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Rye High School Fencing Team

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Facility and Coaching

Facility:

- ❑ New Amsterdam Fencing Academy North Gym
 - ❑ State of the art gym of 5,000 square feet
 - ❑ 21 North Main Street Suite 302, Port Chester, NY
 - ❑ 2.5 miles from RHS
 - ❑ Practices from 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Mondays and Thursdays

Interested Coach:

- ❑ Joseph Fisher
 - ❑ Head Coach of New Amsterdam Fencing Academy North
 - ❑ He has been involved in fencing for over twenty years, and is entering his thirteenth year as a coach
 - ❑ He was a member of three World Championship Cadet teams and was the 1998 Under-17 Junior Olympic Champion, 1999 Under-20 Junior Olympic Champion, and the 1999 Under-19 Summer National Champion
 - ❑ He has earned over 40 Cadet, Junior, and Senior national medals
 - ❑ He is a two-time NCAA All-American, and he was a member of the 2001 NCAA Championship team
 - ❑ His students have earned more than 25 national medals in foil, epee, and saber, and held national rankings in all three weapons
 - ❑ Joseph's coaching philosophy focuses on group training and support in order to achieve individual goals.

Fencing Fees

- ❑ Fee per fencer: \$250. This includes equipment and uniforms
- ❑ Transportation would be by parent carpool
- ❑ Fencers would only need to provide sneakers, shorts, and a t-shirt
- ❑ Need to bring a water bottle to every practice

Community Service

The RHSFT will hold a community service project in 2015 and will require each fencer to participate.



Top 10 Reasons for Joining the Fencing Team

1. Fencing is a collegiate sport that allows for many scholarship opportunities and can increase a student's chances of being accepted into top universities
2. Fencing enhances one's strategic thinking, mental acuity and physical dexterity
3. Fencing allows students to exercise in winter, when outdoor sports can't be played
4. Fencing is a global sport, and allows students to travel and experience different cultures
5. Fencers can continue to fence after college, and there are many opportunities for adults
6. Students get the chance to experience a new sport
7. You get to meet new people and become friends with them
8. One can learn how to defend himself or herself
9. Fencing teaches one to never give up and to understand other people
10. Fencing reduces stress built up from school and outside activities

2015- 2016 Rye High School Fencing Team Budget Projections Continued

Equipment							
	Foils, epees, sabres		0*	0*	500	300	300
	Electric Reels		0*	0*	0*	0*	0*
Uniforms							
	Glove, mask cords, body cords		0*	0*	200	150	150
	Lamé, fencing jacket, mask		0*	0*	1,000	700	700
	Chest protectors, underarm protectors		0*	0*	300	300	300
	Socks (\$10 per player)		80	100	130	150	150
	Fencing Pants		200	150	150	100	100
Competition							
	Referees		0	0	0	0	0
Marketing							
	Promotion		0	100	200	200	200
Total Expenses			3,280	3,950	6,880	6,800	6,800
Previous Year Surplus			0	20	70	190	190
Operating Budget			0	0	0	0	0
	* Donations from New Amsterdam Fencing Academy North						