



Cougar Daily's "The Potty Mouth" 1/29-2/4

The Bathroom Sensation That's Sweeping the Nation

We're Back! This week we are going to take a deep look at Coronado Boys Basketball and their chances of making the playoffs! We have interviewed their head coach (Cody Bernbeck) and a key starter (Brayden Taylor). If you want to read more stories like this, go to our website Courgardaily.org.

Coronado Basketball Enters Critical Stretch of the Season

By Jayson Beaudin and Jayden Phelps

As the high school's winter season is approaching its final weeks, the Coronado Boys Basketball team finds itself in a position that it has not seen in four years. They have a legitimate chance to make the CHSAA basketball playoffs because of the RPI system.

As history has shown, they don't need an amazing record in order to make the playoffs with the difficult schedule they play, as they were only 7-17 when they last made the playoffs in the 2021-2022 season. They currently compete in the Colorado Springs Metro-South League, and have proven to be able to win big games against tough opponents with a victory against the No. 2 ranked team in 5A at the time, Cheyenne Mountain.

The team's strength of schedule has placed them among the top 40 teams, which is the cutoff required to earn a playoff spot in 4A. Their leader, head coach Cody Bernbeck, believes the opportunity reflects years of growth and



commitment that has been displayed by his players and coaches. "Securing a playoff spot this season would be a tremendous milestone for our program," Bernbeck stated.

He also highlighted the time, energy, and heart these players have shown over these past couple years. Senior starter

Brayden Taylor elaborated upon the same belief and the importance of the chemistry the team has and how well they communicate on the floor, stating, "One of the main things we try to focus on is the next play, even if it was good or bad."

As the players prepare for their final games, their combination of experience, confidence, and unity has positioned them well for the postseason push.

Upcoming Events

Thursday 1/29	Friday 1/30	Saturday 1/31	Monday 2/2	Tuesday 2/3	Wednesday 2/4
<i>Girls Swim & Dive: Varsity Dual vs. Manitou Springs High School @ Coronado High School 4:00 pm</i>	<i>Boys Basketball: Varsity vs. Canon City @ Coronado High School</i>	<i>Winter Dance @ Aux Gym 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm</i> <i>Girls Wrestling: Varsity Tournament vs. Chatfield @ Chatfield High School</i> <i>Boys Wrestling: Varsity Tournament vs. Canon City @ Canon City</i> <i>Boys Basketball: Varsity vs. Air Academy @ Air Academy 11:30 am</i> <i>Girls Basketball: Varsity vs. Air Academy @ Air Academy 1:00 pm</i>		<i>Girls Basketball: Varsity vs. Widefield @ Widefield @ Widefield High School 5:30 pm</i> <i>Boys Basketball: Varsity vs. Widefield @ Coronado High School 7:00 pm</i>	<i>Girls Wrestling: Varsity Dual vs. Falcon @ Coronado High School 5:00 pm</i>

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