



Working

to

win

This year's basketball team may have posted a 9-12 record but every game was close. The guys never gave up and gave every team a run for their money.

With no returning starters, others' expectations for the team weren't very high and a few losses in the first couple of games didn't make things look very good. But the offense started hitting and the team began to win and gain confidence. Mark Miller commented, "We got a better rotation of players."

Mid-season came around and so did a slump. After winning five of their last six games, something went wrong. Team manager P.J. McGillis stated, "The guys were working hard and they were in every game, but they needed to step up a little bit on defense."

When the defense came around, the team started winning. All of their hard work paid off when they won their last three games against the top three teams in the league. "Once the team stopped worrying about offense and more about defense, we started to win again," stated John Fabus.

"There were two peaks in the season," commented coach Gary Schestag. "Early in the season we improved pretty quickly offensively and late in the season we struggled offensively, but played good defense."

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