

Meet John Fabus, an outstanding senior athlete in both basketball and baseball, as well as an avid hunter.

"I think people at Ashley have more heart. There's not as big a team so everyone has to contribute and try harder. We have to pull together and play as one," stated David Saylor.

There are many things students learn through sports. Principal Larry Walden commented," They learn teamwork, responsibility, and the value and necessity of hard work in achieving success, all of which are critical to getting along in the real world."

Athletes have to be willing to give more than other students. "They must be

energetic. Many students don't have the ambition to work that hard and still get the job done in their academics," said Walden.

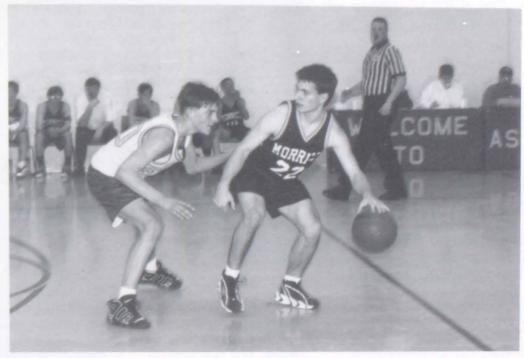
This year the MSAC recognized seventeen scholar athletes from Ashley. "Within our league we are one of the smallest schools, yet we are always one of the top schools. Our athletes are not just good in athletics or good students, they do very well to combine them. That says a lot for our students, staff, and community," commented athletic director, Mr. Gary Schestag.

Amy Strouse

gotta have heart

WHERE'S THE BALL! Melissa Bornemann and Amy Strouse struggle for the ball during the state final game against Portland St. Pats. "I was unable to be at the game but when I heard the outcome on the radio. tears came to my eyes." stated Tony Miller.

PRESSURE! Josh Saylor steps up his defense to turn up the heat on Morrice's point guard. Josh had 61 steals for the season and 4 blocked shots. "We played hard and went 12-0 in the league." Josh said.



A.Strouse