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Mission

The mission of the Australian Lacrosse Association Ltd. is to further develop all forms of lacrosse as a progressive, widely recognised and popular team sport within Australia, and maintain Australia's position as a leading lacrosse nation.

Board of Directors

President	Mike Slattery
Vice President	Vivienne Parker-White
Director (Administration)	Vivienne Parker-White
Director (Marketing)	Andrew Harris
Director (Competition)	Jan Jackson
Director (Officiating)	Graham Sharpe
Director (Growth-Development)	Mike Slattery
Director (Coaching)	Glenn Morley
Director (High Performance)	Paul Mollison



Life Members and Fellows

Women's Lacrosse Australia Life Members

1989 Mrs. Joy Parker (Deceased)	1996 Mrs. Jan Jackson	2002 Mrs. Fran Maunton
1989 Mrs. Rae Reid (Deceased)	2001 Ms Sue Gandy	2009 Ms Shelley Maher
1996 Ms Fiona Clark	2002 Mrs. Vivienne Parker-White	

Lacrosse Australia Fellows – in order of appointment

Harold Horner (Deceased)	George Tillotson (Deceased)	Doug Fox OAM
Laurie Turnbull (Deceased)	Phil Humphreys	Malcolm Stokes
W.G. (Don) Hobbs (Deceased)	A.R.V. (Russell) Page (Deceased)	Don Rudderham
Clive Carr (Deceased)	O. Cedric (Zac) Isaachsen (Deceased)	Peter Hobbs
E.L. (Len) Berry (Deceased)	Ken Forrest	Noel Jeffrey
Henry Volk (Deceased)	Bill Brown	Don Reymont
Frank Lansbury (Deceased)	L.W. (Bill) Taylor (Deceased)	Brian Griffin
Terry Allington (Deceased)	Peter Drew	Leighton Beamsley
Harold Balinski (Deceased)		

Merit Awards

Women's Lacrosse Australia Merit Awards

2003

Cathy Conaghty, SA
Eric Freeman, SA
Judy Thurgood, SA
Kathy Benger, SA
Margaret Pallant, SA
Mary Pickett, VIC
Colleen Hunter, VIC
Lynne Pike, VIC
Margaret Barlow, VIC
Noel Smith, VIC
Sandy Grant, VIC
Shelley Maher, VIC
Sue Clerk, VIC

Fay Taylor, WA
Geoff Goddard, WA
Helen Goddard, WA
John Ballarine, WA
Kellie McBean, WA
Lyn Johnson, WA
Nicole Badham, WA

2004

Helen Keane, SA
Rachel Rees, TAS
Shaned Omond, TAS
Kris Palmer, VIC

2005

Jenny Williams, SA
Anne Tattersall, VIC
Max Madonia, VIC

2008

Joann Lewis, NSW
Phillip Schiff, NSW
Jenny Krause, QLD
Courtney Hobbs, SA
Sascha Newmarch, SA
Sarah Falcione (Aston), SA
Trish Adams, SA

Catherine Chambers, TAS
Brent D'Alton, TAS
Anne Kingston, VIC
Gail Sedgeway, VIC
Nick Bugeja, VIC
Sue Gandy, VIC
Sue Sofarnos, VIC
Dennis Banyard, WA
Faye Beaman, WA
Karen Mau, WA

Lacrosse Australia Merit Awards

1946

Mr Justice Abbott, SA
A. E. Harvey, SA
K. A. Brock, SA
J. S. Muecke, SA
C. McKenzie, SA

F Lancelot Parsons, SA
C. H. Schulz, SA
A. J. Lees, SA
R. H. Kestel, SA
J. D. Lee, SA

C. A. M. West, SA
H. Rule, SA
G. Hall, SA
J. R. Gordon, SA
A. M. Tonkin, SA

A. Bertrand, SA
H. Hockong, SA
J. Martin, SA
R. J. Cook, SA
T. L. Fulton, VIC

1948

W. J. Lampard, VIC
S. Frupp, VIC
W. McR. Russell, VIC
I. J. Taylor, WA
H. A. Wodd, WA
A. R. V. Page, WA
W. H. Whiteman, WA
E. R. Berry, WA

J. L. Beattie, VIC
H. Rolph, VIC
A. G. Hudson, VIC
W. J. Bruce, WA
D. S. Aarons, WA
D. C. Johnson, WA
E. F. Johnson, WA
F. Horner, WA

A. E. G. Webb, VIC
G. Grey, VIC
H. R. Balmer, VIC
C. E. M. Hickey, WA
G. Clarke, WA
J. L. Carden, WA
F. B. Hicks, WA
L. O. Burlinson, WA

R. Coldstream, VIC
G. J. Flood, VIC
R. W. Elliot, WA
H. J. Carmichael, WA
H. B. Angus, WA
H. G. Clifton, WA
T. Stewart, WA
G. A. Kennedy, WA

1953

H. Rudderham, WA

E. L. Berry, WA

R. H. Angus, WA



1954

R. G. Cathie, SA
T. D. McCormack, SA
W. J. B. Symonds, SA

1955

J. M. Dobbie, VIC
C. F. Landsbury, VIC
E. W. Axford, VIC
R. Wheatley, WA
F. McKenzie, WA

1956

E. Selth, VIC
P. H. Shappere, VIC

1961

N. R. Jeffery, VIC

1962

C. R. Carr, SA
K. Buchanan, VIC
C. G. Middleton, VIC
L. M. Taylor, VIC

1966

V. Sigmont, SA
E. R. Sexton, SA
G. L. Arnold, SA
J. E. Worrall, VIC
T. Allington, VIC
C. P. Weatherill, VIC
A. E. Weaver, WA
J. P. Brewer, WA
N. J. Kidson, WA

1970

K. Nesbitt, SA
L. W. Norley, SA
R. W. Turner, SA
C. C. Gregory, VIC
R. Proctor, VIC
C. Allman, WA

1974

J. B. Goodale, SA
A. F. Chiron, VIC

1975

M. Redfern, WA
K. Sugars, WA

1980

T. Pinnington, SA
R. Prior, SA
P. Koschnitsky, SA
G. Lee, VIC
C. Coates, WA

K. J. Gellert, SA
C. F. Melbourne, SA
M. B. Selth, SA

E. L. McIntyre, VIC
H. Volk, VIC
A. L. Evans, VIC
J. Morrison, WA
H. V. Horner, WA

1957

O. M. Robertson, VIC
E. Biddle, WA
W. Brown, WA
K. Forsythe, WA

1963

H. M. Plaisted, SA
J. C. Wiles, SA
K. A. Francis, SA
R. N. Ponton, VIC
E. F. Corrigan, USA
B. F. Blight, WA
P. R. Stratton, WA
V. B. A. Ellis, WA

1967

F. C. Coggins, SA
R. D. C. Alexander, SA
D. B. Hamilton, SA
N. A. Melville, VIC
H. Wodsworth, VIC
P. Simpson, VIC
H. Balinski, WA

1971

R. Bartle, SA
E. W. Blackler, SA
A. C. Cugley, VIC
R. L. Newbold, VIC
H. R. Smith, VIC

1977

K. R. Waite, VIC
E. F. Spreadborough, VIC
J. W. Daw, VIC
N. T. O'Brien, VIC
W. A. Keen, WA
R. A. Stratton, WA

1981

R. G. Peters, SA
B. J. Griffin, WA
G. J. Hill, WA
D. A. Rudderham, WA

D. G. Gorman, SA
L. J. Oats, SA
A. H. Taylor, SA

S. McCorkell, VIC
P. G. Unkenstein, VIC
L. F. Banyard, WA
R. V. Byers, WA

1958

L. T. Hewitson, SA

1964

O. C. Isaachsen, SA
P. Gottschalk, SA
I. W. Wiles, SA
H. Holloway, SA
W. L. Gray, VIC
G. Smith, VIC
H. E. Sterck, VIC
P. J. Reid, WA
F. Banyard, WA

1968

R. G. Holden, VIC
B. Newgreen, VIC
L. K. Rodda, VIC
E. V. Downes, QLD
J. Cowling, WA
F. B. Radford, WA

1972

D. G. Gomer, SA
H. D. Miller, VIC
A. Pearson, VIC
K. Speakman, VIC
I. Spiers, WA

1978

R. K. Wood, SA
G. A. Minniece, VIC
D. F. Reyment, VIC

1982

C. Scarvelis, SA
P. M. Smirk, WA
M. J. Stokes, WA

W. G. Hobbs, SA
J. Langdon Parsons, SA
A. J. Vial, SA

J. M. Hodges, VIC
W. K. Tickner, VIC
F. King, WA
A. Swan, WA

1960

T. H. Fewster, SA
W. S. Watts, SA
K. B. Roennfeldt, SA

1965

H. R. F. Anderson, SA
K. S. Forrest, SA
M. J. Kindermann, VIC
F. D. Hogarth, VIC
J. T. Daw, VIC
P. J. Turnbull, WA
(ALC Nominee)

1969

V. W. C. Medlin, SA
K. S. Forrest, SA
P. J. Drew, SA
L. Barrett, VIC
F. F. Durham, VIC
G. F. Tillotson, VIC

1973

W. Daw, VIC
R. J. Marshall, WA
L. N. Gaunt, WA

1979

P. B. Hobbs, SA
B. R. Denton, SA
P. A. Humphreys, VIC
D. W. Fox, VIC
L. W. Taylor, VIC
R. J. Reiger, WA
G. P. Rose, WA

1983

D. Stevens, SA
J. Swann, SA
J. A. Harris, VIC
J. R. Gunn, VIC
Mrs. J. Clayfield, VIC
J. Kennedy, WA



1984

W. Hobbs, SA
 L. Goding, VIC
 T. W. George, VIC
 A. Inglis, VIC
 I. Toy, WA
 J. (Jan) Brewer, WA

1991

G. Revell, SA
 T. Peak, SA
 R. Whiteman, WA
 G. Taylor, WA

1995

Dennis Mulroney, SA
 Craig Treloar, SA
 Graeme Reddaway, VIC
 Colin Mounsey, WA
 Stephen A. Mounsey, WA
 Lindsay Scott, WA
 John Edward Denic, WA
 Raymond Trevaskis, QLD

1999

Eric Freeman, SA
 Robert Mollison, SA
 Steve Dawson, SA
 Alan Black, VIC,
 Robert Pettit, VIC
 Alan Rolley, VIC

1985

E. Granger, SA
 G. Gatley, SA
 G. Fox, VIC
 G. J. Tillotson, VIC
 R. Alaimo, VIC
 B. Trickey, VIC
 P. Stiglich, VIC
 G. Sharpe, VIC
 F. Hastings, WA
 B. Jackson, WA
 W. Magee, WA

1992

M. Muxlow, SA
 R. Flett, SA
 J. Buxton, SA
 G. Elder, VIC
 B. Moore, VIC
 B. Stahmer, VIC
 P. Cann, WA
 F. Poat, WA

1996

Peter Noble, SA
 Leighton Beamsley, VIC
 (ALC Nominee)

2000

Basil Greenhalgh, SA
 Robert Carter, SA
 Ross Keen, SA

1986

R. Taylor, WA
 T. Riordan, WA

1987

T. Tomlinson, SA
 J. Downie, VIC
 R. Joy, VIC
 P. Mollison, VIC
 J. Keen, WA

1993

R. Waite, VIC
 R. E. Jackson, VIC
 B. Groves, WA

1997

Graham Hobbs, SA
 Andrew Erskine, SA
 Mark Polden, SA
 Stephen Spreadborough, VIC
 Mark Hickey, WA
 Mavis Owens, WA

2003

Mark Mangan, SA
 Allan Gandy, VIC
 John Nolan, VIC
 Kevin McRae, VIC
 Doug George, VIC
 George Halleen, VIC

1989

D. Reyment, VIC

1990

A. Carr, SA
 E. Nicholls, VIC
 D. Trainor, VIC
 L. R. Morley, WA

1994

Jon Claridge, SA
 Bruce Rosewarne, SA
 D. Graeme Ross, VIC
 Bob Russell, VIC
 Chris Milne, WA
 Roger Smith, WA

1998

Allan Frederick, SA
 Allan Jennings, SA

2005

Clive Sheppard, VIC

2006

Don Paull, SA

2007

Ian Williams, SA
 Keith Chamberlain, VIC

Australian Lacrosse Association Merit Awards**2013**

Sue McSolvin, VIC
 Ian McRae, WA
 Laslo Tiszavolgi, WA
 Barbara Mattsson, SA (dec)

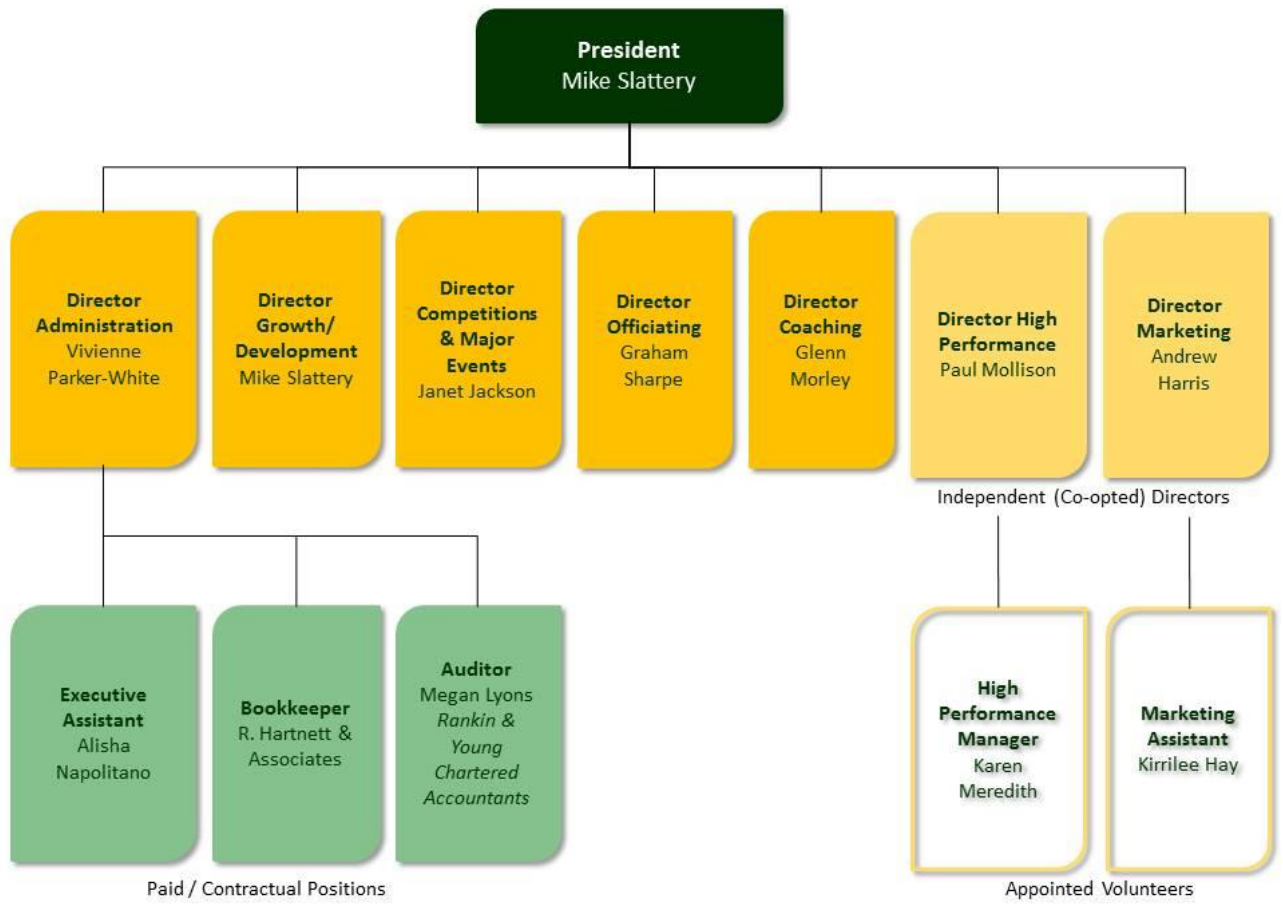
2014

Rod Ansell, VIC
 Allan Gandy, VIC



Association Chart

The Australian Lacrosse Association structure comprises:



ALA Membership





Message from the Australian Sports Commission

The past year has seen considerable success and progress for Australian sport, as the Australian Sports Commission (ASC) and national sporting organisations (NSOs) continue to build on our nation’s proud sporting tradition.

The Government’s 2014–15 investment of nearly \$120 million into Australian sport continues to be refined to ensure funding is aligned to sports with the greatest potential to contribute to *Australia’s Winning Edge 2012–2022* targets, and drive greater participation outcomes for sport.

The sporting landscape has changed rapidly in recent years, as have the options for people’s scarce leisure time. More than ever before, sport faces tough competition for our attention from electronic media and other sedentary pursuits.

