

# Membership Form

## 2010-11



**Please Note:** This form **MUST** be submitted to **Western Athletics** along with payment.

Athletics Victoria ABN 47 382 664 821  
When completed and signed this form constitutes a tax invoice.

### Your Details

|                |   |   |   |
|----------------|---|---|---|
| Athletics Club | <b>WESTERN ATHLETICS</b>                                      |   |   |
| Family Name    |   | Given Name(s)                             |   |
| Address        | Street Address/PO Box   | Suburb/Town                               | Postcode  |
| Home #         |   | First time registered                     | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>    |
| Mobile #       |   | Work #                                    |   |
| Email          |   |   |   |
| Gender         | <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female | Date of Birth (DD/MM/YYYY)                | / /   |
| Disability     | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No      | Disability Classification (if applicable) |   |
| VLAA Centre*   |   | School/Uni                                |   |
|                | Victorian Little Athletics Centre (if applicable)             |   | Victorian Secondary or Tertiary Institution (if applicable) |

In signing this form, I agree to the terms and conditions of membership of Athletics Victoria Inc as well as the declaration overleaf and have included payment for Club and Athletics Victoria Inc fees.

Signed by Member or Guardian

Date DD / MM / YYYY

Signed by Club Registrar

Date DD / MM / YYYY

### Membership Costs

|   |   |    |
|---|---|----|
| Athlete   | <b>\$210</b> Open                         | \$ |
|   | <b>\$170</b> Under 18/20 (as at 31/12/10) | \$ |
|   | <b>\$150</b> Under 14/16 (as at 31/12/10) | \$ |
| Official  | <b>\$50</b>                               | \$ |
| Associate                                       | <b>\$120</b> Open                         | \$ |
| Associate                                       | <b>\$90</b> Underage                      | \$ |
| Other   | <b>\$70</b> Member of another AV Club     | \$ |
| Plus Additional Fees (if applicable, see right) | <b>+</b> \$                               |    |
| Less Discounts (if applicable, see right)       | <b>-</b> \$                               |    |
| <b>Total 2010-11 AV Membership Fee</b>          | <b>\$</b>                                 |    |

#### Additional Fees (please tick; see over page for details)

|  |                                  |
|--|----------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Alternate First Claim | <b>\$40</b>                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Second Claim          | <b>\$40</b>                      |
| Club Name                                      | Alternate First or Second Claim: |

#### Discounts (please tick; see over page for details)

|  |             |
|--|-------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> VLAA Athlete* (Under 16 & Under 18)               | <b>\$70</b> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Athlete & Official                                | <b>\$40</b> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Country Athlete (not applicable to VLAA Athletes) | <b>\$20</b> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Family  | <b>\$15</b> |

Please complete and submit this form to the Western Athletics Registrar, along with payment for Club & AV fees:

**ADRIAN JEFFKINS (ph. 0448 329 577)**  
**6 Kirby Court, WERRIBEE 3030**

#### PAYMENT DETAILS: Please circle payment method

|                    |  |
|--------------------|--|
| Cash               | May be passed onto Western Athletics Registrar                                       |
| Cheque/Money Order | Payable to "Western Athletics Inc." passed onto Western Athletics Registrar          |
| Electronic Payment | BSB: 033 132 Account No: 156593<br>(must include your name in the description field) |

Office Use Only

Date Processed:

Member Number:

10-11 Bib Number:

Processed By:



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## What is Athletics Victoria?

Athletics Victoria (AV) is the peak state body representing people who enjoy competing in track & field, road racing, cross country and walks. AV is open to people of all ages, with all levels of ability being catered for.

To register with AV as a competing member, you must also be a member of an affiliated club. If you need information on AV clubs visit [www.athsvic.org.au](http://www.athsvic.org.au) or phone (03) 9428 8195.

## Terms & Conditions

1. This document relates to any applicant registering with Athletics Victoria Inc. for the period 1/4/2010 to 31/3/2011 (inclusive).

2. In the following terms and conditions "AV" means Athletics Victoria Inc.

3. I hereby make application for membership of AV with the Club listed on the membership form and declare that I am eligible to participate in competition according to the eligibility laws set down by the By Laws of Athletics Australia. I agree to abide by all the Rules and By Laws of AV, Memorandums, Articles and By Laws of Athletics Australia and Constitution and Rules of the International Association of Athletics Federation as amended from time to time.

4. The parent/guardian is responsible for the applicant and the applicant's adherence to this document if the applicant is under 18 years.

5. I acknowledge and consent to photographs and electronic images being taken of me during my participation in AV events by an official representative of AV. I acknowledge and agree that such photographs and electronic images are owned by AV and that AV may use the photographs for promotional or other purposes without my further consent being necessary. Further, I consent to AV using my name, image, likeness and also my performance in any AV events, at any time, by any form of media, to promote the event and AV. AV is not responsible for photographs and electronic images taken by persons who are not an official representative of AV.

6. I understand that these rules are subject to change at AV's discretion.

7. A current copy of all rules, regulations and policies can be obtained from the AV office and also the AV website at [www.athsvic.org.au](http://www.athsvic.org.au).

