#### Queensland Race Walking Club Inc.

Building on a fine tradition of race walking, 63 years in the making.



**January 24th 2019** 

# **Race Walking Australia Responds**

Race Walking Australia has sent a response to Luis Saladie at the IAAF regarding their recent draft proposals sent out by the IAAF Race Walking Committee.

- 1. Introduction of the Race Walking Electronic Control System (RWECS) for use in competition by 2021.
- 2. The senior championship distances currently under consideration are: 10km (or 10,000m); and 30km. Distances will be the same for both men and women. i.e. replace the 20km & 50km

#### Luis

Please find following the response of Race Walking Australia to the Proposals of the IAAF RWC.

This submission from Race Walking Australia, has been prepared following input from members of RWA and submitted only after endorsement by the Executive and Management Committee of Race Walking Australia.

Race Walking Australia is the peak body for race walking in Australia. Its membership consists of race walking clubs from states and territories within Australia. They are: Race Walking Queensland, New South Wales Race Walking Club, Race Walking Victoria, South Australia Race Walking Club, Western Australia Race Walking Club and the Australia Territory Race Walking Club collectively representing the interests of in excess of 450 individual members.

It should be noted that the views expressed below are that of Race Walking Australia and individual states and members may have contrary views.

### Response:

- 1. There is NO support whatsoever for the removal of 20 and 50 kilometre events in favour of 10 and 30 kilometre events;
- 2. Most members are in favour of the introduction of a RWECS or a similar technology for judging 'loss of contact' BUT ONLY if such technology is fully tested in real environments, that the cost is affordable to all participants worldwide and that the use of such technology is applied to all levels of competition;
- 3. That the introduction of transition events occur as a matter of urgency e.g. 20 and 30 kilometre events for say Under 23. The common belief here is that such events will encourage young walkers to stay in the sport longer and be better prepared to participate in 50 kilometre competitions;
- 4. Members are disappointed that the IAAF RWC have not given more attention to the marketing, promotion and presentation of race walking events and have not embraced innovative strategies to enhance public appeal; and
- 5. That gender equity should always be a major priority of the IAAF RWC and the IAAF.

Dr. Bob Cruise President RACE WALKING AUSTRALIA

## **RESULTS RESULTS**

Qld Masters Athletics SAC Nathan January 19th

Junior 3,000 Meter Race Walk

Anika Clarke 16:57.98

Masters 3,000 Meter Race Walk

Brenda Gannon W44 Brisbane 16:34.58

Peter Bennett M63 Brisbane 16:16.19

Noela McKinven W76 Brisbane 25:03.72

## Ipswich Little Athletics Twilight Carnival January 19th

A good turnout of race walkers and some great performances at the Ipswich Little Athletics carnival last Saturday. Well done Ipswich Little A's .

