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“After the waterfall crashes, the creak of darkness engulfs death. The glistening water raining down upon nature leaves behind an impact. An impact all things in nature strive to have on the world. To have any impact on this world however, the baby bird must learn to fly. Every animal must leave the nest, every human must tie their shoes and walk their own path. The tools, the mentorship, the guidance they received over the years is carried on their journey of life.”

*E.J. King Senior Class President Caleb Anderson*

Class of  
2021



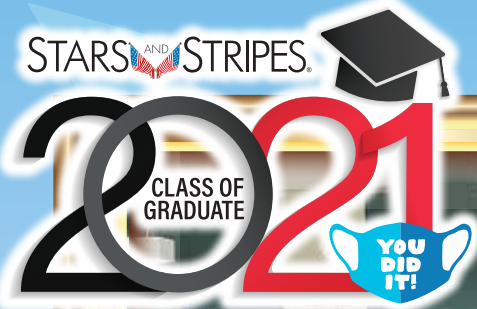
CONGRATULATIONS!

E.J. King High  
Matthew C. Perry High  
Nile C. Kinnick High

Robert D. Edgren High  
Yokota High  
Zama American High







CLASS OF GRADUATE

YOU DID IT!



Photo by Best, M.

# E.J. King High School

Denis Alfaro Salazar  
Josephine Allen  
Caleb Anderson  
Alexandria Balog  
Liam Bauser  
Jay Brian Belmonte  
Myugi Bergman  
Kobe Coleman  
Edrick Cummings  
Jared Delacruz  
Ryan Eisiminger  
Nina Fitzwater  
Avanni Gardner  
Jae Garland  
Kyla Gibson  
Ethan Herrero  
Makenna Kane

Frankie Keefe  
Tsuyoshi Kemp  
Takumi Kodama  
Isaiah Luna  
Samantha Mohr  
Levi Musgrave  
Michael O'Connor  
Joseph Ray  
Iliza Rivera  
Halle-Mari Santiago  
Leo Schinker  
Yasmine Stella  
Paige Ward  
Elizabeth Tucker  
Kai White  
Jordan Woods



Halle-Mari Santiago and Alexandria Balog leave first with their Principal Honor Roll Awards in hand. Photo by T. Chen



Senior basketball players Kobe Coleman, Edrick Cummings and Frankie Keefe shoot to win spirit points.  
Photo by M. Best





Avanni Gardner and Yasmine Stella enjoy Crazy Sock Day! Photo by H. Santiago



Jazz hands from jazz player Micheal O'Connor. Photo by T. Chen



Perfect practice makes perfect play for Takumi Kodama. Photo by H. Santiago



Samantha Mohr does some designing during Art Club after school. Photo by D. Alfaro



Liam Bauser enjoys a mini seminar celebration. Photo by H. Santiago

### Shining the light

After the waterfall crashes, the creak of darkness engulfs death. The glistening water raining down upon nature leaves behind an impact. An impact all things in nature strive to have on the world. To have any impact on this world however, the baby bird must learn to fly. Every animal must leave the nest, every human must tie their shoes and walk their own path. The tools, the mentorship, the guidance they received over the years is carried on their journey of life.

This year has been devastating, especially from the restrictions due to the Coronavirus. Everyone has had to adapt and take on new “norms” in this High School experience. I would first like to give a special thanks to Principal Brown and Dr. Norman for their time, commitment, and dedication at this school. Even with the new restrictions they have found ways to help us make the most out of our senior year. The work they have done behind the scenes to ensure we get a “high school experience” is priceless and will be remembered for as long as we live.

On behalf of the senior class I would also like to thank Ms. Holley and Mr. Jocko for what they have done specifically for the Class of 2021. Everything you have done and will do isn't taken for granted. We appreciate the time you spend, the advice you've given, and most of all the guidance you've bestowed upon us.

Lastly, thank you so much to the Parent's of the Class of 2021. Since the first breath on this Earth you have been in our corner. Through the good and bad days, you continued to encourage us and words are not enough to express our thanks for you. We love you!

Without the assistance of our parents, teachers and administration along the way we wouldn't be able to leave behind our individual meaning and purpose. You have helped the EJ King Class of 2021 to embark on our journey of life. Thank you Parents, thank you teachers, thank you friends, for guiding us these past 12 years and shining the light in the right direction.

Senior Class President Caleb Anderson  
Class Representative Jae Garland  
Class Representative Levi Musgrove

