

OVER THE NET

SERVING UP VICTORIES

Because of hard work and determination, the Boys' Tennis team managed to earn a successful season record by defeating teams they rarely beat in the past.

"Probably our greatest achievement was the fact that we beat Summerville," said senior Justin Shearer. "It's been a long time since we beat them in a regular season match."

Their amount of their success was also due to the many seniors that played on the team. The experience they provided will help to establish a similar or better team year.

"It didn't seem like it was my last year playing high school tennis," said senior Chris Collins.

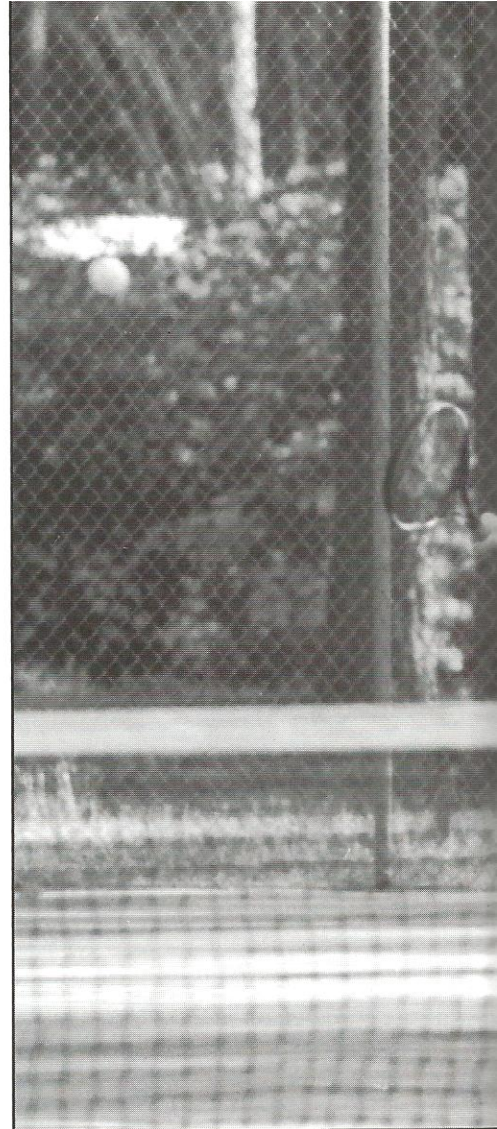
"Then the season flew by and I realized what was at hand." Underclassmen also stepped up to be leaders when they

were needed.

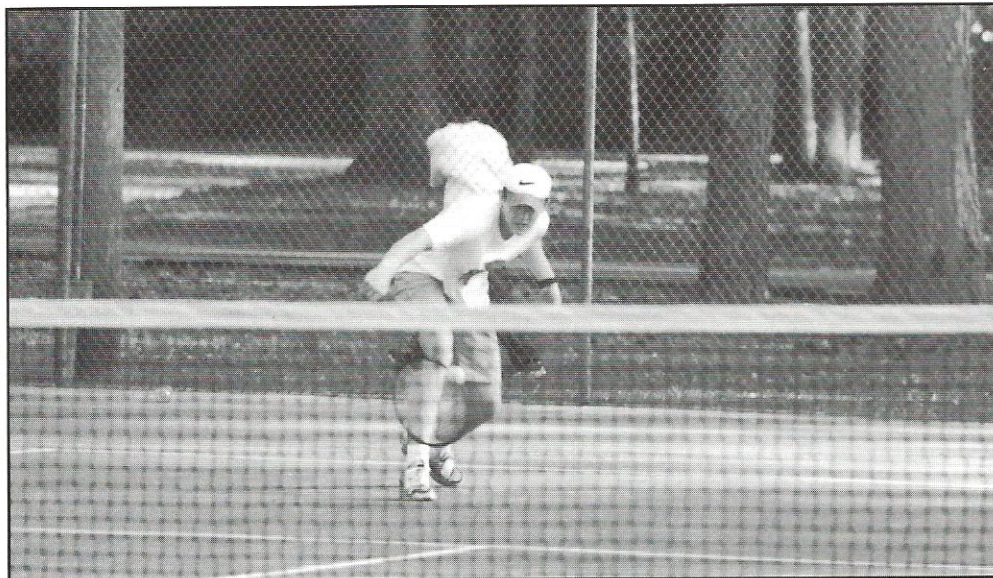
Junior Aaron Ellison proved to be a formidable force in playing an essential role in defeating Summerville. "He played well all year," said senior Judson McDowell. "Even under the tremendous pressure of playing that match against Summerville, he managed to keep his cool."

It was encouragement and support similar to this that also earned them a trip to the playoffs. Although they lost in the first round, underclassmen members of the team feel sure that they shall make a return trip next season.

--Cutler Hamilton



Nice backhand. Junior Aaron Ellison uses good technique in returning the ball back to his opponent. Aaron also played varsity football for the WHS in the fall.



Reach for it! Senior Judson McDowell extends to try to return the ball back to his opponent. Judson was also a member of the National Honor Society.

