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Noel Bissett

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NSWRLRA : Noel Bissett, Ben Cummins

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Mark Berkeley, Adam Lehoczky

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Peter Castle

Schools Coordinator : Chris Arcella

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Members & interested parties it is with pleasure that I present the Presidents report for 2007

We have again had another absorbing year with challenges aplenty to test our on field management & development policies & the skills & abilities of our members. As a group we have brought credit to our organization & rugby league in the district by maintaining high standards & we can be justifiably proud of our efforts in 2007.

We have again provided referees for rugby league competitions across the country in all grades from the NRL down to the little under 6's running around on cold Sunday morning's locally & have done so with distinction, so of the more notable achievements for our members this year include regular NRL games to our most illustrious member Ben Cummins. Ben continued to receive accolades this year for his performances which were much deserved & a long successful career seems inevitable for him. We had 2 members running around in the graded Premier League squad with Nathan Hill joining myself & being graded as a Sideline official so well done to him. The real hard work starts now & a rewarding career is there for the taking.

We also had 7 other members Michael Laverty, Dom Feenan, Rob Moore, Phil Henderson, Tyson Flynn, Colin McCormack & Ji Delander all involved in the Junior Reps Squad with the first 3 creating a little piece of History in May for it was the first time in the 40 year History of the NSWRL Junior Rep comps that all of the officials in the SG Ball Grand Final, the highest grade in these comps, all came from the one district Canberra. It was a tremendous personal achievement for the boys & it doubled as a milestone for this Association as well, that may take a long time to be repeated, again well done lads.

All of the above comes on top of another year of strong local performances headed by Michael Laverty handling his 3rd local A Grade Grand Final in a row. We also had a young crew of 1st grade debutants & others in the senior grades this year who all performed outstandingly. Next season & in the coming years the Association will be relying on these referees to continue to step up & be consistent performers.

As I have eluded to in the past few years officiating in the NSWRL Premier league squad continues to be an enormous challenge for members of this district .Under the present requirements we are faced with a lot of obstacles that other referees in Sydney who wish to pursue a career in the NRL are not. The tyranny of distance & the need to juggle training commitments & a job are making it very hard for referees who base themselves here to also progress to the NRL & lets face it, this would be the only reason why anyone would attempt what is required to achieve the end goal ... which is the NRL. I believe that in the years to come Canberra based referees will decide that this goal is not worth the struggle involved & will either not pursue it or move to Sydney to attempt it. This will eventually affect our depth here & our involvement in all grades in Sydney & this would be an enormous shame for I believe over the last 25 years the CDRLRA as an association has had a rich & wonderful history & has been a great contributor to Rugby League refereeing in Sydney. While all things change to suit the times its unfortunate that some stakeholders are left behind as a result of these changes that have become slightly exclusionary in nature. No one could or ever has questioned our passion for refereeing & our commitment is special but while there

is little consideration for our predicament it will be more difficult to sell the idea of a career in the NRL to our members in the future .

I would like to thank the hard working members of our Board with special mention to Kylie O'Neil who took on the challenging role of Treasurer this year & did a sterling job at that. To our Appointment Board chairmen both Senior & Junior & their Advisory Boards thank you for your dedication this season

I would like to Thank our sponsors Canberra Milk, the Braddon Club, The Kaleen Sports Club & ActewAGL for their continuing support, they are there for us providing anything we need on top of their financial support & we appreciate this enormously.

I would like to thank the Canberra Raiders for their support as well as the CRJRL & look forward to these great relationships continuing in 2008.

And finally I would like to wish you all a safe & enjoyable Christmas & New Year & I look forward to seeing you all again in Season 2008.

David Adams
President

SECRETARY'S REPORT

Again in 2007 we have been very fortunate to continue our sponsorship with Capitol Chilled Food (Canberra Milk), The Braddon Club, ActewAGL and The Sports Club Kaleen. I believe we reached a milestone with two of these organisations in 2007 (Canberra Milk & ActewAGL) in that they have entered into Sponsorship Agreements for the 2007, 2008 and 2009 seasons. This guarantees a solid financial base for the Association to work from. In addition to this the Sports Club Kaleen have indicated that they also wish to pursue a long term relationship with us and we will be meeting the Braddon Club during the year to speak with them about continued sponsorship from 2009.

The Canberra District Rugby League (Canberra Raiders), Canberra Region Junior Rugby League and New South Wales Rugby League Referees Association also contribute towards the sponsorship of our Association through Administration and Development Grants. This allows us to develop new talent and continue with a high standard of refereeing on the paddock where it matters to players and spectators. Our future years look very bright with the support of these organisations.

There are many individuals to thank this year and I would forget some if I start. Our Appointments Board fulfilled their roles with distinction. Our Board worked effortlessly and efficiently throughout the year and we sometimes forget about the amount of time and personal commitment that various members put in each week even when the season is finished. And our members excelled on the field where it matters and many were volunteered or coerced to achieve our goal of supplying a referee to all games in the CRJRL. We continue to enjoy a very good working relationship with the CRJRL Administration and it would be remiss of me if I did not thank Karen Ebsworth, Julie Parker, Jenny Maloney and Wendy Bennett for their patience in accommodating some of the changes we request to game times.

Our NRL Grand Final trip, continues to grow in stature with our biggest contingent to date and arrangements have already started for the 2008 trip.

