

# Arapahoe High School



**2016-2017 Lady Warriors Basketball**

# GOOD LUCK LADY WARRIORS!



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# Lady Warriors Basketball

**LITTLETON PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

**ARAPAHOE HIGH SCHOOL**

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## **Head Coach**

Jerry Knafelc

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# A MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

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Dear Arapahoe Girls Basketball Supporters,

Thank you for purchasing our 2016-2017 Arapahoe Girls Basketball Program and assisting the Arapahoe Girls Basketball Booster Club and our student-athletes. Parent support and involvement is absolutely essential at AHS, and we appreciate you!

This year marks the 53rd Anniversary of Arapahoe High School. Under the leadership of Head Coach, **Mr. Jerry Knafelc**, Arapahoe's Athletic Director, **Mr. Pat McCabe**, and with the support of our **Arapahoe Girls Basketball Booster Club** our girls are prepared to compete within the prestigious **Centennial League** against the largest high schools in Colorado: Cherokee Trail, Cherry Creek, Eaglecrest, Grandview, Mullen, Overland, and Smoky Hill. Good coaches are good teachers! Our coaching staff has worked hard to condition, train, and prepare our athletes physically, as well as mentally. These young ladies value team unity, and have strong knowledge of the game including the intricate plays on both the offensive and defensive side of the ball.

Our students, just like students from other schools, learn from adult behaviors and attitudes. It is expected that, as adults, we will set positive examples of encouragement and sportsmanship at all times. Respect, civility, dignity, sportsmanship, and safety shall be the guiding principles of the Centennial League. We ask our student athletes to always do their best, and we should expect no less from ourselves. Since none of us can predict which of these athletes may have the potential to become American Olympians or collegiate or professional athletes, we should always strive to be encouraging and supportive adults.

Continued commitment to a strong athletic program as well as outstanding academic achievement is vital to Arapahoe's continued success. Just over \$24 million in scholarship money was offered to the 2016 graduating class. Last spring nearly 643 Advanced Placement examinations were written with many students scoring well enough to earn college credit. Arapahoe has consistently scored among the highest ACT scores anywhere. Our drop-out rate is less than 1% and 93% of our graduates go on to college. Since few of our Arapahoe athletes ever reach the professional level in any sport, it is important to place more importance on academic achievement. This strong academic preparation plays out in athletics in the form of competition for college scholarships as well as in the ability of our scholar-athletes to make commitments, participate as members of a team, support others, and enhance character.

At Arapahoe, we expect our students to demonstrate the positive attributes of the **Warrior**. We have gained knowledge and understanding over the past 23 years through our relationship with the people of the **Arapaho Tribal Nation**. We are one of the very few public high schools in America that maintains the relationship, support, and counsel of the Native American. Our **Warrior** represents the authentic Arapaho Warrior, as painted by tribal artist, **Wilbur Antelope**. Our gymnasium is named in honor of tribal elder, **Anthony Sitting Eagle**. We ask all who attend Arapahoe basketball contests to possess the pride and spirit of a Warrior!

We are proud of our Arapahoe Girls Basketball Team, and wish them the best of luck and much success in the 2016-2017 season! GO WARRIORS!!!!



Natalie Pramenko  
Principal  
Arapahoe High School



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# A MESSAGE FROM THE ATHLETIC DIRECTOR

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Arapahoe High School Girl's Basketball Community,

Welcome to the 2016/17 Arapahoe Warrior Girl's Basketball Season. It will be another memorable and exciting experience for the girls. The Warriors will again compete in the 5A Centennial League, a league whose top teams are amongst the strongest in Colorado. Competing in the Centennial will be a key indicator that our girls can compete against anybody. Expectations are high, and these girls are surely up to the challenge.

What an awesome opportunity this is for these girls. Teamwork, resiliency, precision, determination, and the ability to work outside one's comfort zone are but a few of the great things taught through participation in high school sports. In no sport are these lessons more obvious than they are in basketball, and there is not another sport where mastery of these skills is more important in terms of success. The promise of this season goes far beyond the results of any particular contest. I hope you will recognize the excellence of the teams regardless of the outcome of each game.

Under the leadership of Coach Jerry Knafelc, the Warriors have been working hard. They've honed their skills, and worked on strength and agility in an effort to ready themselves for competition. They are primed to take the court and reap the benefits of all their efforts. Although it is difficult to predict the final record for these girl's basketball teams, it is not hard to guarantee that they will reach their greatest potential.

I would like to thank all girl's basketball parents, the Arapahoe High School staff, and every other person who has contributed to the opportunity these players have. I hope that you share my excitement for the start of this new basketball season. Please take every opportunity to enjoy the efforts of these "Warriors," and I hope you have a great season.

Thank you,

Pat McCabe  
Athletic Director  
Arapahoe High School





# COACHING STAFF



## Varsity Head Coach—Jerry Knafelc

Coach Knafelc is entering his sixth year as Head Basketball Coach for the AHS Girls' Basketball team. Over the past 6 seasons, Coach Knafelc's Lady Warriors teams have a combined 107-43 record.

Coach Knafelc has a long history of success as an assistant coach on various levels and in numerous sports here at Arapahoe. Among his accomplishments and experiences are: 32 years of coaching football, with 21 of those as a Varsity assistant, 6 seasons as the Head Freshmen Football coach with an 80% "win" ratio. Coach Knafelc also coached wrestling for 20 years, 4 as the Head Wrestling coach at Powell Junior High and has also been a Track and Field coach.

Jerry brings much basketball experience to the table as well with 6 years of youth coaching in Gold Crown/Jam/CSA, 3 years as the AHS Boys' Basketball

Varsity/JV Strength and Movement coach, 1 year as the JV assistant, 2 years as a Varsity and JV practice assistant and bench coach, and 1 year as the Head Freshmen Boys' Basketball coach that finished as league champions.

