

2004 Coburg 24 Hour Carnival, Harold Stevens Reserve, Coburg, 17-18 April
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The 2004 qualifying event was once again a combined run/walk event, with the Australian Centurions joining the Coburg Harriers as co-hosts. A final starting list of 43 competitors fronted the line with competitors split across the following divisions

24 Hour Run	19	24 Hour Walk	7
12 Hour Run	3	12 Hour Walk	2
6 Hour Run	8	6 Hour Walk	4

After scorching conditions the previous year, 2004 saw cool blustery conditions on the Saturday followed by a cold night with intermittent drizzling rain. The Sunday morning was cool and overcast, providing perfect conditions for those still on the track.

The number of older runners and walkers in this event – Ken Matchett (82), Stan Miskin (74), Shirley Young (74), Ellwyn Miskin (72), David Padgett (72), Fred Brooks (70), George Audley (68), Ron McGregor (62), David Jones (62) and John Timms (61) – must form some sort of record!

The Men's 24 Hour Run was won by Rudi Kinshofer with 187.434km but Carol Baird was the overall winner with 189.292km. With a number of centurion walk performances under her belt, she relished the chance to run instead and was the star runner of the carnival.

As usual, the walkers provided their own particular brand of excitement with two new Centurions completing the 100 mile walk within 24 hours. Experienced Kiwi ultra distance runner/walker Bob Lee covered the 100 miles (160.934 km) in 22:44:44 for a comfortable victory. Young Melbourne walker Graham Watt, after 5 unsuccessful attempts, finally achieved his goal with a nail biting finishing time of 23:59:23. In fact, he looked to be well off the required pace with 6 hours to go but rallied superbly and stormed home with his fastest laps of the whole race coming in the final 2 hours. And it was all needed as he reached his goal with only 37 secs to spare!

The Gordon Burrowes Trophy was awarded to Trevor Marsh and the Jack Webber Trophy was awarded to Graham Watt for the merit of their individual performances against the odds.

24 HOUR RUN MEN	Laps	Km	Extra Dist (m)	Total Distance
1. RUDOLF KINSHOFER	468	187.200	234	187.434
2. PETER HOSKINSON	435	174.000	86	174.086
3. JERRY ZUKOWSKI	424	169.600	190	169.790
4. DAVID BILLETT	409	163.600	200	163.800
5. DIRK THYS	367	146.800	211	147.011
6. PETER ANDERSON	367	146.800	84	146.884
7. PATRICK GOONAN	361	144.400	201	144.601
8. DAVID JONES	346	138.400	190	138.590
9. KEN MATCHETT	326	130.400	117	130.517
10. TREVOR MARSH	314	125.600	239	125.839
11. KEN MARSH	291	116.400	89	116.489
12. PETER GRAY	284	113.600	228	113.828
13. ALAN STAPLES	240	96.000	173	96.173
14. GEORGE AUDLEY	212	84.800	186	84.986
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16. RAINER NEUMANN	165	66.000	275	66.275

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1. CAROL BAIRD	474	189.600	92	189.692
2. FELICITY JOYCE	390	156.000	325	156.325
3. KARYN BOLLEN	353	141.200	314	141.514

12 HOUR RUN MEN	Laps	Km	Extra Dist (m)	Total Distance
1. ERNIE HARTLEY	226	90.400	192	90.592
2. WARREN BURKE	206	82.400	105	82.505
3. DAVID PADGET	197	78.800	67	78.867

6 HOUR RUN MEN	Laps	Km	Extra Dist (m)	Total Distance
1. IAN ROBERTS	149	59.600	91	59.691

2.	NICK ILIOPOULOS	121	48.400	54	48.454
3.	WILLIE ERASMUS	108	43.200	324	43.524
4.	PAT GERACE	106	42.400	224	42.624
5.	DOMINIC BREUKER	94	37.600	57	37.657

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4.	RON MCGREGOR	376	134.400	-	134.400
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CENTURION WALK QUALIFIERS

C47	BOB LEE	22:44:44
C48	GRAHAM WATT	23:59:23

RELAY		Laps	Km	Extra Dist (m)	Total Distance
1.	COBURG HARRIERS TEAM 1	361	144.400	193	144.593
2.	COBURG HARRIERS TEAM 2	275	110.000	180	110.180
3.	COBURG LITTLE ATHLETICS	271	108.400	42	108.452

PERPETUAL TROPHIES

GORDON BURROWES TROPHY	TREVOR MARSH
JACK WEBBER TROPHY	GRAHAM WATT

RESULTS SUMMARY

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