Soccer Notes: 10.3.19



All four teams are off to a great start. We love their spirit and enthusiasm and am seeing lots of improvement from week to week. Coaches are working hard during practices and games and reporting great things about our student athletes.

New eligibility policy. Principal Lewis and Mrs. Sharpe have revised the policy and feel it is purposeful and fair. The new policy is available online and one was attached to this memo.

Each player and parent needs to sign the new 2019 form. Forms should be returned to Mrs. Sharpe (not coaches). Thank you in advance for your support with this. We will only need one set of forms per year (not one every season).

Mouthguards – Please check in with your child, they need to be wearing one and it needs to be in tact (we've seen a lot of chewed ones, that really don't serve the purpose).

With weather and bus issues and rescheduling, there have been a lot of changes to the schedules. I appreciate your support, cooperation, and flexibility. We need to share with you that our transportation department has been awesome to deal with and our students are really lucky. Attached is the October schedule with latest updates.

New Shorts – Thanks to Champs Screenprinting, who put in a rush order, we got new soccer shorts for the boys.

FYI – On Oct. 9, Principal Lewis will present a proposal to the school board for BJHS to move from the Andy Valley League to the **Cumberland County League**. This is something we've discussed for a few years. There are so many pros to making the change, it's really exciting. Our rationale will be shared on the Athletics website after her presentation.

Clothing Orders – These were delivered to Champs Screenprinting and will take about two weeks. There were a few orders given to Mrs. Sharpe after 9/23 and they will be processed, but might arrive later than the masses who were on time.

Girls Schedule Note: We had to reschedule games with Lewiston and Auburn. Fortunately, the Rec xc meet was relocated and Oct. 9 became an open date we had in common. ½ of each team will play Lewiston, the other half will play Auburn. Coaches will figure out who goes where and let players know Monday.

Boys Game on the 8th moved to the 9th due to lack of officials.

Monday the 7th not looking good for girls soccer @ OH.....we will try to reschedule...