

Alberta Schools' Athletic Association

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## Memo

To: ASAA Member Schools Date: September 29, 2023

From: Brad Van Raalte, Assistant Executive Director

cc: John Paton, Executive Director

Re: SRS Update

## **ASAA Member Schools**

There have been many glitches and bugs corresponding with our new SRS and we thank you all for your patience during what has been a frustrating time for all of us. If you are still noticing things that are not right, please contact <a href="mailto:meghan@asaa.ca">meghan@asaa.ca</a>. and we will assist you, or forward your concerns to our developers for resolution.

Please consult the <u>SRS Instructions</u> document before contacting <u>info@asaa.ca</u> with any questions on how to use the SRS.

Here are some further updates and requests.

**PROJECTION NUMBERS:** For those schools which did not input their projection numbers, we will be using your September 30 enrollment numbers (due October 10) for billing purposes.

**SCHOOL REGISTRATION:** Please make registering your school a top priority.

**TEAM REGISTRATION:** Register all of your fall sports teams!

This includes JV teams: we want JV teams registered for these reasons:

1. Some schools pull JV players up for provincials; this is permitted but only if you have registered your JV team.







- 2. Posting scores: smaller schools often play meaningful games against JV teams of larger schools and want to be able to post these scores. If a JV team is not registered, the score may be incorrectly posted as a varsity team score.
- 3. The higher the number of students registered, the more accurate our numbers are when reporting.
- 4. The higher the number, the higher the likelihood of receiving grants, sponsorships, etc.

**GOLF:** Even though provincials have already occurred, please ensure all golfers are registered in SRS by October 5. **We will not be enforcing late registration fees for golf.** Participation numbers are a key variable when creating partnerships and are important for reporting purposes.

**CROSS COUNTRY**: You must register your cross country team in SRS by October 5. The SRS will communicate all registered athletes to MileSplit. Due to unforeseen circumstances, there is a delay between the SRS and MileSplit which may mean your athletes will not show up in MileSplit until October 6.

**DEADLINES**: Factoring in the delay in the SRS, please note that the following deadlines have been changed for this year only:

Football and Volleyball - October 15 (same as final deadline to add students and coaches)

- note: the football opt-up deadline will also be October 15, except Tier I - Brian Fryer: that deadline remains October 1. Opt-ups must be done via SRS; if you need help or just want to ensure your opt-up has been received, please contact <a href="mailto:brad@asaa.ca">brad@asaa.ca</a> ASAP.

All other deadlines (including October 10 school registrations) will not be changed.

**JOINT TEAMS:** One reason for changing the football and volleyball deadlines is that this feature is not yet ready and joint teams have impact on tiers/classifications. We will send another memo when this has been launched. In the meantime, please fill out this form.

**PRINCIPAL & STUDENT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORMS:** <u>These</u> must be signed and kept on file at your school office; the principals forms also need to go to your zone secretary. Please respect that these forms are legal requirements and not just a formality.

**TRANSFERS**: For those who transferred students outside of the SRS via email with the Compliance Officer, remember that you now have to put the forms through SRS.

**POSTING SCORES (1A/2A/3A volleyball)**: A reminder that there will now be rankings for all classifications of volleyball, so all teams are required to input scores. Please do your best to input the results of all games, however, the volleyball ranking committees may only factor in results that have occurred since the SRS launch.

**POSTING SCORES (Tier 1 Brian Fryer football and 4A volleyball)**: Schools are expected to post all results that have occurred prior to launch into the SRS.