

## **20-21 LTWBB Parent Meeting**

Head Coach: Kevin Bussinger  
JV : Robert Brandt  
Freshman: Jonny Adkins  
Freshman: Jennifer Dufouric

### Program:

- Ready for a “normal” year.
- Stay smart with our Covid protocols
- Fall league
  - Varsity and JV @ Cedar Park (Wednesdays)
  - Freshman @ Akins (Sundays)
  - Middle School @ LT (Saturdays - opportunities for hours)
  - We will move some athletes around from one team to another, a reminder that this is fall league! We want to see some different athletes play in certain situations and have to play different roles. And most importantly, playing time. We will want teams with about the same number of players. (last week we were 11 and 11 on JV and Varsity)
- Weight Lifting @ HCI on Tuesday and Thursday

### Teams / Practice:

- This year we will most likely carry 4 teams (Varsity / JV / Freshman Red/Black)
- 1st official practice is: Wednesday, October 20th
- Official tryout dates will be October 20-21 although we will not be able to get our Volleyball athletes till after VB season so their tryouts will be at the earliest dates we can for them.
- Our goal is that there are no surprises at the time of team announcements. If there is, then we as coaches did not do a good job of communicating to our players).

- Team announcements by Friday, October 22nd at the latest.
- Normal Practice times for when the season starts:
  - Varsity / JV : 4:30-6:00
  - Freshman : 7:00 - 8:15

#### Schedule:

- Schedule: I have emailed out the schedule and I have copies as you came in.
- Tournaments will be back (Varsity - Burleson / Marble Falls / LT) (9th/JV - MF and LT)
- Schedule notes: Freshman Red may have some games at different sites.
  - Only DV and Bowie will have 9th B teams
- I am looking November game for Senior night (possible Wiese or Temple)

#### Games:

- Home Games:
  - Tickets will be done online (no cash at gates, Etix)
  - Reminder LTHS is a clear bag policy and so are most of our opponents.
  - I suggest bringing a mask to all games. Masks may/will be required at some venues
  - We will live-stream all of our home sub-varsity games... Varsity will be on Texan Live.
  - Concessions are back (that means that parents will be working concession stand)
  - Home meals: We will have a link from restaurants (Jason's Deli) that parents can order food from and they will be delivered to the school. (parents will pay for these)
- Away Games:
  - Away meals: Booster club will provide meals for away games. Coaches will be responsible for getting these

- Riding the bus: YES!!!! Athletes will ride the bus to and from the game (at this time). After last year, I feel even stronger than those rides together are extremely important to the development of team chemistry!

## Fundraisers / Gear

- At this time, we are not doing a fundraiser.
- Practice gear/shooting shirts/shoes - we hope to get those in the next couple of weeks.
- Freshman home games: Clock and Bookkeeper
- JV home games: Clock and Bookkeeper

## Lake Travis Tournament

- Varsity / JV and Freshman division
- 15 (want 16) Varsity teams
- 11 maybe 12 JV teams (up from 8)
- 10 Freshman (up from 8)
- December 27, 28, and 29.
- We need all hands on deck. This is an extraordinary amount of work to pull off and the only way to have a successful tournament is to have help. We will need parents to run the clock / to keep book / concession stand / hospitality rooms. As well as just making sure our visiting teams know where to go.
- To make the tournament better but running it harder, we will be utilizing one or our MS to help with playing surfaces... Much better to play on, but on another site we need people working.

## Know your role and Cavalier Sportsmanship

- When you come into the gym, you will fill one and only one roll.
- Coach - Player - Official - Fan/Spectator

- Coach - we will coach to the best of our ability to put us in positions to compete to win games, as well as do what we feel is best for our athletes and program
- Players - Will represent our school in a way that will make all LTHS proud
- Officials - will do their best to call a fair game
- Fan / Spectator / Parents - Are there to support and cheer on the whole team. Follow the golden rule. If you don't have anything good to say, it is best to not say anything at all.
- Drama and negativity accomplish the exact opposite of what we are all trying to achieve.
- Please do not talk to your daughter when they are in time-outs, or on the bench.

## Booster Club

President: Tara Ford (Kat Ford - Freshman)

Vice President: Shilo Clements (Sky Freshman, Lexi Junior)

Secretary: Suzan Lien (Kat Lien - Freshman)

Treasure: Bill Germond (Bella / Ana Juniors)

Concessions: Kathleen Hassenfratz

We need someone who is willing to update our website!! Jim Kirkpatrick has been doing it for the last several years and it is time to pass it on. Please let me know if you are willing to help, Jim will help pass on the information.

Before handing over the mic to our Booster Club. I want to remind you how much our Booster club has done for us. I asked you to bring your checkbook or credit card tonight so that we can all leave here as booster club members. As a member, you are supporting your daughter's basketball program.