

Position Title: Athletic Coach

St. John Lutheran Ministries, Battle Creek, NE

Accountable to: The Athletic Director and The Board of Education

Purpose: To serve the church by managing and building the sports program

Qualifications:

- a. Displays Christian Values and Behaviors
- b. Teaching Skills
- c. Organizational Skills
- d. Communication Skills
- e. Responsible Behavior
- f. Understanding of Sports

General Responsibilities of Team Coaches

1. Serve as a Christian example of fair play and good sportsmanship both on and off the playing field and court. Emphasize the glory of God over school and self.
2. Conduct a pre-season meeting with parents of student-athletes who are participating in the given sport, and distribute a copy of team guidelines, coach's expectations, and practice and game schedules.
3. Organize and execute practice sessions in conjunction with practice times coordinated with the Athletic Director.
4. Provide supervision for student-athletes after practices and games until they are picked up by a parent or guardian.
5. Attend all games and be responsible for the conduct of the team.
6. Make new equipment needs known to the Athletic Director prior to St. John Ministries fiscal year budgetary meeting and care for existing equipment used in the sport coached.
7. Coaches are responsible for having signed medical release and liability forms for all practices and games for each athlete in conjunction with the nurse's office and Athletic Director.
8. Coaches must participate in a post season meeting with the Athletic Director.