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#### The past week:

Another busy week was had for club members with all the weekly club activities happening.

Also thrown into the mix was the Club owned Copthorne off Road Half Marathon based in Whaka Forest. The event had the largest participation for many a year - perhaps the biggest since the event was held in the Forest.

Big thanks are extended to all that made the event happen: the team from the contracted event managers, Event Promotions Ltd: all the volunteers that stepped up pre and post event, as well as on the actual day. These being club members; family members or friends; some working for two days others from 6.30am to around 3.00pm on the day

Thanks are also extended to all the various parties that gave permission to use the Forest. Without this there would be no event. Likewise thanks are also extended to the participants – without these there would also be no event.

For the event results visit <u>www.eventpromotions.co.nz</u> and head to the half marathon site.

Congratulations to all that took part whether a podium placer or a finisher in one of the events on offer.

As the summer track and field activities are drawing to a close secondary school aged club members are moving into their school athletics championships which accumulate with the Waikato BOP Secondary school champs on 23 March at Porritt Stadium. No doubt there will be some excellent performances turned in, even old school records being broken.

#### **Tarawera Road:**

All those that head into Whaka Forest from the Neil Hunt Park clubrooms on a regular basis, for your own safety it is suggested you cross at the "island" in the middle of the road up past the Long Mile Road entrance

With the upgrade of Long Mile Road and the Tarawera Road intersection etc starting, please take care when in these areas either as a pedestrian or a motorist.

# Upcoming distance events in Rotorua:

**The weekend 16/17 March** – The Rotorua Walking Festival. Visit <u>www.rotoruawlakingfestival.org.nz</u> for event details – entry etc

**Saturday 4 May 2019:** the 55th Rotorua Marathon around Lake Rotorua. Also associated with the main event are a half marathon, quarter marathon and 5km events. Visit www.rotoruamarathon.co.nz for entry details etc

#### SATURDAYS

## **Events:** Track and field out of the City *Children:*

**Saturday 16 March** – Athletics Waikato BOP championships Porritt Stadium -. 9 30am start – see below in Tuesday for entry details etc.

#### SUNDAYS

#### **Distance athletes**

#### Those that run -

The Running Clinic various packs leave from the Neil Hunt Park clubrooms at varying times. Check out with your pack leader the start time and venue.

Other distance running groups also leave from the clubrooms. Some groups leave 7.00 am or later and sometimes from different venues.

Those that walk – Meet at the Neil Hunt Park clubrooms just prior to 8.00am. Some groups leave earlier. Contacts are: Rob Colledge 07 348 7768: Marieke Wass 07 347 9885 ah or 027 462 8572: Sarah Wiwarena – Ph: 027 347 8115

#### TUESDAYS

#### <u>Walkers</u>

<u>Am</u> - Meet 8.00am at the Neil Hunt Park clubrooms <u>Pm</u> – Refer to the contacts listed in "Sunday".

#### **Distance athletes**

Running groups leave from the Neil Hunt Park clubrooms from 5.00pm with the last groups leaving around 6.00pm. This includes those associated with the Running Clinic. Some clinic groups leave the clubrooms (unless advised otherwise) at 5.45pm others at 6.00pm. Check with your pack leader re times etc.

#### Children's athletics

*When*: Weekly on Tuesdays – from 4.45pm to 5.45pm



Where: International Stadium,

Field 2, Devon Street West, Rotorua

**Activities:** Running, jumping, and throwing for ages 2 yrs to 14 yrs.

*Information from:* Their face book page to keep up to date with weather cancellations and other information.

The numbers attending the Tuesday evening activities have reached the maximum number that the volunteers can cope with, therefore no further registrations can be taken.

*Contacts:* Kelly Albrecht - 027 8826484 *Email:* lakecitychildrensathletics@gmail.com

#### Athletics Waikato BOP children's championships

<u>Mums, Dads, caregivers - please note</u> All entries for the Children's Waikato Championships in Hamilton on 16th March need to be in to Kelly before Thursday night. Either touch base on Tuesday or contact her at <u>lakecitychildrensathletics@gmail.com</u>

Children's Club Championships started Tuesday 26th. They will run for 3 x consecutive weeks to find out who our age group champions are. Full club uniform must be worn to be eligible for prizes.