Coach Knafelc is blessed with a wonderful family consisting of his wife of 34+ years, Lisa, and children Jed and Jennah. Lisa is also a career teacher and coach in LPS, as well as a "Hall of Fame" Basketball player at CSU-Pueblo (then the University of Southern Colorado). His son Jed had a tremendous career as player at AHS as well as at CSU-Pueblo. Jed was the varsity assistant for our varsity last season, but has moved on to be the No# 1 Assistant for the CSU-Pueblo Men's program. Jerry's daughter, Jennah, also had a great career at AHS as a player and received many All-State and All-star accolades. Jennah is continuing her basketball career at the collegiate DII level in Colorado Springs at UCCS in her Sophomore year.

"I am excited about this year's team! I know these players have a great work ethic and high expectations for themselves and their teammates. Our ability to play as a team has been impressive over the summer and fall and will be an important component in our success this season. A very supportive administration and parent organization will also promote our success."

## Varsity Assistant Coach—Tim Slabach

Coach Slabach returns for his fifth year at Arapahoe as Varsity Assistant Coach. Last year he headed up the JV program.

Prior to joining the AHS coaching staff, Slabach was head coach at Arvada West for 5 years—winning league once, runner up twice, and Coach of the Year in Jeffco in 2010. Prior to that, he was Girls Assistant Coach at Arapahoe for two years when they made it to the sweet 16. Slabach also helped develop the Thunderidge feeder program for the boys and girls.

His college career includes playing at the University of South Dakota from 1980-82 and playing at Dawson Community College from 1978-1980. His high school career was at Westview High School in Indiana where he, too was a "Warrior". He is married to Kathy and has two grown children, Jessica and Brandon.



## C Team Head Coach—Melissa Smart

This is Coach Smart's first year of coaching basketball at Arapahoe. Prior to coaching at AHS, Coach Smart coached girls basketball at Powell Middle School for 8 years, and 8th grade/freshmen/JV at Bentonville High School, Bentonville, Arkansas for 5 years.

Coach Smart also spent countless hours coaching track and field, volleyball and cross country. She is a graduate of Batesville High School where she was on the basketball and track team. After high school athletics, Coach Smart attended the University of Arkansas - Fayetteville. When Coach Smart isn't coaching basketball, she enjoys time with her 2 children, husband and friends. She is looking forward to coaching the C-level towards a successful and fun season. Go Warriors!



# COACHING STAFF



## JV Head Coach—Abby Hancock

Coach Hancock kicks off her sixth year coaching the JV basketball team after taking a part-time year as a program assistant while she completed her Master's in Educational Administration. Currently, she teaches in the Language Arts Department at Arapahoe.

She is a graduate of Arapahoe High School in 2005 where she played basketball and ran Cross Country and Track. After high school basketball, Coach Hancock went on to play basketball at the collegiate DII level at Colorado Mesa University (previously Mesa State College).

Coach Hancock reflects, "It is a blessing to be coaching and teaching at my Alma Mater. What I learned at Arapahoe as a student has prepared me for a lifetime full of high expectations as a coach and teacher. I couldn't be luckier for this opportunity."

When she's not coaching basketball, she enjoys time with her friends and family, and hopefully, spending that time outside somewhere.

## D Team Head Coach—Devyn Leslie

This is Coach Leslie's first year coaching basketball at Arapahoe. She has worked in LPS for 6 years. Before coaching at Arapahoe, Coach Leslie coached competitive soccer and helped coach a feeder team while in high school. She graduated from Littleton High in 2012. While in high school Coach played softball, soccer and basketball. High school is really when Coach fell in love and developed her passion for basketball. When not playing basketball Coach Leslie works at Peabody Elementary as a Special Education Paraprofessional. She loves spending time with her family and friends and of course her 2 year old Boxer/English Pointer mix, Espn. Yes the worldwide leader in sports :-)

Coach Leslie cannot wait to share her love and knowledge of the game with all the girls! Here is to a fun season! Go Warriors!



## Program Assistant—Alea Day

This is Coach Day's first year of coaching basketball at Arapahoe. Coach Day previously attended Arapahoe High School, where she played basketball all four years along with cross country for two and lacrosse for three.

After high school Coach Day attended Colorado State University and graduated with a degree in Hospitality Management. She then moved to Boston where she began working for 3d Lacrosse as an Operations Coordinator. In 2015, Coach Day moved back to Denver where she currently resides. Coach Day still works at 3d Lacrosse as the Senior Operations Manager.

She is looking forward to assisting in coaching all teams towards a successful and fun season. Go Warriors!



**Back row:** Mia Middleton, Macy Ziegler, Kat Abt, Maggie Wortman, Grace Cadorette

**Front row (on floor):** Eliana McClarie, Maddie Matthews, Elianna Kearby, Amanda Brenner, Jemma Barfoot, Kali March

## VARSITY SCHEDULE 2016-2017

Wednesday	Nov 30 - Dec 3	Rock Canyon/Mountain Vista Tournament	7:00 PM
Tuesday	Dec 6	Lakewood	7:00 PM
Friday	Dec 9	Highlands Ranch	7:00 PM
Tuesday	Dec 13	Ralston Valley	7:00 PM
Thursday	Dec 15	Chaparral	7:00 PM
Saturday	Dec 17	Dakota Ridge	1:00 PM
Tuesday	Dec 20	Heritage	6:00 PM
Wednesday	Jan 4	Mullen	7:00 PM
Friday	Jan 6	Grandview	7:00 PM
Wednesday	Jan 11	Eaglecrest	7:00 PM
Saturday	Jan 14	Cherry Creek	5:30 PM
Wednesday	Jan 18	Smoky Hill	7:00 PM
Saturday	Jan 21	Cherokee Trail	2:30 PM
Wednesday	Jan 25	Overland	7:00 PM
Friday	Jan 27	Mullen	7:00 PM
Wednesday	Feb 1	Grandview	7:00 PM
Saturday	Feb 4	Eaglecrest	7:00 PM
Wednesday	Feb 8	Cherry Creek	7:00 PM
Saturday	Feb 11	Smoky Hill	7:00 PM
Wednesday	Feb 15	Cherokee Trail	7:00 PM
Friday	Feb 17	Overland	7:00 PM





