

PARENT'S RESPONSIBILITIES

1. Read the Parent's & Player's Responsibility Forms and review it with their child. Ensure the agreement is signed and returned. No student can participate in a game until this agreement is returned to the coach. (handbook will be on the Athletic Association website soon) for now please go over player responsibilities with your child.
2. Provide transportation for the children to and from all practices and games, making sure they have proper equipment and water / Gatorade. Public School/Park District: Only water is allowed
3. Ensure that the coach is present at the practice facility and has gained access to the building. Do not just drop off your child. Practice schedules change, locked doors and conflicts do occur.
4. Drop off players at practices and games at times designated by coaches and pick up players promptly after practices and games. Do not send your child to a practice any earlier than 10 minutes prior to start time unless otherwise designated by a coach.
5. Players must be present by the start of practice. Repeated tardiness will result in disciplinary action. Player may only attend their scheduled practice with their team and not participate in other team practices(unless approved by SPAA/both coaches).
6. Parents may not send siblings to practice(unless approved by coach). * see responsibility number #16 for parents at practice.
7. Adhere to principles of good sportsmanship. As a representative of St. Patricia Parish, parents are expected to conduct themselves in a Christian manner at games and be respectful of all players, coaches and other parents, spectators and game officials.
8. Parents are encouraged to cheer their team on, but should make no attempt to instruct or direct the team or an athlete. They should not criticize the playing efforts of the team or any child on it.
9. Parents can be a model for putting losses into perspective and moving on. Criticizing or berating the coach / referee/ scorekeeper is inappropriate behavior and will not be tolerated
10. Work a concession assigned to them or find a replacement. Failure to do so will result in the forfeit of the concession fee. CLEAN-UP: After the last home game for day/evening, parents are expected to spend 10-15 minutes assisting the coach/ SPAA member and scorekeepers clean-up the gym. If parents do not help-out we will assign times to you, failure to assist in this could also result in forfeiture of concession check.
11. Parents must attend the coach's pre-season meeting.
12. Parents must keep the uniform clean and in good condition.
13. Parents will not conduct any sale, or host any profit-making event without written permission of the Athletic Board.
14. Parents will not send any team pictures or team info to the parish bulletin or newspapers. That is the duty of the Athletic Director. If you would like something placed, contact your Athletic Director.

15. Parents will not address a problem with the coach before, during or immediately after a game. Parents are required to follow a 24 hour cool down rule. Parents should follow the proper chain of command for working out concerns/grievances 1) coach, 2) sports director, 3) athletic director 4)Principal and Athletic Director meeting.
Please note the Pastor will not address any concerns unless proper protocol has been followed!
16. We don't have parents attend practice. If you wish to observe practice you may do some from the foyer. Exceptions: The coach has given permission to watch from the stage for a practice. Public school gyms: Parents need to remain in the foyer.
17. Parents may be banned from attending games if they do not follow these rules.
18. Parents may also be expected to contribute their time and service in support of the Athletic Program. Our program is dependent upon everyone's help and support to maintain a high level of quality and success.
19. When your child is registered for any team at the 4th, 5th, or 6th grade level, they should receive playing time at every game barring any disciplinary measures for absences, behavior, or missed practices. Coaches should have their expectations clearly communicated to players and parents. Let it be noted that the 6th grade level should be considered a transition year, and the playing time for each player will vary and will not be equal.
20. When your child is registered for any team at the 7th or 8th grade level, all of their playing time will be earned based on merit and the coach's evaluation. Every child is not guaranteed playing time. The teams for these grade levels are considered competitive.
21. During the playoffs, there are no guidelines for distributing playing time to players. Playing time will be distributed as your coach sees fit.

Signs and symptoms after a brain injury may include:

- Headache or a sensation of pressure in the head — the most common symptom of TBI
- Loss of or alteration of consciousness
- Blurred eyesight or other vision problems, such as dilated or uneven pupils
- Confusion
- Dizziness, feeling off-balance or the sensation of spinning
- Ringing in the ears
- Nausea or vomiting
- Slurred speech
- Delayed response to questions
- Memory loss
- Fatigue

Some signs and symptoms may not appear for hours or days, such as:

- Trouble concentrating
- Continued or persistent memory loss
- Irritability and other personality changes
- Sensitivity to light and noise
- Sleep problems
- Mood swings, stress, anxiety or depression
- Disorders of taste and smell

Print Name _____

Signature _____

Date _____