



**ORANGE COUNTY INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION
ATHLETIC DIRECTORS WORKSHOP**

Tuesday, December 16, 2025 - 10:15 AM

**Orange Ulster BOCES
Carl Onken Conference Center Room B/C**

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AGENDA

1. Approval of Minutes of Last Meeting (November 18, 2025)
2. Section IX Update – Greg Ransom / Jim Osborne
3. OCIAA President’s Report – Mr. Mike Bellarosa
 - a. NYSPHSAA Voting Items
 - b. Poughkeepsie/Tuxedo Park
 - c. NYSPHSAA Hall of Fame Applications
 - i. Pat D’Aliso
 - ii. Malcom Burks
4. OCIAA Athletic Coordinator’s Report – Mr. Christopher Mayo
Items of Concern:
 - a. Alignments 2026-2027 - Vote
 - b. Modified Flag Football
 - c. OCIAA Associate Members 2026-2027
 - d. Scholar-Athlete Awards – June 4, 2026 @ Otterkill
 - e. Community Service Challenge, NLI Photos – Pat Rossi
 - f. Combining of Teams – Tim Bult
 - g. NYSAAA – Jen Evans
 - h. Dropped teams
5. Old Business
6. New Business
7. Next Athletic Directors Workshop – Tuesday, January 13, 2026 at 9:30 am
@ Orange Ulster BOCES Carl Onken Conference Center Room B/C

Section IX Meeting – Tuesday, January 6, 2026 at 9:30 a.m.
@ Orange Ulster BOCES Carl Onken Conference Center Room B/C
8. Adjourn



Consent Agenda – NYSPHSAA Proposals November 2025

- Handbook Committee - Addition to Representation Rule
 - **Proposal:** The NYSPHSAA Handbook Committee is recommending the following addition to the letter a. of the Representation Rule: "A contestant or athletic team shall not represent a school in a game, contest, or scrimmage, except in conformance with all rules and regulations." Effective Start Date: 2025-2026 school year

- Modified Committee - Coordinators for Ice Hockey and Flag Football
 - **Proposal:** The NYSPHSAA Modified Committee is recommending Dean Berardo from Section 1 as the Modified Ice Hockey Coordinator.
 - **Proposal:** The NYSPHSAA Modified Committee is recommending Matt Lapinski from Section 5 as the Modified Flag Football Coordinator.

- Modified Committee - Revision to the NYSPHSAA Promotion Rule
 - **Proposal:** The NYSPHSAA Modified Committee is recommending revising the NYSPHSAA Promotion Rule in the NYSPHSAA Handbook with the following language: "With Section approval, contestants may be promoted to a higher classification within the modified program or to a junior varsity or varsity team at any time during their modified schedule." Effective Start Date: 2026-2027 school year

- Boys Basketball - Adopt new 5-second closely guarded NFHS rule
 - **Proposal:** The NYSPHSAA Boys Basketball Committee is seeking approval to adopt the note under rule 9-10- art 1a which states - "By state association adoption, if utilizing the 35-second shot clock, players may dribble the ball for more than five seconds."

- Girls/Boys Bowling - Establish minimum roster size
 - **Proposal:** The NYSPHSAA Boys and Girls Bowling State Committee is seeking approval to require the school team in each division to have a minimum of five (5) athletes on its roster for the state tournament and begin competition with at least five (5) athletes.

- Girls Wrestling - Revise the Representation Rule
 - **Proposal:** The NYSPHSAA Girls Wrestling Committee is recommending revising the current NYSPHSAA Representation Rule that allows female wrestlers to participate in both male and female events during the regular season and then choose to participate in the female NYSPHSAA Championship. The revision would prohibit any female that participates on a boys team in the regular season from participating in the girls post season. Effective Start Date: 2026-2027

- Flag Football NFHS Rule Adoption
 - **Proposal:** Adopt the NFHS Rules for the 2025-26 Season with the following waivers.
 1. Request a waiver to not allow the Field Goal option
 2. Request a waiver to continue to follow our current Flag Belt rules: 2 pop belts minimum 14' in length, add the width minimum from the NFHS Rule book of 1½ in width
 3. Request a waiver to specify a 1 Yard Neutral Zone
 4. Request a Waiver to the Uniform specifications as outlined in the NFHS Rule Book for Items Jersey: a-5.2.b3, a-5.2.b4, a-5.3.b3, a-5.3.b4, NUMBERS: 5-b3, b4 (Page 14 & 15) the 25-26 Season. 5-d:
 - *Note: If schools have shorts are not a solid color for the 25-26 season, the flag must be a clearly contrasting color to the shorts and any striping or patterns on the shorts.
 - Effective Start Date: Spring 2026

- Flag Football Rule Request: Dead Ball Flag Checks
 - **Proposal:** The NYSPHSAA Flag Football Committee is requesting to add language to the NFHS Rules to require dead ball flag checks.
 - The process will be as follows: Officials will conduct one dead ball flag check per half at the end of one quarter per half. The athlete will be selected at random by the official. If a belt is found to be not within the NYSPHSAA Waiver Standards, the flag check would result in an unsportsmanlike penalty. Belt Specifications: Flag Belt rules: 2 pop belts minimum 14'in length, add the width minimum from the NFHS Rule book of 1½' in width. Effective Start Date: Spring 2025

- Flag Football Pilot: Onside Play
 - **Proposal:** Consider approval of an Onside Play Option.

- Outdoor Track – Super Standard Finish
 - **Proposal:** To utilize the Super Standard, an Athlete must finish Top Five in the State Qualifier Meet, effective 2026.

- Outdoor Track – Super Standard Cut Off
 - **Proposal:** No Additional Performances using the Super Standard (obtained after the State Qualifier Meet) will count toward entry into the State Meet.

- Outdoor Track – Qualifying Standard Average
 - **Proposal:** Utilize the Three-year average for the Formula for Qualifying Standards using the Seed Performances.

- Baseball – Use of Double First Base
 - **Proposal:** Make it optional to utilize a double first base during the 2025-2026 School Year Season (regular and post season)

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Executive Committee Meeting – October 21, 2025

Handbook Committee – Addition to Representation Rule

- Action Item
- Discussion Item
- Informational Item

Presenter:

Pat Pizzarelli, Chairmen of Handbook Committee

Proposal:

The NYSPHSAA Handbook Committee is recommending the following addition to the letter a. of the Representation Rule:

“A contestant or athletic team shall not represent a school in a game, contest, or scrimmage, except in conformance with all rules and regulations.”

Effective Start Date:

2025-2026 school year

Rationale:

This recommendation clearly states the that all students must meet all rules and regulations before representing their school in a game, contest, or scrimmage.

Proposal Originated:

NYSPHSAA Handbook Committee

Budgetary Impact:

None

Notes:

None

Attachments:

None

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Modified Committee – Flag Football Coordinator

- Action Item
- Discussion Item
- Informational Item

Presenter:

Jim Rose, Co-Chairmen of NYSPHSAA Modified Committee

Proposal:

The NYSPHSAA Modified Committee is recommending Matt Lapinski from Section 5 as the Modified Flag Football Coordinator.

Effective Start Date:

2026

Rationale:

This is an open position on the Modified Committee.

Proposal Originated:

NYSPHSAA Modified Committee

Budgetary Impact:

None

Notes:

None

Attachments:

None

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Modified Committee – Ice Hockey Coordinator

- Action Item
- Discussion Item
- Informational Item

Presenter:

Jim Rose, Co-Chairmen of NYSPHSAA Modified Committee

Proposal:

The NYSPHSAA Modified Committee is recommending Dean Berardo from Section 1 as the Modified Ice Hockey Coordinator.

Effective Start Date:

2026

Rationale:

This is an open position on the Modified Committee.

Proposal Originated:

NYSPHSAA Modified Committee

Budgetary Impact:

None

Notes:

None

Attachments:

None

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Modified Committee – Revision to the NYSPHSAA Promotion Rule

- Action Item
- Discussion Item
- Informational Item

Presenter:

Jim Rose, Co-Chairmen of NYSPHSAA Modified Committee

Proposal:

The NYSPHSAA Modified Committee is recommending revising the NYSPHSAA Promotion Rule in the NYSPHSAA Handbook with the following language:

*“**With Section approval**, contestants ***may*** be promoted to a higher classification within the modified program or to a junior varsity or varsity team ***at any time during*** their modified schedule.”*

Effective Start Date:

2026-2027 school year

Rationale:

Several Sections have indicated that many 7th and 8th graders do have the ability to move up to the high school level but are kept down on the modified level to support the numbers at the modified level. This revision would allow the 7th and 8th graders the ability to complete the modified season and then be brought up to the high school level as long as they have completed the APP process.

