

PETERS TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL

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DEPARTMENT OF ATHLETICS

Dear PTHS Baseball Alumni,

During the week of May 8, 2017 the Peters Township High Diamondbackers Baseball Boosters will be sponsoring the second annual PTHS Baseball Alumni celebration. We would like to celebrate the history of our baseball program under the direction of Coaches Frank Ciocchi and Joe Maize. Between the two head coaches they have had the privilege of working with hundreds of baseball players who have represented PTHS Baseball over the past 50+ years.

We have three days of activities planned for our baseball alumni. The activities that we have planned are:

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| Wednesday, May 10 | Introduction of Baseball Alumni before the PT vs. Beth Center Varsity Baseball game (Introduction beginning at 6:35---Game at 7:00pm)
“Matty D” DiAngelo and a member of the 2007 WPIAL Championship Baseball Team will throw out the first pitch |
| Friday, May 12 | Alumni Batting Practice and Homerun Derby Contest—6:30 pm
Alumni get together for pizza party at Pizzaz Pizza----9:00 pm |
| Saturday, May 13 | Alumni Baseball game at 12:00pm
Alumni and family / 2017 baseball families’ picnic at 3:00pm |
| Sunday, May 14 | Informal golf outing at one of the local golf courses |

We are fortunate that many of our baseball alumni have remained or moved back into the Peters Township community or the Pittsburgh area. But we still have alumni who live in other areas of our country. We hope that the format of a “3 day event” or at least 2 days of weekend activities will encourage everyone to attend. We hope that players who do not live in the immediate area will come home to visit their family and friends and relive the good times of growing up and playing baseball in Peters Township.

For most of the baseball alumni, your involvement in Peters Township High School baseball also included your participation for many years in the Peters Township Baseball Association and then playing for the Peters Township American Legion Baseball team. Through the many years of baseball participation most of you had the wonderful experience of knowing and working with Matty and Sally DiAngelo.

On November 22, 2015, the Peters Township baseball family lost a very special “baseball mom”, when Sally passed away. During our first Alumni recognition celebration (2016 season) we recognize the contributions that Sally made to the young people who participated in baseball in Peters Township and to everything she did to make Peters Township a special place.

The Peters Township High School Diamondbackers Baseball Boosters have provided scholarship money to graduating seniors for over fifteen years. Scholarship money was awarded to qualifying seniors who were recognized for their academic success and their leadership on our high school baseball team. Last year I was proud to announce that beginning with the 2016 season the scholarship was re-named the Diamondbackers / Sally DiAngelo Memorial Scholarship.

The DiAngelo family organized the first Sally DiAngelo Memorial Golf Outing (Sally’s Scramble) that was scheduled on Monday, August 22, 2016 at Valleybrook Country Club. Thanks to the hard work of the DiAngelo family the golf outing was a tremendous success. The money raised from the golf outing went towards the scholarship fund. Some of the funds were also used to purchase items to help the high school baseball program. (New pitching machine, new warmup jackets, spikes for the JV and varsity players). The second annual “Sally’s Scramble” will be held on Monday, July 31 at Valleybrook Country Club. We hope you will be able to attend. Further information will be provided at a later date.

I hope that you will be able to join us during the “3 day” celebration of activities. If you can complete the enclosed informational form, it will help our planning committees get the recognition ceremony, the alumni game, the family picnic, and a possible Sunday informal golf outing organized. If you are interested in participating in the Sally DiAngelo Memorial Golf outing—Sally’s Scramble) in July we would like to know that also.

Thank you for your years of participating in PT Baseball and I look forward to having everyone get together. Please complete the informational form and you can either return your information by mailing it to:

**Joe Maize
251 Teepee Rd.
McMurray, PA 15317**

OR

by e-mail to: maizej@pt-sd.org

Sincerely,

**Joe Maize
Head Baseball Coach
Peters Township High School**

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PETERS TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL ALUMNI INFORMATION

NAME _____
HOME ADDRESS_(STREET OR PO BOX) _____
(CITY, STATE, ZIP) _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____
HOME PHONE # _____ CELL PHONE # _____
YEAR OF GRADUATION FROM PTHS _____

YEARS OF PARTICIPATION IN PTHS BASEBALL
PROGRAM _____

19 __, 19 __, 19 __, 19 __ OR 20 __, 20 __, 20 __, 20 __

DID YOU PARTICIPATE IN BASEBALL AT THE COLLEGIATE LEVEL?

CHECK: YES _____ NO _____

IF YES, WHERE DID YOU PLAY AT THE COLLEGIATE
LEVEL _____

DID YOU PLAY AT THE PROFESSIONAL LEVEL? YES _____
NO _____

NAME OF PROFESSIONAL BASEBALL
ORGANIZATION _____

YEARS THAT YOU
PARTICIPATED _____

ACTIVITIES THAT ARE PLANNED FOR THE PTHS BASEBALL ALUMNI WEEKEND

WEDNESDAY, MAY 10

INTRODUCTION OF ALUMNI BEFORE THE PTHS VS. BETH CENTER
VARSITY BASEBALL GAME--INTRO AT 6:35--GAME AT 7:00PM

FRIDAY, MAY 12

BATTING PRACTICE AND HOMERUN DERBY CONTEST AT PETERS
WOOD PARK—BEGINNING AT 6:30 PM

PIZZA SOCIAL AT PIZZAZ PIZZA AT 9:00 PM

SATURDAY, MAY 13

**ALUMNI PICK-UP BASEBALL GAME—12:00PM
FAMILY PICNIC AFTER ALUMNI BASEBALL GAME—3:00PM**

SUNDAY, MAY 14

INFORMAL GOLF GET TOGETHER AT LOCAL COURSE
(If there is enough interest, we will attempt to schedule tee times for those alumni who may be interested in golfing on Sunday)

MONDAY, JULY 31

**(SALLY'S SCRAMBLE) SALLY DIANGELO MEMORIAL
SCHOLARSHIP GOLF OUTING AT VALLEYBROOK COUNTRY CLUB
BEGINNING AT 9:00AM.**

PLEASE CHECK THE ACTIVITIES THAT YOU PLAN TO PARTICIPATE IN:

WED., MAY 10	BEFORE GAME INTRO	YES___	NO___
FRI., MAY 12	BATTING PRACTICE / HOME RUN DERBY CONTEST PIZZA SOCIAL AT PIZZAZ	YES___	NO___
SAT., MAY 13	ALUMNI BASEBALL GAME FAMILY PICNIC	YES___	NO___
SUNDAY, MAY 14	INFORMAL GOLF OUTING	YES___	NO___
MONDAY, JULY 31	GOLF FUND RAISER @ VALLEYBROOK	YES___	NO___

(If you are interested in the Golf Outing in July,
Information will be sent to you at a later date.)

**IF YOU PLAN TO ATTEND THE FAMILY PICNIC ON SATURDAY
AFTERNOON AT 3:00 PM, PLEASE INDICATE THE NUMBER OF FAMILY
MEMBERS THAT PLAN TO ATTEND.**

(The Diamondbacker Baseball Boosters will provide the hot dogs, burgers, and drinks. Everyone will be asked to provide a covered dish for the picnic.)

NUMBER OF FAMILY MEMBERS INCLUDING YOURSELF

NAME(S) OF FAMILY MEMBERS ATTENDING

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