## **Policy Regarding Parental Concerns**

A copy of the team rules, seasonal activity participation, and the Athletic Code will be distributed to parents and attached to the permission form. Coaches shall have mandatory parent meeting before the start of the sport season and review their rules and schedules. Parents are expected to be role models of good sportsmanship and support for the sport that their student participates.

In the event that a parent has a concern involving a coach or sport program that their student participates; the following guidelines shall be followed:

- 1. Concerns such as playing time, player positions, coaching philosophy and/or game strategy are **NOT** items warranting individual coach/parent discussion.
- 2. Other parent concerns shall be addressed by the parent making an appointment with the coach for a private parent/coach conversation to discuss the concern and reach a resolution.
- If the meeting between the parent and coach does not resolve the concern, the parent may request a meeting with the Athletic Director and the coach to further discuss the concern and reach a resolution.
- 4. If this meeting does not resolve the concern, a final meeting between the Principal, the Athletic Director, the coach and the parent will be scheduled to discuss the concern.
- 5. The Principal is the administrative head of all inter-scholastic activities in the school and is the IESA District Representative for the District. The final decision and appeal for a resolution of the concern will be made by the Principal after the final meeting.

<i>I</i> ,	, have received and reviewed the <b>Parent</b>
(Print Name Here)	
Guide & Handbook for DPS	S #61 activities/athletics.
Parental	
Signature	Date