

# Webberville Middle and High School

## 2023-2024 Athletic Handbook



### Webberville Athletic Programs

Men's Programs	Women's Programs	Club Programs
Football	Volleyball	Sideline Cheerleading
Basketball	Basketball	
Wrestling	Competitive Cheerleading	
Golf	Golf	
Track & Field	Track & Field	
Baseball	Softball	
Cross County	Cross Country	

The Webberville Middle and High School Athletic Handbook has been written as a guide for athletes and parents/guardians. The athletic department staff is dedicated to providing a quality experience for all student-athletes. Student welfare and safety are our top priorities!

## ATHLETIC PHILOSOPHY

The interscholastic athletic program at Webberville Middle and High School is a vital and integral part of the total education program. The goal of the athletic program is to:

- Build character in youth by teaching the meaning of commitment, loyalty, and sacrifice;
- Develop healthy attitudes about winning and losing;
- Foster positive interpersonal relationships among teammates and competitors.

## MISSION STATEMENT

The role of interscholastic athletics at Webberville Middle and High School is to provide educational experiences within the framework of competitive athletics. By focusing on educational outcomes and student learning, athletics provide avenues for physical, emotional, social and intellectual growth.

## ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT OBJECTIVES

1. To provide a positive image of school activities at Webberville Middle and High School.
2. To provide students with opportunities for physical, intellectual, emotional and social development.
3. To experience team play along with loyalty, cooperation and fair play.
4. To create a desire to excel.
5. To practice self-discipline and emotional maturity while learning to make decisions under pressure.
6. To demonstrate good sportsmanship at all times.
7. To develop leadership qualities and skills.

This handbook has been developed to assist you at Webberville Middle and High School. Please read through it carefully so that you are familiar with the guidelines and expectations. If you have questions or need further information, please contact the Athletic Director/Coordinator.

## MHSAA ESSENTIAL ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

·**Enrollment** - Students must be enrolled in school prior to the fourth Friday after Labor Day (1<sup>st</sup> semester) or the fourth Friday of February (2<sup>nd</sup> semester). The student must be enrolled in the school for which he or she competes.

·**Age** - A student is ineligible to participate if he or she reaches age nineteen (19) before September 1<sup>st</sup> of the current school year.

·**Physical Examination** - A sports pre-participation physical (PPE) completed by an M.D., D.O., N.P., or P.A. certifying that the student is physically able to compete in athletic practices and contests must be on file for the current school year. This is interpreted as a physical examination given after April 15<sup>th</sup> of the previous school year. The student-athlete may not participate in sport or practice until a completed PPE is on file with the Athletic Department.

·**Semesters of Enrollment** - A student cannot be eligible for more than eight semesters, with the seventh and eighth semesters being consecutive.

·**Semesters of Competition** - A student is allowed four first semesters and four second semesters of competition.

·**Undergraduate Standing** - A student who is a graduate of a regular four-year high school is not eligible for interscholastic athletics.

·**Previous Semester Record** - A student will not be allowed to compete in any athletic contest during any semester that does not have to his or her credit at least twenty credit hours of work for the last semester during which he or she shall have been enrolled in grades 9 to 12, inclusive. A student entering the 9<sup>th</sup> grade for the first time, except those who had eligibility advanced, may compete without reference to his or her record in the 8<sup>th</sup> grade.

·**Current Semester Record** - Academic eligibility checks of not more than ten weeks are required. If a student is not passing at least two-thirds of their classes when checked, that student is ineligible for competition until the next eligibility check. Please refer to Webberville Community Schools' eligibility rules for more information.

·**Transfer Students** - A student enrolled in grades 9-12 who transfers to another high school is ineligible to participate in an interscholastic athletic contest or scrimmage of the same sport that he or she participated in the year before for one full school year unless he or she qualifies for immediate eligibility under one or more of the MHSAA published exceptions.

·**Awards** - A student may accept, for participation in athletics, a symbolic or merchandise award which does not have a value or cost in excess of \$25.00. Awards for athletic participation in the form of cash, merchandise, certificates or any other type of negotiable documents are never allowed. A violation of this rule may lead to ineligibility.

