

2026 DATACORD STATE PB CLASSIC II

Athlete and Parent Information



Thank you for nominating to take part in the **2026 Datacord State PB Classic II**. To ensure you are well informed and get the most out of the day, please read the information below carefully.

EVENT DETAILS

- **Competition:** Datacord State PB Classic II
- **Date:** Sunday, 18 January 2026 (Gates open at 7am)
- **Venue:** SA Athletics Stadium
- **Program:** First events commence at 8:30am. To view the full, finalised program, [CLICK HERE](#).

MARSHALLING

- The **call room will not be in use** for this competition.
- **Track events:** Report to the start line **10 minutes** prior to your scheduled event.
- **Field events:** Report to the event site **15 minutes** prior.
- If a previous event is still in progress, wait nearby outside the field of play.
- Listen for PA announcements for any changes to start times.

TINY TOTS

- Tiny Tots participants arrive 20mins prior to the start of their session.
- Please make your way up to the warm-up area which is located behind the changerooms on the back straight.
- Participants will be divided into 2-3 groups and will rotate around run, jump and throwing activities with our Development Officers.
- Participants will receive a certificate at the conclusion of the session.

MAPS

- **Event Map:** Available on the website as well as at the Administration marquee near the front gate and near the vending machines in the grandstand.

SEATING

Athletes and spectators are free to choose their seating at this event. Centres and clubs are welcome to arrive early and set up in their preferred location.

Please note that the area **in front of the lift doors in the grandstand** is **reserved for wheelchair users**.

HOT WEATHER POLICY

If the temperature forecast by the Bureau of Meteorology (www.bom.gov.au), at 4:10PM on Friday (two days prior) is between 37°C and 40°C then the event will be

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conducted as a modified program. A separate modified program will be released should we require it closer to the date.

If the temperature reaches 41°C or above the event will be cancelled and rescheduled to the next available date if a date can be found.

PARENT ASSISTANCE

- The success of this event relies on volunteers and parent assistance.
- **Each Little Athletics centre has allocated time slots across the weekend – please check with your centre coordinator for your rostered duties.**
- Volunteers will be provided with a green vest for identification.
- Please bring sun protection, a water bottle, and wear enclosed shoes (thongs and sandals are not permitted on the field of play).

On behalf of Little Athletics SA staff and officials – thank you for your support!

ARRIVAL & PARKING

- Arrive at least **one hour before** your first event. You do not need to check-in. You can go straight to where your club is sitting.
- Parking is available:
 - In front of the stadium
 - At the Netball SA carpark (across Sir Donald Bradman Drive, with access via the underpass)

Please note:

- Check the **Netball SA calendar** for events that may impact parking.
- Parking inspectors patrol regularly – **finer apply for non-compliance.**
- Parking in the **Bunnings carpark also has restrictions.**

ADMINISTRATION MARQUEE

- Will be open at **9am through to 2pm** only.
- Participation medals can be purchased between these hours from this marquee.
- Programs, maps and all other information can be viewed at this marquee.
- Marquee is located at the front of the stadium as you walk through the gates.

FIELD EVENTS

- Due to large entry numbers, **warm-up trials will not be permitted.**
- Run-ups may be measured for **Long Jump, High Jump, Triple Jump and Javelin.**
- Athletes should bring **a hat and water bottle** to the event site.

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CLASH OF EVENTS

- If you have two events at the same time, notify the **field event officials** at the start.
- Officials will allow you to leave for your other event and return to complete your trials (if the event is still running).
- High Jump athletes must resume at the **current bar height** upon return.
- A **Team Manager or parent** may also check in for you if you are at another event.

UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS

- Athletes must wear **full centre uniform**:
 - Tops: Current registration number and Coles age patch securely attached.
 - Shorts: Centre-approved colour (with small manufacturer logo max 3cm x 3cm).
 - Undergarments: Must be black or the same colour as the approved uniform.
 - Leggings: Permitted if plain and in the approved colour; special rules apply to Race Walking.
- Headwear: Permitted with manufacturer's logo.

[CLICK HERE](#) to view the full uniform regulations.

FOOTWEAR & SPIKES

1. Footwear is **compulsory** for all athletes.
2. Shoes must be **running style** (enclosed, fastened with laces/Velcro).
3. Plastic cleats or blades are **not permitted**.
4. Spike shoes must be worn with a complete set of spikes installed. No more than two blanks/slugs are allowed.
5. Spike use by age group:





Age Groups	Track Events	Field Events
TT, U6, U7, U8, U9, U10	No spike shoes allowed	No spike shoes allowed
U11, U12	All events run entirely in lanes	All jump events & Javelin
U13, U14, U15, U16, U17	All events except Race Walks	All jump events & Javelin

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Maximum Length Allowed	7mm
Specialist High Jump/Javelin footwear with heel spikes	9mm

			
Approved	Approved	Not Approved	Not Approved

- Only **pyramid or Christmas Tree** spikes are permitted. Variations resembling **inverted cones** are banned.
- Spikes may only be worn **inside the competition arena** and must be removed before entering the grandstand or general areas.

FIRST AID

- **First Aid:** Located on the ground floor at the southern end of the grandstand.
 - Athletes requiring strapping must supply their own tape.

FOOD & REFRESHMENTS

- The **canteen** will be open all day in the grandstand.
- We also have **Mr Doughnuts** and **Feed Me Potato** joining us. They will be located at the front gates.
- **SA Water Quench Bench** available at the northern end of the stadium near the tunnel and Admin marquee.



RESULTS & CERTIFICATES

- **Live results:** live.salaa.org.au
- **Certificates:** Electronic certificates will be supplied directly to athletes following the event via email.

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PHOTOGRAPHY

- We will have our volunteer **photographers** at this event.
- Parents may take photos/video from **outside the field of play**, in line with the **SALAA Photography Standard**:
[SALAA Photography Policy](#)
- A link to access photos will be sent via email to all registered participants post event.

THE RUNNING COMPANY

- The Running Company will be in attendance at this competition. Max and Byron will be on hand to provide expert advice on running shoes and will have stock available for purchase on the day. They'll also have a few giveaways. You can find them in their branded marquee, located on the grass tiers just past the canteen.

BEACH VOLLEYBALL AND POLE VAULT EQUIPMENT

- The Beach Volleyball and Pole Vault training equipment located at the warm-up track is **strictly out of bounds**.
- Persons are not permitted to use the Pole Vault training equipment. Persons caught on this equipment may be removed from the premises.