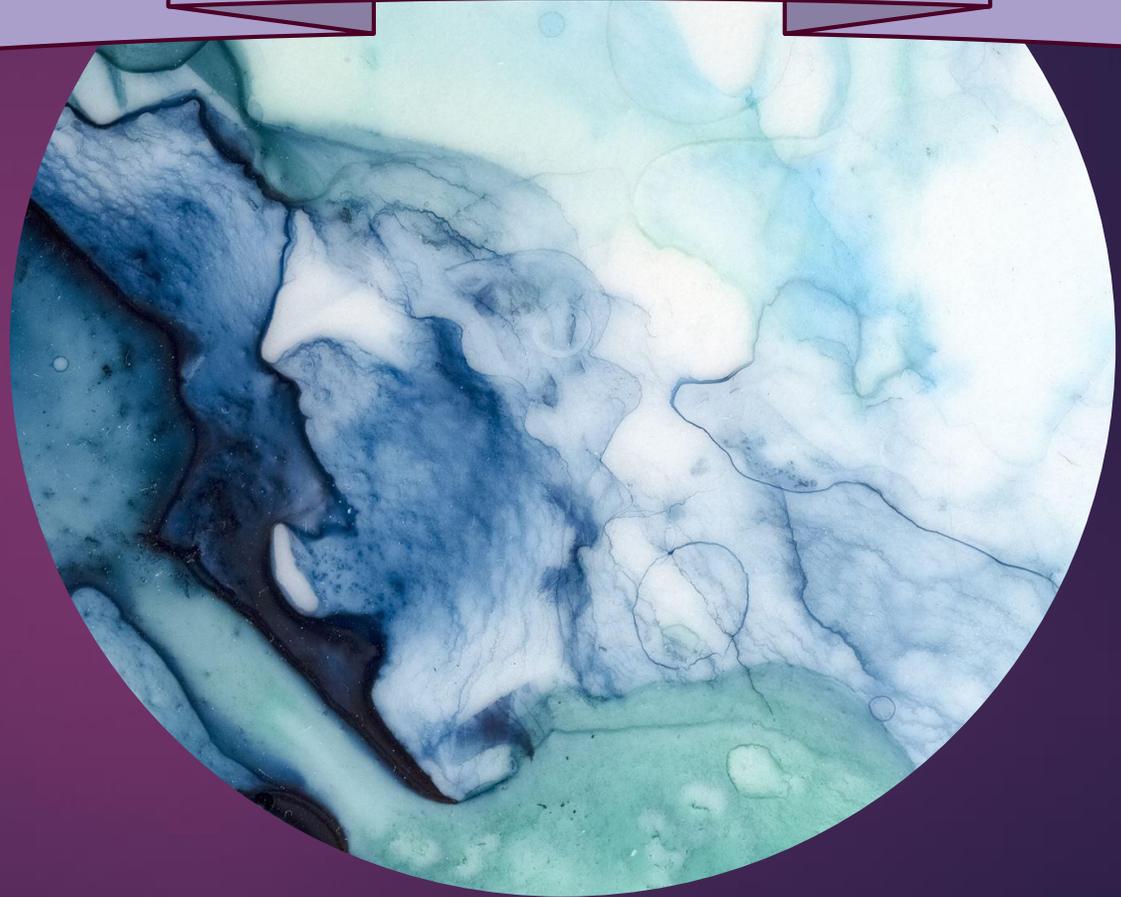


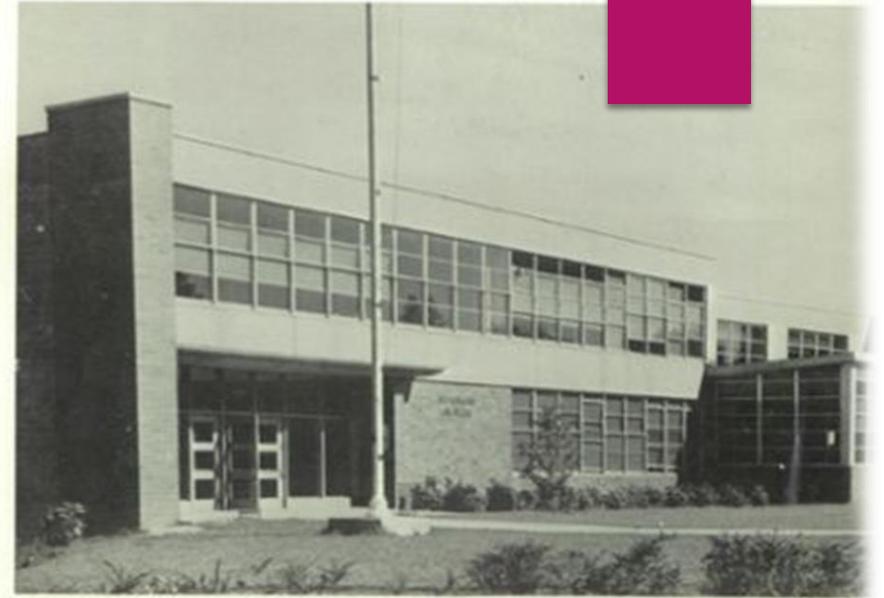
A CAREER VISION PROJECT

# LINCOLN HIGH SCHOOL CURRENT EVENTS AND TRENDS

HOW WE CARED, LEARNED, AND LED  
THROUGHOUT THE DECADES



- ▶ Lincoln high school has become a vastly different environment since its opening date in 1953. For one, it was originally called Southeast Yonkers Jr., Sr. Highschool open to grades 6-8. It wasn't until 1955 that it even earned the title of Lincoln High School, a name given to it based off of the Lincoln park area in which it is situated in. Throughout the years, Lincoln high school has faced many different realities filled with ups and downs. The students, the staff and the school itself has greatly changed over time.



