

Date: _____

Dear Parents/Guardians:

On _____, and _____, the students of _____ will be participating in the Lakehead Public Schools Track and Field Meet. This event will take place at the Royal Canadian Legion Track. Buses will arrive at the school at _____ and return at _____. **Students will have to arrange transportation home from the school as buses will not return in time for dismissal.**

Rain dates: _____ and _____

All participants are reminded that the following clothing/footwear is appropriate for this event:

- running shoes, or track shoes are permitted.
- students are to wear a school jersey at all times
- NO PANTS, CAPRIS OR LONG SHORTS PERMITTED
- no watches, rings, jewelry; must be dressed appropriately according to the School's Code of Conduct
- students not complying with the clothing rules will not be allowed to participate

All participants are reminded to bring the following:

- plenty of fluids, snacks and a nutritious lunch
- wear layered clothing, pack sunscreen, umbrellas and appropriate outerwear
- no gum, or sunflower seeds are allowed
- no peanut/nut products
- students must be under the direct supervision of an adult at all times
- students are not allowed to leave the venue without a coach and must notify coaches/supervisors of their whereabouts at all times

All coaches, students and spectators are reminded of the following:

- as a Lakehead Public Schools event - all venues are smoke free
- on site convenors has the authority to remove any individual(s) whose conduct is deemed inappropriate
- all competitions emphasize participation, respect, co-operation and fair play
- scheduled times are approximate
- any vehicles parked along the stadium wall or fence will be blocked in until the buses leave **NO EXCEPTIONS**
- students will not be left at the stadium to be picked up by parents. If the child's team is leaving and the parents have not arrived, he/she will be put on the bus
- the following areas are off limits to spectators, coaches and athletes: top two rows of the bleachers, behind the bleachers, outside of stadium (unless accompanied by a coach), the field inside the track, any of the pit areas, along the fence and the bleachers opposite the finish line

Please complete the ATTACHED/FORM BELOW and return it to the school no later than _____.

Thank you,

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Dear PARENT and/or GUARDIAN;

Your son/daughter _____ will be competing in the Lakehead Public Schools Track and Field Meet on _____ and _____. I hereby give my consent for _____ to participate.

Signed: _____
PARENT'S SIGNATURE.

****Education activity program such as field trips involve some element of risk. Accidents may occur when participating in these activities without any fault on either the part of the student or Lakehead Public Schools, its employees or agents, or the facility where the activity is taking place. By choosing to participate, you are assuming the risk of an accident occurring. However, following instructions at all times while engaged in the activity can reduce the chance of an accident occurring. If you choose to participate in the field trip outlined above, you must understand that you bear the responsibility for any accident that might occur. Lakehead Public Schools does not provide any accident insurance on behalf of the students participating in activities of this nature.**

