



ATHLETICS





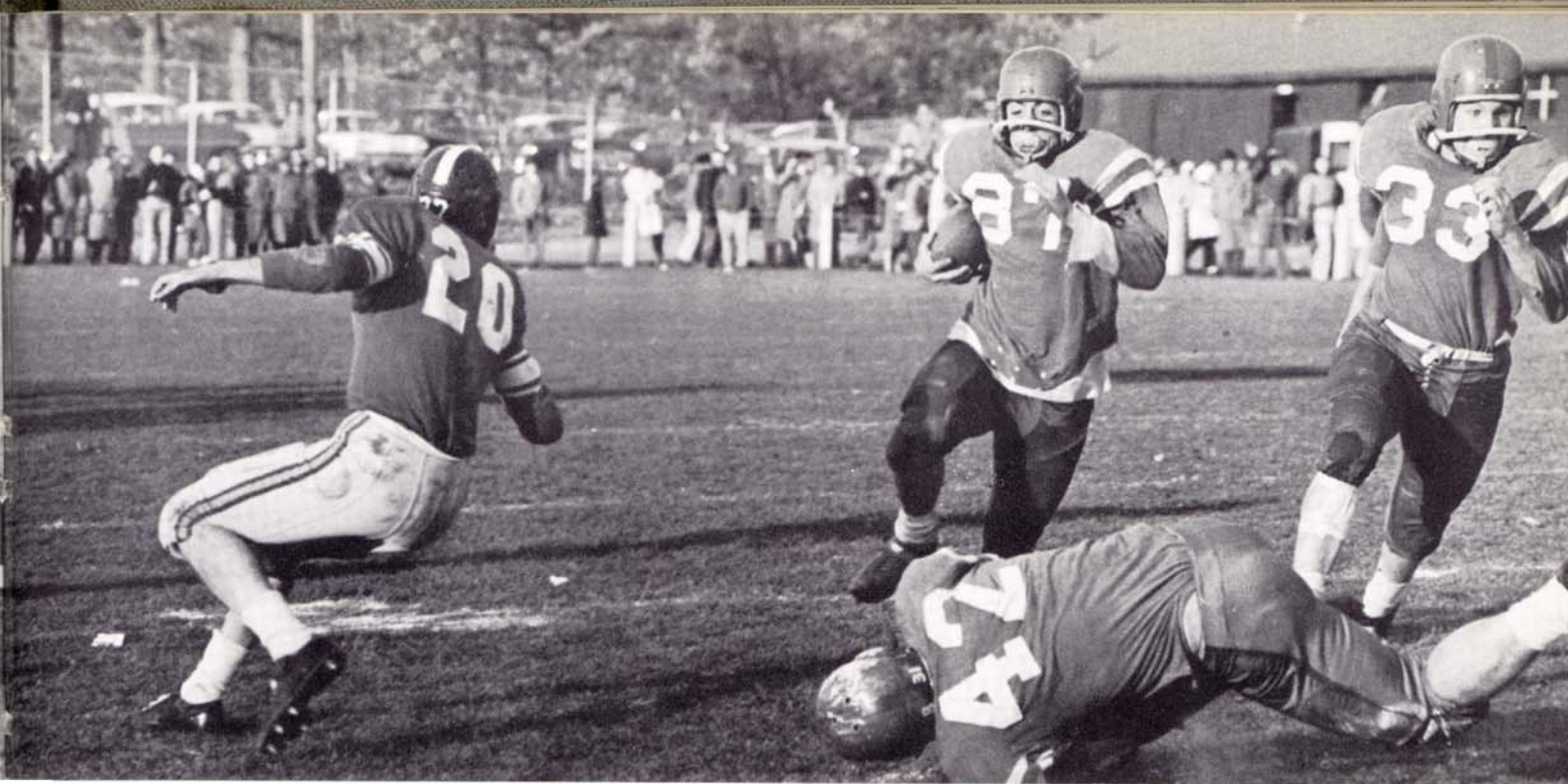
VARSITY FOOTBALL

Front row: J. Fallon, B. Peterson, L. Bartley, J. Stevens, J. Hall, D. Webb, Captain; V. Capizzo, R. Wells, C. Winterson, J. Bradford, C. Adams. Second row: R. Powers, Manager; G. Leighton, J. Dowst, R. Doran, J. Hayes, M. Wilson, R. Wall, D. Hughes, B. Leavitt, G. Peterson, J. Woish, S. Haskell, W. Porter, H. Mingace, D. Bennett, Coach; J. Stalin, Asst. Coach; R. Whalen, Asst. Coach. Third row: W. Hriniaik, T. Glynn, J. Gilbert, F. Walker, T. Carroll, T. Nelson, E. Antonori, J. Kiley, R. Foster, P. Kolman, H. Hennigar, B. Connell, T. Donovan, A. Amoroso.

