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Mooresville Schools & Junior Football League Create Historic Partnership

The Mooresville Consolidated School Corporation and the Morris J. Cohen Junior Football League continue to build their strongest partnership in the history of the Junior Football League as the partnership with Mooresville Schools continues to develop the Mooresville Sports Complex.

Both the School and Junior Football League officials have released statements saying the four football fields at the complex continue to develop and the project for building a new concession and restroom facility was approved by the school board last week.



“The approval by the school board for the building is a great blessing for the Junior Football League,” said Brad Justus, Representative from Junior Football League. “We have been working with the school corporation since July 2010 and from day one of this project and we have always been on the same page through regular sports complex development meetings.”

After last Tuesday’s School Board Meeting, the Junior League will now begin groundwork on a building on site that will house concession stands, restrooms and storage for the complex.

“The support from the School Board and Ed Center Administration with the entire Sports Complex has been tremendous,” said Mooresville Athletic Director Chad Briscoe. “We have a great relationship with the Junior



Football League which consists of our parents and community members. We look forward to the continued growth that will take place at the complex for the kids in our community.”

The Morris J. Cohen Junior Football League (MJFL) serves the entire Mooresville community, with more than 400 kids who participate annually. The purpose of the MJFL is to provide participating youth with a healthful, enjoyable leisure time activity, and to foster in them the qualities of sportsmanship, team play, and integrity. The Junior Football League plans to move forward and break ground about half way through March and hope to start construction by April 1st.

“The Junior Football League and Mooresville Schools are making better happen in our community,” said Chad Oldham, director for football operations for the league. “We want the community to know that we are all working together and excited for the future of the Junior Football League experience at the Mooresville Sports Complex. We could not realize this dream without the varsity football coach, athletic director, Superintendent and School Boards’ leadership and support. The support we continue to receive from Mooresville Schools is unprecedented and we are very thankful.”

The Mooresville Sports Complex is also home to the League of Miracles who completed their field this past fall and the school district has additional plans for softball and baseball fields while including a cross country course.

“We are pleased that we (Junior Football League) were able to secure financial assistance through Citizens Bank to move forward with this project,” Oldham added. “We cannot thank the School Board enough for their willingness to work with us on the exciting project.”

The Mooresville Sports Complex sits on property owned by the school district and will impact the entire community through junior football league experiences, League of Miracle events, community experiences and school athletic events in the future.

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