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## Student Eligibility Request Form

Form ID Number  
20150905

### Type of Waiver

Transfer without Change of Joint Residence Hardship Appeal  
OSAA Rule 8.6 - Send directly to District Athletic Committee

Submitted 3/28/2016  
2015-16 School Year

### Reynolds High School Information

1698 SW Cherry Park Rd  
Troutdale, OR 97060  
(503) 667-3186

Wade Bakley, Principal  
WBakley@rsd7.net  
(503) 667-3186 x1006

Chris Coleman, Athletic Director  
ccoleman@rsd7.net  
(503) 667-3186 x1008

### Student Information

Chase J Buel

DOB: 1/20/1999

Age: 17 years 2 months (as of 3/28/16)

#### Current Address

Levi Yandell  
Cousin  
1036 SW Edgefield Ave.  
Troutdale, OR 97060  
  
(541) 915-9334

#### Parent/Guardian

Amanda Waibel  
Parent (Mother/Father)  
6842 SE Telford Road  
Gresham, OR 97080  
  
(503) 317-9111

#### Last Year's Address

Amanda Waibel  
Parent (Mother/Father)  
6842 SE Telford Road  
Gresham, OR 97080  
  
(503) 317-9111

Attends: Reynolds High School

Grade: 11

Has IEP? No

Meeting IEP? N/A

Previous: Sam Barlow High School

### Enrollment Record

SY	GR Period	Dates	School	# Credits Earned	# Classes Passed
2013-14	9 1st Semester	9/1/13 to 1/30/14	Barlow High School	3.5	7
2013-14	9 2nd Semester	2/1/14 to 6/15/14	Barlow High School	3.5	7
2014-15	10 1st Semester	9/1/14 to 1/30/15	Barlow High School	3.5	7
2014-15	10 2nd Semester	2/1/15 to 6/15/15	Barlow High School	3.5	7
2015-16	11 1st Semester	9/1/15 to 1/30/16	Barlow High School	3.5	7

### Notes

Student transferred from Barlow High School to Reynolds High School on March 1, 2016.

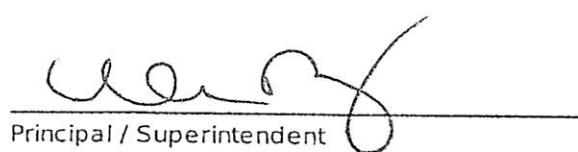
**Affirmation Statement**

Under penalty of perjury, I do affirm that no coach, parent, administrator, teacher, or other representative of the current school initiated contact or offered any inducements for the purpose of having the student attend the current school for athletic participation. Further, I authorize release of permanent school records to the Oregon School Activities Association.

**Both signatures are required.**



Parent Signature (or host family)



Principal / Superintendent

**Directions**

Ensure the Affirmation Statement section has both signatures. Send this printed Student Eligibility Request Form and any attached files to your District Athletic Committee. Do not send this to the OSAA office. Keep a copy for your school's records. Allow five business days for your request to be processed. Once a decision is made, the District Athletic Committee will notify your school.

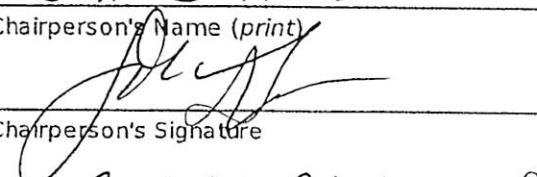
Send a printed version of this form directly to your District Athletic Committee with any other printed attachments.

**District Athletic Committee Decision**

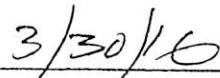
This section is to be filled out by the District Athletic Committee. Once a decision has been made, the committee shall contact the school regarding the outcome and forward a copy of this completed form and any supplemental materials to the OSAA office.



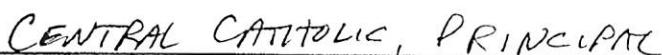
Chairperson's Name (print)



Chairperson's Signature



Date

 Approved  
 Denied

Chairperson's School &amp; Position

Notes:

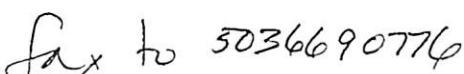
**Appeals Process**

Appeals of decisions made by the District Athletic Committee are heard by the OSAA Eligibility Appeals Board. Appeals must be requested in writing, or e-mail, and submitted to the OSAA Executive Director.

Any party filing an appeal of a decision made by the District Athletic Committee to the OSAA Eligibility Appeals Board shall be assessed a filing fee of \$100 to defray the costs to the Association of assembling the respective appeals bodies to hear the appeal.

If a waiver is denied by the OSAA Eligibility Appeals Board, an appeal can be made to a Hearings Officer under OSAA Handbook Rule 9, "Hearings Officer." Appeals to the Hearings Officer shall include an appeal fee of \$250.

For additional information, please refer to the OSAA Handbook available at [www.osaa.org/governance/handbooks](http://www.osaa.org/governance/handbooks).





