## PRIMARY SCHOOL RELAY NEWSLETTER 2019

Dear Sports Coordinator,

This year **King of the Mountain Festival** will be held on **Sunday 28 July 2019**. This very popular, family oriented weekend provides entertainment and activities for all age groups. As always, a highlight of Sunday's activities will be the **Year 5 and 6 Primary School Relays for girls and boys**, which will take place on the bitumen road surrounding **Stan Topper Park at 10am**.

We will have prize money and medallions for first, second and third place getters with a perpetual trophy for the winners.

We would like to invite your school to participate in this year's event. The relay is open to all primary school pupils in teams of 4 boys or 4 girls and smaller schools can combine to enter a team if they need to. Each lap around Stan Topper Park is about 700 metres and you are required to bring your own relay batons.

Sports Coordinators, please report to the information tent from 9.00am to collect team numbers. Students will be given the opportunity to be taken around the course area before the race begins. During this time warm ups are advisable. Primary School Relays starts at 10.00am sharp.

We would like all entry forms to be in by **14 June 2019**, please email or post your entry forms with cheque and/or proof of deposit (see below details for email address/postal address)

Late entries will be accepted by phone only up to Friday 26 July 2019. Late entries will incur a \$2 late fee. Please note no late entries accepted on the day of the race.

Entry forms can be downloaded from the website <u>www.kingofthemountain.com.au</u>. It is quite acceptable for team member's to each sign a separate form.

Immediately following the relay presentation at 11.30am teams can participate in the Tug-o-war competition, which is a great fun event. Teams consisting of 4 boys and 4 girls (8 in a team) compete in a knockout competition for an eventual winner. **No entry fee**. All tug-o-war team members must have run in the School Relay Event.

I look forward to your entry and if you have any queries, please feel free to contact me on 0415 289 052 or email bpbyr1@eq.edu.au.

Regards **Ben Byrne Race Coordinator**