# WANFL Umpires Association (Inc.)

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#### FOREWORD

I am very honoured to have been asked to write this foreward at the completion of the 1980 season.

Over the years, whether as a field umpire or a League observer, I have been privileged, as a member of the W.A.N.F.L. Umpires' Association, to have had the opportunity to be associated with such fine sportsmen, whose comradeship and dedication could not be surpassed.

I have also gained life-long friendships, as well as many lasting memories, from being part of this fine Association.

The "Life Membership Perpetual Trophy" was won this year by David Rowe. Congratulations David, for your outstanding contribution to the Umpires' Association for 1980.

May I take this opportunity to express my appreciation to the Committee for their fine effort throughout 1980, and to all members of the Association, I wish you every success in the future.

TERRY NEILSON LIFE MEMBER

# OFFICE BEARERS 1980

PRESIDENT
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Mr. John DEVINE
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#### COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT

Mr. Dick STUBBERFIELD
Mr. Mike BALL
Mr. Brian HAIGH
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Mr. Roy BECKER
Mr. Brent FINDLAY
Mr. Barry JOHNSON
Mr. Barry DAVIES
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\* Retire 1981o Resigned December 1979= Replaced Mr. Brian HAIGH

# UMPIRES TRAINERS

Mr. Harry JARDINE

Mr. Warren SOUTH (Head Trainer) Mr. Bernie MAGNUS Mr. Des DOHERTY

\* Mr. Alan LYONS retired as Head Trainer early in the year and assisted frequently during the year.

#### SOCIAL COMMITTEE

Mr. Kevin HOLLAND

Mr. David ROWE (Chairman)
Mr. Alan MIRABELLA (Secretary)
Mr. Kevin HOLLAND
Mr. Brent FINDLAY
Mr. Barry JOHNSON

#### UMPIRES ADVOCATES

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Mr. Len HURLEY
Mr. Ray MONTGOMERY
Mr. John SMITH-GANDER

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#### PRESIDENT'S REPORT

#### FELLOW MEMBERS

It is my pleasure to submit this brief report on Season 1980, a year of considerable achievement both on and off the field.

Firstly, congratulations to every active member of the 1980 panel for the professional manner in which appointments at all levels were discharged. This, of course, is not to say that we weren't without our share of criticism from time to time, and no doubt, some of it deserved.

The prime objective of our Association is the promotion of Australian football through umpiring, a responsibility that can be easily overlooked but a goal more readily attainable through the strength and unity generated by active participation in Association affairs and functions.

As umpires, we occupy a position of trust and responsibility to the football public each time we take the field and we must be continually conscious of our important role.

Unfortunately, the attitude of too many people involved in football certainly does not give one the impression that umpires have anything to offer our game, let alone make a contribution.

"Responsible" club officials continue to openly attack the ability and integrity of our members and the public is afflicted with certain "post-mortem" critics who reveal their lack of knowledge of the Laws by degenerating into destructive criticism to the detriment of the game they profess to promote.

The time is now for all parties to acknowledge that a concerted effort and responsible attitude is required for the promotion and betterment of football.

The recruitment and development of prospective umpires are areas of concern and the need for positive action to attract and foster young umpires is long overdue.

Retention of umpires on our panel is also imperative and the loss of members to minor associations over recent years is disconcerting.

Season 1980 saw a high number of relatively inexperienced umpires given the opportunity to perform in the Reserves and Colts grades, something that longer serving members never achieved. Opportunity is an important factor in umpiring and I know that there are members with several years service, particularly in the Field and Goal ranks, who consider they have not been given similar opportunities.

Be that as it may, I would say to those members who are given the opportunity - GRASP IT - but if disappointment comes your way in a year or two and you find yourself kicking the pickets "out beyond the black stump" as newer members are "rotated" in, remember that you are not the first and will not be the last.

I wish to commend and thank all members of the Management Committee for their positive contribution in directing the affairs of the Association during the past year.

I am sure that you, the members, appreciate the work that these gentlemen have achieved in the area of fee and meal money payments, standard taxation claims and improvements to changerooms at league grounds, to name but a few.

In particular, I thank our Secretary, Peter Pustkuchen, for his ready support and guidance in my first year as President. A highlight of the year was the function held at the Pagoda as a tribute to Peter's dedication to the Association over 20 years. The response from members, past and present, reflected the high esteem in which Peter is held.

Special mention and thanks to retiring committeeman, Dick Stubberfield, a dedicated and energetic worker for our Association over many years.

Also to David Rowe, who has decided to step down as Vice President this year to concentrate on studies. David had the difficult portfolio of Social Chairman during 1980 and has been responsible for the production of our Annual Report this year and in 1979.

Without a doubt the most disappointing aspect of our Association affairs during 1980 was the failure again to secure sponsorship, despite an approach by a major WAFL sponsor, Town and Country Permanent Building Society.

We understand that the WAFL is presently holding discussions with a prospective sponsor for 1981 and we await details with interest.

The continued support of AMPOL in providing our major trophies is gratefully acknowledged and we remind all members to support AMPOL (and our Association) by use of the Supporters Cards.

Special thanks and acknowledgement are due to Town and Country for their generous support by way of a \$500 donation during 1980.

The response to your Committee's call for volunteers to assist with the cleaning of Subiaco Oval after each of the final round games was magnificent. A sincere thank you to those 60 plus members (especially the ladies) who turned up after Grand Final Day – without a doubt the old adage "many hands make light work" was truly demonstrated.

Congratulations to all those umpires who participated in the final round and particularly the Grand Final and Interstate umpires.

In closing I extend a warm welcome to the incoming Committee and to you, the Members, every success both on and off the field in 1981.

JOHN DEVINE PRESIDENT

#### SECRETARY'S REPORT

I take pleasure on behalf of your Management Committee, in presenting our Annual Report for 1980.

Overall the past season has been a very good one for our Association and its members. The performances on the field maintained the high standard for which we have come to expect over the years. The July "Blues" again got to a couple of coaches and critics, when their sides didn't perform up to expectations, but generally our performances have been well received. At this stage we must commend the WAFL Directors for their efforts in helping to control such outbursts. Efforts along these lines will surely be only beneficial to our game.

On the administrative side the Association has continued to function very efficiently. The 10% fund from the security work, this year didn't bring in the extra funds that we were able to acquire through the Miss Universe Pageant, but the efforts of David Rowe in obtaining the cleaning contract for Subiaco Oval during the finals, certainly restored our financial position to a more satisfactory level. May I say at this juncture, that our 10% money has been a tremendous asset in assisting our administrative costs and subsidizing some of our functions. This additional income helped us maintain our membership fees to a minimum, but unfortunately with a falling off of security work and rises in expenses, our membership fees will have to be renewed for the new season. At this stage further cleaning contracts must be considered doubtful in view of WAFL using Subiaco Oval throughout the season for fixtures, and this service may be given to a permanent contractor.

Once again our field umpiring panel failed to attract sufficient numbers, and for the greater part of the year we were again faced with many "Double Headers." This situation is not good, as many umpires spend most of the weekend away from wives and families which often results in strained relations. Undoubtedly the big problem, is the long hours away from home in the country each Sunday. This country service is never an attraction, but is an integral part of the umpiring apprenticeship. Monetary rewards are not in country umpiring, and with the Tax man taking his share, there is very little to attract fellows to umpiring.

Again a number of country leagues have endeavoured to assist the umpiring situation by forming their own panels. While this is a very commendable exercise, it is not easy for the umpires concerned who have very often played local football in the towns where they are officiating. Town patriotism often effects their umpiring, and we find very promising umpires throwing in the towel, so they can still live in these towns. The answer to this situation is not easy. Perhaps the formation of an umpiring panel in a larger country area to service other leagues further away may be of some value. However, for this to be successful, WAFL will need to promote country umpiring by the appointment of a Country Umpires Advisor, who will be responsible for the fitness and lectures to those concerned. It certainly won't be achieved overnight, but to have any success it will need the full backing of WAFL.

