

Annual Report 2011

ACT Veterans Athletic Club Inc.

Annual General Meeting

Tuesday, 24 May 2011



MISSION STATEMENT OF THE ACTVAC INC.

“The ACTVAC Inc., is a state controlling body for veterans athletics in the Australian Capital Territory and surrounding districts. The aims are to provide opportunities for participation in a wide variety of athletic pursuits. As a club we represent the interest of members of government, other sporting organisations and to the Australian Masters Athletics.”

2010/2011 CLUB ADMINISTRATION

Patron:	Jack Pennington
President:	Rachelle Ellis-Brownlee
Vice-President:	Craig Wisdom
Secretary:	Paul Archer
Treasurer:	Nick Blackaby
Committee:	Duncan Macnicol Kathy Sims Christopher Lang Roger Pilkington Janene Kingston Heidi Johnston

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From 7.30pm Tuesday 24 May 2011
Belconnen Soccer Club
Cnr Belconnen Way and Springvale Drive, Hawker ACT

Agenda

1. Welcome
2. Apologies
3. Adoption of the agenda
4. Minutes of the 2010 Annual General Meeting
5. Reports
 - President's report
 - Secretary's report
 - Treasurer's report
6. Election of office bearers
 - Patron
 - President
 - Vice-President
 - Secretary
 - Treasurer
 - Committee
7. General business
8. Close

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

The ACT Veterans' Athletic Club had another good year in 2010-2011. Launching the year following the judicious stewardship of the President for the previous three years, Christopher Lang, the club delivered an impressive number and range of athletic events and activities for members and the community at large. A number of strategic projects in core functional areas were significantly advanced, new members were welcomed and others mentored in key roles to implement critical succession plans, a dedicated and harmonious framework of volunteer committees was maintained, and the club remains in a healthy financial position despite the increasing challenges of the tight fiscal environment.

ACTVAC conducted another extended "summer" Track and Field season, actually running for 24 weeks from mid-October right through to the AMA National Championships in Brisbane 21-24 April 2011. This was an outstanding achievement by a sub-committee of only two members, Chaired by Ken Smith, new to the organisation of such complex and technical programs, and Jayne Hardy who performs many expert functions for the club, including Equipment Officer. The Competition Sub-committee was greatly assisted by the club's Competition Manager Neil Boden, and members of the executive Committee. ACTVAC's annual Track and Field Championships were again a combination of events conducted during the regular Thursday evening competition, and jointly with Athletics ACT across a 3 day weekend, providing access to the required qualified officials and to share the significant costs. At the very close of the reporting year, the resurrection of a full strength and experienced Competition Sub-committee, lacking for the past two years, bodes well for the club.

Along with the regular Track and Field nights, ACTVAC held: successful Track and Field Come N Try nights; AMA Postal Relays; joint competitions with AACT; an end of year Carnival Night; Vets Half Marathon; Sprint Marathon Relays; AMA Winter Throwing Championships; and ACTVAC Cross Country Championships jointly with AACT. ACTVAC assisted with the High Noon meets, was again a proud supporter of the Annual Women's and Girls' Fun Run (presenting age graded medals for over 30s), and joined with the Canberra running community to help bring the inaugural Australian Running Festival, featuring the Canberra Marathon, to fruition. ACTVAC provided many volunteers for the Marathon, representing the club and the Canberra community in a nationally popular event, and with the new organisation of the festival this is expected to provide financial benefit to the club and an ongoing partnership. ACTVAC assisted at the Australian selection trials for the 2011 World Cross Country Trials.

Central to the achievement of the ACTVAC mission, the club conducted Monthly Run/Walk Handicaps and Throwing Handicaps, including end of year celebrations and the presentations of related Annual Awards. Concomitant with many opportunities for local competition, the club provided an extensive range of organised training groups and expert advice to the new starter and the world class alike. ACTVAC conducted many well-attended training groups for sprints, middle and long distance running, hurdles, jumps, throws, walks, deep-water running, and strength and conditioning. Beneficiaries of these training groups successfully represented ACTVAC at interstate and National Competition, and represented Australia in international competition.

Strategically and structurally, the year was a busy one for ACTVAC with extant projects being significantly progressed.

Membership numbers for 2010-11 have remained stable from the 2009-10 reporting period: at April 2011 ACTVAC had 488 members compared with 491 at April 2010; at December 2010 there were 521 members compared with 524 at December 2009.

Due to the ACTVAC annual reporting and financial year differing to the membership year, the following analysis of membership data is based on data available as at December 2010, and compared to November 2009. (November 2009 figures are indicated in brackets in the following analysis.) ACTVAC continues to have a moderately higher proportion of male to female members, being 59.5% (60%) to 40.5% (39.5%). The age and gender cohorts in order from the highest to lowest proportion of total membership are as follows: M50-69 35% (33%); F50-69 22% (21.5%); M30-49 14% (16.5%); F30-49 14% (14.5%); M70+ 11% (10.5%); F70+ 4% (3.5%). That is, more than half of the membership- 57% (54.5%)- is aged 50-69 years old, and 72% (68.5%) is aged 50 years or over.

A comparison of the 2010 and 2009 data could forecast continuation of a previously identified trend whereby the proportion of members aged 50-69 is increasing and those 30-49 and over 70

is decreasing. As previously articulated by Christopher Lang and the retiring Chair of the Member Services Sub-Committee Geoff Moore, the attraction of members in the younger age groups is critical to the longevity and prosperity of the club. This requirement also impacts on *how* ACTVAC needs to identify and deliver its services. The Committee has worked hard on initiatives to increase the number of younger members, as outlined below, and is pleased to report that the age and gender cohorts of new members joining in 2010-11 is as follows: F 30-49 39%; M 30-49 24%; F 50-69 18%; M 50-69% 14% (error due to rounding).

In 2010-11 ACTVAC continued to provide an impressive array of member and community services, and in most areas achieved innovations that enabled it to compensate for a decrease in volunteers and be "of the times".

A key focus of the Committee has been to develop an updated, multi-channel, communication strategy. This was both to provide better service to members and to improve the promotion and presence of the club in the wider sporting, community and political environments. To this end the club has: further improved the ACTVAC website; developed an integrated, weekly e-Bulletin; created and maintained a dynamic Facebook site; established Register Now as an easy to use online entry and membership renewal system to increase event access and reduce manual processing; and Vetranner continued to be an excellent publication, with many members preferentially taking advantage of online access.

