

## **St. Anthony Sports Boosters**

### **Individual Sports Policies**

Each individual sport shall have the opportunity to create and manage their own sports policies subject to approval of the individual sports boards and the SASB Board.

#### **I. Required Provisions of Individual Sports:**

1. Adherence to the SASB Participation and Playing Time Policy
2. Defined Coach Selection process
3. Defined Conduct and Discipline Policy for coaches and players
4. Annually perform a criminal background check on all coaches
5. Have each coach annually read, sign, and adhere to the SASB Coaching Guidelines.
6. Annually demonstrate a balanced budget
7. Annually demonstrate adherence by *all* coaches of each sport to the Minnesota “Concussion Law” effective September 1, 2011
  - a. All coaches (head and assistants) and officials receive concussion training and education by September 1, 2011, and then at three-year intervals thereafter.
  - b. Coaches must remove an athlete from activity if they exhibit signs, symptoms or behaviors consistent with a concussion and/or are suspected of sustaining a concussion.
  - c. The law also requires a doctor's signature to return to play if an athlete is removed due to a concussion or is showing signs or symptoms of a concussion.