



Season 2010-2011

60th Annual Report



WATER POLO - An Olympic Tradition

Revision 2 - Audited Financials

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1 2010-2011 Officials

LIFE MEMBERS

Ron Howell	Jill Glastonbury (dec)
Bruce Chisholm (dec)	Margaret Jones
Paul Raynor	Jon Harmer
John Bird	Lynn Martin
Des Clark	Gary Mavrinac
Brian Knevitt	Shaun Baker
Peter Bayne	Chris Turner
Graeme Litster	David Martin
Alan Dowling	John Medcalf

HONORARY LIFE MEMBERS (SA Olympians)

Charlie Turner	Michael Turner
Chris Wybrow	Rod Owen Jones
Rafael Sterk	

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

President	Mark Dayman
Secretary	Liz Cameron
Director for Finance	John Metcalf
Director for Membership	
Director for Competition	Graham Barr (part)
Director for National Events	Mark Dayman
Director for Coaching & Development	
Director for Communications	
Director for Volunteers & Officials	

OFFICERS & OFFICIALS

Patron	
Vice-Patron	
Public Officer	John Medcalf
Privacy Officer	John Medcalf
Hon. Solicitor	
Chief Executive Officer	Jon Harmer
Administration Officer	Michelle Corbett

State Representative Teams

14 & Under Girls Club
14 & Under Girls
16 & Under Boys
16 & Under Girls
18 & Under Boys
18 & Under Girls
20 & Under Men
20 & Under Women

Coaches

Carolyn Symons
Carolyn Symons
Tony Hall
Terril Ashton
Eddie Denis
Terril Ashton
Eddie Denis
Terril Ashton

Managers

Sharron Hall
Melinda Paull
Jan Huis t en Veld
Carol Barr
Tony Hall
Jayne Wedding
Liz Cameron
Jayne Wedding

National League

Coaches

Men
Women

Nicholas Martin
Terril Ahton

Assistant Coach

Men
Women

Eddie Denis
Eddie Denis

AFFILIATED CLUBS

Adelaide Tritons
Adelaide Vikings
Eastern Saints
Henley Sharks

In Memoriam

Claire Seret 18 January 2011
President 1997-2000

2 President's Report

This annual report is for the period 1 July 2010 until 30 June 2011. This period has seen SAWPI face a significant number of challenges. Last year I reported that the most significant challenge for SAWPI was the opening of the new aquatic centre. While the new aquatic centre is a substantial challenge, SAWPI's biggest challenge currently is our financial viability. The SAWPI Board is confident we have the plans to address the recent years of financial loss and importantly continue to provide the opportunities our players expect and deserve.

The highlights of 2010-2011:-

SAWPI Board . The year 2010/2011 has seen stability continue with seven Board members attending 75% our more of the meetings. Board members continue to assist with SAWPI activities between the meetings. Our meetings have been mostly well behaved, productive and completed in a reasonable time frame. With best intentions on process, at times it was difficult for the Board come to a yes or no position on issues that were raised. Overall, a pleasing performance by the Board and SAWPI is fortunate to have a skilled group of people willing to provide their valuable time and expertise.

Development Overall we have provided a good level of service for the development of our members. Our model starts with liaison with school competition and provides opportunities for school players to transition to the club system. To date the result appears we have provided good opportunities for our existing players but have not yet provided the clubs with a noticeable increase in potential members.

SAWPI will continue to examine ways of improving this model. In particular, SAWPI will focus on the opportunity the suburbs around the SAALC will provide for membership.

State Competition A pleasing aspect this year was to see a return to a formal junior competition. SAWPI continues to be well organised with the delivery of our games poolside.

For all grades there was improved organisation of the games and generally SAWPI are now providing 2 umpires per game.

The B grade men were the most successful competition with 7 teams competing.

National League was a fairly typical year for the Jets. As with all our teams, we continue to struggle with coaches and managers. This year the men were without a manager and had a playing coach. So, pool side during a game there was not a lot of support.

Throughout the season the both Jets teams were competitive in most games. The women in particular, were very competitive with nearly all teams in the competition.

We continued to have the best National League game presentation.

State Teams. Since our last AGM we have again sent away 8 State teams and Vikings have sent one. This included 2 teams at the 18&U level. The Team Coach continues to be the most difficult position to fill.

A good success story last year was for the 16&U age group. There were 2 boys teams from South Australia at the 16&U National Club Championships in Hobart October 2010. One SAWPI boys team and one Vikings boys team.

The challenges ahead:-

As mentioned for the last two years, SAWPI does face some quite serious challenges and good opportunities. In the year just completed, the SAWPI Board has spent a significant amount of time on very negative issues, being incidents between clubs, players, officials and referees. For the association to move forward these incidents need to reduce to allow SAWPI's limited resources to be used on positive aspects for the future of our sport in South Australia. All SAWPI stakeholders need to act in the best interests of the association and contain matters that will restrict SAWPI from using its time for positive activities.

Our Aquatic Centres. The CEO Jon Harmer and the Board have been very focused this year on the new centre at Marion. SAWPI needs to focus on the membership opportunities this new centre will provide in new areas.

The closure of the Adelaide Aquatic Centre has made training and competition activities difficult. SAWPI has continued to lobby relevant authorities to retain deep water for Water Polo at the Adelaide Aquatic Centre. To retain as many members as possible we need to ensure a pool is available for our members who live in the northern and eastern suburbs.

Four Successful Clubs. From the membership information in this report you will see our registrations have dropped this year by 10. You will see from our membership statistics that more work is needed to ensure we have 4 successful clubs. Already this year it is evident key competitions will not be viable. The effect is members will not receive value for money from Water Polo.

Finance. Finance is now the biggest issue for SAWPI in the short term. In my report last year we detailed a number of actions to improve our financial situation. These actions have been implemented and further measures are required.

SAWPI has incurred another loss for the 2011 financial year. The key point is that financial loss must stop immediately. SAWPI can not sustain any further losses.

In the financial year 2012 we are setting a budget surplus of \$10,000 to shore up our finances. This will be achieved by increased sponsorship, fund raising, reduction in payments for referees, the overall position of costs recovery for development squads, increased charges to Jets players for flight changes, banning of contra deals for coaching and full financial information available for every Board meetings. Board meeting will be deferred if finance information is not distributed with the agenda.

It is important to note the financial position reported in the 2011 accounts will deteriorate once a full assessment of bad debt provisions is completed. Currently we are showing a provision of \$4,239.08. This provision will increase significantly following this assessment.

In closing, I would like to thank all people who have assisted SAWPI throughout the year including Head Coach Eddie Denis, Administration Officer Michele Corbett, our development coaches, state team coaches, referees, team managers and committee members. In particular, thanks to our sponsors, our CEO Jon Harmer and all members of the SAWPI Board. There have been some very dedicated efforts by people to assist the association.

Mark Dayman
President

3 Chief Executive Officer's Report

Chief Executive Officer's Report

In the 2010 / 2011 reporting year S.A.W.P.I. has once again benefited from the Office of Recreation and Sports Stream 1 and Stream 2 funding. As of June 30th, 2010 the ORS has committed to support SA Water Polo for a further 2 years by providing more funds than ever before via its Stream 1 Core Business grant and Stream 2 funds granted for the employment of Part Time Development Officers.

During 2010-11 considerable progress has been made in the area of Development due to the excellent work undertaken by newly appointed SAWPI Development Officer Terril Ashton. Terril 's report elsewhere in the Annual Report specifies her involvement but I think the work undertaken in the 12 & Under age bracket has been of particular significance.

As CEO, the following are the key areas of my administrative involvement during the 2010/11 period.

Local / Club.

- Administration of ISSA Schoolboy's & SACSGSA Schoolgirl's Water Polo competitions - 68 teams representing 21 schools playing at 7 venues over 2 nights.
- Assisting with the administration of SAWPI Boy's & Girl's 14 & Under and 16 & Under Development Squads and SA State Teams.
- Administration of Grants through Office of Recreation & Sport.
- Advertising and recruitment of managers and coaches for x 8 SA representative teams.
- Representing SAWPI at an AWPI administrative level
- Represent Adelaide Jets National League teams at the NWPL administrative level.
- Chairing the SAWPI Competition & Grading Committee.

National League.

- Perform duties of Delegate to the Adelaide Jets Men's team.
- Represent SAWPI at ORS meetings for planning process of SALC – State Aquatic & Leisure Center, Marion.
- Recruitment of x3 O/S Men's players for Jets.
- Preparation throughout NL season of Home game presentations.

International.

- Representing Australia as Manager AUS Men's Team at International Tournaments
 - Volvo Cup Tournament – Miscoj, Hungary - February.
 - 2011 FINA World League Preliminaries and Finals. Auckland, Sydney & Florence - April/May
 - 2011 FINA World Championships Training, Perth & Singapore

Tournament , Shanghai - July.

Sponsorship.

- Ongoing sponsorship from Caledonian Hotel
- Players Individual sponsors concept and the Jets Vice Presidents club.

For the 2010 / 2011 season I would like to give particular thanks to the following

- The SAWPI board for their continued efforts on behalf of our sport. I would like to make particular mention to fellow members of the SAWPI Executive.

- SAWPI President, Mark Dayman, who has worked tirelessly in so many areas for the benefit of SA Water Polo.
- SAWPI Director of Finance, John Medcalf for his dedication to the management of SAWPI's finances.
- SAWPI Board Member Maritza Mano for her consistent adherence to good practice and personal assistance in the absence of an administration officer.
- To the South Australian Government, through the Office Of Recreation & Sport for their continued support of the administration of SAWPI and the funding of projects relating to the continued growth of Water Polo in S.A.
- To our sponsors, Fyfe, EMA Legal and Adelaide Aquatic Center.
- To the South Australian Sports Institute and SASI Head Water Polo coach Eddie Denis for their continued support of SAWPI.
- To SAWPI Finance Officer Michele Corbett for her assistance.
- To all SAWPI state coaches and managers for their efforts in assisting with our state teams.
- To Terrill Ashton for her ongoing work in creating a more professional training environment for SAWPI Talent squads.
- To the committee of Eastern Saints Water Polo club for their continued efforts in assisting in developing the 4th Club.

In closing for 2010/11 I urge all members of SAWPI to work together in embracing the changing physical environment of SA Water Polo. With access to the Adelaide Aquatic Center under question and Marion's location and availability challenging many members, we must look to work together in making the absolute best of what we have got for the betterment and future of the sport that brings us all together.

Sincerely,

Jon Harmer, Chief Executive Officer, SA Water Polo.

4 Committee Reports

4.1 Competition and Grading

The competition and grading committee changed format in the last 12 months with the resignation of the Director of Competition. The committee is now formed by a representative from each club and chaired by the CEO.

