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Pine trees create a visually appealing backdrop at the Salem High School varsity baseball field, not to mention a natural “batter’s eye” (Salem County, NJ).

The grounds staff at Cumberland Regional High School uses paints to highlight the end zones of their varsity football field (Cumberland County, NJ).

Currently we have 107 new & renewed members. In December 2007, SFMANJ mailed invoices for 2008 membership dues to all current members. If you did not receive an invoice, please contact us at 908-730-7770 or download the membership form available at www.sfmanj.org. Remember to mail your renewal/payment direct to SFMANJ, P.O. Box 370, Annandale, NJ 08801.

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Create a calendar showing when the activities will occur. This is helpful for scheduling resources and time around scheduled events. This will help you create a realistic picture of what tasks your organization can do in-house, outsource or eliminate. Be sure to include any overhead expenses that your operation is charged, such as rent, utilities, or other line items.

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The people we work for often are unaware of the true costs of maintaining a safe and playable sports field, so remember to be tactful, diplomatic and professional.

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