

HOWLAND LOCAL SCHOOLS INSURANCE WAIVER FORM 2011 - 2012

HOWLAND SCHOOLS DO NOT CARRY INSURANCE FOR YOUR SON OR DAUGHTER

Parents mistakenly believe the school carries medical insurance for accidents that occur at school. A voluntary accidental insurance program is available on an individual basis through McKinstry and Associates, Phone 330-426-2290.


The following is a list of student insurance you can purchase through this student insurance program:

Insurance	Economy Plan	Basic Plan	Deluxe Plan
School Time Insurance	\$22.00	\$40.00	\$75.00
Around the Clock Coverage	\$95.00	\$169.00	\$245.00
Football Coverage 9-12 Only	\$159.00	\$259.00	\$355.00

The OHSAA does provide catastrophic insurance for athletes in case of accidental death while participating in an OHSAA sanctioned event. It is important that your athlete has accidental medical insurance coverage!

By signing this waiver you are stating that you have your own medical insurance or that you will contact an insurance agent before you allow your child to participate.

Student's Name _____ Grade _____

 Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____


HOWLAND LOCAL SCHOOLS ATHLETIC CODE OF CONDUCT

Illegal substances are detrimental to the performance of the athlete. The use of illegal substances both on and off the athletic field is destructive to a healthy lifestyle. The athlete must respect his mind and body and commit to the best performance possible in both athletics and life.

Athletics is a privilege for each participating individual. We expect our athletes to be diligent in preparation, relentless in effort, disciplined in nature, respectful in actions, self-controlled in words, humble in spirit and aggressive in the pursuit of excellence without regard to score, opponent, time or referee. Below are the rules and regulations that must be followed to participate in Howland:

1. No selling, or distributing any alcohol or drugs.
First Offense: Immediate dismissal from the team for the remainder of the season.
2. No possession or use of alcohol, drugs, or any other mood altering chemicals.
First Offense: Suspension from participation in the next interscholastic event not to include practice or scrimmage. The athlete will also be required to participate in an assessment program. He/ she will be excused from practice to attend the program. Failure to meet this requirement will result in immediate dismissal from the team for the remainder of the season and also prohibit the student from participation on any other athletic team until the obligation is met.
Second Offense: Immediate dismissal from the team for the remainder of the season.
3. The use of tobacco in any form (smoking or chewing) is prohibited.
First Offense: Suspension from participation in the interscholastic event. (The athlete will be expected to participate in all practices and attend an educational program on tobacco use.)
4. An athlete represents more than himself/herself. Since the athlete represents the team, school and community, his/her conduct must reflect that responsibility. Rules of grooming are also necessary to maintain health standards in the locker room and in use of equipment. It is clearly understood that each coach will enforce grooming rules as necessary for his/her sport.
5. Every athlete will meet the rules and regulations including eligibility rules of our governing body, the OHSAA.
6. If a coach requires additional rules and regulations for his/her school they must be given to the athlete and approved and placed on file by the activities director.

The Howland Local School District believes that by following the above rules and procedures our athletes will create a positive self image, gain peer acceptance, learn self control, and self discipline and establish a positive set of values for future involvement in society. By signing the rules outlined in the Howland Local Schools Code of Conduct you are stating that you understand the rules as outlined.

 Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____