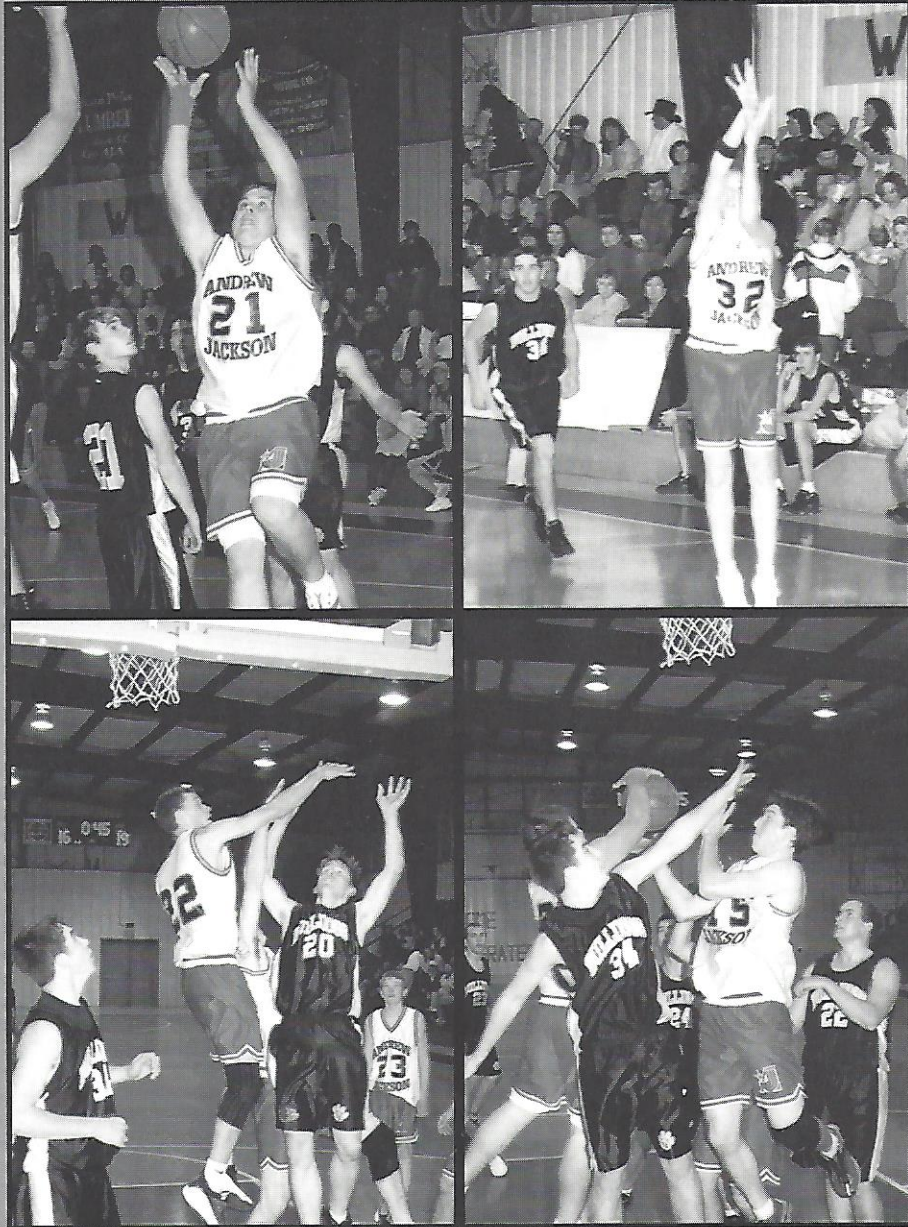


# BASKETBALL



Sports are usually based on winning and losing games, but that is not always so. The Andrew Jackson Academy Varsity Boys team did not win every game this season, but the players still had fun. Gordon Nipper said, "It was challenging because we only had a few players, but we all had playing time to show off our skills." Russ Kinard said, "It was fun, even though we didn't get very far." Being able to work together as a team can be more important than winning or losing a game.

Was the season tough with only seven players on the team?

## Chris Hutto

Yes, our squad was young and had very little experience in Varsity sports. We did come together and play well and beat some good teams towards the end.



## Fred Templeton

At times it was very frustrating, but when we learned how to work as a team, we came together.



## Jerel Hawkins

Oh Yeah! It's hard having to play the entire game without a break. The only breaks are halftime, timeouts, and end of quarters.

Although, we did pretty good at the end of the season.

