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BURWOOD GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS CARNIVAL 2022

Dear Parents / Carers, 27 April 2022

The BGHS Athletics Carnival will be held on **MONDAY**, **9 MAY 2022 at Sydney Athletics Centre**, **Homebush Bay**.

Attendance is compulsory for all students. Rolls will be marked at 8:50 am and again at the conclusion of the carnival at 3:00 pm. This is a rare opportunity for students to compete in athletic events at a world-class venue and we hope all students will compete in at least one track and one field event irrespective of their athletic prowess!

"Early Leavers" on the day will only be granted for students with exceptional circumstances. This needs to be organised PRIOR to the carnival with a deputy principal. In the event of unforeseen circumstances on the day of the carnival, a <u>parent/guardian must sign their daughter out at the front office at the school first</u> and present the sign-out slip to Ms Kalogeropoulos at the carnival venue.

School sport uniform is not compulsory, but students should wear House colours. Points will be awarded for the best dressed house. If competing, correct/supportive runners need to be worn.

Valuables SHOULD NOT be brought to the carnival.

Parents are invited and more than welcome to attend.

Competitors should be dressed, ready to participate and report to marshals at **8:20 am** for the following events:

* 12 yrs - 17 yrs+ 1500m race

ROLL CALL will be at 8:50 am and all other events will start at 9:15 am as follows:

- * 12 years 100m
- * 13 years Long Jump
- * 14 years Discus
- * 15 years High Jump
- * 16 years Shot Put
- * 17 years Javelin

There will be a canteen available (cashless only) but it is recommended students bring their own lunch and drinks due to waiting times to be served.

Commercial foods such as Pizza, Subway, McDonalds etc being delivered or brought into the venue is NOT ALLOWED.

It is against the venue's hire policy for this to occur and if students do engage in this behaviour it will result in Burwood Girls High School NOT being able to hire this venue for future carnivals.

The track and field areas are strictly OUT OF BOUNDS UNLESS COMPETING. Students should remain in their House Areas when not competing

POINT SCORE:

- * The Carnival will be run on a House basis with each entrant in an event earning a point for her House.
- * There is no limit to the number of entrants from each House in individual events. All competitors must register with the marshals when their respective events are called.
- * Track events take precedence over field events. Register with the Marshal for the field event and then return to compete at the track.
- * There will be qualifying distances for all field events.
- * In track events there are no finals. All winners will be decided on fastest times.
- * The following points system will operate to determine Age Champions (individual events only) and House Champions.

INDIVIDUAL EVENTS

- 5 points for 1st place in each race
- 4 points for 2nd place in each race
- 3 points for 3rd place in each race
- 2 points for 4th place in each race
- 1 point for each competitor

RELAY EVENTS

1st 15 points

2nd 12 points

3rd 9 points

4th 6 points

5th 3 points

6th 1 point

The Traditional Year 12 "On the Hill" photograph will be taken before relays.

There will be an opportunity for students to verse staff in an entertaining relay race.

STUDENT TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS

Students have 3 options to get to and from the carnival:

A) Parents/carers to drop off and pick up students. There is road access to the venue. See map for the easiest way for you to make your way there on website for timetables/maps: http://www.sopa.nsw.gov.au/

B) **Students can travel by public transport** to and from the carnival. This can be done by catching a train/s or a bus

Bring money for fares or Opal card.

TRAIN: The venue is close to Olympic Park Station.
 Catch a train to LIDCOMBE STATION, change trains and continue to OLYMPIC PARK STATION.

From Olympic Park Station it is a 5 to 10 minute walk to the Athletics Centre.

Check www.transportnsw.info/ for train timetables.

BUS: Public buses run out to Sydney Olympic Park from **Strathfield** Station.
 The trip takes approx. 30 minutes.

Check www.transportnsw.info/ for times and pick up stops.

***C) Students can catch the special bus from school <u>departing at 7:45 am</u> from Cheltenham Road. The cost will be \$15.00 (to be paid to the FRONT OFFICE **before 2:00 pm, Thursday 5 May 2022**. Please bring **correct money**.) These students will travel TO AND FROM the carnival on the bus.

