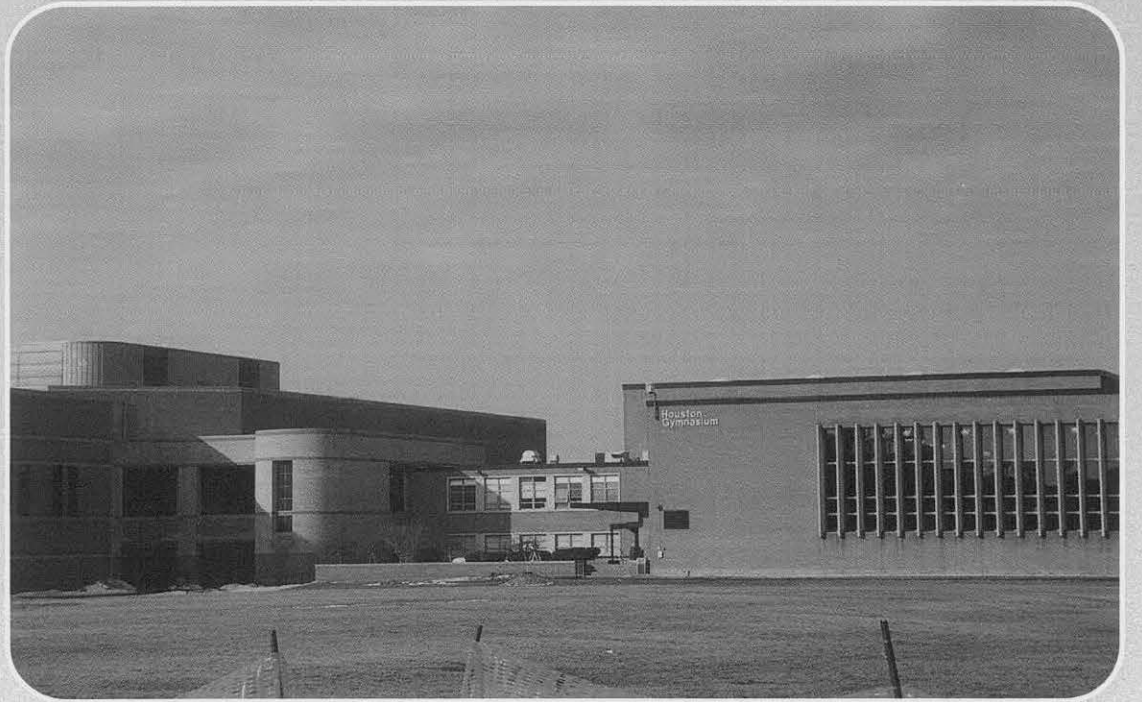


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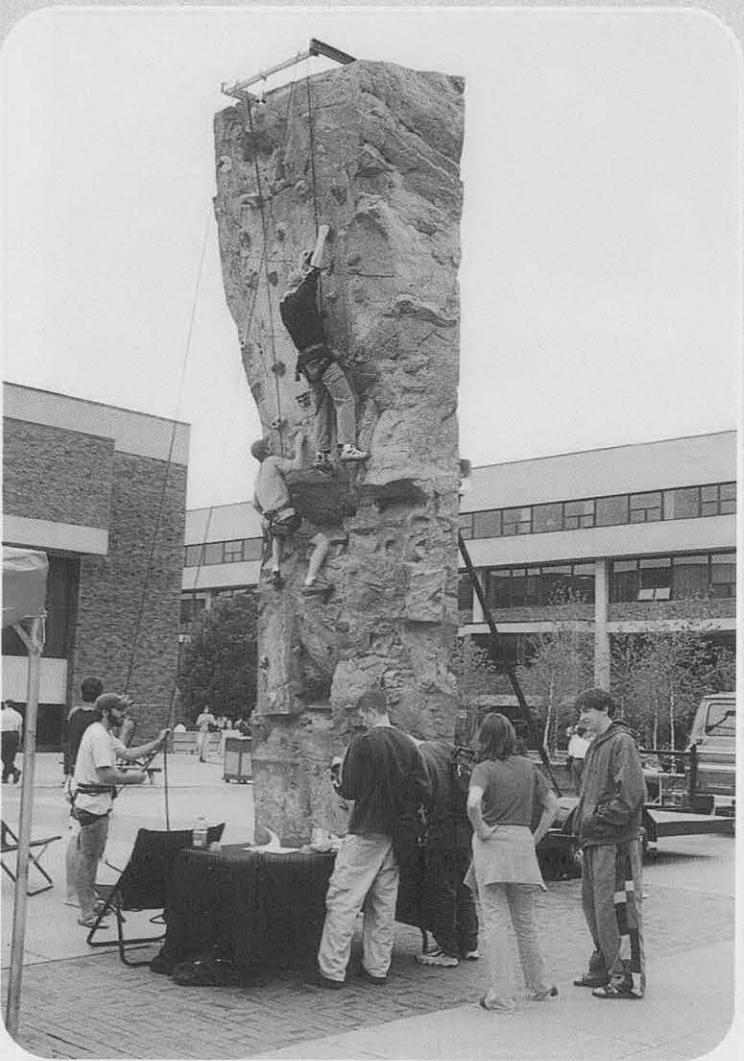
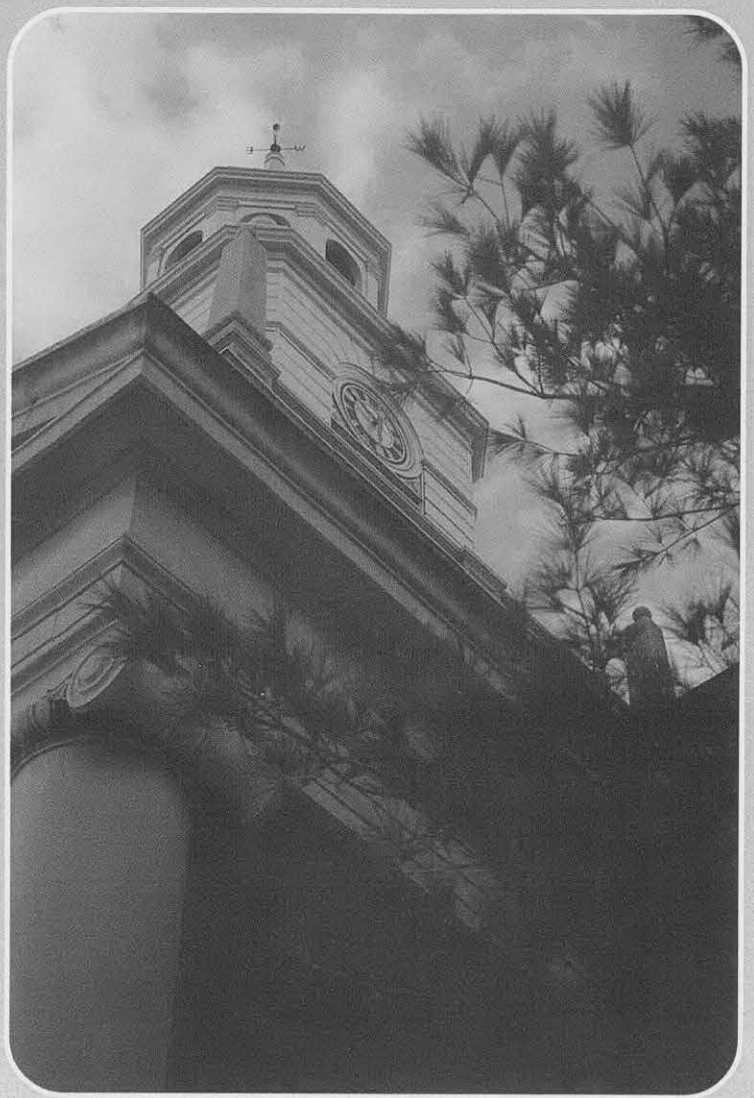
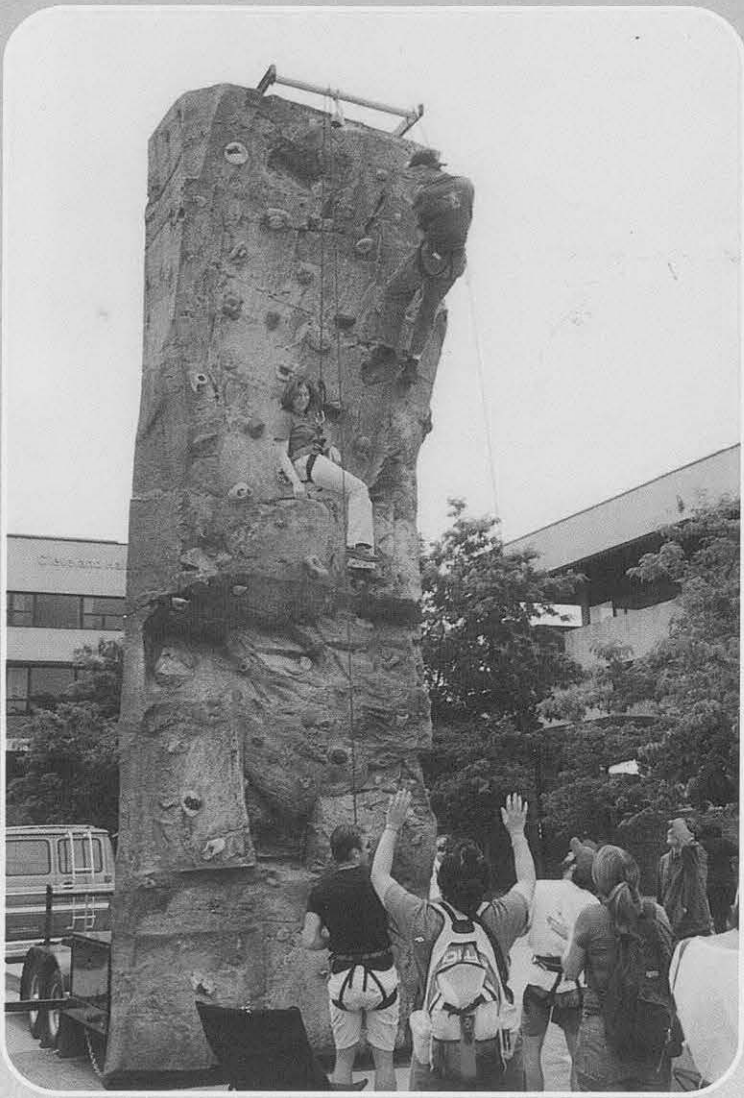


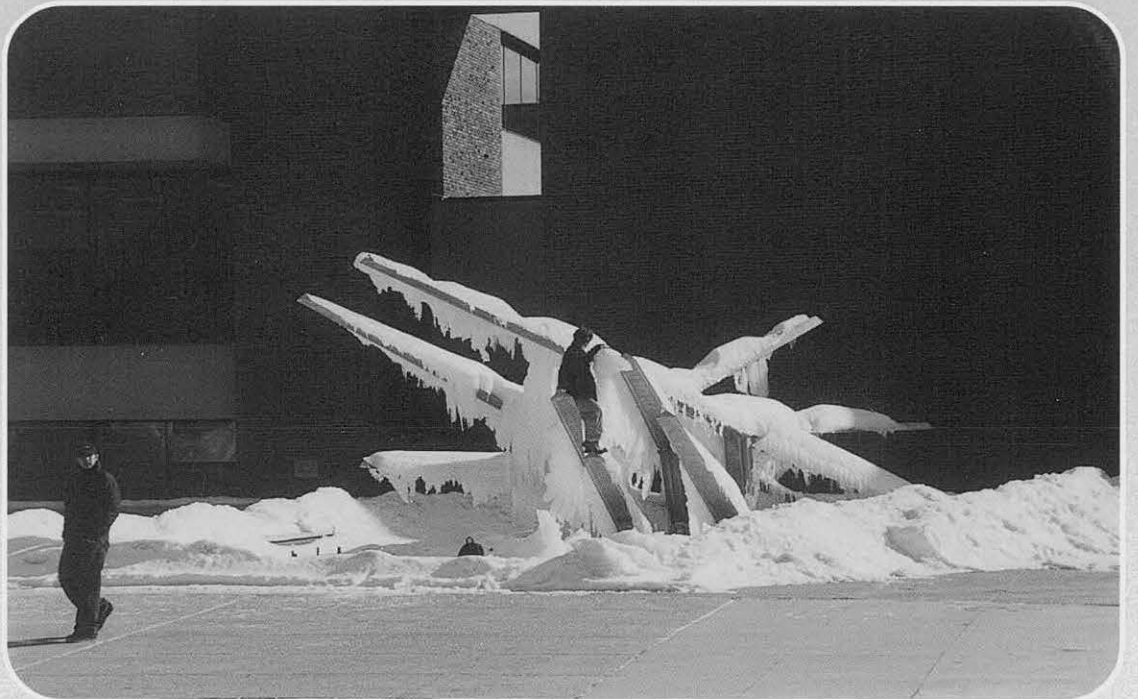
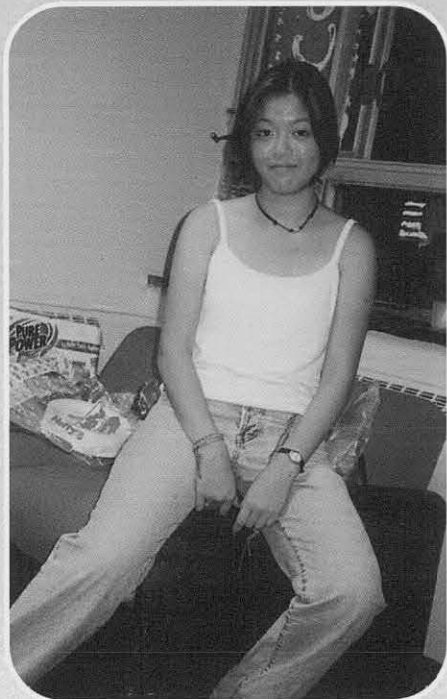


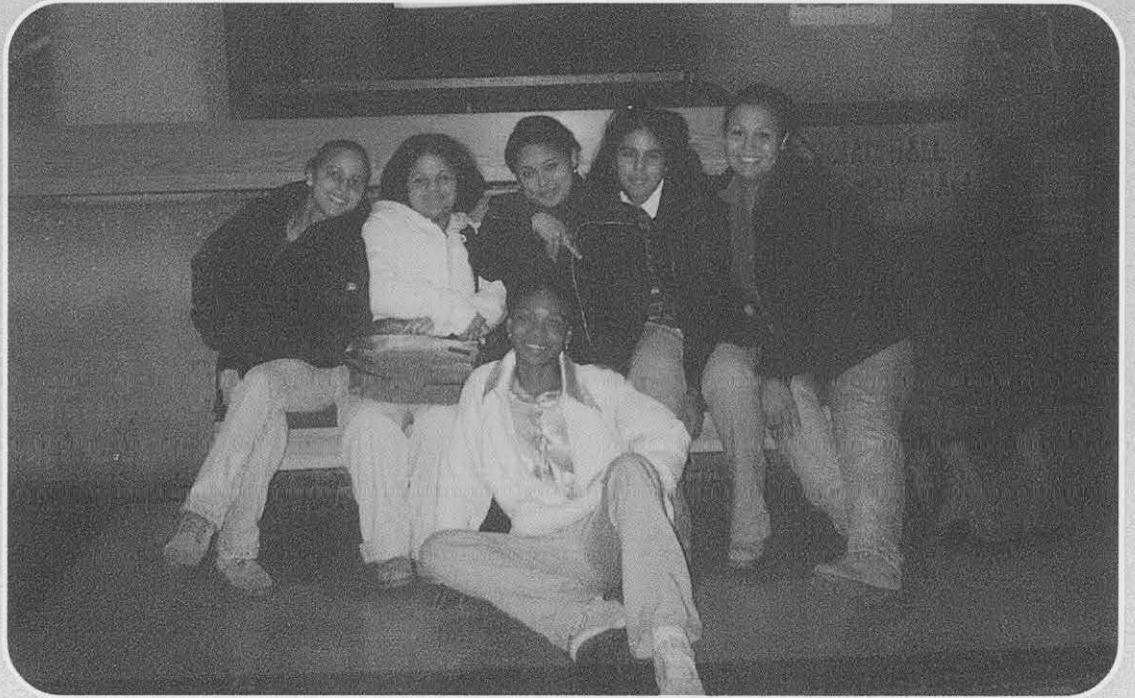


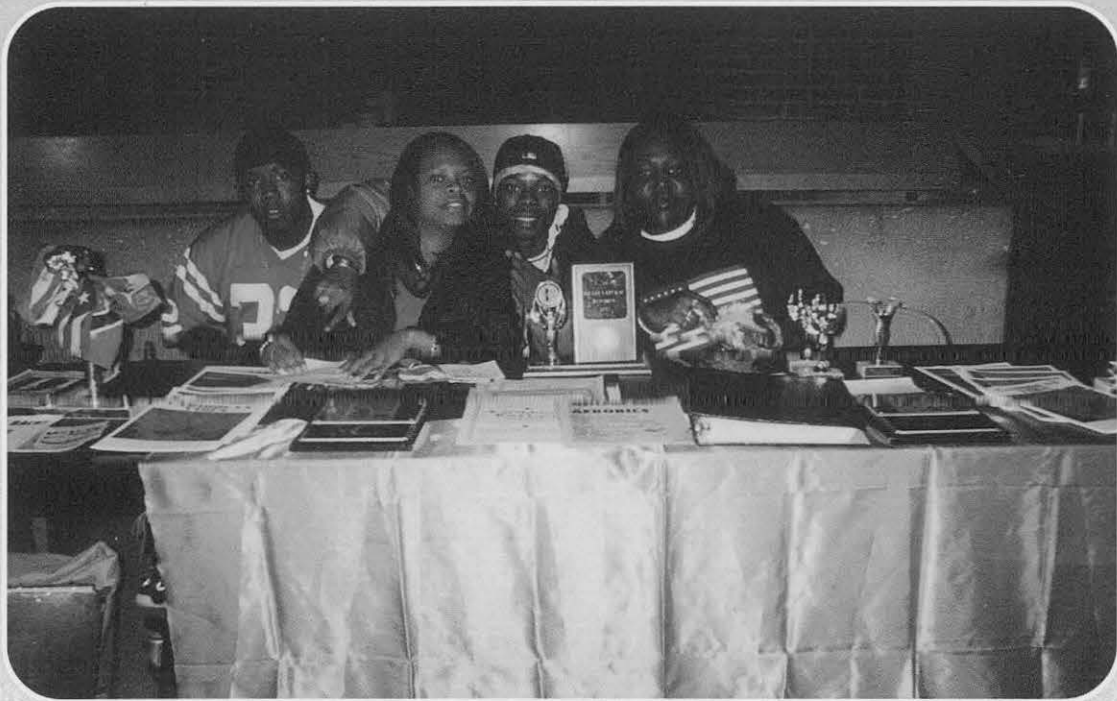


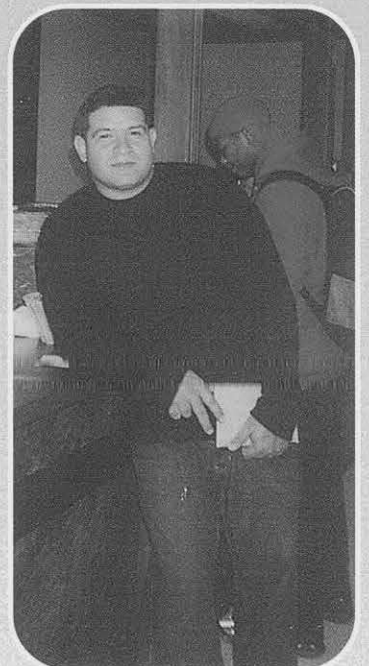
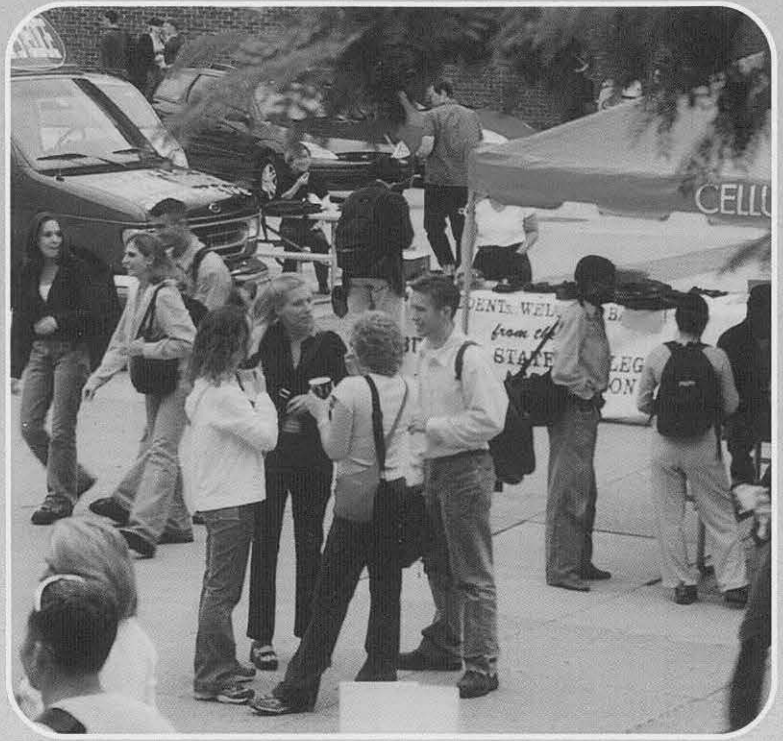
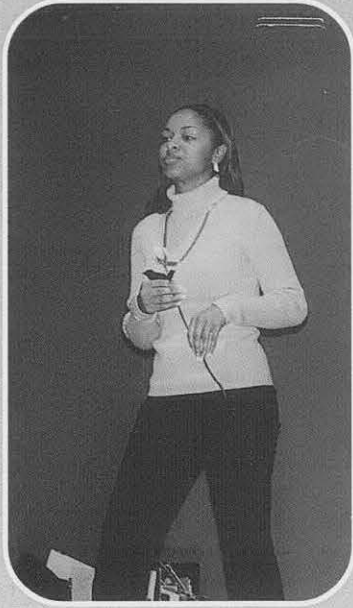


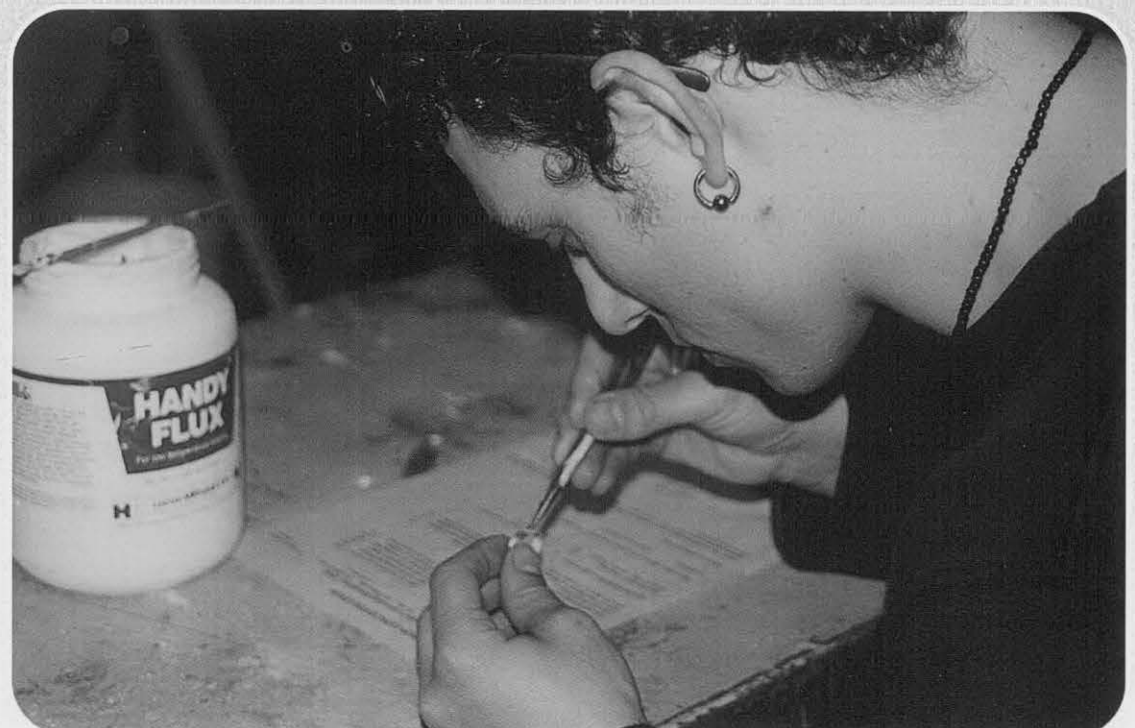
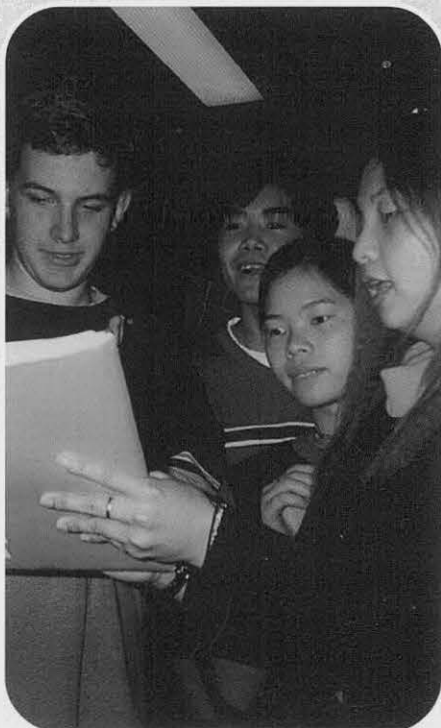
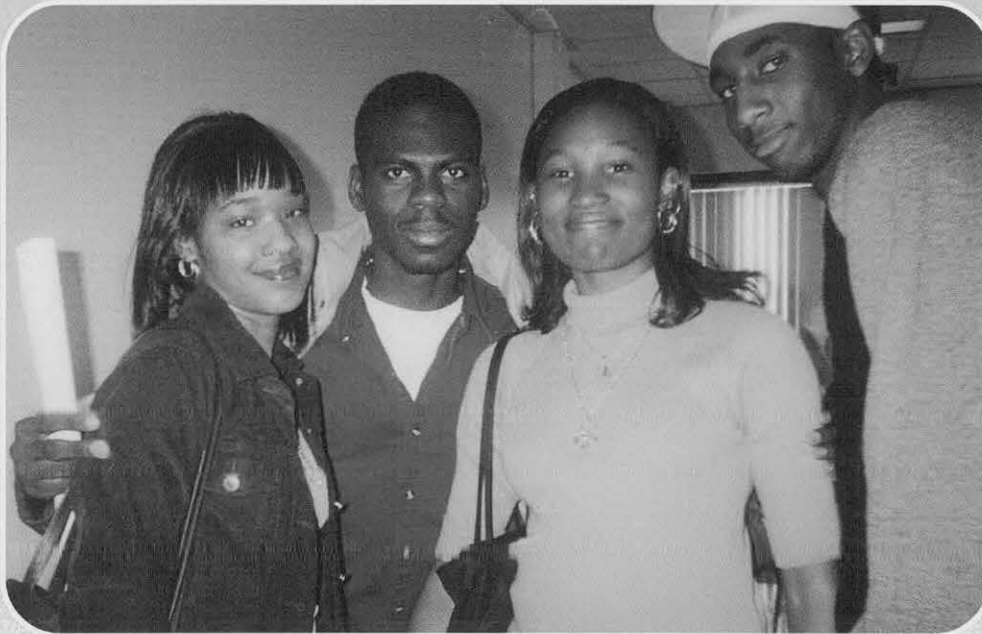


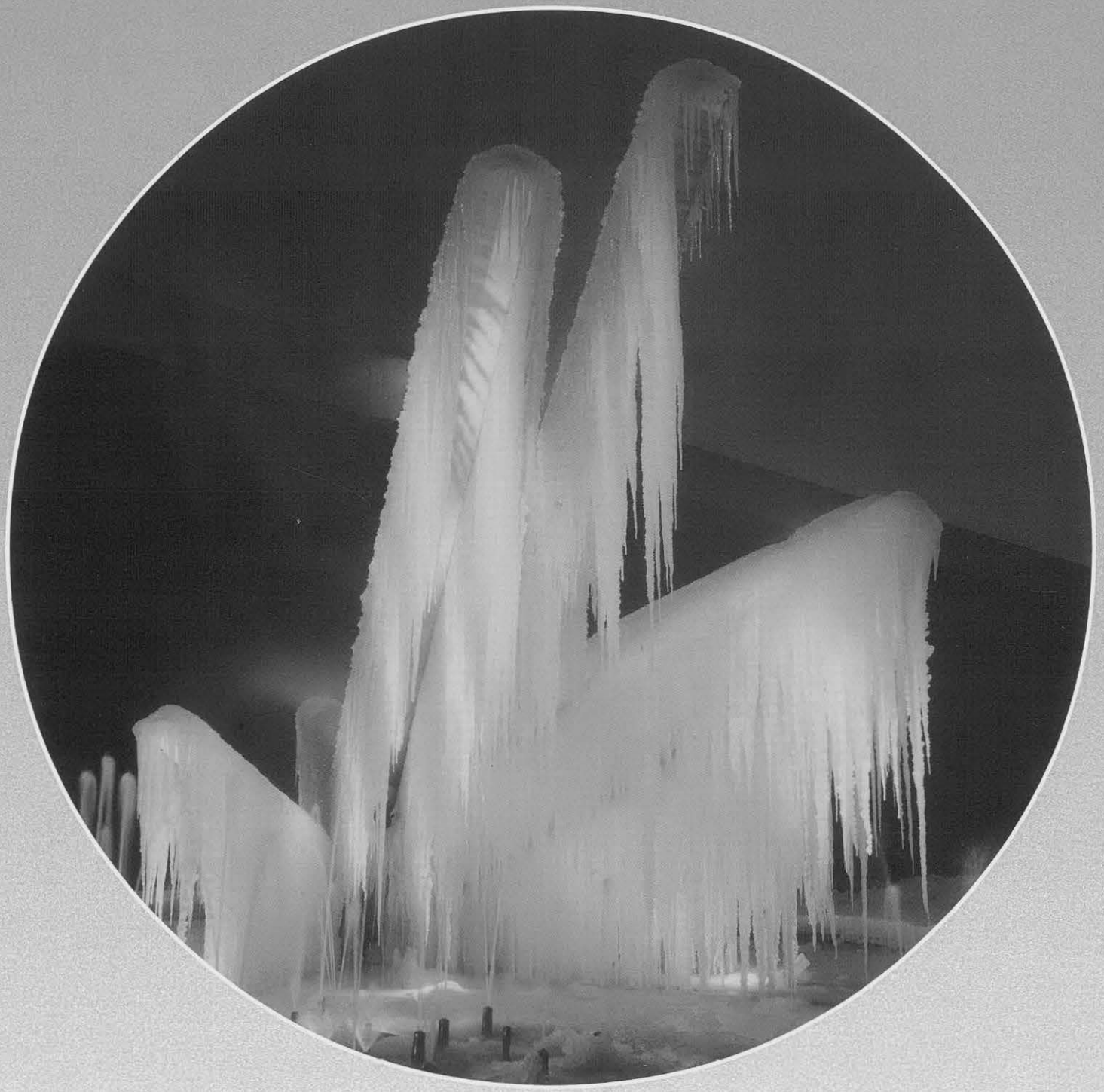










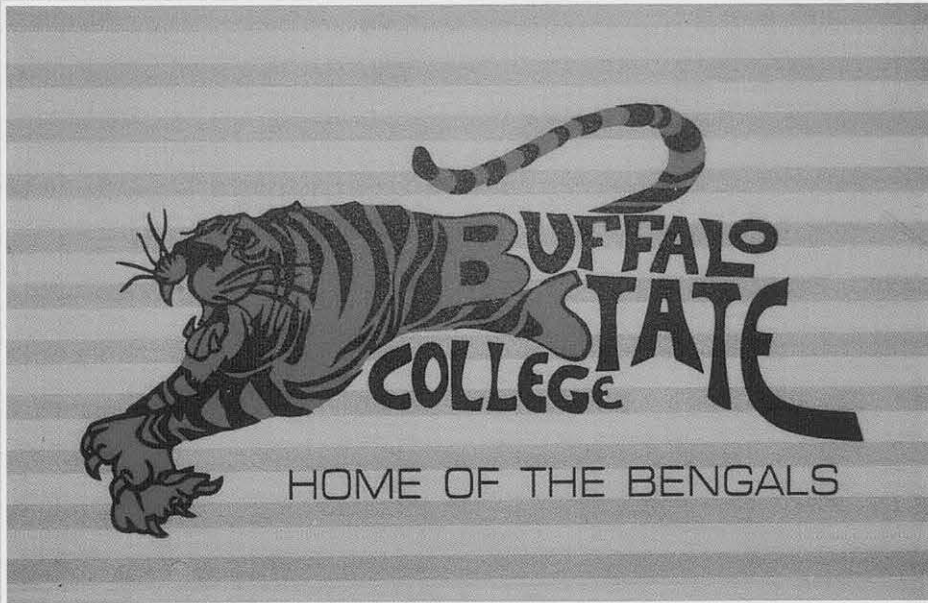


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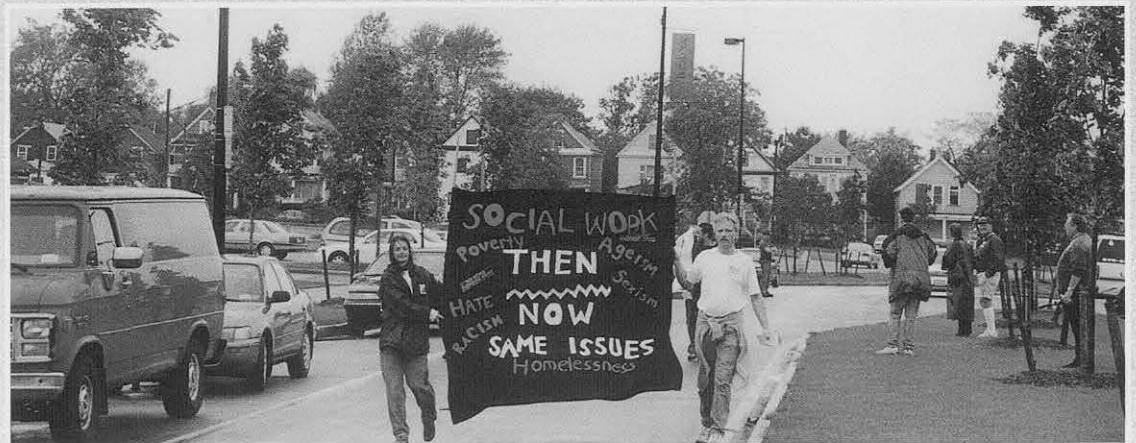
Homecoming 2000



Vice President Hal Payne and Provost Gary Marotta help lead the Homcoming parade.



Dr. Santa Maria strums a little ragtime music.





Above: Asian American Organization members present their fine banner art.



Left: The Caribbean Students Organization's winning banner for Homecoming 2000. This year's theme was Buffalo State: Then & Now.



Students from the Social Work department bring real issues to the forefront with their banner.



The African American Students Organization strut their banner down Grant St. despite the strong winds.



Who's Les Dugan anyway? Nice car though.



The BSC cheerleaders take it easy in the back of a pickup.

Commuter Council members march the parade route without the assistance of their famous free coffee. It was cold enough though for lots of it!





Homecoming 2000

Sigma Lambda Beta representatives show their school spirit with a fine example of what Now and Then means to them.

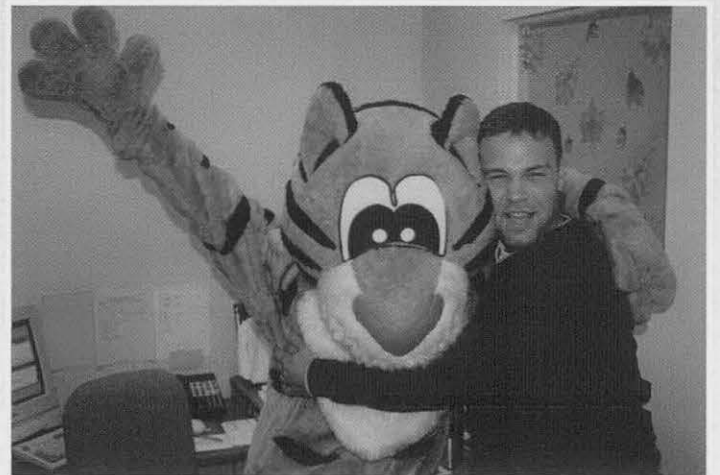
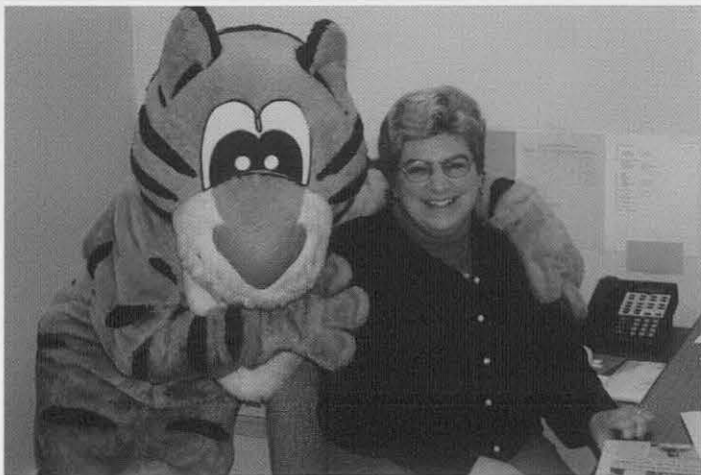
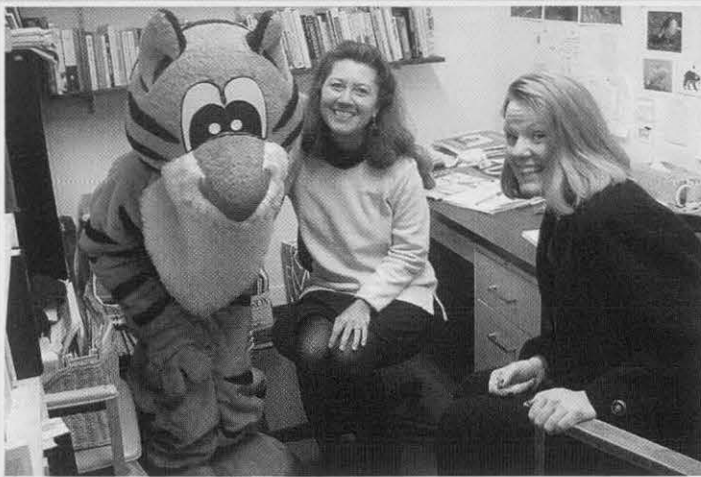


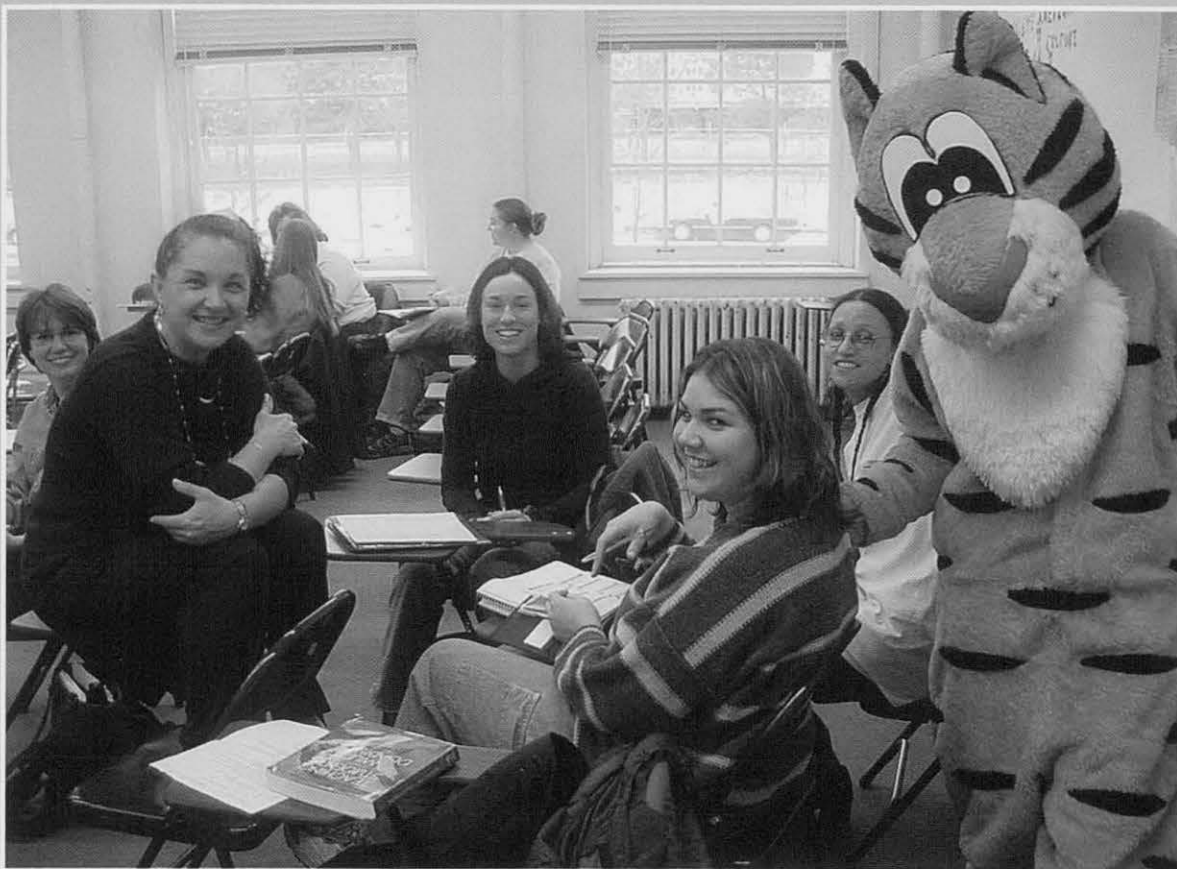
NSBE members not only display a nice looking banner but also demonstrate that some of us may have chosen the wrong major.



This is why CSO won for the best banner presentation – their members really put on a party as they cruise down Grant St.

BTOC (Big Tiger On Campus)

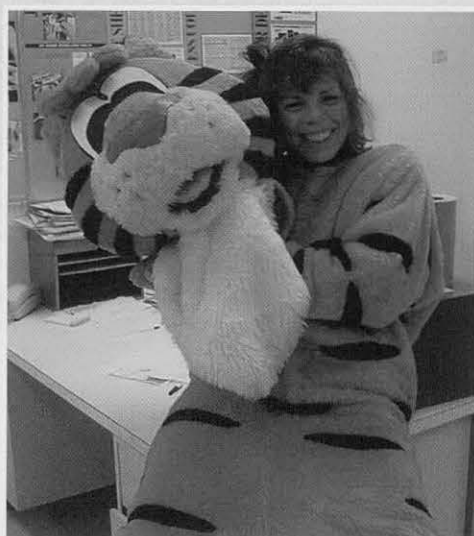




We followed the Bengal Mascot around campus for a day just to see who and what we'd run into.

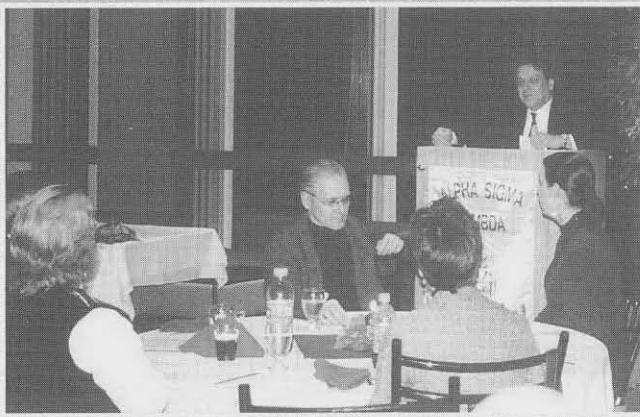


Opposite page – Top: The Bengal checks out the new construction at Moot Hall and catches up on campus news in the Record. **Middle left:** Getting advised by English professor Nancy Deal. **Middle right:** Even the Mascot can't cut in line at the registrar. **Bottom:** A visit to the USG Office turns up Business Manager Mary Kirkwood (left) and Rules Chair Todd Hillman (right).



This page – Top left: The Bengal drops in on a class in Ketchum Hall. **Top right:** Tanya Kristal working the Union Info Desk. **Middle left:** The Mascot catches BSC President Muriel Howard between meetings in Grover Cleveland Hall. **Middle right:** President Howard's next meeting – with Fred Floss, E.O. Smith, Janet Ramsay... and our ubiquitous Bengal. **Bottom left:** A little cat-nap by the Butler Fountain. **Bottom right:** The Mascot is revealed as Vicky Vullo of the USG Resume Service.

Honor Society Induction



The Alpha Sigma Lambda National Honor Society for non-traditional students held their inaugural induction. Fifteen inductees were chosen from among the top students over the age of 24. Those in attendance were greeted by BSC Provost Gary Marotta (above) and enjoyed a buffet meal.

