

PSA Public Meeting
 Sunday, March 11th @ 2:30pm
Lighthouse Christian Fellowship Church

Volunteers and financial sponsorship are VITAL to the success of our local youth sports programs. With the rapid growth and change our community is experiencing, the PSA is in need of qualified coaches and dependable volunteers in each of our sports. Visit the PSA website and complete a coaching application or contact the applicable sports commissioner for more information on volunteer needs. GET INVOLVED and MAKE A DIFFERENCE in the lives of our Prosper youth.

Several PSA sponsorship packages and opportunities are currently available. Due to our growth in participation numbers, PSA has experienced tremendous increases in costs. Please consider sponsoring youth sports in our community. Contact a PSA Board member if you are interested in assisting.

PSA currently has an opening for the employment of an individual or couple interested in the management of the concession function at the downtown baseball fields this season. Interested parties can seek more information by contacting a PSA Board member.

With baseball and softball seasons about to begin, volunteers are needed for repairs and field preparation at Main Street Park, the middle school baseball field, and the baseball field to the south of Rucker Elementary. Saturday, March 3rd has been scheduled as a work day to get the fields ready for hosting games. Coaches will be notifying parents on times and tools needed. Please join us in preparing our baseball fields for our players this season.

Contact information for PSA Board members and sports commissioners is available on the PSA website. Please feel free to contact these respected volunteers with any concerns or suggestions for improvement to our youth sports programs.



PSA Basketball Commissioner – Ryan Brackeen

PSA Basketball games are underway. Updated game schedules for 1st grade through 6th grade teams have been posted at the McKinney website (www.mckinneytexas.org). Please check the PSA website (www.prospertx-sports.org) for any additional basketball information.



BASEBALL



PSA Baseball Commissioner – Hiram Colon

PSA Baseball is heading into its biggest season with over 280 players registered to participate on 25 teams. Baseball teams have been formed and registered players have been contacted with their team assignment and pre-season practice times. Practices are scheduled to begin the week of March 5th and games will begin April 7th.

Parent meetings will be conducted on Sunday, March 4th at Lighthouse Christian Fellowship Church. Parents of T-Ball, U6 and 7/8 Coach Pitch will meet 6:30 – 7:45 PM, and parents of 9/10, 11/12, and 13/14 age divisions will meet 7:45 – 9 PM.

Sponsors are needed for the upcoming season. Please contact Hiram Colon or Scott Sigman if you are interested in sponsoring PSA Baseball. Several sponsorship packages are available.

PSA Baseball and Softball are in need of volunteers to coordinate the concession stand this season. Concession stand revenue covers the cost of umpires and is a vital component of a successful baseball season. Please consider volunteering to be on the committee to oversee concessions this season.

Saturday, March 3rd has been scheduled as a work day for preparation of fields for the upcoming season. Crews will be deployed to Main Street Park, the middle school baseball field, and the baseball field to the south of Rucker Elementary. Contact your team coach for more information on the times, tools needed, and the assigned location for your team.

Your help and support is needed to make this coming baseball season successful. Continue to check the PSA website (www.prospertx-sports.org) for more related information.



CHEERLEADING



PSA Cheerleading Commissioner - Stacey Reed

Pre-Registration is still available for cheer. Please visit the PSA website to pre-register your child. This will help in determining the number of cheerleaders expected for the upcoming season. Also, if you are interested in coaching a cheer squad, please fill out the online coach's application. No experience is needed, and it is a great way to become involved in the community. Official sign ups for cheerleading will be in April. Additional information will be posted at the PSA website (www.prospertx-sports.org) as it becomes available.

PSA BOARD MEMBERS:

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SOCCKER



PSA Soccer Commissioner – Lloyd Mills

The Prosper Soccer season began February 3rd for the U13 and U14 teams with promising results. The remaining divisions of the soccer league, U4 through U12, begin their season February 17th with games at a number of venues including Rucker Elementary, Warren Park, Bacchus Park, and Pizza Hut Park. Our friends in Celina will host games the following weekend. Each team will play a minimum of ten games with the first few games of the season likely to be played in the freezing cold.

Parents have begun to figure out the multi-sport juggling needs with soccer, basketball, and baseball all having overlapping seasons. The cross-training opportunity should yield a few Olympic Decathlon hopefuls. The first game jitters will soon be over for many new coaches and players. With the great support we have been receiving from the director of coaching, parents, and the high school staff, we should have another fun-filled, child-developing, soccer season.

Thank you for your continued support of PSA Soccer. Please visit the PSA website (www.prospertx-sports.org) or contact Lloyd Mills if you are interested in volunteering or need any additional info.



SOFTBALL



PSA Softball Commissioner - Emilio Villa

Online registration is now closed for the spring softball season except in the 12U division. We need an additional 4 players to form a second team in this age division. Please contact the softball commissioner at softball@prospertx-sports.org to register for one of these last four spots.

Softball will play in the North Texas Softball Association (NTSA) this season with games scheduled to begin in April. Other towns participating with Prosper in this league include Celina, Aubrey, Little Elm and Pilot Point. Softball coaches will be contacted this week with more information regarding the season.

Saturday, March 3rd has been scheduled as a work day for preparation of the softball field at Main Street Park for the upcoming season. Contact Emilio Villa at 214-536-4310 or softball@prospertx-sports.org for more information on the start time and tools needed. Volunteers are still needed for this season.



VOLLEYBALL



PSA Volleyball Commissioner – Jo DiDonato

REGISTRATION: Jo DiDonato will be finalizing registrations this week. All registration forms were distributed last week and must be returned by Feb. 23rd.

PSA Volleyball league plays through McKinney Parks and Recreation. Volleyball is open to both girls and boys and offers 3rd and 4th grade, 5th and 6th grade, and 7th and 8th grade divisions. Registration cost is \$55 per player. This cost includes a uniform, trophy, and participation in an 8 game season. An additional fee to cover gym rental charges will be set after teams are formed. League play is scheduled to begin Saturday, April 7th. If you have additional questions, please check the PSA website (www.prospertx-sports.org) or contact Jo DiDonato at 214-669-1559.



FOOTBALL



PSA Football Commissioner – Don Mettica

Pre-Registration for 1st through 6th grade football players will continue through the end of March and is accessible through the PSA website. We are still looking for coaching candidates for 1st through 3rd grades. If you are interested, please visit the PSA website (www.prospertx-sports.org) and complete a coaching application. Interviews will be conducted for all 2007 coaching candidates. Times and locations for the coach interviews will be posted on the website and need to be completed by the end of March.

Official registration for football will take place in April. Visit the PSA website for additional information or forward any football inquiries to football@prospertx-sports.org.