

Safe Environment Training

The Archdiocese of Omaha has mandated that all Parochial Athletic League Coaches complete the *Safe Environment Training* seminar every five (5) years. This includes all personnel of the Archdiocese; i.e. priests, deacons, paid staff and volunteers who have regular contact with children and young people at the time they enter service in the name of the Church.

Therefore, ALL St. Wenceslaus coaches and assistant coaches must have completed this training before they can participate with or coach the children.

The seminar is offered at various locations. Training dates can be found by accessing the following website: <http://www.archomaha.com> .

Please register in advance as the classes fill up quickly. A \$10.00 registration fee to cover training costs is required, checks made payable to the Archdiocese of Omaha. This cost is to be incurred by the individual.

If you have previously taken this course, but your initial term has expired, refresher courses are offered that are generally only one hour in length. This will allow you to re-register for 5 years. Currently, these courses are not listed on the archdiocese website. To find a list of available retraining classes, we suggest trying the following:

- Check the website <http://www.archomaha.com> .
- Check the weekly bulletins
- Call the parish office or school office
- Check the school news letter.