



T.M.A Weekly News

22ND JUNE 2017

WEEKLY QUOTE:

“The greater the obstacle, the more glory in overcoming it”.
Moliere

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO TMA FINANCIAL MEMBERS WHO ARE CELEBRATING THIS WEEK:

Julie Pace
23rd
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Judy Jago
25th
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Stuart Jessup
26th
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Mandy Giblin
27th
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Peter Vocke
27th
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Angela Grimmond
28th
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Tony McIntyre
28th
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Shaun O'Regan
28th
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UPCOMING EVENTS

South:

- Saturday 24th June—AS Bagdad Cross Country 4km & 8km, Bagdad, 10am
- Saturday 1st July—AS Hobart College Cross Country 4.5km & 9km, Mt Nelson, 10am

North:

- Sunday 2nd July—Gut Buster, 10km/5km

TMA ROAD CHAMPIONSHIPS—AMENDED RESULTS

Amended results for the TMA Road Championships are attached. Once again the “gremlins” have affected these results and the awarding of the Westcott Shield. We inadvertently deducted 9 years from the age category for Esther Zbinden. She should be W55 not W46 as in the original published results. As a result the Westcott Shield for the best age-graded result goes to Esther with 85.18%. Congratulations to Esther, thank you also to those who brought this to our attention and apologies to those impacted by the change. Fortunately the medallions awarded on the day were correct.

HAVE YOU ENTERED THE STATE CROSS COUNTRY YET ? – JUST OVER 2 WEEKS TO GO !

The TMA Cross Country Championships will be held in conjunction with the AT Championships on Saturday, 8 July 2017 at the Symmons Plains Raceway. The event schedule is:

- 11.30am M60 + & W60 + 6km; 12pm M50-59 & W50-59 8km; 1pm M30-49 & W30-49 10km.

There is no entry fee for TMA financial members who only wish to enter the TMA Championships. Members of TMA who are also registered with Athletics Tasmania will be considered as entered in both the TMA and AT Championships upon payment of the AT entry fee of \$11.00. Entries may only be made through the entry portal on the Athletics Tasmania website. The entry portal is <https://2017tasxc2.eventdesq.com/>

AT will also conduct club team championships in each of the age groups – Open / 40+ / 50+ / 60+. A large number of TMA members will compete for their “other” club – Northern Suburbs, Sandy Bay, etc. in the AT Championships. Nevertheless, we encourage TMA members who are not aligned to another club to enter the AT Championship to help create the possibility of TMA teams competing for medals in the previously mentioned age groups. (TMA members in this category are: Lynne Andrews, Sheila Barrett, Peter Barrett, Darren Brown, Ian Cole, Peter Cornish, Gary Cuthbert, Bonnie Davies, Carolyn Davis, Gayle Fisher, Ron Foster, Kim Gabriel, Andrew Gates, Suzie Gaynor, Angela Green, Jacqui Guy, David Hancock, Philip Hand, Alvin Johns, Kerry Johnstone, Tracey Keating, Mark Kingsley, Andrew Law, Elizabeth Leitch, Paul Leitch, Cheryl Longey, Lynne Lyden, Peter Lyden, Scott MacDonald, Tony McIntyre, David Moore, Brent Nutting, John O’Keeffe, John Paton, Bob Robertson, Beth Schiwiy, Valerie Smith, Catherine Stringer, Mike Walker, Robyn Wallace, Robert Weldon, Paul Williams, William Yee, Esther Zbinden.)

AT’s Open age group for masters athletes is in the range 30yo to 49yo. These athletes should enter the open events and will automatically be included in the supplementary over 40yo to 49yo age group.

TMA will award medals to the first 3 placegetters in each 5 year age group commencing with 30yo’s. All competitors must wear the uniform of the club for which they are AT registered.

Entries close at 5.00pm on Thursday, 6 July 2017. Late entries will be accepted at the supplementary late entry cost of \$20 (inc GST) per athlete. On the day entries close 30 minutes prior to event start.

Any member requiring clarification of any of the items above please contact – Mike Walker – mikewalker.tma@gmail.com



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2017 TASMANIAN ROAD RUNNING CHAMPIONSHIPS

Congratulations to all our TMA athletes who competed in the above Championships, held in conjunction with the Launceston Running Festival on Sunday 18 June. Provisional results are attached. It is hoped to have a list of TMA competitors with their age graded percentages available soon.

OCEANIA MASTERS TRACK AND FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS

The championships will be held from 20th-27th January 2018 in Dunedin, NZ. Roy Cruze from Online Sports Tours is offering accommodation at a nearby University plus a tour after the Championships. See the attached flyer for further information.

PICNIC AFTER BAGDAD CROSS COUNTRY

Northern Suburbs Athletics Club are having a picnic following the AS interclub cross country event at Bagdad this Saturday, and have invited TMA members to join them. BYO food and drink and celebrate the days getting longer (just!) with some good company in the fresh country air.

If you have not yet been to Bagdad for cross country, click on the following link to find the location <https://goo.gl/maps/mYtk8j1Gf7n>

ATHLETICS SOUTH ATHLETE OF THE SEASON

Congratulations to Fiona Lennon and Bevan Harman, who were recently awarded the Athletics South 0/35 female and male athlete of the season. A great effort from both these TMA members.

TMA FUN RUN—CREMORNE

Please note that the TMA fun run at Cremorne scheduled for this Sunday (25th June) and advertised in the last Footnotes Newsletter will not be held this weekend. Members will be notified if the run is rescheduled.