



All Sports Meeting 26-27

# Ridley High School

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# Meet the Coaches Night

1. Our Mission
2. Meet our Coaches
3. Student-Athlete Overview/Citizenship/Expectations
4. Meet our ATC, Andrew Liss
5. Keynote Address - Coach Morris
6. Important Dates
7. Dismissal to sport specific meetings - Classrooms in B100 Wing



# ➤➤➤➤ Mission Statement

*- It is the mission of the Ridley School District to create a caring environment that gives all students the opportunity to achieve their fullest personal and academic potential in order to become productive and responsible citizens.*

*-Pride and Tradition*

Self-Directed Learner

Responsible Citizen

Collaborative Performer

Effective Communicator

Responsible Citizen

Problem Solver





# Positive and Caring Environment

Ridley High School Athletics is committed to cultivating a positive and caring environment in which all student-athletes have the opportunity to grow as competitors, teammates, and leaders. With an emphasis on catering to the student-athlete, we pride ourselves in excellence on and off the field. Whether our teams win or lose, we look to our foundational values of dedication, sportsmanship, and perseverance as we develop responsible and respectful student athletes throughout our programs.



# Fall Sports

Cross Country - Coach Meghan Lanci

Field Hockey - Coach Mara Schnellenbach

Football - Coach Dave Wood

Golf - Coach Mike Marenic

Boys' Soccer - Coach Connor Warwick

Girls' Soccer - Coach Chris Himler

Girls' Tennis - Coach Joe Ayers

Girls' Volleyball - Coach Marialynne Brown

Cheerleading - Coach Julia Hunt

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## Winter Sports

Boys' Basketball - Coach Allen Brydges

Girls' Basketball - Coach Roe Falcone

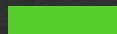
Competitive Spirit - Coach Julia Hunt

Indoor Track & Field - Coach John Boyle

Boys' Swim and Dive - Coach Kevin Pierce

Girls' Swim and Dive - Coach Shane Bonner

Wrestling - Coach Ron Rainey





# Spring Sports

Baseball - Coach Tom Carey

Flag Football - Coach Jeff Hamson

Boys' Lacrosse - Coach Steve Hill

Girls' Lacrosse - Coach Meagan DiCave

Softball - Coach Brooke Roark

Boys' Tennis - Coach Joe Ayers

Boys' Track and Field - Coach Rock Thompson

Girls' Track and Field - Coach John Boyle



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# Citizenship and Eligibility

## Citizenship and Eligibility:

A. Activity and sports eligibility requires that students maintain “S” Satisfactory citizenship in their overall/administrative citizenship criteria.

1. Students are not eligible to participate in an activity or sport if they have two or more “U” Unsatisfactory citizenship criteria in their courses.

2. Students must be present in school to participate. Citizenship rules for attendance apply for athletic eligibility.

B. Students are ineligible academically if they are failing more than 2 courses. Remember you are a *STUDENT-Athlete* & the student comes first!

1. A student cannot participate in the sport (practices or games) if they are ineligible.



# Key Points



**Hazing:** the act of humiliating, degrading, or endangering someone as part of joining or participating in a group. Hazing can be physical or psychological.

There is no tolerance for hazing. It is not permitted and will result in removal from the team as well as disciplinary action.

**Spectator Behavior:** Actions meant to demean opposing contestants, teams, spectators and officials are not in the highest ideals of interscholastic education and will not be tolerated. Let all of our contests reflect mutual respect.

# Important Fall '26 Dates!



- 2026 Heat Acc and Golf Begins August 10, 2026
- Fall 2026 for all other fall teams begins August 17, 2026
  - Meet with coaches tonight for off season plans and team rules and regulations
- PIAA Physicals are due 1 week prior to the official start of the season to the MAIN OFFICE
  - Football/Golf due by August 3
  - All other sports due by August 10



# A Look Ahead to 2026-2027



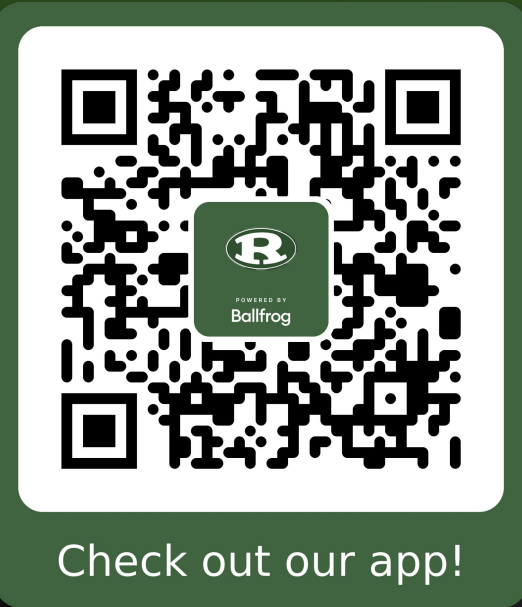
- 1st Day of Heat Acclimation (Football/Golf) - **August 10, 2026**
- 1st Day of Fall Season - **August 17, 2026**
- Fall Sports Team Meeting - **Wednesday, August 19 @ 12pm**
- 1st Scrimmage Date - **August 22, 2026**
- 1st Game Date - **August 28, 2026**
- Fall Signing - Media Day - **November 11, 2026**
- Prospective Student-Athlete Night - **TBD November 2026**
- Spirit Week RHS Athletics Flag Football Charity Event - **TBD Thanksgiving Week**
- 1st Day Winter Sports - **November 20, 2026**
- Mindset Night - **TBD February 2027**
- Spring into Hope Walk - **March 7, 2027**
- 1st Day Spring Sports - **March 8, 2027**
- Signing Day Assembly and Celebration - **May 1, 2027**



# Next Steps...



1. **Go to your FALL sport meeting location**
2. **AFTER your fall meeting, please go to the cafeteria to learn more about WINTER and SPRING sport offerings**
3. **JOIN Ballfrog for general athletics updates and specific sport information**
4. **SUBMIT your physicals prior to the start of every sport season(s).**





# Team Meetings

Cheerleading - Gym/Practice

Cross Country - B103

Field Hockey - A108

Football - Cafeteria

Golf - B104

Boys' Soccer - B105

Girls' Soccer - B106

Girls' Tennis - B107

Girls' Volleyball - B108

Winter Sports - Cafeteria

Spring Sports - Cafeteria

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