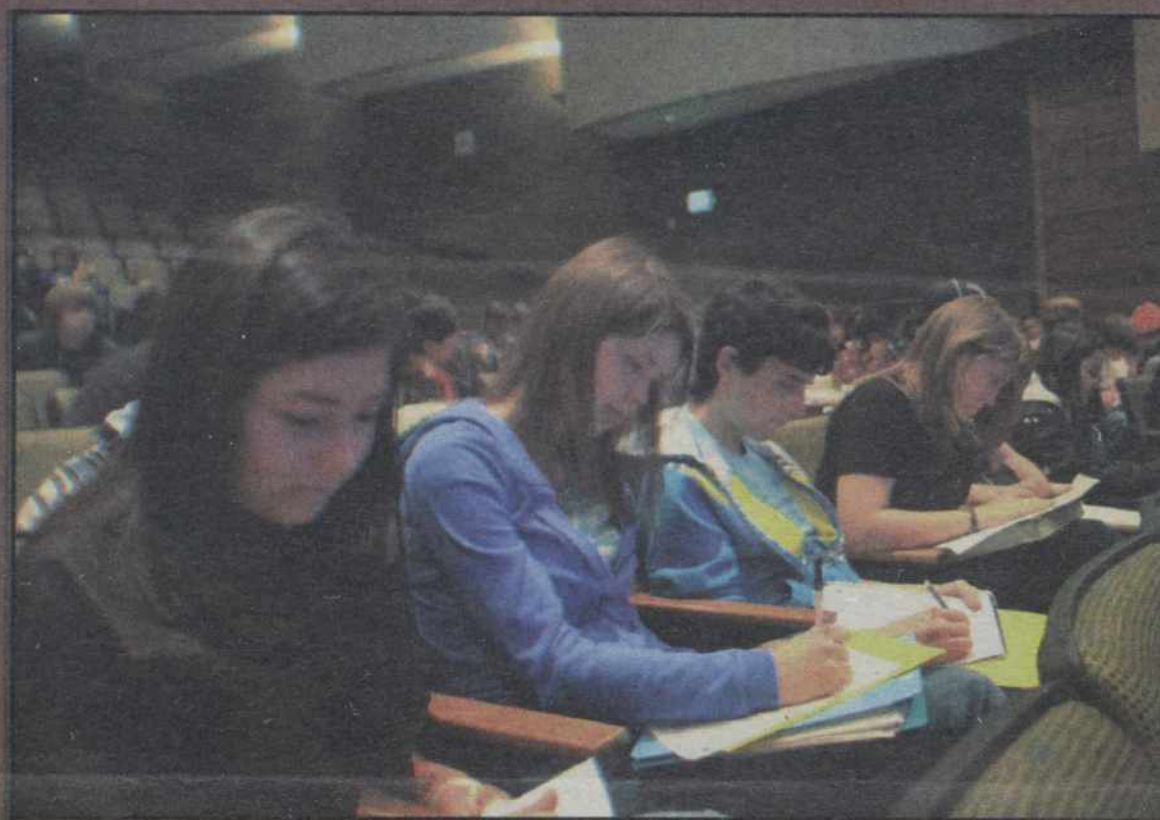


Winter Writing Festival

Kaleidoscope Club sponsored a Winter Writing Festival in which students, staff and the community took part. Portland poet Paulann Petersen and Oregon City author Virginia Euwer Wolff each presented a reading and answered questions for the audience on Feb. 18. Along with events held throughout the week, the club hosted a poetry reading and art show at the West Linn Public Library on Feb. 20. Student writers, musicians, and artists shared and discussed their work.

