

# Cobra X-press

## Senior Prom

By: Rebecca Llanes

This years prom was on April 24th, 2009 at Parrot Jungle. The seniors had the chance to celebrate their last school dance by attending prom. This five hour event let the students enjoy themselves while getting a chance to be with friends for one last time before starting the next chapter in their life. During prom, the students were served pasta, chicken and potatoes. Luckily the seniors had a chance to see a sneak peek of the video yearbook which included the past and present pictures of the students who put their pictures into it and they also got to see their four years at SMSH. Leonel Rivas, 12th grader, stated that "prom was awesome, a night he will never forget because spent it with his girlfriend." Now the moment hundreds have been waiting for the prom king and queen were announced making Patrick Larkin and Amanda Cacceres the winners. Traditionally they had their first dance which was "No Air" by Chris brown and Jordan Sparks, many couples followed in this special moment. This memorable night was a night to realize all that one has accomplished,

the hard work and the fun times everyone shared in their four years of high school.



# Grad Bash

By: Rebecca Llanes

**“Second best night of my life. We had a blast!”  
-Frank Garcias**

This years grad bash was on Saturday, May 2nd, 2009. The students reported to the gymnasium by 11 o'clock to enjoy a night at universal studios and islands of adventure. From five to eight o'clock seniors were enjoying the night life at clubs where they danced and ate before entering the theme park. Hector Garcia, 12th grader, said, "I couldn't want to spend time

with my friends at Universal Studios; it was fun." Performing artists were there such as Akon, who was the Headliner, they also got a chance to see DJ Khaled . At around two o'clock am the students got ready to head back home, they soon arrived back at school by seven o'clock that Sunday morning. While speaking to 12th grader, Frank Garcia he stated that "Second best night of my life. We had a

black. A once in a lifetime thing." Seniors hopefully you enjoyed this night, it was the last big high school event, right before graduation of course.



## Star Trek

By: Eric Denis

The sci-fi action drama, Star Trek, premiered in theatres everywhere, May 7<sup>th</sup> 2009. Starring Chris Pine, Zachary Quinto, and Eric Bana, It had been hoped that Star Trek would have done better than what it did at the box office on its first full weekend, but the movie seems to be lacking abroad. The new J.J Abrams movie earned

\$35.5 million from 54 foreign countries over the weekend, just under half of what it grossed in the U.S. With packed theatres, swarming with Star Trek series fans, and those who had never seen an episode before alike, the movie was incredibly hyped. To the amazement of many, most felt that the film captured the story of Star

Trek while still being able to throw in an explosion and a gun fight here and there. **“The film pays respect to tradition while fondly tweaking it”** quoted by Leah Rozen PEOPLE. Amazing hype, cast, story, and action, Star Trek has made its way to one of the most favored movies in America.

## NBA Playoffs Miami Heat vs. Atlanta Hawks

By:Eric Denis



The NBA Playoff game between the Miami Heat and Atlanta Hawks was played on April 29, 2009 at the Phillips Arena in Atlanta Georgia. The tension between the teams created quite the game. In the first quarter, two of the players collided, knocking Heat player number 3, Dwayne Wade, to floor and hitting his head, resulting in his removal from the game. But he returned in the second quarter

and more tension was created by the conflict between number 3 and Hawks player number 44 Solomon Jones after a foul on Wade. After an arduous, interesting game, the Atlanta Hawks overcame the Heat with a score of 106 to 91.

## Finals Week

By: Yilian Landa

The time has come to take, what might be, the last chance for students to pass their classes. The objective finals are scheduled for underclassmen on Friday, May 29<sup>th</sup>

for periods 1 and 2, on Monday, June 1<sup>st</sup> periods 4 and 6, and on Tuesday, June 2 periods 3 and 5. For seniors the schedule is On Wednesday May 27<sup>th</sup> periods 3 and 5, on Thursday May 28<sup>th</sup> periods 4 and 6, and on Friday

May 29<sup>th</sup> periods 1 and 2. Wednesday and Thursday June 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> are makeup exams for any student who might have been absent on a regular exam day or who have not turned in their books for a certain class.

## End of The School Year

By Ashley Richardson

The school year is just about over. Everyone is moving on to new heights. Seniors are graduating and going to college.

Freshmen will become sophomores, sophomores will become juniors, and juniors will become seniors. Also there will be fresh meat coming into high school. It is so hard to say goodbye to all your fellow classmates. Because there is a possibility that you may never see them again at any point of your life. "I'm going to miss all my little buddies especially Grethel Ortiz and Serena Stroppa. We did every-

thing together in Drama class and it's hard to leave that in the past" say Dawuan Lovett. The teachers are packing up their things until 2009-2010 school years which begins in just a few months. Finals are being taken, seniors are graduating, and some students have already started on their summer vacation. As you can see there is a lot going on. "of course I'm going to come back to visit my fellow classmates and teachers, who wouldn't" say Grethel Ortiz.

## School Word Search Puzzle

N D Y R A T E R C E S R M R A Y  
 S U K C Y D N Y S U N O L C C R  
 H D R Y B A N A C O O C A A J A  
 M S I S G E W O H R T T P A E R  
 P O R N E Y R L S O U R I R A B  
 D S O K C T M S L E B C C A H I  
 U C A R A I A N D A H I N L R L  
 I H T C H L N Y A A H R I T E S  
 T O E T C C E E L S A N R I T O  
 L O A I S N N K R E I E P U R A  
 N L C L E I B U R A K U D R L T  
 E Y H C L O C K L C T E M C A D  
 K A E U A I S I O S N O S K S E  
 O R R R R S A L O T N T R I E S  
 U D D E T E N T I O N I M A N K  
 C H I N I L R R O T I N A J Y N

- Words:
- Chalkboard
  - Classroom
  - Clock
  - Desk
  - Detention
  - Gymnasium
  - Hallway
  - Incinerator
  - Janitor
  - Library
  - Locker
  - Lunchroom
  - Nurse
  - Principle
  - School
  - Secretary
  - Student
  - Teacher

## Everything you need to know about movies

### OPENING WEEK:

1. Angels and Demons
2. The Brothers Bloom
3. Big Man Japan
4. The Big Shot-Caller
5. Daytime Drinking
6. Management
7. Not Forgotten

### Top Box Office:

1. Star Trek
2. X-Men Origins: Wolverine
3. Ghost of Girlfriends Past
4. Obsessed
5. 17 Again
6. New Day Air
7. The Soloist

### Coming Soon:

1. Dance Flick
2. Night at the Museum
3. Easy Virtue
4. Ghosts of the Heartland
5. Pressure Cooker
6. Drag Me to Hell
7. Up