·**Amateur Status** - After once representing a MHSAA member school in competition in any sport, a student shall not be eligible to represent his or her school if that student (1) receives money or other valuable consideration from any source for participating in athletics, sports or games; (2) receives money or other valuable consideration for officiating in interscholastic athletic contests; or (3) signs a professional athletic contract.

·**Limited Team Membership** - After practicing with or participating with high school teams, a student cannot participate in any athletic competition not sponsored by his or her school in the same sport during the same season.

·**Undue Influence** - The use of undue influence by any person directly or indirectly associated with a school to secure or encourage the attendance of a student for athletic purposes shall cause the student to become ineligible for a minimum of one semester.

·**All-Star Competition** - Students shall not compete at any time in any sport under MHSAA jurisdiction in all-star contests or national championships regardless of the method of selection. Participation in such a contest shall cause that student to become ineligible for a maximum period of one year of school enrollment.

### **MHSAA ATHLETIC CODE FOR ATHLETES**

1. Know and adhere to the athletic code of the school.

2. Exceed all attendance and academic requirements as practical evidence of loyalty to school and team and a proper philosophy of school-sponsored athletics.
3. Observe completely all policies regarding conduct, doing so as a duty to school, team and self.
4. Counsel with the athletic director over questions of eligibility.
5. Practice and play, giving complete effort in all circumstances and credit in victory to teammates and to opponents in defeat.
6. Accept favorable and unfavorable decisions, as well as victory and defeat, with equal grace.
7. Demonstrate respect for opponents and officials before, during and after contests.

### **ACADEMIC ELIGIBILITY RULES**

To be eligible to participate in athletic scrimmages and competitions at Webberville Middle and High School, a student must meet the following standards:

#### **MHSAA – Grade of Record Requirement**

1. The student must have passed greater than 67% of his/her classes of the previous official grading period. Any student not meeting this requirement is ineligible for 60 scheduled school days following the date grades were officially recorded unless the deficiencies are made up as defined by the MHSAA.

#### **Webberville Schools Athletic Eligibility Policy and Procedures**

Webberville Schools believe that students must pass their academic curriculum in order to participate in extracurricular contests. It is also the belief that the district administration, staff, and parents are equal partners in providing students appropriate support and accountability required for their success.

1. Eligibility will begin on the first day of the week starting with the fourth week of each quarter.
2. Upon review of weekly grades, teachers may place a student-athlete on the “warning list” if ALL of the following requirements are met:
  - a. The student athlete has a failing grade (59% or below).
  - b. The teacher verifies the grade is up-to-date and accurate.
  - c. The teacher notifies the parent, student, athletic director/coordinator, and principal of the reasons for placement on the warning list.
  - d. The teacher notifies the parent, student, athletic director/coordinator, head coach, and principal of the steps necessary for the student to earn a passing grade so as to not become ineligible the next week.
3. If an athlete is failing the same course following the warning list week, the teacher may place them on the ineligible list if the following requirements are met:
  - a. The student-athlete has a failing grade (59% or below) for a consecutive week after being placed on the warning list in the same course.
  - b. All of the warning list requirements were met
  - c. The teacher notifies the parent, student, head coach, athletic director/coordinator, and principal of the reasons for placement on the ineligible list.
4. If an athlete is determined to be ineligible, they remain ineligible the entire week from Monday through Sunday. They can regain eligibility upon the next weekly eligibility check if they are passing the course.
5. Virtual/Dual Enrollment/WTC/Other Non-Traditional Coursework are not included in weekly eligibility due to being held outside the district. However, if a student is not making “appropriate academic progress” in non-traditional coursework, the administration may place the student on the warning list

and outline appropriate parameters to be met for the student to avoid becoming ineligible the following week. This process must include parent, student, and head coach communication during the warning list week.

6. Study Table- If an athlete has ANY grade below 70% (C-) the coach may require them to attend study sessions until all grades are C- or above. Study table sessions may be with a coach, a teacher, or a school-sponsored study session.
7. Extenuating circumstances or concerns can be appealed to the building principal within 24 hours of notification of warning list or ineligibility. This rule shall apply only to rare and extenuating circumstances outside the control of the student and parents.

