



2017 YEARBOOK



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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Jerome Mohen

First and foremost I would like to thank all members and life members alike for entrusting me to act as President of this fantastic association for the past four years.

Over the past four years I am proud of what this association has been able to achieve for its members, including but not limited to:

- Significant extra funding towards WAFL umpires' terms and conditions of employment covered in the Memorandum of Understanding with the WAFC
- Modernisation and streamlining of many administrative tasks required to be performed by the WANFLUA Committee
- Continued provision of an exciting and vibrant social calendar for all members to enjoy
- Increased financial capacity through fundraising opportunities which will hopefully see members enjoy countless opportunities previously not available.

I would like to thank all committee members who have dedicated and volunteered their valuable personal time over the past four years to see these exciting results occur. Special thanks must go to the members of the executive over the past four years – Ashley Coster, Alex Martin, Justin Power and Ben Laycock and our social secretary David Thatcher. Your dedication and contribution to the association over the past four years has been exceptional.

It would be remiss of me not to make special mention of our Vice President, Ashley Coster, who over the past four years has volunteered and dedicated an enormous amount of time and effort to ensure the association's many successes. I am truly grateful, and our members extremely lucky, to have had his support and counsel every step of the way for the past four years.

When taking on the role, Ash and I had a very simple philosophy of what we wanted to achieve, in that we wished to provide members with the same fantastic opportunities that we had been afforded as WANFLUA members and to ensure that we left the association in an equal if not better position than when we started. I am hopeful that our time in the role has seen those goals achieved.



Notwithstanding what the association has been able to achieve, the running of our association has not been without its challenges. The running of the association is an ever-evolving task. With an increase in umpire positions, we have seen a significant growth in the number of our members and the total quantum of our annual turnover. We also face an evolving social climate, where current anecdotal evidence points to a significant decline generally in volunteerism for long-term committee and executive type roles.

Moving into 2018 and beyond, the WANFLUA Committee will continue to evolve to attempt to address recurring issues such as committee member burnout, completion of administrative tasks such as yearbooks, overseeing projects for the utilisation of accrued member funds and various other member engagement projects. I encourage all members to engage with and support the Committee as and when such initiatives are put forward.

During 2017, through the Black House Review, we saw the WAFC undertake the most comprehensive review of WAFL umpiring in recent times, if not ever.

The outcome of the review has seen an extensive list of recommendations to improve WAFL umpiring which the WAFC will look to implement throughout the 2018 season. It is extremely positive to see the WAFC taking ownership of WAFL Umpiring, and with the correct implementation of the recommendations coming out of the review, members should enjoy a significant increase in their overall enjoyment and satisfaction in their umpiring experience.

As an association we look forward to assisting the WAFC in implementing the recommended changes for the betterment of all umpires. Moving into 2018, we also look forward to continuing to foster the strong working relationship between the WANFLUA and the WAFC, which is absolutely essential to the longevity and successful operation of our association.

Season 2018 will also see us move into brand new facilities at Ernest Johnson Oval which will be our home for the medium to long-term future. After an extended period in the old EJ facilities it is an exciting opportunity to have access to significantly improved facilities as our home.

Prior to signing off, I would like to also acknowledge some further people that have assisted me complete the role of President over the past four years.

Firstly I would like to thank my family and friends who have provided encouragement, counsel and support in the completion of the role.

I would also like to acknowledge my employer, RSM, who have embraced me undertaking the President role for the past four years and provided me the flexibility required to fulfil the role.

Finally, I would like to thank my beautiful wife for supporting me in the completion of the role and for her continued love and encouragement, without which, fulfilling the role would not have been possible.

I have been with the WANFLUA for the past decade and have loved every second of it. It has definitely not been without its challenges, however nothing in life that is worthwhile is without challenges. To all the current members and life members, I look forward to your continued involvement in the WANFLUA to ensure it remains the vibrant, inclusive and enjoyable place that it is today. You are the custodians of our association and WAFL umpiring in general and I am sure you will continue to make the experience of being a WAFL umpire a memorable and enjoyable one for many generations to come.



2017 WANFLUA Committee: Jack Nyenhuis, Sean Moylan, Ben Laycock, Mark Worobec, Ash Coster, Kirk Webster, Jerome Mohen, David Thatcher, Alex Martin, Leigh Retallack. Absent: Jordan Fry

SECRETARY'S REPORT

Alex Martin

As always, 2017 brought its challenges, but ultimately proved to be another successful and rewarding year for the WANFLUA. In particular, the uncertainty around the future home of the WANFLUA/WAFL umpiring, together with the external review of umpiring in general, posed some challenges for the Executive. However, the strong leadership of Jerome Mohen and Ash Coster has ensured the WANFLUA is in the best possible place to meet these challenges. A big part of why the WANFLUA is well placed for the future is thanks to the efforts of the running members who completed a second summer of horse guarding services for Racing and Wagering WA over the 2016-17 summer. This once again produced a significant financial return for the association, which has ensured the WANFLUA is able to respond to the changing landscape. Moving forward, the group will see some more tangible returns on this investment of members' time, with the move to new facilities presenting a fantastic opportunity to enhance our resources.

With 2017 being my fourth season in the position of Secretary, the hard work I did in the first couple of years of my tenure in terms of consolidating the Running Members, Life Members, Hall of Fame and Past Members databases and emailing lists, made the task of maintaining regular communications with members far easier than it had been in the past. In addition, having the constitution updated to enable all communications to be sent electronically where possible has been a massive time and cost saver.

On that note, any Running or Life Member who is not receiving regular email correspondence from the WANFLUA is encouraged to send an email to wanflua@hotmail.com so that your details can be updated in our databases.

The Committee is continuing to prioritise the engagement of past members who are not Life Members or members of the Hall of Fame, through the formation of an Alumni group which is being driven by Life Member Kendell Ball. Therefore, if anyone is in contact with any past members who aren't currently part of our mailing list, please encourage them to contact either Kendell directly at kendell_lamplugh@outlook.com or the committee at the above email address if they would like to strengthen their connection with the WANFLUA.



As in previous years, I strongly encourage all running members to consider how they can be more involved with the association. This doesn't necessarily mean putting their hand up to serve on the committee; there are plenty of other ways to contribute towards the successful operation of the association. Tasks such as writing articles for the yearbook, helping at the bar, taking photos/videos and assisting with the organisation, set up and pack up of functions are all extremely important and can be done by any member of the group. If you feel that you want to assist in some capacity but are not exactly sure how, simply ask a committee member how you can best contribute.

I look forward to playing my part in 2018 in another successful year for the WANFLUA and hope to see all our Running and Life Members continuing to be involved in association activities and functions.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Ben Laycock

Season 2017 was another good year for the WANFLUA from a financial perspective, with the books once again closing with a net profit. This is largely due to the WANFLUA successfully retaining the contract from Racing and Wagering WA for the horse guarding of Group 1 races. In this regard, Ash Coster again put in a significant amount of time and energy in organising all of the volunteers whilst also offering his time for each race meet. The money that the WANFLUA raises through this venture far exceeds any other fundraising initiative that our association has undertaken, and I urge all umpires to continue to support this activity going forward as it is quite simply an opportunity too good to be passed on. There was no significant expenditure of these funds in 2017, however, this puts the association in a great position to utilise these funds on worthy investments when we move into our new facility later in 2018. As always, the Committee welcomes any suggestions from our members on how best to utilise those funds.

Member subscriptions, whilst slightly down on 2016, were again a significant source of revenue for our group, and allowed the WANFLUA to confidently organise some fantastic events throughout the year including Hall of Fame and the Grand Final Dinner Dance. On this note, we owe a great deal of thanks to David Thatcher and his social committee for planning and setting up/packing down these events. Without their efforts, we would not be able to have such enjoyable and well received social functions. I also urge any umpire with outstanding subscriptions to pay these prior to the commencement of the season to allow the WANFLUA to continue to provide these high-quality events going forward.

The WANFLUA was again fortunate enough to retain the financial support of our sponsors led by AFL/WAFL boundary umpire, Ryan Kukura, and his team at Edge Fitness, as well as KC Sports and Junction Ice Creamery. I would like to thank all of these sponsors for their continued support of our association and look forward to continuing these relationships into season 2018.

Kye O'Donnell and Brendon Grygorcewicz, along with Deven Wake, Kane Hoddy and a number of other umpires, are to be applauded for their efforts in running the Peter Repper Bar, which provides not only



additional funds for our association but, perhaps more importantly, fellowship opportunities for all members post-training and at social events. I would like to thank these gentlemen for their efforts and whilst it is sad to see Kye and BJ leave our group, I look forward to working with our new bar manager(s) next season.

As most members would be aware, Jerome Mohen, Ash Coster and David Thatcher will be stepping down from their respective roles in 2018, and I would personally like to thank them for their service to the WANFLUA. I would particularly like to thank the contributions of Jerome and Ash over the past four years as they have continued to take the WANFLUA forward through their hard work. It is fair to say that they will leave the WANFLUA in a better position than when they first took on the roles of President and Vice President.

Finally, thanks to all members for entrusting me to be your Treasurer for a second year, and I look forward to the exciting year ahead working with some fresh faces on the Executive and moving in to our new facility across the oval at EJ.

SOCIAL SECRETARY'S REPORT

David Thatcher

Well another year has come to an end and just like the previous year it has been packed full of great social events and functions for our running and life members. I managed to keep my right hand functions man in Jack Nyenhuis, with Kirk Webster joining us on the social committee.

The year started off with our traditional Panel Night. Our new full-time hosts Sean Moylan and Dan Johanson did an excellent job continuing what has become one of the more entertaining nights on the social calendar. The opening musical number of How Glorious is That was followed by yet another hilarious set of "Almost Footy Legends" clips. We welcomed our new umpires, recognised our sponsors and awarded the pre-seasons medals to the deserving umpires.

Harry's Night is always a popular night, not only as recognition for our trainers for the 2017 season and a tribute to Harry Jardine, but is the first major social night of the year. In 2017, we ran another makeshift Casino set-up in the EJ rooms which saw plenty of fun had – and potentially some cheating as well – across the night. A big thank you to Jamie and Mike Ball who once again provided a wonderful spit roast meal from Towbar-BQ.

Our second social night for the year was a Games Night – a light-hearted night of fun activities held at EJ, with everything from Darts to Mario Kart on the big screen. The night was well attended and a good time was had by all, although maybe too much as a winner for the evening was never declared.

Hall of Fame continues to be one of the most prestigious events on our calendar. Held once again at the Bells Function Centre on the banks of the Swan River, the 2017 inductions of Alan Zanich, Todd Keating and Wayne Hendrie was another well attended evening hosted by WANFLUA President Jerome Mohen. It was very pleasing to see an even bigger turnout in 2017 than last year, with the venue almost at capacity with more than 140 people in attendance. Huge thanks must go to Chris McCann for his work on the AV



presentation, which he completed from Ireland, without which the night wouldn't have the prestige that it does.

Presentation Night was again held at the WACA Boundary Function Rooms, hosted this time by WANFLUA Vice President Ash Coster. With 120 members and guest in attendance, the night recognised several awards and presentations, from league debutants, game milestones, state game umpires to the Rising Star, Colts Umpire of the Year and the Rosebury, Shawcross and Smith medals for most improved. The John McKay Life Members Trophy was awarded to Chris McCann for his work on AV presentations and Panel Nights over the past few years. A special presentation was made to retiring life member Greg Smith for

his contributions both on and off the field over his long and decorated career.

Our final function for 2017 was the annual Dinner Dance which was once again held at Crown Perth. The night was again well supported with over 140 of our members, their partners, trainers and coaches enjoying a great night out to end the year.

As was announced at the start of the year, 2017 is my last as Social Secretary after five years in the role and I can say I have certainly enjoyed my time giving something back to the association. I would like to thank Kendell Ball, who without her advice and support when I stepped into the role, I doubt I would have lasted as long as I have. Hopefully I have managed to continue the great work she did in establishing the social atmosphere for the WANFLUA and maybe even added to it myself.

Finally a big thank you to all of you. The success of the new Hall of Fame format and the other new functions that I have tried over the past few years wouldn't have been possible if you didn't get behind them and support me even when things didn't quite go to plan. To all of those volunteers who have helped me over the past five years thank you very much, it is appreciated the time you put in.

WHAT A YEAR IT'S BEEN







WAFL UMPIRE MANAGER'S REPORT

Darryl Sinclair

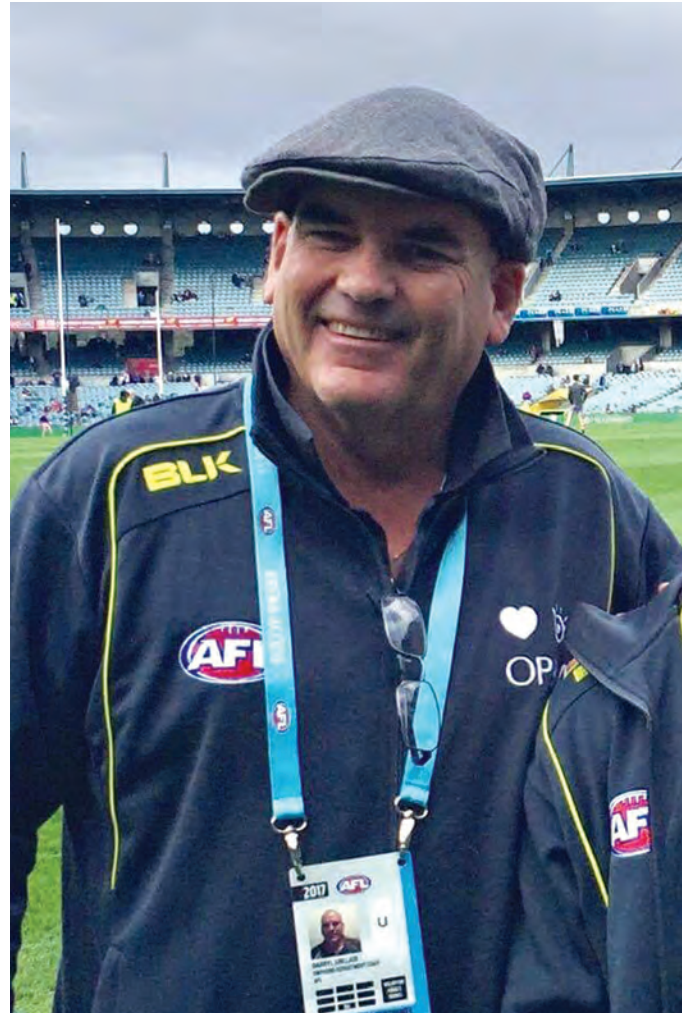
The Hal Symons Fitness Camp continues to be one of the highlights on the pre-season umpiring calendar. DSR Woodman Point, headed up by Matt Hayes and Mark Worobec, provides a wonderful environment for us to launch our footy season. The meals are fantastic and the facility is first-class for team building and coaching.

On the opening Friday night we decided it would be great leadership to clear the air of the off season. The leadership provided not only at the camp but throughout the season set the tone for a successful year ahead. The honesty demonstrated that by our guest speakers and the umpires was outstanding. Our theme and focus was "bonding through hard work" which the majority of the umpiring team adopted throughout the season.

