## **South Paulding Baseball**

## Information for upcoming 2024 season

## **Reminders**

- Pre-season Conditioning will begin Jan. 4<sup>th</sup> Jan. 11<sup>th</sup> from 3:45 5:30
- All participants must have a current physical, Rank One information completed, and be academically eligible per GHSA; to try out for baseball at SPHS Due by 12/15/23.
- Tryouts will begin on Jan. 15<sup>th</sup>; 10<sup>th</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> grade 10:00 1:00, 9<sup>th</sup> grade 2:00 4:00
- Tryout times; Tues. Fri: 3:45 6:30
- First cuts will be made Wednesday Jan. 17th.
- Final cuts will be made Friday Jan. 19th.
- Team will be posted to the team webpage southpauldingdc.com
- Returning players are **NOT** guaranteed a spot on the roster
- Playing time is **NOT** guaranteed in High School sports
- The SP Diamond Club will host a First Pitch dinner on Tuesday Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup> at 6:30 for all players and parents.
- Picture day will be Saturday January 27<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 practice will follow.
- Jamboree will be held February 3<sup>rd</sup> 10:00
- Practices will be held daily from 3:45 to approximately 6:30
- Practice will be held on Saturdays. Times will vary
- There will be games and practices during winter break for varsity, JV, and freshman players. Feeder players will be off
- Feeder, Freshman and JV players will have spring break off (April 1<sup>st</sup> 6<sup>th</sup>)
- Varsity players will be off from March 29th to April 3<sup>rd</sup>. Varsity will practice on April 4<sup>th</sup> at 6:00, and take BP prior to game on April 5<sup>th</sup> at 12:00 These practices are Mandatory
- Practice will resume as normal April 8<sup>th</sup>.
- Feeder team conditioning will begin Jan. 22<sup>nd</sup> from 5:00 7:00 (Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup> 5:00 6:00)
- Feeder teams will begin practice on Jan. 29h from 5:00 7:00
- If, at any time, a player is going to miss practice for any reason, a parent needs to notify Coach Sneddon (not an assistant coach), or Scott Brown for feeder.
- Missing practice can affect playing time. It is important to attend all scheduled events
- It will be cold; players should dress accordingly. Pitchers are required to wear sleeves until they are told otherwise.
- If, at any time, you have any concerns about the program please contact Coach Sneddon either via email or by phone.
  - (770) 301-4568 or jsneddon@paulding.k12.ga.us
- For more information throughout the year, please check our webpage southpauldingdc.com

## **Important Dates**

	Date	Event				
	1/4	Conditioning begins				
	1/15	Tryouts begin				
	1/17	First Cuts posted – southpauldingdc.com				
	1/19	Final Cuts posted – southpauldingdc.com				
	1/22	Feeder Conditioning begins 5:00 – 7:00				
	1/23	First Pitch Dinner – Player Fees Due (first payment)				
	1/27	Picture Day – 10:00 – Program Practice will follow				
	1/29	Feeder practice begins 5:00				
	2/3	Spartan Jamboree				
	2/7	Varsity Scrimmage game at McEachern – 6:00				
	2/19-2/24	Winter Break (Feeder teams off)				
	2/12	Varsity v. Northgate (Feeder Night)				
	2/23	Varsity at Pickens County (overnight trip)				
	2/27	Varsity v. Westlake (First Responder Night)				
	3/18	Varsity v. Douglas County (Military Appreciation Night)				
	3/20	Varsity v. Langston Hughes (Teacher Appreciation Night)				
	4/1 - 4/7	Spring Break				
	4/4	Varsity Practice 6:00 - MANDATORY				
	4/5	Varsity BP 12:00 – vs. North Paulding and Central				
	4/8	Resume Normal Practice schedule				
	4/18	Varsity v. New Manchester (Senior Night)				
	4/23-25	First Round of GHSA Playoffs				
	5/?	End of the Year Banquet - TBD				
***Dates are subject to change due to weather, or unforeseen events.						