

Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s),

Our Lady of Providence will be hosting a school track and field meet on Friday May 24<sup>th</sup>, 2024 (rain date scheduled for Monday May 27<sup>th</sup>, 2024) at Paris District High School located on 231 Grand River North, Paris.

Students will be practicing the events during their physical education classes in the weeks leading up to the track and field meet. The track events include: 100m, 200m, 400m, 800m and 1500m and the field events include: long jump, triple jump, standing broad jump, and shotput. Students will be signing up for a minimum of **four** events. This will be a combination of track and field events.

Concession Stand will be available between 10:30 am - 1:30 pm. Students will be able to purchase food from 10:30 - 1:30 that day. Hotdogs (\$2.00), Gatorade (\$3.00), Pop (\$2.00), Water (\$1.00) and Jumbo Freezies (\$2.00) will be available to purchase. Students are also encouraged to bring healthy snacks to eat throughout the day. Washrooms are available to the students inside the school. There will be a designated door for students to enter and signs indicating where the washrooms are located. There is also a refill water station for the students to use.

There are no bleachers at the facility. Parents are encouraged to bring chairs that day to watch the events. There is a grassy space around the track for students to use that day. A blanket or towel to sit on is recommended. Students are encouraged to dress for the weather that day. A hat and sunscreen are recommended. Wearing proper running shoes is mandatory to participate in all events.

Volunteers - we are looking for parents to help at different events throughout the day. If you are interested, please make sure you have an updated police check on file and have filled out the volunteer section that is attached to this note. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Andree at the office. We appreciate your help!

Students will be traveling by bus to and from Paris District High School. Students will leave the school at 9:00 a.m. and will return to the school before our regular dismissal time at 3:00 p.m.. Attached is a permission form for your child to participate in the track and field meet. Please sign and return it by Friday May 17<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

If you wish to attend Tuesday's meet, there is a large parking lot at the North end of the school. Please be advised that the first 3 rows are reserved for PDHS staff. The remainder of the lot will be used by PDHS students but is available for visitors.

If you plan on taking your child home after they are finished with their events, they must inform their teacher before leaving.

Yours in Education,

OLOP Junior and Intermediate Teachers

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**Please cut and return this section to your child's classroom teacher.**

I am interested in volunteering at OLOP's track and field meet on Friday May 24<sup>th</sup>, 2024 and Rain date scheduled for Monday May 27<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

Volunteer's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

My child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

My child's Classroom Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_