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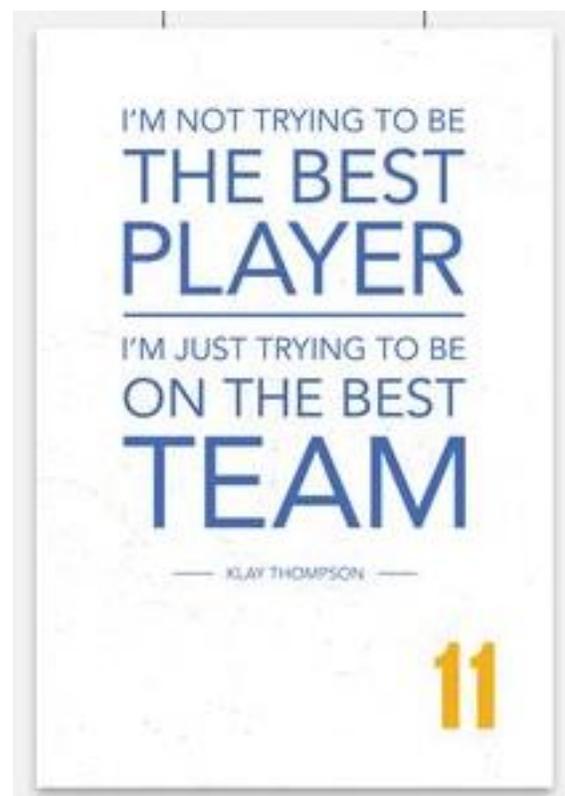
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<http://lswhs.lsr7.org/>

<http://lswgirlsbasketball.weebly.com/>

http://www.gkcsconference.org/g5-bin/client.cgi?G5genie=694&school_id=210

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PLAYER EXPECTATIONS

ATTENDANCE

All players are expected to attend all games, practices, and workouts unless an absence is unavoidable due to family circumstances or otherwise approved by the coaching staff. Any absences should be reported to Coach Hardin or Coach Argotsinger as soon as the player knows they will be absent.

Excused absences are as follows: illness, death in family, school trips/functions that are part of the school curriculum and unavoidable. Since it is impossible to foresee every possible reason for absence, coaches' discretion will also be used on a case by case basis when necessary. Even with excused absences, players need to make up any conditioning they missed by running 3 "6-in-37" drills before the next game.

All other absences will be unexcused absences—including Out of School and In-School Suspensions. Additionally, the LSSD activity priority list will be observed during conflicts. Consequences for unexcused absences from practice will follow the following scope and sequence:

First offense: Suspended for the next game and 10 "6-in-37" drills to be completed after practice. These must be completed before participating in future games.

Second offense: Two game suspension and 10 "6-in-37" drills. Further, a conference will need to be held between the coach and parent. The Athletic Director will be notified.

Third offense: Dismissal from the program.

*****Unexcused absences from games will result in player jumping to the second step of the scope and sequence**

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GAME DAY EXPECTATIONS

HOME GAMES

All teams should wear their white uniforms during home games.

On the days of home games, all non-Varsity players are expected to be dressed and ready 45 minutes prior to game time unless told differently by their specific coach.

Varsity players are expected to arrive prior to the tip off of the JV game. At this time, the players should be dressed and ready in their game uniforms and warm ups. Failure to be dressed before JV tipoff will affect the player's ability to be a starter for that game.

The Varsity team will meet during the 4th quarter of the JV game for any pregame preparations. Any pregame taping or treatment needs to be done *before* this meeting.

ROAD GAMES

For all road games, the players will wear their blue uniforms unless otherwise noted. The players are expected to wear their team issued travel sweats to every road game, without exception. A list of departure times is listed on the team website. The players will need to be at the bus on time or risk being left behind. Players are expected to be responsible and come prepared and on time with all necessary equipment.

All players are required to ride home from games on the team bus or with **their own** parent/grandparent.

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BEHAVIORAL EXPECTATIONS

Players are expected to put the team above themselves in how they conduct themselves on the court **and** off the court, in school and in the community. The players are not to engage in any behavior that causes distraction to the program or seek individual attention for themselves over the team.

Players are expected to positively represent themselves and our basketball team while in the classroom. They should follow classroom rules and be diligent in their studies. This is how a person can show their character.

If a player is not performing (academically and behaviorally) up to expectations in the classroom, all efforts will be made by the coaching staff and player to rectify that situation.

If a player is engaging in any action that the coaching staff sees as **conduct detrimental to the team**, that player will be put on a scope and sequence of consequences. The coaching staff is given sole discretion to identify any conduct they see as detrimental to the team. Conduct detrimental to the team may be any behavior the coaching staff believes to have an adverse impact on our team and season. These actions can happen in school, out of school, on the court, or digitally. For any conduct seen as detrimental by the coaching staff, the player will follow the following scope and sequence.

First offense: One game suspension

Second offense: Two game suspension

Third offense: Dismissal from the program

Furthermore, the girls basketball program adheres to all related LSWHS, LSSD and MSHSAA eligibility policies regarding credit achievement (3 credits per semester), substance abuse and pending legal cases.



PARENT EXPECTATIONS

The Lee's Summit West girls basketball program recognizes the importance that parents play in their child's lives and our program as a whole. A player's parent are her most important supporter and fan. That said, our coaching staff is tasked with guarding our program as well as looking out for each individual player. We ask that parents respect that we always keep the best interest of the player in mind while deciding what is best for the program in any given situation. **We appreciate parents' encouragement of all our players and ask that you stay positive in all dealing with our players and coaching staff.** We welcome open communication and ask that if you need to contact the coaching staff, you do so in an appropriate time and in an appropriate manner.

It is our belief that most perceived problems can be resolved quickly and successfully through clear, open and respectful communication. In the event of a question or concern over basketball matters, the proper steps are as follows.

1. **Player/coach conference.** The player is free to talk to the coaches about any concerns they might have.
2. **Player/coach/parent meeting.** If the situation is not resolved when the player conferences with the coaching staff, the player and parent are welcome to set up an appointment to meet with the coaches. (Starting with the player's primary coach)
3. **Player/coach/parent/administrator meeting.** If the situation still has not reached a resolution, the player and parent are welcome to set up an appointment to meet with the athletic administrator.

Further, during games, we feel that it is important that the players hear one consistent voice. Indeed, during games it is detrimental to our team for the players to be listening to parents in addition to, or instead of, the coaches. Therefore, if a player is distracted by parents during games, the coaching staff must react by removing the player from the floor until they can regain their focus. To prevent this situation, please support and cheer for your player but leave instruction during games to the coaching staff.

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LEE'S SUMMIT WEST GIRLS BASKETBALL POLICY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I acknowledge that I have received a copy of the policies and expectations adopted by the Lee's Summit West Girls Basketball program and understand that they will be followed by all participants in the program.

By signing below, I agree to follow the policies and accept consequences when necessary based on these policies and expectations.

Player/Participant Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date