Committee members have been very active in many local fora, such as with ACT Sport and Recreation Services, and with the other athletics and running clubs. ACTVAC continued to provide many social activities, including the monthly dinners and end of season celebrations for the many different foci of the club (out-of-stadia throwing and running, track and field). New members were welcomed and provided with guidance at our many events. Pursuant to the requirements of good sense and the ACT Government, ACTVAC has appointed two Member Protection Information Officers to assist in the provision of a harassment and discrimination free environment in the club. Following extensive consultation, new club uniform singlets were designed and ordered. Fruitful and mutually beneficial relationships with The Runners Shop and Kingston Physiotherapy and Sports Injury Centre continue.

The Committee produced a new draft Strategic Plan for 2010 to 2013, reviewed all policies and updated them where necessary, developed and implemented an improved communication strategy, re-invigorated relationships with the ACT Government and ACT athletics and sporting clubs, and applied for three different rounds of public funding. The Committee had all positions filled until two members regrettably resigned following changes in personal circumstances, in January and March 2011.

In addition to its executive and strategic functions, the Committee was also heavily involved in operational planning and service delivery. This included the Track and Field season, the uniform project, performance of the Registrar's functions, the e-Bulletin, and the introduction of chest numbers at Track and Field. The club is now in a critical renewal period, with the Chair of the Member Services Sub-committee Geoff Moore retiring after many years of excellent service, and likewise Bryan and Trish Thomas seeking to mentor members to take on the many functions they perform for the club, including organisation of the Vets Half Marathon and the supply of medals. Overall, the system of Sub-committees continues to work well although a significant increase in volunteers is required in the areas of member services, special and out-of-stadia events, Vetranner and news publication, equipment, medals, and grant applications. A very exciting but demanding opportunity for ACTVAC is the hosting of the 2013 AMA Championships and this requires the formation of a Local Organising Committee.

The Treasurer's report shows ACTVAC continues to be financially sound despite the challenging environment. In 2010-11 the club had income of \$60,507.71 against an expenditure of \$58,332.75, and therefore achieved a surplus of \$2,174.96 against an anticipated deficit of \$523. ACTVAC equity has increased to \$96,348.48. The Treasurer and the Committee do not recommend an increase in membership fees for 2011-12. The Treasurer proposes an indicative expenditure budget of \$56,636 against an estimated income of \$56,122.50 anticipating a deficit of \$513.50 in 2011-12.

Rachelle Elis-Brownlee
President

SECRETARY'S REPORT

The club had 473 members on 31 March 2011 (end of financial year). This compares with 474 at the same time in 2010.

The Committee met every month (except January). As always, it relies heavily on the hard work of the sub-committees and many volunteers to keep events running smoothly throughout the year.

Significant matters pursued by the committee included:

- Acquittal of grants from the ACT Government, and case management meeting with the ACT government;
- Organisation of the summer Track and Field program;
- Formation of a Finance Subcommittee and Publicity and Marketing Subcommittee;
- Setting up an ACTVAC Facebook page;
- A trial of chest numbers at track and field meets;
- Application for renewal of ACT government grant in October;
- Case management meeting with ACT Sport and Recreation Services in November;
- Consultation on Joint Championships in November with overwhelming support from members;
- Meeting with ACT Sport and Recreation Services in December re training support and ACTVAC strategic plan;
- Meeting with ACT Sport and Recreation Services in February re change from triennial to annual funding support;
- Submitted application for \$10,000 grant from ACT Health in April;
- Adopted new format Weekly Bulletin in April with Bulletin Manager Val Chesterton;
- Appointed Member Protection Information Officers Geoff Barker and Sue Bourke subject to ACT government training.

Committee attendance record

<i>Name</i>	<i>Meetings Attended</i>
Rachelle Ellis-Brownlee (President)	11
Craig Wisdom (Vice President)	10
Paul Archer (Secretary)	10
Nick Blackaby (Treasurer)	11
Kathy Sims	11
Janene Kingston	10
Christopher Lang	10
Duncan Macnicol	10
Heidi Johnston	5
Roger Pilkington	6

Narelle Blackaby (Vetrunner Editor) 11

Number of committee meetings held from June 2010 to May 2011: 11

Many thanks to Narelle Blackaby for her work in the production of this annual report and to my fellow committee members for their hard work and support. It has been a pleasure and a privilege working on the committee for the last 3 years.

Paul Archer

TREASURER'S REPORT

The ACT Veterans Athletics Club continues to enjoy a healthy financial position. The accounts for 2010-2011 financial period disclose an operating surplus of **\$2,174.96** and as a consequence, the Members' Equity (i.e. the Club's worth) has increased to **\$96,348.48**.

Performance against Budget during the financial period

An operating surplus was recorded of \$2,175, compared to an anticipated deficit of \$523. The prime reasons for this are:

Revenue

Revenue was \$2,172 lower than budget, in part due to poor weather at several of the monthly handicaps and the track and field resulting in lower numbers. The lower than budgeted revenue for the run walk handicaps, track and field and winter throwing championships was offset by significantly higher than budgeted half marathon revenue.

Expenses

Expenses were \$4,870 less than budgeted mainly due to the following:

(Note variances of less than 10% or \$200 were not deemed material).

- a. Track & Field expenditure is under budget due to an over estimation of the Australian Sports Commission charge to hire the AIS track. Also due to bad weather we were not charged for some nights.
- b. The expenditure for trophies and medals and administration costs were less than budgeted as these categories are quite hard to estimate in advance and can fluctuate from year to year.
- c. Equipment Maintenance was not as high as anticipated (again hard to estimate and can fluctuate from year to year) and depreciation was lower than budget as we did not purchase any athletics equipment during the year.
These underspends were offset by the following:
- d. The AMA contribution was budgeted at \$7 per member but includes a contribution towards the AGM of \$697.55. This has been included in the 2011-12 budget.
- e. The expenditure for Vetranner was higher than budgeted due to some colour printing and larger editions. It is hoped more members will move to viewing Vetranner electronically.

Proposed Budget 2011-12

The proposed budget for 2011-12 is primarily based on the following factors:

- a. Membership fees remaining at their current level.
- b. Revenue from the ACT Government being reduced to an annual grant of \$8,000 that must be applied for every year. In the past we had a triennial grant of \$14,000.
- c. Reduced budget for Vetranner as we encourage members to view it electronically to save costs
- d. Reduced budget for administration costs as we make a conscious effort to cut costs to reflect our reduced Government grant.
- e. Actual Expenses are based mainly on 2010-11 actuals and have been estimated in consultation with members in charge of the various club activities'.