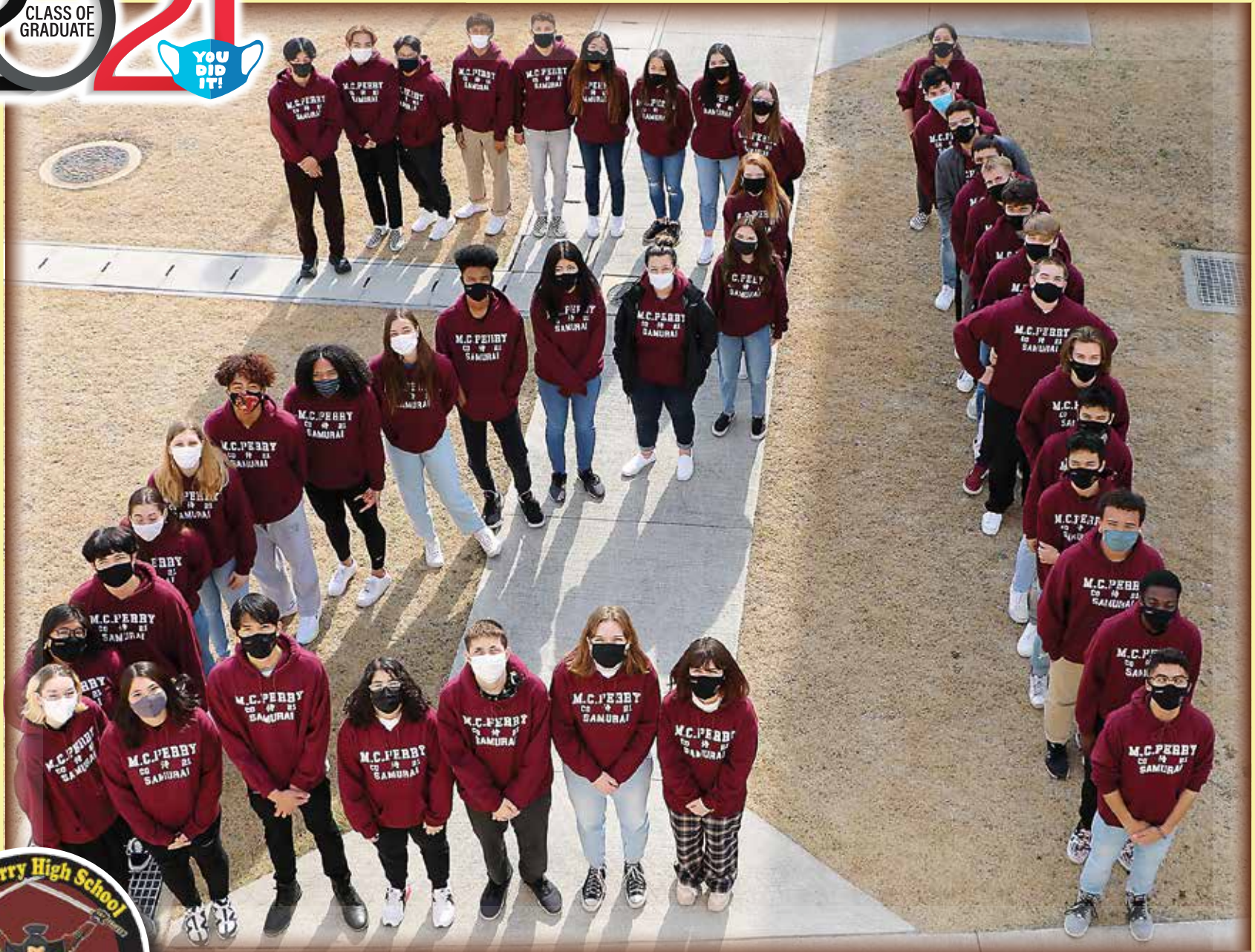


Alexandria Balog makes an amazing catch. Photo by T. Chen



A Senior Class shoutout. Photo by M. Best



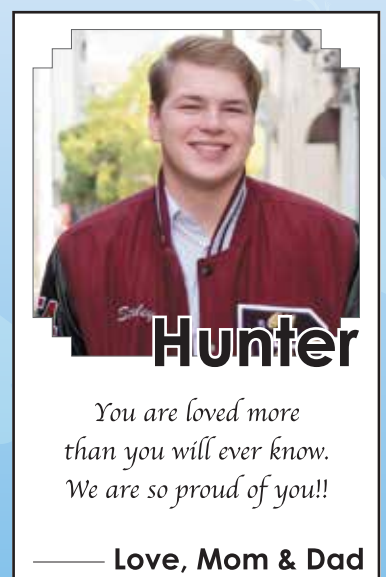


# Matthew C. Perry High School

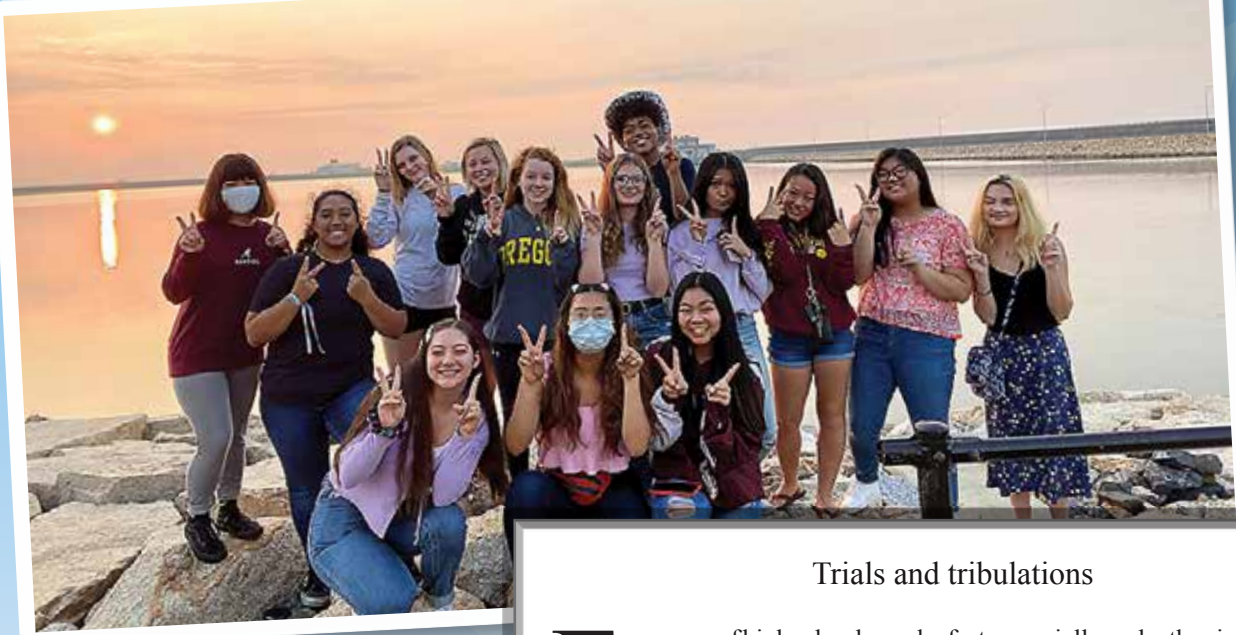
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Coutrier, Nicole  
Dagostino, Mason  
Demedeiros, Raphael  
Dorey, Sophie  
Dubey, Aliyah  
Duncan, Braxton  
Ferrer, Josue

