

Jermaine Parker, senior



Andrew Perry, junior

Slam Dunk Season

VARSITY BOYS HAVE BEST SEASON IN FIFTEEN YEARS

The varsity boys basketball team exceeded all expectations with their 15-5 winning season and first invitation to the post season play-offs in fifteen years.

The basketball Bulldogs began practice for the winter season in October. Because of conflicts with the other school basketball teams, the boys practiced in the gym from 6:00-9:00 weekday evenings. Games were on Tuesday and Friday nights.

"We worked hard at practice

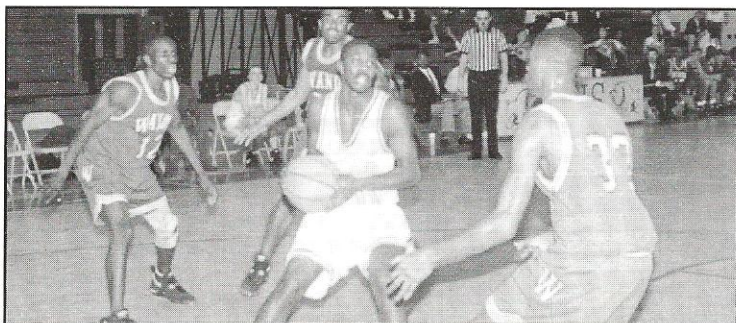
and it proved beneficial throughout the season," said second-year varsity player Jeep Shephard. "The team had unity and it brought us closer together as a team. When we sacrificed our hair and all went bald, we proved our true dedication to the team."

The team was not expected to have a successful season because of the loss of many important senior players. However, the team far passed skepti-

cism and consistently outplayed the teams in the conference. Made up of mostly sophomores and juniors, the team will come back minus only two seniors.

"I am really proud of my boys," said Coach Ben Mitchell. "We had a brand new team this year and really worked hard. They learned from their mistakes and came up on top. We have high expectations for next year."

— Sharon Hazel



Stalked by Warriors Senior Jermaine Parker searches for a fellow player to help him escape from the Warriors. Wando was number one in the conference.

Dribble it, Pass it; We made a Basket Jermaine Parker, one of the seniors on the team, scores two points for the Bulldogs at the conference play-off game. The game was held at Wilson High School.

