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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Well this year has been a real voyage of discovery for me which I have enjoyed immensely. I have met a lot of fantastic HQ staff and hockey volunteers across the state, whose tireless efforts are greatly appreciated. That is not to say that there have not been a variety of issues that have needed to be addressed but these have been managed in accordance with our policies and in a professional way by members of HQ.

From my perspective I am very happy with our Board of Directors. It has a great blend of business and hockey experience and is a group who interact and communicate well. They are all committed to promoting hockey and the best outcomes for all of our members, both regional and metropolitan. I look forward to continuing to work with them and our CEO, Louisa, and her staff to achieve our goals over the next strategic planning cycle.

On a national level I am excited by the renewal of the Hockey Australia Board and the election of Tracey Belbin OAM, Mackay as a Director and the selection by the HA Board of Melanie Woosnam, Redlands to the role of President. I am very confident in their ability and look forward to working with them over the next few years as we commence the next Olympic cycle.

During the year I have been fortunate to be able to attend field and indoor state championships hosted by Tweed Border, Gympie, Mackay, Cairns, Maryborough and of course the State Hockey Centre with Super League a very successful showcase and celebration of our talent on and off the field. It has been a great opportunity for me to meet some of the executives of these associations along with the volunteers and see for myself the wonderful facilities and opportunities they provide. It has also provided me the opportunity to understand the different issues each of the associations face.

I acknowledge the efforts of the Competitions Working Group who have presented a great opportunity for hockey with the creation of the Queensland Festival of Hockey for our open age players to advance our competitions for our Associations and increase participation in this age group.

HQ is privileged to have talented committee members serving on our High Performance Advisory Group lead by Chair Greg Richards, Technical Officiating Committee lead by Joanne Greensill, Indoor Hockey Advisory Group and Umpires Committee both lead by Lyn Hill, Women's Masters Committee lead by Linda Hunter and we thank them all for their tireless efforts to work with HQ staff to lead hockey into a bright future.



Through the year we have seen a number of highlights with the successes and recognition of individuals and teams. Unfortunately, there are too many to list but two that I specifically consider worth mentioning include QSport's recognition of Adam Kearns, who officiated at the Rio Olympics, as the 2016 Queensland Sports Officiator of the Year and Faye Wastell OAM and QSport's Service to Sport Award. These are wonderful achievements and I again congratulate you both.

Our women's program hit record heights with our U15, U18, U21, AHL and Over 35 Masters all 2016 National Champions. Congratulations to all players, coaches and team managers on this outstanding achievement and tribute to Des King, HQ's Women's High Performance Coach for the long term commitment required to achieve this level of success. Many players' successes are highlighted throughout this report, but I'd like to recognise Rosie Malone (Gold Coast) who had an exceptional year being a key player demonstrating strong leadership qualities in the U18, U21 and AHL winning teams and gaining national selection for the Junior World Cup.

I would also like to make special mention of the Hockey Queensland personnel who were involved in bringing the Remote and Indigenous Hockey Program to Aurukun in Far North Queensland. The program was a great example of what can be achieved to facilitate access to hockey and provide a positive experience for remote communities.

2016 has also seen the end of an era with the retirement of Jan Hadfield ("PB") from her 32 years of international umpiring duties stretching across three Olympic Games 1988/2004/2008 and four World Cups 1990/2002/2006/2010. Jan was awarded the Guust Lathouwers Memorial Trophy by the FIH in 2006 for outstanding service to the development and promotion of umpiring worldwide. Jan was awarded her Australian Umpire's Badge in 1977, was consistently rated as the number one women's umpire in Australia and has generously shared her talents with

Australian, Queensland and local umpires throughout her illustrious career. We congratulate Jan on an exceptional contribution to hockey and look forward to her continued involvement on our High Performance Advisory Group and developing our local umpires. Finally, I would like to congratulate our Queensland Retiring Olympians Madonna Blyth, Teneal Attard and Jamie Dwyer for their stellar careers and contribution to hockey in Australia and internationally. Madonna as our most capped Australian female player with 342 games over a 13 year career and Australian Captain from 2009 to 2016, triple Olympian in 2008/2012/2016 and threetime FIH World Star Team in 2007/2009/2010. Teneal our dual Olympian 2008/2012, with 221 caps over a 12 year international career. Jamie, Australia's most decorated player over a 15 year international career, our four-time Olympian scoring the winning goal in the gold medal match to secure the Olympic title at the 2004 Olympic Games in Athens and two bronze medals in 2008/2012 and five-time winner of international hockey's World Player of the Year award.

We wish them every success in their new endeavours in life and look forward to their involvement in Hockey Queensland in the future to grow our next generation of hockey heroes.

Even though I have specifically mentioned a few individuals and events I also recognise the commitment and contribution by hundreds of volunteers throughout the state and acknowledge that they are our core and most valuable resource in the continuing progress of hockey.

I look forward to 2017 and the opportunity to continue to serve our great sport.

Steve Stewart



CEO'S REPORT

This report covers the final year of Hockey Queensland's three year Strategic Plan. Throughout this period the plan focused on increasing participation numbers, developing our athletes, coaches and officials, strengthening our hockey network and improving Hockey Queensland's financial position. Each year of the plan has delivered significant progress towards the identified outcomes and 2016 was no exception.

The year began strongly with the continued investment in marketing through the *Get into Hockey* campaign expanded to include the distribution of registration packs to all players. Whilst this initiative had some logistical challenges, overall the campaign was successful and contributed to another increase in registrations for the year. Over the three year period, the participation numbers have increased from approximately 14,500 in 2014 to 18,750 in 2016, which is a significant increase in an environment where a large number of sports are facing declining participant numbers.

Many programs that commenced in 2015 continued to be refined and expanded in 2016. Hockey Queensland continued to provide funding grants to associations as part of the State Government's Queensland Sport and Recreation Industry Development Program to support participation and development programs such as Hookin2Hockey, school hockey programs, coach and official accreditations and holiday programs. A lot of activity occurred within our associations and clubs across the state and as a result collectively contributed to the successful achievement of outcomes in the growth and development areas.

This year, Hockey Queensland built on its cultural brand "TEAMQLD". The notion of TEAMQLD started with the Indoor Hockey teams at the national championships led by Paul Tucker and his band of supporters including the Indoor Hockey Advisory Group. TEAMQLD epitomises what it means to be a player, parent, official, staff or volunteer of hockey in Queensland. While there is still some way to go to embed this culture throughout the whole sport, there have been some great examples of the TEAMQLD values being displayed during the year particularly at the National U13 and AHL, the National Indoor and National U18 competitions. Congratulations to all those involved for ensuring Queensland is leading this inspiring cultural shift.

While Queensland is being recognised for its off-field performance, we are also dominating on the field as well. For the first time in history, Queensland holds the Gold Medal position for its Women's AHL, U21, U18 and U15 teams. Congratulations to all players, coaches, managers and support staff who contributed to this amazing performance.



In recognition of Hockey Queensland's performance throughout the year, Hockey Queensland was short-listed in five categories at the annual Queensland Sports Awards: Qld Sport Team of the Year (Scorchers and Blades), Qld Sport Star of the Year (Madonna Blyth), Qld Junior Sport Team of the Year (U18 Women), Qld Officiator of the Year (Adam Kearns) and Service to Sport (Faye Wastell). Congratulations to all those short-listed, but particularly Adam Kearns who was named Officiator of the Year and Faye Wastell who was acknowledged for her service to hockey.

Below is a summary of the highlights and achievements made in each of our four key program areas:

Growing our Sport (Game Development)

- 18,751 registered participants the highest numbers of participants in 10 years
- 1180 accredited coaches and officials an
- increase of 53% over the three years
- Expansion of the remote and indigenous program into nine regions
- 3535 Hookin2Hockey participants
- Sporting Schools program delivered to over 4000 children
- Successfully piloted a hockey program for
- refugees and migrants in Logan
- Continued to partner with Lifestream to
- deliver hockey programs to participants with disabilities

Building our Talent (High Performance)

- Successful performance by all our state teams especially Gold medal performances by our Women's AHL, U21, U18, U15, Women's Masters 35+ and Women's U13 Indoor teams, Men's U15 team, Men's Masters 45+ Div 2 team and Men's U15 Indoor team.
- Consistent representation of Queenslanders in the national squads
- Implementation of U14 and U17 development camps



- Over 300 participants in Hockey Queensland's holiday camps
- Implementation of education and coach development sessions in state championships and trials.

Strengthening our Network (Member Development)

- Continued support and resourcing to improve governance practices in member Associations
- Engagement of associations and clubs in the planning and development of the next three year strategic plan
- Introduced the TEAMQLD initiative to U18 and U13 state teams
- Strengthened communication between Hockey Queensland and member associations through teleconferences, updates and face-to-face meetings

Sustaining our Future (Organisational Development)

- Strong financial position
- Increased value in media from \$347,000 media value in 2015 to \$385,000 media value in 2016 and over 1600 media releases
- Increased revenue from grants and sponsorship
- Finalised new lease arrangements with Brisbane City Council for the State Hockey Centre

These milestones would not have been achieved without the combined effort of a large number of people. Thank you to the Chairs and members of the High Performance Advisory Group, Technical Operating Committee, Umpire Committee, Indoor Committee and Women's Masters Committee - your time, advice and support of the operations of Hockey Queensland is very much valued and your contribution to the success of Hockey Queensland's programs is significant.

I would like to acknowledge Cam Vale and his staff at Hockey Australia for their support and leadership and to the broader national hockey network for their ongoing commitment to achieve a whole of sport environment.

Throughout the year, I visited the majority of member associations and their clubs, to discuss the future direction of our sport. Thank you all for the time, contribution and candid conversations we shared. The outcome of all these discussions was the development of the next three-year strategic plan. It is an exciting era for hockey and the next three years will challenge us all as we work together to ensure we have more people playing hockey. I look forward to working with you all to deliver this goal and thank all those volunteers and staff who work in our Associations and clubs for the wonderful and often thankless job you do to keep the sport alive and growing in our communities.

