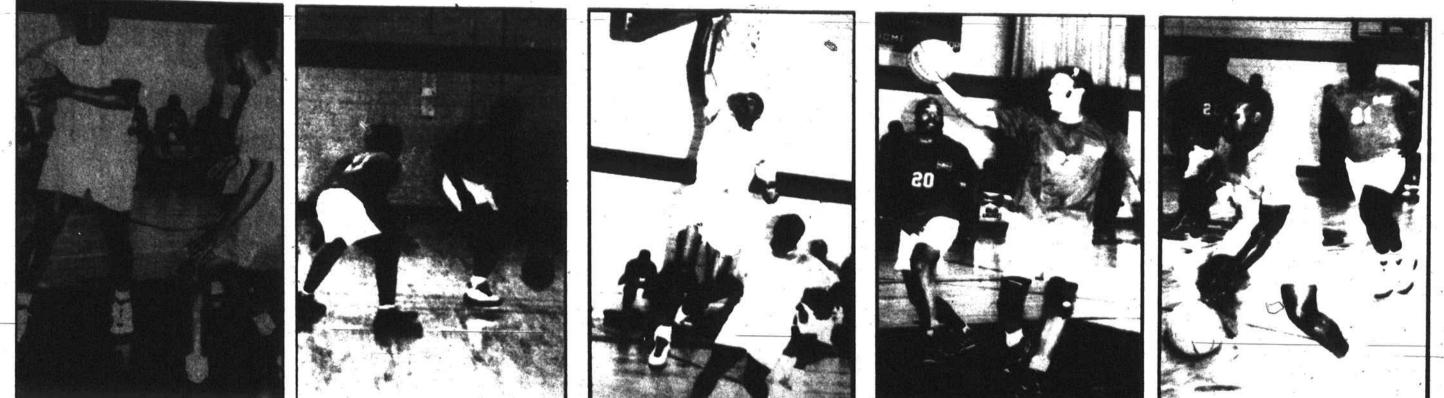
## Winston Lake YMCA Senior Men's Action



## Florida Wins Men's and Women's 1992-93 MEAC All-Sports Awards

Florida A&M University won both the men's and women's 1992-93 Mid Eastern Athletic Conference (MEAC) All-Sports Awards.

MEAC Commissioner Ken Free and league president, Dr. Henry Brooks of the University of Maryland Eastern Shore, presented trophies at the annual All-Sports Luncheon on May 21 in Atlanta

Florida A&M won its third straight men's all-sports award on the strength of first-place finishes in outdoor track, indoor track, and tennis; and a second place finish in football. The Rattlers also finished third in cross-country and baseball and fifth in basketball to give themselves a winning total of 56.5 points.

Delaware State College, twoyear runner-up, was second again with 46 points, even though the Hornets failed to win a MEAC championship. North Carolina A&T State University won the football and baseball titles and accumulated 43.5 points for third place.

Bethune-Cookman College (12.5) rounded out the order.

The men's award is named for the late Talmadge Layman Hill the first president of the MEAC, which completed it initial athletic season in 1971-72.

The Howard Bison, 1987 winners, also won the inaugural T.L. Hill award, and Morgan State claimed the award for the 1972-73 season.

SC State then won eleven consecutive MEAC all-sports awards before Delaware State secured two straight (1985-86). DelState also won the titles in 1988 and 1990.

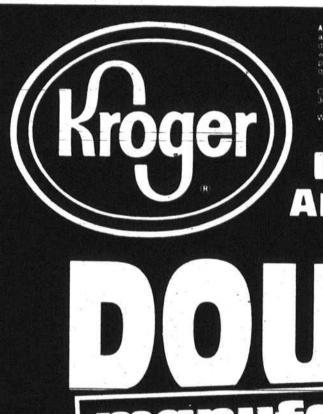
Florida A&M's 1989 title was its first, but the Rattlers are now a three-year run.

In the seventh annual MEAC women's all-sports competition, the Florida A&M Rattlerettes established their winning 58.3 point total by capturing conference titles in outdoor track, indoor track, softball, rankings with 38 points. Howard, the tennis champ, placed fifth with 34.5. Maryland Eastern Shore finished just behind with 33.5. NCA&T, mounting 30.5, SC State with 30.3, and Bethune-Cookman with 12; finished seventh, eighth, and ninth respectively.

The women's all-sports award is named for Mary McLeod Bethune, who founded Bethune-Cookman and was a strong supporter of intercollegiate athletics.

Delaware State was the 1987 inaugural winner. Howard then reeled off three straight award-winning seasons before winning again last year, and SC State was the winner in 1991.

Beginning September 1, 1994, a NCAA Division I member institution must sponsor seven varsity intercollegiate sports for both men and women instead of the current six. The MEAC is an NCAA Division I Conference and its current membership includes: Bethune-Cookman College, Daytona Beach, Fla.; Coppin State College, Baltimore, Md.; Delaware State College, Dover, Del.; Florida A&M University, Tallahassee, Fla.; Howard University, Washington, D.C.; University of Maryland Eastern Shore, Princess Anne, Md.; Morgan State University, Baltimore, Md.; North Carolina A&T State University, Greensboro, N.C.; and South Carolina State University, Orangeburg, S.C.



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Howard University was a close fourth with 43 points.

Coppin State College, the basketball and cross-country winner. placed fifth with 42 points.

Wrestling champ, Morgan State University, finished sixth with 41 points. South Carolina State University (29), the University of Maryland Eastern Shore (23.5), and

and a share of the basketball regular season crown.

They also placed second in both volleyball and tennis, and sixth in cross-country.

Morgan won the volleyball title and registered 41.5 points to finish second for the second year in a row.

Coppin secured the cross-country crown and a share of the basketball title and placed third with 39.3 points.

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