We had many outstanding achievements by members this year and I apologise if I miss any. In NSWRL Junior Reps, we created history with the appointment of three Canberra referees (Michael Laverty, Rob Moore & Dominic Feenan) to the SG Ball Grand Final. This has already been highlighted in other reports. Noel Bissett received the prestigious Denis Braybrook Award from NSWRLRA for services to junior development. James Charman was invited to attend a NSWRL volunteers dinner at Taronga Zoo. Locally Michael Laverty received the Referees award at the CRJRL 'Les McIntyre' Medal Presentation night. Our own Annual Award winners – James Gould, Lawrence Oswald, Ji Delander and Brenton Savona must be congratulated.

Also during 2007, our Association has been active in providing consultation and recommended guidelines to the CRJRL in relation to On-Field Trainers and Judiciary guidelines. Much of this will be implemented in 2008.

The number of schools games continues to increase each year and this puts an extra burden upon our members. In 2007 in co-operation with the ARL Development Officers, Brad Donald and Leigh Woodbridge, a Level 1 Referees course was undertaken at Erindale College for Year 11 and 12 students. Approximately 12 students in the talented sports program completed the course and will be used in 2008 to assist our members at Primary School matches, and hopefully participate in other games officiated by our Association.

Recruitment continues to be a problem not only for our Association, but all sports in attracting and retaining officials. At the grass roots level we must ensure we attract new Level 1 referees to cope with the weekly requirements & commitments. Also at the end of 2007, the NRL required that all Under 20's players in the new competition undertake the referees courses. Our challenge is now to recruit some of these players into our ranks and show that rugby league offers many opportunities. Unfortunately as already highlighted in the President's Report, the task of reaching NRL is becoming more difficult with the culture based in Sydney and the requirement that officials at this level be available on numerous days throughout the week for training & coaching sessions. Combining a full time career outside of refereeing with the NRL requirements will make it difficult for those not prepared for the 6-8 hour return journey to Sydney or relocation to Sydney.

2008 will see changes to the competition structure in the Canberra Raiders Cup and George Tooke Shield competitions. With the Centenary year in 2008, Rugby League will feature prominently in promotions and advertising. By all accounts this should generate renewed interest in the junior ranks and lead to an increase in players, with the flow on effect of more teams and more games each weekend.

I believe we have three major challenges in 2008 and beyond

1. Recruitment
2. Development
3. Retention

Finally, I would like to congratulate Geoff Milczuk upon receiving Life Membership in 2007.

DIRECTOR OF REFEREES

All should be congratulated in playing a major role in what has been a successful but difficult season. With excess pressure placed on all members as a result of insufficient numbers to take in all games each weekend, a majority made themselves available to cover the shortfalls each week and are commended for their enthusiasm.

The League will be pro active before next season in as much as assisting us in recruitment and retention. However we must show the way and be positive in organising ourselves. Perhaps initially commencing a strong recruiting drive well before the season approaches.

Next year we have to more diligent in our approach to filling our duties in respect to following the correct administration procedures when 'sending off players' and filling in 'Incident Reports.' Unfortunately during the year there were far too many neglecting their duties. Some of us never even had a 'Send off Book' while others did not notify the League as set out in the procedures.

Then there were those of us who complained about incidents occurring either before, during or after their game and never filled in an 'Incident Report' which allows the League to take the appropriate action. In future all must ensure, they have with them at all times, as part of their gear, the required reporting forms and then, most importantly, be conversant with the follow up procedures.

The performances from all who officiated in the Final Series from Centres to Touch Judges, including those appointed to Stand By and Interchange are to be congratulated. All games were free from controversy and played in the true spirit. You all did the Association proud. WELL DONE.

Michael Laverty continued to dominate the number one position with his appointment to his third consecutive A Grade Grand Final. Michael certainly justified his selection with a sound performance. There were several promotions to A,B and C Grade throughout the season. All who were given this opportunity displayed they are capable and in some cases will most certainly be pushing for higher honours next season.

This year we used quite a few younger referees to officiate on Senior Lines. I was impressed with the attitude and approach of a majority and consequently, after consultation with the Deputy Director arranged to view as many as possible Junior Referees officiating in the Minor League. As a result I believe the future looks good as far as the talent we have on hand. However, most importantly we have to make certain that these youngsters (along with our inexperienced mature members) are nurtured correctly, ensuring they have every chance to reach their potential and are conversant with all our Guidelines.

All members of the Junior Representative squad performed with distinction. Three of the squad are to be congratulated, not only on their performances but setting an achievement that has not been heard of before and properly will not happen again, with the three receiving appointments to officiate in the SG Ball Final. Michael Laverty controlled the centre while Rob Moore and Dom Feenan were appointed to the Touch Lines. Well Done.

In closing I wish all members well for the on coming season. I give the following advice each year and do so again, as I believe it is fitting. "Set your goals and in doing so, be honest and realistic ensuring they are achievable. Finally, dedicate yourself and you will be successful". Most of all ENJOY YOURSELF.

Finally, to all who have supported me throughout the year, I thank you, I am most appreciative. To the members of the Advisory Board, Dave (Cookie) and Ray Whitehead, for your assistance I am also grateful.

I sincerely wish all members and your families a Very Happy Festive Season and a Prosperous New Year.

Noel Bissett
Director of Referees.

DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF REFEREES

Thank you to all members involved in the Appointments Board, being Ray Whitehead, Chris Arcella, Rob Carmody and Peter Castle whose assistance during the year enabled the season to be successful. The input from Director Noel Bissett was very much appreciated and I have learnt quite a bit from him in my first year.

It was a learning experience for me as Deputy Director and hopefully the Board will see fit to appoint me in 2008. I look forward to working with the Board and Director of Referees.

During the year, I managed to get around to most of the Junior and Senior venues and the level of professionalism shown by our members was outstanding. It was great to see most of the first year referees progress into finals appointment contention. This will make the job next year easier with the quality of referees to chose from.

The Junior League is the learning ground for our future referees and I was pleased to see that all members were progressing to a level where they will be considered for Senior appointments in the near future, provided they set their goals and apply themselves to the best of their ability.

Thank you to those members who participated at the various junior knockouts during the year, especially those members who volunteered to coordinate the knockouts. The knockouts are a very important part of each clubs preparation for the year and encourages players to continue in the sport. Whilst sometimes it appears we are run into the ground because of a lack of numbers, I can assure all members that our input is greatly appreciated by the organising clubs.

Good luck in 2008.

Neville 'Chiefy' Harradine

FINANCIAL REPORT

I am pleased to present to the Members, the 69th Audited Financial Report of the Canberra and District Rugby League Referees Association Inc. for the year ended 31 December 2007.

2007 has again been a successful year for our association both on and off the field. A considerable profit has been recorded for this past financial year which can be attributed to the continued support of our sponsors – Canberra Milk, ActewAGL, The Braddon Club and The Sports Club Kaleen and to the radio sales to other associations.

Of particular significance were Canberra Milk and ActewAGL both signing three year sponsorship agreements in 2007, which will ensure our association is financially strong for a few more years to come. Thank you also to NSWRLRA and the Canberra Raiders for their Administration and Development grants which allow us to continue with our core business of developing great referees.

The Financial Statements indicate a strong profit in 2007 of \$5,024.93 which is an increase of \$4839.79 on 2006. Being a not for profit organisation, this amount will be reinvested into the association for the benefit of all members. The new elected board will discuss options available on how best to reinvest this money, which may include subsidised gear like the training and polo shirts which were provided to members this season. As always, suggestions and ideas are welcome from members.

2007 was my first year as a board member, and to take on the role of Treasurer was quite daunting. Thank you to the board for your great support, in particular Chris Nightingale and Rob Moore who fielded many questions throughout the year. A thank you is also extended to Simon Smith who was our gear steward and to Adam Lehoczky and Mark Berkeley who missed the cricket to audit the books.

Thank you to the previous Treasurer Nathan Hill for his hard work over the past few years, and for his assistance with the handover at the start of the season which made for a smooth transition into the role.

Recommendations from the previous auditors have either been implemented or they are in the process of completion. The recommendations from 2006 which have been implemented have assisted the financial operation of the association greatly.

The board will work hard to have the remaining recommendations finalised, and the new recommendations from Adam and Mark implemented.

Again, thank you to everyone for your support throughout the year and I look forward to another successful year in 2008.

Kylie O'Neill
Treasurer

BALANCE SHEET
31 December 2007

ASSETS

St George Bank Account		\$18,288.16
Trade Debtors		\$14,893.25
Gear On Hand - Clothing	\$10,006.45	
Gear On Hand - Communication	\$1,929.78	\$11,936.23
Gear – OnField Comms Gear	\$786.36	\$786.36
TOTAL ASSETS		\$45,904.00

LIABILITIES

Accounts Payable		\$3,486.75
GST Collected on Sales	\$11,066.87	
GST Paid on Purchases	-\$1,848.15	
GST Liabilities		\$9,218.72
Total LIABILITIES		\$12,705.47

NET ASSETS

\$33,198.53

EQUITY

Retained Earnings		\$28,173.60
Current Earnings		\$5,024.93
Total EQUITY		\$33,198.53

PROFIT & LOSS STATEMENT
January 2007 through December 2007

INCOME

Affiliation Fees		\$960.00
Gear	Gear Sales	\$9,781.10
	Freight for Gear	\$170.28
		\$9,951.38
Social Events	CRJRL	\$381.82
	Grand Final Trip	\$12,163.62
	Annual Dinner	\$1,390.92
	Other	\$483.64
		\$14,420.00
Match Fees	CRJRL	\$59,382.10
	Carnivals	\$4,284.00
	Schools	\$5,504.00
	Other	\$845.00
	Travel	\$70,015.10
Travel Fees		\$9,578.75
Grants		\$6,500.00
Sponsorship		\$19,909.09
Interest		\$0.99
Total INCOME		\$131,335.71
Cost Of Sales		- \$14,857.11
Gross Profit		\$116,478.60

PROFIT & LOSS STATEMENT
January 2007 through December 2007

EXPENDITURE

Admin	Affil./Incorp./Insurance	\$2,342.79	
	Seminar & Course Costs	\$1,708.02	
	Travel & Accommodation	\$2,250.16	
	Postage/Photocopy	\$907.36	
	Telephone	\$2,176.63	
	Website	\$874.09	\$10,259.05
	Match Payments		\$63,113.47
	Advisory Board Payments		\$837.90
	Travel Payments		\$9,862.00
Social Events	CRJRL	\$748.74	
	Grand Final Trip	\$12,263.63	
	Annual Dinner	\$3,422.82	
	Other	\$646.32	\$17,081.51
Bank Fees			\$29.00
Trophies			\$743.50
Honoraria			\$1,300.00
Gear	Radio Equipment	\$595.00	
	Radio Components	\$322.91	
	Freight	\$224.40	
	Adjustments	\$5,049.60	\$6,191.91
Miscellaneous	Other Expenses	\$1,826.23	
	Bad Debts	\$209.10	\$2,035.33
Total Expenses			\$111,453.67
NET OPERATING PROFIT			\$5,024.93

