

When we learned that the 2022-2023 Yearbook would be Sycamore High School's 80th edition, we couldn't resist leaning all the way into a 1980s theme. It seemed like the perfect chance to create what might be our most vivid yearbook yet: "Time After Time," a nod to Cyndi Lauper's iconic 1983 hit. Look for bright '80s-style graphics and color palettes on these pages—along with the occasional '80s-specific pun.

"Time After Time" is also our way of looking back at eight remarkable decades of students, staff, and families all working together to build our community. So in addition to coverage of all the teams, clubs, and classes that make Sycamore great, we filled this year's book with throwbacks to times gone by. We searched our archive for images of what it was like to attend Sycamore High School back in the day, and what we found was both different and familiar. Because though much has changed since that first edition, many of the basic realities of student life remain: Studying for tests, cheering on your team (Go Aves!), and hanging out with friends.

Finally, we hope you'll remember that this publication is student-run and student-made. We work hard all year to bring you the best stories and memories about our community, but we're also learning along the way. If we made any mistakes, we deeply apologize; please know that they were unintentional. We strive each year to be better at the important work of keeping track.

We sincerely hope that you enjoy this trip back in time!

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