



# AUSTRALIAN MASTERS ATHLETICS

*Promoting active healthy athletics competition  
through our network of state and territory associations*



## President's Message

Welcome to the inaugural AMA eNews, a quarterly publication designed for all financial Masters athletes, and associated groups who are interested in keeping up to date with activities in our sport. Since the annual AMA Handbook ceased publication at the end of 2014, our news has been via state associations or on the AMA website. The introduction of this AMA eNews will enhance our national website information, and allow AMA to bring our information updates directly to you.

The big event of the year is without doubt the WMA Championships in Perth in October/November. This is an opportunity for all our Aussie athletes who have reached 35 years by 26<sup>th</sup> October, to participate and experience the thrill of wearing the green and gold in a World Championship event being held right here in Australia.

One of the great things about such a competition is not about being the best, but about being the best that you can be, so come along and take advantage of this wonderful opportunity on our doorstep

AMA is also introducing a range of Team Wear clothing to compliment the competition uniform. This line comes from Lifestyle Australia, who are also producing the clothing range for the 2018 Commonwealth Games. Full details of the tracksuit, polo, tee shirt, shorts and cap are included below.

Best wishes for a successful year in athletics.

Wilma Perkins  
AMA President



World Masters Athletics Championships 2016

Perth WA 23rd October - 6th November

**NOTE: Registrations close Thursday 25th August**

Click here for [Registration procedures](#)

## New AMA Team Wear

AMA has adopted a new line of Team Wear for our Australian Team to introduce at the Perth2016 Masters World Championships, designed to complement the current National Uniform items.

### The items are:

- Tracksuit Top
- Tracksuit Pants
- Polo Shirt
- Tee Shirt
- Walk Shorts
- Cap



The Tracksuit Top and Pants feature slim styling, striped side panels and zip openings at the Pant sides, with Southern Cross, AUSTRALIA and "Australian Masters Athletics" motifs.

The Polo shirts feature AUSTRALIA emblazoned across the back, "Australian Masters Athletics" on the left chest, the Southern Cross on the right chest, with yellow and white kangaroo feature print and the Australian map on the left sleeve.

The Tee shirts are a similar design to the Polo shirts, with a rounded neck in place of the polo shirt collar.

The Walk Shorts are navy with a drawstring waist, and a kangaroo motif wrapping around the right side leg.

Our Cap has an adjustable strap, and features a kangaroo with Southern Cross design at the back (not showing in this pic), and "Australian Masters Athletics" and Southern Cross at the front.

All items except the cap come in both Men's and Women's styling and sizes (see Sizing sheet).

Order page here: [AMA Shop](#) (Team Wear is under AMA Merchandise Tab on AMA website)

## A.M.A Trivia

Did you compete at the World Championships in Melbourne in 1987? And are you intending to compete in Perth in 2016? If so, let AMA know. We want to list the athletes who intend to complete this double.

Here is the start of the list. Can we add your name?

Mike Stevenson, Heather Doherty, Mike Hall, Penny Hall, Jim Seymon, Peter Crombie, Neville McIntyre, Barrie Kernaghan, Wilma Perkins, David Clive, Margaret Taylor, Marge Allison, Noreen Parrish, Mary Thomas, Chris Schultz, Judy Farrell, Heather Carr (nee McDonald), George White, Bob Gardiner.....

## A.M.A Calendar - 2016 – 2017

<b>AMA Marathon Championships 2016</b>	Gold Coast QLD - July 3 <sup>rd</sup>
<b>AMA 20K Walk Championships 2016</b>	Adelaide SA – August 28 <sup>th</sup>
<b>AMA Winter Throws Championships 2016</b>	Wollongong NSW – October 1 <sup>st</sup> - 3 <sup>rd</sup>
<b>WMA Athletic Championships 2016</b>	Perth WA - October 23 <sup>rd</sup> - November 6 <sup>th</sup>
<b>AMA Half Marathon Championships 2017</b>	Hobart TAS - January 15 <sup>th</sup>
<b>WMA World Indoor Championships 2017</b>	Daegu City South Korea - March 19 <sup>th</sup> – 25 <sup>th</sup>
<b>AMA Track &amp; Field Championships 2017</b>	Darwin NT – June 9 <sup>th</sup> – 12 <sup>th</sup>

(For full details of all Future Events go to 'Future Events' AMA website)



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