

# MV Marching Band of 2004

by Kelly Prier

The marching band season kicked off with a great show Sept. 10. The band chose a Latin theme for the show of 2004. The band played "Mangione Opener," "Hey Pachuco," and "El Gato Triste."

Comments from the crowd were encouraging to all the band members. Each year the band grows as a family. We make the half time show enjoyable for all the Wildcat fans, and we show pride and represent our school in a great way.

Sept. 11, the band participated in the Firemans' Parade in Manchester. We played "America On Parade" to help everyone remember how brave the firemen are and to show respect to those who died three years ago in the terrorist attacks. It was a 1.8 mile parade, and it allowed us a different feeling because it was out of small town Delhi. It was a great time and we also received many compliments about our performance.

At the homecoming game Friday night, the band performed an additional song, "Malaguena."

The band is preparing for competition this Saturday in Marion.



Members of the marching band rehearse before school. Saturday the band will compete at Marion. (photo by Kathie Palmersheim)

## New Faces At School

by Maggie Seibert

As you all know, we have a few new students here at MV. This week we'll be getting to know Nicole Smith a little better. Nicole is a senior who used to go to school at OHS in Oregon and also in Wisconsin. She enjoys traveling with her band of "gypsy brothers" and exploring the nation. Then after that, she comes home and goes to bed. Sounds like fun! When it comes to movies, Nicole enjoys comedies, and if not that, she also likes anything with Kevin Smith like "Dogma" and "Chasing Amy." For Nicole, it seems that she likes the walls of MV so far. She has plenty of hobbies to keep her busy. Sounds like Nicole is a great person to get to know!



### WHAT'S HAPPENING AT MV the week of SEPTEMBER 20, 2004

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2004

1. Jr. High Volleyball - HOME - Central of Elkader - 4:00 PM
2. 9th Football at Alburnett - 6:00 PM (Bus Leaves at 4:45 PM)
3. Drill Team Practice - HS Gym - 6:00 PM until 9:00 PM
4. School Board Meeting - MS Conference Room - 7:00 PM

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2004

1. HS Band Rehearsal - 7:15 AM
2. HS Juniors to UNI College Fair & Campus Tour in Cedar Falls (Buses Leave at 8:20 AM)
3. HS Cross Country at C.P.U. (Rolling Acres Golf Course) - 5:00 PM (Bus Leaves at 3:20 PM)
4. HS Volleyball at Starmont - 5:30 PM (Bus Leaves at 4:15 PM)

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2004

1. HS Vo-Ag Classes to Fishing Expedition in Guttenburg (Bus Leaves at 6:00 AM)

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2004

1. HS Band Rehearsal - 7:15 AM
2. Senior Announcements Meeting - Auditorium - 3rd Hour
3. JH VB - 8th HOME (MS Multipurpose Room) / 7th at Monticello - 4:30 PM (Bus Leaves at 3:40 PM)
4. JH Football - HOME - Anamosa - 4:30 PM
5. HS Volleyball - HOME - Monticello - 5:30 PM
6. MV Quarterback Club Meeting - HS Room 307 - 6:00 PM
7. Drill Team Practice - HS Wrestling Room- 6:00 PM until 9:00 PM

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2004

1. HS JV/V Football at Beckman - 5:15 PM (JV Bus and Suburban at 4:00 PM / V Bus at 6:30 PM)

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2004

1. FFA to Fresh/Soph Livestock Judging Contest in Manchester - 8:00 AM (\*Van Leaves at 6:45 AM)
2. 9-10th Volleyball Tournament at C.R. Jefferson - 8:30 AM (Bus Leaves at 7:00)
3. HS Cross Country at Indee Meet (State MHI Grounds) - 9:30 AM (Bus Leaves at 7:55 AM)
4. HS Band to Marion Marching Festival