Million Family March

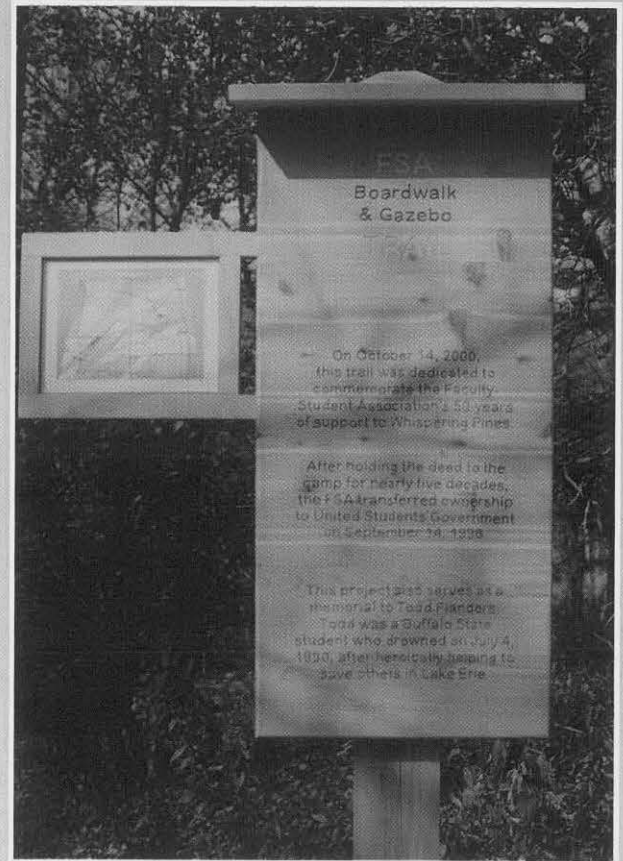
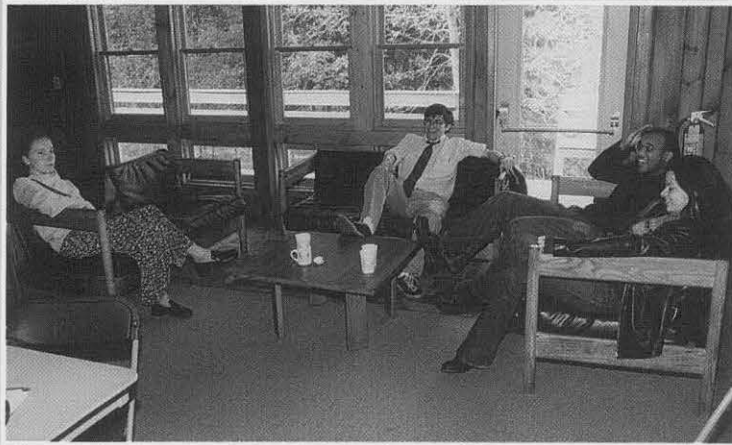


On the March above: Lawrence House, Joe Monz, Marke Shelton, Joe Bradley, Gowan Marshall, Jamie Brunson.

Members of the African American Students Organization and Black Active Minds traveled to Washington, D.C. in October for the Million Family March.

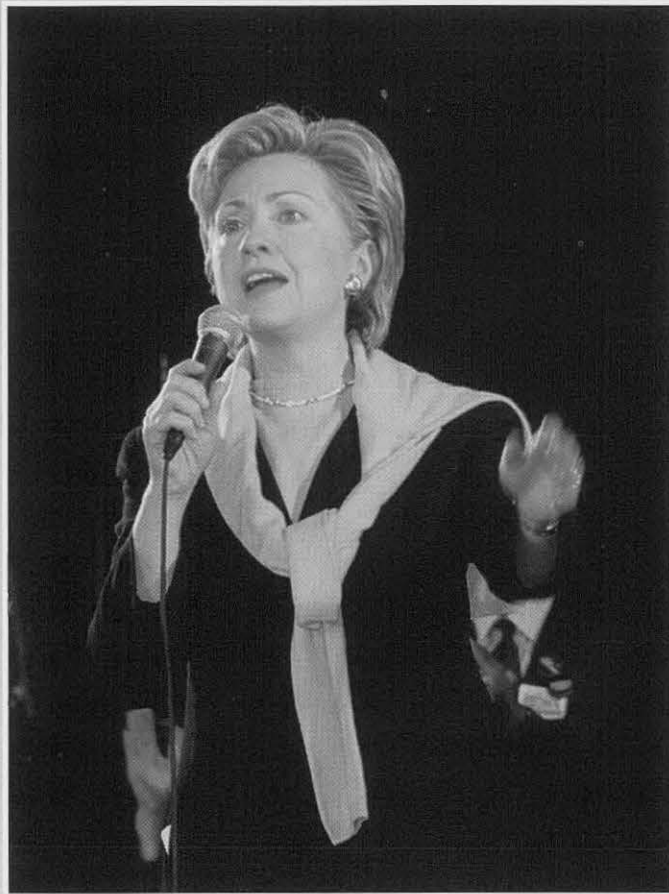
Camp Gazebo Dedication

On October 14th a boardwalk and gazebo were dedicated at the Whispering Pines Camp in Franklinville. Constructed with funds donated by the Faculty Student Association, the structures lead to and sit next to a pond across the road from the camp lodges. Money raised in 1990 by friends of Todd Flanders was also added to the project and his name was added to the dedication plaque.

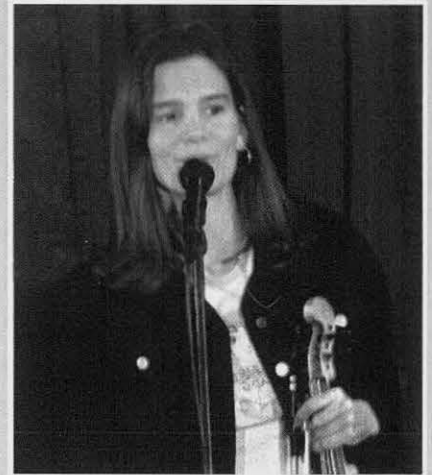


Top left: Katheryn Blersch, John Christopher, Juan Luciano and friend were among the people who attended the dedication. Top right: The Dedication sign at the top of the trail. Bottom: The gazebo at the pond.

Hillary Clinton Rally

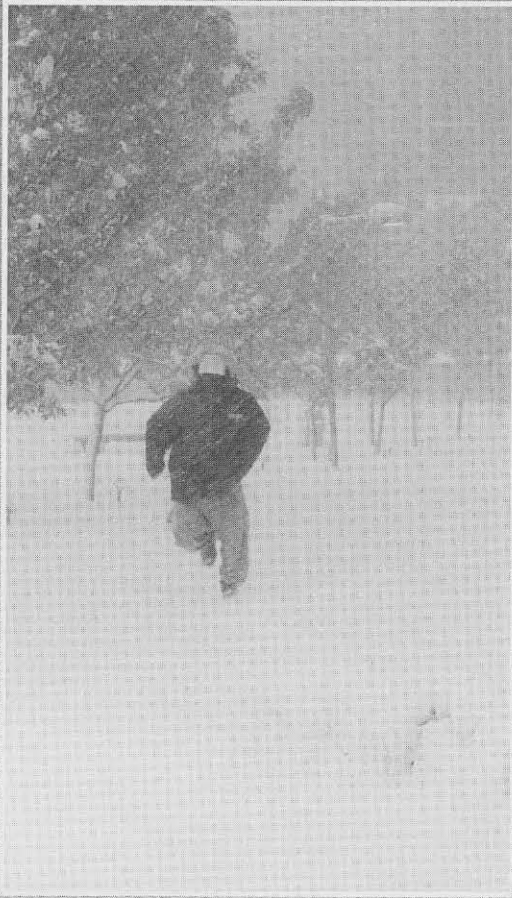


U.S. Senate candidate (and First Lady) Hillary Clinton visited the Sports Arena on the day before election day. Among those who shared the stage with her were comedian Bill Cosby, Buffalo Bills' quarterback Doug Flutie, rock band 10,000 Maniacs, and a couple of dozen local and state politicians. The next day Clinton was elected Senator from New York State.



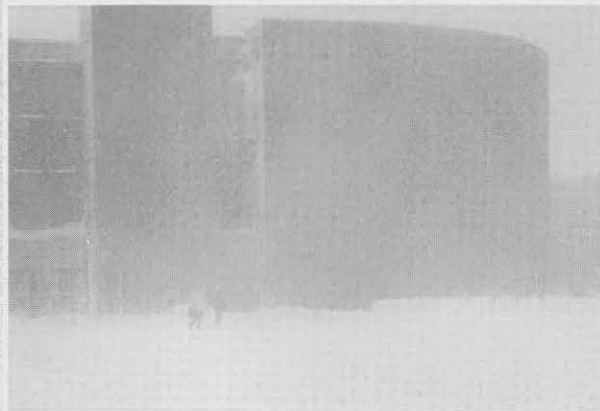
Clockwise from top left: Hillary Clinton addresses her supporters; Bill Cosby urges everyone to take a cynical friend to the polling place; Mary Ramsey of 10,000 Maniacs; Clinton, Doug Flutie, and Cosby.

"Snow Storm 2000"



At first glance it might seem that there are some very over-exposed photos on these pages. Actually the overall whiteness is snow. A major storm hit Buffalo on the Monday before Thanksgiving and buried the campus under some two feet of snow. Classes weren't cancelled until well into the afternoon and quite a few students and staff members spent an unexpected night on campus. Most of the snow had melted by the time everyone came back from Thanksgiving break.





Everyone bundled up for the trek between the nearly obliterated buildings.

WBNY's "Glorified Rehearsal"

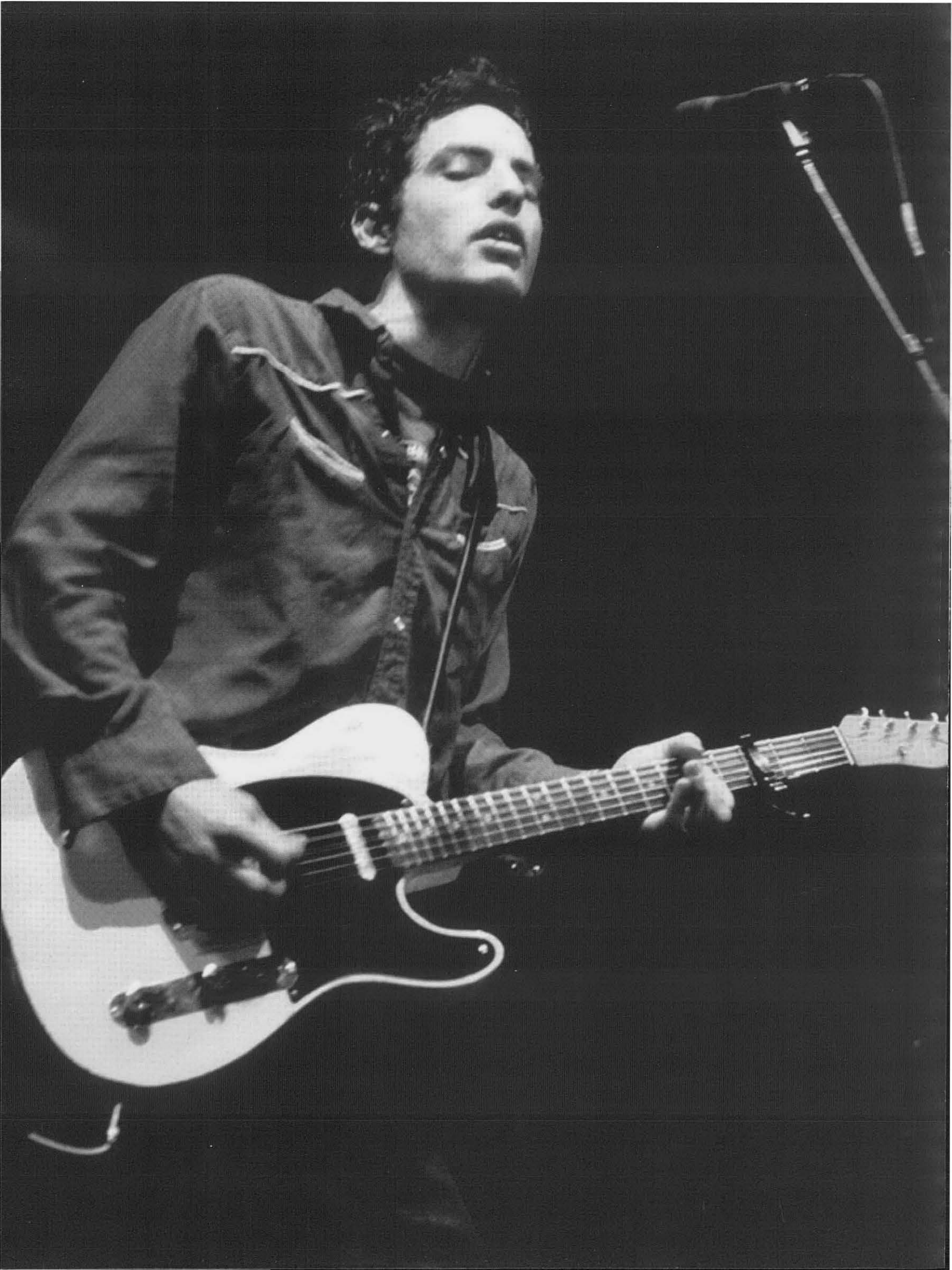
In the fall of 2000 WBNY, the campus radio station, began hosting and broadcasting bands from a restaurant in the Student Union that had been set up with a stage and lights. Among the acts that performed were Maple Systems Drive (seen at right top and in the middle being introduced by WBNY's Marissa), Skronk (below), and the Disappointments (bottom).



Casting Hall's "Fools"



In October Casting Hall staged Neil Simon's "Fools," a comic fable with colorful costumes. Top: the cast gathers around Rob Tarry at a crucial moment in the play. At left: Fernando Bentencourt lifts Justin Teil.

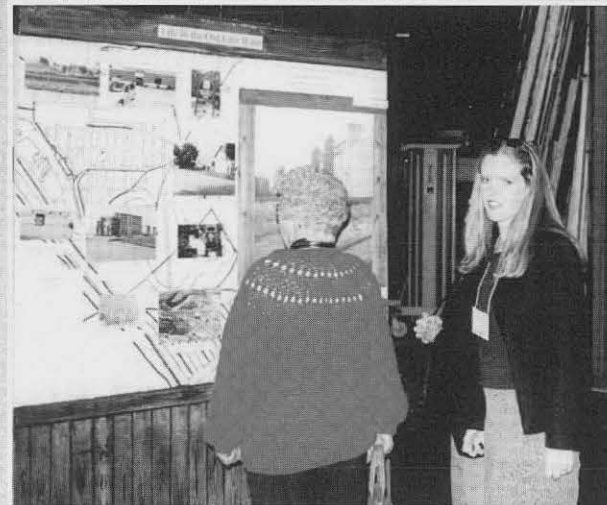
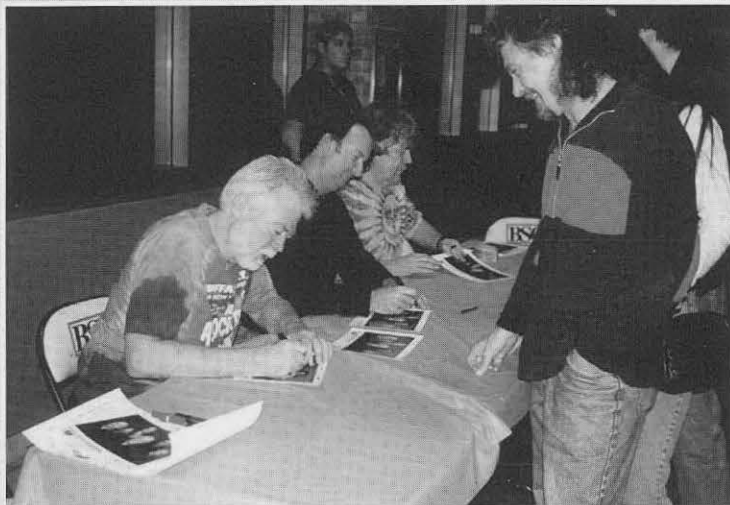


A Grab-Bag of Activities



Just a small example of the diverse activities and opportunities for Buff State students...

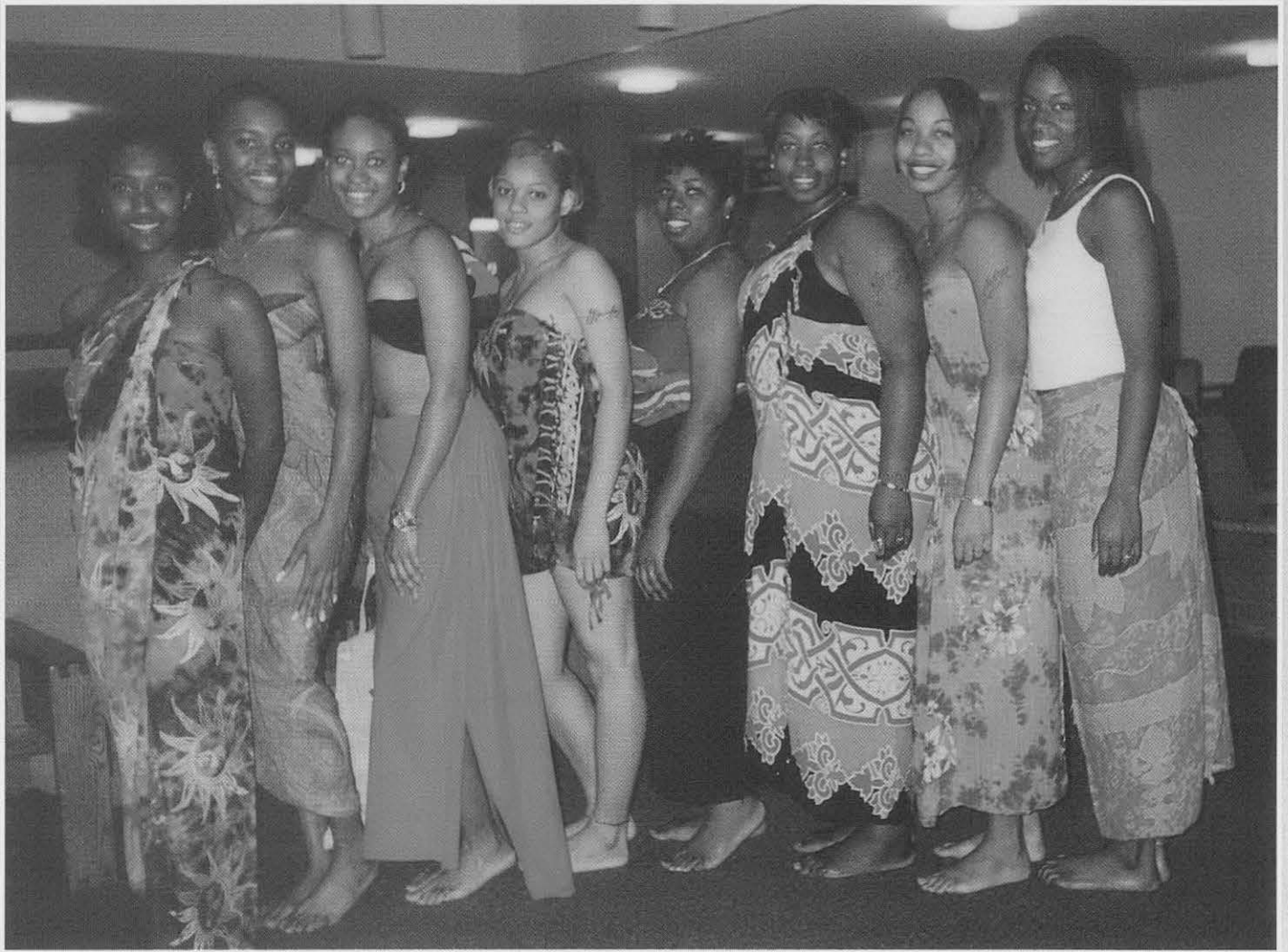
Opposite page: Jakob Dylan (son of Bob Dylan) brought his band The Wallflowers to the Sports Arena on early December. At left; a group of students took a Spanish Department sponsored trip to Spain in June. Shown in a Madrid park are Jodi Januga, Renee, Michelle Moore, Sue Pittas, Andrea Letcher, and Anitra Bolt. Middle left: Members of the 60's rock band The Lovin Spoonful sign autographs after their Alumni Association sponsored concert in the Sports Arena during Homecoming Weekend. Middle right: Changes to the City of Buffalo were illustrated at a reception for the Undergraduate Research Program/Lansing Foundation.



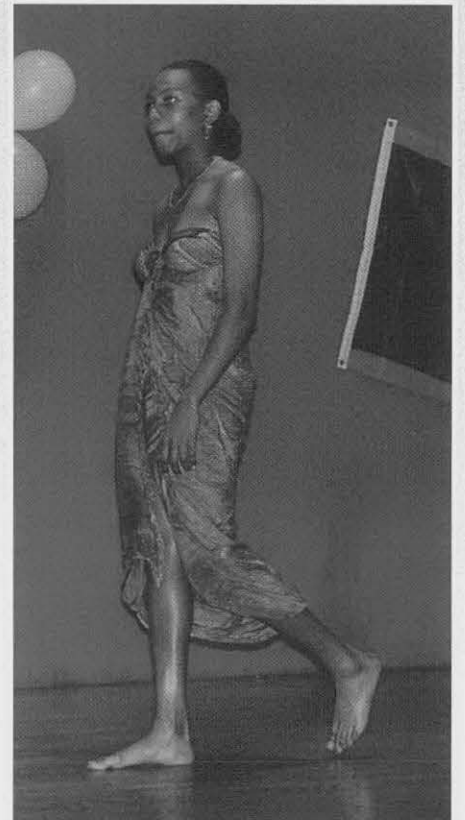
A group of African drummers and dancers performed in the Student Union Lobby in November.

International Fiestas

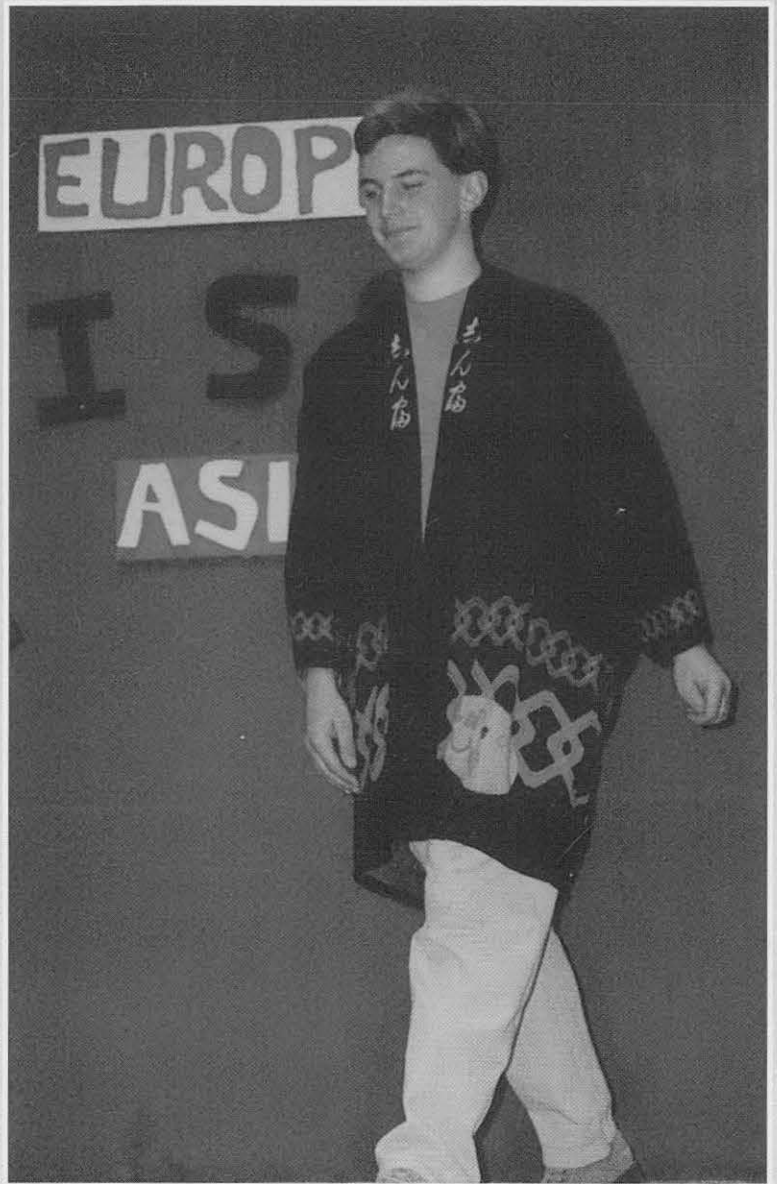
Caribbean & Latin America



Every year the International Students Organization presents a series of Cultural Fiesta Nights featuring costumes, food, music, and crafts from various regions of the world represented by students attending Buffalo State. In September Latin America was featured and members of the Caribbean Students Organization were enthusiastic participants.



Asian and European countries were featured in the second Cultural night in October. The Asian American Students Organization helped make this one memorable. Later, in December, a third Cultural Night (not shown) featured Africa and the Middle East.



Asia & Europe

Campus Art Exhibitions

BSC boasts several generous art exhibition spaces – including the Burchfield-Penney Art Center, Butler Library, and a pair of galleries in Upton Hall which usually feature student art work. At various times his year these spaces showed African American Art and the works of Art Education students.



"100 Years of Movement"



In March a host of campus entities sponsored a discussion and performance at the Burchfield-Penney Art Center titled, "100 Years of Movement: Poetry and Politics in the Post Pan-American Exposition." The event featured Native American storytellers, lecturers, and a group of Latin American musical performers, The Welfare Poets.

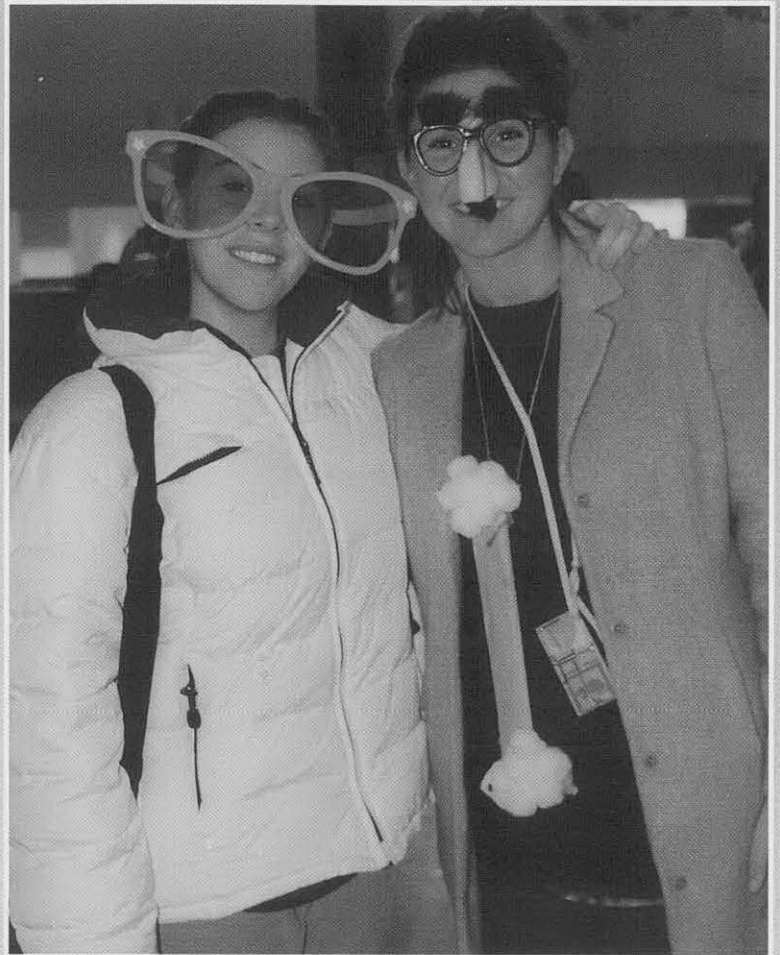


Above: Jose Barreiro.
Top: Sherrill Katsi
Cook Barreiro.
Left: Bobby Gonzales.

Winter Campus Life

Coats, hats, boots, and gloves are important winter accoutrements – the students at right have added silly glasses.

Below: joining a sorority means never being un-color coordinated.



Parking in snow covered lots is a part of winter at BSC – a shovel in the trunk is a handy thing to have.



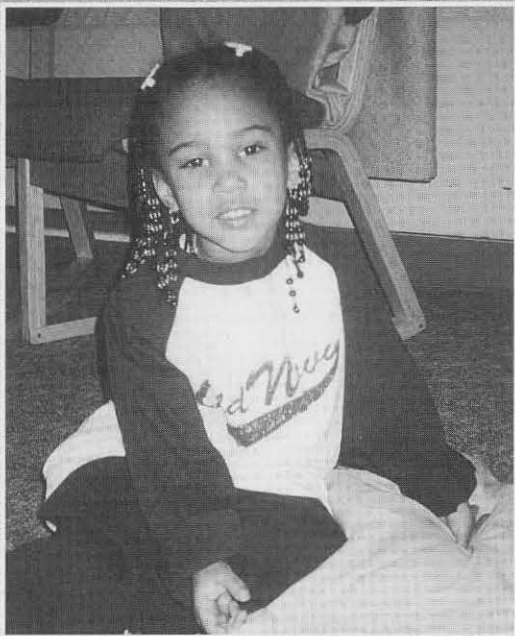


Contrary to popular belief, the sun does shine in Buffalo during the winter—and we sometimes get quite nice sunsets (top). The Student Union provides plenty of services for those who don't want to leave campus in bad weather, including pizza and wings (above) and cash (right).



It's All About Family

Since the Moore Complex's Family College Grand Opening in 1998 the residents have now grown into a bigger family with children and studies side-by-side.



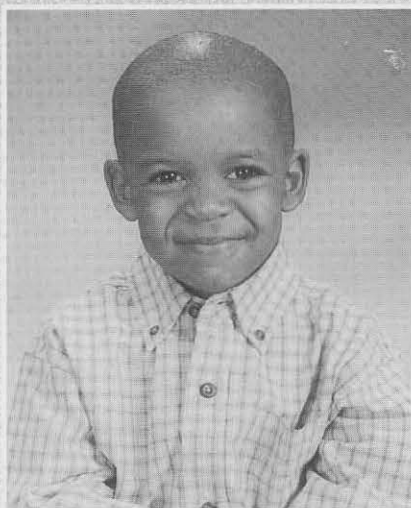
Kaylah Victoria - As I Grow



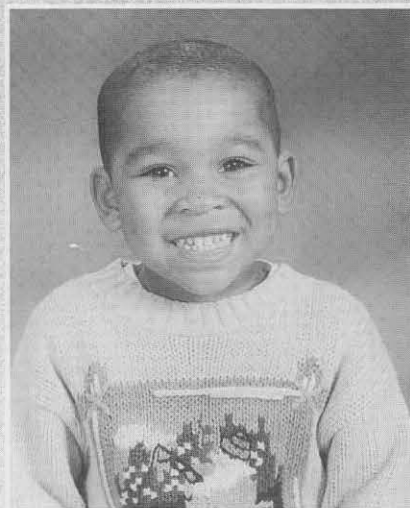
Joseph - Just Sittin Around



Theresa and Jada - Grandma and Me



Tahjmiir - Ready-for-School



Michael



Aniyah Jade - First Years



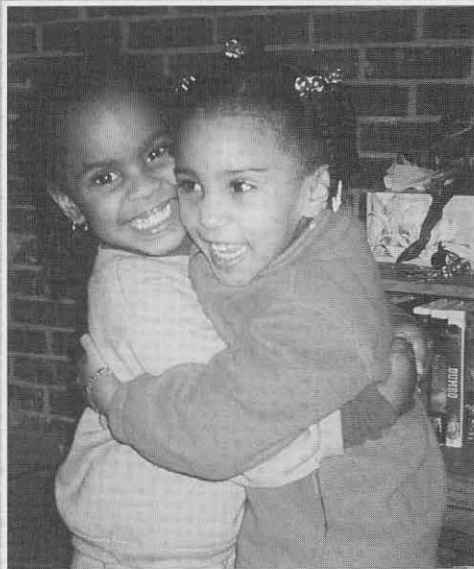
Reynelda and Nilija – Mommy and Me



Ishanna and Jalen (left), Shannon and Isaiah (right) – Outside Play



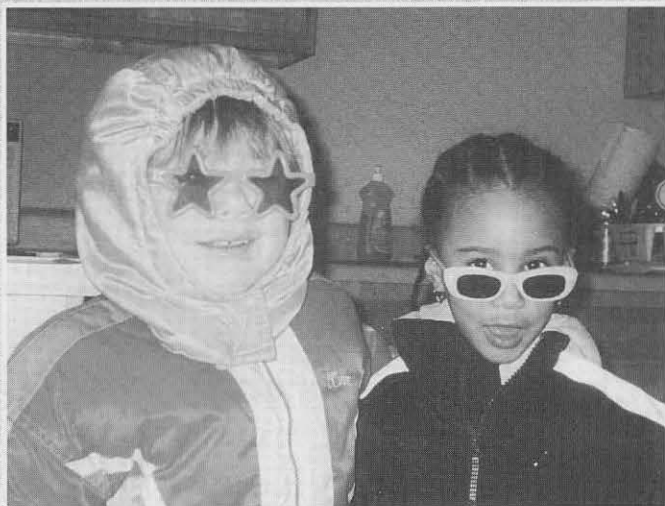
Paul, Vanessa & Anchelle – Our Family



Patrese and Kaylah – Little Friends



Daquan, Shauna, Dashawn – We are Family



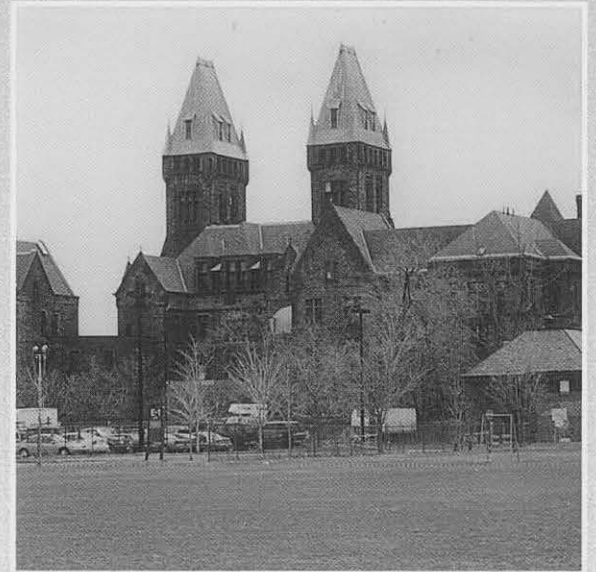
Emma (left), Kaylah (right) are Too Cool



Yolanda and Rashard – Me and My Mom

Buffalo City of No Illusions

Buffalo is not just snow, the Bills, and “close to Niagara Falls”...



The Erie Basin Marina in downtown Buffalo offers a great view of Lake Erie and the City. The art deco City Hall can be seen in the center of the top photo here. The Albright Knox Art Gallery (above), home of one of the finest 20th century art collections in the world, is right across the street from BSC – here we see the other side which faces Delaware Park Lake (lower left). Also shown here is the H. H. Richardson designed twin towers of the Buffalo Psychiatric Center – another BSC neighbor.

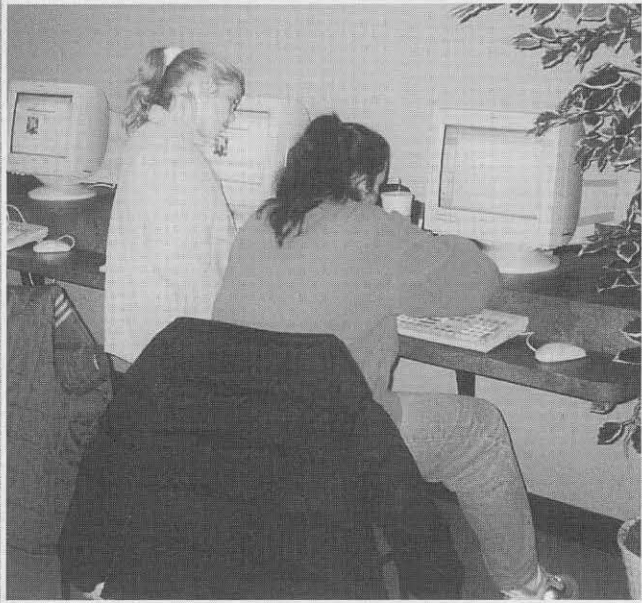




BSC students who live on-campus or along Elmwood Avenue will never forget these businesses: Spot Coffee and Mister Goodbar for stimulants of various sorts, Pano's for great quick meals, and the 24 Hour Store for anything, anytime.

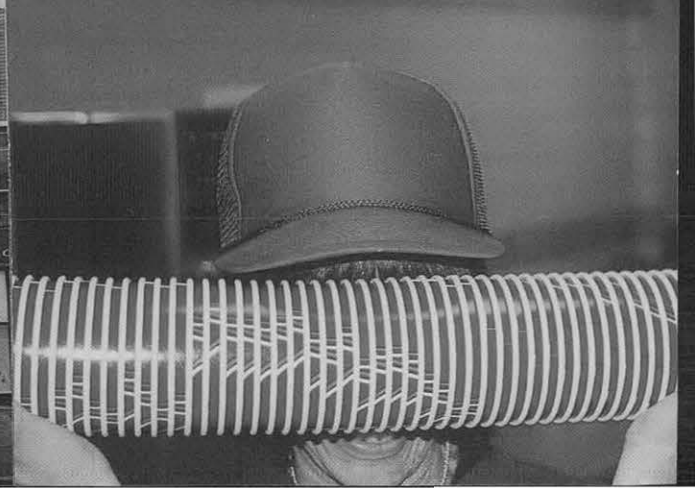
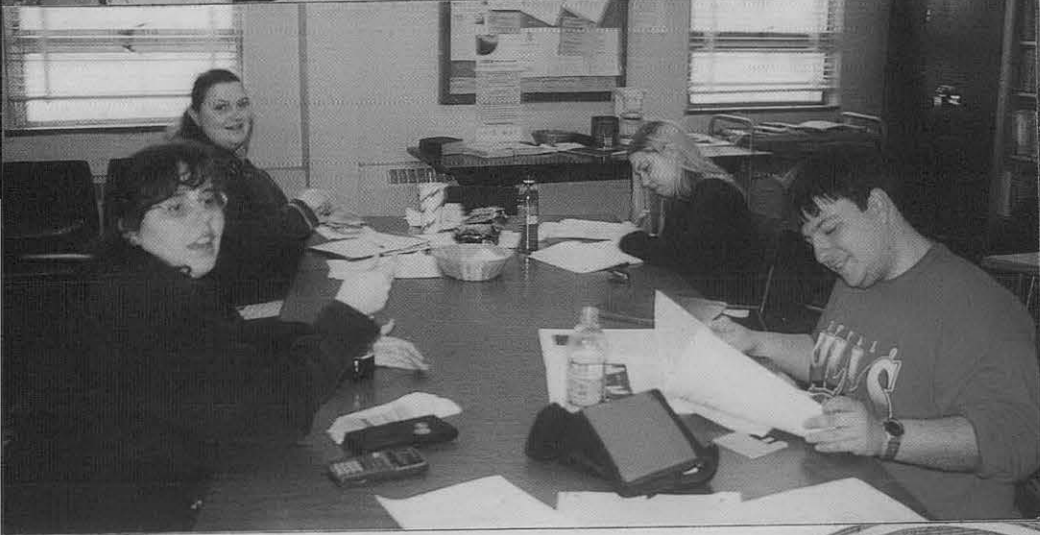
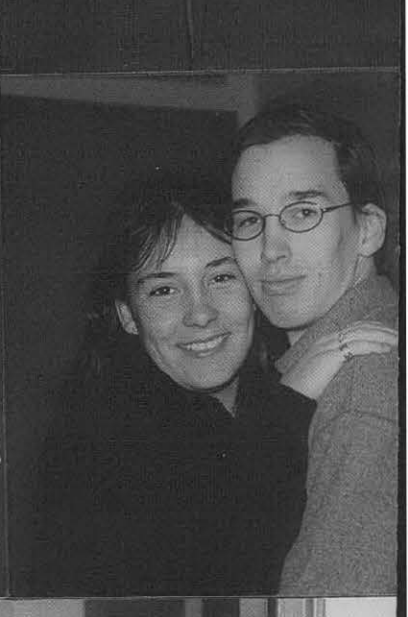
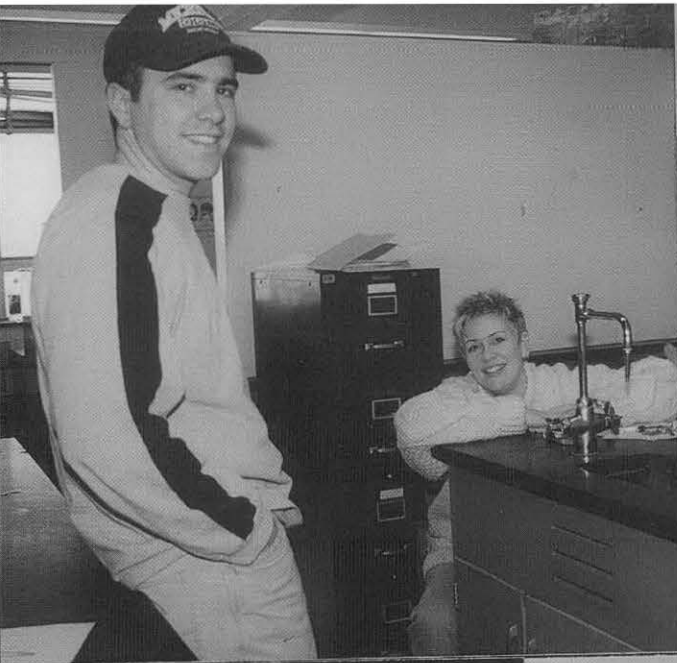
New on the Campus

When Moot Hall was shut down for remodeling (see opposite page) The Undergrounds Cafe was moved to the Student Union TV lounge. The initial version wasn't very popular so the Cafe was done over with cool green walls, more comfortable furniture, an expanded menu, and a small bank of computers. The result was a more highly patronized venue.



Major construction took place on campus with the addition of a new bookstore to the Student Union (below) and the gutting and remodeling of Moot Hall (bottom). The bookstore opened in April 2001. Moot, with its dramatic entrance and shiny (for now) copper roof, will become a student services center with the registrar, bursar, financial aid, and other similar offices all conveniently located together. At right: Perry Quad is re-paved and landscaped after the completion of the bookstore construction.





Extra Special Events



In March the Chinese Consul General to the United States, Zhang Hongxi (third from left) paid a visit to BSC and spoke on China's Economy. Afterward he visited with Elanor Blackburn (host to many international students, second from left) and some of BSC's Chinese students: Qiu Hua Wei, Jing Lin, Fei Yan Xue, Feng Xia He, and Quang Nguyen.



The annual International Cultural Fiesta sponsored by the International Students Organization always features lots of colorful performances. Seen here are dance numbers from Taiwan and Africa.



Asian Culture Night



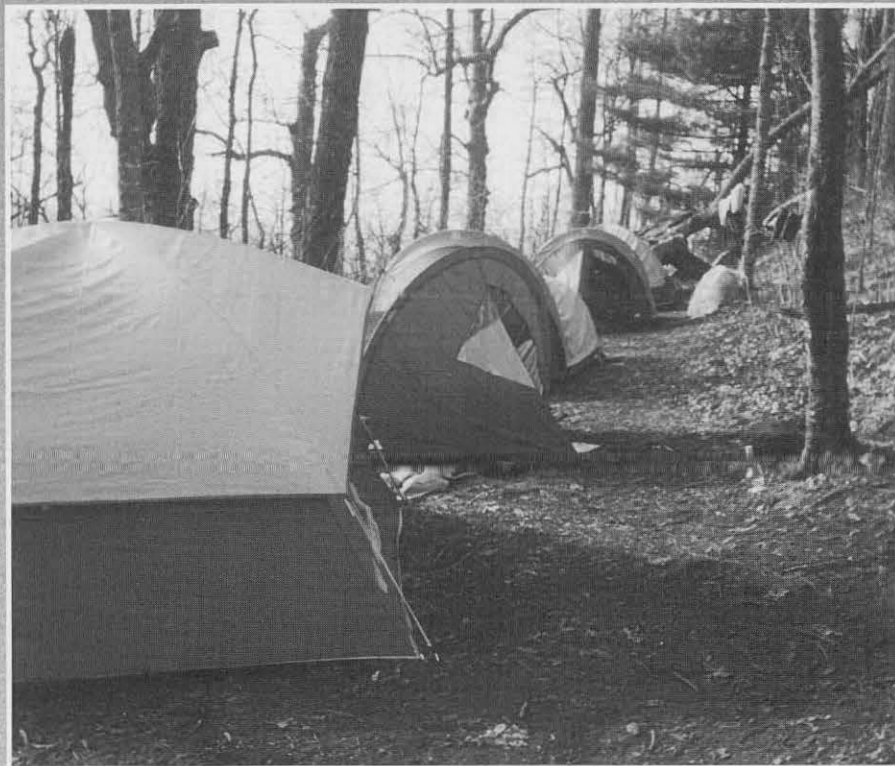
The Asian American Students Organization hosted an Asian Culture Night with dances and songs. At left Kazuki introduces an act and Dr. Jean Gounard addresses those attending the event.



Spring Break in Georgia



While some students were seeking sun and sand during the spring break, nearly two dozen BSC students made a Wilderness Adventures sponsored trip to the Chattahoochee National Forest in Georgia. The group hiked and camped along the Appalachian Trail.



