# WESTERN SUBURBS BADMINTON ASSOCIATION (INCORPORATED)



# ANNUAL REPORT 2013

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#### WESTERN SUBURBS BADMINTON ASSOCIATION INC.

PRESIDENT	Mrs Pat Daw	1989-2013
VICE PRESIDENT	Mrs Natalie Cronin Hon. Secretary Committee	1991-2013 1989-1990 1984-1988
HON. SECRETARY	Ms Ann-Louise Slee Committee	2012-2013 2009-2012
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HON. TREASURER	Vacant	
COMMITTEE MEMBERS	Mrs Pauline Martin	2004-2013
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	Mr Carson Boyd	2011-2013
	Ms Helen Wong	2012-2013
	Mr Victor Tran	Co-opted 2012

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#### **A PROFILE OF LIFE MEMBERS**

#### 1946 - Mr. W. J. Muir \*

Windsor was the foundation secretary of the Association and member of St. John's Footscray. He carried the burden of the Association in the pre-war years. Windsor served as Secretary for 4 years, Assistant Secretary 1 year, Vice President 1 year and President 1 year.

#### 1952 - Mr. W. R. Weisheit \*

Ray was the President of the Association from 1942 until 1956 a period of 15 years. He also served as a Vice President in 1940 before assuming the Presidency and was a member of St. John's Footscray. He held the position of Australian President in 1955, Auditor of the Australian Association for 25 years, Vice President of the Victorian Association for 5 years and was made a Life Member of that Association in 1954.

#### 1953 - Mr. W. R. Hindson \*

Bob was the Secretary of the Association from 1943 until 1952 (10 years), Vice President from 1953 until 1956 (4 years) and President from 1957 until 1959 (3 years). He held the position of Australian Secretary from 1959 until 1968 a period of 10 years, was a Vice-president of the Victorian Association and was made a Life Member of that Association in 1968. He was also Badminton Referee at the last Commonwealth games, and was a Victorian selector. Bob was made a Life Member of the Australian Badminton Association in 1978.

#### 1957 - Mrs. M. J. Boniface \*

Marge served on the committee of the Association from 1948 until 1950 (3 years), Vice President from 1951 until 1958 (8 years) and was Secretary from 1959 until 1979 (21 years). She played badminton with the Association from the early days, was a member of the pennant Team and also served the Victorian Association as a Selector. Marge was made a Life Member of the Victorian Association in 1972.

#### 1958 - Miss. D. Melrose \*

Dorrie was the Treasurer of the Association from 1941 until 1957 a period of 17 years. Dorrie was a highly efficient treasurer, unobtrusive by nature and was a member of St. Andrew's Williamstown.

#### 1959 - Mr. A. C. Round \*

Allan was the Assistant Secretary of the Association in 1951 and 1952 (2 years) and Secretary from 1953 until 1958 a period of 6 years. He was a first class doubles player credited with many wins and was a member of St. Andrew's Williamstown.

#### 1963 - Mr. R. Mayo \*

Russell spent some years on the Committee of the Association before succeeding Dorrie Melrose as Treasurer from 1958 until 1968 a period of 11 years.

#### 1964 - Mr. I. D. Scott \*

Ian spent some years on the Committee of the Association before becoming Vice President in 1959. He assumed the Presidency in 1960 and served until 1965 a period of 6 years, when he was transferred to Papua New Guinea to establish the Technical College System.

#### 1966 - Mr. A. M. Burnham

Max was Vice President of the Association from 1958 until 1965 and President from 1966 to 1972. He was a Vice President of the Victorian Association and was made a Life Member of that Association in 1973. He represented the Association as a member of the Pennant Team and had a reputation as a doubles player.

#### 1969- Mr. R. Gates \*

Bob spent some years on the Committee of the Association from 1951 and was Vice President for four years. He was one of the original playing members of the Association, representing St. John's, Footscray.

#### 1976 - Mr. V. Handley \*

Vic was Vice President of the Association for eighteen years between 1963 and 1980. He was a Foundation Member of the Umpires Association and served as an umpire for many years.

#### 1979 - Mrs. H. J. Bird \*

Heather was Treasurer of the Association from 1971 until her untimely death in 1983, a period if thirteen years. She was a player with North Williamstown Presbyterian, West Newport and St. Andrew's, Williamstown.

#### 1985 - Mr. R. C. Croft

Ray has held many positions of the Committee of the Association. He was Hon. Match Secretary from 1973 to 1977, Vice President in 1978 until 1979 and again from 1983 to 1985, and he was Hon. Secretary in 1980 and 1981. He has represented the Association at the Melbourne Badminton Association, the Victorian Badminton Association and at the Western region Sports Assembly. He was a member and treasurer of the Westgate Badminton Club for many years.

#### 1989 - Mr. A. G. Walsh\*

Alan became Vice President of the Association in 1982 and was the President from 1983 until 1988. Alan spent many Tuesday nights attending council meetings, and during this time he and his Committee negotiated with the Altona City Council to build the stadium and convincing the council that the venue should used exclusively for Badminton. Alan played with West Newport and Westgate for many years and retired to the bowling green.

#### 1996 - Mrs P. Fox

Phyllis became Secretary of the Laverton Club in 1974, when Miss K. Tompkins (a teacher) left the school after forming the Laverton High School Club, which entered the W.S.B.A. Summer Competition in 1971/72.

Phyllis was also Secretary of the Try Youth Club from 1976-1983. She made the Laverton High School Hall available for tournaments, meetings and finals.

Phyllis helped in the organising and training of Western Suburbs under-age teams from 1974-1985, before the Altona Badminton Centre was built.

Phyllis helped to organise Westchamps in the 1980's and provided refreshments for participants. Phyllis retired as the Secretary of Laverton Badminton Club at the end of 2007.

#### 1998 - Mr R. Gray

Ron joined the Committee of W.S.B.A.Inc. in 1983, was Hon. Treasurer from 1985-1989, Vice-President in 1990, Committee Member in 1991 & 1992, Hon. Treasurer from 1993-1995 and a Committee Member from 1996-1998.

Ron has played with Keilor East for some years and prior to that with Essendon.

As a Committee Member, Ron continued to oversee the role of Treasurer, which required dedication and commitment on a weekly basis for the entire year.

Awarding Ron a Life Membership is a small way of thanking him for his dedication to the continued success of W.S.B.A. Inc.

#### 1999 - Mr A. Black

Alan joined the Committee as Vice-President in 1987 and became Senior Vice-President in 1990. Alan took on the role of the Match Secretary during 1990 and continued to hold this position until the end of 2006. During these years, Alan was one of the Event Directors for the many successful tournaments run by W.S.B.A. Inc., including the annual Altona Open & Graded Tournament and Under 13/15/17/19 Selection Tournaments.

Alan was the Chairman of our Junior Committee, which organised our Friday Night Junior Competition and Coaching, from 1989 until 2006.

Alan was a member and a selector for the Victorian Junior Badminton Association, a sub-committee of Badminton Victoria for many years, and the Event Director for many of their tournaments.

#### 2000 - Mrs P.M. Daw

Pat joined the committee, chairing her first meeting as President in 1989 and still holds this position. Pat took over the day to day running of the Altona Badminton Centre and spent many hours organising the staff and overseeing the administration of the stadium.

Pat has been involved in the organisation of many W.S.B.A.Inc. tournaments at our stadium and has been the Event Director for an Under 19 Australian Carnival and Under 17 Australasian Badminton Carnival hosted by Badminton Victoria.

Pat was a member of Victorian Badminton Association Council in the 1960's, a member of the Badminton Victoria Review Committee in 1999 and has worked, as a volunteer, at Badminton Australia collating tournament results.