Proposal Originated:

NYSPHSAA Modified Committee

Budgetary Impact:

None

Notes:

None

Attachments:

None

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BOYS BASKETBALL: Adopt new 5-second closely guarded NFHS rule **(by State Association adoption)**

- Action Item
- Discussion Item
- Informational Item

Presenter:

Bob Mayo, NYSPHSAA Boys Basketball Coordinator

Proposal:

The NYSPHSAA Boys Basketball Committee is seeking approval to adopt the note under rule 9-10-art 1a which states – *“By state association adoption, if utilizing the 35-second shot clock, players may dribble the ball for more than five seconds.”*

Effective Start Date:

Winter 2025-26

Rationale:

The NYSPHSAA State Committee felt strongly about this rule which would encourage offensive movement and maintain game flow. The rule applies in the frontcourt only. Other key points to this rule:

- A player holding the ball in the frontcourt must pass, shoot, or dribble within five seconds while being closely guarded by a defender in a legal guarding position.
- The closely guarded count ends if the offensive player starts a dribble, the defender ceases to be within six feet, or a switch in defenders occurs.
- The rule emphasizes player and ball movement and rewards strong on-ball defense.

Proposal Originated:

NYSPHSAA State Committee at its October 2025 meeting.

Budgetary Impact:

None

Notes:

This NYSPHSAA State Committee voted 11-0 in favor of supporting this proposal.

Attachments:

None

CAC Feedback:

N/A

DATE REVISED: October 7, 2025

BOYS/GIRLS BOWLING – Establish minimum roster size of five (5) bowlers on the school team at the State Tournament

- Action Item
- Discussion Item
- Informational Item

Presenter:

Mike O’Connell, NYSPHSAA Boys Bowling Coordinator
Eileen Shultis, NYSPHSAA Girls Bowling Coordinator

Proposal:

The NYSPHSAA Boys and Girls Bowling State Committee is seeking approval to require the school team in each division to have a minimum of five (5) athletes on its roster for the state tournament and begin competition with at least five (5) athletes.

Effective Start Date:

Winter (March) 2026

Rationale:

Currently, six athletes compete on a school bowling team at the state tournament with five of them scoring. If a school brought less than five athletes, they would create a multitude of logistical and equity issues during competition. First, pace of play would be significantly faster than the other lanes if only four athletes bowled. Second, the oil pattern would break down at a much different rate. Third, the integrity of scoring would be compromised with just four bowlers and thus that team would have no chance to compete for a state title.

At this time, there is no rule on a minimum # of athletes on a school team required for state tournament play. This proposal would require a section to ensure it advances a team with at least five bowlers but still can allow any number of bowlers for its section tournament. If a team endures an injury during competition, they still may participate, however a pacer will fill their spot. The pacer score will not be counted but the team score will be.

Proposal Originated:

State Committee at its September 26, 2025 meeting.

Budgetary Impact:

There is no cost to NYSPHSAA or member sections in this proposal.

Notes:

The Bowling State Committees supported this proposal with a 10-0 girls vote and 9-1 boys vote at their September 26th meeting.

CAC Feedback:

Voted 8-0 in support of this proposal at its October 8th meeting

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Girls Wrestling: Revise the Representation Rule

- Action Item
- Discussion Item
- Informational Item

Presenter:

Ryan Palmer, NYSPHSAA Girls Wrestling Coordinator

Proposal:

The NYSPHSAA Girls Wrestling Committee is recommending revising the current NYSPHSAA Representation Rule that allows female wrestlers to participate in both male and female events during the regular season and then choose to participate in the female NYSPHSAA Championship. *The revision would prohibit any female that participates on a boys team in the regular season from participating in the girls post season.*

Effective Start Date:

2026-2027

Rationale:

The committee has supported the current NYSPHSAA Representation language because it allowed Girls Wrestling to grow and gave athletes the opportunity to wrestle. The committee now feels the time has come for girls to choose which post season they are going to participate in by deciding who they will compete against during the regular season. This change would also help in seeding the girl's tournament because all the results would be from girl only matches. The committee believes this proposal helps level the playing field between all female competitors.

Proposal Originated:

NYSPHSAA Girls Wrestling Committee

Budgetary Impact:

None

Notes:

Girls would still be able to practice against the boys if they successfully passed mixed competition. The committee voted 5-4 in favor of this proposal.

This is the second time the proposal will be discussed. The Central Committee requested data be gathered.

Attachments:

None

Girls Flag Football NFHS Rule Adoption

- Action Item
- Discussion Item
- Informational Item

Presenter:

Jen Lapinski- Co- Flag Football Coordinator

Proposal:

Adopt the NFHS Rules for the 2025-26 Season with the following waivers.

1. Request a waiver to not allow the Field Goal option
2. Request a waiver to continue to follow our current Flag Belt rules: 2 pop belts minimum 14" in length, add the width minimum from the NFHS Rule book of 1 ½" in width
3. Request a waiver to specify a 1 Yard Neutral Zone
4. *Request a Waiver to the Uniform specifications as outlined in the NFHS Rule Book for Items Jersey: a-5.2.b3, a-5.2.b4, a-5.3.b3, a-5.3.b4, NUMBERS: 5-b3, b4 (Page 14 & 15) the 25-26 Season.*
*5-d: *Note: If schools have shorts are not a solid color for he 25-26 season, the flag must be a clearly contrasting color to the shorts and any striping or patterns on the shorts.*

Effective Start Date:

Spring 2026

Rationale:

The NFHS Rules provide consistency for our committee recommended the waivers to avoid any additional cost to schools (ex. Purchasing new belts) and maintain consistency in the progress we've made in our sport thus far, which we feel these waivers accomplish. Additionally, the waivers ensure access to all needs for teams to maintain and add new teams throughout the state (ex. Not allowing the field goal as many teams do not play on fields with field goals currently.) Specific to the uniform waiver, the committee would like to provide a one year buffer for schools to plan accordingly to update uniforms as needed.

Proposal Originated:

Sectional concern brought to the NYSPHSAA Flag Football Committee. This was also discussed with and supported by officials groups.

Budgetary Impact:

None

Notes:

The NYSPHSAA Flag Football Committee voted in favor of this change 9-0.

Girls Flag Football Rule Request: Dead Ball Flag Checks

- Action Item
- Discussion Item
- Informational Item

Presenter:

Jen Lapinski- Co- Flag Football Coordinator

Proposal:

The NYSPHSAA Flag Football Committee is requesting to add language to the NFHS Rules to require dead ball flag checks. The process will be as follows:

Officials will conduct one dead ball flag check per half at the end of one quarter per half. The athlete will be selected at random by the official.

If a belt is found to be not within the NYSPHSAA Waiver Standards, the flag check would result in an unsportsmanlike penalty.

Belt Specifications: Flag Belt rules: 2 pop belts minimum 14' in length, add the width minimum from the NFHS Rule book of 1 ½ ' in width

Effective Start Date:

Spring 2025

Rationale:

There is currently no process for confirming legal equipment specific to the flag belts. There have been concerns raised specific to belt lengths and belt connection apparatus.

Proposal Originated:

Sectional concern brought to the NYSPHSAA Flag Football Committee and continued discussion amongst the Flag Football committee relative to belts.

Budgetary Impact:

None

Notes:

This proposal was discussed with the official's association and rules interpreters as well to ensure consistency and feasibility of implementation.

The NYSPHSAA Flag Football Committee voted in favor of this change 9-0.

Girls Flag Football Pilot: Onside Play

- Action Item
- Discussion Item
- Informational Item

Presenter:

Jen Lapinski- Co- Flag Football Coordinator

Proposal:

Consider approval of an Onside Play Option.

The option is only available to the team behind in score during the final 5 minutes of the second half and only immediately after the trailing team has scored a touchdown or field goal.

This is a timed down.

This option is not available after the trailing team has scored a safety.

This option is never available to the team ahead in points.

After the trailing team has scored and attempted the extra point, the team captain of the trailing team must inform the referee they intend to attempt an onside play.

The ball is placed on the teams 20 yard line, going out.

