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Dear Avon Lake Schools' Families,

We are thrilled to announce an unforgettable community event—the Harlem Wizards Fundraising and Community Game—coming to Avon Lake High School Gymnasium on **Monday**, **February 17th**, **at 7:00 PM (doors open at 5:30)**! This event, organized by the Avon Lake Travel Basketball Association in partnership with Avon Lake Schools (including St. Joseph's and St. Raphaels), will be a night filled with basketball magic, laughter, and community spirit. This event will continue to anchor our city's spirit of community and support for our student programs.

The Harlem Wizards will showcase their incredible skills, including dazzling tricks and high-flying dunks, as they face off against our very own Avon Lake teachers, administrators, travel basketball coaches, and board members. This is more than just a game—it's a chance to create lasting memories with your family while supporting our student-athletes and school programs. It also includes so many interactive experiences for families alike! Just see for more enthusiasm: https://vimeo.com/343307058

Here's how your participation will make a difference:

- **Proceeds will support Avon Lake Athletics and Activities Programs** as well as a small portion to the Avon Lake Travel Basketball Association.
- We aim to raise over \$100,000 in sponsorships and community engagement, which will go directly toward improving resources and opportunities for our students' athletics and activities.
- Fun activities for families before and during the game will enhance the experience for all attendees.

How You Can Get Involved: Attend the Event: Tickets are available now for purchase at https://pretix.eu/harlemwizards/avonlakeoh02-17-25-07-00pm/ or qr code

- Reserved seats are rows 2 and 3. General admission is rows 4 to back.
- Vote for Players: Help select the teachers and community members who will join our Avon Lake team for this special game. We already have a developing roster however we want to hear from which teachers/administrators you would like to see out on the hardwood! A poll will come soon!



• **Volunteer**: We are seeking enthusiastic individuals to assist with event logistics and fundraising efforts. This includes helping with concessions, ticket entrance management, and seeking community business sponsorships.

Your support is vital in making this event a resounding success. Whether you contribute by volunteering, attending the game, or securing sponsorships, you'll be helping to create a positive impact for our students and the entire Avon Lake community. **We Need You!**

If you or someone you know would like to help secure sponsorships or volunteer for the event, please email kennethremymd@gmail.com. We can't wait to see you at the Harlem Wizards game! Let's come together for a night of fun, laughter, and community pride while supporting our students.

Warm regards, Ken Remy