



EKETAHUNA SCHOOL

ROAD RACE

FRIDAY 17th MAY

Our Eketahuna School Road Race is on tomorrow – there is NO postponement date. If the weather looks bad, a decision will be made before 9.30am. We will post a cancellation on our school facebook page and school loop. If we have to cancel a team will be selected for the Bush event, on Friday 24th May, by the teachers. It will be based on current fitness levels and the student's level of participation during Road Race training.

RACE DAY TIMETABLE

Race No.	Distance	Race	Approx Start Time
1	800m	5 year olds – girls	10.30am
2	800m	5 year olds – boys	10.40am
3	1.1km	6 year olds – boys and girls	10.50am
4	1.1km	7 year olds – boys and girls	11.05am
5	1.5km	8 year olds – boys and girls	11.20am
6	1.5km	9 year olds – boys and girls	11.35am
7	2.1km	10 year olds – boys and girls	11.55am
8	2.1km	11 year olds – boys and girls	12.15pm
9	2.9km	12+ year olds – boys and girls	12.35pm
		End of day	1.00pm
		Lunch	

The races will follow one another. The start times are **very approximate**. I do not want children standing around if it is cold, waiting for the correct race time so be prepared for races to start a little before hand so as not to miss your child's race.

Boys and girls will run together for races 3 – 8 because of the need to keep the length of the day manageable. Boys will start before the girls and each will finish through 2 separate chutes.

The students will be marshalled on the school field and walked to the Rowden's driveway, where they will be set off to run their course.

Course Maps and information will be pinned up at school so parents can check where routes for running.

RACE DAY LUNCH

We will have a \$2.00 sausage sizzle at lunch - children can order at the office. Class orders will be delivered to classrooms at the later lunch time. Adults who haven't ordered can come to the BBQ.

SHOES & CLOTHING

As the students will be running on the road, and footpaths, we ask that running shoes are worn by all. No one is to run in bare feet. It is also expected children will wear appropriate clothing for the run.

PARKING INFORMATION

Please avoid parking in the red marked sections of the map.

There are areas to park around Herbert Street, Anderson Street, along Railway Place and down at the old school building at the end of Herbert Street.

Remember this is for runners safety.

