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To All LMHS Student-Athletes,

With the recent declaration from the IGHSAU/IHSAA we are disappointed to report that all Spring Sports at LMHS have been cancelled for the 2019-2020 school year. At this time we are all frustrated and sad for all of *You*, but especially our Seniors who have lost their opportunity to represent & compete for Linn-Mar High School one last time.

From the Athletic Directors office we want to say that we appreciate the time and commitment that all of you have put into individual and team development in preparation for this season. The reputation of LMHS Athletics is dependent upon the efforts you all have given us in your respective sports, in the classroom and as members of our community.

You have worked on individual skills in the off season. You have woke up early in the morning for strength training and cardio workouts. You have stayed up late at night after activities to meet the goals of your education. You have taken time to support fellow student-athletes when it is their season. You have worked to have the opportunity to represent Linn-Mar High School and even though you will not be on the track, field, course or courts this Spring, you all have already demonstrated what it means to be a Lion! Your dedication towards making yourself the best you could be in an attempt to represent LMHS always amazes us and we are **Proud of You All!!!**

After watching you perform for many years we know that when things don't go the way you want them to that you dust off and get back to work for the next opportunity to prove yourself. *You* can do this Keep your head up, decide on your next goal and start working towards it.

As we navigate through this tough time, we will be developing plans for athletes to pick up anything that they have left in the locker rooms or at school. We will also be working to have a uniform turn in time when that is workable.

We have also made the decision that all Senior Spring Sports Athletes as well as Returning Letter Winners who may not be Seniors will receive a Varsity Letter for their seasons. We will be working through how to organize this and get the Letters/Pins out to these participants.

Stay strong Lions and know that even though this current situation is heartbreaking - don't let it erase away all the memories prior to this that you created with your team, coaches, school and community!

WE ARE PROUD OF ALL OF YOU! Mr. Brown & Ms. Moe

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