The 1980 year will be remembered as our year for trips. Two trips to South East Asia and a trip to Adelaide have certainly kept our members busy fund-raising. This effort is surely a commendable one for all those concerned, especially when one considers the many extra hours that have been put in by members. I feel sure may will, by the time of our Annual General Meeting feel that it was all worthwhile. The Trip Committee Report, appears elsewhere, but may I express our sincere thanks and appreciation to all those who have been associated with the management of the Associations Trip Committee during the past two seasons; there efforts are to be admired.

One of the important decisions, which we must decide is the future of our contract fund-raising projects. If we can get a nucleus of members who are interested in another trip, then I see no reason why we can't continue to carry out this contract work. However, if the members are not interested, then I feel, that we must forego some of this work. I can only say, as I did in this report in 1979, that if we are going to continue with this contract work, every member must give it his total effort, as our work is judged on the Association, not the individual; and if we were to lose these contracts; trip fund-raising would be a good deal harder.

The other point, I would like to mention at this stage, is the greed for money in an Association like ours, is always a dangerous thing. I feel that unfortunately undercurrents have crept in this year, with members claiming that they are not getting the same amount of work as another. This cannot result in harmony between our members and this is not good for an Association. This I throw in as a warning only, for I feel that we are all big enough to do the right thing.

Let me now turn to comments on the overall functioning of the Association during the past season.

#### MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

The success of our Association during 1980 is due directly to our new President JOHN DEVINE. John had the very big task in stepping into the shoes of Ross Capes, who had led our Association so capably since 1974. The experience on the Committee over a number of years have undoubtedly assisted John, and he was able to take over from where Ross left off. Throughout the entire season, John has held the Association foremost, and worked tirelessly for the benefit of all members, and the betterment of our Association. John has shown the true dedication to our highest position, and it is through his expert guidance and very capable chairing of our meetings that have ensured our Association has continued to prosper.

At the same time John has continued to represent our Association as the top boundary umpire in the state, and during the season bought up his 200th league game, and also officiated in his seventh grand final. An achievement of the highest order. Along with all this, John has been a very fine ambassador for our Association, off the field, and with his re-election as President in 1981, our Association can be assured of another great year.

The Management Committee will lose a real stalwart with the very premature retirement of our Senior Vice President David Rowe. Although David is a relatively new comer to our Management Committee, his contribution for the benefit of our Association has been nothing short of fantastic. It is pleasing to note that his services have resulted in him being awarded the Life Members Trophy for 1980. David has been a very inspiring leader to our Social Committee, and the success of our Social functions surely reflects in his efforts. At all times, David has been of tremendous assistance to our Executive Committee, with his sound advice and assistance whenever the occasion arose. We wish David well in his studies, and sincerely hope to see his return to the Management Committee in the not too distant future.

Our Junior Vice President, John McKay will be seeking a position as a Committeems in 1981. John holds the Association foremost, and always thinks positively and for the benefit of the Association and its members. John's efforts for the Association are acknowledged with thanks.

The financial side of the Association has been capably managed by our new Treasurer Kevin Holland. With the reduction in the security work, our 10% gains have fallen and our Association has had a tight year financially. However, Kevin has held a tight grip on the funds, and provided valuable assistance to both the Social and General Committee permitting them to arrange all business and functions with the utmost confidence. To you Kevin we thank you for your careful and accurate financial reports, and look forward to your assistance again in 1981.

At this stage may I record our thanks to Darryle Gillies for his efforts as Assistant Secretary. In this capacity, Darryle has looked after all the correspondence and business associated with the N.F.L. Umpires Association. This has taken a big load from my shoulders, and it is with regret that we note Darryle's retirement from the Committee. His efforts over the past 18 months are akcnowledged with gratitude.

Alan Mirabella, our Social Secretary is a very dedicated person, and has also carried-out his duties in a most commendable manner in his first year. All functions have been well planned and organized which speaks well for Alan and his committee.

Once again in 1980, our Association has been fortunate in having a very dedicated and loyal bunch of fellows on our Committee. At all times all business has been tabled and discussed constructively and in the best interests of the Association, and umpiring. The amount of business, discussed continues to grow each year, and as such most meetings lasted over three hours. In 1980, Committee Meetings were held at 5.15 P.M. on the second Monday in the Month, and this proved quite successful. Thus we acknowledge the efforts of Dick Stubberfield, Michael Ball, Barry Davies, Barry Johnson, Brent Findlay and Roy Becker.

At this stage, it would be remiss of me, if I didn't mention the contribution of Dick Stubberfield, in his retirement from our Association's Management

Committee. Dick first joined the Association in 1966, and his efforts in the past 15 years have been nothing short of fantastic. If there was anything to be done, Dick would volunteer his services, and you could be assured that he would give every task his 100% effort. First elected to the Committee in 1969, he has served on the Committee continuously as Vice President; Social Secretary (5 years) and Committeeman since that time. His services were acknowledged by the members when he was made a Life Member in 1973. As a member of the Management Committee, his guidance and advice have always been held in the highest respect; and his gentle ability to stir kept everyone on their toes. On behalf of all umpires, past and present, may I record our sincere thanks and appreciation to Dick, for what has been a truly tremendous contribution over 15 years of dedicated and devoted service in his own illustrious manner for the betterment of our Association. Congratulations Dick.

At this stage, may I record with gratitude, our sincere thanks to the wives of the committee, for their patience, understanding, and cooperation, through our call to Association duties.

#### UMPIRES APPOINTMENT BOARD

The Umpires Appointment Board continued to carry out their role in a most efficient and diligent manner during 1980. As always, there was the usual amount of criticism levelled at them from within and without umpiring circles. As I have said over many years, selectors have a very difficult job, and one which certainly won't please everybody.

The Umpires Appointment Board for 1980, was once again led by League Vice President, Mr. Brian Purslowe; with Mr. Ray Scott; Mr. Max Pinner and Mr. John Fuhrmann making up the full compliment.

Once again the Board have endeavoured to give as many field umpires as possible a run in the city. While I can see value in this, as a means of encouraging the new umpires, I still feel that "Colts" is not the place for umpires to learn the fundamentals of umpiring. This is an important building area for League footballers and for that matter umpires. In this way, I feel that the Board must look at some city competition, where newer umpires can be observed, and taught the basic fundamentals of umpiring. This must be used as a graduating step to Colts and Reserves football. This will then bring more competition for places each Saturday and ensure a high standard of performances. Hopefully, something in this way may be organized for 1981.

Once again, the Umpires Appointment Board have been assisted by a number of observers, who have contributed comprehensive and constructive reports on umpiring performances each week. At this stage we acknowledge the efforts of Bill Brown, Don McComish, Bruce Ockwell, Dick Stubberfield, Peter Snow, Terry Neilson and Ned Martino.

#### UMPIRES ADVISER

Ray Scott was again appointed as our Umpires Advisor in 1980. As always, Ray has continued to look for new innovations and ways to better our game, and it is through this devotion and dedication to umpires and umpiring, that we have enjoyed another successful season on the field. At all times he aims for the best from our umpires, and may we record our sincere thanks for the cooperation he has given to our Association over the year.

Ned Martino, acted as Ray's assistant. Ned always has the encouraging word for our new umpires, and his efforts for those on the country panel are acknowledged with gratitude. Ned has had the very demanding job of making all the country appointments and maintaining the car roster each week, for our members.

#### UMPIRES TRAINING SUPERVISOR

In 1980, we have been very fortunate in having John Fuhrmann as our Training Supervisor. Throughout the long season, John has aimed for variety in our work. As we all know, in an activity which depends almost totally on running, training can become tedious, but, to John's credit, he has been able to maintain a high level of enthusiasm amongst our members throughout the entire season. Every opportunity was provided for each umpire to maintain his top fitness. Thanks John for your efforts on our behalf, and we look forward to seeing you on the track in 1981.

