

## **Rules for an AMA Postal Half Marathon Championships**

Triennium period 2022 - 2024

### **Name of event:**

“The AMA Half-marathon Championship”

### **Who is eligible to compete?**

All master athletes registered with one of the State or Territory Associations.

### **Time period for eligible events:**

April 1 to October 31

### **Eligible Events:**

A list of eligible events will be compiled and will be available for viewing on the AMA web site.

Each State/Territory will identify the races in their jurisdiction that can be contested.

All the eligible half-marathons will need to be on courses that meet the requirements of World Athletics rule 260.28 a, b, and c, except that measurement by a C grade measurer will be allowed. (Rule is attached).

Results from Overseas half-marathons will not be eligible.

Competitors can compete in any eligible event.

### **Registration:**

Every member wanting to be included in the Championship will need to register. AMA will set up a simple ‘register now’ where members can register.

Up to two races can be nominated when registering.

Race performances will only be accepted from events in which the competitor has registered beforehand.

### **Registration Fee:**

This will be \$10.00 for one or more events.

The fee will be paid to AMA and will be used to pay for the awards.

It is appreciated that some of the public events are quite expensive to enter.

Some State/Territory Associations organise their own low-cost events. We would encourage this.

There are a number of certified course measurers who are available and are willing to certify courses.

The following information will be required at registration:

**Name** (Important that the name is consistent with that used on the event entry)

**Age**

**Gender**

**Address**

**Email address.** Up to two races can be selected from a list.

### **Obtaining of results:**

The organisers will likely have trouble obtaining the results for all races that have been contested.

Competitors may need to send the organisers a copy of the official results of their race.

### **Publishing of Results:**

It is proposed that the results of all performances will be available on a web site as soon as they are achieved (and reported). This will increase the interest in the championship.

### **Awards:**

Will be made to the first three in each five-year age group (Male and Female) from age group 30 years. Where a competitor has contested two events only their best performance will be included in the awards.