

# WELCOME TO THE WINTER 2023-2024 "PARENT ATHLETE INFORMATION NIGHT"

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# COMMUNICATION

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Athletic Newsletter

Bay Rivers website: www.bayriversdistrictva.org

#### Athletic Web Page - <a href="https://warhillhs.rschoolteams.com/">https://warhillhs.rschoolteams.com/</a>

- Schedules
- Practices and Games (Cancellations, Changes)
- Post season tournament information
- All required paperwork available to download





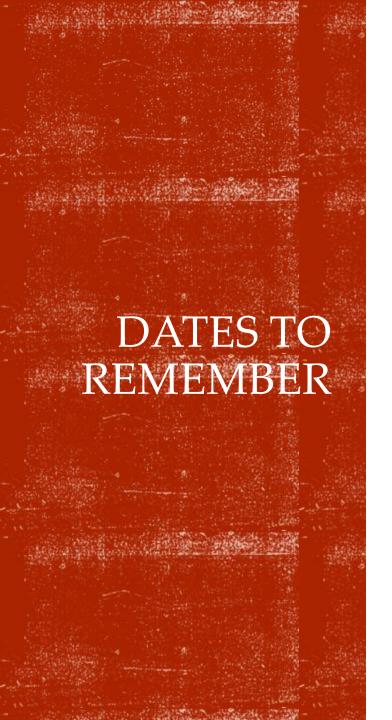
# ATHLETIC ACADEMIC ADVISOR

- 1. Lead with P.R.I.D.E
- 2. Maintain Grades & Eligibility
- 3. Tutoring Hub is open Tuesday/Thursday for Math & Wednesdays English
- 4. 1:1 Tutoring Options
- 5. Parent-Teacher Conferences

#### Contact Information:

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- Fall Awards Ceremony Dec. 4
- Team Pictures: Monday, Dec. 11
- Winter Break: Dec. 20 Jan. 2
- 2nd Marking Period Ends: Jan. 26
- 3rd Markign Period Begins: Jan. 30

### PURPOSE OF MEETING:

- WJCC Polices:
  - Athletic Booster Club
  - Academic Eligibility
  - Athletic Fee
  - School Attendance
  - Communicating with Coach
  - Fan Expectations
  - Transportation
    - Parking/Drop off location
- VHSL policies
  - Sportsmanship

- Give coaches opportunity to meet the parents to talk about a number of things:
  - Expectations of the team
  - Commitment they expect of team members during the season
  - Talk about rules and regulations
  - Communication procedure
  - Fundraising





#### WARHILL HIGH SCHOOL

Athletic Booster Club

Contact WABC

warhillboosters@gmail.com



# 2023-2024 ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB BOARD OF DIRECTORS

#### President

• Tonya Toney

#### Vice President

• Cheri Moeller

#### Treasurer

• Linda Baker

#### Secretary

Heidi Watkins

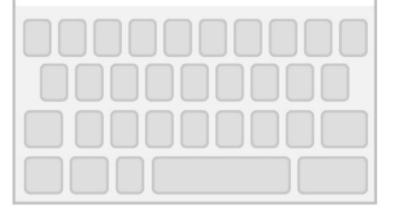


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# ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB REMIND

# Booster Club Membership

Membership: \$15 per family

WARHILL ALL SPORTS ADMISSION PASS Cost: \$50.00

- MUST BE A BOOSTER MEMBER TO PURCHASE\*
- PUNCH CARD 12 ENTRIES INTO HOME GAMES
- \*Must present Booster Club membership card to purchase additional punch cards
- Current members as of June 1, 2023 may purchase passes.
- Membership and punch cards will not be sold at games.
- Punch cards do not work for home playoff games.



# WARHILL SPORTS MEDICINE

Todd "Doc" Korabek, VATL, ATC
Head Athletic Trainer
Todd.Korabek@wjccschools.org

757-565-4615 Ext 11523

### **RULES**

- Injuries
  - Injuries must by seen by the Head Athletic Trainer.
- Return to Play:
  - Made by Athletic Trainer
  - When athlete is seen by Physician we require a note and are restricted by what that note states.

### **ENERGY DRINKS**

VHSL has banned all energy drinks at sponsored practices or games.



