## **Mid South Coast Zone**



# **General Meeting**

1st August 2022

This meeting was held via Zoom.

Meeting opened at 7:00pm

## **Attendance**

Doonan McLaren (Zone Coordinator) Scott McLaren (Zone Treasurer) Tracy Mandavy (Zone Secretary) Robin Harvey (Albion Park) Isaac Wilson (Albion Park) Kym Haylen (Kiama) Craig Scott (Kiama)
Howard McGarry (Lake Illawarra)
Simone Ivanovski (Lake Illawarra)
Adam Kann (Milton Ulladulla)
Lisa Kann (Milton Ulladulla)

## **Apologies**

Kevin McGarry (Lake Illawarra)

## **Previous AGM Minutes**

Moved by Scott McLaren (ZT), seconded by Adam Kann (MU), "That the minutes of the meeting held 21st March 2022 are a true and accurate record". Carried.

## **Business Arising**

Nil.

## **Correspondence In**

Nil.

## **Correspondence Out**

Nil.



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#### Treasurer's Report

Opening Balance \$1	1,148	./2
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Outgoing Website \$438.90

Web Domain \$74.95

Incoming Kiama Zone Admin Fees \$98.00

Closing Balance \$732.87

A stock take of Zone shirts is to be conducted for presentation at the next Zone meeting.

Treasurer's report moved by Scott McLaren (ZT), seconded by Howard McGarry (LI). Carried

#### **Zone Coordinator's Report**

Nil.

#### **Centre Reports**

#### **Albion Park**

Hosted school carnivals that were a great success.

23<sup>rd</sup> October Grand Prix carnival.

#### Kiama

The persistent wet weather continues to play havoc with the Athletics track at the Kiama Sports Complex. The southern end is very soft and is of particular concern. Local schools had hoped to conduct several middle-distance events last Thursday, but the track was not suitable for use, so these events were cancelled. Sadly, the Tongarra District Athletics Carnival, scheduled for Monday 8th August, has also been moved to another venue due to concerns that the track would not be capable of supporting this carnival. Consequently, we have the unprecedented situation where the Kiama Sports Complex has been unable to host a single school related athletics event in this calendar year.

The Long Jump run-ups are still covered in mould and moss. They are very slippery and will need to be cleaned prior to use which will be a challenging task. The prolonged wet has also resulted in several large trees adjacent to the Long Jump area developing a significant lean. Council have been informed and will no doubt make the area safe once conditions allow machinery access.

To add insult to injury our storage area, under the grandstand, has been flooded with up to 100mm of water on three (3) separate occasions this year.

Due to the extended football season the Kiama Little Athletics season will commence two (2) weeks later than normal on Saturday 24th September. We are genuinely concerned that the track may not be suitable for use by then if the predicted rain falls. Unfortunately, only time will tell.

Le Tape has been cancelled again due to the damage done to Jamberoo Mountain Road by recent rain. This resolves the concern we had in relation to local sporting grounds, including Kiama Sports Complex, being used as overflow car parks the week prior to the Zone Championships.

#### Lake Illawarra

Fields are fine.

Been able to host school carnivals.

#### Milton Ulladulla

5 registrations so far for the 1<sup>st</sup> day. Grass is to wet – unable to mow, etc. Applied for Coles Grant. Trying to find Sponsors.

#### Shoalhaven

As of the opening of the registration platform we have 11 registered kids. Our ground has not been used due to the amount of rain, but we are hopefully going to start the season on time  $6^{th}$  September.

## **St Georges Basin**

Registrations haven't opened yet. Field is closed till the 15<sup>th</sup> August.

## **General Business**

## **Zone Equipment**

Scott McLaren is happy to meet at Lake Illawarra to pick up the Zone Equipment. Simone to check with Kevin McGarry and Nick Ivanovski to sort a day.

## Age Up

Can an athlete move up an age group? No.

## **Acknowledge of Country**

Acknowledge of Country to be included at start of Zone meetings.

Multi Class Events

Asking that each Centre hosts multi class events at their carnivals.

To be discussed at the next meeting once Simone Ivanovski has talked to their committee.

Meeting Closed at 7:40pm.

Next meeting will be via Zoom on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2022 at 7:00pm.