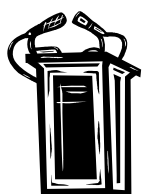


# Non-Athletic Extra-Curricular Activities

To encourage participation, Whitefish Bay Middle School's clubs provide an opportunity for students to engage in a variety of non-athletic activities

## Forensics (Grades 6, 7 & 8)



If you love to speak, read, act, demonstrate a skill or persuade others to your point of view, then Forensics might be for you. Informational meetings are held in November with practices beginning in

December. Most meets take place during the third quarter of the school year on Saturdays. A \$50.00 fee is required.

## Drama/Musical (Grades 7 & 8)

The Middle School's annual musical provides those students with an interest in theater an outlet for their creative expression. Student participation ranges from acting to supporting stage crew. Auditions and practices begin early in the school year.



The culminating event is three performances in late fall.



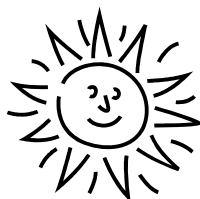
## Jazz Band (Grades 7 & 8)

Jazz Band meets Friday mornings, before school, for interested band students.

## Variety Show (Grades 6, 7 & 8)



The Variety Show is an opportunity to share your musical, theatrical, dance or other performance talent. Informational meetings are held early in the school year leading up to a performance later in the year.



## Service Club (Grades 6, 7 & 8)

Students in Service Club provide help to teachers, community organizations and programs at Whitefish Bay Middle School. Activities may include assisting at Special Olympics activities, homeless shelters and with nursing home residents.

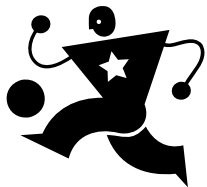
## Student Council (Grades 6, 7 & 8)

Throughout the school year, the Student Council works to plan and run programs for students, the staff and the community. Organization meetings begin in early September. Members are not elected so all students are encouraged to participate.



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# Athletic Extra-Curricular Activities



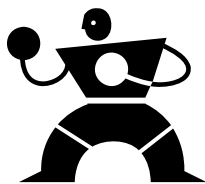
## Philosophy

Whitefish Bay Middle School offers a wide variety of interscholastic sports. We provide an opportunity for students to participate in athletics, whose background, talents and potential may differ. The fundamental goal of our program is to teach students the basic skills and strategies of a sport.

The philosophy of the Middle School stresses participation and skill development above winning. We lead students toward a better understanding of themselves and others through experiences on and off the playing field.

We believe academics is the first priority with athletics being a reinforcing privilege. All eligible players should participate in each game.

## Student Participation Eligibility



All 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade students are eligible to participate in interscholastic sports. Due to resource limits, 6th grade students are only allowed to participate in Co-Ed Cross-Country and Wrestling

**Students are required to have a current physical form on file in the school office before they are allowed to participate. Prior to the first game, all students must have paid the participation fee of \$50.00 per sport (\$150 maximum).** Fees are required of any extra-curricular activity that requires bus transportation and competition against other schools.

## Practice and Game Times

In general, practices begin as soon as 3:00 pm and conclude no later than 5:00 pm. Games generally start at

4:00 pm and conclude by 5:15 pm. However, wrestling and track meets tend to conclude around 6:00 pm.

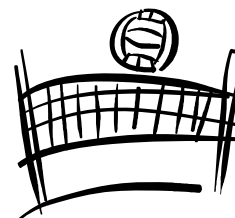
## Uniforms

All sports have athletic competition apparel available. Students are responsible for the care of the assigned apparel during the season. Students will be charged for missing or damaged items.

## Transportation

Transportation is provided to all away events for team members only. Students must ride the team bus unless the coach has granted permission to release a student to ride with his or her parent. For liability reasons, no exceptions will be considered.

Students are required to leave the building or arrange for transportation immediately after practices and home games.



## Athletic Seasons

**Co-Ed Cross-Country** September through October

**Girls Basketball** November through December

**Boys Basketball** December through February

**Wrestling** February through March

**Boys Volleyball** February through March

**Girls Volleyball** February through March

**Co-Ed Track** April through May

**Co-Ed Tennis** April through May

**Girls Softball** April through May



## Questions

Contact Mr. Chuck Orvold at 963-6800 if you have any questions regarding Middle School athletics

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