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## News

### West celebrates Homecoming

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All week long students have been showing their school spirit by incorporating this year's homecoming theme of "That's Chicago" into spirit week.

The week began on Tuesday with pajama day, followed by Famous Chicagoans day on Wednesday. Thursday brought Chicago Sports Day, where students dressed up in paraphernalia from their favorite Chicago sports team. Today is Red and White day, which brings spirit week to a close.

Wednesday afternoon at 6 p.m., the 2003 Powder Puff game was held on Basrak football field. The game featured the freshman and senior girls as one team and the freshmen and junior girls on the other. In the end the senior/freshman team led the way to victory with a score of 20-14. Tickets were \$1 and all proceeds went

to the Women's Breast Cancer Research Foundation.

The annual Homecoming assembly will be held today at 12:30 p.m. in the Gymnasium, where the homecoming king and



**Pommers perform at the Homecoming assembly.**  
Photo by Stephanie Scharaga

queen will be announced. Chosen from among the senior class, this year's nominees for king are: Shuan Ralph, Marc Davidson, Dan Griffin, Michael Johanson, Glenn Yancy, Adrian Briones, Walter Mendenhall, and Mike Grossman. This year's nominees for Queen are: Dorthy Gumularz,

Kiki Noonan, Dena Guminiak, and Cindy Wisniewski. The assembly will also feature a fall sports presentation to introduce the team captains for this year.

Friday after school at 1:40 p.m. the Homecoming Parade, West clubs will show off their creativity with student-designed floats. The floats will then be judged and a winner will be announced.

One of the biggest events of the whole homecoming tradition is the homecoming football game. The Wolves will take on the Maine South Hawks at home on Friday at 7:30 p.m. The visiting Hawks are one of the top ten teams in the state. The game will be the biggest the Wolves have played in a long time and is expected to sell out.

The annual Homecoming dance will end the week's festivities, on Saturday, October 11. The dance, hosted by radio station Kiss FM (103.5), will be held 7-10 p.m. in the Contest Gymnasium.