## Yorkville Athletic Association, NFP and Plano Youth Athletic Association form New Partnership

The Yorkville Athletic Association, NFP is happy to announce a partnership with Plano Youth Athletic Association beginning July 1, 2017. Yorkville Athletic Association, NFP, known for Yorkville Fury youth travel teams in Baseball, Boys and Girls Basketball and Softball, is an all volunteer Not for Profit organization. The goal of YAA, NFP is to prepare more student-athletes for Yorkville High School Athletics through a high level of travel competition. The Plano Youth Athletic Association provides similar youth athletics opportunities for Plano residents in Baseball, Boys and Girls Basketball and Softball. PYAA is a volunteer organization involved in regional travel organizations with other local communities. Both organizations will continue to provide the same current opportunities, while finding ways to promote and enhance both programs through this new partnership.

This partnership will be beneficial to both communities' youth athletic organizations by:

- Providing an increased level of competition for more athletes through travel athletic teams in Baseball, Boys and Girls Basketball and Softball; thus preparing more student-athletes for high school athletics at Yorkville and Plano High Schools.
- Allows for more athletes to try-out in sports, with the potential to build additional travel teams based on participation levels and qualified coaches.
- Provides the opportunity to maximize facility use between the two communities, making it more cost effective to maintain contracts, facilities and fields.
- Allows for potential growth in current athletic programs, while providing a venue to discuss growth with other potential athletic programs (i.e. Volleyball, Soccer, Track & Field)

We look forward to the opportunities that this partnership can provide to both communities and organizations. For additional information please contact the organization presidents.

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