AUDITORS REPORT

To:
The Executive
(President, Secretary and Treasurer)
Canberra District Rugby League Referees Association

INTRODUCTION

As appointed Honorary Auditors by the Canberra District Rugby League Referees Association (CDRLRA), Mark Berkeley and Adam Lehoczky provide the following report relating to the audit of the CDRLRA financial statements for the period 1 January to 31 December 2007.

SCOPE

The scope of this audit focused on:

- Ensuring satisfactory financial practices have been maintained; and
- Providing recommendations to further improve financial practices.

The elements examined as part of the audit process included:

- Accounts payable documentation (e.g. phone bills, postage, match payments to referees);
- Accounts receivable documentation (e.g. sponsorship, match payments for referees);
- Profit & Loss Statements;
- Balance Sheets;
- Bank statements and electronic banking transaction records; and
- Financial data entered into the MYOB accounting software program.

In practice, the auditors sought to reconcile each transaction, credit or debit that was recorded in each of the Association's 12 monthly banking statements covering the period of the audit.

SUGGESTED IMPROVEMENTS

The audit team recommends the following to further strengthen financial accuracy and transparency of the CDRLRA financial transactions:

- A procedure should be developed to track payments with cheques to ensure ease of auditing in future (eg spreadsheet and better use of MYOB).
- Reminder letters should be sent more regularly to all debtors.
- Reporting on match fees from the Assistant Secretary On-Field Management should be increased to once a month to allow the Treasurer to create invoices regularly and pay members throughout season.
- That the Board should continue with the development of procedures for the roles of Assistant Secretary (On-Field Management) and Treasurer.
- Where the appointed Treasurer has no formal qualifications/accreditation or training that this be provided to ensure appropriate financial standards are maintained.

COMMENTS AGAINST AUDIT RECOMMENDATIONS FROM 2006-07

In 2006-07, the audit team made recommendations to further improve CDRLRA financial practices. The following provides a progress report against these recommendations.

1. Development of procedures for the role of Assistant Secretary (On-field Management).

Priority: HIGH (to be developed by 30 April 2007)

Responsibility: Secretary, Assistant Secretary (On-field Management) and Treasurer

- It is noted by the auditors that this recommendation is outstanding from the 2006 audit and concerted efforts should be made to finalise these procedures.

2. Development of procedures for the role of Treasurer

Priority: HIGH (to be developed by 30 April 2007)

Responsibility: Secretary, Assistant Secretary (On-field Management) and Treasurer

- As above.

3. Development of procedures for inventory control

Priority: HIGH (to be developed by 30 April 2007)

Responsibility: Gear Steward, Secretary and Treasurer

- The auditors note that this recommendation was implemented for the 2007 season and a gear steward was appointed. Also, MYOB was configured in order for the Treasurer to track purchases and sales of gear and radios.

4. Development of procedures for purchasing

Priority: HIGH (to be developed by 30 April 2007)

Responsibility: Secretary and Treasurer

- The auditors note that this recommendation has been completed and a procedures document has been created and implemented by the Board.

5. Development of an expense claim form

Priority: MEDIUM (to be developed by 30 June 2007)

Responsibility: Treasurer

- The auditors note that an expense claim form has been developed and is currently in use.

6. Hard copies maintained for financial transactions

Priority: ON-GOING

Responsibility: Treasurer

- The auditors note that the Treasurer has kept both paper records, and electronic records which are backed up regularly.

CONCLUSION

The audit team concluded that, overall, there has been a thorough effort to ensure the financial matters of the CDRLRA have been attended to in an accurate and transparent manner.

The following are the main positive aspects identified during the audit:

- The use of electronic banking processes appears to provide both increased efficiency in maintaining financial matters of the CDRLRA and increased transparency for auditing purposes;
- Where questions were raised by the auditors, the Treasurer provided clear, reasonable and complete responses;
- The Treasurer's records were highly maintained in a logical and chronological order which allowed the audit to be completed easily and efficiently;
- All documents and supporting information were readily available for examination and;
- The MYOB accounting software is being used well, in particular to provide information on specific transactions.

