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NEWS RELEASE

from Cedarville College Yellow Jackets

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL OUTLOOK

The women cagers of Cedarville College look to the 1980-81 basketball season with a great deal of optimism. Sandy Schlappi, head coach for the Yellow Jacket women, was pleased with the overall performance of the team in preseason scrimmages. And a team it is! In the past the Jackets have relied on a starting five to carry the game with little support from the bench. This year it appears that there will be a bench "that can be put on the floor with confidence that they will do the job."

The team boasts four returning starters: senior co-captain, Diane Lichtensteiger, who averaged nine points per game; Laurie Butler, the team's co-captain and a junior guard; sophomore Lori Duffield; and junior Val Whisler. Val also averaged nine points per game last year along with Diane. Deb Fakan and Dee Wiseman are returning letter winners who will assist in adding depth to the strong Yellow Jacket bench.

The freshman outlook is also good. The men boast the best recruiting year ever, but it appears that the women might have the same claim to fame. Dana Mosley shows a great deal of hustle. Her aggressiveness and ability to anticipate will provide her with a large number of steals. Lynette Libby will assist the team as a confident ball handler. Heidi Peterson is known to block a few shots from making it to the rim and is a strong offensive and defensive rebounder should the opponent get a shot off. Peg Quigley is very strong in basic skills and is versatile on the offense. As more experience is gained in college level competition, these players should see a lot more action. Coach Schlappi says, "I'm very pleased already with their hard work in practice as well as in a game situation."

After a year off for surgery, junior Karen Collins has returned and should help balance the team immensely with her outside shooting and her overall knowledge of the game. Stacy Chasteen, a rookie, will be looked to for help after she recovers from ankle surgery.

With such a young team, there is still a lot to learn, but on the whole Coach Schlappi feels her women are a much better "team" this year than last. The Yellow Jackets start the season off with two Division II schools, Central State University and Mount St. Joseph. These games will prepare the team for their first Christmas Women's Basketball Tournament on January 2 and 3. Stiff competition will be on hand as Spring Arbor of Michigan, one of last year's national tournament contenders, and Malone College, last year's state runner-up, are part of the competition.

The team has goals not only on the basketball floor but off the floor as well. The women have designed a tract to be distributed to each opponent that they play and will be seeking an opportunity to leave a testimony for Christ with those with whom they come in contact. Through this tract and their spoken testimony, the women have as a team goal to see someone come to know Christ as Savior.



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CEDARVILLE COLLEGE

LOCATION: Cedarville, Ohio 45314
 FOUNDED: 1887
 ENROLLMENT: 1500
 PRESIDENT: Dr. Paul Dixon

NATIONAL AFFILIATION: Div. III, AIAW, OAISW
 COLORS: Blue and Gold
 NICKNAME: Yellow Jackets

YELLOW JACKET WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

HOMECOURT: Student Gym Center
 ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Dr. Don Callan
 HEAD COACH: Sandy Schlappi
 YEARS AS COACH: 3
 ALMA MATER: Cedarville College
 (1975)

SEATING: 2500
 MANAGER: Deb Moore
 TRAINER: Jenny Nestor
 LAST YEAR'S RECORD: 13-14
 Division III AIAW RECORD: 12-9

RETURNING LETTER "WOMEN":

Laurie Butler	5'6"	Guard	Junior	4 p.p.g.
Lori Duffield	5'8"	Guard	Sophomore	8 p.p.g.
Deb Fakan	5'9"	Fwd/Ctr	Senior	2 p.p.g.
Diane Lichtensteiger	5'8"	Forward	Senior	9 p.p.g.
Val Whisler	5'7"	Forward	Sophomore	9 p.p.g.
Dee Wiseman	6'0"	Center	Sophomore	1 p.p.g.

LETTER "WOMEN" LOST:

Vicki Butler	5'10"	Center		28 p.p.g.
Sue Kulp	5'6"	Guard		6 p.p.g.

STARTERS RETURNING:

Laurie Butler
 Lori Duffield
 Diane Lichtensteiger
 Val Whisler

STARTERS LOST:

Vicki Butler

NEWCOMERS:

Stacy Chasteen
 Karen Collins
 Lynette Libby
 Dana Mosley
 Heidi Peterson
 Peg Quigley



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CEDARVILLE COLLEGE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL SCHEDULE 1980-81

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME	PLACE
December 1	Wilberforce	6:00	
December 4	Ohio Chillicothe	5:30	Away
December 6	Central State	1:00	Home
December 8	Mt. St. Joseph	7:00	Home
January 2 & 3	Christmas Tourney with Marion, IN, Spring Arbor, & Malone		Home
January 8	Wilmington	7:00	Home
January 8	Rio Grande	3:00	Home
January 13	Capital	7:30	Away
January 17	Wooster	3:00	Home
January 20	Ohio Northern	5:15	Home
January 23	Malone	7:00	Away
January 24	Akron	2:00	Away
January 26	Xavier	5:30	Away
January 28	Wright State	5:15	Away
January 30	Wittenburg	7:00	Home
February 3	Ohio Dominican	7:30	Away
February 7	Shawnee State	3:00	Home
February 9	Defiance	7:00	Home
February 12	Bluffton	6:00	Away
February 14	Ohio Wesleyan	7:00	Home
February 17	Wilberforce	7:30	Away
February 19	Shawnee State	7:00	Away
February 21	Ashland	5:00	Home
February 24, 26, 28	Districts		
March 5, 6, 7	State Tourney		
March 12, 13, 14	Regionals		
March 27, 28, 29	Nationals		

Coach: Sandy Schlappi
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CEDARVILLE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

No. Home	No. Away	Player	Position	Year	Height	Hometown
5	14	Karen Collins	G	Jr.	5'7"	Monroe, MI
10	3	Lori Duffield	G	So.	5'8"	Valley Falls, KS
12	12	Dana Mosley	G	Fr.	5'2"	San Antonio, TX
14	30	Diane Lichtensteiger	F	Sr.	5'8"	Ohio City, OH
20	10	Lynette Libby	G	Fr.	5'3"	Houlton, ME
22	24	Dee Wiseman	C-F	So.	6'0"	Jamestown, OH
24	4	Laurie Butler	G	Jr.	5'6"	Eldora, IA
30	20	Heidi Peterson	F	Fr.	5'10"	Lehigh, IA
32	32	Peg Quigley	F	Fr.	5'9"	Addison, MI
34	34	Stacy Chasteen	F	So.	5'10"	Kokomo, IN
40	22	Deb Fakan	C-F	Sr.	5'9"	Vermilion, OH
42	5	Val Whisler	F	Jr.	5'7"	Ontario, OH

Coach: Sandy Schlappi

Captains: Laurie Butler, Diane Lichtensteiger

Manager: Deb Moore

Trainer: Jenny Nestor