In March the Commission launched *Play.Sport.Australia*. — our plan to help NSOs build participation in sport and make sure all Australians enjoy its benefits. Sports have the opportunity to attract more than 4.5 million Australians into their communities. It’s important that we work together to ensure that more Australians, particularly young Australians, participate in sport more often and that we have strong sporting organisations that deliver the products and opportunities Australians want.

Other highlights in 2014–15 included:

- The transition to Sporting Schools and the development of its website — the main portal for sporting organisations, schools, coaches and parents to access this \$100 million program which aims to reach more than 850,000 children.
- The development of the AusPlay survey — The ASC has committed to introducing a new national survey to better understand how Australians engage with, and play, sport. Good decisions require good data and this initiative by the ASC is critical.

And through Australia’s Winning Edge we will continue to give our athletes the best chances at international success.

So now, more than ever, we have a clear plan to make sure all Australians enjoy sport and maximise our chances of success. On behalf of the ASC I thank you for your hard work in helping us achieve these goals and I look forward to working with you in to the future.



John Wylie AM
Chair
Australian Sports Commission



President's Report

Mike Slattery

The ALA must and will continue addressing the operational and targeted Key Result Areas of our business plan and operating budget. However with the development, updating and publication of our ALA Strategic Plan 2015-18 it becomes clear that growth of the sport of lacrosse in Australia is paramount. This will require acceleration in producing innovative products, additional resources and new initiatives. It is the number one priority for the ALA and the lacrosse community. Growth of our sport is required in three broad areas - traditional players/competitions, school/social participants as well as events/projects. ALA must continue to strengthen the foundations of our sport, an area where we certainly can claim historical excellence, whilst ensuring increased participation in all levels of lacrosse (players, coaches, officials, administrators, supporters) - an area that provides us with significant challenges and which we are addressing.

This priority focus is supported by the ALA's Operational and Strategic Plans and is a response to the priorities requested by our Member Associations. In addition, this new emphasis has been promoted by our Australian Government/ Australian Sports Commission sponsors and advisors as vital for support into 2016 and beyond. We must strengthen this focus while concentrating upon continued traditional support as well as delivering new and improved services to members. In the current sporting scenario within Australia and internationally the ALA also must continue its sound and effective competition programs while maintaining its sound governance. Increased lacrosse participation in the short term will then add to Australian lacrosse competitiveness and awareness in the longer term.

The ongoing support of the Australian Sports Commission (ASC) is acknowledged and continues to be integral to the successful operations of lacrosse in this country. The annual ASC review of ALA operations against plan continues to be positive and has resulted in ongoing assistance, both financially and with expert guidance. Indeed with improved reporting of lacrosse participation activities the ASC has increased funding and support from 2015 onwards.

International success continues to flow from FIL (Federation of International Lacrosse) competition with both the U19 Women's Team competing in this year's U19 Women's World Championship (held in Edinburgh Scotland) and the Men's Indoor Team competing in the World Indoor Lacrosse Championship (held at the Onondaga Nation, Syracuse USA) – details can be found in the High Performance report and on the ALA website. Our challenge is to maintain our quality of performance from a small playing base while the majority of our competitors have greatly enhanced their quantity of players, and hence their competitiveness. Australia remains represented on FIL Committees (i.e. Women's Rules by Jan Jackson (Chair) and member Paul Mollison; and Men's Rules member by Chris Brown). It is important, that as a founding member of 4 initial nations to the now 51 nations of the FIL, we continue to contribute and support the way forward for international lacrosse.

Regional success has been earned from the APLU (Asia Pacific Lacrosse Union) with the U23 Women's team earning Silver Medals and the U23 Men's team earning Bronze Medals at this year's ASPAC (Asia Pacific) Championship held in Bangkok, Thailand. Again Australia, as the longest developed lacrosse nation in this region, must continue to contribute (as they currently are with Fiona Clark, Executive Director and Mike Slattery, President of the APLU Executive Board).

Some major and new milestones achieved in this last year include:

- maintaining an excellent and productive working partnership with the Australian Sports Commission (ASC);
- financial management being diligently exercised via employment of a CPA firm with an external formal audit;



- provision, through funding and support, for national use of Fox Sports Pulse websites and database registration/reporting capabilities for all Member Associations (including a start-of-year education forum held for all State's administrators);
- recognition being achieved via the ALA annual Recognition Dinner (held at the Senior National Championship, this year in Perth) with the Honours and Awards Committee maintaining formal recognition of past National men's and women's teams;
- continuing a national insurance scheme (with economies of scale resulting for all participants);
- continuation of an East Coast Tournament (i.e. NSW, Queensland, Tasmania) for competitive development of the less experienced States, recently held in Sydney with closely fought contests and four ALA sponsored officials supporting both men's and women's games and providing officiating instruction;
- holding our third ALA National Conference in Perth (expanded beyond Coaching and Officiating into a full scope lacrosse event – including external Key Note speakers) - and to be held in Adelaide during 2016;
- completion of the establishment of the Lacrosse Australia Foundation (as a capital protected entity, for the ongoing fund raising and support of lacrosse development) which will be operating from the commencement of 2016;
- consolidating a successful national travel partnership (with both competitive economies and enhanced services being achieved) with Acland Travel;
- progressing the use of Fox Sports Pulse online registration and reporting competitive results - which ultimately will provide full participant statistics (via the databases supporting these initiatives).

Successful Australian Lacrosse Leadership Forums (ALLF) were held with the larger Member Associations during 2015 in a co-operative and challenging environment. It is acknowledged that such forums result in better co-ordinated approach with outputs then shared between Member Associations and the ALA. This is essential for co-ordinated planning, development and implementation to ensure the future success of lacrosse in Australia.

I thank and commend the Directors of ALA for their diligence, the time invested in their Board duties and their stewardship for the sport of lacrosse in Australia. Their voluntary efforts are significant, in both effectiveness and effort, and well directed towards maintaining ALA success to date – and which will be further challenged with meeting the emerging demands for the future. Similarly, the ALA's thanks is expressed to the Boards and Directors of all the Member Associations without whose efforts and co-operation lacrosse would not have operated so well in Australia.

As we look to the future of lacrosse in Australia it is clear that the ALA and all Australian lacrosse members and participants will continue to have improvement opportunities. Collectively we have an exciting opportunity for our sport ahead of us that requires challenging convention and creating innovation to be realised. I am sure we will all rise to meet those challenges with the ultimate outcome being the betterment of lacrosse in Australia and elsewhere.



Marketing Report

Andrew Harris

2015 Highlights

- Significant increase in use and number of users of Social Media platforms
- Introduction of Australian Lacrosse Network (ALN) to stream Grand Final games of ALA U18 and Senior Championship / U15 Tournament events
- Purchase of ALA branded marquees for three MA's
- 2 editions of ALA Newsletter

Social Media

One of the objectives was to increase the communication pathway between ALA and the lacrosse community in regards to making sure that the community was linked into as many events as possible. The major platform for this was the use of Facebook as a communication tool.

This was particularly effective during major events such as the FIL U19 Women's World Championship and the FIL World Indoor Lacrosse Championship where traffic increased significantly. Traffic also increased during National Championships and Tournaments.

Facebook was also used to ensure that the wider lacrosse community was made aware of what individual member associations were up to by 'sharing' their feeds on relevant stories on the ALA Facebook page.

Social media can be destructive in its content however I am pleased to report that the lacrosse community used this media both appropriately and constructively, for the betterment of lacrosse.

Social media is the way the younger generation communicates with each other and lacrosse needs to keep abreast of changes in this form of communication to get its message out to both the lacrosse and wider communities.

Australian Lacrosse Network

A significant investment was allocated this year to the introduction and use of the Australian Lacrosse Network (ALN) as the company to stream all Men's and Women's Grand Final Games across all ALA Championship and Tournaments. The live streaming was watched by participants within Australia and internationally. The quality of this production was first class (apart from a major storm affecting one of the games) and really set the benchmark for having a permanent record of these games (they can be seen on YouTube 24/7). These recordings can and have been used for coaching purposes as well as performance analysis for Australian Team squads.

As they are available on public platforms, they can be accessed at any time by Member Associations and clubs for coaching and promotional purposes – great thing to show at school clinics.



Branded Marquees

A significant investment was made in purchasing three ALA branded marquees – one each in Victoria, South Australia and Western Australia. These were used in every ALA Championship /Tournament for the main scorer’s space in 2015, therefore being centre stage at each event. The “media” panel was also used for photo opportunities when required.

Although the main purpose of purchasing the marquees was for use at these events as a branding opportunity for ALA, the individual Member Associations have also appreciated their use at some of their major events throughout 2015 and this use has been encouraged by ALA.

ALA Newsletter

The newsletter was re-introduced this year after a hiatus with the main purpose being to introduce the “human” side of lacrosse as well as a snapshot of upcoming events. Therefore the newsletter included interviews, human interest stories from around the lacrosse community and relevant information from the world of lacrosse. Kirrilee Hay put together the newsletter, doing an excellent job, however due to work commitments she has resigned from her post on the Board in her capacity as a volunteer marketing assistant, and therefore we are looking for a replacement to continue this newsletter.

The Future

ALA will continue to utilise social media in order to get information on lacrosse in Australia out to its existing community and to the wider community. It is a communication platform that is only going to expand in use and relevance and ALA needs to be part of it. It is a cost effective way of achieving this objective, but we also need to explore how to utilise it for marketing and promoting our great game in a highly competitive market.

Priorities for 2016 are:

1. Establishment of a national Marketing Advisory Group – representation from each Member Association,
2. Further increase in social media users and use,
3. Explore further cost effective ways to promote lacrosse to the wider community.

I would like to thank the Board for their support in the initiatives implemented in 2015 and particularly Alisha Napolitano for her efforts and commitment in the social media space.



High Performance Report

Paul Mollison

Over the past 5 years, the majority of lacrosse playing nations have increased their player numbers at a rapid rate, while ours in Australia have stagnated for several years. This trend is reflected in performances at the international level with score lines now closer in games against the once 'smaller' nations. Although we continue to produce world level players and teams, from our lower player numbers, we often succeed with 'David versus Goliath' performances and results. This trend is expected to continue and we will face an ever increasing hardship of 'staying with the pack' against our international competitors.

The rapidly increasing resources applied to National Teams by our international competitors, is at a rate that is difficult for Australia to match, under our current operations and principles. Our traditional expectations of medal finishes at world events will only continue if we can make similar development and additions of support and resources to our Australian Team programs. The majority of our limitations are related to limited High Performance funding and finances, as both government funding and commercial sponsorship is much less than what is needed to maintain a realistic challenge for medal results at international events. It is noted that ALA does not receive any High Performance funding from the Australian Sports Commission.

Teams and Events

Four Australian Teams attended events in 2015;

- **U23 Australian Men's Team** 2015 APLU ASPAC Championship (Bangkok, Thailand)
- **U23 Australian Women's Team** 2015 APLU ASPAC Championship (Bangkok, Thailand)
- **U19 Australian Women's Team** 2015 FIL U19 Women's World Championship (Edinburgh, Scotland)
- **Australian Men's Indoor Team** 2015 FIL World Indoor Lacrosse Championship (Syracuse, USA)

In addition to these four teams, two other programs (U19 Australian Men's Team and the Australian Women's Team) are underway preparing for their world events in 2016 and 2017.

The effect of the declining value of the Australian Dollar over the past 18 months has increased the financial strain on our travelling team members and supporters, which is likely to continue for at least the next year or two. On the upside, there has been a recent increase of inquiries from overseas teams to visit our shores, as the financial viability becomes more favourable to them. Additionally, the prospect of competition with our Australian Teams provides an attraction not always available in other destination options. For our Australian Teams preparing for world events, this prospective international competition on home soil is invaluable.

High Performance Program Policy

The High Performance Program Policy (HPPP) document provides a 'road map' for our Australian Team programs. A revised document is scheduled for late 2015. The areas covered in the HPPP continue to expand and develop, as the expectations of governance and administration increase from both ASC and stakeholders. The updated document will provide policy direction for Australian Teams, Players and Team Personnel alike, as well as templates and definitions for coaches and managers.



U19 Australian Women's Team 2015

The U19 Australian Team was selected in January 2015. Team preparation included State Based Training and a team camp in March 2015. The U19 team also took part in the June 2015 Senior Nationals in Perth. Senior State Teams were once again very supportive of the U19 team, in agreeing to play FIL 12 a-side rules to assist the preparation of the U19 players for their upcoming U19 World Championship.

Competition in Edinburgh, Scotland at the U19 World Championship provided an extremely tight contest particularly between the top four nations. Over the 55 games played at the event, 5 were decided in overtime (including Australia 14 – England 13 in 4xOver Time and Canada 11 – Australia 10). 8 games were decided by a 1 goal differential result, 4 games by 2 goal results and 3 games by 3 goal results. In summary, 15 games were won by 3 goals or less.

For the first time in the FIL U19 Women's World Championship six event history (1995, 1999, 2003, 2007, 2011 & 2015), Australia did not play in the Gold Medal game. The Gold Medal result was a 1 goal victory to Canada 9 defeating USA 8. A place in the Bronze Medal game for Australia saw a narrow loss, England 10 – Australia 9. The playoff for 5th place saw a 2 goal victory in overtime, New Zealand 10 defeating Japan 8.

Australian Men's Indoor Team 2015

The Australian Men's Indoor Team was selected in February 2015. Team preparation included State Based Training and monthly team camps in April, May, June, July and August. Pre WILC preparation of training and 6 practice games, took place in Oakville Canada prior to arrival in Syracuse.

The Syracuse USA 2015 FIL Men's World Indoor Lacrosse Championship saw 46 games played where 20 were decided by 4 goals or less. Australia finished with 5 wins and 3 losses. Our wins included 7-6 Finland, 21-17 Turkey, 21-6 Switzerland, 12-8 Finland, and 17-13 Serbia. Our three losses of 4-12 Ireland, 12-13 England and 11-20 Czech Republic for an 8th place finish.

Following our 6th place finish in 2011, an 8th place finish in 2015 was a disappointing and a shattering blow to the expectations and gallant efforts of our players, coaches and support staff. The semi-final match up with England had provided an opportunity for promotion to Blue Division in 2019; unfortunately a 1 goal loss put us in the 7th vs 8th playoff. Behind our team's eighth and final game of the WILC against the Czech Republic, were a tired and battle weary team who had fought hard and proud. To be so close to England the day before, going down by one late goal, where the reverse result would have seen us in the play-off for 5th/6th; does not do justice to the 'hidden' success of our 2015 team.

U23 Australian Men's Team 2015 & U23 Australian Women's Team 2015

Both U23 Men's and Women's Teams were selected in January 2015 and headed to Tokyo, Japan for the late June Friendship Games. The highlight of the Tokyo visit included matches at Edogawa Stadium in front of 4200 spectators. JLA hosted an outstanding spectacle and Welcome Ceremony by the Mayor of Edogawa and a full high school orchestra. Competition with local university and National teams demonstrated the progression of lacrosse in Japan.

Our U23 teams then headed to Bangkok, Thailand for the ASPAC Championship in hot and humid conditions. The U23 women's team won 4 games and lost 1 on their way to the final, going down to U22 Japan 22-5 for a silver medal result.

Our U23 men's team won 5 games, apart from a tough arm-wrestle with Japan going down 13-7 and then a battle with Thailand and going down 11-4. This resulted in a challenge for the bronze medal against Hong Kong, with Australia winning 16-10.



U19 Australian Men's Team 2016

The U19 men's squad has undertaken state based training and squad camps during 2015, with a July Squad tour to New York USA, for a camp at Adelphia University and competition with High School and club teams. The U19 Squad is currently at 47 Squad Members, with Team Selection to take place in January 2016. The 2016 FIL U19 Men's World Championship will be held in Coquitlam, Canada from 7th – 16th July 2016.

Australian Women's Team 2017

The appointments of Sue Sofarnos as Head Coach and Kate Simpson as Manager, sees the 2017 program underway. Appointments of Squad Coaches, Meredith Carre, Cathy Conaghty and Glenn Morley will also provide support to the program.

Australian Men's Team 2018

The commencement of the Australian Men's Team program for 2018 will take effect during 2016, with the recent appointment of Head Coach Glenn Meredith.

Sponsorship

Australian Women's Team Program

Our partnership with Under Armour continues its second 4 year term, as secured in January 2013 and concluding in December 2016. As the official outfitter of the Australian Women's Team program, Under Armour has provided apparel, footwear, equipment and financial support to the past five Australian Women's Teams (senior and U19). Our U23 Australian Women's Teams also benefit from reduced rate purchases.

Our partnership with Under Armour has provided tremendous support to ALA and our Australian Women's Teams for the past 7 years and we sincerely hope their support continues beyond December 2016.

Australian Men's Team Program

ALA continues to pursue a partnership with a major company for the Australian Men's Team.

High Performance Administration

The ever growing demands of the High Performance portfolio, has been assisted with the February 2015 appointment of High Performance Manager, Karen Meredith.

