



27 May 2021

Dear Parents/Guardians

Congratulations on your son's selection as a member of Villanova's 2021 Cross-Country Team, which will compete at the annual AIC Championships on Wednesday 2 June at Curlew Park, Sandgate. Due to privacy laws, we cannot publish the full team list on the College website. However, the full team list including all reserves will be posted in the same online folder where rugby and football teams lists are located. A link to this folder will be emailed to all parents again this week.

A bus will transport all runners and reserves to and from Curlew Park on the day of the Championships. Students may attend school wearing their cross-country uniform. All runners and reserves are to arrive at the College by 7.30am and meet in the quadrangle for a team photo, which will be taken at 7.45am sharp. Departure for Curlew Park will be at 8.15am sharp.

It is imperative that all Villanova College runners look like a team, therefore we expect all runners to wear the following uniform on the day of the Championships and for the team photo.

### Villanova College Cross Country Uniform

- Villanova white running shorts
- Villanova athletics singlet
- Villanova squad shirt (if the squad shirt is not currently stocked in the Villanova College Uniform Shop, please wear the PE shirt)
- Villanova sports jacket (optional but highly recommended)

### AIC Cross Country Program - 2021

VENUE: Curlew Park, Curlew Street, Sandgate

DATE: Wednesday 2 June 2021

EVENTS:	10.15am	Year 5	2km
	10.30am	Year 6	3km
	10.50am	12 Years	3km
	11.10am	13 Years	3km
	11.30am	14 Years	4km
	12.00pm	15 Years	4km
	12.30pm	16 Years	6km
	1.00pm	Open	6km

PRESENTATION: 1.45pm - 2.00pm

### Important Timings

- Team Photo (quadrangle) – 7.45am
- Bus departs for Curlew Park – 8.15am



- Bus Departs Curlew Park – 2.00/15pm
- Bus arrives back at Villanova College – 2.45/3.00pm

The bus will depart from Curlew Park after presentations at approx. 2.00/15pm and should return to the College by no later than 3.00pm. This event is open to unlimited spectators. While we encourage parents and other spectators to attend the carnival, it is a requirement that all athletes catch the bus as a team to the venue. Parents may drive their son/s home after the presentations.

I wish our entire squad the very best in the lead up to the Championships and on the day itself. I hope the boys enjoy the experience of representing their College. Please be assured that the entire College community is behind the team and wishes them all the best.

Yours sincerely

Craig Stariha  
**Director of Sport**

