



2023 CROSS COUNTRY

EVENT PROGRAM

TOCAL COLLEGE
FRIDAY
JUNE 9
2023



2023 HUNTER CROSS COUNTRY CARNIVAL

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPETITORS



FOOD & DRINK

• There will be a Food and drinks van available at the venue. These services are located within the spectator area at Tocal.



• Parking for the event will be in the designated events parking areas. There should be no parking on the roadside outside the college. This area will be patrolled by the Police and infringements are likely to be given to offending vehicles.



• Unlike previous years we will not be using timing chips. These proved cumbersome and required significant human resources to distribute them. This year students will be told their time as they cross the finish line and will be given a finish ticket. Students are then to present this ticket to the finish tent to receive a memento of their involvement in the Hunter Carnival. Students that finish in the top positions will also receive the paperwork required for them to register for the NSW Carnival at Eastern Creek in July.



• All competitors are encouraged to walk the course at the designated time. This will allow all students to become familiar with the course they are required to run and to clarify if need be the various turns that a student must complete to finish their event. Any competitor that runs the incorrect course for any reason will be disqualified. Maps of the courses run are included in this information package.



• No spectators are permitted past the fence line that separates the Tocal college with the track area.



• Hunter Apparel will be on sale at this event, cash and card will be accepted. The items that will be on sale are included in this information package.



• This year we will be also selling the Hunter running apparel at a separate uniform tent. All students are required to contest the state carnival in the approved uniform. On the day students may try on the running gear and then take it away with them. This will save significant time in processing orders and distributing to student athletes. This year we will be selling two different uniforms, previous style Hunter uniforms will be on sale at a reduced price. Students are permitted to run in either Hunter style uniform.



• All students who qualify for the State Carnival will receive a DASH 'ticket'. This ticket contains a unique code number that parents will need to input into the platform when registering your student for the state event. The platform allows you to order extra apparel and pay the nominated levy. Once registered your child will have all details recorded in the platform for future engagements with the representative sport pathway.



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• Presentation of Medals in all events will occur after each race



• As all para-athletes run 2000m, primary 8, 9, and 10 year para-athletes will compete in their age and gender race. Primary 11, 12 and 13 year old para-athletes will compete in the 10 years race with their respective genders.

• Each runner will be timed and the winners will be determined by a comparison against the standard time.

• All secondary multi class athletes (13 years to 18+ years) will compete in the 13 years race with their respective gender. Each runner will be timed and the winners will be determined by a comparison against the standard time.

HUNTER PRIMARY AND SECONDARY CROSS COUNTRY TRIALS

ORDER OF EVENTS - TOCAL COLLEGE – 9 JUNE 2023

No.	Time	Event	Distance
	8.15am	Primary Mangers Meeting	
	8.25am	Primary Registrations Open	
	8.45am	Primary walk of the course	
1	9.30am	8/9 boys	2000m
2	9.40am	8/9 girls	2000m
3	9.50am	10 boys	2000m
4	10.00am	10 girls	2000m
5	10.10am	11 boys	3000m
6	10.20am	11 girls	3000m
7	10.30am	12/13 boys	3000m
8	10.40am	12/13 girls	3000m
The 8/9/10 years multi class athletes will compete in their age and gender race. The 11/12/13 years multi class athletes will compete in the 10 years race with their respective gender			
	11.30am	Secondary Managers Meeting	
	11.40am	Secondary Registrations Open	
	12.00pm	Secondary walk of the course	
1	12.50pm	18 boys	8000m
2	1.00pm	18 girls	6000m
3	1.10pm	17 boys	6000m
4	1.20pm	16 boys	6000m
5	1.30pm	17 girls	4000m
6	1.40pm	16 girls	4000m
7	1.50pm	15 boys	4000m
8	2.00pm	15 girls	4000m
9	2.10pm	14 boys	4000m
10	2.20pm	14 girls	4000m
11	2.30pm	13 boys	3000m
12	2.40pm	13 girls	3000m
13	2.50pm	12 boys	3000m
14	3.00pm	12 girls	3000m
All Secondary multi class athletes (13 to 18+ years) will compete in the 13 years Secondary race with their respective gender.			

