

TABLE TENNIS NEW SOUTH WALES INC.



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ANNUAL REPORT

For the year ending 31 December 1998

TABLE TENNIS NSW 1998 COUNCIL MEMBERS

PATRON:	Keith Bowler
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ADMINISTRATION OFFICER:	Ron Pickering
TTA DELEGATE:	Geoff Henry (resigned Nov. '98) David Beaumont (appointed Nov. '98)
COACHING/DEVELOPMENT :	Peter Masen

COUNCIL MEMBERS ATTENDANCE AT MEETINGS

Two Council Meetings were held during the year and the attendance was as follows

Geoff Henry	1/2	David Beaumont	2/2
Leonie Whiteford	2/2	Theo Morsink	0/2
Andrew Chan	2/2	Gillian Hutchinson	2/2
Radko Zaloudek	2/2		

AFFILIATED ASSOCIATIONS 1998

Armidale TTC	14 Dalton Dr. ARMIDALE NSW 2350
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Western Sydney TTA	63 Stuart St. DHARRUK NSW 2770

1998 RANKING

Under 12 Boys

- 1 J Tawadrous
- 2 P Sidwell
- 3 K Cheung
- 4 P Anderson
- 5 J Phipps

Under 12 Girls

- M Beaumont
- S Hendry
- N Lewis
- S Toth
- S Chan

Under 14 Boys

- J Tawadrous
- P Parker
- J Beaumont
- M Green
- R Assaf

Under 14 Girls

- 1 M Beaumont
- 2 C Nguyen
- 3 N Lewis
- 4 S Toth
- 5 S Chan
- 6 M Bone

Under 16 Boys

- J Tawadrous
- R Beaumont
- P Parker
- J Beaumont
- A Habib
- M Green

Under 16 Girls

- A Lam
- V Yung
- K Ostrowski
- M Beaumont
- C Nguyen
- N Meredith

Under 18 Boys

- 1 C Chau
- 2 J Tawadrous
- 3 D Eu
- 4 A Green
- 5 J Jia
- 6
- 7
- 8

Under 20 Men

- C Chau
- J Tawadrous
- D Eu
- X Tran
- A Green
- T Bo
- N Wright
- J Jia

Open Men

- P Pinkewich
- K Tran
- C La
- J Tawadrous
- D Beaumont
- C Chau
- X Tran
- A Green

Over 40 Men

- 1 G Lo
- 2 W Heginbotham
- 3 B Robson
- 4 D Beaumont
- 5 D Rylatt
- 6 P Pye
- 7 M Wood
- 8 P Uttley

Over 40 Women

- L Whiteford
- K Holcomb
- S Lynch
- J Morgan
- P Weeks

Over 50 Men

- I Van Le
- K Cole
- A Russell
- K Cope
- R Vanem
- A Koenig
- J Younie

Over 50 Women

- 1 C Hughes
- 2 K O'Loughlin
- 3 S Smith
- 4 A Brugnoli
- 5
- 6

Over 60 Men

- K Sands
- T Boyd
- G Nesbitt
- J Younie
- A Koenig
- J Craig

Over 60 Women

- B Davies
- J Boyd
- E Edwards
- G Hutchinson

1998 RANKING Cont.

Over 70 Men

- 1 C Roden
- 2 R Lynch
- 3 G Luu
- 4

Over 70 Women

- T Beaumont
- E Barnes
- S drake
- D DeLow

Note J Boyd, T Davis and P Pinkewich not ranked in the Veterans due to insufficient performances in some events.

**TABLE TENNIS NSW wishes to thank
the NSW DEPARTMENT OF SPORT & RECREATION
for their continuing support.**



PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Firstly, a big thankyou must go to Geoff Henry for his contribution to Table Tennis as President for the past few years.

After his recent resignation, I wish him all the best for his future.

1998 saw a year of changes, being the introduction of a Junior Committee chaired by Andrew Chan, also a Metropolitan Committee chaired by Steve Eggleton. These committees require each and every one of us to support them.

The idea of a Metropolitan Committee is so that all associations work together - something that has been lacking in the past. You may think that it doesn't matter if I don't play, "I won't be missed". That's not true. Each and everyone of you are important to our sport. I have been asked by different people "what does TTNSW do for me?" The answer is "we are all TTNSW, and the more we support table tennis the more table tennis can do for you!"

As a player of table tennis for some 33 years and the fact that both my parents and my children play, I don't want to see the game stagnate.

1998 had some plusses and some disappointments. On the positive side TTNSW has appointed Peter Marsen as Coaching/Development Officer. Hopefully 1999 will see Peter going into different schools promoting table tennis hopefully enhancing our player base.

TTNSW in conjunction with the Table Tennis Australia has had a Smash Hit Table Tennis pilot scheme running in a Newcastle school and the feed back was that it was well received. In the second term of 1999 five more schools in Sydney and surrounding areas will take place, and with the interest shown in this area of table tennis it should be a success. For more information on Smash Hit programmes please contact TTNSW.

In regards to the Table Tennis venue at the Easter Showground, Homebush, there are still ongoing negotiations. Hopefully by the AGM we should know more, and yes, it is frustrating.

In regard to the State Representative teams, NSW Junior under 14 girls and under 14 boys won silver medals at the National Championships. The under 16 boys, although not gaining a medal, should be praised by their effort. I would like also to congratulate the NSW Veterans teams on their superb efforts at the Hobart National Veterans Championships.

The big disappointment for 1998 for me and for TTNSW was the facts that we were unable to field an under 16 girls team as only two players were available. Once again there was no Senior Womens team, and also for the first time in TTNSW history, no Senior Mens team participated at the National Championships. I would urge all female and male players to participate in tournaments and make themselves

available for team selection. It would also be a great help if the respective associations made sure their players are registered.

I can not stress strongly enough the importance of registration of players, as this money is needed so we can run TTNSW more effectively for all players.

At this point, I would like to thank all the TTNSW Council for their tireless efforts in 1998, sometimes in difficult circumstances. Special thanks to the Secretary, Leonie Whiteford, who has been a tower of strength to the sport. Also Andrew Chan with his commitment to Junior Table Tennis and training of the Junior squads, and enthusiasm to the game. Also Gillian Hutchinson with her work with the NSW schools teams and women's table tennis. My appreciation to Theo Morsink for his work as Financial Director. Also recently appointed Radko Zaloudek. I would like to thank Yasaka for their support of table tennis in 1998 and hope for their continued support in 1999.

The Department of Sport and Recreation are again the main sponsors of TTNSW, and their support is gratefully acknowledged.

On behalf of TTNSW I would like to thank Ron Pickering for the work he does behind the scenes, and it is appreciated. Also to Lester Vibert, a thankyou for running our table tennis tournaments. A thankyou to the Umpires' Assn and I look forward to their continued support in the future events.

I think also not only as President of TTNSW but as a player and parent, I would like to thank Ghiath Khalil for the professional way he has produced the Loop magazine this year.

I, David Beaumont, would like to thank all players, parents and helpers of our sport for 1998 and trust that 1999, with all your support, will lead to a bigger and brighter year ahead.

Remember - YOU ARE - WE ARE, TTNSW, SO PLEASE
SUPPORT EACH OTHER.

Kind Regards,

David Beaumont,
PRESIDENT.

ADMINISTRATION OFFICER'S REPORT

Members, it gives me pleasure to present my third report as Administration Officer (Part Time) for Table Tennis NSW Inc. The past year has been one of significant change in the way not only Table Tennis but all sports do business with the NSW Department of Sport & Recreation. Example :- Greater accountability and development of human rights and protection policies.

General

The 'Where to play Table Tennis' data base has once again proved to be a valuable tool in the day to day office operations. It will continue to serve us well providing the contact details remain accurate. Members co-operation is still needed to advise me if there is any change in contact people or telephone numbers.