FOOTBALL

The '58 football team, with Coach Dan Bennett at its helm for the first time, finished a successful season with 7 wins, 1 loss and 1 tie. The team built up fine spirit for their first game with a rough Norwood Club only to get the spirits and themselves dampened, and the game called off. The team finally started the season, beating a strong Walpole team 18-0. Then, with a win under their belt, trounced Wellesley 64-18, and then kept rolling on, beating North Quincy 36-14, Dedham 64-16, Milton 58-6, and





Needham 32-12. The team being defeated only by a slight margin when they met a powerful Braintree team 22-20. They came back strong, however, and beat Norwood 20-0. The season ended coming up against a hard fighting and highly spirited Framingham team and the Thanksgiving Day contest ended in a 6-6 tie.

The team was very ably led by Captain Dean Webb. Jerry Hall, Bruce Peterson, and Brad Leavitt along with Captain Webb made up an efficient backfield. The line was





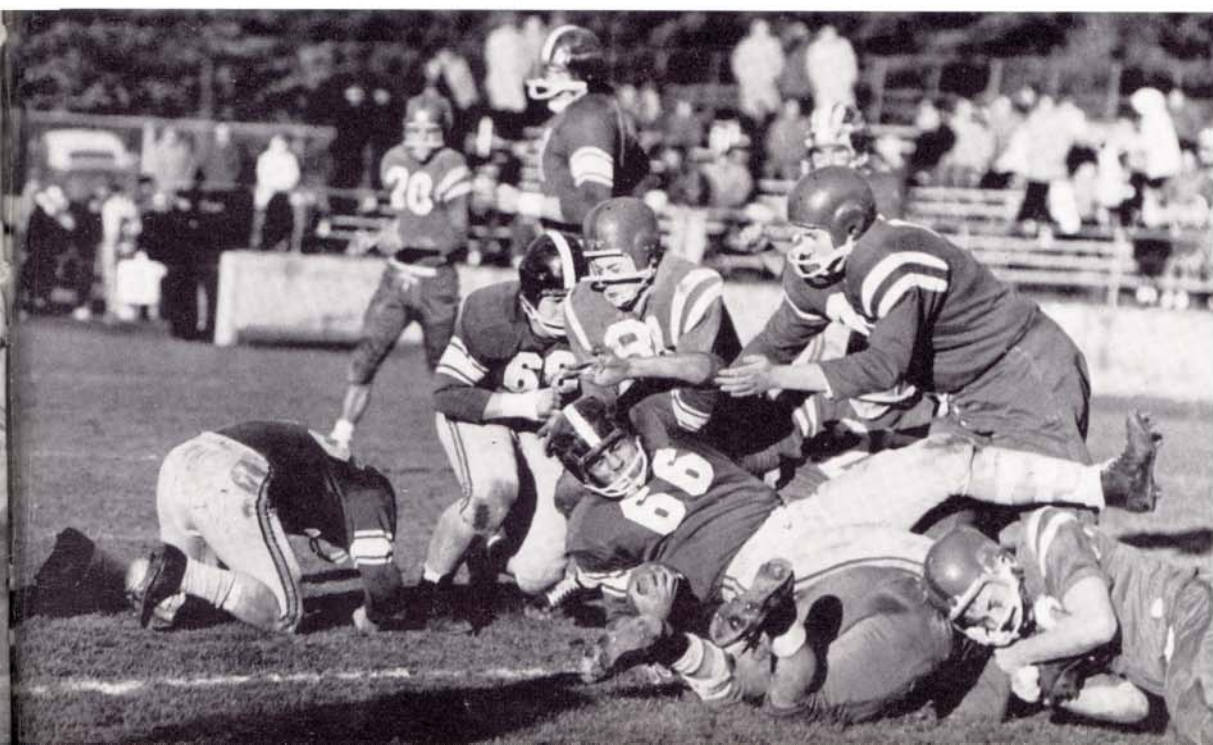
constantly sparked on by brilliant play from John Stevens, Vito Capizzo, Lynn Bartley, Jim Fallon, and Dick Wells. Juniors Morris Wilson, Captain elect for 1959, and John Hayes were regulars in the line also. One of the reasons Natick had a winning team was there was always someone ready to take over any position. Senior Christy Adams saw a lot of defensive action and other senior linemen Charles Winterson, James Bradford, Dave Hughes, and John Woish were always available. Herb Mingace, another





senior, Walter Hriniak, John McGilvary, Tim Donovan, and Ralph Doran were used a lot in the backfield.

