

plastic field concerns

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Good afternoon I am concerned about the use of plastic fields for our student athletes. while i am not familiar with all the chemistry behind it I know for sure the the use of plastic is not good in either the manufacturing of it or the disposal of it. When i moved here in 1984 i did so because it was different in such a great way and seems are we just following along what all the other sports teams are doing why not stand up and show them we don't need artificial turf to be the best players out there. I would be very careful of phase 1, what are all the details for phase 2. hopefully all grass fields.Lets not forget that these fields are all very close to 3 of the Wells for the town of Oak Bluffs. I hardly think having plastic fields is going to make a big improvement in the future of our sports teams. If was up to me i would put the money towards other programs within the regional high school there is way to much emphasis on Sports in this and most other schools. Thanks Tim

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