

Broadview-Lavina Schools ALL SPORT Handbook

2024-2025



Mission

The mission of the Broadview-Lavina Co-op is to teach our students life long values, interests, talents, and community spirit. While representing our school and community with pride, class, dignity, and respect.

Purpose

Our purpose is to develop students to their fullest potential through athletics, better preparing them for success after school.

Values

Teamwork
Commitment
Accountability
Overcoming adversity
Developing relationships
Sportsmanship
Community Service
Student leadership

“A coach will impact more young people in a year than the average person does in a lifetime.” -Billy Graham

“ Ability is what you are capable of doing. Motivation determines what you do. Attitude determines how well you do it.” - Lou Holtz

As a parent, you play a special role in the development of your daughter or son, and of his/her teammates. Your encouragement and good example will do more to ensure good sportsmanship and self-discipline than any other influence. The other team is the opponent, not the enemy, and should be treated with respect.

Broadview / Lavina Head Coaching Staff

Football – Chad Lippert

Volleyball – Chase Soennichsen

Boys Basketball – Scott Severance

Girls Basketball – Scott Severance

Track and Field – Cedar Martin

Cheer –

JH Cheer-

JH Football - Tyler Foss

JH Volleyball – Francine Egge-Jansen

JH Boys Basketball – Scott Severance

JH Girls Basketball – Jenny Fiske

JH Track and Field –

AD Broadview School – Chase Soennichsen

AD Lavina School – Francine Egge- Jansen

Superintendent @ Broadview – Doug Pfau

Superintendent @ Lavina – Nicole Hanson

ACTIVITY REQUIREMENTS AND PAPERWORK

- Physical
- Training Rules Form (drug testing, activity rules agreement, coaches agreement)
- Parent / Athlete Concussion Statement (MHSA requirement)
- ImPACT test (Freshman, Juniors, and New Athletes)

AMP – ATHLETIC MEDICINE & PERFORMANCE

- Free to all athletes
- EMT at all home football games
- Provides ImPACT testing
- Visits schools every week
- Athletes are asked to sign up at the office to see the trainer weekly if needed/contact AD

BROADVIEW / LAVINA ACTIVITY FEE

- Students in athletics pay -7 thru 12- \$ 40
- Students in athletics pay -1st thru 6th - \$ 25
- Adults \$65
- Family max \$250

This helps cover yearly costs and grants free entry into all home sporting events.

What we expect of participants, parents, and coaches

- Commitment:** Do what you say you are going to do. Do more than what is expected. Always be truthful. Always support your team.
- Overcome Adversity:** Stay disciplined. Acknowledge your shortcomings and work to improve them. Don't give up. Be Positive.
- Accountability:** Take responsibility for your actions. Go to work. Focus on achieving your goals. Do better.
- Teamwork:** The only way to be a part of a great team/community is to do your part. Care about each other, care about the success of the team and community.
- Sportsmanship:** Treat each other as you would want to be treated. Do what is best for your teammates. Have integrity. Maintain poise.
- Community Service:** Focus on the whole, not yourself. Put the needs of others before your own, serve others to help them grow.

As with any sport, athletes are representatives of their school. All athletes will be expected to follow courteous and sportsmanlike behavior at all games and practices. They will also be responsible for acting in a manner that is safe to themselves and those around them. Disrespecting coaches, athletes and/or officials may result in suspension from the next eligible contest.

All Sports Rules and Guidelines

Broadview/Lavina Schools are members of the Montana High School Association. Broadview/Lavina Co-op will comply with rules and policies set for by MHSA.

CONCUSSION POLICY

- Parents and athletes must sign Concussion Statement form before the first day of practice per MHSA
- Have a baseline ImPact test done for all freshman, juniors, & new HS students
- Follow the “Return to Play Protocol” Must have a doctor’s release to begin “ Return to Play” When in Doubt, Sit them Out!

CELL PHONES

- Absolutely no cell phones in use in the bathrooms or locker rooms.
- Taking a picture of someone in the locker room is a chargeable offense- sending that image to others is an even more serious offense that could involve an FBI investigation.
- Coaches will have discretion to collect cell phones while traveling and at game/competition facilities.

