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The Official Newsletter of Sylvania Northview High School Volleyball



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SPRING HAS SPRUNG

by Chad Rutkowski, Head Coach

As spring is upon us, we are gearing up for our 2021 season of Northview Volleyball. It has been a wonderful spring for our coaching staff as we have expanded our staff, provided new items to engage our families and our fans, and spent many hours watching our athletes play online at various club tournament. We are hopeful that spectator restrictions will be lifted soon at various events so that we can attend some of the later club season events in person.

We are looking forward to seeing all of you on Monday, April 12, 2021 at 7:00 P.M. in the Northview Gymnasium for the 2021 Pre-Season Athlete and Parents Meeting where we will officially kick off the 2021 season. This meeting will last about 45 to 60 minutes. Please share this information with anybody that might be interested in playing volleyball at Northview for the 2021-2022 season.

8 days until our Athlete & Parents Meeting | 64 days until our first summer practice | 120 days until Tryouts

Every Monday, our Volleyball Office at the high school is open from 5:30 P.M. to 7:30 P.M. for Office Hours before Monday Night Small Group Work for Varsity from 8:00 P.M. to 9:30 P.M.

Continue to be safe and well. We will see each of you very soon!



2021 CALENDAR & IMPORTANT DATES

Stay up to date on all of the events associated with Northview Volleyball. Please subscribe to the Northview Volleyball calendar online:

- Both Computers, Mobile Devices and Tablets https://tinyurl.com/ya5c3gjz
- It is very important that you have this information on your devices to stay up-to-date on all events with Northview Volleyball.

Here is some important information that we need everybody to "keep open" on their calendars for the start of Northview Volleyball for the 2021 season:

- Monday, April 12, 2021 Pre-Season Parent and Athlete Meeting in the Northview Gymnasium
- Monday, June 7, 2021 First Summer Practice/Open Gym
- Tuesday, June 29, 2021 Deadline to Register for Asics Summer Site Camp at Northview.
- Thursday Summer League (all players will participate each week) At Premier Academy from 6:00 P.M. 9:00 P.M. in July (refer to calendar for specific dates)
 - 4 weeks long. The entry fee for this event is paid for by Northview Volleyball.
- **July 24 and 25, 2021** Asics Summer Slam Tournament Times TBD at Premier Academy All players will participate in this summer tournament. The entry fee for this event is paid for by Northview Volleyball.
- July 29, 30, 31, 2021 Summer Site Camp held at Sylvania Northview High School 9:00 A.M. to 2:15 P.M
 - Junior High Camp will be held from 2:15 P.M. to 4:15 P.M.
 - You must register for this site camp online and <u>can access by clicking here</u>
 - You will need to register and pay for this camp by June 29, 2021
- August 1, 2021 Spirit Wear Order Forms are due. This will be E-mailed to you immediately after the conclusion of the Pre-Season Athlete and Parents Meeting and can be sent back anytime between the time you receive it and this date. Only those selected to a final roster after tryouts will have their spirit wear orders completed and submitted for purchase. Checks for Spirit Wear can be made out to Northview Volleyball.
- August 2, 2021 Tryouts One Day Only 5:00 P.M. to 6:30 P.M. (Session #1) and 7:00 P.M. to 8:30 P.M. (Session #2)
 - Athletes will be required to attend both sessions.

PRE-SEASON ATHLETE & PARENTS MEETING

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Remember, if you are a new athlete to the program, and you have not completed this already, you will need to fill out completely the Athlete and Parents Information sheet that can be accessed online by <u>clicking here</u>.

All incoming freshman volleyball players from Arbor Hills and McCord have been included on this E-mail, as well as other 8th graders that have expressed interested in attending Sylvania Northview High School.



2021 SUMMER CAMPS

Our 2021 Summer Camps schedule is below, with some new additions for our younger Wildcats!. All of this information can be access online through our website by <u>clicking here</u>.



Our High School will once again host a site camp at Northview, July 29th - 31st. The cost of this camp is \$190,00 for 10.5 hours! The deadline to register for this camp at this price is June 29th. After June 29th, the price will automatically increase to \$210.00. The image below will take you immediately to the registration page for this camp.





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BOOSTER RAFFLE

3 days and counting...

Please consider supporting the Northview Athletic Booster Club with their March Madness Raffle to help raise funds for the 700+ student-athletes at Northview. In a non-COVID year, the Athletic Boosters typically raises \$100,000 to purchase new uniforms, equipment, medical supplies, post-season awards and gives \$2,500 in scholarships. Due to the postponement of booster memberships, the reverse raffle, and limited concessions and spirit wear sales because of spectator limitations, the funds raised during this pandemic have fallen far short of that goal. For as little as \$10, you could win up to \$5,000. Simply visit this March Madness Raffle Link to purchase one (\$10), three (\$25), seven (\$50) or as many as you wish. The raffle ends on Monday, April 5th with the winners being announced on Tuesday, April 6th at the new Village Inn via Northview Athletic Boosters Facebook live - 7:00pm.

Please help in supporting such a wonderful Booster program. We are so very fortunate to have this exceptional group of volunteers providing outstanding services to our program and others throughout the Northview Athletics program.



PHYSICALS

This year, once again, Dr. Mickey Frame, <u>Frame Acupuncture and Chiropractic</u>, will offer Physical Examinations for Northview Volleyball players for \$25.00 per athlete. As a kind supporter of Northview Volleyball, Dr. Frame donates all money collected for Physical's back to Northview Volleyball. To schedule a physical with Dr. Frame, please call (419) 475-9355. All exams will take place at 3829 Woodley Rd, Toledo, OH 43606. As a reminder, all athletes need an OHSAA Pre-Participation Physical Exam form filled out and returned prior to participation. You will not be able to participate in my volleyball happenings until a physical has been turned in the coaching staff (this includes, but not limited to – open gyms, summer practices, conditioning, tryouts, leagues, etc.). <u>Click here to access this year's Physical Form</u>.











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SOCIAL MEDIA & WEBSITE CONTENT

For the past couple of years, we have been working tremendously hard to digitize most of our information as well as create some new and exciting things for our program. Please visit our website (www.northviewwildcats.org) and click on Team Files to access computer and mobile device backgrounds, daily checklist for athletes, links for match schedules only that you can share with family members. We appreciate the support of going digital with most of our materials and hope that you will find them helpful and user friendly.

All Northview Volleyball resources can be found online. It is highly encouraged that you utilize the website as much as possible. All of our match results and pictures of our athletes can be found on our social media - please like, follow, share and be as active as you can with our social media posts! It is a wonderful way to get people engaged with our program and to drive individuals to come support our program at one of our matches.

WHAT'S NEW FOR 2021?

One of the most intriguing questions we receive each off-season is "so, what fun new things are planned for the next season?" Althought we can not let all of our secrets out just yet, What we can tell you is the following:

- The 2021 schedule is tougher than the 2020 schedule... which was very tough! The 2021 Schedule can be found online by clicking here or can be accessed on all of our social media platforms.
- Our Promotion Schedule is coming together nicely with theme for each home match and giveaways for fans!
- Increased efficiency and technology in practice.
- An optional parent volleyball course and camp learn all about volleyball and expand our overall knowledge of the sport.
- Team Meals on Friday's for all levels.
- New Spirit Wear options from Jupmode! All will be E-mailed to you following our Pre-Season Athlete and Parents Meeting.
- Introduction of Summer Strength Training program to be done at home.

Northview Volleyball is built on the following core values: Skill Development, Commitment, Sacrifice, Responsibility, Accountability, Dedication, and Perseverance.