To: District IV Athletic Directors / Principals

From: Brent Trowbridge, Cross Country District Chairman RE: 2019 PIAA District IV Cross Country District Meet

The 2018 District IV Cross Country meet will be held at Bloomsburg University on Thursday, <u>October 24, 2019</u>. The meet site has been selected by the District Chairman and approved by the District Committee. The meet will be run on this day regardless of weather.

On the day of the meet - <u>all buses and vans</u> will unload at the top of the hill - pull off (to the left) in the designated area - unload and then the bus / van will be directed to the parking area.

Tents may be set up as staging areas for your teams – please remind your athletes to be careful crossing the road and stay alert.

Restrooms will include the football stadium and porta-potties on site. NO STUDENTS / COACHES / SPECTATORS ARE PERMITTED INSIDE THE FIELD HOUSE DUE TO CLASSES / PRACTICES / GENERAL OPERATIONS – DO NOT SEND STUDENTS INSIDE THE FIELD HOUSE.

1. Time schedule is as follows:

9:30 a.m. A Girls 10:15 a.m. AA Girls 11:00 a.m. A Boys 11:45 a.m. AA Boys

District IV qualifiers to the state meet in Hershey are as follows:

Class A Girls - one (1) team and five (5) individuals

Class AA Girls – two (2) teams and ten (10) individuals

Class A Boys – one (1) team and five (5) individuals

Class AA Boys – one (2) teams and ten (10) individuals

The PIAA State Meet is scheduled for Saturday, November 3rd, 2018 in Hershey.

2. The course is located at the Upper Campus of Bloomsburg University. The start and finish of the race are across the street from Nelson Field House. (MAP INCLUDED)

**TEAMS are NOT permitted to PRACTICE at Bloomsburg University

- 3. There will be a <u>Coach's Meeting to give information about the course from clerk of the course and PIAA officials at 9:15 a.m. Coaches please pick up your chips and starting box information in the main tent when you arrive. Teams may walk the course starting at 8 am and must be off no later than 9:10 am</u>
- 4. Clerk of the Course, Mr. Bernie Empie, Head CC Coach, Bloomsburg University.
- 5. The Bloomsburg course is 5000 meters.
- 6. The District IV Cross Country District Meet shall be conducted in accordance with the PIAA Rules and Regulations as published in the 2018 Handbook.
- 7. Ten runners may be entered in both the boys and girls meets / per school, only seven will run. Fewer than 5 may run as individual entries.

Registration will be done on-line via the Runner's High website, RUNHIGH.COM. INSTRUCTIONS ARE ATTACHED. Registration must be completed by 5:00 P.M. on Sunday, OCTOBER 20, 2019.

8. The following awards will be presented after the completion of the last race

A Boys/A Girls:

- A. Plaque to the first place team
- B. Individual medals to the members of the first place team.
- C. Individual medals for the five state qualifiers not on the first place team.

AA Boys/AA Girls:

- A. Plaque to the first place team.
- B. Individual medals for the members of the first place and second place teams
- C. Individual medals for the 10 state qualifiers not on the first or second place teams.
- 9. PIAA Eligibility forms should be completed on the PIAA website.
- 10. It is the responsibility of each school/coach to arrive early enough to allow athletes time to warm up. The time schedule will be strictly followed.
- 11. There will be no JV competition at the District Meet.
- 12. District IV Apprarel and Merchandise will be on sale in the main tent.

District IV and Bloomsburg University are not responsible for any lost or stolen items during the day of competition at Bloomsburg University.

Enrollment Classifications

These enrollment figures have been taken directly from the PIAA Website.

Please review to ensure that you are in the proper classification PRIOR to the day of the event.

District 4 Boys Cross Country Class A (1 team and 5 individuals qualify for states)	
<u>School</u> ▲	<u>Male Enrollment</u>
Bloomsburg High School	142
Canton Area High School	111
Hughesville High School	187
Montgomery Area High School	104
Northeast Bradford High School	119
Sayre Area High School	118
South Williamsport Area High School	130
Southern Columbia Area High School	173
Sullivan County High School	77
Towanda Area High School	173
Troy Junior / Senior High School	180
Wellsboro Area High School	182
Wyalusing Valley High School	145

District 4 Boys Cross Country Class AA (2 teams an School	d 10 individuals qualify for states) Male Enrollment
Athens Area High School	226
Central Columbia High School	216
Columbia Montour Area Vo Tech	269
Cowanesque Valley High School	119
Danville Area High School	262
Jersey Shore Area High School	289
Lewisburg Area High School	250
Loyalsock Township High School	200
Midd-West High School	254
Mifflinburg Area High School	261
Milton Area High School	254
Montoursville Area High School	225
Mount Carmel Area High School	173
North Penn-Mansfield Senior High School	151
Selinsgrove Area High School	336
Shamokin Area High School	264
Shikellamy High School	338
Warrior Run High School	200

District 4 Girls Cross Country Class A (1 team and 5 individuals qualify for states)	
School_	<u>Female Enrollment</u>
Bloomsburg High School	163
Canton Area High School	97
Hughesville High School	183
Loyalsock Township High School	169
Montgomery Area High School	95
Mount Carmel Area High School	140
North Penn-Mansfield Senior High School	142
Northeast Bradford High School	73
Sayre Area High School	132
Southern Columbia Area High School	144
Sullivan County High School	64
Towanda Area High School	181
Troy Junior / Senior High School	162
Wyalusing Valley High School	152

District 4 Girls Cross Country Class AA (2 teams and 10 individuals qualify for states) School_ Female Enrollment Athens Area High School 221 Central Columbia High School 203 221 Columbia Montour Area Vo Tech 99 Cowanesque Valley High School Danville Area High School 253 Jersey Shore Area High School 292 Lewisburg Area High School 201 Midd-West High School 218 Mifflinburg Area High School 271 Milton Area High School 255 Montoursville Area High School 228 Selinsgrove Area High School 318 249 Shamokin Area High School Shikellamy High School 328 Warrior Run High School 186 Wellsboro Area High School 201