2023 Hunter Cross Country Officials 2023

Conveners:	Natalie Skelly	Hunter School of Performing Arts
	Deb Healey	Kurri Kurri PS
Starter:	Matthew Magann	Bolwarra PS
Announcer:	Bob Harrison	Hunter SSA
Marshals:	Rohan Freeburn	Coal Point PS
	Josh Morrison	King Street PS
Presentations:	Paul Tracey	Hunter SSA Patron
	Meg Isbester	Glendale East PS
Timekeepers:	Darren Croft	Arcadia Vale PS
	Carter Lovell	Hunter River HS
Judges:	Rebecca Dahle	Shoal Bay PS
	Lara Gordon	Dungog PS
Recorders:	Taryn Jacklin	Wingham Brush PS
	Jayne Thompson	Charlestown PS
Apparel:	Karyn Brooks	Merewether HS
	Kristy Frost	Coal Point PS
Uniform:	Rachel Stevens	Hunter SSA
	Emma Hopkins	Hunter SSA
Course Official 1:	Samantha Riddell	Callaghan Jesmond Campus
Course Official 2:	Danielle Davey	Bulahdelah CS
Course Official 3:	Peter McPherson	West Wallsend HS
Course Official 4:	Peta Toll	Maryland PS
Course Official 5:	Tom Germon	HSPA
Course Official 6:	Jacqueline Anstee	Muswellbrook HS
Course Official 7:	Elle Irwin	HSPA
Course Official 8:	Alison Lochrin	Merewether Heights PS
Course Official 9:	Laura Annis-Brown	Maitland HS
Course Official 10:	Kristel Smith	Hinton PS
Course Official 11:	Symon Thompson	Charlestown PS

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COURSE OFFICIALS

Starter	Organise competitors on start line and start each race ensuring a fair start opportunity for all competitors
Marshalls	Organise competitors behind indicated zone signs ensuring the correct number of competitors. Count total competitors in the event and pass on numbers to recording tent
Presentations	Conduct medal presentation to medallists in each event - take photo of each presentation
Timekeepers	Start stopwatch at the start of each event, call finish times for each competitor as they cross the line
Judges	Judge finishing positions of all competitors. Give each competitor a finishing ticket corresponding to their finish position. For finishing positions 1-6 (Primary) and 1-10 (Secondary) send students to recording tent to have result recorded and to pick up state paperwork. For students finishing outside of State placings give finishing momento. Send students 11 & 12 and 7 & 8 to recording table to have their details recorded as back up runners should a vacancy come up in an event
Recorders	Record finishing positions of State qualified runners, distribute state paperwork
Course Officials	Locate on allocated checkpoint. Support assist runners where needed. Please have mobile available to report to conveners any students needing mobile medical aid. Take a chair and snacks etc as you will be on the course for a few hours at a time. Please be in position well before the first scheduled event. Official on Checkpoint 11 will have additional duties which will be outlined by the convener at the start of the day.
General	Lunch will be provided on the day Bottled water will be available from the recording tent A Hunter wet weather jacket will be supplied as identifying apparel as well as an officials T shirt. Please provide your size to the Hunter Office prior to the event A relief day will be paid to your school for your absence

2023 Hunter Cross Country ZONE MANAGERS

SECONDARY

CITY	Hagen Starrett	Callaghan Wallsend
COALFIELDS	Blaise Edgerton	Maitland Grossmann HS
EASTLAKES	Erin Boake	Lake Munmorah HS
HUNTER SPORTS	Paul Davies	Hunter Sports HS
MANNING	Rohan Abbott	Taree HS
PORT STEPHENS	Jake Burnett	Hunter River HS
UPPER HUNTER	Nick Mulvihill	Singleton HS
WESTLAKES	Mitch Calder	Like Macquarie HS

