

**WAUNAKEE COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF EDUCATION CO-CURRICULAR COMMITTEE MEETING**

Tuesday, December 3, 2024

7:30 AM

Waunakee Community School District
905 Bethel Circle
Waunakee, WI 53597

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Public comments will be limited to 3 minutes. The Board will allow 30 Minutes for public comments.

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If you would like to address the Board in-person during the public comments section of the meeting, you will be greeted in the lobby of the building, asked to check in with District personnel when you arrive so that you can be recognized and address the Board when your name is called.

A recording of the meeting will be posted on the District webpage within 24 hours of the meeting time.

AGENDA

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

III. APPROVE THE AGENDA

IV. PUBLIC COMMENTS

V. CO-CURRICULAR REPORT

Attached please find the Fall Co-Curricular Report. Athletic Director, Nick Conrad, will be present at the Co-Curricular Committee to share this report and answer any questions.

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VIII. ADJOURN

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WAUNAKEE

COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL

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Fall Athletic Participation Summary

2024-25

Fall 2024-25 Badger Conference Champions

Girls Cross Country



Fall 2024-25 Badger Conference Champions

Girls Volleyball

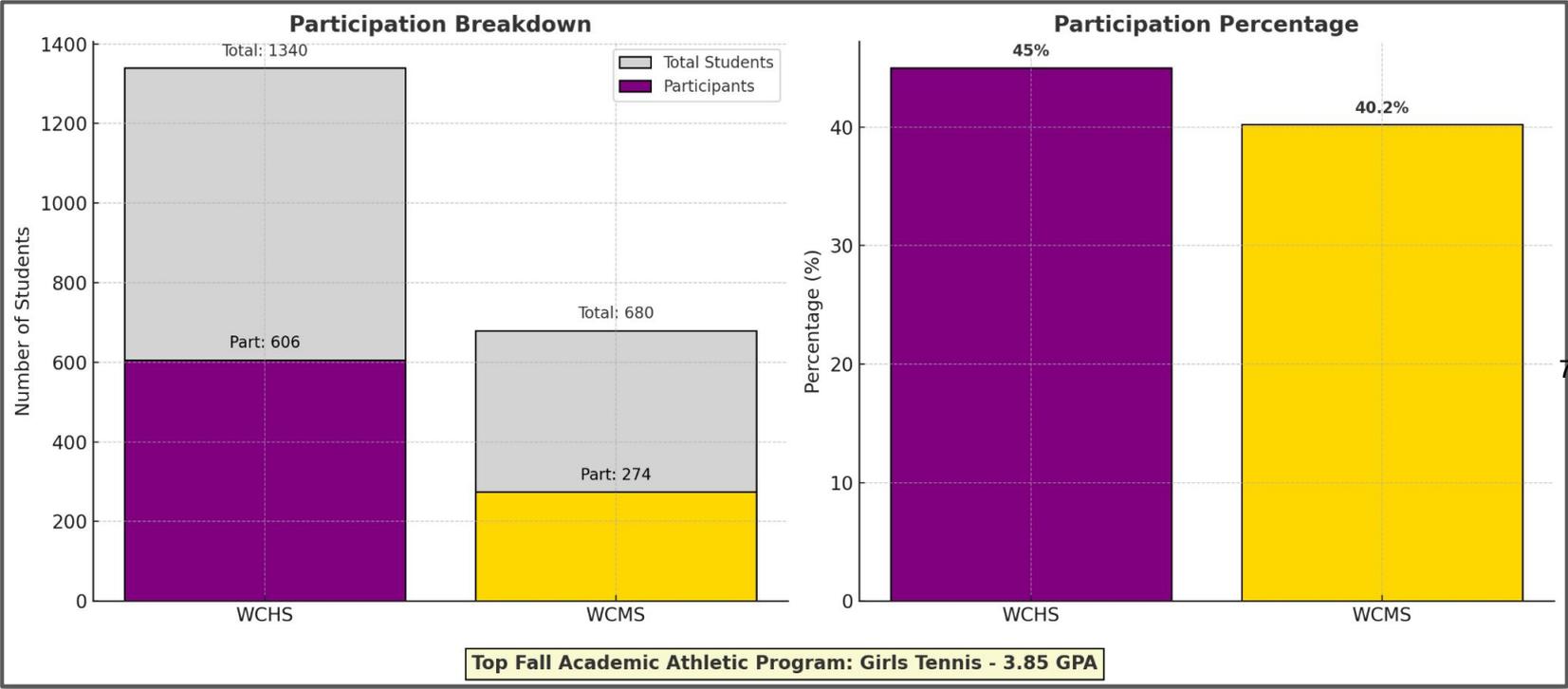


Fall 2024-25 Badger Conference Champions

Football

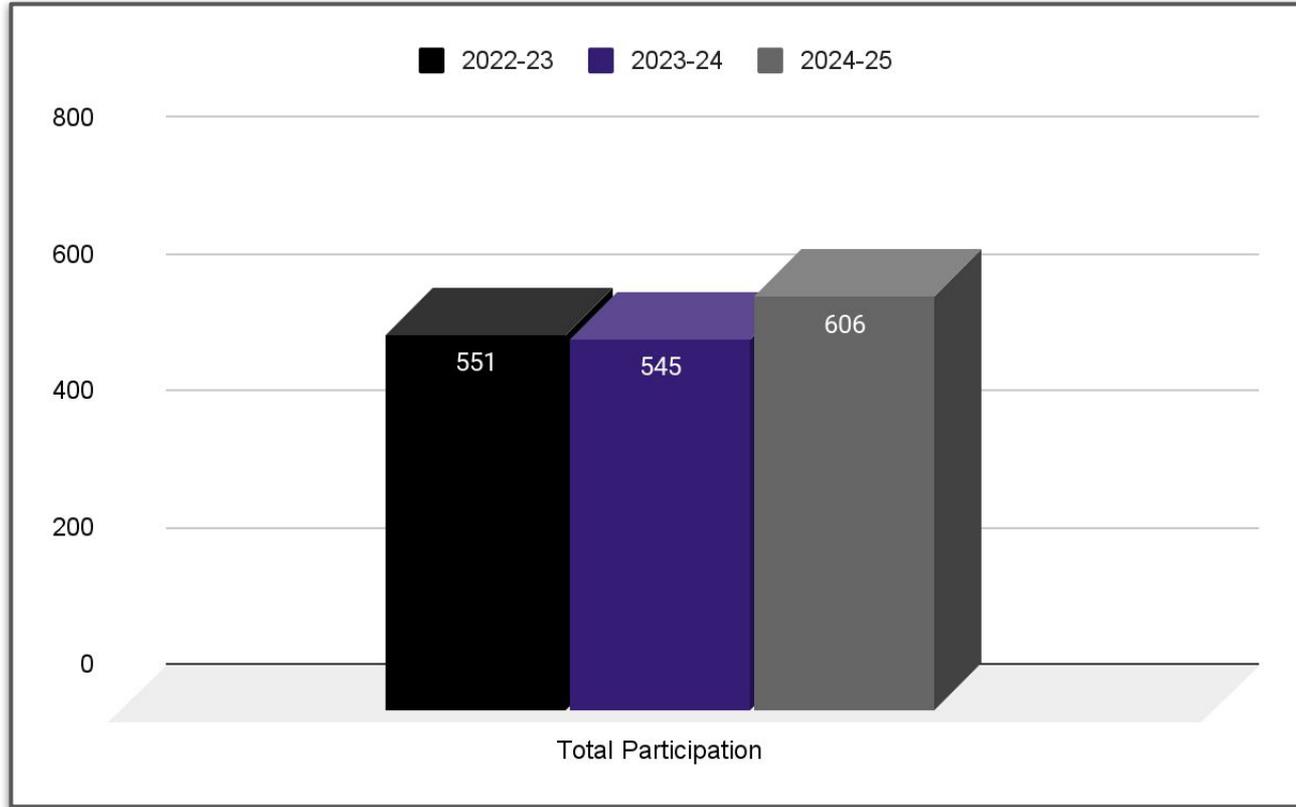


Celebrate Our Student Athletes





WCCHS Student Body Participation Comparison





Highlights

- Football
 - Badger Conference Champions
 - 26 all-conference members
 - Will Phebus, Vance Johnson, McCoy Smith - Position-specific players of the year
 - Chris Graverson - Coach of the Year
- Boys Soccer
 - Four all-conference members
- Girls Volleyball
 - Badger Conference Champions
 - Six all-conference members
