



Annual Reports for the 122nd Year
2024 / 2024



Photo: Hamish Kerr - high jumper - Olympic GOLD in Paris

To be presented at the Annual General Meetings of

Athletics Canterbury Centre

Wednesday 23rd July 2025

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Athletics Canterbury Track & Field Committee

Wednesday 23rd July 2025

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETINGS

NOTICE IS GIVEN that the Annual General Meeting of

Athletics Canterbury will be held on

WEDNESDAY, 23 JULY 2025 at 7.30pm

at **Hotel Elms, 456 Papanui Road** (downstairs room)

Papanui, Christchurch.

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Tony Fallon
Secretary
Athletics Canterbury



NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING of CLUB DELEGATES

NOTICE IS GIVEN that the Annual Meeting of Club Delegates for
Athletics Canterbury Track and Field Delegates
will be held on

WEDNESDAY, 23 JULY 2025

(start time following on from Athletics Canterbury AGM)

at **Hotel Elms, 456 Papanui Road** (downstairs room)
Papanui, Christchurch.

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| 10 | Consideration of Season's Programme for 2025/2026 |
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| 11 | General Business |
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Martin Scott
Chair
Athletics Canterbury Track and Field Committee

Nominations for Athletics Canterbury Board for 2025 / 2026 season

Chair:	Anthony (Tony) Fallon	
Board Members:	Michael Henstock	Victor Gamperle
	Paul Nicholls	Tim Jones
	Katherine Ewer	Clive Antony
	Ben Adams	
<i>(Note: Secretary & Treasurer positions are appointed by the Board)</i>		

Nominations for Athletics Canterbury Track & Field Committee for 2025 / 2026 season

Chairman:		
Secretary	Adrienne Bruce	
Treasurer		
Committee:	Paul Nicholls	Terry Lomax
	George McNaughton	Ruth Liong
	Martin Scott	Andrew Stark
	Brian Theobald	
Track & Field Selectors:	Mike Drury	Craig Motley
	Andrew Stark	

Athletics Canterbury Cross-Country & Road Sub-Committee 2024 / 2025 elected in November 2024

Chairperson:	Victor Gamperle	Treasurer:	Victor Gamperle
Secretary:	John Ingles	Race Secretary:	Anne Kennedy
Committee:	Shona Brown	Annette Campbell	John Gamblin
	Sandie Gamperle	Don Greig	David Lee
	Ben Musson	Lahana Reeves	Kevin Prendergast
	Colin Prescott		
Cross Country & Road Selectors	Kevin Prendergast	Shona Brown	Ben Musson

The following organisations have supported Athletics Canterbury during the past season:



Air Rescue
and Community
Services



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TRUST**



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CHARITABLE TRUST**



CENTRE CLUB AFFILIATION FEE = \$105.00

ANZ Membership Category	ANZ Category Description	ANZ Fee (inc GST)	Athletics Canterbury Fees 2026 / 2027
Active Member 6 Years & Under	Annual membership for children born in 2020 or later who are participating in club nights and/or activities.	\$11	\$21.00
Quarterly Member 6 Years & Under	A 3-month membership that aligns with either the first or second half of the summer children's athletics season. Q3; October 1 – December 31 Q4; January 1 – March 31	\$7 per quarter	\$15.00
Active Member 7 to 14 Years	Annual membership for members born between 2012-2019 who are participating in club nights and/or club runs and other competitive activities.	\$37	\$21.00
Quarterly Member 7 to 14 Years	A 3-month membership that aligns with either the first or second half of the summer children's athletics season. Q3; October 1 – December 31 Q4; January 1 – March 31	\$25 per quarter	\$16.00
Competitive Member 15 to 19 Years	Annual membership for members born between 2007-2011 who participate in any activities the club and centre may offer that are generally considered of a competitive nature. This could include inter-club events, centre championships, national championships, etc.	\$53	\$32.00
Quarterly Member 15 to 19 Years	A 3-month membership giving the most flexible membership options to older teenagers Q1; April 1 – June 31 Q2; July 1 – September 31 Q3; October 1 – December 31 Q4; January 1 – March 31	\$21 per quarter (Q1 & Q2) \$26 per quarter (Q3 & Q4)	\$12.00 (Q1 & Q2) \$11.00 (Q3 & Q4)
Competitive Member 20 Years & Over	A rolling 12-month membership for people born in 2016 or earlier who participate in any activities the club and centre may offer that are generally considered of a competitive nature. This could include inter-club events, centre championships, national championships, etc.	\$60 (Years 20 -21) \$69 (Years 23 and Over)	\$42.00
Winter Seasonal Member 20 Years & Over	A membership that aligns with the winter distance running season. The membership term runs from April 1 through to the National Road Relay Championship in October. A summer membership 'top up' will be available to purchase for those who initially register for the winter season and then want to register for the full year.	\$54 (\$27 top up for winter to summer)	\$33.00 (\$16.00 top up for winter to summer)
Community Volunteer Member	Community Volunteers Membership (CVM) is for individuals who support their centre or club but do not take part in club nights and club runs as a participant. CVM supports safe sport by including police vetting, child safety education and agreeing to abide by the Athletics NZ Code of Conduct.	\$0	\$0

The following organisations have supported Athletics Canterbury:



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Athletics Canterbury Officers for 2024 - 2025

Athletics Canterbury Board:

President:	Andrew Stark		
Board Members:	Avril Davies	Katherine Ewer	Tony Fallon
	Victor Gamperle	Michael Henstock	Tim Jones
	Paul Nicholls		
Elected Secretary:		Elected Treasurer:	Victor Gamperle
Registration Secretary:	Fleur Pettengell		

Athletics Canterbury Track & Field Sub-Committee:

Chairperson:	Martin Scott		
Secretary:	Adrienne Bruce	Treasurer:	Victor Gamperle
Committee:	Terry Lomax	Ruth Liong	George McNaughton
	Paul Nicholls	Andrew Stark	Brian Theobald

Athletics Canterbury Cross-Country & Road Sub-Committee:

Chairperson:	Victor Gamperle	Treasurer:	Victor Gamperle
Secretary:	John Ingles	Race Secretary:	Anne Kennedy
Committee:	Shona Brown	Annette Campbell	John Gamblin
	Sandie Gamperle	Don Greig	David Lee
	Ben Musson	Lahana Reeves	Kevin Prendergast
	Colin Prescott		
Cross Country & Road Selectors	Kevin Prendergast	Shona Brown	Ben Musson

Canterbury Masters Athletics Inc:

President:	Andrew Stark		
Secretary:		Treasurer:	Anna Lynch
Committee:			

Canterbury Children's Athletics Association:

President:	Nikora Jonathan	Secretary:	Gail Krsinic
Treasurer:	Neroli Chant	Registration Secretary:	Anita Sutherland

Mid-South Canterbury Sub-Centre:

Chairperson:	Simon Rhodes	Secretary / Treasurer:	Helen Mackle
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Key Personnel:

General Manager:	Ian Thomas	Officials Co-ordinator:	Brian Theobald
Fundraising Manager:	Eddie Cropley	Honorary Lawyer:	Richard Sprott
Reviewer:	Smith & Jack Chartered Accountants		

Life Members of Athletics Canterbury:

Mrs P A Boland	Mrs S A Brown	Mrs A R Davies	Mrs B M Jago
Miss A L Kennedy	Mrs V I Young OBE	C M Brown	J D Gamblin
V Gamperle	E J Gilliver	W E Hastings	K W R Jago
B Leadley	J P McBrearty	D W Mackenzie (MNZM)	R F B Perry
M R Peters	T A Spittle	A W Stark	R W G Syme (ONZM)
I D Teague	B N J Towart	A S Tucker	G G Vivian

As I review my records, I note that I have been assisting in the formatting of the AGM Booklets since 2011. It is remarkable how swiftly time has passed. This marks my ninth President's report, and as indicated last year, I will be stepping down from this role at the 2025 Athletics Canterbury AGM. I am pleased to announce that Tony Fallon, a current Board member & secretary, will take over the Board Chair role. As I am not leaving the sport, I will be available to offer support and guidance if required.

For those who were not present in 2016, I assumed this role due to health issues experienced by Kevin Jago, who was the then Chair of the Executive Committee and the Athletics Canterbury representative working with the Christchurch City Council on the development of the Nga Puna Wai Sports Hub complex. Sadly, Kevin's health continued to decline over the years, and he passed away peacefully in March of this year. I would like to express my gratitude for the support and guidance he provided me during our time together, as well as his belief in my capability to carry forward his work.

Furthermore, I wish to acknowledge Bernadette Jago, Kevin's primary supporter. He was indeed fortunate to have her in his life.

Achievements during the 2024 / 2025 Season:

Sustainability - Fundraising and Sponsorship Manager:

As mentioned last year, early 2023 the Board engaged Barrer & Co to create an **Operational Fundraising Strategy**. This was a detailed document outlining the potential fundraising streams as follows:

1. One-off Donations
2. Regular Giving
3. Trusts & Foundations
4. Corporate Partnerships
5. Major Gifts
6. Bequests
7. Endowment Fund

Eddie Cropley has been working fulltime in the role as our Fundraising and Sponsorship Manager since early September 2023. I acknowledge and appreciate the work he had been doing.

The easiest source of funds has been identified as funding applications. However, there is still considerable work involved to collect information, obtain quotes, write 'a story' and collate each application, often with an application deadline to work towards. If you are ever required to provide information for an application, please do so in a timely fashion.

Eddie is now doing all applications and has brought in significantly more income from these sources than in previous years. He has also worked on new sponsorship deals, including signage at Nga Puna Wai. All activities have made a major contribution to our funds, with this income being used for wages, traffic management, track hire and replace or repairs of equipment.

Once again, for a fixed fee he has worked with Christchurch Marathon Trust, The International Track Trust and the New Zealand Secondary Schools Association, gaining funds from various sources for these events. I see this as a win win situation as our involvement has helped lift the profile of Athletics Canterbury.

The challenge still remains to diversify our income stream by encouraging supporters of the sport to engage in one or more of the 'giving' activities listed above. If you can help, please make contact with Ian or Eddie.

Loburn 68 - Local Road Relay Championships - October 2024

Last year the Cross Country & Road Committee created a new course in the Loburn (North Canterbury) area and successfully delivered the National Road Relay Championships. It must be acknowledged that any event that runs on roads has a significant traffic management cost. Therefore, it is becoming increasingly challenging to hold such events. While we delivered a slightly modified local event on the same course in

2024, it will be interesting to see if such events remain viable going forward. Last year the National Road Relay Championships were in Taupo around a motor race track, with no road management plan and associated cost required. While it was a successful event, I am not sure all athletes enjoyed the experiences

Major Events within Canterbury:

While several of the following events are not under Athletics Canterbury's control, they are under the umbrella of our sport. Ian Thomas and many of our officials have played a significant role in supporting the events to ensure their success.

Primary School Zone and Final Championships @ NPW, November / December 2024

New Zealand Secondary Schools Track & Field Championships @ Timaru, December 2024

Lovelock Classic @ Timaru, January 2025

South Island Colgate Games @ NPW, January 2025

South Island Masters Track & Field Championships @ NPW, January 2025

International Track Meeting @ NPW, February 2025

Athletics NZ Track & Field Championships, @ Dunedin, March 2025

Canterbury Secondary School Track & Field Championships @ NPW, March 2025

Don Greig Racing Stables - Twilight Challenge @ NPW, March 2025

Front Runner Christchurch Marathon @ Central City, April 2025

Thank you all to those who have helped.

Sport Canterbury 2024 Sport and Recreation Awards:

The Awards Function was held at Wigram Airforce Museum on 23rd May 2025. Athletics Canterbury had the following finalists:

Douglas Furniture and Joinery High Performance Official of the Year

Ruth Liong (1 of 4 Finalist)

University of Canterbury High Performance Coach of the Year

James Sandilands (1 of 4 Finalists)

The Anstice Optometrists Para Athlete of the Year

William Stedman (1 of 4 Finalist)

University of Canterbury Community Coach of the Year

Rozie Robinson (1 of 4 Finalists)

Craig Investment Partners High Performance Sportsperson of the Year

Hamish Kerr (1 of 4 Finalists)

Our winners this year were **William Stedman** and **Hamish Kerr**.

New Zealand Representation:

Once again, Canterbury has several athletes who have been successful on the world stage, in particular Lauren Bruce (Hammer - Olympic Games), Hamish Kerr (High Jump GOLD - Olympic Games & SILVER World Indoor Championships), Tom Walsh (Shot Put - Olympic Games & GOLD World Indoor Championships), William Stedman T36 (400m SILVER - Paralympic Games, Long jump & 100m) and Tiaan Whelpton (100m - World Indoor Championships).

Key Official Appointments:

Increasing the number of officials in our region is challenging, but key officials like Paul Nicholls, now an international official, along with Trevor Spittle and Ruth Liong, have attended major Para events overseas. Many Canterbury officials play crucial roles at events across New Zealand, demonstrating their dedication to the sport. Brian Theobald and Dave Clark played a significant role setting up the ANZ Track & Field

Championships in Dunedin.

World Athletics has revised their official's education programme, in an effort to standardise and enhance practices at all levels. They are offering online e-learning opportunities and if you would like to know more about this area, please speak to Ruth Liong or Paul Nichols. Normally I would include Trevor Spittle and I suspect he would be happy to advise as well.

Until recently, Trevor served as the Technical Officials' Coordinator for Athletics New Zealand, a position he held for nearly ten years. Over a career spanning more than four decades, Trevor has established himself as one of the most esteemed officials and administrators in New Zealand and Oceania. His expertise has brought him to the highest levels of global competition, including the Olympic Games, Commonwealth Games, and multiple World Championships. His career exemplifies unwavering dedication and a profound passion for the sport.

Athletics Canterbury Working Group:

Over the past year, some working groups have struggled to meet their goals. We have reassessed each group's relevance and explored better ways to achieve our objectives. Most groups have now been down sized or discontinued.

General Manager's Role - Ian Thomas:

It is impossible to imagine the sustainability of the sport if managed solely by volunteers. Although local events might proceed with minimal adjustments, organizing national events would be significantly more difficult. Previous Executive and Operational Committees operated entirely as volunteers, supported by a larger group of dedicated individuals, including experienced members who officiated at the 1974 and 1990 Commonwealth Games, although this group is getting smaller each year.

This year marks the seventh anniversary of Athletics Canterbury's introduction of the General Manager role. The initial job description was prepared before fully understanding the specific needs of the position, especially following seven years without school athletic events due to the earthquake. Contrary to expectations, Nga Puna Wai has been extensively utilised by primary schools almost every weekday from mid-October to early December and by numerous secondary schools during the first term. This is an important income stream for the sport.

