



**Athletics Victoria**  
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## News from the Committee – August 2015

Building on our previous commitment to greater and more transparent communication with the clubs, athletes, officials and volunteers it gives me great pleasure to provide my first report to the membership as President of Athletics Victoria.

### **Membership Structure and Registration Fees:**

The Committee continued discussion on the proposed changes to the membership offering which are expected to be introduced in April 2016. Consultation has occurred with a range of stakeholders, with positive feedback received. A broader communications strategy to inform the membership of the changes will commence in the near future.

### **Summer (AV Shield) Season:**

The Committee continued to discuss the concerns which were aired in relation to the Summer Season. In relation to the desire for additional rounds of competition, it was noted that it would be unlikely for 12 rounds to be accommodated, unless some rounds were held during the week, which the Shield Committee had previously indicated was not preferable. The Committee would seek the recommendations of the Shield Committee in relation to this matter.

It was agreed that communication was again an important area for improvement. To assist with this, the Shield Committees findings will be published and report provided to the membership after each Shield Committee meeting.

### **Engagement with the Membership:**

The Committee is committed to engaging with the membership and improving the accessibility of Committee members. To assist with this, Committee members are making themselves available to attend Club committee meetings over the coming months.

If you would like a Committee member to attend a Club Committee meeting, please email [glenn@athsvic.org.au](mailto:glenn@athsvic.org.au) with details of the meeting date and location and we will seek to organise to have a Committee member attend. There may be

some instances, due to timing or location this may not be possible however we will endeavour to our best.

Alternatively, if you have feedback for the Committee, or an item that needs our attention, please address such items to [president@athsvic.org.au](mailto:president@athsvic.org.au).

### **AV Sub Committees:**

The Committee confirmed the membership of its sub-committees:

- Finance and Investment
- Awards
- Marketing
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- Risk
- Remuneration and Nominations