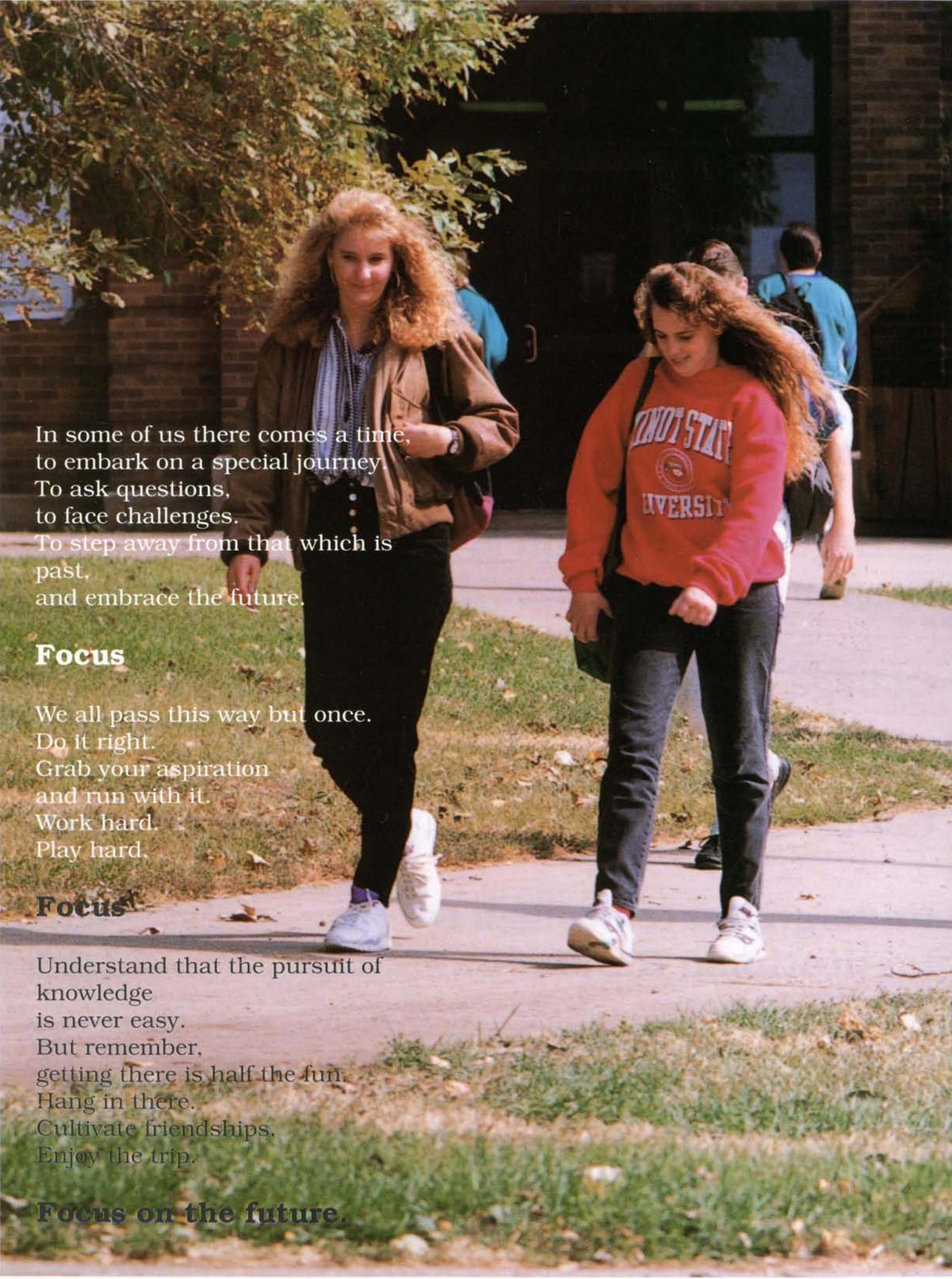


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ON THE  
FUTURE

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In some of us there comes a time,  
to embark on a special journey.  
To ask questions,  
to face challenges.  
To step away from that which is  
past,  
and embrace the future.

## Focus

We all pass this way but once.  
Do it right.  
Grab your aspiration  
and run with it.  
Work hard.  
Play hard.

## Focus

Understand that the pursuit of  
knowledge  
is never easy.  
But remember,  
getting there is half the fun.  
Hang in there.  
Cultivate friendships.  
Enjoy the trip.

## Focus on the future.

**Winning isn't everything,  
but it can be fun.**



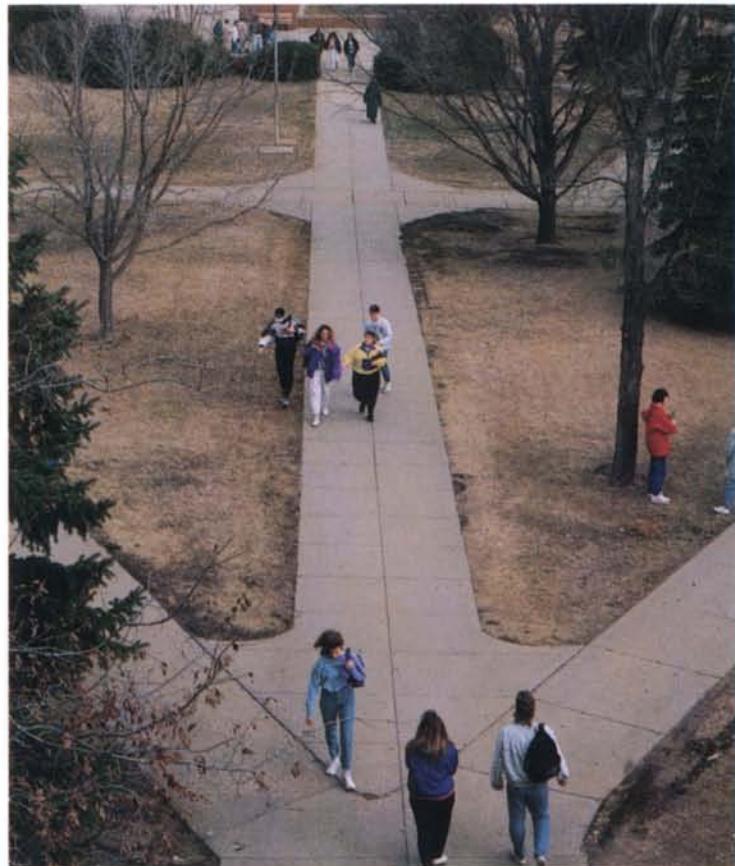
*Members of Campus Players celebrate their winning the Best Club Float award during the 1991 Homecoming.*



*The Minot State Beavers head to the field for the 1991 Homecoming game win against Black Hills State.*

Consider them an enlightened society. They were a diverse bunch, marked by a determination to grasp ideals, duty-bound to tread on the edges of dreams, trying to make them real.

By stepping forward and investing in the power of their potential, MSU students demonstrated the importance of exploring The Road Not Taken. As they listened to all the voices of choices echoing across the academic landscape in 1991-92, many became imbued with a visionary mindset and an earnest belief that it's not what you are, but what you become that counts.



**Two roads converged in a wood, and I —  
I took the one less traveled by,  
And that has made all the difference.**

**—Robert Frost**





**Come gather 'round people  
Wherever you roam  
And admit that the waters around you have grown  
And accept that soon you'll be drenched to the bone  
If your time to you is worth saving  
Then you better start swimming or you'll sink like a stone  
Oh, the times they are a changin'**

**—Bob Dylan**

It was a year of new directions. Attending Minot State University in 1991-92 meant summoning the courage to enter new intellectual frontiers, expanding one's consciousness, undergoing a metamorphosis of the mind.

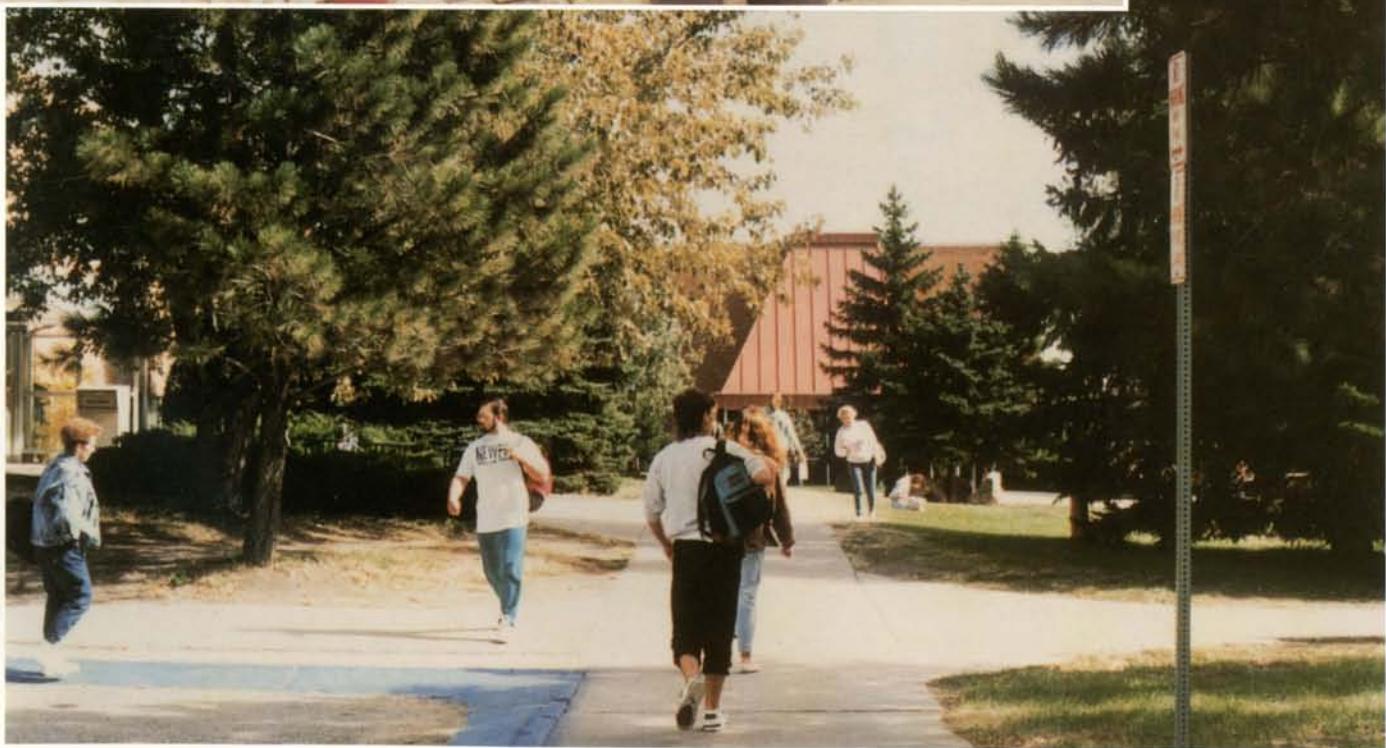
As autumn turned to winter, and winter to spring, September's student was a markedly changed person in May. A sense of wonder at the promise of the future had been replaced with a more sophisticated, confident approach to the odyssey of higher education.

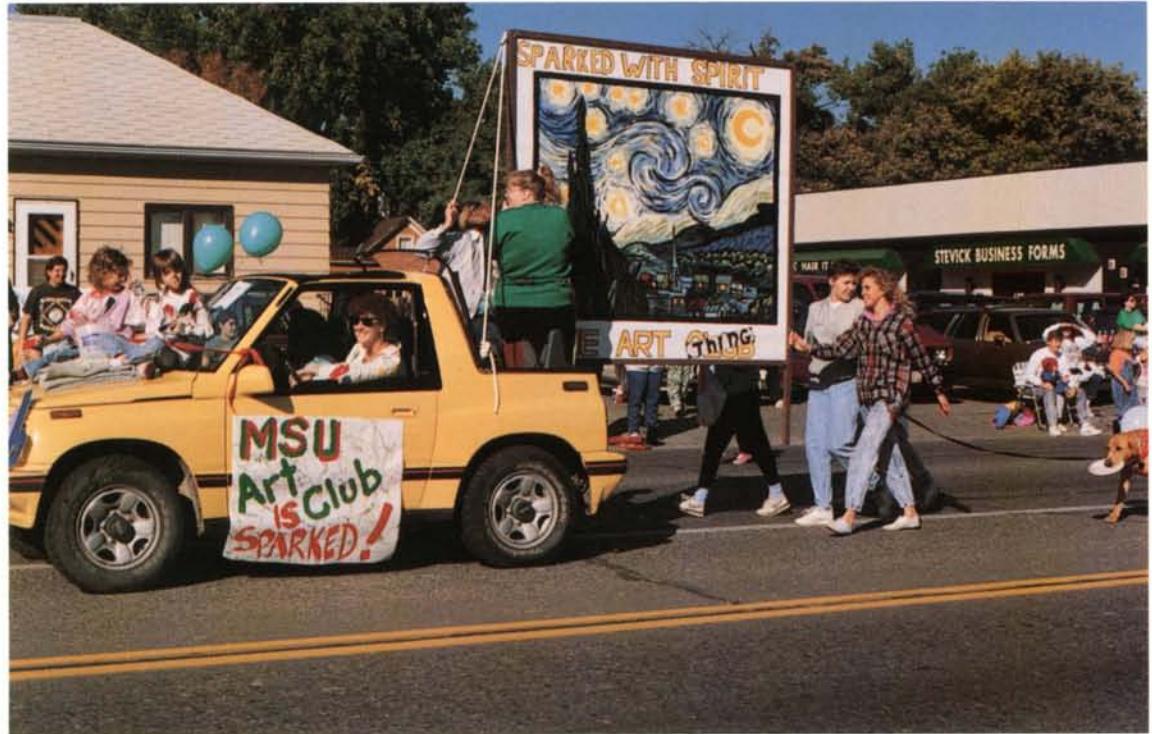
It was an equal opportunity evolution. The winds of change raged across the learning fields of Minot State, reaching every corner of the campus, touching all those students determined to **focus on the future.**



Somedays an informal meeting is in order.

Other days a stroll in the sun to class is just what's needed to take the edge off school.

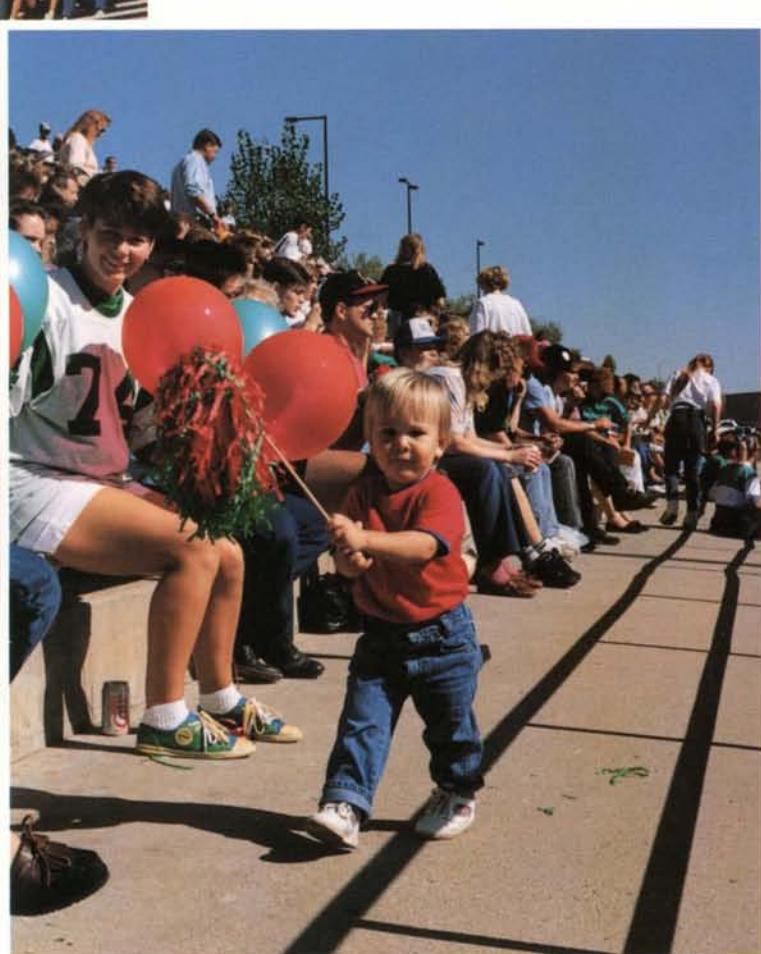




*The Art Thing struts its stuff during this year's Homecoming Parade.*



*MSU's Pep Band fires up the crowd and takes in some rays at Minot State's homecoming game against Black Hills State.*



*A future MSU alumni shows his spirit at Homecoming.*



Queen Sherry Hanson and King Lenny Rodin presided over the 1991 Homecoming activities.

## Homecoming King and Queen crowned

Lenny Rodin and Sherry Hanson were crowned Minot State University's 1991 Homecoming King and Queen Thursday, Sept. 26, in McFarland Auditorium.

"The week provided a lot of great opportunities to meet terrific people. I enjoyed the activities, and the highlight of it all was that all the candidates got along and went out and campaigned together," Hanson said.

Equally enthused, Rodin added, "It was a fun week. The week was busy and full of activities, but through those activities, all the candidates had a blast. Homecoming ended on a good note because the football team won. It was an experience of meeting a lot of great people."

Musical selections were played by Nancy Walker, while Mike Richards of KBQ-100 acted as master of ceremonies. The presentation of candidates included Veronica

Langelier and Jason Groce of Campus Players, Nichole Irwin and Jamey Wood of the Dorm Association, Jennifer Telehey and Kory Nelson of Phi Beta Lambda, Hanson and Rodin from the Minot State Club of Physical Educators, Karin Yancey and Kevin Anderson from the Student North Dakota Education Association and Kelly Palmero and Curtis McDougall from the Student Council For Exceptional Children.

Even though Yancey wasn't crowned queen, she wasn't crestfallen either. "I'm glad I did it," she said. "I got to meet a lot of new people. It was a lot of hard work, but it was well worth it."

Nelson looked at the bright side of things also. "It was a lot of fun. I think the campaigners grew closer and established friendships," he said.

Heidi Henke

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# Vaudeville on campus

Vaudeville performer Bob Rumba opened his show on Tuesday afternoon of Homecoming week by spitting carrots into the audience at Minot State's Student Union Ballroom.

Rumba entertained the crowd with ventriloquism, scarf juggling, impressions, comedy magic and balloon art. "I like playing colleges a lot. They are easy to heckle," he said of the students who attend his shows.

Rumba is highly acclaimed in his field and dressed the part with his baggy tuxedo, large bow tie, saddle oxfords, wire-rimmed glasses and black derby perched on his head. To complete his attire, he chose to wear three of his favorite character watches.

He carries his own small tape player in case there isn't one available. He said he always wants to be prepared. "I couldn't be in Boy Scouts because I had asthma, but I subscribed to Boys Life just to see what I was missing," he said.

When asked what he was going to be when he grows up, he replied, "I don't think I will ever grow up. I like me just the way I am."

*Bob Rumba entertains at this year's Homecoming week of festivities.*

*Carol Riels*

## Homecoming planned

Tara Polluck, a bubbly, vivacious gal with a never-ending smile, was Minot State's 1991 Homecoming chairperson. And what a job it proved to be — she put as many hours in planning Homecoming activities as most students do in a quarter's worth of studying.

Polluck was quick to point out that she didn't do it alone, though. The Alumni Association and members of the Student Association pitched in to help with plans and preparations. Linda Bertsch from the Placement Office coordinated the Homecoming parade, and when things got tight — Polluck's roommates were called on also.

The Homecoming theme is developed near the end of each school year as the planning phase is kicked into gear. Working within a budget, the Homecoming committee plans activities and buys supplies, advertising and entertainment, plus incidentals.

According to Polluck, the committee's main objective this year was to get as many people as possible involved with Homecoming. After all, she said, people are what make Homecoming so much fun. The new friends she has made are worth all the work and time she spent making Minot State's 1991 Homecoming a memorable one.

*Claudia Elser*



*King Lenny and Queen Sherry enjoy their moment in the sun during the parade.*



*The 1991 Homecoming King and Queen and their court.*

# MSU vs. Black Hills State for Homecoming

It was a beautiful sunny day, Sept. 28, 1991, as the Minot State University football team trotted on to the field of Herb Parker Stadium in search of another win.

This was not just another game. It was the culmination of Homecoming week and a battle against an opponent that was coming off a victory over Northern State University, an NAIA Division I Top 10 power.

The Beavers, led by Head Coach Dave Hendrickson, had worked hard in preparation for Black Hills State, and the game, like every other event of the week, was definitely not a letdown.

Running backs Jason Two Crow, James Graham and Kelly Auck spearheaded a potent Minot State ground game that clicked all afternoon. The passing attack was led by quarterbacks Todd Lindstrom and Josh Duhamel, who aired it out to receivers Chad McNally, Bobby Walters and Rod McQuarrie.

MSU's offensive onslaught was augmented by superb defensive play from Grant Limke and Teddy Dyck. This gave the Beavers an impressive 55-20 victory, preparing them for the race for the NDCAC championship.

Rich Green



MSU and Black Hills State square off during Homecoming.



MSU's cheerleaders show they know how to get the fans fired up for a game.

*The sign said it all as Minot State beat Black Hills State.*



***There are times for rushing  
and times for reflection.  
Times to follow or  
to find a new direction.  
Time to say something,  
or a time to say nothing.  
But whatever the time,  
stay true to yourself.***





*It was good food, good friends, good times and good weather at the SA's Homecoming Luncheon by Busse Fountain.*

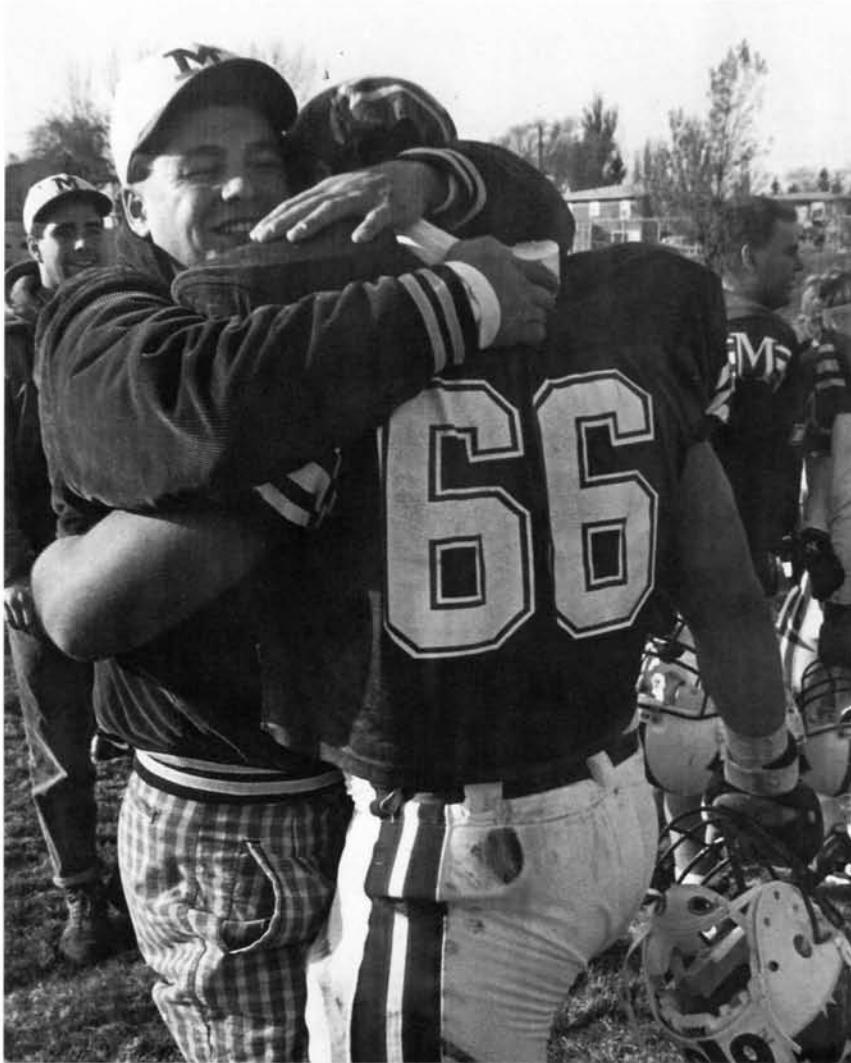




*Becky Kudrna, Melissa Bengson and Darcy Theisen (from the left) find out the ankle bone is connected to the leg bone.*

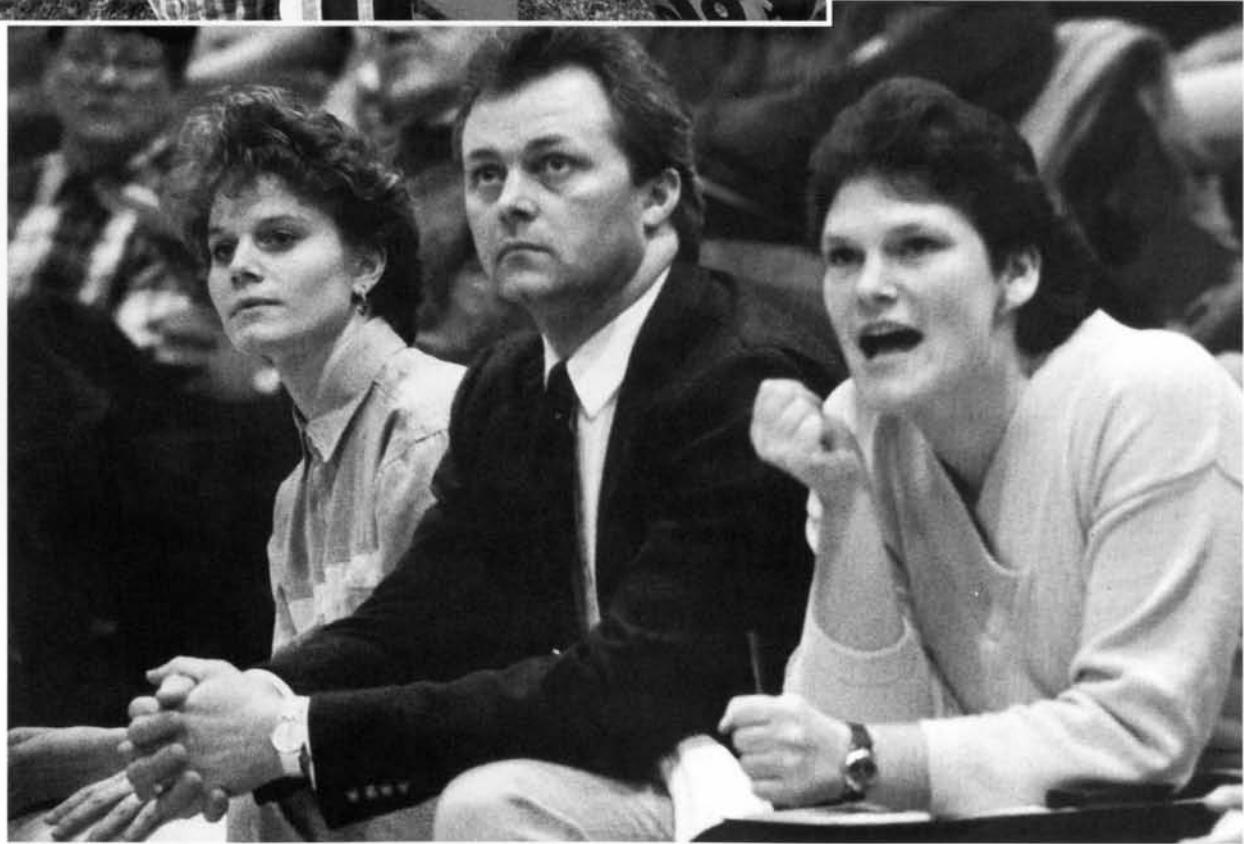


*Sometimes a person can feel pretty small compared to his surroundings.*



**Saying nothing  
can be louder  
than words.**

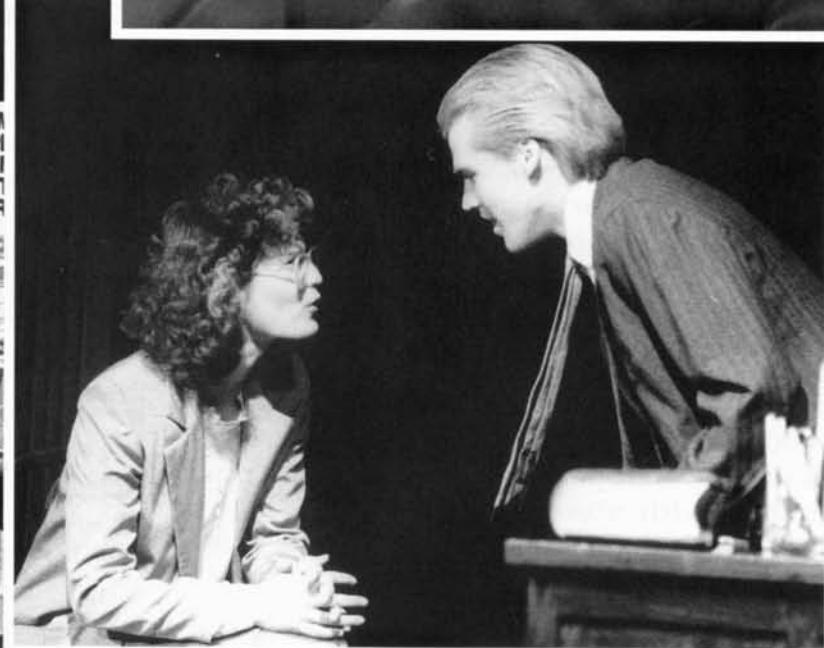
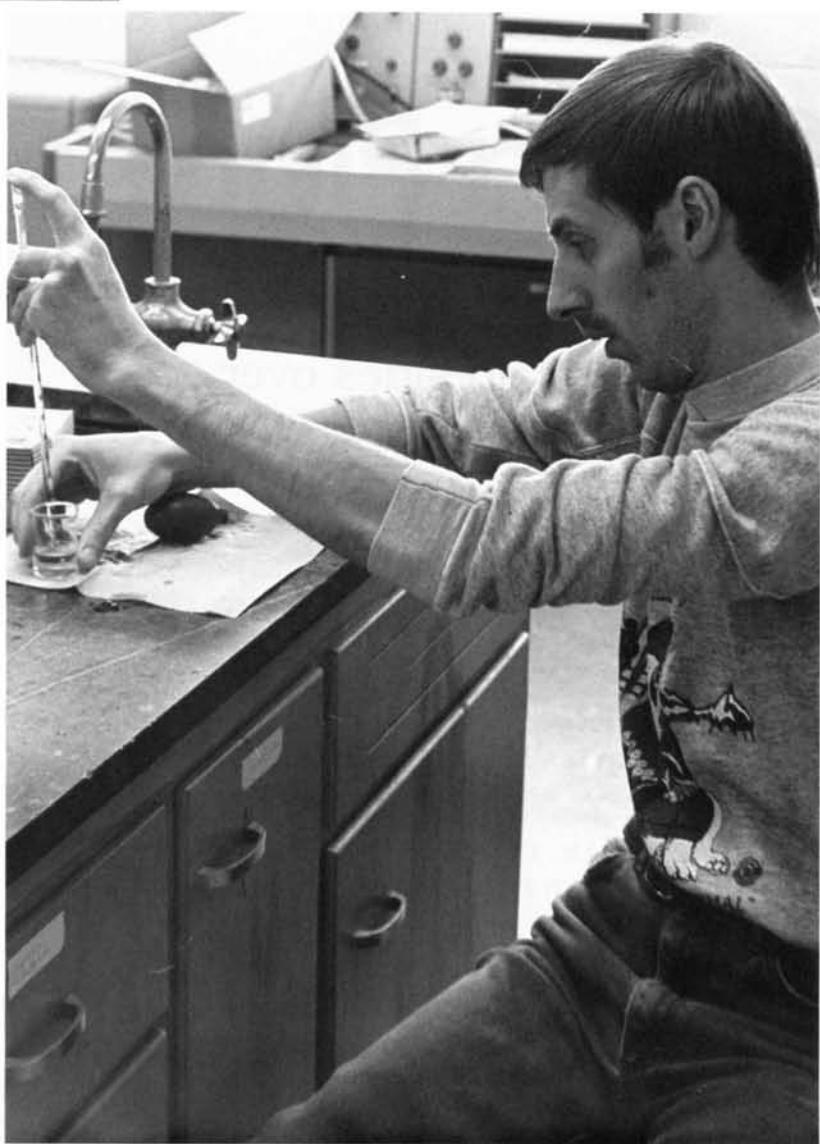
*Sheldon Warawa (No. 66) is congratulated by Brad Gorder after the win against Dickinson State in the conference championship game.*



*Dana Feland, Coach Terry Voiles and Assistant Coach Mary Hammond (from the left) prove that saying nothing sometimes says it all in the game of basketball and the game of life.*

**College  
of  
Arts & Sciences**

**Education makes us what we are.**  
—C. A. Helvétius



# Going Places

Dale Elhardt presides over a dynamic College of Arts & Sciences.

It's been said that you can tell a lot about a man by what you find in his bookcase.

"A little art, a little science and a little social science," explained Dr. Dale Elhardt as he reviewed the literary collection in his office at Hartnett Hall.

