

Wolfe City Independent School District

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Dear Parents and Guardians:

I would like to take this opportunity to address various issues that have transpired during the past four years pertaining to Home Varsity Football Games. First, there have been several instances where children (anyone under grade 9), students, parents, guardians, and patrons have exited and reentered the stadium. Second, children have been delivered to the stadium without the accompaniment of a parent or guardian. Third, children and students have been engaged in supplementary recreation instead of watching the game. Next, smoking, alcohol consumption, and illegal drug use have taken place on school property. Finally, parking has occurred in non-designated areas.

Upon concerns from the WCISD administrative team and for safety interests, I'm soliciting your help. Beginning with the Muenster Game (September 28, 2007) and all subsequent games, the following administrative policies have been established:

1. To reenter the game you must pay. This pertains to everyone who enters the stadium: children, students, and adults alike. If you leave the game, even if you entered the game with a pass, you will be expected to pay upon reentry.
2. Children are allowed into the stadium when accompanied by a parent or guardian. Children will be asked to call their parents and be picked up if they are left unsupervised.
3. Children are expected to sit and watch the game with a parent or guardian. Side football games or other auxiliary activities are no longer permitted. If children must use the restroom or need concession services, they will be accompanied by an adult.
4. Wolfe City ISD is a smoke, alcohol, and drug free environment with zero tolerance. Therefore, these actions are not permitted, by anyone, on school property.
5. Parking will be restricted to concrete areas only. Viewing the game will only be allowed inside of the stadium.

These policies should make it safer and more manageable for the administration and supervision of the games.

Sincerely,

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