Pat became interested in badminton when she went to pennant competition matches at St Johns Footscray with her parents Ray & Mavis Weisheit and played for about forty years. This is the first time a child of one of our Life Members has also become a Life member, Pat's father, Ray, was awarded a Life Membership in 1952.

#### 2001 - Mrs N. J. Cronin

Natalie began playing badminton in about 1943 and continued playing until about 1989. Nat played in Bendigo & Echuca before coming to Williamstown in 1973 where she joined St Andrew's daytime ladies and then the St Stephen's night competition team which she helped to organise.

In 1985, Nat joined the "Committee for Catering at Official Functions", the highlights of which were the Silver Bowl and the Australian Championships. In the Annual Report for that year, Nat was thanked for her "Special Event" catering and her "attention to detail" in the organisation of the hospitality provided for players, sponsors, officials, guests and volunteers. During the early years of the Altona Badminton Centre, Nat and Jerry were involved in the organisation of Friday Night

Juniors and worked as volunteers in the Pro Shop, selling in the Kiosk and taking court bookings.

Nat joined the W.S.B.A.Inc. Committee in 1984, prior to the opening of the Stadium and served as a Committee Member until 1988. Nat took on the role of Honorary Secretary in 1989 and 1990, was Vice-President from 1991-1993 and Senior Vice-President to now. Nat is also the Public Officer of the Association.

#### 2002 - Mrs H. Black\*

Hilary began playing badminton at St Luke's, Yarraville in 1958. Hilary played until the end of the Autumn Season 1999. Hilary served on the Keilor East Committee in 1973, 1977 – 81, 1983, 1984 – 1986. In 1987 Hilary became Secretary and Public Officer and held these offices for 18 years.

Hilary, along with Alan, became involved with the Juniors when the Altona Badminton Centre opened in 1985. A Junior Sub-Committee was formed in 1986, with Alan becoming Chairman in 1989 and Hilary organising Friday night Juniors through until 2006.

Hilary was regularly the scorer at our Junior & Open Tournaments for many years and also assisted with catering for these events.

Hilary was a W.S.B.A. Inc delegate to Badminton Victoria for a number of years.

#### 2006 - Mrs M. Ravenhall

Marj was a member and player of the Keilor East Badminton Association Inc. since 1969, when the club was formed, joined the Keilor East Committee in 1974 and became President in 1989.

Marj supported the plan for Keilor East to become incorporated in the mid 1980s and her input to the Keilor East Committee resulted in strong and consistent support to WSBA. Marj was one of the Keilor East delegates for the WSBA Annual Meetings for many years.

Marj played pennant competition in many different venues until 2004. She was on the Canteen Committee when the Altona Badminton Centre first opened and was presented with a Service Award in 1997.

Mari was also a WSBA Delegate for Badminton Victoria Meetings for many years.

#### 2010 - Mrs J. Tyrrell

Jean first played badminton in 1944 at St Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Williamstown. In 1946 she won the Footscray and Williamstown District Badminton Association (now Western Suburbs Badminton Association) Under 16 Girls Singles Championship.

During the following years up until 1961, Jean played for Electra Street Methodists and St Andrews; both Williamstown based clubs. The years that followed saw Jean take on many volunteer roles – Assistant Club Secretary, Club Delegate to WSBA Meetings and Member of the WSBA Social Committee that organised the annual presentation nights.

Jean, along with husband Keith assisted the Williamstown High School sports director to set up Badminton at the school and coached the players. The clubs entered many teams in the WSBA pennant competition.

In 1971 Jean became an accredited coach and over the following years rose through the coaching ranks to level 3 status and ultimately being awarded the Australian National Coaching role.

In 1972 Jean joined the Badminton Victoria Council where one of her first jobs was to develop a junior pennant competition at the old Albert Park Stadium. This was very successful, with players coming together on a weekly basis from Geelong, Kilsyth,

Central and WSBA. In this time, Jean also organised the badminton for the Secondary Schools Association.

Jean has been involved in the following committees or services: BV Coaches – past president and chairperson, State selector, National selector, Badminton Victoria President, Badminton Victoria Coaching Advisory Group members, Course presenter for both BA and BV and remains an active Level 3 NCAS Coach.

When WSBA secured the building of the Altona Badminton Stadium, the WSBA president, Alan Walsh approached Jean to become Resident Coach. Jean has been coaching at the stadium for the full 25 years of the stadium and is still a key member of the WSBA coaching pool providing coaching for 48 weeks of the year.

For all this time, Jean has continuously volunteered her services to WSBA junior association teams from Under 11's through to Under 19's, WSBA Pennant teams (Open and Junior) and has volunteered her time to attend numerous tournaments over the years to assist our WSBA players to fulfil their potential.

Jean continues to coach wherever possible, coaching School Badminton teams, assisting with the WSBA Development Programs and providing coach education. Jean has coached many state and national teams:

<u>Victoria</u>	Under 23	1981 - 1985
	Victoria 1	1986 - 1989, 1993 & 1996
	Victoria 2	1990 - 1992
	Under 19	1990 - 2001
<u>Australia</u>	National Teams	1989 - 1990
	Surdirman Cup	World Championships
	Whyte Trophy	Commonwealth Games
	Thomas Cup	Uber Cup

Jean is also the recipient of the following awards:

Australian Sports Medal Australian Centenary Medal

Badminton Australia Conspicuous Service Medal

Badminton Victoria Life Member

Member of Badminton Victoria Hall of Fame.

#### **2011 Mr Gordon Douglas**

Gordon established the Keilor Road Presbyterian Badminton Club in 1971. The club commenced playing in the Sunday School Hall which was six inches shorter than the length of a standard badminton court. The club changed to Keilor Road Uniting Church Badminton Club in 1977 with the formation of the Uniting Church in Australia.

Gordon was President from its inception in 1971 until April 2010 – a total of 39 years. The club originally joined the Diamond Valley Badminton Association but later moved across to the Western Suburbs Badminton Association in 1984.

Gordon regularly advertised in local newspapers (even as far as Melton and in the late 1990s the Vietnamese papers) to keep the club functioning and attract people to Badminton. All players were welcome to at Niddrie High School hall on Saturdays, where Gordon played with the beginners to give encouragement and provide instruction on how to play Badminton. During the years between 2005 & 2010, Gordon took over the compilation and running of the club, organising teams and players. At its peak in 2006, Gordon ran and looked after 26 teams, regularly turning up at the Altona Badminton Centre four nights a week to ensure players turned up and were ok to play the next week.

Gordon was most inclusive in bringing players from new arrival communities into the association, in particular the Vietnamese Community.

Gordon has made a significant contribution to local badminton in the Western Suburbs and the Keilor Road Badminton Club would not have existed for so long without Gordon's devotion to this sport that he loves so dearly.

#### 2012 - Mrs W McKenzie

Wilma has been a stalwart of our Friday night competition for over 25 years. Just about every Friday night you will find Wilma overseeing the nightly registration of players, getting the teams together for the nightly competition and chasing up players for their matches. Wilma's easy going nature and welcoming smile each week has been a feature of her years supporting junior badminton in the west. Wilma has always been prepared to help out in any role asked of her and has ably supported some of our key junior co-ordinators such as Alan & Hilary Black and Jerry & Natalie Cronin.

Wilma began her playing at the St Andrew's Presbyterian Church in Williamstown and still can be found each Monday morning playing with the Western Suburbs Ladies social group Wilma comes from a badminton background – her parents, May and Jim Thomas held several key positions on the committee including treasurer, vice president and match secretary in the mid 1960's. Her father was very involved with the establishment of the summer badminton competition. Wilma's daughter Jennifer has also been on the committee in several roles including match secretary and another daughter, Amanda was a coach with our junior programme before moving interstate with work.

