

WESTERN SUBURBS BADMINTON ASSOCIATION (INCORPORATED)



ANNUAL REPORT 2016

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WESTERN SUBURBS BADMINTON ASSOCIATION INC.

PRESIDENT	Mrs Pat Daw	1989-2016
VICE PRESIDENT	Mrs Natalie Cronin	1991-2016
	Hon. Secretary	1989-1990
	Committee	1984-1988
HON. SECRETARY	Mrs Pauline Martin	2015-2016
	Committee	2004-2014
HON. MATCH SECRETARY	Vacant	
HON. TREASURER	Vacant	
COMMITTEE MEMBERS	Mr Dave Matthews	2015-2016
	Match Secretary	2008 2014
	Mr Carson Boyd	2011-2016
	Ms Verity Trott	2015-2016
	Mr David Cutroni	2015-2016

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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 of 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 be 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.

Marj 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:

Victoria	Under 23	1981 – 1985
	Victoria 1	1986 – 1989, 1993 & 1996
	Victoria 2	1990 – 1992
	Under 19	1990 – 2001
Australia	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 program before moving interstate with work.

2013 – Mr. Don Hayes *

Don began work as the Cleaner at the Altona Badminton Centre before the Official Opening in May 1985. Don worked 6 & 7 days a week for many years, keeping the stadium, foyer and toilets in immaculate condition. Don considered the working week to be Monday to Friday and worked the weekends as a volunteer. During the Christmas breaks, Don shampooed the carpet, polished the linoleum and cleaned the interior and exterior windows. About 18 years ago, Don decided that the 12 courts was too much for him, so he just came in daily to do the foyer and toilet area, however often lent a hand in the stadium as well.

Don had just turned 90 years old when he retired as our cleaner in November 2013 and in all the years between 1985 and 2013, missed just one day of work, an amazing record.

2014 – Mrs. Marlis Bellmann

In 1988, Marlis was part of a group that played social badminton on Saturday afternoons. The session grew and encouraged many players of all levels to come along and play. Over time, Marlis took on a bigger role in the running and organizing the Saturday social. Many players entered the competition via this session and in 2001 Marlis received a WSBA service award for her work with the Saturday social. The Saturday Social is still going strong after 26 years.

In 1992, Marlis started playing competition badminton for the Keilor East Badminton club.

In 2000, Marlis became a committee member of the Keilor East Badminton Association and in 2005, Marlis became the secretary and public officer of the club, a role she still maintains, looking after the interests of all club members.

2015 – Mrs. Pauline Martin

Pauline has been playing and supporting WSBA prior to the opening of the Altona Badminton Centre.

Pauline's history in badminton goes back a long way. She has played for several clubs including St Andrews before transferring to Keilor East in 1988. As a WSBA player, Pauline played WSBA pennant competition for East Keilor from 1988 to 2006.

Pauline has been part of the WSBA coaching team from the beginning of the WSBA junior development squad and has coached many Victorian junior state teams.

Pauline's Qualifications include; NCAS Level 2 Badminton Coach, Badminton Australia Course Presenter and Assessor, ASC trained AASCP presenter and qualified line judge. Pauline's Coaching appointments include; WSBA Development Coach, WSBA Representative Team Coach, WSBA School Clinic Coach, Werribee Junior Development Coach, Yarram Junior Coach, Sunbury Badminton Club Coach along with the following state duties

Under 13 Badminton Victoria Team Coach	2012
Under 15 Badminton Victoria Team Coach	2010
Under 17 Badminton Victoria Team Coach	1992, 1993, 1994, 2000, 2001, 2007, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013
Under 19 Badminton Victoria Team Coach	2008, 2010, 2012

Pauline's honorary positions have included BV Junior Delegate for Gippsland Junior Committee, Badminton Victoria Junior Selector during 1989 - 1994 and again from 1999 - 2001, Secretary of Badminton Victoria's Coaches' Committee, and Treasurer of the Victorian Junior Badminton Committee.

* 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

2014

David Matthews

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

2016 has been a very busy year for WSBA. The 10th Under 13 Carnival was held in January, with four teams competing in the Interstate Series and eight in the Regional Teams Challenge. Victoria 1 defeated New South Wales Thunder to win the Trophy again and Pro Badminton Academy defeated Badminton Association of Victoria to win the Regional Teams Challenge. It was great to have our Olympic Representatives Sawan & Matt to present the Medallions to the winning teams.

Our Pennant Competition is decreasing in size, with so many former players unable to commit to playing each week. Autumn Season had 31 teams playing over 5 Grades and Spring just 26 teams spread over 6 grades. With no volunteer Match Secretary, finding fill-in players consumes a large amount of staff time from Monday – Thursday. In the current Spring Season 394 fill-ins were required over the 18 week season, averaging almost 1 player a week for each team. Some teams are able to find their own fill-ins but most rely on the Office for support.

WSBA Socials continue to be well supported, Sunday 6.30 – 9.00pm, Tuesday 7.30 – 10.00pm, Monday Morning Ladies 10.00 – midday and Wednesday Morning from 10.00 – midday. The Friday night Family Social continues, with varying numbers attending each week.

We hosted a number of Tournaments, our AJO U11/15 & 19, our AJO U13 & 17 and an extra one, on request from Badminton Victoria after another Association withdrew their offer to host this U13/17 event.

Again, a number of Squad players were selected to represent Victoria at Australian Carnivals – Ede-Clendinnen Shield James Audley, Tegan Berry David Cutroni, Ann-Louise Slee, Eric Vuong and Jing Wu. U13 Vic 1 Geoffrey Jap, Vic 2 Fiona Le. U17 Rebels Ella Bradwell and U17 Demons Charlie Jap. U19 Oscar Jap and Catherine Mashalidis. WSBA is pleased to be able to give our players financial assistance to support their Selection.

WSBA entered teams in all age groups in the Victorian Junior Teams Championship – thanks to players, parents, coaches and managers who offered their time to support our teams. It is great to have so many coaches and parents volunteer to assist at this event, we couldn't do it without volunteers.

A special thank you for our coaches who volunteer their time to support our players at Tournaments around the state.

Our Junior Development Squad is growing and thriving under the guidance of Michelle and our qualified coaches. A number of new players have joined through the year, having been Talent Identified by our coaches at an increasing number of school clinics.

Our Veterans continue to support the busy Veterans Calendar. Our Altona Vets had 38 teams across 2 venues, 24 at Altona with Ron and 14 at Ravenhall with

me. Two presentations and raffle draws were held, one @ Altona and one @ Ravenhall. Thanks to Myrna & Fred Stanlake, our Referees.