I would like to acknowledge our sponsors, partners, Queensland State Government and QAS. We appreciate their involvement in our sport. Without their ongoing support, Hockey Queensland's ability to achieve its goals is that much harder.

Hockey Queensland has a fantastic team of staff, who have all contributed to the successful achievement of outcomes over the past year. To every staff member, thank you for the time, commitment and passion you bring to the organisation and your roles. The next three years will require some out-of-the-box thinking and innovative programs and I have no doubt you are all up to the challenge.

Louisa Begley



REMOTE AND INDIGENOUS HOCKEY PROGRAM

The fundamental purpose of the Remote and Indigenous Hockey Program (RIHP) is to develop and deliver hockey programs that lead and grow participation, pathways and positive social changes in remote and Indigenous communities of Queensland.

During 2016, the wonderful team of Development Officers: Lewis Dexter, Kazzia Lammon, Amber Mutch and Hope Phillip expanded the RIHP to deliver hockey to nine regions across Queensland. Starting in January, RIHP delivered a holiday program in the indigenous community of Cherbourg. The program was held at the Cherbourg Sports and Recreation Complex and consisted of three hockey clinics over three days designed to introduce participants to hockey, increase participation in this region and support community partnerships and capacity building towards a sustainable program in the future. 65 indigenous participants enjoyed the program and reports from local partners indicated that there was an appetite for future programs.

In February, the RIHP team delivered a two-day Hockey Program (6 sessions) in Charleville as part of the School of Distance Education's (SDE) 2016 Kick Start Conference. 166 new participants took part in the program including the accreditation of a local teacheraide as part of a long term sustainable partnership with the SDE.

From July to September, the RIHP team delivered a nine week after school hockey program within Primary Schools based in Mt Isa. At the end of the program the schools were invited to Mt Isa Hockey Association to participate in an inter-school competition (Carnival). The program was very successful with 197 students participating and a committment to ongoing support from the local council for future programs.

In October, the RIHP team delivered a 6 week hockey program in Aurukun. As part of the RIHP Indigenous Mentor Support Program (IMSP) program Ambassador, Kazzia Lammon, presented 'Kazzia's Story' to all the students. Her presentation focused on achieving goals in both education (studying law) and sport (represented Australia), time management and the challenges of relocating to Brisbane from a small community. With 240 female participants in the Hookin2Hockey sessions and 54 female participants in the Gala Day, Kazzia's presentation and presence had a positive effect on the female students in Aurukun.

A total of 94 students and 12 volunteers (including teachers) participated in Aurukun's Hockey Gala Day held on the last day of the 6 week program. Students were introduced to skills and game play in the Hookin2Hockey sessions in the lead up to this Gala Day which prepared all students for what was a highly skillful and competitive demonstration of Hockey.

In partnership with the South West Indigenous Network (SWIN), the RIHP team completed seven road trips across the year to deliver the RIHP program to 75 schools and over 2000 students in the South West Queensland regions of Chinchilla, Roma, Miles, Milmerrin, Dalby, Inglewood, Goondawindi and Warwick.

Hockey Queensland also partnered with Catholic Education to work directly with Indigenous boarding school students to introduce them to mainstream hockey in Townsville. Students participating in the program were trained to enable them to assist in holiday camps when they return to their communities in the holiday periods.

We look forward to continuing and expanding this program in 2017



ASSOCIATION HIGHLIGHTS

Atherton Tablelands Hockey Association

- Several teams competed in State Championships with Ben Lowe (U15), Abby Toshach and Luke Howard (U13) selected for Queensland - a great achievement for our small Association!
- Introduced Tableland Tomahawk S1 & S2 teams into the Cairns competition, so our players got to develop their skills and experience on turf. This means up to a 3 hour round trip each Friday night.

Brisbane Hockey Association

- It was a record making year for our representative teams winning every State Championship held from Super League to U13.
- Our club competition had stable player numbers and teams overall with growth in our Masters and decline in our juniors.
- Our Facebook site was launched early this year as a means of reaching our player base - it provided updates on our team's performances at state titles and details of upcoming development activities.
- Our relationship with BWHA is strong and continues to grow through open and collaborative interactions on many operational matters.
- The Brisbane Indoor Hockey League's 2016/17 season (the 5th year since its return to BHA Inc) continues to be strongly supported with over 1,000 participations via 122 teams.

Brisbane Women's Hockey Association

- Our winter fixture season was as busy as ever, with fixture competitions for juniors, seniors and masters, at four turf venues and two grass venues, for over 3,300 registered players.
- We had 20 teams competing at all State Championships from Super League to Masters and 4 teams competing in the U11 Southern Cross at Downey Park.
- Top two placings were achieved in five of the six divisions.
- We continued in partnership with BHA to produce HockeyZone for the promotion and development of hockey; manage the hockey facility at Burringbar Park, run development programs for players, coaches, umpires, schools and discuss the State Hockey Centre and its future with Hockey Queensland.
- Our Board of Management improved many areas of our association including club communication, meeting with every club to discuss their issues and concerns; improving governance with new job descriptions for all volunteer positions; continuing the work to develop an artificial turf at Downey Park and investigating ways to improve our data collection.
- BWHA was successful in receiving grants from the Federal Government, State Government, Brisbane City Council, Keep Australia Beautiful and the Community Gambling Benefit Fund for 6 sets of goal nets, umpire and coach development, recycling bins and portable goal nets and equipment.

Bundaberg Hockey Association

- 2016 was a year of opportunities, challenges and success.
 Our main focus was to continue to build momentum on rebuilding our numbers and replacing and repairing our infrastructure that was damaged over the past few years of floods that the Bundaberg Community suffered.
- Our successful season launch through a local sporting initiative organised by Hinkler Central shopping centre saw several sporting organisations showcasing what was on offer to our community over several days - a great success! Our junior numbers increased.
- Our Sign On Day and Troy Elder Coaching Sessions with the Bulimba Bulls was again a huge success and Troy and the team were so eager to give of their time - it's greatly appreciated!
- Hosting the 2016 Queensland Women's Masters
 Championships meant a great deal to our Association and was also a great success!
- Thank you to Chris Lancaster (Past President), John Kendall (Championship Convenor), Kevin Knight (Secretary) and Jenny Peardon (Treasurer) for their concerted efforts that made this possible. Our Hockey Association has become richer for Chris's efforts these past years by getting all of us to work together and continue to rebuild the local and the wider community trust and confidence in our Association. Hosting the Championships also allowed us to attract grants to upgrade some of our equipment.
- We want to again thank Hockey Queensland and the Queensland Women's Masters Hockey for the opportunity to host the championship.
- As a chapter closes a new one opens as we look forward to 2017 and the opportunities it presents

Cairns Hockey Association

- Undertook the drafting, developing and delivery of a new strategic plan with fresh ideas all designed to secure the future of Cairns Hockey.
- Strengthened relationships with Tablelands' teams (who are now participating in the local competition) and the evolution of increased social responsibility programs through the Association's rich history with Hockey Queensland RIHP.
- 'Aspire to be Deadly' now sponsored by BDO Nth Qld.
- Over 4000 participants in school, 'Come and Try' and other community programs.
- Our full-field winter competition, modified summer hockey competition and indoor competition has an estimated 1600 people (male and female of all ages)
- Over 300 players and coaches represented Cairns across regional and state competitions.
- Almost 60 coaches, managers and players represented Queensland at national championships.
- 9 players were selected to represent Australia including one Hockey world Masters Champion

- Over 25 umpires and technical officials from Cairns Hockey officiated in regional, state and national championships.
- Cairns Hockey delivered Academy Programs with over 220 players and coaches involved.
- The Australian Government committed 2.7million dollars to facility improvements to ensure these improvements are of the highest quality, meet sustainability and encompass the newest technologies available.
- We thank all our supporters, volunteers, partners, stakeholders, clubs and parents and friends for their assistance in 2016 and everyone involved at Cairns Hockey is excited for the future.

Hervey Bay Hockey Association

- Hosted our first major hockey event on the new turf for the U13 Girls State Championships. The event was a resounding success with a spectacular grand final between Brisbane and the Fraser Coast (with athletes from both Hervey Bay and Maryborough) resulting in the first win for the Fraser Coast Girl's U13 Div 1 team.
- A number of our junior and senior players accomplished selection at State and National level in both field and indoor hockey.
- We trialled a senior women's reserve grade evening which was well supported and will continue in 2017. We have begun upgrading our lighting system to LED to assist with reducing power costs and longevity.

Ipswich Hockey Association

- 2016 presented some challenges with a depleted A Grade Men's competition looking likely prior to the season commencing. This challenge was met head on resulting in a two round intercity competition with Toowoomba Hockey to boost our 3 team A Grade competition.
- We sincerely thank Toowoomba Hockey, their clubs and players for what turned out to be a very competitive and enjoyable Men's competition. And all the hard work has paid off with the extra team back in A Grade for the 2017 season.
- Our junior boys was the success story of 2016 with sufficient numbers to reintroduce a third boy's grade for the first time in 5 years and our players and umpires who proudly represent their association across Queensland and Australia.
- We continued to ensure our Hookin2Hockey program focused on basic skills in a fun environment and our "Ipswich Hockey goes to Rio" was an extremely colourful and fun morning for players, coaches and families on the sidelines.
- Our hockey community dug deep for our Mother's Day Market community fundraiser supporting Bears of Hope Pregnancy and Infant Loss Support raising \$2,000.
- We continue to look at new ways of retaining and recruiting players of all ages, and 2016 was a year that we invested a lot of time holding forums and discussions with our senior players to enable their ideas and suggestions to be heard and discussed.
- We have a great team working together to keep the "day to day" ticking over as well as ensuring the future continues to look bright.

