

Cooperative Team Agreement between *Pana High School and Faith Bible Christian Academy*

Introduction

This agreement is made by and between the Board of Education of (*HOST SCHOOL- Pana High School*) and (*SUB SCHOOL- Faith Bible Christian Academy*).

The purpose of this agreement is to expand equal athletic opportunities in the area of (*ACTIVITY- Girls Soccer*) for (*Pana High School and Faith Bible Christian Academy*).

This agreement will be for the (*YEARS 2018-19 & 2019-20*) school years, upon approval of the IHSA. This program will be renewable by mutual agreement between the Boards of Education of the two school districts and the Illinois High School Association.

Notice of non-renewal of this contract will be given by (*5-1-2020*).

Transportation will be parent/privately funded.

Squad and Mascot - The squad shall be known as the (*Pana High School Panthers*) and shall operate with (*Navy & Orange*) uniform colors. The mascot will be the (*Panthers*).

Equipment/Games/Officials will be privately/parent funded.

Supervision - The administration at each district will be responsible for supervision for home games. All discipline problems will be the responsibility of the home district.

Eligibility - The administration (or designee) at each building will be responsible for checking eligibility of participants. The schools will follow the IESA guidelines.

Insurance/Physical - All participants will be required to have proof of insurance and a current physical on file with their home district. It is the responsibility of the home district administrators or (designee) to make sure these items are on file before participant starts practicing.

Parents - (*Pana High School or other privately funded programs*) operates a concession stand and has an approved fundraiser by the district for games exclusive of the IHSA state series. Parents of student athletes will be asked to work in the concession stand and the players may be asked to participate in the fundraiser. The proceeds directly benefit the (*Girls Soccer*) program.

All team trophies acquired by the cooperative team will be the property of (*HOST SCHOOL - PHS*) and a duplicate trophy may be purchased for the (*SUB SCHOOL-FBCA*).

This agreement between the two districts has had Board approval and is signed by the administrators of each school.

School Board President Signature

____Pana CUSD # 8____Date_____

____FBCA____Date_____

Administrator Signature

____Pana High School____Date_____

____FBCA____Date_____



Application for Cooperative Team Sponsorship

For New Cooperative Teams Only

Deadlines for submission of applications:

Aug. 1=Fall sports/activities; Oct. 1=Winter sports/activities; Feb. 1=Spring sports/activities

A separate application MUST be completed and submitted for each boys' athletic team, each girls' athletic team, and each activity.

For criteria under which cooperative teams may be formed, refer to Section 2.030 of the By-laws and Section 26 of the Administrative Procedures, Guidelines and Policies Section in the IHSAA Handbook with Illustrations.

1. This application is for cooperative sponsorship of a team for the school terms of 2018-2019 and 2019-2020. (e.g. 2017-18 & 2018-19)
Girls (Specify Gender of Team) Soccer (Sport/Activity) South Central Conference (Cooperative Team Conference)

- 2. This application must include the following:
- letters from the presidents of ALL conferences of which each school in this cooperative are members for ANY sport/activity, certifying that this cooperative team has been approved by the conferences
- a letter from the president of the conference of which this cooperative team will be a member during the co-op, certifying that this cooperative team has been approved for participation in the conference.
- a signed copy of the intergovernmental agreement of this cooperative team, formally adopted by the boards of education of the participating schools for the school terms listed above, detailing your agreement in respect to insurance, coaching personnel and compensation, liability, facilities, equipment, etc.

Table with 4 columns: NAME OF SCHOOLS, CITY, ALL CONFERENCE AFFILIATIONS OF EACH SCHOOL IN COOPERATIVE, ENROLLMENT. Rows include Pana High School and Faith Bible Christian Academy.

4. The following rationale underlies our desire for cooperative team sponsorship:
Because of declining numbers for both school the purpose of this agreement is to expand equal athletic opportunities

Table with 3 columns: SCHOOL, NO. OF STUDENTS WHO PARTICIPATED IN PREVIOUS YEAR, NO. OF STUDENTS EXPECTED TO PARTICIPATION CO-OP. Rows include Pana High School and Faith Bible Christian Academy.

6. Host school: Pana High School Contact person: Gary Ade
Team school name: Pana Panthers Team nickname: Panthers
Practices to be held at: Pana HS & Tanner Park Home contests to be held at: Tanner Park

7. The following signatures certify that formation of this cooperative team will not reduce participation opportunities for students in any of the cooperating schools and has been approved by formal vote of the boards of education and administrations of all schools in the cooperative.
SCHOOLS BOARD PRESIDENTS' SIGNATURES PRINCIPALS' SIGNATURES
Pana High School
Faith Bible Christian Academy

Official IHSAA Action

The above application for cooperative team sponsorship IS IS NOT granted for the school terms.
(Date) Authorized IHSAA Administrator