Dear Coach:

Warren High School will be hosting the 25\textsuperscript{th} Annual Scenic Hills Lions Club Cross Country Invitational on \textbf{Saturday, September 3\textsuperscript{rd}, 2011}. The high school invitational will begin at 10 AM with the junior high races to follow (see enclosed meet information for schedule). We will run the same course as in 2010 that is almost entirely on grass with a few very brief road crossings and combines open fields, trails, and 2 small creek crossings. The course is very spectator friendly. Preliminary information has been included for your review.

A website with meet information including course maps, course photos, “fly by” video, elevation charts, and other information is available. The URL is: \url{http://www.ohio.edu/people/hoffmar1/homemeet.html}

If you would be interested in entering your team, or receiving further information as it becomes available, \textbf{email me the information below, or detach and return the information sheet below to me.} Once we receive your interest form below, we will make sure you receive all the necessary information you need to submit entries and other meet logistics. WE WILL CAP ENTRIES AT 25 TEAMS.

Sincerely,

Warren HS Cross Country

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\textbf{IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN ATTENDING PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN OR EMAIL INFORMATION. THIS HELPS US GREATLY WITH PLANNING.}

________ Yes, we are interested in entering the following teams in the Warren High School Scenic Hills Lions Club Cross Country Invitational on \textbf{Saturday, September 3\textsuperscript{rd}, 2011}.

_________ HIGH SCHOOL BOYS TEAM    _________ HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS TEAM

_________ JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL BOYS TEAM _________ JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS TEAM

SCHOOL: _______________________________________________ COACH: _________________________________

SCHOOL ADDRESS: ________________________________________________________________________________

PHONE (W): ______________________________________  (H):____________________________________

FAX: _______________________________________  EMAIL: ______________________________________

RETURN TO:     Cross Country Coach
Warren High School
130 Warrior Drive
Vincent OH  45784.

OR FAX:  740-678-2378
OR email to:  
hoffman@oucom.ohiou.edu
Date: Saturday, September 3, 2011  Location: Warren High School, Vincent, OH.

Website: Meet and course information is available at http://www.ohio.edu/people/hoffmar1/homemeet.html.

Schedule:
- 10:00 AM  HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS RACE
- 10:45 AM  HIGH SCHOOL BOYS RACE
- 11:30 AM  JUNIOR HIGH GIRLS RACE
- 12:00 PM  JUNIOR HIGH BOYS RACE

Entry Fee: High Schools: $50 per team – boys and girls teams are separate. If less than 5 runners on a team, entry fee will be $5 per runner.

Junior High/Middle Schools: $10 per team - boys and girls teams are separate. If less than 5 runners, entry fee will be $5 per runner.

Please make checks payable to WARREN HIGH SCHOOL. Checks can be mailed to the Cross Country Coach or Athletic Coordinator at Warren High School or checks/cash can be brought the day of the race.

Entries: Unlimited entries per team. Entries will be done online through www.Baumspage.com. Please see attached instructions on how to enter your teams through www.Baumspage.com

Awards: Top 2 teams, top 20 individuals in varsity races. Top 2 teams and top 15 runners in junior high races. Awards and results will be distributed after the junior high races are complete at approximately 1:15 PM at the stadium.

Scoring: Top 5 runners score, 6th and 7th runners displace. Individuals on incomplete teams and additional runners beyond seven per team excluded.

Course: The course will start and finish in front of Warren High School and consists of open fields and wood chip trails and is 99% on grass. There are seven very brief road crossings. There will be two small creek crossings. Spikes can be worn. Maps will be available race day and online.

Facilities: Restroom facilities will be available near the start/finish line and at the stadium. We ask that your athletes please refrain from entering the school buildings with spikes on.

Trainers: Athletic trainers will be available throughout the day. Water and ice will be available.

Parking: Bus parking will be available adjacent to the starting area and in the lot next to the stadium. Spectator parking will be available in the same lot. The cost will be $6 per car. Please announce to your parents and supporters.

Results: Complete results will be available as quickly as possible after the completion of the races and available at the awards presentation. Results will also be posted on www.baumspage.com, and at the meet website. Results can be emailed and also faxed upon request.

T-shirts: A4 Cooling Performance Shirts will be available the day of the race for $12. More information on the shirts will be available on our website and sent along with future updates.

