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JHS Students Not Pictured

Colton Childs
Rueban Cuevas
Christopher Garza
Cynthia Garza
Tracy Gonzales
Frank Kubasch
Felicia Molina

Denis Perez
Bianca Puga
Marie Ramirez
Alex Rosales
Xavier Rowe
Donald Todd
Orlando Vasquez

Ryan Wallace
Nick Williams
Suyan Zhou
Mariachi Mestizo member, Roger Dominguez, practices alongside a senior member on violin.

Noted by: Anna Canales

Garrett Aguirre
Elizabeth Akin
Yvonne Alaniz
Eric Alvarado
Steven Ambroz
Jimmy Arpajay
Abel Arredondo
Reanna Artisola
Louis Balaramos
Cali Barber
Ysrael Barboza
Chad Bats
Erica Bates
Jamie Blackwell
Kevin Blanton
Matthew Botello
Haz Brasfield
Nathan Bryant
Sonia Calica
Thomas Camacho
Joan Campos
Bianca Cantu
Diana Castu
Alexandria Carabajal
Cassandra Casey
Benjamin Castro
Gabriela Chapa
Melanie Chargualaf
Ted Christensen
La’Taya Clay
Justin Coody
Apyl Cortez
Clarissa Cortez
Jasmine Cortez
Paul Dancer
Johnny Dang
Sean Davis
Amber De Los Santos
Andrew Deleon
Jerrika Dominguez
Roger Dominguez
Ramiro Espino
Ruben Espino
Lindsay Estrada
Stephanie Rodriguez
Zachary Rojas
Jace Rothlisberger
Salimeth Sbiza
Amy Salas
Arielle Salazar
Jaime Salazar

Lee Anthony Salazar
Joshua Saldavar
Hector Salinas
Kelsey Schendel
Eliazar Segovia
Angelita Serna
Timothy Shane

Dominique Smith
Tara Smith
Thomas Smith
Santiago Solis
Eric Soza
Michael Spencer
Christopher Stark

Erin Tabb
Courtney Taylor
Eric Taylor
Ashley Trevino
Angelica Ulloa
Jonathan Utley
Marco Valdez

Raymond Valdez
Valdemar Valdez
Maricela Valencia
Mariyah Vasquez
Cassandra Vela
Lisa Vela
Candice Velasquez

Eletha Velasquez
Frank Warner, Jr.
Lucinda Watson
Rebecca Weaver
Samantha Woodford
Aaron Yzaguirre
Briana Z bet

Margaret Zuniga
Sophomore student, Jerry Pangelinan, mans the camera framing the shot.

Justin Gutierrez
Keanu Gutierrez
Brandon Harris
Marinda Harvold
Adrian Hernandez
Bianca Hernandez

Cody Hernandez
Ereneo Hernandez
Abran Herrera
Andy Higdon
Crystal Hinojosa
Karla Hinojosa

Meghan Hughes
Vanessa Hurtado
Austin Jackson
Zachary Johnson
Victoria Jones
Roger Kelley

Kelsey Knowlton
Joey Krisch
Quinton Lee
Alejandro Longoria
Joseph Lopez
Ashley Loya

Alyssa Luna
Jonathan Maldonado
Jessica Maness
Elyssa Mann
Aaron Martinez
Adrian Martinez
Nerdy sophomore students (left) and a mystery caped crusader (above), enjoy their daily school routine during spirit.

Richard Ramon
Gisela Ramos
John Ramos
Lauren Rangel
Kayla Ready
Adriana Reyes

Bobby Rice
Laura Rich
Hannah Riley
Chasity Rodriguez
Chelsey Rodriguez
Fabian Rodriguez

Guy Rodriguez
John Rodriguez
John Rodriguez
Joshua Rodriguez
Justin Rodriguez
Justin Rodriguez

Louis Rodriguez
Marlie Rodriguez
Riva Rodriguez
Sadie Rodriguez
Josue Romero
Eliseo Rosales
A group of sophomores poses for a snapshot of their costumes, which they wore for era day during spirit week.

