



Dear Parent,

The Executive Committee of the Georgia High School Association passed By-Law 2.67 establishing a policy that would modify practice schedules during times of extreme high temperatures and humidity. Every school must have a policy related to practice in extreme heat conditions, and a copy of the policy must be given to every athlete's parent(s). The parent must also sign the bottom of this letter stating that you have received a copy of Richmond County's Policy and Guidelines for Middle and High School Students to Prevent Heat Related Illnesses.

For several years, the Richmond County School System has had a policy related to practice during extreme heat. The guidelines within the Heat Safety section of the Athletics Handbook refer only to coaches when they are performing coaching duties. It does not cover nor is it intended to cover the duties of anyone during their role as a teacher. If at any time you feel that a coach is not abiding by our policy, please contact the school's Principal or you may call me at (706) 826-1126.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Scott McClintock

Scott McClintock
Director of Athletics
Richmond County School System

I am the parent or legal guardian of _____, who is
a student at _____ school.

I understand the Richmond County School System has developed a policy related to the Prevention of Heat Related Illnesses. This policy is in accordance with By-Law 2.67 of the Georgia High School Association, and that I have received a copy of that policy.

Parent Signature _____ Date _____