

IHMS Student Athlete Packet

What does the IHMS coach need from the student athlete before the first practice session?

1. A signed copy of the Student Expectations and Policy Acknowledgement form.
2. Your \$85 donation. Donations can be done by check (please make checks out to IHMS and note which after school sport on the memo line) or through Future Fund by following the QR code below or the link on the school website.

Donation QR Code:



Link: <https://ihms.futurefund.com/go/57728-after-school-sports-7th-8th-grade-cross-country>

****The first 55 students (per grade level- 6th & 7/8th) to turn in their packet will be eligible to play in that sport. Late or submissions after the 55 student max will not be accepted. Students will not be eligible to participate until all completed forms are turned in.****

****Sport Schedule is on the back of this page****

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Iron Horse Middle School Intramural Sports Program:

Iron Horse's intramural after school sports program is open to all IHMS students. Our sports take place at Iron Horse from 3-4.

SRVUSD Policies and Procedures:

Please review the Student Athlete Packet. The Student Expectation and Policy Acknowledgement form must be submitted to the COACH or the FRONT OFFICE before the first practice session. **The first 55 students (per grade level- 6th & 7/8th) to turn in their packet will be eligible to play in that sport. Late or submissions after the 55 student max will not be accepted. Students will not be eligible to participate until all completed forms are turned in.**

After School Sports Donations:

The suggested donation of \$85 can be made via check or through Future Fund. Checks and Future Fund donations can be handed in to the coach or the main office before the first practice date. Checks should be made out to IHMS with a note stating which sport your student would like to participate in.

Please be aware that our after school sports program runs solely on donations. Therefore, if we do not raise enough to cover the cost to run the sport, we unfortunately will have to cancel that sport. If a sport is canceled, donation checks may be picked up in the main office and future fund donations will be refunded.

Please keep the attached sports schedule for easy reference.

Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

Scott Matek
Athletic Director

SRVUSD Middle School Athletics Policies and Procedures

Philosophy

The San Ramon Valley Unified School District believes in the ideals of good sportsmanship, ethical behavior, and integrity in the middle school sports programs. The promotion of good citizenship and high behavior standards are expected at all times. This program is a privilege available to middle school students in the San Ramon Valley Unified School District.

Student athletes are expected to be positive role models for their peers and shall exhibit positive behavior at all times both on the field and court and off.

The San Ramon Valley Unified School District Athletic Program is a non-competitive program, which promotes fairness and good sportsmanship. Students shall be encouraged to play sports, regardless of perceived ability level. No student will be cut from an athletic team due to perceived ability level, and every effort will be made to give all students equal playing time.

Parent and Coach Responsibilities

Parents and coaches will strive to make the Middle School Sports Program a positive and uplifting experience for students. Parents and coaches should guide students towards respecting each other, other teams and their coaches. Parents and coaches should also encourage students to keep academics as the students' first priority. Parents and coaches will abide by and enforce all site and district policies wherever applicable.

Schedule Information

The following are schedule guidelines, and are approximate times. Please plan accordingly. Information may be subject to change by the coach or site administrator.

- At IHMS, all sessions begin at 3:00pm.
- Games/practice sessions should last approximately one hour.
- If a game/session is canceled due to weather or other site considerations, the decision will be made by approximately 11:00 am that day or earlier.

Parents should arrange to have students picked up from IHMS immediately after the game. We cannot be responsible for students left without rides to and from games.

Student Expectation and Acknowledgement Form

Student Name: _____ Grade: - _____
(First & Last-Please Print)

Student Expectations

1. Students will respect opponents, fellow students, coaches and spectators.
2. Students will participate in every practice/game as required by coaches. Exceptions will be made by coaches on a case-by-case basis when academics need to take priority.
3. Students will maintain a 2.0 grade point average. In addition, IHMS requires that students have no more than 1 failing grade.
4. Students will not use illegal drugs, alcohol, tobacco, or any other harmful substance.
5. Students will respect all school and district property.
6. Student will demonstrate good character and sportsmanship.

Failure to abide by these rules will result in consequences set by school administration. Consequences may include disciplinary action in accordance with California Education Code and may include loss of after school athletic privileges.

Policy Acknowledgement

Parents and students should review this packet and sign the form below. This form must be returned to the coach or the appropriate designee before students will be permitted to participate in the sports program. This form needs to be returned for each individual sport a student is participating in.

I have read and agreed with all of the information above. I pledge that I will abide by all of the above information and all District and School Policies while I, or my student, participates in the San Ramon Valley After School Sports Program.

Parent Signature----- Date: _____

Student Signature_____ Date: _____

I have made a Donation: YES _____ NO _____

Sport: _____