

Chronology of Progress in WHS Athletics

December 2013

Community Meeting at Fairview Recreation Center re: Parent Athletic Concerns

Resignation of Scott Schmitt as Head Football Coach

Resignation of David Bice as Athletic Director effective July 1, 2014 – Retained to help as needed with transition to new A.D.

January 2014

Parent / School Advisory Committee conducted interviews for new Athletic Director

Lance Carter named new Athletic Director – Beginning of Transitional Period until July 1, 2014 (Still teaching 6 classes with 1 academic planning period / Small stipend)

February 2014

Parent / School Advisory Committee conducted interviews for new Head Football Coach

Steven Davenport named new Head Football Coach - Will Teach Weight Training Classes

Resignation of David Bice as Boys Head Basketball Coach

February Break – Mr. Cook met with Coach Davenport to discuss staffing and facilities. Coach Davenport employed as ISS Coordinator in order to provide him early access to players, etc.

Preliminary search for new Head Boys Basketball Coach – As a result of multiple parent recommendations, Coach James "Bull" Martin was interviewed by Mr. Cook and Mr. Carter.

March 2014

Cortez Allen hired to teach Social Studies and serve as Assistant Football Coach

Late April 2014

Teacher Allotment Set (61 Regular Education / 21.5 Special Education Teachers) (50-55 coaching slots needed)

Displaced Teachers from LHS assigned to WHS (SS, IR Sped., Sci.)

Teacher Contracts Due

Few available teaching slots available (1 Science, 1 Math, 1 Public Safety, 1 English, 1 ISS parapro)

May / June

Coach Bull selected to serve as a Community Coach for Boys Basketball with responsibilities of the Head Coach Coach Quinton King will be the official Head Coach to comply with GHSA rules.

Completion of Teaching Staff for 2014-15 SY

Additional Progress:

2014-15 SY Mr. Carter will have 1 Academic and 2 Athletic Planning Periods

Janet Brock will serve as Athletic Secretary