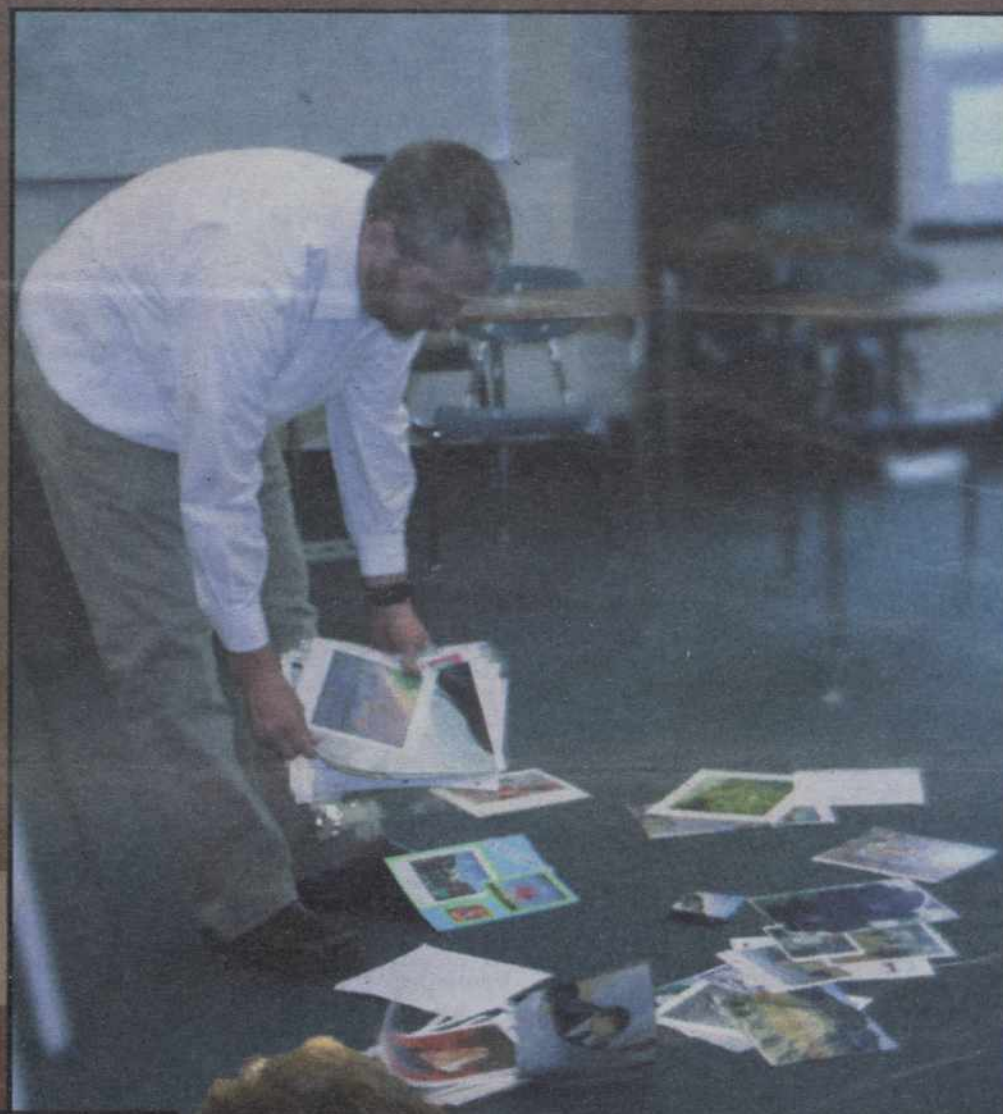


Alexandra Peterson, Jessica Shuholm, Brent Bailey and Bethany Daughtry, juniors, compose original poetry during the Writers Workshop. Students were given prompts as well as lectured by authors Virginia Euwer Wolff and Paulann Petersen.

