

Welcome to the  
Sports Orientation Night  
@  
Braden River HS  
2023-24 School Year

**WE  
ARE** **3R**  
**ATHLETICS**

Athletic Director

Matt Nesser

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# BRHS Administration

- Principal-Carl Auckerman
- Assistant Principal-Matt Whelden
- Assistant Principal-Rebecca Austerman
- Assistant Principal-Laura Gonzales

# Sports



- **Fall Sports:** Boys & Girls Cross Country, Boys & Girls Golf, Boys & Girls Swimming, Football, and Volleyball
- (Fall Sports start/tryout date-July 31)
  
- **Winter Sports:** Boys & Girls Basketball, Cheerleading, Boys & Girls Soccer, Girls Weightlifting, and Wrestling
  
- **Spring Sports:** Baseball, Softball, Boys & Girls Tennis, Boys & Girls Track & Field, Boys Weightlifting, Flag Football, Beach Volleyball

# Athlete Expectations

Braden River HS foundation was built on:

- Academics-Student-Athletes First (2.0 GPA)
- Sportsmanship-Privilege not a right
- High Character (180 school Day Suspension)
- Positive Attitude
- Respect
- Loyalty
- Teamwork

# Athletic Paperwork Online

Athletic Clearance-Athleticclearance.com

1. Physical-EL2 (Revised 4/23) Upload online
2. EL3-Consent Forms (Revised 3/23) Electronic signatures
3. Everyone needs to register through Athletic Clearance
4. Mandatory Supplemental Insurance/Participation Fee  
(2023-24 school year)
5. Policy 36 & 37-Athletic interest & Impermissible Benefits
6. Athletic Booster Membership-Parent driven so get involved

**\*\*All forms need to be completed online, Insurance & booster membership handed into Coaches, Front Office or AD\*\***

**Below is a helpful video for parents to follow:**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gYdu1-cRJjk>

**Helpful Instructions for parents:**

### **Online Athletic Clearance**

1. Visit [AthleticClearance.com](https://AthleticClearance.com). Click on the Florida Picture.
2. Click on “Create an Account” and follow steps. Or Sign in if you have previously created an account. Watch tutorial video if help is needed.
3. Register. PARENTS register with valid email username and password.
4. Login using your email address that you registered with.
5. Select “Start Clearance Here” to start the process.
6. Choose the School Year in which the student plans to participate (Example: Football in Sept 2023 would be the 2023-2024 School Year).

# Physical Form

EL2-Please fill out completely online

Page 4-uploaded to athletic clearance site, Doctor signature, dated with  
Doctor/Physician stamp/address for athletic clearance

\*\*MTC Main Campus is offering Free Physicals July 29<sup>th</sup> (1<sup>st</sup> 1000 people)

**\*\*Physicals offered at SMH Urgent Care at the  
Heritage Harbor and University Ave locations\*\***



# EL3 Consent Forms

- (Revised 3/23)-Read, sign & date all forms online-5 pages (videos)
- (Consent and Release from Liability, Concussion, Cardiac Arrest & Heat related Illness)

# Insurance Form

This is **Supplemental Insurance/Participation Fee** in case of an injury and it could possibly cover what family primary insurance does not. Family insurance is used first.

- Pay by Check (made out to BRHS), Cash or online with below link
  - <https://manateeschools.revtrak.net/high-schools/braden-river-hs/braden-river-hs-athletics/braden-river-hs-athletic-insurance/>
- \$75-Football
- \$50-all other sports, Dance & Band
- Multiple Sport Athletes pay only once

# Athletic Trainer

Mikayla Owen

MS, LAT, ATC

\*\*In case of injury please see the trainer\*\*

\*\*She will complete an Accident Report\*\*

\*\*If a student-athlete is seen by a doctor off campus-let trainer know and produce documentation of injury for trainer and a doctors note in order to return to play\*\*

## Areas of Focus

- Injury Prevention – assessing areas of weakness
- Injury REPORTING – If you are hurt, see trainer
- Rehabilitation
- Communication with Coaches-Injury Reports

