



# ANNUAL REPORT 2021-2022



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## Background

The Tasmanian Little Athletics Association comprises 19 Centres throughout Tasmania.

Our objective is to maximise the involvement of 3 to 15 year olds in regular, healthy, outdoor activity that promotes fitness, enjoyment and low key competition.

The basic philosophy of Little Athletics is to provide fun, fitness and family involvement for children in sport by making the activity attractive to participants of all abilities regardless of athletic experience or potential.

The notion of progressive improvement through achievement of personal best performance is promoted to emphasise that no matter what position an athlete obtains in an event, they can achieve personal success by improving their own result.

The first meeting of the Tasmanian Little Athletics Association was held in Launceston in August 1973 with a total of 394 athletes registering for the first season in 1973-1974.

Little Athletics continues to grow in membership and develop athletes across Australia. As a foundation for all sports, those participating in Little Athletics have been recognised across many fields in the sporting arena.







### ***Our VALUES***

*To develop children of all abilities by promoting positive attitudes and a healthy lifestyle through family and community involvement in athletics.*

### ***Our MISSION***

*To provide a structured and transparent pathway for the development of athletic skills of young athletes in a fun and family friendly environment*

### ***Our PURPOSE***

*We always behave with honesty and integrity.*

*We work together, respect each other and value our diversity.*

*We strive to deliver an outstanding product to our members.*

*We promote a culture of family fun and fitness in our programs.*

*We conduct our activities in a healthy and safe environment.*



# Board & Staff



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# Affiliated Centres

## **Burnie Little Athletics Centre**

Dial Athletics Centre, Penguin

## **Circular Head Little Athletics Centre**

Smithton Recreation Ground, Smithton

## **Claremont Little Athletics Centre**

Abbotsfield Park, Claremont

## **Clarence Little Athletics Centre**

Clarence High School, Bellerive

## **Deloraine Little Athletics Centre**

Deloraine Primary School, Deloraine

## **Devonport Little Athletics Centre**

Girdlestone Park, East Devonport

## **East Derwent Little Athletics Centre**

Wiley Park, Bridgewater

## **Glamorgan Spring Bay Little Athletics Centre**

Swansea Recreation Ground, Swansea

## **Hobart Districts Little Athletics Centre**

Domain Athletics Centre, Hobart

## **Huon Valley Little Athletics Centre**

Huonville Athletics Ground, Huonville

## **Kingborough Little Athletics Centre**

Gormley Park

## **Launceston Little Athletics Centre**

Windsor Park

## **Longford Districts Little Athletics Centre**

Longford Recreation Ground

## **North East Little Athletics Centre**

Scottsdale Primary School Oval

## **North Launceston White City Little Athletics Centre**

Rocherlea Recreation Ground, Rocherlea

## **Queenborough Little Athletics Centre**

Sandown Park, Sandy Bay

## **South East Districts Little Athletics Centre**

Pembroke Park, Sorell

## **South Launceston Little Athletics Centre**

Northern Athletics Centre, St Leonards

## **St. Helens Little Athletics Centre**

St Helens Recreation Ground, Sy Helens



# State Sponsors



**Sport & Recreation Tasmania**  
Funding the Development & Growth of  
Little Athletics in Tasmania



**Bendigo Bank**  
Sponsor of the Little Athletics Program for Schools  
(LAPS)



**Accolades & Awards**  
PB Award Badge Sponsor



**McDonald's Family Restaurants Tasmania**  
LATas Award Scheme Sponsor



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# Honour Roll

## Life Members

Helen Moir	1993	Rhonda O'Sign	2002
Michael Stubbs	1997	Paul Street*	2006
Garry House	1999	Kaylene Knee	2021
Ross Burridge	1999		



## Distinguished Service Award Recipients

Helen Moir	1990	Brian Bannister	2005
Les Nankervis	1990	Anne House	2010
Peter Lawson	1990	Kaylene Knee	2010
Nigel McLaren	1993	Wim Vaessen	2013
Rob Crosswell	1994	Roger Hosie	2015
Michael Stubbs	1994	Peter Weldon*	2015
Marguerite Duke	1995	Peter McConnon	2020
Ross Burridge	1996	Rosemary Coleman	2020
Garry House	1996	Brett Gillow	2021
Cliff Marsh	1997	Brett Johnstone	2021
Rhonda O'Sign	2000	Paul Mommers	2022
Paul Street*	2002		



## State Service Award Recipients

Bill Cooper*	1990	Mary Clear	2001	Dirk Nankervis	2007
Paul Plumbridge	1990	Anne Millington	2001	Carolyn Bussey	2007
Dianne Lawson	1990	Margaret Osbourne	2001	Michael Harvey	2007
Jess Nankervis	1990	Rosemary Coleman	2002	Greg Byard	2008
Les Charlesworth	1991	Brian Bannister	2002	Scott Calvert	2008
John Boxhall	1991	Terry Byrne	2002	Kendra Hey	2008
Ted Beecroft	1992	Janene Stubbs	2002	Kim Nankervis	2009
Clif Marsh	1992	Anthony Cruse	2002	Mathew Hey	2010
Matt Osbourne	1993	Frank Buller	2003	Leanne Harvey	2010
Anne House	1995	Wim Vaessen	2003	Wayne Hall	2010
Graeme Moore	1995	Greg Cooper	2004	Michael Walker	2012
Sallie Garwood	1995	Frank Furfaro	2004	Michael Phillips	2012
Merimy Bruens	1996	Kristy Periera	2004	Brian James	2012
Albert Johnson*	1996	Karen Pelham	2004	Andrew Shepherd	2013
Carolyn Banks	1996	Shirley Kelly	2005	Brett Clements	2013
Gayleen Goodwin	1998	Andrew Tomes	2005	Brett Johnstone	2013
Viv Beswick	1998	Vicky Sansom	2005	Paula Brown	2016
Wim VanDerPols	1998	Peter Weldon*	2005	Paul Mommers	2016
Paul Street*	1999	Eric Howells	2006	Amanda Robertson	2018
Gavin Radford	1999	Peter McConnon	2006	Allan Faint	2018
Karen Tuthill	2000	Tim Heron	2006	Michael Brideson	2020
Roger Howlett	2000	Kaylene Knee	2006	Jenny Broad	2020
Ken Elphinstone	2000	Daryn Weller	2007	Michelle Scolyer	2021









# President Report - Brett Johnstone



It gives me pleasure to present my fourth and final report on behalf of Little Athletics Tasmania.

Season 21/22 was another successful year for Little Athletics Tasmania with our membership numbers increasing by around 7% to 2402. Our State events were a success and we were finally able to send an ALAC team away with the easing of COVID restrictions.

With the re-opening of the Tasmanian borders in late December, COVID did make its way back into the State and unfortunately this did result in the cancellation of the annual Under 12/13 Coaching Camp and some disruption to a few weekly meets but hopefully the worst is now behind us and there are no further disruptions in the future.

## GOVERNMENT RELATIONSHIPS

LATas were fortunate to again be a recipient of the Communities Sport and Recreation Major Grants Program. Our key performance indicators and reporting requirements for that grant are focussed on participation, inclusion, coach and official development, communication, and marketing and I thank everyone involved in assisting us to meet the relevant targets.

The Tasmanian government Ticket to Play program was again very well utilised by families during the 21/22 season. Little Athletics had more total claims than any other summer sport in Tasmania with over 14% of all registrations using the vouchers provided. An enormous amount of credit for this result needs to go to Tracy in the office for her promotion of the program and assistance to those wanting to use it.

## EVENTS

We were finally able to send an ALAC team away after 2 years of COVID related cancellations. Tasmania created history by winning the Under 15 Life Members Trophy for the first time. Our Under 15 Girls, Abbey Berlese, Izzy Wing and Charli Ross, also created history by finishing 1-2-3 in the Girls Combined Event, the first time any state has achieved this feat. Our Under 15 Boys, Blake

Doyle, Theo Collins and Avery Thomas all finished in the top 9 of their event which enable Team Tasmania to claim the Title. Our Under 13s did an amazing job to retain the Dick Healey Trophy in our annual battle with the ACT with Marz Kwa winning Bronze in the Javelin. Special thanks is extended to the Team Managers/Coaches – Kay Knee, Susan McLeod, Jade Longstaff, Zane Patmore, Anna Davie, Paul Mommers and Roger Hosie, and also to all of the local coaches who assisted with training leading up to the event.

A higher than normal amount of our Under 14 athletes have qualified for the upcoming National Under 15 Coaching Camp and this is testament to work of our loyal and hard working group of coaches.

As mentioned above, we unfortunately had to cancel our annual Under 12/13 coaching camp but expect it to be back bigger and better next year. Unfortunately, it appears that Camp Banksia will still not be available but we are hoping to be able to hold it at Camp Clayton.

Our Coles All State Series was held in November and December at our 3 synthetic tracks in Hobart, Launceston and Penguin. Congratulations is extended to Burnie and Huon Valley Little Athletics Centres for winning the Life Member Shields for their participation at these events.

Both our State Multi-Event Championships and State Relay Championships were successfully held jointly with Athletics Tasmania this season. This proved beneficial for both organisations with both events being well attended and is certainly something that I hope will continue to happen in the future.

Our State Individual Championships were held for the first time on the North-West Coast in Penguin and were also a fantastic success. Athletes were able to experience a different venue and the event received great publicity from the local media.

Thank you is extended to Hobart Districts, South Launceston and Burnie Little Athletics Centres for providing the majority of the equipment for our State Events and also to all of the volunteers from all over the state that gave up their time to officiate, run the canteen, cook the BBQ or help in any other way.

## INCLUSION AND DIVERSITY

Little Athletics Tasmania made some significant strides forward in the Inclusion space this past season. Thanks largely to the amazing work of Amanda Robertson, our State Championship events for Athletes with a Disability progressed from a participation-based event to having the athletes competing in their respective age groups against their peers using the appropriate classification system. Paul Mommers has been successful in obtaining 2 grants which will enable us to purchase running frames and throwing frames which will enable us to attract more athletes with disabilities to our sport. Shane Cox has had discussions with Multicultural Council of Tasmania around making Little Athletics more accessible to people of diverse backgrounds.

## SPONSORSHIP

Little Athletics Tasmania once again received wonderful support from our sponsors, especially considering the difficult economic climate during COVID. I would like to thank our National sponsor Coles who have continued to provide direct support to Centres through the Coles Community Grant Fund, and of course, with the regular supply of bananas in addition to the support they provide to the National and State organisations.

I'd also like to thank our State sponsors, McDonalds, Bendigo Bank and Accolade Awards and our State Media Partner 7 Tasmania, for their continued and valued support. Lastly, I must also express out sincerest thanks to the Tasmanian Government though Sport & Recreation for our State Sporting Organisation Grant and all of the other smaller grants that they have provided to Little Athletics Tasmania and our Member Centres.

## LITTLE ATHLETICS AUSTRALIA

Little Athletics Australia (LAA) have continued to provide valuable support to Little Athletics Tasmania and our Member Centres. A considerable amount of time both nationally and at State level went into the proposed merger discussions with Athletics Australia which unfortunately didn't eventuate. I would like to acknowledge the work put in by Andrew Pryor, his board and staff towards the proposal. I'd like to thank Martin Stillman and Ashlea Watt for their tireless work and commitment over a number of years with LAA as CEO and Marketing, Sponsorship and Events Manager respectively. Both

have now moved on to other opportunities and I wish the well in their new endeavours.

We now welcome Sherrie Boulter to the role of President of Little Athletics Australia. Since her appointment, Sherrie has been very busy in turning the focus of LAA back to our core business and looking for ways for Little Athletics to move forward and continue to grow. We also welcome Myles Foreman who has been appointed as CEO and will be starting full time with LAA in the coming weeks. I'm confident with Sherrie and Myles on board that LAA is in very good hands moving forward.

## ATHLETICS TASMANIA

The relationship between Little Athletics Tasmania and Athletics Tasmania has improved dramatically over the past 2 or 3 years to the stage where we can now run events together successfully and better and more open communication between the two organisations. I congratulate the Athletics Tasmania President, Damon Thomas, and his board on working with Little Athletics Tasmania to ensure Athletics in Tasmania continues to grow. I'd also like to welcome Blake Steel as the new CEO of Athletics Tasmania and wish him well in his new appointment.

Little Athletics Western Australia have successfully merged with Athletics Western Australia to form "Athletics West" and this is perhaps a model that should be given serious consideration within Tasmania, particularly due to our relatively small size. At the end of the day, the Centres are the ones who would be required to vote on a proposal such and Little Athletics Tasmania will take direction from the Centres on whether there is an appetite to pursue this in more detail.

## BOARD AND STAFF

I'd like to acknowledge the tremendous work put in by our volunteer Board and thank them for all that they have done. Each of our Board no longer have children registered in Little Athletics and amazing that they have chosen to give up their valuable time to support our wonderful sport and help it to grow.



Paul has worked tirelessly the Education and Development, Coaching and Technical portfolios. He has secured 2 grants to enable us to purchase equipment for athletes with a disability, attended National Technical Committee meetings and has worked with Zane in delivery of a number of coaching clinics and come and try days

Shane took on the portfolios of Sponsorship and Marketing and has been regularly liaising with our Sponsors and Tracy in the office to meet our requirements in these areas.

