

THE BADMINTON ASSOCIATION OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA (INC) trading as

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**THE BADMINTON ASSOCIATION OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA (INC)**



### **Vision Statement:**

Badminton is recognised as a fast, exciting and inclusive sport for all ages and abilities throughout Western Australia.

*To promote widespread participation opportunities and increase the popularity of badminton in Western Australia.*

### **Mission Statement:**

Our mission is to provide:

- Leadership and advocacy;
- Quality participation opportunities;
- Clear performance pathways to success; and
- Promotion of the sport;

*To work collaboratively with key stakeholders to provide quality participation opportunities and pathways within the sport of badminton in Australia.*

### **Our Core Values:**

- Be open, ethical and accountable in all that we do;
- Proactively operate as a leader in the Australian and global badminton community;
- Be aware of, respect and be responsive to stakeholder needs;
- Enjoy and have pride in our work;
- Actively embrace change;
- Value diversity and encourage inclusivity (gender, ability, age, and ethnicity).

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## INTRODUCTION

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### Badminton WA Office Bearers

**President**

**Vice President**

**Secretary**

**Treasurer**

**Board Members**

Dr Judith Cousins

Mrs Lily Buttrose

Mr Bruce Napier

Mr Neal Miranda

Mrs Annie Sim

Mr Mark Cunningham

Mr Kim Rodgers

Mrs Lily Buttrose

Mrs Punita Mandalia

### Badminton WA Staff

**Executive Officer**

**Administrative Assistant**

Mr Eugene Glazman

Mrs Elaine Lee

### COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS

Court Officials

Coaching

Elite Development

Events

Junior Development

Junior High Performance

Mrs Kelly Hoare

Dr Judith Cousins

Mrs Annie Sim

Mr Mark Cunningham

Mrs Lily Buttrose

Mrs Annie Sim

### BADMINTON WA AUDITOR

Violette Schreiber MAS, FIPA



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## Record of Past Badminton WA Office Bearers

### RECORD OF PRESIDENTS

1924	Mr. Arnold Hodder
1925-1937	Mr. F. Aldrich
1938-1947	Mr. H. Styants
1948-1949	Mr. F. Johnston
1950-1951	Rev. E. Bryant
1952-1953	Mr. K. Baker
1954	Mr. G. Rowe
1955-1960	Mr. R. Meyer
1961-1965	Mr. D Hall
1966-1977	Mr. Cedric Baxter
1978-1983	Mr. Don Stockins
1984-1989	Mr. DA McElroy
1990-1993	Mrs. Leslie Garnsworthy
1993-1999	Mr. Gregory Vellacott
1999-2001	Mr. Norman Anthony
2001-2003	Mrs. Jane Wheatley
2003-2005	Ms. Gae Gaffney
2005-2008	Mr. John Csallo
2008-2008	Mr. Gregory Vellacott
2009-2013	Dr. Judith Cousins
2014-2015	Mr. Bruce Napier
2016-	Dr. Judith Cousins

### RECORD OF SECRETARIES

1924	Mr. D. Rushton & Mr. Syd Rowe
1925	Mr. D. Rushton & Mr. G. Somes
1926-1927	Mr. Gerald Parkes (Sec/Treasurer)
1928	Mr. Peck (Sec/Treasurer)
1929	Mr. F. Johnston
1930-1932	Mr. S. Rowe
1933-1935	Miss. L. Smart
1936	Mr. S. Rowe
1937-1938	Mr. M. Marchall
1939	Mr. D. Barton
1940-1946	Mr. R. Neal
1947	Dr. J. Horton
1948-1949	Miss. M. Thompson
1950-1951	Mr. G. Alford
1952	Mr. B. Treasure
1953	Mr. G. Alford
1954	Mr. B. Treasure
1955-1956	Mr. B. Smith
1957-1959	Mr. V. Conlan
1960	Mr. B. Bertie
1961	Mr. V. Conlan
1962	Mr. Don Stockins
1963-1964	Miss. P. Brady
1965	Mr. C. Baxter
1966	Mrs. E. Williams
1967	Mr. G. Rowe
1968	Miss. P. Newbury
1969-1970	Miss. J. Truscott



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1971-1972	Mrs. J. Harwood
1973-1974	Mrs. E. Sparks
1975	Mrs. J. Harwood & Mrs. E. Sparks
1976-1977	Miss. B. Edwards
1978-1981	Miss. M. Winton
1982-1984	Miss. M. Lauritsen
1985-1986	Mrs. K. Pratt
1987	Mrs. M. Juon & Mrs. K. Pratt
1988	Mrs. K. Pratt
1989-1990	Miss. B. Edwards
1992	Mrs. M. O'Dea,
1993	Mr. J. Crossland, Mrs. B. Pusey, Miss D. Harding
1994-1997	Mrs. D. Kern
1997-2000	Mrs. V. Sullivan
2000-2002	Mr. S. Favacho
2002-2003	Mrs. Val Sullivan
2003-2004	Mrs. T. Harwood, Mr John Csallo
2004- 2006	Mr. Norman Anthony
2006- 2007	Mr. Toby Hodgson (Executive Officer)
2008-2008	Dr. Judith Cousins
2009-2013	Mr. Bruce Napier
2014	Dr. Judith Cousins
2015-2015	Mr. Gaelen Williams
2016-	Mr. Bruce Napier

#### **RECORD OF TREASURERS**

1924-1925	
1926-1927	Mr. Parker (Sec/Treasurer)
1928	Mr. Peck (Sec/Treasurer)
1929-1931	Mr. Ferguson
1932-1933	Mr. H. Turner
1934-1949	Mr. M. Morris
1950-1951	Mr. W. Same
1952	Mr. T. Choon
1953	Miss. B. Mason
1954	Mr. T. Choon
1955-1956	Mr. B. Morris
1957-1960	Mr. N. Kalaf
1961-1962	Mr. N Kalaf
1962-1964	Mr. B Simpson
1965-1966	Miss L Broadhurst
1967	Miss K Nicholls
1968-1973	Miss P Newbury
1974-1979	Mr. D Crowther
1980-1986	Mr. K Rodgers
1987-1988	Mr. R Tan
1989	Mrs. P Patrick
1990	Mr. A Franklin
1991-1992	Miss L Lethlean
1993	Mr. T Ball & Mrs. P Patrick
1994	Mrs. P Patrick
1995-1998	Mr. B Perryman
1998-1999	Ms C Culverwell
1999-2000	Mr. A Smith
2000-2003	Miss G Gaffney
2003-2004	Mr. Geoff Hashman
2004-2005	Mr. Peter Hong/Ms Nancy Go/Mr Hitesh Shah/ Mr. Dave Morrow



2006-2007	Mr. Tony Ince
2008-2009	Mr. Oliver Hung
2010-2014	Mr. Kim Rodgers
2015-	Mr. Neal Miranda

#### RECORD OF EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

2006-2008	Mr. Toby Hodgson
2009-2010	Mr. Nick Kidd
2011- 2015	Mr. Himanshu Thacker
2015-	Mr. Eugene Glazman

#### Badminton WA Life Members

(\* Denotes Deceased)

1929	Mr. A Hodder *
	Mr. WE Forster *
1931	Mr. GV Parkes *
1933	Mr. S Rowe *
1936	Mr. HA Ashton *
	Mr. J Rossiter *
1938	Miss L Smart *
	Mr. FA Johnson *
1939	Rev. Bryant *
1948	Mr. M Morris *
1960	Mr. V Conlan *
1964	Mr. DW Hall *
1968	Miss P Brady *
	Mr. C Baxter OAM
1969	Mr. G Rowe *
1970	Mr. Laurie Blackburn
1972	Mr. Donald G Stockins OAM
	Mr. A Woods
	Mr. G Ramage *
1976	Mr. D Walker *
	Mr. CH Richardson *
1979	Mr. DA McElroy *
	Mr. EC Stapleton
1981	Miss Joan Kennington
1982	Mrs. Joan Harwood
1984	Miss June Johnstone
1985	Mr. Peter G Cooper OAM
1986	Mrs. Audrey Tuckey
1997	Mr. Greg Vellacott
1998	Mrs. Phillis Jupp
	Mr. Kim Rodgers
1999	Mrs. Beth Pusey
	Ms. Kay Terry MBE
2001	Mr. Bruce Perryman
	Ms. Gae Gaffney
2009	Dr. Judith Cousins
2015	Mrs. Kelly Hoare
	Mrs. Jane Wheatley



## Record of Service Awards

1986 (inaugural)

Mrs. E V Sparks  
Mrs. Audrey Tuckey  
Mr. Richard Booker  
Mr. Geoff Higgs  
Mr. Paul Kong  
Mr. Gordon Lang  
Mr. Don Stockins  
Mr. Max Strachan  
Mrs. Phyllis Jupp  
Mr. Kim Rodgers  
Mr. Charles Stapleton

1987 – Oct

Mrs. Dianne Criddle  
Miss Marlene Carter

1988 – July

Miss Beth Edwards  
Mr. Alan McElroy  
Mrs. Pat Patrick  
Mr. Bruce Perryman  
Miss Faye Truscott  
Miss Marg Lauritsen

1988 – Nov

Miss Kay Terry  
Mr. Robert Italiano

1989 – Nov

Mr. Peter Smith

1991 – Nov

Miss Gae Gaffney  
Mrs. Audrey Pearce (deceased)  
Mr. John Pearce (deceased)

1992 – Nov

Mrs. Val Barratt

2001

Mr. Peter Cooper  
Mrs. Kelly Hoare

2013

Mr. Bruce Napier  
Mrs. Dianne Booth  
Mr Trevor Briedis  
Mr. Mark Duxbury  
Mrs. Kelly Hoare

2014

Mr. Andrew Chai

2015

Mr. Colin Criddle

2016

Mr. Samuel Fan  
Mr. Winston Allen

## Special Award

2010

Mr. Winston Allen Volunteer of the Year

## Record of WA Sports Federation Awards (Badminton Nominees)

Coach of the year:

2006

Mrs. Audrey Tuckey

2007

No Nominee

2008

Mr. Nick Kidd

2009

Mr. Nick Kidd

2010

Mr. Nick Kidd

2011

Mr. Nick Kidd

2012

Mr. Kim Rodgers

2013

No Nominee

2014

Ms. Yuli Zheng

2015

No Nominee

2016

Ms. Yuli Zheng



Junior sports star of the year:

1992	Miss. Nikki Harwood (Winner)
2006	Miss. Emma Kate Donnelly
2007	Mr. Eddie Hung
2008	Mr. Eddie Hung
2009	Mr. Eddie Hung
2010	Miss. Phing Teo
2011	Miss. Phing Teo
2012	No Nominee
2013	Mr. Ying Xiang Lin
2014	Miss. Bella Yutong Liu
2015	No Nominee
2016	Mr. Kai Chen Teoh

Official of the year:

2001	Mr. Don Stockins OAM (Winner)
2006	Mrs. Jane Wheatley
2007	Mr. Don Stockins
2008	Mr. Greg Vellacott
2009	Mr. Greg Vellacott (Winner)
2010	Mrs. Kelly Hoare
2011	Mrs. Kelly Hoare
2012	Mrs. Jane Wheatley (Finalist)
2013	Mrs. Kelly Hoare
2014	Mr. Jiten Bhatt
2015	Mrs. Kelly Hoare
2016	Mrs. Jane Wheatley (Finalist)

Service to sport:

1985	Mr. Don Stockins OAM (Winner)
1993	Mr. Cedric Baxter OAM (Winner)
2006	Mr. Norman Anthony
2007	Mrs. Pauleen Cooper
2008	Dr. Judith Cousins
2009	Dr. Judith Cousins
2010	Dr. Judith Cousins
2011	Dr. Judith Cousins
2012	No Nominee
2013	Dr. Judith Cousins (Winner)
2014	Mr. Kim Rodgers (Winner)
2015	Mr. Bruce Napier
2016	Mr. Bruce Napier

Sports Star of the year:

2006	Miss. Leisha Cooper
2007	Miss. Leisha Cooper
2008	Mr. Nick Kidd
2009	Mr. Nick Kidd
2010	Mr. Nick Kidd & Miss. Leisha Cooper
2011	Mr. Nick Kidd
2012	No Nominee
2013	No Nominee
2014	No Nominee
2015	No Nominee
2016	No Nominee



Team of the year:

2009	WA Senior Team
2010	WA Senior Team
2011	WA Senior Team
2012	WA Under 15 Team
2013	No Nominee
2014	No Nominee
2015	No Nominee
2016	No Nominee



## SPONSORS

The Board, Staff and Members of The Badminton Association of Western Australia (Inc) would like to thank the following sponsors for their continued support and contributions to the progression of the sport of badminton in Western Australia.



Department of  
**Sport and Recreation**





# GOVERNANCE REPORTS



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## EXECUTIVE REPORTS

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### President's Report

*To understand where you are going it's important to reflect on where you have come from, but you can't spend too much time looking in the rear view mirror. If you do that you will miss your destination...*

The end of each year is the time to assess the previous twelve months, reflect on the areas of success—and those where further work is needed and to plot the course towards the immediate future.

We can review 2016 with a degree of satisfaction in a number of areas - membership, competitions, relationships and sound governance. Progress was also made with Coach Development, Court Officials, Junior Development and good results were gained by our Junior High Performance players. Within this Annual Report you find all the details of the projects and programmes undertaken. I think you will be surprised at the range of the work covered and the number of activities implemented.

Consider these figures- and compare to those of five years ago

2016: <b><u>Affiliated Associations and clubs: 72</u></b>	2011: 43	67% growth
2016: <b><u>Registered members: 3007</u></b>	2011: 902	233% growth
2016: <b><u>Accredited coaches: 50</u></b>	2011: 22	127% growth
2016: <b><u>Events held: 23</u></b>	2011: 11	109% growth
2016: <b><u>Competition players: 824</u></b>	2011: 693	19% growth

All of this has been through many people working together to develop the sport. It shows a willingness to *participate, cooperate* and *initiate*. Some of the work done covered a broad spectrum, even in a specific area, for example, twenty three (23) competitions were managed, hosted, organised, assisted and then reviewed. These were competitions for juniors, seniors, veterans, regional players, school players, corporate players ... There were team events, individual events and a national event.

The Perth Championships saw 237 players (the largest entry for many years) on the courts at Kingsway in a two-day competition that show-cased not just our talented players but also our recreational players. This was testament to the growing popularity of our tournaments. There is an opportunity for everyone to be involved—as a player, umpire, technical officer, match desk volunteer, line judge, - whatever your skills we welcome you to the tournament scene.

The Junior Development area was boosted by a Badminton Australia grant which resulted in the Wings Junior Club initiative, finishing the year with **190** young players as members of Badminton WA. It is possible that among these players is a future Australian Champion, a future international court official—a future President of Badminton WA.

Our Court Officials strode the world stage. Greg Vellacott continued his work as the Badminton World Federation Umpire Assessor. Jane Wheatley and Kelly Hoare were the only two Australian Officials selected by BWF for the Rio Olympic Games. Jiten Bhatt became a certificated BWF Umpire. Jane Wheatley was named the Badminton Australia Official of the Year as recognition



of her outstanding contribution to the sport. The full list of Court Officials achievements is shown later in this report.

The ratification of our Inclusion Policy gave greater focus to inclusivity within clubs. Within this area the Para badminton programme, still in its infancy, saw these athletes begin to see a pathway, not just to enjoyment of badminton but to real success at the national level. Their commitment and dedication to developing their skills has been a highlight of the year and with their inclusion in the tournaments the wider badminton community has been able to witness their progress. The Inclusivity grant from DSR, which enabled this programme to be established, concludes in March 2017. A small grant from the National Disability Services was valued and put towards the coaching of our para-athletes. We must now look to other sources to ensure the pilot work in this area continues.

A review of the High Performance Programme under the guidance of the Department of Sport and Recreation was valuable. The U15 HP Squad functioned well and the Junior State Teams achieved good results with the highlight being the U17 Silver Medal in the national team championships. The fact that the event was held at home meant local spectators had the chance to see our most talented juniors in action. These young players performed at their best with some outstanding performances, notably Kai Chen Teoh, winning **THREE** national titles.

Although we continue to rely on grants to support most of our programmes we are moving towards some sustainability. In general, all projects have a degree of self-sufficiency with grants ensuring participants are not denied access for economic reasons, i.e. keeping entry fees low.

Our most significant grant from DSR is the Organisational Sustainability Programme. Early in 2016 we were advised that this grant programme was being re-assessed for ALL sports and that the categorisation tool was being re-defined. What followed was a series of meetings, both general information sessions with all sports and our own individual meetings with our Consultant, Jacqui Jashari. We needed to prove that we were correctly categorised (which is linked to funding) and this involved considerable work in providing documentary evidence to prove our claim. This process is on-going but we have managed to retain our level of funding for 2017. Our relationship with DSR is professional and amicable and our Consultant, Jacqui, has been a valued friend to our sport.

The Healthway projects, in part supported by our grant from the WA Health Promotion Foundation were all successfully completed. Our new Healthway message of 'LiveLighter' was given prominence with A-frame signage placed as court surrounds, wall signage at Kingsway Stadium and used in the naming of each project.

Work on the Badminton Australia Constitution came to a satisfying conclusion at their AGM. Although it was a long process to produce a document that met the needs of all Members this has now been achieved and thanks are given to everyone who made a contribution. We have a sound relationship with our national body and have three members on national committees: Greg Vellacott, Jane Wheatley and Ian Bridge.

I recently read: *We live in an era of withering institutions, ebbing volunteerism, and declining trust. In such an environment, the levers of powers fall to the shrinking band of diehards who can be bothered to play the game.*



The people who take on a role in our association are those who have picked up the workload on behalf of others. If the sport is to continue to flourish we need more people to provide support, ideas, allegiance, -- that is, make a contribution. There is little power to be had, plenty of work to do but also a great sense of satisfaction in helping to promote and grow a sport that we all love. I congratulate Samuel Fan and Winston Allen, recipients of 2016 Badminton WA Service Awards—two members who quietly picked up tasks over many years, looked for no recognition and simply served the badminton members.

I give special thanks to my Board of Management: Annie Sim, Bruce Napier, Kim Rodgers, Lily Buttrose, Mark Cunningham, Neal Miranda and Punita Mandalia. These volunteers give up many hours of their time for the benefit of the badminton community. They are enthusiastic, purposeful, persistent, and handle their portfolios in a professional manner. The Board of Management underpins the governance, the programmes, the projects and indeed the fabric of the Association.

Our Administration Assistant, Elaine Lee, has developed into a significant part of our team. Always willing to take on any task, no matter how basic or how time consuming Elaine is the smiling face that welcomes newcomers into the office. Elaine takes a broad view of her role and is often seen working at events and functions. She is a valuable and valued, asset to our Association.

Eugene Glazman, our Executive Officer, provides a major contribution to badminton in WA. He has expanded the role of the EO to an all-encompassing one, where he is involved in every aspect of the Association's work. Using his broad-ranging skills Eugene multi-tasks every day. He is a strategic thinker also capable of putting plans into action. Eugene's diligence, thoughtfulness, attention to detail and ability to 'see the big picture' has helped to raise the governance and delivery of our programmes to a higher level.

I have now completed my final year as President of Badminton WA. I started my relationship with the Association in 1973, as the Registrar, and since then have worked on many committees, been director of many events (local, state, national and international), have been on the WA Board of Management in total for nineteen (19) years (eight as President), and have done a seven (7) year period on the Badminton Australia BOM. It has been a journey lasting forty four years. I take this opportunity to thank everyone who assisted me, advised me, and became my friend along the way. On a personal note, I was honoured to be awarded the Badminton Australia Administrator of the Year for 2017.

Badminton WA has the potential to make positive developments on many fronts but the future is in YOUR hands. I urge all members to work together to see new opportunities, new directions and new possibilities. Don't wait to be asked.

Judith Cousins  
President.



## **Executive Officer's Report**

From the everyday operation point of view 2016 has been another busy and successful year. It was exciting to be a part of starting some new programs and initiatives, as well as keep improving the existing processes. As always, contribution and assistance from our part-time staff, the Board of Management, and other Badminton WA volunteers has been absolutely essential. Many activities are reported on in dedicated sections of this publication, and I will focus just on the aspects constituting the operational dimension of these activities and programs.

Badminton WA membership numbers have seen a very encouraging growth this year. At 31<sup>st</sup> December 2016 our membership register included 3007 members, compared to 2214 members reported the previous year. You will find a membership summary table following this report. The main factors contributing to this increase were the new Wings Junior clubs, a substantial growth in tournament participation, continuing roll-out of the Sporting Schools program, and organic growth in club and association membership. (Note: the membership summary only includes those Sporting Schools participants where the lists of names were provided to us by the schools).

A busy year also meant that we had a lot of news to share with our members. Our Facebook page is followed by 1300+ people, and our Badminton Shots newsletter now goes out to nearly 2000 subscribers. We know that our quality content on the many different aspects of badminton life in WA appeals to a lot of people, and we continue to rely on club and association organisers in ensuring that the contact information captured for their members is accurate – not only this is a compliance requirement but also helps us keep the members informed and engaged.

We have completed the ClubTalk ICT grant provided by the Department of Sport and Recreation which was aimed at improving the use of information technology for Badminton WA. The last portion of this grant was directed at upgrading the Badminton WA website to improve its ease of use. The updated website is already operational when you are reading this report.

A new participation initiative supported by Badminton Australia and Australian Sports Commission allowed us to launch a network of Wings Junior badminton clubs. It is very encouraging to know that this program is available to many kids who start learning badminton under qualified instruction. Not everyone will become a badminton champion, but anyone – young or all – can enjoy the game, and many will carry the love for the sport through their lives.

