

**Sacred Heart School  
Athletic Program**

Dear Parents/Guardians,

October 2018

As you know basketball season will soon be upon us. The Sacred Heart Athletic Program is open to all students in grades 4 through 8 and offers students the opportunity to participate in the basketball program. It is the goal of the program to allow children to acquire basketball skills, to help instill the concept of good sportsmanship, to develop a healthy sense of competitive sports and to allow the children to have fun.

Depending on the amount of kids in each grade will determine what we do. My goal would be to enter teams in the 4<sup>th</sup> grade level, the 5-6<sup>th</sup> grade level, and the 7-8<sup>th</sup> grade level. I will know by November 1 what teams we will have. Please respond by filling out the attached form asap.

With this in mind, registration forms are attached to this memo. Registration forms need to be returned to school **no later than Thursday, November 1, 2018**. You will not be placed on a team if we do not receive your registration by the due date. Registration fees are as follows:

\$150.00 for Basketball

**Please also note that if you are on a roster you will be required to pay for the purchase of your own uniform unless you have one from last year.**

This program is led by a relatively small group of volunteers, and we are looking for more help for the upcoming season. Our current needs include coaches, scorers and timekeepers for home games, and volunteers for the concessions stands at home games. All of these opportunities are a great way to begin completing your school service hours.

The Athletic Program is a great opportunity for the students and their families to get together outside of school and to enhance school spirit. We are looking forward to a fun and successful season!

Thank You,

Sean Sullivan  
Athletic Director

**Sacred Heart School Athletic Program  
Registration and Release of Claims Form  
2018-2019**

My son/daughter has my permission to participate in the Athletic Program at Sacred Heart School. I am a parent/guardian authorized to sign this form.

I understand that my child and I assume all risk of injury to person or property resulting from, caused by, or connected with any and all activities of the Sacred Heart School Athletic Program during the 2018-2019 sports season.

I individually, and as a parent or guardian of my child, for ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators hereby release and forever discharge the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston, a Corporation Sole, the Archdiocese of Boston, the Sacred Heart School, Sacred Heart Parish, their coaches, assistant coaches, principal, teachers, instructors, volunteers, priests, employees and agents and each person's or such entity's agents, representatives, successors, or assigns from any and all claims and causes of action, including but not limited to claims for personal injury or property damage which I, individually, and/or as parent or guardian of my child may have, arising out of or in any way related to any and all activities of the Athletic Program of the Sacred Heart School.

I also state that I am not aware of any health reasons which would prohibit or limit my child's participation in these athletic events. I will notify the principal or coach if new health conditions are later discovered which would affect my child's participation in the program. I, as parent or legal guardian, also give my consent for emergency medical/surgical treatment of my child.

As a responsible parent or guardian, I agree to provide transportation to and from games, and to ensure that my child is properly chaperoned, in accordance with the school's policies, at all related events.

As a parent/guardian of the student I understand that I will be scheduled for one two-hour shift of volunteer service on a home game night during the season. Home games are played on Friday evenings beginning the first Friday of December and ending on the Friday after February vacation.

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**Registration Fees are as follows:**

**\$150.00 per participant - Basketball**

**DUE DATE to send in Form November 1, 2018**

**Payment will be done thru FACTS**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

New Player Uniform Size: Shirt \_\_\_\_\_ Shorts \_\_\_\_\_

Returning Player Uniform Number \_\_\_\_\_

**As a participant in the Sacred Heart School Athletic program I agree to and understand that at all times I am to act in a sportsmanlike manner showing respect to all people - players, cheerleaders, coaches, referees, fans, etc. I am a representative of Sacred Heart School and need to act in an appropriate manner. Failure to comply with this will result in suspension and or termination from the program. Also, practices will be monitored and attendance taken. See the SHS Athletic Policy Manual for explanation of the practice policies that will be adhered to.**

**By signing below as a parent/guardian of a participating student, I have read, understand and agree with all of the terms and conditions of being a participant in the Sacred Heart Athletic Program as outlined in the Sacred Heart Athletic Program Policies Manual and the registration and release of claims form.**

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian signature: \_\_\_\_\_