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NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given to all financial members of the VICTORIAN MARATHON CLUB THAT the 23rd. Annual General Meeting will be held on Friday, March 21st., 1969 at 8 p.m. at the home of the President, Mr. Alf O'Connor, 25 Beach Road, Hampton.

Items on the agenda will include presentation of the Annual Report and Balance Sheet, reports on activities, presentation of outstanding trophies, planning of future events and other items of general business members wish to raise.

It will be moved to increase the value of trophy orders for our major event, the VMC MARATHON Championship, and add a new event to our calendar, the VMC MASTERS MILES, which is to carry the same trophy prizes as other club events but be restricted to athletes 40 years old and over, financial with the club. This new event will be held in conjunction with the EMIL ZATOPEK Trophy event.

As a matter of special interest, we are inviting DEREK CLAYTON, National Marathon Champion and World Best Time holder, to address our members on the night of the meeting, so all members are asked to do their best to arrive well on time to enable us to finish the business part of the meeting early.

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V.M.C. WINTER FIXTURES 1969

Apr.	5	10 Miles - Princes Park (N. Carlton Station)	2.00 pm.
"	25	7½ Miles - FALLEN COMRADES - DOMAIN (Shrine)	2.30 pm.
May	3	15,000m - Albert Park (Robinson Hall)	2.30 pm.
"	17	20,000m - Albert Park (Robinson Hall)	2.30 pm.
June	28	20 Miles - King of the Mountains - Pt. Leo	1.00 pm.
July	26	MARATHON - Tyabb (Public Hall)	1.00 pm.
Oct.	12	1 Hour Run and Teams Races, Dolomore Oval	

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In view of requests by Traralgon to establish a regular Marathon race to highlight athletics in the area, your committee decided to forego the proposed 25,000m, scheduled for May 31st., and support the holding of a Marathon race on that day in Traralgon.

Our usual Queen's Birthday run for members and other athletes not travelling away and desirous of regular racing had to be dropped this year owing to objections being raised by country delegates. It was claimed that a race in the metropolitan area on that day would detract from participation in the Wendouree Relay and Council of the VAAA upheld the objection.

Points of note at the last Committee meeting were:

Attendances at our summer runs were higher than ever. 154 starters in 4 races plus 13 runners in the trial race for Veterans.

Membership at a record 146 Seniors and 23 Juniors.

More assistance to officiating at our events must come from members to maintain high standards in our races. The VMC can only succeed to the extent that members themselves share in the duties necessary to the vital function of the club. Lack of adequate numbers of officials and lapses in efficiency can negate any good performance.

Members are reminded that on March 31st. 1969 they cease to be financial members of the VMC until their subscriptions for the 1969/70 have been received.

Fred Lester,  
Secretary, V.M.C.

VICTORIAN MARATHON CLUB 2 Hour Run Meeting, Mentone, Oct. 13, 1968

Weather - Fine and Clear, steady Westerly breeze, track cut up.

Junior 2 Miles Team Race:

		3km	2M
1. Neil PADLEY (Ment)	9:00	9:33	5
2. Ian MINTER (C'wd)	9:00	9:35	
3. Murray WATSON (B.H.)	9:09	9:45	
4. HARRISON (B.H.)	9:10	9:46	
5. BALLARD (C'wd)	9:25	10:05	
6. WALLACE (Rich)	9:29	10:18	
7. GIBSON (Ment)	9:36	10:21	
8. DEWHURST (Ment)	9:45	10:29	
9. DEANEY (C'wd)	9:50	10:36	
10. ROGERS (B.H.)	9:55	10:42	
11. PARKER (Rich)		10:44	
12. CHALMERS (Rich)		10:45	
13. BERRY (Ment)		10:47	
14. D. WHITE (EMH)		10:56	
15. K. SMITH (C'wd)		11:55	

Open 4 Miles Team Race:

1. Brendan LAYH (B.H.)	19:30
2. Alan BLACKBURN (B.H.)	19:33
3. Ross HAYWOOD (B.H.)	19:43
4. Bob HENDY (C'wd)	20:02
5. Neil RYAN (Rich)	20:07
6. Graeme YOUNG (C'wd)	20:16
7. Tom KILLY (B.H.)	20:51
8. Dave MARBURG (EMH)	21:35
9. Mick BOYLEN (C'wd)	21:51
10. M. CREAGH (EMH)	22:55
11. John CLAXTON (Rich)	25:42

6 runners did not complete the distance.

