



Dear Parents / Guardians,

I am really excited about the Sport Stacking unit we are currently doing in PE. Sport Stacking is an exciting sport where students stack and unstack 12-specially designed cups (Speed Stacks). Sport Stacking uses both sides of the body and brain developing important athletic and academic skills.

Sport stacking promotes hand-eye coordination, ambidexterity, quickness, concentration and fitness - plus, students love it! Sport stacking uses both sides of the body and brain developing important skills needed to dribble and shoot a basketball, throw and catch a baseball, play a musical instrument, type on a computer and more. By activating both sides of the brain, students also benefit academically with greater focus and concentration levels.

One of my goals, as a Physical Educator, is to promote activity at home through positive alternatives to computer, television and video game screen time. I believe that Sport Stacking is a unique, fun and simple activity that motivates kids to get up and move.

I have Speed Stacks Sets and StackMats for students to purchase here at the school with an added benefit of raising funds for our PE program. (NOTE: We are NOT selling Mini Stacks this year)

Here's why you should participate:

- Sport Stacking is **healthy** for kids.
- Regular Sets are \$20.00. Pro Series Sets are \$25.00. StackMats (mat, timer and gear bag) are \$25.00. You pay no shipping, PLUS, the school will earn 20% of your purchase in equipment for our PE program.
- Speed Stacks Sets and StackMats will be available, <u>starting December 3rd</u>. Stacks will
 ONLY be sold before school. Mr. Maki will be set-up outside the gymnasium, if you are
 interested. (First come, first served on color and design choices.)

I only have a limited supply of colors and quantities (50 Stacks). A student brochure will be going home with your student. Please choose from the list on the form and encourage your student to have a second and third choice in mind. Return payment to the school (checks should be made payable to "Dexter Community Schools"). First come, first served!

Sincerely,

Mr. Ryan Maki

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