



ANNUAL REPORT

2023 - 2024

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Notice of 2023-2024 AGM and Award Presentations

**SUNDAY 26TH MAY | 4-6PM
34-36 Normandy Crescent, Ocean Grove**

The Club's Annual General Meeting will commence at 4pm, followed by Award Presentations starting at approx. 5pm. Drinks/Nibbles will be provided.

AGENDA

Welcome

Present & Apologies
Previous Minutes
President's Report
Treasurers Report
Secretary Report
Election of Committee
General Business



CLUB COMMITTEE

President

Matthew Payne

Vice President

Anthony Bradford

Treasurer

Chris Unthank

Secretary/Registrar

Vacant

Social Media/Marketing

Amanda Unthank

Team/Relay Manager

Jacinta Burns

Donna Braden

Roster Coordinator

Andrew Semmens

Matthew Payne

GA Delegates

Joanne Lambert

Nick Foley

Matthew Payne



PRESIDENT REPORT

Matt Payne

It was yet another hugely enjoyable and successful season for Bellarine Track & Field Athletics Club.

Many of our U18 male guns 'flew the coop', but we were joined this season by a number of new male and female Junior athletes which re-energised the club.

We have successfully rebranded - with a strong social media presence, made the 50 members mark again, competed with pride in Division 3 at AVSL and some of our members went on to compete at the highest level across the country.

We enjoyed pizza at the track, and tried to arm all our driving members with a car sticker to 'spread the word' along the Bellarine Highway - to the danger zone of Landy Field.

We also suffered a number of significant injuries to some of our athletes, which is so sad for athlete and club. We hope you are all fit and raring to go next season.

Bellarine Athletes: Evie Lewry (U16F Middle Distance), Suzanna Mavromihalis (Womens Open Middle Distance) and Joshua Unthank (Mens Open Middle Distance) were all individually awarded at GAC Awards. It would suggest we have a very strong mixed middle distance relay team there!

Bellarine Athletics Club also took out the following Age Group Awards as the GAC.

U18 - BILL WOOD TROPHY

Bellarine	45,042
Chilwell	40,406
Athletics South West	28,626
Geelong Guild	28,157
Corio	21,348
Deakin	452

60+ - IAN TREZISE SHIELD

Bellarine	17,520
Geelong Guild	16,260
Corio	15,089
Athletics South West	8,529
Chilwell	8,278
Deakin	331

40+ - MARGARET SAUNDERS TROPHY

Bellarine	11,806
Geelong Guild	1,378
Athletics South West	1,233

I'd also like to recognise all those members that competed at State and National level this season, and particularly the following members for their Top 8 finish at Nationals or Victorian GOLD:

Nationals

- Sam McIntosh 3rd Mens Open 100m WC (+VIC GOLD – off to paralympics)
- Noah Burns 3rd U20M PV.
- Lachie Burns 4th Mens Open PV (+VIC GOLD).
- Suzanna Mavromihalis 5th U18F 3000m, 7th U18F 1500m (+VIC GOLD 3000m).
- Joshua Unthank 5th U18M 1500m.
- Miller Smith 5th U17M 400mH.
- David Palmer 10,000m (M45) (Australian Masters GOLD)

State

- Eliesha Byrt Female AMB Jav (VIC GOLD)
- Jacinta Burns F55 PV (AV Masters GOLD)

I personally love the relay events, and encourage as many of you as possible to enter relay events at AVSL. We had gold medal success at Vic Countries:

Female 40 4x100m (Donna L Braden, Georgina Mervin, Cathryn Hoare, Jacinta Burns) 62.24 (1st)

4x400m (Jacinta Burns, Cathryn Hoare, Donna L Braden, Georgina Mervin) 5:16.57 (1st)

My favourite result of the season though was this one:

Female 18 4x800m (Charlotte Wilson, Sarah Hunt, Suzanna Mavromihalis, Evie Lewry) 10:12.26 (5th)

Acknowledgements

I would like to acknowledge and thank all our Committee members for their input during the 23/24 Season, but particularly Amanda Unthank for our quite incredible social media presence, and the professionalism she has brought to our club.

She has created our additional platform Facebook, an Instagram presence, kept our website up to date, created content for our pages.

However, she has also responded to member enquires through the REVSport platform, and updated our handbook and associated policy documents. We are really looking for a Secretary to administer members enquiries – so that Amanda can enjoy the fruits of her labour next season in her social media space.

You have all been Club Helpers during the season which is all part of club life. Thankyou all for volunteering your time. A Roster Co-ordinator is again sought for next season.

We thank Joanne Lambert and Michelle Murrant who officiated on behalf of Bellarine Athletics throughout the AVSL season.

I would also like to thank all of our club sponsors:

- Ausland Landscaping
- Barwon Heads Community Bank
- Barwon Heads IGA
- Beyond Ocean Grove
- Home Timber & Hardware Ocean Grove
- InterSport DeGrandi
- Michael Higgins Building Design
- Mr Grubb Oakdene
- MyPod Podiatry
- Ocean Grove Dental Clinic
- Ocean Grove Golf Club
- Planning Matters
- The Driftwood Cafe
- Wynndean Caravan Park

We were succesful in obtaining an additonal 2 sporting grants over the season, and the club also contributed to 2 new poles for pole vaulting at Geelong Athletics Centre.

After 5+ years on the Committee I will be stepping down this year. I've thoroughly enjoyed the opportunity to be part of such a great community club.

