



Dear Athletes and Parents/Guardians,

This athletic packet provides our student athletes and parent/guardians with all information pertaining to participating in the Imagine-Chancellor Athletics program. Schedules for each sport are distributed at the start of each specific season. If you have any questions regarding the information in these documents, or any other concerns, please feel free to email Athletic Director William Grummer at william.grummer@imagine-chancellor.com

GO CHARGERS!

William Grummer Athletics Director

## **Prior to tryouts:**

- Before trying out for any team at Imagine Chancellor, it is REQUIRED to complete a sports physical. You can complete this with your pediatrician or at a walk-in clinic. I encourage you to complete this during the summer (when students have more available time) or at the start of the school year. Sports physicals are valid for a whole year from when it is completed.
  - Students will not be allowed to try out without a completed physical.
- Parents must sign an acknowledgement form stating that they, and the student trying out for the sport, understand the all the rules and requirements stated to participate in athletics at our school.
- Failure to provide these documents at the start of tryouts, will prohibit your child from trying out for that sport. The days for tryouts and practices will be determined by the coach of that sport. Also, the coach of that team will decide on the amount of players that make the team. Both forms are available for download from the Imagine Chancellor website.

#### **Athletic Fees:**

- All sports have an athletic fee that is required for every sport. Athletic fees may vary based on what is required of that sport. Students must bring their fees at the start of tryouts. If they do not have their fees, they may be removed from tryouts and will not be able to play on the team.
- Checks, cash or money orders are acceptable forms of payment. Fees will not be deposited until after your child has made the team. Fees will be returned to those who do not make the team. If there are any issues about fees please contact the coach, myself or Ms. Standley ahead of time so we can come up with a resolution.
- Fees are NON-REFUNDABLE. If a student guits or is removed from the team due to grades or behavior issues, your money will not be refunded. This policy is enforced immediately when the team roster is finalized. Please make sure that your child is committed to playing on the team prior to tryouts.
- These fees are used to pay for the coach's salaries, equipment, referee fees, uniforms, field maintenance, sports banquet and any other expenses needed for each team.

### **Team Commitment:**

- When a student has made a team, I expect a certain commitment to that team. Students are expected to attend all practices and games. The amount of time between tryouts and the first game is limited, so it is crucial for students to attend all practices. There are emergencies that may keep a student from attending practice, so please contact the coach or Athletic Director ahead of time if they need to miss practice. Missing practices and games may affect the playing time of a student during a game.
- Another aspect of commitment is to show good behavior at school and during games. I expect students to behave in school and set an example for others. Also, students must behave at games and show good sportsmanship to the other team. Failure to show good behavior and sportsmanship at school or games, may result in missing game time/being benched. Administration, the Athletic Director and the Coach will decide on what the consequences will be. All players must be respectful to other teams' coaches and players, officials, and the spectators watching the game. Spectators must not interact with the other team or referees. If spectators fail to follow these rules, they may be removed from the game and possibly asked not to return to games based on the incident.

## Participation:

• Playing time is not guaranteed for any players. I push our teams to be as competitive as possible. Coaches will try to get all students some playing time during games but it is not guaranteed. Playing time is based on work ethic, attendance of practices and games, attitude, grades, behavior and skill level. These aspects are evaluated by the coach to determine playing time best suited for the team to be successful. Students are required to have a 2.0 GPA at all times during the season. If a student's GPA is below 2.0 before tryouts, they will not be permitted to try out for that team. If their GPA falls below 2.0 during the season, they will be put on academic probation. They will have a week to bring up their grades and will not be permitted to participate in games. If they do not bring their grades up above a 2.0, they will be removed from the team. They are student-athletes and grades come first. Their GPA is based on the average of their core classes. Their electives have no bearing on their GPA that we look at.

# **Game Day Procedures:**

• Students may wear their game uniform shirt and school appropriate bottoms or just the normal school dress code uniform. The coach of a

- specific team may have students dress up but up to the coach's decision and discussed with the team.
- Students participating in a game must attend school the day of games. If they miss school the day of a game, they will not be permitted to play in the game.
- We do not have buses or any transportation to away games. Parents must either bring their child to the game or set up carpools with other parents. You must complete transportation forms and give permission for other parents to take your child. We cannot allow any parent to take your child from school unless you fill out the form. It is a safety precaution and a liability if not done correctly.

# Sports Season Schedule:

### Early Fall

Girls: Volleyball Boys: Flag Football

### Late Fall

Girls: Basketball Boys: Soccer

#### Winter

Girls: Soccer Boys: Basketball

## **Spring**

Girls: Flag Football Boys: Baseball