



# Jimboomba Athletics Centre

## Newsletter

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It has been a long time between newsletters, so quite a bit to report. Tonight we will be handing out a pile of green and red level McDonald's Achievement Certificates. Congratulations to all athletes who have achieved the standards. The process has been slow this year due to the difficulty of getting some events competed due to the amount of rain we have experienced this year.

Anyone with queries about certificates should see Loretta Tyler-Moss (boys) or Peta Smith (girls).

### Regional Champs

50 athletes have nominated for regional championships next weekend (12th and 13th February) at Springwood Little A's so we will have a strong showing. The list of athletes and their nominated events is on the notice board. Please note that QLA's Team Manager computer program automatically enters the best recorded performances. This year we did end up with quite a few NT/ND (no time or no distance) and we have spent a fair amount of time sourcing entry performances from the Browns Plains carnival, Ipswich carnival and other external meets. Entry standards do not matter for field events and track events with packed starts (walks and long distance) but they can affect seeding for sprints and hurdles. If there are any problems with entries, please notify Peta ASAP.

### Monthly Meetings

General committee meetings are held on the 4th Wednesday of the month, here at the centre starting at 7:30pm. All parents are welcome to attend.

At last Wednesday's meeting, the committee voted to hold an **extra competition next Friday (11th February)**. Historically we do not hold comp the night before regionals due to the number of athletes (and parent helpers) who will be absent. This year, as we have already missed so many evenings, we will hold a light (3 event and no long distance) program which **will count towards championships**.

### Extra 6 week Program after Easter

The committee also voted to continue our season for six Fridays after the Easter holidays to make up for the number of comps missed. Start time will be the same and a shortened program will be offered based on the track and field events held at primary school sports carnivals (100m, 200m, 800m, long jump, high jump, shot put and discus). Children will still compete and receive tickets but the emphasis will be on training. More info will be provided in coming weeks.

### Ipswich Carnival

Well done to the 12 athletes who competed at the Ipswich carnival on the last weekend of the holidays—Hayden Lovaszi, Kasey

Landers, Heath Cox- Probert, Nathaniel Lovaszi, Dylan Tyler-Moss, Camryn Newton-Smith, Ryan Hanser, Jayden Fielding-Smith, Zac McDonald, Kendal Newton-Smith. Lauren Hanser and Jaimee Newton-Smith. Great PBs were recorded and many of the athletes also won medals. Check out the news report in the Jimboomba Times, a copy of which is on the notice board..

### Centre Bests

Congratulations to the following athletes for equaling or breaking centre best performances:  
Dylan Tyler-Moss—U10 boys' 100m 15.3 (equal)  
Jaimee Newton-Smith -U17 girls' long jump 4.32m

### Senior Club News

After last weekend's Interclub, Jimboomba remains in 4th position on Queensland Athletics First Division ladder behind the University of Queensland, Gold Coast and QEII. Well done to all athletes who competed: Lindsay Newton-Smith, Julian Watkins, Tayem Renton, Chevy Black, Liam Burnett, Mikala Roberts, Miranda Ricketts, Josh Foote, Jessica Pickles, Jaimee Newton-Smith, Kendal Newton-Smith, Zac McDonald, Kailee Howard, Hannah Cox, and Madison Shay. Please note that nominations are due for Junior Championships (18/19/20 February). Pentathlon/heptathlon/Decathlon state champs are on 26/27 Feb. Visit [www.qldathletics.org.au](http://www.qldathletics.org.au)



**Committee Meetings:** Meetings are held on the third Wednesday of each month all year round.

Starting at 7.30pm at the Henderson Rd grounds. Please watch the website for any variations.

**Little Athletics Training:** Little A's training is held every Wednesday throughout the season.

These sessions start at 5.30pm and go to 6pm. Weather and light permitting. These sessions are free to all registered Little A's members from U6- U17.

**Additional Training Sessions:** Additional training is offered through our senior club for children 10yrs & older. Children wishing to attend these sessions **must** be dedicated to athletics. For more details on senior training times please visit the senior club's website or phone the centre.

### Your Committee:

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### Little A's Calendar:

Regional Championships

12th & 13th February

### Senior Calendar:

Junior Championships

(18/19/20 February).

Pentathlon/heptathlon/  
Decathlon state champs are  
on 26/27 Feb.



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