

WESTERN SUBURBS
BADMINTON
ASSOCIATION
(INCORPORATED)



ANNUAL REPORT
2007

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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 1950. 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 has been a member and Treasurer of the now 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, during which time he and his Committee negotiated with the Altona City Council and were successful in obtaining the lease of the Altona Badminton Centre exclusively for Badminton. Alan played with West Newport and Westgate for many years and has now 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. She is still the Secretary of Laverton Badminton Club.

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 continues to oversee the role of Treasurer, which requires 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 has been 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 organises our Friday Night Junior Competition and Coaching, from 1989 until 2006.

Alan was a member of 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 1934 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 provide for players, sponsors, officials, guests and volunteers. During the early years of the Altona Badminton Centre, Nat and Jerry were involve 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 is now in her 16th year of holding these offices.

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, Alan became Chairman in 1989 and Hilary has been organizing Friday night Juniors since then.

Hilary has been a W.S.B.A.Inc. Delegate to Badminton Victoria for a number of years. Hilary has been the scorer at our Junior & Open Tournaments for many years and also assists with catering for these events.

2006 _ **Mrs M. Ravenhall**

Marj has been a member of the Keilor East Badminton Association Inc. since 1974. Marj became President in 1989 and still holds that position.

Marj, was insistent that Keilor East became Incorporated in 1995. Her input to the Keilor East Committee results in strong and consistent support to WSBA. Marj has been one of the Keilor East delegates for the WSBA Annual Meetings for many years.

Marj played pennant competition in many different venues until two years ago.

Marj 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.

* 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

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

2007, saw WSBA continue to grow in all areas, showing the need for those extra courts. The Feasibility Study has been presented to the Hobsons Bay City Council and we expect to be asked to make a presentation to the Council in the near future.

It is wonderful for WSBA to have a full-time Manager again. The stadium is open from 9.00am – 11.00pm Monday to Friday which has greatly extended the hours available for casual court hire. We aim to run our Association in a very professional manner at all levels and Ron is at the top of the pyramid as all business and correspondence is collected and collated before being passed on where necessary. Thanks Ron for your contribution, often over and above the call of duty!

Thanks to my Committee, Nat as Vice-President (thanks for chairing those meetings while I was away on holidays), Robert as Secretary, Linda as Treasurer, Jen who took on the formidable role of Match Secretary, Philip, Pauline and Kim as Committee Members. Thanks Phil for the most efficient way you have run our Tournaments this year.

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

Michelle continues in her role as Junior Development Officer and the development squad continues to grow as we talent ID children from our Primary School Participation Program. The increased need for casual junior coaching has seen us introduce a session on Sunday morning in addition to the Friday night one. It is great to see a number of our Squad playing in the night Pennant Competition. Again two of our talented squad are heading to the KL Racquet Club and coach Ong Beng Teong for December and January.

Our Pennant Competition continues to grow thanks to the efforts of Jen, as Match Secretary and our Club Secretaries.

Friday Night Junior Pennant is running well under the guidance of Wilma McKenzie and Karen & Garry Audley, we thank them for their continued commitment to our Association.

The Australia Day weekend in January saw us host an Under 13 Interstate Carnival with six teams participating, two from NSW, one from the ACT, one from Tasmania and two from Victoria. Congratulations to Ariana Lim and Jen Trinh who were selected in the Victoria Green team and Rachael Evans who was selected in the Victoria Gold Team. Brittany Morrow played with the ACT team and James Audley played in the Individual Events. It was a great two days of badminton with plenty of time for socializing as well.

A number of our players were selected to represent Victoria in under age and senior teams, Brendan Chu, Tarah Marney, Steven Nguyen and Daniel Trinh went to New Zealand for the Under 17 Australasian Carnival, as did Pauline Martin as Coach of the Victoria Demons and Liz Martin as Manager of the Victoria Demons, which was held over Easter. Brendan Chu and Nicole

Cranston went to Tasmania in the Victoria 2 team for the Under 19 Australasian Carnival (Jane Marney was the Coach). Murray Hocking (as Coach of the Victorian Team), Ann-Louise Slee, Nicky Wong, Nicole Cranston and Jason Nowland travelled to Geraldton to compete in the Ede Clendinnen Shield in August, unfortunately the team mini bus was involved in a traffic accident and Nicky, Jason and Nicole were unable to take part in the individual events.

