Trojan Athletic Families,

We recognize the past few months have presented many challenges for all of us and we are still facing uncertainty in regards to what academia and athletics will look like in the upcoming school year. With that said, we would like to give you some information regarding athletics as we enter the month of July so you can be prepared when the different sport seasons begin. Some of the information you receive may only be the process for this year due to Covid-19 and possible delays to sports.

There are several potential scenarios in play for athletics in the coming school year. The first being a conventional year with fall, winter and spring seasons starting on time. The remainder of the scenarios have delayed and potentially shortened seasons. The CIF (California Interscholastic Federation), which is the governing board for athletics in the state, will be determining how sports will look this year and the decision may not be made until as late as July 20, which means we have to be prepared to begin fall sports as currently scheduled on August 10. This is 10 days prior to the first day of school but all athletes wishing to try out for a fall sport must be registered and present. As we receive updated information regarding the start to fall sports and how all 3 seasons will be calendared we will immediately send out a communication.

**Athletic Registration:** Our registration platform is FamilyID. Please go to the TL Athletics Page on the school website to access FamilyID and register your athlete. If you have not yet registered an athlete at TL for sports you will need to create an account. If you already have an athlete at TL, you likely already have an account and will just need to add your incoming athlete to the account and then register for the fall sport in which they plan to try out. Beginning July 1, fall sports (Football, Cross Country, Girls Golf, Girls Tennis, Girls Volleyball and Boys and Girls Water Polo) will be open for registration. Winter and spring sports will open approximately 1 month prior to the start of their season. Winter sports registration will open on October 1 and the season is scheduled to start on November 2. Spring sports registration will open on January 5 and the spring sport season is scheduled to start on February 8. Should these dates be changed due to the CIF decision, you will be notified.

**Sports Physicals:** In normal times, all athletes are required to get a sports physical from their physician annually. There is a pre clearance form on the FamilyID website which needs to be stamped and signed by your physician and then uploaded to your FamilyID account. Due to Covid-19 and the difficulty some may face in being able to get a physical appointment, the CIF has implemented a waiver which will last for one month after the start of fall sports to obtain a physical. This means all athletes will need to have their physical by September 10 if they are participating in a fall sport, should we start on time. The CIF waiver is currently being created and will be posted on our website as soon as the form becomes available.
Summer Programs: We have been cleared to begin summer programs. Football and Water Polo began conditioning in groups of 12 or less on Monday, June 22. Each athlete is health screened and has their temperature checked daily upon arrival. We have not started any other sport at this time. Our gym sports (basketball, volleyball & wrestling) will likely not convene this summer due to the gym renovation taking place, which is explained a little later in this communication. At the end of this letter will be a list of all of our coaches with email contacts should you want to contact the coach of a particular sport. Some of our coaches may have already reached out.

Academic Eligibility: All athletes must attain a 2.0 (non-weighted) GPA to be eligible for athletics. This means there is no grade bump for honors/AP courses for the purpose of determining athletic eligibility. Athletes are allowed one probationary period during their high school athletic career, which can be taken during the 10th-12th grade years. There are 4 report cards during the course of the year. These are the 4 times an athlete can become eligible/ineligible. We do not check grades daily. If an athlete goes below 2.0 on a report card, they are ineligible until the next report card comes out. We do not check grades in 2 weeks to see progress and allow the athlete to become eligible. Example: an athlete gets 1.83 on the October report card. Said athlete would be ineligible until the next report card in January. Also, athletes who have multiple F’s on their report card are ineligible even if they have above a 2.0. Athletes with multiple F’s on a report card are not eligible for probation. If you have questions about this policy please contact the Athletic Department.

Facility Update: Our gym is currently undergoing renovation and will not be available this summer and this could possibly extend into the school year, as late as mid-September. If this is the case, we will be acquiring space for the volleyball program at another location until we can use our gym provided fall sports begin on time. The gym bleachers will be replaced, along with the gym being painted, the floor being sanded and re-striped. All other facilities will be accessible once we re-open the campus per the guidelines being created for use due to Covid-19.

Coach Contacts:

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If you have any general questions or questions regarding the FamilyID registration or physical exams please e-mail Athletic Director, Steve Farbstein @ sfarbstein@srcs.org or Athletic Administrative Assistant, Erica Providenza at @ eprovidenza@srcs.org. E-mails will be checked at least every other day throughout the summer.

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