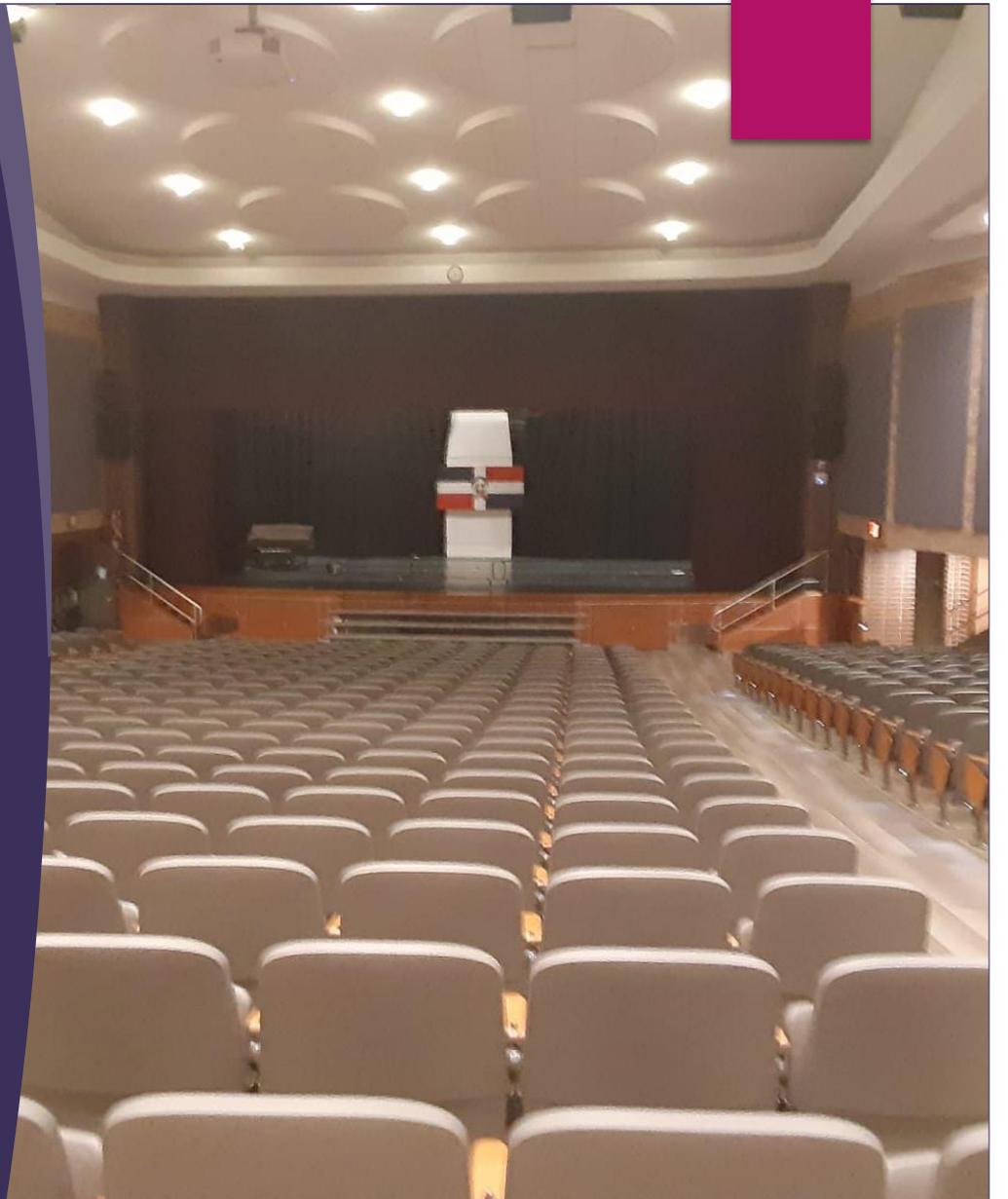


# Lincoln Lancers Then

THIS IS THE LINCOLN LANCERS MASCOT FROM  
THE 1970S

# Auditorium

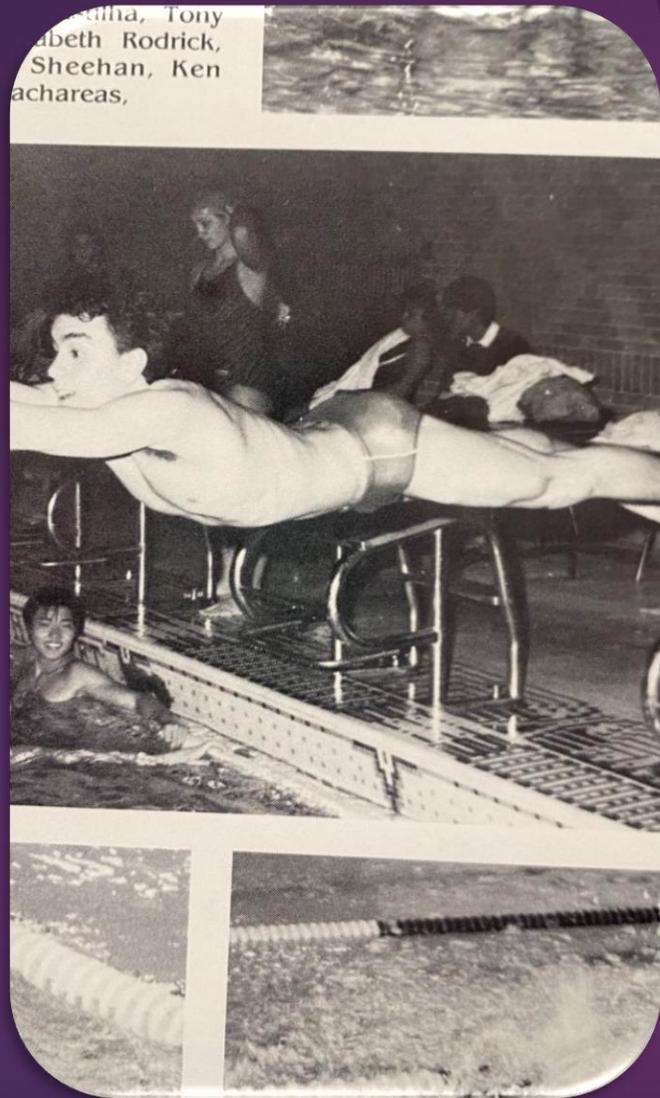
- ▶ Two years ago, major construction was finished on Lincoln's auditorium into what we know it as today. It was able to be done because in 2020, four years ago, Yonkers was awarded a grant that went to Lincoln and Yonkers Middle High School. The total amount granted between the two schools was \$750,000, but Lincoln itself was awarded \$250,000, which they used to install air conditioning, as well as refurbish the stage floor and install a new video projections screen. After it's finalization, it is now considered the largest venue with air conditioning and other amenities.



