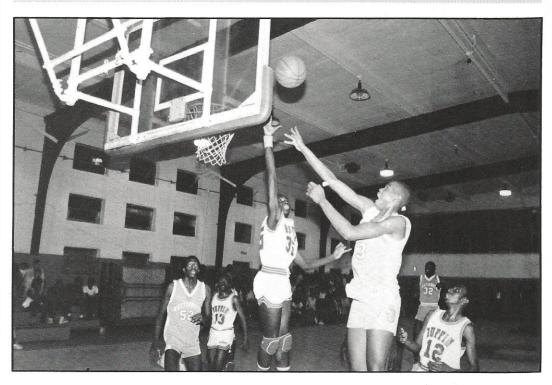


Composed of 11 players and playing with good precision and teamwork throughout the season, the 85-86 varsity basketball squad completed the season. "We had a good team and we will progress more next year. One of our problems was lack of consistency, but we will improve with experience," commented first year coach Ace Collins. Senior Ronald Robinson led the Bulldogs with an average of 8 rebounds per game. Ronnie

Williams led the team with 12 points per

Late in the season, three players, Ernest Martin, Scott Riggins and Paul Harrison, were dismissed from the squad due to academic deficiencies. Keith Green was brought on to replace some of the talent that was denied the team because of the Education Improvement Act. The team finished the season with a 4-16 record, an improvement over last year.



LINDSEY KELLY LEAPS high above surrounding Ruffin defenders to take a shot.

SANDY FIELDS SHOOTS over the head of a Ruffin defender while Ernest Martin anticipates the rebound.