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** WALKER OF THE WEEK **

For the first time this year, WOTW's attention turned to Aussie walkers' fortunes in international competition. Outside of Olympics or WA championships, they don't come much bigger than a Race Walk Tour Gold event, and it was in Taicang (CHN) that the curtain rose on this high-stakes series. It also yielded this week's winners ... Jemima Montag (VIC), Rhydian Cowley (VIC) and Isaac Beacroft (NSW).

Conditions were rugged, being unseasonally warm, and the women got the rough end of the stick with the temperature climbing to the mid-20s for their race. This played into the hands of **Jemima** who, well-conditioned for the heat, stamped her authority on a field of 80 to win in **1:27:20**, 27 secs faster than her winning time in the Australian championships in Adelaide a fortnight ago. With Olympic and WA championships podium medals in her pocket already, Jemima is poised to make her opposition turn themselves inside out if they want to take that Tokyo gold off her in September.



(Photo: AGERPRES

(Details of Jemima's win appear in 'International News.')

A top 10 finish in Taicang out of a field of 152, in a race where the first 20 all broke 1:20:00, earned **Rhydian** his award. The mind-blowing depth of the local opposition (the first 5 walked sub-1:18:30) made the performances of the 'foreign legion' – Bonfim 6th, Stano 7th, Karlstrom 9th, Cowley 10th and Fortunato 11th (last week he'd set a world indoor 5000m record in Italy's winter) – all the more meritorious, with Rhydian missing his own winning Adelaide time by a mere 3 secs in clocking **1:18:38**. Like Jemima, Rhydian will now settle down to a steady build-up for Tokyo and, hopefully, podium success.

It's a shame that we had no coverage or footage of the Men's U20 10km race, which means we don't yet know how **Isaac** achieved his excellent win with a time of **40:30**. Doubtless there will be eye witness accounts shortly, but it's compelling to wonder whether Isaac – the only non-local in a field of 57 – used a shock surge to carry him to the front as he did in Turkiye last year, or if his rivals were ready for him yet he simply ground them down. Either way, the young New South Welshman – now with two 1sts and a 4th from his only three internationals thus far – has served notice to the world that (being one who trains extensively and races sparingly) he's in there for the long haul and will be discounted at their peril.

Well done to Jemima, Rhyd and Isaac ... three top-class exponents of our sport that Australia is so lucky to have.

*Honourable mentions

- **Declan Tingay (WA)** a strong 20th place finish in 1:19:57 in Taicang.
- Marcus Wakim (VIC) plunged into the crucible of a 152-strong field in Taicang, Marcus was the only one of 14 Australian 20km entrants to record a PB, ripping 2:03 from his best to clock 1:28:02.
- **Keenan Munro** and **Liam Domoney (WA)** two fast 1500m victories in the AW Little Athletics titles, with times of **6:27.96** and **6:51.53** respectively.
- Kim Mottrom (SA) set a new State M40 record for 5000m with an excellent time of 21:37.57.
- **Sebastian Ryan (ACT, 12yo)** two big PBs last weekend in the Capital Athletics U13 1500m (19 secs) and U14 3000m (33 secs) championships.

CLUB NEWS and RESULTS

Here it is ... the outline of our **2025 Winter Season racing fixture**. Once again, a huge thank-you to Mark Donahoo for his work in putting it together through many drafts and revisions, negotiations with other organisations and dovetailing our dates with theirs. The full Fixture (race distances, starting time, race and membership fees, Club rules etc) will be posted shortly on the Club website and sent out to members via the Revolutionize email.

There are a few items to which I'd like to draw the attention of readers:

*RWA 58th Annual Lake Burley Griffin Carnival

Victoria's involvement in this classic event has been a lynchpin of the Carnival's success since its inception in 1967. In recent years – due in large measure to the Covid pandemic and its aftermath – our presence in Canberra on the June long weekend has fallen away sharply, with last year's attendance particularly disappointing. As the VRWC works to rebuild its membership (encouragingly, particularly at the junior levels), so grow our hopes of having more starters at Stromlo Sport Park on Sunday 8 June. While our numbers may not yet match the flocks of sky-blue NSW shirts on the start line, the big V is always competitive, and we urge our members to take advantage of what is a most enjoyable weekend if racing, sightseeing and socializing.

