# **BATESVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT**

### COMMUNICATIONS COORDINATOR . MEGAN RENIHAN

BATESVILLE, AR: As we continue to enhance our Batesville Junior High School Charter (BJHSC) and Batesville High School Charter (BHSC) campuses, the Batesville School District wants to ensure the safety and enjoyment of all our students, parents, and fans during the fall athletic season. Due to ongoing construction, we are releasing a detailed parking map and instructions for both home and visiting fans attending football games and other extracurricular activities at the football field.

To accommodate everyone and maintain a smooth, safe experience, we will offer shuttle services from two designated pickup and dropoff locations before, during, and after each **Thursday and Friday night home football game**. These measures are temporary and we appreciate your understanding as we take necessary steps to ensure safety while still providing an exciting atmosphere for our fans and athletes.

Dr. Ken James, Superintendent of Batesville School District, acknowledges the challenges but commends the efforts of all involved in making this transition as seamless as possible. "While these construction-related obstacles present unique challenges, I am incredibly proud of our team for their dedication to ensuring a safe and enjoyable experience for everyone. Our Athletic Director, BHSC administration, SROs, and construction team have worked tirelessly to coordinate efforts, and I want to give special thanks to Mayor Rick Elumbaugh and John Abbott with the City of Batesville for their support. The City has generously provided one of their units to help transport fans, further ensuring a smooth process on game days."

Additionally, we will attach the schedule so everyone is aware of what games will be impacted by these changes this season. We encourage everyone to come out and support our Pioneers, despite these temporary obstacles, as we continue to strive for excellence both on and off the field.

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**GUARDIANS:** All students 5th grade and under must be accompanied by an adult to ride the buses for transportation and enter the game. Students must be monitored by quardians during the duration of the event. No students under 5th grade will be allowed to board the bus or enter the game without supervision. Also new this year, all students will pay \$5 (K-12, 4 and under get in free) for game entry or can pay \$35 for an activity pass which will get them into all home games for the entire school year. Call 870-793-0917 and ask for Jacob Cooper to purchase student passes.

Your continued support means the world to our students, coaches, and staff. Together, we can make this a successful and memorable season.

For more details and to view the parking map, please refer to the attachment below. Let's make this season one to remember—Go Pioneers!

Football Schedule - Transportation will only be available for Thursday and Friday night home games. Monday night games - Reserved parking will be used as free parking spaces

Reserved parking passes: Coach Ryan Morrow - 870-307-8459

Student passes, athletic department: 870-793-0917

The parking map, which is attached below, includes important details such as:

- Shuttle pickup and dropoff points (Entrances and exits)
- Reserved parking areas
- Handicap parking spaces
- Designated areas for visiting buses
- Restroom locations
- Bleachers for home and visiting fans
- Tailgating spaces

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