We hosted two Indian Church Events, the first being St Mary's Indian Orthodox Tournament, followed by the STEFM Teams Event which was won by the Syro Malabar Catholic Church for the 5th year in succession.

In September, we were hosts for the Pan Pacific Trophy and the Australian Junior International. Australia Gold won a very close count back from New Zealand Black, after being defeated by NZ Black in the round robin competition. The Chinese Taipei players dominated the Men's Singles and Doubles, Australian Joy Lai won the Women's Singles and the Doubles with Tiffany Ho and the Mixed Doubles was won by New Zealanders Dacmen Vong & Erena Calder-Hawkins. It was great to see Jacob Schueler and our WSBA Oscar Jap win their way into the semi-finals of the Men's Doubles.

When hosting an International Event, there are protocols which need to be followed – Meeting and Greeting overseas players on arrival and ensuring they have transport to and from the airport is one of the duties – thanks, Ron, for being at the airport at all times of the day and night!

Thanks to the Committee, Natalie Cronin (Vice President), Pauline Martin (Secretary), Dave Matthews, David Cutroni, Verity Trott and Carson Boyd for their support as volunteers.

Thanks to our cleaner, Ricky, for having our courts, foyer and change-room areas looking great. Thanks to our casual staff who run the Kiosk and Pro shop – Ajaya, Alex, Marlis, Mary, Pauline, Rudy, Simone & Xavier.

Thanks again to our sponsors, Epsilon Australia Schweppes Australia Pty Ltd and Hobsons Bay City Council, for their continued support.

Our website www.wsbaonline.com continues to provide up to date information for our members and friends, as does our Facebook page [WSBA - Altona Badminton Centre](#), both of which are updated regularly.

I would like to thank Ron for the great work he does as Manager and also as a volunteer for our Tournament & Carnival weekends.

Pat Daw
President

MANAGER'S REPORT

This year has been a difficult year due to the competition from rival stadia within the district. For the second year in a row we have seen reduced revenue from court hire – the prime contributor of income. The WSBA Committee is looking at ways to increase income and rein in expenditure however this has been a difficult exercise.

In May this year we had the evaporative cooling installed in the stadium area. Unfortunately this occurred after the summer period and our Spring has been one of the coldest on record. We have only been able to use it on one day when the temperature outside reached 36 degrees. Inside the temperature remained around 24-25 degrees. Let's hope that there is warmer weather on the way and that this will help to differentiate us from our competitors.

We have had a very busy year of hosting tournaments and carnivals. As well as our normal number of events, 2016 saw us host the inaugural Spotswood and District Primary School Competition with six local primary schools entering twenty teams over three sections. We hope that this will continue in the coming years.

WSBA also hosted the 2016 Pan Pacific Trophy – an international teams event played over two days. We had two Australian teams, two from New Zealand and a combined team from the Pacific islands.

This led into the 2016 Australian Junior International tournament which was played over three days. The standard of play was very strong and provided a lot of very close and exciting games.

In November we were asked by Badminton Victoria to host the 2016 Victorian State Championships for Under 13 & Under 17 players. This event was in addition to our own Altona Junior Open for the same age groups.

I want to again thank the small team of casual staff who work at the stadium. They include Ajaya, Alex, Marlis, Mary, Pauline, Rudy, Simone and Xavier - I really appreciate their service.

As mentioned last year, we have several vacancies on the WSBA Committee and I hope that we can get more members to volunteer their services to help out in the future

Ron Gray
Manager

SPRING SEASON 2015 PENNANT RESULTS

A Singles	1 KEILOR EAST ROCKETS	230	WINNER
	2 KEILOR EAST THUNDER	226	RUNNER UP
	3 KEILOR EAST YOUNG GUNS	223	
	4 KEILOR EAST AVENGERS	189	
A Doubles	1 KEILOR EAST SMASH	301	RUNNER UP
	2 KEILOR EAST BOUNCE	277	WINNER
	3 LAVERTON CLIMBERS	211	
	4 WESTMINTON SMOKING MONKEYS	196	
B Singles	1 MASON ST MACLEAY RIVER TURTLES	163	WINNER
	2 KEILOR EAST DYNAMICS	149	RUNNER UP
	3 MASON ST GIRLY SMASHERS	133	
	4 WESTMINTON CHOCOS	126	
B Doubles	1 MASON ST SO SO	194	
	2 KEILOR EAST MOCKING JAY	194	
	3 WESTMINTON FEVER	173	RUNNER UP
	4 LAVERTON RACQUETEERS	172	WINNER
C Singles	1 KEILOR EAST FLAME	233	WINNER
	2 WESTMINTON SEMI FANTASTIC 4	216	RUNNER UP
	3 KEILOR EAST MIS HITS	179	
	4 WESTMINTON RAFT RAIDERS	169	
C2 Doubles	1 KEILOR EAST SPORTY	195	
	2 MASON ST DINGOES	192	WINNER
	3 WESTMINTON FIGHTING UNICORNS	181	
	4 MASON ST WANDERERS	165	RUNNER UP
C3 Doubles	1 WESTMINTON POROS	253	WINNER
	2 MASON ST TURTLES	243	
	3 WESTMINTON DREAMERS	218	RUNNER UP
	4 KEILOR EAST SPARKX	161	

AUTUMN SEASON 2016 PENNANT RESULTS

A Doubles	1 MASON ST NEVER GIVE UP	115	WINNER
	2 MASON ST TURTLES	114	RUNNER UP
	3 KEILOR EAST BOUNCE	103	
	4 LORD OF THE STRINGS	53	
B Singles	1 SHIBA WARRIORS	167	WINNER
	2 WESTMINTON DINOSAURS	149	RUNNER UP
	3 SIRIUS BLACK	140	
	4 WESTMINTON SEMI FANTASTIC 4	132	
B Doubles	1 WESTMINTON TVT NEWTONE	123	
	2 JOKERS WILD	113	RUNNER UP
	3 SHUTTLEBUSTERS	111	
	4 SPITTING LLAMAS	102	WINNER
C Singles	1 THE WONTONS	223	RUNNER UP
	2 DESTROYERZ	222	WINNER
	3 LES MISERABLES	181	
	4 SHUTTLE ROCKS	175	
C2 Doubles	1 MASON ST DINGOES	210	RUNNER UP
	2 WESTMINTON POROS	192	WINNER
	3 UNBALANCED	186	
	4 DRAGONS	164	
C3 Doubles	1 STINGRAYS	242	WINNER
	2 MINIONS	202	
	3 TURTLES	200	RUNNER UP
	4 CYPHER	178	

JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM 2016

School Participation Program

2016 marks the fifteenth year of the WSBA Schools Participation Program. The program is designed to promote the stadium and our sport in to schools in the local area. These areas include Hoppers Crossing and Werribee, which continue to provide a pathway into the association for new players and families. The school clinics delivered throughout the year offer the students and families a free court hire voucher to use at the stadium, and for those who show talent for the sport, they receive a free term of coaching in the WSBA development program. In the last fifteen years many students who have come through this pathway into our development program are now our pennant players, association representatives, state team representatives and for some; state and national champions.

