

The last shining year in The Cheese Box with the . . .

Varsity Basketball

Senior Darrin Gauvin hit the nail on the head. When asked why basketball was such a challenging sport, he answered 'There are 15 other people just as good as you and everyone wants to play.'

The spirit and dedication of the Varsity squad shone through each time they hit the court of the Jack Davis Gymnasium. And their winning record proved it.

Each player had a different reason for feeling basketball was tough. Junior Russ Myers said with a laugh, 'The coach!' (Sorry, Dad). Mr Myers worked the team night after night to prepare them for competition. Not a game was played that the boys weren't fighting their hardest to win.

Of course, the team had the ever faithful support of the Indian fans behind them, cheering them on to victory. One of those fans was quite creative with his school spirit. Chris 'Cab' Beebe ran a basketball pool, taking bets on Darrin Gauvin's score in each game. The winnings got as high as \$120 before the last home game.

The squad had the honor of being the last team to play in the 'Cheese Box'. While awaiting the construction of the new gym, the Indians showed great sportsmanship, loyalty, and spirit. It was a season to remember.



Front: K.Lewis, R.Myers, P.Bruno, J.Demarest. Middle: R.Fraboni, A.Cole, J.Grover, M.Hines, B.Clark. Back: Coach Myers, J.Cole, T.Ray, J.West, D.Berner, K.Teeter, D.Gauvin.



Getting their battle gear in order are J.Cole, R.Myers, T.Ray, and J.Grover.



The Big D answers his call during the intros of the starting line-up.

Jim West outreaches his opponent in the tip-off. With height like his, not many could beat him.