The tournament participation has increased towards the end of the year. The introduction of the Recreational (D Grade) division has played a significant role, effectively opening the tournament circuit for the social players who are keen to start playing competitively but previously had reservations about facing much stronger opponents. A new system of early bird tournament entry fees provided the players with an incentive to stay ahead of the entry closing dates, and it proved to be a success.



The Sportscover Insurance package (Public Liability/Personal Indemnity Cover, Personal Accident Cover and Group Management Liability Cover) remains among the key benefits for clubs / associations and for the players who become members of Badminton WA. We are also working hard to introduce additional benefits, and will be announcing some of them in 2017. It must be acknowledged that it remains a challenging task to run badminton clubs and associations, and this task is handled by dedicated volunteers who truly deserve to be commended for their efforts. The nature of sport participation is evolving, and running a badminton club these days is a fine balancing act. Badminton WA remains committed to providing support and advice to our affiliated and registered members, and will continue to work hard to ensure that the badminton community is growing stronger.

We also need to reiterate the importance of compliance of our clubs and associations with the insurance policy requirements. It is essential that all the regular players of affiliated clubs and associations get registered as members. As always, we are ready to provide assistance and advice to our affiliated clubs and associations in making sure that their membership practices are compliant and up to date and their insurance cover is not compromised.

Badminton WA extends its thanks to all those organisations who have supported us during 2016: WA Department of Sport and Recreation, Healthway Foundation, Aries Car Rental, National Disability Services, City of Wanneroo, Tan & Tan Lawyers, Polymorphic Solutions (ChilliDB), Refresh Pure Water, Mustera Property Group, Mortgage Choice, SportsPower Kingsway, and to individuals who have made contributions to support our state teams and other activities. We also acknowledge the continuing support of specialist sports gear retailers / distributors SportsPower Mirrabooka and AC Sports who are offering Badminton WA members a discount when they buy badminton products from them.

I would like to thank everyone who is actively involved in the world of badminton in Western Australia and contributes to the development and promotion of our sport at all levels – from grassroots to elite. We need your help and support, and hope that together we will achieve more in 2017.

Eugene Glazman  
Executive Officer  
February 2017



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## Finance Overview

### Introduction

It is my pleasure to present Badminton WA's audited financial statement for the year ending 31<sup>st</sup> December 2016.

Badminton WA has engaged the services of Violette Schreiber, Fellow – Institute of Public Accountants, from the Accounting and Bookkeeping Office of the Australian National Institute for Training and Development to undertake the annual audit of the Association's financial statements.

The Association recorded a net deficit of approximately \$20K in the 2016 financial year. This deficit was arrived at in pursuit of objectives aligned to the strategic plan, and in the interests of supporting Badminton across the state. This was lower than the budgeted deficit of \$26K due to improvements in tournament participation and small grant increases. It also reflects the risk that Badminton WA is taking to increase participation and promote the sport at a grassroots level that is intended to provide dividends in the future.

As a result of successive years of deficits the Board of Management has had to make some difficult decisions in order to return the budget to a surplus position. We are optimistic that these measures will stem the deficit and return the Association's finances to a small annual surplus position.

### Balance Sheet

Badminton WA continues to be in a strong position with approximately \$322K in net assets as at 31<sup>st</sup> December 2016. Unfortunately, this is a reduction of approximately \$20K from 2015 due to this year's deficit. The Association's cash continues to be managed conservatively with approximately \$300K in the Association's interest bearing bank account.

The Association continues to be run in line with the strategies and plans that have been developed and endorsed by the membership. This is reflected by the majority of funds expended on tournaments, school events, Wings Junior clubs, state and high performance teams. The second largest outlay is for staffing and is likely to continue at this level for the foreseeable future given the complexity and volume of work required to operationally and strategically support the Association. In my assessment, this level needs to be supported financially however this large single outlay (outside of normal running costs) will need to continue to be managed both from a workload and a financial perspective. The staffing outlay is considered justified, necessary, and highly valued.

### Audit Findings

There were no significant findings by the auditor. However, there is a recommendation to improve the traceability of the collection and depositing of funds to and from individuals. The Board of Management will consider the recommendation and take appropriate measures to address it.



## Ongoing Priorities

The Association is not yet in a position to be confident that the sport continues to improve in all measures within WA. Despite “punching above our weight” at a national level, in terms of membership numbers and level of participation at events, there are still significant challenges that remain. In the context of an increasingly “indifferent to sport” pre-teen, teen and post high-school cohort, raising the level of interest and participation is extremely challenging. Furthermore, the competition for the time and interest of the same cohort is spread across an increasing number of high profile sports.

Despite these challenges, the Association continues to innovate, adopt new approaches and try new tactics to engage and increase participation in a sustainable way.

These priorities are reflected in the list below and are reflected in our approach to budgeting and expenditure:

1. Increasing affiliated membership year on year;
2. Investment in grassroots coaching and opportunity for beginners via a growing number of Wings Junior Badminton Clubs across the metro area;
3. Continue to maintain our lead as the primary state for para-badminton in Australia;
4. More tournaments and additional grades to increase participation in tournaments;
5. Increased tournament prize money to attract national and international participation and create outstanding local tournaments that are competitive with others offered around the world;
6. New revenue streams and sponsorship opportunities being actively pursued;
7. A return to financial surplus;

## General Comments

Sincere thanks go to our Executive Officer and Administrative Assistant who keep the wheels turning and make my role significantly easier than it could be.

My thanks to the Board of Management for their tireless efforts to maintain and improve the operation and management of this great sport in Western Australia.

I commend the 2016 annual accounts for your acceptance.

**Neal Miranda**  
**Treasurer, Badminton Association of WA**  
**6<sup>th</sup> March 2017**



## Membership Report

CLUBS, ASSOCIATIONS, EVENTS AND PROGRAMS	Life Member	Country Adult	Country Junior	Country Senior 65+	Event Member	Individual Adult	Individual Junior	Metro Adult	Metro Junior	Metro Senior 65+	Non-Playing Adult	Non-Playing Junior	Secondary	Sporting Schools	Grand Total
<b>Badminton WA</b>	18					25	12								55
<b>2016 Bunbury Open Championships</b>					7										7
<b>2016 Corporate Team Challenge</b>					23										23
<b>2016 District High School Country Week</b>					57										57
<b>Event - 2016 Junior State Championships</b>					10										10
<b>2016 November Middle School Tournament</b>					88										88
<b>2016 Open School Tournament (June)</b>					64										64
<b>2016 Perth Championships</b>					106										106
<b>2016 September Middle School Tournament</b>					166										166
<b>2016 Silver Cup</b>					62										62
<b>2016 WA Open State Championships</b>					56										56
<b>Sporting School Term 2 - 2016</b>														83	83
<b>Sporting School Term 3 - 2016</b>														231	231
<b>Sporting School Term 4 - 2016</b>														194	194
<b>Amity Badminton Club Inc.</b>		15													15
<b>An-Yu Badminton Club</b>								7	47	1					55
<b>Bad Wheels</b>								1							1
<b>Balcatta Social Badminton Club</b>								14		1	1				16
<b>Baldivis Badminton Club</b>								9		1					10
<b>Bunbury &amp; Districts Badminton Association Inc.</b>		50	57	11							1				119
<b>Coastal Ladies Badminton League Inc.</b>								18		13			16		47
<b>Como Badminton Club</b>								14	2				1		17
<b>Duncraig Badminton Club Inc.</b>								24	6	1			1		32
<b>Duncraig Badminton Group</b>								7		5					12
<b>Duncraig Seniors Social Badminton Club Inc.</b>								6		21			3		30
<b>Dynamic Flame Badminton Club Inc.</b>								18	11						29
<b>Eastern Goldfields Badminton Assoc Inc.</b>		39	4									1			44
<b>Force 10 Badminton Club</b>								9		1					10
<b>Future Stars Badminton Club</b>								14	6	1					21
<b>Geraldton &amp; Districts Badminton Assoc Inc.</b>		69	31	8											108
<b>Greenwood Badminton Club</b>								14		2			1		17
<b>Heng's Badminton Club</b>								24		2			7		33
<b>Hope Sports Club</b>								10							10
<b>iPlay Badminton Club</b>								22					1		23
<b>iSmash Badminton Club</b>								13							13
<b>Jeans Blue Badminton Club Inc.</b>								15		20					35
<b>Kanbis Badminton Club</b>								10							10
<b>Karratha Badminton Club Inc.</b>		28	1												29
<b>Kelmscott Ladies Badminton Club Inc.</b>								12		13					25
<b>KGB Badminton Club</b>								2		12					14
<b>Langford Sri Lankan Badminton Club</b>								11							11
<b>Mandurah Mixed Badminton Club Inc.</b>		43	2	5											50
<b>Manjimup Badminton Club</b>		9	26	1											36
<b>Merrymaids &amp; Minstrels Badminton Club Inc.</b>								13		13			18		44
<b>Metro Ladies Badminton Club</b>								7		1			7		15
<b>Morley Badminton Club</b>								8		4					12
<b>Mt Helena 'Shadows' Badminton Club</b>								14	3						17
<b>Nick Kidd Badminton Club</b>								3							3
<b>Nicky Badminton Club</b>								9	1						10



<b>CLUBS, ASSOCIATIONS, EVENTS AND PROGRAMS</b>	<b>Life Member</b>	<b>Country Adult</b>	<b>Country Junior</b>	<b>Country Senior 65+</b>	<b>Event Member</b>	<b>Individual Adult</b>	<b>Individual Junior</b>	<b>Metro Adult</b>	<b>Metro Junior</b>	<b>Metro Senior 65+</b>	<b>Non-Playing Adult</b>	<b>Non-Playing Junior</b>	<b>Secondary</b>	<b>Sporting Schools</b>	<b>Grand Total</b>
<b>Ocean Ridge Seniors Social Badminton Club Inc.</b>								9		40			15		<b>64</b>
<b>Ookini Badminton Club</b>								5							<b>5</b>
<b>Perth Smashers Badminton Club</b>								11							<b>11</b>
<b>Premier Badminton Group</b>								12	5						<b>17</b>
<b>Quairading Badminton Club Inc.</b>		14	2	1											<b>17</b>
<b>Quinns Rocks Badminton Club</b>								9	1	11					<b>21</b>
<b>Racketmania Badminton Club</b>								26							<b>26</b>
<b>Rossam Badminton Club</b>								45	6	10			1		<b>62</b>
<b>Samson Victor Badminton Club Inc.</b>								61	2	2			1		<b>66</b>
<b>Shuttle Masters Badminton Club</b>								10					1		<b>11</b>
<b>Smashsports Badminton Club</b>								9				1			<b>10</b>
<b>Sorrento Sandgropers Badminton Club Inc.</b>								14		20					<b>34</b>
<b>South Suburban Badminton Association Inc.</b>								21		26	1		1		<b>49</b>
<b>Sunday Badminton Club</b>								12		3			8		<b>23</b>
<b>Swan View Badminton Club Inc.</b>								28		10			1		<b>39</b>
<b>The Mixed Bunch</b>								10		1					<b>11</b>
<b>Top Gun Badminton</b>								15	1						<b>16</b>
<b>Tuesday Ladies Badminton Club</b>								1		9					<b>10</b>
<b>Vale Thunders Badminton Club</b>								14	2						<b>16</b>
<b>Wallabies Badminton Club Inc.</b>								11		11					<b>22</b>
<b>Wescoast Badminton Club Inc.</b>								22	2	1					<b>25</b>
<b>Wijay Badminton Group</b>								10							<b>10</b>
<b>Willagee Men's Social Badminton Group</b>								13		3					<b>16</b>
<b>Wings Armadale</b>									4						<b>4</b>
<b>Wings Craigie</b>									36				2		<b>38</b>
<b>Wings Duncraig</b>									12	1					<b>13</b>
<b>Wings ECU</b>									19				2		<b>21</b>
<b>Wings Kingsway</b>									26						<b>26</b>
<b>Wings Langford</b>									17						<b>17</b>
<b>Wings Mindarie</b>									1						<b>1</b>
<b>Wings Rossmoyne</b>									16						<b>16</b>
<b>Wings Scarborough</b>									22						<b>22</b>
<b>Wings St Anthony's</b>									16						<b>16</b>
<b>Wings Wembley</b>									16						<b>16</b>
<b>Winnacott Ladies Badminton Club</b>								3		8					<b>11</b>
<b>York Badminton Club Inc.</b>		22	5	12											<b>39</b>
<b>Youth Centre Badminton Club</b>		9	1	1											<b>11</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>298</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>639</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>699</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>508</b>	<b>3007</b>



## Board of Management Goals for 2016

Area of focus	Goal	
Membership	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ 3000 members</li> <li>➤ 60 clubs/associations affiliated</li> </ul>	Achieved - 3007 Members Achieved - 72 Clubs/Associations
Finance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Yearly debit below \$10,000</li> <li>➤ Maintained grant levels</li> </ul>	Not Achieved Achieved
Governance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Review the Strategic Plan</li> <li>➤ Full OSP review for DSR</li> </ul>	Completed Completed
State Teams	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Four State teams prepared and competitive, finishing no lower than 4<sup>th</sup> position.</li> <li>➤ Win 4 national Individual titles</li> </ul>	Under 15 team: 5th Under 17 team: SILVER MEDAL Under 19 team: BRONZE MEDAL Senior team: No team 8 titles across two teams
High Performance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ High Performance Plan implemented</li> </ul>	Travel scholarships given U15 Talent Squad continuing U17/19 Squad not established
Events	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Country Carnival- 18 teams</li> <li>➤ Five open tournaments run, av. players 140.</li> <li>➤ Four school tournaments, av. players 120</li> <li>➤ State Junior Championships- 80 entries</li> <li>➤ Successful hosting of National Junior event</li> <li>➤ Bunbury Event held- 90 competitors</li> <li>➤ Geraldton Open held- 90 competitors</li> <li>➤ Manage the Aust-University Championships</li> </ul>	Twelve teams Ave entries 164 Ave entries 121 66 entries Achieved Completed – 56 competitors Completed - 59 competitors Achieved
Junior Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Establishment of 10 Wings Clubs 150 players</li> </ul>	Achieved - 190 members
Coaching	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Conduct one Level 1 course</li> <li>➤ Conduct 1 Coaching Seminar</li> <li>➤ Twenty active coaches</li> <li>➤ Two Coaches attain Level 2 qualification</li> </ul>	Two courses held Two seminars held Twenty three active coaches Courses not available
Officials	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ One official to gain international qualification</li> <li>➤ Eight court officials at national events</li> <li>➤ Eight court officials at international events</li> <li>➤ One Umpiring course organised</li> <li>➤ One Line Judge course organised</li> </ul>	Achieved Achieved Achieved Completed Completed
Para Badminton	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Establish BadWheels Club</li> <li>➤ Re-Appoint Inclusivity Officer</li> <li>➤ Run para badminton event</li> </ul>	Achieved Achieved Achieved
Volunteers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Volunteer Recognition and Management Policy established and implemented</li> <li>➤ Recognition off Regional and Metro Club volunteers</li> <li>➤ Service Awards presented</li> </ul>	Completed Seventeen awards presented Two awards presented
Regional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Badminton to stay as part of District High School competition.</li> <li>➤ Four regional roadshows</li> </ul>	Achieved Two conducted (Geraldton & Bunbury)
Publicity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Ten Newsletters produced</li> <li>➤ Eight media articles</li> <li>➤ Website re-done and maintained</li> </ul>	Four e-newsletters Three articles Achieved
Promotion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Have one visit from an International group</li> <li>➤ Hold Club Development Forum</li> <li>➤ Be part of promotional events, eg YMCA Expo</li> </ul>	Not achieved Achieved Achieved
General	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Re-sign office lease</li> </ul>	Achieved.



## Club Forum

The annual Club Forum, was held on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> Sept at the Kingsway Indoor Stadium.

**Facilitator:** Judith Cousins (President)

**Assisting:** Lily Buttrose (Vice President), Elaine Lee (Administration Assistant).

**The following clubs were represented:**

Sandgroppers, Greenwood, Duncraig, Swanview, Kelmscott Ladies, Ocean Ridge, Wallabies, Samson, Bunbury Association.

Participants were welcomed by J. Cousins who thanked them for their interest and support of badminton.

The agenda covered:

- ❖ A review of Badminton WA work including the governance structure and major projects during 2016.
- ❖ Sporting Schools – organisation and participation
- ❖ Wings Clubs- development
- ❖ Para Badminton development
- ❖ Changes to the Associations Incorporations Act and implications for incorporated clubs. General notes on the changes were distributed.  
*Noted that Badminton WA would provide a generic club constitution, for use by incorporated clubs, at the December Special General Meeting.*
- ❖ Club Volunteer Awards- information on nominations and the Awards Dinner.
- ❖ Growing your club- each club representative had a brief opportunity to reflect on problems and solutions.
- ❖ N. Smith (President, Bunbury) offered to circulate his ‘Welcome’ pamphlet given to any person coming to the Bunbury stadium. Representatives indicated their interest in receiving this. Email addresses were exchanged.

Each club representative was given a tube of shuttles for their club.

Refreshments were provided.

**Comment:** This Club Forum indicated its value as one communication tool between the Association and clubs. The opportunity for interaction between the clubs seemed quite significant. Recommendation: In 2017 the time for both formal and informal conversations between the participants is given priority.



# GRANT OVERVIEWS



## Grants Overview

**Department of Sport and Recreation.** Two grants were received from DSR in 2016 and two more were on-going.

- The Organisational Sustainability Grant (OSP) which all State Sporting Associations receive to ensure the management and development of the sport. Our triennial grant concluded and we underwent a full review –as did all sporting associations in WA. We have been given continued funding for 2017 at our current level, with on-going assessments still be conducted by DSR.
- Annual Grant Scheme—funding for national events. This grant was used in the management and presentation of the June Bevan Trophy (National Team Event) and Australasian U17 Championships, which Badminton WA successfully hosted in March.
- Inclusivity Grant. This grant covered March 2015-March 2017 and related to Inclusive practices and activities, including the establishment of the para badminton (BadWheels) club. A full report on activities conducted in shown later in this Annual Report.
- ICT Grant. This three year grant from Jan2014- Dec 2016 was focused on a system audit, plus website development and implementation.

### ***WA Health Foundation (Healthway)***

Badminton WA received an annual grant for nine projects, ranging from Junior Events, Regional events and tournaments. This grant enabled these event costs to be subsidised, thus making them more accessible to participants. All projects are detailed within this Annual Report.

### ***National Disability Services***

A small grant in the category of Community Living and Participation was gained to assist with the Para badminton programme. This funding enabled the BadWheels Club to be established and the Coach to set up a planned programme of training for this group of disabled athletes.

### ***Badminton Australia Participation Grant***

This one year grant was focused on participation initiatives, in particular the WINGS JUNIOR CLUBS. More than 190 young players took part in this project, which included events and coaching.

These grants enabled Badminton WA to provide many activities/projects at subsidised costs this making them affordable for all participants.



## WA Health Foundation (Healthway) Projects

The continuing partnership with Healthway resulted in the 2016 grant being effectively used to promote badminton through different activities. The projects ranged from those for Juniors to Seniors and both Regional and local. The Healthway projects were:

Project 1: District High School Country Week

Project 2: Country Carnival

Project 3: Higgs Trophy

Project 4: State Junior Championships

Project 5: School Tournaments (4)

Project 6: Open Tournaments (5)

Project 7: Bunbury Championships

Project 8: Masters Challenge

Project 9: Junior Community Groups (Wings)

All projects were successfully implemented and full reports are shown within this Annual Report.

The promotional message was **LiveLighter** and this was shown on entry forms, Badminton WA website and on A-frame signage placed around the court perimeters. New permanent signage was erected at the Kingsway Stadium. At all events the **LiveLighter** message was verbally announced at regular intervals. Polo shirts (provided by Healthway and with the **LiveLighter** logo) were worn by Event Officials and similar polo shirts were provided for Junior Coaches in the Wings programme.

Badminton WA was pleased to welcome Jessica Matthews (Healthway Sponsorship Officer) to the Silver Cup and we were able to demonstrate that the grant was being used to effectively promote the **LiveLighter** message.

The Healthway grant helps to make the projects much more affordable for players as a considerable amount of the funding goes towards court hire, which is a significant cost when running events. The management of the Healthway projects was undertaken by willing volunteers.

Badminton WA acknowledges the value of the Healthway grant and looks forward to a sound and mutually beneficial partnership in 2017.



## Inclusivity Report

In 2015 Badminton WA embarked on a journey to make badminton more inclusive and give opportunities to those persons who previously had not considered, or been provided with, a chance to play this sport.

**Ian Bridge** was appointed the Project Officer for this Inclusivity Project, being jointly funded from the DSR Inclusivity Grant and Badminton WA funds. DSR Funding will cease March 2017. A grant from the National Disability Services assisted with coaching costs.

Networking is a key part of any organisation's business and one of the Key Result Areas of the DSR Grant was establishing relationships and networking with other organisations involved in assisting, developing and promoting Disabled Sport. During the year Ian had meetings, discussions, presented workshops, ran 'have a go' sessions and established relationships with many groups—see the following list:

- Inclusion WA
- Badminton Australia
- Badminton England
- Badminton Wales
- Short stature society
- Wheelchair sports
- Disability services commission
- State sporting authorities
- DSR inclusion team
- Ability centre
- Communicare
- Life Skills
- Valued Independent People
- Special Olympics
- Life without Barriers

### **GENERAL ACTIVITIES** (some examples)

- ❖ Sessions for the wheelchair 'Little Dribblers' section of WheelChair Sport at Herb Graham Recreation Centre.
- ❖ A session with 16 people from Life Skills- the Intellectually Disabled category.
- ❖ A 'have a try' session was organised through 'Ability'- severely disabled. These people had very limited movement which made it an interesting challenge to provide activities where they could have some success.
- ❖ Harmony day at Cyril Jackson Secondary Campus on the 23<sup>rd</sup> March promoted badminton to these students, many of whom fit the CaLD category.
- ❖ Meetings with Valued Independent People (VIP) on how to include badminton in their recreational programme.
- ❖ KidsCAMPS—recreational activities for children with disabilities, held at Kingsway Stadium.



