

St. Joseph School Spirit

~~~~~Athletic Boosters Club~~~~~

Our Philosophy: Saint Joseph's is a Catholic school committed to the highest standards of academic excellence and Christian values. It is a place where students are strengthened for lives of purpose, service, and leadership. The school aims to educate the heart and soul, as well as tend to the development of the body and mind of its students. The Athletic Booster Club (ABC) strives to maintain this vision of excellence by supporting the school's athletic program.

Our Mission: The Athletic Boosters Club will reinforce the school's mission by promoting a Christ-like spirit of competition. ABC will equally endorse the Catholic Youth Organization's "Play like a Champion" philosophy. ABC will assist St. Joseph's athletic program in harnessing athletes' love of competition and use it as an opportunity to teach life lessons about integrity, honor, dedication, a strong work ethic, teamwork, sportsmanship, prioritization of time, service to others, and leadership.

Expectations: A school known for its tradition of faith can likewise compete consistently and successfully in athletics. In fact, strong athletic programs contribute greatly to the life of the individual athlete and the life of the school as a whole. Each passing year other schools field teams that are better equipped and better prepared than our own athletes. To compete more effectively we must provide our athletes with improved practice and training opportunities. We must offer more fundraising and staff support. Significant investment in equipment, coaching personnel, and a reevaluation of our retention strategies will be essential. We want to set up scholarships (tuition assistance) for exiting and returning student athletes. This investment will produce a high return, as it will better serve our student-athletes, it will unite and energize our alumni, it will provide for a stronger campus community, and it will underscore the value of our mission to a larger and more receptive audience.

Involvement: Education is a partnership between home and school. St. Josephs values parent involvement at every level and encourages you to partner with other parents and with staff to provide the best possible school experience. In order for this partnership to be effective, communication, commitment, and organization are vital. St. Joseph School funds the various sports programs, including paying for CYO fees, officials, and equipment. The parents of student athletes subsidize the costs for uniforms. Expenses increase every season and parent participation has been low, as a result it has become more difficult over the years to sustain all scheduled sports. Kids, however, still need exercise, recreation, and a sense of healthy competition. With the support of the ABC, we can again make play important at St. Joseph School. Please consider joining the Boosters.

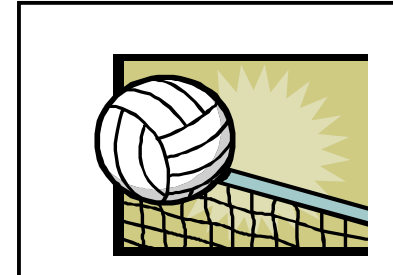
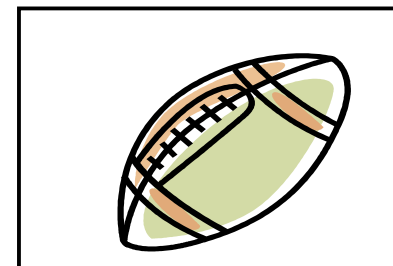
Membership: Anyone over the age of 18 that is affiliated with the school or affiliated with a student at the school can become a member of the Athletic Boosters Club. Parents, siblings, relatives, staff, and alumni are encouraged to join. Annual dues are \$70.00 per person. Proceeds go towards uniforms, equipment, and staffing of all sports at the school.

Benefits: With your membership you get the satisfaction of contributing to St. Joseph youth sports. And as thanks for your generosity you get an exclusive Boosters Club T-shirt, water bottle, and rally towel. Also, if you contribute hours by coaching, assisting, or officiating, your hours count towards the school's required service hours.

Additional Ways To Help:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Administration | <input type="checkbox"/> Fundraising |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Equipment | <input type="checkbox"/> Coaching* |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Officiating* | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Uniforms (no advertising) | <input type="checkbox"/> Score Keeping |

* Coaches and officials have to be certified by CYO, have fingerprints on file, & have VIRTUS training.



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Name: _____
 Address: _____

 Phone: _____
 Shirt size: _____
 Dues/Donations Payable to:
 St. Joseph Boosters

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