The Contender 50th Anniversary Celebration & Reception

Sports Literacy Program

Paisley IB Magnet School

April 5, 2017

Schedule of Events

5:00pm-5:05pm – Opening Remarks by Alan Brown and Wendell Dunn

5:05pm-5:10pm – Welcome from Gary Cone & Amy Pantano

5:10pm-5:15pm – Introduction of Robert Lipsyte by Alan Brown

5:15pm-5:30pm – Remarks by Robert Lipsyte about *The Contender*

5:30pm-5:35pm – Introduction of Paisley Students by Wendell Dunn & Bailey Allman

5:35pm-5:45pm – Remarks by Paisley Students

5:45pm-6:15pm - Reception

Recognition

Instructors: Alan Brown & Wendell Dunn, Wake Forest University

Students: Trayle Beasley, Corie Boston, Avery Brown, Javouse Chambers, Cintrell Johnson, Parris London, Kevon Powell, Zion Snow, Reggie Thomas, & Ramelle Watlington

Paisley Advisory Board: Bailey Allman, Amy Pantano, Roshanda Mccrimmon, & Gary Cone

Special Guest: Robert Lipsyte, author of *The Contender* (HarperCollins)

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