



Annual Report

2013-14



OFFICE BEARERS

PRESIDENT	Chris O'Connor
VICE PRESIDENT	Stephen Dinneen
SECRETARY	Barbara Johnson
TREASURER	David Hamer
COMMITTEE MEMBERS	Graeme Olden
	Angela Robbie
	Bill Dyer
	Roslyn Russell
	Katie Cooper
	Blake Lucas
	James Filshie
	Natalia Kremenchutskaya
	Brodie Cross
	Cameron Sherry

COORDINATOR OF LIFE MEMBERS	Graeme Olden
AUDITOR	Janet Collyer
REGISTRAR	Natalia Kremenchutskaya
VENUE DELEGATES	David Hamer
	Andrew Wilcox
AV DELEGATES	Graeme Olden
	Colin Organ
	Chris O'Connor
	Barbara Johnson

TRACK CAPTAINS	Stephen Dinneen
	Natalia Kremenchutskaya
TEAM MANAGERS:	Chris O'Connor (Men)
	Talitha Crawford (Women)

Presented at the Annual General Meeting of the Box Hill Athletic Club Incorporated, conducted at Hagenauer's Reserve, Barwon Street Box Hill on 9th May 2014

Box Hill Athletic Club Mission Statement:

"Box Hill Athletic Club supports athletes to achieve their goals in a fun and social atmosphere".

Cover photo: Blake Lucas and Mo Zeed running the 200m shield finals at Albert Park.

LIFE MEMBERS

Year	Name	Year	Name
1960	M Fraser +		A O Gusbeth
1963	G B Stringer +		A B Stewart
1964	R Barlow +	1984	H J Summers
	H Logan +		S F Tutchener
	B Thorpe		D Mann
1965	A E Barlow +		I Mann +
	J D Leach +	1987	J Hamilton +
1966	R P Lees		D Filling
	W M Leach +	1988	K Armstrong
	J Grigg		V Armstrong
	P Monahan		F T Cron +
1967	M Carroll		G Crouch
1968	T C Kelly +		S Livingston
	R J Hansen +		M Wall
	N R Twitt	1989	I Jones
	G Dell	1990	M Fielding
1969	J Pekin		J Towers
1971	W Collins	1991	L Armstrong
	A J Fraser		T Collie
1972	R E Beal		B Lewry
	R W Ramadge +		C O'Connor
1973	D A Barlow		I Sloane
	G J Duthie	1992	R Harrison
	R W Haywood		T Lucas
	J D Ramadge		S Miller
	K T Routley +		M Stewart
1975	N H Gardner	1993	D Cross
1977	A G Chambers		R Falkenberg
	S J Fraser +		G Ford
	B J Layh	1994	J Collyer
	W J Leach		A Cross
1979	J Hines		R Fraser+
	D Cook+	1997	G Olden
1982	M A Blundy	2003	J Milner
	D J Bourne	2005	A Robbie
	F E Fell	2006	A Pepper
	V J Fox	2008	J. Meagher
	P T Grant	2009	S Hooker
1983	P Mann +	2012	C Organ

+ Deceased



Dedicated club athlete Julie Norney



Multi talented Brodie Cross trying his hand at high jump

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

The 2013/14 athletic year has been the one of the most successful in the Club's recent history. Box Hill dominated the Men's XCR' 13 winter premierships competition winning the premierships in the Men's Division 1, Division 2, Division 4 and Division 7. We also won the Women's over 40 XCR' 13 premierships and finished a close 2nd in the Women's Division 1. In summer track and field competition, Box Hill regained the Men's Division 1 shield premierships as well as winning the Women's under 16 competition. All seven of our shield competition teams qualified for the association finals.

In individual competition, at the Victorian track and field championships Box Hill athletes won three gold medals and four silver medals and had many other top eight finishes. This saw Box Hill win the H. H. Hunter shield as the most successful club at the state championships.

Our juniors were outstanding winning an incredible 38 medals, 20 of them gold, at the Victorian junior championships.

Joel Pocklington, pole vault, and Nikki Chapple, 10,000m won national titles and both have been selected to represent Australia at the Commonwealth Games later this year.