*AV 30km Championship to return

The retired 30km State championship has been recalled in place of the 35km title, which has been deleted for lack of a suitable location on the fixture (last year it was too close to Canberra where it is also scheduled, and later it will be irrelevant for qualifying purposes once the Marathon Race Walk takes its place internationally.) Using a points system, the 30km can be held on our certified Aughtie Drive loop as a qualifier for World Athletics events.

*VRWC Club championships - changes

Three Club championship days will be held during the season. These will comprise a Track championship (distance only), and two Road championships (age-group with different distances). Note that some of the trophies aligned with past championship distances will be re-assigned to accommodate the changes.

2025 WINTER SEASON FIXTURE						
APRIL 20th A 11	VDWG GHAMDIONGHIDG	M . T 1				
Saturday 26 th April	VRWC CHAMPIONSHIPS	Mentone Track				
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Saturday 3 rd May	VRWC Points races	Middle Park				
Saturday 10 th May	VRWC Points races	Middle Park				
Saturday 10 th May	Coaching seminar for parents, athletes and coaches	Middle Park				
Sunday 18 th May	AV CHAMPIONSHIP, AV SCHOOLS & VRWC CHAMPION					
	porating AV Jared Tallent Trophy 30km	Middle Park				
Saturday 24 th May	VRWC Points races	Middle Park				
Saturday 31st May	VRWC Points races	Middle Park				
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JUNE Sunday 8 th June	RWA 58th Annual Lake Burley Griffin Carnival,	Canberra				
Saturday 14 th June	A.V. & LA Vic Championships,	Middle Park				
	Gardiner 10km winter championship	Wilddic I alk				
Saturday 14 th June	Judging course and Coaching seminar	Middle Park				
Saturday 21st June	VRWC Points races	Middle Park				
Saturday 28 th June	VRWC Points races & Prize Day	Middle Park				
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JULY						
Sunday 6th July	AV & VRWC CHAMPIONSHIPS & EVENTS	Middle Park				
Saturday 12 th July	VRWC Points races and Interval races	Middle Park				
Saturday 19th July	VRWC Points races	10111 7 1				
Saturday 19th July	Coaching seminar for parents, athletes and coaches	Middle Park				
Saturday 26 th July	Racewalking Australia Postal Challenge event &	M: 111 D 1				
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AUGUST Saturday 2 nd August	VRWC Points races	Middle Park				
Saturday 9 th August	AV Championship & VRWC Championships & events	Middle Park				
Saturday 16 th August	VRWC Last points race	Middle Park				
Sunday 24 th August	Australia Athletics championships	Ballarat				
Saturday 30 th August	VRWC non points race day	Middle Park				
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<u>September</u>						
Saturday 6 th September	AV 5km teams championship, VMA 5km track championship &					
a.		Mentone Track				
Sunday 14 th September	VRWC relay race and Seasons Presentations	Middle Park				



A total of nine VRWC members were among the Australian contingent of 15 walkers who ventured north to Taicang in China for the initial **World Athletics Race Walking Tour (Gold)** meeting of 2025. Of these, 14 contested the marquee 20km races with Isaac Beacroft (NSW) the sole foreign entrant in the U20 10km.

In what were unexpectedly warm conditions, the Victorians stood up the challenges they faced individually against formidable local opposition, with all finishing, no DQs and even one PB. Congratulations to **Jemima Montag** on her brilliantly executed win, and to all the Vics and their interstate team mates on their efforts. And a huge fist-pump to **Isaac**, who reprised his World Teams victory over the Chinese last year in Antalya, this time in their own backyard!

VRWC results:

Jemima Montag Rebecca Henderson Alanna Peart	1st 24 th 47 th	1:27:20 1:32:44 1:38:44
Rhydian Cowley	10^{th}	1:18:38
Will Thompson	69^{th}	1:22:53
Corey Dickson	98^{th}	1:26:06
Kyle Swan	107^{th}	1:27:12
Marcus Wakim	113^{th}	1:28:02 PB 2:03
Fraser Saunder	134^{th}	1:34:46

With a less-cluttered international season ahead in 2025, we hope many of these elite members can make it down to Middle Park for such club races and other appearances as can be fitted into their schedules. After all, they're our heroes!