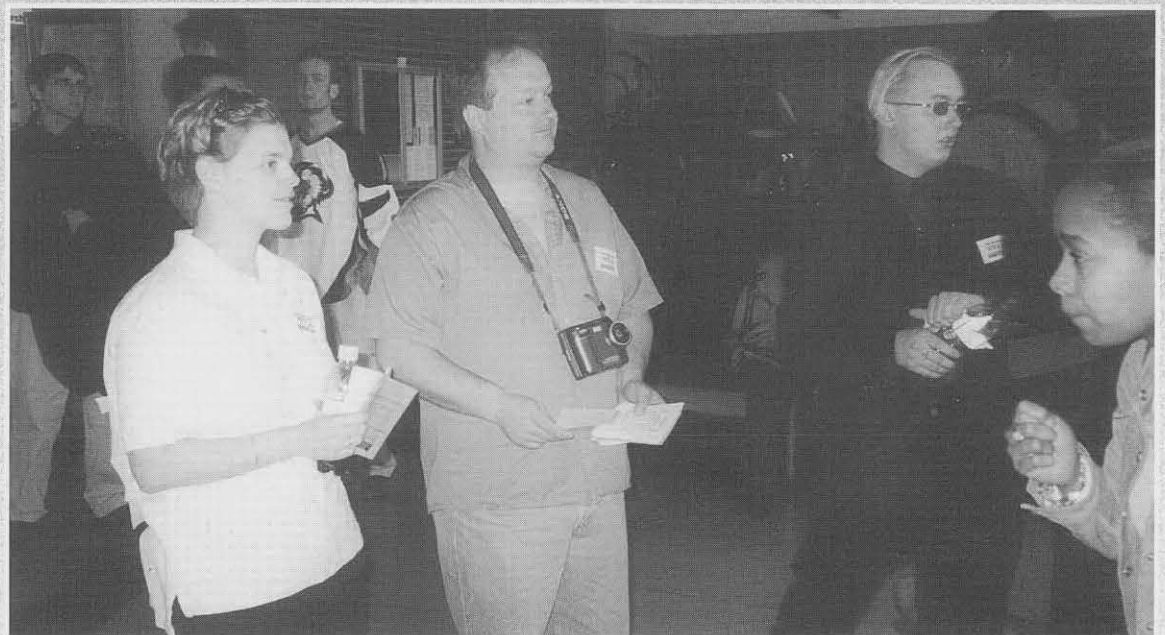
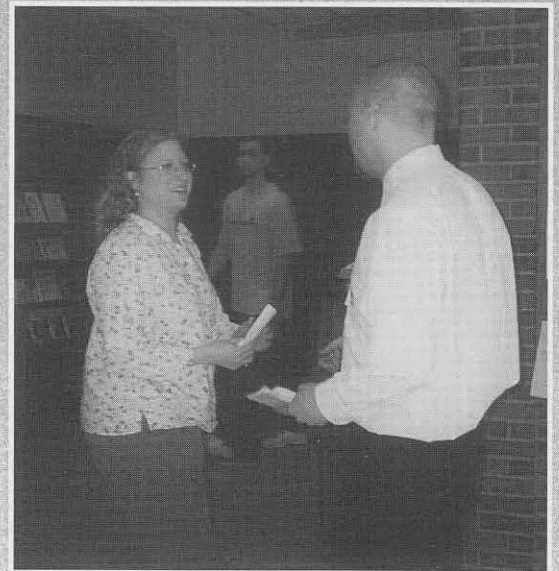
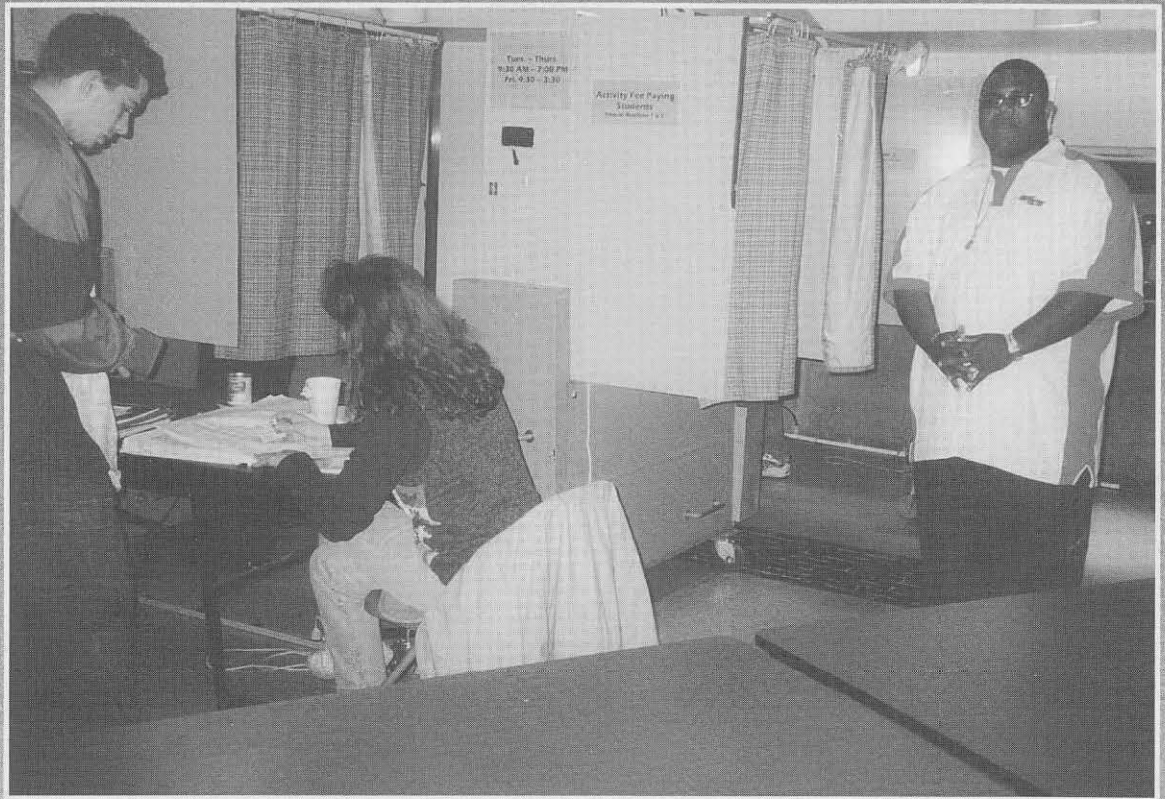
John, Amanda, Gretchen, Lori, Maria, and Brian crowd in the van on the way to Georgia.

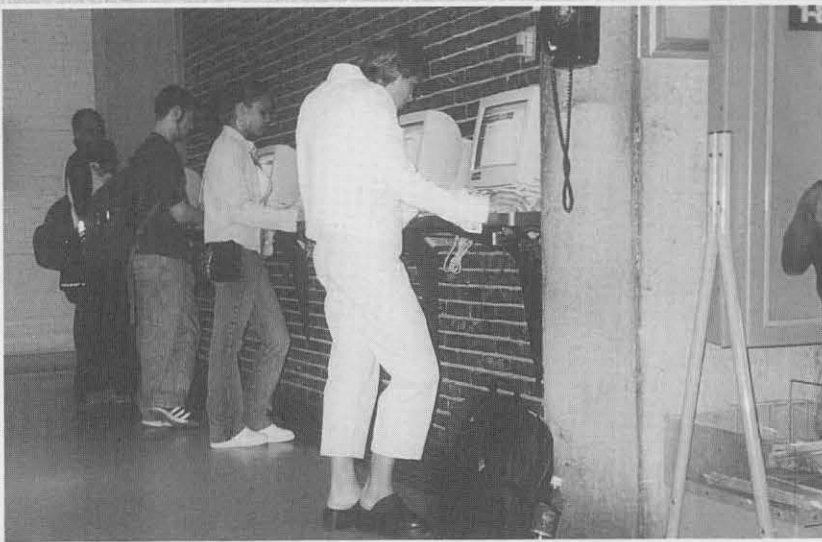
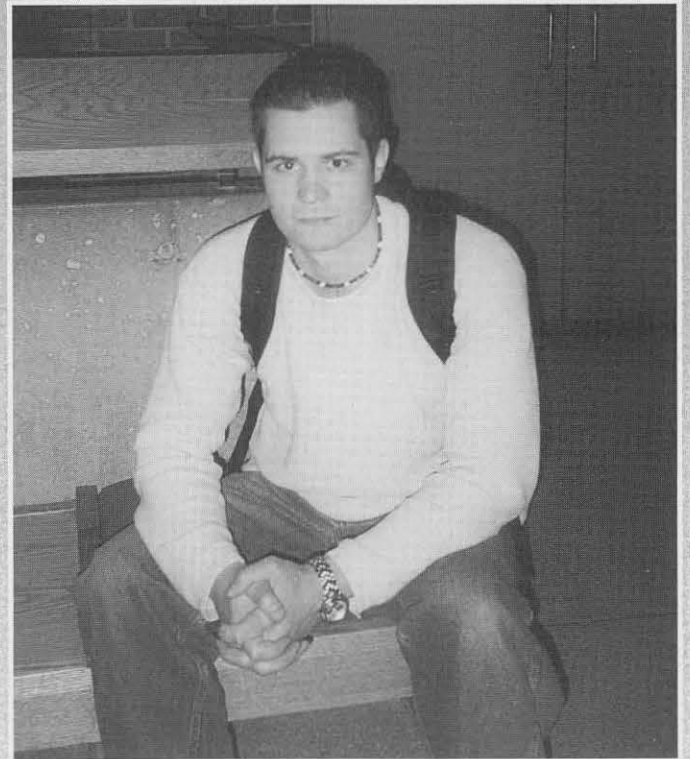
Union Lobby Activities

A late April afternoon found the Student Union Lobby a little busier than usual. It was the middle of student government elections (this page) and candidates and their supporters were out in force to campaign for office.

Scores of students stood in line and cast their votes in the voting machines. Meanwhile, a Wellness Fair was in progress (opposite top) with health resources and tips being dispensed as well as the ultimate hands-on experience – a free massage.

Other students simply used the Union to relax a moment between classes or check e-mails at the lobby's computer bank. University Police officer Sam Lunetta and basketball head coach Dick Bihr (opposite lower right) took a moment to look for familiar faces in old yearbooks on sale in the lobby.





USG Awards Banquet

On Sunday, April 29th the United Students' Government held their annual Awards Banquet in the Pan-Am Room of the Delaware Park Casino. The event was attended by members of various student organizations, and some representatives from the college faculty and staff. Recognition was given to outstanding student leaders, organizations, and faculty as well as the USG support staff.

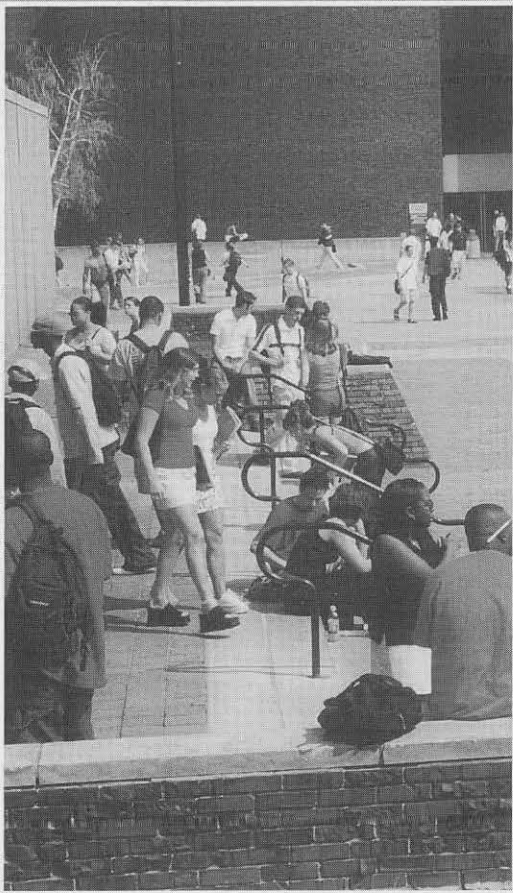
Among the guests were BSC President Muriel Howard and Vice President for Student Affairs Hal Payne (opposite page, top left).

At right: Out-going USG President Juan Luciano and President-elect Fred Cabrera visit Cindy Sciolino and Mary Kirkwood at one of the USG Staff tables.



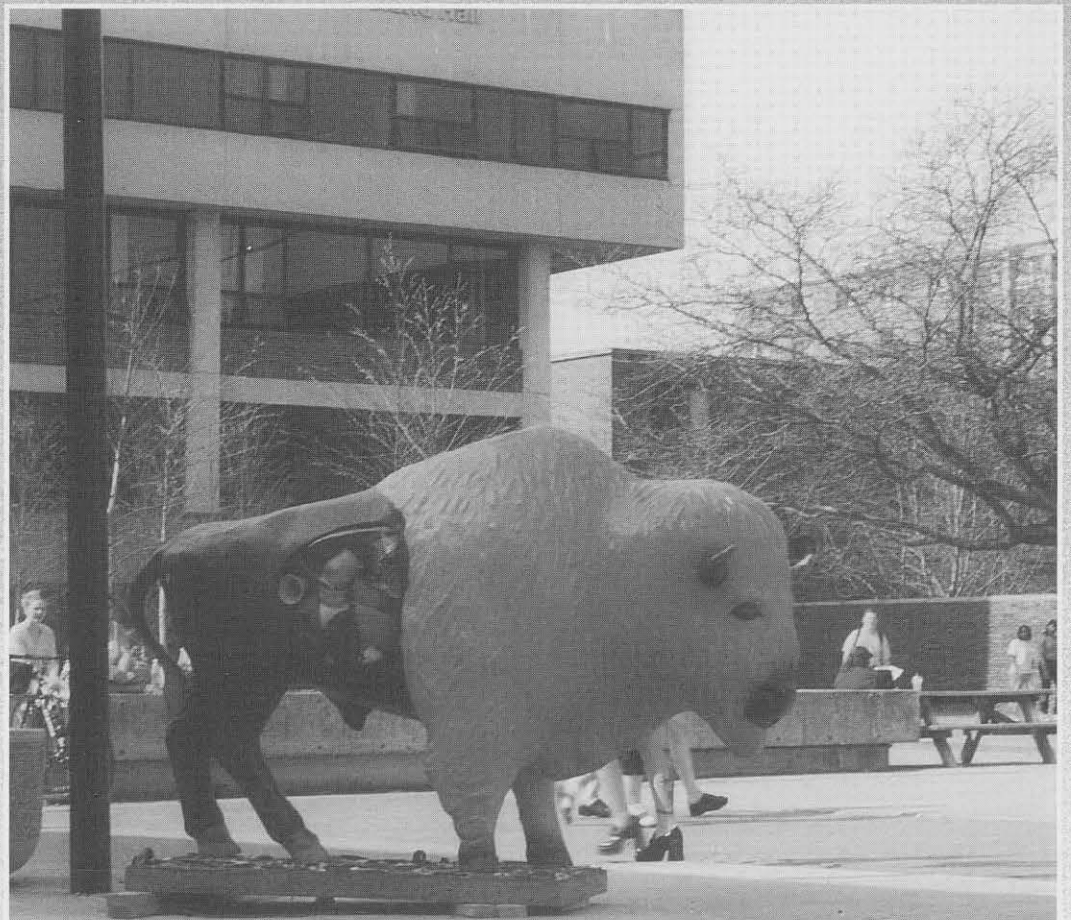


"Sunshine 2001"



The old saying "Buffalo has two seasons – winter and the 4th of July" is always good for a laugh whenever winter seems to be hanging on far too long. But this city does have four seasons and some pretty nice weather.

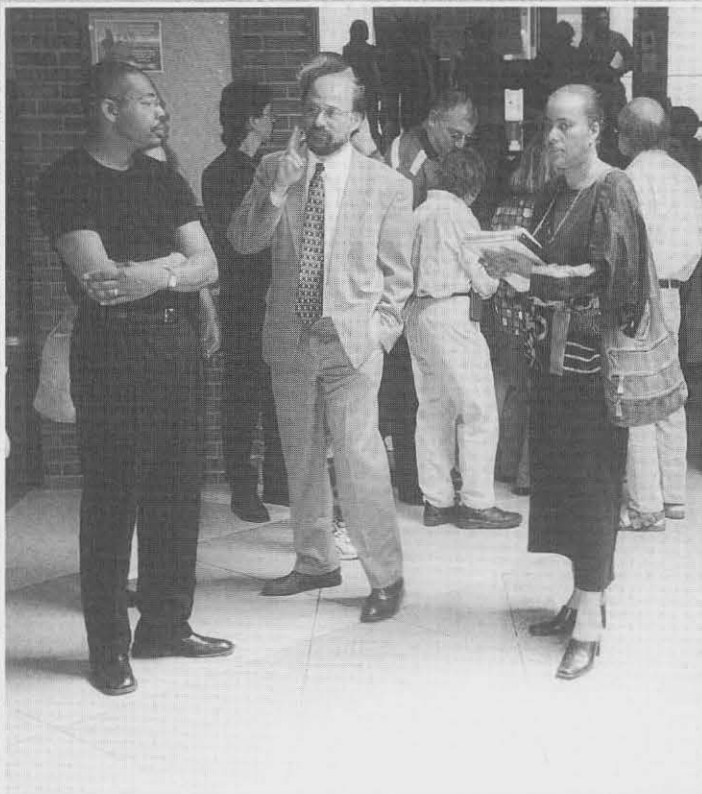
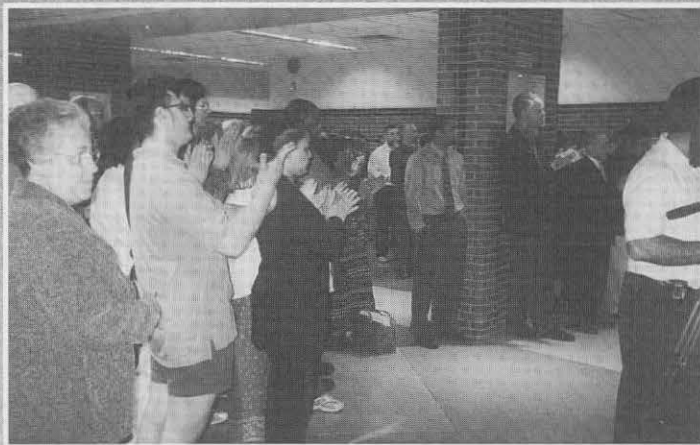
Compare these April pictures with pages 28 and 29 ("Snow Storm 2000") and you'll see that no matter how nasty the weather gets, it *will* be nice again... eventually.



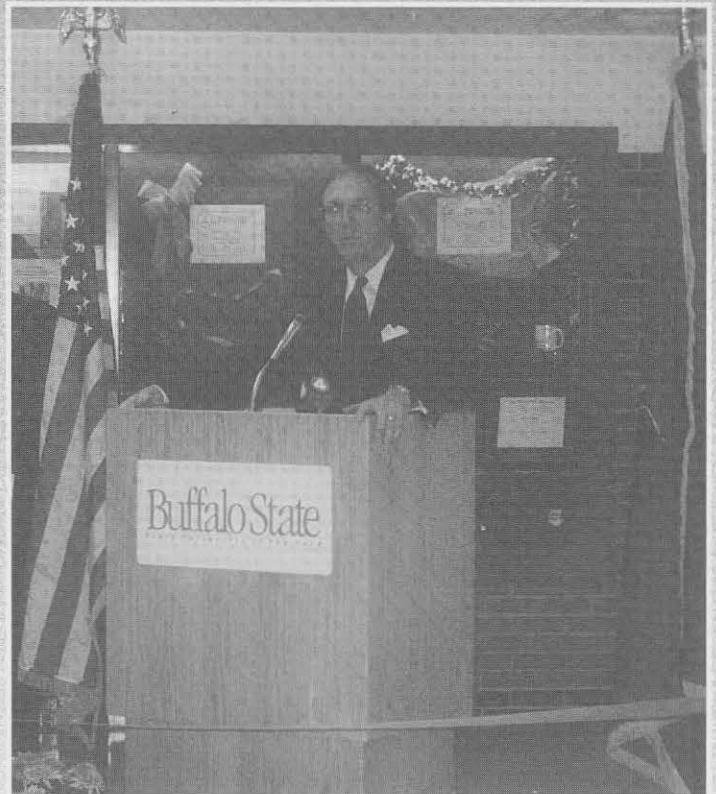


Bookstore Ribbon Cutting

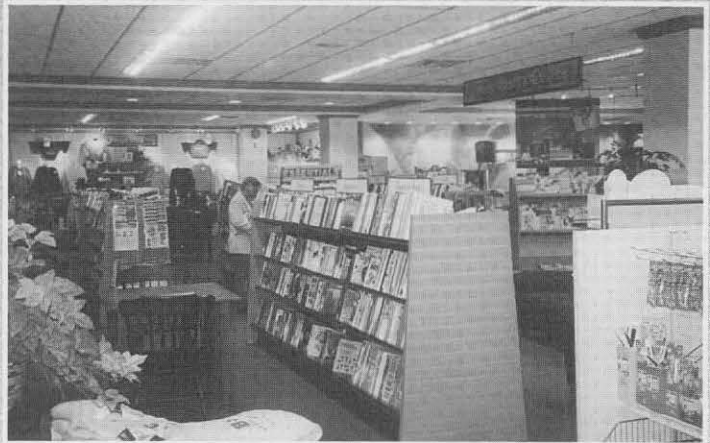
On a cold late winter day in 2000 a group of campus and local dignitaries gathered in Perry Quad to break ground for a new addition to the Campbell Student Union to house the new college bookstore. Not much more than a year later a similar group gathered to cut the ribbon officially opening the new facility. Among those on hand were state legislator Robin Schimminger and assemblyman Sam Hoyt (seen flanking BSC president Howard in the photo at right) and Buffalo Mayor Anthony Masiello. The new store, managed by Barnes & Noble, includes a Java Cafe and some very comfortable seating.

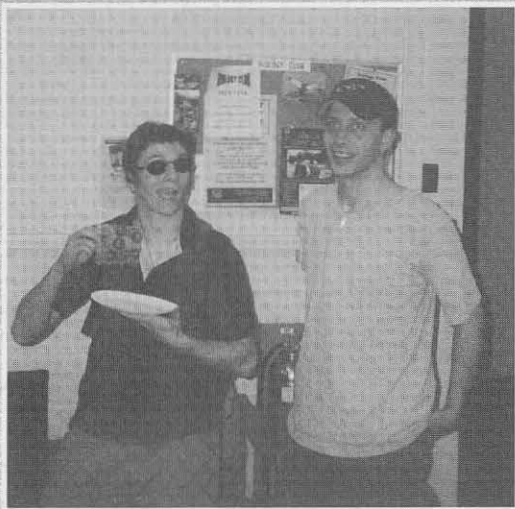
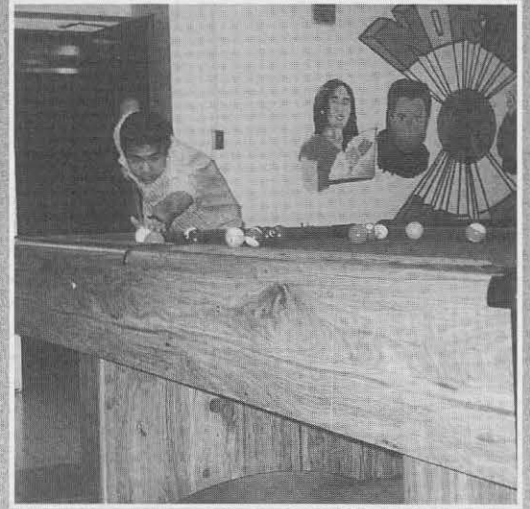
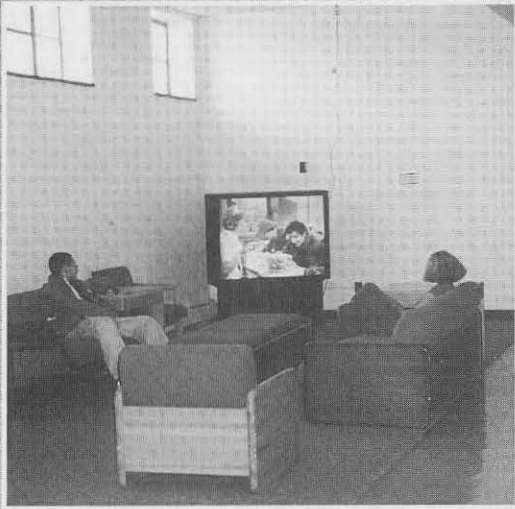
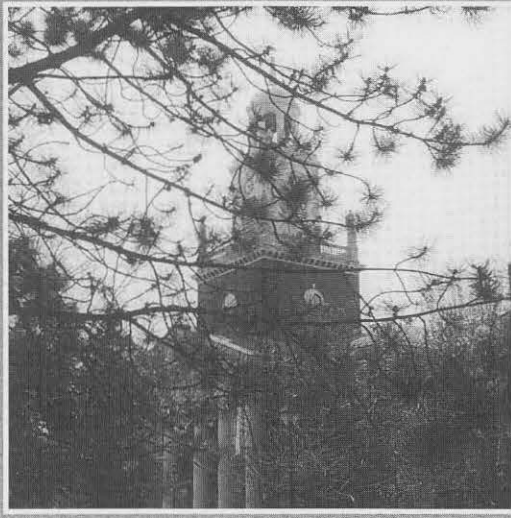


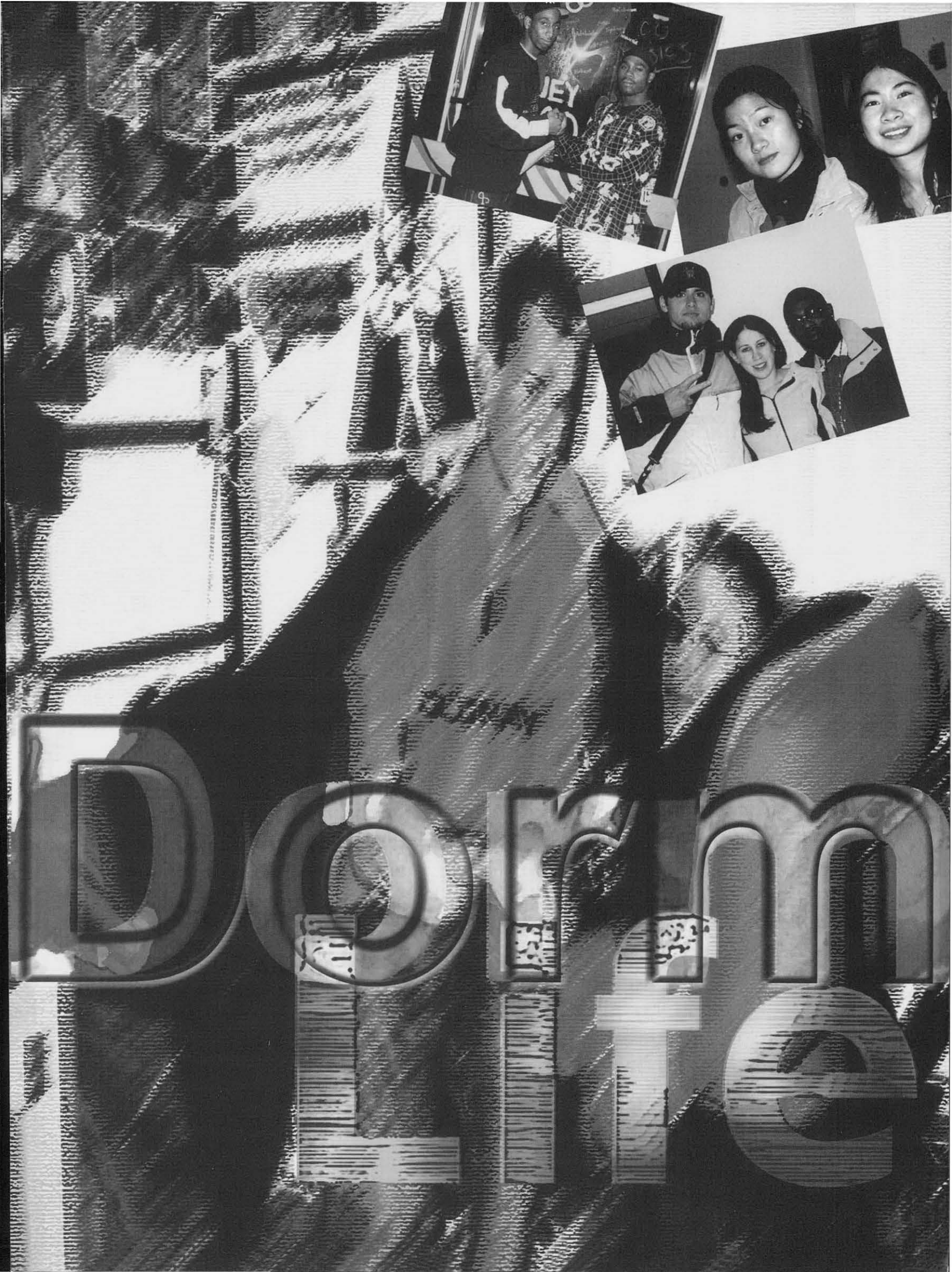
Anthony Neal, David Milberg and Gail Wells wait under the new lobby skylight for the festivities to begin.



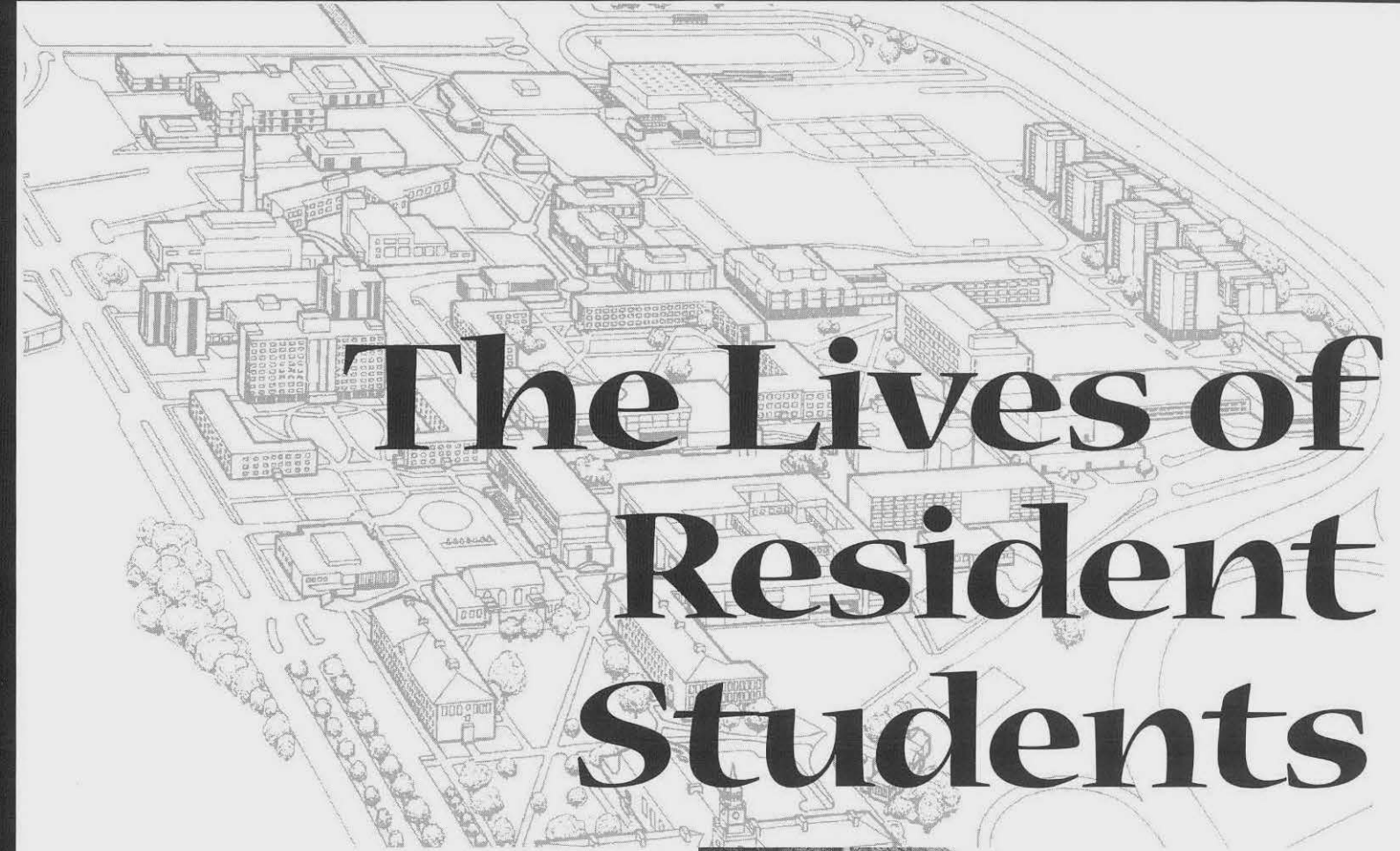
Buffalo Mayor Masiello, who lives a short stone's throw from the campus, promises to be one of the hoped-for neighborhood patrons of the new store.







DOMINION



The Lives of Resident Students

A large percentage of students at BSC live on-campus in the seven residence halls. There are several different styles of “dorm life” – suites, halls, even multi-room apartments, and one dormitory, South Wing, that houses students from all over the world.



MOORE COMPLEX • NEUMANN HALL • NORTH WING



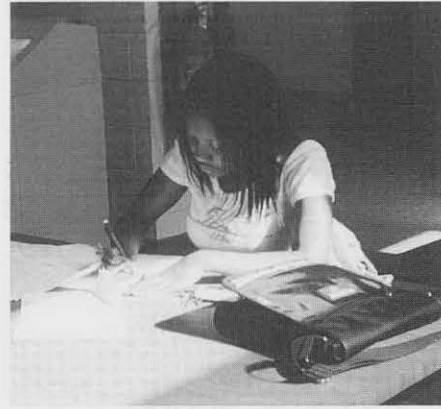
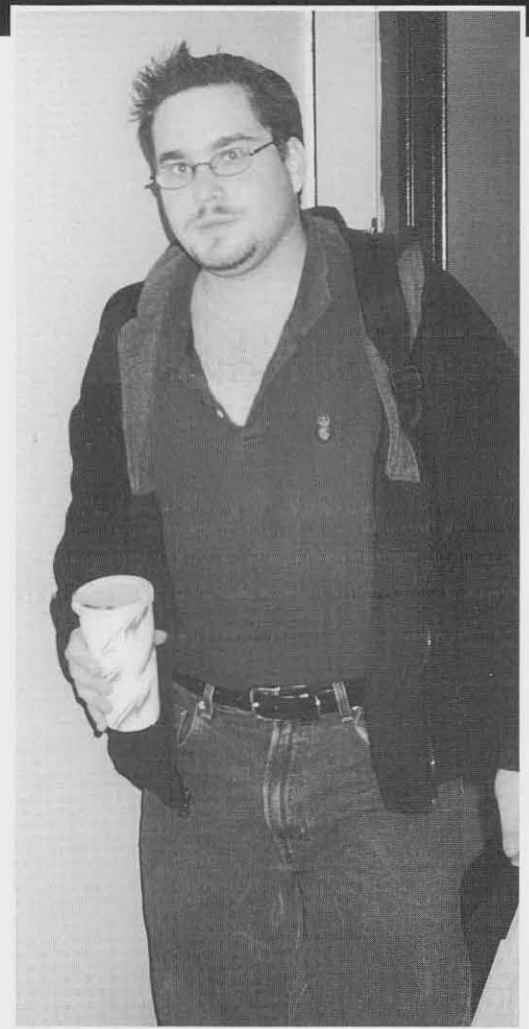
The Residence Halls: Opposite page - The Moore Complex and Perry Hall. This page, clockwise from top - Porter Hall, Neumann Hall, North Wing, and one of the four Scajaquada Towers.



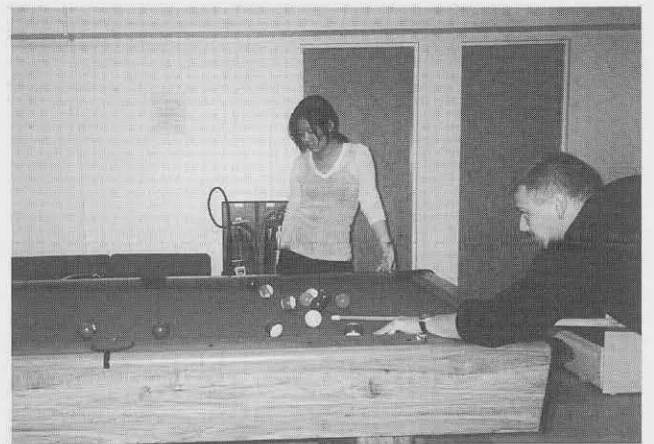
Buffalo State has a feeling of serenity all over. I enjoy studying in the library after classes. My favorite place in the library is on the first floor by the corner. Studying is not all I do. I love to go to the gym to keep my body in shape. Sometimes I jog for 15 minutes straight. Racquetball relaxes me and relieves me of my everyday stress. My friends are across the hall just waiting to lend a hand when I need them. Life is wonderful.

– Yuki Lau





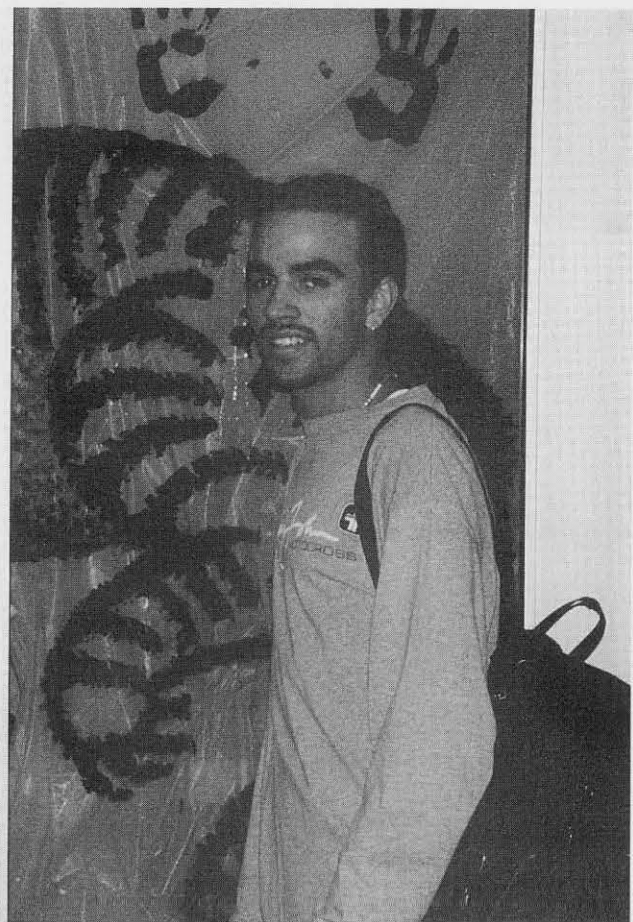
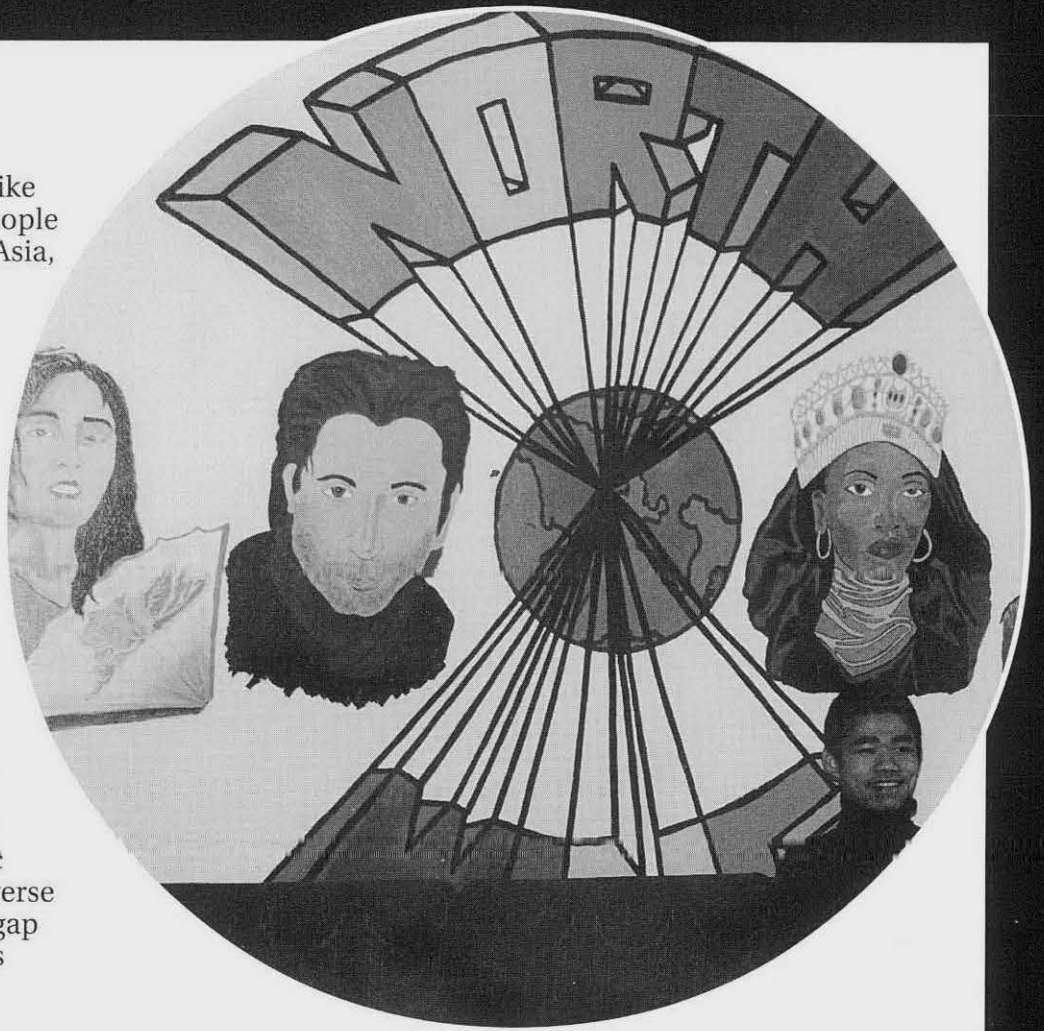
PERRY HALL • PORTER HALL • SCAJAQUADA TOWERS



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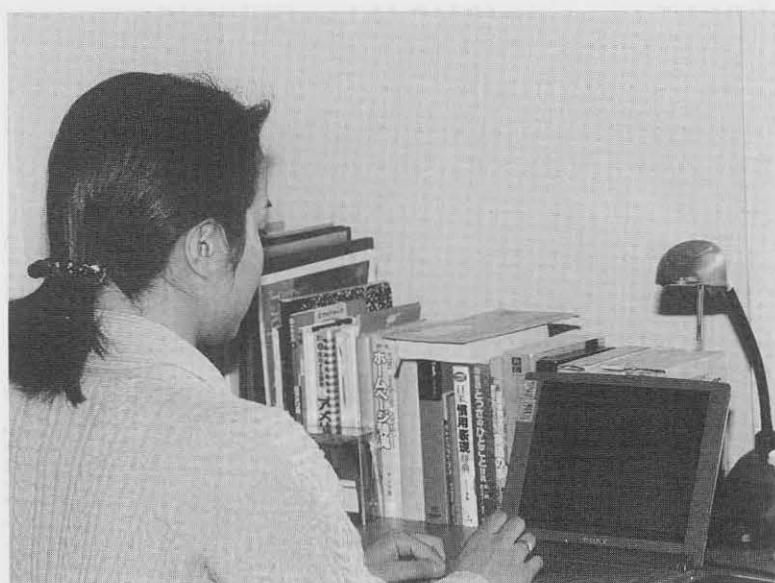
It is definitely a fun experience for me staying in North Wing. Dorm life here is like living in a small world village. I've met people from many different areas of the world - Asia, Europe, Africa, and South America. It certainly opened my eyes and mind, not only to different people but different cultures and life styles. Language is another interesting part of living in North Wing. I've learned some simple greetings in several languages. The suite dorm room style helps people who share a suite build good relationships and friendships. North Wing does have some of the typical dorm problems, but in general you can have fun living here.
- Kuan Lin

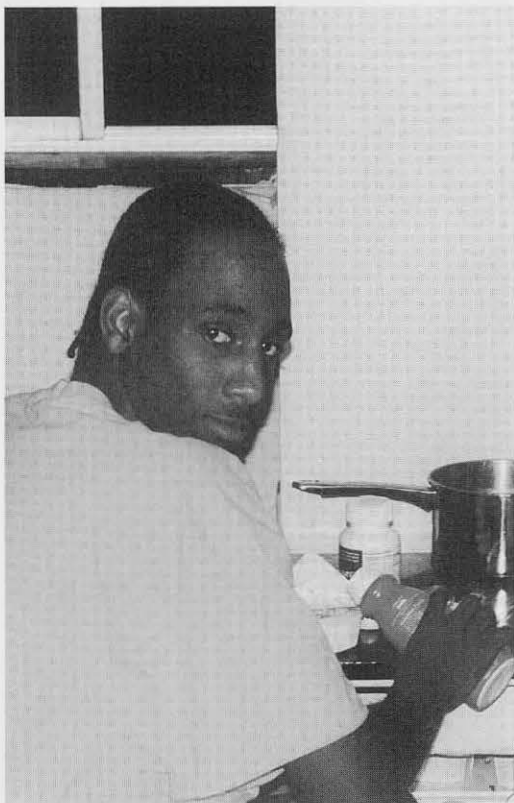
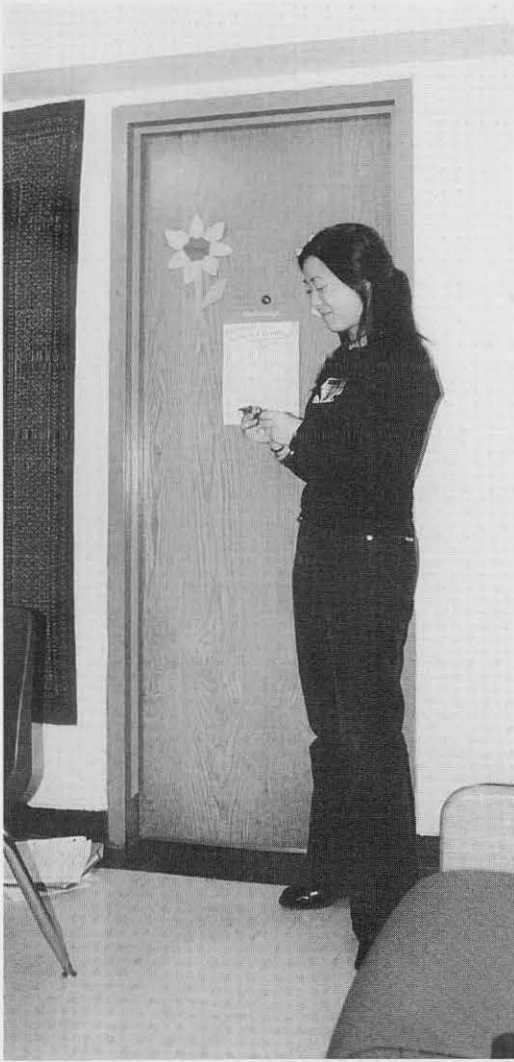
I am a sophomore at BSC who has had the advantage of living in North Wing. In two years of college I've had a grand experience. My mind and eyes have been opened to a variety of cultures and ethnic groups. I've always wanted to live in a diverse community. Living here has bridged the gap separating our cultures - everyone here is willing to get to know you personally.
- Paul R. Everett





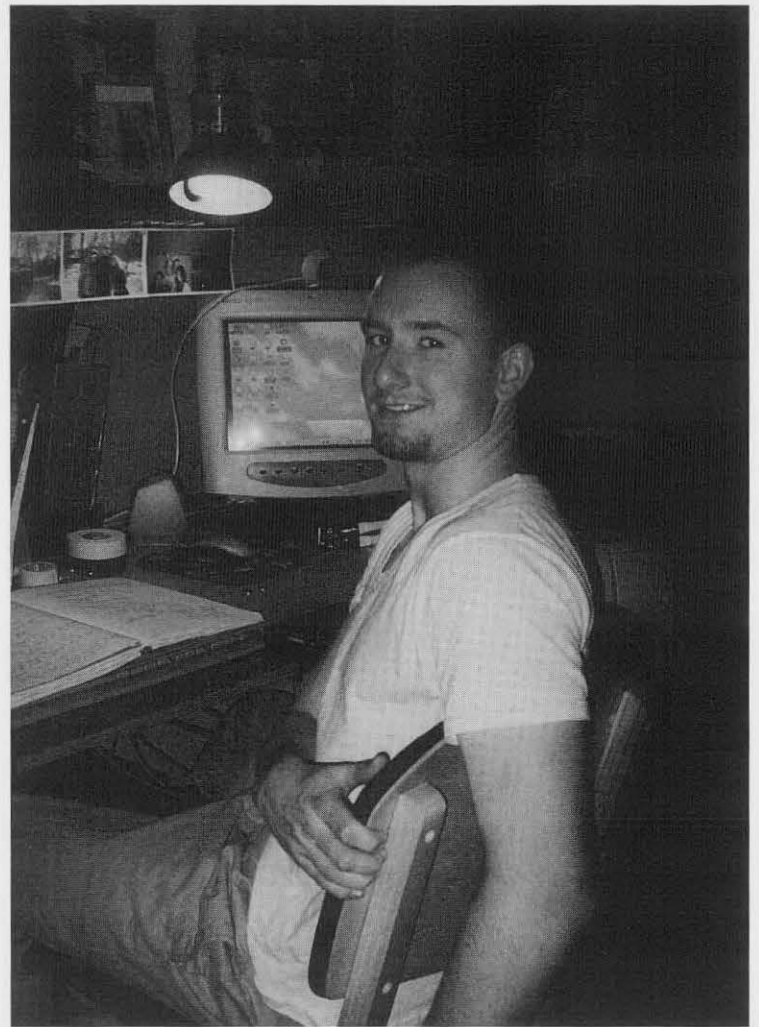
*Hanging out,
studying, napping,
checking messages,
eating "wild"
pizza, shopping at
the bookstore and
breakfast in the
room are all part
of living in the
residence halls.*



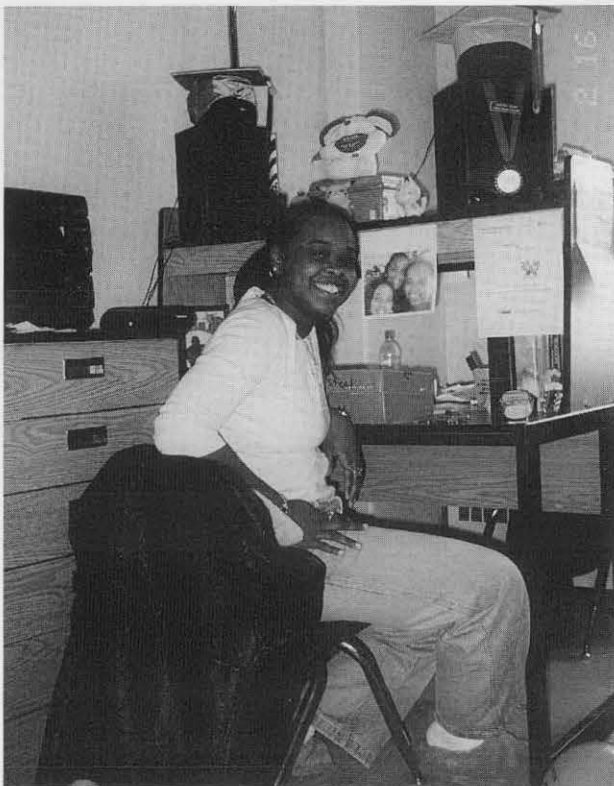




Jacqueline Martin and Shante Brinson:
"It's a good life."



