

# Not Half Bad

The freshman "A" team, coached by Terry Vestal, had a 5-4 record. The "B" team that was coached by Richard Krause had a 4-4-1 season record. There was a total of 34 boys playing with 17 on each team. "The teams showed improvement offensively throughout the year," Vestal said. "One of the drawbacks of the team was due to the size of the players. We were the smallest team in the district. However, this class had a little more speed than last year's freshman class. About three or four of the boys will possibly have an opportunity to help the varsity team next year," Coach Vestal said.



**Right: Garner Geisler #15 and Lawrence Erskin #40** destroy their opponent.

**Below: Richard Krause, Dan Murphy and Terry Vestal.**

**Middle right: #27 Lawrence McClain** breaks for the outside.



**Top row:** Garon Dixon, Andre Ware, Robert Vaughn, Merle Garner, Darren Wydermyer, Gregory Jones, Gary Bennett, Jimmy Mechelay.

**Third row:** Doug Reed, David Smith, Cecil Boles, Joel Campbell, Chris Jenkins, Joseph Holmes, David Merriman, Lawrence McClain, Robert Hill.

**Second row:** Kevin Campbell, Lewis Moore, Atanacio Gonzales, Troy Evans, Hugh Hawkins, Garner Geisler, Nathan Courville, Donald Gaines, Stephen Harvey. **Bottom row:** Joel Rodriguez, Lawrence Erskin, Herbert Lawson, Librado Perez, Bobby Shaver, Freddie Polanco, Allen Boudreaux, David Cruz.

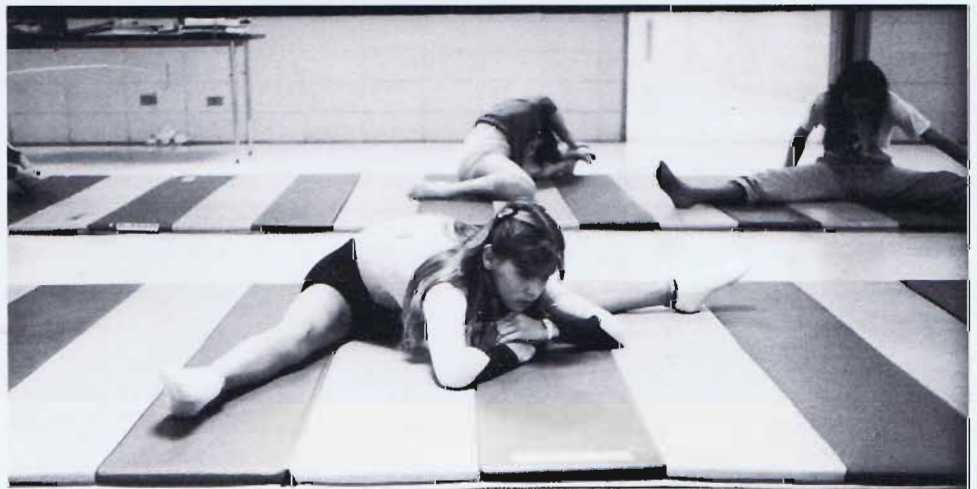
| A Team |             |
|--------|-------------|
| Gators |             |
| 52     | Ball High   |
| 0      | Bay City    |
| 14     | Ball High   |
| 21     | Clear Creek |
| 8      | Pearland    |
| 14     | LaPorte     |
| 29     | Texas City  |
| 7      | Clear Lake  |
| 9      | LaMarque    |

| B Team |             |
|--------|-------------|
| Gators |             |
| 0      | Ball High   |
| 12     | Bay City    |
| 7      | Ball High   |
| 0      | Clear Creek |
| 6      | Pearland    |
| 8      | LaPorte     |
| 15     | Texas City  |
| 15     | Clear Lake  |
| 0      | LaMarque    |

# Tumbling Away!

With a team consisting of eight girls, the DHS gymnastics team began their season in November and ended in April. During the second season of gymnastics at DHS, the girls practiced on the uneven bars, the vaulting horse, the balance beam and several floor exercises. This year four meets were held at Kingwood, Dulles and two at Bryan. Coach D'Agostaro said she is looking forward to next year because of the strong eighth graders coming up from the junior high.

**Top left:** Sophomore **Christine Pyle** stretches before competing. **Bottom:** Freshman **Robin Smith** does a back bend during one of her meets.



Sophomore **Sandy Andersen** takes a moment to think about her routine while stretching.

Top: Teresa Jakuba, Coach D'Agostaro, Mary Salvato. **Middle:** Robin Smith, Christine Pyle. **Bottom:** Sandy Andersen, Barbara Turnbaugh, Robin Weatherby.

# Always on the Go!

While most of us were swimming or going to the beach the last few weeks of summer, the volleyball girls were at the gym working hard for six hours a day to prepare for the start of their season. Led by senior captains Kim Devitt and Marcy Gana, the team opened the season by placing second in the Wharton, Pasadena and North Shore tournaments. The team lost to Clear Creek, LaPorte, and Clear Lake but beat Ball High, Pearland, Texas City and LaMarque in both rounds of games. The girls placed fourth in district with a 8-6 record and a impressive 17-12 season record. Unanimously voted to the all-district first team were Kim Devitt and Marcy Gana. Kim and Marcy were also chosen all-tournament players in the Pasadena and North Shore tournaments. The all-district second team consisted of senior Dee Cucchia and sophomore Ruthe Newman. Coach Svalberg said that "over all we had a good season. We placed second in all three tournaments and improved our district standing from last year."



**Top:** Coach Svalberg, Dee Cucchia, Marcy Gana, Ruthe Newman, Wanda Fernandez. **Bottom:** Laura Brown, Brenda Witte, Carol Sulak, Kim Devitt, Judy Herring, Teresa Jakubas.



Senior **Carol Sulak** #4 prepares to set the ball.

|             |                    |
|-------------|--------------------|
| Hill High   | 15-5, 15-13        |
| Clear Creek | 15-8, 11-15, 14-16 |
| Pearland    | 15-1, 15-11        |
| LaPorte     | 16-18, 11-15       |
| Texas City  | 15-10, 15-2        |
| Clear Lake  | 4-15, 10-15        |
| LaMarque    | 15-6, 15-0         |
| Hill High   | 15-9, 15-5         |
| Clear Creek | 2-15, 15-6, 7-15   |
| Pearland    | 15-6, 5-15, 15-9   |
| LaPorte     | 2-15, 9-15         |
| Texas City  | 15-7, 13-15, 15-10 |
| Clear Lake  | 3-15, 0-15         |
| LaMarque    | 15-2, 15-2         |



Senior **Marcy Gana** # thumps the ball over the net.



Senior **Teresa Jakubas** #7 bumps with force!



**Coach Svalberg** discusses strategy with her team before a game.

# Just a Step Away

The JV Volleyball team began their season by placing third in the Wharton tournament and then capturing first in the St. Pius tournament. The team lost twice to Clear Creek, LaPorte, and Clear Lake. The girls beat Ball High, Texas City, LaMarque and Pearland. Their wins allowed them to place fourth in district. The all-tournament players were junior Tricia Witte and sophomore Sabina Jones. Coach Svalberg said, "The girls began their season playing like individuals; however, they ended the season playing like a team." The JV team was able to improve their district standing from last year with an 8-6 district record and a 16-10 season record.

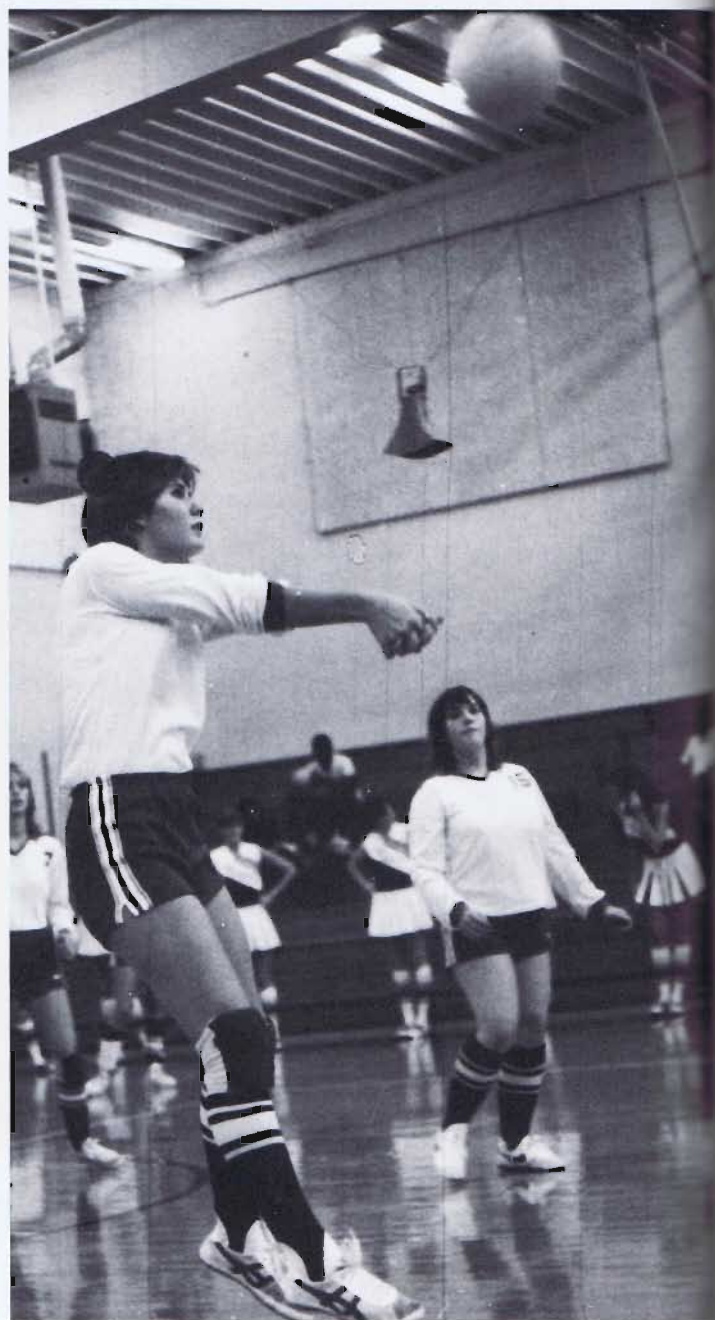
**Below:** The JV Volleyball team rallies after a victory.

**Right:** Sophomore **Melody McCain** takes a jump before the bump.

|             |                    |
|-------------|--------------------|
| Ball High   | 15-8, 15-1         |
| Clear Creek | 10-15, 2-15        |
| Pearland    | 15-13, 7-15, 10-15 |
| LaPorte     | 15-12, 15-8        |
| Texas City  | 15-13, 15-10       |
| Clear Lake  | 10-15, 2-15        |
| LaMarque    | 15-10, 15-11       |
| Ball High   | 15-6, 16-18, 15-7  |
| Clear Creek | 4-15, 8-15         |
| Pearland    | 15-2, 15-13        |
| LaPorte     | 10-15, 6-15        |
| Texas City  | 15-6, 15-2         |
| Clear Lake  | 0-15, 0-15         |
| LaMarque    | 15-12, 13-15, 15-8 |



**Front Row:** Dana Chesak, Nhung Mai, Loretta Hawkins, Truong Hoa. **Middle Row:** Barbara Sparks, Tricia Witte, Ronnie Barkmann, Brenda Polanco, Patty McCoy. **Back Row:** Bonnie Pate, Nita Jacobs, Dana Melancon, Melody McCain, Sabina Jones, Coach Sandy Svalberg.





**Left: Tammy Wiebke #2** hits it with her best shot.  
**Below: Karen Topfer #4** bumps the ball while her teammates **Yolanda James #13**, **Carol Ovesny #6** and **Alisa Guarrant #10** look on.



