

Pebblebrook High School

Cobb County School District

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Dr. Dana Giles
Principal

Dr. Dana C. Giles
Re: Mr. Maurice Allen

Date: January 5th, 2023

To Whom It May Concern:

I have had the pleasure of knowing Coach Maurice Allen for three years. I hired him as the Offensive Head Coach for Varsity, Head Coach for Junior Varsity, and teacher for our online classes.

Coach Allen was one of the best hires I have ever made in all positions he currently serves. In terms of his professionalism, he is a model. He has a strong presence, but is gracious under fire. He knows how to balance intensity while maintaining respect. He has high expectations for athlete performance and understands what each team member needs to be successful. Under his leadership, our Football program grew immensely, boasting the highest-ever ranking in GHSA in our program's history. In addition, his leadership assisted our Head Football Coach in being named Coach of the year for the 21-22 season.

He is stellar with parents, constantly communicating frequently and professionally. In addition, his highly tech-savvy experience allows him to communicate with parents and students in multiple ways. He is creative in fundraising and brings new ideas to enhance the program. I am proud to say that I have never received a complaint from a staff member, parent or student regarding communication and professionalism.

Coach Allen has integrated himself into our community. You can find him at other sporting events, supporting our Athletic program, which is a beautiful asset to us and shows his commitment to all our athletes. He goes above and beyond the call of duty and will do anything that is asked of him to support our school. In tow is always his beautiful family, present at every game and showing their Falcon Pride. He is clearly family oriented and wants to ensure that his personal family is equally as vested. In his classroom, he is supportive, caring, and encouraging and creates an environment for students to be successful.

Coach Allen is an all-around great person and Coach. Your institution would be better with him leading your Football program. He is ready for the opportunity to lead and Coach at the Varsity level and has my endorsement wholeheartedly.

Thank you for allowing me to speak on his behalf.

Dana C. Giles

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Pebblebrook High School



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To Whom It May Concern:

I take great pleasure in writing this letter of recommendation on behalf of Maurice Allen. Mr. Allen served as one of my Assistant Athletic Directors and as the Offensive Coordinator with our Varsity Football team during the 2019-2021 school year. Mr. Allen proved to be an exceptionally valuable member of our Athletic Staff. He was tasked with many responsibilities including scheduling transportation for all thirty one athletic programs, supporting public relations via social media, as well as event supervision. I always found Maurice to be dependable, reliable, and thorough in fulfilling his assigned responsibilities. He is energetic, enthusiastic and hardworking; Mr. Allen would be a valuable asset to any athletic program. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Respectfully,

Robert Rego
Athletic Director
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To Whom It May Concern:

I have had the distinct pleasure of knowing (former) SPC Maurice Allen for 2 years as his supervisor, when he was assigned as communications specialist of Ironhawk Troop, 3d Squadron, 3d Cavalry Regiment, Fort Hood TX. As a communication specialist, SPC Allen was in charge of all communication equipment for the 120 individuals assigned to Ironhawk Troop. SPC Allen was a subject matter expert in all the communication equipment assigned to the Troop and I relied heavily on his expertise while I was the Executive Officer. As an Executive Officer, I am the number 2 man in charge of the troop and have many tasks that need to be completed on a daily basis. Whenever I assigned a task to SPC Allen, he would complete it both timely and efficiently without me having to check on him constantly. Additionally, he was very good fixing problems before they occurred. He was always very enthusiastic about his work, and continued to develop himself both personally and professionally, anytime he could.

SPC Allen is an incredibly bright, talented and gifted young man. He is without doubt the best communication specialist I have seen in the 5 years I served in the US Army. He has been one of the most respectful, humble and honest soldiers that I have been fortunate to work with. He was an example to his peers and respected by his fellow soldiers. There is no doubt in my mind that SPC Maurice Allen would be an outstanding addition to your school.

Respectfully,

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Executive Officer (former)
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To Whom it May Concern:

I have worked as Maurice Allen's supervisor for the past school year. While working at Elgin ISD, Maurice held the position of assistant varsity football coach and junior varsity baseball coach. Maurice worked with our behavior students through the Special Education department during the school day. In both his coaching and teaching duties, Maurice has demonstrated the ability to work hard, remain calm in difficult circumstances, and relate well to students.

Coach Allen does a great job working with our athletes in both football and baseball. He is a young coach that shows great promise and has a bright future ahead. Maurice demonstrates great patience with our student/athletes and possesses a solid knowledge of both football and baseball coaching strategies. In addition, coach Allen has always been ready to take on additional duties and has helped coordinate community outreach activities for our football program. If I had the chance, I would not hesitate to hire Maurice to come back and coach for Elgin High School. He will be a great asset to any school and athletic program that has the opportunity to hire him. I have no doubt that Maurice will exceed expectations for your school and athletic program.

Please call if you have any questions about my recommendation of Mr. Maurice Allen. I can be reached by phone in my office at 512.285.9113 or on my cell phone at 713.540.7100.

Sincerely,

Jens L. Anderson
Athletic Director
Head Football Coach
Elgin ISD

To whom it may concern:

My name is Mo Mahoney, and I am the writing this letter or recommendation for Maurice Allen. I was lucky enough to work with Maurice at Freedom High School. As a head coach, I wanted to get some people who were strong in both coaching but also the classroom. Coach Allen was great in the classroom and went above and beyond in a roll that was in need on our campus. As an offensive mind he is one of the best coaches I have worked with. I was very grateful to have bring him on staff and work with him in rebuilding a program that was in desperate need. With his help we were able to help Freedom win more games than we had in the previous two seasons combined. As he transitioned to Georgia and I moved to a school closer to my family over the years, he is still one of the best coaches I know and someone that I follow and look to for advice. I once prompted a question about quarterback play, which he then shared a lot of great information with me to help. His heart for others and knowledge of the game is part of what makes him such a great teacher/coach. When he does not know an answer, he will reach out to those who do and continue to grow and develop. The hunger he demonstrates is infectious and he constantly sets a high bar for those around him to strive for. If you need anything or have any questions, please reach out so I can tell you why Coach Allen is the right man for the roll he is pursuing with you.

Thankful,

Mo Mahoney

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North Moore High School

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To Whom it May Concern:

I have had the pleasure of knowing Maurice Allen for four years as his teacher and football coach. Maurice is an incredibly bright, talented and gifted young man who epitomizes the term student-athlete. In the time that I have known him, he has excelled on and off the field winning numerous awards and honors. He has been one of the most respectful, humble and honest high school students that I have ever been blessed to work with.

In my classes, on the football fields, Maurice has always been one to lead by example. Working youth football camps in the summer, he has been a mentor and role model to hundreds of young kids who aspire to be like him one day. From a parent's perspective, Maurice is the type of young man you hope your daughter marries or your son grows up to be like. There is no doubt in my mind that Maurice Allen would be an outstanding addition to your school. I can assure you, he was greatly missed at ours.

Respectfully,

Mike Vogt
Head Football Coach
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