An operating deficit of **\$514** is anticipated for 2011-12.

Please note that purchases/sales of clothing merchandise and purchase of new equipment are not included in the budget as these items are "asset" items, and therefore, appear in the

Club's Balance Sheet at the end of each financial year, rather than in the Profit and Loss Statement. It is proposed for the Club to spend \$5,000 on competition equipment and \$1,500 on miscellaneous equipment (usually minor in cost). In 2010-11 \$1,303 was written off representing uniform stock that was obsolete.

While the proposed budget represents the anticipated expenditure for the next financial year it does not defer an automatic right to spend money. All expenditure needs to be approved by the main committee of the club before it is undertaken and 3 quotes should be obtained if significant work is to be done to ensure the Club gets a competitive price.

Appreciation

I would like to thank **Audrey Gormley** for producing the financial reports and the proposed budget and **Ian Bowden** (a club member and PNA) for his comprehensive examination of the Club's accounts and his generous advice and guidance.

I would also like to thank members of the Finance Sub-committee, Audrey Gormley, Narelle Blackaby and Stuart Reid for the advice and assistance they have not only given me but also the ACTVAC Committee through the year.

I would also like to acknowledge the work of Bryan Thomas in organising and directing the Club's half marathon and also Ray Green for his work in connection with the AMA Winter Throwing Championships. Both events contribute significantly to the club's finances. I would also like to acknowledge the role of Jayne Hardy who, as the equipment officer, has done wonders to keep the repair and maintenance bill low.

Lastly I would like to thank **Narelle Blackaby** not only for all her assistance in my role as Treasurer but also for putting up with me all these years.

Recommendations

I recommend that Club members:

- a. Approve the acceptance of the accounts for 2010-11 as presented. Detailing an Operating Surplus of \$2,174.95 and a revised Members' Equity of \$96,348.48; and
- b. Approve the acceptance of the indicative Budget proposed for 2011-12, which anticipates an Operating Deficit of \$514 for the period, based on Membership Fees being maintained at their current level and a reduced ACT Government grant.

Nick Blackaby
Treasurer
May 2011

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BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 MARCH 2011

	2009-10	2010-11
CURRENT ASSETS		
Commonwealth Bank	\$ 25,435.74	\$ 21,544.41
St George - Current account	\$ 64,364.48	\$ 4,302.00
St George - Term deposit	\$ -	\$ 62,352.74
Accrued Interest - St George	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 707.58</u>
Prepayments	<u>\$ 3,633.18</u>	<u>\$ 2,397.77</u>
Total Current Assets	\$ 93,433.40	\$ 91,304.50
FIXED ASSETS		
Masson Street	\$ 234.73	\$ 199.52
AIS Shed	<u>\$ 2,332.55</u>	<u>\$ 1,982.67</u>
Total Fixed Assets	<u>\$ 2,567.28</u>	<u>\$ 2,182.19</u>
SPORTING AND OTHER EQUIPMENT		
Sporting Equipment	\$ 4,369.76	\$ 3,058.83
Other Equipment	\$ 10,031.58	\$ 9,028.42
Computer Equipment	<u>\$ 1,643.09</u>	<u>\$ 1,483.08</u>
Total Equipment	<u>\$ 16,044.43</u>	<u>\$ 13,570.33</u>
UNIFORMS		
Purchases	\$ 6,538.10	\$ 1,875.00
Sales	\$ -	\$ 950.00
Stock Revalue	\$ (1,587.10)	\$ (432.00)
	<u>\$ (3,076.00)</u>	<u>\$ (963.00)</u>
	\$ 1,875.00	\$ 1,430.00
Anniversary Merchandise		
Purchases	\$ -	\$ -
Sales	\$ 5,296.80	\$ 375.00
Contribution by ACTVAC	\$ (3,496.00)	\$ (35.00)
	<u>\$ (1,425.80)</u>	<u>\$ (340.00)</u>
Total Uniform etc	<u>\$ 375.00</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	\$114,295.11	\$108,487.02
LESS LIABILITIES		
Revenue received in advance	\$ 14,000.00	\$ 8,000.00
Creditors	\$ 4,121.58	\$ 738.53
Accruals	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 3,400.00
NET ASSETS	\$ 94,173.53	\$ 96,348.49
MEMBERS' EQUITY		
Members Equity as at 31 March 2009	\$100,622.15	\$ 94,173.53
PLUS Operating Surplus 2009-10	<u>\$ (6,448.61)</u>	<u>\$ 2,174.96</u>
MEMBERS' EQUITY as at 31 March 2010	<u>\$ 94,173.53</u>	\$ 96,348.49

PROFIT AND LOSS STATEMENT YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2011**INCOME**

Grants	\$14,000.00
Sponsorship	\$ 1,243.43
Membership Fees	\$17,222.00
Bank Account Interest	
St George	\$ 3,069.84
CBA	\$ 7.49
	\$ 3,077.33
Track and Field	\$ 6,314.55
Run/Walk Handicaps	\$ 7,286.00
Throwing Handicaps	\$ 1,195.65
Miscellaneous	
<u>Special Events</u>	
Half Marathon	\$ 4,840.00
Sprint Marathon Relay	\$ 168.00
Track and Field Championships	\$ 1,341.30
Winter Throwing Championships	\$ 2,467.00
Weight Penthalton	\$ 464.05
Cross Country	\$ 138.40
200 Throw	\$ 750.00

EXPENDITURE

Administration Expenses	\$ 3,770.85
Vetrunner (Printing & Distribution)	\$ 11,589.84
Bank Charges	\$ 371.54
On Line Membership Facility Fees	\$ 573.67
Trophies/Medals/Engraving	\$ 2,559.18
AMA Capitation Fees 2009/10	\$ 4,344.55
Insurance (Equipment)	\$ 700.00
Insurance - Public Liability etc	\$ 2,292.28
Equipment Maintenance	\$ 921.23
Handicap T Shirts	\$ 615.00
Uniform write off	\$ 1,303.00
Depreciation	\$ 3,281.48
Track and Field	\$ 10,201.82
Run/Walk Handicaps	\$ 7,984.89
Throwing Handicaps	\$ 537.60
Website	\$ 1,815.00

