



# Experience For The Future

**A**lthough the records don't show it, the golf and tennis teams made considerable progress this year. Both teams consisted of young players, many of whom will be the nucleus of future teams. The tennis team will only be losing foreign exchange students Katrin Nurenburger and Beatrice Gurita, while the golf team will miss only the experience of senior Darren Christianson. "The teams of next year will be made mostly of experienced players and therefore will do much better," said tennis Coach Cathy Layton.

The tennis team ended its season with a 1-9 record. "The team's overall abilities improved greatly this year," remarked Coach Layton. "Continued progress is expected next year." Returning players include Allyson Bridge,

Hallie Gregory, Vincent Smalls, Scott Catterton, Scott Stone, Jay Unger, and DeAngelo Williams. Eighth grader Jamie Kaye was ineligible to play this year but will return to the team next year. Coach Layton is anticipating a good season next year with the return of these experienced players.

The golf team had similar experiences. Being young and inexperienced proved to be a hardship. However, the members showed great progress throughout the course of the year. With only three returning players, the team got off to a slow start. But the players gained a lot of much-needed experience. Coach Doug Bullock commented, "The eight returning players should be a big advantage for next year's team."

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**GOLF TEAM:** Darren Christianson, Bucky Dyal, Brian Gwin, Jesse Drew, Lawton Smith, David Grene, Charlie Sullivan, Josh White, Hunter Hiers.