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Upcoming Events

- ◆ 11th November Canteen Duty
- ◆ 13th November EMR Relay Championships
- ◆ 27th November Seaford Open Day
- ◆ 9th December Club Raffle Night

A New Club President!

Presidents Message

It is with pleasure that I write my first President message for the Bayswater Bulletin and to officially welcome our current members and their parents/families for the 2005-06 athletics season. I, as well as the committee would like to thank **Jim Moore** for voluntarily standing in the Presidency role early this year allowing the club to move forward during this time. Thanks Jim!

With the Melbourne 2006 Commonwealth Games just around the corner, it was pleasing to see our current and new members joining up and having a go and doing their best. Already we have seen a couple of our members making their mark within the first two weeks of the competition. Well done to **Sharnee Griffiths** (u/14) and **Daragh Moore** (u/13) for breaking a number of club records! In addition **Matija Pecek** has set the standard in the triple jump at the TIMMS Region finals. In addition it was pleasing to see quite a few members achieving PBs this early in the season. Well done Bullets!

In addition, I would like take this opportunity to introduce **Estera Pecek** as our Assistant Team Manager who will no doubt help Donna in many ways.

Over the last few weeks, the BLAC Committee has been looking at ways to further improve our operations and promotion of not only little athletics but also for BLAC - both short and long term.

An operational review has commenced and a number of suggestions are being explored as we speak. This include areas such as membership, resources, awards/recognition, promotional and funding areas. Some of the committee members will be approaching you to seek your opinion on an array of things and we would appreciate it very much that you would take a few moments to respond to their queries.

FYI: In case you are not aware we BLAC will be approaching its 40th birthday in a couple of seasons time. Yes - the club has a very long, proud and rich history! So we will need to consider planning well ahead for such a milestone.

Lastly, if you have any ideas or suggestions for the club, anything that BLAC can improve on, or simply like to share some good news about our "bullets" please do not hesitate to approach any of our committee members listed in this newsletter. The BLAC Committee is here for you, so help us to help you (and your budding young bullets).

Kind regards

Dean Barton-Smith

Team Managers Report



U/14 Sharnee in action

“new to this season is the introduction of the 12 PB Certificate”



U/8 Zac - Shot Put

Week 1 - 1st Oct 2005

A very windy day for the opening of the 2005/06 Track & Field season and on a newly marked out track.

U/13 **Daragh Moore** was the first to break a club record in the 70m with a time of 10.89 sec, previously 11.46 sec.

Week 2 - 8th Oct 2005

Best effort for the day and congratulations goes to U/14 **Sharnee Grififths** who broke three club records in a day! This must be a record in itself!

U/13 **Daragh Moore** had a great day in the High Jump with her highest ever height, clearing 1.46m, 5cm better than her best last year.

Under 14 **Josh Holdway** was the first to obtain a PB this season in the 100m.

Week 3 - 15th Oct 2005

Congratulations again to U/14 **Sharnee Grififths** who broke four club records this time! That's 7 Club Records in just two weeks! She has been sensational! Already, **Sharnee** currently holds the fifth most Club records.

Best PB effort for the day went to U/7 **Alexander Barton-Smith** with 3 PB's. Close behind was U/7 **Jessica Thomson** and U/8 **Joshua Nolan** who both had 2 PB's.

Week 4 - 21st Oct 2005

A washout! Started pouring with rain 10 minutes before the start of events so our first Twilight was cancelled.

12 PB Certificate

New to this season is the introduction of a PB Certificate once you have obtained 12 PB's for the season. This will be issued within a week or two after you have reached this target.

VPSSA Zone Finals

The Victorian Primary Schools Sports Association Eastern Zone School Athletics Championships were held at the Bill Stewart Athletic track in Burwood East on 11th October 2005 with some of our athletes competing.

The First 2 competitors in each event qualified for the TIMMS Region Athletics Carnival .

U/11 **Matija Pecek** came first in the Triple Jump with 7.82m. He also ran in the 800m coming 6th.

U/13 **Daragh Moore** came second in the High Jump with a height of 1.44m . She also came third in the 80m Hurdles.

TIMMS Regional Finals

The Victorian Primary Schools Sports Association TIMMS Region Athletics Carnival was held at the Bill Stewart Athletic track in Burwood East on 18th October 2005.

U/11 **Matija Pecek** came first in the Triple Jump with 8.55m and has now progressed to the Primary Schools State Final.

U/13 **Daragh Moore** came third in the High Jump with a height of 1.40m

Athletes Achievements

Congratulations to U/10 **David Thomson** who won the Bayswater Junior Football Club's Under 10 "Division A" Best & Fairest for the 2005 season. This was while he was competing in the Cross Country season too!

If you know of any other ex-athletes sporting accomplishments or even current ones in other sports, please let the Newsletter Editor know.

