



Athletics
South Australia

2022 - 2023

ANNUAL REPORT



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This Annual Report details financial reports from the 2022-23 Financial Year (ending June 30, 2023), as well as competition and membership reports from the 2022-23 Athletics SA Season (ending September 30, 2023).

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Thank you to Athletics Australia, David Tarbotton and

Virtus Global Games for photographs.

The sport of athletics nationally continues to thrive and no less this is occurring in South Australia as our participation on and off the track continues to grow. Once again staff, officials, coaches, volunteers and athletes have been very busy ensuring that they are doing their best for the sport they love. Their efforts and commitment to our sport does not go unnoticed.

At this year's Awards Presentation I spoke about the importance of celebrating our sport. Celebrating grounds us in the present and helps us to clarify our progress today and to look positively into the future. The event was well attended by the athletic family, and we were fortunate enough to have our patron, Her Excellency Frances Adamson, Governor of South Australia join us.

Our athletics community has always been enthusiastic supporters of the annual presentations to witness their fellow athletes, officials, coaches, administrators, and clubs being acknowledged and awarded for their effort and hard work achieved over the previous 12 months.

This year's President's Award went to Jason Stevens, President of Southern Athletics Club acknowledging his drive and commitment to his club through the engagement of its members and their families and bringing together a committed and passionate committee. He was also responsible for advocating for the Minister for Recreation, Sport and Racing, Katrine Hildyard and the Onkaparinga Council to invest in excess of \$2M to upgrade Knox Park at Morphett Vale,



*Coach of the year for Athlete Development
Steve Larsson, with Athletics SA President Jane Russo.*

creating an athletics facility in the south that the Sharks can call home.

I would like to share the speech that I gave to our sport at the presentation as it best sums up what is important to our community.

"This year we acknowledge the amazing feats of athletes who have excelled and performed to their best ability. This is so worthy of celebrating. We recognise those that provide the expertise and skills that support those who excelled. Their contribution is essential to any individual achievement. We are thankful to those who nurture, feed, clothe and encourage our athletes in the good and bad times. Their commitment is unwavering and relentless. We celebrate our sport together because we love it and want to be part of it, in whatever capacity.

"I believe it is important to celebrate, by coming together, to reflect on what has occurred, to take our minds off whatever else is going on in our busy lives, to consider what we have accomplished and to appreciate all that was been done.

"It's the future I want you to think about. A future where you see athletics in this state thriving, evolving and being recognised.

"Thriving in all that we do, to build our membership for both the summer and winter seasons, to offer something that everyone can join in, to be accessible for all who would like to try, to be a sport and a recreational activity that supports our community to be healthy and active.



Anna Liptak, Hon Katrine Hildyard MP, Her Excellency Frances Adamson, Isobel Batt-Doyle and Jess Stenson at the 2023 Awards Presentation Luncheon.

“Evolving to ensure that we are still relevant today for tomorrow. This includes broadening what we do and making sure we have choices that enables participants to choose their own adventure, own your pathway to have a clear and complete participant journey, whether that’s to be an elite athlete, a recreational runner, to achieve one’s personal best, to be part of community, to feel connected, to be able to contribute to something you are passionate about.

“Being recognised for what our sport does - giving opportunity to all to be active and connected to community. We are unique.



Athletics SA athletes. Picture: Athletics SA

“One of the oldest sports, we are showcased every four years to the world. It’s a long, hard battle for those who choose to make this their journey. For many this is the dream but for the most the reality is the day-to-day connection to our sport.’

“What others don’t see is the athlete who commits to juggling work and training to be their best, the club administrator who after a full day’s work is out at the track coaching, collecting fees, posting media stories, running the club, the official who gives up their annual leave to officiate at athletic events to further their skills and to be in the thick of the competitive action or the Board Director that is committed to ensuring that the sport is sustainable, financial and relevant well beyond their time.

“We are not one of the big sports, but we are equally as important in what we offer, we are an



Jason Stevens and Bianca Kovacic from the Southern Athletics Club with Katrine Hildyard MP (Member for Reynell and Minister for Recreation, Sport and Racing), Moira Were (Mayor of Onkaparinga), Jane Russo (President of Athletics SA), Matt Buckell (Onkaparinga Council) and staff from BluBuilt.

exciting sport, we are a versatile sport, we are a fun sport, we are a community sport, we are a sport for all. What we have here in South Australia is worth celebrating. We are doing great things for athletics in this state - successfully hosting last year’s Australian All Schools and the 2022 and 2023 Adelaide Invitational meets is testament to this. In 2024, in the lead up to Paris we will host the Australian Athletics Championships. This is the best it gets in Australia unless you host a Commonwealth, Olympic or Paralympic Games.

“Our sport is doing its bit to host major athletic events here in South Australia and for us to be successful in hosting more national and international athletics events we need to have the facility that will support not only these events but represents our home for athletics in South Australia. Where our community can train, coach, compete, participate and visit knowing this is the home of athletics.

“As we are experiencing some change and uplift to the Mile End Stadium precinct which will bring a much bigger sport footprint to the area, it will still be the home of Athletics SA. Some of it is concerning and we have done our best with government to minimise the impact it could have to our sport. SA Athletics Stadium is our spiritual home, the place where we belong, where we hope, create memories and where dreams are made. As we continue to grow and strive for excellence, I will stand firm on protecting the future of athletics in South Australia.”

My thanks go to the Athletics SA Board; Nikolaos Flabouris, David Cross, Erin Rice, Joe Stevens, Verity Pietsch and Claire Woods, a committed and skilled group of individuals who continue to ensure that our sport thrives. The Board said farewell and thanks to Narelle Haigh late last year for her time and contribution to the sport as a Board Director and welcomed Chris Hartwig in August 2023, filling the casual vacancy left by Narelle. At this year's Annual General Meeting we will express our gratitude and appreciation for the input David Cross has had on strategic matters and the financial management of Athletics SA over a six-year period – thank you David.

The sport industry is dynamic and evolving and we have seen some changes to staff. I would like to farewell and thank Josh Teakle and Jacinta Fisher in their contribution to our sport and wish them the best in their future endeavours.

Our CEO Shane Fuller continues to drive the direction of our organisation with our highly skilful staff. Under his leadership the team of Lisa Attenborough, Kurt Olsen, Heath Wingard and new team members Lucy Tiller, Riley Cocks, Hayden Beelitz, Lucy Taheny and Sean Green now makes it a full house. Your hard work is appreciated, and we know that you all go above and beyond.

This next summer of athletics will be huge in South Australia with the Adelaide Invitational followed by the National Championships as we lead into the Olympic and Paralympic Games. I look forward to welcoming the national athletic family to Adelaide and know that you will have an amazing experience.

Jane Russo

President and Chair



Three time National Champion Rohan Browning engaging with fans following his 100m race at the Adelaide Invitational high performance meet, which was held at the SA Athletics Stadium in Mile End on February 11, 2023. Photograph: Athletics SA



Mali Walters, right, embracing with SA teammate Mia Ehrlich at the 2023 Interclub 7, SA Athletics Stadium.
Photograph: Athletics SA

The past year in South Australian athletics has been highlighted by the hosting of the Australian All Schools Championships at the upgraded SA Athletics Stadium. Staging the first half of the summer season at Bridgestone Athletics Centre in Salisbury while the Mile End facility works occurred, we are fortunate to have this second facility in Adelaide and it assisted in member retention and the on-going delivery of our club and the school competitions.

The VIVA State All Schools Games in October 2022 saw record school athlete participation at Salisbury. We are grateful for the flexibility shown by clubs, athletes and officials around venue locations and availability for training.

Club engagement in hosting 2023 winter events was wonderful and we again saw great success by current and past members of Athletics SA's Emerging Athlete and Senior Performance Program, including at international meets.