**VARSITY**

## Kat Abt #33

Born: January 22, 1999 in Denver, Colorado

AP Biology and AP Government are my favorite classes at Arapahoe.

Rap and Hip-hop are my music of choice.

My favorite movie is Zootopia.

My favorite book is Glass of Throne Series.

My favorite meal before a game is pizza.

My sister and my mom inspire me because they are the strongest people I know. They can persevere through anything.

What I like most about high school basketball is the relationships we form that will last a lifetime. "I've made my best friends through this sport. Basketball teaches us to be leaders and gives us lessons we will need for life."

I am also involved in Link Crew, NHS, and track and field.

My words of wisdom for the underclassmen are "Savor every moment, and play every minute like it is your last. Most importantly, stay true to yourself and take this program as an opportunity to grow."

The basketball program has taught me so much about myself, and overall helped forge me into the person I am today. It has been such a huge part of my life!

The funniest thing I remember about basketball is Grace falling, specifically when she did a penguin slide across the floor against Mountain Vista.

My message to the coaches: "Thank you so much for giving me the courage to step out of my box and for helping me build my self-confidence."

# Senior Spotlight







CONGRATULATIONS KAT (#33) on your final season as an AHS Lady Warrior basketball player!!! We are VERY PROUD of you, & your strength, perseverance, hard work & commitment. THANK YOU for these past 4 years of basketball...we had a blast watching you play, & grow both as a player & person. Make the MOST of your senior season...& have FUN!!! LOVE YOU always & forever & then some no matter what ~ Mom, Dad, Alea & Omi





# Senior Spotlight

## Jemma Barfoot #32

Born: November 24, 1998 in Denver, Colorado

Three Words that describe me: Funny, outgoing, and weird

My favorite class at AHS is Studio Art.

Anything but country is my music of choice.

My favorite movie is The Grinch.

My favorite book is How the Grinch Stole Christmas by Dr. Seuss.

My favorite meal before a game is a Turkey Tom from Jimmy Johns.

My Mom and Dad inspire me.

What I like most about high school basketball is spending time with my friends, and competing with teams I don't like.

I am also involved in Hiking Club.

My words of wisdom for the underclassmen are,  
"Don't quit your junior year, you will regret it.  
No matter how much you hate practice, don't quit."

The basketball program has helped me meet amazing people.  
They're some of my best friends.

The funniest thing I remember about basketball is during my sophomore year, Kaya fell 19 times in one JV game.

My message to the coaches: "Thank you for taking me back!"





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We are so proud of you and love the wonderful friendships you have made through basketball! Thanks for letting us come along for the ride. We love you!  
—Dad, Mom, Maggie, Gracy and Stella



## Amanda Brenner #20

Born: January 15, 1999 in San Diego

I am currently considering attending Metro to further my education.

Three Words that describe me: Passionate, Caring, and Loud

Ceramics is my favorite class at AHS.

Needtobreathe is my music of choice.

My favorite movie is Remember the Titans.

My favorite book is In His Steps.

My favorite meal before a game is Jimmy Johns.

My Mom because she never gives up and is my biggest supporter.

What I like most about high school basketball is the healthy competition.

I am also involved in Citywide Nonprofit and NHS.

My words of wisdom for the underclassmen are,  
"Don't take this for granted. We are really blessed."

The basketball program has given me a second chance at loving basketball and something to look forward to every day.

The funniest thing I remember about basketball is "airballing" my first free-throw in my first Arapahoe varsity game.

My message to the coaches:

Thank you, guys, for pushing me and for all the time you guys give to us.

# Senior Spotlight





**Dedicated  
Giving  
Tenacious  
Sassy  
Inspired  
Tender- Hearted  
Beautiful  
WARRIOR!**

**AMANDA**

*Hardships often prepare ordinary people for an extraordinary destiny.*

*C.S. Lewis*

Amanda,  
You are far from ordinary, but I know that who you have become is in part due to the challenges you have and continue to overcome. You are a true warrior and my words cannot express how much I love you and how proud I am of you. You are destined for greatness! Love, Mom

*"For we are God's masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus, so we can do the good things he planned for us long ago."*  
*Ephesians 2:10 (NLT)*



## *Elianna Kearby #22*

Born: November 29, 1998 in Nairobi, Kenya

I am considering CSU, Creighton, Calvin and Belmont next year.

Three Words that describe me: Thoughtful, Hard-worker, and Unique

My favorite class at AHS is Chemistry.

Anything meaningful is my music of choice.

My favorite movie is The Book Thief.

My favorite book is The Secret Life of Bees.

My favorite meal before a game is Homemade Hamburgers.

My brother, Austin, inspires me because I've always looked up to his leadership, and respect for those around him.

What I like most about high school basketball is creating relationships with the people on the team and I love the competitive atmosphere.

I am also involved in Band.

My words of wisdom for the underclassmen are "Don't sweat the small stuff. Focus on what is really important."