## Lincoln and segregation history

While Lincoln High School is now the home to an incredibly diverse group of children, this wasn't always the case. Up until 1986, Lincoln High School was one of the multiple schools in Yonkers affected by the standing segregation of the city. Before the desegregation, Lincoln high school was a predominantly white school with few exceptions. Now it a school in which many different cultures are celebrated year-round.

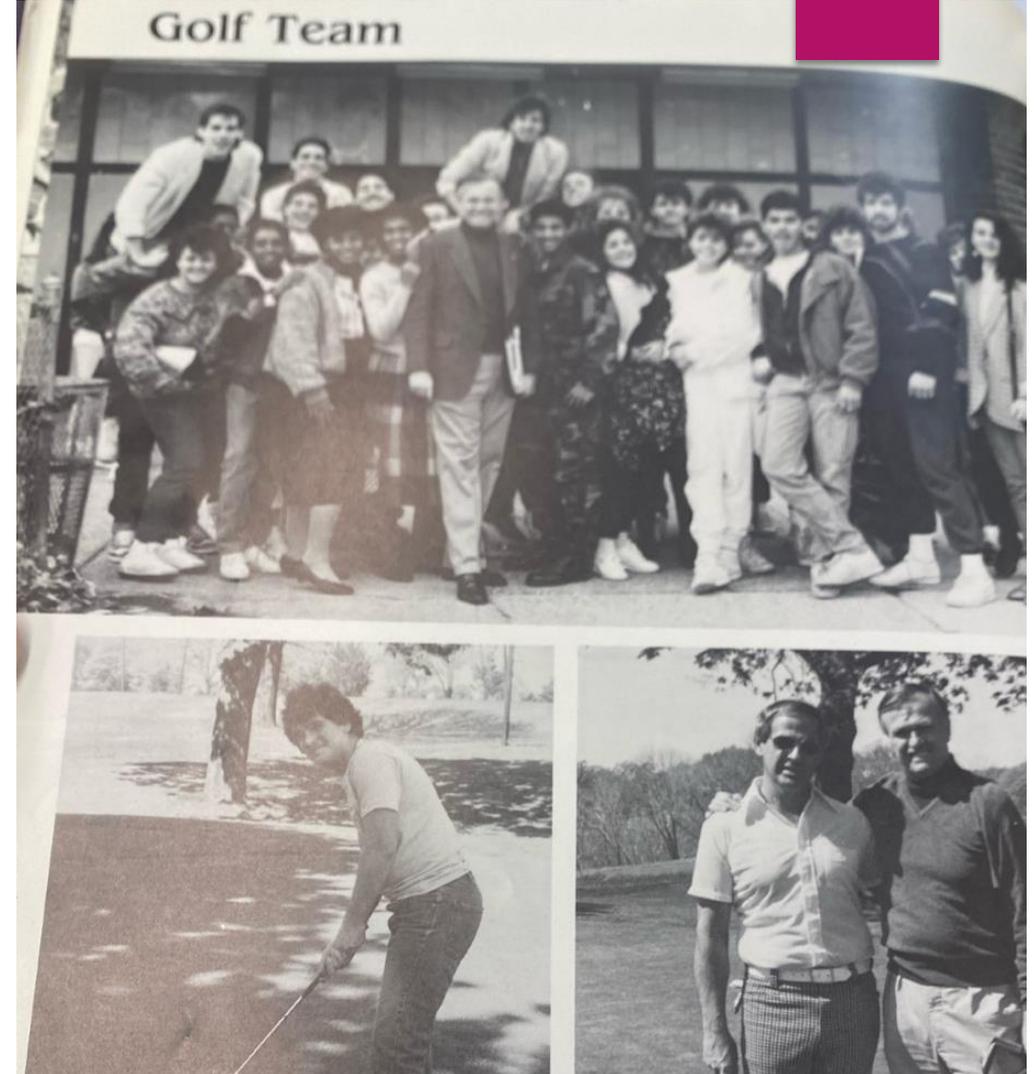
# Sports

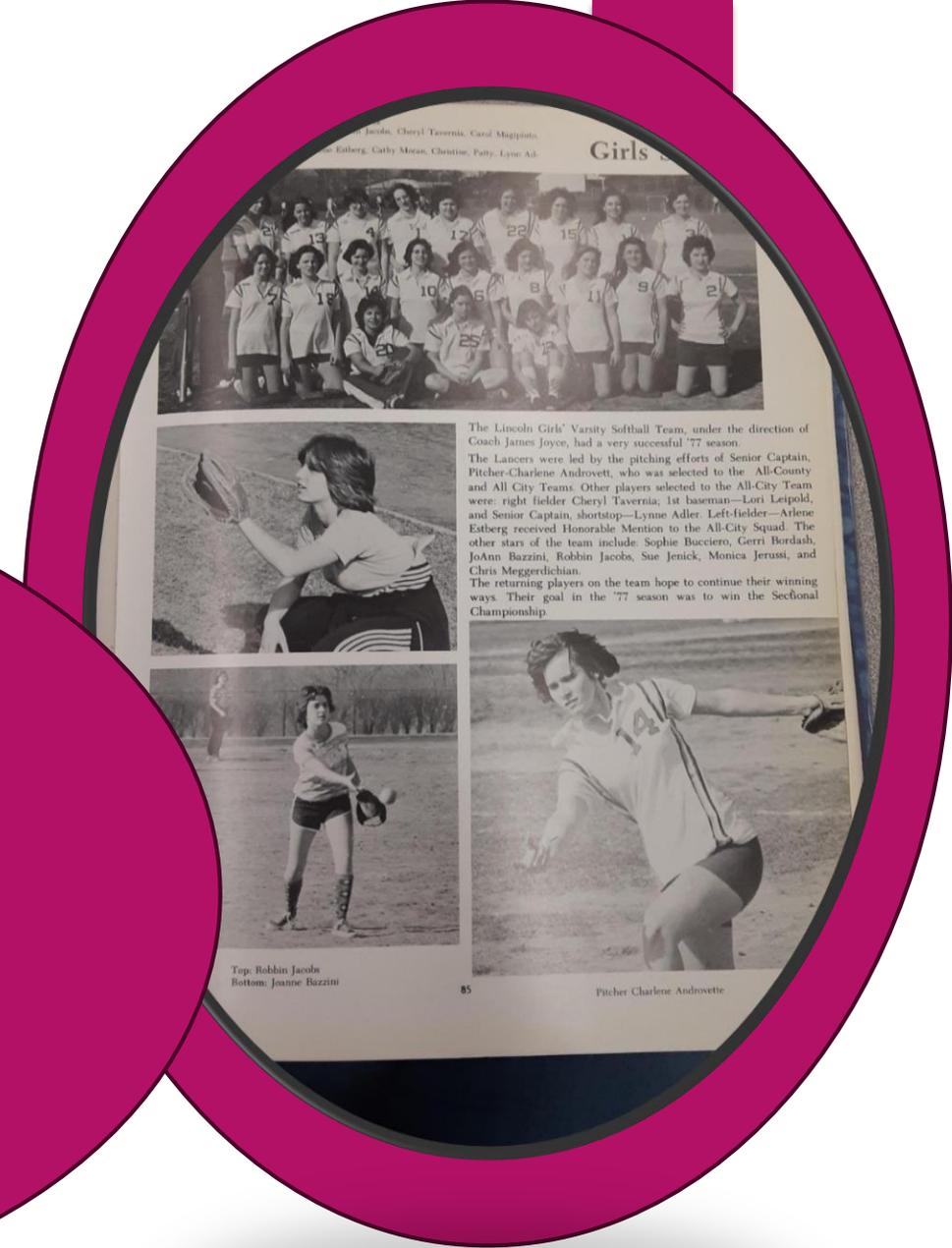
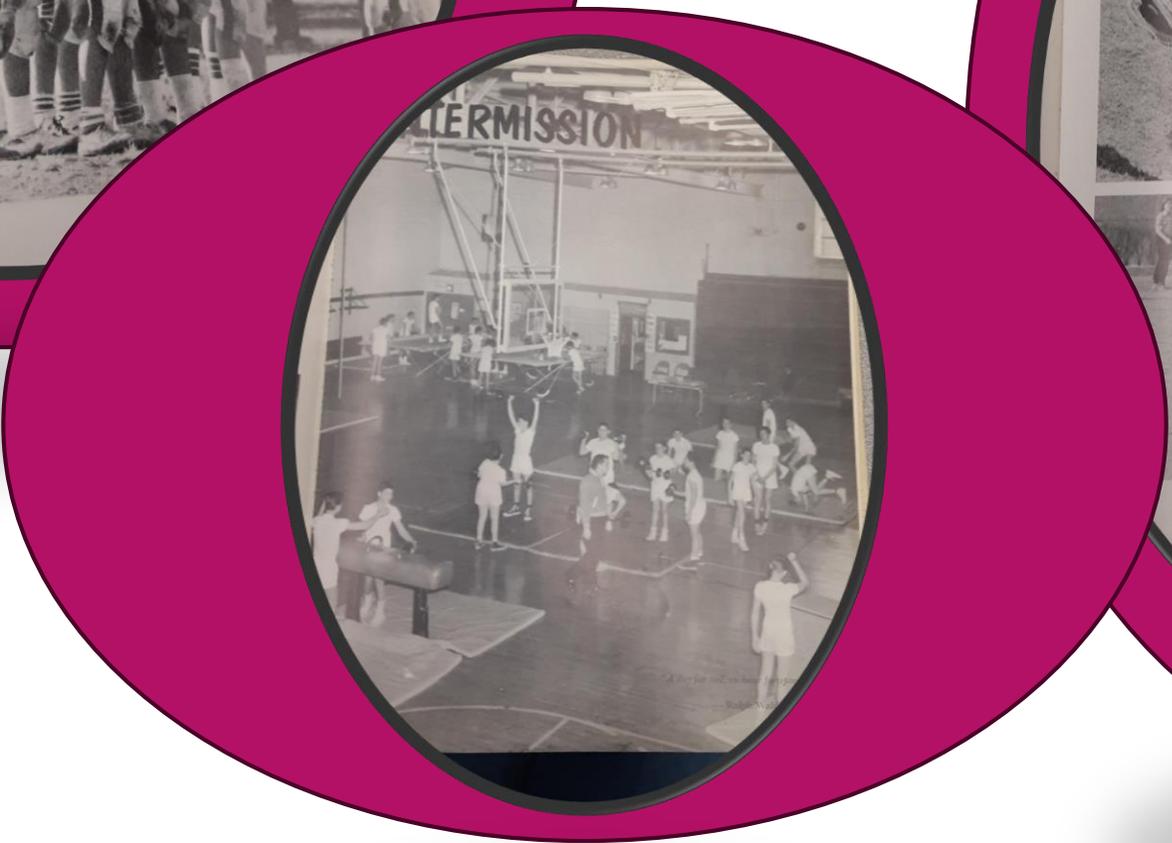


THROUGHOUT ITS HISTORY, LINCOLN HAS HAD MANY DIFFERENT SPORTS THAT DID NOT PERSIST UNTIL TODAY (AS OF 2024). LINCOLN'S SWIM TEAM, FOR EXAMPLE, DOES NOT HAVE AS BIG OF A PRESENCE AND SIMILAR TO FOOTBALL IS DONE ACROSS MULTIPLE SCHOOLS. CURRENTLY AT LINCOLN WE OFFER ALL SPORTS AVAILABLE THROUGH THE YONKERS PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM. THIS INCLUDES BUT IS NOT LIMITED TO FOOTBALL, BASEBALL, SOFTBALL, VOLLEYBALL, BOWLING, SWIMMING, AND BASKETBALL.

# Sports (continued)

- ▶ In as late as 1978, Lincoln sports was seen to be much stronger than we are today. We used to be considered one of the top schools in the sports we offered. We reportedly played Division AA sports, one of the top leagues, but now as times changed, we have dropped down to Division C. We also offered different sports that we don't offer today, like the Flag Squad and the Golf Team.





