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# **33rd Annual Kevin Clancy Basketball Tournament**

**Saturday March 19, 2022**



# **Athletes Unlimited Kevin Clancy Basketball Tournament**

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## **Welcome!**

Welcome to the 33rd Kevin Clancy Basketball Tournament! It is so wonderful to be back together after a very difficult two years! As we play and cheer today, we celebrate the life of Kevin Clancy, a former Newton Celtic basketball player, who would be thrilled that you have come together to play the game he loved. You honor Kevin with your teamwork, sportsmanship, and friendship. It is a joy to all of us at Athletes Unlimited that participation in this tournament continues. Today and every day we support our athletes and our community, and we celebrate the growth of inclusive activities. A special thank you to the tournament committee, coaches, referees and volunteers who donate their time and talents to make this event possible. This year we especially honor Janet Goldberg, who has coached the Newton Pointsetters for 30 years and Marty Taubman who has also been a long-time coach of the Newton Celtics. Athletes Unlimited and Newton Parks, Recreation & Culture have worked hard to build community for our participants by making athletics and other activities more accessible and more inclusive. For over three decades, the Kevin Clancy Basketball Tournament has been a reflection of that effort and extends our community to hundreds of athletes from cities and towns across Eastern Massachusetts. This year, as always, we are honored to host such a wonderful group of athletes. Have fun, play hard, and have a great day!

*Sincerely,*



*Betsy Lynch DiSciullo  
President, Athletes Unlimited*

## **See Tournament Schedule on Pages 10-11**



**Athletes Unlimited is dedicated to enhancing the lives of children and adults with disabilities through year-round recreation and leisure programs. It is a non-profit organization founded in 1991 by parents of children with disabilities in Newton to support the City of Newton's therapeutic recreation program.**

## Welcome Teams

Bridgewater/Raynham Grizzlies  
Bridgewater/Raynham Wolverines  
Brookline Beavers  
Brookline Falcons  
Brookline Coyotes  
Cotting School  
Haverhill Hawks  
Haverhill Warriors  
Heated Lions  
Heated Lions Cubs



Milford Games  
Milford Masters  
Newton Bears  
Newton Celtics  
Newton Pointsetters Red  
Newton Pointsetters White  
Newton Tigers Orange  
Newton Tigers White  
North Shore Jazz  
Lifeworks Eagles



Milford Hawkettes  
Newton Cheerleaders  
Cardinal Cushing Cheer Squad



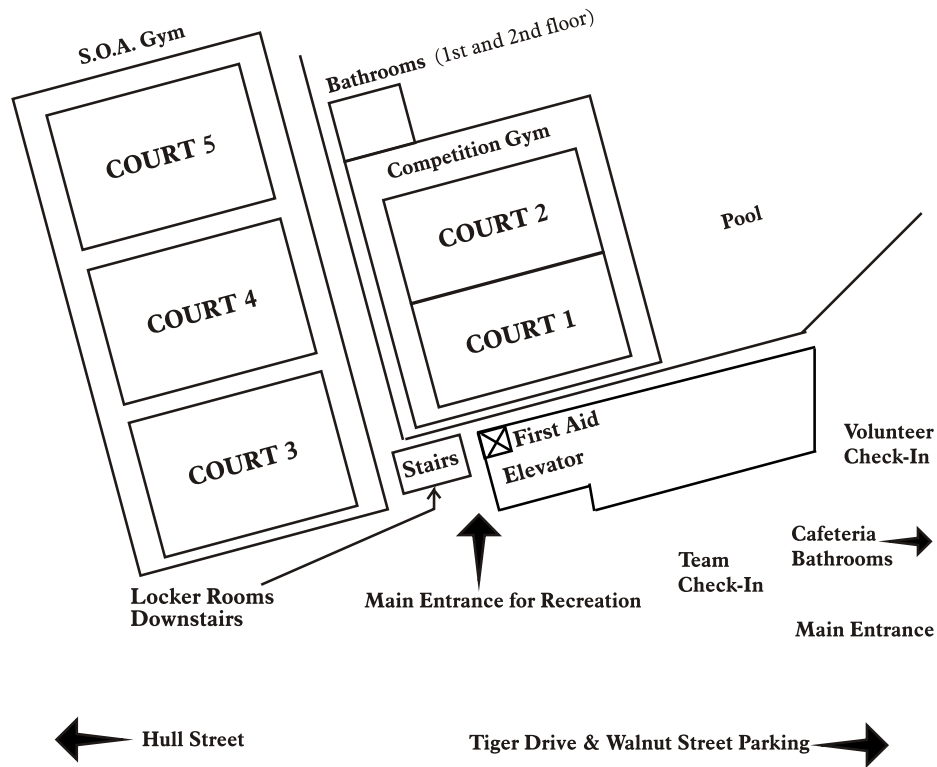
Thank you for being here today to celebrate our son's life. This event means so much to our family. It is a great joy each year to see all of the athletes and we want to thank all of the coaches, referees and volunteers that make today possible.