#### **Under 9 700 Meter Race Walk**

Reid, Jordyn Ipswich 4:48.01

Pearce, Emmelia Ipswich 5:03.73

Zirbel, Mikayla Highfields 5:28.61

Lucas, Rihanna Redlands 5:37.75

Hayne, Addison Ipswich 6:12.04

O'Dea, Margaret Granite Belt DQ

Cannon, Davinia Laidley DQ

McLeod, Maya Colleges DQ

#### Girls Under 10 1100 Meter Race Walk

Capps, Chelsea Gold Coast 6:08.94

Watts, Xanthee Toowoomba Ce 8:15.80

Braban, Mya Ipswich 8:31.85

Pearce, Bethany Ipswich 8:50.47

Schodde, Isabelle Ipswich 12:46.76

Ross, Isabella Centenary DQ

Collins, Amber Laidley DQ

Goulding, Lucie Ipswich DQ

#### Girls Under 11 1100 Meter Race Walk

Gale, Shantel Strathpine 7:09.30

Wenzel-Stephan, Dakota Ipswich 7:17.67

Mathewson, Riley Ipswich 7:23.15

Fedrick, Clare Ropehill 7:25.90

Jardine, Grace MT Tarampa L 8:38.20

Long, Scarlett 8:45.80

O'Dea, Erin Granite Belt 9:28.54

Jackwitz, Karnee Ropehill DQ

#### Girls Under 12 1500 Meter Race Walk

Teahen, Rebecca Toowong Harriers 8:34.55

Stewart, Kamara Ipswich 9:22.43

Goulding, Lily Ipswich 9:31.12

Brent, Kate Ipswich 11:33.35

McLean, Staci Runaway Bay DQ

### Girls Under 13 1500 Meter Race Walk

Zirbel, Cheyenne Highfields a 11:04.22

O'Dea, Brigid Granite Belt 11:14.99

Armstrong, Jade Ipswich 11:38.69

Goody, Charlize Ipswich DQ

#### Girls Under 14 1500 Meter Race Walk

Mathewson, Tiana Ipswich 12:47.13

#### Girls Under 15 1500 Meter Race Walk

Egberts, Eboni Ipswich 11:13.16

#### Girls Under 16 1500 Meter Race Walk

Novinetz, Camryn Ipswich 6:56.82

#### Girls Under 17 1500 Meter Race Walk

McRoberts, Jasmine-Rose Redcliffe Li 8:56.04

#### **Boys Under 9 700 Meter Race Walk**

Watts, Hunter Toowoomba Ce 5:41.72

Burrows, Hayden Springwood 5:43.46

Manteit, Ryan Ipswich 5:43.69

Mathewson, Kane Ipswich 5:45.49

Blackman, Joshua Beenleigh DQ

#### **Boys Under 10 1100 Meter Race Walk**

Stewart, Mitchell Ipswich 7:46.73

Zirbel, Blake Highfields a 8:53.00

Pio, Tailen Browns Plains DQ

### **Boys Under 11 1100 Meter Race Walk**

Manteit, Zack Ipswich 8:04.42

Lucas, Jaydon Redlands 8:48.39

Graham, Elias Redlands 8:48.50

Rogers, Memphis Upper Lockyer DQ

### **Boys Under 12 1500 Meter Race Walk**

Capps, Charlie Gold Coast 8:49.45

Burrows, Bailey Springwood 12:10.32

Manteit, Torin Ipswich DQ

Jackson, Regan Ropehill DQ

Titman, Aidan Ipswich DQ

#### **Boys Under 13 1500 Meter Race Walk**

Bradley, Alex Highfields a 8:26.92

Schodde, Jack Ipswich 13:30.65

### **Boys Under 14 1500 Meter Race Walk**

Manteit, Jordan Ipswich 8:47.09

**Boys Under 16 1500 Meter Race Walk** 

Zirbel, Joshua Highfields a 8:20.38

## This Week

Lots of race walking opportunities in the great South East this weekend. Australia Day kicks off at Qld Masters with a 5,000 metres handicap walk starting at 8.00am at the SAC. On Saturday night, also at the SAC, the QA Shield Meet has a 3,000/5,000 metres walk starting at 8.10pm.

At the Gold Coast Masters meet at Griffith Uni on Sunday morning there is a 3,000/5000 metres walk starting at 8.00am. The Redland Bay Little A's Carnival is on Sunday at Sheldon College with the walking events starting at 8am.

# Caboolture Dusk til Dawn Saturday February 9<sup>th</sup> at 6pm

Venue: Caboolture Historical Village 280 Beerburrum Road

#### **Time Based Events**

12 Hour \$85 6:00pm

6 Hour \$65 6:00pm

#### **Distance Based Events**

100km \$85 6:00pm

50 km \$65 6:00pm

Marathon \$60 6:00pm

1/2 Marathon \$40 6:00pm

15 km \$15 6:00pm

10 km \$10 6:00pm

More Info go to : <a href="http://www.geoffsruns.com/events/dusk-til-dawn/">http://www.geoffsruns.com/events/dusk-til-dawn/</a>

# Oceania & Australian 20km Race Walking Championship



**Date:** Sunday 10th February

Location: War Memorial Drive, Adelaide SA

#### Timetable:

7:00am - Australian 20km Race Walking Championship

8:00am - Under 20 Oceania 10km Race Walking Championship

8:00am - Under 18 Invitational 5km Race Walk

Entry Fee: \$30.00

NB: Entries will close on the 21st January at 5pm.

Entries <a href="https://2019racewalk.eventdesq.com/">https://2019racewalk.eventdesq.com/</a>

## The 2019 Australian Track & Field Championships

# Sydney Olympic Park Athletic Centre April 1st to April 7th

#### **Draft Walks Timetable**

### **Monday 1st April**

9:00am 10000 metres Walk Under 20 Men

9:00 am 10000 metres Walk Under 20 Women

4:30 pm 3000m Race Walk Under 15 Boys

4:30 pm 3000m Race Walk Under 16 Boys

5:00 pm 3000m Race Walk Under 15 Girls

5:00 pm 3000m Race Walk Under 16 Girls

#### **Tuesday 2nd April**

11:30 am 3000 metres Race Walk Under 14 Girls

11:30 am 3000 metres Race Walk Under 14 Boys

## Friday 5th April

8:10 pm 10000 metres Race Walk Open Men

8:10 pm 10000 metres Race Walk Open Women

## Saturday 6th April

9:00 am 5000m Race Walk Under 18 Women

9:00 am 5000m Race Walk Under 18 Men

## AUSTRALIAN MASTERS ATHLETICS CHAMPIONSHIPS Melbourne 2019



**Draft Schedule -** Please note that this schedule is subject to change Friday April 26<sup>th</sup> 1,500m Walk Saturday April 27<sup>th</sup> 10,000, Road Walk (In conjunction with a VRWC meet) Sunday April 28<sup>th</sup> No Competition Monday April 29<sup>th</sup> 5,000m Walk See website for more details <a href="https://melbourne2019.com.au/welcome">https://melbourne2019.com.au/welcome</a>