This play is treated exactly like a 4th down play including the assessment of penalties with one exception. If a foul occurs that includes an automatic first down (ie. roughing the passer) the offense will not receive a new set of downs. They will receive the 15 yard penalty and replay the down, (ie, fourth and five from the 35 yard line, line to gain is the 40 yard line.)

The offense must advance the ball to the 40 yard line or beyond, after all live ball penalties have been assessed in order to retain the ball.

Dead ball penalties will not be considered in determining if the line to gain was achieved.

If the offense retains the ball the next zone-line-to-gain will be determined.

If the offense does not retain the ball the defense will take possession of the ball where it became dead (end of the run or previous LOS) and the next zone-line-to-gain will be established.

Interceptions returned to the end zone by the defense during an onside play are worth 6 points and a PAT attempt.

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There is no limit to the amount of onside plays a team may use as long as the provisions of lines 1, 2, and 3 of this section are still valid.

Once the team reaches the 20 yard conversion, the play is blown dead. The team will receive the ball first and zone at their own 20 yard line. If the team does not convert, the ball is spotted where the play is blown dead.

Effective Start Date:

Spring 2026

Rationale:

Based on feedback from several teams across the state, there is a need to provide the opportunity for a team to obtain possession when down two scores at the end of the game. Additionally, it was discussed at the NFHS Rules

Proposal Originated:

Sectional concern brought to Flag Football Committee.

Budgetary Impact:

None

Notes:

This would only apply to the regular season, and Sections could choose to implement this pilot. If this is successful in the 2026 season, our committee would discuss and obtain feedback to add this to post season play.

The Flag Football Committee is in favor of this pilot 9-0.

Attachments:

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OUTDOOR TRACK – TO UTILIZE THE SUPER STANDARD, AN ATHLETE MUST FINISH TOP FIVE IN THE STATE QUALIFIER MEET, EFFECTIVE 2026

- Action Item
- Discussion Item
- Informational Item

Presenter:

Dan Doherty, NYSPHSAA Girls Outdoor Track Coordinator
Tom Wells, NYSPHSAA Boys Outdoor Track Coordinator

Proposal:

The Boys and Girls Outdoor Track Committees are seeking approval to set in place when using the super standard to qualify for the state meet, an athlete must finish in the top five in the state qualifier meet.

Effective Start Date:

Spring 2026

Rationale:

This proposal addresses the concern from membership about the number of participants at the state meet which was also going to be addressed by the Championship Philosophy Committee for all individual sports.

In 2025 (2,593 athletes), the event went to three divisions but only saw a modest increase comparing 2024 (2,008 athletes) considering an entire division was added. It is anticipated that 2026 will see reduction to 2,300 participating athletes. However, the changes proposed will result in a decrease in quality athletes at the state meet.

Proposal Originated:

NYSPHSAA Staff and Boys & Girls Outdoor Track State Committees at their September 9, 2025.

Budgetary Impact:

If this is approved, there will be fewer athletes to transport to the state meet which will save sections travel expenses.

Notes:

The boys committee voted 11-0 and girls committee voted 9-1 in favor of this proposal at its September meeting.

Attachments:

None

CAC Feedback:

Voted 8-0 in support of this proposal at its October 8th meeting

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OUTDOOR TRACK – NO ADDITIONAL PERFORMANCES USING THE SUPER STANDARD (OBTAINED AFTER THE STATE QUALIFIER MEET) WILL COUNT TOWARD ENTRY INTO THE STATE MEET

- Action Item
- Discussion Item
- Informational Item

Presenter:

Dan Doherty, NYSPHSAA Girls Outdoor Track Coordinator
Tom Wells, NYSPHSAA Boys Outdoor Track Coordinator

Proposal:

The Boys and Girls Outdoor Track Committees are seeking approval to not allow performances using the super standards (obtained after the state qualifier meet) toward entry into the state meet.

Effective Start Date:

Spring 2026

Rationale:

This proposal helps address the concern from membership about how athletes qualify.

In 2025 (2,593 athletes), the event went to three divisions but only saw a modest increase comparing 2024 (2,008 athletes) considering an entire division was added. It is anticipated that 2026 will see reduction to 2,300 participating athletes. However, the changes proposed will result in a decrease in quality athletes at the state meet.

Proposal Originated:

NYSPHSAA Staff and Boys & Girls Outdoor Track State Committees at their September 9, 2025.

Budgetary Impact:

If this is approved,

Notes:

The boys committee voted 8-3 and girls committee voted 9-1 (Section 1 not present) in favor of this proposal at its September meeting.

Attachments:

None

CAC Feedback:

Voted 8-0 in support of this proposal at its October 8th meeting

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OUTDOOR TRACK – UTILIZE THE THREE-YEAR AVERAGE FOR THE FORMULA FOR QUALIFYING STANDARDS USING THE SEED PERFORMANCES

- Action Item
- Discussion Item
- Informational Item

Presenter:

Dan Doherty, NYSPHSAA Girls Outdoor Track Coordinator
Tom Wells, NYSPHSAA Boys Outdoor Track Coordinator

Proposal:

The Boys and Girls Outdoor Track Committees are seeking approval to utilize the three-year average for the formula for qualifying standards using the seed performances.

Effective Start Date:

Spring 2026

Rationale:

This proposal helps address the concern from membership about how athletes qualify and additionally provided for more up-to-date data being used. Previously, the five-year average was being used for the formula.

In 2025 (2,593 athletes), the event went to three divisions but only saw a modest increase comparing 2024 (2,008 athletes) considering an entire division was added. It is anticipated that 2026 will see reduction to 2,300 participating athletes. However, the changes proposed will result in a decrease in quality athletes at the state meet.

Proposal Originated:

NYSPHSAA Staff and Boys & Girls Outdoor Track State Committees at their September 9, 2025.

Budgetary Impact:

If this is approved, it will reduce the size of the state meet thus saving sections money on athlete/coach travel to the state tournament.

Notes:

The boys committee voted 11-0 and girls committee voted 9-1 (Section 1 not present) in favor of this proposal at its September meeting.

CAC Feedback:

Voted 8-0 in support of this proposal at its October 8th meeting

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BASEBALL: Make it optional to utilize a double first base during the 2026 season (regular & postseason)

- Action Item
- Discussion Item
- Informational Item

Presenter:

Al Roy, NYSPHSAA Baseball State Coordinator
Tim Harkness, NYSPHSAA Baseball Assistant Coordinator

Proposal:

The NYSPHSAA Baseball Committee is seeking approval of making it optional to utilize a double first base for the 2026 season (regular and postseason).

Effective Start Date:

Spring 2026

Rationale:

If this proposal is approved, it would allow schools to prepare this coming spring for the 2027 season mandate as well as exercise safety in the process. Sections, leagues and schools have the option of installing and using the double first base for 2026. The NFHS double first base rule is mandatory for the 2027 season and numerous NYSPHSAA member schools have contacted our office making inquiries about implementation.

Proposal Originated:

NYSPHSAA State Committee on September 25, 2025

Budgetary Impact:

There will be a budget impact for member schools and potentially NYSPHSAA. Schools will be required to buy the double first base unit (or separate half) and possibly dig/install new plugs on their fields if this is chosen to be used by the section, league or school. If NYSPHSAA chooses to implement it for the State Final Four, the purchase would be necessary.

Notes:

This NYSPHSAA State Committee voted 10-0 in favor of supporting this proposal at its September meeting.

