



SHARK BITES

Tuesday, Sept 9, 2008

PARENT APPRECIATION DAY!!!

The parent appreciation picnic is scheduled for Thursday, Sept. 11th. Please plan to be at practice at 5:30. We will be holding a short workout, PRACTICE JERSEYS ONLY, no helmets or other equipment. Parents will meet at 6:00 and we will eat shortly after a quick parent meeting.

A team Parent Rep may have contacted you to discuss what we need each family to provide-

- 7-8 year olds- 1 pkg 8 count hamburger buns
- 9-10 yr old American teams - 1 bag plain potato chips
- 9-10 yr old National team – ketchup, mustard, or 100 count napkins/100 count paper plates
- 11-12 yr olds-1 pkg of 10 count hotdog buns
- 13-14 yr olds- 1 pkg 8 count hamburger buns

Also, anyone who would like to bring bars, cookies, or some sort of dessert, please make sure it is ready to serve before arriving at the park.

Please bring your blankets and lawn chairs

Don't forget the coach's dunk-a-thon

WESLEYAN FIELD

All Lincoln games will be played at Wesleyan; we are very excited to be able to use this facility.

Please keep in mind the following:

- o enter the facility off the 56th and Huntington St entrance
- o All on campus parking should be south of the stadium, parking on campus north of the field may lead to ticketing and/or towing.
- o All spectators must stay in the stands, players and coaches only allowed on the track and sidelines.
- o **ABSOLUTELY NO SUNFLOWER SEEDS ALLOWED IN THE FACILITY**
- o No smoking allowed anywhere in the stadium
- o Following each game each team needs to take a few minutes to clean up their area on the field and in the stands.
- o The facility is private property and anyone not following their rules will be asked to leave.

Second Apparel order

We will be submitting a second apparel order if you weren't able to get your order placed the first time. If you are interested, please see Stacia at the equipment bin. Deadline for second order is Tuesday, Sept 16th.

CANCELTION NUMBER

Practice/Game changes or cancellations: call **438-4686** and listen to the voicemail message! Changes will be posted 1 hour ahead of all practice and game times.

UNIFORM CARE

Please make sure you are taking care of your practice and game uniforms. Your game uniform **MUST BE WASHED** after every game. Uniforms that are left uncared for are very difficult to get clean at the end of the season! Any player showing up for games in a clearly soiled uniform may not be allowed to participate.

Practice Schedule

We will be starting our regular season practices next week:

**Monday, Tuesday and Thursday
5:30-7:30**

Practices are not optional. All players are required to report to practice and be ready at 5:30. If for some reason you will not be able to make it to practice, please be sure to notify your coach ahead of time, or contact the Shark Hotline at 438-4686. Unexcused practices will impact playing time.

Parent Policy

We encourage and appreciate all parents that stay to watch their child's practice. As a reminder only coaches and players are allowed on the practice field as well as the game field. Parents should not come any closer than the tree line during practices. *REMINDER- PARENTS MUST **REMAIN BEHIND THE SET BARRIERS AT THE GAME FIELDS**. For clarification, please see any NYAA representative. If you have any other questions or concerns please don't hesitate to direct them to Bobby Slade.

Game Schedule for 9/14/07

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| 7-8 Wildcats vs Sharks Blue-12:00 Wesleyan | 11-12 Sharks National Grey vs Bobcats 3-4:30 Wesleyan |
| 9-10 Sharks Nat'l Grey vs Mustangs 2-12:00 Beadle | 11-12 Sharks American Grey vs Rams-4:30 Ralston |
| 9-10 Sharks American Grey vs Cowboys-1:30 Wesleyan | 11-12 Sharks American Blue vs Westside 2-3:00 Westside |
| 9-10 Wolverines vs Sharks American Blue-3:00 Wesleyan | 13-14 Patriots vs Sharks Blue-4:30 Beadle |

Remember to be at the game field 1 hour prior to game time in full uniform. Please have all equipment checked the night before games to avoid confusion at game time.