Sunshine Coast Hockey Association

- We had a very busy year hosting five major events: Queensland Men's Masters Over 60s, State Primary Schools Championships, State U13 Boys Championships, Northern University Games and National Police and Emergency Games.
- This was achieved by a newly elected Board and a new Strategic Plan and new Development Plans for a second international turf and academy.
- We've confirmed the Scottish Hockey Team will train at our facilities prior to participating at the Commonwealth Games and we are negotiating our partnership with the University of the Sunshine Coast.
- We achieved Level 3 Good Sports Program accreditation and full integration of the IMG system into competitions.
- Australian representatives including Masters, Queensland representatives in all age groups including masters and indoor and development training for all ages.
- The SCHA is looking forward to working with Hockey Queensland and Hockey Australia in new partnerships and taking hockey forward for 2017.

Redlands Hockey Association

- We are continuing to grow with our U7 competition expanding and we are encouraging players over 16 years of age into our senior competition so our mothers/ daughters and fathers/sons can play together.
- We were recognised by HQ for supporting tech benching and accreditation of our juniors at the U18 Men's State Championships and we reached a total of 70 umpires this season.
- We expanded our turf opportunities with our U15 girls team entering the Gold Coast competition, a women's team playing Monday Masters, Men playing at Redcliffe, Summer junior/senior and mixed teams on turf at Easts and State Hockey Centre.
- Over 120 RHA players in summer indoor hockey and we expanded the school's programs with the appointment of a Sporting Schools coordinator including a primary schools cluster day, Come and Try day and the Gala day at Toowoomba.
- Our successful application for a lighting grant of \$100,000 to install lights on the back fields for 2017 will offer many opportunities for training and playing different forms of hockey.
- We had many player selections for Queensland and achievements in representative hockey with an outstanding effort by Jackson Freeman who was selected for the second year running as a Qld umpire and toured New Zealand umpiring both the U19 Men's and Women's School teams. Jackson was awarded "Qld Young Aspiring Umpire" at the U15 Men's State Championships.

Rockhampton Indoor Hockey Association

- Commencing fixtures at Glenmore High School Mike Maher Centre only to then have to change venues and delay our local competition and with one week before the U15 Boys Indoor State Challenge. We contacted 22 venues to secure a suitable venue to play Indoor Hockey in Rockhampton.
- Our sincere thanks to the Member for Keppel, Brittany Lauga, the Livingstone Shire Council and Aurizon Rail for their support. Thank you to our willing band of workers who gave freely of their time and worked tirelessly to make sure we had a venue for the State Challenge.

- Special Thanks to Hockey Qld for their patience—we do realize that there would be much concern regarding the event, but all went well, and most Centres came and congratulated us on hosting the event.
- Rockhampton Indoor Hockey had a number of Players and Shadow Players selected in Queensland Indoor Hockey Teams to attend Australian Indoor Hockey Championships in Wollongong and Australian level.
- Cathy Irwin is a Qld Selector for U13 and U15 Girls and coached U13 Girls Indoor Hockey Teams. Her team Fire were successful in winning in Wollongong this year and also won the Play the Whistle Award.
- We had umpires receive accreditations at the State Challenges in the Australian Indoor Hockey Championships.
- Our best wishes to Darrin Madden, our President for many years, player, coach and umpire who moved to Brisbane for work. Darrin gave generously of his time and was a loyal Indoor Hockey supporter and was awarded Life Membership.
- Thank you to the small band of workers who give generously of their assistance throughout the Indoor Hockey Season.

Toowoomba Hockey Association

- Continued to reinforce the hockey development programs which has yielded results at all levels with 1 State divisional win and 10 teams making the top five in their respective age groups.
- Region has strongly represented Toowoomba players at a State and National level with over 57 players being selected and/or talent identified to represent Queensland.
- 17 players across men and women were selected to represent Queensland at the State Championships in the Masters competition.
- Junior development program has grown with 102 players signing through the Hookin2Hockey program.
- Facilitated The Edge holiday development programs and off season training programs, a free hockey development program in local primary schools across the Darling Downs and hosted School Gala Days.
- Continued to sponsor the Toowoomba Hockey Academy run through the Wilsonton State High School.
- Hosted the Queensland All Schools Hockey Tournament in October with 24 girls' teams and 16 boy's teams competing from all over Queensland including Cairns, Rockhampton, Brisbane and Gatton.
- In Indoor Hockey THA representative teams attended the U13 Boys and U15 Boys and Girls State Championships, along with a Come and Try program and very successful off-season tournament.
- Now have a state of the art indoor arena available at the University of Southern Queensland.
- Worked with Hockey Queensland to base an additional Development Officer in Toowoomba to deliver the South West Queensland Remote and Indigenous Hockey Program.

Townsville Hockey Association

- Continued the development of players and coaches led by RCD Marc Pike including successful Hookin2Hockey programs, a 2.5% increase in player numbers with the competition having 66 teams across 17 divisions from U11 to Masters Men.
- Umpires had great success with 9 umpiring at National and International championships.
- Across all ages, 14 players were selected in various Australian teams, squads, or as shadows and 66 players were named in state teams, squads or as shadows.
- 2017 is looking bright, made possible by our major sponsor, Maidment Development Group. with many infrastructure projects currently underway:
 - Just Hockey have opened a completely new, larger, stand alone pro shop.
 - 2. The facility entrance road is being resurfaced.
 - The pedestrian access path will be completely replaced and the office is currently undergoing a major renovation.
- The association is currently developing a master plan with the view to a structured approach to facility improvements, including the replacement of the two turf surfaces.

Warwick Hockey Association

- Warwick Hockey had a fantastic 2016 year!
- Started our season by hosting 'Mixed Over 35's Vets Carnival' in February. It was a great weekend with positive reports from all visitors vowing to come back in 2017 with more teams.
- New management committee had their 'L Plates' on as they worked through the many steps required in running a sporting organisation. We reconfigured our canteen area to create our own 'Hockey Shop' for uniform and game equipment basics for our players.
- Catered for juniors from 4 to 15 in the junior hockey competition. Successfully fielded representative teams for both boys and girls in U11's, U13's and U15's as well as an U18 boys team. We thank the efforts of all coaches, managers, umpires, players, parents and supporters who make these trips successful.
- Junior co-ordinator, Michelle Byrne, with Neil Shearer and one of our local players, Angela Groves, successfully brought hockey into primary schools in 2016.
- The first primary schools hockey competition in term 4 saw six primary school teams compete after school. Many excited kids have vowed to return for 2017 as a result of these two events.
- Senior competitions consisted of a Mixed Competition (Mixed Reserve), Senior A Grade Men and Senior A Grade Women. Our own Super League competition was run in addition to these Senior competitions which brought many players and supporters down to the field on a Friday night to cheer on their players!
- Matthew Hagenbach, Adam Byrne, Rob Pohlman & Peter Andrews were selected in Queensland teams to play at the National Championships in Adelaide.

- Awarded a number of grants: Queensland Gambling Community Benefit Fund of \$23,700 to upgrade facilities; Get Going grant of \$7500 to facilitate training for our current committee and \$7500 to Corinthians Hockey Club for umpiring and coaching development for all WHA players. A great result for our small association!
- Warwick Hockey is appreciative of all umpires, tech officials, coaches, managers, groundsmen, committee members and all volunteers who assist our small association in more ways than one.

Tweed Border Hockey Association Inc.

- Hosted a very successful Under 18 Men's State Championships and with our own competition just starting it was a busy first week of hockey.
- The Tweed boys took to the field in their new Representative colours of Jade and Maroon with many positive comments on the new strip. Our boys finished a credable third in division 1; the team was promoted to division 1 after winning division 2 in 2015.
- Junior boys continue to challenge organisers, particularly in the U13 age group. With only two local teams from Murwillumbah and Casuarina, we were grateful that Gold Coast included them in their competition which gave our boys a strong competition that Murwillumbah won on Gold Coast home turf.

- Juniors were given wonderful opportunities to attend a Coaching Clinic during the year by National Team members Dylan Wotherspoon, Madison Fitzpatrick, Goalkeeper Toni Cronk and as well as Mark Knowles and Jodie Kenny - Wow! Some of the best players in Australia at Tweed Border Association - we are very thankful to those fantastic ambassadors of hockey!
- Well represented at State and National level with the number of players selected in respective teams and squads. We are fortunate to have a small band of dedicated and knowledgeable coaches in our local hockey academy program, along with National players Savannah and Madison Fitzpatrick and Gabrielle Nance, Oliver Crane and guest coaches; Burras players Kurt Lovett from NSW, Max Hendry from Victoria and Blades player Simon Borger.
- New scoreboard was installed for Turf 2 during the year and finally wired up just in time for the finals and Grand Finals.
- Co-hosted the 2016 Jupiter's Pan Pacific Masters Hockey Games with Gold Coast in November with great hockey and sportsmanship on display all week. A massive "thank you" to everyone that worked tirelessly to make the event a success.
- We all really need to work together to guarantee a great future of hockey for our children and grandchildren.



HQ OPERATING COMMITTEES REPORTS

Hockey Queensland Women's Masters Committee

- Continued to work positively with HQ staff, HQ Technical Operating Committee and HQ Umpires' Committee to promote and support Women's Masters activities
- Shared current information with all Women's Masters players through our website and Facebook
- Communicated relevant Hockey Queensland and Hockey Australia information via HQ Women's Masters network of Association Delegates
- Met with Association Delegates at the State Championships to share initiatives and gain feedback
- Provided support to Bundaberg Hockey Association who hosted an outstanding 2016 HQ Women's Masters Championships with 46 teams participating
- Introduced pre-championship optional trials for players eligible for selection in Over 55, Over 60 and Over 65 Qld teams, with over 40 players trialling
- Selected eight teams to compete in the 2016 National Women's Masters Championships in Hobart, including a team in Over 35, Over 40, Over 45, Over 50, Over 55, Over 60, Over 65 team in the Inaugural HA Over 65 Championship and a second team in Over 55 age Championship
- Carried out state wide fitness tests to ensure all players were free of injuries which would adversely affect their and the team's performance at the National Championships
- Introduced the role of Contingent Coordinator (Karin Walduck appointed) to oversee the management of eight state teams
- Reviewed yearly activities and revised 2016 HQ Women's Masters Handbook
- Promoted TeamQLD by appointing Jenny Tidey OAM as HQ Ambassador to the Queensland teams competing at the National Women's Masters Championships.