# Athletic Booster Club

President –Group

VP-Heidi Smithers & Adam Lis

Treasure-Stacie Schefer

Secretary-Kristi Mohammadbhoy

[www.brhsathleticboosters.com](http://www.brhsathleticboosters.com)

Booster Memberships Available online through

Captain's Cargo

# Membership Opportunities

## \$65 Crossbones Level

- Athletic Booster membership
- One (1) \*All Sports Pass OR Football Pass with parking

## \$100 Pirate Club Level

- Athletic Booster membership
- \$25 designated to sport of your choice
- Two (2) All Sports Passes
- \$20.00 for Captain's Cargo Gear

# Membership Opportunities

## **\$200 First Mate Level**

- Family booster membership
- \$50 designated to sport of choice
- Two (2) Adult All Sports Passes
- Two (2) Student All Sports Passes
- Choice of two (2) shirts (value of \$40) from Captain's Cargo

## **\$500 Captains Level**

- Family booster membership
- \$100 designated to sport of choice
- Two (2) Adult All Sports Passes
- Two (2) Student All Sports Passes
- One (1) parking pass for home football games
- \$80 for Captain's Cargo gear

# Season Ticket Options

## **\$50 Adult Football Season Pass**

- A single Adult Admission  
Pass to ALL Regular season  
home football games & a  
Parking Pass

## **\$65 Adult ALL Sports Pass**

- A single Adult Admission  
Pass to ALL Home Regular  
Season Athletic Events

## **\$35 Student All Sports Pass**

- A single Adult Admission  
Pass to ALL Home  
Regular Season Athletic  
Events

*Passes are for regular season events and do not include tournaments or playoff events*



# Fundraising Events Coming Soon

- Athletic Booster -We need Volunteers

Contact Heidi Smithers for details

# Volunteering & Sponsors

There are many ways to get involved through volunteering your time-**Help Your Child and Program.**

The Athletic Department is always looking for monetary sponsors -if you or someone you know is interested in **Advertising their Business on campus**-let me know (ex. 31045)

# Captain's Cargo

Stefanie Minihan

- Hoodies
- T shirts
- Hats
- Decals
  
- Proceeds to Athletics



▣ [www.captainscargo.org](http://www.captainscargo.org)

# Boys Coaches Roster

SPORT	TEAM	COACH	PHONE	EMAIL
<b>Baseball</b>	Varsity	Head Coach: Greg Creek Assistant Coach:	(207) 233-7479	Gregorycreek13@gmail.com
	JV	Head Coach: Assistant Coach:		
<b>Basketball</b>	Varsity	Head Coach: Dwight Gilmer Assistant Coach:	(727) 251-4689	<a href="mailto:gilmerd@manateeschools.net">gilmerd@manateeschools.net</a>
	JV	Head Coach:		
<b>Cross Country</b>	Varsity	Head Coach: Dwight Gilmer Head Coach:	(727) 251-4689	<a href="mailto:gilmerd@manateeschools.net">gilmerd@manateeschools.net</a>
<b>Football</b>	Varsity	Head Coach: Curt Bradley Assistant Coach: Eric Sanders		<a href="mailto:Bradley2c@manateeschools.net">Bradley2c@manateeschools.net</a> <a href="mailto:Sanderse@manateeschools.net">Sanderse@manateeschools.net</a>
	JV	Head Coach: Amanda Porco Assistant Coach: Casey Fabianski		<a href="mailto:porcoa@manateeschools.net">porcoa@manateeschools.net</a> <a href="mailto:fabianskic@manateeschools.net">fabianskic@manateeschools.net</a>
<b>Golf</b>	Varsity	Head Coach: Paul Krueger		<a href="mailto:kruegerp@manateeschools.net">kruegerp@manateeschools.net</a>
<b>Soccer</b>	Varsity	Head Coach: Braden Chandler Assistant Coach:	727-686-3663	<a href="mailto:Bradenchandler14@yahoo.com">Bradenchandler14@yahoo.com</a>
	JV	Head Coach: Brian Cooper		<a href="mailto:surfncoop@aol.com">surfncoop@aol.com</a>
<b>Swimming</b>	Varsity	Head Coach: Paul Sochin Asst. Coach:	(941) 524-9010	<a href="mailto:Paulsochin@gmail.com">Paulsochin@gmail.com</a>
<b>Track and Field</b>	Varsity	Head Coach: Stefanie Minihan	(239) 823-8216	<a href="mailto:minihans@manateeschools.net">minihans@manateeschools.net</a>
<b>Tennis</b>	Varsity	Head Coach: James Straub	(941) 807-7847	<a href="mailto:straubj@manateeschools.com">straubj@manateeschools.com</a>
<b>Weightliftng</b>	Varsity	Head Coach: Jordan Borges	(941) 587-9834	<a href="mailto:borgesj@manateeschools.net">borgesj@manateeschools.net</a>
<b>Wrestling</b>	Varsity	Head Coach: Cezar Sharbono		<a href="mailto:sharbonoc@manateeschools.net">sharbonoc@manateeschools.net</a>