8. I understand that registrations will be refused if the membership form is not signed by both the applicant and Club Registrar.

9. FEE PAYMENT: I agree to provide payment for the charges outlined on this form. I agree to provide payment for any outstanding charges outlined by my Club at or before submission of this form to AV. I understand that failure to do so may result in disqualification from competitions.

### 10. CHARGES:

**ATHLETE** – An athlete is allowed to compete at AV events according to the various rules and policies relating to all AV competitions. Athlete classifications for fee purposes are: UNDER 14/16 ATHLETE – for people born 1/1/1995 to 31/3/2006 (inclusive); UNDER 18/20 ATHLETE – for people born 1/1/1991 to 31/12/1994 (inclusive); OPEN – all other athletes.

**OFFICIAL** – AV welcomes the registration of persons who are prepared to officiate at athletic events conducted by AV. To act as an official, the Association requires persons to undertake a Working with Children Check (as a volunteer there is no cost for this check). AV will facilitate training to assist officials to increase their skill levels and become accredited under the national accreditation scheme.

**COACH** – Victorian based coaches must now register via Athletics Australia's Coach Accreditation scheme. For further information and to register online as a coach visit <http://www.athletics.com.au/coaches>.

**ASSOCIATE** – Associate members are people who would like to contribute to the sport in ways other than listed above.

**ALTERNATE FIRST CLAIM** – Alternate First Claim registration entitles an athlete to nominate one club as his/her first claim club for the XCR'10 Season or the 2010-11 Summer Season. Alternate First Claim membership is valid for one year and terminates on 31/3/2011. Registration then reverts to the original first claim club. Alternate First Claim applications must be made on the AV registration form and incurs an additional fee. Alternate First Claim registration must be completed by 1/6/2010 for XCR'10 season or 1/12/2010 for summer season. Please ensure all parties have completed the form before lodging with AV (including a signature from the primary first claim club registrar on this form and a letter or email from the secondary first claim club registrar confirming acceptance of the athlete).

## Why join AV?

- To gain access to a well-organised and structured series of events in your particular area of interest.
- To become part of a vibrant and growing network of athletics clubs.
- To receive expert coaching and guidance.
- General insurance coverage.

**SECOND CLAIM** – With the exceptions referred to in By-Law 2.4, a competing athlete shall be entitled to nominate a second Club as being his/her second claim Club, such person shall be referred to as having Second Claim Registration which permits the athlete to compete with his/her second claim club in any competition in which his/her first claim club is not competing. Athletes whose first claim club competes in AV Shield competition at either a metropolitan or regional venue are not eligible for Second Claim Registration. Please ensure all parties have completed the form before lodging with AV Club (including a signature from the primary first claim club registrar on this form and a letter or email from the secondary first claim club registrar confirming acceptance of the athlete). Applications for second claim membership must be completed by 1/6/2010 for XCR'10 season or 1/12/2010 for summer season.

**TRANSFER** – Any member registered with an AV club at any time in the period 1/4/2008 to 31/3/2010 (inclusive) who is applying to register with a different club is required a "Transfer" and must meet the following requirements: A completed transfer form from the applicant's present Club must accompany the application; any person who has been refused a clearance by a Club or whose application for a clearance has not been dealt with within 21 days of lodging their application may lodge an appeal with the Board. The letter of refusal of clearance by the Club concerned, or evidence that the application was made to the Club 21 days prior to the lodging of the claim, must accompany any such appeal. Applications for a transfer of membership to compete for a Club must be completed by 1/6/2010 for XCR'10 season or 1/12/2010 for summer season.

### 11. DISCOUNTS:

**VLAA ATHLETE (11-17 years)** – Dual Athletes are those athlete aged between 11 and 14 as at 31/12/2010 who are current members of the Victorian Little Athletics Association. This discount also applies to Youth athletes aged between 15 and 17 as at 31/12/2010 who have been members of the Victorian Little Athletics Association at any stage since 1/1/2008. If claiming a VLAA Athlete discount, no other discount may be claimed. VLAA Athletes must nominate a VLAA Centre on the front of this form.

**FAMILY DISCOUNT** – Each family member must reside at the same address and register at the same time. This discount CANNOT be applied if any person in the family registers as an Official, or applies for the VLAA Athlete discount. The discount is multiplied by the number of eligible family members (3 or more) and subtracted from the total amount due.

## Declaration

Athletics Victoria Inc. (AV) has a duty of care to its members and to the general public who interact with its employees, volunteers, members and others involved with AV activities. As part of this duty of care and as a requirement of AV's Member Protection Policy, AV must enquire into the background of those applying for, undertaking or remaining in any work (paid or voluntary) that involves working with people under the age of 18 years. At AV's discretion, we may require any member over the age of 18 to undertake a Working with Children Check. Therefore, we require all members to confirm the declaration below:

'I do not have any criminal convictions or findings of guilt for offences involving sexual activity, act of indecency, child abuse or child pornography. I do not have any criminal charge pending before the courts. I have not had any disciplinary proceedings brought against me by an employer, sporting organization or similar body involving child abuse, sexual misconduct or harassment, acts of violence, intimidation or other forms of harassment.'