

# Basketball Cheerleading

## Varsity

In the past year, a squad of thirteen girls has taken one more giant step towards earning a respectable reputation at Bethlehem Central. These girls, known as the Varsity Basketball Cheerleaders, have changed the sport of Cheerleading as it was known at B.C. Their hard work and determination won them a second place trophy and a Superior rating at camp last summer. Cheerleading is unlike any other sport in that it allows its participants to become the best of friends, rather than each others competitors. The girls came to know and love each other, and made friendships strong enough to withstand the incredible peer pressure at Bethlehem. Supporting their school at every game, and practicing seven days a week for Competition, our cheerleaders brought pride to our school. We thank you, girls for your hard work, never-ending smiles and immense dedication to promoting school spirit.



**Front Row:** J. Reel. **Second Row:** M. Kelly (Capt.), T. Bruno, T. Kohl, M. McGinn, M. Shortell, M. Bruch, K. Peters. **Third Row:** A. Conway, L. Keram, S. Church (Capt.). **Absent:** M. Gordon, Alternate P. Marshall. **Coach:** Sue Davis.

## Junior Varsity

During the 1987 basketball season, the JV Cheerleaders spent a great deal of time preparing for games and competition. Practices were held regularly, and as the season progressed, weekend practices were added. Often, the squad used the weight room to strengthen themselves for lifting up pyramids and for mounts such as the basket toss and extension. By the time competition came around, the team was prepared, although some members were plagued by illness. Through the nervousness and excitement, they pulled through and won the small division (10 members or less) title.



**Front Row:** J. Sodergren, T. Underwood. **Second Row:** L. Myers, W. Klienke, T. Gagner. **Third Row:** J. Danaher (Capt.), Coach Davis, S. Carson. **Fourth Row:** J. Tidd.

