

St. John Vianney Regional School CYO Bylaws – Addendum #1

Team Rules and Regulations

January, 2010

The purpose of this addendum to the SJV CYO Bylaws is to provide and articulate the rules and regulations that should be adhered to by all SJV Teams, including all coaches, players, parents, and volunteers. It is the hope of the SJV CYO that by following and adhering to these rules and regulations, all CYO participants will enjoy the many social and civic benefits, as well as the many Christian values, that team sports can provide.

1. Outside of team management, namely coaching, playing time, etc., the CYO Board must be made aware of team activities and actions in advance. Examples: End of season parties, purchases, etc.
2. Each team will be required to have a team meeting within the first two weeks of practice with parents, players, coaches, the priest director, and board president present.
3. All rosters are to be submitted to the Athletic Director by the date determined, which will allow sufficient time for the priest director to verify all rosters.
4. All rosters and CYO forms are only to be signed by the priest director. Any rosters signed by any other priest will not be accepted.
5. All team paperwork (code of conduct, family pledge, etc.) must be turned in to the Athletic Director by the first scheduled game, either tournament or regular season. Failure to turn forms in on time will exclude that player or coach from participation until the forms are turned in.
6. All roster changes must be reported to the Priest Director and Athletic Director before a player or coach can participate with the team.
7. All equipment and supplies used by a team can only be issued or purchased by the CYO. Exceptions can be made with the approval of the CYO Board.
8. All team issues (ex. parent complaints) or infractions (technical fouls by a player or coach) must be reported to the Priest Director or Board President within 24 hours of the occurrence.
9. All issues or concerns for the District Administration must be made through the CYO Board. The District Administration will not accept any complaints, issues, or appeals from individuals not on the board unless the complaint, issue, or appeal regards the board directly.
10. All coaches and adult participants in the CYO must attend Mass on a weekly basis. Failure to do so will result in a warning at first and if the problem persists the coaches or adult participant will be removed from their position.

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11. All coaches are expected to comply with Diocesan Regulations regarding attendance at Protecting God's Children Workshops and Diocesan Coaches Clinics.
 12. All those interested in coaching at any level will be expected to submit an application form during the season prior to the season they wish to coach. (i.e. Basketball coaches will submit applications during the fall sports season). This rule applies to everyone, including old and new coaches.
 13. Teams are expected to pray before and after all practices and games.
 14. Starting with the February 2010 General CYO Meeting all teams will be expected to have a coach or representative from their team at all CYO General Meetings within their season.
 15. Starting with the fall, 2010 season all teams will be expected to complete a service project.
 16. All coaches will be responsible for uniforms and equipment during their season as well as the prompt collection of the uniforms and equipment at the end of the season. The families of players who lose or damage any uniforms or equipment will be charged. Any equipment lost or damaged by a coach will be considered when making application to coach in a future season.
 17. Uniform turn in must be done by the date set by the athletic director. Uniforms are not to be turned into the rectory or school. Any uniforms returned to these places will be rejected. Coaches are not permitted to keep uniforms or equipment from season to season.
 18. The CYO Board is to be made aware of all team parties and gatherings outside of practices and games for the purpose of board attendance and possible financial assistance. Please note that apart from practices and games, no team events are permitted to occur on Fridays during Lent.
 19. Only the CYO Board is permitted to make bulletin announcements and/or announcements or PIE inserts for the school. Anyone seeking approval for any of the above stated announcements should speak with the CYO Board Secretary.
- Any issues and/or concerns with this Addendum can be directed to the Priest Director or Board President.