Stacey Roscow
Dora Rubio
Nicholos Saenz
Cassandra Salazar
Isabel Salazar
Chelsea Salinas

Lindsay Salinas
Javier Sanchez
Ricardo Sarmiento
Mariah Saucedo
Jesse Sepeda
Paola Serna

Christy Silva
Eduardo Silva
Kellen Smedley
Brittany Smith
Lazaro Smith
Jonathan Solis

Maria Solis
Phyllicia Soliz
Miriam Stemple
David Sutherland
Lawrence Tamez
Adrian Thomas
Sophomore, Shelby McIntosh, works hard while still enjoying herself during spirit week here at A.C. Jones High School.

(right) Sophomore, Adrian Loree, is a super hero for a day during spirit week.
Student Athletes

(above) JV Volleyball, (above right) Varsity Volleyball

(above) Girls Varsity Basketball, (above right) Boys Varsity Basketball
Freshmen, though scattered throughout the band, work hard to live up to their upperclassmen.

Jacqueline Acosta
Ellen Addison
Dominic Alvarado
Kristina Alvarado
Reynaldo Alvarado
Laura Anderson
Salena Anderson

Joshua Armstrong
Anthony Arredondo
Emily Arredondo
Joe Arzola
Bianca Avalos
Roger Avila
Lisa Banda

Noah Banda
Bruno Barbosa
Timothy Barcenas
Christopher Barrera
Jimmy Barrera
Anissa Barrientes
Bianca Barrientes

Jacob Barrientes
Jose Barron
Chelsea Beam
Christian Becerra
Cera Benavides
Alexandra Benavidez
Nathanial Botello

Mikayla Boyston
Sara Bright
Joseph Briseno
Samantha Briseno
Daniel Rea, working hard to shape up for soccer, practices out on the field with a fellow freshman teammate.

Photo by Jackie DelaGorda

Band members, Caleb Traylor and Tobias Chamberlain, warm up for a city parade.

Photo by Juliana Longoria

Justin Furias
Daniel Fernandez
Megan Finn
Daisy Fish
Mercedes Flanagan
Raquel Flores
Roberto Flores

Andrew Forbes
Victoria Ford
Ashlee Fox
Tiffany Fox
Jessica Freeman
Trinidad Galindo
Clark Gallegos

Alexandria Gamez
Amanda Gamez
Cindy Gamez
Victor Gamez
Abel Gamez
Aileen Garcia
Alicia Garcia

Ashley Garcia
Brittany Garcia
Elanie Garcia
Felix Garcia
Francisco Garcia
Jacob Garcia
Jovan Garcia

Larry Garcia
María García
Matthew García
Trevor García
Kevin Garza
Brittany Gilliland
Angélique Gomez

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Christy Gomez
Joe Gomez
Lawrence Gomez
Mark Gomez
Mary Gomez
Michael Gomez
Armando Gonzales
Brianna Gonzales
Heather Gonzales
Jennifer Gonzales
Lawrence Gonzales
Raymond Gonzales
Santana Gonzales
Demetri Gonzalez
Justin Govella
Nebiah Granado
Amber Granados
Lorenzo Guerrero
Fatima Guervara
Janel Gutierrez
Jesse Gutierrez
Katherine Gutierrez
Marcelino Gutierrez
Stephanie Gutierrez
Angelica Hallare
John Heald
Gregory Henley
Gabriela Hernandez
John Hernandez
Josefa Hernandez
Philip Hernandez
Valerie Hernandez
Vanessa Hernandez
Destiny Herrera
John Herrera
Stephen Hutchinson
Ernesto Ibarra
Tanner Jackson
Rob Jackson-Dembo
Stephen Jacoway
Kensley Johnson
Katherine Jones

(far right) Video Squad member, Lakeiva Ward, adds a more professional piece to her dress as she gets ready to go on camera.

Ruth Owanna, a freshman in soccer, brushes past an opponent to take a shot at the ball.
Chet Sparks, another freshman soccer player, runs laps with a few others as they get ready for the soccer season. Photo by Jessica DelaTorre

A freshman student, Garen Rodriguez, enjoys himself from the balcony as the indoor pep rally goes on.

