

September 15, 2016

To the Parents/Guardians:

This letter is in reference to the Middle School Wrestling program that will take place after school on **Thursdays from 3pm to 5pm**. The 9 session program begins Thursday **September 15th** and continues through Thursday **November 10th**, there is no practice on days that schools are closed. After the 9 week session athletes will have the opportunity to compete in Novice Wrestling Tournaments designed for beginners. In addition to wrestling there will be some strength training in the form of push-ups and sit-ups. Attendance will be taken at each session – latenesses, leaving early, and a lack of focus may result in dismissal from the program. **THREE** unexcused absences will result in dismissal from the program. Please have transportation available; for more information periodically check the **MMHS Wrestling** site on the Mardela Middle & High School web-page by selecting the **For Students** tab and then selecting **Links**.

In order for your child to participate in this activity your permission must be given. Every precaution to insure your child's safety will be taken. Proper instruction and supervision are necessities that will be guaranteed to you. It is possible that accidents over which we have no control may occur. If such is the case, it is understood that the school will not be held responsible. Naturally, the school insurance which many of you have purchased is in effect for this intramural activity.

Please sign and **return this entire paper** to the school if you give your permission for your child to participate in this activity. In addition to a signed permission slip, criteria for participation include attitude, behavior, academic progress, and the ability to get along with others. If you have any questions you can contact me by email at djohnson@wcboe.org or cell, 410-251-0420.

Sincerely,

Mr. Johnson

_____ may participate
(Child's name)

(Parent's signature)