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FOOTBALL Coach Earl Perkins 5-3-1 Twelve lettermen returned with nine starters from a 1-7-1 season last year. “We’ve got depth we have never seen before” said Coach Earl Perkins. ACC opened the season by trouncing Waseca 28-7 in the Pigskin Bowl, to earn the coveted football back from Waseca who defeated Austin last year. Fabian Talamantes 19 yard run and the PAT by Pat Aldrich got the Blue Devils on the board first and they led 7-0. Waseca tied it and then it was more Talamantes as he returned a punt 51 yards to the 3 yard line where Mike Lamp found pay dirt and after the PAT Austin led 14-7. Scott Jansen later scored from 3 yards out and Mike Lamp scored his second TD from one yard to round out the scoring. Aldrich was 4 for 4 on extra points and the Blue Devils won going away. The defense held Waseca to 92 yards and five first downs. ACC shut out Anoka Ramsey 16-0 to record its second win of the year. The defense gave up only five yards on rushing and 76 for the game. Lamp rushed 19 yards for the first touchdown, with the PAT good by Aldrich. In the second quarter, Pat Aldrich found the upright on a 25 yard field goal and ACC led 10-0 at halftime. In the fourth quarter, QB Tim Olinger go in from two yards out with the two point conversion failing. Mike Lamp finished with 74 yards rushing on 19 carries but returned seven punts for 246 yards, an average of 34.1 per return. ACC was thumped 35-0 by Rochester as the Yellowjackets defense was overwhelming, limiting Austin to six first downs, 109 total yards, and created five Blue Devils turnovers. Austin rebounded and soundly defeated Inver Hills 53-9 to up their record to 3-1. Tim Olinger passed for 235 yards and four touchdowns and the defense intercepted four passes. Bill Ehret hauled in seven catches, two touchdowns (5 and 63 yards). Mike Lamp scored from 2 and 21 yards out while Jamie Strey also found the end zone. Austin tied North Hennepin 7-7 to drop to 3-1-1 in the league. Lamp scored for ACC first from 2 yards out in the second quarter with the PAT good by Pat Aldrich. North Hennepin tied in the third quarter 7-7. “We had two great chances to win” said Perkins. “We had a fourth down on their one foot line and we fumbled inside their 10 yard line”. ACC had four turnovers in the tie. Austin Community College lost a heart breaker to nationally ranked Normandale 21-20 to drop to 3-2-1. After a scoreless first quarter, Fabian Talamantes scored from four yards out and ACC led 6-0. The PAT was no good. A shanked punt by Austin gave Normandale the ball on the 27 yard line and they scored and led 7-6 at halftime. In the third quarter, Tim Olinger found Bob Jones for a 43 yard scoring strike giving ACC the lead 12-7. The PAT was not good again. Normandale countered with a drive and scored to go ahead 14-12. In the fourth quarter, Olinger scored on a 16 yard run and a Linger to Jones pass gave them the two point conversion and a 20-14 lead. The Lions responded and scored on a 39 yard touchdown pass and the PAT was good to give Normandale the lead 21-20 and the final score. ACC has never beaten Normandale in ten tries since football started in 1970. In the cold and snow, Austin defeated Willmar 14-12 to improve to 4-2-1.