 - Anne Denkert - Coach of the Year
- Girls Golf
 - Three all-conference members
- Girls Swim
 - 200 Medley Relay
- Cross Country
 - Badger Conference Champions (Girls)
 - D1 State Qualifier (Girls)
 - Seven all-conference members
 - Heather Raffel - Coach of the Year



Athletic Department Updates - December 2024

- **Collaboration & Support:**
 - Sean Gehrke and his efforts to assist with the boys volleyball program this fall. His passion for the sport of boys volleyball and communicating with families made this first season a success.

- **Upcoming Projects:**
 - The Coaches Handbook will be reviewed in collaboration with interested coaches. This will come forward for Board approval in the spring of 2025.
 - We are working on filling the following head coaching vacancies: Boys Tennis (spring), Girls Tennis (fall), and Boys Soccer (fall).
 - Spring Warrior Stadium scheduling challenges are ahead with middle school track, high school, track, and boys/girls lacrosse all needing that space, due to no middle school track for the next two seasons.
 - Dialogue with EUA continues in regards to an overall athletic master plan. Each coach has had opportunities to provide input into wants and needs for their programs.

- **Announcements:**
 - Paul Miller (Girls Golf) was nominated as the National Federation of High Schools (NFHS) Coach of the Year. The selection is later this year.
 - Football would move back to D2 next year for the WIAA playoffs, pending the D1/D2 enrollment cutline.



WAUNAKEE

COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL

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(608) 849-2100

October 2024

TO: Dr. Kelsey-Brown
Board of Education Members
Co-Curricular Committee Members

FROM: Brian Borowski

RE: Waunakee Pickleball Club Request
Brian Lussier

I received a request from Mr. Brian Lussier who is interested in forming a High School Pickleball Club. Mr. Lussier, a Math Instructor at the High School, would be the club advisor. Mr. Lussier is aware that his role would be a non-paid position for the first three years of being an active club.

