

**Bellarmine University Athletic Department
2005-06 Student-Athlete Handbook**

Section 9: Student Host

Student-athletes may serve as a student host for a prospect making an “official” visit to campus. As a student-host you are expected to conduct yourself in a manner that represents yourself, your team and Bellarmine in a positive way.

Entertainment Expenses Allowed

A maximum of \$30 per day may be provided to cover the entertainment expenses of yourself (and all hosts), the prospect and the prospect’s parents, legal guardians or spouse. If a student-host is host to more than one prospect, the host can receive an additional \$15 per day for each additional prospect. The entertainment money must not be used to purchase souvenirs (e.g., t-shirts). It is permissible for the Athletic Department to purchase three meals a day for a prospect and his or her parents. The student-host who is accompanying the prospect is also allowed to receive complimentary meals. However, only one host per prospect may be provided a free meal if restaurant facilities are used.

Student Host Expense Report

As a student-host you will be asked to sign a “Student Host Instructions Sheet and Expense Report” verifying that you received the allowable amount for hosting a prospect. Your signature also indicated that you are aware that:

- You may not transport the prospect more than 30 miles from campus.
- You may not use an automobile for the prospect or yourself that has been provided by the University, coaching staff or one of the boosters.
- You may not provide the prospect with material gifts (t-shirts, clothing items, souvenirs, etc.) or purchase them with the entertainment money provided to you.

At the conclusion of the visit, you will be required to complete the Student-Host Expense Form and submit your receipts to the coach who arranged the official visit.