I'VE SPENT 3
YEARS AT
MEDBURY AND MY
OLDER BROTHER
ALSO SPENT TIME
HERE. MY TOP
SKILLS ARE:
TENNIS MATHS,
AND CREATIVE
WRITING.

I ENJOY A NUMBER
OF ACTIVITIES BUT
THE MOST SPECIAL
TO ME ARE:
SPENDING TIME WITH
MY SISTER AND
FAMILY AND BEING
PART OF THE
SENIOR CHOIR.

WE
DIDN'T DO
MUCH THESE
CHRISTMAS
HOLIDAYS BUT
NEXT YEAR WE
ARE PLANNING TO
GO SKIING IN
AVORIA AND
CANADA.

new york

MY
HOUSE IS
DOWN THERE.
BEING IN A
DEAD END
STREET ISN'T
SO BAD
BECAUSE WE
CAN PLAY
TENNIS ON
THE ROAD!

BY AUSTIN O'BRIEN

I DASHED THROUGH THE MUSHROOMS BEFORE THEY HAD TIME TO ATTACK ME. THE PORTAL WAS JUST AHEAD AND THE SPORES HAD STOPPED FOLLOWING ME, I COULD REST ONCE I WAS OUT OF THIS NIGHTMARE. BEFORE I HAD A CHANCE TO ENTER THE PORTAL OUT OF THE SKY DROPPED A MASSIVE BLACK WINGED GARGOYLE. IT WAS FAR TO STRONG FOR ME. MY ONLY OPTION WAS TO RUN.

I DASHED BACKWARDS AND UP THE LADDER SO I COULD JUMP OVER HIM BUT WHEN I PEEKED OVER THE TOP OF THE LADDER I SAW ONE OF HIS LONG CLAWED FEET.

CLAWED FEET.
NOW I HAD TO FIGHT HIM. I JUMPED UP AND SUMMONED AN ETHERAL TO ENGAGE HIM IN COMBAT. I STAYED BACK AND SENT POISENED ARROWS IN TO THE FRAY BUT MY ETHERAL STILL STOOD DEFENSELESS. IN A MATTER OF MOMENTS MY ETHERAL HAD DIED WITHOUT EVEN LEAVING A MARK AND IT WAS DOWN TO ME. THE ONLY I COULD THINK OF WAS TO TRIAL THE DIFFERENT SPELLS AGAINST HIM. FIRST A SPELL OF WATER WASHED OVER HIM AND A FIREBALL WAS CONSUMED AND SENT BACK AT ME. THE ONLY SPELL I HAD LEFT WAS MY LIGHTNING STRIKE. I SENT IT FLYING AT HIS GUT WITH THE REMAINDER OF MY MANA. HE TOOK IT HEAVILY AND SMASHED INTO A OLD BROKEN AND WITHERED TREE. I TOOK THIS OPPURTUNITY AND ZAPPED AGAIN THIS TIME SENDING HIM OFF THE CLIFF INTO AND ENDLESS ABYSS. RELIEVED IT WAS OVER I MADE MY WAY TO THE PORTAL HOPING TO NEVER MEET HIM AGAIN. BOY WAS I WRONG.