

JAZZ BAND SWINGS IN A NEW DIRECTION



Back Row: (L to R) Katrina McQuiston, Theresa Fabus, Theresa Haruska, Alan Stehlik, Jeff Gross, Jimmy Vanek, Christa Shaw, Jamie Plesko, Robbie Kral, Front Row: Sherri Carpenter, Deann Gross, Lisa Lacker, Carie Jo Carpenter, Mr. Wager-Director

It has indeed been an exciting year for the Ashley bands. We began the marching season by dazzling the audience at the Clinton County Invitational to a standing ovation, and ended the season with a "splash" with the senior "wave". The bands went on to do a fine job at district festival despite this year's Arctic winter full of snow days. More students than ever proved their individual talents by attending Solo and Ensemble and receiving first divisions. I am sure that all of us will remember the lesson learned at the spring concert that "crime does not pay". The

year was capped off by the H.S. bands performance at the State Capitol and the ever popular marathon. I would like to thank all of the Ashley band students for all of their hard work and efforts this year and for making my first year as Ashley's band director so enjoyable and rewarding.

Cal Wager

