

From Rob Mayston, Chair Melbourne 2019 LOC,

To All Masters Members,

Entries are now open for the AMA National Championships in Melbourne from April 26 to 29...see links below to Competition website & Online Entry.

I've also attached a link to a video which explains a bit about the Program...

Please get your entries in & let others know who aren't on this email distribution, so that we can have our largest ever championships. We have moved all relays to Day 3 as feature events - so each state can field strong Relay Teams to challenge the dominance of Victoria and NSW in these events. The 400m Finals are on Day 2 which addresses a past issue of where these were on the same day as the 4 x 400m Relays. There are no individual Track events on Day 4 with this being left open for the Pentathlons & 5000 km Track walk. Some feedback received suggested extending the individual track events into Day 4 but there simply isn't the right Track space available. There was some attempt at this last year in Perth but for various reasons general opinion is that it was not a success. The Melbourne program also enables competition to conclude in a timely fashion so that interstateers can get to the airport & get home at a reasonable hour.

Lastly please spread the word about the Social program that is running each night with the 'big' event being the dinner at St Kilda on the Saturday night. It's the first time something like this has been planned (each evening) so I'm looking to a strong contingent from each state to attend these functions. Re the Dinner please note tickets are limited in number so go online now & get your Entries in & buy your tickets online with your Entry.

Competition Website: <https://melbourne2019.com.au/>

Link to Entry Form; <https://reg.emlsports.com/meet/21>

Latest List of Entrants: <https://reg.emlsports.com/meet/21/list>

Program explained, video: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=78NqMP2_UYA

Dinner Information

Flyer" <https://static1.squarespace.com/static/59d1e1288a02c7512b05f0b4/t/5c5865cbe79c705a726a381a/1549297112530/AthletesDinnerParty2.pdf>

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