Sean Madden: "I feel that living in the dorm
is a great learning experience and the
friends are really close."



Chelsea Thompson:
"Dorm life is fun. I can
chill with my friends and
do whatever."



Franklin Quito:
"To live on campus is the best experience I ever had. It's really nice and I would encourage anyone to do the same."



Jamie Laitenberger:
"I love Perry Hall... it's so much fun."



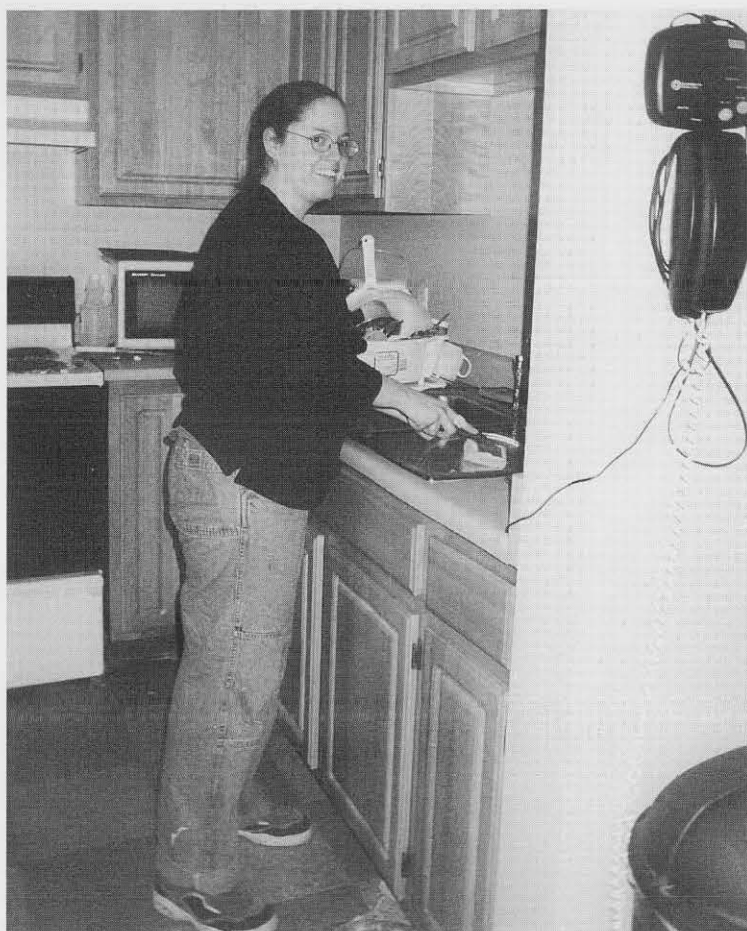
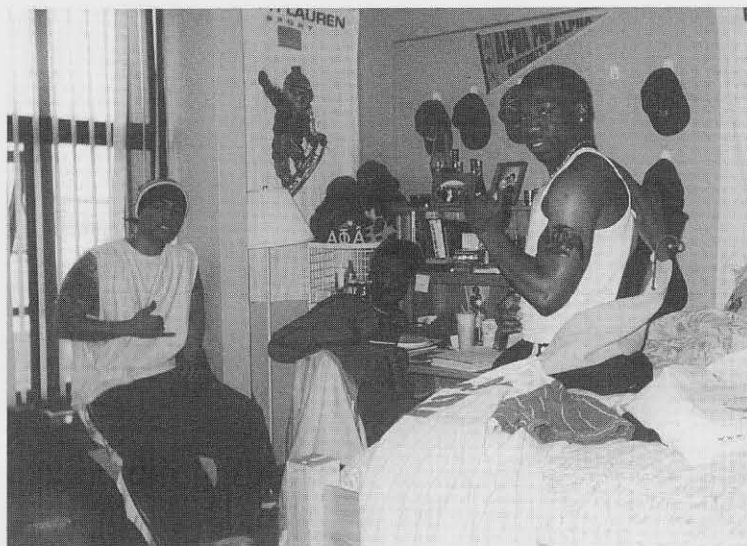
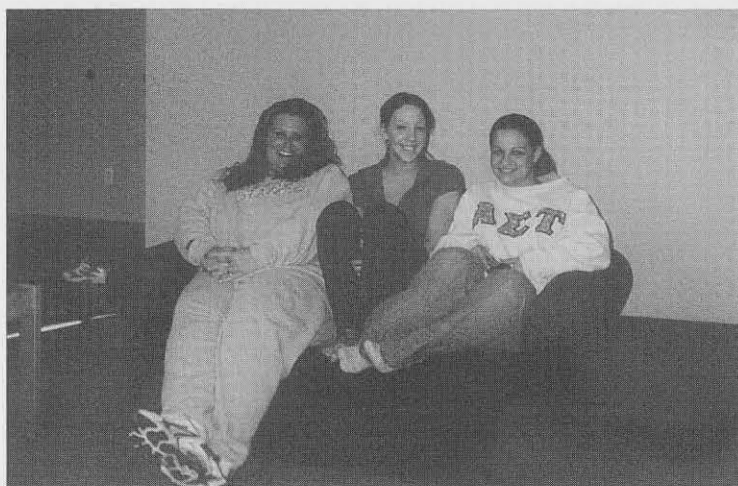
Sarah

Bluestein:

"Dorm life...
not bad!"

Moore Complex

The Moore complex was opened several years ago as living space for older students and students with children (see pages 40-41). Instead of just dorm rooms and suites, Moore features apartments with kitchens, bedrooms and living rooms.

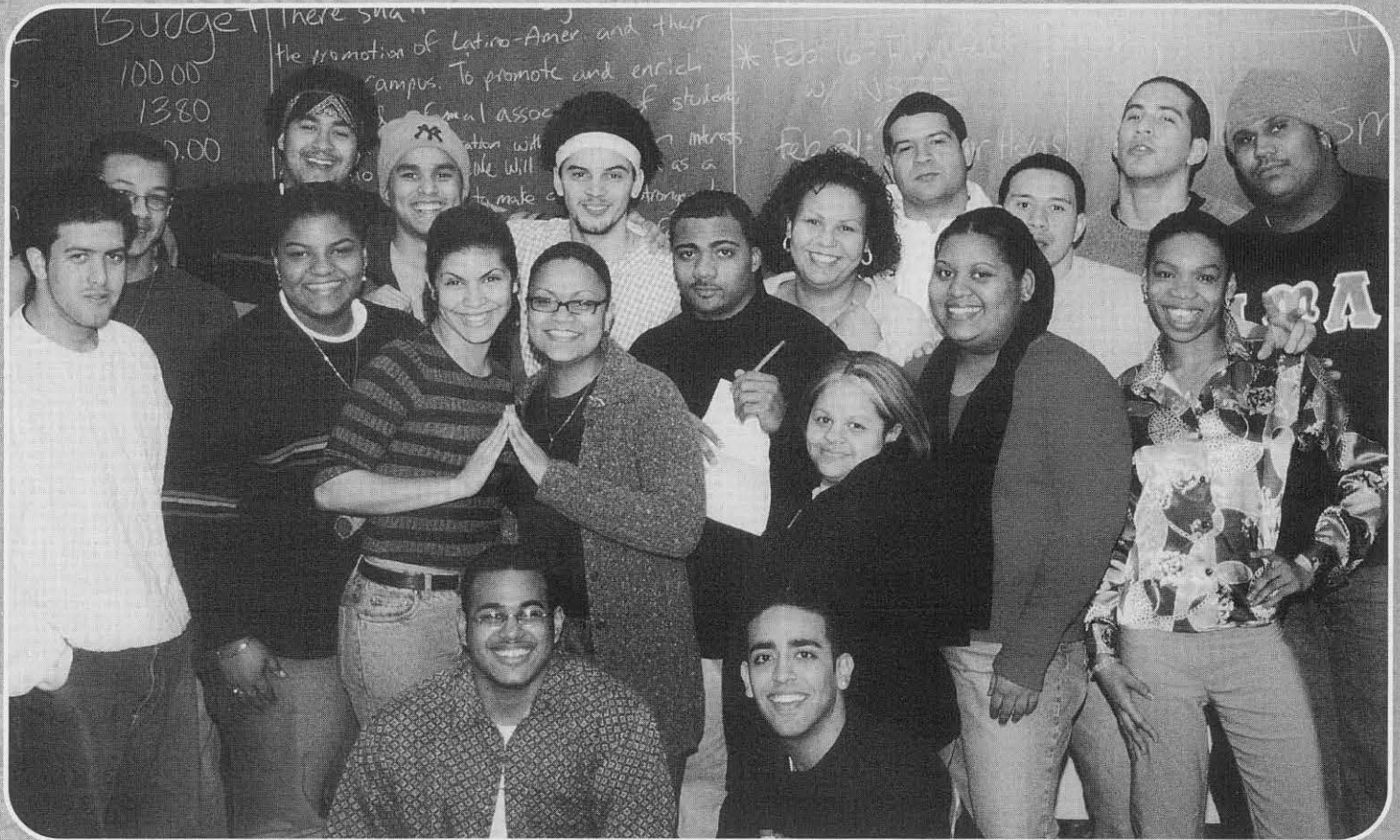




organizations

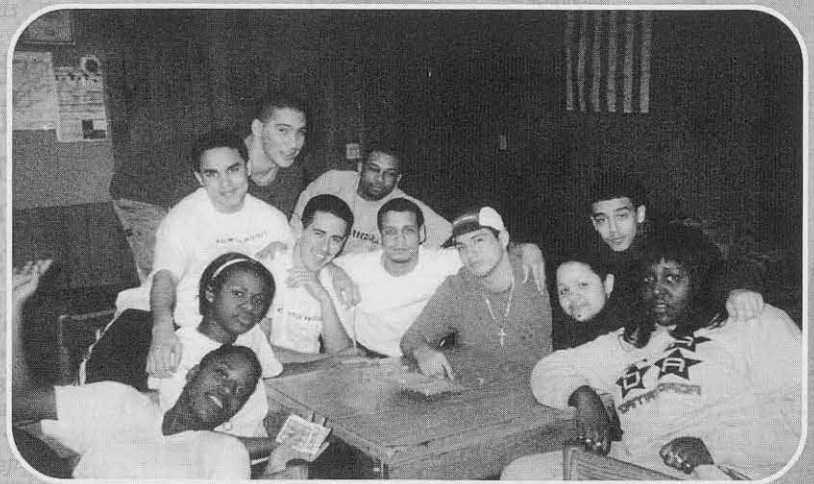


Adelante Esdudiantes Latinos



Kneeling: Carlos (V.P.) and Fred (President). Standing front: Alex, Marinnel, Skarly, Chris (Secretary), Chiqui, Angie, Christina. Standing rear: Jerry, Jesus, Luis, Danny, Aisha, Ritchie, Ron, Paco (Treasurer), Julio.

At left they're building a human pyramid in the Barnyard Olympics competition and below the group gathers at the college camp.



African American Students Org.



AASO meetings are very well attended.



Back: Keith, Shanierree, Gail Wells (advisor), Chasity, Unidentified. Front: Lashwanda, Charita, Zakia, Unidentified, Iesha.

Asian American Students Org.



Front row: Cindy Wu, Trang , Linh, Qiu Hua Wei, Champa Kong, Champey Kong, Faye Xue, Hien Ho, Jessica He, Unknown. In front to banner: Robert, Yuki Lau, Dan (Sammi) Hong Kuang. Top: Quang (Timmy) Nguyen, Leong (Ben) Bun Cho.

Caribbean Students Organization



CSO members: Alicia G., Christina, Ambina, Kerrian, Reina, T'Keymah, Alicia, Renee, Triola, Jennifer, Unika, Pablo.

Council for Exceptional Education



The Student Council for Exceptional Children adopts a local school every year and centers a majority of its activity at that site. This year the future teachers delivered Halloween pumpkins to School 84 in Buffalo.

CHAI The Jewish Student Organization



Members of CHAI celebrate Sukkot in the Union Quad.

Alpha Chi Epsilon



Standing left to right: Theresa Shepard, Ragina Clark, Mary Colvin, Susan Loeser, Otilie Woodruff. Seated: Champa Kong, Champey Kong.

EOP Tutors



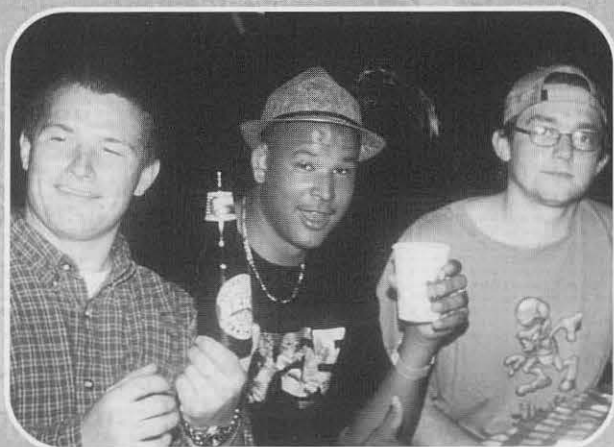
Left to right: Ryan Sherpe, Susanne Conrad, Beto Lucas, Natasha Fleming, Gary Graham.

Geology Club



Front row left to right: JoAnna Lamprecht, Troy Rose, Marcia Reed, Sara Chamura, Erin Klauk. Standing front: Kristen Howlett, Jenn Bostaph, Nikki Whitmeyer, Hillary Pattereson, Rene Cook, Tracy Widmer, Megan Woods, Karen Wehn, Bob Brockman. Standing rear: Gary Solar, Somer McDemott, Michael Donohue, John Moorhouse, Karl Kurz, August Privatera John Bestine, Adam Yara, Donald Griffiths, Joel Dahlberg, Jeremy Majewski, Stephen Vermette.

German Club

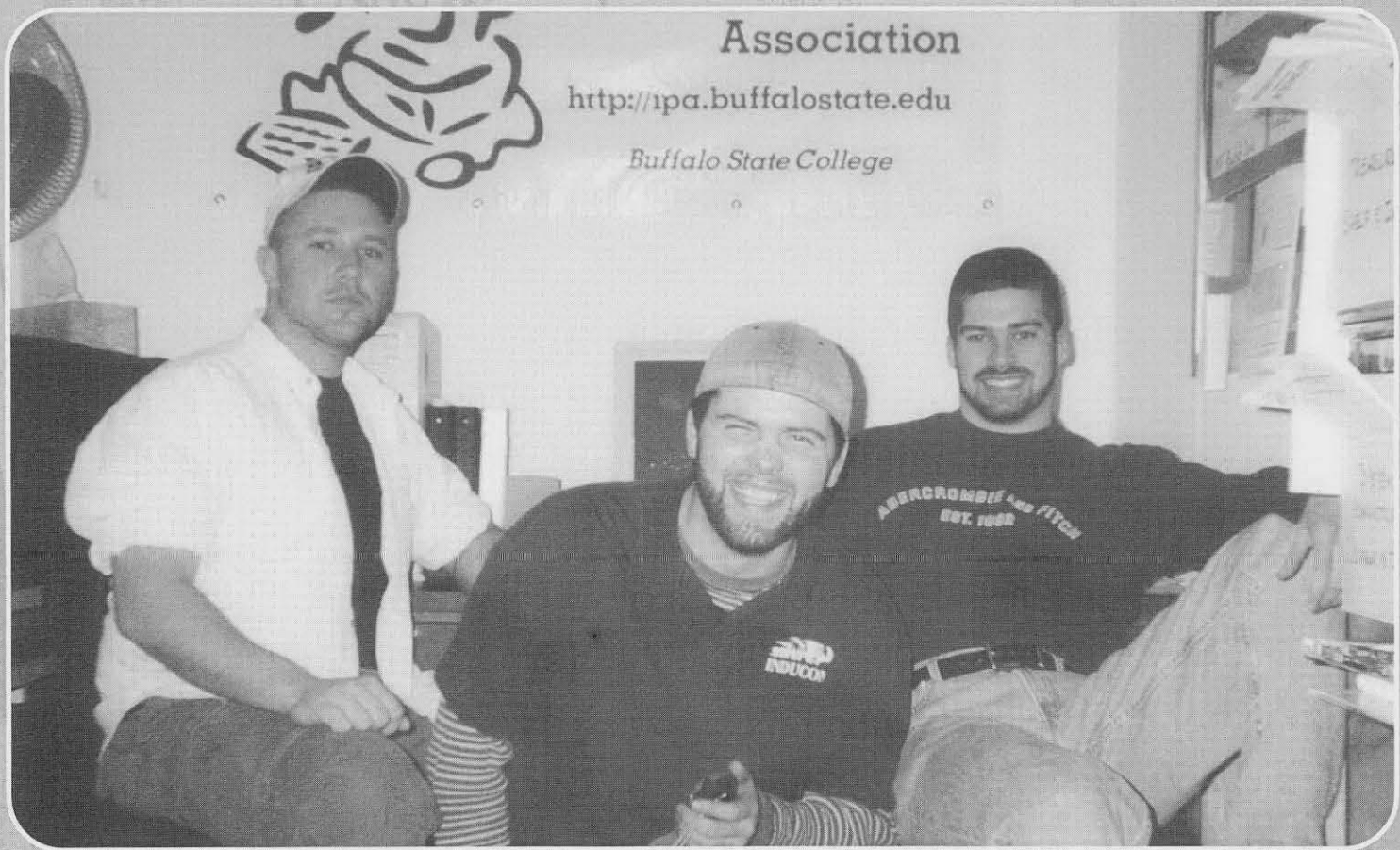


Oktoberfest is the perennial favorite German Club activity.



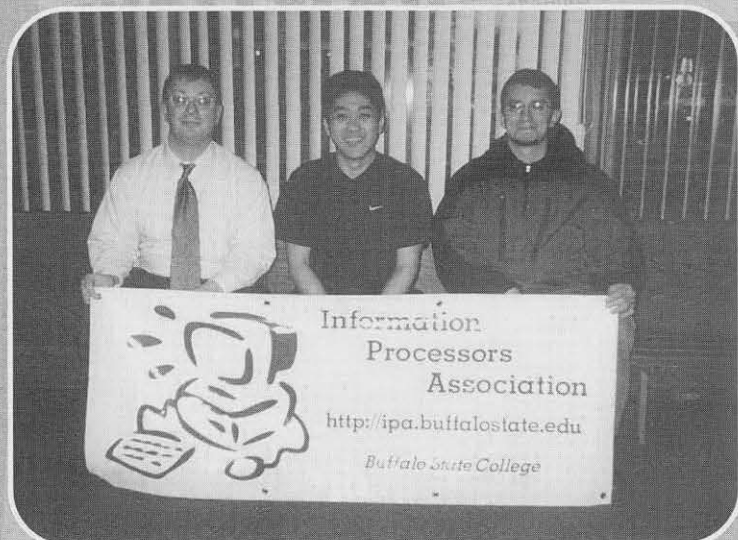
Left to right: German Club President Thomas Weber and Vice President Mark Rollwagen.

Information Processors Association

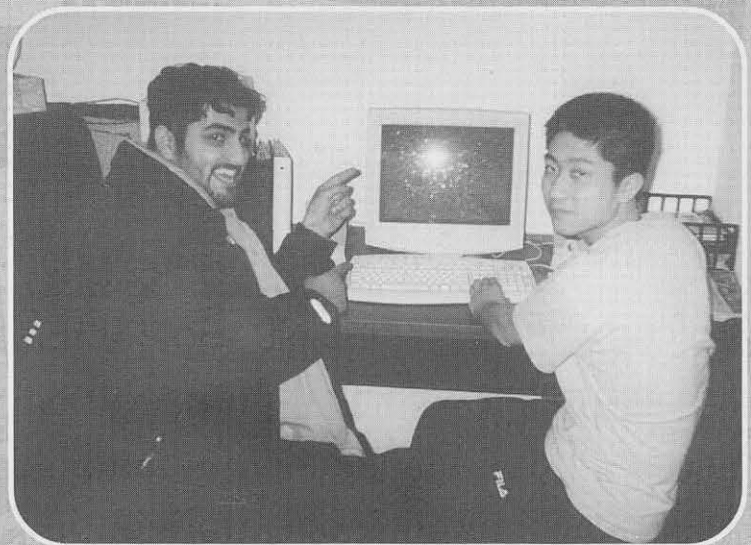


Left to right: Michael Arent (President), Brad Shipson, Scott Kruszka (Treasurer).

The IPA offers Computer Information Systems majors opportunities to learn about current state-of-the-industry technologies and employment possibilities through a monthly lecture series. IPA also offers workshops on computer related topics and administers the BSC student server.



Left to right: Greg Heine, Hang Lin, Robert Rowley.



Left to right: Ajay Rai (Vice President), Hang Lin (Systems Administrator).

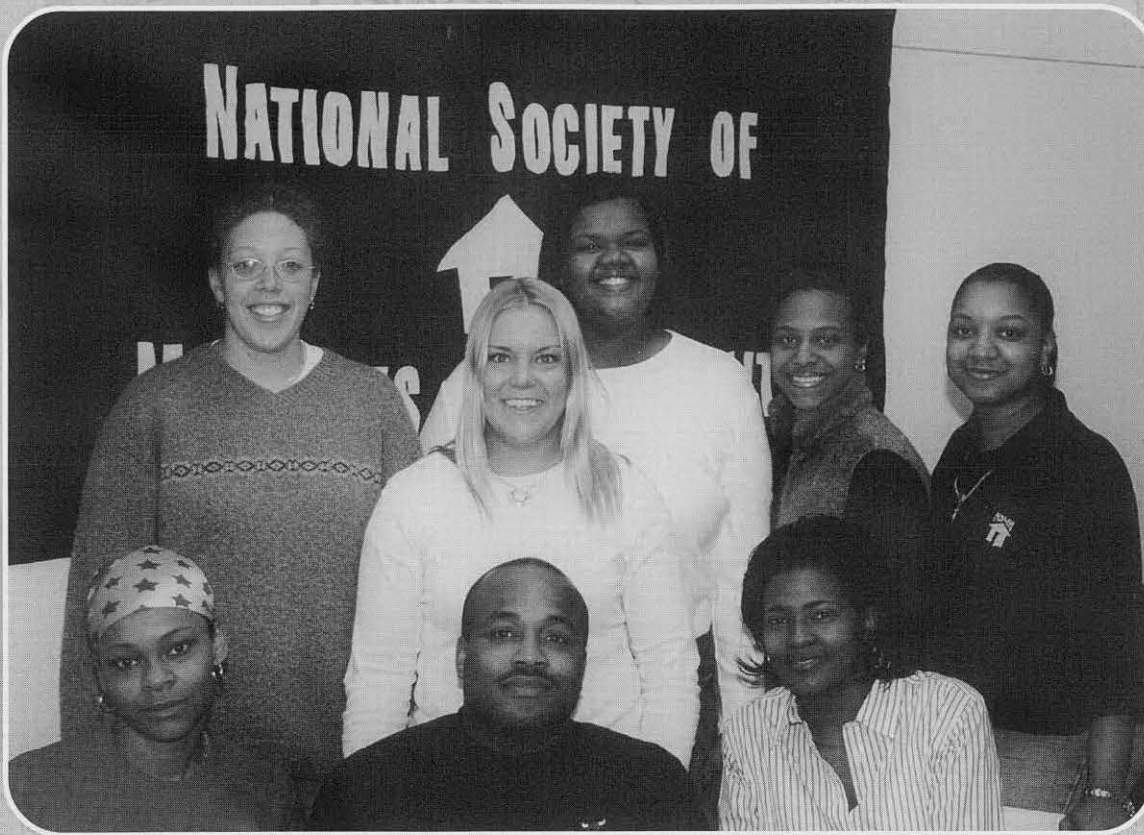
Intervarsity Christian Fellowship



Lesbian, Gay & Bisexual Alliance



Nat. Soc. of Minorities in Hospitality



Left to right seated: Ebony Fairwell, David Rankin, Ronanisha Lumpkin. Standing: Dyanne Roberts, Kristina Manning, Jerrylyn Bowman, Renita Mingo, Angela Lewis.

Non-Traditional Students Org.



Tuesday, September 26th

8-10PM Student Union Room

Refreshments will be served

FOR MATURE AUDIENCES ONLY!

Written by Dario Fo

Directed by Drew Kahn

November 9, 10-11, and 16, 17, 18, at 8PM

November 12 and 19 at 2PM

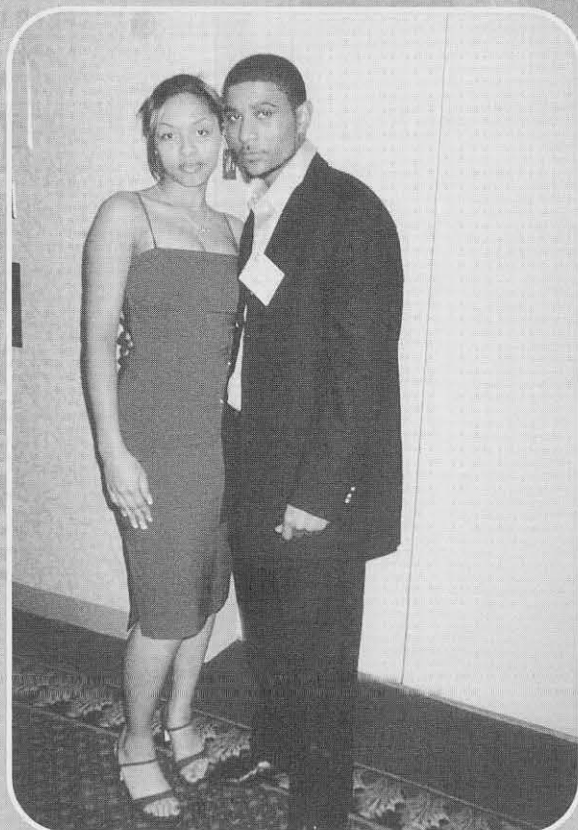
Hotel and Breakfast Booking

Friday, March 9, 2001

Nat. Society of Black Engineers

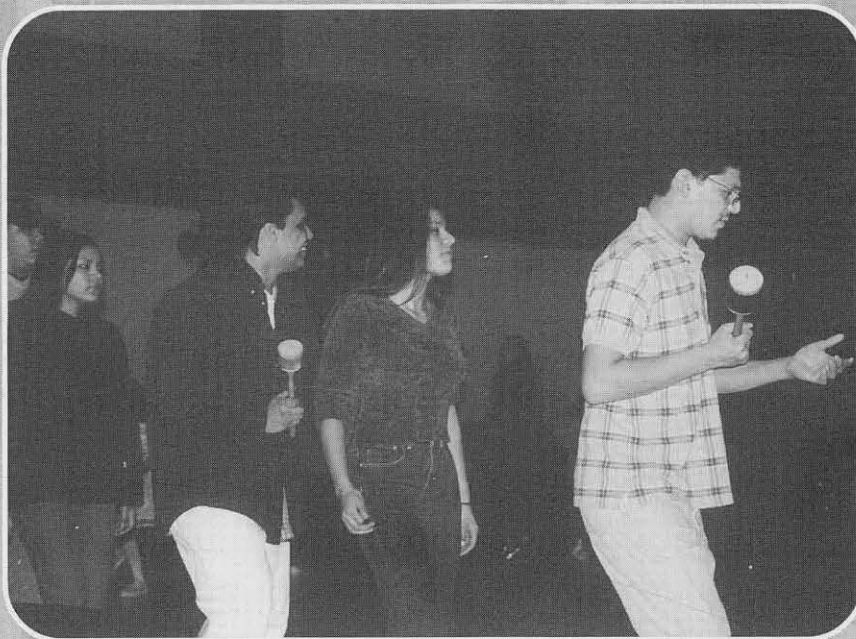


The women of NSBE: Cora, Gaisha, Yonite, Leza, Hana, Vierge, Tanya, Ciena.



Maya and Antoine at the Fall Regional in New Jersey.

Native American Students Org.



Front left to right: Robin Logan, Ryan King, Lana Kota. Standing front: Maria Maybee, Penny Kota, Cheryl John, Barbara General. Standing rear: Colleen Logan, Tara.

NASO members and guests perform a traditional Iroquois dance with horn rattles.

The Record Newspaper



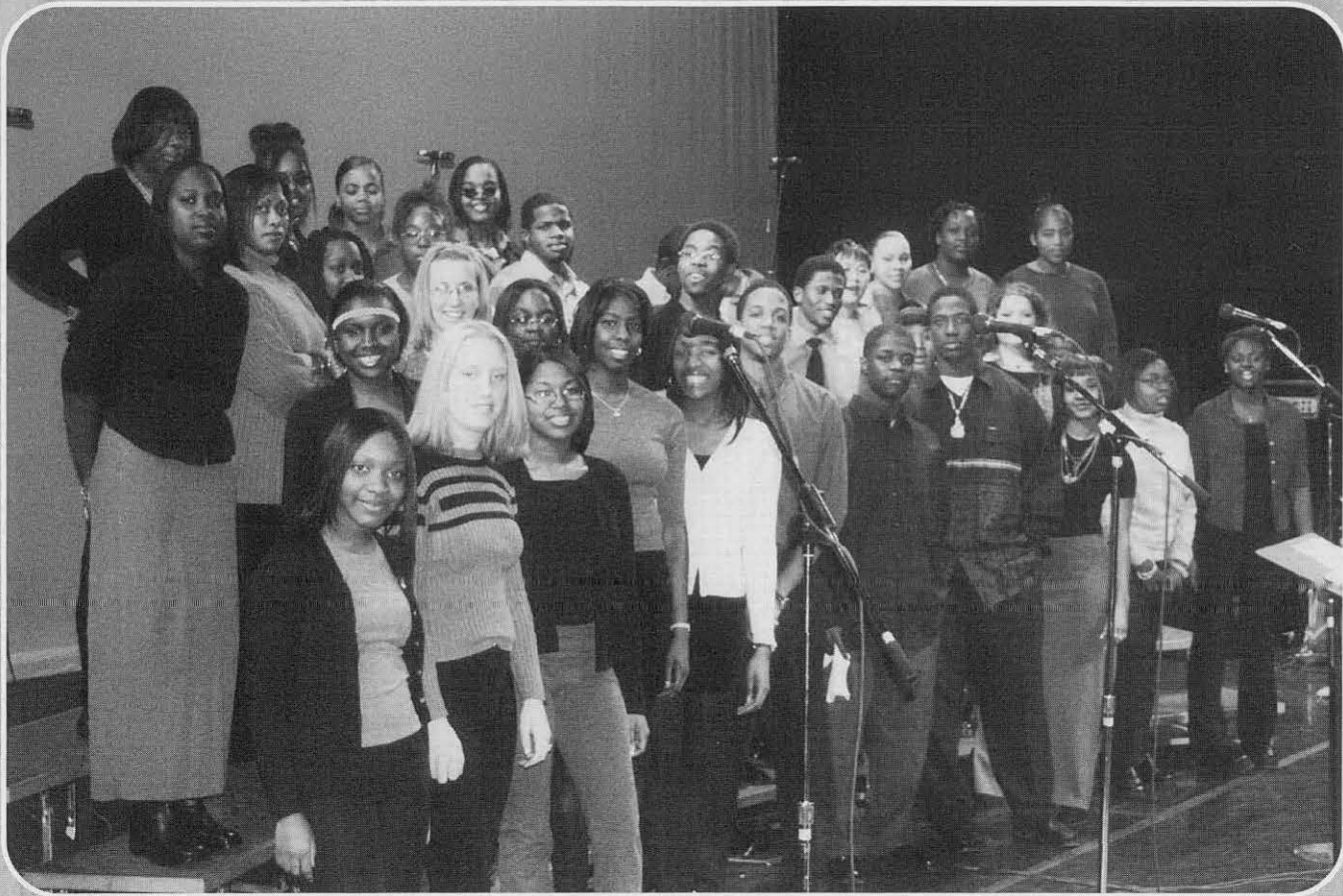
Front: Luke Quinn (holding shirt), Amanda McAnn, Carl Burke (Editor in Chief), Jessica Wright, John Litwin. Back row: Bill Oliver, Tunde Affinah, Ray Farrell, Sara Woodworth, Bret Feinblatt, Stacey Shepard, Bill Whiting-Mahoney, Jason Mendola, Paul Olczak, Gabe Luci, Doug Tuhro.

Social Work Students Org.

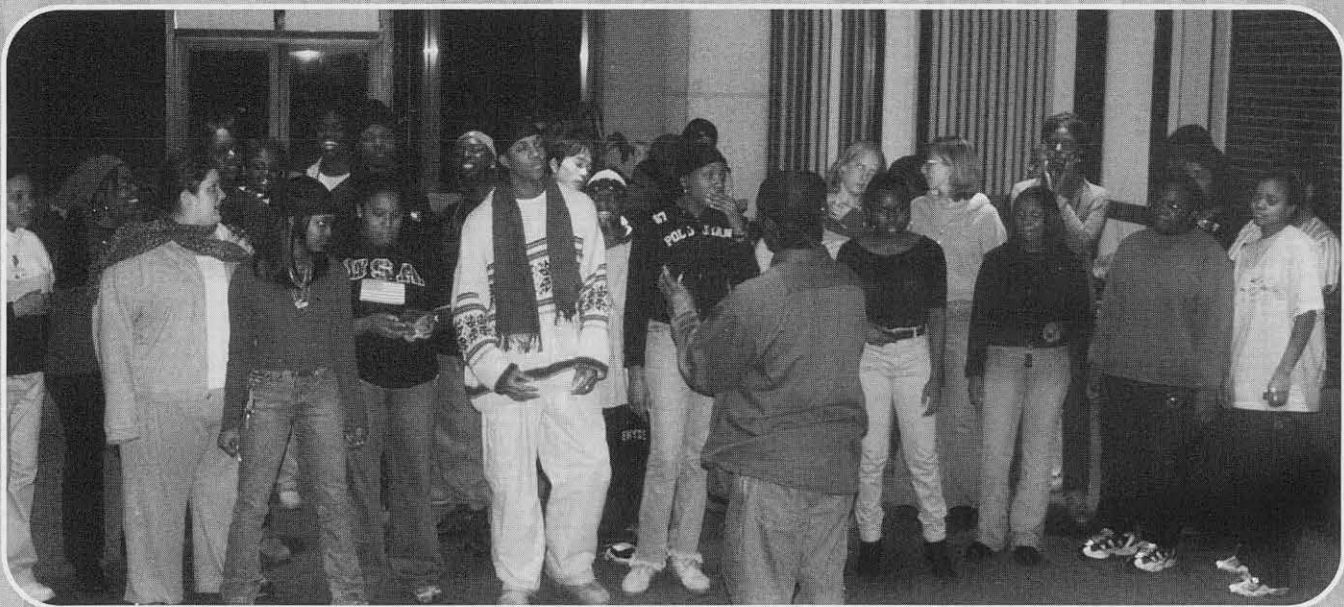
Seated left to right:
 Ellen Kennedy
 (advisor), Amy
 Corbin (secretary),
 Wayne Lipczynski
 (president). Standing
 front: Diane Martin,
 Erin Kowalski,
 Melissa DeGregorio,
 Lurie Anne
 Hammond. Standing
 rear: Hilary Purks,
 Aisha Iturralde,
 Nehzat Goshtasb,
 Yolanda Blogett,
 Michele Wojnowicz.



S.P.I.R.I.T. Gospel Choir



The Students Performing In Rhythm & In Truth assemble on stage at Rockwell Hall. Below: rehearsal in the Fireside Lounge.



Gospel Skating

Friday, March 9, 2001

from a Man's Perspective

Tuesday, September 26th

7:30PM Student Union Room

FOR MATURE AUDIENCES ONLY!

Written by Dono Fo
November 9, 10, 11, and 16, 17, 18, at 8PM
November 12 and 19, at 2PM

Students In Music



Floor front: Dr. James Mabry Emily Pietraszek, Aaron Zgoda, Laura Taber, Gina Dormer, Mike Espinosa, Erin Mills, Lance Boos. Back rows: Audry Schafer, Gregory Reisch, Amanda Kulik, Melissa Fricano, Chris Sniezak, Patty Welch, Sabrina Wagnwer, Brent Minet, Lisa Gangloff, Iftach Rearlman, Patty Baker, Lucy Drabezyk, Brian Schoeman Ivan Docenko, Dr. Crystal Reinoso, Sarah Frank, Dr. Thomas Witakowski.

Theta Kappa Chapter of Alpha Sigma Lambda



Left to right: Sandy Lewis (peer advisor), Michael Dollard (President), Rita Kramer (Treasurer), Amy Zielkiewicz (Secretary), Carol Szalach (Vice President).

Wind Ensemble



The Woodwinds (top): Patty Baker, Lisa Gangloff, Jennifer Helenbrook, Bill Murphy, Kelley Pattison, Katherine Volpe, Cori Pieczynski, Jeanmarie Verruso, Jamie Althen, Sarah Frank, Brian Schoemann, Mindy Mendrysa, Christine Klee, Audrey Klee, Morgan Calhoon, Karen Fish, Rebecca Wischerath, Maria Andrews, Lance Boos. The Brasses (middle): David Sullivan, Peter Kalenik, Jonathan Kindron, Ryan Sharpe Brent Minet, Emily Pietraszek, William Bochanowicz, Patricia Welch, Melissa Fricano, Laura Taber, Chris Sniezak. Percussion (right): Dr James Mabry (director), Anthony Gorney, Eric Deutschlander, Aaron Stewart.

WBNY Radio Station



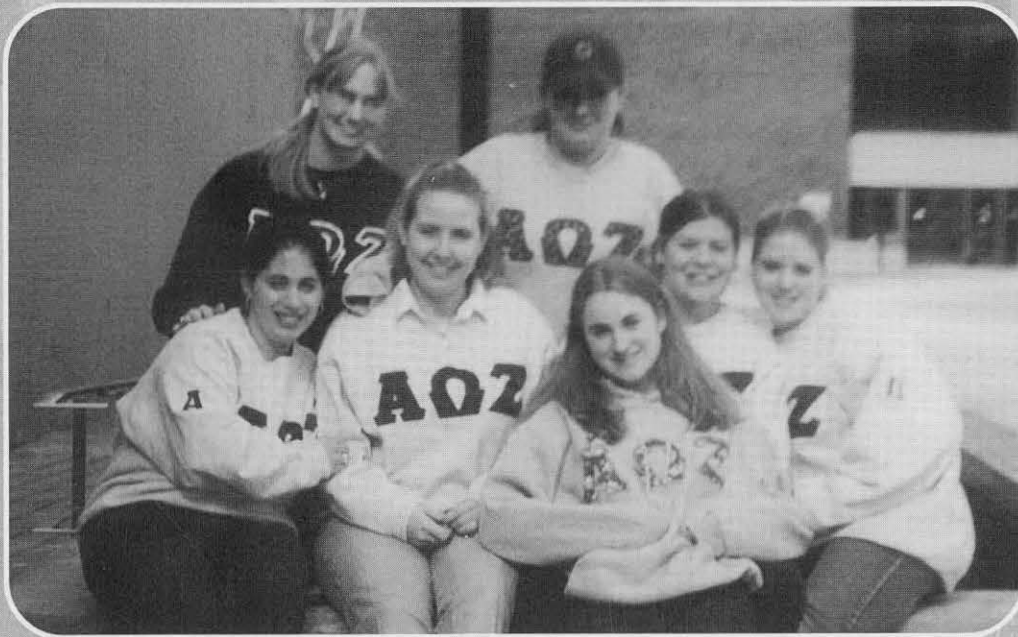
Hanging in the Checkerboard Lounge: Sam Lunetta (advisor), Josh Lidsky (program director), Lisa Polizzi (general manager), Marisa Sutton (music director), Mike Kirwan (public affairs director).



Greek Organizations



Alpha Epsilon Phi



Alpha Omega Zeta



**Lambda Upsilon
Lambda**

The Eternal Epsilon Brothers:
Anthony, Chichi, Richie,
Julio, Carlos, Robert, Andy,
Lenny, Jason, Manny.

Greek Organizations

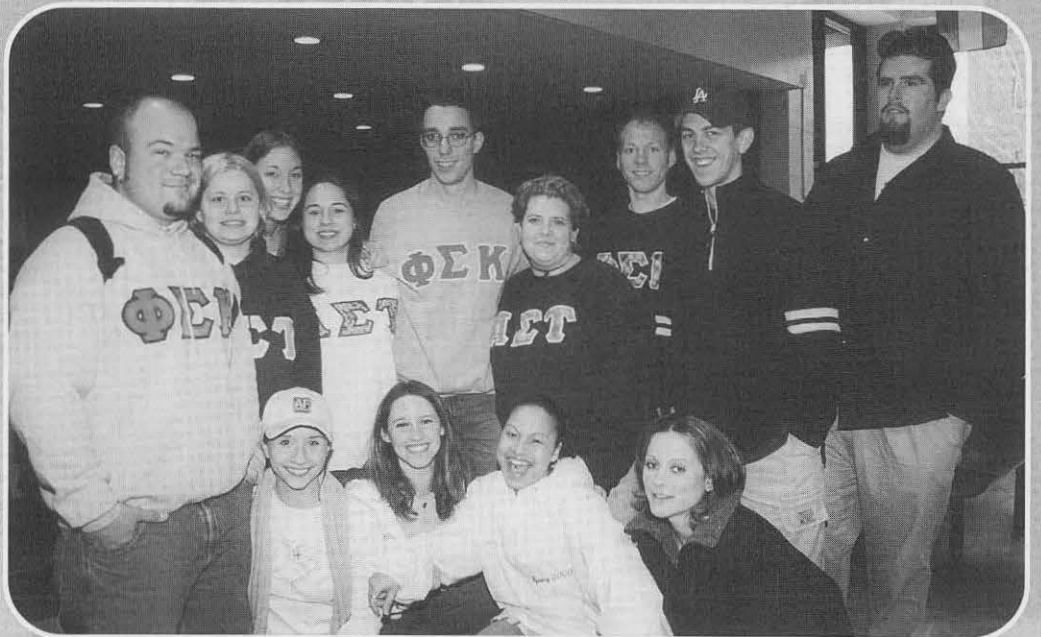
Phi Kappa Tau

Mike Shebadi, Steve Turner,
Uval Klein, Leo Baft, Mike
Brewer, Alex Devito, Jessey
Gaddis, Timothy
Cunningham, Levi White,
Keyong Choi, Gus Kun, J.C.
Shebadi, Thomas Shamp,
Brent Lee.



