

ST. BEDE CATHOLIC SCHOOL

"With God all things are possible." Matthew 19:26

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Dear St. Bede Hornet Families,

We are fortunate to have a strong sports program at our school that focuses on helping athletes develop skills in cooperation, teamwork, and perseverance and learn the fundamentals of various sports. In addition, we have a dedicated GAP Board that continues to support the growth of our program and thrives to provide as many sports opportunities as possible.

Due to the concerns that parents have shared regarding registration, our GAP Board held a meeting last night to discuss the recent changes in registration for Fall and Winter sports. The board realized that there was a miscommunication that occurred regarding fees and mandated service hours. Please remember that the service hour deposit will be refunded at the end of the season if required hours were fulfilled. In addition, the members of the GAP Board reevaluated the timeline for each Fall and Winter sport which includes Cheerleading, Peeps Cheerleading, Cross-Country, Girls Volleyball, Peeps Volleyball and Girls Basketball. Here is the revised information developed by our GAP Board:

# Cross Country: Registration Fee \$50, Service Hours \$40

- Uniform payment of \$15 is due by June 8<sup>th</sup>.
- Full registration payment of \$50 and a service hour deposit of \$40 are due by September 30<sup>th</sup>.
- Service hour requirement-2 hours at a Cross-Country Meet per athlete and 2 hours at the Crab Feed per family. If 2 hours are not fulfilled during a Cross-Country Meet, 2 hours will be added to Crab Feed service hours.

## <u>Cheerleading:</u> Registration Fee \$60, Service Hours \$40, Uniform \$80

- Uniform payments of \$80 must be paid in full by September 2<sup>nd</sup> since uniforms are custom made for each child and take up to 8 weeks. This fee is **non-refundable**.
- Half of registration, which is \$30, and half of the service hour deposit of \$20 are due by November 4<sup>th</sup>
- The remaining balance of \$30 for registration and the remaining half of the service hour deposit of \$20 are due by December 5<sup>th</sup>.
- Service hour requirement-2 hours for Snack Bar per athlete during the basketball season and 2 hours at the Crab Feed per family

## Peeps Cheerleading: Registration Fee \$60, Service Hours \$40

- Half of registration, which is \$30, and half of the service hour deposit of \$20 are due by November 4<sup>th</sup>.
- The remaining balance of \$30 for registration and the remaining half of the service hour deposit of \$20 are due by December 5<sup>th</sup>.
- Service hour requirement-2 hours for Snack Bar per athlete during the basketball season and 2 hours at the Crab Feed per family

### Girls Volleyball: Registration Fee \$125 or \$115, Service Hours \$70, Uniform Maintenance \$5

- Half of registration, which is \$65, (or \$60 if your child has participated in another GAP sport during the school year) and half of the service hour deposit of \$35 are due by November 30<sup>th</sup>.
- The remaining balance of \$65 (or \$60) for registration and half of the service hour deposit of \$35 are due by January 6<sup>th</sup>.
- Service hour requirement-2 hours for Snack Bar and 1 hour for gym monitor per athlete during the Breast Cancer Tournament, 2 hours for Snack Bar (no gym monitor) per athlete during the regular season, and 2 hours at the Crab Feed per family

### Peeps Volleyball: Registration Fee \$50, Service Hours \$70

- Half of registration, which is \$25, and half of the service hour deposit of \$35 are due by November 30<sup>th</sup>.
- The remaining balance of \$25 for registration and half of the service hour deposit of \$35 are due by January 6<sup>th</sup>.
- Service hour requirement-2 hours for Snack Bar and 1 hour for gym monitor per athlete during the Breast Cancer Tournament, 2 hours for Snack Bar (no gym monitor) per athlete during the regular season, and 2 hours at the Crab Feed per family

### Girls Basketball: Registration Fee \$155 or \$145, Service Hours \$40, Uniform Maintenance \$5

- Half of registration, which is \$80, (or \$75 if your child has participated in another GAP sport during the school year) is due by December 16<sup>th</sup>. This includes half of the service hour deposit of \$20.
- The remaining balance of \$80 (or \$75) for registration is due by February 17<sup>th</sup>. This includes half of the service hour deposit of \$20.
- Service hour requirement-2 hours for Snack Bar per athlete and 2 hours at the Crab Feed per family

#### **Mandated Service Hours**

The deposit of \$200 has now been decreased to \$10 per hour. If the balance for any sport is not received by the final due dates, the athlete will not be able to participate in any practices or games. If a parent volunteers as a coach for their child's team, they are still mandated to complete their service hours; however, other parents from the team, older children (7<sup>th</sup> grade or older), family members, or friends can fulfill the coach's hours in gratitude for their service of coaching the team. Coaches that do not have any children playing on the team or sport they are coaching will be exempt from the mandated service hours for that particular sport.

We appreciate your continued support and cooperation of our GAP sports program. We look forward to another exciting school year of fostering our athletes' growth and development.

Sincerely,

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