Special Events

200 Throw	\$ 1,157.70
Half Marathon	\$ 2,331.95
Sprint Marathon Relay	\$ 105.90
Track and Field Championships	\$ 1,100.00
Winter Throwing Championships	\$ 484.77
Weight Penthalton	
Cross Country	\$ 40.00
Womens and Girls	\$ 90.50
Postal Relay	\$ 160.00

\$60,507.71**\$ -**

Operating Surplus

\$ 2,174.96**PROPOSED BUDGET 2011-12**

Income	Budget	Expenditure	Budget
Grants	8,000.00	Administration Expenses	3,000.00
Donations	1,250.00	Vetrunner(Printing & Distribution)	8,000.00
Membership Fees	17,680.00	Bank Charges (incl Register Now)	1,000.00
Bank Account Interest	3,550.00	Trophies/Medals/Engraving	3,000.00
Track & Field (Incl Champs)	8,565.50	Handicap T Shirts	3,265.00
Run/Walk Handicap	8,052.00	AMA Capitation Fees	4,340.00
Throwing Handicap	1,280.00	Insurance (Equipment)	700.00
Special Events	-	Insurance	2,400.00
Half Marathon	4,625.00	Equipment Maintenance	2,670.00
Winter Throwing Champs	2,500.00	Website Maintenance	100.00
Sprint Marathon Relay	170.00	Website Development	-
Weight Pentathlon	450.00	Depreciation	3,250.00
Cross Country Champs	-	Track & Field (incl Champs)	14,015.00
	56,122.50	Run/Walk Handicaps	4,683.00
		Throwing Handicaps	500.00
		Uniform Revalue	-
		Special Events	
		Half Marathon	2,663.00
		Winter Throwing Championships	2,500.00
		Sprint Marathon Relay	110.00
		Weight Penth	-
		Womens and Girls	100.00
		Pro AM	-
		Postal Relays	200.00
		Cross Country Champs	140.00
			56,636.00
		Anticipated Surplus/Deficit	(513.50)

Auditor's Report

Audit Statement

Forward:

I have been requested by the Executive of ACT Veterans Athletics Club Inc, to examine the books and financial records, and the prepared Financial Statements of the Club, and to form an opinion as to whether those Statements reflect a true and fair indication of the Club's operations and financial position as at 31 March 2011.

It should be noted that the Executive of ACT Veterans Athletics Club Inc is aware that I am not a registered company auditor, but am a member of a professional accounting body.

Accordingly, I have:

- Met with the Club President, Rachelle Ellis-Brownlee, and the Club Treasurer, Nick Blackaby, to discuss the operations of the Club over the past 12 months, and whether there were any issues that may have arisen that required my particular attention – there were none, - and
- Examined the financial records, tested a sample of both receipt and payment transactions, with particular emphasis on event cash receipts and expense reimbursements to members, verified the bank reconciliation, asset depreciation calculations, uniform write-downs and the figures presented in the Statements.

As in past years, due to the nature of the transactions, I have not been able to verify the complete accuracy of cash receipts from events, but as variances between the amounts banked and expected receipts calculated from participant numbers are minor and both positive and negative, I am satisfied that control procedures are adequate and there have been no material mis-statements.

Audit Opinion:

Accordingly, I state that it is my professional opinion that the Financial Statements included in this Annual Report do give a true and fair indication of the operating result for the year ending 31 March 2011, and of the financial position of the Club as at 31 March 2011.



Ian R. Bowden. F.I.P.A.

Date *31 May 2011*



Registrar's Report 2010/2011

Membership

Membership at 30 April 2011 was 488 members. This compares with 521 members at the end of 2010. At the end of April 2011, 63 former members had not renewed from 2010.

The following table shows ACTVAC membership by month in 2008 to 2011. Membership (at 30 April 2011) was 488 members.

ACTVAC Members by Month

	2008	2009	2010	2011
Jan	220	207	352	397
Feb	378	369	451	451
Mar	459	423	474	473
Apr	464	447	491	488
May	476	452	491	
Jun	481	457	495	
Jul	494	460	502	
Aug	505	492	506	
Sep	518	503	507	
Oct	519	509	516	
Nov	530	519	521	
Dec	530	524	521	

Membership normally shows a drop at the start of each calendar year, then increases in February and March with late renewals. The relatively high figure for January 2011 (taken at the end of the month) is possibly due to regular reminders to members in the later months of 2010 and in January 2011 to renew memberships.

Breakdown of Membership by Age and Sex

The following Table is a breakdown of ACTVAC membership by sex and age at December 2010.

Age	No.	Percent	Age	No.	Percent
W30	8	2	M30	6	1
W35	17	3	M35	16	3
W40	26	5	M40	25	5
W45	22	4	M45	25	5
W50	27	5	M50	41	8
W55	34	7	M55	48	9
W60	36	7	M60	59	11
W65	18	3	M65	33	6
W70	14	3	M70	30	6
W75	6	1	M75	19	4
W80	3	1	M80	6	1
			M85	2	neg
Total	211	41		310	59
Total W and M 521					100

Errors in percentages are due to rounding.

New Members in 2011

The following table covers persons who were not on the membership list in August 2010 but who are on the membership list in March 2011. The table therefore covers persons who joined from September 2010, and therefore also for 2011, or who joined in 2011. The table therefore does not include all new members for 2010/2011. The table includes persons who were members in earlier years and who rejoined in 2011.

New Members from September 2011 - Breakdown by sex and age group

Age	Women	Men	Total	Percent
30	1	3	4	11
35	5	0	5	14
40	4	4	8	22
45	3	4	7	19
50	1	2	3	8
55	0	2	2	6
60	4	1	5	14
65	1	1	2	6
70	0	0	0	0
Totals	19	17	36	100

The table shows a fairly even distribution of men and women, and by age groups. There is however a higher proportion of younger members represented.

Renewal of previous members

As noted, members were reminded through the regular weekly messages in November and December 2010 and in 2011 to renew memberships. As in previous years, members were given grace of one month (January 2011) before becoming ineligible for events and awards. During March and April 2011, members who had not then renewed were sent individual reminder e-mails and letters, where no e-mail address was available. Positive responses were received to those reminders and it is hoped further renewals will be received in the month of May.

Nick Blackaby
Stuart Reid

Sub-Committee Reports

Member Services Sub-Committee (MSSC) Report

Many thanks to the members of the MSSC for their participation and contribution this year; **Ruth, Peter, Phill, Brett, Nadine, Warrick** and **Susan**. Thanks too to **Rachelle** and **Kathy** from the Main Committee who have also participated and contributed. For me, it has been good to help out as the MSSC facilitator for a few years now, but this year I decided to stand down from the MSSC. A new sub-committee is needed which can take over the functions of the MSSC.