Athletics SA developed a refreshed brand that was launched in October 2023, and we were delighted to welcome new affiliates Adelaide University Athletics Club (started 2022-23 season) and Salisbury Athletics Club (started 2023-24 season).



Athletics SA 2023 brand refresh, new logo.

LEAD

Numerous infrastructure projects were completed or progressed to benefit the athletics community in SA:

- Construction commenced for grass facility at Knox Park, Morphett Vale
- Track replacement, in-field replacement, changerooms, toilets, entrance and access control upgrades at SA Athletics Stadium

completed December 2022

- Upgrade to javelin, high jump, and horizontal jumps at Port Adelaide progress
- Supporting new affiliates Adelaide University and Salisbury
- Collaboration with recreational running groups was increased with the appointment of a focussed resource.
- Renewal of partnerships with LK, Copyworld Toshiba, Des's Minibuses, VIVA and FiveAA providing support for our events.



Adelaide Uni athlete Bailey Giles competing at the Ekiden Relays, an ASA winter event. Photograph: Athletics SA

PATHWAYS

- Another boost to State Athletics Championships to over 600 entries.
- Investment in pathways staff to promote participation and membership amongst juniors has been made and we piloted a new after-school based program with Athletics Australia support.
- Introduced a focus on the Active Bands program to motivate kids to be physically active with the assistance of a State Collaboration Program grant.
- Success of athletes in our Emerging Athlete Program and Target Talent Program, and the staging of our second World Tour Challenger

meet (Adelaide Invitational) in February 2023.

- Coach development opportunities and working with clubs to assist where possible has been part of our team's actions this year.
- Reviewed and invested in growth of recreational running packages and opportunities.

COMMUNITY

- Recruitment, retention and reward strategy for officials and volunteers' program was not as effective in 2022-23 and will require re-invigoration and a different strategy in 2023-24.
- Our program of acknowledging the achievements of athletes, coaches, officials, and clubs on our social media channels and via the website continues to be valued by clubs and members.
- Partnering with Craft Coffee, and engaging with more external vendors for large events, we changed up the delivery of food and beverage services at the stadium.

CONNECT

- The Adelaide Invitational again had over 2,000 attendees and was broadcast live on 7Plus and the event saw 230,847 viewer minutes on that channel, Athletics Australia YouTube Stream: 14,000 views, Athletics Australia Facebook Stream: 6,800 views.
- Refreshing our brand sees us 'Good to Go!' with an evolved logo and re-positioning what we offer the community at the forefront.
- In building our profile, comprehensive coverage of athlete performances at World Cross Country, World Para Championships, World Championships, National and State based events was generated through external media, as was coverage pre and post the Adelaide Invitational.

CONCLUSION

Congratulations to our Premiership winning clubs and to the South Australian athletes, coaches, officials, and volunteers that were recognised at our

Annual Awards presented by VIVA.

Athletics SA had 17 competing clubs and 3 non-competing clubs affiliated with us in 2022-23, all run by passionate, committed people, and I say thank you for what you do to encourage athletes to join and stay involved with athletics.

While we have expressed concern for the loss of athletics facilities on the warm-up area at Mile End we acknowledge the contribution of the State Government through the Office for Recreation, Sport and Racing, the City of Onkaparinga, and the City of Port Adelaide Enfield for their respective commitments to enhancing and developing facilities in our State for the benefit of athletics, the third most popular sport (with running) in SA.

Finally, I thank our Board, Advisory Committees, Staff, Coaches, Officials, Athletes, Sponsors and Volunteers for ensuring the association continues to provide high quality competitions, events and programs for our members and the wider community.

2024 will see us host the Australian Athletics Championships over nine days and I look forward to as many of you being involved in that as possible. It is the first time in over 30 years this has been scheduled here and is an exciting opportunity for us all to share.

Shane Fuller

Chief Executive Officer



Athletics SA CEO Shane Fuller with Darcy Miller, winner of the Carlin Throws Trophy for Best Performance Men's Junior
Photograph: Athletics SA



The SA Athletics Stadium's fresh new track is ready for competition just in time for the 2022, Australian All Schools Championships.
Photograph: Athletics SA

The 2022-23 Season comprised great events and competition opportunities for Athletics SA members.

At the start of the season, you would have found us at Bridgestone Athletics Centre in Salisbury whilst the SA Athletics Stadium synthetic was replaced. This led to lower levels of participation from our southern clubs for the first half of the season however, on the 16th of December, we found ourselves on the new blue track for the Christmas twilight event.

2023 saw us host the Adelaide Invitational on the 11th of February again attracting an attendance of over 2,000 people to the stadium and many more watching online. The culmination of our season was the 2023 State Track and Field Championships, which saw 631 entries across all disciplines, and a high of 466 competitors on day two.

This season saw Athletics SA stage 26 events for our members across the months of October to March, and we acknowledge our volunteers and officials who generously donate their time to the sport.

Winter 2023 saw our clubs in the driver's seat and hosting ten rounds of competition with Flinders, Adelaide Uni, Northern Districts, SA Race Walkers in active roles whilst Adelaide Harriers, SA Masters and Hills supported events. This season saw us travel to exciting new and old destinations in: Carisbrooke, Waite Arboretum, Park 10, Ellis Park, and Adelaide Showgrounds. The winter season and program could not be run without the help of its advisory committee and the challenging work the members put in to plan our season.

The Athletics SA team look forward to the 23-24 season, which will see us host more national events than ever before with the Australian Masters Games, Adelaide Invitational, Oceania & Australian 20km Walks Championships and the Australian Athletics Championships. We look forward to seeing you on track!

Hayden Beelitz & Lisa Attenborough

Event Team

Participation Figures

Average participation for summer – **313**

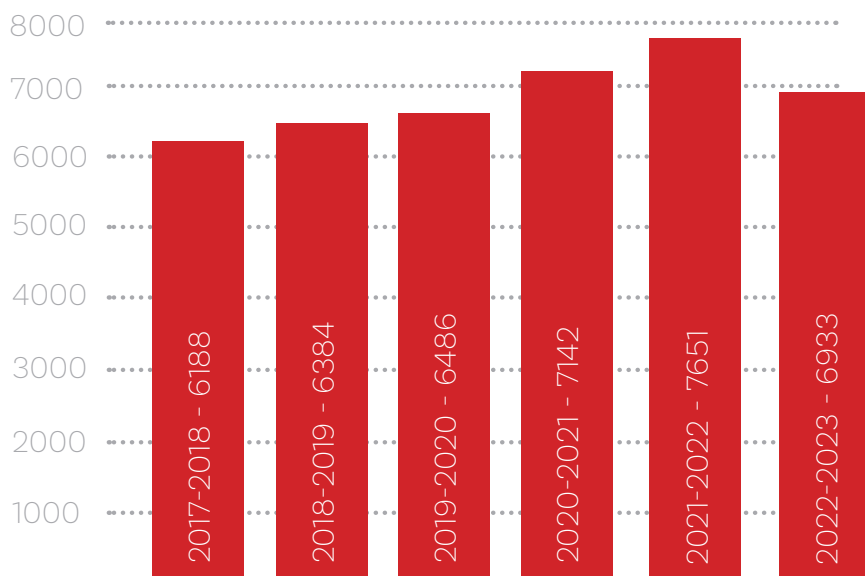
Overall Summer Season participation – **6933**

Average participation for Winter – **125**

Overall Winter season participation – **1123**



Athletes at the start line of the Fitzy's 5 race during the 2023 Athletics SA winter season. Photograph: Athletics SA.



631

ENTRIES FOR THE 2023
STATE TRACK AND FIELD
CHAMPIONSHIPS.

