

## JACKSONVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT #117

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Mike McGiles, Director of Operations

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March 6, 2019

Dear Mr. Schlessinger,

Thank you for writing to Jacksonville School District 117 with your request for information pursuant to the Illinois Freedom of Information Act, 5 ILCS 140/1 et seq.

On March 6, 2019, you requested the following records concerning the IESA Wrestling Sectional Tournament held in Jacksonville on March 2, 2019:

\* All available communication, score sheets and video concerning my son Elijah Schlessinger's sectional tournament match last Saturday.

As the FOIA Officer for Jacksonville School District 117 I am writing to inform you that some of the information you requested may not be covered under the Freedom of information Act. Furthermore, some of the information requested does not exist. One part of your request does fall under the scope of the Freedom of Information Act and will be provided to you.

There is no written record of any communication regarding your son's match. The only communication was verbal and that would not be considered a public record. Therefore, it is not public information and as such is not covered under the Freedom of Information Act.

No public video exists of the match. There are no security cameras in the facility where the match occurred nor was the match recorded by Jacksonville School District 117. Therefore, there is no public record to provide you under the Freedom of Information Act.

The score sheet for the match is attached to the email response sent to you on March 6, 2019.

You have a right to have the response to your request reviewed by the Public Access Counselor (PAC) at the Office of the Illinois Attorney General. 5 ILCS 140/9.5(a). You can file your Request for Review with the PAC by writing to:

Public Access Counselor  
Office of the Attorney General  
500 South 2nd Street  
Springfield, Illinois 62706  
Fax: 217-782-1396  
E-mail: [publicaccess@atg.state.il.us](mailto:publicaccess@atg.state.il.us)

You also have the right to seek judicial review of your denial by filing a lawsuit in the State circuit court. 5 ILCS 140/11.

If you choose to file a Request for Review with the PAC, you must do so within 60 calendar days of the date of this denial. 5 ILCS 140/9.5(a). Please note that you must include a copy of your original FOIA request and this denial letter when filing a Request for Review with the PAC.

Sincerely,

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