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Why I Love Coaching

I have always loved sports. Unfortunately, despite being convinced at age 12 that I would be the next Larry Bird, I never did make it to the NBA.

In fact, my athletic abilities apparently peaked when I was 13 (I was not very good at hitting curve balls I unceremoniously learned during one fateful at-bat). Now though, as I slide into my mid-40s, I have discovered coaching. I love coaching my son's baseball and basketball teams. Here's why:

First, coaching challenges me. I never want to be too hard, or too easy on a kid. I strive for that middle ground because that I believe is where a coach is most effective, and what the kids most truly benefit from. I'm always trying to get better at coaching, and it is always challenging to me, which I love.

Second, it further bonds my son and I. It allows us to spend extra time together on the weekends. He's growing up so fast and coaching allows me to be even more involved in his life. I guess I am still 'cool' to him, for now at least, but those days are numbered. Why do they have to grow up so fast!?



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Coaching also gives me exercise. Staying fit is really important to me and coaching provides solid physical activity. Running around and keeping up with 7 and 8 year olds on the court and baseball diamonds gives me a mini-workout, which is an awesome added benefit.

Finally, I see coaching as a way of giving back. Growing up, I had some really great coaches. I didn't know it then, but I realize now they were giving up their free time and teaching kids valuable life skills (teamwork, punctuality, respect, discipline, etc.). I see coaching as a small way of paying it forward. That makes me feel really good. I know my son is proud that Dad is a coach.

- Chris Earley

If you had told me 10 years ago that I would be going to Disney twice a year every year, I would have thought you were off your rocker.

Well, having kids changes everything. My family goes down to Disney each May and November, and each trip is better than the last. Here is a photo of us at the Magic Kingdom from our recent November 2019 trip.



RORY'S RECIPES: Peanut butter cookies with Hershey Kisses

Rory Earley

All winter long, when it's too cold to play outside, my kids love to get into the kitchen and bake with me! This is a fun recipe that checks all the boxes: easy, kid-friendly and delicious!! The candy addition allows for a little treat while they cook!



INGREDIENTS:

I I/4 cup creamy peanut butter

I cup sugar

I beaten egg

I tsp baking soda

I package Hershey kisses

DIRECTIONS:

- In an electric mixer, beat the peanut butter and sugar together until smooth. Add the beaten egg to this mixture until combined, then add the baking soda. (The dough may seem too crumbly at this stage, but it's fine, just use your hands to combine).
 - 2 Roll the cookie dough into individual balls and place it on a cookie sheet. Bake at 350 for 10 minutes. While they bake, unwrap all the kisses and have them ready.
 - ³ Once the cookie balls come out of the oven, place a Hershey kiss directly into each cookie while they are hot this flattens the ball and as they cool the Kiss is secured onto the cookie. Let cool and enjoy!

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WELCOME ANGELA, Our Newest Client Success Coordinator



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We are really happy to announce our newest employee, Angela, has joined the Law Office of Christopher Earley.

She started in November, and has really hit the ground running. She has proven to be very hardworking and dedicated to making sure each and every client has a great experience.

Angela for years has worked in the legal field, and particularly with personal injury cases. Welcome aboard Angela, we are thrilled to have you!

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Jessica T 5 months ago

★ ★ ★ ★ ★ The Law Office of Christopher Earley took on my mothers case after her slip and fall. We had gone to countless attorneys who did not want to take the time to pursue her case. After speaking to a family relative, we were directed to Mr.Earley, who worked countless, religious, hours to ensure my mom got the justice (& money) she deserved. From the very beginning, he was attentive, caring and persistent. He never let us down, even when we felt that nothing would come of it. He remained positive and hopeful and for that we recommend him to anyone looking for a lawyer who will fight tooth and nail. We want to thank his law office for all that they do, it has been GREATLY appreciated!!!

Ross Osemwegie a month ago

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How to **PROTECT YOURSELF** From **Personal Injury Lawsuits**

by Chris Earley

As a personal injury lawyer, a large part of what I do is representing those that have been injured due to the carelessness of property owners. No one ever wants to be sued. Here are some simple ways to reduce the likelihood of being sued for a personal injury accident occurring on your property:

- 1 Always make sure all **staircases** in your home have properly secured and accessible handrails, and that they all comply with Massachusetts building code standards. Make sure any and all slipping hazards (leaks, etc.) and tripping hazards (uneven flooring, defective carpeting etc.) are fixed immediately.
- 2 Make sure to reasonably remove **snow and ice** as quickly as possible from all pathways, staircases, as well as your driveway. You don't have to make it perfect, but make sure these areas are reasonably clear of snow and ice.
- 3 If you own a **dog**, make sure your homeowners carrier insures your dog in the event it attacks and/or bites someone. Did you know in Massachusetts if your dog causes injury to someone, you can be held automatically

liable under Massachusetts law? You want to make sure you have insurance coverage if this ever happens. Having insurance can't prevent a lawsuit, but will protect you in the event you are sued for a dog bite.

- 4 If you own a **pool**, always monitor any and all guests while they are swimming. Be careful who you let use your pool. Pools are a huge liability.
- **5** Carefully make sure not to over-serve anyone that consumes **alcohol** at your property.
- 6 If you own a **trampoline**, make sure it is in proper working order, and always closely monitor any guests that use it. Trampolines are big liabilities that raise your homeowners' insurance rates. Ideally, get rid of the trampoline altogether.