



KANELAND KNIGHTS

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52nd ANNUAL - LARRY EDDINGTON INVITATIONAL

On behalf of the Kaneland Athletic Department, the Kaneland Cross Country Programs, and the family of Larry Eddington, please allow us to welcome you to Race Week! Last week you should have received an invitation via Athletic.Net to enter your athletes into the system. This letter is to serve as your guide to this week's event held on the campus of Kaneland High School. As always, we want your athletes, staff, and fans to have the best possible experience, so if there is anything we can do to assist you, please do not hesitate to reach out to our office directly at the contact below. There will be lots of Kaneland volunteers from parking, to check in, to on-course personal to assist you. Please do not hesitate to ask if you need assistance. Best of luck to your teams this week!

❖ TIMELINE

Coaches Meeting @ 8:00 AM @ the Starting Line | Star Spangled Banner @ 8:20 AM

❖ 8:30 AM - CO-ED Open Division Race

- Open to all runners not in the F/S or Varsity Divisions

❖ 9:15 AM Girls' Varsity Division Race

- Top 10 runners may enter
- Five score in the Girls' Varsity Division

❖ 9:55 AM Boys' Varsity Division Race

- Top 10 runners may enter
- Five score in the Boys' Varsity Division

❖ 10:35 AM Girls' Freshmen/Sophomore Division Race

- Unlimited F/S entries may run in the Girls' Freshmen/Sophomore Division

❖ 11:15 AM Boys' Freshmen/Sophomore Division Race

- Unlimited F/S entries may run in the Boys' Freshmen/Sophomore Division

❖ LOCATION

Kaneland High School Campus, 47W326 Keslinger Road, Maple Park, Illinois
North of Peterson Stadium / Course Length = 3.0 Miles

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❖ ENTRIES

Please use the link sent last week from Athletic.Net for entering your athletes

• **The Entry Fee is \$150.00 for girls and \$150 for boys**

• **Entry Fees are due the day of the race**

COURSE TOURS

❖ Course tours will begin at 7:30 AM. If you need a tour, please report to the starting line.

❖ The course map is attached to this email

STARTING TIME

Following the varsity girls' race, all races will start as close to scheduled times as possible.

❖ Boxes will be assigned before the meet and listed on your team envelope.

FINISH

❖ A chute will be used with the wide end of the chute being the finish line. Runners will cross all mats to initiate timing, and a video review of all finishes under .5 seconds will be reviewed on video to determine final placement. Once the final results are reviewed and signed by the Starter/Referee, they will be posted for teams to view.

SCORING SYSTEM

❖ **Upon arrival, each coach should report to the Meet Manager at the Scorer's table, which will be located inside the science classroom at Kaneland Middle School.** Each coach will be given an envelope with last minute instructions and team bibs. Additionally, each envelope will contain a list of athlete names and chip number. Chip timing with video review will be used as the primary scoring method. As mentioned earlier, video review will be used to verify the finish, with the runner's torso determining actual finish. The scoring will be completed by computer and results will be posted at the meet as soon as approved by the Starter/Referee.

❖ **River City Race Management (<https://raceresultsplus.com/>) has been retained as the official race timing company and results will be available through Athletic.net.**



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ATHLETIC TRAINING & MEDICAL SERVICES

- ❖ Kaneland Head Athletic Trainer, Maggie Walker and Northwestern Medicine will be on site all day to provide your athletes with Athletic Training services. Additionally, local medical personal along with an ambulance, will also be on site to assist as needed.



