



25 October 2017

Dear Parents and Caregivers

Interhouse Athletics, 9am – 2.30pm Friday 3rd November

Our annual athletics day for children in Years 3-6 will be held at the International Stadium, Devon Street, Rotorua, Field 2 on 3rd November.

Children will need to be at the stadium field **no later than 8.45** in their PE gear ready to have the roll taken. When students arrive they will need to find their teacher.

Should the event need to be postponed, this information will be put on our school website by 7.30am. The postponement date is Thursday 9th November.

Events begin at 9.00 and will be finished by 2.30pm. All children must be collected from the stadium field by 3pm at the latest.

Children will need to bring the following items:

- *Sports shoes
- *Water bottle, lunch and morning tea
- *Sunblock and sunhat
- * Jacket or polar fleece
- * Any medication required, named

The PTA are going to be selling sausages and juices and classroom teachers will be taking orders for juices and sausages **at school on Thursday 2nd November**, the day before the Athletics.

If you are able to assist on the day please inform Mrs Dobson in Room 6 – lornad@stmarysrotorua.school.nz.

Children attending the Glenholme after school care programme will be taken back to school and picked up MaryAnne from St Mary's School at the usual time. All year 3-6 children who come to school on the bus will need to make their own way to the stadium field in the morning. Students catching the bus will meet Mr Volschenk at 2.30 and directed onto the bus.

Interschool athletics is scheduled to be held at the Rotorua Stadium on Tuesday 21st November (postponement Thursday 23rd November). Any students who are selected to participate will be advised by Monday 13th November

We look forward to a great day.

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