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CHRISTMAS ISSUE

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Chadwick Gets Multi-Purpose Building As XMAS Present

by Eric Anderson

There is a new building being constructed at Chadwick School. It is a multi-purpose facility, to be used for various school and extra-curricular activities.

The building was approved in January of this year, and is being paid for through a lease-purchase program. Construction began over the summer, and the building is expected to be completed and in use before the end of November.

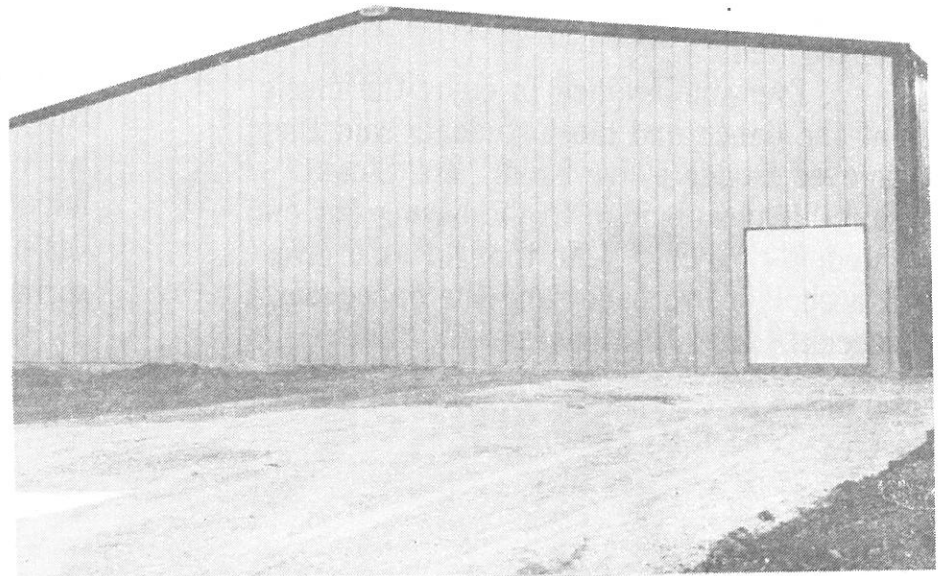
The new building is located directly behind the present school building. It will be accessible through the lunch room. This insures that it will be easy to go between the building and the school in the winter months.

The multi-purpose building will be used for various activities, as the name implies. It will have a basketball gym, restrooms, a stage and two classrooms. It will be used for ball practices, plays, elementary recess and P.E. classes and various community projects.

Terry Beasley, principal, said that he thinks the new building will help a lot. He said that it will provide extra space and also reduce wear and tear on the gym.

"I think the addition of the multi-purpose building will be beneficial for all of our students, teachers and the community," Mr. Beasley said.

**Chadwick School's
New Multi-purpose
building.**



Live Band Performs at Chadwick High School

By Tyler Walker

On Oct. 28 at the 1995 FBLA Halloween Dance, Chadwick students were witness to a Chadwick High School first. For the first time a live band played at a school dance. The band consisted of local talents as follows: Josh Gilbert-guitar, Chris Anderson-guitar, Justin Mitchum-guitar, Dustin Mitchum-bass, Chris Pace-drums, and Juan Villarreal-lead vocals.

The band sent the mirror ball twirling at 7:30 with Neil Young's Downtown. The band continued through a 23 song set, including a trio of songs written by Josh Gilbert and wrapped up around 10 pm with a 15 minute version of Lynyrd Skynyrd's Free Bird.

This was their first time playing a gig together. They had been together a week and a half previous to the dance and managed to learn 25 songs.

"I think it would go over better as a show instead of a dance because kids here are bashful and seemed to want to watch the band more than dance," said guitarist Josh Gilbert. The band is planning to play at some larger schools later. Josh is presently concentrating on writing songs and is in the process of trying to get a couple of his songs copyrighted.

Everyone seemed to enjoy the music at the dance and most students said they enjoyed having a live band. Mrs. Sloan said, "It meant more to me having our own students playing." "We thought we'd give it a shot (a live band) and the dance was a success," said FBLA sponsor Mr. Shiftlett.

CHS competes in Mind Games

by Erick Smith

A team of Chadwick students participated in Mind Games Nov. 6 at Lockwood High School.

There were about 30 schools entered in the contest. Webb City came in first place defeating Sarcoxie in a tie-breaker.

