

# NOBLE ACADEMY VARSITY ATHLETICS

Welcome Knights! It is my pleasure to welcome all our athletes and their families to the 2011 - 2012 athletic season. We have a great group of returning seniors and with all of our new athletes and their families, Noble Academy is looking forward to a great year in sports. For those families that are new to us, we have 7 varsity sports at Noble Academy:

<i>Cross Country</i>	<i>August – October</i>
<i>Soccer</i>	<i>August – October</i>
<i>Volleyball</i>	<i>August - October</i>
<i>Basketball</i>	<i>October – February</i>
<i>Cheerleading</i>	<i>October - February</i>
<i>Golf</i>	<i>February – May</i>
<i>Tennis</i>	<i>February – May</i>

Each student (grades 9-12) is welcome to participate in any or all of our sports with the exception being volleyball, which is reserved for only our female athletes. To participate, **you must have a current sport physical** registered with the athletic director. Athletes may not practice without a current physical so we encourage you to take care of this as soon as possible.

Athletes must have a willingness to compete and challenge yourself and a good positive attitude. Participation is also linked to classroom behavior and homework compliance so excellence in the classroom is expected of all of our athletes. Details are available in your student handbook. We strive to give our Knights the best athletic experience possible.

Our home games are played at the Spears YMCA and we compete in away games both nearby in Greensboro and on the road as far away as Virginia and Asheville. Uniforms will be provided by your Knights Athletic Department and family support and encouragement is greatly appreciated. Most events are free to attend with a small fee required during basketball games.

Our fall sports are cross – country, soccer and volleyball; an organizational meeting will be held the first week of school for each of these sports. Head coaches for our fall sports are as follows:

*Cross country – Tim Montgomery*  
*Volleyball – Doug Long*  
*Soccer – To be announced*

Again, welcome everyone and I look forward to meeting you all and enjoying a great year of KNIGHTS athletics.

Sincerely,  
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Noble Academy  
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