Copies of Ethics, Karl Marx, The Leadership Challenge, The Idea of Progress, Utopia, and The Stories of William Trevor stand beside Norman Rockwell collector plates and old nails salvaged from Fort Lincoln.

Elhardt, who serves as dean of the College of Arts and Sciences at Minot State University, is clearly a man whose life has been defined by the idea of a well-rounded liberal arts education. Since earning a bachelor's degree in mathematics from MSU, he found his exposure to sociology far more invigorating, and he followed a career path that led him into teaching social science and attaining a doctorate in sociology.

Stepping into the role of dean has not been without some small regrets. "I still miss the classroom," Elhardt said. "There's an invigoration about the classroom that is not replaceable." Much of the one-on-one contact with students is missing also. "I particularly enjoyed advising, and I don't get to do that anymore."

But new experiences breed new realities. Now Elhardt finds himself immersed in budgetary matters, planning committees, faculty recruiting and a host of other duties that range from the mundane to the visionary in nature.

There's no place he'd rather be, however. "Arts and



Dr. Dale Elhardt

Sciences is very much alive. We've got new directions in the art program," Elhardt said as he sat beneath some of many splendid faculty prints that adorn his office walls, "and there is continued leadership in music and drama. They're doing so many things that institutions twice our size wouldn't even attempt to do."

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***"A little art, a little science and a little social science."***

**— Dr. Dale Elhardt**

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Success within the College of Arts and Sciences is an indication of a commitment to excellence on a larger scale. "We have become a better institution. We're just better in terms of our faculty and in terms of the quality of our programs," Elhardt explained. "I think we've become better as a resource to the state and to the region and to the community. We do more research, more studies, more service of every kind. It's just exploding."

A lasting imprint Elhardt wishes to leave at MSU deals with his theory on education - more is better "It doesn't always have to be formal, degree-driven education," he explained. "I don't understand people who are satisfied to have learned what they learned at a certain age and then they are done. That flies in the face of what the meaning and purpose and philosophy of education is. Lifelong learning is important. As the philosopher said, 'The unexamined life is not worth living.'"

Thom Mellum

Arts & Sciences

# Department Chairs



*Dr. George Slanger*

*Division of Humanities*

Nobody was more surprised than George Slanger when he was asked to chair the Humanities Division at Minot State University.

"It was a proverbial lightning strike," Slanger said. "I had no idea. I expected to go on teaching freshman comp, and English courses until I retired."

A man bound by a sense of duty, Slanger accepted the challenge. "I said I would do it because the university said that this is where they need me. And my philosophy is always that I go where I'm needed," he explained. He accepted the position in the fall of 1989.

Slanger earned a master's degree in English from San Francisco State University and arrived at MSU in 1972. After all these years, Slanger said he still has a fondness for the classroom, and his schedule allows him to teach half time. "I can't imagine an administrative job where I didn't teach. Teaching keeps me sane," he said.

*Thom Mellum*

Robert Holmen, chairman of Minot State University's Department of Mathematics and Computer Science, has a bachelor's degree from both Minot State and the University of Illinois, plus a doctorate from the University of Northern Colorado.

Holmen views Minot State as an expanding college, not just a teacher's college. "When I first came here to Minot State in 1963, our primary mission was to prepare school teachers," he said. "Now I see a great broadening of this mission."

He has noticed a greater diversity in a variety of fields. "A number of graduates are being employed in fields other than their specific major, and they are not limiting themselves to one particular field," Holmen said.

For the future, Holmen envisions an expansion in graduate school programs and increased cooperation between the university and the community in economic development and service.



*Dr. Robert Holmen*

*Brenda Mattison*

*Department of Mathematics & Computer Science*

Growth has been the watchword for Minot State University's Division of Music since Joseph Hegstad's appointment as division chairman in 1985.

"I think we've done some things to recruit quality students," Hegstad said. "As a result of quality, one always gets quantity."

Enrollment of music majors has doubled during his tenure as chairman, helped along by an increase in scholarship dollars and the development of a master's program.

In 1970, Hegstad came to MSU with a doctorate in music from the University of Missouri-Kansas City. Throughout the years, he's noticed one constant within the Division of Music. "Our staff is and has been an outstanding group of performers," Hegstad noted. "They always stand out as highly professional as they teach and perform."



*Dr. Joseph Hegstad*

*Division of Music*

*Thom Mellum*



*Dr. Clark Markell*

*Division of Science*

Clark Markel began teaching geology at Minot State University in 1974. Ten years later, he became chairman of the Division of Science and continues in that capacity, teaching half time while involving himself in a variety of projects within the division, as well as in the community.

Markel said that the Division of Science is always working to strengthen programs. He said that although there is already good facilities and equipment in place, the biggest need of his division is increased space and updated equipment.

There is a top-notch faculty in place, which makes good programs and service possible. "We have very good teaching, and that's of primary importance," said Markel.

*Marci Narum*

Jonathan Wagner, chairman of the Social Science Department at Minot State University, views his department as an important community resource.

He stresses the importance of faculty work relating to the community as well as teaching and doing research. This, Wagner believes, will help create a heightened involvement in the community of Minot with its university.

A native of Aurora, Ohio, Wagner received his undergraduate degree from Bowdoin College, a liberal arts school in Maine. He acquired his master's at the University of Pennsylvania and finished with a doctorate from the University of Wisconsin-Madison.

He came to Minot in 1984 and taught at MSU until 1988. After a one-year absence, he returned to MSU to resume his work within the Social Science Department.



*Amy Lagge*

*Dr. Jonathan Wagner*  
*Division of Social Science*

James Wahlberg, chairman of the Department of Social Work and Criminal Justice, is originally from Visalia, Calif. and has been teaching at Minot State for 13 years.

Wahlberg earned a bachelor of arts degree in psychology and sociology at Jamestown State College. A master's in social work from Arizona State was followed by a doctorate from the University of Utah.

Wahlberg got interested in teaching from his experience in social work. His interest was sparked further when Minot State gave him a chance to work in the classroom.

Wahlberg enjoys the academic experience and really believes in the programs within the department. He's also impressed with both faculty and students here at Minot State.

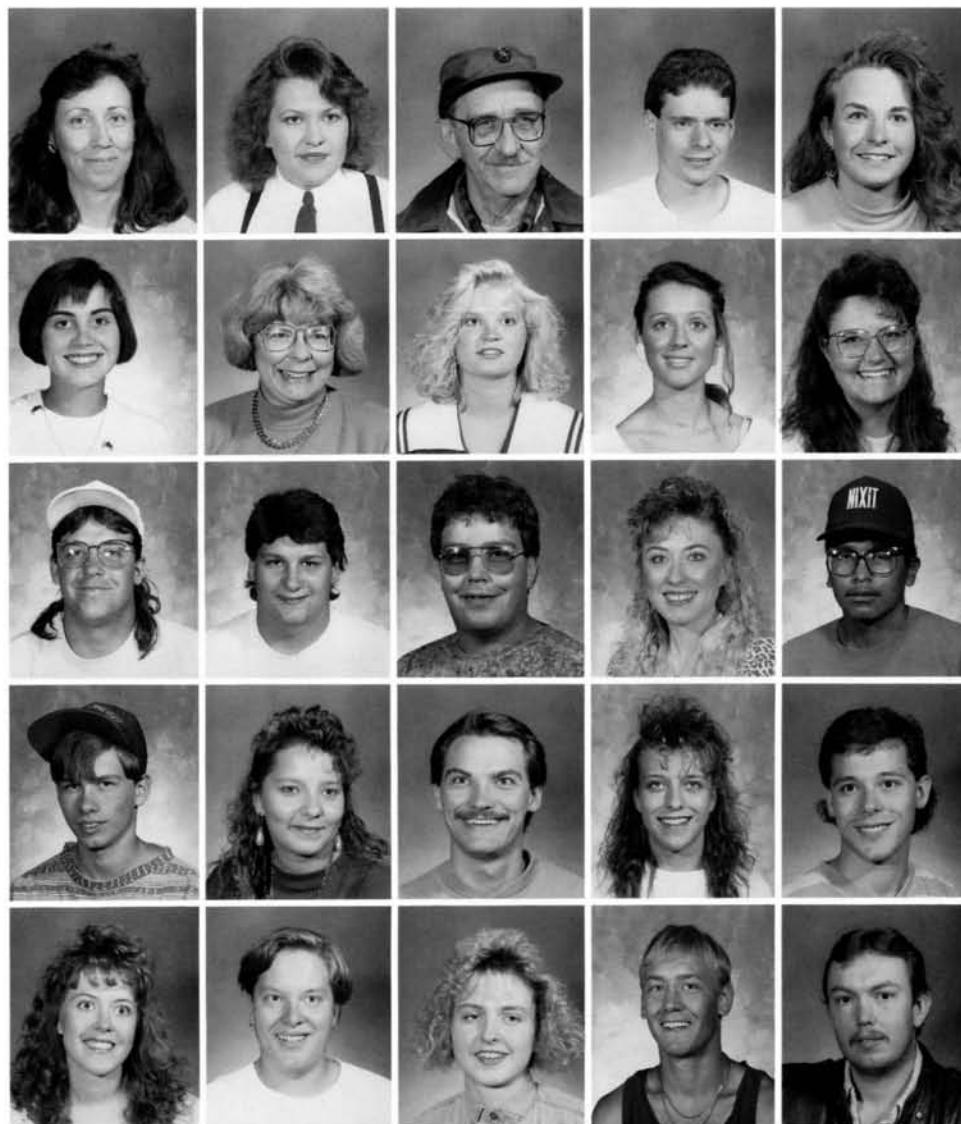


*Dr. James Wahlberg*

*Department of Social Work & Criminal Justice*

*Leo Heilman*

# Undergraduates



Aarhus, Sonja, Jr., Minot, N.D.  
Allen, Rissa, So., Minot, N.D.  
Backlund, Dayton, So., Minot, N.D.  
Bailey, Jim, Fr., Bismarck, N.D.  
Barnstable, Val, So., Macoun, Saskatchewan

Biggs, Julie, Jr., Winnipeg, Manitoba  
Birkeland, Carol, Jr., Carpio, N.D.  
Bly, Sharlene, So., Lignite, N.D.  
Boehm, Kara Jo, So., Minot, N.D.  
Bohn, Nichole, Fr., Centinal Butte, N.D.

Boos, Darcy, So., Glasgow, Mont.  
Boos, Gary, Jr., Malta, Mont.  
Bosch, Simon, Jr., Rubgy, N.D.  
Bradwisch, Dawn, Jr., Surrey, N.D.  
Brady, Bryon, Jr., New Town, N.D.

Brandt, John, Fr., Rubgy, N.D.  
Brigden, Christine, Jr., Napinka, Manitoba  
Brink, Shawn, Jr., Bismarck, N.D.  
Bruner, Peggy, Fr., Drake, N.D.  
Burgum, Corey, Jr., Minot, N.D.

Carlson, Lisa, So., Bowbells, N.D.  
Carlson, Scott, Jr., Glenburn, N.D.  
Catchuk, Tammy, Fr., Yorkton, Saskatchewan  
Christopherson, Dave, Jr., Stanley, N.D.  
Cook, Scott, Fr., Davenport, Iowa

## Beta Gamma Phi Science Club

Beta Gamma Phi Science Club's membership consisted mostly of science majors and their families, but the list also included chemistry, biology, physics and earth science majors. Some students from the medical, educational and math fields joined as well.

Such diversity provided a wide variety of interests throughout the club, and, according to faculty adviser Robert Crackel, that was what set the club apart from the others at MSU.

Spring was an especially active time for Science Club members. This was due to two major events: the MSU Bowl competition held in May, and the Science Club Open House, a club-sponsored activity held in April.

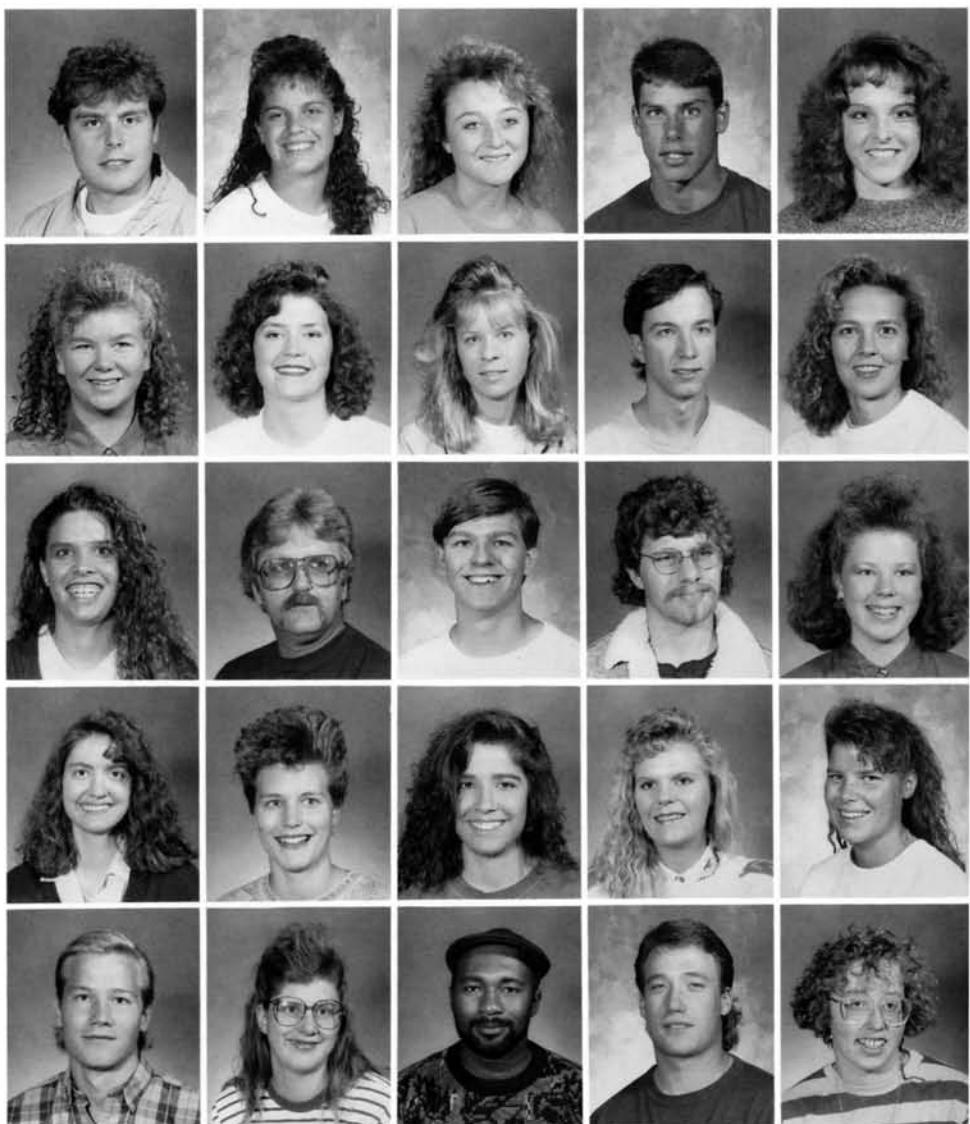
The Science Club Open House was open to the public. In preparation for the event, club members set up displays, experiments and demonstration materials in an effort to promote science and create an awareness of what is being done at MSU.

The public schools also benefit from the Science Club through the services members provide by judging community science fairs and through their participation in the Science Olympiad, which is held on campus annually. Members participate by doing such things as setting up and keeping score for the events.

Club fund-raisers included bake sales and collecting a percentage of the profits from the Moore building's candy and pop machines. The money collected went toward funding certain student/faculty-based research projects.

*Tammy Hanson*

Dahle, Marvin, So., Cando, N.D.  
DeDecker, Denise, Fr., Kipling, Saskatchewan  
Delzer, Corie, Jr., Riverdale, N.D.  
Deschamp, Cameron, Fr., Westhope, N.D.  
Dovre, Angela, Jr., Harvey, N.D.



Dreher, Michelle, Fr., Yorkton, Saskatchewan  
Dunn, Allison, So., Bismarck, N.D.  
Edwards, Shari, Jr., North Battleford, Saskatchewan  
Ehni, Ellery, Jr., Fessenden, N.D.  
Enget, Calley, So., Powers Lake, N.D.

Enget, Misty, Jr., Powers Lake, N.D.  
Engstrom, Marlan, So., Antler, N.D.  
Enochson, Allan, So., Watford City, N.D.  
Eraas, Scott, So., Mohall, N.D.  
Erickson, Kari, Fr., Hettinger, N.D.

Estenson, Linda, So., Minot, N.D.  
Farden, Allison, Jr., Maxbass, N.D.  
Ferch, Ann, Jr., Kenmare, N.D.  
Folks, Tonya, Jr., Fort Thomas, Ky.  
Francis, Nicole, So., Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan

Fried, Pete, Jr., Mandan, N.D.  
Friesz, Tammie, Fr., Flasher, N.D.  
Garvin, Raymond, Jr., Aiken, S.C.  
Gibbons, Cory, Jr., Weyburn, Saskatchewan  
Goss, Laura, So., Sidney, Mont.

## Campus Players

In 1928, a group of Minot State students that were interested in theater came together and formed a group now known as Campus Players.

One of the oldest organizations at Minot State, Campus Players supports the Communication Arts Department by enhancing and encouraging theater participation through student productions,

whether it's meeting at the Black Box Theater, Aleshire Theatre or anyplace a production takes them.

Campus Players is a self-supporting group of students that travels to other communities to acquire and learn ideas that help enhance their own productions.

All students are welcome and encouraged to participate. "Ninety-eight percent of the productions are written, designed and produced by the students themselves," said faculty adviser Kevin Neuhardt.

Kristie Baker



Gene Curtiss, left, and Charles Tatum in "Other People's Money."

## English Club



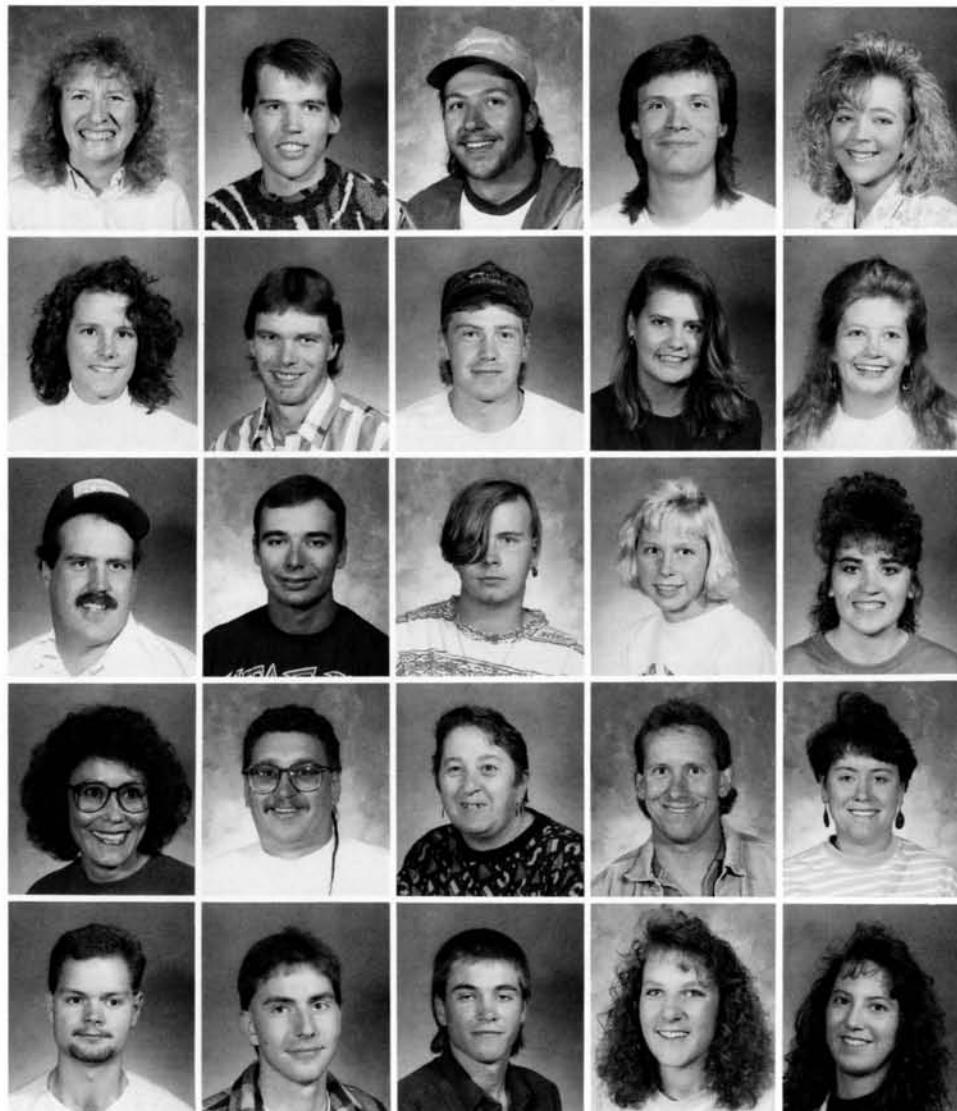
Beginning in the 1990-91 academic year, members of the English Club altered their views about where they wanted to go with their writings and changed the name of the group to The Writers Workshop.

Undergraduate and graduate students, plus some individuals not enrolled at MSU, spent time together once a month editing and advising each other about their works.

Each year, members of The Writers Workshop attend a Writers Conference at the University of North Dakota in Grand Forks to discuss their ideas and personal compositions with professional writers as well as other students.

Joy Currie, coordinator of the new group, said, "It is very important for writers to talk to each other and to get their ideas out into the open so that they can become better at writing."

*Kari Erickson*



*Graber, Ardis, Fr., Minot, N.D.  
Groce, Jason, So., Burlington, N.D.  
Guenthner, Scott, Jr., Minot, N.D.  
Hanley, Guy, Jr., Minot, N.D.  
Hanson, Kimi, Jr., Des Lacs, N.D.*

*Harry, Randee, Jr., Corning, Iowa  
Heilman, Leo, Jr., Karlsruhe, N.D.  
Henry, Trevor, Fr., Malta, Mont.  
Heppner, Melanie, Jr., Regina, Saskatchewan  
Herman, Holly, Fr., Minot, N.D.*

*Herman, Jeff, So., Minot, N.D.  
Hibl, Gaylord, So., Minot, N.D.  
Hill, Martin, So., Mohall, N.D.  
Hoff, Nancy, Jr., Bottineau, N.D.  
Hoffer, Kim, Jr., Harvey, N.D.*

*Hunt, Carmelita, Jr., Dunseith, N.D.  
Johnson, Jackie, So., Minot, N.D.  
Johnson, Sybil, Jr., Garry, Ind.  
Jorgenson, Bruce, Jr., Minnewauken, N.D.  
Jorgenson, Wendy, So., Minnewauken, N.D.*

*Jungers, Michael, Jr., Balfour, N.D.  
Knabe, Tim, Jr., Crosby, N.D.  
Kotaska, Chris, So., Sawyer, N.D.  
Kraft, LeAnn, Fr., Bismarck, N.D.  
La Bonte, Brandi, Fr., Yorkton, Saskatchewan*



*Let there  
be music...*



**Such sweet compulsion doth in music lie.**

—John Milton

# Alpha Psi Sigma

Alpha Psi Sigma, the criminal justice fraternity, was very busy this year.

Faculty adviser Don Sebo and other staff members supervised all the activities. The club is open to all criminal justice majors and minors.

The club provided security for the North Dakota Hostfest. It has done this for many years, and it is its biggest money-making project. The Criminal Justice Club has provided radios for the Safewalk Program. It also took a trip to Regina, Saskatchewan, and toured the Saskatchewan Preventional Correctional Center and the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Depot, which is a training center for officers.

The Criminal Justice Club also welcomed many guest speakers this year. Speakers included Ward County States Attorney Doug Mattson and District Court Judge Wallace Berning.

The club is a good way to expand and embellish the education program. It provides exposure to different career paths and gives students a chance to share common intellectual interests.

"Mr. Sebo does a good job with the club," said Reed Adams, chairman of the criminal justice program. "The club helps the quality of the student by sharing responsibilities and interests. It makes connections with people, and this is something that can't be taught in the classroom. It is a very big help to know people in the same field, and students need to know how to communicate. It gives students a chance to build friendships."

*Cindy Peterson*

Larsen, Wendy, Jr., Stanley, N.D.

Lee, Jeffery, Jr., Plentywood, Mont.

Lendvoy, Lorrie, Jr., Minot, N.D.

Locker, Kim, Jr., Devils Lake, N.D.

Lowery, Leslie, So., Minot, N.D.



Luckie, Christopher, Fr., Greenville, Alberta

Luckman, Angela, So., Bowbells, N.D.

MacKay, Donald, Fr., Lapuente, Calif.

Maki, Steven, Fr., Bowbells, N.D.

Mayer, Steve, So., Hebron, N.D.



McCarty, Steve, Jr., Crosby, N.D.

McCloud, Mike, So., Minot, N.D.

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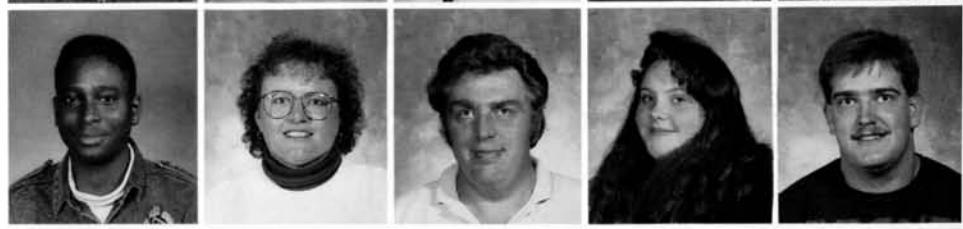
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Müller, Arlen, So., Minot, N.D.

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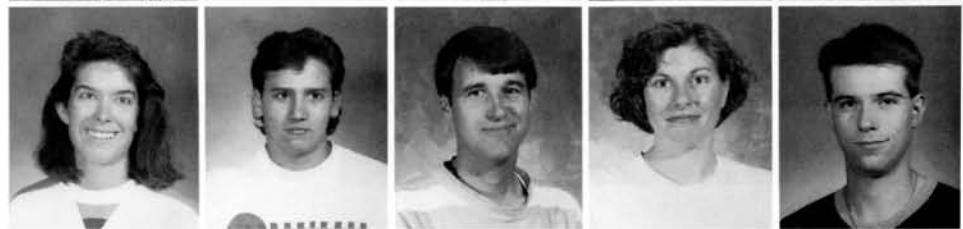
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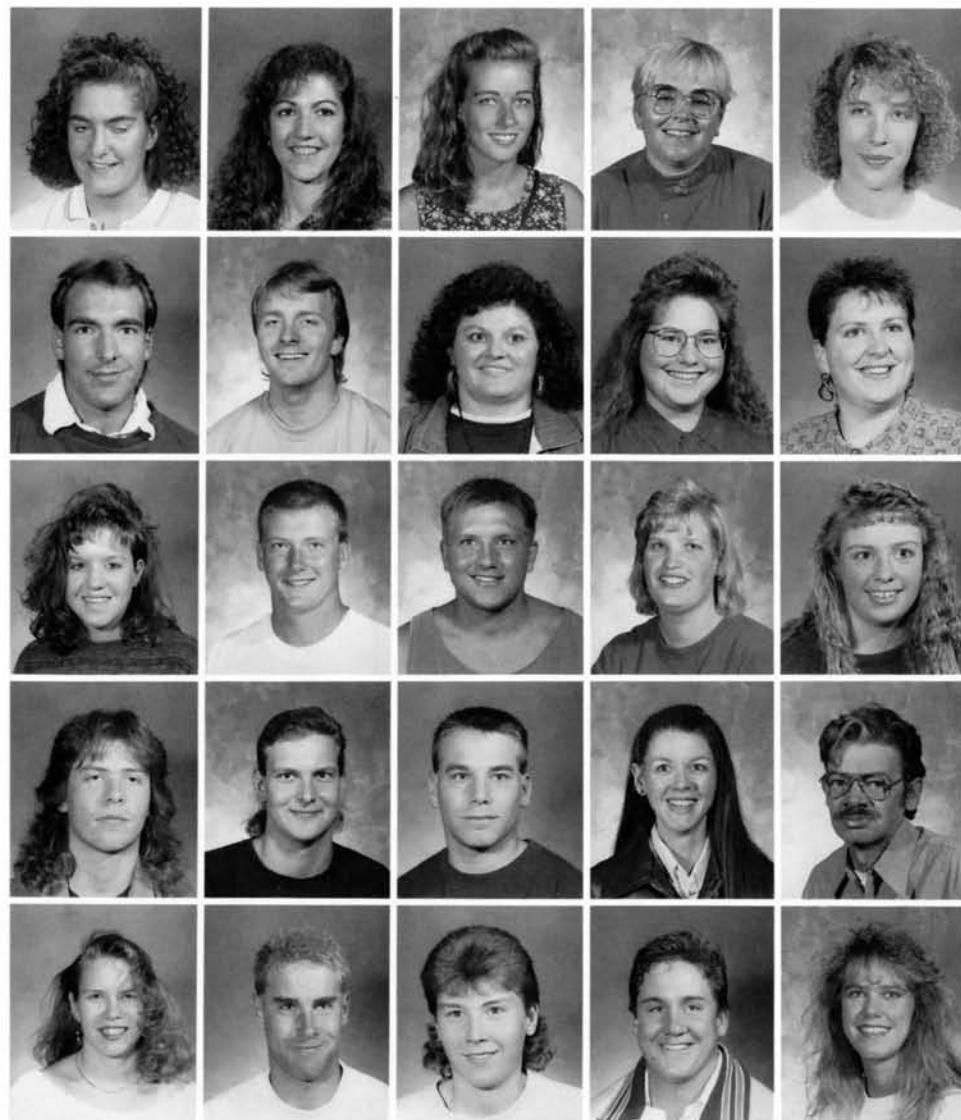
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# Undergraduates



Myrowich, Colleen, Fr., Yorkton, Saskatchewan  
Narum, Marci, Jr., Douglas, N.D.  
Neumann, Nancy, Fr., Kipling, Saskatchewan  
Nielsen, Wendy, So., Burlington, N.D.  
Niessen, Nancy, Jr., Folsom, Calif.

Nolan, Lance, Fr., Rouleau, Saskatchewan  
Nordstrom, Greg, So., Kenmare, N.D.  
Olson, Ann, Jr., Douglas, N.D.  
Olver, Sheila, So., Kipling, Saskatchewan  
Ondracek, LuWanna, Jr., Lankin, N.D.

Oster, Jennifer, So., Minot, N.D.  
Osvold, Jeff, Jr., Cosby, N.D.  
Page, Mike, Jr., Carrington, N.D.  
Pederson, Beth, Jr., Rolette, N.D.  
Pegors, Aimee, So., Sterling, N.D.

Penny, Chad, So., Abernethy, Saskatchewan  
Perkins, Kevin, So., Estevan, Saskatchewan  
Perrin, Albert, So., Underwood, N.D.  
Petersen, Bonnie, Jr., Minot, N.D.  
Petersen, Lynn, So., Minot, N.D.

Pfeifer, Stacey, Fr., Bowbells, N.D.  
Plant, Jay, Jr., Glasgow, Mont.  
Prellwitz, Sheila, Fr., Willow City, N.D.  
Radke, Kurt, So., Hazen, N.D.  
Randash, Laurie, Fr., Surrey, N.D.

## International Affairs Society

The International Affairs Society is a club that takes on the issues of the world as well as those close to home because its members are interested in world events affecting North America.

The club's purpose is to sponsor on-and off-campus events that have an international flavor, such as a trip to Regina, Saskatchewan, to participate in the Model United Nations.

Christopher Holowenko, club president, said, "The club talks about issues and concerns that affect the world, so we can get a better understanding of why these things happen and what are the effects of it."

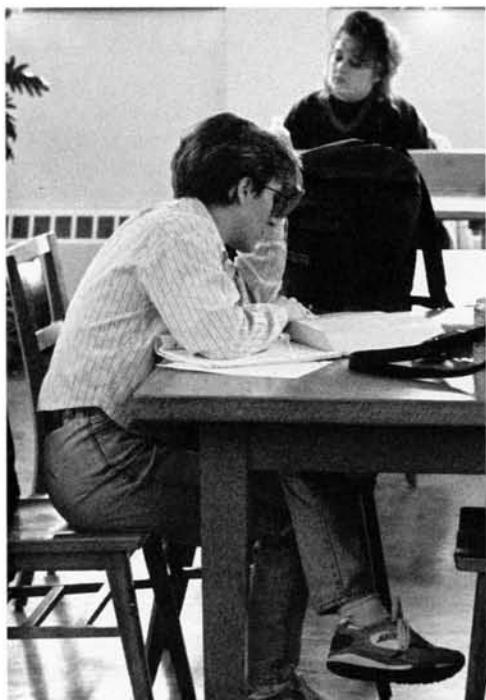
The club has been part of Minot State University since 1960. Some of the issues may have changed, but the need for student awareness has remained the same.

IAS members see the club as more than an information group; they see themselves as individuals who share ideas, feelings and fears covering a wide variety of subjects.

Everett Ballmann, faculty adviser to the club, described the guiding principle of IAS. "The club takes on raw information on a subject, and then takes it to another level of understanding before it becomes a story in the paper," he said. "The club wants to know more about our world than what is found in the paper."