One of the most important positions in any club/association is the 'First Contact Person'. I am referring to the name on our 'Where to play Table Tennis' data base. If these people are doing the right thing Table Tennis NSW should have hundreds of new players, if the number of telephone calls I receive from the general public is any indication.

Only two editions of **Loop** were produced during 1998, one in July the other in December. I am grateful to the members who phoned to pass on their compliments for some of the articles. I wish to thank the members who submitted interesting stories for your enjoyment and education. I wish also to thank Ghiath Khalil for his work in editing the July issue.

The preparation of various entry forms has continued to be an interesting and important part of my duties. Unfortunately several of the entry forms mailed to members were in vain due to the cancellation of seven (7) events. Apart from my frustration, the cancellations resulted in considerable financial loss to Table Tennis NSW. One of the condition of hall hire at Cumberland Health College is that hirers must give seven (7) days notice of any cancellation, but as we did not comply they charged us each time. A Tournament Sub-Committee has been elected to revamp the way tournaments are organised in 1999. One of the suggested changes is to have the closing date ten (10) days before the tournament, thus giving time to cancel in time, if necessary, without incurring cost.

Disturbingly, the number of registered members has fallen by almost 200 from last year, which in dollar terms means \$4,000.00 less income. This is a serious problem considering every dollar of income is vital to match Government grants.

I have successfully applied to use the State Mail Service (a division of NSW Dept. of Public Works and Services). This is a postal service for NSW Government departments which gives savings of two cents per letter. This will mean many dollars saved per annum.

I would like to thank Jim Wright, Table Tennis Coach at Campbelltown/Minto PCYC and Steven Lee, International Referee for their help in organising the Table Tennis part of the NSW Sports Council for the Disabled, South West Region "Disability

Sports Expo". The Expo was held in Minto on Saturday 5 December 1998. I produced some promotional leaflets promoting Table Tennis at the PCYC which were given out on the day. Jim said that he gained several new members as a result.

I would like to offer my congratulations to Dave Beaumont for being voted 1998 Volunteer of the Year by Table Tennis Australia. If more members had the enthusiasm of Dave, Table Tennis in NSW would be much better off.

It was pleasing to see thirty (30) people in attendance at the Special Meeting held at Kogarah RSL on 26 July 1998. The meeting put forward several worthwhile ideas to advance our sport in NSW. Members now have the responsibility to get behind the two (2) new Sub-Committees, Junior and Metropolitan and have them operating efficiently and effectively. For information on the Junior Sub-Committee Andrew Chan should be contacted. Metropolitan inquiries should be directed to Steve Eggleton.

NSW Department Of Sport & Recreation

The NSW Department Of Sport & Recreation continue to be the principle source of funding for Table Tennis NSW. Their continuing contributions both financial and practical (rent free accommodation and advice) are very much appreciated.

The processing of Country Athlete Grant applications has resulted in ten (10) country juniors receiving a total of \$5,000.00 from this scheme, which is an increase of \$1,500.00 from last year.

As forecast in last year's Annual Report my involvement with NSW Dept. Sport & Recreation has increased significantly. I have attended several seminars dealing with the new co-operative agreements. As a result of our co-operative agreement several new policies will be put forward to the Council of Table Tennis NSW for endorsement. ie., Sexual Harassment, Child Protection, Equal Employment Opportunity, Occupational Health And Safety.

Publicity and Sponsorship

I have produced several promotional posters promoting a number of events.

Generous sponsorship from Combined Sports Traders was obtained for the School Students Grade competitions and the travel costs for Trevor Brown (Vic) when he took part in a television interview and demonstration with Warren Gray during 7 networks Eleven AM program earlier this year.

Conclusion

I think that my efforts in the office continue to provide an important link between Table Tennis NSW programs and the general public. Recent approval by NSW Dept. Sport & Recreation of funding for me to administer marketing and promotional activities, reinforces my belief that my efforts are worthwhile.

Ron Pickering

VETERAN'S REPORT

Another successful year has been completed by this Association and progress made with recruitment of players, improving the standard of play of many veterans and competing strongly at the Australian Championships.

The Teams Challenge was the main event conducted in 1998 where two matches were played on the one day, once a month. This format allowed some country players to gain valuable teams practise and our lady players the experience of playing against lady players, which is not readily available in the competitions currently being conducted in the metropolitan area. The A grade was won by a team not containing one of the big guns, but by a team of players who attended regularly and played solidly throughout the competition. Congratulations to Ray Vanem, Paul Uttley and Dennis Ryiatt for their fine performance.

The B grade competition increased to 12 teams but unfortunately the standard of play from the best players to the weaker players became too wide thereby jeopardising the running of the competition. Regardless of this problem the players who attended had some good table tennis and the winning team was not decided until the last round. 'Kogarah One' consisting of Cary Mullard, Alison Bourke and Robert Sharp prevailed to take the prize money. The 'C' grade consisted of four teams and due to the consistent attendance of Endel Busch, Keith Johnson and Leo Moase they took the title.

In between the teams matches we intended conducting 6 grade tournaments but as the first tournament was poorly attended the remainder were cancelled and the thoughts of members will be canvassed to ascertain what events they would support in 1999.

The Police and Community Youth Club remains our venue for 1999 with either six or seven top grade tables erected as necessary with some barriers increase(d in height to improve the efficiency of stopping balls from passing into another playing area.

Our Association fitted out our new State team members with tracksuits and shirts for the Australian Championships this year. The players once again looked smart, looked like a 'team', bonded as a 'team' and played like a 'team' as the results show. Ted Davis took the position of Manager and his attendance at meetings and attention to players requirements was greatly appreciated. Some new, young over 40 men have bolstered the depth of this age group who went on to take the Gold Medal. Strong competition for selection in the State teams is expected in all age divisions in 1999 as the Championships are to be held at the Gold Coast.

The year concluded with a fun day for members who battled out a doubles tournament with an odd assortment of bats and sponge rubber balls. Lunch and prizes for everyone completed a great social day.

John Younie

JUNIOR REPORT

At the August Special Crisis Meeting, it was decided that TTNSW would be divided into four main portfolios. Veterans, Country, Metropolitan and Junior. In so far as Juniors is concerned I have established a Junior Committee comprising:

Andrew Chan	Director/Convenor
Jan Sidwell	Secretary
Henry Assaf	Treasurer
Peter Masen	Coach
Michael Jeffrey	Promotions/Development
Gillian Hutchinson	Schools

At the moment we are still in our early stages of defining what our portfolio involves. However, I am sure that in 1999 we would be more operative serving our Junior Members.

1998 Australian Junior Table Tennis Championships

The 1998 Australian Junior Table Tennis Championships, held at Melbourne's Sports and Aquatic Centre from September 27th to October 3rd. was a very successful championship for our NSW junior members.

Team members listed separately.

Results

Teams:	Under 14 Boys	Silver (Losing to Qld. 5/4)
	Under 14 Girls	Silver (Losing to Qld. 5/4)
	Under 16 Boys	Eighth place
Singles:	Under 14 Boys	Gold John Tawadrous defeated W Master (1)
	Under 16 Boys	Silver John Tawadrous losing A Swanson (1)
Doubles:	Under 14 Boys	Bronze John Tawadrous/Peter Parker
	Under 16 Mixed	Bronze Chi Nguyen/Matthew Green

I am pleased to announce that four of our juniors gained a National Ranking:-

Under 14 Boys	John Tawadrous	1st.
	Peter Parker	7th.
Under 14 Girls	Michelle Beaumont	5th.
	Chi Nguyen	6th.
Under 16 Boys	John Tawadrous	3rd.