### **STUDENT-ATHLETE CODE OF CONDUCT**

Webberville Schools maintains an expectation that all students conduct themselves in an exemplary manner at all times while at school, during school travel, at school events and while representing the district. Student-athletes are expected to follow all MHSAA, league, and school rules at all times. Failure to follow these expectations may result in athletic discipline up to dismissal from a team or the athletic department.

The school recognizes and supports the premise that violations that occur outside of the school program are the responsibility of the parent(s). If the school is made aware of a concern outside of the school program, school administration will notify the parents and/or law enforcement of the concern.

Student-athletes are specifically prohibited from the following while a student, on school grounds, during school travel, or while serving as a representative of the district:

1. The use, possession, or transfer of prohibited items including but not limited to: alcohol, tobacco, drugs, marijuana, THC products, prescription medicine, e-cigarettes, vape pens and/or vape products
2. Forgery.
3. Hazing.
4. Use of profane language or gestures.
5. All socially unacceptable behavior that detracts from the athletic program or brings discredit upon the team, the school, or the individual.
6. Inappropriate, negative, or harmful statements or behaviors directed at teammates, coaches, the community, the school, and/or school personnel.

### **DISCIPLINE FOR CODE OF CONDUCT VIOLATIONS**

**First Violation** – The student-athlete may be suspended from competition for up to 25% of the current or next sports season. This consequence is determined by ‘weeks of competition.’ A comparable amount of community service may be implemented in lieu of punitive consequences for first violations at the discretion of the administrator.

**Second Violation** – The student-athlete may be suspended from competition for up to 50% of the current or next sports season. This consequence is determined by ‘weeks of competition.’ A comparable amount of community service may be implemented in lieu of punitive consequences for second violations at the discretion of the administrator.

**Third Violation** – The student-athlete may be suspended from competition for up to the entire current or next school year. A community service option is not available for third violation consequences.

#### **Notes:**

- The head coach for each individual sport may assign additional team penalties at the coach's discretion if the expectations, infractions, and consequences are included in team rules and are signed by the parent and student prior to the start of competition.
- Penalties/consequences carry over from season to season and year to year (except 8<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> grade).
- Each student-athlete starts 9<sup>th</sup> grade with a fresh start, however, violations are cumulative during a student-athlete's high school career.
- All school suspensions will also result in suspension from athletic activity until the student is eligible to attend school. This includes practices, games, and all other team and school functions.
- School administration reserves the right to escalate consequences beyond those outlined above when warranted by serious, grotesque, or severely inappropriate disciplinary situations.

### **APPEAL PROCESS**

A student-athlete and/or parent may appeal the circumstances of the alleged violation. This appeal shall be presented in writing to the administrator within five days of the notification of discipline. Students and parents may appeal only the determination of facts relative to the incident. The length or application of the penalty cannot be appealed.

### **SCHOOL ATTENDANCE**

1. Athletes must attend school for the entire school day to participate in team functions including, but not limited to, practices and games. This expectation includes attendance at the Wilson Talent Center, online courses, and any other off-site class. For the purpose of this expectation, students are considered excused under the following circumstances:
  - a. Pre-approval from the Principal or Athletic Director/Coordinator.
  - b. Professional Appointments: medical, dental, court, counseling, funeral, therapy, etc.
  - c. Parent Excused with the main office.
2. It is the responsibility of the student-athlete's parent/guardian to contact the main office in the event of an emergency to have the school absence excused.
3. Athletes will be excused fifteen (15) minutes before the bus departure time to leave for an away event.

### **ATHLETIC WORKING DEPOSITS**

Parents/guardians of student-athletes are required to pay a working deposit of \$100 per family per season (fall, winter, spring). There will be a maximum of \$300 per family per school year. If parents/guardians volunteer at the prescribed number of events (the amount will depend on the number of home events each season), their deposit will be reimbursed after the end of the school's fiscal year (June 30). The deposit will only be reimbursed if the events are worked in the corresponding season. Athletes are ineligible to participate in competition until the Working Deposit Form has been completed by the parent/guardian and working deposit has been paid or another arrangement has been approved by the Athletic Director/Coordinator.

### **QUITTING**

A student-athlete that leaves (voluntarily or for violation of team rules) a team after 10 days of participation are not eligible to participate in the next season. Extenuating circumstances may be considered by administration for pre-approval.

