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Dear Warrior Community,

We had a good week for our students and look forward to having a great night supporting both of our high school soccer teams this evening. For tonight's home game at 6pm, there will be burgers and hot dogs on the grill, in which proceeds from this will go towards athletics! Both middle school soccer teams have gotten their seasons rolling, as our high school teams continue their seasons. Congrats to our XC team on a great meet on Wednesday, and our Boys Varsity Soccer team, who beat Sunapee 2-0. Please see the athletics website for updated schedules and game changes.

I would like to state a few game day expectations so that as a community, we can be on the same page while working together. This way, everything can run smoothly for our student athletes.

- As we cheer on our Warriors, please make sure they are positive and encouraging comments only. We do not tolerate negative comments of any kind.
- Parents and students not on the team should not be next to or behind the bench of the competing teams.
- Regarding any comments, concerns, or questions, we ask that the coach is approached first so that everyone can be on the same page communication wise. If there is a concern that you would like to discuss with me, please call the school to schedule a time to discuss the concern. During a game, when I am supervising the field of play and spectators, this is not the best time because I would like to provide you with my undivided attention.
- Please remember the 24 hour rule for difficult communications. We kindly encourage that coaches are not spoken to before games on the day of competition. This section also states that parents should wait to converse with a coach until 24 hours after a game regarding game or team matters.

### **WLC's STUDENT ATHLETES OF THE WEEK**

**Our male student athlete of the week is Colby Collins!** Colby is being recognized for going into the boys varsity soccer game against Sunapee "like never before... determined to walk away with a win," said Coach Dan Nelson. He scored both goals and in their game and has been a great team leader. While achieving all A's, Colby is always on time and gets the job done with little guidance. Good job, Colby!

**Our female student athlete of the week is Haidyn Paquette!** Haidyn was recognized for not only recognized for her current outstanding grades, but also her defense in their last game against Holy Family. Not only does she play with grit, but she is "very coachable, energetic, and is very receptive to her

teammates during games,” states Coach Bjorn Flora. She has made great strides in her soccer development. Good job, Haidyn!

**MS female student athlete of the week is Aibhlinn Popores-LaFleur!** Aibhlinn has taken a huge leap in becoming a more intense player on the soccer field. She is motivated to get up faster than she falls. “Her determination and positive attitude is very noticeable on the field and we can't wait to see what the rest of the season brings!” Coach Amanda Finigan. Aibhlinn is also being recognized for her outstanding grades. Keep up the good work!

**MS male student athlete of the week is Matthew Caragher!** Matt is being recognized for providing an excellent role model/leader for his new teammates. “His goal keeping keeps the team in a lot of games and has a great skill set, allowing him to be placed in any position,” said Coach Nick Lord. Matt is also being recognized for having high straight As. Great job Matthew!

### **Great job Warriors!**

We are currently looking for members to join our Athletic Advisory Council (AAC). This is a monthly meeting in which a group of distinct individuals come together with the AD and discuss some of the following:

- Support for our athletes
- Policy development
- Community engagement
- Enhancing athletic experiences
- Additional current concerns

Please email me if you are interested in joining this council. I will respond to you with a questionnaire as to how you believe you may best help our program move forward. Members will be chosen based on submissions: [a.brewster@sau63.org](mailto:a.brewster@sau63.org)

### **Practice Schedule link:**

 **Weekly Practice Schedule**

### **Upcoming competitions:**

- Monday 9/23: BV soccer AT Portsmouth Christian Academy - 4pm
- Monday 9/23: GMS and BMS soccer AT Henniker - 3:30pm
- **Wednesday 9/25: BV soccer vs Concord Christian - 6pm HOME**
- Wednesday 9/25: GMS soccer AT Amherst B
  - 412 Boston Post Rd, Amherst NH - 4:15
- **Wednesday 9/25: BMS soccer vs Amherst B - 3:30 HOME**
- Thursday 9/26: XC AT Moultonborough Academy
  - (25 Blake Road Moultonborough) - 4pm
- Friday 9/27: BV soccer AT Hinsdale - 4pm
- Friday 9/27 GHS soccer AT Mount Royal - 4pm

**Go Warriors!**