During our annual General Manager's review meeting, it was discussed that the incoming Board needs to reassess and update the job description to accurately reflect current responsibilities and realistic future goals. I have managed Ian throughout this period with frequent communication, often multiple times per day based on ongoing activities. He identified regular interactions with over fifty individuals and various organizations, including Athletics NZ, other Centres across New Zealand, Sport Canterbury, Christchurch NZ, Christchurch City Council, Nga Puna Wai Manager & Partner Sports, Nga Puna Wai Trust, Nga Puna Wai Parks Team, Primary School and Secondary School Sports Groups, the Halberg Trust, and Special Olympics.

During the past year Ian has been invited to join the Athletics NZ Teams meeting, where he can interact directly with other individuals throughout the countries. Athletics NZ have also held Teams meetings for Board Chairs and these occurred once every two months. They also brought the Board Chairs together for a gathering in Rotorua during the Rotorua Marathon weekend. It was a good opportunity to understand the challenges the sport faces and they shared their plans going forward.

Ian engages with operational committees and working groups, attending meetings when required. He supervises the marketing agency, photographer, and new fundraising & sponsorship role while providing support to clubs as needed. For national events hosted in Canterbury, he signs off the Memorandum of Understanding with Athletics NZ and participates in the Local Organising Committee. He manages all school bookings at Nga Puna Wai, organises necessary equipment, and handles venue setup and inquiries.

Managing these duties involves significant challenges and can be demanding. It is important for everyone to have realistic expectations and support the role rather than critique it.

The Board & Governance:

The Board, primarily composed of individuals with operational rather than governance experience, faced some challenges staying on task. Victor Gamperle was appointed treasurer, and Liz van Til became the Board Meeting minute secretary. Initially lacking a secretary, Ian and I assumed those duties but missed some tasks previously handled by Daniel Reese. Tony Fallon has taken over as secretary, but we will need a replacement since he is stepping up to be Chair. This does not have to be an elected Board member, so if you are interested in helping, please contact Ian Thomas.

I believe we have worked well together as a group. New members often ask insightful questions to understand Athletics Canterbury better, which helps us improve rather than just repeating past practices.

At the time of writing this report, it is uncertain whether an election will be necessary. Avril Davies and I will be stepping down from our positions. I would to acknowledge the lengthy service that Avril has given to the sport. Initially she was heavily involved in Canterbury Childrens Athletics before moving up to help Athletics Canterbury.

I would to acknowledge the support that I have received from all Board members during my time as Chair.

We have advertised for two new Board Members through Better Boards and are currently suggested two new members (see page 4). The Board retains the option to co-opt members with specific skills if required.

Succession planning for all committees, including Children's and Masters, is an area that requires attention. It is neither healthy nor realistic for the same individuals to occupy the same roles year after year, myself included. Some members have expressed feelings of being overwhelmed by the expectations and demands placed upon us, and seek the opportunity to step back or, at the very least, share the workload.

Focus for the FUTURE:

In recent years, sport has evolved significantly with increased opportunities in various other sports compared to traditional ones. There is a decline in participation numbers for track & field, cross country, and road events, along with fewer coaches, officials, and committee members. This is not unique to Canterbury; it's a global trend that requires adaptation.

- Athletics Canterbury aims to provide sporting opportunities without focusing on profit, but faces financial challenges due to fixed costs and expensive equipment. Income from registrations and event fees is insufficient, so we rely on traditional funders and sponsors. We have introduced a Fundraising & Sponsorship role to ensure financial sustainability. This year, we aim to broaden our income stream and be prudent in investing our reserves.
- Athletics New Zealand has undergone significant restructuring over the past twelve months, introducing new roles nationwide. We are currently seeking a sport development role person, aimed at enhancing support for clubs, improving teachers' skills in delivering athletics, and fostering connections between clubs and schools. With several similar positions already established, our new employee will leverage existing experiences to inform and develop our approach in Canterbury.
- We are also in the process of drafting a new constitution required by changes to the Incorporated Societies Act. Athletics NZ has provided templates for clubs and Centres, and our Board is actively working on our Constitution as I compile this report. It is my aspiration that this document will be ready for presentation at the AGM for approval; otherwise, a Special General Meeting will be necessary before April 2026.
- Member surveys have prompted adjustments to some non-stadia events, encouraging committees to reflect on these events' success honestly and embrace change. This approach is equally pertinent for our track & field committees for all ages.
- This year, we reintroduced a Development Squad for 14 to 18-year-olds, with sponsorship already secured. This initiative focuses on track & field, utilizing Nga Puna Wai's facilities to promote the sport and attract additional sponsors. The new sport development personnel will oversee this group moving forward.

- Coaches is an area where there is a shortage. If you are an athlete looking to give something back to the sport, why not consider becoming a coach.
- Officials and event setup personnel are vital to delivering successful events. We continue to explore ways to provide better support, including travel contributions for key Athletics NZ events.
- We are actively seeking sponsors or benefactors to assist young athletes traveling to represent Canterbury or self-funded New Zealand teams. Interested parties should contact Ian Thomas.

As I step down from this role, I was hoping to downsize my workload and have more free time. I am not sure that will happen just yet, given I will still be heavily involved in the sport, organizing track & field events, looking after New Zealand & Canterbury Masters as their President, on the Oceania Masters Council and soon to be President of Athletics New Zealand. Maybe one day

On a serious note, we are all involved for different reasons. The athletics community is my 'safe' place and is an important part of my life, where I get a sense of belonging. I extend my sincere gratitude to all paid staff, Board & Committee members, athletes, parents, officials, and coaches whose passion and dedication drive the success of our diverse sport.

Acknowledgement of our SPONSORS (also see page 4 & 6):

For the fifth year, Dougal Cockram of **Gary Cockram Hyundai** has supported Athletics Canterbury by providing our General Manager with a car. We sincerely appreciate his support.



*During the past year, we sadly lost the following members from within the athletic community.
I apologise if names have been missed off this list.*

Gerald Frederick “Gerry” Hack	3 May 2024
Kevin James Hickman	23 August 2024
Bryan Frederick Atkins	28 October 2024
Sylvia Ellen Irvine	20 February 2025
Kevin William Richard Jago	20 March 2025
Gwynneth Ida “Gwyn” Heseltine	20 April 2025

Athletics Canterbury Sports Award Function:

This year the Awards Function were held at Gary Cockram Hyundai showroom.

Congratulations to the following award recipients:

<i>Sprinter of the Year</i>	<i>Tiaan Whelpton</i>
<i>Middle Distance Athlete of the Year</i>	<i>Ethna Smolej</i>
<i>Distance Athlete of the Year</i>	<i>Eva Pringle</i>
<i>Hurdler of the Year</i>	<i>Harry Williamson</i>
<i>Thrower of the Year</i>	<i>Tom Walsh</i>
<i>Jumper of the Year</i>	<i>Hamish Kerr</i>
<i>Para Athlete of the Year</i>	<i>William Stedman</i>
<i>Combined Events Athlete of the Year</i>	<i>Angus Lyver</i>
<i>Walker of the Year</i>	<i>Jonah Cropp</i>
<i>Interclub Track Event Male Athlete of the Year</i>	<i>Oliver Dunshea</i>
<i>Interclub Field Event Male Athlete of the Year</i>	<i>Alfie Pask</i>
<i>Interclub Track Event Female Athlete of the Year</i>	<i>Eden Innes</i>
<i>Interclub Field Event Female Athlete of the Year</i>	<i>Lilla Faivre</i>
<i>Masters Athlete of the Year</i>	<i>Andy Good</i>
<i>Cross Country Runner of the Year</i>	<i>Connor Melton</i>
<i>Road Runner of the Year</i>	<i>Cameron Avery</i>
<i>Secondary School Non Stadia Athlete of the Year</i>	<i>Brynne Gordon</i>
<i>Junior Non Stadia Athlete of the Year</i>	<i>Pai Wynyard</i>
<i>Senior Non Stadia Athlete of the Year</i>	<i>William Little</i>
<i>Community Coach of the Year</i>	<i>Helena Dinnissen</i>
<i>Valdemars Briedis Memorial Cup for Coach of the Year</i>	<i>James Sandilands</i>
<i>New Official of the Year</i>	<i>Megan Allan</i>
<i>Official of the Year</i>	<i>Tim Chriswell</i>
<i>Merit Award for Exceptional Service to Athletics:</i>	<i>Richard Morrison</i>
<i>Merit Award for Exceptional Service to Athletics:</i>	<i>Ken Simpson</i>
<i>Life Membership</i>	<i>Sam McLean</i>
<i>Junior Athlete of the Year</i>	<i>Samantha Lascelles</i>
<i>Senior Athlete of the Year</i>	<i>Hamish Kerr</i>



Performance Report

Athletics Canterbury Incorporated
For the year ended 31 March 2025

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Athletics Canterbury Incorporated for the year ended 31 March 2025

Legal Name of Entity

Athletics Canterbury Incorporated

Entity Type and Legal Basis

Charitable Trust and Registered Charity

Registration Number

CC39446

Entity's Purpose or Mission

To lead and inspire participation, development and excellence in our sport.

Entity Structure

The Constitution states that the affairs of the Association be governed by an elected Board consisting of a Chairperson, plus up to six committee members. The Treasurer and Secretary are appointed by the Board.

The governance of the sport is managed by the Board. Four Working Groups assist the Board to deliver their strategic outcomes. The delivery of the sport is via the following operational committees, the Track and Field Committee, the Cross-Country and Road Committee and the Mid South Canterbury Sub-Centre (Timaru and surrounding region). Canterbury Childrens Athletics is a associate member of Athletics Canterbury who organise and deliver events to our younger members. All committee members are volunteers. Numerous other volunteers support the association with its various activities and events throughout the year.

There is one full time General Manager's role which started 1st August 2018. There is two part-time contract roles, a Registration Secretary and Track & Field Interclub setup role.

Main Sources of Entity's Cash and Resources

The Association receives its income from registrations, race entry fees, grants and donations.

Main Methods Used by Entity to Raise Funds

Generally, the Association does not formally fund-raise. The proceeds from locally authorised athletics events and registrations cover the cost of running events, with minimal to no expected surplus.

The Association has successfully approached three organisations for grants to cover the cost of the General Manager's role. The Association has used a marketing company to assist with non-stadia race sponsorship, plus sort grants to cover the cost running non-stadia events. Any larger purchases of new or replacement capital equipment items is generally funded by grants.

Reviewer

Smith & Jack Chartered Accountants
34 Birmingham Drive,
Christchurch

Smith + Jack
Chartered Accountants

Entity's Reliance on Volunteers and Donated Goods or Services

The Association is almost completely reliant on volunteers, who contribute to the running of the Board, Track and Field Committee and Cross-Country and Road Committee, organising local athletics events and organising and accompanying athletes to various meetings.

Bankers

Westpac

Statement of Service Performance

Athletics Canterbury Incorporated for the year ended 31 March 2021

'What did we do?', 'When did we do it?'

Description of Entity's Outcomes

The objective of Athletics Canterbury is to foster and support the sport of athletics in the Canterbury & West Coast regions and support the Mid-South Canterbury Sub-Centre based in Timaru as our representative in that region. These objectives are delivered in the following areas:

Governance:

It was with great sadness that Daniel Reese lost his battle with cancer and passed away in September 2023, having devoted 50 years of his life to athletics. At the time of his death, he was the Secretary of Athletics Canterbury

Following the Athletics Canterbury AGM in July 2023, we elected three new members to the Board. This has strengthened our leadership group, as they have brought more diversity and expertise to the table. We are fully committed to succession planning and improving the gender balance on the board. Currently we have a mixture of people with good governance skills to challenge those coming from an operational back-ground. This is healthy for the organization going forward.

Athletics Canterbury is very aware that funding from the traditional sources is becoming more challenging to acquire. We engaged a company to create a two to five year Operational Fundraising Strategy. As a result of this plan, we employed a fund-raising manager, as from September 2023. This has proven to be a very positive step, generating considerably more income through various avenues, that has not happened in previous years.

Attracting new members to serve on our various committees has been more successful in the past year for the Board and the Cross Country & Road Committee. However, we have struggled to attract new members to the Track & Field Committee. In previous years we had the four Working Groups, as listed below.

1. Marketing & Communications Group
2. Funding & Sponsorship Group
3. Officials Pathway Group
4. Coaches Pathway Group

As we move into a different era, with a fund-raising manager and engaging with a new marketing company to promote the sport, we are reviewing the role the first two working groups now have and whether they are still 'fit for purpose'. We are still committed to attracting and retaining officials and coaches, as without them we could not deliver the events.

The delivery of the sport is dependent on two committees, i.e. the Track & Field Committee and the Cross-Country & Road Committee. We offer assistance to the Canterbury Childrens Athletics Association, who are charged with delivering the sport to our younger members. Canterbury Masters Athletics Association is essentially merged within Athletics Canterbury, as all of their members compete within the events we organised. We also appreciate the role the Mid-South Canterbury Sub-Centre who organise and deliver the sport on our behalf in the Timaru and surrounding districts.

We have actively engaged with Athletics New Zealand to ensure we deliver events that align with their requirements.

The success of Athletics Canterbury depends on the continuation of the General Manager's role, now with the assistance of the Fund-raising Manager. Over the past five years we have become more professional in the way we operate. Athletics Canterbury has a positive working relationship with Nga Puna Wai & its Manager, Christchurch City Council, Sport Canterbury, Athletics NZ, plus the numerous funders and sponsors that we engage with. We actively seek new sponsors and apply for various smaller grants as and when appropriate to ensure the sport can deliver events successfully.

We have two contract roles to assist in the delivery of the sport. One role is to ensure all events at Nga Puna Wai run smoothly and a second role ensures the registration of our members is up to date, and there to assist club administrator with any registration issues they have.

These initiatives have been implemented to reflect a more professional approach as to how we govern and operate the sport going forward. However, we acknowledge we need to do things differently if we are to enhance our capability to grow the sport.

In early May 2023 we organized the Annual Awards Function to celebrate the successes of our athletes, officials and coaches.

Delivery:

We organised inter-club stadia and non-stadia competitions, annual provincial championship events and selected national championships events in partnership with Athletics New Zealand, for Athletics New Zealand Club affiliated members. This year we assisted Canterbury Masters Athletics to organize the New Zealand Masters Track & Field Championships, held at Nga Puna Wai in February 2024.

We supported Canterbury Childrens Athletics Association in the delivery of their interclub programmes throughout the year.

We selected and managed Canterbury teams attending national athletics competitions in both non-stadia and stadia events. We provided financial support to athletes, officials and coaches where possible and appropriate, when travelling to venues outside of the Canterbury region.

We offered education and training opportunities for coaches and officials to ensure we can successfully organise athletic events. We assisted with the organisation of the primary, combined country & secondary school athletic competitions.

