

Memo

To: Board of Trustees
From: Casey Grove & Dan Holtry, Athletic Directors
CC: R. Sauer, Superintendent; Matt Holtry, Principal
Date: August 1, 2015
Re: Athletic Director Report August, 2015

We are very excited about this upcoming school year. The 2014-2015 sports year was one to remember and the 2015-2016 school year has the potential to be even better!

We will hold a Fall Sports Parent night Tuesday August 11th to help distribute forms to parents in hopes to cut down on the paperwork that the fall coaches face each year. The baseline concussion test will be available for those athletes who chose to be tested. This is not a mandatory test. The testing will take place in the schools computer labs. The meeting will be for football, volleyball and cross-country parents and athletes. Thursday July 30th was the sports physicals at rehab authority and through that we will receive a kick back (\$\$\$) to our athletic department. This will help in the purchasing of our athletic tape, wraps, and first aid.

Fall Sports-

All fall sports practices will be starting on Friday, August 14th.

Volleyball-

First live competition for Volleyball will be on August 25th with a Jamboree @ Melba followed by the first home match of the year vs Melba on August 27th, then will be competing that weekend of the 29th at the Kuna Invitational Volleyball Tournament.

Football-

First live competition for Football will be the Jamboree in Homedale on Saturday August 29th at 10:00 am. The following week the JV will be playing at Melba on September 3rd with the Varsity playing the first home game of the season vs Melba on Friday September 4th.

Coach Holtry is expecting 58+ kids coming out for football this season. He is having his senior retreat on August 8th in New Meadows. They had an excellent turnout all summer and competed at a high level at camp in July versus teams such as Eagle, Kuna, and Nampa High School.

Cross Country-

First cross country contest will be at Vale on August 27th. Heidi has already been having voluntary runs and has had good turnouts thus far. She is expecting 25+ kids to participate this fall.

Other News...

Lynn Johnson has moved back to the Homedale area. He wants to return to help out HHS sports. Matt Holtry is in charge of talking with Lynn and the role he is going to play for our sports programs.