Out of Season Practice Message

Prince William County Schools (PWCS) has decided to allow out of season practice. The number one concern is the safety of our staff and students. After much consideration, we believe we can provide the opportunity for our students to improve on their social, mental, and physical health by allowing out of season practice. Initially this out of season practice will mostly be in the form of conditioning as no equipment will be allowed. Every coach participating will receive training about the precautions being taken and the expectations the division has to follow social distancing practices and guidelines. Out of season practice sessions are not mandatory for our students nor our coaches. A safety precaution we are taking, is the answering of a mandatory daily Covid-19 health screening utilizing the SportsWare Online program.

Prior to participating in out of season practice, athletes are required to provide the Athletic Department with a current physical dated on or after May 1, 2020, a signed PWCS concussion training, and a completed emergency card. Coaches will review Covid-19 safety precautions with their student-athletes so help ensure safe practices during practice sessions.

To enter your information, visit www.swol123.net. The first time you visit the website you will need to enter your school email address and click **Get Password**. Below you will find instructions to help you log in and register.

The information you entered is not shared outside of your individual school. The certified athletic trainer is the only person who has access to your medical information. The emergency contact information can be accessed by the athlete's coach during their respective season only. SportsWare is fully HIPPA compliant.

Below is a general overview of what each party can expect:

Students/Parents should register with their school email address on SportsWare. The VHSL physical form and PWCS concussion training for can be uploaded on SportWare. Each day a student wishes to participate in out of season practice, a parent must complete the health screening by noon. Upon arrival at the school, the student shall remain in the car until checked in by a coach or athletic trainer. Students must bring a mask and their own filled water bottle. Students are expected to social distance a minimum of six feet at all times. In the case of an emergency inclement weather event, students will be taken inside for shelter purposes only. Masks must be worn in the building. Students shall stay in their respective pods and not interact with other sessions during transitions. For example, students leaving the 9:00 session should not interact with students arriving for the 11:00 session.

Coaches will be required to attend a virtual training session prior to holding any out of season practice sessions. The registration for these sessions will be in PowerSchool. If a coach does not have a PWCS email address, they should contact Hilda Layne to request the link for the training. The coach's attendance will be verified and sent to the director of student activities of their school. Coaches must provide practice plans to their DSA one week prior to the session/s being held. Coaches will be responsible for maintaining social distancing of their student-athletes and continued training/reinforcement of safe practices to prevent the spread of COVID-19. Coaches will receive a list of eligible participants daily from the athletic trainer. Coaches are not to allow participation of anyone not on that day's list. Coaches are to supervise their student-athletes and are not to leave until all their students have left.

Athletic trainers will run the list of students eligible to participate each day and provide that list to the coaches and DSA. ATs can assist with coaches screening and student check-ins. ATs can provide emergency care but will not be doing treatments for rehabilitation at this time.

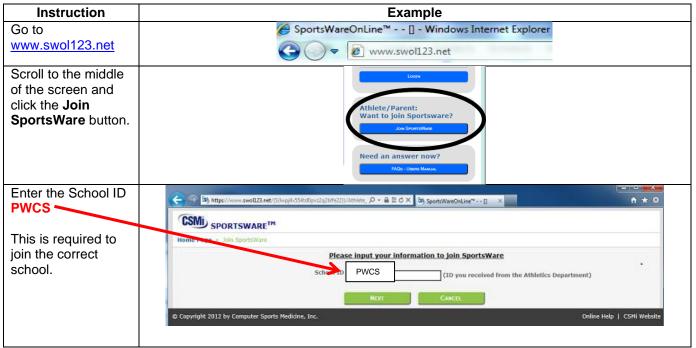
The directors of student activities will be collecting and approving practice plans from coaches. The DSAs will ensure that coaches are following the PWCS guidelines for out of season practice. The DSAs will also ensure that no coach is working with our students who has not attended the virtual training session.

Below is an overview of how a coach is to register for the virtual training sessions:

- 1. Sign in to your PWCS Outlook Account
- 2.Select your Waffle on the left top corner of the page (nine dots right before the Outlook word)
- 3. Select the App PS-Professional Learning Catalog
- 4. Select the Course Search: Enter STA 601 Return to Activities COVID-19
- 5.Once the course appears you can select the session you would like to register for and follow the prompts from there.