\* denotes deceased

#### **Service Awards**

#### 1985

Brian Dixon
Phyllis Fox
Laurie Grimmett
George Jamieson
David Matthews
Keith Ormston
Ray Opar
Rex Temby

#### 1986

Kaye Dunscombe Rhonda Jackson Alby Speed Enid Stewart David Talbot Joy Walsh

#### 1989

Barbara Giles Phillip Jackson Rita Knight

#### 1996

Natalie Cronin Ron Gray

#### 1997

Alan Black Hilary Black Don Hayes Betty Jamieson Kevin Phillips Marj Ravenhall

#### 1998

Samantha Hulme

#### 1999

Gordon Douglas Wilma McKenzie

#### 2000

Andrew McPhee Jessie Crerar Jess Hilton

#### 2001

Leonie Bury Wynette Phillips Marlis Bellmann

#### 2006

Robert Burns Murray Hicks

#### 2007

Pauline Martin

#### PRESIDENT'S REPORT

2013 has been a very busy year for WSBA.

The year began with two Carnivals, the Under 13 Interstate Series in January (4 teams competed in the Interstate Series and 6 in the Regional Teams Challenge) and the 2013 Under 17 Li-Ning June Bevan Trophy and the Under 17 Australasian Championships in March/April (16 teams from Australia, New Zealand and New Caledonia and WSBA entered a team of mainly Under 15 players). Our WSBA Team finished 8<sup>th</sup> in the 16 team draw, I congratulate them on their performance, court behavior and team spirit, which earned praise from a number of opposing teams. This was a very hectic 10 days, preceded by a year's planning. We were pleased to have June Bevan to present the Trophy named in her honour. June and our Vice President, Natalie also assisted with the Individual presentations. Thanks to all our volunteers who came to assist daily with the set up and putting away of all the items needed on the floor, the computer assistants, who volunteered during the Teams Event and everyone who helped Ron make this event so successful. Our two social events, the Opening Dinner and the Closing Dinner & Disco were held at Seaworks in Nelson Place, where the Anti Whaling Ships were berthed for the winter and were opened for us to inspect/learn about on the last night. This made a very different and memorable conclusion to the Carnival.

Thanks to my Committee, Natalie (Vice-President), Dave (Match Secretary), Ann-Louise (Secretary), Pauline, Salwa, Carson & Victor (who joined us later in the year), for their individual contributions.

Our Friday Night Junior Pennant is co-ordinated by Wilma and a number of our Junior Coaches. Juniors are our future and it is great to see juniors committing to a team on a regular basis.

Congratulations to Eric Vuong who has just represented Australia at the SCG BWF World Junior Championships in Bangkok. WSBA had players selected to represent Victoria in U13, U15, U17, U19 and Open. We are very proud of you all!

WSBA entered teams in the Men's and Women's State Pennant, the Victorian Junior Teams Championship and the Victorian Junior Regional Teams Championships. Thanks to all the parents who took on the role of Manager for these events and our Coaches, who volunteered their time to coach each team.

Our Junior Development Squad continues to grow and thrive under Michelle's quidance and the support of our 22 coaches.

Our Veterans continue to support the Veteran's calendar and our WSBA Altona veterans in July (which was black banned by the VBVA as we introduced "rally point scoring") had 30 teams entered, twelve teams played at Maribyrnong

and eighteen at Altona. A special thanks to Bocca Foods who again opened the Maribyrnong Secondary College Canteen for us.

This year, for the first time, WSBA Ladies entered two teams in the Atalanta Jamboree which was held in Ballarat. The WSBA Miss Hits won C1 and WSBA Shuttlettes were Runners Up in C3. Well done Ladies!

This year we hosted three Indian Church tournaments, the first two were events by separate churches to get the best players for the team event and the third the Team Event, which, again was won by the Syro Malabar Catholic Church.

Our stadium always looks great, thanks to our cleaners, Diana, Kim & Don. Thank you to our Casual Staff, who assume a variety of roles as they carry out their duties, Ajaya, Alexandra, Dan, Marlis, Mary, Nick, Pauline & Xavier.

Thanks to our sponsors, Epsilon, Schweppes Australia and the City of Hobsons Bay for their continued support.

Our website <a href="www.wsbaonline.com.au">www.wsbaonline.com.au</a> continues to provide up to date information for WSBA members and what's happening in Badminton in Victoria and Australia through Badminton Victoria's great monthly publication "Around the Courts", you can find the links on our website.

In 2013, WSBA has mourned the passing of two Life Members, Alan Walsh and Hilary Black and Joy Walsh who was the WSBA Treasurer and organised our Monday Morning Ladies. All contributed much to our association over many years and will be sadly missed.

Ron, as WSBA's Manager, is a great asset for us and to badminton in Victoria, overseeing all the aspects of our Association, as well as his volunteer roles on the Victorian Junior Badminton Committee and as Treasurer for Badminton Victoria.

Thanks again, Ron for your continued contribution to WSBA and Badminton in Victoria.

Pat Daw President

#### **MANAGER'S REPORT**

2013 has seen a modest increase court hire usage and takings which has translated into another successful year to the association. The only area that did not achieve our budget forecast was our Saturday court hire. All other areas performed to expectations.

During the year our association hosted and ran several tournaments and carnivals.

January Under 13 Interstate Series & Regional Challenge
March Altona Junior Open Tournament - Under 11, 15 & 19

March/April Australasian Under 17 Carnival May Altona Open & Graded Tournament

July Altona Veterans Tournament

September 3 separate Indian Community Tournaments

November Altona Junior Open Tournament - Under 13 & 17.

The focus in the first half of the year was the Under 17 June Bevan Carnival and the Australasian Under 17 Championships. This event ran for ten days from 29 April through until 6 April. We were lucky to have 16 teams compete which included 2 state teams from Victoria and New South Wales, four state teams from Queensland, Tasmania, South Australia and Western Australia, a combined territories team, two teams from Central New Zealand single teams from Northern New Zealand and Mainland New Zealand, a team from New Caledonia and two regional teams from Geraldton WA and our own team from Western Suburbs. The results are recorded later in the annual report, but mention must be made of the great effort of our WSBA team which finished a very creditable eighth overall. This event is the biggest carnival on the Badminton Australia calendar and a lot of time and effort went in to preparing and hosting the event. Thanks must be given to volunteers, Pat Daw, Maurice Boyd, David Matthews Aira Nuguid and Victor Tran.

Our pennant competition continues to be the foundation for our association and the stadium. A huge thank you goes out to the secretaries of the clubs who organise teams and players and our match secretary, Dave Matthews who is at the stadium, most competition nights.

My thanks to our President, Pat Daw who gives so much of her time to the association and badminton in Victoria. Pat prepares all of our tournaments, carnivals and pennants in the tournament software and responsible for maintaining our website, face book and twitter pages. Thanks also go to the committee of WSBA for their support

Our association still provides great support to the development of juniors in the Western Suburbs. This covers the administration of our squad players and coaches and the organising of our primary school participation programmes. We are lucky to have our head coach, Michelle Rigg who does such a great job in this area of our sport. My thanks go to her and her team of coaches who continue to inspire and mentor our juniors. It is great to see the number of WSBA squad players who get selected in state teams and this year we have had Eric Vuong selected to play for Australia at the BWF world junior championships. Even more

pleasing is that Eric was identified from one of the school coaching clinics that the association conducts in local schools.

To Wilma McKenzie and the dedicated band of ex-juniors who are now coordinating the Friday night junior competition go my sincere thanks. It is great to see so many kids having a fun time on Friday evenings.

Our stadium continues to run with minimum numbers of staff and I would like to thank them for their support and dedication over the year. They include: Ajaya, Alexandra, Dan, Marlis, Mary, Nick, Pauline and Xavier.