#### WEDNESDAYS

This Wednesday 6 March – The Senior and Teens track and field from 6.00pm sees the second pentathlon evening of the season (100, long jump, shot put, discus and 1 mile). You don't have to take part in all events, just the 1 mile if you wish. Milers it is suggested you be there by 7.00pm. Wednesday 13 March – the club's track 10000 metres championships for Grade 19 and above at the Stadium's Field 2. Note you need to arrange your own lap recorder for this event. There are no other events on this evening, but those that wish can do a training session.

The venue is Field 2 of the Stadium, Devon Street West. Parking is in the complex behind the main grandstand, off Devon Street West. You may need to go thru the narrow gateway in the complex and park on the grass by the ticket boxes. From there it's a walk up the hill to Field 2.

### THURSDAYS

#### Trout Fly

The next event of the fortnightly series is this Thursday 7 March. See the "advert" below for details.

#### <u>Walkers</u>

**Am** – Meet 8.00am at Planet Bike, Waipa Mill by Pass Road

**Pm** – Refer to the contacts listed in "Sunday".

#### Distance athletes

#### <u>Those that run</u> –

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#### **Distance event out of Rotorua:**

Sun to Surf – Saturday 6 April 2019 - Whakatane Visit <u>www.suntosurf.nz</u> website for more details. Note the minimum ages for the "half" and 10km events. Financial members of the Lake City Athletic Club are offered a 20% discount into this event. To apply for your discount code you need to contact Annemarie on 027 6229688 or email her at lakecitymarathonclinic@gmail.com

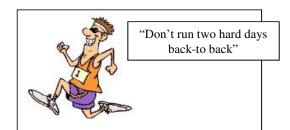
## RESULTS

#### Local Track and Field – Teens and Adults – Wednesday – 27 February 2019 – Non

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100 metres		
Robert Abbel	M40	14.7
Saven Tillard	B12	15.8
Koby Stranks-Rose	B11	16.0
300 metres		
Robert Abbel	M40	51.3
Saven Tillard	B12	53.5
Koby Stranks-Rose	B11	55.5
600 metres	Run	
Matt Parsonage	M35	1.39.3
Saven Tillard	B12	2.01.2
Koby Stranks-Rose	B11	2.10.3
	Walk	
Tom Lamason	M70	5.04.6
Shot put (different		
weights thrown)		

Saven Tillard	B12		
5.94:6.89: 6.93		19.76	
Koby Stranks-Rose	B11		
6.18:5.63: 5.88		17.69	
Robert Abbel	M40		
9.40:9.73:9.08		28.21	
Matt Parsonage	M35		
6.10:6.50:6.47		19.07	



## This summer's Trout Fly series For the whole family

Walkers Joggers and Runners

This Thursday 7 March

Casual "drop-in" event every 2nd Thursday Registration at the Neil Hunt Park clubrooms Club 5:45pm

- Costs: \$5 for adults, \$3 for children you don't need to be a club member Event starts 6:15 on the dot
- Your choice of 3km or 5km run, jog or walk (or both)
- Course winds through the picturesque Sulphur Flats area
- Includes a complimentary refreshment, BBQ sausages and chips
- Great family event [young children must be accompanied though]
- Good starting point towards January's 10km, ½ or Marathon Clinics
- Find new motivation with us dust the "shoes" off and come and join us
- FREE CLUB MEMBERSHIP\* if you complete 9 out of 10 events. Eligibility – only if you have **never** been a Lake City Athletic Club member

2019 7th March and 21st March

#### Club uniforms If you wish to purchase an item from the Club's wardrobe (Singlet, tee shirt, hoodie, track suit etc) please contact one of the following to arrange a time to make the purchase Payment to be made at time of purchase - please bri along the correct change Costs: Adults running singlets: \$35.00 Adults short sleeve walker's tees: \$35.00 Junior (children) singlets Size 2 to 12 \$30.00 Size 14 \$35.00 Supporting clothing Zip hoodie \$55.00 Youth pullover hoodie \$15.00 Track suit \$90.00 Beanie \$15.00 Contacts are: Sarah Wiwarena - 027 347 8115

Annemarie Gallagher – Ph 027 6229688 (adults)