Linda Hunter, Chair

Umpire Committee

Queensland Hockey Umpires enjoyed another successful year of Officiating in 2016.

A highlight in the year of the Olympic Games in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, was our own Adam Kearns officiating in Rio and being named Reserve for the Gold Medal match! Adam also umpired a very important match in the Quarter Finals between Spain and Argentina (the eventual Gold Medal winners) and this game always proves to be very competitive between these "hot headed teams". While HQ have seen two female umpires at Olympic Games, Adam is our first male umpire to achieve this success. Congratulations to Adam!

Three of our well-known International Umpires, Lynn Cowie-McAlister, Dino Willox and Irene Clelland announced their retirement from International and National Officiating this year and we wish them well as they pursue other roles in life and hockey officiating. We also acknowledge Jan Hadfield's (PB) contribution to hockey on her retirement from international duties.

Internationally, a significant number of Queensland Officials were selected in a number of International Tournaments and Test matches.

National Officiating appointments, in both Indoor and Outdoor hockey, show Queensland as one of the dominant States for Officials being appointed to National Championships.

Our Committee recognises the contribution of a number of people who are selected in either or both International and National Tournaments and who also take the time to Coach our Umpires at our State Championships and Challenges. Together with our many tireless volunteers, who also attend our State Tournaments, our focus is to provide the up and coming umpires with quality coaching and advice to ensure Queensland is very well placed to continue performing strongly in all areas of Officiating.

Together with the development of our players, our officials also make themselves available to officiate at Development Camps and Under-age trials for Queensland selections. Our next step is to increase our coaching at these events and also create Education Sessions for our Umpires to hear from our "Top Level" Umpires and Umpire Coaches. Our Committee encourages all Associations to promote Officiating in their Centres to ensure we continue to see an improvement in the number of young umpires being available to represent their Association at State Tournaments. Initiatives such as the Umpire Mentor Visits are available to all Associations and the earlier the enquiry, the more likely it is that we will be able to meet your request for dates and support.

In all, 2016 was another very successful year for Officiating in Queensland and by Queenslanders!

Lyn Hill, Chair

Technical Officiating Committee

2016 again was a very successful year for technical officials in Queensland, in terms of education, accreditations and appointments. The Committee met in January, February, April, May, July, August and October.

The following technical courses were conducted during 2016:

Hockey Queensland Level 0

Townsville, Brisbane

Hockey Australia Level 1

Cairns, Maryborough, Brisbane

Hockey Australia Level 2

Brisbane

Hockey Queensland Tournament Director's Course

Brisbane

During 2016, the following people achieved various accreditations as detailed below:

Hockey Queensland Junior Judge Certificate

Hayley Anger Redlands Redlands Emma Systa Joanne Park Redlands Bernadette Systa Redlands Townsville Matthew Astbury Tyler Caris Townsville Zachary Judge Townsville Williams McMahon Townsville Cairns Bernie Wienert Katie Pittendreigh Cairns

Luke Brown Sunshine Coast Everard Schenk Sunshine Coast

Deanne Marsden Mackay Zoe Rippinggale Mackay Vicki Spyve Mackay Antoinette Westcott Mackay Henry Lickiss Gold Coast Coutney Stacey-Birch Bundaberg Tricia O'Hanlon Rockhampton Stephanie Pritchard Brisbane Ariana Gough Brisbane Donna Hourigan Gympie Jasmin Collier Gympie Gympie Catherine Parker Nicole Greig Toowoomba Vanda Storie Toowoomba

Hockey Queensland Senior Judge Certificate

Portia Anger Redlands

Hockey Queensland Tournament Director Certificate

Brent Brown Sunshine Coast

Hockey Australia Level 1 Judge
Jessica Cassidy Brisbane
Leisa Whitlock Brisbane
Felicity Dunstan Brisbane
Pauline Alchin Ipswich

Megan McNamara Sunshine Coast
David Starr Sunshine Coast

Christopher Harris Cairns
Janice Noonan Cairns

Hockey Australia Level 2 Technical Officer

Caitlin Gotting Ipswich
Sandra Hayes Gladstone

The following people provided their time and services as Assessors at various Hockey Australia and Hockey Oueensland Tournaments in 2016:

Ronda Nix Lyn Thomas Joanne Greensill

2016 also saw the introduction of the inaugural Hockey Queensland Technical Award fittingly named the Nix-Thomas Award recognising the contribution of Ronda Nix and Lyn Thomas to technical officiating in this State.

Finalists were Joanne Greensill, Ronda Nix and Vicki Warren with Ronda Nix being presented this award in 2016.

Thank you to all Technical Officials across Queensland for your commitment to hockey throughout 2016.

Joanne Greensill, Chair

Indoor Hockey Advisory Group (IHAG)

The Indoor season runs predominately between October and February and therefore across 2016-17.

The IHAG was elected in 2015 for a 2 year term. To ensure the Indoor game in Queensland continues to develop, IHAG conducted a season review in February 2016 which was facilitated by CEO, Louisa Begley. This was a great opportunity to plan and continue to move Indoor forward in Queensland. IHAG commenced monthly meetings in June 2016 and opened EOI's for Coach, Manager and Selector positions for State Teams as well as EOI's for centres to host State Challenges.

2016-17 has seen an increase in the number of Centres who have an Indoor Competition. In addition to Mackay, Rockhampton, Maryborough, Ipswich, Brisbane (both BIHL at Kedron and South Brisbane Vipers at Mt Gravatt) we welcomed Cairns, Toowoomba and Gold Coast as they rejoined the Indoor scene. All reports have been extremely positive and it is exciting to hear of the expansion of the Indoor game.

Thank you to BIHL who hosted both the Open/U21 & U18 Men and Women Challenges on separate weekends. The initiative of having a prize pool for the Open Men and Women's Challenges was a positive move and we hope that this will see continued growth in 2017-18 Challenge. Getting the right combination of dates to gain maximum participation is an ever increasing challenge at the Open level of Competition following AHL and a hectic field season which is reflected by Open Men having a 5 team competition & the Open Women only 3

teams. Comparatively, the Under 18 Men and Women's competitions were the biggest in numbers for some time with 9 men and 10 women's teams.

The Maryborough Indoor Community put their hand up for a massive contribution to Under-age competitions as we had to split the Under 13 competition of boys and girls into two different weekends. They hosted Under 15 Girls, Under 13 Boys and Under 13 Girls over 3 consecutive weekends. The Under 15 girl's competition had 10 teams, Under 13 Boys 12 teams and Under 13 Girls had two pools of 8 teams per pool, a record for our numbers at this level. Well done and thank you to all in Maryborough!

Rockhampton Indoor worked tirelessly to secure a venue at Yeppoon at the eleventh hour to host the under 15 Boys State Challenge with a 12 team competition and we sincerely appreciate their efforts to make this happen - thank you and well done!

To achieve successful State Challenges, we recognise our Host Centres, our Officials - Technical, Umpire Coaches and Umpires. Additionally we recognise our players, the team Coaches and Managers and the State Selectors. All of these people give up an amazing amount of volunteer time to make these events happen and we want you to know you are appreciated.

The Indoor State Teams performed reasonably well across the board at the National Festival of Indoor Hockey held in Wollongong in January.

Thanks to the Coaches and Managers of these teams for their tireless work in both preparation and during the Tournament.

A list of Officials who represented Indoor at the National Indoor Festival of Hockey are listed in Annual Report separately and are acknowledged by the IHAG for their professionalism and dedication to the sport.

Australian Men and Women's Teams toured Europe in 2017 and Australian Squads were announced for the upcoming World Cup in 2018 as well as a Development Squad for both Men and Women with Queensland being well represented. Congratulations to all listed and our best wishes to squad members for your future selection opportunities.

Lyn Hill, Chair



Talent Pathway Programs

High Performance Advisory Group (HPAG)

The HPAG was formed in 2014 with the key objective to facilitate the advice and recommendations from the HPAG to Hockey Queensland on strategic matters pertaining to the talent development pathway, competition and development programs in Queensland.

HPAG currently meets monthly and agendas include a range of matters listed below based on key activities, priorities for the year and specific needs:

- Oversee and provide input into strategic matters relating to competition and development
- Provide recommendations to the CEO across Talent Development, High Performance and Competitions including timing of the annual Events Calendar
- Opportunities to attract visiting teams and/ or potential development tours and linkage into Hockey Australia Player Development initiatives
- Provide advice on innovations to competition formats
- Establish, implement and review a robust, transparent and timely selection process and development pathway system for players, coaches, managers, selectors and officials for HQ teams
- Appoint coaches, managers, selectors and officials based on recommendations from the Operating Committees
- Establish, implement and review the required policies to ensure alignment with national policies and relevance for Queensland.

Greg Richards, Chair

Coach Development

An Advanced Coaching Course was conducted at the Gold Coast in January. The course was a joint Hockey Queensland / Hockey Australia venture overseen by John Mowat, Education Manager Hockey Australia covering high level coaching practices including sports science, psychology and skill development for 20 coaches from across Queensland. It is anticipated that these coaches will now be even more enthusiastic about their coaching and will pass on their newly acquired knowledge to other coaches.

Another great coach development initiative has been coaches' attendance at State Team Trials (U15 and U18) and the Emerging Player Camps to develop coaching skills in a competition environment. This opportunity allows for coach assessment with feedback provided to coaches who may wish to continue to develop to a representative level. Hockey Queensland now ensures Assistant Coaches are appointed to all Queensland Teams from U13 through to AHL. These roles provide excellent development opportunities in a National Championship environment.

The Regional Coaching Directors around the State play an important part in the development of coaches within each centre and do a great job in continuing to bring competent coaches through the Queensland coaching system.