Although Matthew Green didn't gain a National Ranking he played extremely well against the Number one seed Wesley Masters in the first round of the U/14

Boys Singles - just losing 21/19 in the third. John Tawadrous defeated W Masters in the final comfortably, and only just lost to A Swanson in the final of the U/16 Boys Singles. Michelle Beaumont played exceptionally well against Number one seed Mimi Lee in the U/14 Girls Singles, just losing in a close three setter.

Overall all of our NSW Junior players played to their ability and had a happy Championship.

1998 NSW Primary & Secondary School Students Championship

Once again the NSW Primary & Secondary School Students Championship was held at the State Sports Centre. Played on 12 December, with over 80 school students entering. Disappointingly entries were down on previous years, probable due to one or more of the following reasons :-

- 1 Low promotional work and Sponsorship.
- 2 New format for the tournament.
- 3 Possibly the major factor is that it was held too late in the year and we were competing with other sports playing their finals.

Even though there was low participation all players, parents and officials had an enjoyable fun day at Homebush.

During 1999 the Junior Committee will try to find ways of increasing the participation rate to our NSW Junior Tournaments, set up a training academy for both National and Novice players under the direction of Peter Masen. Try to find more affordable venues to hold our tournaments, thus making money. Try to get more sponsorship. It is our aim to promote Table Tennis in as many Primary and Secondary Schools as possible, and much more.

Andrew Chan

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WOMEN'S AND SCHOOL'S REPORTS

A Women's Come and Try Day was held in conjunction with the Secondary Schools Category 1 Girls. Team Championships on Monday, 29th June, originally at the State Sports Centre but later transferred to the Champion Club, Leichhardt, because of the poor response. Unfortunately the State Sport Centre charges \$500 per weekday once adults are included. If the girls event is to be run in 1999, it will be girls only as the S.S.C. only charges us \$3 per student.

Nine (9) Women (3 from Bowral) attended while 2 teams of 4 Schoolgirls participated in the Category 1 teams event. Two individual girls from Beverly Hills Girls High School also gained some teams experience.

Womens Individual Championship	Winner	Mai Tran
	Runner-up	Kay King

In 1999 Table Tennis has been included in a lead-up to the International Womensport Festival to be held from March 27 to April 11. The Schoolgirl competition to be held at the State Sport Centre has been brought forward to March 10 in order to be included.

A Women and Girls Grade Competition will be held on Sunday 14 March at Bankstown City YMCA. We hope to gain publicity for Table Tennis from this event which will hopefully improve our profile.

In 2000 we plan to have Table Tennis included in the main festival which will be held at approximately the same time in Sydney, when overseas players will be invited to participate.

NSW PRIMARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOLS TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS
Secondary Schools Girls Category 1 Teams Championship 29th June,
at the Champion Club Leichhardt.

Winner	HORNSBY GIRLS High School
Runner-up	SEFTON High School

The No. 1 seed in both teams were very strong players but Hornsby's number 1, who plays with Wah Sing, clinched it for the match.

CATEGORY II GIRLS - No Entries.

SECONDARY SCHOOLS CHALLENGE - Monday, 22nd June, 1998
State Sport Centre.

Twenty-three teams of two participated in this competition which was very competitive. Although most of the players had little experience, there were some teams who played very skilfully. These were from Canley Vale, Kingsgrove North, Fort Street, Epping Boys, Broadmeadow (County NSW) and Ginninderra High School (ACT) who both brought 3 teams.

WINNER	EPPING BOYS HIGH SCHOOL
RUNNER UP	FORT ST HIGH SCHOOL

CATEGORY I BOYS TEAMS - Wednesday, 24 June 1998
Bankstown City YMCA

Sixteen teams of four participated. This proved to be highly competitive with very keen, experienced players from various districts in Sydney including Catholic schools from Campbelltown and Blacktown sending teams.

A number of schools who had never participated in this competition before sent strong teams with Canley Vale just beating The Forrest while Epping Boys just triumphed over St John's Park No. 2 team.

Teams winning a place in the semi-finals were held at The Champion Club, Leichhardt on Friday, 30th July, were St Johns Park High, Canley Vale High, Fort Street High and Epping Boys High.

WINNER	ST. JOHNS PARK HIGH No. 1 team
RUNNER-UP	EPPING BOYS HIGH
THIRD	FORT STREET HIGH
FOURTH	CANLEY VALE HIGH

It was unfortunate that Homebush Boys High School, who are the strongest school in NSW (winning the CHS competition this year and the last few years as well as our own) missed out participating. However this gave another school a chance to shine and St. Johns Park High School, with the other finalists were very keen to take part in the National Schools Teams Championships in Geelong in September.

The CATEGORY II BOYS teams championships (for smaller schools) and the PRIMARY SCHOOLS TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS were held together on Thursday, 25th June 1998, at Bankstown City YMCA Revesby.

Although there were only 3 teams in this competition it was keenly contested with DULWICH HIGH defeating MANLY HIGH and a team from the intensive English Centre of HOLROYD HIGH third.

This competition lacked representation from GULGONG HIGH, 1997 winners, because their players were overseas. Unfortunately there were no teams from MORIAH COLLEGE, who usually participate and provide good opposition.

PRIMARY SCHOOLS TEAMS CHAMPIONSHIPS

Two team from Coerwull Public School drove through snow to get here for this competition.

Unfortunately after two rounds they decided to forfeit as the weather became worse and they needed to leave early to get home before dark. However, there was great competition from all schools.

The Primary School competition is remarkable in that teams may include girls and boys and it is not always the teams with only boys who win. At this age girls can be as skilful as the boys and outplay them.

WINNER	HABERFIELD Public School - Sarah Chan No-1.
RUNNER-UP	ST. ANDREWS Public School
THIRD:	ESCHOL Public School
FOURTH	FERN COURT Public School

These children were also very keen to go to Geelong for the National Titles.

AUSTRALIAN SCHOOLS TEAMS CHAMPIONSHIPS GEELONG SEPTEMBER 1998.

Ten teams from NSW schools participated in this competition, including Albury High Corowa High Fort Street High, Hurlstone Agriculture High, St. John's Park High, Eschol Park Public, Gulgong Public, Haberfield Public and St. Andrews Public school.

Michelle Beaumont from Gulgong Public School starred in this event, winning her age competitions and leading her school to victory in the Primary Girls teams competition.

St. John's Park High were runners-up in the Open teams Championship and won the Open.

Challenge Cup. Gulgong High were runners-up in the Junior Male section and winner of the Intermediate Female section of the Challenge Cup.

I was asked by Sallee Caldwell the TTA organiser of this competition to liaise with the NSW schools, which I did.

This year the Department of Sports Education helped us with the distribution of Entry Forms in the Metropolitan Regions. Entry Forms being sent to 250 High Schools and 800 Primary Schools. Metropolitan Girls Schools received entry forms separately. This netted up quite a few schools who hadn't participated in the past.

I also faxed the Regional Sports Organisers of the 6 Country Regions, (which I have done in the past years) who forwarded me lists of the schools who had participated in the CHS knock out Teams Competition. Letters were sent to these as well as Catholic and Independent Schools.

This year Don Ho, teacher from St. John's Park School suggested that the winning team be given medals. His team would be willing to put in \$2 each. I agreed that this was a good idea and bought medals for the players and a trophy for the school to keep. In the past I have always ploughed back into TTNSW funds the money left over from these Championships, but this time I felt that if we are to keep the school students interested in playing Table Tennis competitively, we must do something extra like this. However, this is one year when I have only made a small profit. The Council meeting held in August agreed that TTNSW pay the difference.

In 1999, I hope that TTNSW will provide medals and a trophy for all Championship winners.

