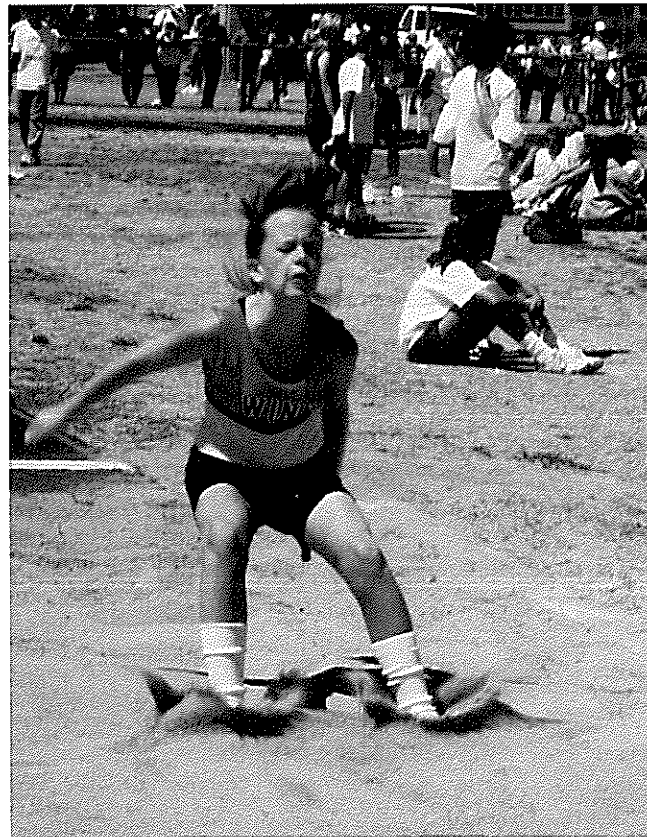


Tracksters Learn Importance of Teamwork

The saying 'every little bit counts' was especially true for the girls' junior high track team at the district meet when they won the championship by one point scoring 120 points. This was a supreme team effort since the girls had placed third at both the Wildcat and Garden City Bearkat Relays earlier in the year against virtually the same teams. Mary Elen Grubbs had two first place finishes and Jennifer Hawkins had one. But, this was a day when the fourth, fifth, and sixth place finishes were extremely important.

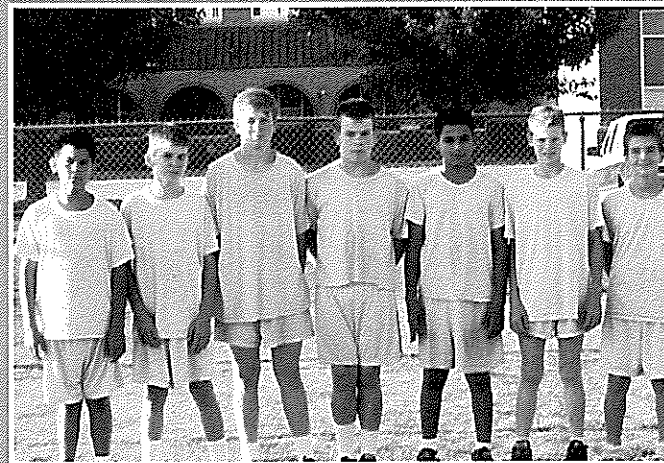
The boys had a great deal of success at the district meet also. They posted a second place finish with a team made up of mostly seventh graders led by four eighth graders, Jared Green, Sam Haring, John Allen Henderson, and Casey McCallister.



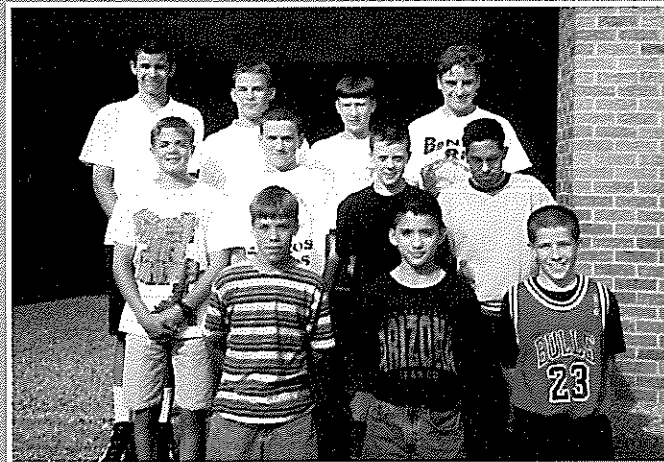
Seventh grader Jolee Hanna puts her best effort into her long jump. She landed with a jump of 11 feet, 2 inches.



Girls Junior High Track Team: back - Jennifer Hawkins, Shane Jones, Kenna Claborn, Kelsey Brown, Alicia Sparks, and Jolee Hanna; front - Aaron Treadwell, Crystal Smith, Shannon Garratt, Mary Elen Grubbs, and Kayla Cook.



Junior High Boys Track Team B: Larry Hernandez, Clayton Hawkins, Derek Erskine, W.E. Tinkler, Timothy Gonzales, Joey Tucker, and Kevin Benham.