Finnesgard, Zachary  
Game, Mackenzie  
Graydon, Maverick  
Griffin, Casey  
Hansen, Ruth-Elizabeth  
Haruki, Caroline  
Kim, Isaiah Ahnjae  
Ligasan, Aaliyah Dannah  
Link, Allison  
Linville, Julia  
Maurer, Ethan  
Mitchell, Elizabeth  
Munsell, Katelyn  
Neil, Alizae  
Pacleb, Joel

Palanca, Samantha  
Ramirez, Jonathan  
Ramirez, Julian  
Santos, Shainne  
Shaw, Creanna  
Staley, Hunter  
Swindell, Shawn  
Thapthimdaeng, Rory  
Tritt, Rina  
Tuohy, Hana  
Turay, Kai  
Tyler, Wilkins  
Whitener, Iyana  
Willson, Leah  
Ziegler, Dominic







Top, left to right: Julia Linville, Anela Ballesteros, Casey Griffin, Mackenzie Game, Alizae Neil, Elizabeth Mitchell, Shawn Swindell, Aaliyah Ligan, Creanna Shaw, Shainne Santos, Aliyah Dubey. Bottom, left to right Kate Munsell, Addy Roth, Samantha Palanca smile at Senior Sunrise. Photo by: Hunter Staley



Mackenzie Game, Alizae Neil, and Creanna Shaw share some smiles in their JROTC uniform. Photo by Brad Cramer



Wilkins Tyler, Julian Ramirez, Josue Ferrer, and Braxton Duncan take a quick selfie in the senior lounge. Photo by: Junito Ferrer



Seniors Shawn Swindell, Joseph Andres, and Kate Munsell show off their vintage clothing. The seniors had the 80s for Decades Day, and sure showed out! This dress up day was the most popular for the school, and a senior favorite. Photo by Melissa Cole

Trials and tribulations

Four years of high school goes by fast, especially under the circumstances that the class of 2021 endured. There have been trials and tribulations for each member of our class, and we have overcome them. On behalf of the senior class, I would like to thank those who have helped us get to this point in our lives. To our parents, thank you for always supporting us in our endeavours, thank you for always having our best interests at heart, and thank you for never giving up on us, and always picking us up when we fall. If it wasn't for you, we would not be where we are today. To our teachers, thank you for always believing in us and pushing us to be the best we can be, thank you for teaching us valuable life lessons in addition to core subjects, and thank you for guiding us through high school, and helping us plan our futures. To Dr. Awakuni and Mr. Anglim, thank you for keeping the school a safe learning environment, and helping us stay in school during the pandemic. To Ms Swiderski, thank you for fighting for us to have our senior traditions, thank you for bringing joy during such a grim school year, and thank you for seeing us as individuals and giving us the best senior year we could have asked for. It is all of you we have to thank for helping us to be successful, and finish high school triumphantly.

Coming off of the 2019-2020 school year, there was little hope for being in person for classes at the start of this school year. However, we were blessed with the opportunity to be in the place we started, to finish out our high school careers. Although we were unable to have traditional events and activities including fall and winter sports, homecoming, pep rallies, and other after school activities, you all still made this school year the best possible under the circumstances.

At the start of the school year, we all gathered at 6am to watch the sunrise to kick start our senior year. It was so nice seeing everyone in person again and greeting friends we hadn't seen all summer. We will all take with us the memories from our spirit weeks where we could dress as crazy characters or have a blast from the past. For homecoming week, we all came together as a class to compete in our annual hallway decorating contest. Of course we can't forget the senior ornament decorating and the Senior Secret santa event throughout the month of December. Moving into the spring, and as we prepare for graduation we often get caught up in the mess of it all. But we can always hold these memories close to our hearts, and cherish the unique time we have spent together at Matthew C Perry. We will always remember the lasting effects that we have all had on each other, and we will always have love for our school, our teachers, and our classmates.

