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Over the past several days, correspondence has been received from Governor Wolf's office, the Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic Association (PIAA), and the Western Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic League (WPIAL) regarding the upcoming Fall sports season. The correspondence has been inconsistent between both the Governor's office and the governing sports organizations, in which Yough School District falls.

Due to this inconsistency, we want the Yough School District community, PIAA, and WPIAL organizations to know that we will continue to work in the best interest of our students, community and programs. We have worked diligently to create an Athletic/Activities Health and Safety Plan that provides guidance to allow us to move forward with athletics/activities while promoting safe and responsive practices that meet the changing needs of COVID-19. We believe that returning to school and continuing sports can be done in a responsible manner with the best interest of our students, teachers, coaches, staff, and the entire Yough community in mind.

As a district, we continue to consult with local health experts, statewide governing organizations, and other experts in both the health and education field to monitor any developments related to COVID-19.

With that being said, the Yough School District Board of Directors will continue to follow its Yough School Board approved Athletic/Activities Health and Safety Plan, unless a mandate is provided by our governing organizations.

Thank you for your continued understanding, patience, and kindness during this challenging time.

Sincerely,



Dr. Janet M. Sardon

Superintendent

Yough School District

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