



REQUEST FOR NAMING OR RENAMING FACILITIES

Requested by: EVAN DAYWITT
 (Name of individual or group)

Name of Contact Person: EVAN DAYWITT

Address: 130 VALLE VISTA DRIVE GRANTS PASS OR 97527

Date of Request: 2-12-13 Phone Number: 541-955-4488

Facility or Portion of Facility Involved: (Please be specific; i.e. library
 at Hidden Valley High School)
NORTH VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL FIELD

Proposed Name: AARON DAYWITT MEMORIAL BASEBALL FIELD

Detailed Reason for Request: (Continue on back of form) _____
SEE ATTACHED

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ACTION

Committee Members: _____

Chairperson: _____
 (District Office Administrator)

Meeting Date: _____

Date/Method of Publicizing Information to Community: _____

Nomination of Additional Names (if applicable): _____

Recommendation to Board: _____

Reasons for Recommendation: _____

Associated Costs: _____

BOARD ACTION

Action Taken: _____ Date: _____

Reason for Request

James Aaron Daywitt was killed in a bicycle accident on September 20, 2012. Aaron graduated from North Valley High school in 1981. He was the in the first class to attend all four years . Aaron was well respected in his class and was student body president as well as a good student. What set Aaron apart from other students at North Valley in the formative years was the fact that he excelled in athletics. Aaron was first team all conference his junior and senior years in both football and baseball. What was impressive though was that he was named all state in both baseball and football. He pitched in the North versus South baseball all star game for High Schools as well as playing in the East versus West Shrine Game in football as a quarterback. Aaron was the first athlete at NV to be named all state in two sports.

Aaron was one of the first players and pitchers to play on North Valley's baseball field when it was finished in the second year of the schools existence. He excelled there and put North Valley on the map and established pride for the years to come. He took great pride playing for North Valley and loved the High School as did our family.

I think the baseball field should be named the "Aaron Daywitt Memorial Baseball Field" in honor of one of North Valleys greatest athletes. Aaron helped North Valley set winning traditions and gave the future something to be proud of.