**Front Row:** Donna Dunbaugh, Angie Gonzalez, Tammy Wiebke.  
**Middle Row:** Yolanda James, Renee Thomas, Stephanie Wells, Cindy Donahue, Alisa Guarrant, Karen Topfer. **Back Row:** Cindy Hare, Coach Gay Drake, Tiffany Guillory, Laura Whitmeyer, Carol Ovesny.

|             |                     |
|-------------|---------------------|
| Ball High   | 15-11, 8-15, 15-6   |
| Clear Creek | 15-5, 10-15, 5-15   |
| Pearland    | 15-6, 8-15, 15-10   |
| LaPorte     | 8-15, 10-15         |
| Texas City  | 15-7, 15-11         |
| Clear Lake  | 3-15, 4-15          |
| LaMarque    | 15-12, 15-5         |
| Ball High   | 15-6, 15-10         |
| Clear Creek | 16-14, 10-15, 15-12 |
| Pearland    | 15-7, 14-16, 16-14  |
| LaPorte     | 8-15, 12-15         |
| Texas City  | 15-5, 15-12         |
| Clear Lake  | 10-15, 15-13, 12-15 |
| LaMarque    | 15-5, 15-11         |

## On the Ball!

The freshman volleyball team finished their season with a 9-5 district record, an 11-10 season record, and a tie with Clear Creek for 3rd place in district. They also won consolation at the North Shore Freshman Tournament. Tiffany Guillory was named as an all-tournament player. The team beat Ball High, Pearland, Texas City and LaMarque twice, and came to beat Clear Creek in the second round. Coach Gay Drake named Karen Topfer and Cindy Hare as being the most improved players, and Tiffany Guillory and Carol Ovesny as the outstanding players. Coach Drake said the freshmen did very well this year, and even though they had their ups and downs, they never gave up. Ending the season with a third place district tie was very satisfying to the coach and the entire team.

# On the Run Again . . .

Terry Vestal, coach of the boys cross country teams, said that the boys had an up and down season. At times they would run good and times they would run poorly. Vestal said they should show more consistency next year since it was a young team. "This season has to go down as a character building year."

Their best finishes as a team were: Second at Angleton, third at Sweeny and Brazoswood. The most improved runners this year were Joe Istre and Richard Taeuber. Reyes

Maldonado and Troy Fish ere the most consistent.

The following boys ran varsity this year: Sophomores Joe Istre, Richard Taeuber and Troy Fish, juniors Scott Mallet and Richard Scott, seniors Reyes Maldonado and Mike Rodriquez. Ken Cardenas, Andy McDavid, Buddy Ramsey and Chris Stegall were junior varsity runners. Four freshmen competed in their division, and they were Marq Barry, Tom Lisch, Herman Maldonado and John Russell.

Junior **Richard Scott** keeps in stride.

Freshman **Herman Maldonado** sets the pace.

Junior **Scott Mallet** gives it all he's got



**Front row:** Andy McDavid, Joe Istre, Buddy Ramsey, Reyes Maldonado, Richard Taeuber, Troy Fish. **Back row:** Coach Terry Vestal, Mike Rodriguez, Richard Scott, Chris Stegall, Scott Mallet, Ken Cardenas.

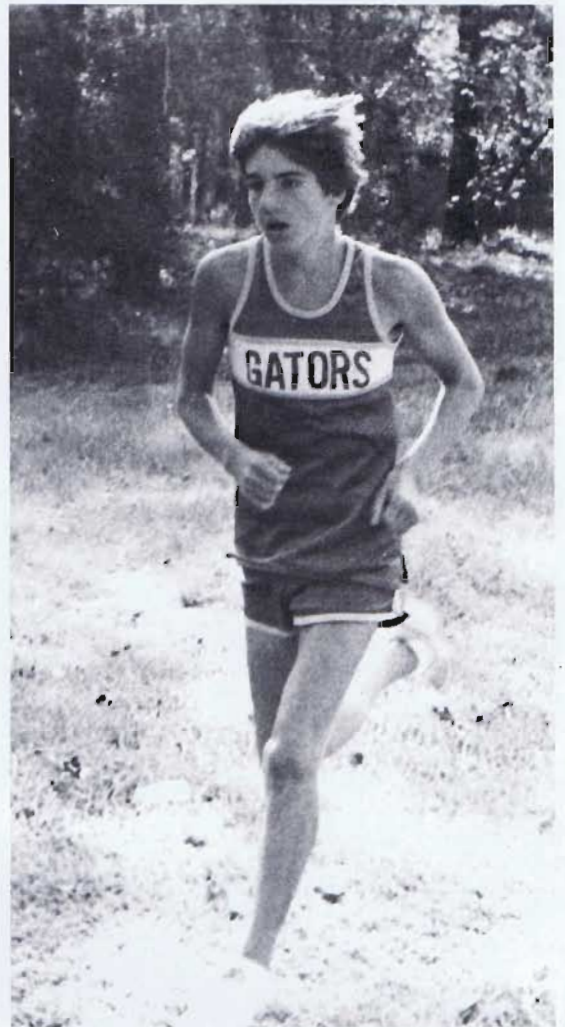


Freshmen **Tom Lisch** and **Marq Barry** keep injured sophomore **Buddy Ramsey** company between events.



**Left:** Sophomore **Richard Taeuber** maintains the lead.

**Bottom:** Sophomore **Troy Fish** runs with ease.



**Above:** Herman Maldonado, Tom Lisch, John Russell and José Galvan.

**Left:** Freshman **John Russell** struggles to keep in stride.



# Running Wild . . .

The Girls Cross Country team, coached by Charlene Jones, participated in eight meets throughout the season. The team's best finishes were a first place in Brazoswood and second place at the Sweeny meet. Coach Jones feels that the team would have done better if many injuries would not have occurred. Injuries left the team without enough runners to compete in the district meet, resulting in a 5th place finish. Coach Jones said the best runners were Susan and Sheryn Higginbotham, Tammy Brown and Mary Simmons. The most improved runners were Sonya

Weaver, Mariette Manrique, and Judy Metcalf, but all runners improved their times. Coach Jones hopes for more improvement in the team and for more students to join in the future.

The varsity team consisted of Susan and Sheryn Higginbotham, Sonya Weaver, Shelly Alexander, Judy Metcalf, Linda Zunk, Mary Simmons, Tammy Brown, and Mariette Manrique. Karen Cotter, Mary Clerc and Michelle Clerc ran for the junior varsity team.

**Right:** Sophomore **Sheryn Higginbotham** keeps up with the leaders.

**Below:** **Coach Vestal** and **Coach Jones** give the girls some last minute advice.

**Bottom right:** Senior **Linda Zunk** runs with pride.



**Front Row:** Sonya Weaver, Shelly Alexander, Susan Higginbotham, Mariette Manrique, Sheryn Higginbotham, Jessica Hanson. **Back Row:** Michelle Clerc, Judy Metcalf, Tammy Brown, Mary Simmons, Linda Zunk, Karen Cotter, Mary Clerc, Coach Charlene Jones.



**Left:** Sophomore **Sheryn Higginbotham** struggles to stay ahead.  
**Below:** Senior **Judy Metcalf** puts forth all her effort.



**Left:** Sophomore **Sonya Weaver**, senior **Linda Zunk**, senior **Shelly Alexander**, sophomore **Sheryn Higginbotham**, senior **Judy Metcalf**, and freshman **Mariette Manrique** take a break between events.  
**Above:** Senior **Judy Metcalf** and sophomore **Sonya Weaver** wait anxiously for the results.



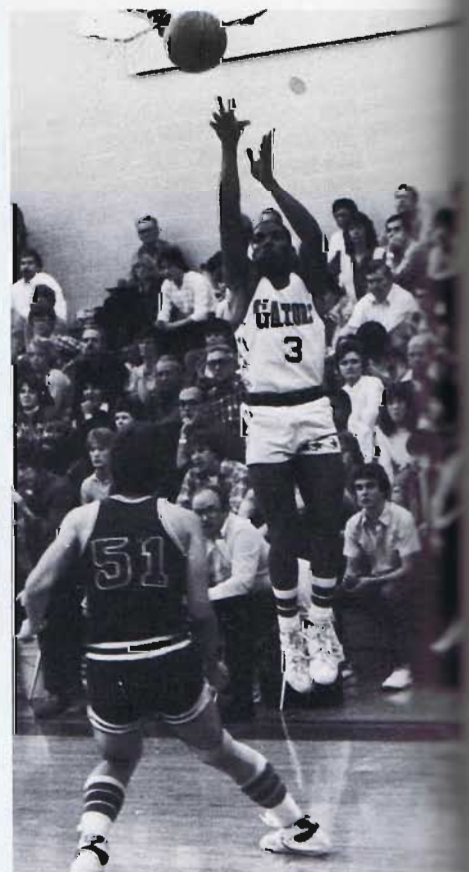
## Better Than They Thought

The boys varsity basketball team finished their season with a 6-8 district record, an 8-13 season record, and 5th place in district. They defeated LaMarque and Texas City in both rounds, but beat LaPorte and Pearland in only one round. The squad took 4th place in both the Sweeny and Santa Fe tournaments, and 5th place in the Brazoswood tournament.

Head coach Danny Murphy felt that the season was one of continued improvement. He said that as the season progressed, the individual talents and overall team competitiveness progressed also. Coach Murphy described the season as "gratifying." He remarked that often times, records and final scores are not indicative of the type of season a team has had and that each game was definitely a competitive contest. Assistant coach Gary Causey said that he was very satisfied with the season because the team was picked dead last and finished in the middle of the pack.

High scorers were Fred DeVault with a 14.6 average, John Spillane with an 11 point average, Cletis Lee with a 10.5 average, Rotnei Anderson with a 7.6 average, and Ray C. Peoples with a 7 point average. Leading rebounders were John Spillane with a 10.3 average, Rotnei Anderson with a 6.8 average, and Clark Murphy with a 4.6 average. Fred DeVault and John Spillane were named to first team all district, and Cletis Lee was named to second team all district.

**Top:** Senior **John Spillane** #43 overpowers his opponents to make the shot. **Right:** Junior **Cletis Lee** #3 jumps for two.



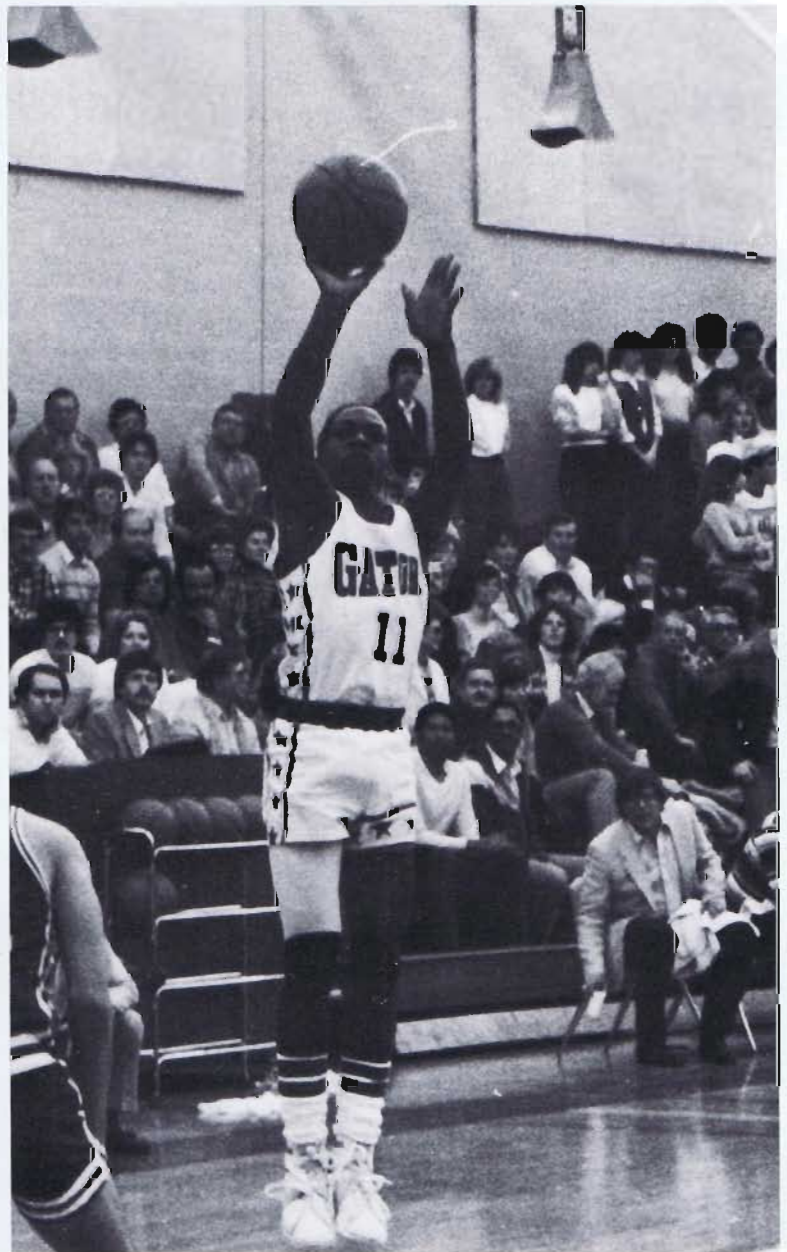
Gators

Opp.

|             |    |
|-------------|----|
| Ball High   | 95 |
| Clear Creek | 69 |
| Pearland    | 80 |
| LaPorte     | 54 |
| Texas City  | 59 |
| Clear Lake  | 61 |
| LaMarque    | 61 |
| Ball High   | 50 |
| Clear Creek | 69 |
| Pearland    | 54 |
| LaPorte     | 65 |
| Texas City  | 62 |
| Clear Lake  | 60 |
| LaMarque    | 65 |

**Below:** Students show their interest in the Clear Lake cheerleaders by reading their newspapers.

**Upper left:** Junior **Clark Murphy** #31 takes a jump shot over the Lake defenders.



**Left to right:** Asst. Coach Gary Causey, Fred DeVault, Tony Green, Clark Murphy, John Spillane, Rotnei Anderson, Cletis Lee, Nathan Hall, Ray C. Peoples, Head Coach Danny Murphy.

