

## Football Parent Meeting/Contract

Parents,

Thank you for allowing your student athlete to participate on the football team this fall here at BSMS. Our coaching staff is extremely excited to begin the regular season and hopefully work towards our goal to win a conference championship. This meeting has been called to discuss a few things that we feel, as a coaching staff, are important for everyone to know before the season gets in full swing.

- Your student athlete's grades will be monitored during the season. When interims come out, if they have 2 F's on their interim they will be removed from the team.
- Our discipline policy is very easy to understand and very strict
  - 1 ISS = ½ game suspension, 2 ISS = full game suspension
  - 1 OSS OR 3 ISS = removal from team
- Practices are closed practices, meaning that parents are not allowed to be on the practice field/hill while the kids and coaches are on the field. This works better for us as a coaching staff and works better for the athletes as well not having the pressure of their parents watching at practice.
- Practice is over at 5:30 every day and your student athlete should be picked up by 5:45
- Playing time will not be discussed by any coach at any point in time.
  - School football is different than little league football. Our job as coaches is to win games, and we will put the best eleven on the field at all times in order to do so.
- If you need to contact a coach to express a concern please email Coach Minton (7<sup>th</sup> grade) and Coach Pruitt (8<sup>th</sup> grade), and if we need to have a meeting we may do so.

Again thank you very much for allowing your student athlete to participate this football season, and we look forward to a great season.

Thank you,

Coach Minton

Coach Page

Coach Dempsey

Coach Pruitt

Coach Hand

Coach Heatly

I \_\_\_\_\_ understand the following rules and regulations of my athlete \_\_\_\_\_ that have been stated in the letter provided to me at the parent meeting. I understand that his grades will be monitored each week, and if he receives 2 or more F's on his interim he will be removed from the football team. I understand that playing time will not be discussed by parent or athletes or coaches at any point in time. I understand that practices are to be closed practices. My student athlete also understands that if he gets in trouble at school and has ISS/OSS there will be game suspensions as consequences that could ultimately lead to his removal from the team.

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Student Athlete Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Coach's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Athletic Director Signature \_\_\_\_\_