

CREEKSIDE

BASKETBALL

Team Info

Boys Head Coach: William Mayer

2017 Record: 27-5, Most wins in a single season, Back to Back District Champions, Regional Champions, FHSAA State Runner-Up

2018-2019 Team Outlook: In the first 4 years under Coach Mayer, the team has gone 92 – 27, and has improved their win total each year. The team’s first win this season will be Coach Mayer’s 300 career win. After graduating 8 seniors, this year’s team will be young with just one, healthy returning senior and three sophomores competing for minutes on the Varsity. The team will definitely go through some growing pains early in the year, but hope to be ready by February to try and defend their 2-time district championship streak.

Featured Players

Michael Phillips - (Class of 2020) - “Big Mike” was a transfer in 2017-2018 and came off the bench as the 6th man on the best team in school history. He is a tremendous, vocal leader and will play a key role in the Knights offensive and defensive attack. He has is currently being recruited by several mid major D-1 schools, including an offer from the University of North Florida. The team expects BIG THINGS from BIG MIKE this season!

Garrett Denny – (Class of 2019) – Garrett is the only returning starter from last year’s record breaking state finalist team. An injury in the district championship game prohibited him from playing in the Knights run to their first state title game in school history. He will be hungry to make his mark as the lone, returning starter and only healthy returning senior from last year’s team. Garrett will take on a much larger offensive and defensive role this year. A very unselfish player who plays to his role, Garrett will need to be much more aggressive this year if the Knights have any chance of defending their back to back district titles.

Jakeem Fulks – (Class of 2020) – Started the year on JV last year, but was quickly moved up to varsity after the terrible injury to senior Caleb Townsend. Jakeem was the 1st guard off the bench for most of the year and moved into the starting lineup for the regional and state title runs last year after injuries to key starters. He hit several key shots in big wins in regional play vs Bartram and Lincoln to help the Knights reach their first Final Four in school history. He will be counted on heavily on both ends of the floor this year to continue in the long line of great Creekside guards like county players of the year J’Michael Plummer and Chris Richardson during the last four years.