John Snider
Angel Southmayd
Chet Sparks
Jeffrey Stafford
Andrea Suniga
Zachary Sutherland
Jessica Tamez
Kasimira Torres
Scott Townsend
Caleb Traylor
Randy Trejo
Jade Trevino
Kimberli Trevino
Grant Turner
Alexandra Valencia
April Vela
Joyce Velasco
Anastacia Villarreal
Jerome Villarreal
Amanda Villegas
Christopher Villegas
Julian Wallace
Lukeiva Ward
Nicholas Waters
Jonathan Westlund
Danielle Williams
Shanise Wilson
Stephen Wright
Lindsey Yanez
Kayla Ybanez
Alisha Yogi-Gomez
Brenda Zamora
Alejandra Zaragoza
Mercedes Zukaitis
Jessica Zuniga
The People Who Make Academics Happen
(Above) Mr. Bryant poses for a picture on era day during spirit week.
Raphael Cruzan
Brenda De La Rosa
Paula Duffy
Liz Franco
David Henley
Sandra Herrera

Jo Huffman
Diane Johnson
Louanne Lebourveau
Larry Lollar
Lana Massengale
Taliesin McCall

Frank Moron
Katheryn Mylnar
Mike Mylnar
Scott Olivo
Dian Petrus
Stella Resio

Joe Reyes
Beverly Riley
Darren Russell
Ann Scotten
Chris Soza
Justin Soza

Lance Standley
Rose Torres
Melinda Treviso
Carolyn Tullos
Stephanie Valderrama
Rick Webb

Can you guess who these teachers really are?
Corpus Christ Caller Times
Academic Scholar Nominees

Calli Barber
Achiever
Leisa Garcia
Spirit
Jessica
Godfrey
Comm.
Audrey Jones
Science

Jennifer
Lenard
Leadership
Matt Ortega
Technology
Stephanie
Rodriguez
Academic
Tim Shane
Fine Arts
Eric Soza
Athletics

Mitchell Knapp (11), Jackie Delagarza (12), Michelle Kelly (12), Johnny Davis (11), Sebastian Moron (09), Lonnie Anthony Salazar (11), Drew Elder (12), Matt Ortega (11), Ryan Wallace (09), Chad Baut (11), Joel Moore (12), and Nick Waters (12) participated in Gregory Portland for U.T.A.

Academics.
Making the Grade

There wouldn't be Academics at A.C. Jones High School without the faculty. We have approximately seventy teachers, ranging from basics such as English and Mathematics to Fine Arts and Dual Credit courses. We also have nine secretaries and three counselors who guide the students along the way to their future.
Special Students

Taught by: David Henley
Yoli Chamberlain
Mr. Cerbin
2007 Quarter Finalists

Playoffs 2007

Beeville vs. Cibolo
Steele 24-10

Beeville vs. Sinton
50-6
(From top left) Chris Campos, Abram Herrera, Jacob Gomez, Sean Davis,
Angel Gomez, Clayton Tindol, Rico Martinez, Gabriel Gonzales, Jaren
McGinnis, Chris Parker, Jordan Nelson,
Lucas Vasquez, Ryan Pollard, Dustin
McCabe, Aaron Martinez, Devin Brittes,
Brandon Harris, Jose Altamirano, Trey
Chapa, Adam Garcia, Frank Gutierrez,
Ricky Cardwell, Coaches: Justin Soza,
Adalfo Dominguez, Stephen Silva, Jesus
Baez, Michael Clark, Aaron Carranco,
Justin Rodriguez, Dalton Torres,
Johnathan Billman, Cody Hernandez,
Raymond Gomez, Abram Herrera,
Luis Rodriguez, Brandon Yanez, Joshua
Landreath, Jeremiah Puentes,
Jesus Gonzales.

Front Row Kneeling: John Paul Rodriguez, Rey Alvarado,
Michael Gomez, Phillip Hernandez, Aaron Castilla,
Ricky Campos, Justin Govella, Stephen Garza,
Juan Cardenas 2nd Row: Armando Gonzales,
Raymond Gonzales, Joe Arzola, Coach Scott
Olivo, Coach Justin Soza, Coach
Lamont Mayberry, Coach Greg
Gonzales, Chris Cruz, Oscar Perez
Wriston Ricketts
3rd Row: Marcelino Gutierrez,
Aaron Shirley, Jovan Garcia,
Anthony Orozco, Sebastian
Rodriguez, Edwin Rhodes, Trevor
Garcia, Adrian Rodriguez, Daniel
Rea, Aaron DelLeon
Top Row: Noah Banda,
Brian Galindo, Kyle Wright, Zach
Castro, Jon Silva, Nick Waters,
Ernest Buarra, Mat Garcia, Johnny
Hernandez
(Below) VARSITY FOOTBALL TEAM

Coach Dominguez talking the ever important strategy with the Trojan O-line.