Description and Quantification of the Entity's Outputs

During the 2023/2024 competition year, Athletics Canterbury provided the following services to the sport and its participants, either directly as the organiser or by assisting affiliated athletics clubs in the region:

Winter programme (April – October) catering for up to 500 competitors aged from seven years to over eighty years:

We held fifteen individual inter-club cross-country and road events, including four Canterbury Regional Championships (Cross-country, road, half marathon & marathon. In April we hosted a national Marathon and Half Marathon event in Central City, Christchurch.

We held five inter-club cross-country and road relay events. We introduced a new road relay event, Loburn 68. This was a six lap or eight lap teams event, and doubled as the National Road Relay Championships for teams from throughout New Zealand.

We selected and managed regional representative teams that competed in national cross country and national road championship events.

We supported Secondary School Sport Canterbury in the running of their cross-country & road championships.

The Summer programme (October – April) caters for athletes aged from fourteen years plus. Competition for children aged from seven years to fourteen years is organised by Canterbury Children's Athletic Association, with assistance from Athletics Canterbury:

The Opening Day for the track & field season at Nga Puna Wai was to be 16th October 2023, but it was canceled due to strong winds. Opening was then 23rd October 2023

We organized four Thursday night community events held at Nga Puna Wai during November & early December, aimed at secondary school athletes preparing for the National Secondary School Championships (early December).

From late-October to late-March, we held fifteen Saturday interclub track and field meetings at Nga Puna Wai. Within these meetings we held the following Championship events: 3000m, 5000m, 10000m & steeplechase.

In early November we assisted Secondary School Sport Canterbury to run the regionals Secondary School Track & Field

In early December we assisted Primary School Sports to run the regional Primary School Track & Field Championships at Nga Puna Wai.

From December 8th-10th we assisted with the delivery of the National Secondary School Championships at Nga Puna Wai, hosting over 1000 athletes.

In late December we held a twilight meeting at Nga Puna Wai aimed at all age groups within our region. In early January we supported the Mid-South Canterbury Centre to host the Lovelock Classic in Timaru.

In early-February we held the Canterbury Championship event at Nga Puna Wai, a Friday night / Saturday afternoon meeting. Within this event we included the Canterbury Masters Track & Field Championship events.

In mid-February we hosted the New Zealand Island Masters Track & Field Championships over two and half days, held

in conjunction with a normal senior interclub programme at Nga Puna Wai. The following weekend, we assisted with the delivery of the International Track Meeting, which attracted athletes from throughout NZ, Australia, Canada, UK and Japan.

In early March, 134 athletes attended the Athletics NZ Track & Field Championships held in Wellington. Athletics Canterbury supported the meeting by providing specialist equipment and numerous officials in key roles.

Athletics Canterbury ran several official education courses throughout the year particularly concentrating on officials to be used at the Colgate Games, covering the areas of track events, field events, non-stadia events and technical.

Throughout the fourth term 2023 and the first term 2024, Athletics Canterbury assisted school athletic sports held at Nga Puna Wai by providing onsite teacher education (if required) and equipment., plus some key officials.

Many of the events organised by Athletics Canterbury and its affiliated clubs catered for members of the public, as well as for club athletes.

Several Canterbury athletes were selected to represent New Zealand in several competitions. The most notable being Hamish Kerr (high jump), Tom Walsh (shot put), Lauren Bruce (hammer), and Tiaan Whelpton (100m).

Statement of Financial Performance

Athletics Canterbury Incorporated For the year ended 31 March 2025

'How was it funded?' and 'What did it cost?'

	NOTES	2025	2024
Revenue			
Donations, fundraising and other similar revenue	1	19,791	34,750
General Grants	1	117,735	117,686
Fees, subscriptions and other revenue from members	1	51,893	47,604
Revenue from Service Delivery	1	122,955	155,659
Interest, dividends and other investment revenue	1	21,365	14,949
Other revenue	1	30,722	27,285
Total Revenue		364,460	397,933
Expenses			
Employee remuneration and other related costs	2	183,336	140,271
Volunteer related expenses	2	5,209	2,200
Service Delivery Costs	2	168,676	170,825
Grants and Donations made	2	9,650	14,626
Other expenses	2	34,391	33,985
Total Expenses		401,262	361,908
Operating Surplus/(Deficit) for the Year		(36,802)	36,025
Transfer to Reserves			
Transfer (to) / from Bill Richards Marathon Fund		3,781	10,106
Transfer (to) / From Development Officer Reserve		(25,000)	-
Total Transfer to Reserves		(21,219)	10,106
Surplus/(Deficit) for the Year		(58,021)	46,132



The Notes to the Performance Report and Independent Assurance Practitioner's Review Report form part of and are to be read in conjunction with these Financial Statements.

Statement of Financial Position

Athletics Canterbury Incorporated

As at 31 March 2025

'What the entity owns?' and 'What the entity owes?'

	NOTES	31 MAR 2025	31 MAR 2024
Assets			
Current Assets			
Bank accounts and cash	3	142,134	320,884
Term Deposits	3	319,710	164,199
Debtors and prepayments	3	83,741	53,644
Inventory	3	2,610	1,862
Total Current Assets		548,196	540,588
Non-Current Assets			
Property, Plant and Equipment	5	137,665	152,093
Other non-current assets	3	-	8,158
Total Non-Current Assets		137,665	160,251
Total Assets		685,861	700,839
Liabilities			
Current Liabilities			
Credit Card	4	26	1,707
Creditors and accrued expenses	4	62,875	71,447
Employee costs payable	4	29,224	27,147
Deferred Revenue	4	30,000	-
Total Current Liabilities		122,125	100,301
Total Liabilities		122,125	100,301
Total Assets less Total Liabilities (Net Assets)		563,736	600,539
Accumulated Funds			
Reserves	6	162,339	141,120
Accumulated surpluses or (deficits)	6	401,397	459,418
Total Accumulated Funds		563,736	600,539



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Statement of Cash Flows

Athletics Canterbury Incorporated For the year ended 31 March 2025

'How the entity has received and used cash'

	2025	2024
Cash Flows from Operating Activities		
Donations, Fundraising and other similar receipts	19,791	34,750
General Grants	147,735	117,686
Fees, subscriptions and other receipts from members	51,893	47,604
Revenue from Service Delivery	89,798	140,222
Interest, dividends and other investment receipts	22,200	13,654
Cash receipts from other operating activities	30,722	23,956
GST	8,151	15,140
Employee remuneration and other related costs	(181,259)	(133,349)
Service Delivery costs	(185,660)	(153,001)
Donations or grants paid	(14,859)	(16,826)
Total Cash Flows from Operating Activities	(11,489)	89,836
Cash Flows from Investing and Financing Activities		
Receipts/(Payments) of property, plant and equipment	(18,226)	(45,237)
Cash flow receipts / (payments) from Investments	(147,353)	(6,712)
Total Cash Flows from Investing and Financing Activities	(165,579)	(51,949)
Net Increase/(Decrease) in Cash	(177,068)	37,887
Bank Accounts and Cash		
Opening cash	319,177	281,290
Closing cash	142,109	319,177
Net change in cash for period	(177,068)	37,887



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Statement of Accounting Policies

Athletics Canterbury Incorporated For the year ended 31 March 2025

'How did we do our accounting?'

Basis of Preparation

The entity has elected to apply New Tier 3 (Not-For-Profit) standard on the basis that it does not have public accountability and has total annual expenses equal to or less than \$5,000,000. All transactions in the Performance Report are reported using the accrual basis of accounting. The Performance Report is prepared under the assumption that the entity will continue to operate in the foreseeable future.

Goods and Services Tax (GST)

The entity is registered for GST. All amounts are stated exclusive of goods and services tax (GST) except for accounts payable and accounts receivable which are stated inclusive of GST.

Income Tax

Athletics Canterbury Incorporated is wholly exempt from New Zealand income tax having fully complied with all statutory conditions for these exemptions.

Bank Accounts and Cash

Bank accounts and cash in the Statement of Cash Flows comprise cash balances and bank balances (including short term deposits).

Changes in Accounting Policies

This is the first year the entity has reported under the new Tier 3 (NFP) Standard. Prior year comparatives have been recategorised for consistency and comparability. All other policies have been applied on a consistent basis with those of the previous reporting year.

Fixed Assets

Fixed Assets are recognised at cost less accumulated depreciation.

Revenue Recognition

Grants that are received with conditions attached are initially recognised a liability and are transferred to income when the conditions have been fulfilled. All Donations are recognised upon receipt.



Notes to the Performance Report

Athletics Canterbury Incorporated For the year ended 31 March 2025

	2025	2024
1. Analysis of Revenue		
Donations, fundraising, and other similar revenue		
Donations	1,000	26,100
Signage at NPW	1,569	1,416
Sponsorship	17,222	7,233
Total Donations, fundraising, and other similar revenue	19,791	34,750
General Grants		
Air Rescue Trust	7,951	2,258
Grants	54,885	65,429
Lion Foundation	5,000	-
Mainland Foundation	5,000	10,000
Pub Charity	8,000	10,000
Sargood Bequest	6,900	-
New Zealand Community Trust	30,000	30,000
Total General Grants	117,735	117,686
Fees, subscriptions and other revenue from members		
Annual Awards Dinner	1,766	1,732
Registration Fees	46,860	44,000
Affiliation Fees	1,328	1,429
Uniform Sales	1,939	443
Total Fees, subscriptions and other revenue from members	51,893	47,604
Revenue from Service Delivery		
Entry Fees	26,579	64,602
Equipment Hire	23,981	21,524
Nga Puna Wai Track Hire	53,517	47,973
Nga Puna Wai Training Fees	9,842	11,453
Other Service Delivery Revenue	1,234	3,009
Sanction Fees	7,802	7,098
Total Revenue from Service Delivery	122,955	155,659
Interest, dividends and other investment revenue		
Interest Income	21,365	14,949
Total Interest, dividends and other investment revenue	21,365	14,949
Other revenue		
Miscellaneous Income		
Miscellaneous Income	30,722	27,285
Total Miscellaneous Income	30,722	27,285
Total Other revenue	30,722	27,285



2025

2024

2. Analysis of Expenses

Employee remuneration and other related costs

ACC	888	409
Telephone & Internet	1,300	1,000
Vehicle Expenses	3,047	3,357
Wages	178,101	135,505
Total Employee remuneration and other related costs	183,336	140,271

Volunteer related expenses

Officials Subsidy	5,209	2,200
Total Volunteer related expenses	5,209	2,200

Service Delivery Costs

Activity Delivery Costs

Hire Expenses	69,989	67,735
Equipment Repairs	8,301	4,243
Marketing Consultancy	31,767	11,972
Medals	2,613	3,783
Medical Services	-	1,423
Race Expenses	23,193	36,965
Total Activity Delivery Costs	135,864	126,120

Administration Costs

Advertising	3,405	2,615
AGM Expenses	239	283
Annual Awards Dinner Expenses	1,787	1,736
Audit/Review Fees	2,500	2,500
Bank Fees	109	105
Bill Richards Marathon Fund - Marketing	659	1,320
Canterbury Sports Awards	-	774
Computer Expenses	2,208	851
Consultants	1,943	13,451
Engraving	2,073	2,487
Entry Fees paid	861	-
Insurance	7,663	4,209
Legal Fees	-	2,640
Meeting Room Hire	450	1,215
Printing, Stamps & Stationery	3,048	5,120
Trailer Expenses	666	600
Training Course	351	-
Travel Costs	2,369	2,772
Uniform Purchases	2,482	2,028
Total Administration Costs	32,812	44,705

Total Service Delivery Costs	168,676	170,825
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	2025	2024
Grants and donations made		
Bill Richards Marathon Fund - Grants	9,650	13,370
Lorna Overend Award	-	300
Travel Grants	-	957
Total Grants and donations made	9,650	14,626
Other expenses		
Depreciation and Loss on Sale	32,654	30,343
General Expenses	1,737	3,643
Total Other expenses	34,391	33,985

	2025	2024
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3. Analysis of Assets

Bank accounts and cash

Track & Field 02 Account	12	4,438
Cheque Account (Coachforce)	1,601	624
Cheque Account (Board)	50,083	269,199
Cheque Account (Track & Field)	11,015	5,235
Cheque Account (XC & Road)	7,362	41,388
SBS Call account	72,061	-
Total Bank accounts and cash	142,134	320,884

Term Deposits

Westpac Tern Deposit- Non Current	-	8,158
SBS Term Deposits	-	66,537
Westpac Term Deposits	319,710	97,662
Total Term Deposits	319,710	172,357

Debtors and prepayments

Accrued Interest	3,020	3,855
Accounts Receivable	79,997	46,839
Prepayments	725	2,949
Total Debtors and prepayments	83,741	53,644

Other current assets

Uniforms on Hand	2,610	1,862
Total Other current assets	2,610	1,862



2025 2024

4. Analysis of Liabilities**Credit Card**

Westpac Credit Card	26	1,707
Total Credit Card	26	1,707

Creditors and accrued expenses

Accounts Payable	47,735	64,458
GST Payable	15,140	6,989
Total Creditors and accrued expenses	62,875	71,447

Employee costs payable

Wages Accrual	5,625	4,615
PAYE Payable	3,806	3,280
Holiday Pay Accrual	19,794	19,252
Total Employee costs payable	29,224	27,147

Deferred Revenue

Unexpended Grants	30,000	-
Total Deferred Revenue	30,000	-

Athletics Canterbury Incorporated has a Westpac Business Mastercard facility limit of \$4,000. (Last year: \$4,000)

Unexpended grants are for the purpose of funding an Athletics Development Officer and it is intended to use these funds in the 2026 financial year.

2025 2024

5. Property, Plant and Equipment

Athletics Equipment	137,665	152,093
Total Property, Plant and Equipment	137,665	152,093

2025	Opening Book Value	Additions/ (Disposals)	Depreciation and Loss on Sale	Closing Book Value
Athletics Equipment	152,093	18,226	32,654	137,665

2024	Opening Book Value	Additions/ (Disposals)	Depreciation and Loss on Sale	Closing Book Value
Athletics Equipment	137,199	45,237	30,343	152,093



2025

2024

6. Accumulated Funds

Retained Earnings	459,418	413,287
Current Year Earnings	(52,828)	46,132
Reserves	162,339	141,120
Accumulated Funds	568,929	600,539

Reserves

Description	Opening Balance	Current Year Surplus/(Deficit)	Transfer To/(from) reserves	Closing Balance
Reserves				
Bill Richards Marathon Fund	141,120		(3,781)	137,339
Development Officer Reserve			25,000	25,000
Total Reserves	141,120		21,219	162,339
Accumulated Funds	459,418	(58,021)		401,397
Total	600,538	(58,021)	21,219	563,736

The Bill Richards Marathon Fund is to be used for Marathon running expenses incurred by the club or it's athletes.

