

Monday 12th October 2020

Dear Parents and Caregiver

Elim Christian College Middle Years (Y-10) Athletics Day

We are pleased to inform you the annual Middle Years Athletics day will be held on **Monday 2nd November 2020**.

Please read information below regarding the day:

Date: Monday 2nd November 2020

Venue: Lloyd Elsmore Athletics Park, Pakuranga. Entrance off Cascades road.

Time: 8.40am – 2.30pm

*Please note: If there is a postponement, an email will be sent by **7.15am** and a notice will be posted on schoology for students.*

All students must arrive directly to Lloyd Elsmore Athletics park, **no later than 8:40am**.

DO NOT come to school directly.

BUS STUDENTS:

There will be school vans available to transport bus students to and from the Lloyd Elsmore Athletics Park.

ONLY students who regularly take the bus will have transport provided for them to and from Golflands Campus - Lloyd Elsmore Park. Students will be returned to school in time for the 3pm bus.

Students must wait outside the Golflands Campus Hall for transport as they arrive off the bus.

ON ARRIVAL/DEPARTURE TO Lloyd Elsmore Athletics Park:

All students must be seated with their tutor teachers by 8.45am to have their attendance marked. If arriving late, please check into the recorders table to be marked present.

There will also be a **roll call at the end of the day at 2.30pm**. All students are to have their attendance marked again by tutor teachers before leaving the premises. **Students are not to leave before this.**

PARENTS: We ask that students **do not leave or be picked up from the venue before 2:30pm unless arranged prior to the event.** If you do require to collect your child before the roll has been taken in the afternoon, you **must sign them out with a staff member at the announcers table.**

Students are to be picked up from Lloyd Elsmore between 2.30-3.00pm.

WHAT TO BRING /WEAR

- DRESS IN WHANAU COLOURS – The more the better!
- Wear appropriate sporting clothing and running shoes. Shoes are comp
- Hat, sunscreen + LOTS OF WATER
- Lunch and snacks for the day
- A warm jacket to wear between events

EXPECTATIONS

- All students will participate in every field event (Shot Put, Discus, High Jump, Long Jump & 100M)
- Students will rotate around in their year groups.
- 200M, 400M, 800M and 1500M will be optional. These events will run in the following groups:
- Y7 & Y8 Boys
- Y7 & Y8 Girls
- U14 (junior) & U16 (intermediate) Boys (as at 1st Jan 2020)
- U14 (junior) & U16 (intermediate) Girls (as at 1st Jan 2020)

ALL STUDENTS MUST ATTEND – IT IS A COMPULSORY SCHOOL DAY!

PARENTAL ASSISTANCE

We require parental assistance with the running of the events, to make this day a success. If you are available to help for the day, please advise using the link below – thank you in advance! Parents are also welcome to attend this event as supporters.

Please Note: The school operates on MOE best practice. All volunteers are required to hold a current police clearance. If you are unsure of your current police vetting status, please check with the school office.

<https://tinyurl.com/elim-MYAthletics-Help-2020>

Yours sincerely

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