



#### GIVING EACH OTHER HIGH FIVES,

juniors **Sarah Smith** and **Erica Neu-man** touch rackets after a great play. They are the first doubles team, and they came in second over all at Regionals. Their biggest wins were against Okemos, whom they beat twice. *Photo by Katie Dillon* 

### **PLACING FIRST AT REGIONALS** was

all senior **Beth Mastin** had hoped for. When Mastin and her doubles partner freshman **Abby Rarrick** took on Brighton the week of Homecoming, they never expected to win. But win they did, and Holt received first place out of the six teams that participated in the Holt Invitational. *Photo by Katie Dillon* 

## SERVING UP THE OVE

by raquel Ilinas and sarah moule

**AFTER A BIG WIN,** the womens JV tennis team gathers together at Texas Roadhouse. "I had a really good season this year: there wasn't much competition especially being a junior on a JV team. All the girls were really fun and crazy so that made the season even better," said junior **Audrey Kuhn**. Photo by Katie Dillon

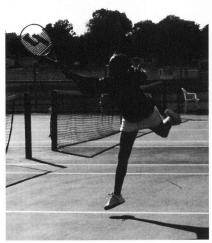




SOPHOMORES LAURA
MASTIN and Jenn Watkins show
their goofiness at Texas Roadhouse
while celebrating their last win of the
season. "The peanuts are just so good,
even in my nose!" said Laura Mastin.
Photo by Katie Dillon



**LEAPING TO SAVE THE BALL** is junior **Courtney Grafuis**. Grafuis is one half of the fourth doubles team with **Melissa Marecki**. Their low point of the season was losing their match at CAACs. *Photo by Katie Dillon* 





### SCORES 10.1



**DEALING WITH THE WEATHER** was not easy for German exchange student **Svenja Adamek**. This was her first time playing on a high school tennis team. Adamek's low point was hurting her Achilles tendon and being unable to finish one of the team's tournaments. *Photo by Katie Dillon* 



womens tennis

# competion

by katie dillon

Placing in the top ten at State was a perfect end to an almost perfect season. Tying for ninth place is the best Holt has ever done in womens tennis.

Mia Theroux, a junior who has been on varsity for two years, made it to the semifinals. Her finish made this season the first time Holt has ever made it to the second day of State. "They were the best fans there," Mia Theroux said about her teammates and their loyal fans who traveled all the way to Midland to see the last match of the year. Even though she lost in the semifinals, it was a great experience that Theroux hopes to repeat next year.

Senior Jennie Hill, four year varsity player, is the only girl in Holt tennis history to go to State four years in a row.

The team plans to be back at State next year with a younger but improved team. Future seniors look forward to leading their team to an undefeated season, which was almost accomplished this year.



**GULPING DOWN SOME WATER** during her break, senior **Jennie Hill** takes a breather and relaxes for a few moments. Hill is a four-year member of the womens varsity tennis team. Hill has made it to State every year, which is a first for a single player at Holt. *Photo by Katie Dillon* 

Over all this year was great:
we had a great time, did really well and only had one
major disappointment.
BETH MASTIN



THE **SCORES** 9.1

Haslett 6-2 W
Waverly 8-0 W
Eastern 8-0 W
East Lansing 5-3 W
Grand Ledge 7-1 W
Jackson 7-1 W
Okemos 3-5 L
Everett 8-0 W
Sexton 8-0 W



VARSITY GIRLS TENNIS - 1<sup>st</sup> Row: Erica Gaspani, Lindsay Ghastin, Andi Allen, Melissa Marecki, Coach Pat Sommers 2<sup>nd</sup> Row: Serina Mazzoni, Samantha Warner, Erika Neumann, Svenja Adamek, Beth Mastin, Liz Wilcox 3<sup>rd</sup> Row: Sarah Smith, Justyne Matheny, Abby Rarick, Courtney Grafius, Jennie Hill



JV GIRLS TENNIS - 1<sup>st</sup> Row: Assistant Danny Rarick, Kendra Shaft, Mary Herwaldt, Sarah Harris, Jenna Allen, Audrey Kuhn, Krissy Dell, Janelle Hopkins, Alyssa Davis, Ashley Kramer, Alaina Hamlin, Stephanie Fredline, Lindsay Konzman, Jenifer Fisher, Jen Watkins, Assistant Holly Warner 2<sup>nd</sup> Row: Jacelyn Lear, Katie Jubb, Erin Breadt, Leah Rodrigues, Miriam Brewer, Kaitlyn Shaffer, Stephanie Clark, Abby Theau, Allison Briggs 3<sup>rd</sup> Row: Krista Kesfner, Katie Wright, Katelin Moule, Allie Korock, Megan Massa, Emily Spenny, Chelsea Leighton, Becky Polzin