The process of Australian Team Personnel appointments is supported by our most talented, experienced and passionate people. Their time and commitment invested to our sport is sincerely appreciated; as is the valued input provide from a number of external consultants.



Officiating Report

Graham Sharpe

Officiating in Australia has continued to show only modest growth with recruiting barely covering retirements. As we build up player numbers we need to build up accredited officials to simply remain at the same proportional numbers. To grow, recruitment must outstrip both player numbers and the natural attrition of current officials reaching retirement. Our sport cannot go forward without these vital members of our lacrosse community.

To supply well trained and accredited officials to National and International events, we obviously need the domestic pyramid of officials to continue to push upwards thus placing competitive pressure on those wishing to participate in such events. The bulk of lacrosse played in Australia is carried out under each Member Association's domestic competition and thus the greater need for officials is at this level.

The Men's code, with its strong alignment through ALRA (Australian Lacrosse Referees Association) are managing to barely cover the minimum numbers required to cover domestic lacrosse, generally via a forced or drafted form of including Club referees within their numbers. We do not have sufficient Independent referees to totally cover all games without this inclusion of the drafted officials from their respective Clubs. While the aim is to move these drafted officials into a permanent role within the umbrella of ALRA, many referees are transient in nature, not reappearing each year. With the ALRA oversight of men's officials there has been great improvement in the quality and coordination of referees across Australia.

The Women's code proportionally lags behind the Men's code in accrediting and maintaining independent umpire numbers. The system of drafting in players from competing teams continues to be the only way in which sufficient women's officials can be supplied. This lack of independent numbers then leads to a smaller pool of potential senior umpires that can proffer their experience to the general body of umpires. ALA continues to encourage all Member Associations to formalise, within their State, the introduction of ALOA (Australian Lacrosse Officials Association) which will then mirror the good team work and management structure of ALRA. Lacrosse WA has taken this structured approach on, through the WA Umpire-In-Charge Suzanne Kirkby and Deputy Nicole McKenna who have continued to push for an increased management and accreditation of newly recruited WA umpires. Together with strong positive support from the LWA Board, WA is showing leadership in Umpire recruitment. We trust that this continued push to improve umpire numbers in WA eventually allows the formation of ALOA – WA.

In SA, Tammy Varga, LSA Director of Officiating, along with the State Umpire-In-Charge Martin Kiploks and Deputy Kari Borges are also showing the potential of improved numbers and have reaped the reward that comes from focused recruitment strategies. We thus encourage Lacrosse Victoria, Queensland Lacrosse, NSW Lacrosse and Lacrosse Tasmania to also benefit from improved concentration on umpire recruitment.

We encourage all Member Associations to see the benefit in forming ALOA with its broad national synergy coming from an organised Australian based women's officiating group. Improve the focus on women's officials so that eventually all Member Associations can boast a viable ALOA group with the obvious benefits of good numbers of dedicated independent officials that provide for and fill this vital role for our game.

During the past twelve months we have been successful in finding willing volunteers to fill ALA's obligation of supplying officials to the ALA Senior National Championship, the ALA Men's National Indoor Championship, the ALA U18 National Championship plus the largest annual event, the ALA U15 National Tournament. In addition Australian officials travelled to Edinburgh for the FIL U19



Women's World Championship, Syracuse for the FIL World Indoor Lacrosse Championship and Bangkok for the APLU - ASPAC Championship.

The following lists those individuals who stepped up and enjoyed the experience of officiating at these events.

2014 ALA Men's National Indoor Championship

Referees

Jason Lawrence
Adrian Burns
Mike Bendall
Kelvin Minerds

Assessor

David Eyre, Referee-In-Chief

2015 ALA Senior National Championship

Referees

Adrian Burns
Steve Green
Blair Fraser
Bradley Edwards
David Campbell
David McRae
Peter Mulcahy
Kim Paton

Assessors

Evan Walters, Referee-In-Chief
Alan Chiron, Deputy Referee –In-Chief
Laslo Tiszavolgyi
Ian McRae
Robin Stevens
Harrie Thyssen
Peter Mulcahy
Graham Sharpe

Umpires

Nicole McKenna
Kellie McBean
Carole Bowland
Tammy Varga
Natalie Owen
Hitomi Sakitomi (JLA)
Bruce Banyard

Technical Delegates

Suzanne Kirkby, Umpire-In-Charge
Jan Jackson
Kris Palmer

2015 ALA U18 National Championship

Referees

Blair Fraser
David McRae
Kelvin Minerds
Alan Frost
Jonathon Kiploks
Michael Goudie
Harrie Thyssen
Tim Brebner
Graeme Smith

Assessors

David Eyre, Referee-In-Chief
Dennis Mulroney
Peter Mulcahy

Umpires

Michelle Rohrlach
Susan Milne
Clare Kingston
Leanne MacGibbon

Technical Delegates

Kari Borges, Umpire-In-Charge
Tammy Varga, Deputy Umpire-In-Charge
Anne Kingston



2015 ALA U15 National Tournament

Referees

Shane Abbott
Bruce Banyard
Alan Black
Alan Caldwell
Blair Fraser
Michael Goudie
John Harris
Jonathon Kiploks

Chris Lewis
Lee Davis
Rick Missen
Brendan Pinkerton
Dylan Yates

Assessors

John Sedgeway, Referee-In-Chief
Alan Chiron, Deputy Referee-In-Chief
Neville Balfour
David Eyre
Don Reyment
Robin Stevens
Laslo Tiszavolgyi
Mitchell Walmsley

Umpires

Michelle Rohrlach
Nat Owens
Judy Evans
Clare Kingston
Amy Basile
Sue Clerk
Belinda Douglas

Leanne MacGibbon
Kira Maunton
Morgan Paccini
Eloise Cocks
Tamryn Aufdeheide
Lynne Pike
Luke Burgess

Technical Delegates

Jan Jackson, Umpire –In-Charge
Tammy Varga
Kris Palmer
Fran Maunton

2015 FIL U19 Women's World Championship

Umpires

Kellie McBean
Rochelle Cox

Technical Delegate

Anne Kingston
Suzanne Kirkby

2015 FIL World Indoor Lacrosse Championship

Referees

Jason Lawrence
Mike Bendall

2015 APLU ASPAC Championship

Referees

Jonathon Kiploks
David McRae
Brendan Pinkerton

Assessors

Graham Sharpe
Laslo Tiszavolgyi

Umpires

Carole Bowland
Michelle Rohrlach

Technical Delegate

Tammy Varga

National Technical Committees

WOMEN

Suzanne Kirkby
Nicole McKenna
Martin Kiploks

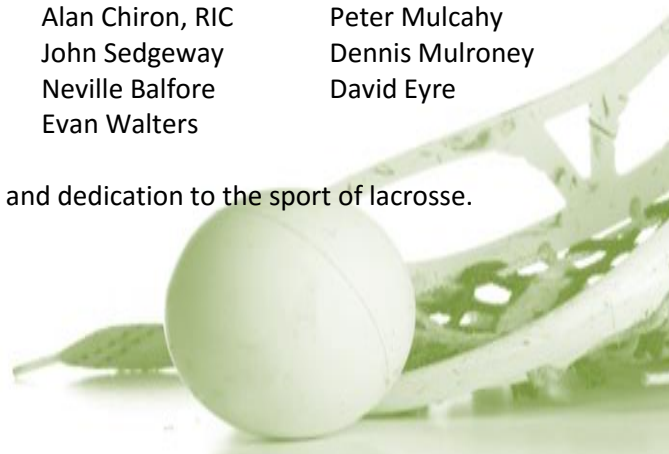
Kari Borges
Anne Kingston
Adrian Burns

MEN

Alan Chiron, RIC
John Sedgeway
Neville Balfore
Evan Walters

Peter Mulcahy
Dennis Mulrone
David Eyre

ALA sincerely thanks all Officials for their time, passion and dedication to the sport of lacrosse.



Growth Report

Mike Slattery

The Growth Objective of the ALA is to “increase the number of people playing lacrosse in Australia”. This covers the three major components of Program (club based), Participation (school based) and Projects (Events e.g. University Games, social contests, skill clinics, nationals).

The current ALA Strategic Plan 2015-2018 also has Growth as the number one priority for lacrosse in Australia (supported by all States). To ensure this, we must operate as cohesive National and State bodies which represent and present our sport in an aligned and effective structure.

In support of this, we need to work together with top-down priorities. This will require a federated structure that allows effective promotion, provides a unified leadership and utilises a common ‘development product’. This will best advance the interests of lacrosse for the future rather than just maintaining status quo or preserving sectional interests.

One key initiative implemented in the last year has been the creation of the Australian Lacrosse Leadership Forum (ALLF), founded with the senior representation from the Boards of ALA and the 3 major States (being LSA, LV and LWA). Their objective is to provide a highly visible link and coordination point between all lacrosse participants and prospects in Australia.

The Growth Advisory Council continues to function with active and effective representation from all mainland States. This year we have created a five program primary school product which is currently being documented and branded for use in primary schools around Australia from the commencement of 2016. This is the fundamental product being presented to the ASC for potential entry into their Sporting Schools program – a national and school-based program being run for the ultimate benefit being improved health of students. In addition there are other products (e.g. high school, university, social) that will be worked through but we need to recognise the limitations of our resources and focus upon doing one task professionally before moving onto the next.

A goal is to have Lacrosse played in all States and to this end the ALA supports the East Coast Tournament between Queensland and New South Wales each year – with the objective of getting them prepared to participate in the future in National competitions.

Liaison with neighbouring countries continues as a valuable catalyst to raise the numbers and profile of lacrosse (e.g. Asia Pacific Lacrosse Union membership and biannual ASPAC Competition for our U23 teams). As is, active competition and management involvement with the Federation of International Lacrosse (FIL). These and other initiatives (e.g. ANZAC Commemorative matches with New Zealand annually) help grow the game and teach us what Growth initiatives best work for lacrosse in the men’s and women’s games.

Behind all this activity we must get our record keeping and statistics complete and correct. We have the best database capabilities with our common Fox Sports Pulse membership and registration system. We see an increase in numbers in recent years, as we better use our recording capabilities, but we know we are not capturing and reporting all Growth initiatives – something we must rectify quickly. Then we will have a sound baseline to project our planning numbers upon and report for ourselves and the ASC the full statistics of lacrosse development achievements.

We work with the ALA Marketing Director on developing a national participation “product(s)”. The aim here is to ultimately seek and obtain national corporate sponsorship which would increase lacrosse reach and retention. We can then present these opportunities most productively and successfully to the existing and potential lacrosse community in Australia. This will require longer term planning and implementation rather than our traditional operational life cycle.



Coaching Report

Glenn Morley

2015 was a busy planning year with the development of the Strategic plan taking precedence over some of the outcomes in the coaching portfolio.

The 2015 ALA National Conference was a huge success and thanks to Lacrosse WA for their support in the promotion of the event. For 2015 we added a stream around Club development, which tackled some great topics in junior development, marketing and utilising Fox Sports Pulse.

The coaching side of the conference had some fantastic presentations from local coaches and industry professionals, with fantastic sessions delivered by Darren Harris (Leading Teams) who talked about building culture and relationships in your team. We were challenged to think big by Clark Wight, and Tom Kellor from the USA showed us to simply develop high intensity training sessions.

2015 was our biggest conference yet with over 80 people in attendance. South Australia is scheduled to host the 2016 Conference with planning already underway to build on this year's success.

Late 2015 we will see the roll out of the Coach Coordinator program for clubs, and the 2017 Senior Women's team will be the first group of coaches to complete the ALA Coach Development Planning Tool, which will then be rolled out further throughout the lacrosse community.

The Australian Sports Commission (ASC) completed their review of the National Coach Accreditation Scheme, which further delayed the delivery of the Advanced Coaching Course, as they introduced new criteria to the endorsement process.

The course will be submitted for accreditation in December 2015 and aiming to deliver the first course in 2016.

2016 will also see the launch of several coach development programs that are designed to help coaches at club level through personal planning and better club systems. The Club Coach Coordinator program is being piloted in WA, before it is rolled out nationally.

As mentioned previously the Individual Coach Development Tool will also be available for coaches at all levels to identify their personal development needs.

Key Focus for 2016

- Club Coach Coordinator Program
- Individual Coach Development Plans
- Advanced Coach Course, developed, approved and delivered
- Conduct the National Coaching Conference
- Coach Advisory Council Terms of Reference and Objectives defined
- Approval of Club Coach presenters in NSWLI and LTAs
- Redesign of the Club Coach Course resources
- Create a Lacrosse Drills Manual
- Develop the ALA Coaching Section of the website
- Introduce the National Coach Awards



Competition Report

Jan Jackson

ALA's National Events Calendar and ALA Championship and Tournament By-laws have been updated and are available on the website.

ALA events were conducted jointly for men's and women's Senior and U18 Championship, and boys' and girls' U15 Tournament. The work and dedication to ALA events by hosts Lacrosse Victoria, Lacrosse South Australia and Lacrosse Western Australia and their respective Championships and U15 Tournament Coordinators are gratefully acknowledged and greatly appreciated as without their support these events could not be successful in showing the excellence that competition brings to our sport.

Southern Crosse Tournament

The Southern Crosse Tournament was held from the 2nd – 5th January 2015 at Footscray Hockey Centre, Yarraville on artificial turf. Participating women's teams were the U19 Australian Women's squad, U23 Australian Women's squad and U20 Tokyo Women's team. Men's teams were the U19 Australian Men's squad and U23 Australian Men's Squad. The U19 Australian Women's squad won the Vivienne Parker-White Trophy.

Under 18 Championship

The boys' and girls' U18 Championship was hosted by Lacrosse South Australia commencing Wednesday 15th to Saturday 18th April at Barratt Reserve, West Beach on grass fields; Giulia Marion was the Championship Co-ordinator.

Participating teams were:

Girls - South Australia, Victoria, Western Australia and President's.

Boys – South Australia, Victoria, Western Australia and New Zealand.

Under 18 Boys

Victoria won the Mal Taylor Championship Trophy and the ALC Tournament Trophy, and were also presented with Championship medallions.

Australian All Stars team medallions were also presented to:

<u>Attack</u>	Peter Kwas (VIC) Best & Fairest Henry Volk Trophy and Medallion, Nick Chapman (VIC), Mathew Wood (WA)
<u>Midfield</u>	Will Day (WA), Tim Graham (VIC), Brayden Panting (WA), Nick Behrendt (SA)
<u>Defence</u>	Matthew McKenzie (SA), Ben Greenwood (VIC)
<u>Goalkeeper</u>	Ted Herbert (WA)
<u>Coach</u>	Glenn Meredith (VIC)
<u>Official</u>	Jonathan Kiploks (SA)



Under 18 Girls

Victoria won the Camille Hobbs Perpetual Cup, Janet Jackson Tournament Trophy, Jeannie Matthews Cup (SA v Vic), Mellis Cup (Vic v WA) and were presented with Championship medallions. South Australia won the Rose Gaunt Trophy (SA v WA).

Australian All Stars team medallions were presented to:

<u>Attack</u>	Emily Wills (WA), Briana Richards (SA), Steph Kelly (VIC)
<u>Midfield</u>	Olivia Parker (SA) Best & Fairest ALA Trophy and Medallion Chelsea Gilbert (SA), Hayley Fuss (SA), Audrey Fithall (VIC)
<u>Defence</u>	Nicole Scholz (SA), Esther Lavelle (VIC)
<u>Goalkeeper</u>	Sharn Muffett (WA)
<u>Coach</u>	Sarah Mollison (VIC)
<u>Official</u>	Rochelle Cox (WA)

The officials appointed to the gold medal games were also presented with medallions.

Senior Championship

The men's and women's Senior Championship was hosted by Lacrosse Western Australia commencing Thursday 4th to Sunday 7^h June at Subiaco Lacrosse Club on grass fields, Championship Coordinator was Anna Forrest. The participating teams were Victoria, South Australia, Western Australia, New Zealand (M), and U19 Australian team (W).

Senior Men

The men's Championship was won by Western Australia who were presented with the Garland-McHarg Trophy and Championship medallions. Western Australia also won the Wiles Trophy (SA v WA) and the Centenary Cup (Vic v WA). The Bob Symons Trophy (SA v Vic) was won by Victoria.

