

## Travel Subsidy Policy

### SUMNER RUNNING CLUB

The Sumner Running Club supports the achievement of club members gaining selection by provincial and national bodies for representative teams. The club will endeavor to subsidize the costs of attending the event based on the following criteria:

- The member has been selected to represent Canterbury or New Zealand.
- The member has been selected to represent a team of at least provincial level that is not covered by other criteria.
- The event attended is reflective of the purpose of Sumner Running Club.
- The member has represented Sumner Running Club at local events.
- An annual sum of \$1000 (or sum agreed by the Sumner Running Club committee) will be allocated towards travel subsidies and deposited into a separate account by the 1<sup>st</sup> May. Unallocated funds are carried over to the following year.
- Subsidies per athlete will be up to 1/3 of the travel, accommodation, and entry costs incurred by the individual for attending that event. Where Athletics Canterbury have arranged team travel and accommodation those costs will be used for calculation of the subsidy.
- Subsidies may be scaled to ensure the total requests do not exceed funds available in the Travel Subsidy account.

Notwithstanding the above criteria the club may elect to provide a further travel grant to members who apply directly to the club for assistance due to special circumstances surrounding their event or selection.

Signed: *David Fitch*  
(Club President)

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