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Welcome to the 2018 edition of the Washingtonian. We have worked hard this year to bring you the brand new experiences and awesome adventures of the 2017-2018 school year. Please grab a chair, but most importantly, grab a book, and enjoy the ride.

Sincerely,
The BTW Washingtonian Staff
2017-2018

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Bulldog Spirit

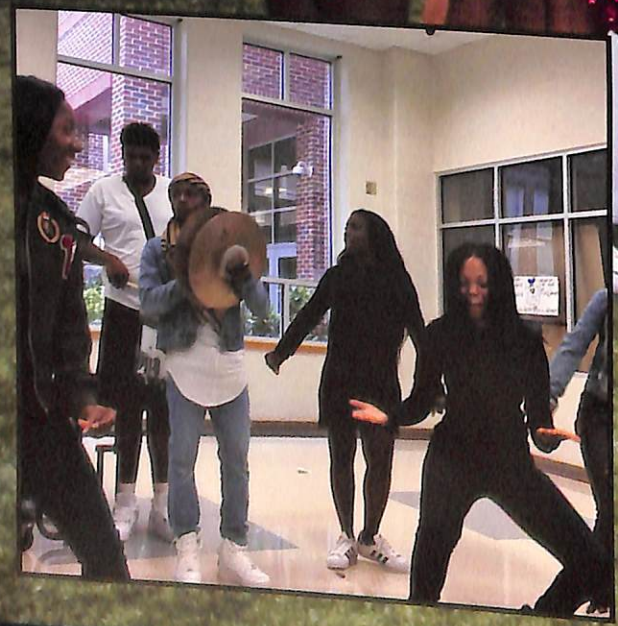
ATLANTA UNITED



DOG
SIZE OF THE FILTH IN THE DAWG



GO BULLDOGS!



Life at
BTW





SENIOR REGISTRATION

September 22, 2017

Senior week



Senior night football game
Washington vs Therrell



Senior citizen day



Nerds vs Jocks day





Hannah Williams and Omar Abdul-Rahman



Taurean Demons



Timothy Heyward & Rashad Powers

Senior Night Basketball Game



Lord Davis



Tyriq Speech



Earline Bennett



1987 Basketball State Champions



Antonio Trice



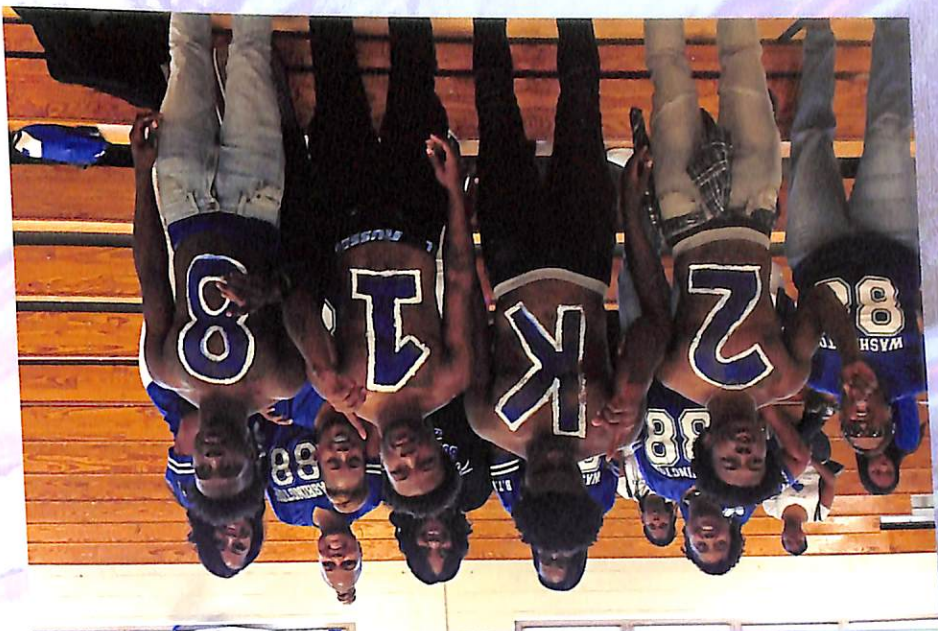
Jakari Vickerson



Swimming: Daisy Hernandez and Edward Lee
Wrestling: Edward Lee, Timothy Heyward, Rashad Powers

Basketball: Earline Bennett, Tyriq Speech, Lord Davis, Antonio Trice, Taurean Demons, Justin Butler

We've got Spirit!!



How about You??



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W



Our Bulldogs showed their excitement with cheers and support for teams. The band, auxiliary, and cheerleaders did an amazing job with their performances and brought the school spirit.



LIFE OF A BULLDOG!

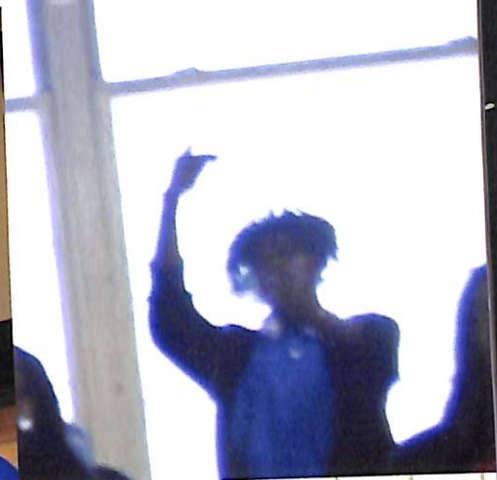
Mercedes-Benz Stadium

239-260





The B W Way





Cutest Couple:
Timothy Hayward and Kayla
Scott



Most Humorous:
Markail Brooks and Jazlyn
Shields



Best Bromance:
Rashad Powers and Markail
Brooks



Class Brains:
Tyra Moore and Kai'Sean
Friday



Life of the Party:
Alicia Randolph and Aaron
Burkes



Cutest Couple that NEVER
was : Alexandria Jordan and
Treyvon Pinckney



Most Laid-Back:
Anna Hickson and Eric Hollis



Best Dressed:
Kyla Atkins and Justin Butler



Class Heart-throbs:
Tamilria Crane and Justin Brown



Jock and Jockette:
English Rozier and Edward Lee



Most Likely to Succeed: Maya
Hill and Omar Abdul-Rahman



Most Dramatic:
Destiny Williams



Class Clowns:
Tonisha Mapp and Terrance
Matthews



Best to Bring Home to
Parents: Mercedes Williams
and Elijah Wilson



Best Friend Goals:
Mercedes Williams and Maya Hill



Best Smile:
Briana Holloway



Worst Case of Senioritis:
El'Raheem Fullins and Nautica
Strickland



Class Mom and Dad:
Michael Solomon and Aliya
Hillian



#KOTD

Homecoming Week



HALLWAY DECORATIONS

10th



12th

THE BIG



Homecoming Week

Onesie Day



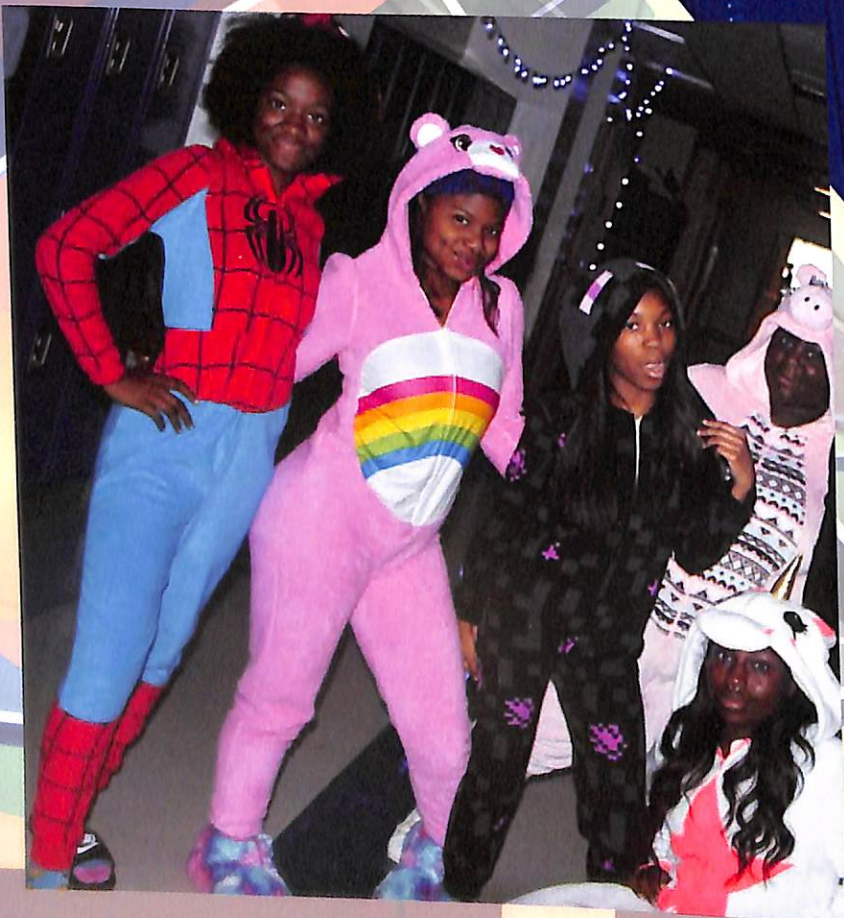
RIP The Runway

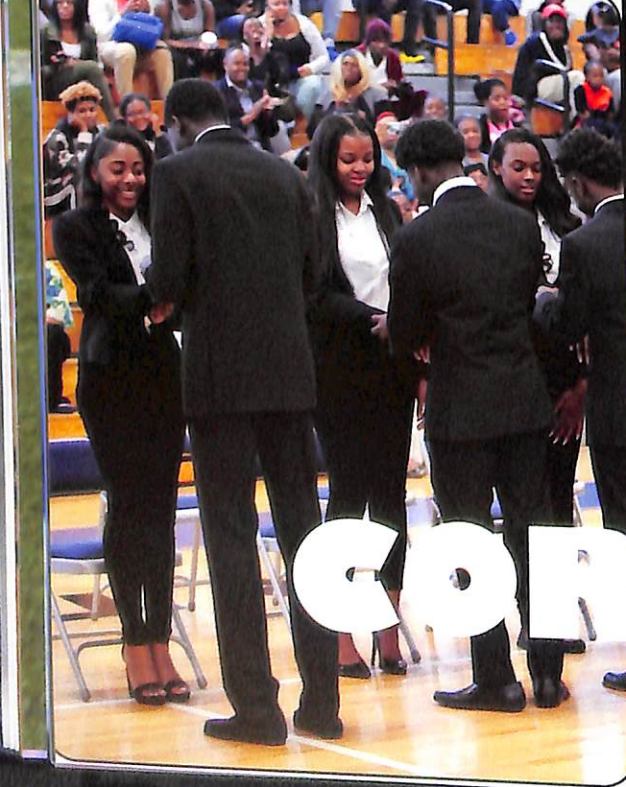


Twin Day



SPIRIT DAYS



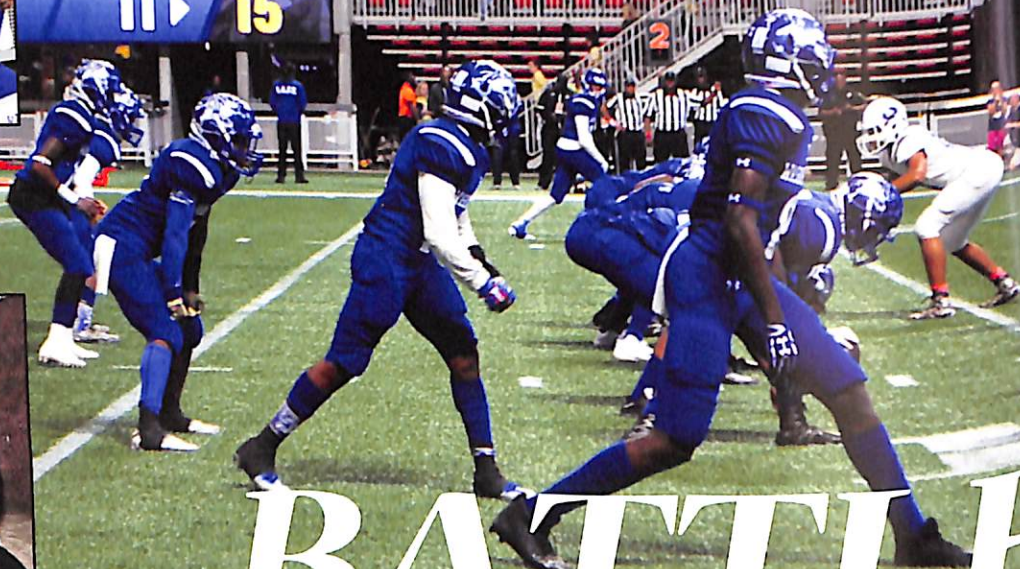


CORONATION

HOMECOMING



On October 21, 2017, the Washington Bulldogs battled the Hornets of South Atlanta High School. This was the first class of Washington High School students that played in the Mercedes-Benz stadium.



BATTLE



AT THE BENZ





Our Fabulous FOUR Majorettes!



Our Fantastic FIVE Dancers!



Our Trendy TRIO Flag Corps.



BTW Auxiliary 2017-2018

SanKerra Tinch, Brandi Byner, Kyla Atkins, Taliyah Ruthledge, Desiree Williams, India White, Tremia Alston, Tarnecia Rogers, Amber Golding, Kennesha Mitchell, Alexandria Jordan, Alexis Jordan, Jakeena Mason



Our beautiful ladies showing Ms. Wynn some love.



Our ONE & ONLY Bannerette!



BTW Marching 100 2017-2018

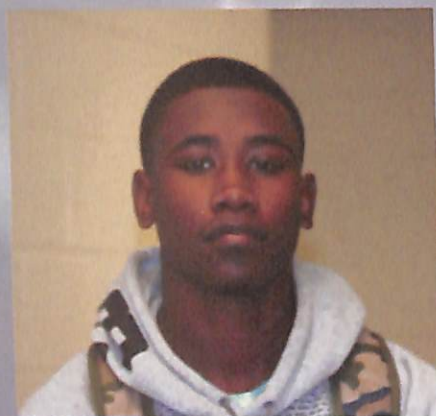
Khalil Peazant, Adia Gulley, Jacori Watson, Ramata Bugura, Renard Jackson, Jefferey Austin, Valencia Sims, Arrianna Oglesby, Juntia Rosser, Letashia Gresham, Carlos Sheets, Henry Daniels, Carleon Matthews, Varstine Smith, Ray Brown, Desmin Hinton, Daija Sewell, Donovan Brewer-Black, Imani Muhammad, Jasmine Davis, Markia Edwards, Morgan Turner, Justin Brown, Deidra Cook, Phalia Elliot, Brianna McCullogh, Joshua Johnson



Booker T. Washington High School Marching Band has been an ongoing legacy for over 30 years.

Auxiliary & Marching 100

Celebrity Look Alikes



Yachon Raye



Offset (with a temp)



Mr. Garner



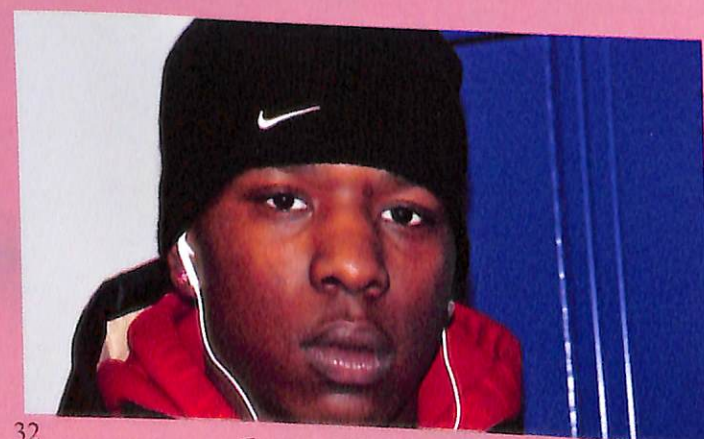
Dave Chappelle



Liberty Jones



Melissa McCarthy



Terrance Matthews



Gucci Mane



Kai'Sean Friday



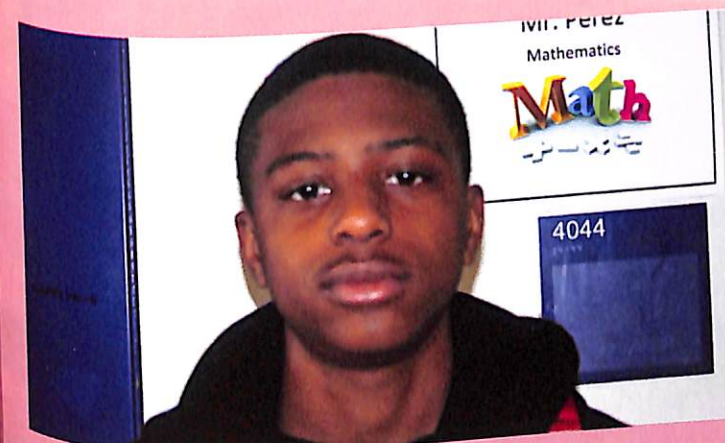
Lil Bibby



Chef St.Clair



Tyler Perry



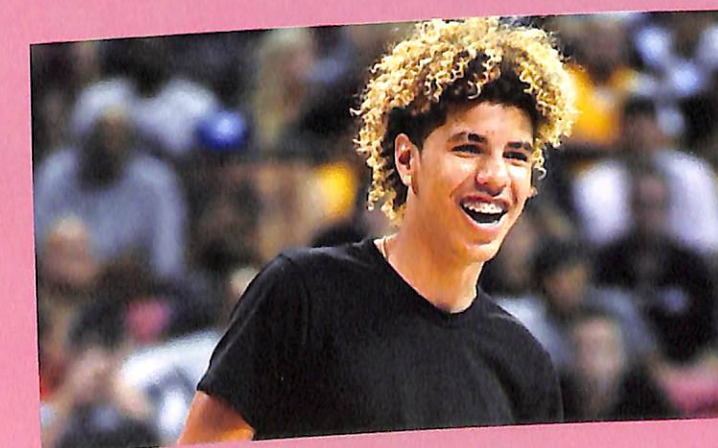
Nahuzii West



Metro Boomin



Yusef Abdul Hakim

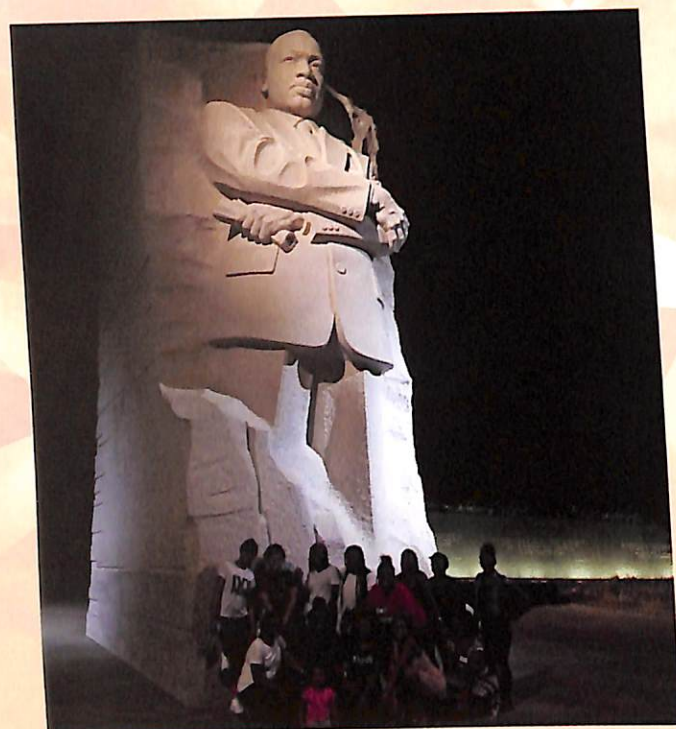


LaMelo Ball

Remember Me?



NCBW-MAC leads the 'Teens on the Move' youth development program that assists high school girls, ages 13-18, in reaching their full potential through mentoring, field trips, life skills and self-esteem workshops as well as academic scholarships for college.



Teens on the Move trip to Washington DC, Summer 2017



At the bottom right is Mrs. Angie Dutch, leader of the Teens on the Move young women.

Teens on the Move



Breast Cancer Awareness event at APEC Learning Center

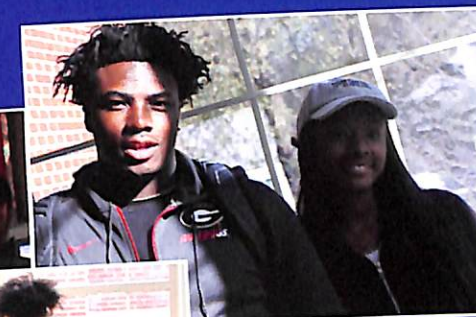


Seniors Aliya Hillian and Mercedes Williams

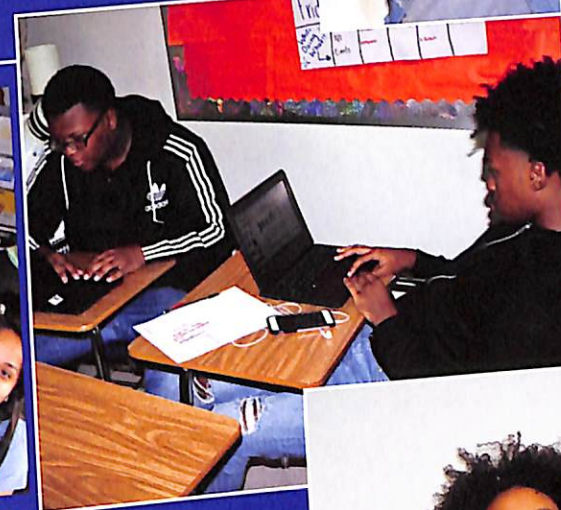
Yearbook



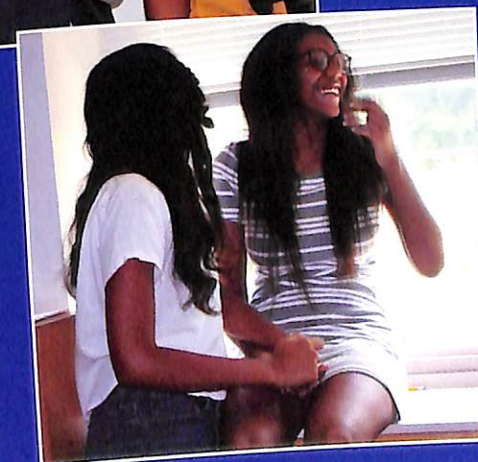
Calypso Cook didn't originally have a leadership role, but that didn't prevent her from showing that leadership



Brandi, Aliya, and Daisy worked hard on the yearbook fall semester. Brandi and Aliya (left and center) edited the Clubs and Activities section.



Malik and others became Master Page Makers during the second semester, creating page layouts at lightning speed to help us meet our deadlines. Other Masters include Tameesha and Arkaria.



HOSA



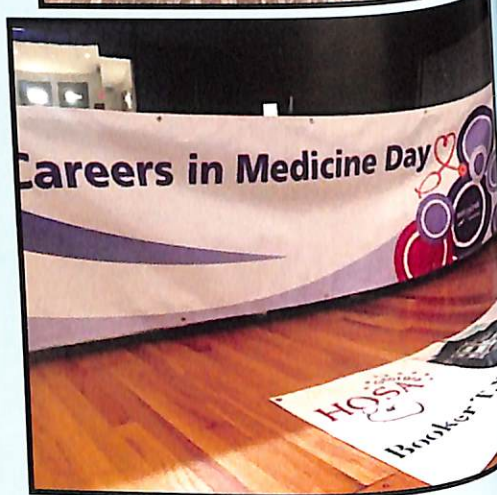
HOSA provides students the opportunity to shape the future delivery of quality health care of all people.

All students interested in health care fields can gain knowledge, skills, and leadership development

HOSA gives health care professionals the opportunity to invest in their future teams, strive to make education leaders' job easier, and help students become better candidates for careers in health care.

