



# AKRON CENTRAL SCHOOLS

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## **AKRON SCHOOLS IMPLEMENTS NEW ONLINE SPORTS REGISTRATION**

AKRON, NEW YORK (July 22, 2022) - Akron Schools is implementing a new online registration program for students participating in interscholastic sports. Parents of Akron High School or Middle School student athletes participating in a fall sport at any level, including modified, will need to register their child on FamilyID beginning on Monday, July 25, 2022.

FamilyID offers an easy, user-friendly way to register athletes for interscholastic sports on a convenient, secure registration platform. The system keeps track of information for each FamilyID profile. Information is entered only once for each family member and is good for multiple uses and multiple sports programs. FamilyID will also help the Athletic Department become more administratively efficient and environmentally responsible.

Parents can get to the school's FamilyID platform by going to [www.akronschools.org/FamilyID](http://www.akronschools.org/FamilyID) or by going to [akronschools.org/athletics](http://akronschools.org/athletics) and clicking on SPORTS REGISTRATION from the left navigation menu. The program will guide users through the registration process.

All athletes must be registered prior to the start of fall sport practices that begin Monday, August 22, 2022, for all JV and varsity teams. The start date for modified practices are August 22<sup>nd</sup> for field hockey, September 6<sup>th</sup> for cross country, and September 26<sup>th</sup> for volleyball.

Sports physicals must also be turned in to the school nurse prior to participation in any practices or submitted on the FamilyID webpage.

All parents and athletes of fall sports should plan to attend the Fall Sports Parent-Athlete meeting to be held from 6:30PM to 7:30PM on Thursday, September 1st in the Edward Allen Auditorium. Athletic expectations, policies and procedures will be addressed. Coaches will have an opportunity to meet with athletes and parents about specific sport programs after the presentation has concluded.

Questions about athletic practices may be addressed with individual coaches or by calling the Athletic Office at (716)542-5088.

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