MADISON COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 12

Madison County

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Madison CUSD #12 will maximize ALL students' potential to be successful in the world.

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Madison Family,

We wanted to update you about the shooting that occurred during a youth league football game on the evening of November 1, 2026.

The football game was not sponsored or organized by the District. Rather, the event was organized and ran by a third party, as authorized under Board Policy 8:20. Nevertheless, this violence affects our entire community.

The Major Case Squad of Greater St. Louis and the Federal Bureau of Investigations have been working the case since early Monday morning. Through their investigation, they have identified a suspect and several persons of interest. Law enforcement is currently following-up on these leads.

The suspect is not believed to be from Madison and is not believed to pose a threat to the school district. Out of an abundance of caution, the district has taken additional steps to ensure students, staff, and the community are safe at all district sponsored events.

If you have any information you would like to share regarding this incident, you can the Major Case Squad at 314-831-7000 or Crime Stoppers at 866-371-8477.

The District will share additional information relevant to our school community as it becomes available and is verified.