



FALL MEET THE COACHES NIGHT

JUNE 5, 2017 @ 6:30PM

DMA Mess Hall

**Meet all the Fall
Sports Teams
Coaches**

**Learn Important
Dates and Times**

**All athletes Must
have a valid
physical**

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DMA Athletic Department Mission Statement

The mission of the Delaware Military Academy Athletic Department is to provide a healthy and competitive mental and physical environment with a focus on sportsmanship, integrity and personal ethics to enhance the development of a true student-athlete both in and out of the athletic arena.

DMA Athletic Eligibility Requirements

All student-athletes are required to meet the DIAA Academic Eligibility requirements. These can be found at <http://www.doe.k12.de.us/domain/165>; click on 'Handbooks and Manuals.' Below you will find an excerpt pertaining to *Passing Work from the DIAA Manual.*

From DIAA FAQ pertaining to semester block scheduling:

2. How is eligibility determined for students with one-semester and nine-week courses? In order to determine if a student who is taking either a semester course(s) or a nine-week course(s) is passing the equivalent of five (5) credits with two (2) credits in the core academic areas, multiply the credit value of a semester course(s) by a factor of 2 and multiply the credit value of a nine-week course(s) by a factor of 4. Block scheduling would not affect the calculation of credit equivalences.

Requirements are also provided when you click on the link for the DIAA Physical Forms on the Home Page of www.SeahawksSports.com.

**Please note that SENIORS must be passing ALL courses needed to graduate in order to be eligible.*

**Please note the rules for semester block courses. Reference #2 under FAQ Concerning 1009.2.6 on page 11.*

DMA also requires each cadet to maintain a 2.0 GPA for the current marking period in order to participate. If a cadet earns between 1.75 and 1.99 they may be placed on Academic Probation and must meet with the Athletic Director and Head Coach to review a possible academic plan for participation.

Eligibility periods start and end on days that report cards are issued.

Additional Athletic Information

DMA Athletics is a member of Delaware Interscholastic Athletic Association (DIAA) and the Diamond State Athletic Conference (DSAC). The Athletic Director is Michael Ryan and he can be reached at michael.ryan@dma.k12.de.us or 302-998-0745.

DMA offers the following athletic programs. Depending on the number of athletes that express interest, the coach may hold tryouts, in which case, not all participants will be selected for the program.

Fall	Winter	Spring
Cheerleading	Wrestling	Baseball
Football	Indoor Track	Softball
Girls' Volleyball	Swimming	Golf
Boys' Soccer	Ice Hockey	Boys' & Girls' Lacrosse
Girls' Field Hockey	Boys' & Girls' Basketball	Track and Field
Cross Country	Dance Team	Girls' Soccer
		Boys' Volleyball

All athletic information, including schedules, updates, rosters, coaches, etc., may be found at www.seahawkssports.com.



DIAA Pre-Participation Physical Evaluation Information Sheet

- This physical evaluation must be completed after April 1 of the current year playing sports and runs through June 30 of the following year. No exceptions!
 - There has recently been a change to the rule. Please see the bullet point below.
- CHANGE IN DIAA POLICY - What this means is that for a student to be eligible to participate for the 2016-2017 school year they **MUST** have a physical form signed by a licensed physician (MD or DO), a licensed nurse practitioner, or a licensed physician's assistant and dated **ON OR AFTER APRIL 1, 2017** stating that the student has been examined within the last 12 months and is medically cleared by that licensed physician (MD or DO), a licensed nurse practitioner, or a licensed physician's assistant to participate. Please explain this provision to all parents, athletes, coaches and school personnel. A PPE form signed and dated **BEFORE April 1, 2017** is invalid and the athlete is INELIGIBLE.
- The DIAA pre-participation physical evaluation and consents form is a five page document. Pages one, two and four require your signature while page five is a reference for you to keep.
- Pages 1-4 need to be uploaded to the Family ID website and approved by Mr. Ryan, Athletic Director, prior to the Sports Season the cadet plans to participate in.
- It only needs to be handed in once a school year.
- The DIAA Physical is different than the physical required by DMA to attend the school. This physical is for ATHLETICS only. Please contact our school nurse if you have questions regarding the DMA medical documentation.
- Please make sure ALL signatures (cadet, parent, and physician) are complete.



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DMA Athletics Announcement

We are excited to announce that we will soon be offering the convenience of online registration through FamilyID (www.familyid.com). This is a new way for families to register their student-athletes for DMA sports.

You will now be asked to upload your DIAA Physicals, pay your required sports fees and sign off on policies and procedures all using the convenient, safe and secure Family ID website.

FamilyID is a secure registration platform that provides you with an easy, user-friendly way to register for our programs, and helps us to be more administratively efficient and environmentally responsible.

When you register through FamilyID, the system keeps track of your information in your FamilyID profile. You enter your information only once for each family member for multiple uses and multiple sports.

This is an exciting initiative brought to you by DMA Athletics and we hope you are as excited about it as we are.

We hope to have the new system up and running by the end of May so look for new information coming out soon!

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