

Dear Upper School Families,

As winter sports come to a close, we are now preparing for the spring sports season. This spring, we are offering the following sports:

- HS Boys and Girls Track & Field
- MS Boys and Girls Track & Field
- MS Girls Soccer
- HS Girls Soccer

The high school teams will start practice on Monday, March 2 and the middle school teams will start on Monday, March 16. Exact times will be communicated prior to practice.

STUDENTS CANNOT TRY-OUT OR PRACTICE UNTIL THESE STEPS HAVE BEEN COMPLETED:

- **Submit documentation of a sports physical** to the Main Office. (You may use your health provider's form, or use [this one](#).) If you already have one on file that is less than a year old, you do not need to resubmit this.
- **Pay fee and sign/initial mandatory forms:**
 - **Check or credit card:** Use [My School Bucks](#), where you can sign forms and pay (with no processing fee) all at one time
 - **Cash:** Print out the [Student Athletic Activities Information and Signature Pages](#), fill them out, and submit them along with your cash payment to the Business Office, located in the Main Office.

We will accept paperwork and payment (either electronically or in the office) beginning now through 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, February 26.

All parents and students who are interested in playing or learning more about the spring teams are asked to attend a mandatory Spring Sports Information Meeting on Tuesday, February 25, at 6:30 p.m. At least one parent/guardian per athlete and all spring athletes themselves are expected to attend this one hour meeting which will be held in the Auditorium. At this meeting, coaches will hand out practice and game schedules for the season (as much as has been confirmed), presentations will be made about safety protocols and parent/athlete expectations, and sign-ups will take place for various parent volunteer opportunities. We hope you find this format efficient and informative for you and your child as you begin this new sports season.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact me at jmuehlbauer@maclarenschool.org. Go Highlanders!

All the best,

Joe Muehlbauer
Athletic Director