Our stadium still maintains the reputation of being one of the cleanest and best presented in the country. We are so fortunate to have reliable and hard working cleaners who always give their best attention to the stadium and our foyer. Our stadium cleaners, One Step Facility Management, headed by Kim and Diana, give a professional touch to the stadium. Don, who looks after the foyer and change rooms has been working with us six days a week since the opening of the stadium and has hardly missed a day.

Our association with Badminton Victoria continues to flourish and we are proud to be affiliated with our state body. Our association is still clearly the biggest and most successful association in the state and the country.

We acknowledge the great support offered to us by the Hobsons Bay City Council and look forward to working with them in the near future in trying to extend our stadium.

Ron Gray Manager

#### **MATCH SECRETARY'S REPORT**

The 2013 Autumn season kicked off with 50 teams entered across all grades. The clubs represented were,

Keilor East17 teamsLaverton14 teamsMason St10 teamsPBC5 teamsSouthern Land4 teams

There were a lot of close results throughout the season. Each week we saw an average of 50 matches going to three sets.

Players were concerned throughout the season with the late finishes. This came about due to the doubles grades playing their match the best of three games to 21. A survey of players was carried out during the season with a majority favouring the best of three games to 21 with no setting.

Clubs were advised of changes to the Match Regulations that resulted in teams being penalised of incomplete score sheets. There was an improvement and no teams lost points for this during the season.

Spring Season 2013 was represented by the following clubs with a total of 51 teams.

Keilor East19 teamsLaverton10 teamsMason St11 teamsPBC5 teamsWestminton (prev Southern Land)6 teams

This season saw the change in scoring for the doubles grades – matches being played the best of three games to 21 with no setting. Players were very acceptable with this, but there were still issues with late finishes. The WSBA committee decided that the lights would be turned out at 11:00pm with all matches ceasing then. I believe this has been well accepted.

When looking at the pennant ladders for the doubles grades, there is a big difference between a few of the teams across these grades, yet when looking at the individual matches, most games were decided by three points of less and a lot of games saw scores of 21-20.

The issue of spare court usage resulted in a notice to teams advising that as teams have paid for courts until 11:00pm they are entitles to stay on them until lights out.

Incomplete score sheets has become an issue again and teams have been advised that penalties are in place.

Both A and B doubles grades for the past two seasons are becoming much stronger, with more players wanting to play these grades. With the introduction of the A doubles grade in autumn 2012, these grades are now very well represented

#### Dave Matthews Match Secretary

#### **SPRING SEASON 2012**

A Grade	1 KEILOR EAST TITANS 2 LAVERTON GOLD 3 KEILOR EAST REBELS 4 LAVERTON PIRATES	210 WINNER 200 RUNNER UP 178 92
A Res Grade	e 1 MASON ST FANTASTIC FOUR 2 MASON ST TOP HEAVYWEIGHTS 3 KEILOR EAST BOUNCE 4 LAVERTON BULLETS	193 180 160 WINNER 151 RUNNER UP
A Doubles	1 MASON ST NEW HAWKS 2 MASON ST WOMBATS 3 MASON ST FLYING TURTLES 4 PBC MAYHEM	283 WINNER 208 202 RUNNER UP 184
B1 Grade	1 SOUTHERN LAND MANTISES 2 KEILOR EAST FUSION 3 LAVERTON RICEBALLS 4 MASON ST NEWBIES	193 RUNNER UP 159 WINNER 137 106
B2 Grade	1 SOUTHERN LAND CRICKETS 2 MASON ST PAWN STARS 3 KEILOR EAST KNIGHTS 4 KEILOR EAST VIKINGS	211 WINNER 211 RUNNER UP 196 176
C1 Grade	1 KEILOR EAST YOUNG GUNS 2 KEILOR EAST FAMILY 3 KEILOR EAST STARS 4 KEILOR EAST TRY HARDS	216 RUNNER UP 203 186 WINNER 162
C2 Grade	1 SOUTHERN LAND BACH HO 2 KEILOR EAST UNBALANCED 3 MASON ST DINGOES 4 MASON ST WEATHER	240 WINNER 217 199 RUNNER UP 163
C3 Grade	1 SOUTHERN LAND THANH LONG 2 LAVERTON MUSTANGS 3 KEILOR EAST PRIME 4 KEILOR EAST SPARKS	264 WINNER 203 RUNNER UP 198 190

#### **AUTUMN SEASON 2013**

A Singles	<ul><li>1 KEILOR EAST REBELS</li><li>2 LAVERTON GOLD</li><li>3 LAVERTON DRAGONS</li><li>4 MASON ST MAGIC</li></ul>	239 WINNER 227 RUNNER UP 143 48
A Doubles	1 KEILOR EAST TITANS 2 PBC TBC 3 KEILOR EAST BOUNCE 4 MASON ST NEW HAWKS	275 WINNER 218 212 RUNNER UP 207
B Singles	1 MASON ST FANTASTIC FOUR 2 KEILOR EAST YOUNG GUNS 3 MASON ST NEWBIES 4 LAVERTON DREAM TEAM	186 RUNNER UP 175 WINNER 158 147
B Doubles	1 MASON ST ACES 2 MASON ST SO SO 3 PBC ATW 4 PBC WMD	260 WINNER 229 RUNNER UP 215 203
C Singles	1 KEILOR EAST STARS 2 KEILOR EAST LIONS 3 KEILOR EAST FLAME 4 LAVERTON DTTL	201 RUNNER UP 155 WINNER 150 100
C2 Doubles	1 SOUTHERN LAND BLACK THUNDER 2 KEILOR EAST UNBALANCED 3 SOUTHERN LAND THANH LONG 4 MASON ST DINGOES	243 WINNER 238 RUNNER UP 201 194
C3 Doubles	1 MASON ST TURTLES 2 LAVERTON MUSTANGS 3 LAVERTON ROCKETS 4 LAVERTON BRONCOS	226 RUNNER UP 213 WINNER 197 173

#### **WESTERN SUBURBS FRIDAY NIGHT JUNIORS**

#### **Junior Pennant Results**

#### Spring Season 2012

A Grade

Winners: SHARKS 134 Points

Bai Lin Chen (Captain), Ross Audley, Andy Nguyen, Rixon

Wong

**Runners Up:** STINGRAYS 132 Points

Tin Cao (Captain), Andrew Nguyen, Beth Audley, Kevin

Chng

**B** Grade

Winners: PENGUINS 155 Points

Yu Yun Lim (Captain), Francis Stevens, Nathan Tran, Aaron

Polidano, Olivia Ho

**Runners Up: JELLYFISH** 147 Points

Hai Tran (Captain), Eric Lee, Grayson Huynh, Hai Ou,

Andrew Lee

#### **Autumn Season 2013**

A Grade

Winners: CASSOWARIES 111 Points

Ross Audley (Captain), Andy Nguyen, Jacob Ho, Dimitri Han

**Runners Up: BUDGERIGARS** 109 Points

Andrew Nguyen (Captain), Vinh Luong, Janson Trinh, Justin

Trac

**B** Grade

Winners: JABIRUS 156 Points

Jessica Zhan (Captain), Kelvin Law, Hai Ou, Fiona Le

**Runners Up: KOOKABURRAS** 92 Points

Courtney Jolly (Captain), Josh Drwecki, Kim Luong, Lyn Tran

Ron Gray Manager

#### **JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM 2013**

#### **School Participation Program**

The program this year saw a big increase in numbers participating in the program. There were 19 schools who participated; two more than 2012, however the difference was the schools were requesting clinics for all of their grades / students. More often this saw the program nearly double in numbers in comparison to 2012. These clinics are responsible for the rise in numbers in the beginner sessions and in some cases secured new players for our Junior Graded competition. Players who continued attending the sessions are monitored for improvement and are moved into more appropriate sessions when required.

