



St. Maximilian Kolbe Parish and School Catholic Youth Organization (CYO)

Dear Parents and Coaches:

Thank you for your interest in CYO! We are grateful for the opportunity to serve you and your children. We take very seriously our role as stewards of the great programs and traditions that St. Max CYO has developed over this CYO's history, and we will work very hard to continue this wonderful ministry in ways that are meaningful for your children. Through a focus on **SPIRITUAL GROWTH**, **SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY**, and **EXCELLENCE IN SPORTS**, our goal is to help our children use their God-given talents to play sports, while at the same time carrying out the ministry of Jesus Christ.

A few of our specific objectives for this school year, in addition to effectively managing the ongoing sports programs already in place, include:

- Responsible stewardship of existing CYO and parish assets (uniforms, equipment, fields, gym)
- Continue a tradition of partnership between CYO, PREP, Home & School, and parish administration
- Focus on ministry and service activities sponsored by CYO
- Fundraising efforts to support all sports programs – our programs (and the low registration fees) depend on supplemental fundraising efforts and we need your support!
- Provide excellent communication about available programs through our website, social media, and an improved registration system
- Remain available and communicative as a board to our parent, coach, and youth constituents

For more detailed information, please visit our website at www.stmax.org/cyo and find much useful information and useful links, documents, and forms.

We are here to serve you and your children, and we want to hear from you. Please be in touch as this year gets off to a start, and we look forward to seeing you in the gym, on the field, and around the parish campus. And lastly, a huge thank you to our many volunteer coaches – without whom none of these programs would be possible.

Sincerely,

St. Maximilian Kolbe CYO Board

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