1. BOX HILL 6 pts.  
2. COLLINGWOOD 19 pts.

1. MENTONE 16 pts. 2. COLLINGWD 16p.  
3. BOX HILL 17 pt. 4. RICHMOND 29p.

2 HOUR TRACK RUN:

	3M	6M	15km	10M	20km	25km	30km	20M
1. Jim CRAWFORD	16.52	34.01	52.36	56.25	69.57	87.47	106.40	115.46
2. Ian DAVIDSON	18.22	37.00	57.38	62.06	77.55	98.04	118.14	0
3. M. BROWNE	19.35	40.12	63.17	68.04	85.34	103.47	0	0
4. Harry LOGAN	19.44	40.14	63.17	68.13	86.01	111.45	0	0

DNF: Rex Foulkes, Doug WATTIE, Geoff HALL, Gerry PLOEG, Rex PERKINS

JIM CRAWFORD (SMH)	20M	1178y	-	33km	167m
Ian DAVIDSON (W'tn)	18M	1690y	-	30km	516m
M. BROWNE (SMH)	16M	1565y	-	27km	183m
Harry LOGAN (B.H.)	16M	1303y	-	26km	943m

VICTORIAN MARATHON CLUB 5 MILES November 4th. 1968

Two Bridges Course. 43 Starters.

Weather: Mild, overcast.

	Hand	Time	H.Pl		Hand	Time	H.Pl
1. Peter BRUCE	1.20	24.34	E9	23. Keith LODGE	-	28.20	-
2. Neil RYAN	2.00	24.38	4	24. Peter O'BRIEN	5.00	28.25	11
3. Barry TREGENZA	1.00	24.41	12	25. Don WOOD	6.00	28.27	2
4. Barry SAWYER	1.00	24.48	13	26. Max HOLMES	4.30	28.35	21
5. Tency DEBLAN	1.20	25.17	15	27. John CONDON	5.00	28.52	14
6. George CLAXTON	1.20	25.21	18	28. Dennis WATTIE	7.00	29.11	1
7. Geoff GREEN	2.30	25.23	7	29. HowardBOREHAM	-	29.13	-
8. Ian LEEDER	1.20	25.28	E22	30. Wal SHEPPARD	4.20	29.19	29
9. Fred JONE	1.30	25.34	20	31. Kevin SKELTON	5.20	29.28	E22
10. Don WILLIAMS	1.30	25.40	24	32. Sam HILDITCH	4.30	29.40	30
11. B. COCKER	-	25.48	-	33. Wilf BISHOP	6.30	30.29	16
12. Graeme THOMPSON	-	25.54	-	34. Norm McLEISH	6.30	30.49	26
13. John WAITE	3.00	26.14	E 9	35. Barry LINO	7.30	31.32	19
14. Brian MEE	-	26.25	-	36. Col CRAWFORD	10.00	32.37	3
15. Jim CRAWFORD	2.00	27.17	31	37. Bern BENJAMIN	5.00	33.26	33
16. Ken SOLOMON	4.30	27.20	5	38. Allan JONES	-	33.54	-
17. Lindsay HOOPER	4.30	27.22	6	39. Mike PORTER	10.00	35.30	32
18. Dick JEFFREY	4.30	27.38	8	40. George WILSON	12.00	42.43	34
19. Max OOSTWOLD	3.00	27.45	28	41. George SIMPSON	13.00	48.36	35
20. John VISSER	3.30	27.45	25				
21. Barry JONES	3.30	27.57	27				
22. Ivan DAVIDSON	4.00	28.00	17				

Did Not Finish:  
Arthur O'BRIEN  
Bruno CORCORAN

VICTORIAN MARATHON CLUB 7½ miles Two Bridges Course. Nov. 18 '68

38 Starters Weather: Cool, humid.

Name	Hand	Time	Hand Pl.	
1. Neil RYAN	2.30	37.20	2	
2. Barry SAWYER	2.00	38.04	E10	
3. Terry PHELAN	2.30	38.27	6	
4. Geoff GREEN	3.30	38.34	3	
5. Ian LEEDER	2.50	38.49	7	
6. Don WILLIAMS	2.50	38.53	9	<u>Did not finish</u>
7. Bernard VINE	-	38.57	-	
8. Barry TREGENZA	2.45	40.01	E19	Roger ELLIS
9. Terry HARRISON	3.00	40.16	E19	Mike HUBBERT
10. John BARRETT	3.00	40.33	21	Wally SHEPPARD
11. John WAITE	4.00	40.48	17	Russell McLEOD
12. Ray SOLOMON	2.50	42.00	25	George CLAXTON
13. Max OOSTWOU	5.50	42.00	12	Kevin SOLOMON
14. Richard JEFFREY	6.30	42.12	4	
15. Graham MOON	4.00	42.24	24	
16. Jack HARROWFIELD	-	42.37	-	
17. Bruce SULLIVAN	5.00	42.52	22	
18. Ian DAVIDSON	6.45	43.10	14	
19. Max HOLMES	7.30	43.16	5	
20. Don WOOD	7.30	43.31	8	
21. Jim CRAWFORD	4.30	44.26	26	
22. Rod GRIEVE	10.00	44.47	1	
23. Ian BRAY	-	44.51	-	
24. John CONDON	8.15	45.29	18	
25. Dennis WATTIE	9.00	45.43	16	
26. Roger BUNCH	10.00	46.04	E10	
27. Kevin CUMMINS	10.00	46.33	15	
28. Mike BROWNE	-	47.01	-	
29. Barry LINO	12.00	48.13	13	
30. John McLEISH	10.30	48.36	23	
31. Allan JONES	-	49.30	-	
32. Graham ANDERSON	14.00	54.20	27	

