



Anthony Wayne Local Schools

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Athletics Department

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Dear AW Generals Fans:

We are excited to welcome you to our fall athletics contests. This letter will provide you with important information related to the safety of our student-athletes, coaches, game officials and spectators.

District staff collaborate with local law enforcement and first responders to help ensure a safe and enjoyable experience. Please see below for the steps you can take to ensure you and your family are prepared in the event of severe weather or other emergency at an athletics event.

- **Keep an eye on the forecast and weather conditions.**
Lightning or other severe weather conditions may delay or cancel an event.
- **Make a plan.**
We encourage families to enjoy athletic contests and other school activities together. Please designate a meet-up location, should you get separated.
- **Be attentive.**
Event delay or cancellation information and evacuation instructions will be communicated if situations arise. Listen for announcements and follow the directions of school administrators, game officials and/or law enforcement.
- **Be patient and cooperative.**
Please cooperate with school administrators and law enforcement to help ensure the safety of the student participants and everyone in attendance. Information and further instructions will be communicated as soon as they are available.
- **If you see something, say something.**
Report any suspicious activity or items to event workers, school personnel or law enforcement. In the event of immediate danger, call 9-1-1.

In the unlikely case of inclement weather or any other emergency requiring evacuation of the athletics facilities, the following areas of safety have been identified:

Schaller Stadium

- **Players, Coaches and Team Personnel:** Return to locker room
- **Home/Visiting Marching Band and Cheerleaders:** Report to the AWHHS auditorium
- **Home/Visiting Spectators:** Return to vehicles, report to the AWHHS main gymnasium/commons area located behind the home plate area of the baseball field, or leave campus at your discretion

Soccer Facilities

- **Players, Coaches and Team Personnel**
Report to the Fallen Timbers Middle School Cafeteria

- **Home/Visiting Spectators**

Return to vehicles, report to the Fallen Timbers Middle School Gymnasium, or leave campus at your discretion

Anthony Wayne High School Gymnasium

- **Players, Coaches and Team Personnel**

Report to locker rooms

- **Home/Visiting Spectators**

Shelter in place, or leave at your discretion

AW Junior High Gymnasium

- **Players, Coaches and Team Personnel**

Report to locker rooms

- **Home/Visiting Spectators**

Shelter in place, or leave at your discretion

Safety announcements are made from the pressbox/score table prior to each athletic contest, and instructions will also be given regarding any delay, cancellation or other safety updates. In the event of emergency, area first responders and AWLS administrators will also provide direction within the facility.

Thank you for your cooperation in ensuring our public events remain a safe and enjoyable experience for all. If you have questions please feel free to contact the AW Junior High or AWHS administrators or Athletic Director.

Go Generals!

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Pat Phillips, *AWHS Assistant Athletic Director*

Marissa Dazell, *AW Junior High Athletic Director*

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