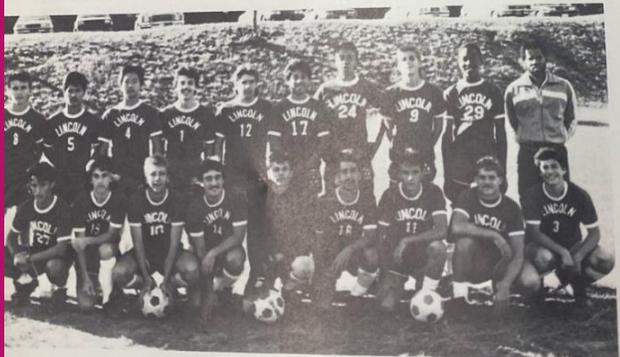
Top: Robbin Jacobs, Cheryl Tavernia, Carol Mazziona,  
Bottom: Estberg, Cathy Moran, Christine, Patty, Lynn Ad-

Girls

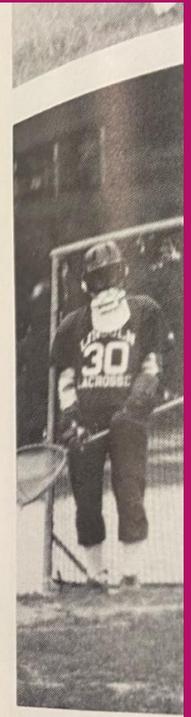
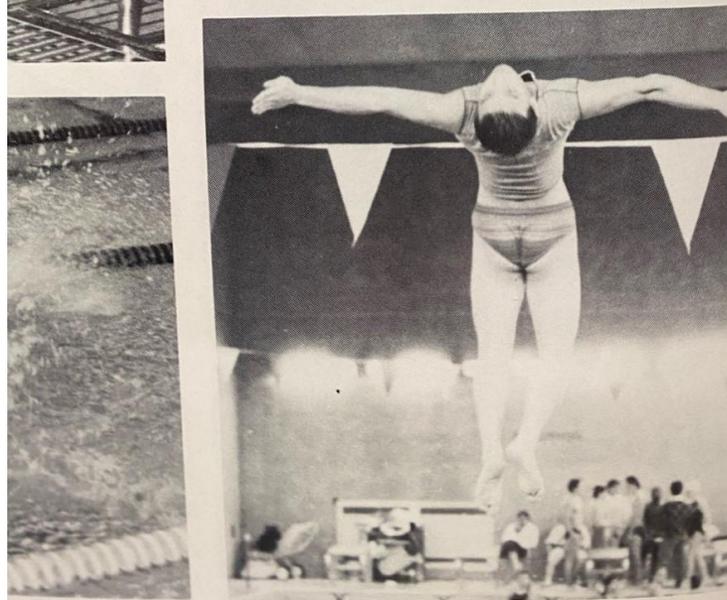
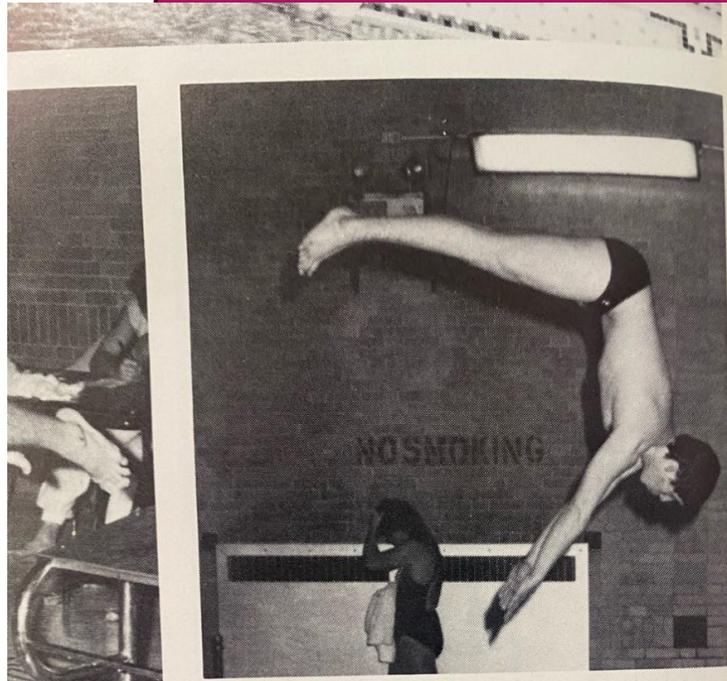
The Lincoln Girls' Varsity Softball Team, under the direction of Coach James Joyce, had a very successful '77 season. The Lancers were led by the pitching efforts of Senior Captain, Pitcher-Charlene Androvetti, who was selected to the All-County and All City Teams. Other players selected to the All-City Team were: right fielder Cheryl Tavernia, 1st baseman—Lori Leipold, and Senior Captain, shortstop—Lynne Adler. Left-fielder—Arlene Estberg received Honorable Mention to the All-City Squad. The other stars of the team include: Sophie Bucciero, Gerri Bordash, JoAnn Bazzini, Robbin Jacobs, Sue Jenick, Monica Jerussi, and Chris Meggerdichian. The returning players on the team hope to continue their winning ways. Their goal in the '77 season was to win the Sectional Championship.