Nathan Brill represented Australia in the 10,000m walk at the World Youth championships in the Ukraine and has now been selected to compete in the World Junior championships in the USA. He will be joined in the national junior team by three other Club members, Georgia Griffith, 800m, Tayla-Paige Billington, walk, and David Thomson, decathlon.

Steve Kelly and Anthony Aloisio represented Australia in Japan as part of the national Ekiden relay team in Chiba, Japan. Nikki Chapple ran for Australia in the marathon at the world championships in Moscow finishing 45th in very trying weather conditions.

Almost as pleasing as the on track success, was an increase in the Club's membership, to 228 members, plus a number of alternate claim members who ran for Box Hill in either the winter or summer seasons. This increase in membership must in some part be due to the fantastic and tireless work of our coaches.

An extensive redevelopment of the high jump, pole vault and javelin run up area was undertaken. Although this work was necessary it meant that the track was closed for training and competition for a large part of the summer. It is great to see that our membership grew over the summer months despite the closure.

The Club has continued to cement its relationship with the Box Hill Little Athletics Centre and we have had an increasing number of dual claim members competing for the Club.

The Club's off track activities are based around four events. The Club 5km handicap event that launches the winter season, the Club Trivia Night, held later in the winter, the track and field Season launch and the Presentation night at the conclusion of each athletic year. All of these activities have been successful and we hope that participation and attendance will continue to grow.

Much of the club's success is also due to the work done behind the scenes by the Club committee. A special thank you to the Club secretary, Barbara Johnson, Treasurer, David Hamer and to all of the committee, Angela Robbie, Graeme Olden, Steve Dinneen, Natalia Kremenchutskaya, Bill Dyer, Roslyn Russell, Blake Lucas, Brodie Cross, Cameron Sherry, James Filshie and Katie Cooper for their contribution throughout the year.

On a sad note, this past year saw the passing of three people with close connections to our Club. Life member, Tom Kelly, former coach Peter Robbie and former official and long time supporter of the Club, Barbara Wilcox. They will be sadly missed.

This has been a most successful year for the Club and we look forward to continued growth and further success in the future.

Chris O'Connor Club President



Steve Hooker helping Box Hill to Division 1 Shield victory



Club stalwart Vivienne Lee

Summer Report 2013/14 Track and Field Season

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This year Shield competition saw the introduction of four zones (as opposed to the previous three regions). Box Hill entered teams in seven divisions, Men's Division 1, Men over 40, Men under 18, Men under 16, Women's Division 1, Women under 18 and Women under 16. All of our teams finished in the top 2 of their division in our zone and progressed to the finals.

After winning eight track and field shield/state league premierships in a row, our Division 1 Men's team had missed out for the past three seasons. The 2013/2014 season saw us return to our rightful place as Men's Division 1 premiers. We also successfully defended our Women's under 16 title. Congratulations to our open men and our under 16 women on their triumphs.

In individual competition, Joel Pocklington (pole vault), Madeline Lawson (pole vault) and Kathryn Brooks (javelin) were state open champions, and Joel Pocklington (pole vault) and Nikki Chapple (10,000m) won national titles. Joel and Nikki have been selected to represent Australia at the Commonwealth Games in Glasgow.

Our juniors won an incredible 20 state junior championships. Nathan Brill (under 20, 10,000m walk), Kathryn Brooks (under 18 javelin), Maddy Andrew (under 18 pole vault), Nana Owusu-Afriyie (under 16 200m), Olivia Carah (under 16 pole vault) and Arjun Ravindran (under 14 90m hurdles) went on to win national titles. Nathan Brill, Tayla-Paige Billington (10,000m walk), Georgia Griffith (800m) and David Thomson (decathlon) have been selected to compete for Australia in the world junior championships in Eugene, Oregon later this year.

At the other end of the age scale, Kynan Dawes, Pia Hunter and Talitha Crawford won gold medals at the Oceania Masters Championships and Andrew Wilcox won a silver medal in the 45-49 years 400m at the World Masters championships in Budapest.

As well as these outstanding performances there were many, many strong performances by other Box Hill athletes. It was encouraging to see an increase in the number of athletes competing for the Club this year, especially in our junior ranks. We look forward to even more success on the track in 2014/15.

