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NHMS Student Athlete and Parent/Gaudian:

I want to welcome you to the Trojan Nation, and thank you for to represent NHMS in athletics this season! The Trojans have a strong tradition of excellence in sports and are excited that you will now be part of that legacy. The role of a student athlete at NHMS is to become a leader on and off the field, and to represent the school with pride. When you wear the Green and White you represent not only yourself, but your parents, teachers, school, and all the proud Trojans athletes that paved the way.

The Hall County vision for athletics is; *Developing <u>character</u> in student athletes while igniting the <u>passion</u> and <u>courage</u> to compete. Character, Passion, and Courage stand out as the cornerstones of what Trojan sports are all about. Our coaches will work to develop these traits in our young women and men. Wins and losses are important, but personal growth and character development is what youth sports are all about.* 

Academic excellence is also part of the responsibility of our student athletes, and to be eligible to participate you must have passed 5 out of your 6 classes the previous semester. You must also have a physical on file with the school that is no more than a calendar year old and have completed the athlete registration forms required by Hall County.

All Hall County Schools will now use DragonFly MAX to keep track of athletic documents, and parents must create an account for their student athlete. Directions are on the back of this form, and your child's coach can also assist you in this process.

Your child's coach will share additional sport specific information with you, but I wanted to take this opportunity to welcome you to the proudest athletic tradition in Hall County.

Sincerely,

Chris Haynes

NHMS Athletic Director