(Original Document Signed:)

Mark Berkeley
Honorary Auditor
Member CDRLRA

Adam Lehoczky
Honorary Auditor
Member CDRLRA

INCOME & EXPENDITURE - 2003 TO 2007

Income	2003	2004	2005 ^(Accrual)	2006	2007
Affiliation Fees	\$5,530.00	\$5,659.35	\$780.00	\$870.00	\$960.00
Gear Sales	\$11,701.73	\$13,873.81	\$9,437.90	\$10,401.04	\$9,951.38
Social Events	\$3,092.27	\$8,588.57	\$12,860.94	\$13,731.71	\$14,420.00
Match Fees	\$75,405.15	\$68,109.43	\$70,606.80	\$74,305.50	\$79,593.85
Grants	\$7,000.00	\$7,000.00	\$19,681.82	\$23,500	\$26,409.09
Sponsorship	\$10,400.00	\$10,277.27			
Miscellaneous	\$7,228.56	\$1,361.61	\$1,752.34	\$73.56	\$0.99
TOTALS	\$120,357.71	\$114,870.04	\$115,119.80	\$122,881.81	\$131,335.71
Cost of Sales	-\$11,845.09	-\$14,371.38	-\$3,843.18	-\$11,660.82	-\$14,857.11
GROSS PROFIT	\$108,512.09	\$100,498.66	\$111,276.62	\$111,220.79	\$116,478.60
Expenditure					
Training / Coaching	\$0.00	\$64.91		**	
Development	\$719.99	\$1,472.73		**	
Bank Charges	\$182.81	\$155.10	\$190.50		29.00
In Touch	\$993.68	\$999.85	\$714.36	**	
Admin Costs	\$6,550.66	\$9,319.28	\$8,147.48	\$13,217.59	\$12,302.55
Gear Costs	\$3,043.56	\$1,862.09	\$7,372.85	\$4,969.85	\$6,191.91
Match Fees	\$70,448.88	\$76,610.82	\$59,066.20	\$70,350.65	\$73,813.37
Social Events	\$10,378.02	\$13,271.81	\$13,564.30	\$16,581.63	\$17,081.51
Miscellaneous	\$282.52	\$287.64	\$631.09	\$4,453.15	\$2,035.33
TOTALS	\$92,600.12	\$104,044.23	\$88,886.78	\$109,573.11	\$111,453.67
Operating Profit/Loss	\$15,911.97	-\$3,454.57	\$22,389.84	\$1,647.88	\$5,024.93

** From 2006, expenditure for Training/Coaching, Development and In Touch was included under the sub-heading of Admin Costs.

APPOINTMENTS - 2007

CRJRL JUNIOR LEAGUE GRAND FINALS

Grade	Referee	Touch Judges	
George Tooke Shield	Rob Moore	James Charman	Mark Berkeley
Canberra Raiders Cup C	Tyson Flynn	Luke Barrow	Nathan Gauci
Canberra Raiders Cup B	Phil Henderson	James Gould	Colin McCormack
Canberra Raiders Cup A	Michael Laverty	Ji Delander	Mark Delander

CRJRL MINOR LEAGUE GRAND FINALS

Grade	Referee	Touch Judges	
U10 Zone 2	Ed Wylie	Daniel Bernsons	Chris Cahill
U10 Zone 1	Matt Cuthbert	Adam Lehoczky	Troy McMillan
U11 Zone 2	John Hinchey	Greg Hall	Ross Walters
U11 Zone 1	Rod Eade	James Gould	Matt Barnes
U12 Zone 2	Paul Baker	Ross Walters	Matt Barnes
U12 Zone 1	Bill Lane	James Gould	Lyle Millar
U13 Zone 2	Simon Smith	Brenton Savona	Nathan Gauci
U13 Zone 1	Michael Forster	Steve Morey	Garth Widdowson
U14 Zone 2	Lawrence Oswald	Michael Sheehan	John Hinchey
U14 Zone 1	Henry Paton	John Hinchey	Nathan Gauci
U15 Zone 2	Peter Theodosiou	Luke Barrow	Mark Berkeley
U15 Zone 1	Daniel Hanson	James Gould	Brenton Savona
U16 Zone 2	Aaron Carroll	Simon Smith	Mick Gray
U16 Zone 1	Jo West	Garth Widdowson	Steve Morey

SENIOR LEAGUE – GAME STATS

Senior League – Game Stats																			
Name	A Grade		A Grade Final		A Grade Grand Final		B Grade		B Grade Final		C Grade		C Grade Final		GTS		GTS Final		TOTAL
	Referee	Touch Judge	Referee	Touch Judge	Referee	Touch Judge	Referee	Touch Judge	Referee	Touch Judge	Referee	Touch Judge	Referee	Touch Judge	Referee	Touch Judge	Referee	Touch Judge	
ARCELLA, Chris		8					1	4			8	2		1	2	1		2	29
BAKER, Paul		2						4			2	6				5			19
BARROW, Luke		10					3	4			8	1		1		5		2	34
BERKELEY, Mark		4					2	2			1	5				2		2	18
CAHILL, Chris								1				3				5			9
CARROLL, Aaron		2						4			6	2				1			15
CARROLL, Ian	6	5					4	1							4	1		1	22
CASTLE, Peter		2					2				1				4				9
CHARMAN, James	1	7					7	1		2	1				6	3		1	29
Club, TJ		1														9			10
CUTHBERT, Matt								1			1								2
DAGWELL, Mark	5	1		3		1					1				3				14
DEGROOT, MATT											1					3			4
DELANDER, Ji	3	9		3		1	6				2	1				1			26
EADE, Rod								3				4				2			9
FEENAN, Dominic	1										1				2				4
FLYNN, Tyson	7	1					2				1		1		1		2		15
FORSTER, Michael		1						3				4				3			11
GAUCI, Nathan		9					3	1			10			3		3			29
GOULD, James	3	8					7			4	2				4	1			29
GREY, Mick		5						3			3	7			2	6			26
HALL, Greg											1								1
HANSON, Daniel								1			1					1			3
HENDERSON, Phillip	6	2					1		3		1				4				17
HILL, Nathan																1			1
HINCHEY, John								1			2					4			7
HOLLAND, Travis		1									1	1							3
HOPKINS, Ken											1								1
LANE, Bill		3						6			2	5			3	4			23
LAVERTY, Michael	4			3		1													8
LEHOCZKY, Adam											1					5			6
LYONS, Ian	2	2					1	1				3			4				13
McCORMACK, Colin	6	5					4			2	1	1	2		2	1			24
MOORE, Robert	6	1													6		2		15
MOREY, Steve		1						3			1								5
NIGHTINGALE, Chris		1					1	1			1				2	2			8
O'NEILL, Kylie																1			1
PATON, Henry											2					2			4
RYAN, Mark		5						9				11				7			32
SAVONA, Brenton								5				4							9
SHEEHAN, Michael		6					1	1			5	1		2		1			17
SMITH, Simon		4						3			3	6				1		1	18
THEODOSIOU, Peter		3						2				4				7			16
WEBER, Brad		3						5				7				4			19
WEST, Jo		3						9				15				5			32
WHITEHEAD, Ray		2						1				6			2	5			16
WIDDOWSON, Garth		6						11				12				6			35
WOOTTEN, Brodie		1						2								4			7
WYLIE, Ed																1			1
Grand Total	50	124	3	6	1	2	45	93	3	8	58	125	3	7	51	113	4	9	705

