

Students, teachers join the scrapbooking frenzy

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The national pastime used to be known as baseball. However, many people at RCHS may tell you it's a different ballgame. Scrapbooking has taken the field.

Not only does RCHS have the new Memory Makers club, which is dedicated to scrapbooking, but the room is filled by over 25 students.

"I like to scrapbook," says junior Jenna Owens. "I've always been interested in it, and have done it for several years."

Junior Courtney Parsons says the M&M club finally gives her an outlet for her creativity.

"I've started several scrapbooks before, but I've never had time to finish it," she said.

Students have definitely shown an interest in the hobby, however, it's not only RCHS students that are interested in scrapbooking. The teachers are becoming involved as well.

"I attended a class at the high school not long ago," says French teacher Angie Hendrickson. "I've been hooked ever since."

Hendrickson is so hooked that she scrapbooks everything from her trip to Paris last sum-



mer to things her two year old son does around the house.

There's even more evidence of her scrapbooking addiction. She also attends an all-night scrapbooking event known as CROPS.

"I even attend weekend retreats," says Hendrickson, who has only been scrapbooking for a year and a half.

There are those students who don't have an interest, some-

thing scrapbook enthusiasts simply don't understand.

"I really think we need to do something about preserving our memories," says Wanda Burdine, M&M sponsor. "Those memories that you don't think are significant right now, you'll wish you'd made document of later."

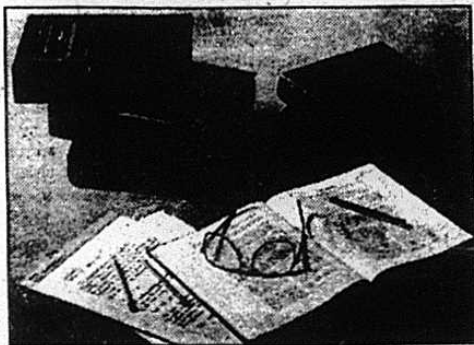
And all it takes is a little glue and some old photographs to make a memory.



Jessica Denny

Baskets overflow with scrapbooking magazines and supplies at French teacher Angie Hendrickson's home in Crab Orchard. She began scrapbooking about two years ago and is currently working on a scrapbook dedicated to her son, Evan.

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