Coaches' Racewalking Practical Coaching course held at Mentone

Last Saturday saw the holding the long-awaited practical course for race walk coaches looking to upgrade their competency to Level 3 and beyond. This pathway of development had been closed since the cessation of the Australian Track & Field Coaches Association's role in providing it, and it was only after many months of negotiation between VRWC coach Mark Donahoo (himself an accredited Level 5 coach) and officials of Athletics Victoria and Australian Athletics responsible for coach education that walks coaches can now continue with their progression. Well done to Mark, Kate Richardson and all who played a part in the course's renaissance.

A small group of 10 took advantage of this opportunity, which consisted of theory and practical components. Mark had packed



Mark makes a point on correcting technical flaws

a lot into the 3½ hour session which ended with some of us coping with complaining muscles, shins etc. For those of us currently coaching walkers there were many useful takeaways, among which were:

- Sample training programs, phases and periodization
- Setting programs for children and young walkers
- Educating novice walkers (especially children) in how to race effectively
- Strengthening of muscles that are inclined to tire with intense training (especially in the core)
- The importance of the 'tumble forward' in maintaining momentum, achieved by:
 - Long rear-leg push-off and strong ankle extension on the drive;
 - Shorter placement of front heel (which also guards against overstriding)
 - Emphasis on backward drive of the arms, not forward
- Fault detection and corrective measures
- Equally weighting credit for what's done well with critique of faults
- Looking at a walker's action through a judge's eyes

The outdoor prac sessions gave participants a chance to observe each other's walking action and give advice where needed, and to experience drills with which to help their walkers embed such skills as low foot carriage on the advancing leg. Back inside, a useful chat session was held in which coaching experiences were shared. Several coaches also discussed video footage they had taken of their athletes with the aim of correcting specific technical flaws.

Attendance and participation in the course will count towards Australian Athletics' Level 3 Performance Coach accreditation, the content of which must be accessed via your AA Member account and completed online.

Again, well done to Mark. Now that this initial activity has been completed, we hope the next one (probably in 2026 but perhaps earlier) will attract even more interest amongst walks coaches seeking to advance and progress.





Drills for ankle flexion and drive (and remedying shin soreness)





LAVic State T&F championships, 8/9 March – Casey Fields

This Saturday will see the holding of the Walks events at the LAVic 2024/25 State Track and Field Championships at Casey Fields. A timetable can be viewed at https://lavic.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2020/06/FINAL-State-Track-and-Field-Timetable-24-25.pdf.

Many of our VRWC present and past members will be on the track from 8.30 to 11.00am on Saturday, racing at distances from 700m to 1500m. We wish them all well. We hope also to attract some keen young walkers into our ranks as new members, so if you're out there, remember to give the VRWC a plug. Good luck everyone!



Start of a 1500m race at the 2024 championships

(Photo: LAVic)



AROUND THE COUNTRY

A.C.T. Capital Athletics U9-U17 walks championships, 23 February – AIS, Canberra

ACTRFWC secretary Jeanette Ryan reports:

The Capital Athletics Championships saw a number of the club's members walking and recording excellent times. The huge improvements achieved by the walkers are a testament to both the drive and determination of the walkers, and the new Monday night training run by Ann Jugovic. Congratulations walkers and Ann on such as wonderful achievement.

(Note: As the competition was a CA championship meet and not an ACTRFWC one, placings are not given since the names are only those of ACTRFWC members in the races.)