Australian All Stars medallions were presented to:

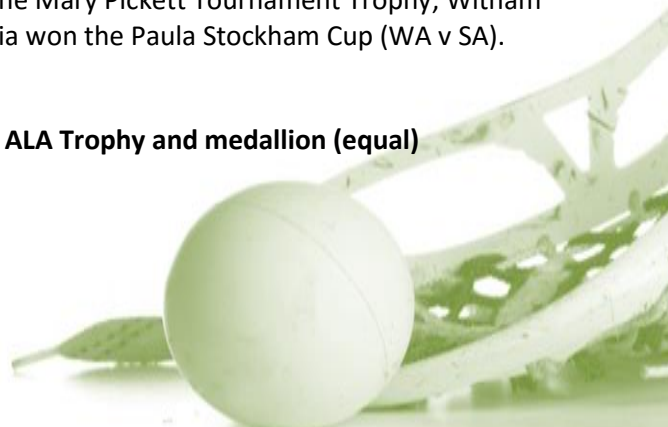
<u>Attack</u>	Lewis Blackie (WA), Chris Plumb (VIC), Daniel Kennedy (WA)
<u>Midfield</u>	Jesse Bowland-Curtis (WA) Best & Fairest Don Hobbs Trophy and medallion Miles Blair (VIC), Tom Graham (WA)
<u>Defence</u>	River Bradley (VIC), Benji Muxlow (SA), Jamie Murphy (WA)
<u>Goalkeeper</u>	Clint Barker (SA)
<u>Coach</u>	Gavin Leavy (WA)
<u>Official</u>	Peter Mulcahy

Senior Women

The women's Championship was won by Victoria who were presented with the Joy Parker Perpetual Championship Trophy and Championship medallions, the Mary Pickett Tournament Trophy, Witham Cup (WA v Vic) and Shaw Cup (Vic v SA). South Australia won the Paula Stockham Cup (WA v SA).

Australian All Stars medallions were presented to:

<u>Attack</u>	Hayley Sofarnos (VIC) Best & Fairest ALA Trophy and medallion (equal) Karen Morton (SA)
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<u>Midfield</u>	Danelle Mollison (VIC) Best & Fairest ALA Trophy and medallion (equal) Lauren Hunter (VIC), Courtney Hobbs (SA), Sarah Mollison (VIC), Abbie Burgess (VIC)
<u>Defence</u>	Bec Banyard (WA), Verity Clough (VIC)
<u>Goalkeeper</u>	Emma Farquharson (SA)
<u>Coach</u>	Sue Sofarnos (WA)
<u>Official</u>	Kellie McBean (WA)

Most Valuable Player medals selected by team coaches were awarded on every game to all participating teams. The officials for the gold medal games were also presented with medallions.

Under 15 Tournament

The U15 Tournament was hosted by Lacrosse Victoria at Footscray Hockey Centre, Yarraville commencing Saturday 26th September to Friday 2nd October on turf fields. River Bradley was the Tournament Coordinator.

The participating teams were:

<u>South Australia</u>	Lightning, Storm and Comets (girls), Eastern Reds and Western Reds (boys)
<u>Victoria</u>	Fire and Ice (girls), Southern Crosse, Western Metros and Northern Warriors (boys)
<u>Western Australia</u>	Stars and Flames (girls), Southern Braves and Northern Thunder (boys)
<u>ALA Presidents</u>	Presidents (boys)
<u>New Zealand</u>	Waikato (girls)

Fire won the Fiona Clark Tournament Trophy and Southern Crosse won the Joe Downie Trophy. Premiership medallions were presented to both teams. The officials for the Tournament final games were also presented with medallions. Participation Certificates were made available to all teams and officials.

Indoor Championship

The Indoor Championship was cancelled as team nominations were not received.

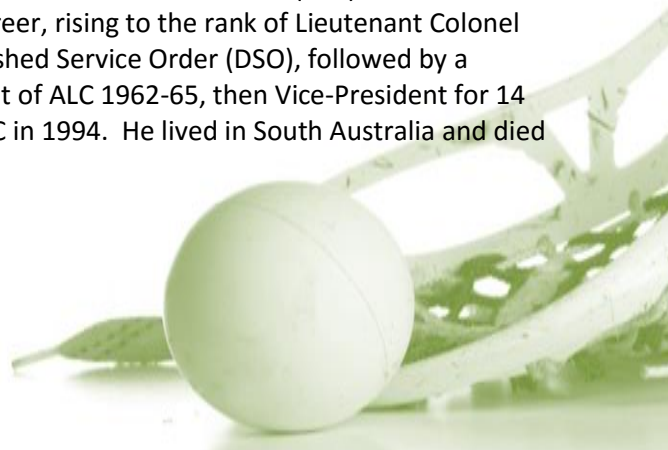
Honours and Awards

Fairest and Best Players Australia-wide in the most senior men's and women's State competitions home and away qualifying round matches, based on votes awarded by match umpires, are awarded the O. C. Isaachsen Trophy (men) and Shelley Maher Trophy (women).

Isaachsen Trophy

The 2015 Isaachsen Trophy for the fairest and best player Australia-wide was won by Chris Plumb (Victoria).

The trophy was donated by Cedric Isaachsen to the Australian Lacrosse Council (ALC) in 1963. He was a remarkable man who had a distinguished military career, rising to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel and earning the honour of Companion of the Distinguished Service Order (DSO), followed by a distinguished legal career. Mr. Isaachsen was President of ALC 1962-65, then Vice-President for 14 years until 1979. He was elected as a Fellow of the ALC in 1994. He lived in South Australia and died in 2009, aged 97 years.



Shelley Maher Trophy

The Shelley Maher Trophy for the fairest and best player Australia-wide was won by Karen Morton (South Australia).

The trophy is named in honour of Shelley Maher and was instituted in 2012 by the ALA. As the last President of Women's Lacrosse Australia (2001-2009) Shelley committed to excellence in all areas of administration. In her home State of Victoria Shelley was President of Women's Lacrosse Victoria (1998-2001), and was elected a Life Member in 2001, and in 2009 of Women's Lacrosse Australia. She was active as a player with Williamstown Women's Lacrosse Club and represented Victoria in senior competition (2002, 2005). Shelley was an ALA Director (2007-2010) and now resides in the USA where she remains active in lacrosse as the Women's Director on the Federation of International Lacrosse.

Congratulations are extended to Chris and Karen on achieving the pinnacle fairest and best player award in Australia.

International Events

Congratulations are extended to the U19 Australian Women's team on their fourth placing at the FIL U19 Women's World Championship held in Edinburgh Scotland, 23rd July to 2nd August.

Congratulations are also extended to the Australian Men's Indoor team on their eighth placing at the FIL World Indoor Lacrosse Championship held in Syracuse New York, USA, 18-27 September.

The ANZAC Commemorative Game was hosted by the New Zealand Lacrosse Association on 25th April at College Rifles Fields in Auckland. An ALA Team, being representative of all ALA Member Associations with the majority being from WA, participated in this event.

ALA U23 men's and women's teams participated in the Japan Lacrosse Association Friendship Games held in Tokyo in July and then the Asia-Pacific Tournament (ASPAC) held in Bangkok Thailand in July.



Lacrosse South Australia

Board of Management

President	Scott Willsmore
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Director – Junior Competition	Wendy Piltz
Director – Coaching	Stacey Appleton
Director – Officiating	Tammy Varga
Director – Women’s Competition	Vacant
Director – Development	Vacant
Director – Promotions	Vacant
State Teams Representative	Vacant



Staff

Executive Officer	Giulia Marion
Administration Officer	Tiffany Smith
Development Officer	Marilyn Fuss

Clubs and Teams - Juniors

Club Name	U8 Mixed	U11 Boys	U11 Girls	U13 Boys	U13 Girls1	U13 Girls 2	U15 Boys	U15 Girls 1	U15 Girls 2	U17 Boys	U18 Girls 1	U18 Girls 2
Adelaide University												
Brighton	3	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Burnside			2		1	1			3	.5		1
Eagles	1	2	3	1	1	1	1		1			.5
ETP	1	1	2	.5			.5			.5		1
Glenelg	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1		1	1	
North Adelaide	1	1		.5		1	.5	1				.5
Sturt		1	1	1	1		.5	1	1		1	1
Wilderness	2		2		1	1		1			1	
Woodville	1	2	1	1	1		.5	1		1	1	

Clubs and Teams - Seniors

Club Name	Div 2 Men	Div 2 Women	Div 1 Men	Div 1 Women	SL Men	SL Women
Adelaide University	2	1		1		
Brighton	1	1	1	1	1	1
Burnside		1	1		1	1
Eagles	1			1		1
ETP	1	1	1			1
Glenelg	1	1	1	1	1	1
North Adelaide	1	1	1	1		
Sturt	1	1			1	1
Wilderness					1	
Woodville	1	1	1	1	1	1



Premiers

Division/Grade	Club	Score
State League Men	Brighton Lacrosse Club	Brighton 15 d Burnside 10
Men's Division 1	Glenelg Lacrosse Club	Glenelg 10 d Burnside 8
Men's Division 2	Adelaide University Lacrosse Club	Adelaide University (1) 10 d Brighton 8
State League Women	Glenelg Lacrosse Club	Glenelg 20 d Brighton 7
Women's Division 1	Brighton Lacrosse Club	Brighton 13 d Glenelg 3
Women's Division 2	Brighton Lacrosse Club	Brighton 12 d East Torrens Payneham 6
Under 17 Boys	East Torrens Payneham Lacrosse Club	East Torrens Payneham 6 d Glenelg 5
Under 18 Girls Div 1	Glenelg Lacrosse Club	Glenelg 14 d Brighton 13
Under 18 Girls Div 2	Eagles/North Adelaide Lacrosse Clubs	Eagles/North Adelaide 13 d Burnside/Seymour 8
Under 15 Boys	Brighton Lacrosse Club	Brighton 11 d Eagles 2
Under 15 Girls Div 1	Woodville Lacrosse Club	Woodville 9 d Glenelg 4
Under 15 Girls Div 2	Eagles Lacrosse Club	Eagles 9 d Brighton 8
Under 13	Sturt Lacrosse Club	Sturt 21 d Brighton 4

Best and Fairest

Division/Grade	Name	Club
Men's State League	Matthew Fuss	Brighton
Women's State League	Karen Morton	Glenelg
Men's Division 1	Andy Burford Dominic Kilderry Stuart Robb Derek Royans John Walkley Kody Watts	Burnside Brighton Glenelg Glenelg North Adelaide ETP
Women's Division 1	Melissa Williams	Brighton
Men's Division 2	Trevor Poland Jack Morris	ETP North Adelaide
Women's Division 2	Amber Dalton-Osborne	ETP
Under 17 Boys	Nathan Behrendt	Woodville
Under 18 Girls Div 1	Olivia Parker	Woodville
Under 18 Girls Div 2	Georgia Groves	Eagles

Playing Numbers

	Men	Women
Senior	313	208
Junior	256	421
Totals	569 (↓ from 2014)	629 (↑ from 2014)

Coaching

LSA have updated our coaching databases to ensure all coaches at a senior level are on Fox Sports Pulse with correct information. We are currently approaching all State League coaches regarding RPL for the *Club Coaches'* course in preparation for the release of the next level of coaches' course.

In preparation for 2016 we are looking at introducing some coach the coaches 1 day courses with specialist coaches presenting and demonstrating.



Development

SAPSASA - Our annual LSA Southern SAPSASA had approximately 600 children participating (70 teams from 12 schools) of which 500 children were new to lacrosse. This competition is a round robin where trophies are presented to the winning team in each grade.

Schools involved: Brighton Primary, Hawthorndene, SHCMS, West Beach, St John the Baptist, Forbes Primary, Coromandel Valley Primary, Cabra, Paringa and St Peters Blackwood, Glenelg.

SAPSASA North - 33 teams from 7 schools, 300 children participating.

Schools involved: Prospect North, St Georges, Ardtornish, Pooraka, Hillcrest, Nailsworth and Wilderness.

SAPSASA Tea Tree Gully – is a two day “come and try” all sports day where over 500 children were involved.

PREMIERS CHALLENGE – “Come and Try” format. One day lacrosse clinics for approximately 200 children from 7 schools.

Brighton Catholic Carnival - approximately 350 children from 5 local catholic schools: St Theresa, Christ the King, Our Lady of Grace, St Martin De Porres and Stella Maris. No scores are recorded and there are no winners.

ACHPER - Runs PE week which we are always a part of. This is a “Come and Try” format run at Park 25 over the week where we run Lacrosse for approximately 10 schools and 300 children.

Lacrosse Carnival - Black Friars held a lacrosse carnival with approximately 120 boys playing.

Clinics and sports day - included 45 schools and 8155 participants, providing Lacrosse SA with access to over 10,345 participants.

Events

Lacrosse SA was the host organisation for the 2015 Australian Lacrosse Association U18 National Championship held at Barratt Reserve, West Beach, South Australia from Wednesday, April 15 – Saturday, April 18 2015.

Representative teams included:

- South Australia
- Victoria
- Western Australia
- Presidents (Girls)
- New Zealand (Boys)

Grand Finals

Boys: Victoria 17 d Western Australia 5

Victoria: P Kwas 6; N Chapman 4; L Clarke 3; J Campbell 2; C Keegan, E Mizrahi 1
Western Australia: K Davies, M Wood 2; S Koczwara 1

MVPs

Victoria: Peter Kwas and Western Australia: Brayden Panting

Girls: Victoria 10 d South Australia 8

Victoria: S Kelly, H Walker 4; S Pollnitz, B Hogan 1
South Australia: O Parker 4; B Richards 2; C Scott, C Gilbert 1

MVPs

Victoria: Bridget Hogan and South Australia: Olivia Parker



BOY'S CHAMPIONSHIP ALL STARS TEAM

<u>Goalkeeper</u>	Ted Herbert (Western Australia)
<u>Defence</u>	Matthew McKenzie (South Australia) Ben Greenwood (Victoria) Will Day (Western Australia)
<u>Midfield</u>	Tim Graham (Victoria) Brayden Panting (Western Australia) Nathan Behrendt (South Australia)
<u>Attack</u>	Nick Chapman (Victoria) Peter Kwas (Victoria) Matthew Wood (Victoria)
<u>Coach</u>	Glenn Meredith (Victoria)
<u>Best and Fairest</u>	Peter Kwas (Victoria)

GIRL'S CHAMPIONSHIP ALL STARS TEAM

<u>Goalkeeper</u>	Sharn Muffet (Western Australia)
<u>Defence</u>	Nicole Scholz (South Australia) Esther Lavelle (Victoria)
<u>Midfield</u>	Chelsea Gilbert (South Australia) Hayley Fuss (South Australia) Olivia Parker (South Australia) Audrey Fithall (Victoria) Emily Wills (Western Australia)
<u>Attack</u>	Briana Richards (South Australia) Steph Kelly (Victoria)
<u>Coach</u>	Sarah Mollison (Victoria)
<u>Best and Fairest</u>	Olivia Parker (South Australia)

Officiating

Like virtually all officiating organisations across the world, there is a shortage of suitable people and the 'older' ones are still shouldering most of the workload. This year we saw many new, mostly younger women's umpires take a step up in their umpiring development, 2 umpiring at U15 National level for the first time.

With the amount of newcomers, there was renewed enthusiasm but it is acknowledged that umpire education needs to be improved, especially at the lower levels, and a carefully designed program to allow this will be in place for next season.



Lacrosse WA

Board of Management

President	Andrew McTaggart
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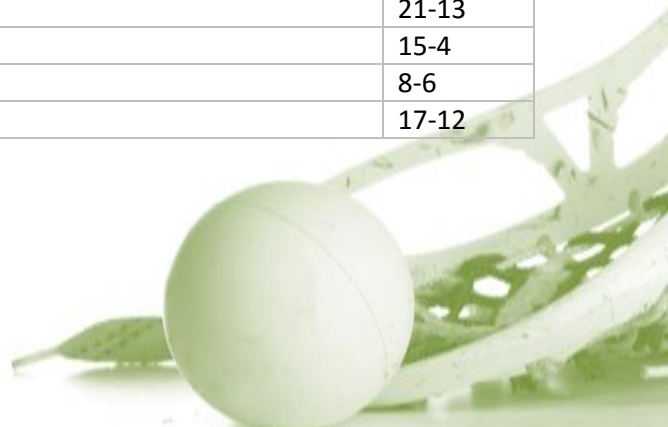
Executive Assistant	Roxanne Leavy
Administration Assistant	Jamie-Lee Bartle
Development Manager	Peta Hiron

Clubs and Teams

Club name	U11	D Grade (U12)	13 Boys	15 Boys	C Grade (U16)	17 Boys	B Grade Women	Div 3 Men	A Res Women	Div 2 Men	A Grade Women	SL Men
Bayswater	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	.5	1
East Fremantle	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	1
Phoenix	2	1	1	1	2	0	1	1	0	1	.5	0
Subiaco	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	1
Wembley	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	2	1	1	1
Wanneroo	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1

Premiers

Division/Grade	Club	Score
State League Men	Wanneroo	9-8
A Grade Women	East Fremantle	10-8
Division 2 Men	Wanneroo	12-10
A Reserve Women	Wanneroo	14-13
Division 3 Men	Wanneroo Blue	11-9
B Grade Women	East Fremantle	14-9
17's Boys	Wembley	21-13
C Grade girls	Subiaco	15-4
15's Boys	East Fremantle	8-6
13's Boys	East Fremantle	17-12



Best and Fairest

Division/Grade	Name	Club
State League Men	Callum Mortimer	Wanneroo
A Grade Women	Hannah Barnsley	Wembley
Division 2 Men	Cameron Mulcahy	Wanneroo
A Reserve Women	Stacey Brown	Bayswater
Division 3 Men	Kristopher Fenn	Wanneroo
B Grade Women	Emma Green	Bayswater
17's Boys	Brayden Panting	Wembley
C Grade girls	Libby Blair	Phoenix
15's Boys	Lucas Koczwara	Wembley
13's Boys	Riley Mercer	East Fremantle

Playing numbers

	Men	Women
Totals	762 (↑ from 2014)	490 (↑ from 2014)

Coaching

In 2015 the ALA Coaching Course was once again presented by Glenn Morley and coordinated by the LWA Director of Development. The course was run at Light Street Reserve on Saturday 21st March; 20 coaches and development officers were accredited through this course.

