



parkview parochial league

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To: Tom Potts
Basketball Coordinator Holy Apostles
cc: Parkview Parochial League Board members

Dear Tom

Following your visit of 3/25/09, the PPL board discussed your explanation for the uneven splits of your two 6th grade boys basketball teams. We believe that your evaluation process was sound – but, your decision to not make any attempts to adjust the teams after the first six weeks, with the teams having a three game differential, does merit some sanction. We appreciate the problems you ran into with the possible loss of a coach, with player absences, and close games, but we cannot ignore the result of no action on your part. We need to consider the position of the rest of our schools who split their teams more evenly and those who make difficult roster adjustments that result in finishing lower in the standings and perhaps completely out of a trophy position.

The bottom line, which is consistent with similar situations for other schools, we are imposing a “no excuses” sanction for next year. This means that we will be looking closely at the early scores for all the 5th and 6th grade basketball teams from Holy Apostles and we will expect your program to make the appropriate adjustments if it appears that your teams are not evenly divided. We expect evenly split teams no matter what it takes to achieve them. Please call or reply if you need some further clarification.

On behalf of the Parkview Parochial League Board,

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