The Development Officer Reserve is set aside to assist with the funding of an Athletics Development Officer

7. Contingent Liabilities and Guarantees

There are no contingent liabilities or guarantees as at 31 March 2025. (Last year: Nil).

8. Commitments

There are no commitments as at 31 March 2025 (Last year: Nil)

9. Related Parties

Andrew Stark, Chairman of the Board, is also director of AWS Publications Limited. Athletics Canterbury Incorporated used the services of AWS Publications Limited, with all payments being at market value, totalling \$4,266 GST exclusive. (2024: \$6,809). There was \$Nil outstanding at year end (2024: Nil)

10. Events After the Balance Date

There were no events that have occurred after the balance date that would have a material impact on the Performance Report (Last year - nil).

11. Donated Goods and Services

During the year Athletics Canterbury has a sponsorship agreement with Gary Cockram Hyundai which has provided a vehicle for the General Managers use.



12. Going Concern

Athletics Canterbury Incorporated continues to adopt the going concern assumption in preparing the Performance Report for the year ended 31 March 2025. It expects to continue operating for the foreseeable future.

13. Comparatives

Prior Year numbers, where applicable, have been reclassified to make disclosure consistent to the current year.



INDEPENDENT ASSURANCE PRACTITIONER'S REVIEW REPORT

To the Members of Athletics Canterbury Incorporated

We have reviewed the accompanying Performance Report of Athletics Canterbury Incorporated, which comprises the Statement of Financial Position as at 31 March 2025, and the Statement of Financial Performance and Cash Flows for the year then ended, and Notes to the Performance Report including material accounting policy information and other explanatory information.

Athletics Canterbury Board' Responsibility for the Performance Report

The Athletics Canterbury Board are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of this Performance Report in accordance with the Tier 3 (NFP) Standard, and for such internal control as the Athletics Canterbury Board determine is necessary to enable the preparation of a Performance Report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

The Athletics Canterbury Board are also responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the entity information and statement of service performance but does not include the performance report and our conclusion thereon.

Assurance Practitioner's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the accompanying Performance Report. We conducted our review in accordance with International Standard on Review Engagements (New Zealand) (ISRE (NZ)) 2400, Review of Historical Financial Statements Performed by an Assurance Practitioner who is not the Auditor of the Entity. ISRE (NZ) 2400 requires us to conclude whether anything has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the Performance Report, taken as a whole, are not prepared in all material respects in accordance with the applicable financial reporting framework. This Standard also requires us to comply with relevant ethical requirements.

A review of the Performance Report in accordance with ISRE (NZ) 2400 is a limited assurance engagement. The assurance practitioner performs procedures, primarily consisting of making enquiries of management and others within the entity, as appropriate, and applying analytical procedures, and evaluates the evidence obtained.

Our conclusion on the performance report does not cover the other information (the entity information and statement of service performance) and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

The procedures performed in a review are substantially less than those performed in an audit conducted in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (New Zealand). Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion on the Performance Report.

Other than in our capacity as assurance practitioner we have no relationship with, or interests in, Athletics Canterbury Incorporated.

Conclusion

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying performance report does not give a true and fair view the financial position of Athletics Canterbury Incorporated as at 31 March 2025, and of its financial performance and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with the Tier 3 (NFP) Standard.



Smith and Jack Limited
Christchurch
17 July 2025



ATHLETICS CANTERBURY INCORPORATED - REGISTRATIONS 2024 / 2025

	SM	MM	SW	MW	MU20	WU20	MU18	WU18	G7-14	B7-14	G3-6	B3-6	Social	Volunteer Life M	Total	2023 /24
Ashburton Athletic Club					1	2	2	4	60	53	5	3		8	138	102
Awatea Athletics Club				1		1	1	3	124	141	26	43			340	172
Christchurch Avon Athletic Club	11	23	5	3	3	4	11	4	119	110	14	18	5		330	288
Christchurch Boys High Athletic					3		8								11	14
Christchurch Methodist Harrier		2													2	6
Christchurch Old Boys United	14	1	5		9	6	12	20							67	60
Christ's College Athletic Club					1		3								4	12
Don Greig Racing Stables	4	50	4	24			1			1					84	105
Geraldine Athletic Club		1					1	1	32	28	2	4	4		73	67
Greymouth Athletic Club Inc									22	23	11	13	1		70	77
Lions Athletics Club								1	4	5	1	1			12	9
New Brighton Olympic Club	1	10	1	1	1				13	12	3		2		44	68
North Canterbury Athletic Club	1		2			3	2	2	27	31	1	1		1	71	69
Papanui Toc H Athletic Club Inc	4	3	1		4	3	11	5	110	78	13	9		6	247	213
Phoenix Athletic Club Inc	1			1	1	2	5	2	17	20					49	44
Port Hills Athletic Club Inc	3	3	2	6	3	1	3	7	37	45	10	6	35	16	177	197
Run Timaru	18	11	4	5	6	4	6	1	3	4			28	4	94	78
Selwyn Athletic Club	2		1	1	5	4	9	9	72	55	15	17	1		191	173
South Canterbury Athletic Club	2		2		2	1	4	10	17	24	2		1	15	80	105
Sumner Running Club Inc	1	6		7	1			6	33	34	3	8	2		101	122
Temuka Athletic Club							2	1	13	12					28	25
University of Canterbury AC	16	6	9	2	5	8	2	4	7	17				2	78	107
Waimate Athletic Club						1	1	1	27	22	5	6	3	6	72	84
Whippets Running Project	19	4	27	3	1	1	1								56	34
TOTAL	97	120	63	54	46	41	85	81	737	715	111	129	82	58	2419	2231

Track & Field Committee Report 2024 - 2025

Andrew Stark

Athletics at Ngā Puna Wai is entering its seventh season. Despite some vegetation, wind is still a major challenge. Additional hedge plants have been added, with larger trees to be planned; whether this will help remains to be seen. For several years, we have used the old photo-finish cube from Rawhiti Domain on the back straight, allowing sprinters to run in both directions.

Athletics Canterbury Interclub & Championship Meetings:

At the **19th October 2024** Opening Day meeting, there were 134 entries, similar to last season. The second meeting was cancelled due to high winds, but attendance increased once the season began, especially with

Senior Interclub attendance figures for the 2024 / 2025 Season

DATE(S)	M-U16	W-U16	M-U18	W-U18	M-U20	W-U20	SM	SW	MM	MW	
19/10/2024	21	30	23	23	7	6	11	1	9	3	134
26/10/2024	Cancelled										
2/11/2024	36	34	40	25	11	10	14	2	10	3	185
9/11/2024	32	27	40	25	9	8	8	4	6	3	162
23/11/2024	28	32	32	28	7	9	14	9	12	2	173
30/11/2024	28	24	21	21	8	5	13	4	10	0	134
14/12/2024	13	9	15	6	8	4	13	3	12	1	84
27/12/2024	29	50	9	6	5	1	10	6	10	4	130
**11/01/2025	14	22	24	20	16	12	54	15	17	4	198
*24-25/01/2025	24	19	19	11	6	8	18	25	66	28	224
1/02/2025	20	10	47	25	8	8	20	23	12	4	177
8/02/2025	26	11	41	29	12	14	30	10	15	7	195
14-15/02/2025	15	16	32	41	20	19	38	17	22	11	231
#22/02/2025	3	5	14	16	25	15	71	57	8	7	221
27/02/2025	14	5	36	15	17	9	27	13	15	3	154
TOTAL	303	294	393	291	159	128	341	189	224	80	2402
AVERAGE 2024/25	22	21	28	21	11	9	24	14	16	6	172
2023/24	16	18	20	17	14	6	16	7	11	3	127
2022/23	14	15	21	19	14	8	11	8	11	4	125
2021/22	16	16	26	23	14	9	15	12	10	4	146
2020/21	20	20	26	20	13	9	12	13	10	5	146
2019/20	26	20	32	24	18	9	11	9	14	6	169
2018/19	#(non-reg = 34)		39	34	18	12	12	9	10	5	173

** Lovelock Classic

* Includes South Island Masters Championships

International Track Meeting

Thursday Twilight attendance figures at Nga Puna Wai for the 2024 / 2025 Season

DATE(S)	M-U16	W-U16	M-U18	W-U18	M-U20	W-U20	SM	SW	MM	MW	
7/11/2024	13	23	19	7	3	3	2	2	3	3	78
14/11/2024	14	21	13	13	4	1	4	1	4	1	76
21/11/2024	21	20	21	6	9	3	10	5	5	0	100
28/11/2024	21	23	16	13	4	1	7	2	6	0	93
TOTAL	69	87	69	39	20	8	23	10	18	4	347
AVERAGE 2024/25	17	22	17	10	5	2	6	3	5	1	87

Christ's College boys participating in athletics. Notably, schools benefit significantly when a teacher is enthusiastic about athletics.

This season, we switched to **AthleticNET** for online entries at interclub meetings, replacing GameDay and Meet Manager. Event organisers (Craig Brown and myself) faced a steep learning curve with event setup, entries, payments, seeding, and integrating **AthleticLIVE**. Most initial issues were resolved, and feedback on the near-instant results from AthleticLIVE has been very positive. As the season went on, we also adopted AthleticFIELD for instant field event results (selected meetings), added race photos, included lap times for distance events, and appreciated the platform's ranking list capabilities. I would like to acknowledge the help I received from Josie Gray and Helen Mackle who assisted me with entering field event results throughout the season.

We recognise that some athletes had difficulties with AthleticNET account setup or profile claiming, but its benefits became evident as the season went on.

Craig Brown and Brian Theobald have contributed their expertise in technology updates. An additional role for Brian is coordinating the official's roster each week, which is a challenging role he is willing to pass on to someone else. Which field events we offer at interclub is determined by the available officials. More officials means more events.

The table on the previous page shows attendance figures for interclub meetings held throughout the season and all previous seasons at NPW. The data indicates that participation is higher among under age athletes, while there are relatively few seniors or masters competing. This trend presents a challenge for future events. Given so many of our better athletes head overseas to USA once they leave school, it is not surprising we have lower senior attendance figures.

Over the past four seasons, four twilight meetings have been held each November. These events are open to club and community athletes, including those preparing for the New Zealand Secondary School Track & Field Championships, which take place in early December. This year, the championships were hosted in Timaru, with many officials from our organisation assisting over the three-day event.

Terry Lomax organised a **Rhythm & Jumps Meeting** at the Christchurch Boys High School training facility, with participation from athletes outside Canterbury. The meeting was held as in previous years.

Fewer competitors are entering the **Christmas Cracker Twilight** Meeting on Friday 27th December. The handicap 100m heats and final took place, but several finalists did not participate, so we may need to reconsider this event.

The **Lovelock Classic Meeting** in Timaru took place a week later than usual on 11th January 2025, featuring the regular Children's events in the morning. Supported by Canterbury officials and athletes, it was one of their largest meetings in recent years.

The following weekend, Athletics Canterbury / Canterbury Children's Athletics held the **South Island Colgate Games** at Ngā Puna Wai, which saw the highest attendance in several years. Many senior officials collaborated with club helpers to facilitate the event.

In late January, we hosted the **South Island Masters Track & Field Championships** over Friday evening, Saturday morning, and Sunday morning, incorporating several interclub events due to available programme space.

The main events of the **Athletics Canterbury Track & Field Championship** took place on Friday, 14th and Saturday, 15th February 2025. The Canterbury Masters also conducted their championship competitions during this weekend, which I believe represents a positive direction for future planning.

The last three Athletics Canterbury Championship events took place on these dates: Steeplechase (25 January), 3000m (8 February 2025), and 5000m (19 March).

For several years, Classic Meetings have been scheduled during January and February, coinciding with our championship events. As a result, some of our top athletes are unable to participate in local competitions during this period.

The **International Track Meet** took place on 22nd February 2025 and had the highest number of international athletes for any Bronze Meeting in the country. I would particularly like acknowledge to Craig Motley as it is through his close relationship with overseas athlete agents that he able to attract athletes to this event. To maintain its success, the ITM Trust will collaborate closely with Athletic Canterbury and Athletics NZ, with all parties committed to its continued success.

New Zealand Track & Field Championships: (6th - 9th March 2025, Dunedin)

For the first time in several years, Otago hosted the Athletics New Zealand Championships. Several officials travelled to Dunedin before the event to assist with setting up the facility, and many others held key roles during the championships. The event was well organised.

This year, 154 athletes were selected to represent Canterbury, the largest team in years. Managed by Josie Gray, Mike Drury, Craig Motley, and me, the team delivered strong performances, with many athletes winning medals (see table below).

The following table summarises Athletics Canterbury's team size and results at recent ANZ Championships.

