

Championships

By CARMEL MEYER

Following a hiatus in 2018 when WA hosted the Nationals, the State Championships returned with a vengeance and a near record number of entries this year. Final numbers were a little depleted by pre-meet injuries and attrition over the main weekend but healthy entry numbers signal that masters athletics is thriving. Another sign of a thriving club is innovation. Programme innovations saw the 5000m and long jump moved to Pentathlon day.

As MAWA makes every effort to enable athletes to have a wide ranging entry list if desired, having the 5000m on Pentathlon day meant that 5000m/1500m runners could be fresh for both races. Also, the stadium was better utilised and more track time was free for the main weekend. The 5000m change was considered successful.

Reports appear mixed regarding the long jump – it made for a long and tiring day for pentathlon/long jump athletes and it seems the atmosphere was sadly lacking. This change will be reviewed prior to the 2019 championships.

Look back through the 2017 Championships TFNL you will see the photograph of a long line of furrowed-brow 10,000m lap scorers. Not this year. The new electronic lap-scoring and photo finish equipment, purchased with club funds (~\$10,000) and 'Perth 2016' Trust Fund monies (~\$40,000), allows stress-free lap counting and our athlete's performances are accurately and efficiently credited.

Also included in these purchase costs are hurdles, starting blocks, wind gauge and a lap number/bell stand. With the exception of pole vault and high jump, we are now self-sufficient in running major championships at Ern Clark Athletic Centre (ECAC) and have been able to stage a highly professional meet.

Superb organisation by Richard and Barbara Blurton was enhanced by the small army of volunteers. Many volunteers were injured athletes who had to temper their aspirations and say 'next year'; never an easy thing to do. Other volunteers were retired athletes, Sunday-run stalwarts or

the partners of competitors. All deserve a huge 'Thank You'.

To anyone who doesn't generally step up and help out I am confident each of these volunteers would say 'give it a go'. You will not only derive a great deal of personal satisfaction out of helping but also receive the sincere gratitude of all competitors. Along with the nerves at the start line and throwing arena, there is also plenty of laughter and fun, which the volunteers are very much a part of.

Anyone keen to join the team who know how to 'drive' the lap-scoring and photo-finish equipment would be warmly welcomed. You don't have to be a tech genius as training is provided. Several more people are required so that a flexible team is available to manage the championships and regular track meets. The electronic equipment is great but of no value, if there isn't anyone on hand to operate it.

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Records

Ruth Johnson	W75	200m	38.26	SR	Paul Foley	M50	Javelin	41.87m	SR
Maureen Keshwar	W65	80m hurdles	18.48	SR	James Davis	M85	Shot	8.60m	SR
Vincent Sew Hew	M30	110m short hurdle	es 15.82	SR	James Davis	M85	Weight	10.94m	SR
Carol Bowman	W60	300m hurdles	1:13.45	SR	Melissa Foster	W40	Pentathlon	2734	SR
Jaime Lovell	W30	2000m Steeple	8:43.75	SR	Jennifer Parker	W50	Pentathlon	3175	SR
Peggy Macliver	W75	1500m RW	10:44.46	SR	Ruth Johnson	W75	Pentathlon	3123	SR
Peggy Macliver	W75	3000m RW	22:20.27	SR	Steve Fuller	M65	Pentathlon	3076	SR
Phil Smyth	M70	High jump	1.30m	SR	David Carr	M85	Pentathlon	2300	SR
Greg Wilson	M70	High jump	1.30m	SR	James Davis	M85	Throws Pentathlon	3392	SR
James Davis	M85	Discus	^20.36m	SR	^ In Throws Pentath	lon			



draws plaudits

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Everyone enjoys the atmosphere at ECAC. Spectators can be closer to the action and are able to stand at the fence and 'holler' or relax on the grassy banks and still have a great view of proceedings. The Bunbury masters were well represented and the Albany crew stood out in their colourful, newly minted uniforms. We were again joined on Saturday by the team of less able athletes, also sporting bright smiles and t-shirts. Without a doubt, both groups learn a lot from each other in this joint athletic meet.

The weather gods smiled on our championships. The 10,000m race evening, in particular, was pleasantly cool and still; always nice when you have to run around the track 25 times. Pentathlon day was sunny and warm; maybe a little too sunny for the Throws Pentathlon but those throwing muscles would have been well warmed up. On the main weekend, the gods toyed with us by sending a light sprinkle early on Sunday but then holding

Some memorable moments

- M40 Ross Langford, who put on a masterclass of relaxed speed in the 10,000m, less than four weeks after coming ninth in the Tokushima marathon.
- M85 thrower Jim Davis, with the strength, skill and physique of a much younger man, setting four state records despite failing eyesight.
- The indomitable Peggy Macliver W75, not able to run at the moment, who took up race walking and broke two state records.
- 'Tolli' Antoniolli and Michael Byrne, two M65 sprinters locked in a battle royale over four sprint events with hundredths of a second separating them each time.
- W50 Paula Kennedy, Bunbury thrower, who left her comfort zone and put in an inspirational 100m sprint effort,
- W30 Jaime Lovell, tackling her first ever steeplechase and breaking a state record.
- M85 David Carr, always truly inspirational, declared Athlete of the Meet.
- Maurice Creagh, volunteer extraordinaire, who was on hand wherever something needed doing and who took on the enormous task of sweeping debris off the track.

off on the rain until just after the final event.

Whilst we marvel at the performances of our venerable members it is great to see our youngest athletes participating and making older competitors misty-eyed with nostalgia for their glory days. Well done to all athletes competing in their first

master's championships. Having experienced the thrill of a major competition you will surely be back for more. The record number of MAWA athletes (77) entered in the Melbourne nationals just after Easter were able to take advantage of the proximity of the state championships to test themselves, hone their skills.







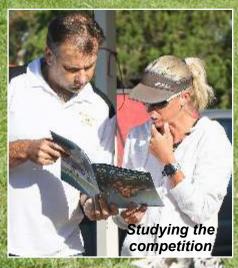


















By JOHN DENNEHY

Fastest overall woman in the 60m was Lisa Limonas with 9.21 with Cathy McCloskey returning from injury scoring a strong run. Adrian McKenzie recorded a slick 7.56 with David Graieg and Lee Stergiou also going under the eight-second mark.