Thank you to all coaches across Queensland for their commitment and contribution to developing players on their pathway.

Barry Vohland, Program Manager Talent

2016 RECORDS

STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS - OUTDOOR

Final Places & Awards

SUPER LEAGUE

Brisbane (10 - 12 June 2016)

Final Placing

Women Men Brisbane Blitz Brisbane Fury South Coast Sharks South Coast Sharks Wide Bay Thunder Central Mudturtles South West Lumberjills South West Lumberjacks Central Mudturtles Northern Storm Northern Storm Wide Bay Thunder

AWARDS

Women

Player of the Tournament: Ashlea Fey Player of the Final: Aleesa Ferguson Leading Goal Scorer: Aleesa Ferguson

Umpires of the Final: Aleisha Neumann, Kerryl Chandler,

Shannon Scott (Reserve)

Technical Officer of the Final: Kerry Liebenberg

Men

Player of the Tournament: Corey Weyer Player of the Final: Blake Wotherspoon Leading Goal Scorer: Cale Cramer

Umpires of the Final: Adam Kearns and Stephen Rogers

Technical Officer of the Final: Vicki Warren

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Sonya Fisher

Technical Manager: Cheryl Kann, Vicki Warren Umpire Manager: Irene Clelland, Allen Schasser Umpire Coach: Lyn Cowie-McAllister, Annette Asplin, Julie Ashton-Lucy, Annabelle Willcox, Lyn Hill Umpire Panel: Aleisha Neumann, Shannon Scott, Kerryl Chandler, Carrie Born, Debbie O'Connell and

Cath O'Brien

Umpire Panel Men: Adam Kearns, Adam Barry, Stephen Rogers, Andrew Hickman, Aaron Gotting, Chris Harris, Tim Boscoe and Jarren Maddocks. Technical Judge Panel: Brent Brown, Joanne Greensill, Rowan Green, Kerry Liebenberg, Joseph Rudolph, Greg Shirvington, John Luff, Ronda Nix OAM, Caroline Schomberg, Sandra Hayes and Sarah Sheppard.

WOMEN STATE OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

Brisbane (30 April - 2 May 2016)

Final Placing

Toowoomba Gladstone Townsville

AWARDS

Player of the Tournament: Aimee Griffiths Player of the Final: Ambrosia Malone

Umpires of the Final: Kerryl Chandler and Kimmi Todd

Technical Officer of the Final: John Luff

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Linda Hunter Technical Manager: John Luff Umpire Manager: Lyn Hill

Umpire Coach: Lynn Cowie-McAlister, Annette Asplin and

Julie Ashton-Lucy

MEN STATE OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

Cairns (30 April - 2 May 2016)

Final Placing

Brisbane Cairns Townsville

AWARDS

Player of the Tournament: Kyle Richardson Player of the Final: Hugh Pembroke

Goalkeeper of the Tournament: David Watts Umpires of the Final: Chris Harris and Tim Boscoe Technical Officer of the Final: Joanne Greensill

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Michael Wiemers Technical Manager: Joanne Greensill Umpire Manager: Adam Barry Umpire Coaches: Andrew Hickman

WOMEN STATE UNDER 18 CHAMPIONSHIPS

Townsville (3 - 5 April 2016)

Final Placing

Div 1 Div 2 Brisbane Mackay Tweed Border Townsville 1 Toowoomba Gympie

AWARDS

Player of the Tournament: Courtney McLaren Goalkeeper of the Tournament: Amber Foster

Best Player Div 1 Final: Jesse Reid Best Player Div 2: Abbey Lammie

Umpires of the Final: Julie Kura and Chantal Manhire Vicky Spice Most Promising Umpire Award: Julie Kura Technical Officer of the Div 1 Final: Jo Greensill

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Lesley Bennett Umpire Manager: Andrea Farren

Umpire Coaches: Irene Clelland and Lyn Hill

MEN STATE UNDER 18 CHAMPIONSHIPS

Tweed Border (3 - 5 April 2016)

Final Placing

Div 1Div 2Brisbane 1Brisbane 2IpswichGladstoneTweed BorderSunshine Coast

AWARDS

Player of the Tournament: James Easton Best Player Div 1 Final: Harry Kettlewell

Best Player Div 2: Matt Petzer

Goalkeeper of the Tournament: Connor Lanigan

Umpires of the Final Div 1: Michael Boyd & Charlie Ibell

Umpires of the Final Div 2: Jack Lickiss &

Nathan Bristow

Colin Crain Most Promising Umpire Award: Michael Boyd

Technical Officer of the Final: Stuart Duncan

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Karen Fechner Technical Manager: Michael Wiemers Umpire Manager: Andrew Hickman

Umpire Coaches: David Black, Chris Harris and

Stephen Rogers

GIRLS STATE UNDER 15 CHAMPIONSHIPS

Gympie (18 - 21 September 2016)

Final Placing

Div 1Div 2Div 3Tweed BorderRockhamptonGold Coast 2Brisbane 1BundabergToowoomba 2Brisbane 2Brisbane 3Townsville 2

AWARDS

Player of the Tournament: Charlotte Mitchell

Best Player Div 1 Final: Ella Schulz Best Player Div 2: Jessica Moffat Best Player Div 3: Jordyn Cameron Rising Star Award: Michaela Bryant

Goalkeeper of the Tournament: Evie Dalton
Umpires of the Final Div 1: Natasha Cotton and

Harrison Parker

Umpires of the Final Div 2: Caylan Graham and

Ariana Gough

Umpires of the Final Div 3: Jasmin Collier and

Caitlin Wilson

Young Aspiring Umpire Award: Ariana Gough Technical Officer of the Final Div 1: Vicki Warren Technical Officer of the Final Div 2: Sarah Sheppard Technical Officer of the Final Div 3: Kirsty Butler

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Linda Hunter Technical Manager: Vicki Warren Umpire Manager: Sandra Hayes

Umpire Coaches: Aleisha Neumann, Julie Ashton-Lucy,

Kerryl Chandler and Helen Kura

BOYS STATE UNDER 15 CHAMPIONSHIPS

Mackay (18 - 21 September 2016)

Final Placing

Div 1Div 2Brisbane 1GympieRockhamptonRedlandsToowoombaGladstone

AWARDS

Player of the Championship: Michael Doan

Best Player Div 1 Final: Liam Hart Best Player Div 2: Riley Bambling Rising Star Award: Diarmid Chappell

Goalkeeper of the Tournament: Matthew Reichardt Umpires of the Final Div 1: Declan Mulherin and

Jackson Freeman

Umpires of the Final Div 2: Hayden Michel and

Bailey Frost

Young Aspiring Umpire Award: Jackson Freeman Technical Officer of the Final 1: Peter Thomas Technical Officer of the Final 2: Sharon Turner

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Lesley Bennett Technical Manager: Joseph Rudolph Umpire Manager: Brent Brown

Umpire Coaches: David Black, Michael Wiemers and

Ian Mundy

GIRLS STATE UNDER 13 CHAMPIONSHIPS

Hervey Bay (26 - 29 June 2016)

Final Placing

Div 1Div 2Div 3Fraser Coast 1GladstoneGold Coast 2Brisbane 1Brisbane 3RedlandsCairns 1GympieWarwick

AWARDS

Player of the Tournament: Hannah Cullum-Sanders

Best Player Div 1 Final: Annelyse Tevant Best Player Div 2: Charli-Rose Adams Best Player Div 3: Charli Mackinder

Goalkeeper of the Tournament: Jordan Bliss

Rising Star Award: Charli Woosnam

Kim Thomasson and Julie Ashton-Lucy Most Improved

Umpire Award: Abby Eleison

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Vicki Warren Technical Manager: Sarah Sheppard Umpire Manager: Andrea Farren

Umpire Coaches: Leah Ashford and Lyn Hill Umpires of the Final Div 1: Jordn Office and

Abby Eleison

Umpires of the Final Div 2: Jack Castle and

Brook Addison

Technical Officer of the Final Div 1: Jeff Deakin,

Greg Shirvington and Patricia Hansen

Technical Officer of the Final Div 2: Greg Shirvington,

Lesley Duncan and Will Lomas

BOYS STATE UNDER 13 CHAMPIONSHIPS

Sunshine Coast (26 - 28 June 2016)

Final Placing

Div 1 Div 2
Brisbane 1 Brisbane 2
Fraser Coast 1 Tweed Border
Toowoomba 1 Bundaberg

AWARDS

Player of the Tournament: Zac McCoombes

Best Player Div 1 Final: Ben Ward Best Player Div 2: Bailey Charlesworth Goalkeeper of the Tournament: Max Robson

Rising Star Award: Oliver Harding

Most Improved Umpire Award: Harry Lickiss

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Brent Brown Technical Manager: Kerry Liebenberg Umpire Manager: Stephen Chappell

Umpire Coach: Jack Lickiss and Jaimie Brown Umpires of the Final Div 1: Hudson Matthews and

Kyle Jackson

Umpires of the Final Div 2: Tarack Chappell and

Harrison Parker

Technical Officer of the Final Div 1: Kerry Liebenberg Technical Officer of the Final Div 2: Kirsty Butler

WOMEN STATE MASTERS CHAMPIONSHIPS

Bundaberg (22 -24 July 2016)

Final Placing

Div 1 Div 3 Div 2 Brisbane 1 Maryborough 1 Gympie 1 Tweed Border 1 Tweed Border 2 Bundaberg 1 Toowoomba 1 Townsville 1 Gladstone 1 Division 4 Division 5 Division 6 Mount Isa Tweed Border 3 Mackay Mackay 2 Ipswich 3 Sunshine Coast 4 Atherton 1 and Gympie 2 and Gladstone 2

AWARDS

Brisbane 5

Player of the Tournament: Sue Marcussen Player of Division 1 Final: Sharon Hutchinson