Sponsors: Mandie Lozano & Chanel Cobey-Williams

Students: Omar Abdul-Rahman, Dayla Bell, Kyunie Cain, Christina Dunlap, India Evans, Oumy Guye, Jailen Harris, Jacardo McClarty, Neil Morris, Zykobie Randolph, Kaja Radcliff, Jazlyn Shields, Simaya Cain, and Markela Brown



www.FBLA-Life



In Future Business Leaders of America, we compete in areas of business and do community service such as shoe giveaways. We also hold a motivational rally every year where we go and get inducted into FBLA by saying the motto.



Fine Arts Performance

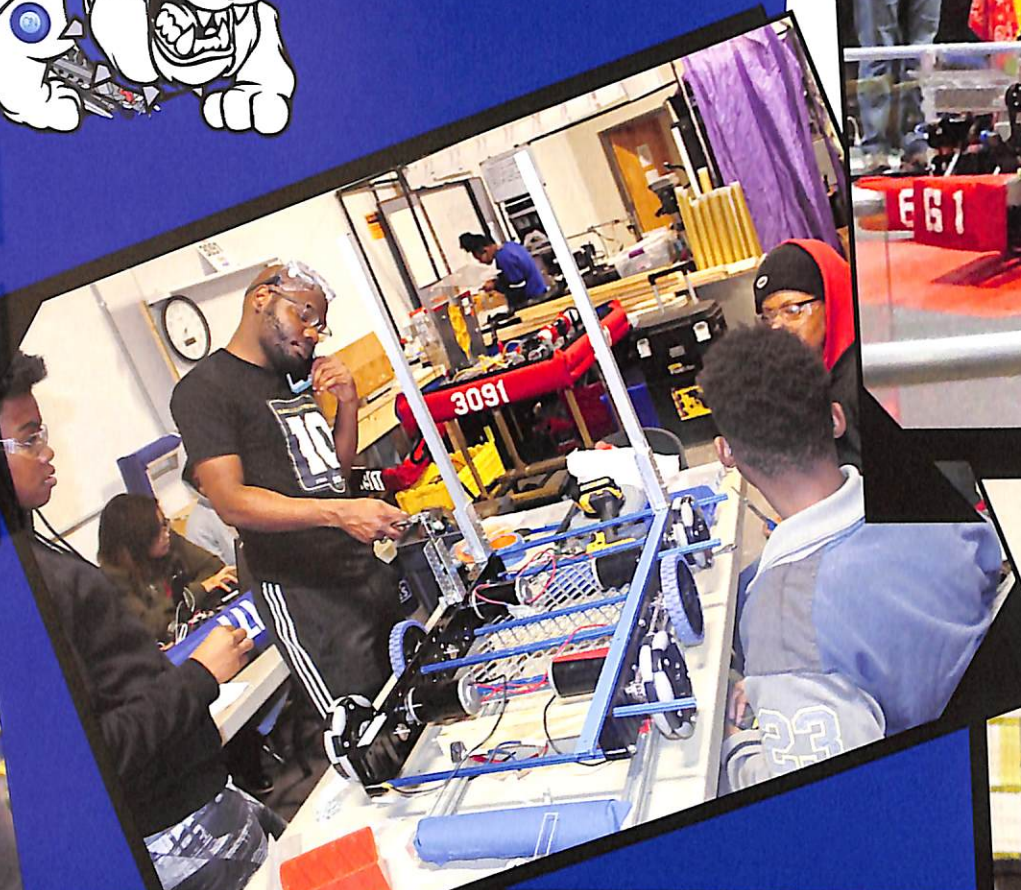


Directed by Mr. Sean Freeman, Mrs. Renise Burton, and Mr. Wallace Barner





Robotics



Atomic Robotics Dogs FRC Team 6177

The Atomic Robotic Dogs FIRST Robotics Competition team 6177 had great success this year! Again, they came home with awards at regionals (Innovation in Control) and qualified for state- three times in a row! This year, they plan to make it to Worlds- and will show the nation the bite behind Booker T. Washington HS's bark!

Team Members and respective roles:

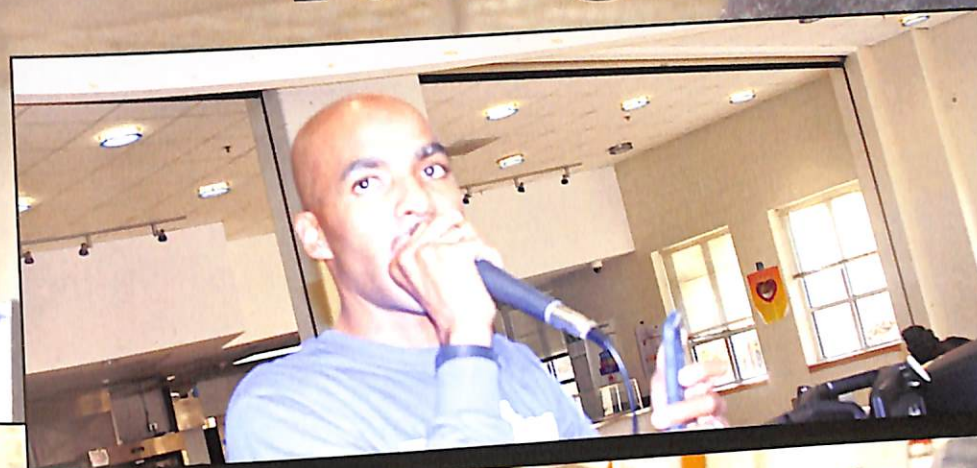
Natasha Ellis (Lead Electrician)
Khalaya Dean (Lead Programmer and Media)
Daniela Castillo (Lead Mechanic and Business)
Diana DeLeon (Mechanic 2)

Rachel Martin (Programming)
Darling Hernandez (Mechanic)
Joey
Omi

Introducing the 2018 competition robot: **guARDdog**

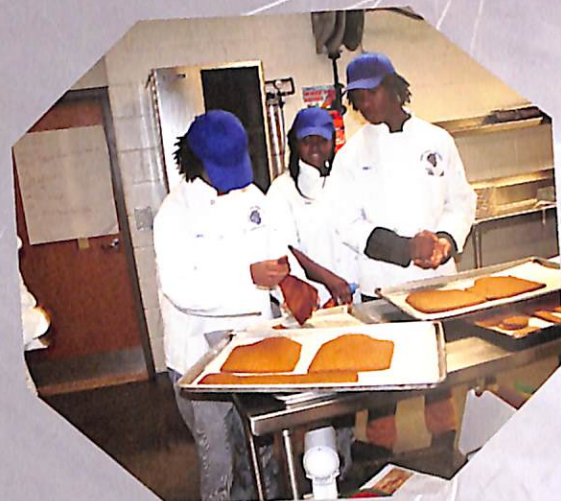
guARDdog has two intake mechanisms for the playing field. Our design makes us stable, sturdy, and speedy compared robots we compete against. We are defensive, and efficient during game-play- an overall force to be reckoned with. This year, famous teams and high-tech companies from all over began to recognize the ARD team!

Young Life



Young Life is a community based after-school program led by Mr.Pace. They do activities like raffles and games for snacks. Young Life leaders are the caring adults who want kids to know what life can hold for them.

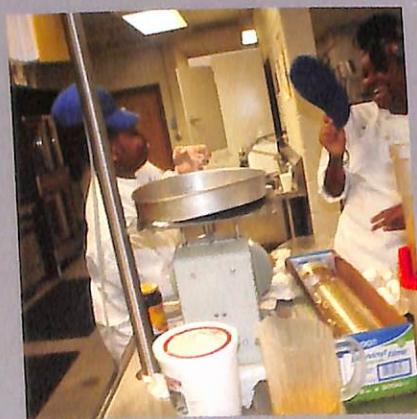
The Official FCCLA



2018 FCCLA Members

Kwalei Baker
Teion English
Serenity Everett
Kayla Graves
Ja'keria Guthrie
Kennesha Kitchell
Malik Boman
Laquana Carter
Tkiyah Clark
Ke'nyijha Cooper
La'sonya Durham
Teion English
Serenity Everett
Kayla Graves

Ja'keria Guthrie
Wendell McGee
Kimaree McKinney
Zykeria Price
Cassie Ross
Desiree Ross
Jazzmond Sanford
Trinderlyn Snow
Tamoria Stokley
Alyesia Thompson
Daesha Williams
Kennesha Kitchell
Mauricia Lloyd
Desiree Martin



MARKET DAY



Remembering Dr. Dees

Dr. Victor Dees was a great teacher, friend, brother, and mentor to most. He impacted mostly everyone's lives with his quirky jokes, winning smile, and most of all his wisdom. He departed this world April 26th, 2016 and he will never be forgotten. When interviewing his close friends, we learned that he was a remarkable man. Not only was he a teacher, but also a chiropractor, bodybuilder, wrestler, police officer, and an E4 Marine Corps Officer. His favorite phrase was "Oh, gee whiz!" and he was a total health nut. He visited places such as Japan and the Philippines during his time in service. Dr. Dees is forever a part of our journey and we will forever remember him!



Quotes About Dr. Dees

He was a kind-hearted man who was willing to give his last for his students. ~Kai'Sean F.

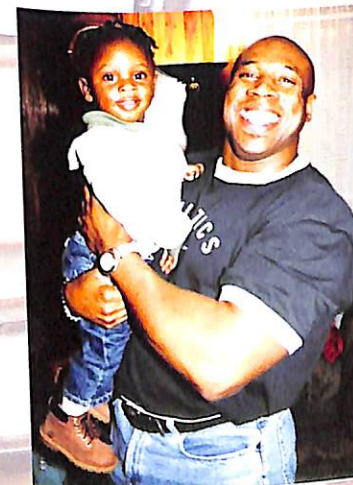
He treated all his students equally and valued them highly. ~Daisy H.

Every student he came across, he motivated them to always be at their best. Even if they weren't in his class. ~Alexis A.

He was the coolest teacher ever. ~Justin B.

I miss my friend and since he's been gone, there's a void that won't ever be filled completely. ~Chef St. Clair

A Heck of a Gentleman who always greeted people with a joke and a smile. ~Ms. Rucker



ACADEMICS



Important, Brave and most Dedicated people who make BTW High school safe and better.



Mr. Harris



Mr. Clark



Ms. Harrell



Ms. Moore



Ms. Mays



Dr. Wilson and her Administrative Assistant Ms. Howard



Mrs. Edwards-Cooper
(Believe Achieve Graduate)



Dr. Clark
(God Family Integrity)



Ms. Heath
(Faith Family Fun)



Ms. Foster
(Faith Perseverance Relationships)



Mrs. Olatundun-Floyd
(Graduation Achieve Dreams)



Ms. Owens
(Students Attending Fun)



School Counseling & Student Services Department

Mr. Andrews



Ms. Nails



Ms. Moore



Mr. Willingham



Ms. Hobbs



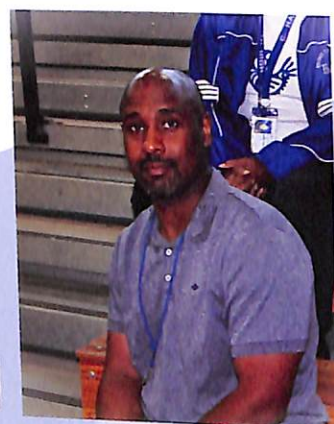
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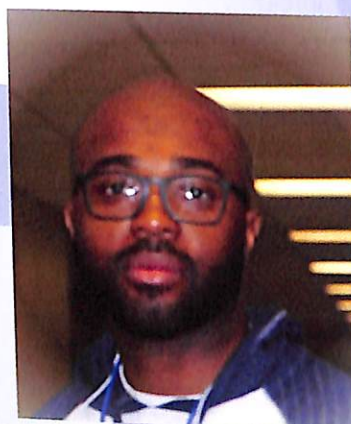
Mr. Perez



Dr. Fears



Mr. Collier



Dr. Onyema,
Instructional Coach



Mr. Garner



Ms. Dixon



Ms. Jackson



Mrs. Joseph



Ms. Wynn

To write or not to write?



Ms. Donovan



Dr. McDavis



Dr. Oliver, Instructional Coach

English

English is one of our amazing core classes. Teachers guide students to learn to use language well, to write, to speak, and to listen so we can be prepared for the future.

SCIENCE



The science behind it all!

SCIENCE TEACHERS

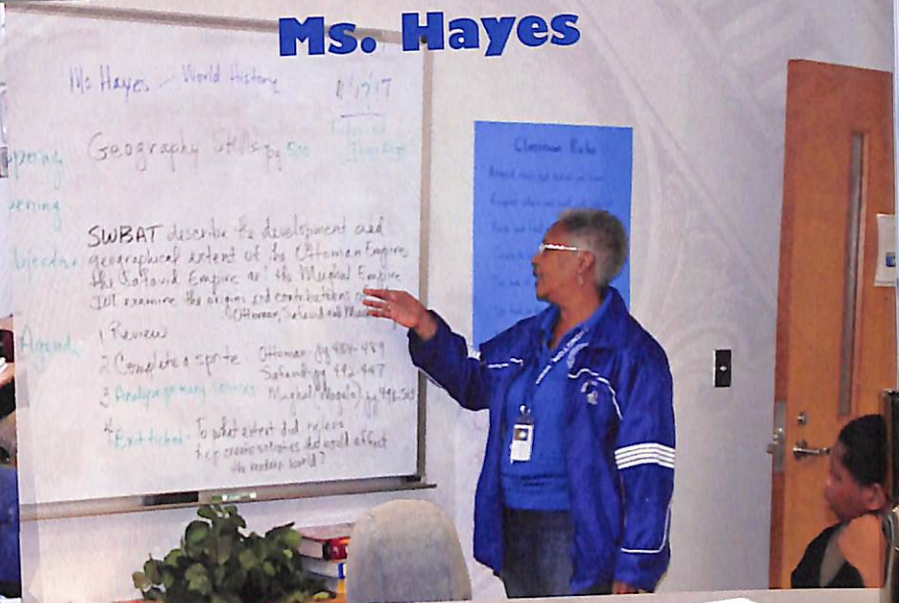
(clockwise from top)
 Ms. Henry
 Ms. Ayeni
 Ms. Kilcrease
 Mr. Palmer
 Ms. Cobey-Williams
 (Department Chair)
 Ms. Fallings



Ms. Afeku



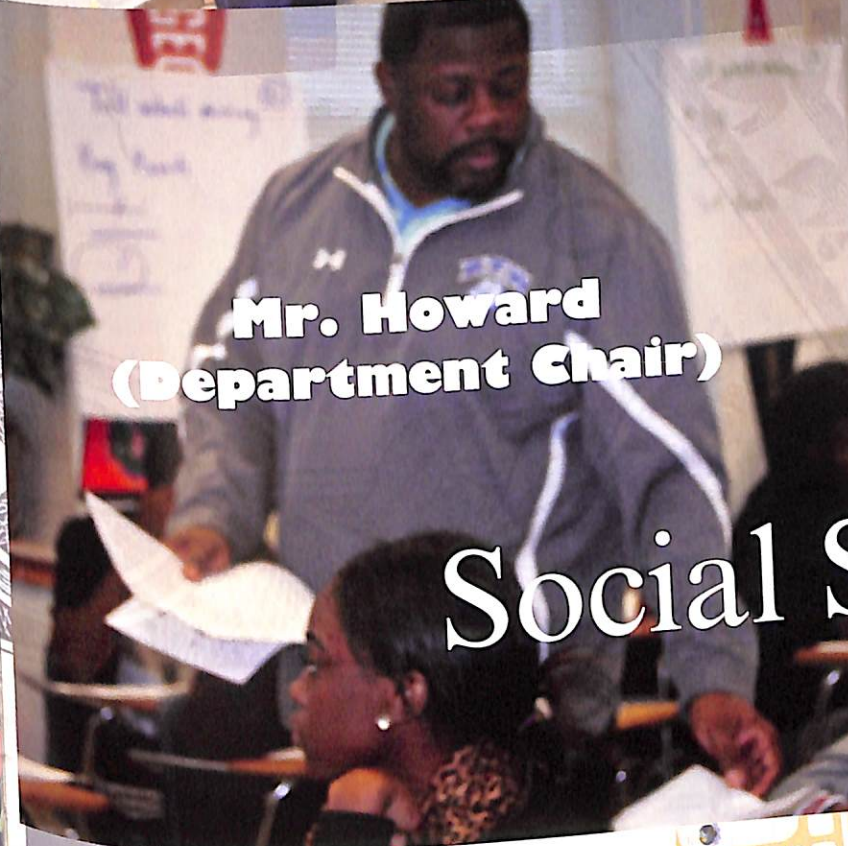
Ms. Hayes



Mr. McPherson



Mr. Howard
(Department Chair)

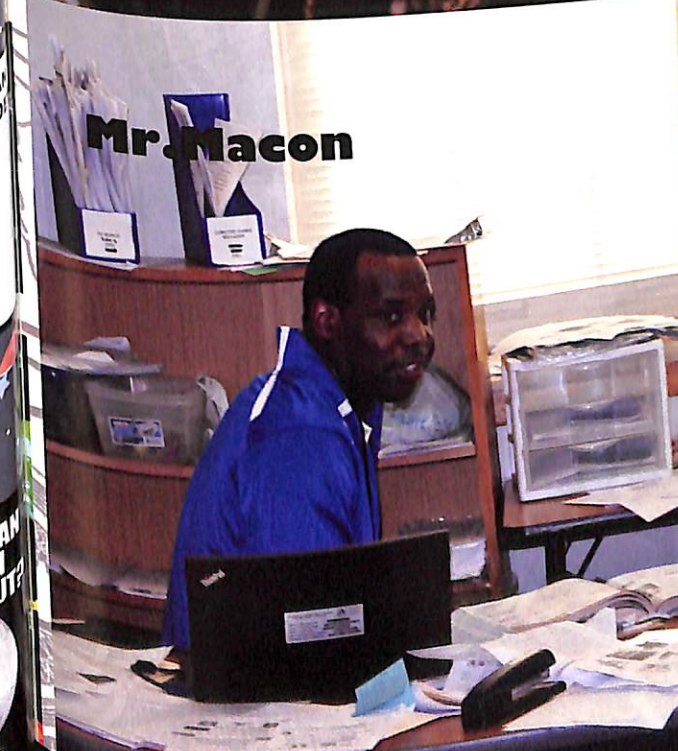


Social Studies

Ms. Durante



Mr. Macon



Like it's a crime to be a single cell these days.

Hg
A hug without U is just toxic.

WHAT AM I DOING WITH ELEMENT 83?
NONE OF YOUR BUSINESS

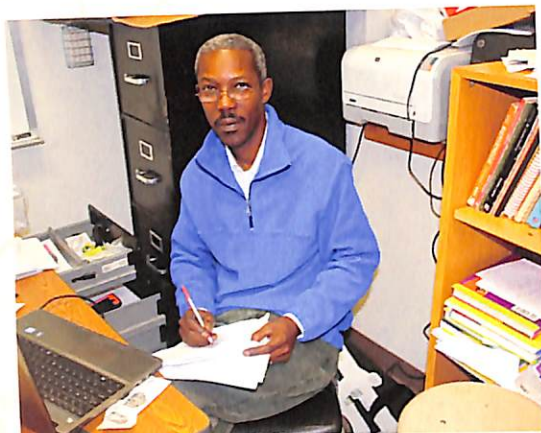
YOU'RE OVERREACTING

Disney presents **BILL & MURPHY**

WHAT DO YOU CALL A SCID WITH AN ATTITUDE?
A-mean-oh acid.

HOW DOES A MAN ON THE MOON GET HIS HAIR CUT?

Mr.
Bretous



Ms.
Haymond



World Languages

Ms.
Baldridge



Ms. Lozano



Mrs. Ford



Mrs. Dean



Mr. St. Clair

CTAE



Dance Teacher Mr. Freeman



Band Director Mr. Barner



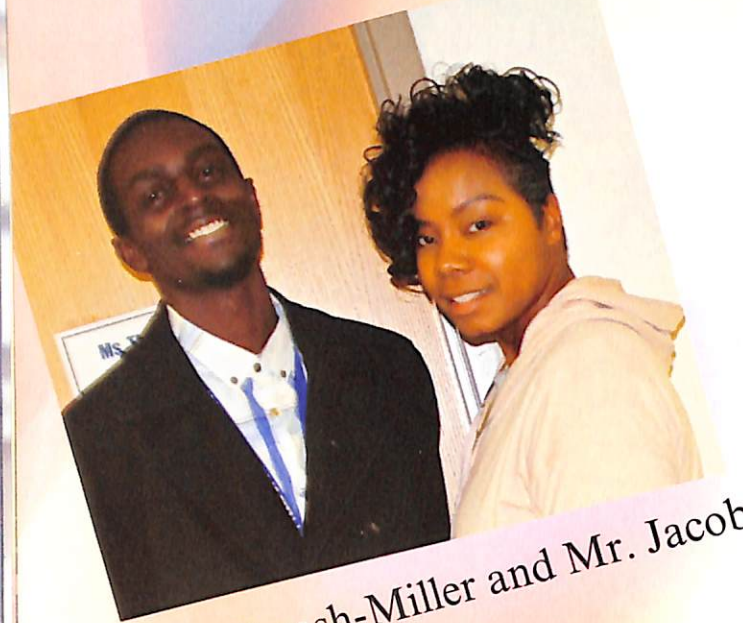
Visual Art Teacher Ms. Richardson



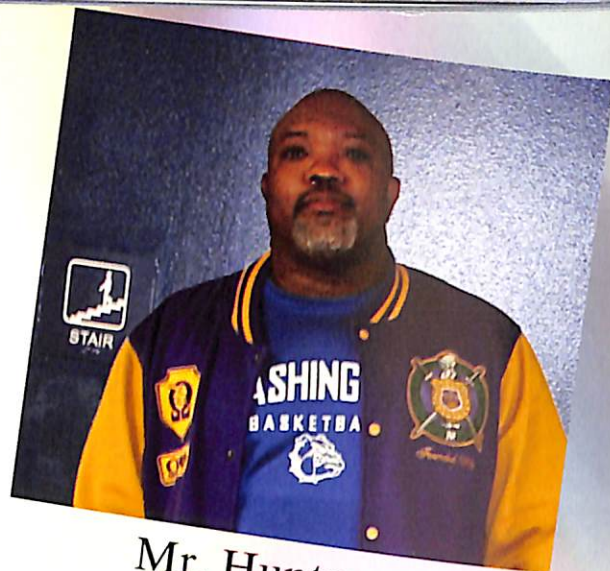
Chorus Teacher Ms. Burton



The Fine Art Department is important to the school because, it helps students express themselves through music, dance, and art. All of these options help our students show their talents and allow them to shine. Without these teachers supporting us every day, we would not have a chance explore our interests in the arts. And that is NOT the BTW Way.



