

KINGSGATE SCHOOL

Cross-Country and Tabloid Sports Day



DATE: Tuesday 11TH December -

VENUE: A&P Showgrounds (**Entry Gate 6 Only**)

Dear Parents

You are cordially invited to attend our Cross-Country and Tabloid Sports Day. This is an opportunity for you to come and share a day in the life of our students and have some fun with them too! All help is appreciated too. We look forward to seeing you there.

Schedule Information

- Drop off and pick up for the day will be at the Pukekohe A&P showgrounds.
- The school day will start at 8:40am. Please have your child there by that time.
- A staff member will be at the show grounds from 8:20am onwards. Please **do not** drop off your child before then and leave them unattended at the show grounds.
- The school day will finish at 2:00pm. Pickup will be from the A&P show grounds.

The following times are approximate.

8:40: Roll call and morning devotions
8:50: Walk the course
9:15: Years 0-2 cross-country race
9:30: Years 3-5 cross-country race
9:50: Years 6-8 cross-country race
10:20: Morning tea
10:50: Tabloid sports part 1
12:00: Lunch
12:45: Tabloid sports part 2
1:45 Clean and tidy of the venue
2:00 Parent pick up at venue

Day Information

- Where possible students to please run in shoes. There could be prickles in the grass!
- Wear shorts and t-shirts to run in. Bring a jersey.
- Wear your house colours if you can. Joseph is blue, Ruth is green, and Daniel is red.
- Bring your normal morning tea and lunch.
- Bring a water bottle - you will get thirsty! There are taps at the venue to refill bottles.
- Ensure your child brings a hat otherwise your child will be sitting in the shade all day.
- Pack a towel as there could be water involved in some of the tabloid events!

Parents Please Read

- **DO NOT** enter or drop your child off at the main gate of the show grounds.
- **YOU MUST USE GATE 6** which is on the left about 20 metres after subway road.
- As it is a school day attendance for the children is required from 8:40am - 2pm.
- If the event needs to be cancelled due to the weather, it will be announced on the School Facebook site and School website. A staff member will also be at Gate 6 of the showgrounds to advise. School will go ahead as per usual.
- If it does have to be cancelled students can still come to school in house colour mufti that day.