



Saint Peter Athletics Committee

Parent Information



SPAC (St. Peter Athletic Committee)

Athletic Director – Annie Baalman

Assistant Athletic Director – Colin McEntee

Secretary – Miles Galaway

Treasurer – Tim Hickok

Volleyball Coordinator – Stephanie Scriven

Basketball Coordinator – Kyle McMullen

Intramural Coordinator – Mike Sandbo

Track and Cross Country Coordinator – Brian Englert

Uniforms Coordinator – Lara Gray

Concessions Coordinator – Lara Gray

SPAC Meetings

- Third Sunday of every month
- 6:00 PM in the school cafeteria
- All parents are welcome to attend

Academic Eligibility

Grade Checks are conducted each Monday

- A “D” in any subject will place the student-athlete on probation (can practice and play)
- An “F” in any subject will make the student-athlete ineligible to practice or play that week; which means they cannot be in attendance at either. They may watch the game/meet from the stands, but not with the athletes (on the bench or in their designated section).

Process

- The Principal notifies the Athletic Director of those who are on probation or ineligible
- Athletic Director notifies each coach concerning any student-athletes they have who are on probation or ineligible to practice or play
- The coach will stress to those student-athletes the importance of their education and the fact that school work comes before sports.
- ***Student** is responsible for communicating this to parents (they are given a sheet to be signed by the parent with all the information)

Membership Eligibility

***If your child to plans for another league (YMCA, MAYB), they cannot practice or play for them once the CSAL practices begin.

- Bylaws: III Eligibility – Any student who participates with any organized team outside of school from the first day of CSAL practice to the conclusion of the post-season tournament shall be ineligible for school teams in the same sport.

Know Your Role At Events

COACHES COACH:

Please leave coaching to the one volunteering to fill this role.

OFFICIALS OFFICIATE:

Please leave officiating to the ones hired to fill this role.

PLAYERS PLAY:

Please leave the playing to those chosen to fill this role.

SPECTATORS SPECTATE:

This is your role. Please fill it with class and represent St. Peter in a positive way.

Diocesan Virtus Training Requirement

Anyone who coaches or works with students must be Virtus certified coaches, assistant coaches, or parents who volunteer.

All Coaches must be ***Virtus*** trained before the first day of practices.

You can find classes in your area under Calendar of Events on the Website below.

www.catholicdioceseofwichita.org

Once you have completed the training, please bring a copy of it to the school office for our records.

Paperwork

Physical Forms must be completed/signed and on file with athletic director.
(concussion and liability waiver was completed within online registration)

- *****PAPERWORK MUST BE ON FILE BEFORE STUDENT - ATHLETE CAN PRACTICE OR PLAY IN CONTESTS*****

COACHES: Need to fill out an application which can be found on the St. Peter Athletics website

Sports Fees

Cover the cost of:

- Fees to the Catholic Schools Activities League (CSAL)
- Equipment/Uniforms
- Field/Court Maintenance

<u>Sport</u>	<u>Fee Per Student</u>
Cross Country	\$75 (uniform distributed at school or practice)
Football	TBD based on which team they play for EQUIPMENT INFORMATION: For the season, players need to get their own helmet and shoulder pads. If a player played for the Westside Eagles, the helmet will be the same type of helmet....the helmet from last year may still fit them. It should be white with a gray facemask. There is a high likelihood that it will fit the student for both 7th and 8th grade football. Practice pants and jerseys will be needed as well. Game jerseys will be provided. The pants will not be as big of an issue in regards to getting them in time, but now is the time to secure your helmet and shoulder pads. You can buy from Dick's, Play It Again Sports, Academy Sports etc.
Volleyball, Basketball, Track	\$75 (coach will organize a time to distribute uniforms before or after practice)
Cheer	Cost of uniform and poms

Outside Sports

Bowling at Seneca Bowl

Wrestling through Bishop Carroll

Reach out if interested in these sports. These dates and times vary each year.