JUNIOR LEAGUE – GAME STATS

Junior League - Game Stats

Name	6	7	8	9	10		11		12		13		14		15		16		Junior League Total
	Referee	Referee	Referee	Referee	Referee	Touch Judge	Referee	Touch Judge	Referee	Touch Judge	Referee	Touch Judge	Referee	Touch Judge	Referee	Touch Judge	Referee	Touch Judge	
ADAMS, David	1	1					1		1						1				5
ARCELLA, Chris															1		3		4
ARTHER, Rob	3	5	4																12
BAKER, Paul	1	1	1	3	2		3		8	1	5	1	4	1	3		1		35
BARNES, Matt	1	1	1	1	2		3	2	3	1	5					1		2	23
BARROW, Luke	2	1		1					3		7		2	1	3	3		3	26
BERKELEY, Mark	1	4	2	4	2		2		3		5		3		4	2	3	2	37
BERNSONS, Daniel	3	1	1	9	10	4	9		2									2	41
BLYTON, RICHARD		1	1	4			1	2	1		1							1	12
BOLLER, Chippy	1			1											1				3
BOND, Rick	1				1				1										3
CAHILL, Chris	4	3	4	4	3	1	2	3											24
CARMODY, Robert			1																1
CARROLL, Aaron				2	2		1			1					1	1	9		17
CARROLL, Ian	1						3								2				6
CASTLE, Peter	3		2	1					1		1		1		3				12
CHARMAN, James	2	1	2	1	2		1		4		4		2	1	2	1			23
CROKER, Dale		1	1		1		2		1		2		1						9
CUMMINS, Geoff		1	1	1	1														4
CUTHBERT, Matt	2		1	4	5		5	3	1									2	23
DAGWELL, Mark	1	1	2								2				1				7
DEGROOT, MATT							3		4		3	2	2		3			6	23
DELANDER, Ji	2	1	1	1	1		1		1	1	1		2					1	13
DOHERTY, Geordie	5	6	5	4	4	1	5		1							1		5	37
EADE, Rod		2		2	4		3		3		4					1		5	24
FEENAN, Dominic															1				1
FLYNN, Tyson	2	1	2	1	1		2		4		3		1		2				19
FORSTER, Michael	2	2	2	3	1				1		7		2		3		3	2	28
GAUCI, Nathan	2	2		2	2		2		3		2	3		5	1	3	2		29
GOULD, James	1	2	2	2	2				2		4		3		3	1		1	23
GREY, Mick				3	3				2		2		5		2		5	1	23
HALL, Greg	2	3	1	3	7	2	6	2	5		9		4		2				46
HANSON, Daniel															2		9		11
HANSON, Julie	2				1		1										2		6
HENDERSON, Phillip	1	2	1						1		1		1		1				8
HINCHEY, John	3	2	3	2	3	2	2		2		2	1	5				5		32
KLEINIG, Leigh				1	1				1										3
LANE, Bill	2	1	2	1	2	1	5		4		3				7		1	1	30
LAVERTY, Michael					1				2						1				4
LEHOCZKY, Adam	3	2	1	5	5	2	2	2	6	2	5						2		37
LYONS, Ian				1	2		2		1		1				1				8
McCORMACK, Colin				1	1				3		1								6
McMILLAN, Troy	2	2	2	2	4	2	3			2								2	21
MILLAR, Lyle	1	2	2	3	5		5		2	4	1	2						1	28
MOORE, Robert			1	1			3		2		2		3		1				13
MOREY, Steve	1	2	2	2	3		3		4	2		2		2		2		7	32
NEIL, Kylie	1	3	3	1															8
NIGHTINGALE, Chris		1	1	1	1		3								1				8

