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School Board of Alachua County
Drug-Free Calendar

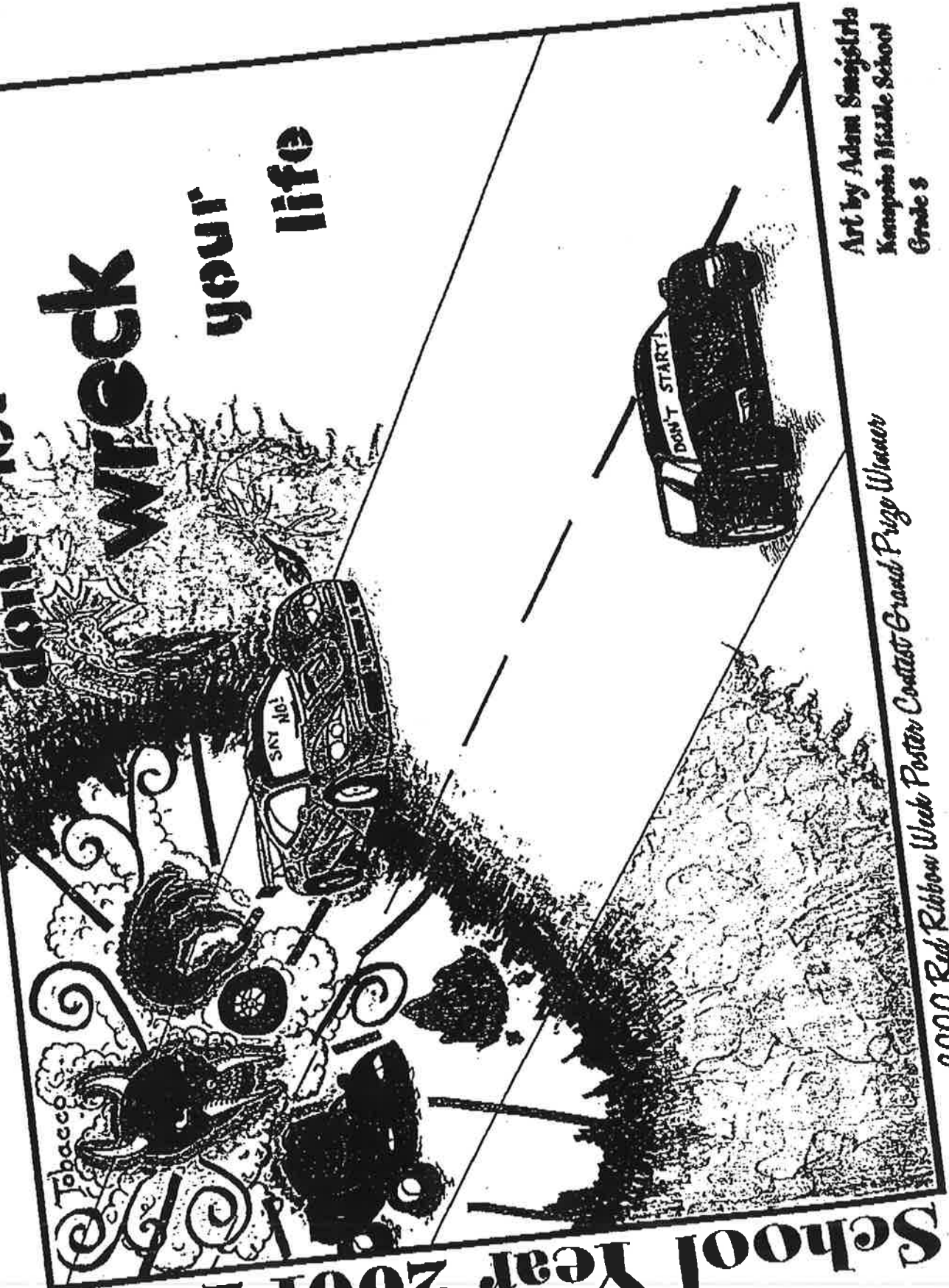
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School Year 2001-2002



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 Grade 8

Red Ribbon Week Poster Contest Grand Prize Winner

Greetings;



I would like to take this opportunity to talk about the importance of avoiding drugs and violence in our everyday life. All too many times we are exposed to the harsh reality of what these evils can do to our loved ones, family and friends. Don't be just another statistic for people to grieve over, rather, be one of the ones that really count. A role model that anyone can look up to, a friend that does not turn their back on other friends, a person who can just say no! Remember, it all starts with you.

Please join with me in keeping our schools free of drugs and violence. I wish each and every one of you a safe and prosperous school year.

Sincerely,

Sheriff Stephen M. Oelrich

Your school years are the most important years of your life. You are learning new things every day. You will make friends who will probably stay with you throughout your school years. The choices you and your friends make today will influence your future and the future of our country. We want you to make good choices, and part of that is learning to choose to be drug free. Please talk to your parents, your teachers and your law enforcement officers, if you have any questions about drugs or any other concerns you have. We are always here to help. On behalf of the Gainesville Police Department, I wish you much success this school year!



Sincerely,

Norman B. Botsford
Chief of Police
Gainesville Police Department

See Dick.
See Jane.

See Dick see crime.
See Jane call 384-3020.
See them stop crime.

To confidentially report unsafe conditions at your school call:

384-3020

CrimeStoppers

www.stopcrime.tv

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Use soap and water
20 seconds

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End of First Six Weeks Plan and practice a home fire drill	Fire Prevention Week		Family pizza and video night	Visit a nursing home	
7	8	9	10	11	12
Columbus Day Square a family dinner together	National School Bus Safety Week Discuss your child's responsibility for school safety	Elementary Report Cards Sent Home			
13	14	15	16	17	18
Clean out your closets! Donate books and toys to charity	Red Ribbon Week Discuss driving responsibility with your child				
19	20	21	22	23	24
Student Holiday / Teacher Workday / Parent Conference Day	United Nations Day	End of first nine weeks Discuss safety issues with your child			
25	26	27	28	29	30
			Daylight Saving time ends	Halloween	

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responsibility • demonstrating personal accountability
 self-control • preparedness • initiative • reliability • accountability