

reach for the win

As the last seconds approach, seniors Matt Ferrara and Ronnie Stein throw their hands up in exhilaration. The best part of sitting next to the duo was the fact that they were not run-of-the mill fans. They were thoughtful, knowledgeable, and above all else, insane over the game. "People take what we say completely out of context. Raider fans are the most uproarious and motivating fans in the state of New Jersey," bragged Ferrara.

fight, fight, fight for the blue and white!

The cheerleaders put on a dynamic show for the fans during half time. Juniors Adda Roshansky and Jessica Abrantes knew it was their job to get the crowd pumped during the game. "I feel that the squad really gets the team hyped up and ready to win," added Roshansky.



Senior Alexa Knox



Senior Andrew Goldberg



Junior Austin Conley



senior Jared Chmielnik

- Wore a vintage 1998 state championship Raider jersey
- Stood on the sidelines to talk directly to players

"One game, Huggy Bear jumped into my arms along with other Raider Soccer players; I guess I have that effect on people," mused Chmielnik.



senior Danny Appel

- Traveled to away games
- Risked getting fired for missing work to go to games
- Started the cheers
- Wore Raider colors almost every day of the week

"I stand by the team no matter what-win or lose," exclaimed Appel.



it's a bird! it's a plane! it's a RAIDER!

Seniors Alex Resnick and Kara Sang, self-proclaimed Super Fans, follow the Raider lifestyle. These individuals proved the negative stereotype to be completely false through their encouraging chants and knowledge of soccer. "I was appalled by the harsh comments made against Raider fans. Scotch Plains doesn't roll like that; we don't discriminate against other players," stated Resnick.