Matt Payne
President

Division 3						
1		Geelong Guild	361,271	130	POWERPLAY	AP
2		Knox	202,082	98	POWERPLAY	AP
3		Preston	190,322	81	POWERPLAY	
4		Ringwood	181,710	76	POWERPLAY	
5		Bellarine	168,543	67	POWERPLAY	
6		Casey Cardinia	168,528	65	POWERPLAY	
7		Yarra Ranges	166,590	63	POWERPLAY	
▲ 8		Waverley-Malvern	160,529	58	POWERPLAY	
▼ 9		Corio	155,291	55	POWERPLAY	AR
10		Sandringham	139,041	45	POWERPLAY	AR

SECRETARY REPORT

Matt Payne | Amanda Unthank

With the Secretary role vacant this year, the report was prepared by Matt Payne and Amanda Unthank. Throughout the year the Secretary duties have been divided with Matt handling various issues with AV and GAC, governing requirements, duty roster and AGM Awards, while Amanda managed administration, registrations and uniform duties.

We are actively seeking individuals interested in becoming the Secretary as well as a Duty Roster Coordinator for the 2024-2025 season. This will help alleviate pressure on other committee members and distribute the workload effectively.

Governance

The club recently completed an Insurance Renewal Questionnaire and submitted it to AV to ensure the club has the appropriate Public Liability Insurance cover.

Additionally, the lodgment of the Club's Annual Statement with Consumer Affairs for last year was lodged.

Registrations

Whilst registrations are now all online via REV Sport there have been a number of issues that members and new members have still required assistance with.





The re-instatement of Registrar duties for the Secretary, or appointment of a Club Registrar to respond to members and membership enquiries should be considered for next season.

Rollover for 24-25 has been completed and our club fees remain at \$30 for Adults and \$15 for Juniors. There has been a slight increase in AV base and package fees with these fees available on the AV website. We are now taking registrations for 2024-25 and for those participating in Cross Country.

Uniforms

The new uniforms were designed, approved, produced and distributed in time for the commencement of the 23-24 season.

Members now have one more year for transition across to the newly branded uniforms. We still have some stock remaining on hand however it is likely that we will need to re-order some more stock.

Members are encouraged to order from the remaining stock or place a pre-order via the online shop so that we can fulfill orders for the start of the track season.

Administration

Our Members Handbook, club documents, policies and templates have all been given an update and refresh in line with our new branding.

Our documents & policies can be found on the clubs REV Sport website.

Duty Roster

A big thank you to everyone who helped out this year with duties.

Our officials quota for the year was revised from 6 in the initial stages of the season down to 4. Thanks to Joanne Lambert and Michelle Murrant who filled 2 officials duties each week.

A spreadsheet and weekly email were implemented this season to help fill our duty spots. Mostly members opted to respond directly via email or text with their availability.

Despite these efforts and a revised quota we were often still chasing helpers to fill spots past the GA deadline of Wednesday. This meant that members were required to pitch in on the day to fill the vacant spots.

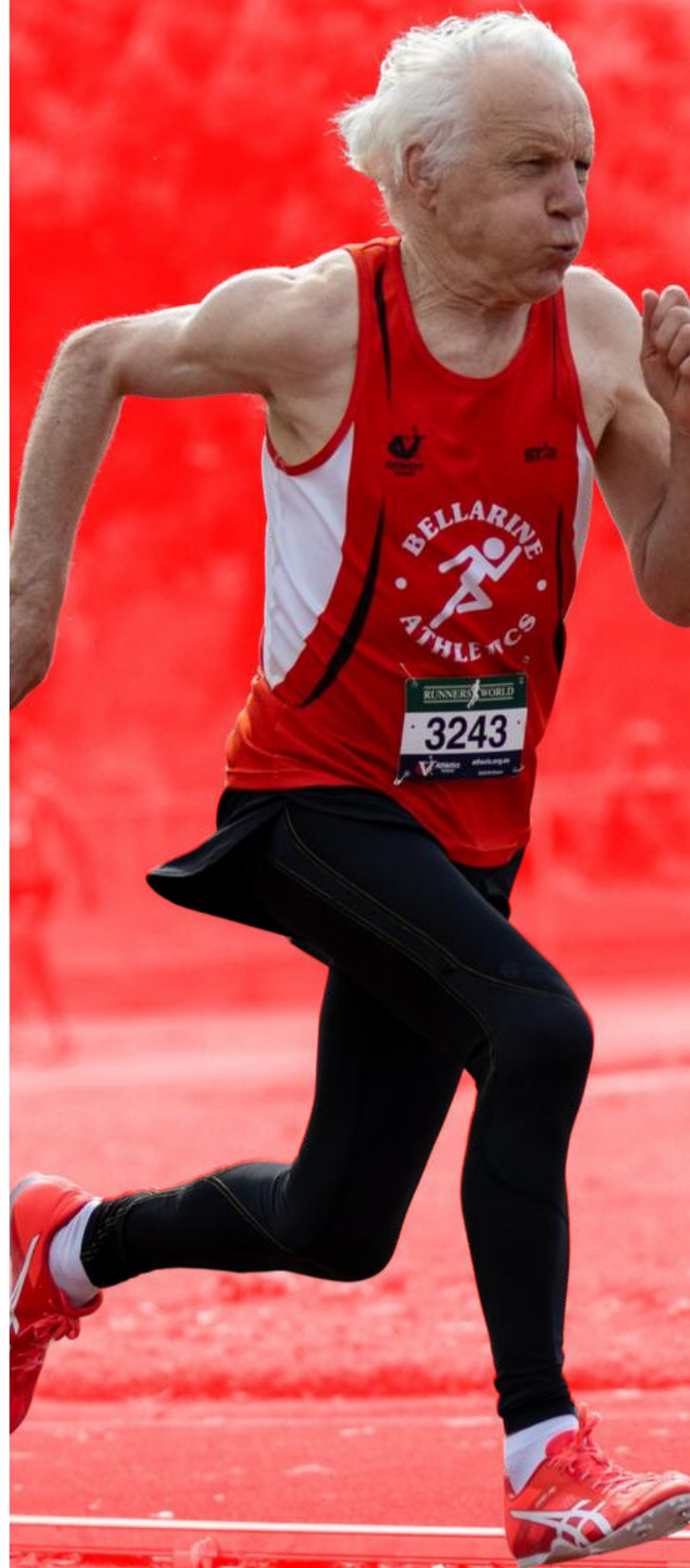
Our new Duty Roster Coordinator will need to consider how to administer this best moving forward.



