

Saturday April 11th

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Clifton Hill

Beautiful weather greeted the athletes for our opening runs of the new winter season. In fact the temperature was probably a couple of degrees too warm, especially for the longer event.

The Club again was pleased to welcome a number of visitors to the events and it was doubly pleasing that quite a few of these people later chose to join up for the season. It was great to **Eric Louw** back at the Club after a few seasons away – and we were very pleased to see his daughter **Amber** join our team after some success at school level last year.

We certainly have the basis of some very good junior teams, however quite a few of our athletes are not going to be available for every race, due to clashes with school competitions.

Ace Buck and **Amy Cornell** were the first home in their respective divisions, but it was the big improvers from last year's times, **Zoe Cornell** and **Jack Sayer** who turned a few heads.

JUNIOR (U/16) 2k

Inv	Adam Garganis	6:35		
1	Ace Buck	6:36		
2	Hayden Morris	7:03		
1	Amy Cornell	7:08		
2	Lucy Leutchford	7:26		
3	Soul Suzuki	7:30		
4	Jack Sayer	7:31		
3	Zoe Cornell	7:32		
Inv	Corey Fricke	8:20		
5	Lachlan Sayer	8:23		
4	Amber Louw	8:23		
Inv	Finn Hall	8:45		
Inv	Kareema Wakim	8:38		
Inv	Luke Malara	8:56		
Inv	Ben McCready	9:19		
Inv	Marcus Wakim	9:26		
Inv	Sara Suiter	9:27		
Inv	Brodie Hogan	9:56		
Inv	Sara Lovell	10:01		
Inv	Alice Ward	10:02		
Inv	Amy Jones	10:14		
Inv	Sandy Cornell	10:31		

RESULTS

1	Ace Buck	6:36	1	Amy Cornell	7:08
2	Hayden Morris	7:03	2	Lucy Leutchford	7:26
3	Soul Suzuki	7:30	3	Zoe Cornell	7:32

The senior race had 48 starters. Our handicapper, Ray Harbert, had his usual frantic session of deciding starting marks for all the first timers or long lost comeback runners. A quick look at the results highlights Ray's problem as seven of the first nine runners were entries 'on the day.'

Past Club Champions, **Robert Hendy** and **Paul Twining** both had a run and although probably not in line for a Divvy 1 berth this season the Club is always pleased to have these people show their support of Collingwood Harriers. Recent signing, **Spiros Orfanis**, had his first run with Collingwood. It was a shame that Spiros just missed the under 16 cut off for the junior race. He found the going a bit tough first up over the 6.4k. – a bit of training will fix that!

Today's winner was very promising under 18 athlete **Dale Carroll**. In his first run over the distance, Dale grabbed his opportunity, holding off **Magnus Michelsson** in a desperate run to the line. **Michael Whitehead** showed good early season form to record the fastest time for the day

Inv	Doug Leutchford	32:40	Go	32:40
Inv	Jason Kennedy	34:00	1:05	32:55
Inv	Hayden Morris	36:57	9:35	27:22
1	Dale Carroll	36:58	13:35	23:23
2	Magnus Michelsson	36:59	15:45	21:14
Inv	Ray Joy	37:06	13:35	23:31
Inv	Mark Cornell	37:08	4:05	32:38
Inv	Amy Cornell	37:09	4:05	32:39
Inv	Ross Reid	37:10	Go	37:10
3	Clare Garganis	37:12	1:05	36:07
4	Jim Sayer	37:13	6:25	30:48
5	Paul Twining	37:15	7:45	29:30
6	Sunao Korematsu	37:27	12:45	24:42
7	Shane Derby	37:33	9:00	28:33
Inv	Eric Louw	37:43	11:40	26:03
8	Tony Hally	37:45	13:05	24:40
9	Paul Viney	37:47	11:40	26:07
10	Anthony Mithen	37:48	14:25	23:23
11	Jordan Minter	37:52	13:50	24:02
12	Paul Wallace	37:58	12:15	25:43
13	Matthew Newton	38:07	15:45	22:22
14	Michael Whitehead	38:09	17:30	20:39
15	Tom Hall	38:16	15:10	23:06
16	Malcolm Campbell	38:20	14:35	23:45
17	Jacob Barnes	38:21	13:35	24:46
Inv	Gerry Ward	38:23	6:05	31:58
18	Jai Edmonds	38:23	17:15	21:08
19	Michelle Laufer	38:29	10:10	28:19
20	Annette Van Rooyen	38:30	8:10	30:20
21	Jim Hopkins	38:33	7:45	30:48
22	John Crameri	38:35	9:35	29:00
23	Alicea Burns	38:38	7:25	31:13
24	Lachie White	39:00	14:10	24:50
25	Steve Simmonds	39:17	13:05	26:12
26	Scott Lovell	39:22	7:25	31:57
27	Kim White	39:27	6:25	33:02
28	Jesse Frost	39:27	15:45	23:42
29	Ben White	39:57	15:25	24:32
30	Drew Roberts	40:16	13:35	26:41
31	Ken Duxbury	40:26	8:10	32:16
32	Hannah Garganis	40:36	Go	40:36
33	Chris Boylen	40:39	7:45	32:54
34	Spiros Orfanis	41:17	6:25	34:52
35	Julian Harris	41:21	14:35	26:46
36	Sofie Fabre	41:32	4:30	37:02
Inv	Rohan Jones	43:22	Go	43:22
37	Melinda Story	44:53	Go	44:53
38	Robert Hendy	44:54	Go	44:54

RESULTS

FASTEST

- Dale Carroll 1 Michael Whitehead 20:39 Michelle Laufer 28:19
- Magnus Michelsson 2 Jai Edmonds 21:08 A Van Rooyen 30:20
- Clare Garganis 3 Magnus Michelsson 21:14 Ali Burns 31:13

Back at the rooms everyone attacked the great spread of goodies supplied by our resident caterer **Therese Barnes**, with a number of extras supplied by various contributors including **Clare Garganis** and **Helen Robottom**. Again apologies to anyone not identified – your help is always appreciated!

The Club had a number of helpers out on the course to ensure a smooth running of the event. **Ray Harbert, Kevin Wigmore, Diana Barnett** and **Ian Minter** looked after the start and finish tasks while **Tony Williams, Terry Lanham, Graeme Scott, Don Cook, Leanne Morris, Robert Barnes** and **Adam Garganis** all held a flag somewhere along the way.

Greg Buck and **Scott Lovell** were instrumental in the recording of the junior results!

Allan Minter was at it again with trusty lap top compiling the results for display, while Treasurer, **Sofie Fabre** worked her fingers to the bone registering people on the AV site.

Thanks everyone – not a bad start!!