Club Uniforms

The main activity of the MSSC during 2010 was working towards the acquisition of new modern ACTVAC uniforms. Our current uniform manufacturer was no longer in business, and stocks in clothing items were being gradually depleted. The MSSC researched options for colour and material of our club singlet, investigating design options and potential suppliers, obtaining samples from state Masters clubs and from other athletics bodies, and conducting surveys of our club members' requirements and preferences. Sue Archer who took over the sale of uniforms last year has been assisting us and attended our meetings. Many alternatives were considered and sample material was made available at ACTVAC events for comment. Finally a design was decided upon, a supplier was chosen, and an initial range of uniform stock ordered.

There are more tasks associated with club uniforms which need to be followed up, specifically the acquisition of items other than singlets.

Functions of the MSSC

Speaking generally, the functions of the MSSC include the development and implementation of strategies for the recruitment and retention of members. Focus is on ways and means of promoting ACTVAC to non-members and on the services provided by ACTVAC to its members. The MSSC supports all members and the interests of all members in the club and advises the Main Committee on matters relating to the interest of members. This includes formal surveys as well as informal collecting the feelings and opinions of members on various issues put before us by the Main Committee.

Speaking specifically, tasks undertaken by the MSSC in 2010 included

- updating ACTVAC NEWS on the website
 - implementing and maintaining the new look ACTVAC calendar of events on the website
 - production and distribution of membership cards
 - club promotion/information handouts
 - a presence at club events where MSSC members endeavour to make a point of welcoming and encouraging new starters by seeking out and greeting new participants at Track and Field on Thursday evenings and at monthly handicaps.
 - invitations to other bodies to join our "come-and-try-it" days.
 - reminder letters sent out to non-renewals who had been members the previous year.
- last year we also assisted with drafting the Track and Field program,

Work on the tasks is made easier when a sub-committee shares the load.

As I have indicated, I am stepping down this year, having been involved for many years, and look forward to welcoming a keen group of members who will be taking over. Thank you to everybody who has facilitated the smooth operation of ACTVAC and the MSSC during this time and made everything friendly and enjoyable. I shall continue with some of my personal projects such as the coaching and training articles I write for Vetranner, and the training sessions I lead each week for club members of all abilities and for non club members as an entry point to the club.

Geoff Moore, chair

Report on Vetranner publication

Ten Vetranners have been published this year. The size of the publication has averaged around 36 pages for most of the year. The number of articles and photos submitted to Vetranner has increased which is good to see. The print run over the year has averaged around 300-320 compared to 450 to 480 last year, which is a significant reduction from last year as more members view Vetranner online.

Again this year I very much appreciate everyone who has contributed to the success of the Vetranner publication and its potential for publicity for the club. I would like to thank the main helpers and contributors to Vetranner. They include:

- Bryan Thomas (Throws Handicap report, The Way We Were and many awards pieces including T-shirts)
 - John Kennedy (handicap photos),
 - Geoff Barker and many of his cohorts now, too many to mention here (Fun Run/Walk Handicap stories),
 - Tania Colyer and Frank Nugent (for photos from the throwing handicap),
 - Jack Pennington (our patron, for several articles on many aspects of running over many years),
 - Stuart Reid (providing details of the next run including map, and uploading Vetranner to the website once completed),
 - Jim O'Donnell (Run/Walk Handicap, Track and Field and Nationals results and formatting advice),
 - Dave Mackenzie (and Cory Collins as back up)(forever suffering proofreaders as the newsletter gets larger),
 - Roger Abbott (liaises with the printer and Koomarri to ensure it is packaged and labeled for distribution),
 - Nick Blackaby (for organising the posting of Vetranner and allowing me to hog the computer to put the thing together),
 - Also, Sharon Gibbins, Jan and Bob Banens, Geoff Moore and Roger Pilkington and many others too many to name (for providing their fun and informative articles on many topics),
 - Instant Colour Press for their professional production of the newsletter as always.
- Apologies to anyone I have missed.

Vetranner is distributed to state masters clubs and to a number of libraries including the National Library of Australia. This has great potential in reaching the broader community.

Vetranner has provided space as a commemorative tool for those members who have passed away over the year and reminds readers of our club motto: "Fitness through Fellowship".

Competition Sub-Committee Report

The competition year began with the Cross Country championships on 3 July 2010. This was the first of several successful events conducted jointly with AACT.

The focus of the sub-committee then shifted to the Track and Field season for 2010-2011. The season, starting on 10 October 2010 and stretched until 14 April 2011 to give plenty of competition for those attending the Nationals in Brisbane at Easter.

“Come and Try” nights, which have become a regular part of our program, were held on 14 October and 27 January. Members of Bilby’s Triathlon club joined us to extend their versatility.

Combined meets with AACT were held for the first two (2) weeks in January 2011.

A busy, but successful championship “season” began on 10 February with the 10,000m (combined with AACT). This was followed by the 10,000m walk (also combined with AACT and the Race Walkers’ club) and Pentathlon on 24 February.

February was also AMA National Postal Relays month, which gave members a chance to compete against our interstate colleagues, from the comfort of home.

In March we had the Throws Pentathlon on 13 March; and 1500, 3000 and 5000m walks (with AACT and Walkers’ club) on 24 March.

Over the weekend of 4-6 March 2011, ACTVAC and Athletics ACT conducted joint Track and Field Championships. The first events were held in near perfect conditions on Friday evening. Saturday and Sunday were a touch cooler, but still conducive to good performances with a number of club and national records being set. There were some quality results from the AWD and Open athletes too, including Australian records in some categories. It was quite a buzz to be around such performances.

We welcomed back some club members who have moved away, but still keep in touch, and a few semi-regular visitors from NSW. Congratulations to all who competed, in particular the medal winners.

The last event of the season was the 5000m championships on 14 April.

The weather was quite kind to us during the season. There was one meet washed out (thunderstorms and flooding on 2 December), but otherwise hardly a drop of rain fell on us.

The club conducted a trial of the use of chest numbers to be worn by all athletes competing at the track. The first night for the use of numbers was 3 February, and we continued until till the end of the season. The aim of the use of the numbers is to improve the speed and accuracy of recording results, and it seemed to work well.

