Dear Coach,

We invite you and your runners to be a part of Maine Endwell's 9th Annual Pete Matzke Cross-Country Invitational, which will be held at Maine-Memorial Elementary School on Route 26 in Maine, NY on **Saturday**, **September 29**, **2018**.

**Courses**- Varsity and Junior Varsity: 3.1 miles (wheel measured). A new and improved loop course around school grounds. (Thanks to Zach Eckhardt, one of our Varsity team members who designed the course as his Eagle Scout project) Spikes may be used. The course is still spectator friendly and flat. Modified is also new and improved and is 1.55 miles, around school grounds.

## Races and Times:

8:30 am JV/Varsity coaches meeting at the starting line

9:00 am Varsity Boys

9:30 am Varsity Girls

10:00 am JV Boys

10:30 am JV Girls

10:35 am Modified coaches meeting at the starting line

11:00 am Modified Boys

11:20 am Modified Girls

11:45 am Awards (sooner if possible)

## Awards:

- Team: Over all Team 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place Varsity Boys and Girls
  1<sup>st</sup> place team JV Boys and Girls
- Individual: Awards will be given to the top 20 in the Boys and Girls Varsity races and the top 5 in the Boys and Girls JV races
- Ralph Rarrick Award: Top combined time from a boy and a girl from the same school. This award honors Ralph Rarrick, founder of the Maine-Endwell Cross-Country program.

\*\*\* Awards may increase depending on the number of teams participating\*\*\*

Please email me at <u>kdougherty@me.stier.org</u> to confirm your entry prior to **September 19**. Also, if you have any questions feel free to contact me on my email or phone (607) 341-3765 (call or text).

- There is a town park next to the school grounds with pavilions and there is plenty of room for tents.
- A Concession Stand will be available

The entry procedure will be emailed out at a later date.

Entry Fees: \$100.00 per school, or \$40.00 for a single team, \$10.00 for individuals.

\*\* Please make checks out to M-E XC & Track Boosters\*\*

Mail the checks to: Megan Jacoby, XC Coach Maine-Endwell Senior High 712 Farm-to-Market Rd Endwell, NY 13760