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Dear Members of the Class of 1999,

Yours is truly an historic class -- the last class to graduate from Bridgewater State College in the twentieth century, and we are very proud of you. Throughout your years at Bridgewater your accomplishments have contributed significantly to the advancement of our reputation as one of New England's finest and most respected institutions of public higher education, and we are very grateful to you.

I hope this yearbook will serve to bring you happy memories of your time at Bridgewater, because these were eventful years for you and for the college. For example, just as you arrived as freshmen, the John Joseph Moakley Center for Technological Applications opened, and a new era in teaching and learning began at your alma mater. Two years later, the MBTA restored commuter rail to southeastern Massachusetts, and the station for Bridgewater opened right on the campus, providing easy access to the city of Boston and its many educational and cultural attractions. Also, yours was a class that benefited from the fact that in-state undergraduate tuition was reduced four years in a row -- which I'm sure was good news to you.

As the college prepares to enter its third century of service, the class of '99 will always occupy a special place in our hearts and minds. I hope and trust you will remain active and interested in the affairs of the college and please be assured you are always welcome on campus.

On behalf of the entire Bridgewater family, I wish you well in all of your future endeavors.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

Adrian Tinsley
President
Dedication

The 1999 BSC Yearbook staff and the College community would like to take this opportunity to recognize the hard work and continuous commitment made to the school by the following people. Nominated by their peers, these individuals have distinguished themselves and deserve to be recognized for their achievements.

Dr. George Weygand

He graduated from Bridgewater as a member of the Class of 1953 and has dedicated the past 40+ years to teaching at BSC. He will be retiring this year and will be performing his final duty as Graduation Marshal on May 22, 1999. He is a past Dinardo Teaching Award winner and the President of the Alumni Association.

Over the long life of the college, now approaching 160 years, few faculty and staff have managed to accumulate four decades of service. It would be safe to say that even fewer have attained the level of affection and respect associated with Dr. Weygand’s name. His service to the college as a whole and to students in particular has been extraordinary. He is a remarkable teacher with a national reputation for excellence in the teaching of physics, and he is an equally remarkable human being who has devoted his career to Bridgewater State College. A person of his stature comes along only seldom in any college’s or university’s existence; we are fortunate indeed that Dr. Weygand came along when we could benefit from our relationship with him. -President Adrian Tinsley

Dr. Henry Fanning

He has retired from BSC after 35 years of dedicated service to the students and the college. His service to the students extended well past their graduation. Innumerable students continue to seek his tutelage with both their graduate education and career choices. As Jim Plotner, a long time colleague of Dr. Fannings, mentioned in his remarks at Dr. Fannings retirement party, “Henry’s business was about people; students, faculty, staff and just about everyone else who walked the campus.” We wish him the best of luck with his future endeavors.

Dr. Mary Lou Thornberg

She dedicated 25+ years to the students in the Phys Ed department and just as she was about to retire, the school of Ed. had no dean. She was asked to postpone her retirement plans for one year and take over until a dean was hired. She has now been in that acting position for two years. She has been instrumental as a leader in the effort to improve the BSC fields and insure a new field house for the year 2000 for BSC students. Due to her efforts, all the students at BSC are able to enjoy the quality fields for sports and recreation.

Joseph Huber

He began the Children’s Physical Development Clinic in 1973 and has directed it since then. Every week, he works with 80-100 disabled children and young adults (to 21) and 125 college students. The program is 2 eight week sessions per year but clinicians spend 10 saturdays each semester and at least one evening per week planning and working with Dr. Huber and his staff.

The clinic has been a great resource of personal satisfaction and learning for all students involved and a source of inspiration for many. He exemplifies what Bridgewater stands for, “not to be ministered unto, but to minister.”

Marie Murphy

She began her career at BSC at the age of 18 and earned her Bachelor’s degree attending school at night. She has been an assistant director in the office of Public Affairs and in charge of campus publications, such as the catalogue, Bridgewater Magazine, the viewbook, program brochures, in general, most of the print material on campus. She received a 25 year employee medallion at convocation last fall and has served both the college and the student body with dedication and excellence over that period of time.

Dr. Leslie Angell

She has been a dedicated faculty member in the English department for many years and spends enormous amounts of time with the students. She is always concerned that students appreciate the value of a liberal arts education and takes time out of her busy schedule to counsel them on personal issues as well as academic problems. She is a valuable asset to the college community.

Heather Lindsey

The yearbook staff, without our editor’s knowledge, would like to dedicate this book to its editor-in-chief, Heather Lindsey. Heather has been on staff for the last four years; three of which she has served as editor-in-chief. Heather has shown great dedication to this yearbook program by trying with each passing year to publish the best yearbook possible. Without you Heather, this book wouldn’t have been possible over these last four years. -Nicole and the 1999 yearbook staff
Bridgewater State College, one of the oldest public colleges in America, is rich in history and tradition. The college first opened its doors in Sept. 1840, when the U.S. was still a young nation. Nicholas Tillinghast, a graduate of West Point and a former instructor at the Academy, was the first principal of the school. There were seven men and twenty-one women in the initial class.

The first floor of the former Town Hall was the school’s home from 1840 to 1846, when a perminate building was constructed on the present quadrangle. This was the first building erected in America for the preparation of teachers.

In 1921, Bridgewater was one of five state normal schools empowered to award the Bachelor of Science in Education degree. In 1932, the school became Bridgewater State Teacher’s College and in 1937 the college began offering graduate courses. A full-fledged, multi-purpose liberal arts curriculum was introduced in 1960 and the degree Bachelor of Arts was added.
Today, the college has grown to more than 9,000 full and part time students, faculty and staff. While maintaining a strong liberal arts emphasis and historical strength in teaching education, BSC has expanded significantly into several professional fields, such as social work, computer science, aviation science and management science.

President Tinsley, while speaking at the 150th anniversary held on Oct. 26, 1990, said, "When the chronicle of these challenging and uncertain times is finally completed, I believe it will be said that we at BSC remained committed to preserving the strength of our academic program; that every BSC student had the opportunity to develop sensitivity and wisdom; and that the quality of the learning experience remained consistently high. Given our history and heritage, we have no other choice."

BSC is an institution with a distinguished history and an exciting future.

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Bridgewater State College Stats.
Undergraduate Majors: 29
Grad. School Degrees: 38
Faculty Members: 260+
Student Body: approx. 9,000
A Few Words About...

CONVOCATION
The senior class and assorted staff assembled in the Auditorium on September 25 to mark the beginning of a new year at the BSC fall convocation-a tradition which goes back to WWII. The celebration focused on congratulating the last class to graduate before the end of the century. The celebration also marked the tenth anniversary of President Tinsley’s taking charge of BSC.

The Group That Can’t Stay Out Of Trouble
The BSC Bands were out in force at the beginning of the year recruiting new members for the different band programs. The Wind Ensemble, the Jazz Band and the Marching Band all looked for new members to join the ranks of the infamous group who can’t stay out of trouble, a tradition which began a few years ago with the inaugural season of the Marching Band.

The King & Queen of BSC
Solomon Tsegai and Karina Viaud were elected by their peers as the Homecoming King and Queen this past fall. Tsegai is an Aviation/Management/Science major, and Viaud is majoring in Psychology. Both will graduate Class of ‘99.

Stories of the Year

Students vs. ACC
Students stood up for their rights in the continuing battle between BSC & ACC.

Congressman @ BSC
Barney Frank paid a visit to the college and spoke about the changes taking place in Washington.

Rally on Campus
A rally for Affirmative Action was held in front of Boyden by members of different clubs to promote equality.

Seniors Networking
The Office of Career Services sponsored a networking event for seniors in which Alumni from diverse career fields discussed employment opportunities and job search strategies.

BSC S.T.A.R.’S
The Rising S.T.A.R. program involves thirty-two BSC students and stands for Students Teaching Awesome Readers. BSC is among 14 area colleges involved in the program.
Campus News & Events

During the past year, a lot has happened here at BSC. Many exciting events took place, new policies were implemented, and the face of BSC changed with the times.

Henry Rollins @ BSC
Henry Rollins put on a memorable show February 11 that touched on many different issues including avoiding boredom and solving the crisis in the Middle East. It was quite a night.

A Decade of Service
Spring Commencement will mark the 10th anniversary of President Tinsley at BSC. Her contributions to the college have improved the life of students and faculty and made BSC a better place for all.

Remember when these events took place?

Teacher Test Triumph
Good news for all the education majors who took the notorious Massachusetts Teacher’s Test in April and July of 1998. BSC had the highest percentage of students pass the difficult exam which consists of three sections, Reading, Writing and Subject Areas. According to the overall state results, over half the students who took the test failed, making the accomplishment of BSC students who passed all the more fulfilling. Congratulations to all who tried and accomplished what appeared to be impossible.

