

2017-18 PARENT & ATHLETE CONCUSSION & HEAD INJURY AGREEMENT

As a Parent and as an Athlete it is important to recognize the signs, symptoms, and behaviors of concussions. By signing this form, you are stating that you understand the importance of recognizing and responding to the signs, symptoms, and behaviors of a concussion or head injury. This form must be completed once a year for your child to be involved in athletic activities.

Parent Agreement:

I _____ have read the Parent Concussion and Head Injury Information on the Port Washington High School Website and understand what a concussion is and how it may be caused. I also understand the common signs, symptoms, and behaviors. I agree that my child must be removed from practice/play if a concussion is suspected.

I understand that it is my responsibility to seek medical treatment if a suspected concussion is reported to me.

I understand that my child cannot return to practice/play until providing written clearance from an appropriate health care provider to his/her coach and trainer.

I understand the possible consequences of my child returning to practice/play too soon.

Parent/Guardian

Signature: _____ Date _____

Athlete Agreement:

I _____ have read the Athlete Concussion and Head Injury Information and understand what a concussion is and how it may be caused.

I understand the importance of reporting a suspected concussion to my coaches, trainer, and my parents/guardian.

I understand that I must be removed from practice/play if a concussion is suspected. I understand that I must provide written clearance from an appropriate health care provider to my coach and trainer before returning to practice or play

I understand the possible consequences of returning to practice/play too soon and that my brain needs time to heal.

Athlete

Signature: _____ Date _____

List ALL of the 2016-17 Athletic Activities that you intend to be involved in on the line below:

This form must be on file in the school office before the student may participate.