



SOUTH ISLAND SECONDARY SCHOOLS ATHLETIC CHAMPIONSHIPS 2016

Preliminary Information

- DATES:** Friday 1, Saturday 2 and Sunday 3 April 2016
- TIME:** Friday commencing at 3pm (Selected events only)
Saturday 9am – 6pm. Sunday at 9am 12 noon
- VENUE:** Alpine Energy All weather Track at Aorangi Park, Timaru
- ENTRY:** Entries will be received on-line from 9am Monday March 14 through until closure at 9am on Wednesday 30 March.
Aoraki, Canterbury, West Coast and Tasman entries must be entered by regional selectors only. Otago and Southland entries will be received from individual schools.
- SCRATCHINGS:** Any scratchings made after on-line entries close, should be emailed to bill.grogan@canterbury.schoolsport.org.nz before 1pm on Friday 1 April or handed in at the Managers Meeting on the Friday evening or for those not in Timaru on the Friday evening, by 8.30am on Saturday 2 April.
Any Scratchings made after on line entries close must be scratchings from all events that an athlete has entered. Individual event scratchings are not permitted at this stage
- COST:** A funding application to assist with costs has been submitted. The final entry fee to be charged to schools (per athlete basis) will therefore not be confirmed until the outcome of this application is known
Because this event is being hosted by Canterbury, outside our region, there will be additional costs in running this event. Every endeavour to keep the entry cost below \$10 per athlete will be made. A final cost will be advised asap.
No gate entry fee will be charged although a gold coin donation will be requested to support the local Athletic Officials association.
- MANAGERS MEETING:** This has been scheduled for 6.00 pm on Friday 1 April in the function room at Aorangi Park
This will be followed by the AGM of the South Island Athletic Teachers Association at approx 6.30pm

ACCOMMODATION:

All accommodation requirements are each individual schools responsibility
All accommodation bookings should be directed through the Timaru info centre
timaru@southcanterbury.org.nz or see attached list.

PROGRAMMES:

A copy of the programme, showing lane draws etc will be available on our website from 10am Thursday 31 March. In an attempt to make the paper programme as accurate as possible this will not be printed until Friday 1 March. Copies of the printed programme will be available to schools at the managers meeting and available for collection from the gate on Saturday.

ORDER OF EVENTS

A copy of the order of events for the championships is available on the Athletic page of the School sport Canterbury website.

<http://www.canterbury.schoolsport.org.nz/school-sport-canterbury/athletics/>

A timed version of this will be available after entries close on Wednesday 30 March

SPECIFICATIONS

A copy of the specifications, implement weights etc is also available on the School sport Canterbury website.

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ORGANISATIONAL TIMELINE:

March 14	Monday	On-line entry system available
March 14	Monday	Call for remits to AGM
March 21	Monday	Remits for AGM close 3.00pm
March 21	Monday	Information 2 emailed to Schools via Local Sports Directors and posted on School Sport Canterbury and NZSSC website
March 30	Wednesday	On line Entries close at 9.00am
April 1	Friday	Managers Meeting 6.00pm. Aorangi Park, Managers, Packs distributed Late scratchings notified AGM of SI Athletic Teachers Association
April 2	Saturday	championships commence at 9am
April 3	Sunday	Championships conclude 12 noon