APPLICATION NEW FOOTBALL COOPERATIVE TEAM

Deadline - October 15, 2022

The next opportunity for a new co-op will be 10/15/24 for the 2026 & 2027 seasons.

We are applying for a new FOOTBALL cooperative agreement for the seasons of 2024 and 2025.

(check one)  ______ 11 Player  ______ 8 Player  (8 Player 3-Year Enrollment Average 200 or less for tournament eligibility).

Section 11 of Article VI - The Board of Control has authority to approve cooperative team sponsorship (one team in a given sport involving two or more member schools) under the following conditions:

1. The schools involved must be in the same geographical area.
2. The agreement for a cooperative team must specify two school years, but that agreement may be terminated by the Board of Control for documented extenuating circumstances.
3. Applications for initial or renewal approval of a cooperative team, must include a completed and signed cooperative team request form, reflecting:
   a. Approval of involved schools.
   b. Approval of involved board(s) of education or governing bodies.
   c. Approval of conference in which the cooperative team will participate.
   d. The program will adhere to a ‘no-cut’ policy.
      Note: Board of Control and conference approval is not required for non-varsity cooperative teams.
4. Total enrollment of schools involved in a cooperative team will determine classification of competition in WIAA tournament series.

1. Contact School (WIAA contact, where materials are sent, etc.)

   LIST ALL SCHOOLS INVOLVED IN CO-OP

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2. By our signatures we agree we have, as a school administration and school board, reviewed and discussed the items indicated on this form. We further confirm that our school district will provide the same level of institutional oversight to this program as to other sports sponsored by our district. In addition, we acknowledge that any monetary funds provided to us by outside sources will be handled according to district policies. Parent support groups, etc., shall not be involved in paying program expenses directly.

   List Schools in Co-op  Signature of Board of Education or Governing Body President  Signature of District Administrator

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   __________________________________________________________________________
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   Name of Conference  Signature of Authorized Person Indicating Conference Approval  Conference Position

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NOTE: If at any time your co-op is discontinued or not renewed, BOTH (ALL) SCHOOLS MUST RE-APPLY FOR TOURNAMENT ELIGIBILITY for the following season by the appropriate deadline.

https://www.wiaawi.org/Portals/0/PDF/Forms/Tournament%20Series%20Football%20Only%20Application.pdf

3. Our request for cooperative sponsorship is based on the following reasons:

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4. The number of students participating at each school involved in this sport has been and is projected as follows:

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5. We have reviewed and considered the following items: (indicate yes or no)

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6. The school districts involved in this cooperative program are sharing costs as follows:  

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Date submitted to WIAA

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You may check the Board of Control action status  December 7, 2022
Login to wiaawi.org – schools/manage your school/school name/teams/season (2024-25)/click co-op app

OFFICIAL ACTION OF WIAA BOARD OF CONTROL

The above request for cooperative team sponsorship is hereby granted, and must continue, for the school years indicated above. Application must be made again in the event any or all schools are interested in continuing agreement beyond the school year(s) indicated.

Stephanie L Hauser, WIAA Executive Director