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MEMORANDUM

TO: WPIAL Athletic Directors
DATE: November 17, 2017
SUBJECT: WPIAL Competitive Spirit Championship
FROM: Timothy O'Malley, Executive Director

The WPIAL will hold its 6TH Annual WPIAL Competitive Spirit Championship on **SATURDAY, JANUARY 6, 2018 at Hempfield Area High School**. You will find attached summary information for the event as well as a **REQUIRED REGISTRATION FORM**. **All competitors must be in Grades 9-12. A PIAA eligibility sheet must accompany this registration form.** The WPIAL Competitive Spirit Committee has assigned a classification; and we are requesting that each school register their squads as either **SMALL** (15 or fewer members) **MEDIUM** (16-20 members) or **LARGE** (21-30 members). **The MANDATORY REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2017.** Requested registrations after this date will not be accepted.

The WPIAL Competitive Spirit Committee will meet on December 13, 2017 to finalize the Championship Competition. Following this meeting, the WPIAL will post all details to include Championship warm up and competition times as well as the criteria for qualifying to the PIAA Championship that will be held in Hershey, Pennsylvania on Friday, January 19 and Saturday, January 20, 2018.

PLEASE ALSO FIND WITH THIS EMAIL, A PRE-ORDER FORM FOR COMPETITIVE SPIRIT SHIRTS. This form must be returned with your payment to the WPIAL office to the attention of Jackie Kamer by December 8, 2017. All shirts will be delivered directly to Hempfield High School the day of the competition, January 6, 2018 for your pick up. There will be **NO ON LINE ORDERS** after the competition.

Please contact the WPIAL Office with questions or concerns.

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