



Row One: T. McDowell, D. Spencer, B. Gebhart, A. Berving, J. Nelson.
 Row Two: Coach Ashley, H. Blase, R. Palazzo, B. Beaty, C. Witt, D. Yount, J. Palmer.
 Row Three: D. Bartholic, D. Dodge, J. Shannahan, J. Graves, G. Gruenewald, R. Anderson, A. Kriemelman, J. Merod, D. May.

Varsity Basketball

The 1957-58 basketball season saw the SW cagers bring more honors to the school than any previous team. The fighting five finished second to Cleveland in P.H.L. competition, while tournament-wise Mr. Ashley's crew captured third place in the De-Andreis tourney. After the close of regular season play, the Longhorns met and defeated Roosevelt and St. Mary's before bowing to St. Louis U. High, who finished the season with a 21-0 record. These two victories brought SW a large second place trophy. In non-league play, the netsters were not so fortunate, winning three while dropping eight. Captaining the team were Don Spencer and Bill Gebhart, while big (6'5") Gary Gruenewald scored 426 points over the course of the season to lead his teammates. Mr. Ashley says this about next year's chances: "We are going to lose a lot of boys through graduation, and are going to have to count on some help from the B team. However, if next year's squad has the spirit of this last team, we should go far."

Cleveland	9	0	1.000
Southwest	6	3	.667
Beaumont	5	4	.556
Sumner	5	4	.556
Vashon	5	4	.556
Hadley	5	4	.556
McKinley	4	5	.444
Soldan	3	6	.333
Central	2	7	.222
Roosevelt	1	8	.111

Individual Honors

Prep player of the week (KXOK) Gruenewald
 Best Field goal pct. Spencer .447
 Best free throw pct. Berving .682
 Least fouls—Letterman McDowell 22
 Most points (game) Gruenewald 31

Team

Total points 1479
 Game avg. 56.5
 Opponents points 1558
 Game average 59.9
 Most points team 70 (twice)
 Free throw avg. .620
 Field goal avg. 41.7