



Dear Youth Sports Coaches,

Thank you for volunteering your time to work with our youth to encourage teamwork and positive character development, in addition to athletic skill. I believe that youth sports programs help shape young people into good citizens and active community members.

The City of Fort Collins' recreation programs are dedicated to providing a positive environment for youth to develop their sports skills. To achieve this, coaches, officials and parents use the Positive Coaching Alliance to support and model positive character traits.

I am especially pleased that the new CHAMP Elite Team Award will provide recognition for coaches, players and parents who are committed to encouraging strong character and sportsmanship.

Sincerely,

Darin Atteberry, City Manager  
City of Fort Collins