IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT HIGH SCHOOL SPORTS! PLEASE READ IF YOU WANT TO PARTICIPATE ON A SPORTS TEAM!

July 1, 2018 Dear Students,

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome you to West Linn High School in the fall of 2018. Hopefully, you will make your years in high school the most productive, enjoyable, and meaningful years of your life. One way to make your high school experience more memorable is to become involved. There are many opportunities for you to become involved in a variety of activities: i.e. student government, clubs, athletics, etc. Studies have proven over and over again that students who become involved in high school activities/sports programs get better grades, have better attendance and have a better chance for success later in life. So, I encourage you to become involved and stay involved.

If you are planning to participate in a sport during the next school year, it is necessary to have a physical on file in the Athletic Office. According to the Oregon School Activities Association and the Oregon State Legislature students participating in athletics are required to have a physical every two years. For incoming freshman, if you participated in a sport in 8th grade at either Athey Creek or Rosemont Ridge, your physical will be sent to West Linn HS during the summer. Please check the athletic website to see if your physical is on file at West Linn High School. Go to WLHS homepage – top of page – Family Link - Log-in – menu – left go to Activities – 1st date will be the date your child had the physical – second date it expires. If you are planning to participate in a Fall Sport a physical must be completed prior to clearance days which will be **August 6,7,8 & 9th**.

In accordance with the current policy at West Linn High School no student will not be allowed to register for school or participate in athletics, activities or be allowed to purchase a parking pass until all past due accounts are clear - so please be sure to have all fees paid prior to August 1st. In order to participate in a fall sport you will need to receive a Clearance Slip. To receive a clearance slip on clearance day the following must be completed:

Physical Form (available online – westlinnlions.com - forms)

*See above information

NEW Online Registration - westlinnlions.com - registermyathlete.com

Athlete must currently be enrolled in 5 classes

Athlete must have passed 5 classes the previous semester

*Exception for incoming freshman 1st semester

Athlete must have earned the following number of credits towards graduation

Sophomore 4.5, Junior, 10.00 & Senior 17

Athletic fee of \$300 must be paid to the bookkeeper or pay online – WLHS homepage – Pay student Fees (waiver/monthly payment plan option available)

All school fees must be paid and current

No students will be allowed to begin fall practice without a clearance slip. The following times have been assigned to receive your slip. The only hard copy form brought to clearance should be the physical.

Fall Athletic Registration - Dates/Times - Commons

Mon. 8/6

Cheer – 10:00 – 11:00 Dance Team 11:-00 – 12:00

Tues. 8/7

Cross Country - 3:30 - 4:30

Football - 4:30 - 5:30

VB - 5:30 - 6:30

All Fall Sports – 6:30 – 7:30

Wed. 8/8

Football - 8:30 - 9:30

Boys Soccer - 9:30 - 10:30

Girls Soccer - 10:30 - 11:30

All Fall Sports -11:30-12:30

Thurs. 8/9

All Fall Sports – 8:30 – 3:00 – Athletic Office

Fri. 8/10

NO CLEARANCE – ATHLETIC OFFICE CLOSED

Fall Practices begin Aug. 13th. The following sports are available for the fall season. Please contact coaches below regarding practice times/questions:

Cross Country (Boys & Girls) Coach Jay Schrotzberger-<u>ischrotzberger@gmail.com</u>

Football Coach Chris Miller – cmiller014@gmail.com
Boys Soccer Coach Travis Roth – wlmenssoccer@gmail.com
Girls Soccer Coach Lauren Pyrch – wlhsgirlsoccer@gmail.com
Volleyball Coach – Michelle Hoover – hooverm@wlwv.k12.or.us

Dance Coach – Karalee Kylo – <u>karaleejk@aol.com</u>

 ${\it Cheer} \qquad {\it Coach-Shannon\ Maloney-\underline{m.maloney8@comc}} {\it ast.net}$

For more information about West Linn HS sports, please visit our website at westlinnlions.com. Athletic schedules – threeriversleague.org. You may also contact Laurie Winkler the Athletic Secretary at 503-673-7808. Out of the office - Summer break 6/26-8/6.

Sincerely,

Mark Horak (horakm@wlwv.k12.or.us)

Director of Athletics

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