



Parent of Athlete

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# Opening Prayer

A PRAYER TO SEE GOD  
IN YOUTH SPORTS

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**We pray for young  
athletes...**

Who, through sports,  
develop important values  
such as loyalty,  
perseverance, friendship  
and sharing.

**We pray for coaches...**

Who appreciate the gifts  
of all players and have  
respect for the game; who  
place players before  
winning and value  
sportsmanship.

**We pray for parents...**  
Who love their children  
for who they are, not for  
how they perform.

**We pray for officials...**

Who inspire fair play  
and protect the integrity  
of the game and  
players.

Oh God, we pray for all who participate in games; may their hearts be open to see your presence in and through sports; may their minds remember the element of fun reflective of your spirit; may their bodies reflect the gracefulness and wonder of Your creation. Let all who play the games be enriched by your presence in the gym, locker rooms and on the fields. Amen

# Opening Remarks

- Mr. Daniel Garrick - Principal
  - Welcome
  - Comments



# Eligibility - SFD and NCAA

## SFD Athletic Eligibility

- Academic Standards
- Weekly Eligibility
- Academic Support Program



# NCAA Eligibility

- [www.eligibilitycenter.org](http://www.eligibilitycenter.org) \*\*\* create an account and get started\*\*\*
- Division I Qualifier Requirements:
  - 4 years of English
  - 3 years of Math (Algebra I or higher)
  - 2 years of natural/physical science
  - 1 year of additional English, math or science
  - 2 years of social science
  - 4 years of additional courses (any area above, foreign language or religion)
  - Minimum 2.30 GPA (See NCAA sliding scale for GPA and ACT/SAT)

# NCAA Sliding Scale

Each student can check their ACT/SAT scores against their high school GPA to determine eligibility. To see the complete sliding scale, visit [www.ncaa.org](http://www.ncaa.org).

Sliding Scale A		
<i>Use for Division I prior to August 1, 2016</i>		
<b>NCAA DIVISION I SLIDING SCALE</b>		
Core GPA	SAT	ACT
	Verbal and Math ONLY	
3.550 & above	400	37
3.525	410	38
3.500	420	39
3.475	430	40
3.450	440	41
3.425	450	41
3.400	460	42
3.375	470	42
3.350	480	43
3.325	490	44
3.300	500	44
3.275	510	45
3.250	520	46
3.225	530	46
3.200	540	47
3.175	550	47
3.150	560	48
3.125	570	49
3.100	580	49

# NCAA Eligibility

- St. Francis DeSales does NOT recalculate GPA with summer school grades
- A student-athlete cannot replace a core course and enhance GPA
- Your students GPA begins in their freshman year!

Use code **9999** During  
ACT/SAT Registration

# School Attendance to be able to participate

- Per the athletic Handbook:
  - Student-athletes must be in school by 1st period in order to be eligible to participate in their sport that day
  - Exceptions: Doctor's appointment with signed note, funeral, college visit, etc....

# DeSales Athletic Association (DAA)

- What is this association?
- How can I assist?
- How do they raise money?
  - A. \$10,000 Raffle
  - B. Concessions

# DAA Concessions

- 10 volunteers = \$250 stipend to your program:
  - August 19th - football jamboree scrimmage; 1 stipend available
  - September 16th - 1 stipend available
  - September 30th - No volunteers yet
  - October 7th - 1 stipend available
  - October 21st - 1 stipend available



# DAA Continued

- How are the DAA funds used to support athletic Teams?
- \$1,000 to EVERY athletic program
- The rest of the \$\$ is divided up by number of total athletes and then given to teams based off of a per athlete dollar amount.

# Institutional Advancement Fundraisers

- *Support for our co-curricular activities*
- Friends in the Courtyard - wine tasting, appetizers, live auction, silent auction
- Casino Royale - casino games, dinner, live auction, silent auction

# Athletic Department Fundraisers

- Stallion Golf Outing
- NEW athletic fundraiser
- How is athletic department money used?

# OHSAA Competitive Balance

(will begin in fall 2017)

- Voted in place by OHSAA member school in 2014
- This process makes modifications to how schools are placed into tournament divisions in the team sports of football, boys and girls soccer, girls volleyball, boys and girls basketball, baseball and softball

# OHSAA Competitive Balance

- What does this mean for St. Francis DeSales?
- Student-athletes are classified into 3 tiers
  - Tier 0 - students that attended a “designated” Catholic feeder school.
  - Tier 1 - students that attended “other” Catholic feeder school. We add a +1 to our athletic count
  - Tier 2 - students that did not attend a Catholic feeder school. These students will be multiplied by a sport specific factor. (football = 2; boys and girls soccer = 6; volleyball, boys and girls basketball, baseball and softball = 5)

# Winter Sport Meeting Rooms

Boys Basketball - Library

Girls Basketball - Rm. 107

Wrestling - Rm. 109

Cheerleading - Rm. 111

Gymnastics - Rm. 110

Ice Hockey - Rm. 112

Swimming & Diving - Rm. 113

Bowling - Rm. 114