

2015



AGENDA

- General Information
- 2015 Calendar
- Raffle Ticket Sales

OFFSEASON EXPECTATIONS

- Participate in other St. Joseph sports.
- If not involved in another St. Joseph sport participate in the training program provided.
- Participate in all relevant fundraisers.
- During the summer see calendar for expectations.

PLAYING AT THE NEXT LEVEL

- Most important thing is your GPA, this starts the first semester of your freshman year.
- Test scores; need to do well on the ACT/SAT. You can and should take it more than once.
- What do I need to do to get recruited?
 - Register with the www.eligibilitycenter.org
 - Good grades (start strong)
 - Good test scores
 - Good tape
 - Go to camps

PLAYING AT THE NEXT LEVEL CONT.

- Recruiting Services: Not needed, we are your recruiting service.
- Camps/Combines
 - Camps: Teach football
 - Combine: Evaluate
 - Some do both
 - Need to go to the right camps/combines.
 - Need to be prepared properly when you go.

PLAYING AT THE NEXT LEVEL CONT.

- We will help you navigate the process.
- Make sure I (Coach Church) can answer the following questions in a positive way?
 - Can he be trusted?
 - Is he a hardworker?
 - Is he a good teammate?
 - Is he coachable?

VARSITY GAMEDAY PACK

- This year we will have a gameday pack; backpack, polo shirt, game socks.
 - Price will be \$75
 - Each Varsity player will have the opportunity to earn credit towards their travel gear through fundraising activities.
 - Pater True Value Bucket Sales, Blossomtime Program Sales, Spring Drive for your school, Krasl Art Fair Parking, Little Kids Camp, Triathlon Clean-up.
 - 5 fundraisers= 100% of travel gear paid for
 - 4 fundraisers =80% of travel gear paid for
 - 3 fundraisers= 60% of travel gear paid for
 - 2 fundraiser= 40% of travel gear paid for
 - 1 fundraiser= 20% of travel gear paid for

TEAM STORE

- St. Joseph Bears Football Team Store
 - Open from Feb. 27th until June 17th
 - Shipping options: Direct to your home (shipping charges) or bulk shipped to Coach Church and then distributed to players in early July.
 - <https://tsprintingplus.tuosystems.com/stores/sjf15>

ST. JOSEPH FOOTBALL CONTACT INFO.

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Boosters

President: Mike and Kathy Tuthill

Vice-President: John and Beth Griesbaum

Treasurer: Glenn and Amy Groom

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2015 CALENDAR

- MARCH

- High School after school lifting continues for all high school players not in Advance PE and not in a St. Joseph sport.
- Current 9th, 10th and 11th graders register for Advanced PE.

2015 CALENDAR

- APRIL

- High School after school lifting continues.
- Tues. the 7th Upton after school lifting starts.
 - 3 to 4 in the Upton weight room on Tues. and Thurs
 - For current 6th, 7th and 8th graders. Who are not participating in a St. Joseph school sport.
 - Goal is to develop functional movement, begin to build strength and power, and begin to learn weight room procedures and techniques.
- Sat. 25th Pater True Value Bucket Fundraiser.
 - Current 10th and 11th graders only

2015 CALENDAR

- MAY

- High School after school lifting continues
- Upton after school lifting continues
- Sat. the 2nd Blossomtime Parade program sales
 - Current 9th, 10th 11th graders
- Sun. 17th 7th and 8th Grade Parent/Player meeting
7 PM Upton Cafeteria.
- Weds. 27th Sports Physicals 6 PM SJHS Fieldhouse.
- Sun. 31st Freshman Parent/Player Meeting 7 PM
SJHS Fieldhouse.

2015 CALENDAR

- JUNE

- Weds. 3rd Drive for Your School Fundraiser 11:30 AM to 8:30 PM SJHS parking lot.
- Team Store Closes on 17th.
- Summer Lifting and Conditioning begins on Mon. the 8th.
 - Workouts are from 7:30 AM to 9:30 AM or 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM at SJHS every Monday, Wednesday and Friday.
 - These workouts are for current 8th, 9th, 10th and 11th graders.
 - We encourage 9th, 10th and 11th to come in the AM and 8th to come in the PM.
 - Workouts start at 7:30 and 5:30 do not be late
 - Communicate with coaches
 - Wear appropriate attire. (shoes for running)
 - Fri. June 12th AM lifting only (Golf Outing)

2015 Calendar

- JUNE CONT.
 - Fri. June 12th St. Joseph Football Booster Golf Outing
 - 1 PM Berrien Hills Golf Course
 - Wed. 24th and Fri. 26th 7 on 7 practice
 - 8:30 AM at High School
 - For all current 8th, 9th, 10th 11th grade skill position players.
 - Sat. 27th Dead Week begins

2015 Calendar

- JULY

- Sat. June 27th to Sun. July 5th 1st dead week.
- Summer lifting and conditioning continues.
- Mon. 6th 7 on 7 practice 8:30 AM
- Tues. 7th, 14th and 21st and Thurs. 23rd 7on 7 competitions
 - Time TBD (PM) at Lakeshore
 - Competitions are for current 8th, 9th, 10th and 11th grade skill position players.
- Sat 11th and Sun. 12th Krasl Art Fair Parking fundraiser
 - Current 10th and 11th graders only
- Sat the 25th Youth Camp and Rocket Coaches Clinic
 - Camp and Clinic in the AM
 - At St. Joseph High School
 - For current K through 5th graders.
 - Camp forms given when you came in.