4.2 Development

SAWPI Development Officer Activity Report 2010 /2011

TERM OF OFFICE: mid Oct 2010 – present

PROMOTION

- Distribute flyers (club –school alignment)
- Create club posters for AAC notice board
- Meet YMCA rep to investigate possible inclusion in VACswim
- Coach and assist in preparing Dec Polo Skills camp run by Easterns Saints Club (40 attendees)
- Regular submissions to community radio and newspaper
- Regular submissions to schools for newsletter inclusion re recruiting and new 12U programs
- Recruit and work with new volunteer, John Cooper to assist with 12U recruitment
- Liaise and direct email and phone contacts to suitable club reps

LINKS BETWEEN SCHOOL AND CLUB

- Identifying and contacts key personnel at schools
- Liaise with parents, teacher/coaches and athletes at school games
- Distribute club flyers to aligned school contacts
- Talent spotting at high school polo games, refer to clubs and Talent Squad
- Link 12U school teams with aligned SAWPI clubs
- Coach, assist and provide a junior coach for St Michaels/Henley training session
- Link Loreto junior school team with Eastern Saints club and provide Loreto with a junior coach
- Promo table with banners, posters, promotional flyers at schools grand finals

NEW PROGRAMS

- Smart Start introductory 12U water polo pilot program Terms 4 and 1
- 12U competition: (years 5 -7) 4 teams x 6 week comp during Term 1, 2011
- Certificates of participation, gold medals and photo CD's for 12U comp
- Skills Workshop – Throwing Clinic (March)
- Talent Squad Juniors – new group now training twice per week for strong 12U & 14U
- Child Protection – child safe guidelines for car-pooling etc to clubs and parents
- Plan and promote interstate exchange for 14U/16U with VIC club for all interested SAWPI members



LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

- NCAS Level 1 Referee Course, Oct 2010 (30 attendees)
- Mentor junior coaches (from all 4 clubs) during Smart Start pilot program
- Mentor junior referees during Smart Star pilot program

- Assign junior coaches to 12U school/club teams in need

LINKS TO ELITE SASI PROGRAM

- Counsel TS athletes re SASI application – 4 make the move up to SASI

PLANS 2011 / 2012

- Continue activities per 2010/11 and:-
- Re-instate and grow new 12U Smart Start program when pool space becomes available at SAALC and AAC
- Promote 12U comp during Term 2, 2011
- Strengthen school/club links with 12U teams
- Support clubs to run Life Be In It 12U Come and Try during Term 3, 2011
- Expand 12U comp during Terms 4 and 1
- Look to link water polo with DECS lesson program
- Investigate shallow pool space option at SAALC for Flippa Ball 10U program
- Recruit more high school aged athletes with particular focus on southern suburbs close to SAALC
- Recruit more schools to High School competition with particular focus on southern suburb schools close to new SAALC facility

SAWPI Talent Squad Coach Activity Report 2010 / 2011

SAWPI Talent Squad exists to form a bridge between club level and elite water polo in SA. Formerly known as the Development Group the name was changed to keep it a distinct entity separate from the Development Officer's role.

Athletes train with the Talent Squad to improve performance at local club comps, to prepare for National Championships and as a lead up to SASI participation. Three current AUS squad members were selected from this program in 2010 and have subsequently moved to SASI.

In Jan 2011 the SAWPI Talent Squad was divided into 2 distinct groups

- Junior Talent Squad (12U / 14U) training 2 x per week
- Senior Talent Squad (16U / 18U / 20U / senior) training 3x or more per week
 - Senior Talent Squad shared some sessions with Jets during Terms 4 and 1

PLAN AND COACH

12U/14U: Junior Talent Squad = 4.0 hours per week

16U / 18U / 20U/ Jets: Senior Talent Squad = 6 – 10 hours per week

COACH NATIONAL COMPS / NL

16U Adelaide United Women 2010 HBA 28 Sep-3 Oct

18U Women 2011 BNE 26 Apr-1 May

20U Women 2011 PER 18-23 Jan

National League 2011 Feb – April 2011

ATHLETE AND COACH RECRUITMENT

Calls for interest, follow-up with clubs, schools and individuals to identify athletes and coaches for National and interstate competitions.

ASSIST, MENTOR AND SUPPORT OTHER COACHES AND MANAGERS

14U Club comp – boys and girls (Damon Maslen, Carolyn Symons)

East Coast Challenge – girls (Carolyn Symons)

16U boys 2011 (Tony Hall)

Formalisation of official SAWPI 'Adelaide United' teams and uniforms for club champs

SA/VIC TALENT ID CAMP FOR AUS '94 ('95/'96) 25 -27 MARCH 2011

Plan and implement a 3 day girls' camp. Guest coach Aleks Osadchuk, AUS Youth women coach.
A camp for boys was intended but fell through as a result of lack of interest from VIC.

SPECIALTY SKILLS CLINIC 20 MARCH 2011

Plan, implement and deliver (guest coach failed to appear) a throwing clinic

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Application for RPL 'Senior Club Coach' (accepted: NCAS ID# WP0562)

Assistant coach to AUS '94 women at Pan Pac's July 2010

Assistant coach to AUS '94 women at Brisbane training camp May 2011

Application to National Coaching Scholarship Program (NCSP): accepted 22 June 2011

ATTENDANCE AND INVOICING

Monthly Smart Start and Talent Squad attendance reports to SAWPI for training fee invoicing

4.3 Major Events

There were no major Water Polo events in Adelaide since our last report. The next major event is the 20&U National Championships in January 2012 at the new SA Aquatic and Leisure Centre.

4.4 Finance and Membership

Finance an area where SAWPI has continued to struggle during 2010/2011. Last year in our Annual Report it was stated the *"Our Finance function needs improvement to ensure the Finance Director and Board are provided with accurate and up to date information"*. While this situation was not fully corrected during the year SAWPI is now in a position that each Board meeting will have full financial statements available prior to Board meetings.

The loss making position of SAWPI is receiving critical focus by the Board.

4.5 Volunteers and Officials

SAWPI is a member of Volunteers SA. Volunteers SA has provided support for National League and the World League functions.

4.6 Communication and Marketing

The SAWPI web site continues to provide excellent updates to our Water Polo community.

Sporting Pulse has been kept up to date on a continual basis.

However, there has been a lack of people to support these activities.

4.7 Constitution and Governance

An important area that SAWPI has been focused on in the last 12 months has been Child Protection and Complaints. Thankfully, SAWPI Board member Maritza Manojlovic has worked very hard to ensure is SAWPI is compliant with the legal requirements for Child Protection. Maritza has also developed systems for SAWPI to ensure SAWPI can handle complaints in an improved manner. The following text is a summary provided by Maritza of what has been happening.

SAWPI has committed to being a responsive and responsible organization, as required by the recent changes to the *Children's Protection Act 1993*. This requires sport and recreation organisations that provide services 'wholly or partly' for children in South Australia to establish policies and procedures to safeguard and protect children. Recent changes to the *Children's Protection Act 1993* extend the steps organisations must take to help protect the children in their care. Information regarding this and recent changes to the Child Protection Act (1993) which impact on Sport and Recreation are available on the website <http://www.recsport.sa.gov.au/training-support/CPSE-Strategies.html>

This has resulted in updates occurring in the area of Child Safe Environments, Child Protection and Complaint Management systems. SAWPI on behalf of its clubs has successfully lodged a compliance statement outlining their child safe environment policies and procedures with the Department for Families and Communities (DFC).

This sets out the minimum requirements an organisation must meet to demonstrate that it has in place appropriate policies and procedures to establish and maintain a child safe environment. The establishment of child safe environments is recognized as an important ongoing process, and SAWPI will continue to work on meeting all the standards by ensuring their policy framework meets the requirements set by the Department for Families and Communities.

Current strategies and improvements:

- All clubs in process of having at least one representative to be trained as a Child Safe Officer through the Office for Recreation and Sport.
- Clubs have produced a child safe car /transport policy to be used when car pooling.
- Regular member communication/advertising re child protection reminders and information.
- Updating of all recruitment & appropriate screening process to meet child protection requirements.
- Distribution of latest Keeping Children Safe Booklet
- Instigation of a system of regular Police Checks for all required SAWPI staff/volunteers within the next 12 months.
- New Complaints Management Process and forms.

SAWPI believes that these above improvements, will not only raise awareness in the critical areas of Child Protection, but act as a statement about a positive organizational culture change. It will serve as a protection for members if issues of concern are raised, and also act towards preventing and limiting these sort of issues in the future.

SAWPI will continue to be proactive in ensuring the most optimal and appropriate environment and protection for all its members, families and volunteers, by updating and monitoring the progress of these issues in all monthly Board and planning meetings.

Maritza Manojlovic
Chairperson Eastern Saints
SAWPI Board Member
August 2011

5 State Swim Centres

This is a new section of the annual report. This section has been added to document the challenges SAWPI faces with the opening of the new South Australian Aquatic and Leisure Centre at Marion and the proposed changes for the Adelaide Aquatic Centre.

The South Australian Aquatic and Leisure Centre presents SAWPI a short term challenge due to the location of existing members. In the medium term the location provides SAWPI with an opportunity of membership in new areas of Adelaide.

The Adelaide Aquatic Centre presents SAWPI with an immediate challenge due to commercial pool hire costs. In the longer term the AAC is heading towards activities that bring the best commercial return. Water Polo is not viewed as one of those activities.

5.1 SAWPI Strategy Session.

Meeting held March 8, 2011 at AAC.

Chairperson: Jon Harmer

Present: Mark Dayman, Rosemary White, Maritza Manojlovic, Terril Ashton, John Medcalf, Kathy Sangster, Jane Horsnell, Derek Seret

Each quadrant of the SWOT analysis was brainstormed for 10 minutes, before some collation and grouping of themes before selecting top issues. Top issues from each quadrant of SWOT analysis collated and each member voted for top three issues. Each person's votes were weighted with 3 points for first vote, 2 points for second vote and 1 point for third vote. Total scores for each of the top issues are listed below:

- 15 Marion, New feeder region South
- 15 Divisions in SAWPI
- 6 Loss of AAC, Loss of membership due to move
- 3 Dev Program U14+
- 3 Insolvency
- 3 Lack of personnel, Succession plan
- 0 Fun, Olympic Sport, Intriguing, Unique, Attractive sport
- 0 Career pathway program, 4 club competition
- 0 AAC uncertainty, losing facilities
- 0 Struggling clubs/SAWPI
- 0 Sponsorship
- 0 Collaboration

The next steps are for these priorities to be addressed as part of the key result areas and compiled as part of the strategic plan to then be implemented through the development of the operational plan.

Strengths	Weaknesses
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ AWPI Resource ✓ SASI ✓ ORS ✓ Some procedures in place ✓ Active DO ✓ Growing junior numbers ✓ Existing central pool ✓ New Pool ✓ Smooth CEO ✓ Committed SAWPI Board ✓ Small Organisation ✓ Fun ✓ Olympic Sport ✓ Intriguing, Unique, Attractive sport ✓ Safe and Injury free ✓ All genders ✓ All ages ✓ Sponsorship ✓ School alignment ✓ School teams ✓ Club and state ✓ Travel ✓ Gov Funding ✓ Cheaper than.. ✓ NL team ✓ Career pathway program ✓ 4 club competition 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Small organisation ➤ Not growing ➤ Lack of marketing ➤ Small volunteer pool ➤ Struggling clubs/SAWPI ➤ Lack of paid resources ➤ Low dollars ➤ Governance structure not fit for purpose ➤ Disorganised ➤ Codes of Conduct not enforced ➤ Poor communication ➤ Divisions in SAWPI ➤ Tritons vs Vikings ➤ Grudges interpersonal ➤ Nepotism ➤ Too club focused ➤ Issues regarding implementation of school alignment ➤ Too parochial, need big picture ➤ AAC uncertainty, losing facilities ➤ Imbalanced player numbers over gender
Opportunities	Threats
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Website improvement ✓ Sponsorship ✓ Marketing ✓ Fine tune value proposition ✓ Key people to key tasks ✓ Shared equipment ✓ Collaboration ✓ Align with swim programs ✓ Shared expertise and facilities ✓ Reduce duplication of policies ✓ Merging ✓ Partner better with VIC ✓ Regional Polo ✓ State (Adl United) teams to Club Nationals ✓ Dev Program U14+ ✓ Marion ✓ New feeder region South 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Loss of funding ➤ Insolvency ➤ Jets fold ➤ Club folding ➤ AWPI not support SASI ➤ SASI drop water polo ➤ Duty of care ➤ Liability ➤ Lack of personnel ➤ Lack of Officials ➤ Parent burn out overlap program ➤ Lack of coaches ➤ Succession plan ➤ Loss of membership due to move ➤ Loss of AAC

5.2 Submission to Adelaide Aquatic Centre.

Why it is ESSENTIAL to maintain the Sport of Water Polo at the Adelaide Aquatic Center.

Introduction

The sport of Water Polo has had a close and successful association with the management and operation of the Adelaide Aquatic Center.

As the ONLY facility in which to play Water Polo to FINA standards in South Australia, the AAC and SAWPI have a mutually beneficial link for many years. The AAC has been essential for the development survival of Water Polo in this state. The sport of Water Polo attracts new members and families to the AAC with significant revenue raised by the AAC by this ever growing and popular sport. Since its opening in 1969 the AAC has hosted Water Polo at schools, club, national and most recently at the international level, with the FINA World League Oceania Qualification Event being held in 2009. This is a world class event and the fact that it was so successfully hosted in Adelaide is acknowledgement to the fact that the AAC is a world standard Water Polo facility.

Whilst detractors of the Adelaide Aquatic facility are quick to point out that the AAC is not suitable for FINA standard swimming, the fact remains that it is an excellent FINA standard Water Polo venue. Therefore it becomes even more critical, that South Australian Water Polo is able to maintain this breadth of facility, enabling it to be equal to and competitive with other Australian states who are not in the position of having to lose quality facilities

Current structure of Water Polo in Adelaide.

Water Polo is an actively growing sport in South Australia which currently consists of -

- 4 clubs comprising a total of 300 members. These clubs have teams in 12 & Under, 14 & Under, 16 & Under, B Grade Men, B Grade Women, A Grade Men and A Grade Women.
- An independent Masters Water Polo group.
- A Schoolboys & Schoolgirls competition consisting of 30 schools with a total of 720 members.
- SAWPI Talent Squads.
- SAWPI Smart Start Squads.
- A SASI Water Polo group.
- National League Teams
- Junior State Representative Teams 12,14,16,18 & 20 & Under Teams.

Current Use of AAC for Water Polo.

Clubs - 3 of the 4 clubs use the AAC as their training base, with the Eastern Saints WPC using St. Peters College pool. All SA Water Polo club games are held at the AAC with the exception of the B Men's grade and 16 & Under boy's grades which are held at St Peters due to a lack of remaining pool space at AAC.

Masters – The Masters Water Polo group play games at the AAC on Monday nights 7.30 – 9pm

Schools Competition - Games for the senior school grades are held at the AAC on Thursday and Friday nights respectively, with younger grades playing at Magill, Payneham, Pembroke and St Peters due to lack of space at AAC. School teams fill the 3.45 – 5pm timeslot at AAC for training on Mon – Wed, with games at that time on Thursday & Friday as mentioned.

SAWPI Talent Squads – SAWPI Talent Squads serve to provide quality coaching that bridges the gap between SAWPI club training and SAS training. These groups are limited in the sessions given by pool space limitations at AAC. **

SAWPI Smart Start Squads – SAWPI Smart Start is a re badged come & try program to introduce new players to Water Polo. It is held for 1 ½ hrs on Sunday morning. Further sessions are not available due to limitations with pools space. **

South Australian Sports Institute -The other principal user group at AAC is the SASI Water Polo program. SASI use the AAC as their sole training base 4 mornings a week and 2 nights.

National League Teams- National League teams train at AAC 2 mornings a week and 1 night and once at St Peters due to lack of pool space.**

Junior State Teams - Junior State Teams train at AAC on an annual rotation in preparation for forthcoming National Championships.**

** Denotes when Water Polo use is restricted by current lack of pool space at AAC.

NB – A recent survey of the SA Water Polo membership established that 85% of SAWPI’s demographic live within 5kms of the AAC.

Anticipated Water Polo Use at Marion.

The SAC facility at Marion by virtue of its design and pool space allocation will cater primarily for the elite component within the Adelaide Water Polo population as follows.

- SASI Training
- National League games & training
- A Grade Games.
- Interstate competitions.
- International competitions.
- + A western suburbs Water Polo Club (Henley WPC.)

Anticipated Water Polo Use at AAC with Marion in use.

Current indications are that Water Polo has a relatively small allocation of pool space at Marion. This, together with the conviction of our current membership that they will not travel to Marion to pursue playing club Water Polo, makes it vitally important for SAWPI to maintain a presence at the AAC. For the benefit of our current demographic we would anticipate the following use at AAC if available.

- Club 12,14,16 & Under games.
- All club B Men & B Women’s games.*
- Current Masters group retained.*
- Current schools groups retained. *

In the cases marked * it is hoped that Development of the SAWPI membership base will allow a competition involving club, masters and school’s teams players in the South Western region adjacent Marion, to expand playing numbers and reflect a total membership structures interstate where greater breadth of facilities exist. It may create the opportunity for home & away games between participants in the north & south at their respective home pools, as is commonplace in all other states around Australia.

The reality is that unless SAWPI is able to maintain a strong and viable presence at AAC for its 85 % of local membership, the sport is at serious risk of losing the majority of its membership.

By maintaining a presence at the AAC, we could ensure that SAWPI was able to provide adequate value for membership, and encourage current families to stay and support their sport, at their local aquatic centre.

In time, it is hoped that with the AAC facility continuing to be made available for Water Polo, our sport will grow in the southern region whilst maintaining its membership adjacent the AAC. I have no doubt that if the AAC facility is compromised that Water Polo's current demographic will shrink significantly in the short term, to possibly reboot to a similar size in the South West adjacent Marion in a few years.

For our sport this would mean that the new SAC at Marion adds little value to the current status of Water Polo within Adelaide and for the many current members who are not elite athletes, they will be denied a community based activity that they have been provided via their schools and clubs for many years.

Summary.

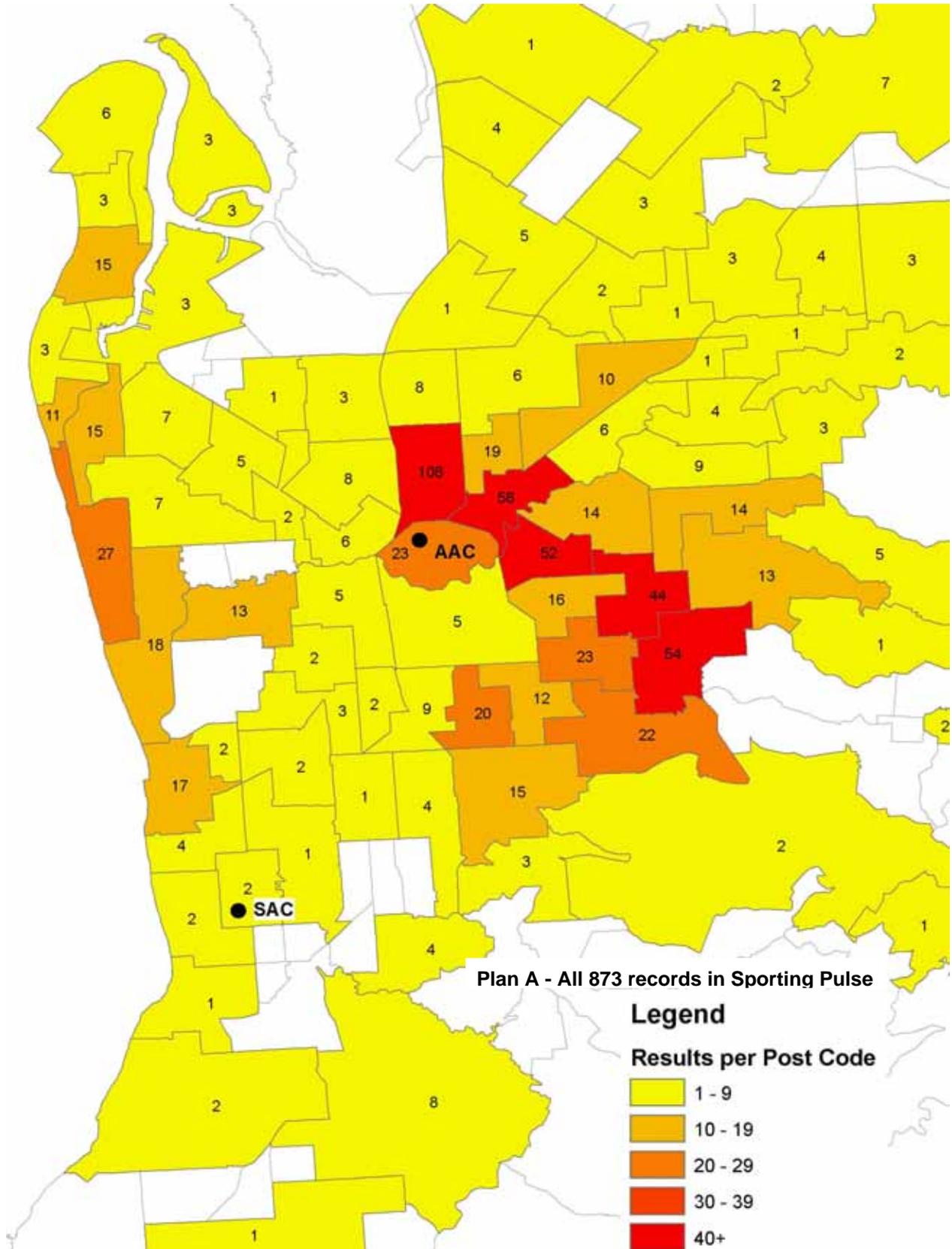
SAWPI is excited by the opportunity of additional world class facilities being created at Marion, and we acknowledge it will provide opportunities for growth in those new southern areas. Our grave concern is that if this equates to the need to cease or severely limit water polo access at ACC, it would mean that the new SAC at Marion adds little value to the current status of Water Polo within Adelaide. And unfortunately, the reality would mean that for the many current members who are not elite athletes, they will be denied a community based activity that they have been provided via their schools and clubs for many years.

SAWPI has no doubt that if the AAC facility is compromised that Water Polo's current demographic will shrink significantly in the short term, resulting in a serious fall in membership, that would be lost to SA water polo in the future. In time, it is hoped that with the AAC facility continuing to be made available for Water Polo, our sport will grow in the southern region whilst maintaining its membership adjacent the AAC., to possibly reboot to a similar size in the South West adjacent Marion in a few years.

In conclusion, SAWPI has worked hard in the eastern area to establish a developing, thriving and successful Water Polo population, who are excellent consumers of the ACC. Together with hard working local clubs and the recent recruitment of a Part Time Development Officer; we have turned a corner in the growth of our sport. All we are asking, is to allow us to continue this work, by not compromising our access to our local water polo facility, and allow the surrounding community to enjoy and participate in the sport, as they have done successfully for the past 42 years.

SAWPI CEO Jon Harmer

5.3 Location of our Members.



6 Finance Report

6.1 Overview

Our Finance operations have continued to recover with the correct skills on the work. Very recently our books came to a position where we are now confident on their accuracy and quality of information. The Board's attention has been sought to ensure finance is front of mind.

During this year SAWPI purchased a new laptop, finance and office software to ensure better facilities for completion of our accounting function. We have continued to revise the Chart of Accounts and specific financial reporting on our major projects is underway.

Last year we implemented a number of changes in an attempt to bring the books back into balance. The changes included full cost recovery for state team, only 13 people travelling in Jets teams and an increase in the Jets player levy.

The key point is that financial loss must stop immediately. SAWPI can not sustain any further losses.

It is important to note the financial position reported in the 2011 accounts will deteriorate once a full assessment of bad debt provisions is completed. Currently we are showing a provision of \$4,239.08. This provision will increase significantly following this assessment.

In the financial year 2012 we are setting a budget surplus of \$10,000 to shore up our finances. This will be achieved by increased sponsorship, fund raising, reduction in payments for referees, the overall position of costs recovery for development squads, increased charges to Jets players for flight changes, banning of contra deals for coaching and full financial information available for every Board meetings. Board meeting will be deferred if finance information is not distributed with the agenda.

6.2 Government Grant

SAWPI has been successful in receiving gaining new grants for the next 2 years. These amounts were Core business \$33,000 including gst. Development operations \$33,000 including gst.

Our existing round of Government grants complete 30th June 2012.

Summarising the "existing" grants that have just completed:-

Purpose – Core Business	\$33,000.00	Annually for 2 years;
Purpose - Development Operations	\$33,000.00	Annually for 2 years

6.3 Membership Revenue

Membership revenue continues to be a major source of income. From this income, SAWPI pay capitation and insurance levy to AWPI. Membership numbers and revenue in 2010-11 decreased by 10 and our income was down by 7%

A new category of membership has been introduced by AWPI in 2010-11 to specifically allow "come and try" players. This will assist our Clubs to bring on new members.

6.4 Auditor's Report

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

TO THE MEMBERS OF SOUTH AUSTRALIAN WATER POLO INC.

Independence

In conducting my audit, I have complied with the independence requirements of the Institute of Chartered Accountants.

Qualification

I was unable to verify the Total Property & Equipment of \$18,228.82, in the Balance Sheet.

Auditor's Opinion

Subject to the above qualification in my opinion, the financial report presents a true and fair view of the financial position of SA Water Polo Incorporated as of 30 June 2011 and of its financial performance for the year then ended in accordance with the accounting policies described in Note 1 to the financial statements.



IAN G McDONALD FCA
REGISTERED COMPANY AUDITOR

DATED at EASTWOOD this 16 day of January 2012

IAN G McDONALD FCA
ABN: 13 550 494 869



**Chartered
Accountant**

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

TO THE MEMBERS OF SOUTH AUSTRALIAN WATER POLO INC.

Report on the Financial Report

I have audited the accompanying financial report, being a special purpose financial report, of South Australian Water Polo Incorporated which comprises the balance sheet as at 30 June 2011, and the income statement, for the year then ended.

The Responsibility of Board of Management for the Financial Report

The board of management of the entity are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report and have determined that the accounting policies described in Note 1 to the financial statements which form part of the financial report are appropriate to meet the financial reporting requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act and are appropriate to meet the needs of the members. The board of management responsibility also includes designing, implementing and maintaining internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error; selecting and applying appropriate accounting policies; and making accounting estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances.

Auditor's Responsibility

My responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial report based on my audit. No opinion is expressed as to whether the accounting policies used, as described in Note 1, are appropriate to meet the needs of the members. I have conducted my audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. These Auditing Standards require that I comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial report is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial report. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial report in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the board of management as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial report.

The financial report has been prepared for distribution to members for the purpose of fulfilling the financial reporting requirements under the Association Incorporation Act. I disclaim any assumption of responsibility for any reliance on this report or on the financial report to which it relates to any person other than the members, or for any purpose other than that for which it was prepared.

I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my audit opinion.

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STATEMENT AND REPORT BY THE COMMITTEE
TO THE MEMBERS OF
SOUTH AUSTRALIAN WATER POLO INC.

The attached financial statements of South Australian Water Polo Inc. for the year ended 30 June 2011 are, in our opinion properly drawn up:

- (a) so as to present fairly the financial position of the Association as at 30 June 2011 and the results of its operations for the year then ended, and;
- (b) in accordance with the provisions of the Association rules, and;
- (c) in accordance with applicable Australian Accounting Standards.

As at the date of this statement, there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Association will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due.

During the financial year no;

- (a) officers of the Association,
- (b) firms of which an officer is a member,
- (c) corporation in which an officer has a substantial financial interest,

have received or become entitled to receive a benefit as a result of a contract between the officer, firm or corporation and the Association.

During the financial year the following officers received payments or benefits of pecuniary value as follows;

Nil

Signed according to a resolution of the Committee.


Chairperson


Committee Member

DATED at 19 this 19th day of December 2011

South Australian Water Polo Inc
PROFIT AND LOSS STATEMENT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE 2011

	2009	2010	2011
REVENUE			
Grants			

Grants – State Government, ORS	5,427.27	50,000.00	60,000.00
Grants Other (World League)	16,500.00		
Operating Income			
Bank Interest	27.97	19.00	23.09
Club Affiliations & Team Registrations	5165.22	2,763.63	3,735.46
Donations	500.00		
Fundraising	434.64	2,225.15	1,221.64
Sales – Event Tickets	19,782.72	8,979.96	6,237.73
Sales – Publications & Balls	180.00	909.09	
SASI Pool Hours			5,709.09
Registrations	35,809.54	34,898.33	32,479.60
Development			
Training & Development – Coaching			90.91
Training & Development – Refereeing	900.00		
Talent or Development Squad	23,289.38	18,740.05	18,786.42
Accreditation Courses			3,080.46
National Competition			
Accommodation Levy	36,214.96	25,572.58	31,249.62
Airfare	36,006.55	25,872.89	28,065.12
Uniform Levy	1,131.27	3,448.22	12,667.06
Administration Levy	1,743.92	1,468.66	1,677.27
National League - Jets Player Levy	44,683.02	43,207.98	36,177.35
Player Levy	4,026.05		17,870.34
Travel Levy/Car Hire	12,681.17	10,267.77	10,422.88
Sundry Income	5,941.82		
20&U Competition	-0.02	954.82	
Other Revenue			
Refereeing Income Schools Competitions	2,072.73	4,843.64	2,120.00
Extraordinary Income			1,350.91
Sponsorship	25,818.18	16,454.55	22,485.81
Sundry Revenue		243.79	75.00
TOTAL REVENUE	278,336.39	250,870.11	295,525.76
LESS EXPENSES			
Operating Expenses			
Advertising	1,919.29		55.00
Affiliations	154.09	255.00	314.09
Audit Fees	752.73	800.00	727.27

Bank Charges/Fees	157.00	381.12	190.98
Bad Debts & Prior Period Adjustments		775.11	4,239.08
Books & Publications	218.18		140.00
Catering	187.95	1,276.16	
Communications			
Consumables			
Entertainment	133.63	113.64	
Room Hire	4,549.31	310.91	417.51
Exhibition & Promotional		72.27	
Insurance – Director’s		389.11	389.11
Legal fees	287.50	199.09	
Medical Expenses	23.18		
Meeting/Conference	136.36		
Offices Supplies	330.31	501.38	281.79
Pool Hire	28,898.91	14,123.27	22,878.17
Postage	279.53	412.41	471.04
Presentation dinner			
Printing & Publishing	745.70	52.36	316.42
Repairs & Maintenance			
Refunds/Reimbursement	3,902.60	1,617.22	
Sundry Expenses	205.00		
Telephone			100.80
Trophies	1,438.37	552.91	1033.18
Uniforms	4,207.55	7,572.60	14,525.51
Membership			
Capitation & Insurance	19,556.60	11,714.19	12,873.40
4 th Club Expenses		2,500.00	
Honoraria & Contracts			
Admin / Finance Officer	10,482.85	12,500.50	10,888.50
Competition Manager			
Development Officer			5,800.00
Wages and Salaries	1,680.05		
Referee payments	1,974.55	9,799.10	5,035.00
Chief Executive Officer	44,085.09	45,072.90	44,155.98
Information Technology			
Consumables	949.09		
Minor Hardware			655.45
Minor Software	375.45		311.32
Internet Charges	243.23		44.55
Development			
Coaching payments	10,727.73	14,760.00	12,087.50
Training & Development – Coaching	480.00		294.55

Training & Development – Referee			1,462.37
Training & Development – Officials			
Special Projects			
SASI Program – Coach	9,000.00	9,000.00	9,000.00
School Program – Coaching			
School Program – Refereeing			
National Competitions			
National League Fee	29,560.00	32,000.00	31,168.00
State Team Registration	4,090.91	2,431.82	4,431.82
Travel & Accommodation			
Accommodation	60,002.74	36,582.72	54,981.07
Airfare	49,050.59	52,200.34	48,381.81
Motor Vehicle			
Car Rentals		6,108.06	15,732.63
Petrol	1,715.73	1,536.02	1,493.55
Taxi fares	151.48	27.28	
Motor Vehicle Sundry Expense		1,265.56	544.91
TOTAL EXPENSE	292,653.28	266,903.05	305,422.36
Net Profit / (Loss)	-14,316.89	-16,032.94	-9,896.60



South Australian Water Polo Inc
BALANCE SHEET
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE 2011

	2009	2010	2011
CURRENT ASSETS			
General Account – ACCU 252838	29,226.03	10,125.72	-4,407.27
State Team Account – ACCU 252888	8,043.23	1,639.37	2,487.98
Petty Cash	-122.79	61.29	-47.20
Accounts Receivable	69,350.64	55,443.96	59,452.17
Pre-paid Grant, ORS		3,000.00	3,000.00
Pre-paid MSAC Re Jets			1,154.78
Uniform Stock At Cost			1,159.50
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	<u>106,497.11</u>	<u>70,270.34</u>	<u>62,799.96</u>
NON-CURRENT ASSETS			
Property, Plant and Equipment	18,228.82	18,228.82	18,228.82
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS	<u>18,228.82</u>	<u>18,228.82</u>	<u>18,228.82</u>
Current Liabilities			
Accounts Payable	56,673.19	36,339.32	37,093.94
GST Payable	2,319.46	868.96	2,540.56
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	<u>58,992.65</u>	<u>37,208.28</u>	<u>39,634.50</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES	<u>58,992.65</u>	<u>37,208.28</u>	<u>39,634.50</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>65,733.28</u>	<u>88,499.16</u>	<u>81,028.78</u>
TOTAL MEMBERS' FUNDS	<u>65,733.28</u>	<u>51,290.88</u>	<u>41,394.28</u>

Fixed Assets

Date Purchased	Description	Quantity	Amount
28/07/97	Anti Wave Goals	2	3,350.00
21/12/98	Timing equipment	1	2,725.00
30/12/98	Digital Camera	1	499.00
07/07/99	3 Burner Barbecue	1	200.00
13/10/99	Storage Bin	1	64.00
03/02/00	Folding Goals	2	2,545.00
05/03/01	SAWPI Banner	1	159.50
15/06/01	Storage Bin	1	52.50
10/01/04	Storage Cabinet	1	323.64
15/05/04	Computer System	1	3,018.18
08/10/05	Fax Machine	1	599.00
20/12/07	Scoreboard	1	4,692.80
	TOTAL		<u>18,228.62</u>

7 State Representative Teams

7.1 14 & Under Girls National Club Championships

Venue - Canberra, Australian Capital Territory, April 22-26 2011

GIRLS

NAME	CLUB
Georgina Symons	Tritons Captain
Millie Emery	Tritons
Lauren McGrechan	Tritons
Sophie Bach	Tritons
Claire Brus	Tritons
Georgia Paull	Tritons
Alexandra McTaggart	Tritons
Georgia Chamberlayne	Tritons
Georgina Procter	Eastern Saints
Rachael Carroll	Eastern Saints
Sophie Hall	Tritons
Tess Hannah	Queensland- Draft

COACH Carolyn Symons

MANAGER Sharron Hall

Results

Brisbane Barracudas	Loss 14 - 3
Dolphins White	Loss 21 - 0
Drummoyne	Loss 25 - 0
Ovens and Murray	Loss 17 - 3
Playoff Essendon	Loss 13-3
Play off Balmain Tigers	Loss 5 - 6

Placing 21st out of 21

Highest Goal Scorer Lauren McGrechan 5 in 6 games

The girl's team consisted of 5 who had played at last year's East Coast Challenge, with the remainder being new to the sport, some never having played a competition. With this in mind, the girl's did very well, with players recording personal bests.

The girls began very nervously but enthusiastically probably too much! We had a few issues in camp, and of course a very stressing last game, with Balmain drafting a player. These two teams were well matched in the end with the final score being a draw. We then went into extra time which still left us in a draw, resulting in the Golden Goal Rule. Unfortunately none of our three goals were successful, being ably intercepted by the draft. Their win was very quite and they didn't celebrate. In our eyes we had a great game that would have resulted in our first win.

The role of Goalkeeper was jointly shared between Georgina Symons and Georgia Paull, with breaks given to them by Millie Emery, Georgina Procter and Sophie Bach.

7.2 14 & Under East Coast Challenge

Venue - Brisbane, Queensland, July 2-4 2011

*No boy's team was entered into this competition

GIRLS

NAME	CLUB
Georgina Symons	Tritons Captain
Anna Wilkinson	Tritons Vice Captain
Lauren McGrechan	Tritons
Sophie Bach	Tritons
Kate Landers	Tritons
Georgia Paull	Tritons
Alexandra Mc Taggart	Tritons
Malika Yunus	Vikings
Georgina Procter	Eastern Saints
Rachael Carroll	Eastern Saints
Kaitlin Tuite	Queensland- Draft
Tess Hannah	Queensland- Draft

COACH	Carolyn Symons
MANAGER	Melinda Paull

Results

Victoria	Loss 0 - 19
Queensland White	Loss 0 - 22
Queensland Maroon	Loss 2 - 17
	G Symons & T Hannah
NSW Blues	Loss 0 - 23
NSW Waratahs	Loss 1 - 20
	S Bach
Queensland White	Loss 1 - 18G Symons
Placing 6 th out of 6	

The 14U girl's trip began with a fun time at Dreamworld, where the girls were able to relax, before the buildup of the tournament. Gina Fabian (QLD) was supportive and helped provide a ref for us for \$200.

The aggressiveness of Victoria took the girls by surprise, but by the third game they were working as a team and learning each others' strengths. We were able to score, and unfortunately had two hard earned goals taken off, the last due to time called by the table and overriding the umpires.

Unfortunately we were out swum and tackled on the second day and struggled to get the ball into our attack zone. Our defensive play was outstanding, as was extra man down. The girls shared goal keeping, with Gi spending most of the game in goals followed by Gigi.

Our final didn't reflect the hard work the girls put in. Our defense was brilliant keeping the opposition to 11 at half time. The focus of keeping them under 20 was achieved, along with scoring ourselves. It was great that teams were barracking for us during games, but some side remarks in the pool were disappointing.

It is a tough but great experience, as it shows the girls the standard they have to achieve. It maintains female competition for us and understanding different tactics needed, as we are unable to compete as such at home. Outstanding players were Gigi, Anna and Lauren with a fine effort from Gi in goals. The girls where just wonderful and well behaved, making it enjoyable for us.

7.3 16 & Under National Championships

Venue - Brisbane, Queensland, 29 Sept- 4 Oct 2009

BOYS - ADELAIDE JETS				GIRLS - ADELAIDE UNITED			
PLAYERS	CLUB			PLAYERS	CLUB		
Daniel Hall (c)	Triton			Chloe Barr	Tritons		
Sam Huis t en Veld	Eastern Saints			Belinda Symons	Tritons		
Nick Jordan	Tritons			Lucinda Swan	Tritons		
Andrew Smith	Tritons			Paige Mortimer	Tritons		
Thomas Birnie (g)	Tritons			Stephanie Inat	Tritons		
Liam McHugh	Tritons			Ashlee Othen	Tritons		
Alex Richardson	Tritons			Gabriella Morris Tester	Tritons		
Lachlan Hedges	Tritons			Stephanie Copson	Tritons		
Harry Gibbs	Henley			Alex Procter	Eastern Saints		
George Laparidis	Tritons			Chelsea Allen	Tritons		
John McMichael	Eastern Saints			Adriana Forte	Tritons		
Michael Carter	Tritons			Alisa Ahmed	Tritons		
Kaden Huynh	Henley			Catherine O'Sullivan	Eastern Saints		
Coach: Tony Hall				Hanna Mitchener (G)	Tritons		
Manager: Jan Huis t en Veld				Coach: Terril Ashton			
Results - Boys				Results - Girls			
Sydney Wests White	13-10	Win		UNSW Killerwhales Black	10-10	Draw	
Hunter Hurricanes	18-5	Loss		Sunshine Coast	8-9	Loss	
Melville Sharks	24-2	Loss		Sydney Nthn Beaches Blue	21-2	Loss	
Richmond	11-7	Win		Sydney University	22-5	Win	
Sydney Wests Black	13-4	Loss		Triton	12-7	Win	
Cronulla Black	13-8	Won		Drummoyne Red	13-3	Loss	
Dolphins (9-12 Classification)	10-4	Loss		KFC Breakers	10-12	Loss	
Melville Saints (11&12 Play off)	13-9	Loss		Melville Saints	12-6	Win	
Placing	12th of 20			Placing	13th of 24		
Highest Scorers	Lachlan Cameron 19/6games			Highest Scorers	Chloe Barr: 28/9games		

16&U Adelaide United Boys Report

Tasmania hosted the national 16 and under water polo championships for 2010 in one complex consisting 20 boys teams and 24 girls teams. This formidable task was well run within a tight schedule with little warm up pool time available to the teams. The pool side temperature was very warm (36deg) unlike the outdoor conditions reaching a chilling minus 2 degrees over night.

The games were played in 23 metre long pitches enabling high skill level games during group and playoff games, semi final and final games were played in full size 30 metre pitches.

Adelaide United completed well against mid to low teams with Dan Hall standout with 19 goals in 6 games until illness prematurely ended his tournament. Also playing admirably was Sam Hui t en Veld and Tom Birnie who to the latter agreed late in the day to take up the position in goals, who made a lasting impression. The team continued to perform through to play offs with the same focus and determination built on with team spirit and perseverance as shown in their games against physically and more experienced counterparts.

A special thanks to Jan Huis t en Veld who agreed to manage the team. His efforts and time for the boys were well appreciated. Without continued support from parents like Jan, these opportunities for our junior athletes to participate at national events would not happen. I would also like to thank Jason Wedding for being our referee representative and helping hand on the table.

Tritons water polo club underwrote this trip for the team, with their support and the hard work Carol Barr took in administrating the team, we were able to offer boys a memorable trip built on resourcefulness and unification.

It was apparent from the teams represented at nationals that clubs were entering 2 teams, one top age and one developmental with the following year in mind. 2011's national has increased in numbers with more clubs/associations applying the same trait. I have tried in vain to promote 2 teams for nationals for u16 boys in 2011, a predominately strong age group.

As a state we need to continue to improve our club relations within development unite and formulate sessions for all to improve and compete both locally and nationally. Northern and southern divisions can be and should be brokered within junior development squads linked to a truly state squad once fortnightly. More can be achieved with better publicity and parent involvement. Senior water polo players are a major resource we don't utilise enough with whom most junior players rank as IDOLS.

Thanks to everyone who as supported me this year.

Tony Hall

16&U Adelaide United Girls Report

A combined team of 14 girls made up from Tritons and Eastern Saints represented Adelaide United team.

The accommodation we utilised was very close to all amenities. Time spent travelling to & from the pool was 10-15 minutes even at peak hour.

Problems arose due to Terril taking ill. A very big thank you firstly to the parents who, when called upon, were more than willing to help transport the girls to the pool.

A second very big thank you has to go to Shaun Baker who was willing to step in as a substitute coach. The girls all said they enjoyed his coaching style and would like to have the opportunity to be coached by him again in the future.

A big thank you needs to go to Peter Hobday for allowing us to change coaches on the day.

Suggestions for future trips

1. Try to get a parent who is going away as a spectator to be named as a standby driver before the team leaves.
2. Have the coach on Boys team sheet as assistant coach on Girls team sheet and visa versa. (This may not work if the teams are playing at different pools.) This way either coach can legally step

in as a substitute if one falls ill. (Coaches names must appear on the team sheets is a competition rule.)

3. Due to a very tight schedule and physio appointments the girls were not able to do much sightseeing which left girls and parents disappointed. (Injured girls who need ongoing treatment may not get much playing time. This makes the trip a very expensive for the parents).
4. Parents of players who are fringe players need to be made aware of the possibility that they may not get much water time. (This will help to keep all things harmonious).

Adelaide United Girls did South Australia proud, finishing 13th out of 24 teams.

7.4 18 &U National Championships

Venue - Brisbane, April 2011

BOYS

NAMES	CLUBS
Billy McFall	Tritons
Charlie Horsnell	Henley
Chris Macolino	Vikings
Connor Sangster	Vikings
Daniel Hall	Tritons
Lachlan Cameron	Vikings
Louis Steyn	Tritons
Michael Carter	Tritons
Milan Dobrijevic	Eastern Saints
Nic Jordan	Tritons
Sam Huis In 'T Veld	Tritons
Thomas Birnie	Tritons
Tristan Sangster	Vikings
Coach:	Eddie Denis
Manager:	Tony Hall

GIRLS

NAME	CLUB
Adriana Forte	Tritons
Alex Procter	Tritons
Alisa Ahmed	Tritons
Belinda Symonds	Tritons
Chelsea Allen	Tritons
Chloe Barr	Tritons
Gabriella Morris Tester	Tritons
Lucinda Swan	Tritons
Nyssa Wedding	Tritons
Rebecca Curtis	NSW Draft
Shana Ahmed	Tritons
Stephanie Copson	Tritons
Stephanie Inat	Tritons
Coach:	Terril Ashton
Manager:	Jayne Wedding

Results

Queensland Maroon 14-6	Loss	Victoria 10-12	Loss
NSW Waratahs 9-6	Loss	NSW Blues 8-15	Loss
WA Gold 5-14	Loss	NSW Waratahs 13-10	Loss
ACT 20-14	Win	Queensland Maroon 7-21	Loss
Playoff - Tasmania 12-5	Win	WA Black 6-8	Win
Playoff - WA Black 10-8	Loss	WA Gold 21-9	Loss
		Queensland White 3-7	Win
		Playoff WA Black 11-9	Win
		Playoff Queensland White 13-8	Win
Placing 8th from 8		Placing 5 th from 8	
Highest goal scorer Lachlan Cameron 15/6 games		Highest goal scorer Bec Curtis 22/9 games	
		Highest SA scorer Chloe Barr 20/9 games	

SA Girls Report

Three SA team members were selected to the AUS '94 squad and stayed behind for a camp: Chloe Barr, Belinda Symons and Lucinda Swan.

Wins versus Queensland White and WA Black were the highlights of the tournament giving the girls their highest finish going back as far as the Sporting Pulse records show. Every team member contributed in the final win v QLD White.

SA girls were helped and greatly appreciate the contribution of our draft, Bec Curtis from NSW who scored 22 goals for the team.

SA Boys Report

Pleasingly, SA was able to field a full team of SA athletes for this competition. A majority of athletes were underage for this competition with only Lachlan Cameron, Connor Sangster and Charlie Horsnell being at the correct age. Prior to the competition there was a late change of coach for this team which did not help the preparation for this competition, but many thanks needs to go to Tony Hall who stepped in to coach the squad for the 2 weeks prior to the competition. Being a younger team and without a strike Centre Forward, SA was unable to compete consistently enough versus the stronger teams. However, against the weaker teams and States, the team performed well, keeping good possession in attack and playing in a coordinated fashion in defence.

The SA goalkeepers played quite well, with both Milan Dobrijevic and Thomas Birnie sharing the Goalkeeping duties. Lachlan Cameron and Connor Sangster were the main players in attack for the SA team, working hard to provide strong options in the CF position. Dan Hall improved during the Tournament coming into his own in the later games where he used his speed and agility to steal, plus shooting ability in Extra Man to score goals. Charlie Horsnell again performed well, while every other member of the team showed glimpses of good play. The final game of the competition was, as in the 20U's in January, against the WA second team. Again, the game went to Extra Time, but unfortunately, this time, the SA team ran out of goalscoring options to finish 8th.

7.5 20 & Under National Championships

Perth January 2011

BOYS

NAMES	CLUBS
Cameron Togher	WA Draft
Charlie Horsnell	Henley
Cody Edmiston	WA Draft
Lachlan Cameron	Vikings
Louis Steyn	Tritons
Paxton Barr	Henley
Sam Hall (G)	WA Draft
Tom Dayman	Vikings
Will Dayman	Vikings

Coach: Eddie Denis
Manager: Liz Cameron

GIRLS

NAME	CLUB
Alexandra Thomas	Henley
Belinda Symons	Tritons
Chloe Barr	Tritons
Isobel Bishop	Tritons
Janies Van Kampen	WA Draft
Kassia Ralston	WA Draft
Kathleen McHugh	Tritons
Nyssa Wedding	Tritons
Sarah Jane Fagen	WA Draft
Shana Ahmed	Tritons
Stephanie Inat	Tritons
Tayla Greer	WA Draft

Coach: Terril Ashton
Manager: Jayne Wedding

Results

Queensland 11-7 Loss	Victoria 13-11 Loss
NSW Blues 29-6 Loss	NSW Blues 17-6 Loss
Victoria 10-9 Win	NSW Waratahs 8-8 Draw
NSW Waratahs 7-13 Loss	Queensland Maroon 9-17 Loss
WA Gold 13-4 Loss	Western Australia 4-11 Loss
WA Black 11-7 Loss	WA Gold 21-9 Loss
Playoff 7 th Victoria 12-11 Win	Playoff 5/6 NSW Waratahs 9-8 Loss
Playoff 5 th and 6 th WA Black 9-10 Win	
Placing 5th from 7	Placing 6th from 6
Highest goal scorer Will Dayman 21/8 games	Highest goal scorer Chloe Barr 11/6 games

Due to injuries and school holiday travel, the SA team for this competition was seriously undermanned. The team consisted of 5 SASI athletes (Thomas Dayman, Lachlan Cameron, Paxton Barr, Louis Steyn and William Dayman), 1 SA athlete (Charlie Horsnell) and 3 young WA imports - one of whom was a Goal keeper. Due to the lack of numbers at training prior to the competition, the Team basically had to come together, learn and develop through the competition. A good performance versus the Queensland team in the first game was followed by a poor result versus the NSW top team - where we were forced to play man down for the whole last quarter and a half due to the amount of exclusions incurred. Other results through the rounds saw us get close to Victoria and the WA second team but we were unable to get a win. On the positive side, the team was scoring quite well and our systems for Extra Man and Regular

Play were developing quite well. In the second round of the competition we played against Victoria and WA Black, winning both games on the same day to gain 5th place.

The game for 5th was particularly memorable since we scored an Extra Man goal in the last second of Extra time to win. The team improved and reached a good level of performance with all members adapting to the team game plan very well and each individual contributing to the teams final day of success. Of particular note were the performances of William Dayman who performed very well at CF and in Extra Man Attack finishing equal 2nd on the goal scoring list; Thomas Dayman, the only athlete of age for the SA team, who drew 2 defenders for the majority of every game but still managed to finish equal 5th on the goalscoring list; Paxton Barr who showed great maturity and control in attack who finished equal 14th highest goalscorer; and Charlie Horsnell, who without too much training preparation, managed to play a lot of the final 4 games and scored some crucial field goals to keep the SA team in contention.

7.6 23 & Under Men's Club Championship

No competition occurred since our last annual report. The following report from Eddie Dennis relates to the competition 24-27 June 2010.

SA Team was entered into this competition without too much preparation time. The team comprised of 5 SASI athletes (George Bretag-Norris, Thomas Dayman, Lachlan Cameron, Paxton Barr Connoir sangster and William Dayman), 1 SA athlete (Charlie Horsnell) and 3 Victorian athletes + 2 Australian Senior representatives - Mitch Baird (CF) and Luke Quinlivan (GK). The aim of having an SA team in this competition was to expose the SASI male athletes to a high level men's competition. The SA team was not particularly competitive but there was a good progression in standard of play and ball control during the tournament. The inclusion of a rule which demanded that each team start every member of the team

in at least 2 quarters, meant that our younger players had to take a high level of responsibility at times. Pleasingly, both Charlie and William stepped-up to this challenge.

8 Season Statistics & Awards

8.1 Premiership Tables

A Men	G	W	L	D	F	Pts	GF	GA
Vikings	4	4	0	0	0	16	43	17
Henley	4	2	2	0	0	8	33	27
Tritons	4	0	4	0	0	0	15	47

Semi Final

Henley (17) defeated Tritons (5)

Grand Final

Vikings (8) defeated Henley (6)

This competition had three teams; Vikings, Henley and Tritons and was settled over six rounds (four matches each). This allowed sufficient time to launch the Fast Fives competition later on in the season. Good competition was evident between Vikings and Henley, with the latter losing their two matches to the former by only very narrow margins. So it was that Vikings remained unbeaten and Tritons unable to win any of their four matches. Henley disposed of Tritons in the semi finals quite easily but lost in the Grand Final again, narrowly, by two goals, leaving Vikings the worthy winners in this shortened competition.

Forty players took part with thirty one playing in three out of a possible four matches. No forfeits were recorded in the six round competition.

A Women	G	W	L	D	F	Pts	GF	GA
Henley	15	13	2	0	0	42	123	62
Vikings	15	7	8	0	0	28	121	59
Tritons	15	7	8	0	0	28	73	102
SAWPI Talent Team	15	3	12	0	0	12	59	153

Semi Final

Tritons (10) defeated Vikings (5)

Grand Final

Henley forfeit Premiership to Tritons

Three club teams, Tritons, Vikings and Henley and a combined Talent Squad team made up this competition. The Talent Squad team suffered from poor attendance and eventually was scrapped from the competition to allow for a good three team competition to continue. Only three forfeits in this competition were recorded once the combined team was disbanded, mostly from Henley who suffered from National call ups at the most inopportune times. Tritons played Vikings in the semi final and surprisingly beat them convincingly, having struggled to beat them in the preliminary rounds. Subsequently, Henley could not field a team and forfeited, leaving Tritons as Premiers for this competition.

Fifty two players participated in this competition with eighteen playing in seven or less matches out of fifteen possible appearances (34 in more than 8 matches)

B Men	G	W	L	D	F	Pts	GF	GA
Henley	12	9	2	1	0	38	132	79
Vikings BOSA	12	9	3	0	1	36	132	62
Tritons	12	7	3	2	0	32	111	74
Vikings	12	6	5	1	0	26	102	94
Vikings Black	12	5	7	0	1	20	106	95
Eastern Saints	12	2	10	0	0	8	68	158
Tritons Crocs	12	1	11	0	0	4	55	144

Grand Final

Vikings BOSA (11) defeated Henley Sharks (7)

As with last year, this was once again a very well supported competition with seven teams being fielded; three from Vikings, two from Tritons and one each from Henley and Eastern Saints. Fourteen rounds were played with each team receiving two byes.

Seventy players played in six or more matches, with only one match being forfeited.

In the Grand Final, Vikings BOSA beat Henley Sharks 11 -7 in a hard fought match.

B Women	G	W	L	D	F	Pts	GF	GA
Eastern Saints	9	8	1	0	1	32	87	22
Tritons	9	6	3	0	0	24	65	33
Vikings	10	0	10	0	0	0	2	99

Grand Final

Tritons (11) defeated Eastern Saints (5)

Three teams, Tritons, Eastern Saints and Vikings contested this grade. This competition also catered for the B 95 girls as there were insufficient players to have a stand alone competition. Twenty nine players played in bona fide matches with 18 players playing in 3 or more (out of five) matches Vikings seldom fielded a team, but scratch matches were played each week.

