

# Welcome Parents and Athletes



2021 Meet the Coach Night  
Spring Sports Informational Meeting

# Athletic Contact Information

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# Fall Athletic Head Coaches

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# Spring Athletic Head Coaches

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# Other Sources of Information

**Shawnee Mission West Website**

<http://smwest.smsd.org/default.aspx>

**Sunflower League Website**

<http://www.sunflowerleague.org/>

**KSHSAA Website**

(I AM YOUR LIASON)

<http://www.kshsaa.org/>

**SM West Athletic Twitter Account**

[@SMWsports](https://twitter.com/SMWsports)

# ***What Is Our Purpose?*** [video](#)

***Through participation in athletics, students will develop the skills and character traits that will allow them to be successful adults.***

*Discipline*

*Teamwork*

*Communication*

*Integrity*

*Correlation Between Hard Work and Achievement*

*Accountability*

*Mental Toughness*

*Perseverance/Persistence/Resilience*

# Communication

## *Following the "Chain of Command"*

- Step #1:** Encourage your child to schedule a meeting with the coach – 1 x 1
- Step #2:** Contact the coach and ask if he/she will initiate the 1 x 1 meeting w/your child
- Step #3:** Schedule an appointment to meet with the coach *(not before/during/after a game)*
- Step #4:** Schedule an appointment to meet with the Athletic Director

*Although phone conversations are an acceptable form of communication, due to busy schedules, face to face meetings have proven to be the most positive, effective, and efficient way to address any problems. Please make every attempt avoid resolving issues via email.*





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# **KSHSAA Rule 52:**

*All actions are to be for, not against;  
Positive, not negative or disrespectful*

**Respect the Officials  
Respect the Coaches  
Respect the Opponent  
Respect Each Other**



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- 1. What is the intended effect/outcome?**
- 2. Think about the long term solution?**
- 3. Accountability – What can we do to get better?**

# Violations of Rule 52

1. Spectators in violation of Rule 52 are subject to removal from any athletic event – home or away.
2. Spectators who are removed for such violations will be considered “Not In Good Standing,” and will not be allowed to return to any athletic event until:
3. Spectators “Not In Good Standing” must complete an [online sportsmanship course](#) from the National Federation of High Schools.

# Health and Safety





# **WARNING**



**The dangers and risks of playing or practicing a sport at SMW may result not only in a serious injury, but in serious impairment of your future ability to earn a living, engage in business, participate in social and recreational activities, and generally to enjoy life.**