Junior League - Game Stats

Name	6	7	8	9	10		11		12		13		14		15		16		Junior League Total
	Referee	Referee	Referee	Referee	Referee	Touch Judge	Referee	Touch Judge	Referee	Touch Judge	Referee	Touch Judge	Referee	Touch Judge	Referee	Touch Judge	Referee	Touch Judge	
NIGHTINGALE, Katherine	6	6	7	1															20
O'NEILL, Kylie					1		2		1				1						5
OSWALD, Lawrence		1		2	3		3		6		9		8					9	41
PATON, Henry		1	1	1	1		1		2		1		4		2			1	15
PATON, Richard					1		1								1			1	4
RANKIN, T	4	5	4	1															14
RYAN, Mark	6	3	3	3	3		2		4	1	2		1		2	1		3	34
SAVONA, Brenton	5	6	7	3	9	2	3		1		3		1		2		12	54	
SHEEHAN, Michael	2	2	2	1	1				1		3		1	2	1	2		1	19
SMITH, Simon	1			1	1				2	1	4		4	1	7	3	4	1	30
STEVENSON, Adam							2		1		1		1						5
SUTERS, M	6	6	5	2		1			1									4	25
THEODOSIOU, Peter							1		2		3		4		5		5	2	22
THOMPSON, Andy	3	4	4																11
WALTER, Ross	1			1	2		2	2	1	1	1					1		2	14
WEBER, Brad	1	3		3	3				6		7		4	2				2	31
WEST, Jo	1	1	1						5	1	4		2		7		11		33
WHITEHEAD, Ray	2	1	1				1		2		1								8
WIDDOWSON, Garth	2	2	2	4	6		4		1		3	1	4		2	3		9	43
WILLIAMS, Mark	1			1											3			1	6
WOOTTEN, Brodie	4	5	3	3	5		4				2		1	2				2	31
WYLIE, Ed		1	1	1	5		2		1		4		1		3			3	22
Grand Total	104	106	96	107	128	18	113	16	121	18	124	15	77	18	87	30	57	108	1343

MEETING ATTENDANCES - 2007

<i>Surname</i>	<i>AGM Attendance</i>	<i>General Meetings Attendances</i>	<i>Board Meetings Attendances</i>	<i>Surname</i>	<i>AGM Attendance</i>	<i>General Meetings Attendances</i>	<i>Board Meetings Attendances</i>
Adams D		2	4	Hanson J		1	
Arcella C	1	5		Hanson D			
Baker P		1		Harradine M			
Barrow L		3		Harradine N	1	2	5
Berkeley M		2		Henderson G		1	
Bernsons D				Henderson P			
Bissett N	1	5	4	Hill N			
Boller C				Holland T		1	
Bonanno C				Lane B		1	
Byron P				Lavery M		3	
Cahill C	1	4		Lehoczky A		3	
Carmody R		3	5	Lyons I			
Carroll A				McCormack C	1	3	
Carroll I		1		Milczuk G		1	
Castle P		3	3	Millar L	1	1	
Charman J				Moore R	1	4	5
Cook D	1	3		Morgan R			
Cranston R				Neil K		1	
Cuthbert Matt				Nightingale C	1	4	6
Dagwell M		1		Nightingale K		2	
Delander J				O'Neill K	1	3	6
Doherty G		2		Paton H			
Eade R		4		Paton R			
Feenan D				Ryan M	1	1	
Flynn T				Savona B		3	
Forster M		1		Sheehan M			
Gauci N				Smith S		3	
Gould J	1	2		Sosimenko M			
Gray M		2		Suters M		1	
Gregory B	1			Taylor G	1		
Hall D				West J		1	
Hall G		1		Whitehead C			
Hall S				Whitehead R	1	4	3

12 Meetings (1 x AGM, 5 x General Meetings, & 6 x Board Meetings)

ASSOCIATION HONOUR ROLLS

LIFE MEMBERS

Tom Greer (deceased)	1963	Bob Lloyd	1987
Jack McKie, OAM (deceased 1998)	1963	Phil Stuart	1990
Bruce Chapman	1971	Dave Cook	1991
Doug Houssenloge	1975	Lionel Hart	1992
Ian Alder	1977	Chris Nightingale	1997
Richard Morgan	1980	David Hall	1998
Noel Bissett	1980	Phill Byron	1999
Jim Mahoney	1982	Neville Harradine	2006
Neville Norris	1983	Geoff Milczuk	2007
Peter Frazer	1985		

REFEREES REFEREE

(COMBINED WITH BACKBONE AWARD TO CREATE OUTSTANDING SERVICE SHIELD FROM 2005)

Neville Norris	1976	Phil Stuart	1986	Chris Nightingale	1996
Noel Bissett	1977	David Cook	1987	David Adams	1997
Peter Frazer	1978	Andy Thompson	1988	David Hall	1998
Col Law	1979	Neil Maher	1989	Phill Byron	1999
Noel Bissett	1980	Not Presented	1990	Peter Castle	2000
Bob Lloyd	1981	Lionel Hart	1991	Michael Harradine	2001
Jim Mahoney	1982	Bob Nelson	1992	Peter Castle	2002
Glynn Jones	1983	Bruce Chapman	1993	(Not awarded)	2003
Bob Lloyd	1984	Noel Bissett	1994	Peter Castle	2004
Phil Stuart	1985	David Hall	1995		

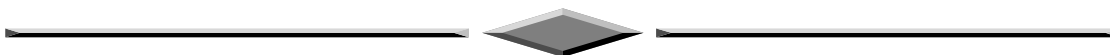
BACKBONE

(COMBINED WITH REFEREES REFEREE TO CREATE OUTSTANDING SERVICE SHIELD FROM 2005)