Ultimately Eastern Saints played Tritons in the final but lost 5 - 11

B95 Boys	G	W	L	D	F	Pts	GF	GA
Tritons	11	9	2	0	0	36	118	62
Vikings	10	7	3	0	0	28	95	58
Henley Eastern Saints	11	0	11	0	0	0	46	139

Grand Final

Tritons(10) defeated Vikings (2)

Three teams competed in this competition, Tritons, Vikings and Henley combined with Eastern Saints to form a third team. Vikings faced Tritons in the final when Tritons came out comfortable winners 10 - 2. A total of 36 players took part with 30 playing in six or more matches out of a possible 11 matches. Only one match was forfeited.

Junior Mixed	G	W	L	D	F	Pts	GF	GA
Vikings	14	13	1	0	0	52	138	57
Triton Crocs	13	9	4	0	0	36	109	73
Tritons	14	5	9	0	0	20	65	120
Eastern Saints	13	0	13	0	0	0	8	70

Grand Final

Triton Crocs (9) defeated Henley Sharks (6)

This was a well supported competition in general except for Henley Eastern Saints combination which struggled to field a regular team. Tritons fielded two teams, Vikings one and Henley and Eastern Saints combined to form a team. In the finals Tritons Crocs beat Vikings 9 – 6. Forty one players participated, with 32 playing in 5 or more matches. Twelve forfeits were recorded but scratch matches were played each week in place of the competition match

A Grade Fast Fives	G	W	L	D	F	Pts	GF	GA
Lions	4	3	0	0	0	12	43	34
Rhinos	4	2	1	1	0	10	41	34
Buffalos	4	1	2	1	0	6	27	32
Leopards	4	1	3	0	0	4	21	32

Fast Fives was an initiative used as an addition to the traditional State League and played after the League was completed. The competition was well supported initially but lost some players to injury and Uni and school exams. After the first four rounds were completed teams were reorganised to ensure that scratch matches could still be played. Lions won the round robin league, but good competition was had in all matches played in the four rounds. Twenty players in total played in this competition with thirteen playing in 3 or more games

Winner: Lions

8.2 Premiership Teams

Junior Mixed

TRITONS CROCS

James Kennedy
Tony Barker
Benjamin Rate
Mark De Lisio
Nathan Reid
George Parousis
Joe Parnis
Truman Hutt
Isaac Nicholls
Max Hamra
Andrew Van Der Pennen
Sam Jackson

B95 Boys

Slim Cooper' Perpetual Shield

TRITONS

Alex Richardson
Liam Mchugh
Maxwell Joy
William Jordan
Tom Mcvann
Michael Carter
Tomas Birnie
Dan Hall
George Laparadis

B Grade Women

TRITONS

Susie Smith
Chelsea Allen
Hannah Kennedy
Megan Bennett
Jessica Barker
Amy Noll
Georgina Symons
Georgia Paull
Lauren McGrechan
Sophie Bach
Cordelia McTaggart
Alexandra McTaggart

B Grade Men

Fred Angus Perpetual Trophy

VIKINGS BOSA

Michael Schinella
Luke Macolino
Stuart Frost
David Kirkwood
Jack O'Loughlin
Daniel Parrish
Mark Parrish
Simon Dellamalva
Nicholas Marwe
Jamie Histed

A Grade Women

Ron Howell Perpetual Shield

TRITONS

Chloe Barr
Katherine Antle
Kathleen Mchugh
Lucinda Swan
Alisa Ahmed
Adele Langusch
Stine Hoj
Paige Mortimer
Shana Ahmed
Nyssa Wedding
Bridie Howley
Alex Carter

A Grade Men

Brighton Cement Works Perpetual Shield

VIKINGS

Michael Schinella
Mark Parrish
Jamie Histed
William Dayman
Connor Sangster
Jack O'Loughlin
Milan Dobrijevic
George Bretag-Norris
Stuart Frost
Lachlan Cameron
Joshua Frost
Thomas Dayman

8.3 Leading Goal Scorer

A GRADE MEN	Josh Frost	Vikings	12 goals
A GRADE WOMEN	Jess Martin	Henley	36 goals
B GRADE MEN	Brad Morris	Henley	47 goals
B GRADE WOMEN	Adriana Forte	Tritons	5 goals
	Gretl Watson Blazewicz		5 goals

8.4 Best and Fairest

UNDER 17 MEN (B95)		
<i>Charles Scalzi Trophy</i>	Dan Hall	Tritons
A GRADE MEN	Josh Frost	Vikings
<i>Harold Culgan Memorial Cup</i>		
A GRADE WOMEN	Jess Martin	Henley
B GRADE MEN	Matt Richardson	Vikings
B GRADE WOMEN	Adriana Forte	Tritons

8.5 Volunteer(s) of the Year

Paul Raynor 'Life Member' Trophy Maritza Manojlovic

8.6 Club of the Year

The Board of Directors unanimously voted to discontinue this award due to selecting an objective form of calculation and perceived opportunistic club tactics. The Board felt SAWPI would have less issues to deal with if this award was not part of the SAWPI system.

8.7 National League - Adelaide Jets

Introduction.

The 2011 National Water Polo League season was the 21st successive year of involvement in the Australian National League for the Adelaide Jets men and the 8th for the Jets women.

Sponsorship :

Major Sponsor

- In 2011 it was extremely pleasing to have the support of **Major Sponsor - Fyfe Pty Ltd** as a major sponsor of the Jets.

Sponsors

- In 2011, the Adelaide Jets also benefited from the continued and valued support of **Caledonian Hotel, EMA Legal and The West Lakes Dental Clinic.**

Associate Sponsors

- In 2010, the Adelaide Jets also benefited from the continued and valued support of **Associate Sponsors - Adelaide Aquatic Centre, Adelaide Fresh Fruiterers, A - G Security, , Leading Edge, Dekker Motor Bodies, Mikasa, Office of Recreation & Sport, SASI – South Australian Sports Institute and South Australian Water Polo Inc.**
- **The Jets Men's Vice Presidents group – Mark Dayman, Michael Den Dekker, Jon Harmer, David Martin, Lyn Martin, Michael O' Connell and Rob South.**

2010 season Thank you's :

During the 2011 season we saw the continued success of the standard of presentation of our home games. Crowd numbers were very good, with the home town support certainly appreciated by our teams. It is a little known fact to our local supporters that the attendance at Adelaide Jets games is better than the vast majority of interstate venues. The professional game day presentation of the Jets game is also received very favorably by our interstate visitors.

The assistance of the Volunteer SA organisation was of invaluable benefit again this year. Thank you to Barbara Frost for overseeing their involvement. Thank you to the junior Jets squad members for assisting as goal judges. Thank you to the many parents, relatives and friends for their support with table duties and sundry other set up / pack up duties on game days.

Thank you also to our men's import players Ryan Fair, Julian Lamont (USA) and Tom van Oost (Holland) for their efforts for the Jets for 2011. They not only augmented the Jets playing roster but were more than happy to assist as junior coaches and referees. Thanks guys !

Thank you to the Parrish and Huis In 'T Veld families for their collective contributions in hosting our 3 import players. It is genuinely appreciated! Thank you very much on behalf of all involved with the Jets !

A particularly big thank you to our Jets Coaches Terril Ashton for the Women and Nicholas Martin for the Men. Thanks also to Eddie Denis who was assistant coach for both teams Eddie's coaching involves countless hours of dedication to training, matches and interstate road trips away.

In conclusion, I wish to congratulate one and all who have been involved with our National League teams this year. For our National League teams to remain competitive on the National stage requires considerable time, effort and expertise from the many people mentioned above. Whilst the Jets program draws heavily on the resources of SAWPI, it provides a wonderful pathway for our young athletes to compete on the National and International stage. It provides a tangible link between

domestic club Water Polo and the Olympic games a unique opportunity that the sport of Water Polo provides its participants.

Jets Women National League 2011

No report

Jets Men's National League 2011

This year the Adelaide Jets Men had 2 wins and 1 draw finishing 11th on the National League ladder with a total of 27 points. It was a disappointing season considering the improvements that were made in 2010 with 5 wins and a draw. The main reason for this was our inability to contain teams from scoring goals. In 2010 the goal difference was -60, an 80 goal improvement from 2009. This year the goal difference was -114, a 54 goal difference to the negative from 2010.

The season began with some uncertainty. It was my first year as coach and the team had a very different look to past seasons. We welcomed three new recruits in Ryan Fair and Julian Lormant from America and Tom Van Oost from the Netherlands. But like many of the past seasons we also lost players, in 2010 highest goal scorer Matthew Martin, to the Melbourne Tigers, Anthony Martin to a life in the USA and both Luca Vezzosi and Nathan Portlock to retirement. Apart from the obvious loss of talent, we also lost approx 800 games worth of experience.

Not only did we lose these players, but we also entered the season without a team manager. Special thanks must go to all the work and effort John Harmer has put in over the past years as team manager and assistant coach but I guess all good things must come to an end.

Pre season training began in October with x2 3hr evening sessions and a Saturday morning session conducted by myself with the help of Eddie Dennis. Attendance during pre season was very dis-jointed with Patrick Harmer, Joshua Frost and George Bretag-Norris on overseas holidays, Tom and Will Dayman swapping time between Adelaide and Perth and Julian not arriving till just before the season starter. However with just over a week before the first game, an enjoyable team bonding session at Goolwa was had with the full squad and we were now all available and looking forward to season 2011.

Player report :

In 2009 the Jets men scored 173 goals, in 2010 171 goals and in 2011 179 goals. Considering the past two seasons we have lost both our highest goal scorers, Matthew Martin and Luke Northcott and both our Centre Forwards, Matthew and Anthony Martin to be able to continue to score goals is a great achievement to the team. Much credit must go to 2011 highest goal scorer Ryan Fair 31 goals as well as the improvement from our younger players, Tom Dayman 22 goals, George Bretag-Norris 17 goals and Joshua Frost 15 goals. Also credit must go to Julian for playing most of the season as an undersized CF and to first year player William Dayman for his efforts in that position in his first season.

The most pleasing aspect of the season was the improvement from our younger players. Both Paxton Barr and Lachie Cameron showed that they have a very big future at the Adelaide Jets as did first year players Charlie Horsnell and William Dayman. Their commitment to the team and enthusiasm is a credit to them and I look forward to seeing their development in the next few years. Special mention must go to Paxton as he took on a new roll of playing Centre Back with Tim and George in the absence of Luca.

I would like to pay particular thanks to 2011 Captain Patrick Harmer and both Marshall Morley and Tim Martin. Being a first year coach, trying to play with the absence of a manager was a very difficult task. These three guy's leadership and support was vital and greatly appreciated. Special thanks must also go to Nathan Portlock, who on late notice was able to fill in as game day team manager on a number of occasions, most importantly on two of our road trips.

Finally, I would like to thank all players involved in season 2011. A very challenging season for all, with lots of learning for both myself and the team. I look forward to the future and hope we can regain our defensive strengths to add to our improving attack.

