ST. CHARLES BORROMEO

CYO BASKETBALL REGISTRATION 2016-2017

FEE:

\$90 per participant for 9th thru 12th grade levels (JV/V)
\$70 per participant for 5th -8th grade levels
\$50 per participant for 3rd and 4th grade levels
(Fees cover: CYO team fees, referees, uniforms, equipment, and gym usage)

DUE: AT TIME OF REGISTRATION (no exceptions)

- Cash, money order or checks payable to: St. Charles CYO
- Fee will be returned if team space is not available.
- **PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT IS MANDATORY**. You will be expected to help during games at admissions and/or concessions.

INFORMATION/EVENTS:

- Practices begin late October/early November. Coaches will contact you with information.
- CYO Blessing Mass Saturday, November 19, 2016; 4:30 pm Mass. (Note: this is <u>mandatory</u> for coaches & players to attend.)

ST. CHARLES CYO PHILOSOPHY

Our vision for St. Charles CYO is to develop a program that is fair and just to the youth, that teaches good Christian values, builds skills, develops the kids as athletes, and builds self-esteem.

St. Charles CYO provides for the development of young people's spiritual, emotional, intellectual, social, and physical potential. Based on Catholic values, CYO offers guidance to assist young people as they assume responsibility for themselves and for their relationship with their family, peers, and community. The CYO program strives to meet the diverse needs of all our youth.

The CYO program at St. Charles honors a recreational and competitive philosophy. The responsibility for integrating these two aspects of our program is accomplished through the efforts of the coach. The coach is to serve the team with a Youth Ministry Philosophy; more than being a sports technician, the coach is an important role model for young people. In that capacity and above everything else, coaches in the CYO program strive to exemplify attitudes and behaviors of a committed Christian adult.

GRIEVANCE PROCEDURE

Parents/guardians are encouraged to communicate directly with the appropriate coach in the event of a grievance. If no resolution is achieved, communication of the grievance will be made to the CYO Advisory Board through the Athletic Director, Michael O'Meara. Mike may be contacted at 301-8720 (cell) or by email at thestcad@gmail.com

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DISCLAIMER

Release statement: I give permission for my child to be transported in a privately owned vehicle or emergency transportation for medical emergencies and/or for the release of medical records to an attending health care professional in case of injury or illness. I understand that every effort will be made to contact the parent or guardian. If one cannot be contacted, I hereby give permission for a qualified physician to secure proper treatment for my child. I certify that my child is in good physical health and has no limitations other than those I have listed, which may predispose him/her to risk during the program.

My signature confirms that I will read the CYO Athletics philosophy and I give my permission for my child to participate in the program and for the Athletic Director and/or Coach to have a copy of his/her records. I hereby release the Diocese of Rochester and all of its affiliated entities, including its employees, volunteers and the parish sponsor, from any and all liability for any damages suffered as a result of or relating to my child's participation in the CYO program.

CYO athletics is not responsible for lost or theft of personal or team articles during CYO functions

DIOCESE OF ROCHESTER/CYO ATHLETICS – MEDIA RELEASE

I give permission for the Diocese of Rochester to make use of pictures of my son/daughter for informational/advertising purposes only. Please check one of the following circles:

- In conjunction with the photographs, slide, audiotape or videotape, I also give my permission for the Diocese of Rochester—CYO Athletics to identify the person(s) either verbally or in writing.
- I request no identifiable information pertaining to the above-named person(s) to be used in conjunction with the photograph, slide, audiotape or videotape.

It is my understanding that this photograph, slide, audiotape, videotape or verbal written material will be used for Diocese of Rochester/ CYO Athletics public relations purposes. I hereby release Diocese of Rochester and all of its affiliated entities, including its employees, volunteers and the parish sponsor for any and all liability for any damages suffered as a result of or relating to the use of any photographs, slide, audiotape or videotape of my child done in accordance with the foregoing.

