

Lady Netters Off To A Good Start

The Girls Tennis team played Durham Hillside and were defeated with the score of 7-2. The scoring went as follows:

| Singles | | | |
|---------|--------------------|--------------------------------|-------------|
| (D) | Smith | Defeated (RM) Denise Ward | 7-5 6-2 |
| (RM) | Lynn Hodges | Defeated (D) Sommer | 6-3 6-2 |
| (D) | Dillard | Defeated (RM) Denise Ward | 6-0 6-0 |
| (D) | Wheat | Defeated (RM) Gaye Shearin | 6-3 6-4 |
| (RM) | Georgianna Holding | Defeated (D) Smith | 6-1 3-6 6-3 |
| (D) | Bailey | Defeated (RM) Allison Aldridge | 3-6 7-5 6-3 |

| Doubles | | | |
|---------|-------------------|--|-----|
| (D) | Smith and Dillard | Defeated (RM) Denise Ward and Gaye Shearin | 8-2 |
| (D) | Sommer and Wheat | Defeated (RM) Allison Aldridge and Winn Braswell | 8-1 |
| (D) | Bailey and Battle | Defeated (RM) Ginny Riddick and Amelia White | 8-3 |

The Girls Tennis Team for 1976-77 school year played Wilson and were defeated with the score 9-0. The scoring went as follows:

| Singles | | | |
|---------|----------|----------------------------------|-------------|
| (W) | Corbin | Defeated (RM) Denise Ward | 6-2 6-4 |
| (W) | Jeanette | Defeated (RM) Lynn Hodges | 6-3 6-2 |
| (W) | Gibson | Defeated (RM) Denise Ward | 4-6 6-2 6-1 |
| (W) | Winstead | Defeated (RM) Gaye Shearin | 6-2 6-1 |
| (W) | Hackney | Defeated (RM) Georgianna Holding | 6-2 6-3 |
| (W) | Rasberry | Defeated (RM) Allison Aldridge | 6-3 6-3 |

| Doubles | | | |
|---------|----------------------|--|-----|
| (W) | Hollar and Gibbon | Defeated (RM) Denise Ward and Gaye Shearin | 8-4 |
| (W) | Rasberry and Hester | Defeated (RM) Allison Aldridge and Winn Braswell | 8-1 |
| (W) | Lafferty and Dillard | Defeated (RM) Ginny Riddick and Amelia White | 8-1 |

The Girls Tennis team played Farmville and were defeated with the score 7-2. The score went as follows:

| Singles | | | |
|---------|-------------|----------------------------------|-------------|
| (F) | Counterman | Defeated (RM) Charlotte Ward | 6-2 6-3 |
| (F) | Jordan | Defeated (RM) Lynn Hodges | 6-2 6-2 |
| (RM) | Denise Ward | Defeated (F) McGaughey | 6-2 6-2 |
| (F) | Lancaster | Defeated (RM) Gaye Shearin | 6-1 6-1 |
| (F) | Yelverton | Defeated (RM) Georgianna Holding | 6-4 7-5 |
| (F) | May | Defeated (RM) Allison Aldridge | 3-6 6-4 7-5 |

| Doubles | | | |
|---------|------------------------------|--|-----|
| (F) | Counterman and Yelverton | Defeated (RM) Denise Ward and Gaye Shearin | 8-6 |
| (F) | Jordan and Lancaster | Defeated (RM) Ginny Riddick and Amelia White | 8-1 |
| (RM) | Pam Parker and Winn Braswell | Defeated (F) McGaughey and Burnette | 8-3 |

The Girl's Tennis Team played Northeastern in Elizabeth City with a final score of 4-5. The scoring went as follows:

| Singles | | | |
|---------|-------------------|----------------------------|-------------|
| (RM) | Denise Ward | defeated (NE) Beattie | 6-3 6-2 |
| (NE) | Monds | Defeated (RM) Lynn Hodges | 3-6 3-6 |
| (NE) | Saunders | Defeated (RM) Gaye Shearin | 4-6 1-6 |
| (NE) | Jarvis | Defeated (RM) Denise Ward | 2-6 6-2 6-7 |
| (RM) | Georginna Holding | Defeated (NE) McDonagh | 6-1 6-2 |
| (RM) | Allison Aldridge | Defeated Harris | 7-3 |

| Doubles | | | |
|---------|------------------------------|--|-----|
| (RM) | Denise Ward and Gaye Shearin | Defeated (NE) Monds and Jarvis | 8-4 |
| (NE) | Saunders and McPherson | Defeated (RM) Allison Aldridge and Winn Braswell | 6-8 |
| (NE) | Lassiter and Hales | Defeated (RM) Amelia White and Ginny Riddick | 2-8 |

Seven Chosen

(Continued from page one) fine university." Dee Rich added, "I have worked for an award of this nature ever since the sixth grade. Numerous

teachers, especially Mrs. Barbara Taylor have inspired me." Paul Sasser reported, "The scholarship represents an opportunity to attend college without placing the financial burden upon my parents."