# POINT PERON TRAINING CAMP

Our twelfth Pre-Season Training Camp was another resounding success. As usual, the weekends programme was in the capable hands of Hal Symons. As always, everything was thoroughly planned, and everyone benefited from a great weekend fitness wise and socially. Again we record with gratitude our very sincere thanks to Hal for his efforts for all those concerned.

Top quality food and cooking was again the order, and here we once again thank Vinka Cukela for her efforts and fine contribution to the successful weekend.

#### COUNTRY FOOTBALL

Country football still fails to attract umpires. The very great distances that face our members each weekend surely dampens their spirits. As has been the case for many years now, we failed to get sufficient members, and many double headers were experienced. There doesn't seem any answer to the situation, except for possibly forming umpiring groups in the bigger country areas, as I mentioned previously.

Our relations with our country friends has again been generally good. However, it is with regret that I record that a couple of our members were attacked in vicious circumstances in country centres. This behaviour cannot be tolerated, and thankfully tight measures introduced towards the end of the season, appeared to have the desired effect. It is now up to every umpire in 1981

to report any breakdowns in this protection or welfare system, because once we relax our guard, problems will surely occur again. Most umpires have endeavoured to do the right thing in the country and overall our country friends are very happy.

Fortunately we have experienced another safety year on the roads. Our remarkable record goes on, but how long this record can last in respect to distance travelled is a very big question mark. While most umpires who are the car driver for the day endeavour to do the right thing, it is disturbing to learn of misdemeanours which could have cost a life or two. Not a pleasant thought, but unfortunately safety is something which we cannot neglect.

As always, if any member has any ideas, thoughts or ways of improving the situation in respect to country umpiring, please let me know. The WAFL and our Association all realize the problems, but unfortunately we don't have the naswers.

## LIFE MEMBERSHIP

The recommendation of the Management Committee will be presented for your approval during the Annual General Meeting.

#### FINANCE

This year, as I have mentioned previously has resulted in a few worries financially, however, a couple of projects which we obtained late in the season prevented any real problems. The main problem experienced was the reduction in the amount of security work available to us and as a result a falling off in our 10% money. If you refer to my 1979 report, I did heed this warning at that stage.

It now seems inevitable that we will need to increase our membership fees for the ensuing years. The continual rising costs are lifting our administrative costs, which we endeavour to cover with our membership fees, and thus the increase will be necessary.

Again, may I warn, that while we were able to obtain the cleaning contract for Subiaco Oval for the finals this year, this project may not be available to us in 1981. Thus again we can only budget for projects, which we can be sure to hold, and thus again finances will need to be clearly monitored in 1981.

The full financial report as presented by our Treasurer appears elsewhere in this report for your information.

#### UMPIRES TRAINERS

It was great to have the services of a full compliment of Trainers in 1980. This enabled each ground to be covered each match day and a good turn-out each training night.

For the 1981 season, the Management Committee appointed Mr. Warren South as our Head Trainer. Warren bought with him considerable experience, and as such was able to carry-out all his duties in a highly competent and professional manner.

At the same time Warren was able to provide guidance to assist the newer members of his staff. Sincere thanks are extended to Warren for his dedicated service on behalf of all our members. We surely look forward to your assistance again in 1981.

Assisting Warren were, Bernie Magnus, Des Doherty and Harry Jardine. All three proved very loyal and dedicated members to our cause, and their efforts on our behalf are recorded with sincere thanks. We look forward to seeing you all back with us in 1981.

It was also great to see Alan Lyons offering his assistance to our members and the training staff. Thanks Alan for your continued support.

May I also say how great it was to see our training staff supporting our Association in other ways. This surely reflects on their character and devotion to our cause. Thanks for your support fellas, its truly appreciated.

May we once again acknowledge the kind donation from WAFL to assist us in subsidizing our training staff.

#### UMPIRES ADVOCATES

1980 has again been a very busy year for our Advocates, with only one free Monday night for the entire season. As always, our members have been looked after very competently, by this very loyal and efficient group of Life Members. So dedicated are these fellows, that as well as working in city tribunals, they have even volunteered to attend tribunals in the country with our members. May I personally record my thanks and appreciation for the kind cooperation I have received from the Advocates at all times, especially when tribunals occurred any night between Monday and Thursday. Thanks fella's for being so understanding.

To John Dolling, Len Hurley, John Smith-Gander and Ray Montgomery, may I extend on behalf of all members our sincere thanks and appreciation for your very valuable contribution to our Association.

#### SOCIALLY

Once again our members have been treated to some very excellent social functions. Again, it is very disappointing to find that many members do not support our functions. The very essence of umpiring and a strong Association is comradeship, and these social functions are a means by which our members can get together and promote this very important aspect. We can make our social functions even better by the full support of you the members. In this way it will also give our social committee the confidence to plan bigger and better things.

As has been the case over the last couple of seasons, our Association has been planning our social functions to have a little class and at the same time to break even, without endeavouring to make profits. I think they have achieved this very successfully, but unfortunately they have not always received the support they deserved.

May I at this time record our thanks to the social committee - David Rowe (Chairman), Alan Mirabella (Social Secretary), Kevin Holland and Brent Findlay for their efforts in making the year socially successful.

Once again, I urge all members to get behind our new Social Committee in 1981, and make all functions an outstanding success. Our Association and you the members can only benefit. The Social Committee Report appears elsewhere.

#### APPRECIATION IN 1980

The WANFL Umpires Association acknowledges with pleasure, the efforts of the following, during the past season:-

<u>Peter Troode</u> - for carrying out our printing requirements on all our Association certificates.

Dick Stubberfield - for preparing the frames for all our Association certificates.

<u>John Devine</u> - for his leadership and guidance of our Association in his first year as President.

Kevin Holland - for his meticulous attention to all financial matters, and keeping us on the right side of the ledger.

Ted Brunton - for his quidance, and as our honorary auditor.

Management Committee - for their untiring efforts in ensuring that our Association was able to function in the best interest of all members.

Hal Symons - Point Peron Training Camp wouldn't be one without him. As always a successful and enjoyable weekend had by all concerned.

Warren South, Bernie Magnus, Des Doherty, Harry Jardine - for your efforts and attention to caring for our members in need, and your overall support for our Association.

Advocates - to the Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday night gang, please accept our sincere thanks for your excellent and ready assistance, which was made available to members throughout the season.

Gil Bishop - for his efforts as propertyman.

Joe Fitzgerald and Lionel King - as our honorary solicitors. A quiet year, but its great to know we have the expert guidance at our fingertips when the time comes.

Ampol - in particular Ross Benzie. The donation of trophies and medals for umpiring achievements in 1980. Thanks Ampol.

<u>David Rowe</u> - for the compilation of Annual Report, and his very willing assistance throughout 1980:

Christine Latto - for typing all my Association correspondence.

To all those members who have contributed to another successful year for our Association, but haven't been mentioned in despatches, may we record with gratitude a very big thank you.

#### CONCLUSION

As I reflect back over 1980, one can only say it has been another good year for our Association. We continue to grow in status, and while the advances and gains may appear small, we have surely come a long way in the last decade. Again, I can only stress, that we must continue to work for the betterment of umpiring and our Association, and to achieve this we need your full support.

One disappointing note, which I feel I must bring to the attention of members, is their reluctance to accept positions on our Management Committee. While I appreciate, there are a few of us who are not in the position to stand on the Management Committee, I personally believe there are a lot who could afford the time, and could give something to the Association. There are fellows who have plenty of say at meetings, but as soon as they are faced with a nomination form, they decline the offer. Probably, by not being opposed, it means our Management Committee is doing a good job, but I feel, the more pressure that you, the members, put on us, the more successful the Association will be.

As always in presenting a comprehensive report of this nature, one will undoubtedly overlook some important thank you or feature - May I assure one and all that such omissions on my part are completely unintentional. Please accept my humble apologies.

