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Central Kitsap School District

School district employee arrested on charge of sexual misconduct

SILVERDALE, Wash. -- A member of the coaching staff of an Olympic High School (OHS) club sport has been arrested and booked into the Kitsap County Jail on suspicion of sexual misconduct with a minor.

Mr. Tyson Alexander Ebert, 25, of Bremerton, was arrested by Kitsap County Sheriff's detectives Thursday afternoon in Silverdale, following an investigation into allegations of an inappropriate sexual relationship involving Mr. Ebert and a student.

Mr. Ebert has been charged by the Kitsap County Prosecuting Attorney's Office with sexual misconduct with a minor, 1st degree (**RCW 9A.44.093**). Bail was set initially at \$50,000.

The investigation was requested by the sheriff's school resource officer assigned to OHS. School officials had received information concerning inappropriate contact between the coach and a student. During the investigation sheriff's detectives developed probable cause that Mr. Ebert had engaged in sexual activity, to include sexual intercourse, with the student.

Mr. Ebert is scheduled to appear in Kitsap County Superior Court today at 3 p.m.

The Central Kitsap School District (CKSD) has suspended Mr. Ebert from employment without pay, and school district administrators will recommend termination of his employment to the CKSD Board of Directors.

Persons with information concerning possible additional criminal activity involving this investigation are requested to contact Detective Lt. Jon VanGesen, 360-337-7192, or Detective Dave Meyer, 360-337-5617.