Senior School Athletics Carnival

All students should have received their information letter last week.

Anticipated Order of events

The Senior School Athletics Carnival will be held across two days. The program has been split:

VENUE: Blacktown Olympic Park – Eastern Way – ROOTY HILL

Monday 20th June – Blacktown Olympic Park

Tuesday 21st June – Arndell CollegeHigh Jump – by invitation only

Shot Put

Discus

Long Jump

Javelin – by invitation only

All track events

Times for Monday 20th June

8:45am – Running of 1500m events (or as soon as bus arrives)

9:15am - welcome and opening prayer

9:30am – start of field events / 200m (or as soon as buses arrive)

Track and Field events will be operating at the same time

There are no allocated time slots for field events. Students can rotate to each nominated field event when they choose. There are specified areas for boys and girls.

When track events are called, students participate in their race and then move back to a field event.

Order of Track Events

- 1. Open 1500m Boys and Girls
- 2. 200m
- 3. 800m
- 4. 100m
- 5. 400m
- 6. Relays



IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING THE SENIOR SCHOOL CARNIVAL

- If students do not return the permission slip, a seat will be booked for them on the buses provided by the College and they will depart at 8:45am.
- The 8:15am bus will transport students for the 1500m (if a seat is specifically booked)
- I would like to remind parents that if you wish to pick your child up from the carnival, or have another parent pick them up, **this must be in writing** and given to your child's Homeroom teacher/Head of House at the beginning of the day. This ensures the College is following their duty of care for all students. I thank you for your support in this area.
- Please note that the carnival finishes at 2:15pm. Students are to remain until this time to support other students in their House and assist with clean up.
- Any parents who can assist on Monday should receive a letter home via their child in the week prior to the carnival. Thank you in advance for your assistance.
- Blacktown Olympic Park has a **tartan track** which is an **all-weather track**. It is therefore unlikely that the carnival will be cancelled in wet weather. There is an undercover grandstand to provide shelter. However, if the weather is particularly nasty and you are not sure if the carnival will go ahead, the College phones will be answered from 8am. If you cannot get through, send your child in full PE uniform as well as bringing the correct books for the day.