Events (Heats) Scored		
200m(92); 400m(14); 800m(4); 1600m(5); 200mH(8); 300mH(8); 400mH(26); 1500mW(1); 3000mW(3); Triple Jump(10); High Jump(8); Shot Put(11); Hammer(9);		
MOP1	MOP2	M40+
BOH 1007.0	ANW 742.0	DIV 518.0
GHY 946.0	KSB 540.0	AWA 506.0
DAC 944.0	BWK 475.5	COL 454.0
ATE 726.0	IVA 427.0	BOH 419.0
STK 669.0	WCA 384.0	WES 385.5
MUU 645.5	CGA 351.0	ATE 383.0
KNA 322.5	BER 307.0	GER 288.0
RIC 300.0	GER 274.5	OAK 244.0
	SME 268.0	VMA 230.5
	OAK 210.0	BAR 117.0
	BAR 86.0	

Box Hill's winning Men's Division 1 on the Albert Park scoreboard

Winter report: XCR'12 Cross Country and Road Racing

Box Hill has had a good degree of success in the winter cross country and road racing events in recent years, but 2013 was probably the most successful winter season in the history of the Club.

Box Hill had teams entered in four different divisions of the Men's open competition, Division 1, Division 2, Division 4 and Division 7. We won the premiership in all four divisions. Our Men's Division 1 team finished with eight 1st places and one 2nd place out of the nine XCR'13 events.

Steve Kelly won the Victorian cross country championship and was also the Athletics Victoria winter champion athlete judged by performances from all of the winter events.

Our other outstanding male runner was Anthony Aloisio, who finished 4th at the National cross country championships and along with Steve Kelly who represented Australia at the Chiba Ekiden relay in Japan.

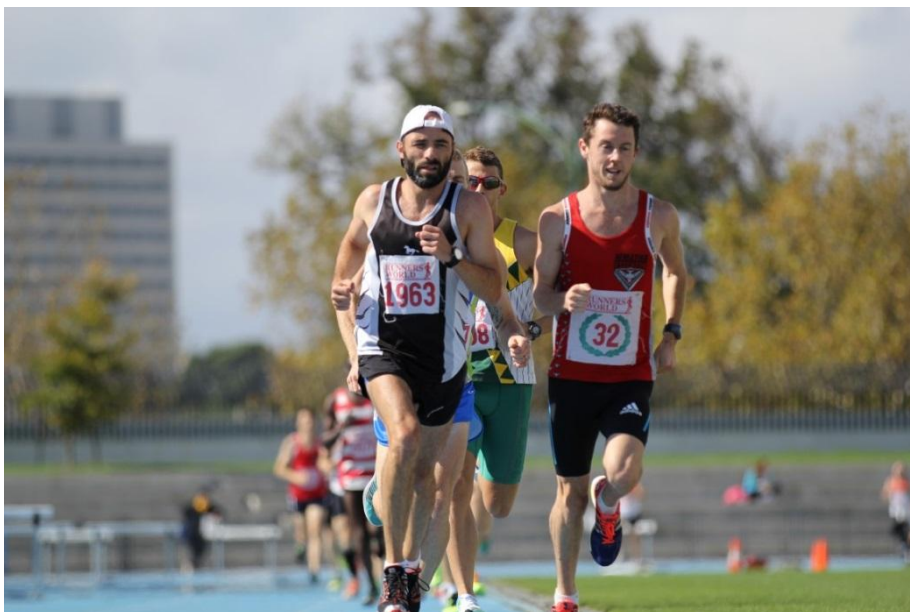
It was, however, not the individual outstanding performances of a few that was the most exciting part of our winter season but the depth and strength of our entire team.

Our women's team was also very successful, but narrowly missed out on the XCR'13 premiership. The team had four 1st places and four 2nd places from nine events, to finish 2nd on the premiership ladder.

Nikki Chapple won the state 10km and half marathon championships and also won the national half marathon championship. She was selected to run for Australia in the marathon at the world championships in Moscow, where she finished in 45th place.