Bundaberg 2

Best Player Division 2: Belinda Kenny Best Player Division 3: Susan Kendell Best Player Division 4: Marissa Dower Best Player Division 5: Aleisha Halls Best Player Division 6: Lesley Todd

Umpires of Division 1 Final: Brent Brown and

Zak Pavne

Umpires of Division 2 Final: Andrea Farren and

Dakoda Kays

Umpires of Division 3 Final: Caylan Graham and

Cortney Claridge

Umpires of Division 4 Final: Christina Nipperess-Sims

and Harrison Parker

Umpires of Division 5 Final: Helen Lowry and

Zoe Rendall

Technical Officer Div 1 Final: Vicki Warren

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Ronda Nix OAM Assistant Tournament Director: Cheryl Kann

Technical Manager: Vicki Warren

Assistant Technical Managers: Jeffrey Deakin,

Sarah Sheppard and Lesley Duncan Umpire Manager: Bernadette Gotting

MEN (35+) STATE MASTERS CHAMPIONSHIPS

Rockhampton (3 - 5 June 2016)

Final Placing

Warwick Hervey Bay Townsville

MEN (40+, 50+) STATE MASTERS CHAMPIONSHIPS

Ipswich (8-11 May 2015)

Final Placing

Div 1 (40s) Div 2 (40s) Div 1 (50s) Div 2 (50s) Brisbane 1 Toowoomba 1 Mackay Cairns Brisbane 2 Cairns Townsville Redlands **Ipswich** Brisbane 3 Gold Coast Fraser Coast

STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS - INDOOR U21 / OPEN INVITATIONAL CHALLENGE

Men & Women, Brisbane (21 - 30 October 2016)

Final Placing

Women Men
The Mighty Ducks FTB

Rockhampton Cocky Cobras

Maryborough Marvel

AWARDS

Women

Player of the Tournament: Lindsey Howard

Men

Player of the Tournament: David Spence

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Bernadette Gotting Technical Manager: Sarah Sheppard Umpire Managers: Irene Clelland Umpire Coach: Annabelle Willox

WOMEN STATE UNDER 18 INDOOR CHALLENGE

Brisbane (21 - 23 October 2016)

Final Placing

Maryborough

Flaming Ferrets

Brisbane Blue and South Brisbane Vipers 1

AWARDS

Player of the Tournament: Hannah Casey

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Brent Brown Technical Manager: Lesley Bennett

Umpire Managers: Lyn Hill

Umpire Coaches: Stephen Chappell

MEN STATE UNDER 18 INDOOR CHALLENGE

Brisbane (28 - 30 October 2016)

Final Placing Goal Diggers Ipswich

Mudskippers and Brisbane United

AWARDS

Player of the Tournament: Benjamin Edwards

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Bernadette Gotting Technical Manager: Sarah Sheppard Umpire Managers: Mark Pilkington

Umpire Coaches: Lyn Hill

GIRLS STATE UNDER 15 INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

Maryborough (4 - 6 November 2016)

Final Placing

Maryborough Orange

Rockhampton

South Brisbane Vipers 1

AWARDS

Player of the Tournament: Imogen Turner Umpires of the Final: Kristen Schenk and

Cortney Claridge

Technical Officer of the Final: Linda Hunter

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Vicki Warren Technical Manager: Linda Hunter

Umpire Manager: Lyn Hill Umpire Coach: Sioux Sharpe

BOYS STATE UNDER 15 INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

Maryborough (5 - 6 November 2016)

Final Placing

Jade Jinjas

Toxic Sushi

Rockhampton Black

AWARDS

Boys

Player of the Tournament: Zac Profke

Umpires of the Final: Natalie Walker and Blake Kroning

Technical Officer of the Final: Darren Cavanagh

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Joseph Rudolph Technical Manager: Darren Cavanagh Umpire Manager: Stephen Chappell Umpire Coach: Carter Chappell

GIRLS STATE UNDER 13 INDOOR CHALLENGE

Maryborough (18 - 20 November 2016)

Final Placing Div 1 Final Placing Div 2

Mackay 1 Livermore Rising Stars

Maryborough Orange Maryborough Blue

South Brisbane Vipers 1 South Brisbane Vipers 3

South Brisbane Vipers 2 Brisbane Yellow

AWARDS

Player of the Tournament: Claire Colwill

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Lesley Bennett Technical Manager: Vicki Warren

Umpire Manager: Lyn Hill

Umpire Coach: Stephen Chappell

BOYS STATE UNDER 13 INDOOR CHALLENGE

Maryborough(11 - 13 November 2015)

Final Placing

Maryborough Orange

Ipswich Mackay

Gladstone Titans

AWARDS

Player of the Tournament: Diarmid Chappell

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Vicki Warren Technical Manager: Kerry Liebenberg Umpire Manager: Stephen Chappell Umpire Coach: Tarack Chappell



AHL BLADES

Within the playing group we had new challenges this year, as players weren't available due to commitments in Europe and some former key players had injuries For us this was a great opportunity to give seven new players a chance to play for the Blades for the first time.

People have commented that the Blades "weren't very successful this year." Yes that maybe said, but again success can be measured in different ways.

In the team, three players were named in the Junior World Cup team, two new players were named in the National Development squad and five players were named in the national squad.

AHL 2016 was the start of new era with four international teams playing in the tournament, India, two Malaysian teams and a New Zealand team. The new teams set new challenges for the coaching staff and as a playing group, it was the unknown as we had never played some of these teams before.

First game was against NSW. I felt the game was pretty even and the statistics backed that up. But we had more missed opportunities. At this level of hockey, those missed chances will in the end come back to bite you and with the competition being so cut-throat, you may not get another chance.

The second game was against Malaysia Tigers. We had played them previously in Brisbane and a number of players from that series were playing in Perth. I felt that it was a better game for us compared to the game against NSW as we took the chances we had created. The statistics indicated that we could have scored more, so again missed opportunities.

QLD attacking circle entries (29) Goal shots (24) Attacking corners (9) Goals (5), whereas our defence showed that we restricted them: MSYS Attacking circle entries (12) Goal shots (6)

attacking corners (3) Goals (2)

Game three was against Victoria. It was a crunch game for us, so we couldn't lose this one or we would be playing in the bottom half. The statistics would show that maybe we should have won this game, but to Victoria's credit they scrambled well and we weren't clinical enough in front of the goal box and we turned over the ball in crucial parts of the field giving Victoria great attacking opportunities.

QLD attacking circle entries (39) Goal shots (11) Attacking corners (0) Goals (3) Victoria attacking circle entries (30) Goal shots (7) attacking corners (5) Goals (5) Game four was against Northern Territory. We knew at this point that we were out of the top two in our pool so all we could do was to keep on winning and hope that there was an upset in one of the remaining games. I felt that the connection/movement through the mid-field was giving us a really good platform to go forward but again I think we weren't clinical enough. Defensively in the second half I felt that we gave them too much space which in turn put pressure on us defensively. I think we came out with the result that we were looking for but I thought the team could have played better.

Game five was against New Zealand our last round match. Win or lose this game it wouldn't make a difference to getting into the top two as Victoria and NSW had won their last two games. I felt that we played with a lot more freedom, pressing forward, getting good steals from their back four and going forward with flow.

Game six was against Tassie Tigers in the first crossover. Tassie have always been a team that we struggle with and as a team we wanted to finish as high as we could so this was an important game.

Game seven, we played off against Malaysia Tigers again for fifth and sixth. We wanted to finish on a good note so we were keen to play well. We started well, scoring early but I think we relaxed thinking that the game would come to us. The Malaysians come back in the third quarter and scored 2 goals. In that same quarter we equalised and scored anther 2 goals in 4th quarter.

QLD attacking circle entries (24) Goal shots (8) Attacking corners (4) Goals (4) Malaysia Tigers attacking circle entries (26) Goal shots (11) attacking corners (5) Goals (2)

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Hockey Queensland for allowing me to coach the Queensland Blades. We have been so successful over the years, because of the support staff that travel with the teams Matthew Wells, Peter Searston, Trish King and Jessie Buntine. I'd like to thank them all for the hard work they put in before and after the tournament.

I will finish with a big thanks to all players in the AHL squad. All players were competitive, and I felt that everyone contributed to the group.

Mick Evans

AHL SCORCHERS

Once again I am grateful for the opportunity to be the Head Coach of one of Australia's Premier female domestic sporting teams. Being able to build on the culture and success of 2015's campaign had enormous benefits but also presented its challenges.

I would like to thank the other Performance Enhancement Team that worked with the players during the preparation and at the Championships. Kim Tuckwell - Forwards Coach/Manager, Ben Currie - Physiotherapist, Marni Simpson - Video Analyst and Assistant Coach, Des King. This team of professionals understand what is required at this level to be successful and challenged the athletes to not defend their title, but to win it for themselves.

Prior to departure to Perth, special mention goes to the excellent staff that provided expert coaching to the group. Thank you to specialist coaches that worked with our group in the build-up. Mathew Smith, Stephen Lambert, Angie Lambert, Nikki Taylor and the outstanding physiological preparation from David Watts and Technical Assistance of Trish King.

Congratulations are extended to all the players involved in their successful campaign and becoming the 2016 AHL Champions. Having seven new players to the team that won in 2015 presented a completely different dynamic to the playing group and required a change in our playing structure.

The significance of this change in playing group is monumental. The seven outgoing athletes were highly experienced Australian representatives and were replaced by first year AHL rookies!! The high fundamental skill level of the rookies, allowed us to create a playing style that we felt would bring us success. The performance and leadership of Jodie Kenny and Jordyn Holzberger, was pivotal in enabling the rookies to contribute to the team's performance.

Matches

- TAS 2-0. Played on Pitch 2 and a test for the new players. Goals to Jodie Kenny and Renee Taylor
- WA 0-2. Oddly enough this game set us up for the remainder of the tournament. It demonstrated how the top teams were going to play against us and I knew we had the quality players that would be able to execute the required changes to our playing style.