Natick was high scorer for Massachusetts with 318 points and Jerry Hall was one of the state leaders with 110 points. John Dowst and Richard Powers were the capable and hard working senior managers.





VARSIY BASKETBALL

Front row: A. Ross, J. Stevens, A. Loane, R. Wells, R. Anderson, T. Argir. Second row: Coach F. Carey, Mgr. C. Jones, P. Sapanaro, R. Soby, J. Fahey, L. Megoliola, L. Richard, Mgr. Woish, R. Whittemore. Third row: R. Foster, R. Wall, R. Bemis, W. MacGregor, B. Peterson.

VARSIY BASKETBALL

This year's basketball team was a credit to the school and to the untiring efforts of Coach Francis Carey. The team, which was picked by the experts to finish sixth in the league, surprised all by winning the Bay State League title. On the way to the laurels they defeated our arch-rival, Framingham, twice, losing only three games all season. All three were close games, and the season ended with an overwhelming victory over the Bay State League allstars.

This year's team lacked height, but won over bigger teams with their tremendous spirit and hustle. They succeeded in qualifying for the Tech Tourney, having one of the better records in Class B. Because of this Natick drew a first round in the quarter finals,

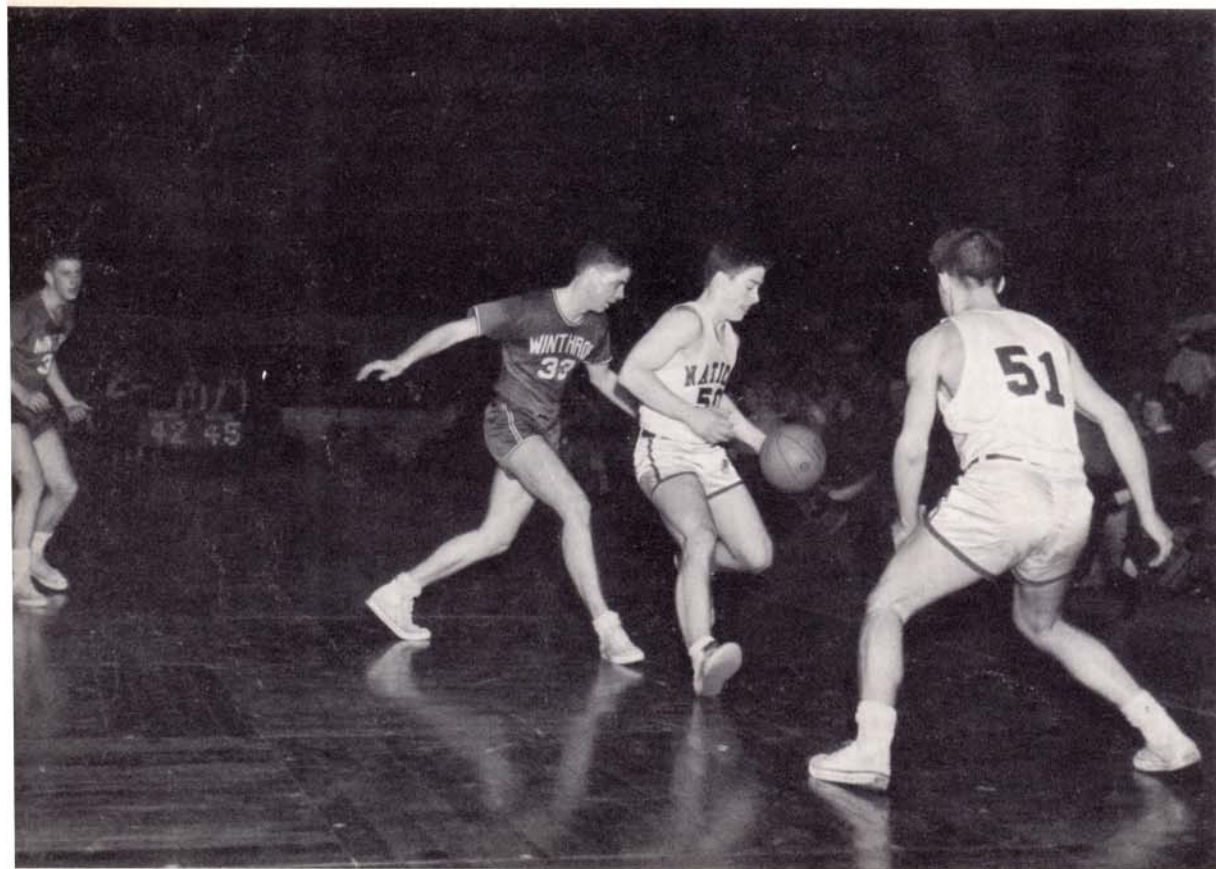
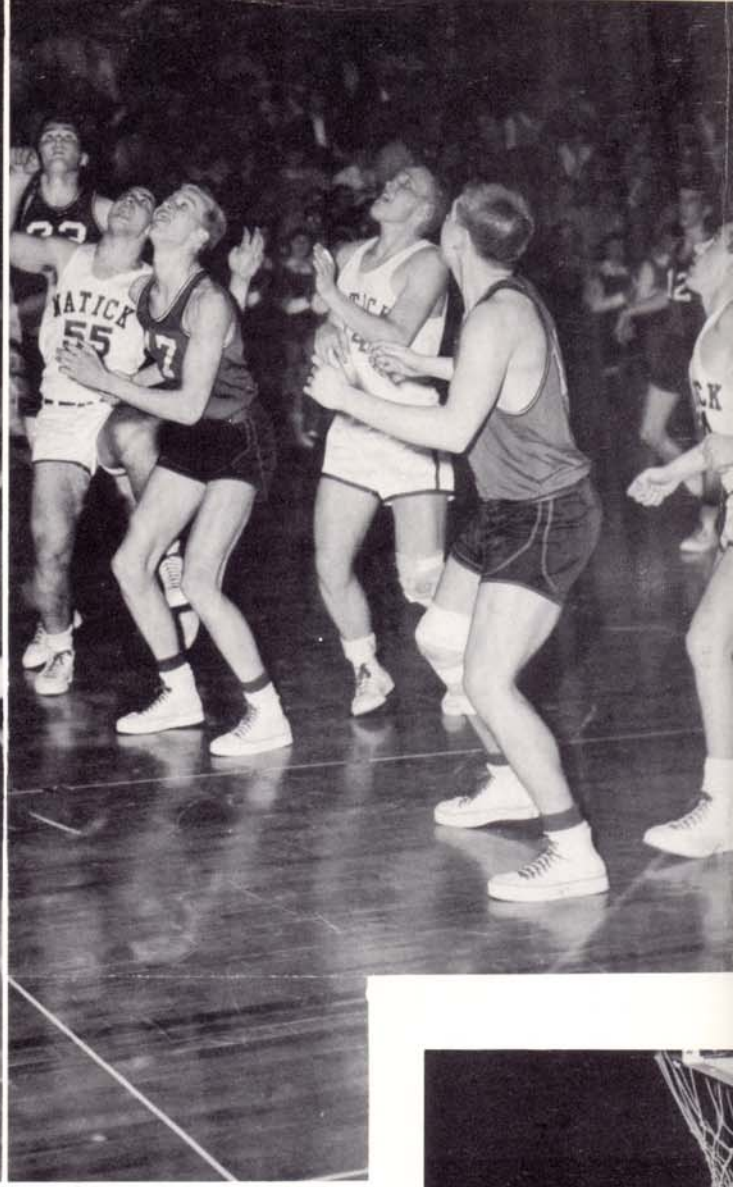