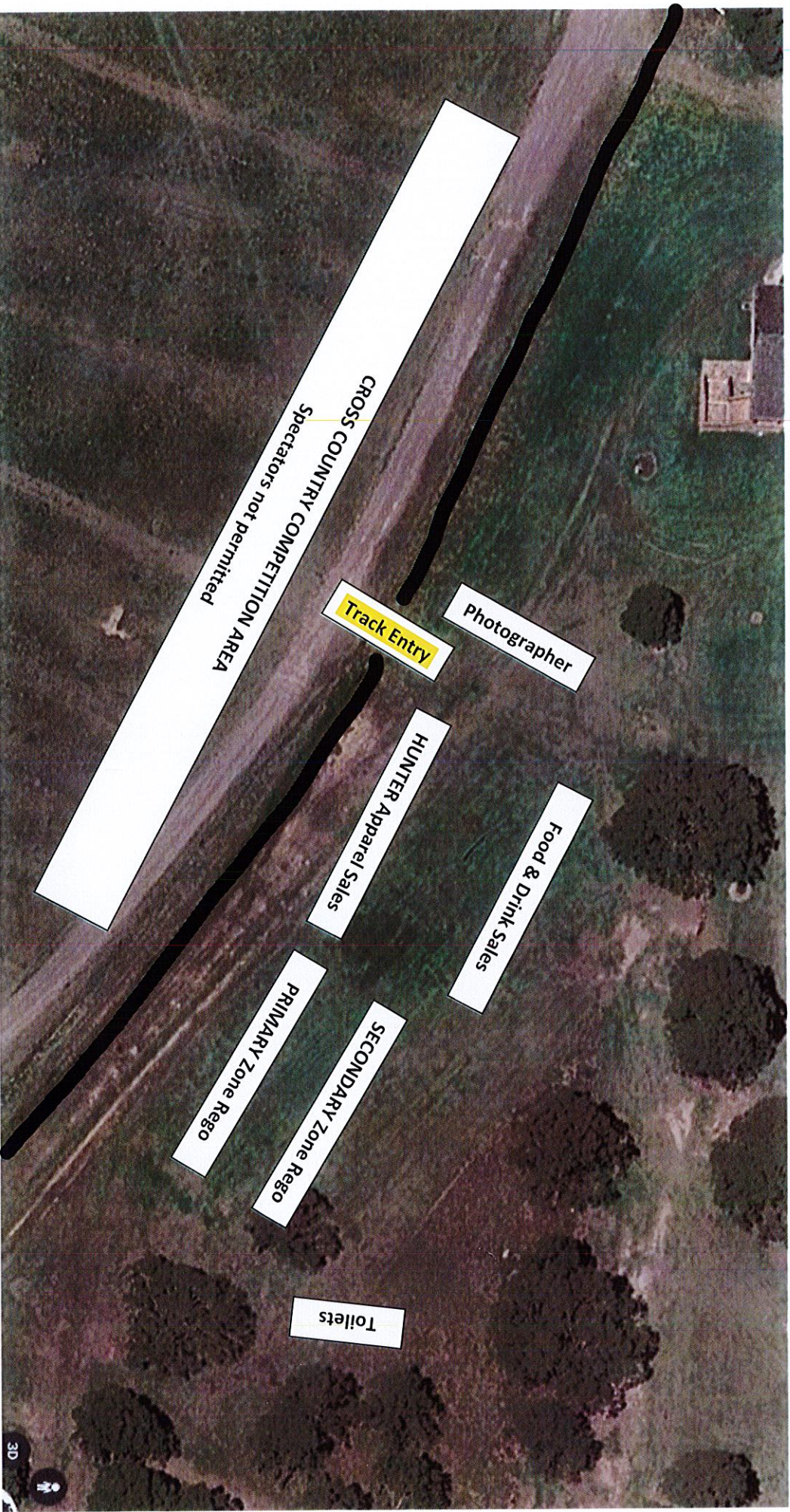
PRIMARY

CESSNOCK	Simone Smith	Laguna PS
CROSSROADS	Matt Jardine	Cardiff South PS
EASTLAKES	Kate Sullivan	Dudley PS
MAITLAND	Thomas Foster	Branxton PS
MANNING	Catherine McPherson	Tuncurry PS
NEWCASTLE CITY	Daniel Moore	Lambton PS
PORT STEPHENS	Linda Finch	Irrawang PS
UPPER HUNTER	Keira Power	Muswellbrook PS
WESTLAKES	Huw Griffiths	Coal Point PS

