



Foley Public Schools Activities Department Update - June 22, 2026

Greetings from the Foley Public Schools Activities Department,

Junior High Fall Start Dates

The activities calendar for next fall is different than in previous years. Due to the Labor Day being so far into September and the dates of MEA not being moved back a week to accommodate for this, the start dates for Fall Junior High Activities will need to be adjusted accordingly. Past practice has been to not start Junior High Activities prior to the start of school. This will not be an option this year due to the aforementioned reasons. This will keep us in line with other districts and allow for the students to have the appropriate number of practices prior to their first scheduled contest. This will potentially create some transportation issues but each individual activity will plan a practice schedule that will attempt to minimize the challenges for both students and parents. Below are the start dates and first competitions for our Fall Activities.

Cross Country:

First 7th/8th Grade Competition: 8/31/26
Start Date: 8/17/26

Football

First 7th/8th Grade Competition: 9/10/26
Start Date: 8/31/26

Swimming/Diving:

First 7th/8th Grade Competition: 9/1/26
Start Date: 8/17/26

Girls Tennis:

First 7th/8th Grade Competition: 8/31/26
Start Date: 8/24/26

Volleyball:

First 7th/8th Grade Competition: 9/1/26
Start Date: 8/24/26

Weight Room Installation Date

The equipment for the new weight room is scheduled to ship from Dynamic Fitness on August 11, 2026. The anticipated installation date will either be the 11th or with a day or two of shipping. Installation only takes one day. Between now and the date of equipment installation the room will be repainted and have a few branding updates completed as well. Mustang Signs will help with the donor wall, signage, and a few additional cosmetic updates to the weight room.

Coaching Vacancies

There are still a few coaching vacancies for the 2026-27 school year. Both the current and incoming Activities Director are working together in order to fill these positions. The highest priority is the Head Girls Swimming and Diving position. Proper attention will continue to be given to ensure that this position is filled in a timely fashion.

Thank You,
Eric Inglis