The First National Bank

Regular Season

Medina Valley W 41-14
Laredo Cigarroa W 55-8
New Braunfels L 27-30
Sinton W 58-6
S.A. McCallum W 30-28
C.C. Miller W 21-15
Gregory-Portland L 21-30
Rockport-Fulton W 48-7
C.C. Moody W 41-15
Port Lavaca Calhoun W 49-21

Playoffs

S.A. McCallum W 34-14
Edcouch Elsa W 35-21
Cibolo Steele W 24-10
Lake Travis L 43-57

Overall Record: 11-3
Richie Mendoza (senior) tries to use his speed to get to the outside.

Oscar Banda (senior), Ruben Cuevas (senior), and Buck Pate (senior)

BEEVILLE
VS
LAKE TRAVIS

Richie Mendoza (senior) is tackled by a Cibolo-Steele defender after a good gain during the Regional Championship game in

Marcos Rosalez (senior) reflecting on his performance.
Running Back Richie Mendoza (senior) fights for yards while Haus Brasfield (senior) lays the wood on a Cibilo Steele defender.

Oscar Banda (senior) puts “the Hiceman” to the would be tackler.

Robby Horton (junior), Eric Soza (junior), and Rosendo Garcia (senior) await the call from the sideline.

Trojan Eric Soza (junior) scrambles to keep the play alive.

Receiver Rob Elizalde (senior) makes an aerial maneuver to make the spectacular catch.
Cali Barber (junior) runs hard at the district meet to do her best and help her team.

Josh Rincon (senior) is anticipating the start of the race.

The boys cross country team darts passed the starting line.

Brandy Yanez and her fellow teammate make their way through the Thousand Acre Park.

Below: Ysrael Barbosa (junior), C.J. Rodriguez (senior), and Josh Rincon (senior) gave it all their best at the district meet.

Runners Josh Rincon (senior), Cody Belcher (senior), Ysrael Barbosa (junior), and C.J. Rodriguez (senior) wait for the start of the race.

Cody Belcher (senior) trying to catch his breath after a hard race.
MVP Keleigh Kremers (Senior) punishes a serve for an ace.

Melanie Gonzales (Senior), Cali Barver (Junior), Erin Tabb (Junior), Keleigh Kremers (Senior), Kasha Clay (Senior), Amber Contreras (Senior), Brittany Holder (Senior), Lauren Hardy (Senior), Hillary Henning (Senior), Audrey Jones (Junior), and Coach Resio show off their district Title. (In no particular order)

Kasha Clay (Senior) dishes out a strong serve.
Oscar Banda (Senior) splits two defenders for the lay-up.

(right) Ryan Vasquez and Adam Garcia listen as JV coach Mr. Olivo gives the boys direction.

Selena Flores, basketball manager, keeps the boys on schedule.

(below) At the Tuloso-Midway’s free throw line a freshman player goes for a free point.
Kasha Clay (Senior) shoots over a couple of defenders for the basket.

Renee Trevino (Senior) plays hardnose defense on her opponent.

Erin Tabb shoots the fade-away jumper for the deuce.

Angelica Martinez (Senior) drives past an Ingleside defender for the bucket.

Leeza was the state runner-up in her weight class.
Wrestling
Coached by: Terry Foster

Arielle Salazar,
Jennifer Lenard,
and Ashley Nava

Ruben Espino
Soccer

Varsity Boys

Look at them run!

Art Martinez (10th) gets a 1 on 1 pep talk with Cochah McCall.

Joshua Rincon (senior) races after the ball.

Josh Cantu (senior) makes it down the field.

Heading that ball

Cody Hernandez (Junior) blocks against Moody #12
Junior Varsity

Varsity Girls

Erin Guerrero (10)

The Varsity girls are waiting for the game to begin.

