

First as a Coach, what does it mean to you to see a student-athlete like Kate fully develop within the Carmel athletics system?

I do not think people understand the commitment it takes to be a D1 recruit in any sport. It takes an incredible commitment in training and studying and learning time management. Players that play D1 sports are in the top 1% of players. It is truly rewarding to see Kate and two other teammates commit to high level soccer programs. Our coaching staff is extremely proud of Kate and the other seniors on the team.

Could you share an anecdote or a specific game moment that best exemplifies Kate's character or performance on the court?

We had a game early in the season that she was injured and could not play and we were down by 2 at the half. At halftime Kate showed her leadership skills and had a very calming effect on the team. She was very calm but expressed what the team needed to do in the second half. It truly was a moment that showed her winning/leadership characteristics. We did win that game 4-2.

What is one piece of advice you would like to say to them?

We are so proud of them for showing or younger players what senior leadership looks like. We are grateful for Kate and her senior teammates for what they have given CHS Girls soccer program.

And finally is there anything else you would like to add?

Quite simply, thank you. Kate has been the ideal student athlete model at CHS.