



“New Thing” Team Record 11-8
The Lions 68 vs. Westminster 51
"Practice Equals Game Time"

This was definitely one of the Lions' finest hours with regard to reaching the game intensity level that their coaches expect. They played four quarters of desperation defense and self-destructive defense, which stifled their opponent throughout the game. The Lions' Spartan-like training was on full display as they played full court man-to-man relentlessly as their opponent was left gasping for air and their coach calling repeated times outs.

The Lions are surely a defensive juggernaut and are willing to take by force what is rightfully theirs. This game helped legitimize what the Lions, coaches have been preaching the entire season, *relationships build Championships* and *defense is the motivating factor to guarantee the victory*.

Now, the Lions have won five games in a row and are looking for another victory. However, the Lions need to improve in several areas in order for them to achieve their team goal of being defensive minded at all times. They need to finish strong in every quarter and realize that every team is beatable. Also, they will have to focus on “never giving up and never giving in” and playing through adverse situations.

Hopefully, the Lions will stop, look, and listen to their teammates and coaches to ensure that these areas are handled expeditiously. The Lions are really becoming a great team as they continue to believe in their purpose and visualize their future -- which is now. This team has the ability and skill to challenge any team but needs to use its high basketball I-Q to minimize mental mistakes. The Lions are becoming a team of destiny. So, Lions don't look back but remember the best is yet to come.

Listed below are the offensive and defensive players of the game, along with the individual scores.

| David Batson | Macus McGovern |
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| Defensive Player of the Game | Offensive Player of the Game |

Covenant Day Varsity Boy's Basketball Team Roster

| Name: | Jersey Numbers: | Positions | Grade | Scores |
|----------------|-----------------|-----------|-------|--------|
| David Batson | 1 | Guard | 11th | 13 |
| Josh Batson | 11 | Guard | 9th | 0 |
| CJ Beverly | 3 | Guard | 10th | 0 |
| Evan Floyd | 25 | Forward | 11th | 6 |
| Chad Hite | 33 | Forward | 11th | 8 |
| Joe Holden | 0 | Center | 12th | 3 |
| Sky Lesh | 14 | Guard | 11th | 0 |
| Macus McGovern | 22 | Center | 11th | 18 |
| Caleb Porter | 42 | Center | 8th | 0 |
| Tyler Ramsland | 21 | Forward | 12th | 11 |
| Brandon Spicer | 10 | Guard | 11th | 9 |

