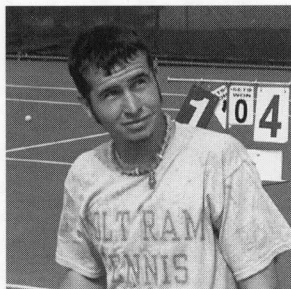


Changing the score at a tennis match that will put him in the lead is senior Nate Burmeister.



Taking a break on the tennis courts to listen to a word of advice from Coach Smith is junior Nick Grafius.

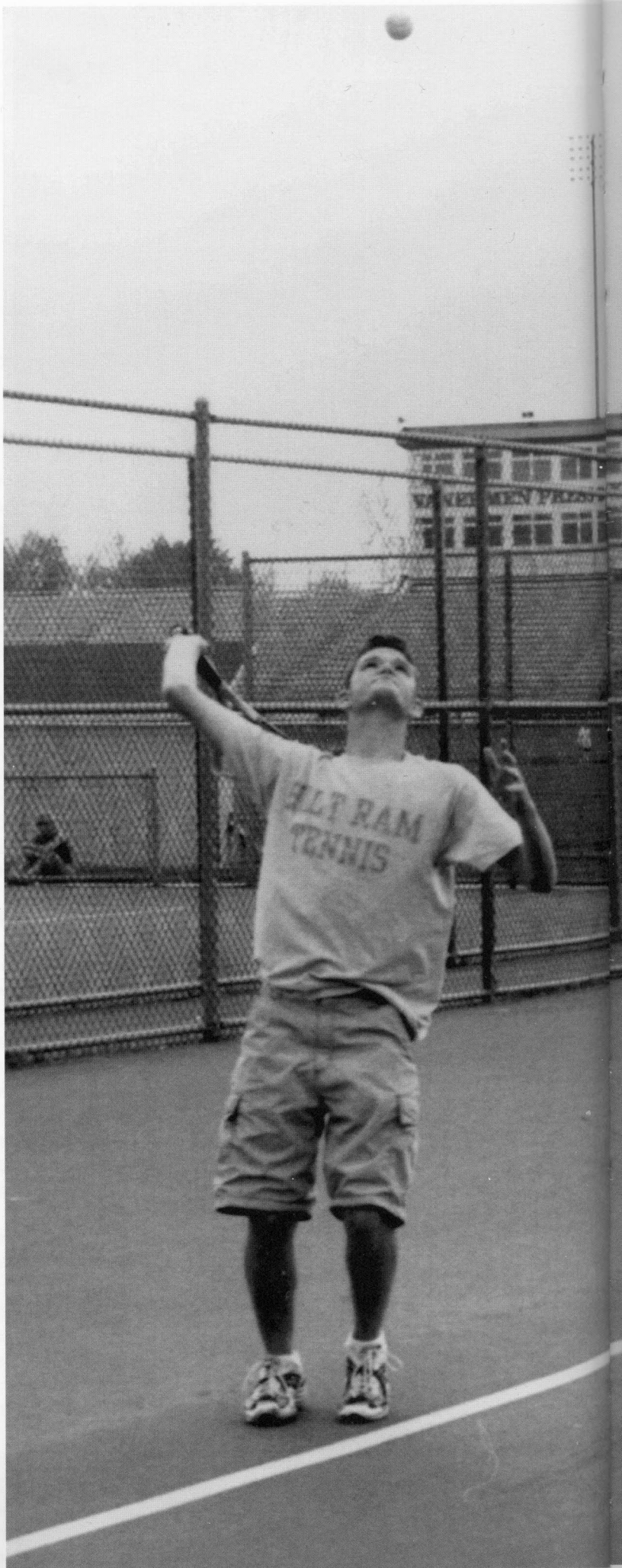
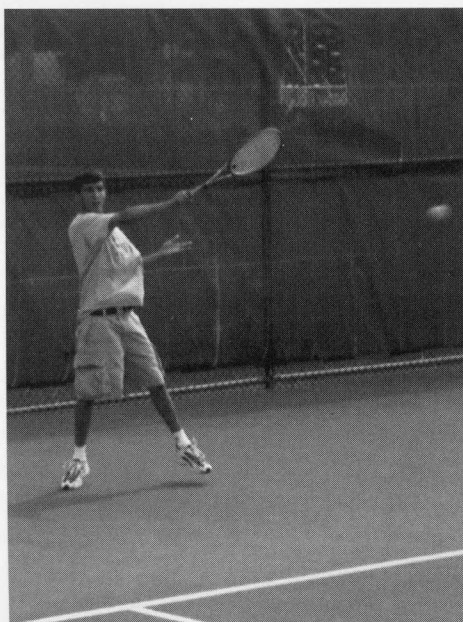


Playing doubles are team comedians Josh LaFave and Nate Burmeister.



