



Richwood Middle School

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2024-2025 RMS Athletics and Spirit Groups Information

Physicals/Forms

- All participants must have a completed physical, permission slip, and insurance waiver to practice.

Transportation

- Transportation will **not** be provided to and from practice. Transportation will be provided to athletic events and back to Richwood Middle School. Students cannot leave athletic events with their parents. They must return to the school with the team.

Non-Refundable Fees

Football: Team Fee: \$90

Boys Basketball: Tryout Fee: \$10 Team Fee: \$150

Cheer: Tryout Fee: \$25 Team Fee: \$800

Band: Fee: 30.00

Track and Field: Tryout Fee: \$10 Team Fee: \$90

Girls Basketball: Tryout Fee: \$10 Team Fee: \$200

Rubies: Tryout Fee: \$25 Team Fee: \$1200

***Fees can be paid online through the school website or in cash.**

ALL FEES HAVE TO BE PAID BEFORE THE STUDENT PARTICIPATES IN ATHLETIC EVENTS.

- Operational fees include shoes, socks, shooting shirt (basketball), practice uniforms, pre-game meals, awards, transportation, security, and necessary equipment.

STUDENT-ATHLETES CANNOT PARTICIPATE IN ANOTHER SPORT UNTIL ALL DEBTS ARE PAID FROM THE PREVIOUS SPORT.

Donations

Each student-athlete will be responsible for \$50 in donations. This will offset additional costs and necessary repairs and expenses.

Academics

- Check your child's grades. You must maintain a 2.0 to tryout and remain in athletics. Grades will be checked weekly.
- If you fall below, you will be placed on academic probation, given an academic plan, and are unable to participate until the next marking period or progress report.

Communication

- Team Information can be found in Google Classroom. This is for team members and parents only. Students must add class. Class Code: dev3n30 (Also on the Richwood Middle School Website and Facebook Page).

Practice Attire

- Richwood practice uniforms, red, black, or white solid socks, and running shoes. You may not practice in your school uniform shirt or pants. No doo-rags, scarves, bandanas, bonnets, or earrings are allowed in practice or performance.

Discipline

- Poor attitudes and disrespect will not be tolerated. The athlete will be sent home, and a mandatory parent meeting will be held prior to competition or practice. If the behavior does not improve, it will be grounds for dismissal from the team and school administrative action.

Miscellaneous

- Water, powerade and/or Gatorade will be provided.
- Uniforms must be turned in on the day of the game or meet.
- Notify your head coach if you cannot practice or attend a game or meet.
- If the coach is not notified, your child may not practice or participate in the game or meet that week.
- If you are absent from school, you cannot practice or participate without a valid doctor's excuse.
- If you do not meet the standards for competition, you may be placed on reserve or dismissed from the team.
- **Please be on time to pick up your child from practice and the games and/or meets.**
- **Repeat tardiness from parents is grounds for dismissal from the team.**