

Note to Coaches about OOS Records

ADs/Coaches:

RE: OOS Records for sports using the general Power Points formula — in the winter, that's basketball, ice hockey and fencing.

As you know, many of the Power Points formulas on NJ.com rely on the records of your teams' opponents.

The njschoolsports.com system automatically calculates records for every NJSIAA member school — both for the full members and the “Federated” member schools.

However, the system cannot track the records for non-member or out-of-state schools.

It is the coach's responsibility to report the records for your Out-of-State or Non-NJSIAA-member opponents — to NJ.com via NJSCHOOLSPORTS.COM - using the “OOS” button.

The OOS button will appear next to any applicable opponent on your team's dashboard in NJSCHOOLSPORTS.COM.

WHEN TO REPORT - AND UPDATE:

- OOS records should be first-reported on game day
- UPDATE: the record should be updated weekly, throughout the season
- CUTOFF DATE: double-check, to ensure the correct record is entered on cutoff day.

WHY — This is important because you will not receive any ‘residual points’ in the power points for that game until the record is entered.

If you do not report the record, your team's power points will be incomplete — penalizing your team — and also affecting the accuracy of the power points report for your entire section.

NOTE 1: if a record already exists in the OOS button, it's because another NJ team is also playing that team and has entered a record. But if that record is old, then you can update it.

NOTE 2: you can ignore the OOS button for any of the NJSIAA's "Federated" members - the system will use their records from games reported. As of this email, Federated members are:

- Blair Academy
- Frisch School
- Hun School
- Lawrenceville School
- Patrick School (the high school – not the TPS National Team)
- Peddie School
- Pennington School

NJ.com has an FAQ document, which includes specific OOS entry instructions, with screenshots, for clarity.

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/17I-fm9tHGUV8Nryle21isgZZ4-xnaTWoqSz9Vgyz6Mo/edit?usp=sharing>

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