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## SOUTH ISLAND SECONDARY SCHOOLS ATHLETIC CHAMPIONSHIPS 2013

### Preliminary Information

- Date** Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> April – Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> April
- Time** Commencing at 9.00am each day  
Hammer Throw Pole Vault and Steeplechase Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April 6:00pm  
concluding at 12noon on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> April
- Venue** Surrey Park Stadium, Invercargill
- Entry** Entries will be received online from 9:00am Monday, 25 March through to closure at 5pm on Tuesday, 2nd April.
- Entry is through Regional Selectors only unless otherwise arranged.  
Otago and Southland schools will be able to confirm their entries online .
- Scratchings** Any scratchings made after on-line entries close, should be handed in at the Managers Meeting on the Friday evening or by 8.30am on the Saturday morning, for those not in Invercargill on the Friday night.
- Scratchings made at this time must be scratchings from all events, individual event scratchings are not permitted at this stage.
- AWD** We would appreciate an indication of those AWD's who are likely to be attending the SI Meeting. This is to assist us with our programming of the events for the weekend. Please reply to [info@southlandschoolsport.org.nz](mailto:info@southlandschoolsport.org.nz) by MONDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> MARCH. Please note this is only an indication and not a confirmed entry.
- Cost** Costs for the event to be met by sponsorship from the Invercargill Licensing Trust , Community Trust of Southland Kinoka Minolta  
All other costs will be met by a gate admission charge of \$2.00 on Saturday and \$2.00 on Sunday which will apply to all competitors, spectators, and supporters.

## **Managers Meeting**

This has been scheduled for 7.00 pm on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April in the Corporate Lounge area 5 of Stadium Southland Velodrome side (situated next to Surrey Park Athletics grounds).

This will be followed by the AGM of the South Island Athletic Teachers Association.

## **Accommodation**

Billeting is not available. Schools which have a traditional sporting contact with an Invercargill school are encouraged to make contact on a school to school basis to arrange accommodation.

Some options to check out are

Should you require motel accommodation in Invercargill, we would encourage you to book early. Check out a selection of properties at: [www.iltaccommodation.co.nz](http://www.iltaccommodation.co.nz).

To access bookings, and **special rates** for Southland Secondary Schools Sports events, please contact: Nikki Buckley at the Invercargill Licensing Trust by e-mail: [nikki@ilt.co.nz](mailto:nikki@ilt.co.nz) or phone: (03) 211 3765. Flier attached

## **Other options**

[www.southlandmotels.co.nz](http://www.southlandmotels.co.nz)

[www.holidayguide.co.nz](http://www.holidayguide.co.nz)

[tuataralodge@xtra.co.nz](mailto:tuataralodge@xtra.co.nz) - This is a backpackers in town

## **Programmes**

A copy of the programme will be available on our website from 9am Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March with a confirmed programme on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> April after entries close. In an attempt to make the paper programme as accurate as possible this will not be printed until after entries close on Tuesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> April.

Copies of the printed programme will be available to schools at the Managers Meeting.

## **Programme**

A copy of the order of events for the championships has been emailed out with this newsletter.

## **Order of Events**

A copy of the order of events for the championships will be available on our website.

## **School Marquees**

Schools are invited to bring a marquee to put up on the grass banks. Note: Marquees left overnight are at your own risk.

## **First Aid**

We ask that all team managers have a first aid kit for their team for minor injuries. First aid services will be on site in case of emergencies.

## Organisational Timeline

<b>March 4th</b>	<b>Monday</b>	Information 2 will be emailed to schools via Regional Sports Directors and post on the Southland Secondary School Sport website and NZSSSC websites. <a href="http://www.southlandschoolsport.org.nz">www.southlandschoolsport.org.nz</a> and <a href="http://www.nzsssc.org.nz">www.nzsssc.org.nz</a>
<b>March 18</b>	<b>Monday</b>	Call for remits to AGM
<b>March 25</b>	<b>Monday</b>	Online entry system available
<b>March 25</b>	<b>Monday</b>	Remits for AGM close 3:00pm
<b>April 2</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	Online entries close at 5:00pm
<b>April 5</b>	<b>Friday</b>	Managers Meeting 7.00pm Stadium Southland Corporate Lounge Area 5 Managers Pack distributed. Late Scratchings notified. SI Athletics Teachers Assoc AGM
<b>April 5</b>	<b>Friday</b>	Championships Commence at 6.00pm
<b>April 7</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	Championships Conclude at 12 noon