Gorokan High School Athletics Carnival 2015

The GHS Athletics Carnival will be held on **Wednesday the 11th of March, 2015 at Mingara Athletics Centre.** It is a normal school day and as such all students are expected to attend the carnival. It is not compulsory for students to compete, however students will be expected to support their house.

**Times**
Students are expected to be at the carnival at 8.45am, with first events starting at 9.00am. Estimated finishing time is 1.45 pm. No early leaver passes will be given.

**Cost**
**Track entry is $4.00 for students** to be paid at the front gate. Parents/carers are welcome to attend, with a gold coin donation.

**Transport**
Students can be transported to and from Mingara by their parents/guardians. **Buses will leave from Gorokan High School at 8.15am sharp. Buses will depart Mingara at 1.45pm to return to GHS for normal buses.** Bus fare is $6.00 per student and is to be paid when getting on the bus at school. Normal afternoon bus services will operate from GHS.

**Food**
Mingara Athletics Centre will be operating a canteen for the day. GHS Year 12 and the SRC will also be operating a BBQ. Students can bring their own food and drinks. **Students WILL NOT be permitted to leave the Mingara Athletic Centre facilities to purchase food.**

**Uniform**
Students can wear appropriate mufti clothing, or their school PE/sport uniform. Students are encouraged to wear the colour of their House group, to enhance the inter-school competition on the day:

- Red – Barnett (A – D)
- Blue – Dixon (E – K)
- Yellow – Hargraves (L – Q)
- Green – Norah (R – Z)

**Competition**
Students competing in program events will be eligible to be chosen in the GHS Athletics team to compete at the Zone Athletics carnival. Age Champions will also be determined. An interschool competition is also held between House groups.

**Sun Protection**
Please ensure your child has adequate sun protection, e.g. hat, sunscreen. Students may also bring a blanket, chair or tarp to sit on.

**Fundraiser – CRAZY HAIR DAY:**
Louis Chapman and Ms Hyde will be shaving their heads to raise money for World’s Greatest Shave. Raffle tickets will be sold on the day, $5.00 each. Buying a raffle tickets will put you in the running to shave Louis’s head. Vice- Captain, Emma Griffiths will be going around with a bucket for any gold coin donations.

**Sport Organisers,**

Mr J. Anderson
Miss L. Spencer

My son/daughter_____________________________ of GHS in year ______ will be attending the Athletics Carnival on Wednesday the 11th of March, 2015. I understand there is a cost of $4 track entry, as well as $6 for students travelling on the bus. This is to be paid on the day. I understand that if the carnival is cancelled, normal school will be operating.

Signed___________________________________________________________ (parent/ guardian)

For any other information please contact Gorokan High School. Notes to be handed in to the PE staffroom or the library.