Attachments:

None

CAC Feedback:

Not necessary

DATE REVISED: September 25, 2025

OCIAA Alignments 2026-2027



Cross Country – 16 Meets Maximum				
<u>Division 1</u>	<u>Division 2</u>	<u>Division 3</u>	<u>Division 4</u>	<u>Division 5</u>
<u>Class A</u> (815+)	<u>Class A</u> (815+)	<u>Class B</u> (450-814)	<u>Class C /Class D</u> C (255-449) D (up to 254)	<u>Non-Scoring</u> <u>Teams</u>
1. NFA 2. Middletown 3. Monroe Woodbury 4. Kingston	1. Pine Bush 2. Valley Central 3. Washingtonville 4. Warwick	1. Minisink 2. Monticello 3. Cornwall 4. Goshen 5. Beacon	1. Fallsburg 2. O’Neill 3. Sullivan West 4. Burke 5. Tri Valley 6. Eldred	1. Port Jervis 2. Liberty 3. SS Seward* 4. Rockland CSD 5. Tuxedo 6. Homestead School *Chester shadow

Girls Tennis – 16 Matches Maximum		
<u>Division 1</u>	<u>Division 2</u>	<u>Division 3</u>
<u>Large Schools</u> (600+)	<u>Large Schools</u> (600+)	<u>Small Schools</u> (up to 599)
1. NFA 2. Middletown 3. Monroe Woodbury 4. Kingston 5. Pine Bush 6. Valley Central	1. Warwick 2. Washingtonville 3. Minisink 4. Goshen 5. Cornwall 6. Monticello 7. Beacon	1. Port Jervis 2. Liberty 3. Fallsburg 4. O’Neill 5. Tri Valley 6. Burke Catholic

Girls JV Tennis – 16 Matches Maximum	
1. Newburgh 2. Monroe-Woodbury 3. Middletown 4. Pine Bush 5. Valley Central	6. Washingtonville 7. Minisink 8. Warwick 9. Cornwall 10. Goshen 11. Beacon

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Girls Swimming / Diving – 16 Matches Maximum	
 = Pool Diving/Swim = Pool Swim only = No Pool/College Pool	
<u>Division I</u>	<u>Division II</u>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. NFA 2. Kingston 3. Pine Bush 4. Valley Central 5. Beacon 6. Marlboro 7. Rhinebeck 8. Red Hook 9. Lourdes <p style="margin-top: 10px;">% Spackenkill to shadow Beacon * Rondout / Onteora to shadow Kingston</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Middletown 2. Monroe Woodbury 3. Warwick*** 4. Washingtonville 5. Minisink 6. Cornwall 7. Goshen** 8. FDR 9. Wallkill 10. New Paltz <p style="margin-top: 10px;">***SS Seward to shadow Goshen **Chester Shadows Goshen</p>

Game Day Cheerleading

Division 1 – Class A 849+	Division 2 – Class B 479-848	Division 3 – Class C Up to 478
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. NFA 2. Kingston 3. Pine Bush 4. Valley Central 5. Washingtonville 6. FDR 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Minisink 2. Cornwall 3. Goshen 4. Wallkill 5. Beacon 6. Saugerties 7. Our Lady of Lourdes 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Spackenkill 2. Marlboro 3. Highland 4. Liberty 5. Fallsburg 6. O’Neill 7. Dover 8. Sullivan West 9. Rockland CSD

<u>Unified Bocce</u>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Middletown 2. Kingston 3. FDR 4. Beacon 5. Wallkill 6. Arlington

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Section IX Football Alignments 2026 – 2027

<u>Class AA: (1025 and up)</u> <u>Division 1</u> 1. NFA 2. Middletown 3. Monroe-Woodbury 4. Kingston 5. Pine Bush 6. Valley Central	<u>Enrollment</u> 2913 1976 1692 1275 1151 1049	<u>Class A: (651-1024)</u> <u>Division 1</u> 1. Warwick 2. Washingtonville 3. FDR 4. Minisink <u>Division 2</u> 5. Goshen 6. Cornwall 7. Wallkill 8. Lourdes * Monticello Independent	<u>Enrollment</u> 957 945 848 789 747 711 672 641^^ 689
<u>Class B: (402-650)</u> <u>Division 1</u> 1. Beacon 2. Saugerties 3. Port Jervis 4. New Paltz 5. Marlboro 6. Liberty 7. Red Hook	<u>Enrollment</u> 650 588 552 471 458 446 419	<u>Class C: (273 – 401)</u> 1. Spackenkill 2. Rondout Valley 3. Highland 4. Dover 5. O’Neill 6. Chester / SS Seward <u>Class D: (up to 272)</u> 1. Burke	<u>Enrollment</u> 399 378 368 318 303 302 <u>Enrollment</u> 210
<u>Football (5 Classes)</u> AA 1025 and Up A 651 – 1024 B 402 - 650 C 273 –401 D 272 and Below	<u>8 Man Football</u> <u>Division 1</u> 1. Fallsburg 335 – Class C 2. Sullivan West 239 – Class D 3. Tri Valley 203 – Class D 4. Rockland 123 – Class D 5. Eldred 122 – Class D <u>Division 2</u> 6. Ellenville 329 – Class C 7. Pine Plains/Rhinebeck 317 – Class C 8. Pawling 285 – Class C 9. Onteora 257 – Class D 10. Millbrook/Webutuck 243 – Class D		

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FALL MODIFIED SPORTS TEAMS

MODIFIED B FOOTBALL 11 MAN (7-8) - 7 GAMES

1. Newburgh	1) Washingtonville
2. Monroe-Woodbury	2) Warwick
3. Middletown	3) FDR
4. Kingston	4) Minisink
5. Pine Bush	5) Goshen
6. Valley Central	6) Port Jervis
	7) Beacon

MODIFIED A FOOTBALL 11 MAN (7-8-9)

1. Monticello	8. New Paltz
2. Liberty	9. Highland
3. Chester/Florida	10. Marlboro
4. O'Neill	11. Red Hook
5. Burke Catholic	12. Saugerties
6. Ellenville	13. Spackenkill
7. Walkkill	14. Dover
	15. Rondout

Modified A 8 Man Football (7,8,9)

1. Fallsburg	6. Pine Plains
2. Rockland CSD	7. Pawling
3. Tri Valley	8. Onteora
4. Sullivan West	9. Millbrook
5. Eldred	10. Haldane

MODIFIED BOYS SOCCER (7-8) - 12 GAMES

<u>Division 1</u>	<u>Division 2</u>	<u>Division 3</u>	<u>Division 4</u>
1. NFA (B)	1. NFA (G)	1. Port Jervis	1. Liberty
2. MW (P)	2. MW (W)	2. Chapel Field	2. Tri Valley
3. Middletown (M)	3. Middletown (TT)	3. Greenwood Lake	3. Eldred
4. Pine Bush	4. Minisink	4. SS Seward	4. Fallsburg
5. Valley Central	5. Cornwall	5. O'Neill	5. Sullivan West
6. Washingtonville	6. Goshen	6. Chester	6. Rockland CSD
7. Warwick	7. Beacon	7. Burke	7. Homestead
	8. Monticello	8. Tuxedo	
		9. West Point MS	

MODIFIED GIRLS SOCCER (7-8) - 12 GAMES

<u>Division 1</u>	<u>Division 2</u>	<u>Division 3</u>	<u>Division 4</u>
1. NFA	1. MW (W)	1. Port Jervis	1. Liberty
2. MW (P)	2. Minisink	2. Chester	2. Tri Valley
3. Middletown	3. Cornwall	3. Greenwood Lake	3. Eldred
4. Pine Bush	4. Goshen	4. SS Seward	4. Fallsburg
5. Valley Central	5. Beacon	5. Chapel Field	5. Sullivan West
6. Warwick	6. Monticello	6. Burke	6. Rockland CSD
7. Washingtonville		7. West Point MS	

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Modified Volleyball – 14 Games Maximum				
Division 1	Division 2	Division 3	Division 4	Division 5
1. NFA (B)	1. NFA (G)	1. Minisink	1. Chester	1. Liberty
2. Mdn. Twin Towers	2. Mdn. MNHGN	2. Beacon	2. West Point	2. Fallsburg
3. MW (P)	3. MW (W)	3. Goshen	3. Tuxedo	3. Sullivan West
4. Pine Bush	4. Warwick	4. Port Jervis	4. O’Neill	4. Tri Valley
5. Valley Central	5. Washingtonville	5. Cornwall	5. G.L.	5. Rockland CSD
		6. Monticello	6. SS Seward	6. Eldred
			7. Burke	
			8. Chapel Field	

Modified Cross Country – 10 Contests Maximum	
1. NFA	13. Monticello
2. Monroe-Woodbury	14. Port Jervis
3. Middletown	15. Liberty
4. Kingston	16. Fallsburg
5. Pine Bush	17. Sullivan West
6. Valley Central	18. Tri-Valley
7. Washingtonville	19. S.S. Seward
8. Minisink	20. Eldred
9. Warwick	21. Greenwood Lake
10. Cornwall	22. West Point
11. Beacon	23. Rockland CSD
12. Goshen	24. Burke Catholic

