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Dear Coach:

Here at Watkins Memorial, we are excited about the 37th Edition of the McGowan Invitational at Watkins on Saturday, September 11th, 2010, and hope to make it our best meet ever.

**ENTRIES** - Enclosed you will find the information you need. We are using **ONLINE ENTRY**, available at [www.baumspace.com](http://www.baumspace.com). This will be the **ONLY** method of entering the meet. Enclosed with this letter you will find the online entry instructions. **ENTRIES WILL CLOSE AT NOON ON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8th, 2010.** It is not necessary to designate varsity or reserve. Simply enter your entire boys high school team, girls high school team, boys middle school team and girls middle school team. You may edit your entries up until the deadline, **but everyone who might run needs to be entered!!!!!!**

**SCHEDULE:** We've tightened the time schedule (teams should be on the starting line 15 min before race time):

9:30 AM	Division I Boys Varsity Race	30 Medals - 3 Trophies
10:00 AM	Division I Girls Varsity Race	30 Medals - 3 Trophies
10:30 AM	Boys Reserve Team Race (7/team ONLY)	30 Medals - 3 Trophies
11:00 AM	Boys Reserve Individual	20 Medal - No Trophies
11:30 AM	Girls Reserve Team Race (7/team ONLY)	30 Medals - 3 Trophies
12:00 PM	Girls Reserve Individual	20 Medal - No Trophies
12:30 PM	Division II Boys Varsity Race	20 Medals - 2 Team Trophies
1:00 PM	Division II Girls Varsity Race	20 Medals - 2 Team Trophies
1:30 PM	Division III Boys Varsity and Open	20 Medals - 2 Team Trophies
2:00 PM	Division III Girls Varsity and Open	20 Medals - 2 Team Trophies
2:30 PM	Mid. Sch. Girls Small Team Race	20 Medals - 2 Team Trophies
2:55 PM	Mid. Sch. Boys Small Team Race	20 Medals - 2 Team Trophies
3:20 PM	Middle Sch. Girls Reserve Race	20 Medals - 2 Team Trophies
3:45 PM	Middle Sch. Boys Reserve Race	20 Medals - 2 Team Trophies
4:05 PM	Mid. Sch. Girls Large Team Race	20 Medals - 2 Team Trophies
4:30 PM	Mid. Sch. Boys Large Team Race	20 Medals - 2 Team Trophies

Individual awards will be given in the chute, team awards as soon as results are done

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS:** High School coaches are reminded that they may move up in class at prior request and that there are no "B" teams allowed in the varsity races. Middle School teams are assigned races based upon their high school's classification, with Division III and II schools in the "Small Team" races, and Division I schools in the "Large Team" races. You may enter from 1 to 7 runners in a team race (except the HS Reserve team races), it requires 5 finishers to score. All runners beyond seven must run in the appropriate reserve race. Teams running more than 7 in a Team Race will be disqualified, as will any runner who participates in more than one race.

**HS RESERVE RACES:** The HS reserve team races are for your top 5, 6, or 7 reserves. We encourage you to run a reserve team if you have one. All other reserves are to go in the Individual race (Division III coaches - you may run ALL of your runners in the Div III varsity and open race). We will displace for scoring purposes). Race information and results will be available at [www.watkinstrack.org](http://www.watkinstrack.org)

**FEES AND ADMISSIONS:** If you have not paid the entry fee yet, please arrange to do so as soon as possible. The cost is \$75 for high school teams (cost includes all races) and \$50 for middle school team (cost also includes all races). *Note - any and all high school entries - total cost \$75. Any and all Middle School entries - total cost \$50. Individual entry (less than 5 total - \$10/athlete).* Admittance will be charged for spectators, with adults at \$6 and children school aged at \$3. Please let your parents know. Concessions will also be available, as well as Invitational T-Shirts at \$15.

If you have questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me in the following ways: e-mail - [mdahlman@laca.org](mailto:mdahlman@laca.org), work phone 740/927-3846, home phone 740/927-8355. Otherwise we'll see you on the 11th.

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Meet Manager

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