The basketball program means so much to me. "It has been an awesome community to push myself and learn about what it means to be a part of a team and what it means to be a leader."

The funniest thing I remember about basketball is every summer in Movement and Lifting. . . watching myself and others try to master the art of "fire right, fire left", "backward slides" etc..

# *Senior Spotlight*







Elianna: Your perseverance, tenacity, free spirit, and determination have served you well during these past 4 basketball seasons. Stay strong in your spirit and finish the race well. Enjoy your senior year of playing Warrior Basketball!!!!

We are grateful to the Lord for who you are and what He is doing in your life!

All our love and support!  
Dad, Mom, Austin and Michelle





## Madelyn Matthews #14

# Senior Spotlight

Born: September 19, 1999 in Colorado

Schools I am considering: anywhere in California.

Three Words that describe me: Compassionate, Determined, and Funny

My favorite class is AP Biology.

Rap, Hip-hop, and alternative rock is my music of choice.

My favorite movie is Silver Linings Playbook.

My favorite book is The Best of Me.

My favorite meal before a game is Peanut Butter/Banana and honey sandwich.

My mom inspires me. Her strength and kindness inspire me to be a better person all the time. She's the best.

What I like most about high school basketball is coming together with a group of girls that I can call my sisters, and getting to play the game we love every day. Meeting incredible people and getting to represent my school has been amazing.

I am also involved in varsity soccer at AHS, Club soccer, NHS, and National Charity League.

My words of wisdom for the underclassmen are,  
"Be confident in yourself and love who you are."

The basketball program has meant so much to me. "Having this program in my life has given me an outlet and place to escape everything going on in my life these past years. It has also given me the most incredible friendships. It has helped make the worst times bearable."

The funniest thing I remember about basketball is watching the video of myself falling on a hula-hoop my sophomore year and also Coach K's confusing texts.

My message to the coaches: "Thank you will never be enough to express how grateful I am for all of you. You have all changed my life and inspired me in numerous ways each year. I look up to all of you and can't thank you enough for an incredible 4 years."





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We have loved watching you play for the last four years! We will always cherish this time. We love you and look forward to whatever your future will bring.

Love,  
Dad, Mom, Kevin  
and Dan

## Macy Ziegler #5

# Senior Spotlight

Born: April 8, 1999 in Boise, Idaho

Right now I am considering South Dakota School of Mines, Colorado College, and Southern Oregon University.

Three Words that describe me: Passionate, Determined and "What?"

My favorite class at AHS is AP Biology.

Rap, R & B, pretty much anything other than country is my music of choice.

My favorite movie is Tangled.

My favorite book is Oh, the Places You'll Go! By Dr. Seuss.

My favorite meal before a game is Lasagna!

Who Inspires me and why? Everyone in my family inspires me in their own way. I look up to all of them in different areas of my life.

What I like most about high school basketball is representing a school of 2200 people. It is the coolest feeling. It has also created some friendships that I know will last a lifetime.

I am also involved in babysitting my nephew, amateur movie critic, and professional nap-taking.

My words of wisdom for the underclassmen are ,  
"My favorite memories are from basketball season so enjoy it while it lasts."

The basketball program has meant so much to me. "It has given me an outlet from school and life. It has also taught me many life lessons."

The funniest thing I remember about basketball is forgetting one shoe when we had to play at Gold Crown. I wore a lost and found shoe the entire game so my shoes did not match.

My message to the coaches: "Thank you for everything you've taught me not only in basketball but in life."



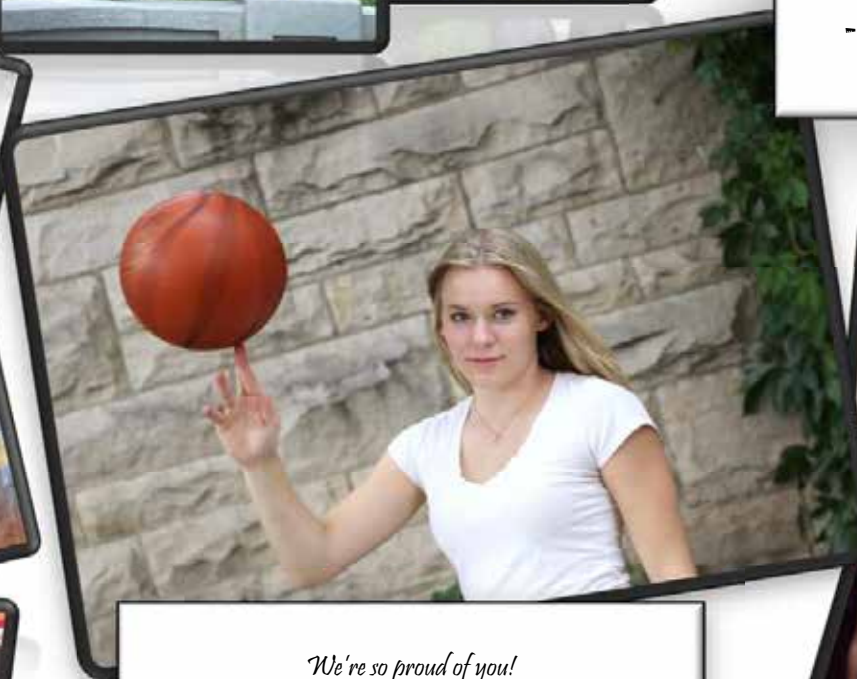




*Macy*



You're off to  
Great places!  
Today is your  
day!  
Your mountain  
is waiting,  
so...  
Get on your  
way!  
-Dr. Seuss



*We're so proud of you!*  
*Motivated, mature, and masterful*  
*Attentive, assured and agile*  
*Committed, curious and confident*  
*Youthful and yeasty*  
*Good Luck during your Senior Year!*  
*Love Mom and Dad*

# Meet the Varsity...



*Mia Middleton #11*

*Junior*

Three words that describe me: enthusiastic, spunky, & meticulous!