As usual 1980, will mean the end of an umpiring career with our Association for a number of our panel umpires. To those concerned, we extend our sincere thanks and appreciation for your services, cooperation and contributions over the years, and may we wish you well in your retirement, or in greener umpiring fields. A warm invitation will always be extended to you to continue as a social member of our Association. To those of you who will be lining up again on Tuesday 6th January, 1981, we look forward to your continued support.

In closing - to all members, your wives and families, on behalf of Della, Jay, Clare and myself - may we wish you all the very best for the coming festive season, and may the New Year be both prosperous and rewarding for you all.

PETER PUSTKUCHEN
SECRETARY.

#### MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

# MEETING ATTENDANCE

## MEETINGS HELD: 12

NAMES	ATTENDED	APOLOGIES	POSSIBLE
John DEVINE	12	-	12
David ROWE	12		12
John McKAY	10	<b>1</b>	12
Peter PUSTKUCHEN	12	_	12
Darryle GILLIES	10	. 1	12
Kevin HOLLAND	12	? <u>-</u>	12
Alan MIRABELLA	12	· -	12
Barry DAVIES	10	2	12
Michael BALL	11	1	12
Barry JOHNSON	11	1	12
Dick STUBBERFIELD	11		12
Roy BECKER	9	1	10
Brent FINDLAY	11	1	12
Brian HAIGH	1	i	2
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#### SOCIAL SECRETARY'S REPORT

#### GENTLEMEN.

In commencing my report, I would like to extend a note of thanks to certain members who contributed a lot of time and effort into the running of the social side of our Association in 1980.

To our Chairman, David Rowe, whose help and guidance paved the way for a successful year.

To our Treasurer, Kevin Holland, who kept financial control on functions, raffles etc. throughout the year.

To Brent Findlay and Barry Johnson, whose dedicated assistance as social committee members, was always forthcoming, as was all the rest of the Management Committee.

To John Devine, and Peter Pustkuchen, a special thanks for their guidance on various matters during the year.

Social functions throughout the year were run as close to financial break-even point as possible, however due to increased association running costs, we were not able to subsidize the Grand Final Dinner and Dance to the same extent we have in previous years. Hopefully we will be able to next year.

Generally, functions were well patronized, however I was a little disappointed with the attendance of <u>active</u> members at social functions. An average of only 49% of active members attended the seven functions, and a total of 46 attended two or less of these functions.

I would take this opportunity to also thank my wife Collene, for her patience and understanding during the year.

In closing I would like to thank all members for their cooperation throughout the year and hope to see them in 1981.

ALAN MIRABELLA SOCIAL SECRETARY

#### OFF-SEASON HINTS

Undertaking all of the following suggestions will make pre-season training in 1981 a less traumatic experience.

#### INJURIES

Should you have completed the season, or "carried" an injury throughout the year have it attended to. A rest may relieve the symptoms, but if the cause remains the injury can re-occur during 1981.

The average G.P. has little knowledge of sports injuries. Two doctors that are recognised and qualified in this area are:-

Dr. Alex Sinclair, 12 Cleveland Street, Dianella 6062 272-2236 (W) Dr. Ken Fitch, 24 Union Street, Subiaco 6008 381-2288 (W)

# DIET

During the football season a considerable amount of energy is expended during training and games. As a result food intake generally rises.

Upon cessation of the season it is important to reduce your intake, since energy expenditure will be lower. Failure to do so will result in an increase in weight.

#### TRAINING OFF-SEASON

Bearing in mind that pre-season training generally commences on the first Tuesday in January, a 4-6 week off-season using the "active rest" principle should be undertaken.

Running (jogging) can be confined to three days per week during this period, covering 3 to 5 miles per session. Activities such as squash, tennis or swimming would also be beneficial. Continue all flexibility and strengthening exercises undertaken during the football season.

Later training adaptation is dependent on the overload principle. No benefit can be expected unless the training stimulus threshold is reached. For an umpire this should be at about 80% of the maximal heart rate. Maximal heart rate is easily estimated by 220 minus the age in years. Hence, a 30 year old umpire has a maximul heart rate of approximately 190 beats per minute and should run at an intensity which produces a rate of 152 beats per minute. This should be maintained for 15 to 35 minutes.

At the conclusion of 4-6 weeks add an addtional day of faster running - a total concentration on long slow distance will result in a loss of basic speed during the football season.

A total of four days running per week, spacing the three rest days to suit personal convenience or "tiredness" is logical.

No great additional benefit will be accrued by running distances further than 5-6 miles.

#### **VENUES**

Since it is difficult and may be boring training as an individual instead of in a group, some people may wish to train with an athletics coach or club. Contact can easily be made via a little athletics centre meeting who will have knowledge of where senior athletes training. (Footballers frequently utilise these people.)

Alternatively vary the place of training e.g. beach, river, gold course, Jacob's Ladder, Kings Park etc.

Best of luck.

JOHN F.

#### "KEVIN COX MEMORIAL GRANT"

After the untimely death of fellow umpire Kevin Cox in 1970, the Management Committee established the "Kevin Cox Memorial Grant". This was to be an annual grant of sporting equipment to a deserving mission in order to remember the name of Kevin Cox in umpiring circles as a means of acknowledging his efforts in umpiring and the Association.

The recipients of the "Kevin Cox Memorial Grant" over the years are as follows:-

1971	Mowanjum Mission, Derby.
1972	Jigalong Mission, Via Newman.
1973	La Grange Mission, Via Broome.
1974	Cunderlee Mission.
1975	Cosmo Newberry Mission, Via Laverton.
1976	Balgo Hills Mission, Via Hallscreek.
1977	Beagle Bay Mission, Via Broome.
1978	St. Joseph's School, Moora.
1979	Ingada Village Mission, Carnarvon.
1980	Kalumburu Mission, Wyndham.

# PLAYERS TEA AND PRESENTATION OF TROPHIES

## AT MISS MAUD'S RECEPTION CENTRE

# 2ND SEPTEMBER, 1980



Fred Abbott elated after his Certificate of Service presented by Norm Shepherd.



Ken Cross receiving his Certificate of Service from Norm Shepherd.



Barry Davies receiving his 10yr. Certificate from Ross Capes.



"Not a filling between them". Ray Hartland's 10yr. Certificate presentation.



Our Propertyman, Gil Bishop receives his 10yr. Certificate.



Ross Capes presenting 10yr. Certificate to Alan Mirabella.



Steve (Greyhound)
Walker being presented with Silver
Slipper by new
Life Member, Hal
Symons.



Warren South, our Head Trainer receiving his honorarium from Assoc. President John Devine.



Bernie Magnus, being awarded his Trainer's Honorarium.



John Devine thanking Des Doherty for his efforts in 1980.



Our ex-Head Trainer, Alan Lyons receiving an Honorarium.



Ned Martino presents 50 game medallions to David Rowe and Mike Ball.



John Morris after receiving his Interstate award from Peter Pustkuchen.



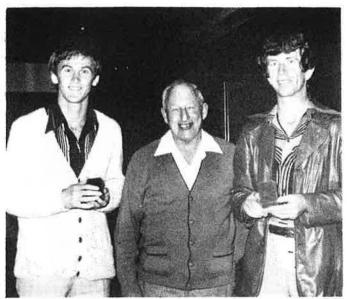
Bob Phillips, the Most Dedicated Umpire, presented by John Fuhrmann and Ross Benzie.



Ross Benzie presenting Dennis Davis with the Ampol Trophy for 'Most Improved Boundary Umpire'.



'Most Improved Goal Umpire' Colin Raynor, being awarded his trophy.



Greg McDonald and Barry Johnson receiving their 50 game medallions from Lew Nathan.



Both Lee receives his 100 games trophy from Terry Neilson.



Terry Neilson congratulating Gil Bishop on 100 games



John Morris being awarded with his 100 game trophy from Ray Whitfield.

