The John Landy Club

Founded in 1976, the John Landy Club was established primarily to ensure regular and continued contact between the School's former athletes and to keep them informed of the School's endeavours and developments in the field of Athletics.

The Club's patron is John Landy AC CVO MBE (M'48). After leaving Geelong Grammar School, he became a renowned middle distance runner breaking a number of world records and winning numerous international titles during the 1950s. In Helsinki in 1954, he became the second person in history to break the 4 minute mile, in the world record time of 3:58. In 1956, in the 1500 metres final of the Australian National Championships, Ron Clarke fell after another runner clipped his heel. In a remarkable display of sportsmanship, John doubled back to help Clarke to his feet and in the final two laps made up lost ground to win the race. John went on to win bronze in the 1500 metres at the Melbourne Olympics. From 2001 to 2006, John was Governor of Victoria.

The general aims, role and purpose of The John Landy Club are:

- To foster, encourage and develop athletics throughout the school.
- To assist in the purchase of equipment and facilities.
- To assist in all aspects of coaching.

John Landy Club provides the Landy Squad with massage sessions throughout the season and training tops and shorts. We communicate with our members via eNewsletters distributed throughout the season. A highlight of the season is the Whole School Athletics Day in September - a great event for the whole school community.

Application for Membership

Name(s): _____ _____
PLEASE USE BLOCK LETTERS *First Name(s)* *Last Name*

☐ Current Parent ☐ Past Parent ☐ Grandparent ☐ OGG ☐ Staff ☐ Past Staff ☐ Other _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Item Description	Qty	Unit Price	Ext. Price
Life membership of the Landy Club (includes 1 item of merchandise) ☐ Tie ☐ Visor		$ 100.00	$
Additional merchandise ☐ Visor		$ 30.00	$
Additional Donation		Donation	$
		TOTAL	$

Payment: I enclose a cheque payable to *Geelong Grammar School* ☐ or please charge my ☐ Mastercard ☐ Visa

Card Number: _____/_____/_____/_____ Expiry Date: _____/_____

Card Holder Name: _____ Signature: _____
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