413

PARTICIPANTS FOR
THE 2022 VIVA SA ALL
SCHOOLS GAMES

6933

OVERALL 2022-23
SUMMER SEASON
PARTICIPATION

1.4%

DECREASE IN ACTIVE
MEMBERSHIP FOR 2022-
23 SEASON

9.4%

SUMMER
PARTICIPATION
DECREASE



RUNNING SA

Running SA as a brand of Athletics SA continues to develop and implement strategies to encourage participation in running through hosting events, supporting our event partners and delivering information to runners and running groups across South Australia.

2023 saw the inclusion of Womens Run Adelaide to replace the Womens Run in the Park series. A unique opportunity for women of all ages and abilities to run on the track followed by an insightful Q & A with Ambassadors Jessica Stenson, Izzi Batt-Doyle & Caitlin Adams.

We are pleased to continue to support partner events from South Australian Road Runners Club, City-Bay Fun Run and the Adelaide Trail Runners with the addition of Great Southern Runs events in 2023-24. We provide marketing exposure, public liability insurance and access to resources for our partners.

Our premier event, the Fitzzy's 5 fun run returned to its original August timeslot in 2023 with a welcomed 13% participation increase from the 2022 edition.

Over the summer months we will continue to service existing runners whilst promoting and encouraging new runners to join us on the track through the Adelaide Distance Series, a series of 4 events across October, November, January and February that cater for runners of all levels through seeded races.

Running SA members are kept up to date through the resurgence of a quarterly EDM highlighting coaches, groups, events and performances from the South Australian running scene.

Riley Cocks

Running SA Coordinator



SA won the Small State Title at the 2022 Chemist Warehouse Australian All Schools Championships with 54 Medals
Photograph: Athletics Australia

It has been a busy year for Athletics in South Australia and Australia as a whole. South Australia hosted a national event, had athletes qualify to represent Australia at international events and crowned numerous National Champions.

Bathurst hosted the World Cross Country Championships which saw Caitlin Adams, Izzi Batt-Doyle and Cael Mulholland selected to represent Australia. On top of this South Australia also had Riley Cocks, Michael Roeger, Deacon Gore and Tessa Ebert win Golden Tickets to compete as Individuals in the World Championship race.

Paris hosted the World Para Athletics Championships with Athletics SA having two athletes selected to the Team. Michael Roeger made his international return to Middle Distance racing and Angus Hincksman made his Australian Para Athletics Team debut. Both athletes had successful campaigns, bringing home a silver and bronze medal respectively.

The World Athletics Championships were held in Budapest, with four ASA athletes selected to represent Australia. Olivia Sandray competed in the 20k Walk, Aidan Murphy in the 200m, Izzi Batt-Doyle in the Marathon and Mathew Clarke in the Steeplechase.



Angus Hincksman made his Australian Para Athletics Team debut, winning bronze. Photograph: Athletics Australia.



Jean Marie, Gman Paye, Andrew Maenda & James Withnall won silver in the U18 Men's 4 X 100m relay at the 2023 Chemist Warehouse Australian Junior Track & Field Championships Photograph: Athletics SA

Domestically, the track refurbishment at Mile End was completed just in time to host the National All Schools Championships in December. 192 athletes put on the state uniform to compete with 54 medals being won and a National Record set in the U16 4x400m Mixed relay. This impressive result saw South Australia win the Small State Trophy again.

AUSTRALIAN ATHLETICS CHAMPIONSHIPS

The 2023 National Championships were held in Brisbane this year and ASA had 215 athletes represent the state with a return of 53 medals.

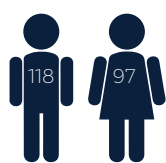
There were 97 athletes registered in the Open/20s team competing in 168 events. There were 118 athletes registered in the Juniors team competing in 225 events.

This year 16 athletes set 26 State Records and 16 athletes set 48 Para Bests.



Aidan Murphy competing at the World Athletics Championships. Photograph: Athletics Australia.

2023 AUSTRALIAN TRACK AND FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS - BRISBANE



215 TEAM MEMBERS



53 NATIONAL MEDALS

2023 Australian Track and Field Championships Event Breakdown

Participation Breakdown

	TOTAL	U13	U14	U15	U16	U17	U18	U20	OPEN
MALE	118	1	0	13	15	17	12	17	43
FEMALE	97	3	6	11	13	9	18	11	26

Medal Breakdown (includes able bodied and para)

MALE	GOLD	SILVER	BRONZE	TOTAL
U13	0	0	0	0
U14	0	0	0	0
U15	2	3	1	6
U16	1	1	0	2
U17	2	1	1	4
U18	1	2	1	4
U20	2	1	0	3
OPEN	3	5	2	10
TOTAL	11	13	5	29

FEMALE	GOLD	SILVER	BRONZE	TOTAL
U13	1	1	0	2
U14	0	1	1	2
U15	0	2	0	2
U16	1	0	2	3
U17	0	2	1	3
U18	1	0	2	3
U20	4	1	1	6
OPEN	4	2	0	3
TOTAL	8	9	7	24

EVENT (M, F & Para)	GOLD	SILVER	BRONZE	TOTAL
JUMPS	3	3	6	12
THROWS	8	5	3	16
SPRINTS	3	8	1	12
DISTANCE	3	4	1	8
RELAYS	0	2	0	2
COMBINED	2	0	1	3
TOTAL	19	22	12	53



Charlotte McAuliffe won gold in the U18 & U20 400m Women's title at the 2023 Chemist Warehouse Australian Track & Field Championships. Photograph: Athletics SA

EMERGING ATHLETE PROGRAM

The Emerging Athlete Program (EAP) took place again with fourteen athletes selected to be involved. Through the help of the program they were able to create elite level daily training environments to support their preparation and performance.

This program has been made possible through the ongoing support of the Office for Recreation, Sport and Racing, the South Australian Sports Institute of Sport and Powerade.

Kurt Olsen

Pathways Manager

Emerging Athlete Program members:

Adam Goddard	Jett Carlin
Alanah Gregory	Jordan McMillan
Chelsea Friedrich	Marley Raikiwasa
Darcy Miller	Nellie Langford
Isaac Heyne	Tryphena Hewitt

Senior Performance Program:

Caitlin Adams	Lachlan Page
Jack Netting	Max Stevens

Athletics SA had two main development program initiatives through 2022-23, the Para Athletics Program and Target Talent Program.

PARA ATHLETICS

Athletics SA were able to bring Gordon Talbot and Dayna Crees over from Melbourne to host a Seated Throws Masterclass with the support of the Office for Recreation, Sport and Racing via a Game On grant. This brought the Para Project which focused on upskilling coaches in Para Athletics to a close.

TARGET TALENT PROGRAM

This year the program reverted back to the previous approach of spreading the education and testing sessions throughout the year. Athletics SA were able to run one testing session six education sessions focusing on different sport

science topics.

Alex Stewart, Nicole Boegman-Stewart and Brandon Starc were brought over to deliver a high jump and long jump masterclass as well as a Q&A session which focused on Competition Planning and Preparation.

In conjunction with the Adelaide Invitational, ASA ran a Coach Development opportunity for Target Talent Coaches that brought together Gary Bourne, John Nicolosi and Adam Didyk to discuss some of the challenges of coaching including developing strong squad culture and how to approach major championships campaigns.

Kurt Olsen

Pathways Manager

JUNIORS

The past year saw Athletics SA host a number of different programs and events to increase engagement and participation within the junior community, including:

- Golden North Schools Challenge
- Active Bands
- Athletics Australia Junior Product Pilot

2023 GOLDEN NORTH SCHOOLS CHALLENGE

The 2023 Golden North Schools Challenge (formerly Golden North Schools Nitro) took place on Wednesday September 20 at Bridgestone Athletics Centre, Salisbury. The event is used as a qualifier, with the top 2 teams from each division selected to compete at the National Schools Challenge event held in Perth on Monday December 11.

