

SSJ CYO Families,

Registration for SSJ CYO Spring Sports is now open! Use the link below to register. Below is a list of the programs we plan to offer, along with some details. Whether we're able to have all of these programs will depend on a few things.....we have enough participants, we have coaches, and the league has enough teams to support a season. If you register and pay a fee for a sport that we're unable to move forward with, you will get a full refund. Registration will stay open thru 2/26, but please register your child / children asap so we can plan accordingly. We're still waiting for an official start date from the AOP, but Spring Sports will most likely start around March 1<sup>st</sup>. **Reminder – SSJ CYO Sports are open to SSJ students and SSJ Parishioners only (unless otherwise noted).** Please help spread the word!

<https://st-simon-and-jude.sportngin.com/register/form/050807277>

**Girls Varsity Lacrosse (grades 7 & 8) – COACHES NEEDED.**

**Girls JV Lacrosse (grades 5 & 6) – COACHES NEEDED.**

\*If Region 17 is unable to support a JV league, we may allow our 6<sup>th</sup> graders to play Varsity. If we don't have enough players for either JV or Varsity, we may merge with another Parish.\*

**Girls Varsity Softball (grades 7 & 8) – COACHES NEEDED.**

**Girls JV Softball (grades 5 & 6) – COACHES NEEDED.**

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**Varsity Baseball (grades 7 & 8) –** Depending on the numbers, tryouts may be required.

**JV Baseball (grades 5 & 6) –** Depending on the numbers, tryouts may be required.

**Pee Wee Track (grades K thru 3) – ASSISTANT COACHES NEEDED.**

**Track & Field (grades 4 thru 8) – COACHES NEEDED**

**Biddy Basketball (grades K thru 5) –** Biddy Basketball will take place on Saturdays in March (3/2, 3/9, 3/16, 3/23). Our Regional Basketball coaches and players will be there to work with the kids. Here's what the schedule will look like.

- K & 1<sup>st</sup> Grade – 9am-9:45am
- 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade – 10am-11am
- 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, & 6<sup>th</sup> Grade – 11am-12:30pm – Like last year, we plan to bring in a Basketball Trainer to work with our 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, & 6<sup>th</sup> graders for all 4 sessions. It's a challenging, but very rewarding workout.

**Boys Varsity Lacrosse (grades 7 & 8)** – As in the past, we may open this up to other Parishes, as Boys Lacrosse is not a CYO sponsored sport.

**Boys JV Lacrosse (grades 5 & 6)** – We've gotten a great deal of interest regarding a JV Boys Lacrosse program, so we've added it to registration.

\*\*Per the above, we are in need of coaches for **Girls Varsity & JV Lacrosse, Girls Varsity & JV Softball**, and **Track & Field**. We could also use some assistant coaches for **Pee Wee Track**. If you are interested, please reach out to Bob DeVescovo ([ssicyosports@gmail.com](mailto:ssicyosports@gmail.com)) and Brendan Genter ([brendangenter@yahoo.com](mailto:brendangenter@yahoo.com)) asap. Coaching experience is not required! The only requirement is that your clearances are complete and up to date.\*\*

**At this point, we do not know when games or practices will be.** This will all be finalized once teams are formed. If anyone has any questions, or encounters any issues with registration, please don't hesitate to reach out. GO EXPLORERS!

Thanks,

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**PLAY HARD. PLAY SMART. PLAY TOGETHER.**