I listen to Indie, Jon Bellion, and Pentatonix.

I am currently interested in St Olaf, Vanderbilt, and maybe Baylor.

My favorite class at AHS is AP Chemistry with Mr. Hatak.

My favorite TV show is Grey's Anatomy.

My favorite books are the Harry Potter series.

My favorite food is pasta.

My favorite places I have visited are Minnesota, Yellowstone and Disneyland.

When I am not playing basketball, you might find me baking, reading, hammocking, or hanging out with friends and family.

The person that inspires me the most is my sister. She has had to overcome an illness and is still strong. She is the best human ever!



*Maggie Wortman #4*

*Junior*

Three words that describe me: loyal, caring, and hardworking.

I listen to the Lumineers.

I'm not sure where I want to go to school yet.

My favorite classes at AHS are Physics and History.

My favorite TV show is The Office.

My favorite book is The Mysterious Benedict Society.

My favorite food is bread!

My favorite places I have visited are Seattle and New York.

When I am not playing basketball, you might find me hiking.

The person that inspires me the most is my dad. He teaches me to work hard and persevere.



# Meet the Varsity...



*Grace Cadorette #23*  
*Sophomore*

Three words that describe me: sociable, goofy, & fun-loving.  
I listen to country.

I would like to go to Indiana University after high school.

My favorite class at AHS is Chemistry.

My favorite movie is Forest Gump.

My favorite books are the Harry Potter series.

My favorite food is sandwiches.

My favorite place I have visited is Spain.

When I am not playing basketball, you might find me playing soccer.

The person that inspires me the most is my sister. I admire the way she perseveres through anything to achieve her goals.



*Eliana McClarie # 15*  
*Sophomore*

Three words that describe me: creative, self-driven, & passionate.

I listen to everything except punk rock and country.

I would like to go to UC Davis after high school.

My favorite class at AHS is Drawing 1.

My favorite TV show is Spongebob Squarepants.

My favorite book is Before I Fall by Lauren Oliver.

My favorite food is anything my mom makes.

My favorite place I have visited is San Diego.

When I am not playing basketball, you might find me drawing somewhere.

The person that inspires me the most is my sister Erin. She is very strong and kind.  
She's also an amazing basketball player.



*Kali March #1*  
*Freshman*

Three words that describe me: determined, supportive, & athletic.

I listen to rap.

I would like to attend ASU or CU after high school.

My favorite class at AHS is Creative Writing.

My favorite TV show is Grey's Anatomy.

My favorite book is To Kill a Mockingbird.

My favorite food is steak.

My favorite place I have visited is Universal Studios.

When I am not playing basketball, you might find me playing softball or dirt biking.

The person that inspires me the most is my mom. She pushes me to my full potential.



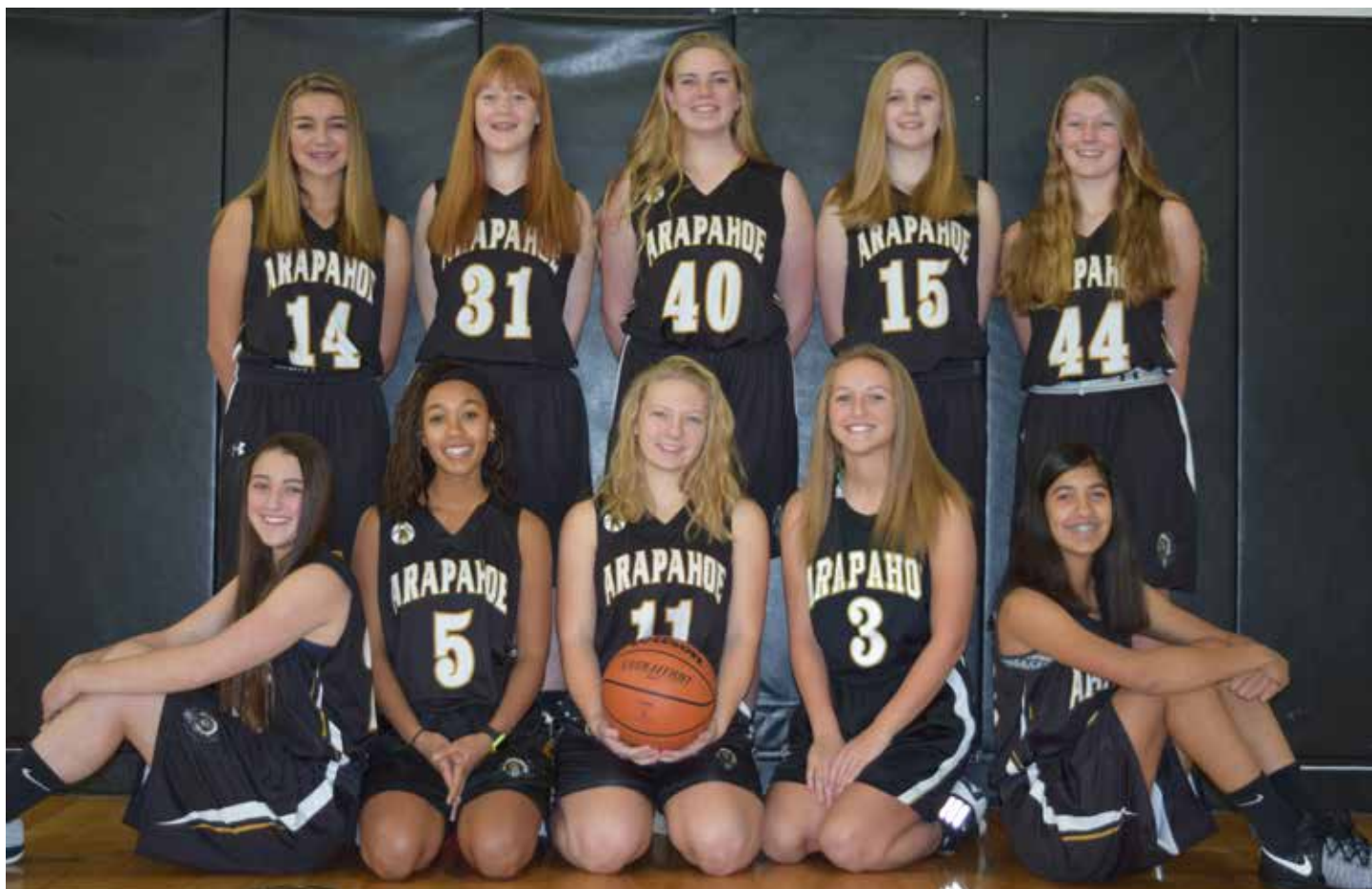
**Front Row:** Kayla Huskey, Abby Brown, Kali March, Jayden Staab

**Back Row:** Kaya Duncan, Taryn Lennox, Nelly Alger, Marley Delaney, Sienna Golden, Jordan Novinger, Brooke Brenning, Kathleen Wortman

# JUNIOR VARSITY SCHEDULE 2016-2017

Wednesday	30-Nov	Columbine	6:30 PM
Tuesday	6-Dec	Lakewood	5:30 PM
Friday	9-Dec	Highlands Ranch	5:30 PM
Thursday	15-Dec	Chaparral	5:30 PM
Wednesday	4-Jan	Mullen	5:30 PM
Friday	6-Jan	Grandview	5:30 PM
Wednesday	11-Jan	Eaglecrest	5:30 PM
Saturday	14-Jan	Cherry Creek	2:00 PM
Wednesday	18-Jan	Smoky Hill	5:30 PM
Saturday	21-Jan	Cherokee Trail	1:00 PM
Wednesday	25-Jan	Overland	5:30 PM
Friday	27-Jan	Mullen	5:30 PM
Wednesday	1-Feb	Grandview	5:30 PM
Saturday	4-Feb	Eaglecrest	5:30 PM
Wednesday	8-Feb	Cherry Creek	5:30 PM
Saturday	11-Feb	Smoky Hill	5:30 PM
Wednesday	15-Feb	Cherokee Trail	5:30 PM
Friday	17-Feb	Overland	5:30 PM





**Front Row:** Kristen Maggiore, Zoe Conley, Grace Cavazos, Elsa Edmonds, Anika Rosengarten

**Back Row:** Keely Holt, Michelle Kearby, Emma McCabe, Rebekah Tschumper, Kyra Swafford

## C TEAM SCHEDULE 2016-2017

Monday	5-Dec	Cherry Creek	5:30 PM
Thursday	8-Dec	Smoky Hill	5:30 PM
Friday	9-Dec	Highlands Ranch	4:00 PM
Tuesday	13-Dec	Cherokee Trail	5:30 PM
Thursday	15-Dec	Overland	5:30 PM
Tuesday	20-Dec	Heritage	4:30 PM
Wednesday	4-Jan	Mullen	5:30 PM
Friday	6-Jan	Grandview	5:30 PM
Wednesday	11-Jan	Eaglecrest	5:30 PM
Saturday	14-Jan	Cherry Creek	4:00 PM
Wednesday	18-Jan	Smoky Hill	5:30 PM
Saturday	21-Jan	Cherokee Trail	5:30 PM
Wednesday	25-Jan	Overland	5:30 PM
Friday	27-Jan	Mullen	5:30 PM
Wednesday	1-Feb	Grandview	5:30 PM
Saturday	4-Feb	Eaglecrest	5:30 PM
Tuesday	7-11-Feb	League Tournament	TBD



**Left to right:** Sarah Lorenzen, Dorothy Fowler, Hannah Debaggis, Sam Smith, Eliza Ikler, Anna Karaki  
(Not Pictured: Allie Thompson, Briana Beebe, Lindsey Hodges, Zophia Hypsher)

## D TEAM SCHEDULE 2016-2017

Wednesday	30-Nov	Columbine	5:00 PM
Monday	5-Dec	Cherry Creek	4:00 PM
Tuesday	13-Dec	Castlevue	4:00 PM
Tuesday	15-Dec	Overland	5:00 PM
Wednesday	4-Jan	Mullen	4:00 PM
Saturday	14-Jan	Cherry Creek	12:30 PM
Tuesday	17-Jan	Poudre	5:00 PM
Thursday	19-Jan	Thunder Ridge	6:00 PM
Friday	20-Jan	Poudre	5:30 PM
Wednesday	25-Jan	Overland	4:00 PM
Friday	27-Jan	Mullen	4:00 PM
Wednesday	1-Feb	Castlevue	4:00 PM
Tuesday	7-11-Feb	League Tournament	TBD





# SUMMER FUN







# PRE-SEASON BALL





# HOMECOMING FLOAT WINS FIRST PLACE!







# HOMECOMING





# *~Our Seniors~*

*Elianna ~ Amanda ~ Madelyn ~ Kat ~ Jemma ~ Macy*



*2017*





## *Mtu ni watu*

*A person is people.*

*No man is an island.  
Every person needs the  
company/help of others.*







# RETREAT







**RETREAT**







# BLACK & GOLD NIGHT







**JUNIOR VARSITY**





# C TEAM







# D TEAM







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# Arapahoe Girls Basketball Feeder Teams