	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
Team Size	154	134	103	120	50	130	148	84	65	86	70	89	71
Gold	48	35	22	29	17	32	15	21	31	32	26	30	21
Silver	33	33	32	34	18	22	21	25	23	25	19	19	21
Bronze	24	29	36	26	20	32	27	18	14	24	15	19	25
Total Medals:	105	97	90	89	55	86	63	64	68	81	60	68	67

Medal Winners at National Track & Field Championships - Dunedin 2025

GOLD MEDALS		Event	Grade	Performance
Lauren	Blackmore	DT	Para U17	26.69m
Lauren	Blackmore	JT	Para U17	16.36m
Lauren	Blackmore	SP	Para U17	7.56m
Charlotte	Blake	JT	U18	38.25m
Jake	Boyd	300H	U16	46.43
Jake	Boyd	DT	U16	47.85m
Jake	Boyd	JT	U16	51.52m
Alysa	Brown	3000W	U18	15:52.76
Alysa	Brown	5000W	U18	28:12.58
Lauren	Bruce	HT	Senior	69.89m
Hannah	Collins	TJ	Senior	12.30m
Jonah	Cropp	10000W	Senior	43:28.47
Jonah	Cropp	3000W	Senior	12:10.56
Kate	Currie	1500	U20	4:33.79
Kate	Currie	5000	U20	16:48.29
Lily	Dunne	400	U16	57.72
Pera	Gordon	PV	U18	2.85m
Annabelle	Grant	3000W	U16	18:57.42
Sarah	James	1500	Para Open	5:53.61
Hamish	Kerr	HJ	Senior	2.20m
Una	Kinajil-Reding	SP	Para U20	7.85m
Laura	Langley	10000W	Senior	46:24.05

GOLD MEDALS (cont)		Event	Grade	Performance
Zack	Lappin	DT	Para Open	33.96m
Zack	Lappin	JT	Para Open	29.80m
Samantha	Lascelles	800	U20	2:09.89
Judah	Lodoviko	400	U16	51.86
Sam	Moore	800	U16	2:03.04
Sam	Moore	1500	U16	4:21.20
Sam	Moore	PV	U16	3.15m
Eva	Pringle	3000S	Senior	10:26.09
Jamie	Puha	LJ	U18	6.74m
Ethan	Smolej	800	Senior	1:52.62
William	Stedman	100	Para Open	12.43
William	Stedman	200	Para Open	25.02
William	Stedman	400	Para Open	54.51
William	Stedman	LJ	Para Open	5.40m
Finn	Tregurtha-Nairn	LJ	Para U17	4.34m
Finn	Tregurtha-Nairn	100	Para U17	12.82
Finn	Tregurtha-Nairn	200	Para U17	26.15
Finn	Tregurtha-Nairn	400	Para U17	59.45
Tom	Walsh	SP	Senior	21.24m
Tiaan	Whelpton	100	Senior	10.19
Maddie	Wilson	LJ	Senior	6.17m
Toby	Winter	TJ	U16	12.62m
Harry	Witt	5000	U20	14:46.24
4 x 100m (MU16): T Winter, J Lodoviko, L Thomas, C Woodcock				46.24
4 x 100m (MU20): J Veitch, H Scott, H Williamson, B Langford				43.36
4 x 400m (MU20): J Veitch, C Wightman, S Newlands, Z Walton				3:27.23

SILVER MEDALS		Event	Grade	Performance
Max	Attwell	PV	Senior	4.65m
Jake	Boyd	SP	U16	13.02m
Otto	Church	PV	U18	3.50m
Christian	Cooper	HJ	U16	1.76m
Lily	Dunne	100	U16	12.45
Lily	Dunne	200	U16	25.72
Ashleigh	Gardner	3000S	Senior	10:55.97
Holly	Gray	400H	U20	1:05.18
Daniel	Grounds	PV	U20	3.30m
Ethan	Hole	100	U18	11.03
Sarah	James	200	Para Open	37.07
Sarah	James	400	Para Open	1:15.00
Sarah	James	800	Para Open	2:27.53
Una	Kinajil-Reding	SP	Para Open	8.10m
Lucy	Knaggs	PV	U16	2.10m
Samantha	Lascelles	400	U20	57.38
Judah	Lodoviko	200	U16	23.95
Judah	Lodoviko	LJ	U16	5.69m
Jody	McCarthyDempsey	100H	U20	15.30
Kiera	O'Donnell	800	U16	2:22.72
Rorie	Poff	SP	Para Open	7.10m

SILVER MEDALS (cont)		Event	Grade	Performance
Isabel	Prescott	2000S	U16	7:34.16
Eva	Pringle	5000	Senior	16:30.77
Hunter	Scott	400	U20	48.95
Maddie	Wilson	HJ	Senior	1.84m
Toby	Winter	100	U16	11.70
4 x 100m (MU18): F Hawkins, L Stevens, H Ham, E Hole				43.77
4 x 100m (SM): K Syriak, J Rogers, M Attwell, A Lyver				41.43
4 x 400m (MU16): C Cooper, S Moore, L Thomas, J Lodoviko				3:46.27
4 x 400m (MU18): E Hole, I Saywell Barbosa, L Stevens, H Sevier				3:23.81
4 x 400m (SM): H Scott, J Rogers, M Attwell, A Lyver				3:21.38
4 x 400m (WU20): M Thomas, A Buchan, McMath, H Gray				4:11.88
4 x 400m (SW): A Candy, E Jackson, L Reeves, T Reeves				4:11.73
BRONZE MEDALS		Event	Grade	Performance
Kelsey	Berryman	LJ	Senior	5.98m
Charlotte	Blake	DT	U18	40.35m
Jake	Boyd	100H	U16	15.49
Tyler	Bratley	JT	U20	51.67m
Christian	Cooper	LJ	U16	5.65m
Oliver	Dunshea	800	Senior	1:55.56
Daniel	Grounds	PV	U18	3.50m
Jacinta	Hoglund	300H	U18	46.36
Ethan	Hole	200	U18	22.39
Sarah	James	100	Para Open	20.04
James	Knaggs	HJ	U20	1.84m
William	Little	5000	Senior	14:09.98
Jody	McCarthyDempsey	LJ	U20	5.40m
Toby	Orr	HT	U18	36.39m
Mya	Phillips	JT	Senior	41.88m
Mya	Phillips	JT	U20	41.09m
Bill	Quigley	HT	U20	42.49m
Rozie	Robinson	3000W	Senior	17:34.53
Hunter	Scott	200	U20	22.02
Adam	Stack	HJ	Senior	2:03m
Rosa	Twyford	1500	Senior	4:20.40
Tia	Wynyard	HJ	Senior	2.03m
4 x 100m (WU20): E Lucas, M Thomas, H Gray, B Thin				49.87
4 x 400m (WU16): Z Davis, I Prescott, K O'Donnell, L Dunne				4:18.14

Several Canterbury athletes were selected to represent New Zealand in several competitions. The most notable being Hamish Kerr (high jump), Tom Walsh (shot put), Lauren Bruce (hammer), and Tiaan Whelpton (100m).

I would like to thank all officials who helped run events at Nga Puna Wai and those who also travelled around New Zealand or overseas to officiate at various events.

Athletics Canterbury - Ngā Puna Wai Activity Financial Information

For the year ended 31st March 2025

Note: The above information relating to Ngā Puna Wai has been extracted from the consolidated accounts.

Account	2025	2024
Trading Income		
Championship Entry Fees	2,590.70	2,484.31
Donations		100.00
Equipment Hire	20,442.17	25,121.75
Interest Income	749.13	660.24
Miscellaneous Income	1,648.62	3,811.36
Nga Puna Wai Track Hire	50,747.78	47,972.52
Nga Puna Wai Training Fees	9,841.67	11,453.15
Other Revenue	1,169.11	1,705.97
Weekly Competition Fee	8,811.35	16,252.28
Total Trading Income	96,000.53	109,561.58
Other Income		
Grants	27,800.60	27,935.26
NZSSAA T&F Champs		6,531.47
Total Income	123,801.13	144,028.31
Operating Expenses		
Audit Fees	750.00	750.00
Bank Fees	25.00	25.00
Catering	180.00	837.20
Entry fees paid	860.87	650.43
Equipment Repairs	7,665.25	3,684.10
General Expenses	770.93	2,780.98
Meeting Room Hire	85.22	222.61
NPW Storage/Training Fees	13,043.48	13,043.48
Officials Subsidy	2,550.00	260.86
Photography		320.00
Race Expenses		35.00
Software Licences	1,121.01	637.95
Sport Days Set up / Assist Fee	3,721.91	5,368.70
Track Hire & Related Costs	42,873.40	45,817.06
Travel	1,000.00	1,416.73
Total Operating Expenses	74,647.07	75,850.10
Net Profit before Depreciation	49,154.06	68,178.21
Depreciation Expense	28,801.25	26,756.26
Net Profit after Depreciation	20,352.81	41,421.95

Well, another athletics season has come and gone and I have enjoyed stepping up into the role of president for the Mid-South Canterbury Sub Centre.

I would like to start by saying thank you to Charlotte Bowan who had been our president for the previous two years and for all the work she has done for the sport of athletics in our area.

Secondly, I would like to thank all the officials, parents, helpers etc that turn up every week to run events all around the region or just helping at local club training nights. Without your help the sport of athletics at grassroots level cannot function and then the whole sport will struggle in future years. Many of you officials also help at national and international level so thank you very much for your dedication to our sport.

There are two people who I would like to single out from our Sub Centre level and they are Helen Mackle and Reg Brockett. They both do a massive amount of work behind the scenes organising events, admin work, organising officials, trainings, and on competition nights and their local club nights also. Their dedication to the sport is second to none.

Thank you to all the members and club delegates of the Mid-South Canterbury Sub centre who have worked hard behind the scenes to organise local events, attend meetings and special mention to those that have to travel a long way for these events, especially Ashburton and Waimate clubs.

Our Friday night inter-clubs are still going strong with massive amounts of athletes attending from all clubs and this is great to see that local clubs are getting good numbers along and hopefully this will continue into the future. Thank you to all the clubs who step up and run events on these night as without you these kinds of competitions cannot run.

The three Sunday inter-clubs were a success as always and are very enjoyable days out at the local clubs' home tracks. Thank you to those clubs for hosting these events. The Mid-South Champs, with photo finish this year, was a success and we witnessed some great performances leading into the National Championships.

The highlight of the year for me was the running of the New Zealand Secondary Schools Track & Field and Road Race Championships at our still new track here in Timaru. What an amazing weekend of action all over the park from track to throws to jumps. Well done to all those who competed and thank you to all the officials and volunteers for all your hard work and shout out to the Athletics SC All Weather Track Trust LOC that did all the hard work bringing this event to Timaru and to ensure that it ran smoothly and was a success.

Once again athletes in our region have excelled at junior and senior levels and I congratulate you all on a remarkable season. It was great to see many of you recognised and selected in Canterbury and New Zealand teams and I congratulate you all.

It is also great to see many athletes, coaches and volunteers up for awards at our local South Canterbury Sports Awards and at Athletics Canterbury Sports Awards. Well done for all your hard work and determination.

That is all from me so enjoy the break if you get one and see you in the spring-time



Kate Currie leads the 1 mile event, Lovelock Classic

Introduction:

During the recent NZMA AGM, the functionality of the Masters Committees was discussed. Since the introduction of the MOU between NZMA and Athletics NZ, both organizations have collaborated more closely. All masters events have been integrated into the Athletics Canterbury programme, and this integration is mirrored in many other Centres. This structure has applied to cross country, road, and trail events for several years and now includes track & field meetings.

The only exception involves Anne Davison, supported by Rick, who continue to organize events for our mature group of throwers. These events are held either prior to interclub meetings or on Wednesdays or Sundays. This initiative is greatly appreciated by this group and helps reduce some of the pressure on senior interclub throwing events. It also provides an opportunity for athletes from Otago to participate.

The Opening Day of the seventh track & field season at Ngā Puna Wai is scheduled for 19th October 2024. The average attendance at Athletics Canterbury interclub meetings is approximately 135 participants. Of these, the average number of masters attendees is about 15 athletes. The lower number of female participants is due to 'older' members conducting their events outside of the normal interclub programme.

South Island Masters Track & Field Championships:

With South Island Championships were held in Christchurch from 24 – 26 January 2024, at Nga Puna Wai. Of the 88 competitors, there were 51 from Canterbury.

The following Canterbury athletes broke records: Helena Dinnissen - W40 60m (8.22); Craig Oliver - M40 400m (54.56), Peter Richards - M65 3000m (11:05.36), 5000 (18:59.98), Georg Ludwig - M70 80mH (19.03), high jump (1.30), J Jarvie - M45 1500m TW (11:16.00), D Smyth - M55 1500m TW (8:53.59), Rozie Robinson - W30 3000m TW (17:43.34), 5000m TW (31:51.86), J Eketone - M45 high jump (1.66m), G Wilson - M55 high jump (1.45m), Colleen Maloney - W85 shot put (4.11m), discus (10.02m), hammer (16.86m), weight throw (7.68m), throws pentathlon (2277pts), J Pratten - M40 throws pentathlon (2433pts), Richard Davison - M75 throws pentathlon (2842pts).

NZMA Track & Field Championships:

Due to the busy season, the NZMA Track & Field Championships were held at Mount Smart Stadium, Auckland from 28th-30th March 2025. The organisation of a master's championship has evolved beyond local Master's Centres, with the Auckland LOC comprising Auckland Masters members and the Athletics Auckland Track & Field Committee. This year, Police and FENZ members were invited to participate. My responsibilities included liaising with the LOC, establishing the order of events, organizing online entries, preparing the programme booklet, race numbers, seed events, and assisting with the results. This task was substantial, particularly in creating a workable programme. We were fortunate to have experienced Auckland officials on the LOC who managed the delivery efficiently throughout the weekend.

The event attracted 282 competitors, the largest number since my involvement dating back to 2010, with over 100 participants from Auckland, with only a small group of 25 from Canterbury. The average age of competitors was 56. It was encouraging to see many younger masters attending, which bodes well for the future.

The following Canterbury athlete set a NZMA Championship record: David Smyth - M55 1500m TW(9:01.69).

NZMA Board Up-date:

At the NZMA AGM was delayed and not held during the NZMA Track & Field Championship weekend. Those who usually attend the AGM are not really the future of NZMA, being established, mature members who have already contributed to the sport. The AGM was moved to online (22 June 2025), with the hope that more members would attend. This has happened and while there was an increase in attendance, I was little disappointed that more did not attend.

The biggest issue was a remit from WBOP (prepared by Murray Clarkson), requesting that the MOU between NZMA & ANZ be discontinued. The point raised by WBOP were factually incorrect and the remit was lost.

The fact that 90% of those attending the NZMA Championships in Auckland were masters who belonged to Athletics NZ clubs demonstrated that the MOU is working.

The Board has a good mix of young and old, yet the on-going challenge is up-skilling the newer Board members to take over the 'reins' when the time is right. It is proving difficult at times, as the younger Board members are 'time poor', due to family and work demands. Liz Mitchell joined the Board, Ian Carter and Carolyn Smith stepping down.

The 2026 NZMA Track & Field Championship will be hosted by Taranaki (Inglewood). This event will be held from 13th - 15th March 2026. The North Island Championships will be in Tauranga (28th - 30th November 2025) and the South Island Championships will be at Saxon Field, Nelson (23rd - 25th January 2026). I can also report that the 2027 NZMA Championships will be in Dunedin. NZMA has also been asked to hold the Oceania Masters Track & Field Championships in New Zealand 2027. I am currently investigating if we hold them here in Canterbury and that would be in January 2028, in the warmer weather.

Work continues in the background to ensure the future of Masters' athletics within the New Zealand summer season, which is very congested during the months of February / March. Recently there was a big restructuring with several Athletics NZ roles being disestablished. How this will affect the sport, I am not sure. When I know more, I will let you know.

CMA 2023 / 2024 Membership Details:

The previous membership figures are as follows: 160 (2010), 131 (2011), 110 (2012), 97 (2013), 82 (2014), 70 (2014/2015), 90 (2015/2016). All of these figures include members of clubs & NZMA.

Since the MOU in 2016, we have two separate groups. CMA members who only join NZMA have been as follows: 32 (2016/2017), 13 (2017/2018), 22 (2018/2019), 22 (2019/2020), 11 (2020/2021), 14 (2021/2022), 12 (2022/2023), 10 (2023/2024) & **17 (2024-2025)**.

Once again a majority of masters (**200+ within clubs**) do not come near Nga Puna Wai. While the Don Greig Racing Stables Club does train regularly at Nga Puna Wai and it would be great if others did the same and race at Nga Puna Wai. Athletics Canterbury's Track & Field Committee are more than happy to offer some masters specific events to encourage more masters to 'have a go!'.