Phi Sigma Kappa & Alpha Sigma Tau

Nicole, Michelle, Destiny,
Allison, Jessica, Libby, Kelly,
Eric, Warren, Callahan,
Brendan.



Phi Sigma Sigma

Samantha Milazzo, Audra
D'Angelo, Elizabeth
Lucadamo, Christina Betts,
Angela Volk-Matawaran,
Emily Skelton, Kristin Ellis,
Jeanette Hoinski, Jamie Foos,
Sophia Labridis, Sara
Kneeskern, Jennifer Ehrig.





Sigma Delta Phi Epsilon

Top: Alexter Griffith, Nadine Salfarlie, Wilkenson Fervilus. Front: Clarissa Pascual, Vanita Motielall, Faith Hyatt.



Sigma Delta Tau

Standing: Sarah Campbell, Shauna Rinck, Danielle Heim, Annie O'Rourke, Lindsay Arnold. Front: Allison Setzer, Adrienne Schlegel.



Sigma Lambda Beta

Top: Louis Ovalle, Victor Martinez, Mike DiBattista, Chris Nardoni. Bottom: Luis Guzman, Gus Castrillo, Fred Cabrera.

Greek Organizations

Sigma Lambda Upsilon

Bernarda, Lizette, Eva.



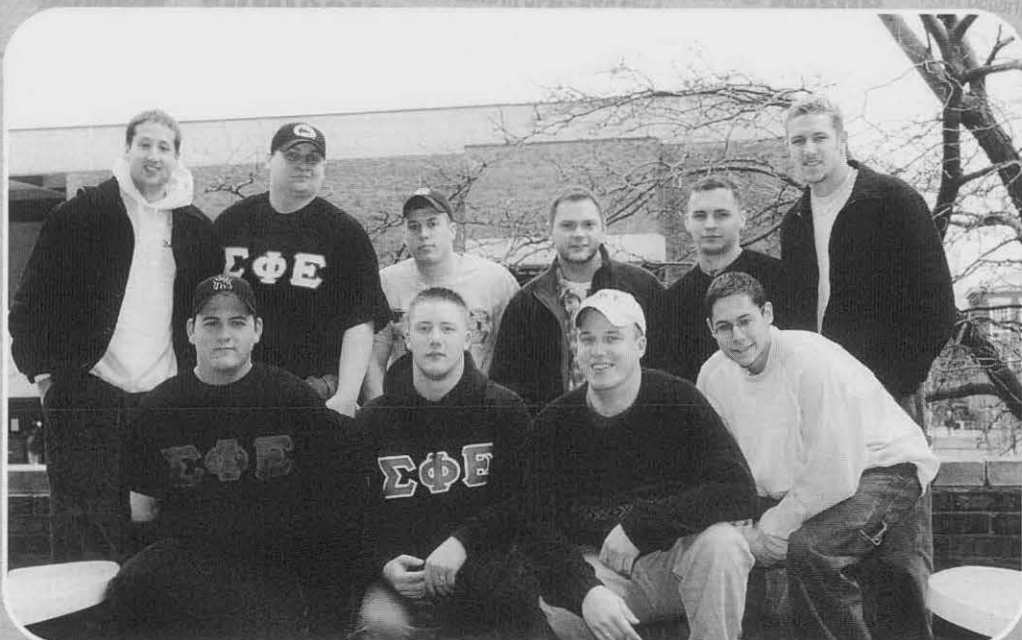
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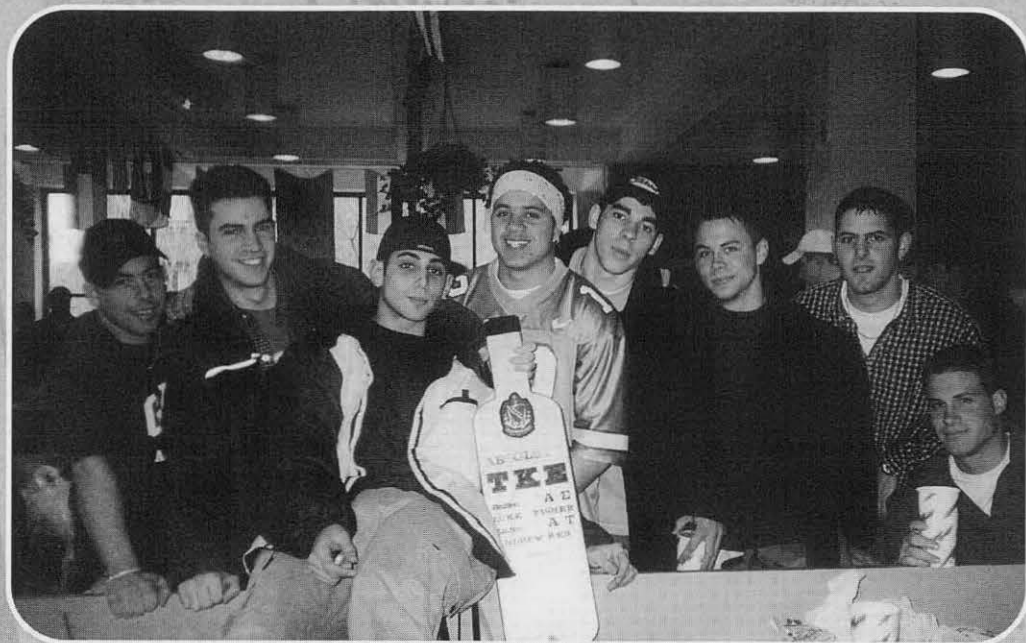
Tiwa, Veronica, Eva, Jamie, Adeline, Aimiamia, Synta, Daisy, Ericka.



Sigma Phi Epsilon

Top: Tony Lewis, Sonny Tomasula, Rodney Brown, Rob Mertel, Kevin Roff, Paul Garnerrett. Bottom: Jason Cairlin, Dana Murphy, Pete Taft, Kevin Rugnetta.





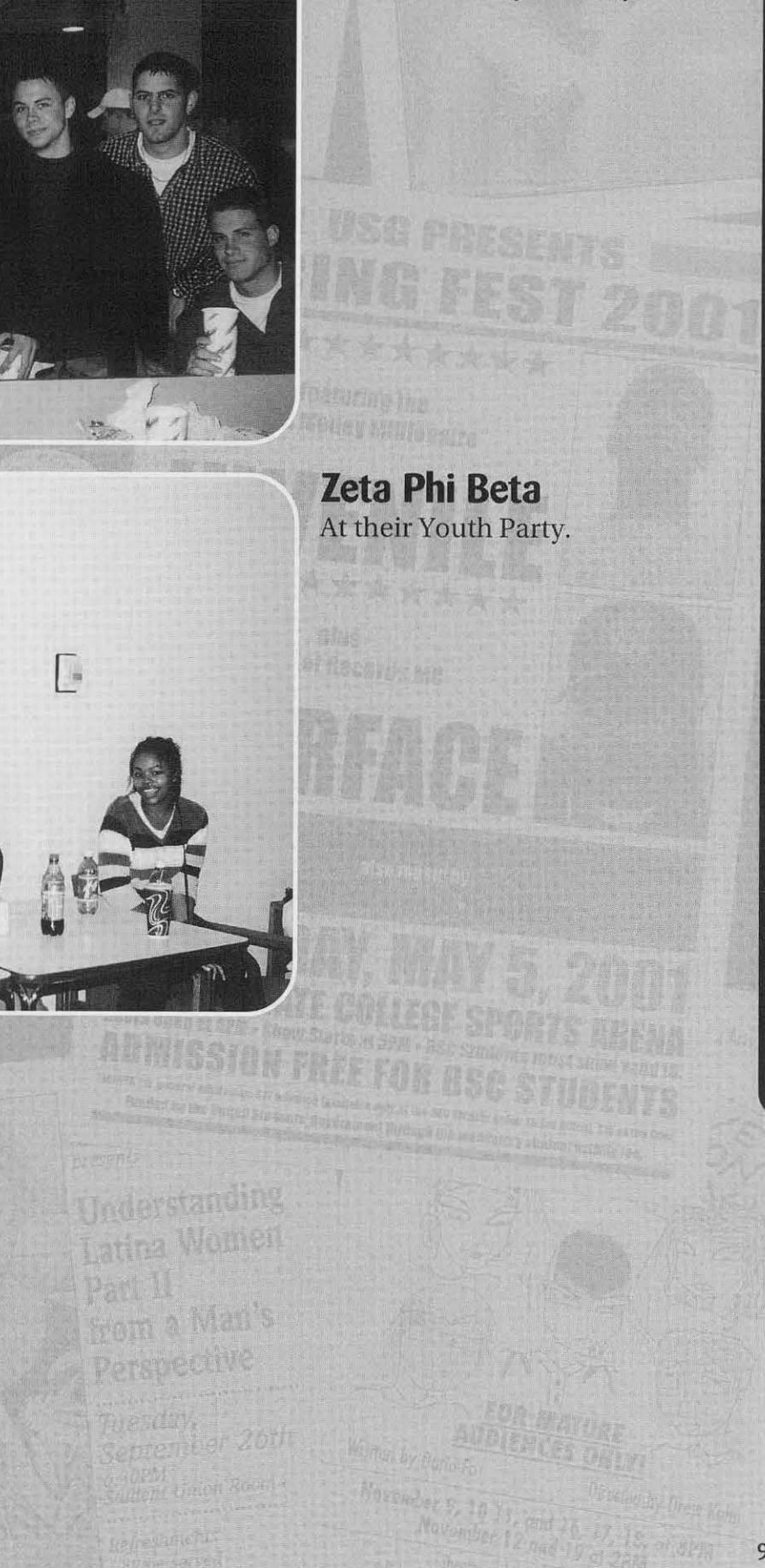
Tau Kappa Epsilon

Derek, Leno, Nate, Brian, Tedo, Ilan, Andy, Gabney.



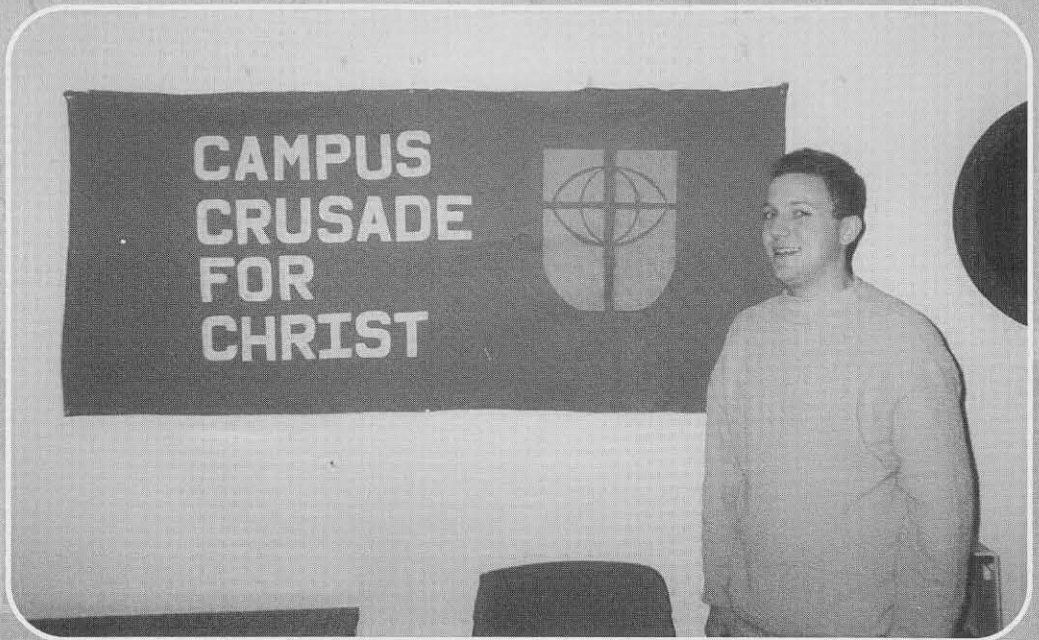
Zeta Phi Beta

At their Youth Party.



Other Organizations & Activities

Campus Crusade for Christ



Big Brother Big Sister

Seated: Camille Sinatra.
Standing: Kimberly Alheim,
Mike Mason, Christina
Stanton, Colleen Kieser,
Kathleen McIntyre, Kristine
St. John.



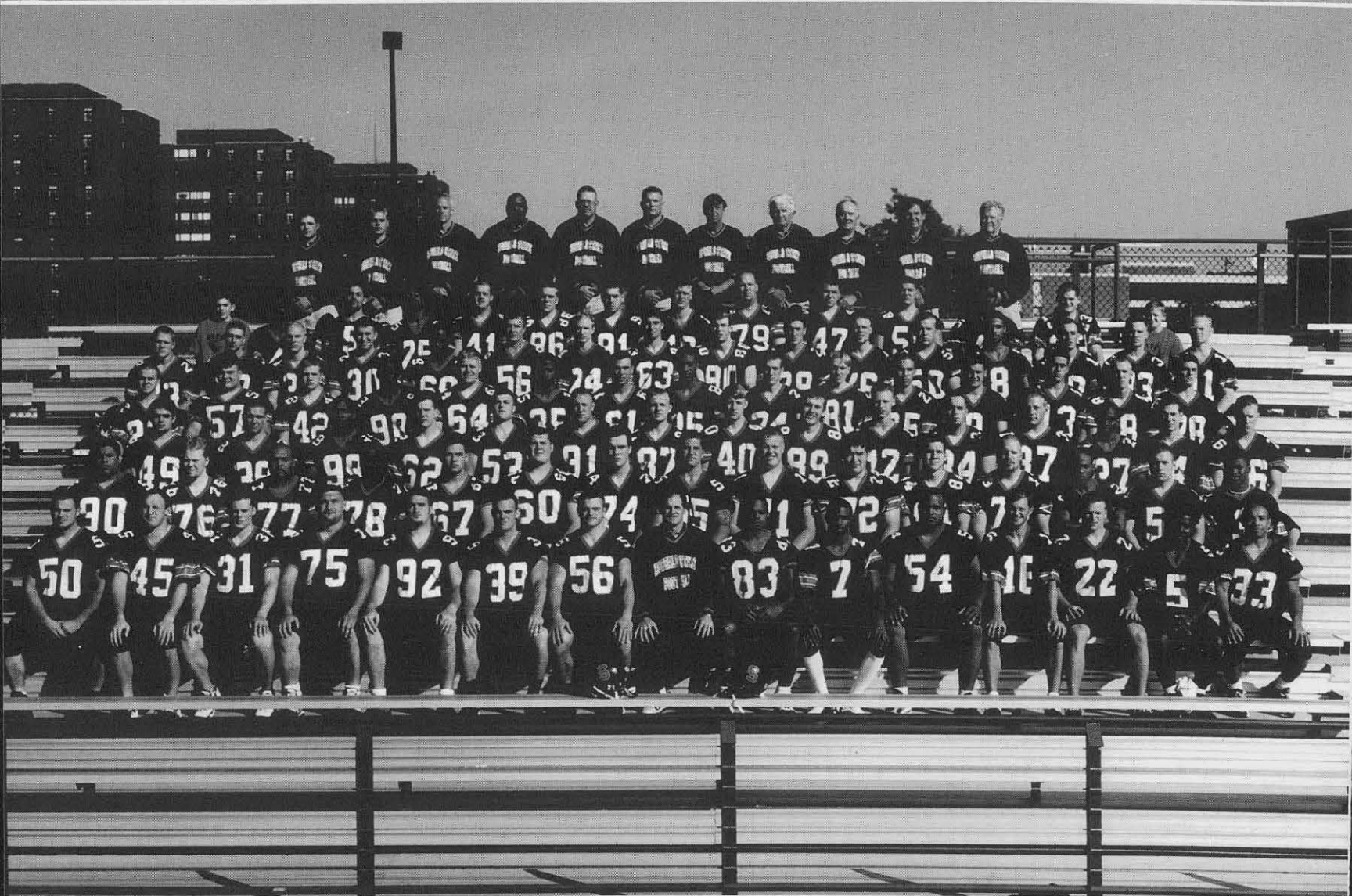
Upward Bound

BSC has a Math Science Upward Bound program that brings high school students from around the country to Western New York for educational recreational summer activities. BSC staff and students work with the visitors to make their visit as productive and enjoyable as possible.





FOOTBALL

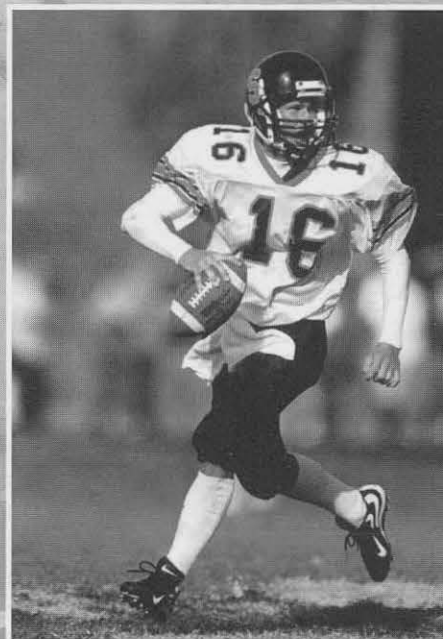


2000 Bengal Football Team (listed by jersey number): 2 - John Lesure, 3 - Felix Joyner, 4 - Bill Edwards, 5 - Shawn Starks, 6 - Jerome Ward, 7 - Derek Baker, 8 - David Battaglia, 9 - Ryan Henry, 10 - Nick Stepien, 11 - Timothy Hammer, 12 - Ryan Cox, 13 - Patrick Penaherrera, 14 - Bob Kosinski, 15 - Israel Cuyler, 16 - Christopher Henry, 17 - Luis Ovalle, 18 - John Williams, 19 - Jamie Casullo, 20 - Tony Favata, 21 - Marc Hoppy, 22 - Tom Lawniczak, 24 - Mike Potter, 25 - John Carter, 26 - Richard O'Neil, 27 - Derrell Hicks, 28 - Michael Pawlikowski, 29 - Raphael Williams, 30 - Joe Clouden, 31 - Jeff Mackey, 32 - Salvatore Palermo, 33 - Lamar Wilson, 34 - Richard Todd, 35 - Nicholas Warren, 36 - B.J. Henry, 37 - David Chelus, 38 - John Mullen, 39 - Brandon Janesz, 40 - Eric Knox, 41 - Doug Scanlon, 43 - John Williams, 44 - Marcellis Baxter, 45 - Ted Bucierka, 46 - Mike Fox, 47 - David Davidzik, 49 - Justin Wekenmann, 50 - Tim Seifert, 51 - Erik Kraft, 52 - John Galvin, 53 - Kyle Leggio, 54 - Jermaine Jennings, 55 - Joshua Thomson, 56 - Omar Rimlawi, 57 - Corey Reichard, 58 - James Landon, 60 - Mike Stachewicz, 61 - Nick Colombo, 64 - Thomas Jakubaszek, 66 - Tardus Taylor, 67 - Greg Clabeaux, 68 - Keith Karoglanian, 69 - Pat Louis, 71 - Hans Mann, 72 - Tim Fitzgibbons, 73 - Matt Rhodes, 74 - David Reilly, 75 - Nick Villa, 76 - Jeff Hutchison, 77 - Richard Swygert, 78 - Zeke Tookes, 80 - Matt O'Malley, 81 - Eric Lunser, 82 - Tom Shamp, 83 - Melvin Parris, 84 - Gary Gonzales, 85 - T.J. Cottrell, 86 - Jeff Pascucci, 87 - Nathan Van Husen, 89 - Bo Sireika, 90 - Josh Floyd, 91 - Kevin Moyer, 92 - Jon Girard, 99 - Star Handley.

Shown on the opposite page - Top left: Derek Baker finished the season as the Bengals all-time leading receiver. Top right: Quarterback Chris Henry finished his BSC career as the school record holder in nearly every major passing category. Bottom right: Omar Rimlawi broke the record for tackles in a single season by a Buff State defender.



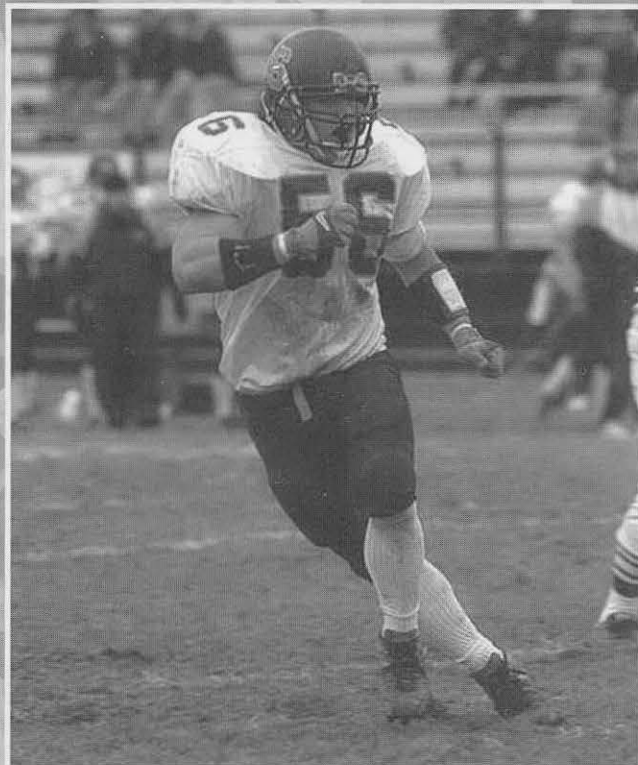
Despite a few disappointing losses during the season, the 2000 Bengal Football Team won the East Coast Athletic Conference Championship game over Hartwick College by a convincing 43 to 20 margin.



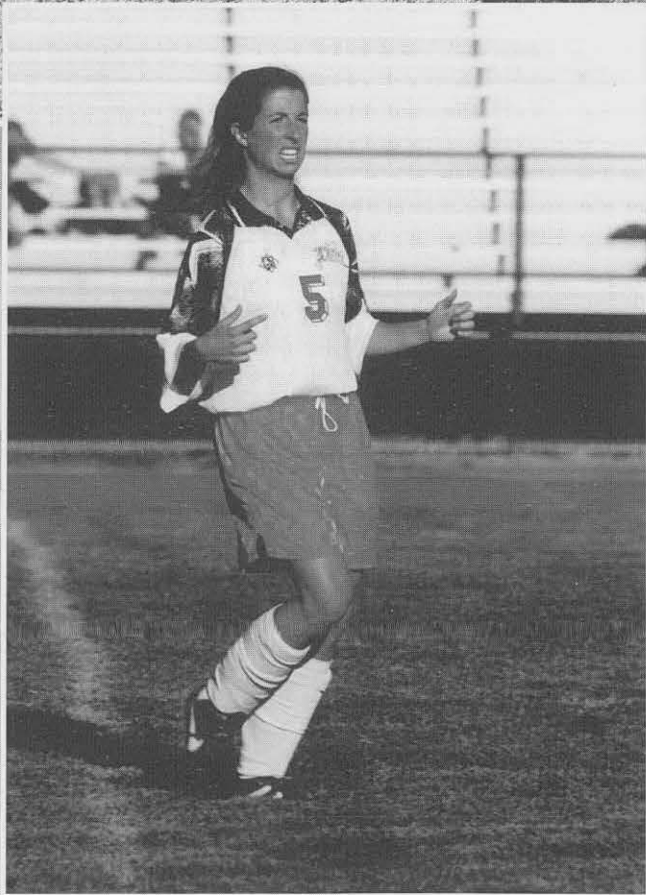
Football 2000 Final Results:

Won 7 - Lost 4

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Results</u>
Sept. 2	at Robert Morris	20-30 - L
Sept. 9	MANSFIELD	39-29 - W
Sept. 16	at Albion	41-17 - W
Sept. 23	CORTLAND	26-10 - W
Sept. 30	at Brockport	0-30 - L
Oct. 7	ROWAN	20-17 - W
Oct. 14	at St. John Fisher	34-21 - W
Oct. 21	MONTCLAIR ST.	40-34 (2OT) - W
Nov. 4	at Ithaca	20-27 - L
Nov. 11	WASH. & JEFF.	21-42 - L
Nov. 18	- ECAC Northwest Championship vs. HARTWICK	43-20 - W



WOMEN'S SOCCER



2000 Lady Bengals Soccer Team (listed by uniform number): 2 - Kim Nogle, 3 - Katie Zuber, 4 - Penny Burg, 5 - Jaclyn Bolognese, 6 - Amy Drozen, 8 - Amelie McKendry, 9 - Cindy Williams, 10 - Tracy Weimer, 11 - Marissa Wexler, 12 - Gabriel Dunn, 13 - Courtney Dunstan, 14 - Kimberly Foster, 15 - Dawn Merle, 16 - Karen Voght, 17 - Chrissy Castellana, 19 - Laura Williams, 20 - Andrea Floriano, 21 - Terra Matthews, 22 - Heather Sargis. Coach: Courtney Longua.

The Women's Soccer season was highlighted by an early October 13 - 0 win over D'Youville College. Jaclyn Bolognese (left) led the team in scoring with 11 goals and 8 assists. The teams final record was 5 wins and 14 losses.

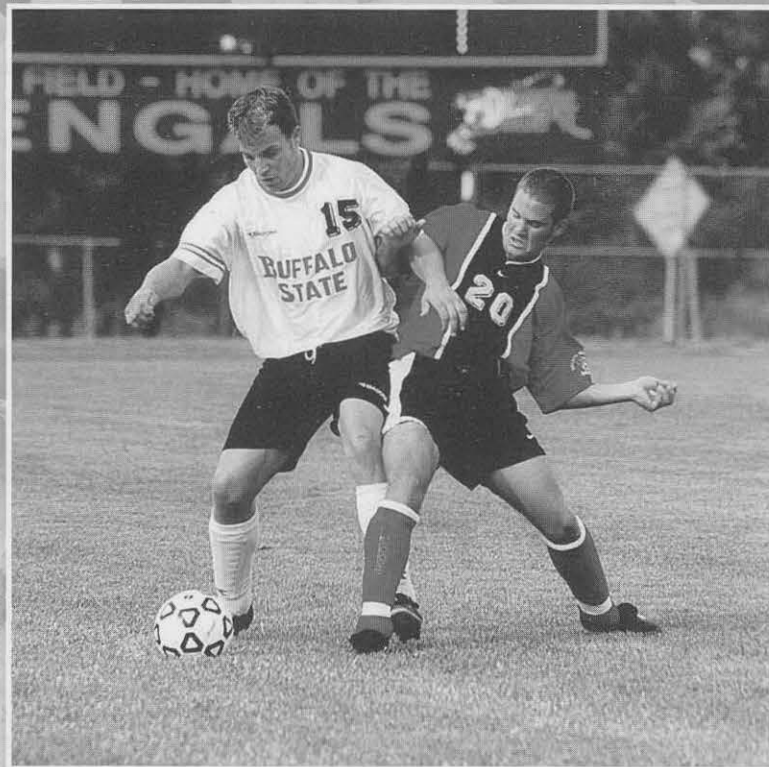
MEN'S SOCCER

COYER FIELD



2000 Men's Bengals Soccer Team (listed by uniform number): 2 - Richard Kirmss, 3 - Pedro Gonzales, 5 - David Sugg, 6 - Ian Milne, 7 - Mike Abrams, 8 - Eric Galipeau, 9 - Jimmy Rosemberg, 10 - Erick Hansen, 11 - Christopher Kullman, 12 - Pablo Zambrono, 13 - Jelari Mohammed, 14 - Mike Schermerhorn, 15 - Mike Rudney, 16 - Kevin Muranyi, 17 - Stephen Strauss, 18 - Philip Nederlk, 19 - Scott Martin, 20 - Don Ousterout, 21 - Jake Palmerton, 24 - Mike Raychel, 25 - George Rishmawi. Coach: Rudy Pompert.

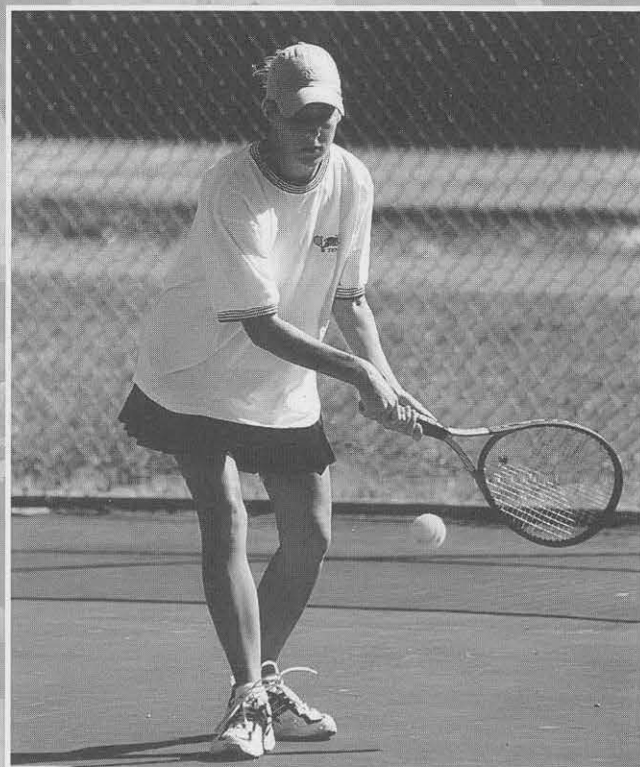
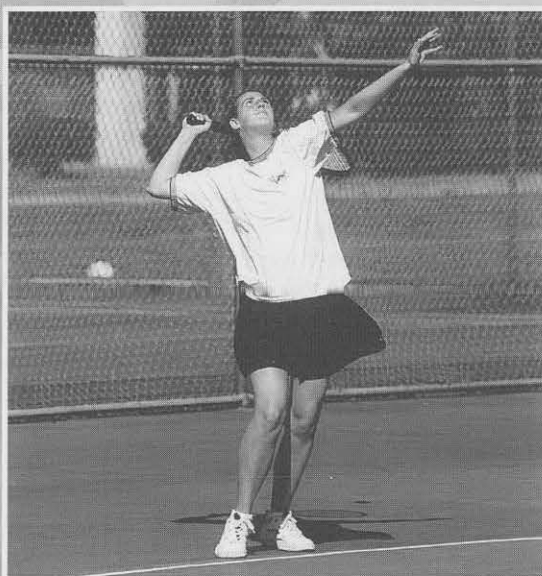
Finishing with only 3 wins in 18 matches, the Men's Soccer Team did beat Utica Rome by an 11-2 score. Forward Mike Rudney (right) led the team in scoring with 9 goals and 2 assists.



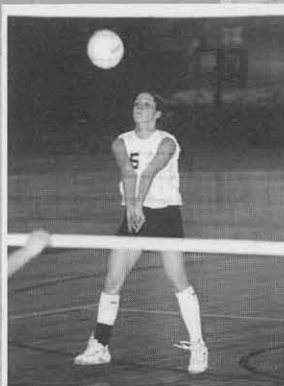
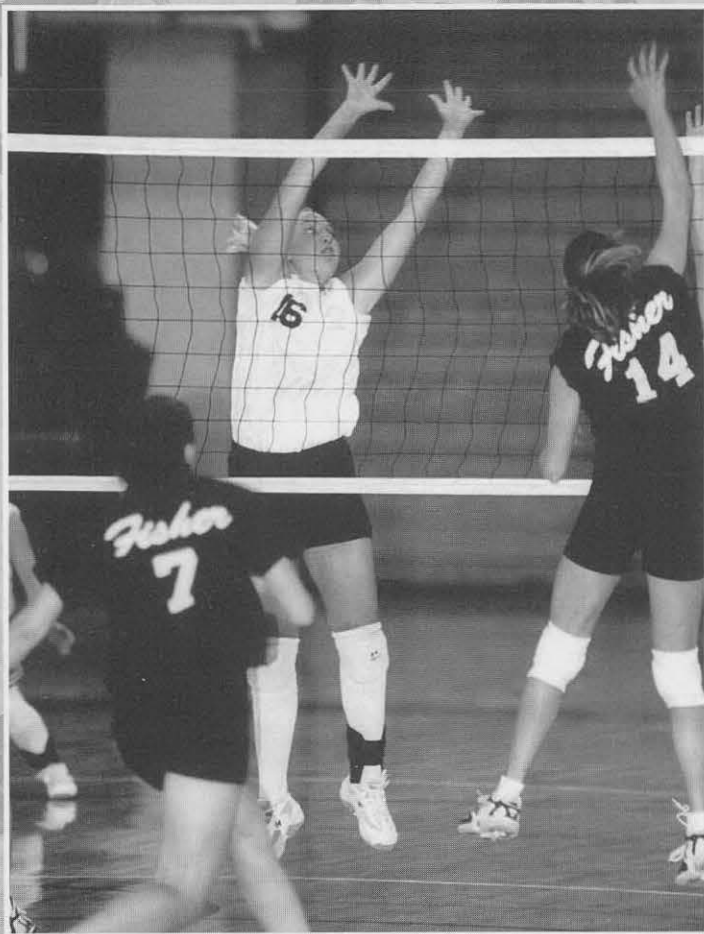
TENNIS



2000 Bengal Tennis Team: Nicole Becker, Carrie Bourque, Amanda Coats, Erin Harvey, Melissa Kulju, Alexis Shoemaker, Christina Wilson. Coach: Kevin Dennis.



VOLLEYBALL



Left: Monica Polka; right: Vicky Ramos.

2000 Bengal Volleyball Team (listed by uniform number): 1 - Kelly Kochems, 2 - Krista Wierzbicki, 3 - Jessie Miller, 4 - Denise Jedynak, 5 - Vicky Ramos, 6 - Katie Sansone, 7 - Angela Volk-Matawaran, 8 - Lisa Herrscher, 9 - Laura Cyman, 11 - Jessica Nelson, 12 - Sarah McDowell, 14 - Heather Campbell, 16 - Monica Polka. Coach: David McClary.

The Bengals Volleyball Team finished with a record of 15 wins and 19 losses.



WOMEN'S CROSS-COUNTRY

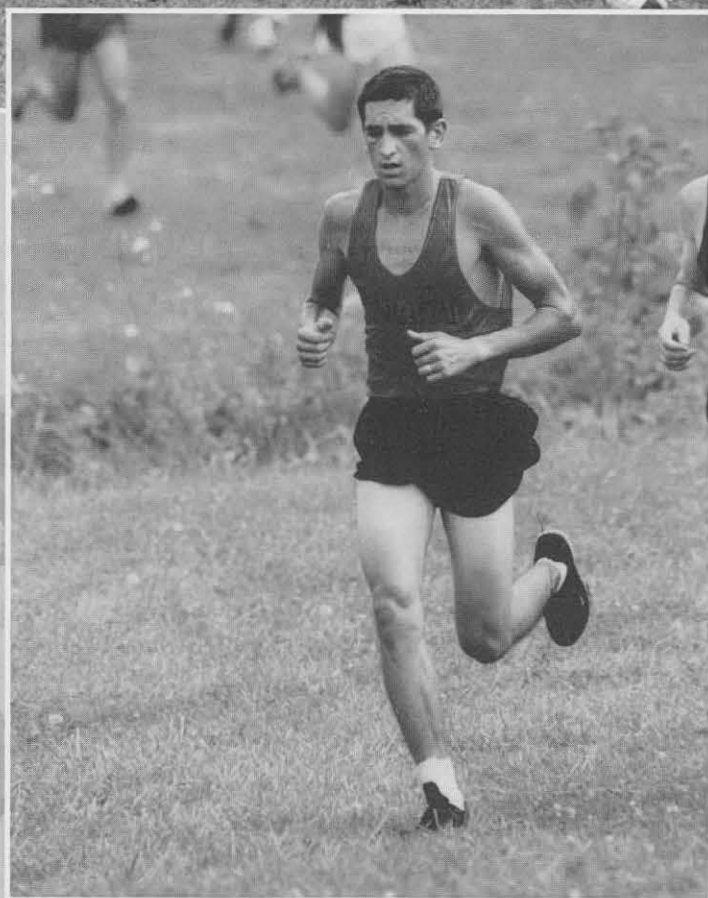


Women's Cross-Country Team - 1st row: Natalie Snowberger, Traci Maxwell, Michelle Mackowiak, Christine Fina, Colleen Scantlin.
2nd row: Asst. Coach Lynn Lambright, Danielle Hensel, Nicole Dziedzic, Autumn Hensel, Head Coach Jim Ramos.

MEN'S CROSS-COUNTRY



Men's Cross-Country Team - 1st row: Stephen Sciandra, Paul Drexler, Dan Smasniak, Andrew Hurd, Tom Robilotto. **2nd row:** Asst. Coach Lynn Lambright, Stephen Harnisch, Joe Halter, Chris Lape, Joe Niezgoda III, Steve Cahoon, Matthew Kubiak, Head Coach Jim Ramos.



MEN'S ICE HOCKEY



2000-2001 Men's Hockey Team: 1st row (left to right): Harley Pottratz, Jason deGuehery, Brian Turner, Stephen Troup, Jeff Lacapruccia, Head Coach Jim Fowler, Rocky Reeves, Mike Katz, Trevor Harrington, Eric Bavisotto, Nick Berti. **Second Row:** Assistant Coach Scott Kirsch, Trainer Sean Roberts, Josh Bluman, Todd Nowicki, Jad Ramsay, Rick Steen, Sean Mask, Joe Urbanik, Vince Gernat, Assistant Coaches Brent Ford and David Dee. **Third Row:** Ricardo Hernandez, Chris DiFrancisco, Cyle McCorkle, Henry Jurek, Guy Duquette, Pat McDevitt, Jason Comardo, Jeff Davis, Mark Yoder, Kevin Badura.



WOMEN'S ICE HOCKEY

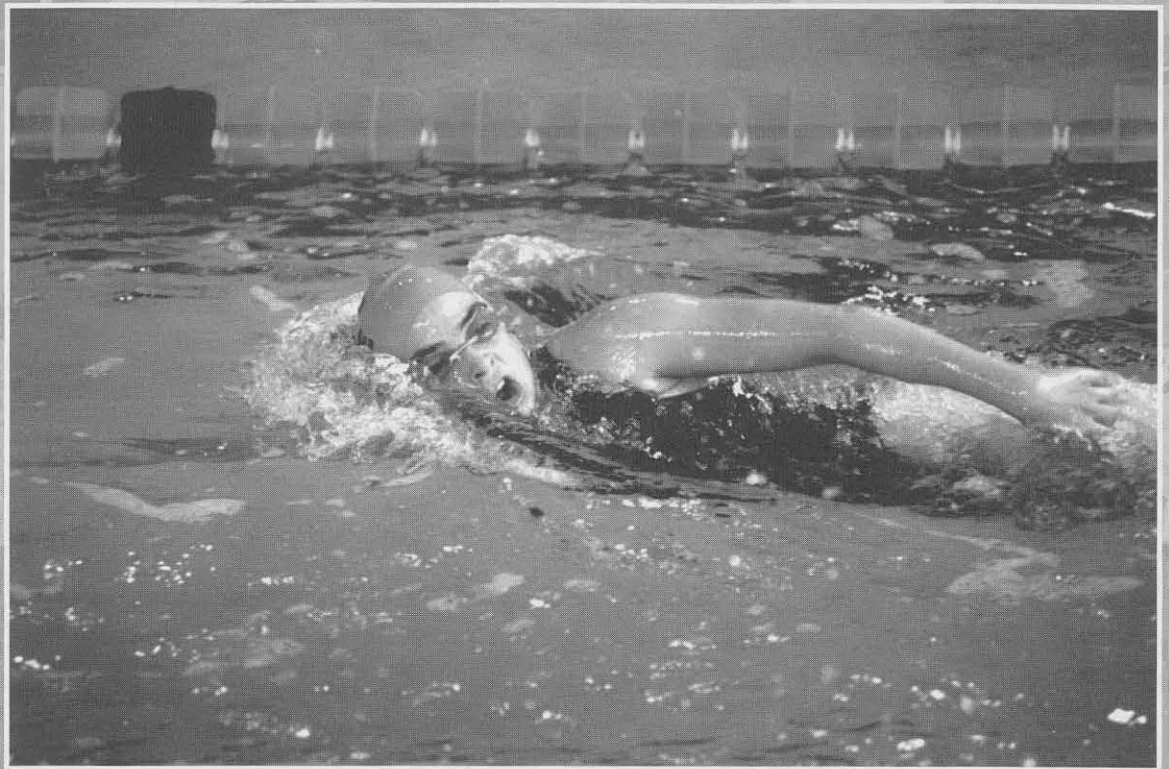
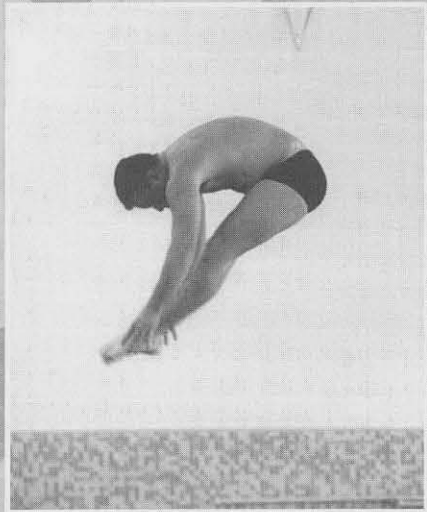


2000-2001 Women's Hockey Team - 1st row: Leah Delormier, Sara Zogby, Mary Keddie, Head Coach Bob Filighera, Melissa Spry, Renee Hamm, Kim Costanzo. **2nd row:** Asst. Coach Michelle Luba, Katie Heerdt, Missy Dispenza, Jessica DeCarlo, Jennifer Downey, Emma Wadsworth, Dyanne Roberts, Janelle Schmitt, Meri Mooers, Ast. Coach Sal Tornabene.



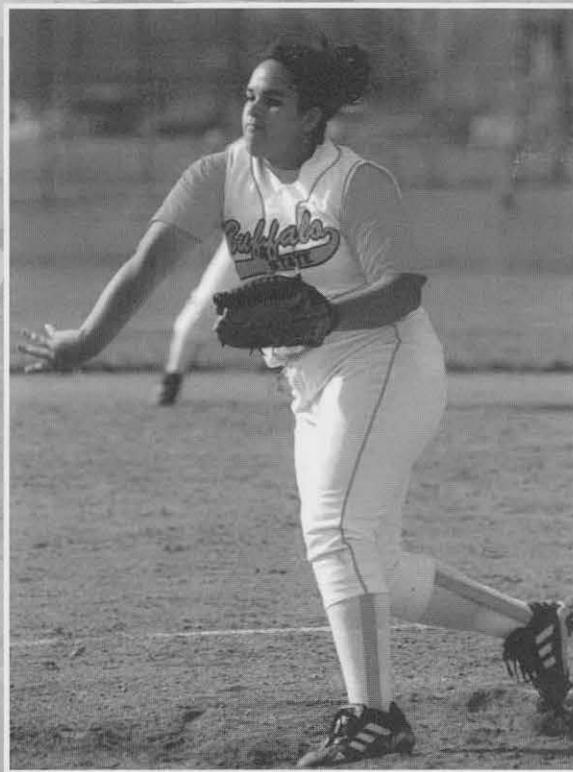
SWIMMING & DIVING

Chris Miller shows his diving form (below) and Meghan Woods cuts through the pool (right).



Swimming & Diving Team - 1st row: Natalie Brown, Kristen Snyder, Meghan Woods, Julio Burgess, Alicia Tutwiler, Renee Hamm, Kim Costanzo. 2nd row: Chris Miller, Mike Schweitzer, Mike Wachowitz, Tom Schilke, Matt Ellman. 3rd row: Asst. Coach Jill Andreeff, Asst. Coach Ryan Harder, Matt Helming, Jamie Scott, Paul Glieco, Scott Kruszka, Mark Beyer, Head Coach Bob Wood.

