

New Hartford Central School District  
Advisory Committee to Review the Interscholastic Athletic Program

**CHARGE**

**STATEMENT:** The Committee will serve in an advisory capacity to the Board of Education and work with the district toward the achievement of its educational mission according to the attached Board of Education Policy #2015.

The committee will review Board policy #6100.2 – Interscholastic Athletic Regulations. This will include review of the policy in relation to recent concerns. It is also the intent of the Board of Education to continue the long history in New Hartford of emphasizing the important qualities of the student-athlete. Recommendations will be made to the Board by June 28, 2013.

**MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE:**

The committee members will include the following and be approved by the Board of Education:

<u>Title</u>	<u>Name</u>
Chairperson	Richard Hunt
Athletic Director	Peter Alvanos
Athletic Trainer	Tim Abraham
Board Members	Paul Piotrowski
	Beth Soggs
Coach	Danielle McQueary
Community Representatives	Jamie Zalewski
	Peter Rayhill
Dean of Students, Senior High School	Tim Crowe
NHEU Representative	Mike Hogan
NHTA Representative	Peter Anderson
Physical Education Department Chair	Dan Pope
Principal, Junior High School	Keith Levatino
PTA Representative	Lynn Moretz
Student Representative	Kyle Maring
Teacher and Coach	Kevin Bovi

**The Committee Will:**

- A) Study factors that affect athletic programs including mandates and regulations.
- B) Gain an understanding of the legal parameters that govern school athletic operations.
- C) Be familiar with factors that affect athletic programs in New Hartford. (The Board of Education has the responsibility for hiring and retaining the best possible educators and has the legal responsibility for all contractual negotiations with all groups of employees. This area would not be within parameters of this committee.)
- D) Consider short and long-term goals for the school athletic program in cooperation with students, faculty, community, Board of Education, and state associations.
- E) Provide advisory recommendations to the Board of Education that will place utmost emphasis on the educational, physical, mental, and social benefits of interscholastic athletics to the student-athlete.

<b>TIMELINE:</b> February 26 -	Approve charge statement, timeline and areas of representation for committee members
March - May -	Committee meetings
June 28 -	Receive report from committee