

Athletic Director Report
August 13, 2012

- 1) The athletic code reading has been done.
- 2) Football and soccer started practices last week.
 - a. Transportation issues have been taken care of at this time.
 - i. Football is being taken over at 3:30 and then the bus is coming back to take the soccer players over at 5:30 and then both teams are being brought back to Bayfield at 8:00
 - ii. The schedule will change once the teams start playing games and school starts
 1. We are planning on the bus leaving around 3:35 and coming back round 6-6:15
- 3) Girls volleyball and cross country practices start August 13th.
- 4) I will be stepping down as athletic director, cross country coach and assistant baseball coach.

Mark Dooley
Athletic Director

Concerns about middle school football players riding the bus to practices:

1. The middle school program is not affiliated with Washburn, Bayfield or South Shore.
 - a. If something happens to one of the middle school players Bayfield could be held responsible.
 - i. This could open up some issues concerning liability
2. There is no supervision of the middle school players once they are dropped off at Bayfield.
 - a. On at least two occasions last year middle school players were seen horsing around doing things that were not appropriate.
 - i. Wandering around the inside of the school building and climbing the walls of the school and getting up on the roof.
 1. The middle school football players were talked to and after the second incident were told if anything happens again they would not be allowed to ride the bus to practice
3. Players not having rides at school and having to wait for parents or guardians to come and pick them up.
 - a. If something happens to a student while they are waiting for a parent or guardian to pick them up **COULD BAYFIELD BE HELD LIABLE?**