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To: Crawford Central School Board

From: Bruce Stewart – Meadville Area Senior High Baseball Head Coach

RE: Spring Baseball Trip

Date: January 17, 2020

Dear Board Members:

I would like to thank you in advance for your time regarding this opportunity. We would like permission to take the High School baseball team to Sandusky, Ohio from Friday, March 13th, 2020 through Saturday, March 14th, 2020 to play a few games and be able to practice outside. There is an In Service Workday on the 13th, so they would not miss any days of school.

Every season is a struggle to get outside because of the weather and it limits the amount of outside practices we can get it before the regular season, if any. With the loss of 15 seniors over the past two seasons, I feel this younger group needs to be able to get outside much earlier as we will lack experience. The previous trips we have taken were very helpful in building team unity, building excitement about the baseball program within our youth baseball associations, and giving us the ability to practice outside.

We will be taking around 17 players, the coaching staff and as many parents that can attend. The *Meadville Baseball Boosters will be covering the cost of the trip for all players and coach's*.

While we are there, we are guranteed at least 3 games and are able to practice on their turf fields. I have obtained and added itinarary of our trip from the host of the trip and it is attached on the subsuquent pages.

Best Regards,

Bruce Stewart - Meadville Baseball Head Coach



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<u>Meadville Baseball Spring Trip Itinerary – Sandusky, OH (March 13th – 14th)</u>

March 13th -

9:00 AM – Departure from the Eldred Glen Hitting Facility after school

12:00 PM – Arrival in Sandusky, check in and lunch

1:00 PM – 4:00 PM – Practice at Sports Force Park

5:30 PM – Dinner with a team bonding activity to follow

March 14th -

7:30 - 8:30 AM - Breakfast

8:30 – 9:00 AM – Team Meeting (Hotel conference room)

9:00 AM – Departure to the Complex

10:00 - 12:00 PM - Game #1 - TBD

12:30 - 2:30 PM - Game #2 - TBD

2:30 – 4:30 PM – Lunch and batting practice

5:00 - 7:00 PM - Game #3 - TBD

7:30 PM – Dinner

8:30 PM – Departure for Meadville