Questions: Please call Rich Hoffman at 740-989-2650 (home), or 740-593-2233 (work), or by email at hoffman@oucom.ohiou.edu, or you can call the Athletic Coordinator at 740-678-2393.
Directions

FROM ROUTE 7 NORTH (coming from the west): Take the Exit off Route 7 marked Beverly/Rt. 339. Turn LEFT onto 339. You will see a Park & Ride lot just past the underpass. Travel on 339 for approximately 10 miles. When you are close to the school, you will see a small restaurant on your left on a small hill. The name of the restaurant is Napolis. Continue on 339 for approximately another 1/2 mile. Just before you reach the Silver Moon Diner on the left and the Post Office on the right, TURN RIGHT. This is County Road 804, also marked as Warrior Drive. You will also see Barlow-Vincent Elementary in the distance on your right. You may enter the parking lot using either of the entrances on the right.

FROM ROUTE 60 SOUTH: At Beverly, turn Right onto State Route 339. Travel on 339 for approximately 10 miles. When you get to Barlow, you will come to an intersection with a blinking light. Go through this light approximately 1 mile. You will see the Silver Moon Diner on the right and the Post Office on the left. This is County Road 804, also marked as Warrior Drive. You will also see Barlow-Vincent Elementary in the distance on your left. TURN LEFT. You may enter the parking lot using either of the entrances on the right.

FROM I-77 South, EXIT 6 AT MARIETTA: The trip from Exit 6 will take 20-30 minutes, depending on traffic. Turn RIGHT when coming off the interstate at Exit 6. This exit is marked as SR 821/Lower Salem. You will follow a windy 2 lane highway for a few miles. This road dead-ends at a stoplight at Muskingum Drive/Rt. 60 and the Muskingum River. Turn LEFT onto Rt. 60. You will stay on Rt. 60 through town to Washington Street. There will be 4 stoplights. The 4th one is at Washington Street. You will see signs for Rt. 7 South there. Turn RIGHT. Follow Washington Street across the bridge (you are crossing the Muskingum River). Continue on this road (now it will be labeled Ft. Harmar Drive) until you come to the intersection of Rt. 7 and 550. This is just past a "flea market" called Rinky Dink’s on the right. Turn RIGHT onto Rt. 550 and stay on it for approximately 11.5 miles. When you get to Barlow, you will come to an intersection just before you see a blinking light. This intersection will have a church and Seaman’s Store to your right and an insurance agency to your left. Turn LEFT onto Warrior Drive. Drive approximately 1 mile and you should see Warren High School to your left. Proceed to the second school drive (at the bottom of the hill) and turn LEFT.
Online Entry Form Instructions
2011 Scenic Hills Lions Club Cross Country Invitational
 hosted by Warren High School
 September 3rd, 2011

As we did last year, we are going to utilize online registration through Baumspage this year so please submit your rosters according to the instructions on the attached page no later than August 29th by 7:00 PM.

Entry window opens: 8:00 AM, Monday, August 15th

Entry Window will close precisely at 7:00 PM on Monday, August 29th

1. Rosters must be submitted through Baum’s Page Online Entry System before the entry deadline.
   a. Late entries will not be accepted! Or if accepted, they will be subject to a Late Entry Penalty.
   b. Race entries will not be accepted race morning – make sure you enter EVERYONE who might possibly run.
   c. You will receive a confirmation email – please review to ensure that everyone who may run is listed.

2. Go to www.baumspage.com, browse to Cross Country, then Scenic Hills Lions Club Invitational, and the Online Entry Form.
   a. Click the Help link and print Online Entry Instructions for CC if you need detailed instructions.
   b. All User Accounts are deleted every summer so everyone will need to Apply/Re-Apply for an account for the current school year.
   c. Use Apply to create your account. Select School and one Sport from the drop-down menus.
   d. Use Add/Drop Teams after login to add additional teams to the same account.

3. Use Add/Modify Athletes to enter your athletes and Submit Event Rosters to enter them in a meet.
   a. Include everybody that could possibly compete! Submit a complete roster before entry deadline!!
   b. If an athlete on your roster is definitely going to miss the meet, check the Not Participating box before you submit.
   c. Click Save/Submit and Print Roster to save entries and Printable Roster and Confirmation Form button to print a copy for you records. *Only the athletes listed are entered in the event!

4. If there are any problems with the Online Form, click the Help link and submit a Help Request.
   a. Please allow up to 24 hours for a response! * Most responses will be in less than 8 hours.
   b. Send e-mail to help@baumspage.com or call Gary Baumgartner at 513-424-6201 or Terry Young at 740-753-0561 if you need immediate help.

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Create your account early and submit a complete roster online before the entry deadline!

Include everyone that could possibly compete!

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