The defense held Willmar to 169 yards total offense. ACC could gather only 101 yards itself but two key plays got them the points they needed. In the first quarter, QB Tim Olinger found Bob Jones in the end zone for a 14 yard catch with the PAT no good and Austin led 6-0. Austin picked off three Willmar passes and one of them by Steve Fandrich in the second quarter was the biggest. He returned it 66 yards for a touchdown and Olinger hit Jones for a two point conversion and ACC led 14-0. Willmar scored later in the second and trailed 14-6 at halftime. Later in the third Willmar recovered a fumble in the end zone and the two point conversion failed and Austin led 14-12. They would hang on and record their fourth win of the season. "Thank God for defense" were the words of Coach Earl Perkins following his team 7-0 win over Worthington in ACC's homecoming game. The Austin defense has given up only 40 points in its last four games, limited Worthington to 78 yards on offense. They also recovered five fumbles and had an interception to stop all the drives by Worthington. Tim Olinger scored from 12 yards out with 1:12 remaining in the second quarter for ACC's only touchdown. The PAT by Pat Aldrich was good and the 7-0 lead held up. Austin wasted three scoring chances inside the 20 yard line. The win gave ACC the most victories since the 1947-48 year when they went 6-2. In its final game, Austin was narrowly defeated 30-28 by Lakewood. A flat first half by the Blue Devils enabled Lakewood to take a 17-0 halftime lead. They stretched it to 23-0 before ACC started its comeback. Tim Olinger found Bob Jones in the end zone for a 12 yard toss and the PAT was no good. A little over a minute later Olinger ran one in from 8 yards and a try for the two point conversion failed and Austin trailed 23-12. The Blue Devils weren't done yet in the third quarter as linebacker Pat Landherr recovered a blocked punt in the end zone at 1:45 in the quarter. The PAT was no good and the Blue Devils were within striking distance trailing 23-18. The momentum continued as Olinger scored from four yards out with 11:36 to play. Olinger hit Jones for the two point conversion and ACC had taken the lead 26-23. Lakewood came back as quarterback Warren Sbragia tossed his third TD of the game with 2:07 to go and the PAT was good for a 30-26 lead. ACC recorded a safety with only three seconds to go for ACC's final two points. This Blue Devil team was really a contender having much more successful season than a 5-3-1 record indicates. Pat Landherr (All Conference) led them on defense and Tim Olinger (All-Conference, All-MCCC, All-Region XIII) led them on offense. Donald Oswald was also named All-Conference. This team had an opportunity to have the best record since 1947. They lost 21-20 to Normandale, lost 30-28 to Lakewood and tied North Hennepin 7-7. It was a record breaking year for ACC. Twenty nine records were broken or tied, including points in a season (173), largest margin of victory (44), least yards allowed rushing in a season (756), and least total yards allowed in a season (1681).

Roster Included:

Patrick Aldrich	Eric Allore	Duane Barnes
Kevin Bates	Mark Dammen	Bill Ehret
Kent Erickson	Steve Fandrich	Jeff Freese
Tony Hamson	John Heerema	Alan Heimer
Daniel Hinks	Jeff Huxford	Scott Janssen

Kevin Jorgenson	Robert Jones	Michael Lamp
Patrick Landherr	Illima Mogen	Jeff Moldenhauer
Michael Nelson	Timothy Olinger	Donald Oswald
Douglass Oswald	Brad Paulson	Dave Rasmussen
Alan Reese	Mark Sanderson	Curtis Schuster
Michael Shoff	Dale Skov	Jamie Strey
Thomas Strey	Fabian Talamantes	Roy Torgerson
Timothy Wulff	Scott Johnsud	Dean Adams
Doug Ball	Bart Hansen	Randy Schammel

SCHEDULE AND SCORES

U of M Waseca	28-7	W
Anoka Ramsey	16-0	W
Rochester	0-35	L
Inver Hills	53-7	W
North Hennepin	7-7	T
Normandale	20-21	L
Willmar	14-12	W
Worthington	7-0	W
Lakewood	28-30	L

RECORD: Five wins, three losses, one tie

VOLLEYBALL Coach Vel Moen 12-21 Austin returned four letter-winners from last years 12-13-1 team. Veterans include: Michelle Barnett, Debbie Smith, Lynne Towne and Cheri Westphal. ACC lost their first two contests, losing to Normandale 2-0 and Inver Hills 2-1. The rebounded with two wins over Iowa Lakes 16-14 and North Hennepin 6-15, 15-5, 15-8. “Cheri Westphal was awesome in her performance” said Coach Moen. ACC made it four in a row with wins over Ellsworth, IA 115-10, 15-5 and NIACC 15-7, 15-4. The had their streak stopped at four as Willmar edged Austin 15-7, 15-11 but the Lady Blue Devils rallied and defeated Worthington 15-8, 9-15, 15-8. In a best 3 of 5 match, Austin lost to Inver Hills 15-13, 17-15, 16-18, 16-14 to drop to 5-4 on the year. Westphal had 13 ace spikes while Robin Bossharrt had 10 ace serves. ACC dropped below .500 as they lost to Worthington 16-14, 16-12 and Bethany 16-14, 9-15, 15-5. The two losses dropped Austin to 5-6 and 1-3 in the league. Austin traveled to Anoka Ramsey and lost eight matches in an invitational to drop to 5-14 on the year. The Lady Blue Devils got back in conference play and they defeated Waseca 15-3, 15-5 and then beat Minneapolis 15-3, 15-5 in a non-conference match to up their record to 7-14. They lost to Normandale 12-15, 15-7, 15-13, 15-4 in their next non-conference match. Austin recorded two wins by defeating Waseca 8-15, 15-8, 15-9 and NIACC 9-15, 15-0, 15-5 to record their eighth and ninth wins of the year (9-15). They dropped a pair to Bethany 15-13, 15-11 and Rochester 15-8, 15-10 as Denise Stalker had nine ace spikes in the first match.

