

Wellington Public Schools

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Dr. Forrest C. Allen
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Dear Dr. Allen:

I have received word this morning that Mr. Buzzard, our basketball coach, is not planning to return to Wellington next year. As you know Mr. Buzzard handled basketball, track as well as assisted in football.

In looking for a new man I would like to find someone who is well grounded in the fundamentals of basketball, someone who knows the kind of competition that we have in the Ark. Valley league.

I would appreciate any recommendations that you may have for this position. I would like a man who has had some experience in the coaching field, who knows how to handle boys and is capable of getting along with fellow teachers particularly in their own department. We have had fine cooperation on the athletic staff in Wellington for the past few years and want to continue that same type of leadership.

If you could suggest two or three of your boys who have followed the teaching game and would be interested in Wellington I would appreciate having some information regarding their qualifications. We have not opened this position officially but would like to seek a few candidates from which to make our selection.

Very Truly Yours,

Claude Kissick