Evaluations for Splitting Into Teams

Dates & Times

- TBD
 - Based on # of players and season

CSAL is divided into two divisions with one having a higher skill level than the other:

Girls Sports

- Sacred Heart (upper)
- Mount Carmel (lower)

Boys Sports

- Notre Dame (upper)
- Cathedral (lower)

Practices



ALL Practice Start Dates and Tournaments are determined by the CSAL and will be shared with coaches when they are released.

**If your child is participating in more than one sport, you need to communicate with BOTH coaches as to which sport they will participate in for practices and games ASAP.

Football/Volleyball Games

Will be on Saturdays only for the regular season

Volleyball tournament games can be on any day besides Sunday

Cross Country

Meets will be primarily on Saturdays

Practice will be 3 to 4 times a week (coaches will contact you)



Basketball Games

*Games are not on a consistent basis like other sports.

*Games can be played on Monday, Thursday and/or Saturdays

Tournament games could end up being any day of the week besides Sunday

Concession and Score Table

- ❖ We run the concession stands in the cafeteria during games we are hosting.
 - ❖ FOR BASKETBALL: Each team will be assigned a slot during regular season and during the tournament for basketball
 - ❖ FOR VOLLEYBALL: Signups will be sent out
 - ❖ FOR BOTH: High School students can use this volunteer time for stewardship hours or CYM points.
- ❖ Score Table for volleyball
 - ❖ We run the score table during games we are hosting. It is a paid position or for high school students they can use for stewardship hours or CYM points. Signups will be sent out.



Sportsmanship and Rules of Conduct

At any time throughout the season if sportsmanship and rules of conduct are not followed it can result in the player being ineligible dependent on the decision made by the AD, Principal and Priest.

Depending on severity of the situation it could also result in expulsion and lettering will not be awarded.

Sportsmanship (CSAL Bylaws Article II, Section D)

3. Sportsmanship

- a. All coaches are expected to maintain a positive and Christian attitude and sense of decorum throughout their participation. Portraying good sportsmanship at all times is of utmost importance
- b. The head coach of each team is responsible for the conduct of its players, assistants and fans before, during and after an activity.
- c. Teams will forfeit any contest or game if an ineligible player competes.

4. Unsportsmanlike Conduct

- a. In the event of a fan(s) of a team becoming unruly and abusive toward the other team and/or game officials, the official in charge will warn the head coach and administrators (if present) of the offending school/team. The officials will allow up to five minutes for the coach or administrator to control his/her fans. Should a second offense of misconduct on the part of the team's fans occur during the same game, the official in charge will suspend play and declare the game forfeited by the offending team. If a team forfeits a second game in one season, that team shall be suspended from the sport for the remainder of the season

KSHSAA Rule #52 Rules of Conduct

Also followed by Bishop Carroll

Be courteous to all (participants, coaches, officials, staff and fans).

DO: Respectfully address officials during competition and thank them for their performance, regardless of agreement with calls.

DO NOT: Turn backs or make disrespectful actions towards opponents at a game.

Know the rules, abide by and respect the official's decisions.

DO: Applaud the official on a call that demonstrates a solid enforcement of the rules.

DO NOT: Yell at the official for making a mistake on a call or making a call that does not go in your team's favor. This includes gestures that question an official's call or lack of a call.

Win with character and lose with dignity.

DO: Shake hands of opposing players and coaches at the end of contest, regardless of outcome.

DO NOT: Whine, blame loss on officials, coaching, individual player's performance or other rationalizations.

Display appreciation for good performance regardless of the team.

DO: Recognize an outstanding participant's performance with applause.

DO NOT: Laugh, point fingers, call names, etc., directed to opponents in an attempt to distract.

Chain of Command

In the event that a parent has an issue with the conduct or performance of a coach, please start with the lowest level possible.

- After waiting **24 hours** for everyone to calm down:
 - Contact the coach first and allow her/him to make corrections (if possible)
 - If not satisfied, contact the coordinator of that sport
 - If not satisfied, contact the Athletic Director

If there is an issue with something that happens at a sporting venue that does not involve a St. Peter Coach or athlete:

- Contact the Athletic Director
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