10 March 2015

Dear Parents

House Cross Country Carnival

This year, students in Year 7 (who were born in 2003) will compete in the Primary House Cross Country Carnival if they are interested in representing Citipointe Christian College at the District, Christian Schools Association, and/ or the Inter Collegiate Schools Cross Country Carnivals. The Primary house cross country carnival will be one of the avenues whereby students compete for selection in the Primary (9-12 Year Olds) cross country team and students will be informed of their selection in the cross country training squad post carnival. The house carnival is being held on Thursday 12 March 2015 at the college athletics oval. The proposed schedule is outlined on the reverse of this letter.

The students will need to wear their full and correct sports uniform and are encouraged to show their support for their house team by wearing a “house” colours T-shirt. Listed below are the “house colours”.

- **Asher** – Red
- **Ephraim** – Yellow
- **Judah** – Green
- **Levi** – Blue

The college recommends that students pack an extra drink bottle in addition to their usual packed lunch. The school tuckshop will also be in operation as per normal, and students may purchase lunch through the tuckshop system if they would like to do so.

Due to the nature of the events scheduled, the provision of shade cover is limited. To maximise protection from the sun, please ensure that your child has his/ her hat and applies sunscreen at regular intervals throughout the day. Some seating will be available and it would assist us greatly if parents could also bring their own chairs.

We are anticipating a wonderful display of athleticism and would love to see as many parents, grandparents and friends as possible to add to the spirit of the carnival and the children’s enjoyment. If your child is interested in nominating to represent the college in cross country please complete the response form below and email me at jayp@brisbane.coc.edu.au

Yours sincerely

Jay Pearson
HEAD OF SPORT – PRIMARY

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**House Cross Country Carnival**

Please return to Mr Pearson by Wednesday 11 March 2015

Name: ___________________________________ Student’s Name: ___________________________________

Student’s Class: ____________________________

e-mail address: ____________________________________

Contact number: ____________________________
VENUE: Citipointe Christian College – Athletics Oval.

CARNIVAL PROGRAM:

Students arrive & assemble in house areas 8:50am
Welcome & Prayer by Mrs. Gravestein 9:00am
10 Year old Girls (BORN 2005) 2km Race 9:10am
10 Year old Boys (BORN 2005) 2km Race 9:11am
12 Year old Girls (BORN 2003) 3km Race 9:20am
12 Year old Boys (BORN 2003) 3km Race 9:21am
9 Year old Girls (BORN 2006) 1.5km Race 9:30am
9 Year old Boys (BORN 2006) 1.5km Race 9:31am
11 Year old Girls (BORN 2004) 3km Race 9:40am
11 Year old Boys (BORN 2004) 3km Race 9:41am
8 Year old Girls (BORN 2007) 1km Race 9:50am
8 Year old Boys (BORN 2007) 1km Race 9:51am
10 Year old Boys and Girls (BORN 2005) 1km Fun run 10:00am
11 Year old Boys and Girls (BORN 2004) 1km Fun run 10:00am
12 Year old Boys and Girls (BORN 2003) 1km Fun run 10:00am
8 Year old Boys and Girls (BORN 2007) 600m Fun run 10:05am
9 Year old Boys and Girls (BORN 2006) 600m Fun run 10:05am

Estimated time of last finisher 10:20am
Students assemble into class groups in house areas 10:35am
Awards and thanks 10:45am

AWARDS: Age Division Race Medallions will be awarded to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd placegetters. An Overall Points Trophy will be awarded to the winning house.

REPRESENTATIVE HONOURS: The top ten placegetters in each Age Division (eg. Girls born 2003) will be selected as part of the Primary Cross Country Squad. School representatives will be selected from the Squad to compete at the Mt Gravatt District (10-12 Year Olds, 27 April), Christian Schools (9-12 Year Olds, 4 May) and Inter Collegiate Schools (9-12 Year Olds, 21 May) Carnivals.