John Toler

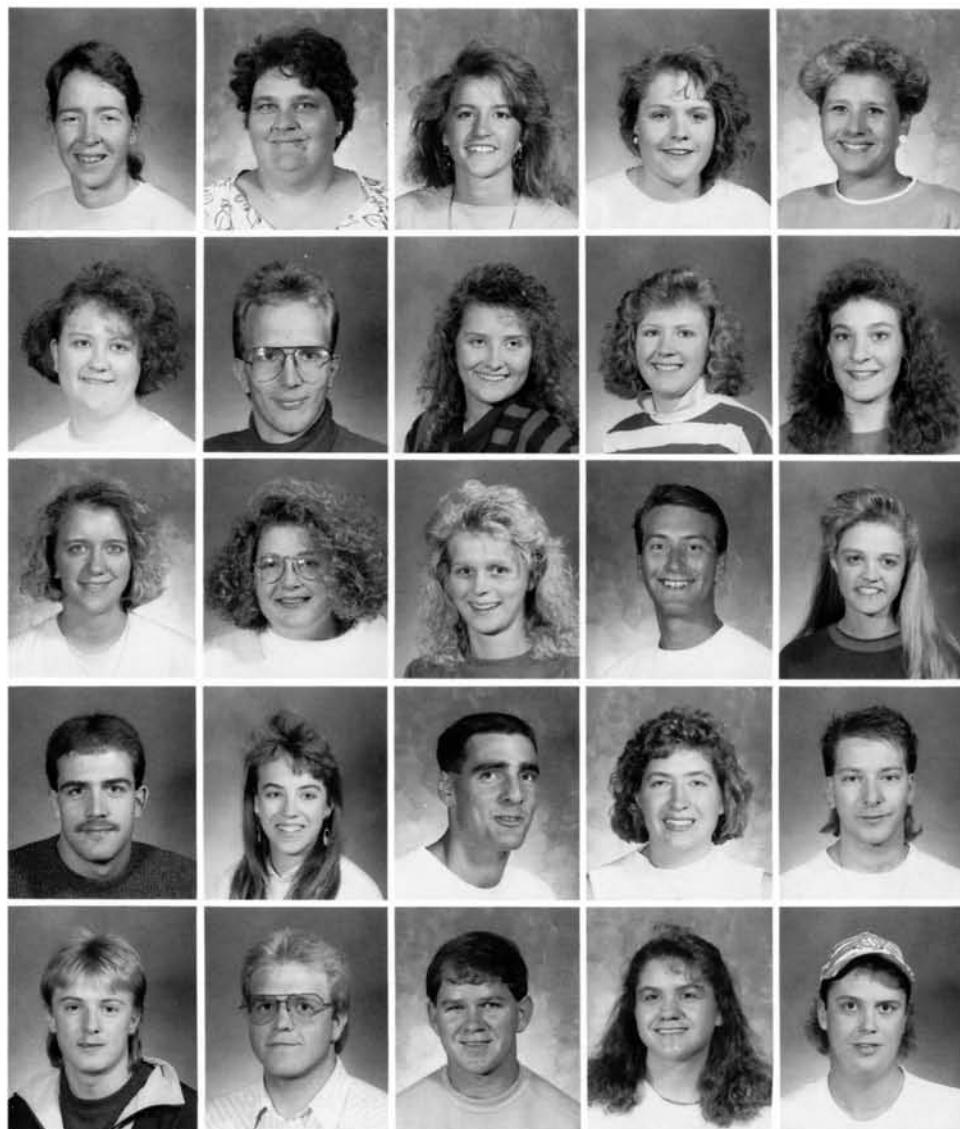
# Getting the job done



**The woods are lovely, dark, and deep,  
But I have promises to keep.  
And miles to go before I sleep  
And miles to go before I sleep.**

—Robert Frost

# Undergraduates



Ray, Margie, Jr., New Orleans, La.  
Read-Schlecht, Jane, So., Burlington, N.D.  
Redding, Carmen, Fr., Velva, N.D.  
Renwick, Vanessa, So., Estevan, Saskatchewan  
Rittenbach, Becky, Fr., Harvey, N.D.

Roteliuk, Ravona, Jr., Sawyer, N.D.  
Rygg, Jon, Jr., Mohall, N.D.  
Schell, Laura, Jr., Minot, N.D.  
Schep, Stephanie, So., Minot, N.D.  
Schmidt, Janel, Jr., Mandan, N.D.

Schmidt, Natasha, Fr., Burlington, N.D.  
Shafer, Kristine, Fr., Roseglen, N.D.  
Shaw, Tonya, Jr., Minot, N.D.  
Shivak, Murray, Jr., Stockholm, Saskatchewan  
Shroyer, Nichole, So., Columbus, N.D.

Skogen, Jody, Jr., Hettinger, N.D.  
Smith, Molly, Fr., Wichita Falls, Texas  
Snyder, Richard, Jr., San Francisco, Calif.  
Solar, Gail, Jr., Mohall, N.D.  
Spilchen, Corrie, Jr., Norquay, Saskatchewan

Spilchen, Dale, Fr., Norquay, Saskatchewan  
Stastny, Darren, Jr., Mandan, N.D.  
Steffen, Mark, Jr., Dyersville, Iowa  
Stompro, Melissa, Fr., Watford City, N.D.  
Stradecki, Jason, Jr., Balcarres, Saskatchewan

## Computer Science Club

Minot State University's Computer Science Club had one main goal, — to promote computer knowledge and usage, according to Club President Glen Rutherford.

The club used many activities to achieve its goal. The club sponsored computer supplies sales, participated in Association of Computing Machinery (ACM) programming competitions and sponsored trips to software and hardware manufacturers and computing centers.

"At the ACM programming competition at Moorehead State, our team placed first at the site," Rutherford said.

This year the club purchased a Hewlett Packard Desk Jet printer for the school. "The \$875 printer is for students to produce term papers, resumes and the like," said Bruce Upton, club treasurer.

Donations of equipment were discussed at club meetings. The club tries to do this every year, funds permitting. In the past the club has furnished eight modems for the computer labs in Moore Hall.

While the club attracted mainly students involved in computer science, it also welcomed anyone interested in learning more about computers.

David McMullen

Suckert, Dorothy, So., Minot, N.D.  
Tarasenko, Ronald, Jr., Minot, N.D.  
Tennancour, Mark, So., Warwick, N.D.  
Vinck, Tracy, Jr., Hartney, Manitoba  
Voeller, Theodore, Fr., Karlsruhe, N.D.

White, Jennifer, Jr., Weyburn, Saskatchewan  
Wiers, Jason, Jr., Glasgow, Mont.  
Williams, Darley, So., Minot, N.D.  
Williams, Thomas, So., Indian Springs, Nev.  
Wilson, Michael, So., Bismarck, N.D.

Wiper, Sandra, So., Bowbells, N.D.  
Wold, Sue, Fr., Surrey, N.D.  
Zobrak, Ron, Jr., Wolf Point, Mont.  
Zueger, John, Jr., Mandan, N.D.



Bon jour! The French Club at Minot State University is a socio-cultural organization, which welcomes everyone interested in French culture to participate in its activities.

Harold Smith, club adviser for the past six years, said the group deals with French culture by participating in activities such as watching films, cooking and celebrating holidays.

Holly Wahus



*Students, faculty and their families enjoy a taste of the world at the annual International Foods Banquet sponsored by the Foreign Language Department.*

## French Club

Minot State University's Spanish Club was comprised of students who conducted informal meetings in order to interact in conversation with one another.

The club consisted of 10 to 20 freshmen, second-year Spanish students and those who want to pursue a Spanish teaching degree.

Each year, the club's goal is to attend the "Festival of Nations" in St. Paul, Minn. To make the trip the club organizes fund-raisers such as bake sales and aluminum can collections.

The club's importance was reflected in the ability of its members to converse with each other in Spanish, learn from each other and develop friendships.

The club's president was Verna Knox. Linda Gresham and Juan Bahk served as advisers to the group. Gresham said the club was a very cohesive group with members getting as much out of it as they put in.

Tanya Boll

## Spanish Club

# Faculty



## Division of Humanities

*Allen, Marjorie  
Bahk, Dr. Whangbai  
Bradley, Dr. David  
Breding, Connie  
Davidson, Dr. Conrad*

*Fairweather, Floyd  
Gresham, David  
Gresham, Linda  
Groult, Thomas  
Huber, Holly*

*Lindekugel-Willis, Paula  
McCahill, Frank  
Nelson, Dr. Harold  
Neuharth, Kevin  
Paulson, Dr. Suzanne*

*Piehl, Walter  
Ragan, Barbara  
Scheeler, Robert  
Smith, Dr. Harold  
Springman, Luke*

*Stoskopf, Sherry  
Wallin, Julianne  
Willis, Thomas*

## Department of Mathematics & Computer Science

*Atwood, Larry  
Babb, Dr. James*

*Chu, Dr. Larry  
Kast, Scott  
Madhok, Urmilla  
Moen, Dr. Selmer  
Nelson, Bernice*

*Nelson, Dr. Robert  
Olson, Gordon, R.  
Snyder, Nancy  
Venzke, Dr. Paul*

## Division of Music

*Crawford, Stephen*

*Dimond, Dr. Mark  
Larson, Robert  
Lawson, Stephen  
Nelson, P. Wayne  
Starr, Sandra*

*Thornton, Dr. Bruce  
Walth, Dr. Gary*

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*Berkey, Dr. Gordon  
Crackel, Dr. Robert  
Darienzo, Dr. Mark*

Gano, Dr. David  
Lowe, Margaret  
Lowe, Dr. Stephen  
Madhok, Dr. Om  
Martin, DeWayne



Morgan, Dr. Rose  
Parker, Dr. Nina  
Royer, Dr. Ronald  
Thompson, Dr. Michael  
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Andreasen, Dr. Bethany  
Ballman, Everett  
Camp, Dr. Gregory  
Ellis, Dr. Lee  
Hoffman, Dr. Harry



Howard, Dale  
Huenneke, Stephen  
Jagd, Robert  
Kalvelage, Carl  
Kelly, Dr. Stewart



King, Dr. Clay  
Lomire, Dr. Patricia  
Reddi, Dr. P. V.  
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Adams, Dr. Reed  
Fontaine, Charles  
  
Lommen, Carolyn  
Sebo, Donald  
Wynn-Green, Hattie



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Halvorson, Duane  
Olson, Linda  
Vigested, John

**Division of Music**  
Hornstein, Dr. Daniel  
Munneke, Dr. Russell  
**Division of Science**  
Disrud, Dr. Dennis  
Kihm, Dr. Allen  
Rodewald, Dr. Randolph  
Steeper, Joseph

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Dallam, Dr. Audrelee  
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## Art Club

The Art Club has been in existence for the last 10 years. Students need not be an art major to join. Members assist in setting up shows in the Hartnett Art Gallery.

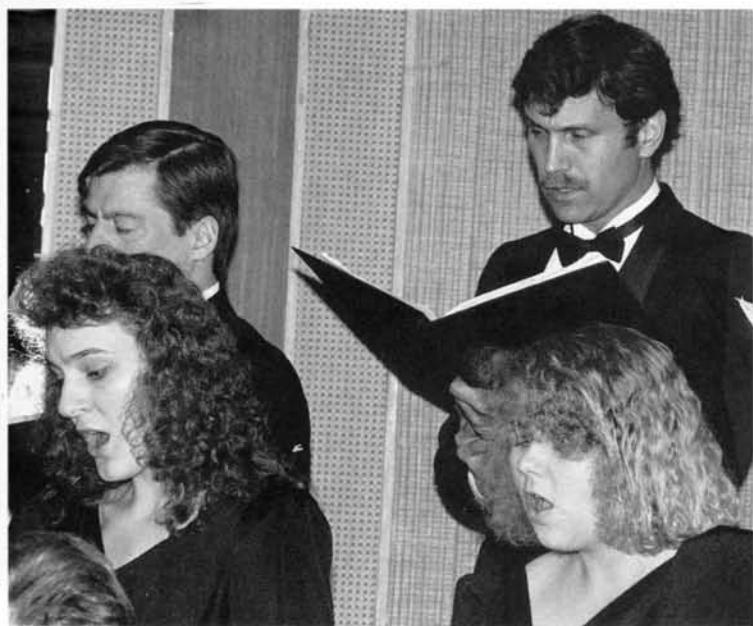
Club officers for 1991-92 were Claudine Henrion, president; Kate Fulwiler, vice-president and secretary; and Beth Grogh, treasurer. The advisers were art instructors Walter Piehl and Linda Olson.

The group took a 10-day trip to Minneapolis during spring break, and toured the city and visited many art galleries.

The Art Club's long-term goals include acquiring a room where student art can be displayed and computers to work on graphic design.

Barb Nelson

**Musical  
talent is  
abundant  
at MSU**



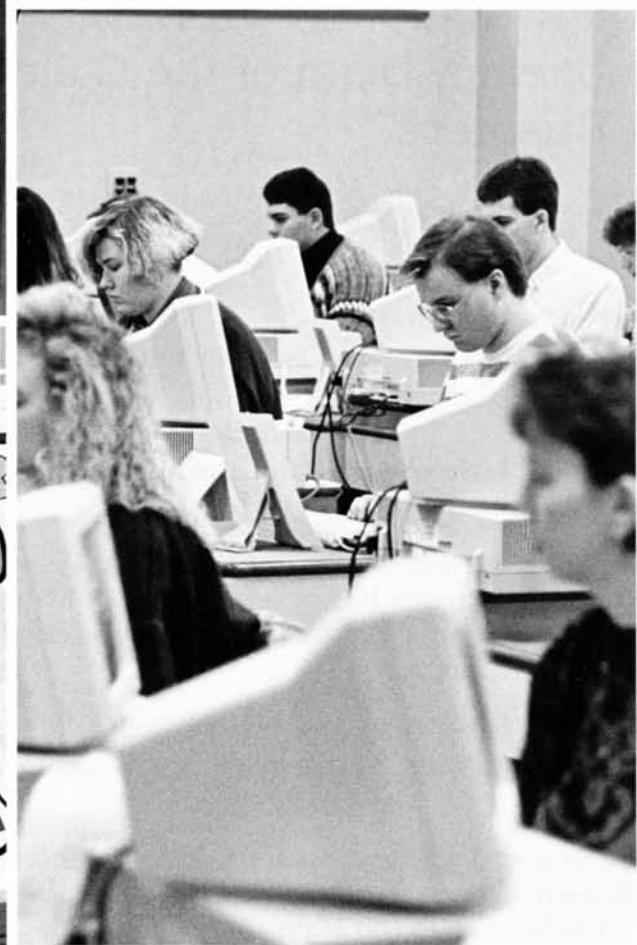
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**Everyone lives by selling something.**  
—Robert Louis Stevenson

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# Main man

A conversation with Earl Robinson, Dean of the College of Business.

*Everywhere I go,  
I'm trying to keep the customer satisfied.  
Satisfied.*

- Paul Simon

The places have changed, but the attitude remains the same.

From Halifax, Nova Scotia, to Philadelphia Pa., to Minot, N.D., Earl Robinson has never wavered in his view that higher education should be recognized as a customer-oriented environment.

As dean of Minot State University's College of Business, Robinson feels his biggest challenge is defining those customers.

"The first and most obvious customer is the student," Robinson said, pausing to survey the campus from his third-floor office in Old Main. "However, think of some of the traditional 18-to-22-year-old students whose parents are paying to have them here," he added. "Well, then maybe mom and dad are customers too, so maybe I should have an orientation toward them."

Robinson was quick to point out yet another constituency. "We are a state institution, so I have another customer — the state taxpayer."

And customer service, in its many forms, is what Robinson is all about. The primary focus is on student welfare because he feels they represent the center of the academic universe. Faculty development, research and community outreach programs are natural extinctions of student enrollment, Robinson emphasized.

"The student is the most critical aspect of what education is all about," he said. "If the students aren't here, this place doesn't exist. In everything I do as an administrator, I try to keep that in mind." In doing so, he attempts to schedule class times and courses that will mesh well with students' varied needs and lifestyles.

But it's what goes on in the classroom that concerns him



Dr. Earl Robinson

most. "That's where the learning's going on," Robinson said. Positive student-instructor interaction is absolutely essential. Without it, Robinson added, "The faculty might as well be teaching out in the middle of Broadway."

Robinson is a native of Claymont, Del., and he earned his doctorate at the University of Georgia in 1977, after studying at Bucknell University, Lewisburg, Pa., P and Davidson (N.C.) College. He came to MSU in the summer of 1991 from St. Joseph's University in Philadelphia, Pa. His reasons for the move went beyond the academic.

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***"If the students aren't here, this place doesn't exist."***

**—Dr. Earl Robinson**

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"We were looking for a change in lifestyles and values," Robinson said, referring to his wife, Karen. "We were looking for a place where we would be comfortable raising our children. A place with the traditional American lifestyle values of truth, honesty, commitment and dedication to your country, to your state and to your friends."

Minot fit the bill, and his two daughters, Ruth, 11, and Sarah, 7, give their parents' decision two thumbs up. "My daughters are happier than anything here," he said, noting that the relatively safe atmosphere in Minot affords his girls a lot more independence than they were accustomed to in Philadelphia.

Robinson's easy smile, affable manner and self-deprecating sense of humor serve him well as he tries to impart his basic philosophy on the College of Business at MSU: "Treat the other guy the way you'd want to be treated. The Golden Rule is what it really comes down to."

Just trying to keep the customer satisfied. Satisfied.

Thom Mellum

Business

# Department Chairs



*David Demers*

*Department of Accounting*

David E. DeMers, an instructor at Minot State University since 1970, was named chairman of the Department of Accounting in the fall of 1991.

The new title brought many added responsibilities to DeMers. His class load was cut from 10 to five classes for the year. As chairman, he was involved in budgeting, faculty evaluations and class scheduling.

"I have seen the evolution of this curriculum (accounting), the important date being Feb. 24, 1981," DeMers said. "That's the day the board approved the accounting major at MSU. Things have really taken off since then. We now have approximately 250 students majoring in accounting."

DeMers earned his master's degree in accounting at the University of North Dakota and hopes to see a master's program instituted at MSU as well. "The problem I foresee is if the state Board of Education will approve a smaller university like MSU to offer a master's program in accounting," he said.

*Michelle Thronson*

Robert Sando, chairman of the Department of Office Administration and Business Education, has been teaching at Minot State University since 1966.

A North Dakota native, Sando received his bachelor's degree in business administration and doctorate in business education from the University of North Dakota in Grand Forks.

Sando has seen much growth and expansion at MSU. The original Division of Business has grown into the College of Business and three distinct departments have evolved from that — the Department of Accounting, the Department of Business Administration and the Department of Office Administration and Business Education.

As chairman, Sando is pleased with the way the department is constantly updating and growing to continue to meet the needs of students.

Sando called business "an ever-changing atmosphere." He works to make sure that the students leaving MSU with business degrees are well prepared to meet the challenges of the business world.



*Dr. Robert Sando*

*Claudia Elser*

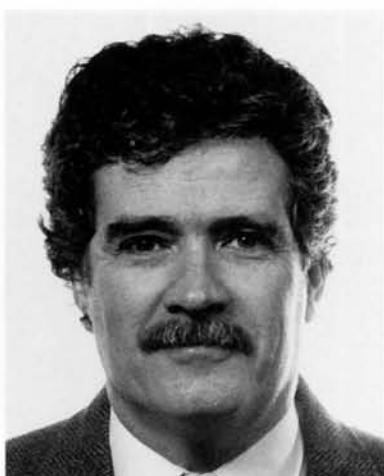
*Department of Office  
Administration &  
Business Education*

As chairman of Minot State University's Department of Business Administration, Keith Witwer looks out for the best interests of the business department.

He oversees a business department of over 600 students in business administration programs.

Witwer feels that the faculty has a wide range of experience, which enhances its effectiveness in the classroom. Good communication between faculty and students is the key to continued success of the program, according to Witwer.

The addition of the new bachelor of science program in business administration pleased Witwer as well as many students. Many bachelor of arts students have decided to change to the new program. Witwer also hopes to see a master's of business administration program started in the future at Minot State.



*Keith Witer*

*Department of Business  
Administration*

*Chad Hofer*

## Pi Omega Pi

Pi Omega Pi stands for loyalty, service and progress. It has been operating at Minot State University since 1964. The organization provides special recognition and incentive for business education majors and minors.

At MSU, Pi Omega Pi is the 120th chapter designated by the nationally recognized Delta Omega chapter.

This honor society met quarterly under the presidency of Bob Barley with the assistance of two advisers — Roger Mergenthal and Robert Sando. Initiation into the organization takes place in the fall and spring of each school year.

Membership is open to students who earn 20 credit hours in business education and maintain a 3.0 grade point average.

The organization was actively involved in community activities such as the Job Fair. Creating fellowship among teachers of business and encouraging civic responsibility were the main objectives of Pi Omega Pi.

Lee Anne Astleford



Bargains galore at the Pi Omega Pi disk sale, on the third floor of Old Main.

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Adam, Melinda, Fr., Drake, N.D.

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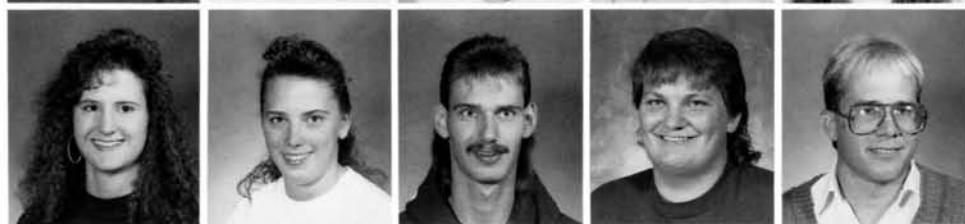
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Brekhus, Dean, Jr., Kenmare, N.D.



Brenno, Danielle, Fr., Columbus, N.D.

Brossart, Jenny, Fr., Rugby, N.D.

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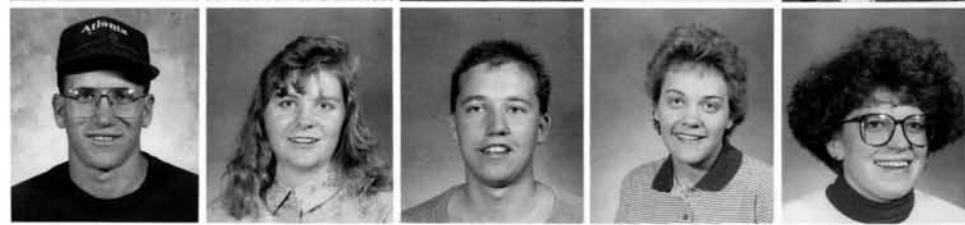
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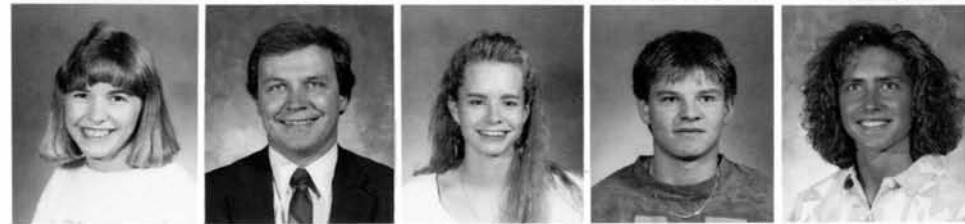
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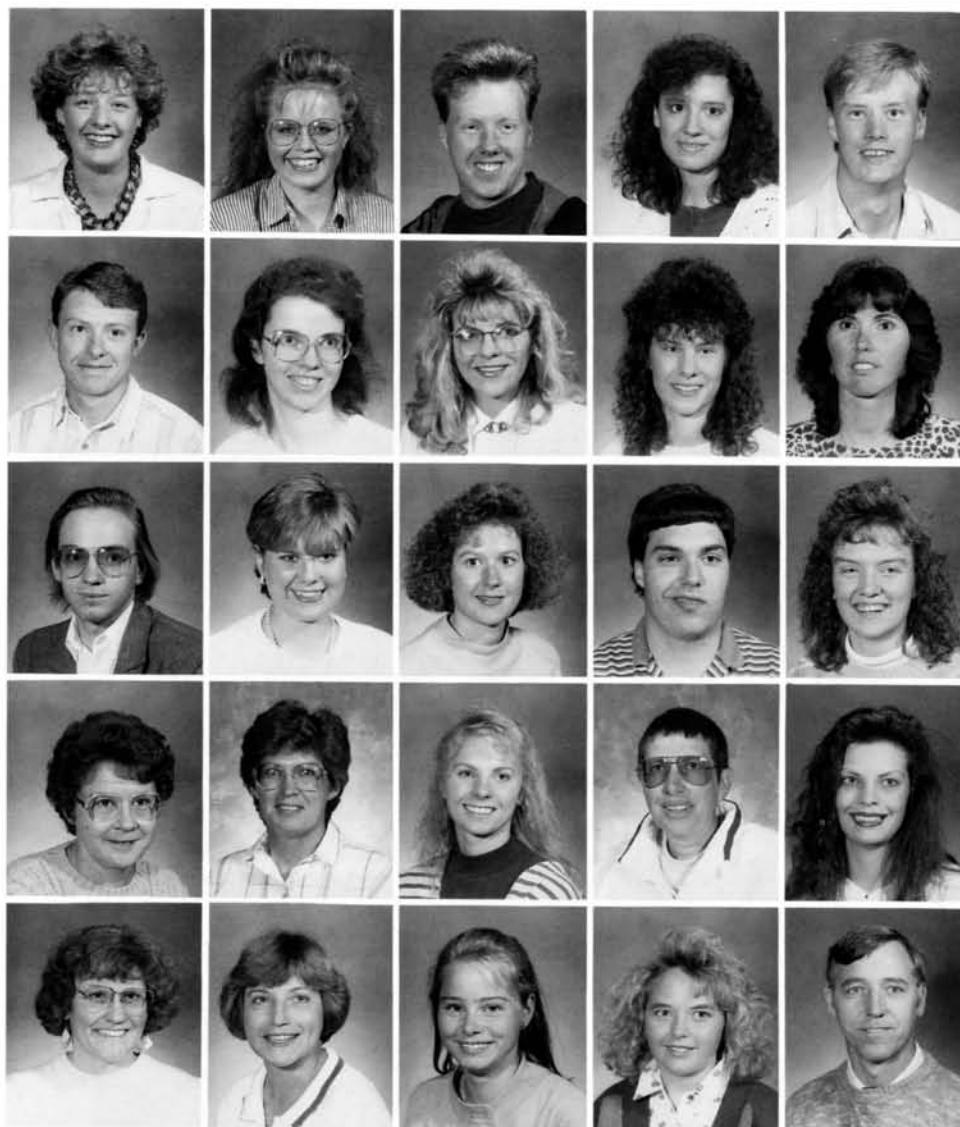
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# Undergraduates



Gess, Michelle, Jr., Minot, N.D.  
Gilje, Cathy, Jr., Kenmare, N.D.  
Gravseth, Todd, Fr., Burlington, N.D.  
Grimstad, Tina, Fr., Minot Air Force Base  
Groninger, Darren, Jr., Douglas, N.D.

Grubb, Clint, Fr., Powers Lake, N.D.  
Harstad, Linda, Jr., Minot, N.D.  
Hegre, Tammy, Jr., Dickinson, N.D.  
Heil, Tami, Fr., Harvey, N.D.  
Hobson, Lillian, So., Stanton, N.D.

Hofer, Chad, Fr., Minot, N.D.  
Howard, Amy, So., Ruso, N.D.  
Huber, Marsha, Jr., Berthold, N.D.  
Iannone, Christopher, Fr., Regina,  
Saskatchewan  
Jensen, Norine, Fr., Burlington, N.D.

Jesser, Wanda, Jr., Coleharbor, N.D.  
Johnson, Denise, Fr., Minot, N.D.  
Johnson, Sharlo, So., Minot, N.D.  
Keller, Brenda, Jr., Minot, N.D.  
Klimpel, Brenda, Jr., Minot, N.D.

Knox, Verna, So., Minot, N.D.  
Knutson, Phyllis, So., Minot, N.D.  
Kopp, Elizabeth, Fr., Burlington, N.D.  
Koster, Tricia, Fr., Garrison, N.D.  
Kowitz, Waldemar, U.G. Special, Minot, N.D.

Minot State students looking for an escape from the rigors of the classroom often turned to the big screen. They went to laugh, to cry and kiss five bucks bye bye. Here's what, and who, they went to see:

## Favorite movies:

"Dances With Wolves"  
"Robin Hood, Prince of Thieves"  
"Silence of the Lambs"  
"City Slickers"  
"Home Alone"



## Favorite actors:

Kevin Costner  
Julia Roberts  
Robert DeNiro  
Tom Cruise  
Robin Williams



Arnold Schwarzenegger, big hit in "Terminator 2: Judgment Day,"  
the most expensive movie made this year.

