

# DON'T LET THE SKIRT FOOL YOU

## Varsity Cheerleaders Have More Than Just Pretty Smiles



This year Walterboro's Varsity Cheerleaders proved to be more than just a bunch of "rah, rah girls". Over the summer the girls met to learn new cheers, and in July of last summer the girls went through what was to some of them the roughest, toughest week of their lives. On that week the notorious Mrs. Pam Antista came to Walterboro to conduct the girls' cheerleading camp. Mrs. Pam taught the girls a number of extensive stunts and cheer routines that helped better them as a squad.

"As a top you cannot expect your bases and spots to control all of your weight. Pam taught me that by keeping my body tight, my head up, and concentrating I could take weight off of my bases and spots," said sophomore Nicole Cook.

Senior Aston Hetrick added, "With this one girl I based for I was continually being kicked during her blow out; Mrs. Pam got the top to see what she was doing and made the stunt work properly."

This season Varsity Cheerleaders did not have to say how athletic cheerleading is; their complicated stunts proved it.

More than half of them even took part in Walterboro's Competition Squad. Those cheerleaders had practice nearly everyday; the hard work paid off because the girls won their first cheerleading competition.

By showing off their new talents aquired in the past year, the varsity cheerleaders proved to everyone that they were more than just pretty faces and smiles.

-Shantel Middleton



**Buddies, Bosom Buddies.** Junior cheerleaders Tamara Spangler and Amanda Lucas keep warm on one cold Friday night. The temperatures during football seeseon dropped liked W.H.S' opponents scores, but the cheerleaders continued to be rising stars.

**Picture Perfect.** At an away game the varsity squad shows off a run-through that they painted for the game. The cheerleaders used run-throughs to show their support for the Bulldogs.