The new Sporting Schools Program, which is an incentive of the Australian Sports Commission, has assisted with the further development of this program as it has provided opportunity for schools to apply for funding. The Sporting Schools Program aims to increase the sporting activity of all primary school children by offering funding for extra sporting programs. The kickback to WSBA is that we did not have to pay for the coaching fees for these Sporting Schools clinics. We have had four school bookings under this program.

This year the WSBA Schools Participation Program & the Sporting Schools Program (through WSBA) delivered clinics to nineteen schools that accommodated two thousand and thirty five students. Below are the schools that participated. Please note that there were a couple of schools who accessed both programs during the year and this meant that two lots of clinics were delivered at their school.

WSBA Schools Programs were delivered to the following:

Albion North Primary School
Altona Primary School
Christ the King Primary School Braybrook
Footscray North Primary School
Footscray West Primary School
Lumen Christi Primary School Point Cook
Manor Lakes Primary School Wyndham Vale
Queen of Peace Primary School Altona Meadows
Sacred Heart Primary School Newport
Seaholme Primary School
St Andrew's Primary School Werribee
St Augustine's Primary School Yarraville
St Margaret's Primary School Maribyrnong
St Mary's Primary School Ascot Vale
St Monica's Primary School Footscray
Williamstown Primary School
Woodville Primary School Hoppers Crossing

ASC Sporting Schools Programs were delivered to the following:

Manor Lakes Primary School Wyndham Vale
Spotswood Primary School
Williamstown North Primary School
Williamstown Primary School

Development Squads & Beginner Coaching Sessions

The Development Program offers sessions for beginner junior players starting at age 8 years through to advanced players up to the age of thirty years. Adult sessions are available on request and are delivered by coaches on the WSBA roster. There are fourteen weekly coaching sessions available and in every school term break including January, there is a Holiday Clinic and advanced training sessions offered to those who are interested. The development squad this year has had over one hundred members attending one or more sessions on a weekly basis which includes strength and conditioning sessions for those undertaking the Advanced Program.

Coaching Programs and sessions 2016

Thursday

Development Squad - Junior	5.30pm – 7.30pm
Development Squad - Advanced	5.30pm – 7.30pm
Strength & Conditioning Session	7.30pm – 8.30pm

Friday

Development Squad	Junior	5.30pm – 7.30pm
Coaching session	8yrs – 10yrs	6.30pm – 7.00pm
Coaching session	11yrs & over	7.00pm – 8.00pm

Saturday

Development Squad	Advanced	8.30am – 10.30am
Coaching session	8yrs – 10yrs	1.00pm – 2.00pm
Coaching session	11yrs & over	2.00pm – 3.00pm

Sunday

Strength & Conditioning Session		8.30am – 9.30am
Development Squad	Advanced	9.30am – 11.30am
Development Squad	Junior	9.30am – 11.30am
Coaching session	8yrs – 10yrs.	9.30am – 10.30am
Coaching session	11 yrs. & over	10.30am – 11.30am

Holiday Training - Advanced

Three weekly sessions are offered during the first week of the school holidays. During January, the program offers 3 weekly sessions commencing in the first week of the month and continues until Term 1 begins.

Holiday Clinics

Offered during school holidays including January.

Development Squad – Tournaments & State Selection

Many of the WSBA squad players are participating in the tournaments offered on the BV Calendar from U/11's to Open players. There were some great results once again from the squad members throughout the year earning some of our players, State Team selections.

Squad Members selected in 2016 Victorian Teams:

James Audley	Open Victorian Team 2
David Cutroni	Open Victorian Team 2
Geoffrey Jap	Under 13 Victorian Team 1
Fiona Le	Under 13 Victorian Team 2
Ella Bradwell	Under 17 Victorian Team 1
Charlie Jap	Under 17 Victorian Team 2
Oscar Jap	Under 19 Victorian Team
Catherine Mashalidis	Under 19 Victorian Team

W.S.B.A. Representative Teams

The 2016 competitive season kicked off in early January as usual with the Under 13 Interstate Carnival first up. The lead up to this event saw both the WSBA Teams get together for a team training session on 10th January before competing over two days; 15th and 16th January 2016.

Under13 Interstate Series and Regional

The WSBA representative teams put their best foot forward and played some great games in the Under13 Regional Championships here at Altona. The results came in with WSBA Gold in 6th place and WSBA Blue finishing 8th. The WSBA players continued their good form in the individual events on the second day where we saw some personal bests played by some of our young players. Congratulations must go to all of the players who represented WSBA in this event, as always we are very proud of our players and the effort given by all, congratulations **TEAM WSBA!**

A big thank you to all of the coaches, umpires and managers that volunteered their time to support our WSBA teams and to Pat and Ron for once again organising and putting on a great event.

WSBA U13 Representative Teams 2016

WSBA Gold

Coach Pauline Martin
Manager Sally Nettleton
Umpire Oscar Jap
Joe Bradwell
Gabby Hoenig
Vivian Li
Nathan Nguyen
Alex Teo
Tracey Pham

WSBA Blue

Coach Rudy Rigg
Manager Kang Wei Ang
Umpire Nick Gray
Melissa Ang
Monty Price
Talia Samuel
Blake Travers
Jordan Tesoro
Mackenzie Whan



2016 Under 13 WSBA Gold Team



2016 Under 13 WSBA Blue Team

2016 Badminton Victoria Open Teams Invitational – MSAC 5-8 August

WSBA entered a men's team in this event that saw competition come from Tasmania, NSW and South Australia, as well as Victorian teams from the regions. There were ten teams in this category and the calibre of player was worthy of the \$5000.00 prize pool on offer! The WSBA team were there to gain experience with our players ranging from 15 years to the oldest being 22! These young players must be congratulated on a gutsy effort and some good results



The 2016 WSBA Badminton Victoria Invitational Team included L-R, Oscar Jap, Charlie Jap, James Audley, David Cutroni and Shaun Matthews.

