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Faces — over 1600 of them to be sure — were what really made the school the school. Brick, tile, and mortar make only the shell in which the school existed. The real action was in the commons area, the halls, the office, and most importantly the classrooms, where laughing, frowning, bored, and enthusiastic faces could be seen.

Yet, the faces as a whole did not make the school either. It was English teacher Mrs. Janis Blocker being the first Republican elected to County Council. It was football star James Walker signing with the N.C. State Wolfpack. It was U.S. History teacher Mrs. Laura Lynn Hughes retiring after 30 years. It was each student's acceptance of good friends and family going off to war. It was growing and learning about life.

— Mary Bass

Editor of the People section of the yearbook Wendy Garrett holds the code numbers for a photographer taking underclassmen pictures.

Dequanda Riley holds the hands of her two "adopted children" at the FTA/Classroom on Wheels Easter egg hunt at the Recreation Center.