# For You



DAY	TIME	ROOM	MATH CLINIC SCHEDULE	
			TUTOR	Winter Quarter, 1991-92
Monday	9:00 am - 12:00 pm	231	Rose Linnertz	
	12:00 pm - 2:00 pm	231	Dawn Gerjets	
	3:00 pm - 5:00 pm	218	Rose Linnertz	
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	7:00 pm - 9:00 pm	212	Gene Curtiss	
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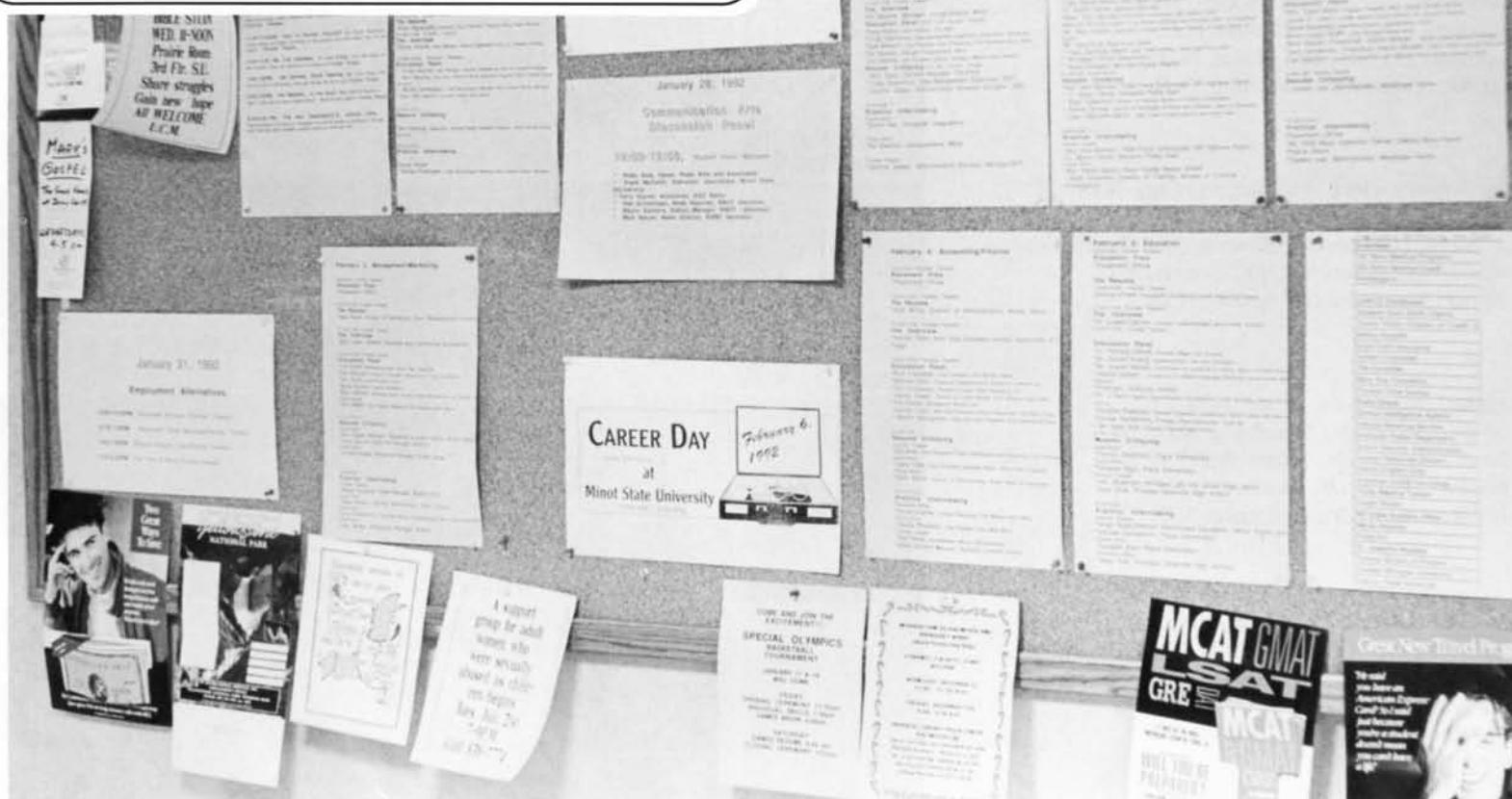
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# Information



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*Jay Brerze, Jerry Obenauer and Steve Rodriguez (from the left) get ready for practice.*

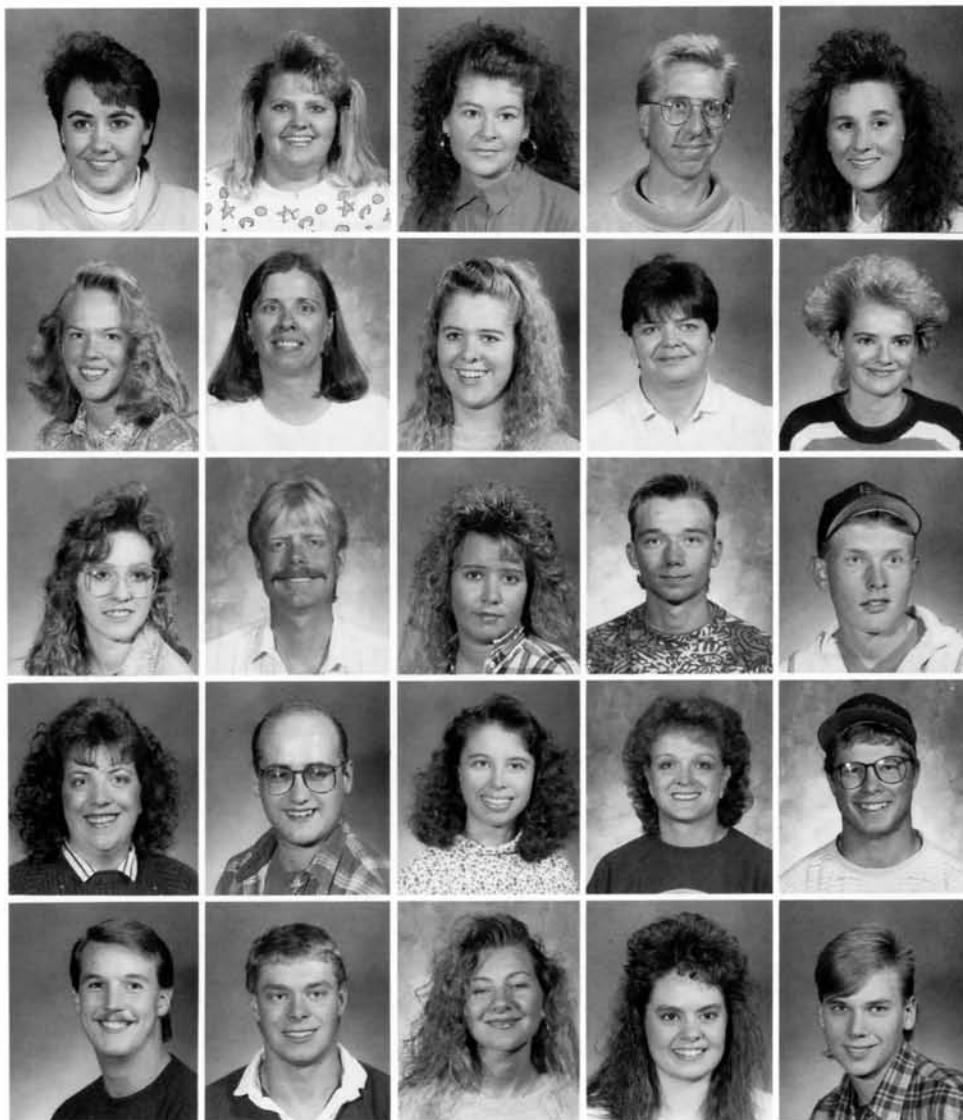
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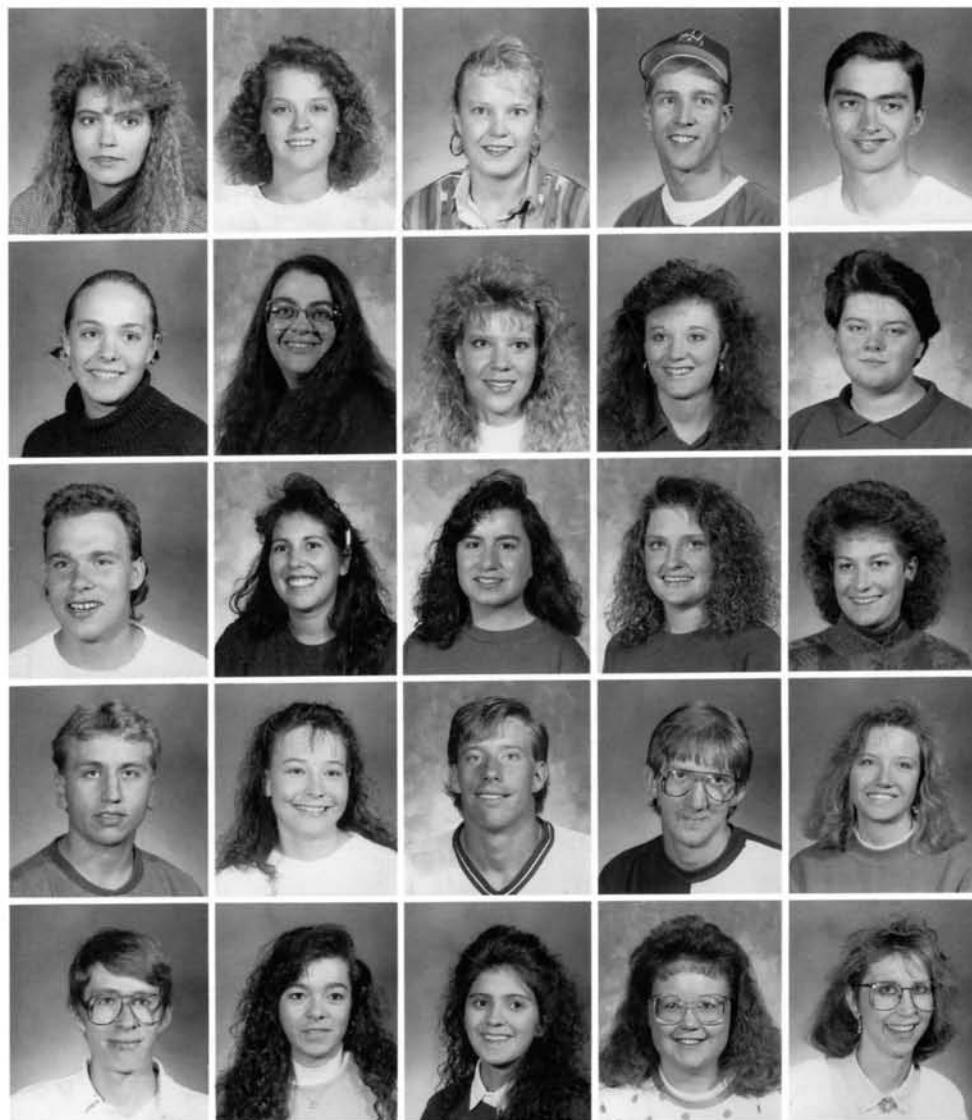
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 Miller, Brad, Jr., Sherwood, N.D.

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 Mjoen, Jodie, Jr., Newburg, N.D.  
 Moen, Elaine, Jr., Minot, N.D.  
 Moline, Diane, Jr., Dunseith, N.D.  
 Nelson, Kory, Jr., Kenmare, N.D.

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 Neuhaugen, Teri, So., Minot, N.D.  
 Newman, Karmell, Jr., Sawyer, N.D.  
 Nordgaard, Mark, Fr., Minot, N.D.



# Undergraduates



Odegard, Melissa, So., Grand Forks, N.D.

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Pearson, Vaughn, So., Minot, N.D.

Pearson, Wendy, So., Minot, N.D.

Peckham, Marge, Jr., Minot, N.D.

Peter, Beverly, Jr., Estevan, Saskatchewan

Peterson, Rondi, Jr., Ryder, N.D.

Pulsifer, Charissa, Fr., Plymouth, N.H.

Reder, Russ, Fr., Edmonton, Alberta

Reynolds, Carrie, Fr., Belcourt, N.D.

Richter, Michelle, Fr., Drake, N.D.

Rittal, Kali, So., Circle, Mont.

Rokusek, Sandy, Jr., Bismarck, N.D.

Ryberg, Gary, So., Bowbells, N.D.

Satterthwaite, Carol, Jr., Rolla, N.D.

Scheig, Tristan, Fr., Des Lacs, N.D.

Seehafer, Brian, Fr., Drake, N.D.

Semmen, Sheri, Jr., Douglas, N.D.

Sorensen, Brady, So., Minot, N.D.

Sosa, Lilliana, Fr., Lignite, N.D.

St. Croix, Florence, So., Minot, N.D.

Stevahn, Krista, Jr., Bismarck, N.D.

Streich, Cindy, So., Maxbass, N.D.

Music can be a great definer. Songs take us back in time to remind us who we were, where we were and what we were doing. Like all art, our reactions to music can tell us something about ourselves.

The artists who had the biggest effect on the musical tastes of Minot State students in 1991-92 were a diverse bunch, a little bit country, a little bit rock and roll.

## MSU's Top 10:

1. Garth Brooks
2. U2
3. Guns N' Roses
4. Brian Adams
5. Sawyer Brown
6. Motley Crue
7. Michael Bolton
8. Bonnie Raitt
9. REM
10. Alabama



Guns N' Roses' new album "Use Your Illusion," hit the top of the charts the first week out. Critics said it was worth the three-year wait.



# Phi Beta Lambda

Phi Beta Lambda offers Minot State University business students an opportunity to go beyond their classroom work and experience the social and service aspects of their chosen field.

According to Linda Keup, a PBL adviser, the students that choose to join are those who are interested in becoming the business leaders of the future.

The fraternity's goal is to adopt a service project and help to create more awareness of that project. The project for 1991-92 involved fund-raising for Tourette's Syndrome. The funds raised were donated to both the local and state support groups for the disease.

Phi Beta Lambda has been involved with co-sponsoring blood drives and making food baskets for the Salvation Army. It was also the driving force behind the creation of the career fair that is held each year on campus.

Each year, the members have a chance to compete with other business students from other universities in North Dakota. The competition deals with all aspects of business education, such as marketing, secretarial skills, accounting and economics. If successful, the winners have an opportunity to go on to compete at the national level. MSU's chapter has been successful at both levels of competition in the past few years.

Phi Beta Lambda encourages all those interested in business education to join in the chance to gain greater knowledge of the business world.

*Sandra Terry*

*Thompson, Ellen, So., Upham, N.D.*

*Traeger, Jon, Fr., Rugby, N.D.*

*Traiser, Amy, So., Minot, N.D.*

*Trana, John, Jr., Stanley, N.D.*

*Trimble, Jason, Fr., Gainsborough, Saskatchewan*



*Tschannen, Joan, So., Minot, N.D.*

*Van Ackeren, Jodi, So., Langdon, N.D.*

*Vandal, Missy, So., Minot, N.D.*

*Verbitsky, Darla, Jr., Butte, N.D.*

*Vollhoffer, James, Jr., Regina, Saskatchewan*

*Wakefield, Joey, Fr., Honolulu, Hawaii*

*Walker, Shane, Fr., Willow City, N.D.*

*Wax, Steven, Jr., Regent, N.D.*

*Wheeler, Brent, Jr., Medicine Lake, Mont.*

*Wilcox, Johnny, So., Bottineau, N.D.*

*Wilson, Rhonda, Fr., Lakeland, Fla.*

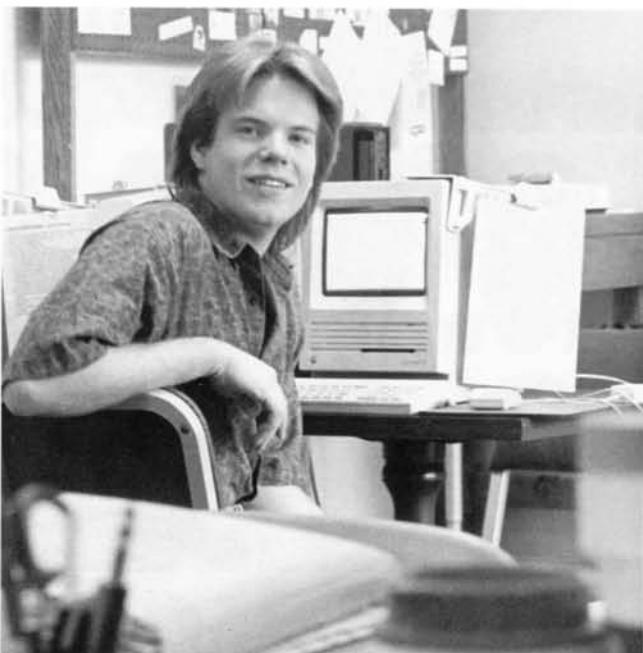
*Wolla, Anne, Fr., Minot, N.D.*

*Wolla, Kristopher, Jr., Minot, N.D.*

*Woolsey, Heather, Jr., Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan*

*Zahursky, Anita, Jr., Max, N.D.*

# Scene on campus



Our campus is many things to the many people that attend MSU.

Sometimes it's working late at Student Publications, or the hectic and rewarding world of music. But it can also be peaceful ice waterfalls or the emptiness of Old Main on a Saturday. Like all universities, MSU has many faces.



# Faculty

## Department of Accounting

*Fedje, Patricia  
Henderson, Larry  
Houston, Joan  
Wahlund, Jay  
Walz, Karen*



## Department of Business Administration

*Ahmed, Dr. Zafar  
Darrow, Dr. Orien  
Davison, Carl  
Doering, John  
Herreid, Todd*



*Keup, Linda  
Lower, Robert  
Ross, Gary  
Sclapman, Dr. Richard  
Walizer, Ottis*



## Department of Office Administration & Business Education

*Eklund, Julianne  
Mergenthal, Roger  
Reynolds, Sharon  
Seymour, Dr. Thomas  
Vang, Betty*



*Willoughby, Lorraine*



## NOT PICTURED

## Department of Accounting

*Ystaas, Marie*

## Pinnacle

Pinnacle is a national organization that was founded with the non-traditional college student in mind. Older-than-average students that never fit into the typical college honor society now have one that was designed just for them.

Bev Hass, Minot State University's special needs counselor, worked at getting Pinnacle wider publicity. "The older-than-average are, in a way, a new phenomenon on college campuses, more here than other places," said Haas. OTAs usually have families and uncommon interests so they don't fit into the usual honor societies.

Pinnacle marked its second year at MSU in 1991-92. It was originally only for students classified as seniors, but the requirements were changed recently to include juniors.

To be members of Pinnacle, applicants must be at least 25 years old, qualify as a non-traditional student, and have a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 since the time they were classified as a non-traditional student.

Members must have been involved in at least three campus and/or community activities. They must also demonstrate leadership, persistence and future promise.

Pinnacle maintains the highest ethical standards. All students must go through a screening process by the selection committee. No more than 15 percent of the adult and non-traditional student population can hold a membership in Pinnacle.

Pinnacle holds initiations twice a year. The organization offers a nationwide newsletter with career opportunities and a variety of information in it.

*Rhona Bichler*

# Easy come...



...easy go.

# SA votes for protection on campus



A major step to give Minot State University students an affordable and discreet way of obtaining contraception and becoming more sexually responsible was taken by MSU's Student Senate in December 1991.

The group voted to install condom dispensers on campus.

Some students responded favorably to the decision of the senate but expressed concern about whether the condoms would be used.

"The best way to prevent aids is abstinence, but who are we kidding in this day and age," said graduate student Jim Nelson. "I'm glad to see them (condoms) made available. The trick will be to get people to use them."

"I think it's a good idea," said Sheldon Ackerson, an elementary education senior. "This gives people the opportunity to get them (condoms) if needed, but I don't know if the students will use them."

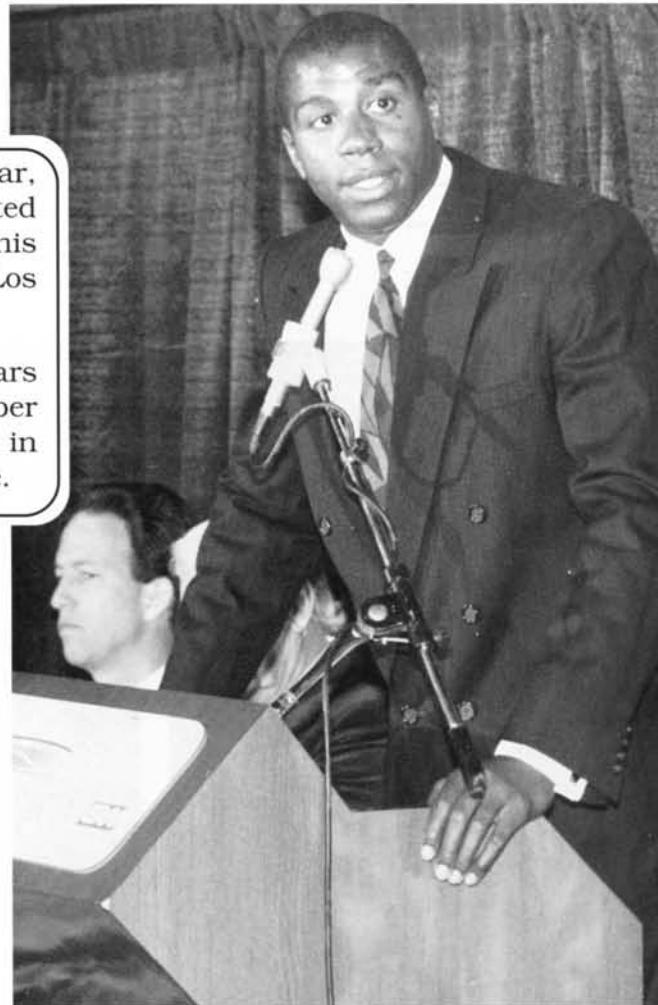
While the original motion called for having condom dispensers placed in the men's and women's bathrooms in the Student Union, a later motion was approved to place condom dispensers in all public bathrooms on campus, including the dormitories.

*H. Linda McComas*

## Meanwhile, in other parts of the country...

Magic Johnson, Los Angeles Lakers basketball star, shocked the nation when he announced he was infected with the HIV virus that causes AIDS. Johnson made his announcement to a stunned press conference in Los Angeles.

On the other side of the world, after nearly seven years as a hostage, Terry Anderson was released on December 4, 1991. Anderson spent 2,455 days as a hostage in Lebanon. He was the longest held American hostage.



# Spring Fever Cure



It was food, fun and sun, as the Student Association provided a spring fever cure for MSU students. The Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship provided free ice cream and helped top off a great day for everybody.



**College  
of  
Education  
and  
Human Services**

**"To be in hell is to drift...to be in  
heaven is to steer..."**

**—George Bernard Shaw**

## SPEECH & HEARING CLINIC

DR. DAVID WILLIAMS, CHAIR  
DEPT. of COMMUNICATION DISORDERS

DR. AUDREY LUNDAY

DR. SCOTT BRADLEY, DIR. AUDILOGY  
MR. THOMAS FROELICH

Walk In

## STUDENT TEACHING

DR. H. STOLT 206

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DR. G. GAGNON

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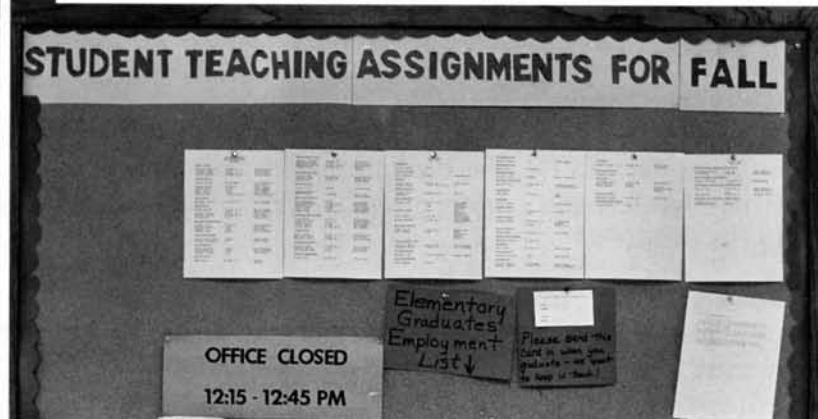
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## 108 DEPARTMENT OF SPECIAL EDUCATION

DR. BRENT ASKVIG

FAYE MILLER, M.S.  
LEE ANN MILLER, M.S.



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# Of mind and body

John Kincheloe believes human services come from the heart.

Minot State University's dean of the College of Education and Human Services has seen an enormous evolution in the burgeoning field of special education ever since he adopted it as a career choice in the early '50s, but John Kincheloe's bedrock approach to his work has changed little.

"You could call it a philosophy, I suppose, but it's really a desire to help other people," he said. "I think that one of the keys to happiness and success in living in this world has to do with thinking about others and trying to help improve the world in which we live."

According to Kincheloe, life's true rewards aren't found in materialistic pursuits. "You don't feel good because of helping yourself or accumulating wealth or accumulating anything. You feel good because of what you do for somebody else," he said.

Kincheloe came to MSU in 1972 and was appointed chairman of the Division of Special Education. "Back in those days, no one knew much about special education," he said. "When I came on campus, I was like a voice in the wilderness concerning the definitions of learning disabilities."

Kincheloe learned the importance of being earnest as he developed graduate programs in learning disabilities, severely multi-handicapped, mental retardation, audiology, education of the deaf, speech-language pathology and elementary education. He has had to battle to get across his idea of a varied, flexible approach to special education.

"You don't have commitments to certain kinds of things that you live or die with," he explained, pounding his desk with a clenched fist. "You have to look to see what the problem is with the child, but that's not what happens. You go to the University of Unknown, wherever that is, and they say, 'Well, the only approach is through a psychological theory,' which to me makes no sense. Or you go to another school and they're approaching everything through a language concept."



Dr. John Kincheloe

Kincheloe offered his thoughts and opinions as he sat in his well-appointed office on the second floor of Old Main. He glanced up at a painting of John Huston that was done for him by his daughter Anne, who owns a graphic arts business in Alaska. "It's one of the best watercolors she ever did, a side benefit to having a daughter who is a graphic artist," he said with a grin.

Although he insisted that there was no symbolic significance to the artwork, it seems that he attacks his work with the same sort of vigilance that marked the Academy Award-winning director's career. It's a determined, unwavering dedication to an ideal, to what is correct.

"Just because the federal government, or the school board, or whomever it is decides that a particular

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**" You feel good because of what you do for somebody else."**

**—Dr. John Kincheloe**

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approach is an approach that ought to be taken to education, that's not good enough for me because I don't think that a lot of the decisions are made in terms of the effect on the child or student," Kincheloe said. "What is right is right for that child or that classroom or that teacher, and if we don't have the money to do it, then we better find the money somehow."

The graduate programs under the auspices of the College of Education and Human Services are recognized as some of the finest in the country, so it's become obvious that what's right with Kincheloe is right for MSU.

Thom Mellum

Education & Human Services

# Department Heads



Dr. Bruce B. Burnes

Department of Education and Psychology



Gary T. Leslie

Department of Physical Education

Bruce Burnes came to Minot State University in 1986 as the Chairman of the Department of Education and Psychology.

His initial goal was to establish a reputation of quality so that students would come to MSU to be educated as teachers. During his five years as chairman, the number of majors in the elementary education program has nearly doubled.

Burnes and his staff have made several changes to improve the program. For example, admission standards have been increased, courses are taken in a more sequential order, and student planning guidelines have been standardized. "The program is based on the idea of, 'What do we expect you to be and do when you are a teacher in your own classroom,'" Burnes said. "That's what we teach you."

*Kim Sellers*

As chairman of Minot State University's Department of Physical Education, Gary Leslie believes in the power of good communication.

"The model that I use is an open-door situation in which students and faculty are encouraged to come in and exchange thoughts and ideas," Leslie explained. "I'm don't feel that I should be autocratic."

With a growing, changing department, coupled with the challenges associated with the switch to the semester system, Leslie is confident that the transition will be a smooth one.

A strong faculty is what Leslie thinks will help him achieve his goal of building graduate programs into the Department of Physical Education.

*Thom Mellum*



Dr. Stephen W. Ragan

Department of Special Education



Dr. David K. Williams

Department of Communication Disorders

Minot State University's Department of Special Education graduates approximately 35 teachers a year at the bachelor's and master's degree levels.

Stephen Ragan, chairman of the department since 1988, plans to continue supporting and providing research to the North Dakota Center for Disabilities.

With the conversion to semesters, he also hopes to bring in some new programs and possibly a new degree program. "Expanding the influence of the programs we currently have is an important part to becoming more of a service to our community," Ragan said.

*Kari Erickson*

Minot State University's 1992 Board of Regents Staff Achievement Award went to David Williams, chairman of the Department of Communication Disorders.

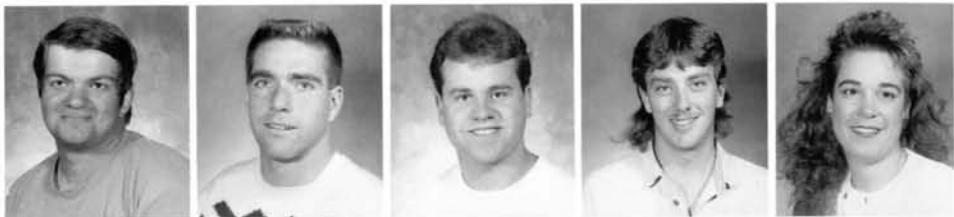
Williams came to MSU in 1978 with bachelor's and master's degrees from Brigham Young University and a doctorate obtained from the University of Missouri, Columbia. His education and experience have enabled him to develop a talent for promoting learning in a clinical setting as well as the classroom.

He is also the associate director for interdisciplinary training at the North Dakota Center for Disabilities.

*Thom Mellum*

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Adams, Joel, Jr., Regina, Saskatchewan  
Allen, Darcy, Fr., Sturgis, Saskatchewan  
Ammon, Nichole, So., Minot, N.D.



Anderson, Shelly, So., Scobey, Mont.  
Anderson, Stephanie, Fr., Minot, N.D.  
Andreychuk, Patricia, So., The Pas, Manitoba  
Armstrong, Cora, So., Star City, Saskatchewan  
Astleford, Lee Anne, So., Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan



Atwood, Shawna, Jr., Tolley, N.D.  
Auck, Kelly, Jr., Underwood, N.D.  
Behles, Carmen, Jr., Garrison, N.D.  
Bell, Sharlene, Fr., Regina, Saskatchewan  
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Bohl, Barbara, Jr., Minot, N.D.  
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Brenden, Kimberly, So., Scobey, Mont.  
Breton, Kim, Jr., Estevan, Saskatchewan  
Brook, Tracey, Jr., Maid Stone, Saskatchewan



Bruins, Darla, So., Minot, N.D.  
Butz, Krista, So., Regina, Saskatchewan  
Campbell, Kim, Fr., Regina, Saskatchewan  
Carter, Shawn, So., Glasgow, Mont.  
Cervinski, Sarah, So., Bonnyville, Alberta



## Psychology Club

Minot State University's Psychology Club offers students who are majoring or minoring in psychology a chance to meet others who share similar interests.

According to Pat Progar, an adviser to the club, friendships developed in the club often last long after graduation. The club also gives its members a chance to associate with the faculty outside of the classroom.

A great asset to the members is that they are given the opportunity to participate in research. "With this experience, they have a better chance at graduate school," Progar said. "It is very beneficial."

The club held a phone-a-thon to raise \$500 for the Richard Sheldon Scholarship Fund. This scholarship will be offered to a student who has been nominated by a faculty member. The judgement will be based on several factors, including the student's grade-point-average and research experience. Other special club events are the fund-raising projects held to help pay for trips to conferences and guest speakers.

Sandra Terry

College life is bound by tradition, and few things work to build and reinforce a university's customs and identity as effectively as its athletic programs.

At Minot State, the public relations benefits of sports are coupled with an educational mission. Hard work, discipline and preparation are all part of the dynamics of the locker room as well as the classroom.

"We provide our athletes with good coaches and a good schedule," MSU Athletic Director Fran Hummel explained. "We want to give as many athletes as we can a chance to compete. When our kids are finished here and go down the road, I want them to be very positive about what's happened here."

*Thom Mellum*



*Kristin Gorder demonstrates good ball control.*



*Teddy Dyke, No. 15, and Russell Reder tasted the thrill of victory and the agony of defeat this year.*

# Football

"We exceeded our expectations. The one thing that stands out about the kids we had was that they played well together. You can have the best team on paper, but if they don't play well together, you're not going to win."

Dave Hendrickson  
Head Football Coach



(Clockwise from top) Andrew Eley puts one through the posts. Bobby Walter eludes a tackle for six points. Coach Dave Hendrickson concentrates on the Beavers strategy.

6 wins, 3 losses  
1992 NDCAC Co-Champions

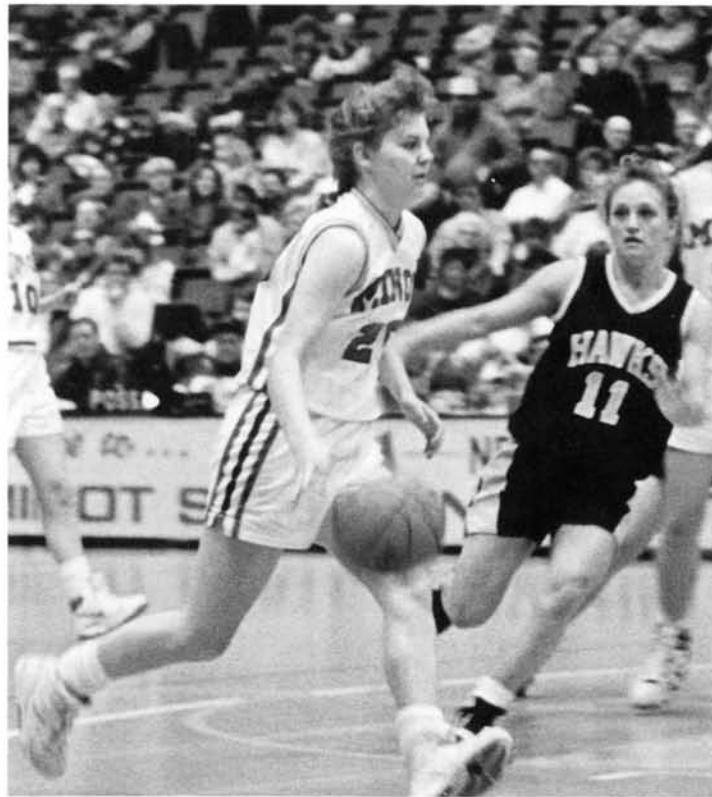
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Jason Smith  
Nolan Spooner  
Cory Stegmeier  
Shawn Sundheim  
Shayne Taylor  
Jason Two Crow  
Jody Veroba  
James Vollhoffer  
Bobby Walter  
Sheldon Warawa  
Loren Ward

Dave Hendrickson, Head Coach  
Dean Bachmeier, Defensive Coordinator  
Ryck Hale, Linebacker Coach  
Bert Leidholt, Offensive Line Coach  
Travis Bakken, Assistant Coach  
Jay DeCann, Assistant Coach  
Jeff Jelskey, Assistant Coach  
Ken Mitchell, Assistant Coach

# Women's Basketball

*Shelly Anderson  
Renae Bishop  
Rachelle Bubach  
Melinda Cole  
Jessica Entzel  
Dana Feland  
Anne Ferch  
Cheryl Frame  
Dina Girard  
Kristin Gorder  
Michelle Henderson  
Jodi Landsiedel  
Jennifer Osman  
Lisa Tosteland*

*Terry Voiles, Head Coach  
Mary Hammond, Assistant Coach*

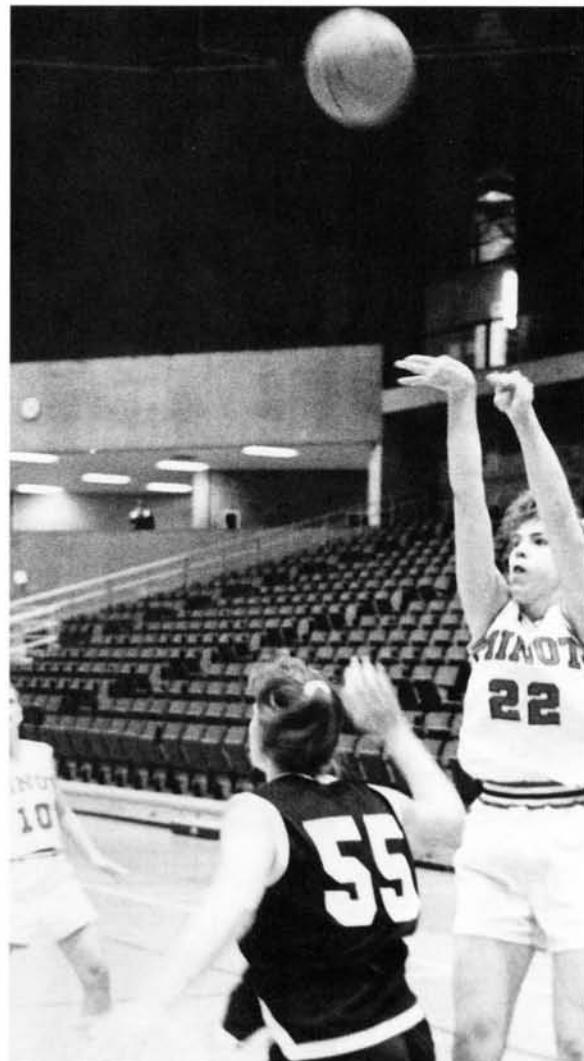


*Melinda Cole dribbles around the Dickinson State defense.*

*"We went through an awful lot of adversity. We ended up as conference co-champions, and we were only four seconds away from winning it outright. Injuries hurt us, but I think the team worked around them very well."*

**Terry Voiles**  
Head Women's Basketball Coach

**11 wins, 12 losses**  
**1992 NDCAC Co-Champions**



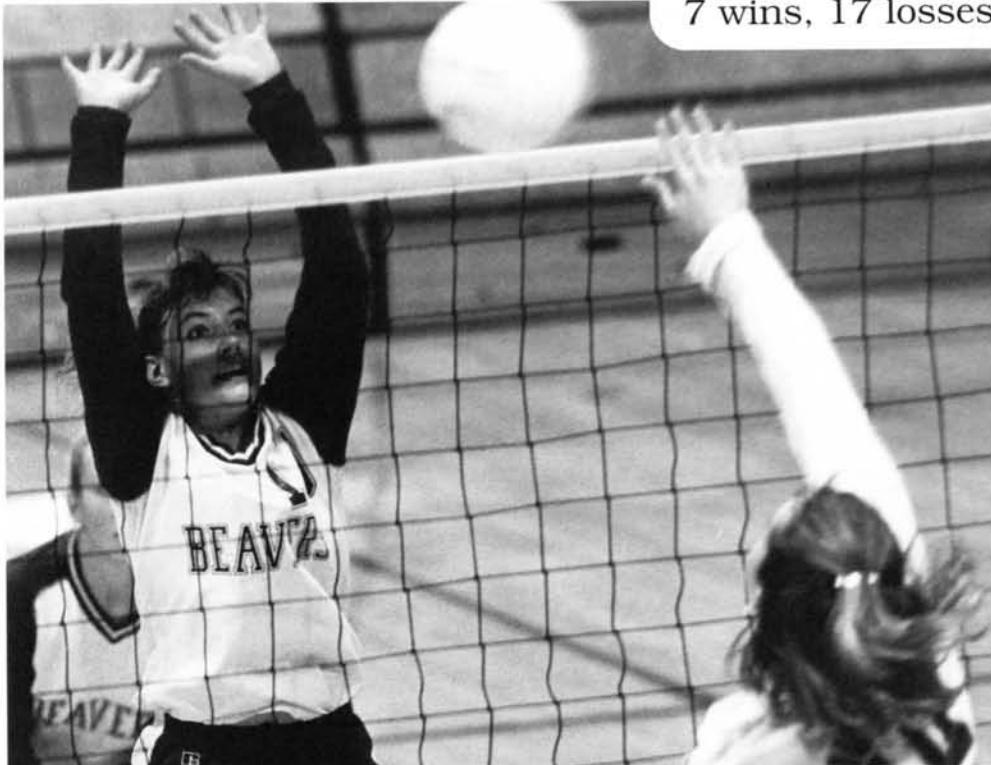
*Cheryl Frame takes to the air for two points.*

# Volleyball

"I was very pleased with a lot of things, considering our youth. We were somewhat of a young, yet experienced team. We were a good tournament team. I guess we've peaked at the right time over the last couple of years."