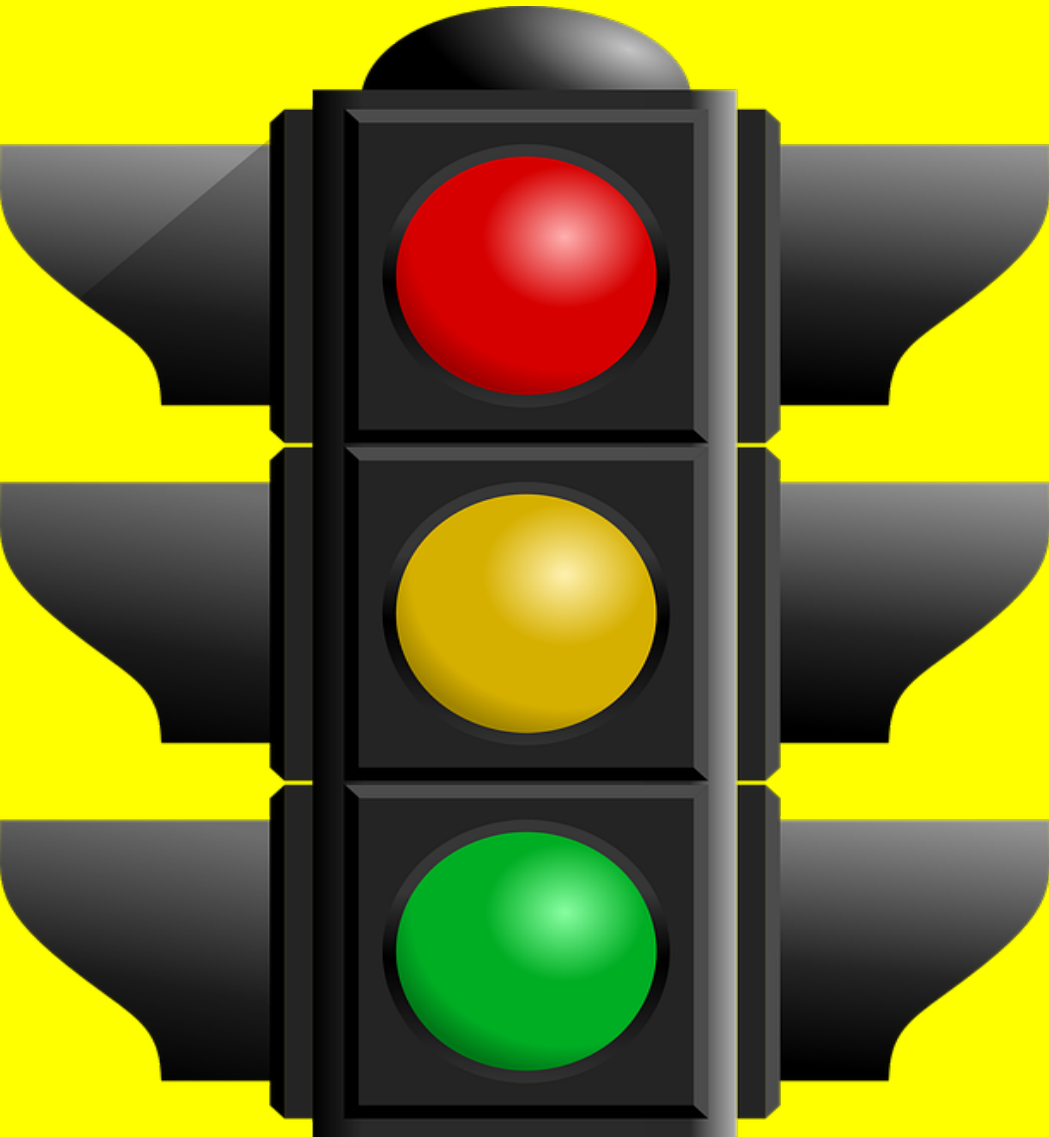
**Athletes need to listen to and follow all of the coaches instructions and warnings regarding playing techniques, training methods, rules of the sport and other team rules.**

# Joe Luzenski – Athletic Trainer

- **Daily Hours:** 12:00 PM – 6:30 PM (Monday – Friday)
- **Contact Information:**
  - Cell Phone – (248) 660-6614
  - [dluzenski@kumc.edu](mailto:dluzenski@kumc.edu)
  - Call/Email/Text – I will respond ASAP



# Concussion Protocol



## **Red Form:**

*Student is not allowed to participate in any athletic activities, including practice, until he/she has been seen by a doctor – who fills out the yellow form.*

## **Yellow Form:**

*Doctor determines whether or not student has suffered a concussion. If so, doctor determines the specific restrictions.*

## **Green Form:**

*Doctor clears the student to begin the stepwise progression with school's athletic trainer. Completion of the progression will allow the athlete to return to play.*

# Other Services Offered

## University of Kansas Health System

- **Sports Med Physician Appointments within 24-48 Hours**  
(913) 574 – 1000
- **Immediate Triage** (must be facilitated by athletic trainer)
  - KU Med West Urgent Care
  - University of Kansas Health Services





# Student Athlete Safety



- [Hot Weather Guidelines for Athletic Practices](#)
- [Lightning/Sever Weather Policy](#)
- [Supplemental Insurance](#)
  - Can bridge the gap between KSHSAA's catastrophic insurance (\$25,000 deductible)
  - Click on the link above for enrollment information.