Chadwick's team consisted of; Eric Anderson, Tessa Nalley, Beth Whight, Jeremiah Cummings, Tyler Walker and Brian Moesner. The students practiced after school and in their spare time at home.

Out of the 30 schools competing in the contest several of these schools are in the 3A and 4A classifications. Heading into the Mind Games, sponsor Mr. Long felt the team had a good chance to compete and do a good job in the contest.

Schools that Chadwick faced in Mind Games were; Carl Junction, Springfield Catholic, Ash Grove and Diamond High School. Catholic ended up finishing third overall in the contest. Mr. Long is trying to get the Chadwick team entered in future contests at Dadeville and Golden City.

"I think Mind Games was an important experience because it helped us prepare for the Academic Bowl in the spring," Tyler Walker said.

CHADWICK SCHOOL RECEIVES GRANT

By Luin Haden

Chadwick eighth graders will have a better idea on a career now. Chadwick R-1 School received a grant for a new class for eighth graders called: "Career Exploration." The grant is worth \$3,407.55 and was approved in July. Mrs. Barth, last years school counselor, wrote the grant.

The grant will be used so the eighth graders can have a class to teach them about certain careers. This class will help students to decide what they want to do by the time they reach high school. The grant package includes: textbooks, videos, workbooks, pre- and post- exams of jobs they could do and six fieldtrips that can be taken.

Mr. Long, the Social Studies teacher will be teaching the course. "I think this will help the eighth grade students build their skills," said Mr. Long. The class will start in January and half the eighth graders will be in it the first quarter and the other half of the students will take the class second quarter.

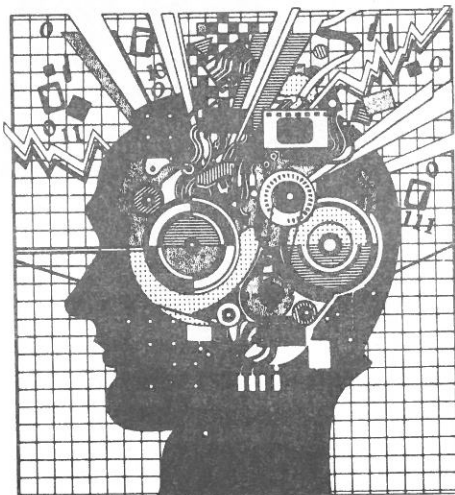
The money for the grant was funded with proceeds from the Missouri Lottery.

STUDENT COUNCIL HOST FOOD DRIVE

by Shana Eads

December 11th through 15th the Student Council held their second annual food drive. Last year Stuco was able to collect six large boxes of food, and this year an even greater response was expected. Boxes were put in the hallways of both the the Elementary building and the High School building. The food that was collected was distributed throughout the Christian County area.

"We hoped and anticipated that the students and the community would be supportive, being that it is so close to Christmas," said Principal Terry Beasley. When asked why she brought in food for the food drive, sophomore Misty Lewis said, "I brought in food because it makes me feel good to help the underprivileged people in our community."



Have a Merry Chrstitmas and Happy New Year

History Club Makes a Difference

By Amanda Maggard

On Saturday Oct. 28, 1995 the History Club participated in "Make A Difference Day." This year 38 students participated. The club members separated into groups and went to the homes of elderly people in the community. The club helped people with things like yardwork and cleaning.

One group worked at the community building. The group pulled weeds, mowed and picked up trash around the building. Another group went to Sylvia Atkinson's and dug out a stock tank and put in a new one. "Sylvia is a nice lady and it was fun helping her," said Jeremy Gilbert.

We would like to give special thanks to Sylvia for donating money for the upcoming prom. Club members also went to Eula Shipman's and Donna Anderson's where they raked leaves and stacked wood.

"Helping other people makes me feel like a better person," said Tyler Walker. Mr. Long said, "I would like to thank the students who used their Saturday to work hard and make life a little easier for the elderly people in the community." Mr. Long also said that the History Club would like to continue the tradition in years to come.

RoseAnne Abdulla donates blood at the recent FHA and FBLA Blood Drive. There were 12 units of blood collected at the drive.

FHA & FBLA HOSTS BLOOD DRIVE

by Justin Gilbert

The blood drive was held on Tuesday, November 21. The drive was sponsored by the Community Blood Center of the Ozarks and took place at the Chadwick Community Building.