2015 CALENDAR

- JULY CONT.
 - 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st St. Joseph High School Football Camp
 - 8 AM to 1 PM (Lunch provided)
 - At St. Joseph High School
 - For current 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th graders.
 - Camp forms given to you when you came in.
 - Tues. 28th and Thurs. 30th 7th and 8th Grade Football Camp.
 - 5:30 to 8:30 PM
 - At St. Joseph High School.
 - For current 6th and 7th graders.
 - Camp forms given to you when you came in.
 - Mon. 27th and Weds. 29th Varsity Card Sales
 - 5:30 to 8 PM
 - At St. Joseph High School
 - For current 8th, 9th, 10th and 11th graders.

2015 CALENDAR

- AUGUST

- Sat. 1st to Sat. 8th 2nd dead week
- Weds. 5th Sports Physicals 6 PM at High School Fieldhouse
- Sun. 9th Mandatory Parent/Player meeting
 - 6 to 6:30 PM for parents
 - 6 to 7:30 for players
 - At St. Joseph High School Student Center
 - For current 8th, 9th, 10, 11th graders
- Mon. 10th High School practice starts
 - Varsity from 7:30 AM to 4:30 PM (lunch provided)
 - Frosh and Junior Varsity AM only
- Tues. 11th, Thurs. 13th, Mon. 17th and Weds. 19th Junior High Conditioning
 - PM
 - Upton Middle School
- Sat. the 15th Pictures, Maize and Blue Game
 - In the AM at St. Joseph High School

2015 CALENDAR

- AUGUST CONT.
 - Weds. 19th Mom's Night PM Stadium
 - Thurs. 20th Kick Off Celebration PM Stadium
 - Fri. 21st Intrasquad scrimmage at Grand Rapids Christian
 - Exact times to come
 - Game Week Schedule starts Sat. 22nd
 - Varsity lifts/runs from 8 AM to 9 AM on Saturdays
 - Varsity meets from 7 PM to 8:30 PM on Sundays
 - All teams start practicing in the PM only starting Mon. the 24th
 - Mon. 24th Junior High Practice Starts
 - Thurs. the 27th Freshman/Junior Varsity opener vs. Kalamazoo Central.
 - Fri. the 28th Varsity opener at Kalamazoo Central.

2015 Calendar

- AUGUST CONT.
 - Sun. 30th Varsity Meet/Film 2 PM to 3:30 PM
 - Sun. 30th 4 PM Practice All Levels

2015 CALENDAR

- SEPTEMBER

- Labor Day Weekend

- Varsity Game on Thursday 3rd, Lift/Run 8 AM to 9 AM on Friday 4th, Meet/Film/Lift 12:30 PM to 2:30 PM Mon. 7th, Practice 3 PM Mon. 7th.
 - Freshman and Junior Varsity Game on Wednesday 2nd, Practice in the PM on Thursday 3rd , Practice in the PM on Monday 7th.

- Tues. 8th First day of school

- Weds. 9th 7th and 8th Grade Scrimmage vs. South Haven 4 PM Upton

- Varsity back to normal weekend schedule.

2015 CALENDAR

- OCTOBER

- Fri. 2nd Homecoming/100th Season Celebration vs. Benton Harbor
- Fri. 9th Future Bear Night vs. Niles
- Fri. the 16th Senior Night vs. Battle Creek Lakeview
- Sun. 25th Varsity Meet/Film 5:30 PM to 7 PM
- Sun. 25th 7 PM Playoff Selection Show SJHS Student Center
- Sun. 25th Parent/Player Meeting Varsity and JV 7:45 PM SJHS Student Center



St. Joe Football Boosters

2015 RAFFLE FUNDRAISER

1st Prize

\$1000 Cash



2nd Prize

Two Michigan State
Season Football Tickets



3rd Prize

Four Rounds of Golf at
HARBOR SHORES



- Tickets on Sale from February 22nd to March 8h
- \$10.00/Ticket
- Asking each player/parent to sell a minimum of 20 tickets
- Money and ticket stubs to be returned on Sunday, March 8th from 5 pm – 6 pm in the Fieldhouse. (The state of Michigan requires us to keep track of every ticket. Please make sure to return all tickets, including UNSOLD tickets and the SOLD stubs.)
- Drawing will be on Saturday Morning, March 21st at 9:50 AM during “The Coaches” show at Martins in Stevensville on WSJM -AM 1400.
- The player who sells the most tickets receives a Best Buy gift card for \$60.
- The family who sells the most receives a Coach’s Bar & Grille Gift Certificate for \$100.
- Cash or checks made out to “St.Joe Football” are accepted

for additional tickets, please call or text Kathy Tuthill at (847) 988-9259 or send e-mail to boosters@stjoefootball.com

CONCLUSION

- Let anyone who could not be here know that the calendar, PowerPoint presentation and camp forms will be posted on the website. (www.stjoefootball.com)
- Raffle Ticket packets that do not get picked up tonight will be distributed tomorrow in school.
 - Coach Catania and Coach Brown at Upton
 - Coach Church at the High School
- Pick up Raffle Ticket packets on the stage before you leave. Turn in your Booster Contact Information Sheet. (one packet for every player and coach)