1980
Balance Sheet
and

Treasurer's Report

# FINANCIAL STATEMENT YEAR ENDED 15TH OCTOBER, 1980

# WORKING ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS	1980	1979	PAYMENTS	1980	1979
Opening Balance	1270	61	HONORARIUM		
Transferred ex Reserve A/c	_	2000			
Subscriptions	1830	1760	Secretary	400	400
Trainers Subsidy, '80 & '81	2000	1000	Treasurer	150	150 -
Raffle (Door)	194	54	Assistant Secretary	50	450
Raffle (Books)	2222	590	Social Secretary	150	150
Association Ties	12	-	4		
Pocket Badges	30	24	SOCIAL ACTIVITIES		
Cuff Links	4	7	Barbecue	478	464
Affiliation Fee (Timekeepers)	2	2		2385	1834
Donations (Town & Country)	500	50	Umpires Teas & Refreshments Cabaret (805.D.F.C.)(79W.P.F.C		250
Carlton Hotel (Trophy)	-	90	Grand Final Dinner Dance	3406	34
Jumpers	1387	=	Christmas Tree	55	64
Refund Cheque Stamp Duty	20	-	Interstate Umpires	479	585
Bank Interest	20	-	Finals Entertainment	413	40
			Country & Western Cabaret	_	668
SOCIAL ACTIVITIES			Notice Board	_	74
SUCTAL ACTIVITIES			Trophies	69	-
Umpires Teas	2002	1257	Presentations	58	_
Barbecue	329	434	Finals Clean Up Expenses	160	_
Cabaret (80 S.D.F.C.).(79 W.P.F.C.)	206	154	Tillata ciadii op expellece	150	
Grand Final Dinner Dance	2960	1678			
Night at Cinema	126	82	TRAINING ACTIVITIES		
Country & Western Cabaret	-	738	Point Peron Camp	848	696
Contract Work 10%	978	2684	Trainers Requirements	213	263
			Sonic Machine Exercise Bike	-	520
TRAINING ACTIVITIES			Trainers Fees	1300	950
		===	Basket Balls	-	16
Point Peron Camp	778	538			
2			ADMINISTRATION		
			Tribunal Exp (Travelling)	20	-
			Jumpers	1287	-
			Printing & Stationery	758	473
			Postal, Telephone & Telegrams	294	254
			Advertising	3	139
			Bank Charges	24	31
			N.F.L.U.A. Affiliation Fee	50	45
		1	N.F.L.U.A. (Meetings)	654	-
			Insurance (Public Liability)	270	56
			Sports Equipment to Mission	96	80
			Life Members	-	46
			Committee Entertainment	135	178
			Incorporation Costs	-	22
			Broom & Rakes	228	4055
_			Cash at Bank	2850	1270
<b>\$</b> 1	6870	\$13203		\$16870	\$13203
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## RESERVE ACCOUNT

	1980	1979	*	1980	1979
Opening Balance Deposits Contract Work 10% Interest	322 3450 - 55	859 303 1055 105	Transfer to Current A/c Balance	<b>-</b> 3827	2000 322
	\$3827	\$2322 ====	i .	\$3827 ====	\$2322 ====

## SUMMARY

				\$6677	\$1592
					-
Balance	of	Reserve	A/c	3827	322
Balance	of	Working	A/c	2850	1270
				1980	1979

IN	ADDITION THE ASSOCIATION OWNS	7		SF	SPORTS EQUIPMENT		
1	Typewriter Purchased 1974			2	Volley Ball Nets		
1	Typewriter Purchased 1976			4	Volley Ball Stands		
1	Refrigerator Purchased 1974		(2-)	2	Volley Balls		
В	Cufflinks @ \$3.50 set			2	Cricket Bats		
41	Association Ties @ \$5.70			1	Set Wickets		
20	Goal Umpires Ties @ \$4.00			1	Set Aluminium Batons		
3	Rub Down Tables (1977)	2.	(2-)	1	Brass Air Pump		
1	Metal Locker (1977)			2	Basket Balls		
1	Exercise Bike (1978)		(2+)	8	Tennis Balls		
1	Ultrasonic Machine (1979)			6	Footballs		
1	Notice Board (1979)			1	Set Quoits		
1	Ray Lamp		(1-)	2.	Stop Watches		
1	Massager						

1 Cash Register

# AUDITOR'S STATEMENT

I have examined the above records and in my opinion they are properly drawn up so as to give a true and fair view of the associations affairs.

E.W. BRUNTON A.A.S.A. HON. AUDITOR

# TREASURER'S REPORT

Gentlemen,

On looking back over the past year our results have been satisfactory thanks to the hardworking efforts of your management and social committee.

Our reserve account has a balance of \$3,827 with more money still to come in which will boost this account even further. The money in this account is the result of monies received from the "Finals Clean Ups". Our thanks must go to the Management Committee for acquiring this work and of course to those people who attended those clean ups for a job well done. Without this extra effort our reserve account wouldn't look so healthy.

Our working account has a balance of \$2,850, this includes our trainers subsidy for 1981 so our overall result is up on last year by \$579.

Our sports equipment as shown in this report has dwindled on last year. I appeal to anyone who might have any of the equipment shown with a minus (-) sign to return it to our property man.

It is time we had a good look at increasing our subscription fees for 1981. The two main reasons for this are inflation over the last four years and the cost to administer our association.

In conclusion, I would sincerely like to thank the management and social committees and to you members, for the support you have given to me throughout the 1980 season, my first year as treasurer and I look forward to 1981.

KEVIN HOLLAND TREASURER



Trevor Starcevich receives his 'Most Improved Field Umpire' from Ampol's Ross Benzie.



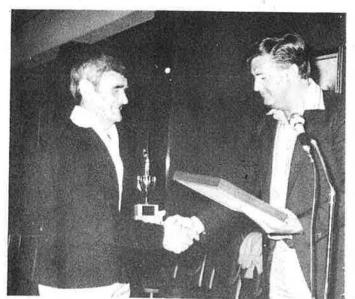
John Devine receives his gold medallion for 200 games from veteran boundary umpire Charlie Pratt and Ampol's Ray Colgate.



An exclusive club,
Ross Capes being
congratulated on
200 games by George
Meiers. Award
made by Ampol's
State Manager Ray
Colgate.



A response from the Pres!



Roy Becker, also a recipient of the 100 game award.



John Dolling presenting Ron Powell with the 150 game trophy.



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Dick Stubberfield and Ross Benzie present Ross Capes with Interstate award.

# W.A.N.F.L. UMPIRES' ASSOCIATION (INC)

#### TRIP FUND - ANNUAL REPORT

#### INTRODUCTION:

After careful consideration was given by all of the members to the numerous proposals and schedules available for the proposed overseas tour of Singapore and Thailand, it was decided that, for the first time, the interests of all members could be met by organising two separate tours - one for 58 people in October and a further tour of 20 members in January. The sanctioning of 2 tours had a two-fold desireable effect - it reduced the tour groups to more manageable sizes, and furthermore allowed all those members whose employment had prohibited them from participating in the 2 previous overseas trips, to finally go abroad with the Umpires.

The widening scope of Association trips introduced after the 1978 Tour allowed a smaller group of members to accrue funds toward a proposed tour of Europe in the future, and has also enabled a fourth group of 13 members the opportunity to travel to Adelaide to view first-hand the State-of-Origin Carnival in October.

Altold, more and more members have been able to benefit from the activities of the Trip Fund in the last two seasons and to gain more out of umpiring than was previously available.

#### FINANCIAL:

The 72 Members who have accrued funds over 1979 and 1980 have accumulated a total of \$90,110 including deposits, which is easily the highest figure attained by any fund-raising group in the Association to date.

