



CHS Puma Softball

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MANDATORY Parent Orientation Night

Date: Monday January 23, 2012

Time: 7:00 PM

CHS staff lounge - 2nd floor, above the office

Welcome Puma Softball Player and Parents, Congratulations on being selected as a member of Chaparral High School Softball team. We request your presence at our orientation night. We ask that one parent or guardian per player attend this informative meeting. We will be giving an overview of the upcoming season, goals, team schedules, transportation, fundraising and you can meet our coaches. All orders for your 2012 player and fan spirit wear will be taken on this night only; we will also be accepting donations towards transportation cost.

As a result of the recent ACLU lawsuit filed against the State of California. Chaparral High School cannot require you or your family to purchase materials, supplies, equipment or uniforms for any school activity, nor can we require you or your family to pay for transportation cost. With or without the lawsuit, CHS would never exclude a student from one of its programs due to an inability to pay. However, this ruling poses a major dilemma for our program: This year our program will have to find creative ways to insure transportation to games, we cannot do this without the support of our Puma parents. This year we are asking that each softball family make a \$50.00 donation towards the transportation cost. With your donation, Puma softball can ensure transportation TO all away games, excluding weekends. In order to minimize cost we will ask that parents provide transportation or make arrangements FROM games to your Home. In order for us to properly plan and schedule transportation to all away games, we ask that you consider making your donation on or before February 28. More information on how you can pay your transportation donation will be handed out on this night.

Spirit Wear is not mandatory and is an optional purchase, If you choose to purchase spirit wear, all items will be on display and available to order on this night. Please visit our chspumasoftball.com web site, print your order forms, complete and return to the meeting on January 23 along with your payment. We will accept checks and cash (checks made payable to CHSEF). This will be your only opportunity to order your spirit wear; all orders must be turned in on this night in order to get your spirit wear prior to first games of the season.

All parents will have the opportunity to get involved and sign up for upcoming events, please make sure you visit our sign up tables on orientation night.

Please visit our web site at www.chspumasoftball.com for all the latest updates, upcoming events and contact information; this will serve as your information board for the 2012 Softball Season.

We look forward to seeing you there!