

### Permit Requirements for Athletics NSW Club Events

The 2020/2021 Summer Season will see a two-tiered permit structure that consists of an Athletics NSW Permit and an Athletics Australia Permit. There are several key differences between the two permits. The table below has been developed to assist clubs with understanding the requirements.

	<b>Athletics NSW (ANSW) Permit</b>	<b>Athletics Australia (AA) Permit</b>
<b>Event Qualification</b>	Athletes can qualify for the Australian Athletics Championships	Athletes can qualify for national and international events and break state and national records
<b>Application Authority</b>	Club must apply directly to ANSW	Club must apply through ANSW for submission to AA on behalf of the club
<b>Permit Application Date</b>	Must be made in writing a minimum of <u>10 days</u> prior to the event	Must be made in writing a minimum of <u>20 days</u> prior to the event
<b>Publication Date</b>	Permitted events must be listed on club website no later than <u>7 days</u> prior to the event	Permitted events must be listed on club website no later than <u>12 days</u> prior to the event
<b>Entries</b>	Entries must be open to all affiliated clubs of ANSW	Entries must be open to all states and territories
<b>Officials Field</b>	A minimum of <u>2</u> qualified officials with at least <u>1</u> Level 2 official as Chief	A minimum of <u>3</u> qualified officials with at least <u>1</u> Level 2 official as Chief
<b>Officials Track</b>	A qualified Starter and Track Referee	A qualified Level 2 Starter, Track Referee and Chief Umpire
<b>Timing</b>	Photo Finish timing for all track events. Timing gates can be utilised as hand times for qualification purposes	Photo Finish timing is required for all track events by approved photo finish officials
<b>Implements</b>	All implements must be approved by field event Chief	All Implements must be weighed and measured by a qualified official
<b>Facilities</b>	Track and field sites must be within World Athletics guidelines	Track and field sites must be within World Athletics guidelines
<b>Competitors</b>	No minimum number of entries	There must be at least 3 competitors in the event, gender and age category ensuring the same implement eight or hurdles specification is used by all competitors
<b>Mixed Gender</b>	No restriction on mixed gender events	Mixed gender field events may be conducted at the same time but must have separate results sheets and be posted as separate results. No mixed gender track events are permitted