Matt Payne



Amanda Unthank



TREASURER REPORT

Chris Unthank

The club experienced a slight decline in membership numbers compared to last year, an increase in complimentary memberships, and our primary growth came from junior members. Consequently, there was a decrease in membership revenue for this season.

Thanks to Matt Payne, we secured \$2,700 in sponsorship, surpassing last year's \$1,000. However, our funding options were limited this year as previous grants had been secured. We managed to obtain a \$150 AV grant for banners purchased last year.

Despite significant expenses including \$1,900 for Pole Vault Poles, \$1,126 for new uniforms and \$1,300 for AV Registrations with both 23-24 and 24-25 paid during the reported period, we were able to manage costs due to a healthy bank balance of \$7,113 at the end of the previous season.

Our equipment is currently valued at \$262 (after 20% depreciation). We have not included the Pole Vault poles purchased and issued to GPC in this equipment evaluation. Our uniform stocks are valued at \$612 and the Club currently has no liabilities.

These factors resulted in an overall loss (before depreciation and decrease in stock) of \$1,669.74, yet the club's bank balance remains strong at \$5,443.92.

From 1 July, ABN registered non-charitable NFPs need to lodge an annual NFP self-review return confirming income tax exemption status. This will require us to lodge a return with statement of purpose to the ATO each year to be endorsed to be income tax exempt.



Chris Unthank
Treasurer

Cash Flow Statement

Opening Balance in Bendigo Bank BSB:633-000 Account 186284550 as at 1 May 2023	\$	7,113.66
Plus Revenue	\$	4,400.54
Less Expenditure	\$	6,070.28
Balance as at 30 April 2024	\$	5,443.92
Operating Loss	\$	1,669.74

Balance Sheet

Current Assets		
Cash	\$	5,443.92
Merchandise (Uniform Stock)	\$	611.89
Fixed Assets		
Equipment	\$	-
Liabilities	\$	-
Net Assets	\$	6,055.81

1 May 2023 to 30 April 2024

Profit & Loss Statement

	2023-2024 Current Year	2022-2023 Prior Year
Revenue		
Bank interest	\$0.54	\$0.50
Donations	-	\$0.00
Grants	\$150.00	\$2,335.00
Membership Registration	\$645.00	\$1,035.00
Sponsorship	\$2,700.00	\$1,000.00
Uniform & Apparel Sales - Online Shop	\$605.00	\$0.00
Uniform & Apparel Sales - Direct	\$300.00	\$365.00
Total Revenue	\$4,400.54	\$4,735.50
Expenses		
AV Club Registration	\$1,300.00	\$0.00
AGM & Award Night	\$221.98	\$0.00
Administration/Annual Statement	\$61.20	\$60.10
Bank Fees	\$2.00	\$0.00
Equipment - Pole Vault Poles	\$1,900.00	\$0.00
IT/Website	\$131.31	\$0.00
Miscellaneous	\$0.00	\$0.00
Promotion/Sponsorship Expenses	\$114.00	\$273.60
Reimbursements	\$0.00	\$0.00
Relay Entries	\$150.00	\$45.30
Social Functions/Pizza & Drinks	\$101.00	\$373.20
Trophies/Presentations/Photos	\$868.25	\$282.40
Uniforms & Apparel	\$1,220.54	\$1,126.05
Total Expenses	\$6,070.28	\$2,160.65
Net Profit (Loss)	-\$1,669.74	\$2,574.85

MEMBERSHIP & SALES

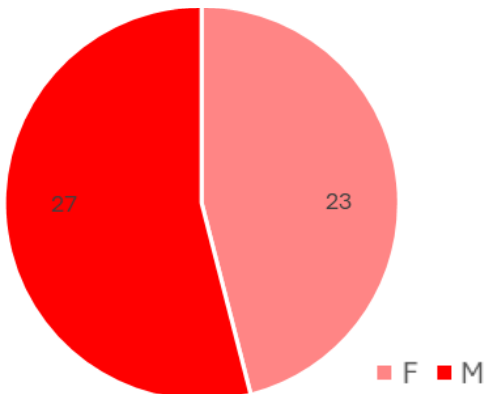
Although we didn't quite meet our membership high of 55 from last season we still reached a total of 50 members this year and are looking to continue to grow over the coming years. Of our total of 50 members 42 were competing members.

Whilst we lost some of our Junior U18 & U20 members from last season we gained a number of new members this year including a strong contingent of U16 & U18 females.

We welcomed the following new members in 2023-24:

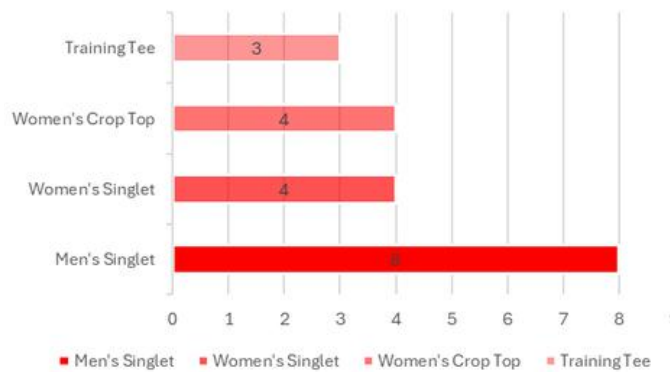
- Angus Borschmann
- Eliesha Byrt
- Sarah Hunt
- Evie Lewry
- Suzanna Mavromihalis
- Scarlet Nicholls
- Navid Rashid
- Heath Tatlock
- Flynn Wiffen
- Charlotte Wilson

50 Members 2023-24



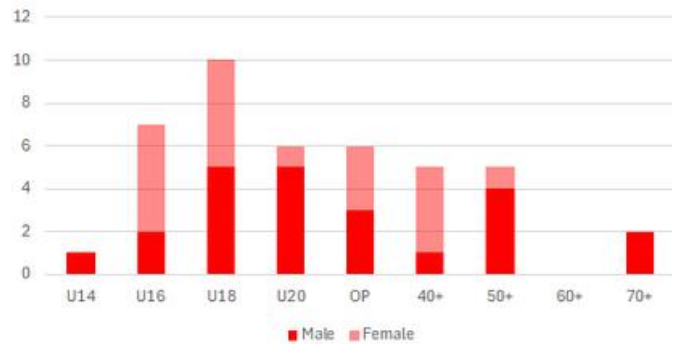
Online Sales of uniforms were introduced this year via REV Sport. This allows us to easily manage and track our stock. A total of 19 apparel sales were made this season.

