

## **Aerobic Capacity Protocols**

# Build your body's ability to work at low intensities for long periods of time & Increase recovery!

**Aim:** increase how much blood the heart can pump with each beat, i.e. the volume of blood per beat.

**Goal:** Improve the hearts endurance abilities, a Bigger heart can pump more blood with greater efficiency.

#### **Guidelines:**

- Lower and steady Heart Rate 125-150 BPM
- Continuous training method 20 30 minutes (if possible, start at a distance and/or pace you can sustain).
- 1-3 sessions per week. Ensure you are fully recovered between sessions.

### Option 1: Run / Rower / Bike / Swimming (Long slow distance).

- A. Continues Output method: 20 30 minutes on 1 piece of equipment/running.
- B. Continues Output method: 10 + minutes at on 3 different pieces of equipment.

  Rest 2 to 5 minutes between 10-minute blocks.







#### Warm Down

- Everyday go through one of these basic stretching routines, pick 1 from below. Go through in a circuit style fashion and follow as below.
  - A. Performing each stretch for a 10 to 20 second hold.
  - B. Then relax for another 10 seconds
  - C. Then go deeper into the stretch for another 10 to 20 second hold.
- Go through the circuit as many times as you need to until you feel warm and ready to move onto the workout of the day.