Mrs. Thrash-Miller and Mr. Jacobs



Mr. Hunter



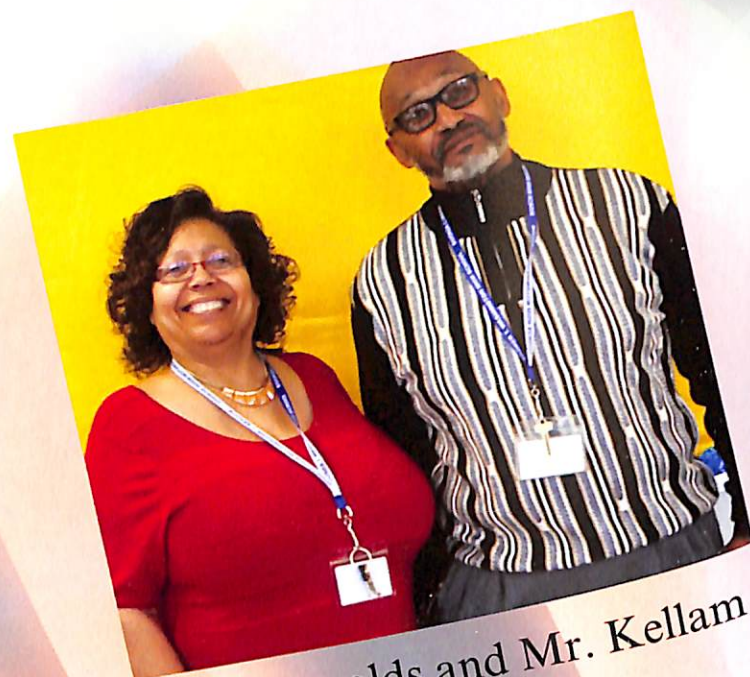
Ms. Burroughs



Ms. Lippitt



Mr. Prather



Dr. Reynolds and Mr. Kellam



Ms. Alsobrooks-Wright



Ms. Arnold



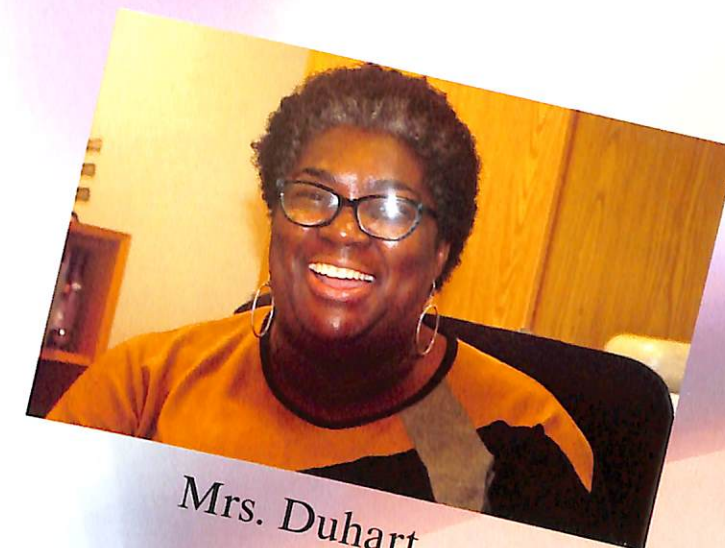
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Mr. Moses



Mr. Hickman



Mrs. Duhart

Resource Department

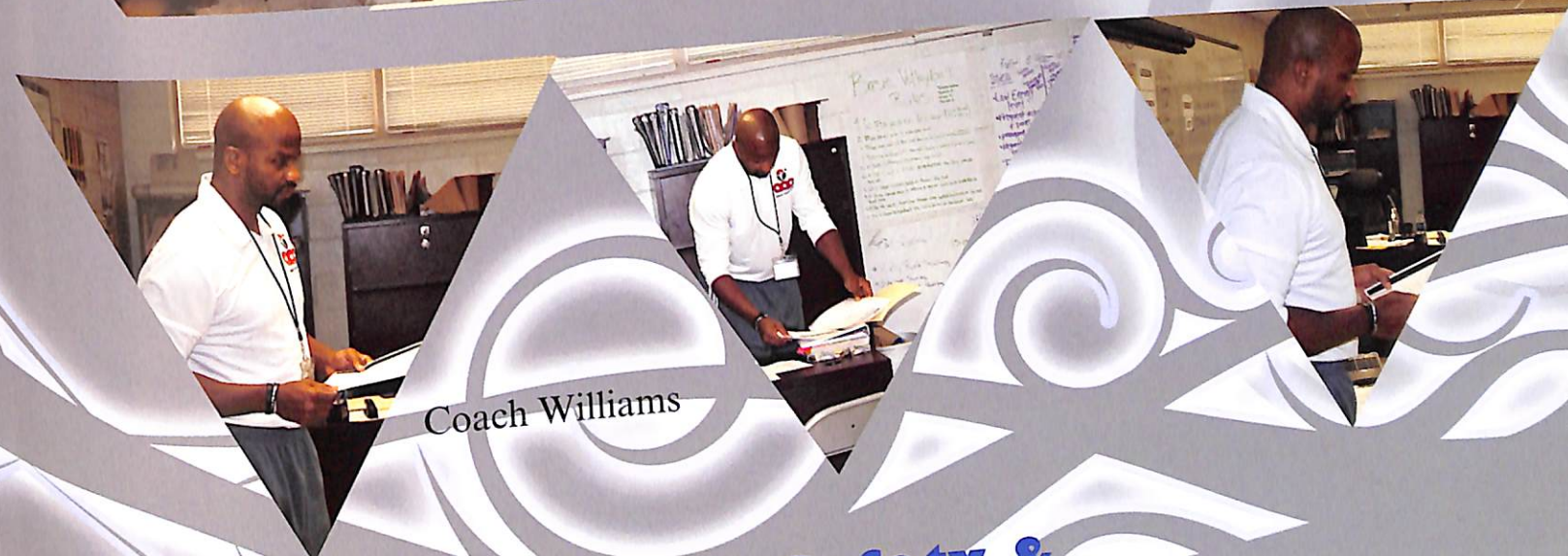
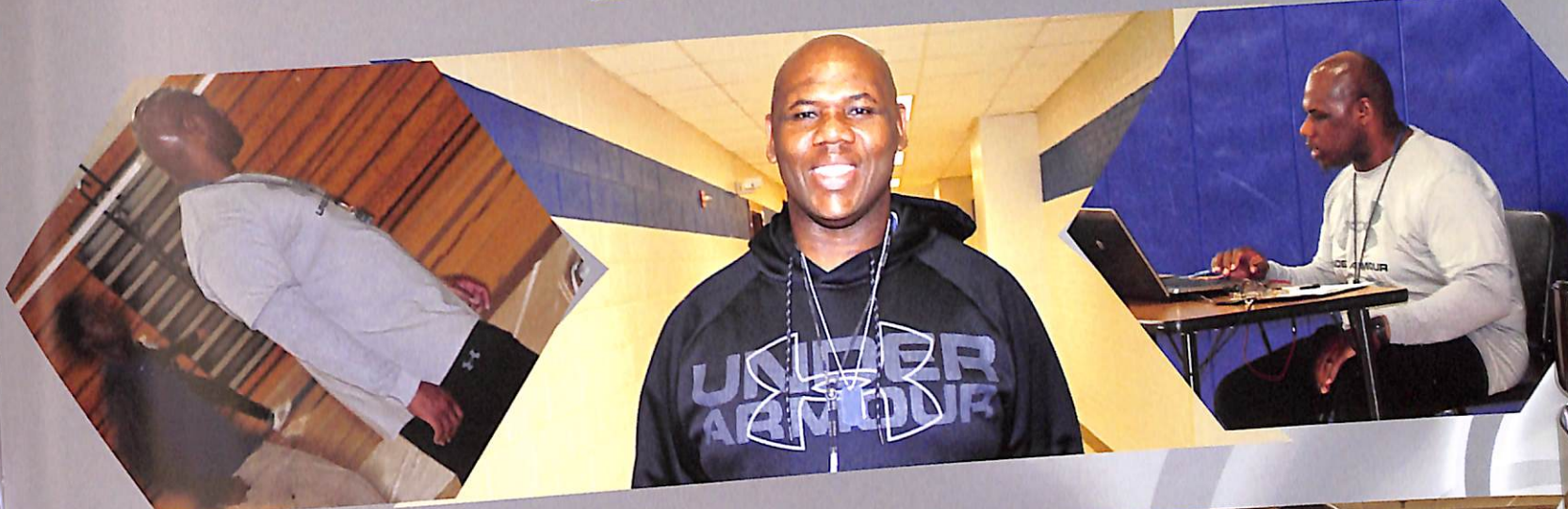


JROTC



Physical Education

Coach Avery



Coach Williams

BTW Safety & Security

Coach Maddox

Coach Jackson



Officer Shannon Officer Robinson



Service & Support



Mr. Richardson and Mr. Johnson
Achieve Atlanta



Lasha Barnes, Angela Glass, Krystle Terry, WyKeisha Clayton,
Brineka Terrel, Niesha Watkins
Cafeteria Staff



Ms. Watson
Engagement Specialist



Ms. King-Taylor
Parent Liaison



The All-around Amazing
Mr. Harrell
(with Ms. Aniya)



Mr. Freeman



Ms. Smith
Media Specialist



Ms. Rucker

BTW Early College Program

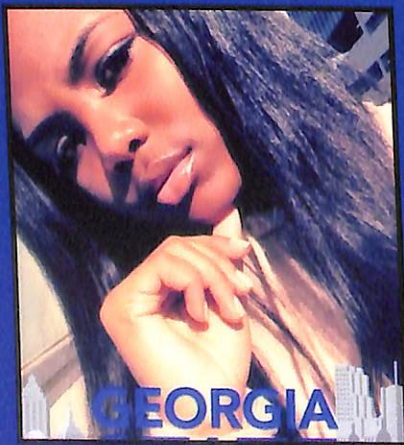
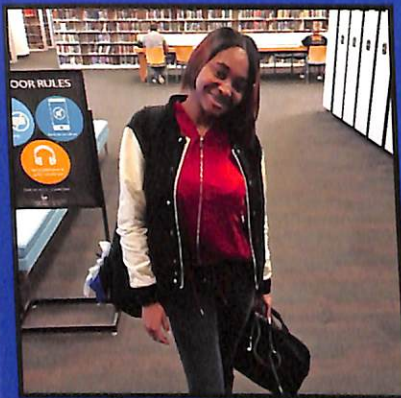


Clark Atlanta University Early College Scholars



Clark-Atlanta University Early College 2017-2018
Kyla Atkins, Justin Butler, Tkiyah Clark, Radiyah Fullins,
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Olajide, Zykeria Price, Alicia Randolph, Meshana Slaton, Elijah
Wilson

Georgia State University Early College Scholars



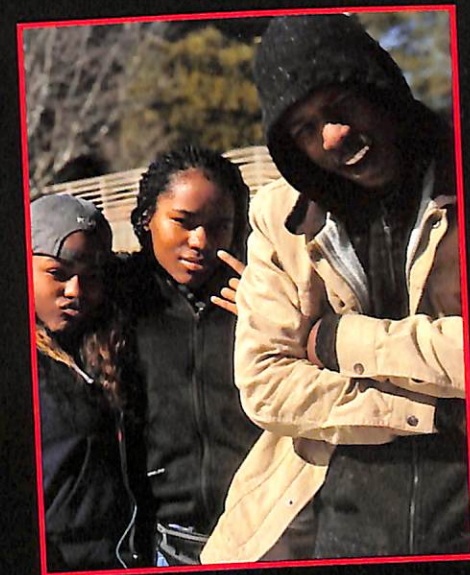
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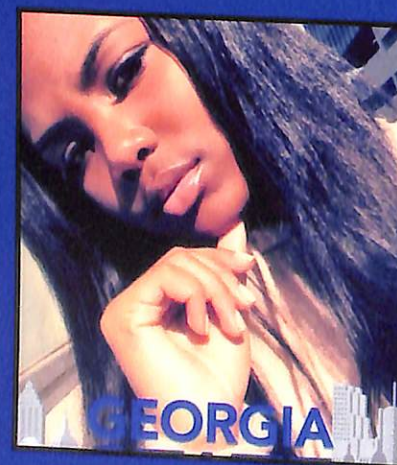
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Atlanta Metropolitan State Early College Scholars



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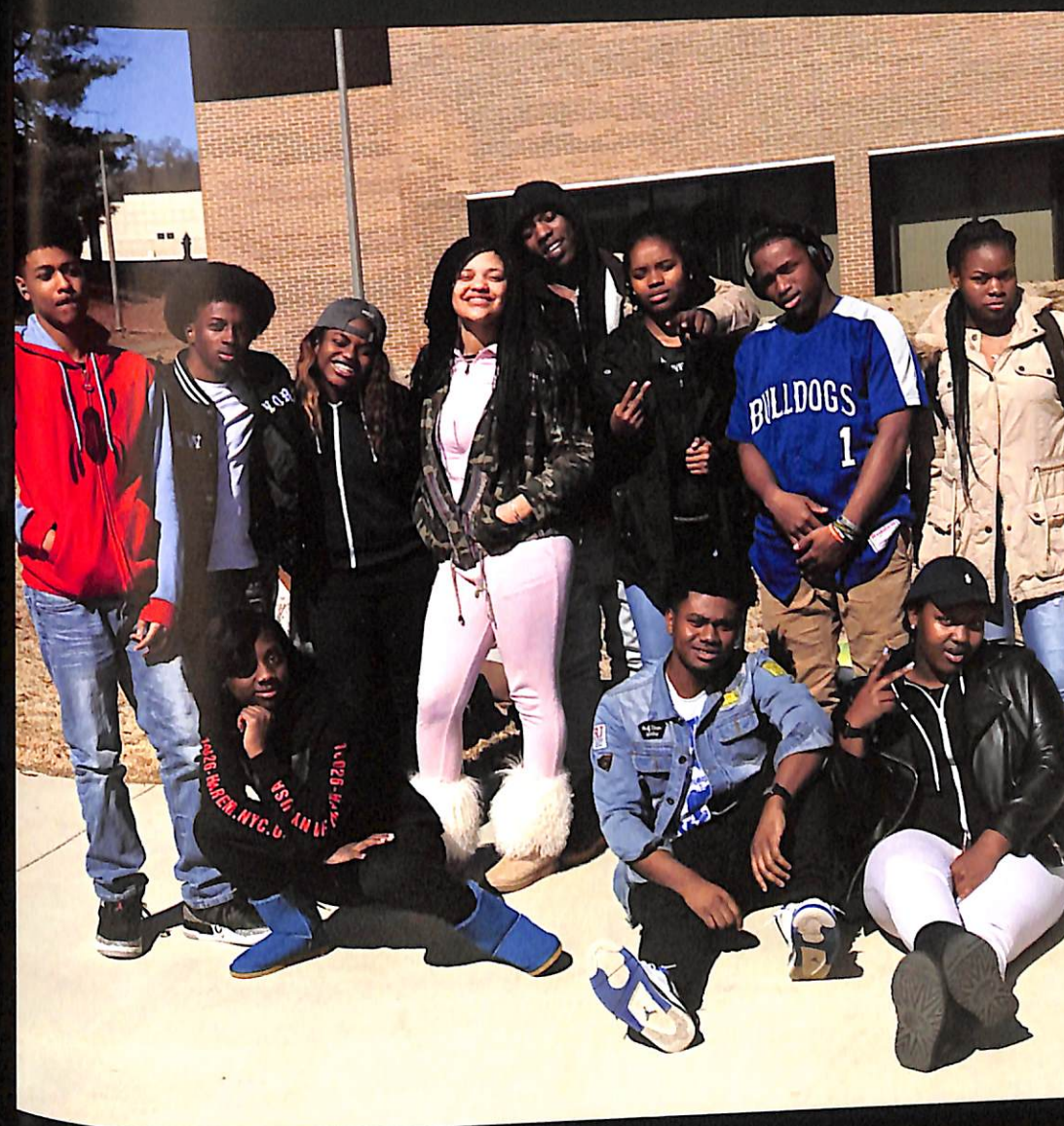
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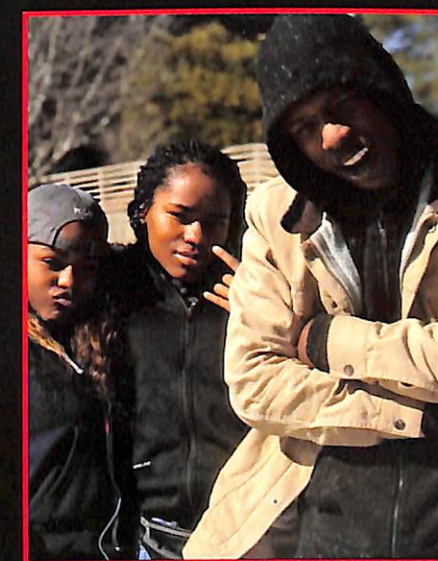
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BTW College Ready

Omega Psi Phi



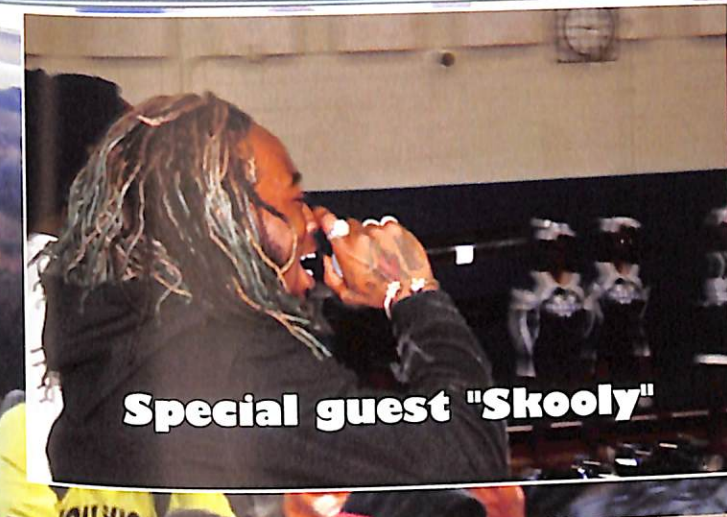
These students are college ready



Alpha Kappa Alpha



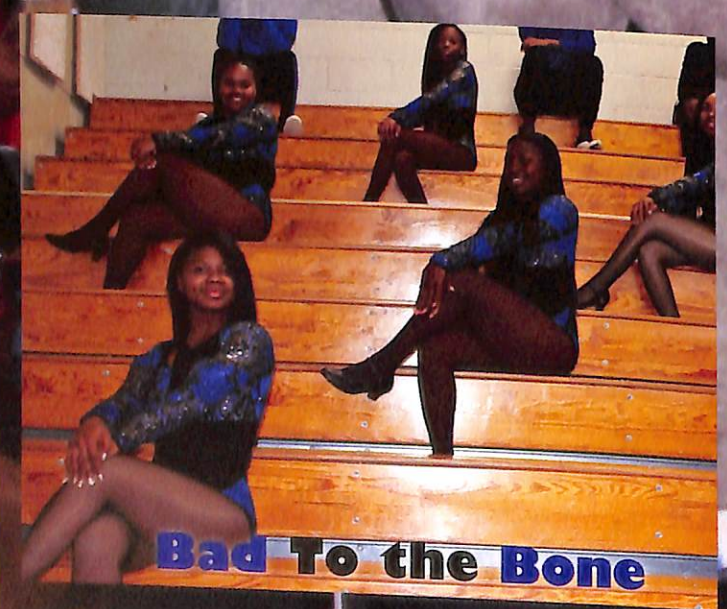
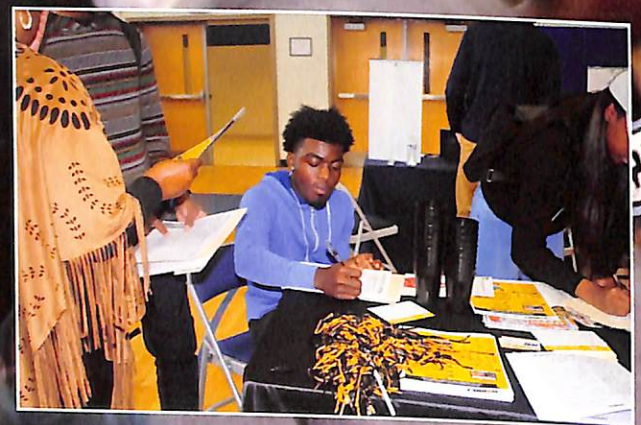
Zeta Phi Beta



Special guest "Skooly"



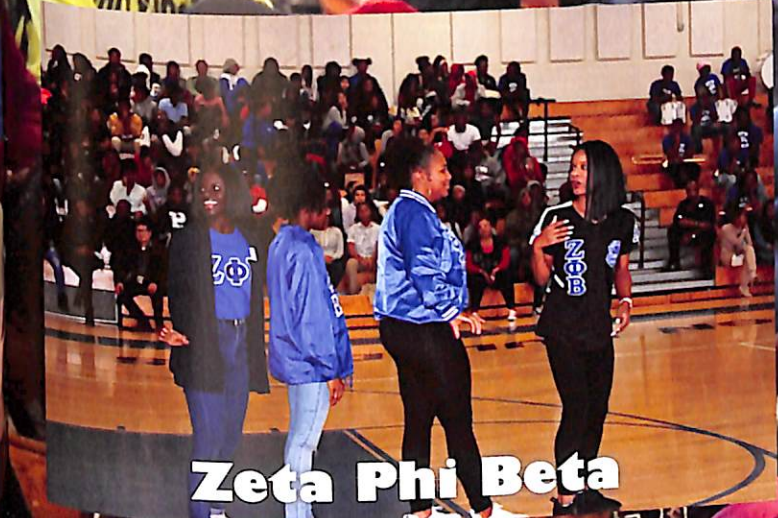
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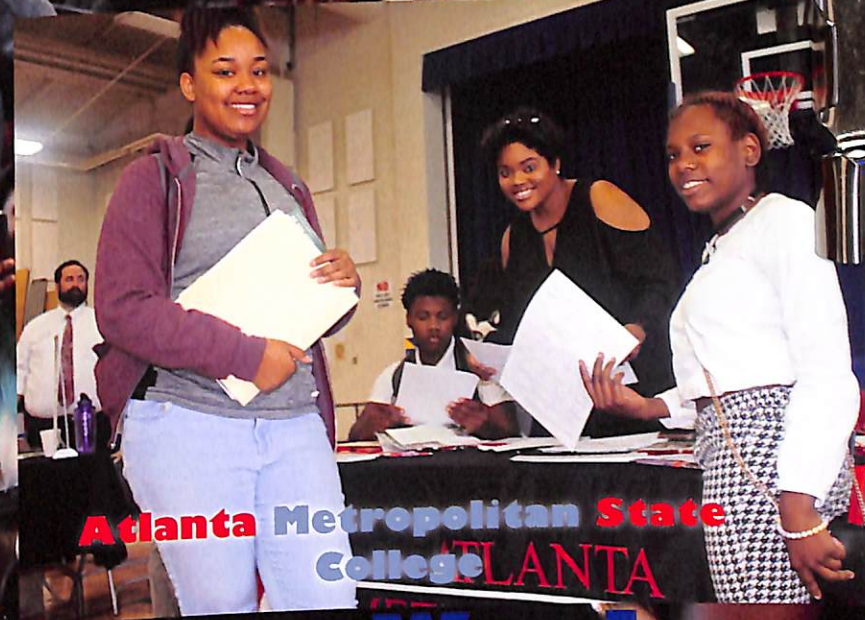
Bad To the Bone



Mr. Howard and his fraternities brother



College and Career Week



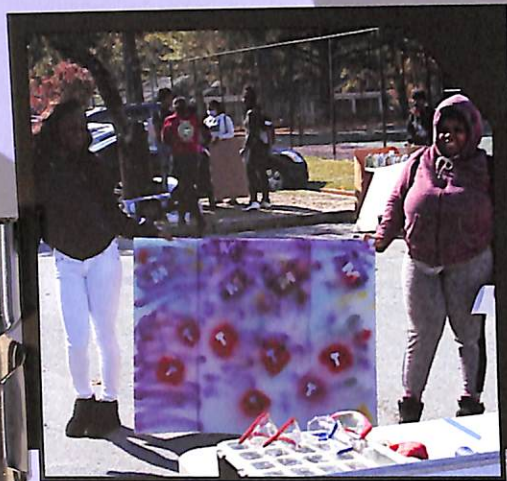
Atlanta Metropolitan State College ATLANTA



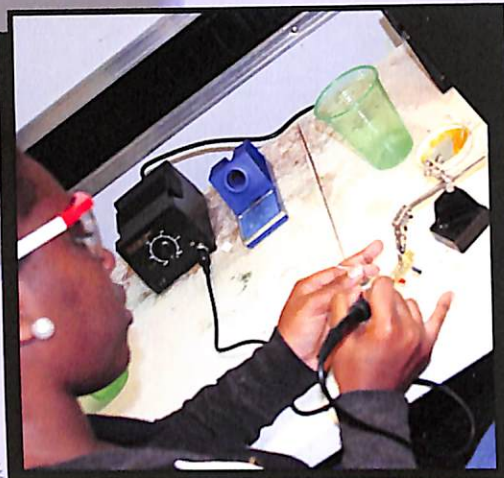
Some BTW Teacher that were previously apart of different sororities/ fraternities



HARVARD Harvard University

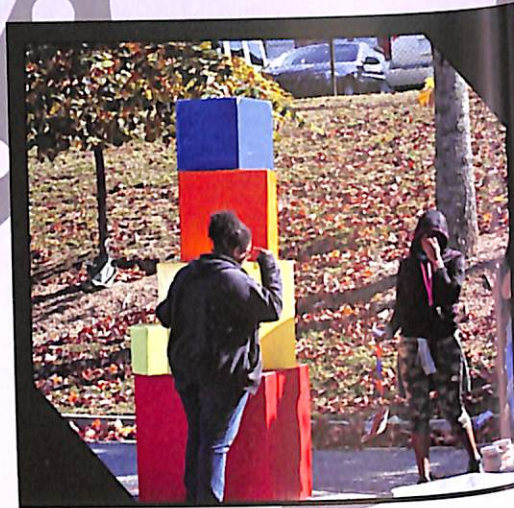


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Technology. the application of scientific knowledge for practical purposes, especially in industry.