# Girl's Coaches Roster

<b>Basketball</b>	Varsity	Head Coach: Scott Woolam Asst. Coach:	(239) 851-8104	<a href="mailto:kswoolam5@gmail.com">kswoolam5@gmail.com</a>
	JV	Head Coach: Carlo Rodriguez	Ext. 31006	<a href="mailto:rodriguez@manateeschools.net">rodriguez@manateeschools.net</a>
<b>Cheerleading</b>	Varsity	Head Coach: Rachel Infanti	Ext. 31017	<a href="mailto:infantir@manateeschools.net">infantir@manateeschools.net</a>
	JV	Head Coach:		
<b>Cross Country</b>	Varsity	Head Coach: Dwight Gilmer Head Coach:	(727) 251-4689	<a href="mailto:gilmerd@manateeschools.net">gilmerd@manateeschools.net</a>
<b>Dance</b>	Varsity	Head Coach: Marilyn Kelly	Ext. 31170	<a href="mailto:Kelly2m@manateeschools.net">Kelly2m@manateeschools.net</a>
<b>Flag Football</b>	Varsity	Head Coach: Amanda Porco Asst. Coach: Malcom Belton Asst. Coach: Casey Fabianski	Ext. 31052 Ext. 31051 Ext. 31131	<a href="mailto:porcoa@manateeschools.net">porcoa@manateeschools.net</a> <a href="mailto:beltonm@manateeschools.net">beltonm@manateeschools.net</a> <a href="mailto:fabianskic@manateeschools.net">fabianskic@manateeschools.net</a>
<b>Golf</b>	Varsity	Head Coach: James Straub	Ext. 31104	<a href="mailto:straubj@manateeschools.net">straubj@manateeschools.net</a>
<b>Soccer</b>	Varsity	Head Coach: Don Engelberger	Ext. 31190	<a href="mailto:engelbergd@manateeschools.net">engelbergd@manateeschools.net</a>
	JV	Head Coach:		
<b>Softball</b>	Varsity	Head Coach: Keith Jans Assistant Coach: Assistant Coach:	(941) 321-1682	<a href="mailto:Keithjans82@gmail.com">Keithjans82@gmail.com</a>
<b>Swimming</b>	Varsity	Head Coach: Paul Sochin Asst Coach: Carlo Rodriguez	(941) 524-9010 (941) 447-1147	<a href="mailto:pauldsochin@gmail.com">pauldsochin@gmail.com</a>
<b>Track and Field</b>	Varsity	Head Coach: Stefanie Minihan	(239) 823-8216	<a href="mailto:minihans@manateeschools.net">minihans@manateeschools.net</a>
<b>Tennis</b>	Varsity	Head Coach: Sharon Itts	Ext. 31087	<a href="mailto:ittss@manateeschools.net">ittss@manateeschools.net</a>
<b>Volleyball</b>	Varsity	Head Coach: Matthew McElhiney	(941) 962-4859	<a href="mailto:piratevball@gmail.com">piratevball@gmail.com</a>
	JV	Head Coach:		
<b>Weightlifting</b>	Varsity	Head Coach: Jordan Borges	(941) 587-9834	<a href="mailto:Jordanborges27@yahoo.com">Jordanborges27@yahoo.com</a>

Thank You  
&  
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