Badminton Victoria Doubles League - Kilsyth

This event was played over three Saturdays commencing in June and finishing in August. The WSBA Team performed well and played off for positions 4 – 7 in the finals rounds. Our Team put in a fantastic effort and finished the competition in fourth position!

Pictured are L-R Ella Bradwell, Catherine Mashalidis and Rudy Rigg.

Also included in the team were Charlie Jap, Oscar Jap, Shaun Matthews (Team Captain), Jacob McNally and Shaun Rees



Victorian Junior Teams Championships - MSAC August 21

The WSBA teams had a great day at this annual event! As usual the coaches and parents volunteered their time to support the WSBA Teams!

The final team placings for the WSBA teams are as follows

Under 11 - 7th	Coach Rudy Rigg & Manager Shane Sciberras
Under 13 - 5th	Coach John Lim & Manager Benjie Aguilar
Under 15 - 4th	Coach Pauline Martin & Manager Arnel Burlayan
Under 17 - 4th	Coach Raymond Chien & Manager Eric Jap
Under 19 - 2nd	Coach Michelle Rigg & Captain Catherine Mashalidis



Under 17 WSBA Team: L-R Raymond Chien (Coach), Kelly Chan, Preshena Uthaya Kumar, Sam Wilson, Keegan Chien, James Jap & Theresa Nguyen

Under 19 WSBA Team: L-R Charlie Jap, Catherine Mashalidis & Ella Bradwell



Under 11 WSBA Team: L-R Rudy Rigg (Coach), Nathan Nguyen, Mackenzie Whan, Minh Chau Vo, Gus Sciberras & Shane Sciberras (Manager)

U13 Interstate Series & Australian U13 Championships Altona January

WSBA Squad players **Geoffrey Jap** Victoria 1 and **Fiona Le** Victoria 2 had some hard fought matches representing Victoria in the Interstate Series of this tournament.

The Victoria 1 Team proved too strong for the NSW representative teams and won the series without losing a game! While the Victoria 2 Team finished 3rd, going down to NSW Thunder (runners-up) by only nine points. It was an action packed play off!

Geoffrey's form continued into the individual events finishing runner-up in the doubles event with partner Thomas Ng.

Clendinnen Shield & Aust Open Closed Champs MSAC February/March

WSBA Squad members **James Audley** and **David Cutroni** represented Victoria in the EDE Clendinnen Shield when State Teams from around the country came together at MSAC for this event. With a new format this year we saw the closed Australian Championships played first, in past times this event was played after the State Team event. James and David played well in the individual events with David and partner Tegan Berry coming runner up in the Consolation Mixed Doubles after losing in a close three set match in the final. James played well to get to the semi finals of the Men's Singles Consolation event.

The Clendinnen Shield team event followed the individual championships. James and David were playing for the Victoria Strikers. The team's performance was solid and finished a competitive 5th while the Victoria Smashers took home the Shield beating South Australia in the final.

June Bevan Trophy and U17 Australasian Champs WA March/April

WSBA Squad members **Ella Bradwell** (Vic Rebels) and **Charlie Jap** (Vic Demons) represented Victoria at this event. The Victoria Rebels Team finished third after they were beaten in the semi finals by the WA Wasps who went on to be defeated by NSW Thunder in the final. The Vic Demons finished 5th in a line-up of eleven teams which was a good result!

In the individual events, Charlie Jap showed his talent once again and was runner-up in the boy's singles event and made semi finals of the boy's doubles event with partner Marcus Kong only going down in a hard fought 3 set game to the eventual winners.

CP Maddern U19 Carnival - Sydney July

WSBA Squad members **Oscar Jap** and **Catherine Mashalidis** were part of the Victorian representative team that competed in the CP Maddern Trophy that was played in Sydney during the school holidays. The Victorian team was one of six State Teams to participate in this event that also incorporated the U19 Australian Closed Championship. The Victorian Team played well to make it to the final where they met New South Wales Thunder and while there were some tight matches the NSW team took home the CP Maddern Trophy with a convincing 12 – 4 win.

In the individual events Catherine Mashalidis showed her expertise in the doubles disciplines with a scratch partner for the girls doubles Zecily Fung. The girls having not previously played together went on to make the semi finals and in the mixed doubles Catherine and Oscar played well to make the final of consolation event.

Australian Junior International - Altona September

WSBA had five squad members enter this international event. There were some wonderful games played by our juniors. **Catherine Mashalidis** and **Erica Cochran** made the quarterfinals of the girls' doubles event and **Oscar Jap** and partner Jacob Schuler had a standout result making the semi finals of the boys' doubles event. Oscar and Jacob lost the semi final match in three hard fought games.

The WSBA Coaching Team 2016

My sincere thanks go to all of the coaches for their continued support and the expertise they bring to the WSBA Development Program.

The following are the coaches who made up the WSBA Coaching Team this year:

Michelle Rigg	Head Coach
Jean Tyrrell	Mentor Coach
Beth Audley	
Helen Bradwell	
Raymond Chien	
Deepak Dhingra	
Ariana Lim	
Genevieve Lim	
John Lim	
Elizabeth Martin	
Pauline Martin	
Shaun Matthews	
Lily Rigg	
Rudy Rigg	
Daniel Trinh	
Paul Tyrrell Jnr	

The WSBA Development Program is in its twelfth year and continues to grow accommodating new players and families who are joining the Association.

Our program is holding its own competing against the three Badminton Academies that have opened up close by in the last few years and the total number of children attending the WSBA Development Programs on a weekly basis still continues to grow.

WSBA enters Representative Teams in all BV Team events offered, our squad members attend Badminton Victoria selection events, with the continued success of many being selected into the various Victorian Representative Teams.

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

- The WSBA President Pat Daw and the WSBA Committee of Management for their continued commitment in promoting and raising the profile and development of our sport.
- All the parents who helped at the Victorian Junior Teams championships and our other events.
- Stadium Manager Ron Gray for his assistance during the year.