Broadview/Lavina Chain of Command- in accordance with 1700 uniform policy

1. **24 hour rule: Under NO circumstances should you approach a coach after a game.**
2. ENCOURAGE the athlete to talk to his/her coach
3. Parents/athlete meet with the coach
4. Parents/athlete meet with coach and AD
5. Parents/athlete meet with coach, AD, and Superintendent
6. Parents/athlete meet with School Board

Eligibility - (This is in our school policy)

1. A student athlete must be in regular attendance all day to be eligible to participate. If a student athlete is not in school, due to an unexcused absence, at 9:00 A.M., he/she will not practice that night or participate in any of the events for that day.
2. To be eligible to participate in extracurricular activities, all participating student athletes in the Broadview/Lavina Sports Cooperative (grades 5-12) must
 - A. Have a passing grade in all subjects. Student athletes who are failing should make arrangements with that teacher within a week's time for a help session.
 1. Any student athlete with one "F" will lose one week/weekend of participation in games and will not travel with the team.
 2. An "I" grade will be treated the same as an "F." The "I" grade will not be used unless the student athlete has a "D" or lower.
 3. Any student athlete who has two or more "F's" on his/her checklist will not be allowed to practice or participate for one week or travel with the team.
 4. End of Quarter grades will be used for the following week's eligibility list.
 - B. Grades will be checked every Wednesday morning at 8:00 A.M. A list that shows all student athletes with D's, F's, and I's will be made available to staff members by Wednesday afternoon.
 - C. The administrator will contact the parent/guardian of any student athlete whose name is placed on the ineligibility list. If this contact cannot be made by phone, a letter will be mailed to that student athletes parent/guardian.
 - D. Each student athlete must adhere to their own schools dress code policies, this includes during home and away games. Coaches have the discretion to implement their own dress code at the beginning of the season.

Homeschool students are subject to the eligibility standards. Grades will be turned into the athletic director/superintendent on Wednesday morning each week.

- Athletes must be in good standing with their school.
- Doctor notes will be turned in and kept on file with AD.
- All athletes must ride the bus to all events. The bus will leave at exactly the time stated. Plan to be on time. Athletes are only allowed

to leave from an away event with his/her parents. Parents must sign the school's parental sign-off sheet before leaving the event. For alternative travel arrangements, parents must send notice to the school 24 hours prior to the bus departure. This must be approved by the Superintendent or Athletic Director.

- Athletes are responsible for uniforms and equipment assigned to them. If they lose or damage this equipment, they will be responsible for a monetary reimbursement to the schools.
- At the conclusion of the season, athletes will have 10 school days to return uniforms. If uniforms are not returned, a replacement fee will be assessed, \$ 150 for Varsity uniforms. \$ 120 for Junior high.
- Occasionally, practice will get out early, but we will try not to run later than the scheduled time. Athletes will be expected to stay at practice until excused or dismissed by a coach. Arriving late to practice is inexcusable; do not miss the practice bus.
- Missed practices due to school related activities sometimes occur. The athlete will be excused from regular practice in this case.
- If an athlete is out sick the day before a contest, they will not be allowed to attend that contest.
- Athletes must practice every practice session, unless previous arrangements have been made with the coach/AD.
- If a student is not in school or practice, due to an unexcused absence, on the eve of a contest; they will not participate in any of the games at the next sporting event. Athletes will not be allowed to travel with the team.
- Sunday thru Thursday or night before a game curfew is 10:15p.m.
Friday and Saturday night curfew is 12:30 a.m.

Penalties for not following these basic training rules

1. First offense will result in possible exclusion from the next scheduled contest.
2. Second offense will result in possible exclusion from the next two scheduled contests.
3. A third offense is a mandatory meeting with administrators, parents, athletes & coaches.

Athletes will have no use or association with alcohol, drugs, tobacco, and/or tobacco paraphernalia.

1. First offense will be no participation in the next four scheduled contests, but must practice.
2. Second offense is suspension from the team with board approval.

I understand the training rules set forth by the Broadview/Lavina schools, the Co-op board and coaching staff. I give my son/daughter permission to participate in the Broadview-Lavina Athletic program knowing that he/she is expected and responsible for following the rules.

Athlete Name

Sport

Athlete signature

date

Parent signature

date

Please sign and return this form before the first practice. Thank you!