Mrs. Dollarhite and Mr. Shiflett were the sponsors for the FHA and FBLA Blood Drive. There were about thirty students that volunteered to help the members of the blood center. The FHA made cookies and

McDonalds donated orange drink for refreshments.

There were twelve units of blood donated. "I think this is an important thing for the community to get involved in," said Mrs. Dollarhite. "You never know when you are going to need blood."



Christmas is Here

By Misty Lewis

The Chadwick Christmas program took place December 18 at 7 p.m. Grades K-6th and the high school choir performed in the program. "It was a lot of work and I believe it was a big hit," said music teacher Cynthia Lawrence.

The Kindergarten class started out the program with a few Christmas songs. First through third grades acted out the musical Christmas Around the Clock. Fourth through sixth grades performed the musical Tis the Season. The Choir ended the program by singing Christmas carols.

"I'm glad because it's the last program I have to do," senior Daphne Walker said. Senior Tessa Nalley said, "I'm happy because I got a new dress."

"I was nervous because I had to get up in front of everyone, but it was fun," said third grader Bub Payne. Jessie Peirce also said she was nervous but that she had fun.



CRISTMAS TIME

By: Amber Townsley

Christmas is just around the corner and everyone is looking forward to all of their favorite activities. Christmas is always a fun time for kids and grownups alike. We all have something that makes the holidays special. So I asked a few students what they were looking forward to most.

Katie Mitchell says, "going to bed, making a snowman and building a Christmas tree."

Dylan Coffey said, "Setting up a Christmas tree and making a snowman."

Nancy Mitchell said, "Opening presents and playing with them."

Milton Beeson said, "Presents, money, and Santa Claus."

Autumn Burkhart said, "Opening presents and Santa Claus."

Derek Gilbert said, "Snow, the toys and the presents."

Jessica Burkhart said, "Bunkbeds and clothes."

Drew Rozell said, "Getting a remote control car and airplane."

Holly Sloan said, "Getting toys and seeing family."

Chance Coffey said, "Getting something you want, getting to visit family and getting a lot of toys."

Bridgett Walker said, "Meeting family and getting presents."

Chris Workman said, "Plenty of toys, remote control cars, and plenty of money."

Teresa Villarreal said, "Going to Texas and Colorado."

Clint Johnson said, "A Cindy Crawford poster and a leather jacket."

New Year's Resolution

by Danyel Porter

The New Year is fast approaching and as usual many students and faculty members at Chadwick High School are keeping with tradition and making resolutions for the New Year

Elementary

6th grade

Melissa Rains-To get and keep a boyfriend.

Brian Moesner-To get a new girlfriend.

5th grade

Richard Sloan-To go fishing a lot.
Shanon Cobb- To do good work.

4th grade

Holly Sloan-To help others with things.
Tim Bostic-Wants to help others.

3rd grade

Corey Applegate-To convince my uncle to give me a dirt bike.
Jessi Pierce- To get a computer.

2nd grade

Andrew House- Win the gold medal at the Olympic games for my cousin B.J.
Patti Wilson-To leave my sister Sara alone when she has her boyfriend over.

High School

Cherlyn Burkhardt(Junior)- To get a vehicle.

Beth Whight(Senior)- To just get a car.

Terrah Little(Sophomore)- To get through the year of 1996.

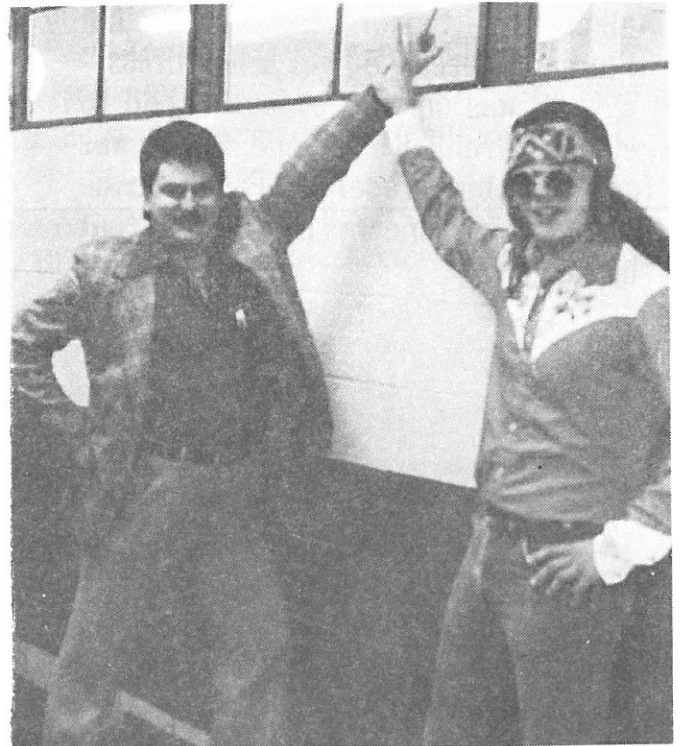
James Barr(Sophomore)- To get another 1979 Mustang.