New Ways To Learn
Dean Howard London brought a new method of learning to the BSC campus this past semester: Learning Communities. This program is designed to bring students together to collaborate with each other about a variety of topics and to help them develop better communication and problem solving skills, as well as learning to think better across disciplinary boundaries and lower their risk of dropping out of college. These new learning communities have generated a lot of enthusiasm among students and the courses offered are in popular demand.

HOBA Turns 11 Years Old
In 1987, the Hall of Black Achievement was formed at BSC in order to “discover, detail and disclose the significant achievements and contributions of people of color.” Eleven years after its formation, HOBA inducted two more members into its esteemed group of African American achievers. Other awards were given out to deserving people at a banquet held in the Campus Center Ballroom.

New Standards Set For Admission
Any High School senior who wishes to attend BSC in the fall will be facing a new set of standards for admission. All prospective students must have a 3.0 G.P.A. and a S.A.T. score of 1025. These new standards are designed to attract students who are serious about education and who want to excell in college. Many current students are breathing a sigh of relief that they made it to college before the new standards were set in place. A majority of the students attending BSC would not have been accepted with the new standards, and the college would have missed out on a lot of good students and wonderful accomplishments.
WBIM Holds Annual Benefit
The Rathskeller was packed on Friday, March 26, 1999 for the annual “Safetunes” benefit. Students and their guests attended the event which was organized to raise funds for “Why Me Inc.,” an organization which helps children with cancer. The benefit raised well over $400 and the attendance exceeded all expectations.

BSC Students Help Habitat for Humanity
Over spring break, ten BSC students were in Tampa, Florida helping others who were less fortunate. This is the fifth year that Bridgewater State College has participated in the Habitat for Humanity Collegiate Challenge Program. Habitat for Humanity is an organization that helps people obtain affordable housing. BSC was a proud participant.

The opinions of a few of your fellow BSC Students about...

Q: What’s your lottery # and what’s it worth? A: Priceless. We just didn’t want to live with Ray.
Jeff Carreau & Ross Cocchi

Q: What do you think of the BSC student athletes? A: I work my ass off.
Soloman Tsegai

Q: What’s your favorite thing to do in the warm weather? A: Look at naughty boys.
Katie Connors

Q: If you were a kitchen appliance, what would you be? A: Blender because I shake things up!
Lindsay Gagne

Events We Won’t Soon Forget

NAMES Project Visits BSC
As part of AIDS Awareness week, the NAMES Project Memorial Quilt arrived at BSC for the fifth year and was sponsored by the HIV/AIDS task force, the Catholic Center and Health Services. Over 200 students and community members were able to view the quilt, which was displayed for four days. The entire quilt is made up of over 400 panels which are three by six feet in length. The NAMES Project has raised more than $2,500,000 for people with AIDS.

Big Bob’s Expands!
The long time hang out of BSC students expanded its territory into a Grille & Pub this past semester. Bob’s Grille is now open until 2a.m. and will serve its famous breakfast all day and all night long. The timing of the new Bob’s is perfect; right before Springfest and rumor has it that the best palace to party will be the new Bob’s.
BSC's Tennis Lady Bears slammed out a 6-3-0 season record. This season's number one player was Julie Mendillo and clinching the number two spot was Erin Salinpante. Congrats on a great season!

Athletic Highights

Field Hockey Wins 3-2

The Lady Bears rebounded from a loss to Endicott to defeat Wheelock 3-2. Jen Gately and Nicole Doherty scored the game winning goals.

Men's B-Ball defeats UMASS

The BSC Bears upset UMass Dartmouth with an 82-64 victory. Although the game was close at the end of the first half, the Bears came out fighting in the second and clinched the win.

Ice Hockey Awarded For Good Season

The BSC Bears Men's Ice Hockey Club officially closed out their first season back on the BSC campus by having a ceremony to celebrate their on-ice accomplishments over the past few months. Coached by Andy Holman, the Bears made their presence felt throughout the club circuit. Congratulations to the BSC Bears Ice Hockey Club for a fantastic first season!

BSC Pet Peeves

What the students really think

- ACC
- Registration
- Room lottery
- $ Bookstore $
- Fire alarms
- 8am classes
- GER'S
- Tilly Food
- Final Exams
- Parking
- Financial Aid
- No Alcohol

Last years regional softball winners began their 1999 season on the right foot with a 2-0 record. They have great expectations for their season.

Women's Lacross team began the season on fire with a three game winning streak that is sure to carry them through the rest of the season.
"I was happy. I was satisfied just to make the court, but overly satisfied that I won."

-Karian Viaud on being elected Homecoming Queen

"I've made best friends for life. My experience here at BSC has been great."

-Solomon Tsegai reflects after being elected Homecoming King
Homecoming

This year's Homecoming followed the new tradition started in '96 with the shouts and cheers at the pep rally and then ventured on to the bonfire. The Homecoming parade contributed to the school's spirit with floats based on the theme "A Broadway Extravaganza Paint the Town Red and White." BSC had an excellent turnout at all the events. The 1998 homecoming king and queen were Solaman Tsegai and Karina Viaud.
Convocation 1999
A total collapse of the Russian ruble sends world markets into chaos. Boris Yeltsin asks Viktor Chernomyrdin to head the government to help restore political and economic stability.

French high school students demand more teachers, better equipment and buildings and a lighter course load in an October protest in Paris. The French government designates $40 million annually over the next four years, as well as 1,000 new teaching posts.

In a dangerous escalation of hostile feelings in the area, India begins nuclear bomb testing in response to Pakistan's testing of the Ghauri missile.

On September 2, Swissair Flight 111 crashes in the sea in Peggy's Cove, Nova Scotia, Canada, killing all 229 passengers and crew aboard. A cockpit wiring fire is the suspected cause of the disaster.

A discotheque fire in Goteborg, Sweden, kills 67 teens and injures several more, making it the deadliest fire in modern Swedish history. Arson is the suspected cause of the October fire.

After a U.N. drug summit in which 150 countries endorse an anti-drug campaign, the U.S. vows to spend an estimated $1 billion over the next five years on anti-drug advertising, corporate and civic partnerships and promotion.

A memorial commemorating the first anniversary of the death of Princess Diana and Dodi Fayed is put on display in London's Harrods department store, which is owned by Dodi's father.

In retaliation for the African embassy bombings, the U.S. attacks a suspected chemical weapons factory in the capital of Sudan and a terrorist training camp in Afghanistan, and launches a worldwide search for suspected mastermind Osama bin Laden.
On August 7, powerful bombs explode outside the U.S. embassies in Kenya and Tanzania killing 248 people, including 12 Americans, and injuring more than 5,000.

NASA and Russia will conduct 45 missions to launch and assemble the International Space Station Alpha. Set for completion by 2004, the station will be powered by almost an acre of solar panels and will weigh almost one million pounds.

The remains of Czar Nicholas II and his family, killed in 1918 in Central Russia and buried in a mass grave, are exhumed and laid to rest in St. Petersburg.

President Clinton becomes the first U.S. leader to visit China since the Tiananmen Square massacre in 1989. Many criticize Clinton for his apparent leniency toward China's human rights restrictions.

Hurricane Mitch ravages parts of Central America and kills more than 10,000 people, making it the second deadliest storm in the region's history.

After months of negotiations, Swiss banks and Jewish groups reach a $1.25 billion settlement in a lawsuit filed by thousands of Holocaust survivors to recover lost savings.

John Hume and David Trimble, Northern Ireland's two main political party leaders, win the Nobel Peace Prize for their efforts to end the violence that has plagued the British province for three decades.

After a stop in Mexico City in January 1999, Pope John Paul II arrives in St. Louis, Missouri, and celebrates Mass with over 100,000 people in attendance.

In January 1999, an earthquake that measures 6.0 on the Richter scale hits Colombia killing over 1,000 people.

King Hussein of Jordan, 63, dies on February 7, 1999, of lymphatic cancer. Hussein's 47-year reign made him the Middle East's longest-serving leader.

On January 1, 1999, the euro debuts as the new currency in 11 European Common Market countries. It will be three more years before euro coins and cash are officially put into circulation.
Convicted killer Martin Gurule escapes death row and is later found drowned in a nearby river. Gurule is the first Texas inmate to escape death row since 1934.

President Clinton becomes the second president in history to be impeached. The House of Representatives charges him with two counts of obstruction of justice and perjury. The Senate acquits Clinton after a five-week trial.

The U.S. Treasury unveils a new $20 bill designed to be much harder to counterfeit and more capable of withstanding heavy abuse.

President Clinton declares the entire state of Florida a disaster area after fires burn over 300,000 acres and damage or destroy 150,000 homes.

A massive Millennium Clock in New York City's garment district counts down the days, hours, minutes and seconds to the year 2000.

After 50 years of work, the face of Crazy Horse is revealed at the South Dakota monument. When completed, the memorial, carved out of a mountain, will be the largest sculpture in the world.

Sixteen of the 24 glass beads that historians believe were used to buy Manhattan Island from Native Indians in 1626 are donated to the Indian Museum of North America located at the Crazy Horse Memorial.