Melissa Foster looked imperious as she ran 13.39 in the 100m with Ruth Johnson also exhibiting good sprinting form. Adrian McKenzie (M45) ran a startling 11.96 to win over Lee Stergiou with Colin Smith and Chris Neale separated by 0.01 in their race. Gin Ang also showed great technique under pressure to earn his silver medal. Tolli scored another title running 14.70 with Greg Kennedy, Stephen Crabbe and Ivo Davies tightly grouped in that order over the line. Barrie Kernaghan put an injury and illness ravaged season behind him to run a 15.91 with Norm Richards (M80) running a superb 17.57.

Lisa Limonas was pushed by Juliana Kelly in the 200m, but Cathy McCloskey's run really caught the eye - strong, with power and balance. Barbara Blurton mirrored this with her run and Ruth Johnson added to her growing collection of titles with a state record of 38.26.

Lee Stergiou muscled his way to a 24.96 200m win with Chris Neale dragging Ian Hannaby to a pb in the following race. Campbell Till ran an effortless sub 27, with Michael Byrne, Ivo Davies and Barrie Kernaghan accounting for strong fields.

Despite some very good running in the 400m the top women's time was set by Barbara Blurton (74.89) running a controlled 'quarter' while Carmel Meyer continued her amazing comeback with a stylish run. Lee Stergiou ran a stellar race for the fastest overall time although Anthony Mugavin and Chris Neale were equally impressive. Stuart Manning just held off Jason Kell, Colin Smith showed great tactical sense with his run as did Steve Fuller, Ivo Davies and Barrie Kernaghan.



	MEN		
M	30		
1	Vincent Sew Hew	7.67	-0.3
2	Craig Robson	9.00	-0.3
M			
1	David Graieg	7.74	-0.3
M			
1	David Adams	9.16	-0.3
M	45		
	Adrian McKenzie	7.56	-0.3
2	Lee Stergiou	7.77	-0.3
3	Jonathan Lester	8.63	-0.3
M	50		
1	Donovan Roets	8.29	-1.5
2	J	8.46	-1.5
3	Eric Hayward	9.21	-1.5
	55		
1	Colin Smith	8.11	-1.7
2	Gin Ang	8.24	-1.7
3		8.92	-1.7
M	~ ~		
1	Des Walsh	9.70	-1.7
	65		
	Tolli Antoniolli	9.15	0.4
2	Michael Byrne	9.17	0.4
3		9.73	0.4
4		10.78	0.4
M:		0.70	
1	Greg Kennedy	9.79	+0.0
	Ivo Davies	10.11	+0.0
3		10.15	+0.0
M :		0.06	100
2	Barrie Kernaghan	9.86 15.05	+0.0
		15.05	+0.0
M 8	~ ~	10.43	-2.2
	Peter Muller	11.59	-2.2
	85	11.59	-2.2
1	Stan Lockwood	17.14	-2.2
2	Cecil Walkley	44.03	-2.2
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	WOMEN		
W:	35		
			wind
	Anna Watters	9.43	-0.4
W4			
	Jasmine Heslop	9.38	-0.4
W:	~ ~		
	Lisa Limonas	9.21	-0.4
2		9.53	-0.4
3	Janne Wells	10.29	-0.4
W:	55		
1	Catherine McCloskey	9.25	-1.7
2	Delia Baldock	10.60	-1.7
3	Sharon Moloney	10.77	-1.7
4	Myree McGoldrick	11.03	-1.7
W	65		
1	Maureen Keshwar	10.05	-1.2
2	Barb Wilson	11.70	-1.2
3	Julie Wilson	11.99	-1.2
W	70		
1	Brenda Painter	11.67	-1.2
W	75		
1	Ruth Johnson	11.46	-1.2
2	Luella Jenkins	12.02	-1.2









	WOMEN			W75			M60		
l١	V35			1 Ruth Johnson	18.95	-1.1	1 Des Walsh	15.84	-2.2
			wind	2 Luella Jenkins	21.13	-1.1	M65		
-	Anna Watters	15.19	+1.6	MEN			1 Tolli Antoniolli	14.70	-1.2
١	V40			M30			Michael Byrne	14.92	-1.2
'	Melissa Foster	13.39	+1.6	1 Craig Robson	14.35	-0.3	3 Harold Membrey	17.62	-1.2
2	2 Jasmine Heslop	15.32	+1.6	M35			M70		
١ ا	V50			1 Alex Tinniswood	14.17	-0.3	1 Greg Kennedy	16.09	+0.0
'	Lisa Limonas	14.94	+1.6	M40			2 Stephen Crabbe	16.32	+0.0
2		15.74	+1.6	1 David Adams	14.68	-0.3	3 Ivo Davies	16.87	+0.0
		17.23	+1.6	M45			M75		
'	N55	45.04		1 Adrian McKenzie	11.96	-0.3	1 Barrie Kernaghan	15.91	+0.0
1	Catherine McCloskey		-0.9	2 Lee Stergiou	12.29	-0.3	2 Mike O'Reilly	18.02	+0.0
		16.75	-0.9	3 Jonathan Lester	13.89	-0.3	3 Lyle James	25.70	+0.0
	2020	17.31	-0.9	M50	40.07	0.0	M80		
4	Myree McGoldrick V65	18.24	-0.9	1 Chris Neale	12.97	-2.2	1 Norman Richards	17.57	-2.9
'	Barbara Blurton	16.19	-1.1	2 Donovan Roets 3 Ian Hannaby	13.29 13.80	-2.2 -2.2	2 Peter Muller	19.68	-2.9
		16.19	-1.1 -1.1	3 Ian Hannaby M55	13.60	-2.2	M85		
1 -	N70	10.57	-1.1	1 Colin Smith	12.96	-2.2	1 Irwin Barrett-Lennard	22 49	-2.9
	Brenda Painter	19.46	-1.1	2 Gin Ang	13.18	-2.2	2 Stan Lockwood	28.76	-2.9



Ivo Davies, heads Stephen Crabbe (730) and Greg Kennedy (702).