U10 1100m Walk		U11 1100m Walk	
Zac Anderson Rule	6:09.02	Samantha Ramboer	5:58.62 PB 0:02
Estrid Helgstedt	6:37.48		
U12 1500m Walk		U13 1500m Walk	
Tindra Helgstedt	8:44.03 PB 0:59	Sebastian Ryan	8:19.75 PB 0:19
Clare Rice	9:23.43		
U15 1500m Walk		U16 1500m Walk	
Jillian Ryan	7:11.41	Emma Grocott	7:08.42
U14 3000m Walk		U16 3000m Walk	
Sebastian Ryan	17:27.40 PB 0:33	Jillian Ryan	15:38.97

QUEENSLAND QA Track & Field c'ships, 1 March – St Lucia

Robyn Wales reports that the small fields for the 5000m walks championships on Saturday evening encountered a very strong wind on the back straight. It's been a windy summer all around, with walkers' strength being tested and their quest for fast times often frustrated. Such races are often as good as hill sessions, though ...

Women U17 5000	m Walk		Men U17 5000	m Walk	
1 Olivia Boulton	GCA	28:39.99	1 Noah Cooke	QRWC	24:57.33
2 Eliza Kelly	QRWC	31:06.32			
Women U18 5000	m Walk		Men U18 5000)m Walk	
Women U18 5000 1 Milly Sharpe	m Walk Gladstone	25:39.99	Men U18 5000 1 Kai Dale)m Walk QRWC	28:23.49

SOUTH AUSTRALIA ASA Interclub results, 22 February – Mile End stadium

Kim Mottrom reports:

"Finally nice weather today and it was great to be joined by our new resident, Sam McCure. Sam and Seb went out hard together (roughly 4:00 for the first km), with Seb dropping out at about 2km and Sam moving strongly for the last 4km, narrowly missing his PB.

"Two pb's in the 1500m for Liliana and Jessica, and a new state record for myself." Well done to Kim, ever a key standard setter in SA.

Open 5000m	Time		Open 1500m		
Sam McCure	20:58.81		Angelina Legrand	7:50.35	
Kim Mottrom	21:37.57	M40 State Record	Liliana Templer	8:14.67	PB 0:14
Samantha Findlay	23:52.39		Orlando Grantham	8:43.44	
Rain Langford	24:54.07		Jessica Cleland	9:19.74	PB 0:26
Cooper Rech	24:55.70		Marie Maxted	9:44.47	
Melissa Grantham	29:27.60		Ross Hill-Brown	12:02.26	
Peter Crump	34:23.05				
Alex McEwan	42:27.17				
Sebastian Richards	DNF				

WESTERN AUSTRALIA AW interclub results, 26 February – WAAS, Perth

Curiously, this Aths West meeting was a Wednesday night fixture. According to **Terry Jones**, the weather was good with the temperature in the mid 20s and no breeze.

Men 3000 Metre Walk	
1 Tom Murphy	16:53.48
2 Tayte Moore	17:26.91
Women 3000 Metre Walk	
1 Melissa Lewis	15:28.98
2 Tory D'Alessio	16:12.58
3 Darcy Bramwell-Keys	16:16.82
4 Trinity Doulis	16:18.92
5 Savannah Carnaby	16:52.16
6 Makenzie Sillitto	17:24.76
7 Liliana Martin	17:55.30
8 Sierra Thompson	18:47.49
9 Addison Roots	20:08.45
10 Chloe Bevis	21:53.86

WESTERN AUSTRALIA Little Athletics WA c'ships, 22 February – WAAS, Perth

WA Little Athletics held their 1500m championships a week ago. While fields were not large across the age groups, the performance standards were generally high. Among the boys, **Keenan Munro** and **Liam Domoney** turned in sub-7:00 clockings and can be expected to feature strongly in the national T&F titles on their home turf. In the girls' competition, **Tory D'Alessio** and **Trinity Doulis** are consistent improvers who won their races easily and could also impress at home in April.