In June, African-American James Byrd Jr., 49, is chained to the back of a truck and dragged to his death in Jasper, Texas, by three men, two of whom have ties to white supremacists.
Mentally unstable Russell Eugene Weston Jr. charges into the U.S. Capitol building on July 24 and fatally shoots Special Agent John Gibson and Officer Jacob Chestnut.

Northwest Airlines pilots strike for 17 days in August and September causing more than 27,000 canceled flights and a loss of $338 million.

In response to family pressure, DNA testing confirms that remains buried in the Tomb of the Unknowns are those of Michael J. Blassie, an Air Force pilot shot down in Vietnam.

In summer 1998, North Texas temperatures exceed 100 degrees for 45 days. The state's heat death toll climbs to 132 and fires burn over 344,000 acres.

In August, General Motors Corporation and United Auto Workers reach an agreement that ends an eight-week strike.

President Clinton announces the federal government ends the 1998 fiscal year with a budget surplus of $70 billion, the first surplus since 1969.

More than 280 colleges now admit some or all of their applicants without regard to SAT or ACT scores. Many schools say the system improves the academic quality and diversity of their student bodies.

DNA tests determine that Rebecca Chittum was unknowingly switched with Callie Conley at a Virginia hospital after their births three years ago. This case prompts a national debate on the need for stricter hospital procedures.

Reform Party candidate Jesse Ventura shocks the nation when he wins the race for governor of Minnesota in November. Ventura is a former Navy Seal, pro wrestler and action movie actor.
NASAs Lunar Prospector finds scattered pockets of ice beneath the lunar surface. The presence of water could enable astronauts to use the moon as a kind of space-based filling station.

An analysis of Eastern Seaboard weather shows it really does rain more frequently on weekends than during the week, an average of 22 percent more. Automobile emission patterns are the suspected cause of the phenomenon.

Apple's translucent aqua-blue iMac personal computer, its first consumer offering in years, is marketed mainly for Internet usage and, therefore, doesn't come with a disk drive. Its popularity soars and it soon becomes available in several other colors.

The comet Tempel-Tuttle causes a meteor storm when it passes by Earth. The comet will be visible again in fall 1999, after which it won't reappear for another 32 years.

Columbia University graduate student Elizabeth Brannon and psychology professor Herbert Terrace demonstrate that monkeys can master simple arithmetic on at least the level of a two-year-old child.

A study demonstrates that the more hours people spend on the Internet, the more depressed, stressed and lonely they feel.

John Glenn, 77, becomes the oldest astronaut when he undertakes a space shuttle mission in October, 36 years after his first space flight. Later, Glenn retires from a 24-year career in the U.S. Senate.

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The USDA announces that a 25-millisecond blast of 270-degree steam applied to meat kills 99.99 percent of the bacteria. This process follows the unpopular method of irradiation.

Paleontologists in Argentina discover thousands of shards of fossilized dinosaur eggs. Several shards contain the fossilized remains of unhatched embryos and their never-before-seen embryo skin.

Chemistry professor Claude Yoder co-authors “Interactive Chemistry,” a CD-ROM that uses animation to lead students through chemistry problems, eliminating the need for a textbook.

Researchers discover a gene that may cause the aggressive behavior of “killer bees.” This knowledge may help tame African bees, whose sting has deterred beekeepers from tending hives.

Researchers reveal a new technique that determines the sex of a baby before conception. This technique uses a laser detector that measures the DNA in sperm cells.

The FDA withholds medical approval of St. John’s Wort, the popular herbal supplement widely believed to relieve depression. However, American consumer demand has led to its use in everything from lipstick to potato chips.

On August 12, the $1 billion Titan 4 rocket explodes 42 seconds after liftoff. The rocket payload included a highly classified Defense Department satellite.

In August, renowned Houston heart surgeon Dr. Denton Cooley performs open-heart surgery which is broadcast live on the America's Health Network Internet website.

David Scott, who lost his left hand in a fireworks accident, receives the first U.S. human hand transplant in January 1999. Scott has regained limited motion in his donor hand.
A USA Today investigation reveals that many of the nation's safe-drinking water regulations are not being enforced. The report reveals that even the worst violations have just a 1 in 10 chance of drawing legal action.

Lovegety, a palm-sized matchmaking device, is the latest craze with Japanese teenagers. When it comes within 15 feet of another Lovegety, high-pitched beepers go off, lights flash, and the "love detectors" display whether the users' preset interests match. It's now available in the U.S.

PlayStation's "Crash Bandicoot: WARPED" supersedes its popular predecessors. Also new is Crash's sister Coco who gallops along the Great Wall of China and cruises through enemy-infested waters.

Furby, the year's must-have interactive toy, has a vocabulary of 200 words in both English and its own language, "Furbish." Furby knows when it is being petted, when the lights go out, when music starts, and if there's another Furby in the room.

WildEyes contact lenses feature several designs, including a starburst, black eight ball and cat's eyes. The $165 lenses come in prescription and non-prescription and don't interfere with eyesight.

Consumer groups demand the recall of Olestra from the market, or at least the adoption of strict guidelines as to its use, after thousands of people become sick from eating the popular fat substitute. However, studies suggest that chips made with Olestra do not cause greater stomach problems than regular chips.

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As the need for toll-free numbers greatly increases, the 887 prefix joins the 800 and 888 prefixes already in use.

A sleek, redesigned version of the '60s Volkswagen Beetle enters the market. Despite a May 1998 recall for wiring problems, the New Beetle is wildly popular.

Butterflies and dragonflies are the hot motif in the fashion world appearing on everything from clothes and bags to hair accessories and jewelry.

For $20-30 a day, trained professionals at dog and cat day cares will play with, read to, feed and pamper pets in their care.

Mr. Payroll is the first ATM that can cash a check – even for someone without a bank account. The machine “memorizes” facial features and matches them with a social security number to verify the user’s identity.

In hopes of reducing the divorce rate, the Florida legislature passes the nation’s first law requiring that high school students be taught marital and relationship skills.

In the wake of grim automobile accident statistics, California is one of several states to pass stricter teenage licensing laws.

Spurred by fierce competition, colleges and universities are going online to offer students a new way to get an education. Florida State and New York University are a few jumping on board.

Cargo pants invade stores and become the must-have piece of apparel for teens across the nation.

Pilates, a low-impact form of exercise that uses unique equipment and deep stretching techniques, becomes popular with men and women.

Rollerblade introduces durable, all-terrain in-line skates that can traverse dirt paths and rocky trails. The large-wheeled skates retail for a cool $600.

The average home Internet user spends 25 hours a year waiting for web pages to load.
Heartthrob George Clooney announces 1998-99 will be his last season on NBC's award-winning television drama, "ER."

NBC’s "Frasier" makes history by winning its fifth consecutive outstanding comedy series award at the 50th annual Emmy Awards. Kelsey Grammer, in the title role, wins his third Emmy as best comedy actor.

Tom Hanks stars in Steven Spielberg's Saving Private Ryan, an authentic recreation of World War II's D-Day. The film receives 11 Oscar nominations.

Trail Burner, a hand-held mountain bike racing game, uses motion sensors to turn corners and jump hills and water pits. Crashes make the handlebars vibrate.

Adam Sandler stars in the surprise hit The Waterboy, which earns a record $39.1 million in its November opening weekend.

Britain's best Scrabble players commemorate the popular board game's 50th anniversary in October by playing in London's Wembley Stadium using letter tiles the size of dining tables.

In November, ABC's "Spin City" star Michael J. Fox, 37, reveals he has Parkinson's disease. Fox underwent brain surgery in March 1998 in an attempt to relieve severe tremors.

Karl Malone and Dennis Rodman face off in a World Championship Wrestling tag-team match. The event pits Rodman and Hollywood Hulk Hogan against Malone and Diamond Dallas Page.

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Walt Disney's *A Bug's Life* is one of at least 15 animated feature films that will flood the nation's theaters in the next two years.

In May, Keiko arrives in his native Iceland to begin his assimilation to his new surroundings. The move concludes a four-year campaign to release the five-ton star of the movie *Free Willy.*

Players of Vertical Reality, a combination video game and amusement ride, shoot at moving targets on a 24-foot-tall screen and sit in chairs that rise with each successful hit. The winner rides to the top for a grand view.

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Alanis Morissette's new album, *Supposed Former Infatuation Junkie*, is released in November and vaults to No. 1. The album sells 469,000 copies in the first week.

In January 1999, the group 'N Sync wins Favorite New Pop/Rock Artist at the American Music Awards.

The Dixie Chicks' *Wide Open Spaces* is the fastest-selling debut album by a country music group. The group wins the Vocal Group of the Year award from the Country Music Association.

In nineteen-year-old Usher is named Billboard Music Awards' Artist of the Year and R&B Artist of the Year. Touring with Janet Jackson and making television and movie appearances has heightened Usher's popularity.

Sharp and Sony introduce portable MiniDisc recorders. This digital alternative to audiocassettes records customized music compilations and doesn't skip when bumped.