The success of masters track & field relies on us encouraging ANZ club masters to attend events at Nga Puna Wai.

CMA Records:

Anne Davison has maintained a list of records set by our throwers. However, I am currently looking for someone to take over looking after the records. Please contact me if you can help.

CMA Committee:

During the past season, the committee has not met since the AGM. CMA is an Incorporated Society and we will have to decide if we re-register. It is advantageous for CMA to remain this way, as it enables us to make funding applications, independent of Athletics Canterbury.

The future of CMA?

Each year the CMA / NZMA membership numbers seem to have remained about the same, but still lower than in previous years. This is not unique to just Canterbury. I remind ALL members that any athlete who is over 30 and a member of a club is also by default a member NZMA / CMA. Our challenge is to work out how we engage with this group and not let it feel like it's 'them' & 'us'. If you don't think we need a separate group, let me know.

Thank you for the opportunity to produce this report – a reflection of the 2024 Cross Country and Road season and activities within the sport up until the end of March 2025.

Given this has been a transition year this report has been co-written by the Chair during the winter 24 season, Annette Campbell and the current Chair, Victor Gamperle.

From the offset we want to thank and congratulate all those Race Directors who organised and ran events during the 2024 season. Thank you to John Gamblin, Victor Gamperle, Sandie Gamperle, Annette Campbell, Lindsay Evans, David Fitch, Mark O'Reilly, and Peter Bayliss for fulfilling these roles. Without well run events the sport would not function.

A grateful thanks too, to all the officials who have supported us. Some days were very long ones, and we are grateful to you all.

To the members of the Cross Country & Road Committee, our thanks for all your work both behind the scenes and on the day to make our events run smoothly. Much of this work is not visible to athletes, so it is important we take a moment to thank the team, Victor Gamperle, John Gamblin, Sandie Gamperle, John Ingles, David Lee, Oska Baynes Ben Musson, Lahana Reeves, Don Greig, Shona Brown, Annette Campbell and Kevin Prendergast, for their work in bringing us great events, selecting teams, preparing various communications, marketing the sport, gaining funding, and generally keeping the sport in order.

Outside our committee we would also like to thank Anne Kennedy, Craig Brown, Diana Phipps, and Brian Theobald for their roles in producing results, implementing the points systems, and managing our trophies. The sport is very much indebted to you for the work you do. We would also like to acknowledge the support of Andrew Stark, the Chair of the Athletics Canterbury Board, and Ian Thomas, our General Manager.

Following the 2024 winter season, Oska Baynes stepped down from a committee role. Annette stepped down from the Chair role, having done her planned 5 years, likewise Kevin stepped down from the secretary role. Following discussions within the committee, Victor Gamperle was appointed Chair and John Ingles as secretary. Both Annette and Kevin remain on the Committee. Thank you to Annette, Oska and Kevin for the work they did in these leadership roles.

To those who competed during the season we hope you have found it challenging, fun and rewarding. Over the season we have endeavoured to recognise special achievements in the newsletters, on social media, and through the prize giving held in November. Of particular note are the following athletes who either represented New Zealand or gained National podium finishes during the last year:

International Results:

Congratulations to Cameron Avery for his third placing in the Oceania Half-Marathon Championships Gold Coast in July and special mention for obtaining a first placing in the New Zealand marathon rankings with his 2.10.53 5th placing in the Vienna Marathon in April 2024.

National Results:

In the National Cross Country Championships individual honours were earned by Connor Melton (1st Senior Men), Brynne Gordon (1st U18 Women), Daniel Prescott (1st U20 Men), Jacob Radcliffe (1st U14 Boys), Alex Kelliher (1st MM 40-44), Richard Bennett (1st MM 50-54) and Roger Ward (1st MM 70 - 74). First place Teams honours were awarded to the Senior Men's team of Connor Melton, David Lee, William Little and Daniel Balchin.

The National Road Championships were a great hunting ground for Canterbury athletes and numerous medals were earned. Both Andy Good and Peter Richards claimed National Records in their age grades. First Place medals were awarded to Eva Pringle (SW), William Little (SM), Pai Wynard (U20 Men), Andy Good (MM 35-39), Malcolm Cornelius (MM 55-59), Peter Richards (MM 60-64), Kirsten Hall (MW 35-39), Tracey Wiseman (MW 40-44), Judith Ireland (MW 40-44), Wendy Richards (MW 55-59). Chris Mardon (MM 50-54), Connor Melton (SM) and Kate Currie (U20 Women) all took out second placings and third placings went to

Taonga Mbambo (SM) and Harry Witt (U20 Men).

In the National Walking Championships Jonah Cropp was first U20 Men, Laura Langley was first in the Senior Women, Alysa Brown was first in the U16 Girls and Xye Doyle was third in the Senior Men.

The National Marathon title was gained by Andy Good and in the Half- Marathon Chris Dryden was second and Daniel Balchin was third.

DGRS Women took out the National Title MW 50+ in the National Road Relay Championship with the Whippets A team taking out the SM division. Second placings went to the CANU A team, the DGRS MM 50+ team and CHAV MM 60+ team.

The National Endurance events also had strong representation from Canterbury athletes with Joe Lynch winning the Mountain Running Championship, Xye Doyle winning the 50k and in the 100k Hayden Zervos was the first man and Shirley Rolston third woman.

Local Honours

At the annual Canterbury awards held for the 24 season the following people were acknowledged for their outstanding results over the previous year.

- Senior Cross Country Runner of the year- **Connor Melton**, 1st NZ Cross Country 1st SM Canty Cross Country
 - Senior Road runner of the year - **Cameron Avery** 2.10.53 5th Vienna Marathon 21/4/2024 3rd NZ Oceania Half-Marathon Champs Gold Coast
 - Senior Non of Stadia Athlete - **William Little**, 1st SM NZ Road Champs
 - Junior Non Stadia Athlete - **Pai Wynyard** 1st U20 NZ Road Champs 1st U20 Canty Road Champs, 2nd U20 Canty Cross Country 5th U20 NZ Cross Country
 - Secondary School Non Stadia Athlete - **Brynne Gordon** 1st Canty SS Cross Country, 1st Canty SS Road Champs
- 1 Our much-coveted Champions of the Season competition resulted in the following winners. Senior Women was won by Julie Gillespie, Women 35-49 by Helen Wright and Women 50+ by Wendy Richards. Senior Men was won by Hayden Zervos, Men 35-49 by Shaun Fauth, Men 50-64 by Richard Merrett and Men 65+ by Peter Richards.
 - 2 The Winter Club of the Year was won by Christchurch Avon, second was Port Hills and third Papanui ToCH.
 - 3 Further to the above, the following information was tabled at our end of season prize giving for ratification by the attendees, People were invited to nominate any further people to join the committee. No further nominations were put forward at this time and following a motion taken the attendees confirmed the following:

Selectors 2024

- 1 Kevin Prendergast, Ben Musson & Shona Brown

Cross Country & Road Committee 2025

Vic Gamperle, John Ingles, Annette Campbell, Shona Brown, Sandie Gamperle,, Lahana Reeves, Don Greig, Ben Musson, David Lee, John Gamblin, Colin Prescott & Kevin Prendergast.

The draft financial report, with the final report to be approved at the Athletics Canterbury AGM.

It is requested that the above people in their respective roles are formally ratified at the July Athletics Canterbury AGM for the 2025 season.

Since the end of the winter season 2025

NATIONAL TITLE HOLDERS - Non-Stadia Events

Congratulations to the following athletes / teams who won National Titles during the 2024 winter season

ANZ Cross Country Championships

Connor Melton	Senior Men
Brynne Gordon	WU18
Daniel Prescott	MU20
Jacob Radcliffe	BU14
Alex Kelliher	MM 40-44
Richard Bennett	MM 50-54
Rodger Ward	MM 70-74

ANZ Cross Country Championship Teams

Daniel Balchin	
David Lee	
William Lee	SM
Connor Melton	

ANZ Mountain Running

Joe Lynch	SM
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ANZ 50km Championships

Hayden Zervos	SM
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ANZ 100km Championships

Xye Doyle	SM
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New Zealand Road Relay Championships

Whippets

Cameron Clark	
Toby Tasker	
William Little	SM
Connor Melton	
David Lee	

Don Greig Racing Stables

Stephanie Rumble	
Maree Greig	
Margy Gilipin	MW 50+
Carolyn Morton	
Tracy Grose	
Tui Summers	

ANZ Road Championships

William Little	Senior Men
Eva Pringle	Senior Women
Pai Wynyard	MU20
Andy Good	MM 35-49
Kirsten Hall	MW 35-49
Tracey Wiseman	MW 40-44
Judith Ireland	MW 50-54
Wendy Richards	MW 55-59
Malcolm Cornelius	MM 55-59
Peter Richards	MM 65-69
Laura Langley	SW Walk
Jonah Cropp	MU20 Walk

ANZ Road Championship Teams

William Little	
Connor Melton	
Taonga Mbambo	SM
Tom Moulai	
Eva Pringle	
Lahana Reeves	
Phoebe Carter	SW
Caitlin Bassett	
Pai Wynyard	
Harry Witt	
Triumph Pilgrim	MU20
Angus McCone	
Kate Curry	
Maya Edmondson	
Edith Chitty	WU20
Angel Pilgrim	
Andy Good	
Brett Tingay	
Ben Thompson	MM35-49
James Richmond	
Chris Mardon	
Malcolm Cornelius	
Grant Edmondson	MM 50-64
Rene Kempf	
Wendy Richards	
Judith Ireland	
Julia Burgess	MW 50-64
Rebecca Taylor	

Background:

The Bill Richards Marathon Trusts Mission is “Improving the standards of marathon running amongst runners registered with Athletics Canterbury.” The trustees intend to achieve this mission by developing, rewarding, connecting, and inspiring Canterbury distance runners and their coaches.

The areas of strategic focus for 2024 /25 were to: Investigating how we can leverage the value of distance Coaches by supporting and providing development for them

- Continue to develop the profile of the BRMT and raise awareness amongst the distance running community of what it can offer.
- Apply the systems and processes to allocate BRMT funds for grants and the support of other development opportunities.)
- Seek to support distance coaches on the basis that better quality coaches will give a multiplier benefit.



Progress made:

2024 saw 18 Canterbury men listed in the top 50 ranked marathon runners for the year. One less than the peak of 19 in 2023, but still a sizeable improvement over the maximum of 10 athletes in the top 50 in the preceding 17 years. Eight of the top 9 marathon performances for 2024 were Cantabrians.

Pleasingly Canterbury women made up 7 in the top 34 ranked marathon athletes, a new high for our Canterbury women surpassing the previous 17 year high of 6. The last 2 years have seen a gradual increase in the Canterbury women's numbers in the rankings.

While BRMT cannot claim sole credit for this we feel we have contributed particularly through our grants that help runners get to suitable international events and have assistance with training, equipment and body maintenance.

Our aim is to continue our support towards Canterbury being seen nationally as the power house of marathon running.

During the period the Trust did the following to raise awareness:

- Continued to develop the website which acts as a conduit of information and utilised the expertise of Lisa Brignull to enhance our communications with the community.
- Included articles about Trust activity and the stories of individual athletes, regularly in the Athletics Canterbury newsletter.
- Made some progress with coach awareness of the opportunities available, with work still to be done and this will be a specific focus for 2025-26.
- Continue to use the criteria, systems and processes established in 2023 to make prompt and consistent decisions on funding applications. We have not had any aggrieved applicants either over the amount granted or not granted. We also monitor the progress of those we support to avoid just giving ongoing funds for static performance or progress.
- We held another professionally facilitated Workshop on Mental skills#2 in May, paid for runners to attend the DGRS Nutrition workshop in August, and Caden Shields ran an injury prevention workshop in September, at no cost to the Trust. We funded a number of our group of runners to



attend a Nutrition workshop provided by DGRS in August and made available to others for a \$10 cost contribution.

Grants Made:

Application numbers were steady with a pleasing number of first-time applicants several of whom while not yet marathon runners have both the aspiration and potential to achieve at the longer distance. Eg Taonga Mbambo, Clara Fergus. The Trustees have taken the approach of initial small grants to encourage these athletes with the prospect of greater support as/when they achieve well at the longer distances.

Overall, it has been a quieter year given that Olympics selections were already made. We did have one athlete attempting to gain selection for the upcoming world Championships. Nevertheless, we still made the bulk of our grants for travel to international events.

Individual Development Grants

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| • Chris Dryden | University Canterbury |
| • Taonga Mbambo | University Canterbury |
| • Clara Fergus | Don Greig Racing Stables |
| • Olivia Ritchie | Don Greig Racing Stables |

Event (travel) Grants

To help athletes and/or coaches attend a specific event, the following event grants were awarded in the financial year.

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| • Natalie Dryden | Gold Coast half Marathon |
| • Alexandra Hawke | Gold Coast Half Marathon |
| • Kisten Hall | Gold Coast Marathon |
| • Oska Inkster Baynes | Gold Coast Marathon |
| • Chris Dryden | Gold Coast Marathon |
| • Andy Good | Gold Coast Marathon |
| • Caden Shields | Nobeoka Marathon Japan |
| • Michael Anderson | Chicago Marathon |

There is a trend to runners seeking out prestigious overseas events to test themselves. These athletes still must contribute a significant amount of their own funds and often have no other sponsor support to get to these events, so our travel support is often decisive. Our “no strings attached” development grants are appreciated by the athletes and to our knowledge appropriately spent.

Performance against budget:

Spend on Development Grants	\$ 3,200.39*
Spend on Event (travel) Grants	\$ 6,450.00
Other, including Workshops	\$658.79
Total	\$10,309.18

* the odd amount is due to some of the development spend being exclusive of GST, whereas the grant is made in round dollars and one recipient slightly underspent the allocation.

We were significantly underspent against budget this year particularly in the marketing component. This was due mainly to a delay in a coach support needs analysis project, and not having to pay as expected for 2 educational workshops. The coach needs analysis project is now underway, being conducted by Dion Andrews and will be funded in 2025 budget .

Travel applications were also lower with some for mid year races eg Gold Coast being paid from the 2023 budget as the applicants applied early. To date we have 5 applications for funds for athletes to compete overseas and envision it being a much busier year.

2025 / 2026 Budget:

In each of the previous two reports we have raised the matter of optimal investment of the BRMT funds. They are placed in a bank interest bearing account which provides a secure but low return when in our view a significant portion of them should be invested in a managed fund to achieve a higher return. This is consistent with standard investment practice – to have some of a fund available for the immediate 1-4 years in bank deposit and invest that which is not expected to be used for 5 or more in a higher risk, higher return investment that can at least match inflation. We again request that the Board consider better investment options for the Trust's funds, so that they have the prospect of lasting 15 years or longer.