Austin traveled to North Hennepin and participated in an eight team tourney only to take fifth place, winning two matches and losing two. ACC now stands 11-19 on the year. In the Southern Division playoffs, Willmar defeated Austin 6-15, 15-8, 15-5 in the opening round but ACC responded and stayed alive as they won over Worthington 15-7, 15-13. Willmar eliminated ACC as they defeated the Blue Devils 10-15, 15-6. 15-12. The loss ended Austin's season at 12-21.

Roster Included:

Michelle Barnett	Robin Bosshart	Diane Diggins
Patricia Duffy	Lori Reese	Lori Schneider
Debbie Smith	Denise Stalker	Lynne Towne
Lori Warner	Debra D. Weber	Kelly Wendleboe
Kim Wendleboe	Cheri Westphal	Carol Hanson

BASKETBALL Coach Jim Mittun 5-16 With a group of fine freshmen, Coach Mittun is looking for some good things to happen this season. ACC returns three lettermen, All-Conference Kevin Jergenson, guard Terry Pelzl, and forward Bob Oakland. ACC lost its opener 65-61 to Lakewood and proceeded to go winless their first six contests. UW Richland handed the Blue Devils their second loss 76-58 as Jeff Haugen scored 15 to lead Austin. Waldorf made it three in a row with a 96-74 win over ACC as Haugen again led with 16 and Mark Iverson chipped in with 15 points. Austin lost 83-68 to North Hennepin as Terry Pelzl led all scorers with 17 points. WWTI kept Austin winless with an 81-65 victory despite Jeff Haugen's career night 25 points. Inver Hills made it six losses in a row for Austin as they defeated the Blue Devils 90-51. The Blue Devils picked a fine time to win their first two games as they won the Ranger Classic in Hibbing. ACC defeated Mesabi 52-49 in the opening round game as Randy Gabrielson was the only one in double figures with 12 points. ACC won the championship game as they edged Lakewood 70-69 for the title. Terry Pelzl led with 20, followed Haugen (16) and Gabrielson (11). Austin won their third consecutive game defeating Iowa lakes 78-61. Jeff Haugen led five scorers in double figures with 16 points. ACC lost to Bethany 102-75 as the Vikings led by as much as 41 points. Haugen had his best game of the year with 28 points, while Bob Elness chipped in with 19 points. The Mankato State JVs thumped Austin 92-71 in non-conference action dropping ACC to 3-8 overall. Jeff Haugen (17) and Terry Pelzl (16) led their team in the defeat. Austin won its fourth game in its last six as they defeated Waseca 77-68. Haugen again led them with 28 points and dished out 7 assists. Pelzl added 20 tallied in the victory. ACC dropped to 4-9 as they lost to Willmar 99-80 in conference action. Pelzl and Haugen each had 19 points. The Blue Devils lost their next contest and then dropped their third in a row losing 75-60 to Bethany. Kevin Jergenson returned to form by pouring in 24 points in the loss, dropping Austin to 1-4 in league play and 4-11 overall. Jergenson had 14 in a 73-52 loss to Rochester and Jeff Haugen had 16 in an 80-65 loss to Waseca. ACC dropped to 4-14 as Worthington handed Austin an 80-75 loss as Jergenson topped all scorers with 26 points and 10 rebounds. This was a make up game from earlier in the season. Austin stopped its five game losing streak by rebounding and defeating Worthington 84-73 in conference action.

Terry Pelzl had a season high 27 points followed by Jergenson (23) and Haugen who chipped in with 19 points. Rochester routed ACC 103-85 and handed Austin its 15th loss of the year. ACC scored 49 points in the second half after trailing 59-36 at halftime. Pelzl led with 24 points while Jergenson had 20 tallies. Austin completed its regular season with a 79-59 loss to Willmar and concluded the year 2-9 in league play and 5-16 overall. Terry Pelzl had a big night as he poured in 25 points. Kevin Jergenson was the only other scorer in double figures with 11 points.