**Above:** Senior **Fred DeVault** #11 is wide open when he takes his shot.

# Winning Isn't Everything

The junior varsity basketball team had what head coach Gary Causey referred to as a "rebuilding" year. The season high was a second place in the Santa Fe tournament. The team's district record was 1-13, with their only win being over Pearland. Coach Causey said the high scorers were Joe Briscoe and Kevin Perkins each with a 12 point average. The leading rebounders were Lee Davis with an average of eight rebounds per game and Bill Gurley with an average of seven rebounds per game.

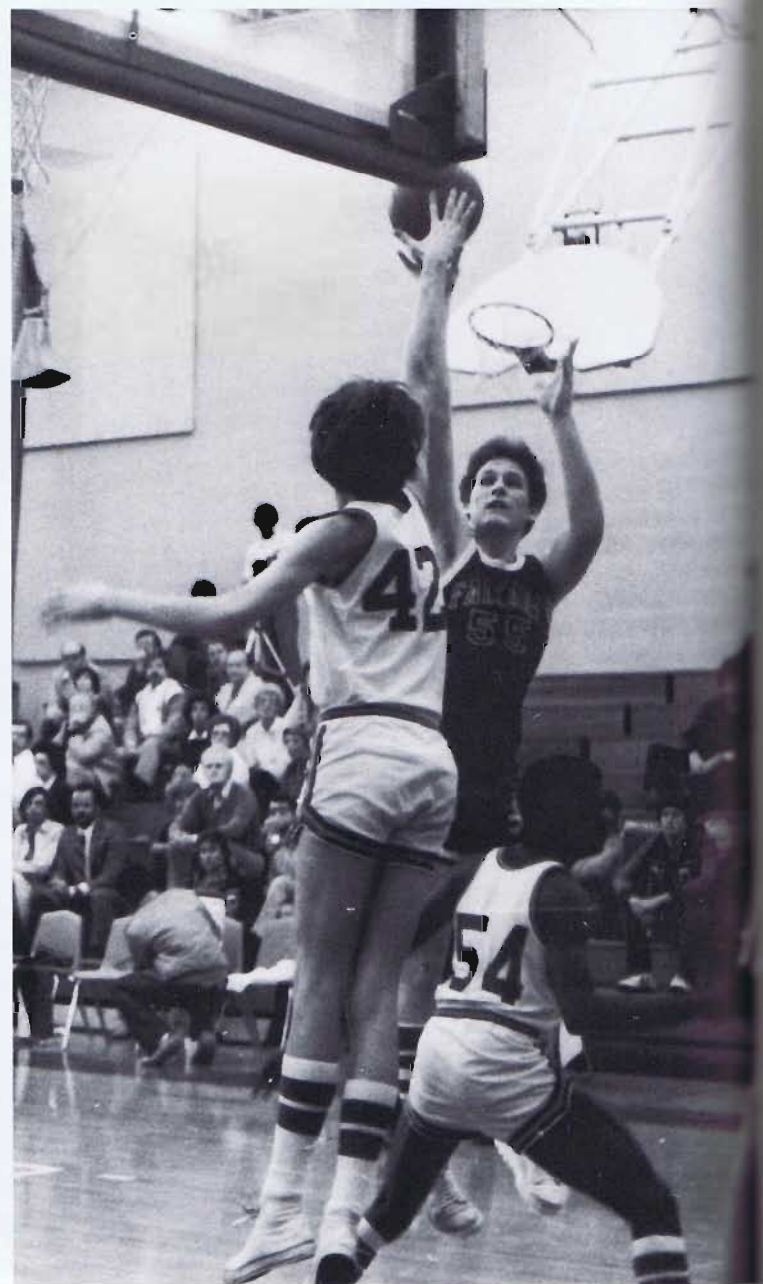
| Gators |             | Opp. |
|--------|-------------|------|
| 35     | Ball High   | 84   |
| 40     | Clear Creek | 61   |
| 47     | Pearland    | 61   |
| 49     | LaPorte     | 51   |
| 46     | Texas City  | 61   |
| 42     | Clear Lake  | 63   |
| 55     | LaMarque    | 76   |
| 42     | Ball High   | 74   |
| 35     | Clear Creek | 82   |
| 48     | Pearland    | 32   |
| 38     | LaPorte     | 52   |
| 33     | Texas City  | 59   |
| 31     | Clear Lake  | 80   |
| 44     | LaMarque    | 54   |



**Upper right:** Sophomore **Joe Briscoe** #32 rolls the ball to his teammate Sophomore **Kevin Perkins** #12. **Below:** **Coach Causey** gives his players some last minute advice on their strategy.

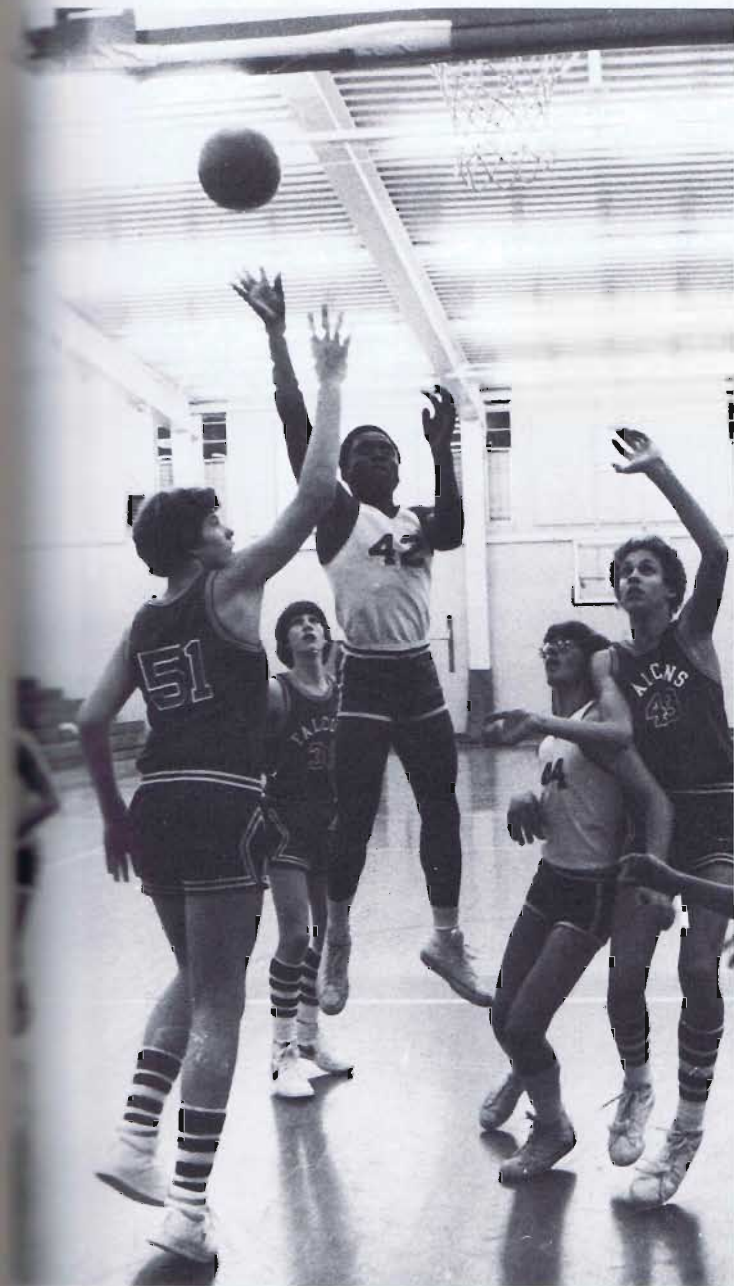


**Left to right:** Head coach Gary Causey, Kenny Strawn, Lee Davis, Kevin Perkins, Bill Gurley, Jack Holcomb, Ricky Wolff, Nelson Skyler, Joe Briscoe, Thomas Wilson, Kenneth Navarro.



**Above:** Junior **Bill Gurley** #42 steps over his teammate sophomore **Lee Davis** #54 to stuff his Clear Lake opponent.

Stephen Harvey #42 reaches for the score.



Top: Herbert Lawson #12 shoots while Andre Ware #44 and Doug Reed #32 look on. Bottom: Kenneth Franklin #14 takes his time to locate the goal before shooting.



## BEATEN, NOT DEFEATED

Freshman basketball consists of an A and B team. The freshman A team was able to beat Clear Creek and Pearland leaving them with a 2-12 district record. In non-district play the A team beat Strake Jesuit, Wharton, South Houston and Friendswood twice. They ended their season with a 7-15 record. The B team ended with a 0-12 district record and a 0-14 season record.

### A TEAM

| Gators      | Opp. |
|-------------|------|
| Ball High   | 68   |
| Clear Creek | 72   |
| Pearland    | 63   |
| LaPorte     | 54   |
| Texas City  | 61   |
| Clear Lake  | 75   |
| LaMarque    | 76   |
| Ball High   | 73   |
| Clear Lake  | 75   |
| LaMarque    | 76   |
| Ball High   | 73   |
| Clear Creek | 32   |
| Pearland    | 69   |
| LaPorte     | 54   |
| Texas City  | 46   |
| Clear Lake  | 85   |
| LaMarque    |      |

### B TEAM

| Gators | Opp.           |
|--------|----------------|
| 39     | Ball High 45   |
| 39     | Clear Creek 49 |
| 45     | Pearland 60    |
| 37     | LaPorte 48     |
| 26     | Clear Lake 63  |
| 28     | LaMarque 38    |
| 42     | Clear Creek 45 |
| 28     | Pearland 47    |
| 36     | LaPorte 46     |
| 37     | Clear Lake 58  |
| 38     | LaMarque 48    |

# Difficult Rebuilding Year

The girls basketball team, coached by Francis Wood, had a season record of 5-17 and a district record of 1-13. The season was a difficult one because the girls were so young. All of the players are returning, two of whom are all-district. The high scorers were junior Maria Strawn with 18.4 and sophomore Ruthe Newman with 14.1 averages. Maria Strawn was the leading rebounder with an average of 10 rebounds per game. In the Spring Branch tournament the girls placed sixth, and in the Alief Hastings tournament they placed seventh. Overall the girls placed eighth in district. "It was a difficult year. We played with all underclassmen in a district with mostly seniors. It was definitely a rebuilding year," Coach Wood said.



Coach Francis Wood, Teresca Robinson, Shari Cooper, Renee Reagan, Paula Vogt, Maria Strawn, Ruthe Newman, Colette Veasey, Cheryl Belser, Leah Lord.

**Top right:** Junior **Maria Strawn** #35 goes for two.

**Bottom right:** Sophomore **Ruthie Newman** #25 stops to look for her next move.

| Gators |             | Opp. |
|--------|-------------|------|
| 44     | Clear Lake  | 65   |
| 41     | LaMarque    | 37   |
| 52     | Ball High   | 89   |
| 20     | Clear Creek | 47   |
| 23     | Pearland    | 85   |
| 38     | LaPorte     | 69   |
| 39     | Texas City  | 45   |
| 36     | Clear Lake  | 48   |
| 50     | LaMarque    | 55   |
| 35     | Ball High   | 62   |
| 43     | Clear Lake  | 54   |
| 38     | Pearland    | 84   |
| 41     | LaPorte     | 81   |
| 38     | Texas City  | 40   |





**Left:** Junior **Cheryl Belser** #21 tries to shoot over her opponent.



**Above:** Sophomore **Shari Cooper** #32 runs around her opponent.

**Left:** Junior **Maria Strawn** #35 and sophomore #31 **Colette Veasey** fight for the ball.





# Plenty of Effort — Lack of Experience

The girls junior varsity basketball team consisted of mostly sophomores. The girls worked hard during practice and always tried to play their best. Coach Gay Drake said, "We lacked in experience, but not in effort."

