



# Athletic Newsletter

Incoming 7th and 8th grade

June 4, 2021

## MIDDLE SCHOOL START DATE/TRYOUT INFORMATION.

### ONLINE ATHLETIC REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN

### Start Dates/Tryouts for **2021-2022**

### 7-8th grade Fall Sports

Parents, please be aware that if your son or daughter is going out for a fall sport, the list of starting dates are listed below for each sport. Please plan your vacations accordingly. Athletic Sports Registration **MUST be completed at least 2 weeks prior** to the beginning of the sports season or a missed tryout opportunity may occur.

**\*\* Forms turned in after the 2 week deadline will be processed as they arrive and your student is subject to a missed tryout opportunity.**

#### Middle School Fall Sports

These dates are subject to change.

| <u>Sport</u>                         | <u>Start Date-Tryouts</u>           | <u>Due Date</u>                |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Cheerleading - Grades 7-8            | <u>Wednesday, September 8, 2021</u> | <u>Monday, August 23, 2021</u> |
| Cross Country - Grades 7-8           | <u>Wednesday, September 8, 2021</u> | <u>Monday, August 23, 2021</u> |
| Field Hockey - Grades 7-8            | <u>Wednesday, September 8, 2021</u> | <u>Monday, August 23, 2021</u> |
| Soccer - Boys and Girls - Grades 7-8 | <u>Wednesday, September 8, 2021</u> | <u>Monday, August 23, 2021</u> |
| Girls Volleyball- Grades 7-8         | <u>Wednesday, September 8, 2021</u> | <u>Monday, August 23, 2021</u> |
| Football - Grade 8                   | <u>Tuesday, August 31, 2021</u>     | <u>Monday, August 16, 2021</u> |
| Football - Grade 7                   | <u>Wednesday, September 8, 2021</u> | <u>Monday, August 23, 2021</u> |

As a reminder Monday, August 30th is the first day of school and the first day of tryouts for 8th grade Football.



## SPECIFIC MIDDLE SCHOOL TRYOUT INFORMATION.

### Girls Soccer—7th Grade—Coach Jaclyn McDermott and Coach Amy Short

Any 7<sup>th</sup> grade girl interested in playing 7<sup>th</sup> grade girls soccer this fall should fill out the attached link to be included on the information email list in the fall [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc9qjpCdHPz0pRYv3P7oFJpaiYMY4rGQRZb\\_b5wcRLB0mdWhw/viewform?usp=sf\\_link](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc9qjpCdHPz0pRYv3P7oFJpaiYMY4rGQRZb_b5wcRLB0mdWhw/viewform?usp=sf_link)

### Volleyball—7-8th grade—Coach Julia Avans

8th Grade Volleyball Tryouts will take place September 8-10th. 7th Grade tryouts will be September 13-15th. Tryouts are held from 3:00-5:30pm each day at the 7th Grade Center. Email questions to: [coachavans@gmail.com](mailto:coachavans@gmail.com)

### MS Cross Country—Coach Dave Caldwell and Coach Geoff Kahler

We are looking for interested athletes/ runners to join our team in September. We do not have cuts. Hope you can do a little running on your own this summer. We would encourage any athlete who might not make a sports team to join

If your student is interested in participating in a fall sport this year, please be sure to email the coach below to have them add you to the coaches information list. This is not the Athletic Registration, this is in lieu of the normal "interest meeting" that are held at the end of the school year.

## MIDDLE SCHOOL COACH CONTACT INFORMATION

| Athletic Contract 2020-21             | Last Name | First Name  | Email  |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|-------------|--|
| Cross Country-Girls' (7/8th Grade)    | Caldwell  | David A.    | <a href="mailto:dacal@spring-ford.net">dacal@spring-ford.net</a> |
| Cross Country-Boys' (7/8th Grade )    | Kahler    | Geoffrey I. | <a href="mailto:gkahl@spring-ford.net">gkahl@spring-ford.net</a> |
| Cheerleading Fall (7/8th Grade)       | Yurko     | Tara        | <a href="mailto:tme9@hotmail.com">tme9@hotmail.com</a>           |
| Football Coach (8th Grade)            | Souder    | Ryan        | <a href="mailto:rsoud@spring-ford.net">rsoud@spring-ford.net</a> |
| Football Coach (7th Grade)            | Seislove  | Timothy J.  | <a href="mailto:tseis@spring-ford.net">tseis@spring-ford.net</a> |
| Field Hockey Coach (8th Grade)        | Jacobs    | Zoe         | <a href="mailto:zjaco@spring-ford.net">zjaco@spring-ford.net</a> |
| Field Hockey Coach (7th Grade)        | Moley     | Marisa      | <a href="mailto:mmole@spring-ford.net">mmole@spring-ford.net</a> |
| Soccer Coach-Boys' (8th Grade)        | TBD       |             |  |
| Soccer Coach-Boys' (7th Grade)        | TBD       |             |  |
| Soccer Coach-Girls' (8th Grade)       | Marcellus | Jason       | <a href="mailto:jmarc@spring-ford.net">jmarc@spring-ford.net</a> |
| Soccer Coach-Girls' (7th Grade)       | Short     | Amy         | <a href="mailto:ashor@spring-ford.net">ashor@spring-ford.net</a> |
| Volleyball Coach-Girls' (7/8th Grade) | Avans     | Julia       | <a href="mailto:coachavans@gmail.com">coachavans@gmail.com</a>   |

Please continue to check the web site for coaches listed as TDB, we will update as they are hired.

## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

- How do I register for sports?
  - In order to tryout for sports you will need the following three items:
    1. Online Registration Completed—this is on the Athletic Web Page: <https://www.spring-ford.net/high-school-athletics>
    2. PIAA Section 6 Health History Form— you can find this on the Athletic Web Page on the right side under Athletic Forms
    3. PIAA Section 7 CIPPE Physical Form—you can find this on the Athletic Web Page on the right side under Athletic Forms. The physical must be administered by a doctor on or after June 1, 2021. Any physicals dated before that date cannot be accepted.
- Where do I turn my forms in to?
  - 7th grade students turn the forms in to Mr. Seislove at the 7th grade center or email them to [tseis@spring-ford.net](mailto:tseis@spring-ford.net)
  - 8th grade students turn the forms in to Mr. Harrison at the 8th grade center or email them to [rharr@spring-ford.net](mailto:rharr@spring-ford.net)
- When do sports start and where does my student report?
  - Start/tryout dates are listed in this newsletter and on our web page.
- Where does my student report?
  - Please contact the coach by email for detailed instructions.
- What does my student need to bring to practice?
  - Please contact the coach by email for specific information about the sport.
- Who is the coach?
  - Coaches are listed on the web site .
- Will physicals be held at the school?
  - We will not be holding physicals at the school. You can use a Urgent Care or Patient First. The prices are different for each location so you may want to call around.

## Student Activity Fee's

Student Activity fee information is found on the Athletic web page under Student Activity Fee. The Activity Fee will be collected through School Pay, you will be notified by email after the rosters for each team has been set. Payments must be made online, no cash or checks accepted. Once teams are set you will receive an email from the Athletic Office.