Faculty

Mrs. Lawrence- I don't make them because I can't keep them.

Mr. Long - To think about getting off of my chewing habit.

Mrs. Burkhardt - To stick to my goal and get off of the insulin shots.



Tyler Walker and Mr. Shiflett have made a resolution to rekindle the 1970's style at Chadwick.

1st Quarter Honor Roll

1st Quarter All A Honor Roll

Brigette Walker (8)
Kim Butler (9)
Cody Guerin (9)
Brian Moesner (9)
Charles Porter (9)
Cassandra Whight (9)
Shana Eads (10)
Terrah Little (10)
Robert Guerin (11)
Justin House (11)
Tyler Walker (11)
Eric Anderson (12)
Jeremiah Cummings (12)
Tessa Nalley (12)
Brett Stevens (12)
Bethany Whight (12)

1st Quarter A-B Honor Roll

Vanessa Bostic (7)
Jackie Dollarhide (8)
Eric Gilbert (8)
Candra Jones (8)
James Maggard (8)
Dianira Villarreal (8)
Ashley Gilbert (9)
Tiffany Nalley (9)
Jessica Schwartz (9)
Jim Fisher (9)
Sara Wilson (9)
Jeremy Gilbert (10)
Danyel Porter (10)
Amber Townsley (11)
Rintha Goin (11)
Jesse Maggard (11)
Tiffany Peirce (11)
Curtis Anderson (12)
Casey Ayers (12)
Josh Gilbert (12)
Dustin Smith (12)
Daphne Walker (12)

1st Quarter Elementary All A Honor Roll

Heather Ewing (6)
Melissa Rains (6)
Alysia Sisco (6)
Abby Payne (6)
Teresa Villerrel (6)
Dandy Braden (5)
Angie Fisher (5)
Amanda Garrison (5)
Bridget Walker (5)
Annie Payne (4)

1st Quarter Elm. A B Honor Roll

Trista Coffey (6)
Stefanie Finney (6)
Chris Little (6)
Candice Maggard (6)
Ashley Peirce (6)
Lacey Powell (6)
Nikki Sisco (6)
Traci Smith (6)
Shanna Cobb (5)
April Harris (5)
Emilie Smith (5)
Chris Wilson (5)
Brittany Derby (4)
Sara Hembree (4)
John Workman (4)
Cory Applegate (3)
Matthew Burkhart (3)
Alexis Davis (3)
Katy DeWitt (3)
Josh Finney (3)
Steven George (3)
Courtney Jones (3)
Scott "Bub" Payne
Jessi Peirce (3)
Drew Rozell (3)
Jacob Schwartz (3)
Marisa Scott (3)
Jordan Seals (3)
Kenny Stoll (3)

Letters to Santa

By Jesse Lee Maggard

KINDERGARTEN

Elizabeth DeWitt	-	A doll
Nicole Marik	-	A doll
Kalob Weter	-	Remote Controlled
Kayla Sisco	-	A doll
Keirsten Ghelley	-	A Pocohantas doll
Alexis Ashby	-	A baby doll big sister and a baby doll little sister
Katie Mitchell	-	A jeep
Dylan Coffey	-	A box of crayons
Justin Holt	-	Hot Wheelers
Erica Maggard	-	A doll and a car
Karen Nelson	-	A dolly
Amos DeWitt	-	A dinosaur and a B-B gun
Tyler Beard	-	A wagon and a four-wheeler
Felisha Mitchell	-	A doll
Jesse Eads	-	Power Rangers

FIRST

Dear Santa,

I want a cat that my dog won't bite.