Coach Partida

Erin Guerrero (10b)

Getting ready for practice.
Varsity Baseball

Top Row, Left to Right: Coach Lance Standley, Jimmy Joe Arguijo, Richie Mendoza, Ramon Gomez, Chad Bast, Robbie Horton, Aaron Schannen, and Eric Soza, Bottom Row: Buck Pate, Ted Christensen, Oscar Banda, Jordan Gonzalez, Matt Botello, Cody Johnson, and Colten Morris.
Varsity


Softball

Top: Kassandra Cuellar, Brooke Moya, Jessica Cuellar, Victoria Bowers, Natalie Dominguez, Brittany Smith, Nyisha Britton, Josefa Hernandez, Cera Benavidez Bottom: Lindsey Yanez, Sierra Ruiz, Mariah Saucedo, Mary Katherine Villarreal, Audrey Barriontes, April De Los Santos, Courtney Perez, Michelle Dang, Elaine Garcia, Sam Olivo

Bi District Champions

Area Champions

Regional Quarter Finals 2008

Junior Varsity

Lady Trojans cheer their teammates on.

Swing! Batter Batter!! Swing!

Lady trojans have a last minute pep talk with coach Dominguez

Melanie Gonzalez (senior) winds up for the pitch.

Amber Contreras (senior) catches for the catch.

Kasha Clay (senior) catches the ball.
Track Stars

Boys Track Team

Thomas Camacho

Aaron Shirley

Eric Soza (Junior)
Leaps over hurdle

Yi Zhou

Rosendo García

Boy's Relay Team Ready Set
far right: C.J Rodríguez & Santiago Soliz

Jon Silva (Freshman)
Brooke Moya (Freshman) Leaps over hurdles.

Bottom Row: Cassandra Jones, Sandra Narvaiz, Samantha Olivo
Back Row: Erin Tabb, Kasha Clay, Hillary Henning, Calli Barber, Amanda Galle, and Lindsey Estrada

Shanise Wilson

Kasha Clay (Senior) dashes away after receiving the stick.

Erin Tabb (Junior)
The following qualified to regional:
Shanise Wilson (shot put & discus), Chelsea Contreras (100m. & 1600m. relay), Calli Barber (800m & 1600m. relay), Kasha Clay (400m., 200m. & 1600m. relay) Melanie Chargualaf (1600m. relay), Erin Tabb (1600m. relay) Sam Olivo (1600m. relay).
From practice to performing, these athletes dedicate themselves to improving.
Fall and Spring Tennis

Christopher Garza, Junior
Emily Winkel, Senior

Golf
Daniel Cano, Senior
Kevin Blanton, Junior
Mighty Trojan Band
Disneyland
Orlando, Florida

Mr. Knowlton just a little bit sunburned!

Shane Ramon is SOOO excited!

Rachel Elerbee says "Cheese!"

Stacy Scott and Josh

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[Images of variousDiysney characters and scenes]
The following students excelled as usual at the UIL State Solo/Ensemble Contest in Austin Saturday, May 24th:

Madrigal Ensemble - 1st Division Gold Medals
Megan Duge, Ramon Barrera, Mario Barbosa, Claire Duge, Melissa De Pau, Yvonne Alaniz, Matt Ortega, Tim Shane and Courtney Taylor.

SOLOS 1st Division Gold Medals:
Mario Barbosa in Vocal Solo and Piano Solo and to Megan Duge in Vocal Solo.

SOLOS 2nd Division Silver Medals:
Matt Ortega, Kristal Perez, Jessica Maness, Melissa De Pau, Time Shane and Bruno Barbosa.

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Mr. McAulay
On April 3, 2008 the Key Club traveled to Dallas for the annual Key Club Convention. A.C Jones made the top 25 clubs and there are close to 400 chapters.

Stacy Rossw (12th), Keanu Gutierrez (10th), Briana Folsom (12th), Stephanie Liles (12th) and Nick Waters (9th) enjoy an ice cream social on the trip.

Cameron Hening (12th) Drew Elder (12th), Buck Pate (12th), Brittany Holder (12th), and Joel Moore (12th) are ready to march in the Homecoming parade.

