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*Request Retroactive*

**Consent Agenda Item (Action Item):** Approve out-of-state travel for the Betsy Layne High School girls' basketball team to travel to Wise, VA to participate in a Team Camp June 4 & 5. The team had games previously scheduled that were cancelled last minute due to this camp – after contacting the coaching staff at UVA-Wise, they agreed to add us to the team camp. This will provide an opportunity to play against teams they will not play during the upcoming season.

**Applicable State or Regulations:** Board Policy 9:36: Out of State Trips require Superintendent and Board approval.

**Fiscal/Budgetary Impact:** The cost to participate will be paid using school activity funds of the girls' basketball team.

**History/Background:** BLHS Girls basketball has a new coach and would like to participate in as many games this summer as possible to orient the team to a new style of play. Playing teams outside the state offers an opportunity for the team to play against opponents they will not see during the school year. Also, taking players to a college campus and having them play in front of college coaches could lead to post-secondary opportunities for the individual players.

**Recommended Action:** Approve the request for out-of-state travel to Wise, VA

**Contact Person(s):** Cassandra Akers, Head Coach; Kristal Allen & Gary Keathley, Assistant Coaches; Susan Stephens, Athletic Director.

  
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