

March 5, 2021

Dear Athletic Director/Coach,

We are excited about the 19<sup>th</sup> annual Skippy Keefer Relays, Saturday, April 10, 2021. This meet honors our former athletic director and coach, Skippy Keefer, for her many years of dedicated service to us all.

The online registration will be on Mo.MileSplit.com. Once the meet is setup, you will receive an invitation to make your entries directly from MileSplit.

You may enter three athletes in open events, and three in each field relay (one relay per team). Please use the four events per athlete rule.

John Burroughs has an all-weather track. The pole vault, high jump, long and triple jump areas also have the all weather surface. We recommend you use 3/16" pyramid spikes for all events. NO NEEDLE SPIKES ARE PERMITTED, so please inform your student-athletes in advance to ensure they have optimal footing on the surface.

The shot and discus circles are concrete. Please bring your own official shots and discus, clearly marked for identification. Javelin will be contested on a grass field.

There will be a coaches/scratch meeting at 8:30am followed by an opening/national anthem at 8:55am. Jumping events will start at 9:00am with all track events beginning at 9:30am. Good luck to you and your team(s) this season.

## **Additional information:**

We have two available parking lots; the 9243 Clayton Road entrance (if coming by bus, please use this entrance and let us know in advance), and the 755 Price Road entrance.

- NO SPECTATORS allowed.
- Given Covid restrictions, there will not be a concession stand available this year. Please remind your athletes to bring what they will need for food/hydration.
- Team camps should be set up behind the bleachers on the north side of the track at least 30 ft. apart.
- Dressing facilities will not be available.
- The main building is off-limits. Restrooms are located at the south end of the track and up the hill by the tennis courts/greenhouse.
- Please instruct all athletes to avoid the infield unless reporting to an event. Coaches and administrators are responsible for the supervision of their students and fans.
- All competitors must wear their official school uniforms.
- Pole Vault/High Jump starting heights will be decided at the scratch meeting.
- Each competitor in the shot put, discus, long and triple jump will have four trials.
- All athletes must report to the event before competition begins.

Sincerely,

Daniel M. Harris Head Coach, Boys/Girls Track and Field Peter Tasker Director of Athletics