

**New Fairfield Public Schools**  
**Athletic Fee Information**  
**February 15, 2024**

Within the athletic budget, there are two items that are in place to help offset non-payroll expenses in the athletics budget: Pay-to-play and gate receipts.

**Pay-to-Play:**

Pay-to-play Fees are set at \$150 per season. Athletic participation fees are estimated to be approximately \$95,000 each year.

Other SWC schools with pay-to-play fees are as follows:

Bethel - \$150

Joel Barlow - \$65

Masuk - \$300

Newtown - \$160

Pomperaug - \$150

Weston - \$100

**Gate Receipts:**

Gate Receipts are set at \$12,000 each year. Gate receipt, combined with pay-to-play revenue, generates \$107,000 to help offset the cost of running our interscholastic athletic program. This includes, but is not limited to, reducing the cost of officials, event supervision, transportation, dues, entry fees, supplies, and equipment.

Gate receipts beyond \$12,000 are placed in a student activity fund for athletics. These funds are used for things outside of the athletics budget. An example of this was the recent purchase of banners for the new gymnasium that cost over \$4,000. This money is also used to take students to conferences and other programming for our student-athletes. If we have a need for equipment or supplies that are not covered in the initial budget, this money can help assist with that as well.

Our admission prices are comparable to other schools in the Southwest Conference. We also charge for the least amount of sports in the league. In addition to this, we do offer a discounted season pass for both adults and senior citizens/students. This past winter, a season pass for an adult was \$50 and provided entry into all home basketball contests for boys and girls. The senior citizen/student pass was offered for \$30. There were 19 home contests this year which means that students would pay less than \$2 per game and adults less than \$3 per game. If an adult could only come to half the games (assuming they would go watch their child on the road), it was still \$5 per game if a season pass was purchased.

## SWC Admission Prices

School	Sports that Collect admission	Cost
Bethel	Football, Girls Basketball and Boys Basketball, field hockey, boys and girls soccer, b/g lax V games on turf 6PM or later	\$8 adult \$5 student on Go Fan \$10 adults and \$5 students cash
Brookfield	All Varsity Football games, All Varsity Basketball games, State tournament that we qualify to charge admission	\$5 adults, \$3 students on Go Fan \$10 and \$8 cash
Bunnell	<b>Fall Sports:</b> Varsity Football, Boys Varsity Soccer, Girls Varsity Soccer, Varsity Girls Volleyball, Varsity Girls Swimming <b>Winter Sports:</b> Boys Varsity Basketball, Girls Varsity Basketball, Wrestling, Boy's Swimming <b>Spring Sports:</b> Boys Varsity Lacrosse	\$6 adults, \$3 students & senior citizens online
Immaculate	Football, Boys and Girls Basketball, Hockey (Go Fan Only Basketball and Hockey) Football Cash at Gate	\$5(\$1 fee) adults, \$3 (\$1 fee) students/senior citizens Gofan presale
Joel Barlow	All Varsity Football games All Varsity night games on the Stadium (start time 6:00pm or later) including Boys/Girls Soccer, Field Hockey, and Boys/Girls Lacrosse All Varsity Basketball games	\$5 adult \$3 student, senior citizen and children 6 y/o and under free
Kolbe	<b>Fall sports-</b> Girls Volleyball <b>Winter Sports-</b> Boys Basketball, Girls Basketball <b>Spring Sports-</b> Volleyball	Basketball- Adults \$8.00/Seniors & HS Students \$5.00/KC Students \$2.00 Volleyball- \$5 Adults, \$3 senior citizen & HS students. \$2 KC HS students
Masuk	Football, Boys Basketball, Girls Basketball	\$5 adult, \$2 students and senior citizen
New Fairfield	Football and Basketball (Admission begins prior to JV) - Annual Wrestling Tournament	\$8 adults, \$4 students/senior citizens online presale on GoFan, \$10 adults and \$5 students at gate

New Milford	Varsity Home Events that start after 5:00 p.m. for the following sports: Football, Field Hockey, Boys and Girls Soccer, Boys and Girls Lacrosse, Boys and Girls Basketball, Ice Hockey, Girls Volleyball, Gymnastics, Wrestling.	GoFan \$5 Adults, \$3 Students, Senior Citizens Free, Cash option at the gate of \$7 Adults, \$5 Students
Newtown	All Varsity Football games, All Varsity night games on Stadium Field (7pm Starts) Boys & Girls Soccer, Field Hockey, Boys & Girls Lax, All Varsity Basketball games and wrestling matches.	\$8 Adult \$5 Students on GoFan and also cash option
Notre Dame	<b>Fall:</b> Football (GoFan only) <b>Winter:</b> Basketball, Hockey (GoFan only)	Adult \$10/ Student and Seniors \$5/ 12 and under free
Pomperaug	Varsity football, field hockey, boys and girls soccer, boys and girls volleyball, boys and girls swimming, boys and girls basketball, wrestling, boys and girls lacrosse	\$5 adults, \$3 students/senior citizens online sale on GoFan, \$7 adults and \$5 students at gate
Stratford	Varsity football, boys and girls soccer, boys and girls basketball, wrestling, lacrosse and night-time baseball and softball games	\$6 adults, \$3 students & senior citizens online; \$8 Adult \$5 Students & Seniors at the gate
Weston	Football, Boys Basketball, Girls Basketball	\$5 adult \$2 student & senior citizen online; \$10 adult \$5 student and senior citizen cash at the gate