Terry Voiles  
Head Volleyball Coach

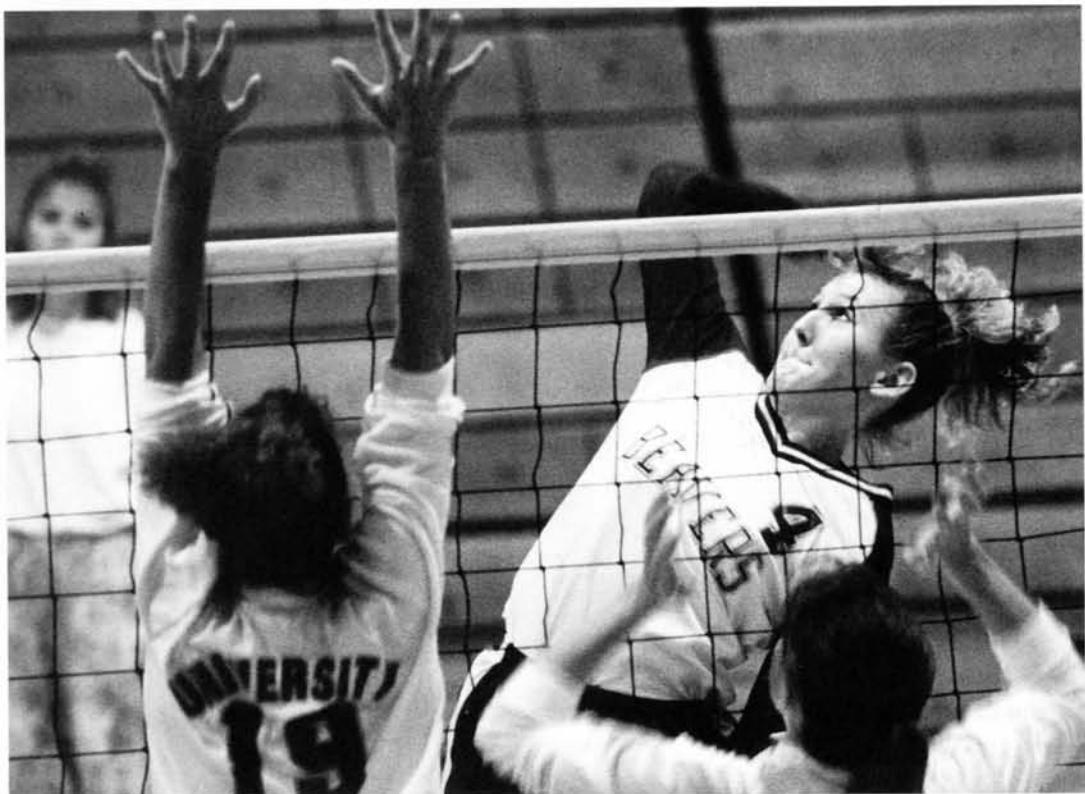
7 wins, 17 losses



Heather Skari prepares to defend Minot State's net in women's volleyball action.

Sharon Beecroft  
Jenny Brown  
Nancy Gehring  
Sharlo Johnson  
Janice Kokot  
Niki Nygaard  
Margie Ray  
Kali Rittal  
Heather Skari  
Nikki Sortland  
Lori Volk  
Missy Wagendorf

Terry Voiles, Coach  
Barb Moe, Assistant Coach



Minot State's Jenny Brown winds up for the kill as the defense tries to guard its side.

# Men's Basketball

Shaun Anderson

Cory Axtman

Brian Buhr

Jason Filler

Darren Groninger

Jamey Jessen

Garth Limke

Monty Lund

Dave Nelson

Brad Nissley

Scott Olson

Wayne Poitra

Dave Richter

Rich Snyder

Jock Stevick

Warren Strand

Shane Walker

Mike Zimmer

Dick Limke, Head Coach

Craig Irwin, Assistant Coach

Brent Buhr, Student Coach

"I thought we had a very successful season. We were a junior/senior-dominated team that won the conference championship. We had a lot of different styles and personalities to blend together, and that was a challenge."

Dick Limke

Head Men's Basketball Coach

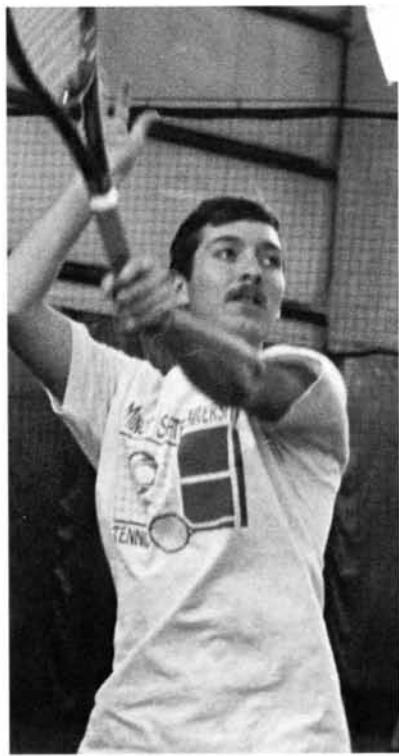
11 wins, 12 losses  
1992 NDCAC Champions



(Clockwise from top) Brad Nissley goes around Northern State. MSU's Dave Richter sets up to defend against Valley City. Nissley gets some air time against Northern State.



# Tennis



Chad Bohl returns one for the MSU men's tennis team.

Chad Bohl  
Corey Ellingson  
Aaron Garman  
Travis Kitch  
Paul Klosterman  
Tom Scheeler  
Dan Suckert

David Gresham, Coach

Kandi Burr  
Tanya Jorstad  
Jenney Keesey  
Jackie Lamprecht  
Crystal Piehl  
Kristin Plessas  
Tina Vanorney  
Gabriela Wiethaeuper

David Gresham, Coach

"We had high hopes at the beginning, and to some extent, you could argue that those hopes were borne out. I really don't know if we would've put money on the idea of taking anybody to nationals, so maybe we exceeded our expectations. It was a wonderful year for us, and it really ought to be a shot in the arm for the whole program."

David Gresham  
Head Tennis Coach



Tina Vanorney (left) and Tanya Jorstad team up.

# Golf

"Most of the young men were pretty good golfers, so it was just a matter of playing a lot of golf. This group was very competitive. As conference champions, we had an extremely successful year."

Dick Limke  
Head Golf Coach

1992 NDCAC Champions

John Kalmbach  
Todd Kraft  
Gary Larson  
Mike LeBeau  
Steve Lind  
Brady Ness  
Mike Zimmer

Dick Limke, Coach



Front row, (from left): Mike LeBeau, Gary Larson, John Kalmbach.  
Back row: Dick Limke, Mike Zimmer, Steve Lind, Todd Kraft.



Feet spread, eye on the ball, good grip. Mike Zimmer keeps all this in mind as he thinks his shot through.

# Track

## Sports

Robert Achs  
Vondell Brandt  
Dave Christopherson  
Trent Dament  
Josh Duhamel  
Glen Hardy  
Joel Hash  
Derek Kirchmeier  
Dave Knutson  
Mike Marlin  
Jerry Obenauer  
Mike Page  
Jay Plant  
Russ Reder  
Jason Reinke  
Brian Rodgers  
Lenny Rodin  
Jason Smith  
Shayne Taylor  
Aaron Zuck

Wiley Wilson, Head Coach  
Dean Bachmeier, Assistant Coach  
Ryck Hale, Assistant Coach

"We came on at the tail end of the indoor season and finished second to Jamestown. Outdoors, we feel like we had a pretty good year. We were minus a lot of upper-classmen on the team. At least 70 percent of our points were scored by freshmen, so we feel like we can be more competitive next year."

Wiley Wilson  
MSU Track Coach

2nd - NDCAC Indoor Meet  
4th - NDCAC Outdoor Meet  
5th - District 12 NAIA Meet

"The indoor season was somewhat frustrating for us. We were short-handed much of the time and couldn't cover a lot of events.

We finished the outdoor season well. We had an outstanding performer in junior Marlo Henke. She recently became an All-American at the national meet. We're very happy anytime we have an All-American; we don't get many here."

Wiley Wilson  
MSU Track Coach

Melinda Cole  
Jessica Entzel  
Dana Feland  
Anne Ferch  
Jody Fox  
Kristin Gorder  
Michelle Henderson  
Marlo Henke  
Loree Madsen  
Nikki Maxwell  
Sarah Olson  
Jolene Rebsom  
Rhonda Semington  
Lori Volk  
Sherrice Langedahl

Wiley Wilson, Coach

3rd - 1992 NDCAC Indoor Meet  
3rd - 1992 NDCAC Outdoor Meet  
8th - 1992 District 12 NAIA Meet

# Cross Country

"I feel like we had a pretty successful season. We finished second in the conference meet, and in the process we had two All-Conference runners, Joel Hash and Scott Louser."

Wiley Wilson  
MSU Cross Country Coach

B.J. Brady  
Dave Christopherson  
Richard Foote  
Joel Hash  
Scott Louser  
Trey McNabb  
Chris Milbrath

Wiley Wilson, Coach

"We were short-handed again. We have a very difficult time recruiting female distance runners, but Loree Madsen finished with All-District honors."

Wiley Wilson  
MSU Cross  
Country Coach

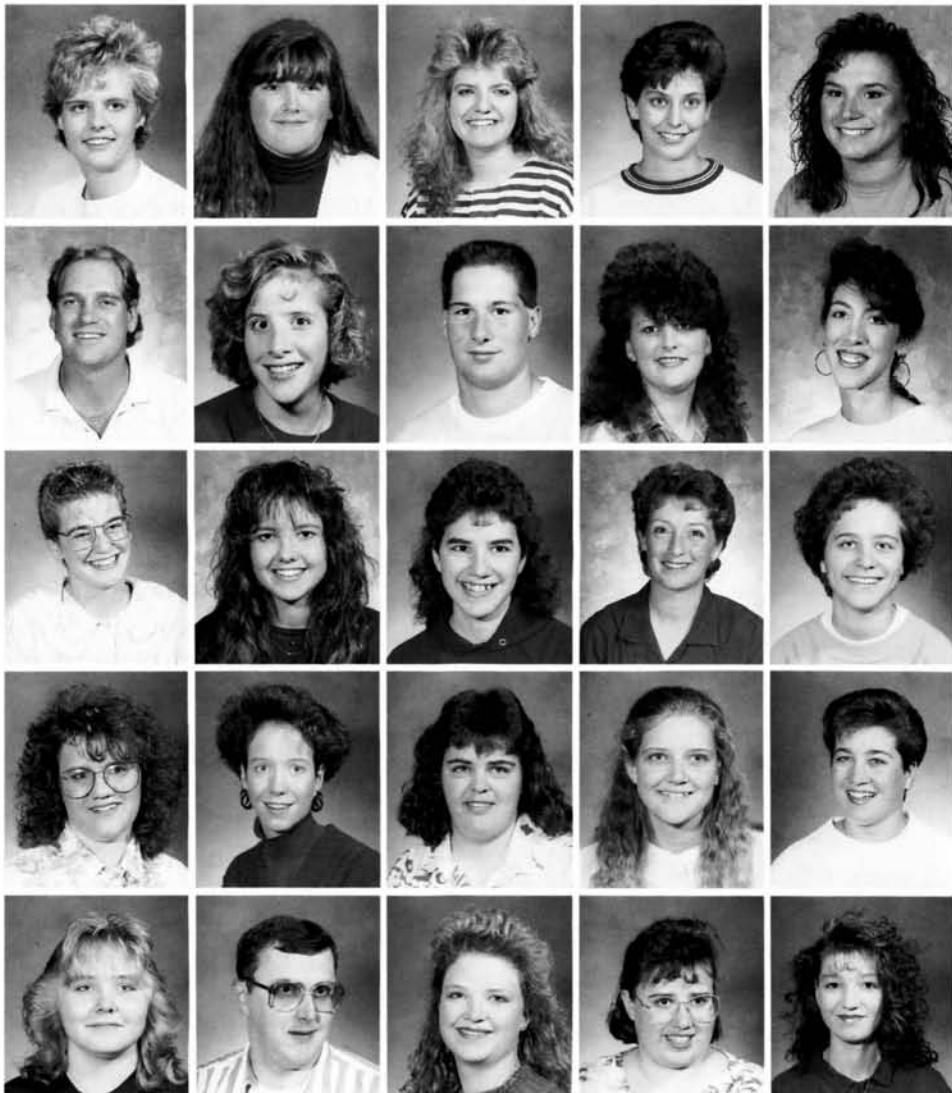
Melinda Cole  
Loree Madsen  
Marcella Murray  
Terri Reierson

Wiley Wilson, Coach

2nd - 1991 NDCAC Meet  
8th - 1991 District 12 NAIA Meet

4th - 1991 NDCAC Meet

Charlebois, Allison, So., Minot, N.D.  
Chatterton, Jennifer, Jr., Newington, Conn.  
Clark, Linda, Jr., Stanley, N.D.  
Cohoe, Sammie, Jr., Boissevain, Manitoba  
Cop, Lynne, So., Reston, Manitoba



Cowley, Kelly, So., Minot, N.D.  
Curtis, Victoria, Jr., Brandon, Manitoba  
Danelson, Jerry, Jr., Scobey, Mont.  
DelaMare, Lynette, So., Dauphin, Manitoba  
Dettlaff, Shannon, Jr., Washburn, N.D.

Didluck, Susan, Fr., Boissevain, Manitoba  
Dobbs, Lori, Fr., Regina, Saskatchewan  
Doll, Anna, So., Mott, N.D.  
Duckworth, Elva, So., Minot, N.D.  
Duke, Patricia, So., Minot, N.D.

Eriksson, Kim, Fr., Ashern, Manitoba  
Ellis, Elizabeth, Fr., Stanley, N.D.  
Enge, Jana, Fr., Stanley, N.D.  
Erdahl, Sheila, Jr., Minot, N.D.  
Evans, Kelli, So., Regina, Saskatchewan

Evenson, Sarah, Fr., Rugby, N.D.  
Everhart, Jeff, Jr., Minot, N.D.  
Fair, Janet, So., North Portal, Saskatchewan  
Farrant, Dawn, Jr., Brandon, Manitoba  
Fenske, Shannon, Fr., Yorkton, Saskatchewan



Linda Hyatt, Red & Green editor, takes time out for lunch in the Student Publications office.

## SNDEA

The Student North Dakota Education Association (SNDEA) is a club for education majors.

Scholarships are available at the state and local levels, and members receive newsletters periodically throughout the year.

Guest speakers help to make the monthly meetings informative and interesting. Pat Swanson served as faculty adviser to SNDEA.

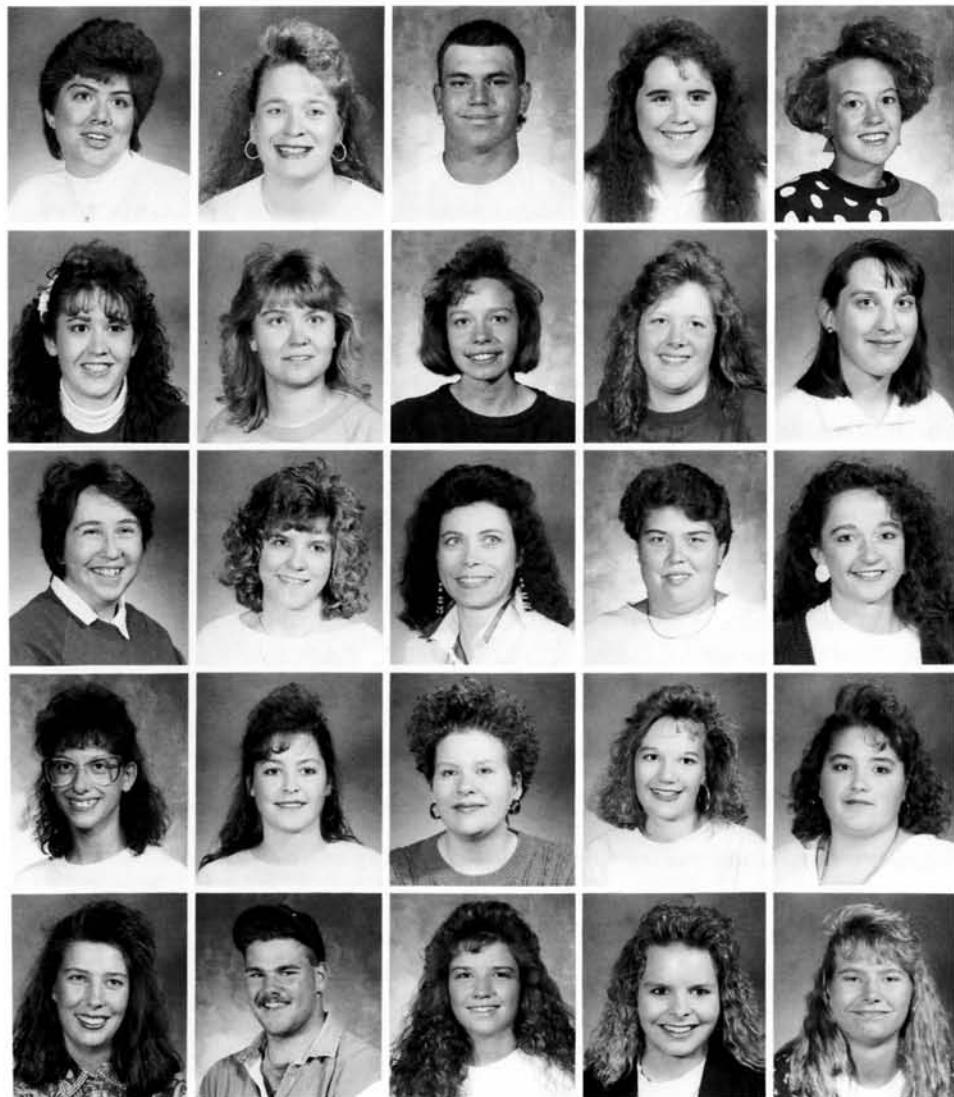
Membership in the club protects student teachers with a \$1 million liability insurance policy.

Kristi Lawson

# Undergraduates



*Ken Shultz, The Flying Fool, entertained students during Spring Breakout.*



Foss, Sherri, Fr., Maddock, N.D.  
Fries, Donelle, So., Mott, N.D.  
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Gale, Tracy, So., Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan  
Gandrud, Tonya, Jr., Minot, N.D.

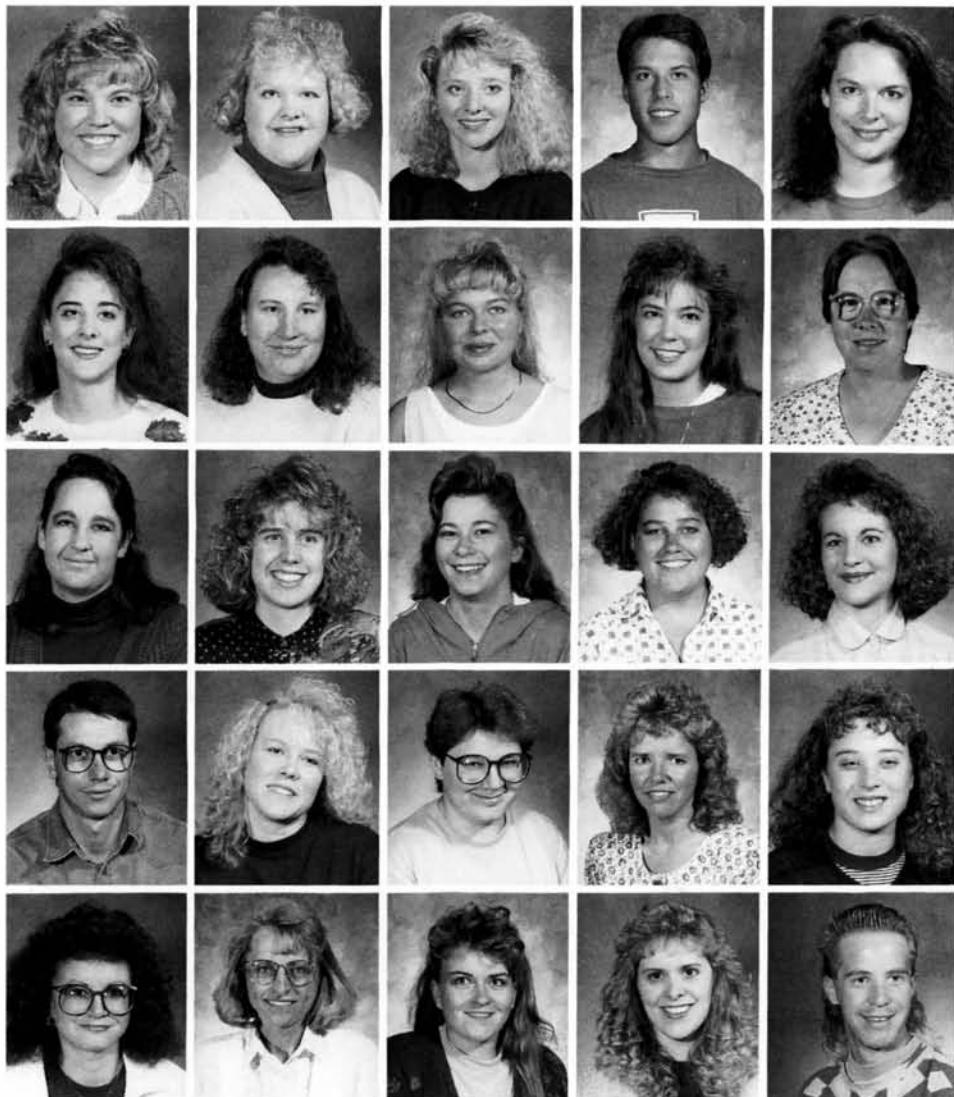
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Goohsen, Alice, Jr., Gull Lake, Saskatchewan  
Gray, Doreen, Fr., Brownlee, Saskatchewan  
Gregory, Karla, Jr., Lewistown, Mont.  
Gress, Sheri, Jr., Yorkton, Saskatchewan

Griffin, Johnda, Jr., Minot, N.D.  
Grimes, Stacey, Jr., Lampmen, Saskatchewan  
Haase, Sandra, So., Minot, N.D.  
Hargiss, Lisa, Fr., Bismarck, N.D.  
Henke, Marlo, Jr., Hannover, N.D.

Hill, Donna, Fr., Minot, N.D.  
Holowenko, Shelly, Jr., Virden, Manitoba  
Holstein, Janelle, Jr., Yorkton, Saskatchewan  
Horob, Rhonda, So., Bainville, Mont.  
Hoskins, Stacy, Jr., Rabbit Lake,  
Saskatchewan

Houmann, Heide, Jr., Westhope, N.D.  
Hunt, Trent, Fr., North Battleford,  
Saskatchewan  
Ingalls, Tammy, Fr., Moose Jaw,  
Saskatchewan  
Johnson, Kim, Fr., Prince Albert,  
Saskatchewan  
Johnson, Koni, Jr., Rolette, N.D.

Johnson, Wendy, So., Finley, N.D.  
Jorgensen, Nancy, Jr., Williston, N.D.  
Kerr, Pamela, Fr., Weyburn, Saskatchewan  
Kitch, Travis, So., Swan River, Manitoba  
Knight, Jackie, So., Regina, Saskatchewan



Kreiser, Glenna, So., Bengough, Saskatchewan  
Kreklewich, Jennifer, Fr., Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan  
Kutnikoff, Cassandra, Jr., Prince Albert, Saskatchewan  
Langelier, Veronica, So., Francis, Saskatchewan  
Lapre, Kathy, Jr., St. Paul, Minn.

Law, Margo, Jr., Wanamingo, N.D.  
Lee, Rhonda, Jr., Minot, N.D.  
Leingang, Angela, Jr., Mandan, N.D.  
Lembke, Moni, So., Bismarck, N.D.  
Lenhardt, Penny, Jr., New England, N.D.

Lindley, Robby, So., New Town, N.D.  
Lochhead, Wendy, So., Brandon, Manitoba  
Lovely, Rae, Jr., Regina, Saskatchewan  
Luck, Rebecca, U.G. Special, Minot, N.D.  
Makuch, Renee, So., Regina, Saskatchewan

Marcellais, Melissa, Jr., Belcourt, N.D.  
Marmon, Reness, U.G. Special, Williston, N.D.  
McDonald, Sarah, Fr., Wapella, Saskatchewan  
McGregor, Leigh, Fr., Regina, Saskatchewan  
McNabb, Trey, Jr., San Antonio, Texas

## Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship

Inter-Varsity is a place where students can find significance. Inter-Varsity is an organization for the students, of the students, and by the students. Its mission is to bring "good news" to the campus. Inter-Varsity is a place where students can find fun, friends and fellowship - fellowship with God as well as one another. Inter-Varsity has a three-fold purpose: to build a fellowship, to engage the campus with the Gospel of Jesus Christ and to help students develop their relationship with God.

Mardel Niewoehner, campus staff worker, said, "Inter-Varsity provides opportunities for students to establish friendships, develop leadership and experience good times. More than that, it provides opportunities to know the person of Jesus Christ, to experience meaning and significance in life and to have hope for the future."

The national organization is 51 years old, and a chapter has been active at Minot State for 36 years.

Students come together weekly for small group meetings. Training, conferences and retreats are scheduled quarterly.

Inter-Varsity's large group meetings are at 7 p.m. every Thursday night in the Student Union in the third floor lounge.

The organization's goals include providing speakers who address relevant issues, having fun and preparing students for life after college.

Brenda Mattison

# Undergraduates

## Addiction Studies Club



Row 1: Joell Linn, Meredythe Lester, Sandra Vandall, Gennea Seibel, Rita Curl, Adviser, Carmen Strouse, Caroline Armitage, Tamara Sheppard. Row 2: Beth Anhorn, Guy Cannell.

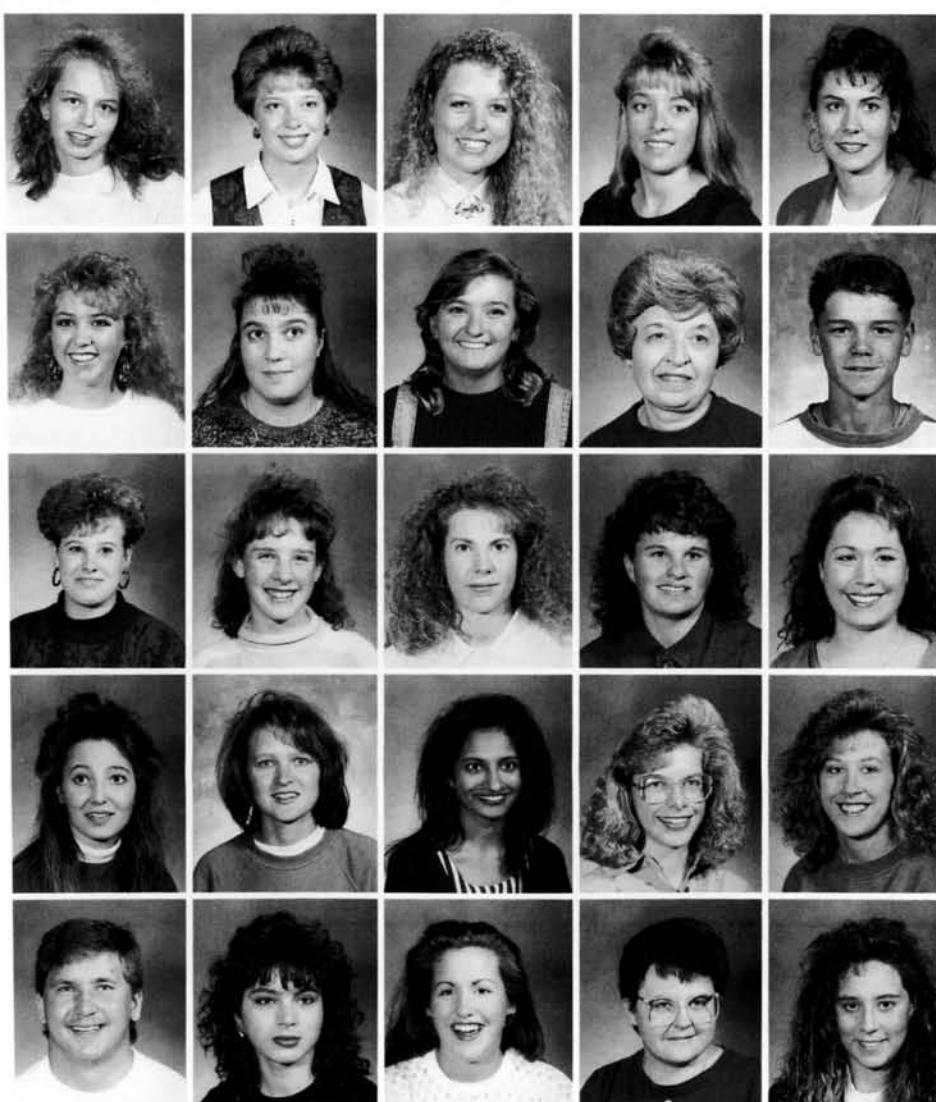
The Addiction Studies Club drew up its charter in the fall of 1990. The club's focus is to get involved in issues concerning the treatment of chemical dependency.

Community involvement is an important feature of the club. Helping to promote the "Just Say No" program in the public schools is one way club members have of making a positive impact. They also keep themselves busy with fund-raising activities, using the proceeds to help area programs in need.

Club members have encouraged the faculty to develop practicum sites in the addiction servicing program. Guest speakers play an integral role in club functions.

The biweekly meetings are open to anyone interested in addiction studies. Rita Curl is the club's adviser.

