

Welcome Back!

For many Keilor athletes and families today will be the first week back after the Christmas/News Year break. Welcome Back!

Today is expected to be extremely hot so don't forget to Slip! Slop! Slap! If you have forgotten your sunscreen there is some available from the First Aid room. Also ensure you remain hydrated.

2010 Calendar

We will be competing all through February and into March with the State Track and Field, KLAC Centre Championships and KLAC Presentation Day the culmination of our season. Key dates to note for 2010:

- ✚ 30/31 Jan – State Multi-Event Championships –Bendigo
- ✚ 20/21 February – Northern Metro Region Track & Field Championships @ Whittlesea City LAC, Epping (entries have closed).
- ✚ 12 February (7pm) – KLAC Gala Ball – Luxor Reception Centre
- ✚ 13 February (3pm) – KLAC Afternoon Competition.
- ✚ 19 February (5:30pm) – KLAC Twilight Competition. Free entries close for Keilor Centre Championships at 6:30pm.
- ✚ 13 March – Keilor Centre Championships (entries open - closing 27th Feb). Participation/parent duty requirements apply (see article below)
- ✚ 20/21 March – State Track & Field Championships @ Olympic Park (entry via NMR qualifying round).
- ✚ 27 March – KLAC Presentation Day, incorporating the Warren Hosking/Tim Golder Handicaps.

Region Track & Field Championships – Parent's Info Meeting 6th Feb

The regional championships are fast approaching and a parents' meeting for families participating at the championships will be held at 11:00am in the clubrooms on Saturday 6th Feb. Next week hope to be able to publish a list of athletes and their event entries on our website (www.keilorlac.org.au). We will email families when the list is available and request that event entries are check for discrepancies. We also anticipate being able to publish the two day event timetable shortly.

REGIONAL TRACK & FIELD MONEY NOW DUE!!!!

Entries have now closed for Regional T&F but for those families yet to pay for their child/ren entry could you please make payment at the Admin. Window by next Saturday. – Many thanks.



ANNUAL GALA BALL

The highlight of our Social Calendar is on in just two weeks and we would love you to help us celebrate our 40th Birthday in style. This is the grown-up's opportunity to let their hair down so bring your friends along for a night that includes great food, great entertainment and loads of prizes to be won.

Tickets are fantastic value at \$65 each (\$60 life members) which includes pre-dinner drinks, 3 course meal (beer, wine and soft drink inc), free entry into Major Door Prize and all entertainment.

There are loads of Auction Items including Luxury Accommodation at the 5 Star Park Hyatt Hotel, signed & framed team jumpers for Essendon, Collingwood & North Melbourne football clubs and a signed life size banner of Nick Riewoldt on offer.

For all bookings please call Sam Barbuto on 0419 901 707.

Prize Donations Wanted

We are looking for any prize donations for our Gala Ball. Any offers would be greatly appreciated with all money raised going towards the purchase of equipment for our club.

Please contact Sam Barbuto on 0419 901 707 if you have anything that you can offer.

Similarly if you are able to donate prizes for our regular and end of season raffles draws, please contact Rebekka Caruso on 9390 9544

DUTY ROSTER – How are you going meeting your obligations?

Mums & dads a friendly reminder that all families are expected to complete at least five rostered duties throughout the season. If you are unsure of the dates selected or don't see your name on the weekly list, please remember - It is your responsibility to check..... and advise Lynelle Petersen of any discrepancy.

Participation Trophy and Centre Championship Eligibility.

Another friendly reminder to families to be mindful of the criteria for eligibility for Participation Trophies and entry into our end of season Centre Championship.

Participation Trophy. Athletes must compete in 51% of all competition dates from the athlete's date of registration.

Centre Championships. Also requires the 51% participation, in addition to parents completing the required minimum of 5 rostered duties.



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DONT LEAVE IT UNTIL THE LAST COUPLE OF WEEKS TO QUALIFY FOR A PARTICIPATION TROPHY AND ENTRY INTO CENTRE CHAMPIONSHIPS!!!!

Please check the alphabetical eligibility listing on the clubroom windows and also on the website. If your name DOES NOT APPEAR you are already eligible for a Participation Trophy and entry into Centre Championships. This list will be updated weekly indicating how many weeks are needed to qualify.

* **Parents** are also reminded that duty requirements also form part of the eligibility criteria for Centre Championships. A complete list will be posted on the website and clubroom windows indicating each family and how many duties have been completed.

If you have not done a minimum of three duties by now, **don't wait**, make arrangements today to catch up on your required duties to ensure eligibility and also assist to make sure the program of events run on time. Remember minimum of five duties if you commenced at the start of the season. Please check if you are not sure.

KEILOR CENTRE CHAMPIONSHIP FORMS ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE ADMIN WINDOW FROM TODAY.

Please Note: FREE entry into Keilor Championships must be received by **6:30pm on Friday 19th February**. Late entries incurring a fee of \$3.00 an event must be received by midday **Saturday ay 27th February**.

NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED after this time.

Notice of Annual General Meeting

Notice is hereby given to members of the Keilor Little Athletics Centre ("KLAC") of the Centre's Annual General Meeting.

Date: Saturday, 13th March 2010

Time: 11 am

Place: Keilor Little Athletics Clubrooms

Agenda

- (a) The election of members of the Executive Council (and general Committee Members) for the succeeding 12 months.
- (b) The presentation of reports.
- (c) Dealing with any Notices of Motion which may have been lodged with the Centre Secretary.

Any Notices of Motion from any KLAC member which they wish to bring at the meeting must be provided to the Centre Secretary, Kerry Ware, at least 28 days before the date of the meeting.

The attendance of all members of KLAC is encouraged. All members who wish to be nominated for the Executive Council should have their nominations lodged with the Centre Secretary by 13th February 2010 and for general committee members prior to the date of the Election.