Lee Stergiou is already out of shot as (from left) Stuart Manning, Alex Tinniswood, Craig Robson and David Adams follow.

WOME	N		MEN			M65		
			M30			 Michael Byrne 	29.46	+1.9
W45			1 Craig Robson	29.56	+1.3	2 Tolli Antoniolli	29.75	+1.9
1 Tracy Gallagher	33.33	+2.1	M35	20.00	. 1.0	3 Keith Redpath	29.83	+1.9
W50			1 Alex Tinniswood	28.27	+1.3	4 Harold Membrey	31.86	+1.9
1 Lisa Limonas	30.55	+2.1	M40	20.21	. 1.0	M70		
2 Juliana Kelly	31.50	+2.1	1 Stuart Manning	27.98	+1.3	1 Ivo Davies	33.14	+2.6
W55			2 David Adams	30.09	+1.3	2 Greg Kennedy	33.16	+2.6
1 Catherine McCloske	ey 30.64	+3.4	M45	00.00		3 Stephen Crabbe	33.66	+2.6
2 Carmel Meyer	33.37	+3.4	1 Lee Stergiou	24.96	+1.3	4 Ivan Brown	39.57	+2.6
3 Sharon Moloney	35.33	+3.4	M50			M75		
4 Delia Baldock	35.85	+3.4	1 Chris Neale	25.95	+1.1	1 Barrie Kernaghan	32.94	+1.6
5 Myree McGoldrick	39.71	+3.4	2 Ian Hannaby	26.75	+1.1	2 David Baird	35.05	+1.6
W65			M55			3 Mike O'Reilly	37.54	+1.6
1 Barbara Blurton	32.52	+2.0	1 Colin Smith	26.40	+3.3	4 Bob Schickert	41.64	+1.6
W70			2 Stuart Walker	30.04	+3.3	M80		
1 Brenda Painter	44.23	+2.0	3 John Dennehy	37.80	+3.3	1 Norman Richards	35.49	+1.6
W75			M60			M85		
1 Ruth Johnson	*38.26	+2.0	1 Campbell Till	26.97	+3.3	1 Irwin Barrett-Lennar	d 46.96	+1.6
* State record			2 Des Walsh	30.67	+3.3	2 Cecil Walkley	2:22.91	+1.6



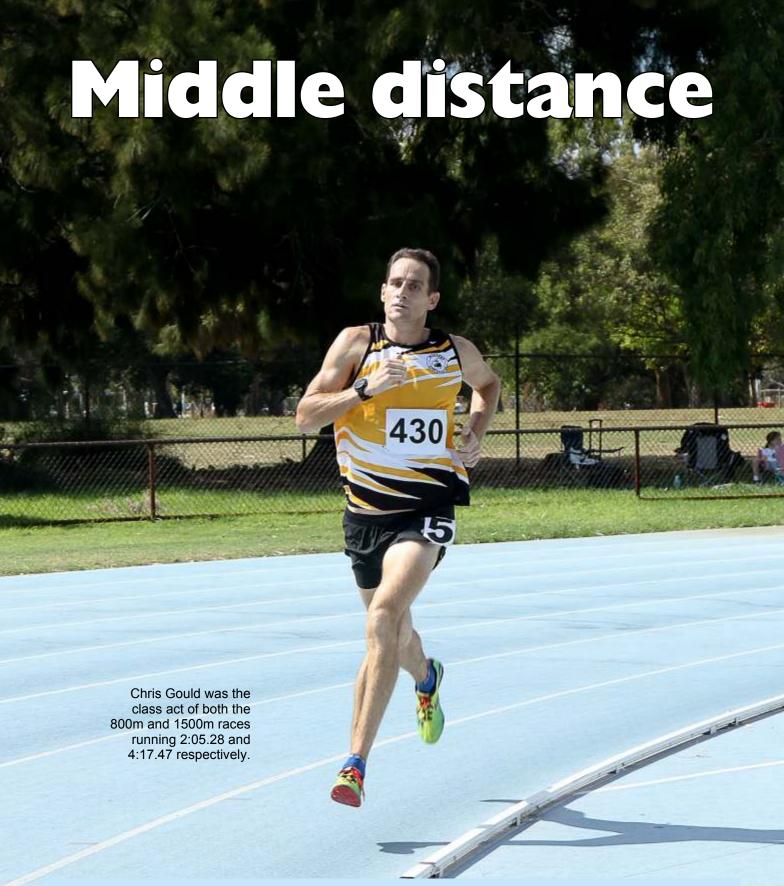








	WOMEN			MEN		M65		
W35			M35			1	Steve Fuller	1:04.73
1 W50	Elizabeth Gomez	1:16.28	1 2 M40	Anthony Mugavin Alex Tinniswood	56.98 1:06.10	2 3 4	Michael Byrne Tolli Antoniolli Keith Redpath	1:08.01 1:08.05 1:18.17
1 W55	Juliana Kelly	1:16.70	1 2	Stuart Manning Jason Kell	1:04.32 1:04.71	5 6 M70	Harold Membrey Milt Mavrick	1:21.05 1:23.63
1 2 W60	Carmel Meyer Delia Baldock	1:20.31 1:26.44	3 M45 1 M50	David Adams Lee Stergiou	1:09.43 55.97	1 2 3	Ivo Davies Ivan Brown William Hart	1:17.33 1:31.67 1:35.96
1 W65	Carol Bowman	1:23.31	1 2	Chris Neale Ian Hannaby	58.56 1:00.57	M75 1 2	Barrie Kernaghan David Baird	1:18.23 1:22.20
1 W75 1	Barbara Blurton Ruth Johnson	1:14.89	M55 1 M60 1	Colin Smith Des Walsh	57.78 1:12.88	3 M85 1 2	Mike O'Reilly David Carr Irwin Barrett-Lennard	1:34.10 1:24.28 2:08.85



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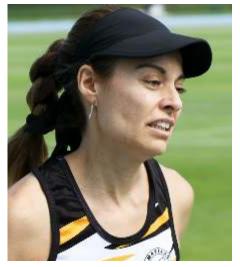
Sadly, Elizabeth Gomez, Julie Wilson, Jackie Halberg and Ruth Johnson all ran unopposed in their 800m races. Chris Gould was all class in his victory displaying a measured approach for a fine 2:05.28. Jannie Baard aggressively asserted his authority early on for a well-deserved win over Chris Neale

with Randy Hobbs, Martin Kennedy, Michael Byrne and Jim Klinge dominant in their divisions. Bert Carse won from David Baird with David Carr winning the Anne Shaw trophy with his 3:19.43 effort.