## **BADWHEELS**

The BADWHEELS Club was established in August 2015. We currently have seven enthusiastic players in the club. BADWHEELS now has a face book page and the group is bonding, and having fun - wearing their club T-shirts.

Several of the BadWheels players are showing good progress and are keen to enter tournaments. A group of five (5) players and accompanying Coach (Ian Bridge) attended the Australian event in November in Melbourne, coming back with two winning trophies — Caitlyn Dransfield (Standing Class) and Lyndall Matthews (Wheelchair). This group is returning to Melbourne in February 2017 for a further competition.

A high performance player program has now been set up to help develop those persons who are serious about competing nationally and internationally. We have a mix of ages which will help us in both the short and long term.

The first WA wheelchair event was held on 20<sup>th</sup> March 2016, at the Autumn Tournament with the events being slotted around the main tournament programme. This provided able-bodied athletes with an opportunity to see para athletes in competitive action. Further events were included in later tournaments.

## **COACHING**

Ian Bridge attended the first Oceania Para Badminton Workshop in Melbourne 8-9-10 July 2016. Presentations were made by two International Para badminton Officials. This was an opportunity to increase knowledge, develop new contacts and identify best practice. Ian led a Coaching Workshop in Melbourne, in conjunction with the Australian Championships in November.

## **CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE**

A proposal was submitted to the Oceania Confederation, through Badminton Australia, to establish a Para Badminton Centre of Excellence in Perth, which, though it had informal support, was unsuccessful. There is currently no national Para badminton programme in place.

## **INCLUSIVITY**

- ❖ The Badminton WA Inclusion Policy was completed and ratified in 2016.
- ❖ Duncraig Wings Club is a recognised INCLUSIVE club with abled and disabled members, adults and children.
- ❖ The Badminton WA Clubs Forum, held in Nov. 2016 noted the importance of inclusivity - clubs are encouraged to open their doors to all players and it was recognised that some metro clubs, notably Wescoast, are leading the way.

## **EVENTS**

- ❖ The 'Para' category will be part in all events in 2017.
- ❖ Badminton WA applied to hold the Oceania Para Badminton Championships (International Event) in Perth in July 2017. Unfortunately this was not sanctioned by BWF due to late submission. A request to link this with events in 2019, leading into the 2020 Olympic Games is under discussion.



## **WHEELCHAIRS**

A submission is currently with LotteryWest for the purchase of three sporting wheelchairs.

*‘The last twelve months have presented me with a number of challenges- and also a number of opportunities. I have learned much in the way of working with people with disabilities- their goals and intentions and also my own developing skills in coaching in this new environment. I think good progress has been made in giving the Inclusivity Programme focus. The contacts and networks that have been established should move us forward in 2017.’ (Ian Bridge, Project Officer)*



# PROGRAMMES & ACTIVITIES



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## Technical Officials Committee Report

In 2016 members of the Court Officials Committee once again provided of their time and expertise in assisting in the successful conduct of tournaments and events at which they officiated, not only within Western Australia but throughout Australia and indeed the world.

The biggest national competitive event for Western Australia in 2016 was the successful hosting of the competition for the June Bevan Carnival and Under 17 Australasian Junior Championships at Kingsway. The Referee was Don Stockins and in a team effort with the organising committee, Perth based umpires, Geraldton umpires, and umpires from interstate the competition proceeded smoothly in a well organised fashion, a testament to the planning and preparation of all concerned.

The Board of management of Badminton WA is also once again to be congratulated for its very successful endeavours in arranging and conducting tournaments and special events at the Kingsway Indoor Sports Stadium.

The conducting of interstate event's, tournaments and other competitions has continued to enable members of the Court Officials to practise and enhance their skills, whether it be in referring, umpiring or line judging in support of the successful staging of those events, tournaments and other competitions.

The Boards' successful endeavours has resulted in a continuing increase in membership numbers for Badminton WA and as a result prospective new umpires were also attracted to attend an umpires course that was conducted in March 2016. Most of those prospective umpires subsequently successfully passed their entry level theory examination and have embarked upon obtaining practical experience before sitting for their practical examinations.

### NATIONAL CARNIVALS

Competition for Ede-Clendinnen Shield and Australian National Championships held in February in Melbourne Victoria. Unfortunately, WA could not field a team so did not send an umpire.

Competition for the June Bevan Trophy and the Under 17 Australasian Junior Championships held in March at Kingsway Indoor Stadium. Kelly Hoare was the umpire for Western Australian WASPS and Greg Vellacott was the umpire for Western Australia Scorpions that competed at the above event. Christine Spence and Jenny Klein were joint umpires for Geraldton. It was up to the Badminton WA Court Officials to supply umpires for 2 other state teams and 2 New Zealand teams attending without an umpire.

Badminton WA COC also supplied floating umpires so that overall in the event all ties had up to 3 umpires each. These umpires then went on to umpire at the Under 17 Australasian Championships and as such due to their hard work passed their Level One practical umpires examinations. Congratulations to **Nicholas Nguyen, Jasper Tan, Lily Buttrose, Xiang Lin, Anita Diep, Crystal Diep, Bradley Chen**. Thanks also to **Tyzton Tan** who has nearly finished his practical examination. Jenny Klein and Christine Spence also passed their Level One at this event, well done to them.



Competition for C P Maddern Trophy and Under 19 Australian Closed Junior Championships held in July in Adelaide South Australia. Anita Diep one of our new umpires attended this event as the team umpire for Western Australia.

Competition for the Val Nesbitt Trophy and the Under 15 Australian Championships held in October in Darwin, Northern Territory. Jane Wheatley was the Deputy referee and assessor while Lily Buttrose also another one of our new umpires attended this event as the team umpire for Western Australia.

Badminton WA's policy of meeting the travel and accommodation costs of State Teams umpires continues to be a positive move which should continue to encourage any interested persons to consider achieving a formal umpire qualification and then to utilise such qualifications in support of the players and coach and manager representing their State.

### **NATIONAL EVENTS**

Referees, umpires, and line judges aplenty continued their great contribution to national events such as the

- Australian Open Super Series, Kelly Hoare, Jiten Bhatt umpires, Bruce Napier assessing line judges, Lily Buttrose and Tom Della Vedova Line Judges.
- Sydney International, Don Stockins Referee, Eugene Glazman umpire

Don Stockins retired in 2016, Don has worked tirelessly over the years as a referee in Oceania and around the world. Thank you Don for all your hard work and enjoy your retirement.

### **INTERNATIONAL EVENTS**

Jane Wheatley in her capacity as a BWF Certificated Referee, was the Deputy referee at the Thomas & Uber Cup Finals in China in May, Deputy Referee at the Rio 2016 Olympics in Brazil August, Referee at the Japan Open Super Series in Tokyo in September, Refereed the French Open Super Series in France in October. Jane was also a finalist at the RAC Sports Star Awards for 2016. Jane retired in 2016 after an exceptional career; Jane is known as one of the best referees around the world and will be sorely missed. Good luck in your future endeavours, hoping to see you assessing newer referees around the world somewhere.

Greg Vellacott in his capacity as BWF Umpire Assessor attended the All England in March, Thomas & Uber Cup Finals in China in May, French Open Super Series in France in October 2016.

Kelly Hoare in her capacity as BWF Certificated Umpire, umpired at the 2016 Rio Olympics in Brazil in August where she umpired the Gold Medal match for Women's Singles, Japan Open Super Series in Tokyo in September and refereed many local tournaments at Kingsway.

Jiten Bhatt in his capacity as BWF Certificated umpire, umpired at the Indian Open Super Series in India in March, Singapore Open Super Series in April, Thomas & Uber Cup Finals in China in May where he passed his practical exam for Certification-this is a huge achievement so congratulations and well done. He umpired at the Denmark Open Super Series in October.



Bruce Napier in his capacity as BWF Line Judge assessed up and coming line judges at the Australian Open Super Series.

Members of this Committee can be very proud of their contribution to our sport at all levels. Their contribution at a national and international level is especially significant and their essentially voluntary commitment to our sport is a tribute to the energy and enthusiasm they bring to the support of the sport at all levels.

### **COMMITTEE MATTERS**

Badminton WA's Court Officials Committee – Kelly Hoare was elected to the position of Chair Person for a term of 2 years from February 2016 that expires at the Badminton WA's Annual General Meeting in 2018.

Badminton Australia Court Officials Committee - Greg Vellacott and Jane Wheatley continue as members of that particular committee.

Badminton Oceania Technical Officials Committee – Greg Vellacott continues as a member of that particular committee.

As always, there is a need for younger officials to service the sport. It is hoped from the umpires course held earlier in the year, these attendees will continue to grow and gain as much experience as possible and encourage other young friends and players to grasp the opportunity to umpire and line judge wherever possible so as to assist themselves in their own future development and that of Badminton WA in the process.

On a personal note I would like to take this opportunity to thank Greg Vellacott who has done a thankless task for the past 30 years as chairperson for the Court Officials Committee, not only was Greg a BWF Certificated umpire, now a BWF Assessor while working full time and also volunteering his time as the chairperson for this committee. Greg from all of the Court Officials in Western Australia past and present we **THANK YOU**.

The members of this Committee are proud once again in 2016 to be able to report to Badminton WA not only on their officiating services to Badminton WA, but to Badminton Australia, Badminton Oceania and Badminton World Federation as part of their service to the sport.

Kelly Hoare  
Chairperson.



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## High Performance Report

### 2016 High Performance Report

It has been a year of highs and lows for our High Performance Programme. The year started our year on a 'High' with our Under 17 Team winning a Silver Medal at the U17 Australasian carnival. It was followed by the Under 19 Team winning a Bronze medal at the Australian Junior Championships. Our WA high performers played in six Gold Medal matches bringing home five gold, and two silver medals. On two occasions, it was an all West Australian gold medal match. Our WA players currently hold five National titles. Our Under 15s Team left WA for the Nationals in the Northern Territory with high hopes but was dealt with mixed cards, only managing a fifth position nationally.

It was disappointing that we did not have a Senior team for second year in a row. In order to be eligible to enter a team, we are required to field a Team of four men and four women players. Similar to the year before, whilst we had enough nominations from the men, there was only one nomination from a woman player.

Towards the end of the year, we had another 'up' for High Performance, a never before occasion where three of our top juniors were selected for the Australian Teams, for participation in International events.

### High Performance Under 15s Squad

The U15 High Performance Squad continued in its fourth year under the helm of Coach Yuli Zheng. This successful programme lays the foundations for our talented Juniors. Of interest is that we have a number of talented girl players training in this squad. In the future, we hope that these junior girl players will go on to play in all our State Teams, thereby addressing the dearth of women players interested in representing their state.

### Under 17 State Teams

This year's Australasian Under 17 June Bevan Trophy event was held in Perth. Eleven teams were entered in the challenge. We were pleased to receive sufficient nominations to field two teams: our first Team: WASps and our developmental team: Scorpions.

### Team 1 - WASps

This Team, consisting of our top juniors in this age group, was very fortunate to have an outstanding panel of officials supporting them: Coach Yuli Zheng, Manager Kay Terry and Umpire Kelly Hoare.

The WASps earned the right to go into the playoff for the Gold Medal match against New South Wales. They put up a good fight but we had to be content with the Silver Medal. The best result for some years.

This team had trained hard under Coach Yuli and deserved their placing in the competition. In the Australasian Under 17 Championships Individuals event, our WA Under 17 juniors brought home more accolades:

- (i) Kai Chen Teoh won the Gold in the Boy Singles Event thus taking the title of Australasian / National Under 17 Boys Champion;
- (ii) Kai Chen Teoh and Milain Ranasinghe won the Gold in the Boys Doubles and with it the title of Australasian / National Under 17 Boys Doubles Champions. It



was an all WA final with Jason Lee and Sunyee Zhang playing against the eventual winners. Commendation go to this pair for making it all the way to the finals and getting the Silver Medal.

- (iii) Kai Chen Teoh and Bella Yutong Liu won the Gold in the Mixed Doubles, bringing home the third title of Australasian / National Under 17 Mixed Doubles Champions.

Congratulations to Kai Chen for winning the trifecta and the 'triple' crown! Congratulations, too, to Milain and Bella for winning the Gold and the Doubles and Mixed Doubles titles, with Kai Chen.

Louise Bradford from Bunbury was awarded the June Bevan Sportsmanship Trophy. The Finals Day of the June Bevan Championships was a good day for WA.

### **Team 2 – Our development Team – Scorpions**

This was a very young team with many of the team members still eligible to play in the Under 15s. We had 5 girls in the second team – a good indicator for the future as we continue to build on the number of High Performance girl players.

Ryan Lin was the Coach for the Scorpions with Jazton Tan, a former Junior State Team player, as the Manager. They made a good team guiding the young players of this Development Team. This team achieved 9<sup>th</sup> position out of the eleven teams defeating The Territories and Geraldton.

### **National Under 17 Training Bootcamp**

In conjunction with Badminton Australia, an Under 17 High Performance training camp was held in WA at the completion of the June Bevan Championships. National Junior Coach, Lenny Permana, came to WA to train our top juniors for two days. In addition to the hard training, Lenny gave talks on game strategies, general exercises and management of expectations in competitions and on other matters pertinent to junior High Performance players. It was hard work for all but beneficial to our young High Performance players.

### **Under 19 Team State Team**

The Team officials were Coach Ryan Lin, Manager Yuanqui Tay and the Umpire was Anita Diep, who handled a composite team well.

Six boys and one girl (Alicia Xu) nominated for this U19 team. With no other choice, we made a request to Badminton Australia for special dispensation to ask NSW, who was hosting the U19 C P Maddern Trophy event, for three girls from the other states to play for the WA Team. Eventually, three girls from NSW, who were not selected for NSW's first or second teams, agreed to play for WA. One of the girls was 13 and another girl was 14 years old. Our own Alicia Xu was also only 14 years old.

There was no expectation that this Team would win a medal. At best, we thought that our six boys (and one girl) player/s were lucky to be able to play in the Team Event and use the Team Event games as a warm up in the lead up to the Individuals Event.



The WA players and the NSW girls were delighted that the WA Team defeated NSW Lightning to advance to the Bronze Medal playoff against South Australia. This mixed WA / NSW team went on to secure the Bronze medal.

In the Under 19 National Championships Individual Event:

- (i) The Singles Event for the boys was again an all WA final. Xiang Lin went on to win the Gold and the title of National Under 19 Boys Singles Champion; Kai Chen Teoh won the Silver medal;
- (ii) Xiang Lin and Tyzton Tan defeated a pair of SA brothers in a thrilling three setter to win the Gold medal and the title of National Under 19 Boys Doubles Champions;
- (iii) Xiang Lin nearly achieved the Trifecta win in the Mixed Doubles final (with partner: Victoria He of NSW) but had to be content with the Silver Medal.

Congratulations to Xiang Lin for winning the two gold medals for the Singles and Doubles events (and the National titles) and a silver medal. Congratulations, also to Tyzton Tan for winning the Gold medal and the National Boys Doubles Champions title with Xiang Lin.

### **Under 15 State Team**

This team was coached by experienced Coach, Nick Kidd. They had the same manager as last year, Ian Bridge and the umpire was Lily Buttrose.

This event demonstrated the high standard of juniors across Australia. The Team worked well but found the conditions in Darwin quite difficult. The final result (fifth place) was somewhat disappointing but individual performances give us confidence for the future.

In the Individuals Event, Johnny Kok reached the Quarter Finals and Theodore Kang reached the Semi Finals in the Boys Doubles and Mixed Doubles. Good effort by these players.

### **Australian Representation - International Junior Events**

With their outstanding results, Xiang Lin, Tyzton Tan and Kai Chen Teoh were encouraged by the National Coach, Stuart Brehaut, to nominate for selection in the Australian Teams for the Pan Pacific Championships (Melbourne, Australia) and the World Juniors Championships (held in Bilbao, Spain).

### **Pan Pacific Games**

All three boys (Xiang, Tyzton and Kai Chen) were selected for the Pan Pacific games held in Victoria. Xiang Lin and Tyzton Tan were selected to play in the Australia Gold Team. Kai Chen Teoh played for the younger Australia Green Team.

Australia Gold won the 2016 Pan Pacific Trophy with Australia Green coming third. In the Australian Junior International event following the Pan Pacific Games, Xiang Lin and Kai Chen Teoh made it to the Quarter Finals of the Men Singles Event. A good result for the both of them.

### **World Juniors Challenge (Bilbao, Spain)**

Tyzton Tan and Kai Chen Teoh were selected for the Australian Team. This team comprised of four boys and four girls. At that time, Xiang Lin was ineligible as his citizenship application had not been finalised. Australia came 26<sup>th</sup> out of 53 teams but on the positive



side, Australia beat New Zealand (their closest rival) again, thus consolidating their respective positions from the Pan Pacific games.

Both Tyzton and Kai Chen indicated that the experience at the World Juniors were invaluable and gave them insight into the high level of play that is required to compete with the very best in their age group.

### **The Way forward**

I will be leaving the Board at the end of this term which ends in March 2017. I wish to thank both the Executive Officers that I have worked with: Himanshu Thacker and Eugene Glazman. Their help and support are invaluable to Board Members, especially those who work full time. I would like to thank my fellow Board Members for their assistance and for putting up with me for five and a half years. And to our President, Dr Judith Cousins, I owe a debt of gratitude for her unstinting support and assistance. It has been an honour to serve under her tutelage.

To the High Performance players, I am in awe of how hard you train. The blood, sweat and tears... I have seen them first hand. To see the improvement in their skills from the Under 15s, right through to the Under 19s and beyond, it makes everything that we do worthwhile. The crowning moments are, of course, when they win Team medals for WA and National titles (and glory) for themselves in the Individual events.

To all our current and past State Team officials who go above and beyond, thank you for your support to our High Performance players. Your contribution to the success of our High Performance players is very much appreciated. Please continue to support them as they need your guidance and wisdom.

To the long suffering parents who have to endure all sorts for their child or children in their badminton life (manager, driver and general dogsbody), on state teams (banker, blogger, cook, laundromat, masseuse and driver), all this on top of their family duties – I salute you. You are the backbone of the High Performance Portfolio.

I will work with a new board member for the High Performance portfolio in the transition. I am sure that this person will bring with them new thoughts and strategies for this portfolio and make it better than I have left it. I wish him or her well.

Annie Sim  
High Performance Portfolio  
2016.



## Events Committee Report

2016 was a busy year in which the BAWA events committee conducted the following 9 events.

- LiveLighter Kingsway tournament
- LiveLighter Autumn tournament
- LiveLighter WA Open State championships
- LiveLighter Junior Higgs Trophy
- LiveLighter Junior State championships
- LiveLighter Silver Cup
- LiveLighter Masters team event
- WA Corporate Team challenge
- LiveLighter Perth championships

I would like to thank the following volunteers who helped make these events firstly possible and secondly run as smoothly as they did; Kelly Hoare, Eugene Glazman, Bruce Napier, Judith Cousins, Trevor Briedis, Kay Terry, Elaine Lee, Annie Sim, Surya Sentosa, Loli Jiang Mark Duxbury, Lily Buttrose, Kim Rodgers, Neal Miranda, Punita Mandalia.

All these people have been invaluable to Badminton WA during our events either for the work they have done in event preparation, the running of the match desk or the packing up after the events. Special mention also has to be made to court officials who volunteered their time to add to the smooth running of our events.

Another group of volunteers that we could not do without are the parents of our state teams who devote their time to fund raising and in doing so supply food and nourishment for all players and officials. A big thank to all who have been involved.

The second part of 2016 saw the introduction of the Recreational Division to our events. This was an immediate success and saw a large number of new and past players who we had not seen for a while enter our events. The Silver Cup was the first event that this was introduced and there were double the amount of entries from the previous year's tournament. Our end of year tournament the LiveLighter Perth Championships saw the largest entry in 13 years of running our events. 228 players were involved in this event. I would like to thank all the players that have committed to playing in our events too. Without them we would all only be playing social badminton on week nights.

I have been directly involved as a committee member from the middle of 2016. In the time that I have been involved I have been given so much advice and help from so many people and I would like to say thank you for your patience and your help.

I look forward to 2017 being bigger, better and even more fun for everyone.

Mark Cunningham  
Event Committee



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## Junior Development Report

The Badminton WA Junior Development Programme consists of several different aspects that are operated through different formats and approaches, often incorporated or alongside other participation and development initiatives.

