# Winter Athletics Registration Information and Dates (2026-2027)

Winter Sports Information

During the Winter Sports Season, John Sells Middle School offers the following sports: Coed Wrestling, Boys and Girls Basketball and Basketball Cheer. Practices/Try-Outs begin in October, 2026. Please contact the following coaches for "sport specific" details such as open gyms, open mats, try-outs, & practices (included are TENTATIVE start dates and times):

**7th Grade Boys Basketball -** Head Coach - Jerry Mapes (jerry_mapes@hotmail.com)

- Open Gyms: 10/28 - 3:30 - 5:00 PM - Sells MS Gym
- Try-Outs: 10/30 & 11/2 - 7:00 - 8:30 PM - Sells MS Gym

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**8th Grade Boys Basketball -** Head Coach - Danny Stucky (stucky_danny@dublinschools.net)

- Open Gyms: 10/27 - 3:15 - 5:00 PM - Sells MS Gym
- Try-Outs: 11/4 - 11/5 - 3:15 - 5:00 PM - Sells MS Gym

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**7th Grade Girls Basketball -** Head Coach - Javantae Tribblett (cheatcodetae10@gmail.com)

- Try-Outs: 11/2 & 11/4 - 5:15pm - 6:45 PM - Sells MS Gym
- Boys Practice Team Tryouts - 11/5 - 5:15-6:45 PM Sells MS Gym

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**8th Grade Girls Basketball -** Head Coach - Jaleah Tribblett (jaleah.fair5@gmail.com)

- Try-Outs: 11/2 & 11/4 - 5:15pm - 6:45 PM - Sells MS Gym
- Boys Practice Team Tryouts - 11/5 - 5:15-6:45 PM Sells MS Gym

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**Wrestling -** Head Coach - Sean Zink (coachzink63@gmail.com)

- Open Mat: 10/27 - 10/28 & 11/2 - 11/5 - 3:30 - 5:30 PM - SMS Wrestling Room

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**Basketball Cheerleading -** Head Coach- Devon Lewis (lewis_devon@dublinschools.net)

- Try-Outs: 10/26 & 10/28 3:30-5:30 pm - Sells MS Commons

**REGISTRATION PROCESS AND REMINDERS**

- Final Forms**-** All parents and Sells athletes must be registered on Final Forms, and all forms are to be signed by 10/30/2026. Log on to Final Forms at: https://dublin-oh.finalforms.com

- Physical Examinations: All students planning on participating in athletics MUST have a physical examination completed AND a current, completed OHSAA Physical Form (can be accessed on the Sells Middle School Web-Site) must be uploaded to Final Forms (preferred) or submitted to Head Trainer Pam Stotts (stotts_pam@dublinschools.net) by 10/30/2026.

- Dress: Please be prepared for athletic activity when trying-out/practicing with your Winter Sports Team. Essential items include athletic shoes, shorts, t-shirt, and water bottle.

- "Meet the Coach Night**:"** Winter Athletics "Meet the Coach Night" will take place on Monday, November 9th @ 6:00pm in the Sells MS Commons. Attendance is mandatory for at least one parent/guardian of each Winter athlete.

- Pay to Play: Each student athlete must pay the district's pay-to-play fee of thirty dollars ($30) by the first regular season game. This fee will be assessed in Infinite Campus and can be paid through Pay Schools

**CONTACT INFORMATION:**
If you have any additional questions, please contact Athletic Director Trey Jones via e-mail at jones_trey@dublinschools.net.