

What an outstanding turnout at the 2017 BJB golf outing, the support we received exceeded every expectation. I'd like to say thank you to everyone that donated, volunteered and participated in and with coordinating that event.

## **Upcoming Events:**

**Football & Cheer skills camp** will be on Saturday June 24<sup>th</sup> 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.

Athletes should bring water to drink, wear comfortable shorts and running shoes. Please do not send "colored" drinks such as gator aid. If spilled they will stain the turf.

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**Football Equipment Handout** begins at 6pm on Friday July 21<sup>st</sup> at Varsity Dr. Field located between A&W and Harvey Swanson Elementary. An adult will be required to sign for equipment.

**Pre-season football camp** will be on July 24<sup>th</sup> 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> at Varsity Dr. Field from 6-9pm.

**Pre-season cheer camp** will be on July 24th, 25<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> at Varsity Dr. Field from 6-8pm. (Mascots will practice on Tuesday & Thursday only). On July 27<sup>th</sup> cheer family members are invited to participate in practice with their athlete for a fun cheer family night.

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Regular Season Begins:	Practice @ Varsity Field:			
Practice @ Varsity Field:	Football_6-9pm	Football_6-9pm	Football_6-9pm	Football <u>6</u> -9pm
Football_6-9pm	Helmets only.	Helmets only.	Football - Full equipment	(No Cheer)
Helmets only.	Cheer 6-8pm	Cheer 6-8pm	going forward	
(No Cheer)		(No Mascots)	Cheer 6-8pm	

Regular Season Practices begin on July 31<sup>st</sup> at Varsity Dr. Field,

**Pre-season scrimmage** (for Football only) will be on Saturday August 12<sup>th</sup> at the Oxford High School from 3-5pm, <u>All football athletes should arrive by 2pm for warm up's.</u> Freshman will meet at the south end of the practice field behind the school, JV will meet by the stadium press box.

**Pep rally/Game Jersey handout** will be at Varsity Dr. Field on Thursday August 17<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm, Pizza will be provided.

NOTE: All remaining paperwork (Signed registration cards, copies of current physicals & birth certificate) are due by July 24<sup>th</sup> prior to athletes participating at Pre-Season camp or practice.

**Season Schedule** - We have received our game schedule from the league, once each franchise confirms their home games are scheduled with their school districts a calendar for the season will be emailed out to each family.

## 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\*\*\*\*\*\*