### School Badminton Programme

- ❖ *Sporting Schools - a full report is within this Annual Report*
  - 960 students from 24 schools benefited from this programme delivered by six accredited coaches: Ali Courtie, Ryan Lin, Punita Mandalia, Lily Buttrose, Andrew Chai, and Angie Yang.
  - WA Coordinator Kay Terry is to be commended on a fine job in managing the bookings and liaison work with coaches and Badminton Australia, with the assistance of the Executive Officer, Eugene Glazman.
  - Sporting Schools equipment packs were assembled, managed and maintained by Kay Terry. Three half-court size portable nets were acquired in June.
- ❖ *School-based Clubs and Training*
  - School-based clubs are evolving through various initiatives such as Wings Junior Clubs, ATAR school-specific ex-curricular training, inter-school carnivals, and high school tournaments as a result of the continuous effort in promoting badminton in schools.
  - Work is underway to establish at least two school-based Wings Junior Clubs in 2017.
- ❖ *High School Tournaments: full reports on each tournament are within this Annual Report*
  - Four tournaments were successfully held with 484 players from 30 school-entries participating.
  - Tournament dates for 2017 have been finalised and incorporated in the Badminton WA 2017 Events Calendar.
- ❖ *Teachers Professional Development*
  - At the ACHPER WA Conference on 21<sup>st</sup> November, Ryan Lin conducted a curricular-based ATAR teaching skills course to ten (10) high school teachers. Lily Buttrose delivered the BWF Shuttle Time Teacher course to eleven (11) primary school teachers. Certificates were issued to those that successfully completed the courses.
- ❖ *WA District High School Country Week – a full report is within this Annual Report*
  - Badminton WA successfully managed this five-day event on 19<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2016 for School Sport WA for the eighth consecutive year.
  - Badminton WA has a strong relationship with School Sport WA.



## Community Badminton Programme

### ❖ *Wings Junior Club*

- As a commitment to promote participation in the sport, Wings Junior Clubs (hereafter referred to as the “Wings” or “Wings Club”) were commenced at the beginning of the 2016 school term. Badminton Australia Participation Grant of \$25,000 was allocated to this operation.
- The Wings Holiday Camp was held on 18<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> January 2016 to officially launch the Wings Programme. Coaches Ian Bridge, Punita Mandalia and Lily Buttrose conducted the training to the 30 participants.
- The concept of the “Wings” was to bring badminton closer to the juniors by establishing junior clubs in the communities. As of the end of school term in 2016, Badminton WA established twelve (12) Wings Clubs in the Perth metropolitan area, with ten (10) operating clubs in Armadale, Craigie, Duncraig \* (see under Inclusivity), Edith Cowan University (ECU), Kingsway, Langford, Rossmoyne, Scarborough, St. Anthony’s, and Wembley. Clubs were started in Ellenbrook and Mindarie but both cancelled within two months due to low attendance. As of 1<sup>st</sup> December 2016 there were 190 registered Wings Junior Clubs members. A considerable amount of work was done to establish these clubs from scratch, thanks to our dedicated coaches: Ryan Lin, Ian Bridge, Kim Rogers, Eric Low, Punita Mandalia, Sophie Leonard, Angie Yang, and Lily Buttrose for their passion and commitment. Thanks to our President Dr Judith Cousins and legendary coach Kay Terry for their continuous support and guidance, and thanks to the industrious Executive Officer Eugene Glazman and Administration Assistant Elaine Lee for managing promotional and administrative tasks.
- Designated tournaments were held for Wings Club members in May and September 2016, attracting 77 players including 21 non-Wings participants.

### ❖ *Inclusivity*

- The inaugural badminton WA Para-Badminton club, The BadWheels, have half of its members being juniors, thanks to the inspiring coach Ian Bridge who is also a Wings coach.
- The Wings Duncraig Club has been designated as an inclusive club and currently has a mix of juniors, adults and para-badminton players.

### ❖ *Community Event*

- Badminton WA participated in the Hillarys “Harmony Days” and community come & try session at Craigie with coaches and junior players demonstrating the sport of badminton.

### ❖ *Member Associations and Clubs*

- Geraldton Association further developed its junior programme which included competitions and coaching. Geraldton juniors attended the June Bevan Trophy, Geraldton Open, Higgs Trophy and the Junior State Championships.
- Bunbury Association further developed its junior programme aimed at growing participation with player representation at the June Bevan Trophy,



Bunbury Open, Higgs Trophy and the Junior State Championships. Bunbury now has two accredited coaches. Combining the regional development initiatives, a Bunbury Association member attended the BA Shuttle Time Tutor course in January 2017 with the aim to promote this BWF programme to schools and communities in the South West of WA.

- South Suburban Association has a long tradition of running junior programme, however, recent years have seen a decline. Wings Armadale was established in Term 3 aiming to help revitalise the junior activities in this region, operating on a Tuesday after school.

❖ *Junior Competition through Badminton WA Sanctioned Tournament*

- All Open tournaments, except the State Championships, had junior sections with sound entries. The Junior High Performance players completed in the adult sections with considerable success. Detailed report on the State Junior Championships are within this Annual Report

❖ *Independent Groups*

- It is evident that some juniors work with independent coaches and groups. The actual statistics remain unclear. Badminton WA continue to offer community and development based programme to encourage interaction and participation.

High Performance Juniors - *Detailed report is within this Annual Report.*

Junior Umpires Award

The Board approved the initiative in June 2016 as part of promoting junior development and participation by getting the juniors more involved in volunteering and officiating. Soft introduction at various events, and information publicised on the Badminton WA website, have prompted very positive responses. The 2017 Junior Umpire Award Programme will be launched at the LiveLighter Kingsway Tournament in February.

Junior Player Development Pathway

Dr Judith Cousins and Kay Terry MBE were instrumental in instigating the Badminton WA Junior Player Development Pathway. This three-level nine-stage scheme was first circulated for comments in June 2016 and later introduced at the Coaches Forum on 15<sup>th</sup> December for trial in the first six months of 2017.

Forward View

The development of Junior players is vital to the continued growth of the sport. The establishment of new junior groups under the auspices of Badminton WA, the continuation of junior events and encouragement of Coaches to work with juniors is essential. Challenge remains on funding as the 2017 Badminton Australia Participation Grant will reduce by 46% and the aim of having 240 juniors in this programme will require innovation, promotion and hard work.

Lily Buttrose  
December 2016



## Coaching Report

The Coaching programme in 2016 had several components:

- Level 1 Coaching courses (2)
- Coaching Workshops (2)
- Shuttle Time Tutor Development
- Sporting Schools
- Regional course

### LEVEL 1 COACHING COURSES

The NCAS Level 1 coaching course is Stage 1 in the Coaching Pathway and is suited to those interested in coaching beginners, children and community groups. Before commencing the course participants are required to complete the online **General Principles Certificate** course

**Date:** Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> May, 2016

**Time:** 10- - 4.00

**Venue:** Craigie Leisure Centre, Craigie

**Presenter:** K. Terry

**Participants:** 10- a range of ages and abilities

**Results:** 3 candidates passed, 7 candidates failed.

Follow-up work with the failed candidates lead to four (4) of them being re-assessed and consequently two (2) passing. Two of the failed candidates (both under 18 years) are working with experienced Coaches to meet the standard in the area of practical assessment.

**Date:** Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> Nov

**Time:** 10- 4pm

**Venue:** Kingsway Indoor Stadium

**Presenter:** K. Terry

**Participants:** 6—one from Regional area.

**Results:** All candidates passed

### PRESENTER QUALIFICATION

A. Courtie completed a Presenter's Qualification - an Australian Sports Commission course.

### RE-ACCREDITATION GAINED DURING 2016:

A. Courtie, N. Kidd, Y. Zheng.

### CURRENT ACCREDITED COACHES

WA has forty nine (49) NCAS accredited Coaches, six (6) of whom are waiting on accreditation completion from Badminton Australia.

Currently twenty three (23) coaches are known to be active with fifteen (15) being employed by Badminton WA in some capacity in 2016. Six (6) require re-accreditation in 2017.

### REGIONAL COACHES

Sue Britt (Geraldton), Gemma Rouse & Ashley Morgan (Bunbury).



## RECOGNITION OF PRIOR LEARNING

Yuanqi Tay (Singapore) and Paul Menlove (Scotland) were accredited by BA based on prior qualifications and coaching experience overseas. They are now on the WA coaching list.

## SHUTTLE TIME TUTOR COURSE

Two Coaches, Ali Courtie and Lily Buttrose attended a Shuttle Time Tutor course in Sydney in January. This has qualified them as Presenters of the Shuttle Time programme.

## SPORTING SCHOOLS

(Full details of this programme within the Annual Report)

Seven Coaches: I. Bridge, A. Courtie, L. Buttrose, P. Mandalia, A. Chai, R. Lin, Y. Tay were employed to carry out the coaching in this programme.

## COACH DEVELOPMENT

To maintain their accreditation Coaches must undertake activities that give them Coaching Development points, eg attendance at Workshops

Workshop 1

**Date:** 14<sup>th</sup> March

**Venue:** Craigie Leisure Centre

**Topics covered:** Networking, using limited spaces, minor games, ATAR Examination drills

**Participants:** L. Buttrose, P. Mandalia, I. Bridge, A. Courtie, S. Leonard, N. Anthony.

This provided the participants with 5 Coach Development Points

Workshop 2

**Date:** 14<sup>th</sup> Dec.

**Venue:** Kingsway Stadium

**Topics covered:** JUNIOR PLAYER PATHWAY (details and implementation), WINGS club management, SPORTING SCHOOLS focus.

**Participants:** D. Fan, E. Low, A. Diep, N. Nguyen, I. Bridge, S. Leonard, R. Lin, L. Buttrose, K. Terry.

This provided the participants with 5 Coach Development Points

## REGIONAL COURSE

**Geraldton:** Kay Terry conducted coaching sessions on the 26-27-28<sup>th</sup> Feb. Work covered the Geraldton U17 Team training, ATAR coaching, & women and junior groups. Fourteen hours of coaching completed.

## NATIONAL COACHING CONFERENCE: OLYMPIC SOLIDARITY PROGRAM

**Date:** 3-6<sup>th</sup> June

**Venue:** Sydney

**Participants:** I. Bridge, L. Buttrose, R. Lin

## STATE COACH APPOINTMENTS

**High Performance U15 Squad:** Yuli Zheng

**U15 Team:** Nick Kidd

**U17 Team:** Yuli Zheng

**U19 Team:** Ryan Lin

**Seniors:** no team



**PARA BADMINTON COACHING**

Full information provided in the Para Badminton Report.

**NATIONAL COACH EDUCATOR**

Badminton Australia has appointed Tracy Southern as the National Coach Educator

**ONLINE COACH DIRECTORY**

This has been updated to reflect the current status of Badminton Coaches in WA.

J. Cousins

Coaching Coordinator



## Regional Development Report

2016 saw a continuation of development in the regions, though there is still much work to be done in this area.

Five regions are recognised as being in the Badminton WA sphere:

Bunbury (Southwest), Mandurah (Peel), Geraldton (MidWest), Albany (Great Southern) and Kalgoorlie (Goldfields).

Bunbury and Geraldton are well organised and growing Associations with sound governance structures. Bunbury has 119 members and Geraldton 108 members. They run events, have junior programmes and manage their stadiums efficiently.

Mandurah has one affiliated club which has access to a large playing facility and sends players to events but has no junior programme and seems to struggle to have willing volunteers to take on management positions. Badminton WA needs to provide greater assistance in this region.

Kalgoorlie is affiliated as the Eastern Goldfields Association but is run as a club. The management committee is extremely enthusiastic and able but is hampered in their development by only having a two court facility which is currently limiting the potential for growth.

Albany did not affiliate in 2016, and did not send teams to Country Week. Badminton WA needs to give some focus to re- invigorating the sport in this region.

### Development work in 2016 encompassed:

#### Player assistance

Financial support for a Bunbury junior to attend training and participate in the Australasian U17 Championships, held in Perth.

#### Ratification of Regional Teams

Ratification of teams from Geraldton in the Australasian U17 Championships

#### Country Carnival: Regional Team event

Full details of this annual event are to be found within this Annual Report.

#### District High School Country Week

This annual event is multi-sport, with badminton being one of the sports within the full programme. Full details within this Annual Report.

#### Regional Volunteer Recognition

The recipients of Regional Volunteer awards were presented with their plaques at the Country Carnival function



### Event support

Badminton WA staff and volunteers assisted in the organisation and management of the Bunbury & Geraldton Championships and provided some small financial assistance to support these events

### Stadiums

GDBA gained Royalty for Regions funding to make major improvements to the Phyllis Jupp Stadium. This included new office, kitchen, & toilet facilities. The work will be completed early in 2017 and will greatly enhance the stadium which is the focus of the sport in Geraldton. The GDBA BOM and Staff are to be commended for their pro-active efforts in making this project come to fruition.

Mundaring is currently in the process of completing a new multi-sport stadium. Advice has been provided to the Council on details relating to provisions for badminton. Hopefully, this will become a new centre for the sport.

### Coaching

Two country coaching trips were held –one to Bunbury and one to Geraldton. Further details are provided in the Coaching report.

### General comment:

There is much work to be done in developing the sport in regional areas. The geographical distances make this task difficult as regards manpower and cost.



## Sporting Schools Programme Report

Sporting Schools is an Australian Sports Commission, Federal Government, PLAY SPORT Australia initiative, with the aim of engaging primary school children in before, during, and after school sporting activities, delivered by National Sporting Organisations and their members.

Badminton WA is registered with the ASC as both a Sporting Organisation Provider and Coach Provider and considerable work has been undertaken in promoting badminton as a Sporting School sport in primary schools.

Coaches are required to register in the Sporting Schools programme through the ASC website. Group numbers varied and also the number of sessions/groups within schools. Large numbers indicate that several groups were involved.

Term 1	Star of the Sea	60 students
	Good Shepherd	60 students
	Quinns Baptist College	30 students
	Brighton Catholic School	22 students
	North Cottesloe	25 students
	Our Lady of Lourdes	61 students
	<b>Total students</b>	<b><u>258 students</u></b>

<u>Term 2</u>	Quintillian	24 students
	Hillarys	26 students
	Beckenham	30 students
	Brighton Catholic	15 students
	Mount Lawley	24 students
	Notre Dame	25 students
	City Beach	20 students
	<b>Total students:</b>	<b><u>164 students</u></b>

<u>Term 3</u>	Wanneroo	52 students
	Brighton	12 students
	St Helena's	30 students
	St John Paul	30 students
	Phoenix	154 students
	<b>Total students:</b>	<b><u>278 students</u></b>

<u>Term 4</u>	St Gerard's	40 students
	Brighton	10 students
	Mundaring	30 students
	Liwarra	130 students
	Parkwood	24 students
	St John Paul	26 students
	<b>Total students:</b>	<b><u>260 students</u></b>



Coaches A. Courtie, I. Bridge, R. Lin, P. Mandalia, L. Buttrose, A. Chai & A Yang undertook the coaching in these schools, providing all needed equipment and often working in undercover areas- not ideal conditions. My thanks go to these Coaches who presented badminton to 960 primary students during the year.

Participation Certificates were produced and sent to schools for all students once the schools advised Badminton WA of student names (dependent on School privacy policy). This task was undertaken by Elaine Lee (Admin Assistant).

Geographically the schools covered were widely spread from Brighton in the north, to Phoenix in the south, and Mundaring in the east. There was a lot of travelling for the Coaches to do to cover our commitments. Feedback from schools was excellent with our Coaches being commended for their work.

Planning is underway to continue to work in the Sporting Schools programme in 2017, with several bookings already in place.

The aim with this programmes is not to just have children involved in a short course of badminton—and then to move on to another sport—but to encourage them to continue in a Junior badminton club and thus to retain them in the sport. To this end the WINGS JUNIOR CLUB programme was established in 2016 and will be ongoing in 2017.

Kay Terry  
Sporting School Programme Coordinator



## Grading Sub Committee Report

In 2016, the Grading Committee consisted of Trish Turner, Winston Allen and Alison Morrison. The committee met after each tournament to review the grades of all players who had won an event.

The singles grade of players was changed when they won two singles events in their grade or one in a higher grade. Similarly, the doubles (mixed) grades were changed when they won two doubles (mixed) events in their grade or one in a higher grade. Upgrades were also given when players made a state representative team.

In the second half of 2016, recreational grade was introduced and has been included as D grade on the grading list. D grade is for players that haven't entered C grade or higher in the last year but since it only existed in the second half of the year there may be some players in C grade that want to play D grade instead.

A number of downgrade requests were granted during 2016.

In 2016, 258 new players were added to the grading database, which now contains 1457 players.

A number of players entered a lower grade in a tournament than their current grade. However, this was only detected when they won at the lower grade. The checking of grades on entries is required before the Draw is started.

The updated Grading List was on the Badminton WA website so it was easily accessible for the players.

Trish Turner, Winston Allen & Alison Morrison  
Sub - Grading Committee  
21<sup>st</sup> December 2016

### NOTE:

The three members of the Grading Committee have resigned after a period of six years' service. Their work for the Association has been much appreciated over this time. They have kept meticulous records which have been updated after every event and from a starting point in 2008 of zero players on the Grading list to have 1457 players now listed has been an excellent effort.

The time is now right for a review of the Grading system with Trish, Winston and Alison being invited to give input.



## Volunteers Report

Without volunteers, there would be no Badminton WA. The Board Members, Committee workers, tournament staff... are all volunteers who give up many hours to ensure the Association is well governed and events well managed. Clubs would not function without people willing to give up their time to work for others.

### During 2016 Badminton WA:

- i) Completed a database of volunteers.
- ii) Nominated Secretary, Bruce Napier, for the RAC Sports Star ‘Service to Sport’ Award.
- iii) Presented **Badminton WA Service to Sport Awards** to two stalwarts of the Association:  
**SAMUEL FAN**—a willing worker at every national and international event in Perth over the last 6 years and has provided free massage services at many events.  
**WINSTON ALLEN**- a member of the Grading Committee for six years, committee member of several national events and regular volunteer at tournaments for many years.
- iv) Presented Regional Volunteer Awards at Country Carnival.  

<b>Natasha Caunt</b>	Eastern Goldfields
<b>Peter Shannon</b>	Mandurah
<b>Winkie Pluschke</b>	Geraldton
<b>Robert &amp; Minnie Italiano</b>	Bunbury
<b>Shaun Richards</b>	Albany
- v) Presented Metropolitan Club Volunteer Awards at the Annual Awards Dinner.  

<b>Karin Iten</b>	Coastal Ladies League
<b>Alan Puhlovich</b>	Duncraig
<b>Harbajahan Singh</b>	Greenwood
<b>Roland Lau</b>	Samson Victor
<b>Mary Hand</b>	South Suburban
<b>Duang Chai</b>	Craigie Wings
<b>Victor Henry</b>	Swanview
<b>Alan Ryan</b>	Duncraig Group
<b>Diane Taylor</b>	Sandgropers
<b>Karissa Mowday</b>	Wescoast
<b>Rita Karu</b>	Wallabies
<b>Trish Turner</b>	Perth Metro Ladies

Congratulations to all recipients of volunteer awards. These awards are recognition of the tireless work done to support and sustain our sport.

Beyond the 2016 Awardees there are many, many volunteers in all aspects of badminton who help to progress the sport. Your work is acknowledged.



## Awards Function

**Date:** 10<sup>th</sup> December      **Venue:** Osborne Park Bowling Club.

One hundred and thirty (130) Guests - Officials, Coaches, Players, Families and Friends gathered for this annual event. All Board Members, the Executive Officer and Administration Assistant were in attendance with their partners. Life Members: Laurie Blackburn, Greg Vellacott, Kim Rodgers, Kay Terry, Judith Cousins and Kelly Hoare, attended.

All State Team representatives were acknowledged and the first-time State players were given State Certificates and badges.

**Tyzton Tan** and **Kai Chen Teoh** were congratulated on being selected in the Australian Junior team that competed at the World Junior Championships in Spain

Members of the Para Badminton group were acknowledged for their efforts at the recent Australian event, with **Caitlyn Dransfield** and **Lyndall Matthews** especially recognised. The Para Coach and our Inclusivity Officer, Ian Bridge, was thanked for this work during 2016.

The presentation of **Metro Club Volunteer** awards, was a significant feature with the following recipients being warmly acknowledged by all present:

**Karin Iten** (Coastal Ladies); **Karissa Mowday** (Wescoast); **Diane Taylor** (Sandgroppers); **Alan Puhlovich** (Duncraig); **Roland Lau** (Samson Victor); **Rita Karu** (Wallabies); **Harbhajan Singh** (Greenwood); **Mary Hand** (South Suburban), **Duang Chai** (Craigie Wings), **Victor Henry** (Swanview), **Alan Ryan** (Duncraig Group), **Trish Turner** (Perth Metro Ladies). \**Mary Hand's award was accepted by Laurie Blackburn on her behalf.*

### **SERVICE AWARDS**

Two Service Awards were presented:

**SAMUEL FAN.** Samuel has given great service during national events, being on committees since 2010. He has travelled with State Teams providing massage and sports trainer service. He regularly provides free massage services at events.

**WINSTON ALLEN.** Winston has been on the Grading Committee since 2008. He has been a committee member for several national events. Part of the Badminton WA scene for more than 30 years Winston is an enthusiastic player and an ambassador for the sport, always encouraging others to compete.

Music was provided by Mr Andrew Chai with two dance performances lead by Mr Jiten Bhatt. An impromptu singing performance by Raymond Tan was appreciated. A fund-raising raffle for the 2017 U17 team raised \$500, plus Lucky Chairs, Best Dressed and other competitions rounded out the evening.

Judith Cousins (President) acknowledged the work **Eugene Glazman** (EO) and **Elaine Lee** (Admin Assistant) had undertaken during 2016.

Master of Ceremonies, Mr Trevor Briedis kept the programme flowing along with his usual skill. This was a very successful and enjoyable social end of year function.



# EVENTS



The Event Calendar was a busy one in 2016. A report on each of the following events follows.

