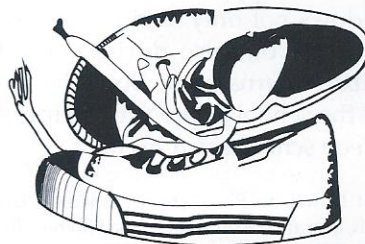




VARSITY, J.V., AND SOPHOMORE TEAMS. Front Row (L to R): Vicki Heims, Sheri Errthum, Jennifer Woellert, Stephanie Groves, Tessa Shaffer, Kristina Mangold, Lori Lammers and Mary Pasker. Row 2: Tracy Lammers, Amy Milroy, Kamber Louk, Jody Lindauer, Michele Ankrom, Becky Hutchinson, Samantha Hutchinson, LeaAnn Ross, Danelle Drees, Deena Stufflebeam, Tara Smith, Kathy Ryan, Christine McGrane, and Angie Mullis. Row 3: Vicki Schaffer, Colleen Brown, Stephanie Heffernan, Becky Price, Bobbie Jo Hansel, Angie Worden, Marie Schaul, Shannon Doyle, Tanya Besler, Jenni Malausky, Liz Rempe, and Tiffany Woellert. Row 4: Erin Twomey, Kelley Thomas, Jenny Petton, Karla Krapfl, Jill Wiley, Laura Appleby, Jocelyn Tegeler, Coach Carla Madson, and Head Coach Leslie Hart.



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West Delaware Volleyball "Keeps the Faith" Through Hard Season

VARSITY VOLLEYBALL

	Us	Them		Us	Them	Invitationals	Match	Game
Monticello	0	3	Beckman	0	3			
Oelwein Quad	0	6	Vinton	2	3	Vinton	-	2-6
South Tama	0	3	Cascade	3	2	Prairie	0-6	0-3
LaSalle	3	2	Independence	0	3	Beckman	1-7	0-3
Regis	2	3	Benton	0	3	WaMaC	0-9	
Marion	2	3	Wahlert	0	3			



FRESHMAN VOLLEYBALL TEAM. Front Row (L to R): Sara Billhorn, Holly Recker, Jolene Woods, Rachel Hutchinson, Leah Riley, Lori Lester, and Lisa O'Brien. Row 2: Caryn Goettsch, Jessie Tyrell, Angie Foster, Jenny Woods, Kelsey Tegeler, Jody Wiewel, Courtney Trievlieler, and Stephanie Kuhn. Row 3: Head Coach Jane Wegner, Amy Griswold, Nikki Engelken, Trish Westhoff, Carrie Deahl, Sara Smith, and Sarah Scanlan.

"While the varsity season was not long on victories, the team saw improvement in all statistics, and played in several matches that were decided by only a few points." That's how first year head coach Leslie Hart summed up the varsity volleyball season. The Hawks had tough matches all season with victories against Cedar Rapids LaSalle and Cascade. The Hawks went in the WaMaC tournament seeded seventh, but even the home court advantage couldn't help the Hawks, as the South Tama Trojans went on to win the WaMaC title. In regional action, the Hawks faced nationally rated Dubuque Wahlert. The Hawks played tough, but eventually were eliminated by them.

Despite its record, the volleyball season was full of action. Led by senior Tri-Captains Steph Groves, Tessa Shaffer, and Christina Mangold, the team racked up many impressive statistics. Tessa Shaffer and junior LeaAnn Ross both earned WaMaC All Conference Honorable Mention. LeaAnn also earned a selection to the Vikette All-Tournament Team. While the volleyball teams struggled on all levels, they all have hope for a bright future.