Gillian Hutchinson

COACHING / DEVELOPMENT REPORT

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Table Tennis NSW for appointing me to the position of Coaching Development Officer.

So far I have made contact with more than ten schools. I have visited five and have given exhibitions and coaching to 550 students. I have also visited three Community Centres and did some coaching.

I plan to visit more schools this year to push our Table Tennis program "Smash Hit" in Primary Schools, with the aim of developing two squads, one in the City and one in the Eastern Suburbs.

I plan to organise a Junior Squad training on a regular basis this year.

I also plan to develop more quality coaches this year.

Peter Masen

COUNTRY REPORT

The past 12 months has been a busy time for the Country Committee organising:

1998 NSW Country Invitational Championships

The Championships were played at Gulgong High School over the Queen's Birthday Weekend from 6 June to 8 June 1998.

There were 120 players in 35 teams entered in six (6) divisions in the teams event comprising representatives from Armidale, Newcastle, Central Coast, Penrith, Wagga, Illawarra, Ulladulla, Australian Capital Territory (ACT), Goulburn, Temora, Bathurst and Gulgong.

The results of the team events were:

WINNER

Goulburn

Brad Miller
Glen Wharton
Peter Zantis

DIVISION 1

RUNNER UP

Gulgong/Newcastle

Dave Beaumont
Adam Green
Michael Kemp

DIVISION 2

Nepean 2

Georgie De Leon
Peter Pye
Greg Evans

Nepean 3

Ben Slaiman
Gert Brandies
Mick Dobson

DIVISION 3

Bathurst Smashers

Danny Dang
Vanh Dang
Matthew Crane

Armidale

Pat Urbonas
Brian Carter
Ross Thompson

DIVISION 4

Armidale

Klaus Menge
Jeff Raue
John Gorham

Nepean

Jim Cuthill
Russ Beha
Andrew Webster

DIVISION 5

Lithgow

Neville Parker
John Powell
Aaron Thompson

Goulburn

Melissa Turner
Anthony Turner
Daniel Turner

DIVISION 5A

Bathurst Bashers

Peter Hurst
Phillip Hurst
David Allenby
Lukas Bauer
Rebikah Fisher

Illawarra

Abdul Lawal
Cvetko Nikolic
John Faryna

DIVISION 6

Armidale

Bobby Booth
Gwilym Humphreys
Adrain Wolfanden

Gulgong

Toby Llewelyn
Thomas Davis
Shannon Devenish

The results of the individual events which were played after the teams events were:

SINGLES	WINNER	RUNNER-UP	SCORE
Division 1	Brad Miller (Goulburn)	Peter Zantis (Goulburn)	21/17, 19/21, 21/12
Division 2	Ben Slaiman (Nepean)	Alan Russell (Illawarra)	21/10, 21/16
Division 3	Thang Dang (Bathurst)	Vanh Dang (Bathurst)	21/16, 21/19
Division 4	Jody Bailly (Bathurst)	John Gorham (Armidale)	14/21, 24/22, 21/19
Division 5	Peter Hurst (Bathurst)	Abdul Lawal (Illawarra)	21/12, 12/21, 21/19
Division 6	David Allenby (Bathurst)	Shannon Devenish (Gulgong)	21/13, 22/20
Ladies	Vanh Dang (Bathurst)	Joy Morgan Wagga Wagga)	21/16, 21/11
Junior Boys	Lian Kwa (ACT)	Robbie Beaumont (Gulgong)	20/22, 21/11, 21/11
Junior Girls	Caroline Ostrowski (Campbelltown)	Michelle Beaumont (Gulgong)	21/18, 21/14
Over 40 Men	Dave Beaumont (Gulgong)	Ben Slaiman (Nepean)	21/11, 21/12
Over 40 Women	Joy Morgan (Wagga Wagga)	Glenys Beaumont (Gulgong)	21/7, 21/10
Under 14 Boys	Peter Parker (Lithgow)	Lian Kwa (ACT)	21/11, 21/16
Under 14 Girls	Michelle Beaumont (Gulgong)	Nadine Lewis (Gulgong)	21/6, 21/17

DOUBLES	WINNER	RUNNER-UP	SCORE
Division 1/2	Brad Miller/ Glen Wharton (Goulburn)	Dave Beaumont/ Adam Green (Gulgong/Newcastle)	15/21, 21/15, 21/11
Division 3/4	Damien Melksham/ Robert Beaumont (ACT/Gulgong)	John Gorham/ Klaus Menge (Armidale)	21/15, 21/12
Division 5/6	Melissa Turner/ Daniel Turner (Goulburn)	Jamie Agius/ John Nosworthy	21/12, 21/12

Ladies	Caroline Ostrowski/ Joy Morgan C'town/Wagga)	Natalie Meredith Glenys Beaumont (Gulgong)	21/16, 21/15
Mixed	Georgy De Leon/ Caroline Ostrowski (Nepean/C'town)	Dave Beaumont/ Michelle Beaumont (Gulgong)	21/17, 11/21, 21/14

City versus Country match

On the basis of inquiries received from both City and Country players wanting to participate in this event it was agreed to increase the number of teams from 10 to 12.

The day turned out to be a rousing success with Country just falling over the line, winning 133 matches to 131 after being 66 matches all at the conclusion of the morning session.

Victorian Country Veterans tour of NSW Country

The members of the Victorian team were Michael Eade, Dirk Holwerda, Jim Furness and George Gardoz. They played matches against Canberra, Goulburn (they played Goulburn on 2 occasions), Nepean and Bathurst. They also played a test match against NSW Country who were represented by Hans Wetsteyn, Ben Slaiman and Peter Pye. NSW Country played superb table tennis to win 11 matches to nil

After the opening match against Canberra the Victorian team had wins against Goulburn and Nepean.

The fourth match of the tour was the Test, which was played at Penrith. Representing NSW Country in the Test was Hans Wetsteyn, Peter Pye and Ben Slaiman. They played superb table tennis to win the Test 11 matches to nil.

NSW Country team tour of Country Victoria

Representing NSW Country were the Goulburn players, Brad Miller, Glenn Wharton and Peter Zantis and Adam Green from Newcastle. Michael Turner, from Goulburn, was the manager/driver for the team.

They won the first match against Albury (10 - 1) and followed this up with wins against Shepperion (11 - 0), Mildura (7 - 4), Ballarat (10 - 1), Mornington (9 - 1) and Warnambool (9 - 1).

The last match of the tour was the Test match against Victorian Country represented by Mark Smith, Michael Eade and James Jeffries. Unfortunately for Victoria the New South Wales Country players won the match 7 - 4.

1999 Country Invitational Championships

Bids to host the 1999 Championships have been received from Temora, Newcastle and Sydney. The bids are being considered with a decision to be made soon.

The Country Committee is also reviewing the eligibility criteria for players wanting to participate in the Championships.

Alan Taylor

UMPIRE'S REPORT

1998 was somewhat a disappointing year on the local scene, with so many tournaments unfortunately forced to cancel through lack of entries, with the resultant lack of activity maybe at least partly causing a lack of interest among our members at that level. With one tournament cancelled already this year, it is hoped that this trend does not continue.

On the broader scene some of our members have been prominent in the appointments for major positions, particularly Phil Males being confirmed as the referee for the 2000 Olympic Games, and Steven Lee as the referee for the Paralympics. The current year also saw Steven Lee as a Deputy Referee of the 14th. Asian Championships held in Japan and also the World Disabled Championships in France. Maurie Pool as Deputy Referee of the Australian Open (Pro Tour) Championships, Australian Youth Championships, and Umpire at the 14th. Asian Championships. Ian Finlay, Les Lawrence and Phil Males were also active on the National scene. We look forward confidently to further appointments to both the Olympics and Paralympics in due course.