On behalf of the Class of 2021,  
Thank you  
Kate Munsell  
Senior Class President



Dominic Ziegler, Hunter Staley, and Matthew Adams pose as monkeys in the gym. Photo by Samantha Palanca



Casey Griffin and Rory Thapthimdaeng share a hug in the falling snow. Photo by Kate Munsell



Hana Tuohy, Iyana Whitener, Matthew Adams, Maverick Graydon, Joseph Andres, Gerald Hemry, Kate Munsell, Casey Griffin, and Aaliyah Ligan cheer at a homecoming pep rally. Photo by Shawn Swindell



Shainne Santos, Allison Link, Pearl Baker, Rory Thapthimdaeng, and Julia Linville display their exhaustion during senior year. Photo by Joseph Andres





# Nile C. Kinnick High School

Adams Elizabeth	Docuyanan Ma. Hannah Isabel	Holzhauser Justin	Merritt Rian	Sexton Andrew
Adigun Monisola	Eccleston Hana	Ignacio Joee	Millares Yunalesca	Simons Morgen
Allen Kailey	Ellis Ezekiel	Ingel Eliana	Mincey James	Simpson Kyeisha
Amante Achilles	Engel Mallory	Jacobs Nicole	Mincks Abigail	Smith Connor
Andersen Ryu	Eubanks Marshall	Jimenez Jeremy	Mitchell D'Ajia	Smith Jaiden
Anderson Jada	Ewing Gabriella	Jimenez Orianna	Molina Angel	Smith Juliane
Anguiano Aisha	Fernando Jason	Johnson Kiana	Moody Johnnell	Smith Kaylee
Aquino Jazmyne	Ferrer Nathan	Kelly Kya	Morales CrispNinathan	Smith Maculey
Ayala Luis	Flah Kiara	Kidd Brandon	Morris Hugh	Sowell Mark
Barrera Tiana	Fletcher Kimaya	King Carmen	Murphy Chelsea	Stevens Tristan
Bishop Hunter	Florespena Christopher	King Elijah	Nguyen Anne Claire	Story Seth
Briones Matthew	Flowers Kion	King Justin	Obunga Sooyoung	Stravers Gabriel
Brown Renka	Francis Isejah	Kobielsz Sayaka	Patton Justine Miles	Sylvia Andrew
Brown Shiera	Fulk Kyla	Kuiper Bodhi	Penaflor Juan Manuel	Thompson Madalyn
Buckley Dakota	Garrido Gabriel	LaPointe Ian	Penberthy Megan	Todorowski Lilianna
Cabagnot Ross	Gedeus Gladys	Lau Charley	Perez Ethan Daniel	Toledo Alyssa Ann
Carlos James Bernard	German Stella	Leonin Troy	Perez Gabriel	Uptegrove Charlize
Carpenter Zoey	Gidney Michael	Lisbon Orion	Perez Kirk Angelo	Valdes Jermaine
Clemens Kayla Marie	Gonzalez Ashley	Lopez Sakura	Pila Janzel Lance	Van Roekel Mikayla
Cliatt Katie	Gonzalez Unique	Losinger Raif	Reyes Jericho	Vergara John Edward
Cobler Ariana Joy	Green Isabella	Lozano Mark Christian	Rich Ema Gabriel	Vitug Jacob
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Crouch Justin	Hanshew Emilie	Lynch Alyssa	Roberts Ami	Webster Nicholas
Cruz Gabriel	Hernandez Juan	Magtira Kyle Anthony	Rodgers Ellyse	Weinstock Ashley
Davidson Emily	Hineman AmaSdeobrastian	Maki Eimee	Rodriguez Mya	Wise Kane
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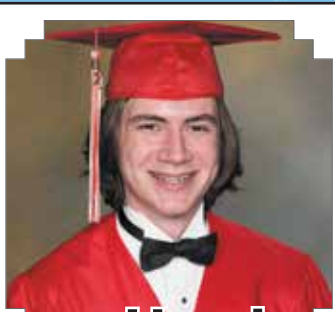




Chelsea

Congratulations,  
continue to do great things,  
remember, all things are possible.  
We love you!

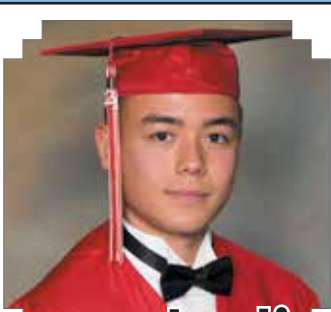
Mom and Dad



Hunter

Super proud of you!  
We couldn't have asked for a  
better son & we admire the  
young man you've become.

Mom & Dad



Justin

Congratulations! We are so proud  
of you and all you have  
accomplished. We know you will do  
great at Berkeley. We love you!!!

Mom and Dad



Mikayla

Congratulations Honey!!!  
We are so proud of you!!!  
Keep on smiling, singing, and  
dancing. Love you always.

Mom, Dad, and little sister Sophie



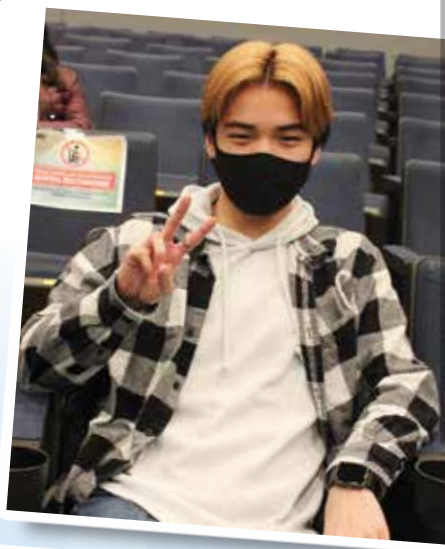
Gabe

CONGRATULATIONS! YOU  
DID IT!! WE ARE SO  
PROUD OF YOU! Go YO-H!  
Red Devils! Class of 2021!

