



1. Lady cougar's number 11, Tierra Holmes, was playing defence against woodlands' offence. "The best thing about basketball is that I am always surrounded by my friends," junior Tierra said.
2. Number 33, Dranshea Drown, blocked the Woodlands' attempt to score. "Keep trying, practice hard, never give up and believe in yourself" senior Dranshea said.
3. Shalae Edwards, number 22, rebounded the ball and scored a basket before the offensive player could stop her. "I have been playing basketball since I was seven years old, but it feels like I've been playing since I came out the womb," sophomore Shalae said.
4. Drittany Reed and Tierra Simmons set up a defensive trap to get the ball back. "We may be girls, but we are just as good as the boys," junior Tierra said.
5. The Team posed for a team photo "I love coach, He's pretty cool and we all get along with him pretty well." junior Jocelyn Washington said.

## She Shoots, She Scores

Girls got game! Girls varsity basketball has been one of the many leading sports at Colleton County High School. In addition to soccer, football, volleyball, track and cross country, the sport of basketball has been around for many years. It has been admired by many people, but for some it has just been another game. For the team members, basketball has been more than just a sport, it has given them the chance to prove that girls can do anything that the boys have been able to do. It has also been a source of inspiration to other girls who have had the dream of playing basketball. "To get hyped up for the games, we beat on the lockers, sing, and just have fun," junior Shyda Council said. The Lady Cougars are living proof that any male based sport can be played by a female with just as much spirit, strength, and power as any male basketball player could have ever hoped to imagine.

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