



Fruita 8-9 School 8th Grade Track 2024

The 2024 track season will begin with practice on **Tuesday, March 26th**. Practices will run from **3:20 – 4:45** Monday – Friday. Students need to be *picked up by 4:50* daily. Each athlete will receive a schedule of events before the meets begin. Fruita will participate in one meet per week. All track meets are at Stocker Stadium and will begin at approximately 3:30. We will use google classroom as a way to communicate with your child as well as you. **Here is the class code to join: uqn007m**

We will be traveling to the meets by school bus. The district has eliminated all return buses for middle school athletics. Fruita 8-9 students are representing our school and are expected to show integrity, respect, ownership, achievement, and responsibility at all times. It is spring and it is the only coed sport so mature behavior is expected with no exceptions! Our school dress code policy will be enforced.

All students need to pay a \$70 athletic fee before the first meet. Payments may be made online at mypaymentsplus.com or in the main office with cash or check.

We will be ordering team t-shirts that may be used as your uniform if you are interested. These shirts are \$10, otherwise athletes will be provided a school jersey (We have decided to go with a fresh new design this year). A sweatshirt and sweatpants are recommended...it's Spring! A water bottle for practice is necessary, students will not be allowed in and out of the school once practice has started.

Eligibility is now a factor. Here is the breakdown:

- 1 "F" = Come to practice and make a plan with Mrs Daniels. Athletes are still eligible to compete.
- 2 "F's" = Come to practice and do homework, not eligible to compete in the weekly meet.

Grades are posted every Monday, so our weekly eligibility will be based on the weekly grade.

Students must hand in this registration packet BEFORE they may practice! Please get it turned in by MARCH 8.

To participate in track at Fruita 8/9 School, you must have the following:

- ☐ *Signed Clearance Form:* To be turned in BEFORE they may practice.
- ☐ *\$70 Athletic Fee:* Must be turned in BEFORE first meet.
- ☐ *Track Agreement Form:* To be turned in BEFORE they may practice.
- ☐ *\$10 T-shirt Fee (only if you are interested):* Must be turned in by March 27th if you want to order.

Shirt orders need to be paid separately from the \$70 athletic fee.

Shirt orders also need to be paid in cash or check and we will not have a place to pay for them online. You can bring your cash/check to the main office.

If you have any questions, please contact Coach Decker, Coach Mabley, or Coach Daniels at Fruita 8-9. 254-6720 EXT 34116

Track Agreement Form



FRUITA 8/9 TRANSPORTATION AGREEMENT

I, _____ (parent or guardian) will be responsible for providing transportation after athletic events for my athlete. My student/athlete must be picked up within 15 minutes of event completion. Fruita 8/9 will provide transportation to all away track meets but will **NOT** provide transportation back to Fruita 8/9. This form must be signed & dated and returned to Fruita 8/9 Athletic office before athletes will be allowed to participate in athletic events.

I have read **and** understand the track information form listed on the previous and this page.

Student Name: _____

Student Signature: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Sign & Return

Track Shirt Order Form (optional)

Name _____

T-Shirt Size (Adult sizes) _____

Number of T-Shirts wanted _____

The deadline for your orders will be March 27th. Make checks out to Fruita 8/9 School. The cost of the shirts are \$10. Money for the shirts needs to be paid **separately** from the \$70 Athletic fee and you cannot purchase the shirt on mypaymentsplus.com

Cash or Check will be accepted in the main office for the shirts.

(FRONT OF SHIRT LOGO) - SHIRT IS A ROYAL BLUE COLOR

SM29M - JERZEES DRI-POWER ACTIVE 50/50 T-SHIRT



Mesa County School District #51

Middle School Athletic Clearance Form

Parent or Guardian: This form must be thoroughly completed and signed before your child will be allowed to practice or compete in extra-curricular activities at his/her middle school.