# COVID-19 Safety Precautions

[KSHSAA "Return to Play Considerations" - All Sports](#)

[KSHSAA "Return to Play Considerations" - Sport Specific](#)

[COVID-19 Daily Screener](#)

[SMSD Spring Sports Guidelines](#)

[SMSD Spectator Guidelines for Spring Sports](#)

[Athletes Returning from Isolation or Quarantine](#)

# College Eligibility Information



Get Certified to Compete

<https://web3.ncaa.org/ecwr3/>

Information on Requirements

<http://www.ncaapublications.com/productdownloads/EB15.pdf>



Get Certified to Compete

<http://www.playnaia.org/>

Information on Requirements

<http://www.collegesportsinfo.org/>

# Core Course GPA.com

*Use This Free Service to Help Track Your Eligibility*

1. [Click Here to Access the Website](#)
  - Click on “Free New Member Account”
  - School ID: 172773
  - Code: 706679921
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# Required Forms

## Required to Practice:

1. **Athletic Physical** (PPE)
  - [Physical Form – English](#)
  - [Physical Form – Spanish](#)
2. **Concussion Form**
  - [Concussion Awareness Form – English](#)
  - [Concussion Awareness Form - Spanish](#)

## Required to Play:

1. **Athletic Participation Packet**
  - [Instructions for Completing Skyward Online Verification](#)
    - Athletic Disclosure Statement
    - Medical Treatment Consent Form
    - Insurance Info/Disclaimer
    - Transportation Guidelines
    - Drug/Alcohol/Tobacco Policy
    - KSHSAA and SMSD Guidelines
    - Release of Information Authorization

**Note:** *Emergency Contact Info and Transportation Release are now in hard copy form.*

# Eligibility

1. Physical/Concussion Form/Athletic Participation Packet
2. Passed Five – Passing Five – Enrolled in Five (checked daily)
3. In Good Standing with School (suspensions)
4. Awards/Amateur Status
5. Bona Fide Student (transfers)
6. Attendance/Tardy Policy (school policy)

# Substance Abuse Agreement

(Includes All Forms of Illegal Drugs, Alcohol, and Tobacco)

## 1<sup>st</sup> Offense:

- *Meeting with AD, Coach, Principal, Parents, and Student*
- *Student must enroll in and complete substance abuse education program*

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## 2<sup>nd</sup> Offense:

- *Meeting with AD, Coach, Principal, Parents, and Student*
- *Student will lose the privilege of competing in 50% of the season.*
- *Student must enroll in and complete a substance abuse counseling program.*
- *Student is not allowed to return to the team until the substance abuse counseling program has been completed.*

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## 3<sup>rd</sup> and Continued Offense(s):

- *Meeting with AD, Coach, Principal, Parents, and Student*
- *Student will lose the privilege of participating in extra-curricular activities for one calendar year from the date of the meeting.*



# The West Way

Respectful, Responsible, Safe



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## Anti-Hazing Policy:

- 1) Humiliation
- 2) Offensive
- 3) Dangerous



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## Social Media:

- 1) Printed material is no different from a direct statement.
- 2) Keep posts positive and appropriate
- 3) Educate your kids on use.



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# Fundraising and Spending

## 1. Each Team Has Two Separate Accounts:

- Supply Account – no parent involvement.
- Club Account – any fundraising done by the parents will go in this account.

## 2. When Fundraising:

- Get a fundraising form from our athletic secretary, or [click here for a copy](#).
- All fundraiser must be approved by Mr. Anderson (associate principal).
- Be aware that you will have to pay sales tax on any goods sold as a fundraiser.

## 3. When Spending:

- Whenever possible, have the coach submit a request for a purchase order, in advance.
- In an “emergency,” contact the coach or AD about using a district credit card.
- **DO NOT spend your own money, and expect to be reimbursed.**

*Note: Groups wishing to operate outside the parameters of these SMSD policies need to obtain 501c3 status through the IRS.*

**THANKS FOR COMING**



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