

FOURTH GRADE STUDENTS AND PARENTS  
BIKE TO HIGHCREST

There will be an after school bike to Highcrest Middle School for fourth grade students and parent volunteers. This event is sponsored jointly by the McKenzie PTA and the Wilmette Citizens for Active Transportation Action group. The purpose of the ride is to have fun, teach several important bicycle safety concepts, promote physical fitness and environmental awareness, and to augment the other transition to Highcrest activities already planned.

We invite all fourth grade students to register for the ride by filling in BOTH SHEETS (waiver and registration) and returning it to the parent volunteers upon registration on May 20, 2019. Please note that we would like parents and parent volunteers to participate if at all possible, but younger siblings cannot join us unless they are in trailers or baby seats of the bike of a parent or parent volunteer. No younger children on their own bikes, please. Thanks for your understanding and cooperation.

Ideally, the Wilmette Police and two crossing guards will be assisting us that day as well as some members of the Wilmette Active Transportation Action Group and school volunteers. A Highcrest administrator will greet students at Highcrest. All riders must be registered and must have a waiver signed by their parents/guardians before participating. **All riders must wear helmets. No helmet, no waiver, no participation.**

We cannot arrive at Highcrest until after their dismissal. Therefore, we must leave school no sooner than 3:25-3:30 pm. Check-in will start at 3:15 after dismissal. We will leave at 3:25-3:30, and we plan to return between 4:30 and 4:40 pm.

Print, sign and send these forms with your registered student on May 20, 2019. Happy biking!

Circle the school: Central Harper Romona McKenzie St. Joseph SFX

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes, my parent/caregiver will be riding with me.

\_\_\_\_\_ No, I will not have an adult with me. Please assign me to a volunteer.

I understand that I must wear a helmet, follow directions carefully and ride in a safe and responsible manner.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature

**BIKE TO HIGHCREST – REQUEST TO PARTICIPATE  
AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, request to participate in the Bike  
(print name of participant)

to Highcrest, organized by the volunteer parents of the McKenzie PTA and the Wilmette Citizens for Active Transportation taskforce on May 20, 2019. In signing this request and release, I acknowledge and understand that the McKenzie PTA, its parent volunteers, and the Wilmette Citizens for Active Transportation task force are not insurers of any participant's individual safety during the Bike to Highcrest. I hereby waive any and all claims, suits or causes of action, forever discharge and agree to save and hold harmless the Village of Wilmette, McKenzie PTA, its parent volunteers, and the Wilmette Citizens for Active Transportation taskforce, employees or board, commission or committee members arising from any personal injury or property loss arising in any manner from participation in the Bike to Highcrest activity. I also represent and warrant that my bicycle is in safe operating condition, that I shall ride in a reasonable and safe manner, and that I shall wear a bicycle helmet during the Bike to Highcrest.

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Signature of Participant/Guardian                      Date

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