

Julie Cirelli, "in flight".



1972-73 Varsity Gymnastics Team — First Row: Janet Budinscak, Jenny Nielson, Paula Larson, Sandy Nielson. Second Row: Janet Samuelson, Cindy Mancini, Patty Koster, Janis Warner, Diane Jensen. Back Row: Ellen Schmitz, Denise Guillaume, Rayna Elmendorf, Val Sangiuliano, Sue Persak, Maryanne Delnegro, Cheryl Trubin, Karen Horne, Paula Glassberg, Laura Molten, Julie Cirelli, Nancy Sjursen, Jackie Radcliffe.



Cindy Mancini looks at gymnastics from a different point of view.

Girls' Gymnastics

... muscles tensed, heart pounding, body and mind prepared for the feat ... interscholastic competition; important individual victories producing even more valuable team victories ... helping each other with stunts ... creating original routines on the horse, balance beam, and uneven bars ... precision, grace ... tests of endurance and competence ... "Oh, please don't let me fall!" ... talent and determination combining to yield skilled performance ... exerting oneself to the breaking point ... dramatic leaps and bounds, somersaulting, cartwheeling ... releasing bolts of energy, ability and skill. ...

"If I had muscles like her, I'd wear a sweatshirt too." Laura Molten.