We propose a budget of \$21,000 for the 2025-26 financial year, to be split \$13,000 for individual grants for travel or development; and \$7,000 for marketing, event promotions, coach development and group workshops.

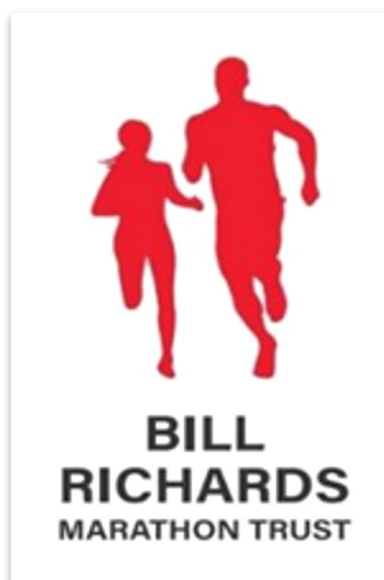
The Trust Administrators seek the Board's approval for a budget of \$21,000 for the 2025-26yr.

We also request the Board to consider different investment options for the Trust fund to achieve a higher rate of return and increase the funds longevity.

Summary:

The trust is in good spirit and working well as a unit. Our applications are dominated by members of a couple of clubs, but these also tend to be the ones that are strongest in top level distance runner numbers. We continue to be available to all Canterbury runners.

We are all pleased to be part of a group helping our long-distance athletes achieve their potential and improve the standard of marathon running in Canterbury.



On behalf of the Canterbury Children's Athletic Association, I extend a warm thanks to all who have contributed to another fantastic season of Track & Field for our tamariki. The 2024/25 season continued to build on our strong foundations, delivering opportunities for growth, fun and competition to hundreds of young athletes and their families.

This year, over 600 children registered with the CCAA, an increase that reflects the strength and appeal of athletics across our region. With ongoing support from our clubs, coaches, officials and volunteers, our athletes continue to thrive both on and off the track. The sport teaches resilience, focus and sportsmanship, values that are vital in shaping confident and capable young people.

A significant step forward this season was the adoption of four core values that shall guide the CCAA into the future: **Sportsmanship, Gratitude, Courage, and Fun & Enjoyment**. These values reflect the heart of our community and serve as a foundation for how we engage with each other, on the track, in the stands and behind the scenes. Evident in every high five, every encouraging cheer from a parent, every brave first attempt and every laugh shared among teammates.

Behind our success stands an incredible network of dedicated individuals. I would like to express thanks to the **CCAA Executive Committee**, whose commitment enables us to continue providing quality athletics to our community.

In particular:

- **Craig Brown and Judy McDonald**, our Deputy Presidents, thank you for your experience, guidance and support.
- **Gail Krsinic**, our devoted Secretary, your organisation and behind-the-scenes work continues to be the backbone of our operations.
- **Neroli Chant**, our Treasurer, thank you for your diligent stewardship and financial oversight.
- **Anita Sutherland**, our Registrations Officer, thank you for all your efforts ensuring each athlete is accounted for.

We are deeply grateful to our **club delegates**, whose ongoing efforts and commitment make a real difference in the lives of our athletes and their families. Your voices reflect the spirit of our sport and the needs of our community.

To **Ian Thomas**, our Athletics Canterbury lead, thank you for being a supportive voice in our mahi.

To all our **volunteers and officials**, thank you for continuing to show up, even long after your own children have moved on. Whether setting up the track, guiding young athletes through their first events, or officiating with integrity and care, your contributions are invaluable.

It is your generosity of time, energy and experience that keeps this sport alive. Throughout the 2024/25 season, we witnessed outstanding participation across our interclub meets, with clubs continuing to foster inclusive environments for new and returning athletes. The balance between competition and enjoyment remains a key pillar of our program and we were pleased to see strong engagement across all grades.

The season's highlights included our popular **grading days**, a vibrant **Relay Meet** and our **Children's Championships weekend**. Athletes displayed remarkable effort and sportsmanship. The champs weekend was again a celebration of talent and community spirit, with many Best Performances broken and memories made on and off the track.

While challenges persist, including weather interruptions, navigating new systems and the rebuilding at some of our clubs, we are buoyed by the overall growth and enthusiasm seen this season. As always, we will listen to feedback and adjust where needed to ensure our program remains athlete focused and

sustainable.

Finally, thank you to all the parents, caregivers and whānau who support our young athletes, your encouragement and involvement create the environment where dreams begin and goals are realised.

It's a privilege to lead a dedicated and passionate community. As we continue to uphold and promote our core values, **Sportsmanship, Gratitude, Courage, and Fun & Enjoyment**, I look forward to more seasons of growth, connection and achievement.



ATHLETICS CANTERBURY TRACK AND FIELD RECORDS as at 15/07/2025

Note: All **NEW records** set during the 2023 / 2024 season appear as **BOLD** and *Italic*. H = hand timed

Senior Men		Club	Date	Record
100m	Tiaan Whelpton	Old Boys United	21/01/23	10.18
200m	Mark Keddell	Old Boys United	05/03/95	20.51
400m	Shaun Farrell	Papanui Toc H	07/03/98	46.09
800m	Shaun Farrell	Papanui Toc H	28/02/98	1:45.45
1000m	Standard			2:21.50
1500m	Michael Gilchrist	Technical	01/04/83	3:38.4H
One Mile	Malcolm Hicks	University	27/01/12	3:59.87
3000m	Paul Smith	Olympic	16/01/93	7:57.90
5000m	Rodney Dixon	University	21/01/78	13:25.2H
10000m	David Burridge	University	05/02/87	28:06.16
1 Hour Track	Tony Good	New Brighton	08/03/75	19422m
110m Hurdles (1067mm)	Nicholas Bolton	Old Boys United	18/02/98	14.47
400m Hurdles (914mm)	Wayne Paul	Papanui/Redwood	26/03/86	50.70
3000m Steeplechase (914mm)	Peter Renner	New Brighton	29/08/84	8:14.05
4 x 100m Relay	Old Boys United		11/02/95	40.51
4 x 200m Relay	Old Boys United		27/02/93	1:26.6H
4 x 400m Relay	Old Boys United		13/02/93	3:10.20
Long Jump	John Hunt	South Canterbury	13/04/85	7.55m
Triple Jump	Matthew Walsh	Old Boys United	25/05/19	15.58m
High Jump	Hamish Kerr	Old Boys United	11/08/2024	2.36m
Pole Vault	Kieran McKee	Toc H	25/02/84	5.02m
Shot Put (7.26kg)	Tomas Walsh	South Canterbury	05/10/19	22.90m
Discus Throw (2.0kg)	Christopher Mene	Papanui Toc H	25/02/01	56.25m
Javelin Throw (800gm)	John Stapylton- Smith	Papanui Toc H	18/02/89	78.14m
Hammer Throw (7.26kg)	Warrick Nichol	Technical	25/01/74	63.72m
Decathlon	Max Attwell	Old Boys United	7-8/07/22	7538 points
Pentathlon	Standard			TBA
3000m Track Walk	Jonah Cropp	Sumner	07/03/2025	12:10.56
5000m Track Walk	Graham Seatter	Old Boys / Te Kura	01/02/86	20:33.0
10000m Track Walk	Jonah Cropp	Sumner	09/03/2025	43:28.47.07
20000m Track Walk	Graham Seatter	Old Boys / Te Kura	09/02/80	1:30:17.3

Men Under 20		Club	Date	Record
100m	David Ambler	Old Boys United	13/03/09	10.35
200m	Mark Keddell	Old Boys United	06/03/93	20.95
400m	Shaun Farrell	Papanui Toc H	22/07/94	46/31
800m	Clyde McIntosh	Papanui Toc H	14/02/98	1:49.35
1000m	Gregory Nicholls	Christchurch Avon	04/03/95	2:25.8H
1500m	Chanel Muir	Christchurch Avon	06/03/22	3:44.86
3000m	Richard Lindroos	Old Boys United	21/01/89	8:10.47
5000m	Richard Lindroos	Old Boys United	26/11/89	14:05.83
110m Hurdles (990mm)	James Sandilands	South Canterbury	13/03/15	13.92
400m Hurdles (914mm)	Mark Edmond	Old Boys United	03/03/96	52.66
3000m Steeplechase (914mm)	Peter Renner	New Brighton	11/03/78	8:51.8H
4 X 100m Relay	Standard			43.44
	(Toc H 4x110 yd		14/12/68	43.5H)
4x400m Relay	Avon		20/02/77	3:21.8H
Long Jump	Jesse Bryant	University	15/03/12	7.49m
Triple Jump	Matthew Walsh	Papanui Toc H	17/02/18	14.67m
High Jump	Glenn Howard	Papanui Toc H	03/02/96	2.23m
Pole Vault	Tim McKee	Papanui Toc H	07/03/10	4.61m
Shot Put (6.00kg)	Tomas Walsh	South Canterbury	02/07/11	20.56m
Discus Throw (1.75kg)	Christopher Mene	Papanui Toc H	17/01/91	55.54m
Javelin Throw (800gm)	Andrew Harrison	Papanui Toc H	17/01/96	71.74m
Hammer Throw (6.00kg)	Michael Hancock	Old Boys United	29/01/05	61.10m
Decathlon	Kieran Fowler	Geraldine	2-3/03/07	7222 pts
Pentathlon	Standard			TBA
3000m Track Walk	Jonah Cropp	Sumner	02/02/2024	12:16.43
5000m Track Walk	Jonah Cropp	Sumner	18/02/2024	20:57.69
10000m Track Walk	Jonah Cropp	Sumner	17/03/2024	43:41.07
Men Under 19		Club	Date	Record
100m	Mark Keddell	Old Boys United	07/03/93	10.70
200m	Mark Keddell	Old Boys United	06/03/93	20.95
400m	Mark Keddell	Old Boys United	30/01/93	46.38
800m	Clyde McIntosh	St Andrews	28/12/94	1:51.4H
1000m	Gregory Nicholls	Christchurch Avon	12/03/95	2:25.8H
1500m	Daniel Prescott	Selwyn	10/02/2024	3:46.85
3000m	Nicholas Moulai	Papanui Toc H	03/12/16	8:16.77
5000m	David Burridge	University	17/01/81	14:09.6H
110 m Hurdles (990mm)	James Sandilands	South Canterbury	13/03/15	13.92
400m Hurdles (914mm)	Hayo van Gestel	Avon	09/03/86	54.27
3000m Steeplechase (914mm)	Peter Renner	New Brighton	11/03/78	8:51.8

Men Under 19 (continued)		Club	Date	Record
4 x 100m Relay	Standard			43.44
	(Toc H 4 x 110 yds)		14/12/68	43.5H)
4 x 400m Relay	Ashburton		18/02/79	3:23.2H
Long Jump	Jesse Bryant	University	15/03/12	7.49m
Triple Jump	Matthew Walsh	Papanui Toc H	03/02/18	14.49m
High Jump	Glenn Howard	Papanui Toc H	12/02/94	2.17m
Pole Vault	Alex Mander	Papanui Toc H	21/02/16	4.50m
Shot Put (6.00kg)	Tomas Walsh	South Canterbury	18/03/10	18.82m
Discus Throw (1.75kg)	Christopher Mene	Papanui Toc H	16/02/91	55.54m
Javelin Throw (800gm)	Andrew Harrison	Papanui Toc H	28/01/96	64.20m
Hammer Throw (6.00kg)	Michael Hancock	Old Boys United	29/01/05	61.10m
Decathlon	Kieran Fowler	Geraldine	2-3/03/07	7222 pts
3000m Track Walk	Jonah Cropp	Sumner	02/02/2024	12:16.43
5000m Track Walk	Jonah Cropp	Sumner	18/02/2021	20:57.69
10000m Track Walk	Jonah Cropp	Sumner	17/03/2024	43:41.07
Men Under 18		Club	Date	Record
100m	Mark Keddell	Old Boys United	27/10/91	10.83
200m	Mark Keddell	Old Boys United	15/01/92	21.37
400m	Mark Keddell	Old Boys United	30/01/93	46.38
800m	Clyde McIntosh	St Andrews	28/12/94	1:51.4
1500m	Nicholas Moulai	Papanui Toc H	23/01/18	3:47.05
3000m	Nick Moulai	Papanui Toc H	03/12/16	8:16.77
5000m	Hayden McLaren	New Brighton	12/02/05	14:32.56
110m Hurdles (914 mm)	James Sandilands	South Canterbury	05/04/14	13.84
300m Hurdles (838mm)	Mark Edmond	Old Boys United	04/12/94	37.35
2000m Steeplechase (914mm)	Peter Renner	Cashmere	29/01/77	5:51.2H
2000m Steeplechase (838mm)	Standard			5:45.00
4 x 100m Relay	St Andrews		12/02/84	43.62
4 x 400m Relay	Ashburton		18/02/79	3:23.2H
Long Jump	Jessie Bryant	University	15/03/12	7.49m
Triple Jump	Matthew Walsh	Papanui Toc H	03/12/16	14.17m
High Jump	Glenn Howard	Papanui Toc H	12/02/94	2.17m
Pole Vault	Tim McKee	Papanui Toc H	09/02/08	4.35m
Shot Put (5.00kg)	Tomas Walsh	South Canterbury	12/12/09	20.21m
Discus Throw (1.50kg)	Nikolas Kini	Old Boys United	26/10/19	60.60m
Javelin Throw (700gm)	Andrew Harrison	Papanui Toc H	05/12/93	63.88m
Hammer Throw (5.00kg)	Michael Hancock	Old Boys United	15/02/04	65.10m
Octathlon	Standard			5945 pts
3000m Track Walk	Andrew Causer	Christchurch Avon	16/03/91	12:25.9

