

34th SSAA PRIMARY SCHOOLS' ROAD RELAY CHAMPIONSHIPS 2021

DATE Saturday 18th September 2021

VENUE Grangemouth Stadium, Kersebank Avenue, Grangemouth

* NO ENTRY TO THE STADIUM WILL BE ALLOWED BEFORE 11 am *

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| <u>RACE TIMES</u> | Race 1 Primary Seven Girls | 12:30pm (Declarations by 12:00pm) |
| | Race 2 Primary Seven Boys | 1:00pm (Declarations by 12:30pm) |
| | Race 3 Primary Six Girls | 1:30pm (Declarations by 1:00pm) |
| | Race 4 Primary Six Boys | 2:00pm (Declarations by 1:30pm) |

Times are only approximate. Each Race will follow on from the completion of the previous one.

AWARDS AWARDS WILL BE MADE SOON AFTER EACH RACE
The first, second and third teams in each race will receive an SSAA medal. The winning team in each race will receive a trophy, to be kept for one year.

AGE GROUPS The event is only open to Primary School pupils in Primary Six and Primary Seven. No one in Primary Five or First Year of Secondary education is allowed to compete.

ENTRY CONDITIONS Each school may enter more than 1 team. If a school does not have enough boys or girls to make both a P6 and P7 team, then both age groups may be combined – in Races 1 and 2 (as in the SSAA Primary Schools' Cross-Country Championships).
Each team consists of **three** runners. Individual runners cannot be entered as this is a team event, but if very small schools cannot enter teams, then, in exceptional circumstances, they can amalgamate. Please telephone Convener – John Fleming before doing this. **At this stage, schools do not have to name the runners in their teams. They merely have to indicate which races and how many teams they are entering. The names of the competing runners, in running order, with dates of birth, must be submitted on the day of the Championships**, on the forms which will be returned to you on receipt of your online entry.

Entry must be made by 8th September 2021 using the entry form on our website.

COURSE The course, which is approximately one mile in length, is flat track/ash and is not suitable for spikes, which **MUST NOT** be worn. Each pupil will run a complete lap of the course, take over is by touch not baton. The course is open for inspection from 11am.

NUMBERS Numbers will be issued at the Declarations Table in a **SCHOOL ENVELOPE** and should be worn on the front of the vest. **Pupils should bring their own safety pins.**

* IDEALLY EACH SCHOOL TEAM SHEET SHOULD BE COMPLETED BEFORE THE APPROPRIATE ADULT IN CHARGE OF THE TEAM APPROACHES THE DECLARATION TABLE

CHANGING FACILITIES All competitors will be accommodated within the Stadium and entry will be through the large metal gate, situated to the left-hand side of the main door. To help avoid congestion, it might be best if athletes could arrive already changed

ENTRY FEES The Entry Fee is £20.00 per team. Please make cheques payable to the "Scottish Schools Athletics Association" or "SSAA", and send, with the form issued on confirmation to the Convener, John Fleming, **no later than 15th September 2021**, a week after the online closing date. On receipt of entry, each school will be sent a map of the course, final instructions and team declaration sheets. These declaration sheets must be complete in advance of arrival at the stadium.
BACS payments are acceptable, but the form should still be returned as above.
Sort Code : 30-25-83, Acc no. : 00422248, use School name as reference

ACCOMPANYING ADULT All schools must name the adult who is travelling with the team, in case of any emergency.

All schools must also name an adult who may be expected to help the SSAA officials in some small capacity on raceday. This can be the same person who is named as the accompanying adult.
No experience is necessary but we must have a name on the form (we cannot accept tbc or n/a on the form)

Unfortunately, in the current situation, we have to ask that a minimum number of adults and other younger children attend the event.

All adults will have to register on the day for Test and Protect