



# Pukerua Bay School

## 2017 Pukerua Bay School Athletics Day

07 March 2017

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

Over the last 4 weeks we have been participating in Run, Jump, Throw activities during our classroom PE sessions and now it is time to put all we have practiced into action.

**What:** Pukerua Bay School Athletics **Where:** Pukerua Bay School field

**When:** Thursday 16 March 2016 **Time:** 9:20– 12:30pm

The children will be split into year groups and will rotate around the following activities. Sprints, Fun Relays, Long Jump, High Jump, Discus/Quoits, Shot Put & Vortex. To give the day a festive atmosphere we ask the children to wear the following colours. Please see your child's teacher if this is a problem.

**Year 8** white

**Year 5** green

**Year 7** blue

**Year 4** pink/purple

**Year 6** red

**Year 2 Rua & Year 3** yellow

**Rawhiti Block will run their own fun morning later the following week.**

Please ensure that your child wears appropriate clothing and footwear, and brings a drink of water and a packed lunch. For safety reasons children will not be allowed to compete in bare feet. If your child requires an asthma inhaler please make sure that they have one with them. You are most welcome to come and support your child. We also require parent helpers at some events. Please see your child's teacher if you are able to help out. We look forward to seeing you there.

**Please Note:** Only the top 4 female and male athletes from years 5-8 are selected to participate in the interschool athletics held on the 27 March. These students will participate in a heptathlon, meaning they participate in all events on the day.

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