Our junior teams were depleted due to school racing commitments of many of our young runners, but we still had some great performances. In particular Mitchell Dyer won the State all schools under 18 cross country championship and Georgia Hansen won a silver medal in the girls under 16 cross country championships.

We look forward to repeating our successes in the 2014 winter season.



Men's Captain Steve Dinneen leading the field again.

TROPHIES 2013/2014

MALE ATHLETE OF THE YEAR	Allan Barlow Shield	Joel Pocklington
FEMALE ATHLETE OF THE YEAR	Martha Fraser Shield	Grace Brown
JNR MALE ATHLETE OF THE YEAR	Reg Barlow Cup	David Thomson
JNR FEMALE ATHLETE OF THE YEAR	Armstrong Trophy	Georgia Griffith
WINTER CHAMPION – MALE	Hansen Trophy	Stephen Kelly
WINTER CHAMPION – FEMALE	Megan Sloane Cup	Grace Brown
WINTER CHAMPION – JUNIOR	Grant Taggart Award	Joe Hardy
FRANK TUTCHENER 5km HANDICAP SHIELD		Sam Dipnall
ANDREW STEWART POLE VAULT TROPHY		Joel Pocklington Madeline Lawson
ROSS HAYWOOD WALKING TROPHY		Nathan Brill
VLADIMIR SLAVNIC THROWING TROPHY		Kathryn Brooks
OUTSTANDING FINALS ATHLETE		Robert Schwerkolt
COLIN POCKLINGTON SPRINT TROPHY		Andrew Wilcox
OUTSTANDING CLUBMAN AWARD		Stephen Dinneen

SHIELD COMPETITION POINTS AWARDS 2013/14 -

Open Male

1st – David Featherston
2nd – David Thomson
3rd – James Baumgartner

Open Female

1st - Catherine Hibberd
2nd - Brigid Davis
3rd - Yiota Carabourniotis

U18 Male

1st - William Seton
2nd - Raymond Chan
3rd - Jay Darcy

U18 Female

1st - Jessie Muirden
2nd - Monique Hoskin
3rd - Rachel Limburg

U16 Male

1st - Sam McDonald
2nd - Matthew Harcourt
3rd - Richard Ong

U16 Female

1st - Olivia Carah
2nd - Zoe Schwerkolt
3rd - Sophie Schwerkolt

Men Over 40

1st - Nick Carah
2nd - David Cross
3rd - Michael Seton

2013 – 2014 MEMBERS

<u>Name</u>	<u>Surname</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Surname</u>
Kate	Ackland	David	Cross
Sanjana	Alex	Graham	Cross
Natalie	Ambrose	Isabelle	Dann
Annabelle	Anderson	Jay	Darcy
Madison	Andrew	ethan	davey
Emily	Andrew	Sophia	Davis
Joel	Assauw	Brigid	Davis
Liselle	Atkin	Kynan	Dawes
David	Ayers	Joshua	De Stefanis
Nicholas	Baggott	Hannah	Deal
Cameron	Baker	Katie	Devlin
Daniel	Balassone	Dalton	Di Medio
Iman	Balla	Stephen	Dinneen
Rob	Barclay	Sam	Dipnall
James	Baumgartner	Michael	Dowel
Tony	Benson	Hendrik	Dreyer
Emily	Bertacco	Chelsea	Dyer
Dale	Bickham	Mitchell	Dyer
Tayla-Paige	Billington	William	Dyer
Charlie	Blanch	Harvey	Edmanson
Kate	Boulter	Sam	Edwards
Vanessa	Bourne	Andrew	Egginton
Nathan	Brill	Simon	Evans
Kathryn	Brooks	Callum	Evans
Grace	Brown	Christopher	Falcke
Tessa	Budden	David	Featherston
Panayiota	Carabourniotis	Sarah	Ferrier
Karen	Carah	James	Filshie
Nick	Carah	Katherine	Foley
Olivia	Carah	Jackie	Fredricksen
Simone	Carre	Rebecca	Fredricksen
Amy	Carrig	Neville	Gardner
Annabel	Cator	Emily	Goessler
Raymond	Chan	David	Grant
Nikki	Chapple	Olivia	Gray
Bouchaib	Chefnaoui	Caroline	Gray
Georgia	Chester	Peter	Green
Daniel	Clark	Steven	Griffin
Nicole	Clowes	Georgia	Griffith
Russell	Clowes	Chris	Hamer
Juliette	Cody	David	Hamer
Brendon	Cole	Georgia	Hansen
Matthew	Coloe	Matthew	Harcourt
Harrison	Colquhoun	Joe	Hardy
Marguerite	Conley	Amanda	Harper
Verity	Cooper	Liam	Harris
Mitchell	Cooper	Caitlin	Harrison
Andrew	Coughlin	Andrew	Hester
Talitha	Crawford	Catherine	Hibberd
Brodie	Cross	Tanya	Higgs