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1698 SW Cherry Park Road  
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March 28, 2016

Mt. Hood Conference District Committee:

This letter is in reference to Chase Buel. Chase is currently a junior at Reynolds High School. He was previously enrolled at Sam Barlow High School until earlier this month. Chase is hoping to participate for the Reynolds Boys Golf Team but is currently ineligible under OSAA Rule 8.6 (Transfer without change of Joint Residence).

Chase is currently ineligible through no fault of his own. Growing up, Chase's father was abusive both physically and verbally. Chase's mom eventually remarried and their family relocated to the Gresham-Barlow School District, where he attended Sam Barlow High School. Unfortunately, even though Chase was no longer living with his dad, threats were still being made by his dad and at one point, Chase's dad forced his way into Chase's home and physically attacked him. Criminal charges are currently pending.

As a result, Chase and his family made the decision that it would be best for him to live with his cousin, Levi Yandell. Mr. Yandell is a detective with the Multnomah County Sheriff's Office. He lives a mile from that office and a half mile from Reynolds High School. Given the family situation, this is a much safer and better environment for Chase to be living in.

Now that he is settled in at Reynolds High School, Chase is wanting to participate in Golf because he hopes that it will help keep his mind off everything he's had to deal with. Golf will help with his healing. Golf will also help ease Chase's continued transition to Reynolds both mentally and socially.

I ask the District Committee to please consider and approve Chase's eligibility for playing golf at Reynolds. If you have any questions or need more information regarding Chase please contact me as soon as possible. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Chris Coleman  
Athletic Director / Assistant Principal  
Reynolds High School  
503-667-3186 x1008  
CColeman@rsd7.net

To whom it may concern,

I recently transferred to Reynolds High School from Sam Barlow. The reason for my transfer is that I moved in with my cousin in the Reynolds district because it was a safer place for me to be due to the abuse I've had from my biological father who currently has a warrant out for his arrest. The abuse happened at the house I was living in, which is in the Sam Barlow district. This transfer was in no way my choice or in my control. That is the reason I transferred schools.

The reason I am requesting sports eligibility is because sports are the only things I have really looked forward to recently with all this going on. Sports give me self-confidence, a hunger for success and a work ethic that is needed to win. Sports have taught me more life lessons than anything else. My love for sports goes back through my entire life. Next year will be my senior year, the year I've been working for my entire football career. It would feel like a punishment for something that was out of my control, to have sports taken away.

Thank you for your time and consideration,

Chase Buel

## Chase Buel\_Request for Special Consideration to Participate in Athletic Program

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March 14, 2016

Mr. Levi Yandell  
1036 SW Edgefield Ave.  
Troutdale, OR 97060

Mr. Coleman  
Assistant Principal/Athletic Director  
Reynolds High School  
1698 SW Cherry Park Road  
Troutdale, OR 97060

Mr. Coleman:

This is a request for you to petition the OSAA District Committee for special consideration through the Transfer Hardship Appeals Procedure, in allowing student Chase Buel to participate in the Reynolds High School Athletic Program.

My name is Levi Yandell and I am Chase's cousin. For clarification, based on our age difference, he refers to me as his uncle. Chase recently moved from his mother's residence located in the Barlow School District, to my residence, 1036 SW Edgefield Ave. in Troutdale, OR, within the Reynolds School District.

The circumstances related to his change of residence are in reaction to the behavior displayed by his biological father, Bruce Buel. Bruce has been criminally convicted of physical violence against Chase in the recent past. That incident involved Bruce entering Chase's mother's residence (of which Bruce was not a resident, he and Chase's mother have been divorced for some time, and he does not exercise any parental rights or privileges) and attacked Chase.

The conditions of Bruce's sentencing included a term of probation, of which he is reportedly violating at this time. Bruce has threatened additional acts of violence towards Chase specifically, and other family members in general.

Chase's mother, Amanda Waibel, has additional children living at her residence, located in a remote area of Multnomah County. She has expressed concern for Chase's safety, based upon Bruce's past behavior, his threats of additional violence, and his current status of being in violation of his probation.

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It was decided as a family that Chase, as well as others at his mother's residence, would be in a safer environment if he were to live with me, acting as his guardian/*in loco parentis*. Chase is currently living at my residence, approximately  $\frac{1}{2}$  a mile from Reynolds High School, and 1 mile from my office at the Multnomah County Sheriff's Office, 234 SW Kendall Court in Troutdale.

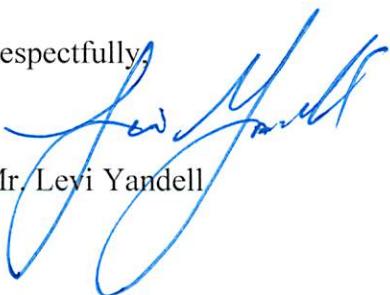
Chase receives a great deal of satisfaction from his involvement in sports, and his continued participation will greatly benefit his physical and mental development. I believe his continued involvement in sports will allow him to proceed in maturing socially, expand his leadership and critical thinking skills, as well as strengthen his self-esteem.

