Parents and Students:

Athletes who have won their first varsity letter may choose to order the Wardlaw-Hartridge letter jacket from Sports Paradise. The attached order form contains most of the information you would need. Below are some answers to frequently asked questions:

**Is there a team or athletic department requirement to buy a letter jacket?**

No, students who wish to own the jacket should have the opportunity to do so. Those students who prefer to remember their accomplishments in other ways do not need to buy one.

**When will I receive my varsity letter?**

The Athletic Department gives out letters for all 3 seasons at Rams Recognition Night in May (the department awards only one letter per student, for their first season meeting the criteria – subsequent seasons of varsity play in other sports are rewarded by a pin indicating the sport). If a student who has earned their first letter in the fall or winter season wishes to have their letter sewn onto their jacket at the time of purchase, they may ask the Athletic Director for it prior to the RRN. The letter can also be sewn onto the jacket at a later date.

**How do I ensure proper sizing?**

The supplier recommends that the athlete be prior to ordering, as sizing may differ from clothing made by different manufacturers. Our sales representative will visit the school on a regular basis to perform that service.

**Do I need to purchase the “options” listed on the order form?**

The options are just that; “optional”, and should be considered according to the student’s desire to personalize their jacket. Please note that the school will give students pins when they earn a letter in a 2nd sport; thus the additional sport logo patch may be seen as an unnecessary duplication.

We hope this information is helpful to athletes (and their families) who wish to purchase a letter jacket. If you have further questions, feel free to call me.

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