J. Fleming	1976	John O'Neill	1986	David Adams	1996
L. Murphy	1977	Phil Byron	1987	Phil Byron	1997
Bob Lloyd	1978	Andy Thompson	1988	Peter Castle	1998
D. Musgrove	1979	Bob Nelson	1989	Brian Bolton	1999
Col Law	1980	David Cook	1990	Phil Walsh	2000
Dave Cook	1981	Noel Bissett	1991	Neville Harradine	2001
Glynn Jones	1982	John Peisley	1992	Noel Bissett	2002
Peter Frost	1983	David Hall	1993	Chris Nightingale	2003
David Cook	1984	Brian Bolton	1994	Neville Harradine	2004
Lionel Hart	1985	Phil Byron	1995		

JIM MAHONEY SHIELD – OUTSTANDING SERVICE TO THE ASSOCIATION

Nathan Hill	2005	Glynn Henderson	2006	James Gould	2007
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ASSOCIATION HONOUR ROLLS

JACK MCKIE OAM MEMORIAL TROPHY – ON FIELD PERFORMANCE

(Combined with Senior Encouragement to create Most Improved Senior Referee from 2005)

Robert Gallacher	1999	Michael Laverty	2001	Robert Moore	2003
Ian Freeman	2000	Sheldon Johnson	2002	Michael Harradine	2004

JACK MCKIE OAM MEMORIAL TROPHY – MOST IMPROVED SENIOR REFEREE

(Replaced On Field Performance Trophy from 2005)

Colin McCormack	2005	Tyson Flynn	2006	Ji Delander	2007
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SENIOR ENCOURAGEMENT

(Combined with On Field Performance Trophy to create Most Improved Senior Referee from 2005)

Bob Lloyd	1976	Glynn Henderson	1987	Ian Freeman	1998
Bob Cambridge	1977	G. Leahy	1988	Michael Laverty	1999
N. Wardle	1978	Charles Fitzgerald	1989	Dominic Feenan	2000
Denis Meagher	1979	John Peisley	1990	Mark Ryan	2001
Keith Gegg	1980	Phil Walsh	1991	Robert Moore	2002
Geoff Snowden	1981	Rod Cranston	1992	Mark Dagwell	2003
Phil Stuart	1982	Brett Northey	1993	Chris Arcella	2004
R. Gay	1983	Robert Gallacher	1994		
Andy Thompson	1984	Chris Wilson	1995		
Neil Maher	1985	Andrew Carmody	1996		
David Hall	1986	Peter Castle	1997		

JUNIOR ENCOURAGEMENT

(Combined with Mini Mod Shield to create Most Improved Junior Referee from 2005)

S. Nancarrow	1976	Stuart McDougall	1986	Ian Wilson	1996
Glynn Jones	1977	Jason Elliott	1987	Scott Norris	1997
P. Evans	1978	Jamie Thompson	1988	Scott Jopling	1998
Sandra. Norris	1979	Shane Thurlow	1989	Jason Hart	1999
A. White	1980	Michael Harradine	1990	Phil Henderson	2000
R. Law	1981	Michael O'Neill	1991	Scott Hall	2001
T. Bourne	1982	Robert Gallacher	1992	Luke Carroll	2002
Greg Pfeiffer	1983	Nial Wheate	1993	Colin McCormack	2003
N. Jones	1984	Julian Pearce	1994	Aaron Carroll	2004
Denise Lord	1985	Paul Grzadka	1995		

MINI/MOD AWARD

(Combined with Junior Encouragement to create Most Improved Junior Referee from 2005)

Adam Lehoczky	2002	Josiah West	2004
Sarah Lyons	2003		

ASSOCIATION HONOUR ROLLS

BRUCE CHAPMAN SHIELD – MOST IMPROVED JUNIOR REFEREE

Daniel Hanson	2005	2006	Lawrence Oswald	2007
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NEVILLE NORRIS SHIELD – ROOKIE OF THE YEAR

(renamed from Best First Year referee in 2005)

D. Gilbard	1981	Alan Brindell	1990	Mark Berkeley	1999
Lionel Hart	1982	Ben Cummins	1991	James Charman	2000
Ian Miller	1983	Brian Cobb	1992	Mark Dagwell	2001
Richard Terry	1984	Chris Collins	1993	Steve Costello	2002
Phil Byron	1985	Matthew Popple	1994	James Gould	2003
Glynn Henderson	1986	Peter Castle	1995	Nathan Gauci	2004
P. Flynn	1987	Michael Laverty	1996	Henry Paton	2005
Preston Hart	1988	Minh Dang	1997	Brett Carter	2006
Vince Lawson	1989	Brendan McKinless	1998	Brenton Savona	2007

KEITH GEGG – TOUCH JUDGE AWARD

(Awarded to both 1st Grade Grand Final Touch Judges from 2005)

Phil Byron	1991	Matthew Hall	2000
Phil Byron	1992	Scott Hall	2000
David Adams	1993	Robert Moore	2001
David Adams	1994	Phil Henderson	2002
Val Lawson	1995	Matt Darmody	2003
Phil Byron	1996	Tyson Flynn	2004
Vince Lawson	1997	Dominic Feenan / Phil Henderson	2005
David Adams	1998	Dominic Feenan / Mark Dagwell	2006
Peter Castle	1999	Ji Delander / Mark Dagwell	2007

