

# Who Will Be the W Factor?

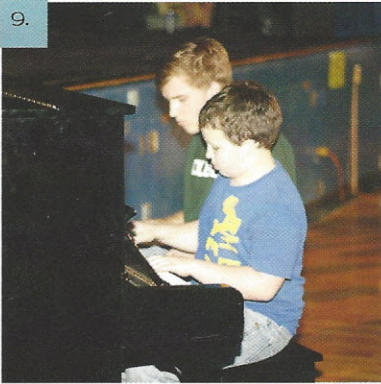
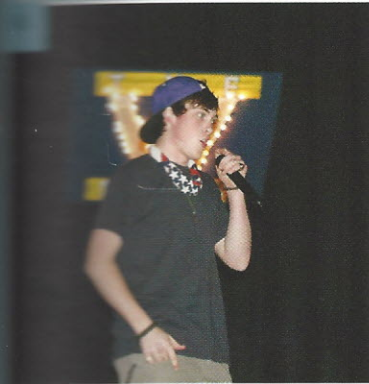
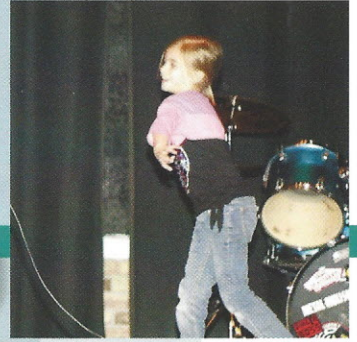
The Talent Show has become a highly anticipated student event, and this year the co-sponsoring organizations, yearbook staff and student government, did not disappoint participants or the audience. The theme of the talent show was "The W Factor" and juniors Alex Scott and Anna Grey Walters served as co-hosts. Serving as impersonating judges were Corey Davis as Simon Cowell, Carson Justice as Britney Spears, Austin Costenbader as L.A. Reed, and Pauline Craig as Demi Lovato.



What were your feelings before going on stage?

What am I getting myself into?  
-Reid Johnson, 12th Grade

Hoping I would do great. It was a surprise when I lost my tooth.  
-Brinson Baker, 1st Grade



1. Anna Grace Martin and Brinson Baker perform their dance routine while Wyatt Raley and Berry Bonds sing "What Makes You Beautiful". 2. Mason Gibbons supplies accompaniment for his younger brother, Mitchell, by showing off his guitar skills. 3. Concentrating thoroughly on playing, Taylor Ingle wows the audience with his guitar. 4. Mitchell Gibbons graces the audience with his impressive singing voice for the second year in the talent show. 5. The "judges", Corey Davis, Austin Costenbader, Pauline Craig, and Carson Justice, portray TV judges Simon Cowell, LA Reid, Demi Lavato, and Britney Spears. 6. Junior Sarah Grier Thompson features her soft voice at the second school event this school year. 7. At the end of his performance, host Anna Grey Walters discusses with Josh Ellisor how he feels about his drum playing. 8. As probably the most surprising act of the night, Paul Pendergrass raps his own lyrics to a song. 9. The Gibbons brothers concentrate hard on playing their well-practiced piano duet. 10. The keyboarders of Mrs. Howell's class play one of the songs the group, self-titled Skyhooks, performed. 11. Austin Costenbader sings the song "Have You Ever Seen The Rain" as the lead vocalist for the group, Skyhooks. 12. Two of Mrs. Howell's students, Levi Davis and Pauline Craig, play their guitars with skill. 13. While acting as TV hosts Mario Lopez and Khloe Kardashian, the hosts of the evening's affair, Alex Scott and Anna Grey Walters, inform the audience about the next act.