This year 2,230 children participated in the Schools Participation Program. Schools that participated in the program are as follows

Altona PS

Westbourne GS

 Dinjerra PS **Braybrook** St Marv's PS Williamstown Bethany PS Werribee St Andrew's PS Werribee Williamstown North PS Williamstown **West Footscray** St Monica's PS St Mary's PS **Ascot Vale**  Christ the King PS **Braybrook**  Iramoo PS **Wyndham Vale**  Annunciation PS **Brooklyn** Stevensville PS St Albans Footscray North PS **Footscray**  St Mary's PS **Altona**  Wembley PS Yarraville

Manorvale PS Werribee
 St James Apostle PS Hoppers Crossing
 Altona Meadows PS Altona Meadows

#### **Development Squads & Casual Coaching Sessions**

W.S.B.A. continued to deliver coaching programs to cater for the beginner player through to the elite junior. A total of seventy players make up our Development Squads with another fifty juniors attending the beginner casual coaching sessions.

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The following is a snap shot of the 2013 coaching programs.

Coaching Clinics were offered during each school holiday break

Thu	Development & Elite Squad	5.30 - 7.30pm	40 members
Thu	Elite Squad Strength & Conditioning	ng7.30 - 8.30pm	16 members
Fri	Development Squad	5.30 - 7.30pm	20 members
Fri	Casual – all age groups	5.30 - 7.30pm	20 members
Sat	Elite Squad	8.30 - 10.30am	16 members
Sun	Elite Squad Strength & Conditioning	ng8.30 - 9.30am	16 members
Sun	Development & Elite Squad	9.30 - 11.30am	26 members
Sun	Casual – all age groups	9.30 - 11.30am	30 members

#### **Development Squad - Tournaments & State/National Selection**

The WSBA squad players were keen to attend the junior selection tournaments from U/11's to U/19's. There were some great results from the players throughout the year, earning some members, selection in Junior State Teams.

The WSBA Squad players had a successful year with the following players winning State or National Titles

Ross Audley Winner 2013 Victorian U13 Boys Doubles
Oscar Jap Winner 2013 Victorian U15 Boys Singles
Eric Vuong Winner 2013 Australian U19 Boys Doubles
Amy Young Winner 2013 Victorian U15 Girls Doubles

Eric Vuong Eric selected in the National Junior Team after securing the

U19 Australian Boys Doubles Titles with partner Athi

Selladurai. The Junior National Team travelled to Thailand in October to compete in the World Junior Titles and the Suhandinata Cup finishing 19th in a field of 32 teams. This is a wonderful achievement for a most deserving player who has been part of the WSBA Development Program for the last eight years after being talent identified at a school clinic

delivered by WSBA.

#### Squad members selected in 2013 Victorian Teams are as follows

Phillip Audley Victorian Team – Under 17
Ross Audley Victorian Team – Under 13
Tegan Berry Victorian Team – Senior
Ella Bradwell Victorian Team – Under 13

Erica Cochran Victorian Team – Under 17 emergency

David Cutroni
Calvin Hua-Ching
Charlie Jap
Oscar Jap
Catherine Mashalidis
Lily Rigg
Victorian Team – Senior
Victorian Team – Under 17
Victorian Team – Under 15
Victorian Team – Under 15
Victorian Team – Under 17

Jennifer Trinh Victorian Team – Under 19 (withdrew due to injury)
Eric Vuong Victorian Team - Under 19 & Australian Junior Team

Jing Wu Victorian Team – Senior Ernest Yam Victorian Team – Under 17

Amy Young Victorian Team – Under 13 & Under 15

Tiann Young Victorian Team – Under 13

John Lim Coach Victorian Team – Under 13 Pauline Martin Coach Victorian Team – Under 17

#### W.S.B.A. Representative Teams

#### **Victorian Junior Teams & Victorian Regional Teams Championships**

W.S.B.A. entered teams in all age groups for both Team Championships and had enough players to enter two teams in the U11 age group. The WSBA Teams all had great results finishing in one of the top three positions in all age groups.

#### **Victorian Junior Teams Championships MSAC June 2**

U11 Team Gold 3rd
U11 Team Blue 8th
U13 Team 2nd
U15 Team 2nd
U17 Team 3rd
U23 Team Gold 3rd
U23 Team Blue 8th

#### Victorian Junior Teams Championships MSAC August 25th

U11 Team Gold 1st U11 Team Blue 6th U13 Team 2nd U15 Team 2nd U17 Team 3rd

U23 Team WSBA Players in this age group were away representing

Victoria in the Clendinnen Shield and Australian Closed

Championships

#### U13 Interstate Series and Regional Challenge - January 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> 2013 Altona Stadium

WSBA delivered another great event. well done to Pat and Ron for their efforts as the Event Directors and to the coach, manager and umpire of the WSBA Rep Team for their time to support given.

The carnival saw lots of very keen junior players coming together from regional Victoria and NSW to play a team event on the first day followed by individual events on day two. Squad members Amy and Tiann Young played for Victoria 1 and had the best of this competition coming home with the cup! And the Victoria 2 Team with WSBA players Charlie Jap, Ross Audley and Ella Bradwell had some good results too taking third position in the competition. In the Regional Team Challenge Team WSBA had a very good day, taking home the silver medal.

In the individual events WSBA had fifteen players entered there were some mighty games fought out by these young players. Charlie Jap had a great tournament beating the  $\mathbf{1}^{\text{st}}$  seed in the quarterfinals eventually going down in a marathon game in the semi finals. Amy Young also had a great day making quarterfinals of the girls singles and then teaming up with younger sister Tiann in the girls doubles to reach the semi finals.

#### **WSBA U13 Team 2013**

Keegan Chien Dimitri Han

Fiona Le

Tracey Pham

Janson Trinh

Joanna Truong

My Tran Vuong

**Coach:** Pauline Martin **Manager & Assistant Coach:** Raymond Chien

**Umpire:** Nick Gray

#### U17 Australasian Carnival 2013 March 30th to April 6th Altona Stadium

This was a huge job and many thanks must go to Pat and Ron for their hard work and massive effort in the Carnival delivery. There was also a small but hard working group of WSBA members who volunteered their time to assist with the event delivery and to those a big thank you also.

WSBA was excited to be able to enter a representative team in this Carnival we had good response from our squad and association players available. Team WSBA finished a credible  $8^{\rm th}$  out of 16 teams defeating The Territories and WA Geraldton to get there.

The players competed well in the individual events earning some good results along the way. We were able to put together a team of officials who ensured that each day of the carnival, WSBA players were well looked after it was a great experience for all involved.

#### **U17 WSBA June Bevan Carnival Team 2013**

Erica Cochran

Bailin Chen

Thinh Do

Hera Jim

Tim Ma

Catherine Mashalidis

Pranav Rao

Leon Yeung

Amy Youna

Tiann Young

Coaches: Elizabeth Martin, John Lim, Denis Yeung & Michelle Rigg

Manager: Denis Yeung

**Umpires:** Brittany Morrow & Gary Li

#### **Badminton Victoria - State Pennant - MSAC**

With a change to the 2012 format, this event offered separate events for men and women this year. WSBA entered one team in each division our young players were competitive and had some great games and gained valuable experience playing in this open teams event.

#### **WSBA Pennant Teams 2013**

Mens Team
James Audley
David Cutroni
Eric Vuong
Daniel Trinh

Womens Teams Tegan Berry Rudy Rigg Lily Rigg Jing Wu

Finished 9th in a field of 12 teams

Finished 6th in a field of 8 teams

The total number of children attending on a weekly basis continues to grow with many junior players already playing in the WSBA Pennant Competition while others compete in the Junior Graded Competition.