Five Open tournaments:

- ❖ Kingsway Tournament,
- ❖ Autumn Tournament,
- ❖ State Championships,
- ❖ Silver Cup
- ❖ Perth Championships

Two Regional Open tournaments:

- ❖ Bunbury Championships
- ❖ Geraldton Championships

Two special tournaments:

- ❖ Corporate Day
- ❖ Veterans Challenge

Four Secondary School tournaments:

- ❖ Upper School
- ❖ Open Year level
- ❖ Middle School (2)

Juniors Open tournaments

- ❖ State Championships
- ❖ Wings Event (2)

Junior Team events:

- ❖ Higgs Trophy

Regional Team events:

- ❖ Country Carnival (Open)
- ❖ District High School Country Week (Juniors)

National Events:

- ❖ June Bevan Trophy (Team Championships)
- ❖ Australasian U17 Championships
- ❖ Australian University Games
- ❖ Atalanta Jamboree (Australasian Ladies Championships)

This programme required much work from the Referees, Event Directors, Technical Officials and match desk workers. Some people gave up many hours - both prior to and during these events - to ensure they were well organised and ran efficiently and within time and budgets.

Many thanks to everyone, including paid staff, for the work they put into making the 2016 Event Programme so successful.

## OPEN TOURNAMENTS

### “LiveLighter” Kingsway Tournament

EVENT	LiveLighter Kingsway Tournament
DATE OF EVENT	20-21 February 2016
VENUE	Kingsway Indoor Stadium (10 courts used)
EVENT TEAM	Referee: Kelly Hoare Event Director: Mark Duxbury Match Desk: Trevor Briedis, Judith Cousins, Bruce Napier, Eugene Glazman
ENTRY SUMMARY	126 players, 166 entries across Open, A Reserve, B, C Grades and Juniors (U15).

#### Results

<p><b>XD Open</b></p> <p>1 Kai Chen Teoh &amp; Bella Yutong Liu 2 Andrew William Belcher &amp; Crystal Diep</p> <p><b>WD Open</b></p> <p>1 Crystal Diep &amp; Hoi Ki Fu 2 Bella Yutong Liu &amp; Gerimay Nicolas</p> <p><b>MD Open</b></p> <p>1 Ying Xiang Lin &amp; Tyzton J L Tan 2 Milain Lohith Ranasinghe &amp; Kai Chen Teoh</p> <p><b>WS Open</b></p> <p>1 Bella Yutong Liu 2 Gerimay Nicolas</p> <p><b>MS Open</b></p> <p>1 Ying Xiang Lin 2 Daniel Fan</p>	<p><b>XD A Reserve</b></p> <p>1 Anthony Lim &amp; Hoi Ki Fu 2 Jason Lee &amp; Katrina Cadiz Garing</p> <p><b>MD A Reserve</b></p> <p>1 Jude Pan &amp; Lee Weely 2 Anthony Komminos &amp; Neil Thompson</p> <p><b>WS A Reserve</b></p> <p>1 Katrina Cadiz Garing 2 Alicia Xu</p> <p><b>MS A Reserve</b></p> <p>1 Tianchi Ren 2 Jazton J Y Tan</p>
<p><b>XD B Grade</b></p> <p>1 Yuanqi Tay &amp; Aminah Puhlovich 2 Ryan Leonard Tan &amp; Janice Tan</p> <p><b>WD B Grade</b></p> <p>1 Wanchee Koh &amp; Diana Waese 2 Sandra Lear &amp; Aminah Puhlovich</p> <p><b>MD B Grade</b></p> <p>1 Hyosang Ham &amp; Jinsu Kim 2 Benjamin Chen Kiong Law &amp; Andre Rumantir</p> <p><b>WS B Grade</b></p> <p>1 Daphne Wan 2 Celina Clara-Sari Ruppert</p> <p><b>MS B Grade</b></p> <p>1 Matthew Chan 2 Ryan Leonard Tan</p>	<p><b>XD C Grade</b></p> <p>1 Morgan Hung &amp; Mee Ging Wong 2 Yun-Sik Hwang &amp; Joanna Elfving-Hwang</p> <p><b>MD C Grade</b></p> <p>1 Yun-Sik Hwang &amp; Geonyeop Lee 2 Andre Rumantir &amp; Elbert Widjaja</p> <p><b>WS C Grade</b></p> <p>1 Jillian Kein 2 Jelyn Thong</p> <p><b>MS C Grade</b></p> <p>1 Martin Varghese 2 Damien Wan</p>
<p><b>BD U15</b></p> <p>1 Matthew Cunningham &amp; Timothy Sentosa 2 Julian Mao Lun Lee &amp; Aidan Wheller</p> <p><b>GS U15</b></p> <p>1 Anjali Bhujun 2 Cindy Lawrence</p> <p><b>BS U15</b></p> <p>1 Julian Mao Lun Lee 2 Timothy Sentosa</p>	



## ‘LiveLighter’ 2016 Autumn Tournament

EVENT	LiveLighter Autumn Tournament
DATE OF EVENT	19-20 March 2016
VENUE	Kingsway Indoor Stadium (10 courts used)
EVENT TEAM	Referee: Kelly Hoare Event Director: Mark Duxbury Match Desk: Trevor Briedis, Judith Cousins, Bruce Napier, Eugene Glazman
ENTRY SUMMARY	147 players, 195 entries across Open, A Reserve, B, C Grades, Juniors (U15) and Wheelchair divisions.

## Results

<p><b>XD Open</b></p> <p>1 Milain Lohith Ranasinghe &amp; Bella Yutong Liu 2 Andrew William Belcher &amp; Crystal Diep</p> <p><b>WD Open</b></p> <p>1 Crystal Diep &amp; Hoi Ki Fu 2 Bella Yutong Liu &amp; Gerimay Nicolas</p> <p><b>MD Open</b></p> <p>1 Ying Xiang Lin &amp; Tyzton J L Tan 2 Andrew William Belcher &amp; Daniel Fan</p> <p><b>WS Open</b></p> <p>1 Bella Yutong Liu 2 Christine Sharmala Kudiarasu</p> <p><b>MS Open</b></p> <p>1 Ying Xiang Lin 2 Daniel Fan</p>	<p><b>XD A Reserve</b></p> <p>1 Tan Nguyen &amp; Hannah Saunders 2 Yuanqi Tay &amp; Hoi Ki Fu</p> <p><b>MD A Reserve</b></p> <p>1 Jingtong Chen &amp; Hugo Lau 2 Romy Puhlovich &amp; Yuanqi Tay</p> <p><b>WS A Reserve</b></p> <p>1 Katrina Cadiz Garing 2 Alicia Xu</p> <p><b>MS A Reserve</b></p> <p>1 Daryl Chong 2 Matthew Chan</p>
<p><b>XD B Grade</b></p> <p>1 Nathan Fung &amp; Windi Sim 2 Adrian Wan &amp; Willanne Fountain</p> <p><b>WD B Grade</b></p> <p>1 Katrina Cadiz Garing &amp; Daphne Wan 2 Louise Anne-Marie Bradford &amp; Rosemary Smith</p> <p><b>MD B Grade</b></p> <p>1 Satori Jalistair Leon &amp; Adrian Wan 2 Yuanqi Tay &amp; Kai-Jie Teoh</p> <p><b>WS B Grade</b></p> <p>1 Bernice Teoh 2 Jasmine Tan</p> <p><b>MS B Grade</b></p> <p>1 Matthew Chan 2 Eddie Win</p>	<p><b>XD C Grade</b></p> <p>1 Wen Liang Sim &amp; Jessica Mac 2 Geonyeop Lee &amp; Windi Sim</p> <p><b>MD C Grade</b></p> <p>1 Yat Ming Chan &amp; Wen Liang Sim 2 Heer Jatan Gudka &amp; Eddie Win</p> <p><b>WS C Grade</b></p> <p>1 Jessica Mac 2 Anjali Bhujun</p> <p><b>MS C Grade</b></p> <p>1 Wen Liang Sim 2 Jeff Tomlinson</p>
<p><b>BD U15</b></p> <p>1 Isaac Pun &amp; Renneth Seet 2 Matthew Cunningham &amp; Timothy Sentosa</p> <p><b>BS U15</b></p> <p>1 Julian Mao Lun Lee 2 Dawson Lawrence</p>	<p><b>WH Wheelchair Singles</b></p> <p>1 Thomas Lee McHugh 2 Grant Manzoney</p>



## ‘LiveLighter’ WA State Championships

This is the premier event on the Badminton WA calendar.

EVENT	State Open Championships	
DATE OF EVENT	Saturday 25th June & Sunday 26th June, 2016	
LOCATION	Kingsway Indoor Stadium	
ORGANISERS	<p><u>Referee:</u> Kelly Hoare  <u>Event Director:</u> Judith Cousins  <u>Match Desk:</u> Mark Cunningham, Mark Duxbury, Annie Sim, Colin Harris</p> <p>Eugene Glazman, Executive Officer, provided administration assistance and general support, while acting as photographer and providing media results.                      Elaine Lee, Administration Officer, provided volunteer support, noticeboard set up and general assistance.                      Board Members, Lily Buttrose, Kim Rodgers &amp; Neal Miranda assisted in set up and general organisation.</p>	
ACTIVE PARTICIPANTS	148 players entered the tournament	

\$5000 in prize money was awarded across all grades.

## RESULTS

### Open Event

Men's Singles:	Winner: Chian Chan Yong	Runner Up: Daniel Fan
Men's Doubles:	Winners: Eddie Hung & Bryan Tang	Runner Up: Daniel Fan & Keisuke Takenda
Women's Singles:	Winner: Bella Liu	Runner Up: Alicia Xu
Women's Doubles:	Winners: Crystal Diep & Lily Leong	Runner Up: Hoi Ki Fu & Bella Liu
Mixed Doubles:	Winners: Kai Chen Teoh & Bella Liu	Runner Up: Keisuke Takeda & Hoi Ki Fu

### A Reserve Grade

Men's Singles:	Winner: Milain Ranasinghe	Runner Up: Sunyee Zheng
Men's Doubles:	Winners: Yuanqui Tay & Lee Weely	Runner Up: Leo Chan & Matthew Chan
Women's Singles:	Winner: Chor Hei Mo	Runner Up: Crystal Diep
Women's Doubles:	Winners: Rachel Cheung & Eunice Lee	Runner Up: Janice Tan & Jasmine Tan
Mixed Doubles:	Winners: Ryan Lin & Hoi Ki Fu	Runner Up: Sonic Lee & Lily Leong

### B Grade

Men's Singles:	Winner: Nathan Fung	Runner Up: Louie Tentia
Men's Doubles:	Winners: Yuanqui Tay & Jonny Kok	Runner Up: David Chatterton & Olie Chuantantip
Womens Singles:	Winner: Chor Hei Mo	Runner Up: Jasmine Tan
Women's Doubles:	Winners: Anita Diep & Natalie Tan	Runner Up: Willane Fountain & Chor Hei Mo
Mixed Doubles:	Winners: Nathan Fung & Windi Sim	Runner Up: Leo Chan & Rachel Cheung

### C Grade

Men's Singles:	Winner: Eugene Lee	Runner Up: Chung Yu Lee
Men's Doubles:	Winners: Chung Yu Lee & Guo Liang	Runner Up: John Paul. Marzan & Andre Rumantir
Women's Singles:	Winner: Anjali Bhujan	Runner Up: Natalie Tan
Women's Doubles:	Winners: Amy Lin & Windi Sim	Runner Up: Caitlin Dransfield & Wendy Timmerman
Mixed Doubles:	Winners: Gua Biao Liang & Amy Lin	Runner Up: Siek Weng Tong & Suzie Tioe

Following the Finals a number of Umpires received their Level 1 Umpire Certificates. Referee, Kelly Hoare was congratulated on being selected to umpire at the 2016 Olympic Games and Jane Wheatley recognised as a Deputy Referee at the 2016 Olympics.



## ‘LiveLighter’ Silver Cup Doubles Tournament

EVENT	LiveLighter Silver Cup
DATE OF EVENT	10 <sup>th</sup> -11 <sup>th</sup> September 2016
LOCATION	Kingsway Indoor Stadium
ORGANISERS	<u>Referee</u> : Eugene Glazman <u>Event Director</u> : Judith Cousins <u>Match Desk</u> : Mark Cunningham, Annie Sim, Trevor Briedis, Lili Jiang.
ACTIVE PARTICIPANTS	175 players entered the tournament

### Results:

<p><b>Mixed Doubles Open</b>                  1 Tan Nguyen + Irene Lee                  2 Zengyuan Ryan Lin + Christine Sharmala Kudiarasu</p> <p><b>Men's Doubles Open</b>                  1 Jason Lee + Kai Chen Teoh                  2 Yuanqi Tay + Lee Weely</p>	<p><b>Mixed Doubles A Reserve</b>                  1 Tan Nguyen + Hannah Saunders                  2 Anthony Lim + Ting Gong</p> <p><b>Men's Doubles A Reserve</b>                  1 Yuanqi Tay + Kai Chen Teoh                  2 Jason Chan + Sonic Lee</p>
<p><b>Mixed Doubles B Grade</b>                  1 Thomas Ian Horne + Winnie Ng                  2 Koshy Geevarghes Vaidyan + Kym Naree French</p> <p><b>Women's Doubles B Grade</b>                  1 Bernice Teoh + Alicia Xu                  2 Wanchee Koh + Aileen Rumantir</p> <p><b>Men's Doubles B Grade</b>                  1 Mark Cunningham + David Andrew Wheller                  2 Philip Han + Tianchi Ren</p>	<p><b>Mixed Doubles C Grade</b>                  1 Andrej Renko + Wanchee Koh                  2 Ardy Xiao + Ginny Beh</p> <p><b>Women's Doubles C Grade</b>                  1 Aileen Rumantir + Lauren Wiratama                  2 Kym Naree French + Dawn Timmerman</p> <p><b>Men's Doubles C Grade</b>                  1 Aman Angural + Vinay Kumar Verma                  2 Mark Cunningham + Andrej Renko</p>
<p><b>Mixed Doubles Recreational</b>                  1 Nigel Bonner + Jenny Cockram                  2 Jaya Kanniah + Niithiya Jaya</p> <p><b>Women's Doubles Recreational</b>                  1 Trishna Dodhia + Holly Gibson                  2 Angel Lee + Shaw Lim</p> <p><b>Men's Doubles Recreational</b>                  1 Jaya Kanniah + Kervin Yeow                  2 Nigel Bonner + Boon Cheong Ong</p>	<p><b>Wheelchair Combined Doubles</b>                  1 Grant Manzoney + Lyndell Matthews                  2 Lochan Cowper + Domonique Mchugh</p> <p><b>Wheelchair Combined Singles</b>                  1 Grant Manzoney                  2 Lochan Cowper</p> <p><b>Boys' Singles U15</b>                  1 Aidan Wheller                  2 Timothy Sentosa</p>



## 'LiveLighter' Perth Championships

EVENT	LiveLighter Perth Championships
DATE OF EVENT	26 <sup>th</sup> -27 <sup>th</sup> November 2016
LOCATION	Kingsway Indoor Stadium (utilising 14 courts)
ORGANISERS	<u>Referee:</u> Kelly Hoare <u>Event Director:</u> Bruce Napier <u>Match Desk:</u> Eugene Glazman, Mark Cunningham, Judith Cousins, Annie Sim, Trevor Briedis, Lili Jiang, Eugene Glazman, Surya Sentosa
ACTIVE PARTICIPANTS	231 players entered the tournament

### Results:

<p><b>XD Open</b>                  1 Kai Chen Teoh + Melanie Ann Boston                  2 Tyzton J L Tan + Bella Yutong Liu</p> <p><b>WD Open</b>                  1 Hannah Saunders + Elaine Wong                  2 Christine Sharmala Kudiarasu + Irene Lee</p> <p><b>MD Open</b>                  1 Michael Chan + Sonic Lee                  2 Milain Lohith Ranasinghe + Sunyee Zheng</p> <p><b>WS Open</b>                  1 Bella Yutong Liu                  2 Lily Leong</p> <p><b>MS Open</b>                  1 Himanshu Thacker                  2 Keisuke Takeda</p>	<p><b>XD A Reserve</b>                  1 Sonic Lee + Lily Leong                  2 Anthony Komninos + Kristie Lim</p> <p><b>WD A Reserve</b>                  1 Irene Lee + Hannah Saunders                  2 Judith Carol Barnitt + Sandra Lear</p> <p><b>MD A Reserve</b>                  1 Kush Jatan Gudka + Anthony Komninos                  2 Jason Chan + Leo Chan</p> <p><b>WS A Reserve</b>                  1 Katrina Cadiz Garing                  2 Bernice Teoh</p> <p><b>MS A Reserve</b>                  1 Ong William                  2 Sunyee Zheng</p>
<p><b>XD B Grade</b>                  1 Koshy Geevarghes Vaidyan + Kym French                  2 Andre Rumantir + Wanchee Koh</p> <p><b>MD B Grade</b>                  1 Donald Chai + William Wong                  2 Aidan Wheller + David Andrew Wheller</p> <p><b>WS B Grade</b>                  1 Wanchee Koh                  2 Janice Tan</p> <p><b>MS B Grade</b>                  1 Andrej Renko                  2 Wandu Tangwil</p>	<p><b>XD C Grade</b>                  1 Koshy Geevarghes Vaidyan + Chloe Zhou                  2 Tyren Nagtegaal + Kym Naree French</p> <p><b>WD C Grade</b>                  1 Pai Fun Koong + Chloe Zhou                  2 Divya Nandhini Angusamy + Shakthi Angusamy</p> <p><b>MD C Grade</b>                  1 Yiding Xu + Gary Yang                  2 Edwin Chan + Melvin Yap</p> <p><b>WS C Grade</b>                  1 Divya Nandhini Angusamy                  2 Adele Williams</p> <p><b>MS C Grade</b>                  1 Eddie Win                  2 Scott Delamotte</p>
<p><b>XD Recreation</b>                  1 Kervin Yeow + Angel Lee                  2 Ashwin Menon + Niithiya Jaya</p> <p><b>WD Recreation</b>                  1 Angel Lee + Shaw Lim                  2 Ginny Beh + Seryna Xiao</p> <p><b>MD Recreation</b>                  1 Chan Chun Lam + Jeremy Yi Sheng Ooi                  2 Narry Kumar + Sachin Vishwanath</p> <p><b>MS Recreation</b>                  1 Chan Chun Lam                  2 Sachin Vishwanath</p>	<p><b>U15 BD</b>                  1 Robin Hai Fu + Julian Mao Lun Lee                  2 Dawson Lawrence + Aidan Wheller</p> <p><b>U15 GS</b>                  1 Joanne Zheng                  2 Vevina Yang</p> <p><b>U15 BS</b>                  1 Julian Mao Lun Lee                  2 Dawson Lawrence</p>

## **REGIONAL OPEN TOURNAMENTS**

### **‘LiveLighter’ Bunbury Open**

EVENT	<u>LiveLighter Bunbury South West Open 2016</u>
DATE OF EVENT	<u>31/31<sup>st</sup> July 2016</u>
VENUE	Bunbury Badminton Centre, 1 Rotary Drive, Bunbury.
EVENT TEAM	Tournament Organisers: Nigel Smith, Gemma Rouse. Referee: Eugene Glazman. Lily Buttrose assisting. Floor Umpire: Rob Italiano. Ashley Morgan assisting Secretary: Gemma Rouse Catering: Colleen Ellis Fundraising/Fees: Josie Perrella, Peter Bacon, Minnie Italiano. Shop: Peter Bacon Maintenance: Bryn Tournay Web: Sudi Mishra
ENTRY SUMMARY	<u>No of Players: 58, No of Entries: 91, No of Matches: 127, No of Events: 20</u>

#### **Comments:**

Sponsorship: Badminton WA provided \$500 sponsorship towards the Open plus an additional \$500 towards a travel subsidy for 3 or more players travelling together more than 100km to the tournament.

Learnings: Whilst the travel subsidy was a welcome innovation in attracting players this did not translate to additional entries. Consideration for next year should be given to the provision of prize money for the Open grade events.

#### **Results**

##### **BS U13**

Winner: Timothy Sentosa  
 Runner up: Campbell Riley Senbergs

##### **XD U13**

Winners: Timothy Sentosa/Gemma May Morgan  
 Runners up: Campbell Senbergs/Taiyana McCosker

##### **BS U15**

Winner: Aidan Wheller  
 Runner up: Matthew Cunningham

##### **BD U15**

Winners: Matthew Cunningham/Timothy Sentosa  
 Runners up: Elliot Bedford/Tyson Robert Italiano

##### **GS U17**

Winner: Breanna Jade Bail  
 Runner up: Divya Nandhini Angusamy

##### **GS U13**

Winner: Shakthi Nimala Angusamy  
 Runner up: Gemma May Morgan

##### **GS U15**

Winner: Anjali Bhujun  
 Runner up: Yun Hao Wang

##### **GD U15**

Winners: Kelly Morgan/Yun Hao Wang  
 Runners up: Sarah Gillies/Stacey Gillies

##### **XD U15**

Winners: Tyson Italiano/Esther Adwoa Koomson  
 Runners up: Witchaphon Amkham/Yun Hao Wang



**MSB**

Winner: Billy Wauhop

Runner up: Kenny Ting

**MDB**

Winners: Bryn Tournay/Billy Wauhop

Runners up: 2 Muhammad Kamal/Sudhanshu Mishra

**MDC**

Winners: Ian Bridge/Mark Cunningham

Runners up: Preetham Namaskumar/David Wheller

**WDC**

Winners: Sharon Rouse/Allison Willoughby

Runners up: Divya Angusamy/Shakthi Angusamy

**MD 40**

Winners: Julien Bradford/David Wheller

Runners up: Robert Italiano/Nigel Smith

**XD 40**

Winners: Nigel Smith/Rosemary Smith

Runners up: Bryn Tournay/Sonia Jones

**WSB**

Winner: Louise Bradford

Runner up: Anjali Bhujun

**XDB**

Winners: Sudhanshu Mishra/Louise Bradford

Runners up: Bryn Tournay/Kay Maccione

**MSC**

Winner: Mark Cunningham

Runner up: Aidan Wheller

**XDC**

Winners: Ian Bridge/Caitlin Dransfield

Runners up: Aidan Wheller/Anjali Bhujun

**WD 40**

Winners: Rosemary Smith/Allison Willoughby

Runners up: Sonia Jones/Kay Maccione



## Geraldton Open

EVENT	Geraldton Open
DATE OF EVENT	14-15 May 2016
VENUE	Phyllis Jupp Badminton Centre (6 courts used)
EVENT TEAM	Event Director: Phyllis Jupp Match Desk: Jenny Klein, Eugene Glazman. Shuttles: Dot Robertson
ENTRY SUMMARY	59 players, 98 entries across Open, A Reserve, B, C Grades

### Comments

1. Thank you to the Perth entrants for making the big effort to come to Geraldton. It was great for our members to have a chance to play against strong players.
2. Thank you to the Bunbury players a huge effort to travel to Geraldton.
3. A huge thank you to Eugene Glazman for his terrific support on the match desk for the two days.

