Always give thanks to God the Father for everything; for our talent, for our school, for our family, for our gifts. Ephesians 5:20

## MIDDLE SCHOOL BOYS

May 10, 2023

Dear Parents,

The 2022-2023 basketball season has reached its conclusion. We are officially at a critical point in the development process – the offseason.

If your son plans to participate in basketball at Immanuel during the 2023-2024 school year, it is very important that he attends basketball camp at Immanuel this summer.

Immanuel's  $6^{th}$ - $8^{th}$  grade Boys Summer Hoops Sessions will be conducted June 12-16 from 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM. Please check out the accompanying flyer for information regarding the specifics of the camp offered at Immanuel.

The emphasis in every camp session is on fundamental skill development, but players will also learn the basic offenses and defenses that will be used during the upcoming season.

Please realize that Immanuel's basketball camps are not "glorified daycare" or just another summer activity. Your son should have an interest in playing basketball and be planning on going out for the sport at Immanuel.

TEAMS are made in the winter. Players are made in the summer. The time for individual improvement is all the time, but during the summer, each player needs to concentrate on making his own game better.

In December, January and February, *everybody* is interested in playing basketball and playing time. Doing basketball in the summer will not guarantee playing time in the winter, but it will help players be ready to play during those exciting hoop months.

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