PCCLA 07-08 Members: (back row) Claire Duge, Eric Taylor, Meagen Duge, Bonnie Cantu, Courtney Taylor and LeeAnthony Salazar (front row) Denise Perez, Samantha Briseno, Victoria Caballero, and Jackie De La Garza.
Above left: (front row) Lee Anthony Salazar, Timothy Shane, Derrell Jackson, and Chris Cruz. (Back Row) Matt Ortega, Brandie Garcia, Anessa Dembowski, Tara Smith, Shana Wilceford, and Josh Cantu were all involved in the school play.

The Death of a Salesman

"Hurry up, or you're on the list!"
-Mr. Adame, PALS Sponsor, Theatre Teacher
Criminal Justice

2007-2008

What is the Criminal Justice moto:
Criminal Justice moto,
Teamwork, motivation,
dedication, perspiration
we can make it happen
Sir Hoorah!

Nick Rodriguez, 11, and
Derrick Moron, 10, at a pep rally!

Mr. Mayo's famous saying is, "Say chief I ain't mad at you."

In a interview with Mr.
Mayo, we asked him, "What accomplishment are you most
proud of this year?" He
said, "We went to competi-
tion and we took first in
Infra-red, C.P.R., and law
enforcement. We are the
only ones to get a perfect
100 and I am proud of
that."
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N.J.R.O.T.C.

Thomas Smith, 11

Brittany Sansaba, 11,
Michale Ponce, 2, in the picture above.

Nathan Bryant, 11, and his armed platoon. They worked all year long and it all paid off at A.M.T as they all looked extremely sharp.
Junior Varsity Cheerleaders
Front Row: Shelby Macintosh, Brooke Moya, Ashley Fox, Laryn Trevino
Back Row: Brandie Garcia, Amanda Cagle, Ashley Loya, Kimberly Castaneda, Brittany Garcia

Varsity Cheerleaders
Back Row: Shannon West, Jenna Herrera, Leanza Garcia, Jennifer Garcia.
Front Row: Lisa Garcia, Audrey Dominguez, Roxanne Flores, Cassandra Jones, Victoria Flores, and Sandra Narvaez.

Class of 2008

Go Team!
Shannon West, 11, at the art club meeting playing guitar hero.

Hector Salinas, 11, at a art club meeting.

Shane Ramon, 12, stopped to take a quick picture.

Yvonne Alanis, 11, Jessica Nathaniel, 11, and Megan Pfiehler, 11, at ED Fest supporting the Art club.

Ariel Jenkins, 11, sitting observing and laughing at the things happening around her.

Nicholas Hernandez, 12, at ED Fest supporting the art club.

Jenara Guerrero, 12, being the DDR queen.

Jessica Nathaniel, 11, putting a art club logo on a black shirt.
What is DECA?
Distributive Education Clubs of America, DECA, is a co-curricular activity that integrates some marketing classes with working half a day. The program allows students to develop leadership and business skills beyond what the classroom alone can provide. Students explore a variety of career fields while working in the Beeville business community.
The students went to competitions, conferences, and hosted a banquet in gratitude towards their employers. Students network with businesspeople who often influence their future career possibilities. Many students this year were recognized nationally in competitive events. They have created friendships as they have traveled to various career/leadership conferences. At the end of the year most have expanded their resume and are able to build a college application that will put you at the top of anyone's list.
The BPA (Business Professionals of America) Club competed at their Regional Competition on January 26, 2008. Each member competed in the following event and received the following award: Briana Folsom: Banking and Finance—State Alternate. Marissa Posada: Spreadsheet Application and Analysis—2nd place at Region. State Qualifier Jalissa Ward: Advanced Word Processing Skills—1st place at Region. State Qualifier Eliza Suniga: Desktop Publishing—State Alternate. The students also competed at the State Conference March 5-8 in Dallas, TX.

Building & Construction Trades

Courtney Taylor, Daniel Cano, Frank Hiracheta, and Orlando Vasquez competed in SkillsUSA competitions.

1st in District for Team Building

Dazzlers


Erica Gutierrez, Senior, Colonel
Welding

Top row from left to right: Bobby Lara, Cody Belcher, Eric Alvarado, Allen Galloway, Mattew Downs, Donald Ernest, Daniel Juranek. Bottom row, left to right: Ruben Cuevas, Jordan Lee, Mr. Mylnar, Drew Elder, Jimmy Joe Arguido, Ryan Morin, and John Amthor.

