**Bishop Smith Invitational**

**Feeder School Cross Country Meet**

**2025**

**Location:** Riverside Park

961 Pembroke St W.

Pembroke, ON

**Host School:** Bishop Smith CHS

**Date:** Friday, September 26, 2025

**Coaches:**

Again this year Bishop Smith CHS will be hosting our annual feeder school cross country running meet at Riverside Park on Friday, September 26, 2025.

Andrew Kraftchick is setting up this year’s registration through Trackie (this is the same format that we and the RCEIAA convenors use for the Track & Field meets in the spring). I will forward the link to you once Andrew has it set up. If you any questions or issues with the Registration process, please contact Andrew ([andrew.kraftchick@rccdsb.ca](mailto:andrew.kraftchick@rccdsb.ca)). All meet registrations will be due on Monday, September 22 by 4:00 p.m. We would like to avoid last minute changes to names and divisions on the day of the meet.

I have also attached a list of race day ideas for coaches and athletes to ensure we have a safe and successful day on September 26th. Please review relevant points with your runners. We will review most of these at a brief meeting on race day just before the first run.

Individual awards (medals) will be given out as the top three runners cross the finish line, where they will be escorted to the podium and pictures taken. We will attach these pictures to the results that will be forwarded to you after the meet. Team awards (ribbons), once they are posted, can be picked up by coaches at the awards table set up near the finish line.

We look forward to seeing you and your teams on September 26th at Riverside in Pembroke. Enjoy the start of another school year. Should you require any further information, please contact me ([susan.cotnam@rccdsb.ca](mailto:susan.cotnam@rccdsb.ca)) or Andrew Kraftchick if you have any entry questions.

Regards,

Sue Cotnam, Andrew Kraftchick & Matt O’Connor