



Agenda-March 28, 2004

1. Opening prayers and a word from Father James Soliman to the servants.
2. Important dates and deadlines:
 - a. **Wednesday April 14, 2004** is the final day to register to participate in the summer of 2004 basketball league -NO EXCEPTIONS By this date your church should have decided who their coaches and committee members are and should have submitted their coach's & committee member's names, phone number and email addresses. Remember that coaches and committee members must be approved by their parish church's priest(s) and league official(s) BEFORE this date. (This is not the only deadline you need to meet in order to participate!)
 - b. New team names will be assigned. Coaches can change their team names no later than **Wednesday April 14, 2004** (i.e. Lions for St. Mark). Also, teams are now required to state their team jersey color.
 - c. **Monday May 17, 2004** is the due date for league fees and waivers. Expect the league fee to be around \$600.00 or \$300.00. The waivers will be done online (i.e. University applications).—There will be no exceptions. If all the league fees and all your team waivers are not in by this date you will be dropped from the league unless you give prior notice—at least 2 weeks and with a legitimate excuse. (Coaches must clear each player no later than Monday May 24, 2004).
3. Participation in League
 - a. College Boys, High School Boys, & High School/College Girls
4. Age of Eligibility
 - a. College Boys & Girls:
 - i. Born in '81 thru the graduating class of 2004; CLASS OF 2004 MUST PLAY COLLEGE.
 - ii. No high school players are allowed.
 - iii. Proof of ID may be required
 - b. High School Boys:
 - i. Class of 2005 thru Class of 2009
 - ii. No college players are allowed.
 - iii. Proof of ID may be required
 - c. High School Girls:
 - i. Born in '81 thru the graduating class of 2008
 - ii. No college graduate players are allowed.
 - iii. Proof of ID may be required
 - d. Junior High Boys & Girls
 - i. 5th thru 8th Grades
 - ii. No high school players are allowed.
 - iii. Proof of ID may be required
5. Structure of the league (should be standard for all three leagues)
 - a. Schedules
 - i. All leagues will be centralized (Split churches into North & South) Play each team twice (Saturday AND Sunday).



- ii. All leagues will be centralized (Split churches into North & South) Play each team once (Mainly Sunday and occasionally Saturday).
 - iii. Have two central locations. Teams will travel according to gym availability. Play each team once (Mainly Sunday and occasionally Saturday).
 - iv. North GYM- Torrance (close to the 405 freeway) and South GYM-Orange County/Anaheim
 - b. Important scheduling dates:
 - i. College, HS Girls, & HS Boys Leagues—Begin Saturday, June 19, 2004
 - ii. No Games Scheduled During Following Events (Not For All Leagues):

Diocese Conventions:

 1. Junior High (G): **July 10-12; (B): July 24-26**
 2. HS (B): **July 29 – Aug 1; HS (G): August 6 - 8**
 3. College: **August 12 - 15**
 4. Holiday Weekends (Independence Day & Labor Day)—All Leagues.
 - c. Playoffs, Championships, Youth Day, & Awards Ceremony:
 - i. Dates of Playoffs: Round 1-**Sat 8/14/04**, Round 2-**Sat 8/15/04**, Final Round-**Sat 8/21/04**
 - ii. Top 4 teams of each league and division will advance (single elimination)
 - iii. In the event of a tie, consider: 1) record against each other; and 2) add the scores of the season
 - iv. Spiritual Day & Awards Ceremony **August 28, 2004 at 9:00am at COCC.**
 - d. Junior High Tournament
 - i. Date: July 17 & 18, 2004 (Saturday & Sunday)
 - ii. Final date to register to participate: Sunday July 11th 2004. Registration is online.
6. Review rules:
- a. Canceling Games: You **MAY NOT** cancel/postpone/reschedule any game. All games that need to be postponed will be considered a forfeit **unless** it is for a tragedy (i.e. funeral). You will have 2 weeks to negotiate the schedule, months prior to the start of the league. (If a game is going to be forfeited for any reason, it **MUST** be called in to Beshoy Makar 72 hours prior to the start of the game or else you will suffer a \$50.00 league fine that must be paid 72 hours before your next game.
 - b. All Teams Responsible for their own Refreshments—**Please be responsible for trash clean up after the games.**
 - c. Ladies will **not** be allowed to wear tank top jerseys, cut-offs, or short shorts.
7. Final comments and concerns
8. Final prayers