



Athletic Newsletter

November 20, 2020

SPORTS UPDATE

The 2020-21 school year has been challenging. We in the athletic office are working hard to ensure that we have all seasons this school year. So far we have succeeded in accomplishing that for fall sports. The Winter start dates have been pushed back to December 7th for High School sports and December 14th for Middle School sports. This may change again, but at this time this is where we stand, keep looking for our Athletic Newsletter for updates or the Web Page <https://www.spring-ford.net/high-school-athletics>.

SPECIFIC HIGH SCHOOL SPORTS INFORMATION

HS Boys' Basketball (grades 9-12)

Tryouts for all 9-12 boys will begin on Monday, December 7th, and run through Wednesday, December 9th. Practice times for these days will be 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm. Location: Monday & Wednesday at the 10-12 center, Tuesday at the 9th grade center. If you have any questions, please contact Coach Talley: Ctall@spring-ford.net

HS Girls' Basketball (grades 9-12)

Tryouts for all 9-12 girls will start Monday, December 7th and run through Thursday, December 10th. Practice times for these days will be 3:00pm on the floor to 5:15pm. Location: Monday & Wednesday – 9th Center, Tuesday & Thursday High School. Any questions, please contact Coach McDaniel: mmcda@spring-ford.net

HS Bowling Boys and Girls 2020-21(grades 9-12)

- Tryouts will be held on December 7-9th 2:45 – 5:30, bus departs at 2:40 from the cafeteria annex.
- Bring any bowling equipment you may have (ball, shoes), Bring a face covering

We lost 12 seniors and WE NEED BOWLERS regardless of experience. Hope to see everyone at the meeting on the 11th!

If you are interested in trying out for the team please sign into SF Bowling google classroom, code: 2hzer7f

Any questions email Coach Souder rsoud@spring-ford.net

HS Winter Track (grades 9-12)

Stay in shape for spring with outdoor activity this winter! Sign up in the Google Form to receive a link to a Zoom information session regarding our winter track team/season. While winter competition protocol has not been decided by PIAA as of yet, PIAA winter sports are set to start December 7th. Winter track will practice outside, weather permitting, every day Monday through Friday with practices over school breaks. Sign up for more information in the google form below: [Winter Track Sign Up](#)

HS Wrestling (grades 10-12)

The high school wrestling season will begin on Monday, December 7th. If you would be interested in being part of this year's team please email Coach Seislove with the following info at Tseis@Spring-ford.net. Please include Name, Grade & Email Address.

NO EXPERIENCE REQUIRED



HS Winter Sports Tryouts/Start Dates—All dates are subject to change

Student athletes should be dressed for work-out, have a mask or gaiter when not active and bring their own labeled water bottles

High School Winter Sports - 2020

Sport	Start Date	Registration / Re-certification Due Date	Coach	Email
Boys Basketball – Grades 10-12	Mon., Dec. 7	2 weeks prior to start date	Chris Talley	ctall@spring-ford.net
Boys Basketball – Grade 9	Mon., Dec. 7	2 weeks prior to start date	Mike Siuchta	msiuc@spring-ford.net
Girls Basketball– Grades 10-12	Mon., Dec. 7	2 weeks prior to start date	Mickey McDaniel	mmcda@spring-ford.net
Girls Basketball - Grade 9	Mon., Dec. 7	2 weeks prior to start date	Matt Cappelletti	mcapp@spring-ford.net
Bowling	Mon., Dec. 7	2 weeks prior to start date	Ryan Souder	rsoud@spring-ford.net
Cheerleading – Grade 9-12	Mon., Dec. 7	2 weeks prior to start date	Dawn Household- er	dawnhouse@comcast.net
Swimming- Grade 9-12	Mon., Dec. 7	2 weeks prior to start date	Greg Huff	coachgreg.huff@gmail.com
Boys Wrestling- Grade 10-12	Mon., Dec. 7	2 weeks prior to start date	Tim Seislove	tseis@spring-ford.net
Boys Wrestling- 7/8/9	Mon., Dec. 7	2 weeks prior to start date	Jason Kerkusz	jkerk@spring-ford.net
Boys & Girls Winter Track - Grade 9-12	Mon., Dec. 7	2 weeks prior to start date	Danielle Stauffer	dstau@spring-ford.net

MS Winter Sports Tryouts/Start Dates—All dates are subject to change

Student athletes should be dressed for work-out, have a mask or gaiter when not active and bring their own labeled water bottles

Middle School Winter Sports - 2020

Sport	Start Date	Registration/Re- certification Due Date	Coach	Email
Boys Basketball – 7	Mon., Dec. 14	2 weeks prior to start date	James Laky & Mike Heffernan	jlaky@spring-ford.net
Boys Basketball – 8	Mon., Dec. 14	2 weeks prior to start date	Rick Harrison	rharr@spring-ford.net
Boys Wrestling- 7/8/9	Mon., Dec. 14	2 weeks prior to start date	Jason Kerkusz	jkerk@spring-ford.net
Girls Basketball– 7	Mon., Dec. 14	2 weeks prior to start date	Mark Templeton & Kaylee Wallis	mtemp@spring-ford.net
Girls Basketball - 8	Mon., Dec. 14	2 weeks prior to start date	John Murtin	jkmurtin@comcast.net
Cheerleading – 7/8	Mon., Dec. 14	2 weeks prior to start date	Tara Yurko & Brittany Kajak	tmey9@hotmail.com or brittreedy@gmail.com

SPECIFIC MIDDLE SCHOOL SPORTS INFORMATION

Junior High Wrestling

The Junior High School Wrestling season will begin on Monday, Dec. 14.

If you would be interested in being part of this year's team please email Coach Kerkusz with the following info at Jkerk@Spring-ford.net.

Please include Name, Grade & Email Address.

NO EXPERIENCE REQUIRED

Student Activity Fee's

Student activity are part of Athletics and the Music Program, you will need to submit a fee of \$100 for students in grades 9-12 and \$75 for students in grades 7-8. This year the payment will be requested through School Pay. Once your student makes the team and rosters are submitted to the Athletic Office you will receive an email letting you know when the fee is due with a link to the School Pay web page.

The Spring-Ford Area School District Board of Directors has established a Student Activity Fee for all secondary students who wish to participate in the extracurricular activities of athletics, marching band and select chorus (Vocal Ensemble and Gold 'n Blue).

The fee will be \$100 for students participating in programs that are 9th-12th grade levels and will be \$75.00 for students participating in programs which are for the 7th and 8th grade levels. These fees will be a one-time annual fee and will enable the student to participate in multiple activities for the year.

Provisions will be made for exemption and/or accommodations in paying these fees for students in the free and reduced lunch program.

Recertification vs Registration

Registration is for the first sport of the school year that your student participates in. This is when you turn in your PIAA Section 5 - Health History and PIAA Section 6 - CIPPE Physical form (dated June 1 or later) and when you select the sports you give your student permission to participate in.

Recertification is for your second or third sport of the school year. This is just verifying any changes since your physical.

If you are having trouble recertifying please email Paula Weiss at pweis@spring-ford.net with the student name.