This year's event included six schools and a total of 22 teams across the six divisions. The competition showcased the dominance of Immanuel Colleges' athletics program having

4 of their 6 teams qualifying for the national event. As well as showing off the quickly rising success of Trinity College with all their senior and intermediate teams qualifying for the national event.



School students competing at the 2023 Golden North Schools Challenge. Photograph: Athletics SA

NATIONAL QUALIFYING TEAMS

Immanuel – Junior girls, Junior boys, Intermediate boys, Senior boys

Trinity College – Intermediate girls, Senior girls, Intermediate Boys, Senior Boys

Mercedes College – Junior girls, Junior Boys,

Henley High School – Intermediate girls

ACTIVE BANDS

With the support of the Office for Recreation, Sport and Racing via the Active State Collaboration Program, Athletics SA secured funding to deliver the Athletics Australia designed program Active Bands to schools in South Australia.

Active Bands is a gamified sport and physical activity platform used by parents, teachers, and coaches to support the increase of physical activity in kids aged 5-12. With only 19% of Australian children reaching the recommended 60 minutes of moderate to vigorous physical activity each day, active bands are a fun new way for kids to keep active and be rewarded. Since receiving the grant on the 31st of March, we have gained a total of 1082 children involved in the program through connecting with 20 different schools. This has totalled to 7843 activities logged through the program.

ATHLETICS AUSTRALIA JUNIOR PRODUCT PILOT

During February 2023, Athletics Australia invited expressions of interest from member associations in delivering a pilot of their Junior Product. The product consists of an 8-week after-school program consisting of a range of age and developmentally appropriate games-based activities that promote enjoyment of physical activity, helps to develop physical literacy, and provides a basis for an active lifestyle.

Athletics SA put our hands up to host a pilot program at a South Australian school during Term 2 of 2023. East Adelaide School hosted the 5-week pilot consisting of 10 students from year levels R-2.

The findings and feedback of this 5-week program have been distributed back to Athletics Australia where they are now looking at further stages of development for the product.

Heath Wingard

Junior Pathways Lead



School students competing at the 2023 Golden North Schools Challenge. Photograph: Athletics SA



School students competing at the 2023 Golden North Schools Challenge. Photograph: Athletics SA

Another year is in the books with the help of our coaches to progress our athletes and assist in developing the fundamental movements of our juniors. It is great to see 44 new coaches come into our community, whilst 25 others continue their coaching journey.

Coaching courses

COURSE	NUMBER OF COURSES	TOTAL PARTICIPANTS
Level 1 CAC	2	29
Level 1 Rec Run	2	18
Level 2 Club Coach	2	15
Level 2 Rec Run	1	5
Level 3 Mid & LD	1	5

Number of coaches as at 30 June 2023

2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
175	207	288	318	304

Our coaches continuously help put South Australia on the map with four members playing an important role within Australian representative teams.

Debbie Meich co-coached the Australian team at the Oceania Games in Saipan, Northern Mariana Islands on June 23-24.

Steve Larsson went to the 2023 Commonwealth Youth Games held in the Port of Spain on August 4-11.

Simon Moran attended the World Para Athletics Championships held in Paris on May 17-25

Jared Tallent OAM was a part of the Australian coaching team at the 2023 World Athletics Championships held in Budapest on August 19-27.

OFFICIALS

Thanks to the dedicated efforts of our officials and volunteers, who freely give up over 6000 hours of their time, we can provide numerous competition opportunities for our competing members.

During the year Athletics Australia begun the transfer of the education and accreditation of officials to the World Athletics Referee Education and Certification System. As a result of this we have the following Officials currently recognised by World Athletics with more to follow.

National Athletics Referee Level

Karen Fisk	Onesimus Hewett
Cherie Boxall	Neal Cotgrove
Peter Grant	Alan Fisk
Melissa Hewett	Lisa Attenborough
Patricia McHendrie	Cameron Fraser

World Athletics Referee – Silver Level

Caroline Jackman (also World Para Athletics ITO)
Rachel Larking (nee Fisk)
Greg Peterson

World Athletics Gold Race Walking Judge

Zoë Eastwood Bryson

Officials Numbers:

2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
82	80	67	64	64

We continue to offer education opportunities for all officials, and it was great to see a large group attend the seminar held to upskill our officials in the use of the latest technologies, including photo finish, video capture for long and triple jump and electronic measurement of throws and jumps. Other education sessions were offered online nationally and included a variety of topics.

At a national and International level we had a number of officials attend events throughout the year. Which included the World Cross Country Championships in Bathurst, various Australian Championship events and Invitational meets.

We are lucky to have some of our key officials involved on the Athletics Australia Officials Committees.

Technical Committee – Caroline Jackman and Zoë Eastwood Bryson

Operational Committee – Rachel Larking

Lisa Attenborough
Operations Manager



Athletics SA officials Alan & Karen Fisk volunteering at 2022-23 season Interclub 1. Photograph: Athletics SA

Athletics SA recorded an operating loss for the year ended 30 June 2023 of \$20,091 (2022: loss of \$18,776).

Athletics SA hosted two Australian Championships in 2022 with the Cross Country being staged at Oakbank and the All Schools being the first event held at the SA Athletics Stadium following an 8-month closure for upgrades. The track replacement and development activities impacted the first five months of the financial year, curtailing canteen operations at Mile End and members competing at Salisbury for all but one event in the first half of the summer season.

Government grants were lower without funding for infrastructure in this financial year while development and performance program funding was maintained. A new operating model for the canteen was introduced through forming a partnership with Craft Coffee and we express our thanks for their flexibility in working with us to simplify our product offering and being able to scale to meet demand from larger school and athletics event days.

Athletics SA chose to commence investment in several strategic initiatives during the year ended 30 June 2023, utilizing some of its surplus from previous financial years to enhance the future sustainability of Athletics SA's operations. Despite the reported operating loss for the

year, Athletics SA remains well placed to buffer future challenges and to provide a platform for continuing the pursuit of opportunities. Athletics SA has reported members' funds of \$308,523 as at 30 June 2023. Members' funds as at 30 June 2019 (pre-pandemic) were \$176,494.

It was a significant positive for the year for Athletics SA to host the national events in South Australia, as well as the Adelaide Invitational in early 2023 - entry fees and event income increased from \$131,576 in 2022 to \$280,302 in 2023 - and sponsorship and membership revenue continued to grow, from \$222,058 in 2022 to \$241,410 in 2023. The Board is grateful for the continued support of our members, our officials, our volunteers, our sponsors, and the athletics community.

Athletics SA would like to acknowledge the generous support of our sponsors and partners, including the Government of South Australia via the Office for Recreation, Sport and Racing, City-Bay Fun Run, Balfours, Copyworld Toshiba, Golden North, VIVA Global, Powerade, LK Law, Sportitude Running, Boileau Business Solutions, Physio Smart, Chemist Warehouse, FiveAA and Des's Adelaide.

David Cross

Finance Director



SA Frame Runner's, left Thomas Mattinson and right Ryan Day at the start line. Photograph: Athletics SA.

