


## NDHSAA Coop Application

Please review coop guidelines prior to beginning the application process.

This single form is to be used by all schools involved in this cooperative sponsorship application. This application will be accepted and presented to the NDHSAA Board of Directors only upon all schools entering the required information. Each school must provide an official signature. Separate applications must be used for gender specific athletics. Fine arts are not gender specific.

 • NO FEE PER DETERMINATION  
• NO COOPS IN FORCE

If approved, this coop would begin in school year: 23/24 School year

Grades involved with this application: Please check one. (7-8) \_\_\_ (7-12)  (9-12) \_\_\_

Name of schools involved in this application: Host school must be listed first.

### Enrollments for grades involved

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|-------------------------|---------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| 1. <u>South Prairie</u> | 7-8 <u>84</u> | 7-12 <u>239</u> | 9-12 <u>155</u> |
| 2. <u>Max</u>           | 7-8 <u>23</u> | 7-12 <u>69</u>  | 9-12 <u>46</u>  |
| 3. _____                | 7-8 _____     | 7-12 _____      | 9-12 _____      |
| 4. _____                | 7-8 _____     | 7-12 _____      | 9-12 _____      |
| 5. _____                | 7-8 _____     | 7-12 _____      | 9-12 _____      |

Activity covered by this application: Boys Basketball (ex: girls' basketball, speech etc.)

List official coop name: South Praire/Max Mascot or nickname: Royals

(Coop name and mascot must be the same as other coops if the same schools are involved.)

Fill in the current participation numbers for each grade for each school involved: Indicate if you did not sponsor (DNS) this activity the previous year. Boys and girls enrollments are combined only for fine arts.

School #1: (7-8) 13 (7-12) 36 (9-12) 23 DNS \_\_\_\_\_

School #2: (7-8) 5 (7-12) 14 (9-12) 9 DNS \_\_\_\_\_

School #3: (7-8) \_\_\_\_\_ (7-12) \_\_\_\_\_ (9-12) \_\_\_\_\_ DNS \_\_\_\_\_

School #4: (7-8) \_\_\_\_\_ (7-12) \_\_\_\_\_ (9-12) \_\_\_\_\_ DNS \_\_\_\_\_

School #5: (7-8) \_\_\_\_\_ (7-12) \_\_\_\_\_ (9-12) \_\_\_\_\_ DNS \_\_\_\_\_

Fill in next year's projected participation numbers for each grade for each school involved: Boys and girls enrollments may be combined for fine arts only.

School #1: (7-8) 15 (7-12) 38 (9-12) 23

School #2: (7-8) 6 (7-12) 13 9-12) 7

School #3: (7-8) \_\_\_\_\_ (7-12) \_\_\_\_\_ (9-12) \_\_\_\_\_

School #4: (7-8) \_\_\_\_\_ (7-12) \_\_\_\_\_ (9-12) \_\_\_\_\_

School #5: (7-8) \_\_\_\_\_ (7-12) \_\_\_\_\_ (9-12) \_\_\_\_\_

In the space provided, please list the reasons for requesting this coop application:

Max is requesting a coop with South Prairie in order to continue to offer this program to our athletes.

If approved, will this coop affect other schools: please circle: (Yes) (No) If yes, how? \_\_\_\_\_

Is this the nearest opportunity for schools to coop? please circle: (Yes) (No)

If No, Please indicate why closer school(s) are not included in this application.

Has displacement of student been considered by each school? (Yes) (No)

Is the reason for this application to improve competition levels or make participation available. Explain:

Participation. Wax doesn't have the participation numbers to offer effective programs to our athletes.

Other information that be useful for the NDHSAA Board of Directors in reaching a decision:

Max has been struggling for the last 3 years with participation numbers at all levels. It has gotten to the point where we can't play a full JV game on nights with both a JV and Varsity and our JH program can only play one game a night. We feel that we are not able to offer

opportunities for our athletes to grow and learn. Cooping with South Prairie would allow for both a 7th and 8th grade team and C/JV/Varsity teams. All athletes will have a team to play on at their level.

Required Signatures:

School #1: Wayne Stutz Superintendent. Date: 3-23-23

School #2: Ray A. Smith Superintendent. Date: 3-23-2023

School #3: \_\_\_\_\_ Superintendent. Date: \_\_\_\_\_

School #4 \_\_\_\_\_ Superintendent. Date: \_\_\_\_\_

School #5 \_\_\_\_\_ Superintendent. Date: \_\_\_\_\_

NDHSAA Board Action: \_\_\_\_\_ Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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