Susan has taken the lead on Camp, Governance and State Teams and has done a wonderful job documenting the tasks required for these roles to make it more streamlined in the future.

Oliver has been our go to guy with Finance, IT and Technical requirements. He has ensure all of our statutory reporting obligations are met and that all of our finances are kept up to date and transparent.

Amanda has done a power of work in the Inclusion space as mentioned earlier in my report whilst also looking oafter our Officials and organising Walks Clinics.

Trish took on the portfolios of Risk Management and COVID compliance and has kept the Board updated on changes to requirements in these areas.

I'd like to extend my sincerest thank you on behalf of all of the athletes and their families to the Board Members mentioned above. The amount that has been achieved by this volunteer Board over the past 12 months is enormous and I think each of them for their commitment, passion and enthusiasm for Little Athletics.

I'd like to thank Zane in his role as Competition and Development Officer. Zane's role expanded over the past year to encompass Competition so that there would be less reliance on the Board moving forward. It only took one event for me to show Zane what needed to be done for our State Competitions before he was able to "run with it" and get it all done himself. Zane has continued to do school visits, attend Centres when requested and always actively pursues opportunities for Little Athletics to be seen in the community. He has been an excellent addition to the Little Athletics Tasmania staff and I'm very comfortable that Competition and Development is in great hands moving forward.

Jade continued as our casual Development Officer, stepping in whenever Zane's calendar was full and also took the opportunity to attend her first ALAC as a coach/manager. It is very pleasing to see an ex-Little Athlete have an opportunity to work with us and Jade's enthusiasm for the Sport has been first class.

Lastly, we have Tracy who, unfortunately for Little Athletics Tasmania, has taken a new position with Racing Integrity after 7 years in the office. Tracy has been a tremendous asset for Little Athletics Tasmania and will be sorely missed in her full-time capacity. She has successfully juggled the many varied tasks sent her way, often with multiple people wanting things done at once. Her knowledge of not only Little Athletics but Athletics as a whole and her ability to get along with everyone will be sorely missed and very hard to replace. I've known Tracy personally since 2005 when our daughters started Little Athletics together and became good friends. In those 17 years, I'd hate to think how many hours we have spent talking about Little Athletics and/or organising Little Athletics events but I know that she won't be lost to Little Athletics completely such is her love of the sport.

This is my final report as President as I have now served my maximum 9 years on the Board. I never expected to be involved this long when I first started as an Age Group Manager in 2005 but here we are! There have certainly been challenges over the years but getting to a meet and seeing the joy on children's faces has always made it worthwhile. I'd like to thank everyone that has been a part of my Little Athletics journey from the Board, staff, athletes and parents and even my daughter for bringing the newsletter home in 2005 and saying "can we try this?". I have made many wonderful friends and am absolutely confident that Little Athletics is in good hands moving forward. I'm sure I'll stay involved in some way and look forward to seeing you all at future meets.

Brett Johnstone  
President  
Little Athletics Tasmania

# Director Report

## *Paul Mommers*



My 3-year term on the Board concludes at this AGM and upon reflection, I can say that I have enjoyed the friendships of my fellow board members and meeting people from the athletics community. I thank the parents who have given so much time to making our athletics community a better place and the athletes for making things fun.

Successful cross country seasons were held in Hobart and Launceston with the State Cross Country Championships being held in Campbell Town on 4th September.

### COACHING DEVELOPMENT

Athletics Australia transitioned to online coaching courses over the past 12 months putting face-to-face courses on hold. These courses are currently available up to Level 2. As coaching courses are currently being done this way there is less direct involvement from the Board. We will continue to monitor the coaching framework and encourage members to actively seek out these courses.

Coaching of new events continued for the U11's this season during the Friday evening training sessions the night before an All-State event concentrating on coaching ie; triple jump, javelin, flop in the high jump. These were also held at the end of September in Hobart, Launceston, and Penguin. We continued providing coaching to our U14 and U15 age groups in the multi-events also attaching these sessions to the Friday of our All-State meets. The numbers attending these coaching clinics were low, these sessions were also open to coaches for mentoring.

Coach and compete clinics for jumps and throws were held in Launceston, Penguin, and Hobart.

Unfortunately, the U 12/13 coaching camp had to be cancelled this year. So that the children did not miss out we provided 2 days of coaching clinics in Hobart and 2 days of coaching clinics in Launceston for these age groups. They were great days and I thank the parents for being able to bring their children and thank the coaches who gave freely of their time to coach.







Our Development Officer, Zane Patmore, conducted Coach and Compete Clinics in each region in January for the U6 to U10 athletes.

Coaching of the ALAC team was hampered with many athletes either being close contacts or having caught COVID 19. Despite this, the athletes were enthusiastic and competed admirably for Tasmania at ALAC 2022.

### TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS

Not a lot happened in the Technical Requirements area this year, either locally or at the national level although some significant changes are being looked at Nationally that will impact us. I expect more information will be available at State Conference.

It had been found that many Centres were using an incorrect sized 750gm discus with this being brought to the attention of Centres.

### FAST TRACK

Fast Track is a program that was implemented several years ago by Mr. Roger Hosie when he was a Director with Little Athletics Tasmania. The need to train ALAC team members in relay training was obvious to Roger and so the Fast Track program was born. The purpose of Fast Track is to train potential ALAC team members in the relay baton exchange in the event they are picked to run in the relay at the ALAC. As in previous years, a group of enthusiastic athletes was trained in the relay baton exchange before the start of each of our All-State meets. I enjoyed being able to support Roger in his role.

Paul Mommers  
Director



## Director Report

### *Shane Cox*



First of all I would like to thank my fellow Directors and Tracy in the office for their assistance during the last year.

It was another busy and exciting year for Little Athletics and the Board. There was an increase in the number of athletes this season over last year's numbers, and a fantastic array of new State records. And, what about those athletes in Tasmania's ALAC Team! Such a magnificent result and achievement.

A big shout out to the following:

U13 Teams retaining the Dick Healy Trophy;

U15 girls in the Combined Events achieving a clean sweep of the podium; and,

U15 boys and girls in the Combined Events winning the ALAC Life Members Trophy.

Well done to all, including the team managers, coaches and support personnel.

During the year I felt privileged to be part of the local State discussion around the merger talks between Little Athletics Australia and Athletics Australia. Merging the two bodies appeared to make sense with the proposal of a single athletics organisation from grassroots through to senior athletics. Not only for providing a single and clear pathway for athletes but also for coaches, officials and volunteers.

A lot of effort and time went into the OneAthletics proposal at different levels and by many people. I am appreciative, and thank them, for the effort and passion put in to coming up with a quality proposal.

It was with personal disappointment that this proposal was not successful when voted upon by the Little Athletics Australia, and Athletics Australia, State member organisations. Plenty of information has been put out into the community about the positives of the merger so I will not go into that here.

My hope is for one day there will be a single national body to better serve the athletic community.

Notwithstanding the loss of the vote, one of the positives to come out of the process was a closer relationship between Little Athletics Tasmania and Athletics Tasmania. It has been very heart warming to see a breakdown of the siloing that has existed in the past between the organisation, leading to greater communication and a combining of LATas and AT events at the State Relay Championships and the State Multi-Event Championships. This is a fantastic result by all involved, from the administrators through to the athletes. I look forward to the positive working relationship growing over the years to come.



At the sponsorship level a positive outcome from the proposed merger model would have been the significant ability to attract larger organisations to sponsor and partner with athletics. The benefit of this hopefully could have translated into increased opportunity and more money coming into the sport in exchange for a greater community base for brands to be exposed to.

Throughout the season I have been active in making sure our sponsors are getting brand exposure at our State meets. This includes ensure sponsor banners are out and visible and obtaining photos of athletes competing with their sponsor badges visible. These images become important when documenting the meets and demonstrating to our sponsors that we are meeting our obligations under the agreements.

It is important that athletes always have the correct sponsor badges on their uniforms and are visible. Community and business organisations are being very generous in providing LATAs with valuable funds and it is our obligation to ensure they are obtaining value for their money. Otherwise organisations will not want to partner with us.

At the end of the 2020/21 season we said goodbye to the sponsor, Nordic Sports Australia. We thank them for their partnership and contributions to the Tasmanian Little Athletics community.

For the 2021/22 season we welcomed back Coles, Bendigo Bank, McDonalds, and Accolades Awards. McDonalds initiated their Option to Renew for the new season. Given the impact that COVID-19 has had on many businesses we are grateful for the continued support offered by our sponsors.

Nationally, Coles continued as the naming rights sponsor of Little Athletics Australia and continued with the generous donations to the States, which included the bananas amongst other arrangements.

# BE YOUR BEST®





The sponsors have contributed to our Little Athletics community in the following manner:

Coles

National naming rights sponsor

State naming rights sponsor for:

U13 Sportsmanship Award

State Series Meet No 1, 2 & 3

Australian Little Athletics Championships

Coles Community Round - Thursday 17 February – Sunday 27 February 2022

Coles and Little Athletics Australia provided prize vouchers to centres which enabled centres to provide random spot prizes on the day for best dressed participants / volunteers.

Coles Little Athlete of the Year

The Coles Little Athlete the Year award program recognises athletes that demonstrate sporting values such as sportsmanship, leadership, teamwork and health.

Coles Centre Volunteer Recognition

In addition Coles get behind the Little Athletics community with the ongoing support through the Coles Little Athletics Community Fund. A number of Tasmanian Little Athletics Centres around the State have benefitted from receiving new sporting equipment as a result of this program.

McDonalds

Achievement Award sponsor

Gold Star Awards

Participation Award Badges

Personal Improvement Award Badges

Bendigo Bank

Major sponsor for the TLAA Little Athletics Program for schools (LAPs). This is an important program being run around the State in schools.

Accolades Awards

Supplier of medals and ribbons

U13 Sportsmanship plaques

Coles Team Challenge plaques

Federal Group

Vouchers

LATas are incredibly grateful and thank all sponsors for the support and assistance provided throughout the 2021/22 season. The sponsorship allows us to provide a range of products for athletes, including support to families through keeping costs down. We look forward to continuing our partnerships in the upcoming season.

Work has commenced with securing sponsorship partners for the 2022/23 season.

For me personally, I am looking forward to the new challenges over the next year and to continue supporting the Little Athletics community.

Shane Cox

Director







# Director Report

## *Susan McLeod*



This is my second year out of my third-year tenure on the Tasmanian Little Athletics Board, and once again I have enjoyed it thoroughly, still with COVID protocols in place, but we have been able to be flexible and manage our events successfully.

I would like to thank my fellow board members for an outstanding year and our office staff Tracy, Zane and Jade. With the new constitution of board members taking on portfolios, instead of being elected to set positions, we have moved forward on a positive note.

I took up again the position as board director of overseeing the U12 / U13 Camp, ALAC's and Governance. As a board, we all look at governance in some aspect, with our focus on continuous transparency, and in addition representing and assisting growth in the sport of Little Athletics here in Tasmania.

### U12/U13 COACHING CAMP

Our usual camp site is Camp Banksia in Port Sorell, who are completing a major renovation and was not able to host us in January this year. Therefore, with the assistance of Brett, we needed to find a new camp site and after much searching, we found Blue Lagoon at Dodges Ferry. However, we were not able to have our usual days in early January but was able to book and host it in late January.

This caused our Camp Convenor Matt unable to take part due to work commitments, so the position was advertised, and Roger Hosie was elected.

With the borders opening on December 15th to the rest of Australia and not all children in the U12 age group being able to have a vaccination and COVID rampaging through our communities, the Board had to make the decision to cancel the Camp.

Let's hope, that January 2023 will be back to normal!

For those parents contemplating sending their child to the 2023 Camp, please send in the forms well before the closing date, when they have been circulated by the office. For our camps to continue, we need volunteers - coaches and hut parents. It is a great experience and extremely enjoyable by all for both adults and athletes.

### AUSTRALIAN LITTLE ATHLETICS CHAMPIONSHIPS (ALACS)

The nominations went out for ALAC managers and coaches and the following were successful:

Coaches: Paul Mommers, Roger Hosie, Anna Davie and Zane Patmore

Team Managers: Kay Knee, Susan McLeod and Jade Longstaff





It was not confirmed until late February ALAC 2022 would proceed, so with the efficiency of organisation from Kay Knee, the fantastic support from Tracy in the office, the dedication of the coaches, and following the COVID protocols we were able to assist the athletes to compete at Lakeside on the 23rd and 24th April. There were:

24 - U13 athletes

6 - U15 athletes

It was quite daunting as this was my first year away as team manager, but it was Kay's 16th, so we were in all good hands. Please see our State Team report for more information regarding our successful championships but I want to congratulate all of our athletes. Our U13's for trying so hard and always willing to put up their hand and in doing so we were able to maintain the Dick Healey trophy with a total point score of 340 points against ACT with a total of 264.50 points.

In addition, a huge congratulations goes to Marz Kwa (U13) for winning a bronze medal in her Javelin event with a throw of 37.38m.

