

Runaway Bay Little Athletics

Information for New Members – 2011/2012 Season

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RBLA compete every Friday night from 5.45pm from 9th September 2011 until 16th March 2012
(Lae Drive, Runaway Bay opposite K.F.C.)

We prefer that athletes arrive before 5.30 to allow us to start the first event on time.

Depending on the age of your child, competition usually concludes between 7.30 and 9pm.

An early finish time is only achievable if all parents lend a hand with running the events.

Having enough volunteers ready to start at 5.45 really helps us finish early.

ATHLETES MUST BE BORN BETWEEN OCT 1994 AND SEPT 2006

(children who turn 5 between October 2011 and January 2012 may join on or after their 5th birthday)

Children are placed in age groups differently to the school system – determined by their age on 30th September (eg athletes aged 9, on 30th September are in Under 10s)

Athletes born before 1st October 1994 are too old to join.

PROOF OF AGE IS REQUIRED FOR ALL NEW ATHLETES.

PLEASE BRING YOUR CHILD'S BIRTH CERTIFICATE OR PASSPORT TO SIGN ON

Athletes compete in a minimum of four events per night – usually two track events, one jump, one throw- in a varied rotation throughout the season.

Free training is offered each Wednesday afternoon for registered athletes only.

TRIALISTS ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO ATTEND WEDNESDAY TRAINING SESSIONS

**Trialists will be issued with a wrist band each week,
which must be worn throughout competition.**

Trialists are not permitted to purchase a uniform until fully registered.

**By registering your child at our Centre you are committing
to assist with the running of weekly competition.**

All parents are expected to share the workload equally.

Parents wishing to move around the competition arena with their child
must complete a jumps/throws questionnaire.

Timekeepers & Place Judges must complete a track questionnaire.

Questionnaires and the Officials Handbook may be downloaded from our website www.rbla.com.au

Questions are multiple choice and are not difficult.

Questionnaires must be completed and returned within two weeks of registering.

**PARENTS ARE ONLY PERMITTED ON THE COMPETITION
ARENA IF THEY ARE HELPING ON A FIELD EVENT.**

PARENTS WITH TODDLERS OR PRAMS ARE NOT PERMITTED ON THE COMPETITION ARENA.

Parents not assisting on the competition arena will be required
to assist in the canteen, sell raffle tickets or do other suitable jobs.

PLEASE NOTE:

A PARENT MUST BE PRESENT AT ALL TIMES.

Your child may not arrive on Friday nights with another family or be left unattended.

HOW DO YOU REGISTER ?

Please complete ALL 3 Pages and attend one of our **First Time Member Sign On Days**
FRIDAY 2nd SEPTEMBER 4PM TO 7PM OR SATURDAY 3rd SEPTEMBER 9AM - 12 NOON

If you are unable to attend on one of these sign on dates
you may register 4pm-6pm on any Wednesday prior to the Friday you wish to compete.

**Please Note: Athletes who register on Fridays will be
UNABLE TO COMPETE UNTIL THE FOLLOWING FRIDAY**

WE ACCEPT CASH OR CHEQUES ONLY

Sorry eftpos /credit cards are not accepted

At the completion of your trial period we recommend that you register before going home.
That way your child will receive competition points for that night and will be enrolled ready
to join competition the following week. Otherwise please upgrade your membership on the
Wednesday prior to the Friday night you wish to compete.

2011 / 2012 Fees:

TWO WEEK TRIAL	\$20 PER CHILD
REGISTRATION 1ST CHILD (includes \$20 pre paid raffle tickets plus a refundable \$30 parent levy))	\$155.00
2nd & subsequent children	\$70.00 ea
T SHIRT – MICROFIBRE	\$35.00 ea
BLACK SHORTS	\$20.00 ea
BLACK BIKE PANTS	\$15.00 ea
LYCRA RUNNING SUITS – made to order	\$70.00
JACKETS (6-8, 8-10, 10-12 XXS - 3XL) while stocks last	\$50.00

WE RECOMMEND THAT ALL NEW ATHLETES TRIAL BEFORE DECIDING TO REGISTER.

All paperwork needs to be complete and a \$20 fee paid to cover insurance and administration costs.

This amount is deducted from the cost of registration should the athlete decide to join.

ONCE PAID, FEES ARE NOT REFUNDABLE.

Trials must be completed by Friday 26th October 2011. Unused trials will then be forfeited.

Parents who help out on 60-100% of the nights their children compete
may be eligible for a parent levy refund. Conditions apply.

FAMILIES ARE TO SIGN IN UPON ARRIVAL.

Every person who attends with the athlete must be listed.

This includes non competing siblings, parents, grandparents and friends.

If you bring a guest on a competition night they are not permitted on the
competition arena and are to remain in the vicinity of the clubhouse.

Any adult who is not the parent of the athlete must hold or apply for a (FREE) Blue Card

issued by the Commission for Children & Young People.

This includes step & defacto parents, grandparents, aunts, uncles and family friends over the age of 18

Shoes are compulsory in all events – no exceptions.

**U6-U10 ATHLETES ARE NOT PERMITTED TO WEAR SPIKES
OR SPIKED SHOES WITH THE SPIKES REMOVED**