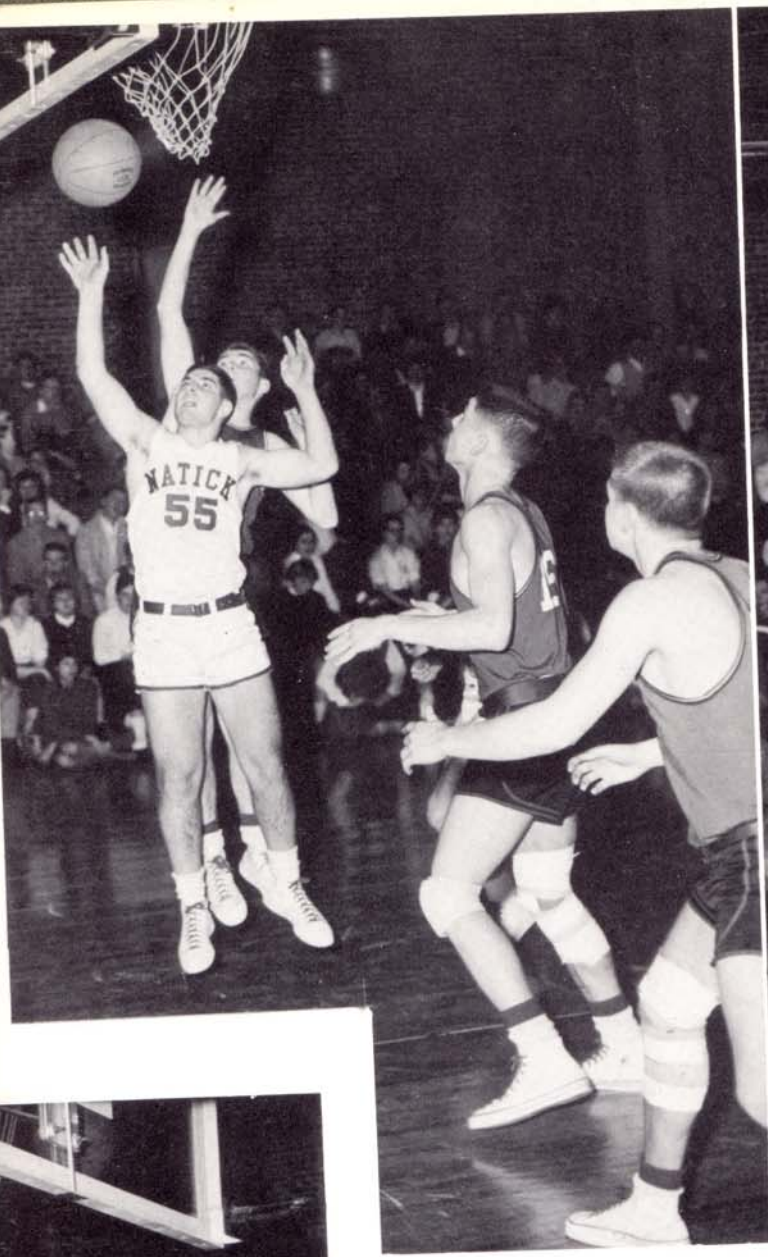
JV BASKETBALL

Front row: G. Palli, D. Leone, L. Doherty, W. Bell. Second row: Coach Charles Christi, G. Layton, D. Zicko, S. Haskell, G. Whitten, J. Themeli, B. Paul. Back row: J. Kwasek, G. Peterson, R. Blakeney, J. Barnicle, S. James.

defeating Winthrop 66-60. In the semi-finals Belmont emerged the victor, but Natick went down fighting.

Alan Loane and Richard Wells did outstanding jobs as co-captains in leading their team to victory. Loane, one of the smaller players in size but not in ability, pleased many crowds with his all-around basketball ability and Dick Wells, one of the highest scorers in Natick history, led the Bay State League in scoring. Richard Anderson, Natick's tallest player was a dependable rebounder. John Stevens' continuous hustle was beneficial to the team, and he scored several baskets at climatic moments. Thomas Argir, the only junior on the team, added scoring punch. To back up a good team Coach Carey had a good bench led by Allan Ross and Joseph Fahey, supported by Bruce Peterson, Lee Richards and Richard Soby. The passing of Len Megliola and Paul Sapanaro baffled many opponents.







INDOOR TRACK

Front row: R. Voner, K. Barnes, B. Leavitt, L. Bartley, K. Poole, H. Jones, R. Wright, D. Brown, P. Callahan, H. Mingace. Second row: J. Slavin, R. Winters, R. Calzini, P. Read, J. Barnicle, J. Sheesgreen, J. Santamaria, T. Cotter, T. Moore, N. Sciacca, W. Por-

ter, Coach Whalen. Back row: F. Walker, D. Johnson, S. Higgins, J. Frazee, F. Hatch, P. Kolman, K. King, A. Wright, F. Walker, N. Bloomstein, R. Tripp.

