

Attention Parents & Players

Since these first few weeks of school is so busy, in lieu of a mandatory parent meeting, this packet of information is being sent home for parents and players to read.

*We have included information below that is important to all those participating in the basketball program, and we ask that parent and player read together, sign and return to your coach PRIOR to first league game on 10/25. **Those who do not return the acceptance page signed before 10/25 – will not be allowed to play in any league games until your coach has received them.***

PRACTICE POLICY

- **All scheduled practices are mandatory.** In order for your team to be successful, everyone needs to make every effort to attend practices. Missing practice due to reasons other than illness may result in sitting out a game.
- **Please, No school uniforms at practice.** Come prepared to play; t-shirt, athletic shorts. (**Spandex shorts are NOT allowed-St. Rose school policy**). **No Jewelry is to be worn at practices or games.** Water only, please.
- **School Attendance Policy:** Student athletes must attend a minimum of ½ day the day of (weeknight games) or the day prior to (Saturday game days). **School comes first.** If a child is sick, goes home from school sick, they will not be allowed to play the same day or Saturday if they went home on Friday. If a child misses ½ day due to other reasons such as appointments, they will not be penalized.
- **Arrive to practice on time.** Rule of thumb – always try to arrive 5 minutes before your practice time.
- **Always make sure that your coach is present, ON SITE, before you are dropped off.** Players may not hang-out or be in the gym without your coach present. A parent may wait with the team until the coach arrives.
- **If there is a team in the gym before your practice time, YOU MAY NOT ENTER THE GYM UNTIL YOUR PRACTICE TIME. If the doors are closed, please DO NOT BANG ON DOORS.** The gym doors may be locked from the outside after school. Please do not interrupt other teams practicing. They will open the doors when they are finished and it is your turn. Parents, please do not knock on doors when picking up, it is a disruption to practice. We would appreciate everyone's cooperation.
- **After practice: Please be sure your ride home is on time** so the coaches do not have to wait an extended period of time waiting for your ride to arrive.
- **Parents are welcome to attend practices.** We do request however that siblings do not attend practices. If siblings must attend, they must remain seated with the parent. The school administration has asked us to remind parents who attend after-school activities that siblings must be kept with you at all times. They may not play in the gym lobby, and they may not play on the school playground without adult supervision at all times.
- **Changes sometimes occur** with our gym schedule, and may cause practice changes or cancellations which are out of our control.
- **Uniforms will be distributed the week before the first games.** Uniforms are to be treated with care and are to be returned with nothing more than normal wear and tear. Your family will be charged a fee if uniforms are lost or mis-treated.

Parents and Players

Signing this form means that you have read and understand the Practice Policy and Game Day information that was given to you.

Both Parent and Player are required to sign this form and return to your coach **prior** to the first games on 10/25.

Players will not be allowed to play until the form has been signed and returned.

Thank you for supporting your school athletic program and the Catholic School Athletic League.

Player Name _____ Signature_____

Parent Name_____Signature_____

Grade _____

Please return this form to your coach prior to 10/25.