We entered teams in the Victorian Junior Teams Championship in July and the Victorian Junior Regional Teams Championships in August in all age groups. A big thank you to all Team Managers, Coaches, Players and Parents for their support.

WSBA entered a team in the Under 15 Australian Carnival which was held in Geelong at the end of September. Thanks to Team Manager Ron Gray, Coach Liz Martin and Umpire Karen Audley. Well done to the players Jacob McNally, James Audley, David Cutroni, Nick Gray, Jing Wu, Ariana Lim, Simone Matthews and Brittany Morrow. WSBA finished 17th out of 18 teams. Jason Nowland was the Coach of the Victoria No. 1 Team.

We were devastated by the tragic loss of Stuart Turner in mid October. Stu was a player, coach, umpire, employee and friend of us all. Our sympathies have been extended to Hans and Stu's family. Thanks, Ron, for presenting such a wonderful tribute to Stuart at his funeral.

In July, Wynette Phillips lost her battle with cancer. Wynette has been a WSBA player for many years, was Treasurer of Keilor East and involved with WSBA Veterans. Our sympathy was extended to her family.

Thanks also to our great staff Don, Alexandra, Ann-Louise, Stephanie and Richard for their assistance in keeping the stadium ticking over.

Our website www.wsbaonline.com is getting over 600 hits a month and we have just recently been given access to some quick links to help you navigate the site just from the home page, access to results and archived news etc. Pennant and Junior Competition Results are uploaded each week and Tournament results as they come to hand. If you, or your members, have any current information or photos which are applicable to our site please e-mail Ron on wsba@bigpond.com .

Pat Daw
President

MANAGER'S REPORT

January began with Altona hosting the Under 13 Interstate Series. This was the first year that the event was run and went for two days over the Australia Day long weekend. We had two Victorian teams, two teams from New South Wales, a team from the Australian Capital Territory and a team from Southern Tasmania.

Our Autumn pennant season commenced in late January with 56 teams (down 5 from the previous season).

February 17th & 18th saw us run the Under 19, Under 15 and Under 11 Altona Junior Open. This event was a selection tournament for the Under 19's and the Under 15's, so was well attended.

On the 17th & 18th of March we ran the very successful Altona Open and Graded tournament.

Thanks to the people who assisted with all these events.

Our Spring pennant season commenced in July and the number of teams increased by 5, to a total of 61 teams.

October was a sad time for us, with the passing of our esteemed colleague, player, coach and cleaner, Stuart Turner. Stuart was such a loved and respected worker – he is sorely missed by all of us.

Our feasibility study for the extension of courts was presented to the Hobsons Bay City Council recently. Our next step is to make a presentation to the Council. If approved by Council, the project will go on to the Council's Five Year Capital Works Plan.

The centre is fortunate to have a reliable and cooperative group of employees making up our staff. Don, our foyer and change room cleaner has been with us since the stadium opened and does a fantastic job. Norma, Alexandra, Stef and Ann have provided great support along with Richard who looks after the security of the car park. A special thank you goes to Ann who has taken over the majority of the cleaning of the stadium, since the passing of Stuart. Her efforts are greatly appreciated.

It is pleasing to see the growth in the casual and weekend court hire. Our social night that is conducted on a Sunday night is increasing in popularity and continues to do well.

Ron Gray
Manager

WESTERN SUBURBS FRIDAY NIGHT JUNIORS

The Friday night pennant competition remains a well-organised night for junior players. Although the numbers are down slightly from 2006, we have found that the children attending now are well behaved and are a very nice bunch of kids.

We have found them to be a lot more consistent in their attendance with quite a large number of children attending every night of competition. In our last season, we had two teams that had an attendance rate of 97.5%. At our break-up last season, we made a presentation to the 20-odd players who attended every week.