Online Shop Sales

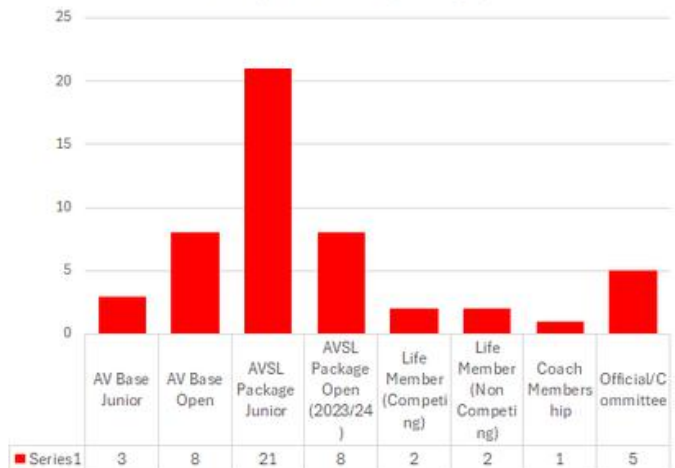


Membership Statistics

Competing Members by Age Group



Members by Membership Category







SOCIAL MEDIA & COMMUNICATIONS

Amanda Unthank

After completing the club branding last year we continued to enhance our documents and online presence to align with our new brand and prepare for the upcoming season.

Websites

The Weebly and REV Sport websites were refreshed with updated information and content relating to the 23-24 season. Due to securing several new sponsors, we needed to incorporate sponsor logos, details on the sponsor page, and links into our websites and email footers.

Refreshed artwork was implemented for the new season and some additional pages were added to our REV Sport site such as Club History, Sponsors, Documents & Policies & Awards. Our Facebook feed was also added to the site. Some further work on our Achievements Page is required over the coming year which should finalise the REV Sport site layout.

We have acquired extra storage space for the REV Sport Site to accommodate the growth of our photo gallery. This gallery features photos from every AVSL Round (where available) and various Championships galleries. A big thank you to Neal Conder (Ehn Sea Photography) for his fantastic photography which we have used throughout the year.

News about the club was shared on the REV Sport site, including posts for each round of AVSL. Details about upcoming events and competitions were regularly updated.

We obtained a domain name to link it to the REV Sport site, enabling us to use our hello@bellarineaths.au email instead of Gmail. Once the domain is connected to REV Sport, it can serve as our primary site rather than just a members' site. It is worth evaluating if we should maintain the Weebly site going forward.

Communications

This year, a seasonal welcome and new member email were introduced alongside the automated registration email. Matt sent out a weekly roster email before AVSL every week.

Enquiries have been arriving at both hello@bellarineaths.au and bellarineaths@gmail.com. To simplify things, for season 2024-25 hello@bellarineaths.au will be promoted as the main email address. This adjustment will enhance our ability to monitor and document our email communications effectively moving forward.

Our Members Handbook has been rebranded and revised with details for the upcoming 24-25 season, which will be finalised post the AGM. Additionally, a membership promotion pack will be compiled during the off-season to serve as a resource for responding to email and messenger enquiries.

Social Media

Facebook

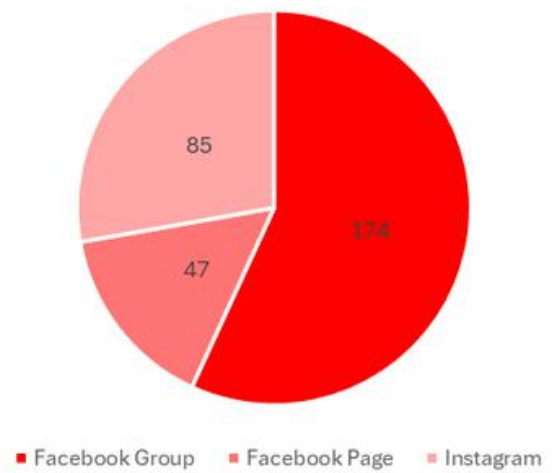
The Bellarine Athletics Official Page was established, while the Bellarine Athletics Facebook Group was set to private, tailored with content exclusively for members. Members who post in the group are required to wait for approval before their post is shared. Although some posts were shared across different platforms and pages this year, not all posts were shared on all platforms, depending on the content type. Throughout the season, the AVSL and Championship results were shared on both pages. To add value, we have initiated a Sponsor Spotlight showcasing four sponsors on the Facebook Group Page, with plans to feature more in the upcoming months.

