Response to WDAF’s request for records under the Missouri Sunshine Law, Chapter 610, Revised Statutes of Missouri.

**The make and model of football helmets owned and used by the Raytown School District;**

               Middle School: Schutt Youth Advantage

               High school: Schutt DNA/Air Advantage/Air XP/ION

                                      Riddell/Rawlings

**The Raytown School District’s policy and/or procedure regarding how often it replaces the football helmets it owns and uses;** We follow NOCSAE (National Operating Committee on Standards for Athletic Equipment) and NAERA (National Athletic Equipment Reconditioners Association) standards on purchasing helmets.

**The Raytown School District’s policy and/or procedure regarding how often it reconditions the football helmets it owns and uses;**

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We follow NOCSAE and NAERA standards on reconditioning helmets.

**The name of the company hired to recondition the helmets owned and used by the Raytown School District;** Schutt Sports  [www.schuttsports.com](http://www.schuttsports.com/%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank)

**The name of the person or company responsible for fitting the helmets used by football players in the Raytown School District**

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 Our football coaches have been trained by manufacturers through clinics and seminars.

**The Raytown School District’s policy on prevention and treatment of concussions;**

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We follow updated and approved techniques from MSHSAA (Missouri State High School Activities Association) and NFHS (National Federation of State High School Associations).

[www.raytown](http://www.raytown) [schools.org](http://schools.org/)

Policy IGD-AP2 District Sponsored Extra-Curricular Activities and Groups

School Board Policy states:  #3 The district is a member of the Missouri State High School Activities Association (MSHSAA) and will adhere firmly to MSHSAA's rules and regulations and the philosophy of interscholastic athletics that MSHSAA encourages.

School Board Policy states:  #9 The district will, on an annual basis, distribute information about concussions and brain injuries to each student participating in district athletic activities along with a form for acknowledging receipt of the information. The form must be signed and returned to the district by the parent/guardian, or the student if he or she is at least 18 years old or otherwise legally permitted to contract, before the student will be permitted to participate in any athletic practice or competition. This policy is fulfilled through the District Activities Handbook.

School Board Policy states:  #7 Students with suspected concussions or brain injuries will only be allowed to participate in accordance with law.

**The Raytown School District’s policy on head-to-head blocking or tackling in football**

We do not allow nor teach head-to-head blocking or tackling in football. Our coaches attend coaching clinics and seminars where they learn the latest approved coaching techniques (to avoid head-to-head collisions) supported by MSHSAA and NFHS.

**Randy Thomas**

**District Activities Director**

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