## Stanwood-Camano School District 2023/2024 Athletics Participation Fee Schedule Grades 7 – 12

Due to the rising costs associated with the Stanwood-Camano School District's athletic programs, and the statewide educational budget reductions, the District has approved an Athletics Participation Fee. <u>The fee must be paid when the athlete makes the team *and* before the first competition.</u>

Parents of students who *qualify* for the National Free and Reduced-Price meal program (NFRP) and have a current application on file with the district office are eligible for a waiver of the athletic participation fee. A copy of the *Notice of Eligibility for Free or Reduced-Price Meals* OR a print out from *Family Access* must be provided by the guardian and given to the athletic department. As well, a copy of the NEW parental release of information form must also be turned in\* (Applications for the NFRP are available on-line, at all schools, and the district office). Parents are responsible for completing and submitting the required paperwork.

| Athletics Participation Fee           |                |                    |  |                                 |  |  |  |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|--------------------|--|---------------------------------|--|--|--|
| School                                | Fee Each Sport | Student Annual Cap | Qualify for National Free and<br>Reduced-Price Meal Program              | Family Cap per<br>Sports Season |  |  |  |
| High School<br>(grades 9-12)          | \$100.00       | \$200.00           | Fee is waived if qualified for free or reduced lunch per RCW 28A.325.010 | \$200.00                        |  |  |  |
| Middle<br>School<br>(grades 7 &<br>8) | \$ 50.00       | \$100.00           | Fee is waived if qualified for free or reduced lunch per RCW 28A.325.010 | \$100.00                        |  |  |  |

## **Athletics Fee Guidelines:**

✓ Once an athlete makes a team, the athletic fee must be paid right away and be received prior to the first interscholastic competition in order to be eligible to participate and remain on the team.

✓ Fees must be turned in with completed form to the main office. Checks should be made payable to your school. <u>You may also</u> <u>pay fees online, however, you must print and present the receipt with the completed form.</u> ✓ If qualified as a free or reduced student, the form below must be filled out completely and returned in an envelope with a copy of the <u>Notice of</u> <u>Eligibility for Free or Reduced-Price Meals OR a print out from Family Access and a copy of the NEW</u> parental release of <u>information form\*</u>

✓ Fees are capped at \$100/\$50 per sport. Maximum charge per student per year is \$200/\$100.

✓ Family Cap is only applicable to individual schools.

## Refunds will only be provided under the following conditions:

- 1. Student quits due to illness or injury prior to first competition.
- 2. Student quits due to family moving prior to first competition.

3. Student's Free or Reduced-Price Meal Application (or eligibility) was approved prior to first competition.

## NO refunds will be approved for students who are dropped for athletic code violations or have quit after the first interscholastic competition.

If you have any additional questions or concerns or need help with Family Access, please contact the secretarial staff at each school: Stanwood High Athletics Office 360-629-1322 Stanwood Middle 360-629-1350 Port Susan Middle 360-629-1360

| Student Name: |                 |   | Grade:        | Receipt #                               |                |
|---------------|-----------------|---|---------------|---|----------------|
| Cash          | Check #         | Amount enclosed \$                          | _ Free/Reduc  | ced or College Bound Qualified: yes / r | io (Please put |
| student nai   | ne and sport of | n memo line of the check.) <b>*Proof of</b> | Eligibility & | Parental Release Form must be att       | ached.         |

 Fall sport \_\_\_\_\_\_
 Winter sport \_\_\_\_\_\_

Spring sport \_\_\_\_\_\_

Participating Siblings Names (same school only):\_\_\_\_\_

\*Eligibility information can be printed directly from your Family Access login! *Click on Food Service, Applications and current application information (<u>effective date must be no earlier than August 2022</u>) will be displayed. Make sure to PRINT this page, using the PRINT button in the upper right hand corner of the page.* 

Please return this form with payment.

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