

Newsletter to Volunteers and Officials

July 2012

Athletics Otago and the Otago Secondary School Sports Association are hosting the NZSSAA Track and Field and Road Race Championships at the Caledonian Ground, Logan Park Dunedin on the 7<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> December 2012.

Naming Sponsor:

New Zealand Secondary Schools Athletics Association and the Local Organising Committee are pleased to announce Perpetual Trust Limited as the naming rights sponsor for these events.

Applications Forms:

Application forms are now posted on the web and have been sent to the NZ Officials Association and Centre Officials Coordinators for circulation as well as through the Secondary school network. Please note closing dates.

Programme:

The normal two day programme has been modified because of ground restrictions with the Hammer Throws. These events for all grades will be scheduled on the Friday afternoon/evening.

The large majority of officials and volunteers will be required on Saturday and Sunday for all other T & F and Road Race competitions.

Road Race:

We have had discussions with Dunedin Venues Management Ltd who manage the Forsyth Barr stadium and they have agreed for us to hold the road races on Sunday morning around the stadium precinct.

Accommodation for Officials:

This is available at Salmond College, a University Hall of Residence at a cost of \$50 per night per person for bed and breakfast. Evening meals can be arranged from Salmond however this will be an additional cost and you will need to advise them.

Booking at Salmond College as an official is to be done directly with them and their contact details are: Salmond College. Phone: 03 473-0751 Email: [master@salmondcollege.ac.nz](mailto:master@salmondcollege.ac.nz); The master is Bruce Cowan who is heavily involved with athletics in Otago.

When booking please clearly indicate you are attending as an official for the NZSSAA Champs.

Officials Uniforms

We will be using the current Athletics New Zealand silver and black polo for the Champions officials top so if you have one of these please indicate this on your application and bring it with you.

Airport Transport:

We have arranged a package deal for this event with Dunedin Taxi - Shuttle starting at \$20 for one person and scaling back for two, three and four with \$12pp for 5 or more. Details will follow but these must be pre booked before you travel.

Officials Co-ordinators:

Joan Merrilees and Mike Weddell are jointly coordinating the officials. Applications are to be sent to Mike in the first instances.

After consultation between the organising committee and Athletics Otago Track and Field committee we have appointed Trevor Spittle as the Competitions Director for this meeting.

Regards

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