The initiative of having Rob Wiley, Cam Shepherd, Greg Harding, Bill Monaghan, Earl Spalding and Tim Gossage complemented the evening. The Life Members hour was again an opportunity for the umpires to get to know some of our champions of the past.

Luke Daniher, Jeff Dalgleish and Luke Farmer made Saturday a great day and it is an opportune time for us to thank Luke "The Chief" Daniher for his efforts. Luke joined us in 2015 and has brought a level of professionalism to our team that can only be described as first-class. Luke, you will be missed and we thank you for improving our team's knowledge of what's required to be elite and most importantly improving the overall fitness of our team. Throughout the season we were well supported by Jami Ruscoe, Duncan Bradbury, Peta Ryan, Alyce Newman, Tayla Lewis, Lizelle Aranha, Krissy Knapp, Sam Moylan, Zoe O'Mara, Jill Liew, Jen Gresham and Phoebe Robertson. Thanks team for getting our umpires on the park every week.

The WAFC decided to advertise for the Field Umpires Coaching position and Cam Douglas was the successful person appointed to lead the Field Umpires. We need to acknowledge the efforts of Craig O'Donoghue. Craig's energy and commitment during 2016 was fantastic and I thank him for his efforts not only in coaching but his contribution to the WANFLUA over a long period.



Cam – affectionately known as Dougie – did a great job, particularly given the late appointment. Coaching is not easy, however, Dougie's previous coaching experiences provided him with the tools to meet challenges of off-field distractions professionally. We quickly assessed what we needed to do to improve our team so that we could service the WAFL competition.

The promotion of Nathan Williamson to the AFL list was just further evidence that our talent pathway is one of the best in Australia. It was a collective coaching effort over a period time that makes achievements like Nathan's so rewarding, but we need to acknowledge that Nathan's umpiring ability, his determination and the choices and the sacrifices he made was the main reason he was elevated to the AFL list. Though we missed Nathan's professionalism, it provided umpires the opportunity to step up and it was great to see

Shaun Kirk-Williams and Keegan Titterton make their league debuts and Jordan Wright return after a year off.

Cam was well supported by Paul Beckers, Graeme Zanich, Trevor Rees, Scott McPhee, John Beaton, Don Jensen, Greg Gilbee, Dan Gibbons, Trevor Garrett and Grant Vernon. The Match Day Coaches had a presence at training which allowed umpires to receive face-to-face feedback, but more importantly build coach to umpire relationships. Grant and Trevor provided great support as mentors to the team.

The Michael Ball Talent Academy was reviewed and we decided that the best Academy model was one that was coached by one person, with coaching sessions separate to those for the senior list. This was an overwhelming success and the work that Greg Gilbee did was beyond the required expectation. Greg's ability to analyse games, edit vision and listen to the feedback provided by myself and Dean Margetts was always on a professional level and I am sure this improved the overall function of the Academy and the performance of the umpires.

Geoff O'Neill, in his third full year coaching the boundaries, did an outstanding job leading this young team. Some 48 boundary umpires either trained both nights or trained at least once, which meant they were better prepared on match days. We also commenced boundary academy coaching sessions which improved the younger boundaries understanding of the skills and professionalism expected. Geoff was well supported by Robbie McDonald, Jason Morrow, Tony Raudino and Dom White.

The boundaries have come a long way in a reasonably short time. It was only a few years back we had just 18 boundary umpires and it has been an outstanding collective effort to have a quality team of boundaries.

John Marrapodi, also in his third year at helm, had a challenging year. Though training participation is at an exceptional level, the goal team missed the leadership required for an elite umpiring team after Matt Laycock retired mid-season. Matt has been an outstanding ambassador for our umpiring team and he set high standards for the goal group over a long period of time. The future is positive and there are plenty of talented goal umpires. The challenge for the team now is have they got the character and resilience to be successful. Thanks to Robert Davis and Colin Shawcross for supporting John and the other goal umpiring MDCs.

The Margetts Hendrie Development Squad was reviewed and we decided to increase the membership of the squad. This proved to be a masterstroke and with the appointment of former league umpire Paul Mannix, working closely with Dean Margetts, the skills of the squad significantly improved. The squad trained once a week in the quality WAFL environment and witnessed the great culture that exists, providing a wonderful motivator for each umpire to ensure they will make a smooth transition into the Academy should they progress.

Our Casuarina Prison visits provided inmates with an opportunity to learn about umpiring so that when they are released they have the best chance of making a positive transition into the community. As well all know, footy is a great way of bringing people together.

Including the Development Squad, we have over 30% of our umpiring team coming from a diverse background. We should be very proud of our team and moving forward I hope that the philosophy of "This Game's for Everyone and How Australian's That" continues to be promoted.

To every WANFLUA umpire both past and present, I have had 24 years of fond memories. The camps, the tough pre-seasons, the trips, the milestones, Grand Final Dinner Dances and Mad Mondays. If umpiring was easy, everyone would do it. Thanks for your contribution.

I thank everyone I have worked with at the WAFC, particularly the umpiring colleagues, our past coaching leaders Michael Ball, Peter Repper, Gareth Parker and Craig O'Donoghue. Someone has to call the shots and you have all helped me do that. Past and present Match Day Coaches, thanks for your contribution.

I have been privileged to be involved and the future of umpiring is in good hands. I wish Dean Margetts and the new staff all best and I am sure they will complement an extremely committed coaching team.

Gotta Go!
(Sinkers, Sincs, Sinca)

FIELD UMPIRES REPORT

Cameron Douglas

2017 was a whirlwind year for the field umpiring group.

After a number of reviews and changes, I was appointed senior coach only a week out from the season proper starting. To their credit, the field umpires conducted themselves professionally and trained exceptionally through the pre-season. Special mention must go to Graeme Zanich who was appointed interim coach and conducted the pre-season program with aplomb and had the group ready to go for Round 1.

As a coach, I couldn't be prouder of how we performed through the season. From time to time we will put bounces off, miss free kicks and run to the wrong spots, but our attitude and endeavour never faulted as we continued to push ourselves and strive to improve our performances every week.

This season came with a number of highlights, including:

- League debuts for Shaun Kirk-Williams and Keegan Titterton
- Trent McPhee (18's), Louis Jago and Cory Dugan (16's) being selected to represent WA at the National Championships
- AFLW appointments for Shaun Kirk-Williams, Cory Dugan and Gabby Simmonds
- Matt Adams and Justin Power receiving AFL Rookie contracts
- Back-to-back State Game honours for Matt Adams
- League finals debuts for Trent McPhee, Alex Martin and Louis Jago

Huge thanks to my assistant coaches Paul Beckers and Graeme Zanich for their support and guidance throughout the season.

The field umpiring group is incredibly thankful for the efforts of our field umpiring match day coaches Darryl Sinclair, John Beaton, Trevor Rees, Don Jensen, Scott McPhee and Daniel Gibbons.

We also must acknowledge the mentoring roles WANFLUA greats Trevor Garrett and Grant Vernon provided to both umpires and coaches throughout the season.



I would personally like to thank boundary umpires head coach Geoff O'Neill and goal umpires head coach John Marrapodi for their support in my first season as a senior field umpires coach.

To Luke Daniher, Jami Ruscoe, Duncan Bradbury, Peta Ryan, Tayla Lewis, Alyce Newman and all the trainers, a huge thanks for the ongoing support you provide to our group and getting umpires fit and ready to go each week.

Finally, thank you to Luke Sanders, Cameron Knapton and Steve Hargrave from the WAFC for their support throughout the season.

A whirlwind year has concluded and we look forward to the challenge that 2018 will bring.



FIELD UMPIRE STATISTICS

NAME	ENTRY	YEARS	THIS SEASON	WAFL	AFL	TOTAL
ADAMS Matt	2008	10	24	106		130
COSTER Ashley	2009	9	1	1		2
DALGLEISH Jeff	2003	15	0	113	166	279
EDINGER McLane	2007	11	0	30		30
EVANS Blake	2014	4	14	3		17
FARMER Luke	1997	21	0	163	185	348
FRY Jordan	2014	4	19	20		39
JOHANSON Daniel	2014	4	18	11		29
JAGO Louis	2014	4	20	13		33
KIRK-WILLIAMS Shaun	2015	3	10	10		10
LAYCOCK Ben	2005	13	25	59		84
MARGETTS Dean	1998	20	0	108	298	406
MARTIN Alex	2005	13	22	112		134
McCAW Robert	2005	12	19	129		148
McPHEE Trent	2011	7	21	52		73
O'MALLEY Jason	2011	7	0	5		5
POWER Justin	2011	7	23	57		80
RETALLACK Leigh	2010	8	1	6		7
ROSEBURY Brett	1997	21	0	54	371	425
SHELTON Ryan	2006	12	17	92		109
SNADDEN Curtis	2013	5	13	10		23
TITTERTON Keegan	2014	4	2	2		2
WILLIAMSON Nathan	2011	7	0	78	22	100
WOROBEC Mark	2006	12	24	118		142
WRIGHT Jordan	2009	8	16	48		64

BOUNDARY UMPIRES REPORT

Geoff O'Neill

Season 2017 has been another fantastic season of boundary umpiring, with so many new faces energising the whole group. This has clearly been the best year in terms of numbers on the training track and most umpires trained at least one night a week, which was unheard of up until now.

Once again the Hal Symons Fitness Camp was a great way to kick off the year, with everyone enjoying each other's company and getting to know each other as well, which is so important when going into battle each weekend as an umpiring team.

A new concept this year was the AFLW which gave promising umpires an insight into the true professionalism of life in the AFL. Well done to Claire, Brayden, Kooper, Ryleigh and Aiden on the way you handled yourself in a sometimes pressure cooker situation.

Congratulations to our newest League boundary umpires Ash Moore, Reuben Brennan, Sam King and Jack Burns.

The State Carnivals are always an exciting time as the best young players are out to impress – and it is no different for umpires who have the opportunity to perform on the big stage. Joel King and Mitch Vernon were selected for the State 16's in Queensland, while Nick Wrenn travelled to Victoria to be a part of the State 18's. The experience gained from these trips is invaluable and should leave a profound impact on the individual.

Sean Moylan again represented WA in the last ever State Game against Victoria, and is putting together a very good CV of umpiring at a high standard.

Congratulations to the umpires who represented the WAFL on Grand Final day:

League: Sean Moylan, Nick Wrenn, Michael Washbourne & Kyle Sinclair

Reserves: Bayley Lamont, Mitch Vernon, Brad Hunt & Kirk Webster

Colts: Jordan Russell, Michael Butler, Caylem Priest & Sam King



There is a saying that you should surround yourself with good people and that will make your job easier – and make you look good. This has certainly been the case with Robbie McDonald, Jason Morrow, Dom White and Tony Raudino all being very professional and committed to improving the performances of our boundary umpiring group. Your efforts have been outstanding.

Luke, Jami and Duncan have again taken this large group to another level in terms of professionalism, and your attention to detail is second to none.

Thank you also to Peta and Tayla and your team of hard workers on your continued support in keeping the group in the best possible shape.

Finally a huge thank you to Darryl Sinclair for the many hours of unrecognised work you do behind the scenes that has made my job so much easier. You have always been a wonderful support to me and I thank you so much.

I would like to wish everyone all the very best for the off-season and I look forward to season 2018 with great expectation.



BOUNDARY UMPIRE STATISTICS

NAME	ENTRY	YEARS	THIS SEASON	WAFL	AFL	TOTAL
BASTICK Adam	2006	12	0	126	87	213
BRENNAN Reuben	2017	2	2	2		2
BROWN Callum	2008	10	0	81	59	140
BURNS Jack	2015	3	4	4		4
DALGLEISH Brett	2005	13	0	86	166	252
DOIG Nathan	2002	16	0	77	254	331
GARRETT Josh	2012	6	0	57	37	94
GOADBY Matt	2016	2	18	3		21
HUNT Brad	2007	11	19	182		201
KEYS Alexander	2015	3	5	18		23
KING Sam	2013	5	11	11		11
KNIGHT Claire	2009	9	3	21		24
KUKURA Ryan	2001	17	7	277	24	308
LAMONT Bayley	2014	4	24	22		46
MOORE Ash	2016	2	16	16		16
MOYLAN Sean	2012	6	23	71		94
NEYNHUIS Jack	2010	8	5	29		34
PRIEST Caylem	2014	4	21	2		23
SINCLAIR Kyle	2009	9	25	106		131
SINCLAIR Ryan	2008	10	22	141		163
THATCHER David	2010	8	8	70		78
VERNON Mitchell	2013	5	19	26		45
WASHBOURNE Michael	2005	13	25	240		265
WEBSTER Kirk	2010	8	18	92		110
WRENN Nicholas	2015	8	21	19		40

GOAL UMPIRES REPORT

John Marrapodi

We are fortunate to have a strong core of experienced, skillful and dedicated group of goal umpires who service WAFL football at a very high standard. The senior goal umpiring team provided excellent role models for the younger and newer members of our team through their leadership and support as they forge their way along the goal umpire pathway.

Our senior team in 2017 comprised AFL umpires Brett Rogers, Luke Edwards, Sally Boud and Sam Hunter and League umpires Brody Payne, Steve Gaensler, Gareth Lill, David Hayes, Dillon Jane, Reuben Garlett, Jason Yazdani, Jason Tyrrell, Christian Cutrona and Nik Stace. They all continue to set high standards in fitness, quality on-field performance and leadership, and exemplify in every way the WAFL Goal Umpire Team brand.

Christian Cutrona made his League debut in 2017 and four umpires debuted in Reserves – Josh Aiyathurai, Brendan Williamson, Oscar Persichitti and Chad Smith. We also had three new goal umpires join the WAFL panel – Brendan Williamson, Oscar Persichitti, Chad Smith.

Congratulations to Jason Yazdani who umpired the State 18's Carnival in Victoria and to Christian Cutrona who umpired in the State 16's Carnival in Queensland.

The focus throughout the season was not about ticking the boxes and debuting umpires; the focus was about sustainability and being able to keep umpires at high levels on a regular and prolonged basis.

The following awards were an acknowledgment of the hard work and commitment shown by each of these fine young umpires:

Carter Medal: Sam Hunter (Umpire of the Year)

Shawcross Medal: Christian Cutrona (Most Improved)

Rose Medal: David Hayes (Best Pre-Season Umpire)



Congratulations to all nine goal umpires who were selected to run out on WAFL Grand Final Day 2017. To be selected as a member of this team should be considered as an honour, including our Emergency Team. These positions are not consolation prizes; the Emergency goal umpire needs to be ready to step up and assume the role of the participating umpire if there is an unforeseen problem.

My thanks go to the AFL Goal Umpire group of Brett Rogers, Luke Edwards, Sally Boud and

rookie Sam Hunter. Their leadership and willingness to assist our WAFL umpiring panel needs to be acknowledged. In addition, I also thank Matt Laycock, who announced his retirement halfway through the season, for his contribution to both AFL/WAFL. He has been outstanding, both as a goal umpire and in his leadership.