WSBA are represented in every VJB Teams event, VJB junior selection events and all of the Junior Victorian Representative teams. This year some of our squad players now in the Open ranks made their first appearance in Victorian Open Teams and this was the first year that the WSBA State Pennant Representative Teams were made up of players all under the age of 25.

The Primary Schools Program is feeding our junior base through the school clinics ensuring future development for the association.

The junior players continue to show interest in umpiring with several of them already qualified as umpires and assisting at our junior events while others have completed coaching courses and are coaching at our beginner sessions.

I would like to thank the following people for their time, effort and support during the year;

- The Committee of the WSBA Inc for their continued commitment to promoting and raising the profile and development of the sport
- All the parents that helped at the Victorian & Regional Teams championships and the U13 & U17 Carnivals.
- Stadium Manager Ron Gray for his assistance during the year
- All the coaches for their hard work & dedication

Beth Audley James Audley Tegan Berry Casey Berry Helen Bradwell Raymond Chien Brendan Chu Bee Cochran David Cutroni Deepak Dhingra Garv Li Ariana Lim Gen Lim John Lim Liz Martin Pauline Martin Shaun Matthews Stephen Nguyen Rudy Rigg Daniel Trinh Paul Tyrrell Jean Tyrrell Eric Vuong Denis Yeuna

I look forward to working with all of them again in 2014

#### Michelle Rigg

#### Western Suburbs Badminton Association Development Squad 2013

James Audley Phillip Audley Ross Audley Nathan Boninsegni

Tegan Berry Flla Bradwell Joe Bradwell Gordon Chan Keegan Chien Bai Lin Chen Izek Chna Erica Cochran Erica Choo David Cutroni Ryan Dang David Dinh Phat Duong Faye Gesalta Elizabeth Gesalta Menard Gesalta Salil Gossain Sarwin Gobinath Dimitri Han Starcia Han Kostya Han Charlotte Huynh Hison Huynh Kenneth Huynh

Calvin Hua-Ching
Charlie Jap
James Jap
Derick Le
Andrew Lee
Danny Leung
Kevin Li
Oscar Jap
Geoffrey Jap
Hera Jim
Fiona Le
Eric Lee
Jason Leung
Vivian Li

Tim Ma Catherine Mashalidis
Alex Milanese Shaun Matthews
Einon McGrory-Perich Damien Nguyen

Hai Ou Amy Ou
Josie Pham Pranav Rao
Shaun Rees Rudy Rigg
Lily Rigg Ming Shue
Francis Stevens Gemma Srijan
Mia Srijan Joanna Truong

Mia Srijan Joanna Truong Alexander Teo Kelvin Ton Blake Travers Jennifer Trinh

Janson Trinh Preshena Uthaya Kumar

Harish Uthay Kumar Daniel Vamenta
Gabriel Vamata Eric Vuong
My Tran Vuong An Vuong
Rixon Wong Jing Wu

Teya Wu Amy Young Tiann Young Leong Yeung

#### **WESTERN SUBURBS LADIES BADMINTON**

Each Monday morning we have a group of ladies come in to play socially from 10:00am – 12:00pm. We do not have a competition with teams – just social play with lots of laughter. Ladies are welcome to come whenever they can.

The standard can vary week to week along with the ages of the players.

During the year, we organised a lunch to raise funds for the anti-cancer council. A total of just over \$750.00 was donated to this cause.

Just recently our group was devastated with the passing of Joy Walsh who had been involved with the establishment of the Monday ladies group back in 1985, shortly after the stadium opened. Joy was usually the first to get here, most times riding her push-bike and then jogging a couple of laps of the stadium before starting to play.

It is with great sadness that I write this report as Joy was always the first to submit her report for the year. Joy will be long remembered by those who regularly played on Monday mornings.

Ron Gray Manager

#### **VETERANS' REPORT**

Our WSBA veterans continue to support these events in ever increasing numbers. Players need to be over 35 years of age on the day of the tournament. This year saw WSBA host our second veterans' tournament and we used the rally point scoring system. The event was held over the weekend of 13-14 July 2013 and we had a total of 30 teams which was six teams less than last year. The drop off is attributed to the scoring system and because the Victorian Veterans Association did not recognize our tournament as an official veterans event and actively encouraged players not to participate. As well as our stadium, we used the 6 courts at Maribyrnong Sport Academy, which was well received by players who normally have to play on multi-lined multi-purpose school halls at other tournaments.

#### Results were:

#### 23/24 February 2013 - Geelong - 6 teams entered

Grade	Team	Result
A1	WSBA Racketeers	Runners Up
A1	WSBA Troopers	Fourth
B1	WSBA No Idea	Winners
B1	WSBA Shuttlebusters	Sixth
C2	WSBA Dynamix	Runners Up
D2	WSBA Mildcats	Third

#### 9/10 March 2013 - Adelaide - 2 teams entered

Grade	Team	Result
Α	WSBA Peckers	Third
B1	WSBA Shuttlebusters	Winners

#### 13/14 April 2013 - Ballarat - 8 teams entered

Grade	Team	Result
A1	WSBA Viva	Runners Up
A1	WSBA Racketeers	Third
A1	WSBA Troopers	Fourth
A2	WSBA No Idea	Third
A2	WSBA Peckers	Fifth
B1	WSBA Shuttlebusters	Sixth
B2	WSBA Dynamix	Sixth
D1	WSBA Mildcats	Fifth

#### 25/26 May 2013 - Traralgon - 3 teams entered

Grade	Team	Result
A1	WSBA Troopers	Runners Up
B1	WSBA Shuttlebusters	Runners Up
D2	WSBA Mildcats	Runners Up

#### 22/23 June 2013 - Swan Hill - 3 teams entered

Grade	Team	Result
A/B	WSBA Shuttlebusters	Fifth
C2	WSBA Dynamix	Winners
D1	WSBA Mildcats	Runners Up

#### 13/14 July 2013 - Altona - 9 teams entered

Grade	Team	Result
A1	WSBA The A Team	Winners
A1	WSBA Racketeers	Runners Up
A1	WSBA Troopers	Third
A2	WSBA No Idea	Winners
A2	WSBA Peckers	Third
A2	WSBA Shuttlebusters	Fourth
B2	WSBA Kung Hei Fat Choi	Fourth
C1	WSBA Dynamix	Runners Up
D1	WSBA Mildcats	Third

#### 10/11 August 2013 - Eaglehawk/Bendigo - 4 teams entered

Grade	Team	Result
A1	WSBA Racketeers	Winners
B1	WSBA Shuttlebusters	Winners
C1	WSBA Dynamix	Runners Up
D1	WSBA Mildcats	Fifth

#### 22/23 September 2013 - Kilsyth - 8 teams entered

Grade	Team	Result
A1	WSBA Viva	Winners
A1	WSBA Troopers	Runners Up
A1	WSBA No Idea	Fourth
A2	WSBA Shuttlebusters	Third
B2	WSBA Bulldogs	Runners Up
B2	WSBA Kung Hei Fat Choi	Third
C1	WSBA Dynamix	Third
D1	WSBA Mildcats	Fourth

#### 2/3 November 2013 - Albury/Wodonga - 4 teams entered

Grade	Team	Result
B1	WSBA Peckers	Third
B2	WSBA Shuttlebusters	Third
C2	WSBA Dynamix	Fourth
D1	WSBA Mildcats	Winners