Before a match at home senior Jesse Nakfoor hits a couple of tennis balls around to get warmed up.

Tom Shewchuk returns a powerful serve.



Boys Tennis

Season Record:

Lansing Catholic Central	3-5
Grand Ledge	3-5
Jackson	0-8
Waverly	3-5
Everett	8-0
Mason	3-5
Sexton	7-1
Eastern	5-3
Dewitt	2-6
East Lansing	0-8

CAC Finals:

5th

Invitationals:

Mason 2nd

Haslett 3rd

Regionals:

5th

CAC Record: 3-4

Overall Record: 3-7

Up and Over the Net

Serving up the winning hand at a game is senior Josh LaFeve.

Serving It Up

At Kiwanis park you can find the guys varsity tennis team practicing for perfection five days a week, Monday through Friday, if not more. The team was very dedicated this year and were willing to improve themselves at any cost. From Lansing Catholic Central to East Lansing, the guys gave it their all to be the best they could be.

In good weather or bad, these players sure know how to stand their ground. For the junior varsity players they went 5-2. Coach Ewing said, "I was very proud and pleased of the boys' attitudes for keeping their cool throughout the bad games and as well as keeping a good attitude in the games."

With a record of 3-7, the varsity team made the best with what they had. Team leader and captain Adam Vanlerberghe helped do what he could and passed on his knowledge to the underclassmen. "He was a great leader and kept the team together

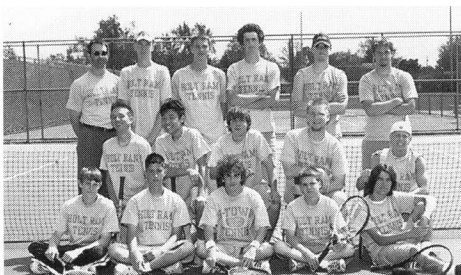
throughout the rough times and the successful wins," said Coach Smith. His success helped others like Chad Pipkens, a first year tennis player, and Chris Smith have one of the best records on the team. These two competed in doubles and only lost one match all season, against Jackson.

If nothing else, this team had teamwork and tried to do everything that they could to be the best. At the All-CAC selections Adam

Vanlerberghe earned second place in first singles. Adam was an important part of the team this year, as well as all of the other seniors. Both varsity and junior varsity players have played and came a long way.

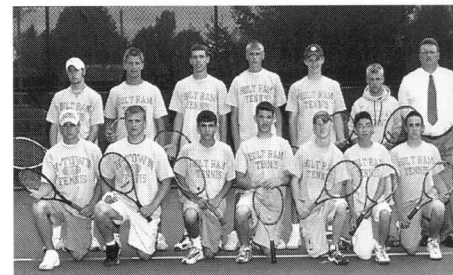
Next year should be interesting to see since the team only lost six seniors. There will be some underclassmen back next year who have at least one year of varsity experience.

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Junior Varsity Team

Top Row: Coach Ewing, A. Jensen, J. Tropf, K. Henderson, J. Parrish, N. Neumann **Middle Row:** Z. Pohl, P. Wong-Yerrick, S. Grabow, J. Schinkel, P. Vosburgh **Bottom Row:** D. Ewing, A. Roberts, K. Shewchuk, A. Cheney, C. DuQue



Varsity Team

Top Row: N. Grafius, C. Pipkens, A. Vanlerberghe, N. Huffman, C. Smith, J. Nakfoor, Coach M. Smith **Bottom Row:** T. Hofbauer, N. Burmeister, T. Shewchuk, J. LaFeve, M. Brokenshire, D. Rarrick, P. Havens