Instagram

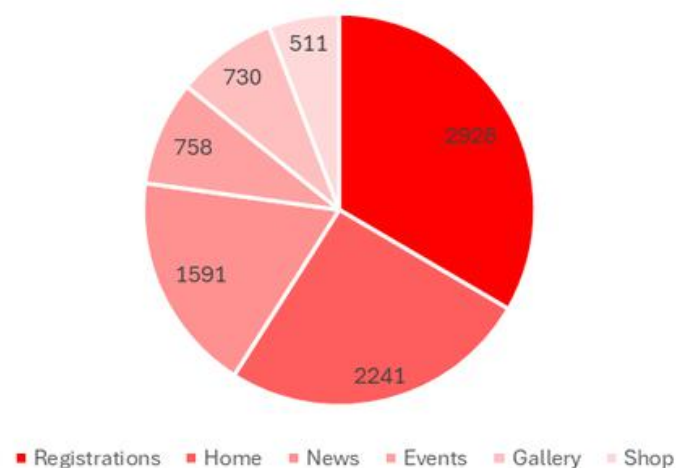
We launched our Instagram account, utilising reels, posts, and stories to showcase our achievements and athletes during the season. Additionally, we have featured content from other pertinent sources in our stories. To streamline links from Instagram to our website news posts, we incorporated Linktree.

Since September of last year, we have shared 18 stories, 12 reels, and 20 posts. Our most popular content is the Men's Round 11 Highlight reel, which has achieved 991 plays.

Followers



REV Sport Top Site Views



Total Site Views **9965**

SPONSORSHIP & GRANTS

Sponsorship

President Matt Payne successfully secured 14 sponsors for this season and has kindly offered to pursue these opportunities again for us in the 2024-2025 season – a big thank you to Matt!

A total of \$2,700 was raised from sponsorships this season, with \$200 each for Gold Sponsorship and \$500 for Major Sponsorship. We also receive some contra sponsorship and one sponsor payment still remains outstanding.

Each sponsor received a sponsorship pack that included a bumper sticker and framed certificate of appreciation, with their logos displayed on both of our websites, email footers, and some even featured on Social Media.

We would like to recognise Nick Foley for arranging our Major sponsorship with Ausland for the second consecutive year. We also extend our thanks to all our sponsors for their support during the 2023-24 season.

Grants and Funding

We were pleased this year to have received a small \$150 AV Trusts Grant to contribute towards the purchase of our Tear Drop banners from last year. We will continue to seek out options for funding this year to help assist with the Clubs operational costs.

Sponsor Statistics:

Here are the ongoing statistics for our 14 sponsors, encompassing website and email interactions through our REV Sport site:

101k TOTAL VIEWS

(Views: The frequency of sponsor logo display in our content)

2.2k TOTAL CLICKS

(Clicks: The number of times a logo link was clicked)

2.13% CTR

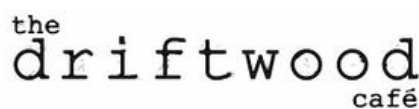
(CTR, or Click Through Ratio: The ratio of clicks to views)



MOST VIEWED - Ausland 10,368

MOST CLICKED

Ausland 346



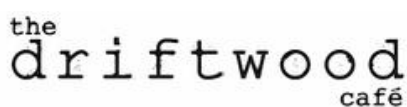
BEST PERFORMER - Driftwood Cafe

CTR 4.09%

Thanks to all of our 2023-24 Sponsors



Beyond



COMPETITION & RESULTS REPORT

Championship Results

Victorian Country Championships (Female)

Female OP

3000m Steeple: Eliesha Byrt 15:19.78 (1st)

Female 20

100m: Mikayley Werner 12.98 (5.0) (2nd)

200m: Mikayley Werner 26.92 (1.8) (2nd)

400m: Mikayley Werner 61.78 (4th); Greta Jones 66.15 (7th)

Discus: Riannah Tatlock 29.21m (3rd)

Javelin: Riannah Tatlock 26.14m (3rd)

Female 18

100m: Lily Trotter 13.87 (0.6) (11th)

200m: Charlotte Wilson 28.24 (0.5) (11th)

400m: Charlotte Wilson 64.60 (10th); Evie Lewry 65.46 (12th)

800m: Suzanna Mavromihalis 2:21.21 (2nd);

Evie Lewry 2:25.53 (7th); Charlotte Wilson 2:28.88 (10th)

1500m: Suzanna Mavromihalis 4:45.98 (1st)

400m Hurdles: Lily Trotter 71.98 (3rd)

Female 40+

400m: Donna L Braden 77.71 (2nd)

800m: Georgina Mervin 2:39.23 (2nd)

Female 40+

Discus: Cathryn Hoare 21.96m (4th)

Hammer: Cathryn Hoare 23.78m (2nd)

Javelin: Cathryn Hoare 19.65m (2nd)

Shot Put: Cathryn Hoare 7.72m (3rd)

Female 50+

100m: Jacinta Burns 14.52 (1.4) (1st)

200m: Jacinta Burns 30.28 (-0.6) (1st)

Pole Vault: Jacinta Burns 2.70m (1st)

Female AMB

100m: Eliesha Byrt 16.37 (-0.3) (2nd)

200m: Eliesha Byrt 34.45 (+0.0) (1st)

Javelin: Eliesha Byrt 14.64m (1st);

Shot Put: Eliesha Byrt 5.79m (1st)

Victorian Country Championships (Male)

Male OP

Pole Vault: Lachlan Burns 5.05m (1st); Noah Burns 4.30m (2nd)

Male 20

400m: Broden Bond 52.55 (5th)

800m: Broden Bond 1:57.78 (2nd)

1500m: Broden Bond 4:13.35 (3rd)

Pole Vault: Noah Burns 4.30m (2nd)

Male 18

800m: Joshua Unthank 2:01.67 (2nd);

Jackson Unthank 2:01.89 (3rd)

Male 14

90m Hurdles: Heath Tatlock 18.13 (2.1) (2nd)

1500m Walk: Heath Tatlock 9:32.68 (2nd)

Discus: Heath Tatlock 18.88m (2nd)

Javelin: Heath Tatlock 21.07m (2nd)

Shot Put: Heath Tatlock 7.49m (2nd)

Male 40+

1500m: David Palmer 5:04.46 (2nd)

Male 50+

3000m: Grant Simpson 10:20.03 (1st)

Victorian Championships (Female)