Nicholas Martin,
Jets Men's Coach.

Player Lists

ADELAIDE JETS - MENS TEAM				ADELAIDE JETS - WOMENS TEAM			
	NAME	AGE	HEIGHT		NAME	AGE	HEIGHT
1	Marshall Morley	25	196	1	Victoria Risby	20	180
2	Nicholas Martin	27	189	2	Belinda Symons	16	181
3	Lachlan Cameron	17	180	3	Alexandra Thomas	18	170
4	Patrick Harmer	22	187	4	Jessica Martin	20	177
5	Paxton Barr	18	181	5	Isobel Bishop	19	180
6	Tim Martin	26	187	6	Kate Antle	20	171
7	Tom van Oost (Imp)	26	181	7	Lucinda Swan	16	173
8	George Bretag-Norris	19	198	8	Brianna Rositano	24	170
9	Tom Dayman	20	185	10	Sophie Ricketts	22	179
11	Ryan Fair (Imp)	23	186	11	Lisa Callahan	25	180
12	Julian Lormant (Imp)	23	189	12	A Problem		
13	Joshua Frost	21	185	13	Kathleen McHugh	20	178
16	Charlie Horsnell	17	183	14	Emma Opie	18	170
18	Jason Wedding	23	185	18	Nyssa Wedding	16	169
19	William Dayman	16	194	21	Chloe Barr	16	170

Jets Milestones 2010.

- 100+ career games Jess Martin
- 150+ career games Lisa Callahan
- 100+ career goals Jess Martin
 Sophie Ricketts
- 300+ career goals Lisa Callahan

Award Winners

Highest Goal Scorer	Men	Ryan Fair
Most Improved	Men	Tom Dayman
Coaches Award	Men	Paxton Barr
Runner Up MVP	Men	Nicholas Martin
The Des Clark Award - MVP Men.		Patrick Harmer
Most Improved	Women	Kathleen McHugh
Coach's Award	Women	Lisa Callahan
Runner up MVP	Women	Lisa Callahan
Highest Goal scorer	Women	Sophie Ricketts
The Jill Glastonbury Award – MVP Women.		Isobel Bishop

2011 Results

ADELAIDE JETS - MENS TEAM			ADELAIDE JETS - WOMENS TEAM		
UWA Torpedoes	6-9	loss	UWA Torpedoes	6-6	draw
UWA Torpedoes	9-16	loss	UWA Torpedoes	7-12	loss
UNSW West Magpies	8-14	loss	UNSW Killer Whales	13-10	win
UNSW West Magpies	7-15	loss	UNSW Killer Whales	7-7	draw
Cronulla Sharks	7-5	win	Cronulla Sharks	5-19	loss
Cronulla Sharks	8-6	win	Cronulla Sharks	6-14	loss
KFC Breakers	16-9	loss	KFC Breakers	13-8	loss
Brisbane Barracudas	18-11	loss	Brisbane Barracudas	24-9	loss
KFC Breakers	13-8	loss	KFC Breakers	11-6	loss
Brisbane Barracudas	21-8	loss	Brisbane Barracudas	17-8	loss
Drummoyne Devils	14-8	loss	Drummoyne Devils	7-11	loss
Drummoyne Devils	7-7	draw	Drummoyne Devils	14-7	win
Sydney Uni Lions	12-13	loss	Sydney Uni Lions	8-10	loss
Sydney Uni Lions	8-14	loss	Sydney Uni Lions	10-16	loss
Victorian Tigers	6-16	loss	Victorian Tigers	4-13	loss
Victorian Tigers	5-14	loss	Victorian Tigers	6-10	loss
Balmain Tigers	9-5	loss	Balmain Tigers	12-10	loss
Balmain Tigers	15-9	loss	Balmain Tigers	15-11	loss
Hunter Hurricanes	15-11	loss	Hunter Hurricanes	10-9	loss
Hunter Hurricanes	13-12	loss	Hunter Hurricanes	8-7	loss
Fremantle Marlins	10-19	loss	Fremantle Marlins	10-14	loss
Fremantle Marlins	6-16	loss	Fremantle Marlins	10-14	loss

8.8 Membership Statistics

Figure 1 Registration (excluding non-playing life members)

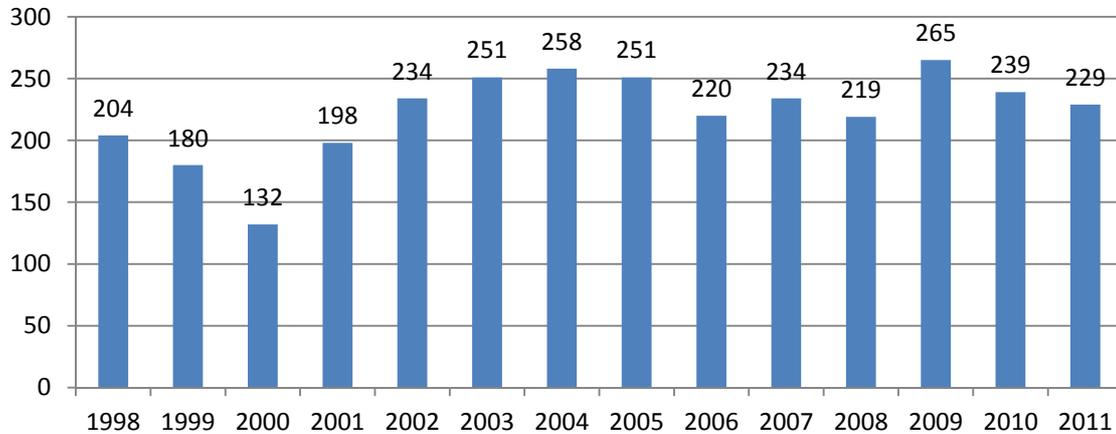


Figure 2 Membership by Club numbers and percentage

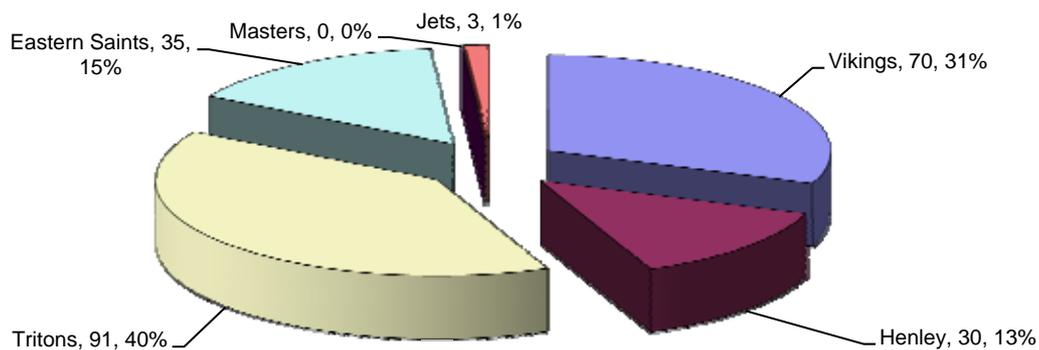


TABLE 1 - MEMBERSHIP BREAKDOWN					
CLUB	MALE		FEMALE		Comments in comparison to last year
	Senior	Junior	Senior	Junior	
Tritons	12	33	13	33	Membership +3. Junior female (+5)
Vikings	23	31	13	3	Membership -6. junior male (+5), female (-8)
Henley	12	5	12	1	Membership -12 after -19 in 2010
Saints	7	13	4	11	Membership (+9), junior male (+3), senior female (+3)
Masters					Fallen away
Jets	3				
	57	82	42	48	Sen male (-8), junior male (+7), Sen Female (-9)
	139		90		male (-5), female (-9)
	229				Down by 10
Worth noting school water polo in SA has around 700 participants.					

8.9 Governance

At the end of 2007/2008 around 5 long standing Board members had stood down from the SAWPI Board. The year of 2008/2009 was a transition year for the SAWPI Board with 20 different people attending Board meetings. In 2008/2009 the Secretary and Treasurer were not able to finish their year. This transition and lack of stability presented a significant challenge for those left to do the work.

The year 2010/2011 has seen stability continue with seven Board members attending 75% or more of the meetings. Board members continue to assist with SAWPI activities between the meetings. Our meetings have been mostly well behaved, productive and completed in a reasonable time frame.

Last year we reported an area of improvement for our meetings is not straying onto related issues and avoiding detail especially when an item has been delegated. There has been some improvement in this area. With ideal intentions on process, at times it was difficult for the Board come to a yes or no position on issues that were raised.

BOARD ATT.	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	July	Aug	TOTAL
M Dayman	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	12
J Medcalf	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	9
L Cameron	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	10
G Barr	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	10
R White	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	A	A	Y	A	Y	A	5
D Dayman	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y							Y	6
M Manojlovic	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	12
L Perry	Y	Y	Y	A									3
N Martin	Y	A											1
D Seret	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	12
K Sangster	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	10
J Forte				Y	A	Y	Y	Y	A	A			4
J Horsnell					Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	A	A	4
STAFF													
J Harmer	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	9

Committees - Board Attendees	State League	Marion Centre	AWPI and NL	Child Safety Officer Training	Sporting SA
Graham Barr	Y		Starting NL		
John Medcalf	Y				
Derek Seret	Y	Y			
Mark Dayman		Y	Y		
M Manojlovic	Y	Y		Y	
Kathy Sangster					Y
Staff					
JH	Y	Y	Y		

9 Sponsors

South Australian Water Polo Inc would like to thank their sponsors for the past season, without whose help, many aspects of our sport would not be able to be accomplished.

A past major sponsor has unfortunately failed to pay agreed sponsorship amounts over a number of seasons totalling \$20,750. The same sponsor also withdrew sponsorship at the commencement of the 2009 National League Season after agreeing to continue. Not only did this add another \$16,400 to the agreed sponsorship total but resulted in an actual lost opportunity to the association with another sponsor. This continues to place the association under great financial strain by having in excess of \$37,000 in sponsorship not being received. The invoiced amount of \$20,750 is in the process of debt collection but no progress has been made.

2010-2011 was a challenging year for sponsorship but excellent grounds have been made.

It is hoped that the sponsors have valued their association and continue to support water polo in this State.

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- In 2011, the Adelaide Jets also benefited from the continued and valued support of **Associate Sponsors - Adelaide Aquatic Centre, Adelaide Fresh Fruiterers, A - G Security, Dekker Motor Bodies, Leading Edge, Mikasa, Office of Recreation & Sport, SASI – South Australian Sports Institute.**
- **The Jets Men's Vice Presidents group – Mark Dayman, Michael Den Dekker, Jon Harmer, David Martin, Lyn Martin, Michael O' Connell and Rob South.**

10 Media Coverage

Media coverage was lower this year due the difficulty in generating stories that interest the media and available SAWPI resources to liaise with the media.

2012 will present improved opportunities with the new South Australian Aquatic and Leisure Centre. South Australia will also has the National 20&U State Championships at South Australian Aquatic and Leisure Centre.

Together with National League the above opportunities will generate media interest in the Advertiser and Messenger Newspapers.

AWPI have appointed media coordinators. All National League teams are now required to appoint a media manager.