Girls 1500 Metre LA U14		Boys 1500 Metre LA U14	
1 Tory D'Alessio	7:28.29	1 Liam Domoney	6:51.53
2 Chloe Reeves	7:41.70	2 Keiran Smith	7:33.04
3 Isla Messenger	7:50.16	3 Dylan Sardelich	7:34.74
4 Addison Roots	9:06.15	4 Orlando Follington	7:35.32
Girls 1500 Metre LA U15		Boys 1500 Metre LA U15	
1 Trinity Doulis	7:28.72	1 Keenan Munro	6:27.96
2 Liliana Martin	8:48.32		
3 Sierra Thompson	8:48.85		
4 Lauren Davis	9:20.77		
Girls 1500 Metre LA U16		Boys 1500 Metre LA U16	
1 Katica Borsic	7:36.24	1 Ali Znad	7:19.51
2 Chelsey Ireland	8:14.47	2 Trent D'Alessio	7:26.34
3 Claudia Flamini	10:06.69	3 Jackson Almstrom	8:34.48
4 Jayde Colyer	10:35.67		
Girls 1500 Metre LA U17		Boys 1500 Metre LA U17	
1 Kaytee Bogaers	8:38.10	1 Jesstine Morales	7:49.91
2 Bridget Gallagher	10:02.17		



INTERNATIONAL NEWS

CHINA: World Athletics Race Walking Tour Gold meeting, 1 March - Taicang

Wang and Montag take victory over 20km in Taicang

(by Vincent Wu - reprinted from World Athletics News – 2 March)

Rising Chinese race walker **Wang Zhaozhao** and Olympic bronze medallist **Jemima Montag** of Australia took the 20km titles at the Chinese Race Walking Grand Prix, the first **World Athletics Race Walking Tour Gold** meeting of 2025, in the Chinese city of Taicang on Saturday (1).

The men's race started at 8:00am and Italy's world and Olympic gold medallist **Massimo Stano** pulled away immediately after the gun to take a brave sole lead. After completing the first 5km in 19:09 – close to world record pace – Stano, last year's runner-up, was already some 30 seconds ahead of the chasing group of more than 10 men that included defending champion **Zhang Jun** of China and Brazil's Olympic silver medallist **Caio Bonfim**.

After another kilometre with a split time of 3:50, Stano, who just celebrated his 33rd birthday on Thursday, started to suffer from his bold early charge. With his pace slowing down to about 3:55 per kilometre, Stano hit 10km in 38:44. The rising temperature had made it more difficult for the Italian, while the chasing pack gradually narrowed the gap.

On the 16th lap, Stano was finally caught and passed by the chasers, now cut to just four athletes – China's Asian Games silver medallist Wang, **Qian Haifeng**, **Cui Lihong** as well as teenager **Li Chenjie**.

Stano appeared confused at first. After confirming the Chinese quartet were not lapped athletes, he tried to keep up with their pace but faded away soon. The leading group then got further withered to just Wang and Cui, winner in Taicang in 2021. The duo remained shoulder-to-shoulder for most of the final two kilometres before the 25-year-old Wang gained a narrow lead in the last 100 metres to secure his first win on the tour

Wang crossed the line in 1:17:30, trimming 18 seconds off his personal best set last March when finishing fourth in Taicang.



(Photo: 2LT News)

The second to fourth finishers all achieved PBs as Cui lagged three seconds behind Wang to take second place. Qian finished third in 1:17:58, and Li improved his PB by more than five minutes to place fourth in 1:18:04. Zhang, Bonfim and Stano finished fifth to seventh.

"The competition against Cui in the final two kilometres was so tight. For some moment, I even thought I could not keep my pace any longer," said Wang. "But I made it. My speed gave me the edge in the last 100m."

"The win really means a lot to me. I clinched my place for the Tokyo World Championships and improved my PB," he added. "I am very happy."

The 20km races in Taicang also served as the first leg of China's qualifiers for the World Championships in September. The best placed Chinese athlete in each event can secure a berth for Tokyo.

During the women's race that started at 9:50am, the temperature rose further to about 25C. **Montag** seemed to be better prepared for the weather, maintaining her unbeaten run into the 2025 season with a **1:27:20** victory. The in-form Australian paced a crowded leading group in the opening stages. As the group shrank gradually, Montag stayed in pole position. Other pre-race favourites like China's defending champion **Ma Zhenxia**, and Colombia's Olympic silver medallist **Lorena Arena** all failed to keep with Montag's pace. Only **Ma Li** of China managed to stay with Montag until the Australian launched a powerful surge in the final kilometres to pull clear.