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Andy West, English teacher, spreads pictures for prompts out on the floor during a lunchtime writing session. Pizza was also provided for those who participated

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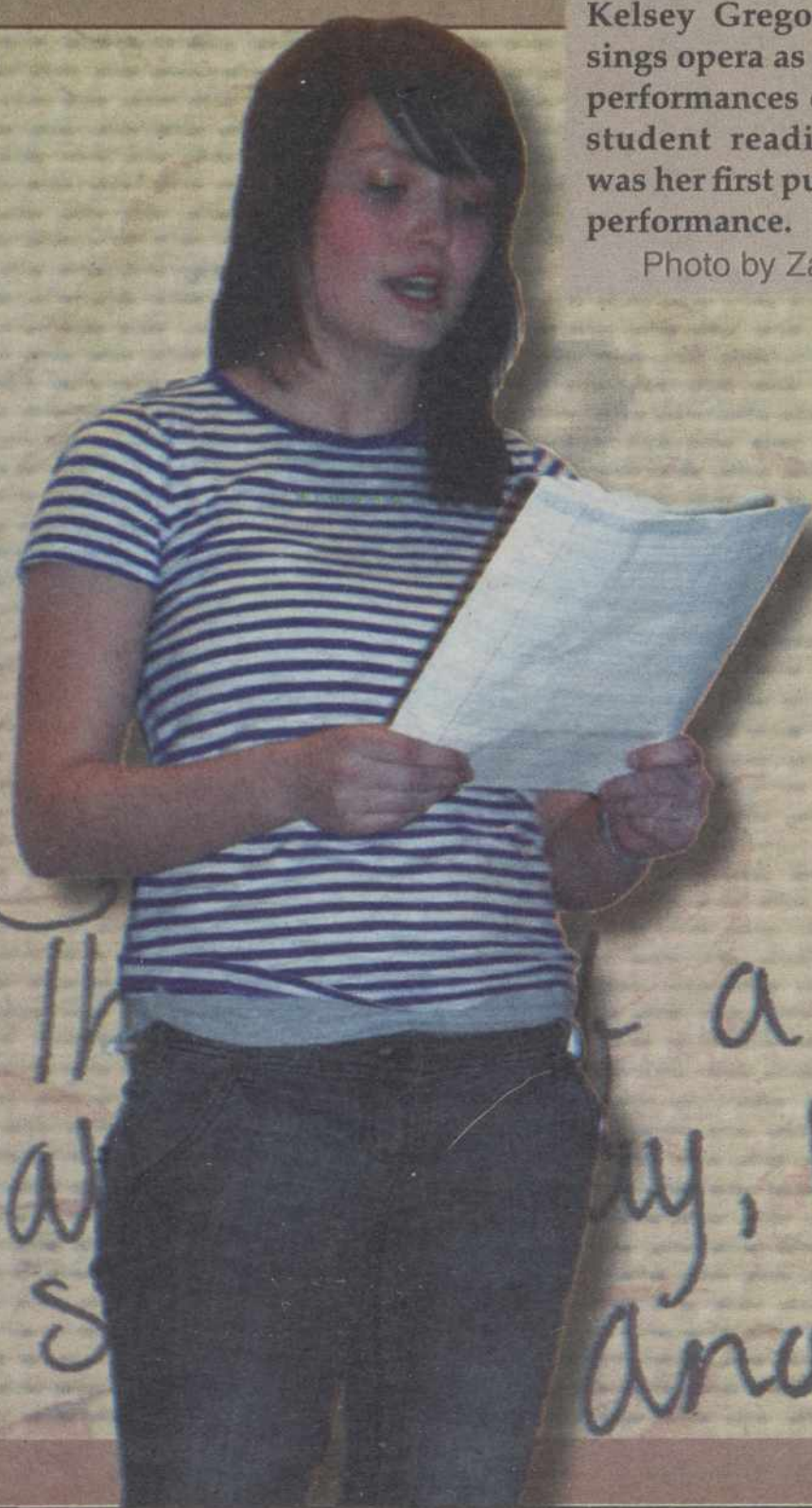
Tyler Whitcomb, junior, reads original works of poetry. He has been writing poetry since freshman year when he discovered that he knew how.

