

July Board Report

Organized summer activities are finished, and it has been left up to the kids to workout on their own, and organize themselves. We have had a pretty good showing of boys up in the afternoon/ evenings to workout. Monday August 3rd will be the first day of 2-a-days. We will workout from 8-9:30/ 10:15-11:45 on the field for the first two weeks. The CC and girls will start their workouts on Monday August 10.

Alcohol policy update: after visiting with several schools, Amarillo High and Randall have in place what I would prefer to do. However, Coach Maxfield shared that make sure the board votes it in place, so it is not just me doing something on my own, as he got burned by some people while he was coaching in Forney. Both schools tie infractions to minimum mandatory game suspensions. Football= 1 game, basketball= 2 games, CC/Track/ Golf/ Tennis= 1 meet all for the first offense. This is equitable to 10% of the regular season on any given year. The second offense, Randall just doubles the numbers, Amarillo High jumps the suspension to 50% of a regular season. I am in favor of pushing the second offense to double the first offense. This also keeps the running punishment we currently have in place. The main reason for adding games to the policy is another deterrent for the kids. Also, I had a kid tell me last spring during a player interview, (one of my questions was if they were in favor of a stronger punishment for drug/ alcohol, which all but 2 kids in the entire program voted in favor) he said, "coach, if Clyde can run 25 miles, anyone can." Good point!

Everyone will still be in their current infraction status, example: already has a strike, they keep it, nobody starts over.

I just need confirmation if you are in favor of this as a board.

The field sign to Bobcat Stadium is up, with touchup painting to take place the week of the 20th. We are going to remove the signs from the press box, as they are faded out and look bad.