INDOOR TRACK

This year's indoor track team, Coached by Mr. Robert Whalen, and captained by Hallett Jones, was a much better team than its record indicated. The meets that they lost could have given them wins. If they had scored nine points more during the season, they might have been undefeated. In the State Meet they finished in a tie for fourth place.

This team, with such mainstays as Captain Jones in the 600, Lynn Bartley in the shot put, Herb Mingace in the 50 yd. dash, Dick Wright and Paul Callahan in the hurdles, looked good from the start. The underclassmen Porter, Kolman, Walker, Winner, Frazee, Santa Maria and a host of other hard workers will be out in force to keep up the good reputation established by this year's group.





VARSIITY HOCKEY

Front row: D. McGee, V. Capizzo, R. Curtis, J. Hall, D. Webb. Second row: Coach Bell, G. Gunrad, G. Mabardy, A. Hall, G. Capizzo, R. Blanchard, J. Kiley, W. Hriniak, J. Geneseo. Back row: R. Linton, M. Bruni, K. Gray, T. LoCasali, A. Pessini.

HOCKEY

This year's hockey team, captained by Vito Capizzo, won the Eastern Mass. League title, the second title to come to Natick in two years. Since this is the last year the league will exist, we are especially proud of our title. From now on Natick will be playing with the Bay State League.

The victory of this year's team came as a surprise to many who felt that Natick's ice prowess had ended. With a fine group of veterans like Capizzo, Webb, and Mabardy Natick had one of the best defensive lines in school boy hockey. Jerry Hall, Danny McGee,

and Ron Curtis were other seniors who turned in a fine performance.

Natick's only loss was a 1-0 decision to Wakefield early in the season. This was one of the finest-played games of the season.

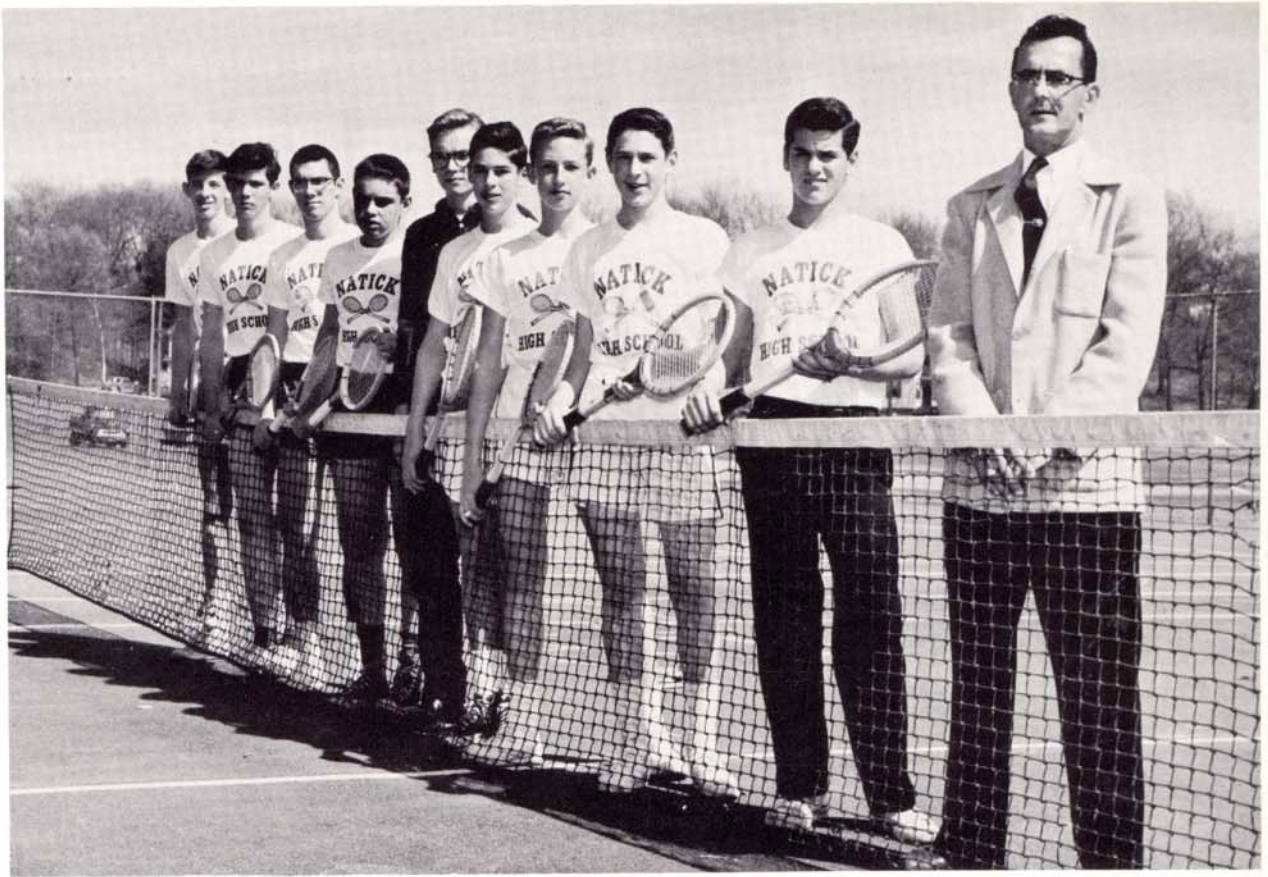
In the State Tournament Natick defeated a strong Lynn English team 3 to 2. In the quarter finals we lost to a very strong Belmont team.

