

NEW SOUTH WALES
TABLE TENNIS ASSOCIATION

THIRTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT

AND

BALANCE SHEET

1/1/1970 - 31/12/1970.

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NEW SOUTH WALES TABLE TENNIS ASSOCIATION

Box 2865, G.P.O.,
SYDNEY. N.S.W. 2001

20th January, 1971.

The New South Wales Table Tennis Association hereby gives notice of its 35th Annual General Meeting which is to be held at the 10th Floor, Training Room, A.M.P. Building, Sydney Cove, on the ~~24th February, 1971.~~ 10 MAR 1971

A G E N D A

1. To receive Minutes of the last Annual General Meeting, held on 5th March, 1970.
2. To receive the Annual Report.
3. To receive the Annual Financial Statements and Balance Sheet.
4. To elect officers in accordance with Clause 4, N.S.W. T.T.A. Constitution.

1. Patron.
2. Any number of Vice-Patrons.
3. President. *D. MATHEWS*
4. First Vice-President. *G. CUBITT*
5. Second Vice-President.
6. Hon. Secretary. *M. LANE*
7. Hon. Treasurer. *D. FENECH*
8. Two Asst. Hon. Secretaries. *MRS BOGARD*
9. Two Hon. Auditors.
10. Hon. Assist. Treasurer. *MISS HUGHES*

5. To elect eight (8) representatives of registered clubs.
6. Any business submitted by the Council (schedule attached).
7. Any business of which twenty-one (21) days' notice has been given to the Secretary, i.e. ~~3rd February, 1971.~~ 19 FEB 1971
8. Questions.

Yours faithfully,

(M.J. LANE)
Hon. Secretary.

N. CALLINAN
R. NUTTALL
R. BOWLER
N. SPURTER

MRS DALZIEL

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NEW SOUTH WALES TABLE TENNIS ASSOCIATION

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL 1970

PATRON: Mr. H. Lowe

VICE PATRONS: His Worship the Mayor of Ashfield,
Messrs. M. Dankin, W. Robbins,
G. Saharov and T. Wilcox.

PRESIDENT: Mr. A.P. Kovaloff - Deceased 16.6.70
Mr. D. Matthews - Elected Aug. 1970.

1ST VICE-PRESIDENT: Mr. G. Cubitt

2ND VICE-PRESIDENT: Mr. R.J. Robson

HON. SECRETARY: Mr. M. Lane

HON. TREASURER: Mr. B.C. Fellowes

HON. ASST. TREASURER: Miss C. Hughes

2 HON. ASST. SECRETARIES: Miss H. Rogers
Mr. K. Cole

CLUB REPRESENTATIVES: Mrs. J. Brown, Miss N. Callinan,
Messrs. K. Bowler, B. Donnelly,
W. Ducker and N. Shorter

HON. AUDITOR: Mr. N. Bray

HON. SOLICITOR: Mr. J.D. Menczel, 15 Hunter Street,
Sydney.

AFFILIATED ASSOCIATIONS

Berrima	Miss M. Beaumont, P.O.Box 25, Mittagong 2575.
Canberra	Mr. G. Jones, 31 Knaggs Cres., Page, A.C.T.
Central Coast	Mr. R. de Zeeuw, 19 Newport St., Terrigal.
Dubbo	Miss J. McLeod, P.O. Box 240, Dubbo.
Goulburn	Mr. B. Hobbs, Bishop St., Goulburn.
Grafton	Miss L. Ellem, 44 Wharf St., S. Grafton 2461.
Illawarra	Mr. B. Swan, 2 Garrett Ave., Fairy Meadow.
Insurance	Miss C. Hughes, Box 784, G.P.O. Sydney, 2001.
Maitland	Mr. J. McEntyre, 4 Page St., E.Maitland, 2323.
Manly-Warringah	Mrs. S. Drake, 69 Iris St., Frenchs Forest, 2086.
Nepean	Mr. F. Homming, 1 Stapleton Pde., St. Marys.
Newcastle	Mrs. A. Wilcock, P.O. Box 762, Newcastle.
Public Service	Mr. R. Wade, 41 Edward St., Bexley North, 2207.
Sutherland	Mr. J. Bush, 14 View St., Miranda.
Tamworth	Mrs. L. Horne, 28 Carmichael Ave., Tamworth 2340.
Western Districts	Mr. C. Corbett, C/o Blacktown Workers Club,

SENIOR SELECTORS: Miss N. Callinan, Messrs. G. Cubitt
& N. Shorter.