The introduction of the Women's AFL competition in 2017 saw goal umpire Tiana Fry, Jayden Trivanovic and Maddison Lamont involved in all WA-based games. The inaugural season has opened opportunities for other goal umpires to be selected on merit to umpire in this competition.

I would also like to acknowledge my two assistant coaches, Colin Shawcross and Robert Davis. Their assistance, support and guidance is outstanding. I also wish to thank our Match Day Coaches – Rick Payne, Michael Simmonds, Denis Heaney, Trevor Rees and Jeff Brookes – for their work in preparing over 500 match assessments. This could not have been achieved without their commitment and dedication.

Lastly thank you to Darryl Sinclair for his leadership and support. As coaches, we endeavor to provide as much support as possible to the goal umpiring team. Season 2018 promises to be exciting with further opportunities for the team.



GOAL UMPIRE STATISTICS

NAME	ENTRY	YEARS	THIS SEASON	WAFL	AFL	TOTAL
BOUD Sally	2007	11	5	83	20	108
CUTRONA Christian	2016	2	5	5		5
EDWARDS Luke	2008	10	0	76	61	137
GAENSLER Steve	2003	15	16	96		112
GARLETT Reuben	2009	14	17	45		62
HAYES David	2015	3	19	13		32
HUNTER Sam	2008	10	22	92		114
JANE Dillion	2014	4	17	10		27
LAMONT Jamie	2012	6	0	5		5
LAYCOCK Matt	2003	15	11	150	45	206
LILL Gareth	2004	11	20	53		73
PAYNE Brody	2005	13	25	159		184
RAC Brendan	2013	5	0	4		4
ROGERS Brett	2003	15	0	121	114	235
TYRELL Jason	2011	7	10	5		15
STACE Nick	2015	3	9	3		12
YAZDANI Jason	2015	3	17	14		31

AFL REPORT

Jeff Dalglish

The WA-based AFL group continued to consolidate in 2017 with a number of individual highlights.

In the field, Nathan Williamson, who earned his spot on the AFL list in November 2016, showed every young umpire what can be achieved with commitment and dedication to their craft. After taking up a job opportunity at Christchurch in Term 1, he packed his bags and moved east in April, before finishing quite possibly the best debut season by a field umpire in recent history. The energy he brings to training, game day and every moment in between, is a big loss to the WA group, but we know he'll take that energy and focus into what will be a long and successful career in Melbourne.

After two bouts of surgery on his back in the early part of the year, Luke Farmer was unfortunately not able to umpire a game in 2017, but continued to have valuable input into the group by offering match day and behind the scenes coaching and support. Even though it was a difficult year for Luke personally, his positivity and willingness to provide feedback always had a positive impact on the group.

On the boundary, Brett Dalglish and Nathan Doig were rewarded for consistent years, both being appointed to the Adelaide v Geelong Preliminary Final, with Brett going on to be the emergency boundary umpire for the 2018 AFL Grand Final.

Our goal umpire group of Brett Rogers, Luke Edwards and Sally Boud were joined by Sam Hunter, who was offered a rookie position in 2017 after strong performances in the WAFL over the past few years. In 2017, they continued to do what they do best, doing their job quietly, competently and going unnoticed.



While individual highlights are one thing, the real essence of our group was an environment that was dedicated to being united, supportive and professional and ensuring we continue to represent the AFL and WA umpiring group with pride and integrity. No doubt it's an ethos we will be taking into 2018.

A big thank you must go to our support teams. Thank you to Darryl Sinclair, Justin Orr, John Marrapodi and Geoff O'Neill for your guidance and support on game days. To Alyce Newman, Peta Ryan and Tayla Lewis, thank you for everything you do throughout the year to make our environment one of the best in the nation. To the Sherriff (Danners) and to Jami, we can't thank you enough for the contribution you've made to the group over the last three years. We know you leave us in good hands as Duncan takes the reins in 2018.

STRENGTH AND CONDITIONING REPORT

Luke Daniher

The 2017 season was the third year for the strength and conditioning team of myself and Jamison Ruscoe and second for Duncan Bradbury. After seeing positive improvements throughout the various disciplines in the 2015 and 2016 seasons, the aim for the year ahead was to build on the foundations and maximise the performance of individuals, and in turn, be in a position to service the game at the best standard possible.



Familiarity surrounding the programming and testing protocol provided a platform for our WAFL athletes to make the most of the strength and conditioning team and be provided with key information to maximise their performance throughout the various phases of the annual plan. A cornerstone of the successful year realised was that of the leadership group who set the tone and assisted with solidifying key messages within the group. The camaraderie amongst the group was contagious, which made it an absolute joy and privilege to be a part.

From a performance perspective, we continued the positive improvements as the group worked their way through the various phases of the annual plan. The receptive nature to feedback from the strength and conditioning team enabled individuals to take their performance to new levels and provided athletes with key attributes to perform at their highest level on game day.

We saw increases in aerobic capacity, muscular power, speed, agility, flexibility and a reduction in reaction time throughout the three testing protocols partaken in. Individuals were provided with their results for self-reflection, as well as a comparison to their discipline, illustrating performance standing amongst the group. This individual and group information empowered not only the athletes but also the strength and conditioning team and coaching staff. From a strength and conditioning perspective, it ensured fatigue was not becoming an overriding element and continued

performance improvements were realised. As for the coaching staff, it enabled them to be more informed, ensuring the most suited umpires were in the position to best service the game.

Unfortunately 2017 will be the final year that I will be involved in the WAFL Umpiring strength and conditioning team. It has been an absolute pleasure to be a part of the WAFL umpire family for three years and I appreciate the hard work each individual has put into the program. I look forward to keeping in touch and seeing the improvement of the group continue to thrive.

I would like to thank Jamison Ruscoe for all her hard work and commitment throughout the three years. Her knowledge and skillset enabled our team to reach new levels and her friendly approachable nature will be missed as she moves on due to her large work commitments in the physiotherapy space.

In addition, we were very fortunate for the last two years to have Duncan Bradbury who injected his expertise in the strength and conditioning field and reliable hard-working nature into the team. The exciting news that Duncan will be taking the head strength and conditioning role for 2018 will enable fresh ideas and ensure the group is in safe hands for the future season ahead.

All the best for the season ahead, seek the opportunities and service the game to the best of your ability.

TRAINERS REPORT

Peta Ryan

2017 was a busy and versatile year for the WAFL Umpiring Trainers team.

Once the season was under way, the trainers rooms were almost always busy with a steady flow of umpires seeking advice on injury prevention, management and rehabilitation throughout the year. I would like to express my gratitude to the 2017 team for volunteering their evenings to attend trainings on Tuesdays and Thursdays, as well as their hard work at games every weekend.

Being part of the WAFL Umpiring Trainers team not only allows trainers to assist the association, but it has also seen opportunities for the association to give back to the trainers. The experience was greatly appreciated by the current and aspiring physiotherapists and exercise/sports science students.

In September we started a new tradition, the annual Trainers End of Season "Wine'd Up" – excuse the pun! We celebrated a successful season by spending the day in the Swan Valley, tasting wine, chocolate and all things good. Special thanks to field umpire Mark Worobec who kindly gave up his time to chauffeur the trainers team all day long. As part of the Harry's Night gift, the association kindly covered the cost of lunch on the day.

All in all, 2017 was an exceptional season and we cannot wait to see what 2018 brings! We are excited to move into the new facility and experience games at the new Perth Stadium.

It is sad to farewell valued trainers in Krissy Knapp and Joel Kenny, who is now qualified physiotherapist working in private practice, but we look forward to welcoming some new faces to the team in 2018.



Back Row – Phoebe Robertson, Jennifer Gresham, Sam Moylan, Tayla Lewis, Zoe O'Mara. Front Row – Krissy Knapp, Jill Liew, Lizelle Aranha, Alyce Newman.

PRE-SEASON WRAP

Deven Wake

My first pre-season experience was certainly an eye-opener. As a first year umpire, I came into pre-season expecting that it would be a hard, tough pre-season which is exactly what I got. I had some idea of the requirements to make it at the WAFL level, but I had no idea how inspired, focused and goal-driven every single umpire would be towards making sure that they could umpire to the best of their ability come round 1.

The sessions run by Danners were great and were focused on setting us up to be in peak fitness for Round 1. They were hard, grit-running sessions where I often found myself pushing my body past where I thought I could go. Whether it was the Mona Fartlek running sessions or the any of the sessions at camp, I constantly found myself being challenged and pushed to improve on what I had done in the last session.

These sessions helped me to push my fitness to a level I do not think it has been before. I saw improvements in my fitness every week and it provided great motivation for me to keep coming back to training and to keep working and honing my craft to become the best umpire I could possibly be.

The whole umpiring group also played a part in helping me push my fitness levels. Whether it was encouragement from the guys in the field group to keep pushing right to that last cone or from the boundaries and goalies who had finished their runs encouraging you on the sideline, the whole group was so welcoming and encouraging it really made training a fun and enjoyable place to be. Without the group being so encouraging and inclusive I could not have made the strides I did during pre-season.

Overall, my first pre-season on the WAFL panel was eye-opening and enjoyable and I cannot wait to see what comes in the future.



HAL SYMONS FITNESS CAMP

Brendan Williamson

Two Words: Fitness Camp.

For the experienced umpires of the group, these words mostly exude thoughts of camaraderie, fun, hard work and reward. For the relatively inexperienced or new umpires of the group, it was more the fear of the unknown, mixed with thoughts of excitement and determination.

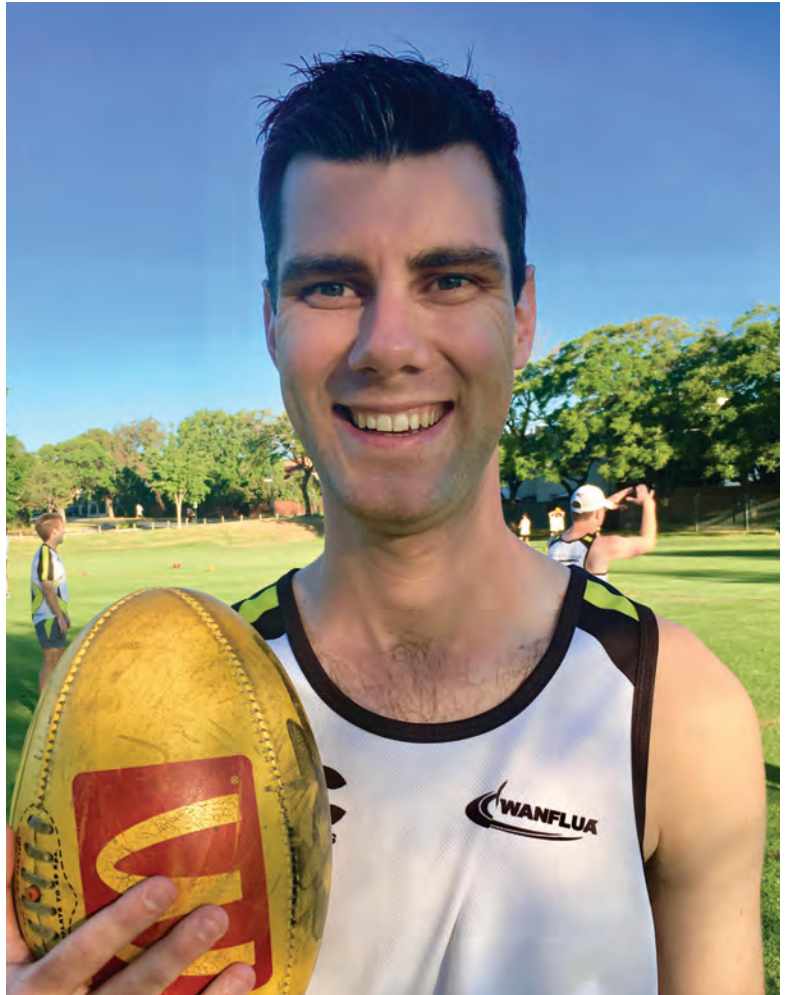
The annual Hal Symons Fitness Camp was again held at Woodman Point on January 20-22 after only four pre-season training sessions, so the main aims were to consolidate our fitness, plus in-grain the professional aspects that make us the athletes that we strive to be.

Over 100 umpires arrived on Friday night and first up on the agenda was a "Footy Forum" featuring talks from WAFL coaches Rob Wiley, Cam Shepherd, Greg Harding, Bill Monaghan and Earl Spalding and sports broadcaster Tim Gossage. It was fantastic to hear the footy thoughts of "Goss," who himself has history in the WAFL system as a past coach of Subiaco's Colts side.

After an engaging discussion regarding the group's attitudes and goals, our core values were cemented during the final session on Friday night. It was decided for season 2017 that Integrity, Professionalism, Teamwork and Respect were our cornerstones for the season. This session gave new members a first-hand look into the dedication and behaviours that are expected in order to be part of the WAFL umpire group.

Now it was time for the hard work to begin. After a wonderful Saturday morning wake-up call just after 5am, all umpires were just itching to hit the track (OK, so maybe my tongue is firmly planted in my cheek) for the start of the fitness regime. The result – a tough, hard session that had us all scrambling to the Mess Hall to refuel before the coaching sessions.

Grant Dorrington made an appearance on Saturday morning and gave the group a fantastic insight into how umpires are perceived by the broader football community. Grant has been a long servant to WA football as a player, coach, broadcaster and member



of the WAFC, so his views and recounts of years past was great entertainment to all that were lucky enough to be in his presence.

After seminar sessions led by the discipline coaches, it was time to move into the team building activities and games. Ropes were carried above heads along Woodman Point's dusty sand, spaghetti and marshmallow towers were constructed in the bush (or rather, splodged together!) and some members of the group were carried along bitumen paths on very hastily made stretchers, which had the OH&S minded people of the group turning a blind eye.

The pristine handball court at Woodman Point got a severe workout as Brett Rogers channelled his inner-Danish heritage to star for his team in the round-robin matches. The very popular volleyball competition drew a large crowd, with the WANFLUA Life Members

providing boisterous moral support as the sun started to set on the afternoon. Some questionable umpiring certainly lifted the feeling, with the Galahs even bringing their trademark pink and grey flag to wave feverishly in support of their mob!

But it wasn't all hard work and activities; Saturday night was time for some fun. The WANFLUA Life Members were introduced, and reinforced the importance of culture and respect. As part of the annual after-dinner performances, legendary sporting moments were enacted, music lyrics were perfectly lip-synched and Nathan Williamson showcased his Paul Mercurio dance moves during a very spirited performance.

We all definitely earned our brekkie on Sunday morning as another 5am wake-up call had us on the track just after dawn. Jeff Dalgeish led the group in a gruelling

session which reinforced the physical requirements of umpiring WAFL football. The athletes of the group certainly excelled, but the most inspiring moments of the camp occurred when those who had finished the gruelling regime dug a bit deeper to help out those who were finding the session hard going. These few moments certainly epitomised the ethos of the group; when one of us need a hand, there are others who will step up to the plate to get the job done.