### **INJURIES & ILLNESSES**

1. If an athlete is injured or needs medical attention, a member of the athletic staff will contact the parent/guardian. If an ambulance is necessary first aid will be provided by the athletic staff until paramedics arrive. Webberville Middle and High School is not responsible for emergency medical costs under any circumstances.
2. If an athlete is removed from practice or competition due to injury and does not return to full activity within 7 calendar days a medical clearance note will be required from an M.D., D.O., P.A., or N.P.
3. Suspected and diagnosed head injuries (i.e. concussions etc,) must have medical clearance from an M.D., D.O., P.A., or N.P. and complete a gradual return to activity protocol before returning to unlimited activity.
4. Athletes with serious injuries or illnesses, suspected or diagnosed (fractures, dislocations, emergency heat illnesses, cardiac symptoms, surgery, etc.), cannot return to activity until they receive written clearance from an M.D., D.O., P.A., or N.P.

### **INSURANCE**

Webberville Community Schools does not assume financial responsibility for medical, hospital or ambulance expenses incurred because of athletic injuries. Health care insurance forms are available in the athletic office for those without insurance coverage. Further insurance information is available on the MHSAA website.

### **PARENT-COACH COMMUNICATION**

Research indicates that students involved in co-curricular activities have a greater chance for success during adulthood. We believe our athletic program helps develop the character traits that promote a successful life after high school. Both parenting and coaching are extremely challenging vocations. By establishing an understanding of each position, we are better able to accept the actions of each other, providing greater benefits to our children and students. As parents, when your children become involved in a program, you have a right to understand what expectations are placed on them. This begins with clear communication from the coach of your child's program. If a situation arises which requires a conference between the coach and the parent, this is encouraged. It is important that both parties involved have a clear understanding of the other's position.

Expressing athletic concerns should always happen the next day and never immediately following a game or practice unless there is an emergency.

#### **Communication you should expect from the coach:**

- Philosophy of the coach
- Expectations the coach has for your child and other players on the squad
- Locations and times of all practices and contests as well as bus schedules
- Team requirements, i.e. fees, special equipment, weight training/conditioning
- Procedure should your child be injured during participation
- Discipline that results in the denial of your child's participation

#### **Communication coaches expect from parents:**

As Webberville Middle and High School athletes become involved in the athletic program, they will experience some of the most rewarding moments of their lives. It is important to understand that there may also be times when things do not go the way an athlete or parent wishes. At these times, discussion

with the coach is encouraged. The following are examples of communication that are essential for coaches to receive:

- Concerns expressed directly to the coach
- Notification of any schedule conflicts well in advance
- Specific concerns regarding a coach's expectations

**Appropriate concerns to discuss with coaches:**

As a parent it can be very difficult to accept your child's not playing as much as you may hope. Coaches make judgment decisions based on what they believe to be best for their program, the team, and their players. The following are concerns that would be appropriate to discuss with a coach:

- The treatment of your child, both mentally and physically
- Ways to help your child improve
- Concerns about your child's behavior

**Issues that are not appropriate to discuss with coaches:**

While there are certain things that can and should be discussed with your child's coach, there are other things that must be left to the discretion of the coach.

- Playing time
- Game strategy
- Play calling
- Other student-athletes

**Procedure to follow when meeting with a coach:**

- Call the school to set up an appointment with the coach.
- If the coach cannot be reached, call the Athletic Coordinator to set up the meeting for you.
- Please do not attempt to confront a coach before or after a contest or practice. These can be emotional times for both the parent and the coach. Meetings of this nature do not promote resolution.

If the meeting with the coach does not provide a satisfactory resolution, call and set up an appointment with an administrator to discuss the situation. The next appropriate step can be determined at this meeting.

**EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES**

All athletes are responsible for the proper care and security of school issued uniforms, warm-ups and equipment. School furnished uniforms and warm-ups are to be worn only for contests and practice. Equipment not returned in good condition at the end of the season may be subject to a financial penalty.

In some cases athletes will be required to purchase a portion of the game uniform, which will become their property. Items include, but are not limited to hats, shoes, cleats, jerseys and various gloves.

