



EAP MALTA INTERNATIONAL ATHLETICS MEETING

Saturday, 16th July 2022

MEDIA RELEASE

EAP (European Athletics Promotion) CIRCUIT

The EAP circuit brings together European international athletics meetings where athletes from EAP member clubs are invited to participate alongside other top athletes.

Each EAP Member Club is obliged to host one (1) athletic meeting and invite a number of EAP Member athletes to participate. Other NON EAP Member athletes are also Allowed to participate.

Invited EAP Member athletes are offered FREE accommodation and a Partial Cover of the Travel Expenses.

EAP Circuit Meetings are currently held in :

Kuldiga (LAT), Amsterdam (NED), Biella, Castiglione della Pescaia, Catania, Celle Ligure and Codroipo (ITA), Belfast (NIR), Budapest (HUN), Genève (SUI), Hexham and Loughborough (UK), Nivelles (BEL), Palafrugell (SPA), and Malta.

EAP Malta 2019 - 4th May 2019

1st Edition Statistics

Total Participants - 202
Local Athletes - 145
Foreign Athletes - 57
Represented Countries - 18
Officials/Volunteers - 90

2nd Edition Statistics

Total Participants - 180
Local Athletes - 150
Foreign Athletes - 30
Represented Countries - 13
Officials/Volunteers - 95





EAP Malta scored a total of 61817 Performance Points in the 1st Edition and 57297 Points in the 2nd Edition which was hit by last minute cancellations due to COVID-19 Restrictions and the Meeting ranked amongst the top EAP Circuit Meetings

So far, no less than 82 PAAT Members have participated around the EAP Circuit over a span of 3 years

EAP Malta 2022

It has always been Pembroke Athleta's ambition to continue to grow and EAP Malta international is no exception.

We set our goals on;

- Improving our ranking across the EAP Circuit,
- Obtain the Highest EAP Label Category. That of a full International Meeting
- Attract an annual participation of a larger number and higher standard foreign athletes.
- And now we aim at achieving a World Athletics Competition Category for our meeting

This year's event will see the greatest number of foreigners, (a total 114 foreign participants) ever to come to EAP Malta International.

The good news is that the standard of the foreign athletes at EAP Malta 2022, is the best so far.

EAP Malta 2022 will have a number of National Champions, National Record holders, and Medal winners in Mayor International Events amongst which is Jason Smyth (MBE) the fastest ever Paralympian, winner of 6 Gold Medals in the Paralympics and 14 other gold medals in the World and European paralympic Championships

The attached list of Would be Protagonists is witness to this.

The Competition

Our international Athletics Meeting will include a full programme of Track & Field events for the Senior and Youth (Under 16) Categories and will be split in two (one morning and one late afternoon) sessions. (Timetable of Events enclosed)

Following their recent successful performances, more than 115 local athletes will be hyped up to meet the challenge of stiff competition that the foreigners will offer





The General public

The sporting public is being urged to come to the Matthew Micallef St John Athletics Stadium in Marsa to support the local talent and witness what could possibly be the best technical performances in athletics ever registered on the islands.

EAP President in Malta

Mr Pablo Cassina, President of the European Athletics Circuit will for the 2nd year running be honouring us with his presence during this event.

Our Partners

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