

P R E S I D E N T ' S R E P O R T

In 1983 we started a new era in our history. The Club changed its name to the Melville City YMCA Hockey Club. It was considered that this new name more accurately described our identity.

The highlights of 1983 were the wins in the Finals by the 1Bs and 6As, and finals appearances in the 3Bs, Reserve Whites and by our Juniors in the U17 Green, U13A and U11C Divisions. While we achieved our major objective - the return in 1984 to First Division by our top team, I would have to commend the 6As for the best Club performance. These were wins in the Challenge Cup, and Grand Final; the Guth Ardagh Pennant for minor premiers; and the first senior team at 'A' level to complete the hat-trick. Our results show that we have the ability and determination to do well at most levels. Our most unfortunate result was the relegation of our 2As to 2Bs, even though they scored 12 points. In summary, as a result of the Club's performances at Senior level, we now have five of the six divisions in A grade - a good result considering that we lost 12 players from our top training squad at the end of 1982. The Juniors also lost some good players at the end of 1982, and several also were playing their first years at upper levels. It was probably not surprising, therefore, that only three of the eleven teams finished in the top four of their grades. We are expecting better results in 1984.

Two playing problems we experienced in 1983 related to the promotion of junior players to senior ranks, and team "stacking". Many of the younger players in Senior ranks acquitted themselves very well in 1983. They were generally distributed between the 2s, 3s and 4s to spread their exposure to the Club's experienced seniors, and some were included in the top training squad. These problems will always be present in those Clubs who cater for large numbers of juniors as we do. The problems are magnified as more experienced senior players are relegated to lower teams to make way for talented juniors. However, it must be remembered that the standard of our lower teams continues to improve by these moves. The best we can hope for is that those younger players with the best skills and most dedication reach the upper levels, and those not so talented are given every opportunity to gain experience and improve. Above all else and at whatever level they play, we want them to enjoy hockey. As for training, we hope to have a permanent Assistant Club Coach in 1984 to improve coaching at all senior levels.

"Stacking" of teams who play in Challenge Cups and finals series is not permitted, but no rules exist to prevent the "stacking" of teams to avoid relegation. Generally this Club has refrained from this practice for any reason. However, we became aware in late 1983 that most other Clubs were "stacking" their teams where the relegation contest was likely to be close. Our club decided that it had no option but to do likewise this year, but unfortunately too late to save the 2A team. This matter is on the Agenda for discussion at a Club Presidents' Forum at W.A.H.A. in October. Such discussion should resolve if "stacking" will continue to be tolerated by the Association, and our Club's future policy.

The one major Club problem this year has been lack of support - and we never did fill the position of House Manager. (My sincere thanks to Bill Forward, Harold Farmer and Bruce Porter who carried the burden in addition to their other responsibilities, and to the dependable "old regulars".) I realised at the beginning of the year that we might be influenced by the poor economic climate and high unemployment. Offers were made to players for relief if in difficulty, and requests were made to Club members for odd jobs - to form a "job-bank". There was only one marginal response which did not eventuate. Attendances at social functions have been lower than usual and likewise

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after game gatherings at the Club House. Our request for Associate (non-playing) Members was also unrewarding. Fortunately, attendance at a special meeting called for July 4 to discuss this problem and the future of the Club was well attended, and the following resolutions were made:

1. to form a recruiting sub-committee
(convenor John Pickering)
2. to form a junior sub-committee
(convenor Mike Wood)
3. to form a finance and development sub-committee
(convenor Brian Spitteler)

These sub-committees have been active and some positive results have been attained already. The main impression obtained from that meeting was that a strong club spirit still remains but that different measures will be necessary to administer our financing and club support.

Social/Fund raising activities met with mixed results. We got away to a good start when an excellent crowd rallied to a late call for grape-pickers on February 6, and this venture, together with the lamington drive and quiz night, have so far proved to be the best fund raisers. (Our thanks to Ted and Janet Jones - grape picking - and to Debbie Darling and Wynne Andrew - lamington drive - and to Betty Riley and the Farmers, together with the social committee, for the quiz night.) Our social committee did a wonderful job this year; it was led by Betty Riley and Vida and Harold Farmer. Although attendances were down, all functions were well organized and thoroughly enjoyed by those who attended. Beef-on-the-spit night was timed to entertain our guests for the Australian Men's Championship in May - the Tasmanian team, and our visitors from Goulburn - the "Fireflies". Thanks to John Andrew and Paul Titheradge who liaised with our guests. Other functions included the Barbecue at Heathcote in February (thanks to Pat Spencer), and the curry night at the Club. Finally the Club (Betty Riley) Raffle comes to a climax tonight, and it will, we hope, successfully wind up fund raising for the year.

Apart from the pain, those of us who ventured to Hyden in late July were treated to a wonderful weekend in the country. Organizers were Barry Hancock and John Pickering whose efforts were much appreciated, as also was the sober conduct of bus drivers Dave Timmel (on the way there) and Ian Deveson. Another noteworthy social function was the Sponsors' luncheon at the Raffles, arranged by Bruce Porter and addressed by Bruce Yardley with some interesting anecdotes about his experiences in cricket. Many thanks, also, to Beth Meacock who organized canteen duties for Club nights, and to the wives and families of players who assisted Beth.

I am disappointed that I was unable to attend more junior games than I did this year, but we were fortunate to have Mike Wood as our co-ordinator this year, and his report will tell us more about the Juniors' Year; thanks, Mike, and also to those parents and senior players who have assisted in coaching, managing and generally supporting our junior girls, boys and young men. My personal congratulations to those seven of our juniors who became State representatives in 1983, and also to Grant Hymus, our 1B goalie, who was selected for the W.A. Colts team.

The seniors should be pleased with their year, and we are grateful to those who formed the selection committee, convened by Graeme Meacock for their efforts (although a "thankless" task at times.) I include a special tribute to coach Dick Aggiss, who has concluded his third and probably final year with the Club, Thank you Dick, for your contribution to our Club and to the abilities of
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the young men who have trained with you in our top squad. At the same time, the club is grateful to 1B Captain Paul Meacock and Vice Captain Darryl Dedman - not only good team men but also excellent club men. We extend congratulations also to Darryl for winning the W.A.H.A. trophy for the Best and Fairest in the 1B division in 1983, and for his great year with Melville. The Club is always sorry to lose people and this year we say farewell to Kim Ewasechko who is returning home to Canada, and au revoir to Darryl who is off to Europe for a year. We are also about to lose the Pickering family and Johnny Oliver for at least a couple of years. We appreciate the service that these members have given the Club and wish them all well for their respective futures. The two Johns have been our Windelya Association representatives.

An important aspect of club activities this year has been maintaining liaison with Melville City Council and the Kardinya Community and Recreation Association. Some anxious moments earlier in the year were overcome but we cannot afford to be complacent about our tenure of Morris Buzacott Reserve, and our care and maintenance of grounds and the building. For their assistance in maintaining liaison with Council and the Association, I extend thanks to John Pickering, John Andrew, Wally Meacock and Wayne Atkinson.

And still more "thank yous" for the following:

Bulletin: to Barbara Mitchinson and Margo Paino until the end of June when YMCA advised that their typing service was no longer available to affiliated clubs, and then to Marie Lambert who took over on July 3 and has done an excellent job since. To Nola and John See for the assembly and distribution of our bulletins, so essential for maintaining contact with members.

Grounds and Goals: As predicted by John Andrew, the grounds, particularly at the southern end of the Reserve, provided fine surfaces for hockey in 1983, and the club is grateful to John for his supervision of grounds, and Rob See/Peter Hewitt for ground marking; also to John and the small band of helpers who provided a set of excellent goals for the future.

Club Equipment: Once again to Harold Farmer, who has been a consistent helper in the club, particularly organizing the care of pads, repairs to furniture etc.; in addition to thanks to Bruce Cameron for the trestle tables.

Team Bags: Firstly to the Ford Family for assembling the weekly "kits" and generous supplies of stationery, and those involved in deliveries and returns of the cards.

Organization of Umpires: To Keith Shields for organizing Junior umpires for Saturday mornings. We did, however, have some problems elsewhere in this area which proved to be costly - improvement required in 1984.

Club Logo: Thanks have been made to those who entered the competition, and congratulations to Dean Revell whose design won.....we will examine ways to utilize the logo in 1984.

Finally, to the 1983 committee, many of whom have been acknowledged in other capacities - John Andrew, our immediate past president. Graham and Vida Meacock - a good combination. Bruce Porter who did a great job on the acquisition of sponshorhip, and in other tasks.

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT continued

Richard Aggiss - senior representative and club delegate
W.A.H.A.

Bill Forward, tight control of the purse strings, and his
assistant Rob Dalgleish.

Mike Wood - Junior co-ordinator.

Alan Brims - our registrar, and part-time assistant secretary.

Pat Spencer, our energetic secretary to the end of May and
our new recruit as from early July, Lyn Dillon, who is
showing a lot of promise, and Jeremy Allen, our Bulletin
Editor, who filled the gap left by KT, and who has enthralled
us all with his masterly control of reports and editorials.

Many other people have helped the club in various ways -
I am grateful to you all. It is my hope that this club
may continue to provide an opportunity for many people
to enjoy hockey in the Melville District, and be a good
influence in the community. I do not apologise for the
length of this report - a lot has happened this year, and
I trust that this will explain many things to many members.
Thank you for listening!

1983 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

MONDAY 21ST NOVEMBER

CLUBHOUSE

COMMENCING 7.30 PM

CLUB ADMINISTRATION 1983

PATRON: The Mayor of Melville City,
Mr J. Howson, O.B.E., J.P.

VICE PATRON: Mr. A. Trethowan
Mr P. Shack
Mr B. Hancock
Mr M. Bennetts

PRESIDENT: Mr M. Reynolds

VICE PRESIDENTS: Mr G. Meacock
Mr B. Porter

PAST PRESIDENT: Mr J. Andrew

HON. SECRETARIES: Mrs P. Spencer
Mrs L. Dillon

HON. ASST. SECRETARY: Mrs V. Meacock

REGISTRAR: Mr A. Brims

HON. TREASURER: Mr W. Forward

HON. ASST. TREASURER: Mr R. Dalgleish

EDITOR: Dr. J. Allen

AUDITOR: Mr I. Deveson

COACH SENIOR SQUAD: Mr R. Aggiss

SELECTION COMMITTEE,
SENIORS: Mr G. Meacock, Mr B. Porter

JUNIOR CO-ORDINATOR: Mr M. Wood

W.A.H.A. Delegate Mr G. Meacock, Mr R. Aggiss

SOCIAL COMMITTEE: Mrs B. Riley, Mr H. Farmer,
Mrs V. Farmer.

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CLUB AND PLAYER ACHIEVEMENTS 1983

<u>SUMMER INDOOR HOCKEY</u>	The U13's won their age group league.
<u>CHALLENGE CUP PENNANTS</u>	6A, U13 Red(A)
<u>GUTH ARDAGH PENNANTS</u>	1B, 3B, 6A, U.17 Green
<u>SEMI FINALISTS</u>	1B, 3B, 6A, Res.White, U17 Green, U13A, U11C.
<u>GRAND FINALISTS</u>	1B, 6A, U17 Green.
<u>PREMIERS</u>	1B, 6A.
<u>1B GRADE FAIREST AND BEST</u>	Darryl Dedman
<u>COLTS STATE TEAM</u>	Grant Hymus
<u>U.17 STATE TEAM</u>	Alan Dick
<u>U.16 STATE SCHOOLBOYS TEAM</u>	Peter Barrett, Evan Floyd, David Ogilby, Ben Rodgers, Robert See.
<u>ADHOK HOCKEY TEAM</u>	John Meacock
<u>VICE PRESIDENT, EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, W.A.H.A.</u>	Max Reynolds
<u>AUSTRALIAN COACH</u>	Richard Aggiss

SENIORS

100 GAMES

G. Adams
R. Cochrane
C. Lankester
M. Spencer

200 GAMES

G. Ranford
T. Brooks
M. Currell
P. Meacock
A. Meacock
A. Rogerson

JUNIORS

100 GAMES

J. Forbes
W. Johnston
G. Lee
S. Nalder
D. Pallott

B. Rodgers

MELVILLE CITY YMCA HOCKEY CLUB

1983 SEASON

FAIREST AND BEST AWARDS

1B	D. DEDMAN
2A	R. HUDSON
3B	W. SLATER
4A	D. TIMMEL
5A	B. CAMERON
6A	A. MACKERTICH
RES. WHITE	N. McROBERTS
17A	K. LAMBERT
17 GREEN	C. TWEEDIE
17 BLACK	B. MIAS
15A	A. PARKER
15 RED	G. LEE
15 BLACK	K. YEO
13A	M. MALLABONE
13B	P. DENNETT
13C	W. FRY
11C	N. KENNY
11E	J. POZZI

JUNIOR MOST IMPROVED AWARDS

17A	D. FRY
17 GREEN	G. GILL
17 BLACK	N. McKENNA
15A	P. RUTHVEN
15 RED	N. LAW
15 BLACK	P. HARRIS
13A	D. RICHARDS
13B	K. JONES
13C	L. HARRIS
11C	B. WELLINGTON
11E	S. ATKINSON

KIM HLADKY TROPHY (1983 BEST CLUBMAN)

G. MORRIS

MANAGER WHO MOST CONSISTENTLY PRODUCED ENJOYABLE READING

ALAN BRIMS (RES. WHITE)

SPECIAL JUNIOR AWARDS

MT WAVERLEY HOCKEY CLUB TROPHY (Best U17 going
to seniors)

B. FRANKEN

PETER SHACK TROPHY (Most improved junior)

N. TWEEDIE (15A)

DAVID PORTER TROPHY (Most improved junior goalie)

J. CLARK (13A)

(In addition to the above trophy donators, we would like to acknowledge the support given in this area by Mr and Mrs Brooks, Terry Brooks and Gary Adams).

LIFE MEMBERS

	Mr V. Dalton
1969	Mr D. Spitteler
1971	Mr P. Noad
1972	Mr R. Halliday
1975	Mr B. Spitteler
1978	Mr M. Currell
1979	Mr W. Meacock
1980	Mr K. Timmel
1982	Mr W. Forward

REMEMBER, REMEMBER, MONDAY 21ST NOVEMBER

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING, 7.30 PM

AT THE CLUBHOUSE

FINAL LEAGUE TABLE POSITIONS OF CLUB TEAMS 1983

1B	..	..	..	..	FIRST (and PREMIERS)
2A	..	..	..	..	TENTH
3B	..	..	..	..	FIRST
4A	..	..	..	..	SEVENTH (not relegated)
5A	..	..	..	..	SIXTH
6A	..	..	..	..	FIRST (AND PREMIERS)
Res. WHITE	..	..	..	..	FOURTH
U/17A	..	..	..	..	FIFTH
U/17 GREEN	..	..	..	..	FIRST
U/17 BLACK	..	..	..	..	SIXTH
U/15A	..	..	..	..	SIXTH
U/15 RED	..	..	..	..	EIGHTH
U/15 BLACK	..	..	..	..	EIGHTH
U/13A	..	..	..	..	FOURTH
U/13B	..	..	..	..	SIXTH
U/13C	..	..	..	..	SEVENTH
U/11C	..	..	..	..	FOURTH
U/11E	..	..	..	..	SEVENTH

KYLE RUTTER TROPHY (Percentage of wins by Junior Teams)

21st 40.07%

BYRNE AND JUDGE TROPHY (Percentage of wins by Senior Teams)

6th 62.29%

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AT THE CLUBHOUSE

CLUB SPONSORS 1983

The Club is indebted to our sponsors who are listed below.
Members should make every effort to give them their support.

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14. TIKI CATERING AND TAKE AWAY TRY THE FOOD AT 583 CANNING HIGHWAY, ALFRED COVE
15. FAMILY PLANNING ASSOCIATION AN INFORMATIVE COMMUNITY ORGANISATION (321 6607)
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18. WESTERN SALT PTY LTD

JUNIOR CO-ORDINATORS REPORT.

1. 1983

If you look at the "Club and Player Achievements 1983" we did not do well this season in junior team results (Apart from the 17 Greens!). But do remember we fielded 11 teams comprising approximately 140 players, who enjoyed a well organised season of hockey. My sincere thanks to all players, parents, managers and coaches and to the Club Management Committee for their efforts during the season.

In junior player results we had a good year for State representatives and we congratulate our players who made the State U17s (1) and Schoolboys U16s (5). Keep up your high personal standards and help to get yourselves and other team mates selected in 1984.

At this stage we have four indoor hockey teams (1 x 17s; 1 x 15s; 2 x 13s) in training for a season beginning on 1st October. It is an excellent game for improving skills, reflexes and reading of the game (vision).

I personally enjoyed attending the Junior Committee of W.A.H.A. this year and my stimulating introduction to the efficient organisation of junior hockey in W.A. In this way your and Club opinions were given to W.A.H.A. and W.A.H.A. policies and opinions were fed to our Club.

Socially the Junior Club was rather quiet this year but junior parents are asked to volunteer themselves and their ideas for social or fund raising events in 1984 to Mrs Betty Riley of the Social Committee (330 1440). With rising general costs the Junior Club will be required to pay more fees and raise more funds from its own considerable resources so get the ideas flowing in now (e.g. distribute telephone books next year; a major bottle drive in early March).

2. 1984

Twelve 1983 junior players go up to seniors in 1984 and we hope they have long and enjoyable playing careers.

In 1984 we should field 11/12 teams - 3 x 17s; 3/4 x 15s; 3 x 13s; 2 x 11s.

Kevin Runge's Minkey should be firmly adopted into our Club, so that it becomes an established, enjoyable breeding ground of 6 - 9 year old potential hockey players with sound basic skills.

My own missionary aim is to improve the quality of junior coaching. Active senior players need to get involved individually (or on a roster or team basis) in coaching juniors. In this way each junior player can be exposed to individual coaching for his strengths and weaknesses.

Hence I make this plea to all senior players - PLEASE THINK SERIOUSLY ABOUT COACHING JUNIOR PLAYERS - and tell me (Michael Wood 339 1763).

In case you are shy, I suggest a team adoption system as follows:

U17As	-	1As
U17s (two teams)		2Bs
U15As		1As/2Bs
U15s (2/3 teams)		3As/4As

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JUNIOR CO-ORDINATORS REPORT continued

U13s (3 teams) 5A/ a
U11s (2 teams) Ian Deveson + helpers
6 - 9 years Minkey - Kevin Runger + helpers
Goalkeepers - Grant Hymus/David Porter
for specialist training.

So Seniors, tell us what day(s) suit you and we'll try to fit in (even on Sunday afternoons!). As a general guide we would prefer coaching to take place on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 4-6 pm (for timing and transport needs) but don't take these days/times as final.

SENIORS - just remember you were a junior once and someone went out of their way to train you - YOUR JUNIOR CLUB NEEDS YOU NOW!! In their turn, well trained juniors will strengthen the senior club.

3. DATES TO REMEMBER

1. SATURDAY 3/3/84 REGISTRATION DAY -
10 - 11 AM AT BUZZACOTT (N.B. ALAN BRIMS)
2. TUESDAY 6/3/84 AND THURSDAY 8/3/84 -
TRAINING BEGINS 4 - 6 PM.
3. SATURDAY 31/3/84 (?) - PERRY LAKES
HOCKEY CARNIVAL - ALL DAY.

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TREASURER'S REPORT

Although this is only an interim report, the full report will be available at the Annual General Meeting in November. It has been a difficult year financially. It seemed that at some meetings when the financial report was produced that we were only just holding our heads above water. The cost of running a club of our size is growing rapidly, we are fast approaching a turnover of \$30,000.00 per year, and the raising of this money is becoming increasingly difficult each year. Fees this year raised \$9,000.00 and as usual this amount was paid to WAHA for affiliation fees. The rest of the money needed to run the Club was raised by hardworking members and parents of club members and the thanks of the Committee and all members go to this band of stalwarts. Special mention should be made of Betty Riley, "Spud" and Vi Farmer and their helpers from the social committee for running the club raffle and a number of successful socials throughout the year. Secondly to Wyn Andrew, Debbie Darling and their helpers for another successful lamington drive and thirdly to Bruce Porter for the hardwork he put in raising over \$4,000.00 from sponsorship. The amenities account has again been able to pay for the rent at Buzzacott and my thanks to Robbie Dalgleish for looking after this account and standing in for me while I was on holidays. Thanks again to "Spud" and his helpers and drinkers for keeping the bar going.

If we are going to be a successful 1st division club financially in 1984 it will need a special effort by the committee with the support of all club members. Things like, support your social and bar committees, reduce our fines to WAHA, approximately \$180.00 this year for umpiring and results, pay your fees early, there are still about a dozen outstanding for this year.

"If you want to play for Melville you have certain obligations, meet them".

In conclusion I would like to thank the committee and the members who helped to make the job a little easier through the year.

W. Forward
Treasurer

SOCIAL COMMITTEE REPORT

The Social Committee wishes to thank all the wonderful helpers who contributed cooking and time doing dishes, selling raffle tickets and generally assisting to make the social functions a success.

We are sure those loyal players and supporters who attended the: Barbecue, Hamburgur Night, Beef on Spit, Curry Night, Quiz, Casserole Night and Wet Barbecue were anything but underfed. We didn't make a lot of money but it was great to see the camaraderie and fun created. Lets see more people attending next year.

A special thankyou to our 52 sponsors for the delightful selection of prizes donated for our Quiz Night.

A big thankyou to the Social Committee team namely - Vida and Harold Farmer, Charmaine and Bruce Cameron, Alan Meacock, and our new members Marg Dienhoff, Cheryl Barr and Bev Mallabone.

Think about joining the Social Committee next year (the functions are approximately once a month), more hands make light work and more ideas. It really isn't all work - it can be fun too. Like when John Meacock served Jenny some ice cream down the back of his tracksuit trousers (when he was fully occupied doing the dishes) the gyrations were truly a sight to see.

All the best for 1984.

Betty Riley
Convenor

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT 1983

MAX REYNOLDS

Drawing on his experiences of handling protesters, Max was able to guide us through our Committee meetings with a good blend of tact, statesmanship, good sophisticated humour, and a cup of tea or coffee at the end. A tireless worker, Max also took on a significant W.A.H.A. workload to further the Club's cause. It is not true that numbers fell away at the Clubhouse after the games because of Max's jokes.

GRAEME MEACOCK

Continued the tradition of at least one Meacock having a finger in the Club's management. Extended the influence of the Meacock's early in the year by making Ms. Corbett a Mrs Meacock. "Grizzle" has the calm exterior to be the Club's senior selector, but can show an explosive mood on the ground, hence his intimate knowledge of the backs of goals.

BRUCE PORTER

Bruce's style of play on the hockey field showed through at Committee meetings he worried a few newcomers early in the year - but only until they realised he had a heart of gold underneath. Bruce also performed well as a hustler for rounding up sponsorship and ran a great Sponsors' Luncheon.

JOHN ANDREW

Breezed in from time to time with grass cuttings and sand in his pockets, creosote on his shoes, and white paint on his clothes, to let us know the grounds were in order and shed some knowledge on obscure facts. A great contributor to the Club.

PAT SPENCER

Having trained all summer with her own gymnastic apparatus (won at a quiz night) Pat bounced back at the start of the year to get us all organised and operating. Unfortunately for us she had other commitments as well and had to pull out midyear.

LYN DILLON

Quiet, methodical, very tactful (always sits on one of the two smallest chairs at Committee meetings) and supplied a great block of chocolate. Lyn joined us late in the year to assess the pull of the reins and will be controlling them as we go into 1984. With Michael Wood, provided new blood on the Committee and some fresh views.

VIDA MEACOCK

Vida sat on the other small chair at Committee Meetings, consequently we usually only saw the crown of her head and her right hand with a pen in it. Occasionally we would see her nose and eyes as she looked fondly at Grizzle, and occasionally even her mouth when she would raise it above the table to ask what someone said. An excellent minute taker, but it is rumoured we will lose her to netball next year.

ALAN BRIMS

Academic, computer whiz kid who endeavoured to get everyone's names and addresses but some people really do prize their privacy. Deputy minute taker but didn't show the same flair with these as he did with his match reports.

BILL FORWARD

It is not true that Bill's holiday midway through the year was taken using the surplus of the Clubs funds. Bill would have liked it to have been, but he runs such a tight ship that we only broke even. The only smoker on the Committee, Bill often left the table on cold nights to smoke beside the fire, so he didn't annoy us with his smoke. Such a big, warm heart.

ROB DALGLEISH

Bills deputy, but a hard man to track down when not at a meeting or playing a game of hockey. This was because of his practise of moving into houses without an address or telephone. Won an art award during the year for some creative ramodelling of one of his fingers.

RICHARD AGGISS

Displayed that his interest in the Club extended beyond the hockey field by attending most of the meetings that were held while he was in Perth, and always contributed constructively to discussions through his knowledge of management in other Clubs. Represented the Club on a number of occasions as our W.A.H.A. delegate. Richard had a tremendously successful year as our coach and as the Australian coach.

MICHAEL WOOD

Provided new blood on the Committee, and represented the juniors strongly and fairly. Has an admiral obsession to get junior parents more involved in the Club, and to get senior players more involved with the juniors. Also a great advocate of indoor hockey, and may even take up a stick himself next year if we have a veterans team.

JEREMY ALLEN

It was rumoured that he tried to manipulate the Club by the power of his pen, but the truth of the matter is that he just liked writing. Some also thought he had too much influence with the selectors. If this was true it was very effective because he was part of the Club's most successful senior team.

BETTY RILEY

Runner of social functions, quiz nights and raffles, Betty was convinced that our meetings started at 9.45 pm. Or did she just cunningly skip all the actions from minutes and correspondence discussions. Continued this year the great work she has done for the Club over the years, and picked up another grandchild on the way.

AND IN CASE YOU HAVEN'T HEARD IT ENOUGH ALREADY - DON'T FORGET THE
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING TO BE HELD ON MONDAY 21ST NOVEMBER AT THE
CLUBHOUSE COMMENCING AT 7.30 P.M. SEE YOU THERE.

3B PRELIMINARY FINAL V PERTH

Half Time 0-1
Full Time 2-2
Extra Time 2-3

Best Players: Alan Dick, Bruce Porter, Ian Halliday
Goal Scorers: Max Currell, 1; Ian Halliday, 1.

"How could a team which won five less games than us during the season be much opposition." Such a thought may have contributed to this disappointing end to the season for this team which won the Cuth Ardagh Pennant for its grade. Perth came out the underdogs with nothing to lose but a lot to win and played with great determination and purpose. Some of our players just never got going, but despite this the team rallied in the second half and forced the game to extra time. Play in extra time was fast and furious and very even, and it was a great disappointment that the final result came from an inconsistent (if arguably correct) decision to award a penalty stroke in the final minutes.

6A V UNIVERSITY PRELIMINARY FINAL Half Time 1-1

Best Players: M. Briede, I. Munns, Full Time 1-1
J. Allen, T. Brooks. 1st Extra Period 1-1
Goal Scorers: Brooks, Allen 1. 2nd Extra Period 2-1

It was a real crowd pleaser Preliminary Final. A long, hard fought game in which we were in the "D" far more, but University were so determined and had a goalie in superb form, and it took us 98 minutes before we got the winning goal. Best Players were named but all players did great things during the game. Danny at left half and right inner, Ron in the goals, Geoff at right wing and Alec at centre forward immediately spring to mind as people who did many good things. We eventually won because we maintained discipline, we wanted to win, and we were all scared stiff about relying on our ability to win on strokes. We must endeavour to play this sort of hockey next week, and if we do I'm sure we will take the Premiership. Thanks to our Commander-in-Chief, John Cole who called the changes from the sideline and helped guide us to victory.

UNDER 11C V WILLETTON PRELIMINARY FINAL

Half Time 1-3
Final 2-4

Best Players: Team Effort
Goal Scorers: Simon Brien 2

Willetton once again proved they were the stronger team. Full credit to all the U11C's. They have done very well this season to have reached the Preliminary Final. Our players began well with Simon Brien scoring the first goal with a well positioned push, but within a few minutes Willetton quickly equalized. From then on Willetton gathered momentum and added two more goals. A good save by Darren Bain, our goalie when Willetton was awarded a penalty flick.

Half time we were down 3 goals to 1.

Second half Simon scored once again and we seemed to improve and show more determination, Willetton then added one more goal from a penalty corner. Our players all tried hard and were valiant in defeat.

Many thanks to Eric Bain our coach, Peter Brien, players, parents and supporters for a good season.

1B GRAND FINAL V OLD WESLEY

Half Time: 0-1

Full Time: 2-1

Best Players: Matthew Spencer, Kim Ewasechko, Des Toomey (unofficially picked)
Goal Scorers: Brian Matthews, Matthew Spencer.

A good crowd of Club supporters turned out to see the 1B's win the 1983 Premiership in a really exciting game. What a finish!!

The game started with Melville making some excellent forward moves for about 10 minutes, and it looked as though we would run over Wesley. However, this was not to be as Wesley lifted its performance putting up a wall in defence and using their extremely fast and skilful centre forward and right wing to go into attack again and again. Also, when we were coming out of defence they pressured our defenders into making several errors. During this period they scored 1 goal from a penalty corner, while Grant made several excellent saves to keep us in the game. When we went forward we seemed to lack cohesion, our trapping was poor and Wesley had most possibilities covered. Our only effective attack came from Alan who frequently burst through and set up Matthew down the right. Wesley were undoubtedly on top during this period but our defence fought all the way to limit them to one goal.

At half time Richard spoke quietly but effectively, as the boys really turned it on in the second half. Noticeably, Kim completely cut out his right wing, John cut out the centre forward and became effectively employed in attack, and Matthew Spencer really started to fire at centre forward. We were now pressuring Wesley's every move and they started to lose their composure, and with each minute we got better. Our first goal came from a well placed penalty corner struck by Brian. The second goal came with 11 seconds to go when the spectators had decided we would win it in extra time. With 40 seconds to go Tom decided he would go for a run down the left wing. As the seconds ticked by he slowly weaved forward and into the "D" right into a Wesley wall but he laid the ball off to Matthew who was free on the top and made no mistake. A great game, and well done team, coach and manager.

6A GRAND FINAL V SUBURBANS

Half Time 0-0

Full Time 3-1

Best Players - a true team effort

Goal Scorers - Albert Mackertich 2, John McIntyre 1.

On Thursday night prior to the game things looked bad. Gary Dienhoff had a badly pulled hamstring from the previous week, Gary Adams was under a cloud with a groin injury and Albert Mackertich was still suffering from a dislocated shoulder picked up in the second semi. A lot of telephoning around to locate someone who could fill Dino's boots turned up David Ogilby from the under 17's, and then Shagga got a clearance to play with the use of pain killers. Finally, a meeting of the 'oldies' in the team just before the game decided to take the risk and play a strapped up Albert.

The first half of the game saw a very even, hard fought, physical contest in which we went into the "D" more often but both teams had equal numbers of corners. Suburban using their long ball, run on tactics looked dangerous a couple of times but tenacious tackling by Nigel, Ian and Ron held the line. After stirring talks by Ace and Dino at half time we came out determined to win. The half line really lifted itself, taking the ball forward and putting good passes through to the forwards. The forwards for their part ran over the Suburban backline, and broke into open spaces time and time again. The decision to play Albert was justified when he scored two goals and set up John for the third. When Suburbans did break back the halves got back and with the deep defence repelled them. It was a great game to play in.

U17 GREEN V OLD AQUINIANS

GRAND FINAL

Half Time 0-1

Full Time 0-3

A disappointing finish to a good season. After some very hard final round games and a tight semi final match we did not come back after the week's break with the will to win.

The ground was in a shocking state and did not lend itself to our style of play - but it was the same for Old Aquinians and on the day - they deserved to win.

Once again we did not convert any of the short corners.

For the second time this year Scarborough 1B did not provide the allocated umpires and for a grand final game this is a disgrace. Something should be done about this next year.

Well it is all over for this year, it has been a pleasure managing the team and I wish the Club all the best for next year.

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AHA! HERE I AM AGAIN - ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING FOR 1983

MONDAY 21ST NOVEMBER AT 7.30 PM

VENUE - THE CLUBHOUSE

SENIOR

PROFILES

Club Coach: Richard Aggiss

Senior Selectors: Graeme Meacock
Bruce Porter

1B TEAM PROFILE

Manager: Wally Meacock

Coach: Richard Aggiss

The Club's skilful top team has won the Guth Ardagh pennant for 1983 and is assured promotion to First Division in 1984. For the leadership shown by coach Richard Aggiss and the dedication and effort provided throughout the season by Captain Paul Meacock and each member of the team the Club members are indeed indebted.

Our attack scored over seventy goals for the season and our defence conceded only twenty goals. These figures bear testimony to the consistency and dominance of the team throughout the year.

THE TEAM

COACH: RICHARD AGGISS

Runs enjoyable and well structured training sessions and provides many enjoyable anecdotes from those regular international forays with the Australian team. Has provided mature leadership and highest quality coaching for the top squad.

CAPTAIN: PAUL MEACOCK

Played consistently well at left inner and always promoted the need for positive support to team mates.

VICE CAPTAIN: DARRYL DEDMAN

An excellent season in which he showed brilliant stickwork and 110% effort at all times. Combined very well with his captain and set up many goals. An excellent conversion rate for penalty strokes throughout the season.

GOALIE: GRANT HYMUS

Grant came to us from Suburbans and again won selection in the State U21 Colts side which played in Darwin. Courageous and talented and well respected by his team mates.

MIKE JENSEN

Jeno, also a new club member, quickly established his place in the top side and was our most consistent full back over the year. Fast and reliable, he has shown the benefit of Richard's coaching and made a fine contribution to the team.

BRIAN MATTHEWS

"Bazouka", although he missed a number of games and was "promoted" to the twos for a while, continues to show his class at full back and will be needed in first division in '84.

DES TOOMEY

Des. has had his best season with the Club and played at half back and full back with dogged determination and skill.

KIM EWASECHKO

Kimbo came to us from Canada and has been a great ambassador for his country. His hockey has improved a great deal and his friendship is valued by members of the team. Played at left half back.

1B TEAM PROFILE continued

JOHN MEACOCK

Fred toured the U.S. and Canada as Vice Captain of the successful ADHOK team this year. When he returned he moved from left half to centre half and always gave the best of his skill and experience to the team.

SIMON FORD

Played the first half of the season as Centre Half and then took Sue and Daniel off to live in Essex. "Cuz" has been missed by his friends in the Club.

MATTHEW SPENCER

Has developed into a skilled and aggressive forward and played with success at wing and as inside forward. Has finally overcome his injury-accident problem and will do well in first division next year.

DAVID ANDREW

David is a much improved player who is now using his great speed to the team's advantage. Played at right and left wing and improved with each game.

ALAN MEACOCK

As one of the 'seniors' of the team Al always looked dangerous and used skill and physical thrust to break through the defence. Served the team faithfully at right inner.

RON CHESNY

Ches was the hungry spearhead of the team and was the team's top scorer for the year with some brilliant and aggressive field goals to his credit. Carried on Fred's tradition as "fine-master" and made a fine contribution to the team.

Others who played with us during the year were:

- David Porter -- Kept goals with distinction and didn't lose a game.
- Andrew Ford) -
- Dean Revell) Both up and coming young midfield players.
- Tom Woodford -- Showed brilliant stick skills.
- Kelvin Lambert) -
- Rob See) Contributed to a win against Perth.

Our Supporters

President Max and all those loyal supporters - thanks very much - hope we can win a few games for you in '84.

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2A TEAM PROFILE

Manager: Norm Kidd

Coach: Richard Aggiss

1983 was a year of mixed fortunes which finally resulted in the team being relegated to 2B's for 1984. We drew no less than six games and in such a tight grade, had some of these resulted in wins we may have even finished in the four. However, this was not so and we must now look towards a better performance next year.

GRAEME MEACOCK

As team captain Grizzle put in a lot of work both on and off the field. He played his best hockey late in the season as a fast and vigorous right winger.

PAT MATTHEWS

Showed great skill in the forward line. Unfortunately due to study commitments he was unable to train and this prevented him showing his true ability.

GREG ARGEAT

Had a good season in the last line of defence. Greg was always reliable and enthusiastic even when things were not going so well.

STEVE COLE

Joined the team in the second half of the season and took over from Grizzle as centre back. Always put in a good game.

GARRY BROCK

A recent import from KIWI land who played fast and vigorous hockey in the forward line. Loved umpires and showed great voracity when debating decisions.

RALPH HUDSON

Also answers to ROLPH. Played great hockey at left half back. Always reliable and improved as the season went on. Was badly missed when promoted to 1Bs for several games.

DAVID ANDREW

Was troubled with injury early in the season and was unable to produce his best. David hit his straps in the second round and on his performance at right wing was promoted to 1Bs for the remainder of the season.

TOM WOODFORD

Tom joined the club late in the season and showed a lot of ability in the forward line. A very casual character both on and off the field.

CRAIG HARPER

Promoted from the three's halfway through the season and played strongly at centre forward. Harps has improved tremendously and his fast run on game gave a lot of strength to the forward line.

ANDREW FORD

One of the youngest members of the team having been promoted from Under 17's last year. Andrew played consistently throughout the season at right half back and has the potential to be a top player. Must learn to concentrate on the game - not umpires.

2A TEAM PROFILE continued

DEAN REVELL

Another of the younger members of the team having also been promoted from under 17s last year. Dean has a lot of ability and with a bit more weight and muscle will be a very effective player next year.

BERNARD ROGERS

The youngest member of the team having been promoted from under 15s last year. Bernie is a talented goalie and played strongly throughout the season. He was selected in the under 16 State Schoolboy team which competed in Melbourne. Bernie has a very bright future.

RICHARD AGGISS

Dodgers presence lifted the team either when playing or coaching from the sidelines. A tremendous leader whose efforts were greatly appreciated by all team members.

NORM KIDD

Manager - tended to aches and strains and mixed a good drink.

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Also Played:

- DAVID FORD - until injured.
- KIM LANGLANDS - good effort early in the season.
- DAVE PORTER - filled in as goalie - one game.
- DES TOOMEY - promoted to 1Bs early in the season.
- GEOFF RANFORD - helped out at centre half back - one game.
- IAN HALLIDAY) - helped out on several occasions.
- BRIAN MATTHEWS)

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3B TEAM PROFILE

Manager: Bruce Porter

Mentors: Max Currell
Ian Halliday.

The Club's 3rd Senior side has this year been the most successful for many years having won the Guth Ardagh pennant and regained 3A status. The team lost only 2 games in the qualifying rounds but unfortunately did not have similar success in the finals. The team was an interesting combination of young and old which has proven to be a successful formula. Captain Max Currell and Vice Captain Ian Halliday were largely responsible for leading the team to success with strong experienced on field play (and vocals) and astute positional moves. When Max and Ian put their heads together anything could happen and generally did. On one occasion we found ourselves running with 2 right inners and several times we ended up with 12 players on the field!! Such astute strategy undoubtedly confused the opposition, umpires, spectators, players, Max and Ian.

MAX CURRELL

Team captain, full back, tactician extraordinary and oldest and most experienced member of the team. A speedy and tenacious defender and was often the last line of defence that thwarted many attacks to keep us in the game. Also a very creative player, setting up many attacking moves out of defence. Still thinks he's playing for Applecross despite reminders by the opposition.

IAN HALLIDAY

Vice Captain, specialist centre forward and prolific goal scorer. Played most of the season with the 3B's and reluctantly helped the 2A's out on a number of occasions. Ian says he'd like to retire to a slower pace of hockey but with his experience and ability the Club won't let him. Co-ordinated the forward line attack during the season and is himself absolutely deadly anywhere near the goal mouth. Must have eye balls in the back of his head or buttocks since that is where he seemed to receive most of his passes.

GEOFF RANFORD

Joined the team late in the first round and has proven to be more than capable in a variety of positions. In the second round Geoff found a real home at centre half and excelled at that position with his strong ball control, skilful passing and ability to read play. Achieved 2A promotion late in the season. The best thing about Geoff is his girlfriend - one of our stoutest supporters.

ALAN DICK

First season in senior ranks and proved to be a most talented player at the left inner position. Possesses very skilful ball control which many times enabled him to penetrate the tightest defences. Also has a tremendous hit and scored some driving goals during the year. Played a number of 2A games during the season and his abound ability saw him selected in the State U17 Team.

3B TEAM PROFILE continued

NIGEL CLARK

First year in senior ranks and acquitted himself well at the left full back position. So well in fact that we lost him to the 2As for part of the season but we were glad to have him back towards the end of the round. Proved to be a very strong player and wasn't afraid to commit his body in defence of our goal.

MIKE NORTH

Our goalie and a seasoned veteran of this grade. Not only provided sound goal keeping during the year but also a good deal of common sense and settling advice when the pressure was on. Made many good saves and received a lot of hard knocks for his trouble. We just hope he's not smart enough to stay away next year.

KIM LANGLANDS

Joined the team in the first round and as I understand it this is his first year in senior ranks. At the time we needed a full back and Kim filled that position capably although reluctantly. Possesses strong ball control and also played several 2A games.

ALEX CAMERON

Played full back last season and was pleased to be given his desired left half position this year. Proved to be a strong and tenacious defender and provided powerful drive for the team down the left hand side. Also made a number of spectacular goal line saves in cover defence.

ANDREW DOYLE

First year in senior ranks and joined the team midway the first round. Andrew's sound ball control and uncanny ability to pivot and hit off the back foot sealed the left wing position as his own. Scored a number of very difficult goals from the left and was responsible for setting up many more.

WARREN SLATER

A very fit, fast and tireless player. Played the majority of the season at centre half, where with his strong attacking drives and tenacious defence he assisted many of our first round wins. During the second round Warren moved over to right half where he acquitted himself equally as well. One interesting aspect of Warren's game is his unusual foot wear, featuring ventilated toe caps - the team will be taking up a collection to provide new shoes next season. Also achieved promotion to 2As and was voted our fairest and best player for the year.

GARY BROCK

Is a fleet footed New Zealander and is undoubtedly one of the fastest players in the club. Joined the team in the second round and provided good drive at the right inner position. Scored a number of good running goals and if the ball could have only kept up with him more often there would have been more of them. Also played 2A's during the season.

3B TEAM PROFILE continued

WILLIAM (WIZZA) DOYGLE An experienced senior player and unquestionably the best right wing in the team. The main thrust of our attack often came with lightning speed and aggression down the right hand side capped off with a rocketting cross pass - full backs beware!! Also scored a bag full of goals this season.

BRUCE PORTER Team Manager, water boy and general dogs body. Sees himself as an ex forward retiring to the half back line. Will play anywhere on the field and generally did.

CAMEO APPEARANCES

DEAN REVELL Started the season with us but proved to be too good and was soon grabbed by the 2A's.

GREG HUNT An experienced and talented player but we really couldn't pinch the 4A captain as often as we would like to have.

BIG DAVE TIMMEL Plays a strong defensive role but the 4's got upset whenever we stole their key players.

DAVID PORTER 1A goalie retired to centre forward, played with us twice, adding much needed forward line aggression and contributed a couple of goals.

VERN TIDY Young, aggressive and tireless, it made me dizzy just watching him.

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ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 1983, MONDAY 21ST NOVEMBER AT 7.30 PM

VENUE -- THE CLUBHOUSE.

4A TEAM PROFILE

Manager: Frank Williams

Mentor: Greg Hunt

ANDREW ROGERSON 'Cool' Blue always came through. His nonchalant ability and superb timing always baffled his opponents. As full back or half back he was sure and steady, a valuable person in the defence.

FRANK WILLIAMS Frank always seemed to enjoy his game and the sportsmanship he displayed was a credit to him. He never failed in his managerial role even when he was injured. Franks confidence and skill multiplied in this grade. Produced two consistent supporters.

PAUL WILKES 'Sleepy' never seemed to be 'with it' but his cool stickwork left his opponents dumbfounded -- not to mention his own team mates. Unfortunately his usual goal scoring abilities didn't shine as much this season.

"DIGGER" STEWART Whether 'Digger' is just a busy person or he disliked the captain's 'inspiring' pre-match talks, his late arrivals to the games never affected the amount of control and experience he brought to the team. For those who don't know he also answers to Greg.

RANDALL SKINNER The man behind the armour. It took some coaxing to get Randall back into the ranks, and once we got him we didn't let go of him. It was comforting to know that Randall was guarding our goals. He has a great future in hockey but is attracted by sailing.

RAY FORWARD Ray's dedication to his team and the game was a tribute to him and a plus for the team. The America's must have had an attraction because for the last few games Ray just couldn't get back into his normal game. It is always a pleasure to play alongside Ray.

GRAEME BELL Graeme spent some time this season on the sidelines, but was always ready to fire when he was called upon. It was obvious that when he put his mind to it his skills really shone.

DAVE PORTER Dave came from right down the back to right up the front and showed very early on in the season that attacking goals was more attractive than defending them. He slotted some very classy goals and set the example for the other forwards.

VERN TIDY Vern showed the ability on many occasions that made him attractive to the 3's but when we had him he always made a difference to our attack. His strong attacking and tackling was the medicine we needed on many occasions.

DAVE TIMMEL D.T. was the aggressor in an otherwise subtle defence. He repelled many attacks and many attackers. His loyalty and interest in the team was flawless and his advice was invaluable. What does concern me is that he can score as many goals in one game in 3's as in a whole season in 4's.

4A TEAM PROFILE continued

MALCOLM FARMER

Mal proved himself a worthy rightwinger and short corner goal sneak. It was evident that when Mal fired so did the rest of the forward line. His stickwork baffled many a left half and when he really used his head he was unbeatable.

CRAIG BARRETT

Craig was one of the most consistent players in the team. He was a very dependable full back and had the confidence of his team mates. Not many forwards got past him without knowing they had worked for it.

GREG HUNT

The one who was voted as the person who would sign the card at the end of each game and give those boring lectures at half time. Still one of the most skilful players in the club, even though he is rapidly becoming one of the slowest. Looking forward to seeing how he performs next year as a married man.

1983 didn't turn out to be a very good year for the 4A's, but a couple of wins instead of losses would have seen us gain a berth in the finals. The competition was hard fought and for the last few games only a couple of points separated third from second bottom. The most exciting part of the season was watching the confidence and skills grow in each player in our team. It was also promising to see the leadership qualities coming out in a few members of the team.

Our thanks must go to those others who played for us at some stage during the season:

Davey Ford, Andrew See, Mike North, Graeme Meacock, Craig Harper, Geoff Ranford and all the others. Also the infamous goalie B. Starface whose face was never seen (thanks Bernie).

Here's to 1984 - the hockey and the friendships.

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5A TEAM PROFILE

Manager: Geoff Morris and helpers Mentor: John Pickering

Not the most successful year for the 5's in comparison to others in recent times. Nevertheless, in the circumstances could be considered to be unlucky to miss out on the final four, considering the talent available in the side. The competition in the 5A grade was extremely close with no side being assured of victory. Regretably during the year we were forced to play one player short on a number of occasions which costs us points and in retrospect probably cost us a finals position.

CRAIG LANKASTER

Bomber - Goalie
An excellent first round from Craig saw us concede the least number of goals in the competition. However, in the second round Craig had a mid season slump and only really returned to something like his best form toward the end of the year. Still a pretty good season all told.

5A TEAM PROFILE continued

BRIAN SPITTELLER

Left Fullback.
The father of the club. Brian manages to couple his business interest with the occasional game of hockey. A reasonable season from Brian but it could have been better. Perhaps the burden of those 50(?) years is beginning to have an effect.

NIGEL ATKINSON

Left Fullback.
Played a number of games for us early in the year before returning to the 6A's for greater glory. A good solid player who always contributes no matter which grade he plays.

JOHN PICKERING

Right Fullback.
Got the job because he bribed the selectors. Started the year in the 6's hoping for fewer stresses, but answered the call to help the 5's again.

ROBBY DAGLEISH

Left half.
A good year for Rob until a hit on the hand in the second last game caused a chipped bone and much to the chagrin of the club vet, a severely distorted finger. Thankfully the injury wasn't as bad as it looked. All in all a solid season from Rob with the occasional flash of brilliance going into the forward line.

GEOFF MORRIS

Centre Half - Captain.
A good performer who never stops trying. It is probably fair to say that Geoff is the team barometer, when he played well the rest of the team played well, and vice versa. He is the lynch pin of our defence and prepared to link with the attack at first opportunity.

ANDREW ROGERSON

Left half, right half.
Andrew played a number of games with us when we could pinch him from the 4's. Always a good contributor.

ROD MacLEOD

Right half, Right inner.
The oldest player in the side and a player with good skills. Inclined to enter discussions with umpires which occasionally cost him time behind the goals.

ANDREW BOYD

Right Half.
Andrew came out of retirement to play 6's and we eventually forced him into the 5's. He has undoubted skill and started to find his real form toward the end of the season.

ROSS READ

Left Wing, Right Wing.
A young player who came to us from the U17's. Always a trier who took some time to settle into senior hockey. Will be a better player next year and we can expect a lot more from him.

5A's TEAM PROFILE continued

MAL FARMER

Right Wing, Right Inner.
A good young player whose form caught the selector's eye enabling him to win promotion to the 4's toward the end of the first round.

BRUCE TURNER

Left Inner, Right Inner.
A busy player with good skills who links defence with attack. Bruce was pinched from the 6's during the year and once he settled into the team was a valuable contributor.

BRUCE CAMERON

Centre Forward.
At one stage Bruce was the leading scorer in the grade. His form early on was good but dropped away in the middle of the year. A good player who has an undoubted ability to score goals from any angle.

TERRY BROOKS

Left Wing, Left Inner.
Another player pinched from the 6's. Terry is fast and skilful but if he has a fault it is that he doesn't score as many goals as he should. Always a trier and a valuable member of any side.

JOHN McINTYRE

Left Wing, Right Wing.
John's main attribute is his pace which when he is in form makes him a very dangerous forward. His form this year has been mixed but it was highlighted by a superb goal against Fremantle in the second last game of the round.

JOHN OLIVER

Right Wing.
John joined us for the latter part of the season. His form has been good and his strong hard running caused problems for most defences. Still I suppose a player with 1B experience could be expected to shine, eh John?

Others who played, Kelvin Lambert, Craig Barrett, Warren Slater, Albert Mackertich.

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6A TEAM PROFILE

Manager: Jeremy Allen

Mentors: John Cole
Gary Dienhoff

A tremendously successful year for a team that played enjoyable, hard hockey. These were the team's achievements.

Challenge Cup Pennant
Guth Ardagh Pennant
Premiership Pennant
Won the Club's 100th pennant during the year.
First senior A grade team in the Club to win a Guth Ardagh Pennant.
First senior A grade team in the Club to win all 3 Pennants for their grade in one year.
Second senior A grade team in the Club to win a Premiership Pennant.

At the start of the year John Cole and Jeremy Allen used their influence to bring together a group of older players who enjoyed hockey, and a few younger players who were keen and had legs. The combination worked well with 14 wins in the 16 qualifying games (we only had 8 players for one of the losses), during which we scored 75 goals and conceded 18. Taking into account Challenge Cup and Finals games it was 84 goals for, and 22 goals against. A pretty fair effort.

The team's success revolved around competence, discipline, a will to win, and an excellent team spirit. Thankyou all players and supporters for a great year.

RON COCHRANE (Goalie)

Ron retired last year, but after somesweet talking returned to join us about 3 games into the season. Only conceded 10 goals in the qualifying rounds, and four in the finals - this is testimony to his contribution to the team. No forward ever got around Ron, and he has one of the best sliding tackles around. Regular Thursday night trainer at the bar.

IAN MUNNS (Left Full Back)

Ian's quiet personality hides a fierce determination which we see on the field. Slight of build, but he doesn't hesitate to bowl over any opposition player who gets in his way. Being a youngster he could easily go up the grades, but after 2 very successful years in the 6's one suspects he enjoys the grade.

NIGEL ATKINSON (Right Full Back)

Described by one umpire nominating best players as "that short, rotund, bearded character", Nigel was the third member of our great deep defence team. His combination with Martin Briede, and his pin point hitting from out of defence started many attacking moves. Time and again he dispossessed forwards because of his deceptively quick reflexes, and because the forwards didn't realise how wide of Nigel they needed to go to get past. A great year for Nigel.

6A TEAM PROFILE (continued)

STEVE MARTIN (Left Half Back) Started the season a little heavy but he gradually lost weight and improved his fitness. Left us after the first round to go to Europe and put on weight again. Always reliable and very few right wings enjoyed their games when Steve was there.

DANNY ROBERTS (Left Half Back, Left Inner) One of our two Ag. Dept. vets, Danny trained during the week by chasing sheep and commuted from Narrogin to play on the weekends. He significantly reduced the size of his bottom this year and as a result got engaged. Danny has an uncanny back stick trap and this is invaluable on the left side. He played outstanding team hockey this year, rising to top class performances in the Challenge Cup and Finals games. We hope the Ag. Dept. doesn't move him any further from Perth next year.

JEREMY ALLEN (Centre Half) The team manipulator, who seemed to have more pull with the selectors than Geoff Morris, but he did lend some players to the 5's during the second round. Was part of a very imaginative, if slightly slow, half back line which created many attacking opportunities for the team.

JOHN COLE (Right Half Back) Ace started the season full of keenness at playing again after a years lay off. He still had all his skills and flair, and had soon led the team to top of the ladder. Unfortunately, tragedy struck and we had to carry Ace off the field. Nevertheless he supported and led the team from the side line for the rest of the year, which was greatly appreciated.

ANDREW BOYD (Right Half Back) Made a comeback halfway through the first round and we quickly grabbed him. A great barefoot player. We held him long enough to play an important part in our Challenge Cup win, then he took his tantalising stick work to the 5's.

MARTIN BRIEDE (Right Half Back) Luckily for us Martin turned up looking for a game near the end of the first round just when he had lost our other right halves. He got best player his first game and never looked back. Always had a smile and really enjoyed his hockey. Combined well with Nigel and Jeremy.

6A TEAM PROFILE (continued)

GARY ADAMS (Left Wing)

Started off the season playing his best hockey for years, then went up to the 5's and seemed to lose his sting. Luckily for us Gary was eligible for both the Challenge Cup and Finals, in which his robust style of play softened up the back lines. A great team and Club supporter.

TERRY BROOKS (Left Inner)

The team's legs, Terry was the fastest man in the grade and other teams never could understand just where he came from with his lightning back tackles. A key player in the team and had a personal achievement when he completed the season without missing a game through injury - although he did need a few stitches in his head at one time. His elation at winning the Preliminary Final almost resulted in the decapitation of Jeremy.

ALBERT MACKERTICH (Centre Forward)

Thankyou Albert for coming to the Club and to the 6A's. Albert has a driving desire to score goals, and an ability to match that desire. He scored 32 goals from 16 games with us, to be one of the top individual goal scorers in hockey this year. He was the teeth of a good team, and we were all grateful to have him. Hope to see you next year Albert.

GARY DIENHOFF (Right Inner)

Architect of the forward line, who dealt out timely tongue lashings at half time when we needed it. Now a lot slower than he used to be Dino used his hockey sense to be in the right place at the right time, whether in defense or attack. He set up Albert quite a few times, and scored a few himself.

GEOFF RILEY (Right Wing)

Best positional right winger in the competition, and a tenacious fighter. The one weakness in his game is his hitting, but every now and then he unleashed a beauty, and usually scored. Usually brought along his own cheer squad, but was late for one game because the squad has just increased by one.

JOHN McINTYRE (Left Wing)

Trained in the 6's last year, up to the 5's during the first round this year, then back to us just in time to play in the finals. John has tremendous potential because of his speed and stick skills, but must learn to play his position and curb his occasional tendencies to lead towards the centre, if he wants to reach that potential. I hope he does because good specialist left wings are hard to find.

6A TEAM PROFILE (continued)

ROSS READ (Utility)

Came down to us from the 5's during the second round and found it hard to hold a permanent position in an established team. Ross is a strong player who loves to run, but is perhaps a little over keen. This last trait frequently resulted in him being found out of position, even though from the best intentions. He showed on a couple of occasions that he has the potential to be a good right winger.

Others who played with us during the year included Graham Hetherington, Rod Macleod, Kingsley McGuire, John Pickering, Alan Brims, Bruce Turner, Fank Williams and almost Kelvin Lambert. Special thanks to Alec James and David Ogilby who played with us in the Finals.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

MONDAY 21ST NOVEMBER

AT THE CLUBHOUSE AT 7.30 P.M.

RESERVE WHITE TEAM PROFILE

Manager: Alan Brims

Mentors: Kingley McGuire
Bruce Cadd.

OWEN FERGUSON

Materialised halfway through the season to fill the worthy position of goalie. Although he was absent from the club for a short while, Owen returned to dazzle us with play that was matched only by his consumption of fermented beverages after the game.

RAY BACKHOUSE

Returned triumphantly to the club: spare no praise for this champion. Often seen sailing across goals (in the classic pose), with or without an approaching ball.

KINGSLEY McGUIRE

The backbone (and voice) of the team (I would say 'father figure', but he's not that old). His overwhelming concern for all but the other team makes him a venerable oracle of the club.

PHIL READ

One of the most determined people I have seen. Often seen dodging around opponents while they're still wondering where he came from. Bears a striking behavioural resemblance to Mad Max.

BRUCE CADD

Acting Captain (did a real life job though). Always started at centre half back, but usually came forward to form a rear striking position (struck a few rears as well). A memorable season (sorry about the long words, Bruce).

ANTHONY JOHNSTON

Walked all over his opponents (what would you expect with legs 7 or 8 feet long?) Always strode down the sideline like a Martian War-Machine, often making a solo run to glory.

JOHN KYLIE

Originally had ideas about being a goalie, but it was decided he was too important mid field to just stand around. John got the crowd applauding (shouting, belching, etc) many times with his magic displays of the finer arts of hockey.

PETER MALE

Always ready for a laugh, or a snide comment about the half time drinks ("Is it alcoholic?") Seemed to make running motions up and down the wing, with the casual goal or two.

NOEL McROBERTS

A talented newcomer with copious quantities of speed and skill. He was equally adapted to life in the forward and back lines, apparently relishing the fame of being a goal scorer. Opponents were seen to shrivel under his hairy glare.

ALEC JAMES

Began a good season with his generous 6 goals in the first game, and didn't look back (he went too fast). Alex formed the spearhead of a sweeping attack. Always appeared to flit through the wreckage of the opponents.

RES WHITE TEAM PROFILE continued

BRUCE CAMERON

Decided to ascend to a higher grade of hockey from the 5A's. Bruce shone like a star in the void of the opponents 'D'. A welcome visitation who blessed us with his skill.

STUART MEREDITH

Drifted in with Noel (or vice versa), and stayed for the drinks. Stuart's game was a colourful display of rare skill, perception, logic, speed, headband, blue and red T-shirt (later changed to a plain maroon T-shirt) and matching socks. A prosperous first season.

IAN MITCHELL

The gentleman of the team (makes you wonder what the rest of us were). Always brought his own spectators with him, but induced applause from anyone watching. He had a remarkable ability to zip into the same location as the ball, usually chalking up another one for the team.

ALAN BRIMS

Gangly character who served up the vile drinks at half time. Pretended to be the team's manager, and had dubious hockey skills. Was also responsible for the silly match reports which had nothing to do with the match just played. Where did we get him from?

JUNIOR TEAM PROFILE

CO-ORDINATOR: MICHAEL WOODS

U17A TEAM PROFILE

Manager: Keith Shields Coach: Darryl Dedman (11)
(Ian Caldwell at start of season).

DARRYL DEDMAN

Coach - The thanks of the team and of the manager go to Darryl. He trained the lads 2 nights per week, attended 95% of our games, plus starred in his own hockey career. His quiet to the point advice before, during and after the games was missed for that other 5%.

KELVIN LANDERT

Captain - A fantastic player to watch, when in full flight down the right wing. His speed has to be seen to be believed. Guts, determination, but most of all a true position player, and an asset to any team.

GRAHAM HETHERINGTON

Right Inner - has also been known to volunteer for fullback, although I think in future he may consider the change a little longer. Another aggressive and determined player who gave great support to Kelvin on the wing. These two together can be a match winning combination.

IAN REID

Left Wing, Half Back, Utility Player - the sort of player any team is proud to have. A determined, thoughtful winger and a particularly aggressive back player with a great knowledge of the rules of the game. But most of all will chop and change his position to suit the coach or manager anytime at all.

CRAIG SHIELDS

Left Inner, Utility Player - A quiet player who nevertheless set up numerous goals from the left side, and also put away quite a few of his own during the season. A position player who always tried hard, even quite surprisingly as a defensive player.

BRADLEY FRANKEN

Right Half Back - a reader of the play, always anticipating the opposition forward. His determination, especially when back tackling, was great to see. Never afraid to ask the opinion of coach or manager. He is an asset to his team.

DEREK FRY

Goalie - One of the most thoughtful goalies I have seen in my association with hockey. A gutsy, determined player, with great reflexes and understanding of the most difficult position on the ground.

The above boys are grouped together because they will all become seniors next year, and can only help to improve the club's standard in the future. Thanks very much fellas. It has been a pleasure to be associated with you this season. All the best for your future in hockey and hope to see you back with the club next season.

DAVID PALLOTT

Left Wing. Another of our speedy forwards who always gave his best during the season. Unfortunately his season was cut short by his accident at school hockey, but he still came to most games to support his mates.

GLEN SPARK

Centre Forward - A determined and very skilful player who always gave his best, and played his position at all times. May have preferred to play other positions but will be a definite asset to any team next season at centre forward.

GEOFF FORDES

Left Wing - special thanks to Geoff who came into the team to fill in and had to play many half games, and even sit out a few. A very speedy winger who should really come into his own next season with the A team. I look forward to seeing him play next season.

U17A Team Profile (continued)

DAVID OGILBY

Centre Half - A terrific centre half with skill determination, and the ability to read the play. Has turned in some memorable games this year, but the one that sticks in my mind was the flick against Willetton - Mr Cool in person, and a pleasure to watch.

PETER BARRETT

Left Half - A great position player who has developed into a thoughtful player this season. With his ability to read the play and position himself well he is set for a great season next year.

EVAN FLOYD

Full Back - A great full back with a terrific rapport with his fellow full back. A cool, calculating player, who continually thwarted some very determined forward moves by the opposition.

ROBERT SEE

Full Back - The other half of a fantastic back line. An extraordinary striker of the ball. Some of his short corners had to be seen. His runs from full back to full forward managed to lift the whole team on many occasions.

This second group of players will be available to play U17 again next season. I personally hope they will seriously consider staying together next season as the basis of what could only be a formidable team. Thank you for your efforts fellas. The pleasure was all mine and I look forward to seeing great things from you next season. Good luck.

To Rob See, David Pallott, Evan Floyd, Paul Lambert, Peter Hewitt, Gavin Scally, Marshall McKenna, Cameron Tweedie, Ian Reid, Derek Fry, Kelvin Lambert, Brad Franken, Craig Shields and Brett Mais my thanks for performing umpiring duties on Saturday mornings at Applecross High School. Player - umpires are a necessary part of Western Australian hockey.

Finally, thanks to the parents and supporters who turned up in all types of weather, and at some odd times as well, to cheer on the lads to bigger and better things - who at times held their breaths wondering what would happen next. Thanks for your friendship and support.

UNDER 17 GREEN TEAM PROFILE

Manager: Roger Hunt

Coach: Darryl Dedman (1B)

We had a very successful year winning the Guth Ardagh Pennant on percentages, thanks to a spate of goals in the first round (21 goals in the first 3 games). We had many hard fought games during the year and there were only 1 or 2 points separating the top four for most of the year. A win in the second Semi Final earned us a place in the Grand Final. All players have contributed towards the success of the team with a full 70 minutes effort each week. We were perhaps a little too vocal at times, but were lucky not to incur the wrath of the umpires too often. Congratulations are due to all players for a fine team effort throughout the year, ably served by Darryl Dedman as coach.

ANDREW BYERS

Played most of the year at full back. A big hitter who put the wind up his opponents on many occasions with his determination to get to the ball first. Andrew scored several nice goals from short corners during the year and we look forward to a few more in the Grand Final.

SCOTT ELSTON

Played in the forward line in the early games of the first round. A very determined player with good ball control who always gave a 100% effort.

UNDER 17 GREEN TEAM PROFILE continued

GLENDON GILL

Joined the team after the start of the season. Played in the forward line and improved with each game. Glendon has a good turn of speed, good ball control but is inclined to keep possession of the ball just a little too long.

PETER HEWITT

Played most of the year at full back and put many fine games. A very capable and cool full back who could be relied on to contribute a great team effort each week. Peter is sure to be under great pressure in the Grand Final.

DAVID HUNT

Played on the left wing all year and contributed to many of our good scoring sprees in the first round. David played this difficult position and his ball control improved as the season progressed.

PAUL LAMBERT

Played on the right wing and inner all year. A very determined player who always contributed for the full game. Paul moved around well in the forward line and scored some fine goals throughout the year.

JULIAN MATHEWS

Played at right half back throughout the year. Always contributed 100% effort for the full game and could be relied on to tackle hard and clear well into the forward line.

MARSHALL MCKENNA

Played in goals all year. Marshall could be relied on to keep his cool when under pressure and made some fine saves. As goalie he had some very quiet games during the year but was always on hand when needed.

SCOTT NALDER

Played many fine games on the right wing - scored many fine goals and contributing to many more during the year. Scott has a good eye for trapping the ball and good crisp hit for goals.

BRAD REEBY

Played many fine games at centre forward and centre half back. A prolific goal scorer in the first round. Brad could always be relied on to play a captain's game when the chips were down.

GAVIN SCALLY

Played most of the year at left half back. A very determined and vocal player. Gavin could be relied on to open up the play into the forward area. Chipped in with some very nice goals when relieving in the forward line and always gave a 100% effort.

CAMERON TWEEDIE

Played many fine games at centre forward and centre half back. Always amongst the best players, Cameron earned the trophy for the 'fairest and best' for the year. Cameron could always be relied on to make the break into the forward line once he had gained possession. He made many fine individual efforts in scoring goals and contributed to many more for the team effort.

It has given me great satisfaction to have managed this team of young men for the year, with the support from a dedicated band of parents. They won most of their games during the season but accepted their defeats in the right manner. Congratulations on a game well played throughout the year and best wishes for the Grand Final.

UNDER 17 BLACK TEAM PROFILE

Manager: Alan Bell Coach: Darryl Dedman (1B)

A great bunch of young men to work with! Although the year showed a mixed result, the records do not in any way indicate the true position. We started off the year with a great variety of individuals with different levels of skills, added to this factor was the problem of having a number of players who could not get to training because of job requirements, and we had a Saturday afternoon only coach/manager (!?) which had the effect of allowing team training and instruction only just before and during the game. Finally, the boys had to adjust to a situation in which individual skills were expected and tactics only were discussed. For all our trials and tribulations, they developed both individually and collectively as a team, and displayed that endearing human characteristic so necessary today of being Good Sportsmen under any conditions.

Supporters Again this year, we were fortunate to have the support of a tremendous band of people. All the mums and dads, sharing our high and lows, rain, hail or shine, and from them come the sort of advice and support that leave no doubt about the reason why our young men contribute the way they did. Many thanks to our supporters, without your support and encouragement we would not have finished as well as we did.

ANDREW TOOP

Captain "Toopy" played right wing for a good part the year and then moved to centre half. He is a solid fast moving player with natural agility. A crisp hitter of the ball, who when he makes up his mind to go he will not be stopped! Going up to the seniors next year and should do well.

CLAYTON RYDER

Quite, dependable. Good anticipation, always give 100%, good tactical player, used during the year in many positions. Great utility player, who relishes a run on the ball and not afraid to stand up for himself.

CRAIG MITCHELL

Started the year a little green because he had not played for a while. Played half back, inner and finally on right wing. Extremely fast and agile. Skill developed well during the year. Not afraid to go in after the ball and his anticipation and position play showed outstanding improvement.

JOHN MITCHELL

Goalie. He really had his work cut out for him this year. One observation to be made for next year is to develop control of his defence in the "D". An enthusiastic member of the team. Played his position intelligently and with courage. Not in the slightest bit daunted when under pressure. Has the makings of a good "goalie". Keep at it "Johnno".

MARK BEISSEL

Played most of the year in the half back line, with odd times in the forward line as inner. A player who will give 110% in any game he plays, good anticipation, good in attack and one of those players who is not afraid to take the game up to the opposition.

IAN DARLING

Full Back. Probably one of our most enthusiastic players. Great stalwart in defence. A natural defender, goes in after the ball and clears well. Bit of a "chatter box", however, his individual performance during the year showed dramatic improvement. Always a contributor! A fine performance Ian, well done.

GAVIN CORBETT

Full Back. Diminutive in size, and started out being a little unsure of his weighty opponents. To his great credit has overcome that problem and used his natural skills to great advantage. Contributes well to the team at all times.

NEIL MCKENNA

Came to us having been out of hockey for a while. Played at half back and in the forward line. Development throughout the year has been a pleasure to observe. Loves to run, contributor (110%) to the game, has good anticipation and will always go in after the ball. A great year Neil.

SCOTT ELSTON

(Scotty). There's not a lot of him, however where he lacks in size he makes up for in skill, determination and intelligence. Played mostly on the forward line and is a great contributor both in defence and attack. Has a solid knowledge of field tactics and uses his skills and knowledge wisely.

SIMON ANDREWS

Left Wing. Quiet and determined, has developed well this year. Long and lean, give him the ball and he knows what to do with it!. Not afraid to go in after the ball and is quite determined in attack and defence. A very dependable player. Always there when you want him. Keep at it Simon you have what it takes to make a good hockey player.

BRETT MIAS

Half Back and Inner. Has also played as centre half and full forward. A natural sportsman, contributes well, good in both defence and attack. Great anticipation and is a maker of leads. Not afraid to go after the ball and not in the slightest daunted when under pressure. Gives full support throughout the game.

STEVEN FORD

Came to us late in the season. Had been away from hockey for a while. Played half back initially then went to the forward line as inner. A fast moving, intelligent player who loves to run. Likes to get possession of the ball from the oppositions. Has developed well during the year. Keep at it Steven and you will do well in Seniors next year.

STEVEN BAKER

Came to us late in the season. First year in hockey but a natural athlete. Intelligent and gives 200%. Has the makings of a fine half back. A season in indoor hockey and on to seniors next year will put the finishing touches to a good year.

GLENDON GILL

Centre Forward. "Gungadin" as he is fondly called by his team mates. We lost him to U17 Green three quarters of the way through the season, however, we still feel his is one of us mob! His contribution during this time with us was greatly appreciated. He is ideally suited to the forward line, loves to run, is a fine intelligent player who has the ability to develop a move in attack and see it well executed: Thanks Glendon we enjoyed your company and your contribution.

DER 15A TEAM PROFILE

Manager: Michael Wood

Coaches: Paul Titheradge
Tom Woodford (2A)

JOHN McDONALD

The 'red terror' custodian of our goal line. John was our last line of defence and was called upon to do a fair share of work during the season. Only missed one match - due to a big toe injury while playing in a social game against our 6A's. Fine effort.

BARRETT DARLING

Full back who certainly knows how to drive a ball. Was called on to play in the half line in a couple of matches and played with great vigor. Barry has size and will more than hold his own in the 17's next year.

ANDRE PARKER

Most reliable full back. Has a big future if his style of play this year is any indication of what is to come. Played in state trials this year to gain experience. I feel sure Andre will mature into an even more accomplished defender in next years 15's. Well done!

IAN DARBY

Had a late start to the season due to an unfortunate injury but was a tremendous asset both in defence and attack. When called upon to play in the forwards, Ian's robust play was hard to fault. A very hard runner who plays a full 70 minutes of hockey every match.

RICHARD HOOKER

Left Half back. Richard was a new recruit this year and has speed to "burn". His improvement during the year was very pleasing. His ability I feel is yet "untapped" and he was right in contention for awards this year. A very intelligent player and a good trainer.

JOHN COOKE

Centre half and skipper for the year. Doesn't say much but is thinking all the time while on the field. John is only small in stature but big in heart. Has above average skill and tremendous ball control. Not a bit afraid to make a tackle and was an inspiration to his team.

SCOTT WOOD

Right half who never stops trying. Scott was having his first year in the 15's along with Andre and Ben. Known to get quite excited when we hit the front!! Added much drive and penetration down the right side and will benefit from his desire to improve in the game he enjoys so much.

BRAD SIMPSON

Finished the latter part of the season playing left wing after filling in capably during the year as a utility forward. We will have to strap a couple of 4 x 2's on either leg to keep him standing up straight and not going down on one leg when going in to tackle. Brad will be a good acquisition to the 17's next year.

BEN MATTHEWS

Improved tremendously in this his first year in the 15's. Ben has the uncanny know how of speculating the run of play. His calls and positioning of himself to accept a pass were a delight to see. Keep up this style of play Ben and next year will be your year.

UNDER 15A TEAM PROFILE continued

- DAVID McGAW Played his early games on the wing before settling into our regular centre forward. David was consistent and has a good turn of speed and clever stick work. David is another who goes into the 17's next season and will be a good acquisition.
- NICK TWEEDIE Was our main scoring machine and earned the respect of all teams in the competition. Nick had a top year and was among the last 20 in State selection trials this year. He never knows when to stop and his ability to beat a player would be a lesson to many players in higher age teams. Good luck in the 17's next year.
- PAUL RUTHVEN A player with above average ability. Starting the year as centre forward, Paul really played his best hockey when moved to right wing. Has a fine turn of speed with clever stick work. Both Paul and Nick developed a good understanding of one another's play and worked well together.
- MIKE WOOD Manager (just one of the many jobs), drink waiter and baggage supervisor all rolled into one! A great support during the year. I think he would have been on the field with a hockey stick helping the lads if he had his way! A few more supporters with Mike's drive would be a great asset to the Club. Thanks Mike
- PAUL TITHERIDGE (Coach) Covered more territory than Burke and Wills during the year but enjoyed the season tremendously. As a relative newcomer to W.A. had the occasional habit of "getting lost" on the way to some matches of a Saturday - but finally arrived at all even though a little late on a couple of occasions. Don't worry parents if your sons start saying things in their sleep like "SQUARE" - "FLAT" - "THROUGH" - "CORNER" as these words must have been used so many times - but sadly they weren't used by the boys quite enough. A good effort boys and thanks for your support.
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UNDER 15 RED TEAM PROFILE

Manager: Alex Reid Coach: Geoff Morris (5A)

This group of Under 15 players did not gain many honours this year, but did win several games, played some good hockey, and enjoyed the season. There was also some distinct improvements in hockey skills during the year. The team won 5 games, drew 1 and lost 12. It scored 47 goals, and conceded 59. It was never disgraced in any of the losses, showing that with a little more experience and determination it could be a force to be reckoned with.

Many thanks to Geoff Morris for coaching and putting up with us, and to Alex Reid for managing us and looking after us whenever Geoff couldn't make it to the game. Also, thanks to Warren Mitchell and Tom Potts for helping out when Alex was unavailable. Special thanks to Evan Coopes for picking up the bag so often.

GARRICK AYERS Garrick joined the team for the last few games, after we lost some players through injury and overseas trips. A willing chap, Garrick always had a pleasant disposition, and threw himself eagerly into his hockey. Lacked somewhat in pace, however.

UNDER 15 RED TEAM PROFILE (continued)

EVAN COOPES

Captain of the team and solid as a rock at Full Back. Evan was (almost!) always the master of the situation and rarely lost his cool. His only weakness seemed to be when he came up against small players, when he was clearly afraid he might trample them! Evan has very good hockey skills and can be expected to perform well in the under 17's.

SCOTT DILLON

Played in goal all season, apart from a couple of occasions when he was let out on good behaviour! He did some very good work in goal and also showed great determination and skill on his occasions out on the field. He lacked a little confidence in himself at times, but should develop well next year, either in goal or out on the field.

WARREN FYVIE

Left Inner or Left Wing. Warren seemed a little out of his depth for the first part of the season possibly because he was one of our smallest players. However, he kept working at it, and showed some real skill and determination later in the season. He also will be a most valuable U15 player next year.

STEVE HANCOCK

Left Half and Left Wing. Steve is a hard working and dependable player, with a very easy going disposition. His basic hockey skills are sound, but he lacks a little in pace (takes after his father in build, I guess!). He doesn't have his father's big voice, but shares his love of hockey. A pleasure to have in the side.

JUSTIN HOLT

Full Back. Justin's biggest claim to fame was his sweeping tackle: when executed at top speed, this was guaranteed to give his coach and manager heart failure. His used this less and less as the season wore on (perhaps he figured the spectators had very strong hearts!) In fact he combined very well with Evan and has improved as a full back.

WAYNE JOHNSTON

Left Wing, Left Half: Wayne also joined the team for a few games towards the end of the season. He willingly contributed whenever he was asked to play, and showed some skill and determination. At times was outrun by the opposition.

NICK LAW

Right Inner, Centre Forward, Wing: Nick is an able and enthusiastic forward, always looking to attack and throw himself into the play. Scored 12 goals. He did have a tendency to wander around the field somewhat (when playing at wing this was not marked!), and needs to work a little on ball control skills. However, when moved to inner and centre forward, his determination was rewarded with three hat tricks.

GAVIN LEE

Centre Half, Right Half: Gavin pursued his task persistently throughout the season, often in an unassuming but always workmanlike fashion. His stick skills are great, and ball distribution usually sound. A little more aggression is going to be called for in these older grades of hockey, but that will come with age and height. All in all, a very good and reliable player.

UNDER 15 RED TEAM PROFILE continued

ROBERT MITCHELL

Centre Half, Right Inner: Most of the season played at centre half, where he performed quit well. However, he seemed to have off-days, when nothing would to right. When moved to the forward line, showed a lot more determinat and scored several goals. If he wants to purs centre half, must work on ball distribution an constantly thinking about where the best directions to direct the attack are.

BRENT PARKIN

Left Inner: Was the main focus for attack for the team until he left for Bangkok 2/3 way through the season. He scored 12 goals, and demonstrated very good ball control and goal sense. He was a hard worker and used his skill at tackling and dribbling to good effect. A fine performance, Brent.

ROGER POTTS

Left half, right half: joined the team half wa through the season, and quickly showed that he is a player of great skill and enthusiasm. Always worked hard and showed a lot of pace whe needed. Also showed he is a capable of playing in the forward line. His only weakness is that he lacks some confidence in himself. A very promising player.

TIM REID

Centre forward: adapted rather well to this position, though was equally capable anywhere in the forward line or half back line. Has very good basic skills (some of his trapping had to be seen to be believed!) and terrific determina ion (most of the time!). His only flaw was a slight tendency to try to do everything himself. Unfortunately, a knee injury kept him on the sidelines for a lot of the season.

MICHAEL TITHERADGE

Right wing, centre forward: Mike had patches of brilliance during the season, when he showed what he is capable of. However, he didn't seem to have his heart in the game for a lot of the time, which was a little disappointing from somewne who showed such promise last year. You have the basic skills, Mike, so work on your fitness and determination.

UNDER 15 BLACK TEAM PROFILE

Manager: Jack Bruinsma

Coach: Frank Williams (4A)

GARRICK AYERS

A steady player with a good head. Joined the Under 15 Reds toward the end of the season.

DAVID BAKER

Started the season in good form and maintained it throughout. Reliable and a ton of courage.

ANTHONY CICCATOSTO

An intelligent player with a steadying influence. Should prove a most valuable player in years to come.

PAUL HARRIS

A budding player who has developed good skills. Finished the year on the wing and showed class and speed. A very good team player.

UNDER 15 BLACK TEAM PROFILE (continued)

- PAUL HARRIS A budding player who has developed good skills. Finished the year on the wing and showed class and speed. A very good team player.
- WAYNE JOHNSTON Missed a few games and joined the Under 15 Reds late in the season. Wayne will succeed through speed and skills.
- PETER NICOL Finished the season on the wing and showed dashes of brilliance. Has the ability to destroy the opposing backline.
- BRAD NEWMAN A sound player with a strong desire to win. A really good team mate.
- DARREL SMITH Started the season as full back and from thereon played nearly all other positions. Versatile and skilful. A player of the future.
- SHANE WAY During his first season has developed into a stylish and reliable half back. A pleasure to have in any team.
- DAVID BRUINSMA Started the season as full back and handled the position with courage and determination. Missed the last two games through sickness. Should improve further next year.
- JAMIE ROBINSON Joined the team halfway during the season and made an immediate impact. Played mostly at centre half back and became a reliable springboard for the attack. Calm and strong. Should become a great player.
- KEITH YEO Joined the team after a few games and proved a valuable addition. Strong and fast, he provided the team with many opportunities. A player with a good future.
- COLLIN YEO A heady player, very reliable and determined. Started as a half back and became a key player after a late start to the season.
- NATHAN JONES Another of our first year players. Took a little while to settle down and then proceeded to demolish the opposition. Scored most goals and will no doubt score many more in the future.
- ALAN AWACHE Played only a few games. Showed plenty of promise and with discipline could be brilliant.
- PETER NICHOLSON Joined the team halfway into the season and showed after a few games that given the opportunity he can be a real asset to the team. Fast thinking and explosive, next year should be a good year for Peter.

I would like to thank all the boys for the way they responded to every challenge. From mostly raw recruits, our team fought every other team with a fresh and undaunted attitude. Despite our early losses, towards the end of the season we were a danger to all the teams and won our fair share in the end. A top effort boys. Thankyou also to Mike Baker and Frank Williams for their support. Frank took over the coaching towards the end and the boys profited a lot from his guidance. Thanks to Mike for standing in from time to time, and providing the drinks during the season. Also parents and others who helped with transport, oranges, etc. The team appreciated your support.

UNDER 13A TEAM PROFILE

Manager: Colin West

Coaches: John Sanders
Rod MacLeod (5A)
Ian Tweedie.

This team finished fourth in the 13A competition. After being re graded from U13 Red. They won the U13 Red Challenge Cup and were undefeated in that grade.

NIGEL BARRETT (Left Full Back). Played consistently all year. Nigel is developing into a more than useful defender. This year he put extra effort into his game and improved his hitting and trapping. If he is prepared to increase his fitness and mobility he will improve further. Goes to Under 15 next season.

MARK BLACKER (Left Half Back). Talented half back who gives all in every game. Played some great games this year and on many occasions turned defence into attack with aggressive moves down the field. Has good ball control and is a determined tackler. It was bad luck for mark and the team when he developed a knee injury four games before the end of the qualifying round. We hope this gets better as he has a big future in hockey. Eligible for U13 again next year.

JUDSON CLARK (Goal keeper) Fearless goalie with a ton of talent. Jud has natural ability to play in goals and this season played extremely well with sound displays of keeping and kicking. He is not afraid to meet an attacker and on many occasions gained possession of the ball using a slide tackle. Keep it up Jud. Eligible for U15's next year.

SCOTT FORBES (Right Wing) Played mostly at right wing but had some runs as an inside forward. Very fast runner of the ball with good ball control. Has a nice cross pass. Showed good skills with his stick work and scored several goals by being in the right spot at the right time. Combined well with the rest of the team. Goes to U15's next year.

MARK MALLABONE (Centre Forward). Tenacious forward who runs all game. Scored some great goals with individual efforts this year but also combined with the other forwards. Mark covers a lot of ground looking for hits and has the ability to put the opposition under pressure with his hard running. Has nice stick work. Goes to Under 15 next year.

JONATHON MATTHEWS
(Right Full Back) Steady defender who is improving with each game. Should try to improve his fitness and mobility as hockey today demands it. Played some solid games, particularly early in the year but found after regrading that he couldn't afford to make a mistake. John never stops trying and if he is prepared to develop his fitness and skills will be a good player for Melville. Goes to U15 next year.

UNDER 13A TEAM PROFILE continued

IAN LAURENT (Right and Left Wing)

Ian was a reserve for the team and consequently played many half games. He is an enthusiastic player who has a knack of scoring a goal just at the right time. Tries all the time and has deceptive speed. His basic stick work and skills improved during this year and he will develop into a very good player. Also goes to U15's next year.

CRAIG LUNT (Right inside)

First year with Melville. A very talented player with nice touch and ball control. Seems to lose a bit of enthusiasm if his game isn't working and needs to work on this. Has tremendous potential as he has all the attributes. Played some very fine games (on one occasion scoring six goals) and combines well with his winger. Under 15's next year.

GRAHAM REID (Left Inner, Left Half Back)

Courageous little player who had trouble early finding a spot in the side. Once settled in played very well. Showed ability with his stickwork and passed intelligently to his team mates. Filled in at left half back later in season and held the position well. Has the ability to pull an impossible goal out of the bag and did this on occasions. Under 15's next year.

JOHN ROBINSON (Left Inner)

John played the first half of this season but then volunteered to play with the 13B's when we were restricted in reserves. John is a quick moving forward who tries very hard. Scored some excellent goals this year and combined well with the other forwards. If he continues to improve should develop into a fine forward. Under 15's next year.

DRARG RICHARDS (Right Half Back)

Very talented young player who has a bright future in hockey. Showed exceptional ball control and defensive skills in this position and should continue to play in the half line. Has the ability to develop into a great centre half if he is prepared to put in the work. Did not play a bad game and tried hard on all occasions. He passes the ball intelligently and only needs to mark his opponent a little closer. Well done Drarg. Still eligible for U13 next year.

UNDER 13A TEAM PROFILE (continued)

ANDREW SANDERS (Captain -
Centre Half Back)

Hard working centre half who covers lots of ground. Tends to try to do too much, but on most occasions it paid off. Has good trapping and stick skills and tackles aggressively. Some games Andrew covered from side line to side line in an endeavour to get the team going. He is very fit but needs to take care that he doesn't use his enthusiasm to run into trouble. Had a good year by playing some excellent captain's games. Under 15's next year.

BRETT SHIELDS (Left Wing)

Fast left winger who should have been used much more. Brett played many good games and showed he could develop into a top player. Scored several goals from this position and proved he could handle this difficult role. Needs to be a little more determined to retain possession of the ball but in all played well all season. Under 15's next year.

JEFFREY WEST (Vice-Captain,
Left Inner,
Right Full Back)

Jeff played several positions this year when the team needed spot filler. He is a versatile player who tries hard always. Has good stick work and a powerful hit. His best position is right half back but we couldn't afford to play him there. He is a determined player who has the ability to gain possession of the ball. Is not afraid to apply a hard tackle which he can do with his long reach. A great team player. Under 15's next year.

U13B TEAM PROFILE

Manager: Mall Dennett

Coaches: John Sanders
Rod MacLeod (5A)
Ian Tweedie.

This side was a pleasure to manage. There was not one instance of poor sportsmanship or unacceptable behaviour all season from any player (or parent!).

In the first round the side finished second, and narrowly lost the Challenge Cup (4-6 to Victoria Park).

After regrading to U13B they had more trouble winning matches, but were fully competitive in a strong competition. The players were a mixture of experienced and relatively new players, and won most matches by hard work and determination. The side would have benefited greatly from an experienced coach at each match, to build team skills. Thanks to interested parents who can be proud of their season's effort.

DAVID BERGL

A good left inner in his third year with the club. Frequent goal scorer and a key to our attack.

JEFF LEE

One of the smaller players with a ton of courage. A particularly memorable game against Victoria Park players twice his size. A winger, sometimes moved to defence to help out.

UNDER 13B TEAM PROFILE (continued)

IAN WOOD

A particularly enthusiastic, competent player, effective in position from fullback to forward. Second year with the club and often in the goal scoring and best player counts.

ANDREW MALE

One of the most consistent hard workers, at half back or forward. Particularly good cheerful attitude to the game.

WAYNE CHAMBERLAIN

A second year player who showed a lot of improvement as the season progressed. Started on a wing and moved to full back and had some good games in both positions.

ANDREW MULCAHY

Top goal scorer, including six in one game. A powerful striker of the ball, with good skills, particularly in attack. Will have his sixth year with the club in U13 next season, and should be worth watching.

ANDREW OGILBY

Goalie extraordinary. A very calm, capable young man. Unruffled by attacking hordes and penalty flicks alike. Won several matches by himself by refusing to let the ball in. A fifth year player going to U15 next year.

KAREN JONES

New to the club and to hockey this year. Undaunted by the opposition or the task of being a lady novice hockey player. Immediately won acceptance. Worked as hard as anyone, to the stage of getting a unanimous best player award from umpire and spectators in the second last match.

PAUL DENNETT

With Ian Currell, Donald McWilliam, Andrew Mulcahy and Andrew Ogilby, in his fifth year of hockey with this club. Tireless half back and frequently in the best player awards. Should have an even better year in U13 again next season.

GREG KERR

A second year player, normally in the forward line. Scored some valuable goals and stick skills continue to improve.

GREG NICOL

New to the club and will be an asset as a person and a player, especially as he grows in size and experience. Improved each match as an inner or wing.

IAN CURRELL

A fifth year player with considerable skill as half or full back. Unfortunately moved to Geraldton half way through the season.

PATRICK BOWEN

New to the club and developed very quickly into a good full back. Played a brilliant game against Dianella to celebrate getting a new hockey stick.

DONAL McWILLIAM

Transferred to us from the U13C's to strengthen our half back line. A most reliable hard worker with good skills. In his fifth year with us, with another year in U13 next year.

Other boys who played with us during the year included -

John Robinson
Brenton Buss
Tim Galloway

U13C TEAM PROFILE

Manager: Ian Tweedie

Coaches: John Sanders
Rod MacLeod (5A)
Ian Tweedie.

RORY AAMODT

Half back/Full back. Nuggetty and determined defender, who showed dash and persistence throughout. Controlled the ball well, and cleared strongly. Always willing to help out in various positions, was once in goals, and always did well.

FLETCHER BARR

Full back. A strong and reliable player, often the mainstay of the deep defence. Overcome an early tendency to play too much down the middle, and improved his hitting and clearances as the season progressed.

BRENTON BUSS

Forward. Played several positions before settling as Centre Forward. Inclined to be tentative early, he learned to make position and feed off to his inners to some effect, and held down his position well.

JOHN D'ALTON

Centre half. Started as a forward, and scored a number of goals early in the season, before finishing as a strong and skilful centre half. Has good skills, and shows all round speed and ability, with only occasional slight lapses in concentration.

WARWICK FRY

Goalkeeper. A strong and aggressive keeper who was always hard to beat and could always be relied on to make life difficult for opposing forwards. Very good in one-on-one situations, he had an excellent season and has a fine future. Even scored a goal!

TIM GALLOWAY

Full back. Lacks a little speed, but showed plenty of application as the season progressed. Did a good job as stand-in goalie on several occasions, and improved his position play and understanding from game to game.

LUKE HARRIS

Right wing. Developed speed, understanding and skills throughout the season, to become an ever reliable avenue of attack, making good position and combining well with his inner. Has made excellent progress this season, and will become a very good player if he keeps it up.

ROGER KUHLMANN

Utility. A dashing, strong running, hard working half back or forward, Roger could always be relied on to put in maximum effort, and provide drive and aggression to the team. Sometimes tried to hit the cover off the ball, but played well all season, and was top scorer for the side.

MATTHEW LEACH

Full back. Played mostly at full back, where he had some difficulty in covering very fast forwards, but developed understanding as the season progressed, and improved his clearing hits considerably. Also played some games as inner, where he did some good work.

UNDER 13 C TEAM PROFILE continued

CALLUM McALINDON

Left wing/inner. Had an unlucky season, as injury and illness prevented him from playing more than half a dozen games. He showed a lot of tenacity and promise in these, scoring twice in each of his last two matches, and always giving a never say die effort. As his stick skills develop to match his speed, persistence and courage, he will make an excellent player.

DONALD McWILLIAM

Centre Half. Ended the season in the B team, where he did well, but in the earlier games had been the mainstay of the defence. Tireless and able, he always worked very hard and showed skill and ability in driving the side forward. Sometimes inclined to try to do too much himself but rarely beaten and a good team man.

WAYNE PAGE

Right inner. Strong and capable forward, who did a lot of work throughout the season combining defence and attack. Never put in a bad game, and developed a good understanding with his wing, while always ready to help his half backs and provide a lead forward.

CHRIS PALMER

Left inner. A skilful player who played his position well and demonstrated good ball control and goal sense. Could be a bit more forceful at times, but always gave support to team mates and was a useful avenue of attack.

LANCE PERRY

Left wing. A new player, he lacked confidence and ball control skills early, but in the last few games realized that by keeping his eye and stick on the ball, and pushing ahead, he could trouble opponents and send the team forward. Showed pleasing improvement.

GLENN TWEEDIE

Left half. A solid player, with very good ball control, who played his position well throughout and never gave up. Inclined to commit himself too much in tackling, but never stopped trying, and directed the ball well to team mates.

SIMON WADDY

Left wing. Began at full back, but moved up to forward later in the season, and showed signs of improvement in position play and ball control. Always tried hard, and aimed to co-operate with other team members.

UNDER 11 C TEAM PROFILE

Manageress: Mrs Pat Wellington

Coach: Eric Bain

First would like to mention
People who don't get much attention
Parents and supporters don't you agree!
Without them where would hockey be.

Many thanks to them all.....

Sincere thanks to all the team members on their efforts this year. Well done C's to finish 4th on the ladder and in the finals. * Special thanks on behalf of players and parents to Eric Bain our Coach - his time and efforts were fully appreciated by all. Our thanks also to Mr Brien for his time and support at training every week. Its been my pleasure to have been associated with the Ulls this year.

(* The C's won the first Semi Final in extra time, but lost in the Preliminary Final.)

SHANNI BARR

Our young lady of the team has been a worthy team member this season. She has shown this by her consistent games each week. Well done Shani.

DARREN BAIN

Has good concept of his position at right full back and when in full concentration gives good sound hit outs on sixteens, and knows what is expected in his defence role.

SIMON BRIEN

Our top goal scorer. Mainly played inner, with the last few games on the right wing. Certainly likes to be in the action and his efforts made many forward moves.

ALAN BARHAM

One of our young gentlemen of the team, has really come out this season. His goals were a credit to him as was his staying in his correct position.

ANDREW DIENHOFF

Centre Forward. Andrew could also be found in his correct position at all times and quietly contributed well each week. A good team member.

TIMOTHY DIENHOFF

Our youngest team member who has a few more years to gain more experience in the Ulls. He played his position to the best of his ability always. Well rewarded with a goal in his first season of hockey.

NICHOLAS HAMMER-SMITH

Nicholas has shown he can be a tenacious player and always gives his best effort. A player who took his training seriously, it was a real pleasure to have him in the team.

NATHAN KENNEY

A versatile and reliable player, having shown this last season as a sound goalie, and this year as left inner scoring many goals on the forward line. A player whose consistent effort was very rewarding.

UNDER 11C TEAM PROFILE continued

KEITH MARSTEN

A young man who when he begins to take his hockey seriously, especially at training will definitely show the ability I'm sure he possesses. Aply filled his goalie position.

DARYL SMITH

Daryl joined us halfway through the season and ably played different positions each week. Goalie, backline and forward. A versatile team member.

BARRY WELLINGTON

A very mobile and tenacious player at centre half. Tries to give his best effort always and has been a good reliable team member. Good season Barry.

MATHEW WRIGHT

Another player who played different positions, finishing at left full back. The potential he showed last season wasn't fully seen this year. Next year in U13s will bring out his capabilities I'm sure.

UNDER 11E TEAM PROFILE

Manager: John Pozzi

Coach: Eric Bain

STEVE ADAMS

Has been an effective full back all year, with his strength being his strong hits out of defence. Just needs to concentrate on his game a little more and this will improve his game greatly.

SIMON ATKINSON

With one year of playing under his belt Simon was one of our more experienced players, and this was apparent with his consistent performance throughout the season, and should go on to better things next year.

TODD BARRETT

One of our small brigade at age 8, and his first year of hockey. Spent most of the early games running around without laying stick to ball but has shown a great improvement over the past few weeks. Keep it up.

GRANT BRIDGE

Tries hard each week and has been rewarded with some good games during the season. Has improved on his stick skills and will be a useful player next year.

JEREMY GALLOWAY

Has been a busy player mid field and always tries hard. His stick play has improved over the season and should enjoy a good season next year.

MARCUS HODGE

Played in a number of positions through the year and always tried hard. His stick skills have improved over the season. Keep up the good work.

TERENCE LEACH

Joined us half way through the season and at age 8 found it hard to get into the game initially. However, over the last couple of games he was able to get involved more and will show improvement in the coming seasons.

IAN McWILLIAM

Another of our first year players who over the season has shown improvement, especially in the last couple of games. Keep up the good work.

UNDER 11 E TEAM PROFILE continued

HEATH POZZI

Had a good season first up and put a lot of effort into his game. A strong tackler and is prepared to pass the ball around.

JARRAD POZZI

As an 8 year old and his first year, Jarrad had a very good season. Had the opportunity to play in many positions and adapted well. Well done.

PAUL SIKIRICH

A first year player who performed very well at full back with strong hitting and tackling and also did a good job as goalie. Has been a most reliable player though the season.

PETER WELLS

Again, another 8 year old who had a very good first season. His tackling and strong hitting from full back was reliable through the season and he also tried hard as goalie.

SCOTT MUIR

Played only a few games for the season. Always keen and fitted in well wherever he was placed. Full season next year will benefit him more.

Although this team of young boys only won one game and had one draw during the year, they had an extremely successful year. This was because they played for the enjoyment of the game, and enjoy it they did. Many of the boys have several more years in the under 11's and we all hope they keep playing. They are the future of the club.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

MONDAY 21ST NOVEMBER AT 7.30 PM

VENUE

- THE CLUBHOUSE