Approximately 130 students have shown interest in being part of this club. The student members would meet on a regular basis, learn the rules of Pickleball, and develop the skills to play the game in friendly competition.

I approve of Mr. Lussier's request and ask that you consider approving it at the next Co-Curricular Meeting.

Thank you for your time.

**NEW CO-CURRICULAR PROGRAM
Guidelines/Proposal
BOE Policy 370-Rule (4)**

****Initial Request are due by October 31st to the BOE Co-Curricular Committee****

Name of Organization: Wauwatake Pickleball Club

Contact Person: Brian Lusster, Morgan Sawinski, Mayer Phone: 608-849-2100
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Date of Request: 09/12/24

I.) Students & Staffing

- a. Demonstration of interest by student body.
 - 1. Please attach a written list of students who have signed up or are interested.
 - 2. Date of student/parent meeting: TBD
 - 3. Prospect of long term participation and student involvement:
Pickleball is growing interest over
130 students expressed interest already

- b. Coach/Advisor/Director: Brian Lusster
(or Names of potential coach/advisor/director)

- c. Description of Group Activities:
learn and play pickleball and have
friendly competition

II.) Budget Implications

- a. Are district funds being requested? Yes No

- b. If yes: approximately how much is being requested? _____

- c. Are you requesting a paid advisor position after a three-year review period?
 Yes No

- d. Is there Booster Club support/funding? Yes No

III.) Facilities

a. What District Facilities are needed for this program?

intermediate school gym

b. Are there any safety/liability factors for the student/district? Yes No

If Yes, please explain:

chance of injury since it's a sport

Principal/Activities Director

Signature: [Handwritten Signature]

Date: 9-25-24

District Administrator

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Approval by BOE:

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Adopted: July 2004
District

Waunakee Community School

Revised: August 2009