JUNIOR SELECTORS: Mrs. J. Brown, Miss C. Hughes,
Mr. N. Shorter.

DELEGATE TO A.T.T.A.: Mr. K. Bowler.

LIFE MEMBERS: Miss N. Callinan, Messrs. K. Bowler,
H. Butcher and W. Robbins.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

All those people connected with Table Tennis will be aware that my stint as President of the New South Wales Table Tennis Association was brought about in rather sad circumstances and only occupied the latter part of what normally would have been a full term.

My comments then are somewhat couched in terms of generalisation for the earlier part of the year and become more specific for that period of time in which I was in office.

Reflection I feel indicates that we can feel satisfied, although not totally, with the achievements made by our officials and to some extent by our players. A successful visit by a Swedish team highlighted the earlier part of the year while the second half was centralised around the preparation and running of the Australian Championships. By coincidence these championships celebrated the 25th anniversary of table tennis on an Australia-wide basis and fell within our bi-centenary year.

Although our men's and women's teams had outstanding performances at the Australian Championships we must not become complacent because of these results. There is an obvious dearth of overall talent at present in New South Wales and the lack of numerical numbers participating in competitions is to say the least, depressing. Fortunately on the credit side, our relationship with sponsors has never been better and we look forward with high hopes that this rekindling of interest will continue and, in fact, foster progressively as time goes by. Plans have already been formulated in an effort to improve our standards, particularly among women and junior players, and the benefits of this will be eagerly awaited.

In summation may I take this opportunity of thanking all council members for their efforts during the year and especially those people who provided that extra effort which made the Australian Championships the success that they were. My best wishes are extended to those people who remain unknown at this moment but will shortly form the governing body of Table Tennis in New South Wales.

OBITUARY

It is with deep regret that we record the death of Peter Kovaloff on 16th June 1970 at the age of 39 years.

At the time of his death Peter was President of this Association and it came as a great shock to everybody connected with the game to hear of his passing.

Peter was in his second term as President and only a week before his death had been host to the World Doubles Champions, Alser and Johanssen, during their stay in Sydney.

A player of limited capabilities, Peter enjoyed his weekly game and was always keen to learn.

Prior to his entering Table Tennis, Peter was a grade Rugby Union player with the Eastern Suburbs Club.

His passing is full of sorrow and to his widow, Barbara and four children, the N.S.W. Table Tennis Association extends its most sincere sympathy.

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NEW SOUTH WALES TABLE TENNIS ASSOCIATION

ANNUAL REPORT.

The Thirty-Fifth Annual Report is to be presented to members at the Annual General Meeting, to be held in the Training Room, A.M.P. Building, Sydney Cove, on Wednesday, 10th March 1971 at 7 p.m.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

This report covers the activities of the Association for the year 1970.

The Council has had an extremely busy and very difficult year.

Once again the game is being administered by a few die hards and until this position alters the game will never attain the heights that the critics think it ought to.

AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

It was our pleasure and privilege to host the 25th National Championship. Played at the Alexandria Stadium, the week proved a success.

N.S.W. were represented by the following players:-

Men: W. Borkhardt, Lee Mun Chew, P. Pinkewich and
M. Wilcox (Captain).
Women: J. Brown, M. Lindsay, A. McMahon, F. Smith (Captain).
Boys: N. Brooks, T. McEntyre, W. Robson, J. Leggatt (N.P.C.)
Girls: L. Manser, E. Podalec, C. Hughes (N.P.C.)
Manager: Miss N. Callinan.

With virtually the same team as 1969, New South Wales regained the Spalding Shield from Victoria. Both teams won the first 4 matches with ease, and clashed on the final day in a battle of the giants.

N.S.W. players were undaunted by the favourites, Victoria, and all played well to record a runaway win 8-1.

The Women's Team were unlucky not to defeat Victoria, only losing 4-5, and in doing so improved on their 3rd placing from 1969.

Our Junior Boys played well to finish 3rd and the Girls were not strong enough and failed to win a match.

In the Individual Events, N.S.W. had 3 players in the semi finals of the Men's Singles. Michael Wilcox was the lone survivor in the final and he was defeated by C. Wuvanich (V).

Our only victory of the finals night was recorded by Lee Mun Chew and Paul Pinkewich in the Men's Doubles when they outplayed the Victorians, Wuvanich and Yeo.

Congratulations are extended to all of the players who, irrespective of their winning or losing, played and conducted themselves with credit to the State under the fine managership of Miss Callinan.