In the picture above: Jimmy Joe Arguido, John Amthor, and Jordan Lee, all placed in a welding competition.

F.F.A.

The Final Livestock Judging Team

(above) Competing welders

Left to right: Tamara Del Bosque, Erica Bates, Calli Barber, Eric Taylor, J. Campbell Heard. Squatting-Colton Edwards. Three of these students; Tamara, Eric, and Campbell advanced as a team to Area Competition.

(left) The tradition of hand dipping displays dedication.

Mr. Wheelus
Mariachi

Mariachi Mestizo

"Committed to our Culture's Future"
Spirit Week 2007 Featuring Local Celebs
School Favorites

Freshman Class Favorites:
Vanessa Segovia and Sebastian Rodriguez

Sophomore Class Favorites:
Carly Garcia and Ryan Vasquez

Junior Class Favorites:
Lindsey Estrada and Matthew Botello

Senior Class Favorites
Jennifer McCoy and Mario Barbosa

All Campus Favorites
Cassandra Jones and Ramiro Quiroz

Mr. and Ms. Congeniality:
Stephanie Liles and Josh Rincon

Cutest Couple
Leeza Garcia and Rueben Cuevas

Annual is a talent show-like competition tied in with a Student Choice Awards night. This year, Student Council got their fifteen minutes of fame and hosted and organized the event, along with presenting awards.
Best Dressed:
Lyndsey Harvey and Trevor Houton

Best Smile:
Jenna Herrera and James Garza

Most Athletic:
Kasha Clay and Oscar Banda

Most Beautiful and Handsome:
Molly McKinney and Josh Cantu

Most Humorous:
Leeza Garcia and Ramon Barrera

Most Likely to Succeed:
Stephanie Liles and Joel Moore

Most Outgoing:
Elysia Brune and Marcos Rosales

Most Spirited:
Cassandra Jones and Ramiro Quiroz

Most Talented:
LeAnn Gonzales and Mario Barbosa

The Student Choice Awards are voted on by their fellow peers based on popularity and overall presence. It's categorized by Favorites, Mr. and Ms. Cutest Couple, and Best/Most.
Video Production

VIDEO SQUAD reports at NCAA Basketball Game

Ms. Valderrama, LaKeiva Ward, Coach Pete Peterson, Head Men's Basketball Coach Texas A&M University Kingsville, Jalissa Ward, andLa'taya Clay.
The VIDEO SQUAD taped a sports segment on the TAMUK campus and interviewed players and the coach. The episode was aired on TrojanTV2 at AC Jones as part of the Buzzing Trojan News show.

We also taped footage for a TAMUK commercial that would be aired on our high school campus. The university was going to pay us in return for our services and air time on TrojanTV2.

There just was not enough time extracurricularly to complete it.

Airing commercials for local business would also be a great idea if there were time for it.
The Dance
Military Ball

Chief Hidalgo and his wife dancing at the ball.
Samantha Gomez, 11, sitting one of the dances out.
Michelle Dang, 9, and Lazaro Smith, 9, enjoying each other's company.
Wreston Wrickets, 9, and Crystal Cantu, 9, dancing.
Ellis Valdez, 9, and Ashley Nava, 12, about to hit the dance floor.
Prom Royalty

May 10th, 2008
78th Edition

Mario Barbosa
(12th)

Shannon West
(12th)

Paul Gonzales
(12th)

Ramiro Oquendo
(12th)

John Alcorta
(12th)

Jalissa Ward
(12th)

Ramiro Gonzales (11th)

Angelica Gonzales

Jessica Nathaniel
(12th)

Tamara Santillana
(12th)

Marissa Pasada
(12th)
Jessica Nathanial (11th), Samantha Hill (11th), Megan Pfahler (11th), and Mason Fitch.