Spice Girl Geri Halliwell, better known as Ginger Spice, announces in May 1998 that she is leaving the popular group for creative reasons.
Swing dancing makes a big comeback with the help of music from bands like Cherry Poppin' Daddies (shown) and the Brian Setzer Orchestra.


Shania Twain wins the Favorite Female Country Artist award at the American Music Awards and receives six Grammy nominations.

In November, Garth Brooks' new album *Double Live* enjoys first-day sales of over 500,000 copies, the industry's best one-day tally. Brooks makes special TV and Wal-Mart closed-circuit TV appearances to promote the release.

Natalie Imbruglia wins Breakthrough Artist honors at the MTV Video Music Awards in September. Her album, *Left of the Middle*, features hits “Torn” and “Wishing I Was There.”

Psychologists discover a connection between musical training and verbal memory. Children trained to play a musical instrument grow up to have better word memory than other adults.

Movie soundtracks account for nearly half of the Gold and Platinum certification. Some of the top soundtracks include *Titanic* and *Return to Titanic*, *City of Angels*, *Armageddon*, *Hope Floats*, *Dr. Doolittle*, and *The Wedding Singer*.

Whitney Houston's *My Love Is Your Love* is her first studio album in eight years. The album includes the hit duet with Mariah Carey entitled “When You Believe.”

Actor/rapper Will Smith wins three American Music Awards, including Favorite Pop/Rock Album, Favorite Soul/R&B Album and Favorite Soul/R&B Male Artist.
Sang Lan, China’s 17-year-old gymnastics champion, breaks two vertebrae during a vault at the Goodwill Games in July, leaving her paralyzed from the chest down.

Skiboads, short skis with twin tips that allow forward and backward jumping, debut in competition at the 1998 ESPN Winter X Games.

In March 1998, ESPN launches a large-format sports magazine, ESPN The Magazine, to compete with Sports Illustrated.

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Olympic gymnast Dominique Moceanu is declared a legal adult after suing her parents, alleging they squandered her earnings and oppressed her for years. Later, Moceanu is granted a protective order against her father for stalking her.

St. Louis Cardinal Mark McGwire hits home run number 62 on September 8, breaking the record set by Roger Maris in 1961. McGwire ends the season with 70 home runs.

On September 13, Sammy Sosa of the Chicago Cubs also breaks Roger Maris’ record with his single-season 62nd home run. Sosa ends the season with 66 home runs.

The Chicago Bulls capture their sixth NBA championship by beating the Utah Jazz 87-86 in game six. Michael Jordan earns the Finals MVP award. In January 1999, Jordan announces his retirement from the NBA after 13 seasons.

On September 20, Cal Ripken Jr. ends his 16-year streak of 2,632 consecutive baseball games played by withdrawing himself from the Baltimore lineup for that night.

NBA owners impose a lockout on July 1 that causes almost half the ’98-’99 basketball season to be lost. The labor dispute is settled on January 6.

On July 4, France beats Brazil 3-0 to win its first World Cup soccer title. During celebrations, a motorist drives through the crowd on the Champs-Elysees and injures 60 people.

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Miss Virginia Nicole Johnson is crowned Miss America 1999 in Atlantic City. The 24-year-old diabetic wears an insulin pump on her hip and plans to spotlight diabetes awareness during her reign.


Seventeen-year-old Katie Hnida is named Chatfield Senior High School's Homecoming Queen as well as starting kicker for the varsity football team. The No. 1-ranked kicker in the state of Colorado, Hnida hopes to play Division I college football next year.

NBC's "News Radio" star and former "Saturday Night Live" cast member Phil Hartman dies from a gunshot wound inflicted by his wife in May 1998.

Hirofumi "The Tokyo Terror" Nakajima (right), reigning world hot dog eating champion, eats 19 hot dogs and buns in 12 minutes to win the annual Nathan's Famous Fourth of July Hot Dog Eating Contest.

Beloved puppeteer Shari Lewis dies of cancer on August 2. Her creations include her trademark Lamb Chop, Hush Puppy and Charlie Horse.

After dropping out of the third grade in 1902 to care for her 11 younger siblings, retired nanny and housekeeper Eugenie Garside finally receives her high school diploma at age 98.

Olympic gold medalist figure skater Tara Lipinski takes part in an anti-tobacco rally with area school children on Capitol Hill in May 1998. The rally is sponsored by the Campaign for Tobacco-Free Kids.

Canadian Tobin Belanger escorts a mannequin to his high school prom. He names her Jen, picks out her dress and corsage and arrives in a limousine.

Minnesotan David Weinlick "advertises" for a wife and chooses pharmacy student Elizabeth Runze from 23 hopefuls who travel to the Mall of America in Minneapolis for the event. Runze and Weinlick marry the same day.

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Clubs/Organizations
Class of 2001

The Class of 2001 elected by their fellow students help to coordinate activities in support of the school and the students.


Class of 2002

These students were elected by the Class of 2002 to represent them and to run activities to benefit both the class and the school community.

Front Row: Jennifer Vincent (Publicity Director), Colleen Gallagher (Secretary), Shana Kenn (President), Jennifer Johnson (Vice-President), Abdu Nessralla (Social Director). Not Pictured: Kristin O'Reilly (Treasurer).
Leadership Institute


Crimson Ambassadors

Is an organization which promotes pride, tradition, and spirit to present and past students at Bridgewater State College.

Front Row: Keith Gilchrist, Casey Mahoney, Bridgette Bilodeau, Amanda Rondinelli, and Deanna Camarda. Middle Row: Meredith McGrath, Jill Liverseidge (secretary), Kerry Robitaille (President), Patrick J. Higgins (Vice-President), Sean McKinnon (Treasurer)

Circle K

This organization provides community service through on and off campus projects to the community.

Front Row: Becky Irwin, Adam Pomella, Louis Mazzola, Lorelle Farina (President), Sherry Machedo, Catherine Haley. Middle Row: Kimberly Chaffee, Kathryn Leary, Kelly Farrell (Treasurer), Ellen Dillon, Nara Thayer, Debybie Greenwood, Kathleen Candelas (Staff Advisor).

Back Row: Emily Garvey (Secretary), Alicia Peltier, Lisa Moschella, Micelle Cormier, Kathyr Couglin, Katie Vickery (Vice-President), Lisa Wisniewski.

Earh Sciences and Geography Club

This club provides educational field trips, lectures, and experience in the field of Earth Sciences and Geography.

Chemistry Club
This club informs students of possible careers in the area of Chemistry. This club also does outreach programs into the community.

Afro - Am
This organization provides informal peer support for students of African descent.

Front Row: Chakara White, Tanisha Stephney (President), Tiana Gomes, Galvia Beauvals (Secretary), Shanaye Johnson, Julie Casimir, Chantal Jenkins, Karen Lea Johnson (Advisor). Back Row: Leonola Mowatt, Nicole Moseley, Carline Claudomir (Public Relations Chair), Camille Spenal, Nigel A. Smith, Trener Weeks.
MCADOC

This organization is a campus wide educational campaign focused on alcohol and other drugs, sponsors various theme weeks, and offers alcohol and drug education presentations.

Residence Hall Association

Designed to discuss current issues, topics, and programs that effect residents on campus.


La Sociedad Latina
Promotes unity, cultural awareness, and recognition, of all hispanic heritages.


Outing Club
This is an organization which is involved in a wide variety of outdoor activities, from hiking to rock climbing.

Front Row: Ian Brock, Dan Mossman Middle Row: Monna D. Bari, Kevin Giuliano, Kim Lacey (President), Michelle Sweeney, Rachel Davey, Kevin McCourt (Vice-President), Derek Riley, Jen Klockars
Aviation Club

Front Row: Mike Farley, Nicole Fallis, Desayda Soto, Bob Raichle. Back Row: Robert Campbell, Dave Leme, Jefferson Soris, Eric Jarocki

American Marketing Association
Orientation Leaders


Leadership Institute
Do you know where these places are? The Greeks Do!

The observatory

The guys, at the greenhouse

Chris Sauve, at the Rat

Phi Pi Delta

Gamma Phi Beta, at the apartment’s ISO booth

Boyden Quad.
Sigma Pi, inside student activities

The girls, at Moakley

Theta Phi Alpha, at the outdoor classroom.

Keith Gilchrist, Brian Beerman, Tim Lincoln, Andy Shaw, & Fred Rheume
Unfortunately not all the clubs have been recognized at this point in time. The Yearbook Staff would like to take this opportunity to recognize all the following clubs and organizations on the Bridgewater State College campus. Each of these clubs and organizations have in their own way made this campus a unique and diverse community.

The following Clubs/Organizations are currently active at BSC:

- Adventure Role Playing Club
- Afro Am Society Club
- Alpha Eta Rho
- American Marketing Association
- Amnesty International
- Athletic Training Club Aware
- BSC Aviation Club
- Canada Club
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- Phi Sigma Sigma
Winter Sports...
Sport Candids

Have a seat

Questions anyone

How’s the mat?

