



Dear Baseball Families,

We are excited to share information about the upcoming baseball season as well as specific details regarding our Spring Break Memphis Trip! First and foremost, our Player/Parent meeting is scheduled for **Thursday, Jan. 18th at 6:00 pm** in the Johnsburg High School Cafeteria. We will discuss important information regarding player gear/spirit wear, Snap Raise, and general information regarding the season. Please mark your calendars!



Additionally, we have been meeting with a group of parents who have formed the inaugural **Dugout Club** for the Johnsburg High School Baseball Program.

The Club functions to allow parents to work alongside the coaching staff for program development. This development includes planning our spring break trip, team meals, organizing special event days (Sr. night, JBBL night, etc.), as well as additional fundraising opportunities.

It is not too late to get involved with this group of parents who are dedicated to making the high school baseball experience for our Skyhawks second to none! If your schedule allows and you can attend any of the meetings, please do so. The Dugout club meeting schedule has been added to the program calendar and will also be posted on the Facebook page and Remind App.

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/864859138605742/?mibextid=oMANbw>

<https://www.remind.com/join/skyhawkdu>

Spring Break Trip

The program will be traveling to Memphis, Tennessee from Sunday, March 24th through Wednesday March 27th. We will be playing 4 games per level at the beautiful USA Stadium Complex! Cost per player will be \$600. This covers lodging, food, and transportation. We will be traveling by coach bus and staying at the SpringHill Suites, Arlington, TN. Our goal is to reduce the cost as close to \$0 as possible per athlete.

The Dugout Club is in the process of planning several fundraisers to offset the costs of the trip.

Our Fundraising will conclude on March 2nd. This will give us time to tally total money raised as the trip payment is due by March 17th.

Below are the current fundraisers that are being planned. The success of the Dugout Club relies heavily on the active engagement of all athletes and their families. To keep the disbursement of funds equitable, fundraising money allotted to each athlete/family will be contingent on specific participation/volunteer criteria as outlined in red below.

- **“Galentine’s Day” Ladies Bunco Night! Feb 3rd 6pm at Johnsburg Community Club** (tickets available now to purchase – please contact Colleen Olsen at 815-451-0473). **Each family must do 2 of the following:**
 1. Donate a basket. We will want 30 or more!
 2. Donate food for event, appetizers only - link below
 3. Volunteer for the event, hoping the athletes sign up for this first! - link below
 4. Sell 10 tickets - reach out to Colleen for tickets 815-451-0473
 5. Purchase supplies off the amazon wish list - link below
 6. Get table sponsor
 7. Buy a ticket
 8. Promote event online, post, share, like, etc.
 9. Buy two bottles of wine for lucky duck raffle

<https://www.amazon.com/registries/gl/guest-view/JBYGYW53HHXE>

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/u/0/d/1TLuLdpcshKeNrQ1ugWiUGZsN9lQ33uANG2ojUKgodms/htmview?usp=gmail_thread

- **Superbowl Squares** (payment to Jessica Johnson via Venmo @Jessica-Johnson-2882) – **Each family must sell \$150 worth of squares**
- **SKYHAWK NATION - Apparel and Custom Bottles!** (Online ordering) – **families share links on social media**
- **Snap Raise** **Athletes must meet the requirements for our annual Snap Raise goal including submitting 20 emails.**

Together we can all help make the experience for the players the best it can be!

-Coach Landvick and The Dugout Club