Their only district win was their last home game against Texas City. The team had several close games during the season but were unable to come out on top.

**Right:** Sophomore **Lala Holmes** #52 goes for two while her opponents watch in amazement.

**Below:** Sophomore **Janice Campbell** #30 struggles to get the ball in the hoop.

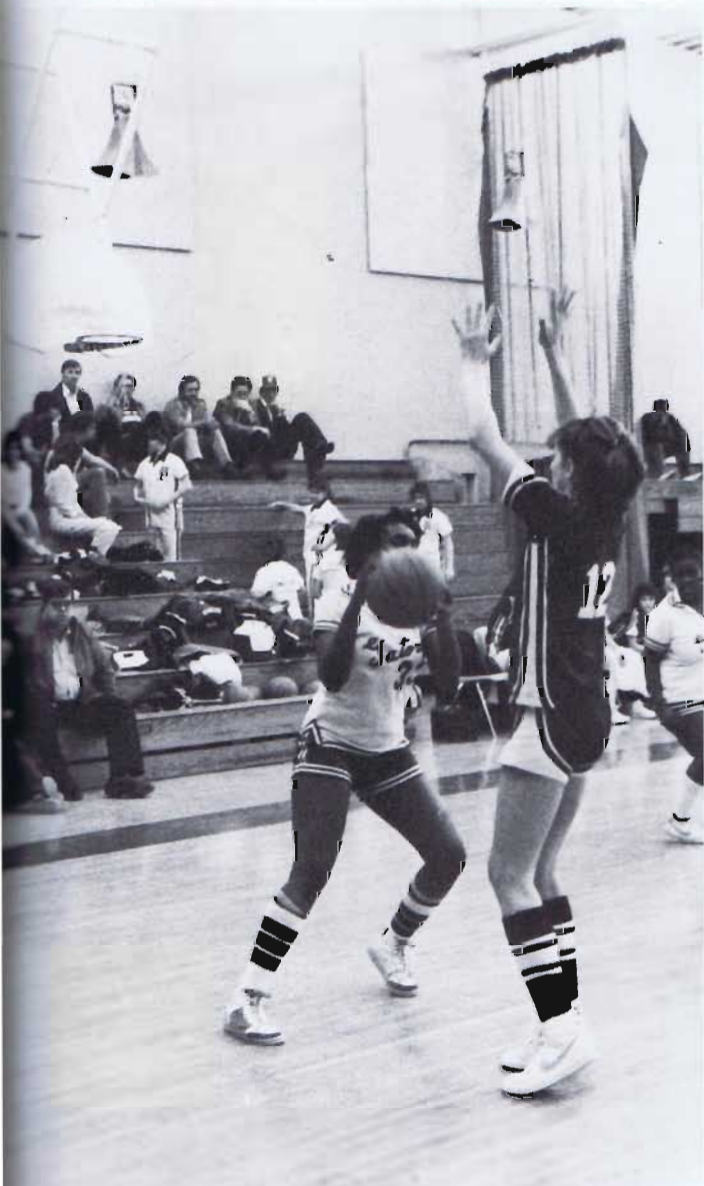


Coach Gay Drake, Janice Campbell, Sabina Jones, Nita Jacobs, Tiffany Guillory, Beverly Vogt, Charlene Belser, Denisia Ferguson, Valerie Erskin, Yolanda Erskin, Laureen Holmes, Lynette Chavez, Andrea Lord.





| Gators |             | Opp. |
|--------|-------------|------|
| 30     | LaMarque    | 32   |
| 51     | Ball High   | 59   |
| 24     | Clear Creek | 36   |
| 27     | Pearland    | 54   |
| 14     | LaPorte     | 48   |
| 13     | Texas City  | 26   |
| 25     | Clear Lake  | 40   |
| 28     | LaMarque    | 51   |
| 37     | Ball High   | 38   |
| 37     | Clear Creek | 54   |
| 31     | Pearland    | 51   |
| 30     | LaPorte     | 56   |
| 33     | Texas City  | 25   |
| 17     | Clear Lake  | 68   |



**Top:** Sophomore **Nita Jacobs** #12 dribbles down the court with ease.  
**Left:** Freshman **Denise Ferguson** #33 tries to fake out her opponent.  
**Above:** Freshman **Charlene Belser** #3 reaches for a Gator score.

## Young But Competitive

The boys tennis team, coached by Joel Foster, had a rough season. "This has been a building year because most of the players were freshmen and had to play varsity positions before having time to gain experience playing at their own age level," Foster said. "In two years time, this years freshmen players will be seasoned players and will surprise some of the other teams in district."

Playing varsity were freshmen Danny Allen, Robert Cahill, Tom Janik, Robby Wolff, Scott Mader and Richard McDermott; and senior Rodney Sheets. The JV players were freshmen Troy Baker, Paul Bown, Bryan Cotter and William Ledenham; and junior Gerald Kim. The freshmen players were Michael Allison and Kendall Smoak.

Foster said that his best players were freshmen Tom Janik and senior Rodney Sheets. His most improved players were freshmen Robby Wolff and Tom Janik.



**Bottom row:** Richard McDermott, Troy Baker, Scott Mader, Paul Bown, Kendall Smoak, Scott Ledenham. **Top row:** Michael Allison, Danny Allen, Tommy Janik, Gerry Kim, Tim Chapman, Robby Wolff, Bryan Cotter, Coach Joel Foster.



Freshman **Thomas Janik** gracefully hits the ball.

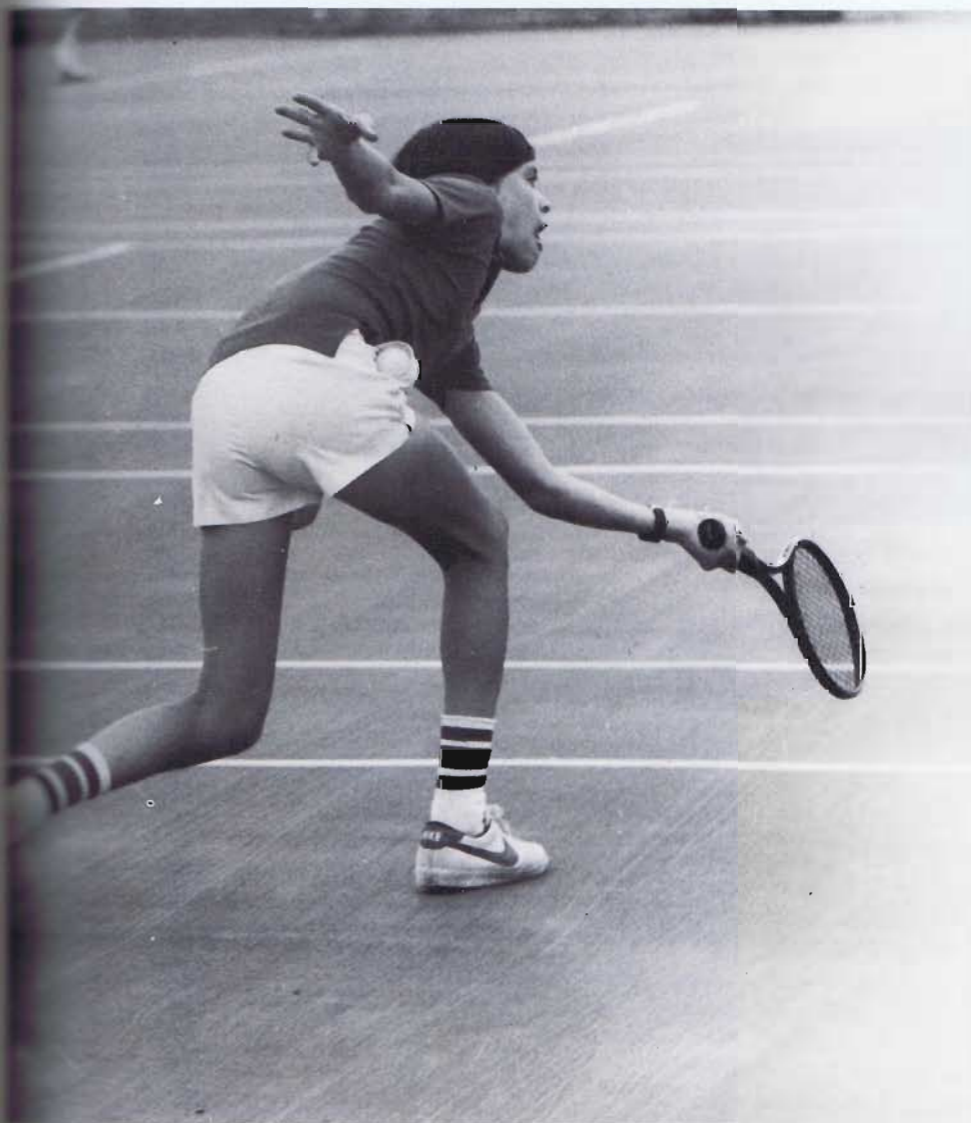
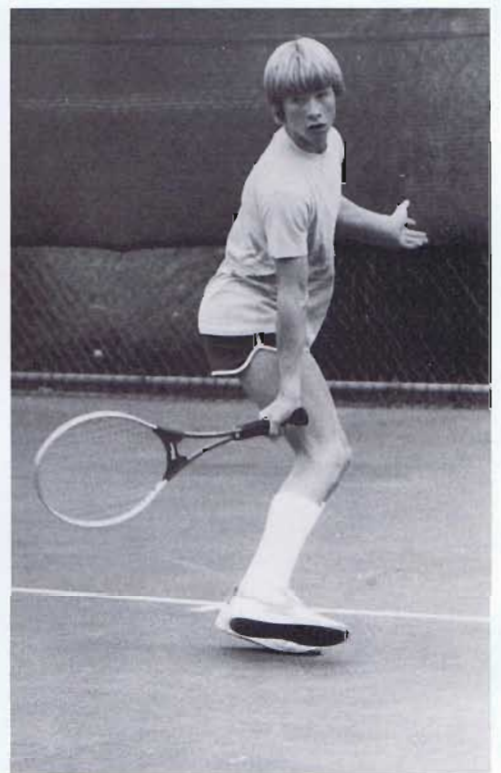
Freshman **Danny Allen** keeps his eye on the



Freshman **Richard McDermott** smashes the ball back over the net.



Freshman **Troy Baker** uses perfect form.



Freshman **Bryan Cotter** stretches for the ball.

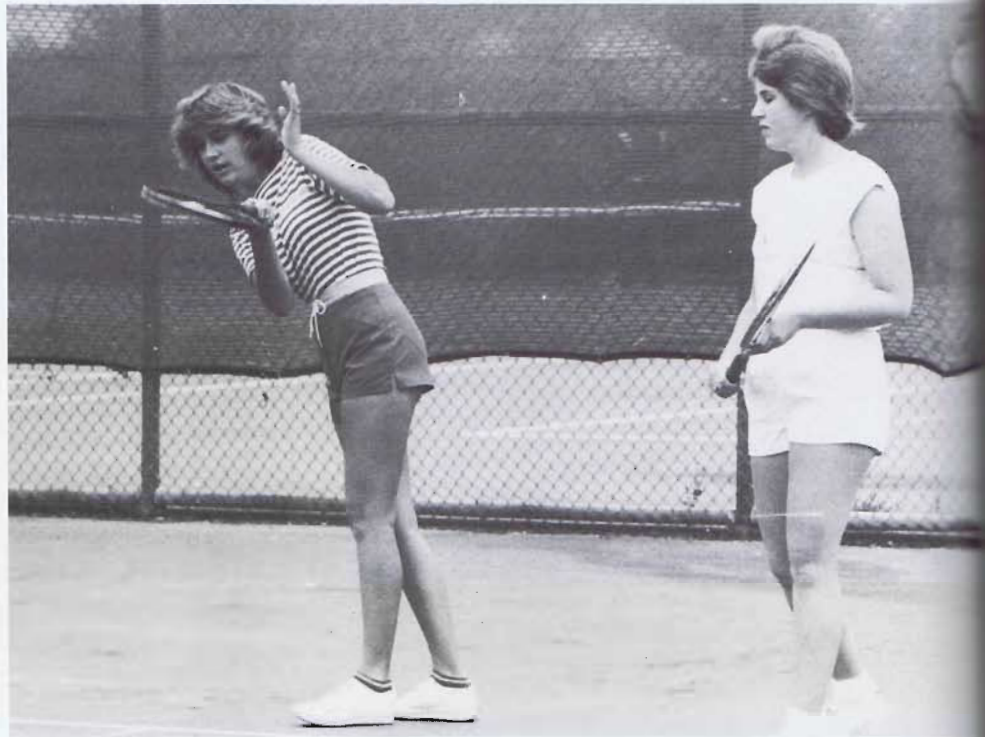


Junior **Tim Chapman** frowns after hitting the ball.