Club Uniform History



*First Club Uniform
owned by Judy Blizzard
(nee Addicoat) from the
1972/73 Season*

*Judy is one of the Triple
Jump Chief Officials
this season*



U/8 Nicholas

1968/69: Our club started off as Bayswater Little Athletics club back in 1968. Our uniform back then was a black jacket with a gold sash over a white T-Shirt and white shorts.

1974/75: The uniform changed to an Orange T-Shirt and white shorts.

1982/83: The shorts were changed to black.

1984/85: Bayswater was printed on the back of orange T-shirt - black shorts

1987/88: Club name changed to "Bayswater Bullets" and club logo designed for back of Orange T-Shirt - black shorts

1992/93: T-Shirt changed to Fluoro Orange T-Shirt with black sleeves and sides. Logo on back - black shorts.

2000/01: Burnt Orange T-Shirt with black sleeves. Logo on back - black Shorts

2005/06: Orange singlet with black sides and black trim with breathable material. Logo on back and upper left front - black shorts

Canteen Duty

Our club is rostered for Canteen Duty on **Friday 11th November**.

At BBLAC we find it best that those not on duty take it in turns for an hour at a time.

Please choose a time from the timetable on the Team Managers desk.

"The canteen roster requires 3 people on duty for the whole time the canteen is open" as per Knox Centre handbook

New Athletes 2005/06

There are many new faces this season so please make them feel welcome, introduce yourselves and please help them until they have been accustomed on how Little Aths works. Our new athletes are:

U/7 Girls **Paris Bishop**

U/7 Girls **Jessica Thomson**

U/7 Boys **Cody Norton**

U/7 Boys **Jack Bole-Brown**

U/7 Boys **Thomas Elliott**

U/7 Boys **Nathan Goodger**

U/8 Boys **Joshua Nolan**

U/8 Boys **Nicholas Elliott**

U/9 Girls **Emma Thomson**

U/9 Girls **Jorgia Foster**

U/10 Girls **Claire Elliott**

U/10 Boys **David Thomson**

U/11 Boys **Colin Shaw**

U/12 Girls **Deborah Elliott**

U/14 Girls **Sharnee Griffiths**

New Assistant Team Manager

We would like to thank **Estera Pecek** for volunteering to be our Assistant Team Manager this season. She will be helping out and assisting Donna where required.



*U/7 Cody
Long Jump*

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U/9 Jorgia - Sprint

Long Term Athletes

U/13 **Daragh More** and U/14 **Josh Holdway** are both into their fifth season for Bayswater Bullets, both starting in the 2001/02 season.

Our next long term athletes are U/14 **Dylan Breed** and U/11 **Briony Walton** who are both into their fourth season.

Birthday List

Happy Birthday to the following athletes

August 7th **Sharnee Griffiths**

September 2nd **Daragh Moore**
4th **Briony Walton**
17th **Dylan Breed**

October 2nd **Alex Barton-Smith**
8th **David Thomson**

November 16th **Jorgia Foster**
27th **Connor Bishop**
30th **Annie Egan**

Tattslotto Winners

The cost is \$1 per number per week. Prize money is \$10 for each supplementary number drawn on a Saturday night.

Please see our Committee Member **Merren** who will be coming around to collect the Tattslotto fundraising money. This coming Saturday could be your lucky number!

1/10/05 No. 38 vacant number!
No. 40 this number could be yours!

8/10/05 No. 29 **Melissa Norton \$10**
No: 42 number available!

15/10/05 No. 44 **Annie Egan \$10**
No. 19 up for grabs!

22/10/05 No. 18 I'm free!
No. 34 number for sale!

Athlete Profiles

Name: **U/11 Matija Pecek**

DOB 21st July 1995

Hobbies: Running, Reading, Movies

Favourite Event: Triple Jump

Favourite Food: Lasagne

Favourite TV Show: Spongebob Squarepants

Favourite Music: Simple Plan

Name: **U/11 Briony Walton**

DOB 4th September 1995

Hobbies: Netball, Dancing & Swimming

Favourite Event: Hurdles

Favourite Food: Spaghetti

Favourite TV Show: The Simpsons

Favourite Music: Hilary Duff

Name: **U/14 Dylan Breed**

DOB 17th September 1992

Hobbies: Drums, Hanging out with friends

Favourite Event: 100m

Favourite Food: Spaghetti Bolognaise

Favourite TV Show: The Simpsons

Favourite Music: AC/DC

Hot Weather

With the hot weather approaching, please remember to put on the Sunscreen, wear a hat and a top between events. Please also bring a drink bottle.

Newsletter

If you have anything to contribute to the newsletter, please let a Committee Member or the Newsletter Editor know.

Remember - it's your newsletter!