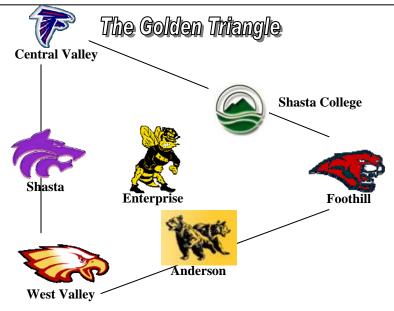
## Transportation Guidelines for Parents of Student-Athletes



## Events occurring **OUTSIDE** the Golden Triangle

• District transportation will be provided for <u>all</u> athletic contests occurring OUTSIDE the Golden Triangle. Student-athletes must ride to and from the competition on the district provided bus(es) (19 or more student-athletes), van(s) (18 or less student-athletes), or district approved private vehicle(s).

## Events occurring **INSIDE** the Golden Triangle

- If district transportation is provided **INSIDE** the Golden Triangle, student-athletes must ride to and from the competition on the bus/van.
- For events occurring 1/2 hour after the end of the school day:
  - o When district transportation **is provided** to and from the athletic event, student-athletes must ride to and from the competition on the bus/van.
  - When district transportation <u>is not provided</u> within the golden triangle, parents are responsible for student-athlete transportation. Parents may allow student-athletes to drive themselves and/or siblings to athletic contests within the golden triangle.
  - o If a return trip **is not provided** within the Golden Triangle, student-athletes will be released to return home directly. These rare situations should be well publicized by the school and coaches so nobody gets stranded.
- Student-athletes may not drive other students to and/or from athletic events.

## Exceptions

- Any exceptions to transportation guidelines will be made when the parent contacts the principal or designee in advance (by note or call) of the activity. In these cases the student-athlete will be released by the person in charge, upon direct authorization by the principal or designee, to the parents only.
- All authorized transportation of pupils in private cars must be by drivers who have filled out the proper parent form (*Application to Provide Student Transportation* available at the school's main office) showing limits of insurance.
- Only employees of the District may drive district vans or other district vehicles. This includes walk-on coaches under contract. This does not include volunteers or parents.