**6th grade**



**8th grade**

**Back Row:** Abby Morgan, Becca Dieffenbach, Aly Montoya, Katy Edwards

**Front Row:** Annabel TeKrony, Audrey Park, Camryn Sailor, Ava Eberly (Not Shown: Kyleigh Wadsworth)

**Coaches:** John TeKrony and Dave Eberly





"The true warrior understands and seizes that moment by giving an effort so intense and so intuitive that it could only be called one from the heart" – Pat Riley

**GO, MIA! GO WARRIORS!**

## #11 MIA MIDDLETON

PLAY WITH ALL YOUR HEART!  
WE LOVE WATCHING YOU PLAY!  
Mom and Dad



Marley –

You continue to make amazing look easy.  
We have no words to express how truly  
proud of you we are.  
Keep re-defining it all.  
All our love –  
Dad, Megan, Mom, Scott,  
& Maya



We hope you  
have a great  
season Sis!  
We're very  
proud of you!  
Love, Grumpy &  
Renita



Good luck this season Grace!  
Love, Mom & Dad



**Samantha Smith**

Play hard! Have fun! Much love  
from Mom, Dad, P, & Sarah



Having you as my daughter  
makes life so much sweeter!  
Love you tons, Mom



Kaya Duncan, we are so proud of you!  
Have a great season.  
Love, Mom & Dad



We are very proud  
of you granddaughter!  
Hope you have a  
great season!  
Love Gma & "G"



Wortman sisters – Have a great season! We are  
so proud of you. Love, Mom and Dad

Eliana, We are so proud of you for being the committed, determined and strong player that you have  
become. Play hard and believe in yourself! We love you! - Mom and Dad  
*Success comes from knowing that you did your best to become the best that you are capable of becoming.*  
– John Wooden



**GO WARRIORS!**



**From the beginning,  
basketball was your  
passion.**



**"Injury makes the comeback  
sweeter"**

You have worked so hard to get  
back on the court! We are so  
proud of you!

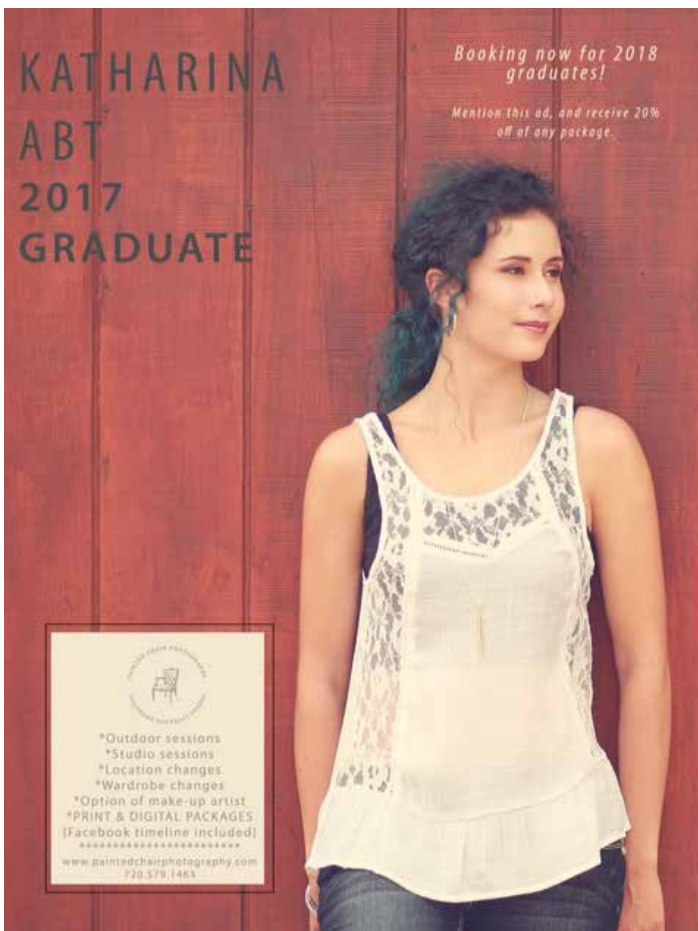
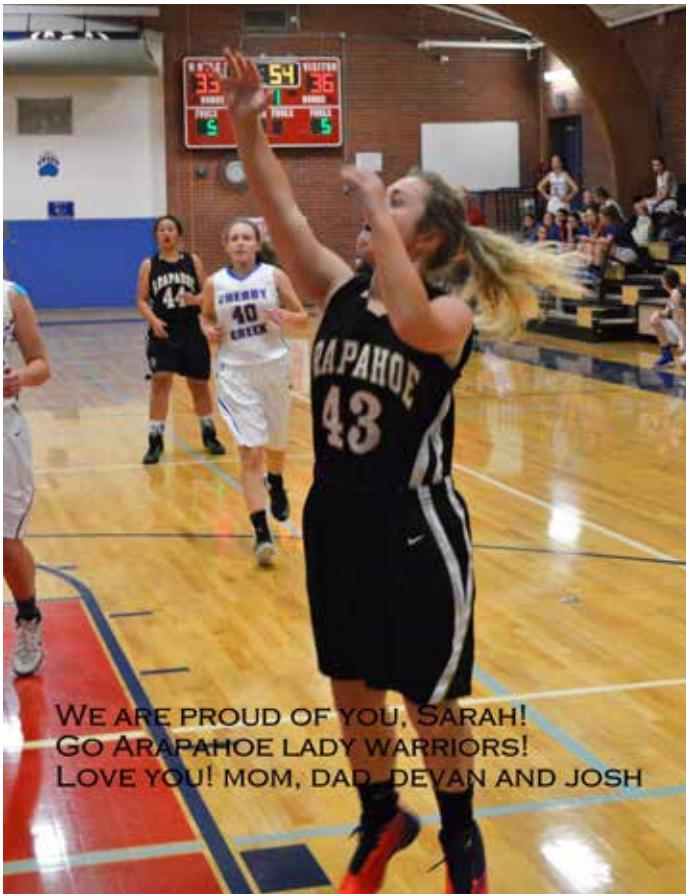
Stay Strong!

