

## Making Their

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With great hope and expectations, the Varsity Girls' Basketball Team started off the 1993-94 season in an attempt to defend their State Championship title. The Lady Hawks consisted of all returning players, coached by Danny Parnell and assisted by Lewis Tittle. Throughout the year the team played with unfailing determination and spirit. The Varsity Hawks practiced diligently, learning plays and sharpening their skills to increase their scoring average. The agility and quickness of the team members enabled the Hawks to play an effective man-to-man defense, which proved especially beneficial in the game against the Patrick Henry Patriots. The Patriots, as well as other teams who averaged 50-60 points a game, were shut down by the penetrating War Hawk defense and consequently only scored an average of 30 points. Although the Hawks' offense hit a temporary slump in the mid-season, the team's defense kept them strong until their shooting came around. As point guard, Heather Hoffman said, "I think of our team as a family because we can and have made it through good times and bad."



Top (L-R): Coach Danny Parnell, Susan Drawdy, Lindsay Davenport; Ginger Speaks, Heather Hoffman, Tracy Tittle, Assistant Lewis Tittle. Bottom: Statistician Amy Carter, Lolly Oswald, Stephanie Padgett, Kaci Nelson, Carmon Valentine, Holly Griffith.



"I really felt pressure this year to defend our state championship, but it was great that people knew us."

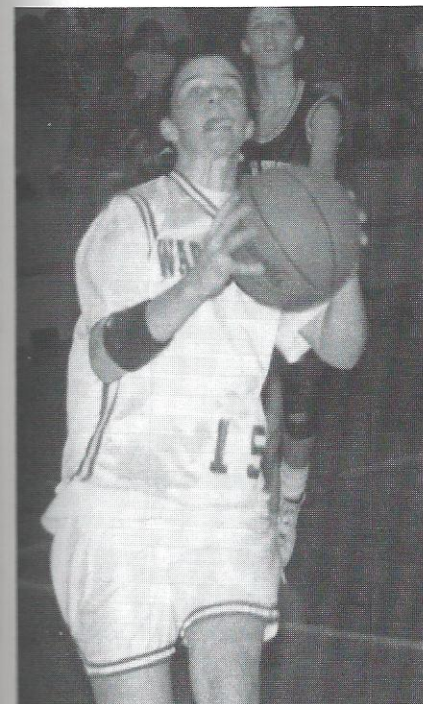
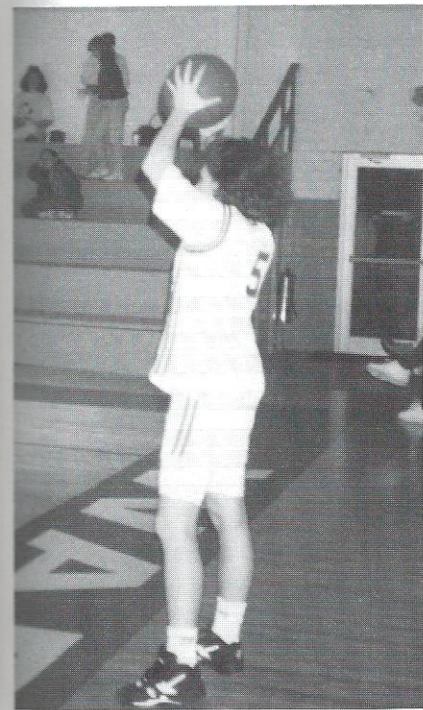
— L. Davenport



"Being on Varsity is a totally different experience from J.V. — it is a faster pace."

— Kaci Nelson

Stephanie Padgett yells "Break!" and the play begins. She looks around for a teammate to pass the ball and finally gets the ball to someone before the five second call.



During a fast break Lindsay Davenport goes for a lay-up. Coach Parnell says, "Fast breaks are great because then we don't have to run a play to score some points."