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### **SOUTH ISLAND SECONDARY SCHOOLS ATHLETICS**

#### **Annual General Meeting**

#### **Agenda**

**Date/Time:** Held after Managers meeting at 6.00pm Friday March 27, 2015

**Venue:** Saxton Athletic Pavilion, Saxton Fields, Nelson

#### **Present**

#### **Apologies**

- ❖ **Minutes** Of the 2014 meeting to be accepted.
- ❖ **Matters Arising**
- ❖ **Correspondence**

#### **Remits:**

#### **Remit 1**

#### **Proposed by Phillipa Keenan**

That School sport Canterbury increase the number of Qualifiers for the South Island Championships in 300m Hurdles from 2 athletes to 4 athletes and subsequently introduce an option for a heat and final, timed finals or Junior/ senior races at SISS

**Reasoning** 300m Hurdles is steady in popularity 23 athletes in 2014 at NZSS, 16 in 2013, 24 in 2012

The final NZSS 2014 consisted of 6 south islanders and 2 North Islanders Canterbury 3, Otago 3, Auckland Wanganui 1 each. Out of the top 4 placegetters 3 were from the south island.

Long hurdles is a Athletics NZ targeted event for International representation. We need to encourage athletes to stay in the sport

By keeping it as an open event junior athletes are definitely discouraged from entering. A 13 year old does not want to compete against an 18 year old. If we want to encourage athletes to compete

in long hurdles we need to make it fair and offer the event over various age groups rather than open.

In Canterbury we have 8 athletes at present in both male and female that are capable of medalling at Nationals and I believe that we are disadvantaging them by only selecting the top 2 at Canterbury Secondary Schools.

**Proposal**

That we select the top 4 at Regional level

That we implement a Junior and senior race at SISS

That we implement timed finals or heat/ final

**Proposal from**

Philippa Keenan Canterbury Senior Track and Field selector

Jill Morrison Athletics NZ Hurdle coach

**Remit 2**

**Proposed by John McTaggart Meeting Manager**

That Javelin be included as an event for ParaAthletes at the SISSAC, beginning in 2016." It would be available f

**Proposed : John McTaggart (KHS)**

**Seconded: John Gamblin (St Bedes College)**

*N.B. If the programme being used this year is used, and the Pole Vault and Hammer continue to be held on the Friday afternoon, the ParaAthlete Javelin could take place on the Saturday morning. Initially I suspect that the ParaAthletes will be few and will be included in one of the non-para fields.*

**General Business:**

**Meeting closed at:**