

Dear Coaches:

Alden Central School District would like to invite you to compete in the **35th Annual Bulldog Stampede** on **Saturday, October 9, 2021**.

Last year, over 40 teams and over 1,600 runners participated in the annual event. This year, we are hoping to increase that number and continue to improve the competition. The event will cover 7th & 8th grade, JV, Varsity A (less than 600), and Varsity AA (600 or more). With the wide range of age levels and teams running, the meet provides a great tool to evaluate future runners and opposing teams.

The Alden cross-country course has been restructured and groomed. It is well maintained and is considered one of the best courses in the state. Foot chips will be sed to record the times and places of runner by Right Time. They will also post the results that day and post the results electronically on Tully Runner and Section 6 Runs. There will be a 50-team limit this year, so to secure your spot do the following:

- 1. Email ecarll@aldenschools.org
- 2. NEW THIS YEAR!!! Visit Athletic.net and input your runners

Alden Central Schools looks forward to welcoming you to the 34th Annual Bulldog Stampede.) Good luck this season!

Edward Carll

Alden Cross Country Head Varsity Coach

35t	h Annual Bulldog Stampede Cross Country Invitational	
Meet Director	Ed Carll (716-937-9116 x4193), ecarll@aldenschools.org	
Date	Saturday, October 9th, 2021, at 10:00am	
Location	Alden High School, 13190 Park Street, Alden, NY 14004	
Entry Fee	\$150.00 per school or \$75.00 per team (boys & girls). Entry forms and check voucher must be received by Friday, October 1st. Make checks/voucher payable to: Alden Sports Boosters- Cross Country. Mail all entries with payment to: Alden Athletic Office Alden Central Schools 13190 Park Street Alden, NY 14004	
Coaches meeting	Coaches will meet at 9:30am to cover any last-minute changes. In your folder you will find a food voucher. This is to be used at the concession stand.	
Scoring	All scoring and timing will be computer generated by Right time timing service. Back up will be via video camera.	
Awards	Individual awards will be given out in the chute after each race. Team awards will be announced and handed out as the scores and races are completed. Outstanding runner awards will be given to the male and female with the fastest times of the day at the completion of our last race.	
General Information	Concession stand will offer a varsity of food for your pleasure. T-shirts will be on sale for \$10.00. There are porta johns located in several areas and indoor restrooms adjacent to the concession stand. NO ONE IS TO USE THE SCHOOL. Anyone found in the school will be disqualified from the meet.	
RSVP intent to participate	to Ed Carll at ecarll@aldenschools.org by October 1st. Please complete the following registration forms and send it electronically or by mail by October 1st. Please visit yentiming.com and input your runners. We will be using foot chips to record the times and places. Right Time will be our official timing service. They will post results that day and post the results electronically (Tully runner and section 6 runs) . INPUT YOUR ROSTERS AT Athletic.net Note: Teams may enter 7 runners in the Varsity races; unlimited in the JV races; and unlimited in the Modified.	

Order of Races			
Time	Event	Location	
9:30 AM	Coaches meeting	softball field	
10:00 AM	7/8 grade boys	1.8-mile course	
10:30 AM	7/8 grade girls	1.8-mile course	
11:00 AM	JV boys	3.1-mile course	
11:30 AM	JV girls	3.1-mile course	
12:00 PM	Varsity large-school boys	3.1-mile course	
12:30 PM	Varsity large-school girls	3.1-mile course	
1:00 PM	Varsity small-school boys	3.1-mile course	
1:30 PM	Varsity small-school girls	3.1-mile course	

From the West via the Thruway:

- Take the I-90 E exit (exit number 1-52) on the left towards Buffalo Airport/Albany Merge onto I-90 E.
- Take the Walden Ave East exit (exit number 52E) towards Cheektowaga. Merge onto Walden Avenue.
- Turn Right onto Dick Road Turn Left onto NY 130.
- NY 13 becomes Broadway/US 20.
- Turn Left onto Emerson Street. Turn Left onto Park Street.

From the East via the Thruway:

- Take the 1-90 W. (toll road)
- Take the RT-77 exit (exit number 48A) towards Pembroke/Medina. Stay straight to go onto ramp.
- Turn Right onto NY 77.
- Turn Right onto NY 33/W Main Street. NY-33/W Main Street becomes NY- 33/ Genesee Street.
- Turn slight left onto Crittenden Road.
- Turn right onto Park Street.