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NYSPHSAA Delays Fall Sports Season

Yesterday, the New York State Public High School Athletic Association (NYSPHSAA), voted to delay the official start date of the Fall 2020 sports season. They also have announced that they will cancel the Fall 2020 Regional and State Championships and prepare to implement a condensed season schedule in January if high school sports remain prohibited throughout 2020 due to COVID-19. The Condensed Season plan would entail the following, with the stipulated dates being tentative.

Season I (Winter Sports) Dates: Jan. 4 - March 13

Sports: basketball (girls & boys), bowling (girls & boys), hockey (girls & boys), indoor track & field (girls & boys), swimming (boys), *wrestling, *competitive cheer.

* Because of high risk nature of wrestling and competitive cheer, sports may have to be moved to Season II or season III.

Season II (Fall Sports) Dates: March 1 - May 8

Sports: football, cross country (girls & boys), soccer (girls & boys), swimming (girls), volleyball, Unified bowling.

Note: Weather will have an impact upon outdoor sports in some parts of the state in March and potentially early April. Girls Tennis moved to Season III.

Season III (Spring Sports) Dates: April 5 - June 12

Sports: baseball, softball, golf, lacrosse (girls & boys), tennis (girls & boys), outdoor track & field (girls & boys), Unified basketball.