WOLVES FALL ATHLETIC NEWSLETTER

McCord/Perry Middle School Fall Athletic Information 2025

Thank you for your interest in McCord/Perry Wolves' Athletics. The philosophy of our athletic program is to build character and sportsmanship among our student athletes while focusing on skill development and preparation for high school athletics. Fall athletics offered include 7th and 8th grade football, 7th and 8th grade girls volleyball, 7th and 8th grade (co-ed) cross country, MS cheer, and MS gymnastics. The following pages offer information specific to each sport.

Worthington Schools collects athletic forms and paperwork through Final Forms. Click on the direct links for directions and to register for Final Forms. <u>Parent Directions</u> and <u>Final Forms</u>

All forms must be completed by parents and students — once a parent sets up a FinalForms account, the student will receive an email to their school gmail account with a link to the forms needed to be signed. STUDENTS WILL NOT BE ABLE TO PARTICIPATE IF THE STUDENT IS NOT FULLY REGISTERED THROUGH FINAL FORMS. THIS INCLUDES TRYOUTS.

Every student trying out or participating in a school sport must have the following:

- 1) A current physical form, signed by a physician, MUST BE UPLOADED to Final Forms. IF THERE IS NOT A CURRENT PHYSICAL UPLOADED, ATHLETES WILL NOT BE ABLE TO PARTICIPATE. *THIS INCLUDES TRYOUTS*
- > Physicals are good for 13 months from the date of the physical.
- ➤ Physicals must be on the OHSAA approved form-CLICK HERE to access the 2025-2026 form ⇒ ONLY Pages 4 & 5 (which are completed and signed by a physician) need to be uploaded onto Final Forms. Other pages of the physical will be completed through Final Forms
- 2) Emergency Medical Authorizations in Final Forms will be used for athletics. Ensure all information is correct.
- 3) There is a district participation fee for each sport.
 - ♦ The participation fee is \$125.00 per sport (cheer is \$85 + \$5 insurance fee) (Those who qualify-free and reduced lunch, the same discounts apply to athletic fees: Reduced fee is \$62.50 and Free has no athletic fee.
 - ♦ Fees are not due until after tryouts (if applicable), but before the first contest. Athletes will not be able to participate in the first contest if fees are not paid.
 - ♦ Fees are paid online through MyPaymentsPlus (MPP) Once the Athletic Department receives the final rosters from the coaches, the athletic fee will be uploaded to your MPP account. You will be notified through MyPaymentsPlus when the fee becomes active. If you have questions about athletic fees, please contact the main office at your specific school.
- **4) Students Must Be Fully Registered Through Final Forms** To Try Out Or Participate In Fall Sports. Click the following direct links for Final Forms Parent Directions and Final Forms to fully register your student through Final Forms.

Go Wolves!

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WOLVES GYMNASTICS

Season Starts: (TBA) First or Second Week of August 2025

Wolves Gymnastics will combine 7th and 8th grade athletes from McCord and Perry Middle Schools. Practice locations may vary between WKHS and the WYB facility. Home meets will take place at WKHS, WYB, or TBD. An after-school shuttle bus will be provided to transport Perry athletes to WKHS for practices and events. McCord students will walk to WKHS with Coach Stammen after school for practices. Busing will be provided for WYB site Practices

Head Coach: Shea Stammen Email: Coach Stammen

Coach will communicate any additional or updated summer activities and season information through final forms. You must be registered in Final Forms to receive information.

Contact your Coach with questions.

WOLVES CROSS COUNTRY

Season Starts: Aug 1, 2025

Wolves Cross Country will combine 7th and 8th grade athletes from McCord and Perry Middle Schools. Practices and meets will take place at Perry Middle School. An after-school shuttle bus will be provided to transport athletes to Perry for activities.

Head Coach: Larkin Pyle Email: Coach Pyle

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WOLVES MS FOOTBALL

Season Starts: Aug 1, 2025

Wolves 7th Grade Football and 8th Grade Football Teams will combine athletes from McCord and Perry Middle Schools. Practices and games will take place at McCord Middle School. An after-school shuttle bus will be provided to transport athletes to McCord for practices and games.

8th Grade Head Coach: Mark Coleman Email: Coach Coleman
7th Grade Head Coach: Ahri Manning Email: Coach Manning

Coaches will communicate any additional or updated summer activities and season information through final forms. You must be registered in Final Forms to receive information.

2025 SUMMER FOOTBALL ACTIVITIES-OPTIONAL			
Date	Optional Activity	Time	Location
5/20 & 5/21	End Of School 2 Day Camp	4:15-6:15 PM	McCord MS
6/3-7/17	Summer Lifting	4:30-6:30 PM (T. & Th. only)	WKHS
7/7 & 7/14	WKHS Football Camp	12:30 -2:00 PM	WKHS
7/18 & 7/26	7 V 7 TOURNAMENTS	TBD/TBA	TBD/TBA
7/21-7/25	McCord FB Camp Week	4:30-6:30 PM	McCord MS
8/1/2025	1st day of Football	ТВА	McCord MS

*All activities are Subject to change

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WOLVES CHEER

TRY-OUTS: May 15th and 16th

Click **HERE** to access the Try-out information that was previously shared-

The Wolves Cheer Squad will combine athletes from McCord and Perry Middle School. The cheer squad will be determined through try-outs. The squad will practice at McCord MS and will cheer at the Wolves home 8th grade football games. An after-school shuttle bus will be provided to transport athletes to McCord for any after school practices and games. A shuttle bus (from Perry to McCord) will be provided for try-outs.

Head Coach: Hannah Ralston Email: Coach Ralston

All communication over the summer will be shared through final forms.

Contact your Coach with questions.

MCCORD VOLLEYBALL

Season Starts/Try-outs: Aug 1, 2025

The McCord Volleyball program is made up of 7th Grade and 8th grade girls from McCord. We will have a 7th grade team and an 8th grade team and each team will be determined through try-outs. Practices and home matches will take place at the McCord Middle School. The volleyball season will begin in early August.

7th Grade Head Coach: Yolanda Cottrill Email: <u>Coach Cottrill</u> 8th Grade Head Coach: <u>Kelly Tamulonis</u> Email: <u>Coach Tamulonis</u>

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