

- There should be an alarm system that goes to the SRO kiosk or office that alerts the deputy anytime an outside door is opened. If the door is kept open with a door stop or other object, the alarm system should indicate it is still open. This helps prevent a problem if a teacher purposefully keeps an outside door open with a door stop or a student opens an outside door.
- Cameras are critical so the SRO can see what is happening at an outside entrance if the alarm goes off.
- The laminate film on all outside windows is really important because it not only helps deflect a shot from outside the building, but it keeps the glass intact. You want light in the building, but you do not want glass to be easily shot out to allow unwanted entry. The film is designed to keep the glass together.
- If possible, it would be helpful to use glass that you can see out but is opaque from the outside.
- There should be panic buttons in the classrooms and administrative area which go to SRO kiosk/office.
- Anyone allowed in the building after school starts is buzzed in and only has access to administration area. Anyone allowed further should be escorted.
- If SRO can see hallways, it will keep down fights and inappropriate behavior.
- Some buildings have fire doors that shut off areas automatically with an alarm. Could use automatic hallway doors locking with a panic button.
- There should be joint training with the Sheriff's Department and the Jonesborough Police Department so that first responders take the necessary action steps without delay.
- The Jonesborough Police and Fire Departments should have layout plans of the school and any area color or other type coding that would indicate where a problem or possible fire is occurring. Fire alarms should alert the Jonesborough Fire Department as well for fastest response time.
- Sprinkler systems should be inspected well to ensure nozzle heads are set properly where they will not turn accidentally.

ATHLETICS

Conversation with Danny Good, Josh Kite

- Outside entrance location is important because people need to be able to get to bleachers without having to cross the gym floor to get there. A person should be able to go to either side of the gym without being on the gym floor. Ridgeview is poorly designed.

- There should be at least eight (8') feet from the gym floor baseline to wall.
- Bathrooms need to be easily accessible within gym area.
- Bleachers should be on both sides of the floor to separate parents.
- Bleachers should be symmetrical and no more on one side than the other.
- The concession area should be situated with a window that allows worker(s) to see what is happening on the gym floor. This helps in getting volunteers in concessions.
- There is no need for laundry services associated with the gym. There is a need with CDC students, but in that area.
- They recommend not constructing a track at the K-8 school. Meets are typically held at high schools and there is a big cost for very limited use. There is a much bigger need for a cross country course than an asphalt track.
- A football field is needed, but it needs to serve as a soccer field as well.
- If there is any way, the football/soccer field should be artificial turf. Soccer continues to grow, and the overuse of fields creates substandard fields, or to prevent severe damage they become underused. Artificial turf allows year-round use, and the cost is retrieved over the years with the major reduction in maintenance.
- Although it is really nice to have artificial turf on baseball fields, they are used during spring and summer, and natural grass is not nearly the problem as football/soccer.
- Many schools are going to lacrosse and field hockey which also use a football/soccer type field. It is hard to add those sports without artificial turf because the field gets too torn up.
- Bleachers must accommodate large crowds. Stands at Grandview and Ridgeview are full. Plan was to seat 500, but need is more like 750-1000.
- It would be really helpful to have outside restrooms also serve as dressing rooms. Participating students typically have to come dressed because there are no dressing rooms.
- With a quad-plex four field layout, there needs to be more space between fields. If space is an issue, there needs to be higher screening between fields.
- They would rather have four baseball fields instead of two baseball and two softball, if space allows. Baseball fields can be used for softball but not the reverse.
- Athletic directors would like to meet with Jonesborough Park & Recreation to discuss scheduling priorities and maintenance expectations.
- Will there be separate storage areas for school/equipment vs Park & Rec equipment?
- There were 36 tournaments last year at Ridgeview and Grandview.

- With artificial turf, Washington County could host Tri-Cities middle school jamboree.
- Knoxville middle schools play on artificial turn.
- Second story towers at ball fields are not needed.
- Scorers are better off with access to scoreboard controls at field level.
- Second story booths could be used for dressing rooms, or certain types of storage.
- The track at the existing Jonesborough Middle School could be preserved and used if a track is needed.

OTHER GYM COMMENTS FROM BOONES CREEK SCHOOL STAFF

- The gym is great, and the drop-down curtain separating space in the gym is a good idea.
- The auxiliary gym is really a good space and frequently used, especially with CDC kids
- Music white boards in auxiliary gym are not used because music classes cannot get access to area.
- The stage area in the gym is not used as a theatre because related arts cannot use it when gym is full of student activities.
- The auxiliary gym is used for archery and is too small for that activity.
- The auxiliary gym does not need hardwood maple floors. It would be better if a somewhat cushioned surface is used.
- Putting the gym and cafeteria together with a common narrow hallway is a big problem causing congestion with K-2 kids competing with 7th & 8th graders. Essentially the entire school population is funneled into one wing of the school near lunch time.

CAFETERIA/NUTRITION – CAITLIN KITE

- While the Boones Creek School kitchen is a fully operational commercial kitchen, it is not realistic for Boones Creek to prepare food for a new Jonesborough school, even with additional employees. Boones Creek is preparing off-site meals now and they are serving at Boones Creek from 10:30am to about 1:15pm, about 757 lunches a day, and they are serving 392 breakfasts each day and end of day snacks (prepared food).
- In looking at ways to save money, consider the following: