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Minnesota Lynx help prepare Minneapolis students for the first day of school

MINNEAPOLIS – On August 21, the Minnesota Lynx will bus more than 100 families to the MPS Student Placement Center to register their children in school for the 2008-09 school year. Families will also have the opportunity to meet Minnesota Lynx players, get a new backpack and school supplies, and enjoy activities and food. This enrollment event is open to all Minneapolis youth who have yet to enroll in Minneapolis Public Schools.

Free shuttle bus service locations and times:

- Phyllis Wheatley Community Center, 1301 10th Ave. N. - 5:15 p.m. and 6:20 p.m.
- Farview Park, 621 29th Ave. N. - 5:35 p.m. and 6:35 p.m.
- Webber Park, 4400 Dupont Ave. N. - 5:50 p.m. and 6:50 p.m.
- Olson Middle School, 1607 51st Ave. N. - 6:05 p.m. and 7:05 p.m.

WHAT: School Enrollment Day

WHEN: Thursday, Aug. 21, from 6-8 p.m.

WHERE: Student Placement Services, 1250 W. Broadway, Minneapolis

ACTIVITIES: Families can register for school, meet Minnesota Lynx players and enjoy food and activities. Registered youth will receive a backpack and school supplies while supplies last.

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