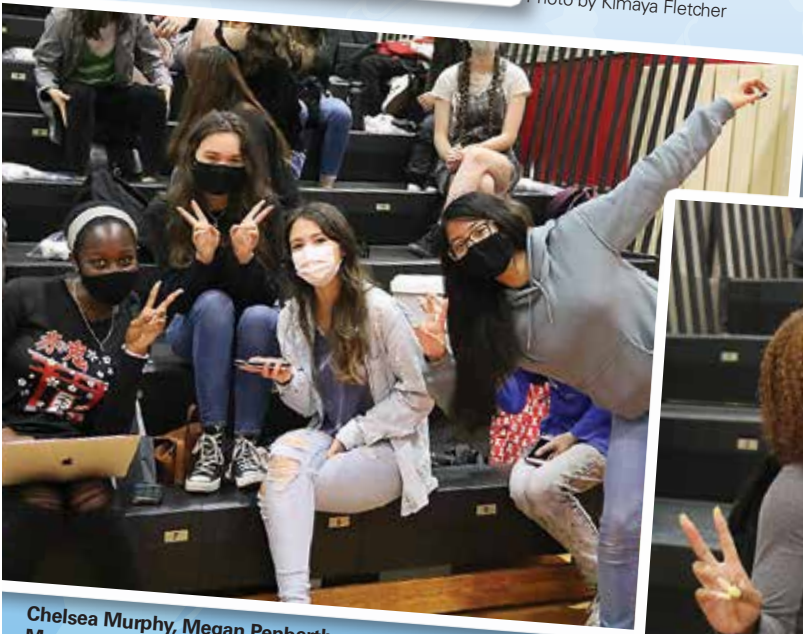
Love, Dad, Mom, J.P. and Familia



Mac Smith takes a break from a tie-dye shirt  
creation. Photo by Kimaya Fletcher



Rei Coll DiMayo  
receives information  
in the Little Theater.  
Photo by Kimaya Fletcher



Chelsea Murphy, Megan Penberthy,  
Morgen Simons and Ross Cabagnot  
have some senior fun. Photo by  
Kimaya Fletcher



D'Aija Mitchell and  
Kimaya Fletcher in the  
gymnasium.  
Photo by Moni Adigun



Kyeisha Simpson  
enjoys her lunch.  
Photo by Kimaya Fletcher



Luis Ayala, Edward Vergara, Bodhi Kuiper, Justine Patton, Yuri Dela Cruz hang out  
in the courtyard. Photo by Kimaya Fletcher



Emilie Hanshew participates Senior Day  
activities. Photo by Kimaya Fletcher



Moni Adigun takes a break from shooting  
yearbook photos. Photo by Kimaya Fletcher

Relentless support

As we all know this past year and a half have been nothing short of a demonstration of our strength as a school community. A memorable final year of high school would not have been possible without the relentless support that we have received.

To our parents,  
We are all greatly appreciative of everything you have done for us. We will be able to look back over our childhood and marvel over the love, support, and sacrifices you have made for us. We will transition into the next chapter of our lives with confidence, because we are prepared to change the world.

To our teachers, coaches, counselors, and administrators,  
Thank you for always being there for us inside and outside the classroom. Your genuine support has motivated us over the years. From the beginning, you have prepared us for this day. The life lessons that you have taught us will remain with us as we figure out the journey of adulthood.

As a community, we were able to survive unprecedented obstacles. The resiliency displayed is commendable, and we are fortunate to be members of such a wonderful school community. Again, on behalf of the Class of 2021, I would like to thank all who have made a positive impression on our lives. Although we are leaving Nile C. Kinnick High School, once a devil, always a devil.

Congratulations to the Class of 2021! We did it!

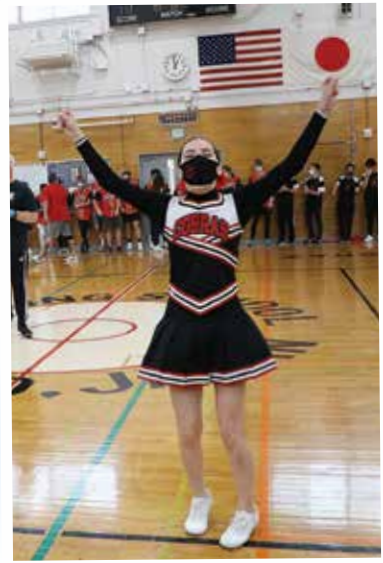
Very Respectfully,  
Chelsea Murphy  
Senior Class President  
Nile C. Kinnick High School



## E.J. King High School



Caleb Anderson, Edrick Cummings, Kobe Coleman and Yasmine Stella show off their competitive spirit to snatch back the spirit stick. Photo by M. Best



Senior cheerleader Frankie Keefe hypes up crowd during E.J. King's first pep rally of the year. Photo by Y. Stella



Edrick Cummings puts his heart and body into your baseball. Photo by T. Chen



Tsuyoshi Kemp attempts to sink a basket. Photo by M. Best



Iliza Rivera trusts in the creative process as she adds layers to her art project. Photo by H. Santiago

## Matthew C. Per



Anela Ballesteros, Aaliyah Ligan, Elizabeth Mitchell, Creanna Shaw, and Mackenzie Game display their wacky outfits at the Lip Sync Battle. Photo by Samantha Palanca



Shainne Santos and Pearl Baker during the senior secret Santa gift exchange. Photo by Aaliyah Ligan