The camp certainly achieved what it had set out to do – embrace the Life Members, technically educate us in areas of our umpiring, make us aware of the importance of fitness and instil the values which season 2017 was based. A big congratulations to all that attended and an even bigger thank you to those who organised the camp.













HARRY'S NIGHT AT THE CASINO

Nick Wrenn

The Casino theme returned to Harry's Night this year for a fantastic night of fun and excitement – and a little bit of rule bending from our lovely casino assistants.

Harry's Night has been a wonderful tradition from the WANFLUA as a way to recognise our trainers, who are effectively the "glue" that sticks the group together. Without the trainers, there is no doubt we would be a lot worse off in terms of injury prevention and hydration management. It's been a great tradition of the WANFLUA ever since goal umpire-turned-trainer Harry Jardine organised his first yearly spread for the running umpires.

As a former trainer myself, one of the best things about being an umpire trainer was that I felt like one of the team and the amount of support from the umpiring group made the atmosphere around EJ a very enjoyable one. I had friends who were trainers for WAFL clubs and the difference in the environment is chalk and cheese. Knowing the type of people going through university, I can honestly say we are very lucky to have the variety of trainers who are a part of our group, and it's fantastic to see the umpires making the effort to show their appreciation!

The EJ casino floor was jam-packed with blackjack, poker and roulette tables for everyone to enjoy. Everyone started off with \$10 worth of "funny money" and were tasked to make as much money as possible



to win the grand prize of a \$100 sports voucher. There were many famous faces that participated, as well as some interesting (and possibly illegal) strategies as everyone was gunning for the major prize.

It was very fitting that our head trainer Peta Ryan was the eventual winner when the night finished. The feat was that much more impressive, as Peta was rarely seen at any of the tables throughout the night!

Another fantastic Harry's Night once again run by the WANFLUA committee, headed by David Thatcher in his last year as social secretary.



HALL OF FAME

Michael Washbourne

A trio of former AFL umpires from the 2000s have become the latest inductees into the prestigious WANFLUA Hall of Fame.

Field umpire Todd Keating, boundary umpire Alan Zanich and goal umpire Wayne Hendrie were inducted in front of more than 150 current and former umpires, coaches, support staff and family members at Bells Function Centre on the Swan River in July.

In what was a touching gesture, each umpire was presented with their Hall of Fame caricature by their respective umpiring father – Terry Keating, Graeme Zanich and Rob Hendrie.

Todd Keating joined the WANFLUA in 2000 and made his League debut the following year, umpiring a total of 246 league games before his retirement in 2013.

Keating was promoted to the AFL panel in 2007 and umpired 40 games on the big stage over five years. His AFL career was bookended by WAFL grand finals in 2006, 2007 and 2012.

Stories shared on the night about Keating included his love-hate relationship with the emergency bench and being conned into gifting former East Fremantle captain Mark McGough a token Sandover Medal vote.

Alan Zanich was promoted to WANFLUA ranks in 1999, making his League debut the same year. Over

the next 15 years, he umpired 278 games, including 164 AFL matches.

The always entertaining yet sometimes controversial Zanich recalled his very early days as a young Sunday League umpire in the southern suburbs before explaining why he was never afraid to make big calls on the elite stage, including during a tense moment of the 2010 AFL preliminary final between St Kilda and the Western Bulldogs.

Wayne Hendrie became the third member of his family to be inducted into the Hall of Fame alongside his father Rob and brother Craig.

Despite joining the panel as a fresh-faced young kid in 1992, Wayne had to wait another five years before being elevated to League level.

Wayne went on to umpire 179 league games, including 56 AFL games, over two stints, the first ending in 2005 when his occupation as a police officer brought about a premature end to his AFL career so he could take up a post in Karratha. He returned to the WAFL in 2008 for one season before calling time on umpiring for good to accept another country posting in Albany.

The WANFLUA congratulates 2017 inductees Todd, Alan and Wayne on their successful umpiring careers and elevation to the Hall of Fame.



Field – Todd Keating

WANFLUA Member 2000-2013

WAFL debut 2001

3 WAFL League Grand Finals (2006, 2007 & 2012)

AFL Service 2008–2011

40 AFL Games

246 Total Games



Boundary – Alan Zanich

WANFLUA Member 1999–2013

WAFL debut 1999

2002 Devine Medal Boundary Umpire of the Year

3 WAFL League Grand Finals (2001, 2002 & 2004)

State Representation 2002 (WA v QLD)

AFL Service 2004–2013

164 AFL Games (including four finals)

278 Total Games



Goal – Wayne Hendrie

WANFLUA Member 1992–2005 & 2008

WAFL debut 1997

1999 Carter Medal Goal Umpire of the Year

2 WAFL League Grand Finals (1999 & 2000)

State Representation 1999 (WA v TAS)

AFL Service 2000–2005

56 AFL Games (including three finals)

179 Total Games



HALL OF FAME









DEAN MARGETTS REACHES 400

Jeff Dalglish

Amongst his peers he is known as "The Road Warrior".

At 43 and having flown 944,156km over his career to officiate in some of the biggest AFL games, Dean "The Road Warrior" Margetts umpired his 400th senior game in the Round 17 clash between St Kilda and Essendon at Etihad Stadium.

Starting his apprenticeship in 1996 at Southern Districts Juniors (now known as the Demons District), Margetts abandoned a promising playing career with Maddington Senior Football Club to take up umpiring the game he loved. While his transition into umpiring wasn't easy (there are several reports of run-ins with umpires during his playing days) what followed was quite possibly the most rapid rise through the umpiring ranks in WA football history.

This journey began when then-WA State Umpires Manager David Johnson was watching his son play a game of football that Dean was umpiring.

"I was just so impressed with the way Dean communicated," Johnson recalled. "That day I learnt something. There are two ways to communicate to players; the first is to speak to the player who infringed and highlight their error, the second is to actually communicate to the player infringed against and explain to them why they received the free-kick. Dean just had this ability to communicate positively and the players followed that communication."



Dean by the numbers

400 Senior games
291 AFL games
109 WAFL games
944,156 kilometres flown to umpire football
11 AFL finals
2 WAFL grand finals
1 Umpiring Development Squad named in his honour (Hendrie-Margetts)
Too many to count The number of umpires Dean's helped develop

Needless to say Johnson was so impressed that he invited Margetts to trial with the WAFL group in 1998.

From here, his rise continued. After making his WAFL League debut in 1999, he was appointed to the 2000





WAFL Grand Final – his 38th game overall – and has been a permanent fixture in WA umpiring ever since.

Margetts continues to set the benchmark for milestones and standards across umpiring. But what people don't know and often overlook or appreciate are the personal challenges he has encountered along the way. Somewhat ironically, the periods of his greatest on-field achievements coincide with some of the most trying periods for him personally.

While his on-field achievements and resilience will be admired for many years to come, it is arguably his off-field contribution that will leave the greatest legacy. The contribution he has made to developing umpires in WA, both in his role as a senior umpire and through his full-time job with the WA Football Commission, has been enormous, even if he can sometimes be quite harsh in delivering "feedback".

No one can question the effort and dedication he has shown to his craft or the lasting impact he will have of the next generation of umpires. While not many will have the opportunity to follow his path, Margetts has helped equip the next generation of umpires with the skills and knowledge to give them the best opportunity to emulate his proud achievements.



TIMELINE TO 400

Pre-1996: Keen footballer for Maddington who had reputation as an outside player with leg speed

1996: Starts umpiring in the Southern Districts Junior Football League (now known as the Demons district) where he is quickly recognised as having potential by then-State Umpires Manager David Johnson

1998: First year on the WAFL panel

1999: WAFL League debut, Round 1

2000: After only 38 League games, appointed to his first WAFL Grand Final

2002: Invited to trial for the AFL panel and is rewarded with a contract after winning over selectors with his intimate knowledge of player names. Makes AFL debut in Round 5 clash between West Coast and Brisbane at Subiaco Oval, alongside Stuart Wenn and Mark McKenzie

2008: Umpires 100th AFL game and receives WANFLUA life membership for appearing in 200 senior games. Takes leave of absence after birth of first child before returning to umpire his second WAFL Grand Final, alongside Stuart Parry and Gavin Statham

2013: Umpires his first AFL preliminary final between Hawthorn and Geelong at the MCG, with the Hawks coming from behind to win a thriller

2015: Umpires his second AFL preliminary final between West Coast and North Melbourne, cementing himself as one of the best umpires in Australia

2016: His flight from Melbourne to Perth is diverted to Adelaide when he complains of a stomach ache and undergoes major operation to repair a hole in his stomach. Despite missing a large portion of the year he returns and umpires an AFL final

2017: Inducted as a Life Member of the AFL and umpires his 400th senior game in Round 17 between St Kilda and Essendon at Etihad Stadium

Post-2017: On track to reach 300 AFL games and showing no signs of slowing down

RIDING FOR A CAUSE

Oscar Wharton



The #LetsTalk Ride for beyondblue was a cycling challenge across Australia that myself and three friends set for ourselves, all in the name of raising awareness surrounding depression and anxiety. Along with Harry Lill, Naish Wallace and Sam Love, we set out to ride 3,500km from Domain Stadium here in Perth to the MCG in Melbourne in under 15 days, raising money for beyondblue in the process. I had always wanted to do a challenge across Australia, ever since seeing Shane Crawford achieve his ride from Melbourne to Perth raising awareness for breast cancer. Luckily, I had three mates who were just as keen to take on the challenge, but more importantly, wanted to raise awareness for a significant cause that was close to each of us.

Mental health issues have been prevalent in each of our lives, similarly to many young people within Australia. For us, we had known people during high school, university, football, our work within education and various other aspects of our lives who suffered from depression or anxiety but were too afraid to speak out or seek help. Respectively, we had a lot of friends who were unaware of the significance of mental health issues within society and were perhaps

uncertain or unaware of the importance of checking in on friends. Within Australia, one in four young people aged 17-25 suffer from depression and one in six experience anxiety. Understanding how common mental health issues are within our age demographic, we wanted to promote two important messages, the first being that it is more than OK to open up and talk to someone when dealing with mental health issues and secondly promoting the importance of checking in on friends so that we can encourage that open and honest conversation.



The ride itself was an incredible experience. For the first couple of days of the trip, it took time for us to get into a rhythm and adjust to life on the bikes and inside of our Toyota Hilux. On our first day, we experienced some unplanned delays and we were ineffective in our transitions between swapping each rider over after their individual stint. As a result, we fell short of our first destination by 80km at the end of Day 1. This meant we were confronted with a 290km ride on Day 2 to make it to Coolgardie. The further we pressed on, the more efficient we began to work as a team and we began to cover much larger distances more easily. On average,

we were covering 300-400km each day. Collectively, it took us a week just to cross Western Australia and the sights and scenery within our home state were beautiful.

As we started to make our way across South Australia, we were hit with some punishing head winds which hindered our average speed by over 10kph and meant we were working twice as hard. We realised that we needed a change of tactic if we were to make it to Melbourne within the 15-day time limit. To overcome the headwinds, we began drafting behind our car and trailer. The trailer acted as barrier from the wind and meant that our average speed was easily raised from 30km/h to over 40km/h. For this to be effective, however, we needed to be riding within 30cm of the trailer, which required constant concentration. Combined with how physically challenging the cycle already was, this mental component began to completely drain us. But being on highways that were occupied by road trains passing us at high speeds, we couldn't afford to lose concentration.

By the 11th day, as we began to enter into Victoria, our bodies were incredibly tired and to make matters worse, we were being slowed down by bad weather. Melbourne was being hit with a "one in 100-year storm". This meant that we had to avoid all freeways and main highways in order to finish our journey. We had to navigate our way through Melbourne's back roads, which were predominantly gravel, for us to get close to the MCG. This meant our road bikes were put through their paces during the final days.

Eventually we made it to our stopover in South Melbourne, only 5km from our finish line. Here we were able to leave the car and trailer behind and cycle to the finish line as one team. We nursed the bikes through their final kilometres and eventually were met with the sights of the MCG and greeted by family, friends and representatives for beyondblue. We had successfully covered the 3,500km journey across Australia and had raised \$13,000 for beyondblue, a charity that serves an important purpose that is close to all of us.



FOOTBALL MATCH – SOUTH V NORTH

Jordan Fry

The 2017 Umpires Derby saw the recent format of North vs South continue in what was a much closer contest than in recent years, with South eventually running out winners for the fourth consecutive year despite a strong comeback from North in the second half.

The night got off to a shaky start for the North side with some key players being late outs, including their captain Louis Jago. However, thanks to their stand-in captain Cory Dugan and a few late signings, they were able to field a team and ensure there would indeed be a contest on the night. After the first five minutes it was looking like it may have been a better idea for the Northerners to concede an early defeat, as a ruthless South side bombarded their forward 50, applying pressure that was reminiscent of previous one-sided contests. Through the midfield dominance of Jeff Dalglish, Brad Hunt, Mark Worobec and Kyle Sinclair, South was able to feed their forwards and set up a four goal to nil quarter.

The second quarter didn't get much better for the North side, with the midfield dominance again a feature of South's game. Despite their clear dominance and forward-50 pressure from Matt Hayes, South were not able to capitalise and could only score two goals. A late goal from skipper Dugan gave North some confidence heading into the main break.

In a first for the Umpires Derby, a mid-game trade saw Dalglish cross the river and suit up for North and it seemed to be the spark the side needed. Through Dalglish and Dugan, North were able to win the contested footy and pump the ball into their forward-50, eventually outscoring South for the penultimate quarter.

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	FINAL
North	0.1	1.3	3.7	7.13	55
South	4.1	6.1	7.3	10.8	68

In what may have been the move of the night, North started the last quarter with Dugan deep inside the forward-50 and put South's defenders under pressure for the first time. The bigger bodies of Rob Corrigan and Lachy Fahey-Gilmour struggled with the ball constantly being bombarded into the forward-50. However, every time North looked like they were going to pull off the impossible, the greater class from South shone through and they were able to respond, eventually holding on for a 13-point win.

Dugan and Dalglish were rewarded for their efforts in nearly getting North over the line for the first time by being jointly awarded the Player of the Match award. Special thanks must go to Rob Corrigan for organising and running the match at such short notice and ensuring the game did in fact go ahead once again.