SOFTBALL

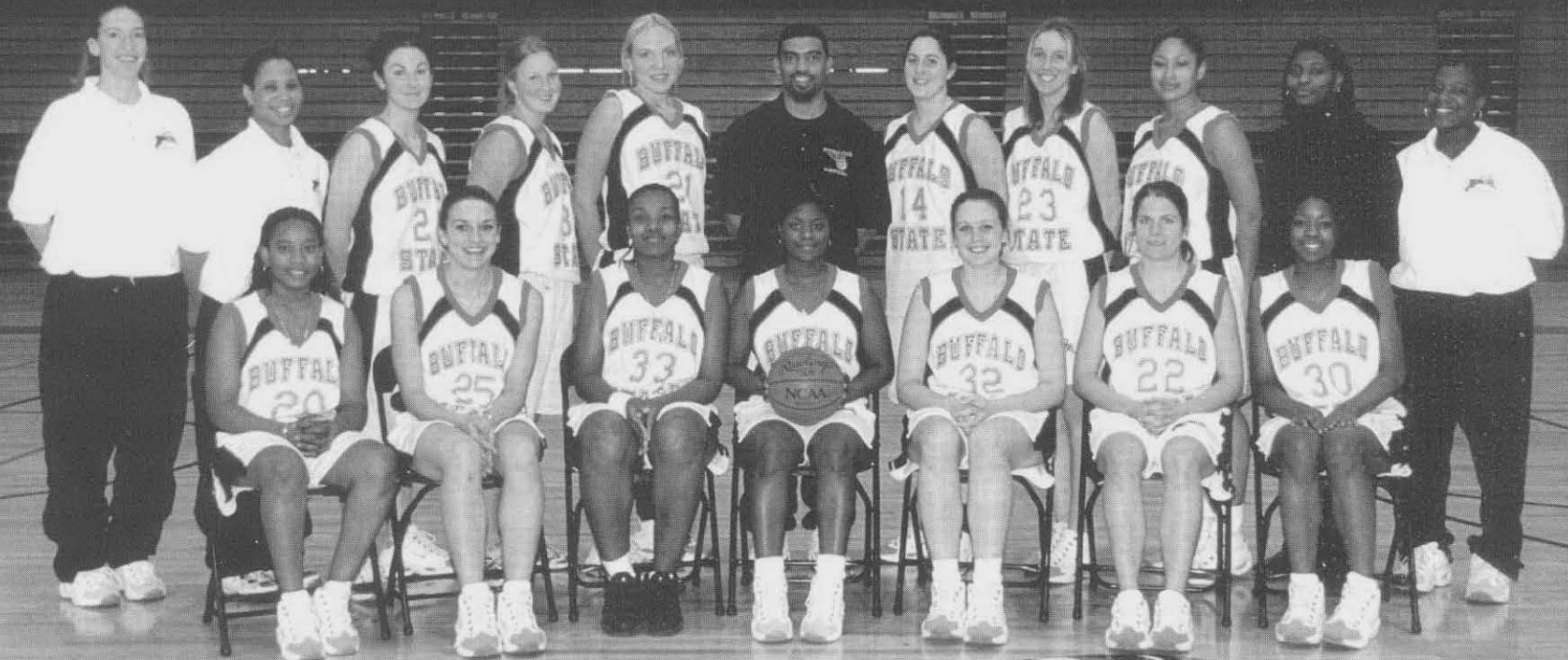


Katie Cleary runs the bases (left) and Robyn Levisy puts one over the plate (right).



2000 Softball Team - 1st row: Michelle Hay, Katie Sansone, Jen Brosius, Tami Thuman, Tina Williams, Jessica Becker, Katie Cleary, Starr Rae Wooden. 2nd row: Ast. Coach Jim Ramos, Head Coach Sandra Hollander, Stephanie Menth, Melissa Eriksson, Tracy Urban, Robyn Levisy, Lindsay Escher, Jill Blasi, Sarah Lazzazero, Trainer Sean Roberts, Asst. Coach Aaron Vanderlip.

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL



2000-2001 Women's Bengal Basketball Team – First row (left to right): Delrease Tota, Chrissy Milleville, Cora Humphreys, Tiffany Jackson, Michelle Milleville, Julie Jackson, Monique Hanks. Second Row: Assistant Coach Kim Koon, Student Manager Kaluwa Dobusu, Korin Krossber, Melissa Eriksson, Monica Polka, Head Coach Fred Batchelor, Jill Blasi, Amelie McKendry, Anansa Sims, Student Manager Courtney Drisdorn, Assistant Coach Yashica Martin.

Women's Basketball Season 2000-2001

ABGOTT INVITATIONAL

First Round vs. CAZENOVIA W 60-46

Championship vs. MANCHESTER W 62-51

BROCKPORT W 61-48

OSWEGO W 64-44

at Utica/Rome W 50-40

GENESEO L 56-58

at Oneonta L 45-61

at New Paltz W 64-51

D'YOUVILLE W 73-49

at Oswego W 77-59

at Cortland L 28-55

POTSDAM W 58-48

PLATTSBURGH W 78-64

At Medaille W 71-46

CORTLAND L 43-62

at Brockport W 61-47

at Geneseo L 63-67

NEW PALTZ W 52-43

ONEONTA L 56-66

at Fredonia L 57-63

at Plattsburgh W 61-57

at Potsdam L 63-66 OT

FREDONIA L 54-59

UTICA/ROME W 58-48

SUNYAC CHAMPIONSHIPS -Utica, NY

vs. Fredonia L 48-61

Final Record: 15-10 SUNYAC Season Record: 11-9

MEN'S BASKETBALL



Men's Basketball Season 2000-2001

Sheridan (ONT) College 73-57 EXHIB
COLES CLASSIC

First Round vs. NAZARETH W 75-67

Championship vs. HILBERT W 66-63

BROCKPORT L 78-95

OSWEGO W 78-59

at Utica/Rome L 62-68

GENESEEO L 58-66

at Oneonta L 58-61

at New Paltz L 67-69

HOLIDAY INN CLASSIC

First Round vs. MEDAILLE W 83-58

Championship vs. HILBERT W 69-56

at Oswego W 58-53

at Cortland L 60-70

POTSDAM W 78-51

PLATTSBURGH W 69-68 (OT)

CORTLAND L 52-56

at Brockport L 74-82

at Geneseo W 64-41

NEW PALTZ W 58-42

ONEONTA W 78-59

at Fredonia L 49-64

at Plattsburgh W 75-73 (OT)

at Potsdam W 69-63

FREDONIA L 52-68

UTICA/ROME W 65-53

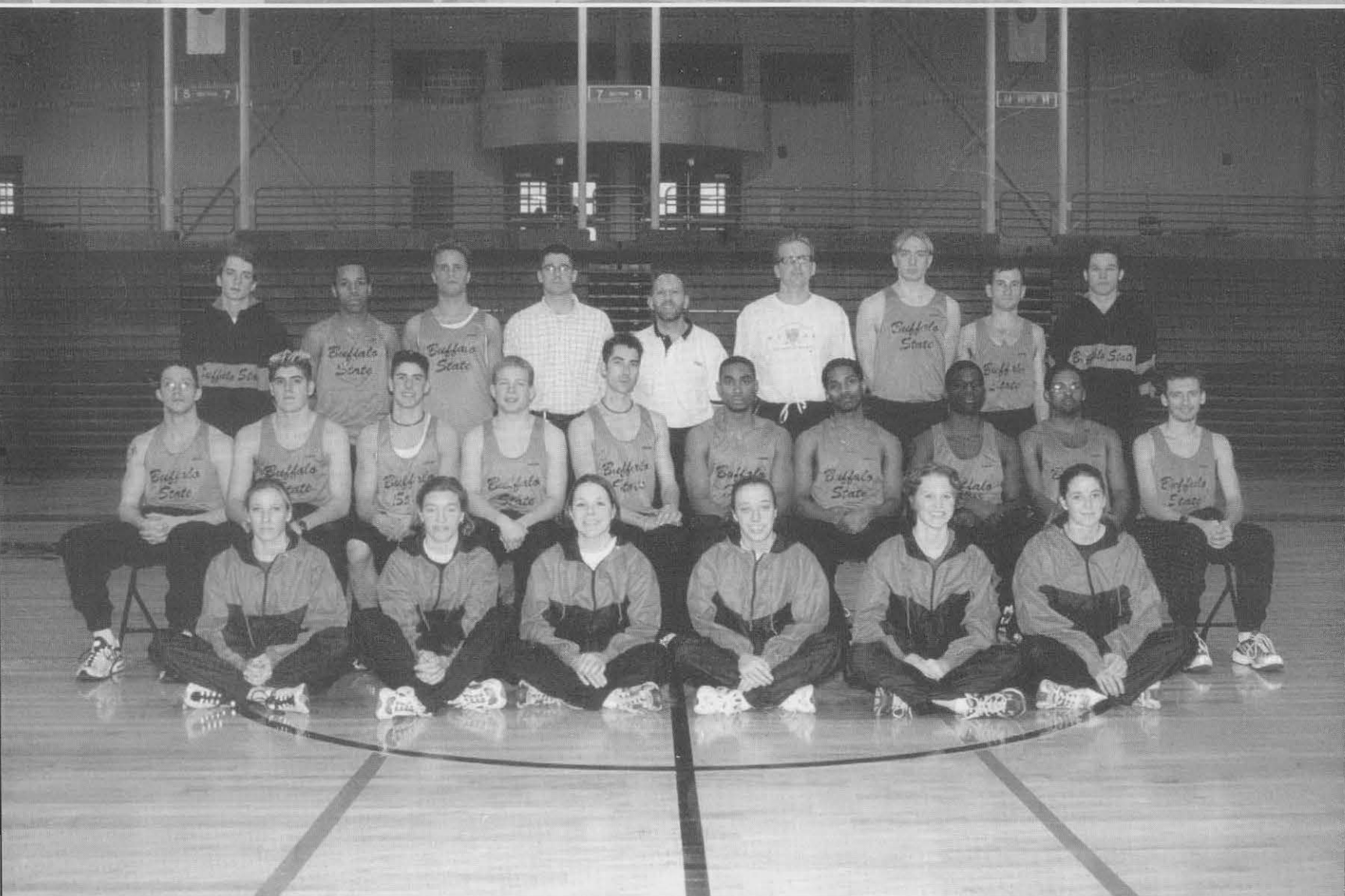
SUNYAC CHAMPIONSHIPS - Utica, NY

vs. Fredonia L 62-63 (2OT)

Final Record: 14-11 SUNYAC Season Record: 10-10

2000-2001 Men's Bengal Basketball Team - First Row (left to right): Lance Covington, Willie Sanders, Biron Stuckey, Steven Becker, Will Mann, Aaron McFollins, Andrew McLaren, Drew Olczak. Second Row: Assistant Coach Rashiem Young, Assistant Coach Joe Piscopo, Aaron Staples, Anthony Piccolo, Jeff Russell, Johnny Helton, Shawn Haseley, Pat Adams, Brandon Jones, Chris LoTempio, Devon Johnson, Ed Jenkins, Assistant Coach Kenneth Ferguson, Head Coach Dick Bihr.

INDOOR TRACK & FIELD



2001 Indoor Track & Field Team – First row (left to right): Autumn Haensel, Natalie Snowberger, Colleen Scantlin, Nicole Dziedzic, Traci Maxwell. Second row: Jason Walsh, Matthew Kubiak, Andy Hurd, Joe Niezgoda, Markus Allen, Hansen Padmore, Jamil Windbush, Charles Bagley, Tom Robilotto. Third row: Jason Hy, Rashiem O'Connor, Mike Schemerhorn, Assistant Coach Ryan Handley, Head Coach Don Herlan, Assistant Coach Rudy Pompert, Eric Lunser, Tom Proctor, Curtis Bacheck.

WOMEN'S LACROSSEE



2000 Women's Lacrosse Team – First row (left to right): Colleen Easterby, Meri Mooers, Tiffany Jackson, Erika Kuper, Stefani Mitchell, Danielle DeJames. Standing: Head Coach Rudy Pompert, Christina Buerger, Tracey Schutz, Cristin Meadows, Kathleen Plis, Katie Richlet. Assistant Coach Eileen Schubert.

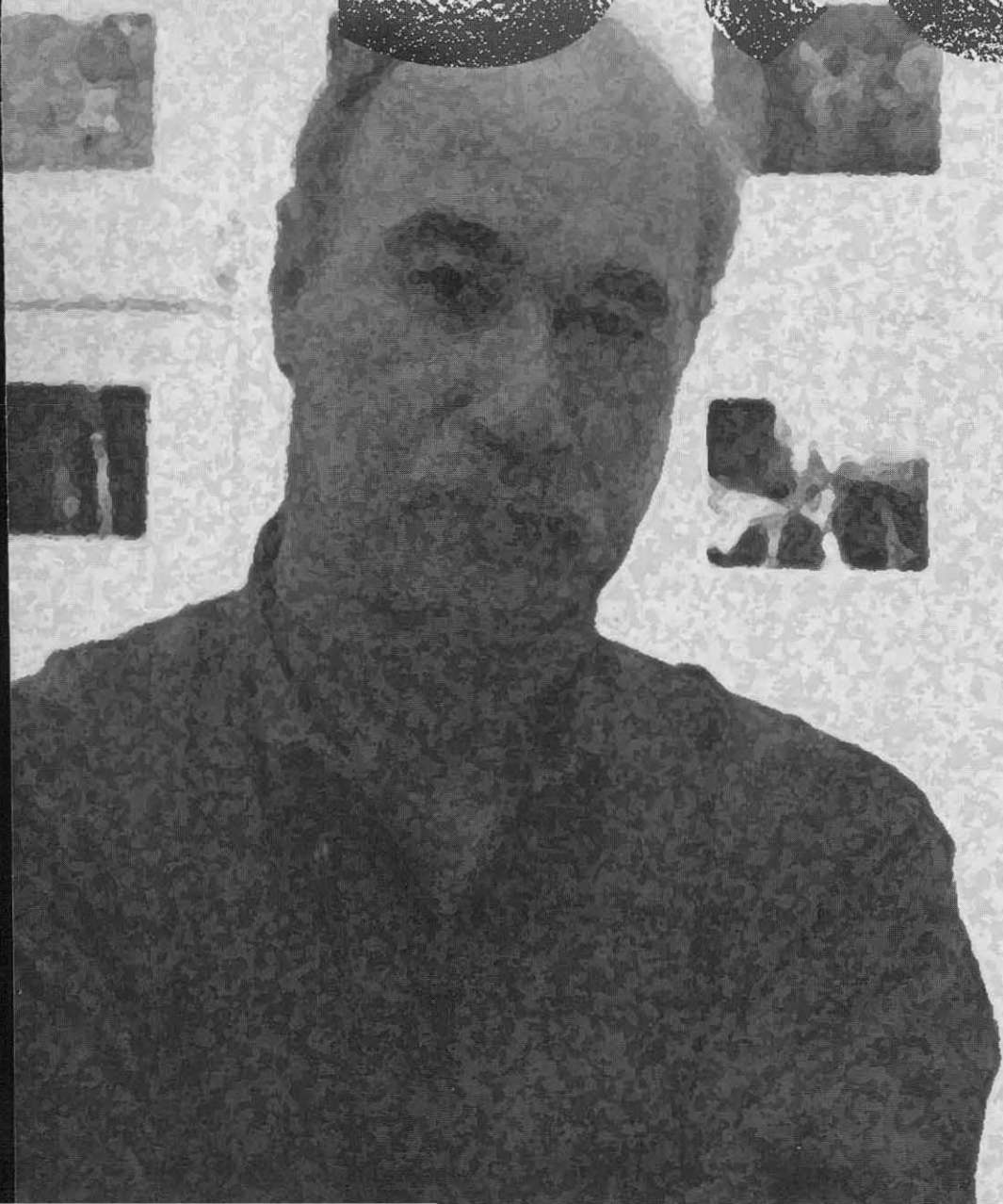
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CLUB SPORTS

In addition to the intercollegiate sports sponsored by the Athletic Department, BSC students compete in club sports including rugby, bowling, volleyball, and waterpolo. These pictures are from a match played by the Women's Rugby Team.



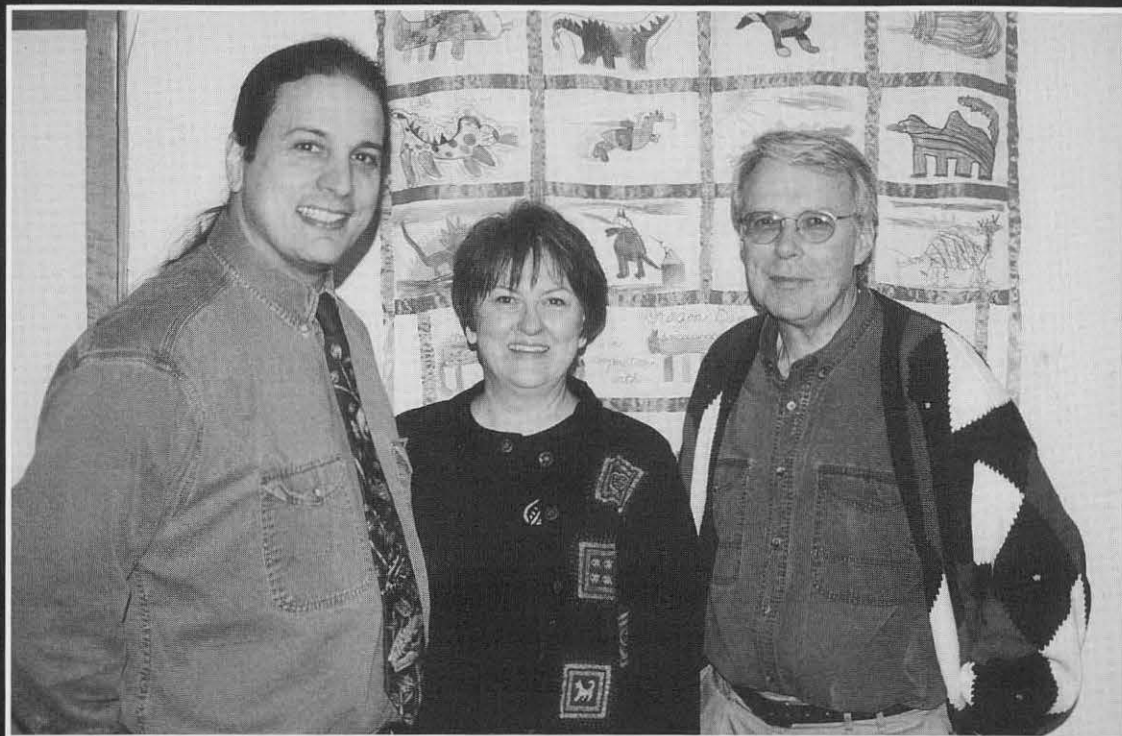
Faculty Staff



Faculty & Staff

Art Education

Charles Agel,
Cheryl Hamilton
and Layman Jones



Art Conservation

F. Christopher Tahk, Dan
Kushel, James Hamm,
Irene Bruekle, Jennifer
Mass, Ruth Norton and
Jonathan Thornton





Biology

Standing: Gregory Wadsworth, Randal Snyder, Thomas White, Douglas Easton, Howie Riessen. Seated: Beverly Dow, Martin Kelly, James Haynes, Hadar Isseroff and Gary Pettibone.

Below: The Biology Department Faculty gathers to devise new diabolical experiments to conduct on unsuspecting students.



Bookstore

Standing: Dennis Bernas, Dean Kazmierczak and Sue Orr
Seated: Lynn Puma, Natalie Wills and Cathy Broomfield



Faculty & Staff

Business

Standing; Sol Ahjarah, Ben Sackmary, Leonard Graziplene, Michael Littman, Howard Stranger, and Carol Bradley
Seated; John DeNisco, Lynne Scalia, Dale Janowsky and Daniel Ricigliano



Chemistry



Gregory Ebert



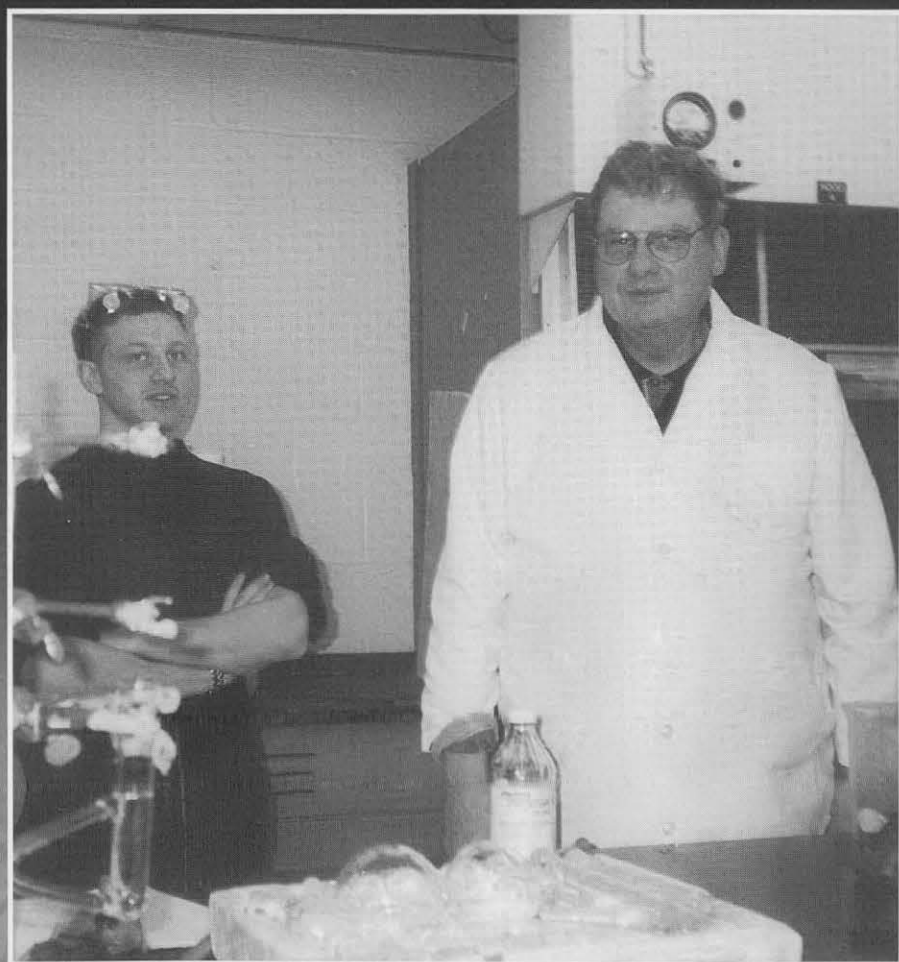
Scott Goodman



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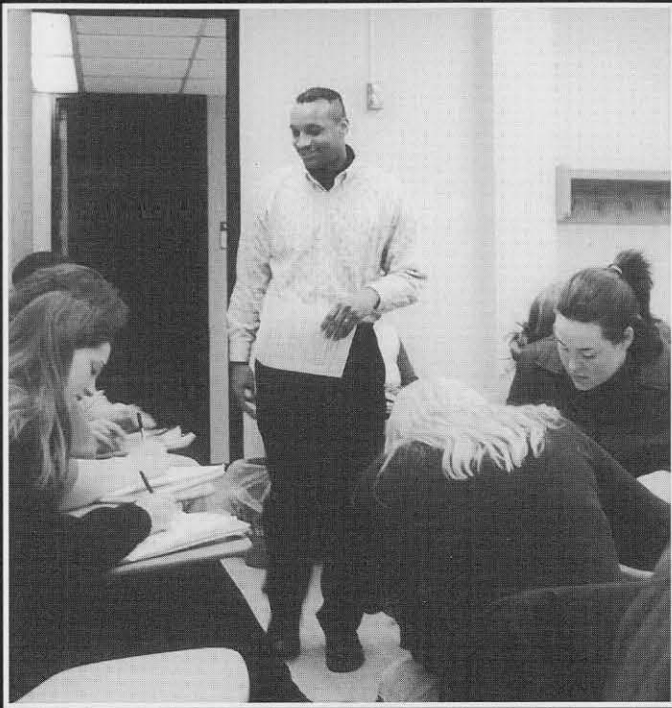


AnneMarie Sokol



Anybody know what Mr. Klinge and Dan are synthesizing?

Communications



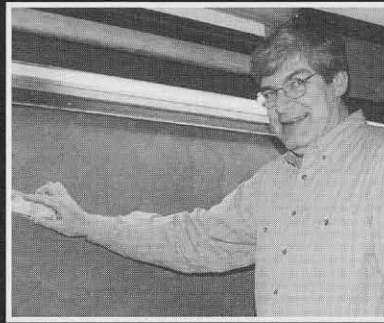
Tim Brown



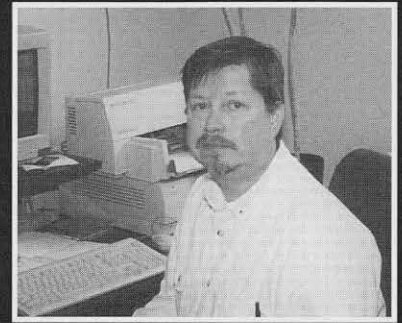
Janet Kaye



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Tom McCray

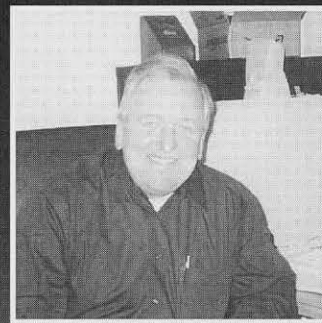


Ron Smith



Charles Arbutina, Anthony Nowakowski and Larry Scott

Computer Information Systems



John Thompson



Arun Joshi



Ramona Santa Maria

Faculty & Staff

Criminal Justice

Standing, left to right:
James Fox, James
Gillham, Sam Maislin,
James Ross. Seated:
John Song, Robert
Pursley, Debra Ross.



Design

Left to right:
Rand Schuster, Jim Astrella,
Terry Postero, Carol
Townsend, Steve Saracino,
Stan Friesen, Richard Ross,
Arlette Klaric, Barry Yavener,
Suzann Denney, Robert
Wood, Jim Morris.



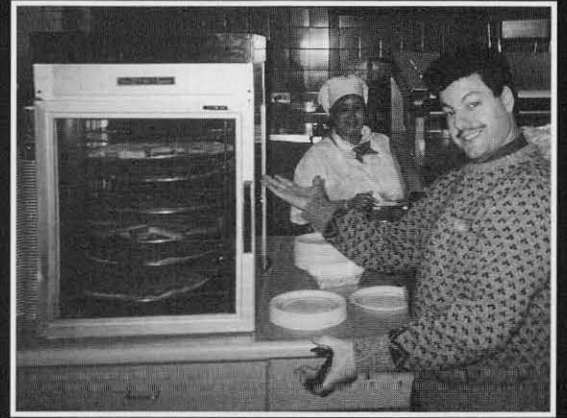
Dining Services



Marty and Anne serve up the the eats for the pizza and wing lovin' Buffalo State crowd.



Left: Hugo and Annabell count pennies. Below left: Pina on a "break." Below: Russell shows off the fine selection of pizzas.



Educational Opportunity Program

Left to right: Evelyn Rosario, Emma McFayden, William Ortega.



Danton Cardoso, Abdi Hajikandi, Elizabeth Stevens and Joseph Danagnah, Charles Battle.



Faculty & Staff

Earth Science & Science Education

Standing left to right: Dennis Torok, Karen Wehn, Donald Birdd, Jack Mack, Bill Korth, Richard Batt, Art Gielow and Gary Solar. Sitting left to right; Gerri Fiorella, Sandra Washington, Karl Bernhardt, Stephen Vermette, Robin Harris and Stan Radon . Members of the Earth Science and Science Education departments are shown aboard their "private yacht" in its berth at the Great Lakes Center Field Station.



Elementary Education

Julie Henry, Lori Quigley, Marion Barnett, Wendy Patterson, Kathy Moran, John Beaver, Elfreda Blue, Ellen Friedhand, Lois Frazita, Beverly Bartel, Coralee Smith, Dr. Ceprano, Leslie Day, Kay Johnson Gentile, Hibajene Shandomo.



Exceptional Education



Standing left to right: Susan Mary Paige, Ruth Berry, Laurie McCarty, Anne Papalia Berardi, Kathy Palumbo, Maureen Smith, Michaelene Meger, Dennis Mike, Warren Gleckel, Sharon Raimondi, David Pomerantz, Pam Bohin, Sheila Scott, Mark Posluszny. Seated: Lynn Sommerstein, Sarita Samera, Judy Bondurant Utz, Carmen Iannaccone.

Financial Aid



Helen Hughes (left) and Stephanie Kindzia are just two of the helpful staff in the Financial Aid Office.

Faculty & Staff

Fine Art

Left to right: Joe Miller, Frank Kowsky, Laura Fair Schulz, Peter Sowicki, Harriet Blitzer, James Sylvia, Sara Skerker, Lin Xia Jiang.



Amy Schwartzott



Foreign Language



Left to right: Andrea Guiati, Lucy Schwartz, Rafika Merini and Sigrid Fertig.



Left to right: Denise Zenicki, Maribel Garret Ortiz, Maria Assad, Elaine McKee, Heidi Faletti, Rafika Merini, Andrea Guiati, Michael Johnson, Mark Warford, Deborah Hovland, Lucy Schwartz, Raul Niera, Carol Kirby.

History



Standing left to right: Wynnie Fisher, Michael Lazich, Ken Mernitz, Edward Smith, Julius Slavenas, Martin Ederer.
Seated: Felix Armfield, Pixita Del Prado Hill, Jean Richardson, David Carson, Cynthia Conides, Andrew Nichols.

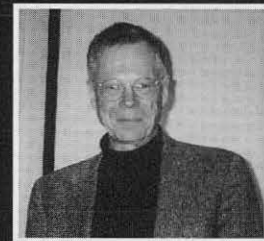


Standing, left to right: Hillary Sternberg, Donna Davidoff, Andy Dutcher. Seated: Kathy Hanners.



Nancy Giordino

Library



Margie Truesdale (left), David Sawicki



Joyce MacNeil and Sandra Colucci

Faculty & Staff

Maintenance

Here are just a few of the people who keep BSC together.
At right: Jerry Cameron and Margaret Lojacono.
Below: Israel Monge.



Philosophy

Left to right: George T. Hole,
Marianne Ferguson, James O.
Grunebaum and Allen Podet.





Political Science

Left to right: Simon Peter Gomez, Ram Desai, Sarah Slavin and Anthony Neal.



Psychology

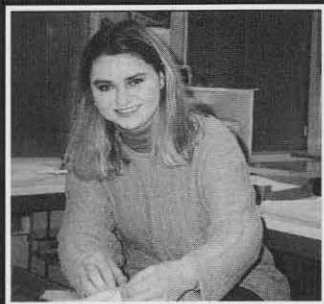
Top, left to right: Sam LoGiudice, Dwight Hennessy, Brad Lown, Gary Heiman, Michael Zborowski, Lisa Brooks, Jurgis Karuza, Michael MacLean and Jerry Cataldo. Seated: Robert Delprino, Howard Reid, Jill Norvilitis and Pamela Schuetze.

Faculty & Staff

Registrar



Linda Rizzo



Christina
Luke



Standing left to right: Angie Angolwisye, Mary Ann Hurliman, Donna Brooks, Sue Anne Dier, Jerry Ann Trembowicz, Joe Mazur, Cheryl Boyce, Barb McCray.

SABRE Project & STAR Program



SABRE - Standing left to right: Pat Black, Connie Cooke, Colleen Sullivan Meeks, Tina Sutherland, Gwendolyn Veira, Mary Lou Hartnett, Sharon Spagnoli. Seated: Yves Gachette, Marsha Gottovi, Carole Schaus, Sharon Cramer, Marcy Zulawski, Paul Bink.

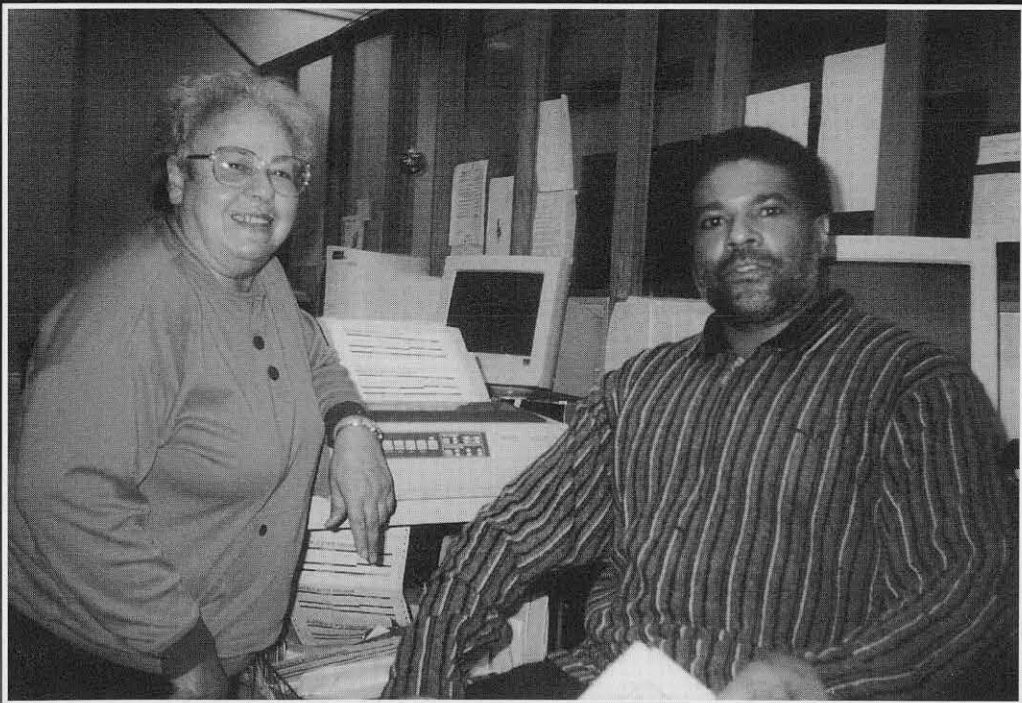


STAR - Left to right: William Nottage, Jonathan Schill, Karen Johnson (director), Shannon Haick



Social Work

Left to right: Allen Yasgur,
Deborah Renzi, Patrick Dexter.



Student Accounts

Ronald D.
Sweeter and
Mary Barone.



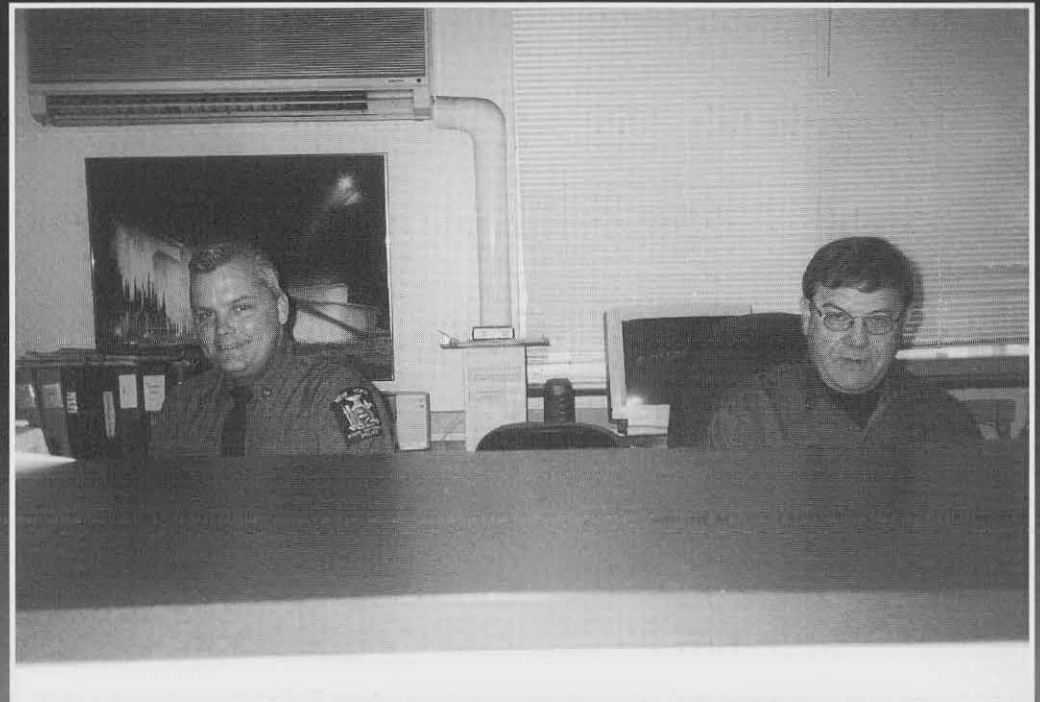
Faculty & Staff

United Students Government Staff

Clockwise from top right:
Mary Kirkwood (Business
Manager), Mike Lynch (Camp
Director, with Michelle and
Olivia), Dave Meinzer (Press
Services Director) and Vicky
Vullo (Resume Service), Cindy
Sciolino (Receptionist).



University Police



Officer Michael Hooley and
Officer John Wood.



Academic Skills Center

Left to right: Roswell Park, Sharon Hexmer, Ed Walsh, Robert Stalder, William Powers. Seated: Loretta Ward, Joan Nickoletta.



Student Support Services Program

Hurculine Guthrie, Armeta Bernard, Florence Johnson.

Seniors



The last year of college

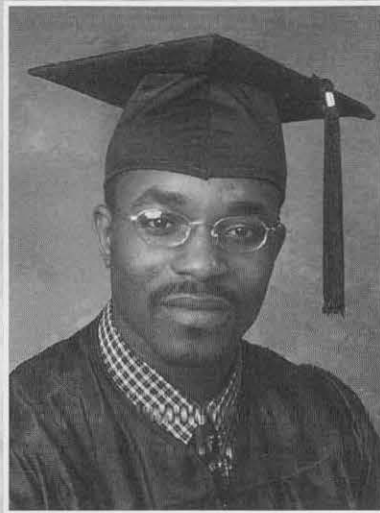
is a pretty hectic one for most students.

In addition to classes, studios, term papers, research projects, etc., there might be an internship or student teaching assignments. Add in a part-time job and family commitments and there's not much time for the fun-and-games of the underclass years. Nevertheless, some BSC Seniors were able to shake off the stress and look ahead (or back) long enough to smile for a photo.

We asked a few graduating Seniors: "What will you remember most about Buff State?" Their answers appear on some of the following pages



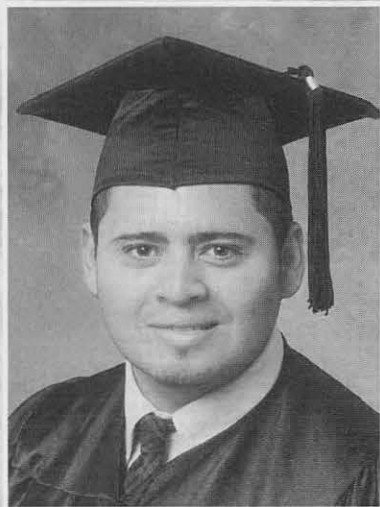
Sayuri Abiko
Japan
Art



Mohammed Adams
Bronx
Computer Information Systems



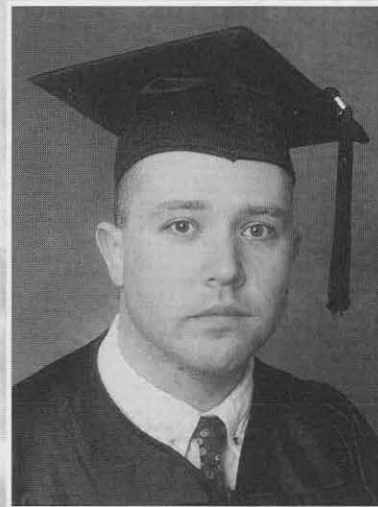
Scott Adolf
Alden
Health & Wellness



Raul Alcerro
Bronx
Hospitality Management



Maria Lee Andrews
Buffalo
Speech Language Pathology



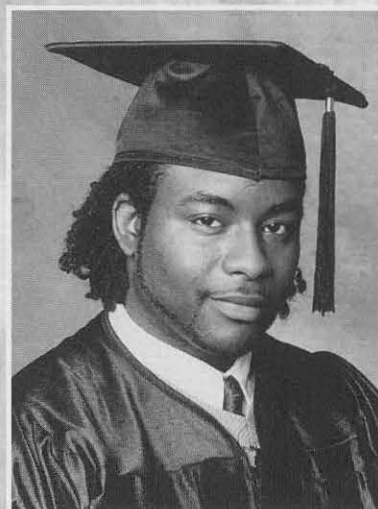
Michael C. Arent
Buffalo
Computer Information Systems



Noemi Ayala
Buffalo
Business Administration



Jose Baez
Buffalo
Spanish



Richard Bagley
New York City
Political Science

SENIORS 2001



Paulette Bates
Rochester
Business Studies



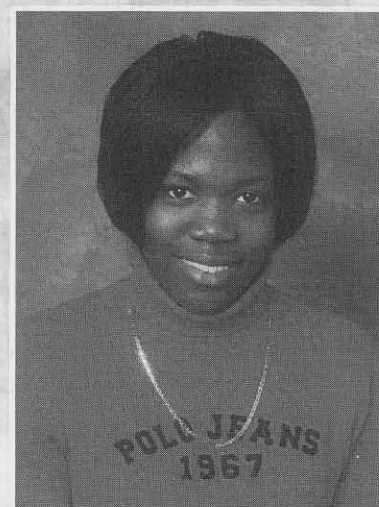
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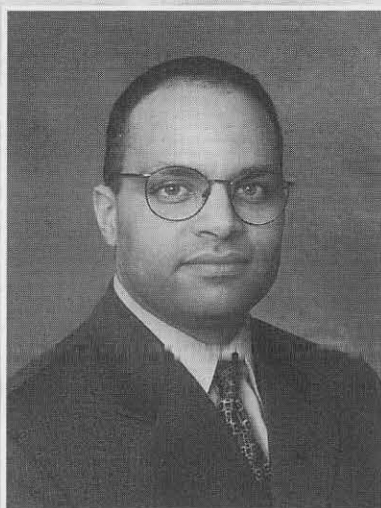
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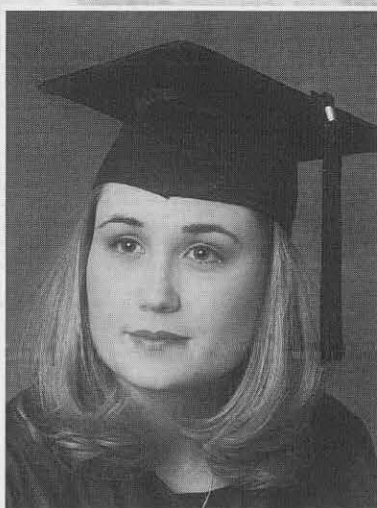
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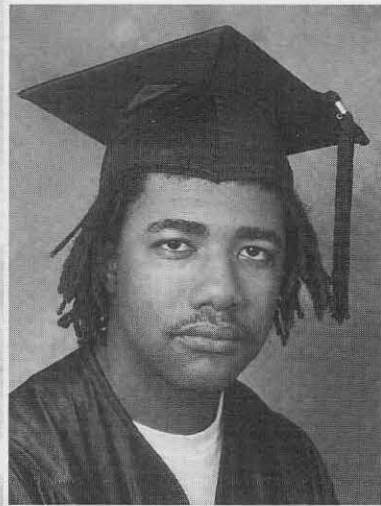
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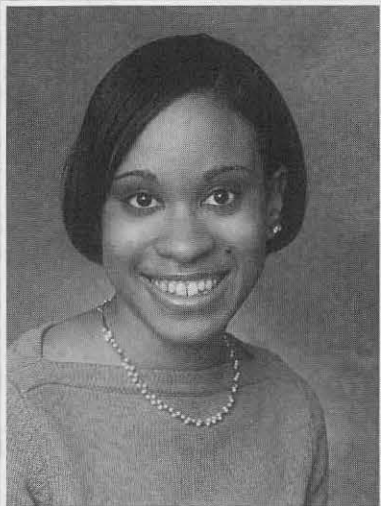
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“Even though I feel as if I have overstayed my welcome, I believe that as an individual I will truly remember my experiences such as the positive and negative energy that I gained from people. I will also remember the long days and nights of planning events, such as Homecoming, that have made CSO [Caribbean Students Organization] the organization it is today. From all this I have become a stronger person on all levels, and this makes me proud to call myself a graduate of Buffalo State.”
– Troy Clarke

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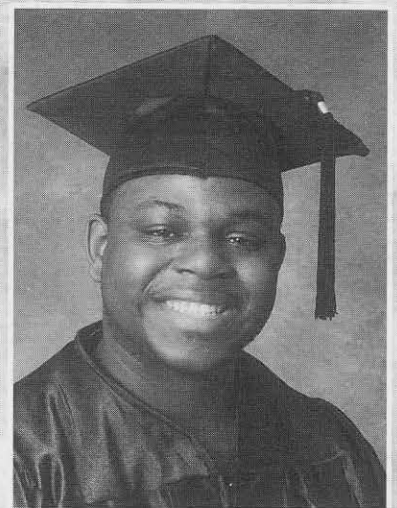
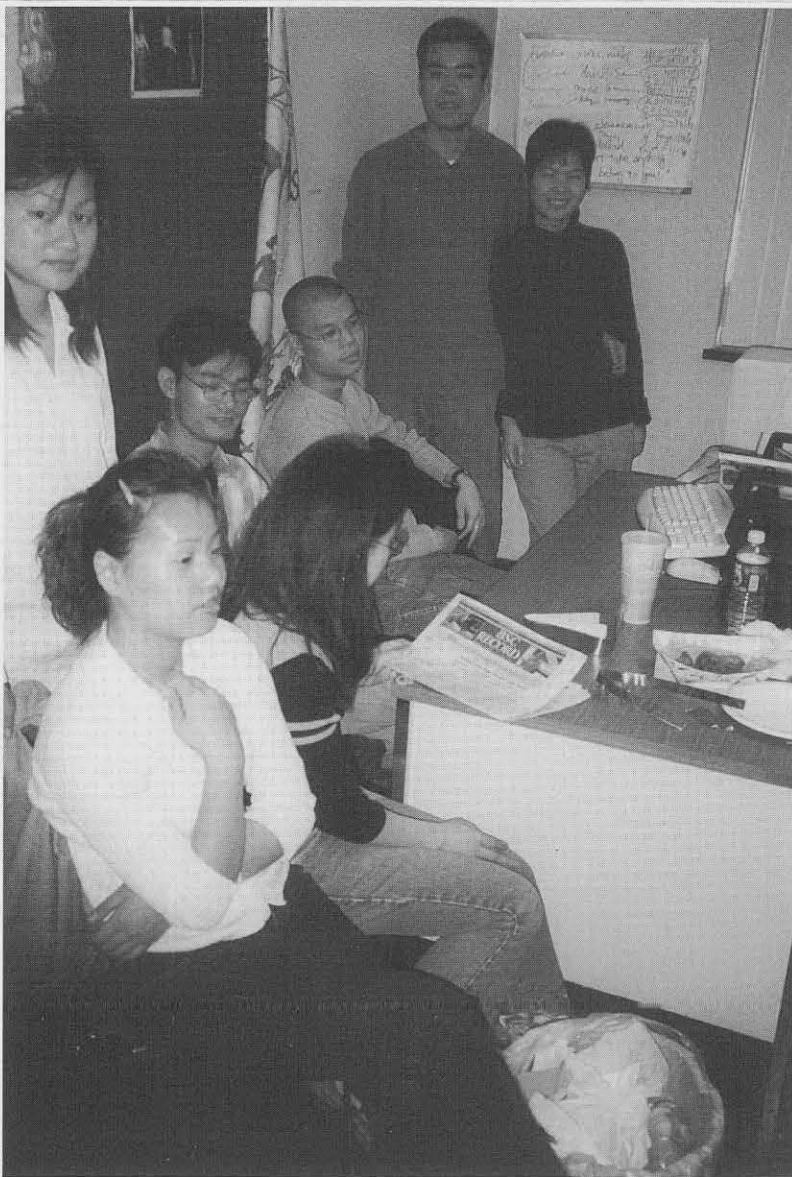
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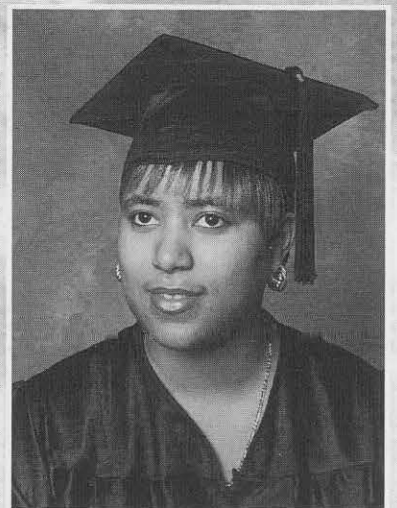
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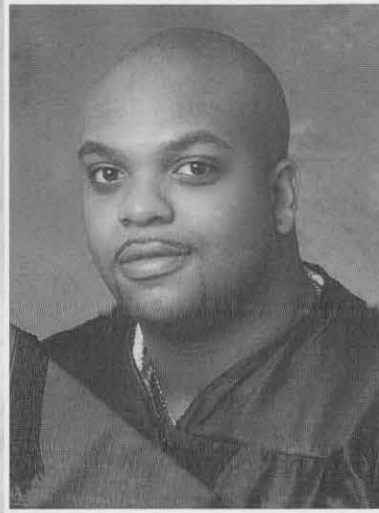
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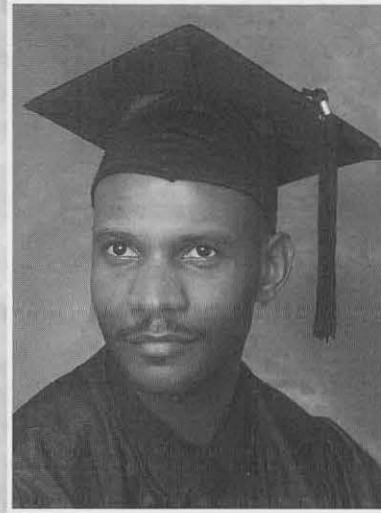
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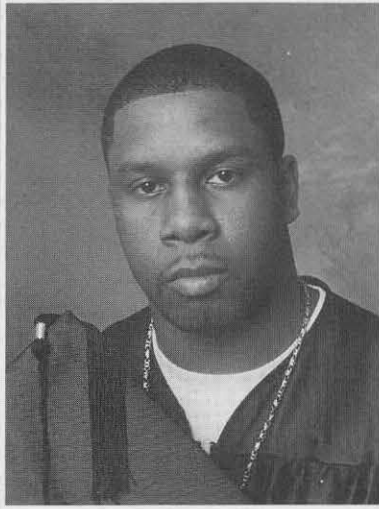