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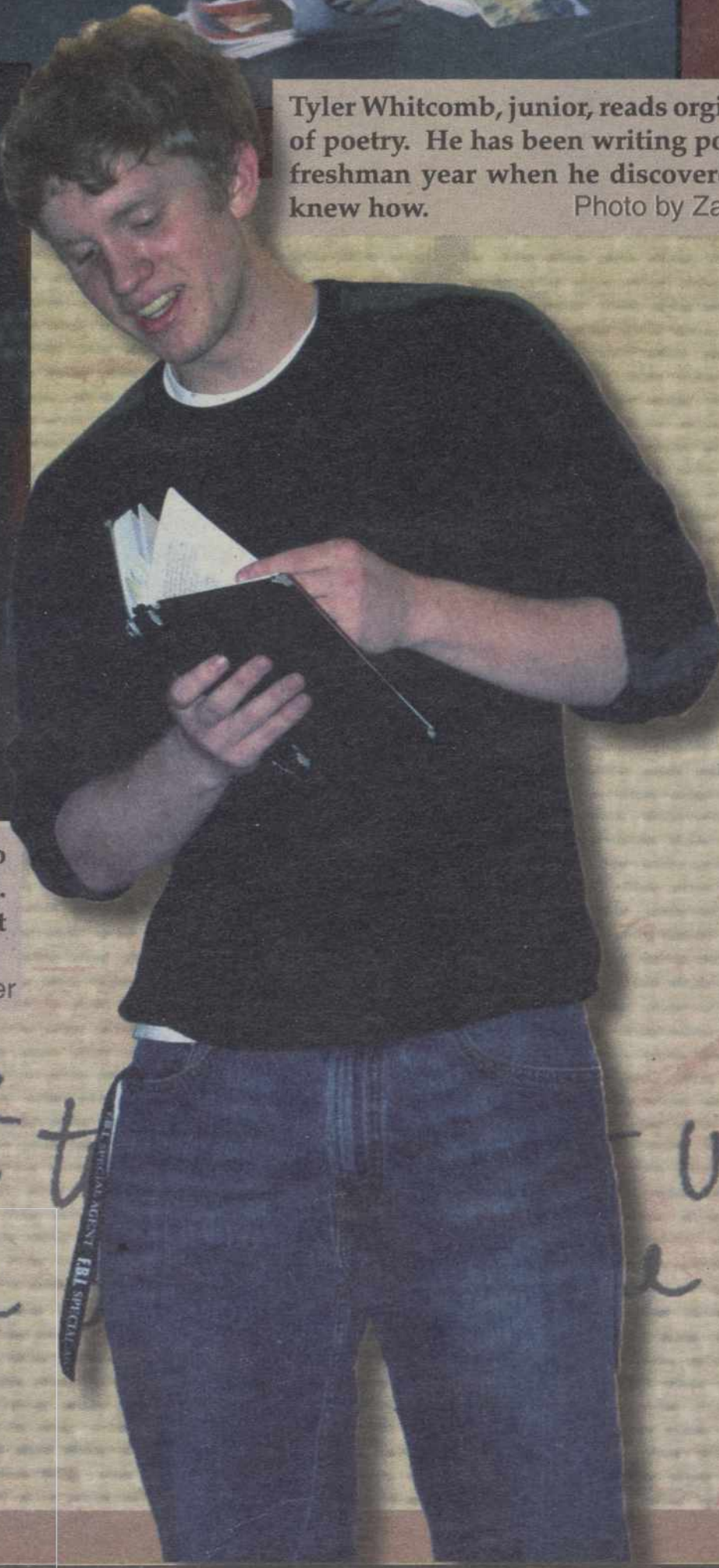
Alexander Wise, junior, plays cello during the student readings on Jan. 20. The library hosted the student authors, poets and musicians.

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Kelsey Gregory, junior, sings opera as part of the performances during the student readings. This was her first public opera performance.

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