Jessica Esparza (12th), Jacob Puga (12th)

Lydia Trevino (11th)

Joan Gonzos (11th), Angelica Gonzales, Tamara Guerrera, and Jessica Godfrey (11th)

Jennifer Ralbard (12th)

Bianca Puga (12th), Betty Dunn (12th), Tamara Guerrera

Raymond Vazquez (11th), Sara Garcia (12th)

Mr. Garcia, Jessica Godfrey, Mrs. Ochoa-Garcia
Family Album
Siblings and Relatives

Mr. Alvarado & his son,
Dominic

The Zuniga’s

The Quiroz’s

The Elizalde’s

The Weaver’s

The Gamez-Galle’s

The Molina’s

The Ward’s

The Water’s

The Rangel’s
April & Ofelia De Los Santos
Bettie Dunn

Keep the Past in your Memories
Keep your Eyes on the Future
Keep your Heart with God.
YOU are the only one who can
limit your POTENTIAL

Where ever you go and whatever
you accomplish you will always have my Love,

-Daddy
"What a year Audrey & Richie,"
Love,
Your Families
Belles,
We are so proud of all of your accomplishments in your senior year!
Love,
Mom, Dad, and Camel

Congratulations
Jennifer Weaver
Senior 2008
My how the years have gone by!
You three have grown into fine young adults
that we are so proud of!

We Love You Very Much!
Your Parents &

Meagan, Hunter, Mackenzie & Logan

Lyndsey  Lauren  Drew
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To my dear Felicia... As you have graduated and turned into a woman, my wish for you as a Mother, is always reach for the stars and be all you can be. We as a family, are proud of you. This is a very hard world and we know you can be strong. You can achieve anything you truly put your heart into. We have faith in you to continue your education and of course be a wonderful parent. God bless you.

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Varsity Cheerleaders

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Athletic Banquet
May 5, 2008

Presentation of
The
“B” Awards
Sophomore Athletes

The
"B" Award

Freshmen Athletes
Sophomore Athletes

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The “B” Award
Renee and her teammates.

Richie Mendoza & Renee Trevino

Distinquished
Recipients

Tennis

Rosendo Garcia

Rosendo and his teammates.

Pain at the Pump
This was the price of gas December 7, 2007. This is what seniors paid for gas during the winter break.

How much did it cost the new graduates to fill their new tanks during the summer break? The month of June started out at $3.89 a gallon and went as high as $3.99 my mid-month.

Tips for getting better gas mileage:

1. Fuel in the morning when the ground temp. is cooler.
2. Engage the gas nozzle at slow mode not on the fastest mode.
3. Check tire pressure.
4. Change the air filter regularly.
5. Avoid drive thru’s at peak hours.
6. Ease up on the accelerator when taking off.
7. Empty the trunk.
8. Be sure your gas cap is on tight.
9. Use the right octane level for your car.
10. Plan your errands and your driving route.
11. Car pool when possible.
12. Ditch the SUV.
13. Commute early/commute late to avoid rush hours when in larger cities.
TOP 10 % of the '08 Class
Congratulations GRADUATES

The time has arrived for foreign exchange student Alex Rosales to pick up his cap and gown.

Lorraine Gutierrez, senior '08

Mrs. Frost, senior counselor, prepares the potential graduates for the big day at a mock graduation.

Felicia Christensen studies the mock diploma.

Krystal and Ali elegantly pose with confidence.

'Check this out! It has my name on it! That's going to me cool, too!' must be Jarrod's thoughts.

Michelle Castro and Jennifer Sanchez learn quality to understand the direction to follow for the graduation ceremony.
Colophon

The yearbook staff consisted of 8 students who used Adobe Creative Suite 2 to design your book.

1. Tony, Liz, and Donald members of the Trojan Yearbook Staff attended a yearbook workshop at UTPA in the valley. 2. Liz and Donald are looking at the critique for the 2007 yearbook.

3. Tony and Justina were present to photograph the CATE banquet. Tony was the lead photographer and Justina managed the yearbook receipts.

4. Tony took pictures at the Alamodome. 5. Donald is adjusting the camera at a volleyball game. 6. Jesi joined us in January and completed 35 pages of the yearbook on her own spare time.

She produced the first 24 pages of the yearbook and all the divider pages plus other pages when students fell behind.

7. Jackie could always be seen smiling. 8. Anna also came to us in January.

9. Shelby also was recruited because of her knowledge of Photoshop and stayed after school to work on her assignments and came up on weekends.

10. I worked the month of June so that you could enjoy your yearbook.

Special people: Bruce Harper for donating photos. Jesi, Shelby, and Laine Luthringhe for coming after school to make this book possible. - Ms. V