## **Guardian** Angels

## **2014-15 VOLLEYBALL EVALUATION SCHEDULE**

## Sunday October 12

3 <sup>rd</sup> grade 4 <sup>th</sup> grade 5 <sup>th</sup> grade	1:00-2:00pm 2:00-3:30pm 3:30pm-5:00pm		PC Gym PC Gym PC Gym
Sunday October 19			
7 <sup>th</sup> grade	1-3pm	1 <sup>st</sup> evaluation	PC Gym
8 <sup>th</sup> grade	3-5pm	1 <sup>st</sup> evaluation	PC Gym
6 <sup>th</sup> grade	5:30-7:30pm	1 <sup>st</sup> evaluation	PCGym
Monday Oct. 20			
7 <sup>th</sup> grade	4:30-6:30pm	2 <sup>nd</sup> evaluation	PC Gym
6 <sup>th</sup> grade	6:30-8:30pm	2 <sup>st</sup> evaluation	PC Gym
Thursday Oct 23			
6 <sup>th</sup> grade ***Moved to Sunday October 19 530-730pm***			
8 <sup>th</sup> grade	6:30pm-8:30pm	2 <sup>nd</sup> evaluation	PC Gym

**Evaluation & Team Selection Process (3-5<sup>th</sup>):** Teams in grades 3-5 are placed with a goal to maintain balance throughout the grade. The players are issued a # on the day of evaluations. They are evaluated by non-parent coaches and non-parent volunteers skilled in the sport of volleyball. Coaches are invited to observe the evaluation process. No non-coach parents are permitted to observe the evaluations. The participants are run through a series of volleyball skills and athletic exercises appropriate for the grade level. The evaluators then work together to prepare a ranking for the coaches based on the evaluation scores. Coaches sit down together with a Volleyball Booster representative and translate the player number/rankings. They then select teams via a modified draft process. The Booster representative assures balance is maintained during the team selection process and has the final decision on team rosters.

**Evaluation and Team Selection Process (6-8**<sup>th</sup>) This year the Guardian Angels Volleyball top competitive team will be referred to as the RED team. The subsequent teams will be referred to as WHITE, ROYAL and NAVY. Participants who accept a position on the RED team are required to sign a player/coach/parent contract agreeing to the expectations and responsibilities of the RED team. A copy of the agreement is available online at <u>www.gaboosters.org</u>. To be eligible for consideration for the RED team the participant must attend both evaluations. Consideration for the RED team is voluntary and not a requirement to participate in the volleyball program at Guardian Angels.

Beginning in 6<sup>th</sup> grade participants are given the opportunity to evaluate for a higher level of competition. The evaluations are entrusted to a non-Guardian Angels affiliated company that specializes in successfully evaluating and placing competitive and recreational (CYO) volleyball teams. No coaches or parents are permitted to participate in or observe the evaluations. No information is provided to the evaluators. This philosophy gives each participant a fresh start each season. Each participant will be issued a # on day 1 of the 2-day evaluation. At the conclusion of day 2 the evaluators select the participants (using player #) for the RED, WHITE, ROYAL and NAVY teams. The evaluators then send the team rosters to the volleyball committee who then translate the teams by player number. The teams are then posted.

Your Volleyball Director this year is Connie Ganim. If you have any questions please email guardianangelsvb@gmail.com