

# LEARNING

*"I liked our coach because she wasn't just a coach, she was also a friend to me," stated Cassie Adams.*

**-JILL CERMAK**

This year's JV team was full of new experiences and many memorable times.

For instance, all the junior varsity girls and their coach shared their first year together as a team.

**Lisa Strnad** coached her first year of volleyball at Ashley with varsity coach **Michelle Moore** by her side.

The young ladies on the team had many comments about their new coach: "I learned from Lisa without hard work and effort you can't make the team a team," commented **Jessica Howard**.

**Cassie Adams** stated, "Lisa showed me that I really am a good volleyball player."

Even though the girls had

many comments about their coach, they also had many memories they had shared.

"The funniest thing that happened during the season was when **Carrie Long** fell on her butt when she went to spike the ball," stated **Ashleigh Kaufmann**.

One downfall that the JV team experienced was having players from the team not show up for practice. "Lisa was a good coach, although at times she got frustrated with us because we couldn't be disciplined when we didn't show up to practices," commented **Nichole Ringle**. "This was because of low numbers on the team."

The season was a good learn-

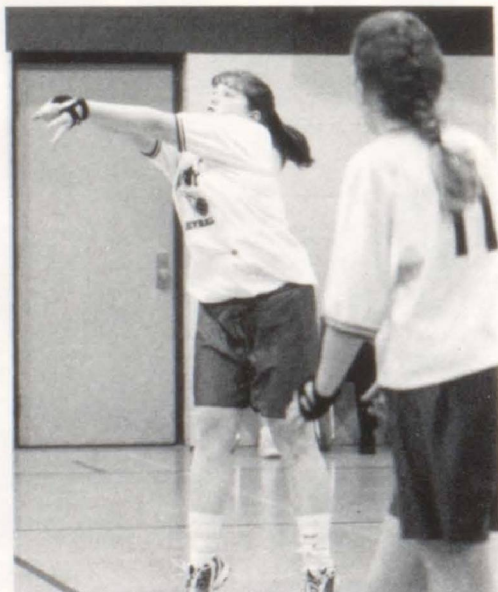
ing experience for all of the girls, putting time and effort in, trying to be all that they could be.

Cassie Adams stated, "I learned how to communicate with my team, and work together as a team."

**Sarah Shaw**, experiencing her first year playing in volleyball, had many good comments.

"I thought that Lisa was really cool. She taught me how to spike and how to be part of a team. I hope she will be our coach next year," commented Sarah.

At the end of the year, the JV team closed the book with a season record of 13 wins and 34 losses.



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**I'VE GOT IT** **Nichole Ringle** goes to bump the ball as her teammate **Rachel Lund** gets ready to back her up.



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**KILLER** **Sarah Shaw** makes an attempt for a kill during one of her JV matches. Sarah ranks third on her team for 24

attempts and 3 kills for the season. Sarah stated, "I like spiking, but would rather serve."