

# HOLY ROSARY CYO CROSS-COUNTRY

## For K-8th Graders

Come be a part of this great fall tradition. All K-8th graders are invited. Participating in cross-country is fun and great exercise. We hold two one hour weekly practices which are **not** mandatory, but extremely helpful and fun for the kids.

As coaches and parents, we recognize it is easy to overschedule kids. Our own kids are already signed up for other fall sports and activities. We want to provide kids with an easy way to get out in the woods for some fun, adventure and exercise. Cross country practices also provide an excellent way for kids to increase their speed, aerobic capacity, core strength and balance for other sports. We invite you to decide what your kids' participation in cross-country will be. If they aren't interested in racing, that's okay! One practice a week is fine too. We also encourage you to make cross-country a family activity. Parents are welcome to come walk in the woods, run with the kids, or play at the playground with smaller kids. Uniforms will be available for registered kids.

This is an extremely short season, so we hope that many of you can join us. K-2 graders run a 0.4 mile course; 3<sup>rd</sup> grade runs a .53 mile course, 4th/5th graders run a 1 mile course; 6th/7th graders run a 1.35 mile course, and 8th graders run a 1.47 mile course. Please feel free to contact the athletic directors with questions.

**Registration:** The registration fee is \$40 per athlete. Please register online at <https://holyrosaryedmonds.org/cyo-online-registration>

### **Practices:**

**Location:** Lynndale Park: 18927 72nd Ave W, Lynnwood

**Date/Time:** Fridays 5 p.m. - 6 p.m., Sundays from 4:00 pm to 5 pm

**The first practice will be Friday, September 7 at 5:00 p.m.**

### **Meets:**

**Meet location:** Lower Woodland Park: 1000 N 50th St., Seattle

#### **Preliminary Meets\*:**

Sunday, September 23, 1:00 p.m.

Sunday, September 30, 3:15 p.m.

#### **Championship:**

Grades K- 3: Sunday, October 7, 1:00 p.m.

Grades 4 - 8: Sunday, October 14, 1:00 p.m.

\*Your child must participate in at least one preliminary meet to qualify for the championship



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2017 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Champions*

### **Additional Coaches Needed:**

We are expecting around 80 kids to register for our team this fall and can use all the assistance available to make it a safe and successful season. If you can volunteer to assist the Holy Rosary Cross Country



Team this Fall, or for any other questions about the team or season please contact the Holy Rosary CYO Athletic Directors. [cyodirector@holyrosaryedmonds.org](mailto:cyodirector@holyrosaryedmonds.org), 206-200-5095

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