<u>Name</u>	<u>Surname</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Surname</u>
Jack	Hill	Graeme	Olden
Madeline	Hill	Richard	Ong
Peter	Hill	Colin	Organ
Steven	Hooker	Nana-Adoma	Owusu-Afriyie
Monique	Hoskin	Osei-Kwame	Owusu-Afriyie
Zac	Hunter	Nicolas	Paidoussis
Pia	Hunter	Thomas	Paidoussis
Austin	Hunter	Lucas	Pamminger
Victor	Jakobbson	Jacob	Parlevliet
David	Jimenez	Bert	Pelgrim
Barbara	Johnson	June	Petrie
Marcus	Johnson	Rebecca	Philip
Rachel	Johnson	Yohan	Philip
Ian	Jones	Angela	Phillips
Rhys	Jones	Joel	Pocklington
Grace	Kalac	William	Potter
Stephen	Kelly	Imogen	Purcell
Charlotte	Kennedy	Kerry	Putt
Natalia	Kremenchutskaya	Louise	Rait
Nickolas	Kronenburg	Arjun	Ravindran
Tony	Langelaan	Lucas	Rindt
Madeline	Lawson	Amy	Rives
Vivienne	Lee	Angela	Robbie
Amy	Light	Louise	Roberts
Rachel	Limburg	Isabella	Romanella
Tamsyn	Lovass	Rebecca	Rosel
Blake	Lucas	Jamie	Roubin
Samuel	Mackie	Tony	Rule
Emma	Marsden	Kieran	Ryan
Tony	Marsh	Amelia	Savige
Cameron	Martin	George	Schillinger
Aidan James	Mc Cormack	Zoe	Schwerkolt
Paris	McCathrion	Sophie	Schwerkolt
Catherine	McCowan	Michael	Seton
Samuel	McDonald	William	Seton
Peter	McDonald	Jessica	Sexton
Charmaine	Mcnally	Cameron	Sherry
Helen	McRae	Ian	Sloane
Sharron	Meager	Megan	Sloane
John	Meagher	Phoebe	Sloane
Rhett	Medford	Vaughan	Smith
Jessie	Muirden	Ned	Snibson
Carlos	Norman	Tom	Snibson
Julie	Norney	James	Spry
Laughlin	Norney	Ella	Squires
Adam	Norris	Lucy	Steele
Ben	Noske	Peter	Stefanos
Harry	Noske	David	Stevens
Claire	O'Brien	Mark	Stewart
James	O'Connell	Connor	Sullivan
Christopher	O'Connor	Harry	Summers
William	O'Connor	Harry	Summers Snr
Matthew	O'Donnell	Emily	Taylor-Brown

<u>Name</u>	<u>Surname</u>
James	Tennant
Chris	Tetaz
David	Thomson
Hayley	Tomlinson
Luciana	Treacy
Andrew	Tunne
Michael	Vaughan
Stephen	Vincent
Genevieve	Wah
Gemma	Watkins
Zara	Wearne
Anthony	Whitby
Andrew	White
Daniel	White-Alikakos
Andrew	Wilcox
Beau	Williams
Chelsea	Williams-Lumley
Hanson	Wong
Daniel	Young
Mohamad	Zeed



A close finish for Daniel White-Alikakos at Albert Park



David Thomson will compete at the Decathlon at the upcoming World Junior Championships



Long time club members Bill Dyer and Graeme Olden competing in the walk