"The temperature is higher than we expected, but in Australia now it's summer, so maybe we are used to it," said the 27-year-old, who owns the Oceanian record of 1:26:25 set when finishing third at the Paris Olympic Games. "It's a good time (today) and good practice for the World Championships. We know in Tokyo it will be hot weather, so we will practice in the heat in Australia."

The 25-year-old Ma Li hit home eight seconds behind Montag with a PB of 1:27:28. Her compatriot Shi Yuxia also achieved a PB with a clocking of 1:27:41 to place third.

Local favourite and Olympic champion Yang Jiayu chose to skip the 20km event and only focus on the marathon race walk mixed relay on Sunday (2), since she has already earned a wild card for the 20km event in Tokyo as the 2024 tour winner.

Men 20 Kilometres

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1.	Zhaozhao WANG	01 SEP 1999	1:17:30	77.	Zhenhao YANG	10 AUG 2005	1:23:18
2.	Lihong CUI	13 MAY 1999	1:17:33	78.	Tim FRASER (AUS)	22 FEB 2000	1:23:22
3.	Haifeng QIAN	08 JUL 2000	1:17:58	79.	Jiajun JIANG	28 OCT 2000	1:23:29
4.	Chenjie LI	05 MAY 2005	1:18:04	80.	Fengheng WU	10 JUN 2004	1:23:36
5.	Jun ZHANG	20 JUL 1998	1:18:09	81.	Chia-Wei HSU (TPE)	12 SEP 2000	1:23:43
6.	Caio BONFIM (BRA)	19 MAR 1991	1:18:20	82.	Feng LI	05 APR 2002	1:23:47
7.	Massimo STANO (ITA)	27 FEB 1992	1:18:28	83.	Jinrui CHEN	18 FEB 2005	1:23:49
8.	Jingrui ZHANG	24 AUG 2001	1:18:32	84.	Yucheng DU	17 MAR 1999	1:23:54
9.	Perseus KARLSTRÖM (SWE).	02 MAY 1990	1:18:35	85.	Yingchao GAO	18 JAN 1998	1:23:58
10.	Rhydian COWLEY	04 JAN 1991	1:18:38	86.	Tongda BIAN	01 APR 1991	1:23:58
11.	Francesco FORTUNATO (ITA)	13 DEC 1994	1:18:49	87.	Yonggao WANG	08 MAR 2002	1:24:08
12.	Peiyang HUANG	10 JUN 2003	1:18:49	88.	Ding CHEN	05 AUG 1992	1:24:12
13.	Xuanfei HU	17 OCT 2003	1:18:51	89.	Minglong KANG	16 NOV 2002	1:24:13
14.	Yingcheng ZHOU	06 OCT 2000	1:19:01	90.	Cuiyu REN	28 AUG 2003	1:24:16
15.	Lin LI	13 JUN 2001	1:19:03	91.	Chengyi WANG	15 MAY 2005	1:24:22
16.	Xiangfei ZHAO	27 SEP 2002	1:19:05	92.	Shaowei LI	20 AUG 2002	1:24:52