Parent/Guardian Signature: Date:

COMMITTMENT IS A KEY TO OUR PROGRAM.

IT IS OUR EXPECTATION THAT THE ATHLETES WILL NOT HAVE A REGULAR SCHEDULE CONFLICT WITH PRACTICE OR GAME TIMES ASSIGNED, NOR WILL THEY MAKE OTHER COMMITMENTS THAT CONFLICT WITH PRACTICES OR GAMES THROUGHOUT THE COURSE OF THE SEASON. FAILING TO MEET THE EXPECTATIONS LISTED FOR OUR ATHLETES AND PARENTS WILL RESULT IN REMOVAL FROM OUR PROGRAM.

LIST OF ATHLETE'S EXPECTATIONS

- Be a role model of good conduct in school, at practice and games, and within the community. •
- Show respect for coaches, game officials, opposing athletes, and opposing coaches. •
- Play the game fairly, strictly observing written rules and decisions of game officials and coaches.
- Perform to the best of your ability; working hard for team success and personal success, while • remembering that performing well and supporting teammates is more important than winning.
- Refrain from using, possessing or being under the influence of alcohol, illegal drugs or tobacco • products since they are health hazards and detrimental to my physical and mental well-being, preventing me from performing at my best.
- No swearing or trash talking will be tolerated. •
- Attend all practices and games throughout the season unless excused by my coach.
- Clean up after practices and games. Ensure you leave the gym with everything you brought with you. •
- Respect facilities and equipment in our gym and in other schools/gyms visited. Damaging anyone's • personal effects or athletic equipment/uniform will not be tolerated.
- Wear uniform issued by St. Charles CYO. Respect and care for uniform and return all articles at the end of season. (A \$50 fee will be charged for each uniform not returned;**\$75 for varsity uniforms**)
- Observe all rules and eligibility standards established by CYO Advisory Board and CYO.
- Refrain from posting inappropriate images, statements and/or words on all forms of social media.

I have carefully read, understand, and agree to follow the List of Athlete's Expectations.

PARENT'S EXPECTATIONS

Our sports program is based on Christian values. The CYO program is to assist youth in growing to be good Christians. Those values are learned at home as well as during practice and at the game. We should model adult Christian behavior and involvement in parish life so that our kids will grow emotionally, intellectually, physically, socially, and spiritually through the program.

Volunteering is mandatory. The CYO program cannot run without volunteers. As part of this program you as a parent are expected to volunteer.

Forget your plans for your kids becoming a pro. Ninety-nine percent of all kids involved in sports programs will not play professional sports no matter how hard they try. Let the game and practice be what they are supposed to be - fun not pro training.

Remember who is playing the game. We are not playing the game; the kids are. It is not fair to them to act as if their athletic performance is a reflection on us. While watching a game, be considerate of all who are there

The other team is composed of kids, too. The other team is not "the enemy." They are kids wearing different uniforms. Treat them as respectfully as you would want your kids to be treated by others.

Treat volunteers with respect. The coaches and referees are volunteers not professionals. They give up a great deal of their time to help out kids. They have a whole group of kids to consider, not just yours. They may make mistakes. Give them a break. If they are not doing a good job, report to those in charge but do not go after them on your own.

You are supposed to have fun, too. If the most important thing is having your kids win, you should reexamine your priorities. At the end of a game, win or lose, a good time should be had by all involved.

If you can't say something nice, don't say anything at all. If kids don't play well, don't rehash it and make them feel worse. If they want to talk about it, they'll let you know. But talk about it only to build them up and put things in the proper perspective.

Every child is unique. Some kids like sports and excel in them; some don't. Don't compare kid's abilities and interests. Don't presume they will like sports because you did. Every child is a unique gift from God and should be treated that way.

Parents are welcome at practice. Parents are welcome to **watch** practice. Please do not interrupt practice by trying to talk to the coach during practice and keep other children that may be with you off the court at all times

I have carefully read, understand, and agree to follow the List of Parent's Expectations.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date