Clare Wardle exhibited speed and strength to outclass the women's 1500m field inspiring some quality performances from Janne Wells, Sue Zlnay, Karyn Gower and Julie Wilson.

David Graieg was rewarded for his fast early pace, setting up Chris Gould for an excellent 4:17.47 run. Dirk Klicker and Jannie Baard maintained solid pressure on their opponents to earn their titles as did Alan Gower, Giovanni Puglisi, Bob Hull, Bert Carse and the remarkable Irwin Barrett-Lennard who posted a 9:44.11 just shy of his ninetieth birthday!









ELIZABETH GOMEZ

JACKIE HALBERG

JULIE WILSON

WOMEN		M40		M65	
W35		1 Chris Gould	2:05.28	1 Michael Byrne	2:45.05
1 Elizabeth Gomez	2:56.85	2 Stuart Manning	2:38.57	2 Giovanni Puglisi	2:53.39
	2.50.65	3 Jason Kell	2:39.57	3 Mercurio Cicchini	3:12.45
W65	2:27.64	4 David Adams	2:54.12	4 Frank Price	5:12.58
1 Julie Wilson	3:37.64	M50		M70	0.12.00
W70	4:07.00	 Jannie Baard 	2:19.93	1 Jim Klinge	3:07.92
1 Jackie Halberg W75	4:07.00	2 Chris Neale	2:22.88	2 Bruce Wilson	3:22.55
	3:51.83	3 Ian Hannaby	2:25.22	3 William Hart	3:36.30
1 Ruth Johnson	3.31.63	4 Andy Abbey	2:33.23	Bob Hull	5.50.50 DQ
		5 John McShane	2:49.20	M75	DQ
MEN		6 Dante Giacomin	3:07.19		0.05.00
		M55		1 Bert Carse	3:05.20
M30		1 Randy Hobbs	3:08.12	2 David Baird	3:08.54
1 Adrian Fabiankovits	2:19.83	M60		3 Lyle James	6:33.52
M35		1 Martin Kennedy	2:33.97	M85	
1 Anthony Mugavin	2:16.17	2 Akos Gyarmathy	2:53.00	1 David Carr	3:19.43
2 Alex Tinniswood	2:43.01	3 Des Walsh	3:12.59	2 Cecil Walkley	10:56.31







WOMEN		M40		M65
W35		1 Chris Gould	4:17.47	1 Giovanni Puglisi 5:49.77
1 Elizabeth Gomez	5:58.36	2 Stuart Manning 3 Jason Kell	5:34.75	2 Mercurio Cicchini 6:24.78
W40			5:50.25	3 Milt Mavrick 6:49.99
1 Clare Wardle	5:01.91	4 David Adams M45	5:55.30	4 Frank Price 10:17.89
W50		1 Dirk Klicker	4:58.54	
1 Janne Wells	7:11.84	M50	4.50.54	M70
W55		1 Jannie Baard	5:07.39	1 Bob Hull 6:06.27
1 Sue Zlnay	5:53.95	2 Ian Hannaby	5:16.28	2 Bruce Wilson 6:44.82
2 Karyn Gower	6:31.14	3 Andy Abbey	5:25.08	M75
W65		4 John McShane	5:51.74	WI75
1 Julie Wilson	7:27.75	M55		1 Bert Carse 6:17.77
MEN		1 Randy Hobbs	6:34.27	2 David Baird 6:24.06
WILIN		M60		3 Bob Schickert 8:28.70
M35		1 Alan Gower	5:04.32	4 Lyle James 12:57.6
1 David Graieg	4:48.20	2 Martin Kennedy	5:28.30	M85
2 Matt Byles	4:52.43	3 Akos Gyarmathy	6:00.93	IVIOS
3 Chris Lark	4:56.26	4 Bruce McGeorge	6:37.58	1 Irwin Barrett-Lennard 9:44.11

Walks/hurdles



By JOHN DENNEHY

New member Vincent Sew Hee gave a masterclass in hurdling with both his warm-up routine and then in obliterating his own state record in the 110m hurdles (15.82). Jenn Parker was clean over 'the sticks' in the 300m event, with Delia Baldock, Giovanni Puglisi, Harold Membrey, Greg Kennedy and Bruce Wilson all collecting medals. Carol Bowman's consistent hurdle training paid off with a new state record. Chris Neale and Andrew Brooker ran the 'one lap' hurdles in well under seventy

seconds, followed by M55 medallists Garry Hastie and JP Moutia.

Karyn Tolardo never troubled the walks judges as she strode to victory in all three walks events posting great times with seeming ease. The affable athlete serves as a mentor to many of the walkers with her technique, personality and knowledge. The ever consistent Wendy Farrow, Sally-Anne Smith, Elaine Dance, Lynne Schickert and the ageless Sylvia Byers all completed their races without the red card being shown. However, it was a newcomer to race walking, Peggy

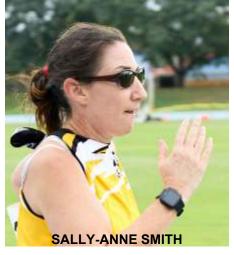
Macliver, who snared state records in both the 1500m and 3000m events. Garry Hastie also won the walks triple with quality efforts. Andrew Duncan gave onlookers food for thought walking the 1500m in 6:48.30, with Wayne Byram, Jason Kell and Victor Munoz collecting gold medals. John McDonagh and Hayden Gawne had tightly fought battles in the shorter walks, with Johan Hagedoorn and Walkley bringing Cecil competitive running instincts into the walking arena.

