SOFTBALL

Record 1978 Won 5 Lost 11



Front Row (left to right) Marilou McQuiston, Sherri Howard, Deana Stoneman, Brenda Golombisky, Julie Paksi, Connie Ariss, Sharon Stehlik-Kneeling (left to right) Tina Shaw, Vickie Bernard, Sandra Tupica, Marilyn Bernard, Cindy Plesko, Chris Schreiner, Konnie Mills, Kathi Burlingame-Back Row (left to right) Coach-Mrs. Briggs, Judi Boog, Stat-keeper-Sue Vanek, Deb Reist, Shelly Jelinek, Tami Mills, Cyndi Contreraz, Jill Gross, Manager-Sue Seals, Missing from photo-manager-Katrina McQuiston

The softball team was an inexperienced squad with eleven freshmen on the roster. Although the 5-11 record isn't too impressive, the team improved as the season went along. The young team improved their defense with each game and by the end of the season the team performed very well in the field. The pitchers were Vickie Bernard and Sherri Howard who put in a lot of work during the year. Key players on the team were: Connie Ariss, Marilou McQuiston, Sharon Stehlik, and Konnie Mills. McQuiston lead the team in batting with a .659 average and lead the team in stolen bases with 33. Konnie Mills lead the team in Runs Batted In with 31 RBI's. Connie Ariss was a strong performer in the field and at bat. Sharon Stehlik was the teams Most Valuable Player. The ladies developed team-work this year, which is essential in the building process of softball at Ashley.





