

## Policy on Team Rosters and Roster Changes

The First Friends Sports Ministry staff is committed to making our sports programs quality leagues that seek to accommodate the needs of those who choose to participate. That's because each individual matters to our league, to our staff and to our church. This is the reason that the FFC sports program allows parents the opportunity to write in certain requests/preferences. However, due to the large number of requests that we receive each season, it is impossible for our staff to fulfill every request.

Here is how the requests are prioritized:

- Health Issues/Special Situations
- Family
- Carpool and Transportation
- Preferences

That said, the First Friends Sports Ministry staff also recognizes that, in leagues of our size, mistakes will be made. If this is the case (i.e. your child is in the wrong division, an imperative carpool link is not met), then we would be happy to discuss a solution. This can be done by contacting the First Friends Sports office at 330-966-6868. However, any other preference not met was the result of the above system of priorities and the rosters would be set as final. Again, we do our best to accommodate as many requests as we can and regret any inconvenience.

**\*\*Disclaimer:** Please note that fairness and positive competition are a high priority in our program. Thus, our league leadership reserves the right to alter team rosters/move players once scrimmages have been played in order to balance teams if necessary. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.