Development

Lacrosse WA (LWA), with the assistance of Healthway, coordinates the 'Smarter than Smoking' School Modcrosse Program, which includes modcrosse sessions in schools, with community groups, at lightning carnivals and any other special events which includes high priority groups. This year the Smarter than Smoking Modcrosse Program was centrally coordinated with the assistance of Anna Forrest liaising with schools and development officers, and Peta Hiron liaising with Healthway, collating database from the clinics and development officer payments.

While the Smarter than Smoking Modcrosse Program has been a major source of recruitment for the 6 clubs, it has been decided that for the sport to grow, there is a need for other programs with a greater focus on recruitment. There have been a number of meetings held throughout the year by a working group with the sole focus of growth and development. These meetings have resulted in a proposed development program (Quick Stix After-School Program) that was endorsed and financially backed by the LWA Board. It is envisaged that this pilot program will be rolled out in the near future.

In the 2015 season, the Junior Lacrosse Council trialed a number of junior rule variations, namely the Mercy Rule in Junior Men's, as well as the use of the white lacrosse ball and optional arm guards in Men's U13's. A full review of this trial was conducted by the Council at the conclusion of the season, with both U13's rule variations being endorsed as ongoing elements of the LWA Junior Rule Variations. While the Mercy Rule was well received in most grades, there is further review regarding this rule to be conducted in the off-season.

The 2015, LWA Gala Day once again brought together juniors from our three entry level competitions (Modcrosse, D Grade & U11's Lacrosse) into the one venue for a morning of round-robin competition. This year saw a huge increase in participants, particularly from the Wembley and Wanneroo Modcrosse competitions.



The Junior Lacrosse Council devised an online survey for both junior players and parents. This survey was created to gain a better idea of what people saw in the current competition, and what they would like the sport to offer in the future. The findings from this survey will provide further guidance to JLC in its planning of future events and programs.

Events

The 2015 ALA National Senior Men's and Women's Championship was held at the Subiaco Lacrosse Club grounds at Rosalie Park Thursday June 4 to Sunday June 9. The Championship was a huge success with a tremendous amount of work put in by Subiaco Lacrosse Club for 6 months leading into the event. With eight teams competing, including a men's New Zealand team and the U19 Australian Women's Team, the Western Australian men had an outstanding campaign, reclaiming their National Champions title. Subiaco conducted a successful, Opening and Closing Ceremony, a Welcome Night which included a paella dinner, and a Final Function which incorporated the awarding of men's and women's All Stars and Tournament MVP's and the presentation of the U19 Australian Women's jackets. With the beautiful Perth winter sunshine providing a perfect backdrop, the Nationals were a huge success and a credit to Subiaco and West Australian lacrosse.

This year saw the implementation of stage 1 of the LWA High Performance Strategy with the introduction of the U15 Girls Development Squad. Five sessions were run looking at various skills sessions, specialist running training, nutrition and hydration culminating in a session preparing for the team trials. The success of this program has been considerable with plans to introduce it for the boys next year. Planning for the U18 High Performance Squad is now underway.

Officiating

The Junior Officiating Program was one of the great highlights of the 2015 season. After a promising start in 2014, the program grew in leaps and bounds this year. The successful Induction Day (April 11th @ Rosalie Park) was attended by 30 juniors and was very well operated by a group of senior umpires and referees. By the conclusion of the 2015 season, there were 35 participants in the program, with ~60% of these participants reaching Phase 2 of the program. The Men's U11's competition was almost totally officiated by junior referees in 2015, with the sight of 8-10 referees running around each Saturday morning quite commonplace. In another positive sign, the junior Women's D Grade competition was predominantly officiated by our C Grade girls in 2015.

Other Highlights

Lacrosse WA hosted the third ALA National Conference in February at the University of WA. With world-class coaches, officials and keynote speakers, the conference covered a wide range of topics from grass roots coaching, club development, referee/umpire pathways, marketing and developing great leaders, just to name a few. The two day conference was very well received by the WA lacrosse community and it was a credit to the standard of presenters that many members travelled from interstate. Congratulations to ALA Director of Coaching, Glenn Morley, for his initiative in driving this Conference each year.



Lacrosse Victoria

Board of Management

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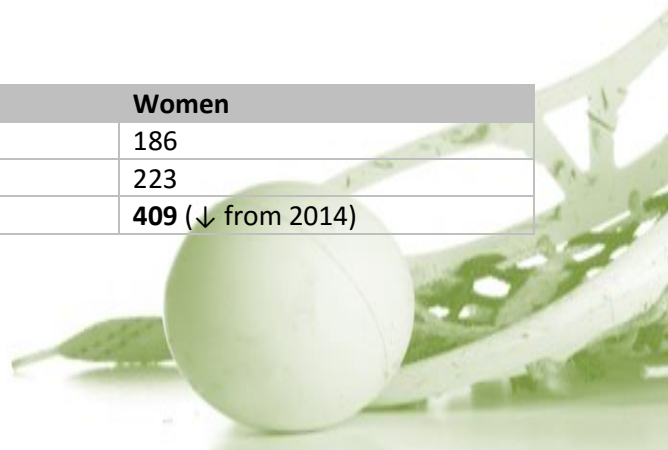
General Manager	Rodney Kimmitt
Development Officer	Kristen Stone
Finance Officer	Maureen Austin
Competitions and Communications Officer	River Bradley

Clubs and Teams

Club name	U11 Boys	U13 Boys	U13 Girls	U15 Boys	U15 Girls	U17 Boys	U17 Girls	Div 3 Men	Div 2 Men	B grade Women	Div 1 Men	A grade Women	SL Men	SL Women
Altona	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0
Bendigo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Camberwell	1	2	1	2	0.5	0.5	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0
Caulfield	1	1	0.5	0.5	0.5	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
Chadstone	1	1	0.5	0	0	0.5	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	0
Eltham	2	1	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0
Footscray	2	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	1
Hoppers Crossing	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Malvern	2	0.5	0.5	0.5	0	0.5	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0
MCC	1	0.5	0	0	0	0.5	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0
Melbourne University	0	0.5	0	0.5	0	2	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
Moreland	0	0.5	0	0.5	0	0.5	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Newport	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	1
Surrey Park	2	1	0	0.5	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	0
Williamstown	2	2	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	0
Williamstown Women	0	0	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	1

Playing numbers

	Men	Women
Senior	502	186
Junior	470	223
Total	972 (↑ from 2014)	409 (↓ from 2014)



Premiers

Division/Grade	Club	
Women's State League	Newport Ladies	Newport 8 def Footscray 6
Men's State League	Williamstown	Williamstown 7 def Footscray 6
Women's A Grade	Footscray	Footscray 12 def Newport 6
Men's Division 1	Moreland	Moreland 18 def Williamstown 7
Men's Division 2	Williamstown	Williamstown 22 def Surrey Park 8
Women's B Grade	Surrey Park	Surrey Park 15 def Malvern 3
Men's Division 3	Williamstown	Williamstown 15 def Eltham 13
Girls Under 17	Footscray	Footscray 11 def Williamstown 7
Boys Under 17	Malvern/MCC	Malvern/MCC 9 def Williamstown 6
Girls Under 15	Williamstown Gold	Williamstown Gold 11 def Newport 3
Boys Under 15	Caulfield/Malvern	Caulfield/Malvern 18 def Williamstown 4
Girls Under 13	Footscray	Footscray 13 def Newport 9
Boys Under 13	Williamstown Fearon	Williamstown Fearon 10 def Williamstown Cities 7
Read Cup (Indoor)	Rage	Rage 11 def Fury 8

Best and Fairest

Division/Grade	Name	Club
Women's State League	Sarah Mollison	Footscray
Men's State League	Chris Plumb	Footscray
Women's A Grade	Vicki Ryan	Altona
Men's Division 1	Lachlan McDonald	Altona
	Campbell MacKinnon	Altona
Men's Division 2	Maurice Zicman	Altona
Women's B Grade	Gabrielle Nichols	MCC
Men's Division 3	Jesse Gent	Eltham
Boys Under 17	Liam Fothergill	Caulfield
Boys Under 15	Mitchell Baker	Caulfield/Malvern
Indoor	Not Awarded	
Other Awards		
Coach of Year	Stephen Bown	Malvern
Official of Year	Lee Davis	Williamstown
Past President's Award	Not Awarded	
Nell Rawlins Award	Millie Caddy	Melbourne University
Club of Year	Malvern Lacrosse Club	
	Williamstown Lacrosse Club	
Life Membership	Not Awarded	

Development

The focus in 2015 has been on working with and strengthening our relationship with School Sport Victoria (SSV) with an emphasis on Primary School Participation. Since 2013 the program has grown from 280 children in 3 districts to an estimated 2763 across 18 school districts in 2015. The result has been lacrosse formally admitted to the SSV program as a Tier 3 sport from 2016 onwards. This recognition allows lacrosse to work within the SSV structure and grant us access to over 2,300 schools and 550,000 students.

Lacrosse Victoria has also been successful in securing funding from VicHealth over the next 3 years to develop a structured recreational format of the game under its State Sport Program. This exciting



initiative will allow lacrosse to be delivered into new markets and regions and expose our game to a new generation of participants.

Both of these programs are in their infancy however with the dedicated work of Lacrosse Victoria staff and club volunteers promise to provide a foundation from which lacrosse can launch a vibrant and sustainable future.

Events

Lacrosse Victoria and the Footscray Lacrosse Club played host to the ALA U15 National Tournament at the Footscray Hockey Centre from September 26th to October 2nd. The event saw 8 girl's (including Waikato from New Zealand) and 8 boy's teams from across Australia compete in keenly contested lacrosse played in great spirits. A special thanks to all players, coaches, managers, support staff, officials, parents and volunteers for ensuring the success of the tournament

Officiating

Referee and Umpire recruitment remains a significant challenge to the growth of lacrosse in Victoria. For the first time, with the support of ALRA Vic, an on-line accreditation process was introduced. Whilst no substitute for face to face interaction this initiative removed some significant barriers to accreditation and saw a large number of new referees enter the sport. It is planned to expand this program to Umpires in 2016 to support the women's game.

Other Highlights

2015 saw the birth of the Wyndham Lacrosse Club. Born from the partnership between Lacrosse Victoria, the Wyndham City Council and the Altona Lacrosse Club the Wyndham Lacrosse Club will enter teams in the Lacrosse Victoria junior competition under their banner in 2016. This has been the reward of a number of years of dedicated work starting with Council Picnic Days, graduating to QuickStix Clinics, to the Wyndham QuickStix Challenge, to playing games as Hoppers Crossing under the Governance of the Altona Lacrosse Club to the birth of lacrosse's newest club. The Altona Lacrosse Club should be highly commended for their support of this program to take the game beyond our traditional markets and will continue to work with Wyndham in its infancy providing support and opportunities for older players.

In response to the growing needs of our clubs Lacrosse Victoria was able to facilitate the appointment of our first Competition and Communications Officer. This appointment allows Lacrosse Victoria to offer a higher and more responsive level of service to allow clubs whilst releasing other staff to spend more time in the area of development.

With the support of the Victorian Government, Lacrosse Victoria has commissioned a Strategic Facilities Plan to be developed by insideEDGE Leisure development. When completed in early 2016, this report will provide Lacrosse Victoria with a vital planning tool in discussions with Local Governments and funding agencies as we strategically plan for future participation growth.

Finally the Victorian Box Lacrosse League continues to grow and 2015 has seen the addition of an U15 development competition. Lacrosse Victoria is committed to growing this important format of our game and providing opportunities for Victorian's to experience its excitement.



Queensland Lacrosse

Board of Management

President	Brendan Lewer
Vice-President	Derek Wong
Treasurer	Jean Bronkhorst
Secretary	Bruce Rosewarne
Committee	John Doolan



Staff

Administration (Casual)	Andre Teuwsen
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Clubs and Teams

Club Name	A Grade Men	A Grade Women
Brisbane Eagles	1	1
Sunshine Coast	1	
Gold Coast	½	½
JCU - Townsville	Social Players	Social Players
JCU - Cairns	Social Players	Social Players

Competitions – State Champions / Queensland Lacrosse League

Division/Grade	Club	Score
Men's	Brisbane Eagles	11-8
Men's	Brisbane Eagles	Round Robin Competition
Women's	Brisbane Eagles	Round Robin Competition

Players of the Year

Division/Grade	Name	Club
Men's	Shaun White	Sunshine Coast Knights
Women's	Shiori Iwabuchi	Brisbane Eagles
Women's Rising Star	Scarlett Hetherington	Brisbane Eagles

Playing Numbers

	Men	Women
Senior	37	12
Junior	3	2
Totals	40	14



Development

School programs being conducted on the Sunshine Coast, Brisbane and Gold Coast – Targeted age groups – 10 – 16.

Events

Queensland Lacrosse League – Round Robin Competition held every three weeks for clubs. State Championships – One off competition held for all clubs in Queensland.

Other Highlights

Organised school – club links – program underway to capture potential new junior members in Brisbane and Sunshine Coast.

Queensland again participated in the 2015 East Coast Tournament held in Sydney.



New South Wales Lacrosse

Board of Management

President	Omar Al-Khayat
Vice President	Nicholas Windmiller
Secretary	Andrew Stewart
Treasurer	Caroline McLuckie
Development	Jacqueline Le
Development	Timothy Koodrin
Development	Becky Taylor



Playing Numbers

	Men	Women
Senior	25	25
Junior	5	14
Totals	30	39

Coaching

This year we've used the Quickstix program developed by Lacrosse Victoria as the primary resource for our community-coaching program. We delivered coaching seminars to Education students at the University of Sydney and the Australian Catholic University, certifying approximately 60 students as community coaches. We have plans to increase the number of seminars at these institutions as well as the number of institution to which we offer the course in 2016. We have also delivered the coaching programme directly to teachers at a Sydney high school and look to 2016 and beyond to expand this successful programme throughout Sydney and the regions.

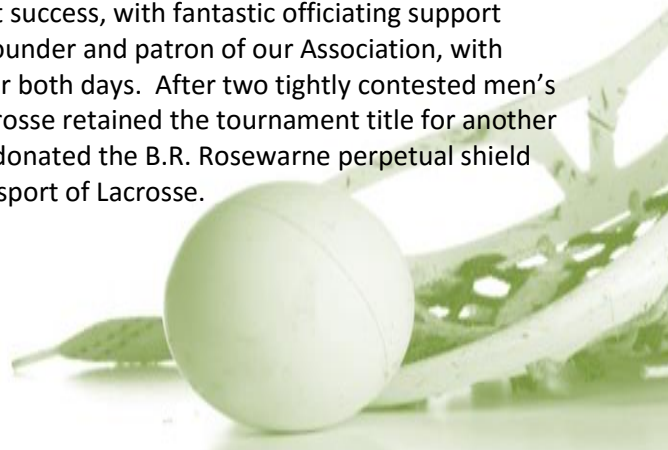
Development

Our development program has seen some successes with an 8-week U16 mixed winter modcrosse league, a community clinic in conjunction with the Eastern States tournament and the delivery of multiple clinics at high schools within the Sydney area. We are eager to continue this growth and the sourcing of quality and committed coaches will be crucial to providing new programs in 2016.

We are also in discussions with Sydney tertiary institutes to provide modcrosse programmes (short courses) for university students and to take advantage of the opportunities they provide with school holiday programmes. We continue to run the successful box lacrosse league for the men and a winter indoor mixed modcrosse league for our senior members. We have also started 6-aside women and juniors field lacrosse leagues which are due to start mid November.

Events

NSW Lacrosse hosted the 4th Annual Eastern States Tournament at the picturesque Bat n Ball Oval in the Centennial Parklands. The tournament was a great success, with fantastic officiating support provided by the ALA, a turnout by Judith Halnan, the founder and patron of our Association, with Linda Roylance, Life Member, and perfect weather over both days. After two tightly contested men's games and very high quality women's games, NSW lacrosse retained the tournament title for another year. Special thanks to Mr Bruce Rosewarne who has donated the B.R. Rosewarne perpetual shield for this event to mark his 50th year contributing to the sport of Lacrosse.



An all-NSW University team participated in the 2015 Intervarsity Lacrosse Tournament, held in Melbourne. The event provides a great opportunity to introduce new players as well as test the skills of more advanced players in the non-contact, mixed teams version of the sport. We look forward to continue supporting this great idea.

Officiating

Caroline McLuckie, our star treasurer, has decided to also take the lead with officiating and look to develop her skills as well as to grow the number of talented officials in our State. We aim to continue developing this area of our sport.

Other Highlights

We'd like to congratulate Timothy Koodrin who has been awarded life membership to NSW Lacrosse for his tireless efforts and leadership as President of the Association for the past four years. Thanks to Tim, the Association is in a strong position to tackle the challenges we have set for the future.

Our congratulations also go out to Matt Taylor for his selection to the Australian Men's Indoor Lacrosse team who participated at the World Indoor Championship this year. He did a fine job representing his adopted country and state. We'd also like to congratulate David Palacios and Brock Freeman for participating in the Australian men's team at the ANZAC Commemorative Games held in Auckland, NZ.

We'd like to thank all the volunteers who have contributed their time and skills and a special mention to design guru Alice Lo, who has spearheaded the marketing of our Association and has produced fantastic new logos for the Association and our state teams.



Lacrosse Tasmania

Board of Management

President	Callum Gorringe
Secretary	Simon D'Alton
Treasurer	Phillipa Green



Playing Numbers

	Men	Women
Senior	14 (varies)	10 (varies)
Junior	-	-

Development

In the process of running rosters at the indoor venue it was realised that there was a lack of equipment available and a request was circulated through ALA and its website for equipment.

Lacrosse Tasmania appreciates the assistance it has received with this from other States.

Unfortunately consistent player numbers are still somewhat limited making it difficult to put in place a formal competition. However, the aim is still to be able to put such competition in place.

Events

Lacrosse Tasmania has been running a six (6) week casual social mixed and men's roster at an indoor venue, Woody's Skate and Play, to build interest. We are grateful to the venue management for their assistance in running of these rosters.

Lacrosse Tasmania intends to resume a roster next year and build more momentum.

Once again Lacrosse Tasmania was represented in the ALA Team to New Zealand for the Anzac Day matches, held in Auckland NZ.

Other Highlights

We have had two past members return who had been involved with lacrosse for many years and we look forward to their contributions once again. Planning will be undertaken to get into primary schools and run sessions to build interest.



INTERNATIONAL TEAMS AND RESULTS

U19 Australian Women's Team: 2015 FIL U19 Women's World Championship – Edinburgh Scotland

PLAYERS

Bishop, Eleanor	SA
Fithall, Audrey	VIC
Fuss, Hayley-Marie	SA
Hiron, Ashtyn	WA
Hogan, Bridget	VIC
Kelly, Stephanie	VIC
Kwas, Theadora	VIC
Lane, Rebecca	VIC
Lavelle, Esther	VIC
Morgan, Eliza	VIC
Muffett, Sharn	WA
Panting, Rhiannon	WA

Parker, Olivia	SA
Pollnitz, Sasha	VIC
Richards, Briana	SA
Smith, Sarah	VIC
Somerville, Karri	WA
Steer, Rebecca	SA

ALTERNATES

Brady, Rocharne	VIC (replaced in team due to injury prior to World Championship)
Walker, Hannah	VIC

TEAM PERSONNEL

Head Coach	Trish Adams
Assistant Coach	Jen Adams
Assistant Coach	Rebecca Banyard
Assistant Coach	Caitlin Ryan
Manager	Carly Hack
Strength & Conditioning	Trent Saunders
Physiotherapist	Scott Smith
Doctor	Megan Barnet

MATCH RESULTS

Thursday 23 rd July	Australia 28 defeated Czech Republic 2
Friday 24 th July	Australia 10 lost to Canada 11
Saturday 25 th July	Australia 6 lost to USA 19
Sunday 26 th July	Australia 14 defeated England 13
Tuesday 28 th July	Australia 19 defeated Wales 3
Wednesday 29 th July	Australia 13 defeated Japan 4
Thursday 30 th July	SEMI FINAL: Australia 3 lost to Canada 17
Saturday 1 st August	BRONZE MEDAL MATCH: Australia 9 lost to England 10

FINAL PLACINGS

1. Canada
2. USA
3. England
4. **Australia**
5. New Zealand
6. Japan

WORLD TEAM SELECTION

- Ashtyn Hiron (WA)
Theadora Kwas (VIC)
Rebecca Lane (VIC)



Australian Men's Indoor Team: 2015 FIL World Indoor Lacrosse Championship – Onondaga Nation, Syracuse, USA

PLAYERS

Arambatzis, Jai	VIC
Brennan, Trevor (Inj)	VIC
Filliponi, Scott	VIC
Gal, David	VIC
Gaspari, Ryan	SA
Hall, Caleb	VIC
Hammond, Wade	VIC
Joy, Jeff	VIC
Kwas, Peter	VIC
Lettieri, Luca	VIC
Lok, Eben	SA
Mackinnon, Lachlan	VIC
Maher, Rodney	VIC
Martin, William	VIC

Mentiplay, Dan	VIC
Nangle, Dylan	SA
Nyberg, Keith	VIC
Rai, Tristan	CAN
Ratje, Tim	VIC
Sandow, Kieran	SA
Semmler, Cameron	SA
Taylor, Matthew	NSW
Whinnen, Jesse	SA
Wood, Lucas	WA

TEAM PERSONNEL

Head Coach	Bob Carter
Assistant Coach	Alan Lewer
Assistant Coach	Greg Mollison
Manager	Adrian Burns
Strength & Conditioning	Ian Webb

ALTERNATES

Currie, Brad	VIC
Wapper, Nigel	SA

PRESIDENTS WORLD TEAM

Caleb Hall VIC

MATCH RESULTS

Friday 18th September
 Saturday 19th September
 Sunday 20th September
 Monday 21st September
 Tuesday 22nd September
 Thursday 24th September
 Friday 25th September
 Saturday 26th September

Australia 7 defeated Finland 6
 Australia 21 defeated Turkey 17
 Australia 21 defeated Switzerland 6
 Australia 4 lost to Ireland 12
 Australia 12 defeated Finland 8
 Australia 17 defeated Serbia 13
 Australia 12 lost to England 13
 7th PLACE PLAY-OFF: Australia 11 lost to Czech Republic 20

FINAL PLACINGS

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|-----------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Canada | 5. England |
| 2. Iroquois Nationals | 6. Ireland |
| 3. Unites States | 7. Czech Republic |
| 4. Israel | 8. Australia |



2015 Australian Men's Indoor Team (absent: Jeff Joy)

U23 Australian Men's Team: 2015 ASPAC Championship, Bangkok Thailand

PLAYERS

Bunbury, Lachlan	WA	Jackson, Afiq	WA
Butterworth, Luke	VIC	Leong, William	VIC
Collis, Robert	VIC	McRae, Cameron	WA
Court, James	WA	Meyer, Jacobus	QLD
Davies, Connor	WA	Murfett, Kale	VIC
Delich, Joseph	WA	Pena, Jayden	SA
Fiorentini, Xavier	VIC	Rogers, Zachary	WA
Gosling, Samuel	WA	Shinnick, Douglas	SA
Graham, Nicholas	WA	Sivasubramaniam, Kesavan	SA
Graham, Thomas	WA	Sopp, Adam	WA
Hall, Jaxson	WA		

TEAM PERSONNEL

Head Coach	Glenn Morley
Manager	Stephanie Rogers
Assistant Manager	Lloyd Morley
Statistician	Mark Graham
Referees	Jonathan Kiplocks, David McRae, Brendan Pinkerton
Assessors	Laslo Tiszavolgyi, Graham Sharpe

MATCH RESULTS

2015 FRIENDSHIP GAMES – TOKYO JAPAN

Tokyo All-Star Men 29 def U23 Australian Men 2

U22 Japanese Men 18 def U23 Australian Men 8

2015 ASPAC CHAMPIONSHIP – BANGKOK THAILAND

Saturday 4th July Australia 16 def Hong Kong 1

Sunday 5th July Australia 25 def China United 0

Monday 6th July Australia 7 lost to Japan 13

Tuesday 7th July Australia 9 lost to Thailand 11

Wednesday 8th July Australia 18 def Singapore 1

Thursday 9th July Australia 15 def Malaysia 2

Friday 10th July Australia 11 def Korea 5

Saturday 11th July BRONZE MEDAL GAME: Australia 16 def Hong Kong 10



U23 Australian Men's Team 2015

U23 Australian Women's Team: 2015 ASPAC Championship, Bangkok Thailand

PLAYERS

Aufderheide, Shanice	SA	Prentice, Kelly	VIC
Bartlett, Sheriden	SA	Spracklan-Holl, Stella	VIC
France, Chelsea	SA	Blair, Carlyn	WA
Larecki, Rebecca	SA	Ferguson, Rachael	WA
Mathwin, Hannah	SA	Hooper, Kate	WA
Mckay, Bianca	SA	Koelmeyer, Madelyn	WA
Mckay, Kirraly	SA	Maunton, Kira	WA
Pollard, Georgia	SA	McEwan, Kerri	WA
Hodder, Isabella	VIC	Wills, Emily	WA
Prentice, Emily	VIC		

TEAM PERSONNEL

Co-Coach	Peter Mathwin
Co-Coach	Sachiyo Yamada
Manager	Faye Beaman
Umpires	Carole Bowland Michelle Rohrlach
Technical Director	Tammy Varga

MATCH RESULTS

2015 FRIENDSHIP GAMES – TOKYO JAPAN

Meiji University 13 def U23 Australian Women 2
 U19 Japanese Women 2 drew with U23 Australian Women 2
 U22 Japanese Women 17 def U23 Australian Women 3

2015 ASPAC CHAMPIONSHIP – BANGKOK THAILAND

Saturday 4th July Australia 9 def Korea 5
 Sunday 5th July Australia 5 lost to Japan 12
 Monday 6th July Australia 22 def Thailand 4
 Wednesday 8th July Australia 28 def China United 1
 Thursday 9th July Australia 19 def Hong Kong 2
 Saturday 11th July GOLD MEDAL GAME: Australia 5 lost to Japan 22



U23 Australian Women's Team 2015

ALA Representative Team: ANZAC Tournament 2015, New Zealand

PLAYERS

BILLOWS, Kyle	SA	Bayswater LC Representatives	
BRONKHORST, Jean	QLA	BLAIR, Cameron	WA
D'ALTON, Simon	TAS	EMPSALL, Darren (Fred)	WA
FRASER, Thomas	VIC	GATES, Michael	WA
FREEMAN, Brock	NSW	GATES, Murray	WA
ISHERWOOD, Kel	VIC		
MACKINNON, Campbell	VIC	MORRISS, Rob	WA
MARTIN, Troy	VIC	TAYLOR, Shane	WA
MERCIER, Alex	VIC		
MONTS, Wesley	QLA		
OLOFSSON, Karl	WA		
PALACIOS, David	NSW		
MANNING, Charles	SA		

TEAM PERSONNEL

Head Coach	Peter Witcomb	WA
Manager	Fran Nicholls	VIC
Referee	Alan Black	VIC
Myotherapist	Elicia Brennan	VIC

MATCH RESULTS

Saturday 25th April
 Sunday 26th April

Australia 3 lost to New Zealand 9
 Australia 7 drew with New Zealand 7



ALA Men's Representative Team 2015 - Image © Simon D'Alton, Flickr

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP RESULTS

U18 Boy's and Girl's National Championship

Wednesday 15th to Saturday 18th April 2015 at Barrat Reserve, West Beach, South Australia

Day	Boys	Girls
Wednesday 15 April	South Australia 19 d New Zealand 3 Victoria 14 d Western Australia 8	Victoria 28 d Presidents 0 South Australia 14 d Western Australia 6
Thursday 16 April	Victoria 30 d New Zealand 0 Western Australia 12 d South Australia 8	Victoria 8 d South Australia 7 Western Australia 22 d Presidents 3
Friday 17 April	Western Australia 13 d New Zealand 3 Victoria 14 d South Australia 4	South Australia 26 d Presidents 2 Victoria 14 d Western Australia 1
Saturday 18 April 3 rd v 4 th Gold Medal Game	South Australia 14 d New Zealand 5 Victoria 17 d Western Australia 5	Western Australia 24 d Presidents 2 Victoria 10 d South Australia 8

ALL STAR TEAMS AND BEST PLAYERS:

BOYS

ATTACK	WA	WOOD, MATTHEW
ATTACK	VIC	KWAS, PETER (BEST & FAIREST HENRY VOLK TROPHY)
ATTACK	VIC	CHAPMAN, NICK
MIDFIELD	SA	BEHRENDT, NATHAN
MIDFIELD	WA	PANTING, BRAYDEN
MIDFIELD	VIC	GRAHAM, TIM
DEFENCE	WA	DAY, WILL
DEFENCE	VIC	GREENWOOD, BEN
DEFENCE	SA	MCKENZIE, MATTHEW
GOALIE	WA	HERBERT, TED
COACH	VIC	MEREDITH, GLENN
OFFICIAL		KIPLOKS, JONATHAN

GIRLS

ATTACK	WA	WILLS, EMILY
ATTACK	SA	RICHARDS, BRIANA
ATTACK	VIC	KELLY, STEPH
MIDFIELD	SA	GILBERT, CHELSEA
MIDFIELD	SA	FUSS, HAYLEY
MIDFIELD	SA	PARKER, OLIVIA (BEST & FAIREST)
MIDFIELD	VIC	FITHALL, AUDREY
DEFENCE	SA	SCHOLZ, NICOLE
DEFENCE	VIC	LAVELLE, ESTHER
GOALIE	WA	MUFFETT, SHARN
COACH	VIC	MOLLISON, SARAH
OFFICIAL	WA	COX, ROCHELLE

U15 Boy's and Girl's National Tournament

Saturday 26th September to Friday 2nd October 2015, Footscray Hockey Centre, Victoria

Day	Boys	Girls
Saturday 26 September	Western Reds 18 def. Northern Warriors 3 Western Metro 8 def. Southern Braves 6 Southern Crosse 15 def. Northern Thunder 5 Eastern Reds 26 def. ALA President's 4	Fire 10 def. Storm 6 Lightning 8 def. Waikato 7 Stars 11 def. by Ice 14 Comets 7 def. by Flames 11
Sunday 27 September	Southern Crosse 15 def. Eastern Reds 1 Northern Thunder 18 def. ALA President's 0 Western Metro 8 def. Western Reds 3 Southern Braves 22 def. Northern Warriors 1	Stars 8 def. Lightning 7 (OT) Fire 13 def. Comets 5 Storm 6 def. Flames 3 Ice 8 def. Waikato 7
Monday 28 September	Northern Thunder 11 def. Eastern Reds 10 ALA President's 1 def. by Southern Crosse 19 Southern Braves 5 def. by Western Reds 9 Northern Warriors 1 def. by Western Metro 17	Storm 8 def. Comets 5 Waikato 7 def. by Stars 8 Ice 8 def. Lightning 7 (OT) Flames 3 def. by Fire 17
Tuesday 29 September	Southern Crosse 20 def. Southern Braves 2 Western Metro 13 def. Eastern Reds 5 Northern Thunder 14 def. Northern Warriors 1 Western Reds 20 def. ALA Presidents 0	Ice 18 def. Flames 3 Fire 11 def. Lightning 7 Stars 11 def. Comets 6 Storm 3 def. by Waikato 5
Wednesday 30 September	Rest Day	
Thursday 1 October	SEMI FINALS Southern Braves 14 def. ALA Presidents 1 Eastern Reds 23 def. Northern Warriors 1 Western Metro 9 def. Northern Thunder 4 Southern Crosse 9 def. Western Reds 8	SEMI FINALS Flames 2 def. by Waikato 15 Lightning 9 def. Comets 8 (OT) Fire 13 def. Stars 6 Ice 6 def. by Storm 7
Friday 2 October		
7 th v 8 th 5 th v 6 th Bronze Medal Gold Medal	Northern Warriors 8 def. by ALA Presidents 9 Eastern Reds 11 def. by Southern Braves 12 Western Reds 7 def. Northern Thunder 6 Southern Crosse 6 def. Western Metro 5	Comets 6 def. by Flames 11 Lightning 4 def. by Waikato 11 Ice 7 def. Stars 5 Storm 7 def. by Fire 11

Senior Men's and Women's National Championships

Thursday 4th to Sunday 7th June 2015, Western Australia

Day	Men	Women
Thursday 4 June	Victoria 15 d New Zealand 4 Western Australia 20 d South Australia 5	Australia U19 14 d Western Australia 13 Victoria 16 d South Australia 10
Friday 5 June	New Zealand 12 d South Australia 9 Western Australia 13 d Victoria 6	Victoria 21 d Australian U19 8 South Australia 13 d Western Australia 12
Saturday 6 June	Western Australia 22 d New Zealand 3 Victoria 14 d South Australia 3	South Australia 18 d Australian U19 8 Victoria 19 d Western Australia 7
Sunday 7 th June 3 rd v 4 th Gold Medal Game	New Zealand 7 d South Australia 6 Western Australia 17 d Victoria 9	Australian U19 14 d Western Australia 12 Victoria 18 d South Australia 8

ALL STAR TEAMS AND BEST PLAYERS:

MEN

ATTACK	WA	Lewis Blackie
ATTACK	VIC	Chris Plumb
ATTACK	WA	Daniel Kennedy
MIDFIELD	VIC	Miles Blair
MIDFIELD	WA	Jesse Bowland-Curtis (Best & Fairest Don Hobbs Trophy)
MIDFIELD	WA	Tom Graham
DEFENCE	VIC	River Bradley
DEFENCE	SA	Benji Muxlow
DEFENCE	WA	Jamie Murphy
GOALIE	SA	Clint Barker
COACH	WA	Gavin Leavy
OFFICIAL		Peter Mulcahy

WOMEN

ATTACK	VIC	Hayley Sofarnos (ALA Trophy Best Player)
ATTACK	SA	Karen Morton
MIDFIELD	VIC	Lauren Hunter
MIDFIELD	SA	Courtney Hobbs
MIDFIELD	VIC	Sarah Mollison
MIDFIELD	VIC	Danelle Mollison (ALA Trophy Best Player)
MIDFIELD	VIC	Abbie Burgess
DEFENCE	VIC	Verity Clough
DEFENCE	WA	Rebecca Banyard
GOALIE	SA	Emma Farquharson
COACH	VIC	Sue Sofarnos
OFFICIAL	WA	Kellie McBean

Note: Danelle Mollison and Hayley Sofarnos received equal votes for ALA Trophy Best Player.