Engineering. the branch of science and technology concerned with the design, building, and use of engines, machines, and structures.



Math. The study of numbers, equations, functions, and geometric shapes and their relationships

STEM TRUCK

Mobile Makerspace



Pictured left to right: Ms. Hill and Dr. Clark with community volunteers

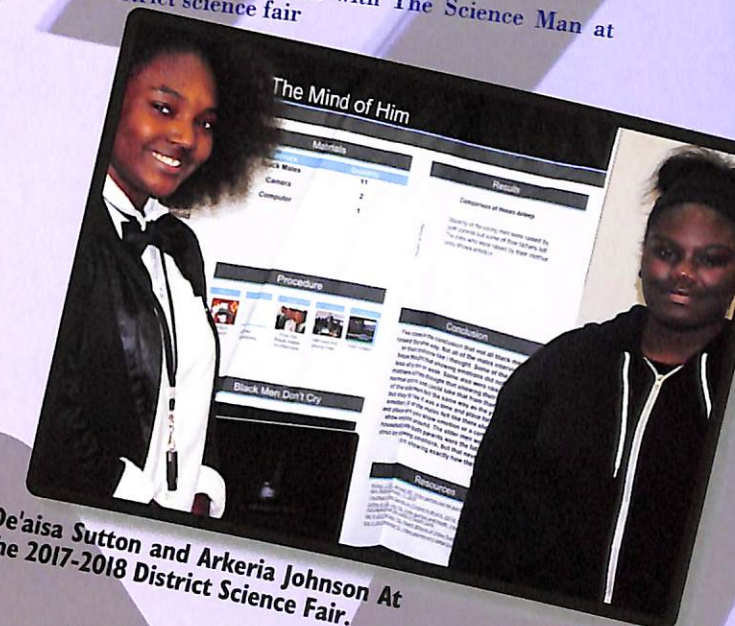


Janecia Owens And Kala Printup At the 2017-2018 District Science Fair



Shaniya Taylor and De'aisa Sutton with The Science Man at the 2017-2018 District science fair

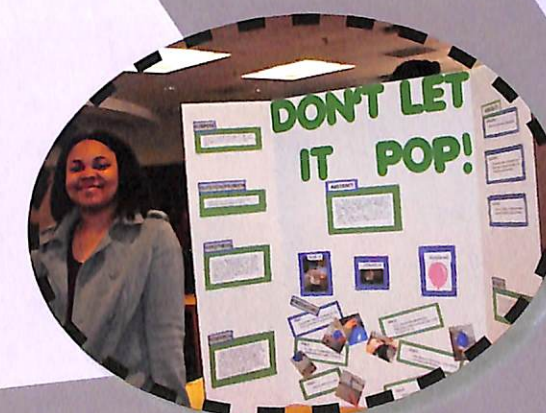
2017-2018 Science Fair



De'aisa Sutton and Arkeria Johnson At the 2017-2018 District Science Fair.



Marquavis Mabry
How Acid Affects The Rate Of Corrosion

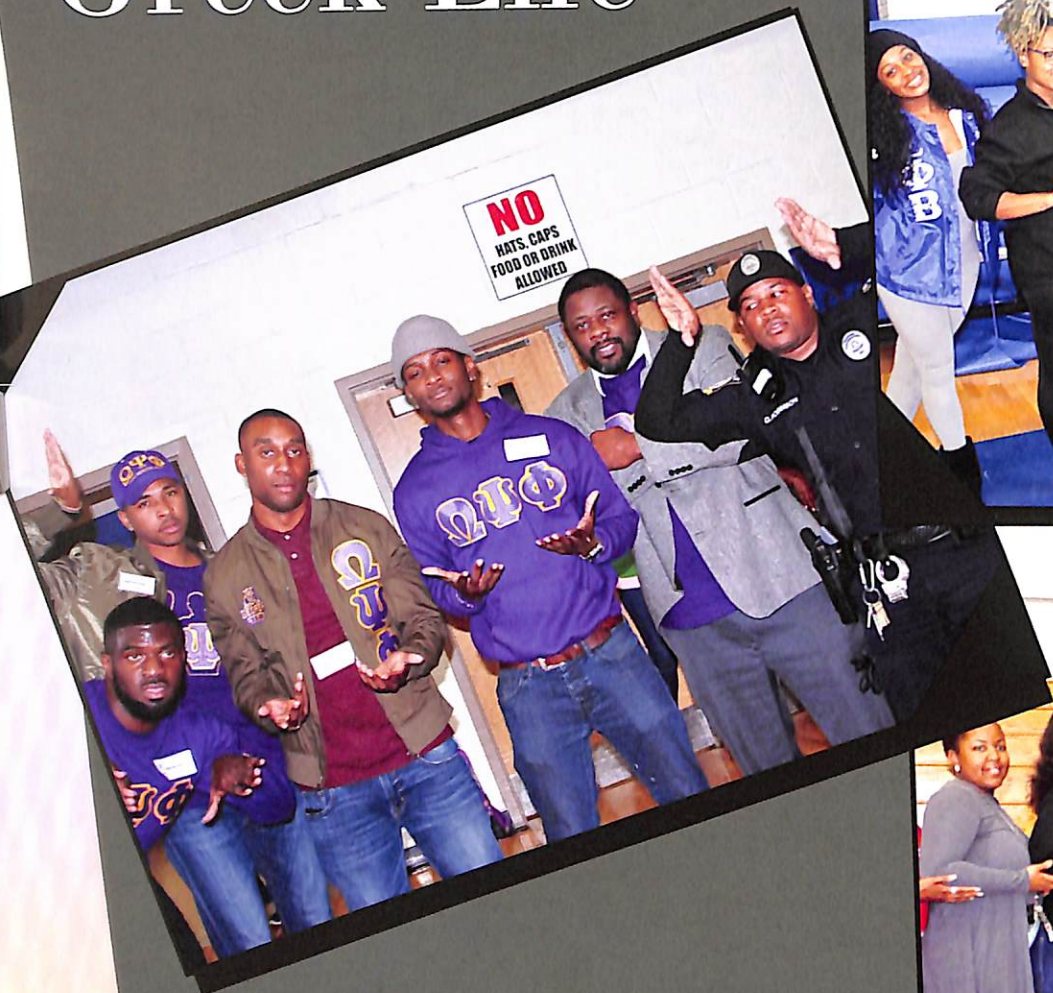


Alaira Blackwell
Don't Let It Pop!



Akin Haqq at The school Science Fair 2017-2018

Greek Life



Our teachers, faculty and staff, as well as our community partners show off their Greek love for the sororities and fraternities they represent. Alpha Kappa Alpha, Zeta Phi Beta, Omega Psi Phi, and Delta Sigma Theta were represented at our College and Career Week. THEY INSPIRE US!!

Communities In School



Meet Ms. Vara Hardy
Student Support Coach

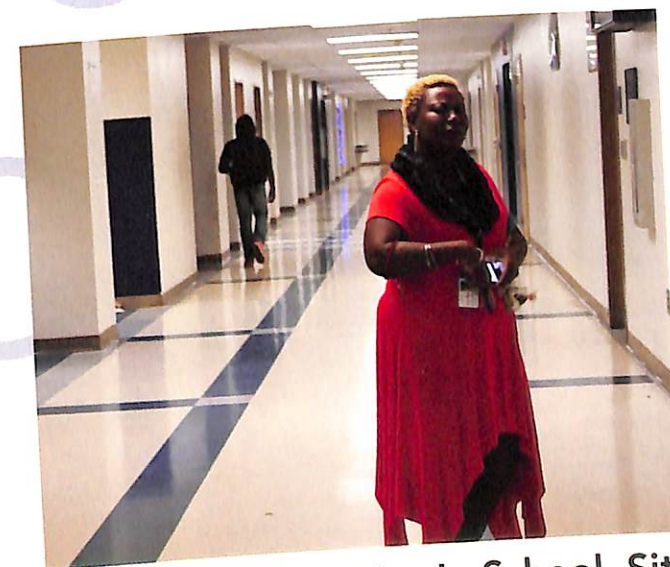


Meet Ms. Renika Robinson
CIS Site Coordinator

Communities In School is a national organization working inside public and charter schools full-time building relationships that empower at-risk students to stay in school and achieve in life. This organization, directed by, Ms. Robinson and Ms. Hardy, has impacted many students lives here at Booker T. Washington High School. They have impacted each student life by giving opportunities of community service and other learning experiences that help each of us for future endeavors.

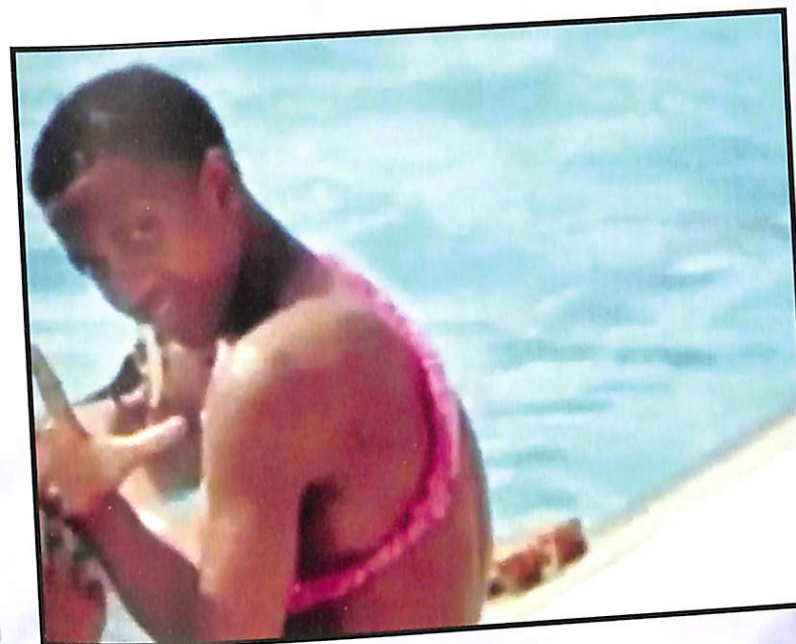


"The most rewarding part of my job is being there for the students and knowing that their lives are being positively impacted." -Ms.Hardy



"As the Communities In School, Site coordinator i love the fact I got to work with families and students from a holistic perspective." -Ms.Robinson

Seniors Class of 2018



Quotes of Wisdom About Preston

"Thanks for being a great cousin, I Love You!" ~Hannah Williams

"The good die young. Things haven't been the same since we lost you."
~Courtland Willis

"Dang Preston, you still skinny!" ~Kayla Scott

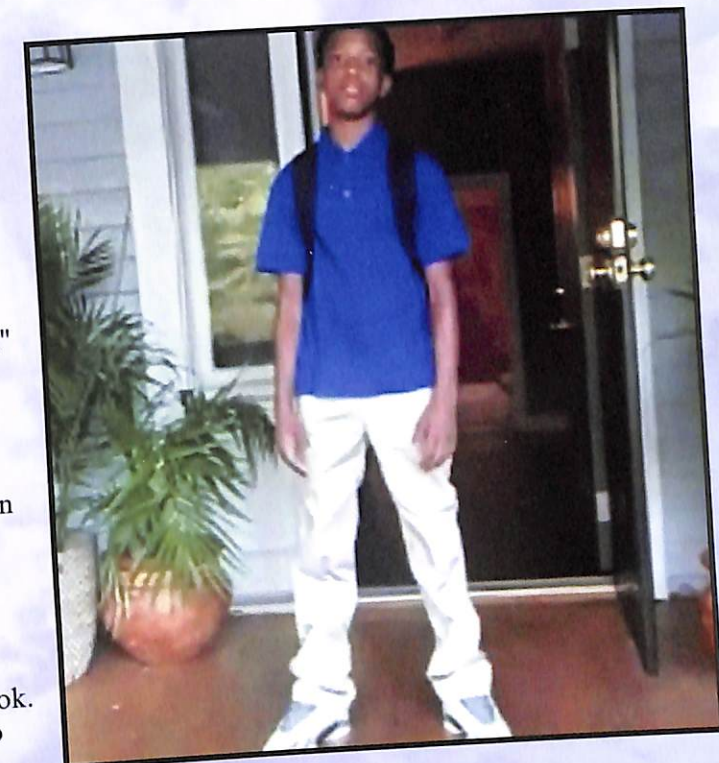
"Because someone we love is in heaven, there's a little bit of heaven in our home." ~Jazlyn Shields

"It's never a goodbye." ~Jalan Harris

"There are many students that could take a page out of Preston's book. Responsible and introspective, Preston was the proverbial 'joy to teach'." ~Mr. Garner

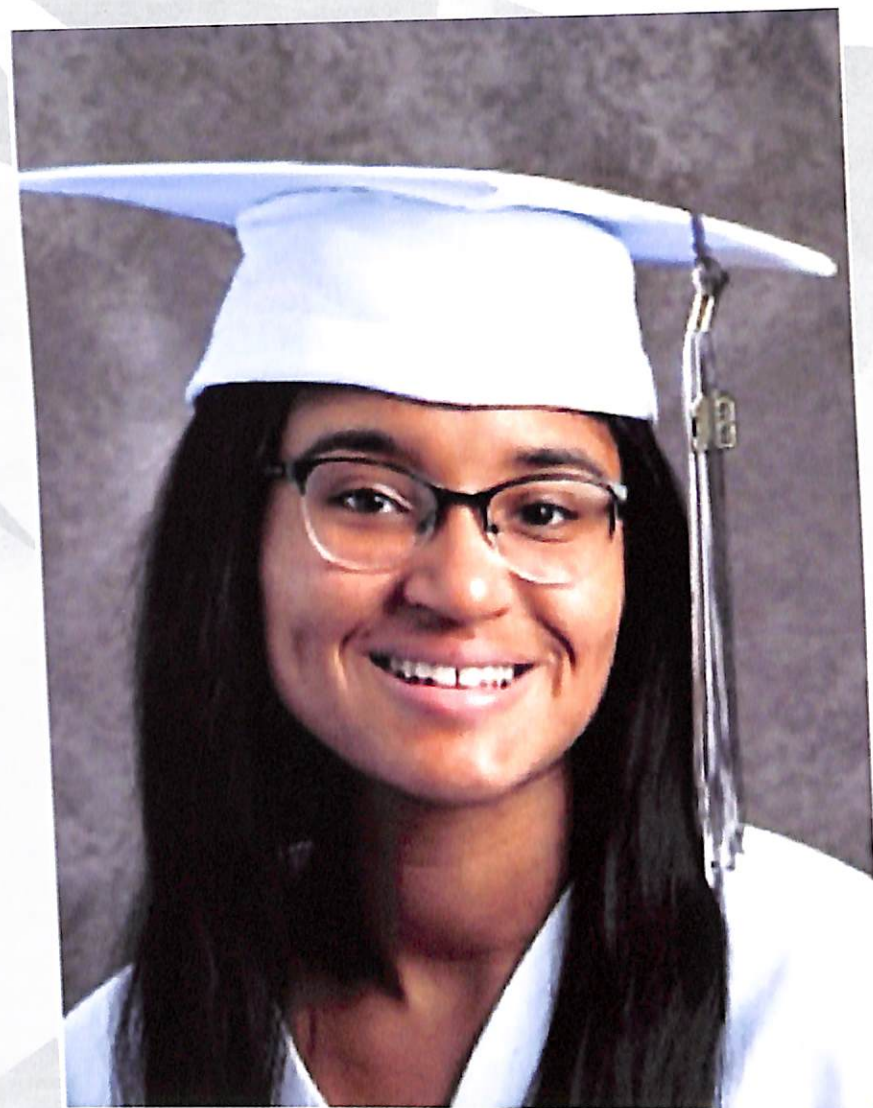


A Memorial for Our Guardian Angel, Preston Lewis



Our Fallen Soldier's Memories

Preston Lewis was born May 8th, 2000. His favorite color was black and he has a little sister named Metukah. His mother is known as a kind-spirited woman that matched Preston's chilled and positive spirit. Preston was a quiet person who made everyone smile. His positive and uplifting spirit will forever be missed. FLY HIGH PRESTON!



Valedictorian
Tyra Moore



Salutatorian
Maya Hill

Top 10%



Omar
Abdul- Rahman



Alexis
Allen



Kyla
Atkins



Aliya
Hillian



Justin
Butler



Tkiyah
Clark



Calypso
Cook



Mercedes
Williams



Henry
Daniels



Daisy
Hernandez



Timothy
Heyward



Terrance
Matthews



Alyesia
Thompson





Omar
Abdul-Rahman

*The greatest things
comes to those who
wait. That's why I
always come (to
class) an hour late.*



Miakeya
Adams

*"Jealously is just love
and hate at the same
time" - Drake*



Alexis
Allen

*"Try to be a rainbow
in someone's cloud." -
Maya Angelou*



Wykeithias
Allen



Kyla
Atkins

*sHe tOo sTuCk uP
fOr mE, shut up*



Aaliyah
Bailey



Jaquavius
Brown



Justin
Brown

*I want money and
nothing will stop me
from getting it.*



Kiara
Buckmon

I did this for BTS.



Aaron
Burkes



Tyrese
Bussie

*We often shoot for the
stars and stop at the
moment.*



Justin
Butler



Ariel
Barnes

*It's better to be worst
than worst to be
better.*



Dayla
Bell

*I only talk to
bosses, not the
second in command.*



Robert
Bell

*Kill them with success,
they gone kill me with
an emoji.*



Earline
Bennett

*Chase your dreams
like they ran away
with your phone.*



Alexandria
Benyard

*If you are stuck on my
past then you will miss
out on your future.*



Joshua
Bishop-Harris



Dasha
Bogan



Caleb
Bolden



Cameron
Bolden

*You can't stop what God
got planned for me.*



Dyrone
Booker



Markail
Brooks

*Set fire with your life,
and seek those who
fan your flame.*



Brittini
Brown

*If you can't stop
thinking about it,
don't stop working on
it.*



Brandi
Byner

*Pain is temporary. If
you quit, however, it'll
last forever. Never
Give Up!*



Toriano
Carmichael



Laquana
Carter

*Cheaters never win...
but I just graduated.*



Tameesha
Clark

*I'm gonna go stand
outside. If anyone
asks, I'm outstanding.*



Tkiyah
Clark

*You never experience
shame until you are
the one everyone's
talking about.*



Jamal
Clarke



Calypso
Cook

*It's pronounced
"Ka-lip-so"*



Tamilria
Crane

*Never wanted to be
"popular," just wanted
them to know my
name...*



Imani
Crenshaw

*Average is the biggest
enemy of greatness.*



Christopher
Crosby

*Dont worry about the
"should've, could've,
and the if onlys."*



Tionne
Cullins



Aniya
Culpepper

*Don't follow your
dreams. Follow my
instagram
@niyaawiya*



Mbinkinding
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*Be a student as long
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Lord Ramesses
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"Motivational quote"



Taurean
Demons

*I want to succeed as
badly as I want to
breathe.*



Johnathan
Dorsey

*I'm always going to
work like I have
something to prove.*



Shanya
Edwards

*"Doing your best is
more important than
being the best."
-Zig Ziglar*



Shandreka
Grover

*Don't be mad cuz I'm
doin' me better than
you doin' you.
-Childish Gambino*



Jan
Harris



Spendarius
Harris

*I'm fat because I don't
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#1 Elysian woman



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Fambro

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tomorrow for what
you can do today.*



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be a boss, but this
perfection came
naturally.*



Rashad
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Maya
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*"Do it look like I was
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-Migos*



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*Too many critics with
no credentials.*



Eric
Hollis

*Whoever is trying to
bring you down is
already below you.*



Briana
Holloway

*This is one big hive
and I'm the one and
only Queen B.*



Anthony
Franklin



Kaisean
Friday

*See what you need to
see, not what you want
to see.*



El'Raheem
Fullins



Jahkevis
Gaston



Kelsey
Gearing

*She believed she
could, so she did it.*



Letashia
Gresham

*Play the hand you
were dealt like it's the
hand you wanted.*



Ceyanna
Howard



Kajha
Humbert

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-Marilyn Monroe*



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Hutcherson

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Shamirra
Johnson

*Memories take us
back. Dreams take us
forward.*



Ta'Shalia
Johnson

*"Life goes on..."
-Tupac Shakur*



Nautonia
Jones



Alexandria
Jordan

*What feels like the
end is just the
beginning.*



Alexis
Jordan

*#Flipshair, I belong in
a dollhouse!*



Dequndra
Jordan

*My pride too big, I
won't let them play
me.*



Zikiya
Kelly



Edward
Lee

*Think like a
billionaire.*



Charles
Lewis



Thykira
Lewis

*I spent 113,880 hours
of my life for a paper
and a handshake.*



Mauricia
Lloyd



Tamioka
Lonzo

*Life isn't perfect but
your pictures can be.*



Anaya
Mincey

*You are in control of
your destiny. You can
do it.*



Tyra
Moore



Demonte
Morgan



Nadia
Mwamuye



Tristan
Neal

*Does anyone
remember me? I was
the realist one of the
century. I'm still
making something out
of my history.*



Keanna
Olajide

*"Behind every
successful woman is
no one. She got there
herself."
-Lilly Singh*



Derall
Parrish



Terrell
Pettaway



Treyvon
Pinckney

*"Adversity causes
some men to break;
other to break
records."
-William Arthur
Ward*



Rashad
Powers

Slow feet, don't eat.



Dovail
Rabon



Alicia
Randolph



Tonisha
Mapp

*People change. You
change. It was lit tho!*



Desiree
Martin

*Everything that
glitters is not gold.*



Jimyree
Martin

*You can accomplish
anything you set your
mind to.*



Jakeena
Mason

*"There is no greater
agony than bearing an
untold story inside
you."
-Maya Angelou*



Terrance
Matthews

*Dang, can't believe I
graduated just go back
to skool.*



Jakobe
McGhee

*And so the adventure
begins...*



Karrington
Releford

*"In order to be
irreplaceable one must
always be different."
-Coco Chanel*



Chrystopher
Richard



Jaquan
Riggins

*Every loser has to win.
Every winner has to
lose someday.
-J. Cole*



Sanchez
Rooks

*If tomorrow ain't
promised then why
should I wait?*



English
Rozier



Kayla
Scott



Lavender
Seals

*Don't know the real
from the fake, so
watch out for the
snakes.*



Antionette
Shannon

*Make your mark,
make it count, make it
you.*



Jazlyn
Shields

*Future millionaire
soon to be billionaire.
Just watch.*



Meshana
Slaton

*Don't tell me the sky
is the limit when
there're footprints on
the moon.*



Janesha
Smith



Makayla
Smith



Mikesha
Thomas



Alyesia
Thompson

*Opinions are like
Mixtapes. I don't
want to hear yours.*



Azaria
Tinch

*Your time as a
caterpillar has
expired. Your wings
are ready.*



Willdashia
Tinch



Antonio
Trice

*Hard work beats
talent when talent
doesn't work hard.*



Keyanna
Upton



Tiarra
Smith

*Sometimes you find
yourself feeling down
and out. Then you
realize how far you've
come to fulfill your
purpose.*



Michael
Solomon

*If the chase ain't
mutual, change
directions.*



Tyriq
Speach

*"Work until your idols
become your rivals"
-Drake*



Dionte
Statham



Tykira
Stevenson



Corliss
Stinson

*In life we do some
things we wish we had
never done and some we
wish could replay a
million times.*



Jakari
Vickerson



Charles
Watkins



Genelle
Watts

*Do it for the people
who want to see you
fail.*



Damion
Williams



Destiny
Williams

*She is a Queen. Her
soul is royalty.*



Hannah
Williams



Tamarkia
Stokley



Nautica
Strickland

*Walked in with
friends, graduated
with haters.*



Saadaria
Styles

*Keep your enemies
close, and keep your
friend closer.*



Darrion
Taylor

*Everything I am not
made me everything I
am.*



Deontra
Taylor

Be you.



Antonio
Thomas



Mercedes
Williams

*Madame President,
signing out.*



Courtland
Willis

*Why accept failure
when success is free?*



Elijah
Wilson

*4 years and the only
thing I learned was
that I'm the best
chea...*



Destiny
Wisdom



Jasmine
Woodard

*Kill them with success.
Bury them with a
smile.*



Quenecia
Woodruff

*NEVER LOOK
DOWN ON
ANYONE UNLESS
YOU ARE LIFTING
THEM UP!*

Senior Last Words

Feed your fam and stay humble

- Darius Johnson

Keep your heels high and your confidence even higher.