The results for each season are:

Spring 2006	Winners	Runners Up
A Grade:	Laverton Blue 146	Laverton Green 123
B Grade:	Laverton Red 155	Keilor Yellow 142
C Grade:	Laverton Red 187	Laverton Blue 112

Autumn 2007	Winners	Runners Up
A Grade:	Koalas 123	Echidnas 110
B Grade:	Brolgas 108	Taipans 103

The Spring competition commenced at the start of term 3. We currently have ten A Grade teams and six B Grade teams, all with four players per team. This term, the weekly attendances have ranged between 60 – 70 players. For those who do not play in a team we arrange a round robin on an additional court. This is ideal for newcomers to meet new friends, learn the rules, have fun and gives us the ability to judge the standard of the kids in order to grade them for teams in the future.

Wilma McKenzie, Karen & Garry Audley
Western Suburbs Juniors

**Western Suburbs Badminton Association
Junior Development Program
2007**

The Western Suburbs Badminton Association has continued its commitment to developing a structured pathway in badminton for children in the Western Suburbs. This program offers school clinics, junior competition, beginner coaching sessions and Junior Development squads. From the first three areas children identified as showing talent for the sport are selected and then invited to join the Junior Development Squad or applicable coaching session. The aim of this structure is to provide developmental opportunity and encouragement for talented young sports persons to assist them in reaching their full potential in badminton.

School Participation Program

This area of the program delivers school clinics and Active After School Care Programs to the schools in the western suburbs. Each school term, using a data base of 97 schools, program information and clinic request forms are sent to the Sports Coordinator and when schools allow we advertise in their school newsletters. This year we added to our data base by including local Secondary Schools in our School Program.

This year 720 children participated in the program doubling the number of participation for 2006, they were from the following schools

- **Altona P.S.**
- **Footscray P.S.**
- **Ascot Vale P.S.**
- **Altona Nth P.S.**
- **Williamstown Nth P.S.**
- **St Augustine's P.S. - Yarraville**
- **Corpus Christi P.S. - Kingsville**
- **Mount St Joseph's Girls College - Altona**
- **Seaholme P.S.**
- **Bellbridge P.S. - Hoppers Crossing**
- **Quantin Binnah P.S. - Hoppers Crossing**
- **The Grange P.S. - Point Cook**

Development Squads & Casual Coaching Sessions

W.S.B.A. delivers 3 Squad Sessions per week for 50 members. The Sunday session is used by some of the squad members as a second session per week however most at this stage attend only one session per week.

We also provide Casual Coaching Sessions for all age groups on Fridays & Sundays. This year these sessions have been well attended with numbers on a Friday night increasing to 35 juniors while the Sunday Casual Session average about 25 attending. Coaching Clinics during school holidays this year have been offered, these 3 day clinics have been well attended.

Thursday Squad 6-8pm	U15, U17 & U19	25 members
Friday Squad 6-7.30pm	U13 & U11	20 members
Friday Casual 6.30 - 7.30pm	all age groups	35

Sunday Squad members	9.30 – 11.30am	all age groups	15
Sunday Casual	9.30 – 11.30am	all age groups	25

Development Squad – Tournaments & State Selection

Many of the squad players attended junior selection tournaments this year from U11's to U19's. We a hired a bus to transport the players to some of these events.

There were some great results from the players throughout the year earning them selection in Junior State and Open Teams.

Four squad players keen for an overseas training experience traveled to Kuala Lumpur over the last summer holiday break spending 6 – 8 weeks training twice a day. All who attended gained experience and had a great time.

Brendan Chu & Daniel Trinh will travel to KL again at the end of the year for another 6 weeks intensive training.