Student/athletes Name: _____ Date of Birth: ____/____/____

(Print)

School Year: _____ Grade: _____

Emergency Contact Information

Parent or Guardian: _____

(Print)

Parent/Guardian Residence: _____

(Address, City, Zip)

Parent/Guardian phone number: _____ Cell (optional): _____

Emergency Phone Number: _____ Contact Person: _____

Insurance Acknowledgment

Note: Mesa County School District #51 **DOES NOT** carry any form of accident or medical insurance to pay medical costs should your child be injured. Parent/Guardian must carry adequate health and accident insurance or enroll in the district offered insurance in order for the student/athlete to participate in District #51 athletics. If I have insurance changes it is my responsibility to notify the schools Athletic Director or the student/athletes coach. **PLEASE INITIAL BELOW.**

_____ 1. I maintain adequate personal health and accident insurance.

_____ 2. I have enrolled my child in the accident insurance program available through District #51 for the current school year.

I authorize my child's coach and/or sponsor to secure emergency medical treatment in the event of an injury or accident. District #51 coaches and/or sponsors will attempt to contact parents or guardians as to injury and/or accident.

Insurance Company: _____

Insurance Company Phone Number: _____

Medical Concerns

Please indicate below any medical/personal information regarding your child which the coach/sponsor should be aware of. This information will be kept confidential.

(OVER)

Sign Both Sides & Return

Parent or Guardian Permit

Warning: Participation in interscholastic athletics includes a risk of injury which may range in severity from minor to long-term Catastrophic. Student/athletes must obey all safety rules, report all physical problems to a coach, follow a proper conditioning program and inspect their own equipment daily. By signing this permission form, I acknowledge reading and understanding this warning. I hereby give my consent for my child to participate and compete in athletic activities sponsored by school district #51.

Transportation

It is not practical for the district to provide accommodations for all transportation requirements within the valley related to your child's participation. Therefore within the valley, parents/guardians may at times be responsible for transporting student/athletes to and from practices and/or contests.

Media Release Statement

Please check one of the following choices concerning the release of your student/athlete's name, picture, year in school, and other sport team related information that includes websites, print, and video media productions. **PLEASE INITIAL BELOW.**

_____ I agree to any media release of information regarding my student/athlete.

_____ I DO NOT want any picture or sport related information published.

I understand that if I attend a parent meeting regarding athletic participation at the middle school in which my son/daughter will be a participant I will receive a parent/athlete handbook that will outline the philosophy of athletics and other related information in District #51 and the middle schools. You may receive additional information from the individual program in which your son/daughter is involved.

I have read all the information on page 1 and two and have provided accurate information.

Parent/Guardian: _____

(Print)

Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____

(Signature)



Fruita 8/9 TRACK
MARCH - APRIL 2024



Sunday		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		4	5	6	7	8 Paperwork due	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
17	18	SPRING BREAK					23
24	25	First Practice 3:20-4:45	26	PRACTICE 3:20 - 4:45	PRACTICE 3:20 - 4:45	PRACTICE 3:20 - 4:45	30
31	PRACTICE 3:20 - 4:45	1	2	PRACTICE 3:20 - 4:45	PRACTICE 3:20 - 4:45	PRACTICE 3:20 - 4:45	6



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Sunday		Monday		Tuesday		Wednesday		Thursday		Friday		Saturday	
7	PRACTICE 3:20 - 4:45	8	PRACTICE 3:20 - 4:45	9	PRACTICE 3:20 - 4:45	10	Track Meet @ Stocker Stadium 3:30	11	PRACTICE 3:20 - 4:45	12	No School NO PRACTICE	13	
14	Track Meet @ Stocker Stadium 3:30	15	PRACTICE 3:20 - 4:45	16	PRACTICE 3:20 - 4:45	17	PRACTICE 3:20 - 4:45	18	PRACTICE 3:20 - 4:45 TEAM PICTURES	19	PRACTICE 3:20 - 4:45	20	
21	PRACTICE 3:20 - 4:45	22	PRACTICE 3:20 - 4:45	23	PRACTICE 3:20 - 4:45	24	PRACTICE 3:20 - 4:45	25	Track Meet @ Stocker Stadium 3:30	26	PRACTICE 3:20 - 4:45	27	
28	PRACTICE 3:20 - 4:45	29	PRACTICE 3:20 - 4:45	30	District Track Meet @ Stocker Stadium 1:00 Field Events 2:30 Running Events	1		23		24		25	
26		27		28		29		30		31			