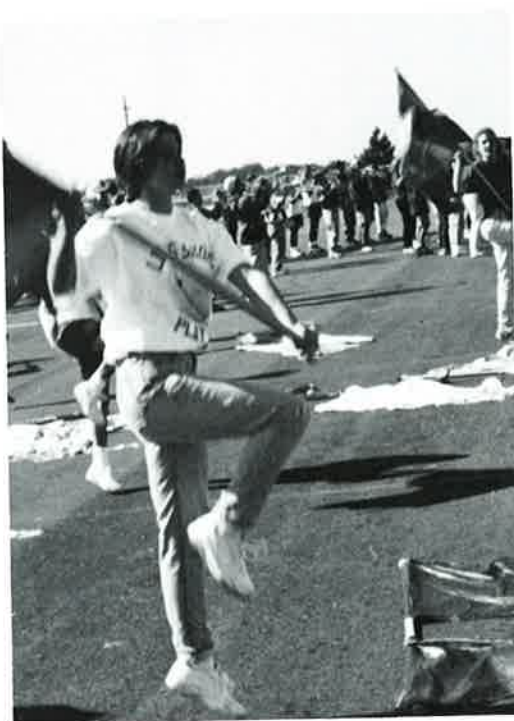


Hard Practices Pays Off for Flag Girls

Hard practices and hard work paid off for the flag girls this season.

The flag girls worked around the band to keep up with their steps. The girls had a certain number of steps to perform and so many counts of a step to keep with. They practiced on the high school parking lot with the band, and, sometimes, by themselves.

To help with the costumes and makeup, the members' mothers gave support. The mothers had a lot of deadlines they met. But the mothers met the deadlines by staying after with the girls and even staying late. "We owe a lot to the mothers," said Jody Cope. • By Melissa Dozier



Tracey Schraub goes for a leap during practice.

The girls perform at State Finals.



The girls huddle together before the big show.

