



1994 Softball Team

Front Row: Beautisha Robertson, Latoya Roach, Rosalyn Robertson, Tommie Feaster, Tori Trapp, June Glisson, Nichelle Woodard Row Two: Coach Tim Corley, Joy Lucas, Shameka Edmunds, Ashley Mack, Sharon Bell, Raushannah Cook, Velika Worthy, Coach Calvin Smith

Looking Towards Home

The 1994 Griffin Softball Team went through lots of adversity this year. First, Coach Calvin Smith had just entered his first year of coaching girls softball. He said, "After basketball season ended, I had to jump right into softball." The transition was a big step in Coach Smith's life. The main goals for the team were to develop self-discipline, develop a foundation, and finish in the top half of the region.

The team had a rocky start. The team was first played by discipline and attitude problems. The ladies emotions caused a division in the team that hindered progress. But through regrouping and Coach Smith's coaching experience he turned the Lady Griffins' attitude around. Coach Smith gave Assistant Coach, Tim Corley, credit for a great deal of ladies changing. Coach Smith said, "He did a really good job by helping me adjust to the girls and teaching them the fundamentals of the

game."

Although the team ended up with a 1-19 record, the girls said they enjoyed themselves. **Nichelle Woodard** said, "I have enjoyed being with this team this season, and I feel that we did accomplish our goals even though we only won one game."

Coach Smith hopes that he can turn their 1-19 record into a 19-1 next year. The returning team, led by five seniors, has hopes for the playoffs. The team also has eighth graders returning who had entered the starting line up by the end of the season. **June Glisson** replied, "Although we didn't have a good season, I'm looking forward to returning next year in hopes of a better one. Our coaches really pushed us and I feel that we will try our best for them next year."



A Little Too Late

Tommie Feaster's opponent slides into home plate as she reaches for the ball.