



## Pacer Athletics - Parent Information

### Athletic Directors

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### Sports

Fall: Volleyball, Cross Country, Swimming, Soccer (Boys)

Winter: Basketball, Gymnastics, Curling

Spring: Rugby (Boys), Ball Hockey, Ultimate, Badminton, Soccer (Girls), Golf, Tennis

*\*All of our teams are coach dependent. If we do not have a coach for the team, that team will not run\**

### Approximate Athlete Costs per Team

Sports	SR - Cost	Jr - Cost	Gr 8 - Cost
Volleyball	\$175-250	\$150-175	\$140-165
Basketball	\$300-350	\$180-205	\$175-200
Aquatics	\$40-65	\$40-65	\$40-65
Cross Country	\$50-75	\$50-75	\$50-75
Gymnastics	\$100-125	\$100-125	\$100-125
Ultimate	\$100-125		
Badminton	\$100-125	\$100-125	
Soccer	\$100-125	\$100-125	
Golf	\$75-100	\$75-100	\$75-100
<i>Rugby*</i> <i>new sport</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>TBD</i>	
Tennis	\$100-125	\$100-125	
<i>Ball Hockey*</i> <i>new sport</i>	<i>TBD</i>		

## **Coaches**

We appreciate all of the volunteer time, effort and dedication that coaches provide our athletes. Our coaching staff consists of staff and community members who have their CATT certification, a current criminal record check and experience or knowledge of the sport.

If you are interested in coaching with Pacer Athletics, please email the athletic directors to receive a coaching application.

## **FAQ**

### **1) What is the approximate cost to play on a Pacer athletic team?**

*Each team has their own budget that is divided between the amount of players the team has. A team budget considers the following:*

- *BC School Sports Fee*
- *South Fraser Athletic Association Fee*
- *Delta Schools Athletic Association Fee*
- *Delta Secondary School Athletic Fee*
- *Transportation Fees (for coaches' gas reimbursement)*
- *Tournament Fees*
- *Officiating Fees \*applies to specific sports\**
- *Travel Expenses (example: a tournament that is out of town)*
- *Teacher Teaching on Call cost - If a teacher has to miss a day of school to coach*
- *South Fraser Championships*

### **2) What are additional costs that could be added after?**

- *Team Clothing (optional)*
- *Qualifying for a Provincial Championships*

### **3) Delta Secondary Athletic Fee - How much is it? What does it pay for?**

- *\$20, Pacer Athletic T-Shirt, new team equipment, Athletic Banquet, first aid supplies, new uniforms, coach appreciation gift, general wear and tear of facilities equipment.*

### **4) If my child makes multiple teams, do they have to pay the Delta Secondary School Athletic Fee for each team?**

- *Yes, they do. It is very expensive to run an athletics program. Especially with the wear and tear on team uniforms, team equipment and facilities.*

**5) If my child quits a team, will I get a refund or do the fees still need to be paid?**

- *Once a budget is set, the cost is then divided by the number of players. If a child quits, a refund will not be given, because of this.*

**6) When are my child's team fees due?**

- *Individual player fees are due **before** their first league game. No pay, no play.*

**7) What if my child does NOT make a team?**

- *There are opportunities to improve skills within community sports associations (example: South Delta Basketball Association, various club volleyball leagues, etc.)*

**8) What is our Pacer Athletics Philosophy?**

- ***Our student-athletes are students first and athlete second.** Our student-athletes are required to attend regularly, participate to the best of their ability and conduct themselves in a respectful manner while contributing to the classroom learning environment.*

**9) What forms are required from athletes PRIOR to league play?**

- *All Pacer athletes are required to submit two completed forms.*
  - *1) **Player Code of Conduct** forms that are signed by both the athlete and the parents/guardians*
    - *If any of the rules listed on the Player Code of Conduct are breached, a player may be removed from the team.*
  - *2) **Teacher** forms that are signed by all of the athlete's current teachers*
    - *Please note this signature can be revoked at any time if there is an academic or behavioral concern which would make the player ineligible.*

**10) What age group does the fair play rule apply to?**

- *The DSSAA rule only applies at the **grade 8** level except during playoffs. Fair play does not apply in playoffs.*

**11) Is my child guaranteed playing time in games?**

- *No. The volunteer coach decides who they believe is the best fit to play during the event.*