AUSTRALIAN SUB-JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

Hobart was the scene for the 2nd Sub-Junior Championships. N.S.W. teams selected were:-

Under 14: D. Carswell, P. Gebauer, W. Robson, G. Townsend.

Under 16: K. Allan, K. Stapleton, M. Stern.

Manager & Captain: Mr. N. Shorter.

The U14 team were successful in winning the Laurie Wharmby Trophy by defeating Victoria 3-2 in the deciding match.

In the U14 Boys Singles Bill Robson was the losing finalist to Javor (V) and he then teamed with Kim Stapleton in the U16 Boys Doubles, they being defeated by Savidge and Munday (V).

NEW SOUTH WALES CHAMPIONSHIPS

The entries for the States premier event were disappointing being approximately a half of the previous year.

The final of the Men's Singles was a repeat of 1969 with Lee Mun Chew defeating Paul Pinkewich.

In the Women's event, a newcomer to the State, Ann McMahon, defeated Margaret Lindsay in the final.

Main surprise of the Championship was the defeat of Lee Mun Chew and Paul Pinkewich in the Men's Doubles. This event was won by the popular pair, Ken Cole and Jim Leggatt.

Congratulations are extended to the winners and runners-up in all events.

OTHER CHAMPIONSHIPS

Many other Championships were held during the year at various suburban and country centres.

A summary of the winners is to be found at the end of this report.

The most successful of these events was the Captain Cook Bi-Centenary Championship which was held at Sutherland. With nearly 300 entries, Table Tennis was being played on 7 tables for a total of 22 hours during the two days of the event.

Congratulations are extended to the winners and runners-up in all these championships. Congratulations, too, are extended to the Sutherland Table Tennis Association on its running of the events at Sutherland.

COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS

Another large entry was experienced this year with the standard of play being very high.

Results:

1st Grade	-	Newcastle
2nd Grade	-	Newcastle
3rd Grade	-	Maitland
4th Grade	-	Maitland
Ladies Team	-	Tamworth
Juniors Team	-	Canberra
Men's Singles	-	G. Spackman d. L. Hurst
Women's Singles	-	M. Bridson d. K. Farenhurst

COUNTRY TOURS

1970 was the turn of our Women to tour Victoria whilst the Victorian Men toured New South Wales. New South Wales teams selected were:-

Men: L. Hurst (Newcastle), T. McEntyre (Maitland),
M. Schwarzbaum (Canberra).

Women: M. Bridson (Newcastle), J. Bailey (Armidale),
K. Bourke (Tamworth), L. Manser (Central Coast).

Results

Men's Tour:

Newcastle	v	Victoria	5	-	6
Illawarra	v	"	8	-	3
Berrima	v	"	0	-	11
Goulburn	v	"	4	-	7
Canberra	v	"	5	-	6
Combined Country	v	"	3	-	2 (unfin- ished)

Women's Tour:

New South Wales	v	Shepperton	4	-	7
"	v	Ballarat	1	-	10
"	v	Warrnambool	1	-	10
"	v	Geelong	1	-	10
"	v	Combined			
		Country	1	-	10
"	v	Traralgon	2	-	9
"	v	Orbost	1	-	10

TOUR BY WORLD CHAMPIONS FROM SWEDEN

During May, Hans Alser and Kjell Johanssen toured N.S.W. under the auspices of the A.T.T.A.

The professional attitude that these players adopted towards the game was typically European and the dynamic displays shown on the table were enjoyed by all who watched them.

They appeared at the Alexandria Basketball Stadium on two evenings. Against Australia, they were untroubled to win 5-0 and in the Invitation tournament Kjell Johanssen defeated Hans Alser 2-1 in the final.

METROPOLITAN ASSOCIATION LEAGUE

The league entered its second year of operation and was expanded to include A2 Grade.

Sutherland proved to be the strongest Association in both divisions.

They did not have it all their own way, however, in A Grade, where the result of the final rubber in the last match against Public Service decided the destiny of the trophy.

MICHAEL SZABADOS AWARD

Michael Wilcox scored another first in Table Tennis when he was awarded the Szabados Trophy for 1970, and thus became the first person to win this Award twice.

Michael was awarded the trophy for his outstanding achievement in leading the N.S.W. Men's team to the Australian Team Championship in September.

His leadership, both by example as a player and also as an adviser to his team members whilst off the court, inspired the team to their great success.