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Winter Sports

Boys Basketball – 20 Games Maximum					
<u>Division 1</u> <u>Class AAA</u> <u>1031+</u>	<u>Division 2</u> <u>Class AA</u> <u>660-1030</u>	<u>Division 3</u> <u>Class A</u> <u>370-659</u>	<u>Division 4</u> <u>Class B</u> <u>213-369</u>	<u>Division 5</u> <u>Class C</u> <u>121-212</u>	<u>Division 6</u> <u>Class D</u> <u>Up to 120</u>
1. NFA 2. Middletown 3. Monroe Woodbury 4. Kingston 5. Pine Bush 6. Valley Central	1. Warwick 2. Washingtonville 3. Minisink 4. Goshen 5. Cornwall 6. Monticello	1. Beacon 2. Port Jervis 3. Liberty 4. Burke [^] <small>[^]Moved up by classification Committee</small>	1. O’Neill 2. Fallsburg 3. Chester 4. Sullivan West	1. Tri Valley 2. Seward 3. Rockland CSD 4. Eldred	1. Chapel Field 2. Tuxedo (JV)

Boys Freshman Basketball – 20 Games Maximum
1. NFA 2. Middletown 3. Monroe Woodbury 4. Kingston 5. Warwick 6. Washingtonville 7. Lourdes 8. FDR

Girls Basketball – 20 Games Maximum					
<u>Division 1</u> <u>Class AAA</u> <u>1057+</u>	<u>Division 2</u> <u>Class AA</u> <u>658-1056</u>	<u>Division 3</u> <u>Class A</u> <u>374-657</u>	<u>Division 4</u> <u>Class B</u> <u>232-373</u>	<u>Division 5</u> <u>Class C</u> <u>127-231</u>	<u>Division 6</u> <u>Class D</u> <u>Up to 126</u>
1. NFA 2. Middletown 3. Monroe Woodbury 4. Kingston 5. Pine Bush	1. Valley Central 2. Washingtonville 3. Warwick 4. Minisink 5. Cornwall 6. Goshen 7. Monticello	1. Beacon 2. Port Jervis 3. Liberty	1. O’Neill 2. Fallsburg 3. Chester 4. Sullivan West	1. Burke 2. Tri Valley 3. Seward	1. Rockland 2. Eldred 3. Chapel Field 4. Tuxedo (JV)

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Wrestling - VARSITY & JUNIOR VARSITY - Section IX Format– 20 POINTS				
Division I-A Varsity and JV	Division I-B Varsity and JV	Division I-C Varsity and JV	Division II-A	Division II-B <i>(Var Only)</i>
1. Newburgh 2. Monroe-Woodbury 3. Middletown 4. Kingston 5. Pine Bush	1. Valley Central 2. Washingtonville 3. Warwick 4. Minisink 5. FDR	1. Cornwall 2. Walkill 3. Goshen 4. Monticello 5. Beacon 6. Lourdes	1. Saugerties^ 2. Port Jervis^ 3. Web/Mill/Dover 4. New Paltz^ 5. Red Hook 6. Rondout 7. Highland 8. Marlboro 9. Onteora^ <small>^ Has JV Team</small>	1. Liberty 2. Ellenville 3. Fallsburg/Tri Valley 4. Chester 5. Burke 6. Sullivan West 7. Eldred 8. Tuxedo

Girls Wrestling – 20 Points	
1. Monroe Woodbury 2. Middletown 3. Kingston 4. Valley Central 5. FDR 6. Minisink Valley 7. Saugerties	8. Port Jervis 9. Liberty 10. Fallsburg 11. Onteora 12. Chester 13. Tuxedo

Section IX Bowling	
Division I	Division II
1. Newburgh 2. Monroe Woodbury 3. Middletown 4. Valley Central 5. Port Jervis 6. O'Neill	1. Kingston 2. FDR 3. Saugerties 4. Beacon 5. Highland 6. Marlboro

Unified Bowling	
1. NFA 2. Pine Bush 3. Cornwall 4. Beacon 5. New Paltz 6. Kingston	1. FDR 2. Rondout 3. Poughkeepsie 4. Wappingers 5. Arlington

Competitive Cheerleading

Division 1 – Class A 1025+	Division 2 – Class B 555-1024	Division 3 – Class C Up to 250-554	Div. 4 – Class D Up to 249	Co-Ed
1. NFA 2. Middletown 3. Monroe Woodbury 4. Kingston 5. Pine Bush 6. Valley Central	1. Washingtonville 2. Warwick 3. FDR 4. Minisink 5. Cornwall 6. Goshen 7. Walkill 8. Monticello 9. Saugerties	1. Highland 2. Liberty 3. Fallsburg 4. Dover 5. O'Neill	1. Tri Valley 2. Millbrook 3. SS Seward	1. Valley Central 2. FDR 3. Goshen 4. Millbrook

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Boys Swimming / Diving – 16 Matches Maximum	
 = Pool Diving/Swim = Pool Swim only = No Pool/College Pool	
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Division I</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. NFA 2. Kingston 3. Pine Bush 4. Valley Central 5. Beacon 6. Marlboro 7. Rhinebeck 8. Red Hook 9. Lourdes <p style="font-size: small;">% Spackenkill to shadow Beacon</p> <p style="font-size: small;">* Rondout / Onteora to shadow Kingston</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Division II</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Middletown 2. Monroe Woodbury 3. Warwick*** 4. Washingtonville 5. Minisink 6. Cornwall 7. Goshen** 8. FDR 9. New Paltz <p style="font-size: small;">***SS Seward to shadow Goshen</p> <p style="font-size: small;">**Chester Shadows Pine Bush</p>

BOYS AND GIRLS VARSITY INDOOR TRACK – 16 MEETS

<u>Division I</u>	<u>Division II</u>	<u>Division III</u>	<u>Division IV</u>	<u>Division V</u>	<u>Division VI</u>
1. Newburgh 2. Middletown 3. Monroe Woodbury 4. Kingston 5. Pine Bush 6. Valley Central	1. Warwick 2. Washingtonville 3. FDR 4. Minisink Valley 5. Goshen 6. Cornwall 7. Wallkill	1. Monticello 2. Beacon 3. Lourdes 4. Saugerties 5. Port Jervis 6. New Paltz 7. Marlboro	1. Liberty 2. Red Hook 3. Highland 4. Rondout 5. Ellenville 6. Dover 7. Spackenkill	1. Fallsburg 2. O’Neill 3. Onteora 4. Chester* 5. Sullivan West *SS Seward – shadow	1. Burke 2. Tri Valley 3. Millbrook 4. Pine Plains 5. Eldred 6. Mount Academy** 7. Homestead ** - Girls only

BOYS & GIRLS VARSITY SKIING – 16 MEETS

<u>Division I</u>	<u>Division II</u>
1. Monticello 2. Rondout/Kingston 3. Onteora. 4. Liberty 5. Fallsburg/Tri-Valley 6. Sullivan West	1. Monroe-Woodbury 2. Warwick 3. Cornwall 4. Goshen 5. O’Neill 6. Burke

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Winter Modified Sports

<u>Boy's Modified Basketball – 14 games Maximum</u>				
<u>Division 1</u>	<u>Division 2</u>	<u>Division 3</u>	<u>Division 4</u>	<u>Division 5</u>
NFA (B) Monroe Woodbury (P) Middletown Twin Pine Bush Circle Valley Central	NFA (G) Monroe Woodbury (W) Middletown Mnhgn Pine Bush Crispell Washingtonville Warwick	Minisink Cornwall Beacon Goshen Port Jervis Monticello	West Point Greenwood Lake Florida Chester O'Neill Tuxedo Chapel Field Burke Catholic	Fallsburg Liberty Sullivan West Tri Valley Rockland CSD Eldred

<u>Girl's Modified Basketball – 14 games Maximum</u>				
<u>Division 1</u>	<u>Division 2</u>	<u>Division 3</u>	<u>Division 4</u>	<u>Division 5</u>
NFA (B) Monroe Woodbury (P) Middletown Twin Pine Bush Circle Valley Central	NFA (G) Monroe Woodbury (W) Middletown Mnhgn. Pine Bush Crispell Washingtonville Warwick	Minisink Cornwall Beacon Goshen Port Jervis Monticello	West Point Greenwood Lake Florida Chester O'Neill Tuxedo Chapel Field Burke Catholic	Fallsburg Liberty Sullivan West Tri Valley Rockland CSD Eldred