As the dynamics of this circumstance are clearly beyond his and his mother's control, I ask that this be taken into account when determining Chase's eligibility to participate in the Reynolds High School Athletic Program.

I thank you for your time.

Respectfully,

Mr. Levi Yandell



Student Name <b>Buel, Chase J.</b>				Reynolds School District Reynolds High School			Transcript Reynolds High School March 28, 2016 <a href="http://www.reynolds.k12.or.us/rhs">http://www.reynolds.k12.or.us/rhs</a>		
Perm ID <b>310788</b>	State ID <b>9032231</b>	Grd <b>11</b>	Gen <b>M</b>				Phone <b>971-317-9111</b>	Diploma Type <b>Regular</b>	Phone <b>503-667-3186</b>
Date Of Birth <b>01/20/1999</b>		Graduation Date				School Address <b>1698 SW Cherry Park Rd Troutdale, OR 97060</b>			
Home Address <b>1036 SW Edgefield Ave Troutdale, OR 97060</b>									

Subject Course Title Mark Cred Cmp			Subject Course Title Mark Cred Cmp			Graduation Requirements - Credit Summary						
Barlow High School			Barlow High School			Subject Area Req'd Compl Needed						
Yr: 2014 Month: 1 Grade: 09			Yr: 2015 Month: 6 Grade: 10			AS - American Studies 1.000 1.000						
GE Intro Food C 0.500	EL Teacher Aide P 0.500	BI - Biology 1.000 1.000	GE Spanish 1-2 C 0.500	EL Spanish 3-4 C 0.500	EL - Elective 6.000 4.500 1.500	GE Success Through Technol C 0.500	LA English 3-4 C 0.500	GE - World Lang/CTE/Arts 3.000 3.000				
IN Physical Science C 0.500	MA Geometry D 0.500	GO - Government/Econ 1.000 0.500 0.500	LA English 1-2 D 0.500	HE - Health 1.000 0.500 0.500			MA Algebra 1 C 0.500	IN - Integrated Science 1.000 1.000				
MA Algebra 1 C 0.500	PE PD 1 C 0.500			LA - Language Arts 4.000 2.500 1.500			PE PD 1 C 0.500	LA - Language Arts 4.000 2.500 1.500				
Cred Cmp: 3.500 GPA: 1.857			Cred Cmp: 3.500 GPA: 2.167			MA - Math 3.000 2.500 0.500						
Barlow High School			Barlow High School			MH - Modern World History 1.000 0.000 1.000						
Yr: 2014 Month: 6 Grade: 09			Yr: 2016 Month: 1 Grade: 11			PE - Physical Education 1.000 0.500 0.500						
EL Fitness Rec Sports 1 C 0.500	EL Renaissance Leadership B 0.500	SC - Science 1.000 0.500 0.500	GE Intro to AutoCAD C 0.500	EL Fitness Rec Sports 1 A 0.500	TOTALS 24.000 17.500 6.500			Graduation Requirements - Test History				
GE Metals 1 B 0.500	EL Child Development 1 B 0.500	Test Name Admin Dt Result Method Score			Test Name Admin Dt Result Method Score			Test Name Admin Dt Result Method Score				
GE Spanish 1-2 C 0.500	GO Government C 0.500	Prsnldz Lrng	Not Taken	ES Reading	02/05/2014	Passed	OSA	ES Writing	Not Taken			
IN Physical Science C 0.500	LA English 5-6 D 0.500	ES Math	01/16/2014	ES Math	Not Passed							
LA English 1-2 B 0.500	MA Financial Algebra C 0.500											
MA Algebra 1 C 0.500	SC Green Science C 0.500											
Cred Cmp: 3.500 GPA: 2.286			Cred Cmp: 3.500 GPA: 2.429			Continued on next column...						
Barlow High School												
Yr: 2015 Month: 1 Grade: 10												
AS US History C 0.500	BI Biology C 0.500	EL Strength and Conditioning C 0.500	EL Spanish 3-4 C 0.500	HE PD 2 C 0.500	LA English 3-4 C 0.500	MA Geometry C 0.500						
Cred Cmp: 3.500 GPA: 2.000												
Barlow High School												
Yr: 2015 Month: 6 Grade: 10												
AS US History B 0.500	BI Biology C 0.500	EL Strength and Conditioning B 0.500										

M = Modified Course

<b>GPA SUMMARY</b>			
<u>HS Weighted GPA</u>	<u>HS Unweighted GPA</u>		
Weighted GPA	2.147	Unweighted GPA	2.147
Enter Date 03/01/2016		Ranked By HS Weighted GPA	
Class Rank		Graduation Date	
Class of 2017			

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date 03/28/2016  
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