The serve. Everyone duck!

The future athletes

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Gamma Phi Beta

Gamma Phi Beta was founded at Syracuse University in 1874. It was the first organization to be coined “sorority.” Our motto is “founded upon a rock” which symbolizes the stability and durability of our sisterhood. We are founded upon a belief of developing the highest type of womanhood. We accomplish this through PACE (Personal And Chapter Enrichment) programs to better ourselves and the chapter. Locally, Gamma Phi Beta was formed at BSC in 1987. Our international symbol is the crescent moon, our flower is the pink carnation and our colors are brown and mode (light brown). For philanthropy, we do the Rock-A-Thon in the spring for the Children’s Physical Developmental Clinic on campus. We also run the “Mr. Greek” competition in the fall for CPDC as well as for the amusement of all who attend. Whatever the event, we do it as sisters and to strengthen our sisterhood, we all have a good time!
Kappa Delta Phi

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Front Row (L-R): Dave Stenquist, Scott Reilly, Sean Flannery, Chris Pray, Pat Panaqio
Second Row (L-R): Adam Belezarian, Phil Delonto, Pat Higgins, Mark Alexander, Joe Flemming, Keith Lovett, Matt Doherty
Third Row (L-R): Shane Hertel, Chris Migalia, Josh Odonoquhue, Adam Schelesinger, Mike Masse, Doug Moore, Derek Salsburg

Kappa Delta Phi Fraternity was founded at Bridgewater in 1900. As of this spring, we have 36 active brothers, making us the largest fraternity on campus. The Fraternity spends most of its time running philanthropic events throughout the school and in Bridgewater, such as their annual Canned Food Drive before Thanksgiving, Handi-Kids, and volunteering at the Catholic Center. In addition, we run several activities on campus, including the annual “Hoop it Up” basketball tournament and the Earth Day Festival. We are also very involved socially, running events such as our annual “Yellow Rose Ball,” our Thanksgiving Dinner, the Homecoming parade (that we won this year) and social events with other Greeks.
Phi Pi Delta

Phi Pi Delta is a multi-faceted co-educational fraternity bound together by the common ideas of its members and the individuality inherent in those ideas. We were founded not upon the mystic standard of perfection, but instead on the strength and growth of purpose which we feel. Phi Pi Delta sees a fraternity as a basis for a well rounded college life, and ourselves as a balance of the social and intellectual aspects of fraternity life. Our membership is made up of a diverse group of students who choose to work with the students and the administration of the college as they strive for the betterment of the college community. In the thirty plus years that Phi Pi Delta has been recognized as a fraternity at BSC, we have remained and shall remain a close-knit fraternity. Phi Pi Delta is a plethora of pride and tradition. To the brothers and sisters of Phi Pi Delta, tradition is of the utmost importance.

Front Row (L-R): Jennifer A. Dorman, Mark Fitzsimmons, Elizabeth Boca, Caren Van Buren, Heidi Baird, Joshua Hyre
Second Row (L-R): Kristy Susol-Secretary, Amy Wilson-Vice president, Sharon Burke-President, Sara Bergeron-Treasurer, Kim Andrews-Social Vice President, Mike Burns-Sgt. At Arms
Third Row (L-R): Evelyn Morle, Betty Donati, Lauren Murphy
Established at BSC in 1989, Phi Sigma Sigma believes in the fostering of ideal womanhood through its goals of sisterhood, scholarship and service. In keeping with the tradition of the national organization, at BSC we believe in high scholastic achievement as well as philanthropic work. Being a member of Phi Sigma Sigma carries with it a certain degree of pride and achievement. In addition to our national philanthropy, The National Kidney Foundation, we also participate in several local philanthropies. Our members volunteer at nursing homes, participate annually in Toys For Tots, and on campus we volunteer at the Children’s Physical Development Clinic and co-sponsor Alcohol Awareness Week with McADOC. Through sisterhood events such as sleepovers, ice skating and ice cream socials, we are able to form a bond of close friendship which will long exceed our college experience. Phi Sig’s are also very active on campus. The sisters of Phi Sigma Sigma at Bridgewater uphold true to our motto “Aim High” and we strive for the best in all we do.
Sigma Chi
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Sigma Chi has grown since 1855 to become one of the largest fraternities in the United States and Canada. Our chapter, the Theta Zeta Chapter, was founded here at BSC on April 23, 1983. We have always lived up to the expectations and beliefs of our seven founding fathers. The Theta Zeta Chapter was the first to receive 7 consecutive Peterson Awards in the history of new chapters. We have offered many years of community service to our town and college community, and we shall continue to carry on this tradition of service. This past August, the Sigma Chi fraternity held its 52nd annual Balfour leadership workshop. Over 150 chapters throughout the U.S. and Canada attended this four day event held in Richmond, Kentucky. The Theta Zeta Executive Board attended this event along with 2,000 Sigs and Administration. The Sigma Chi Fraternity took pleasure in awarding the “Swede” Johnson Public Relations Award to the Theta Zeta chapter for our Public relations program for 1997-1998, which was based on fairness and decency, reflecting sincerity, favor, and distinction, helping to bring honor and respect to our College, Fraternity & Chapter to which the Sigma Chi Creed refers. This award paved the way for a better and brighter future for our chapter. Also, with respect to Nathan Jerome, a recent graduate of BSC, was recognized as a recipient of the 1997-1998 Balfour Award, given to the outstanding senior of the Theta Zeta chapter, which was presented in conjunction with the K.S. “Bud” Adams Junior-Life Loyal Sig Award. This was only awarded to 165 members of all our Sigma Chi chapters. To achieve all of the highest ideals of justice and learning are Sigma Chi’s main objectives. The Theta Zeta chapter is stronger now than it has ever been because of the efforts of Dr. Jospeh Huber-faculty, David Wilson-Administration, Shawn P. George-Chapter Advisor, Kurt Gerstner-Grand Preator, Executive Board-Mike Valcy- President, Steven Legendre-Vice President, Dale Joubert-Pledge Master, Robert Battista-Treasurer, Justin Dilisio-Anninator, and all the brothers of the Theta Zeta Chapter. With the leadership qualities of these men, the Theta Zeta Chapter will continue to grow along with our Fraternity whom we love so much. Mike Valcy “Sigma Chi was my first love and she will be my last.” Those who walk always follow the white cross of Sigma Chi and it will always show you the way.
Sigma Pi Fraternity is an international fraternity that was founded in 1897 by four men at Vincennes University in Indiana. The chapter at BSC received its National Charter in April, 1989. Sigma Pi relies on the belief that men's goal is to form a better world and enrich his surroundings with the application of wisdom and knowledge gained through education. We strive to provide the maximum amount of opportunities for each member to grow in character and express individualism through academics, athletics, socials, community service and fund-raising events. The fraternity recognizes that within our society everyone is an individual with his own ideas to be developed, interests to be pursued, and goals to be achieved. Membership in Sigma Pi is a lifelong experience; from the first moments of pledging, a member of Sigma Pi holds and maintains a unique idea of brotherhood.
Tau Alpha Kappa, founded in 1987, is a co-educational fraternity. With the knowledge that friendships made by men and women in college last a lifetime, this fraternity is based on a core of brotherhood and sisterhood. Tau Alpha Kappa understands the importance of excelling in academics, and is a past recipient of the award for the highest grade point average for a co-ed fraternity. Tau Alpha Kappa is involved in many public service projects which include volunteering for the Muscular Dystrophy Association, decorating the Burnell School, organizing canned food drives for the homeless, and performing various activities for the Women’s Center. Each member of Tau Alpha Kappa contributes to the college in many ways, such as serving as registration assistants, participating in athletics and being involved with other clubs and activities on campus. Tau Alpha Kappa also understands the importance of school pride. For several years, TAK has been involved in the annual Homecoming float competition, winning second place in past years. Tau Alpha Kappa is a family sharing, playing, studying and working toward the common goal of fraternal and school pride.
Theta Phi Alpha


Theta Phi Alpha national sorority was founded on August 30, 1912 at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor, Michigan. It was founded under the guidance of Bishop Edward P. Kelly, Auxiliary Bishop of Detroit. In September of that same year at the University of Michigan, the ten founding sisters took on their first pledge class. The Articles of Association of Theta Phi Alpha were signed September 28, 1912 and Rushing began that day at the first Theta Phi Alpha sorority house at 811 East Huron Street in Ann Arbor Michigan. Since then there have been thousands of young women initiated into the organization. Theta Phi Alpha’s colors are blue, gold and silver. Its jewels are pearl and sapphire and the flower is the white rose. Theta Phi Alpha’s mascot is the penguin. It is easily recognizable on posters and banners. In September of 1990, Theta Phi Alpha came to Bridgewater State College. Once a local sorority named Delta Psi Rho, the chapter decided to affiliate with a national sorority to expand its sisterhood. Our national philanthropy supports Glenmary Home Missioners who work with needy persons in depressed rural areas of the United States. Once you are initiated a Theta Phi Alpha, you are a Theta Phi Alpha forever. As our motto defines us: “Nothing great is ever achieved without much enduring.”
**Starting Point:** All freshman wait here while letters of admission are being mailed out.