Another innovation during the year was the introduction of playing shirts for umpires. These shirts are distinctive, being the two blues of NSW with the Umpires Association badge on the breast. Watch out for these shirts around tournaments, as the wearers are all qualified umpires who are able to give reliable advice on the rules and will be pleased to help you with all aspects of their interpretation etc.

Maurie Pool

**Table Tennis NSW wishes to thank
the NSW Department Of Sport & Recreation
for their continuing support**



TABLE TENNIS NSW FINANCIAL REPORT YEAR ENDING 31/12/98

In presenting the following Balance Sheet and Profit & Loss Statement for TT NSW for this financial year, I regret to have to submit these accounts with some qualifications.

During the year I have been pressing for proper tournament reconciliations, without much success I must say, to be produced by the tournament organizers for scrutiny by the committee of TT NSW. This operational deficiency has now become the main focus in the accompanying letter from our Auditor, although the accounts in itself were found to be in order regarding the preparation and testing of supporting documentation.

I was advised that the Incorporation Act does not require our accounts to be audited by a licensed Auditor and it is therefore advisable that the comments in the Auditor's letter should be viewed as recommendations to improve internal control and to set up a more efficient organisational structure with considerably stricter and documented guidelines.

Our organisation incurred a loss of \$1155, after accounting for a non-cash depreciation expense of \$2217.

Income from grants from previous years was taken up to enable us to cover the losses incurred from Tournaments (\$746) and unplanned Development expenses (\$9144), with the latter including an amount of \$3662 for the Newcastle Smash Hit pilot program, for which so far no income has been received. We have recently been advised that all previous years grants have been gifted, except for the \$5000 High Performance & Talent Development grant, for which qualifying initiatives are currently being undertaken.

Administration costs were slightly lower than last year, but in line with the budget. It is recommended that by centralizing all administrative functions in our Glebe office, including accounting, cheque writing, filing etc, considerable savings could possibly be achieved, whilst duplications of work and delays could be avoided. I would also like to suggest that in future all committee meetings are being held in Glebe on a pre-set monthly time table and during the week.

It should be noted that the 50% of the 1998/99 grants due for the period 1/7/98 to 31/12/98 for Club & Junior development have as yet not been included in the current accounts despite the fact that wages costs for Administration (\$7873) and Development (\$5536) are shown in the Profit & Loss statement. The reasoning for this is that there are clearly defined rules for each of the 1998/99 grants of \$13000 in regard to eligibility. At this stage only the wages costs have been incurred and we have to spend a specific \$2 for each \$1 of the grant to be earned.

With current assets valued at \$38721, (including outstanding Debtors of \$3962), and total liabilities of \$35968, it is obvious that cash reserves have become rather low, especially keeping in mind that only a small proportion of the unexpended grants income has been earned at this stage. It is therefore recommended that the committee initiates, as a matter of urgency and priority, income generating activities like sponsorships, tournament levies etc. with the ultimate aim to become a more viable business like operation.

I'm sorry, that due to work commitments I will be unable to continue as treasurer, but should the need arise, I will try to make myself available on an ad hoc basis only.

Theo Morsink.

M. C. Atkins

Chartered Accountant

2nd February 1999

The Secretary
Table Tennis New South Wales Inc.

Re: Audit 1998

Dear Sir,

I was requested to carry out the audit of the accounts for your organisation.

This would require me to express an opinion as to whether, in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards, the accounts represent the operations for the year ended 31st December 1998 and the financial position at that date.

I write because an initial examination of your records leads me to the conclusion that I would be unable to express an opinion without a qualification that would essentially nullify the benefit of an audit of your organisation. My main difficulty is that the documents presented to support the various sources of income are not adequate to verify that income and I am not aware of any form of internal control that could substitute in this regard. I do not believe that this situation can be corrected retrospectively. In addition confirmation of assets such as bank accounts and deposits requires direct confirmation to the auditor by the bank and a lead-time of 2-3 weeks needs to be provided. I was advised that an immediate audit was required.

I have examined the accounts that have been prepared and am satisfied that these have been faithfully prepared from the books of accounts.

In regard to the books of accounts:

Expenditure recorded has been tested against documentation and found to be properly supported and allocated to the correct accounts. It was noted that documentation did not bear authorisation and I was not made aware of any internal control that might be in place and thus was unable to test this area. I have been advised that this internal control is now in place. Income accounting is a difficulty and I can express no opinion as to its correct disclosure. For audit purposes and management financial control each event should be covered by a separate operating statement signed off by the event organizers and reviewed and signed off by the committee. The operating statement should be backed by entry forms and expense documents which could be audited on test basis and by reviewing this internal control.

I would recommend that each payment (and receipt where appropriate) indicate, in addition to the current date and cheque number, costing information to indicate whether the amount is general or attributable to a particular event or project. The greatest concern is in regard to grants. I am advised that these grants are given on the basis 50% contribution. This would appear to mean that an amount can be drawn down equal to the income raised by your organisation. Again a separate operating statement for each project related to the grant appears to be needed so as make quite plain the basis of drawdown of grants. As unspent grants need to be returned a "pro forma" apportionment of general overhead expenses may need to be made. This system need not be part of the formal accounting provided there was some safeguard against duplication.

Generally in terms of income the receipt of money should be separated from the organisation of the event or within the active control of more than one person. All event outcomes need committee review.

I notice a major item "registrations". This should be covered by a published list of some sort reconciled with the disclosed income.

In regard to Venue Hire a letting diary would be appropriate.

I examined the Balance Sheet and was able to sight documentary evidence for significant amounts with the exception of Unexpended Grants. The evidence sighted would not on its own meet Australian Auditing Standards and would need independent verification e.g. bank audit certificates. In regard to Trade Debtors it is not clear that potential bad debts have been provided for. I am advised that this is determined after the preparation of the accounts. This is inappropriate.

Theo Morsink has asked that I comment on the viability of your organisation. It would be presumptive of me to do this but I would like to point out the obvious conclusion that the disclosed surplus is based on the correct valuation of the Balance Sheet items. In this regard valuation of the unexpired grants would give me considerable concern. Bringing to profit and loss grants that have not in fact been earned will overstate the surplus or change the surplus to a deficiency.

The above notes are only an outline and would need amplification and discussion with your organisation in advance of an audit period.

I trust the above notes are useful to you.