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 Balance Sheet
 as at 30th June 2023

2022 \$		Note	2023 \$
	Current Assets		
481,844	Cash	4	437,011
2,282	Inventories	5	0
6,323	Receivables	6	33,100
<u>490,449</u>	Total Current Assets		<u>470,112</u>
	Non Current Assets		
36,349	Fixed Assets	7	98,161
<u>36,349</u>	Total Non Current Assets		<u>98,161</u>
<u>526,799</u>	Total Assets		<u>568,273</u>
	Current Liabilities		
178,035	Payables	8	223,271
20,150	Employee Provisions	9	36,479
<u>198,185</u>	Total Current Liabilities		<u>259,750</u>
<u>198,185</u>	Total Liabilities		<u>259,750</u>
<u>328,614</u>	Net Assets		<u>308,523</u>
	Members' Funds		
328,614	Retained surplus		308,523
<u>328,614</u>	Total Members' Funds		<u>308,523</u>

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements

Athletic Association of South Australia Inc

ABN: 14 661 448 453

Income and Expenditure Statement

for the year ended 30th June 2023

**12 months to
June 2022****\$****Income**

166,162 Canteen Net Income

592 Bar Income

(2,164) Uniform Net Income

34,282 Administration Fee/Team Levy

13,214 Affiliation Fees

18,720 Course Fees

131,576 Entry Fees and Event Income

574,264 Grants

618 Interest Received

7,036 Photofinish Hire

160,505 Membership

3,518 Site Fee - Bar and Canteen

61,553 Sponsorship

81,816 Other

1,251,691 Total Income**12 months to
June 2023****\$****Note**

2

70,200

732

3

11,172

56,358

14,395

21,647

280,302

229,096

5,027

6,245

168,778

5,289

72,632

46,873

988,745**Expenditure**

22,816 Administration Fees

14,886 Affiliation and Membership Fees

20,558 Athlete Services

5,027 Bank Charges

14,360 Catering and Meals

15,568 Coaching Expenses and Team Managers

8,414

12,920

20,346

3,770

29,335

1,964

Athletic Association of South Australia Inc

ABN: 14 661 448 453

Income and Expenditure Statement

for the year ended 30th June 2023

**12 months to
June 2022****\$**

7,491	Computer Expenses
4,651	Consultancy, Audit and Legal Expenses
308,910	Contractor Fees
5,384	Depreciation
55,297	Entry Fees and Event Expenses
89,625	Equipment and Facility Hire
1,815	General Expenses
22,169	Honorarium and Casual Labour
2,489	Licences & Permits
3,127	Motor Vehicle Expenses
6,799	Officials Expenses
786	Postage, Courier and Freight
10,003	Printing and Stationary
17,140	Profit Share for Canteen and Bar
20,878	Promotion and Marketing Expenses
(5,512)	Provision for Annual Leave
1,369	Provision for Long Service Leave
3,411	Repairs & Maintenance
37,277	Rent, Rates and Taxes
467,548	Salaries and Wages
5,980	Sports Medicine Onfield Service
3,318	Staff Training and Amenities
44,495	Superannuation
3,996	Telephone
40,713	Travel and Accommodation Expenses
14,283	Trophies, Medals and Awards
3,815	WorkCover
1,270,468	Total Expenditure

**12 months to
June 2023****Note****\$**

		7,570
		10,132
		26,249
		24,476
		85,456
		75,068
		1,548
		33,245
		961
		1,667
		21,280
		421
		6,637
		20,229
		30,361
		10,298
		6,031
		2,623
		29,652
		435,075
		9,521
		2,439
		45,226
		5,001
		30,139
		7,039
		3,742
		1,008,836
(18,776)	Operating Surplus (Deficit)	(20,091)
347,390	Retained Surplus at Beginning of Year	328,614
328,614	Retained Surplus as at 30th June 2023	308,523

Athletic Association of South Australia Inc

ABN: 14 661 448 453

Income and Expenditure Statement

for the year ended 30th June 2023

Note 1 - Statement of Significant Accounting Policies

This financial report is a special purpose financial report prepared in order to satisfy the financial reporting requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act (SA) 1985. The Board has determined that the association is not a reporting entity.

The financial report has been prepared on an accruals basis and is based on historic costs and does not take into account changing money values, or except where specifically stated, current. The following significant accounting policies, which are consistent with the previous period, unless otherwise stated, have been adopted in the preparation of this financial report.

(a) Inventories

Inventories are valued at the lower of the cost and net realisable value.

(b) Fixed Assets

Fixed assets are carried at cost less accumulated depreciation.

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

(c) Employee Benefits

Provision is made in respect of the association's liability for annual leave and long service leave at balance date, calculated at current rates of pay. The Board has determined that provision for long service leave is brought to account for employees who have completed four years of service, although the statutory liability for the association does not commence until employees have completed seven years of service.

Contributions to superannuation funds, at the rate specified for the superannuation guarantee levy, are charged as an expense when incurred.

(d) Income Tax

No provision for income tax is necessary, as the association is exempt from income tax under section 50-45 of the Income Tax Assessment Act 1997.

(e) Cash

Cash includes cash on hand and at bank.

(f) Revenue and Other Income

Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable.

Canteen revenue, entry fees and registration fees are recognised when the entity obtains control over the funds which is generally at the time of receipt.

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

(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 recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of an item of expense. Receivables and payables in the balance sheet are shown inclusive of GST.

Notes to the Financial Statements

for the year ended 30 June 2023

2022 \$		2023 \$
	2 Canteen Net Income	
318,195	Sales	71,332
(152,033)	Less Cost of Sales	(1,132)
<u>166,162</u>	Net Income:	<u>70,200</u>
	3 Uniform Net Income	
6,971	Rebates	14,180
(9,135)	Less Uniform Provision for Programs & Staff	(3,009)
<u>(2,164)</u>	Net Income:	<u>11,172</u>
	4 Cash	
435	Petty Cash, Canteen Float & Undeposited Cash	451
11,358	Operating Bank Account	3,239
28	Registrations Account	-
592	Canteen Bank Account	3,695
430,951	Business Online Saver Account	409,450
10,316	Surface Upgrade Saver Account	-
20,009	Special Purpose Saver Account	20,176
8,158	Stadium Screen Account	-
<u>481,844</u>		<u>437,011</u>
	5 Inventories	
2,282	Stock on Hand for Resale - Canteen	-
<u>2,282</u>		<u>-</u>
	6 Receivables	
4,602	Sundry Debtors	31,358
1,721	Prepayments	1,742
<u>6,323</u>		<u>33,100</u>
	7 Fixed Assets	
187,731	Equipment - Track & Field at cost	229,916
(161,484)	Less Accumulated Depreciation	(172,451)
<u>26,247</u>		<u>57,465</u>
40,406	Furniture, Fittings & Office Equipment at cost	65,059
(30,304)	Less Accumulated Depreciation	(24,363)
<u>10,102</u>		<u>40,696</u>
<u>36,349</u>	Total Fixed Assets at Net Book Value	<u>98,161</u>
	8 Payables	
32,360	Sundry Creditors	31,516
29,267	Accruals	65,606
103,722	Deferred Income	125,442
12,686	Accrued liability for GST and PAYG	706
<u>178,035</u>		<u>223,271</u>
	9 Provisions	
7,121	Provision for Long Service Leave	13,152
13,029	Provision for Annual Leave	23,327
<u>20,150</u>		<u>36,479</u>

Statement by the Board

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 the Notes to the financial statements.

In the opinion of the Board of the Athletic Association of South Australia Inc.:

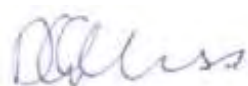
- The accompanying financial report presents fairly the financial position of the Athletic Association of South Australia Inc. as at 30th June 2023.
- At the date of this statement, there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Athletic Association of South Australia Inc. will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due.
- The association is not a subsidiary nor is there a subsidiary of the association.
- The association is not a trustee of a trust.
- Since the end of the previous financial year:
 - no officer of the association, or
 - a firm of which the officer is a member, or
 - a body corporate in which the officer has a substantial financial interesthas received or become entitled to receive a benefit as a result of a contract between the officer, firm or body corporate and the association.
- Since the end of the previous financial year, no officer of the association has received directly or indirectly from the association any payment or other benefit (other than a salary included in the aggregate amount of remuneration received or due and receivable by officers) of a pecuniary value.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Board of the Athletic Association of South Australia Inc.

