

MATH LEAGUE TEAM COMPETITIONS

Permission Slip to Attend Practices and Meets

Dear Math League Parents and Guardians,

We are so excited to kick off the 2018–2019 Math League season! We hope that your child will develop rich problem solving skills, a passion for mathematics, and fun and lasting friendships through participation in our league.

Throughout this school year, the Park Forest Middle School Math League Team will compete in five meets. Each competition is typically 2.5 hours long, and dinner is usually provided. (Dates and times are subject to change; check the Math League website calendar for updated information). If the meet is in State College, parents will be asked to drop off and pick their child up at the host school. For the Altoona and Bald Eagle meets, students will be transported to and from PFMS for pick-up. Following are the tentative meet dates and locations.

Wednesday, October 24, 2018	Mount Nittany Middle School (4:00 – 6:30 pm)
Wednesday, December 5, 2018	Park Forest Middle School (4:00 – 6:30 pm)
Saturday, January 19, 2019	Penn State Altoona (10:00 am – 12:30 pm)
Wednesday, February 27, 2019	Bald Eagle Area School (4:00 – 6:30 pm)
Wednesday, April 3, 2019	Young Scholars of Central PA (6:00 – 8:30 pm)

Please mark these dates on your calendar at home! This season, practices will be **Wednesdays after school from 3:45–4:45**, beginning in the **PFMS commons**. Please expect to attend each week unless you have cleared an absence with the coaches.

Want to get involved? There are several ways you can help make our program run smoothly this year. We like to have snacks and drinks at each after school practice. If each student can commit to bringing refreshments once throughout the school year, we set up a rotation and post the schedule on our website. We will be doing new team t-shirts this year. They will have a different design and color. We ask that you send in \$14 to cover this cost (or \$9 if you do not want a name/number on your shirt). Please let us know if this fee causes a financial hardship to your family. We will also be holding a math-a-thon fundraiser to help us fund transportation and meal costs! Lastly, we need parents to serve as scorers, and servers for our home meet on December 5.

Please read and keep the first page of this sheet, complete the permission slips on the next two pages, and have your child return the signed pages to Ms Owens or Ms Mayberry by **Wednesday, October 3**. If you have any questions regarding the competitions or the team in general, please contact Ms Owens at smo17@scasd.org or Ms Mayberry at dmm13@scasd.org.

_____ Enclosed is \$14 (Cash or check) for the Math League t-shirt, or \$9, if you don't want a name/number. Checks should be made out payable to SCASD with "Math League" in the memo.

_____ Write your child's Adult t-shirt size on the blank (Adult Small, Medium, Large, or XL)

What name and number would your child like on the back of his/her Math League shirt?

Name to appear on t-shirt: _____

Number: _____

_____ I would like to volunteer at the December 5 home meet.

_____ I am willing to provide snacks/drinks for one or more Math League practice(s).

_____ I would like to donate extra money to help cover additional Math League expenses. (if so, just add it into your t-shirt check!)

Parent/Guardian signature _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian e-mail address: _____

Student Name (printed) _____ Grade: _____

Student ID Number _____

Comments:
