SOUTH AUSTRALIAN LITTLE ATHLETICS ASSOCIATION

Club Uniform Regulations

Club Uniform

Each affiliated Little Athletics Club is to have a distinct competition uniform. The uniform must comply with the requirements of this document and must be approved by Little Athletics SA. Unapproved uniform items will not be permitted to be worn in competition and may result in athletes being disqualified.

Core Club Uniform

CLUB POLO SHIRT

The club polo shirt shall be in the clubs nominated colours. It should have sleeves and a collar. The name of the club should be featured on the back of the shirt and use the words 'Little Athletics' rather than any abbreviation. The club logo may also be featured on the back of the shirt. The club name and/or logo may also be used on the collar.

The front of the uniform and sleeves are reserved for the state and national sponsors. Club logos are not permitted on the front of the uniform or sleeves.

> **The Little Athletics SA logo must appear on the back of the uniform in the middle of the lower back, beneath any club logos. The Little Athletics SA logo must be printed in a single colour which contrasts with the uniform and is consistent with the club colours. The logo must be 130mm x 70mm.**

Where an Association preferred supplier manufactures the uniform, their logo may appear on the uniform in a pre-approved location. There should be no other logos featured on the shirt.

For athletes in the Under 12 and above age groups, the Little Athletics SA logo and the word 'little' may be omitted from the shirt.

SHORTS

Athletes must wear shorts, sports briefs or two-way stretch above the knee shorts (commonly referred to as bike shorts or skins) in their clubs approved colours.

Uniform shorts must not carry any unapproved branding larger than 30mm x 30mm square. Club logos may be used on shorts.

It is recommended that clubs nominate a single basic colour for their shorts that are able to be readily purchased by families.

Optional Items

CLUB SINGLET

A club may nominate a club singlet. The singlet should be of essentially the same design as the club polo shirt. The word 'little' may be omitted from the name 'Little Athletics' on the back of the singlet e.g. instead of "Hallett Cove Little Athletics", the singlet may show "Hallett Cove Athletics". The Little Athletics SA logo is not required to appear on the singlet.

Singlets will only be permitted for athletes in the Under 12 and above age groups.

Singlets must be full length; that is there is no gap between the bottom of the singlet and the top of the shorts.

A plain t-shirt in the club colours may be worn under the singlet.

CLUB T-SHIRT

A club may nominate a club t-shirt. The t-shirt should be of essentially the same design as the club polo shirt, however, does not require a collar.

T-shirts will only be permitted for athletes in the Under 9 and above age groups.

T-shirts must be full length; that is there is no gap between the bottom of the t-shirt and the top of the shorts.

T-shirts must comply with the logo requirements as per the club polo shirt.

CROP TOP

Clubs may nominate a crop top. The crop top should be essentially the same design as the club polo shirt. The word 'little' may be omitted from the name 'Little Athletics' on the back of the crop top e.g. instead of "Hallett Cove Little Athletics", the crop top may show "Hallett Cove Athletics". The Little Athletics SA logo is not required to appear on the crop top.

Crop tops will only be permitted for athletes in the Under 12 and above age groups.

Crop tops must have the minimum requirements:

- a side seam no less than 16.5cm in length and the
- centre front neck edge to the hem no less than 19cm
- centre back neck edge to the hem no less than 30cm.

TINY TOTS TOP

Clubs may offer an alternative polo shirt for their registered Tiny Tots. This should be in the same core colours as the club uniform. Typically, this would be an off-the-rack shirt that is readily available in the small sizes required for Tiny Tots.

ALTERNATIVE ITEMS

In addition to the approved club uniform, the Rules of Competition permit athletes to wear alternative items either in addition to or in place of an approved item. Refer to the current Rules of Competitions for details.

Clubs may offer these alternative items for sale to their members without requiring approval from the Association.

Application for Uniform Changes

An application for a uniform change is made by sending the proposed design to the Little Athletics SA Chief Executive Officer at ceo@salaa.org.au. The club will be advised of the outcome within 5 business days of receiving the application. The outcome can be approval, alterations requested, or decline. Once approved, the club will have a two-year changeover period, in which both the new and old uniforms may be worn.

Applications must be made before the start of the competition season (i.e. 1st October). Applications made after this time will be considered but will not come into effect until the following season.

Polo Shirt Layout



> ***Please Note:*** *For athletes wearing a dual uniform (Little Athletics SA and Athletics SA One Clubs), athletes may pin any Athletics SA bibs over the front of their Little Athletics SA bib when required at Athletics SA Interclub or State Competitions.*

Little Athletics Uniform Patch Requirments

