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To whom it may concern,

I am writing in regard to Brycen Bowie's character and the positive impact he has on and off the court. While Brycen is an impressive athlete, what stands out most to me is who he is off the court. He is respectful, kind, and carries himself in a way that sets an example for those around him. My conversations with Brycen have stood out to me because he is mature, analyzes his plans well, and is confident and aware of who he is as an athlete and person. I can see that he is a great person, not only from a motherly point of view, but also as a teacher and a coach.

I have also had the opportunity to see the relationship he has built with my 8-year-old son, who began watching him play basketball during the 2025-2026 season. He would come home from the basketball games with all of Brycen's game statistics memorized, and insisted on going to each of the games. While my son does love watching Brycen compete, his admiration for him has grown into something more because of the way Brycen has treated him. He has taken the time after games to talk with him, encourage him, and make him feel valued as a young athlete and a young boy himself.

As a parent, it is meaningful to see my son have a role model who demonstrates that being a good athlete is more than on-court performance. Brycen shows my son that leadership is also about how you treat people, how you carry yourself, and the example you set for others. Brycen’s influence extends far beyond the basketball court, and I hope he knows how much of a positive difference he has made in the life of a young person who admires him dearly. As a teacher, coach, and mother to two young boys, I have no hesitation in speaking to Brycen’s character and would recommend him as someone who represents the qualities of respect, leadership, kindness, and integrity.

Sincerely,

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