## **BURLINGTON XC RUN INVITATIONAL**

Date: Saturday, September 7, 2024

Course: Hard'ack Rec Area, St. Albans, VT

(this is the 3rd year the Burlington XC Invitational is in St. Albans, as construction continues at the site of Burlington High School)

Parking	Buses will drop off at Hard'ack and park at Collins Perley Sports Center	
	<b>Spectators</b> can park in the field in the middle of the course (if the ground is not muddy). Please note this means that cars won't be able to enter or exit while a race is being run as the runners cross the entrance.	

Services	Port-o-Lets will be available on site	
	<b>No food or vending available for purchase</b> unfortunately until we are back at a home site in Burlington. There is no running water on site.	
	<b>Team tents</b> can be set up on the soccer field just south of the Start/parking area.	

Time Schedule				
Junior HS Girls	4:30 PM	3km		
Junior HS Boys	4:50PM	3km		
	Junior HS Awards Ceremony	5:15PM		
JV Girls HS	2:00PM	5km		
JV Boys HS	2:45PM	5km		
Varsity Girls HS	3:30PM	5km		
Varsity Boys HS	4:00PM			
	HS Awards Ceremony	4:32PM		

Awards	Individual dog-tags and team awards will be given at the award ceremonies
Results	Live team scores and individual results will be displayed on a 60" TV at the finish. All results will be uploaded to 802Timing.com
Safety Pins	Schools will provide their own safety pins for their runners
Course Maps	5K (High School) Course Map  3K (Middle School) Course Map

Entry Deadline	Wednesday, September 4, 2024, 11:59PM EST (1 minute before midnight). All entries are final. No refunds.
Entry Fees	Girls - \$16 per athlete, maximum \$170 per girls team. Boys - \$16 per athlete, maximum \$170 per boys team
	Entries fees must be paid on Athletic.net prior to participation.
	Late fees: \$250.00 team late entry , \$30.00 individual late fee Friday & Race Day Late Fee \$300.00 team late entry, \$50.00 individual late fee paid on Athletic.net
	Once assigned, bibs cannot be transferred to another runner without triggering late fees— that is considered a new entry.
	TEAM MUST RUN A VARSITY IN ORDER TO RUN JV TEAM. YOU MAY NOT RUN YOUR ATHLETES IN THE JV RACE ONLY.
Entry Format	On Athletic.net (free of charge for all teams).
	CREATING ENTRIES USING ATHLETIC.NET IS A 3 STEP PROCESS:
	Create your school account if your school doesn't already have one.  It may take up to 48 hours to establish a new account on Athletic.net  web. Plan accordingly, please. Please create separate teams/rosters/entries for middle school and HS athletes.
	Enter your athletes. Each athlete's grade must be listed.
	3. Enter your athletes into the correct event (high school 5K or middle school 3K)
	Your entries will be confirmed via Athletic.net after the posted deadline.
	THIS PROCESS MUST BE COMPLETED ON ATHLETIC.NET BEFORE THE POSTED ENTRY DEADLINE. AFTER THE DEADLINE THE ATHLETIC.NET WEB WILL CLOSE THE REGISTRATION PROCESS.

## ANY ROSTER ADDITIONS OR CHANGES AFTER THE ENTRY DEADLINE WILL NOT BE NOTED.

## Finish Line

- There will be no single file finish chute.
- The finish line cameras may be used to assure the most accurate order of finish.
- The finish line will be the 1<sup>st</sup> edge of the 1<sup>st</sup> timing mat of the running direction.
- Finish chute will be approx. 15 feet (5 meters) wide and up to 100 feet (30 meters) long.
- An athlete must cross all blue timing mats (up to 4 mats) at the finish than proceed to the end of the finish chute where his/her chip will be collected.
- There is no need to stay in the finish order after crossing the timing mats.