MILESTONES

LEAGUE DEBUTS

Round 1	Ash Moore	Boundary	Swan Districts v Perth
Round 11	Sam King	Boundary	East Fremantle v South Fremantle
Round 12	Shaun Kirk-Williams	Field	Claremont v East Fremantle
Round 13	Keegan Titterton	Field	West Perth v South Fremantle
Round 14	Reuben Brennan	Boundary	East Fremantle v Peel Thunder

50 GAMES

Round 4	Jordan Wright	Field	Perth v East Fremantle
Round 5	Reuben Garlett	Goal	Peel Thunder v West Perth

100 GAMES

Round 8	Ryan Shelton	Field	Swan Districts v Subiaco
Round 9	Kirk Wester	Boundary	East Fremantle v East Perth
Round 9 AFL	Sally Boud	Goal	Fremantle v Carlton
Round 10	Sam Hunter	Goal	Perth v Peel Thunder
Round 12	Steven Gaensler	Goal	South Fremantle v Peel Thunder
Round 23 AFL	Nathan Williamson	Field	West Coast Eagles v Adelaide

150 GAMES

Round 9	Ryan Sinclair	Boundary	East Fremantle v East Perth
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200 GAMES

Round 5	Matt Laycock	Goal	Subiaco v East Perth
Round 7 AFL	Adam Bastick	Boundary	Fremantle v Essendon
Qualifying Final	Brad Hunt	Boundary	South Fremantle v Peel Thunder

250 GAMES

Round 10	Michael Washbourne	Boundary	West Perth v Claremont
Second Semi AFL	Brett Dalglish	Boundary	Sydney Swans v Essendon

300 GAMES

Round 9 AFL	Ryan Kukura	Boundary	Fremantle v Carlton
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400 GAMES

Round 17 AFL	Dean Margetts	Field	St Kilda v Essendon
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YEARS OF SERVICE

20 Years	Dean Margetts	10 Years	Matt Adams Ryan Sinclair
15 Years	Jeff Dalglish Steven Gaensler Matt Laycock Brett Rogers		Luke Edwards Gareth Lill Sally Boud Sam Hunter

PRE-SEASON MEDALLISTS

Ross Capes Medal – Louis Jago

At the end of 2016, Louis cited improving his fitness base and umpiring consistent League football as his two main goals for the next season. To give himself the best opportunity to achieve both, he set about undertaking a pre-season where he pushed the boundaries of his fitness and ultimately ran sub-10 minutes for his 3km time trial on the back of training with the AFL Umpires. Louis is very coachable, takes all feedback on board, always conducts himself professionally and reaps the rewards for doing so.

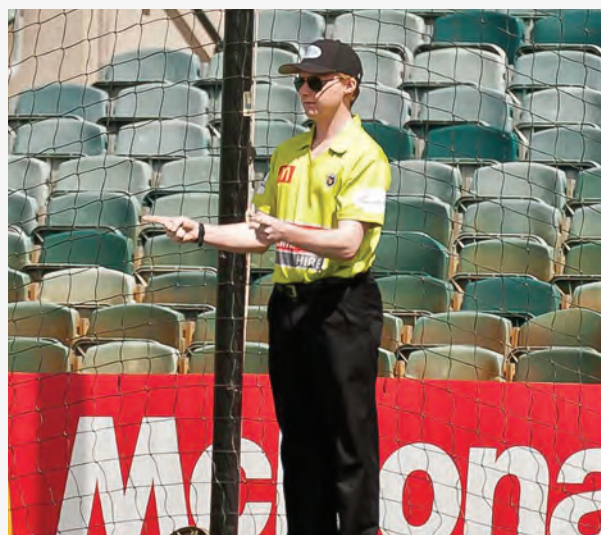
**Ron Hall Medal – Mitch Vernon**

Mitch is a very competitive beast when it comes to fitness and is a true professional with his commitment and 100% effort in all training sessions leading into Round 1. Having a very good pre-season behind him, Mitch gave himself every opportunity to have a very successful year.

**Merv Rose Medal – David Hayes**

David's transition from the 2016 season to pre-season 2017 was remarkable. This was clearly demonstrated by his commitment, attitude and worked ethic throughout the summer months in both his fitness and preseason games. He ran 12.16 minutes for his 3km time trial, 14 seconds better than his previous benchmark time.

His approach to pre-season games was a highlight and as a result started Round 1 at League level. David went on to umpire 19 home and away games in 2017 and he continues to have a positive attitude and commitment to improving his goal umpiring.



HIGH HONOUR AWARDS

John McKay Life Members Trophy – Chris McCann

The 2017 John McKay Life Members Trophy was presented to Chris McCann in recognition of his huge contribution to the association over the past five years, despite never being a member of the committee.

Over this period, his biggest contribution has been his role in organising the last five Panel Nights. This has involved planning, filming and editing many videos, co-writing and recording a number of songs, co-hosting the evening for three years and acting as roving reporter for a further two years.

On top of this, he also provided a 30-song musical set with Alex Martin for the 2013 Social Function, opened the 2013 Dinner Dance with a couple of original musical numbers, co-edited the 2014 Yearbook, put together all of the videos for the 2017 Hall of Fame function and is currently going through archival footage of old WAFL and AFL games to cut vision of current and former members of the WANFLUA for posterity.



Colts Umpire of the Year 2017 – Jason Gibb

The Colts Umpire of the year is recognized not only for the execution of skills and decision-making to a consistently high level, but importantly for displaying good character that is aligned to the group's core values.

Jason was challenged early in the season and his response has been most impressive. Continued skill development, hard work and resilience on the field resulted in Jason being rewarded with 10 Reserves appointments.

He is a good character, works hard on the track, supports teammates, contributes positively to the group in coaching sessions and shows respect for his peers and coaches.



Rising Star 2017 – Jordan Russell

Jordan joined the WAFL at Round 7 and it soon became very apparent that he was a special talent and was not going to leave any stone unturned to make sure he got the very best out himself.

His work rate, understanding and willingness to improve, were the reasons Jordan was selected to umpire the Colts Grand Final, which is an outstanding achievement, given his short time in the system.

Boundary umpiring has not had a great track record when it comes to Rising Star awards, but the coaches believe they have found someone who is really poised to make a statement.



MOST IMPROVED MEDALLISTS

Brett Rosebury Medal – Trent McPhee

Trent improved significantly throughout the season having worked hard to change perceptions around his umpiring. A new attitude and leadership amongst the group saw him impress at the National 18s Championship and he continued to grow from there. Improved teamwork, running and decision-making allowed Trent to make his League finals debut and then his first League Grand Final during September, as well as being selected to umpire the Rising Stars game before the 2018 AFL Grand Final at the MCG.



Greg Smith Medal – Nick Wrenn

Nick had a very strong season with a real appetite for hard work. He is always craving feedback on how he can improve his performance and goes about his business in a very professional manner, which led to him being selected to represent WA at the State 18s Carnival in Victoria. Nick was rewarded for the consistency of his season by being selected to umpire his first League Grand Final.



David Shawcross Medal – Christian Cutrona

Since joining the WAFL goal umpiring panel in 2016, Christian has clearly demonstrated a significant improvement in all areas of goal umpiring. He was selected to represent the WAFL as a goal umpire in the State 16s Carnival in Queensland and the positive feedback received from the AFL afterwards is a clear testament on his character and love of goal umpiring. Christian was appointment to umpire his first League game in Round 19 and umpired the 2017 Colts Grand Final. He is a well-liked member of the goal umpire team and his enthusiasm and commitment to goal umpiring provides the way for bright future.



UMPIRE OF THE YEAR MEDALLISTS

Montgomery Medal – Matthew Adams

Bouncing back from an up and down 2016, Matt returned with a new, relaxed and composed attitude towards his umpiring. He executed every week and made a strong impact around the group with his leadership and teamwork. With continuous improvement at the back of his mind, Matt was rewarded with the State Game appointment and again impressed during the WAFL finals series. Regardless of where Matt's future lies, he will be a strong asset to the group for many years to come.



John Devine Medal – Sean Moylan

After winning this award in 2016, Sean again turned up for pre-season training with a goal of improving in all areas of his game. Sean ran a very good 5km time trial and was a model of consistency at a high level for the entire year. His maturity and leadership were also of a very high standard and he was rewarded with appointment to the Victoria v WA State Game and umpired in his third League Grand Final.



Bill Carter Medal – Sam Hunter

Sam joined the WAFL goal umpiring panel in 2008 while still field umpiring with the Swan Districts Junior Football Council. In 2010, he was nominated for the Field Umpiring Talent Squad, which he declined and put his focus towards goal umpiring. He made his League debut in Round 3, 2011 and has been a regular member of the senior panel since that time.

In 2017, he was appointed as a Rookie on the AFL Goal Umpire panel. Sam shows outstanding dedication to the trade of goal umpiring. He has an outstanding work ethic on and off the training track and this was reflected in his benchmark time for the 3km trial of 11.44 minutes and beep test run of 13.7.

Sam continues to demonstrate excellent leadership and is a positive contributor to the team. Sam has now umpired three consecutive WAFL League Grand Finals.



STATE REPRESENTATIVES



2017 State Game – Victoria v Western Australia
Matthew Adams, Sean Moylan, Brody Payne



NAB National 18's Championships
Nick Wrenn, Jason Yazdani, Trent McPhee



NAB Nationals 16's Championships
Mitch Vernon, Joel King, Christian Cutrona, Louis Jago, Cory Dugan

STATE GAME

Sean Moylan



After beating every other state competition over the last four years, Western Australia had every right to take on the class of Victoria with confidence, however, hanging over their head was a massive hoodoo: the WAFL State team had never beaten Victoria in 23 appearances in Victoria, a record stretching back to 1904.

The 2017 State Game was held at North Port Oval, Melbourne on May 27 and saw AFL rookie field umpire Matt Adams appointed to his first State Game, boundary umpire Sean Moylan and goal umpire Brody Payne umpiring their second State Games, with all umpires experiencing their first away State Game.

Melbourne put on a splendid day for the game, with overcast but dry conditions greeting the players. The oval was extremely firm in the middle, with turf cricket wickets providing a change of scenery for the WA boys. In addition to the firm ground, the other novelty

factor was the size of the ground, only 150m long, providing an interesting contrast to the large grounds found at home.

The first quarter was an even contest, with the VFL going into the break with a two-point margin. After quarter time the contest was as good as over, with the WAFL pulling away to record a comprehensive 63-point victory, 20.14 (134) to 10.11 (71). It was just a shame there was less than 500 supporters at the ground to witness the historic occasion.

The experience was one that was thoroughly well enjoyed by all umpires and we were extremely well looked after by the WAFC. The chance to represent the State and our fellow peers was something that we all were extremely proud of and will be sure to remain a fond memory for years to come.

STATE 18's

Nick Wrenn

Trent McPhee (field), Nick Wrenn (boundary) and Jason Yazdani (goal) were selected as the WA representatives to umpire in Melbourne for the State 18's championships.

After arriving in Melbourne and settling in our hotel rooms, we travelled to Carlton for a tour of the AFL umpires training venue. The night concluded with a welcome dinner where everyone had an opportunity to introduce themselves and determine our core values for the week.

On Friday, we umpired our first game at Etihad Stadium. The umpires in both games managed to work well together as a team and officiate their respective games in a very professional manner. We were "rewarded" for our efforts the following day with a beach session on Melbourne's coldest morning in over 100 years. After defrosting our legs, we had the rest of the day off where the majority of the group went to watch an AFL game.



Sunday started with a training session at Port Melbourne Oval, where we were able to tick the legs over and do some skills practice within our disciplines. That afternoon we travelled to the MCG for the Hawthorn v Collingwood fixture where we had access to the AFL umpires rooms and watched the game from the coaches box.



Monday and Tuesday consisted of professional development sessions, which included a mental skills seminar, Q&A session with an AFL umpire, coaching with our discipline coaches and another skills training session. The week concluded with a trip to Geelong on Wednesday where we umpired our second game of the week, which was then followed with an early morning start to head home. We all took so much from this trip and were extremely honoured to be given the opportunity to umpire in Melbourne and develop our skills on and off the field.

STATE 16's

Mitch Vernon

Five promising umpires from WA were selected to umpire some of the country's finest young talent in the country. These included field umpires Cory Dugan and Louis Jago, boundary umpires Joel King and Mitch Vernon and goal umpire Christian Cutrona. We were based along the Coolangatta Beach with picturesque views all around 30 minutes out of the main hustle and bustle of the Gold Coast.

For all of us this was our first umpiring trip away at a State Carnival so it was a great experience to learn off our coaches and peers around us. Our experienced coaching staff including field coach Jarrod Waight (over 150 VFL games), boundary coach Darren Wilson (a massive 400 AFL games, including 12 consecutive grand finals) and goals coach David Dixon (350 AFL matches, including 6 Grand finals).

We split into rooms with teammates of our same discipline, yet from alternate states and territories, allowing us to create new friendships as well as giving us an insight and understanding of how strong our WAFL standards are in comparison to other state levels.

The football we got to umpire was high energy and fast-paced action. Countless efforts of end-to-end ball movement as these young athletes gave their all, vying to make a name for themselves as a future AFL draft prospect. My own first game had one athlete who set himself head and shoulders above the rest. In the match of the Carnival, WA was neck and neck all day with a strong Victoria Country outfit on the turf of Metricon Stadium. With only seconds left in the game and five points down, the ball was desperately bombed into WA's forward 50.

East Perth product Rhai-arn Cox soared high over the congested pack, taking a ride on the opposition's shoulders to pull the ball into his grasp. As Cox went back to take his kick, the siren sounded. With ice in his veins, he slotted his third goal of the day to give WA a fairytale win.

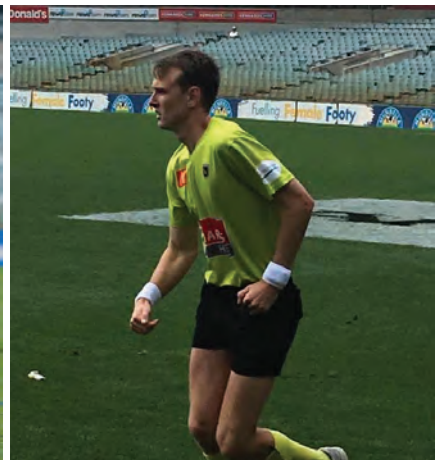
Other than the footy and our training schedules, we spent a lot of time bonding with our fellow umpires. Some went shopping on their day off, some visited theme parks and as a group we gathered to play a few rounds of bowls. This was followed by the poor choice of Chinese food for dinner – it took over an hour for food to come out!

This trip was an excellent experience for myself and all other members of the WA umpiring squad. We all embraced the high level of coaching feedback and took in the chances to run out on Metricon Stadium and the Gabba. If you're ever offered the opportunity to travel for one of these carnivals, I strongly encourage you to take it and to learn as much as you can from these experiences.



