



CATHOLIC CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL
ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT

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Dear Parents,

These are exciting times! Your child has earned the privilege of representing Catholic Central High School as a member of one of our athletic teams. The coaches will devote time and energy to make this opportunity a meaningful experience for your student and your family. Our goal is to make the educational athletics experience a positive piece of your child's overall education. Cougar athletics have a long and proud tradition and we're glad you are part of it.

Many schools charge a participation fee for athletics. This fee can be as much as \$400-\$500 per family. Catholic Central does not charge a fixed fee for athletics; rather, we rely on the Athletic Booster Club and donations to operate the extensive athletic program.

This year we have presented an athletic budget of \$295,000 to our Athletic Boosters Club to operate our athletic programs. This number pales in comparison to many high schools in our area. To preclude athletic cutbacks, we are asking each family to donate to your child's team. I want to emphasize this is a voluntary donation *set aside for this team only* and is used to directly accomplish team objectives. Your donation will help various growing needs of the specific sports teams. Please understand there is no set donation amount, but we would appreciate each family donating \$100. We realize some families may not be able to donate this amount and others may be able to do more. Please know any donation will help and all will be greatly appreciated.

We believe this is an effective program to maintain the quality experience enjoyed by Cougar athletes. Please support us by completing the form below and sending it with your donation to our office.

Thank you!

Trevor Hinshaw, Athletic Director

Payable to: Catholic Central Athletics

Mail to: Catholic Central High School
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Donor's Name(s): _____

Donor's Address: _____

Donation Amount: \$ _____

Donation for following sport(s): _____