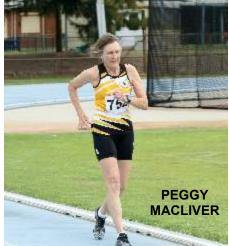




m Race Walk	
Elizabeth Gomez	13:01.22
Sally-Anne Smith	9:30.40
Karyn Tolardo	8:10.86
Paula Kennedy	9:31.06 10:59.86
Elaine Dance	11:33.82
Peggy Macliver	*10:44.46
Ruth Johnson Lynne Schickert	11:18.63 12:04.61
Sylvia Byers	12:44.51
e record	
Jason Kell	9:17.66
	15:58.83
	8:30.54
	6:48.30
Garry Hastie John Dennehy	8:18.03 10:36.76
Victor Munoz	8:36.79
	16:55.83
Ť	11:55.34
Haydn Gawne	9:34.99 9:49.54
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300	00m Race Walk	
W5	0	
1	Karyn Tolardo	16:54.64
2	Wendy Farrow	19:43.38
W6	5	
1	Elaine Dance	23:20.85
W7	~	
1		*22:20.27
2	Luella Jenkins	23:17.97
3	Lynne Schickert	24:25.52
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M4	~	
1	Wayne Byram	19:17.65
M5	~	
1	Garry Hastie	17:05.94
M6	~	40.44.07
1		18:11.97
	Des Walsh	DQ
M7	~	00.40.70
	John McDonagh	20:40.73
2		20:45.41
3		22:19.39
M7	~	20.40.05
1 1	Johan Hagedoorn	22:19.95
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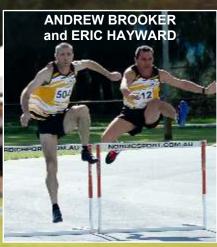


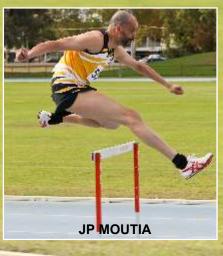












80m Short Hurdles

	wind
12.86	+0.7
16.78	+0.7
18.31	+0.7
*18.48	-0.2
15.87	-0.2
	16.78 18.31 *18.48

* State record

100m Short Hurdles

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	M5	50		
l	1	Andrew Brooker	18.2h	+1.8
	2	Eric Hayward	20.5h	+1.8
ı	M5	55		
ı	1	JP Moutia	23.40	+1.4
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ı	11	0m Short Hurdles		
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M30

1	Vincent Sew Hew	*15.82	+1.4
		* State	record

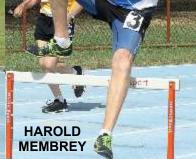












300n	n Hurdles	
W50		
1	Jennifer Parker	56.79
2	Janne Wells	1:05.74
W55		
1	Delia Baldock	1:10.19
W60		
1	Carol Bowman	*1:13.45
M65		
1	Giovanni Puglisi	1:01.52
2	Harold Membrey	1:11.98
M70		
1	Greg Kennedy	1:03.36
2	Bruce Wilson	1:23.47
		* State record
400n 	n Hurdles	
M50		
1	Chris Neale	1:06.36
2	Andrew Brooker	1:08.71
M55		

1:23.51

1:29.38

Garry Hastie JP Moutia



By JOHN DENNEHY

Sue Coate (W50) won the javelin from a very talented field (with just over 10m covering the entire division) as did Stan Selby and Peter Muller respectively. Luella Jenkins (W75) also made her mark with the spear throwing an elegant 15.30m. Garry Hastie showed what a talented athlete he really is, with a javelin title added to his familiar walking events and later picking a medal in the high jump.

Paul Foley and Andrew Brooker enjoyed a closely fought competition with Paul eventually pushed to a state record to record the win (41.87m). Craig Robson (M30) revealed a solid technique winning with 31.70m and Des Walsh (M60) proved he indeed does have 'an arm' with his consistent training

sessions after Masters' competitions this season paying a handsome dividend.

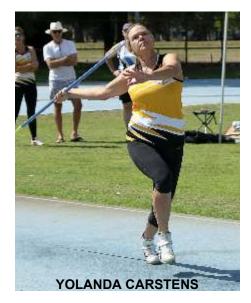
Training partners and friends Lisa Limonas and Sue Coate also tied for the win in the high jump, finishing on 1.30m, with their friendship intact. Notably, Hans Venter took the M50 crown, capping a successful season where he set a new state record in the event, with jumps coach Dave Wyatt demonstrating to his athletes just how the Fosbury Flop should be done in securing another jumps title.

Norm Richards cleared 1.05m relying on his exceptional speed, while Jonathan Lester presented his credentials soaring over 1.60m. Gay Wyatt endorsed her claims to be considered a true multi-eventer claiming the W65 title with a 1.05m jump.

Melissa Foster sent the tape out to 11.38m in the triple jump – off what was last season considered not her take-off leg - as her injured foot continues to heal. A stunning Other performance. top performances by Lisa Limonas, Delia Baldock, Gay Wyatt, Brenda Painter and Ruth Johnson were recognised with gold medals. Alex Tinniswood scored a win (9.35m), along with Jonathan Lester (10.40m). Ian Hannaby collected another title, as Colin Smith demonstrated the importance of raw speed in the jumps extending the tape to 9.43m. Dave Wyatt combined style, speed and strength recording a best of 8.51m and Peter Muller jumped 5.97m for the M80 crown, just ahead of Norm Richards (5.73m) after an intense battle.









