

# Mid South Coast Zone



## Zone Meeting

25<sup>th</sup> October 2020

Meeting Open – 5pm

Apologies –Toni

Attendances –Crystal, Rob, Kevin, Craig, Howard, Simone, Kym, Scott, Tracy, Ange

**Previous Minutes** – August minutes

Minute's moved Scott (Shoalhaven) - 2<sup>nd</sup> – Crystal (Albion Park)

### Mail

**Incoming** - NA

**Outgoing** - NA

### Zone Co's Report

New CEO was introduced at the Zone Co meeting.

Lots of COVID related issues was discussed.

Someone from Little A's will visit us.

### Treasurer Report

Scott contacted Sharon. All the books will be dropped off to Scott's house.

Scott will go to the bank once he gets the books

### Centre Reports

#### Albion Park

129 kids registered

New committee are coming together well

Track issue – now fixed

Cancel of the carnival – moved to the 13<sup>th</sup> December – (17<sup>th</sup> January back up date)

Small issues related to COVID but reminders are made

Loss of money not having school carnivals

Fundraising is working well – raffles etc

Canteen – Better in the canteen this season. Everyone is supporting the sausage sizzle

Grant from Coles – Brought a line marker also a grant from Bendigo Bank



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### **Lake Illawarra**

117 Rego's, we have not had many new registrations which is due to COVID and the fact we didn't have any school carnivals.

189 Entered turnup for our October carnival, which was a great day and everyone enjoyed the chance to have some competitions back, still finalising results and these will be posted shortly.

Entries for the Summer Carnival will open in November they will again be taken via Results HQ and Email with a maximum of 200 athletes (at this stage), when centres receive the nomination email via results HQ can I ask that they open nominations as this is an easier way for people to register for the carnival

The start of our season has been interrupted due to weather, with only 5 out of 8 competition nights being able to be completed.

### **Kiama**

Kiama Little Athletics has experienced quite a few Committee changes this season. Our President, Secretary and Treasurer are all new to the Committee and have settled into their respective roles quite nicely. COVID has certainly presented us with some challenges, and there were some nervous moments, but we have managed to meet these head on, and administration of the Centre is functioning very smoothly.

Our season commenced six (6) weeks later than usual because of the extended Football season. We were disappointed that Football did not bother to communicate the details of their season to us and simply assumed that they could continue into what is traditionally the Little Athletics season. Just one of the many challenges of a shared facility.

Sadly, registrations are quite low (108) by historical standards but we are hopeful that they may pick up as winter sports conclude and word spreads that Little Athletics has commenced. Once again, most registrations are in the younger Age Groups. It's interesting to note that many of our registrations are "new" to Little Athletics.

We are looking forward to a successful season and sincerely hope that COVID does not extend into 2021/22.

### **Shoalhaven**

We have around 170 registered athletes. It's been a great start to the season. Parents are being helpful. Everyone has been onboard with COVID practices.

Our carnival is definitely going ahead on Sunday 29th November - there will be multi class. We have booked LILACS timing gates. We will put our entry forms online this week. We will cap ours at 250 athletes.

We were approved for a \$5000 coles grant. We are very much looking forward to the new equipment. We are expecting that in the next couple of weeks. The Nowra Coles Manager has asked to be there for the donation.

### **Milton/Ulladulla**

Our season commenced on Tuesday 13 October.

We had 36 athletes trial over our two week trial period.

We currently have 55 athletes registered, an increase on the last couple of years. Some returning faces but a lot of new athletes.

Using EVA check in system and it is working well.

We have already had 12 centre records broken in the first two weeks of the season.

**Basin**

COVID hasn't affected our numbers this season. We have 131 already registered. With 10 still trialing Parents who would never help have been helping this year so we are posting names each week and is working to some degree. Still a few parents trying to get out of it where possible

Dragon Derby – only 80 spots left

We received a grant from Coles \$1032 to buy new tiny tots equipment

We have booked in Lake Illawarra's timing gates for the Derby.

15 records already broken this season

Watering of the field is every night and washing away our lines

**General Business**

Call Jessica to reduce the buffer to 450 for carnivals, as an email is only sent out once you hit 500

Zone shirts – Sell at carnivals (Put on FB etc for parents to know)

**Meeting Closed - 5:49pm**

**Next Zone Meeting – 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov 20 – 7pm via Zoom**