## Athletics Department

June 6, 2024

Dear Anthony Wayne Families,

As we look ahead to the 2024-25 school year, there are changes that are coming to the District's athletics programs – most notably the new pay-to-participate requirement. We want you to be well-informed. Please carefully review the information about AW Athletics provided below.

This letter contains details about:

- the new pay-to-participate program for AW Athletics
- student-athlete physical requirements
- fall athletics schedules
- 2024-25 ticket prices & sports passes
- the AW Athletics Boosters organization

Please feel free to reach out to us with any questions.

Thank you and go Generals!

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# **Pay-to-Participate Guidelines for Parents and Students**

The Anthony Wayne Local Schools Board of Education has adopted a Pay-to-Participate policy for the District's athletics programs. The following fee structure for participating in athletic programs at Anthony Wayne Junior High and Anthony Wayne High School begins with the 2024-2025 school year.

AWHS Athletics	Cost per student-athlete
First Sport	\$150.00
Second Sport	\$125.00
Third Sport	No additional cost

AW Junior High Athletics	Cost per student-athlete
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First Sport	\$80.00
Second Sport	\$80.00
Third Sport	No additional cost

- Families with multiple students in AW athletics programs will have fees waived for any additional sport exceeding a \$450 per year cap. (Limited to immediate family members within the same household.)
- All fees must be paid before your child's first game or match. Payments can be accepted starting today, however please do not pay your fees until your child has officially made the team.
  - Pay-to-Participate Exceptions:
     Cheer: Only one pay-to-participate fee is required for athletes who cheer both in the fall and winter seasons. This payment is due before the first football game.
  - <u>Swim and Dive:</u> There is no paid coach position for this program and no school transportation provided, therefore there are no pay-to-participate fees.
- <u>Payments:</u> Fees can be paid electronically through <u>FinalForms</u> or cash/check (payable to Anthony Wayne Schools) at the AWHS Cashier's Office starting August 1, 2024. <u>Do not pay your participation fee directly to your child's coach.</u>
- The pay-to-participate program <u>does not</u> guarantee playing time.
- <u>Fees are not refundable.</u> Athletes who quit, are injured, move out of District or who are denied participation for disciplinary reasons will not be reimbursed.
- **Generals Athletics Scholarships:** A limited number of fee scholarships are available through the AW Athletics Boosters and other donor sources. Families with a financial need may contact the Athletics Office for more information.

## **Athletic Physicals**

All student-athletes MUST have forms <u>completed electronically in FinalForms</u> and a physical completed by the official start date of their chosen sport (August 1 for fall athletes.) Once a physical has been completed by a physician, the form can be delivered to the drop box near the Athletics entrance at the high school.

#### **Physical Event Information**

Athletics physicals can be completed at most well care visits with your child's doctor. If you are unable to make an appointment, ProMedica is offering two physical clinics for athletes. The cost is \$35. *Please bring your physical forms*.

- June 20, 2024 at Wildwood, 5:00 p.m.
- July 11, 2024 at Wildwood, 5:00 p.m.

#### **Fall AW Athletics Schedules**

- Anthony Wayne High School Fall Athletics Schedule
- Anthony Wayne Junior High Fall Athletics Schedule

#### 2024-2025 Generals Athletics Admission

Entrance fees for regular season athletics contests are determined by the NLL. The following admission and season pass prices are approved for the 2024-25 school year. Tickets may be purchased online in advance or at the gate.

Single Game Admission	
Varsity Football	
General Admission online by 5:30 p.m.	\$7
General Admission after 5:30 p.m.	\$10
Reserved Seats (game day)	\$15
Reserved Seats (season)	\$60
All other varsity sports	
Online in advance	\$7
Cash at the gate	\$10
JV / 9th Grade (played separately)	\$5
AWJH Athletics	
Online in advance	\$5
Cash at the gate	\$8

Season Passes*		
Family All-Season Pass	\$350	
Adult All-Season Pass	\$160	
Student All-Season Pass	\$100	
AWJH Athletics Adult All-Season Pass	\$75	
AWJH Athletics Student All-Season Pass	\$50	

\*Individual sport season pass information can be found on the District website at www.AnthonyWayneSchools.org/Athletics.

## **Anthony Wayne Athletic Boosters**

The Anthony Wayne Boosters Club is a parent nonprofit organization that supports the District's student-athletes by providing financial support to the athletic programs and awarding scholarships. The Boosters are led by volunteers who are pivotal to the continued success of our athletics programs. Parents are strongly encouraged to become an active member of this important club.

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- \* Communication and Collaboration
- \* Critical Thinking
- \* Empathy
- \* Learner's Mindset