#### Definition: Drinks advertised as boosting energy.

do not emphasize energy derived from calories they contain

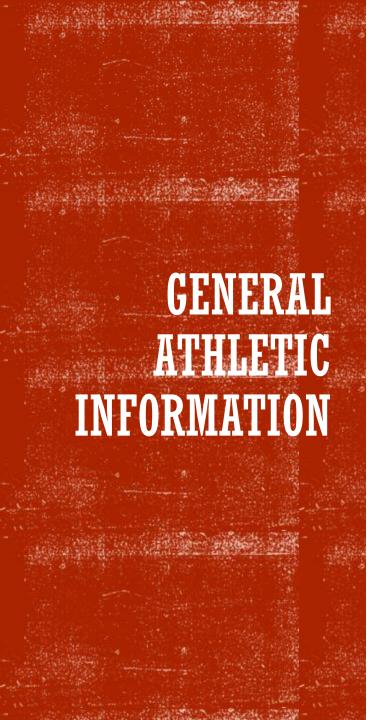
energy is derived through a choice of caffeine, vitamins and herbal supplements the manufacturer has combined.

the FDA does not oversee some of these ingredients.

Examples: Amp, Monster, Rockstar, Red Bull



Warhill will confiscate Energy Drinks if seen and determine whether the athlete is fit to participate that day.



 Bay Rivers District Regular Season Admissions Prices:

Basketball: \$6.00

Wrestling: \$5.00

 Indoor Track: \$5.00 (@ Boo Williams – Season or Booster Passes not accepted)

 Swim & Dive - \$7.00 (Season or Booster Passes will be accepted when Warhill is the host school – Dec. 2 & Jan. 9)

### WARHILL SEASON PASSES

#### **PASSES**

#### 2023-24 Family Pass

This Family All Access Pass entitles the holder to claim up to (4) tickets for each regular season Warhill High School HOME game during the 2023-24 school year. \*\*This pass is not eligible for tournaments or post-season events

Up to (4) Family Members

\$175.00

Buy Passes →

#### 2023-24 Individual Access Pass

This Individual All Access Pass entitles the holder to claim 1 ticket for each regular season Warhill High School HOME game during the 2023-24 school year. \*\*This pass is not eligible for tournaments or post-season events

General Admission

\$100.00

Buy Passes →

View All Passes



# 2023-2024 ATHLETIC FEE

- Must be paid prior to first contest (not scrimmages)
- Can be paid online at myschoolbucks account
- Athletes turn athletic fee into AD with form
- Free lunch students must turn in form indicating FL



2023-2024 Fall Season

Dear Parent/Guardian:

Beginning with the fall 2012 sports season, WJCC has collected an Athletic Fee from all WJCC student athletes. The High School Athletic fee is \$60 per season (fall, winter, spring). Payment is due prior to the first competition for your student's sport

Now that your student has been selected for a WJCC athletic team, please complete the below form, attach cash or a check, and return the form and payment to your student's school Athletic Director. To make an online payment, visit <a href="https://www.myschoolbucks.com">www.myschoolbucks.com</a> and either register or use an existing account.

This fee will be waived for students who qualify for free or reduced meals. If you qualify and have a completed application on file, you do not need to do anything. If you have not applied, but would be interested in learning more about the Free and Reduced Meal Program, information is available in the front office of each middle school and in the guidance office of each high school.

Please be advised that payment of this fee does not guarantee playing time, which remains at the sole discretion of coaches. The fee is non-refundable.

If you have questions, please do not hesitate to contact your school's athletic dire
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# Athletic Fee Payment Fall 2023-2024 School: Student Name: Sport: My child receives Free or Reduce Lunch: YES NO (will confirm with Food and Nutritional Services) Parent Contact Phone Number: Parent Email:

Please attach payment to this form and return to your student's school.



# PARENT INFORMATION

#### Academic Requirements

- Minimum 5 credits from previous semester
- Minimum 1.25 GPA from the previous semester

#### Academic Requirement Appeal Process

- Lacking in <u>one</u> required academic area may be appealed <u>one time during</u> <u>the high school career</u>
- What can be appealed?
  - GPA expectations

Athletic academic eligibility/ineligibility is determined on the date each semester ends





# PARENT INFORMATION REQUIREMENTS & RESPONSIBILITIES

- School Attendance
  - Students must be in class a minimum of <u>3</u>
     <u>blocks</u> to participate in practice or contests
  - Exceptions to this requirement can only be made by Administration
  - Student athletes who are tardy the day after an athletic contest excused or unexcused more than two times will be suspended from the next contest
  - Students who have more than 3 UNEXCUSED absences during season – meeting with Student, Parent, Coach, AD, Administrator – eligibility may be affected



# PARENT INFORMATION

Procedure to express concerns:

- 1. Athlete should talk with coach
- 2. Athlete and parent should make an appointment with coach to meet (not after practice or game!)