From,
Shylah

Dear Santa

I have been good, I want a T.V.. I would love a big size doll and a phone.

Thanks,
Misty Bettis

SECOND

Dear Santa Claus,

I want a talkboy tape recorder. I want a red ribbon. I want a pare of gloves. I want an igloo. I want a fish and a flag.

Thanks,
B.J.

Dear Santa Claus,

Will you please bring lots and lots of clowns? And make it snow lots and lots. I want a white Christmas. I want a Ken doll, A Barbie car, and one for me that is my size, and a little teddy bear.

Thanks,
Patti Wilson

THIRD

Dear Santa,

I would like Talk Boy T.K. plus, lots of remote controlled cars. Bat Man Forever, Bat cave play set, flash screen, light blaster, Mad moster creator, all the Dr. Dreadful stuff, Batman Forever Bat mobile and Batwing.

Your Friend,
Drew Rozell

Dear Santa,

I would like a typewriter with some paper. In my stocking I would like some candy and some short socks with a new hair brush and a toothbrush too. I hope I get all of these things.

Love,
Jessi Peirce

FOURTH

Dear Santa Claus,

I want a T.V., candy, a ver for the t.v., cable, shotgun, skis, M30, car, bulls, horse, rope, boots, hat, saddle, rifle, calfs, hefers, western shirts, pants, books, 100,000,000.00 dollars.

From,
John Workman

Dear Santa Claus

For Christmas I would like a Walkman, Stuffed

Animals, Trolls, Watch, Globe or Map, Computer,
Books, Dictionary, and Puzzles.

Santa Claus,

I wish every body is happy and well. I
also want to see my family please. Oh Santa I
hope you get a good night sleep. Your cookies
and milk is waiting for you on the table.

Love,
Holly Sloan

FIJTH

Dear Santa,

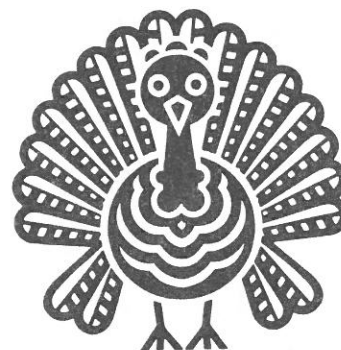
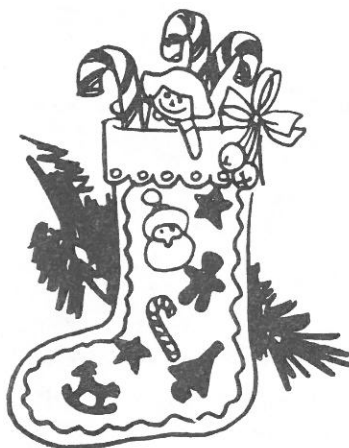
I want a wave rider, a fishtank, a
siberen husky puppy and a snow mobile.

Your friend,
Richard Sloan

Dear Santa Claus,

I want a cute little puppy, a trampoline, a
pair of roller blades, fourwheeler, and a
cordless phone. That's all of what I want for
Christmas.

Love,
Shanna



Thanksgiving

by Justin House

What did you do over the Thanksgiving
holiday? Here are a few examples of what
students and faculty alike did during the
four day weekend:

Mr. Blauc---"I went to my parent's house
in St. Louis and then I went to the Verona
Basketball Tournament."

Luin Haden---"Eat and work."

Tyler Walker---"I ate a lot. That pretty
much sums it up."

Jeremy Gilbert---"I ate and slept all
weekend."

Tiffany Peirce---"I went to my Grandma's
and ate."

Cherlyn Burkhart---"I cleaned squirrels all
afternoon."

Mrs. Lawrence---"I broke down in Rolla at
one o'clock in the morning."

Terrah Little---"I watched football."

Louella Raines---"My family had dinner at
my house on Thursday and on Friday my
whole family went to the clubhouse for
lunch."

Mrs. Sloan---"My daughters come in and
we had planned on going on a float trip but
a canoe didn't show up and we went hiking
and found our Christmas tree."