I look forward to working with all again in 2017

Michelle Rigg
Head Coach

Western Suburbs Badminton Association Development Squad 2016

Akolkar, Hemish	Masini, Daniel
Akolkar, Keya	Mashalidis, Catherine
Aguilar, Lia	Mathew, Aaron
Aguilar, Mikkell	Matthews, Shaun
Ang, Chloe	Michael, Alan
Ang, Melissa	Michael, Irene
Archbold, Kurt	McNally, Jacob
Audley, James	Nekkenti, Nihal
Ayman, Jauhar	Nguyen, Angelina
Baksmaty, Abdullah	Nguyen, Cassidy
Barbara, Damien	Nguyen, Gus
Bradwell, Ella	Nguyen, Elaine
Bui, An	Nguyen, Harry
Bui, Phillip	Nguyen, Nathan
Burlayan, Emmanuel	Nguyen, Theresa
Campbell, Meagan	Nguyen, Tony
Carpio, Dakota	Nugoho, Annika
Carpio, Nevadah	Penfold, Briony
Carpio, Paris	Pham, Louis
Chan, Kelly	Pham, Tracey
Chen, David	Poranki, Dhruva
Chen, Florence	Price, Monty
Chew, E-Gene	Qian, Ben
Chew, E-Shaine	Rees, Shaun
Chien, Keegan	Rigg, Lily
Choi, Ezra	Rigg, Rudy
Cochran, Erica	Rodrigues, Miguel
Crump, Alice	Rose-Kotmos, Selby
Cutroni, David	Samuel, Talia
Dhand Shey	Sciberras, Gus
Dhingra, Lavanya	Sciberras, Jake
Di Battista, Sienna	Sharkey, Basil
Elliott, Cade	Siliparamita, Ethan
Ferguson, Joshua	Sirihaya, Nisitha
Fiddes, John	Smith, Declan
Gesalta, Elizabeth	Sujeesh, Malaika
Giri, Anagha	Surnaman, Vivek
Godavarthy, Praghya	Sirohi, Tanishk
Greilach, Emma	Slee, Ann-Louise
Hawks, Jade	Tan, Jaren
Ho, Florence	Tesoro, Jordan
Hoenig Gabby	Trewhella, Sean
Hua-Ching, Calvin	Trinh, Jennifer
Jap, Charlie	Truong, Joanna
Jap, Geoffrey	Tu, Albert
Jap, James	Turpin, Aidan
Jap, Oscar	Turpin, Finn
Ko, Josie	Uthaya Kumar, Preshena
Konduru, Presanth	Vo, Minh Chau
Kumpis, Tom	Vu, Binh
Le, John	Vu, Thanh
Le, Nam	Uthaya Kumar, Preshena
Le, Phan	Whan, Mackenzie
Le, Shawn	Wilson, Sam
Luo, Amy	Wu, Teya
Ly, Hilary	Yam, Ernest
Ma, Thanh	Zeng, Andy
Mac, Hina	Zhou, Fiona
Mac, Kokoa	

WESTERN SUBURBS SOCIAL BADMINTON

MONDAY LADIES SOCIAL

Each Monday morning we have a group of ladies come in to play socially from 10:00am – 12:00pm. Cost is \$7.00 per lady. 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.

Any lady who would like to join in would be very welcome.

WEDNESDAY MORNING MIXED

This year we have had a growing group of beginner to intermediate players attend our mixed social session on Wednesday mornings. Cost is \$7.00 for each player and covers court hire and feather shuttles. With three or four courts in play at any one time, there are plenty of opportunities to play.

Time is Wednesday mornings from 10:00am – 12:00pm.

Everyone welcome.

SUNDAY EVENING MIXED SOCIAL BADMINTON

We have seen a steady number of players attending our Sunday evening mixed social. It kicks off at 6:30pm every Sunday afternoon and goes through until 9:00pm.

Cost is \$12.00 per player and this covers feather shuttles and court hire.

The numbers each week are fantastic with around 30 players attending each week.

This has been a great source of fill-in players for our pennant competition and everyone participating has a great time.

No need to book – just turn up and play.

Ron Gray
Manager

VETERANS' REPORT

Our association entered teams in every Veterans' tournament on the calendar. 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 fifth veterans' tournament and again we used the rally point scoring system. The event was held over the weekend of 9th and 10th July 2016 and we had a total of 38 teams, playing at our venue and Ravenhall.

Results were:

13/14 February 2016 – Shepparton – 5 teams entered

Grade	Team	Result
A1/A2	WSBA Racketeers	Winners
A1/A2	WSBA No Idea	Third
A1/A2	WSBA Most Wanted	Fourth
A1/A2	WSBA Peckers	Fifth
A1/A2	WSBA The Runaways	Sixth

12/13 March 2016 – Adelaide – 4 teams entered

Grade	Team	Result
A1	WSBA Peckers	Second
A1	WSBA Most Wanted	Third
A1	WSBA No Idea	Fourth
C1	WSBA Shuttlebusters	Winners

9/10 April 2016 – Ballarat – 7 teams entered

Grade	Team	Result
A1	WSBA Racketeers	Winners
A1	WSBA Most Wanted	Third
A2	WSBA No Idea	Winners
A2	WSBA The Runaways	Runners Up
A2	WSBA Peckers	Third
B2	WSBA Suave	Third
B3	WSBA Shuttlebusters	Third

21/22 May 2016 – Latrobe Valley – 6 teams entered

Grade	Team	Result
A1	WSBA Racketeers	Winners
A1	WSBA Most Wanted	Fourth
A1	WSBA The Runaways	Fifth
A1	WSBA Peckers	Sixth
B2	WSBA Suave	Winners
B2	WSBA Shuttlebusters	Sixth

18/19 June 2016 – Swan Hill – 5 teams entered

Grade	Team	Result
A2	WSBA The Runaways	Winners
A2	WSBA Most Wanted	Runners Up
A2	WSBA Peckers	Fourth
B1	WSBA Suave	Winners
C1	WSBA Shuttlebusters	Sixth

9/10 July 2016 – Altona – 10 teams entered

Grade	Team	Result
A1	WSBA Viva Extreme	Winners
A1	WSBA Racketeers	Third
A1	WSBA Most Wanted	Fourth
A2	WSBA The Runaways	Winners
A2	WSBA No Idea	Runners Up
A2	WSBA Peckers	Fourth
A3	WSBA More Runaways	Fourth
B1	WSBA Antiques Roadshow	Sixth
C2	WSBA Mixtures	Runners Up
D1	WSBA Shuttlers	Runners Up

6/4 August 2016 – Eaglehawk/Bendigo – 5 teams entered

Grade	Team	Result
A1	WSBA Racketeers	Winners
A1	WSBA The Runaways	Runners Up
A1	WSBA Most Wanted	Third
A2	WSBA Peckers	Winners
B1	WSBA Suave	Runners Up

24/25 September 2016 – Kilsyth – 9 teams entered

Grade	Team	Result
A1	WSBA Most Wanted	Third
A1	WSBA Racketeers	Fourth
A1	WSBA No Idea	Fifth
A1	WSBA The Runaways	Sixth
A2	WSBA More Runaways	Fourth
B2	WSBA Pinoy Buddies	Winners
B2	WSBA Flites Oz	Runners Up
B3	WSBA PBC	Third
D2	WSBA The Shuttlers	Runners Up