W30		W70		M65	
1 Michelle Krokosz	30.97m	1 Brenda Painter	12.73m	1 Jo Peters	35.96m
W35		2 Hazel Stephen	6.48m	2 Oswald Igel	30.50m
1 Kristy Franklin	26.42m	W75		3 Franz Schlechter	24.60m
W50		1 Luella Jenkins	15.30m	M70	
1 Sue Coate	29.36m	W80			00.40
2 Yolanda Carstens	28.05m	1 Maggie Flanders	6.92m	1 Stan Selby	36.19m
3 Paula Kennedy	21.51m			2 Phil Smyth	30.79m
4 Chris Schelfhout	19.64m	M30		3 Gregory Wilson	26.02m
5 Janne Wells	19.05m	1 Craig Robson	31.70m	M80	
	13.00111	M50		1 Peter Muller	20.03m
W55		1 Paul Foley	*41.87m	2 Norman Stanger	18.78m
1 Debra Cox	18.18m	2 Andrew Brooker	40.80m	3 Bob Fergie	17.08m
2 Sharon Moloney	16.61m	M55		4 John Cochrane	10.96m
W65		1 Garry Hastie	34.79m	M85	
1 Barb Wilson	17.38m	2 Andrew Ward	34.08m		40.75
2 Kate Glass	13.88m	M60		1 James Davis	13.75
3 Lynne Choate	11.51m	1 Des Walsh	21.64m	* State record	

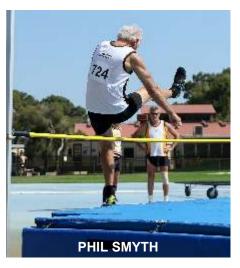


High W50	Jump	
1 1 1	Lisa Limonas Sue Coate	1.30m 1.30m
W55 1 W65	Delia Baldock	1.17m
1 W70	Gay Wyatt	1.05m
1 W75	Brenda Painter	0.90m
1 2	Ruth Johnson Luella Jenkins	0.90m 0.90m
3 M45 1	Lynne Schickert Jonathan Lester	0.85m 1.60m
M50	Kevin Collins	1.05m
M55	Hans Venter	1.50m
2	Stuart Walker Garry Hastie	1.30m 1.25m
M65 1 2	Dave Wyatt Franz Schlechter	1.30m 1.15m
M70	Phil Smyth	*1.30m
1 3	Gregory Wilson Greg Kennedy	*1.30m 1.20m
M80 1 2	Norman Richards Peter Muller	1.05m 1.00m
* Sta	te record Pole vault	
M70 1	Phil Smyth	2.60m



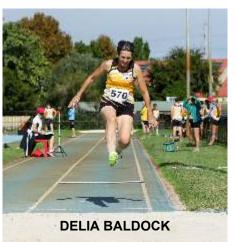


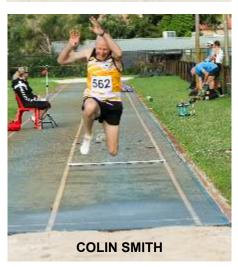




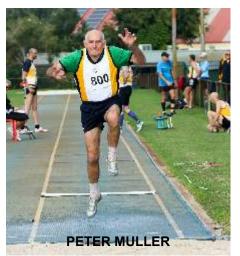


W	10		
			wind
1	Melissa Foster	11.38m	+1.4
2	Jasmine Heslop	8.34m	+0.6
W	50		
1	Lisa Limonas	9.13m	+2.6
W	55		
	Delia Baldock	7.41m	+2.9
W	~		
1	Gay Wyatt	7.03m	
	Maureen Keshwar	6.57m	+0.0
	Barb Wilson	6.51m	+1.5
W	•		
	Brenda Painter	5.60m	-0.5
W			
1	Ruth Johnson	6.38m	
2		5.12m	+0.0
3	Lynne Schickert	4.77m	+0.0
M3	15		
	Alex Tinniswood	9.35m	-0.8
M4		0.00111	0.0
1	Jonathan Lester	10.40m	-0.4
M5	50		
1	lan Hannaby	8.87m	+0.0
M5	i5		
1	Colin Smith	9.43m	-0.8
2	JP Moutia	7.75m	-0.7
3	Stuart Walker	7.60m	-0.4
Me	55		
1	Dave Wyatt	8.51m	-0.3
M8	30		
	Peter Muller	5.97m	-0.3
2	Norman Richards	5.73m	+0.0











By JOHN DENNEHY

James Davis set a state record in the weight throw, with Byrony Glass also in top form but the W50 and M65 were the most closely fought divisions.

The shot put 'threw out' some surprising winners with Maureen Keshwar, Yolanda Carstens and Hans Venter scoring titles amidst the proven performers, Byrony, Sharon Moloney, Bev Hamilton, Matt Staunton, Geoffrey Gee and Norman Stanger. Michelle Krokosz a stalwart of Thursday evenings competition at ECAC and has

established herself as a welcome addition to the Masters' ranks.

Masters hammer throwing in Western Australia is looking very with Lyndsey Glass responsible for a plethora of excellent performance throughout the ranks. His daughter. Byrony, leads the way still ranking highly amongst the open athletes in Australia and serves a role model for many others with her dedication, technique, personality and conduct in the competition arena. Jo Peters, Matt Staunton and Andrew Ward all performed up to their very best distances. Hardworking thrower, Andrew Ward has seen improvement after a series of strong and consistent throws at Strive.

Sharon Moloney, Maureen Keshwar, Greg Wilson and Peter Muller were able to conquer strong fields to take out discus titles, whilst other winners had to contend with no opposition but their own season's best performances.

Across the throwing events, Luella Jenkins and Ruth Johnson captured medals of varying colour as did Elizabeth Szczepanska, Ossie Igel, Paula Kennedy, Garry Parker and Des Walsh. Phil Smyth added a javelin silver to his pole vault gold, later scoring a state record in the high jump with Greg Wilson.









