

Hydration Needs for the High School Athlete

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Breaking Down Hydration



Hydration Focus on Hydration Dr. Gibson Hydration NUTRITION Consistency **Nutrients Timing** wmmb.com/sports

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What drink choices do you have?





What's in an Energy Drink?

- Caffeine
- Sugar



Energy Drinks



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WIAA Performance Enhancing Substances
The WIAA is against the use of anabolic-androgenic steroids
and other performance enhancing substances (PES).

DISCOURAGED--The WIAA identifies 'Restricted' substances. These restricted substances can be legally purchased, but are prohibited in connection with school programs. They include: Creatine, Caffeine-enhanced products, Energy drinks (e.g., Red Bull, Amp, Advance by PowerAde, Coke Blak), Herbal Caffeine, No Doz, Protein Powders and other substances as identified in the materials.

http://www.wiaawi.org/Health/PerformanceEnhancingSubstances.aspx





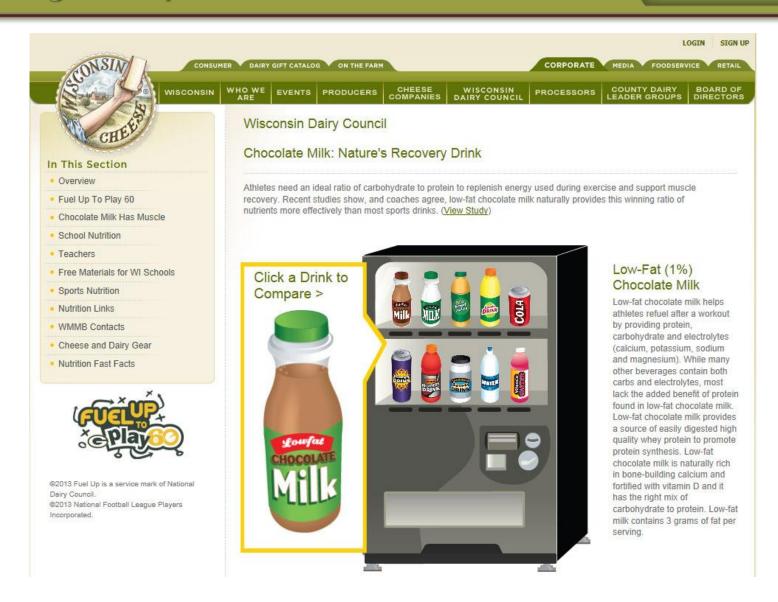
What's in a Sports Drink?

- Electrolytes
- Sugar



Beverage Comparison





Stay Hydrated



Before:

- Drink fluids throughout the day
- 1st choice should be water
- Avoid soda and fruit drinks with little nutritional value
- Watch out for sweet coffee drinks
- Body absorbs fluid better with smaller amounts rather than all at once drink throughout the day

During:

Drink sports drinks only during INTENSE (1 hour or greater) exercise

After:

 Refuel with low-fat chocolate milk – the right mix of carbs and protein for recovery

Hydration Monitor



If you are thirsty you are already dehydrated.

Your fluid needs a minimum of ½ oz. per pound per day

120 lb. needs (60 oz. or minimum of 7.5 cups of fluid/day from all fluid sources) 8 oz. = 1 cup

Example on how to focus on fluids

- 1.5 cups at breakfast (8 oz. milk plus 4 oz. juice)
- 1 cup water in the morning
- 1 cup with lunch (8 oz. of milk)
- 2 cups water in the afternoon (before and during practice)
- 1 cup with dinner (8 oz. of milk)
- 1 cup water in the evening