If not resolved:

- 3. Athlete and parent should complete parent communication form and set up an appointment with AD
- \*Do not approach or confront the coach before, during, or after a game or practice



# WJCC ATHLETIC HANDBOOK



Consequences of Misbehavior (page 4):



ISS or OSS: prohibited from practice/game during suspension

Second ISS during season may be dismissed from team

Second OSS during season will be dismissed from team



Alternative Classroom Setting (ACS): prohibited from participating in athletics



## PARENT INFORMATION

- Fan Sportsmanship Expectation
  - That all spectators will engage in positive fan behavior
  - Let coaches' coach
  - Let officials officiate the contest
  - Inappropriate behavior will result in removal from game
  - Continued inappropriate behavior will result in being banned from athletic events.



# VHSL ATHLETE HANDBOOK

- Sportsmanship
- VHSL -specific rules
- When an athlete is ejected by a referee, or the unsportsmanlike act is witnessed by the athletic director or principal, the athlete will be suspended based upon VHSL Sportsmanship policy:
  - 20% of Contest Limitations for Profanity directed towards Officials (Example: Football max contest = 10 X 20% = 2 games suspended
  - 30% of Contest Limitations for Fighting, punching, kicking, stomping an opponent, biting or aggressive physical contact (Example:BB max contest = 20 X30%=6
- Repeated offenses of unsportsmanlike behavior may result in suspension from the team at the discretion of the principal
- Use of Hate Speech, Ethnically or Racially Insensitive Expressions by a coach, player(s), team personnel, towards another will be suspended a minimum of 30% of the total contest limitations. Coming off bench to engage in a fight = 30%





# AREA MEETING FY2024

#### Sportsmanship: Player Ejections (614 Total)

	Class I	Class 2	Class 3	Class 4	Class 5	Class 6	Total
Football	23	19	38	39	38	42	199
B. Basketball	П	П	3	5	8	17	55
G. Basketball	2	I	8	4	5	9	29
Wrestling	2	I	I	5	I	4	14
Baseball	6	3	8	6	5	2	30
B. Lacrosse	NA	NA	4	П	5	19	39
B. Soccer	19	19	32	54	36	54	214
G. Soccer	I	3	5	8	6	П	34

### VHSL POLICY -SPORTSMANSHIP

27-16-1 Use of Hate Speech, Ethnically or Racially Insensitive Expressions

Hate Speech-Abusive or threatening speech or writing that expresses prejudice **against a** particular group, especially on the basis of race, religion, or sexual orientation.

Any coach, team personnel and/or contestant who confronts or addresses a coach, contestant or official using hate speech, ethnically or racially insensitive expressions will be disqualified for a minimum of 30% of contest limitations.



### AREA MEETING FY2024

# HATE SPEECH, ETHNICALLY OR RACIALLY INSENSITIVE EXPRESSIONS

Year	Total Ejections	Football
2017-2018	10	9
2018-2019	24	24
2019-2020 (No spring sports)	19	18
2020-2021 (Condensed seasons)	Π	10
2021-2022	33	27
2022-2023	50	39

<sup>\*2022-2023</sup> Additional Sports: 4 B.Basketball, 2 B.Lacrosse, 4 B. Soccer, 1 Indoor Track

#### **TRANSPORTATION**

#### **Practice**

Student Parking lot

Drop off – near door #19 or #20 – driving around back of school is prohibited

#### **Practice Day**

Activity Bus: 4:45pm Monday - Friday - this will be confirmed

No activity bus on Half Days

#### **Game Day**

\*All athletes are expected to ride team bus to and from event

\*Under no circumstances will an athlete be allowed to leave with another student

\* Parents may sign their child out after an away game

\*Parents may request in writing to coach 48 hours before event to transport their child from event.

### PARENT INFORMATION



# HAZING — HARASSMENT — BULLYING

#### Definition

 To recklessly or intentionally endanger the health or safety of a student or to inflict bodily injury on a student in connection with or for the purpose of initiation, admission into or affiliation with, or as a condition for continued membership in a club, organization, association, fraternity, sorority or student body regardless of whether the student so endangered or injured participated voluntarily in the relevant activity.

#### WHS won't tolerate any form of this behavior!

- Class I misdemeanor
- Online / cyber...?



### NCAA ELIGIBILITY

#### If you have any desire to play at the College level:

- Register on-line at
- www.ncaaeligibilitycenter.org
- College Recruiting website resources:
- www.collegesportsscholarships.com

www.freerecruitingwebinar.org



# **SUMMARY**

Thank

Thank you for your attendance

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Thank you for your support and cooperation during this upcoming sports season.

LUCK

GOOD LUCK TO ALL OF OUR WINTER ATHLETES! GO

GO LIONS!!



