

Three Cheers for the Cheerleaders



Clark Redish



Cheerleaders for the '74 - '75 school year:

Marlene Maloney - Head
OddaLee Jenkins
Lynn Phillips
Debbie Phillips
Karen Brown
Wanda Walker
Charlotte Valentine
Kathy Mitchell

To pay for uniforms, the cheerleaders washed cars during the summer. They sponsored cake sales at football games.

They joined students from other schools in Colleton County in a 20 - mile walk-a-thon to boost the March of Dimes.

Pre-game pep rallies were a Friday high-light. One pep rally featured Melvin Benton as a chicken opponent.

With their sponsor, Coach Allen, they attended the National Cheerleader's Association Clinic at Wilkerson High School. Marlene Maloney was quoted as saying, "The crowd went crazy when we did

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"RUFFIN HIGH DON'T TAKE NO JIVE."