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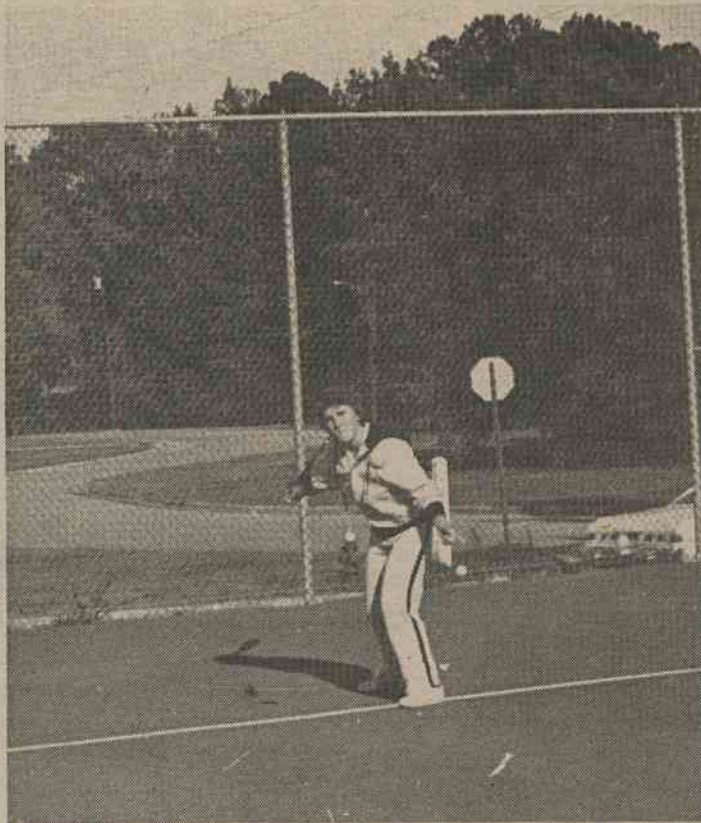
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BULLUCK PREPARES — Deborah Bulluck prepares to return a ball during warm-up practice for a match.

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Gryphs Await Knights

Tomorrow night's Homecoming game against Northern Nash should be a very exciting and aggressive contest. For the Gryphs the conference title will be on the line and a possible chance for the state playoffs. This crucial game is also important for the simple reason the Gryphs are battling the Knights of Northern Nash.

The Gryphs defense has been playing tough under the leadership and hard-hitting of Dennis Coit. The Gryphs intercepted four Greenville passes and held the explosive offense of Northeastern to just six points.

The trouble has been with the inconsistency of the offense which has been hindered by

turnovers and penalties. The Gryphs had a good offensive output against Hillside as Linden Willis threw three touchdown passes in the second half. Then Jess Ebert delivered with two touchdown strikes against Greenville. But the sputtering Gryphs were unable to score and were plagued with an abundance of turnovers at crucial points against Northeastern. These little kinks must be eliminated if the Gryphs are to defeat the blood thirsty Knights.

Even if neither team has a chance for the conference title, the battle will still probably be hotly contested by players and fans alike.

Sailing: An Easy Way To Be Free

"Hoist the main sail," "Mind the jib." These are familiar orders yelled aboard a sailing vessel. Sailing is a sport enjoyed by millions of people around the world. Sailing, however, is an expensive sport. Every year off the coast of Rhode Island the U.S. holds a sail boating race, and boats from all over the world compete for a gold cup. Sailors unlike most sports contestants hope for windy weather.

Sail boats range from single masted boats to three or four masted ships. The smaller boats can be sailed in reservoirs or large lakes. These boats are usually five feet to 15 feet long. The larger sailing vessels are usually sailed in sounds or the ocean. The wide openness of the oceans or sounds increase the amount and speed of wind. In North Carolina the waters between the mainland and the outerbanks is ideal for sailing. This area is too big for the smaller boats, but the larger boats can sail up and down the inland waterway with no trouble.

Gaston Lake and Kerr Lake are perfect places for sailboats in the ten foot range. Sailors, however, have trouble in these lakes with skiers and speed-boats.

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