## Robert D. Edgren High School



Best friends Aliyah Isidro, Nalani Kennedy, and Kathryn Codiamat show off their group coordinated outfits. Photo by Nalani Kennedy



Tanaya Pugh and Ashton Williams sharing a laugh. Photo by Ashton Williams



Terra Mills and Kristen Samar during Spirit Week (Twin Day). Photo by Abigail Williams



Homecoming memory v Burgess, Johnny Marken and Cohen Stone. Photo



Christopher Canada and Christopher Jones vibin' in seminar. Photo by Connor Roy

## Yokota Hi



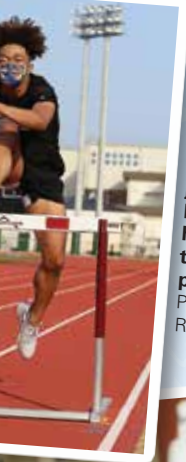
## erry High School



Whitener and Hana Tuohy model basketballs during their PE class. Photo by Zachary Finnesgard



Yugo Cooley swings his racket during tennis practice. Photo by Kevin Rossiter



Shawn Swindell jumps a hurdle at the high school track during practice. Photo by Kevin Rossiter



Joseph Andres is supported by his parents as he signs a letter of intent for William Penn University. Photo by Alison Link



Aaliyah Ligan and Samantha Palanca during an FBLA meeting. Photo by Joseph Andres

## Nile C. Kinnick High School



Ami Roberts, Juliane Smith, Myra Sapiot and Gabriel Cruz pick up senior breakfast. Photo by Kimaya Fletcher



Ariana Joy Cobler and Mark Lozano with tie-dye shirts. Photo by Kimaya Fletcher



Charlize Uptegrove, Jacob Vitug, Matthew Briones and Mya Rodriguezon Senior Day. Photo by Kimaya Fletcher.



Hana Eccleston, Ian Basinger and Rian Merritt. Photo by Kimaya Fletcher



Hannah Docuyan, Ema Rich and Jericho Reyes serve up Senior Breakfast. Photo by Kimaya Fletcher



Ian Basinger and Charley Lau serve Senior Breakfast. Photo by Kimaya Fletcher



Mike Gidney and Kirk Angelo Perez focus on shirt creation. Photo by Kimaya Fletcher

## gh School



with Stephen Berck, Dalton John, Patrick Hakun, Tanner Marlowe. Photo by YHS yearbook staff



Cherry Blossom sight-seeing with Johnny Marker and Dolton John Burgess. Photo by Haley Singleton



Anthony Logue asking Annalise Rodriguez to prom after the Baseball boys senior night game. Holding Posters (From Right to Left) Marcus Berrette, Connor Rowan, Brody Choate, Christopher C.J. Canada, and Kuranosuke Sato. Photo by Mr. and Mrs. Logue



Emma Ball and Jessica Vernon under the sakura trees. Photo by Colonel Lester Ball



Aaliyah Velasquez in her senior softball portrait. Photo by Casey Rodriguez

## Zama High School







# Robert D. Edgren High School

Barry, Nathan  
 Battle, Kristen  
 Belanio-Nalam, Jaret  
 Black, Haley  
 Calleros, Ryken  
 Charles, Christopher  
 Coody, Ty'Janae  
 Deas, Asanna  
 Figuracion, Joshua

Hawthorn, Liam  
 Herrera, Alexa  
 Hogan, Tatianna  
 Hovenkotter, Ethan  
 Jagers, Destiny  
 King, Darren Zane  
 Kirby, Julia  
 Lumactod, Angelica Donnie  
 Mann, Taksin

Pummill, Isabelle  
 Riddle, Sophia  
 Roberson, Hannah  
 Sanchez, Brianna  
 Smith, Maya  
 Stutzman, Bradley  
 Timmons, Kyle  
 Ulechong, Risa  
 Vina, Jasmine







### Unyielding support

On behalf of the 2021 Class of Robert D. Edgren High School, I would like to express our shared gratitude to you for your unyielding support. This school year has been unique and has caused us to reimagine how we engage in learning and connect socially. From challenges associated with COVID-19 to the usual “ups and downs” that stem from academic rigor, your support has been steadfast. Even through one of our darkest hours as a school community, your love and support helped us regroup, readjust, and reposition ourselves to soar! While we experienced emotional lows, like the Phoenix, we repurposed our ashes into a new us; and we made it! Finally, graduation is near! Thanks to all of you we reached this milestone.

Through your support, we made academic strides. Sixty percent of our class is enrolled in Advanced Placement (AP) courses, and we have four AP scholars. Collectively, our class has earned more than 350,000 dollars in scholarships. After graduation, 78% of our class will attend a two or four college or university, 15% will enter a branch of military service, and 7% of our class will join the workforce. Without a doubt, the class of 2021 has woven its thread into Edgren’s strong tapestry!

Now, as the year is nearing an end, we are poised and prepared to finish strong! Although we are excited and eager to begin our next chapter, we would be remised if we did not pause, reflect, and give thanks to you, our parents and teachers, for your sacrifice and commitment to our success. Again, we appreciate it, and we thank you! We would like to offer special thanks to our sponsor, Dr. Marcitia Ekeh and our faculty council, Mr. Dale Hovenkotter, Mr. Michael Keitt, Mrs. Amy Sweeney, Ms. Elizabeth Stinvil, Dr. Pamela Tucker, and Mr. Andre Thibert. We would also like to recognize Chief Master Sergeant (retired) Michael Atkinson and Ms. Paris Rhoad for their contributions to the class of 2021. Together, each of you has ensured that our senior year was memorable and manageable; THANK YOU!

