



## IHSAA and MaxPreps Partnership

The IHSAA has partnered with MaxPreps to efficiently collect schedules, scores, rosters and team photos, to highlight member school information. MaxPreps' industry leading platform provides schools with various desktop, tablet and mobile options to keep their team information accurate. Once team information is submitted to MaxPreps it will be automatically made available to the IHSAA.

### Frequently Asked Questions

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1. **What do coaches need to do?** In order to accurately manage important IHSAA initiatives, coaches are required to enter their team rosters and team photos on MaxPreps. Coaches are also required to enter their scores into MaxPreps immediately after each game throughout the season to help compile accurate regular-season standings and statewide leaderboards and post-season seeding.
2. **How do coaches sign up to get free access to their administrative account on MaxPreps for the first time?** Coaches or Athletic Directors can follow [this link](#) to become a MaxPreps member and follow the prompts to request their unique access code. Your one-time access code will identify you as the coach or AD with permission to your team/school account. You can enter this access code in the "Set up Admin Accounts" link of your member account profile page.
3. **Can coaches allow a team statistician or assistant coach to help manage their team information?** Yes! Once the coach has access to their team admin page, they can give other individuals access to their page to help keep their team information accurate.
4. **What if I already have a MaxPreps account?** Coaches and ADs with an existing account will simply need to continue submitting information.
5. **What do Athletic Directors need to do?** Athletic Directors simply need to clearly communicate with coaches to keep their scores and other team information updated on MaxPreps. ADs should direct any new coaches or coaches currently not using MaxPreps to contact MaxPreps at 800-329-7324 x1 or [support@maxpreps.com](mailto:support@maxpreps.com), to sign up immediately.

6. **Can Athletic Directors control their MaxPreps team pages, if desired?** Yes. Athletic Directors can control every single team page from their free “School Administration” page on MaxPreps. While MaxPreps recommends coaches are responsible for their own team information, MaxPreps provides 100% free reporting, communication and school management tools for athletic directors, if desired. In order to gain access to your school administration page, please contact MaxPreps at [support@maxpreps.com](mailto:support@maxpreps.com), to sign up today.
  7. **Which sports are included in the partnership?** At this time, football, girls’ volleyball, boys’ and girls’ basketball, boys’ and girls’ soccer, baseball and softball are included for score and statistics entry. All sports are required to enter team rosters and team photos.
  8. **What about other sports?** Coaches from any other sports may still choose to use MaxPreps’ free platform.
  9. **Is MaxPreps compatible with other stat programs?** In addition to MaxPreps’ own mobile, tablet and desktop tools, MaxPreps is compatible with more than 80 different stat companies across multiple sports.
  10. **Does MaxPreps have an app to manage team information?** Yes! An app called Teams by MaxPreps is coming soon and will be available to download for both iPhone and Android devices. ADs and Coaches will be able to communicate directly with athletes and parents, sync their game schedule to their phone’s calendar, enter complete schedules, rosters, scores, stats and more. Visit [maxpreps.com/teams](http://maxpreps.com/teams) for more information.
  11. **How can fans participate with their teams?** This season the IHSAA is encouraging all teams to assign Official Team Reporter responsibilities to a trusted program volunteer. The **MaxPreps fan app** allows the program volunteer to provide live scoring updates on their mobile device during the game, to keep your high school community engaged and informed. All scores and updates will be available statewide on the IHSAA Scoreboard. The app is available for [iOS devices](#) and [Android devices](#).
  12. **What do I label my game type as?** All games should be labeled as conference, non-conference, conference tournament (Idaho’s districts) or tournament. **Do not label games as “playoff”.** In Idaho, the state tournament games are considered “playoffs”.
  13. **What is the consequence for school’s that do NOT enter game results/scores?** All regular season and district tournament game scores must be entered by each member school on MaxPreps by midnight, Pacific Time, on the Saturday preceding the state tournament. Schools that fail to meet this deadline will be fined \$1,500 per sport. Any scores submitted or modified after the deadline will not be included in the final rankings.
  14. **Who can I contact with additional questions?** Coaches and ADs may contact MaxPreps Idaho representative Alisa Dancer at [alisa.dancer@playonsports.com](mailto:alisa.dancer@playonsports.com), or may direct questions to MaxPreps coach support at [support@maxpreps.com](mailto:support@maxpreps.com), or 800-329-7324 x1. MaxPreps also has a support website at [support.maxpreps.com](http://support.maxpreps.com) that can help answer specific questions such as how to enter a schedule or a roster, or how to upload a team photo, etc.
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