*Kristi Lawson*



McPeek, Nicole, Fr., Coronach, Saskatchewan  
Melland, Annette, So., Hazen, N.D.  
Meyer, Michelle, So., Medicine Hat, Alberta  
Mikkelsen, Michelle, Jr., Garrison, N.D.  
Miller, Tricia, Jr., Whitewood, Saskatchewan

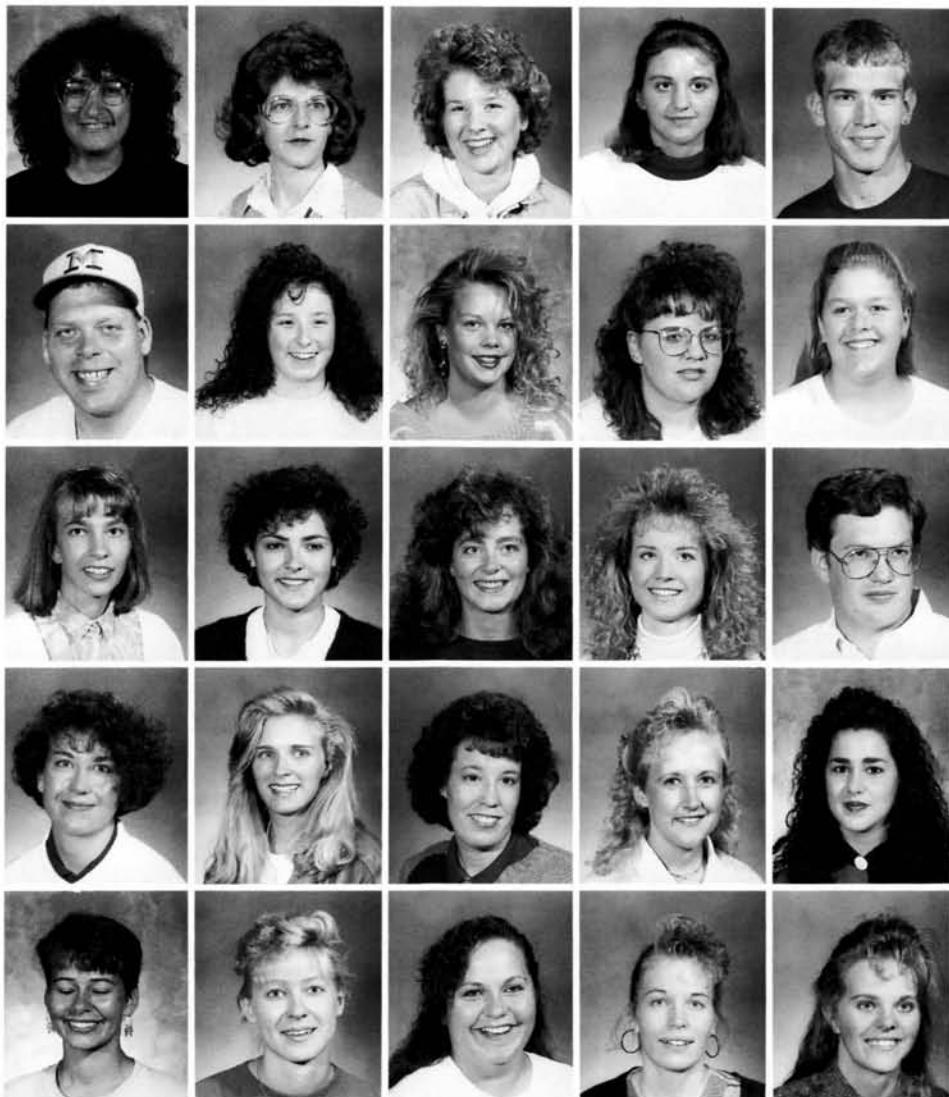
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Mountenay, Jennifer, So., Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan  
Murray, Kathy, So., Young, Saskatchewan  
Nelson, Myrna, Jr., Minot, N.D.  
Ness, Brady, Fr., Center, N.D.

Nielsen, Darla, Fr., Bowbells, N.D.  
Niemcow, Cherie, So., Regina, Saskatchewan  
Novlesky, Jennifer, Jr., Minot, N.D.  
Nygaard, Nicole, Fr., Des Lacs, N.D.  
Olsen, Andrea, Jr., Olds, Alberta

Oswald, Lorna, Jr., Regina, Saskatchewan  
Ouellette, Catherine, Jr., Rolla, N.D.  
Ozla, Kulvinder, So., Brandon, Manitoba  
Peters, Kim, Fr., Fort Qu'Appelle, Saskatchewan  
Peterson, Kari, Fr., Ryder, N.D.

Picard, Mike, Jr., Froid, Mont.  
Pickering, Tricia, Fr., Balgonie, Saskatchewan  
Pollock, Tara-Lee, Jr., Yorkton, Saskatchewan  
Pretula, Terri, Fr., Canora, Saskatchewan  
Prpick, Tracy, So., Davidson, Saskatchewan

Putney, Valrie, Jr., Minot, N.D.  
Radke, Jeanne, So., Minot, N.D.  
Rebeyka, Maureen, So., Mayfair,  
Saskatchewan  
Rodahl, Heidi, Fr., Williston, N.D.  
Rodgers, Brian, So., Sawyer, N.D.



Rodriguez, Steve, Jr., Great Falls, Mont.  
Roll, Jennifer, Fr., Canora, Saskatchewan  
Roppel, Tawnya, Fr., Langdon, N.D.  
Rowein, LeAnne, Jr., Stockholm,  
Saskatchewan  
Rumball, Kim, Fr., Weyburn, Saskatchewan

Schafer, Beverly, So., Swift Current,  
Saskatchewan  
Schiazza, Cindy, Jr., Regina, Saskatchewan  
Scott, Jodi, Jr., Minnedosa, Manitoba  
Semmen, Nancy, Fr., Douglas, N.D.  
Shafer, Tyler, Fr., Roseglen, N.D.

Shirley, Geraldine, Jr., Climax, Saskatchewan  
Sigloh, Beth Ann, Jr., Kenmare, N.D.  
Silbernagel, Tammy, Jr., Bismarck, N.D.  
Skipper, Patty, Jr., Stony Beach,  
Saskatchewan  
Slinn, Tara, So., Regina, Saskatchewan

Smart, Krista, So., Brandon, Manitoba  
Sniezek, Rhonda, Fr., Melfort, Saskatchewan  
Starchuk, Joanne, Jr., Prince Albert,  
Saskatchewan  
Stelter, Kimberly, Fr., Hettinger, N.D.  
Stevens, Wanda, So., Burlington, N.D.

Kappa Delta Pi, an International Honor Society in Education, was founded March 8, 1911 at the University of Illinois.

Zeta Xi, the Minot chapter of Kappa Delta Pi, was founded Nov. 20, 1948, by Agnes Ladendorf.

New members are chosen and initiated each fall and spring. Members include those who pursue excellence in academic achievement and aspire to be outstanding future educators. Group activities include a mid-winter banquet and speakers on educational issues.

During the 1991-92 mid-winter banquet, three Excellence in Education Awards were presented to Agnes Ladendorf, Gordon B. Olson, retiring president of Minot State University, and the Minot Public School System.

The adviser to Zeta Xi was Harold Stolt. Club officers were Sherry Kruckenberg, president; Nancy Walker, vice president; LoAnn Martinson, secretary; Dawn Gerjets, treasurer; Linda Hyatt, historian/reporter; Lenny Rodin, vice president for membership; and Debbie Southward, vice president for programs.

Traci Deck

## Kappa Delta Pi



Members of Kappa Delta Pi enjoy an evening out at this year's award banquet honoring MSU President Gordon Olson and Agnes Ladendorf.

# Undergraduates

## Council for Exceptional Children



It's not just bake sales and meetings for the members of the Council for Exceptional Children, shown here at this year's Homecoming parade.

Minot State University's Council for Exceptional Children has three primary goals: developing students' professional skills, teaching students more about their chosen field, and promoting quality special education services.

The club sponsored a conference for special education teachers and assisted in the Special Olympics, which took place in the Dome. It also provided Respite Care, a babysitting service. Respite Care's purpose was to give parents a break without having to worry about the quality of their child's care.

The president of Minot State's CEC was Amy Falk. The group's adviser was Brent Askvig, who was also the state representative of CEC.

Bernie Turgeon



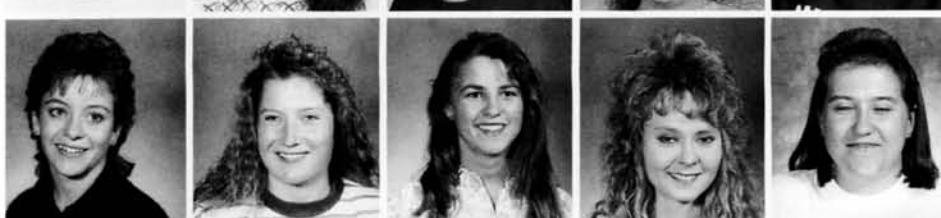
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Stuart, Louise, Fr., Thompson, Manitoba



Sturtz, Corby, Fr., Yorkton, N.D.  
Sukarukoff, Donna, Jr., Regina, Saskatchewan  
Sundbakken, Jason, Fr., Minot, N.D.  
Sykes, Lisa, Fr., Regina, Saskatchewan  
Taylor, Linda, Fr., Saskatoon, Saskatchewan



Taylor, Shannon, Jr., Regina, Saskatchewan  
Terry, Sandra, Jr., Melfort, Saskatchewan  
Theriault, Sheryl, Fr., Regina, Saskatchewan  
Thomas, Marlis, So., Weyburn, Saskatchewan  
Tofteland, Lisa, Jr., Bottineau, N.D.



Tremblay, Charlene, So., Canora, Saskatchewan  
Turnquist, Renae, So., Watford City, N.D.  
Usick, Maureen, Fr., Erickson, Manitoba  
Vandall, Shelly, Jr., Minot, N.D.  
Waggoner, Debra, Fr., Fargo, N.D.



Wahl, Dana, Jr., Minot, N.D.  
Wahus, Holly, Jr., Lignite, N.D.  
Wakely, Jill, So., Virden, Manitoba  
Ward, Loren, Jr., Bothell, Wash.  
Watterud, Karla, Jr., Stanley, N.D.

Webster, Annetta, Jr., Minot, N.D.  
Wheaton, Kristin, So., Brandon, Manitoba  
White, Nancy, Fr., Goodwater, Saskatchewan  
Wieler, Patricia, So., Saskatoon,  
Saskatchewan  
Williams, Jennifer, So., Yorkton,  
Saskatchewan

Winzenburg, Julie, Fr., Bowbells, N.D.  
Wood, Shari, So., Estevan, Saskatchewan  
Zemlak, Marnie, Jr., Meadow Lake,  
Saskatchewan



## MSCOPE



The Minot State Club of Physical Educators, better known as MSCOPE, is a club for physical education majors and minors. MSCOPE president Eric Hendrickson focused on developing leadership qualities among club members through hands-on field experiences.

Some of the activities involving MSCOPE included local basketball tournaments, road races, fitness testing and Special Olympics. A Fitness Fun Program also gave area youths a chance to learn about fitness and become involved in new activities.

Club members took every opportunity to learn more about the field of physical education and its related disciplines.

Advisers to MSCOPE were Nancy Christensen and Dave Rochholz. Elected officers for the club were Eric Hendrickson, president; Keith Leintz, vice president; Jodi Landsiedel, secretary; Sherry Hanson, treasurer; and Jon Krantz, Student Association representative.

*Rhonda Mosser*

*MSCOPE sponsors many activities both on and off campus, but the Special Olympics is probably the best known.*

# Faculty



## Department of Communication Disorders

Bradley, Dr. Scott  
Dean, Marla  
Froelich, Thomas  
Haug, Holly  
Kane, Jane

Krumm, Dr. Mark  
Lunday, Dr. Audrey  
Maupin, Dianne  
Torgerson, Elaine  
Torgerson, Dr. John

## Department of Education and Psychology

Brandt, Dr. James  
Burke, Dr. Donald  
Cagnolatti-Ghavan, Carolyn  
Curl, Dr. Rita  
LaMar, Dr. Helen  
  
Larson-Schan, Elaine  
Progar, Dr. Patrick  
Stolt, Dr. Harold  
Swanson, Patricia  
Wax, Dr. Joseph

## Department of Physical Education

Bachmeier, Dean  
Christensen, Nancy  
Hale, Ryck  
Hendrickson, David  
Leidholt, Bert

Limke, Richard  
Rochholz, David  
Treider, Larry  
Voiles, Terry  
Wilson, Hermelle

Wilson, Wiley

## Department of Special Education

Askvig, Dr. Brent

Ferrara, Dr. Joseph

Johnson, David

Miller, Faye

Miller, LeeAnn

Rousey, Dr. AnnMaria

Singh, Dr. Delar

Vassiliou, Dr. Demetrios

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## Department of Education and Psychology

Brooks, Dr. Fred  
Person, Dr. Mary

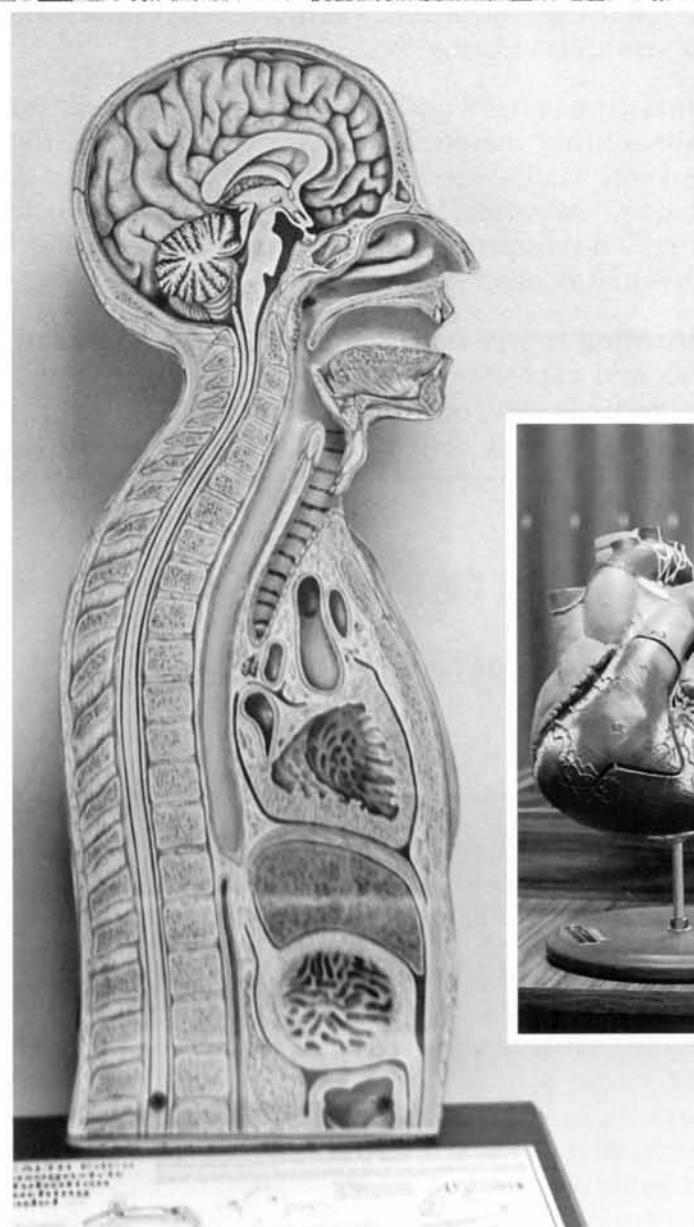
## Department of Special Education

Aspengren-Flynn, Gwen  
Lee, Katherine

# *College of Nursing*

**Her ways are ways of pleasantness,  
and all her paths are peace.**

**—Proverbs**



# Beyond the paper chase

Val Fabricius brings theory and experience together in the College of Nursing.

Sometimes in life, timing is everything. Being "in the right place at the right time" is how Val Fabricius described her appointment as dean of the College of Nursing in 1984.

The fact that she was the most qualified person didn't hurt either.

Fabricius arrived at Minot State in 1980 with a degree in nursing, coupled with a doctorate in higher education administration. Change in the nursing program has been the one constant during her tenure. "The nursing area has moved from being a division to a school to a college," she said, noting that the growth is a response to the ever-increasing need for nurses nationwide. She is clearly where the action is.

"In the last two years, we've had a tremendous kind of an increase," she explained. "This last year, I've had a 27 percent increase in nursing majors."

That may help explain the mountain of paperwork on the desk in her Hartnett Hall office.

There is a quiet, refined elegance about Fabricius, and she measured her words carefully as she described a day in the life of the dean of the College of Nursing.

"There is a tremendous amount of paperwork," she said. "We deal with many things that some of the other colleges do not deal with — a variety of constituencies where we have to have some legal agreements, contracts with agencies. We are dealing with two accrediting bodies, and we're also dealing with licensure requirements for our students."

Her job also extends beyond the arcane intricacies of the paper chase. "I try to provide leadership to the College of Nursing," Fabricius said, "(by) being responsive to the trends in nursing and providing information to



Dr. Val Fabricius

the faculty and providing them with the opportunity to discuss that information."

The nature of her work also requires a certain attention to detail that manifested itself during a quick tour of Hartnett Hall's second floor nurses' training area. "Excuse me while I straighten this," said Fabricius, fixing what appeared to be a well-made hospital bed. "This just doesn't look right."

Returning to her office, Fabricius settled behind her desk and expounded on her role as dean. "I think the real issue is, am I accessible," she said. "Now that may not mean walking in my open door. Some of the things

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***"I try to provide leadership to the College of Nursing."***

**—Dr. Val Fabricius**

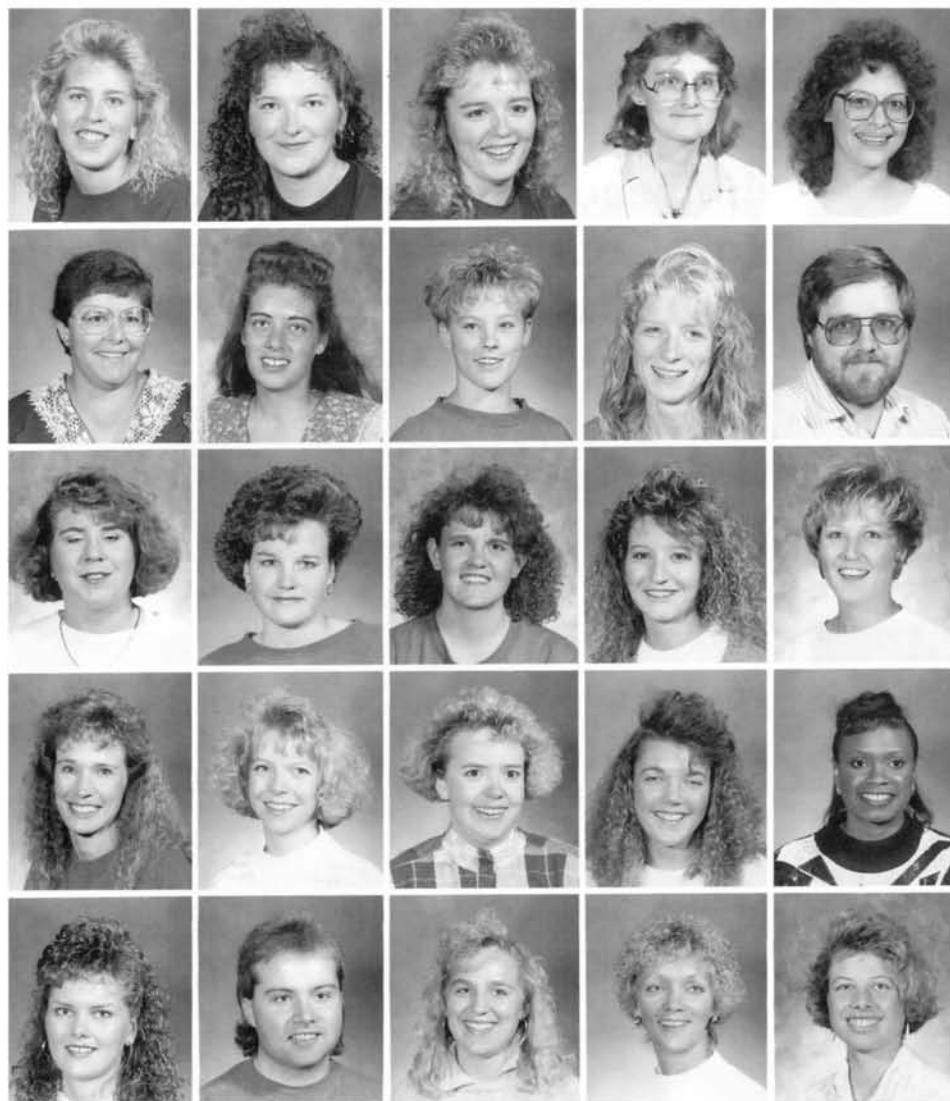
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I do actually require me to spend some time in thinking. But I do see myself as being accessible to people, willing to listen to problems and making attempts to solve them."

Fabricius spoke with a quiet determination when asked about the future of the nursing program at Minot State. "My vision for the College of Nursing is to have a curriculum and clinical experiences, with qualified faculty that will maintain the National League of Nursing accreditation," she said. "We would like to provide more continuing education to health care agencies and people in northwestern North Dakota."

Thom Mellum

## Undergraduates



Abrey, Carla, So., Imperial, Saskatchewan  
Andrusiak, Vanessa, Fr., Yorkton, Saskatchewan  
Anfinson, Deanna, Jr., Sawyer, N.D.  
Atwood, Latricia, So., Westhope, N.D.  
Bailey, Sherry, So., Douglas, N.D.

Condon, Judi, So., Torrance, Calif.  
Curtis, Tara, Fr., Williston, N.D.  
Entzel, Jessica, Fr., Sidney, Mont.  
Eutsey, Deborah, Jr., Connellsburg, Pa.  
Flagg, Edward, So., Hobart, Ind.

Gellner, Karie, Fr., Langdon, N.D.  
Gilliland, Corrie, Fr., Gainsborough, Saskatchewan  
Graff, Shelly, So., Donnybrook, N.D.  
Grasl, Jane, Jr., Dickinson, N.D.  
Grigsby, Sharlene, Fr., Bowbells, N.D.

Groninger, Connie, So., Minot, N.D.  
Hanson, Marla, Jr., Minot, N.D.  
Huether, Sonja, Jr., Hettinger, N.D.  
Irwin, Nichole, So., Seattle, Wash.  
Jones, Victoria, So., Indianapolis, Ind.

Klassen, Kristi, So., Westhope, N.D.  
Koivula, Mark, Fr., Prince Albert, Saskatchewan  
Lee, Heather, Fr., Minot, N.D.  
Marquardt, Merrie, Fr., Minot, N.D.  
Miller, Jennifer, Fr., Minot, N.D.

## Student Nurses Association of North Dakota



Minot State University's chapter of the Student Nurses Association of North Dakota increased its membership to 17 active members in 1991-92.

Advised by Mary Smith, the organization provides nursing students a leadership development and a chance to network with other nurses throughout the country.

The group held meetings to discuss ways to further their support of nursing students, in addition to planning activities such as an annual blood drive.

Membership has many rewards. According to Smith, access to professional publications, financial assistance and opportunities to evolve, help nursing students to plan successful careers.

*Kari Erickson*

OUCH! Better hope you're on their good side. Jennie Loftis, Nicole Irwin and Kathy Schaefer (from the left), learn the finer points of nursing.



**Many a thing is happening on the second floor of Hartnett Hall West, from giving shots to preparing for surgery.**





**Nowhere on campus do students get more hands-on training than in the College of Nursing's second-floor ward.**



# The Spirit of Nursing

Beverly Thornberg, a senior majoring in nursing, has been chosen to receive the "spirit of nursing award" awarded by the Army.

In the fall quarter of 1991, Beverly was nominated by the nursing faculty because of her academic excellence, community involvement, professionalism and leadership qualities. If chosen, she will be one of more than 240 students who are pursuing nursing careers throughout the nation that have been nominated.

Beverly learned about the award through school and "Imprint" magazine, which is published by the National Student Nurse's Association.

Beverly strived and accomplished a goal she has set for herself. She received a commission in the US Air Force in May. She will attend a six-month training course at Scott Air Force Base, Ill. after which she will be assigned to Whiteman Air Force Base, Mo.

Beverly's long-term goal is to receive a Ph.D. in nursing.

*Kristie Baker*

Mock, Kerry, Fr., Harvey, N.D.  
Moss, Debra, Fr., Wolseley, Saskatchewan  
Myers, Melissa, Fr., Carpio, N.D.  
Orsburn, Terri, Fr., Warner Robins, Ga.  
Peterson, Marjorie, Fr., Minot, N.D.

Porter, Tiffany, Jr., Bismarck, N.D.  
Puckett, Brandi, Fr., Mo Reno Valley, Calif.  
Rieder, Melissa, Jr., Williston, N.D.  
Riels, Carol, Fr., Minot, N.D.  
Rindahl, Wanda, Jr., Culbertson, Mont.

Schaefer, Kathy, So., Minot, N.D.  
Sinclair, Brenda, So., Glenburn, N.D.  
Smith, Kristen, Fr., Minot, N.D.  
Sundahl, Heidi, So., Minot, N.D.  
Taylor, Shayne, Fr., Glasgow, Mont.

Thompson, Delane, Fr., Minot, N.D.  
Thrasher, Linda, So., Minot, N.D.  
Vandal, Kathy, So., Minot, N.D.  
VanWinkle, Jenny, Fr., Minot, N.D.  
Veroba, Jody, So., Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan



# Faculty



Carlson, Pam  
Farhart, Bonnie  
Haider, Linda  
Halvorson, Betty  
Hoffart, Marita



McMillan, Shirley  
Mohler, Marie  
Pettersen, Linda  
Schaefer, Linda  
Smith, Mary



Swanson, Judith

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Reekie, Dr. Elagrace

## Student Health Center

Got a cold? Need an allergy injection? Want a referral to a family planning clinic? Need a pregnancy test? Room 146 in the west wing of Hartnett Hall is where Minot State students can find help for a wide variety of health problems.

Ellen Tracy, the university nurse, has worked in Student Health Services for 16 years. She said many students receive health assistance on a walk-in basis.

"It's better to have an appointment to see a doctor," Tracy said. "They are only here six hours a week, so students will need to call for an appointment. Otherwise, they can just walk in."

Free over-the-counter medications such as throat lozenges, aspirin, and ace bandages are provided. "We also treat student injuries," Tracy said.

Services provided by the Student Health Center include treatment for acute injuries or accidents, bladder infections, blood pressure checks, mononucleosis tests, problems with a physical handicap and tests for sexually transmitted diseases.

"Another service provided by Student Health is the wide variety of educational pamphlets and brochures on just about every conceivable health occurrence," Tracy said. "We get a lot of students who stop in to pick up information for a project or report."



School nurse Ellen Tracy tends to the office work in between seeing students at the Student Health Center located on the first floor of Hartnett Hall.

If a student requires more health care than the service can provide, the clinic will make an appointment with a doctor. The Student Health Center will pay a maximum of \$20 per quarter toward the cost of an office visit.

Free hemoglobin, urinalysis, and blood sugar tests are also provided, and a maximum of \$20 each quarter is also paid per student for X-rays.

Tracy said that students have changed their attitudes about health needs in the 16 years

she's worked at the clinic, especially when dealing with sexually transmitted diseases. "They're much more open about their sexual activity and their concern about possible health threats," she said.

What keeps a nurse at the same university health job for 16 years? "It's the kids," Tracy said. "They've always been nice to work with. It feels good to be able to help them in some small way."

Jo Ann Miller

# ***Graduate School & Continuing Education***

**The greatest thing in the world is to  
know how to be one's own.**

**—Montaigne**



# A man for all seasons

James Croonquist taps into a wealth of campus experience to help further the learning process.

"There's a joke going around here that I'm the best actor on campus," laughed James Croonquist, dean of Minot State University's Graduate School and Continuing Education.

He was recalling his past stints as acting chairman of the Division of Music and acting dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, positions that presented him with a leadership challenge and tested his mettle at the top of the paper chase. "That's why I like Minot State so much," he said intently. "I've been given opportunities here and the latitude to develop my administrative skills. Boy, you don't know how important that is."

And Croonquist has made the most of all the opportunities that have come his way since his arrival as a music teacher 19 years ago. He has flourished in a variety of roles on campus, from teacher to adviser to recruiter to administrator. He has been, in effect, a man for all seasons, gaining insight into MSU with every step along his vibrant, diverse career path.

"I've seen the campus in different perspectives," Croonquist said. "I've been a teacher, a chair, a program director and dean of a college. So I think I have a good understanding of what goes on at each of those levels."

Sitting in his bustling office on the second floor of the Administration building, the good-natured, effusive dean talked about a philosophy toward education culled from the wide range of his experiences at Minot State.

"I look at education as a facilitation of students," Croonquist explained. "Everything we do in education has a purpose in helping an individual. We try to enable people to get from step one to step two to step three, and everybody's a little bit different. It's important to have the flexibility of mind to sit down and listen."

The flexible factor is a hallmark of the Graduate School



Dr. James Croonquist

and Continuing Education, where Croonquist must be many things to many people. His office generates an incredible amount of information dealing with all facets of university activities, from correspondence and home video courses to computer seminars and summer basketball camps. All of which seems perfectly suited for man who wrote a graduate dissertation entitled, "Understanding The Learning Process."

Croonquist explained, "In Continuing Ed, we try to put together flexible coursework for students so that they can take classes when it's best for them. We have married students, a lot of students with families, and we have a lot of military students. We have to try to

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***"It's important to have the flexibility of mind to sit down and listen."***

— Dr. James Croonquist

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figure out how to accommodate them."

A natural problem solver and organizer—"I figure out how to make things work; it's a real good strength I have"— Croonquist enjoys the challenge of matching resources with students' needs. It's all part of being an enabler, a facilitator.

"If the attitude across the campus, particularly at the dean level, is one of trying to make things better, in a lot of little ways," he explained, "then the process works a little better."

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Graduate School

# Department Heads

## Special Ed.

Minot State University's Department of Special Education graduates approximately 35 teachers a year at the bachelor and master's degree levels.

Stephen Ragan, chairman of the department since 1988, plans to continue supporting and providing research to the North Dakota Center for Disabilities.

With the conversion to semesters, he also hopes to bring in some new programs and possibly a new degree program. "Expanding the influence (of the programs we currently have) is an important part to becoming more of a service to our community," Ragan said.

*Kari Erickson*

## Elementary Ed.

When Bruce Burnes came to Minot State University in 1986, there was only a handful of students in the elementary education graduate program. By 1992, there were over 40 students enrolled in the program.

Burnes said, "The little trickle has gotten bigger. People are starting to realize that there is a graduate program at MSU for elementary education."

His main goal is to insure that the graduate program continues to grow.

Burnes also feels that the program is more practical than it was a couple of years ago. "What we do will meet the needs of the teachers," he said.

*Allison Montgomery*

## Mathematics

Minot State mathematics professor Robert Holmen oversees the master's program in mathematics and envisions a larger role for the program.

"Our goal is to expand our student body to include a broader geographical region," said Holmen. "I think the presence of the new library will enhance the quality of the program. The access to research information will be easy."

Another important goal of the mathematics graduate program is to improve the funding base so more financial aid is available.

MSU's program originated in 1986 and is designed for secondary math teachers. Classes are held on campus, usually during the summer. Students with an undergraduate degree in mathematics can apply for admittance to the program by completing the general application to graduate school. The program consists of course work and a writing requirement.

*Kristi Lawson*

## Communication Disorders

David K. Williams is the chairman of the audiology and speech-language master's program. Williams describes the program in terms of a "two-pronged emphasis."

One emphasis is on academic training, and the second focuses on service. "Our program has excellence because of the outstanding academic learning that students get from professors who are well prepared," Williams said.

One strength of the program is what Williams calls an "interdisciplinary philosophy." This requires students to be involved in activities with other graduate students, other departments and professionals off campus. This provides for all kinds of team environments.

"Their main emphasis is clinical training, academics and services," Williams said. The program has a tremendous staff and exceptionally high-quality students, according to Williams. "When you begin with excellence, you only go up," he said.

*Bernie Turgeon*

## Criminal Justice

Minot State University's Department of Social Work and Criminal Justice started a criminal justice master's program in 1991-92. The program, under the direction of Reed Adams, was designed to serve the community and is evolving toward a pragmatic orientation.

According to Adams, the long-range goal of the master's program is to provide good service to the criminal justice community. He also hopes to build a symbiotic relationship so that the criminal justice community and the university community can work together.

Adams would like to see more faculty with doctorates in the master's program as it continues to grow.