History was made though with our U15's Abbey Berlese, Izzy Wing and Charli Ross finishing 1,2,3, on the podium and with our males Blake Doyle (4th), Theo Collins (6th) and Avery Thomas (9th), they won the Life Members Trophy for most overall points, achieving 299 points with Victoria and Queensland coming equal second on 274 points.

Unfortunately, we were not able to travel and stay as a team due to COVID protocols, but I believe we were successfully able to still make the championships a team event through our regional and state-wide trainings and the weekend over in Melbourne.

In conclusion, I would like to thank all of the volunteers for many tireless hours and time given to support their clubs and centres. It is often a thankless job, but I know that everyone that volunteers their time are there to support our athletes to become confident and capable children.

I extend another thank you to my Board Colleagues, Tracy and Zane for a successful 21-22 season and look forward to the upcoming season ahead.

Susan McLeod  
Director





# Director Report

## Oliver Hippel



This is my first year as a member of the TLAA Board, I volunteered primarily because I felt I had skills I could contribute to help drive maturity and modernisation in the sport, in which I am still involved with at many levels.

This year I set out largely to observe the operations of the association and push for best practice against the standards I saw in my full-time corporate job (in Enterprise Architecture), and our small business (Accounting\Bookkeeping & IT Services).

### FINANCE

Firstly I wanted to thank Ferdie Kroon, the outgoing finance director, he clearly made substantial steps forward in his tenure bringing the LATas accounts into the digital age and setting a high standard of detail and transparency to the books.

It is my mission to continue to modernise and apply best practice to our financial management.

Some of the notable changes\goals with finance during the year include:

- Change of banking provider to Bendigo Bank, which provides cost savings and supports one of our major sponsors.
- Move from MYOB Essentials to Xero for 2022/23 FY - intended again to reduce costs and improve integrity.
- Process changes with payroll, reconciliation, bills, invoicing and banking.
- New refund policy, and dealing with bad debts

Many of the process changes were driven by a change in banking provider and account management software, hopefully now we have a long period of stability in this regard.

Key financial performance notes on 2021/22 Financial year ending March 31, 2022.

- Essentially stable profit\loss on turnover of around \$340k.
- Slight increase in membership, pleasing after a disrupted covid year.
- u12/13 coaching camp cancelled
- ALAC did go ahead but in modified form (athletes organise travel and accommodation), so significant variation against budget.
- Income\expense variations with regards to state run competitions – (state individuals up, state multi and state relay down in takings)

Lumpy financials such as grants and major events do make year to year comparisons difficult particularly where they cross over financial years, however the general strategy is for the association to maintain a reserve of 1 years' operating expenses, having maintained that, the budget aims to remain net zero.





A bottom-line net profit of \$58k was largely due to timing, as yet to execute spending on equipment grants. I would forecast next financial year to see this balance out with a catchup on spending. Upwards pressure on costs will also come from increased demand for, and price of labour, therefore an adjustment in members fees and a renewed push for additional sponsorship is advised.

TLAA continues to seek building connections with Athletics Tasmania in the interest of a stronger more coordinated athletics community, which aims to realise cost savings for our members.

#### INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

With my background in IT, I have been assigned the responsibility of directing TLAA in regards to IT matters, and as such I have been looking for opportunities to obtain cost savings and to modernise our technology both in the office and in the stadium in order to improve the athletics experience for our members and volunteers.

The main focus this year is a move towards the adoption of the Timing Solutions “Results HQ” product – this would extend our footprint with Timing Solutions from the existing “Registration HQ” portal to including meet and results management processes focussed on recording, storing and presenting meet results, and Competition HQ for direct entry of results during events.

Early in the year we sought feedback from Centres on their current Meet and Result management satisfaction, and 80% + indicated there was room for improvement, and in many cases the existing software was becoming end of life and creating compatibility issues – and providing headaches for incoming results managers.

The survey respondents also indicated an additional fee of \$5-\$10 would be acceptable if the solution reduced the burden on committee and volunteers and got results out to members faster.

Centres were encouraged and supported to trial Results HQ during the season in any way they felt comfortable – to either just dabble in the “sandpit” or trying out full double entry for one or more meets, and to this point we have received largely positive feedback from those Centres; however we still need more in place to ensure we can continue to offer the same badges and awards as in previous years.

The vision is that next season all state-run meets will be coordinated through Results HQ – including invitations, qualification and result publication. All centres are therefore also encouraged to standardise on this platform – more will be discussed at the TLAA State Conference.

In closing, I hope I have been able to make an impact on the association by improving the quality of financial management and providing guidance through the significant change that is the underlying Results and Meet Management software used in Little Athletics in Tasmania and I look forward to continuing this drive next year.

Oliver Hippel  
Director





# Director Report

## Amanda Robertson



Season 2021/22 has been my first as a member of the LATas Board. I was approached to fill a vacancy on the board and agreed to join for a 12 month period. After many years at Clarence Little Athletics and moving to involvement in Senior Athletics it was time to give back to Little Athletics. Little Athletics was a place of many cherished memories and special friendships made for all of my family; and I was glad to be a part of seeing Little Athletics continue to thrive in Tasmania.

My portfolio areas are Inclusion, Officials and Race Walking development.

### INCLUSION

Inclusion is a huge area ranging from Athletes with a Disability, Gender Diversity, Ethnic Diversity and First Nation's acknowledgement and inclusion.

As a board we were keen to change the disability events offered at our State Individual Championships to bring them more in line with Para Sport – events run in parallel, both able bodied and athletes with a disability competing side by side. A proposal was made to change the events run at SIC including the processes required to apply for these events – encouraging classification, using the MDS system with Multiclass events on offer, competing in age groups rather than all in one group. These changes were a challenge for some of our members, but many embraced the idea and investigated appropriate classification. Personally, it was fabulous to see athletes competing in their usual age group at SIC, being able to compete in their favoured events and being rewarded for their hard work. I am hopeful that our AWD members will see there is a pathway for them to continue in the sport of Athletics. With ALAC's now including AWD events I am sure we will have some members to include on our State Team in the coming years.

We still have work to do in this area including resourcing centres to assist their AWD members and families, further education about the classification system and provision of equipment for athletes. The board is excited to have received some funding to purchase Running Frames and Throwing frames which will be available for athletes. Little Athletics Australia is also doing a lot of work in this area and will be La'Shaye Grange will be speaking to us about the Provisional PB System and the Inclusion Hub which will be a very helpful resource.

There is much more to be done in the Inclusion space, but we are making progress albeit small steps like including a Welcome to Country at State events. I am always happy to hear feedback and suggestions from others about how best we can improve things for all our athletes so everyone can Be There Best.





## OFFICIALS

Many centres have continued to run regular Officials Training courses throughout the year. Thanks to Brett, Paul, Roger Hosie and others who have helped with these. We have developed a database of Qualified Officials including information on those who have completed AA qualifications. Online training is available on the AA website for all events and can be easily accessed. Centres are encouraged to continue to run education sessions and I would also encourage centres to join together to run these sessions. Our great mentors are available to help with running sessions.

We will continue to look at ways to provide education and updates to Officials and it is important that we develop new officials from parents of our younger athletes so we can continue to run high quality events both at centres and at State meets.

## RACE WALKING

We were able to hold two Coach and Compete Race Walking clinics in this last season. Unfortunately, we were unable to co-ordinate getting up to the North West for a clinic, but will look to rectify this next season. These sessions involved coaching for athletes and education for parents on Race Walk Judging. Parents were offered the opportunity to stand with a judge and be mentored while athletes competed. Feedback was good from the sessions and hopefully we can further improve the sessions next season. Thanks to our walks community both in the South and the North who assisted with coaching and mentoring of judges.

Joining the Board was not on my plan for 2021-22 but I am very glad to be back involved with Little Athletics which I believe offers so much to our children and families. I am hoping to continue my involvement in the coming years and look forward to continuing to work in these portfolios.

Amanda Robertson  
Director



# **The Tasmanian Little Athletics Association Incorporated**

**ABN: 18 754 156 567**

**Financial Report For The Year Ended**

**31 March 2022**



**Profit and loss****The Tasmanian Little Athletics Association Incorporated 01**

Apr 2021 - 31 Mar 2022

		2022	2021
<b>Income</b>			
4-1000	Registrations	152,309.97	141,898.05
4-1100	Affiliations	1,773.59	1,725.41
4-2000	State Individual Championships	19,000.50	17,977.48
4-2100	State Multi Event Championships	29.44	2,910.59
4-2200	State Relay Championships	5,798.18	8,525.00
4-2220	State Cross Country Champs	349.18	645.23
4-2221	Southern Cross Country	1,801.60	-
4-2222	Northern Cross Country	1,255.42	-
4-2300	State Conference	1,499.98	1,274.53
4-3000	Teams ALAC	35,354.36	-
4-3100	Teams ICG 2019	-	6,301.88
4-4000	LAPS & Schools	8,991.00	2,875.00
4-4100	U12/U13 Coaching Camp	30.54	21,889.92
4-4200	Fast Track Squad	621.40	880.33
4-4300	Coaching Courses	-	281.82
4-5000	<u>JOBKEEPER SUBSIDY NO GST</u>	-	34,500.00
<b>Total Income</b>		<b>228,815.16</b>	<b>241,685.24</b>
<b>Less Expense</b>			
6-1000	ALA Affiliation Fees	10.00	10.00
6-1100	LAA Administration Levy & Insurance Fees	23,560.27	45,514.50
6-1200	LAA Conferences & Meetings	1,574.63	-
6-1300	Sponsorship Costs	-	807.73
6-1400	Gifts	218.17	413.64
6-1500	Advertising, Media & Promotion	13,157.94	12,111.09
6-1600	Bank Charges	220.95	537.24
6-1700	Audit & Filing Fees	2,260.00	2,800.00
6-1800	Depreciation	11,647.41	11,436.49
6-2000	Board Meetings	2,347.99	177.07
6-2100	State Conferences	5,160.75	8,671.65
6-2200	Board Conference	330.55	1,673.06
6-2300	Board Member Travel & Accommodation	1,310.38	571.20
6-3000	State Individual Championships	15,104.83	11,812.90
6-3100	State Multi Event Championships	4,559.69	6,478.78
6-3200	State Relay Championships	7,930.25	13,265.16
6-3300	State Cross Country Champs	1,583.53	600.53
6-3310	Southern XC Expense	740.13	-
6-3320	Northern XC Expense	225.03	-
6-3400	State Events - Non Championship	6,572.85	8,891.65
6-3500	State Events - COVID-19 Centres Support Fund	-	3,507.15
6-4000	Rent	14,815.50	17,105.57
6-4100	Postage	965.71	997.23
6-4200	Photocopier	1,045.97	1,272.52
6-4300	Stationery	2,069.06	682.66

**Profit and loss****The Tasmanian Little Athletics Association Incorporated 01**

Apr 2021 - 31 Mar 2022

		2022	2021
6-4400	Office Expenses	555.30	746.07
6-4500	1300 Number Subscription	2,944.41	2,785.91
6-4510	MYOB Subscription	689.84	699.45
6-4520	Microsoft Subscription	166.65	232.77
6-4530	Video/Tele Conference Subscription	230.89	240.37
6-4540	Norton AV Subscription	261.33	143.60
6-4550	Cloud Based File Sharing Subscription	484.09	492.24
6-4560	Xero Subscription	95.46	-
6-4600	Board & Staff Uniforms	459.00	655.00
6-4700	Workers Compensation Insurance	2,107.91	2,296.03
6-4800	Technical Requirements	1,666.90	4,891.55
6-5000	Education & Development	2,365.29	3,850.10
6-5050	LAPS, Schools & Coaching Expenses	6,880.16	8,047.58
6-5100	U12/U13 Coaching Camp	1,931.15	26,664.27
6-5200	DO Travel & Accommodation	234.63	90.00
6-5300	Fast Track Squad	478.00	872.00
6-5700	Motor Vehicle Expenses - Other	259.08	307.25
6-5710	Motor Vehicle Fuel	4,728.48	2,698.38
6-5720	Motor Vehicle Maintenance	1,558.59	359.10
6-5730	Motor Vehicle Registration - MAIB	256.36	-
6-5740	Motor Vehicle Registration	256.83	567.65
6-5750	Motor Vehicle Insurance	979.09	891.82
6-6000	Member Registration Costs	17,958.05	14,880.36
6-7000	Teams - ALAC	19,608.34	363.18
6-7100	Teams - ICG	-	55,449.01
6-8000	Salaries & On Costs	113,914.32	95,481.04
6-8200	<u>Superannuation expense</u>	<u>11,043.12</u>	<u>8,492.70</u>
<b>Total Expense</b>		<b>309,524.86</b>	<b>381,535.25</b>
<b>Operating Profit</b>		<b>- 80,709.70 -</b>	<b>139,850.01</b>