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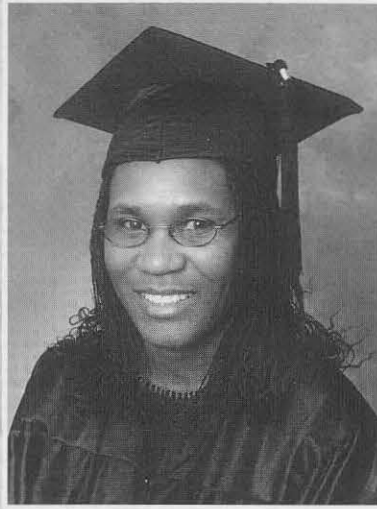


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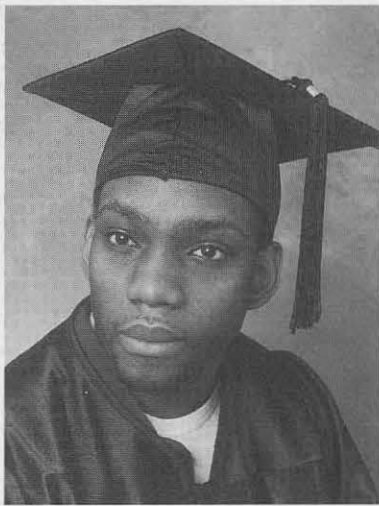
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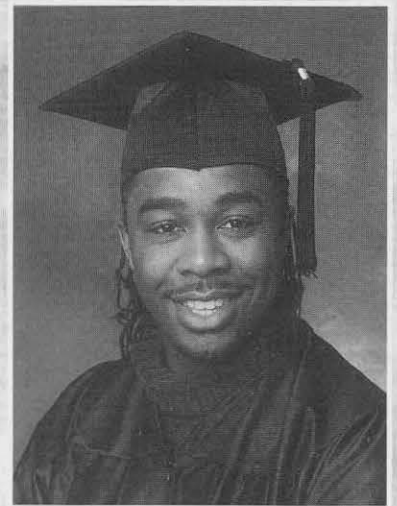
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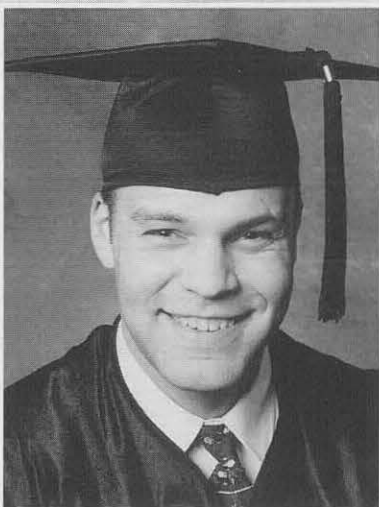
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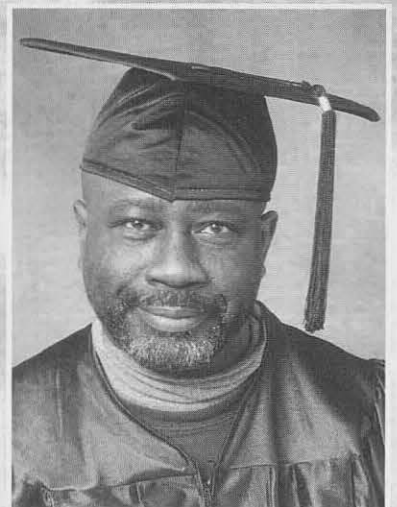
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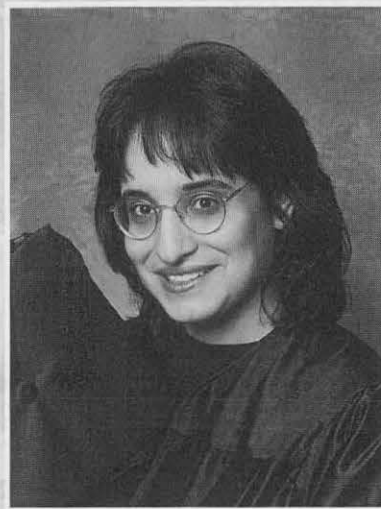
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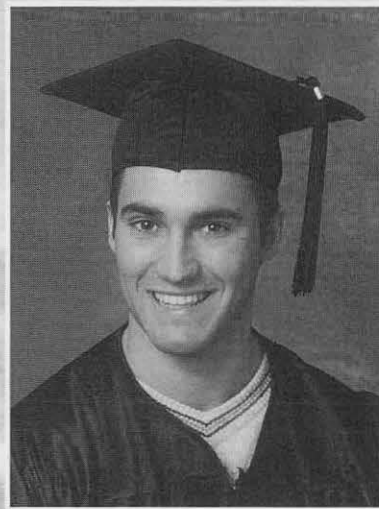
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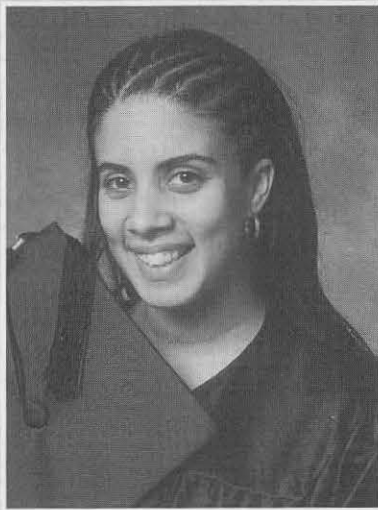
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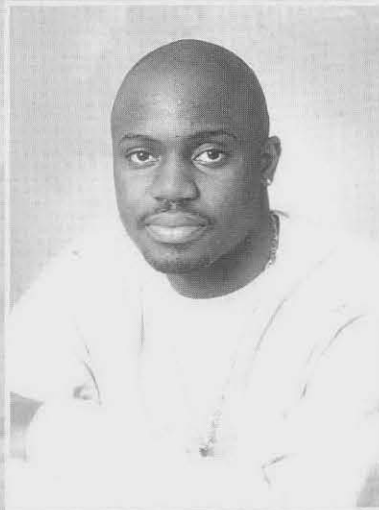
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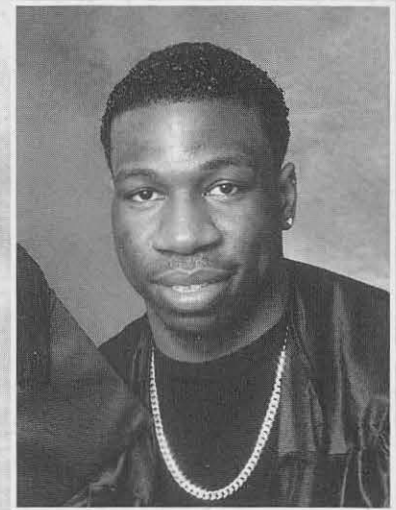
“Buffalo State College is the college where you want to start. I made so many friends; faculty are easy to reach, you can even catch them at the Student Union buying food or coffee. I personally enjoy the atmosphere; I don’t see any tension between different groups and the administration which is good for our study in general.”
 – Simeon Konan



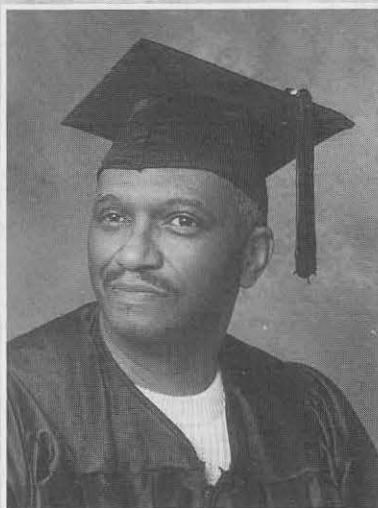
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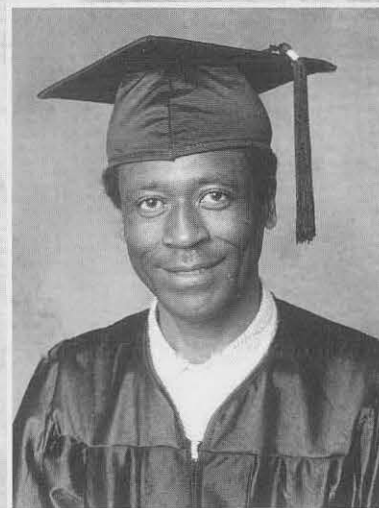
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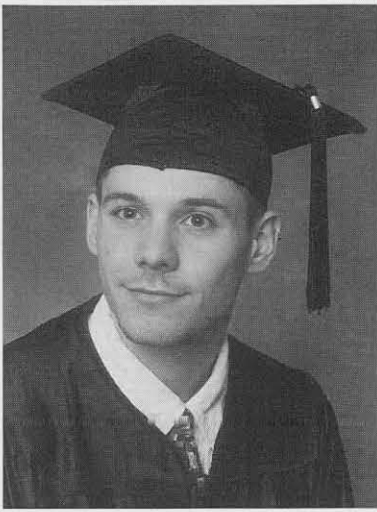
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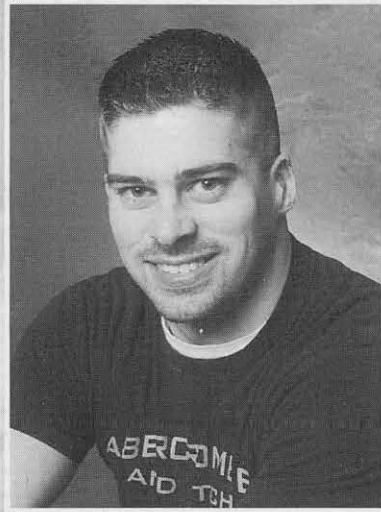
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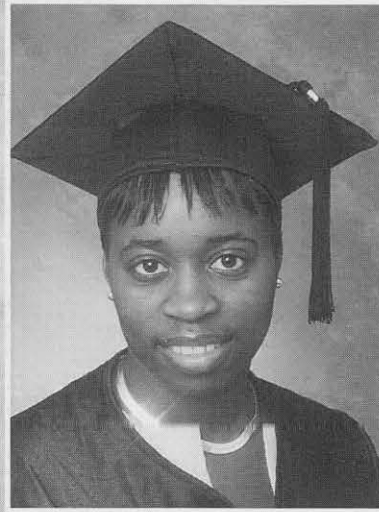
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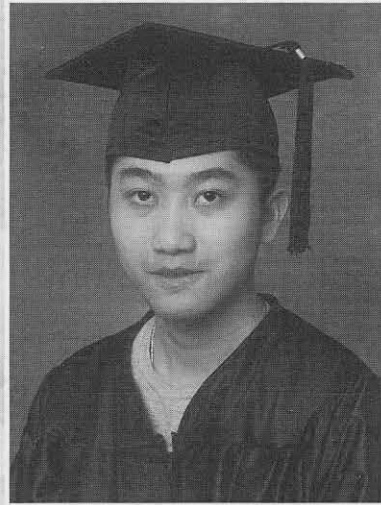
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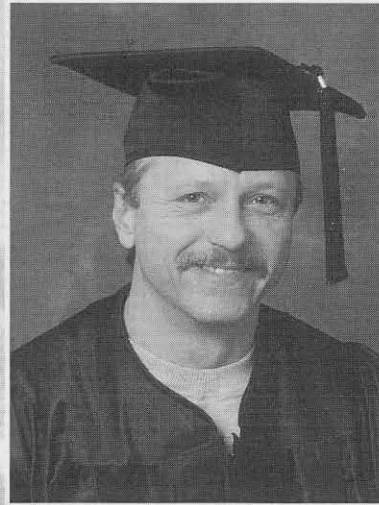
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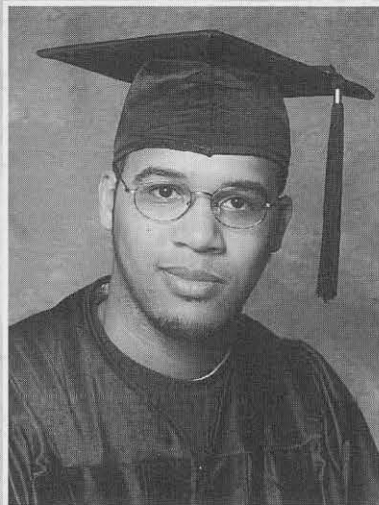
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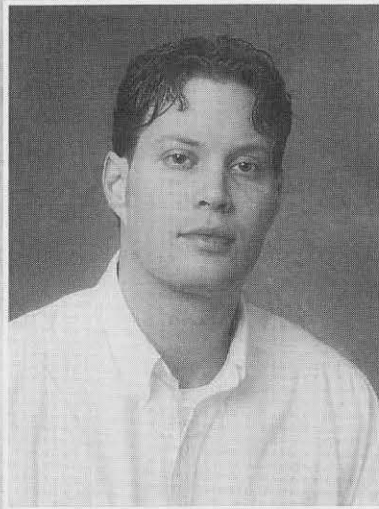


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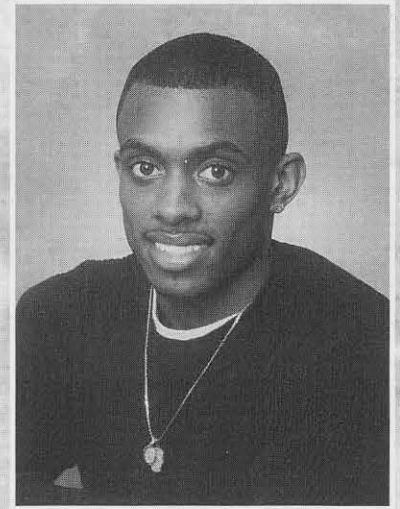
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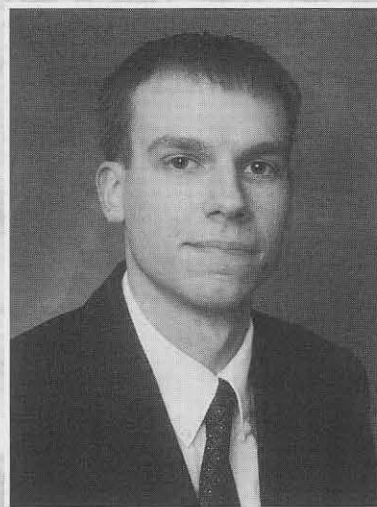
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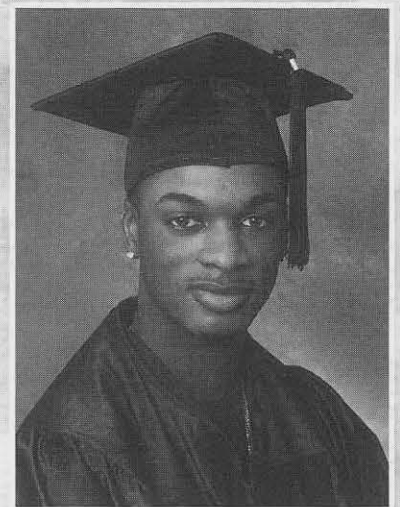
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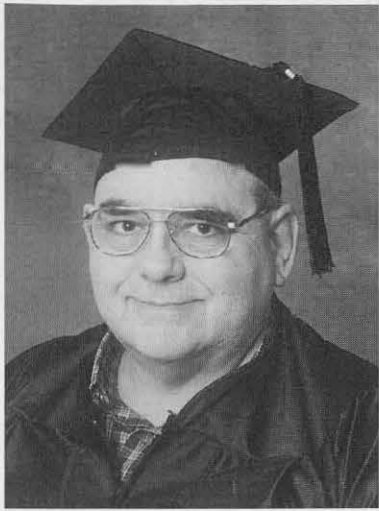
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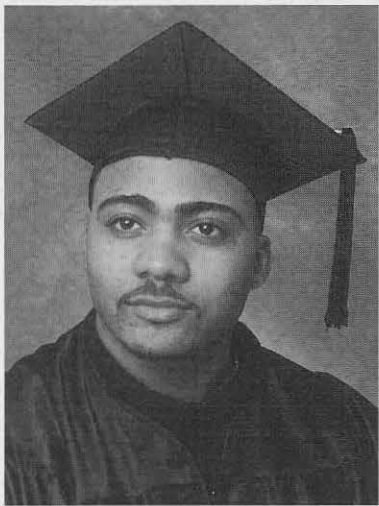
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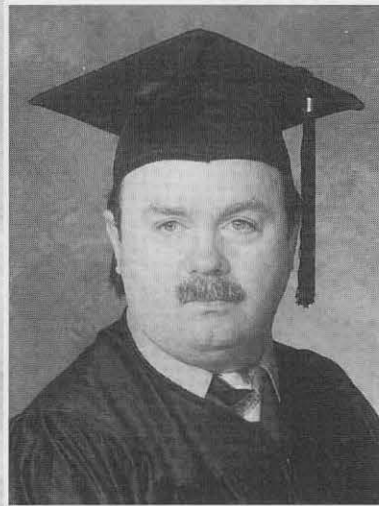
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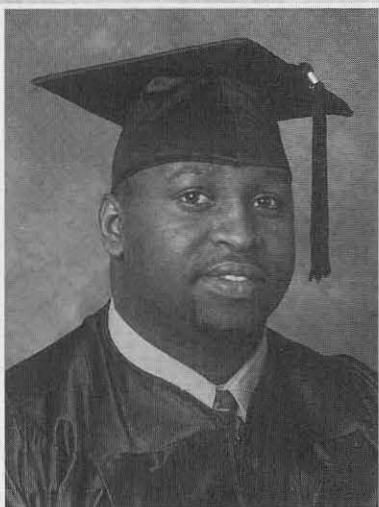
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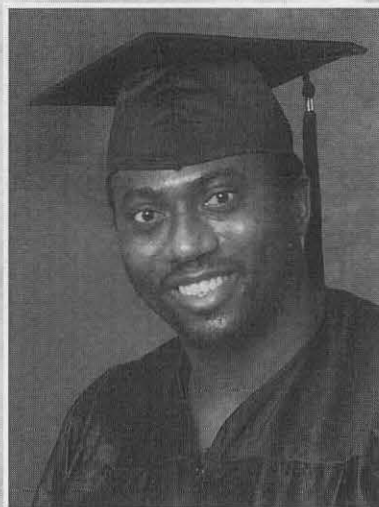
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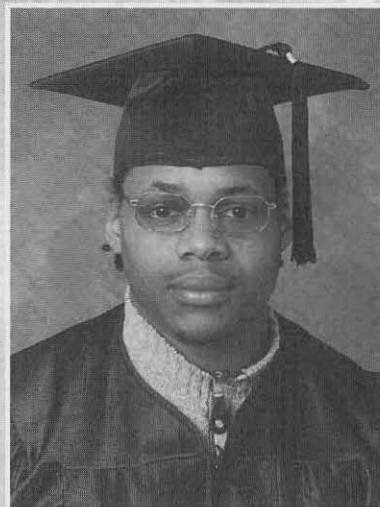
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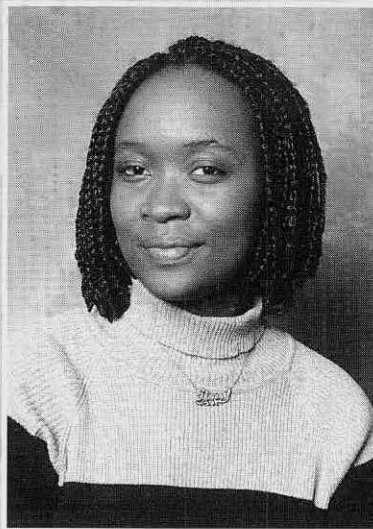
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"I'll remember my interaction with students, faculty, and staff – in and out of the classroom – and being given the opportunity to do what made me happy."
–Vincentia Paul



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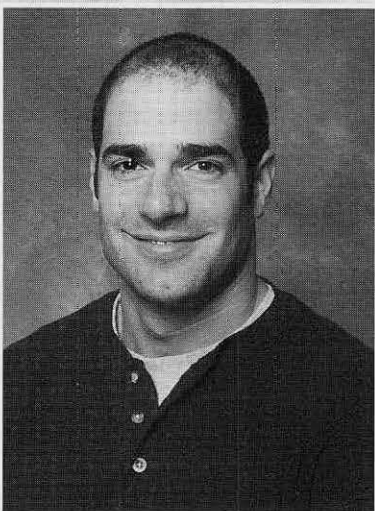
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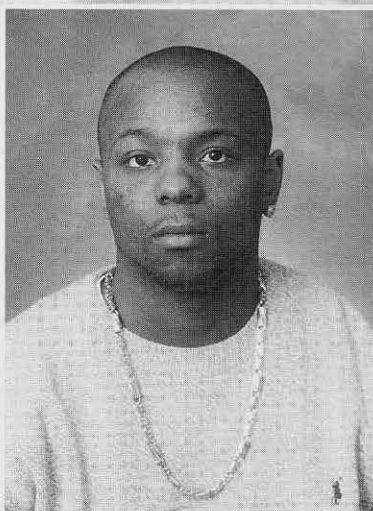
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"I'll remember all of the friends that I have made. I hope to keep in touch with them for the rest of my life."

– Matsa Phanthavong



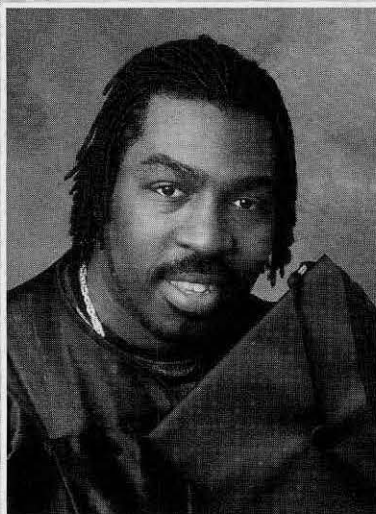
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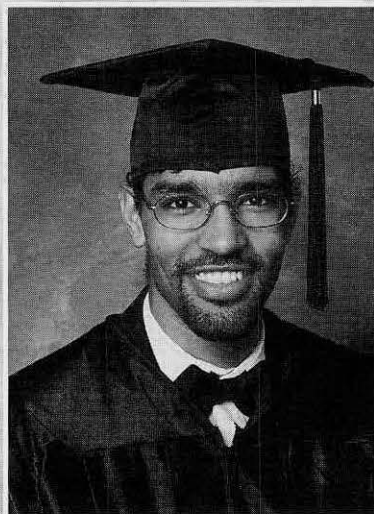
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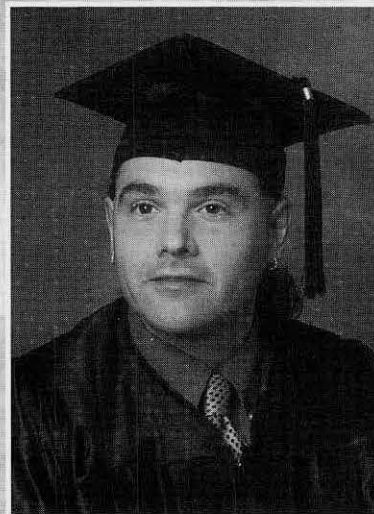
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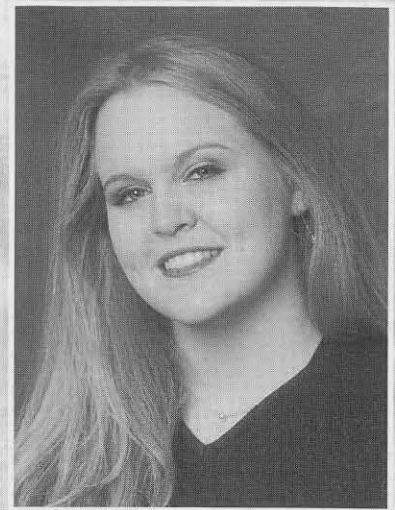
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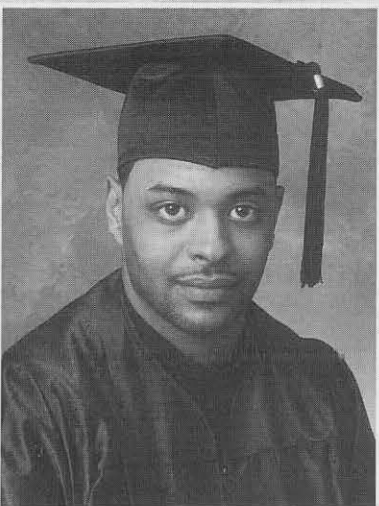
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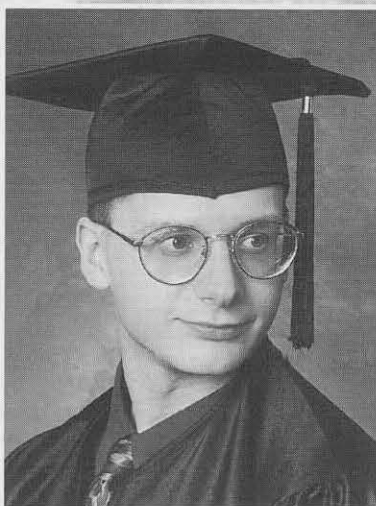
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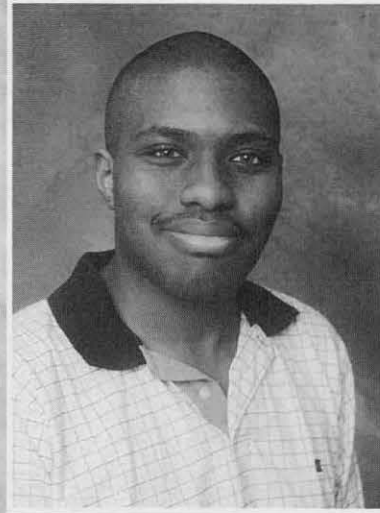
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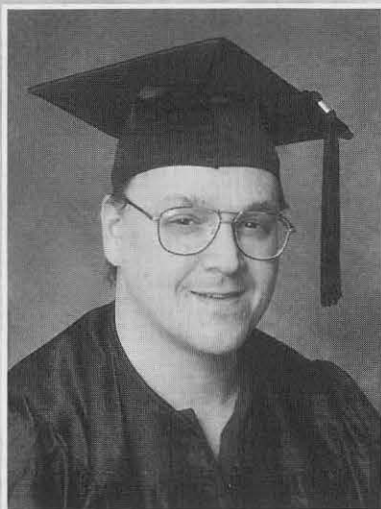


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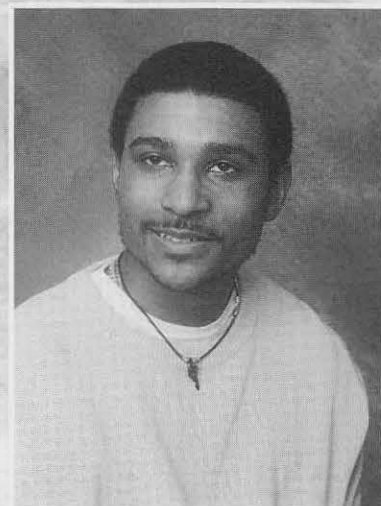
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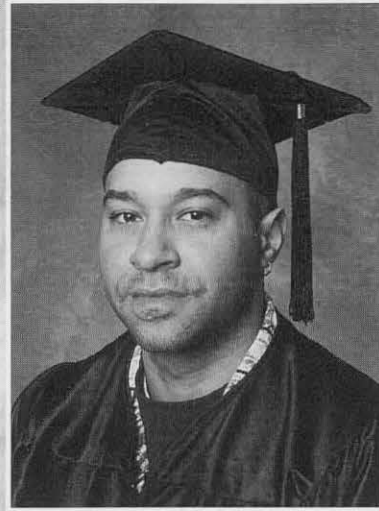
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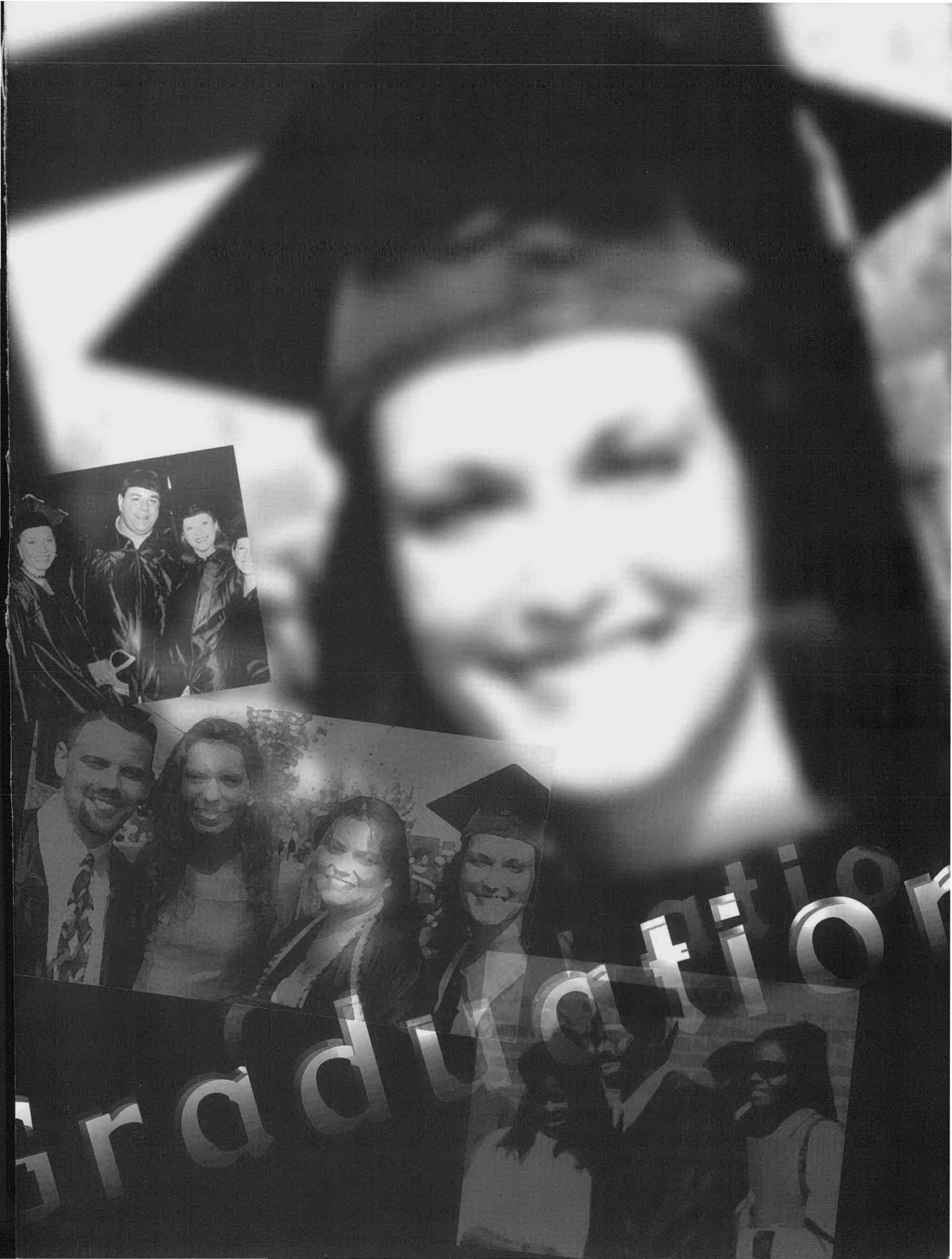
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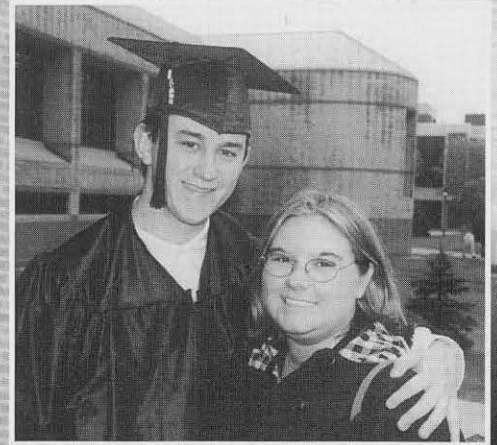
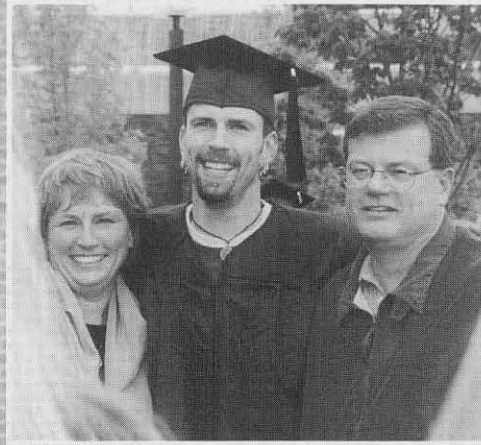
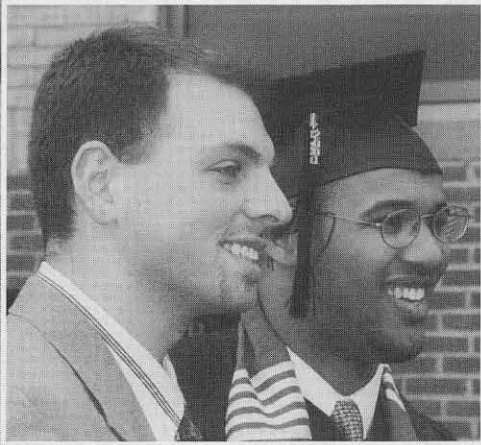


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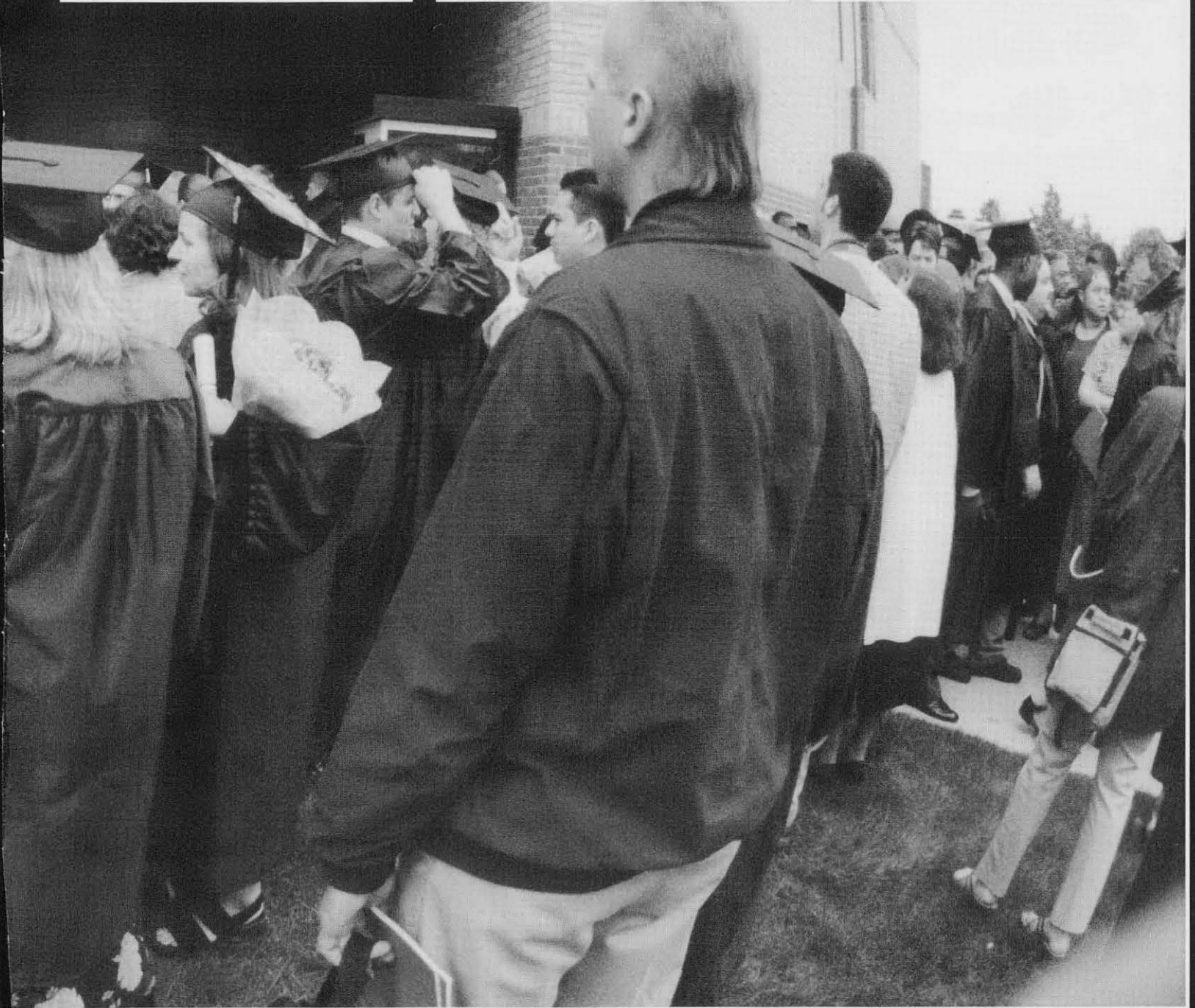


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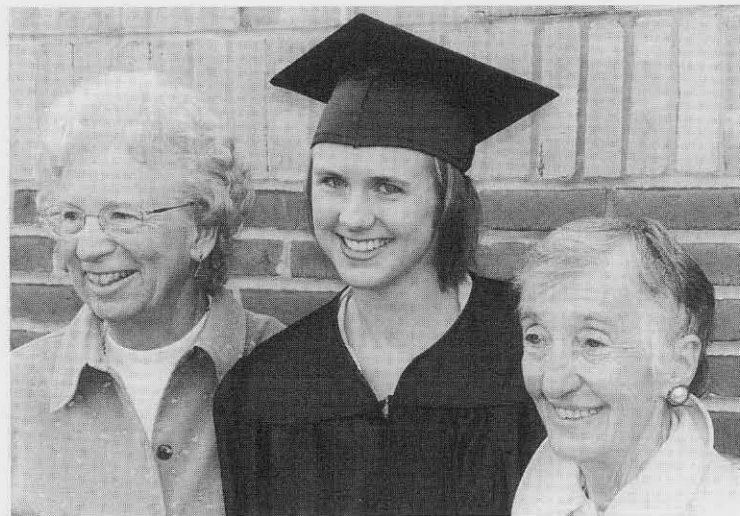
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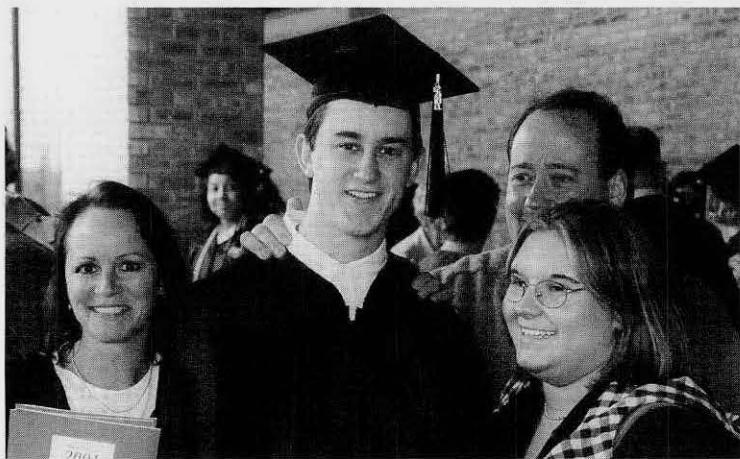
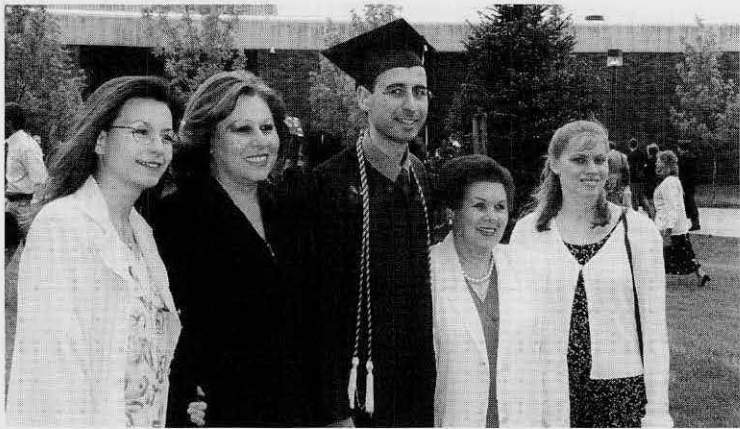
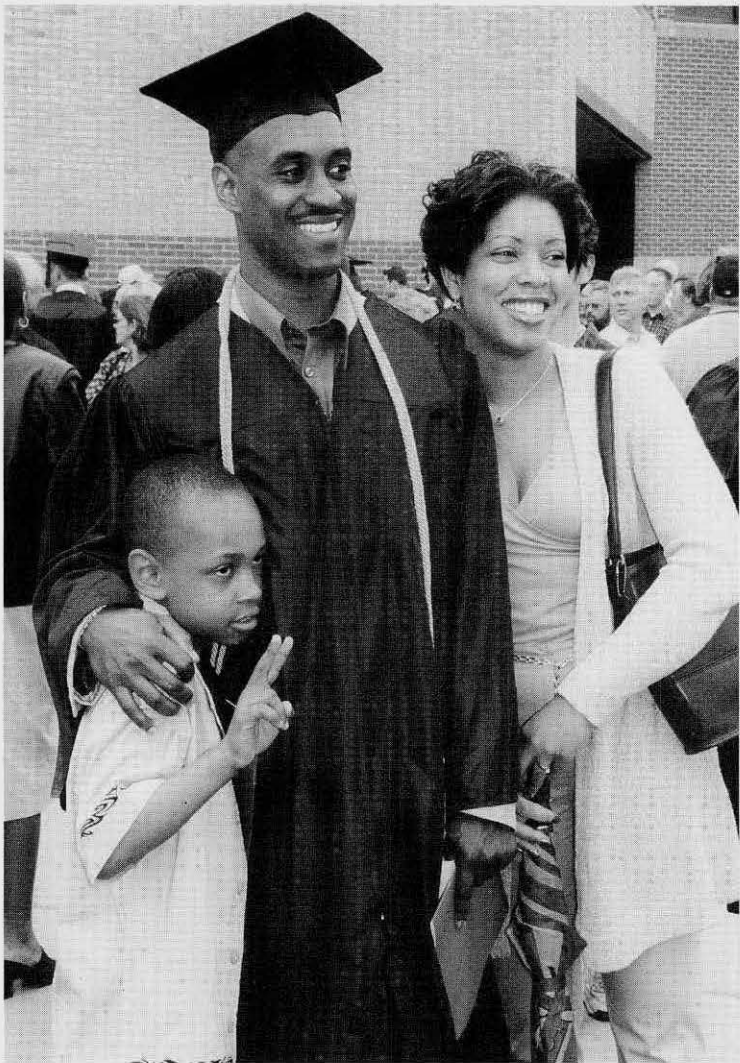
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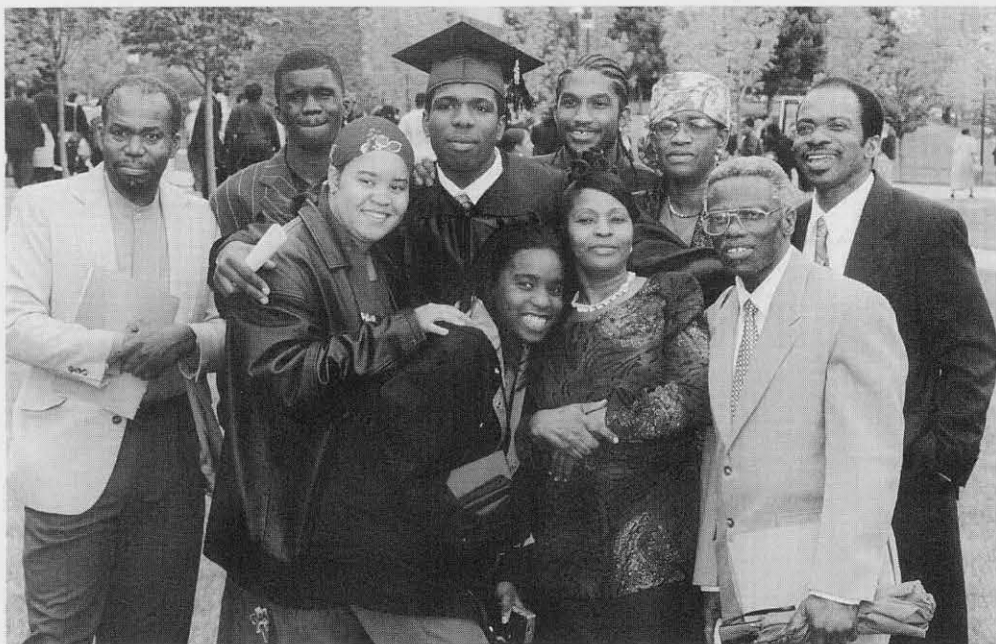
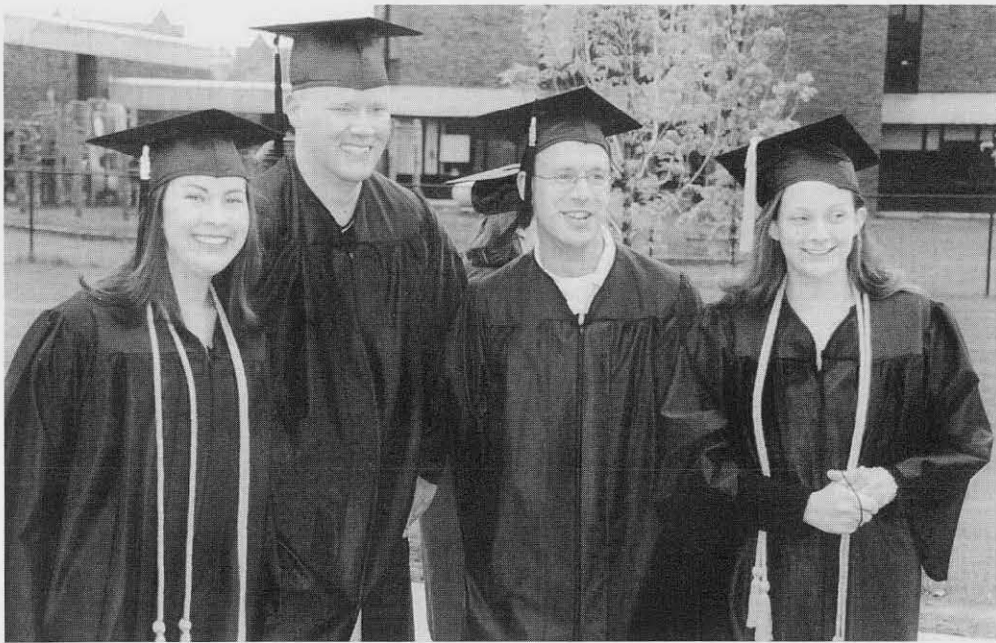
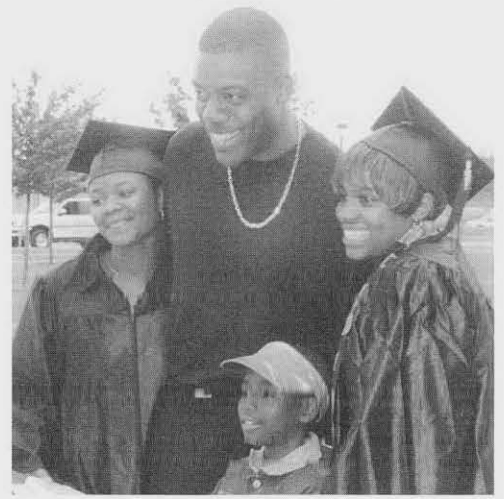
Graduating seniors gathered with their families and friends outside the BSC Sports Arena on an overcast but pleasant spring day. They paused for greetings and photos before entering the Arena for the Commencement Ceremony.