Signed for and on behalf of the Board:



Jane Russo
President



David Cross
Finance Director

Dated this 8th day of November 2023

**INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT
TO THE MEMBERS OF ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA INCORPORATED**

Opinion

We have audited the financial report of the Athletic Association of South Australia Incorporated (the Entity), which comprises the Balance Sheet as at 30 June 2023, the Income and Expenditure Statement for the year then ended, Notes to the Financial Statements and Statement by the Board.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial report presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Entity as at 30 June 2023 and its financial performance for the year then ended in accordance with the *Associations Incorporation Act 1985*.

Basis for Opinion

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

We draw attention to Note 1 to the financial report, which describes the basis of accounting. The financial report has been prepared to assist the Entity to meet the requirements of the *Associations Incorporation Act 1985*. As a result, the financial report may not be suitable for another purpose.

Responsibilities of Board of Management for the Financial Report

Management 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 management 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, management 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 management 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.

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As part of an audit in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards, we exercise professional judgment 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 board.
- + Conclude on the appropriateness of the board'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 management 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.



ACCRU⁺ HARRIS ORCHARD



**LUKE BOLLMEYER
DIRECTOR**

Dulwich, 15 November 2023

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

President and Chair	Jane Russo	Elected Director
Vice President	Nikolaos Flabouris	Elected Director
Finance Director	David Cross	Elected Director
Director	Claire Woods	Board Appointed Director
Director	Verity Pietsch	Elected Director
Director	Erin Rice	Board Appointed Director
Director	Joe Stevens	Elected Director
Director	Chris Hartwig	Elected Director (From August 2023)

NOTES

Chris Hartwig was appointed in August 2023 to fill a casual vacancy.

*Athletics SA Staff at the 2022-23 Presentation Luncheon, absent Heath Wingard & Lisa Attenborough.
Photograph: Athletics SA.*



STAFF MEMBERS

Chief Executive Officer	Shane Fuller
Operations Manager	Lisa Attenborough
Events Manager	Hayden Beelitz (From February 2023)
Pathways Manager	Kurt Olsen
Pathways Lead (Coaches, Clubs) Pathways Lead (Juniors)	Jacinta Fisher (Until February 2023) & Heath Wingard
Communications & Marketing Coordinator	Josh Teakle (Until December 2022) & Lucy Taheny (From February 2023)
Membership and Administration Coordinator	Lucy Tiller (From January 2023)
Running SA Coordinator	Riley Cocks (From January 2023)
Track and Competition Attendants (Casual)	Hayden Beelitz (Until February 2023), Drew Downing & Chris Tully

MEMBERSHIP & REGISTRATION 2022-23

As at September 30, 2023

CLUB	U14	U16	U18	U20	OPEN	35+	TOTAL	2021-22
Adelaide Harriers	7	8	11	9	47	86	168	185
Adelaide University	-	-	6	2	23	5	36	-
Athletics SA	-	-	1	1	-	-	2	8
Coastal Districts	3	5	11	2	3	2	26	34
Enfield Harriers	-	1	1	3	5	6	16	33
Flinders	9	30	18	12	41	43	153	150
Hills Districts	3	4	2	2	18	13	42	43
Mt Barker	4	2	3	1	3	3	16	12
Northern Districts	3	11	18	13	21	21	87	84
Pembroke	4	12	12	13	27	4	72	75
Port Adelaide	13	12	20	13	62	45	165	189
Running SA	-	1	2	-	10	15	28	-
SA Masters	-	-	-	-	3	149	152	170
Saints	22	46	54	21	42	8	193	172
South Coast	1	2	-	-	-	3	6	5
Southern	9	4	4	4	15	98	134	114
Tea Tree Gully	4	10	10	5	2	14	45	52
United Collegians	2	5	5	2	5	1	20	17
Western	6	22	23	18	46	23	138	140
TOTAL	90	175	201	121	373	539	1499	1509

WORKFORCE	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	LIFE MEMBERS
Officials	38	26	64	Active - 67
Coaches	184	120	304	Total - 152

TOTAL ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP 1934



Junior athletes from all clubs at the start line of the supporting 5km event to the State 10km. Photograph: Athletics SA.



Poppy Austin winning her maiden Australian Cross Country title in the Under 20 6km race at the 2023 Chemist Warehouse Australian Cross Country. Photograph: David Tarbotton, Athletics Australia

INDIVIDUAL AGE GROUP AWARDS

U14 Road, Cross Country & Walks
Male Athlete of the Year 2022

Louis Pietsch

U14 Road, Cross Country & Walks
Female Athlete of the Year 2022

Isla Fahey

U14 Track & Field Male Athlete of
the Year 2022-2023

Samuel Wilks

U14 Track & Field Female Athlete
of the Year 2022-2023

Iluka-Rose Taylor

U16 Road, Cross Country & Walks
Male Athlete of the Year 2022

Sebastian Richards

U16 Road, Cross Country & Walks
Female Athlete of the Year 2022

Tessa Ebert

U16 Track & Field Male Athlete of
the Year 2022-2023

Ken Ferrante Tanikawa

U16 Track & Field Female Athlete
of the Year 2022-23

Georgie Fielder

U18 Road, Cross Country & Walks
Male Athlete of the Year 2022

Jonathan Harris

U18 Road, Cross Country & Walks
Female Athlete of the Year 2022

Nellie Langford

U18 Track & Field Male Athlete of
the Year 2022-2023

Thomas Griffiths

U18 Track & Field Female Athlete
of the Year 2022-2023

Marley Raikiwasa

U20 Road, Cross Country &
Walks Male Athlete of the Year
2022

Cael Mulholland

U20 Road, Cross Country &
Walks Female Athlete of the Year
2022

Olivia Sandery

U20 Track & Field Male Athlete of
the Year 2022-2023

Aidan Murphy

U20 Track & Field Female Athlete
of the Year 2022-2023

Olivia Sandery

O35 Road, Cross Country &
Walks Male Athlete of the Year
2022

Michael Nitschke

O35 Road, Cross Country &
Walks Female Athlete of the Year
2022

Emma Kraft

O35 Track & Field Male Athlete of
the Year 2022-2023

Michael Cassidy

O35 Track & Field Female Athlete
of the Year 2022-2023

Sarah Chinner

Open Road, Cross Country &
Walks Male Athlete of the Year
2022

Matthew Clarke

Open Road, Cross Country &
Walks Female Athlete of the Year
2022

Jessica Stenson

Open Track & Field Male Athlete
of the Year 2022-2023

Aidan Murphy

Open Track & Field Female
Athlete of the Year 2022-2023

Isobel Batt-Doyle

The 2022 Winter & 2022-23
Summer Awards were presented
at the Athletics SA Awards
Luncheon at the Adelaide
Pavilion on Sunday, June 4, 2023.