Chadwick Cardinals head into Christmas break on a roll

by Tiffany Peirce

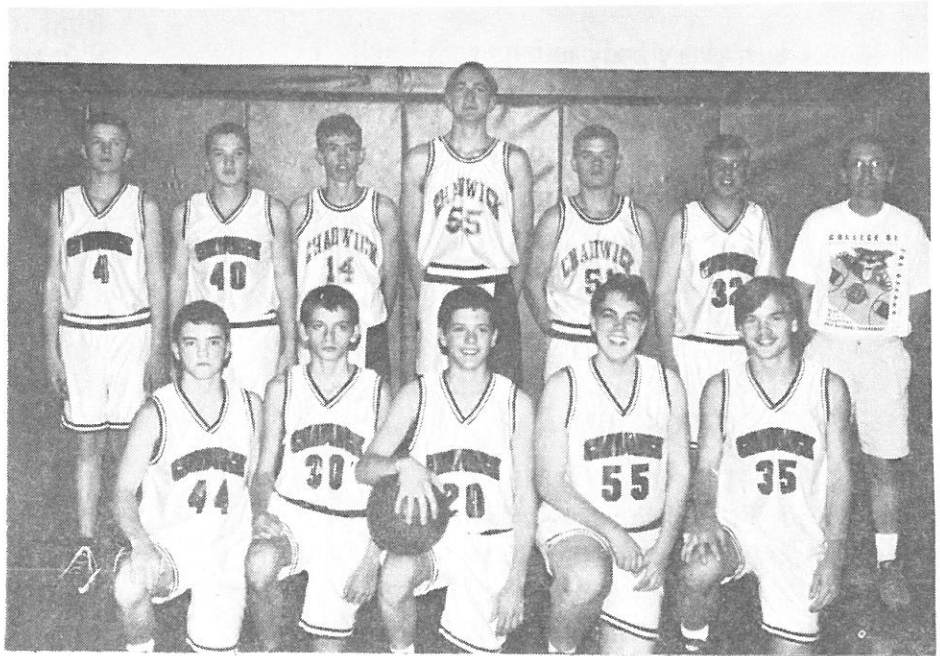
The Chadwick Cardinals are off to a great start this season going 4-1 as of Dec. 11.

The Cardinals victories this season have come over Niangua, Exeter and they have defeated Everton twice also. Chadwick's lone loss of the season came to Verona in the championship game of the Verona tournament. The Cardinals took second place in the tournament.

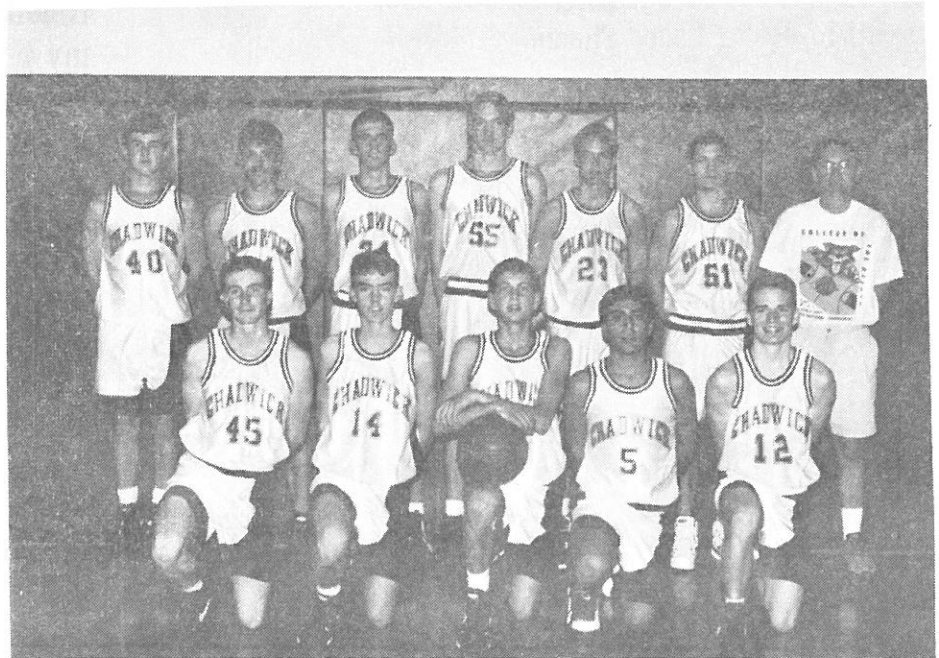
Varsity starters for Chadwick include; seniors Joey Wiles and Brett Stevens, and juniors Shawn Guerin, Robby Guerin and Justin House. Robby Guerin is leading the Cardinals in scoring and rebounding.