## Profit and loss

### The Tasmanian Little Athletics Association Incorporated 01

Apr 2021 - 31 Mar 2022

		2022	2021
<b>Plus Other Income</b>			
8-0000	State Sponsorship	18,000.00	18,000.00
8-1000	National Sponsorship	25,000.00	33,000.00
8-1100	LAA DO Funding	22,000.00	22,000.00
8-1200	State Government Grants	60,000.00	39,974.00
8-1250	Grants - Minor	-	209.90
8-1300	Interest income	1,916.60	3,893.25
8-1400	Sundry Income	2,998.10	4,777.28
8-1800	Donations	-	4,939.25
<u>8-1900</u>	<u>ATO Cash Flow Boost</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>20,000.00</u>
<b>Total Other Income</b>		<b>129,914.70</b>	<b>146,793.68</b>
<b>Less Other Expense</b>			
9-1000	Sundry expenses	1,265.42	481.82
9-1100	Bad Debts	322.73	-
9-2000	Annual leave expense	3,915.61	2,323.38
<u>9-2050</u>	<u>Long service leave expense</u>	<u>1,735.32</u>	<u>318.06</u>
<b>Total Other Expense</b>		<b>7,239.08</b>	<b>3,123.26</b>
<b><u>Net Profit</u></b>		<b><u>41,965.92</u></b>	<b><u>3,820.41</u></b>

## Balance Sheet

### The Tasmanian Little Athletics Association Incorporated

31 Mar 2022

		2022	2021
<b>Asset</b>			
<b>Banking</b>			
1-1000	Cheque account	79,807.45	337,273.13
1-1100	Bendigo Bank Account	204,026.34	-
1-1200	Petty Cash	-	100.00
1-1400	Term Deposit	367,930.37	267,168.91
1-1550	<u>Fundraising Account - Bendigo Bank</u>	<u>9,287.56</u>	<u>9,287.25</u>
<b>Total Banking</b>		<b>661,051.72</b>	<b>613,829.29</b>
<b>Current Assets</b>			
1-1800	<u>Accounts receivable</u>	<u>39,224.00</u>	<u>33,636.00</u>
<b>Total Current Assets</b>		<b>39,224.00</b>	<b>33,636.00</b>
<b>Fixed Assets</b>			
1-2200	Motor vehicles	29,808.86	29,808.86
1-2250	Motor vehicles - accum depreciation	- 14,335.24 -	7,167.62
1-2400	Office equipment & computers	3,632.31	3,242.31
1-2450	Office equipment - accum depreciation	- 2,770.41 -	1,505.12
1-2600	Plant & equipment	8,466.75	6,663.75
1-2650	<u>Plant &amp; equipment - accum depreciation</u>	<u>- 5,978.25 -</u>	<u>2,763.75</u>
<b>Total Fixed Assets</b>		<b>18,824.02</b>	<b>28,278.43</b>
1-1700	<u>Contra Account</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>88.02</u>
<b>Total Assets</b>		<b>719,099.74</b>	<b>675,831.74</b>
<b>Liability</b>			
<b>Credit Card</b>			
2-1200	<u>Mastercard</u>	<u>1,475.79</u>	<u>668.43</u>
<b>Total Credit Card</b>		<b>1,475.79</b>	<b>668.43</b>
<b>Current Liabilities</b>			
2-1800	Accounts payable	22,104.44	20,369.69
2-2000	Annual leave payable	18,661.99	14,746.38
2-2050	Long service leave payable	6,547.64	4,812.32
2-2200	GST collected	46,479.03	57,463.98
2-2400	GST paid	- 48,262.80 -	59,074.57
2-2600	PAYG withholdings payable	0.74	4,102.00
2-3200	<u>Superannuation payable</u>	<u>- 411.41</u>	<u>2,205.11</u>
<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>		<b>45,119.63</b>	<b>44,624.91</b>



## Balance Sheet

### The Tasmanian Little Athletics Association Incorporated

31 Mar 2022

		2022	2021
Long Term Liabilities		-	
Total Long Term Liabilities		-	-
<b>Total Liabilities</b>		<b>46,595.42</b>	<b>45,293.34</b>
Net Assets		672,504.32	630,538.40
Equity			
Current Earnings			
3-1800	<u>Current year earnings</u>	<u>41,965.92</u>	<u>3,820.41</u>
<b>Total Current Earnings</b>		<b>41,965.92</b>	<b>3,820.41</b>
Retained Earnings			
3-1600	<u>Retained earnings</u>	<u>44,215.10</u>	<u>40,394.69</u>
<b>Total Retained Earnings</b>		<b>44,215.10</b>	<b>40,394.69</b>
3-9999	<u>Historical balancing</u>	<u>586,323.30</u>	<u>586,323.30</u>
<b>Total Equity</b>		<b>672,504.32</b>	<b>630,538.40</b>

**The Tasmanian Little Athletics Association Incorporated**  
**Notes to the Financial Statements**  
**For The Year Ended 31 March 2022**

**Note 1 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

**(a) Basis of Preparation**

These financial statements are special purpose financial statements prepared in order to satisfy the financial reporting requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act Tasmania 1964. The Board has determined that the association is not a reporting entity.

The financial statements have been prepared on an accruals basis, are based on historic costs and do not take into account changing money values or, except where specifically stated, current valuations of non-current assets.

The following significant accounting policies, which are consistent with the previous period unless otherwise stated, have been adopted in the preparation of the financial statements.

**(b) Income Tax**

The Tasmanian Little Athletics Association Incorporated is not subject to income tax.

**(c) Plant and Equipment**

Equipment is carried at cost less, where applicable, any accumulated depreciation.

The depreciable amount of all equipment is depreciated over the useful lives of the assets to the association commencing from the time the asset is held ready for use.

**(d) Impairment of Assets**

At the end of each reporting period, the association reviews the carrying values of its assets to determine whether there is any indication that those assets have been impaired. If such an indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset, being the higher of the asset's fair value less costs to sell and value in use, is compared to the asset's carrying value. Any excess of the asset's carrying value over its recoverable amount is expensed to the income and expenditure statement.

**(e) Revenue and Other Income**

Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable after taking into account any trade discounts and volume rebates allowed. For this purpose, deferred consideration is not discounted to present values when recognising revenue.

Interest revenue is recognised using the effective interest rate method, which for floating rate financial assets is the rate inherent in the instrument.

Grant and sponsorship income is recognised when the entity becomes entitled to the funds, which is generally at the time the sponsor confirms the funding.

All revenue is stated net of the amount of goods and services tax (GST).

**(f) Cash and Cash Equivalents**

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, deposits held at call with banks, and other short-term highly liquid investments.

**(g) Goods and Services Tax (GST)**

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST, except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the Tax Office. In these circumstances the GST is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of an item of the expense. Receivables and payables in the assets and liabilities statement are shown inclusive of GST.



## **The Tasmanian Little Athletics Association Incorporated Officers' Assertion Statement**

The Board has determined that the association is not a reporting entity and that this special purpose financial report should be prepared in accordance with the accounting policies outlined in Note 1 to the financial statements.

In the opinion of the Board the financial report:

1. Presents a true and fair view of the financial position of The Tasmanian Little Athletics Association Incorporated as at 31 March 2022 and its performance for the year ended on that date.
2. At the date of this statement, there are reasonable grounds to believe that The Tasmanian Little Athletics Association Incorporated will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due.

This statement is made in accordance with a resolution of the Board and is signed for and on behalf of the Board by:



**Brett Johnstone**

**President**

Dated: 10 May 2022



**Oliver Hippel**

**Treasurer**

Dated: 10 May 2022



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**THE TASMANIAN LITTLE ATHLETICS ASSOCIATION INCORPORATED  
ABN: 18 754 156 567**

**AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION  
TO THE MEMBERS OF THE TASMANIAN LITTLE ATHLETICS  
ASSOCIATION INCORPORATED**

I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, during the year ended  
31 March 2022 there have been no contraventions of:

- i. the auditor independence requirements as set out in the *Associations  
Incorporation Act 1962 (Tas)* in relation to the audit; and
- ii. any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

**Michael Ian Derbyshire**  
Director

Hobart

Date:

**INDEPENDENT AUDIT REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF THE TASMANIAN  
LITTLE ATHLETICS ASSOCIATION INCORPORATED**

**Opinion**

We have audited the special purpose financial report of The Tasmanian Little Athletics Association Incorporated (the Entity), which comprises the balance sheet as at 31 March 2022, the income and expenditure statement for the year then ended, notes comprising a summary of significant accounting policies, other explanatory notes and the statement by members of the Committee.

In our opinion, except for the matter referred to in the Basis for Opinion paragraph below, the accompanying financial report presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of The Tasmanian Little Athletics Association Incorporated as at 31 March 2022, and of its financial performance for the year then ended in accordance with the financial reporting requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act Tasmania 1964.

**Basis for Opinion**

As is common for organisations of this type, it is not practicable for The Tasmanian Little Athletics Association Incorporated to maintain an effective system of internal control over fundraising and cash receipts until their initial entry into the accounting records. Accordingly, our audit in relation to fundraising and cash receipts was limited to the amounts recorded.

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report section of our report. We are independent of the Entity in accordance with the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.



**Emphasis of Matter – Basis of Accounting**

The financial report has been prepared to assist The Tasmanian Little Athletics Association Incorporated to meet the requirements of the applicable legislation. As a result, the financial report may not be suitable for another purpose. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

**Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Report**

The Committee is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report in accordance with the financial reporting requirements of the applicable legislation and for such internal control as the Committee determines is necessary to enable the preparation and fair presentation of a financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, the Committee is responsible for assessing the Entity's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters relating to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Committee either intends to liquidate the Entity or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Entity's financial reporting process.

**Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report** Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of this financial report.

As part of an audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.

- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the committee.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the committee's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the entity's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial report or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the entity to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial report, including the disclosures, and whether the financial report represents the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with the committee regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.



**Michael Ian Derbyshire**  
Director

Hobart  
Date:

# Competition





# Data 2021-2022



# coles STATE SERIES

Coles State Series #1 REPORT - 7<sup>th</sup> November 2021, Hobart

## Competitors by Age Group

	U6	U7	U8	U9	U10	U11	U12	U13	U14	U15	TOTAL
BOYS	8	14	19	15	12	16	19	9	11	5	128
GIRLS	3	13	12	17	22	16	16	13	9	5	126
TOTAL	11	27	31	32	34	32	35	22	20	10	254

## Competitors by Centre – Last 8 Years

Centre	21/22	20/21	19/20	18/19	17/18	16/17	15/16	14/15
Bruny Island	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0	4	0
Burnie	1	3	17	15	9	6	5	5
Circular Head	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Claremont	8	8	8	14	14	23	19	10
Clarence	40	69	87	71	73	60	97	73
Deloraine	0	2	2	4	3	2	9	2
Devonport	1	0	1	1	1	2	5	1
East Derwent	1	25	34	38	32	43	53	64
Glamorgan/Spring Bay	0	0	2	0	0	4	8	0
Hobart Districts	63	65	74	77	54	40	52	47
Huon Valley	41	59	40	39	34	30	33	16
Kingborough	53	69	69	57	57	66	57	60
Launceston	2	0	0	2	0	5	10	15
Longford Districts	3	3	0	2	11	3	5	3
North East	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1
North Launceston White City	1	1	3	2	11	9	10	3
Peninsula	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0	0	8
Queenborough	15	34	20	30	16	23	21	24
South East Districts	6	9	22	18	20	22	24	25
South Launceston	19	33	47	49	53	43	60	40
St Helens	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0
TOTAL	254	383	426	419	388	384	472	397

### NOTES:

Entries received pre-event were 331.

No “on the day” entries were permitted due to Covid restrictions.

Weather in Hobart – Mostly sunny, light breeze.

Ran Program “C”.

Meet was run on Sunday.

# coles STATE SERIES

Coles State Series #2 REPORT - 20<sup>th</sup> November 2021, Launceston

## Competitors by Age Group

	U6	U7	U8	U9	U10	U11	U12	U13	U14	U15	TOTAL
BOYS	14	20	12	14	14	18	15	10	12	10	139
GIRLS	2	18	14	16	23	14	18	13	9	7	134
TOTAL	16	38	26	30	37	32	33	23	21	17	273

## Competitors by Centre – Last 8 Years

Centre	21/22	20/21	19/20	18/19	17/18	16/17	15/16	14/15
Burnie	16	18	29	22	32	20	22	19
Circular Head	0	0	0	1	2	5	4	0
Claremont	2	0	0	4	4	6	0	0
Clarence	13	9	14	10	26	17	20	26
Deloraine	0	2	3	7	22	26	35	52
Devonport	12	5	13	8	26	17	18	18
East Derwent	3	3	6	4	19	17	18	38
Glamorgan/Spring Bay	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0
Hobart Districts	21	6	16	10	10	16	16	30
Huon Valley	23	8	11	19	16	14	14	5
Kingborough	12	8	8	15	25	20	16	19
Launceston	21	8	13	4	12	23	38	29
Longford Districts	20	20	22	16	37	36	39	34
North East	6	4	9	5	16	23	30	28
North Launceston White City	14	10	11	12	34	45	55	29
Queenborough	6	3	4	11	8	7	1	2
South East Districts	4	0	0	0	0	1	3	1
South Launceston	100	103	141	85	112	152	132	103
St Helens	1	1	4	0	12	24	6	3
TOTAL	273	208	304	233*	413	479	467	436

### NOTES:

Entries received pre-event were 336.

No “on the day” entries were permitted due to Covid restrictions.

