

Dear Parent(s),

I would like to take this opportunity to provide you with information regarding some upcoming Spring and Fall events with the football program at Brennan High School. There will be four important events prior to the end of the school year. These events and dates are as follows: Spring Football Practice (April 27<sup>th</sup> – May 20<sup>th</sup>), Junior Physicals (Current Sophomores - May 7<sup>th</sup>), the Black & Gold Spring Game (May 20<sup>th</sup>), and the Varsity Athletic Awards Night (May 25<sup>th</sup>). Additionally, another very important date for all the football players is Monday, August 8<sup>th</sup> 2016, which is the first day of mandatory practice for the 2016 football season.

Our first event will be the start of Spring football practice on April 27<sup>th</sup>, 2016. All practices during Spring Football are mandatory. The kids will be competing for starting positions and team placement for next year on either the Varsity or JV football teams. We will also be watching video and lifting weights before and after school on some days. Spring Football will be the athletes' final opportunity to make the football team for the 2016 – 2017 school year as we WILL have CUTS from the football program at the end of Spring Football and the end of the school year.

May 7<sup>th</sup> is scheduled as the date for our pre-physical exams for all incoming Freshman and Juniors for the 2016 – 2017 school year. The physicals will be held at Stevens High School for all Northside athletes. All Brennan athletes (Freshmen / Juniors) are scheduled for their physicals from 11:00 – 12:00 (noon). Brennan athletes should arrive at Brennan High School by 10:15 AM with \$20 CASH. No checks will be accepted for the physicals – CASH ONLY !! The athletes should be back at Brennan High School by approximately 12:45 PM. This is a very important event and it is highly recommended that all athletes attend. All paperwork must be turned in for them to participate in Fall practices starting with two-a-days in August. Those practices will start, as mentioned previously, on Monday, August 8<sup>th</sup> and are mandatory for all football players to participate in football for the 2016 football season.

We will be hosting our 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Black & Gold Spring Football game, on Friday, May 20<sup>th</sup> at Farris Stadium. The game will be the final practice in preparation for the 2016 football season. Please come out and cheer for both your son and the Bear Football team. The Booster Club will be on hand to sell merchandise at a reduced price so be ready to buy your gear and support the team and the Booster Club.

Finally, our last major event will be the Athletic Award Ceremony slotted for May 25<sup>th</sup> in the Brennan auditorium and cafeteria. We will be recognizing all the Varsity athletes and teams for their accomplishments for the 2015 – 2016 seasons. This event is for Varsity athletes only and each athlete will be invited by the respective coaches. Please join us on this night if your son will be attending and recognized at this event.

All of these events are important for the success of the football program at Brennan High School. Please remember your continued support of our team and your commitment to volunteering with our Booster Club is critical for the success of all our athletic programs at Brennan High School. This is an exciting time for Brennan Football as we begin our quest for the UIL 6A State Championship in 2016. Thanks and have a great day as it's always a great day to be a BEAR !!

Sincerely,

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