

Mid South Coast Zone



General Meeting

14th October 2024

This meeting was held via Zoom.

Meeting opened at 7:15pm

Attendance

Doonan McLaren (Zone Coordinator)
Tracy Mandavy (Zone Secretary)
Scott McLaren (Zone Treasurer)
Jo McGinniskin (LANSW)

Katie Dent (Albion Park)
Matthew (Milton Ulladulla)
Craig Scott (Kiama)

Apologies

Kevin McGarry (Lake Illawarra)

Simone Ivanovski (Lake Illawarra)

Guests

Darlene Musgrove (Nowra Athletics)
Mel Mustapic (Nowra Athletics)

Emma Stephens (Nowra Athletics)

Previous Minutes

Moved Scott McLaren (Shoalhaven), seconded Craig Scott (Kiama) the minutes of the meeting held 7th August were a true and accurate record. CARRIED

Business Arising

Nil.

Correspondence In

Invoice from Valour
Invoice from Griffith Little Athletics
Invoice from Wollongong City Council

Correspondence Out

Correspondence to Griffith Little Athletics



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Zone Coordinator's Report

So far all is going well. Lake had their first carnival yesterday and it appeared to be a big success. Preparations for Zone are coming along with a few bits to tidy up hopefully tonight. Wollongong City Council rang me to say they had an incorrect email address and have now sent the invoice for the hire of Beaton Park for regionals. Yesterday I received the invoice for the hire of photo finish from Griffith LAC. I was very disappointed. I have responded to them asking they review the charges, with the support of LANSW and their Zone Co. Could all centres please double check patch placements, a lot were in incorrect places yesterday, including an age patch on the back. This is important for Zone and Region

Treasurer's Report

Account \$27,801.50
Term Deposit \$15,105.33 (4.9% Interest)

Still waiting on numbers from last season to be able to send out affiliation fees invoices.

There are no outstanding Region levies.

We have received the final invoices (Total \$18,845.20) from Valour.

We have finally received the track hire invoice (\$5,175.00) from Kerryn McCann Athletic Centre.

Centre Reports

Albion Park

173 registrations this season. Have a new webmaster who is doing a great job. 150 trialists on the first night. 22 tiny tots. First competition last Friday

Kiama

Kiama Little Athletics' season commenced a week later than usual due to Kiama Junior Football holding their Football Festival on our usual starting weekend. Football seems to believe that this will become the norm, but I suspect they may be in for a surprise come next year. We completed our fourth (4th) week of the season last Friday. Due to the lack of adequate lighting at the Kiama Sports Complex our first three (3) meets were held on Saturday mornings. The track is extremely dry for this time of year but no doubt the rain will come, probably when we want to compete.

Total registrations are currently at one hundred and twenty-six (126) which is a healthy 33% increase on the previous season.

Sadly, we are finding it increasingly difficult to identify new Committee members from our healthy membership. Most of our committee are Life Members that have not had athletes at the Centre for many years.

Lake Illawarra

No report.

Milton Ulladulla

Rego's at 65 so far this season. New drainage was put at the oval. Line marking has been done. 15th October is the first night for the season. Two (2) coaches who will support parents to up skill them. Going into primary school for come and try day. (Jo has offered to help)

Shoalhaven

We currently have 249 athletes registered and more people interested in joining. We have Age Championships starting second week of November followed by our gala day on the 24th of November.

St Georges Basin

We have 122 registrations and are down 9 rego's from last year. Currently in our 7th week and the Sundays at the beginning of the season working best for us. We were broken into in during the off season and our freezer was destroyed. The ground has been booked for Zone.

General Business

Zone

Timing Gates – Albion Park to advise if they can bring the gates down. Doonan to contact Lake Illawarra if Albion Park cannot provide Gates.

Safety Officer – Parent from Basin.

Walks – Tsar, Jo and Tracy.

Track Marshalling – Shoalhaven.

First Aid Officer – Matthew (Milton).

Medals – Doonan to count medals. Tracy to sort medals on the day.

Team Managers – To be advised. (Basin – Claire Bozikov)

Photos – Basin.

Parent Helpers – Parents to called to help.

Cost per athlete - \$5 per athlete – All clubs agreed.

Security – Waiting to see how set up is after Dragon Derby.

Set up - from 12 noon on the Friday.

Food for officials - BBQ for lunch, Banana and Coles cakes for morning tea- Basin to sort.

Cool Room - Tracy to sort.

Coffee Van – Joe.

Keep On Running is coming. Not sure which day.

Certificates - Doonan will sort.

Regionals shirts – Order forms will be available at Zone.

Special guest - Tracy to contact the mayor – Talk via PA.

March Past – Nowra to join.

Doonan – to ask about relays for Seniors. (Relays to be moved to the middle of the day.)

Zone will not be a timed carnival.

Nowra Athletes – Craig needs the athletes ID numbers and bibs will be issued.

Zone entries need to be sent to Craig (craig.scott@exemail.com.au) by the 17th November.

Meeting closed at 8:28pm

Next meeting 7:00pm Monday 25th November via Zoom.