Roster Included:

Kevin Jorgenson	Terry Pelzl	Bob Oakland
Jeff Haugen	Bob Elness	Randy Gabrielson
Tom Strey	Phil Murray	Jim Felten
Doug Ball	Dean Adams	Duane Barnes

BASKETBALL

Coach Vel Moen 17-6 State-5th Dawn

Anderson is the only returnee following a 14-6 record last year. “I’m anxious to see what we can do with a fine group of talented freshmen” said Coach Moen. ACC opened its season with three straight wins. The defeated Lakewood 68-53 in the opener as four ladies scored in double figures led by Patti Harris with 17 points. Austin defeated Normandale 75-48 in con-conference action. Mary Kittleson poured in 21 points to pave the way. ACC remained undefeated as they easily handled North Hennepin 81-34. Lori Reese led four in double figures with 13 points and 11 rebounds. The Lady Blue Devils lost their first contest of the season (3-1) as Golden Valley Lutheran defeated ACC 58-49. Patty Lundberg scored 17 as Austin had 15 turnovers in the contest. Austin traveled to Hibbing and won their invitational, defeating Mesabi 62-53 and Hibbing 62-58 to up ACC’s record to 5-1. Reese had 14 in the first contest as four scored in double figures and Kittleson had 14 points, 9 rebounds, and nine steals in the championship game. Austin improved to 6-1 with a convincing 92-31 win over Minneapolis. Austin defeated Lakewood CC 68-42 as Dawn Anderson (13) and Patti Harris (12) led the team in scoring. ACC made it five wins in a row with an 88-60 win over Bethany. Patty Lundberg had a season high 26 points and grabbed nine rebounds. The Lady Blue Devils shot a dismal 28% and lost to Rochester 58-46. Reese tallied 17 in the loss to drop ACC to 8-2 on the season. Austin rebounded with a 66-52 win over Waseca. Lori Reese had 20 points and 10 rebounds while ACC committed 25 turnovers. All five starters hit double figures as hot shooting as the ACC women rolled over Willmar 87-66 in conference action. Reese (17), Kittleson (14), Anderson (14), Lundberg (12), and Harris (12) all topped the double figure mark to up ACC’s record to 3-1 in conference and 10-2 overall. Austin hit only 10 of 22 free throws and lost to Bethany 64-58. Dawn Anderson tallied 21 in the loss. Austin defeated Rochester 65-63 in a rematch with their arch rival. Tied 63-63, Patty Lundberg hit a spectacular last second shot to improve ACC to 4-2 in the league and 11-3 overall. Austin trailed by as much as 10 points in the second half before they mounted a comeback. Mary Kittleson had 18 to go along with Lundberg who tallied 16 points.

Austin defeated Waseca 71-62 to improve to 5-2 in division play as Dawn Anderson poured in 24 points and grabbed 11 points. Worthington defeated ACC 54-48 as the Lady Blue Devils shot only 33% from the field. Reese and Anderson each had a dozen. Austin defeated Worthington in a rematch 73-55 and upped their record to 13-4. Mary Kittleson had 26 and Patti Harris chipped in 11 points and 11 rebounds. The Lady Blue Devils improved to 14-4 and 7-3 in league play with a 79-59 win over Willmar. Dawn Anderson had a career high 31 points. In a playoff game with Rochester (both teams 7-3 in the division and tied for second) and a winner-take-all, Austin slipped past Rochester 72-71 to advance to the state tournament. ACC needed two free throws from Dawn Anderson with 2 seconds to put them over the top. Anderson (18), Kittleson (16), Lundberg (14), and Harris (12) all had productive nights. In the first round of the state tournament, Golden Valley edged ACC 58-54. Austin was outscored 23-12 in the last four minutes after leading 42-35. Mary Kittleson had 14 to lead four in double figures. The Lady Blue Devils bounced back and thrashed Hibbing 90-70 to advance to the consolation championship game. Lori Reese had 24 points and 11 rebounds, while Pattie Harris had a season high 20 and grabbing 13 rebounds. Austin brought home the 5th place trophy with a 66-61 overtime win over Worthington to complete their year with a 17-6 season. Kittleson sent the game to overtime with a game tying shot with 17 seconds to go in regulation. Six players scored nine or more points, led by Kittleson with 15 points. Patty Lundberg was named to the All-Conference, and second team All-State team.

