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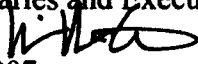
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FROM: Nina VanErk 
DATE: October 29, 2007
RE: 2006-2007 Sport Participation

The following data is presented based on 100% of our member high schools return of the participation survey.

Naturally the following calculations are higher due to the 100% return rate as opposed to our last survey which only reflected 758 member schools. Since the 2004-2005 survey, the NYSPHSAA sponsored programs have experienced an increase in overall participation by 56,721 athletes for a total of 583,590 participants. This reflects a historically consistent gender breakdown of 328,973 (56.4%) boys and 254,617 (43.6%) girls.

The sport of lacrosse continues to expand. The sports of bowling and girls' golf have seen a significant increase. The modified sports program continues to expand with 16,522 more participants for a total of 202,971 student athletes.

Specific Increases:

Lacrosse	Boys	301 Varsity Teams (54 additional)
	Girls	258 Varsity Teams (49 additional)
Golf	Girls	143 Varsity Teams (30 additional)
Bowling	Boys	388 Varsity Teams (37 additional)
	Girls	322 Varsity Teams (55 additional)

Section All Sections Boys and Girls Participation Survey Results

Sport	Varsity Teams	Varsity Participants	JV Teams	JV Participants	Freshman Teams	Freshman Participants	Modified Teams	Modified Participants	Total Teams	Total Participants
Badminton	50	1495	1	18	0	0	7	99	58	1612
Baseball	723	11292	601	9278	93	1601	778	13517	2195	35688
Basketball	1484	17730	1441	17961	296	4016	2233	31361	5454	71068
Bowling	710	7257	114	823	0	0	33	258	857	8338
Cross Country	1099	14944	119	1490	18	319	768	9099	2004	25852
Fencing	47	808	2	10	0	0	0	0	49	818
Field Hockey	240	4365	216	3824	8	159	237	5078	701	13426
Football	566	19177	487	15723	96	3454	581	22526	1730	60880
Golf	742	8324	119	1276	0	0	29	211	890	9811
Gymnastics	134	1742	2	23	0	0	41	614	177	2379
Ice Hockey	150	3169	6	125	1	26	24	465	181	3785
Lacrosse	559	13186	529	12359	43	1032	599	15607	1730	42184
Outdoor Track	1268	40291	103	2406	13	248	953	24698	2337	67643
Rifle	27	321	2	33	0	0	0	0	29	354
Skiing	209	2250	22	245	0	0	28	140	259	2635
Soccer	1362	26536	1069	20256	76	1612	1508	31187	4015	79591
Softball	733	10112	581	8490	33	501	752	12683	2099	31786
Swimming	626	13069	47	650	0	0	301	5449	974	19168
Tennis	975	14453	347	5214	2	17	250	3757	1574	23441
Volleyball	809	10150	731	9652	31	422	885	14720	2456	34944
Winter Track	786	21430	77	1230	6	93	79	1084	948	23837
Wrestling	492	9572	277	4204	8	156	478	10418	1255	24350
Total	13791	251673	6893	115290	724	13656	10564	202971	31972	583590

Number of schools reporting: 776

Section All Sections Boys Participation Survey Results

Sport	Varsity Teams	Varsity Participants	JV Teams	JV Participants	Freshman Teams	Freshman Participants	Modified Teams	Modified Participants	Total Teams	Total Participants
Badminton	7	277	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	277
Baseball	723	11292	601	9278	93	1601	778	13517	2195	35688
Basketball	743	9301	735	9690	215	2966	1121	15996	2814	37953
Bowling	388	4129	68	501	0	0	18	151	474	4781
Cross Country	554	8306	63	832	8	155	400	5016	1025	14309
Fencing	22	418	1	5	0	0	0	0	23	423
Football	566	19177	487	15723	96	3454	581	22526	1730	60880
Golf	599	6994	104	1157	0	0	25	198	728	8349
Gymnastics	12	95	0	0	0	0	2	8	14	103
Ice Hockey	150	3169	6	125	1	26	24	465	181	3785
Lacrosse	301	7721	285	7217	32	768	320	8766	938	24472
Outdoor Track	633	20255	53	1219	7	114	482	11799	1175	33387
Rifle	20	278	1	15	0	0	0	0	21	293
Skiing	112	1253	10	125	0	0	16	74	138	1452
Soccer	680	13454	531	10338	40	859	746	15314	1997	39965
Swimming	293	5476	21	252	0	0	155	2622	469	8350
Tennis	517	7614	159	2361	1	5	128	1866	805	11846
Volleyball	180	2342	142	1940	5	67	121	2115	448	6464
Winter Track	390	10639	39	618	3	33	39	556	471	11846
Wrestling	492	9572	277	4204	8	156	478	10418	1255	24350
Total	7382	141762	3583	65600	509	10204	5434	111407	16908	328973

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Section 9 Boys Participation Survey Results

Sport	Varsity Teams	Varsity Participants	JV Teams	JV Participants	Freshman Teams	Freshman Participants	Modified Teams	Modified Participants	Total Teams	Total Participants
Badminton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Baseball	42	696	39	606	1	14	38	680	120	1996
Basketball	44	540	42	542	10	136	51	777	147	1995
Bowling	2	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	25
Cross Country	37	605	0	0	0	0	26	402	63	1007
Fencing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Football	34	1134	30	934	5	204	31	1342	100	3614
Golf	39	423	0	0	0	0	2	18	41	441
Gymnastics	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ice Hockey	4	95	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	95
Lacrosse	14	435	6	181	0	0	1	35	21	651
Outdoor Track	41	1494	0	0	0	0	28	954	69	2448
Rifle	1	18	1	15	0	0	0	0	2	33
Skiing	17	173	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	173
Soccer	43	828	31	600	0	0	41	809	115	2237
Swimming	13	327	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	327
Tennis	32	446	9	130	0	0	0	0	41	576
Volleyball	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Winter Track	30	939	0	0	0	0	3	23	33	962
Wrestling	26	509	16	263	0	0	20	524	62	1296
Total	419	8687	174	3271	16	354	241	5564	850	17876

Number of schools reporting: 45

Section 9 Girls Participation Survey Results

Sport	Varsity Teams	Varsity Participants	JV Teams	JV Participants	Freshman Teams	Freshman Participants	Modified Teams	Modified Participants	Total Teams	Total Participants
Badminton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Basketball	43	482	42	488	6	79	58	716	149	1765
Bowling	2	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	19
Cross Country	38	463	0	0	0	0	23	296	61	759
Fencing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Field Hockey	13	209	9	141	0	0	9	166	31	516
Golf	18	168	0	0	0	0	1	2	19	170
Gymnastics	6	63	0	0	0	0	2	18	8	81
Lacrosse	11	289	6	147	0	0	1	30	18	466
Outdoor Track	40	1420	0	0	0	0	28	1000	68	2420
Rifle	1	11	1	18	0	0	0	0	2	29
Skiing	16	171	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	171
Soccer	43	799	33	584	0	0	39	808	115	2191
Softball	41	574	36	518	0	0	39	666	116	1758
Swimming	15	428	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	428
Tennis	29	402	13	197	0	0	0	0	42	599
Volleyball	35	407	34	433	0	0	34	591	103	1431
Winter Track	28	851	0	0	0	0	3	24	31	875
Total	379	6756	174	2526	6	79	237	4317	796	13678

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