29/30 October 2016 – Albury/Wodonga – 4 teams entered

Grade	Team	Result
A1	WSBA No Idea	Runners Up
A1	WSBA Most Wanted	Third
A1	WSBA the Runaways	Fourth
A2	WSBA Peckers	Winners

18/19 November – Geelong – 8 teams entered

Grade	Team	Result
A1	WSBA Outlaws	Runners up
A1	WSBA The Runaway	Third
A1	WSBA Peckers	Fourth
A2	WSBA No Idea	Winners
B1	WSBA Pinoy Buddies	Runners Up
B2	WSBA PBC	Third
B2	WSBA Bulldogs	Fourth
D1	WSBA Shuttlers	Third

2016 TOURNAMENT RESULTS

2016 Under 13 Interstate Series

Date: 15th & 16th January 2016

Event Directors: Pat Daw & Ron Gray

Referee: Kay Coady

<u>Under 13 State Teams Event</u>	<u>Won</u>	<u>Lost</u>	<u>Games</u>	<u>Points</u>
Victoria 1	3	0	35 – 1	1077 – 489
New South Wales Thunder	2	1	18 – 18	885 – 810
Victoria 2	1	2	19 – 17	852 – 872
New South Wales Lightning	0	3	0 – 36	437 – 1080

Under 13 Regional Teams Event

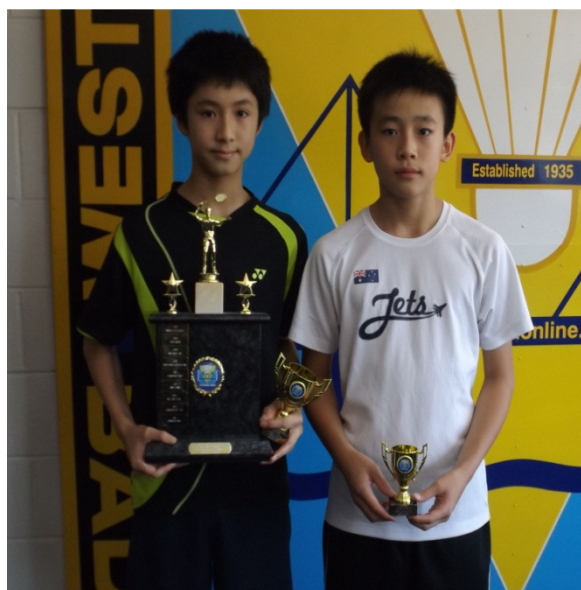
Pro Badminton Academy	Winners
Badminton Academy of Victoria 1	Runners Up
South East Badminton Academy	Third
Territories	Fourth
Western Suburbs Gold	Fifth
New South Wales Dash	Sixth
Badminton Academy of Victoria 2	Seventh
Western Suburbs Blue	Eighth

2016 WSBA Under 13 Australian Championships

	<u>Winner</u>	<u>Runner Up</u>
Boys Singles	Otto Zhao (Vic)	Thomas Ng (Vic)
Girls Singles	Irene Chau (Vic)	Angela Yu (Qld)
Boys Doubles	Rayne Wang (Vic) Otto Zhao (Vic)	Geoffrey Jap (Vic) Thomas Ng (Vic)
Girls Doubles	Irene Chau (Vic) Tiann Young (Vic)	Kaitlyn Ea (Vic) Sydney Go (Vic)

Winner of the 2016 Leigh Martin Sportsmanship Award

Sydney Go (VIC)



L-R Otto Zhao & Thomas Ng



L-R Angela Yu & Irene Chau



L-R Otto Zhao, Thomas Ng, Geoffrey Jap, Rayne Wang



L-R Sydney Go, Kaitlyn Ea, Tiann Young, Irene Chau

2016 Altona Junior Open, Under 11, 15 & 19

Date: 6th & 7th February, 2015

Event Director: Ron Gray

Referee: Sandra David

Under 11

Winner

Runner-Up

Boys Singles	Ethan Ea	Nils Vercruysse
Girls Singles	Bethany Li	Kishen Lew
Boys Doubles	Ethan Ea Nils Vercruysse	Jia Yue Chua Christopher Go
Girls Doubles	Kishen Lew Yee Yuan Lim	Serena Lin Anushka Sridhar
Mixed Doubles	Nils Vercruysse Anushka Sridhar	Ethan Ea Serena Lin

Under 15

Winner

Runner-Up

Boys Singles	Ryan Venpin	Ross Audley
Girls Singles	Yuelin Zhang	Sydney Go
Boys Doubles	Ross Audley Ryan Venpin	Rayne Wang Otto Zhao
Girls Doubles	Irene Chau Kaitlyn Ea	Sydney Go Tiann Young
Mixed Doubles	Ryan Venpin Irene Chau	Otto Zhao Sydney Go



L-R Ethan Ea & Nils Vercruysse

2016 Altona Junior Open, Under 11, 15 & 19 – Continued

Under 19

Winner

Runner-Up

Boys Singles

Jacob Schueler

Peter Yan

Consolation

Dimitri Han

Girls Singles

Joy Lai

Nalini Kuhanandha

Consolation

Catherine Mashalidis

Boys Doubles

Jacob Schueler
Peter Yan

David Lee
Lawrence Ting

Consolation

Charlie Jap
Oscar Jap

Girls Doubles

Chloe Chen
Nalini Kuhanandha

Erica Cochran
Catherine Mashalidis

Consolation

Sasha Lim
Valencia Wu

Mixed Doubles

Peter Yan
Lauren Lim

Oscar Jap
Catherine Mashalidis

Consolation

Simon Zheng
Maya Grills



L-R Lauren Lim & Peter Yan

2015 Victoria Police & Emergency Services Games

Date: 12th April 2016

Event Directors: Ron Gray

Referee: Gary Grierson

<u>Event</u>	<u>Gold</u>	<u>Silver</u>	<u>Bronze</u>
Mens Singles	Andrew P	Andy S	Anthony A
Womens Singles	Helen S	Krissy D	Steph M
Mens Doubles	Vu H Dinesh P	David T Cliff W	Robert P Neil T
Womens Doubles	Robyn D Helen S	Mary A Krissy D	Ruth K Steph M
Mixed Doubles	Cliff W Helen S	Robert P Bree B	Vu Ha Ruth K