*Photograph: Athletics SA Open Track &
Field Athlete of the Year: 2022-2023 Isobel
Batt-Doyle at the World Championships
in Budapest 2023.*

Photograph: Athletics Australia



Summer Premiership - Open Male 2022-2023

Saints

Summer Premiership - U18 Male 2022-2023

Saints

Summer Premiership - U16 Male 2022-2023

Western

Summer Premiership - U14 Male 2022-2023

Saints

Summer Premiership - O35 Male 2022-2023

Flinders

Summer Premiership - Open Female 2022-2023

Saints

Summer Premiership - U18 Female 2022-2023

Northern Districts

Summer Premiership - U16 Female 2022-2023

Saints

Summer Premiership - U14 Female 2022-2023

Saints

Summer Premiership - O35 Female 2022-2023

SA Masters

Summer Premiership - Para Male 2022-2023

Hills Districts

Summer Premiership - Para Female 2022-2023

Northern Districts

Winter Premiership - Open Male 2022

Flinders

Winter Premiership - U20 Male 2022

Adelaide Harriers

Winter Premiership - U16 Male 2022

Adelaide Harriers

Winter Premiership - O35 Male 2022

Flinders

Winter Premiership - Open Female 2022

Flinders

Winter Premiership - U20 Female 2022

Adelaide Harriers

Winter Premiership - U16 Female 2022

Flinders

Winter Premiership - O35 Female 2022

Flinders

Best Club, State Road, Cross Country & Walks Championships 2022

Male: **Flinders**

Female: **Hills Districts**

Best Club, State Track and Field Championships 2022-23

Senior Male: **Western**

Senior Female: **Pembroke**

Junior Male: **Saints**

Junior Female: **Saints**



Photograph: Matthew Clarke at the 2023 World Athletics Championships in Budapest. Photograph: Athletics Australia



Flinders and Saints athlete at the start line during the 2022-23 Summer Season. Photograph: Athletics SA

2022-2023 PAT PETERS
Official of the Year
Malcom Bray

2022-2023 EMERGING OFFICIAL
AWARD
Johanna Pretorius

2022-2023 IVERSEN AWARD
Best High Jumper
Chelsea Friedrich

2022-2023 HELIER AWARD
Best Horizontal Jumper
Emilaya Ellis

2022-2023 DI BURGE AWARD
Best Female Sprinter
Lakara Stallan

2022-2023 SCOTCHY GORDON
TROPHY
Best Male Sprinter
Aidan Murphy

2022-2023 KEITH FAULKNER
TROPHY
Best Performance in Distance
Running
Jessica Stenson

2022-2023 DEB MCKELL
TROPHY
Encouragement Award for
Javelin
Evan Heath

2022-2023 CARLIN THROWS
TROPHY
Best Performance Men's Junior
Darcy Miller

2022-2023 JACKMAN THROWS
TROPHY
Best Performance Women's
Junior
Marley Raikiwasa

2022-2023 TB DODDS
MEMORIAL SHIELD
Outstanding Field Games
Performance in State
Championships
Chelsea Friedrich

2022-2023 BARB STEPHENS
Most Promising Multi Event
Athlete
Leila Croker

2022-2023 SARWC TROPHY
Outstanding Race Walker
Kim Mottrom

2022-2023 TONY KEYNES
Volunteer of the Year Award
Joe Stevens OAM

2022-2023 COACH OF THE YEAR
High Performance
Adam Didyk

2022-2023 COACH OF THE YEAR
Athlete Development
Steve Larsson

2022-2023 CLUB OF THE YEAR
Flinders Athletic Club

2022-2023 PRESIDENT'S AWARD
Acknowledging Distinguished
Service to Athletics in SA
Jason Stevens

2022-2023 BRIAN WYLD
Junior Athlete of the Year
Aidan Murphy

2022-2023 PARA ATHLETE OF
THE YEAR
Hugo Taheny

2022-2023 ATHLETE OF THE
YEAR
Jessica Stenson



Athletics SA Athlete's Tryphena Hewett and Chelsea Friedrich at the 2023 Chemist Warehouse Australian Track and Field Championships, Brisbane.
Photograph: Steve Christo, Athletics Australia

OPEN STATE CHAMPIONS

MALE

Aidan Murphy	100m	10.33
Aidan Murphy	200m	20.89
Harrison Hunt	400m	47.30
Jack Atherton	800m	1:50.01
Isaac Heyne	1500m	3:44.09
Adrian Potter	3000m	8:12.58
Max Stevens	5000m	14:18.51
Jacob Cocks	10000m	30:07.37
Stanley Cheung	110m H	15.56
Robert Broadhead	400m H	56.33
Riley Konecny	3000m S	9:32.76
Tristan Camilleri	5000m W	21:18.21
Kim Mottrom	10000m W	44:59.02
Oli Callahan	LJ	7.18m
Benjamin Ridley	TJ	13.50m
Joshua Nenasheff	HJ	1.87m
Onesimus Hewett	PV	4.40m
Fox Obst	SP	15.06m
Markus Robberts	JT	62.12m
Lachlan Page	DT	55.53m
Jett Carlin	HT	62.05m
Lachlan Burrows	DEC	5632 p
Adrian Potter	Road 5k	14:10
Jacob Cocks/Riley Cocks	Road 10K	30:19
Adrian Potter	XC	30:49
Kim Mottrom	20km RW	1:35.17
Nathan Woods	100m Para	12.13
Thomas Mattinson	100m FR	25.61
Nathan Woods	200m Para	24.83
Nathan Woods	400m Para	56.85
Jack White	800m Para	2:20.08
Timon Sideris	1500m Para	4:54.13
Jack White	5000m Para	20:11.00
Timon Sideris	10000m Para	37:57.90
Brayden Davidson	LJ Para	4.58m
Hugo Taheny	SP Para	11.18m
Hugo Taheny	DT Para	29.80m
Hugo Taheny	JT Para	20.63m
Timon Sideris	Road 5K Para	17:46
Timon Sideris	Road 10k Para	37:13
Jack White	XC Para	12:03

FEMALE

Lakara Stallan	100m	11.65
Lakara Stallan	200m	23.86
Charlotte McAuliffe	400m	55.00
Annabel Kitto	800m	2:15.46
Zoe Toland	1500m	4:31.09
Tara Palm	3000m	9:30.41
Tara Palm	5000m	16:39.45
Tara Palm	10000m	35:44.8
Christine Gayen	100m H	14.77
Lucy Allen	400m H	1:08.16
Olivia Sandery	5000m W	21:09.08
Samantha Findlay	10000m W	47:53.64
Christine Gayen	LJ	5.77m
Emilaya Ellis	TJ	12.06m
Chelsea Friedrich	HJ	1.78m
Jamie Scroop	PV	3.85m
Marley Raikiwasa	SP	13.66m
Salumi Robberts	JT	49.57m
Marley Raikiwasa	DT	50.94m
Lauren Smith	HT	40.51m
Christine Gayen	Hep	
Isobel Batt-Doyle	Road 5k	15:09
Brooke Hines	Road 10K	35:34
Brooke Hines	XC	37:14
Rhiannon Lovegrove	20km RW	2:05.12
Akeesha Snowden	100m Para	14.30
Olivia Ots	100m FR	47.01
Akeesha Snowden	200m Para	29.37
Akeesha Snowden	400m Para	1:10.55
Stephanie White	800m Para	3:47.26
Stephanie White	1500m Para	8:10.85
Stephanie White	LJ Para	2.40m
Lillee Wakefield	SP Para	7.97m
Lillee Wakefield	DT Para	24.56m
Lillee Wakefield	JT Para	15.83m
Mikaela McCarthy	Road 5K Para	31:18

Male:

Jett Carlin: HT U20 (6kg) 69.19m	Darcy Miller Discus U20 (1.75 kg) 60.69m
Riley Cocks: Half- Marathon Open 1:02:43	Aidan Murphy 100m Open & U20 10.33
Alex Dunn: 110m H [91.4cm] U18 13.96 (4)	Noah Schoepf Discus U16 (1.00kg) 66.01m
Ken Ferrante Tanikawa 90m H [76.2] U14 12.38	SA Team Jean Marie, James Withnall, Gman Paye, Andrew Maenda 4x100m U18 41.86
Zayden Kamish JT U16 (700g) 61.02m	
Andrew Maenda 100m U16 10.79 100m U18 10.57 200m U16 21.80	

Female:

Isobel Batt-Doyle Half-Marathon Open 1:09:27	Iluka Rose-Taylor 100m U14 12.42 400m U14 55.88 Long Jump U14 5.67m (3)
Leila Croker Hep (Multi) U18 5184 points	Heptathlon (Multi) U16 5023 points
Georgie Fielder 200mH [76.2] U16 28.36 90m H 76.2] U16 12.76	Olivia Sandery 5000m Walk Open 21:09.08
Marley Raikiwasa SP U18 (3kg) 16.88m (3) SP U20 (4kg) 14.27m (3) DT U18 & U20 (1kg) 54.00 (2)	Lakara Stallan 100m U20 11.51 200m U20 23.34 (2) Mali Walters 100m U14 12.42

PARA (BEST PERFORMANCES)

Darcy Bekric T12 100m Open, U20 & U17 12.96 200m Open, U20 & U17 26.59 400m Open, U20 & U17 1:10.49	(750g) 3.85m SP (seated) Open & U20 (2kg) 3.15m ShP (seated) (1kg) U17 & U15 (1kg) 3.67m Jack Netting T/F35 100m Open 13.57 200m Open 27.64 LJ Open 4.76m	Lillee Wakefield T/F20 JT Open (600g) 20.27m HT Open (4kg) 34.89m Aleesha Snowden T37 100m Open & U20 14.29 200m Open & U20 29.37 400m Open & U20 1:08.72	Mikaela McCarthy T/ F38 400m U20 & U17 1:50.54 TJ Open, U20 & U17 4.66m LJ U20 & U17 - 2.28m SP U20 (3.0kg) - 4.96m JT U17 (500g) - 11.49m DT (750g) U17 - 12.30m
Angus Hincksman T38 800m Open & U20 1:57.33 1500m Open & U20 3:57.95	Sam Paech T/F37 SP Open (5kg) 10.90m DT Open (1kg) 34.26m Timon Sideris T20 3000m Open 10:18.90 10000m Open 37:57.90 Half-Marathon Open T20 1:23:34	Keira Post T/F37 100m U17 14.39 200m U17 30.11 Olivia Ots RR1 100m Open, U20, U17 & U15 45.03 200m Open, U20, U17 & U15 1:38.76 400m Open, U20, U17 & U15 3:13.17 800m Open, U20, U17 & U15 6:46.26	Sophie Davis T/F36 100m U17 & U15 19.53 400m Open, U20, U17 & U15 1:52.15 Long Jump Open, U20, U17 & U15 2.45m
Thomas Mattinson RR1/F32 100m Open, U20, U17 & U15 25.61 200m Open, U20 & U17 & U15 53.32 400m Open, U20, U17 & U15 1:57.26 800m Open, U20, U17 & U15 4:46.14 DT (seated) Open & U20 (1kg) 2.53m DT (seated) U17 & U15	Peter Sneddon F46 DT (1.5kg) Open 26.33m Hugo Taheny T/F21 DT Open (1kg) 32.95m SP Open (4kg) 11.98m JT Open (600g) 21.90m		

Australian Records

Australian U16 Mixed 4x400m Relay – Team SA – Ayden Colbourne, Lachlan Sands, Charlotte McAuliffe and Illuka-Rose Taylor – 3:36.43 recorded in Adelaide on 11 December 2022.

World Records

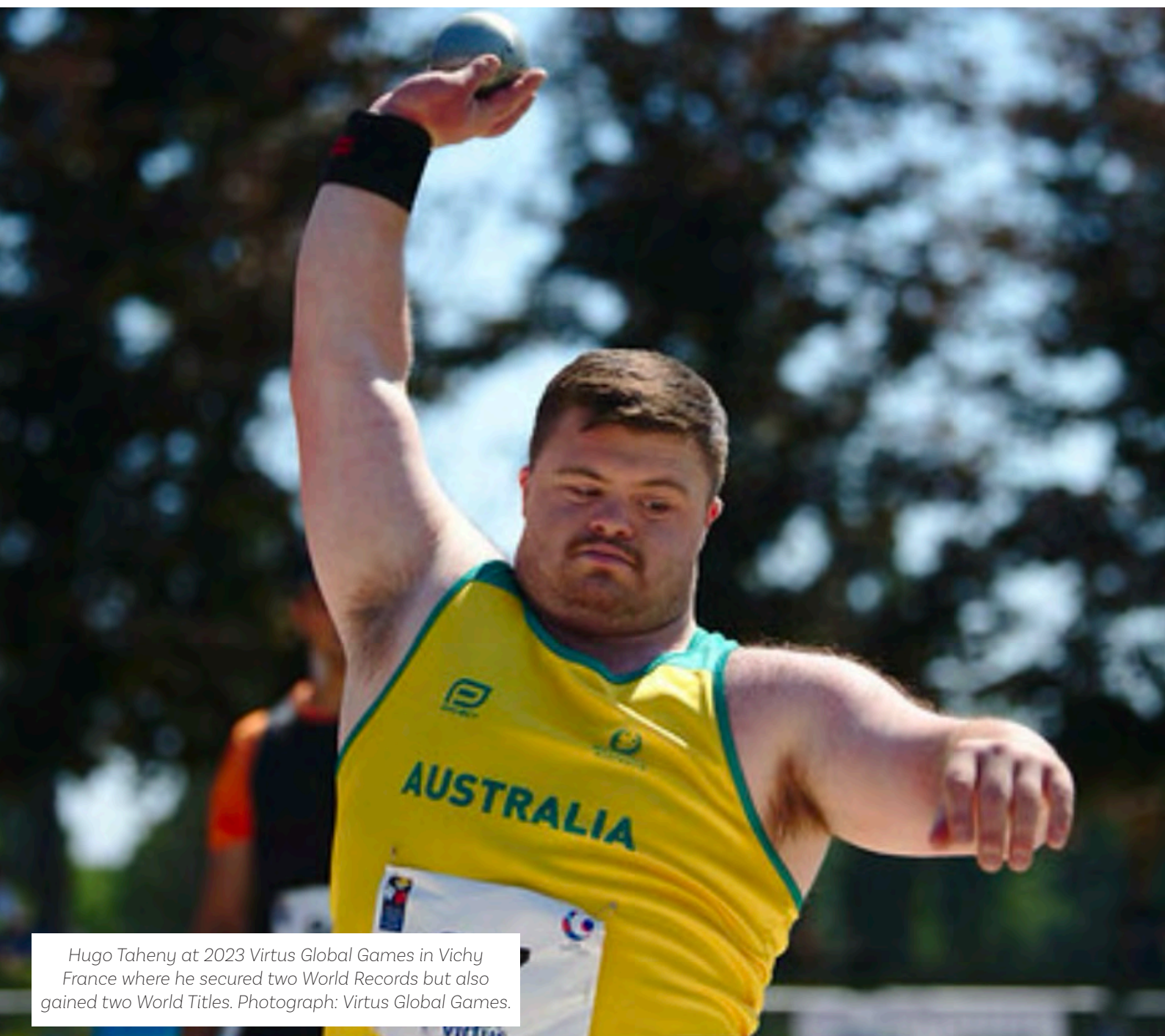
Angus Hincksman
T38 800m – 1:57.33 – recorded in Brisbane on 1 April 2023. World Para Athletics Record.

World Records cont.

Hugo Taheny
II2 Shot Put – 11.98m recorded in Vichy, France on 7 June 2023. *Virtus Sport Record.

II2 Discus – 32.95m recorded in Vichy, France on 8 June 2023. *Virtus Sport Record.

* Hugo Taheny competes at Athletics SA and Athletics Australia competitions under the T/F21 Classification – a non-World Para Athletics Classification.



Hugo Taheny at 2023 Virtus Global Games in Vichy France where he secured two World Records but also gained two World Titles. Photograph: Virtus Global Games.

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