Enjoy your Jr. Season  
~Love Mom, Dad, Chase~



**"When you rise, when your greatness is authentic—  
that's what captures imaginations. That's when  
people see you."  
—Maya Moore**





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"Success is failure turned inside out –  
The silver tint in the clouds of doubt,  
And you never can tell how close you are,  
It might be near when it seems afar;  
So stick to the fight when you're hardest hit –  
It's when things seem worst that you must not quit."  
By Edgar A. Guest

Love Mom and Dad





“We didn't realize we were making memories we just knew we were having fun.”



Have a great season Sis!



~Love Auntie, Uncle Pat, Ray & Ricky



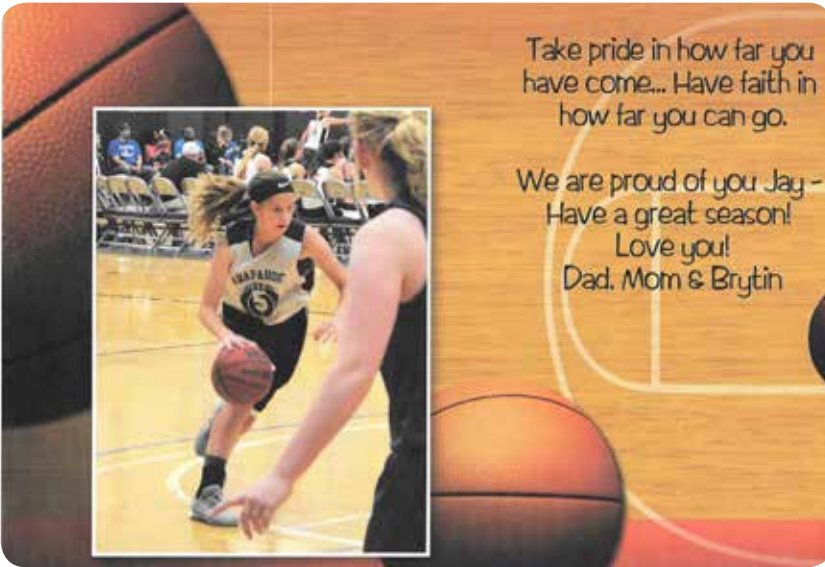
Best of Luck Abby Browne! So proud of the young lady you have become!  
Love Mom, Dad and Shawn



Sienna - We hope you have a great basketball season!  
Go Lady Warriors!! Love, Mom, Dad, Skylar & Shae xoxo







## Go Lady Warriors!



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Nelly — your determination, dedication, devotion and big heart... all that you are truly blows us away. Keep up your hard work and enjoy every moment.  
 Love, Mom, Landon, Simon and Oslo



Kristen, Keep driving toward your goals and never let anything stop you. We are so proud of you. Have a great season.  
 We love you, Dad, Mom & Amanda



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aspect of your life! Have a  
great season, love ya Sis  
- Uncle Stephen-







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**Rolf Abt—Treasurer**

**Shannon Duncan—Asst Treasurer**

## **2016-2017 Girls Basketball Parent Volunteers**

Varsity Team Parent: Denise Ziegler

JV Team Parent: Trisch Staab

D Team Parent: Melodee Crawford

Home Game Pizza Feeds: Shannon Duncan

Spirit Wear Coordinator: Diana Brown

Vending Machines: Rolf & Karin Abt and Steve & Diana Brown

Saturday Smoothies: Karin Abt & Pam Kearby

Half time coordinators: Denise Ziegler

Game Reporter: Paul Cadorette

Awards Banquet Chairs: Tracy Duncan, Lenny Barfoot

Photographers: Carol Matthews, Brad Alger, Denise Ziegler, Pam Kearby,

Tracy Duncan, Cliff Hypsher

Program/Brochure: Michelle Bradley, Denise Ziegler, Carol Matthews & Nelly Alger

"Individual commitment to a group effort--that is what makes a team work, a company work, a society work, a civilization work."

—Vince Lombardi

# “ARAPAHOE HIGH SCHOOL AND THE ARAPAHO PEOPLE” A HISTORIC RELATIONSHIP



On September 17th, 1993, Arapahoe High School in Centennial, Colorado, and the Arapaho Nation from the Wind River Indian Reservation in Wyoming began a relationship that promoted awareness to the co-existence of two very diverse cultures.

The “Arapahoe Warrior” signifies a common ground shared between Arapahoe High School and the Arapaho Tribe. By working together within the boundaries of respect to our cultures, we have set precedence in our communities providing a positive solution for our future in the midst of mascot controversy.

The “Arapahoe Warrior” and the history of the Arapaho Tribal Nation are deeply embedded in Colorado. The Arapaho Nation’s survival and plight is recognized through the endorsement of the “Arapahoe Warrior”. The original version of the “Arapahoe Warrior” logo is the design of Wilbur Antelope, a Northern Arapaho Artist.

For the relationship to continue it must be nurtured by everyone involved, especially the adults. The future facing our young people is determined by today’s behaviors, actions, and attitudes displayed by adults. Cooperative efforts are not always easy, but as adults we know “nothing of value is ever earned easily.”

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