### Results

<p><b>XD Open</b>                  1 Kai Chen Teoh &amp; Bernice Teoh                  2 Jasper Tan &amp; Janice Tan  <b>WD Open</b>                  1 Janice Tan &amp; Jasmine Tan                  2 Suzie Tioe &amp; Tiffany Wan  <b>MD Open</b>                  1 Ying Xiang Lin &amp; Tyzton J L Tan                  2 Eric Low &amp; Kai Chen Teoh  <b>MS Open</b>                  1 Kai Chen Teoh                  2 Ying Xiang Lin</p>	<p><b>XD A Reserve</b>                  1 See Ken Lim &amp; Tiffany Wan                  2 Kugashanmugan Maniam &amp; Mandy Brindley  <b>MD A Reserve</b>                  1 Nathan Fung &amp; See Ken Lim                  2 Marcus Chan &amp; Sunyee Zheng  <b>WS A Reserve</b>                  1 Bernice Teoh                  2 Janice Tan  <b>MS A Reserve</b>                  1 Milan Ranasinghe                  2 Jason Lee</p>
<p><b>XD B Grade</b>                  1 Nathan Fung &amp; Windi Sim                  2 Nigel Smith &amp; Rosemary Smith  <b>WD B Grade</b>                  1 Jenny Klein &amp; Rosemary Smith                  2 Lily Klein &amp; Chloe Spence  <b>MD B Grade</b>                  1 Nathan Fung &amp; Weng Tong                  2 Gary Grant &amp; Nigel Smith  <b>WS B Grade</b>                  1 Bernice Teoh                  2 Rosemary Smith  <b>MS B Grade</b>                  1 Marcus Chan                  2 Lewis Johnson</p>	<p><b>XD C Grade</b>                  1 Chi Tak Wong &amp; Windi Sim                  2 Preetham Namaskumar &amp; Anjali Bhujun  <b>WD C Grade</b>                  1 Emilie Mai &amp; Windi Sim                  2 Jessica Byron &amp; Nicole Vlahov  <b>MD C Grade</b>                  1 Weng Tong &amp; Chi Tak Wong                  2 Adam Brockwell &amp; Mason Johnson  <b>WS C Grade</b>                  1 Anjali Bhujun                  2 Jessica Byron  <b>MS C Grade</b>                  1 Chi Tak Wong                  2 Nigel Smith</p>
<p><b>WS U/15</b>                  1 Chloe Spence                  2 Lily Klein</p>	

## **SPECIAL TOURNAMENTS**

### **Corporate Day**

EVENT	Corporate Team Challenge
DATE OF EVENT	8 <sup>th</sup> October 2016
LOCATION	Craigie Leisure Centre
ORGANISERS	<u>Referee / Event Director</u> : Eugene Glazman <u>Assistance</u> : Neal Miranda, Lili Jiang
PARTICIPANTS	32 players in 8 teams

#### **Comments:**

Only 2 teams have entered into Recreational division. All the teams had to be combined in one division (2 Round Robin pools with 4 teams in each, with subsequent play-off rounds contesting all positions from #1 to #8). Highest ranking Recreational team was recognised as the notional winner of the Recreational division.

During the first round the standard BWF scoring was used. After conclusion of the round and consultation with the team captains it was agreed to switch to a shorter format (best of 3 games to 15 points with setting) to allow for a better balance between play and rest, which was especially relevant for less experienced players.

The event was sponsored by Mortgage Choice (Belmont) and by Mustera Group. Acknowledgements were made during the event announcements. Signage provided by Mortgage Choice was displayed, and some merchandise distributed among participants. The event received positive feedback from those involved.

#### **Results (final positions):**

1. Team AWAS (Western Power)
2. Telstra Shuttlers
3. WSP | Parsons Brinckerhoff 1 (highest ranking Recreational team)
4. Mustera 1
5. Mustera 2
6. Bardap
7. Mortgage Choice
8. WSP | Parsons Brinckerhoff 2



## ‘LiveLighter’ Masters Challenge

EVENT	LiveLighter Masters Team Challenge
DATE OF EVENT	24 <sup>th</sup> September 2016
LOCATION	Kingsway Indoor Stadium
ORGANISERS	<u>Referee:</u> Eugene Glazman <u>Event Director:</u> Judith Cousins <u>Assistance:</u> Mark Cunningham, Neal Miranda, Nigel Tilbury
PARTICIPANTS	39 players in 13 teams across 3 age divisions (50+, 60+, 70+)

### Comments:

Only 2 teams have entered into 70+. In order to provide adequate matchplay a combined division was formed where 60+ aged teams were invited to participate.

Healthway sponsorship (LiveLighter health message) was acknowledged and signage displayed.

The event received positive feedback from those involved, however some aspects of the event remain challenging (eg free ruling on gender composition of the teams). For next year’s event consideration will be given to reviewing age groups, eg 45+, 55+, 65+.

### Results:

**50+ Division**      Winners: The Duncraig Buddies  
                                  Runners-up: Kelavan Eveready

**60+ Division**      Winners: Kelavan Evergreen  
                                  Runners-up: The Shuttlers

**70+ Division**      Winners: Atlantis Arthritics  
                                  Runners-Up: Two Rocks Terrors



## **SECONDARY SCHOOL TOURNAMENTS**

### **‘LiveLighter’ Upper School Tournament**

EVENT	Live Lighter Upper School Tournament
DATE OF EVENT	Friday 11 <sup>th</sup> March 2016
VENUE	Kingsway Indoor Stadium (10 courts used)
EVENT TEAM	Event Director: Punita Mandalia Match Desk: Lily Buttrose, Eugene Glazman Volunteers: Peter Sinclair (School Sport WA); Margaret Bates; Aminah Puhlovich; Marie Mason; Rita Bonjour,
ENTRY SUMMARY	160 players, representing nine (9) schools.  John Septimus Roe Anglican Community School Willetton Senior High School St Mark's ACS Applecross Senior High School St Stephen's Carramar St Stephen's Duncraig Mercedes College Ursula Frayne College Corpus Christi College

#### Draws Entries

Boys_Doubles	25	49
Girls Doubles	17	31

Total number of Draws: 42

Total Entries: 80

Total number of players: 160

### **Overview**

- All players played 2 stages of Round Robins and then onto elimination rounds to determine Quarter Finals, Semi Finals and Finals.
- Timing was accurate, tournament commenced at 9am and concluded at 2pm.
- Matches were 1 game to 15 with no setting.
- Students umpired the matches successfully.
- Winners were presented with trophies.
- Many Students and Teachers expressed their enjoyment of the event.

### **Results**

Girls Doubles Winners:	Divya Angusamy, Bella Yutong Liu (Willetton Senior High School)
Girls Doubles Runners up:	Sylvia Ho, Melissan Tan (Willetton Senior High School)
Boys Doubles Winners:	Edward Fan, Jason Lee (Applecross Senior High School)
Boys Doubles Runners up:	Andy Chien, Jimmy Lee (Applecross Senior High School)



## ‘LiveLighter’ Open Year Tournament

This was the first school tournament for the year and was for Upper School students.

**Sponsorship by Healthway was noted, announced and signage displayed.**

EVENT	“LiveLighter” OPEN YEAR SCHOOL BADMINTON TOURNAMENT
DATE OF EVENT	Friday 17th June 2016
LOCATION	Kingsway Indoor Stadium
ORGANISERS	Coordinators: Eugene Glazman, Punita Mandalia, Lily Buttrose Match Officials: Lily Buttrose, Punita Mandalia Administration: Eugene Glazman Volunteers: Lorraine Feddema (School Sport WA), Marie Mason, Margaret Bates, Sandra Lear, Karin Iten, Judy Cousins.
PARTICIPANTS	<b>64 students from 8 schools participated.</b> St Georges Anglican Grammar School Hale School St Mary’s Anglican Girls School Warwick Senior High Ocean Reef Senior High Southern Hills Christian College Kingsway Christian College Mt Lawley Senior High

### COMMENTS

- Boys were in 4 groups of 4 pairs on 4 courts, girls were in 4 groups of 4 pairs on 4 courts.
- All games in the first stage of round robin were best of three to 21 points, no setting.
- All games in the Quarters, Semis and Finals were best of three to 21 points, no setting.
- Students umpired the entire tournament with volunteer helpers facilitating.
- Winners and runners-up were presented with trophies by Judy Cousins.
- “Be Active” slap bands and water bottles were also distributed.
- Feedback from most students and teachers on the tournament format and information clarity were positive. Many students and teaches expressed their enjoyment of the event at its conclusion.
- Fun games and drills were run for players in between matches and for those who did not qualify for the subsequent rounds.

### RESULTS

#### **BOYS:**

Winners: Previn Narenasagaran and Milain Ranasinghe (St George's Anglican Grammar)

Runner-Up: Leonard Yau and William Zhang (Hale School)

#### **GIRLS:**

Winners: Anjali Bhujun and Aimee Olofsson (Mt Lawley Senior High)

Runner-Up: Sabrina Siani and Imogen Van Der Merwe (Kingsway Christian College)

Punita Mandalia 22/06/2016



## ‘LiveLighter’ Middle School Tournament

EVENT	Live Lighter Middle Year Level Tournament
DATE OF EVENT	Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September 2016
VENUE	Kingsway Indoor Stadium (10 courts used)
EVENT TEAM	Event Director: Punita Mandalia Match Desk: Lily Buttrose Administration: Eugene Glzman Volunteers: Peter Sinclair (School Sport WA), Aminah Puhlovich, Marie Mason, Sandra Lear, Rita Bonjour, Nicholas Nyugen.
ENTRY SUMMARY	<b>166 players, representing eleven (11) schools.</b> St Georges Anglican Grammar School Southern Hills Christian College Mt Lawley Senior High Balga Senior High Applecross Senior High Mercedes College St Stephens College All Saints College Ursula Frayne Catholic College St Mark’s Anglican College South Coast Baptist College

### COMMENTS

- Two groups of 4 pairs on each court. 3 Groups of girls had 5 in their group.
- All games in the first stage of round robin were one game to 21 points, no setting.
- All games in the Quarters, and Semis were one game to 21 points, no setting. The Final match was best of 3 games to 21 points with no setting.
- Students umpired the entire tournament with volunteer helpers facilitating.
- Winners and runners-up were presented with trophies.
- Water bottles and bags were also distributed. Two impressive young umpires were also awarded with water bottles and bags.
- Tournament Software was used to run the school tournament.
- Many students and teachers expressed their enjoyment of the event at its conclusion.

### RESULTS

#### **BOYS:**

Winners: Previn Narenasagaran and Milain Ranasinghe (St George's Anglican Grammar)  
 Runner-Up: Andrew Lim and Shao Ping On (Applecross Senior High)

#### **GIRLS**

Winners: Anjali Bhujun and Aimee Olofsson (Mt Lawley Senior High)  
 Runner-Up: Vishani Metha and Gopi Aghera (St Stephen’s College)



## ‘LiveLighter’ Middle School Tournament

EVENT	Live Lighter Middle Year Level Tournament
DATE OF EVENT	Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> November 2016
VENUE	Kingsway Indoor Stadium (10 courts used)
EVENT TEAM	Event Director: Punita Mandalia Match Desk: Lily Buttrose Administration: Eugene Glazman Volunteers: Peter Sinclair (School Sport WA), Aminah Puhlovich, Marie Mason, Sandra Lear, Rita Bonjour, Margaret Bates
ENTRY SUMMARY	<b>92 players, representing six (6) schools.</b> Balga Senior High Mercedes College Hale School Corpus Christi College Perth Modern School Ocean Reef Senior High School

### COMMENTS

- All games in the first stage of round robin were one game to 21 points, no setting.
- All games in the Quarters, Semis and Final were best of 3 games to 21 points, no setting.
- Students umpired the entire tournament with volunteer helpers facilitating.
- Winners and runners-up were presented with trophies.
- Water bottles and bags were distributed for 3<sup>rd</sup> place, impressive umpiring and good sportsmanship.
- Tournament Software was used to run the school tournament.
- Many students and teachers expressed their gratitude and enjoyment of the event at its conclusion.

### RESULTS

#### **BOYS:**

Winners: Max Hu and Phil Yang (Perth Modern School)  
Runner-Up: Leonard Yau and William Zhang (Hale School)

#### **GIRLS**

Winners: Heyang Guo and Natasha Hartona (Perth Modern)  
Runner-Up: Jess De Freitas Basilio and Jodi Gagner (Corpus Christi College)

## JUNIOR OPEN TOURNAMENTS

### ‘LiveLighter’ State Junior Championships

This is the premier Junior event on the Badminton WA calendar.

EVENT	State Open Championships
DATE OF EVENT	Saturday 15 <sup>th</sup> -Sun 16 <sup>th</sup> July, 2016
LOCATION	Kingsway Indoor Stadium
ORGANISERS	Referee/Event Director: Eugene Glazman Match Desk: Judith Cousins, Lily Buttrose, Mark Cunningham. Assistants: Kay Terry, Bruce Napier Umpires: Brad Chen, Jiten Bhatt, Nicolas Nguyen, Annie Sim
ACTIVE PARTICIPANTS	66 players

Comment:

The event was sponsored by **Healthway**, through the LiveLighter programme.

## RESULTS

### U17

Boys Singles:	Winner: Kai Chen Teoh	Runner Up: Jason Lee
Boys Doubles:	Winners: Kai Chen Teoh & Jason Lee	Runner Up: Milan Ranasinghe & SunYee Zheng
Girls Singles:	Winner: Katrina Garing	Runner Up: Divya Angusamy
Girls Doubles:	Winners: Katrina Garing & D. Angusamy	Runner Up: Breanna Bail & Prea Cunningham
Mixed Doubles:	Winners: Katrina Garing & R. Puhlovich	Runner Up: Ryan Tan & Janice Tan

SPECIAL MENTION: **KATRINA GARING** WON THE THREE U17 TITLES

### U15

Boys Singles:	Winner: Jonny Kok	Runner Up: Damian Wan
Boys Doubles:	Winners: Damian Wan & Jackie Zheng	Runner Up: Robin Fu & Julian Lee
Girls Singles:	Winner: Bernice Teoh	Runner Up: Alicia Xu
Girls Doubles:	Winners: Janice Tan & Jasmine Tan	Runner Up: Bernice Teoh & Alicia Xu
Mixed Doubles:	Winners: Jonny Kok & Bernice Teoh	Runner Up: Jackie Zheng & Jasmine Tan

### U13

Boys Singles:	Winner: Timothy Sentosa	Runner Up: Justin Lim
Boys Doubles:	Winners: Jonny Kok & Justin Lim	Runner Up: Campbell Senbergs & Zachary Shields
Girls Singles:	Winner: Joanne Zheng	Runner Up: Vevina Yang
Girls Doubles:	No event	
Mixed Doubles:	Winners: Timothy Sentosa & J.Zheng	Runner Up: Campbell Senbergs & Cindy Lawrence

### U11

Boys Singles:	Winner: Ben Lee	Runner Up: William Lim
Boys Doubles:	Winners: Ben Lee & William Lim	Runner Up: Jarrad Chan & Samuel Shields
Girls Singles:	Winner: Seryna Xiao	Runner Up: No trophy awarded.
Girls Doubles:	No event	
Mixed Doubles:	Winners: William Lim & Seryna Xiao	Runner Up: No trophy awarded.

Trophies in U11, U13, & U15 events were presented by U19 State players. Trophies in the U17 event were presented by State Coach Yuli Zheng.

WA U19 Team players were recognized for their excellent results at the Australian Junior Championships.

## ‘LiveLighter’ Higgs Team Trophy

PROGRAMME	HIGGS TROPHY
DATE OF EVENT	Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> & Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> July, 2016
LOCATION	Kingsway Indoor Stadium
Organisers	Event Director: Judith Cousins Administration: Eugene Glazman Match Desk: Lily Buttrose, Kay Terry Assistant: Mark Cunningham
Invitations	Country and Metropolitan Clubs and Associations
Active Participants	14 teams – 3 players in each team: 42 players Each team had a Manager

### PROGRAMME OVERVIEW

The Managers’ meeting was held at 9.15 Thursday morning, followed by an on-court welcome to all teams.

This event covered two days of Team competition, within age groups. Fourteen (14) teams of three players competed in U/17, U/15 and U/13 & U11Ties, using a Round Robin format. Each Tie comprised 6 matches with two games to 21 points, with no setting.

U15-17 Division played four Ties on Thursday and three Ties on Friday- a complete Round Robin with results based on Games won from all Ties.

The U11-13 Division played four Ties on Thursday and one on Friday to complete the full round robin. Team were the ranked and placed in two pools- and played three more Short Ties (one game to 21 points comprising a Match). These results were added to the full Round Robin results to achieve final rankings.

### TEAM RESULTS

#### Under 17

Gold Medallists: **Batavia:** Will Klein, Chloe Spence, Adam Brockwell

Silver Medallists: **Murchison:** Mason Johnson, Andrew Carroll, Lily Klein

#### Under 15

Gold Medallists: **Golden Racquets:** Jackie Zheng, Damien Wan, Joanne Zheng

Silver Medallists: **The Smashers:** Aidan Wheller, Matthew Cunningham, Anjali Bhujun

#### Under 13

Gold Medallists: **BaddyRoos Fire:** Timothy Sentosa, Alexander Oey, Cindy Lawrence

Silver Medallists: **An Yu Falcons:** Justin Lim, Augusto Biju, Shakthi Angusamy

#### Under 11

Gold Medallists: **An Yu Rockets:** William Lim, Jerad Chan, Seryna Xiao

Silver Medallists: **Baddyroos Earth:** Campbell Sensbergs Dylan Seet, Marylynn Leo

It was pleasing to have players from the Geraldton and Bunbury Associations participating. The support of parents in taking on the role of Team Managers was much appreciated and their efficiency and general supervision ensured a smooth flowing event.



## **‘LiveLighter’ Wings Tournament**

**Event:** Wings Junior Tournament

**Date of Event:** Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> May 2016. 2.45pm to 5pm.

**Location:** Craigie Leisure Centre

### **Coordinators**

Punita Mandalia, Lily Buttrose

### **Match Officials and Volunteers**

Judith Cousins, Ian Bridge, Diane Booth, Kay Terry, Kim Rodgers and parents.

### **Participants**

37 Players and members from various Wings Clubs and Non-members.

Wings Wembley	3 Players
Wings Kingsway	4 Players
Wings Scarborough	3 Players
Wings St Anthony’s	2 Players
Wings Craigie	15 Players
Non Members	10 Players (includes Jessica Arnold who was asked to play at no charge to make up numbers)

Tournament Entry Fee was \$10 for each player with the exception of Craigie Wings Club members.

### **Statistics and Events**

Under 10 Division: 12 players. Winner: Zoe Buttrose.  
Second: Hanson Lambert.  
Third: Lucas Hughes

Under 13 Division: 13 players. Winner: Euan Allan.  
Second: Alex Warland.  
Third: Sarah Le Map

Under 16 Division: 12 players. Winner: Ashwin Titus Soney.  
Second: Justin Warland.  
Third: Spencer Priestnall

### **Overview**

- A fun doubles competition, partners were allocated and changed for each round.
- Games/Rounds were played to a set time of 10 minutes and the scores noted for each player at the end of the round. Only the first 5 rounds were taken into account.
- Points were added up and trophies were presented to the winners, second runners up and third runners up. Fun prizes were also handed out.
- Timing was accurate, the tournament commenced at 3 and concluded at 5pm with 5 to 6 rounds played.
- Volunteers and parents umpired the games
- Parents and players expressed their enjoyment at the end.



