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## Newsletter Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2007

At this very busy time of year, we wanted to let you know all that is coming up on the Little Athletic calendar, to assist you with organizing your holiday plans. Our last meet for 2007 will be our twilight meeting next week on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> December, commencing at 6pm. We finished our last twilight meet around 9pm (with our modified program in place), so it is not too late a night for the children. We hope to see you all there next week, as there will be a special visitor coming to see the kids.

### PROGRAM 1

U6	U7	U8	U9	U10	U11-12	U13-16
On-Track		70M	70M			
	100M		100M	100M	100M	
60M	200M	200M				200M
			400M	400M	800M	400M
	LJ	LJ		TJ		LJ
		SP	SP	SP	HJ	SP
	DIS				DIS	

Our Centre has a number of teams competing at the State Relay Championships next weekend, being held at Olympic Park, and we wish them all the best of luck. They have trained very hard to make it through to this level of competition. It is worth a look for those of you who are free on Sunday the 16<sup>th</sup> of December, so come along to cheer our athletes on.

Thank you to everyone who participated in the 1 Lap Event on November 10<sup>th</sup>, we raised \$450.00.

We re commence our summer season on Saturday the 19<sup>th</sup> of January 2008 at 8am. Keilor Little Athletics Centre athletes will join us on this day. We have invited Keilor athletes as a thank you to them, for the use of their track and brand new facility's this time last year, when our own track was being resurfaced. The following week Hume Little Athletics Centre athletes will join us, as a thank you to them for hosting us at their track for the second half of our season earlier this year. We thought the members of those Centres would love the opportunity to run on our new track, and as our numbers are traditionally low in the first few weeks back (as people are still holidaying), we saw it as a great way for our athletes who do attend, to enjoy new competition, and have the chance to make new friends as well.

Our On Track program, which has been a huge success in its inaugural year, will continue in the New Year, with more track events scheduled for the Under 6 athletes.

We have Region Track and Field on the weekend of February 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> 2008. If your child is interested in competing, please complete the necessary forms that have been handed around by our Team Manager Robyn Murray asap.

State Multi's will be held on the weekend of March 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> at Albury.

Finally I would like to thank all those people who have officiated thus far this season. As you are probably aware we have struggled to get the volunteers we need to run the program each week, and it is only due to those people who offer to help even though it is not their rostered week, that the program does run so successfully.

On behalf of the Committee of ELAC, I wish you all a very Merry Christmas, and a Happy and Safe New Year.

Kylie Devine  
Hon President  
ELAC