

Are You Up For The Challenge?

I Am!



This year, our school has been invited to participate in the Carmel Rotary Club Community Basketball Challenge! This very special community event will be held on February 29, 2020 and is a fun and exciting way to earn money for our school. 90% of pledges and flat rate donations that we raise WE KEEP!



I want every student, parent, teacher and staff member to participate! If you can't play basketball or do not wish to shoot, SPONSOR ME! Your principal may be short, but I have the heart of a giant!

Parents, you can participate too! Get yourself and come shoot with me! Grandparents can participate too! There are 12 categories and one of them is 75 and older! There are trophies and prizes to be won as well, please read the Pledge Sheet carefully for details. I will be there all day and will have a table set up to market our wonderful school! Let's show the entire Carmel community the heart of St. James! I want our school to be on TOP of the leader board in both fundraising AND in shots made!



I am offering a little *in school competition incentive* with this challenge as well. It will help to get us ready for our schoolwide March Madness Competitions that will begin the next day. Let's make each class a "Team" and each teacher the "Captain"! I will award a special prize to the Team (*class*) that raises the most money for this challenge. That means you have to get out there and get sponsors, practice your lay ups and really shoot to win!



Go Crawford !

Donate Online:

<https://stjamescarmel.weshareonline.org/CrawfordsCommunityBasketballChallenge>

THE COMMUNITY BASKETBALL CHALLENGE



Saturday – February 29, 2020
9:00am – 12 noon
Carmel High School Gymnasium



Sponsored by The Carmel Rotary Club and The Carmel High School Interact Club
www.carmelrotary.org

SAVE THE DATE!!!

The Carmel Rotary Club and the Carmel High School Interact Club are once again sponsoring the Community Basketball Challenge. Over the past 8 years this event has raised more than \$383,000, with 100% of the net proceeds having gone to support important programs in our community. This is an excellent opportunity to raise money for the organization or program of your choice with minimal work for you. **We handle virtually all the details.** All you need to do to raise funds is solicit pledges and/or flat donations to support your participation in the Challenge. **90% of all funds raised are directed to your charity** with the remaining 10% being designated by the Rotary and Interact Clubs for additional charitable giving. So mark your calendars and practice those lay-ups to help a great cause. Participation instructions are below or for additional information and forms call and leave message at 845-225-2122 or contact us at www.carmelrotary.org.

-- INSTRUCTIONS --

WHERE AND WHEN?

The Challenge will begin at 9:00am on February 29, 2020 in the Gymnasium at Carmel High School and continue until 12 noon.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE? Anyone who wants to raise funds to support a not-for-profit charity.

HOW DOES IT WORK?

Each participant is given two minutes to shoot baskets (lay-ups). The total number of baskets made, times the pledge per basket, plus the total of flat donations equals the amount due from each sponsor. *Example: with a pledge of 20¢ per basket and 40 completed baskets, the donation will be \$8.00.*

OR

A person can pledge a flat amount of \$1.00, \$2.00, \$5.00 or more. (Flat amount pledges can be collected right away because the total is not dependent upon the number of baskets made.)

COLLECTIONS -

The pledge form and money collected should be mailed to:

Donate Online: <https://stjamescarmel.weshareonline.org>

St. James the Apostle School
12 Gleneida Avenue
Carmel, NY 10512

Attention: Community Basketball Challenge

Please make all checks payable to 'St. James the Apostle School'

SPECIAL EARLY COLLECTION INCENTIVE -

If all funds are collected by a participant and received by the Carmel Rotary Club no later than March 28, 2020, the participant's name will be entered into a drawing to win a \$50.00 cash prize. Drawing will be held on April 2, 2020.

**TROPHIES AND PRIZES -

There will be a total of 14 trophies awarded in the youth division... one for the boy and one for the girl in each age grouping under the age of 18 who shoot the most baskets. Additionally there will a prize presented to the top adult participant in the 18 to 35 group, the 36 to 54 group and the 55 to 64, 65 to 74, and 75 and over group.

The age groupings are:

5 years of age and under	16-17 years of age
6 – 7 years of age	18-35 years of age
8 – 9 years of age	36-54 years of age
10-11 years of age	55 -64 years of age
12-13 years of age	65-74 years of age
14-15 years of age	75 years and over

In addition to winners by age grouping there will be one grand prize awarded to the participant who raises the most for their charity. All funds must be received in no later than March 29, 2020 to be eligible for trophies and prizes.

**WINNERS may receive their awards at 12 noon the day of the Challenge if all of their money is turned in that day.

For further information call 845-225-2122 or contact us at www.carmelrotary.org



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St. James the Apostle School
 ORGANIZATION TO BENEFIT FROM COLLECTED PLEDGES
 12 Gleneida Avenue, Carmel, NY 10512
ORGANIZATION'S ADDRESS

Saturday, February 29, 2020
9 AM to 12 Noon
Carmel High School Gym



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Rotary Interact Club
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PARTICIPANTS NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____

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FOR OFFICIAL USE

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 Checker's Signature

 Participant's Signature