- NT 3-0. Tough game against quite a few other Queenslanders. A good follow up game after them seeing what WA had been able to execute against us. Although not really challenged, it was good to bounce back. Britt Wilkinson scored her first goal and Jordyn Holzberger and Savannah Fitzpatrick also scored.
- NZ 5-0. Superior fitness levels were clearly evident in this match. Although it was good to get the goal difference up, this was assisted by outstanding goalkeeping from both Audrey Smith and Clare Commerford. Goal Scorers Rosie Malone, Britt Wilkinson, Jodie Kenny, Madison Fitzpatrick 2.
- ACT 2-1. Tough match against a tough opponent. Good timing in the tournament to be challenged in this fashion. Defence was excellent allowing us to take confidence into the finals. Goals - Jordyn Holzberger, Rosie Malone.
- NSW 2-0. NSW had the team with the best players at the tournament but at the moment, they struggle mentally against the Scorchers. Goals -Bec Greiner, Jodie Kenny but the match was set up by excellent defensive structure and a very good game from Audrey Smith.
- Championship Match v VIC. 3-2. After again getting behind by an early goal, the team went about getting themselves into the match. This was difficult given that the occasion was proving to be very big for the new players. After defending 8 penalty corners in a row just prior to half time, one sensed that the tide had turned. After half time we were able to equalize off a penalty corer and you could feel the wind go out of the Vic's sails. A field goal followed by another PC goal put the result beyond doubt. Champions again!!

 Goals Savannah Fitzpatrick, Bec Greiner, Jodie Kenny.

A standout performance given the playing list. A big thank you to Des King for the way that he organised the tour, the team and the staff.

Lee Bodimeade





STATE TEAMS & PLACINGS

For a full listing of 2016 National Championship Teams, Results and Awards, visit the Hockey Queensland website - www.hockeyqld.com.au

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS - OUTDOOR Final Places

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Women - Queensland Scorchers	Perth	1st
State U21 Team	Sydney	1st
State U18 Team #1	Launceston	1st
State U18 Team #2	Launceston	5th
State U15 Team #1	Wollongong	1st
State U15 Team #2	Wollongong	7th
State U13 Team (Cinders)	Perth	7th
State U13 Team (Embers)	Perth	8th
State Masters 35+ Team	Hobart	1st
State Masters 40+ Team	Hobart	2nd
State Masters 45+ Team	Hobart	4th
State Masters 50+ Team	Hobart	3rd
State Masters 55+ Team #1	Hobart	2nd
State Masters 55+ Team #2	Hobart	6th
State Masters 60+ Team	Hobart	3rd
Country	Darwin	2nd
Men - Queensland Blades	Perth	5th
State U21 Team	Sydney	3rd
State U18 Team #1	Launceston	7th
State U18 Team #2	Launceston	8th
State U15 Team #1	Wollongong	1st
State U15 Team #2	Wollongong	6th
State U13 Team (Cutters)	Perth	6th
State U13 Team (Sabres)	Perth	4th
State Masters 35+ Team	Adelaide	2nd
State Masters 40+ Team	Adelaide	2nd
State Masters 45+ Team	Adelaide	6th
State Masters 45+ Team Div 2	Adelaide	1st
State Masters 50+ Team	Adelaide	5th
State Masters 50+ Team Div 2	Adelaide	2nd
State Masters 55+ Team	Adelaide	2nd
State Masters 55+ Team Div 2	Adelaide	3rd
State Masters 60+ Team 1	Adelaide	2nd
State Masters 60+ Team 2	Adelaide	6th
State Masters 65+ Team	Adelaide	3rd
State Masters 70+ Team	Adelaide	4th
State Masters 75+ Team	Adelaide	4th
Country	Darwin	4th

WOMEN

QUEENSLAND SCORCHERS

Clare Comerford	Kirstin Dwyer
Aleesa Ferguson	Ashlea Fey
Madison Fitzpatrick	Savannah Fitzpatrick
Morgan Gallagher	Rebecca Greiner
Jordyn Holzberger	Madeleine James
Jodie Kenny	Kazzia Lammon
Ambrosia Malone	Tegan Richards
Audrey Smith	Jamie Stone
Renee Taylor	Britt Wilkinson
Coach: Lee Bodimeade	Manager: Kim Tuckwe

Coach: Lee Bodimeade Manager: Kim Tuckwell Physio: Ben Currie

STATE UNDER 21

Hannah Astbury	Tiana Barrett
Rhiannon Baxter	Elne Bezuidenhout
Caitlin Day	Ainslee Deeth
Layla Eleison	Jade Emblem
Aleesa Ferguson	Savannah Fitzpatrick
Morgan Gallagher	Rebecca Greiner
Hannah Lowry	Ambrosia Malone
Morgan Mathison	Renee Taylor
Caitlyn Whipp	Britt Wilkinson
Coach: Des King	Manager: Kris Hooley

A/Coach: Nikki Taylor & Matt Smith

STATE UNDER 18 TEAM 1

Hannah Astbury	Annie Collins
Casey Dolkens	Layla Eleison
Genevieve Ferguson	Tara Fitzpatrick
Abbey Lammie	Charlee Livesey
Ambrosia Malone	Lindsay Mathison
Ashlyn McBurnie	Courtney McLaren
Gabrielle Nicholls	Jesse Reid
Zoe Smart	Caitlyn Whipp
Emily Witheyman-Crump	Katie Wollstein
Coach: Lisa Morgan	Manager: Kelly Moore

A/Coach: Emma McCulloch

STATE UNDER 18 TEAM 2

Elne Bezuidenhout	Hannah Casey
Lily Collier	Johannah Goschnick
Lauren Hess	Jade Jeffrey-Prestwich
Christina Manumua	Sarah-Jane McCann
Kelly McNamara	Hannah Nolan
Ebony O'Brien	Jenna Punch
Holly Ryan	Chloe Saddler
Siubhan Slater	Kirra Smith

Kacie Trost

Coach: Kerrie Schmidt Manager: Charlie Barrett

STATE UNDER 15 TEAM 1

Emily Caton Dayle Dolkens Abby Eleison Alyssa Ferns Kendra Fitzpatrick Ruby Harris Mackenzie McAvoy Charlotte Mitchell

Jade Reid Brooke Saddler Annetta Sedusdua Jade Smtih Laney-Belle Smith Zoe Smith Shae Staples Brianna Suey

Manager: Shannon Armbruster Coach: Steve Lancaster

A/Coach: David Long

STATE UNDER 15 TEAM 2

Talicia Canty Anniston Chappell **Evelyn Dalton** Emma Dixon Sophie Gaugg Toni Howlett Gabi McArthur Molly McDonald Jessica Moffatt Phoebe Nixon Ella Shultz Ashley Spry Tatum Stewart Imogen Turner Ella White Janaya Williams

Coach: David Lewis

STATE UNDER 13 EMBERS

Charlie-Rose Adams Hannah Callum-Sanders

Lily-Kate Charles Lani Collins Claire Colwill Tori-Lee Cutts Esther Fleming Stella Harris Kyra Livermore Ivy Matthews Phoebe McCann Jasmin Morrissey Imogen Patterson Jayde Shultz

Abby Toshach

Coach: Candice Luff A/Coach: Regie Fisher

STATE UNDER 13 CINDERS

Chelsea Baker Jordan Bliss Peppa Carter Lily Browning Sarah Cochran Phoebe Fraser Georgina Harris Myka Hassum Tess Henare Madeline Kenny Ailish Mahony Amelia Morgan Charlotte Sterne Katarnia Taylor Annelyse Tevant Georgina West

A/Coach: Elke Swain Coach: Amy Ryan

WOMEN'S MASTERS 35+

Michele Allen Siann Anderson Melody Broad Belinda Cameron Fiona Cameron Bridie Dean Shannon Donald Rosie Friske Vicki-Lee Gibson Naomi Harberger Sherri Kerr Rachel Macready Carly Manning Sharni Mott

Kylie O'Donohue

Coach: Graham Wakefield Manager: Sue Lofts

WOMEN'S MASTERS 40+

Angela Asnicar Sandra Bausch Diane Burton Amanda Cruickshank Debbie Dolan Lesley Fitzpatrick Lisa Grady Darlene Hayden Kirsty Hunter Karin Jinnette Susan Kendall Sue Marcussen Natalie Naumann Rachel Sihota Jolene Smith Amanda Wightman

Tammy Williams

Coach: Janene McCall Manager: Sue Reid

WOMEN'S MASTERS 45+

Cindy Atkinson Carol Bradbury Veronica Cazzola Deon Hemberg Karen Higgins Robyn Larcombe Penny McShane Rebecca O'Neill Natalie Pace Sonya Palmer Cheryl Phillips Sonia Phillips Karen Slockee Joanne Symes

Helen Walls

Coach: Pam Patteson Manager: June Nicholls

WOMEN'S MASTERS 50+

Julie Ashton-Lucy Maree Beaumont Gail Blackman Jo-Anne Bowman Denise Brown Catherine Dichmont Leanne Ferguson Cathryn Forbes Lyn Grulke Karen Iwanuscha Wendy Pearce Martine Martin Sue Rayner Kathryn Richardson

Ingrid Woods

Coach: Di Barrie Mananger: Shelly Cole

WOMEN'S MASTERS 55+ TEAM 1

Debbie Burchard **Belle Davis** Kathy Devitt Diane Fraser Jane Gray Lyn Hill

Kayleen Kirchner Angela Kerklaan-Guliger Wendy La-Chuisa Gail Lomas Michelle De Lorenzi Wendy O'Brien Elizabeth Moffatti Jane Straker

Noreen Walton

Manager: Debbie Brown Coach: Linda Hunter

WOMEN'S MASTERS 55+ TEAM 2

Elaine Badini Lesley Bennett Deborah Creighton Susan Deakin Cheryl Greene Kerri Haines Sally Harper Linda Hicks Colleen Hopper Sue Howard