COLTS GRAND FINAL



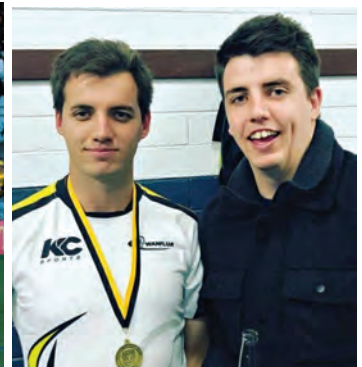


RESERVES GRAND FINAL





LEAGUE GRAND FINAL





GRAND FINAL UMPIRES 1953 - 2017

YEAR	FIELD	BOUNDARY	GOAL	YEAR	FIELD	BOUNDARY	GOAL
1953	F. (Smokey) Wood	W. Edgar T. Reeves	J. Duckwood E. Crisp	1973	R. Capes	D. Wakenshaw G. Tipping	J. McKay R. Hartland
1954	F. (Smokey) Wood	R. Colby W. Shorthill	J. Clayton H. Clair	1974	R. Capes	J. Devine G. Tipping	B. Collett B. Haigh
1955	J. Green	J. Dolling F. Pimm	M. Rose W. Carter	1975	R. Capes	D. Wakenshaw P. Cunningham	B. Haigh J. McKay
1956	L. Gardner	R. Colby W. Shorthill	M. Rose W. Carter	1976	R. Capes R. Powell	D. Wakenshaw D. Aslett	B. Collett J. McKay
1957	C. Fitzpatrick	R. Hall R. Whitfield	M. Rose W. Carter	1977	R. Capes R. Powell	D. Wakenshaw D. Aslett	R. Becker J. McKay
1958	L. Gardner	R. Hall R. Whitfield	M. Rose W. Carter	1978	R. Buckey R. Capes	R. Dalby D. Aslett	R. Becker B. Haigh
1959	R. Montgomery	R. Hall D. Skipworth	M. Rose W. Carter	1979	R. Capes J. Morris	J. Devine G. McDonald	B. Haigh R. Lee
1960	L. Gardner	R. Hall D. Skipworth	M. Rose W. Carter	1980	J. Morris B. Phillips	J. Devine G. Daniel	R. Becker M. Hale
1961	L. Gardner	D. DeGruchy B. Bidstrup	M. Rose W. Carter	1981	R. Capes R. Powell	J. Devine D. Aslett	T. Cant C. Raynor
1962	B. Feld	D. DeGruchy B. Bidstrup	M. Rose W. Carter	1982	B. Phillips D. Gillies	G. Woodhouse D. Davis	R. Becker L. Leicester
1963	R. Scott	B. Bidstrup F. Naylor	M. Rose W. Carter	1983	M. Ball D. Rowe	D. Ross G. McDonald	M. Hale L. Leicester
1964	R. Montgomery	B. Carbon K. Hart	M. Rose W. Carter	1984	D. Johnson M. Ball	G. McDonald C. Shimmon	R. Dalby N. Lewis
1965	F. Woods	D. Hansen T. Lewis	R. Parkhouse P. Pustkuchen	1985	D. Johnson P. O'Reilly	C. Shimmon G. McDonald	R. Dalby R. Becker
1966	R. Montgomery	K. Hart D. DeGruchy	R. Parkhouse P. Pustkuchen	1986	M. Ball K. O'Driscoll	C. Shimmon S. Tempest	T. Cant L. Cox
1967	R. Scott	A. Hocking P. Snow	R. Parkhouse P. Pustkuchen	1987	P. O'Reilly G. Vernon	C. Shimmon P. Nolan	R. Dalby P. Smith
1968	R. Scott	J. Devine P. Bruce	J. Dolling D. Montgomery	1988	P. O'Reilly D. Johnson	P. Nolan S. Tempest	R. Stubberfield R. Poole
1969	R. Montgomery	J. Devine P. Bruce	J. Dolling L. Bromley	1989	M. Ball D. Johnson	G. Daniel P. Frusher	R. Hendrie R. Poole
1970	R. Montgomery	D. Clair C. Feutrill	W. Carter G. Hall	1990	P. O'Reilly G. Vernon	P. Frusher P. Nolan	R. Hendrie R. Dalby
1971	L. Johnston	J. Devine P. Bruce	R. Hartland B. Collett	1991	G. Vernon T. Garrett	P. Frusher G. Bergersen	P. Smith R. Hendrie
1972	J. Fuhrmann	J. Devine P. Bruce	D. Allan M. Hale	1992	G. Scroop T. Garrett	A. Neale T. Franchina	P. Smith R. Hendrie

GRAND FINAL UMPIRES 1953 - 2017

YEAR	FIELD	BOUNDARY	GOAL	YEAR	FIELD	BOUNDARY	GOAL
1993	S. Kronja	T. Franchina	G. Bishop	2007	G. Statham	D. Kennedy	A. Tilley
	G. Scroop	D. Gooch	J. Hausworth		T. Keating	D. Rossbach	B. Rogers
1994	G. Scroop	B. Roberts	T. Pescud	2008	G. Bandy	R. Kukura	
	S. Kronja	D. Gooch	P. Smith		G. Statham	R. Heptinstall	B. Rogers
1995	T. Garrett	T. Gooch	R. Hendrie	2009	D. Margetts	R. Kukura	J. Jones
	S. Kronja	N. Jessup	P. Jeffers		S. Parry	B. Dalglish	
	D. Starceвич				S. Parry	R. Heptinstall	B. Rogers
1996	S. Kronja	B. Roberts	A. Curtis	2010	C. Hendrie	J. Collingridge	M. Laycock
	W. French	G. Smith	C. Martino		G. Statham	B. Dalglish	
	A. Binks					H. Martin	
1997	A. Binks	G. Pampacos	C. Martino	2011	C. Hendrie	B. Hunt	D. Shawcross
	T. Garrett	B. Brown	D. Shawcross		S. Parry	M. Washbourne	B. Payne
	W. French	P. Pooley			G. Statham	R. Kukura	
1998	A. Binks	B. Brown	C. Martino	2012		A. Bastick	
	W. French	J. Giles	J. Marrapodi		S. Parry	A. Bastick	M. Spear
	S. Gill	G. Pampacos			C. Hendrie	M. Washbourne	L. Edwards
1999	M. Fussell	B. Roberts	M. Evans	2013	S. McPhee	R. Heptinstall	
	W. French	B. Brown	W. Hendrie			C. Brown	
	B. Rosebury	P. Frusher			S. McPhee	B. Hunt	L. Edwards
2000	B. Rosebury	M. Reed	W. Hendrie	2014	T. Keating	N. Doig	M. Spear
	D. Corcoran	A. Gooch	D. Shawcross		J. Orr	M. Washbourne	
	D. Margetts	M. Hearne				R. Kukura	
2001	C. Hendrie	A. Gooch	G. DeFrancesch	2015	S. Parry	M. Washbourne	K. Ball
	M. Fussell	C. Hartnett	M. Evans		J. Orr	B. Hunt	B. Payne
	D. Corcoran	A. Zanich			S. McPhee	A. Bastick	
2002	L. Farmer	A. Zanich	M. Evans	2016		J. McDonald	
	C. Hendrie	B. Brown	D. Edwick		S. Parry	R. Kukura	S. Boud
	R. Worthington	R. Parker			S. McPhee	J. Garrett	L. French
2003	C. Hendrie	B. Brown	M. Spear	2017	M. Adams	B. Hunt	
	D. Corcoran	R. Parker	J. Marrapodi			M. Washbourne	
	R. Worthington	N. Doig			S. McPhee	J. Garrett	S. Hunter
2004	D. Corcoran	N. Doig	M. Spear	2018	S. Parry	R. Kukura	S. Boud
	L. Farmer	A. Zanich			M. Adams	K. Sinclair	
	M. Fussell	R. Parker	A. Peacock			S. Moylan	
2005	L. Farmer	G. Smith	A. Peacock	2019	N. Williamson	S. Moylan	B. Payne
	M. Fussell	H. Martin	J. Jones		M. Worobec	K. Sinclair	S. Hunter
	G. Bandy	R. Kukura			J. Power	M. Washbourne	
2006	G. Bandy	D. Kennedy	D. Edwick	2020		K. Webster	
	G. Parker	H. Martin	A. Tilley		M. Adams	S. Moylan	S. Hunter
	T. Keating	C. De Boer			J. Power	N. Wrenn	B. Payne
					T. McPhee	M. Washbourne	
						K. Sinclair	

Executive Officer Bearers 1953-2017

Year	President	Secretary	Treasurer	Assistant 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. Bidstorp	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
1981	J. Devine	D. McComish	K. Holland	A. Mirabella
1982	J. Devine	D. McComish	K. O'Driscoll	A. Mirabella
1983	J. Morris	D. McComish	R. Hendrie	K. O'Driscoll
1984	J. Morris	B. Appleby	R. Hendrie	D. Green
1985	R. Buckey	R. Graffin	R. Hendrie	B. Grimmermond
1986	R. Buckey	R. Graffin	R. Hendrie	G. Palmer
1987	R. Buckey	L. Cooper	M. Power	C. Shimmermon
1988	R. Buckey	L. Cooper	P. Smith	L. Putland
1989	M. Ball	R. Poole	P. Smith	Mrs. E. Ball
1990	M. Ball	D. White	P. Smith	B. Hadjimihalakis
1991	D. Johnson	D. White	P. Smith	M. Ball
1992	D. Johnson	P. Frusher	P. Smith	J. Hauswirth
1993	G. Vernon	P. Frusher	P. Smith	J. Hauswirth

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Year	President	Secretary	Treasurer	Assistant Social Secretary
1994	T. Garrett	D. Starceвич	P. Smith	N. Tilley
1995	G. Scroop	D. Starceвич	G. Gilbee	D. Cole
1996	G. Scroop	D. Starceвич	S. Kronja	J. Hauswirth
1997	G. Scroop	D. Starceвич	G. Pampacos	N. Jessup
1998	S. Gill	D. Shawcross	P. Smith	N. Jessup
1999	S. Gill	D. Shawcross	P. Smith	R. Lampard
2000	S. Gill	J. Petrie	M. O'Dea/ P. Smith	L. Farmer
2001	D. Shawcross	B. Marsh/D. Corcoran	M. Evans	A. Shepherdson
2002	D. Shawcross	A. Walker	M. Evans	A. Shepherdson
2003	D. Shawcross	A. Walker	M. Evans	M. Hayes
2004	D. Shawcross	A. Walker	S. Parry	B. Brown
2005	D. Shawcross	D. O'Neill	A. Peacock	R. Kukura
2006	G. Bandy	D. O'Neill	A. Peacock	K. Ball
2007	G. Bandy	D. O'Neill	A. Peacock	K. Ball
2008	D. Panagopoulos	D. O'Neill/B. Wardman	R. Hollick	K. Ball/C. O'Connor
2009	D. Panagopoulos	B. Wardman	R. Hollick	K. Ball
2010	B. Wardman	M. Dodgson	R. Hollick	K. Ball
2011	B. Wardman	M. Dodgson	T. Norton	K. Ball
2012	B. Wardman	M. Dodgson	T. Norton	K. Ball
2013	B. Wardman/ S. Gaensler	M. Dodgson	T. Norton	D. Thatcher
2014	J. Mohen	A. Martin	J. Power	D. Thatcher
2015	J. Mohen	A. Martin	J. Power	D. Thatcher
2016	J. Mohen	A. Martin	B. Laycock	D. Thatcher
2017	J. Mohen	A. Martin	B. Laycock	D. Thatcher

LEAGUE UMPIRING RECORDS 1953-2017

Field

1	ROSEBURY	Brett	425	43	O'NEILL	Dave	117
2	MARGETTS	Dean	406	44	WORTHINGTON	Ryan	114
3	FARMER	Luke	348	45	WOODS	Fred	113
4	HENDRIE	Craig	337	46	HAYES	Matt	111
5	STATHAM	Gavin	319	47	STARCEVICH	Darren	111
6	VERNON	Grant	313	48	COLE	Duane	109
7	MONTGOMERY	Ray	308	49	SHELTON	Ryan	109
8	BALL	Mike	301	50	PATTINSON	Chris	108
9	PARRY	Stuart	291	51	WARDMAN	Beau	100
10	DALGLEISH	Jeff	279	52	WILLIAMSON	Nathan	100
11	GARRETT	Trevor	277	53	JOHNSTON	Lindsay	91
12	CAPE	Ross	275	54	DAWE	Cameron	90
13	SCROOP	Greg	255	55	HEARNE	Brian	89
14	KEATING	Todd	246	56	LAYCOCK	Ben	84
15	BUCKEY	Ron	238	57	POWER	Justin	80
16	FUSSELL	Mark	229	58	McPHEE	Trent	73
17	JOHNSON	David	218	59	KELLEHER	Matt	71
18	REPPER	Peter	218	60	O'DRISCOLL	Ken	69
19	PHILLIPS	Bob	213	61	PITCHERS	Paul	68
20	O'REILLY	Phil	207	62	WRIGHT	Jordon	64
21	McPHEE	Scott	205	63	BUTLER	Robert	61
22	POWELL	Ron	201	64	HOWIE	Glen	60
23	WHITEFIELD	Ray	178	65	FUHRMANN	John	58
24	PANAGOPOULOS	David	176	66	BROWN	Aaron	55
25	ORR	Justin	174	67	CARBON	Barry	55
26	MORRIS	John	173	68	ST QUINTIN	Paul	54
27	FRENCH	Wayne	172	69	BEAVIS	Adam	53
28	WOODS	Smokey	170	70	O'DEA	Murray	53
29	KRONJA	Sam	163	71	SALIS	Reg	53
30	BANDY	Greg	161	72	COWPER	Dennis	52
31	GILL	Simon	158	73	BOWDEN	Mark	50
32	PARKER	Gareth	154	74	McCANN	Chris	50
33	GARDNER	Len	150	75	WADE	Russell	49
34	McCAW	Robert	148	76	PETRIE	Jeff	46
35	GILLIES	Darryl	147	77	WALLINGTON	Brett	46
36	CORCORAN	David	145	78	WARREN	Mark	46
37	WOROBEC	Mark	142	79	NORTON	Travis	46
38	SCOTT	Ray	141	80	McCaw	Peter	46
39	MARTIN	Alex	134	81	CAPE	Aaron	42
40	ADAMS	Matt	130	82	COOPER	Len	42
41	BINKS	Adam	124	83	LEE	Glen	42
42	ROWE	David	124	84	PRITCHARD	Geoff	41

85	MANN	Jeff	39	130	McBRIDE	Ron	13
86	FRY	Jordan	39	131	NICHOLSON	Nathan	12
87	HADJIMIHALAKIS	Bryon	37	132	SINCLAIR	Greg	12
88	ZOCH	Ray	37	133	BUCKLEY	Jason	11
89	SAMPSON	A	37	134	ASHWORTH	Graham	10
90	BROWN	Nick	37	135	OSWALD	Steve	10
91	HILLS	Clive	36	136	SHEPHERSON	Andrew	10
92	FITZPATRICK	Cliff	36	137	KIRK WILLIAMS	Shaun	10
93	JAGO	Louis	33	138	MARCH	Wayne	8
94	BROWN	Bill	32	139	HINTON	Des	7
95	BUCKINGHAM	Neville	32	140	RIGG	Basil	7
96	GRAFFIN	Ross	32	141	TROODE	Peter	7
97	HOLLICK	Rhett	31	142	PATTERSON	J	7
98	O'DONOHUE	Craig	31	143	RETALLACK	Leigh	7
99	O'CONNOR	Chris	30	144	STARCEVICH	Trevor	6
100	KESSELL	K	30	145	WHITE	Lance	6
101	EDINGER	McLane	30	146	DARBY	Neil	5
102	BECKER	Gordon	29	147	GREEN	Brendan	5
103	JOHANSEN	Daniel	29	148	McCOMISH	Gary	5
104	MORALEE	Kevin	28	149	SMITH	Robert	5
105	REES	Trevor	28	150	FELD	Brian	5
106	BAGULEY	Lindsay	27	151	O'MALLEY	Jason	5
107	LENDICH	Frank	27	152	DEVINE	Fred	4
108	SLOCOMBE	Chris	27	153	FOGARTY	Graham	4
109	MANNIX	Paul	26	154	HOSKING	Dale	4
110	AUSTIN	Richard	23	155	SNOW	Peter	4
111	SNADDEN	Curtis	23	156	STUBBERFIELD	Dick	4
112	CHINNERY	Ray	22	157	DORRINGTON	Terry	3
113	MARSH	Brendan	22	158	HOLLAND	Tony	3
114	SHAWCROSS	Colin	22	159	ROLFE	Greg	3
115	GREEN	Jack	22	160	DODGSON	Matt	3
116	MARTINO	Ned	21	161	ANDERSON	Robert	2
117	MOON	David	21	162	MARTIN	John	2
118	MOHEN	Jerome	20	163	SMITH	Murray	2
119	SNOW	Cameron	18	164	COSTER	Ashley	2
120	SMITH	Bevan	17	165	TITTERTON	Keegan	2
121	EVANS	Blake	17	166	ABBOTT	Frank	1
122	TONTI	Peter	16	167	CARLTON	Doug	1
123	APPLEBY	Brian	15	168	NEILSON	Terry	1
124	BAYENS	Ron	15	169	RANDALL	Murray	1
125	PERKINS	Lance	15	170	MCKEE	C	1
126	RAVEN	Ken	15	171	CATTACH	E	1
127	CARBON	Arthur	14	172	GAIRDNER	T	1
128	POSA	M	14	173	CLEMENTS	M	1
129	CASTENSEN	Kevin	13				