*Asanna Deas*  
Asanna Deas, President  
Robert D. Edgren Middle High School Class of 2021





# Yokota High School

Emma Ball  
Andrew Beene  
Stephen Berck  
Marcus Berrette  
John Burgess  
Kelsey Bustos  
Christopher Canada  
Lekysha Cintron  
Kathryn Rose Codiamat  
Jaxen Crawford  
Ania Davis  
Zakston Daw  
Aki Diehl  
Jaiden Dunn


Regine Familiaran  
David Fink  
Katherine Frost  
Nicholas Gammel  
Emina Garcia  
Isabella Marie Garcia  
Katrina Gomez  
Coriel Micaela  
Grannis-Ezell  
Mareesa Guzman  
Patrick Hakun  
Kara Hullman  
Aliyah Caroline Isidro  
Josiah Zachary Isidro

Christopher Jones  
Jason Jones  
Joshua Jordan  
Nalani Kennedy  
Anthony Logue  
Ozzie Lopez  
Johnny Marker  
Tanner Marlowe  
Andrew Martinez  
Lanarri McDonald  
Terra Mills  
Adrian Montano-Massoud  
Damian Montano-Massoud  
Sydney Mudery

Gwyn Grey Nacionales  
Hayzel Paguio  
Asiana Andrea Pampuan  
Annalise Rodriguez  
Connor Rowan  
Kristen Samar  
Kuranosuke Sato  
Aiyanna Sheffield  
Jarvis Sheppard  
Haley Singleton  
Jackson Smith  
Cohen Stone  
Zoltan Stonechild  
Brennan Tuxhorn

Traithew Tuxhorn  
Aiden Valiente  
Aaliyah Velasquez  
Jessica Vernon  
Ashton Williams  
Donald Williams  
Hannah Williams  
Tyler Williams  
Ezekiel Woo  
Erica Young





# Anthony

We are PROUD of You!  
You are an Amazing young man!  
Dream BIG and continue to  
walk with God!


— Love, Dad, Mom, & Jordyn



# Joshua

Congratulations, Joshua!  
We are so proud of the man  
you are becoming!

— Love, Mom & Dad



# Patrick

All the schools you've attended and  
the things you've done!!  
Congratulations on your graduation!  
We're extremely proud of you son!!!

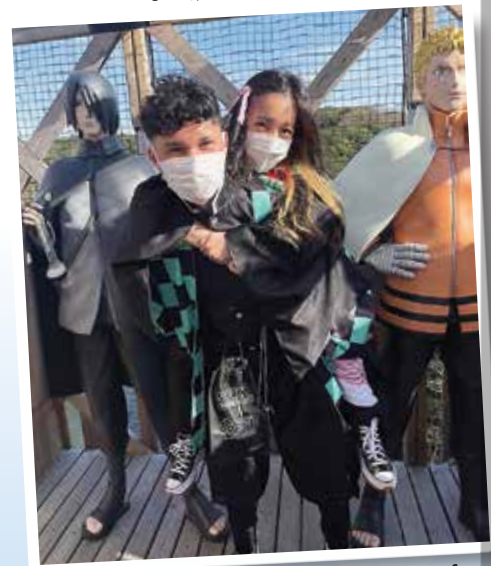
— Mom & Dad



C.J. Canada, Dalton Burgess, Patrick Hakun, Tanner Marlowe and Stephen Berck cheerlead during the Powder Puff game. Photo by Nicholas Gammel



Friends hanging out! Left to Right (back row) Johnny Marker, Tanner Marlowe, and Dalton John Burgess Left to Right (front row) Haley Singleton, Mareesa Guzman, and Patrick Hakun. Photo by Haley Singleton



Senior siblings Aliyah and Josiah Isidro have fun at Naruto Theme Park in Osaka, Japan. Photo by Arvianne Isidro

Memories

Yokota High School. This is a school we all have grown from. Many people say that it is the coolest thing to say you went to high school in Japan, and I agree with them. Yokota High School is a 21st century learning facility, as the principal and teachers say, but I am going to be honest, it is the same as other schools besides just a couple things. Yokota High School is so accepting and committed to providing the best environment for the students here as long as we are willing to achieve our goals and be good students.

The one thing that everyone never seems to forget is the memories. I appreciate all the school did for having events and long hauls for us students. For athletes, I know that long hauls are where we had our moments of getting to know each other by emotions of anger to the best emotions of happiness—the memories of staying up for Senor P.’s Spanish homework to studying for AP classes. Growing up in Yokota is a great experience. The bond we’ve built with each other is fantastic.

I personally love everyone in my class. I talked to many people and got to know one another individually. My class is filled with outstanding individuals who strive to succeed in life. I never knew high school would go by this fast. I bet none of us did. You guys are what make me happy, and I can’t wait to see you guys at the reunion. I can not thank the teachers enough to have helped all of us reach this moment. You guys genuinely are heaven sent.

Tonight, we celebrate our success and hard work. Through the laughs, cries, and stress over the last four years, we deserve a celebration. We finally made it to the end to start another chapter in life, but this time without each other. Thank you for all the support from our community... Now the class of 2021, “Wut doing with life”.