**RESTRICTED PRACTICE DAYS**

All practices are to be held on school days if at all possible. Saturday practices are to be minimal in number and duration. Sunday practices will be permitted only when:

- Special permission is granted by administration,



- When a contest has been scheduled the following day, and/or
- When a tournament or play-off contest falls on the following day.

Holiday practices are discouraged, especially by non-varsity level teams. Holiday practices will be permitted only when:

- Special permission is granted by administration,
- When a contest has been scheduled the following day, and/or
- When a tournament or play-off contest falls on the following day.

Mandatory practices will not be held on days when school has been cancelled due to weather. Voluntary practices may be held for varsity teams with approval from administration.

### **TRANSPORTATION**

- Athletes are expected to follow the transportation guidelines set forth by Webberville Community Schools, Dean Transportation, and their respective coaches. Not following travel expectations may result in team or athletic discipline.
  - o When traveling by school bus or van/other:
    - The bus driver is in charge of the bus. Passengers must listen and follow the directives of the driver.
    - All safety protocols must be followed.
    - All passengers **MUST** remain seated at all times when the bus is in motion. Facing forward and out of the aisle.
    - All passengers are to enter and exit the school bus through the front door of the school bus. The rear exit door is to be used as an emergency exit only.
    - Food is generally not allowed on the school bus. In certain situations, where a need to eat on the bus exists, passengers should check with the driver and respect their decision.
    - Music played on the bus must be school appropriate and at a safe volume.
    - All passengers must remain silent at railroad crossings (Federal Law).
    - No flash photography.
    - At the end of the trip, passengers must remove all trash from the bus.
    - Passengers should be advised that security cameras are installed on every bus.

### **DRESS CODE**

Athletes are expected to project a favorable image for our school. Standards of dress for home and away contests will be outlined by the coach and are expected to be followed. Students are not allowed to wear travel attire that is in violation of the school dress code.

### **WEIGHT ROOM**

Athletes who use the weight room must abide by the following rules or they will be dismissed:

1. Use of the weight room as part of school athletic strength and conditioning must be overseen by a member of the coaching staff.

2. Coaches and athletes are responsible for the care of this room and the equipment in it. Weight bars must be cleared, weights stacked, stereo and lights turned off and doors locked when the session is completed.
3. No tobacco, gum, glass, food or drinks other than water are allowed in the weight room.
4. Shirts and athletic shoes must be worn at all times, no open toed shoes are allowed.
5. Spotters must be used for any lift which the athlete may not be able to complete alone.
6. Weight belts are provided for use when needed to complete a lift safely.
7. Anyone behaving in an inappropriate manner will be removed from the weight room and may have their privileges suspended.
8. Music played in school facilities must be appropriate for school. No obscene music is permitted.
9. Rack all weights; leave no weights on the floor. There is no reason to ever set the weights on the floor for more than a minute and that is only if you are doing a super set or break down set. Never lean the weights against the wall or a machine, as it creates a hazardous environment for others.
10. Never set any weight on the cloth portion of machines.
11. Clean up after yourself if you sweat on the machines.
12. Always use collars on the bars.
13. Pick up after yourself. Do not leave paper and other trash lying around.
14. No earrings, bracelets or necklaces allowed. It not only places you at a potential risk, but it could also damage the equipment.
15. Do not throw around weights.
16. No running in the weight room.
17. All persons entering the Spartan Center must be at least 14 years old or directly supervised by a parent/guardian to use the facility unless directly supervised by a coach for a team sponsored activity.
18. Train with a championship effort.

### **ATHLETIC EVENT ADMISSION AND PASSES**

- Individual athletic event passes are available for \$50 and athletic family passes are available for \$100.
- Family passes are good for all regular season home athletic events during the school year for all members of the immediate family living in the same household.
- Senior citizens 65 years of age and older are free.
- Faculty and staff are free.
- Current K-12 Webberville students will be admitted free.
- Students in grades K-6<sup>th</sup> will only be admitted if accompanied by an adult
- Children under 5 are free with adult supervision

### **PLAYING OUT OF LEVEL**

Generally speaking, Junior Varsity teams are for freshmen and/or sophomores and varsity teams are for juniors and/or seniors. If an athlete is moved out of level, the following criteria will be considered:

I. Coaches affected by the moved student athlete will meet to discuss the following, with the outcome goals of that discussion being positive for the athlete and program.

i. How will the move affect the athlete academically?