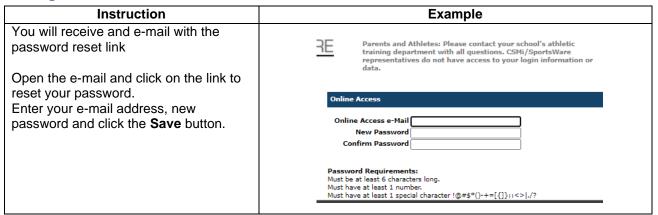
If you have any questions, please contact your school's athletic office, Kelly Gardner, Supervisor of Student Activities, or the PWCS SportsWare liaisons at shanksjl@pwcs.edu or ausbora@pwcs.edu

Joining SportsWare OnLine



Enter your First Parents and Athletes: Please contact your school's athletic training department with all questions. CSMi/SportsWare representatives do not have access to your login informati data. CSMi) SPORTSWARE Name, Last Name, Date of Birth, Email Please input your information to join SportsWare address, Group (school) and click Athlete's Last Name Athlete's Date of birth the Send button. (If athlete is a minor you can use a parent's e-mail address) ▼ (Select your school/college) You will receive and Use the link in the acceptance email. Enter you email Sign In e-mail with the address, then click Reset Password. Another email will E-Mail: Subject be generated. "SportsWare request accepted". Reset Password / Forgot Password

Setting Your Password



Updating Your Information



At the top of the page is the Menu Bar.

Click on My Info

My Info: General Tab: Add the sports you are playing (Sport 1- Fall, Sport 2-Winter, Sport 3-Spring).

Group: Please select the appropriate school.

Update the Address and Emergency Tabs with correct information:

Address Tab:

Your primary address is your permanent address.

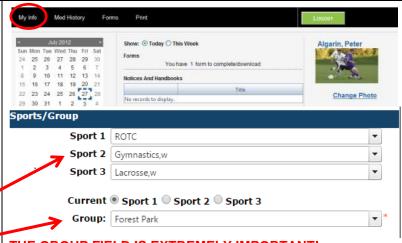
Secondary address is your <u>school address</u>.

Emergency Tab:

Enter at least one primary emergency contact. This will be used when putting together emergency cards.

Insurance Tab: OPTIONAL

Please upload a scanned copy (front and back) of your insurance card. This can be done at the bottom of the page.

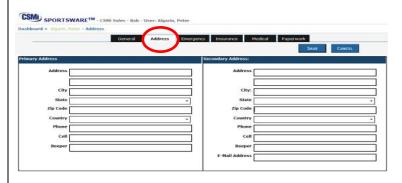


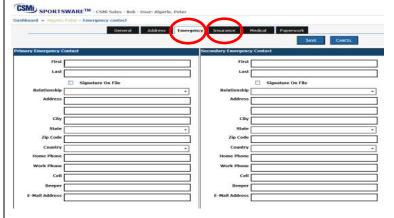
THE GROUP FIELD IS EXTREMELY IMPORTANT!

Sport 1 (Fall)- Cross Country Field Hockey, Football, Volleyball, Golf, Cheer, Color Guard, ROTC, Band

<u>Sport 2(Winter)-</u> Basketball, Wrestling, Swim/Dive, Cheer, Gymnastics, Indoor Track, Dance

Sport 3 (Spring)- Soccer, Lacrosse, Tennis, Baseball, Softball, Track, Crew





Add Alerts to the Medical Tab

Put any medical conditions (ie diabetes, asthma, allergies, epilepsy or other) that you may have.

Put any allergies to medications that a physician or EMS would need to know.

You do not need to complete the immunizations.

Med History: Complete a Medical History questionnaire.

Complete 'MedHistory' YEARLY

Answer Yes or No to **EACH** question.

Explain all YES answers in the comment hox.

If you have filled this out previously please review and update as needed.

Click "Save"

Forms: View/complete required paperwork. Note: SportsWare will also display "You have 1 form to complete/download". The VHSL Physical form is located here for you to download.

Please upload a copy of your VHSL physical and Concussion

Print: Print My Info and Medical History data for your own records.