Fund-raising over the last 4 years is summarised below:-

YEAR	TOTAL FUNDS RA		NETT FUNDS RA	
1977	25,190 )	62.539	21,215 )	52.388
1978	37,349 )	52,000	31,173 )	,
1979 *	50,163 )	90.110	41,663 )	70.865
1980	39,937 )	,	29,202 )	,

<sup>\*</sup> Includes Miss Universe Contest (\$20,000)

Actual money raised over 1977/78 for the tour of Penang and Hong Kong averaged \$504 per week, whilst the funds accumulated over 1979/80 for the two tours of Singapore and Thailand, together with Europe and Adelaide, averaged \$681 per week, which is an overall increase in fund-raising of OVER 35% above the previous

record figure. This is a remarkable effort and is attributable to the honest endeavour of all participants. Well done!

It can be seen from the comparative statement of earnings for the 1978 and 1980 tours that the increased earning capacity was entirely attributable to (nett) Contract Work which increased by almost \$19,000 (59%).

Coupled with this increase is a significant increase in the 10% dividend paid to the Association from the Trip Fund which over the 2 years 1979/80 amounted to nett payments of \$5,077.

Contract Work has provided the back-bone of fund-raising over the last 4 years and has moulded a solid foundation for the Association to build upon. Continuation of some, if not all, of Contract Work in future would allow the Association as a whole to move from strength to strength, and to continually improve.

#### APPRECIATION:

The fine fund-raising effort by all of the 72 participants was made possible by the Trip Committee and Group Leaders, who patiently organise functions and allocate work equitably amongst the members. None of these men receive any remuneration, reward, or privilege for their services; and for the many thousands of hours of work they have put in over the last two years, every member is indepted.

All but a few will be retiring from the Trip Committee this year after a job which has been skilfully and efficiently undertaken, and I hope other members see fit to volunteer to emulate their performances.

#### 1980 Trip Committee

Ross Capes
Lindsay Baguley
Michael Ball
Barry Davies
Barry Johnson
Ray Hartree

Chairman
Manager and Treasurer
Assistant Treasurer
Security Co-ordinator
Assistant Security Co-ordinator
Committee

#### 1980 Group Leaders

Bob Phillips Terry Neilson Barry Grimmond Bill McKune Phil O'Reilly

#### SOUTH-EAST ASIAN TOURS

South-East Asia still offers the most financially attractive holidays to Perth residents, and it is interesting to note that the cost of the 1980 October Tour is slightly  $\underline{\sf LESS}$  than the cost of a similar tour undertaken in 1978.

However, after 3 tours by Members to this area in 4 years, it is more than likely that the attraction has diminished and that new and inovative ideas will need to be forthcoming in the near future if successful trips are to be pursued.

But we can all be assured, from the enthusiasm that has been displayed by everyone involved in the 1980 tours, that our trip around Bangkok, Pattaya Beach and Singapore will be an unprecedented success and that it will be fondly remembered by all. After all, we've got a reputation to uphold!

LINDSAY BAGULEY
TOUR MANAGER.

# COMPARATIVE FUND-RAISING FOR 1978 AND 1980 TOURS

		1978	TOUR	1980	TOUR
	RECEIPTS	NETT CREDIT \$	TOTAL \$	NETT <u>CREDIT</u> \$	TOTAL \$
Α.	DEPOSITS Members Non-Members	3,129 7,022		14,892 4,353	
	CONTRACT WORK (NETT)		\$10,151		\$19 <b>,</b> 245
о.	CONTRACT WORK (NETT)  Perth Entertainment Centre Claremont Speedway Showground Cleaning World Series Cricket WACA Cricket Subiaco Oval Football Ascot Racing Carnival Misc. Concerts	18,010 1,994 3,600 2,671 482 3,896 1,557	,	30,521 1,171 - 1,451 208 5,326 6,399 6,069	
			\$32,210	x 2 <sup>40</sup>	\$51 <b>,</b> 145
С.	COMPETITIONS				
	Test Cricket Competitions Football Competitions Raffle Pontoon Tickets	2,829 3,792 3,604 804		1,810 3,118 5,203	
			\$11,029 ———		\$10,131
D.	FUNCTIONS				
	Bucks Shows Quiz Nights Wine Tasting Running Gaming Shows Bottle Drive Cabarets, etc. Wine Selling	6,505 1,231 237 400 206 392		1,925 1,176 321 650 - 977 1,426	
			\$ 8,971		\$ 6,475

# COMPARATIVE FUND-RAISING FOR 1978 AND 1980 TOURS cont.

		1978	TOUR	1980	TOUR
		NETT CREDIT	TOTAL \$	NETT CREDIT \$	TOTAL \$
E. MISCELLANEOUS	*				
Bank Interest etc.	•	4,032		4,591	V= 111-2-1-1-1
	*		\$ 4,032		\$ 4,591
2. PAYMENTS					
T-Shirts Departure Dinner Pattaya Night Penang Dinner Hong Kong Dinner Sundries		111 1,204 281 978 1,001 279		71 1,406 - - - -	
			\$ 3,854	. W.	\$ 1,477
SUMMARY		1978	TOUR	1980	TOUR
Receipts Payments			393 854	91,5 1,4	
NETT FUNDS RAISED		\$62,	539	\$90,1	10

# FORTY EIGHT YEARS OF DEDICATION



Alan reflecting over his years at the Presentation Night held at Miss Maud's.

Alan Lyons, after forty eight years as a Trainer with Western Australian Football has "called it a day".

The assistance given to the WANFL Umpires' Association by Alan over the past two years has been nothing short of outstanding. He was available to treat Association members not only on training and match days but whenever called upon.

Alan started as a Trainer with West Perth in 1932 and served for eleven years prior to joining the Army in 1941-44. He re-joined West Perth in 1946 and in 1951 was made Head Trainer. Work committments in 1952 forced Alan to relinquish this position however he made himself available on a limited basis at Leederville.

In 1960 Alan was appointed to Assistant Head Trainer, a position he still held when he retired from West Perth in 1978. Many name coaches came and went from West Perth during these years. Amongst them were Jack Cashman, John Leonard, Max Tetley, Sir Ross Hutchinson, Pat O'Donnohue, Pops Heal (Coach of the Jubilee Premiership Side), Arthur Oliver, Clive Lewington, Dennis Jones, Graham Farmer, Percy Johnson and Graham Campbell.

Highlights of Alan's career were many. He was involved on many occasions with State Teams, including 1971, when he was Assistant Head Trainer to the W.A. Team at the Carnival in Adelaide.

Apart from football, another highlight was his appointment to look after the Boxing contingent at the 1962 Commonwealth Games in Perth.

Looking to the future, Alan a Life Member of West Perth and of the Trainer Association, intends being a regular football follower, no doubt to be seen two rows back from the fence at Leederville Oval.

# ASSOCIATION OFFICE BEARERS SINCE 1953

Year	President	Secretary	Treasurer	Assist. Secretary or Social Secretary
1953	J. Ferguson	C. McMahon	C. McMahon	
1954	L. Hurley	A. Glendinning	A. Glendinning	
1955	H. Clair	L. Nathan	L. Nathan	
1956	H. Clair	L. Nathan	L. Nathan	
1957	H. Clair	L. Nathan	W. Carter	
1958	E. Crisp	L. Nathan	W. Carter	
1959	E. Crisp	L. Nathan	W. Carter	
1960	E. Crisp	L. Nathan	W. Carter	
1961	E. Crisp	L. Nathan	D. Kemp	
1962	E. Crisp	L. Nathan	D. Kemp	
1963	E. Crisp	L. Nathan	B. Moore	
1964	B. Rigg	L. Nathan	B. Moore	
1965	B. Rigg	L. Nathan	B. Moore	
1966	B. Rigg	G. McComish	B. Moore	W. Brown
1967	B. Rigg	G. McComish	E. Martino	W. Brown
1968	C. Hills	G. McComish	E. Martino	W. Brown
1969	J. Dolling	G. McComish	P. Pustkuchen	K. Cox
1970	R. Whitfield	P. Pustkuchen	B. Bidstrup	K. Cox
1971	R. Whitfield	P. Pustkuchen	B. Williams	R. Stubberfield
1972	R. Whitfield	P. Pustkuchen	B. Williams	R. Stubberfield
1973	R. Whitfield	P. Pustkuchen	B. Williams	R. Stubberfield
1974	R. Capes	P. Pustkuchen	B. Collett	R. Stubberfield
1975	R. Capes	P. Pustkuchen	B. Collett	R. Stubberfield
1976	R. Capes	P. Pustkuchen	B. Collett	D. Wakenshaw
1977	R. Capes	P. Pustkuchen	D. Aslett	D. Wakenshaw
1978	R. Capes	P. Pustkuchen	D. Aslett	T. Cant
1979	R. Capes	P. Pustkuchen	D. Aslett	T. Cant
1980	J. Devine	P. Pustkuchen	K. Holland	A. Mirabella