- Alexandria Benyard

Done

-Jazlyn Shields



We're all stars that shine brighter than the sun.

-Kai'Sean Friday

"We live, We Grow, We learn"

-Anna Hickson

Good and bad memories from BTW I appreciate

-Saadaria Styles

No New Friends

-Lavendor Seals



Bye, I'm not going to miss you.

-Wykeithia Allen



Even when life seems hard, it may still be just the beginning

-Ta'Shalia Johnson

Remember your real friends will never leave your side

-Karrington Releford

Never let someone tell you that you're too small (Basketball)

-Taurean Demons

I'm grateful for my growth

-Tamieka Lonzo



High school is OK but college is life

- Serenity Everett

#OMIGNYSB

-Amiya Culpepper

Shoot for the moon even if you miss.

- Mbinkinding Dampho

I'm Through

-Omar Abdul-Rahman

Bye Bye Stank

-Thytira Lewis



To accomplish great things we must not only act but also dream, not only plan but also believe. Thank you class of 2018 and thank you teachers for all the hard work.

- Maryam Drummen

I just want to thank my 4 family members and a few more Y'all my dawgs - Karla Scott



"What people do for the struggle for power is madness."

- Johnathan Dorsey

Si, ingles es mi verdadero nombre. - English Rozier

Every moment matters. - Antionette Shannon



Shout out to my 4 for 4 and 2 more!!! RANCH!!! -Dayla Bell

9th grade: Yay!
10th grade: We Lit!
11th grade: okay
12th grade: IM READY TO GO
- Stantrese Foster

Never settle for less!
- Alexis Jordan

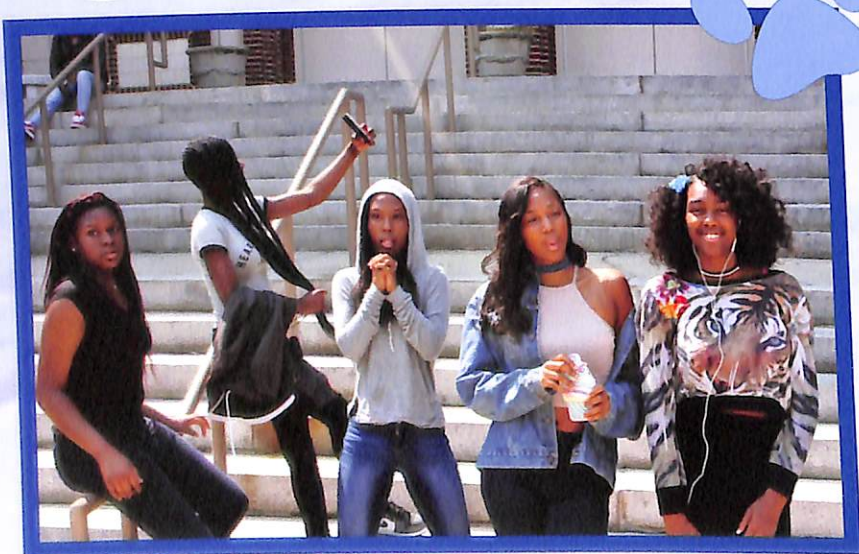
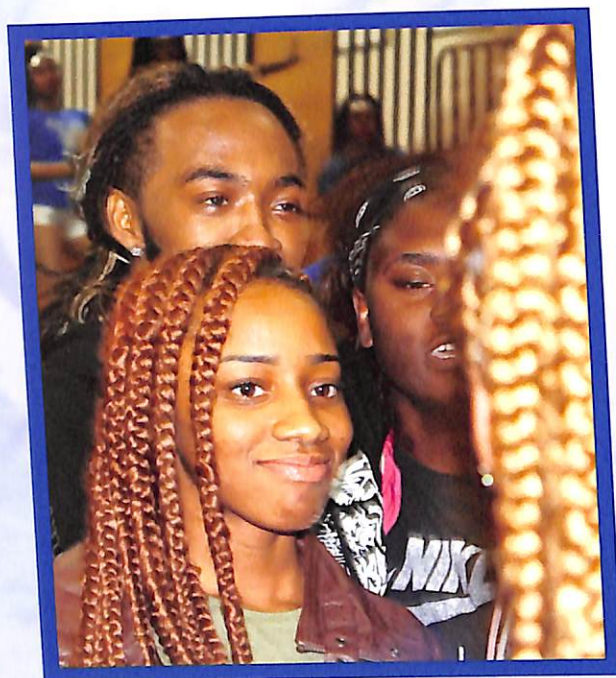


Shoutout to all the people who air dropped the answers. - Real Spill. - Justin Butler

Live it up in high school cause the world's different out there! - Corliss Stinson



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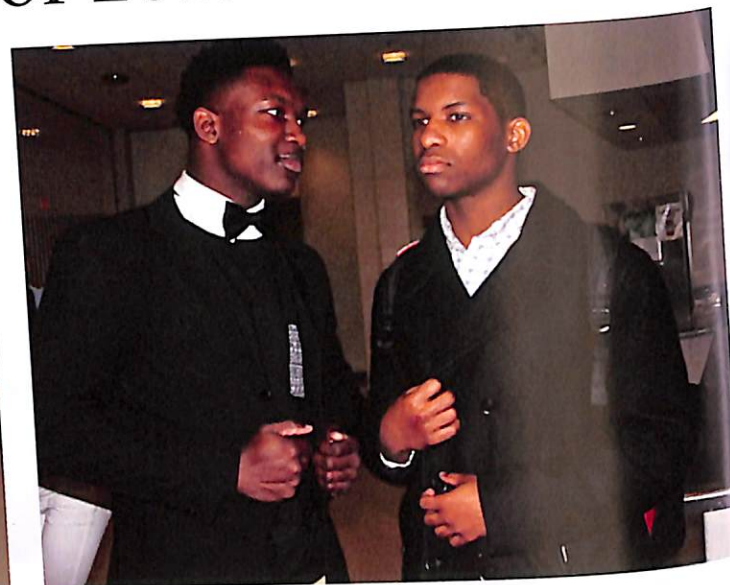


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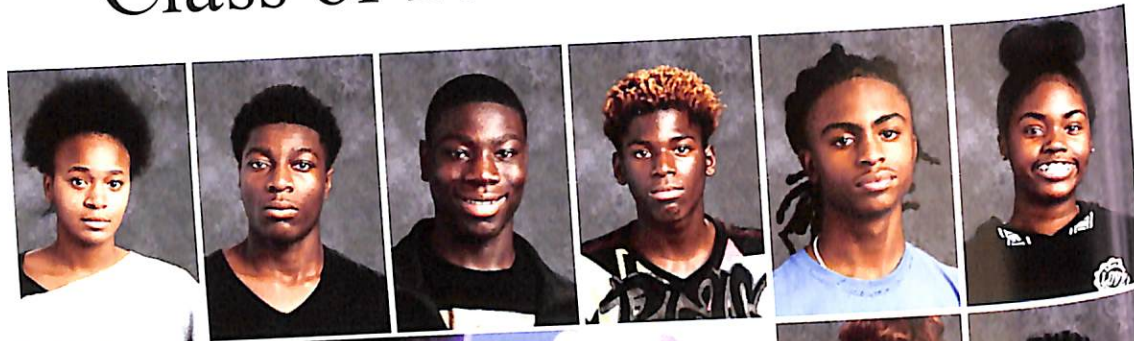
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Dana Mitchell
Kennessa Mitchell



Makilia Moore
Jakobe Naylor
Shamia Nicholson
Kimberly Olea-Larumbe
Jaelyn Paige
Semira Parks



Joie Phillips
Thomas Pooser
Kayja Radcliff
Zy'Koabi Randolph-Howard
Destiny Ransom
Jeffery Rayborn



De'Shun Render
Myquavais Seymore
Trenton Sinclair
Naveah Sneed
Antonio Strickland
Jestin Strong



Class of 2021

Jhanae Swanson
Joshua Taylor
Brenda Thornton
Maihan Tran
Morgan Turner
Aryanna Vasti



Amaya Wallace
Isiah Waller
Ronnie West
Quentavious Westbrook
Malaija White
Maysa White



Davaughn Williams
Rodney Williams
Tiyana Williams
Jatavis Woods



Faces of BTW



Fall

Sports



JV Football



VARSITY CAPTAINS 2017



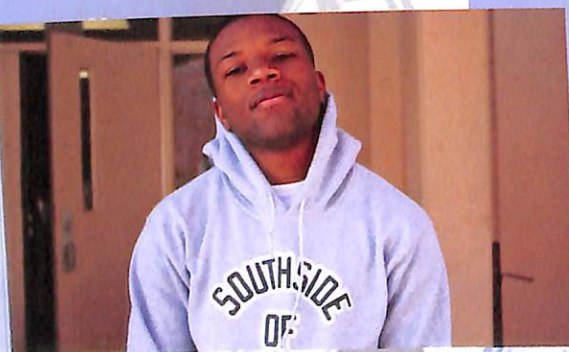
Terrance Matthews c/o 2018



Teion English c/o 2018



Edward Lee c/o 2018



Michael Solomon c/o 2018

- Jordan Atkins #13**
- Dekuan Archer #75**
- Robert Bell #16**
- Rontavious Bell #40**
- Markail Brooks #50**
- Devon'e Carter #51**
- Devon Clinkscales #56**
- Johnthan Dorsey #47**
- Maurice Edwards #23**
- LeKeon English #31**
- Teion English #45**
- Rodricus Fitten #5**
- Anthony Franklin #99**
- Jahkevis Gaston #4**
- Jaydin Graham #20**
- Rashad Graham #55**

- Michael Gibbs #34**
- Mario Holt #18**
- Rondarious Howard #28**
- Darius Johnson #44**
- Monye Jones #2**
- Edward Lee #25**
- Jacorey Long #54**
- Marquavis Mabry #26**
- Marcus Martin #12**
- Ronald Mason #9**
- Terrance Matthews #3**
- Jacardo McClarty #58**
- Chico Monfort #10**
- Taj Moore #11**
- Johathan Nunn #19**
- Treyvon Pickney #14**

- Rashad Powers #22**
- Vachon Raye #15**
- Kevin Richard #27**
- Sanchez Rooks #43**
- Williams Royalston #52**
- Demetrius Smith #24**
- Michael Solomon #7**
- Dionte Statham #54**
- Hassan Tillery #29**
- Hussein Tillery #32**
- Ariyah Thomas #22**
- Antonio Trice #8**
- Isaiah Waller #88**
- Mahlon West #21**
- Ronnie West #17**
- Omega Williams #88**
- Montrez Williams #6**
- Dominique Wright #57**
- Terrance Wright #40**



BTW Varsity Football 2017



Head Coach Avery



Coach Jackson



Coach Prather



Coach Adrian Benson



Coach Antwon Benson

Bulldogs Cheerleaders



Jaylen Baker
Jamaya Brown
Markela Brown
Ashanti Carter
Christina Dunlap
Amari Ginton
Maya Hill
Briana Holloway
Caitlyn Hosey
Kahja Humbert
Autumn Jackson
Chrishauna Johnson
Shamirra Johnson



Zachara Jones
Kasiya Linsey
Dana Mitchell
Makaya Martin
Kayla Printup
Kayja Radcliff
English Rozier
Mercedes Williams



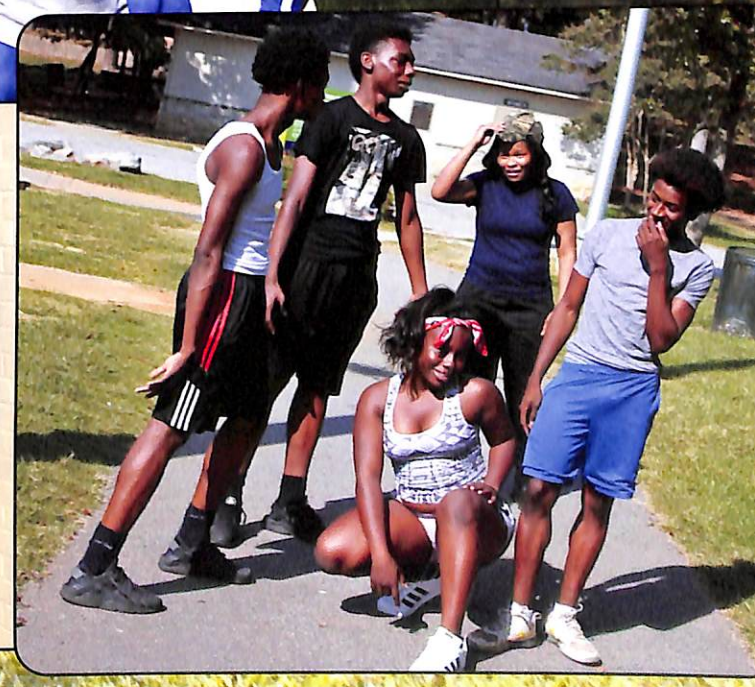
Cross Country

Coach: Mr. Garner
 Captain: Timothy
 Heyward
 Co-Captain: Taurean
 Demons
 Manager: Calypso Cook
 Benard Rapley
 Chrystopher Richard
 Jakari Vickerson
 Leonard Rapley
 Lord Davis
 Sean-John Denis
 Todderick Rapley
 Tyriq Speech



Cross Country

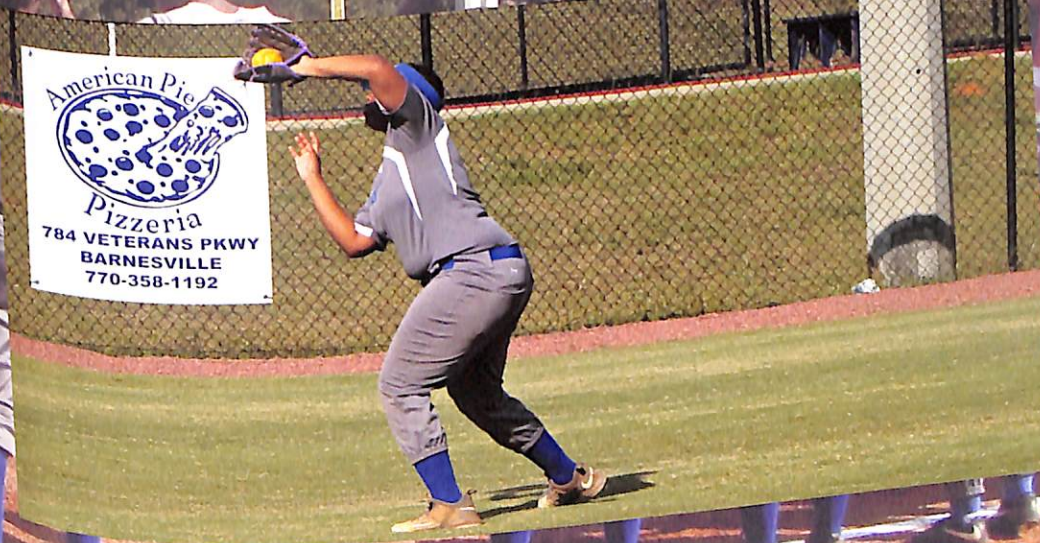
Coach: Mr. Andrews
 Captain: Taniyha
 Vasquez
 Co-Captain: Calypso
 Cook
 Manager: Calypso Cook
 Adia Gulley
 Alexis Baskerville
 Corbin Hanson
 India Evans
 Jasmine Woodard
 Letashia Gresham
 Pria EuBanks



BTW VARSITY SOFTBALL



- # - Name
 6-Kiara Barber
 7-Jayda Farnell (C)
 8-Daesha Williams
 9-Quentorria Darden
 9-Kayla Scott
 10-Shamiya Martin
 11-Derricka Sorrells
 15-Jakhia Bennett
 17-Kenyatta Harris
 18-Jazlyn Shields
 20-Kenyijah Cooper
 16/17-Teaira Gibson
 2/22-Keilesia Jackson
 3/5-Bre'Anna Sanders (C)
 35/44-Liberty Jones
 4/1-Alexis Buckner



Lady Bulldogs Volleyball



Left: Coach Robinson
Right: Coach Evans



Bottom to Top:

Arkeria Johnson, Dayla Bell, Tamirlia Crane, Zykeria Price, Corliss Stinson, Earline Bennett, Ityeana Hunter, Tamioka Lonzo, Nautica Strickland



Meet Us At The Net!!

Stats Fall 2017

Varsity Football
Record(3-7)
Region(1-5)



Volleyball
Record(4-23)
Region(2-2)



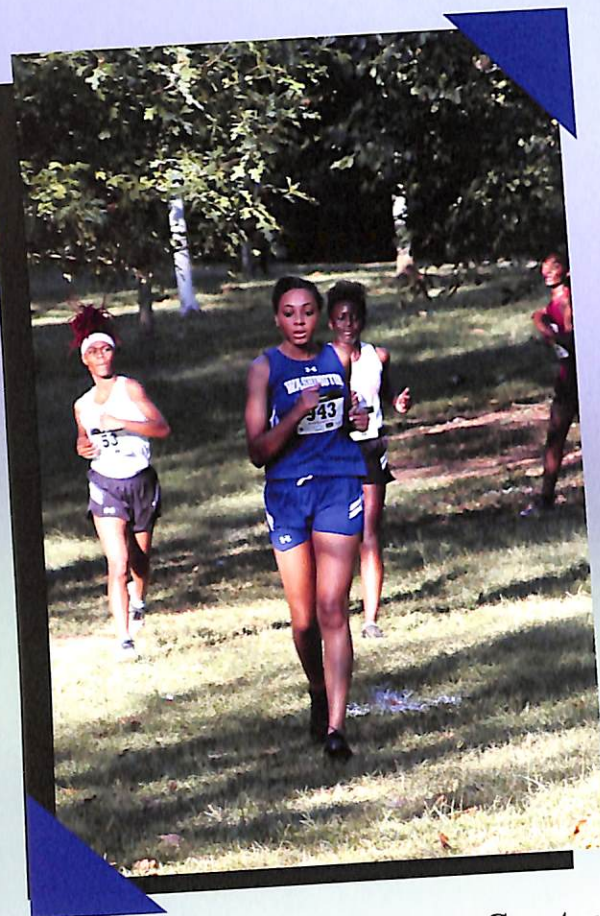
Softball
Record (5-12)
Region(3-5)
Bre'Anna Sanders- 26 Stolen Bases
.531% Batting Average



Cross Country Boys
Qualified for State
Placed 3rd in Regionals
Todderick Rapley placed
9th in Regionals



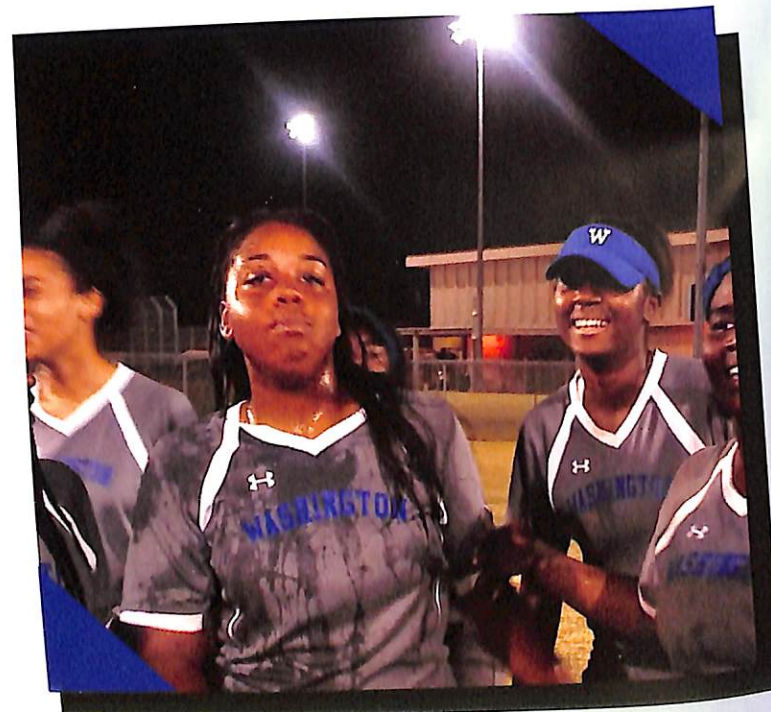
Fall Senior Athletes of 2018



Above: Corbin Hanson, Cross Country



Above: Johnathan Dorsey, Football



Above: Jazlyn Shields, Softball

With their last year at high school, the seniors leave their mark with sports that they are known for. They put great effort to win games and to improve themselves to be the best that they can be.



To the right:
Timothy
Heyward

To the left:
Mercedes
Williams



 **BULLDOGS** 

Bottom: Brianna Holloway



During Homecoming, the Bulldog Cheerleaders had the opportunity to meet the Atlanta Falcon Cheerleaders.



Fall Senior Athletes of 2018



Above: Sanchez Rooks



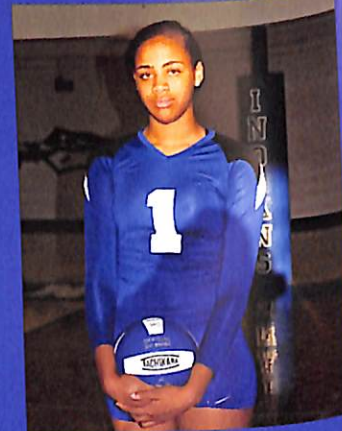
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Dayla Bell

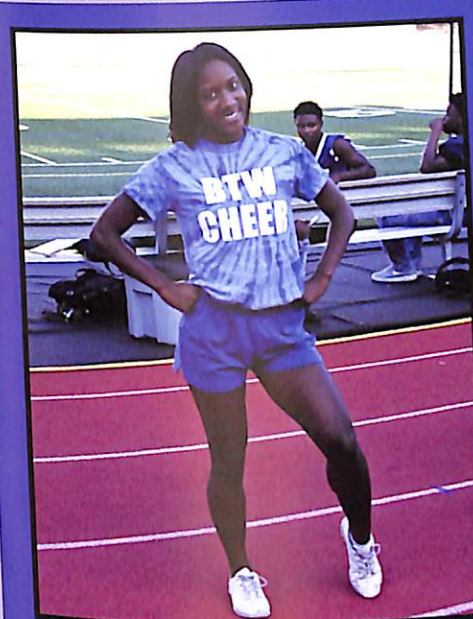


Tamilria Crane



Earline Bennett

Fall Senior Athletes of 2018



English Rozier:
Cheerleader and Track Star



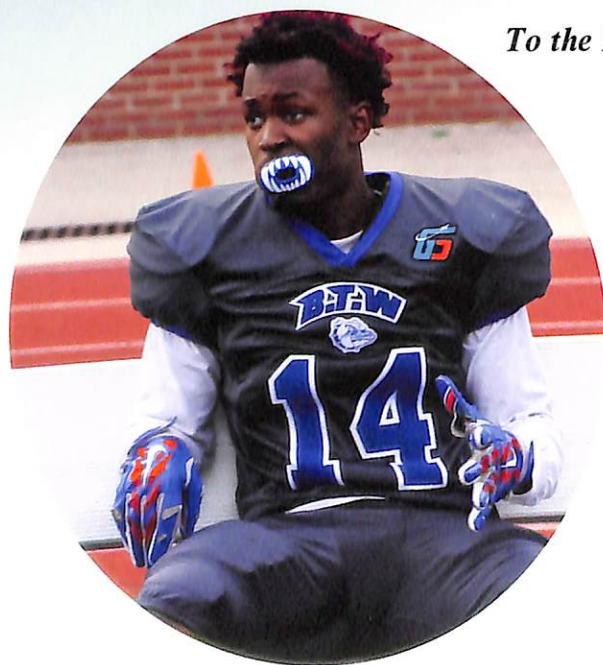
Above (From Left to Right): Terrance Mathews, Sanchez Rooks, Markail Brooks, Teion English, Edward Lee, 000, Treyvon Pinckney, Rashod Powers, 000, 000, Robert Bell, 000, Anthony Franklin, 000



To the left (center): Calypso Cook



Bottom: Chrys Richard



To the Left: Treyvon Pinckney



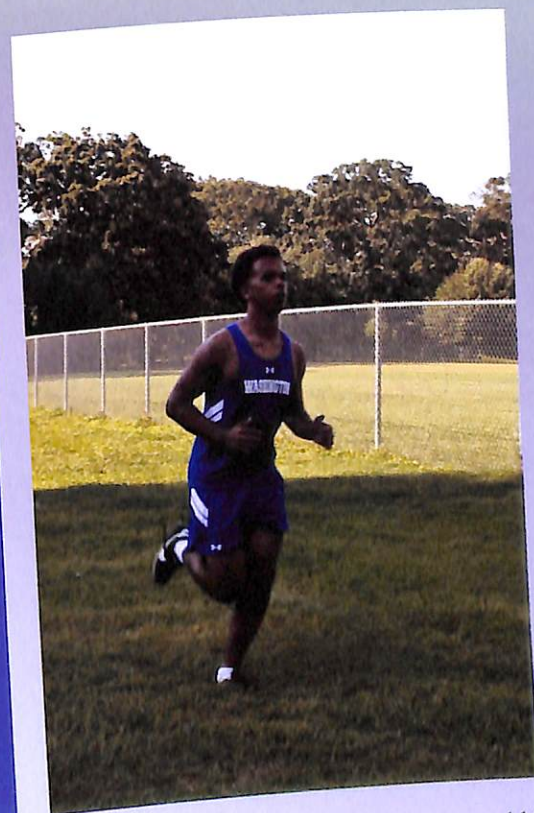
To the Right:
Terrance Mathews
and Rashad Powers



The football players, through thick and thin, always find a way to celebrate each and every game.