V.M.C. 16km/10M Two Bridges Course 2.12.1968

31 Starters Waather: Cool and overcast, slight breeze.

Name	Hand	Time	Hand Pl.	
1. Neil RYAN	2.00	48.57	E 3	
2. Terry PHELAN	3.30	52.11	11	
3. Don WILLIAMS	4.30	52.35	7	
4. Geoff GREEN	3.40	52.43	12	
5. Terry HARRISON	4.40	53.03	9	
6. Jim CRAWFORD	7.00	53.47	1	<u>Did not finish</u>
7. Ross FOWE	4.30	53.50	13	Roger ELLIS
8. John BARRETT	4.40	54.41	18	George CLAXTON
9. Brian GEE	7.30	54.58	nf (6)	Wally SHEPPARD
10. John WAITE	6.00	55.33	15	WATKINS
11. Max OOSTWOU	8.30	56.58	10	Barry LINO
12. Max HOLMES	10.30	57.46	5	
13. John VISSER	8.00	58.02	19	
14. Ivan DAVIDSON	10.00	58.11	8	
15. Neil KIRKWOOD	8.30	58.53	20	
16. Edward BOREHAM	12.30	59.27	nf (e3)	
17. Jim BEISTY	10.00	59.40	17	
18. Ken FRAZER	10.30	61.16	21	
19. Kevin CUMMINS	14.30	61.18	2	
20. Mike BROWNE	10.30	61.52	22	
21. Alf O'CONNOR	11.00	62.55	23	
22. Norm McLEISH	15.30	65.08	16	
23. Mark VINES	-	65.50	nf	
24. Allan JONES	18.00	67.26	14	
25. Graham ANDERSON	22.00	74.26	25	
26. George WILSON	34.00	88.17	24	

VICTORIAN MARATHON CLUB "EMIL ZATOPEK" 10 Kilos YARRA PARK 18.12.1968

42 Starters

Weather: Warm and humid.

Name	Time	Hand.	Hand. Pl.	
1. Ronald CLARKE	29.25.6	Scr.	21	
2. Neil RYAN	30.42	1.00	25	
3. Peter GALLAGHER	30.53	2.20	E 8	
4. John STANLEY	31.06	1.50	16	
5. Barry SAWYER	31.18	2.00	18	
6. Terry PHELAN	31.47	2.30	17	<u>Did not finish</u>
7. Roger ELLIS	31.53	3.30	7	Kevin SOLOMON
8. Jim CRAWFORD	31.59	3.40	6	John VISSER
9. Amor HOWELL (SA)	32.08	3.00	14	George CLAXTON
10. Barry TRUCENZA	32.22	2.00	32	Tony COOK
11. Bern VINE	32.27	3.00	22	Ray WHITE
12. Ray SOLOMON	32.35	2.50	26	Don WILLIAMS
13. Terry HARRISON	32.40	3.20	19	Doug McCLURE
14. Geoff GREEN	32.46	3.00	E27	
15. Bob WALLACE	32.46	4.30	5	
16. Peter BRUCE	33.06	2.20	34	
17. Fred HOWE	33.12	3.40	23	
18. John WAITE	33.22	3.20	29	
19. Mike HUBBARD	33.40	5.30	E 2	
20. John BARNETT	33.47	3.20	33	
21. S. O'CONNOR	34.03	5.30	E 8	
22. Max OOSTWOU	34.32	5.40	11	
23. R. BEAR	34.42	6.30	4	
24. D.W. JONES	35.28	6.30	12	
25. Bob HETHERINGTON	35.35	7.00	10	
26. Ivan DAVIDSON	35.44	6.30	15	
27. Mike CUMMINS	36.33	7.00	24	
28. M. O'RYAN	36.42	6.30	30	
29. Evin CUMMINS	36.46	7.00	E27	
30. Mike BROWN	37.37	8.30	13	
31. Ken FRAZER	37.44	7.30	31	
32. Barry LINO	38.17	10.30	1	
33. Graham ANDERSON	38.40	10.30	E 2	
34. John CLAXTON	39.17	8.30	35	
35. Noel ANDERSON	42.24	13.00	20	

VETERANS MILE

1. Wally SHEPPARD	4.47.0
2. Lindsay HOOPER	4.48.6
3. Jack DIBBS	4.57.0
4. Keith ROUTLEY	5.00.0
5. Leslie PERRY	5.01.0
6. Jack STEVIENS	5.24.0
7. Ray BOXER	5.35.0
8. N. ANDERSON	5.35.4
9. Allen JONES	5.41.0
10. Jim JACK	5.45.0
11. RITLEY	5.47.0
12. Arthur O'BRIEN	5.54.0
13. Harry LOGAN	6.03.0