**Registration:** The GER you need is full. Sign up for the only class available—what a choice! Victorian Prose and Poetry or Aquatic Insect Ecology.

**Rip-Off!** Go to the Campus Bookstore and pay twice the publishers price for your textbooks.

**Need Cable:** Stand in mob(line) for hours to receive your box, remote, and dozen wires. When you have finished hooking it up, you realize Time Warner is not going to turn it on for six weeks. Another eighty bucks put to good use!

**Parking:** You finished moving into your room, you got your cable, your phone and everything is finally organized. You have your $50 sticker on your car and go in search of a space. You find one! And you only have to hike twelve miles!

**Dorms:** To-let: A spacious 10x10 cinderblock cell with a view of a vacant parking lot and broken bottles. Outrageously priced with common bathroom for 40 people. Inquire: Director of Res Life Housing.

**Need Telephone:** Sign up for ACC service only to realize they gave you the wrong phone number, your voice mail is locked out and your pac number does not work. Call customer service and it is conviently fixed for you in only three months.

**Foul Up:** SAT scores and application were lost in the mail. Lose one turn while you reapply.

**Setback:** Your scholarship application was turned down. Try again incognito.

**Surprise:** On your first trip to Tilly, you realize that mystery meat does exist. You should know, you just ate some.

**Weird:** Meet your roommates— one real neurotic, a plant freak and a Marilyn Manson groupie.

**First Day of Class:**

You study 3hrs a day for each class which amounts to 15hrs for 5 courses. Add 5hrs for the time in class, 2hrs in the Rat, and you’ve 2hrs left to eat and sleep.
IDTERMS: Go ahead two spaces you studied. You must go back two spaces if you cramed during breakfast.

Athletics Dept: Basket! Too bad it was the coach’s mouth and not the hoop. No score!

Philosophy Dept: You think, therefore you are (supposedly). In the words of the great philosopher somebody, “If I am, and you are, then what on earth are we doing here?”

Education Dept: You may flunk! Your crayons are broken, your glue dried up, your construction paper isn’t color coordinated and your scissors are rusty. But don’t worry, as long as you pass the teacher’s test, you’re all set!

English Dept: Escape to the nearest exit when you find out all English majors must read 32 books during the first three weeks of the semester.

Miss Turn: There is a flu epidemic the whole dorm is wiped out!

Spring Break!: Take a two week vacation to Miami and forget about school! Party till you drop! Just think, after two weeks of fun in the sun, you get to go back to BSC! Maybe you will return to school by way of Orlando.

PANIC!: You realize you only have two months left before you graduate. You have not been to class since January, you have a negative balance in your checkbook, you own the Bursar’s office money and you never got your picture taken for the yearbook!

Final Exams: After twenty cups of coffee, four visits from Chessman’s, a video game break and pulling an all nighter, you find out you have studied for the wrong exam. Typical.

Graduation: The battle is finally over and you’ve won? You deserve the degree (for what it is worth.)

Horror: You owe $500 in parking tickets, (surprise, surprise) you never took the library course (there is a library on campus?), you didn’t order a cap and gown and you forgot to send in a degree card!

Job Search: Now that you have (almost) finished college, the search for the perfect job begins. And you found one which you are qualified for! All you have to do is stand behind the counter and ask “Excuse me sir, would you like fries with that?”

Grades: Too bad you don’t get marked for social achievement, with a ration of 10:1 it ain’t easy! Maybe you should suggest a course for next semester in theories of social interaction.
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SPRINGFEST 1999
The Party Has Just Begun...
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Graduation
Graduation Day January 1999
A Final Farewell to BSC’S Finest

Everyone Smile!
It’s nice to see that the Faculty of BSC have such a good sense of humor. Can you find the bunny?

Last Look
A few final remarks before the big event. Memories are recounted and the future looks bright.

Congratulations!
President Tinsley offers her best wishes for the future to a promising graduate.

Cheese!
A quick stop for a photo before the ceremony begins.
A Prayer
The Reverend offers his prayer for the class of 1999, and wishes them the best of luck for the future.

A Serious Moment
Graduation is a time to pause and reflect on what you have accomplished. It is also a time to look towards the future and imagine the endless possibilities.

It's party Time!
Finally, the big event is over and now it is time to celebrate! This graduate is all set for a good time.

A proud relative
Family and friends always help the graduates celebrate their big day and offer their heart felt congratulations on a job well done.
A Quiet Moment
Students enjoy a quiet moment during the graduation celebration.

It Finally Happened!
After all the hard work, the endless hours of effort, the all nighters pulled, it has all finally paid off.

A Last Thanks
A student offers her thanks to the people who have supported her through the years.

Tell Us How You Really Feel
A youngster offers his unique opinion of the graduation ceremony.
A Message From The President
Pridesent Tinsley offers her congratulations to the people who are receiving honorary degrees and awards.

Need A Job?
A student reflects the thought that is on every senior's mind as they graduate from college.

Mission Accomplished!
Two graduates proudly show off the rewards of their four long years of hard work.

It Takes Two
This proud graduate carries his young child across the stage with him as he accepts his college degree.
Congratulations!
President Tinsley offers her congratulations to a senior on a job well done.

Everyone Say Cheese!
A graduate is supported by family and friends and everyone is so happy!

We Did It!
Two graduates celebrate their achievement and take a moment to pose for the camera.

Like Father, Like...
A proud parent carries his child with him as he receives his degree.

There Is No Stopping Us Now!
Two friends celebrate their graduation with flowers and smiles.
A Proud Moment
A senior proudly accepts his degree with his family and peers cheering him on.

A Grand Entrance
Grand Marshal George Weygand leads the way as the senior class is presented for graduation.

Another Proud Parent
Like several others before him, this proud parent tags his child along as he receives his degree.

A Somber Progression
As the Class of 1999 is lead into the auditorium for the final time, many seniors take a moment to reflect on the four years that have brought them to this moment.

Final Words
A few final words of reflection and encouragement are given to the graduates before they recieve their degrees and are released into the real world.

Well Done!
President Tinsley congratulates a student on a job well done and offers good luck for the future.
The closing chapter to our college careers took place at the upper quadrangle on...

Saturday May 22, 1999

The Trustees, President, Faculty
and
The Class of 1999
of Bridgewater State College
Bridgewater, Massachusetts
announce the
Conferring of Degrees
Saturday, the twenty-second of May
Nineteen hundred ninety-nine
at eleven o’clock
Upper Quadrangle
Our Last Day As BSC Students.......... 
Graduation: May 22, 1999
Class of 1999 Officers:
Kerry Frotten, Danielle Plouffe, Ellen Dugas, Michelle Smith
What Does The
Future Hold?

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1999

The Millennium
You Know Parking At BSC STILL Blows When...

- It is easier to get last minute Superbowl tickets than a 9:00 a.m. parking spot.
- Surveyors confirm that Swenson Field lot is technically in Halifax, not Bridgewater.
- It's a four pepsi walk from the commuter lot to your first class at Boyden.
- Revenue from parking tickets equally roughly 2/3 of the National Debt.
- Students bribe aviation majors into flying them to and from campus.
- Administration plans to have all students park "upright" on campus.
- The infamous "Great Hill Gang" apprehended while producing counterfeit visitor passes.
- Campus Police now offer "wake up calls" to students and faculty who sleep in their cars when they manage to find a decent space.
- Late model Buick found parked in Commuter Cafe.
In 1853, chef George Crum creates potato chips in New York after a customer keeps requesting thinner French-fried potatoes. The U.S., with over 700 varieties on the market, consumes the most potato chips worldwide.

In 1892, the Manfield Shoe Company in England first produces quality shoes in standard sizes and large quantities. Sneakers are introduced in the 19th century and cost a few dollars. Name-brand shoes today can cost hundreds of dollars.

Swing dancing, popular in the 1920s, makes a comeback in 1998.

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Slang of the 1800s includes cool, crazy as a loon, critter, bub and sis, bully for you, and bummer. Popular phrases today are da bomb, cool and phat.

The average American's favorite meal in 1954 is a fruit cup, vegetable soup, steak and potatoes, peas, rolls and butter, and pie à la mode. Teens today rank pizza, French fries, pasta, hamburgers/cheeseburgers and chicken nuggets as their top five favorite foods.

Before sweat glands are clearly understood in the 19th century, perfume is used to mask the odor of sweat. Introduced in 1888, Mum® is the first product to ward off underarm moisture and odor. In 1997, Americans spend $1.48 billion on deodorant.

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In 1120, the first restaurant or "cook shop" opens in Kaifeng, the capital of the Northern Song dynasty. Today, McDonald's has more than 23,500 restaurants in 113 countries. Americans spend 46 percent of their food dollars away from home in 1996 compared to 25 percent in 1955.