Roster Included:

Robin Bosshart	Nancy Clemens	Patti Harris
Mary Kittelson	Patty Lundberg	Lori Reese
Sharon Smith	Debbie Weber	Kelly Wendleboe
Kim Wendleboe	Dawn Anderson	Lori Warner

BASEBALL Coach Earl Perkins 10-9 Six lettermen returned off last year's Region Championship team including; Tom Strey, Jim Johnson, Craig Lady, Steve Tufte, Tom Leif, and Jim Langan. ACC defeated Fergus Falls 6-4 in the opener. Langan pitched 5 strong innings Dan Hinks earned a save. The second game was called to due to rain. The Blue Devils dropped a pair to Normandale 4-2 and 2-1. ACC led 2-0 after four innings but could only collect 7 hits (Steve Tufte had 3 hits) and lost the opener. Bob Elness pitched a 3 hitter while fanning 8 hitters but got no run support in the nightcap. Austin rebounded with a sweep over Rochester 3-1 and 9-4 to improve to 3-2 overall. Jim Langan had a one hitter through six innings. Doug Leif got the save while Jim Johnson collected four hits. In the second game, Bob Elness threw a four hitter and Jamie Strey earned a save. ACC split with Inver Hills, winning 7-6 in extra innings and losing 5-4. An RBI by Bob Elness in the ninth won game one. Steve Tufte had two hits in game one while Strey and Doug Leif collected two apiece in the nightcap. The Blue Devils earned a split with the Winona State JV, winning 3-0 and losing 8-4 in con-conference action. Jamie Strey and Jim Langan combined on a 3 hit shut out in the opener as the defense turned in three double plays.

Bob Elness had two run homerun in game two as Winona banged out 11 hits in all. ACC split again this time with Normandale, winning 5-4 in eight innings and losin 11-8 keeping their record even in conference play a 4-4. Tom Strey had the game winning RBI in game one as ACC committed five errors. In the nightcap, Austin walked 12 batters and four for RBI's. The Blue Devils split again for the fourth doubleheader in a row, this time with Rochester, losing 4-1 before winning 10-7 in the second game. ACC had only three hits in game one and trailing 6-1 rallied for 6 runs in the sixth inning to run their overall record to 7-6. Tom Strey had the big hit with a 2 run double to put the Blue Devils ahead for good. Austin whipped WWTI 8-0 and 13-2 in non-conference action to up their record to 9-6. The bats were alive as ACC banged out 27 hits and got strong pitching performances from Doug Leif and Jim Langan. The Blue Devils lost three of their final four games to finish the season 10-9. Inver Hills upended ACC twice 5-4 and 8-5 to drop them to 5-7 in league play. Austin collected only 9 hits in the doubleheader. In the final two games of the season, the Mankato State JV team defeated Austin 4-3 in game one and Austin rebounded and won 3-2 in its finale. MSU rallied with 3 runs in the last two innings to take game one. Doug Leif's RBI double in the sixth inning provided the winning run in the 3-2 victory. Leif was the top hitter (.357) and pitcher with a 3-0 mound record.

Roster Included:

Bill Anderson	SS	Carl Bruncholz	OF
Bob Elness	P/3B	Al Heimer	OF
Dan Hinks	P/3B	Jim Johnson	OF
Craig Lady	OF	Jim Langan	P
Doug Leif	P/C	Tom Leif	2 nd
Phil Murry	OF	Marvin Rezac	SS
Scott Schramm	OF	Tim Schroeder	C
Jamie Strey	P/1st	Tom Strey	1 st
Steve Tufte	2 nd		

SOFTBALL Coach Marilyn Classen 17-14 State-3rd First year Coach Marilyn Classen expects big things from this year's club. Classen inherits a team with only one letter-winner (Mary Brackey) with a host of talented freshmen from the Austin High School who claimed the high school championship last season. ACC took two from Worthington in their season openers, winning 19-3 and 11-3. Eighteen hits, 15 stole bases and strong pitching from Nancy Clemens and Kim Wendleboe propelled Austin to their first two wins. ACC participated in the Blue Devil invitational and settled for a 1-2 record and 4th place. In their first contest, ACC hammered Rainy River 35-6 scattering 22 hits. Clemens pitched a one hitter, striking out 8 and walking ten batters. Seven players had three hits apiece. North Hennepin escaped with 9-6 win over Austin in the second round. In the third place game, NIACC defeated ACC 2-0. Kelly Wendleboe pitched a no hitter but game up five walks in the loss which dropped ACC to 3-2. Austin remained perfect in league action (4-0) by defeating Waseca 13-1 and 18-5. Nancy Clemens won game one with a 3 hitter decided by the ten run rule. There were 24 walks between the two teams in game two.

