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On Mon, Oct 13, 2014 at 7:44 PM, Jonathan Schmidt <jonathanthegteam@gmail.com> wrote:
Hey jessica could you call me tomorrow before 3 if possible for info on the school board meeting?

Criteria for High School Snowboard Team Awards Program

The following criteria will demonstrate how students become eligible to receive school awards through participation on the G Team Competition Snowboarding Team.

- I. Documentation that demonstrates how the time requirement (at least 150 hours) will be met.
 - A. Athletes are required to participate in both practice and competitions. Daily attendance records will be kept to establish the accrual of participation.
 - B. Practices for athletes are held 3-4 days per week for 6 months, estimating a total of 72 days or 162 hours of practice. Athletes must participate, at minimum, 85% of scheduled practices for freestyle or alpine, resulting in, at minimum, 138 hours.
 - C. Due to the nature of snowboarding, events are specialized into disciplines: slalom, giant slalom, halfpipe, slopestyle, boardercross, and Rail Jam. Competitions for athletes are scheduled as single day events with a total of 3-4 events per discipline during the season. Athletes must specialize in at least two disciplines. Therefore, athletes must participate in at least 2 events per discipline, competing in a total of 4 events. As a result, participation will accrue at least a total of 20 hours of competition.
Through the combined participation of practice and competition, athletes who meet or exceed the team's requirements will meet the time requirement set by the High School.
- II. Demonstrate how the requirement for public contests, performances, and/or competitions will be met.
 - A. Athletes are required to participate in the Upper Midwest Points Series, a regional snowboarding competition series sanctioned by the United States of America Snowboarding Association. Athletes may also compete in the Am Thrash Rail Jam Series in addition to USASA.
 - B. Athletes must specialize in at least two disciplines of competitive snowboarding.
 - C. Athletes compete in regional events within their own gender and age division on an individual and team basis.
 - D. Athletes must compete in their age group/division for the overall championship to earn their award at the "Lettering Level."
 - E. Athletes will accrue points, which are awarded through their finishes, in order to

become a "regional champion" for their age group/division and to accumulate points towards the High School Championship for their team.

- III. Demonstrate how the criteria for level of performance will be met.
 - A. Participation by athletes must be of the "advanced" level as opposed to the "entry" level.
 - 1. Athletes will be evaluated initially to assure their performance level as being advanced.
 - 2. Athletes will then be evaluated on an on-going basis throughout the season, in order to meet or exceed the requirements for being at the advanced level. Requirements include:
 - a. Mastery of basic fundamentals of snowboarding.
 - b. Mastery of skills and techniques necessary for their specialized disciplines.
 - B. Athletes who meet or exceed the above requirements will be awarded with "Participation." Athletes who meet or exceed the above requirements for competitions will earn their participation at the "Lettering Level."