TEAMS CONTINUE THE WINNING STREAK

STATE LEAGUE ROUND 3

OLYMPIC PARK, THURSDAY 24TH NOVEMBER

Box Hill continued it's winning start to State League competition with dominant wins in both the male and female competitions. While the women's team is the outright leader on the ladder, the men's team is in second place behind last year's premiers Bayside.

WOMEN

Once again it was a victory without a great impact from the field events with the team dominating several events on the track. Beth Bird continued her great recent form with a win and an improved time in the 400 Hurdles. Sandy Millner, team captain Cathy Marshall and Jane Tulloch took maximum points in the 200's. The 800 team was dominant again taking 1st, 2nd and 3rd, led home by Kerri Jorgensen. 17 year old, Jessica DeBruin ran a P.B. in the 5000 and the relay team came back well to run a close second in the race, but win our heat.

BOX HILL 171 EASTSIDE 144 YARRA 108 GEELONG 45

EVENT	COMPETITOR PERFORMANCE		PLACE	
400 Hurdles	Sarah Coghill	67.4	2nd	
	Beth Bird	64.7	1 st	
3000M Walk	Wendy Muldoon	13.47.		
Long Jump	Rachael Fisher	5.23		
200 M	Sandy Nichols	25.98	1st	
	Cathy Marshall	26.08	2 nd	
	Jane Tulloch	26.28	1 st (2 nd Heat)	
High Jump	Sheridan Bishop	1.40M		
5000M	Jessica DeBruin	18.10	0 3rd	
800M	Kerri Jorgensen	2.10.6 1st		
	Erica Sigmont	2.11.4	2 nd	
	Eliza Eddy	2.15.1	3 rd	
100Hurdles	Sarah Coghill	17.13	1st	
	Michelle Fistric	16.32		
400Relay	Sandy Nichols, Beth Bird, Erica Sigmont, Sally Ogilvy		2nd	

MEN

Stephen Hooker again showed what a great talent he is by leading the team to its third victory in a s many weeks. Easily beating his rivals in the Pole Vault and High Jump, Steve backed up with placing in the Long Jump and 110 Hurdles. Steve was well backed up by the rest of the team with Justin Clarke again winning the 200 metres and bringing the relay team home to comfortable victory. He was well supported by 17 year old James Fildes in the second heat. The 800 team took maximum points as Michael Jones was again to strong for his competition, and Julian Dwyer returned to win the 5000 in a desperate sprint for the line, and looks set for a big summer. Significantly, for the first time in two seasons Box Hill scored in the Shot Put with Homelo Vi returning to competition, and promises to improve over the coming months.

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Ringwood 121 Athletics Essendon 112 Geelong 100

EVENT	COMPETITOR	PERFORMANCE	PLACE
400 Hurdles	Cameron Baker	59.13	2nd
	Chris West	58.72	2 nd
Pole Vault	Stephen Hooker	3.60M	1st
High Jump	Stephen Hooker	1.90M	1st
Shot Put	Homelo Vi	12.41	3rd
200M	Justin Clarke	21.83	1st
	Andrew Wilcox	22.66	4 th
	James Fildes	23.06	1 st 2 nd Heat
Long Jump	Stephen Hooker	6.37m	3rd
110Hurdles	Stephen Hooker	16.6	2nd
800M	Tim Cherry	1.54.4	2nd
	Michael Jones	1.53.4	1 st
	Tim Heron	1.54.8	3 rd
5000M	Julian Dwyer	14:07	1st
	Marcus Tierney	14:35	2 nd
	Sam Hassett	15.28	6 th
400Relay	Andrew Wilcox, James Fildes, Marty Duke, Justin Clarke		1st