2016 Altona Open & Graded

Date: 30th April & 1st May 2016

Event Directors: Ron Gray & Pat Daw

Referee: Allan Boyle

<u>Open</u>	<u>Winner</u>	<u>Runner Up</u>
Mens Singles	Rizwan Azam	Thomas Rueslie
Womens Singles	Louisa Ma	Talia Saunders
Mens Doubles	Ross Smith Glenn Warfe	Joel Findlay Jeffrey Tho
Womens Doubles	Talia Saunders Ann-Louise Slee	Grace Hanratty Louisa Ma
Mixed Doubles	Ross Smith Ann-Louise Slee	Hugo Leung Ruwindi Serasinghe

CM Wong Trophy

Ann-Louise Slee & Ross Smith

<u>A Grade</u>	<u>Winner</u>	<u>Runner-Up</u>
Men's Singles	Sean Ryan	Otto Zhao
Women's Singles	Sydney Go	Sabrina Chung
Men's Doubles	Robin Lee Jayden Nguyen	Shaun Matthews Jacob McNally
Women's Doubles	Chau Le Aira Nuguid	Sabrina Chung Patsy Lai
Mixed Doubles	Vincent Nguyen Sabrina Chung	Otto Zhao Sydney Go

2016 Altona Open & Graded**Continued****B Grade****Winner****Runner-Up**

Men's Singles

John Tan

David Dinh

Women's Singles

Ella Bradwell

Tiann Young

Men's Doubles

Akustimin Morni
Michael SooYie Shern Cheng
Bee Lew

Women's Doubles

Celine Tan
Evelyn XuJoanna Chin
Katrina Yang

Mixed Doubles

Marco Meiwes
Lok Yan HoLinton Lin
Patsy Lai**C Grade****Winner****Runner Up**

Men's Singles

Alex Cameron

Chow-Wei Chee

Women's Singles

Emily Wong

Linda Huynh

Men's Doubles

Chow-Wei Chee
Michael SooMinh Dang
Denny Setiawan

Women's Doubles

Janelle Chin
Emily WongLinda Huynh
Peggy Purnawan

Mixed Doubles

Denny Setiawan
Emily WongBen Hock Bein Yap
Patsy Lai

Men's Open Singles Winner
Rizwan Azam



Open Mixed Champions
Ross Smith & Ann-Louise Slee

2016 WSBA Spotswood District Sports Assoc – Primary School Comp.

Date: 9th June 2016

Event Director: Ron Gray & Pat Daw

Section 1

Sacred Heart Primary School No.1	First
St Augustine's Primary School No.1	Second
Annunciation Primary School No.1	Third
St Margaret Mary's Primary School No.1	Fourth
St Leo's Primary School No.1	Fifth
Spotswood Primary School No.1	Sixth

Section 2

Sacred Heart Primary School No.2	First
St Margaret Mary's Primary School No.2	Second
Spotswood Primary School No.2	Third
St Augustine's Primary School No.2	Fourth
St Leo's Primary School No.2	Fifth
Annunciation Primary School No.2	Third

Section 3

Sacred Heart Primary School No.3	First
St Margaret Mary's Primary School No.6	Second
St Margaret Mary's Primary School No.5	Third
St Augustine's Primary School No.3	Fourth
St Margaret Mary's Primary School No.3	Fifth
St Margaret Mary's Primary School No.4	Sixth
Spotswood Primary School No.3	Seventh
St Margaret Mary's Primary School No.7	Eighth



Section 1 Winners
Sacred Heart PS No 1



Section 2 Winners
Sacred Heart PS No 2

2016 Altona Veterans

Date: 9th & 10th July 2016

Venues: Altona Badminton Centre
Ravenhall Sports Centre

Event Directors: Ron Gray & Pat Daw

Referee: Myrna Stanlake & Fred Stanlake

<u>A1 Grade</u>		Match Won	Match Lost	Match Points	Games
1 st	WSBA Viva Extreme	3	0	6 - 0	52 - 18
2 nd	DTBA Renegades	2	1	4 - 2	41 - 26
3 rd	WSBA Racketeers	1	2	2 - 4	33 - 34
4 th	CBA Most Wanted	0	3	0 - 6	11 - 59

<u>A2 Grade</u>		Match Won	Match Lost	Match Points	Games
1 st	WSBA The Runaways	3	0	6 - 0	48 - 22
2 nd	WSBA No Idea	2	1	4 - 2	39 - 30
3 rd	Geelong Grubbers	1	2	2 - 4	27 - 42
4 th	WSBA Peckers	0	3	0 - 6	25 - 45

<u>A3 Grade</u>		Match Won	Match Lost	Match Points	Games
1 st	DTBA T-Rex	3	0	6 - 0	49 - 22
2 nd	MDBA Pardalotes	1	2	2 - 4	38 - 31
3 rd	Latrobe Energy	1	2	2 - 4	29 - 40
4 th	WSBA More Runaways	1	2	2 - 4	22 - 45

<u>B1 Grade</u>		Match Won	Match Lost	Match Points	Games
1 st	SEBA Wombats	5	0	10 - 0	46 - 29
2 nd	WSBA Suave	4	1	8 - 2	44 - 35
3 rd	CBA JJ's	3	2	6 - 4	41 - 37
4 th	CBA Go Smash	2	3	4 - 6	46 - 34
5 th	Macedon Ranges Muppets	1	4	2 - 8	35 - 45
6 th	WSBA Antiques Roadshow	0	5	0 - 10	23 - 55

<u>B2 Grade</u>		Match Won	Match Lost	Match Points	Games
1 st	DTBA Crusaders	2	1	4 - 2	43 - 27
2 nd	Bacchus Marsh Vikings	2	1	4 - 2	42 - 28
3 rd	Diamond Valley Topaz	2	1	4 - 2	38 - 34
4 th	Bacchus Marsh Blasters	0	3	0 - 6	19 - 53

C1 Grade

		Match Won	Match Lost	Match Points	Games
1 st	A/W Albury Tornadoes	3	0	6 - 0	54 - 17
2 nd	CBA Dockers	2	1	4 - 2	49 - 22
3 rd	Latrobe Supercarpets	1	2	2 - 4	22 - 50
4 th	Macedon Ranges Panthers	0	3	0 - 6	18 - 54

C2 Grade

		Match Won	Match Lost	Match Points	Games
1 st	A/W Wodonga Blizzards	2	1	4 - 2	41 - 31
2 nd	WSBA Mixtures	2	1	4 - 2	37 - 33
3 rd	CBA Sugar Gliders Rockers	2	1	4 - 2	33 - 37
4 th	Diamond Valley Jade	0	3	0 - 6	31 - 41

D1 Grade

		Match Won	Match Lost	Match Points	Games
1 st	CBA Westies	3	0	6 - 0	42 - 29
2 nd	WSBA The Shuttlers	2	1	4 - 2	40 - 32
3 rd	Camperdown Kids	1	2	2 - 4	30 - 42
4 th	CBA Sugar Gliders Mods	0	3	0 - 6	31 - 40