During the winter, AACT had conducted training sessions for officials. A number of ACTVAC members took the opportunity to attend, and have gained Level “C” qualifications. The joint meetings with AACT provided opportunities to hone their skills alongside experienced officials. The club will need a good number of qualified officials in order to do a professional job of hosting the 2013 Nationals.

We had very good support from our rostered officials each week, which helped in the smooth running of all events, and was appreciated by those competing.

I'd like to thank the people who worked to make the season work, the rostered officials, members of the main committee and sub-committees who keep the ACTVAC show on the road, and particularly those who were involved week after week:

Neil Boden	Competition Manager, and Adler series
Norm Mackie	Starter
Alice Scott	Starter and processing results
Linda Taylor	Electronic timekeeping
Jane McGlew	Electronic timekeeping
Kerry Boden	Electronic timekeeping
Jayne Hardy	Equipment manager
Raylea Rudov	Equipment set up and processing T&F results
Val Chesterton	Weekly bulletin
Janene Kingston	Weekly officials' roster
Garry Maher	Daniels Series
Tony Booth	Pennington Series
Geoff Moore	Come and Try nights
Rob Gerrard	Anthony Series
Robin Whyte	Perry Walk handicaps
Michael Roche	Weekly supper
Stuart Reid	Website updates
Narelle Blackaby	Vetrunner
Nick Blackaby	Gate fees and finances

Thanks also to our colleagues from AACT, in particular Gerard Ryan for the programming of joint events (including the T&F Championships weekend), and Mick Morris for processing championship entries and results.

We will have an expanded Sub-committee for 2011-2012, with representatives from all disciplines, so another good year is assured.

Ken Smith
May 2011

Awards Sub-Committee Report

The Awards sub-committee, established April 2001, aims to identify members worthy of consideration for our prestigious “club-person” type of awards that recognise and acknowledge outstanding service.

Current members of the sub-committee are: Bryan Thomas (chair), John Alcock, Cory Collins, Mick Horan, Frank Nugent, Maureen Rossiter and Margaret Taylor.

Contributions made by the sub-committee in 2010-11 have been:

- **Described all annual club awards**, their history, criteria and previous recipients in *Vetrunner* at least one month prior to being presented.
- **Promoted presentations** of End of Year and Track and Field awards by regular announcements and displaying notice boards at events.
- **End of Year Trophies.** Selected recipients, prepared citations for announcing winners and citations published in *Vetrunner* for both the Encouragement Award (2010 winner Geoff Barker) and the Clohessy Trophy (2010 winner Trish Thomas).
- **Track and Field Awards.** Invited Neil Boden (statistician), John Hunt and Kathy Sims to select the 2010-11 winners of the *Fristad Awards* for track and field excellence. Selected recipients, prepared citations for announcing winners and citations published in *Vetrunner* for both the Heart Foundation Trophy (2011 winner Consie Larmour) and the Johnson Trophy for track and field club person of the season (2011 winner Robin Whyte).
- **Annual AMA Awards.** Bryan Thomas and Neil Boden (statistician) submitted to committee recommendations of members worthy of nomination for the 11 categories in the annual AMA track and field awards announced at AMA Championships.
- **Nominated “Masters Sportspersons of Month”.** Identified outstanding performers for nomination for Clubs ACT Sportstar of the Year Awards (all sports eligible). Janice Banens (March 2010), Bernie Millett (April 2010) and Norma Wallett (August 2010). Janice was one of three finalists for the 2010 ACT Masters Sportsperson of the Year (all sports).
- **Implemented Deceased Member Policy.** Arranged for an announcement of the passing of a member at the soonest appropriate club event and an obituary placed in the next *Vetrunner*. The following members, a former member and the wife of a member, passed away during the year: David Meyers (September 2010), Jean Heath (October 2010) and Otmar Dorfer (November 2010).

Bryan Thomas (chair).

Handicap Subcommittee Report

Participation at Handicaps

Participation in the year from April 10 to March 11 was down by about 9.5% on last year. Poor weather at a number of handicaps may explain at least some of this change. Details are in the table below.

	Thomas	Frylink	Waddell	Total
Men	645	243	186	1074
Women	377	236	207	820
Total	1022	479	393	1894
Last year	1091	583	421	2095

Course changes for 2011

As a result of damage to the Blewitts Pines course from the La Nina rains, we have had to change the start/finish area to a point along Uriarra Road west of the previous start area. For the same reason, the grass in the parking area at West Stromlo will need mowing before we can use it for the May Handicap. Also, there is significant grass and bush growth along the long course, so we have had to change both the course and the start and finish area.

The following have been active members for at least part of the last 12 months:

John Alcock
 Steve Appleby
 Alan Duus (Chair)
 Tony Fenotti
 Dave MacKenzie
 Rosemary Parker
 Stuart Reid
 Craig Wisdom

Report on ACTVAC Uniform Sales

Uniform Sales: 1 April 2010 until 31 March 2011

This year's uniform sales comprised clearance of carried forward stock from previous years so most of the sales were at discounted prices.

A batch (50) of an updated ACTVAC singlet is being manufactured by Kea Sportswear and although delayed in China should be arriving very soon. A deposit of 50% was made in February with the balance to be paid on receipt of the goods.

In summary:

- * Sales of standard uniform items from April 2011 until March 2011 was \$557.
- * Value of items on hand is \$480.
- * Deposit for new strip is \$950.
- * Value of stock recommended to be written off is \$948.

A stocktake was done at the end of March 2011.

Susan Archer
May 2011

Finance Sub-Committee Report

The Finance Sub-Committee provides advice to the ACTVAC Committee and Treasurer on matters relating to the Club's finances and budget. The Finance Sub-Committee also provides valuable on-going assistance to the Club Treasurer. Regular members of the Finance Sub-Committee are Audrey Gormley, Narelle Blackaby, Stuart Reid and Nick Blackaby.

The Finance Sub-Committee holds meetings, as required, to discuss Club finances. In addition to the regular members, meetings are normally attended by other Club office holders. There were four meetings in 2010/2011, with reports provided to the ACTVAC Committee.

On behalf of the ACTVAC Committee and the Treasurer, generous thanks are extended to the Finance Sub-Committee for their assistance and contribution during the year.

