ATHLETIC REGISTRATION FOR SALINE AREA SCHOOLS

2024 - 2025

Please read the instructions. Failure to follow these steps will result in unnecessary complications for registration.

General Facts (sports offered, tryout/season start dates, and head coach email addresses) about SAS Athletics can be found here:

<u>Saline High School</u> and <u>Saline Middle School</u>. **Please note**, 6th grade sports and some other MS and HS sports are run through Community Ed, not Saline Athletics. Registration for those programs, and more information can be found <u>HERE</u>.

Option 1: You participated in SAS Athletics previously

If you have previously registered in <u>BigTeams</u>, you will need to sign back into your student and parent accounts to register again for this school year. Please upload a physical (dated after 4/15/24) and sign the insurance consent and sports registration forms. The forms can be found under "Athletic Forms" and need to be initialed from both student and parent accounts. Please update the sports interest boxes as needed to be placed on preliminary rosters. Yearly pay to participate fee will also need to be made in <u>RevTrak</u> before the first day of tryouts or practice. If you forgot the password to your student account please contact Alli Littlejohn at littleja@salineschools.org. You will NOT receive an email to reset your password from BigTeams because the district doesn't allow outside emails.

Option 2: You are new to BigTeams

- If you are new to the district or to participating in athletics **THESE** instructions will help walk you through the registration process.
- If you already have a parent account from another child, please do not create a new parent account, just link with the new child's
 account.
- If your student is new to athletics and has been in SAS since the 2022-23 school year, they already have an account. The username is their school email address and the password is *bigteams*. Please follow <u>THESE</u> instructions to set up your BigTeams accounts. Parents will need to create an account if they have not done so already. That is done by selecting "Sign up to create new account" <u>here</u>.

Each student must **electronically submit** a physical **dated after April 15, 2024** through Big Teams as mentioned in the link above. Completed physicals may be submitted into your Big Teams **account** by scanning or taking a picture with a smartphone of **ALL pages** of the exam. The physical exam **must be received BEFORE** a student's first practice/tryout. **There are no exceptions**, as it is a safety issue, as well as a MHSAA mandate. Paper copies of the physical will NOT be accepted by coaches or the Athletic Office; please upload the physical to your student's account and keep the paper copy for your records.

A MHSAA New Student/Transfer Form must be filled out by any student in 10th, 11th or 12th grade who is **new** to Saline Area Schools this year before they can compete for Saline. Additionally, any 9th grader new to Saline Area Schools who enrolls after August 26, 2024 is a transfer student and would need to complete the MHSAA New Student Form. Please return the completed form to the Athletic Director, Ashley Mantha (manthaa@salineschools.org) to make sure a student is eligible to participate in Saline Athletics this school year. Blank MHSAA forms can be found at salinehighschool.bigteams.com under the "Files & Links" tab and HERE.

- * Note: Options for getting a Sports Physical:
 - See your own pediatrician for a full exam after April 15, 2024 but before their respective season start date
 - <u>Trinity Health</u>, <u>Springfield Urgent Care</u>, <u>AFC Urgent Care</u>, Urgent Care, Concentra, etc. all offer same day appointments, and/or walk in Sports Physicals for approximately \$30. These are great options if a student can't get into their regular doctor before the season starts or they have insurance complications.

Payment for participation in athletics is made through <u>RevTrak</u>; directions for payment are <u>HERE</u>. <u>This is a one time fee, per school year.</u>

If you have any questions or are struggling with registration please contact Alli Littlejohn (littleja@salineschools.org)