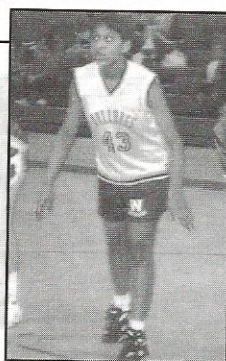
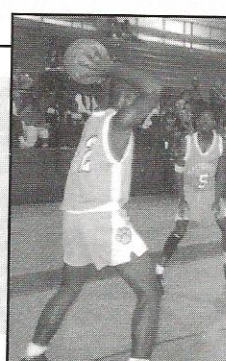


Decisions, decisions. Chris Collins looks upward for a possible shot as he maneuvers around a defender. In addition to basketball, Chris also played JV football and #3 tennis.



On your mark, get set . . . Junior Jaslyn McCuin prepares herself to grab a rebound. Playing defense well was just as important to the Bulldogs as their offense.



I'm open! Johnny McClenon tries to get the attention of sophomore Gerald Brooks during an in-bounds pass. Gerald was the leading scorer and rebounder on the team.

Hoop Dreams

JV SEASONS COME TO AN UNSUCCESSFUL CLOSE

The success of the JV boys' and girls' teams could be found not in the record books but instead in determination and improvement.

With a record of 3-13, the boys continually found themselves stuck with the short end of the stick even after giving it their all. However, Coach Brian Strickland attested to the fact that the boys constantly played hard.

"The team worked hard to improve and they did," said Coach Strickland. "The boys were a very good group to work with."

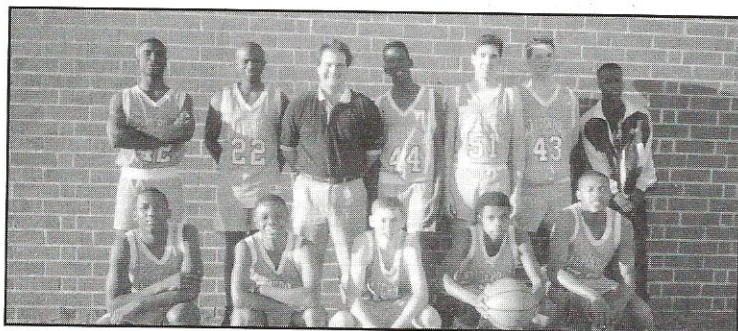
Similarly, the JV girls' team did not have the best of luck in their season. Their 1-14 record reflected both Coach Ken Williams' and the team's disappointment. The girls did not let their losses get them down though.

"Even though we were not suc-

cessful in winning games, we were aggressive," said sophomore Rejeena Washington. "I had fun and thought I played to the best of my ability."

Both teams never let their losing records affect their positive attitudes. In the end, everyone discovered that trying hard truly means more than winning or losing.

— Mike Turner



JV Boys' Team. Standing: G. Brooks, C. Sweat, J. McFadden, C. Collins, B. Altman, P. Sanders. Kneeling: T. Butterfield, R. Adams, C. Bishop, J. McClenon, J. Garden.

Raise your hands if you're sure! Sophomores Lakeshia Pinckney attempts to block an in-bounds pass during a game. Lakeshia's twin sister Tanihia also played on the team.