Weather in Launceston – 15.2° (9am), 22.3° (3pm). Mostly sunny with very light breeze

Ran Program “B”.

\*18/19 NAS washed out after 2 hours of competition.



# coles STATE SERIES

Coles State Series #3 REPORT - 11<sup>th</sup> December 2021, Penguin

## Competitors by Age Group

	U6	U7	U8	U9	U10	U11	U12	U13	U14	U15	TOTAL
BOYS	14	15	21	8	18	14	16	12	9	10	137
GIRLS	6	10	15	23	18	23	12	21	10	6	144
TOTAL	20	25	36	31	36	37	28	33	19	16	281

## Competitors by Centre – Last 2 Years

Centre	21/22	20/21
Burnie	115	102
Circular Head	2	0
Claremont	2	0
Clarence	3	9
Deloraine	3	2
Devonport	47	29
East Derwent	1	2
Glamorgan/Spring Bay	0	0
Hobart Districts	7	7
Huon Valley	12	10
Kingborough	6	4
Launceston	14	3
Longford Districts	14	12
North East	0	0
North Launceston White City	6	1
Queenborough	1	1
South East Districts	0	0
South Launceston	48	75
St Helens	0	1
TOTAL	281	258

### NOTES:

Entries received pre-event were 331.

No “on the day” entries were permitted due to Covid restrictions.

Weather in Hobart – Mostly sunny, light breeze.

Ran Program “A”.

Meet was run on Sunday.

# CENTRE CHALLENGE

## Northern Centre Challenge

	Centre	NAS*	SAS*	NWAS*	TOTAL	REGOs	Pts/Rego	Penalty%	Penalty	SCORE
1	Burnie	64	4	452	588	185	3.18	0%	0.00	3.18
2	South Launceston	408	76	200	960	362	2.65	5%	0.13	2.52
3	Longford Districts	83	13	56	221	99	2.23	0%	0.00	2.23
4	Devonport	50	5	192	302	154	1.96	0%	0.00	1.96
5	Launceston	81	9	54	207	114	1.82	0%	0.00	1.82
6	NL-White City	61	4	21	111	79	1.41	0%	0.00	1.41
7	Deloraine	0	0	12	24	33	0.73	0%	0.00	0.73
8	North East	23	0	0	23	70	0.33	0%	0.00	0.33
9	Circular Head	0	0	8	8	38	0.21	0%	0.00	0.21
10	St Helens	4	0	0	4	60	0.07	0%	0.00	0.07

## Southern Centre Challenge

	Centre	NAS*	SAS*	NWAS*	TOTAL	REGOs	Pts/Rego	Penalty%	Penalty	SCORE
1	Huon Valley	87	161	46	427	113	3.78	5%	0.19	3.59
2	Hobart Districts	87	252	28	482	227	2.12	0%	0.00	2.12
3	Kingborough	55	217	23	373	192	1.94	0%	0.00	1.94
4	Clarence	46	158	11	272	202	1.35	0%	0.00	1.35
5	Claremont	8	32	8	64	60	1.07	0%	0.00	1.07
6	Queenborough	25	60	4	118	191	0.62	0%	0.00	0.62
7	South East Districts	17	27	0	61	127	0.48	0%	0.00	0.48
8	East Derwent	6	4	4	24	57	0.42	0%	0.00	0.42
9	Glamorgan Spring Bay	0	0	0	0	8	0.00	0%	0.00	0.00

### Explanatory Notes:

Designated "home" meet is highlighted grey. "Away" meets are not highlighted.

\*NAS, SAS and NWAS numbers are the number of total events done by athletes from each Centre at that meet.

\*When calculating the Total, "Away" meet numbers are doubled ("Home" meet isn't) – eg Huon Valley =  $29 \times 2 + 255 \times 1 + 44 \times 2 = 401$ .

Rego number were as at 12<sup>th</sup> December (date of final All State meet).

Pts/Rego is Total Points divided by registered athletes (as at 12/12/21).

A 5% penalty applies to any Centre for every year that they have won in the past 5 years under this new system. (SL & BNE 5% , HV 10% next year).

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# MULTI EVENT

State Multi Event Championships, 15th - 16th January 2022, Launceston



## Individual Entry Numbers by Age Group – Last 8 Years

Age Group	2022 (L)	2021 (P)	2020 (H)	2019 (P)	2018 (H)	2017 (L)	2016 (H)	2015 (L)
U9 Girls	15	13	18	19	18	22	25	23
U10 Girls	21	16	23	15	22	25	25	24
U11 Girls	20	14	17	19	17	29	27	26
U12 Girls	13	19	20	21	25	17	19	25
U13 Girls	15	20	22	14	13	19	22	26
U14 Girls	14	13	14	13	11	16	16	12
U15 Girls	7	9	10	9	13	11	8	8
U9 Boys	8	12	17	17	12	20	32	25
U10 Boys	11	9	22	11	15	28	34	21
U11 Boys	14	20	13	19	19	31	27	19
U12 Boys	9	10	19	17	22	24	18	24
U13 Boys	6	24	17	13	16	12	19	22
U14 Boys	11	9	13	16	18	13	11	12
U15 Boys	7	11	11	10	9	15	14	14
TOTAL	171	199	236	213	230	282	297	281

## Individual Entries By Centre – Last 8 Years

Centre	2022 (L)	2021 (P)	2020 (H)	2019 (P)	2018 (H)	2017 (L)	2016 (H)	2015 (L)
Burnie	18	58	17	38	17	29	17	23
Circular Head	0	2	0	2	0	3	0	5
Claremont	0	0	0	2	1	4	8	0
Clarence	14	12	38	18	30	17	28	21
Deloraine	1	2	1	6	2	14	12	9
Devonport	1	4	3	9	3	7	3	5
East Derwent	0	2	16	3	21	9	25	24
Glamorgan/Spring Bay	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hobart Districts	16	11	27	12	24	24	32	24
Huon Valley	15	18	23	12	16	8	14	8
Kingborough	18	16	24	12	32	20	42	29
Launceston	14	4	5	5	2	11	17	24
Longford Districts	9	7	6	12	7	22	3	7
North East	1	1	3	4	0	4	0	14
North Launceston White City	0	1	2	3	6	13	10	13
Queenborough	3	1	13	6	9	6	26	6
South East Districts	0	0	2	0	5	4	6	1
South Launceston	61	58	56	69	53	83	53	68
St Helens	0	2	0	0	2	4	1	0
TOTAL	171*	199	236	213	230	282	297	281

## Team Entries (44) – Last 2 years ( in format “2022-2021”)

	Under 9	Under 10	Under 11	Under 12	Under 13	Under 14	Under 15
Boys	2-1	2-2	3-4	2-3	1-5	4-1	2-3
Girls	4-2	5-2	6-4	4-4	4-4	3-3	2-3
TOTALS	6-3	7-4	9-8	6-7	5-9	7-4	4-6





# PAUL STREET MEMORIAL AWARD



# RELAYS

State Relay Championships, 5th February 2022, Hobart



## Individual Entries Per Centre – Last 8 Years

Year	Event	BNE	CH	CMT	CLA	DEL	DPT	ED	GSB	HD	HV	KGB	LTN	LFD	NE	WC	QBG	SED	SL	SH	TOTAL
2015 (L)	4x100m	40	0	0	60	59	0	38	0	31	0	31	79	24	0	24	4	0	121	0	511
	4x200m	32	0	0	45	26	0	29	0	22	0	30	50	19	0	19	4	0	79	0	355
	Swedish	32	0	0	45	24	0	9	0	22	0	30	50	16	0	16	4	0	79	0	327
2016 (H)	4x100m	29	0	15	127	10	0	50	0	72	42	58	6	0	0	0	38	16	109	0	572
	4x200m	29	0	10	90	9	0	34	0	52	21	54	6	0	0	0	30	8	88	0	431
	Swedish	29	0	10	90	9	0	34	0	52	9	54	6	0	0	0	30	8	88	0	419
2017 (P)	4x100m	93	0	0	28	9	24	1	0	9	3	10	10	43	0	29	9	4	122	0	394
	4x200m	63	0	0	28	9	12	1	0	9	2	9	7	35	0	24	9	3	86	0	297
	Swedish	63	0	0	28	9	12	1	0	9	2	9	7	35	0	24	9	3	86	0	297
2018 (H)	4x100m	28	0	8	123	0	0	23	0	74	52	61	0	25	0	6	53	13	110	0	576
	4x200m	28	0	4	95	0	0	23	0	51	30	51	0	20	0	5	37	9	89	0	442
	Swedish	28	0	4	95	0	0	23	0	51	30	51	0	20	0	5	37	9	89	0	442
2019 (L)	4x100m	51	0	0	45	16	4	9	0	30	15	24	12	22	0	4	21	0	127	0	380
	4x200m	43	0	0	45	12	4	9	0	30	15	20	11	26	0	4	17	0	111	0	347
	Swedish	43	0	0	45	12	4	9	0	30	15	20	11	26	0	4	17	0	111	0	347
2020 (H)	4x100m	33	0	0	77	0	0	12	0	82	59	49	0	0	0	0	39	0	109	0	460
	4x200m	34	0	0	68	0	0	12	0	64	40	53	0	0	0	0	42	0	99	0	412
	Swedish	29	0	0	60	0	0	13	0	57	36	47	0	0	0	0	34	0	96	0	372
2021 (L)	Field	29	0	0	78	0	0	5	0	78	59	50	0	0	0	0	40	0	106	0	445
	4x100m	59	0	0	35	6	8	0	0	53	32	32	10	26	0	16	20	0	152	1	450
	4x200m	51	0	0	33	6	4	0	0	45	24	31	6	19	0	15	20	0	123	0	377
2022 (H)*	Swedish	51	0	0	33	6	4	0	0	45	24	31	6	19	0	15	20	0	123	0	377
	Field	55	0	0	33	6	8	0	0	49	28	31	10	24	0	15	20	0	138	0	417
	4x100m	20	0	1	58	0	0	0	0	88	46	53	1	7	0	1	48	13	87	0	423
2022 (H)*	4x200m	16	0	1	50	0	0	0	0	68	36	39	1	7	0	1	32	9	83	0	343
	Swedish	16	0	1	50	0	0	0	0	68	36	39	1	7	0	1	32	9	83	0	343
	Field	21	0	1	65	0	0	0	0	91	46	55	1	7	0	1	43	11	87	0	429



### Team Entries by Age Group – Last 8 Years

	4 x 100m	4 x 200m	Swedish	Field Relay
U6/7 Inv	10-9-11-10-17-13-22-21			
U8 Boys	5-3-4-5-8-4-5-11	-	-	5-3-4
U8 Girls	6-5-6-4-7-7-6-7	-	-	6-5-6
U9 Boys	6-6-6-6-6-7-11-7	6-6-6-6-6-7-11-6	6-6-6-6-6-7-10-6	6-6-6
U9 Girls	7-7-9-9-10-5-10-7	7-7-8-8-9-5-10-7	7-7-8-8-9-5-9-7	7-7-9
U10 Boys	7-6-5-5-7-6-10-11	7-6-5-5-7-6-10-11	7-6-5-5-7-6-10-10	7-6-5
U10 Girls	10-9-11-6-9-7-10-8	10-9-11-7-10-7-10-8	10-9-11-7-10-7-10-7	10-9-10
U11 Boys	9-6-6-8-11-9-8-8	9-6-6-8-11-9-8-8	9-6-6-8-11-9-8-7	9-6-6
U11 Girls	9-10-7-8-11-4-12-6	9-10-7-8-11-4-12-6	9-10-7-8-11-4-12-5	9-10-7
U12 Boys	5-5-5-8-9-6-5-7	5-5-5-8-9-6-5-7	5-5-5-8-9-6-4-7	5-5-5
U12 Girls	9-9-9-10-11-8-7-9	9-9-9-10-11-8-7-9	9-9-9-10-11-8-7-8	9-9-8
U13 Boys	4-6-4-7-5-4-7-6	4-6-4-7-5-4-7-6	4-6-4-7-5-4-7-5	4-6-3
U13 Girls	6-7-8-5-6-6-6-6	6-7-8-5-6-6-6-6	6-7-8-5-6-6-6-6	6-7-8
U14 Boys	5-3-4-3-4-4-3-3	5-3-4-3-4-4-3-3	5-3-4-3-4-4-3-3	5-3-5
U14 Girls	6-6-5-4-7-4-6-3	6-6-5-4-7-4-6-3	6-6-5-4-7-4-6-3	6-6-5
U15 Boys	3-5-6-3-5-2-3-3	3-5-6-3-5-2-3-3	3-5-6-3-5-2-3-3	3-5-4
U15 Girls	4-5-7-3-6-4-5-6	4-5-7-3-6-4-5-6	4-5-7-3-6-4-5-5	4-5-6
TOTALS	111-107-113-104-139-100-136-129	90-90-91-85-107-76-103-89	90-90-91-85-107-76-100-82	101-98-97

#### NOTES:

In format "2022-2021-2020-2019-2018-2017-2016-2015"

Weather in Hobart – Cloudy and overcast early, mainly fine and partly cloudy later with light breeze all day.