Boundary

1	SMITH	Greg	451	42	SHIMMON	Clay	105
2	DOIG	Nathan	331	43	POOLEY	Peter	103
3	KUKURA	Ryan	308	44	SOLIN	Greg	101
4	GILES	Jamie	278	45	GOOCH	Tim	97
5	ZANICH	Alan	278	46	De GRUCHY	Des	95
6	WASHBOURNE	Michael	265	47	GARRETT	Josh	94
7	FRUSHER	Peter	264	48	MOYLAN	Sean	94
8	DALGLEISH	Brett	252	49	DALBY	Robin	89
9	DEVINE	John	247	50	CURTIS	Craig	86
10	PRATT	Charlie	236	51	HANSEN	Dave	86
11	PAMPACOS	George	234	52	JOHNSON	Barry	86
12	McDONALD	Greg	216	53	DOLLING	John	85
13	BASTICK	Adam	213	54	NEALE	Andrew	79
14	BROWN	Ben	208	55	ROSS	David	79
15	ASLETT	Dave	203	56	WALKER	Steve	79
16	HUNT	Brad	201	57	PARKER	Richard	78
17	ROBERTS	Bernard	200	58	TIPPING	Geoff	78
18	GOOCH	Daniel	199	59	BRUCE	Peter	78
19	DANIEL	Grahame	195	60	THATCHER	David	78
20	BERGERSEN	Tig	181	61	LEWIS	Trevor	75
21	HEPTINSTALL	Richard	166	62	POWER	Mark	73
22	SINCLAIR	Ryan	163	63	WHITE	Dominic	69
23	NOLAN	Phil	160	64	HALL	Arthur	68
24	TEMPEST	Stewart	158	65	KENNEDY	David	68
25	McKENZIE	Barry	152	66	TAPSCOTT	Michael	65
26	WAKENSHAW	Don	152	67	STRAMBOLINI	Dominic	65
27	HALL	Ron	150	68	BABINALL	Steve	64
28	WOODHOUSE	Gary	150	69	KENNAUGH	D	64
29	COLLINGRIDGE	Jace	142	70	MILIAUSKAS	Nat	62
30	BROWN	Callum	140	71	PORTEOUS	John	62
31	JONES	Matt	137	72	ROBINSON	Hugo	62
32	CUNNINGHAM	Phil	135	73	SURIANO	Rob	61
33	FRANCHINA	Tony	131	74	De BOER	Chris	60
34	SINCLAIR	Kyle	131	75	DAWBARN	Robert	58
35	HARTNETT	Craig	127	76	PRATLEY	J	57
36	BISHOP	Gil	125	77	SUTHERLAND	Ian	57
37	GOOCH	Tony	125	78	WHITFIELD	Ray	57
38	MARTIN	Haden	120	79	MORGAN	Justin	57
39	JESSUP	Nathan	117	80	HENDERSON	Trevor	56
40	WEBSTER	Kirk	110	81	CLAIR	Dennis	55
41	SHORTILL	W	108	82	DAVIS	Denis	55

83	DICKIE	B	55	128	THOMAS	Michael	30
84	ROBERTS	Dave	55	129	CLUSS	W	30
85	MOYLAN	Charlie	54	130	LEFROY	Tim	29
86	PEARSE	Robert	52	131	ROME	Mike	28
87	WOODHEAD	D	50	132	DOMNEY		28
88	KLAUZ	Peter	48	133	BRUCE	Matthew	27
89	NAYLOR	F	47	134	O'NEIL	Sean	27
90	MCDONALD	Jack	47	135	BERRY	T	27
91	BIDSTRUP	Barry	46	136	FARRELL	Brendan	27
92	SHEEHY	W	46	137	SKEGGS	Ron	26
93	LAMONT	Bayley	46	138	NUTCHEY	Peter	25
94	HALL	Todd	45	139	RAUDINO	Tony	25
95	VERNON	Mitchell	45	140	KNIGHT	Claire	24
96	MARTINO	Ned	43	141	KEYS	Alexander	23
97	ROSSBACH	David	43	142	DEVLYN	Mike	23
98	SAMUELS	Geoff	43	143	KIELY	K	23
99	IMMS	Peter	42	144	STEWART	D	23
100	MILLS	Andrew	41	145	PIMM	Frank	23
101	GREEN	Jack	40	146	REEVES	T	23
102	PUTLAND	Leith	40	147	MCGRAD		23
103	WRENN	Nicholas	40	148	PRIEST	Caylem	23
104	FEUTRILL	Geoff	39	149	SANDOVER	Ian	22
105	HART	Ken	39	150	SCHNEIDER	Max	22
106	SIMPSON	Brandon	39	151	WOMBELL	Keith	22
107	BROWN	Donna	39	152	HOBBS	Jack	22
108	HEARNE	Mike	38	153	DURTNALL	Keith	21
109	SKIPWORTH	Don	38	154	KELLY	Mike	21
110	SNOW	Peter	38	155	MANLY	H	21
111	REED	Matt	37	156	WOOD	J	21
112	GARDNER	Clayton	37	157	GOADBY	Matt	21
113	CROSS	Ray	36	158	MARTIN	Doug	20
114	THORNETT	Craig	36	159	WALKER	Ben	20
115	COLBY	R	36	160	WARD	Brody	20
116	DAVIES	Brenton	35	161	CUSACK	Rod	19
117	MORFITT	Neil	35	162	BENNING	Kevin	19
118	CLARKE	Ken	35	163	KENNEDY	Lachlan	19
119	GREEN	Damian	34	164	TIMMINGS	Steve	18
120	NEYNHUIS	Jack	34	165	BOND	R	17
121	MILLER	T	33	166	NUGENT	L	17
122	ROWE	Kane	32	167	MORROW	Jason	17
123	SHEPHERD	Bill	32	168	SYMONS	James	16
124	MACAULEY	P	32	169	WHALAN	Dean	16
125	HOCKING	Andy	31	170	SMITH	Cambell	16
126	MASON	David	31	171	MOORE	Ash	16
127	GRIMMOND	Barry	30	172	AVERY	Nathan	15

173	HOLLAND	Kevin	15	217	MACDONALD		6
174	WALSH	R	15	218	DICK	Jason	6
175	DOONAN	K	14	219	HAWKS	John	5
176	FITZGERALD	Danny	14	220	SLOCOMBE	Chris	5
177	JOHN	Robert	14	221	STARCEVICH	Troy	5
178	NEWTON	R	14	222	SULLIVAN	Ken	5
179	FISHER	Andrew	12	223	COBB	Brian	4
180	HOOKE	Richard	12	224	FORWARD	Jack	4
181	EDGAR	William	12	225	GRIFFITHS	John	4
182	GIBSON		12	226	LENDICH	Ryan	4
183	POPJOY	J	12	227	MEREDITH	L	4
184	SMITH	R	12	228	BURNS	Jack	4
185	JAMES	M	11	229	HITCHCOCK	Damien	3
186	LIMMER	Mark	11	230	LAMPARD	Ray	3
187	McCAW	Darryl	11	231	LAPIERRE	Alain	3
188	VEANEY	Wayne	11	232	MILLER	Russell	3
189	JENNER	T	11	233	DIHM	Tom	3
190	KATAVADIS	P	11	234	DONNELLY		3
191	KING	Sam	11	235	FENCHEL		3
192	ANDERSON	Craig	10	236	KALAF	Michael	2
193	COLLETT	Brian	10	237	METCALFE	David	2
194	DIMMER	Shane	10	238	ROWE	Tyson	2
195	FRIDAY	W	10	239	WEBB	Callum	2
196	GREEN	Garry	10	240	KENNA	D	2
197	MOONEY	Brian	10	241	FLOOD	B	2
198	NICHOLS	Paul	10	242	WHALEN	Dayne	2
199	WADDELL	J	10	243	DINGLE	Nathan	2
200	WATLING	W	10	244	BRENNAN	R	2
201	BEAL	R	10	245	BECKERS	Paul	1
202	ARBUCKLE	Todd	9	246	BRANCHE	Garry	1
203	MOON	Julian	9	247	GILL	Andrew	1
204	TAYLOR	R	9	248	MARIC	Daniel	1
205	FRAWLEY	Ben	8	249	PRICE	David	1
206	HELLINGS	Tristan	8	250	SMITH	Trevor	1
207	MILLER	Ian	8	251	WHITING	Nathan	1
208	WHITE	Max	8	252	CHRISTENSEN		1
209	CARBON	Barry	7	253	HAWKINS		1
210	FUHRMANN	John	7	254	HEAL	R	1
211	GREAVES	Rob	7	255	HOWELL	L	1
212	KALAZICK	W	7	256	PERRY	P	1
213	PAPADOPOFF	A	7	257	WILLIAMS	B	1
214	ROBERTS	Peter	7	258	SINCLAIR	Greg	1
215	HARDIE		7	259	CLUFF	W	1
216	JOHNSON	Dave	6				

Goal

1	SHAWCROSS	David	353	41	STUBBERFIELD	Dick	118
2	SMITH	Paul	319	42	PESCU	Trevor	117
3	EDWICK	Dale	288	43	LEICESTER	Les	115
4	CANT	Trevor	284	51	HUNTER	Sam	114
5	HALE	Max	274	44	LAYCOCK	John	113
6	SPEAR	Mike	267	49	GAENSLER	Steve	112
7	CURTIS	Andrew	250	45	LEWIS	Neville	111
8	MARTINO	Cos	244	46	FRENCH	Lauren	111
10	ROGERS	Brett	235	50	BOUD	Sally	108
9	HAUSWIRTH	John	220	47	COLLETT	Brian	107
11	HENDRIE	Rob	218	48	CETENICH	Frank	105
12	CARTER	Bill	212	52	THOMAS	Simon	90
13	PEACOCK	Adam	206	53	ROBBINS	Jim	88
18	LAYCOCK	Matthew	206	54	PARKHOUSE	Ray	86
14	MARRAPODI	John	204	55	JONES	Jeromy	82
15	BECKER	Roy	203	56	BISHOP	Gil	80
16	McKAY	John	203	57	HALL	George	80
17	GARDNER	Don	201	58	TOMLINSON	Terry	79
24	PAYNE	Brody	184	59	DE FRANCESCH	Glenn	79
19	HENDRIE	Wayne	179	60	McDONALD	W	79
20	DALBY	Robin	178	61	NETTLETON	Sonny	79
21	EVANS	Malcom	167	62	CHAPMAN	Len	77
22	POOLE	Ron	166	63	SKIPWORTH	Don	74
23	ROSE	Merv	163	75	LILL	Gareth	73
25	COX	Lester	157	64	DUNCAN	Rod	72
26	PENMAN	Des	154	65	CHRISTENSEN	Jay	70
27	BALL	Kendell	152	66	DAVIS	Bob	70
28	SHAWCROSS	Colin	150	67	O'CONNOR	R	68
30	CUMMING	D	146	68	RENDALL	Gary	68
31	LEE	Bob	146	69	MOORE	Brian	66
32	RAYNOR	Colin	140	83	GARTLETT	Rueben	62
33	CRISP	Eddie	138	70	STAMATIOU	John	61
29	EDWARDS	Luke	137	71	PUSTKUCHEN	Peter	60
34	JEFFERS	Peter	134	72	BERESFORD	Len	57
35	JOHNSON	William	132	73	THOMAS	Gary	54
36	HARTLAND	Ray	130	74	ALLEN	Don	53
37	CROSS	Ken	129	76	LOCKYER	Alan	52
38	HAIGH	Brian	128	77	McCOMISH	Don	49
39	SHOVE	Norm	128	78	FEWSTER	Brian	47
40	TILLEY	Adam	127	79	ISLIP	John	47

80	MORGAN	Bob	46	120	ROWE	R	19
81	WILLIAMS	Bruce	46	121	CLARK	Ben	19
82	TURTON	Ray	45	122	ROTHNIE	Graeme	18
84	LEICESTER	Doug	44	123	BISHOP	Tony	17
85	BERRY	Dean	42	124	JACKSON	Wayne	16
86	MIRABELLA	Alan	42	125	KEATING	Terry	16
87	WATSON	J	42	126	WOOD	M	15
88	DUKE	P	40	127	TOMPKINS	Martyn	15
89	JAMIESON	N	38	128	HOYNE	A	15
90	CLARKE A	A	38	162	TYRELL	James	15
91	HANCOCK	George	37	130	ERIKSON	E	13
92	HUGHES	Colin	36	131	SYMCOX	Cameron	13
93	KATAVATIS	Peter	36	132	CARROD	Brendan	13
94	PENGILLY	E	35	134	BROMLEY	L	12
95	CRAWSHAW	Jack	35	175	STACE	Nick	12
96	SHEPHERD	R	32	135	CHAPMAN	John	11
97	WALSH	C	32	136	DOMNEY	R	11
133	HAYES	David	32	137	KIDDIE	Steve	11
98	ARBUARY	Gary	31	138	TAYLOR	R	11
99	CLAIR	Harry	31	139	WRIGHT	K	10
129	YAZDANI	Jason	31	140	PEARCE	P	10
100	GILES	Kevin	30	142	HARTREE	Ray	9
101	DOLLING	John	29	143	KELLY	Shaun	9
102	MONTGOMERY	Dick	29	144	CLAYTON	Jack	9
103	SMITH-GANDER	John	29	145	MOYLAN	J	9
104	DUCKWOOD	J	29	146	CROWE	Jason	8
105	KEMP	Don	28	147	SAMPSON	A	8
106	DOBSON	Daniel	28	148	FERGUSON	F	8
141	JANE	Dillon	27	149	COCKS	Grant	7
107	GREEN	Doug	26	150	HEANEY	Denis	7
108	SNOWBALL	David	26	151	OCKWELL	Bruce	7
109	McDONALD	A	26	152	SHERWOOD	Peter	7
110	MANN	G	25	153	MCOMISH	L	7
111	SMYTHE	S	24	154	SULLIVAN	K	7
112	RILEY	A	23	155	GAGE	Ian	6
113	KELLY	O	22	156	EVANS	D	6
114	LOWE	B	21	157	QUAILE	B	6
115	SHARLAND	Catherine	21	158	SKINNER	S	6
116	SOJAN	Roy	21	159	GIBSON	M	5
117	WHITFIELD	Peter	21	160	ANDERSON	O	5
118	HURLEY	H	20	161	LAMONT	Jamie	5
119	TILLEY	Nigel	19	204	CUTRONA	Christian	5