AWARDS

- ❖ **Due to many schools, including ours, hosting Homecoming, all the Awards will be inside the Meredith Building for coaches to pick up before departing. We will not be holding an Awards Ceremony this year. Please remember to drop off your Chips before picking up your awards.**
- ❖ The top five teams will receive 10 medals. Individual medals will be awarded to the first 10 runners, overall, in the Boys' Varsity, Girls' Varsity, F/S Boys' and F/S Girls' races. Ribbons will be awarded to the 11th to 35th place finishers in all 4 races. Ribbons will be awarded to the top 35 runners in the Boys' and Girls' Open Division races as well. **Team winners** will be honored on the podium as soon as the results of the Girls' Open Run are tabulated. **Ribbons will be placed in packets to be picked up by coaches (only) after the award presentations.**

PARKING

- ❖ **All team buses** will be parked on the driveways and parking lots to the west and north of the football field and old middle school. Team buses should enter the campus off of Meredith Road, unloading runners and equipment behind the old middle school (The Meredith Building).
- ❖ All spectators will be parked in lots adjacent to the Kaneland High School building. Spectators should enter the campus off of Keslinger Road, park and walk toward the water tower. Handicap parking will be available to those vehicles with placards, by driving up the gravel utility road to the water tower.

TEAM CAMPS

- ❖ Designated spaces for team camps will be shared with coaches upon arrival.

NO FANS, ATHLETES, OR COACHES WILL BE ALLOWED IN THE STADIUM OR ON SURROUNDING FIELDS. THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION.



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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- ❖ 52nd Annual Eddington t-shirts will also be available from IHSA vendor **Lightning Graphics** out of Roscoe, IL. A variety of shirts and sweatshirts will be available. These go fast, so let your athletes know!! They will be located near the water tower.
- ❖ If you have any questions, you may contact our Athletic Director.
 - Athletic Director: David Rohlman (David.Rohlman@Kaneland.org)
 - Kaneland Athletic Office Phone: 630-365-5100 ext. 71224.

We look forward to hosting your team –
Saturday, September 17th, 2022.



**COACHES-PLEASE COPY THIS INFORMATION AND HAND OUT TO YOUR
ATHLETES & FAMILIES PRIOR TO THE MEET**

~*~* SPECTATORS ~*~*

**Kaneland High School is committed to the safety of all participants, staff, and fans today.
Safety will be of the highest priority at all times.**

- **All spectators** must park in the lots of Kaneland High School. Do not park on the nearby roads.
- A \$5/Per Car Fee will be charged for all spectator vehicles. Please use the Southeast Entrance off of Keslinger Road.
- Spectators with a special need for parking closer to the Race Course should identify themselves upon arrival.
(All entrances on Meredith Road will be blocked for runner safety)
- Concessions will be available for purchase near the Water Tower. Concessions are being provided by the Kaneland Sports Boosters. No spectator coolers will be allowed on or near the race course.
- Race T-Shirts will be available on a limited basis near the Concessions trailer
- All Spectators will be asked to remain in the designated spectator areas.
- Per District 302 Board Policy and by IHSA By-Laws, no pets are allowed on campus



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2022 - PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS

Aurora Christian High School

Algonquin Jacobs High School

Belvidere North High School

Benet Academy High School

Boylan Catholic High School

Burlington Central High School

Crystal Lake Central High School

DeKalb High School

Dixon High School

Downers Grove North High School

East Aurora High School

Elgin Larkin High School

Freeport High School

Glenbard West High School

Grayslake North High School

Hampshire High School

Lisle (Chesterton Academy of the
Holy Family)

Maple Park (Kaneland) High School

Marengo High School

Morris High School

Newark High School

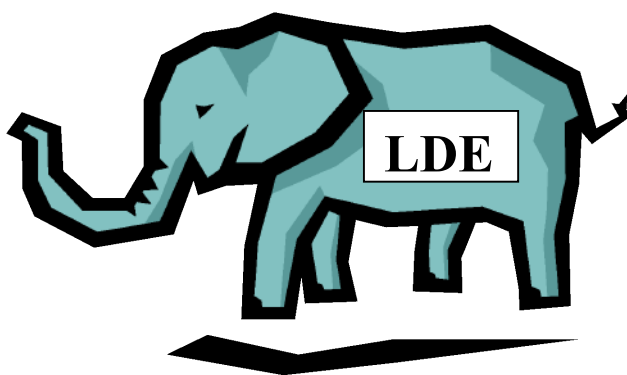
Plano High School

Rochelle High School

Rockford Auburn High School

Sycamore High School

Timothy Christian High School



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