

Eastern Metropolitan Region

Kew Little Athletics Centre Annual Report – Season 2008/2009

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Registrations

- Currently 398 registrations at Centre across 225 families. This represents a growth of approximately 150 athletes from the previous year and has set a record number of registrations for the Kew Centre.

Competition Activities

- Competition in February interrupted by severe hot weather which resulted in modified and shortened programs;
- Kew had a very successful EMR weekend with our biggest squad in recent years with 20 athletes achieving 38 medals (14 Gold, 13 Silver, 11 Bronze) and 25 athletes going through to state in 40 events
- Kew has a very successful State T&F weekend with one of our biggest squad representation in recent years. Approximately 20 medals were won across all track and field events.
- More Centre records continue to be broken, mainly in jumps and hurdles and throws
- Javelin is being enjoyed by u13+ athletes
- Our long weekend twilight events are no longer possible due to cost of COB employee to move sound screen and conflicts with cricket tenancy

Current Centre Activities

- Good progress with new pavilion – will definitely be out of our shipping containers for next TF season! Next task is restoring track condition!
- New committee has been installed and preparation for next season has already started to try and break the record registrations achieve last season.
- In relation to the Cross Country season Kew has approximately 60 athletes participating and again this is a great number considering our club size.

General Interest

- Good attendance with 6 'in-house' coaches on Wednesday nights with State the current focus.
- AGM conducted on Saturday 28th of March during our final day of the season
- Kew's books prepared for AGM and financials passed at AGM and new committee was voted in by the members