"So far we have done pretty good, even though I'm very disappointed we didn't beat Verona," said coach Terry Jester. "If everyone continues to work hard in practice we might be able to make up for that loss."

The junior varsity Cardinals are undefeated this season with a 2-0 mark. Chadwick has three games before the Christmas break



Boys Varsity Basketball-standing left to right-Justin House, Joey Wiles, Robby Guerin, Chad Sallee, Brett Stevens, Tyler Walker and Coach Jester. Kneeling left to right-Chris Anderson, Jeremy Gilbert, Shawn Guerin, Juan Villarreal, Jeremiah Cummings.



Junior Varsity Boys Basketball-standing left to right-Tony Rains, Erick Smith, Jeremy Gilbert, Chad Salle, Tyler Walker, Ashley Gilbert and Coach Jester. Kneeling left to right-Jeff Rogers, Jerry Maggard, Cody Guerin, James Barr and Addam Kelly

Lady Cardinals look for wins

By Rintha Goin

The Chadwick Lady Cardinals, 1-3 so far this season, started off their season with a 56-47 victory over Pleasant Hope.

The Lady Cardinals then lost 51-47 at Dora. Dora has been picked to finish second in the preseason Mark Twain Conference coaches poll. The Lady Cardinals also were defeated by Niangua and narrowly lost to Greenwood 74-63 in the opening round of the Hurley Tournament. Greenwood was the number one seed in the tourney and Chadwick was picked to finish eight.

The Lady Cardinals have improved greatly over the summer and have been very competitive in all of their games this season.

"I am extremely happy with how hard the girls have worked so far this season," Coach Blauve said. "Most people didn't think we were going to be very good at the beginning of the season, but I think we are proving a lot of people wrong."

At the time this article was written Chadwick was preparing to play Niangua in the consolation round of the Hurley tournament.

"Our improvement this season has come from all the girls working hard and also working together. It takes a team effort to be successful and I think we are getting that. Hopefully we can pick up some more wins before the Christmas break."



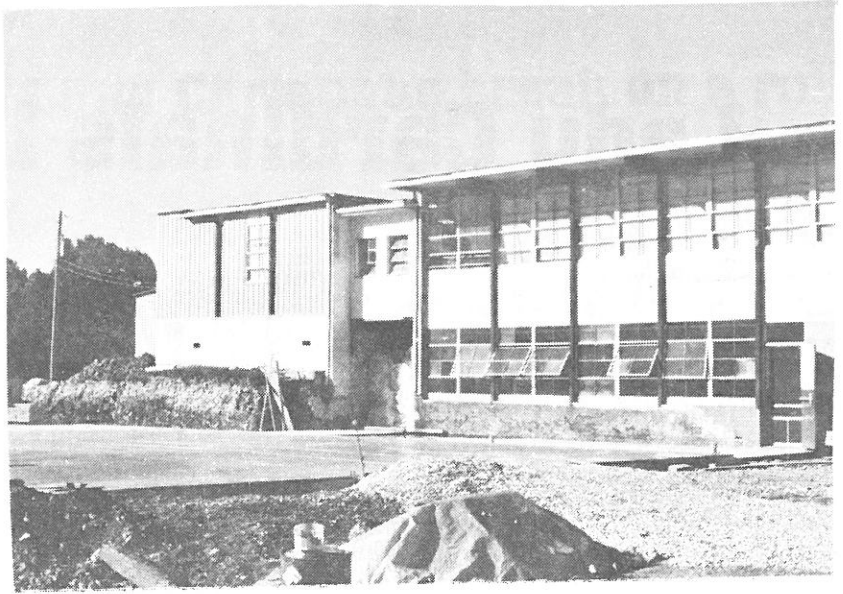
Girls Varsity Basketball-standing left to right-Coach Blauve, Tara Herd, Amanda Maggard, Rintha Goin, Tiffany Nalley, Jessica Schrawtz. Kneeling left to right-Wendy Villarreal, Daphne Walker, Tiffant Peirce, and LeAnna Jones.

Chadwick Cheerleaders

Varsity cheerleaders-standing from right to left-Amanda Walker, Dapne Walker, Tessa Nalley, Tiffany Nalley. Kneeling from right to left-Wendy Villarreal, Amber Townsley, Jessica Adams. Sponsor Tammy Payne is not pictured



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