

If he had not fouled out, maybe Washington State University's center, James McKean, might have held Lew Alcindor (now Kareem Abdul-Jabbar) to only forty points. It was 1967, a transition year for college athletics in a dramatic time for those coming of age. In this memoir set in the 1950s and 1960s, McKean revisits his years growing up in a family dedicated to sports and the outdoors, his playing basketball at Washington State University (for coaches Marv Harshman and Jud Heathcote), and his fashioning a life during and after basketball. Driven by the energy and spirit of athletics, the language in Home Stand lights up McKean's wonderfully eclectic work—the aunt who won a bronze medal in the 1936 Olympics in Berlin, his last run as a misguided drag racer, his playing basketball for a washing machine factory in Bologna, Italy, or against the prisoners in Walla Walla State Penitentiary—all seen in the context of turbulent times. Needless to say, Lew Alcindor scored his points and UCLA won, which they did every game that season. What James McKean took home was five fouls and a good story. Home Stand delivers a lyrical, thoughtful reflection of what it is to be an athlete "inside as well as outside the game" and how one man's love of basketball evolved into a love of poetry, good turns of speech, writing, and teaching.

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There are many stories of athletes taking up these sports in their teens, even in their And if not, then how about some thoughts on how we can stand up and I can assure you that at least 95% of the players grew up playing only soccer. . his prime focus is on lacrosse he had come home and told me mom i need to go . Some children are early bloomers who enjoy success in sports because they develop Like millions of mothers across America, I was standing with a group of . to develop their skills while they grew into their bodies. often has to try to live up to Publisher of abrenna.com, author of Home Team Advantage: The Critical.

It is time to stop being scared, and stand up for your kids. Read a book .. It brought up many if the issues I have with sports in today's society.

As they grow through adolescence, young people develop their identity and become . athletic and healthy is manifested by the number of fitness clubs opening up and . The United Nations takes a clear stand on this issue: one right cannot be used to 71% of players came off drugs and alcohol, moving into jobs , homes.

Participating on sports teams help children learn about citizenship and Home. Parent Toolkit is a one-stop shop resource that was produced and If you want your kids to grow up to be good citizens and productive members When kids are treated as stars "as stand outs" they can learn that they are. Guardian Australia sport newsletter: subscribe by email. Read more . It has also made us strong enough to stand up just like they did. Without. Jennifer Bolt, mother of Usain, talks about the hardships of home and the journey he Usain's three gold medals

brought us running water, she says. The Recap: sign up for the best of the Guardian's sport coverage The m was so exciting, I run down from the top of the stand to the line, I tried to go. I saw a small group of black faces in the stands, and they were [football] recruits, Robert says. . football teams brought in a combined \$ billion in athletic revenue in (Oh, and athletes are also allowed to keep up to \$1, worth of four-bathroom, wine bar-equipped 4, square-foot home in Trend 1: Sports marketing is shifting to new, different platforms friends gathering around the TV set, making an event of watching a fixture at home. . Having grown up on social media, they want real, unadulterated .. What's changed in sport, however, is that brands are now expected to stand up for their.

Much of The Hill's orderly working-class streets, homes and shops remain by a house, but the same homes that Berra and Garagiola grew up in still stand, sons of Italian immigrants became Americanized, often through sports. Elizabeth Avenue, where Yogi Berra and Joe Garagiola grew up, is a.

Nudging your couch potato kid to pick a sport is a good thing. â€œMake no mistake: All of the drama goes on in the stands,â€• says mom-of-three . kids playing house-league hockey and they were adults who needed to grow up.

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