Female AMB

100m: Eliesha Byrt 17.29 (-1.1) (4th)
Shot Put: Eliesha Byrt 6.10m (4th)
200m: Eliesha Byrt 34.52 (-0.7) (3rd)
Javelin: Eliesha Byrt 18.07m (1st)

Female OP

3000m Steeple: Eliesha Byrt 15:17.47 (8th)

Female 20

100m: Mikayley Werner 13.05 (+0.0) (P)
200m: Mikayley Werner 26.90 (0.4) (8th);
26.62 (1.7) (P)
Javelin: Riannah Tatlock 25.36m (7th)

Female 18

1500m: Suzanna Mavromihalis 4:42.20 (4th)
3000m: Suzanna Mavromihalis 10:00.32 (1st)

Female 17

400m: Charlotte Wilson 62.61 (6th); 63.12 (P);
Evie Lewry 63.64 (P)
800m: Charlotte Wilson 2:29.18 (P); Evie
Lewry 2:23.66 (P)

Female 16

200m: Scarlet Nicholls 27.86 (1.8) (P)

Victorian Championships (Male)

Male OP

Pole Vault: Lachlan Burns 5.10m (1st); Noah
Burns 4.30m (7th)

Male 20

1500m: Broden Bond 4:00.68 (6th); 4:04.33
(P)
800m: Broden Bond 1:53.93 (4th); 1:58.73 (P)
Pole Vault: Noah Burns 4.25m (4th)

Male 18

1500m: Joshua Unthank 4:02.40 (2nd);
4:14.62 (P); Jackson Unthank 4:03.71 (4th);
4:13.39 (P)
800m: Joshua Unthank 1:55.65 (3rd); 1:57.24
(P); Jackson Unthank 1:56.63 (5th); 1:59.08
(P)

Male 17

400m: Angus Borschmann 55.05 (P)
800m: Angus Borschmann 2:01.72 (5th);
2:01.46 (P)

Male WC

100m: Sam McIntosh 18.18 (1.2) (1st)

Australian Championships (Male)

Noah Burns Mens U20 Pole Vault (3rd)
Sam McIntosh Mens Open 100m WC (3rd)
Lachie Burns =4th Mens Open Pole Vault
Broden Bond Mens U20 800m
Miller Smith 5th U17 400m Hurdles
Josh Unthank 5th U18 1500m, 12th U18
800m
Jack Unthank 14th U18 1500m, 20th U18
800m

Australian Championships (Female)

Suzanna Mavromihalis 5th U18 3000m, 7th
U18 1500m

Masters Championships

Victorian Masters

Pole Vault: Jacinta Burns 2.70m (F55) - GOLD
800m: Navid Rashid 2:36.78 (M50) - SILVER

Australian Masters

10,000m: David Palmer 39:41.50 (M45) - GOLD

Relay Report

During this season we made every effort to assemble as many relay teams as possible based on athlete availability and demand.

We encourage all members to reach out to our Team Managers before or on the competition day if you wish to participate in a relay. Relays not only add fun but also help in earning more points for the club.

Here are our relay results for season 23-24:

Victorian Country Championships

F40 4x100m: (Donna L Braden, Georgina Mervin, Cathryn Hoare, Jacinta Burns) 62.24 (1st place)

F40 4x400m: (Jacinta Burns, Cathryn Hoare, Donna L Braden, Georgina Mervin) 5:16.57 (1st place)

Victoria Track Relay Championships:

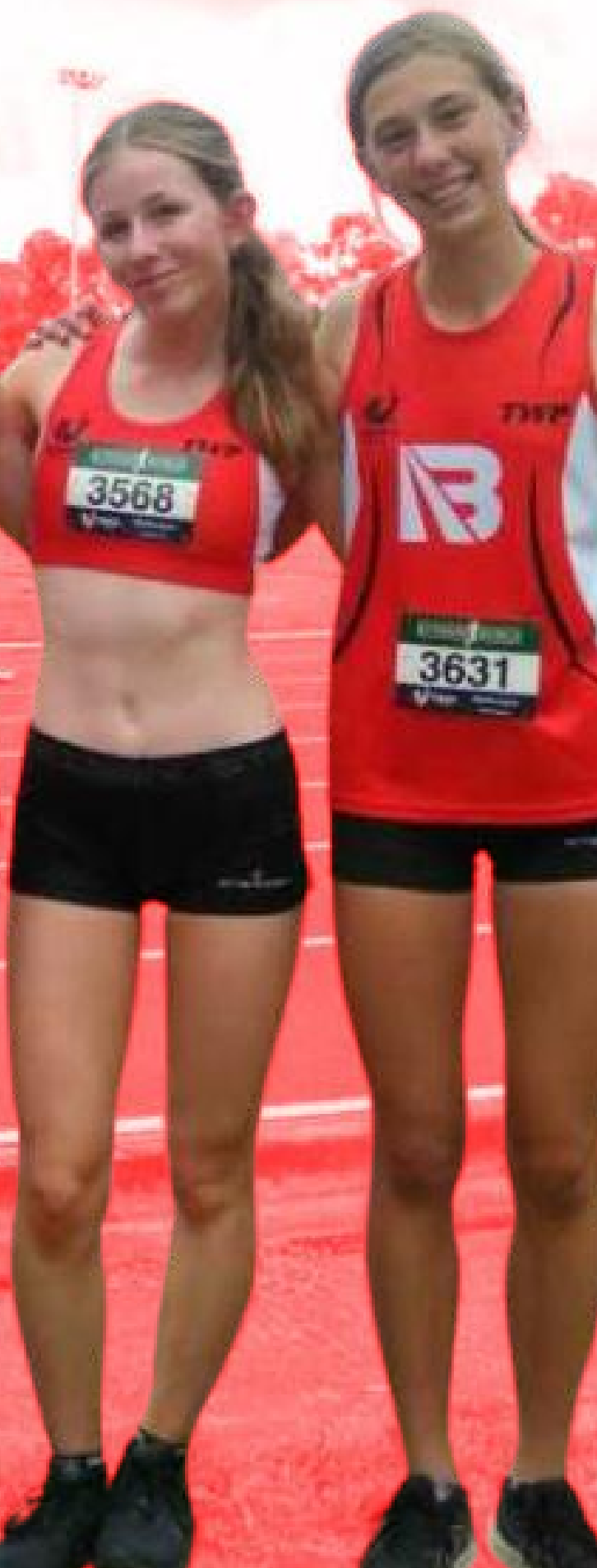
F18 4x800m: (Charlotte Wilson, Sarah Hunt, Suzanna Mavromihalis, Evie Lewry) 10:12.26 (5th place)

