## **XC Tritan Hot Dog Relays**

Who: <u>Troy Middle School</u> Trojans and <u>Troy South Middle School</u> Titans cross country teams are uniting as the **Tritans** 

What: Tritan Hot Dog Relays

• Schools will enter their runners in groups of 4. There will be 3 different groups to select from boys, girls, and co-ed. Each member of the group will run one mile, they will pass a baton (provided) similar to a track relay. Runners 2-4 will wait in a holding zone at the starting line and step out when their teammate is near. There will not be an exchange zone or penalties for dropped batons.



Please notify Coach Saxe (saxek@troy.k12.mo.us) no later
than September 10, 2018 with how many relay teams your school will have and if you have extra runners that need a team.

- We need to have an accurate head count for hot dogs and batons.
- Schools with an odd number of participants will have 2 options:
  - Have a group of 3 and one runner will run a second lap (not back to back)
  - Join with extras from another school to create a team
- Start times:
  - We will use a rolling start.
  - As soon as all runners from the prior race finishes, we will start the next race.
  - o Tentative start times:

Boys: 4:00Co-Ed: 4:40Girls: 5:20

- All participants will receive a meal ticket for a hot dog.
- Each member of the top 3 teams, in each division will receive a metal.
- We will also have awards for the school with the most members, least members, most and school spirit.

When: September 20, 2018

Where: Lincoln County Fairgrounds – Fairgrounds Rd., Troy, MO 63379

**Why:** For fun! It has been a few years since our school has hosted a meet, and we wanted our students to be able to enjoy a meet on their home turf. We also wanted to make the meet different from all the other meets to help promote the fun that running has to offer.

Cost: \$175 per school

**Miscellaneous:** If you have any questions or concerns please contact Krista Saxe at TMS, <a href="mailto:saxek@troy.k12.mo.us">saxek@troy.k12.mo.us</a>, or Mike Robinson TSMS, <a href="mailto:robinsom@troy.k12.mo.us">robinsom@troy.k12.mo.us</a>.