On 20 April 1999 two teenagers ran amok in Columbine High School, Littleton, Colorado, killing 12 students and a teacher before turning the gun on themselves. Many of their victims were shot at random, but the killers specially picked out 'jocks' (athletes) and blacks. The pair were obsessed with the Nazis and timed the shooting to coincide with Hitler's birthday. The massacre rekindled the bitter debate about gun control in the USA. See also Dunblane massacre; Hungerford massacre.