Henderson County Archery Building Expansion

Points of interest to be presented to Henderson County School Board of Education

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Presented by Jennifer Brown, Archery Club President

* The Henderson Archery Program is a proven success both academically and behaviorally.
* Over 300 students and six schools (including Holy Name School) participated in the program last year.
* Current archery building has provided a safe and comfortable place for students to practice, receive after school snacks and homework help when needed.
* Building is used by the archery students 5 days per week from school close to approximately 7:30pm during the fall and spring. Some Saturdays are also open when extra practice is needed. Depending on the competition team’s success the building may be used an additional two months a year to practice for the World Tournament.
* We have six elementary schools that are not currently participating in the Archery Program. All in some manner have shown interest in expanding our program to their school. Due to current lack of practice time/space prevents us from absorbing more teams.
* No school dollars are used for our program. We are fully funded by donations and grants. These dollars cover all our costs, including equipment and transportation.
* The Henderson County Archery Board would like to request the board of Education’s permission to build an additional archery building pending approval by all state, local and school authorities.
* As before, the Henderson County Archery Board will be responsible for providing necessary forms to Kentucky Department of Education Building Office through Mr. Walt Spencer or his designee.
* The Henderson County Archery board will be responsible for obtaining all approvals from state, county and city offices.
* The Henderson County Archery Board will be responsible for obtaining all funds necessary to prepare the site and construct the building. The Henderson County School System will not be fiscally responsible for the building until completion of the new building. Only funds, mainly from donations, from the Henderson County Archery Club’s activity/building funds will be used to pay for the building. No taxpayer school funds will be used for construction.
* Henderson County Archery Board President or other board officer will provide periodic updates to the Henderson County Board of Education until completion of the project.
* A preliminary sketch has been provided with this document.
* Architectural Services will be obtained by the Henderson County Archery Club. We are now in the process of selecting an architect to help us with this project.
* Depending on how much time is used to gather, submit and get approval of paperwork from all necessary offices we hope to complete this project before the beginning of the 2012-2013 school year.