PROOF OF GRADE VERIFICATION AND PROTEST POLICY

Proof of Grade: **Any team participating in the BYFC must have proof of each player's grade available at the BYFC playing site. This information does *NOT* need to be submitted to the MYAS prior to the tournament.**

Listed below are a few examples of documentation that will prove an athlete's **grade** eligibility.

- Signed letter, on school letterhead, from school official verifying player's name and grade level
- ***Copy*** of current student I.D. with player's name, school year and grade level clearly indicated
- ***Copy*** of current report card with player's name, school year and grade level clearly indicated

It is strongly recommended that teams request a letter from the players' school(s) that identifies them by name and grade. This letter must be on school letterhead and must be signed by a school official.

GRADE DOCUMENTATION - PROTESTS

Coaches do ***NOT*** need to submit grade verification for their players to the MYAS prior to the tournament. However, **they *MUST* have grade verification for all players with them at all times during the tournament.** Failure to produce grade verification (see above) upon request may result in suspension of play and/or disqualification.

If a team files a protest and requests to see another team's grade documentation during the tournament, they must ***FIRST*** supply their own team's grade documentation and a $100 cash protest fee to the MYAS Tournament Director. The protest fee will be returned if the protest is upheld.