

# Short Sports Seasons

In more than 20 years as an Athletic Director, none was more challenging than 2020-21. We made plans over countless meetings that were postponed or cancelled, over and over again, based on recommendations from the State Department of Health and the Governor. Watching other states compete around the nation with very few setbacks, gave our students an added level of frustration.

Once we were given the green-light to begin workouts in the fall, our

coaches, led by Mark Rickard, started the process of getting our COVID-sequestered students back in shape, both physically and mentally. While there were pauses and speed bumps along the way, we strived to help our student-athletes anyway we could.

The day finally came when we could begin our fall sports season – on February 10th. Some good weather made for a brief but rewarding schedule for our cross country, soccer and volleyball teams. We

transitioned into spring sports (track, golf and tennis) at the start of April and then to basketball in mid-May. While our seasons were short and lacked any statewide playoffs, they provided a much needed outlet for those who love to compete. We look forward to a more normal sports experience in the fall.

– Ryan Peplinski, Athletic Director,  
COVID Coordinator &  
Boys' Basketball Coach

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