#### Ron Gray Manager

#### **2013 TOURNAMENT RESULTS**

#### **2013 Under 13 Interstate Series**

<u>Date:</u> 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> January 2013

**Event Directors:** Pat Daw & Ron Gray

Referee: Kay Coady

Unde	er 13 State Teams Event	Won	Lost	Games	Points
1 <sup>st</sup>	Victoria 1	3	0	30-6	1033-693
2 <sup>nd</sup>	New South Wales Thunder	2	1	28-8	998-724
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Victoria 2	1	2	13-23	852-934
4 <sup>th</sup>	New South Wales Lightning	0	3	1-35	546-1078

Under 13 Regional Teams Event		Pool			
		Won	Lost	Games	Points
1 <sup>st</sup>	Team WSBA	2	0	19-5	667-514
2 <sup>nd</sup>	NSW Kumpoo	1	1	9-15	578-603
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Badminton Geelong	0	2	8-16	520-648

Under 13 Regional Teams Event		Pool B				
		Won	Lost	Games	Points	
1 <sup>st</sup>	Badminton Academy of Victoria	2	0	20-4	689-426	
$2^{\text{nd}}$	Warrnambool Whales	1	1	9-15	529-674	
3 <sup>rd</sup>	New South Wales Dash	0	2	7-17	542-680	

#### Final Placings - Regional Teams Challenge

1<sup>st</sup> Badminton Academy of Victoria

2<sup>nd</sup> Team WSBA

3<sup>rd</sup> New South Wales Kumpoo

4<sup>th</sup> Warrnambool Whales

5<sup>th</sup> Badminton Geelong

6<sup>th</sup> New South Wales Dash

#### **Under 13 Individual Events**

	Winner	Runner Up
Boys Singles	William Chau (Vic)	Felix Wang (Vic)
Girls Singles	Jodee Vega (NSW)	Celeste Lee (NSW)
Boys Doubles	William Chau (Vic) Elton Zhang (Vic)	Jared Song (Vic) Felix Wang (Vic)
Girls Doubles	Victoria He (NSW) Jodee Vega (NSW)	Irene Chau (Vic) Nalini Kuhanandha (Vic)

### Winner of the 2013 Leigh Martin Sportsmanship Award Celeste Lee (NSW)

#### <u>2013 Under 17 Li-Ning June Bevan Trophy & Australasian Badminton</u> <u>Championships</u>

<u>Date:</u> 29<sup>th</sup> March – 6<sup>th</sup> April

**Event Directors:** Pat Daw & Ron Gray

**Referee:** Sandra David **Assistant Referee:** Myrna Stanlake

#### June Bevan Trophy Stage 1 Group A

		Won	Lost	Games	Points
1 <sup>st</sup>	Victoria Rebels	3	0	92-12	2129-1366
2 <sup>nd</sup>	South Australia	2	1	63-43	1911-1750
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Central New Zealand 1	1	2	48-60	1927-1918
4 <sup>th</sup>	Mainland New Zealand	0	3	6-94	1162-2095

#### June Bevan Trophy Stage 1 Group B

		Won	Lost	Games	Points
1 <sup>st</sup>	New South Wales Thunder	3	0	96- 2	2053- 878
$2^{\text{nd}}$	Victoria WSBA	2	1	57-48	1836-1648
3 <sup>rd</sup>	The Territories	1	2	41-63	1573-1884
4 <sup>th</sup>	Western Australia Geraldton	0	3	9-90	1005-2056

#### June Bevan Trophy Stage 1 Group C

		Wor	ı Lost	Games	Points
1 <sup>st</sup>	Northern New Zealand	3	0	90-12	2078-1265
2 <sup>nd</sup>	New South Wales Lightning	2	1	58-43	1827-1579
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Queensland	1	2	45-57	1561-1818
4 <sup>th</sup>	Central New Zealand 2	0	3	9-90	1204-2008

June	Bevan Trophy Stage 1 Group D				
		Won	Lost	Games	Points
1 <sup>st</sup>	Western Australia	3	0	89-13	2073-1217
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Victoria Demons	2	1	76-25	1954-1311
3 <sup>rd</sup>	New Caledonia	1	2	33-68	1467-1841
4 <sup>th</sup>	Tasmania	0	3	4-96	961-2086
lune	Bevan Trophy Stage 2A Group E	•			
June	bevan Fropiny Stage 2A Group 1		Lost	Games	Points
1 <sup>st</sup>	New South Wales Thunder	3	0	83-22	2083-1563
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Victoria Rebels	2	1	78-26	2067-1562
3 <sup>rd</sup>	South Australia	1	2	41-62	1686-1800
4 <sup>th</sup>	Victoria WSBA	0	3	4-96	1182-2093
June	Bevan Trophy Stage 2A Group F				
		Won	Lost	Games	Points
1 <sup>st</sup>	Northern New Zealand	3	0	87-24	2257-1726
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Western Australia	2	1	67-47	2146-2052
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Victoria Demons	1	2	36-72	1763-2060
4 <sup>th</sup>	New South Wales Lightning	0	3	31-78	1805-2143
June	Bevan Trophy Stage 2A Group G				
		Won	Lost	Games	Points
1 <sup>st</sup>	Central New Zealand 1	3	0	94- 8	2128-1212
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Mainland New Zealand	2	1	53-55	1874-1912
3 <sup>rd</sup>	The Territories	1	2	51-58	1875-1919
4 <sup>th</sup>		0	3	12-89	1231-2065

June Bevan Trophy Stage 2A Group H

	. , 5	Wor	ı Lost	Games	Points
1 <sup>st</sup>	Queensland	3	0	77-29	2001-1528
2 <sup>nd</sup>	New Caledonia	2	1	69-41	2015-1786
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Central New Zealand 2	1	2	53-59	1996-2020
4 <sup>th</sup>	Tasmania	0	3	4-44	1552-2230

#### **Final Placings**

- 1<sup>st</sup> New South Wales Thunder
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Northern New Zealand
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Victoria Rebels
- 4<sup>th</sup> Western Australia
- 5<sup>th</sup> South Australia
- 6<sup>th</sup> Victoria Demons
- 7<sup>th</sup> New South Wales Lightning
- 8<sup>th</sup> Victoria WSBA
- 9<sup>th</sup> Central New Zealand 1
- 10<sup>th</sup> Queensland
- 11<sup>th</sup> Mainland New Zealand
- 12<sup>th</sup> New Caledonia
- 13<sup>th</sup> The Territories
- 14<sup>th</sup> Central New Zealand 2
- 15<sup>th</sup> Tasmania
- 16<sup>th</sup> Western Australia Geraldton

#### **Under 17 Australasian Badminton Championships**

	Winner	Runner Up
Boys Singles	Pun Thepkunhanimit (NNZ)	Ben Hillier (NNZ)
Girls Singles	Joy Lai (Vic)	Grace Ngiam (Qld)
Boys Doubles	Julian Lamb (Qld) Clive Law (Qld)	Matthew Chan (NSW) Austin Yu (NSW)
Girls Doubles	Joy Lai (Vic) Grace Ngiam (Qld)	Rowena Devathasan (NNZ) Deborah Yin (NNZ)
Mixed Doubles	Austin Yu (NSW) Tiffany Ho (NSW)	Julian Lamb (Qld) Grace Ngiam (Qld)
Under 17 Plate Winn	ers	
Boys Singles	David Kang (Vic)	Mark Yep (NNZ)
Girls Singles	Sanoja Ramasundara (ACT)	Caragh Alley (CNZ)
Boys Doubles	Blake Haggerty (Vic) Eddie Luk (Vic)	Philip Ding (NNZ) Mark Yep (NNZ)
Girls Doubles	Sanoja Ramasundara (ACT) Phing Teo (WA)	Clarise Koh (NSW) Chloe Lee (NSW)
Mixed Doubles	Daniel Choo (SA) Lee-Yeng Khoo (SA)	David Kang (VIC) Chloe Chen (VIC)