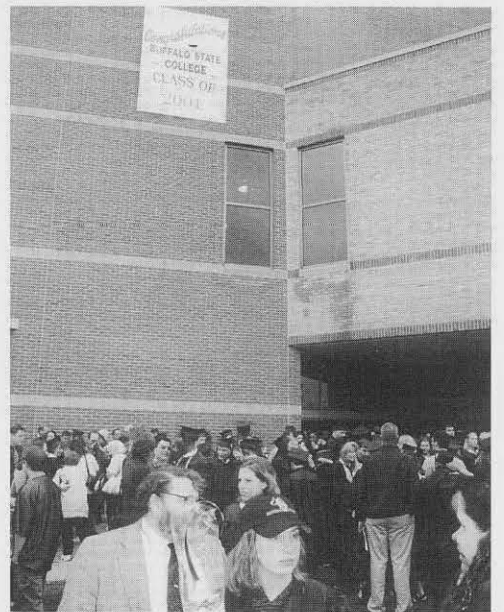
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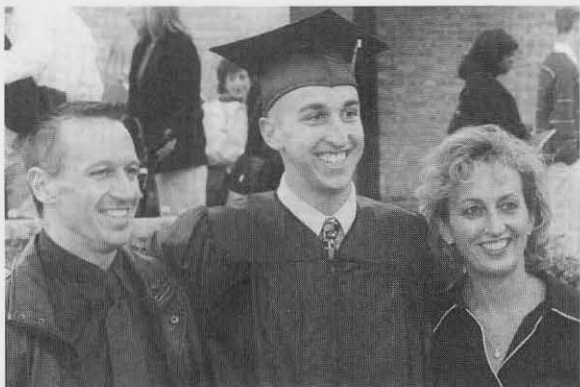
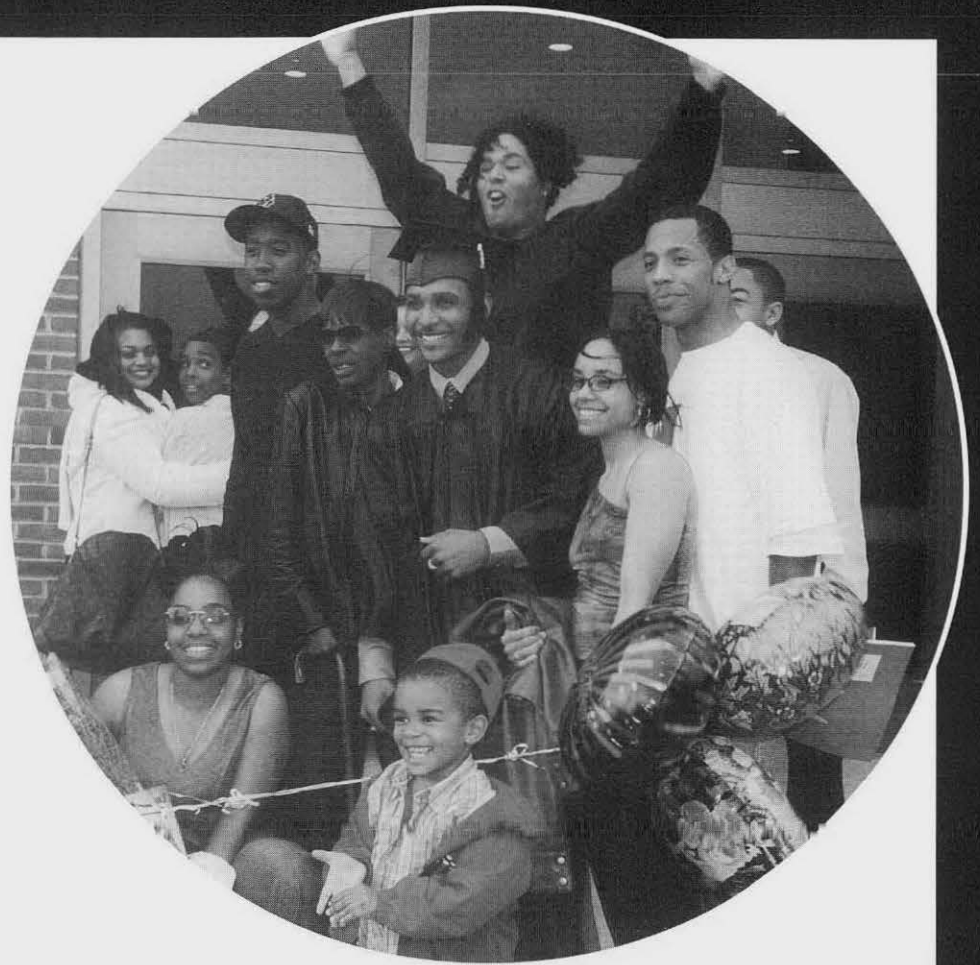
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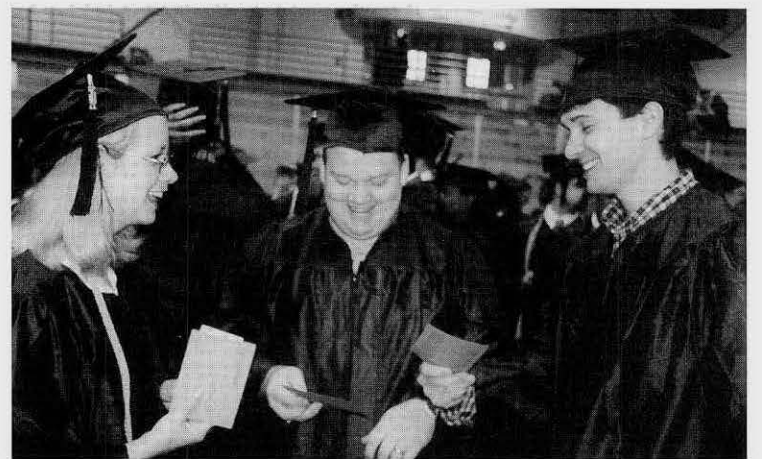
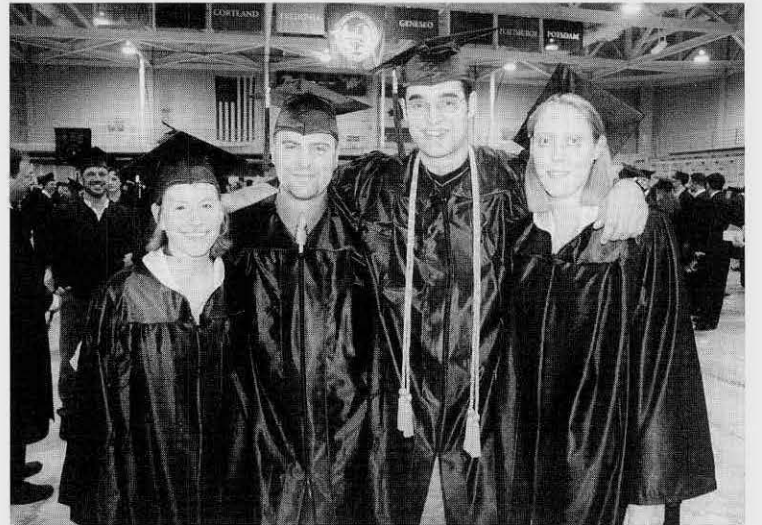


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Flowers, balloons, caps, gowns – and lots of smiles – were all easily found at graduation.

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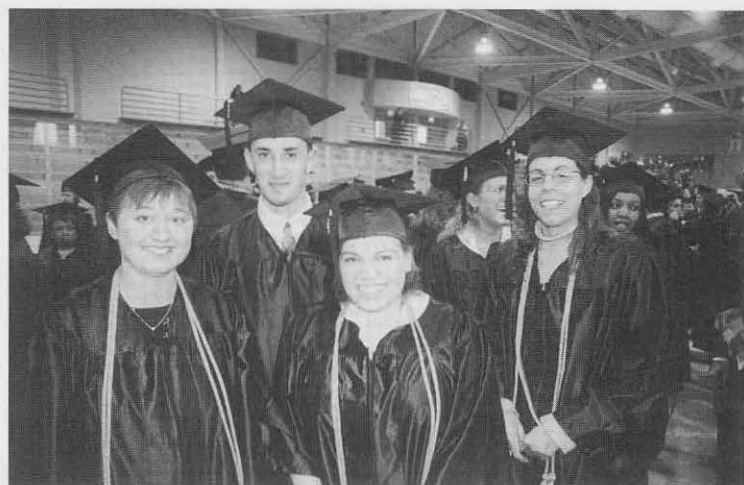


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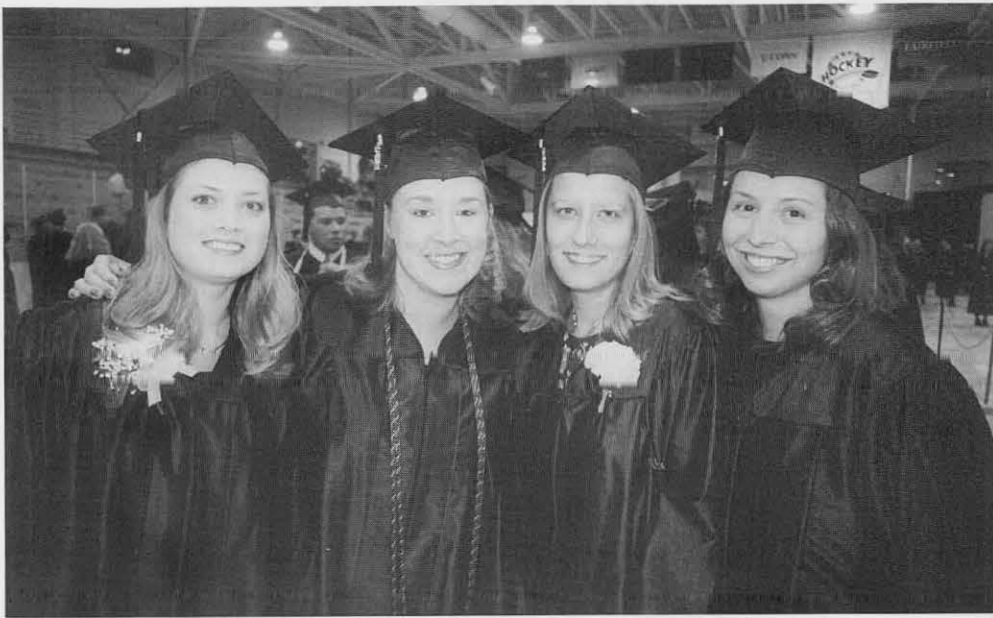
Once inside the sports complex, the graduates assembled in the ice rink (without ice for the day) while their guests found seats in the Arena. As they gathered, the candidates signed-in and helped each other with those pesky mortarboards.



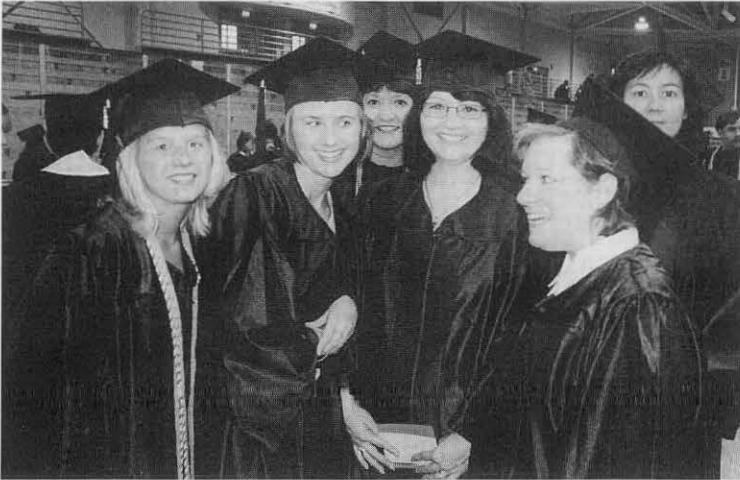
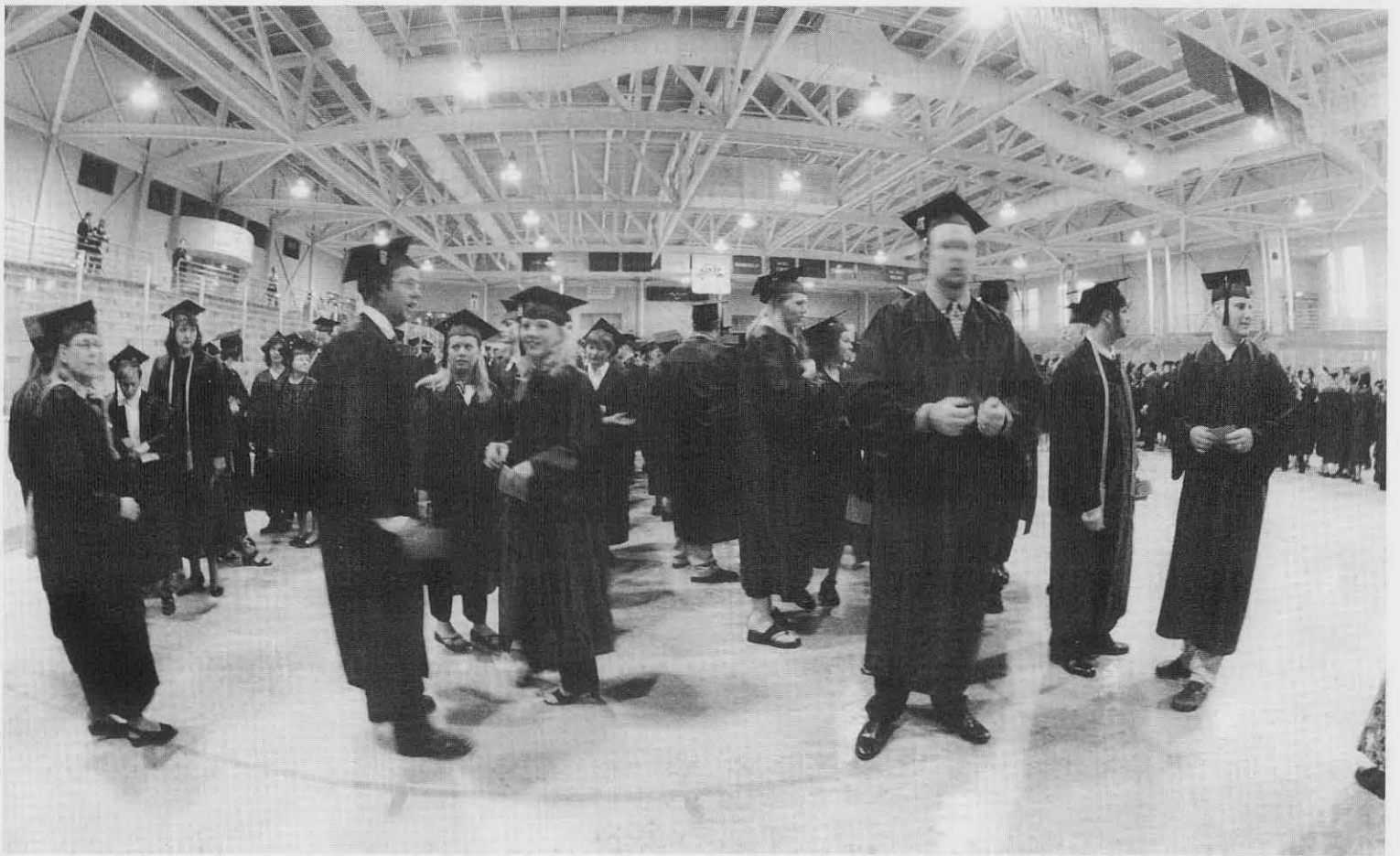
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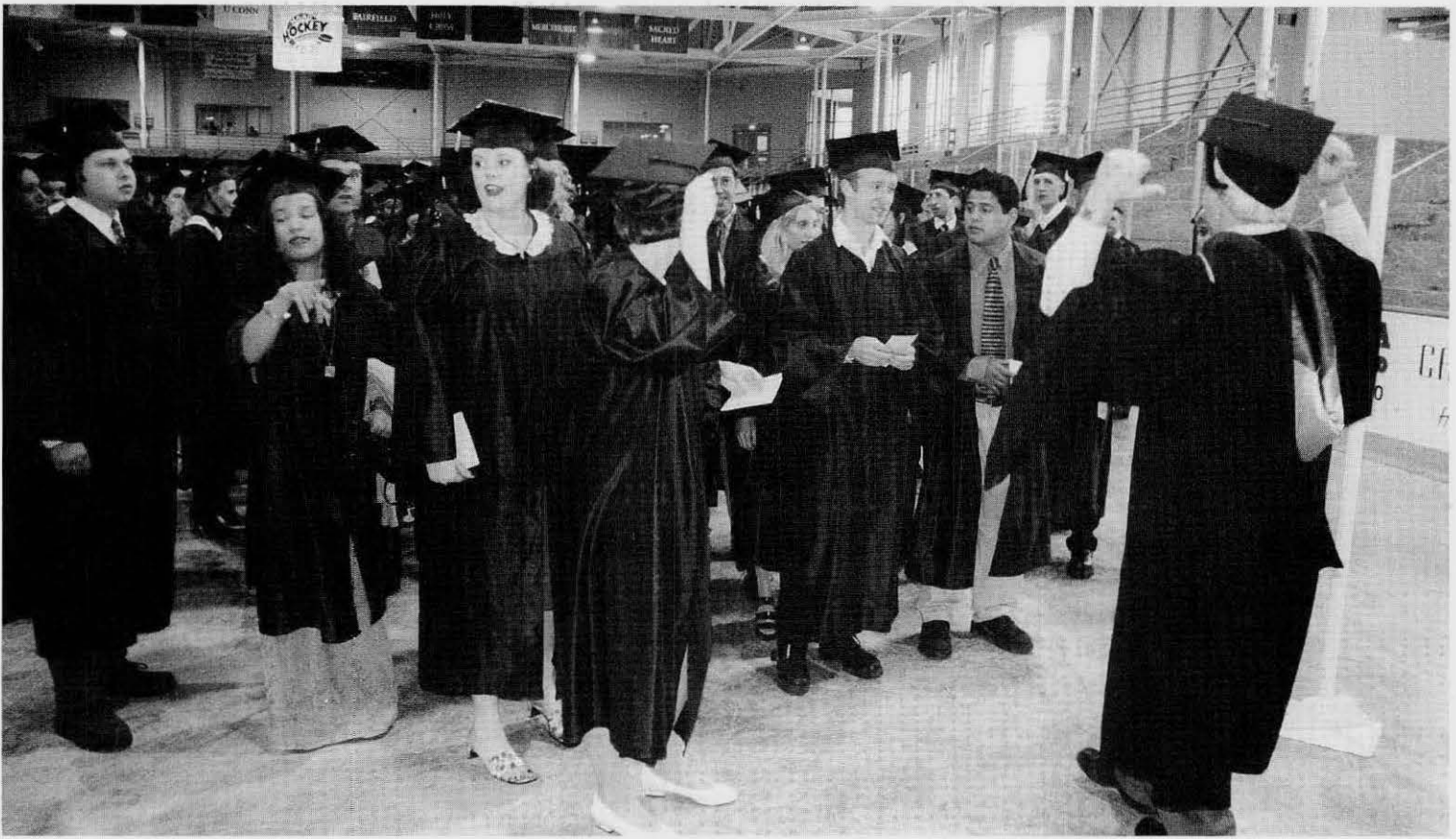
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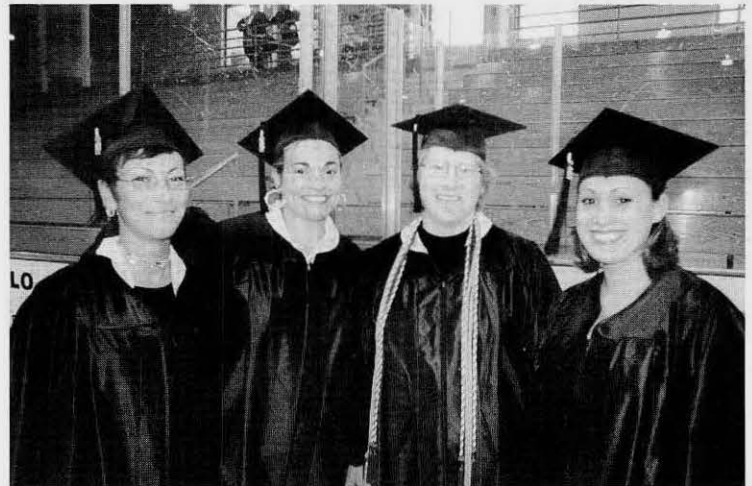
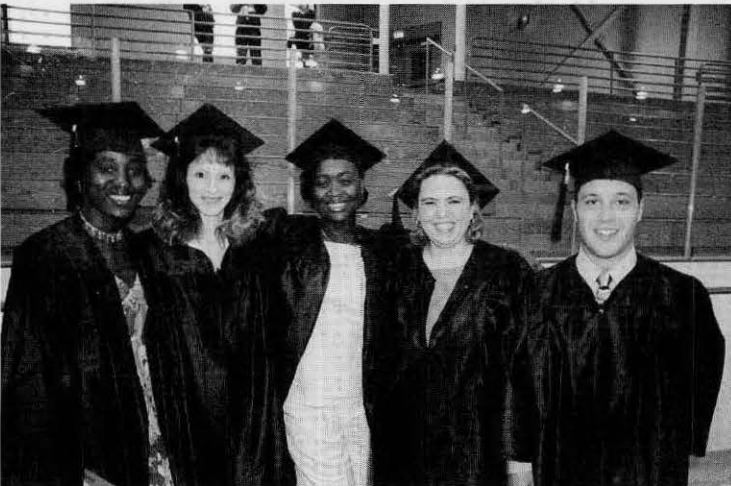
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Finally the waiting is over and everyone is lined-up and ready to march.



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The Ceremony

Two Academy Award winners – Rita Moreno, who won a 1962 Oscar for her portrayal of Anita in *West Side Story*, and 1975 alumna Deborah Oppenheimer, a 2001 Oscar winner for her film *Into the Arms of Strangers: Stories of the Kindertransport* – were on hand for this year's commencement ceremonies.

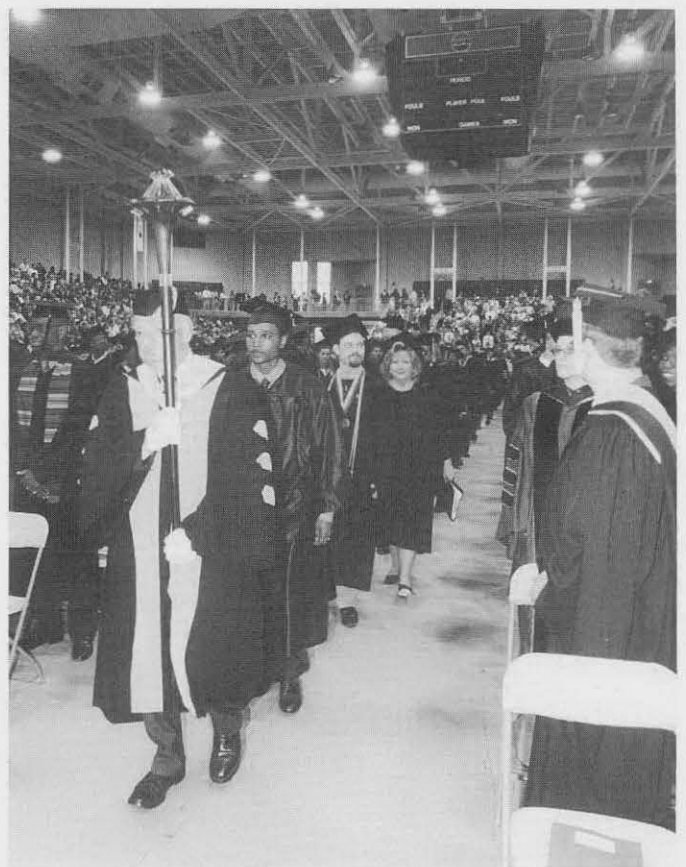
There were two baccalaureate ceremonies – one at 10 a.m., the other at 2 p.m. – to award degrees to the 1,643 graduates who completed their studies in December 2000, May 2001 or August 2001. The college's master's hooding ceremony was held at 6 p.m. to award degrees and certificates of advanced study to 528 students.

Business major Antoine Des'War Williams delivered the student address and Starr Rae Wooden received the President's Medal for Outstanding Undergraduate Student. SUNY Chancellor's Awards for Student Excellence were given to student journalist and history major Jonathan Litwin and education major Carol Szalach.

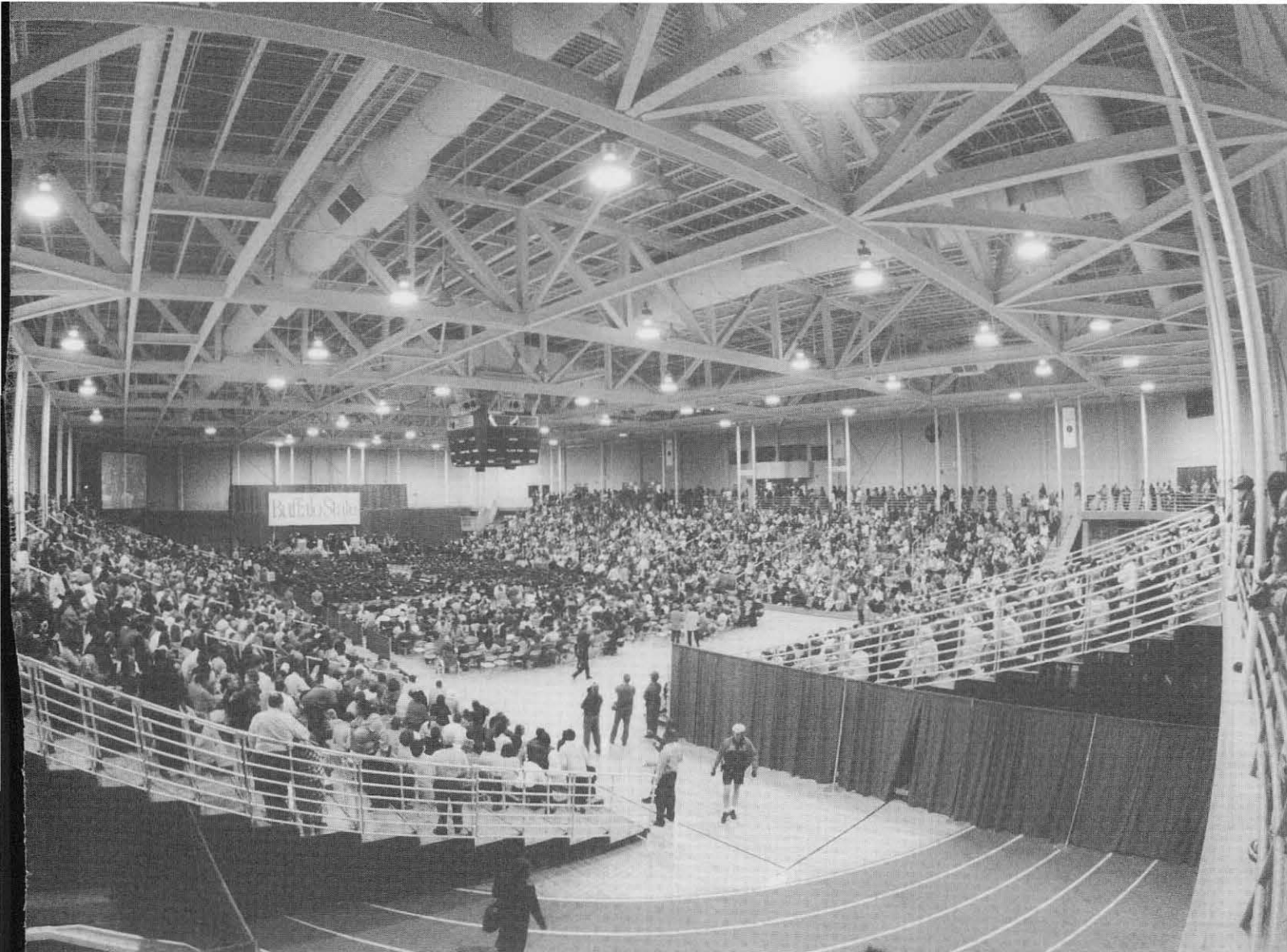
Moreno, after an introduction by BSC grad and TV producer Tom Fontana, delivered the keynote address at both baccalaureate ceremonies. She also received a State University of New York Honorary Doctorate of Fine Arts at the afternoon ceremony. Moreno is the only female performer to have won all four of the most prestigious show business awards: the Oscar, the Emmy, the Tony and the Grammy.

Distinguished Alumnus Awards were given to Oppenheimer and Scott Baxter, a 1984 graduate and founder and chief executive officer of Vesta Technologies. Oppenheimer is the executive producer of the hit ABC television comedy series *The Drew Carey Show*, now in its sixth season, as well as ABC's *Norm*, and WB's *Nikki* and *The Oblongs*. The documentary *Into the Arms of Strangers* marked her feature film debut. Prior to forming Vesta, Baxter served as founder, chairman and chief executive officer of Hawk Holdings and executive vice president and chief strategy officer for the Internet telecommunications company, Qwest Communications.

Monroe Fordham, professor emeritus of History and Social Studies Education, received a SUNY Honorary Doctorate of Humane Letters. Lauded for his contributions to the location, reclamation and rescue of New York State's African American history, Fordham is co-founder of the Afro-American Historical Association of the Niagara Frontier.



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Rita Moreno - Commencement Address and Honorary Degree



Deborah Oppenheimer - Distinguished Alumnus

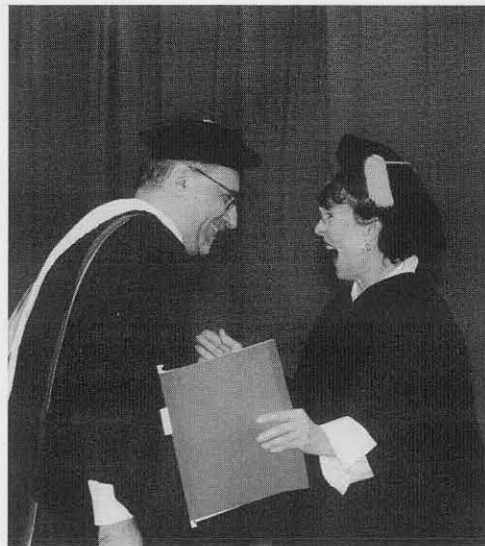


Monroe Fordham receives his Honorary Doctorate

Speakers...



Oppenheimer speaks to the graduates



Tom Fontana introduced Moreno

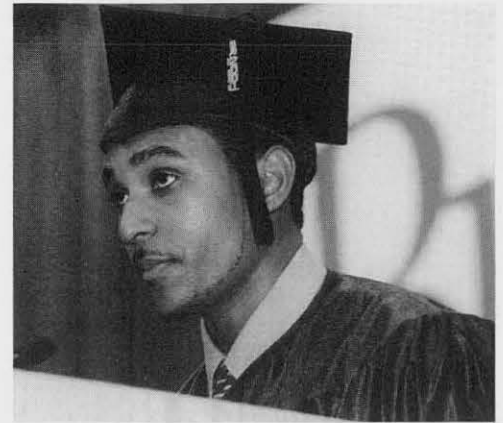


Moreno addresses the gathering

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Starr Rae Wooden receives the President's Medal from President Howard, as softball coach Sandy Hollander looks on.



Antoine Williams - Student Address



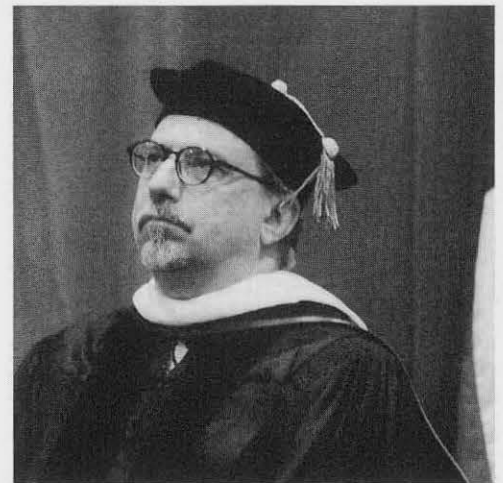
Carol Szalach - SUNY Chancellor's Award



Jonathan Litwin acknowledges applause for his SUNY Chancellor's Award



Scott Baxter - Distinguished Alumnus



Tom Fontana

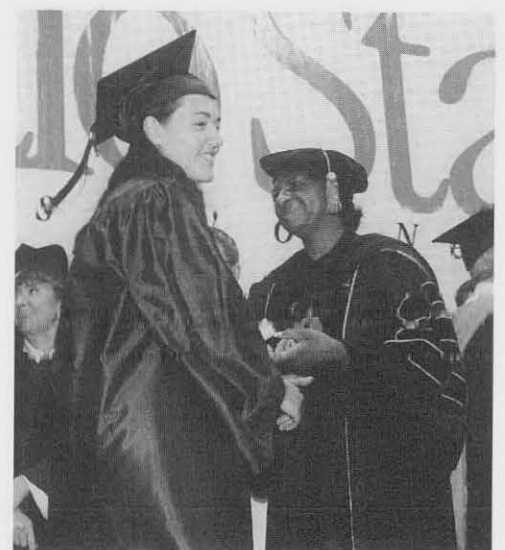
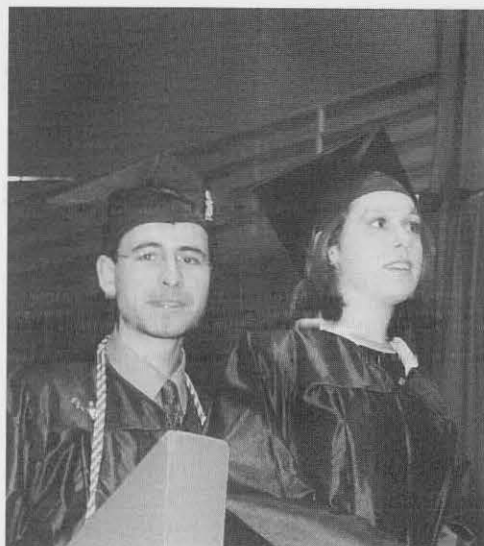
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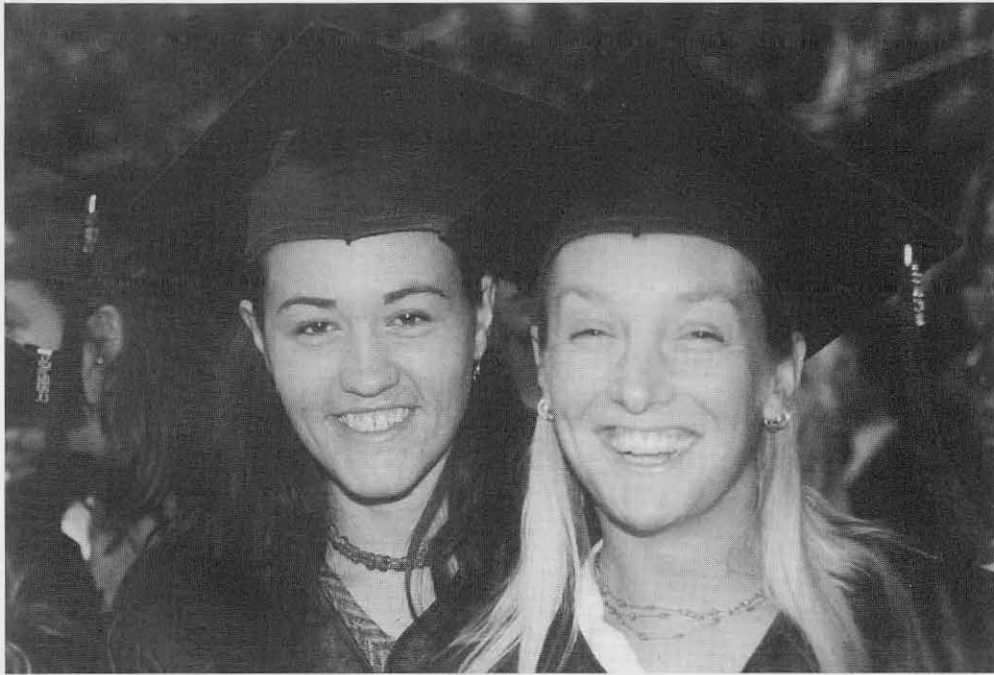


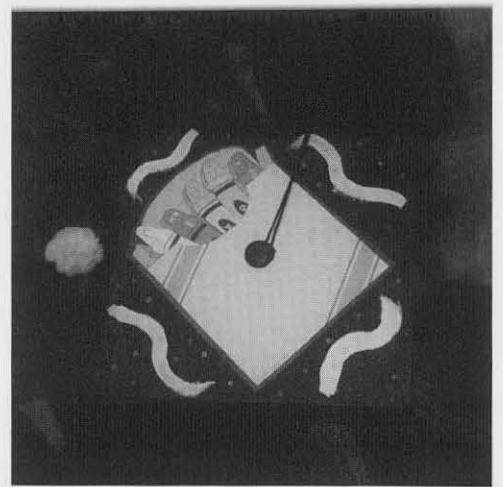
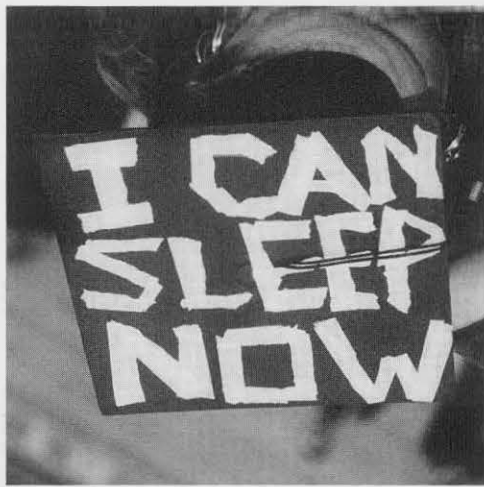
Time to "Walk!"

As proud families and friends watched, the graduates walked up onto the stage and received diplomas and congratulations.

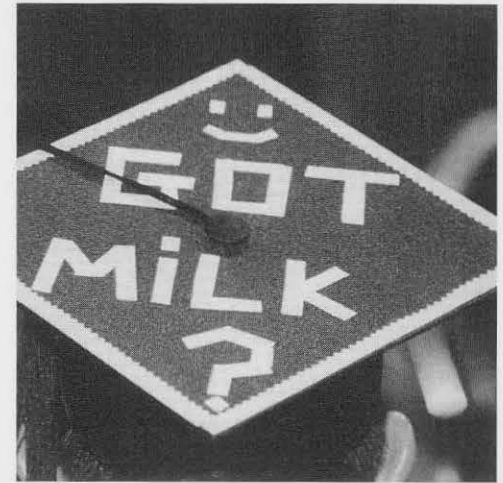
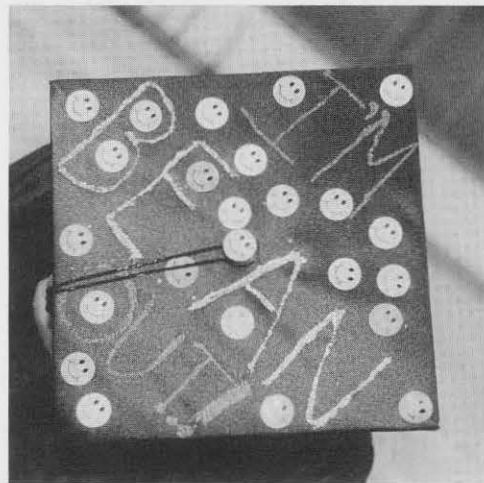


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Some graduates expressed themselves on their mortarboards – usually relief or gratitude (though sometimes only they knew what it meant).

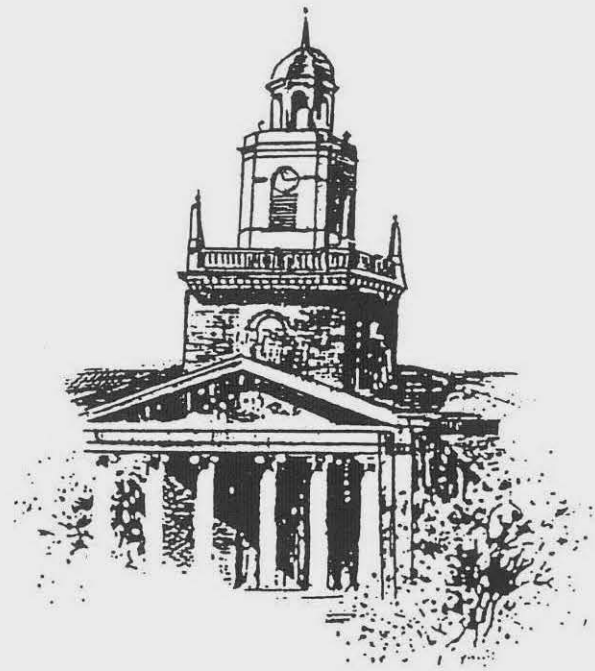


A reception tent in the Union Quad topped off the day's events.

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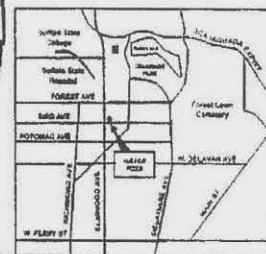
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