<u>Modified Wrestling – 14 points</u>	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Newburgh 2. Monroe-Woodbury 3. Middletown 4. Kingston 5. Pine Bush 6. Valley Central 7. Washingtonville 8. Warwick 9. Minisink Valley 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 10. Cornwall 11. Goshen 12. Beacon 13. Monticello 14. Port Jervis 15. Liberty 16. Fallsburg/Tri Valley 17. Eldred / Sullivan West 18. Greenwood Lake (shadown WV)

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Spring Sports – Varsity and JV

Baseball – 20 Games Maximum					
<u>Division 1</u> <u>Class AAA</u> <u>1026 +</u>	<u>Division 2</u> <u>Class AA</u> <u>669-1025</u>	<u>Division 3</u> <u>Class A</u> <u>385-668</u>	<u>Division 4</u> <u>Class B</u> <u>241-384</u>	<u>Division 5</u> <u>Class C</u> <u>136-240</u>	<u>Division 6</u> <u>Class D</u> <u>Up to 135</u>
1. NFA 2. Middletown 3. Monroe Woodbury 4. Kingston 5. Pine Bush 6. Valley Central	1. Washingtonville 2. Warwick 3. Minisink 4. Cornwall 5. Goshen	1. Monticello 2. Beacon 3. Port Jervis 4. Liberty	1. O'Neill 2. Chester 3. Burke ^{^**} [^] Moved up by Sect. IX Class. committee ^{**} No JV [*] Fallsburg – JV Only	1. Sullivan West 2. Tri Valley 3. Seward 4. Chapel Field [^]	1. Eldred ^{**} 2. Rockland ^{**} ^{**} No JV [*] Tuxedo – JV Only

Softball – 20 Games Maximum					
<u>Division 1</u> <u>Class AAA</u> <u>1032+</u>	<u>Division 2</u> <u>Class AA</u> <u>663-1031</u>	<u>Division 3</u> <u>Class A</u> <u>382-662</u>	<u>Division 4</u> <u>Class B</u> <u>231-381</u>	<u>Division 5</u> <u>Class C</u> <u>131-230</u>	<u>Division 6</u> <u>Class D</u> <u>Up to 130</u>
1. NFA 2. Middletown 3. Monroe Woodbury 4. Kingston 5. Pine Bush 6. Valley Central	1. Washingtonville 2. Warwick 3. Minisink 4. Cornwall 5. Goshen	1. Monticello 2. Beacon 3. Port Jervis 4. Liberty	1. O'Neill 2. Chester 3. Sullivan West [*] Fallsburg – JV only	1. Burke [^] 2. Tri Valley 3. Seward [^] No JV	1. Rockland [^] 2. Eldred 3. Chapel Field [*] Tuxedo – JV Only

Spring Track and Field – 16 Contests Maximum				
<u>Division I</u>	<u>Division II</u>	<u>Division III</u>	<u>Division IV</u>	<u>Division V</u>
1. Newburgh 2. Monroe-Woodbury 3. Middletown 4. Kingston 5. Pine Bush	1. Valley Central 2. Washingtonville 3. Warwick 4. Minisink 5. Cornwall	1. Goshen 2. Beacon 3. Monticello 4. Liberty 5. Port Jervis	1. O'Neill 2. Fallsburg 3. Chester [*] 4. Sullivan West 5. Burke [*] Seward Shadows Chester	1. Tri-Valley 2. Rockland CSD 3. Eldred 4. Chapel Field 5. Homestead

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BOYS VARSITY TENNIS – 16 MATCHES

<u>Division I</u> <u>Large Schools – 600+</u>	<u>Division II</u> <u>Large Schools – 600+</u>	<u>Division III</u> <u>Small Schools – up to 599</u>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Newburgh 2. Monroe Woodbury 3. Middletown 4. Kingston 5. Pine Bush 6. Valley Central 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Warwick 2. Washingtonville 3. Minisink 4. Monticello 5. Goshen 6. Cornwall 7. Beacon 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Port Jervis 2. Liberty 3. O’Neill 4. Burke

BOYS JUNIOR VARSITY TENNIS – 16 MATCHES

<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Newburgh 2. Monroe-Woodbury 3. Middletown 4. Pine Bush 5. Valley Central 6. Washingtonville 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 7. Minisink 8. Warwick 9. Cornwall 10. Monticello 11. Goshen 12. Beacon
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BOYS VARSITY GOLF – 16 MATCHES

<u>Division I</u>	<u>Division II</u>	<u>Division III</u>	<u>Division IV</u>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. NFA 2. Monroe-Woodbury 3. Middletown 4. Kingston 5. Pine Bush 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Valley Central 2. Washingtonville 3. Minisink 4. Warwick* 5. Cornwall <p style="font-size: small; margin-top: 10px;">*SS Seward Shadows Warwick</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Goshen 2. Beacon 3. Port Jervis 4. O’Neill 5. Burke 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Monticello 2. Liberty 3. Sullivan West 4. Tri-Valley 5. Rockland CSD 6. Fallsburg 7. Homestead 8. Eldred

GIRLS VARSITY GOLF – 16 MATCHES

<u>Division I</u>	<u>Division II</u>	<u>Division III</u>	<u>Division IV</u>	<u>Division V</u>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Newburgh 2. Monroe-Woodbury 3. Middletown 4. Kingston 5. Pine Bush 6. Valley Central 7. Washingtonville 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Minisink 2. Warwick 3. Cornwall 4. Goshen 5. O’Neill 6. Port Jervis 7. Burke 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Monticello 2. Liberty 3. Sullivan West 4. Rockland CSD 5. Tri Valley 6. Fallsburg 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. New Paltz 2. Rondout 3. Highland 4. Marlboro 5. Ellenville 6. Onteora 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. FDR 2. Red Hook 3. Lourdes 4. Beacon 5. Millbrook 6. Pine Plains 7. Spackenkill

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BOYS VARSITY LACROSSE – 16 GAMES – A – B – C – D

<u>Division I (CLASS A)</u> (1036 and up)	<u>Division II (Class B)</u> (1035-728)	<u>Division III (Class C)</u> (727 -450)	<u>Division IV (Class D)</u> (449 and Down)
1. NFA (<i>Var. & JV</i>) 2. Monroe-Woodbury (<i>Var & JV</i>) 3. Middletown (<i>Var. & JV</i>) 4. Kingston (<i>Var. & JV</i>) 5. Pine Bush (<i>Var. & JV</i>) 6. Valley Central (<i>Var/JV</i>)	1. Washingtonville (<i>Var. & JV</i>) 2. Warwick (<i>Var&JV</i>) 3. Minisink (<i>Var & JV</i>) 4. Cornwall (<i>Var & JV</i>) *FDR (JV Only)	1. Wallkill (<i>Var & JV</i>) 2. Goshen (<i>Var & JV</i>) 3. Highland/Marlboro (<i>Var</i>) 4. Saugerties (<i>Var</i>) 5. Lourdes (<i>Var</i>) 6. New Paltz (<i>Var & JV</i>) 7. Red Hook/P.P./Rhine	1. O’Neill (<i>Var</i>) 2. Rondout (<i>Var</i>) 3. Millbrook (<i>Var</i>)

GIRLS VARSITY LACROSSE – 16 GAMES – A – B – C – D

<u>Division I (CLASS A)</u> (1036 and up)	<u>Division II (Class B)</u> (1035-728)	<u>Division III (Class C)</u> (727-450)	<u>Division IV (Class D)</u> (449 and Down)
1. NFA (<i>Var & JV</i>) 2. Monroe-Woodbury (<i>Var & JV</i>) 3. Middletown (<i>Var. & JV</i>) 4. Kingston (<i>Var. & JV</i>) 5. Pine Bush (<i>Var. & JV</i>) 6. Valley Central (<i>Var & JV</i>)	1. Warwick (<i>Var&JV</i>) 2. Washingtonville (<i>Var & JV</i>) 3. Minisink (<i>Var & JV</i>) 4. FDR(<i>Var/JV</i>) 5. Cornwall (<i>Var/JV</i>)	1. Wallkill (<i>Var & JV</i>) 2. Goshen (<i>Var & JV</i>) 3. Saugerties (<i>Var</i>) 4. New Paltz (<i>Var</i>) 5. Lourdes (<i>Var/JV</i>) 6. Beacon (<i>Var/JV</i>) 7. Port Jervis (<i>JV only</i>)	1. Rondout (<i>Var</i>) 2. Red Hook (<i>Var</i>) 3. Highland (<i>Var</i>) 4. O’Neill (<i>Var</i>) 5. Chester (<i>Var</i>) 6. Burke (<i>Var</i>)