Yours faithfully,



Michael Atkins

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	TABLE TENNIS NSW			
	PROFIT & LOSS STATEMENT FIN. YEAR ENDING 31/12/98			
Last Year	INCOME	Sub Totals	This Year	Budget
\$11,843	Registrations	\$12,630		\$15,000
(\$8,718)	Less TT Australia registrations	(\$5,002)	\$7,628	(\$8,150)
\$800	Affiliations		\$800	\$900
\$921	Tournament Levies		\$628	\$2,000
\$3,230	Venue Hire income	\$2,100		\$3,200
(\$2,288)	Less Rent Cost	(\$1,947)	\$153	(\$2,000)
\$13,988	Grants earned 1/7/95-30/6/98		\$32,876	\$15,000
\$6,164	Marketing & Sale of TT Equipmnt	\$4,372		\$6,700
(\$5,081)	Less cost of sales	(\$2,693)	\$1,679	(\$5,400)
\$221	Recoveries		\$165	\$200
\$481	Interest income		\$1,091	\$600
\$100	Sponsorships			\$3,000
\$1,139	Other Income			\$100
\$892	Prior Year Adjustments			
\$180	Asset Sales			
\$23,872	SUBTOTAL		\$45,020	\$31,150
	Tournaments			
	Presidents Cup income	\$1,675		\$2,000
	Less Pres.Cup expenses	(\$1,302)	\$373	(\$1,800)
	NSW Jnr/Yth/Vets income	\$2,247		
	Less Jnr/Yth/Vets expenses	(\$1,832)	\$415	
	SIS Tournaments income	\$1,204		
	Less SIS tournaments exp`s	(\$1,580)	(\$376)	
\$4,098	Austr. Youth Championships inc.	\$2,227		\$1,000
(\$4,872)	Less Austr.Youth C/ships exp`s	(\$3,672)	(\$1,445)	(\$1,300)
\$1,113	NSW Closed Income	\$1,046		\$1,800
(\$1,462)	Less NSW Closed expenses	(\$623)	\$423	(\$1,300)
\$1,335	NSW Open income	\$1,077		\$2,000
(\$1,359)	Less NSW Open expenses	(\$2,083)	(\$1,006)	(\$1,500)
\$1,486	NSW Veterans Open income	\$758		\$1,500
(\$885)	Nsw Veterans Open exp`s	(\$476)	\$282	(\$1,200)
\$8,238	Nat.Jnr.Championships income	\$6,337		\$8,500
(\$7,758)	Nat.Jnr.C/ships expenses	(\$5,662)	\$675	(\$9,000)
\$529	Metropolitan Open income	\$456		\$1,000
(\$660)	Metropolitan Open expenses	(\$582)	(\$126)	(\$800)
	City vs Country income	\$309		
	City vs Country expenses	(\$270)	\$39	
	Austr.Closed & Veterans Inc.			\$6,000
	Austr.Closed & Veterans exp`s			(\$7,500)
(\$197)	SUBTOTAL TOURNAMENTS		(\$746)	(\$600)
\$23,675	TOTAL INCOME		\$44,274	\$30,550

TTNSW 1998

	TABLE TENNIS NSW			
	PROFIT & LOSS STATEMENT CONTINUED FIN.YEAR 31/12/98			
Last Year	EXPENSES	Sub Totals	This Year	Budget
\$237	Bankcharges		\$314	\$240
\$200	Audit & Accountig fees		\$800	\$200
	Advertising		\$777	
	Subscriptions		\$1,070	
\$926	Insurance		\$1,096	\$135
	License Fees		\$35	
\$191	Maintenance		\$623	\$1,000
\$3,015	Postage		\$2,357	\$3,500
\$234	Photocopying		\$281	\$500
\$2,524	Telephone		\$2,734	\$2,500
\$215	Travel & Entertainment		\$619	\$500
\$2,226	Stationary & Printing		\$1,762	\$2,500
	Electricity		\$119	
	Austr. grand prix prize money		\$200	
\$3,156	Depreciation		\$2,217	\$2,400
\$3,220	Computer support			\$2,000
\$780	Other Expenses			
\$80	Prior Year Adjustment			
\$13,984	Wages Administration	\$14,352		\$14,000
\$839	Super Administration	\$909		\$1,000
	Annual Leave Prov`n Admin.	\$484		
\$14,823	Total Payroll cost Admin.		\$15,745	\$15,000
\$31,827	SUBTOTAL		\$30,749	\$30,475
	DEVELOPMENT			
(\$670)	Coaching income	(\$320)		(\$1,400)
\$630	Coaching & Training expenses	\$1,997	\$1,677	\$2,000
(\$7,898)	NSW School C/ships income	(\$1,538)		(\$8,500)
\$4,894	NSW school C/ships expenses	\$1,902	\$364	\$7,200
	NSW Jnr/Yth GradesTrnmnts inc	(\$235)		
	NSW Jnr/Yth Grades expenses	\$2,120	\$1,885	
(\$1,867)	NSW Jnr C/ships income	(\$443)		(\$1,500)
\$1,686	NSW Jnr C/ships expenses	\$726	\$283	\$1,200
	General Development Inc.			(\$2,000)
\$821	General Development costs		\$1,273	\$3,000
	Smash Hit Pilot program		\$3,662	
	Womens Development Inc.			(\$500)
\$80	Womens Development Exp`s			\$500
(\$2,324)	SUBTOTAL DEVELOPMENT		\$9,144	\$0
	1998/99 DEVELOPMENT			
	Club & Jnr coaching income	\$0		
	Wages Dev.Officer	\$4,800		
	Super Dev.Officer	\$336		
	Annual Leave Prov`n Dev.Officer	\$400		
	Total payroll cost Dev.Off.		\$5,536	
\$29,503	TOTAL EXPENDITURE		\$45,429	\$30,475
(\$5,828)	NET PROFIT / (LOSS)		(\$1,155)	\$75

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	TABLE TENNIS NSW			
	BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 DECEMBER 1998			
Last year	ASSETS	Sub Totals	This Year	
\$3,744	No1 cheque Account	\$3,764		
\$9,176	No2 cheque Account	\$745		
\$250	Petty Cash	\$250		
\$10,000	No 1 Term Deposit	\$10,000		
	No 2 Term Deposit	\$20,000		
\$23,170	Total Cash on Hand		\$34,759	
\$3,692	Outstanding Debtors		\$3,962	
\$26,862	Total Current Assets		\$38,721	
\$9,047	Table Tennis Equipment	\$9,047		
(\$1,992)	Less accum. depreciation	(\$3,495)	\$5,552	
\$3,981	Office Furn.& Equipment	\$3,981		
(\$1,164)	Less accum. depreciation	(\$1,728)	\$2,253	
\$9,872	Total Fixed Assets		\$7,805	
\$36,734	TOTAL ASSETS		\$46,526	
	LIABILITIES			
\$4,501	Sundry Creditors & Accruals	\$600		
\$1,118	Paye tax payable	\$1,915		
\$226	Super levy payable	\$632		
	Provision for Annual Leave	\$884		
\$5,845	Total Current Liabilities		\$4,032	
\$13,876	Unexpended 1996/97 grants			
\$5,000	Unexpended HP & T/Dev.grant`97	\$5,000		
	Unexpended Club Dev.grant`99	\$13,000		
	Unexpended Jnr.Dev.grant`99	\$13,000		
\$300	Unexpended Cntry Athl.grant	\$936		
\$19,176	Total grants unexpended		\$31,936	
\$25,021	TOTAL LIABILITIES		\$35,968	
\$11,713	NET ASSETS		\$10,559	
	EQUITY			
\$17,541	Retained Earnings	\$11,713		
(\$5,828)	Current Year Loss	(\$1,155)		
\$11,713	Total Equity		\$10,559	

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	TABLE TENNIS NSW			
	OUTSTANDING DEBTORS SUMMARY			
DATE	DEBTOR	AMOUNT	DETAILS	
15/3/98	GEORGE TAWADROUS	\$110.00	BAL.1997 AUSTR.JNRS	
15/3/98	COMB.SPORTS TRADERS	\$97.50	SHARE PRESENT`N COST	
15/3/98	SYDNEY SMASHERS	\$200.00	TOURNAMENT LEVY	
NOV`98	ABDUL HABIB	\$323.25	BAL.`98 AUSTR.JNRS	
NOV`98	GEORGE TAWADROUS	\$184.00	BAL.`98 AUSTR.JNRS	
NIOV`98	CHI NGUYEN	\$586.25	1998 AUSTR.JNRS	
30/6-24/12	KOREAN TT.CLUB	\$1,450.00	LEICHHARDT VENUE HIRE	
AUG`98	KEN COLE	\$59.50	DISHONOURED CHQ	
DEC`98	KEN COLE	\$130.00	LEICHHARDT VENUE HIRE	
21/12/98	STATE SPORTS CENTRE	\$184.40	REFUND HALL HIRE **	
21/12/98	VARIOUS SCHOOLS JNRS	\$525.00	ENTRY FEES SCHL C/SS**	
31/12/98	C`WEALTH BANK	\$112.50	1.5MNTH INTER.DUE T/D.	
	TOTAL	\$3,962.40		
	** received in January			
	SUNDRY CREDITORS SUMMARY			
DATE	CREDITOR	AMOUNT	DETAILS	
14/12/98	C`WEALTH BANK	\$440.69	DUPLICTN INTEREST PD	
31/12/98	PETTY CASH EXPENSES	\$32.05	EXP`S TO BE REIMBD JAN.	
31/12/98	AAPT	\$10.95	MOBILE PHONE	
31/12/98	TELSTRA	\$116.41	TELEPHONE	
	TOTAL	\$600.10		