Nick Blackaby
Treasurer

Records Officer/Statistician Report

2010-11 was another busy year with members participating in a diverse range of athletic competitions including the weekly Track & Field meets at the AIS from mid-October 2010 through to April 2011, monthly Run/Walk and Throwing handicaps, annual Half Marathon (Aug 2010), AMA Winter Throwing Championships (Oct 2010), Sprint Marathon (Feb 2011), and joined with Athletics ACT to conduct the annual Cross Country Championships (Jul 2010) and T&F Championships (Mar 2011).

In July a small group of ACT Vets ventured to beautiful Tahiti to compete in the Oceania Masters Athletics Championships and in September another group of our keen T&F participants ventured to Alice Springs for the 2010 Honda Masters Games. Recently 30-odd members traveled north to Brisbane for the 2011 AMA National Championships.

At a time when members showed a distinct reluctance to support the club's Competition Sub-Committee Ken Smith took-up the challenge and did a wonderful job in developing the 2010-11 track and field program and then demonstrated his coordination and organisational skills in ensuring that the meets ran smoothly over the 22 weeks.

Participation numbers for the 2010-11 T&F season were similar to the last few seasons with an average of just over 80 per meet. The best turn-out for season was on 10 February with 109 participants. The disappointing aspect to the season was that only 50 members competed at the combined ACTVAC/AACT T&F Championships on the weekend of 4-6 March.

The season provided a number of highlights including:

- **W75 Consie Larmour** breaking or establishing no less than thirteen (13) ACT records – 5 of these, in the 60/100/200/400m and Long jump events, at the Oceania Masters Athletics Championships.
- **W75 Anne Young** breaking or establishing six (6) ACT records in her first year in the W75 age group in the 3000/5000/10000m and 1 hour events.
- **W70 Val Chesterton** breaking or establishing eight (8) ACT records in Race Walk and Jumps events.
- **W65 Jan Banens** maintaining her standing as a world class thrower with outstanding performances in the Hammer and Weight Throw events.
- **W60 Margaret Taylor** multi-event performances in the sprints, jumps and hurdles where she consistently recorded results above 90% of the world standard.
- **W50 4x1500m Relay Team** (Helen Larmour, Maria O'Reilly, Katy Sims and Kathy Southgate) breaking the Australian Record.
- **M85 Merv Collins** one of the 'elder statesmen' of the track set new ACT records in the 100m and 800m events and was a member of the record breaking M80 4x100m and 4x1500m relay teams.
- **M80 Rad Leovic** multi-discipline performances in domestic and international competition continue to be an inspiration to all ACTVAC members. He was involved in five (5) ACT records including the 200m Hurdles, 1 Mile, and M80 4x100/800/1500m relays.

- **M45 Michael Roden** confirming his standing as the premier sprinter in the club by consistently recording performances above 90% (of the world standard) in the 60/100/200/400m events.
- **M45 Bruce Graham** reaffirming his status as the best middle/long distance runner the club has had for many years by consistently recording performances around 86-88% for every event from 1500m to 10000m.
- **M80 Relay Team** (John Burns, Merv Collins, Michael Freer, Rad Leovic and Jack Thackray) breaking/establishing ACT records in the 4x100/800/1500m relays.

Neil Boden
May 2011

Throwing Handicaps report

Ten monthly throwing handicaps were conducted throughout the year (Feb through to Nov) at the Masson Street Throwing Field, in Turner. Fine weather, though sometimes very hot and at other times very chilly conditions prevailed. During the last reporting year we increased our numbers competing on a regular basis.

We are averaging over 32 per competition. Record set in May 2010 when 38 members competed in our 200th Handicap

In season 2010-11, two, "two hundred polo shirts" were awarded on the 200th throwing handicap. This was a unique record, never again to be broken as the two recipients, Jen Bourke and Trish Thomas competed in all 200 handicaps. Two 150 throws handicap tops and two 100 handicap shirts were awarded.

The Club's little printer died and we have purchased a new portable printer.

Thanks to Bjarne Kragh from Southside Physiotherapy and Sports Injury Clinic for his continued support of our throwing handicap.

Thanks are also extended to the Belconnen Soccer Club for their most generous support of our 200th Throwing Handicap celebrations and their continued support of our Club

Thanks also to the Scout association for the continued use of their hall, particularly the toilets each handicap.

We have engaged another handicapper to assist. Frank Nugent rallied to my call for help. This is working exceptionally well. Thankyou Frank. We would appreciate another person to come on board so we can effectively spread the load.

Our scheduled roster of helpers is working more efficiently as members adhere to their rostered date and others assist Trish, Jayne, Raylea and Bryan in setting up and packing up.

Many thanks to Tanya Colyer and Narelle Blackaby for the great photos they produce.

Finally thankyou to our informal committee of Bryan, Jayne, Raylea and Wendy and now Frank for all their work and support throughout the year.

Trish Thomas
Organiser and Handicapper

Equipment Report

The equipment sub-committee has had a relatively quiet period between 2010 and 2011 .

I have basically been in charge of looking after the equipment at the throwing field at Masson Street, Turner as well as the ACTVAC shed at the AIS, Bruce as well as the club assets.

As for the running handicap trailer and the catering trailer, I would assume that the responsible people have been keeping things up to date with them.

We have not had to purchase a lot more throwing equipment this time round – most of the gear is holding up well.

Basic maintenance and repairs and some replacement of gear has been carried out though - tape measures, trailer tyre, heavy weights have been repaired, electronic scales have been recalibrated,

Maintenance to the Masson Street throwing grounds took place again – this time incorporating one of the old throwing circles which was needed for the Winter Throwing Championships. We had to hire a cage for safety reasons. We also filled the sand sector for the shotput and added some sand to low lying areas.

I would like to send a big thanks to Greg Gilbert (yet again) as he was able to give the club some gear no longer needed by other areas – some cage netting, some sector tapes, some javelins and discus.

Looking to the future – the 2013 Nationals to be run here in Canberra – now is the time to start thinking about replacing some of the older equipment and having it ready for future events.

Jayne Hardy

MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

MINUTES of the ACT Veterans Athletic Club Inc ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Tuesday, 25 May 2010

Minutes of the AGM held on 25 May 2010 at the Orion Room, Southern Cross Club Woden, ACT.

Members present: See *Attachment A*

1) Welcome: The Club President (Chair for the AGM) Christopher Lang opened the meeting at 7.30pm and welcomed members to the Club's 2010 AGM.

