

# Raider Notes

## ELCO Athletic Department Monthly Newsletter

2007-2008 Things to Know



January 2008

### Winter Season Upcoming Dates

- Thurs. 1/3/08 - Youth Wrestling Night @ Wrestling match vs Pequea Valley  
Fri. 1/4/08 - JH Recognition Night (BBB, CL) @ BBB game vs Manheim Central  
Fri. 1/11/08 - Boys Basketball Youth Night @ BBB game vs Pequea Valley  
Wed. 1/16/08 - Wrestling Senior Night vs A-C  
Tues. 1/22/08 - JH Recognition Night (GBB) @ GBB vs L-S  
Fri. 1/25/08 - Girls Basketball Youth Night @ GBB vs Lebanon  
Sat. 1/26/08 - Basketball Boosters Spaghetti Dinner @ Middle School  
Wed. 1/30/08 - Boys Basketball Senior Night vs Donegal  
Mon. 2/25/08 - Spring Coaches Meeting @ HS LGI 3:30 PM (All Paid Coaches)

### PIAA Rule Interpretation Meetings

Sport	Date	Time	Location
Track & Field	Sun. 2/24/08	7:00	Manheim Central HS
Baseball	Tues. 2/5/08	7:30	Manheim Twp. HS
	Tues. 2/19/08	7:30	Lebanon HS
Softball	Sun. 2/17/08	7:30	Hempfield HS
	Mon. 2/25/08	7:30	Lebanon HS

### League Playoff Dates Winter 07-08

Sport	Dates	Location
Boys Basketball	Feb. 4,6,8	TBA
Girls Basketball	Feb. 5,7,9	TBA
Wrestling	Fri. Jan. 18 4:00 Sat. Jan. 19 10:00	Manheim Twp.
Bowling	Mon. Feb. 18 (Individuals) 9:00 Fri. Feb 22 (Team) 9:00	Cedar Lanes Columbia Lanes

## Lancaster-Lebanon League Mandatory Meetings

Sport	Date	Time	Location
Baseball	Mon. 2/4/08	4:00	Lebanon HS Cafeteria
Softball	Tues. 2/19/08	4:00	Warwick HS Room A101
Track & Field	Sun. Feb. 24	8:00	Manheim Central HS
Boys Tennis	Mon. 2/25/08	5:00	Warwick HS Room A101
Boys Volleyball	Wed. 2/13/08	5:00	Hempfield HS LGI
Girls Soccer	Thurs. 2/7/08	7:00	Lebanon Catholic HS Cafeteria

## Lancaster-Lebanon League, District III, & PIAA Updates

### Lancaster-Lebanon League:

- Wrestling Time Schedule - Is possible that starting time for varsity wrestling matches might begin at 6:30 instead of 7:30 in 2008-09 season.

### District III:

- Banking Games: Has passed the second reading and the third reading is Jan. 24 and looks very positive that this will pass; therefore, we will not have to bank games in all sports.
- A possibility that all sports go to a .600 winning percentage instead of .500% to qualify for the district playoffs.
- Cross Country is looking to have the district III race the Wednesday prior to the normal Saturday and use Thursday or Friday as rain dates.
- The district III golf tournament will be held at Briarwood in 2008 but will have a new venue in 2009.

### PIAA:

The transfer residence rule has been tabled again and will be voted on again in January. If this passes it will have a major impact on athletics in PA with the transferring of students.

## 2007-2008 Winter Sport Highlights

- Congratulations to Chris Firestine for recording his first career win as head coach of the Boys Basketball Team on December 11 against Anville-Cleona.
- Congratulations to Jason Weaver who recorded his 100<sup>th</sup> career win as an ELCO wrestler on Thursday, December 27 at the Delco Duals Tournament. Jason is the fourth wrestler in the history of ELCO wrestling to record 100 wins.