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To Whom It May Concern:

As principal of Ascension School, I have known Dan Kane as a student and graduate of Ascension and most recently as the director of the Legacy Sports Camp. The Legacy Sports Camp was new to Ascension this year. The program offered a variety of summer sports and recreational activities for the children of Ascension Parish during June and July. Legacy was well received, and the children that participated had a wonderful experience.

Dan and his business partner approached me in the spring of 2009 with a business plan and timeline for the summer program. Legacy Sports Camp asked to use Ascension's facilities and communication system to market to Ascension families. However, the Program was promoted as independent from the school, a separate entity, with its own staff, insurance and identity. I found Dan to be well-prepared, organized and thorough. He showed that he had the ability, determination and skills to make the program succeed.

Dan prepared materials to market the program, all registration materials and direct communication. He met our deadlines and followed through with parents about registration. He handled insurance requirements, hired and screened his own staff and managed schedules and facilities.

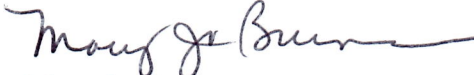
I visited the Legacy Sports Camp several times during June and July. Children were well supervised, engaged and happy to be there. The staff was knowledgeable and demonstrated an understanding of their responsibility for the well-being of the participants. Ascension's facility was well-managed and maintained. I saw creative games and activities that kept the program interesting and engaging.

On one particular day that I visited, the fire alarm went off accidentally. Dan took charge, directed his staff, and cleared the space. He managed the situation well. Dan handled what might have been a bad situation coolly and capably.

Dan managed all aspects of Legacy Camp-finances, registration, personnel and space. He has the skills and ability to manage and operate programs, and the personality to interact well with others. We will certainly welcome Legacy back to Ascension.

Please do not hesitate to call me at 708-386-7282 if you need more information.

Sincerely,


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