

LAKEWOOD CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT



“HOME OF THE RANGERS”

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PAY TO PARTICIPATE PROGRAM

A pay to participate program was introduced during the 1994 school year for athletics, music and clubs. It has not increased since it has been implemented; in fact, it has decreased from \$125.00 per sport to \$75.00 per sport. The following are the guidelines for the pay to participate program:

High School and Middle School

Pay to participate cost \$75.00 per sport. The fee is used to off-set the cost of coaching salaries. The fee does not guarantee your child a certain amount of playing time. The fee must be paid before the first contest which includes scrimmages or previews. If the fee is not paid by the day of the first contest the fee will be placed on the students account. If fees are not paid in full at the end each season the student will not;

1. Receive their free game admission sticker for the season.
2. Receive their end of the season award. (awards will be held in lieu of payment)
3. Receive school issued equipment. (students may still participate in practice, but not games or be allowed to travel with the team)
4. Purchase spirit pack items.

*Students with special circumstances may work for the athletic department to off-set their pay to participate fee and be fully instated in their sport while they are working or after they pledge to work. Hours completed can't be exchanged for payment if the student is no longer a part of the team. If the student completes the season, quits the team or gets removed from the team after the first contest of scrimmage the fee must be paid before the start of the next school year.

Refunds:

1. Before the first practice and the issuance of the free entry sticker a student may receive a refund.
2. There are **no refunds** once a student has been added to the team roster and accepted the free entry sticker to home games that has a value of \$160-\$220 during the fall and winter season.
3. In the spring, there will be **no refunds** after April 1st.

****Please retain the top portion and return the bottom portion with your payment****

Fees may be paid by check, money order or cash. Checks should be made out to the Lakewood Board of Education.

_____ Check---Number_____

_____ Money Order---Number_____

_____ Cash

Student Athlete Name: _____ Grade _____ School _____

Please list sport in which student athlete will be currently participating: _____

Total obligation for this student \$ _____