

SMWS Athletics Athletic Intentions

It is my intention to participate in the sport or sports of _____ at Shining Mountain Waldorf School.

I understand that the privilege of athletic participation comes with the responsibility of representing Shining Mountain with honor and dignity. Furthermore, I shall strive for virtue on and off the field of play and accountability for ethical conduct will become a source of pride.

I understand that athletic participation provides a special opportunity to learn about teamwork. The lessons of solidarity, self-sacrifice, and collaboration are predicated on all members of a team agreeing to certain expectations and norms; the most basic of which is “showing up”. By joining a team, I become accountable not only to myself, but to my teammates and coaches. Furthermore, I agree to adhere to the following commitment expectations:

- Participation for the duration of the season
- Be present and on time for all practices and games
- Notify the coach of absences or anticipated lateness in advance
- Adherence to the Athletic Eligibility Requirements

I understand that as a student-athlete, I am a student first, and athlete second, therefore when conflicts occur between school obligations, *this includes music lessons*, and team events, I will be expected to honor my commitment to my academics over my athletics.

I also understand that I am responsible for the uniforms and all other pieces of clothing checked out to me. I understand that I am to return the same pieces with the same number that were assigned to me. If I fail to return all of these pieces, I understand that my family will be billed for the cost of their replacement.

I have received, and read, the Academic Eligibility Requirements, and I am willing to abide by these guidelines. Further, I will follow good rules of mental and bodily hygiene to assure that I am prepared for competition.

Signature: _____

Print your name: _____

Parent's Signature: _____

Date: _____