The male cross country consists of many types of athletes, that makes this team incredible.

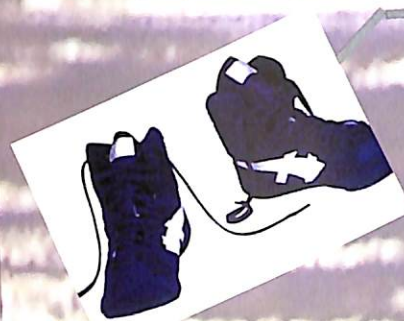




BTW Winter Sports



BTW's Wrestling Team



Jacory Long, Domoique Wright, Edward Lee, Timothy Heyward, Rashad Powers, Rodarius Howard, Aubrey Hines

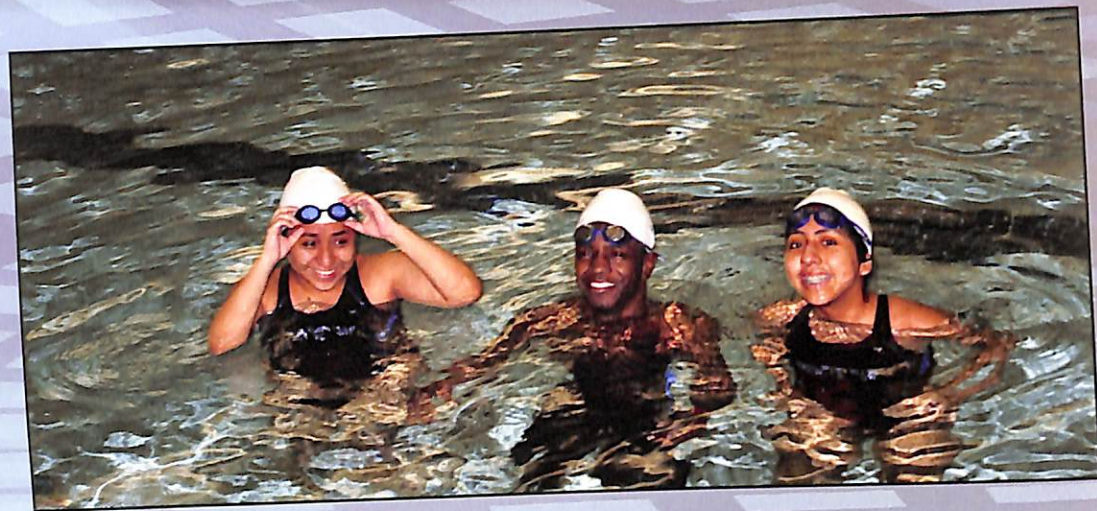


Edward Lee, Timothy Heyward, Rashad Powers



Other Players: Treyvon Blanchard, Key'sean Davis, Anthony Franklin, Jacardo McClarty, Trenton Sinclair





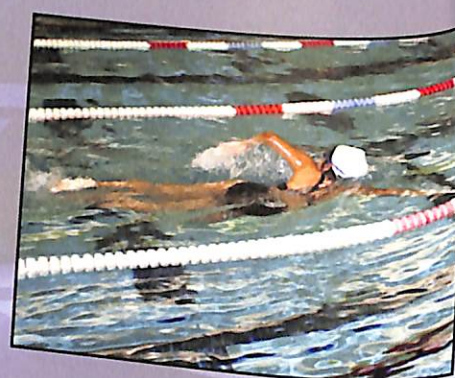
D W O E G T S



Daisy Hernandez



Edward Lee Jr



Darling Hernandez



Coach Hobbs, Darling, Daisy, Edward, and Coach Fears

BTW VARSITY GIRLS BASKETBALL



- Earline Bennett
- Jakhia Bennett
- Charleslyn Brown
- Alexis Buckner
- Quenterria Darden
- Jayda Farnell
- Keilesia Jackson
- Miracle Johnson
- Miracle Leon
- Bre'Anna Sanders
- Daesha Williams



JV Girls

India Andrews
Armani Coleman
Aasmine Davis
Aseyana Goodman
Wynesha Henderson
Liberty Jones
Imani Muhammad



JV Boys

SeanJean Denis
Leonard Rapley
Jarque Marchman
Terrance Wright
Bernard Rapley
Deshawn Smith
Isaiah Stephenson
Demarionlay Hall
Shiakeem Brawner



BTW VARSITY BOYS BASKETBALL

Taurean Demons
Yusef Abdul Hakim
Antonio Trice
Leonardo Rapley
Todderick Rapley
Justin Butler
Jakari Vickerson
Deshawn Smith
Lord Davis
Demariontay Hall
Tyriq Speech
Sean-jean Denis

MANAGERS:
Jarques Marchman
Walter Farmer
Calypso Cook
April Cook
Chardonnay Lewis



Bad to the Bone



Dayla Bell
Tamilria Crane
Alexus Baskerville
Sarah Williams

Vyanna Garrison
Desiree Martin
Kayshawn Mckinney
Sumayyah Chatmon



Winter Senior Athletes of 2018



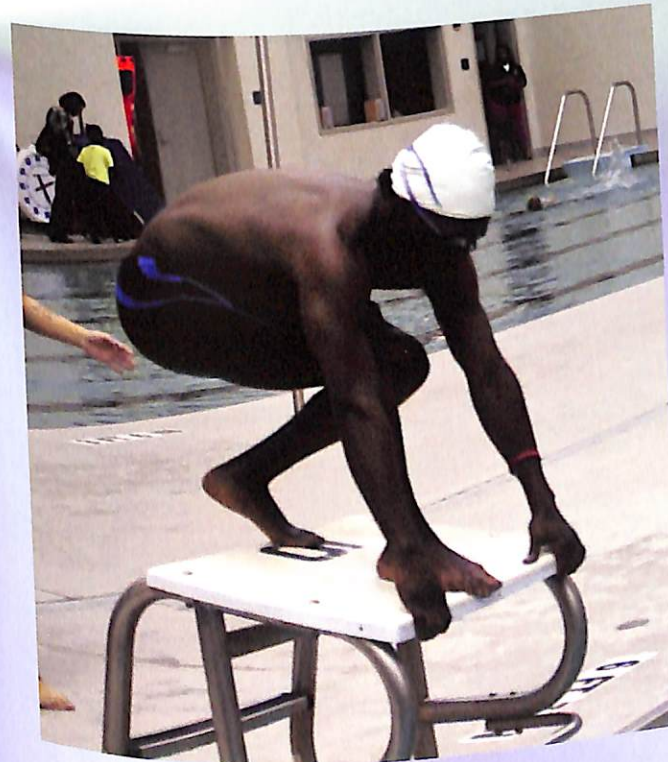
Coach Hobbs with senior swimmer Daisy Hernandez



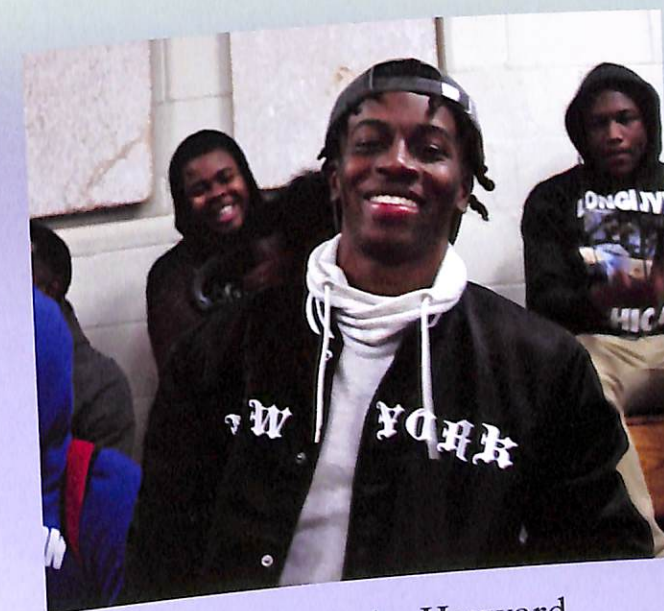
Edward Lee, Timothy Heyward, Rashad Powers



Basketball seniors (Left to Right): Antonio Trice, Earline Bennett, Justin Butler, Jakari Vickerson, Lord Davis, and Tyriq Speech

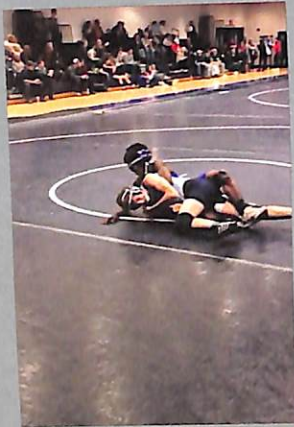


Swimmer Edward Lee



Wrestler Timothy Heyward

Winter Flashbacks



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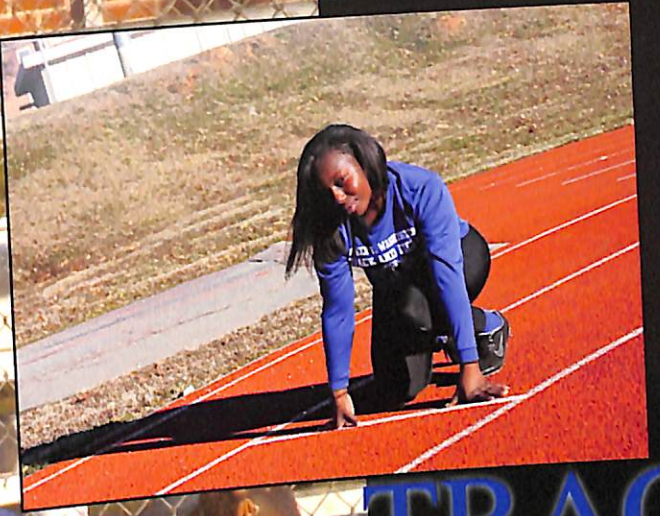
Spring



TENNIS!



BASEBALL!



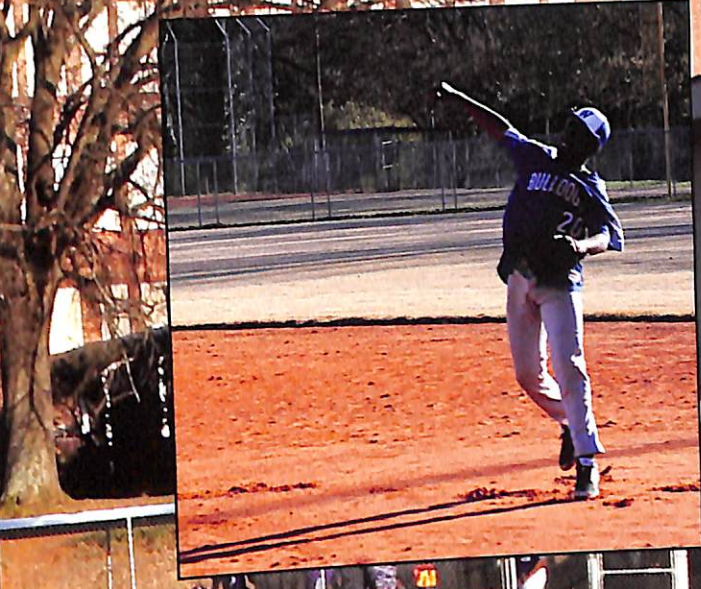
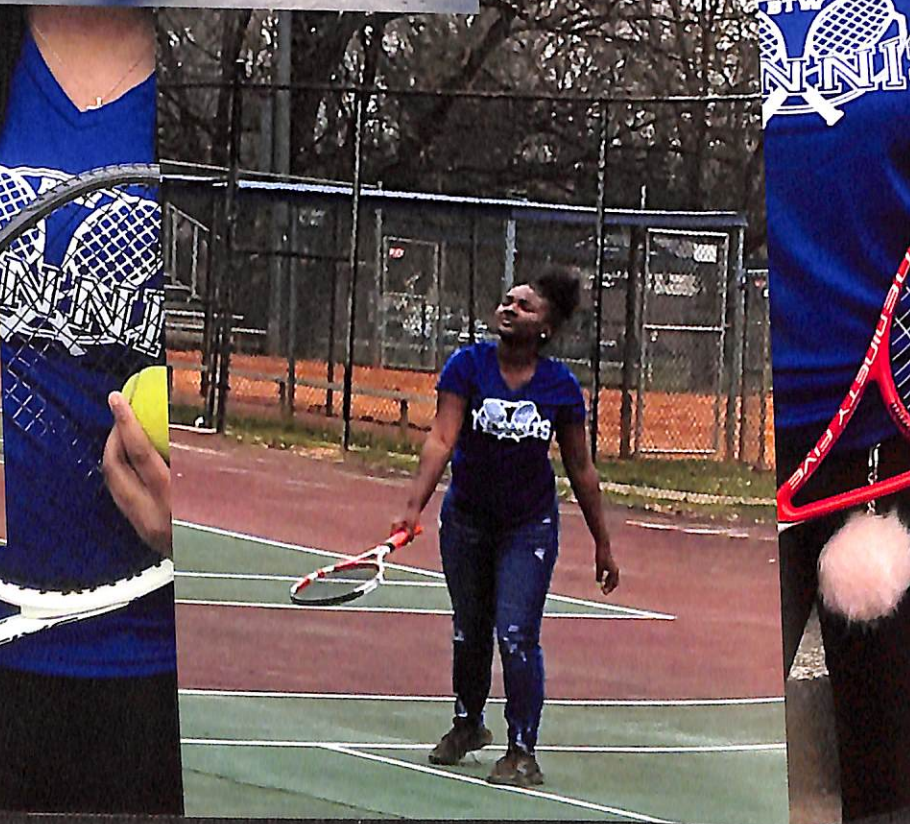
TRACK!



SOCCER



Tennis





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Soccer



Spring Senior Athletes of 2018



From top: Jasmine Woodard, Kayla Scott, and Hannah Williams, Track



Above: Mbinkinding Dampha, Soccer



Above: Jaquan Riggins, Baseball



Above: Donte Statham, Baseball



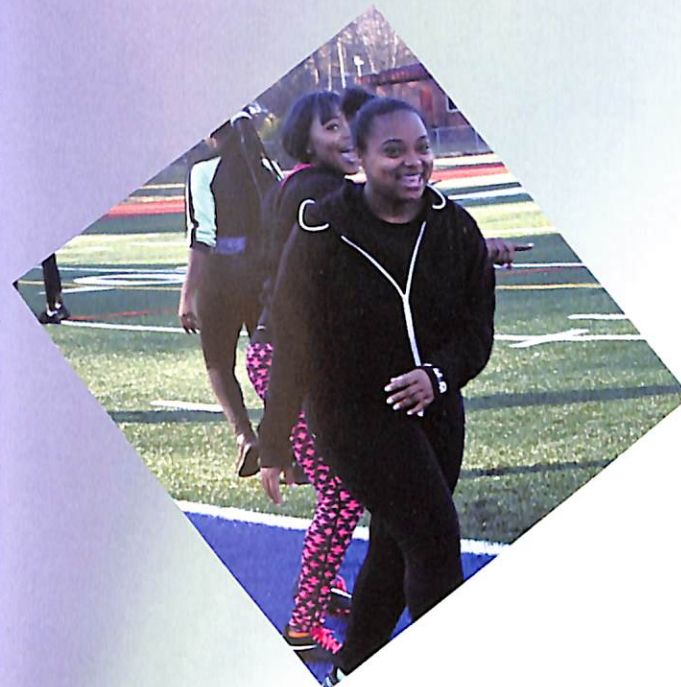
Above: Serenity Everett, Tennis



Above: Teion English, Baseball



Above: Justin Brown, Soccer



To the right:
English Rozier, Track



To the left:
Caelyn Fambro, soccer

BULLDOGS

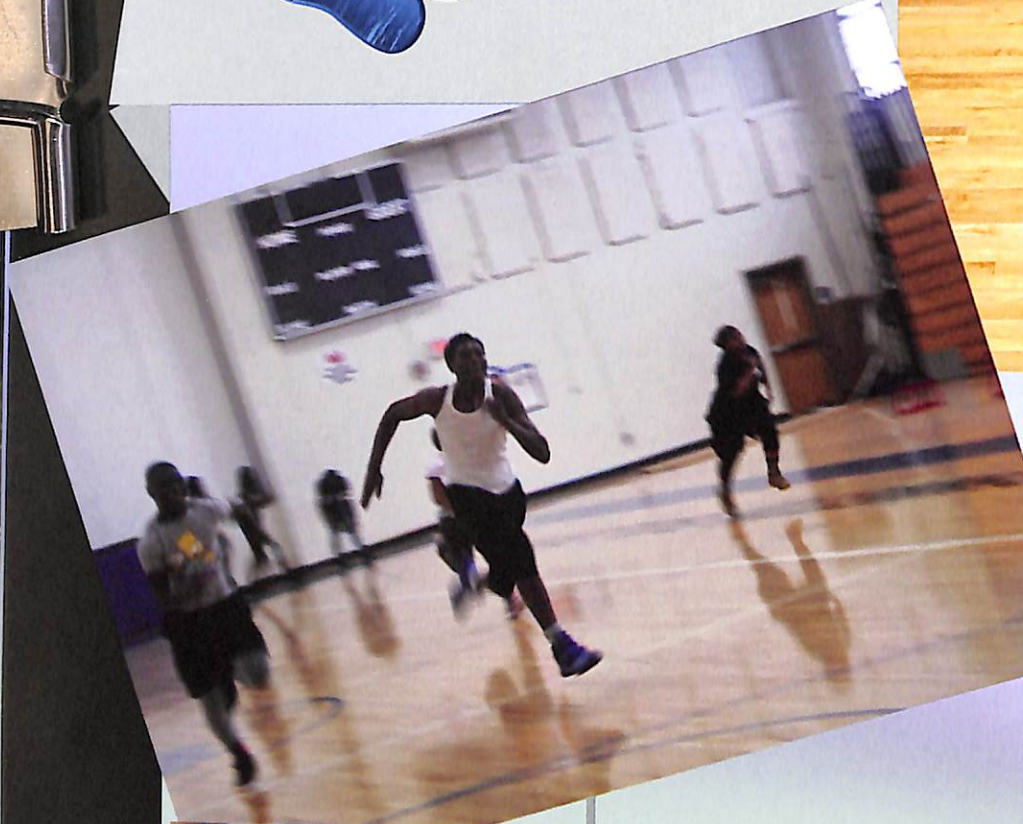
Below: Justin Brown, Charles Watkins, Terrell Pettaway, Christopher Crosby, & Demonte Morgan, Soccer



Above: Christopher Crosby, Terrell Pettaway, & Demonte Morgan, Soccer

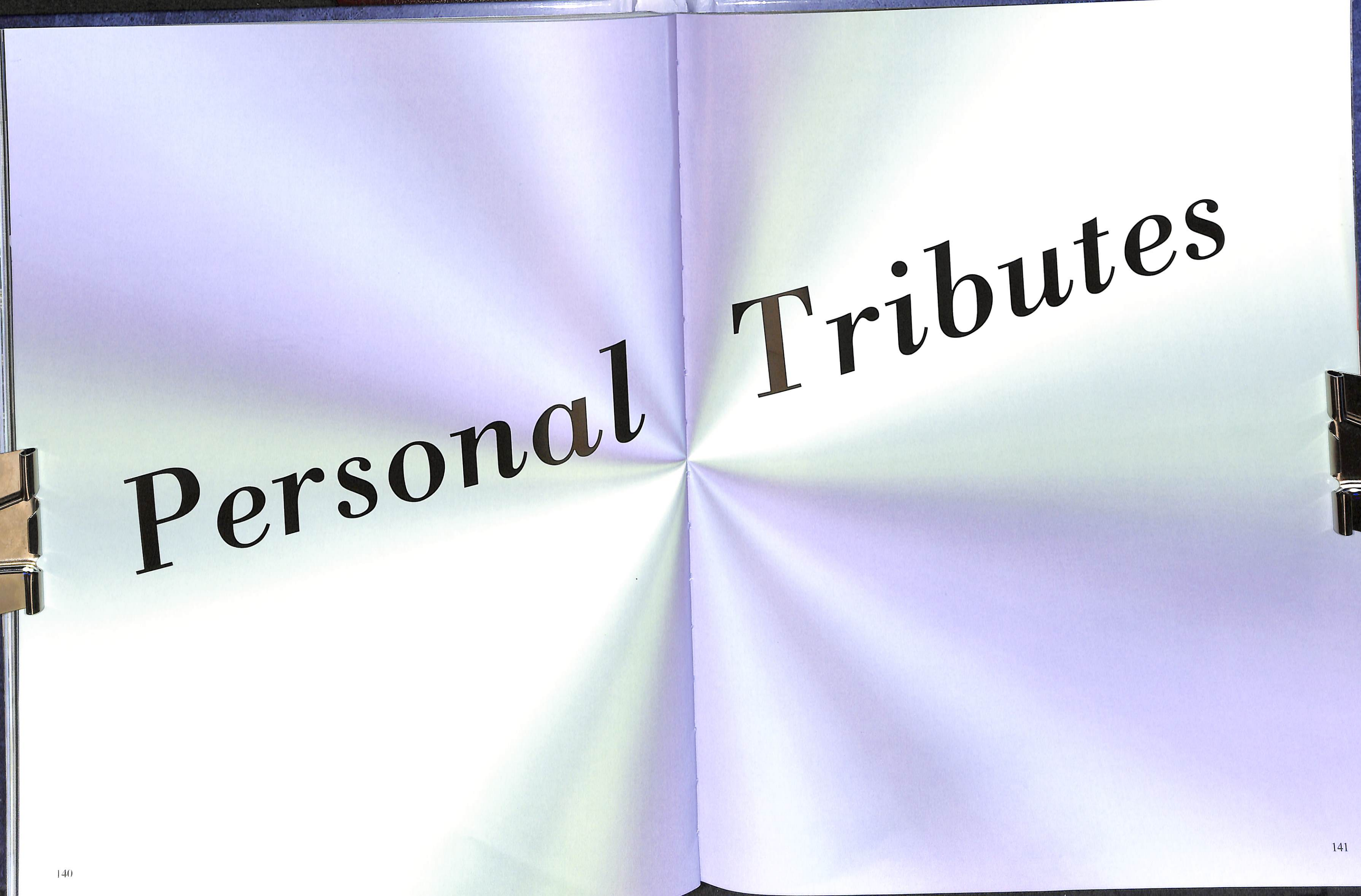


Above: Rashad Powers & Timothy Heyward, Track



BTW'S NIKE SPARK TRAINING

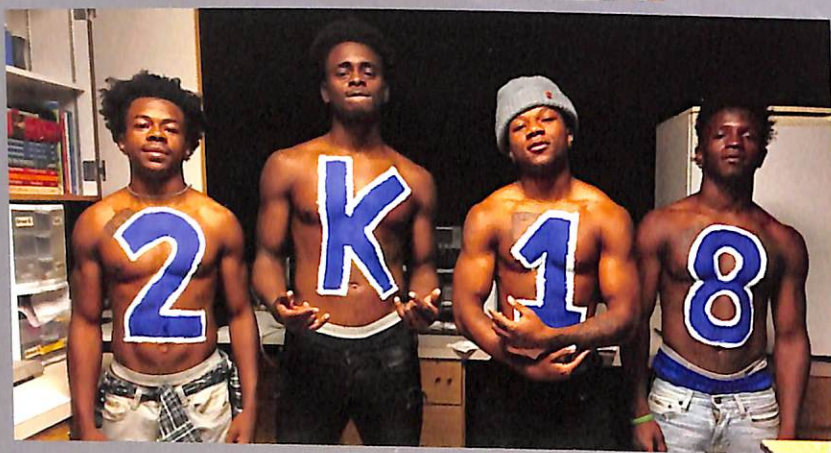




Personal Tributes

Personal

Tributes



Justin Butler

You bring me so much pleasure in my heart,
it is you who I treasure,
I love you so much,
since the day you were born,
but now that you are an adult,
I love you even more.
Congratulations!
I know you're destined for greatness!
-Mom



