

Cross Country Homecoming, September 27, 2016

On Tuesday, October 10, the XC teams will be celebrating homecoming. South Lyon High School will be taking on South Lyon EAST and Waterford Mott at Island Lake.

Please invite your extended families, your friends, your neighbors, your favorite teachers, etc to help us celebrate. The races are currently scheduled for 4:30 Girls and 5:05 Boys.

HOMECOMING POSTER:

In the grand tradition of Homecomings past, the parents of the XC runners will be creating a poster for their own son(s). We slip the poster over a wire frame and then set them up in the middle part of the course for the entire world to see. The boys really have a good time looking at all of their teammate's posters.

Buy a standard sheet of poster board (28 x 22) from Meijers, Wal Mart, CVS, etc. To make the sign, fold the poster board in half so that it is ½ the height, not ½ the width. You will be decorating the outside of each half. The two halves of the sign will be placed over a wire election sign hanger the day of the meet.

There are pictures of some previous signs at www.slxc.com/signs

SIDE ONE:

Create a 'tribute' to your son. It can be as serious or funny as you wish; this is good place for some of the blackmail pictures you have taken in the past. A suggestion for seniors is a serious one celebrating all their years of XC. For underclassmen we can much more amusing. Pictures, clipart, mementos, you name it, almost anything goes.

SIDE TWO:

This is more a team side. Pictures of lions, runners, your son's running pictures, sayings like 'Go Lions', 'Homecoming 2017', his graduation year, etc.

Be sure your son's name is prominently displayed on both sides.

It doesn't have to be a work of art, just a token to show your son you appreciate the effort he puts into an extremely demanding sport. The boys don't get a great deal of recognition; this is our time to show them that we acknowledge their time and commitment.

Delivery Instructions:

- 1. You can deliver your sign directly to Island Lake on Tuesday, October 10 and staple it directly to a wire yourself. Please have your sign in place between 2:30 and 3:30.**
- 2. You can deliver your sign to Coach Smith's Apartment and put it in the box on the front porch. Coach Smith lived directly at the corner of Pontiac Trail and Eleven Mile Rd. His apartment faces both 11 and Pontiac Trail. Apartment One. DO NOT put it there after 2:30 on Tuesday, Oct. 10.**

We still have unfilled parent jobs for this meet. Go to <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0c44a8ad29a02-help>