

Developing the person is #1. We strive for success beyond the playing field. The Woods Charter Athletic Program builds leaders, values relationships, and strives to positively push and advance student-athletes to the highest level possible.

ELIGIBILITY

- Must be in 6-8th grade. <u>EXCEPTION: 5th graders can compete in</u> <u>ultimate frisbee</u>. In all other sports, 5th graders are sometimes encouraged to participate in practice for development and are able to be managers if needed.
- Must have a valid physical and current physical (physical expires after 395 days). You can download the physical form on our athletic website or DragonFly. All other forms are now electronic on Dragonfly (including the annual concussion form)
- Online Registration on <u>DragonFly</u> is <u>required</u> before you participate.
 <u>Click here</u> for instructions on how to register. PLEASE DO NOT REGISTER TWICE, INFORMATION WILL TRANSFER OVER FROM THE PREVIOUS YEAR IF YOU HAVE AN ACCOUNT WITH WOODS CHARTER. DO UPLOAD AND COMPLETE ANY EXPIRED/UPDATED INFORMATION ON YOUR ACCOUNT IF NEEDED..

- Electronic documents must all be completed and the physical form must be uploaded before participating in sports. No exceptions.
- Please do not create an account with your child's name or contact information. You will add your child's name once the account is created.
- When signing up for a sport, pick as many sports that you think you will participate in this year (2025-2026). You can always add or edit.
 High school sports are listed as "varsity" and middle school sports are listed as "8th grade" in the system.
- You can also download the DragonFly app from the App Store or Google Play and complete it on your phone.
- Once all documents have been completed and uploaded we will approve in the DragonFly system.
- Parents/Guardians if you want more information about Dragonfly check out the following link https://www.dragonflymax.com/academy/parents

PLAYMETRICS COMMUNICATION (required)

- WCS athletics will use Playmetrics to communicate with all sports middle school and high school sports teams.
- Coaches will communicate through Playmetrics with their team.
- It is important that if you want to receive messages and notifications that you input your email and phone number into the contact information of your student-athlete once they are added to their respective team(s) roster.
- Download the Playmetrics App to receive notifications on your phone. You will receive notification through your email and via text **IF** your phone number is entered in the contact information.
- Each team's practice and game/competition schedule will be entered in Playmetrics.
- Announcements about the team and any pertinent WCS athletic information

ATHLETIC FEE- you do not have to pay the fee until your student is officially on the team roster (they have been selected after trying out)

- This money goes to the coach or coaches' stipend, refs, course fees, tournaments/jamboree/invitational fees, game field management, buses and equipment
- You will now make the payment on DragonFly when you register online.
- \$100.00 Fee per sport Middle School (5th Grade Managers do not have to pay a fee but physical and concussion is still required to practice, this is for all sports except cross country and cheerleading because 5th graders can participate). Exception Ultimate Frisbee is \$125
- \$TBD Fee for MS Baseball (based on # of participants and operational fees)
- \$175.00 Fee per sport Varsity (9-12th grade)
- -\$250.00 Fee for Varsity Golf (9-12th grade)
 *If you are playing two sports in a sports season you only have to pay
 for one sport in that season (i.e boys soccer & cross country in the
 fall or girls volleyball and cross country in the fall)

MS HEAD COACHES

- -Cross Country, Head Coach Taylor Transue ttransure@woodscharter.org
- -Boys Soccer, Head Coach TJ Maske <u>lucidf9@email.unc.edu</u>
- -Volleyball, Head Coach Allie Lanier alanier@unc.edu
- -Girls Basketball, Head Coach Logan Dutka -

logandutka@icloud.com

- -Boys Basketball, Head Coach Zach Faircloth zhf@unc.edu
- -Cheerleading, Head Coach Courtney Wilson cwilson@woodscharter.org
- -Girls Soccer, Head Coach David Brannigan
- Ultimate Frisbee, TBD

E-TICKETING

- We are using the E-Ticketing system this year for all revenue sports for varsity and middle school (Soccer, Volleyball, Basketball). No Cash.
- Cost is \$7 a game for everyone over the age of 5 for all varsity sports (see below about student discounted passes and family passes). Basketball is \$8.
- Cost is \$7 for adults for all Middle Sports, students are free.
- Family Passes are available digitally (cost is based on the number of people listed for your family pass, students can be included and extended family).
- Student Passes are available for \$30. Only students can purchase these passes.

NFHS NETWORK

 This year, we will continue to stream all home games live in the gym for varsity & middle school volleyball and basketball. This video service is through the NFHS network. The cost is \$11.99 a month or \$69.99 for the annual package. FOR ONLY the \$79.99 annual package our school receives a percentage back.

BENEFITS OF BEING A NFHS SUBSCRIBER

- -Can watch on any device (phone, tablet, computer).
- -Can watch live or archived competitions (watch at a later date whenever you'd like as long as you are subscribed).
- -A substitute for watching the game if we have to return to limited spectators.

- -Family/Friends living anywhere can watch, just as long as they are subscribed.
- -You can watch away games of opponents that have the Pixellot system. Right now we know <u>Clover Garden</u>, <u>Chatham Charter</u>, <u>Southern Wake Academy</u>, <u>& Cornerstone</u> (<u>Cornerstone is only the MS conference</u>) all have the system. Many non-conference opponents that we compete against will also have the system indoors and possibly outdoors if they have a stadium with a press box.
- -Helps Fund Woods Athletics Program with purchase of annual package. Cost is \$79.99 for the year and our school receives a percentage of that fee .
- -As a subscriber, you can watch other schools on the network across the state and country. So many schools are purchasing this system.
- -NCHSAA State Playoffs are featured live and archived on the network.

ATHLETICS SOCIAL MEDIA

- Check out/Follow the following pages for highlights, updates on our WCS Athletic Program.
- -WCSathletics98 Instagram Varsity Athletics.
- -@WCSAthletics98 Twitter WCS Athletics
- -@WCSWBB- Instagram, Varsity Girls Basketball
- -@WoodscharterWBB- Instagram Varsity Boys Basketball
- -@wcsmsultimate- Instagram MS ultimate frisbee
- -@woodschartervb- Instagram Varsity Volleyball