



The 1959 baseball team which sported as much talent as any team previously seen at Webster had a great season capturing second place in the Surburban League. Real depth was shown by the whole team which boasted excellent hitting backed up by fine fielding. John Earnhardt earned the individual batting title with a .371 average. He was rivaled for this honor, however, by John Russell and Allan McArtor. The younger talent which was developed during the year should be a real boost to future teams for Allan McArtor, Norman Schwesig, Frank Robnett, and other returning lettermen will bolster next years team.

1959 also saw the retirement of coach Froebel Gaines who has left coaching the team after thirty-three years of working with the baseball squad. His presence will certainly be missed by future teams.

## Baseball

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## Track



The 1959 season seems to have been a successful year for all of Webster's squads including "Big Orange's" fine track team, coached by Mr. Melvin, Mr. Utz, and Mr. Browning. Although not supported quite as much as they deserved, the '59 squad turned out a creditable job. The team was greatly hampered by the lengthy absence of Barnett Reeves who injured his leg at the beginning of the season, but capable juniors stepped up into Barney's place. Very good individual records were turned in by Larry Hill, Bruce Whitney, and Tom Davis. These juniors, and sophomore, Bill Wisely, hold great promise for a terrific 1960 track squad. The Webster team won several dual meets and placed in the Normandy Tournament.