Squad members selected in 2007 State Teams are as follows

Ariana Lim	U13 Victorian Team
Jennifer Trinh	U13 Victorian Team
Rachael Evans	U13 Victorian Team
Brendan Chu	U17 & U19 Victorian Team
Daniel Trinh	U17 Victorian Team
Tarah Marney	U17 Victorian Team
Stephen Nguyen	U17 Victorian Team
Nicole Cranston	U19 & Open Victorian Team
Celine Vicencio	U19 Victorian Team - emergency
Ann Slee	Open Victorian Team
Nicky Wong	Open Victorian Team
Jason Nowland	Open Victorian Team
Pauline Martin	Coach Victorian U17 Demons Team
Jane Marney	Coach Victorian U13 & U19 No.2 Team
Jason Nowland	Coach Victorian U15 No.1 Team
Liz Martin	Manager Victorian U17 Demons Team

W.S.B.A. Representative Teams

W.S.B.A. entered teams in all age groups for both Junior Victorian and Regional Teams Championships played at MSAC mid year. Players from both our Junior Competition and Development Squad made up these teams. The children enjoyed these events having some great games and results with the U13 team coming home from both events with the silver medal.

We again entered a W.S.B.A. Representative Team in the Val Nesbitt Cup and U15 Australian Championships; the event was held in September and hosted by Geelong Badminton Association. It was a great tournament with 18 teams from around the country including a representative team from Singapore. All players and team officials stayed together in accommodation booked in Geelong for the duration of the carnival. The Hobson's Bay Council mini bus was hired for transporting the team to and from the stadium. The players had a great time and performed well.

W.S.B.A. U15 Representative Team 2007

**James Audley
David Cutroni
Nick Gray
Ariana Lim
Simone Matthews
Jacob McNally
Brittany Morrow
Jing Wu
Coach – Liz Martin
Manager - Ron Gray
Umpire – Karen Audley**

Much work and effort has been put into the junior program this year with some great results and real progress made. On behalf of W.S.B.A. I would like to thank the following people for their time, effort and support for without them it would not have been possible

- Philip McNally, Ron Gray & Maurice Boyd who drove the mini bus to tournaments throughout the year.
- All the parents who helped at the Victorian & Regional Teams championships and all those who car pooled to travel to the tournaments
- All the coaches for there patience and commitment
Ron Gray
Vanessa Jackson
Jen Kang
John Lim
Jane Marney
Liz Martin
Pauline Martin
Phil McNally
Jason Nowland
Damian Nguyen
Nicole Reid
Ann Slee
Jeff Tho
Stuart Turner
Jean Tyrrell
Richard Wong

I look forward to working with all again in 2007

Michelle Rigg

**Western Suburbs Badminton Association
Development Squad**

2007

**Kit Allen
Phillip Audley
Beth Audley
James Audley
Maria Banica
Casey Berry
Tegan Berry
Carson Boyd
Dylan Boyd
Damon Branecki
Brendan Chu
Nicole Cranston
David Cutroni
Aidan Dang
Daniel Edwards
Rachel Evans
Nick Gray
Samantha Goslin
Blake Haggerty
Vivienne Lao
Ariana Lim
Gen Lim
Simone Lim
Garry Li
Sonny Li
Kevin Liu
Calvin Hua-Ching
Celine Hua-Ching
Tarah Marney
Simone Matthews
Shaun Matthews
Brittany Morrow
Nicholas McColl
Jacob McNally
Stephen Nguyen
Damian Nguyen
Rahul Perera
Nessa Pratt
Rudy Rigg
Lily Rigg
Hunar Sandhu
Ann Slee
Daniel Trinh
Jennifer Trinh
Jeremy Trieu
Celine Vicencio
Eric Vuong
Jonathon Whetton
Marhishi Wimaladharm
Jing Wu
Scott Zeng**

