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CORE PRINCIPLES (PROGRAM)

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Respect

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Grit

Reliable

Accountable

Mindful



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WILDCATS CHAMPIONSHIP CULTURE & MVP PROCESS

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	<p>PASSION</p>	<p>Expressing intensity and enthusiasm for team and sport. Wildcats will demonstrate their passion by expressing intensity and enthusiasm for team and sport. Wildcats will demonstrate a love for Libertyville High School and will compete and practice with boundless energy and eagerness. Wildcats will make a full commitment to learn, develop, and compete at the highest levels. Wildcats are part of The PROGRAM and will honor those who came before us by always working to be the best we can become.</p>
	<p>RESPECT</p>	<p>Constant pursuit of always doing what is right regardless of the arena. Great programs revolve around self-respect and respect for others. Wildcats will earn respect through their work and choices. Wildcats will demonstrate respect through their actions for themselves, their teammates, their school, their family, their community, their opponents and for the game. Wildcats will respect, trust, and invest in the process for team and individual growth and development.</p>
	<p>ONE</p>	<p>Team. Teammate. Self. Wildcats will understand it is all about their team, their teammates and not about themselves. Wildcats will work for each other in order to bring out the best in each other. Wildcats will understand that their team cannot be their best unless each individual is at their best, and the only way to do that is to help the others be their best. Wildcats will make decisions for the betterment of themselves and the team. Wildcats will understand that "teamwork teams" are the ones always left standing in the end.</p>



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	GRIT	<p>Demonstrating resilience by overcoming adversity, pushing through obstacles, and embracing the opportunity to grow.</p> <p>Wildcats will demonstrate a relentless pursuit of excellence and will sustain excellence through constant growth and continuous improvement. Wildcats will demonstrate grit and toughness as we work to overcome adversity and obstacles. Wildcats will set ever higher goals and believe in the constant pursuit of becoming the best we are capable of becoming.</p>
	RELIABLE	<p>Demonstrating through our actions that we are trustworthy and can be counted on to do what we are supposed to do.</p> <p>Wildcats will do their job to the best of their ability every time, every day, so that everyone else can do their job. Wildcats will create a culture of trust and reliability, through their words and actions. Wildcats will be counted on every time and will bring positive energy and effort every day.</p>
	ACCOUNTABLE	<p>Being responsible for our own words and actions. We are willing to hold all members of the program to their best version of themselves.</p> <p>Wildcats will make a personal commitment to deliberately take ownership of their actions. Wildcats will take ownership of all that they do and all that they say, regardless of the circumstances. Wildcats will be accountable to their teammates; for themselves, their role, and their improvement; to The PROGRAM; for the results; and for carrying out and policing a culture of accountability.</p>
	MINDFUL	<p>Manifesting a heightened awareness of others and ourselves through our words and actions. Controlling the controllables, and allowing ourselves to let go of the things we cannot control.</p> <p>Wildcats will have an amplified awareness and acceptance of internal and external stimuli that allow them to devote attention and energy to their athletic performances. Wildcats will demonstrate a non-judgmental present-moment awareness, to enhance their concentration to improve their performances. Wildcats will know that being mindful will also intensify their enjoyment for their sport.</p>