

Rochester High School Athletics

The RHS Athletics Program

Rochester High School is pleased to offer many different athletic opportunities to our students. Participation in athletics is a valuable part of education that provides lessons in teamwork, sportsmanship, and builds self-confidence. Research shows that students participating in athletics are more likely to succeed academically and express greater satisfaction with their school experience. In addition, colleges and employers look favorably upon a strong co-curricular record.



Tryouts and Athlete Registration

Information about all RHS athletics, including tryout schedules, can be found at <https://rhsathletics.rochester.k12.mi.us/try-out-info>

Tryouts and practices for Fall Sports start August 8th. All student athletes must be fully registered through Final Forms to be eligible to practice and tryout, <https://www.rochester.k12.mi.us/athletics/athleteregistration>



Ticket Information

The following Varsity and JV sports require paid admission to all home games: Basketball, Football, Competitive Cheer, Soccer, Swimming & Diving, Volleyball, Wrestling, Ice Hockey, and Lacrosse.



2022-23 Ticket Prices through GOFAN, <https://gofan.co/>, NO CASH SALES

- Adult Ticket: \$5.00, plus \$1.00 service fee
- Student Ticket: \$5.00, plus \$1.00 service fee

Multi Pass Tickets through GOFAN

Multi-game passes of 15 tickets are \$45.00, plus a \$3.25 service fee. Multi-game passes can be used during the school year at any Rochester Community Schools athletic event, except Michigan High School Athletic Association (MHSAA) post-season games.



Tickets must be used by June 1 of the same school year that the ticket was purchased.

A-Passes are available to all students and gain them free entry to all RCS athletic events, A-Passes are available though Eleyo for \$60.00 starting in August.



RHS Sports and Coach Information

Fall – Girls:		
Cross Country	Amy Oppat	aoppat@rochester.k12.mi.us
Golf	Jeff Haney	jhaney@rochester.k12.mi.us
Sideline Cheerleading	Sam Koehler	rochestercheerleading@gmail.com
Swimming/Diving	Aaron Helander	aaron.helander1@gmail.com
Volleyball	Kirk Gibbs	kgibbs04@wowway.com
Fall – Boys:		
Cross Country	Amy Oppat	aoppat@rochester.k12.mi.us
Football	Erik Vernon	evernon@rochester.k12.mi.us
Soccer	Chris Purgatori	chrispurgatori@gmail.com
Tennis	Jerry Murphy	jerrydmurphy@gmail.com

Winter – Girls:		
Basketball	Bill Thurston	bthurston248@gmail.com
Competitive Cheerleading	Sam Koehler	rochestercheerleading@gmail.com
Skiing	Emilio Olivarez	emolivar@gmail.com
Winter – Boys:		
Basketball	Nick Evola	NEvola@rochester.k12.mi.us
Ice Hockey	Austin Grzenia	agrzenia@yahoo.com
Skiing	Sue Mackens	sdmackens@gmail.com
Swimming/Diving	Aaron Helander	aaron.helander1@gmail.com
Wrestling	Erik Vernon	evernon@rochester.k12.mi.us

Spring – Girls:		
Lacrosse	David Hamel	davidhamel@comcast.net
Soccer	Doug Steinard	rhsgsoc@gmail.com
Softball	Jay Martin	jay.martin1881@gmail.com
Tennis	Jerry Murphy	jerrydmurphy@gmail.com
Track and Field	Larry Adams	ladams@rochester.k12.mi.us
Spring – Boys:		
Baseball	Eric Magiera	emagiera@rochester.k12.mi.us
Golf	Ryan Johnston	RJohnston@rochester.k12.mi.us
Lacrosse	Nick Knauf	ncknauf01@gmail.com
Track and Field	Gary Cousino	gcousino@rochester.k12.mi.us