

# 2015-16 Liberty Boys Varsity Coaching Bios





## Coach Parker, Head Coach

## **Coaching Experience**

Liberty High School 2012-Current

Fourth Season Head Coach, District Qualifier Each of the first three seasons, and winner of the first ever District game in Liberty High School History.

- 2013 and 2014 University of Missouri 2002-06
- Director of Player Development/Assistant Men's Basketball Boise State University 2001-02
- Director of Basketball Operations Coach Washington State University 1999-01
- Assistant Men's Basketball/ Head Junior Varsity Mercer Island High School 1989-93 & 1997-99
- Head Assistant Coach Brigham Young University-Hawaii 1996-97 Assistant Men's Basketball Coach

## Playing and Coaching International Experience:

- Player/Coach German Professional League 1993-94
- National Director Jamaican Basketball Camp 1996-02
- Honorable Mention All American Brigham Young 1996

#### **Education**

Bachelor of Arts, Psychology; Brigham Young University-Hawaii, 1996



# **Taylor Banks, Varsity Assistant Coach**

2014-15 Head Junior Varsity Coach/Varsity Assistant

2013-14 Liberty High School Frosh/Soph Head Coach

2010-13 Woodinville Select Basketball 5-7th Grade Head Coach

2010-13 Woodinville High School Varsity/JV Fall and Spring League Coach

2009-10 Woodinville Select Basketball 5th Grade Assistant Coach

#### Education

Bachelor Degree in Accounting - University of Washington Certified Public Accountant in Progress



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### Steve Kelley, Varsity Assistant Coach

2013-15 Liberty High School Assistant Basketball Coach

• Spent 40 years as a sportswriter observing illustrious coaches like Jack Ramsay, George Karl, Bernie Bickerstaff, Marv Harshman, Lenny Wilkens, K.C. Jones, Lorenzo Romar, and Nate McMillan.

#### Playing Experience

- 1967 Delaware state championship team
- 1967-68 Walk on University of South Carolina freshman team

#### Education

B.A. in History from University of Delaware.



# Ryan Cruz, JV Head & Varsity Assistant Coach

- Bellevue HS 2007- 2015
  - o C team Head Coach, JV Head Coach, Varsity Assistant- 4 Undefeated Seasons coaching, multiple state tourney appearances assisting.
- Issaguah Select 2005-2007, 2010- current
  - o 6th-8th grade Head Coach-2013 7th grade ETL champions
- Pro Sports Club 1999- 2002
  - Coached under current Bellevue College Head Coach and Trained under former Sonics developmental coach.

#### **Playing Experience**

Azusa Pacific University

#### Education

Azusa Pacific University, Honolulu CC.



## **Brian Smith, Frosh/Soph Coach**

2014-15 Liberty High School Frosh/Soph Coach 2013 Baylor University Graduate Assistant 2011-12 Mount Tahoma High School Assistant JV Coach

#### **Education**

Master of Science in Education – Baylor University 2013 Bachelor Degree in Exercise and Sports Science - Western Washington University 2009 Certified Strength and Conditioning Specialist