



Stepping forward . . . The

Right Direction

Although the outlook was dim midway through the year, the problems seemed to be in the past with the beginning of the second semester.

The confidence that was lost during the football team's disappointing season was regained tenfold when the Band of Blue took top honors at the state marching band festival. The band members traveled to Columbia for the festival which pitted them against the best of the best in South Carolina and they emerged champions—they truly were number one!

Academics made great strides as members of the Advanced Placement History, English, and Calculus classes struggled through college-level work. In May, these students took the National AP exam to determine whether or not they would receive college credit for their hard work and dedication. As AP English student Miriam Belcher said, "It doesn't really matter if we get the credit or not. We've made it through the course already, and if we have to take it again, we've had the experience to do well."



Margie Thomas—Senior class president "My senior year has been the most unforgettable of my school years. Being president of my class has made this year more fulfilling because it gave me the opportunity to become closer to the members of the graduating class."



Sandra Brown—"Being a senior is the best year of high school because you are superior to all."



Audrey Hamilton—secretary
"As secretary of my class, I have been able to be involved in more school activities."