August 8, 2018

Dear Parents:

I hope this letter finds you well. My name is Greg O'Connor and I am the Director of Athletics for the Lincoln School Department. As Director of Athletics I am thrilled to be a part of this great community and look forward to the 2018-2019 academic year.

As the fall sports season draws closer I would like to emphasize the eligibility requirements for participation as a student-athlete. In order to be eligible, students must provide the following;

- Proof of insurance
- An updated health physical and clearance to play
- A RIPCOA Assumption of Risk Form signed by the student's parent/guardian
- A consent form concerning concussion awareness signed by the student and parent/guardian.

The Lincoln Middle School fall sports program includes the following programs:

Boys & Girls Cross Country Boys Soccer Girls Soccer Girls Field Hockey

Cross Country is for anyone interested in coming out for the team. There are NO TRYOUTS. Boys Soccer, Girls Soccer, and Girls Field Hockey will have try outs and evaluations to determine the make-up of the teams. In order for players to be fairly evaluated, players should attend all tryout dates. If a student is to miss a tryout, he/she must receive written approval from Director of Athletics in advance.

The following are the dates and times for fall tryouts/practices along with the coaches contact information.

Cross Country:

Wednesday, September 5 th	TBA	Lincoln MS
Thursday, September 6 th	TBA	Lincoln MS
Friday, September 8 th	TBA	Lincoln MS

Coach: TBA

<u>Girls Soccer:</u>	Monday, August 27th th	7:00 – 8:15 a.m. 5:00 - 6:15 p.m.	Lincoln MS Lincoln MS	Tryout Tryout
	Tuesday, August 28 th Remainder of week	8:45 -10:00 a.m. 6:45 - 8:00 p.m. TBA	Lincoln MS Lincoln MS	Tryout Tryout
Girls Soccer Coach:	Christina Maciel <u>cmaciel513@gmail.com</u>			
Boys Soccer:	Monday, August 27th th	8:45 -10:00 a.m. 6:45 - 8:00 p.m.	Lincoln MS Lincoln MS	Tryout Tryout
	Tuesday, August 28 th	7:00 – 8:15 a.m. 5:00 - 6:15 p.m.	Lincoln MS Lincoln MS	Tryout Tryout
Boys Soccer Coach:	Marc Goulet <u>Mgoulet27@gmail.com</u>			

Girls Field Hockey: Tryouts dates TBA

Field Hockey Coach: Danielle Conroy <u>dcastaldoconroy@gmail.com</u>

As Director of Athletics it is my goal to provide a fun, safe, positive environment for all student-athletes with an emphasis on academics, integrity, sportsmanship, and character. My focus is to help the students of Lincoln develop life skills that will lead them to be successful and productive citizens. Throughout the year I hope to introduce myself to each of you at a game, a fundraising event, or during a school committee meeting. Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions, comments or concerns you may have throughout the year. Go Lions!!

Sincerely,

Greg O'Connor

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