#### OUR LIFE MEMBERS

1957 A. 1958 J. 1960 L.	CHAPMAN FERGUSON HURLEY GIBB	1968 1970 1971	B. RIGG G. McCOMISH J. DOLLING R. WHITFIELD
H. 1962 L.		1972	W. CARTER (Deceased) C. HILLS * P. PUSTKUCHEN
1963 C. R.	FITZPATRICK ( MONTGOMERY	1973	<pre>c. PRATT * R. STUBBERFIELD</pre>
1964 D. E.	CUMMING (Deceased) BRUNTON :	1974	E. MARTINO G. MEIERS
1965 L. J.	McCOMISH (Deceased) CAMPBELL	1976 1977	T. NEILSON R. SCOTT
1966 J. N.	SMITH-GANDER SHEPHERD	1978	B. McKENZIE  * R. CAPES
1967 B. F.	MOORE WOODS * ACTIVE MEMBER	RS 1980 1979	B. COLLETT H. SYMONS



Travel requirements CONTACT

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## LEAGUE GAMES BY MEMBERS

The following are the number of League Games from official WAFL records at which our Members (1980) have officiated.

FIELD UMPIRES	YEAR OF ENTRY	NO. OF SEASONS	LEAGUE GAMES 1980	TOTAL LEAGUE GAMES
Michael BALL	1973	8	18	60
Ron BUCKEY	1973	8	24	140
Ross CAPES	1967	14	24	225
Graham FOGARTY	1977	4		4
Darryle GILLIES	1974	7	18	98
Brian HEARNE	1970	11	13	41
Ron McBRIDGE	1969	В	3	13
John MORRIS	1972	9	25	105
Phil O'RIELLY			5	5
Bob PHILLIPS	1967	13	23	139
Ron POWELL	1970	11	21	155
David ROWE	1975	6	8	59
Dick STUBBERFIELD	1966	15		4
Peter TROODE	1974	7	2	7
Brendan GREEN	1976	5	5	5
Frank LENDICH			5	5
BOUNDARY UMPIRES				,
	100			
David ASLETT	1973	8	22	148
Gil BISHOP	1971	10	23	102
Ray CROSS	1977	4	17	25
Robin DALBY	1972	9	10	89
Graham DANIEL	1972	8	12	86
Denis DAVIS	1980	1	4	4
John DEVINE	1966	14	25	202
John GRIFFITHS	1977	4		4
Kevin HOLLAND	1976	5	3	15
Barry JOHNSON	1976	5	18	54
Mark LIMMER	1978	3	7	7
Greg McDONALD	1977	4	24	66
Max WHITE	1977	4	1	8
Garry WOODHOUSE	1975	6	20	95

GOAL UMPIRES		YEAR OF ENTRY	NO. OF SEASONS	L	EAGUE GAMES 1980	TO:	TAL LEA GAMES	GUE
D DECKED		4074	7		00		445	
Roy BECKER		1974			22		115	
Trevor CANT		1970	11		3		85	
Lester COX		1977	4		15		30	
Brian FEWSTER		1973	. 7		-		47	
Ian GAGE		1978	3		3		6	
Max HALE	100	1968	13		22		184	
Ray HARTLAND	6	1970	10		12		129	
Ray HARTREE		1974	7		-		9	
Bob LEE		1971	10		21		120	
Doug LEICESTER		1976	5		3		31	
Les LEICESTER		1975	6		21		44	
Neville LEWIS		1978	3		8		8	
Alan LOCKYER		197			5		5	
John McKAY		1970	11		23		186	
Jim ROBBINS		1960	19		-		88	
Ron POOLE		1979	2	7	3		3	
Colin RAYNOR		1979	2		18		18	
Roy SOGAN		1979	2		6		6	

# COUNTRY GRAND FINALS - 1980

## "B" GRADE

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LEAGUE	FIELD	BOUNDARY	GOAL
CENTRAL WHEATBELT	Henry MICHAEL		Trevor STREATON Jim DICKINSON
LAKE GRACE/KULIN	Neville BUCKINGHAM		
MORTLOCK	Colin SHAWCROSS	Paul LEWIS Rob O'MALLEY	Colin RAYNOR Alan LOCKYER
NORTH MIDLANDS	Henry MICHAEL		Brian O'FARRELL Roy SOJAN
	"A" GRADE		
AVON	Ron McBRIDE		Ray HARTREE Alan LOCKYER
CARNARVON/GASCOYNE	Dick STUBBERFIELD		
CENTRAL GREAT SOUTHERN	Brendan GREEN		
CENTRAL MIDLANDS	Trevor STARCEVICH		
CENTRAL WHEATBELT	Alan MIRABELLA		Trevor STREATON Jim DICKINSON
*EASTERN DISTRICTS	Phil O'RIELLY Ross GRAFFIN		
*ESPERANCE	Brendan GREEN Graham FOGARTY		
EXMOUTH	Henry MICHAEL		
*GOLDFIELDS	Ron PÖWELL Goldfields Umpire		
GREAT NORTHERN	Brian HEARNE		
LAKE GRACE/KULIN	Darryle GILLIES		
LOWER SOUTH WEST	Ron McBRIDE		
MORTLOCK	Brian HEARNE	David ASLETT Ray CROSS	Colin RAYNOR Alan LOCKYER
MURRAY	Richard AUSTIN		Les LIECESTER Ron POOLE
NORTH MIDLAMOS	Ron BUCKEY	Kevin HOLLAND Dennis GRINCERI	Brian O'FARRELL Roy SOJAN
ONGERUP	Lance WHITE		

## "A" GRADE cont.

LEAGUE

FIELD

BOUNDARY

GOAL

SERVICES (Mid Week)

Kevin FRASER

\*SOUTH WEST

Ron POWELL

Brent FINDLAY

UPPER GREAT SOUTHERN

Peter PUSTKUCHEN

WEST KIBERLEY

, Ron BUCKEY

<sup>\*</sup> Denotes Two Umpire System.

#### W.A.F.L. GRAND FINAL UMPIRES 1980

	FIELD	BOUNDARY	GOAL
LEAGUE	John MORRIS	John DEVINE	Roy BECKER
	Bob PHILLIPS	Graham DANIEL	Max HALE
RESERVES	Ross CAPES Darryle GILLIES	Gil BISHOP Greg McDONALD	John McKAY Bob LEE
CÔLTS	David ROWE	Dennis DAVIS	Les LEICESTER
	Mika BALL	Barry JOHNSON	Ray HARTLAND

#### STATE GAMES

# FOOTBALL PARK - SATURDAY, JUNE 14TH SOUTH AUSTRALIA v. WESTERN AUSTRALIA

S.A. 21 . 19 d W.A. 9 . 10

Ross CAPES (W.A.)

Peter MEAD (S.A.)

V.F.L. PARK - SATURDAY, JULY 5TH
VICTORIA V. WESTERN AUSTRALIA

Vic. 18 . 15 d W.A. 15 . 12

John MORRIS (W.A.)

Peter CAMERON (VIC.)