Unified Basketball

<u>Division 1</u>	<u>Division 2</u>	<u>Division 3</u>
1. Minisink 2. Goshen 3. Warwick 4. Port Jervis 5. Monroe Woodbury (P) 6. Monroe Woodbury (W) 7. Washingtonville	1. NFA 2. Cornwall 3. Middletown 4. Pine Bush 5. Valley Central 6. Wallkill 7. Beacon	1. Kingston 2. Rondout 3. Pine Plains 4. Arlington 5. John Jay 6. Red Hook 7. New Paltz 8. FDR 9. Rhinebeck

Section IX Girls Flag Football – 16 Contests Maximum

<u>Division 1 Class A (1018+)</u>	<u>Division 2 Class B (601-1017)</u>	<u>Division 3 (up to 600)</u>
1. Newburgh 2. Monroe Woodbury 3. Middletown 4. Kingston 5. Pine Bush 6. Valley Central	1. Warwick 2. Washingtonville 3. Minisink 4. Goshen 5. FDR	1. Saugerties 2. Lourdes 3. Highland 4. Rhinebeck 5. Burke Catholic 6. Millbrook

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Modified Spring Sports

<u>Modified Baseball – 14 games Maximum</u>			
<u>Division 1</u>	<u>Division 2</u>	<u>Division 3</u>	<u>Division 4</u>
1. Monroe-Woodbury (P) 2. Newburgh 3. Middletown 4. Pine Bush Crispell 5. Washingtonville 6. Warwick 7. Valley Central	1. Monroe-Woodbury(W) 2. Minisink 3. Port Jervis 4. Pine Bush Circleville 5. Goshen 6. Cornwall 7. Beacon 8. Monticello	1. Florida 2. Greenwood Lake 3. O’Neill^ 4. Chester 5. Tuxedo 6. Chapel Field 7. Burke ^No JV	1. Liberty 2. Fallsburg 3. Sullivan West 4. Tri-Valley 5. Eldred 6. Rockland CSD

<u>Modified Softball – 14 games Maximum</u>			
<u>Division 1</u>	<u>Division 2</u>	<u>Division 3</u>	<u>Division 4</u>
1. Monroe-Woodbury (P) 2. Newburgh 3. Middletown 4. Pine Bush Crispell 5. Valley Central 6. Warwick 7. Washingtonville	1. Monroe Woodbury (W) 2. Minisink 3. Monticello 4. Pine Bush Circleville 5. Port Jervis 6. Goshen 7. Cornwall 8. Beacon	1. Florida 2. Greenwood Lake 3. O’Neill^ 4. Chester 5. Tuxedo 6. Chapel Field 7. Burke ^ No JV	1. Liberty 2. Fallsburg 3. Sullivan West 4. Tri-Valley 5. Eldred 6. Rockland CSD

<u>Modified Spring Track and Field – 10 Meets Maximum</u>	
1. Newburgh 2. Monroe-Woodbury 3. Middletown 4. Kingston 5. Pine Bush 6. Valley Central 7. Washingtonville 8. Minisink Valley 9. Warwick 10. Cornwall 11. Goshen 12. Beacon	13. Monticello 14. Port Jervis 15. Liberty 16. Fallsburg 17. Sullivan West 18. Tri-Valley 19. Eldred 20. Greenwood Lake 21. West Point 22. Burke Catholic 23. Homestead School 24. Rockland CSD

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Boys Modified A (Grades 7,8, 9) | Boys Modified B (Grades 7 & 8 Only) – 12 Games

Boys Lacrosse – Modified A

<u>Division 1</u>	
1.	Middletown
2.	Saugerties
3.	Red Hook
4.	Rondout
5.	O’Neill
6.	Highland

Boys Lacrosse – Modified B

<u>Division 1</u>		<u>Division 2</u>	
1.	NFA	1.	Kingston
2.	Monroe Woodbury	2.	Washingtonville
3.	Pine Bush	3.	New Paltz
4.	Valley Central	4.	Walkkill
5.	Warwick	5.	Cornwall
6.	Minisink	6.	Goshen
7.	DVPA	7.	FDR

Girls Modified A (Grades 7,8, 9) | Girls Modified B (Grades 7 & 8 Only) – 12 Games

Girls Lacrosse – Modified A

1.	Saugerties
2.	Red Hook
3.	Rondout
4.	New Paltz
5.	Highland
6.	O’Neill

Girls Lacrosse – Modified B

<u>Division 1</u>		<u>Division 2</u>	
1.	NFA	1.	Washingtonville
2.	Monroe Woodbury	2.	Warwick
3.	Middletown	3.	Minisink
4.	Kingston	4.	Cornwall
5.	Pine Bush	5.	Goshen
6.	Valley Central	6.	Beacon
7.	Walkkill	7.	Chester
8.	FDR	8.	DV PA

Girls Modified Flag Football – 12 games

1.	Middletown	8.	FDR
2.	Monroe Woodbury	9.	Minisink
3.	Kingston	10.	Burke
4.	Pine Bush	11.	Tuxedo
5.	Valley Central	12.	West Point MS
6.	Warwick	13.	Rhinebeck
7.	Washingtonville		

**ORANGE COUNTY INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION
ASSOCIATE MEMBERS
FOR 2026-2027 SCHOOL YEAR**

DOVER

Varsity Indoor Track (Boys)
Varsity Indoor Track (Girls)
Varsity Golf (Girls)

ELLENVILLE

Varsity Indoor Track (Boys)
Varsity Indoor Track (Girls)
Varsity Golf (Girls)

F.D.R. HIGH SCHOOL

Varsity Swimming (Girls)
Varsity Swimming (Boys)
Varsity Lacrosse (Boys)
Varsity Lacrosse (Girls)
Varsity Indoor Track (Girls)
Varsity Indoor Track (Boys)
Varsity Golf (Girls)

GREENWOOD LAKE

Modified Cross Country (Boys)
Modified Cross Country (Girls)
Modified Volleyball (Girls)
Modified Soccer (Boys)
Modified Soccer (Girls)
Modified Basketball (Boys)
Modified Basketball (Girls)
Modified Wrestling (Boys)
Modified Track (Boys)
Modified Track (Girls)
Modified Baseball (Boys)
Modified Softball (Girls)

HIGHLAND

Varsity Lacrosse (Boys)*
**Merge with Marlboro*
Modified Boys Lacrosse
Modified Girls Lacrosse
Varsity Golf (Girls)
Varsity Lacrosse (Girls)

LADY OF LOURDES

Varsity Swimming (Girls)
Varsity Swimming (Boys)
Varsity Lacrosse (Boys)
JV Lacrosse (Boys)
Varsity Lacrosse (Girls)
JV Lacrosse (Girls)
Varsity Indoor Track (Girls)
Varsity Indoor Track (Boys)
Varsity Golf (Girls)

MARLBORO

Varsity Swimming (Girls)
Varsity Swimming (Boys)
Varsity Indoor Track (Boys)
Varsity Indoor Track (Girls)
Modified Lacrosse (Boys)
Varsity Lacrosse (Boys)
Varsity Lacrosse (Girls)
Varsity Golf (Girls)

MILLBROOK

Varsity Indoor Track (Boys)
Varsity Indoor Track (Girls)
Varsity Lacrosse (Boys)
Varsity Lacrosse (Girls)
Varsity Golf (Girls)

NEW PALTZ

Varsity Swimming (Boys)
Varsity Swimming (Girls)
Varsity Golf (Girls)
Varsity Lacrosse (Boys)
JV Lacrosse (Boys)
Varsity Lacrosse (Girls)
JV Lacrosse (Girls)

ONTEORA

Varsity Skiing (Boys)
Varsity Skiing (Girls)
Varsity Indoor Track (Boys)
Varsity Indoor Track (Girls)
Varsity Golf (Girls)
Varsity Swimming (Girls)
Varsity Swimming (Boys)

PINE PLAINS

Varsity Indoor Track (Boys)
Varsity Indoor Track (Girls)
Varsity Golf (Girls)