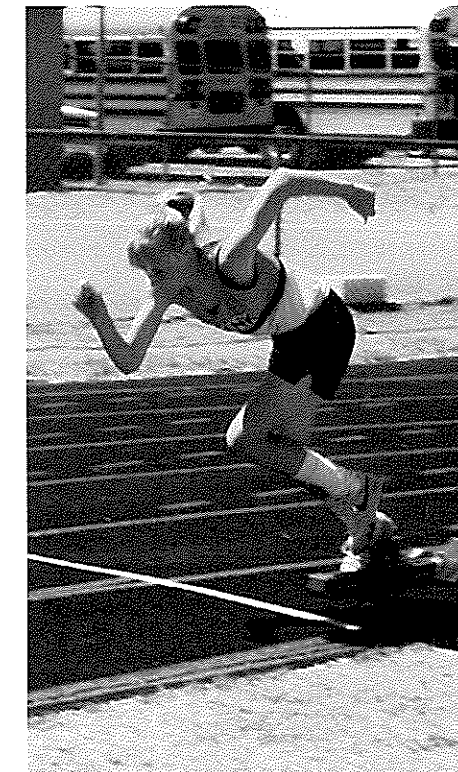
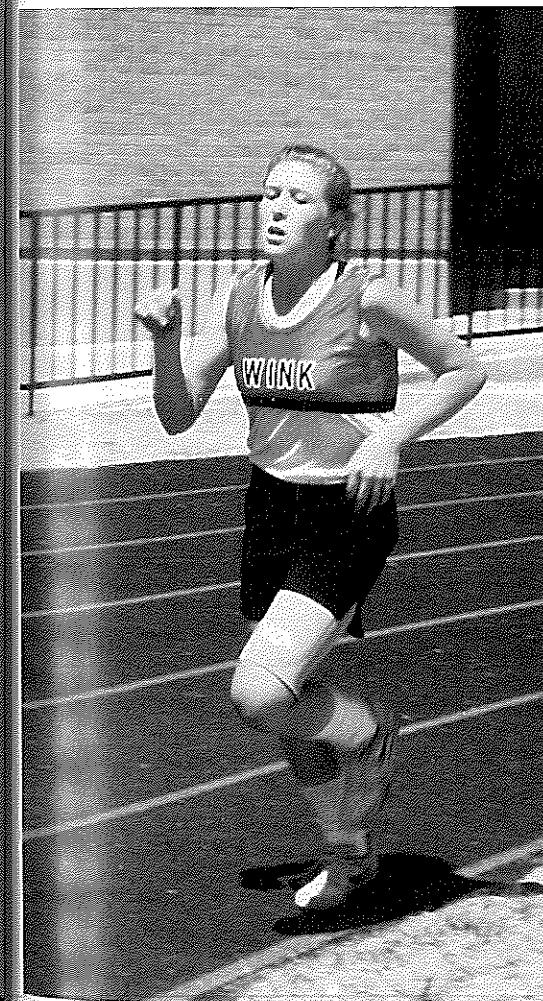
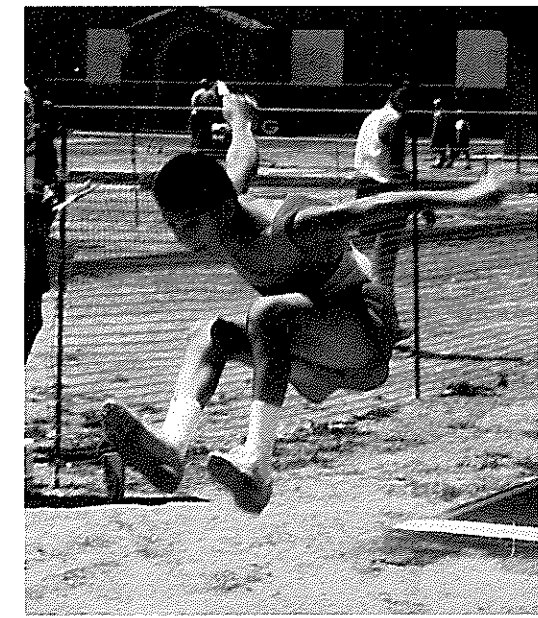


Boys Junior High Track Team A: back - Jared Green, John Allen Henderson, Glen Milligan, and Sam Haring; middle - Casey McCallister, Weldon Thompson, Ben McGehee, and Adan Rey; front - Eathan Hamm, Marco Enriquez, and Derrick York.

At the district track meet, eighth grader Jared Green makes a move for the lead in the 110 meter hurdles. He went on to place first in the event.

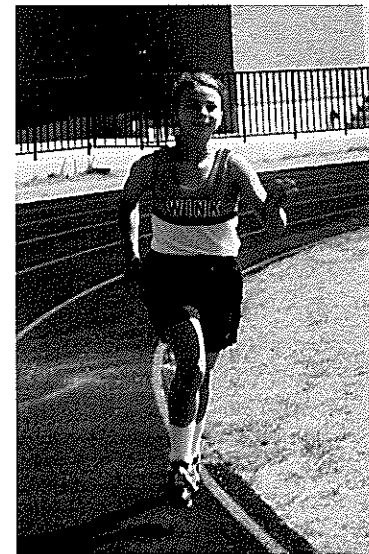


Seventh grader Marco Enriquez soars through the air to jump 13 feet in the long jump at the district meet.



Seventh grader Kayla Cook gets off to a good start from her blocks in the 100 meter dash.

Jennifer Hawkins is on her way to winning the 800 meter run with a time of 2:38.03.



Seventh grader Mary Elen Grubbs' smooth, steady pace helped her win not only the 1600 meter run but also the 3200. As if these were not enough to tire a girl out, she also ran on a relay.