WOMEN		W70		W55	
Hammer		1 Beverley Hamilton	23.86m	1 Sharon Moloney	7.35m
		W75		2 Leonie Taylor	6.70m
W40		1 Luella Jenkins	22.03m	3 Debra Cox	5.96m
1 Byrony Glass	47.47m	2 Ruth Johnson	20.52m	4 Michelle Link	5.08m
W50		Shot		W65	
Jennifer Parker	38.12m			1 Maureen Keshwar	7.74m
2 Paula Kennedy	33.58m	W30			
3 Chris Schelfhout	32.63m	 Michelle Krokosz 	8.54m	2 Elizabeth Szczepanska	7.35m
4 Janne Wells	32.31m	W40		3 Kate Glass	7.26m
		1 Byrony Glass	10.83m	4 Barb Wilson	6.62m
W55		W50 Î		W70	
1 Sharon Moloney	25.31m	1 Yolanda Carstens	10.88m	Beverley Hamilton	6.78m
2 Debra Cox	18.32m	2 Jennifer Parker	10.24m	2 Hazel Stephen	3.19m
W65		3 Sue Coate	9.69m	W75	
1 Elizabeth Szczepanska	24.01m	4 Paula Kennedy	8.58m	1 Luella Jenkins	6.86m
2 Kate Glass	22.64m	5 Janne Wells	7.82m	2 Kathleen Hannig	4.63m



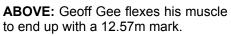


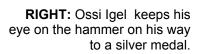


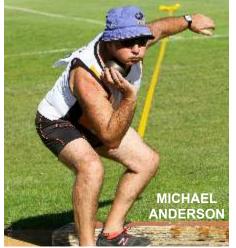


WOMEN		W70		W55	
		1 Beverley Hamilton	9.49m	1 Sharon Moloney	20.42m
Weight		W75		2 Leonie Taylor	18.42m
W40		1 Luella Jenkins	9.60m	3 Debra Cox	17.87m
1 Byrony Glass	15.13m	2 Ruth Johnson	7.62m	4 Michelle Link	13.49m
	10.10111	.		W65	
W50		Discus		1 Maureen Keshwar	19.50m
1 Jennifer Parker	11.63m	W30		2 Elizabeth Szczepanska	19.21m
2 Paula Kennedy	10.04m	1 Michelle Krokosz	29.59m	3 Kate Glass	15.66m
3 Janne Wells	9.54m		29.59111	4 Barb Wilson	14.80m
4 Yolanda Carstens	9.11m	W40		W70	
W55		1 Byrony Glass	30.84m	1 Beverley Hamilton	19.45m
1 Sharon Moloney	6.96m	W50		W75	
2 Michelle Link	5.83m	1 Jennifer Parker	30.72m	1 Luella Jenkins	17.89m
W65		2 Yolanda Carstens	25.12m	2 Kathleen Hannig	10.36m
1 Kate Glass	9.32m	3 Sue Coate	23.00m	W80	
2 Elizabeth Szczepanska	8.64m	4 Paula Kennedy	22.24m	1 Maggie Flanders	9.46m

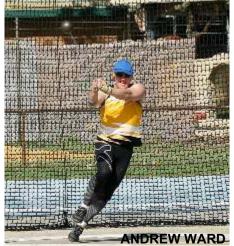








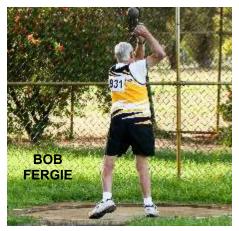


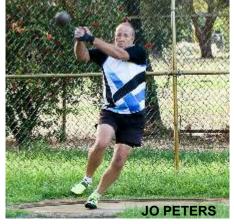




MEN	M85	M70
Hammer M45 1 Matthew Staunton 40.37m	1 James Davis 3 Shot	30.83m
M55 1 Andrew Ward 27.95m	M45	4 Lui Cecotti 5.54m M75
2 Garry Parker 19.41m	1 Matthew Staunton 11 M55	.30m 1 Mike O'Reilly 6.91m M80
1 Jo Peters 40.61m 2 Oswald Igel 34.15m	2 Andrew Ward 8	9.36m 1 Norman Stanger 8.34m 8.86m 2 John Cochrane 8.08m 8.40m 3 Bob Fergie 7.57m
1 Gregory Wilson 25.70m M80	M65	4 Peter Muller 7.44m
1John Cochrane24.97m2Bob Fergie24.85m3Norman Stanger20.02m	2 Oswald Igel 11	2.57m 1 James Davis *8.60m .81m * State record









MEN		M85		M70
Weight		1 James Davis * State record	*10.94m	1 Gregory Wilson 30.42m 2 Greg Kennedy 20.39m
M45 1 Matthew Staunton	12.89m	Discus M30		3 Michael Anderson 17.95m
M55 1 Andrew Ward	10.74m	1 Craig Robson M45	28.72m	M75 1 Mike O'Reilly 17.51m
M65 1 Jo Peters	15.96m	1 Matthew Staunton M55	36.50m	M80 1 Peter Muller 23.85m
2 Geoffrey Gee3 Oswald Igel	15.52m 15.12m	1 Andrew Ward 2 Garry Parker M60	32.88m 23.20m	2 John Cochrane3 Norman Stanger19.61m19.44m
M70 1 Gregory Wilson M80	9.35m	1 Des Walsh 2 Bruce McGeorge M65	25.83m 22.64m	4 Bob Fergie 16.71m M85
 Bob Fergie Norman Stanger 	9.06m 8.54m	1 Jo Peters 2 Oswald Igel	43.38m 35.69m	1 James Davis *20.36m * SR (in Throws Pentathlon)





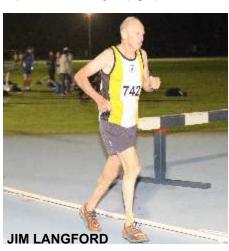
Clare Wardle (440) and Elizabeth Gomez lead Bob Collingan.



Adrian Fabiankovits (left) Dee Roe (centre) and Tim Karajas (right).

