

## **MVGS Coach Contact Policy**

Coaches are always open to meeting with players and communicating with them in areas they may have questions or concerns.

Players are expected to reach out to the coach and set up a time to meet on any questions or concerns they may have throughout the season.

If there is not resolution after the player and coach have met, the player, coach and parent may set up a time to meet.

If a resolution has still not been found, the activities director and school administration may be brought into the meeting.

### **Setting up a Meeting with the Coach**

Setting up a meeting with the coach should be done via email.

The student athlete is expected to participate in the meeting.

Please do not contact a coach directly before or after a game or practice. These can be emotional times for both the parent/player or coach. Allowing a 24-hour period of time to process content wishing to discuss is necessary and is more likely to lead to resolution.

Coaches are committed to setting up a meeting in a timely manner to work towards a positive outcome.

### **Appropriate concerns to address with coaches:**

- 1.The treatment of your daughter.
- 2.Ways to help your daughter improve her skills or understand her role on the team.
- 3.Concerns about your daughter's behavior, health and/or well-being.

It is very difficult to accept your child not playing as much as you had hoped. Coaches make decisions based on what they believe to be best for all student-athletes involved and the team.

Coaches will under no circumstance have a discussion about other student athletes or game tactics.

