



“St. Pat’s Bobcat Football”
2008 Football Information!!!

06/30/08

It’s that time of year again. Just passing on some information for the upcoming season, and important dates to keep in mind.

- Practice begins August 4th at 5:00.
- Registration will be held on July 25th from 6:00 to 8:30 pm at the football shed just west of the field. Please fill out all required forms and drop off for simplicity sake.
- Practices for the widgets, JV and Varsity will be Mon-Fri 5:00 till 7:00 or so, for the first 2 weeks and then we will reduce as the year progresses (Sooner if things are going well). In addition to having a night off for CCD, we will be taking Fridays off as well. If we find the boys are catching on quickly the practice times will be shortened as well.
- The weigh-in is scheduled for August 30th, in the morning at Our Lady of the Ridge school.
- JV is 106 lbs to 115 lbs is one stripe, and 116 lbs to 130 lbs is two stripes. (JV maximum weight was increased from 125 to 130 lbs.)
- Varsity remains unchanged; 141 lbs to 160 lbs one stripe, and 161 lbs to 185 lbs two stripes.
- Our first game is August 31st at home. We have an 8 week schedule, 4 home games, with possibly one bye week. Play-offs not included in the 8 weeks.
- Please try and recruit some of your friends and neighbors who may be interested. Final commitment is August 30th, at the weigh-in. If for any reason you find you can’t participate a full refund will be issued; so you have nothing to lose!
- The only thing the boys need to supply is a pair of spikes and a full athletic supporter .
- Practices are always on; rain or shine! In the event of lightning, we will have talks either in the shed or down in the school hall.
- Safety is our first priority and with the excessive heat we will plan accordingly and have plenty of water breaks.
- **Again, this year our weigh-in is scheduled for early morning, Saturday, Aug. 30th. All players must weigh-in, regardless of size for the official roster. There is an early weigh-in, but a one game mandatory suspension is enforced.**
- Please help out with concessions and field set-up prior to games. We have 4 home games this year and you can check out our schedule and other info at the leagues website at “cgscsports.org”. Please don not contact them; if you have any questions or concerns, direct them to a coach.
- We will be attending Mass every Sunday during the season. Usually the 10:00 am mass, dressed in uniform (pants and pads, with the jersey; no shoulder pads or helmets) , and proceed to the field for warm-ups or to leave to an away game.
- If you need to miss a practice or game please notify the coaches. There is a lot to learn in a short period, and we may need to pass on some info for the next practice. Again, please let us know!
- The Widgets and JV teams will also be having “B” games prior to the JV games on Sundays or scheduled games on Saturdays and you will be notified during the season.
- Please let us know what high school your son may be interested in going to. We try to set up practice games with other schools to introduce the players to the coaching staff and also help them get to know your sons.

Football offers so much more! There is nothing to lose; full refunds given back prior to weigh-in. We look forward to another successful season and please call with any questions!!

Please read the “Bobcat **Football Mission Statement**” on our site for further information and what football offers.

Thank you, St Patricia Coaching Staff

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