TABLE TENNIS NSW INC

REGISTRATIONS FOR YEAR 1/1/1998 to 31/12/1998

ASSOCIATIONS	CHAMPIONSHIP			ASSOCIATION		JUNIOR	SCHOOL	OFFICIAL	TOTAL
	Member	Life	Gold	Member	Gold	Member	Member	Member	
Armidale TTA	0			10		3			13
Bathurst TTA				6		2			8
Berrima District TTA				12		1			13
Goulburn TTA				12		2			14
Gulgong TTC	6			8		6		1	21
Illawarra TTA	1			36			3	1	41
Lithgow TTA	2			18		1	7		28
Manly/Warringah TTA	6		2	80	1	5			94
Nepean District TTA	3			21		3		1	28
NSW Insurance TTA		1		2					3
NSW Public Service TTA	1								1
NSW Veterans TTA	17	1		8					26
Sutherland Shire TTA	8			39		1	1		49
Sydney Upper North Shore TTA				18					18
Temora TTA				20		36			56
Western Districts TTA	5			63				1	69
Unaffiliated Association	1								1
Registered Through TTNSW	10			53		37	54	3	157
Totals	60	2	2	406	1	97	65	7	640

Check Total 640

RESULTS 1998 NSW OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

EVENT	WINNER	RUNNER/UP
Mens Open Singles	P Langley	R Lavale
Womens Open Singles	M Miao	S Zhou
Mens Open Doubles	R Lavale/ T Brown	K Tran/ H Tran
Womens Open Doubles	M Miao/ S Zhou	L Whiteford/ M Tran
Mixed Open Doubles	T Brown/ M Miao	P Langley/ S Zhou
A Grade Singles	H W Chen	A Green
B Grade Singles	H A Le	R Lam
C Grade Singles	K Wright	P Ngo
D Grade Singles	V Ryan	C K Ly
E Grade Singles	A Oakford	Q Li
A Grade Doubles	M Tran/ Q Nguyen	H Tran/ T Dong
B/C Grade Doubles	H A Le/ V Ong	R Lam/ S Abdilla
D/E Grade Doubles	E Busch/ K Johnson	K Cheung/ A Yap
O/40 Mens Singles	P Pinkewich	G Lo
O/40 Womens Singles	L Whiteford	K Holcomb
O/40 Mens Doubles	D Beaumont/ W Heginbotham	P Pinkewich/ G Lo
O/40 Womens Doubles	K O'Loughlin/ S Lynch	L Whiteford/ K Holcomb
O/40 Mixed Doubles	D Beaumont/ L Whiteford	W Heginbotham/ G Beaumont
O/50 Mens Singles	I V Le	K Cole
O/50 Womens Singles	C Hughes	B Davies
O/50 Mens Doubles	K Cole/ I V Le	A Russell/ A Koenig
O/50 Womens Doubles	B Davies/ C Hughes	C Paulus K O'Louchlin
O/50 Mixed Doubles	I V Le/ B Davies	K Sands/ C Hughes
O/60 Mens Singles	K Sands	C Feng
O/60 Womens Singles	B Davies	S Smith
O/60 Mens Doubles	K Sands/ J Younie	J Craig/ G Nesbitt
O/60 Womens Doubles	B Davies/ G Hutchinson	A Brugnoli/ S Smith
O/60 Mixed Doubles	K Sands/ B Davies	G Nesbitt/ T Beaumont

RESULTS 1998 NSW OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS Cont.

EVENT	WINNER	RUNNER/UP
O/70 Mens Singles	C Roden	G Luu
O/70 Womens Singles	D DeLow	T Beaumont
O/70 Mens Doubles	R Lynch/ J Canavan	K Johnson E Busch
O/70 Mixed Doubles	K Johnson/ D DeLow	J Canavan T Beaumont
U/20 Mens Singles	T Bo	D Eu
U/16 Boys Singles	J Tawadrous	P Parker
U/16 Girls Singles	V Yung	C Ostrowski
U/14 Boys Singles	J Tawadrous	P Parker
U/14 Girls Singles	M Beaumont	S Chan
U/12 Boys Singles	T C Lu	L Wen
U/12 Girls Singles	M Beaumont	S Chan
U/20 Mens Doubles	A Green / N Wright	D Eu / T Bo
U/16 Boys Doubles	R Beaumont/ J Beaumont	M Green / P Parker
U/16 Girls Doubles	V Yung / C Ostrowski	S Gardner / M Beaumont
U/14 Boys Doubles	J Tawadrous/ P Parker	M Green / J Beaumont
U/14 Girls Doubles	J Grey / M Beaumont	S Gardiner / M Bone

RESULTS 1998 NSW CLOSED CHAMPIONSHIPS

EVENT	WINNER	RUNNER/UP
Mens Open Singles	P Pinkewich	I V Le
Womens Open Singles	Trinh Tran	V Yung
Mens Open Doubles	P Pinkewich/ D Beaumont	X Tran/ J Tawadrous
Womens Open Doubles	L Whiteford/ A Bourke	M Beaumont G Beaumont
Mixed Open Doubles	R Pham/ T Tran	G Wharton/ L Whiteford
A Grade Singles	B Miller	T Dong
B Grade Singles	T Lam	A Green
C Grade Singles	B Tatchell	C Shen
D Grade Singles	I Wright	M Green
E Grade Singles	J McLauchlan	G Hutchinson
A Grade Doubles	B Miller/ G Wharton	A Green/ N Wright
B/C Grade Doubles	D Rylatt/ K Wright	L On/ Q Vuong
D/E Grade Doubles	A Oakford/ G Hutchinson	L Wen/ Q X Li
Over 40 Mens Singles	G. Lo	I. V. Le
Over 40 Mens Doubles	D Beaumont/ W Heginbotham	G Lo/ E Lee
Over 40 Womens Singles	L Whiteford	C Hughes
Over 40 Womens Doubles	J Morgan/ K O'Loughlin	C Hughes/ S Lynch
Over 40 Mixed Doubles	L Whiteford/ I V Le	G Beaumont/ W Heginbotham
Over 50 Mens Singles	I V Le	K Sands
Over 50 Mens Doubles	K Cole/ K Cope	A Russell/ G Wells
Over 50 Womens Singles	J Boyd	C Hughes
Over 50 Womens Doubles	B Davies/ C Hughes	J Boyd/ K O'Loughlin
Over 50 Mixed Doubles	K Cope/ B Davies	K Cole/ K O'Loughlin
Over 60 Mens Singles	K Sands	C Feng
Over 60 Mens Doubles	J Younie/ K Sands	J Craig/ G Nesbitt
Over 60 Womens Singles	J Boyd	B Davies
Over 60 Womens Doubles	J Boyd/ B Davies	S Smith/ A Brugnoli
Over 60 Mixed Doubles	K Sands/ B Davies	G Nesbitt/ S Smith

RESULTS 1998 NSW CLOSED CHAMPIONSHIPS Cont.