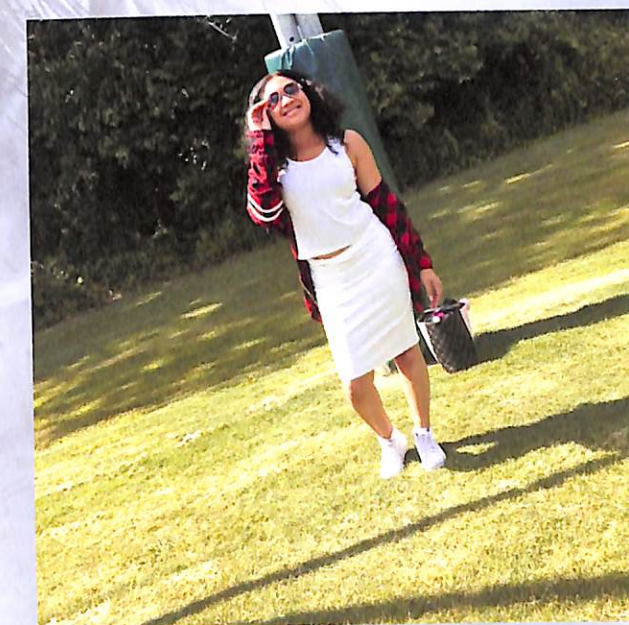
I can't believe how the years
have flown by. I have watched
you grow into an amazing
young lady with a blazing
future ahead of her. I wish you
the best on the next journey of
your life. We love you!!!
-Mom & Brother

Alexandria Benyard



To Alexandria Benyard:
I'm so proud of you. Now
go forth and soar like the
Angel you are...Love You.
- Uncle Omo Gardner
& Christine Adams

Alexandria,
How special you are to me.
You brought happiness, love,
joy, and sunshine into my
life. I will always love you.
Love,
Grandmother



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Hosted The Bulldog

HISTORY



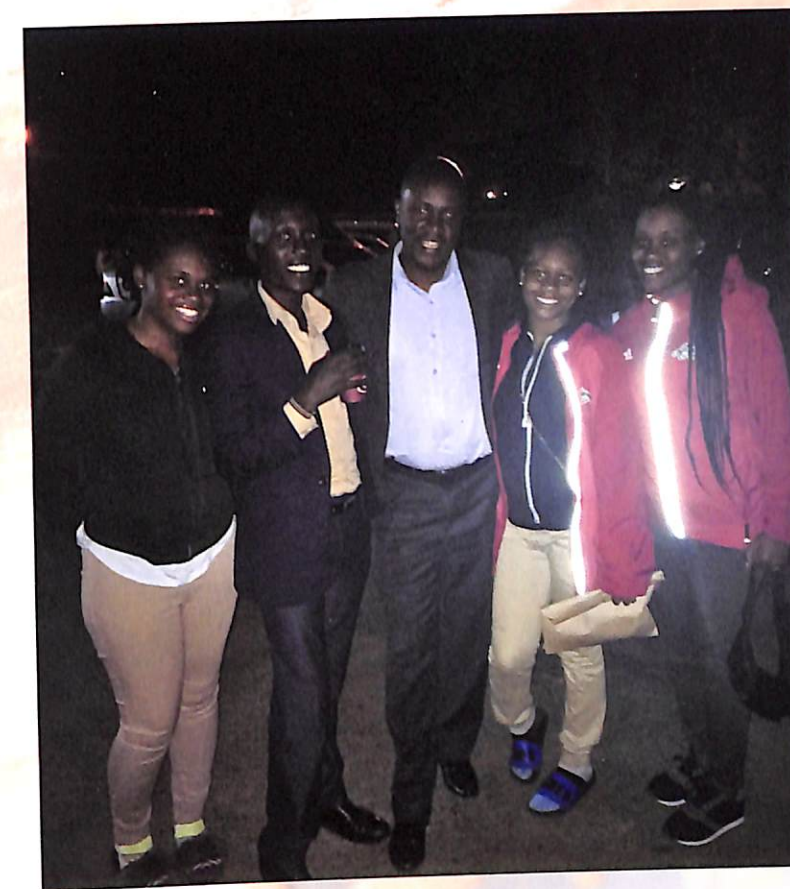
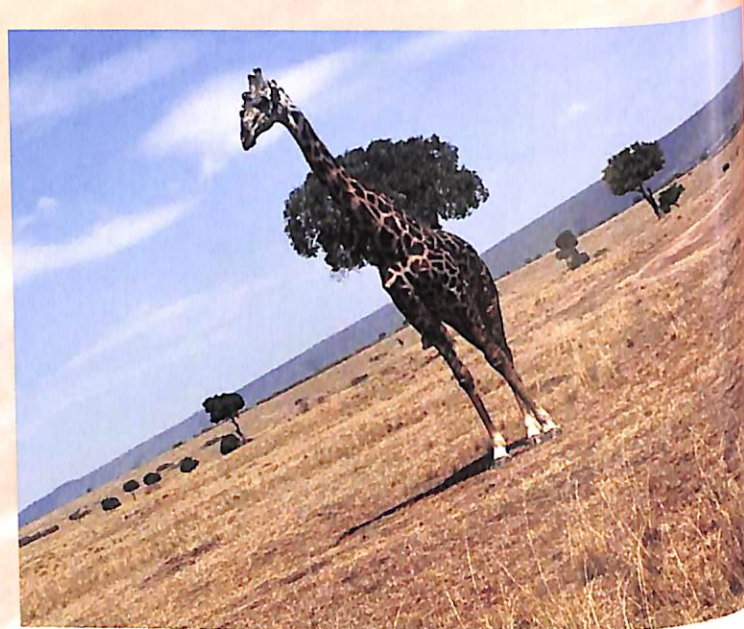
BOOKER T. WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL
OPENED ON SEPTEMBER 24, 1924 IN ATLANTA,
GEORGIA AS THE FIRST PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL
FOR AFRICAN AMERICANS IN THE SOUTH.
THE SCHOOL REMAINS ON THE NATIONAL
REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES.



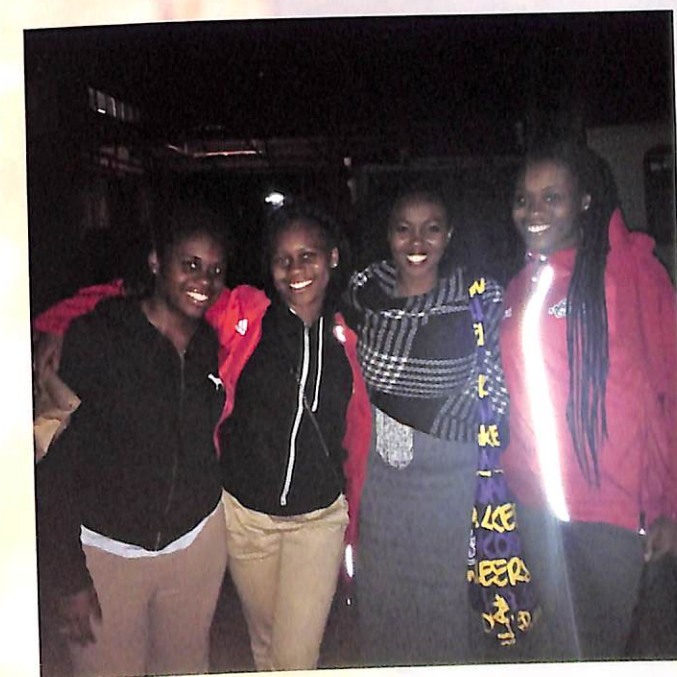
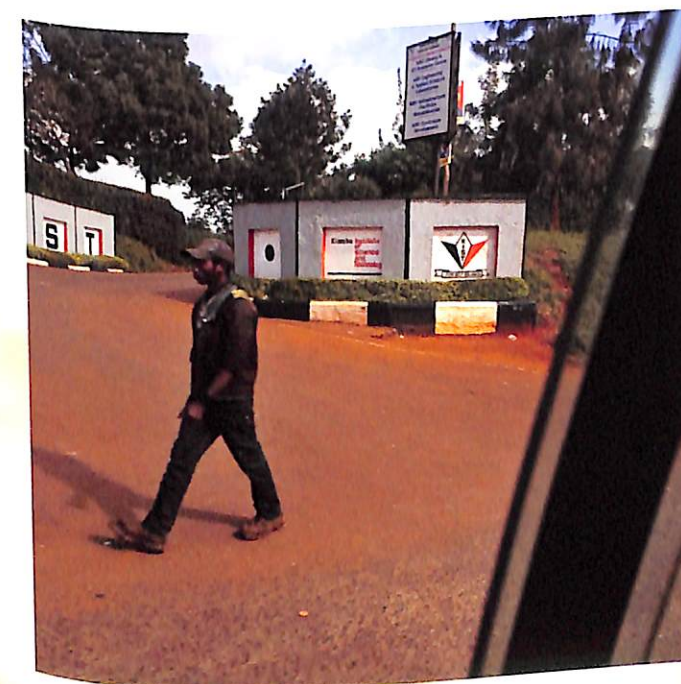
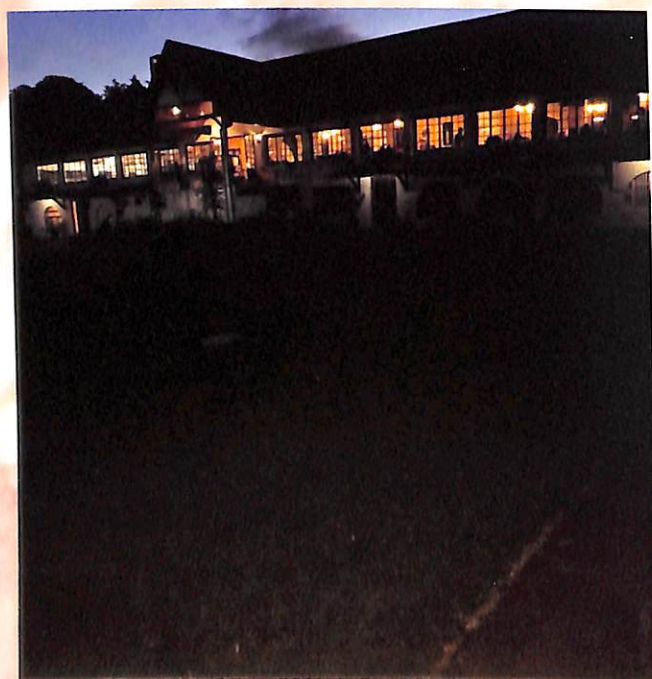
The opening of
Booker
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Washington
HS was the
culmination of
several
attempts by
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to construct a
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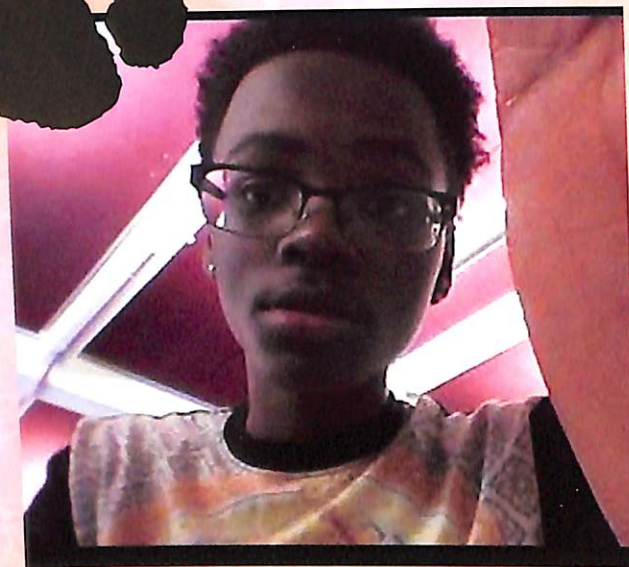
We went to Africa!



We were chosen for this trip to Nairobi, Kenya during the summer of 2017 for our academic achievements and our work in the community. - Alexandria and Alexis Jordan



THEN AND NOW

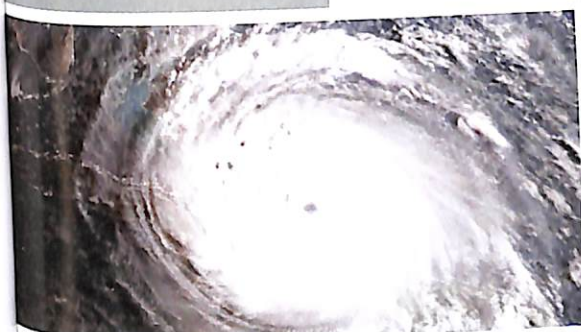


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A YEAR IN REVIEW
2017-18

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A SERIOUS AWARD THAT'S ALL FUN AND GAMES

Every year the National Toy Hall of Fame inducts the toys and games that "have inspired creative play and enjoyed popularity over a sustained period." This year, top honors went to the classic board game Clue, the paper airplane and the innovative, window-saving Wiffle Ball.

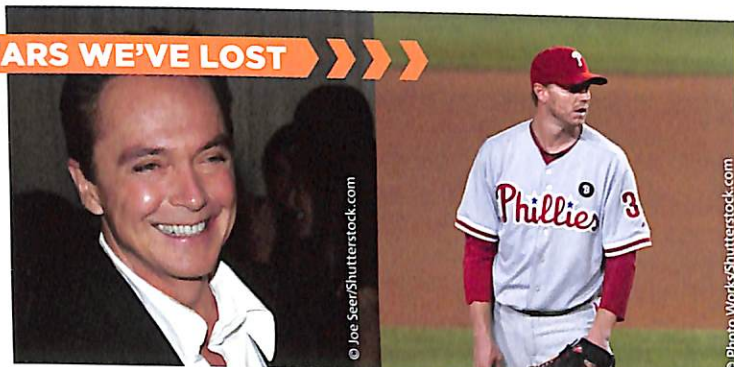


BIG BEN ENTERS 4-YEAR SILENCE

Big Ben, the Great Bell of London's most famous clock tower, has been ringing on the hour, every hour, for 157 years. No longer. Big Ben went silent for an expected 4 years for much-needed repairs. Workers will replace the roof, give the clock tower a more vibrant color and replace some of the enclosure materials with glass, allowing visitors to easily view the bell.

REMEMBERING THE STARS WE'VE LOST

They bring us hope, inspiration and joy — and sadness when they're gone. In 2017, we lost Bruce McCandless II (age 80), known for the first untethered flight in space, actor David Cassidy (age 67) of Partridge Family Fame, former MLB pitcher Roy Halladay (age 40) from a tragic plane crash and Tom Petty (age 66), one of rock music's greatest legends.



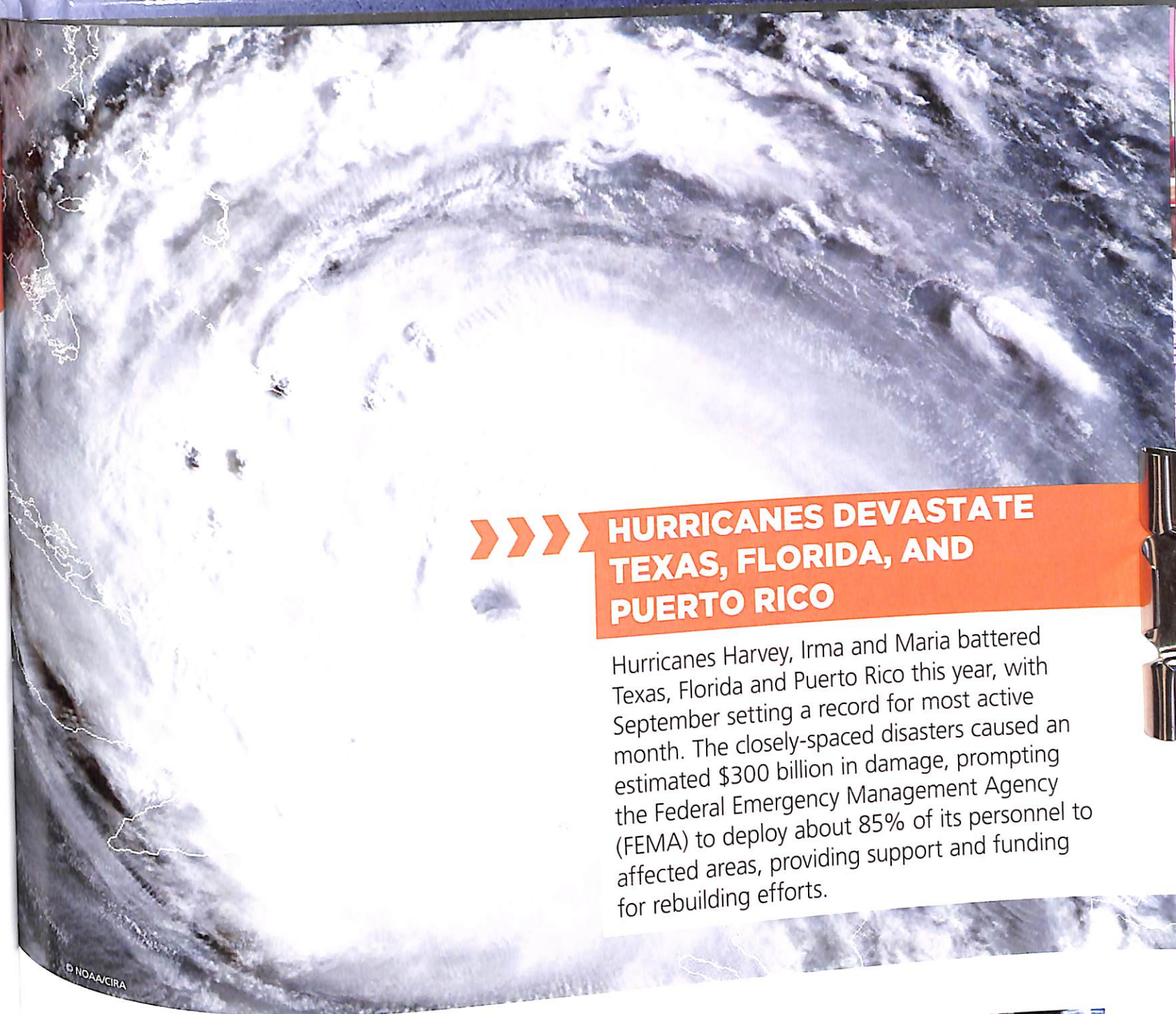
CHANCE THE RAPPER RAISES \$1M FOR CHICAGO SCHOOLS

Chance the Rapper, a native Chicagoan and musician, donated \$1 million to his hometown's public school system for arts and after-school programming. Chance wanted to create a "call to action" and raise awareness for better funding in the city's schools.



REPUBLICAN TAX OVERHAUL BIGGEST IN 30 YEARS

By passing tax reform legislation, Republicans achieved their largest victory since gaining control of Congress and the White House. The \$1.5 trillion bill lowers corporate taxes and provides temporary tax relief for individual taxpayers. On December 22, it was signed into law.

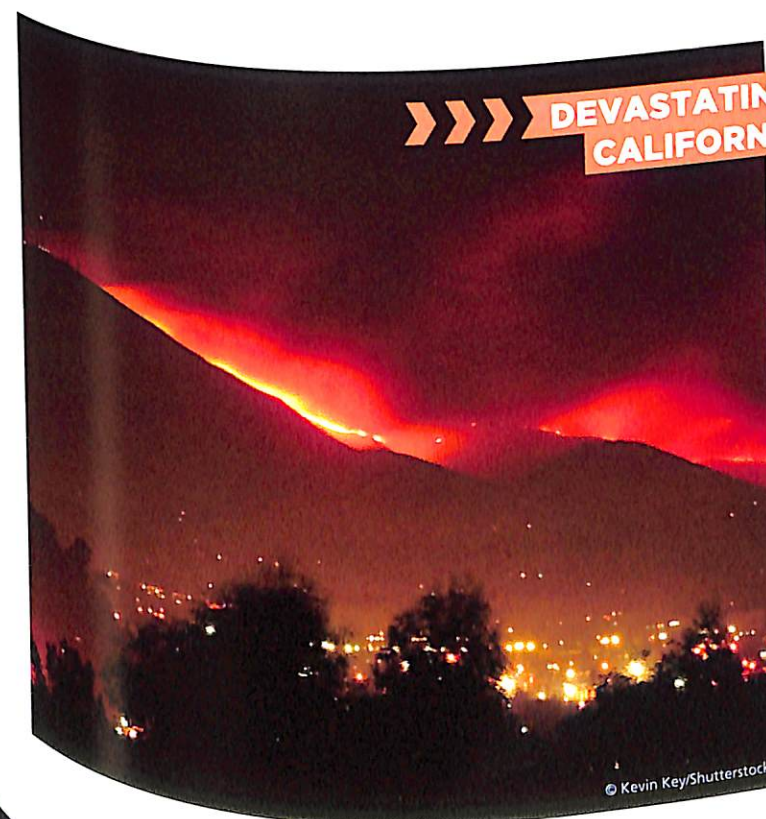


HURRICANES DEVASTATE TEXAS, FLORIDA, AND PUERTO RICO

Hurricanes Harvey, Irma and Maria battered Texas, Florida and Puerto Rico this year, with September setting a record for most active month. The closely-spaced disasters caused an estimated \$300 billion in damage, prompting the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to deploy about 85% of its personnel to affected areas, providing support and funding for rebuilding efforts.

DEVASTATING CALIFORNIA WILDFIRES

Devastating wildfires raged through California in late 2017, destroying neighborhoods and livelihoods. Damage estimates topped \$10 billion, over 100,000 people were evacuated, and the Thomas Fire in Ventura and Santa Barbara Counties burned an area larger than New York City, Washington D.C. and San Francisco combined.



MOURNS TRAGEDY IN LAS VEGAS

Sadness and shock swept the world as details of the October 1 tragedy at the Route 91 Harvest music festival in Las Vegas were revealed. In the midst of senseless violence that took 58 lives, the grace of everyday heroes shined. Marine veteran Taylor Winston drove dozens of victims to the hospital. Jonathan Smith rushed 30 people to safety. Carly Krygier became a human shield to protect her four-year-old daughter, Blayne, and Lindsay Lee Padgett turned her truck into a makeshift ambulance.

HEADLINE NEWS

GREAT PYRAMID VOID STUMPS SCIENTISTS

The Great Pyramid of Giza is one of the oldest archaeological wonders, yet it still produces new mysteries. Outfitted with high-tech equipment, researchers uncovered a previously unknown empty 100-foot-long space inside the pyramid. One archaeologist called it "the discovery of the century," though its purpose is unknown. There are no easy answers, either, as protections over the pyramid prevent intrusive excavation.



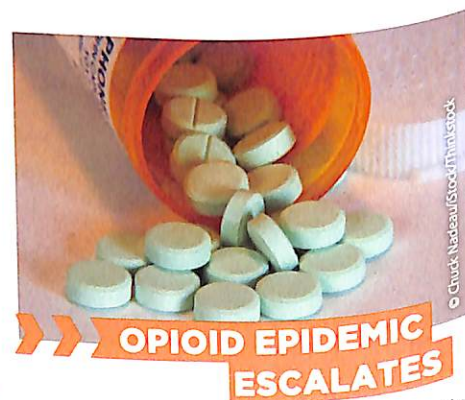
VOLVO GOING ALL-IN ON ELECTRIC

Swedish automaker Volvo announced that its new car models from 2019 onward will be all-electric or hybrid, making it the first major automaker to move towards completely phasing out the traditional combustion engine.