2) Apologies:

Cheryl Greathead, David Hobson, Gary Bowen, John Suiter, Cory Collins, Geoff Crumpton, Tim Gulliver, Maria White, Doug Fry, Chris Yardley, Chris Mahe, Alice Scott, Prue Bradford, Steve Bradford

3) Adoption of Agenda: Motion: That the draft AGM agenda be approved. Moved: Paul Archer, seconded Otto Karki, carried by show of hands.

4) Guest speaker: Professor Dick Telford

5) Minutes of the 19 May 2009 Annual General Meeting:

Motion: That the draft 2009 AGM minutes as printed in the *Annual Report 2010* be accepted as a true record. Moved: Paul Archer, seconded Craig Wisdom, carried by show of hands.

6) Minutes of the 29 July 2009 Special General Meeting:

Motion: The draft minutes of the 29 July 2009 Special General Meeting as printed in the *Annual Report 2010* be accepted as a true record: Moved: Paul Archer, seconded John Hunt, carried by show of hands.

7) Reports:

President's Report:

Christopher Lang presented his report as printed in the *Annual Report 2010*.

Motion: That the President's Report be accepted. Moved: Roger Pilkington,

seconded Dave McKenzie, carried by show of hands.

Secretary's Report:

Paul Archer presented his report as printed in the *Annual Report 2010*.

Motion: That the Secretary's Report be accepted. Moved: Craig Wisdom, seconded Robin Whyte, carried by show of hands.

Treasurer's Report:

Nick Blackaby presented his report as printed in the *Annual Report 2010*.

Motion:

That the meeting:

1. Approve the accounts for 2009 / 2010 as presented in the Annual Report 2010, which detail an operating deficit of \$6448.61 and a Members Equity of \$94,173.53; and
2. Approve the indicative budget proposed for 2010-11, which forecasts an operating deficit of some \$523: based on Membership Fees of \$38 for a single membership and \$62 for a double membership from 1 January 2011; event fees per participant of \$4 per event from 14 June 2010, and day membership fees per non-member of \$5 from 14 June 2010; increased use by members of Vetranner online from June 2010 and capping Vetranner production and distribution to \$10,000 in 2010-11; and capital expenditure of \$6,500, with annual depreciation of assets funded by operating income.

Moved: Nick Blackaby, seconded Craig Wisdom.

Amendment

That the event fees be raised to \$5 per event for members and \$6 per event for non-members. Moved: Trish Thomas, seconded Peter Neill.

Points discussed:

- \$4 represents good value, the fee was \$2.50 in 1992, \$5 is not a major impost for members;
- Some members on fixed incomes may be financially disadvantaged and not able to attend unless given a discount;
- The weight pentathlon is currently \$2;
- The budget as presented is in balance, why go over?
- The club doesn't need additional income;
- In 2008 / 2009 more than 300 members were over 55 years of age.

The amendment was lost on a count of votes.

The original motion was then carried on a show of hands.

Sub-committee reports

Motion: That the sub-committee reports be accepted;

Moved: Val Chesterton, seconded Jayne Hardy, carried by show of hands

Motion: That the meeting record a vote of thanks to the office bearers and committee;

Moved: Trish Thomas, seconded Jayne Hardy, carried by show of hands.

8) Election of office bearers:

Appointment of a Returning Officer:

Motion: That Stuart Reid be appointed Returning Officer to deal with election of Officer Bearers and Committee Members for 2010-11. Moved: Raylea Rudov, seconded Bryan Thomas, carried by show of hands.

There being no contested positions, the Returning Officer declared the following result:

Patron: Jack Pennington

Public Officer: Chris Mahe

President: Rachelle Ellis-Brownlee

Vice-President: Craig Wisdom

Secretary: Paul Archer

Treasurer: Nick Blackaby

Committee: Kathy Sims

Duncan McNicol

Christopher Lang

Heidi Johnson

Janene Kingston

Roger Pilkington

9) General Business:

Motion: That the ACTVAC Track and Field Championships be run by ACTVAC for registered masters athletes only and separate from any other similar organisation.

Moved: Jayne Hardy, seconded Bryan Thomas.

Amendment: That the meeting notes concerns about the ACTVAC Track and Field Championships being held jointly with Athletics ACT and directs the committee to consult with members and report back to the club by November 2010.

Moved: Christopher Lang, seconded Stuart Reid.

Issues discussed:

- Throwers are disadvantaged in a joint track and field meet long waits between throws, restriction on the number of throws (3 instead of the usual 6);
- Without ACTA we would not have a sufficient number of qualified officials to run the ACTVAC Championships;
- We need to proceed carefully, the club would not be able to field sufficient officials to run the AMA Championships in 2013 without the involvement of ACTA;
- Some members are embarrassed by having to compete against young, high performance athletes;
- The joint Championships represent good exposure for ACTVAC to athletes in and approaching our target 30+ age group.

The amendment was accepted on a count of votes (28 for, 18 against).

The origin motion (as amended) was then put and carried on a show of hands.

The meeting closed at 9.30pm.

Attachment A:

Members attending the 2010 Annual General Meeting

Roger Abbott; Geoff Barker; Narelle Blackaby; Nick Blackaby; Val Bland; Kerry Boden; Neil Boden; Tony Booth; Chris Booth; Graham Burge; Val Chesterton; William Chin; Cory Collins; Peter Cullen; Craig Davis; Alan Duus; Rachelle Ellis-Brownlee; Katie Forestier; Michael Freer; Jenny Gilchrist; Rod Gilchrist; Gwen Gleeson; Bruce Graham; Ray Green; Jayne Hardy; Victoria Hennig; Peter Hogan; John Hunt; Heidi Johnson; Otto Karki; Colleen Koh; John Kennedy; Janene Kingston; Josie Kulesz; Christopher Lang; Helen Larmour; Rad Leovic; Dave Mackenzie; Duncan MacNicol; Andrew Matthews; Peter McDonald; Geoff Moore; Cathy Montalto; Brett Morrison; Nadine Morrison; Peter Neill; Wendy O'Brien; Maria O'Reilly; Bob Parker; Rosemary Parker; Graham Patrick; Claire Perry; Roger Pilkington; Stuart Reid; Raylea Rudov; Diana Schneider; Jim Short; Monika Short; Geoff Sims; Kathy Sims; Graeme Small; Ken Smith; Greg Stretton; Jack Thackray; John Suiter; Bryan Thomas; Trish Thomas; Gerald Vassallo; Michelle Wells; Ken White; Robin Whyte; Kent Williams; Lyn Williams; Craig Wisdom; Christopher Yardley. [Total: 75].

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