

Traditions:

***Pre Season Meal:***

This usually happens after one of our first scrimmages. We gather after the scrimmage and have time to get to know all the parents and sign up for different things. It is so important to have our concession/ticket taking schedule completed this evening. We also sign up and pay for are ***away game meals*** and pick our one night we would like to help with a ***home game meal***. You also get to put a face with your parent liaison if you have any questions. Most important you get to see all of the boys without a helmet on and put a name to a face and get to know your team of knights!!!

***Away game meals:***

It is a very long day for the boys and they are very hungry by the time they get home from an away game. We collect some money and provide them with a choice of sandwich, Gatorade and a bag of chips after each away game. We try and collect enough money to even be able to pay for a few play-off games!!! This money goes through the football account so if there is any left over it will be used to help off set the banquet costs or where ever coach thinks it is needed.

***Home game meal:***

A tradition was started some time ago in Middletown that the boys have just grown to love. Each family picks one home game night to sign up for. We usually have at least eight families who make a meal that the boys will eat in the balcony of the gym after home games!! There is a team leader and between all of you-- drinks, desserts and the main course is served for the boys. This can be ordering pizza, to pasta, things are sometimes heating up in crock pots (someone always checks on them at half time) to just about anything you would like to do. The boys really look forward to this and are always so appreciative for all that we do for them.

*These really are some special times for our boys. It all goes by so fast and the time they get to spend together and share laughs off the field are times they will never forget. I know that this can all get over whelming but remember that especially for our seniors theses are times they will never get back, enjoy it and thanks in advance for all your help!!*

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