Sophomore **Wendi Smith** puts force in her backhand.



Junior **Kris Taylor** demonstrates her forehand.



**Above:** Sophomore **Sandra Canham** eases into that shot.

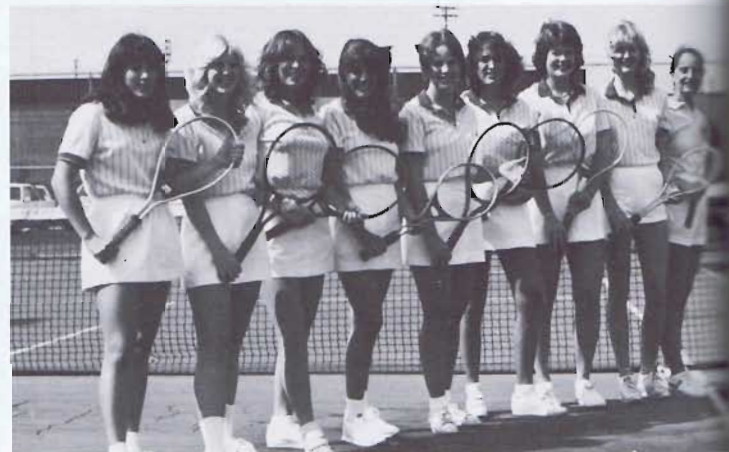
**Middle Right:** Junior **Kris Taylor** looks on as junior **Becky Brudner** puts one over the net.

## Forty-Love

With a young varsity team this year, the girls were able to place sixth in district. The team consisted of eight girls. The top three varsity players were sophomores Wendi Smith and Sandra Canham and junior Becky Brudner.

The team participated in weekly matches against the schools in our district. These weekly matches allowed the girls to play competitively and gain the experience needed to play in the all day tournaments. All day tournaments were held at Clear Creek, LaPorte, Alvin, Texas City, Galveston, and Rosenberg.

Coach Scoggins named Becky Brudner and Sandra Canham as the most-improved players throughout the season. Scoggins said she was looking forward to a good season next year since the entire varsity team is returning.



Dana Chesak, Shelia Sidiropoulos, Wendi Smith, Jane Graves, Taylor, Becky Brudner, Sandra Canham, Trudy Schroeder, Coach Cille Scoggins.

# Center Court

**Standing:** Terri Carr, Kelley Hart, Betsy Bell, Coach Lou Cille Scoggins. **Kneeling:** Casey Coleman, Laura Watkins.

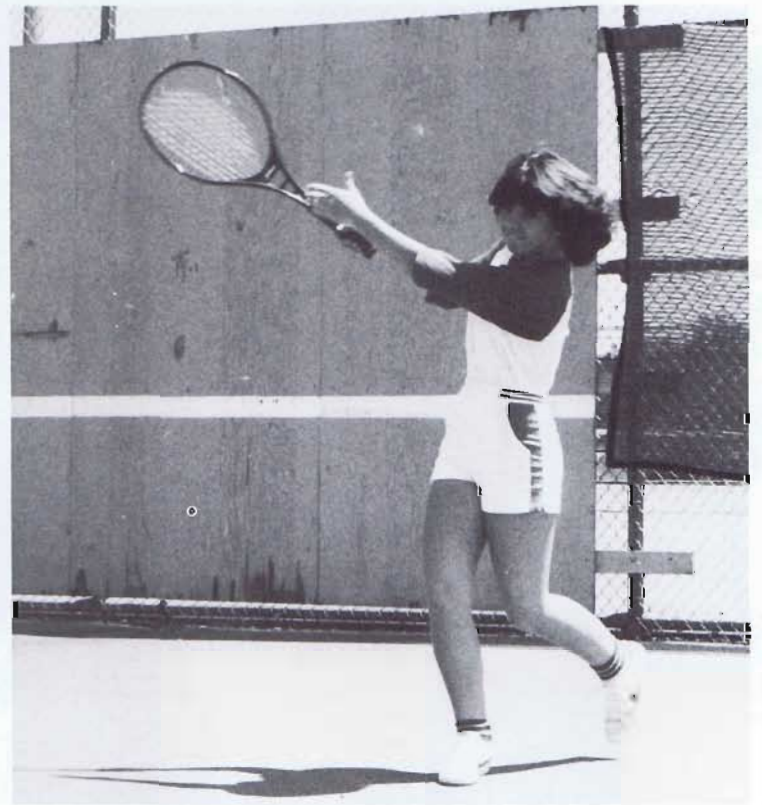


With players having one to two years of experience, the JV girls' tennis team was able to tie with Galveston Ball for third place in district.

The girls spent long afternoons practicing for matches against schools such as Clear Lake, Clear Creek, and Ball High. These were the toughest teams to beat in our district.

Coach Scoggins named sophomore Dana Chesak and junior Betsy Bell as the top players and sophomore Casey Coleman as the most-improved. Scoggins was very pleased with the entire team and feels they were very dependable and will give greater depth to the varsity team next year.

**Middle left:** Sophomore **Casey Coleman** comes off the ground after that shot.



**Above:** Freshman Debbie Riggs puts her body into her backhand.



**Standing:** Erin Schumer, Renee Nesselhauf, Barbara Vogt, Debbie Riggs, Coach Lou Cille Scoggins. **Kneeling:** Lisa Matocha, Michelle Martin.

## Ready to Play

The freshman girls began their season by trying out for the team. Try-outs lasted one week and during that time, Coach Scoggins watched each girl's forehand, backhand, serve, and consistency while volleying. At the end of the week, Coach Scoggins chose six girls which made up this year's freshman team.

Although the freshman tennis team does not receive a district rating, Coach Scoggins said that all the girls did very well. She was extremely happy with the progress made throughout the year. The top players were Barbara Vogt and Erin Shumer. The most-improved players were Debbie Riggs and Barbara Vogt.

# Track team shows improvement

Head Coach Terry Vestal felt that overall, the varsity track season was an improvement from last year.

"We scored points at all meets," Vestal said. "At certain meets we were able to score well in the relays, and we always seemed to score well in the field events with Brian (Rollins) and Calvin (Whitfield)," Vestal said.

The team placed sixth in district, but improved in total points scored. Vestal said the best runners on the team were

Wilbert Lawson, Dennis Davis and Craig Martin in sprints and Richard Scott and Richard Taeuber in middle distance.

Vestal said the most improved runners were Richard Scott in middle distance and Troy Cox, Dennis Davis and Craig Martin in sprints and Calvin Jenkins in the hurdles.

Brian Rollins advanced to the regional meet in the shot and discus. Vestal said Dennis Davis ran excellent times in the sprints and Calvin Whitfield improved in the discus.

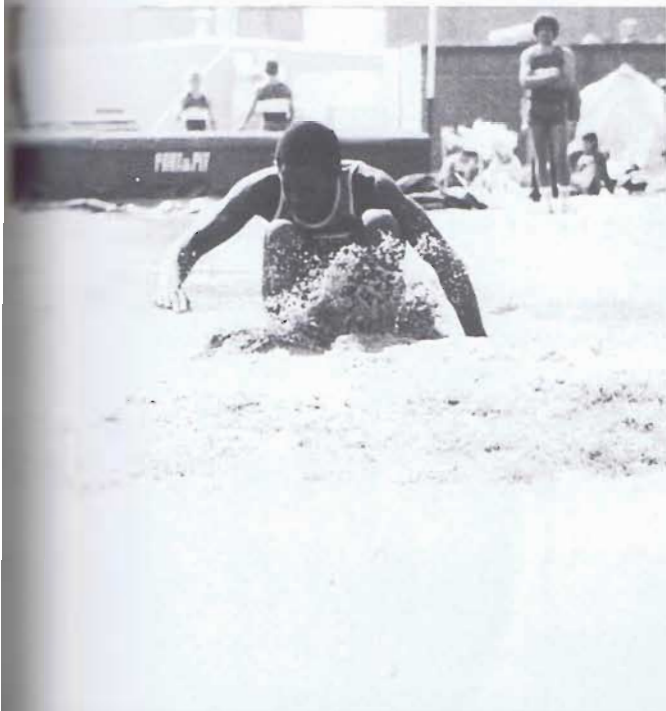
Sophomore **Dennis Davis** gets airborne in the long jump.



Senior **Brian Rollins** advances to regional with his winning shot throw.



**Top row:** Troy Fish, Calvin Jenkins, Brian Rollins, Calvin Whitfield, Charles Bradshaw, Richard Scott, Vernon Henson. **Bottom row:** Dennis Davis, Troy Cox, Craig Martin, Reyes Maldonado, Richard Taeuber, Juan Puentes and Wilbert Lawson.



Junior **Calvin Whitfield** throws the discus with all his might.  
**Top:** Senior **Vincent Wydermyer** keeps a steady pace.

Senior **Richard Taeuber** beats his opponent off the line.  
Freshman **Lawerance McClain** buries himself in the long jump.



# Run For It

The J.V. team took sixth place in district this year because of small amount of runners. With a team consisting of nine boys, the team ranged from fourth to sixth place at meets. However, Coach Vestal said even though there weren't very many boys, each tried every time that it was their turn.

Vestal said the most-improved runners during the year

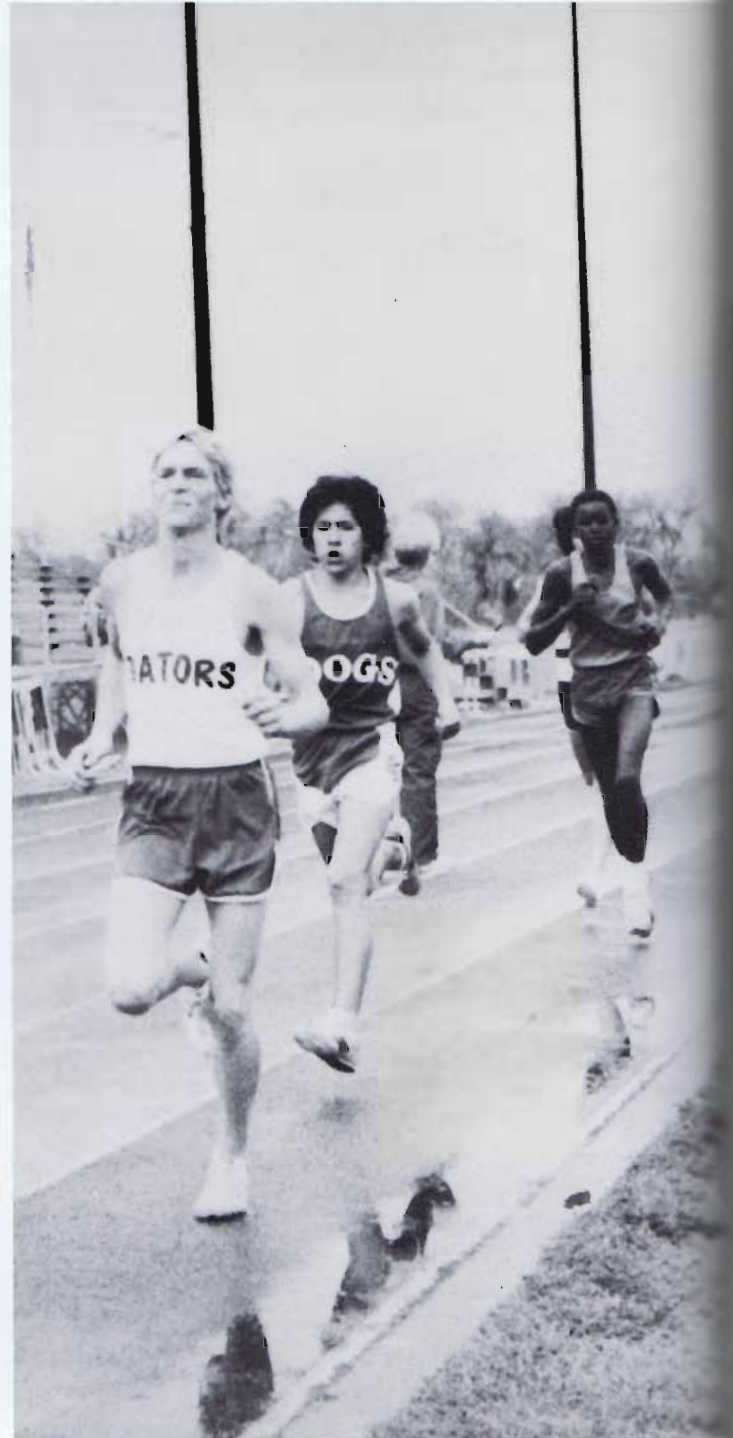
were juniors Juan Puentes and Vernon Henson in the longer events and sophomore Matt Martin in sprints. The best runner in hurdles was sophomore Chris Stegall and Eddy Steinkuehler in long distance running.