MATCH SECRETARY REPORT

SPRING SEASON 2006

A Grade	1 KEILOR EAST	174	RUNNER UP
	2 ELITE COACHING SCHOOL GOLD	174	WINNER
	3 LAVERTON	137	
	4 WESTGATE	129	
A Res Grade	1 SOUTH EAST	165	RUNNER UP
	2 KEILOR EAST	140	WINNER
	3 LAVERTON BLUE	136	
	4 LAVERTON BLACK	130	
B1 Grade	1 KEILOR EAST RED	190	WINNER
	2 KEILOR EAST BLUE	141	
	3 KEILOR ROAD RED	135	RUNNER UP
	4 KEILOR ROAD BLUE	120	
B2 Grade	1 KEILOR EAST RED	99	WINNER
	2 KEILOR EAST BLUE	94	RUNNER UP
B3 Grade	1 KEILOR EAST	165	WINNER
	2 KEILOR ROAD YELLOW	103	RUNNER UP
C1 Grade	1 KEILOR ROAD BLUE	197	WINNER
	2 KEILOR EAST BLUE	190	RUNNER UP
	3 LAVERTON RED	157	
	4 KEILOR EAST RED	149	
C2 Grade	1 KEILOR ROAD ORANGE	107	RUNNER UP
	2 KEILOR ROAD RED	102	WINNER
	3 KEILOR EAST RED	101	
	4 LAVERTON	91	
C3 Grade	1 LAVERTON BLUE	122	WINNER
	2 KEILOR EAST	104	
	3 KEILOR ROAD GREEN	87	RUNNER UP
	4 KEILOR ROAD RED	74	
D Grade	1 KEILOR EAST RED	96	WINNER
	2 KEILOR EAST BLUE	92	
	3 LAVERTON	90	RUNNER UP
	4 KEILOR ROAD BLUE	88	

MATCH SECRETARY REPORT

AUTUMN SEASON 2007

A Grade	1 ELITE COACHING SCHOOL GOLD	156	WINNER
	2 LAVERTON RED	148	
	3 KEILOR EAST RED	142	RUNNER UP
	4 WESTGATE	122	
A Res Grade	1 LAVERTON BLACK	153	
	2 LAVERTON BLUE	145	
	3 KEILOR EAST BLUE	138	RUNNER UP
	4 WESTGATE RED	135	WINNER
B1 Grade	1 KEILOR ROAD RED	145	WINNER
	2 KEILOR ROAD BLUE	141	RUNNER UP
	3 KEILOR EAST	132	
	4 KEILOR ROAD GREEN	110	
B2 Grade	1 NOMADS	96	RUNNER UP
	2 KEILOR EAST BLUE	96	WINNER
C1 Grade	1 KEILOR EAST BLUE	178	WINNER
	2 KEILOR ROAD SHUTTLEBUSTERS	175	
	3 KEILOR EAST RED	146	RUNNER UP
	4 LAVERTON RED	144	
C2 Grade	1 KEILOR ROAD RED	118	
	2 KEILOR ROAD YELLOW	110	RUNNER UP
	3 KEILOR EAST GREEN	89	
	4 ST JOHNS	86	WINNER
C3 Grade	1 KEILOR EAST RED	104	
	2 LAVERTON BLUE	103	
	3 KEILOR ROAD BLUE	80	RUNNER UP
	4 KEILOR EAST BLUE	80	WINNER
D Grade	1 KEILOR EAST JUNIORS	109	WINNER
	2 LAVERTON RED	83	
	3 KEILOR ROAD WHITE	82	RUNNER UP
	4 KEILOR EAST RED	68	

Jennifer McKenzie
Match Secretary

WESTERN SUBURBS LADIES BADMINTON

Western Suburbs Ladies Badminton Club plays social badminton each Monday morning, except public holidays.

We are a very happy social group, and always welcome any new players of visitors.

We try to attend other Ladies Badminton clubs for tournaments and sometimes invite those clubs to visit us.

We start at 10:00am each week and we feel it's a very good way to start the week.

Players can come and go when it suits them and there are no teams.

We also welcome any Ladies wishing to have a try at Badminton; it is a great way to learn the game.

Contact: Joy 9391 4492 or the Stadium 9391 0880.

Any ladies wishing to go further in the sport can be assisted to play in the WSBA night-time pennant teams. (Teams in pennant can be approached for those ladies who are interested).