## Canberra Federation Carnival Mt Stromlo Canberra Sunday June 9<sup>th</sup>



The annual Carnival is held each June in Canberra and brings together race walkers of all ages and abilities from race walking clubs all around the country. This is the main event for the Australia Federation of Race Walking Clubs (Race Walking Australia) and has a strong team emphasis. The carnival is over 50 years of age and involves over 300 walkers of all ages. This is a chance for EVERY member of the club to represent your State. So now is the time to start looking at accommodation and flights.

### Canberra Programme – There is an event for everyone (Age is Age on the Day)

- 1. Open 30km 8.00am
- 2. Fitness 30km 8.00am
- 3. Men & Women ACTA 30km C/Ship 8.00am
- 4. Open & Vet Women 15 km 8.00am
- 5. Open & Vet Men 15km 8.00am
- 6. Fitness 15km 8.00am
- 7. Fitness 8km 9.00am
- 8. Men 10,000 Metres 10.30am
- 9. Men U20 ACTA 10km C/Ship 10.30am
- 10. Women U20 10,000 Metres 10.30am
- 11. Open (over 20 years) 10km 10.30am
- 12. Boys U10 1,000 Metres 11.40am

13. Girls U10 1,000 Metres 11.40am 14. Boys U12 2,000 Metres 11.50am 15. Girls U12 2,000 Metres 11.50am 16. Boys U14 2,000 Metres 12.10pm 17. Girls U14 2,000 Metres 12.30pm 18. Boys U16 3,000 Metres 12.50pm 19. Girls U16 3,000 Metres 1.15pm 20. Boys U18 5,000 Metres 1.40pm 21. Girls U18 5,000 Metres 1.40pm 22. Women's Open 5,000 Metres 2.20pm

## **QRWC Club Uniforms**

Now is also the time to be thinking on ordering a new club uniform. A reminder that club uniforms are compulsory at Federation meets like the Canberra carnival. A uniform is not a mandatory requirement at our club meets but we do encourage members to wear their uniform AND because they just look so good.

## 2019 OCEANIA MASTERS CHAMPIONSHIPS MACKAY



http://athleticsnorthqld.org.au/Oceania-Masters-Athletics-Championships-2019

Race Walk Programme Sunday September 1<sup>st</sup> 10km road walk Tuesday September 3<sup>rd</sup> 5km track walk Friday September 6<sup>th</sup> 3km track walk

#### **Event Registration & Fees**

Registrations are taken online on the event website. Refer to the website for closing dates. OMA Registration Fee AU\$40.00 / Administration Fee AU\$50.00

**Total Registration Fee AU\$90.00** 

Entry Fee per Event AU\$10.00



## Beginners race walk judging course

AA have developed an on-line Level 1 race walk judging course.

http://athletics.com.au/Officials/Level-1-Important-Information

Once you have completed this course ask to stand with one of our qualified judges at a road walk meet to learn practical side of judging.

## **Coming Up .....**

#### 2019

January 26<sup>th</sup> Qld Masters Meet 5,000 Metres (Handicap) SAC

January 26<sup>th</sup> QA Shield Meet 3,000/5,000 metres SAC 8.10pm

January 27<sup>th</sup> Gold Coast Masters Griffith Uni 3,000/5000 metres 8.00am

February 2<sup>nd</sup> Qld Masters Meet 1-mile SAC 8.45am

February 3<sup>rd</sup> Qld Masters Meet 3,000 metres (spiral handicap) SAC 8.20am

February 10<sup>th</sup> Oceania & Australian 20km Race Walking Championship Adelaide 7.00am

February 10<sup>th</sup> Gold Coast Masters Griffith Uni Inc. QMA 3,0000m C/Ship 7.30am

February 13<sup>th</sup> Qld Masters Meet SAC 30min walk 7.00pm (Wednesday night meet)