With Gilbert, Hriniack, Pessini, Capizzo and Linton returning Natick has the nucleus of another fine team.









TENNIS

D. Brown, F. Hess, R. Cox, P. Jones, C. Howard, C. Hadden, R. Allison, N. Kaufman, A. Calzini,
Coach Davoren.



GOLF

Mr. Bell, K. Hebron, R. Voner, D. Webb, R. Nelson, M. Wilson, H. Simcoe, J. Walsh.



BASEBALL

Front row: T. Donovan, B. Peterson, W. Hriniack, A. Loane, P. Callahan, R. Wells, A. Amoroso, R. Wall, H. Jones, Coach

Casey. Back row: J. Barnicle, S. Haskell, G. Peterson, C. Jones, R. Bleakney, T. Argir, B. Leavitt, D. Pettingill.



BASEBALL

The defending Bay State League Champions were supposed to have pitching difficulties, but as the season progressed this assumption proved wrong. Hallett Jones and Arnold Amoroso, the aces of the team, were consistent winners. A veteran infield with Dick Wells at first, Paul Callahan at second, Alan Loane at third, with Walt Hriniak, a sophomore as starter were a winning combination. The outfield with Tim Donovan, Bobby Wall and Brad Leavitt ranked with the best in the league. Behind the plate Bruce Peterson has done an outstanding job.

It is with regret we announce that our Coach, Eddie Casey, is leaving us to assume the position of vice-principal at the Coolidge Junior High School. We shall miss him, but we wish him every happiness and success in his new position.



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G.A.A. OFFICERS

Front row: M. Gray, A. Phinney, D. Mathews, B. Hunter. Back row: A. Stewart, J. Hammond, N. George, M. Mattson, J. Culcasi.



GIRLS' FIELD HOCKEY

Front row: J. Breda, S. Owens, B. Hunter, A. Phinney, Captain, K. O'Brien, M. Byrnes, J. Culcasi. Back row: M. Trundy, Mgr. M. Mitchell, M. Gray, M. Mattson, D. Mathews, A. Stewart, D. Hawkes, A. Griffin, Mgr.

GIRLS' VARSITY FIELD HOCKEY

The Natick High Field Hockey team, though not having the best of seasons, tried their hardest. Headed by captain Ann Phinney, the team had a record of one win, 2 losses and 2 ties.

Natick	0	Braintree	1
Natick	0	Wellesley	0
Natick	1	Dedham	0
Natick	1	Needham	1
Natick	0	Walpole	3

Won 1 — Lost 2 — Tied 2

JUNIOR VARSITY

The Natick High Junior Varsity Field Hockey team had many new recruits and in spite of many hardships, had a fairly good season.

Natick	0	Braintree	4
Natick	0	Wellesley	1
Natick	3	Dedham	2
Natick	1	Needham	1
Natick	0	Walpole	1

Won 1 — Lost 3 — Tied 1





GIRLS' VARSITY BASKETBALL

Front row: J. Breda, S. Skeans, C. Wood, E. Rierdon, P. Hubbard. Back row: J. Cella, P. Hersey, P. Kirby, J. Baxter, S. Owens.

