

Dear Parents,

I wanted to send a note to let you know how excited I am about the upcoming season. The guys have worked extremely hard this offseason to ensure that we can build on a very successful season last year.

If you check our schedule for this year, you will notice that it is very challenging. This is intentional so as to prepare us for the postseason. Our goal is to get better each day and be playing our best basketball by the beginning of February. The program's success has been based on putting the team first and understanding the sacrifice it takes to become a championship caliber team. I am very pleased with the work ethic and attitude of this year's team so far, but we must also be ready for the inevitable bumps in the road that come with a long season. How we handle the adversity will go a long way in telling how far we are able to advance this year. A couple attributes that we are stressing are maturity, accountability and toughness. These are character traits that will serve them well long after their basketball careers are over.

A couple other things that I need to go over. I will be sending home the FHSAA paperwork, some of you have filled these out (physical, consent, concussion and if you are new, the GA4), but if not I need it by the end of the week. Also, the varsity sports fee is \$145 that needs to be paid within the first two weeks of the season. If there is an issue please let me know and we will help to work it out. I would also ask for your help with our fundraising effort. We offer advertising banners for the gym and on the field. An individual banner is \$600 for the year or one of each for \$1000. If you have a business or know of a business that may be interested please let me know.

Finally, I would like to thank all our parents for their continued support. We truly have a family atmosphere here at CSCA and it make my job extremely enjoyable. Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns, my door is always open.

Thanks,
Coach Fitz