*Curt Kittelson*



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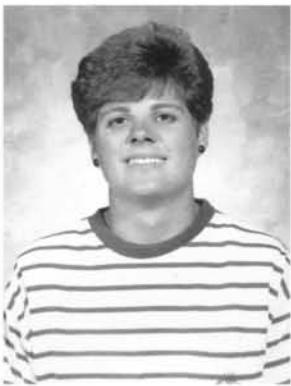
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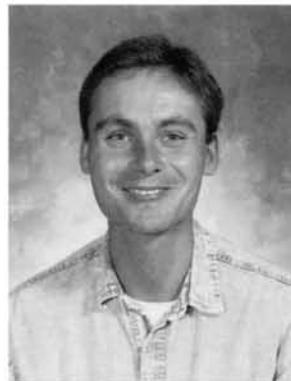
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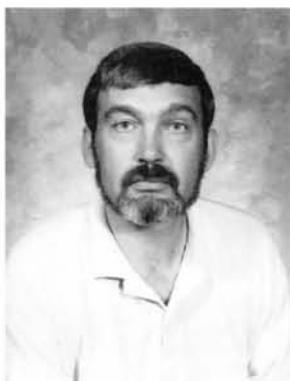
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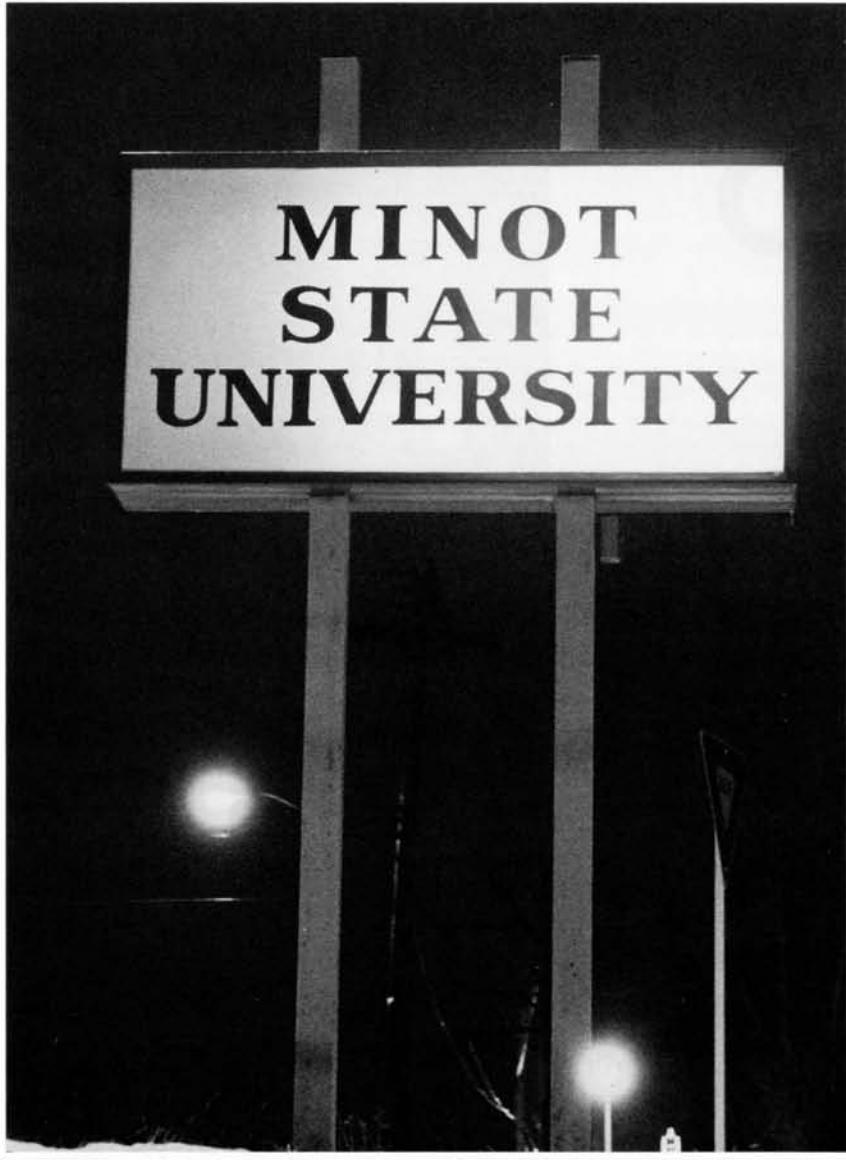


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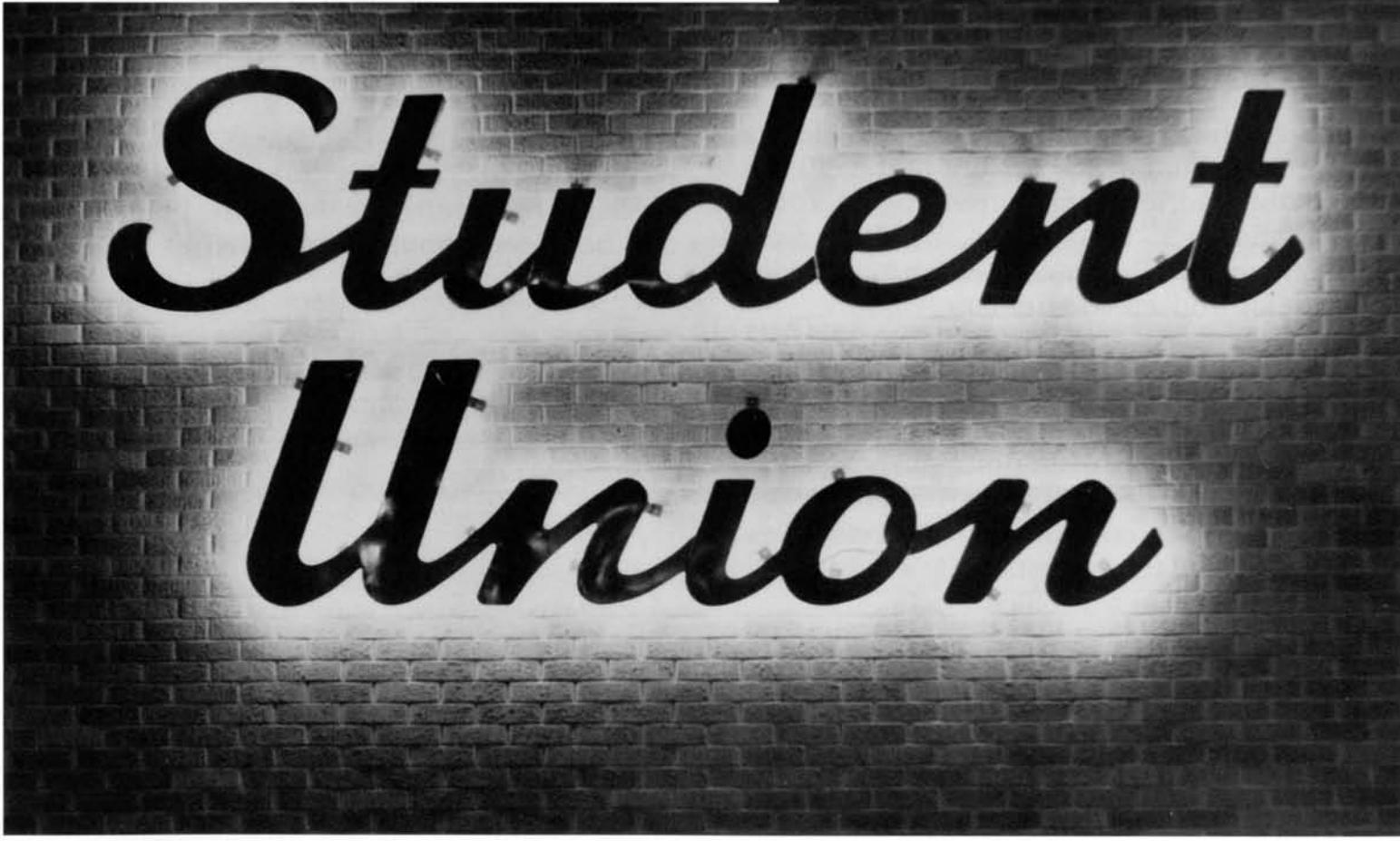
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**A university should be a place of light, of liberty, and of learning.**

—Benjamin Disraeli



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*Student  
Union*

# On the go

Kathleen Corak keeps a busy schedule striving to meet the needs of undecided students.

"I hope 20 minutes will be enough time for this," Kathleen Corak said as she sat down at a table in her office, glancing at her watch.

The interview had already been rescheduled three times, due to last-minute changes in Corak's hectic schedule, so 20 minutes with Minot State's dean of the College of Undergraduate Studies and Institutional Research seemed like a godsend.

Time is not a friend of Corak, who seems to be battling the clock all the time. "There's never enough time," she said, clearly exasperated at the thought of having to keep some of her ambition in check. "There's always more that I could do that I just don't have time to do."

Along with the never-ending array of conferences and meetings that keeps her out of the office and often on the road, she administers programs dealing with admissions, registration, student records management, institutional research and academic advising for undecided students.

"My role is much more of a central administrative role than that of the deans of the academic colleges," Corak explained. "Actually, I have concerns that are broader. It's more of an umbrella type of focus. Combining the two very different worlds of graduate and undergraduate education with a service mission to the region and the community is what drives the decision-making in this office."

Corak's position also has some rewards that are outside of the arcane duties associated with higher education administration. She marvels at the human factor, for example.

"It's thrilling to watch the changes in the student

body from the freshman to senior year," she said. "Although the new freshmen class always comes in with the same sorts of expectations, or in many cases, lack of expectations about what higher ed will provide, they do go through a change before they graduate. And I enjoy being in an environment that helps adults to develop in new ways, and in many cases, unexpected ways—emotionally and spiritually."

It was Minot State's institutional evolution that attracted Corak in the first place. She perceived MSU as being a changing cultural and organizational environment on the go, moving in positive directions.

After pulling a copy of T.S. Eliot's "The Four Quartets" out of her bookcase, Corak turned to a poem entitled, "The Dry Salvages" and recited a passage that "really speaks to this point in my life and how I feel about my work here":

*Fare forward, you who think that you are  
voyaging;*

*You are not those who saw the harbour  
Receding, or those who will disembark.  
Here between the hither and the farther shore  
While time is withdrawn, consider the future  
And the past with an equal mind.*

*Fare forward.*

*O voyagers, O seamen,*

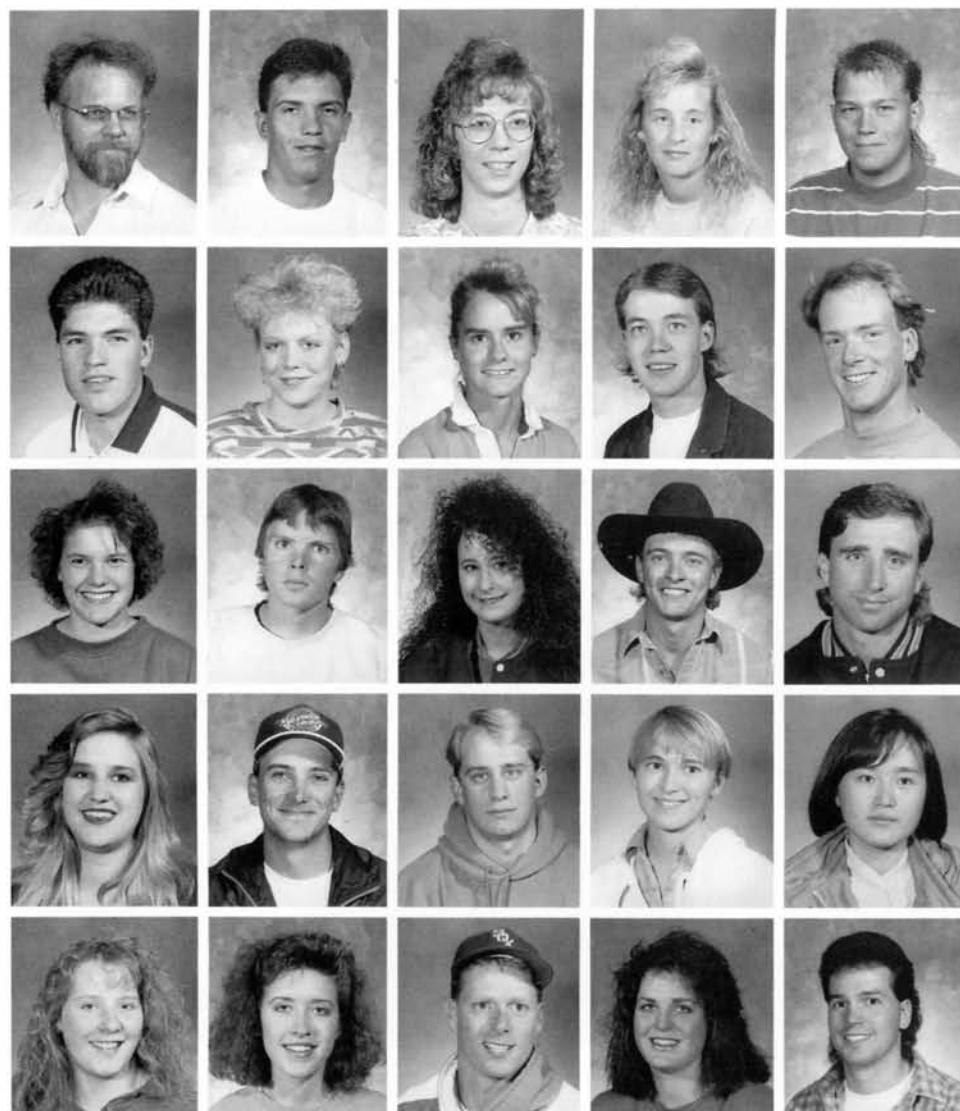
*You who come to port, and you whose bodies  
Will suffer the trial and judgement of the sea,  
Or whatever event, this is your real destination.  
Not fare well,  
But fare forward, voyagers.*



**Dr. Kathleen Corak**

Thom Mellum

# Undergraduates



Albers, Wayne, Fr., Minot, N.D.  
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Boll, Marty, Jr., Newburg, N.D.

Bradford, Kevin, Fr., Minot, N.D.  
Craft, Dena, Fr., Stanley, N.D.  
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Dassenko, Porter, So., Minot, N.D.

Erck, Monica, Fr., Garrison, N.D.  
Folkert, Daniel, So., Minot, N.D.  
Gotvaslee, Zoey, Fr., Norwich, N.D.  
Grubb, Kayo, Jr., Bottineau, N.D.  
Hall, Scott, So., Minot, N.D.

Harr, Jennifer, So., Minot, N.D.  
Hoium, Cory, Jr., Weyburn, Saskatchewan  
Kaylor, Todd, So., Columbus, N.D.  
Kendall, Melinda, So., Minot, N.D.  
Kim, Chongun, So., South Korea

Kippen, Roberta, So., Bottineau, N.D.  
Lee, Rebecca, Fr., Rugby, N.D.  
Limke, Grant, Jr., Minot, N.D.  
Lingle, Wendy, Fr., Minot, N.D.  
Long, Benjamin, Fr., Minot, N.D.

## University life

All in all the K-HIT Dance was a success. Of all the people there, 99 percent of them had a great time.

Due to the weather, the dance was moved into the Union Station. Though the weather was too cold, it probably would have been better to have the dance outdoors; it seemed to be at least 100 degrees in the Union Station.

The dance lasted from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Like all dances, it took a while for people to show up and the dance to get started. Finally, at about 11 p.m. the dance took off.

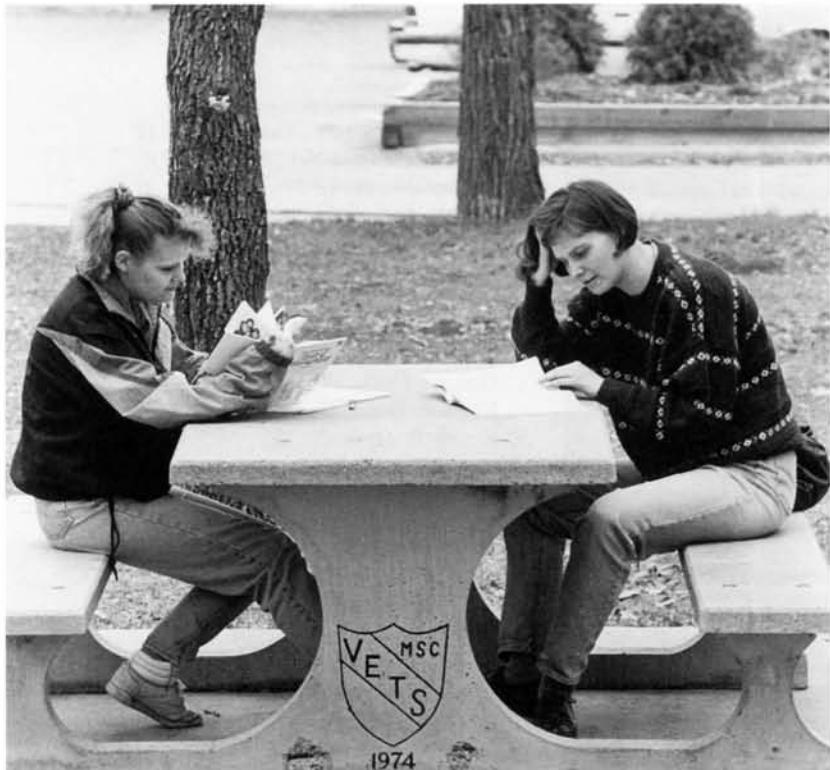
The dance floor was so crowded that there was hardly any dancing room. A lot of people sat around the bar, ate popcorn, drank soda, socialized and had an all around great time.

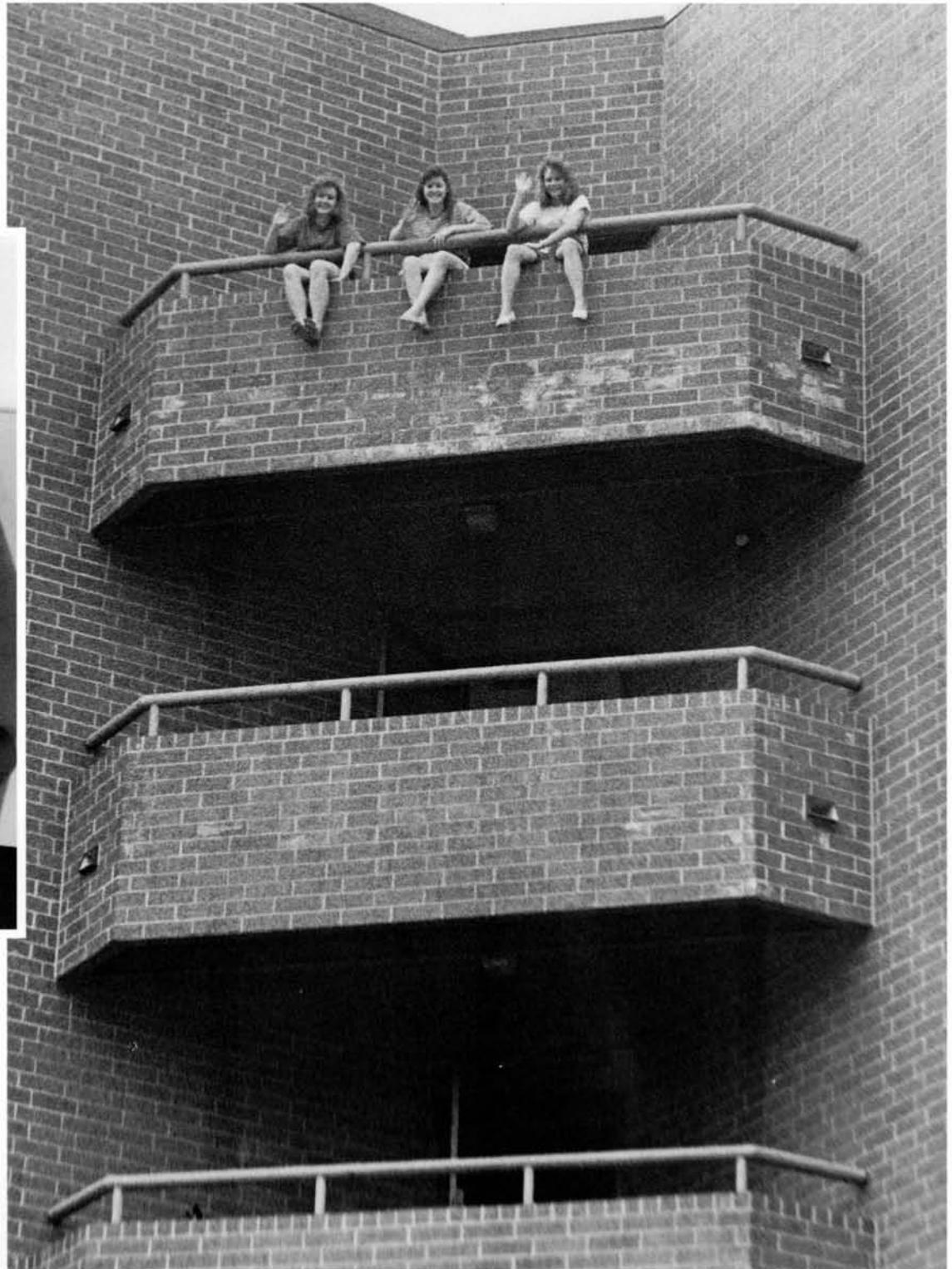
At about 1 a.m. the crowd slowly moved out, leaving a mess of popcorn on the floor for the janitors to sweep up in the morning.

Allison Montgomery

**Education is what survives when what has been learnt has been forgotten.**

— B.F. Skinner

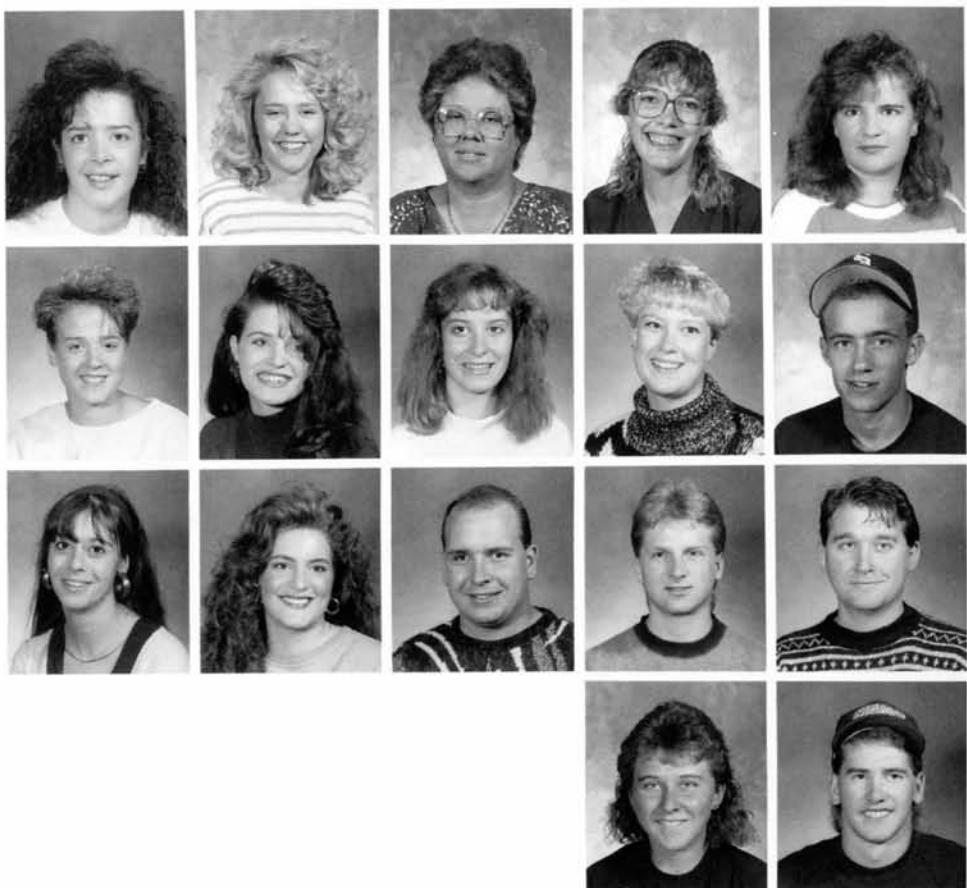




*An academic year at MSU is simply a series of time passages.  
Of long evenings in Memorial Library.  
Of fast friendships.  
Of afternoons in the Student Union.  
Of fits of inspiration.  
Of long walks.  
Of moments spent in quiet despair.  
Of times when, ultimately, it all seems worth it.*

*Those are the memories that make you a wealthy soul.*

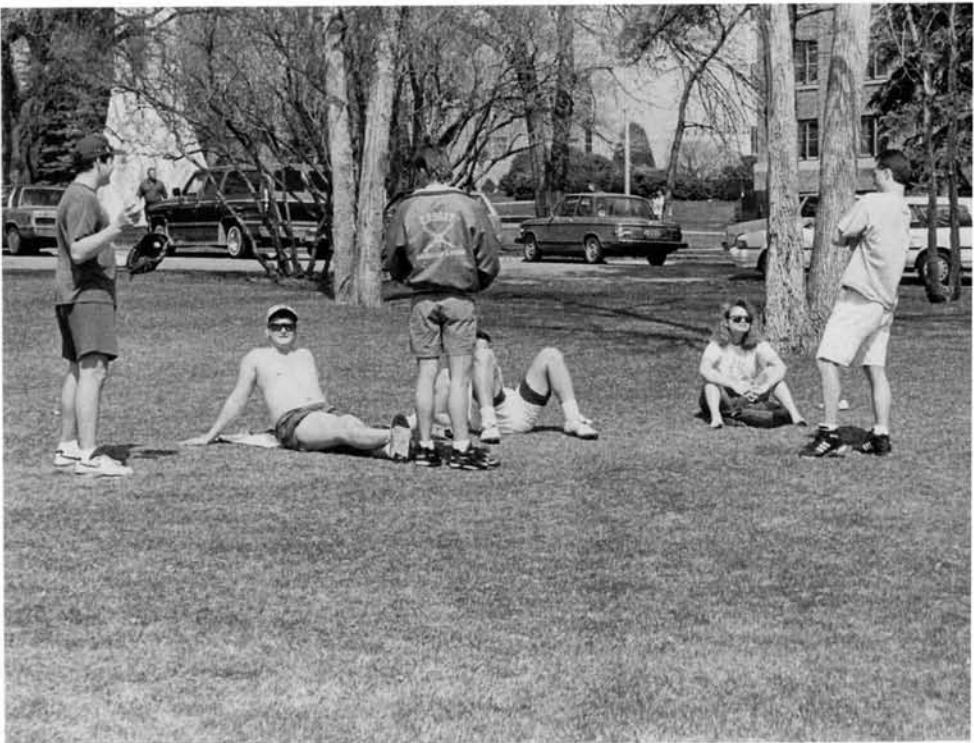
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Miller, Jenn, Fr., Anchorage, Alaska



Neumiller, Kristee, Fr., Carrington, N.D.  
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Ward, Jeremy, So., Scobey, Mont.



*Spring has finally sprung as these MSU students take a needed break.*

*It's just me and my shadow.*



*Now this is  
what we call  
a leisure time  
class!*

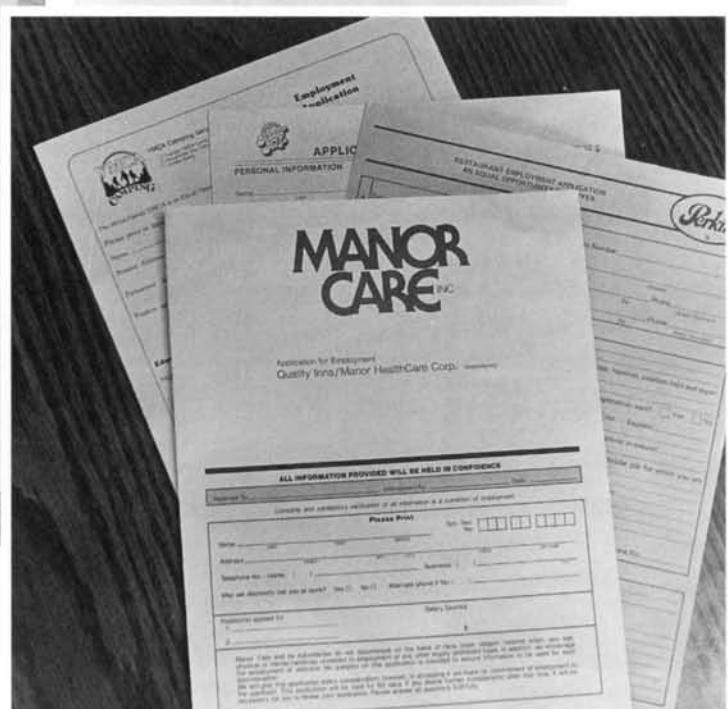
# **Seniors**

**A man must make his opportunity, as  
oft as find it.**

**—Francis Bacon**



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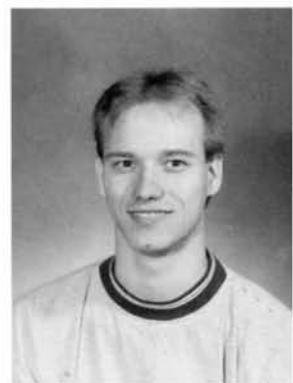
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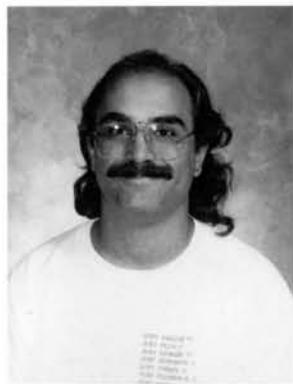
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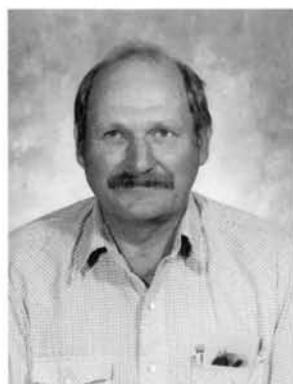
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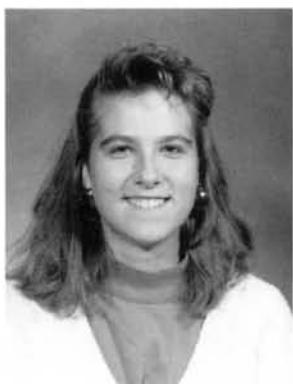
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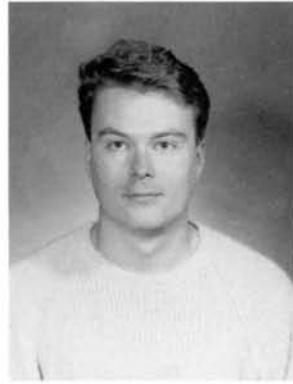
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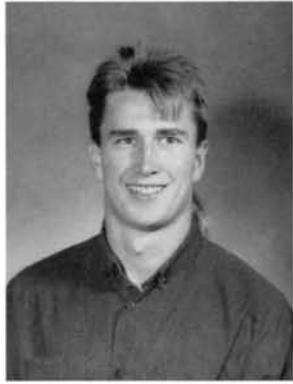
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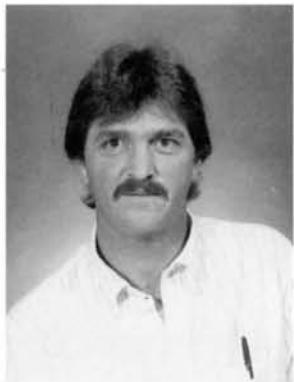
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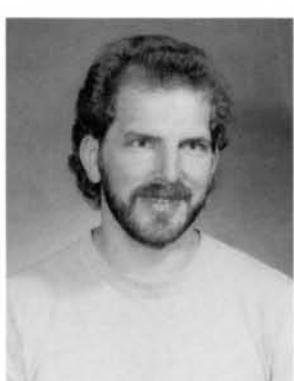
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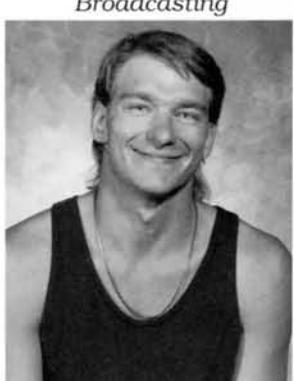
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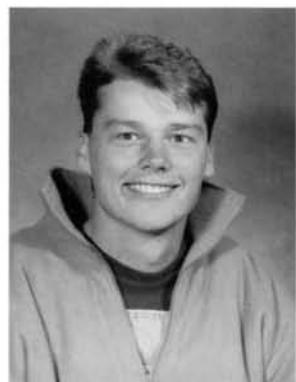


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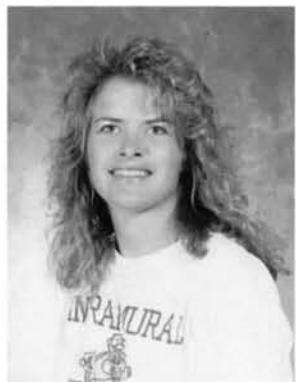


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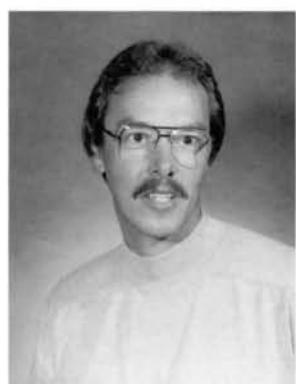
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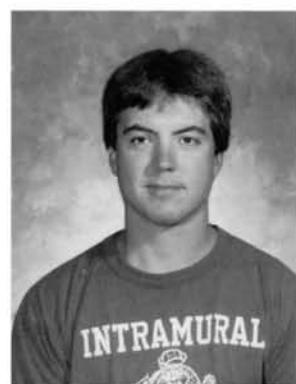
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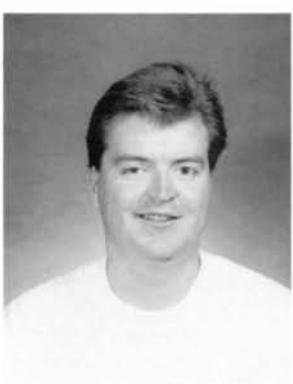
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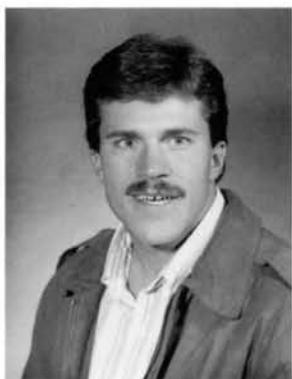
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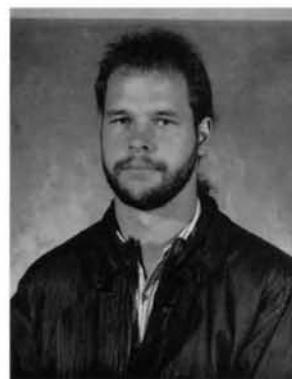
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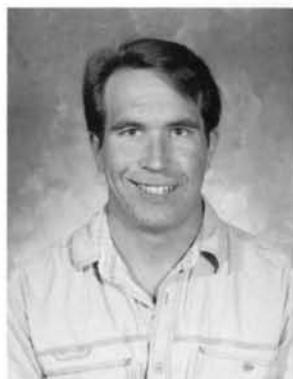
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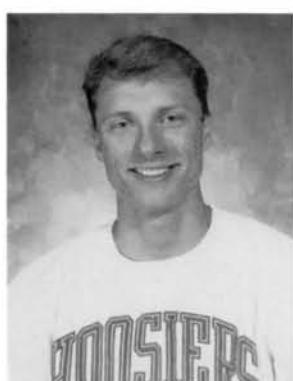
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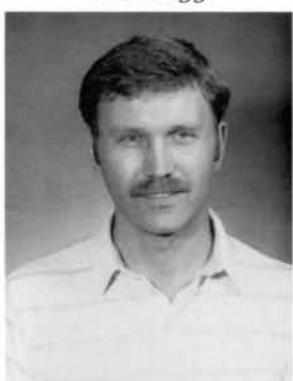
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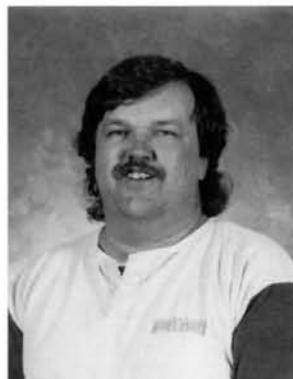
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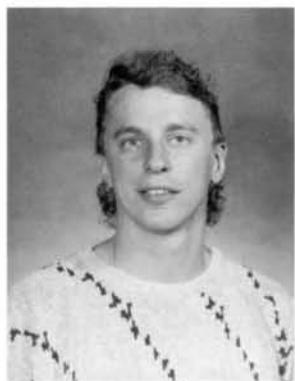
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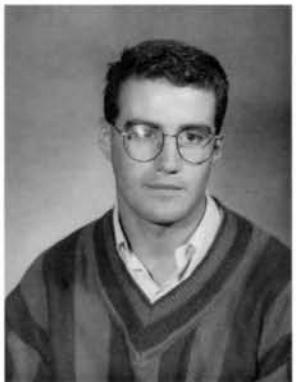
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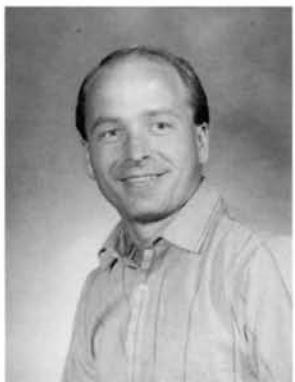
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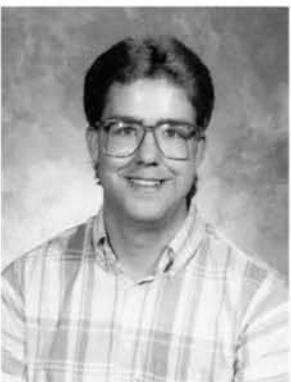
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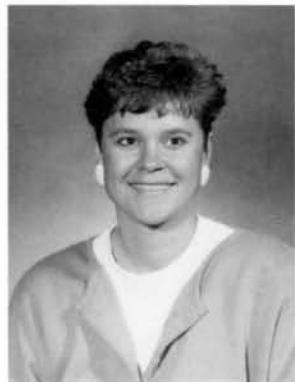
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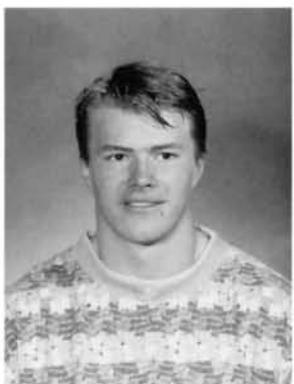
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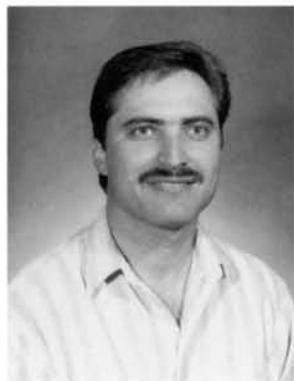
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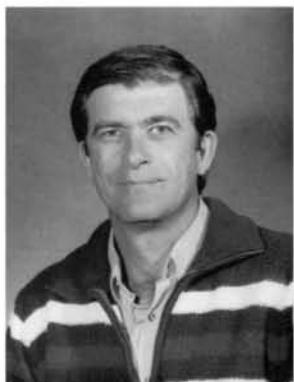
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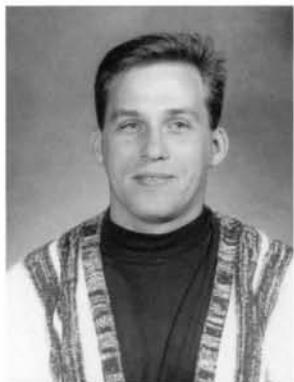
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## Then...