\*2022 was ran in conjunction with AT State Relay Championships





# STATE INDIVIDUAL

State Individual Championships, 12th - 13th March 2022

Individual Competitors by Age Group – 2022 only (excludes “no show” entries)

	U8	U9	U10	U11	U12	U13	U14	U15	TOTAL
BOYS	28	21	31	27	26	17	20	19	189
GIRLS	19	34	30	35	37	29	23	16	223
TOTAL	47	55	61	62	63	46	43	35	412

Individual Entries by Centre – Last 8 Years (Actual Competitors in brackets)

Centre	2022 (P)	2021(H)	2020(L)	2019 (H)	2018 (L)	2017(H)	2016(L)	2015(H)
Burnie	70 (57)	44 (44)	46 (42)	40 (40)	42 (39)	45 (42)	38	34
Circular Head	2 (2)	1 (1)	2 (2)	4 (2)	6 (6)	6 (6)	12	7
Claremont	2 (2)	2 (2)	2 (2)	3 (3)	5 (4)	12 (7)	6	4
Clarence	36 (33)	59 (56)	57 (57)	64 (64)	63 (61)	90 (86)	50	55
Deloraine	1 (1)	1 (1)	5 (5)	4 (4)	14 (14)	12 (10)	13	7
Devonport	31 (31)	8 (8)	6 (6)	8 (8)	14 (12)	11 (8)	11	9
East Derwent	2 (2)	9 (9)	14 (12)	26 (25)	21 (20)	24 (21)	31	27
Glamorgan/Spring Bay	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	1 (1)	2 (2)	4 (4)	3	0
Hobart Districts	36 (32)	54 (54)	41 (39)	44 (42)	40 (39)	38 (37)	34	41
Huon Valley	31 (28)	34 (34)	23 (23)	19 (19)	21 (21)	24 (24)	15	11
Kingborough	42 (37)	46 (45)	30 (27)	39 (39)	40 (40)	48 (44)	35	44
Launceston	17 (15)	7 (7)	7 (7)	5 (4)	15 (13)	11 (10)	28	18
Longford Districts	8 (8)	6 (3)	12 (12)	13 (12)	27 (24)	29 (29)	26	24
North East	2 (0)	3 (3)	3 (3)	2 (2)	7 (7)	8 (8)	14	5
North L'ton/ White City	5 (5)	2 (2)	4 (4)	9 (9)	21 (21)	19 (16)	26	11
Peninsula	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0 (0)	0	3
Queenborough	24 (23)	32 (31)	24 (22)	32 (28)	19 (19)	25 (23)	22	36
South East Districts	3 (3)	3 (2)	8 (7)	2 (2)	3 (3)	11 (10)	3	7
South Launceston	100 (94)	104 (102)	135 (129)	97 (96)	109 (108)	98 (96)	122	76
St Helens	0 (0)	0 (0)	2 (2)	0 (0)	3 (3)	11 (7)	4	2
TOTAL	412 (373)	415 (404)	420 (401)	412 (400)	472 (456)	526 (488)	493	421

## NOTES:

Weather in Penguin:

Saturday – 12.7° (9am), 19.3° (3pm), Max 20.8°. No rain.

Sunday – 13.9° (9am), 21.1° (3pm), Max 22.5°. No rain.



# CHAMPIONSHIPS

SIC Entry Numbers per Event – 2022 only (includes withdrawals and “no shows”)

## Track Events

	Hurd	70m	100m	200m	400m	800m	1500m	Walks	200/ 300H
U8 Boys	17	13	12	16	16				
U8 Girls	7	13	11	10	10				
U9 Boys	12	10	11	10	7	5		7	
U9 Girls	15	13	12	13	11	7		10	
U10 Boys	6	10	9	13	9	9		7	
U10 Girls	16	12	11	13	14	12		9	
U11 Boys	11		11	16	13	8	8	4	
U11 Girls	18		17	15	11	13	9	6	
U12 Boys	6		7	8	9	6	6	2	
U12 Girls	10		14	14	13	12	6	4	
U13 Boys	6		7	7	4	5	3	2	7
U13 Girls	12		9	10	13	10	4	5	11
U14 Boys	5		11	10	7	7	4	1	6
U14 Girls	7		14	12	5	4	2	3	5
U15 Boys	5		11	7	4	4	3	1	2
U15 Girls	5		7	8	6	8	4	5	2

## Field Events

	Long	High	Triple	Discus	Shot	Jav
U8 Boys	11			12	10	12
U8 Girls	9			7	9	7
U9 Boys	11	8		11	12	10
U9 Girls	11	11		12	12	10
U10 Boys	11	8		10	9	5
U10 Girls	11	8		11	10	12
U11 Boys	9	11	12	8	10	8
U11 Girls	11	10	12	9	12	8
U12 Boys	8	4	7	11	11	11
U12 Girls	12	11	9	8	11	10
U13 Boys	7	6	3	9	4	6
U13 Girls	11	10	12	9	7	8
U14 Boys	9	4	7	6	8	7
U14 Girls	11	7	8	7	9	11
U15 Boys	11	5	5	11	10	4
U15 Girls	8	4	10	7	8	11



# STATE RECORDS

## 2021-2022

Age Group	Meet	Event	Athlete	New Record
U13G	CSS#1	1500m	Violet Owen	4:45.38
U7G	CSS#2	Vortex	Ella Halloran	18.35m
U14G	CSS#3	Discus	Arielle Cannell	36.34m
U12G	Multis	Multi Event	Palepa Leauma	3339 points
U13G	Multis	Multi Event	Matilda Lange	4104 points
U15G	Multis	Multi Event	Abbey Berlese	4459 points
U13G	Relays	Swedish Relay	South Launceston	2:32.93
U11G	Relays	4 x 200m Relay	South Launceston	2:06.38
U14G	Relays	4 x 200m Relay	Hobart Districts	1:49.95
U11G	SIC	80m Hurdles	Mia Gilmour	13.53
U14G	SIC	80m Hurdles	Evie Bingham	13.05
U14G	SIC	400m	Lacey Tilyard	59.84
U15B	SIC	Triple Jump	Blake Doyle	13.21m
U13G	SIC	800m	Violet Owen	2:17.40
U14B	SIC	1500m Walk	Samuel Lindsay	6:26.81
U14G	SIC	Long Jump	Evie Bingham	5.51m
U12B	SIC	800m T/F 38 F08	Archie Dixon	3:00.29
U12B	SIC	Shot Put T/F 38 F08	Archie Dixon	5.51m

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# Administration Report

## ONLINE REGISTRATIONS/TICKET TO PLAY

Little Athletics Tasmania was once again the leading summer sport for Ticket to Play Voucher claims in 2021-2022. This is largely due to LATas and our affiliated Centres widely advertising the vouchers to members through flyer distribution and social media campaigns in the lead up to and throughout the season.

Ticket to Play vouchers are a Tasmanian Government initiative which provide eligible families with 2 x \$100 vouchers for children up to 18 years of age to assist with the costs of sporting clubs registrations. The process for families in claiming the discount when registering with Little Athletics Tasmania was simplified during the previous season and continued to be a smooth process in 2021-2022, thanks to the good work done by Chris & Nick at Timing Solutions. Thanks must also be extended to Matthew Abey from Communities Tasmania for his continued support to both myself and families with Ticket to Play queries.

Our online registration portal once again provided a hassle-free platform for members to register. Since making the change to the Timing Solutions system, requests for assisting with logging on to register have dropped significantly. Little Athletics Tasmania will be increasing the use of the Timing Solutions events system in the 2022-2023 season, utilising the event functions for athletes to register for all state events.

## WORKING WITH VULNERABLE PEOPLE REGISTRATION

In 2021, LATas introduced an online registration portal for Coaches, Officials & volunteers to register their information. This has allowed for LATas to record and monitor details of Working with Vulnerable People (Children) cards, which has previously lied with the Centres to manage individually.

A total of 233 people have registered their information via the portal, which has been uploaded to the CBOS/ Department of Justice WWVP database, ensuring LATas will be notified if any accreditation is revoked or expires.

There is no cost to register as a Coach, Official or volunteer with LATas and Centres are asked to ensure all Centre Administrators, age group managers & volunteers register their details leading up to the new season.

## COLES

The Little Athletics Australia partnership with Coles continued to benefit members throughout the 2021-2022 season, with bananas available weekly for Centres along with the Coles Community Fund continuing to deliver much needed funds for equipment.







The Coles Community Round continues to be a nationwide event and once again we had a large percentage of Centre participating. The Coles Community Round was held in November with more than half of our Centres participating.

The Coles Community Fund continued to support Centres throughout the past season, with over \$80,000.00 being distributed to Tasmanian Centres since the fund was introduced in 2019. Centres used the grants to upgrade timing equipment, purchase High Jump bags and Hurdles, which greatly reduced the workload on volunteers having to raise funds for equipment upgrades. Our sincere thanks to Coles for giving our Centres the opportunity to access this support, and to our Centres for complying with the requirements of the fund.

### INFORMATION MANUALS/BADGES

LATas continued produce individual Centre information manuals for the 2021-2022 season, which enable Centres to personalise the information provided to their members. The individual Centre manuals do require additional time to produce, but the benefits to Centres and costs savings involved with printing offset the additional labour costs. It is important that Centres get their information back to the office as soon as possible to avoid production delays.

In 2021-2022, LATas sent out the full season distribution of award badges to Centres at the start of the season. This proved to be a successful move with only those Centres who had a significant increase in registrations requiring top-up of stock throughout the season.

LATas continued to provide personalised name badges during the 2021-2022 Season. Providing personalised badges takes time for the LATas Office to manage the weekly orders, which have turnaround time of 5-7 days. Athletes are required to wear names badges at all Centre and State events. There were a few occasions throughout the season where badges were not distributed to athletes by Centres or sat in Post Office boxes, resulting in duplicate orders being placed. We need to ensure that badges are distributed to athletes as soon as received, and those Centres using PO Boxes for mail check them at least weekly.

We have a number of key Committee members stepping down from Centres this year. My sincere thanks for your assistance in your various roles within your Centre and for your contribution to Little Athletics in Tasmania. LATas Admin relies heavily on Centre Committee members providing information in a timely manner and am grateful for the support received over the past season.

To the incoming Committee members, please know that the LATas Office is there to help you. If there is anything you are unsure about feel free to contact us for assistance.

Tracy Canham  
Administration Officer



# Development Report

## LAPS

From the beginning of Term 2 2021 and running through until the conclusion of Term 1 2022 I have visited 49 schools and been involved in 5 sports expo days across the state. In this time there has been numerous repeat visits and along with the assistance of Jade Longstaff, Little Athletics Tasmania has been able to be in 2 different schools on the same day several times. The 49 schools and 5 expos visited equates to a total number of 8,477 students over this period, which was up on the 4,772 from last year. The breakdown of schools/expos visited by area is provided in the table below.

Southern Schools	14
Northern Schools	9
North- West Schools/Expos	9
North- East Schools	1
Eastern Schools/Expos	4
Western Schools	3
Huon/Channel Schools/Expos	8
Midland Schools	6

Term 3 coincided with the Tokyo Olympic Games and because of this it turned out to be our busiest term of the year. During the last year I have continued my amazing working relationships with the 3 Department of Education Regional Sports Co-ordinators. They have assisted me immensely with the promotion of our LAPS programs by being able to endorse it to all public schools throughout the state and by being able to place me in contact with all the major school associations around the state. This year has also seen us invited to many different Sports Expo Days across the state which gives us valuable exposure to the many different schools partaking in the day and gives the students a chance to participate in our LAPS program.

## COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

This season we haven't had an opportunity to be out in the community as much as we like, this is mainly due to the lack of suitable events to participate in. Over the winter period we re-introduced the Northern Cross Country which gained some great following from non-registered families and gave us an opportunity to put up some signage around some well-known parks in the greater Launceston area. If anyone ever has any ideas on how to better promote Little Athletics Tasmania or know of any suitable events coming up, please let us know.





## COACHING CLINICS

Throughout this season we were able to run a large number of successful clinics for all age groups. During the Christmas holidays I ran Coach and Compete Clinics for our U6-U10 age groups, these covered Long Jump and Shot Put with many athletes gaining huge PB's to take back to their centres with them and the confidence to perform well in the championship season.

Our U11's had clinics at each of the three Coles State Series meets based around the new events that they would be competing in. The events covered in these clinics were Block Starts, High Jump (Flop), Triple Jump and Javelin.

Our U12/13's were provided with a replacement 2 day clinic in early January after we were required to cancel camp due to Covid.

Finally our U14/15's also got the opportunity to improve their skills at clinics at the 3 Coles State Series meets. These were based around events that are in their multi.

A big shout out to all the coaches involved. There are too many to count and name but each one volunteered their time, no questions asked. Thank you all very much for your efforts and assistance for the season.

## FUTURE PLANS

At the moment with the uncertainty around Covid, schools are uncertain of what they can and can't provide students. I will however be in constant communication with DoE, Catholic, Christian and Independent School contacts to promote and push Little Athletics Tasmania involvement in their school programs.

Cross country is in full swing and planning is in place to hopefully be heavily based in the school scene to coincide with the Commonwealth Games in late July, early August.