INSTRUCTIONS FOR TEAM MANAGERS

- General Timing chips ARE NOT BEING USED. Please mark your student on and off at the event.
- Zone areas will be set up in the spectator precinct. Zone signs will be supplied however Managers need to supply chairs/tables etc of required.
- Lunch will be provided on the day
- Bottled water will be available from the recording tent
- A relied day will be paid to your school for your absence
- All competitors are being charged \$7 a head. Please collect this money in cash off students and give to Bob Harrison on the day or the Hunter Association will bill individual zones after the event.
- Please be in attendance at the designated registration time to check students in.

SPECTATOR AREA INFORMATION



CAR PARKING – NO ON ROAD PARKING PERMITTED – all cars to be parked in the special event parking area of the College – please walk around the College buildings to get to the Cross Country track and spectator area.

Total Homestead

Total Homestead Driveway

8/9/10 2km

11/12 3km

4, 6, 8k Link

TOTAL CROSS COUNTRY COURSE

PRIMARY / SECONDARY

Hunter Carnival

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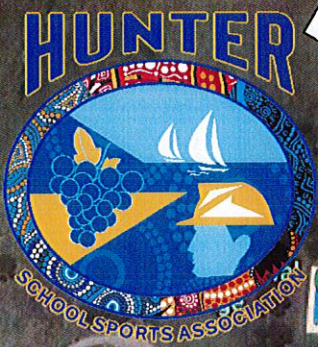
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START

FINISH

No spectators past black line



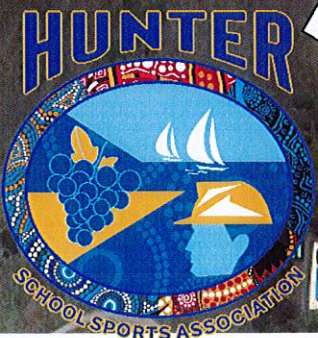
Total Homestead

Total Homestead Driveway

2km Course

4 - 6- 8km link

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PRIMARY / SECONDARY
Hunter Carnival**



