

"Home of the Braves"

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Baldwin Park High School is requesting relief from the Valle Vista League. Overall, we have been in last place or second to last place in all sports and are not competitive in any sport except for boys' soccer.

The last 2 ½ years 2016-2019:

- Girls' Sports record overall: 25-157 win percentage of: 13%
- Boys Sports record overall: 44-138 win percentage of: 24%
 - Not counting soccer the Boys Record: 19-135 win percentage of: 14%
- Baldwin Park Athletics overall is 69-295: win percentage of 18%
 - Without boys soccer overall athletic record is: 44-292: win percentage of 13%

Overall, besides Boys Soccer we have not been competitive in any other sport. We have averaged consistently double-digit losses, which has equated to our numbers dropping in overall participation in all sports. Not being competitive in athletics has also diminished our schools culture and spirit. In addition, it is demoralizing for our students' continually to lose in this way. We believe our student athletes deserves a chance to participate in a league that is comparable to their skills and abilities. Our desire is to be in a league that we can compete to help change the current low moral culture at our site. We hope we are given the opportunity to allow our student athletes to have the opportunity to fell they have a chance to experience the feeling of being competitive.

Thanks for your consideration,

Gilberto Rodriguez

Principal.

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