2015 East Coast Championship

The **4th Annual East Coast Championship** was hosted by New South Wales Lacrosse at Bat & Ball Oval, Centennial Parklands, Moore Park on Saturday 17th and Sunday 18th October between New South Wales and Queensland.

RESULTS

Saturday 17th October Men's QLD (7) def NSW (6)

Sunday 18th October Men's NSW (9) def QLD (8)



NATIONAL EVENT HISTORY

History - Senior Women

Year	Parker Cup National Champion	Bronze Medal	Best & Fairest	Mary Pickett Trophy	Shaw Cup Vic v SA	Witham Cup Vic v WA	C'wealth Bank Trophy WA v Tas	Sue Moir Trophy Tas v NSW	Vicky Edwards Trophy NSW v SA	Paula Stockman Cup WA v SA	Vic v Tas	Shelley Maher Trophy Est. 2012
1962	VIC	NP		NP	VIC	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	
1963	SA	NP		NP	SA	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	
1964	SA	NP		NP	SA	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	
1965	SA	NP		NP	SA	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	
1966	VIC	NP		NP	VIC	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	
1967	SA	NP		NP	SA	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	
1968	VIC	NP		NP	VIC	VIC	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	
1969	VIC	NP		NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	
1970	SA	NP		NP	SA	VIC	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	
1971	SA	NP		NP	SA	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	
1972	VIC	NP		NP	VIC	VIC	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	
1973	SA	NP		NP	SA	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	
1974	VIC	NP		NP	VIC	DRAW	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	
1975	SA	NP		NP	SA	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	
1976	SA	NP		NP	SA	WA	NP	NP	NP	SA	NP	
1977	VIC	NP		NP	VIC	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	
1978	WA	NP		NP	VIC	WA	WA	NP	NP	WA	NP	
1979	SA	NP		NP	SA	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	
1980	WA	NP		NP	DRAW	WA	WA	NP	NP	WA	NP	
1981	VIC	NP		NP	VIC	VIC	NP	NP	NP	SA	NP	
1982	SA	NP		NP	SA	DRAW	WA	NP	NP	SA	NP	
1983	VIC	NP		NP	VIC	VIC	WA	NP	NP	SA	NP	
1984	WA	NP		NP	VIC	DRAW	WA	NP	NP	WA	NP	
1985	SA	NP		SA	SA	VIC	WA	NP	NP	SA	NP	
1986	SA	NP		SA	SA	WA	WA	NP	NP	SA	NP	
1987	SA	WA		SA	SA	VIC	WA	NP	NP	SA	VIC	
1988	SA	WA		VIC	VIC	VIC	WA	NP	NP	SA	VIC	
1989	SA	WA		VIC	VIC	VIC	WA	NP	NP	SA	VIC	
1990	SA	TAS		VIC	VIC	VIC	WA	NP	NP	SA	VIC	
1991	SA	WA		VIC	VIC	VIC	WA	NP	NP	SA	NP	
1992	SA	WA		VIC	SA	VIC	WA	NP	NP	SA	VIC	
1993	SA	WA		VIC	VIC	VIC	NP	NP	SA	SA	NP	
1994	SA	PRES		VIC	VIC	NP	NP	NP	SA	NP	NP	
1995	SA	WA		VIC	VIC	VIC	WA	TAS	SA	SA	VIC	
1996	VIC	WA		SA	SA	VIC	WA	TAS	SA	SA	VIC	
1997	SA	TAS		SA	SA	VIC	WA	TAS	SA	SA	VIC	
1998	VIC	TAS		SA	SA	VIC	WA	TAS	SA	SA	VIC	
1999	SA	VIC		SA	SA	VIC	WA	NSW	SA	SA	VIC	
2000	SA	WA		USA	VIC	VIC	WA	TAS	SA	SA	VIC	
2001	SA	NP		SA	SA	VIC	NP	NP	NP	SA	NP	
2002	SA	VIC		SA	SA	VIC	NP	NP	SA	SA	NP	
2003	SA	WA		VIC	VIC	VIC	NP	NP	SA	SA	NP	
2004	SA	WA		SA	SA	VIC	NP	NP	SA	SA	NP	
2005	SA	VIC		SA	SA	NP	NP	NP	SA	NP	NP	
2006	NP	NP		NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	
2007	SA	NSW		VIC	VIC	NP	NP	NP	SA	NP	NP	
2008	VIC	NP		VIC	VIC	VIC	NP	NP	NP	SA	NP	
2009	VIC	NSW		VIC	VIC	VIC	NP	NP	SA	SA	NP	
2010	SA	VIC		WA	SA	WA	NP	NP	NP	WA	NP	
2011	WA	VIC	Tess McLeod SA	AUS U19	VIC	WA	NP	NP	NP	WA	NP	
2012	WA	VIC	Jess Kennedy WA	WA	VIC	WA	NP	NP	NP	WA	NP	Rachel Kirchheimer/ Beth Varga
2013	VIC	NP	Lauren Hunter VIC	VIC	SA	VIC	NP	NP	NP	VIC	NP	Jessica Kennedy
2014	VIC	NP	Bonnie Wells SA Danelle Mollison VIC	VIC	VIC	VIC	NP	NP	NP	SA	NP	Lyndsey Paton
2015	VIC		Hayley Sofarnos VIC Danelle Mollison VIC	VIC	VIC	VIC	NP	NP	NP	SA	NP	Karen Morton SA



2015 Senior Women's Championship Winners - Victoria

History - Senior Men

Garland-McHarg Trophy			Bob Symonds Trophy VIC v SA	Wiles Trophy WA v SA	Centenary Cup Vic v WA	Hobbs Best & Fairest Trophy		Isaachsen Trophy
Year	Winner	Venue						
1910	VIC	Adelaide						
1912	VIC	Melbourne						
1920	SA	Sydney						
1923	SA	Brisbane						
1926	SA	Adelaide						
1929	VIC	Perth						
1932	VIC	Melbourne						
1936	VIC	Adelaide						
1939	VIC	Brisbane	VIC					
1946			SA					
1947	WA	Perth	VIC					
1948			SA					
1949			SA					
1950	VIC	Melbourne	VIC					
1951			VIC					
1952			DRAW					
1953	VIC	Adelaide	VIC					
1954			SA					Brady Award
1955			SA					
1956	VIC	Perth	VIC			A H Gandy	SA	A H Gandy
1957			SA					R Dickson
1958			SA					R E Wakelin
1959	SA	Melbourne	SA			R W Turner	SA	R W Turner
1960			SA					ALC Trophy
								G Reid
1961			VIC					Don Miller
1962	SA	Adelaide	SA			A Jennings	SA	A Jennings
1963			SA					Isaachsen Trophy
								A Jennings
1964			SA					M Aldenhaven
1965	VIC	Perth	VIC			Graham Reddaway	VIC	T Piddington
1966			VIC					Brian Griffin
1967			SA					G Bower
1968	VIC	Melbourne	DRAW			B Van Der Peer	SA	B Benger
1969			SA					R Turnbull
1970	VIC	Adelaide	VIC			Doug Fox	VIC	Michael Raggert
1971			SA					R Swadling
1972	WA	Perth	SA			Ian Toy	WA	R Cordell

1973			SA					Barry Benger / Warren Hobbs
1974	VIC	Melbourne	VIC			R Reiger	WA	Lloyd Morley
1975			DRAW					R Turnbull
1976	SA	Adelaide	SA			Ray Duthy	SA	J Wiles
1977	SA	Perth	SA			E Jones	Sa	Ross Turnbull
1978			VIC					Gary Tillotson
1979	VIC	Melbourne	VIC			Terry Magee	WA	Graeme Fox
1980			VIC					R Turnbull / G Wheatley
1981	WA	Adelaide	VIC			Jeff Kennedy	WA	J Foster
1982	WA	Perth	SA			Rick Tillotson	VIC	Klay Johnson
1983	SA	Melbourne	SA			Jeff Kennedy	WA	J Fay
1984	WA	Adelaide	VIC			Steve Ellis	VIC	M Weir
1985	WA	Perth	VIC			John Butkiewicz	VIC	Gordon Purdie
1986	VIC	Adelaide	VIC			C Casserly	WA	J Hill / P Fazzini
1987	VIC	Melbourne	VIC			John Butkiewicz	VIC	Jeff Kennedy
1988	WA	Adelaide	VIC			Klay Johnson	WA	Gary Tillotson
1989	WA	Melbourne	VIC			Murray Keen	VIC	J Hill / P Fazzini
1990	WA	Perth	SA			Kevin Humphrys	SA	Paul Cook
1991	WA	Adelaide	VIC			Glenn Morley	WA	Colin Brown
1992	VIC	Melbourne	VIC			G Larwood	SA	C Bell
1993	WA	Perth	VIC			G Larwood	SA	L Ovens
1994	VIC	Adelaide	VIC			Greg Moore	VIC	Cam McLaughlin
1995	WA	Melbourne	VIC			G Larwood	SA	J Mihelios
1996	WA	Perth	SA			Scott Garnsworthy	VIC	Rob Stark
1997	VIC	Adelaide	VIC			G Larwood	SA	Matt Schomburg
1998	VIC	Melbourne	VIC			A Sargent	SA	R Stark / D Nicholas
1999	VIC	Adelaide	VIC			Alan Lewer	VIC	David Spreadborough
2000	WA	Perth	VIC			Warren Brown	WA	Darren Nicholas
2001	SA	Melbourne	SA			Warren Brown	WA	R Brown
2002	SA	Perth	SA			Mark Mangan	SA	Peter Inge
2003	SA	Adelaide	SA			Ryan Garnsworthy	VIC	David Spreadborough
2004	VIC	League Format	VIC	WA	VIC	R Brown	WA	J Inge
2005	VIC	League Format	VIC	WA	VIC	Peter Inge	SA	Rob Stark
2006	WA	League Format	VIC	WA	VIC	Rob Stark	VIC	J Inge
2007	VIC	League Format	VIC	WA	VIC	Leigh Perham	SA	Daniel Stiglich
2008	VIC	Perth	VIC	WA	VIC	John Tokarua	VIC	Clinton Lander
2009	VIC	Adelaide	VIC	WA	VIC	J Watson-Galbraith	WA	David Spreadborough
2010	VIC	Melbourne	VIC	Not Played	Not Played	Stefan Guerin	SA	Brad Goddard
2011	VIC	Adelaide	VIC	Not Played	Not Played	Anson Carter	SA	Matt Diver
2012	SA	Perth	SA	SA	VIC	Jesse Bowland-Curtis	WA	Rob Stark
2013	WA	Melbourne	VIC	WA	VIC	Warren Brown	WA	Thomas Graham
2014	SA	Adelaide	SA	SA	WA	William Pickett	SA	Daniel Kennedy
2015	WA	Perth	VIC	WA	WA	Jesse Bowland-Curtis	WA	Chris Plumb



2015 Senior Men's Championship Winners – Western Australia

History - Under18 Girls

Year	U17 Camille Hobbs Perpetual Cup	Bronze Medal	Best & Fairest	Janet Jackson Tournament Trophy Est 2007	Rose Gaunt Trophy SA v WA	Grieves Trophy SA v TAS	Jeannie Matthews Trophy VIC v SA	Mellis Cup VIC v WA	Keane Cup SA Red v VIC Blue
1970	SA	NP		NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
1971	NP	NP		NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
1972	WA	NP		NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
1973	SA	NP		NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
1974	NP	NP		NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
1975	VIC	NP		NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
1976	VIC	NP		NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
1977	WA	NP		NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
1978	NP	NP		NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
1979	SA	NP		NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
1980	WA	NP		NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
1981	WA	NP		NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
1982	WA	NP		NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
1983	SA	NP		NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
1984	VIC	NP		NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
1985	SA	NP		NP	NP	NP	NP	WA	NP
1986	VIC	NP		NP	NP	NP	NP	VIC	NP
1987	VIC	NP		NP	NP	NP	NP	VIC	NP
1988	VIC	NP		NP	SA	NP	NP	VIC	NP
1989	WA	NP		NP	WA	NP	NP	WA	NP
1990	SA	NP		NP	SA	NP	NP	WA	NP
1991	SA	VIC		NP	WA	SA	SA	WA	NP
1992	SA	NP		NP	WA	NP	SA	WA	NP
1993	SA	WA		NP	SA	NP	SA	VIC	DRAW
1994	SA	VIC Blue		NP	NP	NP	SA	NP	VIC Blue
1995	SA	WA		NP	SA	NP	SA	VIC	NP
1996	SA	VIC Blue		NP	SA	NP	SA	VIC	SA Red
1997	SA	WA		NP	SA	NP	VIC	VIC	NP
1998	SA	NP		NP	SA	NP	SA	VIC	NP
1999	VIC	WA		NP	SA	SA	VIC	WA	NP
2000*	VIC	NP		NP	SA	SA	SA	WA	NP
2001	VIC	NP		NP	WA	SA	SA	VIC	NP
2002	SA	NP		NP	SA	NP	SA	VIC	SA Red
2003	SA	NP		NP	SA	NP	SA	WA	NP
2004	VIC	NP		NP	SA	NP	VIC	VIC	NP
2005	WA	NP		NP	WA	NP	VIC	VIC	VIC Blue
2006	VIC	NP		NP	SA	NP	VIC	VIC	NP
2007	VIC	WA		VIC	SA	NP	VIC	VIC	NP
2008	VIC	WA		VIC	SA	NP	VIC	VIC	NP
2009	VIC	WA		VIC	SA	NP	SA	VIC	NP
2010	VIC	SA		VIC	SA	NP	VIC	VIC	NP
2011	VIC		Danelle Mollison	VIC	SA	NP	VIC	VIC	NP
2012**	VIC		Theadora Kwas	VIC	SA	NP	VIC	VIC	NP
2013	VIC		Theadora Kwas	VIC	SA	NP	VIC	VIC	NP
2014	SA	VIC	Ashtyn Hiron	SA	SA	NP	SA	VIC	NP
2015	VIC		Olivia Parker	VIC	SA	NP	VIC	VIC	NP

*Change from U16 to U17

**Change from U17 to U18

NP = Not Played



2015 U18 Girl's Championship Winners – Victoria



2015 U18 Boy's Championship Winners – Victoria

History - Under18 Boys

Mal Taylor Trophy		Henry Volk Best & Fairest	
Year	Winner	Winner	Home State
1964	South Australia	NA	NA
1966	South Australia	NA	NA
1968	Victoria	NA	NA
1970	Western Australia	NA	NA
1972	Western Australia	NA	NA
1974	South Australia	NA	NA
1976	South Australia	NA	NA
1978	Victoria	NA	NA
1980	Victoria	NA	NA
1981	Victoria	NA	NA
1982	Victoria	NA	NA
1983	Victoria	NA	NA
1984	Western Australia	NA	NA
1985	Western Australia	NA	NA
1986	Western Australia	NA	NA
1987	South Australia	S Melissovas	Victoria
1988	Victoria	T Sellen	South Australia
1989	Victoria	A Stammers	Western Australia
1990	Western Australia	A Stammers	Western Australia
1991	Victoria	C Johnston	South Australia
1992	South Australia	Danial Whitbourn	Victoria
1993	Victoria	Brad Ross	Victoria
1994	Victoria	L Hoare	Victoria
1995	Western Australia	W Curran	Western Australia
1996	Victoria	Leigh Perham	South Australia
1997	Victoria	B Cook	Victoria
1998	Victoria	S Larkins	Victoria
1999	South Australia	S Dawson	South Australia
2000	Victoria	L Stokes	Western Australia
2001	Victoria	J Burrows	South Australia
2002	South Australia	D Sercombe	Western Australia
2003	Western Australia	E Roberts	Western Australia
2004	Western Australia	L Blackie	Western Australia
2005 - 2009	Tournament Format	Tournament Format	NA
2010	Western Australia	L Walker	Western Australia
2011	Victoria	Daniel Kennedy	Western Australia
2012*	Victoria	Alex Pike	Victoria
2013	Victoria	Ben Game	Western Australia
2014	Western Australia	Lincoln Potter	Western Australia
2015	Victoria	Peter Kwas	Victoria

