



Mundelein High School Construction and Athletics Update

This spring marks an important transition year for our athletic programs as facility improvements move forward and new spaces begin to take shape. With construction underway to deliver long-term benefits for our students and community, careful coordination has been a priority to ensure that spring athletics operate as smoothly as possible. Our teams have a clear plan in place. Below is an overview of what families and athletes can expect.

Spring Athletics Field Locations & Scheduling

What is the timeline for Baseball at Village Green? We're looking forward to baseball at Village Green in Spring 2027, consistent with our construction timeline.

What is the timeline for Soccer at Village Green? Availability depends on construction progress and weather, with completion projected for Spring 2027.

Are published schedules finalized? Spring schedules are about 80% complete. We appreciate your patience, as adjustments may occur due to shared field coordination and field readiness during this transition year.

Where will baseball and softball be located this spring? The MHS JV baseball field will support early-season play. CSMS is expected to host softball following Spring Break, with additional practice space being finalized.

Logistics & Operations

How will students get to Village Green when completed? To support our student travel, a dedicated shuttle will operate from the end of the school day until approximately 6:15 p.m., connecting with late buses. Shuttle costs are included in the 2026–2027 budget, with routes finalized in coordination with Athletics.

Project Implementation & Referendum Alignment

Is the project unfolding as presented? Yes. The referendum plan included a phased implementation beginning with three fields and expanding as funding allows.

Are we getting what voters approved? Absolutely, phasing and scaling were communicated during referendum discussions to maintain financial responsibility.

Are timelines aligned with approved plans? Yes. Construction sequencing and timelines remain on track.



Stakeholder Voice & Responsiveness

Is athletics input incorporated? Yes, collaboration is a priority. Weekly coordination meetings include Operations, Athletics, and District leadership.

Are coaches' concerns being addressed? Yes. We value our coaches' expertise and continue to incorporate their feedback through ongoing meetings and individual discussions, within budgetary constraints.

Facilities Impact & Transition Adjustments

Are indoor improvements creating outdoor challenges? While our modernized indoor spaces have significantly increased capacity, we're working through some temporary outdoor scheduling adjustments while construction finishes up.

What is the overall impact? We are building a stronger future for our students. Indoor spaces are expanded and modernized; outdoor facilities are increasing in number and quality. A new softball field is being added, baseball capacity remains consistent, and the new fieldhouse provides year-round training benefits.

Communication & Timeline

When will updates be shared? We'll keep the conversation going through monthly coach meetings with our Athletic Director and weekly leadership sessions. We're working hard to balance program needs with budget and timeline realities.

Where do I ask questions? We welcome your questions! Please direct any athletics-related inquiries to the Director of Athletics, where they'll be reviewed during our weekly planning meetings.

Planning remains active, coordinated, and aligned with approved timelines. While construction transitions require flexibility, we remain focused on delivering improved long-term athletic facilities that benefit our students and programs.