


ORC - Newsletter (Aug/Sept 2016)

Winter 2016...I will be pleased to see the end of it !! especially the wet weather we have experienced, fingers crossed we have a drier Spring

SNAPSHOT

- Wet Weather Procedure
- Christmas Party - change of date
- Spring Program
- Junior Spring Racing Carnival
- OCCRF 2017
- Timing Mats
- EOI for "Casual" Committee Member
- Committee meeting update



*Together we achieve
individual goals*

Expression of Interest (EOI) for (Casual) Ordinary Committee Member

The club currently has an opening for a (casual) Ordinary Committee Member for the remainder of the current term (2016/2017).

Under the current terms the process is to call for an EOI where the committee can appoint a "Casual" Ordinary Committee member.

As an Ordinary Committee Member:

- Be a current financial member
- Have a commitment to the club
- Sufficient time to devote to the committee
 - The ability to attend and contribute to committee meetings (8-10 per year)
 - The ability to attend as many weekly runs as practical
- Should operate as a team, working toward common goals to ensure the clubs success

The committee as a whole responsibilities include:

- Future planning
- Maintaining (and developing where required) policies and procedures
- Regular communication with members
- Develop and maintain networks
- Ensuring the safety of our members
- Obtaining resources for the club
- Ensuring all financial and legal matters are managed in accordance with the relevant policies, procedures and legislation.

If you would like to discuss this role further please contact

- ⇒ Renai McArdle, President on 0417 486 645 or
- ⇒ Anthony Daintith, Vice President on 0408 249 700 or
- ⇒ via email orangerunnersclub@outlook.com

To submit your interest in the role, please submit via email (orangerunnersclub@outlook.com) Attention to the President, with the following details by Monday 12 September 2016 – 5.00pm.

- Name
- Email
- Phone Number
- Why would you like to apply for this position?

Thank you
Renai McArdle
President 2016/17

Wet Weather Procedure

Winter saw a wet season than normal, which has been creating some challenges for our weekly runs.

The safety of members always comes first. If we feel that a track is unsafe we will either cancel and/or change the track (track change applies to Sunday's only).

If a run is cancelled notification will be sent via email, posted on Facebook and updated on the Website as soon as possible, please check these forums if you are unsure or ring me (Renai) on 0417 486 645 or Anthony 0408 249 700.

Timing Mats

Thank you to everyone that has volunteered to take the mats this year, we still need to fill December, and then start on next year.

Please see either myself or Anthony if you are able to assist.

January	Kay Davis
February	Joy Harvey
March	Anthony Daintith
April	Bridgette Cole
May	Frank Ostini
June	Amanda Gregor
July	David Craig
August	Tony Fitzpatrick
September	Meg Reeves
October	Kim Jarvis
November	Jane & Bill Fairgrieve
December	

Junior Spring Racing Carnival

The "Junior Spring Racing Carnival" is designed to recognise our talented junior ORC runners and enable them the opportunity to compete against other junior members in their own age group. There will be 3 events in the Junior Spring Racing Carnival being the last Wednesday of the month at Elephant Park during spring.

Dates

28 September 2016 (including BBQ)

26 October 2016

30 November 2016

Full details available on the website ([click here](#))

Committee Meeting Update

The committee has met again since our last newsletter, the following items were discussed;

- Budget update:
 - Registrations; we are still slightly down on numbers in comparison to last year, however we still have a steady flow of new members on a weekly basis.
 - Quotes were obtained for the purchase of the portable shelter for our timing coordinator(s) with a resolution passed to purchase. Micheal and John will soon have a little protection from the crazy weather we have been experiencing.
- Spring Program:
 - Confirmed 1 new run
 - Junior Racing Spring Carnival - this will see a three part series that focuses on our Junior Members, Ribbons to be awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd M and F in the specified age categories.
- Christmas Party: due to a booking issue, we now have an updated date for our Christmas Party - 3 December 2016. We will be in town this year. Further information will be provided in the next newsletter.
- Planning Committee: ORC and OCCRF will form a planning committee to develop a long term plan for both groups
- Elephant Park Upgrade: ongoing
- Constitution: ongoing

SPRING PROGRAM 2016

START TIMES: WEDNESDAY: 5.00pm / SUNDAY: 9.00am

SEPTEMBER

Date	Course	Distance - KM	External Events
4-Sep-16	Bargwana Road	3 * 5 * 10	Canberra Times Fun Run SIDS Stampede - Windsor The Bloody Long Walk - Manly
11-Sep-16	Favell Road - NEW RUN	3 * 5.8 * 8.1 * 11.2	Forster Running Festival Zoo Run - Secret Creek - Lithgow
18-Sep-16	Botanic Gardens	1.6 * 3.2 * 4.8 * 6.4 * 8	Edgell Bathurst Jog Sydney Running Festival Memory Walk and Jog - ACT
25-Sep-16	Stagecoach Road	2 * 3 * 5 * 8.5	Run NSW - Raymond Terrace Lawson Trail Run

OCTOBER

Date	Course	Distance - KM	External Events
2-Oct-16	Gosling Creek OLD	2.3 * 4.6 * 9.6	Western Sydney Marathon (Saturday 1 Oct) Run NSW - Goulburn
9-Oct-16	Jack Brabham	1.75 * 3.5 * 5.25 * 7	Honslow Classic (Saturday and Sunday) Forbes Running Festival Sharks 10 Community Fun Run
16-Oct-16	Bulgas Road	3 * 5 * 10	Run with the Wind - Bungendore
23-Oct-16	Clergate School	3 * 5 * 10	Kedumba HM (Wentworth Falls) Tough Mudder Sydney
30-Oct-16	Elephant Park - BBQ - Melbourne Cup	Relay	The Bloody Long Walk - ACT

NOVEMBER

Date	Course	Distance - KM	External Events
6-Nov-16	CSU	1.6 * 3.2 * 4.8 * 6.4 * 8	Carcoar Running Festival Run NSW - Armidale Run for your Lifeline - ACT
13-Nov-16	Kinross Forest	2 * 4.8 * 9.1	The Bloody Long Walk - Sydney East
20-Nov-16	Elephant Park	1 HR Challenge	Cherry Chase Fun Run - Young Stromlo Running Festival - ACT
27-Nov-16	Lake Canobolas (4 laps)	2.5 * 5 * 7.5 * 10	Central Coast HM

Junior Spring Racing Carnival: Wednesday 28 September (incl. BBQ), 26 October and 30 November 2016
 Refer to the Website or Facebook for further information