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FINISH

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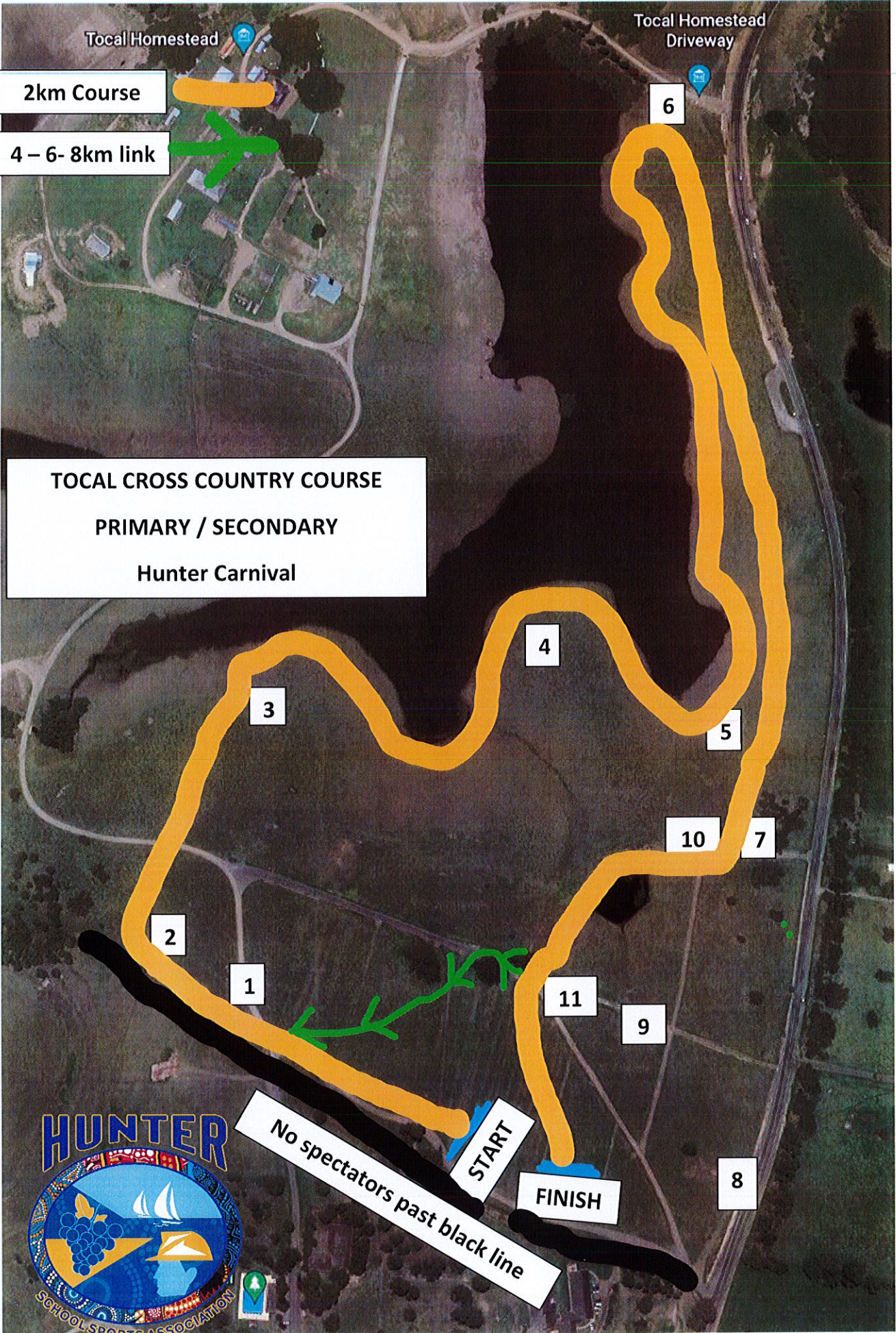
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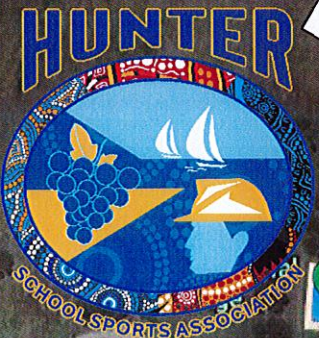
Total Homestead

Total Homestead Driveway

3km Course

4 - 6- 8km link

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PRIMARY / SECONDARY
Hunter Carnival



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No spectators past black line



HUNTER SSA BIG SALE

ON SALE AT THE CROSS COUNTRY CARNIVAL

All items are on sale throughout the Hunter Cross Country Carnival. All sizes available. Card and cash accepted.



\$20

\$50



SOUVENIR HOODIE

\$25



GYM TOWEL

\$20



DRILL CAP

\$40



BEACH TOWEL

\$10



WHITE/BLUE SOCKS

\$20



BUCKET HAT

SUPER SPECIALS

\$5

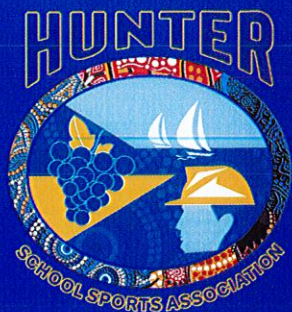
OLD STYLE
SPORTS SOCKS



SPORTS BAGS

\$20





Competition Apparel

All Hunter athletes are required to compete at the State Carnival in the approved running apparel. At this years Cross Country Carnival we will have our Hunter running apparel on sale at the venue. We are transitioning to a new design Cross Country and Athletics uniform which will be on sale to those students who qualify for state. We will also have a selection of our previous running uniforms for sale at a reduced price. Both versions of the running Uniform will be accepted at the State Carnival. See below!

NEW UNIFORM



PREVIOUS UNIFORM ON SALE





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Food

Sausage & Onion sandwich	\$5.00
Bacon and egg sandwich	\$5.00

Drinks

Powerade / Gatorade	\$5.00
Water	\$3.00
Cans	\$3.00

Lollies / cakes

Fizzers	50c
Freddo frog	\$1.00
Cakes, slices & Muffins	From \$2

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