



## **Jamie Scott Lusher** **1993—1996**

Jamie Scott Lusher, the daughter of Connie and the late Richard Scott, attended Canal Winchester Schools, grades K—12, graduating in 1996. She enjoyed a full career as a student athlete playing three sports which included basketball, volleyball, and track.

As a freshman, Jamie was fortunate to be awarded All District honors and to help the Indians reach a Central District Runner-up status. That same year, she earned MSL honors in track qualifying for regional competition. Despite suffering a season-ending ACL tear in January as a sophomore, Jamie was awarded 1st Team All Mid-State League, 1st Team All-Central District Honors and All-Ohio recognition. She qualified regionally for field events in track as well. As a junior, Jamie helped the Indians to a Mid-State League Runner-up finish. She was named 1st Team All Mid State League, 1st Team All Central District and 2nd Team All-Ohio. The summer prior to her senior year, Jamie was selected as a member of the Junior Olympic Basketball Team, and represented the state of Ohio in the Junior Summer Olympics. Her senior year, Jamie enjoyed a memorable volleyball season that culminated with a heartbreaking regional-qualifying match. She was named 1st Team All-Mid State League in volleyball. Jamie received a number of awards in Basketball her senior year. She was named 1st Team All Mid-State League, 1st Team All Central-District, received All-Ohio Honors, named District 11 player of the year, selected for the McDonald's Ohio-Kentucky All-Star game and named to North-South Ohio all-Star Game. By the end of her high school career, Jamie totaled 1318 points during her high school career, the third highest of any Indian female basketball player.

Jamie received a full athletic scholarship to the University of Akron where she was a four year starter for the Zips. She helped lead the Zips to their first Eastern Division Mid-American Conference Championship in 1999. Among her accomplishments while at UA were: named to the All-MAC Freshman team; was leading rebounder in '97, '98, '99, and '01 (missing the '00 season because of another ACL tear); was named the Lady Zips Scholar Athlete 3 times; was the University of Akron Athletics Department honoree for Women's Excellence in Academics and Athletics; and was named the Gatorade Scholar Athlete of the Year. She currently holds records for the Zips for double-doubles (in ppg/rpg), rebounds, points per game, points per season, and field goal percentage.

Jamie received her Master's Degree in Educational Administration in 2003 from Ashland University. She is currently a principal in the New Albany-Plain Local School District. She has completed her doctoral course work through Ohio University and is currently writing her dissertation to receive her doctorate in Educational Leadership. Jamie resides in Canal Winchester with her husband Ralph, son Braddock (3), daughter Tatum (1) and stepson Derek (11).