# **Athletics**

# Intercollegiate Athletics

County College of Morris is a proud member of the National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) Region 19 and the Garden State Athletic Conference (GSAC). The intercollegiate athletic programs have all enjoyed success nationally, regionally, and on the conference level throughout our affiliation. Programs compete on the NJCAA Division 2 and Division 3 levels. All academic standards set by the NJCAA and the County College of Morris are strictly followed. Our mission is to develop well-rounded student-athletes and support their success both academically and athletically. We celebrate our academic accomplishments in the same regard as our athletic accomplishments. Our core principles encourage the development and growth of student-athletes by emphasizing commitment, integrity, respect and community-based values. The Athletic Department encourages and supports our student-athletes to engage in community service events and to seek leadership roles within the institution. We hold our student-athletes, coaches and staff to very high standards and expect them to demonstrate sportsmanship at all times. The Athletics Department offers professional, industrious and highly motivated coaching staff as well as a high-level of support in the treatment, prevention and care of injuries for our student-athletes with a dedicated certified Athletic Trainer. Team schedules and additional information regarding CCM Titans Athletics can be found at: www.ccmathletics.com (https:// www.ccmathletics.com/landing/index/). GO TITANS!

### **Philosophy**

The Athletics Program at County College of Morris (CCM) offers opportunities for intercollegiate athletics, intramural and recreational activities. The priority is to foster the overall growth and development of students through structured, well-rounded fitness offerings. Providing healthy personal and social growth opportunities supports and reinforces the educational goals of County College of Morris and our campus community. CCM offers modern up-to-date facilities that can be accessed and utilized by the campus community.

# Competition

The College believes strongly that a comprehensive athletics program contributes significantly to the overall program of an educational institution. Intercollegiate competition includes the following:

Fall Programs	Winter Programs	Spring Programs
Women's Volleyball	Women's Basketball	Softball
Women's Soccer	Men's Basketball	Baseball
Men's Soccer		Golf
		E-Sports

#### **Membership**

CCM is a member of the National Junior College Athletic Association, which consists of 24 geographical regions throughout the country. The college also competes in Region XIX, which encompasses the states of Delaware, New Jersey and eastern Pennsylvania, and the Garden State Athletic Conference.

#### Eligibility—Intercollegiate Athletics

To participate in the intercollegiate athletic programs, students are encouraged to fill out a player profile located on the CCM Athletics website: <a href="www.ccmathletics.com">www.ccmathletics.com</a>/ (<a href="https://www.ccmathletics.com/landing/index/">https://www.ccmathletics.com/landing/index/</a>). Participation requires student-athletes to be in good academic standing according to the college and NJCAA standards. Each student-athlete in season are required to carry, as a regularly enrolled student, a minimum of 12 credit hours of college work as listed in the college catalog. Students must pass a complete medical examination prior to each season of participation. Students must also maintain a satisfactory average as mandated by the college and/or the National Junior College Athletic Association during each semester of athletic participation.

All transfer students from either a two- or four-year college should contact the Director of Athletics regarding the status of their eligibility prior to competition. Transfer student-athletes must have all official college transcripts from their previous institution forwarded to the County College of Morris Athletic Department. Athletic eligibility is determined solely by the athletic administration. Appointments can be made in advance of transfer to determine status only when transcripts are made available.

#### **Facilities**

The College is proud of its athletic resources and the department staff consisting of 20 coaches, a full-time athletic trainer, Aquatics supervisor, and an administrative support staff person. Student-athletes, general students, faculty and staff have full use of a modern weight room and Fitness Center housing weight-training equipment and exercise equipment. The Natatorium is a beautiful six-lane, 25-yard facility with spectator seating so that both recreational use and swimming competitions can be accommodated. (Current CCM ID's must be presented upon entry of all CCM Facilities).

CCM's 1,800-seat Jack Martin gymnasium, is an extremely impressive arena that hosts intercollegiate men and women's basketball games, volleyball games, and serves as the site of the Morris County High School Basketball Tournament Championships. The College's outdoor facilities include a baseball field, a softball field, two regulation soccer/lacrosse fields, a multipurpose practice field and eight tennis courts.

# Open Recreation Philosophy

The County College of Morris Fitness Center and Jack Martin Gymnasium are available to the CCM campus community (with valid ID's) during the academic school year. The CCM Fitness Center offers free weights, universal weight stations as well as numerous cardiovascular equipment (tread mills, rowing machines, steppers and stationary bicycles). Proper attire and CCM Identification is needed at all times.

Standard operating hours for Fitness Center during the academic school year are:

Monday, Wednesday and Thursday: 9:00am-4:00pm

Tuesday: 9:00am-8:00pm

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Friday: 9:00am-3:30pm

Closed weekends and when college is closed.

#### Summer hours (Fitness Center):

Monday - Thursday 9:30am-3:00pm

Friday and weekends: Closed

\*NOTE: Gymnasium and locker room facilities are not available during summer months when camp is in session.