GIRLS' VARSITY BASKETBALL

The Natick High Girls' Varsity Basketball Team headed by captain and high-scorer Carol Wood, had themselves a fairly good year, winning 3 games and losing 4. The forwards, consisting of Carol Wood, Pat Kirby, June Breda, Judy Cella and Joyce Baxter, turned in a very good performance. Not to be outdone, the guards, consisting of Susie Owens, Sandy Skeans, Pat Hubbard, Pat Hersey and aided by newcomer Dea Reardon turned in an equally good performance.

Natick	42	Walpole	34
Natick	37	Ashland	41
Natick	44	Dedham	37
Natick	55	Framingham	60
Natick	37	Wellesley	49
Natick	32	Braintree	58
Natick	35	Needham	33
Won 3 — Lost 4			

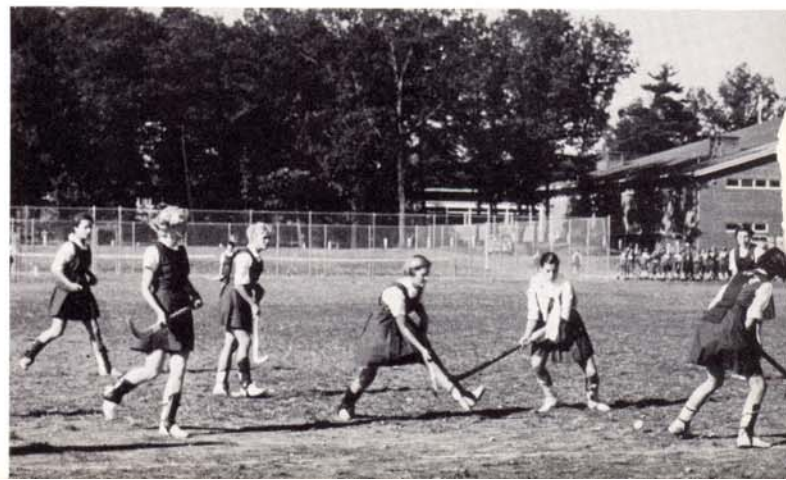




GIRLS' JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL

The Natick High Girls' Junior Varsity Basketball team under co-captains Linda Merten and Linda Lonberger, had a fair year. Freona Marco, Linda Merten, Sandy Ghetti, Maurene Maffei, Carolyn Hasgill and Sue Smith as forwards turned in a fine performance. Linda Lonberger, Pam Miller, Sue Johnson, Dottie Matson, Margie Matson, and Betty Perry as guards matched the fine playing of their forwards by turning in an equally good performance.

Natick	5	Walpole	8
Natick	14	Ashland	22
Natick	16	Dedham	24
Natick	10	Framingham	31
Natick	19	Wellesley	16
Natick	8	Braintree	28
Natick	17	Needham	19
Won 1 — Lost 6			





OUTDOOR TRACK

Front row: T. Anderson, S. Higgins, C. Winterson, P. Reirdan, L. Bartley, A. Parker, J. Hall, G. Williams, B. Schernig, J. Woish, R. Anderson, J. Barnicle, D. Johnson. Second row: R. Macomber, F. Hale, P. Read, J. Santamaria, H. Godden, D. Winner, P. Galvani, O. Bailey, R. Doran, C. Smith, D. Zicko, R. Szretta, R. Cal-

zini, R. Ottinger, A. Morgan, J. Faldetta. Back row: Coach Bennett, J. Ely, F. Walker, L. Harvie, K. Gray, J. Gilbert, P. Cunningham, A. Wright, H. Hennigar, P. Kolman, J. Frazee, R. Goulston, G. Whitten, E. Cavanaugh, N. Bloomstein, R. Pire, R. Tripp, A. Hall, Coach Whalen.

OUTDOOR TRACK

This year's outdoor track team, co-captained by Herb Mingace and Jerry Hall, had a fine balance of experienced runners. Herb has been a consistent point winner in the low hurdles, Jerry Hall in the 880, Walter Porter in the low hurdles, Bob Carroll and Dave Winner in the 100 yard dash and the 220 yard dash respectively. Dick Wright, a senior has been a dependable point scorer in the 440 and George Williams in the 220.

In the field events the team had an excellent trio of veterans, Dick Anderson, Lynn Bartley, Steve Higgins, Gary Whitten, and Captain-elect Paul Kolman.

After suffering defeats from Needham and Braintree, the team bounced back to defeat the remainder of their opponents. The outlook for next year is bright because of the many underclassmen coming up.

