

# BENNINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOL

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Dear Jim,

I wanted to Thank-you for the outstanding job you did working with our basketball team this past season. Even though you only spent a very short time in contact with our players, the players thought of you as an important member of our team. They were especially impressed that you took the time out of your busy schedule to come and be with us during our games at the state tournament.

Your desire and passion for working with our young gentlemen went much beyond a business relationship. It is obvious, you are an expert in your field and care deeply about the people you work with. I think you made a difference for our team on the basketball court this season, and more importantly you made a difference in our player's lives. Your lessons went much beyond the boundaries of the court. You really made the players think about themselves and the futures that they may hold.

Thanks Jim, for understanding the true importance of high school athletics. The information you presented is something they will be able to take with them as they face different challenges in their future.

Our players have many fond memories of this special season. Thanks again for being a part of it.

Sincerely,

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