- What kind of student is the athlete?
- What kind of study habits does the athlete have?
- Are the length and number of practices going to affect class work?

- Will the time and number of games affect class work?
- What kind of help is available for the athlete?
- ii. How will the move affect the athlete emotionally?
  - What kind of pressure will be on the athlete?
  - Is the athlete emotionally mature enough to play at this level?
- iii. How will the move affect the athlete socially?
  - Does the athlete have any friends on the team?
  - How great is the age difference?
- iv. How will the move affect the athlete physically?
  - Is the athlete physically mature enough to play at this level?
  - Will the chance of injury be greatly increased?
- v. How will the move affect the athlete's playing time?
  - Will the athlete contribute to the team during the game?
  - Will playing time be sufficient to justify the move up or down?
- II. Parent/Guardian Contact
  - Coaches involved in the move must consider parent/guardian input of the athlete to:
    - i. Discuss the pros and cons of the move.
    - ii. Get input from the parent/guardian about the move.
- III. Reevaluate
  - Any decision to move an athlete will be reevaluated periodically during the season. Athletes may be moved back to a lower level at any time during the season if the move will benefit the athlete and the team.

### **DUAL PARTICIPATION**

Webberville Middle and High School supports a policy of allowing dual participation in rare circumstances. Dual Participation is not a remedy for low participation. Participating in more than one sport during a season is very difficult to do. It puts significant time and commitment pressures on the athletes and coaches. It also reduces the overall opportunities for other student-athletes. Dual Participation should be reserved for the rare situation in which both programs have a significant need for a specific athlete's contribution. Dual Participation is not intended for sub-varsity participation. Dual Participation should be the exception, not the norm. Please see the Dual Participation attachment for further information.

### **SQUAD SELECTION AND REDUCTION PROCEDURES**

In accordance with our philosophy of athletics and our desire to see as many students as possible participate in the athletic program while at Webberville Community Schools, coaches are encouraged to keep as many students as possible within the framework of interscholastic competition. Time, space, facilities, equipment, personal preference and other factors will place limitations on the most effective squad size for any particular sport.

Prior to trying out, the following information will be made available to all candidates for the team:

- Extent of try-out period (minimum number of practice sessions)
- Criteria used to select the team

- Number to be selected
- Practice commitment if they make the team, including possible holiday conflicts and/or commitments
- Game commitments
- Season commitments

Choosing the members of the athletic squads is the sole responsibility of the coaches of those teams. When a squad reduction becomes a necessity, the process will include three important elements. Each candidate shall:

- Have a predetermined minimum number of practice sessions
- Have performed in at least one game-like setting when possible
- Be personally informed of the cut by the coach.

Coaches will discuss specific alternative possibilities for continued participation in the sport or in other areas of participation within the athletic program with the athlete.

### **NCAA COLLEGE ELIGIBILITY RULES**

Students wishing to practice and play their first year at a NCAA Division I or Division II college must satisfy the requirements of NCAA and the NCAA Initial Eligibility Clearinghouse. **It is the responsibility of the athlete and his or her parent/guardian to meet NCAA requirements.**

## DUAL PARTICIPATION FORM

In some instances, a student-athlete may be allowed to play two sports during the same season. The athletic department supports the concept of dual participation for athletes as long as:

1. The student is in good academic standing.
2. Both coaches must agree. If both coaches do not agree to dual participation, the athlete must choose which sport to participate in. Coaches can agree with stipulations as long as it is approved by the athletic director.
3. The student-athlete must be able to help both teams.
4. The student-athlete must designate one sport as a primary sport. This cannot change once established.
5. Sports must be compatible in some way.
6. Athletes must finish both sports. Once committed to dual participation, an athlete cannot quit a sport and continue with another without special approval.
7. Attachment (1) will be used to resolve scheduling conflicts. Athletes will participate with the sport that ranks on the higher level. If both sports are on the same level the athlete will participate with the primary sport. Participation is not determined by athlete choice. Coaches may arrange an agreement that differs from Attachment 1 with Athletic Director approval.
8. If an athlete does not follow the expectations set forth, dual participation will be eliminated and participation will only be allowed to continue with the primary sport.