Isabella Garcia



Andrew Beene takes a selfie with friends Marcus Berrette, Stephen, Patrick, Nick Gammell, and Jessica Vernon. Photo by Andrew Beene



Senior Panthers: Aaliyah Velasquez, Coriel Grannis-Ezell, Erica Young, Aika Diehl, and Annalisa Rodriguez strike a pose. Photo by Casey Rodriguez



From (Right to Left) Annalise Rodriquez, Anthony Logue, Mareesa Guzman, Marcus Berrette, Coriel Grannis-Ezell, Connor Rowan, Haley Singleton, C.J. Canada, Aaliyah Velasquez, and Andrew Beene getting ready for graduation. Photo by Toy Williams



Getting ready for prom! Marcus Berrette, Ozzie Lopez, Connor Rowan, Kura Sato, and C.J. Canada at Tuxedo Station in Gotanda, Tokyo. Photo by Christopher C.J. Canada



STARS AND STRIPES

2021

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Zama American High School

Ala Alexander	Davis Aika	King Hannah	Osada Kathlina	Sharp Claudia
Aveytia Kristina	Douglas Kenya	Kuroda Kasandra	Pemberton Caleb	Silang Jomari
Bourget Allyssa	Duarte Meridean	Loiselle Jayson	Perry Rachael	Smith Gabriele
Brantley Maximilian	Eads Shelby	Lopes Chrisyopher	Petty Josh	Smith Princess
Brown Gabriel	Fujita Samantha	Mendenhall Heidi	Rands Joseph	Steger Michael
Brown William	Enriquez Klara	Manangan Michael	Rayos Ryan	Stephens Jayson
Bryant Grace	Gartner Harley	Mc Elroy Kyler	Rivera Gisselle	Thompson Liam
Buhler Heather	Gummerus Jaden	Moloy Valerie	Robinson Midori	Tieman Matthew
Caburian Angelo	Hayama Rumi	Mueller Jessica	Romero Alexander	Valenca Julie
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Cococio Christian	Jackson Gabriel	Nonaka Michael	Sanders-Vaughn Makyah	Clemons Academy
Davidson Bryce	Kathey Elijah	Nonaka Nicholas	Santana Reanna	Clemons Rebecca







Rebecca

We love you and are super proud of you! May God continue to guide your path through the next chapter.  
— Dad, Mom & Kyle



Caleb

We are so proud of you son. We love you and we are honored! Military child. 18 years. Hallelujah!  
— Mom, Dad, Belle, Joy, Victoria, Joshua,



Christopher

We are so proud of everything you've accomplished and the amazing man you have become! Congratulations on your graduation!!  
— Dad, Mom and Kim



Julie

Proud of the brilliant, focused, beautiful, kind, driven, and determined woman you are. We all love you. Follow your dreams!  
Alex, Mamie, Papi, David, Nonna & Nonno, Papa & Maman



Kasandra

Congratulations!!! I LOVE YOU!!! I am so proud of your accomplishments. You are a true blessing. Good Luck KAS.  
— Dad



Unwavering support

To say this year has been completely unpredictable and difficult would be a grave understatement. People all over our community have had to drastically adjust their lifestyles to protect themselves from the dangerous spread of Coronavirus. Even at our school, social distancing and other necessary health protocols are being strictly enforced for the protection of the staff, students, and teachers. Many seniors like myself have worked hard for the past three years in hopes of being able to “live a little” our final year of high school. However, it quickly became apparent that even the smallest things we once took for granted were taken away from us by a global pandemic. Sports, clubs, dances, and even pep rallies appeared as if they would be a distant memory. For my fellow seniors this was especially disconcerting, as we will never have the chance to experience these uniquely high school events ever again. That being said, there are certain members of our community that have worked tirelessly to make our senior year as memorable and positive as possible despite these unforeseen circumstances.

The senior class student council board and senior class sponsor, Mrs. Moore has been an unforgettable help this year. The senior student council board has been the most dedicated, supportive, and optimistic group of people I have had the privilege of working with throughout my three years of involvement in student government. Together, we have been able to raise ample funds for our class as well as plan various senior end of year events. Our amazing class sponsor has been working constantly behind the scenes to make sure all the finer details and senior traditions are held up to standard, as well as running smoothly and with extreme care. Without her, our council would not be able to function half as well as it has been.

The staff at our high school have also been an amazing help during these troubling times. In particular, I would like to thank our principal Mr. LeFebre, as well as our Athletic Director, Mr. Bolin. Mr. LeFebre has been collaborating with other staff members as well as various members of the senior class to plan and execute a graduation ceremony that would allow for all seniors and their family members to attend at one time, rather than having multiple graduations. They, in accordance and approval from command as well as MEDDAC, have been flexible and communicative in allowing us to hold what will become a graduation that is both enjoyable as well as safe.

Mr. Bolin’s efforts this year should also not go unnoticed. Thanks to his continued efforts, sports events were able to be held in both the fall and spring seasons, although in a limited capacity. Cross country, marksmanship, and color guard were able to have virtual events with other PacEast teams at the end of their fall season. For the spring season soccer, baseball, softball and track are now able to compete with local Kanto teams in person for the spring season due to our effective mitigation strategies within the community and the decreased number of cases throughout Japan.

Most of all, the senior class thanks parents for their continued and unwavering support towards their seniors as they finish their final months of high school and prepare to enter college or the workforce.

Sincerely,

Meridean Duarte  
Student Council Senior Class  
President





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