HOW TO TELL A WINNER FROM A LOSER

- 1. When a winner makes a mistake, they take responsibility. A loser blames their teammates.
- 2. A winner works hard when know one is watching. A loser slacks off when the coach's back is turned.
- **3.** A winner hates to lose; a loser could care less although they put up a good front.
- 4. A winner takes constructive criticism from the coach, realizing that it will help her and the team. A loser thinks they are being picked on and pouts.
- 5. A winner thinks of the team first and never wants to let the team down; a loser thinks of themselves first and the team last.
- 6. A winner thinks, "I am good, but not as good as I could be." A loser thinks, "I'm not as bad as some of the others.
- 7. Winners make commitments and set goals with their hearts and then sets out to accomplish them; a loser makes "promises" with their mouths but never sincerely intends to keep them.
- 8. Winners do all the dirty jobs: rebound, set screens, dive for loose balls, take charges; losers only worry about how many points they scored.
- 9. A winner would rather have their team win a State Championship; a loser would rather be All-State.

PLAY LIKE A WINNER!!!