MERSEYSIDE COUNTY SCHOOLS AA

Dear Colleagues,

Please find below the information regarding the Merseyside County Schools Cross Country Championships. The venue will now be at Calderstones Park, Liverpool L18 3JN on Saturday 3rd February, 2018.

ESSA Age Groups: The junior teams (Yrs 8&9) will consist of the first five counters, with four to count in the Intermediate (Yrs10&11) and Senior age groups(Yrs12&13).

The Intermediate and Senior Girls will run together as teams but medals will be awarded to the first three in each age group. The cost will be £2.50 per athlete. Registration will take place at the Wirral AC club tent, near the finish, where athletes can collect numbers in receipt of payment.

Please allow sufficient time to park, collect numbers and warm up.

English Schools Selection: The first four in each age group will be invited to compete for Merseyside in the English Schools Championships at Temple Newsom Park, Leeds on Saturday 17th March. The remaining four places in the team will be filled following a selection meeting after the races. Consideration will be given to performances in the Merseyside (Saturday) League, the County Club championships and the Northerns. In the event of illness or injury prior performance will be considered if the selectors are informed before the race day. email: joe.e.green@btinternet.com

Year 7 event: In these races the first three teams of five runners from each district will receive team awards, as well as the first three individuals. Selection - the first fifteen girls and boys will be selected to represent Merseyside in the annual match against Cheshire on 19th March, at Ellesmere Port. Absentees deserving selection should be nominated with details of performances.

Please enter directly to Ronan Kearney: getronan@hotmail.com , giving name, school year, school name and county area. Although athletes may enter on the day it will assist the administration if the majority of names are received in advance.

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