Top: Robbin Jacobs  
Bottom: Joanne Bazzini

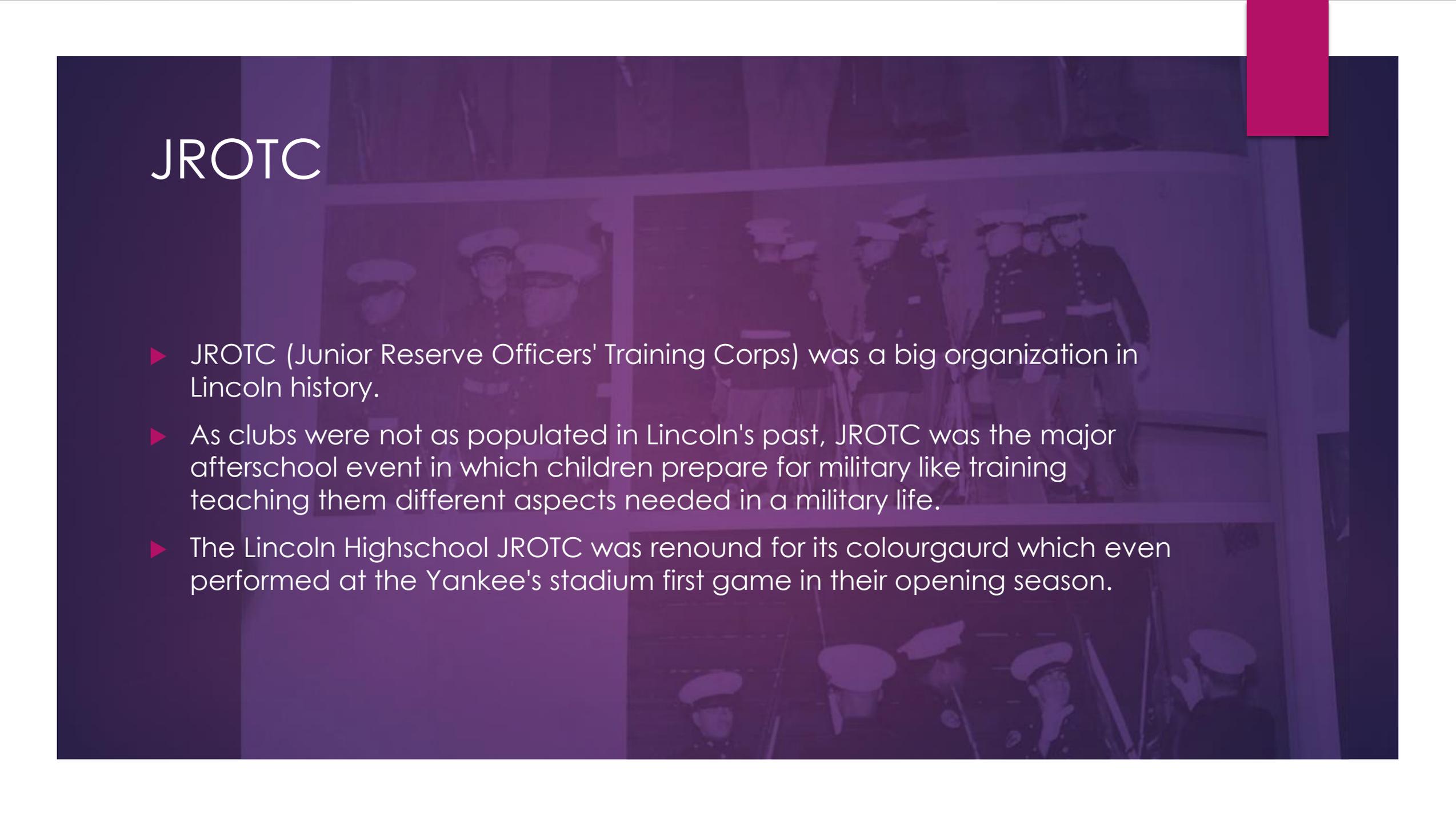
85 Pitcher Charlene Androvette



First Row: Rui Correia, Joe Viggiani, Laurence Piturro, Marco Frascione, Val Bilcik, Freddy Malone, Anton Shkreli, Dean Yorio, John Constantine, Second Row: Coach Vanacore, Paul Mikac, Juan Matamoros, Steven Hong, Ali Khorassani, Richie Pastilha, Rafael Zuniga, Nigel Hawkins, Marc Raguso, Kerith Jones, Coach Daniels.



# JROTC



- ▶ JROTC (Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corps) was a big organization in Lincoln history.
- ▶ As clubs were not as populated in Lincoln's past, JROTC was the major afterschool event in which children prepare for military like training teaching them different aspects needed in a military life.
- ▶ The Lincoln Highschool JROTC was renound for its colourgaurd which even performed at the Yankee's stadium first game in their opening season.

# ROTC at the Yankees stadium

Serving Yonkers, Dobbs Ferry and Hastings-on-Hudson (Gannett Suburban Newspapers)

# SOMETHING TO CHEER ABOUT OPENING DAY AT YANKEE STADIUM

Newcomer  
Abbott shines  
as Yanks beat  
Royals 4-1

Sports, 42A

The ROTC color guard from  
St. John's High School in  
Yonkers presents colors  
during opening-day  
ceremonies yesterday at  
Yankee Stadium. From left  
are Joe Cherubini, John  
Mazzanti and