Men Under 17		Club	Date	Record
100m	Mark Keddell	Old Boys United	02/12/90	10.88
200m	Mark Keddell	Old Boys United	02/12/90	21.52
400m	Mark Keddell	Old Boys United	30/03/91	48.33
800m	Cooper Wightman	Selwyn	24/02/2024	1:50.46
1500m	Cooper Wightman	Selwyn	17/02/2024	3:47.33
3000m	Nick Moulai	Papanui Toc H	03/12/16	8:16.77
110m Hurdles (914mm)	James Sandilands	South Canterbury	23/03/13	13.88
300m Hurdles (838mm)	Martin Swart	Christchurch BHS	29/03/09	39.07
2000m Steeplechase (914mm)	Hayden McLaren	New Brighton	24/01/06	6:13.36
2000m Steeplechase (838mm)	Standard			6:07.00
4 x 100m Relay	ChCh Boys High School		23/02/08	44.45
4 x 400m Relay	Standard			3:31.0H
Long Jump	Jesse Bryant	University	11/12/11	7.13m
Triple Jump	AJ Madondo	Christ's College	22/10/22	13.93m (w1.6)
High Jump	Glenn Howard	Papanui Toc H	09/04/92	2.05m
Pole Vault	Tim McKee	Papanui Toc H	01/12/07	4.30m
Shot Put (5.00kg)	Tomas Walsh	South Canterbury	13/12/08	18.38m
Discus Throw (1.50kg)	Charlie Gamble	Papanui Toc H	06/03/13	59.00m
Javelin Throw (700gm)	Guy Archibald	Christ's College	24/03/07	61.71m
Hammer Throw (5.00kg)	Richard Mavor	Old Boys United	13/03/04	52.61m
Octathlon	Kieran Fowler	Geraldine	13-14/07/05	5929 pts
3000m Track Walk	Daniel Lord	South Canterbury	02/02/08	12:50.34
Men Under 16		Club	Date	Record
100m	Mark Keddell	Old Boys United	02/12/90	10.88
200m	Mark Keddell	Old Boys United	02/12/90	21.52
400m	Shaun Farrell	Papanui Toc H	02/02/91	49.24
800m	Cooper Wightman	Selwyn	28/10/2023	1:52.34
1500m	Cooper Wightman	Selwyn	12/11/2023	3:49.68
3000m	Nick Moulai	Papanui Toc H	21/11/15	8:40.21
100m Hurdles (838mm)	Christopher Wiremu	Christchurch BHS	12/12/09	13.24
300m Hurdles (838mm)	Standard			40.64
2000m Steeplechase (762mm)	Standard			6:16.30
4 x 100m Relay	Papanui Toc H		18/02/90	45.87
Long Jump	Kieran Fowler	Geraldine	13/07/05	6.90m
Triple Jump	Callum Stewart	Old Boys United	04/12/16	13.37m
High Jump	Glenn Howard	Papanui Toc H	21/03/92	2.01m
Pole Vault	Tim McKee	Papanui Toc H	25/11/06	3.91m
Shot Put (5.00kg)	Kieran Fowler	Geraldine	13/07/05	16.43m
Discus Throw (1.25kg)	Jordan Pinnock	Greymouth	17/11/12	56.25m
Discus Throw (1.50kg)	Charlie Gamble	North Canterbury	11/02/12	51.56m
Javelin Throw (700gm)	Mathew McKellar	Christ's College	08/11/14	54.99m
Octathlon	Kieran Fowler	Geraldine	13-14/07/05	5929 pts
3000m Track Walk	Jonah Cropp	Sumner	20/03/21	13:39.77

Senior Women		Club	Date	Record
100m	Anna Percy	Old Boys United	04/12/21	11.40 (w1.8)
200m	Rosie Elliott	Old Boys United	19/02/23	22.81 (w1.6)
400m	Rosie Elliott	Old Boys United	28/01/23	52.16
800m	Angela Smit	University	10/07/15	1:59.06
1000m	Angela Petty	University	15/08/15	2:37.28
1500m	Angela Petty	University	29/06/17	4:07.83
One Mile	Sue Bruce	New Brighton	15/01/83	4:37.89
3000m	Sue Bruce	New Brighton	05/02/85	8:56.2H
5000m	Mary O'Connor	University	21/01/84	15:49.3H
10000m	Anne Hannam	University	09/12/89	32:18.53
100m Hurdles (838mm)	Fiona Morrison	Old Boys United	03/04/16	13.16
400m Hurdles (762mm)	Rebecca Wardell	Old Boys United	23/03/03	56.25
3000m Steeplechase (762mm)	Rosa Flanagan	University	21/03/15	9:41.42
4 x 100m Relay	Old Boys United		05/02/00	46.00
4 x 400m Relay	Technical		20/02/83	3:49.40
Long Jump	Jayne Mitchell	Old Boys United	26/11/88	6.55m
Triple Jump	Jayne Mitchell	Old Boys United	23/02/91	13.00m
High Jump	Keeley O'Hagan	Old Boys United	05/03/22	1.88m
Pole Vault	Melina Hamilton	Old Boys United	12/04/03	4.40m
Shot Put (4.00kg)	Valerie Young	Technical	23/10/64	16.71m
Discus Throw (1.00kg)	Adrienne Lynn	Papanui Toc H	12/03/95	56.10m
Javelin Throw (600gm)	Kaye Nordstrom	Papanui Toc H	16/02/92	60.84m
Hammer Throw (4.00kg)	Lauren Bruce	South Canterbury	20/05/21	74.61m
Heptathlon	Joanne Henry	South Canterbury	29/2-1/3/92	6278 pts
Decathlon	Standard			TBA
3000m Track Walk	Laura Langley	North Canterbury	30/01/2024	13:20.17
5000m Track Walk	Courtney Ruske	Christchurch Avon	31/10/15	23:23.97
10000m Track Walk	Laura Langley	North Canterbury	09/03/2025	46:24.05



Women Under 20		Club	Date	Record
100m	Standard			11.74
	(Beverley Peterson	Technical	18/01/75	11.5)
200m	Maia Broughton	Old Boys United	21/11/21	23.96 (w0.8)
400m	Joanna Beckett	Technical	26.01.75	53.42
800m	Angela Smit	North Canterbury	07.07.10	2:03.87
1000m	Rosa Flanagan	University	15.08.15	2:50.62
1500m	Rosa Flanagan	University	06.03.15	4:14.19
3000m	Sue Bruce	New Brighton	20.01.84	9:05.95
5000m	Rosa Flanagan	University	15.12.15	15:52.10
100m Hurdles (838mm)	Joanne Henry	South Canterbury	16.02.91	14.01
400m Hurdles (762mm)	Anna Percy	Old Boys United	09.07.17	58.60
2000m Steeplechase (762mm)	Rosa Flanagan	University	23.11.13	6:33.97
3000m Steeplechase (762mm)	Rosa Flanagan	University	21.03.15	9:41.42
4 x 100m Relay	Standard			47.94
	(Technical		16.03.74	47.8H)
4 x 400m Relay	Standard			3:55.0H
Long Jump	Joanne Henry	South Canterbury	14.02.91	6.36m
Triple Jump	Bridgette Pateman	South Canterbury	08.03.98	12.60
High Jump	Angela Pule	New Brighton	21.03.81	1.80m
	Emma Sutherland	Old Boys United	05.01.13	1.80m
Pole Vault	Eliza Meekings	Papanui Toc H	06.02.21	3.60m
Shot Put (4.00kg)	Tapensia Havea	South Canterbury	06/03/22	15.97m
Discus Throw (1.00kg)	Tapensia Havea	South Canterbury	06/03/22	53.40m
Javelin Throw (600gm)	Kaye Nordstrom	Papanui Toc H	06.03.87	49.04m
Hammer Throw (4.00kg)	Lauren Bruce	South Canterbury	02.04.17	59.53
Heptathlon	Joanne Henry	South Canterbury	16/17.03.91	6092 pts
3000m Track Walk	Kate Newitt	Port Hills	22.01.10	13:41.52
5000m Track Walk	Courtney Ruske	ChCh-Avon	13.07.14	24:11.5(h)
10000m Track Walk	Courtney Ruske	ChCh-Avon	13.07.14	49:40.78
Women Under 19		Club	Date	Record
100m	Standard			11.74
	(Beverley Peterson	Technical	18.01.75	11.5H)
200m	Standard			24.44
	(Beverley Peterson	Technical	17.03.74	24.2H)
400m	Joanna Beckett	Technical	26.01.75	53.42
800m	Angela Smit	North Canterbury	07.07.10	2:03.87
1500m	Rosa Flanagan	University	26.02.15	4:15.86
3000m	Rosa Flanagan	University	23.01.15	9:07.85
100m Hurdles (838mm)	Holly Gray	Old Boys United	17.03.24	14.28
400m Hurdles (762mm)	Anna Percy	Old Boys United	01.04.16	60.76
2000m Steeplechase (762mm)	Rosa Flanagan	University	23.11.13	6:33.97
3000m Steeplechase (762mm)	Rosa Flanagan	University	07.02.15	9:48.39

Women Under 19 (continued)		Club	Date	Record
4 x 100m Relay	Standard			47.94
	(Technical		16/03/74	47.8)
4 x 400m Relay	Standard			3:55.0
Long Jump	Susan Burnside	Technical	19/12/73	6.19m
Triple Jump	Bridgette Pateman	South Canterbury	08/03/98	12.60m
High Jump	Angela Pule	New Brighton	21/03/81	1.80m
Pole Vault	Eliza Meekings	Papanui Toc H	06/02/21	3.60m
Shot Put (4.00kg)	Jaidyn Busch	Old Boys United	06/03/20	14.95m
Discus Throw (1.00kg)	Adrienne Lynn	Papanui Toc H	14/02/91	50.30m
Javelin Throw (600gm)	Kaye Nordstrom	Papanui Toc H	06/03/87	49.04m
Hammer Throw (4.00kg)	Lauren Bruce	South Canterbury	05/03/16	58.37m
Heptathlon	Joanne Henry	South Canterbury	18-19/02/89	5136 pts
3000m Track Walk	Kate Newitt	Port Hills	10/11/07	14:21.09
5000m Track Walk	Kate Newitt	Port Hills	12/07/07	24:20.26
10000m Track Walk	Courtney Ruske	Christchurch Avon	17/12/11	52:42.7
Women Under 18		Club	Date	Record
100m	Standard			11.74
	(Beverley Peterson	Technical	18/01/75	11.5H)
200m	Standard			24.44
	(Beverley Peterson	Technical	17/03/74	24.2H)
400m	Katie Johnstone	South Canterbury	10/02/01	55.32
800m	Rachael Rowberry	Papanui Toc H	02/02/92	2:06.42
1500m	Sue Bruce	New Brighton	15/02/81	4:21.18
3000m	Sue Bruce	New Brighton	11/02/81	9:19.76
100m Hurdles (762mm)	Georgina Allison	North Canterbury	14/12/08	14.11
300m Hurdles (762mm)	Georgina Allison	North Canterbury	14/12/08	43.16
2000m Steeplechase (762mm)	Rosa Flanagan	University	23/11/13	6:33.97
3000m Steeplechase (762mm)	Rosa Flanagan	University	22/03/14	9:56.98
4 x 100m Relay	Standard			47.94
	(Technical		16/03/74	47.8H)
Long Jump	Susan Burnside	Technical	19/12/73	6.19m
Triple Jump	Bridgette Pateman	South Canterbury	09/03/97	12.45m
High Jump	Angela Pule	New Brighton	21/03/81	1.80m
Pole Vault	Julia Brown	North Canterbury	11/03/05	3.50m
Shot Put (3.00kg)	Tapenisa Havea	Lions AC	10/04/21	17.27m
Shot Put (4.00kg)	Tapensia Havea	South Canterbury	06/03/22	15.97m
Discus Throw (1.00kg)	Tapensia Havea	South Canterbury	06/03/22	53.40m
Javelin Throw (600gm)	Kaye Nordstrom	Papanui Toc H	22/03/86	46.40m
Javelin Throw (500gm)	Standard			53.00m
Hammer Throw (3.00kg)	Lauren Bruce	South Canterbury	06/12/14	63.67m
Heptathlon	Joanne Henry	South Canterbury	18-19/02/89	5136 pts
3000m Track Walk	Kate Newitt	Port Hills	10/11/07	14:21.09
5000m Track Walk	Kate Newitt	Port Hills	12/07/07	24:20.26

Women Under 17		Club	Date	Record
100m	Maia Broughton	Selwyn	01/12/17	12.13
200m	Standard			24.44
	(Beverley Peterson	Technical	17/03/74	24.2)
400m	Anna Rowberry	Papanui Toc H	10/04/92	56.30
800m	Angela Smit	North Canterbury	08/07/08	2:08.15
1500m	Sue Bruce	New Brighton	15/02/81	4:21.18
3000m	Sue Bruce	New Brighton	11/02/81	9:19.76
100m Hurdles (762mm)	Mackenzie Keenan	Old Boys United	26/03/11	14.14
300m Hurdles (762mm)	Kelsey Berryman	Old Boys United	30/03/08	44.06
2000m Steeplechase (762mm)	Liliana Braun	Port Hills	03/12/17	6:59.55
4x 100m Relay	Standard			50.64
	(Technical		28/12/74	50.5)
Long Jump	Susan Burnside	Technical	19/12/73	6.19m
Triple Jump	Phoebe Lester	Port Hills	19/03/05	11.52m
High Jump	Angela Pule	New Brighton	21/03/81	1.80m
Pole Vault	Julia Brown	North Canterbury	11/03/05	3.50m
Shot Put (3.00kg)	Tapenisa Havea	Lions AC	06/03/19	15.92m
Discus Throw (1.00kg)	Violette Perry	Old Boys United	07/03/20	46.54m
Javelin Throw (500gm)	Caitlin Bonné	Papanui Toc H	13/02/16	43.70m
Hammer Throw (3.00kg)	Lauren Bruce	South Canterbury	14/12/13	60.17m
Heptathlon	Joanne Henry	South Canterbury	19-20/03/88	4743 pts
3000m Track Walk	Kate Newitt	Port Hills	28/10/06	14:33.70
5000m Track walk	Kate Newitt	Port Hills	18/11/06	24:41.70

Girls Under 16		Club	Date	Record
100m	Maia Broughton	Selwyn	01/12/17	12.13
200m	Lilly Morrison	North Canterbury	21/03/2024	25.89
400m	Anna Hayward	South Canterbury	05/03/16	56.39
800m	Angela Smit	North Canterbury	30/11/05	2:10.48
1500m	Sue Bruce	New Brighton	10/02/80	4:28.8H
3000m	Rosa Flanagan	University	11/02/12	9:46.56
80m Hurdles (762mm)	Rowena Welford	South Canterbury	18/11/89	11.4H
100m Hurdles (762mm)	Charlotte Hastings	Papanui Toc H	05/03/93	14.55
300m Hurdles (762mm)	Olivia Burnham	Old Boys United	04/12/16	44.48
4 x 100m Relay	Standard			50.64
	(Technical		28/12/74	50.5H)
Long Jump	Annabelle Coates	Old Boys United	26/03/05	5.76m
Triple Jump	Phoebe Lester	Port Hills	19/03/05	11.52m
High Jump	Jessica Hendren	North Canterbury	13/12/20	1.77m
Pole Vault				
Shot Put (3.00kg)	Tapenisa Havea	Lions AC	06/03/19	15.92m
Discus Throw (1.00kg)	Adrienne Lynn	Papanui Toc H	28/01/89	41.24m
Javelin Throw (500gm)	Caitlin Bonné	Papanui Toc H	13/02/16	43.70m
Hammer Throw (3.00kg)	Lauren Bruce	South Canterbury	28/02/13	55.67m
2000m Track Walk	Courtney Ruske	Christchurch Avon	05/12/09	9:58.5H