The only regret that Coach Vestal had about the season was that it was too short.

Freshman **Joe Istre** edges over the high jump.



**Front row:** Reggie Taylor, Matt Martin, Scott Mallet, and Martin Vasquez. **Back Row:** Darrell Bellard, Chris Stegall and Buddy Ramsey.



Sophomore **Eddy Steinkuehler** moves past his opponents.

## Born to Run

The Freshman boys track team season began in February and ended in April. During their three month season, the team placed first at the Kinkaid meet, second at Clear Creek, and third at Clear Lake. As a result, the team placed third in district.

Coach Vestal said each boy gave good effort and the season showed several bright spots.



above: Freshman **John Russell** leaps over the hurdles.  
right: Freshman **Chris Jenkins** practices running with the baton.  
below right: Front row: Kevin Davis, Trabion Jenkins, Nathan Courville, Darren Wydermyer, Doug Reed, Garner Geisler, Lawrence McClain, Andre Ware. Back row: Tom Lisch, Garon Dixon, David Merriam, John Russell, Greg Jones, Chris Jenkins, and Kenneth Franklin.



Senior **Annie Spriggins** sprints toward the finish line.



## ***Set the Pace!***

This year's varsity track team consisted of 26 girls. Much of the girls' time was spent running in the early morning and after school to practice for their meets. Straining and stretching, pulling and bending is just a part of the girls' practice. An average work-out consisted of much work and sweat. All this hard work is the key to the girls' ability to perform during meets and maybe achieve their own personal best. The varsity girls were able to set

the pace this year for what Coach Jones said was "rebuilding" year. Coach Jones was assisted by Coach Stewart and Coach Svalberg. The best individual achievement was from freshman Charlene Belser, who won first place in the discus throw at the district meet. The season ended with the girls placing sixth in district. Coach Jones said the season was definitely an improving one because the runners showed great progress during the year.

Sophomores **Sonya Weaver** and **Susan Higginbotham** psych themselves up before a race.



Seniors **Shelly Alexander** and **Linda Zunk** warm up before a race.



Sophomore **Michelle Clerc** gets a head start on her opponent.



**Front row:** Jessica Hanson, Sonya Weaver, Sharon Murphy, Rita Praylor, Annie Spriggins, Charlene Russell. **Middle row:** Sheryn Higginbotham, Barbara Sparks, Michelle Clerc, Norma Jean Flores, Mariette Manrique, Susan Higginbotham, Terri Hillman, Diane Turner. **Back Row:** Coach Stewart, Portia Berry, Judy Metcalf, Karen Cotter, Shelly Alexander, Mary Simmons, Linda Zunk, Charlene Belser, Gina Williams, Coach Svalberg, Coach Jones.

# Wasn't what was expected

Coach Dale Westmoreland and his varsity baseball team started the season strong with a 4-0 mark, tied with Texas City for first place.

Then, in the showdown for first, Texas City beat Dickinson 2-1.

"When we lost that first game," Westmoreland said, "it was like our bubble burst."

After that loss, the Gators stumbled and lost five of their next seven games to finish the sea-

son with a 6-8 district record and an overall record of 9-15.

Keith Kelley led the team with a .370 batting average for the year and a .412 batting average in district. Bobby LaFluer had a .333 batting average in district.

Ray Cibulski and Jay Hill led the team with four home runs each. Sophomore Joe Briscoe and senior Kevin Marble each had two home

runs.

In pitching, the Gators were led by Chris Eubanks with a 2.72 earned run average. Kevin Marble had a 2.92 ERA.

"They pitched better than their worst record showed," Westmoreland said. "A lot of errors had us giving up a lot of runs and a lot of games."

First baseman **Kevin Marble** awaits the umpire's decision after taking the throw from **Chris Eubanks**.



**Top Row:** Asst. Coach Jerry Harkreader, James Wyatt, Joe Briscoe, Pat Beadles, Jay Hill, Chris Eubanks, Head Coach Dale Westmoreland. **Bottom Row:** Kevin Marble, Darrin Bock, Ray Cibulski, Keith Kelley, Bobby LaFleur and Stephen Holmes.

Senior **Stephen Holmes** narrowly escapes an inside pitch.



| Gators |             | Opp. |
|--------|-------------|------|
| 4      | Galveston   | 2    |
| 9      | Clear Creek | 3    |
| 4      | Pearland    | 3    |
| 2      | LaPorte     | 1    |
| 1      | Texas City  | 2    |
| 3      | Clear Lake  | 24   |
| 2      | LaMarque    | 4    |
| 2      | Galveston   | 0    |
| 6      | Clear Creek | 20   |
| 4      | Pearland    | 6    |
| 2      | LaPorte     | 5    |
| 5      | Texas City  | 10   |
| 3      | Clear Lake  | 7    |
| 14     | LaMarque    | 2    |



**Top:** Senior **Ray Cibulski** is beaten out by a Viking slide.  
**Left:** Sophomore **Pat Beadles** waits on a good pitch.  
**Above:** Senior **Keith Kelley** burns one in.

Sophomore **Robert Hillman** fires one to the catcher.



Sophomore **Phil Williams** is apparently not interested in the same thing as the rest of the team.



**Back Row:** Doug Reed, Phillip Williams, Andre Ware, Joe Galvan, Mike Downey. **Middle Row:** Tyrell Ricks, Mike Bennet, Scott De La Houssaye, Greg Jones, Kent Neubauer, Joe Hawkins. **Front Row:** Garner Geisler, Aaron Mears, Jesus Guerra, Scott Moore, Robert Hillman.

**Right:** That pitch left freshman **Doug Reed's** glove smoking.



## Never Giving Up

The J.V. baseball team had what Coach Comer described as a "trying" season. They beat Clear Creek in the first round, and came back to beat LaPorte and Texas City in the second round. The Gators finished off the season with a 3-11 district record and a 3-18 season record. Comer said the team improved constantly as the season progressed.

Sophomore Kent Neubauer had a record of 17 steals and sophomore Robert Hillman had a record of 15

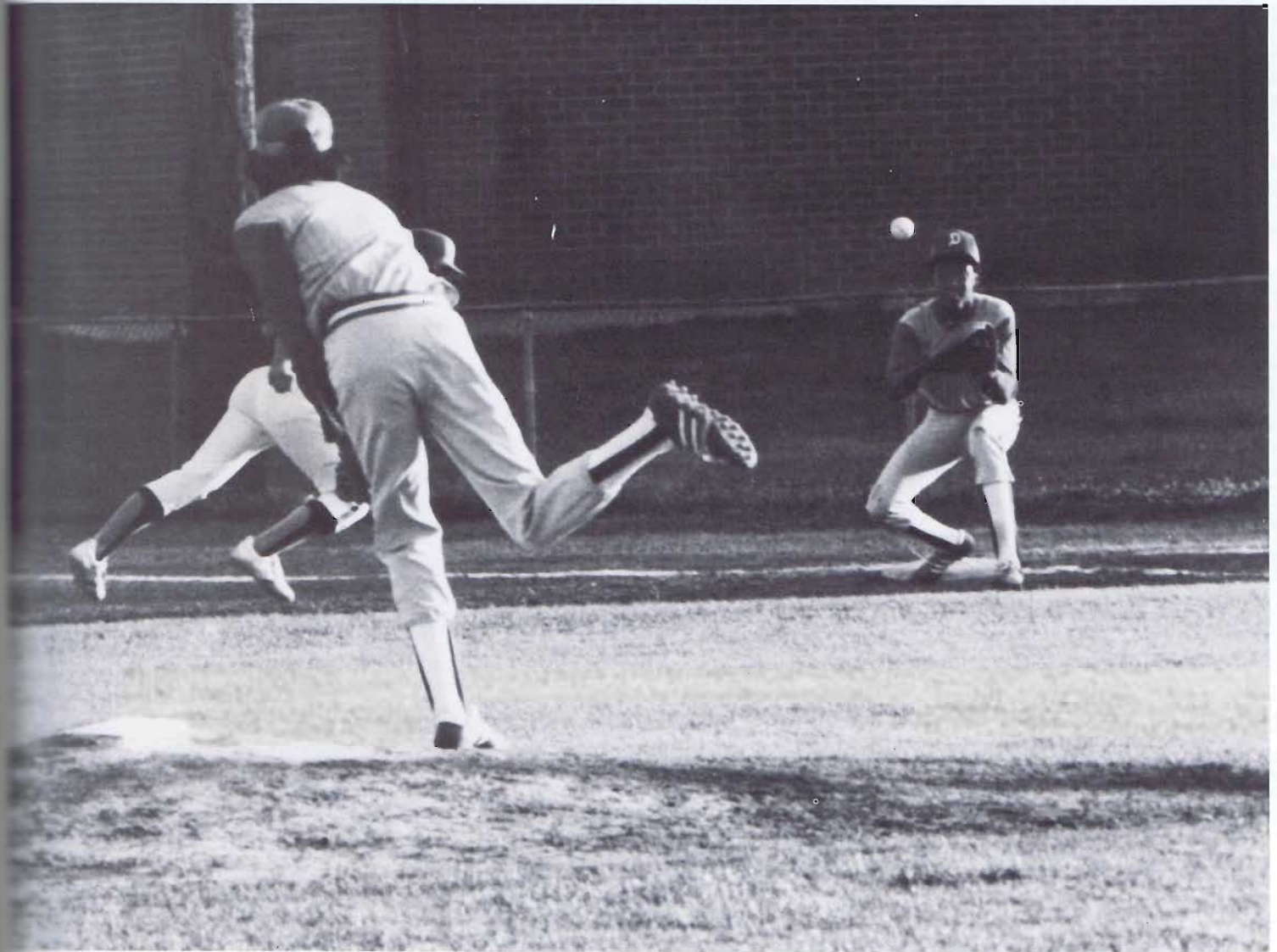
throughout the entire year. The players with the best batting averages were sophomore Robert Hillman with a .300 and freshman Garner Geisler with a .275. Comer named freshman Doug Reed and sophomore Phillip Williams as the most improved players and Robert Hillman and Doug Reed as the best overall players.

Although the team placed last in district, Comer said that every player did his best during the entire season.

Sophomore **Mike Downey** slaps a base hit.



| Gators |             | Opp. |
|--------|-------------|------|
| 2      | Galveston   | 12   |
| 4      | Clear Creek | 1    |
| 2      | Pearland    | 6    |
| 9      | LaPorte     | 11   |
| 2      | Texas City  | 12   |
| 7      | Clear Lake  | 15   |
| 7      | LaMarque    | 11   |
| 7      | Galveston   | 8    |
| 1      | Clear Creek | 9    |
| 4      | Pearland    | 5    |
| 8      | LaPorte     | 6    |
| 4      | Texas City  | 3    |
| 0      | Clear Lake  | 8    |
| 3      | LaMarque    | 6    |



Sophomore **Joe Galvan** throws to sophomore **Tyrell Ricks** at first base to pick off the runner.



# Starting On the Right Foot

Usually when a school adds a new sport to its athletic program, it takes a few years before having a winning season. This was not the case with our soccer team.

The team won their first three non-district games and started district play by defeating their first four opponents with a combined score of 15-3. They lost their fifth district game to Dulles 5-0. The Gators then went on to win their next three games before losing to Brazoswood. They defeated eventual 24-5A champion LaPorte for the second time, before losing their chance for a co-championship to Dulles 5-4. They ended their district season by defeating North Shore and finished in second place with a district record of 9-3.

Junior **Kent Olsan** gains control of the ball.



The Gators lost to Cypress Creek in their first playoff game, ending their season with a 14-4-1 record.

