

SPORTS PERMISSION FORM

SPORT: Boy's Basketball GRADE 8th  
COACH: Jim Martinkus

STUDENT NAME \_\_\_\_\_ BIRTH DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_  
PARENT/GUARDIAN \_\_\_\_\_ HOMEPHONE \_\_\_\_\_  
E-MAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ WORKPHONE \_\_\_\_\_  
PERSON(S) (other than parent) TO NOTIFY IN CASE OF EMERGENCY  
NAME \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

PARTICIPATION FEE \$50.00

As parent and/or legal guardian, I remain legally responsible for any personal actions taken by the above named minor.

I am aware that participating in sports will involve travel to practices and games. I acknowledge and accept the risks involved with my child's travel. I further understand that participation in sports presents to my child the risk of harm, including, but not limited to, serious personal injury or death. Any questions I have concerning my child's participation have been answered.

In consideration of my child being allowed to participate in the sport(s) indicated above, I hereby RELEASE AND AGREE TO INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS the Catholic Diocese of Peoria, the parish, the school, coaches, chaperones, volunteers or representatives associated with the event, and their employees and agents, from any and all liability for injuries, damages, medical expenses, or any other loss to my child or family or me (including attorneys' fees) arising from or related to my child's participation. Additionally, I give my consent and approval for my child's name and picture to be printed in any sports program, publication, or video.

As a parent/guardian, I further acknowledge that I am a role model. I will remember that school athletics is an extension of the classroom, offering important learning experiences for the students. Therefore, I will show respect for all players, coaches, spectators, and officials. I will only participate in cheers that support, encourage, and uplift the teams involved. I understand the spirit of fair play and good sportsmanship expected by a Catholic school, and accept the responsibility that comes with being a parent/guardian of a student athlete.

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME(please print) \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

**ALL FORMS MUST BE RETURNED WITH THE REGISTRATION FEE BY OCTOBER 5, 2009. CURRENT PHYSICALS MUST BE ON FILE BEFORE A STUDENT IS ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE IN WORKOUTS, PRACTICES, OR GAMES BEGIN.**

**PLEASE NOTE – THE ABILITY TO PARTICIPATE MAY BE DELAYED BY ONE (1) WEEK FOR STUDENTS WHO REGISTER AFTER THE DEADLINE.**

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## STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES

**Every boy or girl who chooses to participate in the athletic program at Saint Matthew School should recognize that to participate in sports at St. Matthew School is a privilege, and:**

1. Be genuinely interested in learning the rules and skills required for the sport.
2. Be willing and able to devote the necessary time to each activity he/she registers for.
3. Be respectful of coaches, officials, fellow team members and opposing team members.
4. Respect school property.
5. Respectfully represent St. Matthew in sportsmanship, behavior, and appearance.
6. Any player who receives a technical foul for unsportsmanlike conduct will be suspended for the next game.
7. Attend practices regularly and punctually.
8. Notify the coach of absence from practice and/or game in the manner designated by the coach.
9. Arrive no sooner than 10 minutes before practice or pre-game session and leave the building within 10 minutes of the completion of the activity.
10. Abide by all team guidelines and regulations established by the coach.
11. Keep uniforms clean and in good condition.
12. Return uniforms promptly at the end of the season.

## PARENT RESPONSIBILITIES

**Active parental involvement is vital to the success of the athletic program at Saint Matthew School.**

All parents are required to:

1. Insure that each student athlete has a record of a current physical examination on file with the school before participating in practices or competition. To be current, the physical must not be older than 12 months for any sport in which the student participates. There also must be a copy of the student's birth certificate on file in the school office. Parents are encouraged to have the physicals performed during the summer to ensure uninterrupted eligibility.
2. Assist with time-keeping, score-keeping, monitoring, ticket selling, transportation, and concessions as may be assigned.
3. Pick up students promptly after practices and games. No coach shall be expected to remain more than ten minutes after a practice or a game.
4. Exhibit good sportsmanship and Christian conduct at all athletic events.
5. Contact a coach to attempt to resolve a disagreement before bringing the matter to the attention of the athletic director or higher authority.

I have read and understand the student's and parent's responsibilities. I agree to uphold the tradition of high standards placed upon the student and parent representing St. Matthew School in an athletic event.

STUDENT SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_