



# Lake City Kids

Where athletics is FUN!  
10<sup>th</sup> Feb 2013



## CHANGE OF DATES

### Cancellation last week & Te Matatini

Due to the weather we had to cancel last week. And we will *not have access to the grounds on Feb 19<sup>th</sup>* due to Te Matatini. So I may add an extra week in March to complete our champs, and have prizegiving on the 2<sup>nd</sup> April. TBA.  
**See you this Tues 12<sup>th</sup>.**

## NEW GROUNDS during Feb

Due to Raggamuffin and Te Matatini using the #2 field, we have been transferred to the top #3 field above and behind where we normally are. This is for the entire month of Feb. So drive right through the normal carpark, around behind to the upper field at the back.

*All helpers should arrive 10 minutes early to transfer gear from the shed to the new field.*

## 4 PARENT HELPERS NEEDED URGENT ABSOLUTELY NO ONE HAS COME FORWARD

This is now urgent, I do not have time to ring 200 parents to find 4 more helpers for the rest of the season, PLEASE email me URGENT if you can step up. Otherwise I will have to chuck someone in on the actual night with minimal training and thats not very effective for any of us.

## Uniforms and TRACKSUITS arrived!

If you were waiting for smaller children's singlets, you can now purchase them at 4:45pm on Tues 12<sup>th</sup> Feb or Weds 13<sup>th</sup> Feb. \$15 each.

We also have some NEW tracksuits just arrived. These look awesome and are just \$50 for a full set. Come and try on during the above days, and get yours put aside or on order, as we are putting through another order the 2<sup>nd</sup> week of Feb.

All children should now be in correct uniform - ie running singlet and black shorts, with your age patch sewn on the left chest. **No uniform means no results and no certificate at prize-giving.**

## WaiBOP Childrens Champs Sat 9<sup>th</sup> March

9:30am, Porritt Stadium, Hamilton

This is our final big competition for the season:

- **Get your entries in NOW!!**
  - Any child can enter 7-14 years
  - You don't have to be a top performer, you can go just for the experience.
  - Cost is \$5 per event, can choose up to 4 events
  - Club will pay for relay teams to enter
  - **Entries to Leanne or Donnene by Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb.**
- All the forms are attached.

## CONGRATULATIONS

Well done to Paige Satchell, Michael Voss and Courtney Wiggins who were selected for the Waikato/Bay of Plenty Grade 14/15 interprovincial team. They competed in competitions held at the end of January at Masterton, achieving great results and helping their teams to place 2nd and 3rd.

Congratulations also to Paige Satchell who was awarded one of four Nick Willis Scholarships, at the Colgate Games in January at Ingelwood. The scholarships are awarded to athletes that show outstanding achievement in their track and field events over a number of years.

## INTERPROVINCIALS 12/13yrs

Hi there clubs.

Paula Cole here, Chief manager for the Grade 12/13 Interprovincials this year. We have just sent out emails to the nominated athletes who have made the first squad. However we still need more athletes to look at. There are a great number of athletes who would more than likely make the team who haven't shown any interest to us as yet.

The selectors rank ALL athletes that compete and we are asking you to please contact me if you have a 12/13yr old who has done well at ribbon days etc. It is NOT too late, we will accept expressions of interest up until the End of Feb.

Email/ phone me and I can send you the newsletters.

I want this to be our best year yet!

Paula Cole, Chief Manager 2013

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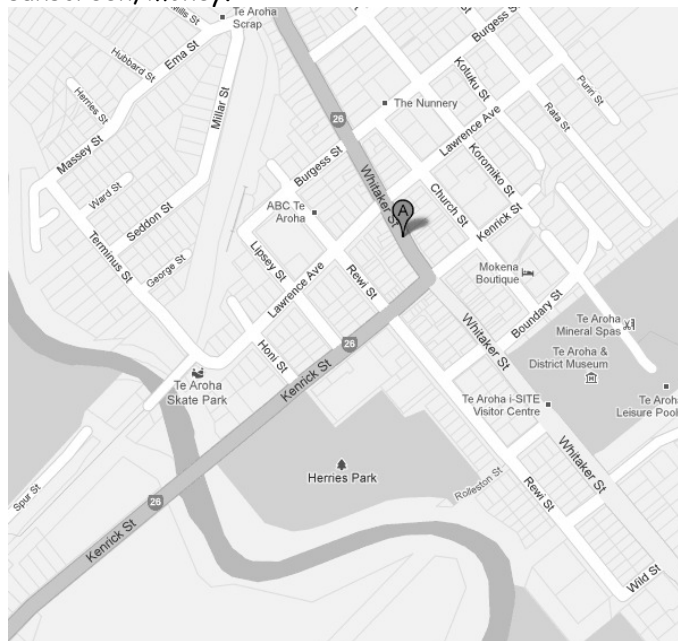
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## Te Aroha Ribbon Day Sat Feb 16<sup>th</sup>

10am, Harries Park, Rewi St, Te Aroha  
Great family day out, and parents always learn something new too! Tiny Tots to 15yrs, free entry. When you go to Ribbon Day, meet with all other Lake City parents and choose a meet manager to take total athlete numbers to the organizers. You are also expected to help out on some events. Things to remember: Uniform, lunch, drinks, gazebo, sunscreen, money.



### **Next Ribbon Days:**

Feb 23 - Paeroa

Mar 2 - Bellevue/Greerton

### **Parent Volunteers Required 10<sup>th</sup> March**

The club owns the Offroad  $\frac{1}{2}$  Marathon event on the 10<sup>th</sup> March, and gets some good income from it. Please volunteer for marshalling/goodie bag stuffing for this event if you are able. This is our children's sector's opportunity to support the club back, and pull our weight for the funding the club gives us for our children. We need around 22 marshals from 9am-1pm on the day. Please email Pat Smyth on [pcsmlyth@ihug.co.nz](mailto:pcsmlyth@ihug.co.nz) or 0273341425 or put your name on the volunteers roster in the clubrooms.

### **Stepping Aside as Convenor next season**

My kids are dabbling in other sports this coming year, and I really need to follow them. So one of you needs to start thinking about taking on my Convenor's role. I will be more than happy helping with the first half of the season before I start my annual marathon clinic training. I'd like to stay involved with coaching and organizing coaches, and of course organizing the Ribbon Day. So if you are interested, come see me now so we can start some mentoring now! Kerris.

### **New Adults Swimming sessions**

Because swimming is just so good for kids, and is a great complimentary sport to athletics, we are also pleased to tell you about some new sessions starting up for us *parents*:

**ADULTS BEGINNER:** If you want to start learning how to do proper strokes, come and join me on a Friday avo from 6:30-7:30pm in the outside pool. \$25 annual membership fee plus \$20 per month. Nice and easy, very helpful, lots of feedback, shorter stints to suit your fitness level. I really enjoyed it!

<http://www.sportsground.co.nz/swimrotorua/11352/>

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Sorry no pics this week :-((

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