

# Fall Youth Cross Country 2024 Frequently Asked Questions

Some of you are first-time participants, others are seasoned veterans! Here is some helpful information for the upcoming youth sports fall season:

## **Cross Country:**

### **When will uniforms be issued?**

*Registration includes a jersey and shorts for each participant. Uniforms are typically issued at least two weeks prior to the first meet.*

### **Do you have information on practices and evaluations?**

*Practices will begin in July.*

### **How many practices and games will take place per week?**

*Typically, your child will have two practices per week. Meets will take place on Saturdays.*

### **What times will my child be practicing and playing games?**

*Generally your child will practice around 6 pm.*

### **Is travel involved?**

*Yes, meets will take place at neighboring counties.*

### **How long will the season last?**

*Practices will begin in July. Meets should begin in August. The season should wrap up around October.*

### **Do you have information game schedules?**

*Game schedules should be released about two weeks after practices begin.*

### **What equipment will my child need?**

*WCPRD provides each participant with a jersey and shorts. Parents/guardians are responsible for providing players with shoes.*

### **When will pictures be taken?**

*Sportography team and individual picture dates will be released as soon as possible.*

### **What is WCPRD doing for safety and security?**

*Each coach is issued a first aid kit. We follow all GHSA guidelines regarding heat illness issues. Coaches are also given an Emergency Action Plan.*

### **Where can I go for information?**

*We send text messages and emails often. We also post almost daily on our Facebook page (search White County Parks and Recreation), on our website at [www.whitecounty.net/parksrec](http://www.whitecounty.net/parksrec), or by calling 706-865-5275. Please visit our website for information regarding signing up for text messages.*

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# Youth Tackle Football 2024 Frequently Asked Questions

Some of you are first-time participants, others are seasoned veterans! Here is some helpful information for the upcoming youth football season:

## **Tackle football:**

### **When will we receive our equipment?**

*Players will be fitted for helmets and shoulder pads on a date TBD. This typically takes place in July. Parents will need to bring their child by the Recreation Department to be fitted for pants when samples are in. We will send out an email letting parents know when the samples have arrived.*

*A game jersey, game pants, and mouthpiece will be provided and are usually issued to teams a few weeks before games begin. Practice pants and practice jerseys are not provided but may be purchased online or at sporting goods stores such as Academy Sports, Hibbett's, etc. Cleats are recommended but not required.*

### **Do you have information on practices?**

*Tackle practices will start on July 29<sup>th</sup> as conditioning (no equipment). Helmet-only practice will commence on August 5<sup>th</sup>. Full-pads practice will begin on August 12<sup>th</sup>. Tackle practices typically are Mondays, Tuesdays, and Fridays. Times are determined by coaches. Some teams will practice at T-Gap, some at WCMS, and others at the Recreation Department.*

### **Do you have information on games?**

*Game schedules from the Mountain Football League usually drop early to mid-August. Games are played on Saturdays. There will be some home dates at White County High School, the remainder of games will be played at other MFL game locations. Opening day of youth football games will be September 7<sup>th</sup>.*

### **Is there a date for Youth Night at the high school?**

*Yes! Youth night for football and cheer will be on a date TBD.*

### **When will pictures be held?**

*Sportography team and individual picture dates will be released as soon as possible.*

### **What is WCPRD doing for safety and security?**

*Each coach is issued a full medical first aid kit. Starting this season, a Sheriff's Deputy will be on site at each football home game. If available, an ambulance will be on site at each football home game. We follow all GHSA guidelines regarding heat illness issues.*

### **Where can I go for information?**

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*Point of contact for football – Danielle Schofill – [dschofill@whitecounty.net](mailto:dschofill@whitecounty.net)*

# Youth Fall Baseball/Softball 2024 Frequently Asked Questions

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## **Fall Little Batters, T-ball, Baseball, Softball:**

### **When will uniforms be issued?**

*Registration includes a jersey, and cap for each participant. Uniforms are typically issued at least two weeks prior to the first games.*

### **Do you have information on practices?**

*Practices will begin around August 8<sup>th</sup>. You should hear from your child's coach by the end of July.*

### **Do you have information on games?**

*Game schedules are created in-house and should be out by the end of August. Games typically begin around September 6<sup>th</sup>.*

### **When will pictures be held?**

*Sportography team and individual picture dates will be released as soon as possible.*

### **What is WCPRD doing for safety and security?**

*Each coach is issued a full medical first aid kit. We follow all GHSA guidelines regarding heat illness issues.*

### **Where can I go for information?**

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*Point of contact for Little Batters and t-ball – Corey Collins – [ccollins@whitecounty.net](mailto:ccollins@whitecounty.net)*

*Point of contact for baseball & softball – Danielle Schofill – [dschofill@whitecounty.net](mailto:dschofill@whitecounty.net)*

# Youth Cheerleading 2024 Frequently Asked Questions

Some of you are first-time participants, others are seasoned veterans! Here is some helpful information for the upcoming youth sports fall season:

## **Cheerleading:**

### **When will uniforms be issued?**

*Registration includes a cheer top, cheer skirt, bloomers, and poms. Shoes are not included. Any type of tennis shoe is suitable for cheer. Uniforms are typically issued at least two weeks prior to the first games.*

### **Do you have information on practices?**

*Cheer practices will begin toward the end of July.*

### **Do you have information on games?**

*Game schedules from the Mountain Football League usually drop early to mid-August. Games are played on Saturdays. There will be some home dates at White County High School, the remainder of games will be played at other MFL game locations. Opening day of youth football games will be September 7<sup>th</sup>.*

### **Is there a date for Youth Night at the high school?**

*Yes! Youth night for football and cheer will be on a date TBD.*

### **When will pictures be held?**

*Sportography team and individual picture dates will be released as soon as possible.*

### **What is WCPRD doing for safety and security?**

*Each coach is issued a full medical first aid kit. Starting this season, a Sheriff's Deputy will be on site at each football home game. If available, an ambulance will be on site at each football home game. We follow all GHSA guidelines regarding heat illness issues.*

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## Fall Youth Soccer 2024 Frequently Asked Questions

Some of you are first-time participants, others are seasoned veterans! Here is some helpful information for the upcoming youth sports fall season:

### Fall soccer:

#### When will uniforms be issued?

*Registration includes a jersey, shorts, and socks for each participant. Uniforms are typically issued at least two weeks prior to the first games.*

#### Do you have information on practices?

*There will be no evaluations for fall soccer. You should hear from your coach by August 5<sup>th</sup> regarding the start of practices. Practices should begin on the week of August 8<sup>th</sup>.*

#### Do you have information on games?

*Game schedules are created in-house and should be out by the end of August. Games typically begin around September 6<sup>th</sup>.*

#### When will pictures be held?

*Sportography team and individual picture dates will be released as soon as possible.*

#### What is WCPRD doing for safety and security?

*Each coach is issued a full medical first aid kit. We follow all GHSA guidelines regarding heat illness issues.*

#### Where can I go for information?

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