

## Sports Information - Fall 2018

To register for a fall sport - please follow these directions. Initial team lists will be created from the online registrations. The registration is made up of three parts. All three must be completed before you will be cleared for participation.

### 1. Online forms

Mars Area School District uses an online service provider for sports' registrations. If you have a current FamilyID account, login to the same account and update the information. You will need to access and print out Sections 5 and 6 (physician's form and health history). These forms will be available after June 1. All other forms must be completed and submitted online. Follow the link provided on the Mars School District website for FamilyID.

### 2. Physical and Health History - (must be stamped by physician/office)

Physicals for the 2018/19 school year cannot be completed BEFORE June 1, 2018. Physicals will be offered at the high school on August 1, 2018 beginning at 9:00am. Due to lack of interest, this is the only date that will be offered by the school district for the entire 2018/19 school year. Cost is \$20.00. Make check payable to Mars Area School District. You may also choose to get a sports physical at your convenience through your own physician, Med Express, CVS, Walgreens, etc.

### 3. Paid Athletic Fee of \$100.

The Mars Area School Board has assessed an athletic participation fee of \$100 per student per sport. If a student participates in three sports, for example, the fee will be \$300. There is no per student or family cap. This fee must be paid no later than one week before the starting practice date. (Note: Students eligible for free or reduced price school meals will have their fees waived.) Students who are not selected for those sports requiring tryouts will have their checks returned. Your check will be returned to you by mail unless other arrangements are made.

Once you have completed the online forms and had your physical, you may turn in Sections 5 and 6 and your athletic fee of \$100 to the nurse/guidance office in your building. If you pay online, there will be an additional administrative fee of \$3.30. (This is a PayPal fee.)

**ALL COMPLETED FORMS AND FEES MUST BE TURNED IN AT LEAST ONE WEEK PRIOR TO THE FIRST PRACTICE DATE.**

#### Varsity - 1<sup>st</sup> Practice Dates

August 6<sup>th</sup> - Football (9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>)

August 13<sup>th</sup> - B/G Soccer - Girls Volleyball - B/G Cross Country - B/G Golf - Girls Tennis

#### 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> Grade - 1<sup>st</sup> Practice Dates

August 16<sup>th</sup> - 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> Grade Football

August 21<sup>st</sup> - 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> Grade B/G Soccer - B/G Cross Country

CONCUSSION TESTING: State law requires that student athletes complete the concussion course. Testing will be administered by each team at a time, by our athletic trainers. A schedule will be posted online when it is available.