The Clancy Family

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## **JANET GOLDBERG**

Janet has been the Head Coach and cornerstone of the Newton Pointsetters since 1991. In the early years, the Pointsetters was an all-women's team consisting of around 10 athletes with disabilities. The team attended Special Olympic tournaments throughout the region. Over the years, the Pointsetters has become co-ed and expanded to over 20 athletes.

Janet has made her coaching commitment a family affair. Son and daughter Evan and Molly have each volunteered many seasons with the Pointsetters and Evan even worked at the summer camp run through Newton Athletes Unlimited.

For nearly three decades, Janet has been a huge supporter of the Newton Athletes Unlimited program and she has been a true advocate for individuals with disabilities. She brings joy to every practice and game and is beloved by her players.

We are delighted to honor her for her exceptional dedication and service to our athletes, volunteers and families. Please join us as we salute Coach Janet Goldberg.

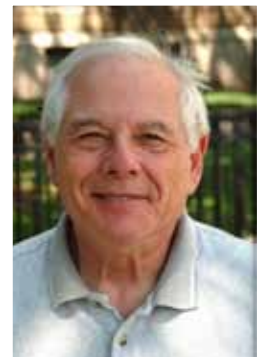


## **MARTY TAUBMAN**

Newton Athletes Unlimited is delighted to honor Coach Marty Taubman for his commitment to the Newton Celtics. He has been a central figure in the lives of Newton Celtics players for decades. Marty is kind, thoughtful and patient and he is loved and respected by the athletes. He understands the needs of the athletes and each week, takes time to check in with every player to make them feel welcome and important.

Marty will often notice things that others overlook. Each week you can find Marty calling a player over to the side, advising him on a better way to dribble the ball, shoot, or rebound – and then they do it! He is a skilled teacher and expert communicator who can make what seems complex, very clear.

Marty has been a wonderful and trusted coach for many years. He gives his time and energy without reservation and makes all our lives better. Today we hope we have returned the favor. Please join us as we salute Coach Marty Taubman.



# Kevin Clancy Basketball Tournament

# Master Tournament Schedule 2022

TIME	COURT 1	COURT 2	COURT 3	COURT 4	COURT 5
9:00-9:45AM	North Shore Jazz vs. Haverhill Warriors	Heated Lions vs. Bridgewater/Raynham Grizzlies	Cardinal Cushing Wolf's vs. Lifeworks Eagles	Haverhill Hawks vs. Brookline Beavers	Newton Bears vs. Volunteers
10:00-10:45AM	Bridgewater/Raynham Grizzlies vs. North Shore Jazz	Haverhill Warriors vs. Heated Lions	Brookline Beavers vs. Cardinal Cushing Wolf's	Lifeworks Eagles vs. Haverhill Hawks	Brookline Falcons vs. Heated Lions Cubs Court 5
11:00-11:30AM	 <p><b>Tira Wolff Cheerleading Competition</b></p> <p>Milford Hawkettes Newton Cheerleaders Cardinal Cushing Cheer Squad</p>	<p><b>Announcements and Recognitions</b></p>		 <p><i>Thank you to all the wonderful volunteers who make this day so special.</i></p> <p><i>We could not do it without your help!</i></p>	
11:30AM-12:15PM	Cotting School vs. Newton Pointsetters Red	Brookline Coyotes vs. Newton Pointsetters White	Milfold Gamers vs. Newton Celtics	Bridgewater/Raynham Wolverines vs. Newton Tigers Orange	Milford Masters vs. Newton Tigers White
12:30-1:15PM	Newton Pointsetters Red vs. Milfold Gamers	Newton Pointsetters White vs. Cotting School	Newton Celtics vs. Brookline Coyotes	Newton Tigers White vs. Bridgewater/Raynham Wolverines	Newton Tigers Orange vs. Milford Masters

**Our Tournament is About: Friendship, Fun & Basketball**

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**Thank You!**



Athletes Unlimited would like to thank all of our outstanding referees. Many of them come back year after year and even decade after decade.



Athletes Unlimited would like to thank **Transformative Health Care** for volunteering at this tournament each year. We truly appreciate your community support.

**WE ♥ OUR VOLUNTEERS**

This tournament would not be possible without our wonderful volunteers. We are thankful and grateful for your support today.



**NEWTON**  
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Athletes Unlimited thanks the Newton Parks, Recreation & Culture Department for their long-standing support and partnership! Together we make a great team!



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