Attachment 1:

Level 1	Practice
Level 2	Practice before district, regional, or conference tournament game
Level 3	Practice before quarterfinal, semifinal, or finals game
Level 4	Regular season game
Level 5	District, regional, or conference tournament Game
Level 6	Quarterfinal, semifinal, or finals game

Primary Sport: \_\_\_\_\_ Coach Approval: \_\_\_\_\_

Dual Sport: \_\_\_\_\_ Coach Approval: \_\_\_\_\_

Stipulations: \_\_\_\_\_

Athlete Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Athletic Director/Coordinator Approval: \_\_\_\_\_

**Working Deposit Form**

Parents/guardians of student-athletes will be required to pay a working deposit of \$100 per family per season (fall, winter, spring). There will be a maximum of \$300 per family per school year. If parents/guardians volunteer at the prescribed number of events (the amount will depend on the number of home events each season), their deposit will be reimbursed no later than the end of the school's fiscal year (June 30). This is due to the fact that we have many multisport athletes and the deposit can be rolled over each season. The deposit will only be reimbursed if the events are worked in the corresponding season and a minimum of 2 are worked in concessions. Parents/guardians may arrange for a proxy to work the required number of events if they are unable to do so. Athletes are ineligible to participate in competition and practice until the Working Deposit Form has been completed by the parent/guardian and working deposit has been paid or another arrangement has been approved by the Athletic Director/Coordinator.

\*Only one form per family needs to be completed.

Father/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Please **print** FIRST and LAST NAME and GRADE of all Middle and High School students in your family that attend Webberville Community Schools:

_____	Grade: _____	_____	Grade: _____
_____	Grade: _____	_____	Grade: _____
_____	Grade: _____	_____	Grade: _____
_____	Grade: _____	_____	Grade: _____

I would like to speak with the Athletic Director/Coordinator regarding payment concerns

Please make checks payable to: Webberville Athletics Memo: Working Deposit

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Check # \_\_\_\_\_ Amount: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_

Qualifies for Free/Reduced Lunch:      Y      N      Received Copy:      Y      N

Other Approved Arrangements: \_\_\_\_\_

## Athletic Pass

Individual \$50      Family \$100

- Family passes are good for all regular season home athletic events during the school year.
- Senior citizens 65 and up are free.
- Faculty/staff plus their spouses are free.
- Current Webberville students will be admitted free.
- Students in grades K-6<sup>th</sup> will only be admitted if accompanied by an adult
- Children under 5 are free

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Please **print** FIRST and LAST name of all members in your family to be included on the family pass. Family members consist of immediate family members 18 years old and younger still living at home. Anyone 19 years old and older must pay if not enrolled in Webberville Community Schools. Immediate family members are not considered to be grandparents, cousins, aunt, uncles, etc.


Please make checks payable: **Webberville Athletics Memo: Family Pass**

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Check # \_\_\_\_\_ Amount: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_

## Athletic Handbook Acknowledgement

As a Webberville Spartan student-athlete participating in interscholastic athletics, I pledge that:

1. I understand participating in extra-curricular activities is a privilege earned by meeting the requirements set forth in this handbook.
2. I will abide by the Webberville School District Athletic Handbook, the coach's team rules, and the rules of the MHSAA.
3. I will conduct myself in an exemplary manner and model good character.
4. I acknowledge that I have been properly advised and cautioned, by administrative and coaching personal of Webberville Community Schools that I am exposing myself to the risk of injury, including, but not limited to sprains, fractures, ligament/cartilage damage, brain damage, paralysis, or even death. Such injuries could result in temporary or permanent, partial or complete impairment. Having been warned, it is still my desire to participate in sports and to do so with full knowledge and understanding of the risk of injury.
5. I, along with my parent/guardian, certify that I have read and understand all policies in the Athletic Handbook. I also understand that in order to be eligible for participation, I must comply with all requirements listed above.

Failure to return this completed form may result in the exclusion of my athletic participation

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Athlete Name (Print)

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

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Athlete Signature

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Date

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Parent/Guardian Name (Print)

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Parent/Guardian Signature

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Date