



Southern Columbia Area School District

800 Southern Drive
Catawissa, PA 17820
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PAY TO PARTICIPATE – 2017-2018 SCHOOL YEAR

Dear Parent/Guardian:

The Southern Columbia Area School District implemented a Pay-to-Participate fee beginning the 2014-2015 school year per policy 123.1. This is a one-time annual fee for the entire year for any student who participates in interscholastic athletics and certain extracurricular activities as outlined in the Athletics and Student handbooks for grades 7 -12. Please refer to the reverse side of this letter for a listing of sports and activities as well as the fee charged. Students who qualify for free or reduced-price lunches, under the guidelines established for federally-funded lunch programs, shall not be required to pay the student participation fee but **must still complete and send in the form below**. Completion of the form below and payment must be received in the District Office prior to participation in the sports season or activity **(the Friday before the first day of practice)**.

Please remit the bottom portion of this letter with your payment (check or money order only) made out to: "SCASD".

Payment will not be accepted by any coach, athletic trainer or activity advisor or at any school office other than the District Office.

Note: The District Office has been relocated to the High School library for the summer. Please drop off any payments in the High School office.

Sincerely,

Denise J Kreisher
Business Manager

Detach Below and Send in with Payment **(one form per student)**

Student Name (Printed): _____ Grade: _____

Parent/Guardian Name (Printed): _____

Fee: _____ Sport(s)/Activity: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Please send to: Southern Columbia Area School District
Attn: Business Office \ Kim Spotts
800 Southern Drive
Catawissa, PA 17820

_____ (student name) participates in the Free or Reduced lunch program under the guidelines established for federally-funded lunch programs and qualify for the participation fee waived and I understand that if my status would change, I would be responsible to pay the above fee.