



NAACP of Collier County unit #5117

P.O. Box 990727

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Re: Raising the Bar Program

July 16, 2020

We are so excited this season for our student athletes participating in the Raising the Bar Program. As a football & cheer program we have had dreams of truly finding a way to highlight the "student first" mindset for our athletes. Often times children can limit their full potential with only identifying within the sport. We want to encourage them to use their brain muscle to reach all their goals.

Summer Pre-season is a great time to reflect on our yearly academic and life goals. We have found that the athletes participating in the program are excited about logging on each morning to engage in their daily plans. Many of them have already shared their excitement for future years involvement and look forward to the possibility of internship.

It has been such a pleasure to have Mrs. Juanice Ettiene advocating for our students. Her patience and compassion with all families has been inspiring. We absolutely want to share our gratitude for her efficiency, follow-up and professionalism. The NAACP Raising the Bar program has impacted our program in the best way. We can't wait to see how we can continue to work together to be an encouragement to our community.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Cynthia Sealy".

Cynthia Sealy

President

Golden Gate Youth Titans Football & Cheer