



**Little
Athletics**
Victoria

TO: Centre & Region Secretaries
FROM: Anthony McIntosh – Chief Executive Officer
DATE: Wednesday 28th October 2020
SUBJECT: Update: Metro Centres 28.10.20

Community sport in metropolitan Melbourne

On Sunday 25.10.20, Victorian Premier Daniel Andrews announced that from 11.59pm on Tuesday 27.10.20, that non-contact community sport for 18 years and under would be permitted under the COVID-19 restrictions in metropolitan Melbourne.

Understandably, many Centres will have been eagerly anticipating this announcement. However, until such time Sport & Recreation Victoria (SRV) release the protocols for the safe conduct of community sport - including sanctioned Centre training and competition - remain suspended. This could take from several days to over a week.

Steps to occur from here:

- Completion of any outstanding affiliation items. (Click [HERE](#) to review affiliation progress & please contact the office by email if experiencing difficulties in submission of affiliation documents).
- Submission of completed [fee template](#) to kim.john@lavic.com.au.
- LAVic will provide the online COVID Safe Official (CSO) registration link for Centres to register CSOs;
- SRV will develop and release a set of COVID-19 protocols for the conduct of community sport in metropolitan Melbourne;
- LAVic will adapt the SRV protocols to suit the needs of metropolitan Centres and release these to Centres;
- Centres that have completed all that's required of them will then be authorised to commence accepting member registrations;
- Authorisation to commence training and competition granted upon submission of a signed copy protocols to LAVic and acknowledgement by the CEO (if not done previously).

Membership update

LAVic currently has 30 regional Victorian and NSW-based Centres taking registrations. To date, just over 2050 athletes have been registered.

Please be reminded the LAVic Team is still currently working from home, submitting queries in writing to office@lavic.com.au will assist the team enormously, many thanks for your co-operation and patience.

The LAVic team

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