*Change from U17 to U18

History - Under15 Boys

Joe Downie Trophy	
Year	Winner
1983	Western Australia
1984	Victoria
1985	Western Australia
1986	Victoria
1987	Western Australia
1988	Victoria
1989	Victoria
1990	Victoria
1991	South Australia
1992	VIC - Eastside Kings
1993	VIC - Eastside Kings
1994	VIC - Eastside Kings
1995	VIC - Eastside Kings
1996	VIC - Eastside Kings
1997	VIC - Western Metro
1998	VIC - Western Metro
1999	World Class All Stars USA
2000	VIC - Western Metro
2001	VIC - Southern Crosse
2002	World Class All Stars USA
2003	WA - Northern Thunder
2004	WA - Northern Thunder
2005	WA - Northern Thunder
2006	WA - Southern Braves
2007	WA - Northern Thunder
2008	WA - Southern Braves
2009	WA - Southern Braves
2010	WA - Southern Braves
2011	WA - Southern Braves
2012*	VIC - Southern Crosse
2013	WA - Northern Thunder
2014	VIC - Southern Crosse
2015	VIC - Southern Crosse



2015 U15 Boy's Tournament Winners – VIC Southern Crosse

History - Under15 Girls

Year	U15 Fiona Clark National Tournament Trophy	U15 Rae Reid Tournament Trophy
2003	VIC Ice	VIC Ice
2004	VIC Ice	VIC Ice
2005	VIC Ice	VIC Ice
2006	VIC Ice	VIC Ice
2007	WA Stars	WA Stars
2008	WA Stars	WA Stars
2009	VIC Fire	VIC Fire
2010	VIC Ice	SA Red Lightning
2011	VIC Ice	WA Stars
2012	VIC Fire	-
2013	SA Comets	VIC Ice
2014	WA Stars	VIC Fire
2015	VIC Fire	



2015 U15 Girl's Tournament Winners – VIC Fire



Financial Report

For the year ended 30 June 2015

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DIRECTOR'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

The directors present their report together with the financial report of Australian Lacrosse Association Limited (the Company) for the year ended 30 June 2015 and the auditor's report thereon.

Directors

The directors of the Company at any time during or since the end of the financial year are:

Vivienne White	Appointed 20 Feb 2009
Janet Jackson	Appointed 20 Feb 2009
Thomas Slattery	Appointed 27 Nov 2010
Graham Sharpe	Appointed 12 Dec 2011
Paul Mollison	Appointed 17 Dec 2011
Glenn Morley	Appointed 9 Feb 2012
Andrew Harris	Appointed 1 Jul 2014

The directors have been in office since the start of the financial year to the date of this report unless otherwise stated.

Company Secretary

The following person held the position of Company Secretary at any time during or since the end of the financial year are:

Janet Jackson	Appointed 6 May 2010
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Officers who were previously partners of the audit firm

There were no persons who were officers of the Company during the financial year and were previously partners of the current audit firm, Rankin & Young Chartered Accountants, at a time when Rankin & Young Chartered Accountants undertook an audit of the Company.

Principal activities, operating and financial review

The principal activity of the Company during the course of the year was that of a National Sporting Organisation. There were no significant changes in the nature of the activities of the Company during the year.

The surplus of the Company for the financial year amounted to \$28,790 (2014: surplus of \$53,542).

Significant changes in the state of affairs

There have been no significant changes in the Company's state of affairs during the financial year.

No matters or circumstances have arisen since the end of the financial year which significantly affected or may significantly affect the operations of the Company, the results of those operations, or the state of affairs of the Company in future financial years.

Environmental regulation

The Company's operations are not regulated by any significant environmental regulation under a law of the Commonwealth or of a state or territory.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

Events subsequent to reporting date

There has not arisen in the interval between the end of the financial year and the date of this report any item, transaction or event of a material and unusual nature likely, in the opinion of the directors of the Company, to affect significantly the operations of the Company, the results of those operations, or the state of affairs of the Company, in future financial years.

Dividends

No dividends were declared or paid since the start of the financial year. No recommendation of payment of dividends has been made.

Options

No options over issued shares or interests in the Company were granted during or since the end of the financial year and there were no options outstanding at the date of this report.

Likely developments

Likely developments in the operations of the Company and the expected results of those operations in future financial years have not been included in this report as the inclusion of such information is likely to result in unreasonable prejudice to the Company.

Director's interest in shares of the Company or related bodies corporate

There are no shares held by the Directors of the Company in the Company or in related bodies corporate which are required to be declared in the register of Directors' shareholding.

Director's benefits

No Director has received or become entitled to receive, during or since the financial year, a benefit because of a contract made by the Company or related body corporate with a Director, a firm which a Director is a member or an entity in which a Director has a substantial financial interest.

There are no salaries paid to any full-time employee of the Company or related body corporate.

Indemnification and insurance of officers and auditors Indemnification

No indemnities have been given or agreed to be given or insurance premiums paid or agreed to be paid, during or since the end of the financial year, to any person who is or has been an officer or auditor of the Company.

Proceedings on behalf of the Company

No person has applied for leave of Court to bring proceedings on behalf of the Company or intervene in any proceedings to which the Company is a party for the purpose of taking responsibility on behalf of the Company for all or any part of those proceedings.



Director – Thomas Michael Slattery

Dated at Melbourne this 20th October 2015

STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

	Note	2015	2014
		\$	\$
Revenue	2	235,455	199,042
Interest income		<u>7,844</u>	<u>6,853</u>
		<u>243,299</u>	<u>205,895</u>
Expenses			
Director's meetings		23,997	20,035
Officials expenses		27,213	18,128
Audit fees		4,070	4,000
Accounting fees		9,000	9,000
Other expenses	3	<u>150,229</u>	<u>101,190</u>
		<u>214,509</u>	<u>152,353</u>
Surplus before income tax		28,790	53,542
Income Tax	1c	-	-
Total comprehensive income for the year		<u><u>28,790</u></u>	<u><u>53,542</u></u>

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 30 JUNE 2015

	Note	2015	2014
		\$	\$
ASSETS			
Current Assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	4	925,346	625,022
Accounts receivable		-	10,844
GST receivable / (payable)		15,421	6,198
TOTAL ASSETS		940,767	642,064
LIABILITIES			
Current Liabilities			
Creditors and accruals		23,703	12,866
Team Clearing accounts		481,260	222,184
TOTAL LIABILITIES		504,963	235,050
NET ASSETS		435,804	407,014
EQUITY			
Accumulated funds		435,804	407,014
TOTAL EQUITY		435,804	407,014

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

	Share Capital	Accumulated Funds	Total
	\$	\$	\$
At 1 July 2013	-	353,472	353,472
Surplus for the year	-	53,542	53,542
At 30 June 2014	-	407,014	407,014
At 1 July 2014	-	407,014	407,014
Surplus for the year	-	28,790	28,790
At 30 June 2015	-	435,804	435,804

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CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

	Note	2015 \$	2014 \$
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Receipts from grant body, members and other customers		269,844	224,456
Payments to suppliers and employees		(236,440)	(185,068)
Interest received		7,844	6,853
Contributions from sporting teams		<u>259,076</u>	<u>42,580</u>
Net cash generated from/(used in) operating activities	5	<u>300,324</u>	<u>88,821</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Net increase in cash held		300,324	88,821
Cash at the beginning of the year		<u>625,022</u>	<u>536,201</u>
Cash at the end of the year		<u>925,346</u>	<u>625,022</u>

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Note 1: Statement of Significant Accounting Policies

The financial statements cover Australian Lacrosse Association Ltd as an individual entity. The Company is limited by guarantee, incorporated and domiciled in Australia.

Financial Reporting Framework

The entity is not a reporting entity because there are unlikely to be users of the financial report who are unable to command the preparation of reports tailored so as to satisfy specifically all of their information needs. Accordingly, a special purpose financial report has been prepared.

Basis of Preparation

The financial report has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of recognition and measurement aspects of all applicable Australian Accounting Standards adopted by the Australian Accounting Standards Board.

The financial report does not include the disclosure requirements of the following pronouncements having a material effect:

AASB 7	<i>Financial Instruments: Disclosures</i>
AASB 117	<i>Leases</i>
AASB 119	<i>Employee Benefits</i>
AASB 124	<i>Related Party Disclosures</i>
AASB 136	<i>Impairment of Assets</i>
AASB 137	<i>Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets</i>
AASB 108	<i>Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors</i>

Basis of Measurement

The financial report has been prepared on an accruals basis and is based on historic costs and does not take into account changing money values or, except where specifically stated, current valuations of non-current assets.

Functional and Presentation Currency

These financial statements are presented in Australian dollars, which is the entity's functional currency.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Note 1: Statement of Significant Accounting Policies (cont'd)

Use of Estimates and Judgement

The preparation of financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

Estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised and in any future periods affected.

b. Revenue

Revenue is recognised when the Company is legally entitled to the income and the amount can be quantified with reasonable accuracy. Revenue is recognised net of the amounts of goods and services tax (GST) payable to the Australian Taxation Office.

The Company's revenue includes grants received from the Australian Sports Commission and membership fees.

Grants received on the condition that specified services are delivered, or conditions are fulfilled, are considered reciprocal. Such grants are initially recognised as a liability and revenue is recognised as services are performed or conditions fulfilled. Revenue from non-reciprocal grants is recognised when received.

Membership fees are recognised upon the delivery of the service to the members.

Donations and sponsorships are recognised when received.

Interest revenue is recognised on an effective rate basis taking into account the interest rates applicable to the financial assets.

All revenue is stated net of the amount of goods and services tax (GST).

c. Income Tax

The entity has received an endorsement from the ATO confirming that it is exempt from income tax.

d. Goods and Services Tax (GST)

Revenue, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of goods and services tax (GST), except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the taxation authority. In these circumstances, the GST is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of the expense.

Receivables and payables are stated with the amount of GST included. The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the ATO is included as a current asset or liability in the balance sheet.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Cash flows are presented in the cash flow statement on a gross basis, except for the GST components of investing and financing activities, which are disclosed as operating cash flows.

e. Payables

Accounts payable are recognised when the entity becomes obliged to make future payments resulting from the purchase of goods and services.

f. New standards and interpretations not yet adopted

In the year ended 30 June 2015, the Company has reviewed all of the new and revised Standards and Interpretations issued by the AASB that are relevant to its operations and effective for the current annual reporting period .

It has been determined by the Company that there is no impact, material or otherwise, of the new and revised Standards and Interpretations on its business and, therefore, no change is necessary to Company accounting policies.

The Company has not yet determined the impact on its financial report of new standards issued but not yet effective.

Note 2: Revenue and Other Income

	2015	2014
	\$	\$
Revenue		
Australian Sports Commission Grant	50,000	50,000
Membership Fees	99,140	103,759
Coaching and Officiating Income	19,092	11,281
Recognition Dinner	3,227	3,290
Growth and Development Income	23,690	524
High Performance Income	4,635	-
Coaching Income	-	427
National Competition Income	27,183	14,500
Miscellaneous Income	8,488	15,261
	<u>235,455</u>	<u>199,042</u>

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Note 3: Expenses

	2015	2014
	\$	\$
Marketing and communication	24,057	12,513
Director's admin expenses	3,511	3,786
Insurance	3,817	6,103
FIL meetings & memberships	14,612	5,679
National competitions	22,199	8,346
International participation	9,695	3,094
Other expenses	72,338	61,669
	<u>150,229</u>	<u>101,190</u>

Note 4: Cash and cash equivalents

	2015	2014
	\$	\$
Main Trading Account	109,019	117,919
Online Saver Account	97,485	50,637
Online Saver Development Account	100	134,138
Development Fund Account	137,338	143
Term Deposit	143	100,000
Women's Senior Team Account *	100,000	500
Women's Under 19 Team Account *	5,675	38,446
Men's Senior Team Account *	119,512	100,318
Men's Senior Saver Account *	1,877	25,100
Men's Senior Term Deposit *	25,464	-
Men's Under 19 Team Account *	112,001	31,618
Women's Development Team Account *	41,154	500
Men's Development Team Account *	37,620	500
Men's Indoor Team Account *	137,958	25,203
	<u>925,346</u>	<u>625,022</u>

* These accounts can only be used to fund the activities of the applicable team.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Note 5: Cash Flow Information

	2015	2014
	\$	\$
Reconciliation of cash flow from operations with profit after income tax		
Profit after tax	<u>28,790</u>	<u>53,542</u>
Operating profit before working capital changes	28,790	53,542
(Increase)/decrease in trade and other receivables	1,621	(5,848)
Increase/(decrease) in trade and other payables	269,913	41,127
Cash Flow from Operating Activities	<u><u>300,324</u></u>	<u><u>88,821</u></u>

Note 6: Member Guarantees

Every member of the Company undertakes to contribute to the property of the Company in the event of the same being wound up while he is a member, or within one year after he ceases to be a member, for payment of the debts and liabilities of the Company contracted before he ceases to be a member, and for the costs, charges, and expenses of winding up and for the adjustment of the rights of the contributories among themselves, such amount as may be required not exceeding \$100.00.

Note 7: Auditor's Remuneration

Details of the amounts paid to the auditor of the Company, Rankin & Young Chartered Accountants for audit services provided during the year are set out below.

	2015	2014
	\$	\$
Auditors Services		
Audit of financial report (Rankin & Young)	4,000	4,000
Other audit services	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
	<u><u>4,000</u></u>	<u><u>4,000</u></u>

DIRECTOR'S DECLARATION

The Members of the Board of Management have determined that the Association is not a reporting entity.

The Members of the Boards of Management have determined that this Special Purpose Financial Report should be prepared in accordance with the accounting policies outlined in Note 1 to the Financial Statements.

In the opinion of the Members of the Board of Management, the Financial Statements:-

1. Present fairly the position of Australian Lacrosse Association Limited as at 30 June 2015 and its performance for the year ended on that date;
2. At the date of this statement, there are reasonable grounds to believe that Australian Lacrosse Association Limited will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due.

This statement is made and signed for and on behalf of Members of the Board of Management.



Director – Thomas Michael Slattery

Dated at Melbourne this 20th October 2015.

INDEPENDENT AUDIT REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF AUSTRALIAN LACROSSE ASSOCIATION LIMITED

Report on the Financial Report

We have audited the accompanying financial report, being a special purpose financial report, of Australian Lacrosse Association Ltd., which comprises the statement of financial position as at 30th June 2015 for the year then ended, the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity, cash flow statement, a summary of significant accounting policies, other explanatory notes and the directors declaration.

Committee's Responsibility for the Financial Report

The directors of the company are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report and have determined that the accounting policies described in Note 1 to the financial statements, which form part of the financial report, are consistent with the financial reporting requirements of the company and are appropriate to meet the needs of the members. The director's responsibilities also include designing, implementing and maintaining internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error; selecting and applying appropriate accounting policies' and making accounting estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances.

Auditor's Responsibility

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

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

The financial report has been prepared for distribution to members for the purpose of fulfilling the director's financial reporting under the Corporations Law. We disclaim any assumption of responsibility for any reliance on this report or on the financial report to which it relates to any person other than the members, or for any purpose other than that for which it was prepared.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Independence

In conducting our audit, we have complied with the independence requirements of Australian professional ethical pronouncements

**INDEPENDENT AUDIT REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF
AUSTRALIAN LACROSSE ASSOCIATION LIMITED**

Auditor's Opinion

In our opinion, the financial report of presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Australian Lacrosse Association Ltd as at 30th June 2015 and of its financial performance for the year then ended in accordance with the accounting policies described in Note 1 to the financial statements, and the Corporations Law.

Basis of Accounting and Restriction on Distribution

Without modifying our opinion, we draw attention to Note 1 of the financial statements, which describes the basis of accounting. The financial report has been prepared to assist Australian Lacrosse Association Ltd. to meet the requirements of Corporations Law. As a result, the financial report may not be suitable for another purpose.



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Dated this 20th day of October 2015



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