## ‘LiveLighter’ Wings Tournament

EVENT	Wings Junior Tournament
DATE OF EVENT	17 <sup>th</sup> September 2016
VENUE	Craigie Leisure Centre
EVENT TEAM	Coordinators: Punita Mandalia, Lily Buttrose Assisting:, Diane Booth, Judy Cousins, Sophie Leonard, Aminah Puhlovich, Christian Buttrose Several parents undertook umpiring duties
ENTRY SUMMARY	40 players The following Wings clubs were represented: Kingsway (4); St Anthony’s (3); Rossmoyne (2); Mindarie 1);Craigie (19) Non Wings club members: 11

### Comments

- ❖ This was a fun doubles competition open to Wings Club members and Visitors and followed the same format as the event held in May.
- ❖ Partners were allocated within age groups and changed each round.
- ❖ Rounds were of a set 10 minutes’ duration.
- ❖ Players’ individual points were recorded.
- ❖ Points gained in the first five rounds each player played were ‘competition’ points.
- ❖ Points were collated and Winner and Runner Up trophies were awarded at the conclusion
- ❖ Fun prizes were also handed out.
- ❖ A short quiz based on badminton facts was prepared by Shailin Mandalia, one of the players and this was done while final points were being collated.
- ❖ Timing was accurate
- ❖ For many players, this was the second badminton event they had played there was some good standard competition, with noticeable improvement from the May event.
- ❖ Good used feather shuttles were provided and were satisfactory for this level of competition.
- ❖ The obvious enjoyment of the players and parents with this format was encouraging

## Results

### **Under 10 Division: 14 players:**

Winner: Harry Thompson

Runner-Up: Aadhya Bhatt

### **Under 13 Division: 14 players;**

Winner: Sarah Le Map

Runner-Up: Shailin Mandalia

### **Under 16 Division: 12 players.**

Winner: Izzudin Rozlan

Runner-up: Phillip DeBruin



## **REGIONAL TEAM TOURNAMENTS**

### **‘LiveLighter’ Country Carnival**

#### **OVERVIEW**

This annual event is part of the Healthway Programmes undertaken during the year. The LIVENIGHTER message was verbally given and prominent signage was displayed. Twelve teams competed in four Divisions in this event which is a traditional part of the Badminton WA calendar. Teams consisted of a maximum of three men and three women. A total of 64 players competed.

PROGRAMME	<b>LIVELIGHTER COUNTRY CARNIVAL</b>
DATE OF EVENT	Saturday 4th and Sunday 5 <sup>th</sup> June, 2016
LOCATION	Kingsway Indoor Stadium
MANAGEMENT TEAM	Judith Cousins (Coordinator) Mark Cunningham (Assistant Coordinator) Kay Terry (Shuttle Control and Function) Rita Bonjour (Floor Assistant) Bruce Napier, Neal Miranda & Kim Rodgers (BOM)
SERVICES	Andrew Chai (ProShop)

Organisation: Teams were placed into two Pools - Division 1 and Division 2 in Pool A, Division 3 and Division 4 in Pool B. Each Pool played a full Round Robin, with results based on Games won and using ‘lowest points scored against’ as the decider, if needed. This meant five Ties were played, three on Saturday and two on Sunday, with a Tie comprising 8 matches and 15 games: MS, WS, MD, WD, 3 XD. A match was 2 games to 21 points, no setting, except for WS which was one game. Final results were determined within Divisions.

#### **RESULTS**

**DIVISION 1 Winner: MANDURAH 1**  
2<sup>nd</sup> Bunbury Red

**DIVISION 2 Winner: EASTERN GOLDFIELDS 1**  
2<sup>nd</sup> Mandurah 2; 3<sup>rd</sup> Bunbury Blue; 4<sup>th</sup> Geraldton Gold

**DIVISION 3 Winner: BUNBURY GREEN**  
2<sup>nd</sup> Mandurah 3; 3<sup>rd</sup> Eastern Goldfields 2; 4<sup>th</sup> Geraldton Blue

**DIVISION 4 Winner: MANDURAH 4**  
2<sup>nd</sup> Bunbury Gold

At the conclusion of each Tie each team named the Fairest and Best player from the opposing team. These were collated and the winners were:

Fairest and Best Woman: **Chloe Zhou** – Mandurah

Fairest and Best Man: **Danny Garcia** -Bunbury

Gary Dymond (Eastern Goldfields) donated a racquet for the player with the most potential and determination, as decided by the Carnival Committee. This was won by **Koshy Vaidyan** from Mandurah

**Best Dressed Team** was awarded to Mandurah, who were given two tubes of shuttles for club use. The twelve Team Captains were each given a racquet grip as a thank you for their work



Volunteer Awards we presented to six **COUNTRY REGIONAL VOLUNTEERS:**

<b>Natasha Caunt</b>	Eastern Goldfields
<b>Peter Shannon</b>	Mandurah
<b>Winkie Pluschke</b>	Geraldton
<b>Robert &amp; Minnie Italiano</b>	Bunbury
<b>Shaun Richards</b>	Albany

Eastern Goldfields Association made a special presentation of LIFE MEMBERSHIP to **CHRIS ANDRE** for his long, continuous and exceptional work for the Association. Greeted with acclaim. A forum with participation from all regions was held on Sunday. Results reported to BOM

The Sundowner and all Presentations were held in the Function Room.

## ‘LiveLighter’ District High School Country Week

The District High Schools Country Week is a multi-sport event organised by School Sport WA. Individual sports associations are commissioned to manage and officiate the competitions. Badminton is one of the seven sports competed throughout the week.

This is the eighth year badminton has been included in the DHS Country Week.

EVENT	District High Schools Country Week (Badminton Section)
DATE OF EVENT	19 <sup>th</sup> – 23 <sup>rd</sup> September, 2016
LOCATION	Bendat Basketball Centre, Floreat
COMPETITION MANAGER	Lily Buttrose
PARTICIPANTS	Twenty teams of four players representing eight schools: Geraldton Grammar, Jurien Bay, Kulin, Northampton, Northcliffe, Pemberton, Waroona, and Wyalkatchem.
UMPIRES	Judith Cousins, Ryan Lin, Sophie Leonard, Val McDougall, Sandra Brown, Wendy Tebb, Diane Taylor, Aminah Puhlovich, Adelyn Lingard, Punita Mandalia, Ali Courtie, Margaret Bates, YQ Tay, Angie Yang, Eva Wu, Melissa Stone, Cindy Choi, Jasmine Lai, and Sue Phillips.

### COMMENTS

School Sport WA made adjustments to the format this year, taking into consideration of the recommendations by Judith Cousins the Competition Manager last year.

- Healthway LiveLighter messages were announced at the start and end of the competition.
- Teams consisted of four players ranked No 1, No 2, No 3, and No 4 staying with the same ranking throughout the week. No fixed number for boys or girls in each team.
- Each tie consisted of two doubles and four singles which played to approximately 90 minutes. Doubles matches were played to the best of three games to 21 points, no setting. Singles matches were played to one game to 21 points, no setting.
- The “A” Grade was a simple double round robin with the four teams competed in the same division throughout the week. The remaining sixteen teams competed in three pools and were re-graded into two Divisions, B and C, at the end of the first round robin on Tuesday. Teams competed in the designated Divisions in round robin on Wednesday and Thursday with Finals being played on Friday.
- Points for the fixtured matches were allocated as: 5 points for a win; 3 points for a draw; and 2 points for a loss. In the case of fixtured points being equal the team placings were determined by the team’s total games won across all fixtures in the grade ties, and in the case of the number of games being equal the team placings were determined by the team’s total of least number of points won across all grade ties.
- Badminton WA coaches Ryan Lin and Lily Buttrose conducted an hour’s coaching session prior to the start of the week’s competition on Monday. An exhibition doubles was performed by

Badminton WA coaches and state team players Ali Courtie, Angie Yang, Sophie Leonard, YQ Tay and Lily Buttrose at the end of the finals on Friday followed by country students' participation in game play.

- Badminton WA provided umpires for all ties. All umpires performed well.
- Badminton WA provided feather shuttles for all matches.

The event was very successful with the players, teachers and parents engaging closely in the event and constantly provided positive feedback. There were noticeable improvements in the standard of play from the students attended the event in previous years. Even the first-time attendees progressed well as the week went on. Every teacher was informed of the BWF Shuttle Time free App and learning resources. Jurien Bay and Wyalkatchem expressed interest in planning for a badminton clinic to be led by a Badminton WA coach.

The Badminton WA Executive Officer Eugene Glazman attended the Opening Ceremony. Vice President Lily Buttrose presented Sportsmanship Awards and Shields to winners in all three divisions at the Closing Ceremony.

### Sportsmanship Awards:

A Grade	B Grade	C Grade
Pemberton 1	Jurien Bay 2	Wyalkatchem

### Winners:

Divisions / Placings	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>
A Grade	Geraldton Grammar	Jurien Bay 1	Pemberton 1	Northampton 1	
B Grade	Jurien bay 2	Waroona 1	Pemberton 2	Waroona 2	Northampton 2
C Grade	Pemberton 3	Northcliffe	Kulin	Pemberton 4	Wyalkatchem

### RECOMMEDATIONS

An email communication as a follow-up on this event and an introduction of the BWF Shuttle Time programme will be sent out to the schools attending this event in order to consolidate the interest and enthusiasm towards badminton.

School Sport WA is to be commanded of being aware of the potential risk and interruption from utilising the neighbouring courts for basketball competitions and thus reduced the usage of these courts considerably this year.

A widely received feedback from both the schools and event officials was that the lines of the courts were very difficult to see, being pale yellow against the pale brown flooring and reflection of the natural lights. Suggest to have the lines mask-taped during this event.

With the growing participation in this event, it is worth considering utilising the neighbouring courts which are already lined for badminton for future DHS Country Week badminton competition.

Lily Buttrose  
 Competition Manager 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2016

## NATIONAL TOURNAMENTS

### Val Nesbitt Trophy and U'15 Championships

Title of Competition	Val Nesbitt Trophy & Australian U15 Championships
Dates	28/9-6/10
Event Director	Fiona Dunbar-Smith
Event Referee	Carolyn Poon Toh
Venue	Darwin Badminton Centre, Winellie
Country/Town	Darwin Australia

**COACH:** Nick Kidd  
**MANAGER:** Ian Bridge  
**UMPIRE:** Lily Buttrose

<b>PLAYERS: Male</b>	<b>PLAYERS: Female</b>
Jonny Kok	Alicia Xu
Theodore Kang	Bernice Teoh
Jackie Zheng	Anjali Bhujun

### TEAM RESULTS:

Match	Team	Rubbers	Games	Points		Team	Rubbers	Games	Points
1	WA	4	9	331	v	Victoria	4	9	337
2	WA	0	1	215	v	NSW Lightning	8	16	349
3	WA	6	13	384	v	South Australia	2	7	363
4	WA	5	11	289	v	NSW Thunder	3	6	264

#### Comment on Team performance.

The team had two players new to national competition (Jonny Kok and Anjali Bhujun), while the other four team members had competed in the U17 national event earlier in the year. Alicia Xu, in particular is quite an experienced State Team member.

The team played well in patches but were not consistent enough and lost many easy points in some matches. The Coach and I spoke on the importance of playing for every point but I do not think the players took us seriously until they lost a match by four points to Victoria. This will be an important learning experience to take into future events.

If we had won the match against Victoria it would have resulted in us playing in the semi finals. Instead we had to play for 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> or 7<sup>th</sup> position. Fortunately we played NSW Lightning and beat them convincingly which resulted in us finishing fifth, not the result we had hoped to achieve.



### INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIPS: RESULTS

NAME OF PLAYER	RESULTS
Jonny Kok	<b>Singles:</b> Reached QF <b>Doubles:</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> round loss Plate SF <b>Mixed Doubles:</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> round loss Plate SF ( Bye in round 1 and2)
Theodore Kang	<b>Singles:</b> Reached 2 <sup>st</sup> round (Bye in 1 <sup>st</sup> ) <b>Doubles:</b> SF with Pascal Souksavat <b>Mixed Doubles:</b> Semi final
Jackie Zheng	<b>Singles:</b> Reached 2 <sup>nd</sup> round <b>Doubles:</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> round loss Plate SF <b>Mixed doubles:</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> round loss Plate QF
Alicia Xu	<b>Singles:</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> round loss Plate QF ( Bye in round 1 and 2) <b>Doubles:</b> Reached 2 <sup>nd</sup> round Plate Final ( loss) <b>Mixed Doubles:</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> round Plate QF
Bernice Teoh	<b>Singles:</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> round loss Plate 2 <sup>nd</sup> round (Bye 1 <sup>st</sup> round) <b>Doubles:</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> round loss Plate 2 <sup>nd</sup> round (Bye 1 <sup>st</sup> round) <b>Mixed Doubles:</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> round
Anjali Bhujun	<b>Singles:</b> 2nd round loss (Bye 1 <sup>st</sup> ) Plate QF <b>Doubles:</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> round loss Plate QF <b>Mixed Doubles:</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> round loss Plate SF ( Bye in round 1 and 2)

This small group needed to develop a more positive team culture. They tended to be individually focused which may be partially due to their inexperience and youth. At times a more mature approach to time keeping and handling on court disappointment was needed.

The heat was oppressive at times and all players found this quite challenging.



## June Bevan Trophy and Australasian Junior Championships

### 2016 JUNE BEVAN TROPHY

The June Bevan Trophy is a major event on the Badminton Australia calendar. It brings together the top juniors across Australia, New Zealand and the Oceania Region for eight full days of competition and showcases those juniors who are destined to represent their countries in the future.

The WA Committee spent eight months preparing for the event, held numerous meetings and planning sessions and covered all the bases in their endeavour to make this the ‘best ever’ June Bevan event. Held at the Kingsway Indoor Stadium from the 26<sup>th</sup> March to 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2016, with the Board room and Function room being hired as required.

The **Committee** consisted of:

Referee:	Don Stockins OAM
Technical Officer:	Eugene Glazman
Event Director:	Bruce Napier
Assistant Event Director:	Mark Duxbury
Members:	Dianne Booth, Trevor Briedis, Samuel Fan, Neal Miranda, Annie Sim, Trish Turner.
Task Assistant:	Winston Allen
Pro Shop:	Andrew Chai

### OPENING CEREMONY

This was a formal affair with teams being introduced as they entered the arena. A number of VIPS’s were present, including Ms Geraldine Brown, the President of Badminton Australia and Badminton WA’s Patron, Ms Tracey Roberts, Mayor of Wanneroo.

The Player’s Oath was taken jointly by the WA Captains, Kai Chen Teoh & Bella Yutong Liu.

Following the ceremony a VIP Function and Players function was held to get the week underway.

### TEAM EVENT ENTRIES

#### **AUSTRALIA:**

Western Australia (Wasps)  
Western Australia (Scorpions).  
Geraldton WA  
Victoria Demons  
Victoria Rebels  
New South Wales Thunder  
New South Wales Lightning  
South Australia  
The Territories (ACT/NT)

#### **NEW ZEALAND:**

Central New Zealand 1  
Mainland New Zealand



## TEAM RESULTS

Team matches were keenly contested throughout the event, with some very close results. The format was as per the Bylaws and the Draw, was conducted by the Technical Officer, Eugene Glazman, in consultation with the Referee, Don Stockins.

The Gold Medal match between WA Wasps and New South Wales Thunder exhibited some very good matches, finishing at 5-11 in favour of New South Wales. Ms Geraldine Brown (President of Badminton Australia) presented the June Bevan Trophy the Gold Medallions. Silver Medallions were presented by Dr Judith Cousins (President Badminton Western Australia) with the Bronze Medallions being presented by Marianne Loh, a member of the Badminton Australia Junior Development Committee.

FINAL PLACINGS	TEAM	MEDALS
1	NEW SOUTH WALES THUNDER	GOLD
2	WESTERN AUSTRALIA WASPS	SILVER
3	VICTORIA REBELS	BRONZE
4	NEW SOUTH WALES LIGHTNING	
5	VICTORIA DEMONS	
6	MAINLAND NEW ZEALAND	
7	CENTRAL NEW ZEALAND	
8	SOUTH AUSTRALIA	
9	WESTERN AUSTRALIA SCORPIONS	
10	THE TERRITORIES	
11	GERALDTON WA	

The Gold, Silver and Bronze medallions were presented to the players at the conclusion of the Team Events, with the New South Wales Thunder Captain accepting the June Bevan Trophy.

The end of the Team event had everyone keenly anticipating the Australasian U17 Junior Championships which commenced the next morning.

Bruce Napier  
 April, 2016

## AUSTRALASIAN U17 CHAMPIONSHIPS

Following the June Bevan Trophy Team event the Individual Championships commenced.

Total entries:

Boys Singles	54
Girls Singles	54
Boy's Doubles	27
Girls' Doubles	26
Mixed Doubles	52

A selection committee, as identified by By-law 8.3 provided the Referee with the seeding's to enable the draw to be completed on the Tuesday afternoon. The draw was done using Tournament Planner Software under the supervision of the Referee.

Plate matches commenced on the Wednesday afternoon, with finals played simultaneously with the main event semi finals on Friday.

There were many hard fought matches with close results. For WA the winning of the “triple crown” by Kai Chen Teoh was an excellent outcome for both the player and the State. Also having WA players in all three disciplines contesting the main or plate finals was an excellent result.

## RESULTS

EVENT	WINNER	R/UP	PLATE WINNER
BOYS SINGLES	Kai Chen Teoh (WA)	Charlie Jap (VIC)	Rio Augustino (NSW)
GIRLS SINGLES	Sasha Lim (VIC)	Zecily Fung (NSW)	Alicia Xu (WA)
BOYS DOUBLES	Kai Chen Teoh & Milain Lohith Ranasinghe (WA)	Jason Lee & Sunyee Zheng (WA)	Lik De Chun & Tianyi Xie (Central NZ)
GIRLS DOUBLES	Victoria He & Jodee Vega (NSW)	Maggie Chan & Celeste Lee (NSW)	Katrina Cadiz Garing & Daphne Wan (WA)
MIXED DOUBLES	Kai Chen Teoh & Bella Yutong Liu (WA)	Stephen Kim & Victoria He (NSW)	Arrick Jia Yang Ang & Jenny Zhu (NSW / Mainland NZ)

## VAL NESBITT SPORTSMANSHIP TROPHY

The player of the carnival, based on sportsmanship, personality, court demeanour, playing ability and appearance, was judged to be **Louise Bradford** of Western Australia.

Bruce Napier  
 Event Director

## WA STATE TEAM REPORT- TEAM: WA WASPS: Year: 2016

<b>STAFF:</b>	
<b>COACH</b>	Zheng Yuli
<b>MANAGER</b>	Kay Terry
<b>UMPIRE</b>	Kelly Hoare

<b>PLAYERS: Male</b>	<b>PLAYERS: Female</b>
Kai Chen Teoh	Bella Yutong Liu
Milain Ranasinghe	GerimayNicolas
Sunyee Zheng	Katrina Garing
Jason Lee	Daphne Wan
Romy Puhalovich	Louise Bradford

Travel: Airline	N/A
Date of departure	N/A
Date of return	N/A
Name of accommodation	Kingsway Caravan Park (4 nights)
Comment	This accommodation was suitable in situation and price.

### TEAM RESULTS:

Match	Team	Rubbers	Games	Points		Team	Rubbers	Games	Points
1 WON	WA	14	29	747	V	Vic Demons	2	8	536
2 WON	WA	16	32	672	V	Geraldton	0	0	219
3 WON	WA	16	32	672	V	Territories	0	0	314
4 LOST	WA	7	17	627	V	NSW Thunder	9	20	675
5 WON	WA	16	32	676	V	NZ Mainland	0	0	390
5 SEMI FINAL	WA	10	23	690	V	Vic Rebels	6	13	640
6 FINAL	WA	5	10	525	V	NSW Thunder	11	24	636

### Comment on Team performance.

**Team won the SILVER MEDAL.** This was an excellent performance with all players contributing to this success. The semi-final against Vic Rebels was an exciting match with WA taking out a decisive victory. The Final, a re-match against NSW Thunder, saw three close matches, which if they had gone our way would have made this a tight affair, however Thunder proved too strong.



## INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIPS: RESULTS

NAME OF PLAYER	RESULTS
<b>Kai Chen Teoh</b>	Singles: <b>WON THE TITLE</b> Doubles: <b>WON THE TITLE</b> – with Milain Ranasinghe Mixed Doubles: <b>WON THE TITLE</b> – with Bella Liu
Milain Ranasinghe	Singles: Reached 3 <sup>rd</sup> Round Doubles: <b>WON THE TITLE</b> - with Kai Chen Teoh Mixed Doubles: Reached 3 <sup>rd</sup> round
Sunyee Zheng	Singles: <b>Losing Semi Finalist</b> Doubles: Runner -Up Mixed Doubles: Reached Round 2
Jason Lee	Singles: Losing Semi Finalist Doubles: Runner Up Mixed Doubles: DNP
Romy Puhlovich	Singles: Lost Round 1 Doubles: Reached Round 2 Mixed Doubles: Losing Q/F
Bella Liu	Singles: <b>Losing Semi-Finalist</b> Doubles: <b>Losing Semi Finalist</b> Mixed Doubles: <b>WON THE TITLE</b> - with Kai Chen Teoh
Gerimay Nicolas ( <i>Did not play</i> )	Singles: Doubles: Mixed Doubles:
Katrina Garing	Singles: Reached Round 3 Doubles: <b>WON CONSOLATION PLATE</b> - with Daphne Wan Mixed Doubles: Losing Quarter Finalist
Daphne Wan	Singles: Lost Round 1 Doubles: <b>WON PLATE</b> - with Katrina Garing Mixed Doubles: Lost Round 1
Louise Bradford	Singles: Lost Round 1 Doubles: Lost Round 1 Mixed Doubles: Lost Round 1

### General Comment:

Louise Bradford was awarded the June Bevan Sportsmanship Trophy.

The Individual results were excellent, bringing home three of the five Championship titles and two of the Plate Finals.

Kai Chen Teoh's effort in winning the Triple Crown was outstanding.

