

Glendenning Public School



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Athletics Carnival Field Events 2019

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

As part of our Annual Athletics Carnival, all students in Years 2-6 who are turning 8 years or older will participate in field events, which will be held at school.

Dates:	Monday 18 March– Friday 22 March
Time:	9:00am – 3:00pm
Venue:	Glendenning PS – Back Playground
Cost:	\$0
Uniform:	Sports uniform for assigned day (see attached timetable)

What to bring:

- A school, or wide brimmed hat;
- At least one drink bottle filled with water (plus, if desired, a frozen water bottle in hot weather)
- Sunscreen applied before school, and should you wish, during the day.
- Something to sit on e.g. towel or picnic blanket.

Events:

Students will be competing in high jump, long jump and shot put events. All students who do not have a disability or health restriction will be expected to compete, as these sports are a part of the Physical Education curriculum. Specific expectations for each event:

- High Jump all students are expected to participate competitively (i.e. jump over the bar) or experience running up to and onto the landing mat.
- Long Jump all students are expected to compete.
- Shot Put 2 weights will be used. Students who wish to 'have-a-go' but are concerned by the weight will be shown the technique and will use a beanbag as practice.

Classes Involved:

Monday: 6B, 6H, 4/5/6M <u>Tuesday:</u> 5L, 5S, 4R <u>Wednesday:</u> 3/4C, 5/6F, 3K <u>Thursday:</u> 3M, 4G, 3R <u>Friday:</u> Students who are turning **8 years old in 2019 from Year 2**.

Winners in each one of the age/gender groups will be decided based on results from all classes. Students who qualify will be given further information about Zone Athletics Carnival events at a later date.

If you have any further queries, please contact Mr Bamford.

Thank you for your assistance and cooperation.

Yours sincerely,

D. Meaney Principal 14 March 2019 C. Bamford Carnival Coordinator