163	COLLING	Dave	4	184	PATERSON	L	2
164	DREW	Garry	4	185	VINCENT	P	2
165	MANIFIS	Nick	4	186	CLEMENTS	Max	1
166	SHARLAND	Rob	4	187	GARDNER	Vic	1
167	WARREN	Jared	4	188	GEORGEFF	Steve	1
168	RAC	Brendan	4	189	HART	Ray	1
169	BINKS	Chris	3	190	MORRIS	Laurie	1
170	BISHOP	Henry	3	191	PAYNE	Rick	1
171	FERGUSON	Geoff	3	192	BIGGS R	B	1
172	HARDER	Ryan	3	193	CHEESEMAN	E	1
173	HALL M	H	3	194	CLARK	H	1
174	MOSELY	H	3	195	CUTLER	C	1
176	BOOTH	Doug	2	196	FITZGERALD	D	1
177	COWAN	Chris	2	197	HARDIE	R	1
178	DAVIS	Graeme	2	198	HOCKING	H	1
179	HAWORTH	Trevor	2	199	JOHNSON	J	1
180	KAACKS	Berend	2	200	MEREDITH	R	1
181	MALE	J	2	201	MORRIS	M	1
182	MORGAN	Des	2	202	O'CALLAGHAN	O	1
183	BOSWORTH	B	2	203	SKEGGS	R	1



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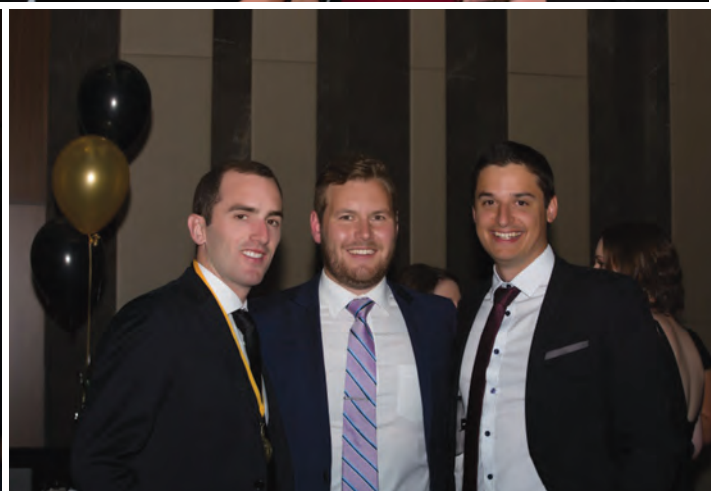












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Income Statement for the year ended 31 December 2017		Note	2017 \$	2016 \$
REVENUE				
From Operating Activities				
Members subscriptions			30,500	33,855
Functions	2		25,209	24,712
Bar trading	3		5,317	9,601
Sponsorship & Grants			1,000	3,750
WAFC Contribution			19,597	29,977
Merchandise			100	115
Fundraising – General			2,261	390
Fundraising – Horse Guarding			52,000	54,000
Sub-total			135,984	156,400
Other Income			1,936	270
Write Back of Accrued Expenses			8,500	-
Interest			432	463
Total Other Income			10,868	733
Total Revenue			146,852	157,133

EXPENDITURE				
From Operating Activities				
Bank charges			785	779
Cost of sales	2,3,4		63,058	64,111
Barbecues/Meals			1,862	1,232
Honoraria			2,000	2,000
70 th Function Provision			900	900
Liquor license fees			86	417
Donations/Gifts			4,875	523
Death Notices			171	142
Other expenses			2,953	585
Accounting Software			420	348
Website Hosting			1,236	792
Postage			160	213
Insurance			1,417	1,232
Grand Final Day Expense			303	288
Repairs and maintenance			-	389
Training camp expenses			619	1,265
Trophies/Awards/Engraving			3,321	1,709
Year book			3,300	3,300
Training Gear Expense			13,000	22,500
Horse Guarding Expense			5,840	6,705
Contribution to WAFC – Match Com			-	29,561
Total Expenditure			106,306	138,991
Depreciation			4,746	2,471
Merchandise Write Down Expense			-	4,177
Bad Debt Write Off Expense			270	1,540
Operating Surplus			35,530	9,954

The Income Statement should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

Balance Sheet as at 31 December 2017		Note	2017 \$	2016 \$
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CURRENT ASSETS

Cash and cash equivalents				
Cash at bank			112,478	83,688
Bank term deposit			19,000	19,000
Bar Float			100	100
Total Cash and cash equivalents			131,578	102,788
Receivables				
Accrued Income / Unbanked Sales			-	-
Trade and other receivables			24,500	20,520
Provision for doubtful debts			-	-
Total Receivables			24,500	20,520
Inventories				
Bar			236	236
Training apparel & merchandise			-	-
Total Inventories			236	236
Other non-financial assets				
Total Current Assets			156,314	123,544

NON-CURRENT ASSETS

Property, plant and equipment				
Plant and equipment at cost	5		36,805	35,075
Accumulated depreciation	5		(36,805)	(32,059)
Website Development Costs			301	301
Total Non-Current Assets			301	3,317
Total Assets			156,615	126,861

CURRENT LIABILITIES

Other liabilities				
Accounts Payable			-	-
Accrued Expenses			12,175	18,850
70th Function Provision			4,500	3,600
Total Liabilities			16,675	22,450
NET ASSETS			139,940	104,411

MEMBERS' FUNDS

Accumulated funds			139,940	104,411
Total Members' Funds			139,940	104,411

Statement of Changes in Members' Funds Cash Flow Statement for the year ended 31 December 2017		Note	2017 \$	2016 \$
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CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES

Receipts				
Subscriptions			30,500	33,415
Functions			31,725	31,399
Bar trading			5,317	9,961
Sponsorship			3,250	500
Merchandise			100	-
Fundraisers - General			336	390
Fundraisers – Horse Guarding			45,500	58,780
Interest			432	463
Other			3,861	385
Total Receipts			121,021	135,293
Payments				
Payments to suppliers			84,031	81,045
Contribution WAFC Asset Purchase – Match Com			-	28,770
Other			4,469	-
Payments to executive committee – honoraria			2,000	2,000
Net cash (used)/provided by operating activities	6		30,521	23,478

CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES

Purchase of plant and equipment		(1,731)	(827)
Net increase in cash held		28,790	22,651
Cash at the beginning of the year		102,688	80,039
Cash at the end of the year		131,478	102,690

Cash Flow Statement should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

Statement of Changes in Members' Funds as at 31 December 2017		Accumulated Funds \$
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Balance at 1 January 2016		94,457
Operating surplus		9,954
Balance at 1 January 2017		104,411
Operating surplus		35,530
Balance at 31 December 2017		139,940

The Statement of Changes in Members' Funds should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2017

1. Statement of Significant Accounting Policies

The significant policies which have been adopted in the preparation of this financial report are:

Basis of accounting

The financial report is a special purpose financial report that has been prepared for its members in accordance with the Australian Accounting Standards, Urgent Issues Group interpretations, other authoritative announcements and the Association Handbook in a form appropriate for a sporting association.

It has been prepared on the basis of historical costs and except where stated, does not take into account changing money values or fair values of non-current assets.

The accounting policies have been consistently applied, and, except where there is a change in accounting policy, are consistent with those of the previous year.

Statement of compliance

The financial report complies with Australian Accounting Standards, which include Australian equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards (AIFRS). Compliance with AIFRS ensures that the financial report, comprising the financial statements and notes thereto, complies with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS).

(a) Revenue recognition

Revenues are recognised at fair value of the consideration received.

Membership – Membership revenue is driven through subscription fees. All membership income is recognised in the financial year in which it has been received to accurately match membership revenue with events held.

Interest – Interest income is recognised when it is credited.

(b) Receivables

Subscriptions shall be payable in the case of an Active Member immediately on notification of appointment as an Umpire and in all other cases no later than the 31st of May each year.

Collectability of debtors is reviewed on an ongoing basis. A provision for doubtful debts is raised where doubt as to the collection exists and debts which are known to be uncollectible are written off.

(c) Plant and equipment

Plant and equipment is stated at cost less accumulated depreciation.

Acquisition – All acquisitions of assets (except caricatures but including the updating on all honour boards, photos and framing of posters) are recorded at the cost of acquisition, being the purchase consideration determined as at the date of acquisition, plus costs incidental to acquisition.

Caricatures – They are anticipated to have indeterminate useful life. Their service potential has not, in any material sense, been consumed during the reporting period and as such, no amount for depreciation is recognised.

Depreciation – From 1 January 2016 purchases <\$2,000 to be depreciated at a rate of 100%. Purchases of a large amount will be depreciated on a case by case basis based on the assets expected useful life.

In the 2017 Financial Year the WANFLUA moved and disposed of many assets. A review of the asset listing was also conducted. All assets were deemed to have no commercial value and accordingly were depreciated to a \$0 balance.

The Balance Sheet should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

Notes to the financial statements
for the year ended 31 December 2017

(d) Cash assets

Cash assets are carried at face value of the amounts deposited.

(e) Inventories

Inventories are carried at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Net realisable value is determined on the basis of each inventory line's estimated selling price.

(f) Payables

Trade creditors represent liabilities for goods and services provided to the Association prior to the end of the financial year and which are unpaid. The amounts are unsecured and are usually paid within 30 days of recognition.

(g) Taxes

The Association is exempt from the payment of income tax under the Income Tax Assessment Act.

Goods and services tax (GST) - Revenue, expenses, assets and liabilities are recognised inclusive of the amount of GST.

2 Functions

	2017		
	Revenue	Cost of sales	Profit / (Loss)
	\$	\$	\$
Panel night	1,000	6,511	(5,511)
Harry's night	100	4,143	(4,043)
Hall of fame	3,690	14,106	(10,416)
Presentation night	1,419	10,015	(8,596)
Grand final dinner dance	18,930	23,948	(5,018)
Social Function / Quiz Night	70	991	(921)
Total	25,209	59,714	(34,505)

	2016		
	Revenue	Cost of sales	Profit / (Loss)
	\$	\$	\$
Panel night	720	5,957	(5,237)
Harry's night	775	1,840	(1,065)
Hall of fame	3,872	15,394	(11,522)
Presentation night	1,250	9,520	(8,270)
Grand final dinner dance	17,975	24,310	(6,335)
Social Function / Bingo	120	1,766	(1,646)
Total	24,712	58,787	(34,075)

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
3 Bar Trading		
Revenue	5,317	9,601
Cost of sales	(3,344)	(5,324)
Profit on Bar Trading	1,973	4,277

4 Merchandise		
Revenue	-	-
Cost of sales	-	-
Profit Merchandise	-	-

5 Property, Plant and Equipment		
Reconciliation of the carrying amounts of property, plant and equipment.		
Plant and Equipment		
Carrying amount at start of year	3,015	4,658
Additions	1,731	827
Depreciation	4,746	(2,471)
Carrying amount at end of year	0	3,014

6 Reconciliation of operating surplus from operating activities to net cash inflow from operating activities		
Operating surplus	35,530	9,954
Non-cash items:		
Depreciation	4,746	2,471
Changes in assets and liabilities:		
Decrease in receivables	-	2,900
Increase in inventories	-	-
Decrease in inventories	-	4,177
Decrease in payable	-	(60)
Increase in payable	900	-
Increase in other assets	-	-
Increase in receivables	(3,980)	-
Decrease in accrued expenses	(6,675)	-
Increase in accrued expenses	-	4,037

Committee's Declaration

In the opinion of the Members of the Committee of the Western Australian National Football League Umpires' Association (Inc.):

- a) the financial statements and notes:
 - (i) present fairly the financial position of the Association as at 31 December 2017 and its performance, as represented by the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year ended on that date; and
 - (ii) comply with Accounting Standards in Australia and the Associations' handbook; and
- b) there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Association will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

Dated at Perth this 28th day of February 2018.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Members of the Committee:



 Jerome Mohen (President) Ben Laycock (Treasurer)



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AUDIT REPORT

The The Members of The West Australian National Football

League Umpires' Association (Inc.)

Scope

I have audited the Financial Records of The West Australian National Football League Umpires' Association (Inc.) ("WANFLUA") for the period 1 January 2017 to 31 December 2017. The WANFLUA is responsible for the preparation and presentation of the Financial Records and have determined that the accounting policies used are consistent with the financial reporting requirements of the Association and are appropriate for the needs of the members.

I have conducted an independent audit of the Financial Records in order to express an opinion to the members of The West Australian National Football League Umpires' Association (Inc.)

The income and expenditure statement has been prepared for distribution to members for the purpose of fulfilling the Committee's financial reporting requirements under its constitution. I disclaim any assumption of responsibility for any reliance on this report or on the income and expenditure statement to which it relates to any person other than the members, or for any purpose other than that for which it was prepared.

My audit has been conducted in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards to provide reasonable assurance as to whether the Financial Records are free of material misstatement. My procedures include examination, on a test basis, of evidence supporting the amounts and other disclosures in the Financial Records and the evaluation of accounting policies and significant accounting estimates. These procedures have been undertaken to form an opinion as to whether, in all material respects, the Financial Records are presented fairly in accordance with Accounting Standards and other mandatory professional reporting requirements in Australia, the Association Incorporation Act (WA) and the WANFLUA's Constitution so as to present a view which is consistent with my understanding of its financial position and the result of its operation and its cash flows.

The audit opinion expressed in this report has been formed on the above basis.

As is common for organisations of this type it is not always practical for the WANFLUA to maintain an effective system of internal control over subscriptions, functions, bar sales and other activities until their initial entry in the accounting records. Accordingly, my audit in relation to subscriptions, functions, bar sales and other activities was limited to the amounts recorded.

AUDIT OPINION

In my opinion, the Financial Records of The West Australian National Football League Umpires' Association (Inc.) for the period 1 January 2017 to 31 December 2017 exhibit a true and fair view of the financial position of The West Australian National Football League Umpires' Association (Inc.) for the period 1 January 2017 to 31 December 2017.



Rhett Hollick

Certified Practising Accountant

Dated: 28 March 2018

Retiring Umpires & Acknowledgements

We would like to wish all our 2017 retirees the very best for the future and thank them for the service they have provided throughout their time with the WANFLUA.

Thank you Matthew Laycock, Gareth Lill and Kirk Webster.



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