TEAMS COMPETITIONS

The Association organised the Winter League competitions in 1970. Results were as follows:-

<u>Grade</u>	<u>Winner</u>	<u>Runner-Up</u>
A.	Western Suburbs	Punchbowl
Ladies A.	Western Suburbs	Canterbury
A2.	Premiers	Sutherland
A Res.	Macquarie University	Randwick 'B'

THANKS

The thanks of the Association are extended to the many persons, firms and organisations that assisted us in so many ways during the past year.

Special thanks are extended to our sponsors, Adidas Pty. Ltd., Slazengers, W.D. & H.O. Wills and Florida Motor Inn, and to the P. & O. Lines, Mandarin Restaraunt and A.M.P. Society for providing meeting room facilities for the Association.

Thanks are also extended to our Patron, Mr. Howard Lowe, for his assistance during the year.

My personal thanks are extended to Council members and in particular to Keith Bowler and Brian Fellowes for their untiring efforts during the year.

M. J. LANE,
Hon. Secretary.

CONSTITUTION

Change in Constitution as passed at the 1970 Annual General Meeting:

New Clause 47:

Part A That the Association maintain its Bank account(s) with the Bank of New South Wales within the State of New South Wales.

Part B The Association may invest monies in Government Securities, Authorised Trustee Societies and/or Permanent Building Societies registered with the Registrar of Co-operatives in New South Wales as the Council sees fit. The signatories to any of these investments will be any two of the President, Secretary and Treasurer.

RANKINGS 1970

AUSTRALIAN

NEW SOUTH WALES

AUSTRALIAN				NEW SOUTH WALES			
Men	Women	Boys	Girls	Men	Women	Boys	Girls
1. C. Wuvanich (Victoria)	S. Javor (Victoria)	P. Powell (S.A.)	S. Gilbert (Victoria)	Lee Mun Chew	A. McMahon	T. McEntyre	L. Manser
2. Lee Mun Chew (N.S.W.)	M. Le Gassick (Victoria)	R. Tuckett (Victoria)	V. Woodward (Victoria)	P. Pinkewich	F. Smith	W. Robson	E. Podolec
3. M. Wilcox (N.S.W.)	J. Lane (S.A.)	A. Savidge (Victoria)	S. Davey (S.A.)	M. Wilcox	M. Lindsay	J. Brunton	J. Oldfield
4. P. Pinkewich (N.S.W.)	A. McMahon (N.S.W.)	S. Knapp (Victoria)	J. Chigwidden (S.A.)	G. Livesey	J. Brown	N. Brooks	C. Murray
5. G. Yeo (Victoria)	F. Smith (N.S.W.)	G. Walmsley (Qld.)	G. Buckly (S.A.)	W. Borkhardt	V. Wheller	M. Stern	
6. A. Frankenburg (S.A.)	D. Kilderry (Victoria)	S. Quixley (Victoria)	L. Bonham (Tas.)	J. Leggatt	B. Davies	K. Stapleton	
7. P. Powell (S.A.)	D. Gavros (S.A.)	T. McEntyre (N.S.W.)	R. Wilson (Qld.)	J. Lindsay	J. Dalzell	K. Allan	
8. G. Stirling (Victoria)	L. Barrow (Qld.)	R. Kelly (S.A.)	A. Hamlyn (W.A.)	D. Cowell	S. McKenty	D. Carswell	
9. M. Thomson (S.A.)	J. Brown (N.S.W.)			K. Cole			
10. J. Kilderry (Victoria)	S. Campbell (Victoria)			A. Chan			

B. Lane and J. Low were not ranked due to insufficient performances.

EVENT	MEN'S OPEN SINGLES	WOMEN'S OPEN SINGLES	MEN'S OPEN DOUBLES	WOMEN'S OPEN DOUBLES	MIXED OPEN DOUBLES
<u>CHAMPIONSHIP</u>					
Australian	C. Wuvanich (V)	S. Javor (V)	Lee Mun Chew & P. Pinkewich (NSW)	M. Le Gassick & S. Javor (V)	C. Wuvanich & M. Le Gassick
N.S.W. State	Lee Mun Chew	A. McMahon	K. Cole & J. Leggatt	F. Smith & J. Brown	P. Pinkewich & J. Brown
Captain Cook Bi-Centenary	Lee Mun Chew	J. Brown	Lee Mun Chew & G. Lai	F. Smith & J. Brown	Lee Mun Chew & A. McMahon
City of Liverpool	P. Pinkewich	F. Smith	P. Pinkewich & K. Cole	F. Smith & J. Brown	P. Pinkewich & J. Brown
A.C.T.	C. Wuvanich (V)	A. McMahon	C. Wuvanich & G. Yeo	A. McMahon & V. Wheller	M. Wilcox & A. McMahon
Southern Tablelands	W. Borkhardt	A. McMahon	W. Borkhardt & A. Batts	A. McMahon & V. Wheller	K. Sands & A. McMahon
City of Sydney	M. Wilcox	F. Smith	-	M. Lindsay & V. Wheller	J. Lindsay & F. Smith
Hunter Valley	G. Livesey	V. Wheller	G. Livesey & R. Nuttall	V. Wheller & A. Nuttall	W. Borkhardt & V. Wheller
Adidas Masters	Lee Mun Chew	F. Smith	-	-	-
Jacaranda	L. Hurst	J. Brown	N. Chappell & M. McGreevy	J. Brown & S. Hurst	R. Brown & J. Brown
Metropolitan	G. Lai	-	J. Brunton & N. Brooks	-	-