The April 25, 1969, issue of the Red & Green, student newspaper of Minot State College, reported students getting an unexpected break from classes. Most, according to the article, used this time to help families evacuate their homes and sandbag their houses. Cancellation of classes was due to the "biggest flood in years" to hit Minot.

About 12,000 persons were evacuated from their homes, many of them students. Most fraternity and sorority houses had to be evacuated in anticipation of rising waters, which had leaked into their basements. Those hardest hit were the Beta Theta sorority house and the Mu Sigma Tau and Tau Kappa Epsilon fraternity houses.

While looking through some old files in the yearbook office, we came across this aerial photograph showing not only the flood waters, but also how the campus looked 23 years ago.

Of course, we realized that while looking back at the campus, you would also want to see how it looks today from the air. Being a camera-bug, I volunteered to take an aerial photograph of the campus. Did I know what I was getting myself into? Of course not! This is North Dakota and it was wintertime.



## ...and now.

I contacted a friend who had a small plane and was willing to fly me over the campus. Then permission to fly over the campus had to be acquired from the airport tower. The people there were very nice, but informed us that we would have to stay at least 1,000 feet above the ground and that we could only make one pass at noon because of the flight patterns of the big planes. It didn't sound that difficult, but things are seldom simple when dealing with the weather in North Dakota.

The first time we were scheduled to go up, it was snowing too hard to see anything. The next time, the temperature dropped so far below zero, the plane froze up. The third time's a charm. The morning dawned clear, bright and beautiful until just before takeoff. That good old North Dakota wind started to blow, but we decided to try it anyway. After getting off the ground, I had to ask, why am I doing this? But as bumpy as it was, and as cold as it was, it was an adventure I'll not soon forget. As you can see, the campus has changed a lot over the years, and I hope that in a few years I can shoot it again. But next time I'll wait until warm weather.

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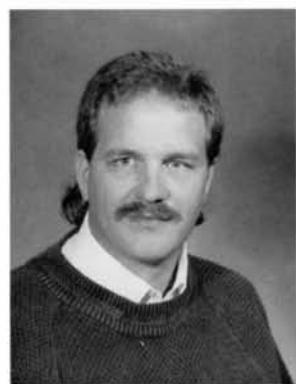
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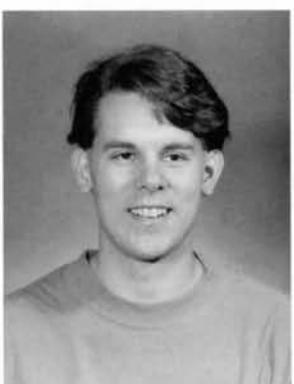
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When seniors have something to say, this is the card that says it all. Congratulations from "The Beaver" staff.

# ***Administration***

**To govern is to make choices.**

**—Duc De Lévis**

# Yearbook interview: Gordon B. Olson

## An in-depth conversation with the outgoing president of Minot State University.

**THE EDUCATION PRESIDENT.** Long before that headline became a catchphrase for George Bush and his attempts at national educational reforms, another man was working to give it real meaning in northwest North Dakota.

With Lyndon Johnson in the White House, American troops in Vietnam, Ed Sullivan on TV and the Beatles' "Sgt. Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band" at the top of the charts, Gordon Olson took over as president of Minot State University. If life can be described as a series of moments, then it was that moment in June of 1967 that Minot State began to come of age.

The transformation began almost immediately. One of Olson's first moves was to initiate a beautification process on campus, putting students to work setting decorative plantings in place and stemming a severe dandelion problem in front of Old Main.

Along with the smaller esthetic touches came the larger efforts to get new construction underway on campus. Buildings such as Hartnett Hall, Lura Manor and the campus centerpiece, the Dome were erected. The recent completion of MSU's new library is the culmination of a struggle for funding that began in the early '70s.

Growth and change have been the hallmarks of the Olson era at Minot State. Enrollment has nearly doubled with Olson at the helm, from slightly more than 2,000 to just under 4,000 students.

The battle for university status also defined Olson's tenure as he pushed relentlessly toward the name change that finally came in 1987.

So it would appear that given all his accomplishments over a quarter century at MSU, Gordon Olson sleeps the sleep of a man content with his life's work. No regrets were offered during a lengthy conversation in his spacious, second-floor office in the Administration Building.

"Do you play cards? You know, there's a deck that is dealt to you and you have to learn to live with that," he explained. "Sometimes you win and sometimes you lose, no matter how well you play your hand."

A man utterly without pretense, Olson quietly reflected on a 25-year card game in which he brought a lot of the chips back to MSU:

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**YEARBOOK:** If you hadn't devoted your life to education, what else would you have done?

**OLSON:** I keep being told that I could have done a lot of things, but I guess I've never found out. I like people and I can relate well to people, plus I'm a good enough organizer to get things done. So I guess I could have made it in a variety of ways.

**YEARBOOK:** With all that you've accomplished here, it's hard to imagine you doing anything else.

**OLSON:** I guess I had enough confidence in my ability that I never worried about a job. I always felt that if they weren't happy with my performance, they could just tell me, and then maybe I could make a living with a shovel in my hand.

**YEARBOOK:** That kind of attitude must have served you well as you pushed for improvements at Minot State.

**OLSON:** Well, I never felt I had to kowtow to anyone, and I didn't back off on the things I was trying to do. I had people tell me to knock it off, but I didn't always knock it off.

**YEARBOOK:** In your quieter moments, do you ever look out your office window or walk across campus and think of how it used to be.

**OLSON:** Sure. I remember how stark it was when I came here. One of the first things I did was walk down to the business office and tell them, "We're going to start spending money on some plantings." And we started dealing with a horticulturist, and we hired some students to start digging holes and planting trees and shrubbery.

**YEARBOOK:** Those were the days when the president had a house on campus. What was it like to have a college situated literally in your back yard?

**OLSON:** I guess we always enjoyed living on campus. But it was somewhat like a pastor living in the parsonage next to the church. In a sense, there was never a day off.

**YEARBOOK:** I've heard that the house was bustling with activity all the time.

**OLSON:** All the time. It always was. It was always fun and interesting. I remember a Thanksgiving when we were sitting at the dinner table and the doorbell rang. A couple of people wanted to get into the dorm. There

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**YEARBOOK:** What have you done here that you're most proud of?

**OLSON:** I suppose the basic thrust of that would be our mission and our course programs that are related to that. And the expansion into new, solid programs that are accredited, whether it's criminal justice, nursing, whatever. It's the broader mission concept.

**YEARBOOK:** Did you have that in mind when you took over as president?

**OLSON:** At the time I was interviewed for the job, I told the board that if they were going to continue with basically being a single-mission institution—that being teacher ed—that I wasn't interested in the job.

**YEARBOOK:** Why not?

**OLSON:** I could see that there were a lot of other things developing that needed to be offered at Minot State if we were going to fulfill the needs of the people in this region. I described some of the courses and majors that I thought would be appropriate and for the most part, those are in place and have been for a number of years.

were instances where someone may have forgotten their violin, and it was locked in a locker, and they had to perform that night. There were many requests like that, and we always accommodated them.

**YEARBOOK:** When you moved off campus, how did life change for you?

**OLSON:** Now we have neighbors. I guess that's one difference. And I've always liked views. I don't know if it's because of the great North Dakota outdoors or what. From the house we have now, we can look up the valley and see for 15, 20 miles. It's a spaciousness that I appreciate.

**YEARBOOK:** When you get a chance to spend some leisure time at home, do you do any recreational reading?

**OLSON:** I read just about everything. I subscribe to a number of magazines, and I read all kinds of books.

**YEARBOOK:** Both fiction and non-fiction?

**OLSON:** I don't go into fiction a lot. There's so much

non-fiction that's intriguing to me that I don't spend a lot of time with fiction. There was a time when I had a bag on murder mysteries, and I read lots of them, but that's kind of out of my system.

**YEARBOOK:** So what would you say if someone asked you, "Read any good books lately?"

**"I told the board that if they were going to continue with basically being a single-mission institution—that being teacher ed—that I wasn't interested in the job."**

**OLSON:** Oh, there would be about half a dozen in the last three weeks. Right now, I'm reading quite a bit on Native American writings—their quotes, their poetry and their history. Over the weekend, I read "Gunfighters." It was all about Western gunfighters. There have also been a number of history books on old-time cowboys in the Arizona area.

**YEARBOOK:** Why the interest in western themes?

**OLSON:** Well, both sides of my family came from southwestern North Dakota while it was still Dakota Territory. We have a lot of oral history in our family. My grandpa and great-grandpa and great-uncles knew some figures from the old West that fit into history. So I guess my interest stems from that.

**YEARBOOK:** It was in southwest North Dakota, at Dickinson State, that you received your bachelor's degree and later returned to serve as vice president before coming here. How do you react to the strong rivalry that now seems to exist between DSU and MSU? Any mixed feelings?

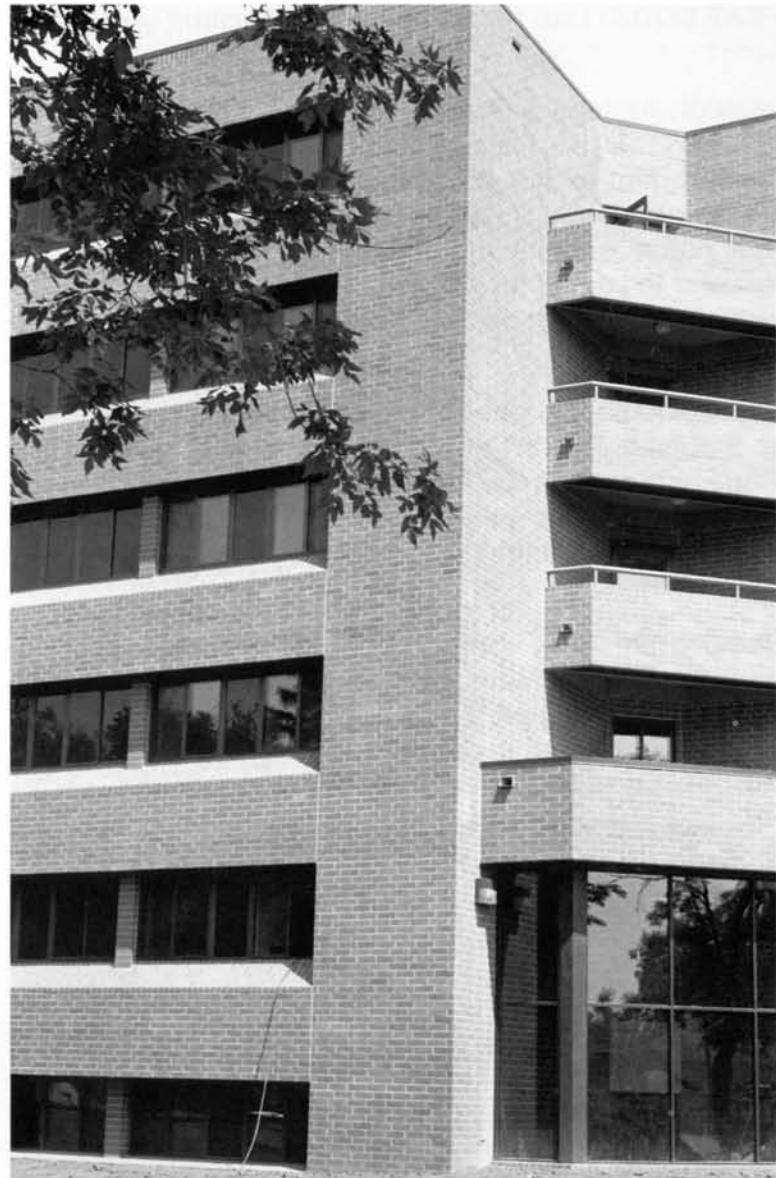
**OLSON:** I guess the best answer to that is what Tom Clifford (retiring president of the University of North Dakota) said when he was asked to raise money for someone else. He said, "No, there's too much green in my blood," meaning the university colors. So I'd have to say that I have too much green and red in my blood. My loyalty now is with Minot.

**YEARBOOK:** Your name seems to have become synonymous with MSU.

**OLSON:** I could have stayed at Dickinson and been happy all my life. That's not the point. Anytime you make a commitment to your job, I suppose it's a version of a life's commitment, a commitment to do a good job.

**YEARBOOK:** Have you come to expect that sort of commitment from students and faculty?

**OLSON:** I've dealt with hundreds, and I suppose thousands, of students and faculty in my lifetime; and I've never dealt with anyone who set out to do a lousy job. They aspire to do well, and you'd be surprised at the results you can get if you have patience. Give them a chance.



*C.P. Lura Manor answered the demand for a new dormitory upon its completion in 1986.*

**YEARBOOK:** On that topic, what is your philosophy in regard to education?

**OLSON:** I'm an advocate of two things: low tuition and the idea of giving everyone a legitimate chance of finishing a program. It's awfully easy for someone that really doesn't know someone else to brand them as hopeless or a waste of time. My experience says that's not true.

**YEARBOOK:** You're referring to struggling students—

**OLSON:** All kinds of them. You know, I think the military is kind of an illustration of how it can be done. They take people that are not very skilled when they enter the service, and by the time they're through, they're technicians in this field or missile experts in that one.

**YEARBOOK:** Can the same kind of learning take place here?

**OLSON:** As long as we generate some enthusiasm on the part of the learner. Students have to make a commitment to that effort. It isn't a case of going to bed and thinking that by the process of osmosis, if you tuck that pillow under your head, some of that's going to transfer to your brain. Maybe that's where they got the idea of being featherbrained, I don't know. But it doesn't work that way.

**YEARBOOK:** You've studied at large universities such as Syracuse University and the University of Alabama (both as a participant in the Army Specialist Training Program). From your experience, is there anything that makes MSU students different from those at some of the bigger schools?

**OLSON:** This may sound funny, but I think some of it traces to the soil. Whenever you have your roots in the soil, so to speak, just the growing up process itself may be a version of that pillow I was talking about, that osmosis I was talking about.



*Hartnett Hall (above) and the Dome (right), constructed in the '70s, fulfilled Minot State's needs for a new classroom building and physical education facility.*

**YEARBOOK:** Could you explain?

**OLSON:** Well, you learn certain things about, oh, levers. Now, you don't have one course in physics, but you learn the principles of levers from just working—how you jack up a car, how you fix a flat tire, how to get your car running when it doesn't run. You can go downtown and find all kinds of teen-agers that could do all those things today. Just simple things.

**YEARBOOK:** With some stuff, you don't know why, but you know it. And you don't know how you learned it.

**OLSON:** Sure. That's what I'm talking about when I say it's steeped in the soil. It's just a gut feeling or a sense. There's a sense of balance, a sense of rhythm. Nature's all in tune, so to speak, and you kind of soak it up.

**YEARBOOK:** What led to your decision to retire? Have you accomplished all that you set out to?

**OLSON:** Well, at one time I thought I was going to retire at age 45. I told my wife that I was going to do other things. But I got too involved with what I was doing. And then I fully intended to retire when I was 65, but the board approached Tom Clifford and me and asked us to stay on for a couple more years because they felt higher ed was at a critical juncture, and they needed the input of people that have had quite a bit of experience in North Dakota. I guess Tom and I fit that bill.

**YEARBOOK:** And now the timing's right for you to step down?

**OLSON:** I'll be 68 soon, and if I'm going to do certain things that my wife and I want to do, well I'd better get serious about it.

**YEARBOOK:** What kind of legacy do you think you've left at Minot State University?

**OLSON:** That's the sort of thing I just don't worry about. I haven't given it a thought, just like I haven't given a thought to what epitaph is going to be on my tombstone. I just don't think that way.

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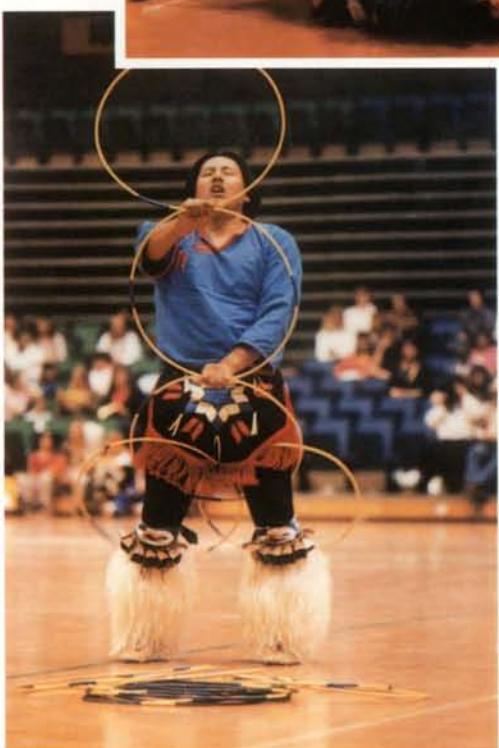
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## Honor Dance; cause for celebration

Minot State University President Gordon B. Olson and 33 Native American graduates were recognized in the third annual MSU Honor Dance.

An Honor Dance is part of Native American culture, according to Darrell Charette, a senior who is majored in addiction counseling.

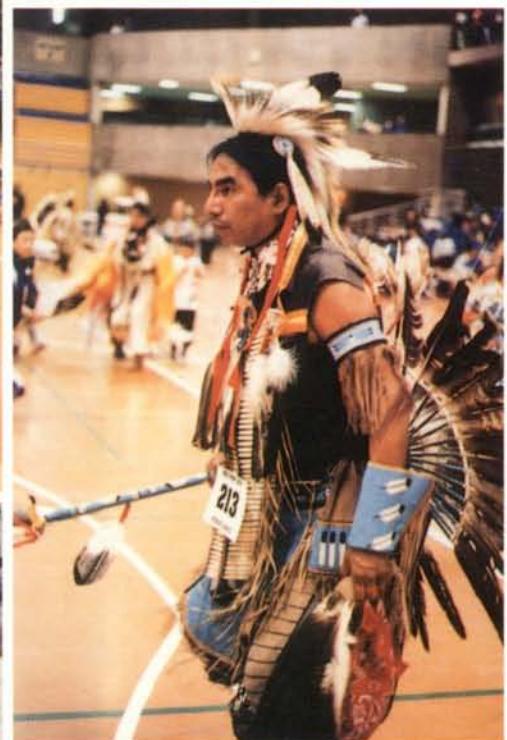
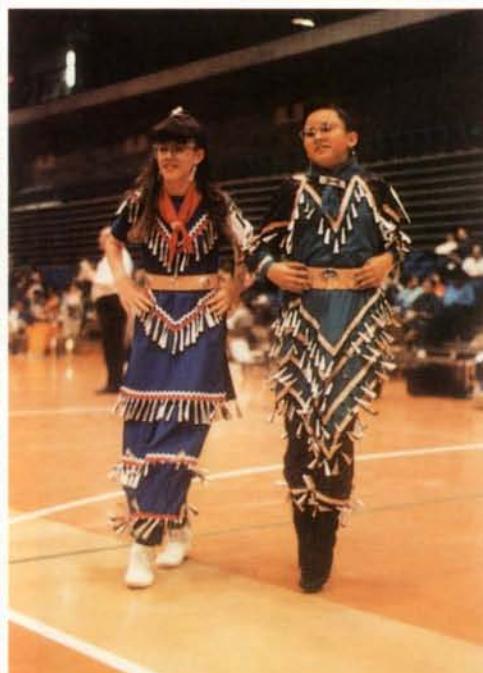
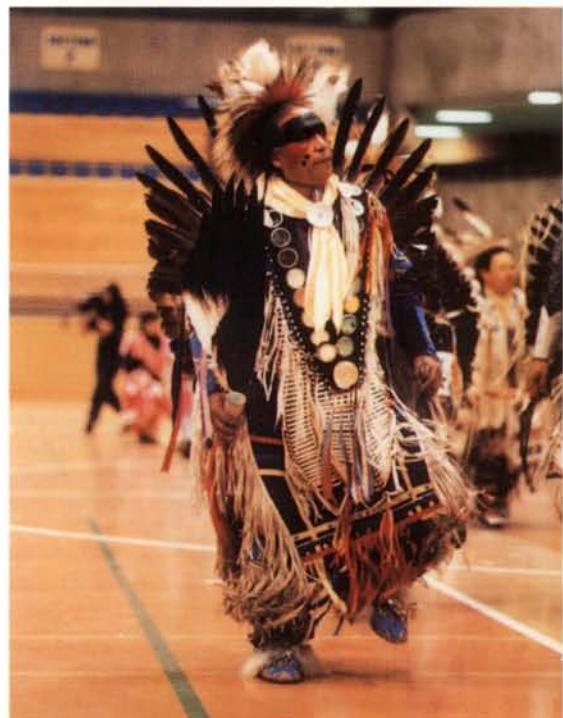
"Part of our heritage is to honor somebody when they achieve a certain status or goal," Charette said. "This is a way of showing our thanks to the people that have worked with us."

The Honor Dance recognized graduates with a wide variety of degrees, including speech pathology, addiction counseling, accounting, psychology, criminal justice and earth science.

One of the graduates, Shirley Brunelle of Belcourt, earned her master's degree in speech pathology. She is the only Native American in this area with that degree and one of just a few in the nation with that credential.

A special part of the Honor Dance involved Olson. Rather than merely serving as a representative of the school as he had done at past dances, Olson himself was honored in the dance for his continued support of Native American cultural studies and programs.

- Linda Hyatt



# Graduation

As each graduate moved across the stage to receive a diploma and a handshake, it was a moment that marked both an ending and a beginning.

Minot State University's annual rite of spring, the pomp and circumstance of graduation, took place May 22, 1992, in the Dome.

Through sighs of relief, congratulatory embraces and no shortage of tears, over 840 of MSU's best and brightest took a significant step forward as they continued to focus on the future.



*Top: Graduates await their turn to walk across the stage.*

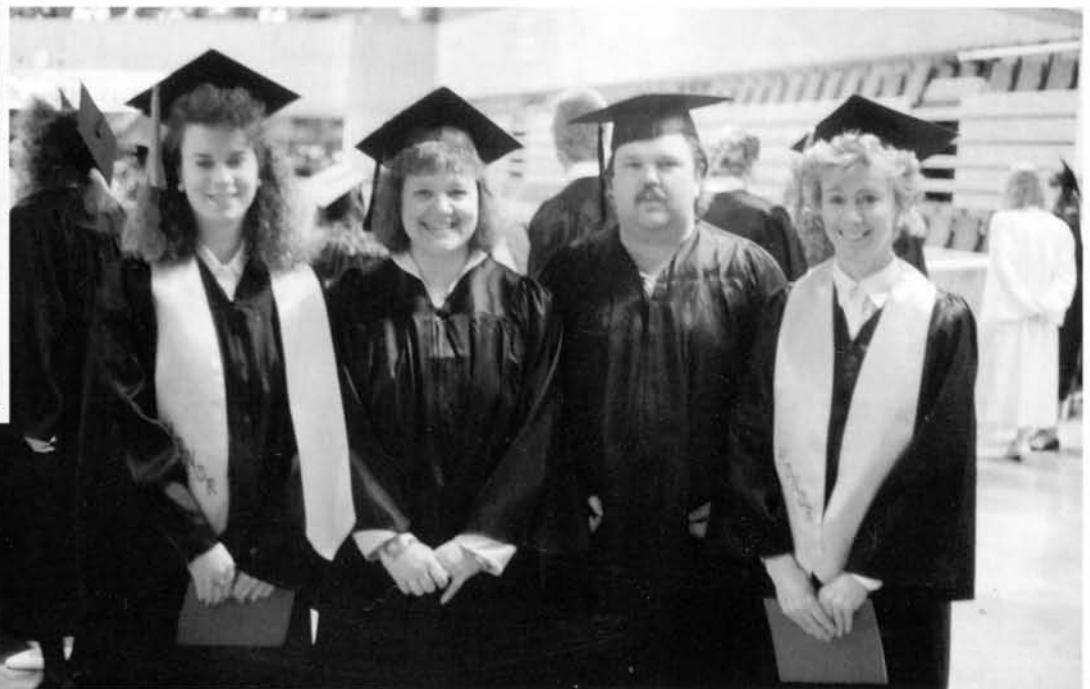
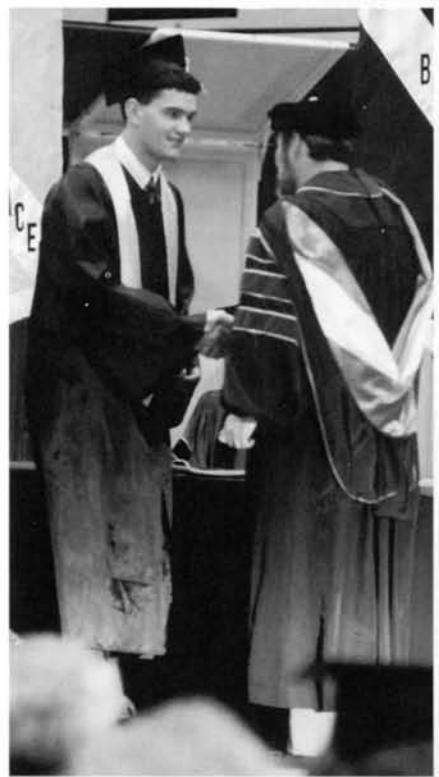
*Center Left: Watching for friends and relatives as the Dome begins to fill.*

*Center Right: President Gordon B. Olson shakes hands with the graduates for the last time.*

*Bottom Left: David McMullen receives his diploma from Earl Robinson, Dean of the College of Business.*

*Bottom Right: A nice way to let parents know they're appreciated.*





*Top: A day of happiness and relief for the graduates.*

*Center Left: Honor Student Scott Schaeffer receives his diploma from Vice President for Academic Affairs Donald P. Wharton.*

*Center Right: Theresa and David McMullen center, a husband and wife team pose with Brenda and Gaye Huckell, a mother and daughter team.*

*Bottom: Graduate Joan Kelly gets a big hug from her son on her big day.*

*May the good Lord be with you down every road you roam.  
 And may sunshine and happiness surround you  
 when you're far from home.  
 And may you grow to be proud, dignified and true.  
 And do unto others as you'd have done to you.  
 Be courageous and be brave.  
 And in my heart you'll always stay  
 forever young, forever young.*



*Top Right: Hugs from proud children of the  
 graduates is a common sight at commencement  
 exercises.*

*Center Left: Pride and joy for friends and  
 classmates is the order of the day.*

*Center Right: Parents give graduates prideful hugs  
 for a job well done.*

*Bottom Right: Is it real? Is it signed? After years of  
 hard work, the realization that it's over is difficult to  
 comprehend.*



*May good fortune be with you.  
 May your guiding light be strong.  
 Build a stairway to heaven,  
 with a prince or a vagabond.  
 And may you never love in vain.  
 And in my heart you'll always stay  
 forever young, forever young.*



*Top Right: Kathleen Fulwiler and Dawn Gerjetc wait for the ceremony to begin.*

*Center Left: Desiree Casson is among the happy graduates.*

*Center Right: Hannah Tam "lights up" as she receives her master's degree.*

*Bottom Left: The title of president emeritus is conferred on President Gordon Olson by Gene Martin of the North Dakota State Board of Higher Education.*



*And when you finally fly away,  
 I'll be hoping that I served you well.  
 For all the wisdom of a lifetime,  
 no one can ever tell.  
 But whatever road you choose,  
 I'm right behind you, win or lose.  
 Forever young, forever young.*

# Being focused on the future brought about the new Gordon B. Olson Library.

Good things, sometimes great things, come to those who wait. And Minot State President Gordon B. Olson waited 20 years for the magnificent new campus library that now dominates the landscape between the tennis courts and Swain Hall.

"It traces way back to one of my first years here," Olson explained. "I appointed a faculty committee to project long-range needs for this campus and there were three things on the list at that time. One was a phy ed facility, one was a classroom facility and the other one was a library."

The Dome and Hartnett Hall, both constructed in the '70s, satisfied the first two areas of need, but it took great patience and years of persistent lobbying to gain funding and approval from the state Board of Higher Education to get a library built.

As truckloads of books and other materials were being moved out of venerable old Memorial Library, the name of the new resource center was revealed at a meeting of the state Board of Higher Education.

"This is definitely an honor," Olson said upon hearing about the naming of the Gordon B. Olson Library. "This was a good morning to get up."

Expansive, airy and unpretentious, the Gordon B. Olson Library will serve the region well. "There's not a lot of fancy frills, but it's very nice and in a sense, we have created sort of a living room study hall," Olson said. "You'll feel very comfortable in that learning environment."

Thom Mellum



*The construction that began just last year was the result of years of persistence from those who saw the need for a larger library 20 years ago.*



*In order to make the entire move in nine days, a large crew was required and teamwork was a must to keep things flowing smoothly.*



*Of course, there were those moments when some things did not go quite as smoothly as planned.*



As one crew loaded books from the old library...

Another crew unloaded books at the new library.



The trail of carts loaded with books coming into the new library seemed endless.



Within hours the shelves began to fill at the new library...



...while still a long way from complete...



...it was developing its own personality.

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