



## Winner by a Hair

The girls found out the importance of each and every point, as they edged Irion County by one point to take the district title.

The Lady Cats had appeared to have the meet well in hand, when its outstanding 1600m relay team was disqualified for interference.

In an effort to stretch out every possible inch, the baton was dropped on the pass from Jennifer Hawkins to Jess Anne Fernandes at the beginning of the anchor leg.

Fernandes managed to leg-out a second place finish only to see the results later over-turned on the interference call.

With the loss of the relay, girls not advancing to Regional played a huge part in winning the district title. Fourth, fifth and sixth place points earned in events participants may have never competed in before, became important. These 25 points out of a total of 132, in effect, won the championship.

Senior Mickey Underwood throws the discus for a personal best of 100'2" at the Garden City district track meet. Mickey placed first at district in the discus and shot put allowing her to qualify for the Regional Track Meet for the second straight year.

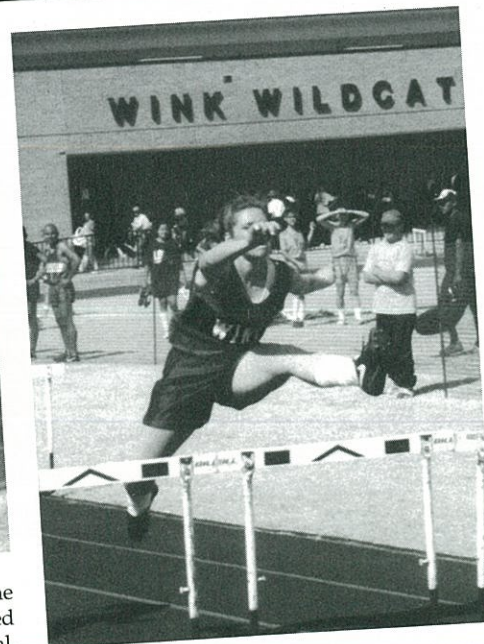


# Every Little Bit Counts!

Junior Angela Milligan hands off to senior Amanda Henderson in the 800m relay. Although the relay narrowly missed going to Regional, Angela qualified in the 800m run and placed sixth. Amanda qualified in the long jump and as a member of the 400m relay that finished fourth at the regional level.

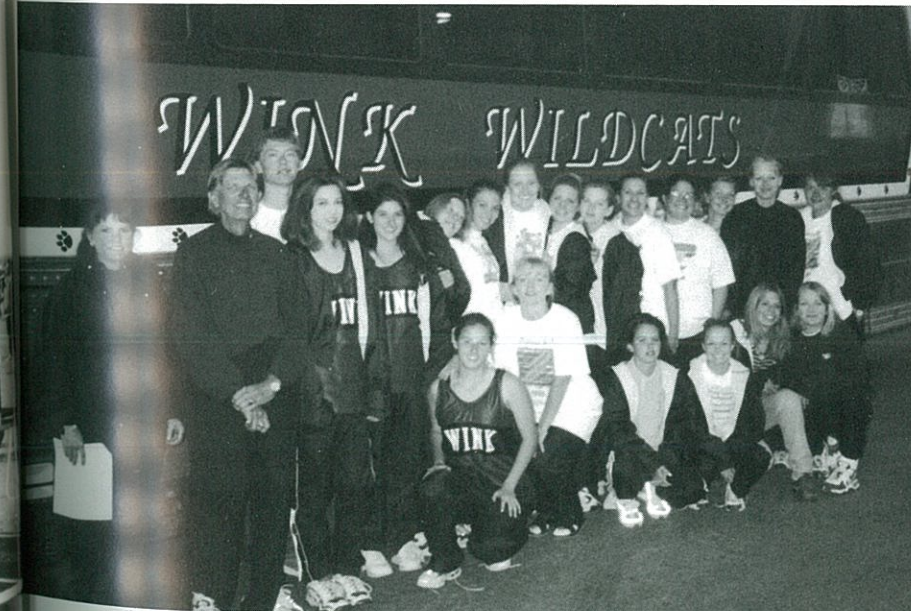


Sophomore April Underwood runs the 1600m at the Wildcat Relays. She placed second at district to qualify for Regional.



Junior Geanna Baker ran a 17.2, 100m hurdles to take second place at district and earned a trip to the Region II meet.

JessAnne Fernandes runs through the finish line tape to win the 400m run at district. She went on to win this race at Regional. The high school junior then placed fourth in not only the 400m but also in the high jump at State.



Standing- Coach Danna Flatt, Coach Phil Swenson, manager Greg Smith, Jessica Ancira, April Underwood, Jennifer Hawkins, Melissa Shackelford, JessAnne Fernandes, Geanna Baker, Michelle Harbin, Erin Wolf, Mickey Underwood, Vicky LaCombe, Alicia Sparks and Kathie Shirey; kneeling- Angela Milligan, Amanda Henderson, Ryan Thomas, Shannon Garratt, Shane Jones, and manager Cassie Slaughter.



Jennifer Hawkins managed a leap of 14'3.75" in the long jump at district. This was good enough for a fourth place finish and some valuable points.