WOMEN Elizabeth Gomez 46:40.9 W35 39:18.2 Clare Wardle W40 W50 42:30.7 Dee Roe Barbara Hasenoehrl W50 56:05.0 Silke Peglow W50 57:17.7 Lori Sexton 52:45.8 W55 MEN Adrian Fabiankovits M30 40:18.3 Chris Lark M35 36:58.4 Zane Walsh M35 41:44.3 Ross Langford M40 33:49.4 Tim Karajas M40 42:46.2 David Adams M40 49:17.5 Jason Kell M40 57:44.5 Andrew Davison M50 41:26.4 John Fisher M55 47:13.2 44:53.2 Paul Scott-Taylor M60 Bob Colligan M60 46:15.6 Michihito Muroi M60 58:57.0 45:59.1 Giovanni Puglisi M65 Milt Mavrick M65 53:31.8 Jim Langford M70 49:39.5 David Baird M75 49:31.8 **Bob Schickert** M75 1:07:27.8 All times hand held







WOMEN

Elizabeth Gomez	W35	^22:01.80
Clare Wardle	W40	18:42.49
Vanessa Carson	W40	19:11.26
Barbara Hasenoehrl	W50	26:28.40
Silke Peglow	W50	27:09.19
Sue Zlnay	W55	^21:57.00
Karyn Gower	W55	23:45.13
Lori Sexton	W55	25:10.07
Julie Wilson	W65	26:32.97
Hazel Stephen	W70	35:27.17
Loretta Shillinglaw	W75	38:26.53
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MEN

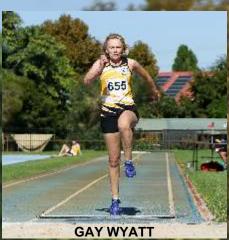
Paul Beckers	M30	16:35.74
Matt Byles	M35	18:40.77
Zane Walsh	M35	19:26.05
David Adams	M40	24:02.01
Jason Kell	M40	24:18.77
Andrew Davison	M50	19:03.99
lan Hannaby	M50	20:54.81
John McShane	M50	21:57.41
Dante Giacomin	M50	24:50.78
John Fisher	M55	22:45.35
Stephen Grannells	M55	30:19.37
Alan Gower	M60	18:42.46
Paul Scott-Taylor	M60	22:11.63
Bruce McGeorge	M60	24:01.58
Giovanni Puglisi	M65	20:53.02
Mercurio Cicchini	M65	23:43.39
Michael Byrne	M65	23:48.07
Michael Lee	M65	23:50.59
Milt Maverick	M65	25:59.35
Frank Price	M65	40:55.99
Bob Hull	M70	22:15.72
Jim Langford	M70	23:13.26
Bruce Wilson	M70	24:21.08
Jim Klinge	M70	24:45.09
Bert Carse	M75	22:48.54
David Baird	M75	23:41.97
Bob Schickert	M75	31:40.28
Morland Smith	M80	32:19.29
Irwin Barrett-Lennard	M85	35:00.28







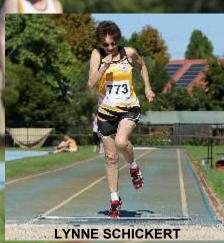
Long jump







MAIN PHOTO: Alex Tinniswood goes barefoot in the sand in the long jump competition.



JONATHAN LESTER

Long Jump WOMEN

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Melissa Foster	W40	5.22m	+2.4
Lisa Limonas	W50	3.99m	+1.0
Delia Baldock	W55	3.36m	+2.0
Gay Wyatt	W65	3.08m	+1.1
Brenda Painter	W70	2.06m	+1.7
Ruth Johnson	W75	2.71m	+2.3
Luella Jenkins	W75	2.51m	+0.8
Lynne Schickert	W75	1.97m	+1.4

Long Jump MEN

			Wind
Alex Tinniswood	M35	4.53m	+2.4
Jonathan Lester	M45	5.31m	+1.3
Chris Neale	M50	5.10m	+1.4
Ian Hannaby	M50	4.59m	+1.5
Kevin Collins	M50	2.91m	+1.5
Colin Smith	M55	4.80m	+1.1
Hans Venter	M55	4.59m	+1.6
JP Moutia	M55	3.79m	+1.3
Dave Wyatt	M65	4.43m	+1.6
Greg Kennedy	M70	2.62m	+0.9
Norm Richards	M80	3.24m	+1.5



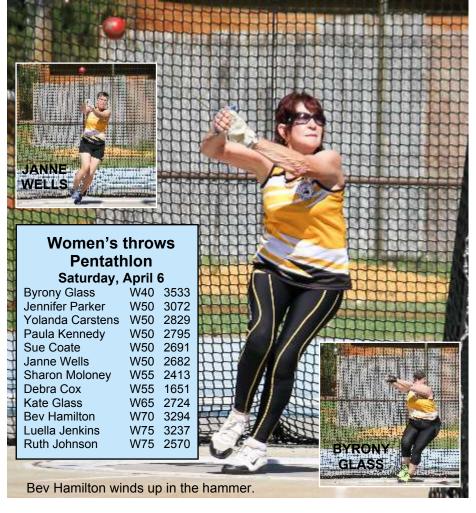


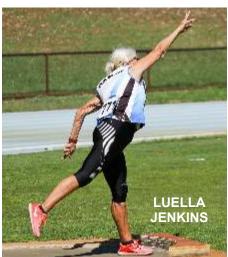


Women's pentathlon Saturday, April 6

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Melissa Foster	W40	*2734
Annmarie O'Donovan	W45	2366
Tracy Gallagher	W45	1909
Jennifer Parker	W50	*3175
Carol Bowman	W60	2077
Maureen Keshwar	W65	2594
Gay Wyatt	W65	2417
Brenda Painter	W70	1452
Ruth Johnson	W75	*3123
Lynne Schickert	W75	1144
	* State	record



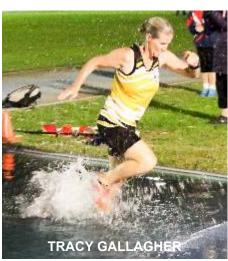














Women's steeplechase 2000m

Thursday, April 4

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Jaime Lovell	W30	*8:43.75
Vanessa Carson	W40	8:00.50
Tracy Gallagher	W45	9:57.51
Janne Wells	W50	10:50.41
Silke Peglow	W50	11:05.57
Jacqui McQueen	W50	11:48.20
Julie Wilson	W65	10:56.40
Lynne Schickert	W75	18:42.57
* State record		