Mary Brackey collected three hits in the nightcap. In the Waseca invitational, Austin finished 2-4 and dropped to 7-6 overall on the season. Austin rebounded with a doubleheader sweep over Willmar 5-2 and 13-9 to remain undefeated in division play at 6-0. Kim Synogron, who recently became eligible after transferring from Golden Valley, fired a 4 hitter in game one. Nancy Clemens and Nancy Doocey had three hits apiece in the opener. ACC took advantage of seven walks in the second inning to get their nine runs. Brackey went 3 for 4 with a triple and Kelly Wendleboe picked up the win in the nightcap. Rochester silences the ACC bats and defeated them 2-1 and 7-1 to drop Austin to 9-8 overall and 6-2 in league play. ACC had only nine hits in the two games. Rochester hosted a 8 team tournament and Austin came away 3-2. After winning the first game 4-1 over Normandale, 13-6 over Worthington 13-6, and 3-2 over Golden Valley, the Lady Blue Devils last their final two games 7-1 to Rochester and 2-1 to Golden Valley. The tournament left ACC with a 12-10 overall record. Austin hosted the Southern Division playoffs in a four team tournament. ACC won its opener, defeating Willmar 8-7. Clemens started on the mound, but Kim Synogron had to come in the second inning trailing 5-0. She gave up only 2 hits and recorded the win while her teammates banged out 9 hits in the comeback victory. In the second game, powerful Rochester defeated ACC 7-3 as Austin collected only 5 hits. The win advanced Rochester to the Region tournament while Austin has to settle for a spot in the state tournament. Kim Wendleboe led Austin with 3 hits in game two of the playoffs. In a preparation for the state, ACC brought home consolation honors in the Anoka Ramsey Invitational. Austin dropped the first game 7-4 to North Hennepin before defeating Hibbing 5-1 and Vermilion 7-0 to improve its record to 15-12. In game one of the tournament, ACC committed 9 errors in the defeat. Clemens pitched a one hitter versus Hibbing as Robin Bosshart collected 3 of the 13 hits by Austin. In the win over Vermilion, Kelly Wendleboe went 4 for 4 and Diane Diggins knocked in 3 runs. In the opening round of the state tournament, the Lady Blue Devils defeated Hibbing 4-3 and Inver Hills 1-0 to advance to the semifinals. Kim Synogron got the win in game one scattering 8 hits while Nancy Clemens pitched a shutout against Inver Hills. Mary Brackey had the game winning RBI single to get the Blue Devils in the semifinal game as the lady Blue Devils collected only 3 hits themselves. Normandale defeated Austin 2-1 in eight innings pushing Austin into the loser's bracket. The Lions scored 2 runs in the 8th inning to defeat Austin as Synogron pitched a six-hitter. They lost 10-1 to Inver Hills in the loser's bracket thus ending their season at 17-14 and a third place finish in the state tournament. Three members of the Austin Community College softball team were named to the first team All-Conference team: Kim Wendleboe, Diane Diggins and Nancy Clemens.

Roster Included:

Robin Bosshart	Nancy Clemens	Patty Harris
Kim Larson	Lora Reese	Kelly Wendelboe
Dawn Anderson	Mary Brackey	Lisa Johnson
Nancy Doocey	Diane Diggins	Kim Synaground
Kim Wendleboe		