EVENT	WINNER	RUNNER/UP
Over 70 Mens Singles	C Roden	K Preuss
Over 70 Mens Doubles	K Preuss/ R Lynch	E Busch/ K Johnson
Over 70 Womens Singles	T Beaumont	S Drake
Over 70 Womens Doubles	E Barnes/ D DeLow	S Drake/ T Beaumont
Over 70 Mixed Doubles	C Roden/ T Beaumont	R Lynch/ E Barnes
Under 12 Boys Singles	P Sidwell	K Cheung
Under 12 Girls Singles	M Beaumont	Sharmilla Hendry
Under 12 Girls Doubles	N Lewis/ M Beaumont	Sharmilla Hendry/ Lana Hendry
Under 14 Boys Singles	J Tawadrous	J Beaumont
Under 14 Boys Doubles	J Tawadrous/ P Parker	R Assaf/ J Beaumont
Under 14 Girls Singles	M Beaumont	C Nguyen
Under 14 Girls Doubles	Simone Hendry/ Sharmilla Hendry	M Beaumont/ N Lewis
Under 16 Boys Singles	J Jia	P Parker
Under 16 Boys Doubles	J Jia/ Y Sun	P Parker/ M Green
Under 16 Girls Singles	A Lam	C Ostrowski
Under 16 Girls Doubles	A Lam/ C Ostrowski	Simone Hendry/ N Meredith
Under 20 Boys Singles	J Tawadrous	X Nguyen
Under 20 Boys Doubles	A Green/ T Bo	J Tawadrous/ J Arend
Under 20 Girls Singles	T M Tran	A Lam
Under 20 Girls Doubles	C Nguyen/ T M Tran	A Lam/ C Ostrowski

1998 REPRESENTATIVE TEAMS

YOUTH MALE

T Bo
A Green
J Jia
X Tran
T Lee NPC

OPEN MEN

Did not enter

OPEN WOMEN

Did not enter

UNDER GIRLS 16 PRESIDENTS

C Ostrowski

UNDER 14 BOYS

J Beaumont
M Green
P Parker
J Tawadrous
D Beaumont NPC

UNDER 14 GIRLS

M Beaumont
N Lewis
C Nguyen
S Toth
G Beaumont NPC

UNDER 16 BOYS

R Assaf
R Beaumont
A Habib

A Chan NPC

OVER 40 MEN

D Beaumont
W Heginbotham
G Lo
W Robson

OVER 40 MEN B

N Nguyen
D Rylatt
P Uttley
M Wood

OVER 40 WOMEN

K Holcomb
S Lynch
J Morgan
L Whiteford

OVER 50 MEN

K Cole
E Davis
I V Le
A Russell
K Cope

OVER 50 WOMEN

C Hughes
K O'Loughlin
S Smith

OVER 60 MEN

T Boyd
G Nesbitt
K Sands
J Younie

OVER 60 WOMEN

J Boyd
A Brugnoli
B Davies
E Edwards

OVER 70 MEN

R Lynch
C Roden

OVER 70 WOMEN

T Beaumont
D DeLow
S Drake

HISTORY NSW SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP RECORDS

MEN			WOMEN	
YEAR	WINNER	RUNNER-UP	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
1902	H Elliott	C Robertson	N Dransfield	M Maitland
1902	A B Jones	E Elliott	M Maitland	C Maitland
1904 - 1924	No Records			
1925	M Ischikawa		M Absolam	
1926	L Wilkinson		P Wallace	
1930	J Hyde		No Event	
1931	M A Green	J Hyde	Miss Rigney	Miss Britten
1932	V Vienberg	L Page	J Britten	P Hollis
1933	E P Bostock		J Smith	
1934	E P Bostock		J Smith	
1935	C Smith		A Jacobs	
1936	C Smith	K Baker	A Jacobs	A Meader
1937	C Smith	G Hodson	A Jacobs	D Shields
1938	A Bowe	V Vienberg	A Ward	A Jacobs
1939	C Comber	A Godfrey	A Jacobs	A Ward
1940	K Baker	C Comber	A Jacobs	A Ward
1941	K Clarke	K Ritchie	A Jacobs	Miss Green
1942 - 1945	Not played			
1946	C Comber	J Clark	A Ward	L Symonds
1947	M Szabados	M Dankin	D Shipp	C Gillie
1948	M Dankin	M Dunn	D Shipp	G Friedlander
1949	P Anderson	M Dankin	P Cathcart	Q Ward
1950	M Dankin	J Klesman	D Beregi	D Shipp
1951	J Klesman	L Lasz	D Beregi	M Ralph
1952	J Klesman	M Dankin	D Shipp	M Ralph
1953	M Szabados	J Klesman	P Cathcart	M Ralph
1954	G Jennings	J Klesman	P Cathcart	M Ralph
1955	A Cassavetis	B Griffin	D Shipp	E Heath
1956	J Klesman	C Wheller	J Mulconery	D Shipp
1957	A Cassavetis	W Hodge	P Hill	M Ralph
1958	C McDonald	A Cassavetis	L Hoar	M Ralph
1959	G Jennings	C McDonald	L Murphy	L Cohen
1960	G Jennings	C McDonald	N Buckland	L Murphy
1961	M Wilcox	V Hirsch	P McDonald	B Walters
1962	M Wilcox	V Hirsch	A O'Brien	M Ralph
1963	C McDonald	M Wilcox	F Smith	M Lindsay
1964	M Wilcox	C McDonald	B Sweeney	J Brown
1965	M Wilcox	C McDonald	B Sweeney	F Smith
1966	M Wilcox	G Jennings	M Lindsay	J Brown
1967	M Wilcox	C McDonald	F Smith	J Brown
1968	Lee Mun Chew	C McDonald	S Javor	J Lane
1969	Lee Mun Chew	P Pinkewich	F Smith	M Lindsay
1970	Lee Mun Chew	P Pinkewich	A McMahon	M Lindsay
1971	P Pinkewich	B Burn	J Brown	F Smith
1972	P Pinkewich	S Knapp	F F Smith	J Brown
1973	P Pinkewich	Lee Mun Chew	J Brown	F Smith
1974	P Pinkewich	G Livesey	J Brown	G Mason
1975	S Knapp	P Gebauer	G Mason	L Manser
1976	R Tuckett	A Savige	B Kearney	J Brown
1977	P Pinkewich	R Tuckett	B Kearney	J Brown
1978	W Vickery	P Pinkewich	B Kearney	L McKeown
1979	P Pinkewich	R Carlyle	V Sikora	M Cannon
1980	P Pinkewich	L Skeate	P Whitehouse	V Sikora
1981	R Javor	P Pinkewich	M Cannon	S Munday

1982	B Tuckett	A Savige	B Kearney	J Brown
1983	G Haberl	B Griffiths	B Cooper	A Campbell
1984	H Abe	M Maehara	M Sterland	L Whiteford
1985	T Danielson		A Campbell	
1986			K Tepper	
1987	G Haberl	P Pinkewich	N Bisiach	B Finnie
1988	G Haberl	P Pinkewich	G Hui	A Campbell
1989	P Må	P Pinkewich	K Y Kwok	G Hui
1990	D Makaling	M Palmay	K Y Kwok	B German
1991	D Makaling	M Palmay	K Y Kwok	G Hui
1992	D Makaling	P Pinkewich	S Zhou	G Hui
1993	B Clarke	P Pinkewich	S Zhou	A Altuneg
1994	M Smythe	P Pinkewich	S Zhou	C Hughes
1995	M Smythe	A Hubbard	S Zhou	K Y Kwok
1996	R Pronobis	S Gao	K Pon	L Lei
1997	P Pinkewich	K Tran	A Lam	A Joy
1998	P Langley	R Lavale	M Miao	S Zhou (Vic)

N B. I have compiled this historical record from information at hand. However, I was not able to find complete details for some years. If anyone has additional information I would appreciate it if you could pass it on to me for inclusion in future Annual Reports.

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