RED HOOK

Varsity Lacrosse (Boys)
Varsity Lacrosse (Girls)
Varsity Indoor Track (Boys)
Varsity Indoor Track (Girls)
Varsity Swimming (Girls)
Varsity Swimming (Boys)
Varsity Golf (Girls)

RHINEBECK

Varsity Swimming (Girls)
Varsity Swimming (Boys)
JV Lacrosse (Boys)

RONDOT VALLEY

Varsity Swimming (Girls)
Varsity Swimming (Boys)
Varsity Indoor Track (Girls)
Varsity Indoor Track (Boys)
Varsity Lacrosse (Boys)
JV Lacrosse (Boys)
Varsity Golf (Girls)
Modified Lacrosse (Boys)
Modified Lacrosse (Girls)

SAUGERTIES

Varsity Lacrosse (Boys)
Varsity Lacrosse (Girls)
JV Lacrosse (Girls)
Modified Lacrosse (Boys)

SPACKENKILL

Varsity Swimming (Girls)
Varsity Swimming (Boys)
Varsity Indoor Track (Boys)
Varsity Indoor Track (Girls)
Varsity Golf (Girls)

WALLKILL

Varsity Indoor Track (Boys)
Varsity Indoor Track (Girls)
Varsity Lacrosse (Boys)
Modified Lacrosse (Boys)
JV Lacrosse (Girls)
Varsity Swimming (Girls)

WEST POINT

Modified Cross-Country (Boys)
Modified Cross-Country (Girls)
Modified Volleyball (Girls)
Modified Basketball (Boys)
Modified Basketball (Girls)
Modified Track (Boys)
Modified Track (Girls)

DELAWARE VALLEY, PA

Modified Lacrosse (Boys)
Modified Lacrosse (Girls)





WINTER COACHING COURSES 2024-2025

Please email Amanda Zampini at CoachingCourses9@gmail.com to receive registration information and online course materials. This is a blended learning format. All coaches are required to come in for the in person skills component of the course.

Location:

53 Gibson Road, Goshen
Carl Onken Conference Center Room
BEHIND CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION
BACK OF PARKING LOT NEXT TO O&M

Course Dates

November 18 - B/C
December 2 - A
December 5 - A
December 17 - B/C
January 7 - B/C
January 13 - B/C
January 28 - B/C
February 4 - B/C
February 6 - B/C
February 10 - B/C
February 26 - B/C

December 12th, 2025

Good Afternoon,

The Classification Committee would like to propose to the Section 9 Athletic Council for the John S. Burke Girls Soccer team to participate in Class B for the 2026-2027 school year.

The Classification Committee would like to propose to the Section 9 Athletic Council for the Mount Academy Girls Soccer team to participate in Class A for the 2026-2027 school year.

The Classification Committee would like to propose to the Section 9 Athletic Council for the Mount Academy Boys Soccer team to participate in Class A for the 2026-2027 school year.

The Classification Committee would like to propose to the Section 9 Athletic Council for the Mount Academy Girls Volleyball team to participate in Class B for the 2026-2027 school year.

The Classification Committee would like to propose to the Section 9 Athletic Council for the Mount Academy Boys Cross Country team to participate in Class B for the 2026-2027 school year.

We would like to thank you for your time in considering our recommendation.

Thank you,

The Classification Committee

SCHOOL	NYSPHSAA Enrollment BEDS #	FB	VB	XC	FH	B LAX	G LAX	BB	SB	BBSK	GBSK	B SOC	G SOC	GD CHEER/COMP. CHEER	Bowl Wres/ Tennis	Track and Field	Flag FB
Beacon	650	B	A	B			C	A	A	A	A	A	A	B/B	1	B	
John S. Burke*	210	D	C	D			D	B^	C	A^	C	C	B^	C/D	2	C	C
Chapel Field*	90		D	D				C^	D	D	D	D	D	C/D	2		
Chester	242	C*	C	D			D	B	B	B	B	C	C	C/D	2	C	
Cornwall	747	A	AA	B		B	B	AA	AA	AA	AA	AA	AA	B/B	1	B	
Dover	318	C	B	C				B	B	B	B	B	B	C/C	2	C	
Eldred	122	D		D				D	D	C	D	D	D	C/D	2	C	
Ellenville	329	C	B	C	C			B	B	B	B	B	B	C/C	2	C	
Fallsburg	335	C	B	C				B	B	B	B	B	B	C/C	2	C	
F.D.R.	848	A	AA	A		B	B	AA	AA	AA	AA	AA	AA	A/B	1	A	
Goshen	711	A	A	B		C	C	AA	AA	AA	AA	AA	AA	B/B	1	B	B
Highland^^	368	C	B	C		C^^	D	B	B	B	B	B	B	C/C	2	C	C
Homestead School	20			D										C/D	2	C	
Kingston	1275	AA	AAA	A	A	A	A	AAA	AAA	AAA	AAA	AAA	AAA	A/A	1	A	
Liberty	446	B	B	B				A	A	A	A	A	A	B/B	2	B	
Marlboro	458	B	A	B				A	A	A	A	A	A	C/C	2	B	C
Middletown	1976	AA	AAA	A		A	A	AAA	AAA	AAA	AAA	AAA	AAA	A/A	1	A	A
Millbrook~	185	C	C	D		D	D	C	C	C	C	C	C	~B	C/D	2	C
Minisink	789	A	AA	B		B	B	AA	AA	AA	AA	AA	AA	A/B	1	B	B
Monroe-Woodbury	1692	AA	AAA	A		A	A	AAA	AAA	AAA	AAA	AAA	AAA	A/A	1	A	A
Monticello	660	A	A	B				A	A	AA	AA	A	A	B/B	1	B	
Mount Academy*	120		*B^	*B^/D"						D		*A^	*A^	C/D	2		
New Paltz	471	B	A	B		C	C	A	A	A	A	A	A	C/C	2	B	
NFA	2913	AA	AAA	A		A	A	AAA	AAA	AAA	AAA	AAA	AAA	A/A	1	A	A
James I. O'Neill	303	C	B	C		D	D	B	B	B	B	B	B	C/C	2	C	C
Onteora	257	C	C	C	C			B	B	B	B	B	B	C/C	2	C	
Our Lady of Lourdes*	641	^A	A	B	B	C	C	A	A	^AAA	^AAA	A	A		1	B	B
Pine Bush	1151	AA	AAA	A	A	A	A	AAA	AAA	AAA	AAA	AAA	AAA	A/A	1	A	A
Pine Plains**(317)	180	C	C	D	C			C	C	C	C	C	C	C/D	2	C	
Port Jervis	552	B	A	B			C	A	A	A	A	A	A	B/B	2	B	
Red Hook	419	B	B	C		D	D	A	A	A	A	A	A	C/C	2	B	
Rhinebeck**(317)	246	C	C	D			A	B	B	B	B	B	B	C/D	2	C	C
Rondout	378	C	B	C	C	D	D	B	B	A	A	B	B	C/C	2	B	
Rockland CSD	123	D	D	D				D	D	C	D	D	D	C/D	2		
S.S Seward	152		D	D				C	C	C	C	C	C	C/D	2	C	
Saugerties	588	B	A	B		C	C	A	A	A	A	A	A	B/B	2	B	B
Spackenkill	399	C	B	C				A	A	A	A	A	A	C/C	2	C	
Sullivan West	239	C	C	D				C	B	B	B	C	C	C/D	2	C	
Tri-Valley	203	C		D				C	C	C	C	C	C	C/D	2	C	
Tuxedo	33		D	D				D	D	D	D	D	D	C/D	2		
Valley Central	1049	AA		A		A	A	AAA	AAA	AAA	AA	AAA	AA	A/A	1	A	A
Wallkill	672	A	A	B		C	C	AA	AA	AA	AA	A	A	B/B	1	B	
Warwick	957	A	AA	A		B	B	AA	AA	AA	AA	AA	AA	A/B	1	A	B
Washingtonville	945	A	AA	A		B	B	AA	AA	AA	AA	AA	AA	A/B	1	A	B
Webutuck~	147	C	D	D				C	C	C	C	C	C	~B	C/D	2	C

* - Only moved up to B in Boys XC - Girls play Class D

*Chester / Seward combined for FB - 302

^Moved by Section IX Class Comm.

^^Highland/Marlboro merged Boy's Lax

**Rhinebeck/Pine Plains for FB =317

~Mill/Web merged FB (243)/G Soc (258)

*Subject to Sect. IX Class Comm Movement