WMS Hawk Football

**2023 8th Grade Wyandot Middle School Football Schedule**

Aug 28th **Sign – up & Equipment Handout** (3:00 – 4:00 pm) Practice 4:00-5:30

* Must bring:
  + Physical dated after April 15, 2023
  + Pay – to – participate form with payment or receipt of on-line payment.
  + Physical form and pay – to – participate information are available at www.chippewavalleyschools.org/athletics/
  + A combination lock for your locker
* Will receive:
  + Game Schedule
  + Football Clothing Order Form
  + Helmet, Pads, Pants & Practice Jersey

All equipment must be put on and all adjustments must be made before the player can leave.

All 8th grade players must have their equipment fit approved by a coach.

**-Practice Schedule**

**1st Day of Practice - Helmet & Mouth Guard only,** *Monday 8-28*

**2nd Day of Practice - Helmet & Mouth Guard only,** *Tuesday 8-29*

**3rd Day of Practice - Helmet & Mouth Guard only,** *Wednesday 8-30*

**4th Day of Practice – Helmet, Mouth Guard & Shoulder Pads,** *Wednesday 9-6*

**5th Day of Practice – First day of full pads,** *Thursday 9-7*

**\*\*\* 8th grade practice will be every school day from 3:00 – 5:00pm \*\*\***

**ALL PRACTICES ARE MANDATORY!!!**

**Game Schedule**

All Games will be played on Tuesdays.

Games will be after school 3:30pm starting with the 7th grade team. **8th grade will start around 4:30pm**

Transportation to and from the games will be provided and must be used.

**Team Expectations**

* Show up to the first week of practice IN SHAPE. Exercise over the summer. DO NOT sit in the house and play video games all day!
* Give your best effort in the classroom and complete all your work.
* Be always on your best behavior including the classroom, hallways, lunchroom & bus.
* Attend practice every day!!!
* Be on the field on time every day for warm-ups.
* Any unexcused absence from practice will result in the loss of playing time (i.e., One missed practice = 1 missed quarter of play, two missed practices = game ineligible)

Advance notice with reasonable justification is required for an absence to be considered excused.

* Everyone will play in the game; how much will be determined by you!
  + Class work
  + Behavior
  + Attendance
  + Effort
  + Ability
* Listen to your coaches and be willing to sacrifice for the team!

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**Wyandot Football 2023**

Parent Information

1. All players must have a physical form completed by a physician dated after April 15, 2023, in order to begin practicing. This physical will be good for all 2023/2024 sports.
2. All pay – to – participate fees must be completed with payment before the first regular season game. Without payment, your student athlete may not participate. All pay – to – participate information is available at www.chippewavalleyschools.org/athletics/
3. Players are expected to be at every scheduled practice. If your student athlete needs to miss practice, please let the coaches know in advance.
4. Coaches will receive eligibility reports from teachers on a weekly basis. Students will be eligible with satisfactory reports in academics and behavior. If a student receives an unsatisfactory mark, they will be put on probation. Unsatisfactory marks in the same class for two consecutive weeks will result in the student missing one game.
5. **All parents are required to attend a MANDATORY district athletic meeting that will deal with eligibility and expectations throughout your student’s athletic career in Chippewa Valley Schools. Details (date, time, location) will follow at registration.**
6. We are always in need of parent volunteers for the chains and yard marker for home games. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact our athletic director, Mr. Bickers.
7. Chippewa Valley Schools prohibit parents to be volunteer coaches at practice or during games, if they have a child attending that school.
8. For any parent complaints or concerns, please use the 24-hour rule. Please wait 24 hours before contacting a coach.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at any time.

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