

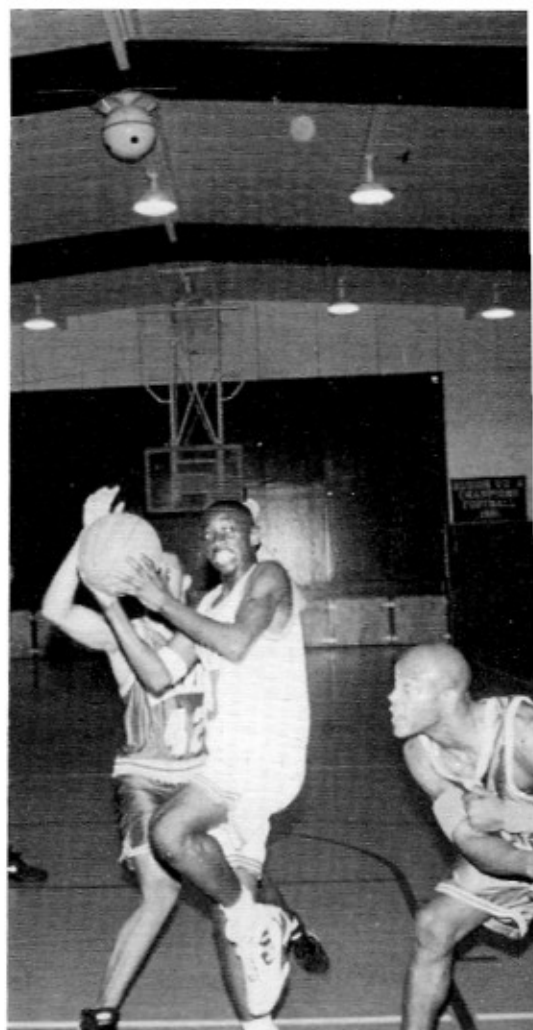
JUST DO IT!

Many students came out for a chance at making the school basketball team. There were those who made it and those who didn't, but that's the way life goes. As the athletes worked hard for the season, both girls and boys became focused on the job that had to be done. The teams readjusted to their new coaches, but it was all the same. They knew what they had to do and the coaches stressed the importance of a good season.

The girls' varsity team went on to have a good season. They finished the conference in third place; nevertheless, they still had to defeat the Branchville Yellow Jackets in order to secure a spot in the state playoffs. The lady patriots prevailed and earned their position in the state playoffs. The lady patriots played a hard game, but they lost the game, thus ending their season. The girls' team only graduated two seniors and will be returning many experienced players to take another chance at returning to the state playoffs.

The boys' varsity team went on to have a disappointing, but challenging season. They finished last in conference, but earned much respect from the teams. The boys stayed focused on their game as the new coach learned to adjust to their ways. The boys' varsity team would lose three seniors: Scottie Fryar, Christopher Linder, and Andy Salley. The team would be very young next year and hope to prevail to the playoffs.

— Christopher Linder



Troy Green glided past his opponents with a facial move.

Chris Linder showed no respect for the Warriors and fought for the rebound.