I am looking to give us more community exposure by having stalls at events such as Launceston Running Festival, Hobart Marathon, Burnie 10, School Fairs or even shopping centres. If anyone else has any ideas please let me know.

Coaching clinics will be a high priority after the success we have had this season. Once again I will try to cater for all age groups. Look out for Come and Try days in September and also our U11 clinics will be targeted for pre-season so they will be able to hit the track running for the season ahead.

Zane Patmore  
Development & Competition Officer





# 2022 State Team

## U13 State Team Members

Matilda Lange - Captain	Xavier Case - Captain
Chanel Charles - Vice Captain	Lachlan Job - Vice Captain
Rosie Arnold	Kayla McPherson
Rhys Barwick	Charles Morgan
Courtney Brown	Luke Oldham
Lily Carr	Macie Petterwood
Annabelle Cook	Lachlan Preece
Kirra Doyle	Lincon Talbot
Sebastian Hardinge	Edith Tracey
Milah Hatten	Oakley Vernon
Maxwell Innes	Isla Werkman
Marz Kwa	Zahli Wescombe

## U15 State Team Members

Abbey Berlese	Theo Collins
Charli Ross	Blake Doyle
Izzy Wing	Avery Thomas

## Team Managers

Kay Knee - Susan McLeod

## Team Coaches

Zane Patmore - Jade Longstaff - Anna Davie  
Roger Hosie - Paul Mommers





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## Australian Little Athletics Championships (ALAC)

22<sup>nd</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup> April 2022

Venue: Lakeside Stadium, Melbourne

Team Management: Kay Knee, Susan McLeod  
Team Coaches: Anna Davie, Roger Hosie, Zane Patmore,  
Jade Longstaff

Athletes:  
U13- 10B, 14G  
U15 – 3B, 3G  
Total Athletes: 30

The lead up to ALAC was very busy, mainly due to the uncertainty of it proceeding because of the current COVID climate but under the management of Kay Knee who has sixteen years under her belt, Little Athletics Tasmania (LAT) got the team to Melbourne.

Training for ALAC's is regional and State. The need is definitely there to get at least two All State trainings in, so the athletes feel like they are in a team. Thank you to the parents on getting the athletes to their trainings. We had some disruptions with the athletes being close contacts and contacting COVID during this time, but resilience paid off.

The selectors and coaches got the formula right for the team points, sometimes it's not the best person to be put into an event, but the person who can get us the points.

The U13 athletes never said no on the weekend, was always smiling and cheerful, worked hard to get us as many points as we could. Due to this attitude, LAT was able to retain the Dick Healy Trophy again this year.

Congratulations went to our only medallist – Marz Kwa for her javelin.

Our U15's is a moment of history for Tasmanian Little Athletics that it will be a very long time before we see that again.

The trio of Abbey Berlese, Izzy Wing and Charli Ross made a clean sweep of the podium, as it's the first time Tasmania has claimed all three podium positions at the Championships in any event.

All three girls scored well, Abbey 4726 points, Izzy 4633 points and Charlie scored 4556 points, with all three exceeding the previous best score by a Tasmanian at the event.

Adding to the incredible individual results achieved by the girls, Tassie also won the **LIFE MEMBERS Trophy** for most overall points in the U15 Combined Events, with the boys Blake Doyle, Theo Collins and Avery Thomas finishing 4th, 6th and 9th respectively.

All three boys exceeded 4000 points in scoring, giving Team Tassie a whopping 26,492 points – well clear of Victoria (24,350) and Queensland (24,196) and this was with the drama of them being disqualified in their relay at the end of the competition.

We were unable to hold the reunion due to many reasons, but all athletes will receive a team photo, results book and a plaque as a memento of their fantastic championships.

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### **Life Members Trophy – Under 15 Division**

1st Tasmania – 299 points

2nd Victoria – 274 points

2nd Queensland – 274 points

4th Western Australia – 266 points

5th New South Wales – 254.50 points

6th South Australia – 163.50 points

7th Australian Capital Territory – 93 points

### **Dick Healy Trophy – Under 13 Division**

1st Tasmania – 340 points

2nd Australian Capital Territory – 264.50 points

### **Trevor Billingham Trophy – Under 13 Division**

1st Victoria – 709 points

2nd Queensland – 680 points

3rd New South Wales – 640.50 points

4th South Australia – 502.50 points

5th Western Australia – 432.50 points

6th Tasmania – 340 points

7th Australian Capital Territory – 264.50 points

### **Alan Triscott Trophy – Under 13 Division**

1st Victoria – 945 points

2nd Queensland – 937 points

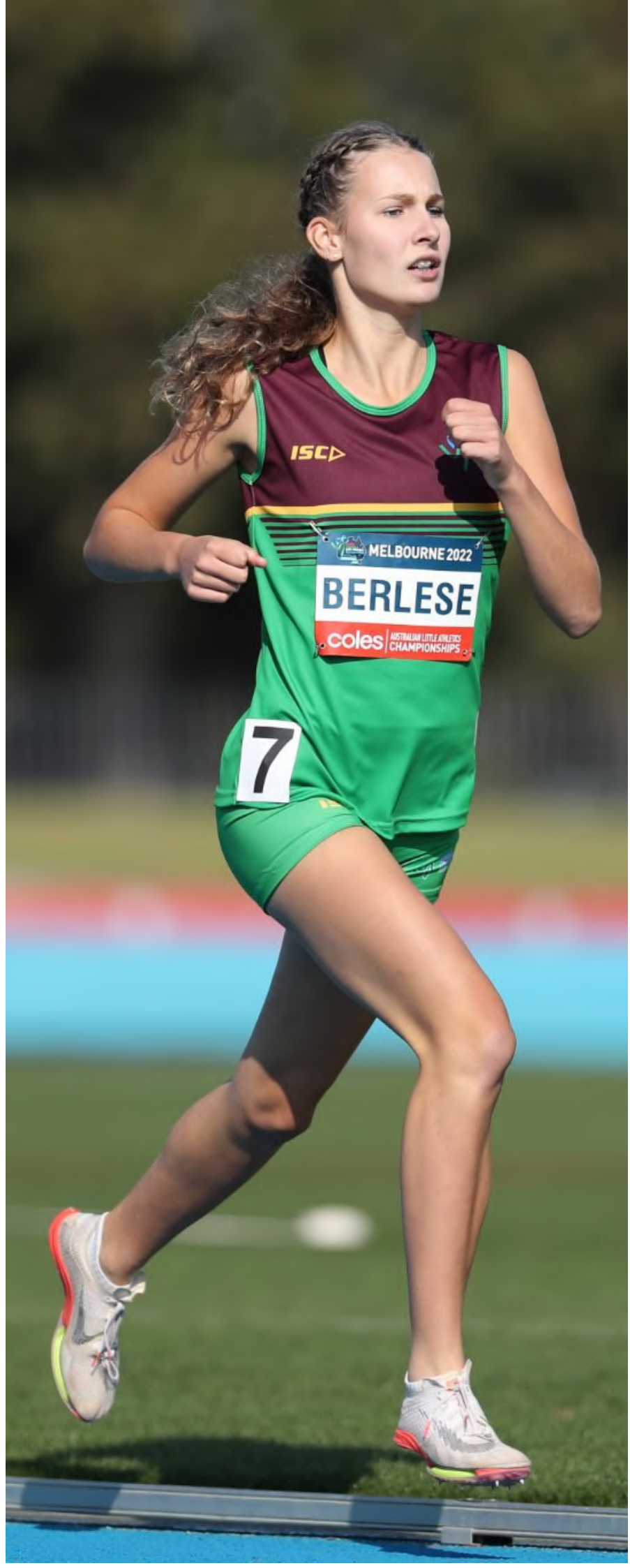
3rd South Australia – 913.50 points

4th Tasmania – 848 points

5th New South Wales – 810.50 points

6th Australian Capital Territory – 780.50 points

7th Western Australia – 742.50







  
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Eli Gorrie	Burnie	Sophie Davie	Longford Districts
Dayna McNab	Burnie	Abby Samec	North East
Charlotte Heaton	Clarence	Tom Wilson	Queenborough
Zavannah Brownrigg	Devonport	Stella Moore	Queenborough
Riley Simpson	East Derwent	Sarah Nichols	South East Districts
Peyton Webster	East Derwent	Ruby Jones	South Launceston
Madison Lennox	East Derwent	Jasmine Kelly	South Launceston
Jacob Burdon	East Derwent	Macie Petterwood	South Launceston
Dylan Cook	East Derwent	Sienna Preece	South Launceston
Kirra Doyle	Huon Valley	Ben Berlese	South Launceston
Emily Kull	Kingborough	Xavier Case	South Launceston
Megumi Horrie	Kingborough	Sebastian Hardinge	South Launceston
Ethan Dale	Kingborough	Ben Meader	South Launceston
Christopher Kingston	Launceston	Harrison Millwood	South Launceston
Rylee Dentler	Launceston	Tyler Praciak	South Launceston
Archer Rogers	Longford Districts	Lincon Talbot	South Launceston
Samuel Dettmer	Longford Districts	Daniel Wojcik	South Launceston
Robert Connell	Longford Districts	Chloe Martin	St Helens
Savannah McKenzie	Longford Districts		



# U13 CONTINUOUS PARTICIPATION



# U15 CONTINUOUS PARTICIPATION

Theo Collins  
 Robyn Luttrell  
 Zeke Lockley  
 Erin Mullarvey  
 Imogen Hurd  
 Lachlan Riley  
 Aaron Fittkau  
 Benjamin Korotki  
 Erica Dean  
 Oliver Morgan  
 Blake Doyle  
 Hannah Kull  
 Andrew Kingston

Burnie  
 Burnie  
 Claremont  
 Clarence  
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 Devonport  
 Devonport  
 Hobart Districts  
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 Hobart Districts  
 Huon Valley  
 Kingborough  
 Launceston

Breeanna Farrell  
 Joseph Rogers  
 Koby Hovington  
 Colby Mac Venn  
 Connor Delphine  
 Ashton Nettlefold  
 Hannah Sheen  
 Neve Hagan  
 Amelia Mine  
 Georgia Millwood  
 Leo Bailey  
 Benjamin Potter  
 Sienna Preece

Longford Districts  
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 NL-White City  
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 Queenborough  
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 South East Districts  
 South Launceston  
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# REGISTRATION DATA 2021-2022