Signed:

Coach: Yuli Zheng

Manager: Kay Terry

Date: 9th April, 2016



## WA STATE TEAM REPORT- TEAM: WA SCORPIONS Year: 2016

<b>STAFF:</b>	
<b>COACH</b>	Ryan Lin
<b>MANAGER</b>	Jazton Tan
<b>UMPIRE</b>	Greg Vellacott

<b>PLAYERS: Male</b>	<b>PLAYERS: Female</b>
Ryan Tan	Alicia Xu
Marcus Chan	Jasmine Tan
Rupert Kang	Janice Tan
Theodore Kang	Bernice Teoh
Damien Wan	Katie Zhang
Jackie Zheng	

### TEAM RESULTS: WA SCORPIONS

Match	Team	Rubbers	Games	Points		Team	Rubbers	Games	Points
1 LOST	WA	1	3	445	V	Vic Rebels	15	30	680
2 LOST	WA	4	12	590	V	Central NZ	12	25	698
3 LOST	WA	6	15	653	V	South Australia	10	23	671
4 LOST	WA	7	17	627	V	NSW Thunder	9	20	675
5 LOST	WA	4	11	605	V	NSW Lightning	12	26	717
5 SEMI FINAL	WA	8	18	647	V	Territories	8	17	629
6 FINAL	WA	16	32	710	V	Geraldton	0	2	392

#### Comment on Team performance.

The team came 9<sup>th</sup> out of 11 teams. This is a satisfactory result as the team was a development one and was filled with relatively young players. It was encouraging that the players tried their hardest to win all their games regardless of how strong their opponents were.



**INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIPS: RESULTS**

<b>NAME OF PLAYER</b>	<b>RESULTS</b>
Ryan Tan	Singles: Reached Round 2 Doubles: Reached Round 2 Mixed Doubles: Reached Plate Round 3
Rupert Kang	Singles: Reached Plate Round 3 Doubles: Reached Plate Round 2 Mixed Doubles: DNP
Marcus Chan	Singles: Reached Round 2 Doubles: DNP Mixed Doubles: Reached Plate Round 2
Theodore Kang	Singles: Reached Plate Round 2 Doubles: Reached Plate Round 2 Mixed Doubles: Reached Plate Round 1
Damien Wan	Singles: Reached Plate Round 1 Doubles: Reached Plate Round 1 Mixed Doubles: Reached Plate Round 1
Jackie Zheng	Singles: DNP Doubles: Reached Plate Round 1 Mixed Doubles: DNP
Alicia Xu	Singles: Won Plate Doubles: Reached Plate Round 1 Mixed Doubles: Reached Plate Round 2
Jasmine Tan	Singles: Reached Round 2 Doubles: Reached Plate Round 3 Mixed Doubles: Reached Round 3
Janice Tan	Singles: Reached Round 2 Doubles: Reached Plate Round 3 Mixed Doubles: Lost Plate Round 1
Bernice Teoh	Singles: Reached Round 2 Doubles: DNP Mixed Doubles: DNP
Katie Zhang	Singles: Reached Plate Round 1 Doubles: Reached Round 1 Mixed Doubles: DNP

**General Comment:**

Everybody participated to the best of their abilities and graciously accepted their losses in the knowledge that it was a tournament to gain experience in a National Event. All the team members' co-operated with each other and played as directed by the Coach.

The team was happy with how they played and left everything on the courts.

The Coach and Manager believe that this team behaved well, played hard and did as expected for a predominantly young team.

Signed:

Coach: Ryan Lin

Manager: Jazton Tan

Date: 9th April, 2016

## CP Maddern Trophy and Australasian U19 Championships

Dates	1 July – 7 July 2016
Event Director	Michael Chen
Event Referee	Andrew Greenway
Venue	Sydney Olympic Park Sports Halls
Country/Town	Australia/Sydney

<b>STAFF:</b>	
<b>COACH</b>	Ryan Lin
<b>MANAGER</b>	Yuanqi Tay
<b>UMPIRE</b>	Anita Diep

<b>PLAYERS: Male</b>	<b>PLAYERS: Female</b>
Ying Xiang Lin	Alicia Xu
Kai Chen Teoh	Celina Chen (NSW)
Tyzton Tan	Amelia Lowe (NSW)
Sunyee Zheng	Phoebe Ooi (NSW)
Jasper Tan	
Jason Lee	

Travel: Airline	Qantas
Date of departure	29 June 2016
Date of return	7 July 2016
Name of accommodation	AMG Motel & Serviced Apartments
Comment	This accommodation was cockroach infested and kitchen appliances were in a sorry state. The beddings were also unclean. Would not recommend this place for future teams. It is, however, understood that it was peak season in the area due to other events.

### TEAM RESULTS:

Match	Team	Rubbers	Games	Points		Team	Rubbers	Games	Points
1	WA	6	14	582	V	NSW Thunder	10	23	668
2	WA	4	12	554	V	Victoria	12	25	692
3	WA	13	28	719	V	South Australia	3	9	562
4	WA	10	22	675	V	NSW Lightning	6	15	617
5	WA	14	28	653	V	Tasmania	2	4	422

### Comment on Team performance:

There were insufficient nominations from girls to form a WA team. Three girls from NSW joined the group. The girls in our team were quite young and inexperienced and it was tough for them to win games over older more experienced opponents. The boys, being more experienced were able to provide good support to the girls. All the players displayed good sportsmanship throughout the team matches. **The team won the Bronze medal, an excellent result.**



**INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIPS: RESULTS**

<b>NAME OF PLAYER</b>	<b>RESULTS</b>
Ying Xiang Lin	<b>Singles:</b> Champion <b>Doubles:</b> Champion with Tyzton Tan <b>Mixed Doubles:</b> Runner-up with Victoria He (NSW)
Kai Chen Teoh	<b>Singles:</b> Runner-up <b>Doubles:</b> Round 3 with Jason Lee <b>Mixed Doubles:</b> Quarter Finals with Zecily Fung (NSW)
Tyzton Tan	<b>Singles:</b> Quarter Finals <b>Doubles:</b> Champion with Ying Xiang Lin <b>Mixed Doubles:</b> Round 2 with Jodee Vega (NSW)
Sunye Zheng	<b>Singles:</b> Round 3 <b>Doubles:</b> Round 3 with Jasper Tan <b>Mixed Doubles:</b> Did Not Play
Jasper Tan	<b>Singles:</b> Round 3 <b>Doubles:</b> Round 3 with Sunyee Zheng <b>Mixed Doubles:</b> Quarter Finals with Charis Ho (NSW)
Jason Lee	<b>Singles:</b> Round 2 <b>Doubles:</b> Round 3 with Kai Chen Teoh <b>Mixed Doubles:</b> Did Not Play
Alicia Xu	<b>Singles:</b> Round 1 <b>Doubles:</b> Semi Finals (Consolation) with Rebekah Thomas (TAS) <b>Mixed Doubles:</b> Semi Finals (Consolation) with Tyler Pickles (NSW)
Celina Chen	<b>Singles:</b> Round 1 <b>Doubles:</b> Quarter Finals with Rachel Li (NSW) <b>Mixed Doubles:</b> Round 1 with Ethan Chen (NSW)
Amelia Lowe	<b>Singles:</b> Round 3 <b>Doubles:</b> Runner up with Majan Almazan (NSW) <b>Mixed Doubles:</b> Round 1 with Chze Lim (VIC)
Phoebe Ooi	<b>Singles:</b> Did Not Play <b>Doubles:</b> Did Not Play <b>Mixed Doubles:</b> Did Not Play

**General Comments**

Xiang and Tyzton performed very well in this tournament. They won the Gold medal and the National Under 19 Men's Doubles title.

It was also nice to see an all WA Men's Singles finals, with Xiang and Kai Chen in contention for the title. Xiang won the match, the gold medal and the National Under 19 Men's Singles Champion title.

Xiang was in contention of a triple crown, but narrowly lost in the XD finals.

It was slightly challenging for our players who played in XD as there were no opportunities to practice with their inter-state partners. We thank Celina, Amelia, and Phoebe for joining the WA team. Their efforts through the tournament were commendable.

## Australasian Ladies Championships (Atalanta Jamboree)

### 34<sup>th</sup> AUSTRALASIAN LADIES BADMINTON CHAMPIONSHIPS

EVENT	ATALANTA JAMBOREE
DATE OF EVENT	Sunday 16 <sup>th</sup> Oct- Saturday 22 <sup>nd</sup> Oct
LOCATION	Kingsway Indoor Stadium
ORGANISERS	Event Directors: Trish Turner, Cheryl Coles, Referee/Technical Officer: Val Nesbitt Committee: Winston Allen, Alison Morrison, Natasha Kalisch, Lilian Dinardo, Marie Mason, Trang Hayes
INVITATIONS	Australian and New Zealand Women's Clubs
ACTIVE PARTICIPANTS	59 teams 295 players

#### INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

A GRADE Winners Wanchee Koh & Judith Barnitt	Runner-Up: Bernie Clutterbuck & Melanie Boston
B GRADE Winners Renae Simpson & Rebecca Lees	Runner-Up: Sumi Krishnan & Joyce Chamberlain
C GRADE Winners Barbara Ugle & Many Brindley	Runner-Up: Cherie Bolton & Bimi Singh
D GRADE Winners Cheryl Taylor & Marg Burke	Runner-Up: Teresa Aleksandrowica & Peg Fenton

#### BEST TOURNAMENT PERFORMANCE: CAROL RICHARDS (SA)

#### TEAM RESULTS- in finishing order

<b>A GRADE</b> <b><u>Coastal Swans (WA)</u></b> Flaming Feather (WA)	<b>B1 GRADE</b> <b><u>SA Hotshots (SA)</u></b> Valley Girls (NZ) Rifles Racketeers (NZ) Coastal Redtails (WA)	<b>B2 GRADE</b> <b><u>Stressheads (Vic)</u></b> Red Hot Chicks (NZ) Phoenix 1 (Vic) Hinemoa Hawks (NZ) Country Vics (Vic)
<b>B3 GRADE</b> <b><u>Pink Doves (WA)</u></b> Coastal Eagles (WA) Defying Gravity (NZ) Guess Who (Vic) The Tarts (Vic)	<b>C1 GRADE</b> <b><u>Geelong Cats (Vic)</u></b> SA Pharoahs (SA) Devon Diamonds (Tas) Sunbury Mixtures (Vic) Macedon Mystics (Vic) Hinemoa Ferns (NZ)	<b>C2 GRADE</b> <b><u>Everlastings (WA)</u></b> Coastal Quokkas (WA) Geelong Kittens (Vic) Murray Mania (Vic) Tassie Tortoises (Tas)
<b>C3 GRADE</b> <b><u>Midwest Wildflowers (WA)</u></b> Murray Darlings (Vic) Coastal Wrens (WA) Northern Express (Tas) Thornybirds (Vic) Counties Kiwis (NZ)	<b>C4 GRADE</b> <b><u>Allsorts (Vic)</u></b> Southerly Busters (Tas) Phoenix 2 (Vic) NT Barras (NT) Cool Cookies (Tas)	<b>D1 GRADE</b> <b><u>Crystal Bees (Vic)</u></b> Macedon Mains (Vic) Abrolhos Pearls (WA) Tok Dolls (NZ) Thomastown Strikers (Vic)
<b>D2 GRADE</b> <b><u>SA Cleos (SA)</u></b> Ballarat Owls (Vic) Northern Lights (Vic) Armadale (WA) Geelong Tigers (Vic)	<b>D3 GRADE</b> <b><u>Spice Girls (Vic)</u></b> Port Augusta 1 (SA) NT Brolgas (NT) Uniques (Qld/WA) Tassie Tigers (Tas)	<b>D4 GRADE</b> <b><u>Port Augusts 2 (SA)</u></b> Murray Mudlarks (Vic) Majentas (Vic) Hinemoa Mahik (NZ) SA Guards (SA)



# Financial Report

The Badminton Association of Western Australia (Incorporated)

ABN 34 245 256 670

**Audit Report and Financial Statements**

For the year ended 31 December 2016

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## Independent Auditor's Report

To the Board members of The Badminton Association of Western Australia (Inc.):

### Scope

We have examined the financial statements, being a special purpose financial report of the Badminton Association of Western Australia Incorporated for the period from 1 January 2016 to 31 December 2016. The members of the governing body are responsible for the preparation and presentation of the financial statements and the information contained therein. In this case, we have prepared the financial statements as

We have conducted an independent audit of these financial statements in order to express an opinion on it. No opinion is expressed as to whether the accounting policies used are appropriate to the needs of members.

The financial statements have been prepared for distribution to members of the Association. We disclaim any assumption of responsibility for any reliance on this report or on the financial statements to which it relates to any person other than the members, or for any purpose other than that which it was prepared.

The examination has been conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards applicable to the audit of special purpose financial statements. Our procedures included examination, on a test basis, of evidence supporting the amounts and other disclosures in the financial statements, and significant estimates. The procedures have been undertaken to form an opinion as to whether, in all material respects, the financial statements are presented fairly in accordance with the financial policies as set out in the association constitution. The policies do not require the application of all accounting standards. The opinion expressed in this report has been formed on the above basis.

### Independence

I am independent of the Association, and have complied with the independence requirements of the Australian professional accounting bodies.

### Audit Opinion

In our opinion, other than issues related to internal control of collection and depositing of funds and the verifiability of payments to individuals, we can verify that the financial reports are in accordance with the Associations Incorporations Act 2015 and the financial policies as set out in the association constitution including:

- giving a true and fair view of the Associations' financial position as at 31 December 2016 and of its performance for the year ended on that date.

Kind Regards,

Date: 1<sup>st</sup> March 2017

Auditor: Violette Schreiber

MAS, FIPA

Signature: 

**The Badminton Association of Western Australia (Inc.)**

ABN 34 245 256 670

**Balance Sheet**

As of December 2016

	Notes	2016	2015
		\$	\$
<b>ASSETS</b>			
<b>Current Assets</b>			
Cash and cash equivalent	2	304,231	323,655
Accounts Receivable	3	41,431	48,982
Stock		1,016	1,253
Prepayments		21,262	0
Security Bonds and Deposits		50	0
<b>Total Current Assets</b>		<b>\$367,990</b>	<b>\$373,890</b>
<b>Non-Current Assets</b>			
Plant and Equipment	4	4,110	5,132
<b>Total Non-Current Assets</b>		<b>\$4,110</b>	<b>\$5,132</b>
<b>Total Assets</b>		<b>\$372,100</b>	<b>\$379,022</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>			
<b>Current Liabilities</b>			
Accounts Payable		28,383	3,807
Accrued Expenses		3,294	0
GST Liabilities		(1,517)	340
Payroll Liabilities		6,611	7,159
Revenue Received in Advance		13,183	21,863
Other Current Liabilities		0	3,750
<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>		<b>\$49,954</b>	<b>\$36,919</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>		<b>\$49,954</b>	<b>\$36,919</b>
<b>NET ASSETS</b>		<b>\$322,146</b>	<b>\$342,103</b>
<b>EQUITY</b>			
Accumulated members' funds	5	320,432	340,221
Court officials reserve		1,714	1,882
<b>TOTAL EQUITY</b>		<b>\$322,146</b>	<b>\$342,103</b>

**The Badminton Association of Western Australia (Inc.)**  
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**Income & Expenditure Statement**

For the year ended 31 December 2016

	Notes	2016 \$	2015 \$
<b>INCOME</b>			
Grants	6	156,246	131,616
Income from events & activities		157,526	73,538
Affiliation & player registration fees		47,610	50,574
Administration Recoups		4,700	1,800
Interest received		6,234	9,252
Other income		1,619	1,943
<b>TOTAL INCOME</b>		<b>\$373,936</b>	<b>\$268,722</b>
<b>EXPENDITURE</b>			
Expenditure from events and activities		233,293	136,915
Depreciation - Plan and Equipment		1,629	1,867
Honorariums		(250)	1,500
Insurance expenses		19,293	19,923
Membership expenses		18,666	18,979
Office expenses		8,580	8,967
Board & CEO Expenses		1,497	2,698
Payroll expenses		97,060	91,785
Other expenses		13,955	7,872
<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURE</b>		<b>\$393,724</b>	<b>\$290,506</b>
<b>Surplus / (Deficit)</b>		<b>(\$19,789)</b>	<b>(\$21,784)</b>

**The Badminton Association of Western Australia (Inc.)**  
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**Statement of Changes in Equity**

For the year ended 31 December 2016

	Note	Accumulated Members' Funds \$	Court officials reserve \$	Total \$
<b>CHANGES IN EQUITY</b>				
Opening balance as at 1 January 2015		362,005	2,048	364,053
Add / (Deduct) surplus / (deficit) for the year		(21,784)	-	(21,784)
Add / (Deduct) increase / (decrease) in Reserves for the year		-	(166)	(166)
<b>Closing balance as at 31 December 2015</b>		<b>\$340,221</b>	<b>\$1,882</b>	<b>\$342,103</b>
Opening balance as at 1 January 2016		340,221	1,882	342,103
Add / (Deduct) surplus / (deficit) for the year		(19,789)	-	
Add / (Deduct) increase / (decrease) in Reserves for the year		-	(168)	(168)
<b>Closing balance as at 31 December 2016</b>		<b>\$320,432</b>	<b>\$1,714</b>	<b>\$322,146</b>

**The Badminton Association of Western Australia (Inc.)**  
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## Notes to the Financial Statements

For the year ended 31 December 2016

### Note 1: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The financial statements are prepared on the basis that The Badminton Association of Western Australia (Inc.) (the "Association") is a non-reporting entity. The financial report is therefore a special purpose financial report that has been prepared in order to meet the requirements of the Association's Constitution, Australian Accounting Standards and other authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board.

These financial report has been prepared in accordance with the following Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations and the disclosure requirements:

- AASB 101, Presentation of Financial Statements
- AASB 108, Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors
- AASB 1031, Materiality
- AASB 1048, Interpretation of Standards
- AASB 1054, Australian Additional Disclosures.

The financial report covers The Badminton Association of Western Australia (Inc.) as an individual entity. The Badminton Association of Western Australia (Inc.) is incorporated in and domiciled in Western Australia under the State's Associations Incorporation Act 1987.

The financial report has been prepared on an accruals basis on historic costs and does not take into account changing money values or, except where stated, current valuations of non-current assets. Cost is based on the fair values of the consideration given in exchange for assets.

The following is a summary of the significant accounting policies adopted by the Association in the preparation of the financial report. The accounting policies have been consistently applied unless otherwise stated.

### Property, plant & equipment

The Association's fixed assets are office equipment and are brought to account at cost, less where applicable, any accumulated depreciation or amortisation.

The depreciable amount of all fixed assets is depreciated on a straight-line basis over their useful lives to the Association commencing from the time the asset is held ready for use.

The depreciation rates used for each class of depreciable asset are:

Class of Asset: Office equipment

Depreciation rate: 20%

### Income tax

The Association is exempt from payment of income tax under Subdivision 50-B of the Income Tax Assessment Act 1997.

### Employee entitlements

Provision is made for the liability for employee entitlements on the following basis:

- Annual leave - statutory or contracted entitlement is provided for;
  - Long service leave - statutory or contracted entitlement is provided for;
- As at 31 December 2016, there was no liability for unused annual leave and was no long service leave liability.
- Sick or other leave - there are no sick or other leave entitlements that accrued as a monetary entitlement and therefore there is no provision has been established.
  - Contributions required under the Superannuation Guarantee legislation are charged as expenses when incurred and remitted to the employee as required by law.

### Revenue

A number of the Association's programs are supported by grants received from the federal, state and local governments.

If conditions are attached to a grant, which must be satisfied before the Association is eligible to receive the contribution, recognition of the grant as revenue is deferred until those conditions are satisfied.

Revenue from the sales of goods is recognized upon the delivery of goods to customers.

Revenue from the rendering of a service is recognized when the amount of revenue can be measured reliably, collection is probable, the costs incurred or to be incurred can be measured reliably, and when the criteria for each of the Association's different activities have been met.

Interest revenue is recognized on a proportional 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).

### Cash

For the purpose of the statement of cash flows, cash includes cash on hand and at call deposits with banks or financial institutions.

<b>Note 2: Cash and cash equivalent</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2015</b>
	\$	\$
Main Bank Account 100559328	2327	3508
ING BusinessOptimiser 60704585	300786	319553
PayPal Account A7XZWCXFLTBFJ	119	478
Petty Cash	487	115
Undeposited Funds	512	0
	<b>\$304,231</b>	<b>\$323,655</b>

<b>Note 3: Accounts Receivable</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2015</b>
	\$	\$
Accounts Receivable	3504	6090
Other debtors	37,927	42,892
	<b>\$41,431.04</b>	<b>\$48,982.42</b>

<b>Note 4: Property, plant &amp; equipment</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2015</b>
	\$	\$
Office Equipment At Cost	8,432	9,015
Office Equipment Accum Dep'n	(5,345)	(5,271)
	<b>\$3,087</b>	<b>\$3,744</b>
Other Equipment at Cost	1,827	1,827
Other Equipment Accum Dep'n	(804)	(439)
	<b>\$1,023</b>	<b>\$1,388</b>
	<b>\$4,110</b>	<b>\$5,132</b>

<b>Note 5: Accumulated members' funds</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2015</b>
	\$	\$
Retained Surplus/(Losses)	340,221	362,005
Current Year Surplus/(Deficit)	(19,789)	(21,784)
	<b>\$320,432</b>	<b>\$340,221</b>

<b>Notes 6: Grant revenue</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2015</b>
	\$	\$
Department of Sport & Recreation (DSR)		
DSR OSP (Governance) Grant	75,000	75,000
DSR Inclusivity Grant	15,820	7,999
DSR Other Grants	10,860	13,909
<b>Total DSR Grants</b>	<b>\$101,680</b>	<b>\$96,908</b>
Healthway Grant	25,000	25,000
BA CALD Program	0	7,500
BA Participation Grant	25,000	0
Para-Badminton Grants	4,167	833
City of Wanneroo Grants	0	1,374
Kidsport Grant	400	
	<b>\$156,246</b>	<b>\$131,616</b>

## Notes to the Financial Statements