

# Lady Eagles defeat Belle

The Vienna High School Lady Eagles varsity basketball team won their second game of the season last Monday by defeating the Belle Lady Tigers.

Vienna trailed 7-11 after the first quarter. The score was tied 27-27, but Belle's Tiffany Cox hit a 3-pointer at the buzzer to give the Tigers a 30-27 lead at the half.

Vienna came out strong in the second half, outscoring Belle 32-21 to win their second game of the season, 59-51.

Amanda Henderson led all scorers with 16 points (one 3-pointer), 5/9 FT, 6 rebounds, 1 steal, 1 assist.

Other scorers were Misty Willoughby, 12 points (two 3-

pointers), 5 rebounds, 3 steals, 4 assists; Tori Woods, 10 points, 7 rebounds, 1 steal; Amanda Stratman, 9 points, 11 rebounds, 3 steals, 1 assist; Adria Weakly, 5 points, 3/5 FT, 4 rebounds, 1 steal; Whitney Wieberg, 5 points, 3 rebounds, 3 assists; Ellie Byrd, 1 point, 5 rebounds, 2 steals, 3 assists; and Kelly Hollis, 1 point, 5 rebounds, 3 steals.

Vienna shot 21/52 from the field (40%) and 14/37 from the free throw line (38%).

"We really played well in the Belle game -- excellent defense, lots of tenacity. Our press was very effective. But, most importantly, we did a good job of putting the ball in the hole. That's the name of the game," said head coach Mick Byrd.

The varsity girls are now 2-11 overall (2-2 in the GVC).

In the junior varsity game, Vienna took a 21-15 lead at the half and never looked back as they defeated Belle 44-26.

Jamie Sandbothe led the team with 10 points, 7 rebounds, 3 steals; Casey Steinman, 8 points, 6/8 FT, 1 rebound, 8 steals, 2 assists; Kacie Gibson, 7 points, 3 rebounds, 6 steals, 2 assists; Kacey Huffman, 5 points, 3/4 FT, 11 rebounds; Tasha Sandbothe, 5 points, 5 rebounds, 2 steals, 1 assist; Lacey Baxter, 2 points, 7 rebounds, 1 steal; Kelly Vogt, 2 points, 2 rebounds, 2 steals; Whitney Schoene, 2 points, 7 rebounds, 1 steal;

Kelley Wieberg, 2 points, 3 rebounds, 3 steals, 1 assist; Emily Miller, 4 rebounds; and Whitney Wieberg, 5 rebounds, 4 steals.

Vienna shot 14/66 from the field (21%) and 16/32 from the free throw line (50%).

"Our JV girls rebounded well and played with a lot of enthusiasm and effort. We look like we're making some progress," said Byrd.

The JV girls are now 6-6 overall (2-2 in the GVC).

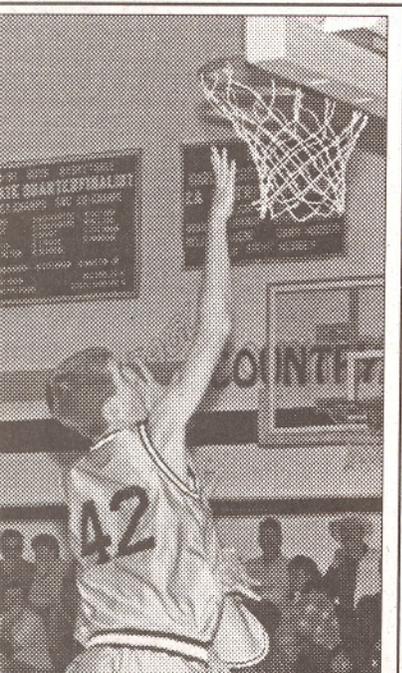
## Maries County Bank offering scholarships

The Maries County Bank is once again announcing its scholarship programs. The bank will award a \$500/semester scholarship for four years and a \$250/semester scholarship for a two-year Technical School.

Also, the bank is again offering its MCB Employees and Board of Directors scholarships. Two \$500 scholarships will be awarded.

Applications and information have been given to the Maries R-I School Counselor. The deadline for these scholarships is March 15, 2002.

The Missouri Independent Bankers Association will once again offer its \$1,000 scholarship for use in the 2002-03 school year. Final selection for that scholarship is in April.



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