	TT	U6	U7	U8	U9	U10	U11	U12	U13	U14	U15	Open	Refunds	2021-2022	2020-2021	Growth %	Female	Male	
BNE	0	22	13	27	18	24	23	17	20	10	13	0	-1	186	157	18%	90	96	BNE
CH	3	2	3	6	5	3	9	4	2	1	0	0	0	38	26	46%	22	16	CH
CLA	22	14	20	19	30	20	27	25	9	14	5	0	0	205	227	-10%	101	104	CLA
CMT	5	11	12	6	8	6	6	3	2	1	1	0	0	61	74	-18%	26	35	CMT
DEL	9	4	4	2	4	4	5	2	1	1	0	0	0	36	31	16%	16	20	DEL
DPT	23	19	22	17	19	19	10	15	5	2	3	0	0	154	105	47%	76	78	DPT
ED	5	6	7	6	5	7	6	4	11	2	0	0	0	59	75	-21%	28	31	ED
GSB	5	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	10	-20%	5	3	GSB
HD	25	23	29	22	23	28	26	21	17	14	6	0	0	234	218	7%	117	117	HD
HV	8	6	11	11	10	16	15	14	7	9	5	8	0	120	149	-19%	53	67	HV
KGB	12	10	20	31	20	23	31	21	15	6	6	0	0	195	171	14%	99	96	KGB
LFD	11	6	13	16	15	10	7	7	6	4	5	0	-2	98	91	8%	51	47	LFD
LTN	18	12	18	9	16	7	15	3	6	2	8	0	0	114	97	18%	54	60	LTN
NE	10	4	12	13	11	5	3	4	4	3	1	0	0	70	59	19%	32	38	NE
NLWC	12	5	9	8	9	8	11	5	6	4	4	0	0	81	73	11%	39	42	NLWC
QGB	24	18	35	18	26	17	26	14	6	3	6	0	0	193	168	15%	85	108	QGB
SED	16	19	20	15	19	11	14	7	4	1	1	0	0	127	130	-2%	63	64	SED
SED	33	23	52	31	29	43	44	35	31	28	14	0	0	363	329	10%	194	169	SED
SL	7	2	10	4	12	7	8	5	5	1	0	0	-3	58	61	7%	29	29	SL
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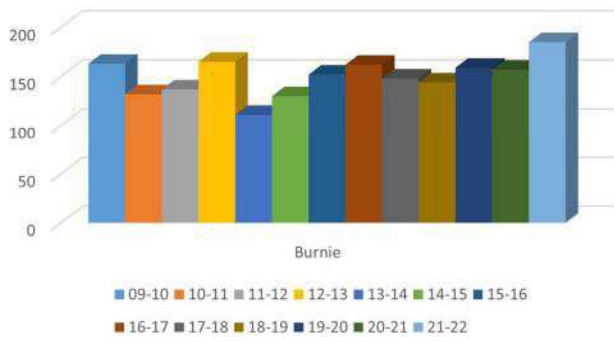
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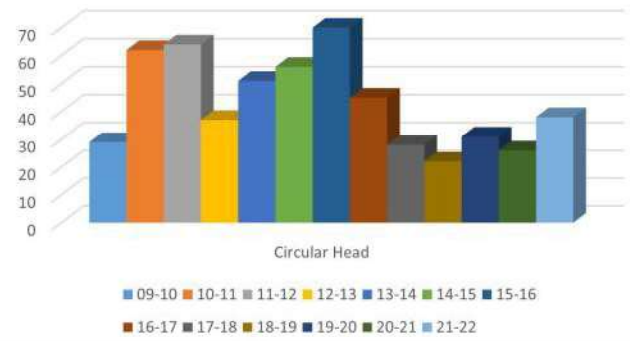
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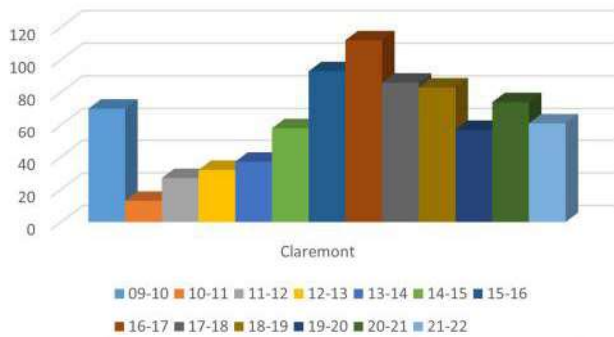
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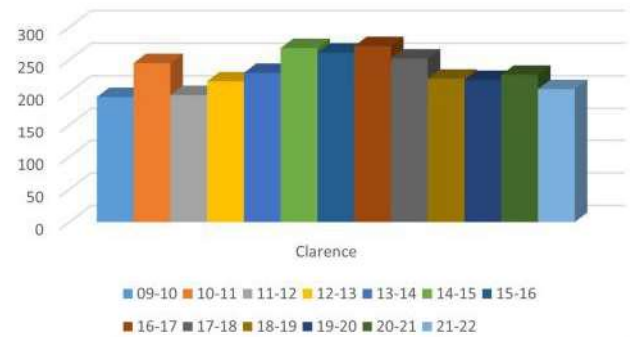
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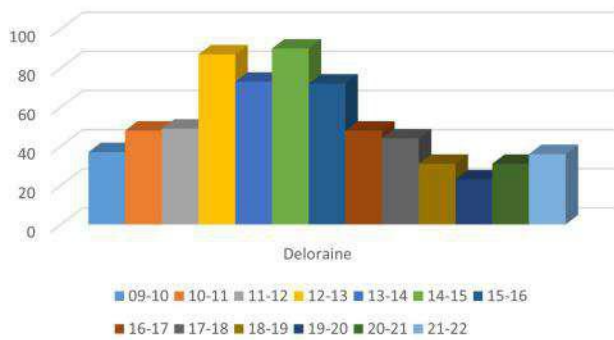
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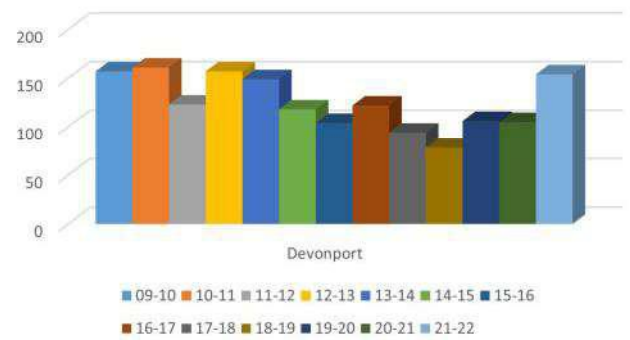
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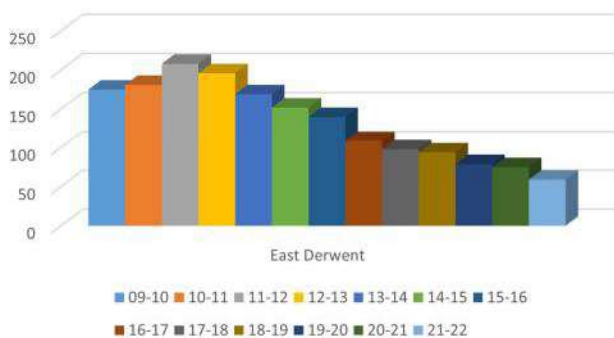
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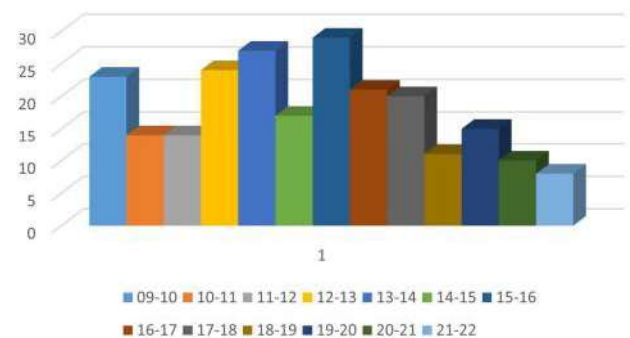
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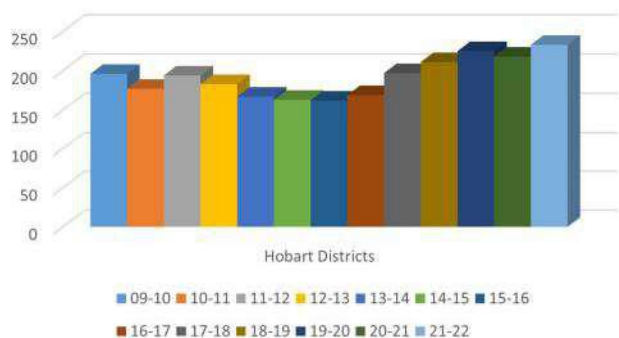
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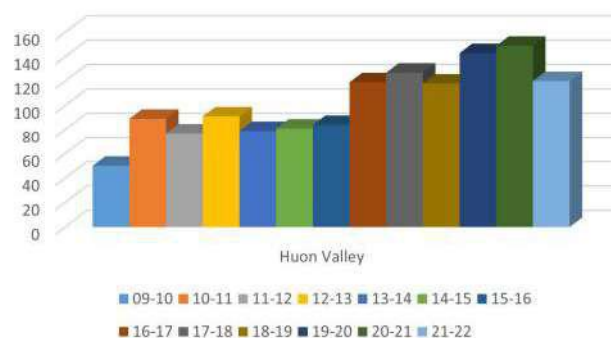
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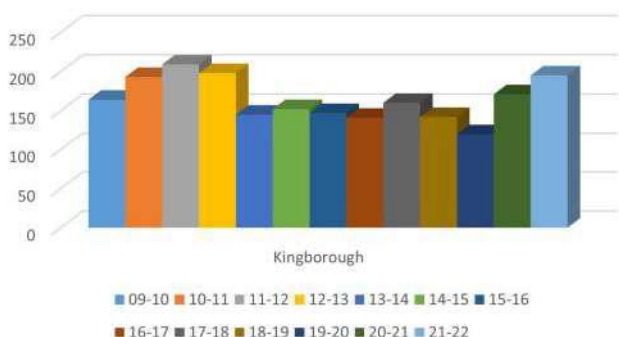
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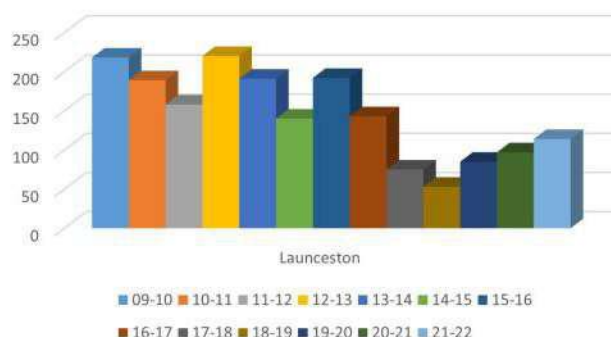
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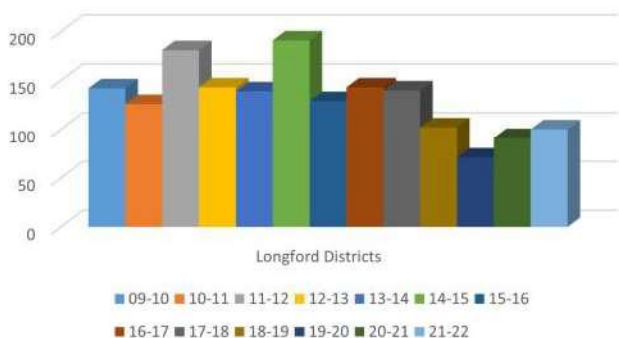
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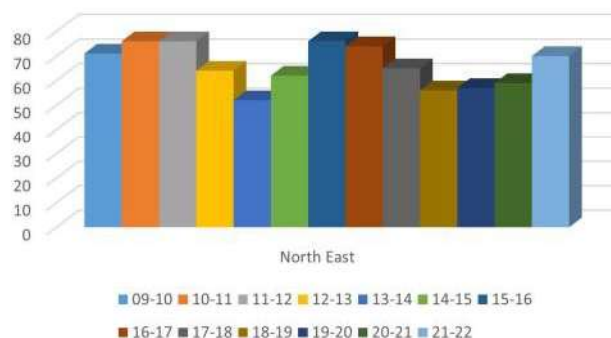
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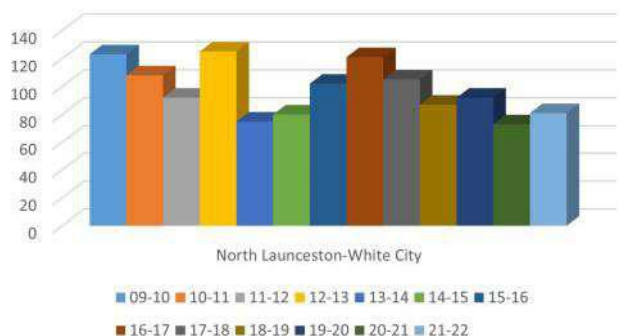
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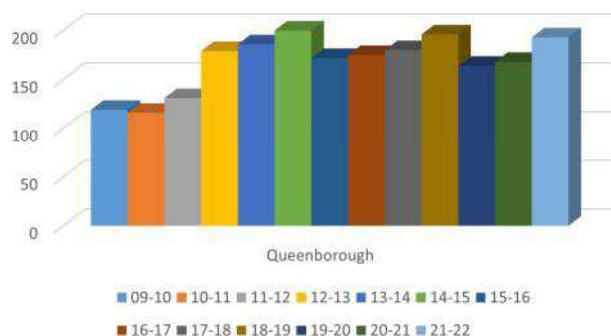
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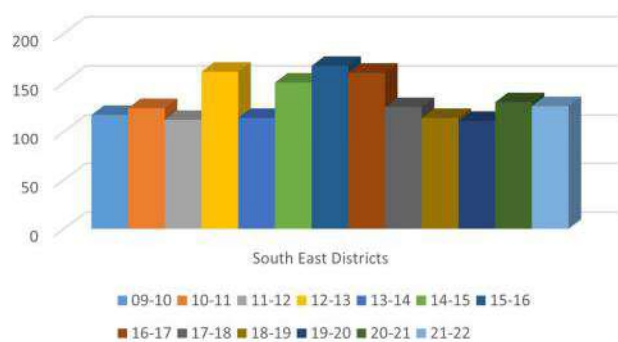
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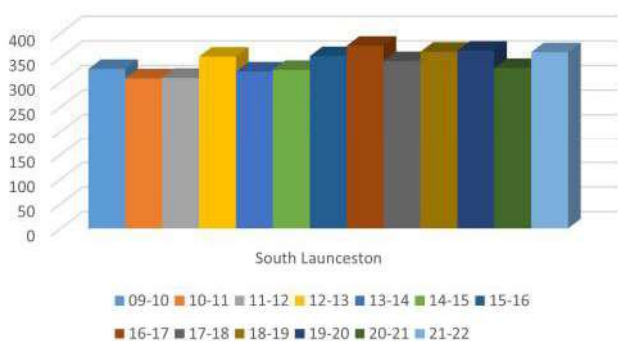
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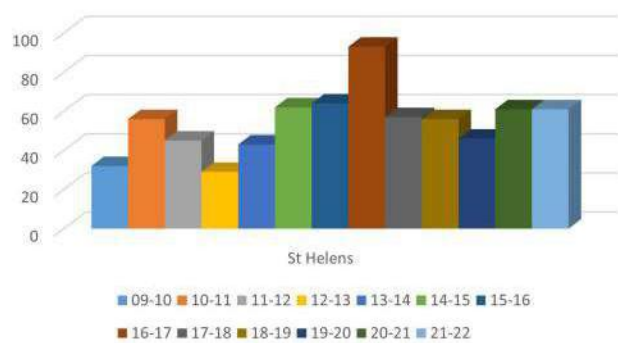
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### STATE REGISTRATIONS