BIOFORTIFIED BANANAS COULD SAVE LIVES



Australian scientists have developed a banana rich with pro-vitamin A that could save hundreds of thousands of children who die each year from a deficiency of the essential nutrient. Farmers in Uganda, a nation whose population is significantly affected by vitamin A deficiency, plan to begin growing the bananas in 2021.



OPIOID EPIDEMIC ESCALATES

Every day, more than 90 Americans die after overdosing on opioids, a number that has quadrupled since 1999. Over-prescribing, misuse and addiction to opioids affects public health, social and economic welfare. In late October, the Department of Health and Human Services declared it a national public health emergency.

A ROYAL ENGAGEMENT

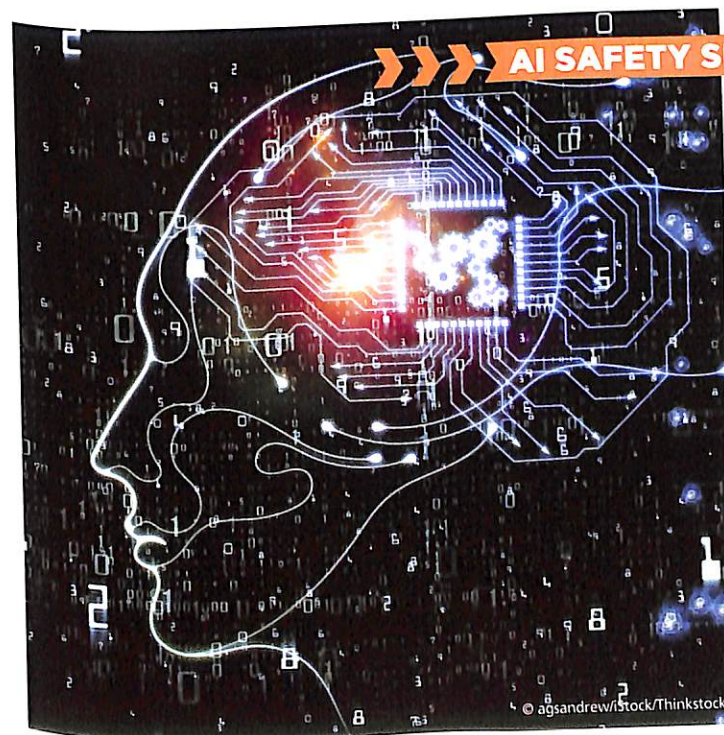
Queen Elizabeth II's grandson, Prince Harry, announced his engagement to actress Meghan Markle on November 27. While Markle's American origins make the pair unusual among British royalty, "at the end of the day, it's really simple," she says, "We're two people who are really happy and in love." Their wedding is set for spring 2018.



BREAKING THE SILENCE

Time magazine's Person of the Year went to the "Silence Breakers," women and men who came forward with stories of sexual harassment and assault. Their voices augmented the #metoo social media movement, as well as the Time's Up initiative, which seeks to raise awareness and money to defend victims of sexual harassment, assault and inequality.

AI SAFETY SPARKS DEBATE



Artificial Intelligence (AI), influences everything from scanning badges, to surfing the internet, using apps and home sensor systems. Companies like Google, Facebook and Amazon use the collected data to get a sense of our behavior, which has technology leaders divided. Others aren't as worried, but caution that it's critical to understand how it influences privacy and personal freedom.



TENSIONS RISE OVER NORTH KOREA

2017 brought an escalation in tensions between North Korea and the United States. Kim Jong Un launched multiple ballistic missile and nuclear tests, while also politicizing the 2018 Winter Olympic Games in neighboring South Korea. President Trump responded with heated speeches and Twitter posts directed at the North Korean leader.

TOP TECHNOLOGY



HIGH-TECH CARS GET BIG PRICE CUT

Automaker Elon Musk announced via Twitter that Tesla's new Model 3 passed its regulatory approvals for production two weeks ahead of time. The Model 3 is the latest in Tesla's line of electric self-driving cars and represents the company's first major attempt to make them more affordable. The \$35,000 price tag and quality of performance generated more than 400,000 pre-orders.



NINTENDO SWITCHES IT UP

Nintendo's latest game console, the Switch, has been a hit with consumers and reviewers, selling over 10 million units worldwide. The company also increased its focus on the mobile experience, with iOS and Android games like Super Mario Run. It all paid off as Nintendo expects revenue of nearly \$2 billion, for its best year since 2010.

VIDEO STREAMING VIEWERSHIP IS MASSIVE

Nowadays, 6 in 10 young adults consume content mostly from video streaming. The appetite for gaming video streaming is also huge, with over 600 million viewers this year. That's more than three times the audience of HBO and ESPN combined.



IPHONE PRICES SET NEW BAR

The first iPhone was released in 2007 for \$499. Since then, prices have climbed steadily. This year's latest iPhone X (pronounced 10), is the most expensive at \$999. The price includes changes to many of the phone's signature features, such as a bigger/thinner/brighter screen, an edge-to-edge display and the new "Face ID" security technology.



EQUIFAX UNDER FIRE

Between May and July, hackers breached servers belonging to credit bureau Equifax. Sensitive data was stolen, including the social security and credit card numbers of 143 million U.S. consumers. Equifax came under intense criticism for security oversights leading to the breach, the delay in public disclosure and communication with affected customers.

WHOLE FOODS MARKET

AMAZON GOES BANANAS FOR WHOLE FOODS

Amazon's purchase of organic grocery chain Whole Foods for nearly \$14 billion marks its first foray into brick-and-mortar stores. The online retail giant's stock rose 3% with the news and its plan to shake up the grocery industry has already started with lower prices, new benefits for members and speedy delivery.

FACEBOOK FIXES FACT FAKERY

Facebook is taking steps to stop the spread of fake news on its social media platform. The company is now banning sites they believe are sources of fake news, regulating content shared by suspected individuals and putting more people in charge of the site's news feed.



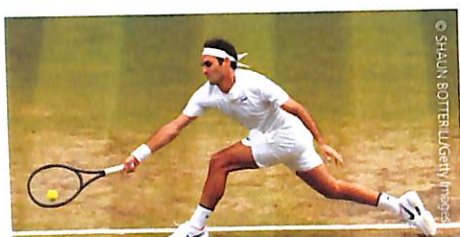
CRYPTO CRAZE

Cryptocurrency has turned into a financial and cultural phenomenon this year. Bitcoin, the mysterious digital currency, had a startling gain of 1,700% in 2017. Bitcoin and its like have prompted a debate among investors whether they are just a bubble or a permanent mainstay of our economy.

»»» ALL STARS

PENGUINS FLEW THE DISTANCE FOR STANLEY CUP

The Pittsburgh Penguins won the Stanley Cup for the second year in a row, with a late-game goal by Patric Hornqvist resulting in a 2-0 shut out. What's more, they pulled it off without their best defenseman, Kris Letang.

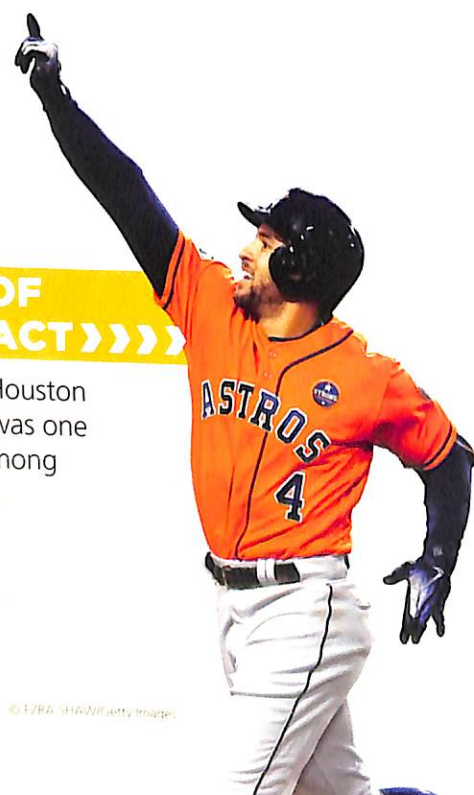


FEDERER OVERWHELMS AT WIMBLEDON

Roger Federer took home another title at Wimbledon this year, his first since 2012. He is also the first to win the title without dropping a set since 1976 and Federer's eight championship wins shatter the record he held with Pete Sampras. All despite being the oldest man to win at the All England Club in the Open era.

MLB WORLD SERIES OF ASTRONOMICAL IMPACT

The 2017 World Series between the Houston Astros and the Los Angeles Dodgers was one for the books. Game 5, considered among the best ever, was the second longest World Series game in history and the first to feature 6 game-tying home runs. Ultimately, the Astros won their first World Series title in the seventh game by a score of 5-1.



JAPAN CLOBBERS TEXAS IN LITTLE LEAGUE WORLD SERIES

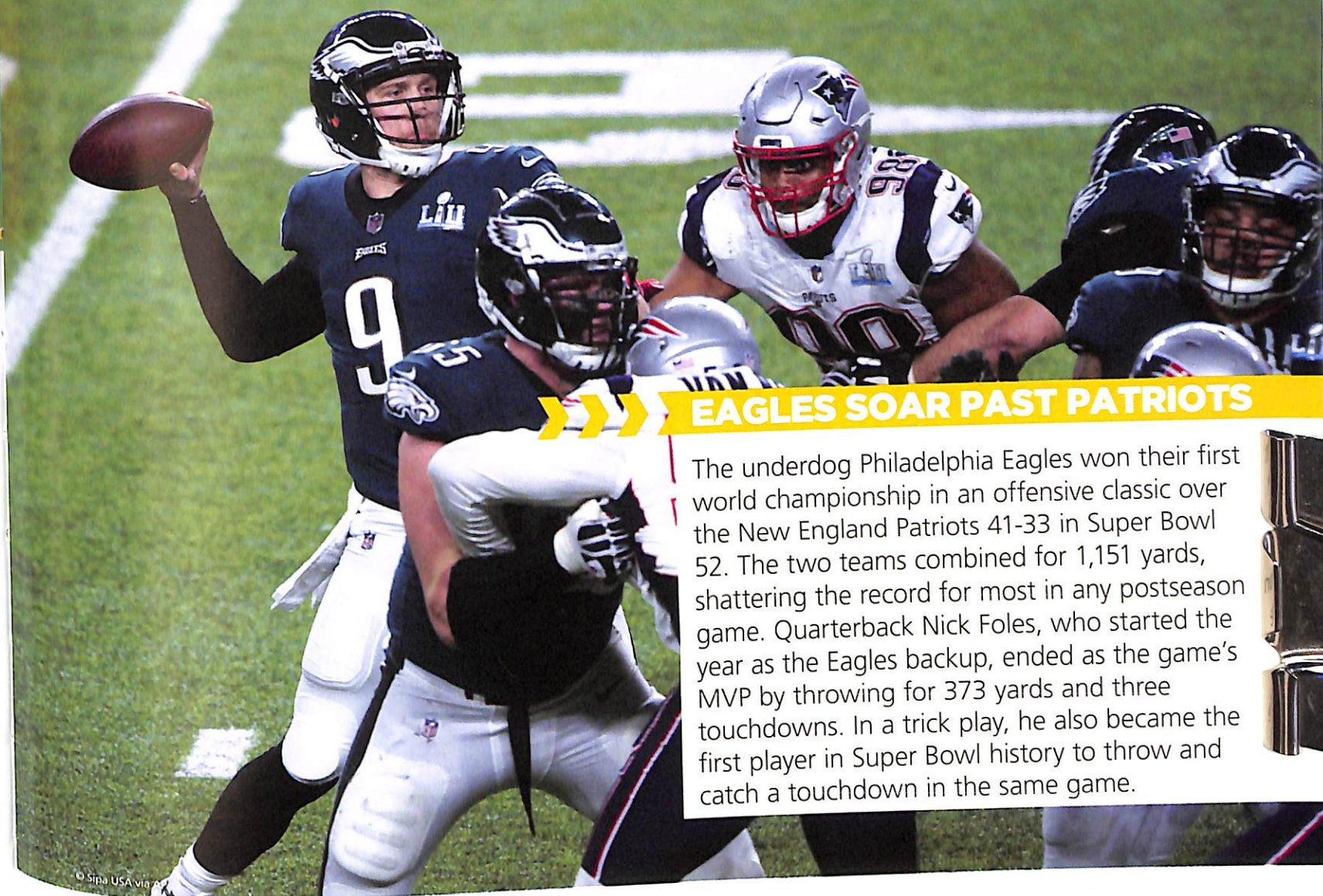


Japan went head to head with Texas for the Little League World Series and won in a big way, closing out the final game 12-2. That's Japan's fourth Little League World Series title win in six years.



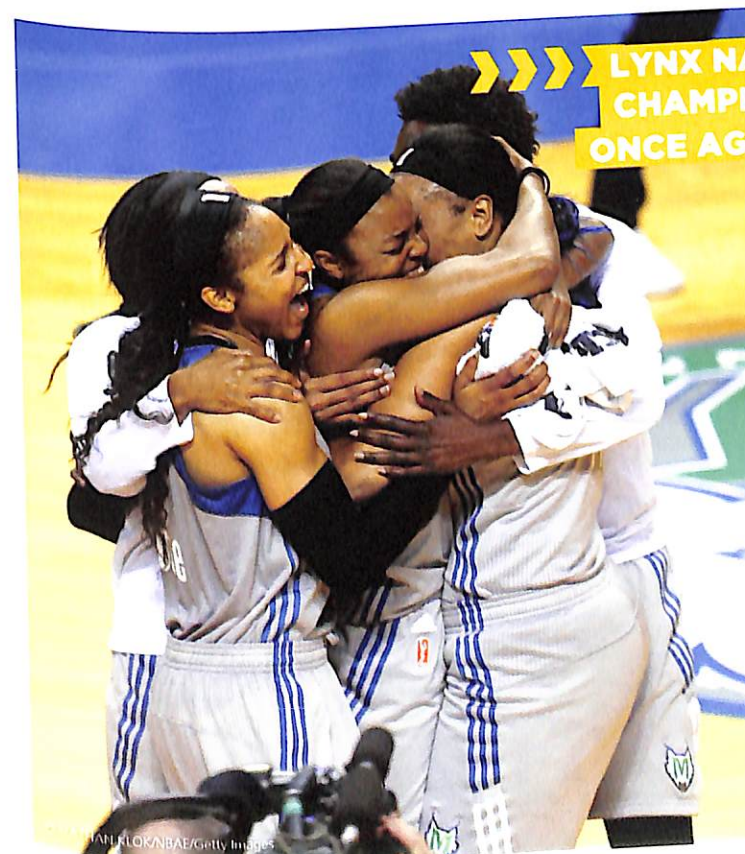
ANANYA VINAY SPELLS HER WAY TO VICTORY

"Marocain" is a dress fabric of ribbed crepe, made of silk or wool. It's also the word that won Ananya Vinay this year's Scripps National Spelling Bee. Her secret? "I just focused on my word and tried to spell it right," she said.



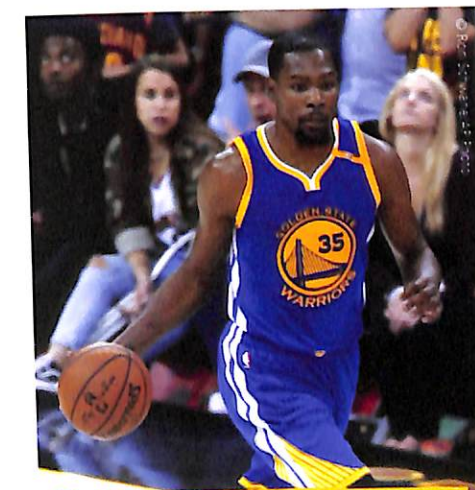
EAGLES SOAR PAST PATRIOTS

The underdog Philadelphia Eagles won their first world championship in an offensive classic over the New England Patriots 41-33 in Super Bowl 52. The two teams combined for 1,151 yards, shattering the record for most in any postseason game. Quarterback Nick Foles, who started the year as the Eagles backup, ended as the game's MVP by throwing for 373 yards and three touchdowns. In a trick play, he also became the first player in Super Bowl history to throw and catch a touchdown in the same game.



LYNX NAB WNBA CHAMPIONSHIP TITLE ONCE AGAIN

The Minnesota Lynx are the WNBA champs once again, redeeming themselves after last year's devastating loss to the Los Angeles Sparks. Falling behind 2-1 in the series, the Lynx came back to win Games 4 and 5, capturing the title. That gives the team 4 championships in 7 years, making them Minnesota's most successful professional franchise.



GOLDEN STATE WARRIORS STUN CAVS IN NBA FINALS

The Golden State Warriors became 2016-17 NBA champions after beating the Cleveland Cavaliers 129-120, finishing the series 4-1. Kevin Durant averaged 35.2 points for the Warriors and was named the 2017 Bill Russell NBA Finals MVP.

TOP CHARTS

BRUNO MARS OUTSHINES AT AMERICAN MUSIC AWARDS

Bruno Mars didn't attend the 2017 American Music Awards, but that didn't stop him from becoming the night's biggest winner. Mars picked up 7 awards, including Artist of the Year, Video of the Year, Favorite Male Artist and Favorite Album in the Pop/Rock category. Selena Gomez provided one of the night's top moments as she took to the stage in her first performance since receiving a kidney transplant.



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BIGGEST MOVIE BLOCKBUSTERS OF 2017

The Top 3 highest grossing movies of the year raked in nearly \$1.5 billion from U.S. moviegoers. So, what dominated the box office and likely your allowance? *Star Wars: The Last Jedi*, *Beauty and the Beast* and *Wonder Woman*.

KENDRICK LAMAR DOMINATES AT THIS YEAR'S VMAS

Kendrick Lamar's "Humble" won Video of the Year at the 2017 MTV Video Music Awards. It also collected "moonman" statues for Best Cinematography, Best Art Direction and Best Visual Effects. Other winners included Ed Sheeran for Artist of the Year and Khalid for Best New Artist.



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A NIGHT OF MUSIC AND UNITY AT THE 51ST CMAS



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The CMA Awards were a night of celebration, remembrance and unity in the aftermath of recent gun violence. Host Carrie Underwood opened the evening by saying, "Tonight, we're going to do what families do: come together, pray together, cry together, and sing together, too." Against that emotional backdrop, Garth Brooks won Entertainer of the Year and Chris Stapleton took home Album of the Year.



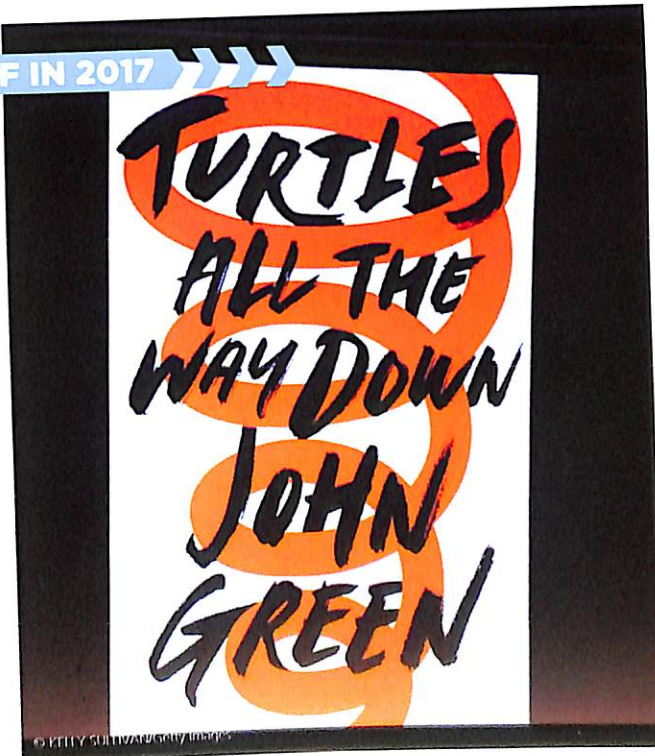
NOBEL PHYSICS PRIZE PROVES EINSTEIN RIGHT

This year's Nobel Prize in physics went to Rainer Weiss, Kip Thorne and Barry Barish, for observing gravitational waves for the first time. These waves, caused by a collision of two black holes, were predicted by Albert Einstein's general theory of relativity over a century ago. It just took 1.3 billion years for the waves to arrive at the Laser Interferometer Gravitational-Wave Observatory in the U.S.

ON THE BOOKSHELF IN 2017

Every year, thousands of books are published for kids and young adults. Some rise to the top, like these notable titles on several "Best Of" lists:

- *Here We Are: Notes for Living on Planet Earth*, by Oliver Jeffers
- *She Persisted: 13 American Women Who Changed the World*, by Chelsea Clinton and Alexandra Boiger
- *Turtles All the Way Down*, by John Green
- *We're All Wonders*, by R.J. Palacio



THE HANDMAID'S TALE SWEEPS THE EMMYS

The Handmaid's Tale was the big winner at the 69th annual Primetime Emmy Awards, hosted by Stephen Colbert. The dystopian series captured eight trophies, including Outstanding Drama Series and Outstanding Lead Actress in a Drama Series for star Elizabeth Moss. Other memorable moments included Julia Louis-Dreyfus making history by winning her sixth Emmy for *Veep*, the most won by any performer for a single role.

WONDER WOMAN WON BIG AT TEEN CHOICE

Wonder Woman dominated this year's Teen Choice Awards, taking home iconic surfboard trophies for Choice Action Movie, Choice Action Movie Actress (Gal Gadot) and Choice Action Movie Actor (Chris Pine).

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»»» ON TREND

FASHION TRENDS



FLASHY SNEAKERS

MILLENNIAL PINK

CULINARY CRAZINESS



Every year has its handful of weird food trends, but this year's might just take the cake. Drinks mixed with unicorn colors, eggs baked to look like a cloud and ice cream dyed deep black using charcoal are all popular on photo sharing apps.

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THE U.S. REALLY <3'S EMOJIS

We are an emoji-crazed country, according to a current survey. Texters in the United States used emojis in 50-75% of messages, tying Trinidad for most use worldwide. Which one is our favorite? That prize goes to the Tears of Joy emoji!

DIY SLIME TIME!

Nickelodeon has been dumping, dousing and dripping slime on celebrities, actors and game show contestants for years. Now the goopy action can be found in kids' homes, with do-it-yourself slime tutorials popping up throughout social media.



THE COLOR OF THE FUTURE IS HERE

Pantone® selected Ultra Violet as its Color of the Year, praising the visionary, creative and complex qualities that point us toward the future. As with previous winners, expect to see Ultra Violet pop up in cosmetics, fashion and home furnishings around the country.



SPINNING OUT OF CONTROL!

Fidget spinners started as an invention to help kids pay attention by giving them something to, well, fidget with. The toy, which doesn't need much space while keeping hands busy, quickly became a sensation despite being a distraction in school classrooms. By mid-summer, manufacturers had shipped over 200 million fidget spinners to fans across the nation.

2017 ACCORDING TO GOOGLE

Want to know what most people were thinking about this year? You don't need to be a mind reader, you just need Google. According to the search engine's year-end ranking of 2017's most popular trends, "Hurricane Irma" topped the list with "iPhone 8" and "iPhone X" coming in second and third place.



STILL THE BIGGEST IN SOCIAL APPS

Facebook, Snapchat and Instagram have dominated the social app scoreboard in every age group for years. While Facebook remains the leader, usage has been down 3.4% since 2016 as younger users favor newer and more visual communications platforms.

FUN & GAMES

Find the six differences between these two photos

WORD SCRAMBLE

Unscramble these words from the pages of Zoom!

MILLION
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 NIRAHHUREC

MAYDPIR

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ALBERT ELVOIT

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WORD PLAY

Solve each word puzzle by determining the correct phrase.

XOOMME
 MILLION



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Answers: SPOT THE DIFFERENCES 1. Spoon added to saucer. 2. Different patterned notebook. 3. Striped binder clip. 4. Notebook is a different color. 5. Different pencil in left corner. 6. Pen on top of notebook. **WORD SCRAMBLE** Hurricane, Pyramid, Ice cream, Little girl, Wonder Woman, Nintendo. **WORD PLAY** Excuse Me, Fork in the Road, One in a Million, Read Between the Lines, Fast Break, Well-Balanced Meal.

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