February 16<sup>th</sup> QA Shield Meet 3,000/5,000 metres UQ St Lucia 9.00pm

February 24<sup>th</sup> Gold Coast Masters Griffith Uni TBD

February 27<sup>th</sup> Qld Masters Meet 8,000 metres SAC 7.00pm (Wednesday night meet)

March 2<sup>nd</sup> Old Masters Meet SAC TBD

March 7-10<sup>th</sup> Queensland Athletics Championships (U14-Open) QSAC

March 10th Gold Coast Masters Griffith Uni

March 16<sup>th</sup> Old Masters Meet SAC TBD

March 22<sup>nd</sup> Qld LA Championships Townsville

March 23<sup>th</sup> Qld Masters Meet SAC TBD

March 24<sup>h</sup> Gold Coast Masters Griffith Uni TBD

March 27<sup>th</sup> Qld Masters Athletics 10,000metre Championships SAC 7pm

March 30<sup>th</sup> Gold Coast Masters Championships Griffith Uni

March 30<sup>th</sup> – April 7<sup>th</sup> Australian Athletics Championships (U14-Open) Sydney

April 7<sup>th</sup> ORWC Sign on Day Kalinga Park 8.00am

April 13-14<sup>th</sup> Queensland Masters Athletics Championships State Athletics Facility SAC

April 14<sup>th</sup> ORWC Handicap meet Logan River Parklands Beenleigh 8.00am

April 21<sup>st</sup> Easter Sunday

April 26-29th Australian Masters Athletics Championships Melbourne Lakeside Stadium

April 28<sup>th</sup> QRWC Handicap meet 8.00am TBA

### Looking further ahead

May 5th QRWC Handicap meet TBA

May 12<sup>th</sup> Mother's Day

May 25th Great Barrier Reef Masters Games

June 2<sup>nd</sup> Gold Coast Road Walk Championships Mudgeeraba 8.00am

June 9<sup>th</sup> LBG Federation Carnival Mt Stromlo Canberra

July 3-14<sup>th</sup> 30th Summer Universiade, Naples Italy

# **Queensland Athletics Registration 2018/19**

You can now Register with Queensland Athletics via the portal on the front page of the QRWC website <a href="http://www.qrwc.com.au">http://www.qrwc.com.au</a>

ALL QRWC NON-COMPETING MEMBERS, VOLUNTEERS, COMMITTEE MEMBERS, OFFICIALS AND COACHES ARE REQUESTED TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE \$ 0 FEE AND REGISTER WITH QA TO ENSURE YOU ARE COVERED BY THE AA/QA INSURANCE POLICY

## Racewalking Queensland

(Trading as the Queensland Race Walking Club Inc. ABN 59065512712)

## Racewalking Queensland Management Committee 2018/19

**President**: S. Pearson **Vice President**. P Bennett **Secretary**: N. McKinven **Treasurer** R Hamann

Committee. C Goulding, I. Jimenez, S. Langley J. Pickles, R. Wales, J. Westlin.

Patrons: Patrick & Maxine Sela

**Delegates to QA**: R. Wales, S. Pearson

**Equipment Officers**: A. Wearne

Registrar: A. Wearne

Canteen Committee: M. Sela, S. Wearne, J. Westlin.

Handicapper/Results: N. McKinven Selectors: S. Langley/I. Jimenez Social Media/Publicity: J. Pickles Director of Coaching: D. Smith Trophy Officer: N. McKinven Newsletter Editor: P. Bennett

Club Captains. J Pickles, P. Lindenberg

## **QRWC Annual Subscriptions 2018/19**

Registration Fees

Family \$40

Students & Officials \$15

Webmaster: A. Wearne

Others \$25

To register with Queensland Athletics, you must use their On-Line Registration.

Go to www.qldathletics.org.au

**Race Day Fees** 

Students \$ 4 / Others \$6

Club Championships: Road \$8 / Track \$10 **Season Ticket** \$60/\$30 (for students) per athlete

QRWC Website: www.grwc.com.au

#### **Contact emails:**

<u>qrwc1@optusnet.com.au</u> Membership, coaching or general enquiries about the club <u>racewalkqld@outlook.com</u> Articles for the newsletter, to send in results, to join newsletter mailing list.

<u>qrwcregistrar@outlook.com</u> Club membership enquiries and information **About us ....** 

Racewalking Queensland conducts its own winter road walk programme from April until September. Thank you to all our contributors of results & reports to this newsletter. We value your input.

For news and information on the Australian Federation of Race Walking (Racewalking Australia) and the member clubs go to <a href="https://www.rwa.org.au">www.rwa.org.au</a>

RWA Facebook page <a href="https://www.facebook.com/racewalkingaustralia/">https://www.facebook.com/racewalkingaustralia/</a>