**Central Square Athletic Department Protocols for**

**Senior Night/ Teacher Appreciation Night**

**In an effort to provide consistent guidelines and practices for each team, the following guidelines will be followed for Senior night and Teacher Appreciation night.**

**SENIOR NIGHT-** An opportunity to allow our student athletes to be recognized for their overall contribution and dedication to the sport they are involved in.

* Boosters, in collaboration with coaches, should provide a date ensuring there is no conflict with other events. It is recommended that the date not be the final home contest in case there is a cancellation for any reason.
* All senior night festivities, with the exception of football, will occur before the contest, keeping in mind the need to respect the time of all opponents, officials, workers and fans.
* Boosters should provide the athletic department with a typed copy of the senior night speeches for our announcer to read.
  + Please use the provided Senior Form.
  + Please turn them all in at the same time.
  + Be sure to let us know what order you’d like them announced in.
* Boosters are welcome to decorate with flowers, balloons in the lobby/concourse area ensuring that the playing surface/field is not compromised.
* Boosters are welcome to research the seniors of the other team to provide a small token (flower etc) for the opposing seniors.
* Seniors will be called to the center of the field/court etc… for a picture with their group and remain there for a picture with the entire group. Warm-up will commence as soon as the group picture has been taken.

**Teachers Appreciation Night**- An opportunity for our students to recognize a teacher of their choice before the contest.

* Teacher appreciation will take place before the contest. Each team has the choice to participate in this event or not. The athletic department should be notified at least 2-3 weeks in advance of the event.
* As there can be several teachers, there will be no reading of speeches but athletes are encouraged to write their thoughts in a card to give to the teacher when names are read off and teachers will have a keepsake to remember.
* Our announcer should be provided with a list of athletes along with their teacher of choice.
* Announcers will read each athlete, along with their teacher and they will come to the middle of the field or court where a picture will be taken.
* They should remain there until all names/teachers have been called for one group picture.
  + Warm-ups will begin immediately after the group picture is taken.



**Senior Form**

Number \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Position(s)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Escorted by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Years in sport\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Future Plans \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Their most memorable moment was\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

He/she would like to thank \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_