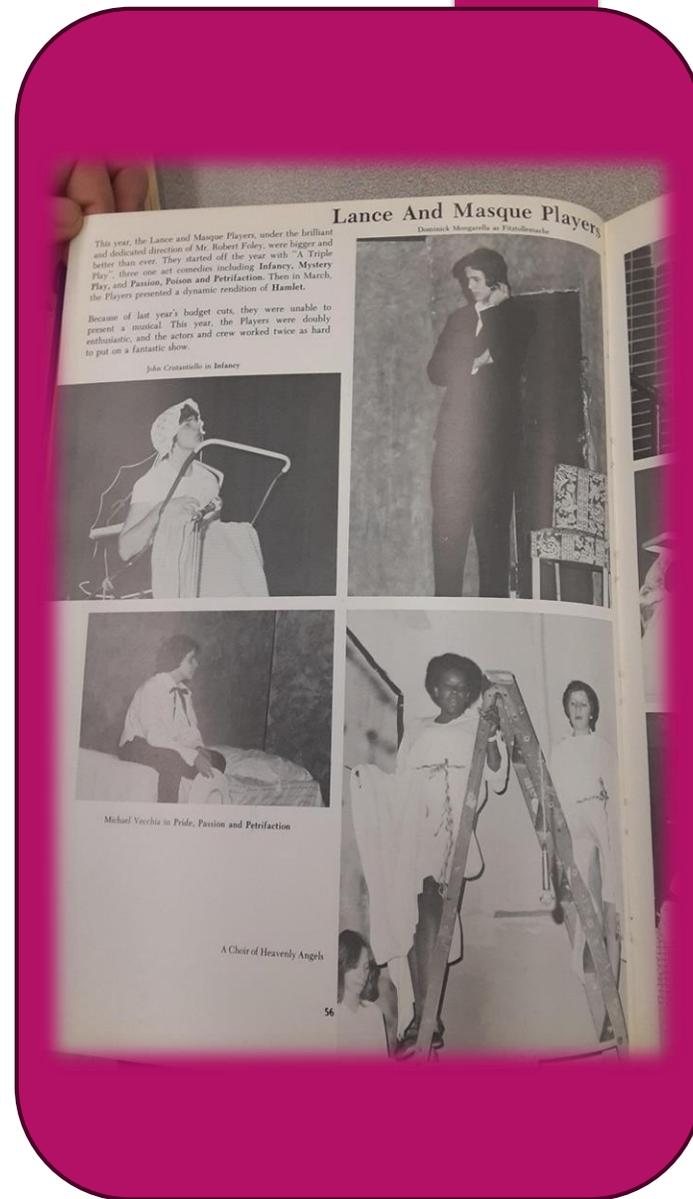


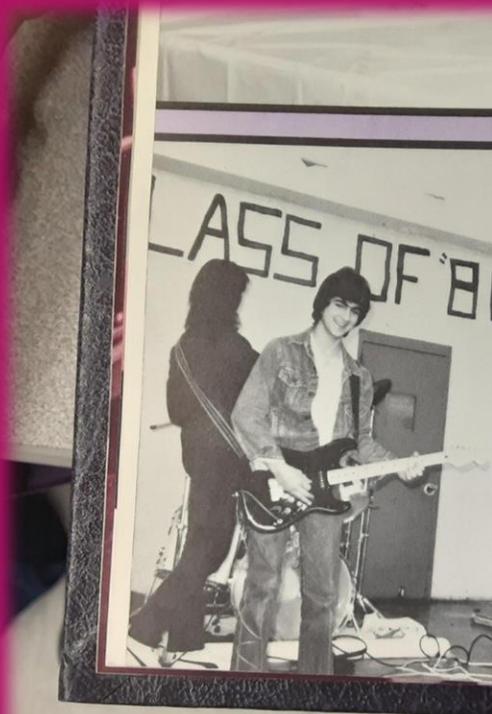
## Arts THEN V NOW



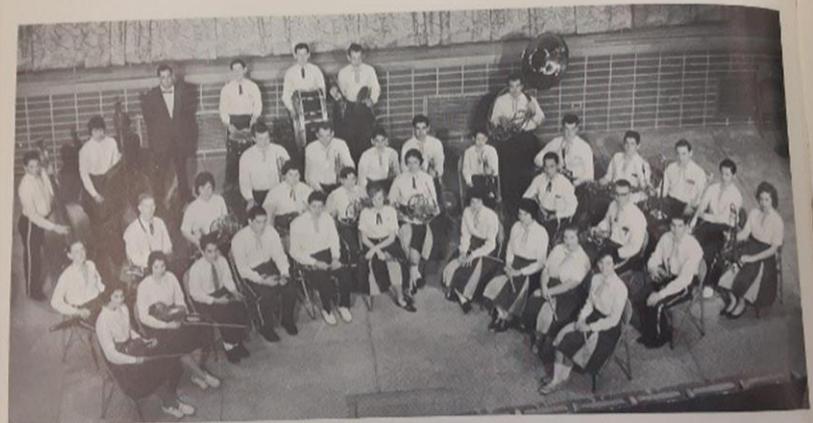
Arts had a much larger following in Lincoln than it does today. Choir groups took up monumental space, we hosted parades that thousands came to watch, we held fashion shows, we offered dance classes, and had a much wider selection of performing arts.

Now Arts is still a large part of Lincoln, but with a lot of changes. Choir groups still perform a lot and is run by Mr. Zion. Parades with the marching band is still held but is district wide (The instrumental music teacher for LHS is currently Ms. Packes). Fashion is no longer a part of Lincoln, and dance classes are no longer offered. The LHS dance group is self-run now, meaning all performances are choreographed and prepared for by the students alone.





## ORCHESTRA



Violins: B. Green, J. Chester, G. Barbuta, S. Milman, L. Bakin, M. Shiffman, E. Winston, T. Freeman, Flutes: E. Bakin, J. Scherle, B. Marsi, M. Weintraub, Oboes: K. Duckler, R. Rubin, Cello: B. Vreeland, String Bass: F. Marchak, J. Beninati, Clarinets: C. Nagele, R. Rosen, G. Maestri, G. Seal, M. Karner, Saxophone: R. Holmstrom, P. Schultz, T. Nakagami, R. Haber, J. Fitz-

gerald, Trumpets: R. Lesnick, R. Dinga, J. Chertok, F. Schectman, H. Weintraub, French Horns: L. Godfried, J. Scheer, R. Brody, Trombones: A. Clare, R. Zachar, D. Nakagami, Sousaphone: R. Zimmerman, Percussion: H. Peck, C. Lindo, H. Peck, P. Friedman, F. Morlock, F. Singer, D. Victor.

# MAGNET AND BRANCHES

- ▶ In Lincoln history, teachers with seniority recall upon the many different magnets that have been dropped as time reached on as budget cuts were made. Pre-teaching was a magnet no longer available in Lincoln today.
- ▶ Currently, Lincoln High School has three magnets that children can participate in, these include the academy of arts, the academy of finance, and the academy of scientific research.
- ▶ Upon the entrance to each academy, one has the option to join classes according to what you are choosing to study, such as woodshop, theater, scientific research, principals of finance, and financial management.

# CLUBS (FROM THEN)

- ▶ In Lincoln past Clubs were not really a big part of the extracurriculars. Mainly sports was what Lincoln held dear, but there was a few clubs that Lincoln had, though not extremely popular.
- ▶ Clubs included: S.A.D.D.(Students Against Destructive Decisions), Students General Organization, Moto-Cross, P.T.S.A (Parent Teacher Student Association ), and Cheerleading.

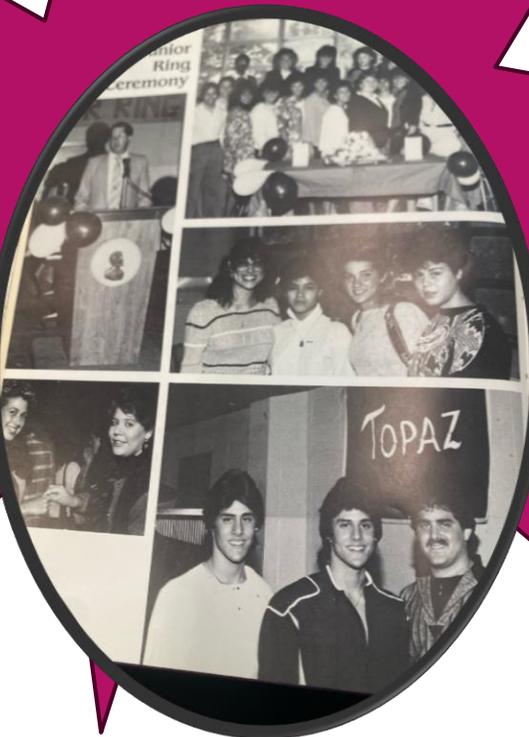


# CLUBS (FROM NOW)

- ▶ The trend of Clubs as an extracurricular activity has picked up in Lincoln throughout recent years. Now, as long as you have enough members and a teacher supervising, you too could have a club.
- ▶ Clubs include: Crafts & Confections Club, Newspaper Club, My Sisters Keeper and My Brother's Keeper, Drama, The Planned Parenthood Club, Anime Club, Gaming Club, and The Horticulture Club.