FIELD

FIELD

#### CONGRATULATIONS 1980

#### FIRST LEAGUE GAMES 1980

FIELD : Brendan GREEN

Phil O'RIELLY

Frank LENDICH

BOUNDARY : Denis DAVIS

Mark LIMMER

GOAL Neville LEWIS

Alan LOCKYER Ron POOLE Colin RAYNOR Roy SOJAN

#### MILESTONES IN UMPRING LEAGUE

FIELD	:	Ron POWELL John MORRIS Michael BALL	150 100 50	GAMES
BOUNDARY	:	John DEVINE Gil BISHOP Barry JOHNSON Greg McDONALD	200 100 50 50	11 11 11

GOAL : Bob LEE 100 "
Ray HARTLAND 100 "

#### MOST IMPROVED UMPIRES - AMPOL TROPHIES

FIELD : Tyevor STARCEVICH

BOUNDARY : Denis DAVIS

GOAL : Colin RAYNOR

MOST DEDICATED Bob PHILLIPS

#### ONE THOUSAND PLUS

In the last game of the season at Leederville Oval when West Perth played East Perth the combined total of League Games between the six officiating umpires totalled 1,033. The individual tallies were Ross CAPES (223), Darryle GILLIES (96), John DEVINE (200), Dave ASLETT (147), Max HALE (183), and John McKAY (185).

#### A.F.C. GAMES

West Perth V. Hawthorn - Perth Oval 2/3/1980.

Field : Ross CAPES, Bob PHILLIPS

Boundary : John DEVINE, Greg McDONALD

Goals : Max HALE, Doug LIECESTER -

Claremont V. East Perth: - Leederville Oval 3/3/1980.

Field - : Ron BUCKEY, Darryle GILLIES

Boundary: Barry JOHNSON, Gil BISHOP

Goals : John McKAY, Colin RAYNOR

Perth V. Subiaco - Lathlain Park 3/3/1980.

Field : Ron POWELL, John MORRIS

Boundary: David ASLETT, Robin DALBY

Goals : Roy BECKER, Roy SOGAN

South Fremantle V. Carlton - Fremantle Oval 16/3/1980.

Field : Ron BUCKEY, John MORRIS

Boundary : John DEVINE, Robin DALBY

Goals : John McKAY, Les LIECESTER

Claremont V. Subiaco - Lathlain Park 15/3/1980.

Field : Bob PHILLIPS, Mike BALL

Boundary: Greg McDONALD, Gil BISHOP

Goals : Alan LOCKYER, Max HALE

Claremont V. Hawthorn - V.F.L. Park (Vic)

Field : Bob PHILLIPS (W.A.), Bill DELLAR (VIC.)

South Fremantle V. Essendon - V.F.L. Park (Vic)

Field: Ron BUCKEY (W.A.), Peter CAMERON (VIC.)

Claremont V. North Melbourne - V.F.L. Park (Vic)

Field : Ron POWELL (W.A.), Kevin SMITH (VIC.)

# NATIONAL CARNIVAL 11TH - 13TH OCTOBER, 1980 IN ADELAIDE

### South Australia v. Tasmania - Football Park 11/10/80

S.A. 22 . 18 d Tas. 8 . 13

FIELD : Bob SCHOLEFIELD (S.A.)

Haydn NIELSEN (TAS.)

# Western Australia v. Victoria - Football Park 11/10/80

Vic. 14 . 20 d W.A. 9 . 15

FIELD : John MORRIS (W.A.)

Ian ROBINSON (VIC.)

### Western Australia v. Tasmania - Football Park 13/10/80

W.A. 17 . 23 d Tas. 12 . 18

FIELD : John MORRIS (W.A.)

Haydn NIELSEN (TAS.)

# Victoria v. South Australia - Football Park 13/10/80

Vic. 15 . 12 d S.A. 12 . 13

FIELD : Ian ROBINSON (VIC.)

Bob SCHOLEFIELD (S.A.)

# GRAND FINAL UMPIRES SINCE 1953

<u>Date</u> 1953	<u>Field</u> F. (Smokey) Woods	Boundary W. Edgar	Goal
1953	r. (Smokey) woods	T. Reeves	J. Duckwood E. Crisp
1954	F. (Smokey) Woods	R. Colby W. Shorthill	J. Clayton H. Clair
1955	J. Greeh	J. Dolling F. Pimm	M. Rose W. Carter
1956	L. Gardner	R. Colby W. Shorthill	M. Rose W. Carter
1957	C. Fitzpatrick	R. Hall R. Whitfield	M. Rose W. Carter
1958	L. Gardner	R. Hall R. Whitfield	M. Rose W. Carter
1959	R. Montgomery	R. Hall D. Skipworth	M. Rose W. Carter
1960	L. Gardner	R. Hall D. Skipworth	M. Rose W. Carter
1961	L. Gardner	D. de Gruchy B. Bidstrup	M. Rose W. Carter
1962	B. Felf	D. de Gruchy B. Bidstrup	M. Rose W. Carter
1963	R. Scott	B. Bidstrup F. Naylor	M. Rose W. Carter
1964	R. Montgomery	B. Carbon K. Hart	M. Rose W. Carter
1965	Fred Woods	D. Hansen T. Lewis	R. Parkhouse P. Pustkuchen
1966	R. Muntgomery	K. Hart D. de Gruchy	R. Parkhouse P. Pustkuchen
1967	R. Scott	A. Hocking P. Snow	R. Paikhouse P. Pustkuchen

# GRAND FINAL UMPIRES contd.

Date	<u>Field</u>	Boundary	Goal
1968	R. Scott	J. Devine P. Bruce	J. Dolling R. (Dick) Montgomery
1969	R. Montgomery	P. Bruce J. Devine	J. Dolling L. Bromley
1970	R. Montgomery	D. Clair C. Feutrill	W. Carter G. Hall
1971	L. Honston	P. Bruce J. Devine	R. Hartland B. Collett
1972	J. Fuhrmann	P. Bruce J. Devine	D. Allen M. Hale
1973	R. Capes	D. Wakenshaw G. Tipping	J. McKay R. Hartland
1974	R. Capes	J. Devine G. Tipping	B. Collett B. Haigh
1975	R. Capes	D. Wakenshaw P. Cunningham	B. Haigh J. McKay
1976*	R. Capes R. Powell	D. Wakenshaw D. Aslett	B. Collett J. McKay
1977*	R. Capes R. Powell	D. Wakenshaw D. Aslett	R. Becker J. McKay
1978*	R. Buckey R. Capes	R. Dalby D. Aslett	R. Becker B. Haigh
1979*	R. Capes J. Morris	J. Devine G. McDonald	B. Haigh R. Lee
1980*	J. Morris R. Phillips	J. Devine G. Daniel	R. Becker M. Hale

<sup>\*</sup> Two Umpire System

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#### LADIES BASKETBALL

Since the last Annual General Meeting the Association has seen the girls form another basketball team, consisting once again of wives and girlfriends of the members, both teams are under the watchful eye of Peter Karhu.

At the completion of the Winter Competition which is the main competition our No. 2 team Division 16 were unfortunate to be displaced from the final four by one game. The Division 8 team made it through to the Preliminary Final only to be beaten.

Special mention should be made regarding Sheryl Phillips who won the Association's fairest and best for the winter competition Division 8. This is the second year now that one of our girls has won the association award, the first being Liz Ball. Well done Sheryl.

Special thanks to Peter Karhu for all his time and effort, we certainly would not have had such results without his patience and guidance.

TRICIA JOHNSON

Notes

#### ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

#### 1981

Monday 17th November, 1980
Members Dining Hall at the WACA Ground

#### A G E N D A

- 1. Apologies.
- 2. Minutes of the Previous Annual General Meeting.
- Correspondence.
- 4. President's Report.
- 5. Secretary's Report.
- 6. Treasurer's Report.
- 7. Announce Results of Election of Office Bearers for 1981.

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- 8. Election of Auditor.
- 9. General Business:
  - (a) Association Subscription Fees for 1981.
  - (b) Life Membership.
  - (c) Honorariums for 1981.
  - (d) Training Staff for 1981.
  - (e) Future Association Work and Trips.
  - (f) Other matters from the floor.

