



## Pacer Athletics - Parent Information

### Athletic Directors

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### Sports

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

Winter: Basketball, Gymnastics

Spring: Rugby, 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\**

### Past Costs Per Athlete

Sports	SR - Cost	Jr - Cost	Gr 8 - Cost
Volleyball	\$250-300	\$200-225	\$150-200
Basketball	\$350-450	\$300-350	\$200-300
Aquatics	\$100-150		
Cross Country	\$65-80		
Gymnastics	\$100-125		
Ultimate	\$100-150		
Badminton	\$100-150		
Soccer	\$100-150		
Golf	\$150-250		
Rugby	\$100-150		
Tennis	\$150-200		
Ball Hockey	\$140-190		

## **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\**
- *Facility Rental Fees \*applies to sports that use off-site facilities\**
- *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*
- *Coaches year end gift and clothing*
- *South Fraser Championships*

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

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

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

- *\$30, 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?
- *Fall: October 15th*
  - *Winter: January 15th*
  - *Spring: April 25th*
- 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 athletes **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 online** form 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.*