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17.	Ding CHANG	21 DEC 2002	1:19:05	93.	Chenchen ZHANG	18 DEC 1999	1:24:59
18.	Yifeng WANG	29 DEC 2003	1:19:16	94.	Guanglei ZHANG	29 DEC 2004	1:25:02
19.	Shuo DING	21 DEC 2002	1:19:17	95.	Xiaolong SUN	03 MAY 2000	1:25:32
20.	Declan TINGAY (AUS)	06 FEB 1999	1:19:57	96.	Yunan GUAN	07 SEP 2005	1:25:45
21.	Yandong LI	02 FEB 1998	1:20:01	97.	Hongda LI	01 APR 2001	1:26:01
22.	Chaofan SUN	16 SEP 2000	1:20:09	98.	Corey DICKSON (AUS)	19 JUL 2002	1:26:06
23.	Jinxi WANG	30 NOV 2004	1:20:12	99.	Qiejia JIA	01 JAN 2002	1:26:16
24.	Shaoyin MA	24 SEP 2003	1:20:17	100.	Jiameng LIN	05 JAN 2005	1:26:27
25.	Qin WANG	08 MAY 1994	1:20:17	101.	Hao WU	10 DEC 2003	1:26:28
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26.	Yongjie WEN	28 SEP 1999	1:20:21	102.	Xinrui ZHANG	30 DEC 2004	1:26:35
27.	Pengfei XUE	25 FEB 2004	1:20:21	103.	Kaiming WANG	15 FEB 2002	1:26:53
28.	Chao LEI	13 MAR 2001	1:20:24	104.	Angel MONTES DE OCA (MEX		1:26:54
29.	Heng ZHONG	07 NOV 1995	1:20:26	105.	Longhao LIU	10 MAY 2004	1:26:59
30.	Zihao ZHANG	17 OCT 2003	1:20:26	106.	Tiancai CHEN	15 JAN 2001	1:27:02
31.	Noel CHAMA (MEX)	15 SEP 1997	1:20:28	107.	Kyle SWAN (AUS)	28 MAR 1999	1:27:12
32.	Chengyuan ZHANG	16 MAR 2000	1:20:29	108.	Jiashun LIU	10 NOV 2003	1:27:31
33.	Shicheng PU	09 MAY 2004	1:20:45	109.	Tao YOU	19 JUL 1997	1:27:39
34.	Jiahui YANG	16 APR 2002	1:20:46	110.	Zhaohe SONG	21 MAR 2006	1:27:42
35.	Yongwang XIAO	23 JUN 2005	1:20:47	111.	Hu WENCHAO	03 JAN 2002	1:27:47
36.	Xiaobin LI	10 OCT 1999	1:20:48	112.	Tianyu WANG	09 FEB 2001	1:27:51
37.	Yanlong GAO	17 APR 2004	1:20:56	113.	Marcus WAKIM (AUS)	03 MAY 2006	1:28:02
38.	Wang ZHENHAO	12 SEP 2001	1:20:57	114.	Hongquan LIANG	08 FEB 2003	1:28:14
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40.	Guangtao XIE	11 MAR 2005	1:21:15	116.	Yonglong QI	16 MAR 2002	1:29:04
41.	Xiaoqiang ZHU	21 APR 2000	1:21:20	117.	Zhihang GAO	28 SEP 2002	1:29:05
42.	Huaian DOU	29 AUG 2004	1:21:20	118.	Jiahua QIU	02 SEP 2003	1:29:09
43.	Da QIONG	06 MAR 2000	1:21:21	119.	Dengzhu ZHAXI	26 AUG 2005	1:29:16
44.	Yushuai TANG	18 NOV 2004	1:21:23	120.	Lele HUANG	14 JAN 2005	1:29:36
45.	Hongren WANG	17 AUG 2003	1:21:33	121.	Moxuan TANG	12 OCT 2001	1:29:52
46.	Kaihua WANG	16 FEB 1994	1:21:34	122.	Pengcheng XUE	25 FEB 2004	1:30:50
47.	Chao LUO	20 FEB 2003	1:21:37	123.	Yibo LI	24 NOV 2004	1:30:58
48.	Callum WILKINSON (GBR)	14 MAR 1997	1:21:38	124.	Shouxiang ZHANG	14 DEC 2004	1:31:08
49.	Yang LI	15 NOV 2001	1:21:40	125.	Man Kit CHIN (HKG)	20 JUL 1991	1:31:14
50.	Jiaqi WANG	17 FEB 2005	1:21:53	126.	Jack MCGINNISKIN (AUS).	26 DEC 2002	1:31:32
51.	Li XINGFU	18 JUL 2002	1:22:00	127.	Haoran XU	18 JAN 2005	1:32:03
52.	Jiaxu ZHANG	04 JAN 2000	1:22:00	128.	Changyuan LIU	22 FEB 2004	1:32:15
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Sun 8 Jun 2025
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Athletics Australia T&F c'ships – Perth, WA
VRWC Track championships (Winter season opener) – Mentone
AV, AV Schools & VRWC championships – Middle Park
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AV & LAVic road championships, Judging course and Coaching seminar – Middle Park

International Dates

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4 May 2025
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18 May 2025
16-27 July 2025
13-21 Sep 2025
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