Conquistadors return to Spain in 1527 after finding the natives of New Spain eating algae, agave worms, winged ants, tadpoles, water flies, white worms, and insect larvae. Today, kids enjoy candy in the shape of critters.

In 1570, Queen Elizabeth I receives a gift of gold toothpicks, which are used to clean teeth. Toothbrushes do the job today with hundreds of options of sizes, colors, shapes and bristles.

In 1850, Levi Strauss invents blue jeans in San Francisco. Originally made with canvas, denim replaces the material in the early 1860s. The average American now owns 7.03 pairs of jeans.

In 1527, the French court of Louis XV, women style their hair three feet high forcing them to sleep sitting up. The hair would be left in place for months; insects and mice would nest in it. Today's hairstyles are a little more "down to earth."

According to legend, on May 8, 1886, Atlanta pharmacist John Pemberton produced the syrup for Coca-Cola in a three-legged brass pot in his backyard. Coca-Cola was first bottled in 1899 and is today's best-selling soft drink. Americans drink 127 million 8-ounce servings every day.

In 1964, the Beatles appear on The Ed Sullivan Show and in 1981 when MTV kicks off. Today, 68 percent of teens watch MTV 5.4 hours a week.

The commode becomes a popular addition to homes in 1700. Recent findings reveal women spend 80 seconds using a public restroom while men spend 45 seconds.
In the 1000s, engagements are arranged at age seven and marriage follows at age 12 for girls and 14 for boys. Today, the average age at marriage for women is 24.5 and 26.9 for men.

Parrots, canaries, monkeys and fluffy dogs are the preferred pets of the 1500s. Exotic pets of today include iguanas and tarantulas.

In 1874, the entire population of a European city goes into a pathological frenzy, dancing in the streets until too exhausted or injured to continue. Slam dancing and mosh pits are common manias at today's concerts.

Average life expectancy in the 1000s is 30. In 1997, it rises to 79 for females and 73 for males.

In 1918, fewer than 50 percent of people complete grade school. In 1996, 81.7 percent of people complete high school.

In the 1700s, both sexes wear powdered wigs, rouge and red lipstick. They also etch their whitened faces in blue to bring out the veins. Worldwide annual sales of cosmetics today exceed $80 billion.

The world population in 1600 totals 545 million compared to over 5.9 billion in 1998. The U.S. population in 1790 totals 3.9 million compared to over 270 million in 1998.
Atari introduces Pong®, the first commercial video game, in 1972. Today’s home video game systems include Sony PlayStation®, Sega Saturn® and Nintendo 64®. About 65 percent of teens play video games an average of 3.9 hours a week.

In 1920, the New York Yankees pay George “Babe” Ruth $125,000. In 1997, 21-year-old Kevin Garnett signs a seven-year contract worth $126 million with the Minnesota Timberwolves.

The first roller coaster, built in 1892 at Cedar Point® in Sandusky, Ohio, stands 25 feet high and travels 10 miles per hour. The Riddler’s Revenge “at Six Flags Magic Mountain” is the tallest and fastest stand-up roller coaster, standing 156 feet and hitting a top speed of 65 miles per hour with a maximum of 4.2 gravity forces.

In 1978, a federal judge rules that high school girls may participate on teams with boys. Women take further strides in sports with the first WNBA game on June 21, 1997.

Court jesters first appear in 1202. Modern jesters come in the form of comedians, such as Jerry Seinfeld whose TV show, Seinfeld, ends its nine-year run in 1998.

In 1903, The Passion Play at 30 minutes is the longest film produced at this time, with average films running three or four minutes. The 1997 movie Titanic runs about three-and-a-half hours.

Recycling is a priority today, but around 1200 to 1400, people would hurl garbage and slop out their windows into alleys that swarmed with rats, flies and pigs.

When a royal Japanese family stains their teeth black in 1233, it quickly becomes a sign of beauty. White teeth are a sign of beauty today, with Americans spending $100 million a year on over-the-counter tooth-whitening products.

Oriental spices are used to disguise the bad taste of spoiled meat in 1499. Meat sold in the U.S. today must pass USDA standards.

Scottish blacksmith Kirkpatrick Macmillan creates the first bicycle, then called a velocipede, in 1839. Bicycling is a competitive sport around the world today with some bikes costing several thousand dollars.

In 1783, it takes Thomas Jefferson five days to travel 90 miles using public transportation. Today, the Concorde airplane travels at 1,336 miles per hour and crosses the Atlantic Ocean in under three hours.

The Pony Express travels between St. Joseph, Missouri, and Sacramento, California. The 2000-mile distance takes 10 days. Today, e-mail is almost instantaneous.

The Black Death sweeps Western Europe from 1347-51 and kills over 25 million people (one in four). Today, 22.6 million people live with AIDS, which is identified in 1981.

Spectacles are invented in 1286 in Italy. The first practical contact lenses are developed in 1877 followed by plastic lenses in 1954. Laser surgery can now correct certain eyesight problems.

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German Karl Benz invents the automobile in 1885, and Henry Ford begins mass production of the Model T in 1908 with over 15 million sold in the U.S. by 1930. Over 8 million cars are sold in the U.S. in 1996.


Doctors in the 1000s use an astrological chart to determine a patient's treatment. Medicine is ingested only when the moon is in a favorable position. Many people today carry on the astrological tradition through horoscopes.

Yellowstone National Park, the first park in the National Park System, is established on March 1, 1872, and covers 2.2 million acres. The National Park System now covers 83 million acres.

Surgery in the 1800s is performed on blindfolded patients under no anesthesia by surgeons who wipe instruments clean. Many people now elect to have cosmetic surgery. In 1997, 37 percent of cosmetic surgery patients undergo multiple procedures.

Thomas Edison patents the phonograph in 1878. Sharp introduces a minidisc player in 1998 that records music from compact discs and the Internet.

Not until the year 1000 did Indian mathematician Sridhara recognize the importance of zero. Since we began counting the years with one, rather than zero, the new millennium officially starts in 2001, not 2000. Excitement is building for New Year's Eve 1999, but so is the fear that computers may recognize the year 2000 as 1900.
Issued in 1950, the Diner's Club is the first general purpose credit card. By 1996, there are over 119 million credit card holders and about 1,390,000 ATM terminals in the U.S.

The Factory Act of 1833 states children under age nine may not work in the textile industry, ages 9-13 may work nine hours per day, and ages 13-18 may work 12 hours per day. Today's 10th to 12th grader works an average of 19 hours a week.

Julius Caesar creates a calendar with April 1 as the first day of the year. In 1582, a new calendar is devised with January 1 as New Year's Day. Those who continue to celebrate New Year's Day on April 1 are considered fools, hence April Fool's Day.

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The earliest African slave arrives in the U.S. in 1509, followed by 10-15 million Africans in the largest forced migration in history. People from around the world now come willingly, with almost one million immigrants entering the U.S. in 1996 alone.

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In 1675, Massachusetts law prohibits men from wearing long hair. Russia taxes men with beards in 1698. Hairstyle is a personal choice today.

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Advertising
Lisa (our first born)
As always you have made us proud of the person you are, and your accomplishments. You have the knowledge and ambition to take on any challenge life has to offer, so go for it. Remember though we will always be there for you.

We love you,
Mom & Dad
P.S. yeahhhhhhh Orsogna's

Kimberly Mullen
Kimberly you are blessed with many talents that you can use in your journey through life. We are blessed with having you as our daughter. Your smile will brighten up the world.

Congratulations!

Heather-
Congratulations on a job well done. We know it has been four long and hard years of struggle, but it has all paid off!

We are very proud of our “Baby Girl” and always have been.
Hope the future roads take you wherever you want to go and we will be there behind you always, in good times and in bad times!

Love,
Mom, Dad, Pete, Dan & Sammy.

For Shannon Dean
Shannon:

The future is yours.

Live, love, be happy

and always be true to yourself.

We’re very proud of you!

Love,

Mom & Greg

Shannon,

FINALLY!

Love,

Brad & Chris

For Shannon

Shannon,
Honey, I’m very proud of you!

Love,

Grampa Booker
Heather Lindsey

Congratulations on a job well done and on your many accomplishments! We are all very proud of you! No matter what the future may hold for you, we know you will face it with a smile on your face. You will forever remain our little girl.

Keep reaching for the star with your name on it. Grab it, hold it tight, and never let it go.

Remember: “The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams.”

All our love forever,
Mom, Dad, Jenn & David

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DEREK SMALL
CONGRATULATIONS!

You’ve worked hard to reach your goal. We’re very proud of you!

May the road rise to meet you.
May the wind be always at your back.
May the sun shine warm upon your face,
the rains fall soft upon your fields
and
May God hold you in the palm of His hand.

We love you.
Dad, Mom and Chris

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Terry
You have exceeded our expectations! No one could be prouder of you than we are. The Lord has given you a wonderful gift, use it and you will always do well. Congratulations on your past accomplishments, and to no surprise there will be many more in the future.

