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Good evening Weston,

Thank you for the many thoughtful responses we received regarding the situation at our athletic fields. It is truly inspiring to have such spirited and respectful (mostly) dialog about a topic important to so many. Having had the time to analyze the needs of many in this town we have come to the following conclusion regarding the status of our athletic complex.

Commencing on Saturday March 28th we will be closing both the tennis and basketball courts. Unfortunately this comes partially in response to information being posted in groups in our neighboring communities calling for people to come to our courts to get their play in. We simply can not support additional traffic at this time. Our athletic fields and running track will remain open with the following conditions. Anyone using the complex under the age of 16 must be under the supervision of an adult. As a reminder, maintain spacing of 6 feet or more and no close competition. Beginning Monday, the athletic complex will be supervised by our school security staff during normal school hours and they will be supported by the Weston Police Department if needed. Let's commit to working together to keep the complex open while maintaining a high level of safety.

With all of this being said, let's take a moment to thank and appreciate those who are working incredibly hard to keep us all safe. Not just our local first responders but those who work everyday to provide us with our basic needs. The workers at our grocery stores, pharmacies and gas stations amongst others. The extremely dedicated nurses, doctors and hospital staff who work endless hours putting themselves in harms way to keep us safe and healthy. This weekend try to support one of our local small businesses who are working hard to provide us with whatever sense of normalcy is left.

We truly are in this together and now more than ever the strength of our community will get us through these difficult times. Be kind, be thoughtful and be patient. We will overcome it!

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