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January 16, 2004

Ancie Casey P.O. Box 192 Freeburn, KY 41528

Dear Mr. Casev.

Happy New Year! With the New Year comes the preparation for the 2004 Dawahares/KHSAA Hall of Fame banquet, including the video presentation as well as the production of the program and plaque.

As a reminder, the banquet is scheduled for Tuesday, March 16, at Lexington Center's Bluegrass Grand Ballroom (next to Rupp Arena). Each inductee will be seated at a table outside the banquet hall from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. for the social hour. Inductees will be grouped together for a picture and to prepare for march in at 6:20 p.m. The program will begin at 6:30 p.m.

As was mentioned in earlier correspondence, the Association seeks sponsorships for each inductee. For each \$200 received, the inductee will receive two tickets. Additional tickets over the sponsorship amount (two up to ten) may be purchased at \$40 each. A full sponsorship of \$1,000 will provide the inductee with 10 banquet tickets. We will correspond to you in late February the number of tickets you will receive through sponsorships.

As we prepare for the banquet, please note the following information is needed by the listed deadlines.

#### Biographical Information - Monday, Jan. 26

If you haven't done so already, please provide career accomplishments whether you are being inducted as a player, coach, official, administrator or contributor. Additional information should include the number of years lettered, sports played/coached/officiated, career points/coaching record and team accomplishments (region titles, State Tournament appearances, State Championships, etc.). Any other outstanding accomplishments should also be noted. The emphasis of your bio should reflect your high school career.

This information will be used to create your bio that will be printed in the banquet program and on your plaque. If you prefer, you may forward a bio for use.

#### Plaque & Program Photo - Monday, Jan. 26

Again, if you haven't already done so, please provide your plaque picture. This picture will be used for the plaque you will receive, on the plaque that will hang in the Hall of Fame and for the program. This picture, due to production of the plaque, cannot be returned. A 5 X 7 black-and-white photo works best, but color photos are permissible. If a color photo is used, please make

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sure it is a good quality color photo (not to dark). The photo used can be a present photo or one of you during your career.

#### Video Acceptance Taping - Wednesday, Jan. 28

We have scheduled the taping of video segments for Wednesday, Jan. 28, at Insight Communications (2544 Palumbo Dr., Lexington) beginning at 10 a.m. (ET). It should take no more than 15 minutes per inductee. Following is the taping schedule: Ben Pumphrey – 10 a.m.; Eugene Washington – 10:15 a.m.; Billy Smith – 10:30 a.m.; Evan Settle – 10:45 a.m.; Kim Mays Rose – 11 a.m.; Kenneth Moore – 11:15 a.m.; Kim Hawkins – 11:30 a.m.; Ancie Casey – 11:45 a.m.; Ron Cain – 12 p.m.; Marty Donlon – 12:15 p.m.; Jim Watkins – 12:30 p.m.; Alvis Johnson – 12:45 p.m., Brown Badgett – 1:00 p.m.; Otis Dinning – 1:15 p.m.; Dee Dawahare – 1:30 p.m.

(Please note it is important that we tape on this day. Should you have a time conflict, contact either of us so we can re-schedule you later in the day.)

Enclosed you will find questions that you or a selected representative should be ready to address in your video segment. The video will be played the night of the banquet as your acceptance for the induction, prior to you receiving your plaque and medallion. Please dress accordingly for the taping.

#### Additional Photos – Monday, Feb. 2

During the induction ceremony, a video collection of photos is produced for each inductee. We request 6-7 photos (can be newspaper clippings, team photos, action photos, candid shots, etc.) that will be used for this segment. These pictures will be returned following the banquet.

#### <u>Medallion Presentation - Friday, Feb. 6</u>

We need the name of the individual who will be presenting your medallion to you at the induction ceremony.

Hopefully this correspondence will answer any questions you have regarding the induction banquet at this point. If you have any additional questions, please don't hesitate to contact either of us at any time.

You may send the above information to KHSAA Hall of Fame Information, 2280, Executive Drive, Lexington, KY, 40505. Biographical information may be faxed to (859) 293-5999.

Sincerely,

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### 2004 Dawahares/KHSAA Hall of Fame Video Interview Questions

- #1) Please go over whom you would like to thank for your induction (Dawahares, those who nominated you, family, players, coaches, teammates, etc.)
- #2) Is there any one individual or a group of individuals who made an impact on you that helped you to achieve your success? Please tell who and why?
- #3) Is there a particular "funny" or unusual incident that happened to you or your team that happened during your career that stands out? If so, please briefly explain.
- #4) Please briefly explain some differences you encountered while participating in high school athletics that may be different from today.

Note to inductees: We want you to include and provide as much information in your responses to the above questions, but please remember to be concise and to the point.

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