



**Pictured Above:** Coach Richard Darby, Kemanyi Nix, James Meade, Russell Adu, Grant Johnson, Harrison Montgomery, Ibrahim Diabate, Coach Ron Horn, Garhett Koethke, Terran Nelson, Khai Tyson, JaVaughn White, Justin Hall, Thomas Mills

"The good news was that preseason practice began with a lot of players with a lot of interest in playing basketball. The challenge was that there was only one starter and a key reserve returning from last year's team. The majority of the rest of the players were new to CMA, or young and new to varsity-level basketball. The decision was made to take advantage of the numbers and to play fast break basketball with man-to-man defense, something new for the Spartans in recent years. Because of limited time, we concentrated almost entirely on preparing for team play rather than individual skill development. The team was very competitive in the first two games of the season, losing by eight points at the Governor's School and by three at home to Orangeburg Prep. After that, a pattern developed with close, hard fought games in the first half followed by foul trouble and being outplayed in the second half. This continued until a blowout win against the Governor's School in the next to last game of the season. Season-long starters were Harrison Montgomery, Terran Nelson, Kemanyi Nix and JaVaughn White; part-time starters and/or key reserves were Garhett Koethke, James Meade and Thomas Mills. Rounding out the team as hard-working contributors were Ibrahim Diabate, Justin Hall, Grant Johnson, Gage Noel and Khai Tyson. Russell Adu joined the team with four games left in the season and earned a starting spot for the last game. With the youth of this year's varsity team and the success of the junior varsity team, the future of Camden Military basketball looks promising." - (Varsity Basketball Head Coach MAJ Ron Horn)