The high scorers for the team were senior Lenny Trapane and junior Joe Mitchiner with 11 points each. Senior Michael McMillon scored nine points and junior Kent Olsan made two goals.

Coach Tom O'Neal felt that the season was rewarding. "We learned a lot about ourselves and about U.I.L. competition," O'Neal said.

The team for next year has their work cut out for them. "We hope to improve on our second place finish next year," O'Neal said.

Sophomore **Darrell Henson** prepares to pass the ball.



**Front Row:** Darrell Henson, Timmy Gillis, Lionel Gomez, Tom Butler, Richy Tæuber, Truc Mai, Antonio Melendez, **Middle:** Rudy Arcovedo, Thomas Box, Joe Mitchiner, Kent Olsan, Joe Rubio, Robert Kelley, Mike Curry, Tommy Gillis, **Back Row:** Coach Tom O'Neal, Fred Werlein, Lenny Trapane, Larry Falks, Ricky Wolff, Eric Taylor, Mike McMillon, David West.

| Gators | Opp.          |   |
|--------|---------------|---|
| 5      | Clear Creek   | 0 |
| 3      | Clear Lake    | 1 |
| 3      | Brazoswood    | 1 |
| 4      | LaPorte       | 1 |
| 0      | Dulles        | 5 |
| 6      | North Shore   | 2 |
| 3      | Clear Creek   | 1 |
| 3      | Clear Lake    | 0 |
| 0      | Brazoswood    | 4 |
| 3      | LaPorte       | 1 |
| 4      | Dulles        | 5 |
| 2      | North Shore   | 1 |
| 0      | Cypress Creek | 7 |



**Top:** Junior **Joey Mitchiner** uses his head.  
**Left:** Junior **Larry Falks** dribbles down field past his opponent.  
**Above:** Sophomore **Bubba Box** shows his style.

Senior **Chris Howard** digs his way out of the sandpit.

## JUST A-SWINGING

The golf team had a very interesting season with only three players having golf experience. The team consisted of seniors Chris Howard, Ronnie Pruitt, Slater Sauer, Eddie Mechelay and Alan McKee, and freshmen Stephen Keuchel and Tommy Fontaine. Coach Jim Loerwald said that the team worked hard and showed marked improvement. For the first year they competed in a full schedule of eight tournaments. The most improved players were seniors Chris Howard and Alan McKee. Chris Howard had the best average with an 88.

"Next year we need more players that know how to play golf," Loerwald said.

Senior **Alan McKee** prepares to let senior **Slater Sauer** follow the path of his golf ball.



**Bottom row:** Alan McKee, Ronnie Pruitt, Slater Sauer,  
**Top row:** Eddie Mechelay, Chris Howard.



Senior **Slater Sauer** uses perfect form.

# It would have been a crime . . .

if we forgot to include the jazz band and the GAA club. With the rush of so many deadlines it could have happened, and it almost did. Luckily we had an extra page in the sports section, and we were able to catch our mistakes. So here's to our jazz band and GAA!

The Girls Athletic Association was formed in January. Their goal was to get powderpuff back. They were successful. The GAA gave over \$2,000 in scholarships to girl athletes. They raised this money with coke machines in the girls' locker room and the powderpuff game. President of the club is senior Kim Devitt; vice president, junior Portia Berry; secretary, sophomore Shari Cooper; treasurer, junior Judy Herring.

Maynard Ferguson, Les Hooper, Sammy Nestico, Spyro Gyra. These were only a few of the artists whose charts the stage band played this year.

Attempting a comeback from a period when Dickinson did not have any stage bands, this year's band caught the attention of many surprised audiences and judges. They won both the Angleton and Dulles jazz festivals, while placing second in the San Antonio jazz festival. The only band to beat Dickinson this year,

Kashmere of Houston, fell to them one week later.

Matthew Benjamin, John Harvey, and Chris Howard, on guitar, drums, and trumpet respectively, received recognition as outstanding performers at several of the contests. Judges awarded David Owens, playing alto sax, the most outstanding performer award at both Angleton and Dulles, and also recognized him in San Antonio.

The band played for the high school, junior high, Dunbar, Anchor Club style show, employees' banquet, Rotary club luncheon, and held a public concert that featured soloist Conrad Johnson. The band has been asked to play at the Texas Principals' Convention and was also invited to China.

According to several judges, Dickinson High School has one of the best stage bands in the nation.



**Front row:** Larry Gregory, David Owens, Russ Pulliam, Buddy Quin, Tom Wilson. **2nd row:** John Harvey, David McClemore, Juan Trevino, David Modlin, Charles Smith, Todd Long and Rand Chandler. **Back row:** Matthew Benjamin, J. J. Runfola, Mike Dillon, Leroy Bell, Mike Trent, Ken Scott, Bill Gurle, Elray Jackson, Ronnie Pruitt, Jeff Wilson, Chris Howard, Richard Pina, Steven Keuchel, Donald Barber and John Garlinghouse.



**GAA Front row:** Karen Topfer, Donna Dunbaugh, Laura Whitmeyer, Tricia Witte, Michelle Boyd, Barbara Sparks, Dana Chesak, Patty McCoy, Nhung Mai, Ruthe Newman, Teresa Jakubas, Angie Gonzalez. **2nd row:** Deidre Adair, Cindy Donahue, Judy Robinson, Colette Wesley, Nita Jacobs, Portia Berry, Kim Devitt, Judy Herring, Yolanda Erskin, Carol Ovesny, Laurie Brown. **3rd row:** Brenda Witte, Tammy Wiebke, Yolanda James, Edith Kusek, Melanie Brunner, Evelyn Holly, Dawn Cook, Kelli Considine, Carol Sulak, Leslie Latimer, Kelly Alexander, Ronnie Barkman, Terri Hillman, Yolanda Woods, Tiffany Guillory. **4th row:** Dana Melancon, Katherine Wells, Jamie Pierce, Marcy Gana, Mary Simmons, Linda Zunk, Dee Cucchia, Bonnie Pate and Charlene Russell.



The VOCT Food Drive helped the needy.  
**Left to right: Tammy Manis, Sandra Reaves, Crist Dickey, Donnel Pacheco, Leigh Holly, Shawn Bellard, Patti O'Conner, David Deshayes, Cathi Thompson, Denise Weber.**



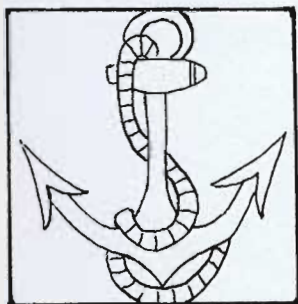
Colorguard members **Holly Haney** and **Karen Hall** are all smiles.



Varsity cheerleader **Melissa Bott** leads the crowd in a cheer.

The organizations at DHS allow students with the same kind of styles to get together and “do their own thing.” This past year, our organizations did their own thing in high style, bringing home many honors to Dickinson High School.

## *Clubs*



## Anchors Away . . .

The Anchor Club of 1982-83 set sail toward a busy schedule for the new year. Ms. McDermott, who has been the Anchor Club sponsor for six years, helped with the first activity that started during the summer for the July 4 parade which took place on Main Street. The traditional initiation of 17 new members took place in the month of September. All members contributed monthly in giving the male faculty their secret pals, presents and food in appreciation of their hard work. The Anchor Club members visited the Lasker home and needy families. Every year the officers attend the Freedoms Foundation in Philadelphia where they contribute and gain new ideas for the club. The club also went to San Antonio for a state convention and received first all around Anchor Club and second place on their community service. The annual carnation sales took place during one week in February. The Seniors in the Club participated in a Spring Style Show which ends a year full of hard work.



**First row:** Terri Hillman, Ronnie Barkmann, Judy Robinson, Georgeanna Sa..., Richelle Easley, Marcy Gana. **Second row:** DeaAnne Neubauer, Pam Broman..., Neal, Casey Coleman, Stephanie Tackett, Loretta Hawkins, Dana Ches..., Lobit, Kelli Considine, Ms. McDermott. **Third row:** Stephen Holmes, Kim May..., Leslie Latimer, Yolanda Woods, Beth Piske, Liz Rack, Xan Johncock, Michelle..., Melanie Brunner, Patti Lipoma, Kathy Smith, Chris Eubanks. **Fourth row:**..., Schnake, Holly Haney, Kelly Goodgame, Terri Mayfield, Cindy Marks, ..., Dudley, Evelyn Holly, Judy Herring, Clair Borne, Tracy Rotter, Tom Hudson.



Senior **Mary Jones** counts to see if she received all of her carnations.



Sophomore **Casey Coleman** takes time out from her campaign to play in the band.



Above: Anchor Club beaus debate whether or not sophomore **Stephanie Tackett** has the hairiest legs.  
Right: "Somebody get this bug off my chin!" exclaims **Claire Borne**.



Juniors **Ronnie Barkmann** and **Liz Rack** enjoy their dinner at the Anchor Club State Convention.





**Right:** Sophomore **Terri Carr** seems to be in shock as she awaits her halftime performance.

**Below:** Senior Drum Major **Ronnie Pruitt** uses a little "body language" as he conducts the band.

**Bottom right:** The 1983 DHS band struts their stuff during a halftime show.

**Far right:** Sophomore **Kent Balzer** keeps the beat.



# The Beat Goes On!

How would you like to start your school day at 6:45 a.m. every day for the entire first semester? This is required of every member in the Dickinson High School marching band. They must also memorize all their marching music, be early to all the games, and plan on spending extra time to perfect the show. All this dedication paid off, however, as the marching band once again had a successful season. Attending the LaGrange Marching Festival in Louisiana the band received a division 1 from all three judges, including division 1 percussion, division 1 Colorguard, and a division 1+ Drum major rating. At the U.I.L. contest, Dickinson again received division 1 ratings from all three judges and although they qualified for the state marching contest, Dickinson decided not to go to that contest in Austin. After seeing the marching band perform during halftime during the playoff games, Dickinson was asked to perform at the Oilers-Cincinnati game by Astrodome officials. They have already been invited back again for next year. The second semester of band . . .





**Top:** Senior **Chris Howard** puts his music where his mouth is.  
**Bottom left:** Sophomore **Claire Borne** takes a breather.  
**Bottom right:** The clarinet trio Moe, Larry and Curly. Seniors **Rita Baldwin**, **Rena Maroul** and **Katherine Rees**.





... consists of the concert season. These performing groups change pace from blasting marching music to the more refined sounds of Bach and Chopin. Due to conflicting schedules, the bands competed in only the U.I.L. and the Six Flags over Texas contests. During this same time, however, individuals were competing for the state's top honors. The band had 11 members make freshman region, and 32 make District band. Owing the highest number to qualify in the Region, Dickinson also placed 28 members in the Region Band, 12 in the Area Band, and 4 in the All-State band. Dickinson also boasts a member of the U of H CLC wind ensemble. A newer performing group to the band program is the stage band. They play a mixture of jazz and easy listening and have done very well for such a young group, winning awards at the Angleton Jazz Festival of both Outstanding Stage Band and the Outstanding soloist. The band also attended the San Antonio Jazz Festival at the beginning of March.

**Top left:** "What do you mean we've got to stand on our heads and play at the same time?" says senior **Tom Hudson**.

**Top right:** Junior **David Owens** jams to the tune of "You Are the Sunshine of My Life."



**Left:** Senior **Ileana Gonzalez** watches the antics of all her senior friends during a pep rally.



**Twirlers:** Melanie Brunner, Patti Lipoma and Richelle Easley.



**All State Band:** **Front row:** Beverly Thompson — orchestra, Jan Bryant — David Owens — orchestra and band, Tom Hudson — band. **Back row:** Maria — orchestra, Maria Seaholm — band, Renee Dudley — band, and Russell — band.



**High School District Band:** **Front row:** Claire Borne, Beverly Thompson, Mary Jones, Tom Hudson, Georgeanna Santarelli, David Owens, Rita Baldwin, Rena Maroul, Katherine Rees. **Second row:** Tracy Rotter, Casey Coleman, Jan Bryant, Maria Seaholm, Renee Dudley, Deaina Berry, Betty Trevino, Patti Lipoma. **Third row:** David Jones, Ronnie Pruitt, Patti Spillane, Mark Lear, Jeff Wilson, Larry Gregory. **Fourth row:** Charles Smith, Richard Pina, David Modlin, Russell Pulliam, Tom Wilson. **Fifth row:** Leroy Bell, Ivan Yanasak and Elray Jackson.



