



Birmingham Covington School

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2008-2009 School Year

ATHLETIC COVER LETTER

Dear BCS Parents,

Your child has expressed an interest in participating in athletics at BCS. The attached forms and fee must be completed and reviewed by Mr. Heard *prior to participation* in each sport. The forms should be turned in to the main office upon completion.

The forms attached are:

- **BPS PREPARTICIPATION PHYSICAL EVALUATION (green-one per school year needed)** – physical evaluation by the student’s physician must be dated on or after April 15, 2008.
- **BCS ATHLETICS EMERGENCY CARD (pink- one per school year needed)** – this card will be held by the coach at every practice and game and will be used to contact the parents or guardians in case of an injury or emergency.
- **STUDENT ATHLETIC PARTICIPATION AND PARENTAL APPROVAL FORM (yellow-one per school year needed)** – please be sure to fill out both sides.
- **ATHLETIC FEE AND LETTER OF UNDERSTANDING (white – one per sport needed)** – All students participating in athletics are subject to a “Pay for Play” participation fee. The fee is \$100 per sport. If cuts are necessary, the athletic fee will be refunded. No student will be excluded from a program or team for financial reasons. Please contact Bill Pugh (248.203.4428, wp02bps@birmingham.k12.mi.us) to request a waiver of the athletic fee. All information is kept confidential.

Athletes are transported to away games by school bus; however, *transportation will not be provided at the end of the away game. Parents or guardians are responsible for providing transportation of their athletes at the conclusion of the away game.*

Your child’s coach will be distributing practice and contest schedules. Maps to away contests are located in the brochure rack at BCS and available online at www.highschoolsports.net.

Additionally, please select the “Athletics” link on these websites for sports schedules, coaches contact information, team photos, and maps: www.digitalbcs.com or www.bcsonline.info.

Sincerely,

Hal Heard

BCS Interim Co-Principal
Athletic Director