Love Always,
Mama & Daddy

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Andrea M. Mathieu
Dear Andrea,
You have come a long way Andrea, Mom, Dad and you Brother are very proud of you for your accomplishments. Just as you have touched our lives forever, as a teacher you can be sure you will touch your students lives forever.

Love and prayers always,
Mom, Dad, Brother
Linda, Bill, Nathan
The Brothers of Sigma Pi would like to congratulate seven graduating seniors we are proud to call BROTHER! We wish you all the best of luck in your future plans.

Never forget the thirteenth word.

Ken Anderson
Pete Cote
Derek Driskell
Jed Duso
Paul Galante
Mark Howell
Jai Snyder

“The circle changes with the years, the brothers come and disappear.”

Catherine Dunlap
Your accomplishments have made us very proud. With your attitude we know your life will be a great success.

Congratulations!

Mom, Dad & Laurie

Tracy,

GOOD LUCK in all your endeavors! No matter what you choose, we know you’ll give it 110%, as usual...and SUCCEED!

Love, Mom, Jim & bros.

Congratulations

SCOTT DAVID PASTER
Of Swampscott, MA

1999 BSC Graduate

Bachelor of Science Degree
In Finance and Accounting

You have accomplished so much and the best is yet to come. Always reach for the stars...

We are very proud of you!

Dad, David & Julie
Congratulations to
Sean Kaup
And the Class of ‘99
We are so very proud of you!
Love,
Mom, Dad, Jeff & Rachel

CLASS OF '99
Stephanie Nicole Fanning
It seemed like just yesterday when we thought we had so much time before you would grow up. But in a blink of an eye, you have become a beautiful and sensitive young woman graduating from college. We are so proud of you and all your accomplishments!!
With All Our Love Today & Forever,
Mom, Dad, Chip, Jeff & Ryan

Congratulations
to all the graduates on a job well done!
Best wishes for future success!
The 1999 Yearbook Staff

Jaime Andrews
We look at you with awe and love, just as we did the first time we saw you. But now we have great respect for all that you are and all that you have accomplished. We know that you will achieve all the goals that you set, and that you will do great things. Wherever you go, whatever you do, we wish you success, happiness, and that all of your dreams will come true. We love you.
Mom and Dad

CONGRATULATIONS GRADS
closing
It has been a long hard journey, but we made it! It does not seem possible, but four years have come and gone in the blink of an eye. As we say goodbye to the people and places that have become our home, let us always remember the good times had by all!
A Moment In Time
A Last Glance At The People And Places We Have Come To Treasure
...Dance...
Even if it is in the privacy of your own living room...Keep your old love letters.

...Floss...
Don’t waste your time on jealousy...Remember the compliments you receive.

...Stretch...
Get to know your parents...Understand that friends come and go...Respect your elders.

...Trust me on the sunscreen.
Don’t expect anyone else to support you...Be careful whose advice you buy...Don’t worry about the future.

Wear Sunscreen
Advice To The Class Of 1999-Baz Luhrman
Some Words of Wisdom

Words of advice & encouragement from those who’ve gone before us.

“The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams” — Eleanor Roosevelt

“You can’t just sit there and wait for people to give you that golden dream, you’ve got to get out there and make it happen yourself.” — Diana Ross

“Two roads diverged in a wood and I took the road less traveled by, and that has made all the difference.” — Robert Frost

“No act of kindness, no matter how small, is ever wasted.” — Aesop

“The world is but a canvas to our imaginations.” — Thoreau

“The world is all gates, all opportunities, all strings of tension waiting to be struck.” — Emerson

“All our yesterdays are summerized in our now, all our tomorrows are ours to shape.” — Hal. l. Borland
Presidential Scholar Recipient's 1999

Leslie Armas-Sociology, Kathleen Carrol-Psychology


Rose Scholars 1998-1999

Who’s Who At BSC 1999


Brian Raposo, Karin Roberts, Amy Sasin, Rebecca Sault, Samantha Schielding, Claudino Schielding, Frances Sharon, Chaed Smith, Jared Snell, Jason Snyder, Grace Stokes, Jason Stripins, Christine Tolisano, Michelle Toma, Kara Tupper, Angela Watson, Theodora Xiarchos.

McNair Scholars 1998-1999

Christopher A. Douglas
Anthropology/Philosophy

John Poyau
Computer Science

Kara Desrosiers
Mathematics

Cathleen Donovan
Earth Science

Christina Stuart
Sociology/Special Ed.

Shea Scholars 1999

Daniel Desousa
Class of 2000
Earth Science

John Peila
Class of 2000
History
Final Thoughts

Bridgewater State

The past year has been filled with new adventures and experiences. Let us always remember the good times we had and the laughter we shared. Whatever the future may hold, we are ready.

At this point in time I would like to thank the people who have helped to make this yearbook possible. First and foremost, I would like to thank my staff. Nicole, Becky, Laurel, Theresa and Monna, I appreciate all your hard work and dedication. Second, I would like to thank Norval Garnett of Josten’s Publishing for your never-ending support and constant encouragement. I would also like to thank Caren Korin of Davor Photography for your time and effort. Third, I want to say thanks to the Comment for lending us many of the photos seen throughout the book. In addition, thank you to Melissa Ranahan for designing all the divider pages. A special word of thanks to the Student Activities Office, especially to our advisor Dan Darcy. It takes one person in a million to put up with the bunch of us, and even though I never told you, I am grateful beyond words for all your hard work, time and dedication you put into helping us create a memorable yearbook. Thank you all.
A Letter From The Editor

When I first began writing this, I had no idea what to say. I thought about discussing the trials and tribulations we faced during these past few years. I thought about discussing what the future holds for us and how well prepared we are. But as I sat at my desk, pen in hand and blank paper before me, I began to remember all the little things, the insignificant things, that happened during out time here at BSC. Looking back over the past four years, I am amazed at how much has changed and how much has happened. I remember the day I found out I was accepted into college. I felt like letting out a sigh of relief and saying “Phew, one life hurdle over with!” I remember the day I moved into “The Hill” as a freshman. It was no longer mom, dad, sis, bro & me. Now it was just me and 700 strangers, some of whom took great joy in pulling the fire alarm at 2 a.m. I remember all the Mountain Dew I drank and all the Chessman’s pizza I ate in order to stay awake and study or write a paper that I was just beginning and was due in eight hours. I remember my first college final, how I studied so hard and when I saw the exam, all I could think was “Dear God, forget the A, just let me pass!”

I remember waking up in the morning to the fragrant aroma of the Bridgewater Stench. It would always linger for awhile and sadly, not come again for a few weeks. I remember all the nights I spent with my friends in the game room shooting pool and then going down to the Rat to enjoy the live music. I remember the footbridge, and how in the winter it was so much fun to cross when they forgot to shovel it. Why they ever took it down is a mystery to me. I remember how much my friends and I looked forward to the Comment every week. We would eagerly turn to the Campus Conversations to see what the question of the week was. Then, of course, it was on to the Words of Wisdom. We were always laughing at the things Scott Wisdom said. And of course, I remember all the hours I spent listening to WBLM and DJ Snoyl. Who could possibly forget? I remember all the fun I had on Thursday nights listening to all the intoxicated people stumble into the dorm at three a.m. after paying a visit to their good friend Julio. It was a weekly tradition I will dearly miss.

I remember all the complaining people used to do over the parking situation. I don’t know why. Experts say a good five mile hike everyday keeps you healthy. I remember all the nights I spent eating at the Comm Cafe and attempting to figure out if it was a hamburger before me or if it was supposed to be moving around like that. I remember all the weekends spent at Big Bob’s with friends when we needed a break from the pressures of term papers and projects. I remember the funny feeling I had in the pit of my stomach when I was standing in line to buy my cap and gown after graduation rehearsal. It just did not seem possible that four years of my life had passed so quickly. I remember the look of pride on my parents faces when I crossed the stage and received my hard earned degree. I could not believe it was all over. But mostly I remember all the people who I met along the way and who pushed me in the right direction towards success. It seemed like it was going to be a long four years, but it is hard to believe it is already over. Faced with the prospect of leaving college forever and entering the “real world,” part of me wishes I could stay a little while longer and create a few more memories. Since that is not possible, I guess it is time for me to end my three years as Editor and say one final goodbye to my friends, my professors, my advisors, and to the Class of 1999. We are at the end of one journey and at the gateway to another. May today’s success be the beginning of tomorrow’s achievements.

Good Luck To You All!

Heather B. Lindsey
Editor-in-Chief
One Final Look At Bridgewater State College

As we take one last look at the place that has been our home for the past four years, we should take time to remember the things that made our years here so special. We came here for an education and we leave here with memories and friendships that will last a lifetime. As we prepare to accept with open arms what the future holds, take a moment to reflect on the experiences that, over the past four years, have influenced us and prepared us for the roads ahead.

"Not To Be Ministered Unto, But To Minister."

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