**High School Area Band:** **Front row:** Maria Seaholm, Jan Bryant, David Owens, Katherine Rees. **Second row:** Casey Coleman, Patti Spillane, Renee Dudley, Russell Pulliam. **Third row:** Elray Jackson, Tom Hudson and Jeff Wilson.



**Freshman region:** **Front row:** Christine Mullen, Laura McCroskey, Gina Brunner, Kelly Brown, Shawn Payne, Donna Bailey. **Second row:** Carol Reumont, Karen Topfer, Charles Smith, Tommy Janik. **Third row:** Nathan Courville, Eric Seaholm, and Tommy Fontaine.



**High School Region Band:** **Front row:** Beverly Thompson, Mary Jones, Tom Hudson, Georgeanna Santarelli, David Owens, Rena Maroul, Katherine Rees. **Second row:** Claire Borne, Casey Coleman, Jan Bryant, Maria Seaholm, Renee Dudley, Deaina Berry, Betty Trevino, Patti Lipoma. **Third row:** Ronnie Pruitt, Patti Spillane, Mark Lear, Jeff Wilson, Tom Wilson. **Fourth row:** Charles Smith, Richard Pina, David Modlin, Russell Pulliam. **Fifth row:** Leroy Bell, Ivan Yanasak and Elray Jackson.

**Region Orchestra:** **Front row:** Beverly Thompson, Mary Jones, Georgeanna Santarelli, David Owens. **Second row:** Claire Borne, Casey Coleman, Patti Spillane, Mark Lear. **Third row:** Ronnie Pruitt, Charles Smith, Ivan Yanasak and Elray Jackson.



**Officers:** Georgeanna Santarelli, president; Katherine Rees, vice president; Maria Seaholm, secretary; Mark Lear, treasurer; Chris Howard, student director; Chris Ganze, historian.

# Campus Fellowship



Campus Fellowship, sponsored by Mr. Frank Stansfield, is a very enriching club for Christians. Each year they try to visit at least one nursing home and orphanage. They had fund raisers for specific purposes such as raising money to make Easter baskets for orphans at the Lasker Home. A group of members participated in the Annual FCA mini-conference at Hamshire Fannett High School. The club had parties, an annual picnic, and a banquet in honor of new officers. President Amy Eaton explains that "We do anything that shows Christ's love for others."

**First Row:** Mr. Stansfield, Cheryl Dotson, Amy Eaton, Denna Dwyer. **Second row:** Portia Berry, Monica Woods, Sheila Musgrave, Marla Isom. **Third row:** Jason Grieger, Debbie Bunch, Deaina Berry, Christy Hutson, Steve Kelley.



Senior **Amy Eaton**, president of Campus Fellowship, prepares to conduct a meeting.



Senior **Rose Cordova** tries not to laugh while her picture is taken.



## Varsity Cheerleaders

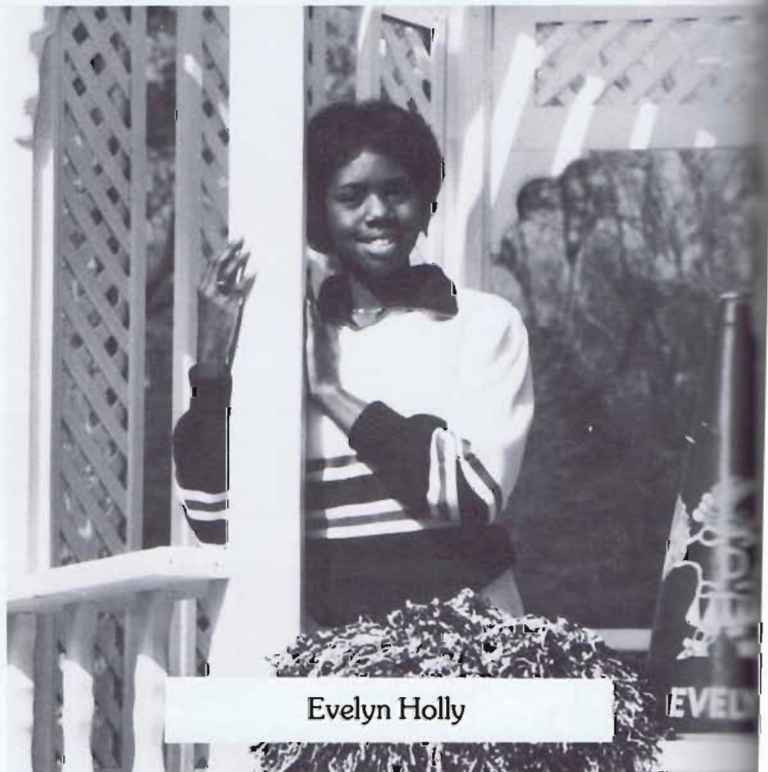
The varsity cheerleaders supplied the spirit in Dickinson High School. They worked hard and long hours to make the 1982-83 year a success. The cheerleaders attended the NCA cheerleading camp at Huntsville and received five superior awards and one award of excellence. They placed fourth in the Jordache Cheerleading Competition in Gulfgate Mall and placed first at the Baybrook Mall Competition. They appeared on the daily morning show "This Day with Katherine." The cheerleaders decorated lockers, made signs and sent boutonnieres for all athletic teams. Mrs. Everett and Mrs. Drake were the sponsors of the varsity squad.



**Bottom row:** Katherine Wells, Jane Graves, Xan Johncock, Krista Baker. **Standing:** Melissa Bott, Dawn Cook, Evelyn Holly, and Cheryl Taeuber.



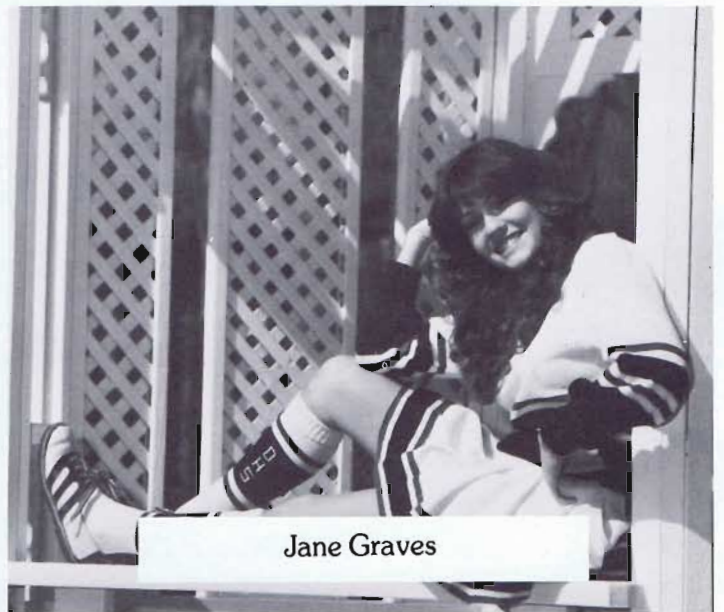
Katherine Wells - Captain



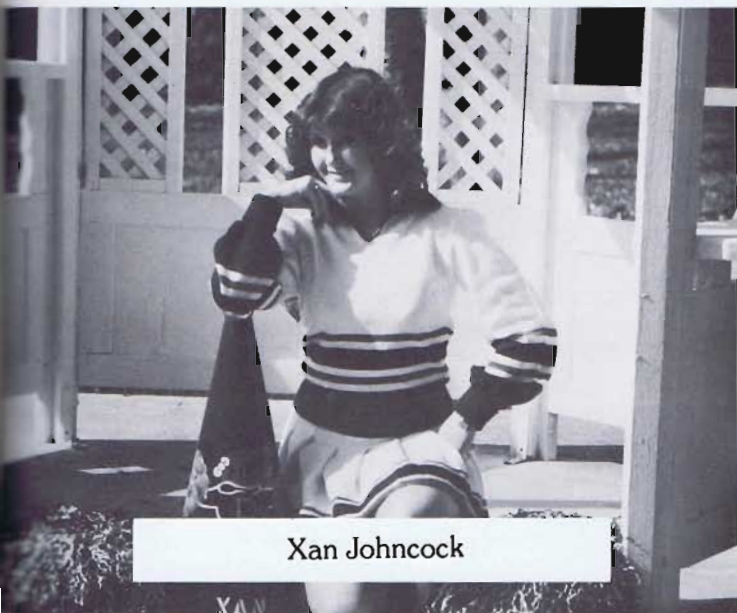
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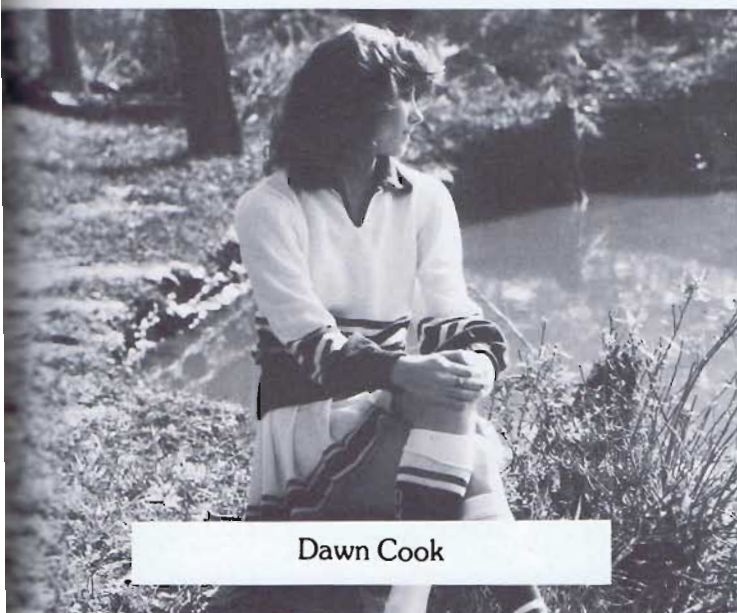
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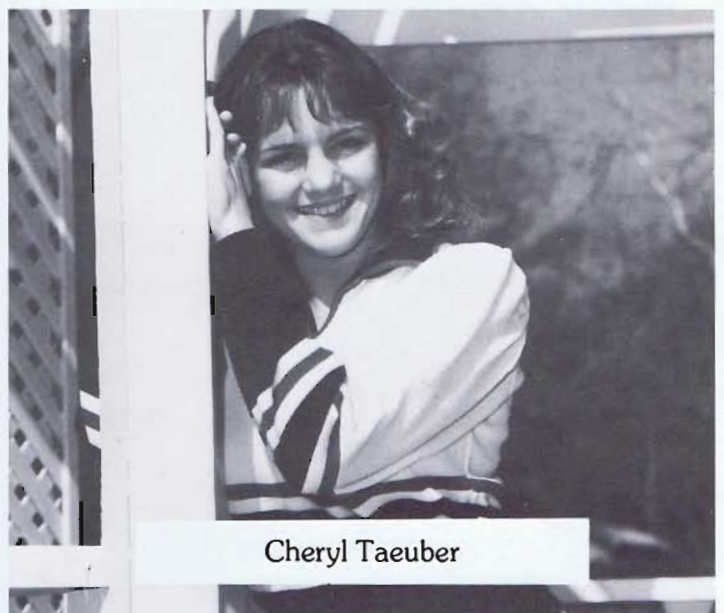
Xan Johncock



Melissa Bott



Dawn Cook



Cheryl Taeuber



## J.V. Cheerleaders

The junior varsity cheerleaders promoted spirit throughout the year by selling ribbons, painting signs, decorating lockers, and cheering for the determined Gators. They participated in several pep rallies and the Homecoming Parade. The cheerleaders attended Stephen F. Austin NCA Cheerleading Camp. They received five superior ribbons and brought home the spirit stick. The squad supported spirit throughout the 1982-83 school year.



Junior head cheerleader **Bethany Fitch** gives someone an evil look.



**Front row:** Patty Pascavage, **Back row:** Donna Carrigan, Reese Barranco, Stephanie Tackett, Bethany Fitch, Kelle Goodgame, Marsi Lowrie and Karla Frick.

## Freshman Cheerleaders



**Stacey Kettler** and **Lisa Mayfield** wait their turn to cheer.

Freshman Cheerleaders contributed a great deal to the spirit that Dickinson had throughout the year. The cheerleaders attended the NCA Camp and received honors. Throughout the year, they made and sold ribbons, bought candy and boutonnieres for the football team. They cheered at all home football, basketball and volleyball games. The sponsors for the freshman cheerleaders were Mrs. Everett and Mrs. Drake.



**Bottom:** Liz Silva, Cindy Carlson, Lisa Mayfield, Laura Youngblood. **Top:** Stacey Kettler.