

Smiles and more smiles seemed to be the trend of this year's Cornhuskin'. All of the classes got together for a week of intense competition and sisterly love. (Photo by Kim Cook)

## Basketball team anticipates strong season

by Nancy Weatherly
Basketball season is starting, and after nine practices, Coach Susan Cox seems very pleased with the team's progress. "We're working hard; concentration levels and attitudes have been good," stated Cox, "I think we'll be competitive in the games we play."

Cox said she anticipated "the team will try to concentrate on playing very hard, tough defense, hopefully man-to-man." She added that the strength of the team is in the guards, which she explains the probable starting line-up of three guards and two post players. Team weaknesses are mainly rebounding, strong shooting and the lack of a dominant player. "We'd have trouble against teams with good leapers and pivot players," Cox commented. "We'd really need to emphasize defensive rebounding." However, the "strong, unself-
ish team efforts" will make obstacles easier to overcome.

Meredith will scrimmage against Saint Mary's College November 18th. The official season will begin November 21st against Converse and the first home game will be against Greensboro College November 24th at 7:00 p.m. Also, Meredith will play Averett College December 2nd.

The team members are the following: Meshelle Cox, senior forward; Aileen Jenkins, senior guard; Karen Mann, senior guard; Becky Smith, senior forward; Mary Katheryn Fox, junior center, Sue Reese, junior center, Tee Nagle, junior forward; Kelly Bagby, junior forward; Lynda Spanton, sophomore guard; Susan Ellington, sophomore guard; Amy Adams, freshman guard; Treva Hartsell, freshman forward; Lou Anne Stephenson.

## Volleyball team finishes season with success

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The volleyball season has concluded and the Meredith team finished with a 14 12 winning record.

In an overnight trip in Virginia, Meredith defeated Roanoke College in what Coach Chamblee described as "the best match of the season." It went to five games, as the Angels lost the first two but cameback totake thematch. This was extremely difficult, but as the "entire team played well," it was possible. Chamblee added that "(Freshman) Amanda Brooks had her best game." The following day Meredith
triumphed over Hollins 2-1 and Emory and Henry 2-0.
Also, Meredith played in a tournament at Salem College the first weekend of November. The tournament was played in a round robin fashion and the Meredith team won its pull and therefore earned a spot in the semifinals. In that match they again defeated Hollins by a score of 2-1, thus placing them in the finals. However, Meredith then fell to a tough Converse team 0-2. One of the team captains, Susan Beck, "was the outstanding player of the game," Chamblee commented.

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