

Dear Parents/Guardians,

The Gates Chili Athletic Office would like to update you on the status of participation in fall athletics for the 2020 season. This update applies to Modified, JV and Varsity fall offerings.

## **FALL SPORTS**

- The schedule of athletic participation is currently unknown, but the district is preparing for JV and Varsity fall sports to begin in August 24, 2020.
- Modified football will begin August 24, 2020
- All other modified sports would begin September 9, 2020
- The athletic office and district coaching staff are discussing Return to Play summer workout protocols for each sport in accordance with approved NYSPHSAA guidelines.
- Despite approved start dates for fall athletics, schedule adjustments could occur with additional guidance from New York State and the NYSPHSAA.

## **REGISTRATION**

- Registration for fall sports will be through FamilyID, the district's on-line registration program.
- For fall sports only, health/physical examinations completed during the 2018-2019 & 2019-2020 school years will be accepted.
- Parents/guardians will be required to complete and update a Health History questionnaire in FamilyID as part of our regular medical clearance process for the fall season.
- JV and Varsity registration for fall sports will begin on Friday, July 24, 2020.
- Modified football registration will begin Friday, July 24, 2020
- All other modified registrations for fall sports will begin Sunday, August 9, 2020.
- Instructions for completing a FamilyID registration can be found using the link:

<https://www.gateschili.org/Domain/304>

Please take a moment to review the Athletic page from the Gates Chili website for additional information, including fall offerings for our students 7-12<sup>th</sup> grade students: <https://www.gateschili.org/Page/16795>

If you have any additional questions, please contact the athletic office:

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For specific questions about each program, the contact list for athletic coaches can be found at the following link: <https://www.gateschili.org/Domain/315>

The Athletic Office will continue to provide additional information, as necessary. You can also follow us on Twitter @GCSDSpartans for updates.