Brandon Junior Blackhawks "What's Happening" News Letter Vol-2

I hope everyone is beginning to get fired up as we are quickly approaching the kick off of our 26th season of BJB Football and Cheer! We've been working hard in our planning of this season and are looking forward to an exciting season.

- This year we are offering something new with our "Open house/Meet and Greet", We hope to see many of you there.
- Please also note the Cheer and Football Parent Nights & Uniform Sizing dates listed below, It is very important that you and your athlete attend these events. We will be placing our wearables orders following these nights to ensure we have them for when the season begins.

Upcoming Events:

Golf Outing: Is planned for May 21st at the Captains Club in Grand Blank, This is our primary fundraiser this season. Maybe you're limited on time or not a golfer but would like to still help. Please spread the word this event is open to everyone, or maybe you know someone that would like to sponsor a hole? We have also posted several gift basket themes on signupgeniuos to be raffled off. If you're able we would appreciate any support with donations to fill the baskets.

Open House/Meet and Greet: April 22nd 6-8pm at Varsity field located behind A&W, athletes and parents will meet the BJB coaches and some fun activities are planned for the athletes to get to know their team mates, hot dogs & chips will be available.

Cheer Parent Night/Uniform Sizing: This is a <u>MANDATORY</u> meeting it will be at 6:30pm on Wednesday May 10th at the Brandon Middle School gym. There will be a short presentation and athletes will be fitted for their Camp shirts, Uniforms and Shoes.

Football Parent Night/Jersey Sizing: This is a **MANDATORY** meeting it will be at 6:30pm on Wednesday May 17th at the Brandon Middle School gym. There will be a short presentation and athletes will be fitted for their Camp Shirts and Game & Practice Jerseys.

NOTE: All paperwork (registration cards, code of conduct & concussion forms, copies of current physicals and birth certificates) should be turned in on parent night.

Skills Camp: Will be held on Saturday June 24th from 9am-noon at the Brandon High School stadium. Football Athletes will conduct various drills and Cheerleaders will begin learning cheers with the assistance of the Brandon Varsity athletes.

Camp T-shirts will be issued to registered players. Athletes should wear comfortable shorts and running shoes.

Football Required Equipment:

Each family is required to provide their athlete an athletic supporter with cup, practice sock's, cleats, and mouth guard. Many athletes prefer to have their own girdle with pads built in which is optional but recommended.

Mouth guards cannot be white or clear and must have a strap to attach it to the helmet, as the kids tend to chew on them reducing the protection they provide it is recommended a spare also be obtained. Periodic reminders will be sent out during the season requesting everyone to check for worn down mouth guards.

Cleats must be the rubber non-removable type, NO METAL CLEATS ARE ALLOWED and should be as close to all black or blue as possible. Black and white, black and blue or blue and white are acceptable.

******IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE DON'T HESITATE TO ASK******