Note: If your child is competing in the 1500m run - this bus WILL NOT arrive in time for these events.

***NB: Option C is only for those students who cannot make their own way to the venue.

If you have any questions regarding the Athletics Carnival, please do not hesitate to contact Ms Gianotti on 9747 3355.

Jan Gianotti

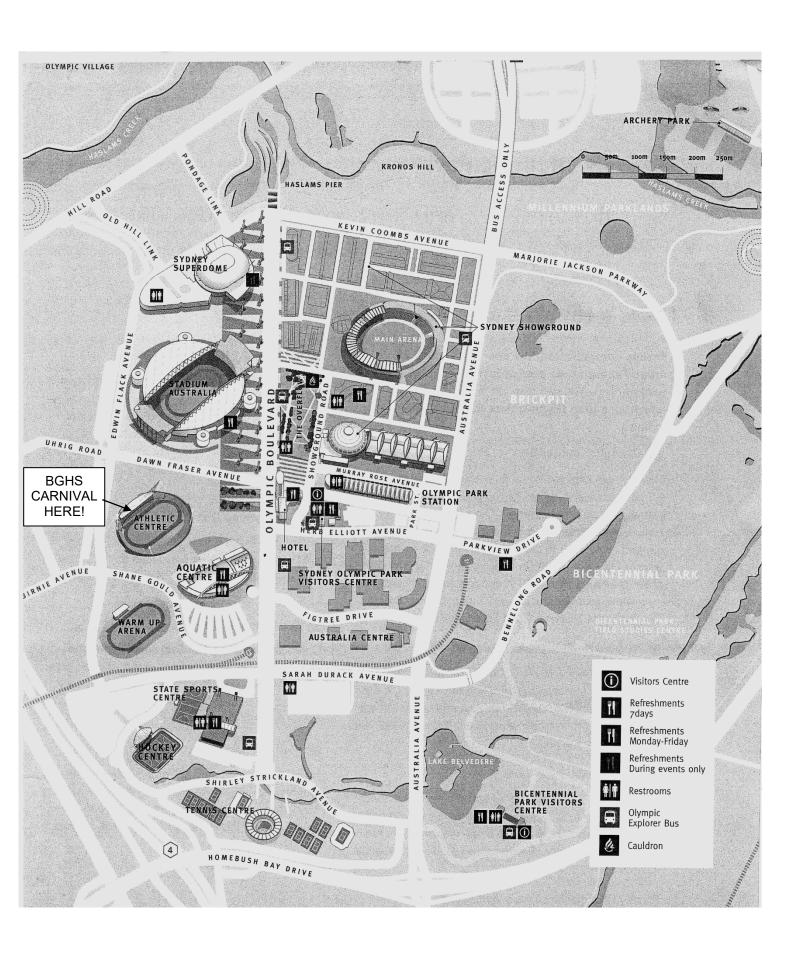
Carnivals Coordinator

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Melissa Caltabiano

HT PDHPE & Dance

Mia Kumar **Principal**



BURWOOD GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL

ATHLETICS CARNIVAL MONDAY 9 MAY 2022

TRAVEL VERIFICATION NOTE FOR SPECIAL BUS.

RECEIPT MUST BE HANDED IN WITH THIS NOTE TO SECURE A SEAT.

STUDENT NAME:	YEAR:
My daughter will be travelling by special bus which wi Burwood Girls High School at 7:45 am AND return at 3 cost of \$15.00 (to be paid to the front office before 2:00 Thursday 5th May to secure a seat).	3:15 pm at a
SIGNATURE (parent/carer):	
DATE:	
DAYTIME CONTACT NO.:	
Please return this note <u>and</u> receipt to the box outside Pland BY THURSDAY, 5 MAY 2022 (to secure a seat on this bus). NO NOTE, NO PAYMENT RECEIPT, NO SEAT!	

Payments may be made:

- In person between 8:30 am and 2:00 pm at the front office, by cash, eftpos, or cheque payable to "NSW Government Schools".
- Online anytime up to 6:00 pm two days prior to the due date for payment: https://burwoodg-h.schools.nsw.gov.au/.

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