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Form: 2017-2021 Alignment Adjustment Request
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School Name Christ The King Catholic High School

Principal's name Carl Semmler

Superintendent's name Janice Ritter

Current Classification 1A

Current Conference 1A PAC 7 1A

Proposed Classification 1A

Proposed Conference, if different 1A PAC 7 1A

Conference Approved? Yes

Request

Please state your request
Good afternoon,

Christ the King Catholic High School, currently a 1A Independent, is requesting to be placed into the 1A PAC 7 Conference for the 2019-2020 School year. We have been in communication with the PAC-7 for several months now and have been working together with scheduling games for this current year. The PAC-7 is aware that we are interested in joining their conference, however, they have not accepted us as a member at this time. Christ the King would like to request that the NCHSAA places us in the PAC-7 Conference next year. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Please note that in order to submit this form online, I had to fill in required boxes. For instance, the box that asks for Current Conference did not include an "Independent" as an option... so I selected PAC-7 since we would like to be placed in this conference. Also, under the Criteria, none if it applies to our situation, yet, I cannot submit the form without checking a box, so I selected the top box.

Again, Please let me know if you have any questions, Thank you very much!

Phil Harrington
Christ the King Catholic High School
Athletic Director

Criteria
Significant disparity in current size of the school - either a significant increase or decrease in enrollment/ADM (NOTE: Significant is defined as greater than a 10% decline in enrollment in one of the years since 2015)

Files Uploaded

Remember: all information that supports, defines and/or explains the request must be submitted with this form. Up to 3 files can be uploaded and attached to this request.

Document 1 Letter of Intent to join PAC 7.pdf

Document 2

Document 3

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CHRIST THE KING
CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

Carl A. Semmler, Ed.D.
Principal

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Assistant Principal

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Dear Mr. Gosnell,

My name is Phil Harrington, and I am the athletic director at Christ the King Catholic High School in Huntersville, NC. Early this fall our school applied to be a member of the NCHSAA starting in the 2018-2019 school year, and we just recently found out that we have been accepted. The reason that I am reaching out to you is because I understand that you are the president of the PAC 7 1A conference, and we would like to be considered as a new member of your conference, as early as the fall of 2018.

To give you a little background on Christ the King, we opened in 2011 in a temporary location with just 28 students. We have been in our permanent location since 2014, and we currently have 290 students. Next school year we expect to be around 325 students, so our school has seen substantial growth in recent years. Due to our location near the corner of Hwy 73 and Poplar Tent Rd. in Huntersville, we have established relationships with many of the schools that are currently in the PAC 7 conference. We have been scheduling with Pine Lake Prep and Community School of Davidson for a number of years now in all sports, and we have recently scheduled basketball with Carolina International School and Mountain Island Charter, as well as lacrosse and soccer with Queens Grant.

Currently we offer the following sports to our students: Varsity Football, Varsity Men's Soccer, Varsity Women's Tennis, Varsity and JV Volleyball, Varsity Women's Golf, Men's and Women's Cross Country, Cheerleading, Men's JV and Varsity Basketball, Women's Varsity Basketball, Men's and Women's Swimming, Varsity Baseball, Varsity Women's Soccer, Varsity Lacrosse, Varsity Men's Tennis, Varsity Men's Golf, Varsity Softball, and Men's and Women's Track and Field.

Christ the King is a part of the Mecklenburg Area Catholic School system, which is a small school system comprising of the elementary, middle, and high schools in the Charlotte area. Students who wish to apply for admission into Christ the King or any of the Catholic schools in the Charlotte area, must apply to the Mecklenburg Area Catholic School System, not to Christ the King. We do not have an admissions office here at the school, and we do not offer academic or athletic scholarships at Christ the King. Students that apply to the school system can apply for financial aid, and that is granted on a needs basis. Most of our students come from the nearest Catholic school, which is St. Mark Catholic School in Huntersville.

Our reason for wanting to be a part of the NCHSAA is because, from an athletic standpoint, we believe that we are more similar to many of the charter and public schools than we are to most of the private schools. We feel that from a competitive standpoint the NCHSAA is a better fit for our school and our students. Similarly, we feel that the vision for our athletic program, and its role and purpose here at Christ the King, is similar to the vision of institutions within the NCHSAA.

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Please accept this letter as a request to join the PAC 7 conference starting the fall of 2018. If you or any of the athletic directors in the conference have any questions about Christ the King and our athletic program, I would be more than happy to talk or meet. Thank you very much for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Phil Harrington

Phil Harrington
Athletic Director

cc: C. Semmler - Principal

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