

Monday, June 29th

I met with Superintendent Norm Enfield this morning and it went well. Here are my notes.

The objective of the meeting was to make our parents and swimmers voices heard. Since I could only bring one person I brought Michael (and he represented the team well). And since I couldn't bring a bunch of swimmers we had our swimmers write letters. These letters, along with pictures, were put into a scrapbook.

This is what I gave him:

- Our Swimmers scrapbook (see attached – he was impressed, said he will read every letter)
- New team T-Shirt (guessed the correct size – he loved it)
- 'I survived the 2020 Pandemic' bag tag (he got a chuckle out of that)
- PowerPoint talking points (see attached)
- A folder with:
 - ✓ A copy of our Opening Plan
 - ✓ A copy of our liability waiver agreement
 - ✓ A copy of the sample COVID-19 waiver

He is very supportive of our getting back to training. Here are the issues he is dealing with.

1. State law requires that if a public school allows one outside group to use school facilities they must allow ALL groups access to the facilities.
2. State law also requires that if one school facility is open to an outside group ALL school facilities must be made available. This includes the outside facilities (pool, football / track field, tennis courts, basketball courts) AND the inside facilities (classrooms, gym, multi-purpose room, cafeteria, etc.).

Because of the extreme circumstances, they are working on trying to separate the outside facilities from the inside facilities. They want to open the outside facilities to outside groups as soon as possible but not the inside facilities.

There is a meeting of the athletic directors today and this is one of the topics they will be addressing along with their re-opening plans. (He noted that there is a COVID-19 state mandate requiring all public schools make the inside child care facilities available for outside childcare providers so there is a precedence for separating inside and outside.) The district legal group is also looking at this issue.

Regarding disinfectant and cleaning:

1. The union contract requires all cleaning is done by the employees. That does not mean we can't clean but does mean an employee has to be available for cleaning (frequency yet to be defined).
2. The district also requires they use their disinfectant, however, they will accept donations.

I offered that if there was anything he needed or that we could do to help to just let us know. We would be happy to help.

Norm was very receptive and understands how important it is for the athletes to get back to training. He will keep us informed on any updates.