Golf Coach Jim Mittun MCCC-State runner-up Region XIII runner-up. In the Blue Devils opener, ACC finished 8th out of 12 teams in their own invitational. Doug Koch finished second with a 79. Austin finished 4th in the Lakewood Invite out of 11 teams shooting a 333. Koch again led them with a 78. At the Waseca Invitational, ACC were crowned the champions shooting a 329. Doug Koch shot a 76 and was medalist, followed by Joe Allen (79), Bob Brabbit (81), Mike Iverson (93) and Nate Schmidt (94). Joe Allen shot the low score for Austin (77) as they finished 8th in the Rochester Invitational. Traveling to the North Hennepin tournament, ACC finished 5th out of 10 teams with Koch shooting a 78 to lead all Austin golfers. The Blue Devils shot their best team score with a 315 at the Waseca Invitational. By doing so, ACC was runner-up as Doug Koch had his season low 75. Bob Brabbit shot a 76 along with Joe Allen, followed by Greg Jahr (88) and Mike Iverson (96). In the State and Region XIII tournament, Austin finished runner-up to Normandale, losing only by three strokes in the two day event (645 to 642). Doug Koch was the meet's medalist in the 17 team field with a total of 145 while Joe Allen tied for third at 157. Brabbit (165), Jahr (180), and Nathan Schmidt (184) round out the ACC scores. Both Koch and Allen advance to the NJCAA national golf championships in Scottsdale, Arizona at McCormick Ranch. Allen and Koch both missed the 36-hole cut (Koch by two strokes) which trimmed the field to 25 players the final two days. Other members were: Bill Stephenson, Mike Iverson, Randy Gabrielson.

TENNIS David Dickinson & Terry Dilley 1-9 The men's tennis team won only one of 10 matches during regular season play. In their opener, Bethany edged ACC 5-4. Number one singles Jeff Nelson breezed to a 6-1, 6-4 victory. In #2 singles, Curt Rosenthal won 7-6, 6-3. At #3, Scott Sutter won 6-0, 6-3. ACC lost its final three singles matches; Chris Carroll lost at #4, Cary Tuttle at #5 singles, and #6 singles Eric Figenskau was blanked 6-0, 6-0. In doubles, the team of Rosenthal-nelson won 6-1, 6-1, Sutter-Carroll lost at #2 doubles 6-0, 2-6, 7-6 and Bethany won the #3 doubles over Tuttle-Figenskau. ACC dropped its next seven matches and finished the season 1-9. In the state tournament Austin finished 10th out of 13 teams. Scott Sutter and Chris Carroll scored three points for the Blue Devils. Sutter won his opening round before losing in his second match. Carroll won his first match before losing in the quarterfinals. Sutter and Carroll teamed up for a 6-4, 6-3 victory in their opener in doubles and lost in the second match. Members were: Jeff Nelson, Curt Rosenthal, Scott Sutter, Chris Carroll, Cary Tuttle, Eric Figenskau, Tom Kirchner, and Larry Jolivet

TENNIS-WOMENS Coach Vel Moen 2-4 Only one returnee is back (Sue Harpuder) but feels this is quite possible her strongest team ever. ACC won its opener, defeating Bethany 5-4. In singles competition, Lisa Anderly, Patty Lundberg, Dea Lawrence, and Sue Harpuder all were winners. Lisa Schmidt and Polly Browne both lost tough matches. Anderly-Lundberg was the only doubles winners. ACC lost 8-1 to Lakewood to drop to 1-1. The only winner was Debbie Webber at #6 singles. Austin defeated Inver Hills 6-3 to improve to 2-1. Inver Hills had to forfeit at #5 and #6 singles and #3 doubles. Rochester shut out ACC 9-0 to even the Lady Blue Devils record at 2-2. Bethany returned a 5-4 win over ACC as Austin won four of six singles but could not win any doubles matches. Lundberg, Lisa Schmidt, Lawrence, and Weber all had wins. Austin dropped to 2-4 as Rochester beat ACC 7-2. Sue Harpuder and Debbie Weber recorded the only two victories. The Lady Blue Devils brought home the 5th place trophy in the state tournament in the 10 team field. In the #1 singles, Lisa Anderly won her first match and then lost 7-6, 6-2. In the #2 singles, Patty Lundberg won her first two matches before bowing out in the semifinals 6-4, 6-0. At #3, Lisa Schmidt won her first round, but was ousted in the quarterfinals. Sue Harpuder, Dea Lawrence and Deb Weber were all unsuccessful in their first round matches. In doubles, Anderly-Lundberg teamed up at #1 to advance to the semifinal round before losing 7-6, 6-0. At #2 doubles, Schmidt-Harpuder won their first match before losing in the quarterfinals. At #3, Webber and Mel Bayer lost in the semifinal round. Members: Lisa Anderly, Mel Bayer, Connie Bush, Kathy Dellenbach, Susan Harpuder, Dea Lawrence, Patty Lundberg, Lisa Schmidt, Debbie Weber, Polly Browne.