D2 Grade

		Match Won	Match Lost	Match Points	Games
1 st	A/W Border Lightning Giraffe	3	0	6 - 0	51 - 21
2 nd	CBA Sandies	2	1	4 - 2	34 - 38
3 rd	Latrobe Sparkies	1	2	2 - 4	37 - 35
4 th	CBA Robins	0	3	0 - 6	22 - 50



WSBA No Idea team



WSBA Suave team

2016 Altona Junior Open Under 13 & 17

Date: 17th & 18th September 2016

Event Directors: Ron Gray & Pat Daw

Referee: Sandra David

Under 13

Winner

Runner-Up

Boys Singles

Joshua Ea

Gary Chau

Girls Singles

Gloria Li

Latisha Gay

Boys Doubles

Gary Chau
Joshua Ea

Vincent Chen
Kijen Lew

Girls Doubles

Latisha Gay
Yaalini Kuhanandha

Bethany Li
Gloria Li

Mixed Doubles

Joshua Ea
Gloria Li

Gary Chau
Latisha Gay

Under 17

Winner

Runner-Up

Boys Singles

Ryan Venpin

Otto Zhao

Girls Singles

Nalini Kuhanandha

Sabrina Chung

Boys Doubles

Dimitri Han
Charlie Jap

Ross Audley
Ryan Venpin

Girls Doubles

Irene Chau
Kaitlyn Ea

Sabrina Chung
Margaret Zhao

Mixed Doubles

Charlie Jap
Sabrina Chung

Ryan Venpin
Tiann Young



L-R Joshua Ea & Gary Chau



L-R Gloria Li & Latisha Gay

2016 Pan Pacific Trophy

Date: 20th & 21st September 2016

Event Director: Ron Gray & Pat Daw

Referee: Sandra David

	Team	Won	Lost	Rubbers	Games	Points
1 st	Australia Gold	3	1	16 - 4	33 - 8	824 - 614
2 nd	New Zealand Black	3	1	14 - 6	30 - 15	883 - 718
3 rd	Australia Green	3	1	13 - 7	27 - 19	862 - 777
4 th	New Zealand White	1	3	7 - 13	17 - 26	714 - 800
5 th .	Pacific	0	4	0 - 20	1 - 40	493 - 867



2016 Pan Pac Trophy Winners – Australia Gold

2016 Li-Ning Australian Junior International

Date: 23rd, 24th. & 25th September 2016

Event Directors: Ron Gray & Pat Daw

Referee: Sandra David

Assistant Referee: Robert Brockman

Under 19

Winner

Runner Up

Mens Singles

Chia Hoa Lee (TPE)

Chuan-En Hu (TPE)

Womens Singles

Joy Lai (AUS)

Tiffany Ho (AUS)

Mens Doubles

Chuan-En Hu (TPE)
Chia Hoa Lee (TPE)

Keith Edison (AUS)
Tristan Edison (AUS)

Womens Doubles

Tiffany Ho (AUS)
Joy Lai (AUS)

Josefine Jensen (NZL)
Alyssa Tagle (NZL)

Mixed Doubles

Dacmen Vong (NZL) Jacob Schueler (AUS)
Erena Calder-Hawkins (NZL) Janet Son (AUS)



AJI Mixed Doubles
R/Up Jacob Schueler & Janet Son,
WSBA Life Member Jean Tyrrell
Winners Erena Calder-Hawkins (NZL)
& Dacmen Vong



AJI Men's Doubles
R/Up Keith Edison & Tristan Edison
Winners Chuan-En Hu (TPE) &
Chia Hoa Lee (TPE)

2016 WSBA St Mary's Indian Orthodox Church Tournament

Date: 8th October 2016

Event Director: Pauline Martin

A Grade

Winner

Runner-Up

Mens Singles	Tom Kuruvilla	Reji Abraham
Ladies Singles	Namitha Susan Kurian	Nikitha Susan Kurian
Mens Doubles	Tom Kuruvilla Kuruvela Thomas	Anil Samuel Mathew Skharia
Ladies Doubles	Nikitha Kurian Anna Namitha Susan Kurian	Ansley Abraham Prameela Rachel George
Mixed Doubles	Cristy Thomas Namitha Susan Kurian	Mathew Skharia Sheela Joy

B Grade

Winner

Runner-Up

Mens Singles	Anil Samuel	Sunil Eapen
Mens Doubles	Anu Cherian Alex Mathew	Nevil Sabu Alex Sabu Alex
Mixed Doubles	Reji Abraham Nikitha Susan Kurian	Alex Mathew Gibi Thomas

Junior U15 Boys

Winner

Runner Up

Singles	Anthony Joy	Aaron Mathew Zachariah
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2016 WSBA STEFM Inter Church Badminton Tournament

Date: 22nd October 2016

Event Director: Pat Daw

<u>Inter Church Badminton Tournament</u>		<u>Won</u>	<u>Lost</u>	<u>Games</u>	<u>Points</u>
1 st	Syro Malabar Catholic Church	3	0	61 - 23	1405 - 963
2 nd	Indian Orthodox Church	2	1	43 - 36	1196 - 1000
3 rd	Marthoma Church	1	2	45 - 37	1196 - 1052
4 th	Jacobite Syrian Orthodox Church	0	3	10 - 63	502 - 1284



2016 Victorian State Junior Championships Under 13 & 17

Date: 5th & 6th November 2016

Event Directors: Ron Gray & Pat Daw

Referee: Kay Coady

Under 13 **Winner** **Runner-Up**

Boys Singles	Otto Zhao	Kijen Lew
Girls Singles	Sydney Go	Gloria Li
Boys Doubles	Jia Yie Chua Otto Zhao	Gary Chau Joshua Ea
Girls Doubles	Sydney Go Yee-Yuan Lee	Bethany Li Gloria Li
Mixed Doubles	Otto Zhao Sydney Go	Gary Chau Latisha Gay

Under 17 **Winner** **Runner-Up**

Boys Singles	Peter Yan	Ryan Venpin
Consolation	Terence Ting	
Girls Singles	Nalini Kuhanandha	Sabrina Chung
Boys Doubles	Jared Song Peter Yan	Ross Audley Ryan Venpin
Girls Doubles	Irene Chau Kaitlyn Ea	Sabrina Chung Margaret Zhao
Mixed Doubles	Peter Yan Nalini Kuhanandha	Ryan Venpin Irene Chau



U17 Peter Yan



U17 Nalini Kuhanandha