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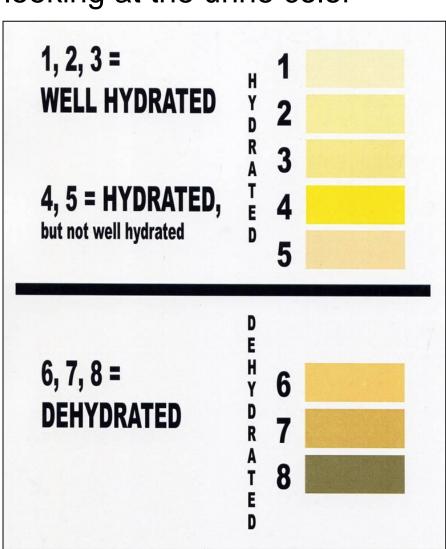


Checking urine is as simple as looking at the urine color

http://www.cyfallssportsmedicine.com/heatawareness.html

Dehydration Causes:

- Early fatigue
- Increased heart rate
- Increased blood pressure
- Lowers your work capacity
- Impairs your skills



Hydration Musts



Maintain hydration

Maintain electrolytes (calcium, potassium, sodium and magnesium)

5-12 oz. every 15-20 minutes (1 gulp = 1 oz.)

Thirst is **NOT** a good guide



What Should an Athlete Drink After Training?



The goal of recovery is to return to the pre-training performance baseline

Immediately: Chocolate milk within 20-60 minutes post activity

- Liquid fluid source is ideal for immediate recovery
- Repletion of fluid losses is also essential (for every pound lost replace with 16-24 oz. fluid)
- Carbs for:
 - Glycogen replenishment in liver and muscles
 - Refuel muscles
 - Restore energy
 - Aid in immune function
- Protein to:
 - Build and repair muscle and avoid muscle damage
 - More protein is not better here, studies show 20 grams or less of protein is best for recovery. Athletes will not achieve additional protein synthesis with intakes over 30 grams.

Recovery Carb/Protein Goals



150 lb. athlete

Carb: .5 gram/lb. or 75 grams

Goal: Carb: 75-100 grams of .5 gram/lb.

Protein: 15-20 grams

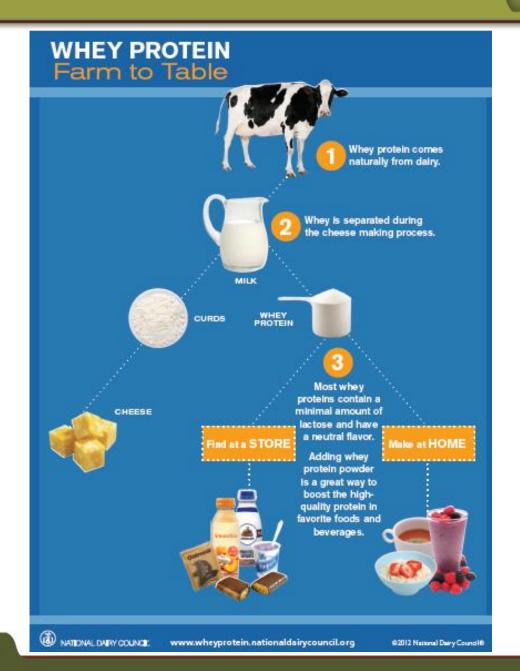
What can an athlete drink/eat?

 16 oz. low-fat chocolate milk (48 grams of carb and 16 grams of protein),

- 1 banana (24 grams of carb)
- ½ bagel (25-30 grams of carb)







Why Chocolate Milk?



CHOCOLATE MILK



CARBOHYDRATE-PROTEIN

The right ratio of carbohydrate to protein to prevent muscle soreness, repair muscles and replenish glycogen stores. Refuel with chocolate milk.

B-VITAMINS

To convert food into energy.

YOU GET IT IN BOTH

Chocolate milk contains the same 9 essential nutrients that white milk does and it tastes great!

TIMING

Timing is critical. Recovery nutrition needs to be provided within the first hour to replenish energy stores also known as glycogen found in the liver and muscles.

CALCIUM & VITAMIN D

Calcium and Vitamin D to strengthen bones and reduce the risk of fractures.

WATER & ELECTROLYTES

To rehydrate and replenish what's lost in sweat.



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