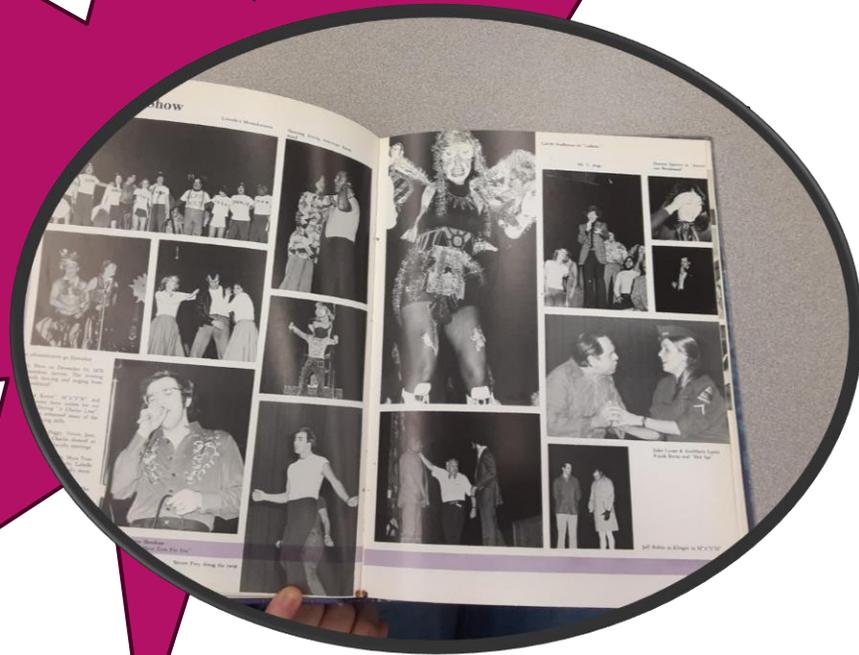


# 1. Junior ring ceremony



Lincon High School used to offer what was known as a Junior ring ceremony. This included the juniors of Lincoln high school being awarded for their transition into their new life as seniors. This used to be a longstanding event at our school and was eventually disbanded.

## 2. Faculty show



Lincoln high school, similar to its current situation, used to hold fundraisers for its magnet programs. One of these fundraisers was known as the Faculty show in which teachers and administration got together and created funny skits to entertain the children. This would include dressing up and even throwing pies into each other's faces.

# NEWS HISTORY

- ▶ In the past, New York times have written various articles on our school, with headlines like, **PLAN UNFOLDS TO INTEGRATE SCHOOLS IN YONKERS** and **IN YONKERS, STUDENTS ADJUST TO INTEGRATION** throughout 1986. We've also had **Turning Lincoln Around** and **Better Times at Lincoln High** in the year 2000.

# NY Times News Links

▶ ***Turning Lincoln Around***

<https://www.nytimes.com/2000/03/12/nyregion/turning-lincoln-around.html>

▶ ***Better Times at Lincoln High***

<https://www.nytimes.com/2000/10/29/nyregion/better-times-at-lincoln-high.html>

▶ ***IN YONKERS, STUDENTS ADJUST TO INTEGRATION***

<https://www.nytimes.com/1986/12/03/nyregion/in-yonkers-students-adjust-to-integration.html>

▶ ***PLAN UNFOLDS TO INTEGRATE SCHOOLS IN YONKERS***

<https://www.nytimes.com/1986/02/02/nyregion/plan-unfolds-to-integrate-schools-in-yonkers.html>

# INTERVIEWED HISTORY

- ▶ Throughout our time in the LHS Current Events And Trends Club we interviewed two past students, Mrs. Nogueira and Mrs. Rivera. We also interviewed two teachers here who have stayed a long time in Lincoln High School, Mrs. Silverman and Mr. Savino.

# Interview with Mrs. Silverman



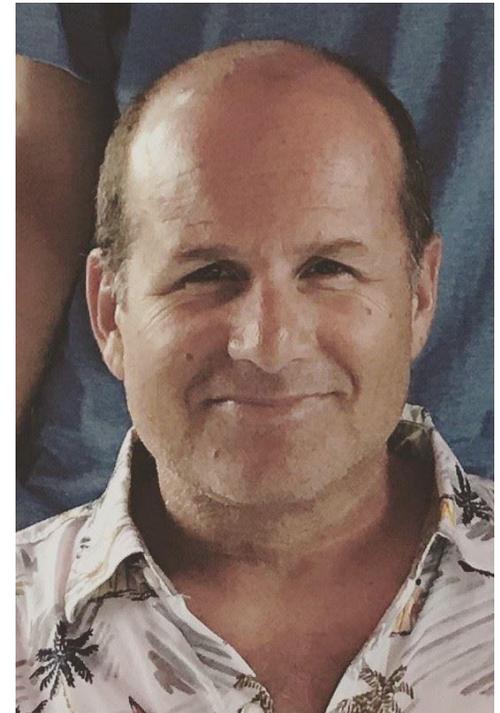
# Interview with Mrs. Rivera



# Interview with Ms. Nogueira



# Interview with Coach Savino





# Lincoln Lancers Now

THIS IS THE LINCOLN LANCERS  
MASCOT TODAY, WHERE IT PROUDLY SITS BY THE  
MAIN ENTRANCE.

- ▶ PowerPoint: Maya Hundertmark and Laylah Gordian
- ▶ Interviews and Research: Sabrina Mccoy Pretel, Gloriana Montalvo Montes, Maya Rinda Hundertmark, Laylah Gordian
- ▶ Audio editing: Maya Hundertmark
- ▶ Club Advisor: Dr. McFarlane

