# AUSTRALIAN FEDERATION OF RACEWALKING CLUBS SECOND FEDERATION CARNIVAL CENTENNIAL PARK, SYDNEY SATURDAY 17 MAY 1969

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The Alexander Cup was run in conjunction with the Australian 20km Championship and was held in Centennial Park in Sydney. Mexican Olympian Frank Clark successfully defended his road title in cool windy conditions. Frank was on his own out the front and clocked a good 91:56, one of his best efforts over the distance. This should ensure him a place for the Commonwealth Team for Los Angeles later this year.

Noel Freeman overcame a leg injury and finished about 150m behind in 92:57 for the silver medal. Bob Gardiner moved into third place when Graeme Nicholls was disqualified, and held it with 98:07. NSW junior Stephen Hausfeld showed good form for 99:37 and was the only other to beat 100 minutes. NSW was able to win the teams event on a countback from the favoured Victorians.

### **ALEXANDER CUP Open Men 20km**

1.	Frank Clark	NSW	91:56
2.	Noel Freeman	VIC	92:57
3.	Bob Gardiner	VIC	98:07
4.	Stephen Hausfeld	NSW	99:37
5.	Robin Wood	VIC	104:30
6.	Ray Smith	VIC	107:12
7.	Bill Kirby	VIC	107:48
8.	Geoff Laycock	VIC	109:12
9.	Len Hart	SA	109:22
10.	Jim Henderson	VIC	109:45
11.	Gavan Balharry	SA	110:31
12.	Peter Whitham	SA	111:12
13.	Vic Townsend	NSW	111:26
14.	Martin Davey	WA	114:47
15.	Syd Bray	QLD	117:37
16.	John Carric	SA	120:10

### Teams

- 1. NSW
- 2. VIC

NSW, with 4 teams entered, easily defended the women's 2 Miles interstate challenge, filling the first 3 placings in the teams event.

# **LORNA CARRINGTON CUP Open Women 2 Miles**

1.	Gay Syratt	NSW	17:14
2.	Laurie Croft	NSW	17:17
3.	Kay Pitman	VIC	17:44
4.	Elaine McFarlane	SA	18:00
5.	Rhonda Whitehorn	VIC	18:04

### **Teams**

1. NSW (G. Syratt, L. Croft, R. Whitehorn)

Matthew Hausfeld put up a good performance of 15:41 and led home a winning NSW trio, followed by Tony Haldane and Ken Menser, to took third in a photo finish from Victorian Paul Cronin.

# **JUBILEE SHIELD U17 Boys 2 Miles**

1.	Matthew Hausfeld	NSW	15:41
2.	Tony Haldane	NSW	16:02
3.	Ken Menser	NSW	16:20

4.	Paul Cronin	VIC	16:20
5.	L. de Manicor		16:21
6.	Greg Carter	VIC	16:31
7.	Neil Croker	VIC	16:48
8.	Neil Larchin	VIC	16:49

Teams
1. NSW