AVSL Round 2

FOP 4x100m: (Charlotte Wilson, Sarah Hunt, Eliesha Byrt, Suzanna Mavromihalis) 62.22

F20 4x100m: (Ginger Smith, Mikayley Werner, Greta Jones, Lily Trotter) 56.75





MOP 4x100m: (Aston Smith, Flynn Wiffen, Lachlan Burns, Noah Burns) 47.82

Mixed40 4x100m: (Peter Lamb, Nick Foley, Donna L Braden, Jacinta Burns) 61.20

AVSL Round 3

F18 4x200m: (Charlotte Wilson, Sarah Hunt, Lily Trotter, Greta Jones) 1:56.50

FOP 4x200m: (Georgina Mervin, Jacinta Burns, Donna L Braden, Eliesha Byrt) 2:16.47

AVSL Round 4

F18 4x400m: (Sarah Hunt, Mikayley Werner, Charlotte Wilson, Suzanna Mavromihalis) 4:29.83

AVSL Round 6

FOP 2x100m: (Eliesha Byrt, Shelby Hackett) 29.91

F40 2x100m: (Donna L Braden, Sarah Cotchett) 30.53

M40 2x100m: (Anthony Bradford, Peter Lamb) 36.80

M16 2x100m: (Aston Smith, Flynn Wiffen) 23.57

AVSL Round 12

4x200m: (Greta Jones, Charlotte Wilson, Sarah Hunt, Georgina Mervin) 1:59.08

AVSL Report

Aside from achieving 5th place overall in Division 3 and securing victory in 3 GAC age groups (refer to President's Report), we also celebrated outstanding individual and State age group performances.

Our Powerplay Round, held during Round 9, involved 22 athletes and resulted in a total score of 15,509 points. The event concluded with pizza and drinks for all participants. Considering our scores surpassed 17,000 points in both Rounds 2 and 3, we may need to think about scheduling the Powerplay round earlier in the season.

Overall, we accumulated 161,131 points for the year, a decrease from the previous year's total of 162,075 points.

We thank all our athletes who competed at both Geelong and Metro venues throughout the year.

Most Valuable Athletes:

Round	Athlete	Points
1	Jacinta Burns	1266
2	Joshua McOuat	1198
3	Jacinta Burns	1289
4	Joshua McOuat	1285
5	Broden Bond	1254
6	Flynn Wiffen	1122
7	Flynn Wiffen	1055
8	Peter Lamb	929
9	Flynn Wiffen	1154
10	Aston Smith	990
11	Flynn Wiffen	1205
12	Noah Burns	995





Highest point scoring Athletes:







No.	Athlete	Points
1	Peter Lamb	11358
2	Aston Smith	8704
3	Charlotte Wilson	8209
4	Flynn Wiffen	7990
5	Broden Bond	7867
6	Evie Lewry	7564
7	Jacinta Burns	7501
8	Noah Burns	7360
9	Mikayley Werner	6881
10	Suzanna Mavromihalis	6533
11	Joshua McOuat	5789
12	Anthony Bradford	5694
13	Eliesha Byrt	5318
14	Greta Jones	5068
15	Lily Trotter	4546

Highest Individual Event Scores:

