

Basketball Honors Extended At Ross

Gail Brauchla Wins Award, Sets Record

Basketball players of Ross high school were in the sports spotlight Friday during a special assembly program held in the school auditorium in the morning. Coaches Al Ziemke, Paul Raines, John Ihnat, Bob Seele and Cornelius Vanderbilt were singled out with the squads in the recognition program.

Gail Brauchla, who set three new scoring records for the Little Giants, received the David Brockseicker Award for top efforts in foul shooting. He led the varsity with a percentage of 67.1, according to Coach Ziemke.

Winning his first letter here after transferring to Ross from Angola, Ind. in September, the senior center - forward, holds the individual game record of 38 points, against Bellevue, scored 374 points for the regular season play, and in the overall 19 games, scored 388 points for a top record.

Brauchla, along with seniors Jim Houghtaling and Bill Gregg, manager, received miniature gold basketballs.

Varsity letters went to Brauchla, Al Price, Tom Sherman, Jack Lee, Clarence Glover, Lane Beeker, Mark Walters and Fred Middleton, along with Bill Gregg, manager. Jim Houghtaling, senior and Beebe Schneider, junior, won letters last year and this season received chevrons.

Members of the reserve teams to win letters were Paul Schaaf, Larry Bowers, Tom Farr, Charles Houdeschell, Jim Hailey, Ken Adams, and Fred Decker. John Hetrick and Jack Wymer, managers.

Numerals to freshmen players were received by Gary Bierly, Arthur Jones, Reuben Lozanno, Roger Hetrick, Bill Miller, and Kit Grimshaw. Boys who earned numerals for Freshman football did not receive duplicates for basketball, Ihnat said.