## Winner of the 2013 Val Nesbitt Sportsmanship Award Grace Ngiam (Qld)

#### 2013 Altona Junior Open, Under 11, 15 & 19

<u>Date:</u> 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> March, 2013

**Event Director:** Ron Gray

Referee: Myrna Stanlake

<u>Under 11</u>	Winner	Runner-Up
Boys Singles	Jack Yu	Gary Chau
Girls Singles	Irene Chau	Angela Yu
Boys Doubles	Hai Ou Otto Zhao	Jack Yu Frederick Zhao
Girls Doubles	Irene Chau Angela Yu	Fiona Le Tiann Young
Mixed Doubles	Jack Yu Angela Yu	Gary Chau Irene Chau
Special Doubles	Otto Zhao Daniel Zhang	Faris Truong Hai Ou
<u>Under 15</u>	Winner	Runner-Up
Under 15 Boys Singles	<b>Winner</b> David Lee	Runner-Up Jared Song
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Boys Singles	David Lee	Jared Song
Boys Singles Girls Singles	David Lee Samantha Lee William Chau	Jared Song Amy Young Jared Song
Boys Singles Girls Singles Boys Doubles	David Lee Samantha Lee William Chau Elton Zhang Chloe Chen	Jared Song Amy Young Jared Song Felix Wang Catherine Mashalidis

#### 2013 Altona Junior Open, Under 11, 15 & 19 - Continued

Under 19	Winner	Runner-Up
Boys Singles	Matthew Nevett	Shaun Matthews
Girls Singles	Vinning Mak	Alice Wu
Boys Doubles	Athi Selladurai Eric Vuong	Edwin Luk Arthavan Srithar
Girls Doubles	Natasha Sharp Gronya Somerville	Joy Lai Jennifer Trinh
Mixed Doubles	Athi Selladurai Gronya Somerville	Eric Vuong Jennifer Trinh

#### 2013 Altona Open & Graded

Date: 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> May

**Event Directors:** Ron Gray & Pat Daw

Referee: Sandra David

Open	Winner	Runner Up
Mens Singles	James Eunson	Anthony Chang
Womens Singles	Alice Wu	Louisa Ma
Mens Doubles	Hung Pham Thanh Hai Tran	Anthony Chang Ong Beg Teong
Womens Doubles	Vinning Mak Ann-Louise Slee	Vee Vian Chong Eugenia Tanaka
Mixed Doubles	Raymond Tam Eugenia Tanaka	Joel Findlay Tara Pilven
	CMWong Trophy	

A Grade	Winner	Runner-Up
Men's Singles	Tin Pham	Gavin Ho
Womesn Singles	Talia Saunders	Vinning Mak
Men's Doubles	Nicholas Ong Sion Huon Roy Tan	Andrew Paulet Andrew Surman
Womens Doubles	Louisa Ma Van Pham	Ruwindi Serasinghe Alice Wu
Mixed Doubles	Hung Pham Louisa Ma	Bryan Gui Tarah Marney

Eugenia Tanaka

#### 2013 Altona Open & Graded Continued

<u>B Grade</u>	Winner	Runner-Up
Mens Singles	Andy Wu	Oscar Lui
Womens Singles	Gina Kusuma	Pei Yan Lim
Mens Doubles	Yu Tao Han Chang Wong	Soon Tiong Lau Nathaphat Sirphromphan
Womens Doubles	Amily Lau Eimunn Wong	Chau Le Aira Nuguid
Mixed Doubles	Marcus Yim My Trinh Do	Victor Tran Aira Nuguid
C Grade	Winner	Runner Up
C Grade  Mens Singles	<b>Winner</b> Kelvin Leung	<b>Runner Up</b> John Tan
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Mens Singles	Kelvin Leung	John Tan
Mens Singles Womens Singles	Kelvin Leung Patsy Lai Nathan Ni	John Tan  May Wong  Max Lee

#### **2013 WSBA St Mary's Indian Orthodox Church Tournament**

<u>Date:</u> 12<sup>th</sup> October

**Event Directors:** Ron Gray & Salwa Chamra

A Grade	Winner	Runner-Up
Mens Singles	Tom Kuruvilla	Christy Thomas
Ladies Singles	Neo Sabu Alex	Reena Zachariah
Mens Doubles	Tom Kuruvilla Kuruvela Thomas	Sunil Eapen Alexander PC
Ladies Doubles	Anne Rachel George Debra Rachel George	
Mixed Doubles	Reji Kurian Abraham Namitha Susan Kurian	Anil Joy Sheela joy

<u>B Grade</u>	Winner	Runner-Up
Mens Singles	Sunil Eapen	Alexander PC
Ladies Singles	Nikita Varghese	Anne Rachel George
Mens Doubles	Reji Kurian Abraham Sabu Alex	Anil Joy Christy Thomas
Ladies Doubles	Nikita Varghese Reena Zachariah	
Mixed Doubles	Nevil Sabu Alex Neo Sabu Alex	George Thomas Debra Rachel George
Kids 10 & Over	Winner	Runner Up
Singles	Daniel Joy	Georgy Chempithara
Kids 9 & Under	Winner	Runner Up
Singles	Antony Joy	Talia Samuel

#### 2013 WSBA St George Jacobite Syrian Orthodox Church Tournament

<u>Date:</u> 26<sup>th</sup> October

A Grade	Winner	Runner-Up
Mens Singles	Arun John	Situ Joseph
Ladies Singles	Amy John	Jogi Kuruvilla
Mens Doubles	Biju Cherian Ciju Joseph	Dinu Dinu Sony Sony
Ladies Doubles	Amy John Anila John	Ann Baby Jogi Kuruvilla
Mixed Doubles	Alex John Amy John	Arun John Anila John
<u>B Grade</u>	Winner	Runner-Up
Mens Singles	Bency Kooran	Vijoo Cherian
Mens Doubles	Alex John Arun John	Bintu Jacob Ivan John
<u>Juniors</u>	Winner	Runner Up
Singles	John Eldo	Ann Baby
Doubles	Ann Baby John Eldo	Basil Babu Melvin Melvin

#### **2013 WSBA STEFM Inter Church Badminton Tournament**

Date: 26<sup>th</sup> October 2013

**Event Directors:-** Pat Daw & Victor Tran

Inte	er Church Badminton Tournament	Won	Lost	Games	Points
1 <sup>st</sup>	Syro Malabar Catholic Church	3	0	26- 7	633-454
2 <sup>nd</sup>	St Mary's Indian Orthodox Church	2	1	14-19	531-587
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Indian Mar Thoma Church	1	2	15-18	532-591
4 <sup>th</sup>	Jacobite Syrian Orthodox Church	0	3	11-22	521-585

#### 2013 Altona Junior Open Under 13 & 17

<u>Date:</u> 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> November

**Event Directors:** Ron Gray & Pat Daw

Referee: Sandra David

<u>Under 13</u>	Winner	Runner-Up
Boys Singles	Ryan Venpin	Otto Zhao
Girls Singles	Nalini Kuhanandha	Irene Chau
Boys Doubles	Ross Audley Ryan Venpin	Marcus Kong Otto Zhao
Girls Doubles	Irene Chau Nalini Kuhanandha	Sabrina Chung Angela Yu
Mixed Doubles	Ross Audley Tiann Young	Ryan Venpin Nalini Kuhanandha
Special Boys Doubles	Stuart Ottrey Blair Rooney	Christian Chan Ajeep Magar

<u>Under 17</u>	Winner	Runner-Up
Boys Singles	Darshand Gobinathan	David Lee
Girls Singles	Teresa Chan	Chloe Chen
Boys Doubles	David Chin David Kang	David Lee Felix Wang
Girls Doubles	Not Played	
Mixed Doubles	Darshand Gobinathan Teresa Chan	David Chin Chloe Chen