

# ★ Winter Ball 2005 ★

Vanessa Lugo

On January 28, students donned their formal attire to dance the night away at Mont Alto's annual Winter Ball. Funded by SAF and hosted by members of SGA and CAMP, the ball gave new and returning students a chance to get out, relax, and celebrate after completing the first three weeks of the spring semester.

The MPR was decorated with a starry night theme complete

with a moonlit bridge for picture taking. A professional photographer was available for an additional fee. Also provided were snacks such as fruits, vegetables, and punch.

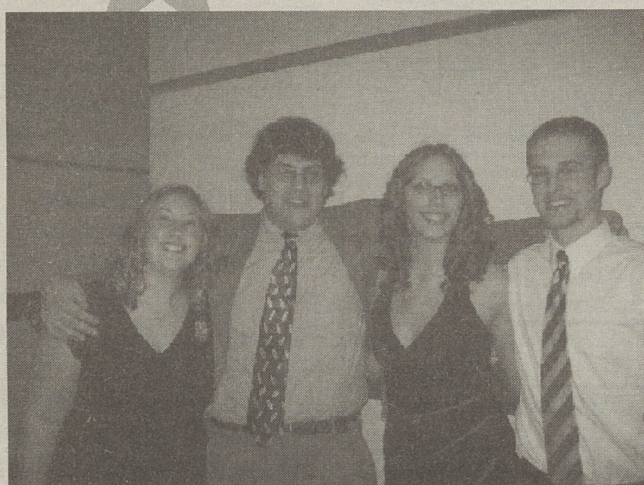
Music was provided by Z-One DJs, who offered a variety of genres from country, rap, and rock to swing. Many students felt that there wasn't enough variety and that the music choices needed to be mixed up a little better.

Some may have been turned off by the idea of an admission fee, but those who chose to come felt it was well worth it. There was a great turnout for a Friday night event at Mont Alto.

For those who may have not made it to the Winter Ball this year, there's always next year, as well as many other SAF, SGA and CAMP sponsored events throughout the year that are sure to be just as fun.

"It was so much fun, I wish I could've lasted longer"  
Sherille Nelson

"The dance was great, though there did need to be some more variety in the music."  
Mehdi Raofi

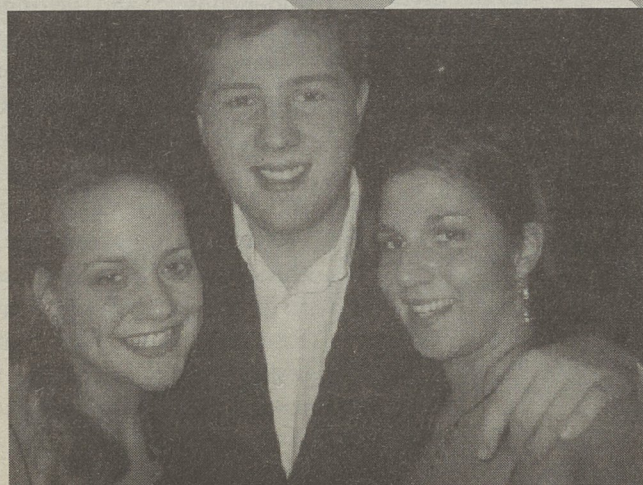


Meghan Khun, The Gourd, Alicia Cromwell, and Justin Mahr

"The dance was a lot of fun. More people should have come and a better selection of music would have helped."  
Jackie Donovan

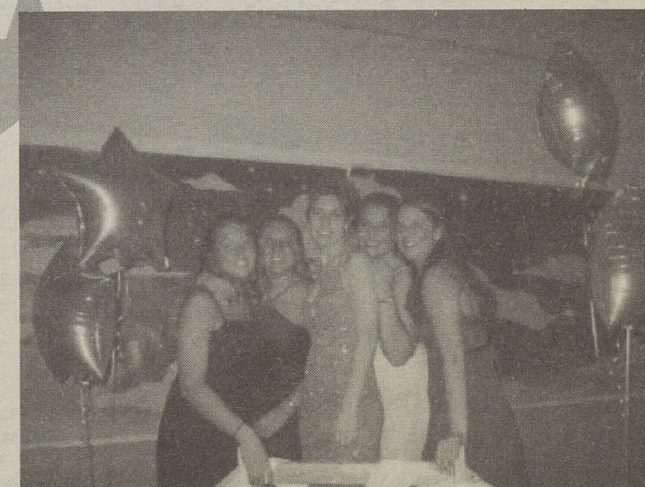


Kristen Nielson and Kittley Kriza



Darci Newhouse, David Olson, and Vanessa Lugo

"I thought the DJing is supposed to be musically diverse? All the music they played was either country or rap... what's the deal?"  
Jennifer Milan



Sarah Merrill, Jessica Mellott, Beth Herbert, Laura Meckley, and Beth Motter