



PToCH Junior Club Newsletter

March 2025

After many hours of planning, grant applications, fundraising and work our new 'Buzz Jones' track has been opened. We are thrilled and very proud of the facility we now have and look forward to making the most of it. Our first event on the track will be the club champs and the next track season will be bigger and better. Best wishes to all the secondary school athletes competing over the next month—although you will be in different uniforms we will be cheering you on. For those keen Cross County runners the club will provide information about training and the first races of the season in a few weeks.

Sarah & Natalie



Club Champs Sunday 9 March

Everybody is welcome to join us on Waitangi Day for our Club Champs. The program starts at 10.00 and we aim to finish by 3 pm. There are trophies to be awarded at the end of the season for the boy and girl in each age group (5–14) who gain the most points across the champs. A highlight every year are the parents throwing events during the lunch break with the kids taking on the official roles. Start warming up those muscles!

Club Prizegiving Friday 8 March

5.30–7pm at the Clubrooms

Come along and celebrate the end of the season. All athletes will be recognised for their performances on club nights along with celebrating our Season Points and Club Champs winners. We will finish by awarding Club Record medals and Excellence Trophies.

Stay for a slice of pizza and drink afterwards. RSVP to Sarah for catering purposes.

Important Dates

9 Mar	Club Champs
18 Mar	Canty Sec Schools
21 Mar	Canty Schools Finals
28 Mar	Club Prizegiving
5/6 Apr	Sth Island Sec Schools

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Canterbury Championships 1/2 March

A huge congratulations to all the athletes who competed in the season finale at NPW. There were numerous personal bests, new club records and new Canterbury Champions. To finish a brilliant weekend off Papanui Toc H won all of the major club trophies—a feat not achieved for many years. Due to the efforts of all of the athletes PTOC won the Champs Relay trophy, the Best Overall Club at Champs and the club to win the most points at Colgate Games. Trophies don't make a great club but it is nice to have some silverware!

