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February 25, 2018

Dear **Restore the Roar** Supporter,

Thank you for your past donations to and support of **Restore the Roar**. Your generosity is the reason **Restore the Roar** continues to be successful in supporting McClatchy Athletics. This letter is our annual appeal for donations.

Did you hear?! SCUSD completed a new all-weather track and football/soccer field in October 2017. This facility will be named the Jack Mauger & Al Baeta Track & Training Facility after CKM Hall of Fame members who contributed so much to McClatchy and the greater Sacramento Track communities. The track will be officially named at a ceremony on April 7, 2018 at 10:00 AM. Save the date! More information of the event will be forthcoming.

The boys and girls soccer teams have been using the field and both teams are performing very well. The boys program is currently ranked as one of the top 100 teams nationally and #5 in the Sac-Joaquin Section. For the first time in the school history, both the Boys and Girls track programs captured the Metro League Titles last spring. That accomplishment, combined with this new track facility, has attracted more than 100 lion student-athletes for the track team this year. We hope for another great year from the track team.

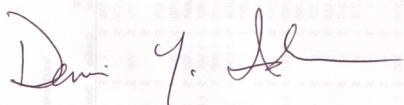
Unfortunately, new equipment compatible with the artificial service is needed. The cost estimates for the equipment exceeds \$80,000 of which virtually none is in the school's tight budget and a major fundraising effort is needed. RTR has already raised nearly \$20,000 in donations including \$10,000 from the Fleet Feet Foundation and \$1000 from Land Park Association. Recently, an anonymous donor has pledge to match all contributions for the track equipment fund up to \$50,000. This is truly Lion-sized spirit.

McClatchy athletics is thriving and Lion student athletes are excelling in many sports. Last Spring, the Lion Girls Basketball Team played in the State Division 1 Championship game for the second time in three years. This time the girls did not come home with a championship but made McClatchy fans proud with a very spirited effort. The Lion Boys Cross Country won a Section Title and advanced to the State Meet. Multiple student athletes advanced to the State Championships from Spring 2017 and Fall 2017 sports. This past Spring, seven Lion student athletes have signed letters of intent to play at the next level: 4 in softball, 2 in baseball, and 1 in lacrosse. Congratulations to our teams and student athletes for their individual and collective accomplishments!

We hope that you will continue to support McClatchy athletics with both financial donations and strong fan support. Our teams have many needs and we have attached a sheet that outlines requests from various teams as well as our major effort to raise funds for track equipment. If you donate to the track effort it will be matched dollar-for-dollar by our generous anonymous supporter. *Please be aware that the students and parents raise over \$100,000 annually to support their activities yet more is required for a quality program.* You can go to www.restoretheroar.org to make a secured donation or used the mail-in form.

Thank you for your continued support. If you have any questions, please contact Bob Sertich at golions@restoretheroar.com or 916-441-0657.

Go Lions,



Denis Ishisaka
President

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McCLATCHY ATHLETIC DONATIONS

The teams, athletes, parents and *Restore the Roar* raise over \$130,000 annually to support the athletic teams at McClatchy. The district provides funds for officials, some transportation to games, and **basic uniforms every three years. Extra equipment, tournament entry fees, specialized equipment and even field maintenance is not always covered by the district. Please help our McClatchy Student-Athletes by making a contribution. Below are some of the identified needs and you may specify your donation toward a sport. Restore the Roar is entirely run by volunteers and all donations support Lion Athletics and Restore the Roar Activities.**

Team/Sport	Identified Needs
Special Track Fund	All new track equipment from starting blocks to shot puts; high jump, pole vault, timing equipment. <i>Donations will be matched dollar for dollar by a generous donor.</i>
Wrestling	New weigh-in scale and tape and repairs for wrestling mat
Girls Water Polo	Set of Game caps for all girls for safety
Boys Volleyball	A dozen new custom volleyballs
Girls Volleyball	More practice balls
Girls Soccer	8' x 24" bow net, Speed hurdles for workouts, 2 mini pop-up goals for practice repainting scoreboard
Swimming	Backstroke flags, Lane line reels, Rubber paddles, Mobile white board
Baseball	Special infield dirt, Repainting Scoreboard
Softball	Special infield dirt, New Scoreboard
Scholarship funds	
Nishio Scholarship Fund	A scholarship established by the Nishio Family in the memory of Mike Nishio given annually to Senior Lion student athletes. Additional contributions welcome
Chastain Wrestling Fund	Established this year to provide college support to four year letter earners in wrestling

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Sport/Team	AMT	Sport/Team	AMT	Sport/Team	AMT
RTR General Use		Boys Water Polo		Girls Water Polo	
Special Track Fund*		Boys Soccer		Football	
Boys Basketball		Girls Basketball		Wrestling	
Softball		Baseball		Cross Country	
Swimming		Girls Golf		Boys Golf	
Boys Tennis		Girls Tennis		Boys Tennis	
Boys Soccer		Girls Soccer		Girls Volleyball	
Track		Nishio Scholarship		Wrest. Scholarship	
*Donations Matched				TOTAL DONATION	

Name: _____ E -mail: _____

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Grad Year: _____ Sports(s): _____

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