

October 31, 2009

The Kingsview Middle School basketball season will run from November 19th to February 24th. The teams will play a total of seven games this year. Tryouts will be tentatively held on all Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays from November 20<sup>th</sup> through December 17<sup>th</sup>. Try-outs will be held from 2:45 until 4:15 in the main gym, at which point players will need to be picked up or ride the activity bus home.

During the tryouts, coaches will be evaluating each player's ability to perform the fundamental skills of basketball. Coaches will be evaluating each player's dribbling skills, shooting skills, passing skills, speed, stamina, and knowledge of the game. **The coaches will also HEAVILY consider the attitude, effort, and sportsmanship displayed by each player.**

Players should come prepared with proper basketball equipment. Each player will need shoes, shirts, and a t-shirt. Students must have a 2.0 grade point average with no more than one "E" (from the 1st marking period) to be academically eligible to tryout. **Students must maintain this GPA to remain on the team.** All students must have a health form on file in the school health room indicating that they have received a physical exam within the past 2 years. Students must also have a signed parent permission form in order to tryout. **THE PHYSICAL FORM AND PARENT PERMISSION FORM SHOULD BE TURNED IN TO MR. MCEVOY AND/OR MS. SNYDER BY NOVEMBER 18th, 2009. NO STUDENT WILL BE ALLOWED TO TRYOUT WITHOUT THESE REQUIREMENTS BEING MET BY THE DUE DATE.**

Due to the expected level of interest among students, not everyone who tries out will make the KMS team. If you are not chosen for the basketball team this year, we encourage you to keep practicing and try out again next year, either for our team or for you high school team. We look forward to seeing you out on the courts.

Thank you for your cooperation,

Jim McEvoy  
Boys Coach

Carey Snyder  
Girls Coach