



17 May 2023

### 3-6 Athletics Carnival 2023

As part of our PDHPE teaching and learning program at Quakers Hill Public School, our Stage 2 and 3 students (as well as 8-year-old Year 2 students) participate in an annual athletics carnival. Students will have the opportunity to take part in a range of activities, such as, running, long jump, shot put, high jump and relay races.

**Where:** Blacktown International Sports Park

**When:** Thursday 29 June 2023

**Cost:** \$17

**Departure time from school:** 8.15 am

**Return to school:** 3.15 pm

**Travel will be by:** Bus

**The students will be supervised by:** 3-6 teachers

#### Additional Information:

Students will need to **arrive at school at 8:15 am**, meet their teacher under the COLA for their name to be marked off the roll and then board the private charter bus with their class, to travel to *Blacktown International Sports Park*.

QHPS invites all parents and carers to attend the event and support their child/ren on the day. There will be a designated supporter zone, however attendees will need to bring **a chair or picnic rug** to sit on.

Students are permitted to wear their house colours or sports uniform and must wear their school hat and comfortable sports shoes (running spikes are optional). Students are to bring their lunch, recess, and a water bottle in a small/light bag. It is strongly recommended that students also wear warm clothing whilst waiting for their events. Canteen facilities will be unavailable on the day.

Please complete a payment (cash in a labelled envelope to the school office, online or credit on student account) and fill out the 3-6 Athletics Carnival permission form below by Thursday 8 June 2023. The office money slot will be cleared at 3.30pm and online payments must be made prior to 5pm on Thursday 8 June. Any payments made after these times will be returned. No money will be accepted after this date.

Miss Morley

Mr Lo Campo

**PDHPE Coordinator**

**Principal**

#### Concussion Clearance

The Australian Medical Association recommends students being symptom free of concussion for 14 days before returning to sport.

- If your child/ward sustains a concussion, or experiences any concussion symptoms, in the 14 day period prior to the event commencing, you must report this to team officials, and a medical clearance is required in order for your child/ward to participate in the event.

Medical clearances can be attached to this consent form or can be submitted to school separately.

#### Important information

In the event of injury, no personal injury insurance cover is provided by the NSW Department of Education for students in relation to school sporting activities, physical education lessons or any other school activity. The Department's public liability cover is fault-based and limited to breaches by the Department of its duty of care to students that may result in claims for compensation.

Parents/Carers are advised to assess the level and extent of their child's involvement in the sport program offered by the school, school sport zone, region and state school sport Associations when deciding whether additional insurance cover is required prior to their child's involvement in the program. Personal accident insurance cover is available through normal retail outlets.

Parents/Carers who have private ambulance cover need to check whether that cover extends to interstate travel and make additional arrangements, as considered appropriate.



The NSW Supplementary Sporting Injury Benefits Scheme, funded by the NSW Government, provides limited cover for serious injury resulting in the permanent loss of a prescribed faculty or the loss of use of certain prescribed parts of the body. The Supplementary Scheme does not cover medical costs or dental costs. Further information can be obtained from <https://www.icare.nsw.gov.au/injured-or-ill-people/sporting-injuries/payments/#gref>.

Further information regarding student accident insurance and private health cover is provided at: <https://app.education.nsw.gov.au/sport/file/1449>.

### 3-6 Athletics Carnival Permission Slip

#### Parent/Carer Acknowledgment and Consent

I give permission for my child \_\_\_\_\_ in class \_\_\_\_\_ to participate in the 3-6 Athletics Carnival on Thursday 29 June 2023.

I understand the children will be travelling by bus to Blacktown International Sports Park.

I understand the cost will be \$17.00.

Please tick

- I have included a cash payment of \$17
- I have credit on my student account that I wish to use
- I have made an online payment

Receipt Number: \_\_\_\_\_

- I acknowledge that this event/activity is required to be held in accordance with any current NSW Health COVID-19 Public Health Orders and the NSW Department of Education's policies and procedures.
- I acknowledge and accept that there is a risk that my child/ward may be exposed to COVID-19 whilst attending and participating at this event.
- I confirm that my child will not attend if displaying symptoms of illness, and/or if directed to isolate under public health orders.
- I acknowledge that my child will be under the duty of care of the supervising teacher during the event.
- In the event of any accident or illness, I authorise the obtaining, on my behalf, of an ambulance and any such medical assistance that my child may require. I accept full responsibility of expenses incurred.
- I acknowledge that if my child sustains a concussion, or experiences any concussion symptoms, in the 14-day period prior to the event commencing, I am required to report this to the school. I further acknowledge that, should this occur, my child will only be permitted to participate in the event, if a medical clearance is provided.
- I affirm that, to the best of my knowledge, my child has no medical condition or injury that places them at risk by participating in this sport activity.

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNED: \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Carer Date

#### Student medical details

Medicare number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiry date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please detail any medical or special needs which the team manager should be aware of, including medical, behaviour management or other specialised plans. (Copies of plans to be attached.)

A copy of this note can be located on the school website – <http://www.quakershil-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/notes>