NEW SOUTH WALES TABLE TENNIS ASSOCIATION

~~DRAFT~~ BALANCE SHEET AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1970

Comparative
Figures
For 1969

\$	ACCUMULATED FUNDS		\$
2,093.11	Balance B/fwd. 1/1/70		1,988.58
104.53(L)	Loss for Year Ended 31/12/70		240.93
<u>1,988.58</u>			<u>1,747.65</u>
This is represented by:-			
	<u>CURRENT ASSETS</u>		
50.78	Sundry Debtors	707.45	693.45
	Less: Prov. for Doubtful Debts	<u>14.00</u>	
411.84	Bank of New South Wales		169.28
110.97	Stock on Hand		<u>56.76</u>
<u>573.59</u>			<u>919.49</u>
	<u>LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES</u>		
209.86	Sundry Creditors	1,092.25	
-	A.P. Kovaloff Memorial Fund	<u>25.10</u>	<u>1,117.35</u>
<u>363.73</u>			<u>197.86CR</u>
	<u>FIXED ASSETS</u>		
382.00	Tables and Equipment (after depreciation)	790.00	
49.00	Szabados Award	<u>49.00</u>	<u>839.00</u>
<u>431.00</u>			<u>641.14</u>
	<u>INVESTMENT</u>		
870.60	N.S.W. Permanent Building Society		925.26
	<u>LONG TERM ASSET</u>		
1,421.25	Debtor for Unbanked Receipts	1421.25	
<u>1,098.00</u>	Less Repayments to Date	<u>1240.00</u>	<u>181.25</u>
<u>323.25</u>			
<u>1,988.58</u>			<u>1,747.65</u>

CONTINGENT LIABILITY for unsubstantiated claim of \$92.58 by P. Haigh for catering at Australian Championships.

D. MATTHEWS
President

B.C. FELLOWES
Hon. Treasurer

Following examination of the Books and other Records, of the N.S.W. Table Tennis Association, together with explanations furnished to me, I report that in my opinion the above Balance Sheet represents a true and fair view of the Association's affairs as at 31st December, 1970.

N.S. BRAY
Hon. Auditor

NEW SOUTH WALES TABLE TENNIS ASSOCIATION

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT

TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1970

<u>I N C O M E</u>		\$	<u>E X P E N D I T U R E</u>		\$
Registration Fees		127.90	A.T.T.A. - Affiliation		20.00
Term Fees		180.00	- Travel Subsidy		136.50
Affiliation Fees		108.00	Printing, Stationery, Telephone & Postage		346.15
Trading Profit - Handbooks, Score Books, and Badges		37.68	Donation		8.59
Forfeited Guarantees		12.00	Trophies and Pennants		49.96
Interest Received		56.87	Depreciation		76.00
Donation		5.00	Honorariums		75.00
<u>FUND RAISING</u>			Photographs		4.00
Barbeques and Games Nights	52.12		Bank Charges		6.95
Exhibitions	165.00		Floral Tribute		10.00
Melbourne Cup Doubles	139.60		State Team Shirts & Practice Fees		83.30
Jnr. Fund Raising	<u>18.01</u>	374.73	<u>LOSSES ON TOURNAMENTS</u>		
Loss for Year		<u>240.93</u>	Australian	402.92	
		<u>1,143.11</u>	State	36.35	
			City of Sydney	13.80	
			Schoolboys	<u>6.40</u>	459.47
			<u>DEDUCT PROFITABLE TOURNAMENTS</u>		
			Swedes Tour	1.41	
			Captain Cook	28.08	
			Liverpool City	19.32	
			Adidas	76.00	
			Metropolitan	<u>8.00</u>	<u>132.81</u>
					<u>326.66</u>
					<u>1,143.11</u>