Joy Walsh
Western Suburbs Ladies

TOURNAMENT RESULTS 2007

Altona Open

Date: 17th & 18th March

Event Directors: Philip McNally & Pat Daw

Referee: Kay Coady

<u>Open</u>	Winner	Runner Up
Womens Singles	Erica Pong	Foong-Meng Cheah
Mens Singles	Hung Pham	Nicholas Wong
Womens Doubles	Ann-Louise Slee Louise McKenzie	Erica Pong Victoria Na
Mens Doubles	Boyd Cooper Ashley Brehaut	Adhika Rusly Yohan Aswin
Mixed Doubles	Erin Carroll Stuart Brehaut	Van Pham Hung Pham

**Winner of the C.M.Wong Trophy for the best overall performance in the
Open Section:**

Erin Carroll

Altona Graded

Date: 17th & 18th March

Event Directors: Philip McNally, Pat Daw & Ron Gray

Referee: Kay Coady

A Grade

Winner

Runner-Up

Mens Singles

Ankur Bhatia

Brendan Chu

Mens Doubles

Damien Nguyen
Marcus Yim

Andrew Cheong
Sinyu Lai

Mixed Doubles

Shet Li Chan
Leong Khoo

Diana Koh
Jonsen Jonsen

B Grade

Winner

Runner-Up

Mens Singles

Anthony Robinson

Sinyu Lai

Mens Doubles

Nicholas Effendi
Jonsen Jonsen

Steven Lay
Davy Aswin

Mixed Doubles

Cheryl Song
Tin Pham

Rebecca Nielsen
Anthony Robinson

C Grade

Winner

Runner-Up

Womens Singles

Cheryl Song

Celine Vincencio

Mens Singles

Nyi Thu

Chris Bright

Womens Doubles

Elee Machuca
Rebecca Nielsen

Genevieve Lim
Cheryl Song

Mens Doubles

John Yang
Frank Lee

Jason Yong
Nyi Thu

Altona Junior Open Badminton Tournament, – Under 11, 15 & 19

Date: 17th & 18th February

Event Directors: Philip McNally & Pat Daw

Referee: Myrna Stanlake

<u>Under 11</u>	<u>Winner</u>	<u>Runner Up</u>
Boys Singles	Darshand Gobinathan	Sonny Li
Girls Singles	Joy Lai	Zoe Nevett
Boys Doubles	Phillip Audley Sonny Li	Darshand Gobinathan Edward Ma
Girls Doubles	Joy Lai Zoe Nevett	Samantha Goslin Lily Rigg
Mixed Doubles	Joy Lai Darshand Gobinathan	Lily Rigg Sonny Li

<u>Under 15</u>	<u>Winner</u>	<u>Runner Up</u>
Girls Singles	Louisa Ma	Krystel Oodoomansaib
Boys Singles	Ashwant Gobinathan	Clifford Gan
Girls Doubles	Louisa Ma Krystel Oodoomansaib	Nicola Duffield Stephanie Treloar
Boys Doubles	Clifford Gan Ashwant Gobinathan	Brayden Allen Chris Wong
Mixed Doubles	Louisa Ma Ashwant Gobinathan	Farhanah Azmi James Dahni
Girls Singles Plate	Sarah Kiel	
Boys Singles Plate	James Dahni	

Altona Junior Open Badminton Tournament, – Under 11, 15 & 19

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<u>Under 19</u>	<u>Winner</u>	<u>Runner Up</u>
Girls Singles	Erica Pong	Victoria Na
Boys Singles	Kelvin Yuen	Samuel Ho
Girls Doubles	Victoria Na Erica Pong	Kashmira Gobinathan Louise McKenzie
Boys Doubles	Victor Brooker Joel Findlay	Samuel Ho Kelvin Yuen
Mixed Doubles	Erica Pong Kelvin Yuen	Victoria Na Boris Ma
Boys Singles Plate	Aiden Jewell	
Girls Singles Plate	Tara Pilven	

**Victorian State Titles incorporating the
Altona Junior Open Badminton Tournament, – Under 11, 13 & 17**

Date: 27th October and 10th November

Held at: MSAC

Under 11

Winner

Runner Up

Girls Singles

Maggie Wu

Melinda Nanere

Boys Singles

Blake Haggerty

Sonny Li

Under 13

Winner

Runner Up

Girls Singles

Vinning Mak

Natasha David

Boys Singles

Darshand Gobinathan

Athi Selladurai

Under 17

Winner

Runner Up

Girls Singles

Victoria Na

Kashmira Gobinathan

Boys Singles

Boris Ma

Ashwant Gobinathan