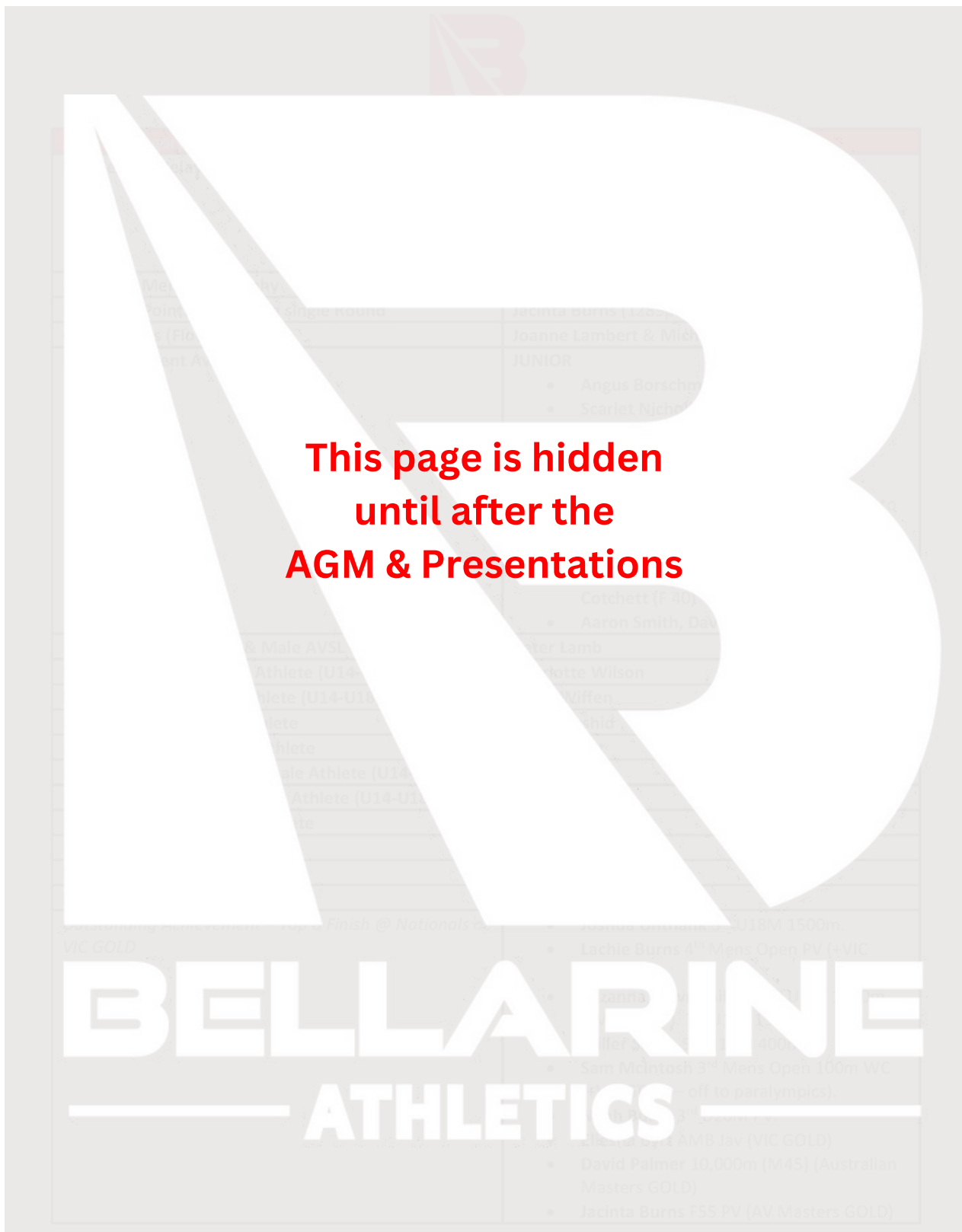
No.	Name	Rd	Age	Event	Result	Points
1	Broden Bond	12	U18	800m	1:54.57	527
2	Josh Unthank	11	U18	800m	1:55.45	520
3	Josh Unthank	12	U18	1500m	3:57.2	520
4	Jack Unthank	11	U18	800m	1:56.07	515
5	Jack Unthank	12	U18	1500m	4:00.6	507
6	Josh Unthank	9	U18	1500m	4:00.98	507

Highest Scoring Team:

State U18 Men Ladder

	MEN	Mentone	56,815
	ESS	Essendon	54,474
	WEN	Wendouree	48,776
	KNA	Knox	47,686
	GHY	Glenhuntly	45,243
	BEL	Bellarine	45,042

AWARDS 2023-24



ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

Matt Payne

After more than 5 years of dedicated service on the committee, we would like to express our gratitude to Matt Payne, who will be stepping down from his position as President.

Matt has played a vital role in the growth of Bellarine over the past few seasons, leading the Club as President for the last 3 years.

Under Matt's leadership, the Club has flourished from fewer than 20 members to 55 members in 2023, with substantial growth in our junior boys, senior women, and junior girls.

Matt's passion for promoting Bellarine was evident in the Club's successful rebranding. He also played a pivotal role in boosting Club sponsorship and grant revenue, positioning the Club exceptionally well both on and off the track.

Thank you, Matt.

Neal Conder - Ehn Sea Photography

Thank you to Neal for providing his amazing photography used within this report as well as throughout the season.



APPENDIX: MINUTES OF 2022-23 AGM

BELLARINE TRACK & FIELD ATHLETICS CLUB

MINUTES of Annual General Meeting

Sunday 11 June 2023 4 pm

Curlewis Golf Range

1201-1419 Portarlington Road

Taken by President: Matthew Payne (22/23 Season)



PRESENT

Matthew Payne (MP), Nick Foley (NF), Chris Unthank (CU), Drew Semmens (DS), Anthony Bradford (AB), Peter Lamb (PL), Jacinta Burns (JB), Donna Braden (DB).

APOLOGIES

Melissa Pitt (Secretary)

Meeting opened at 4:10 pm with the President welcoming everyone.

Business Arising: Nil

PREVIOUS MINUTES

Moved: "That the minutes of the previous AGM, held on Sunday 15th May 2022 be accepted"

CU/PL – Carried

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

The President reported positively on a successful year (Full report available).

Moved: "That the President's Report be accepted"

JB/PL - Carried

TREASURER'S REPORT

9th May to 30th April 2023 - Our operating profit for the year was \$2,574.85 (before depreciation and decrease in stock).

Total assets of \$7,617.60 as at 30th April 2023, consisting of bank balance (\$7,113.66), equipment (\$328.00) and uniform stocks (\$175.94). No liabilities.

Moved: "That the Treasurer's Report be accepted"

NF/PL – Carried

SECRETARY & REGISTRAR'S REPORT

The only issue I had this season was duties for each Saturday. My solution is that if you register for an event, you register for a time slot duty as well (for an hour or so).

Moved: "That the Secretary & Registrar's Report be accepted"

MP/NF – Carried

ELECTION OF COMMITTEE 22/23

POSITION	NOMINATION	NOMINATORS
PRESIDENT	Matthew Payne	PL/CU
VICE PRESIDENT	Anthony Bradford	MP/NF
(SOCIAL) SECRETARY	Amanda Unthank	CU/NF
TREASURER	Chris Unthank	MP/DS
ROSTER	Drew Semmens	CU/NF
GENERAL COMMITTEE (RELAY TEAMS)	Jacinta Burns Donna Braden	DS/NF
GA DELEGATES	Jo Lambert Nick Foley Matthew Payne	DB/DS

GENERAL BUSINESS

- Monies requested for car stickers, new uniforms, hats (and potentially hoodies).
- Potential increase to membership costs.
- New sponsors or Bunnings sausage sizzle to raise funds.
- No need for a Registrar as REV Sport registers members (through Aths Vic).
- Sponsors on our website to have a hyperlink to their company websites.

Meeting closed at 4:50 pm



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