Greetings,

Thank you all for taking part in our recent Secure Code Warrior Tournament!

Congratulations to [LIST PARTICIPANTS] on their exciting win.

Security is everyone's responsibility and we will continue to leverage our Secure Code Warrior training program to ensure faster, more reliable code and efficient product releases which will allow you to focus your time on new, exciting deployments and features.

The next step is focusing on upskilling secure coding practices around [NUMBER] vulnerabilities. These vulnerabilities [DEFINE THEY WERE DISCOVERED – example: were found to be the most difficult in the tournament OR have shown up previously in our code].

Training activities will be available to help build awareness around these vulnerabilities and how to fix and eventually prevent them. You'll then be able to validate your secure coding knowledge through an Assessment at a later date.

[OPTIONAL: INCLUDE INFORMATION AND RULES ABOUT YOUR ASSESSMENT]

For the time being, we encourage you to explore the platform and challenges to get familiar with its offerings as we prepare for the next stage of our program.

If you have any questions about this process, please contact [NAME + EMAIL] as your program lead.

Good communication is central to a successful security training program. It can help generate interest from your developers while also keeping them in the loop with what's going on and what is expected from them.

The previous page shows an example of what a post-Tournament recap message could look like. This is just one example we use, but it's by no means the only way.

These are a great way to acknowledge the participants and winners, while also offering some future insight to what your security training program has in store.

In our example, we've mentioned an upcoming Assessment. If this isn't part of your security training program just yet, or you'd prefer to send out separate messaging around Assessments, you can leave that information out of your recap.

The important part of this message is to remind developers that, just because the Tournament has ended, their quest for knowledge has not! There's still so much more they can get from the platform between Training, Resources, and Courses.

There's a lot of room to adjust the above information to make it relevant to your specific organization

A few things to keep in mind when creating communications:

- **Be clear** - Provide clear expectations and directions
- **Be concise** - Avoid information overload or too many subjects in one message
- **Be informative** - Offer relevant and helpful information Devs need
- **Be transparent** - Be open with your teams about what's happening and why
- **Be empathetic** - Show that you understand your Dev's busy schedules

Keeping these things in mind will help you hone in on the key information behind the message you intend to share with your teams.