Carol Jardin Caroline Schomberg Marthy Watson

Yasmin Van Kasteren

Carol White

Coach: Ralph Farlow Manager: Janene Moore **WOMEN'S MASTERS 60+**

Kathleen Anderson Robyn Black
Lynn Bray Donna Gallagher
Jan Makepeace Annie McLachlan
Susan Mott June Nicholls

Vivienne Ohl Myra Reilly
Janette Richards Elizabeth Schiavo
Robyn Sutherland Kaylene Toovey

Megan Ward Gloria Weller

Coach: Pam Nitarski Manager: Patricia Hansen

WOMEN'S MASTERS 65+

Barbara Alexander Vicki Barnard
Jan Galloway Rhonda Goff
Dianne Marsden Shirley McCormick
Bev Nunan Susan Romero
Clare Slocomb Donna Smith
Robyn Sneddon Gail Willis
Verity Wong Judy Woodham

Coach: Judy Keen Manager: Rhonda Bentley

STATE COUNTRY TEAM

Brooke Anderson Nicole Arthy
Lucy Balfour Majella Barnes
Chrissee Benn Haylee Brodin
Ainsley Clanchy Aimee Griffiths
Samantha Hansen Emily Hetherington
Kirralee Monkhouse Keely Murray

Carlie Jane Pearce Sarah Pittendreigh Amanda Ross Natarlia Smith Jessica Switzer Leigh Thomas

Emma Walter

Coach: Marc Pike Manager: Robyn Woods

MEN

QUEENSLAND BLADES TEAM

Jacob Anderson Daniel Beale Robert Bell Simon Borger Scott Boyde Justin Douglas Troy Elder Matthew Finn Ashley Hennegan Tim Howard Adam Imer Shane Kenny Joshua Mynott Hugh Pembroke Rob Reckers Matthew Swann **David Watts** Corey Weyer

Jacob Whetton

Coach: Michael Evans Manager: Peter Searston

A/Coach: Matthew Wells

STATE UNDER 21

Jacob Anderson Jarrod Brown
Joshua Beale Jack Baldwin
Oliver Crane Connor Evans
Harrison Farrell Matthew Finn

Michael Francis Tim Howard
Bradley Hughes Corey Piggin
Joel Rintala Matthew Shaw
Mackenzie Warne Corey Weyer

Blake Wotherspoon

Coach: Matthew Wells Manager: Christian Bourke

A/Coach: Darren Fowler
STATE UNDER 18 TEAM 1

Cade Banditt Carter Chappell Campbell Coghlan James Easton Harrison Farrell Gerrard Ferns Brandon Ford Callum Fitzpatrick Michael Francis Max Harding Matthew Hough Harry Kettlewell Caleb McCoombes Connor Lanigan Liam McKay **Connor Perkins**

Coach: Aaron Harmsworth Manager: Michael Wiemers

Connor Yates

A/Coach: Ben Fitzpatrick

Mark Wilcox

STATE UNDER 18 TEAM 2

Josh Bidgood Tarack Chappell
Oliver Conroy Ellery Dunn
Lewis Fossey Lachlan Hardy
Bailey Hoyland-Meaker Rahul Karri
Joshua Marshall Mitchell Moran
William Padman Aiden Read
Angus Robertson Matthew Sestero

Roy Tucker Jun Sugio
Tate Weyer Lachlan Wilson

Coach: Matt Bartell Manager: Sandra Hayes

STATE UNDER 15 TEAM 1

Jayden Atkinson Kaleb Christensen
Michael Doan Hayden Dorge
Trent Goldstein Liam Hart
David Hubbard Curtis James
Cooper Johnson Benjamin Judge
Ronan McGuire Zac Profke
Matthew Reichardt Angus Sinclair

Coach: Matt Cook Manager: Stephen Hawthorne

Shaun Smith

A/Coach: Nathaniel Milevskiy

Nicolaas Smith

STATE UNDER 15 TEAM 2

Nicholas Bidgood Luke Douma
Cody Dunbar Harrison Finn
Alexander Hough Reuben Kahl
Carter Mogg Benjamin Lowe
Will Mathison Laird McKay
Max Spriggs Luke Randle
Bryce Robinson Matthew West

Kosia Williams

Coach: Dylan Elliott Manager: Mark Dorge

A/Coach: Justin Spyve

STATE UNDER 13 CUTTERS

Ryan Bidgood Ryley Bobart

Diarmid Chappell Bailey Charlesworth

Harrison Douma Jordan Griffin
Luke Howard Paul Hubbard
Will Nielsen Joshua Nixon
Shannon Nyberg Hayden Pease
Damien Rapisard Jarrod Robertson

Ben Ward

Coach: Jordyn Wilson Manager: Adrian Lindsey

A/Coach: Tony Eaton

STATE UNDER 13 SABRES

Jack Bergemann Matthew Browne Clifford Gallaher **Bailey Fletcher** Flynn Hilton Ryan Hughes Zac McCoombes Rhys Mackinder Dylan Quinlan Dylan Rose Ben Redmond Max Robson Kipp Thrupp **Bailey Rutledge** Taj Wright Ryan Wilcox

Coach: Darren Smith & Wes Ferns

MEN'S MASTERS 35+

Adam Byrnes David Cass
Joel Cuming Jamie Dewe
Matthew Hagenbach Joel Helmstedt
Luke Forte Issac Nunn
Andrew Landsberg Chris Martin
Ashley McCullock Nigel Rach

Peter Somers Scott Whitaker

Coach: Scott Whitaker Manager: Vicki Warren

Philip Taylor

A/Coach: Ian Warren
MEN'S MASTERS 40+

Matthew Bradley Jonathon Copland Ben Fitzpatrick Jamie Gibson Jordan Harle Andrew Harrington Stewart Houghton Mich Jeffries **Brad Mathers** Andrew May Dan Mayfield Neill McKean Scott Reid Craig Rew Trov Rossiter Justin Shepherd Manager: Ian Edwards Coach: Gary Porteous

A/Coach: Ian Warren

MEN'S MASTERS 45+ TEAM 1

Ged Aitchison Warren Baker Darren Fowler Shane Becky Jason Fowler Mark Fry Darren Holmes Craig Kadel Peter Keeble Darren Manson David Plant Sean Reid Gordon Summors Matthew Wade Peter Walker Dean Wightman Terry Wode

Coach: Gordon Summors Manager: Glenda Edwards

A/Coach: Regan Wightman

MEN'S MASTERS 45+ TEAM 2

Nigel Blanford Andrew Brunker Peter Cook Stuart Darby Darin Dittman Wayne Follett Aaron Griffin **Brent Kinnane** Brad Kirkwood Glenn Kitto Tim Marsden Michael Lawrence Brian Scholl Dion Sleep **Brendan Stevens** Antony Taylor

Coach: Michelle Sellens Manager: Deanne Marsden

MEN'S MASTERS 50+ TEAM 1

Leon Achilles Mark Albert William Allen Gordon Brown Bruce Buchanan Noel Cavanagh Grant Dale Philip Evans Christopher Fenton Alan Ferguson Paul Gasmier Bill Mackay Chris Pittaway Chris Mogg Andrew Small Mick Tanna

Coach: Paul Gasmier A/Coach: Trevor Gasmier

Manager: Gary Wicks & Tan Buchanan

MEN'S MASTERS 50+ TEAM 2

Geoff Crank Peter Deering Tony Dodd Steven Dodd Terry Elmer Steve Grehan Trevor Johnson Kevin Knight lan Knights Ray Nicol Carri Nicolaou John Paterson **Graham Symes Denis Tierney** David Wilson Alan Voll

Coach: John Paterson

Manager: Sue Nicolaou & Kim Deering

MEN'S MASTERS 55+ TEAM 1

Peter Andrews Simon Carrie **Neil Chaseling** Mark Eiser Alan Harris Ian Hoddinott Gary Lee Malcolm Lindsay Briane Northwood Gil Puckering Jeff Rendell Tracey Rix Bryan Stothard Eddie Schasser Michael Williams **Gary Wicks**

Coach: Gary Lee & Jeff Rendell

Manager: Linda Schasser & Christopher Fenton

MEN'S MASTERS 55+ TEAM 2

Robert Ainslie Robert Barnes Doug Cosh Ian Crookston Terry Disteldorf John Davis Ricki Fitzgerald Tomi Hamalainan Ian Harcla Alistair Hogg Robert Malcolm Philip McLeod Trevor Nicol Vinny Moore Steve Taylor David Todd

Coach: Philip McLeod Manager: Lesley McLeod

MEN'S MASTERS 60+ TEAM 1

John Campbell Errol Deen Mark Elliot Denis Kettle Peter Leather Peter Mann Kevin Meikle Tim Myers Robert Pohlman Peter Quinell Colin Rawding **Greg Richards** Garry Royle Stephen Sawyers Allen Schasser **Geoffrey Turner**

Coach: Ed Anderson

Manager: Stephen Blakeley & Angela Kerklaan-Guliger

MEN'S MASTERS 60+ TEAM 2

Bryan Blacka **Andrew Chambers** Allen Curry George Goodsell Wayne Harris Nigel Hedgcock Rod Hurst Jack Kerklaan Angel Kochi Wayne McPhee Noel Mitchell David Pomfret Richard Senior Geoff Prior John Tibaldi Charles Shewring

Rob Van Nesslerode

MEN'S MASTERS 65+

Neil Charles Sue SeeGarth CrambRay FlintGeoff GebhardAlex GranlundRick HewitsonVern JensenRay LangerJohn O'DonohueDon RichardsKeith RobertsonColin SheppardRonald TippetKeith William Chay

Gil Voysey

Coach: Raymond Bolton Manager: Gary Smith

MEN'S MASTERS 70+

John Bowkett Dick Cummins
Anthonie Dekens Robert Hawke
Marvin Heaston Robert John Claxton

Christopher O'Dempsey Bill Osborn

Barry Mott Robert Ray

Van Richards Smith Laurie Robinson

Russell Tuck Ron Turner

Grahame West

Coach: Robert Rowley Manager: Allanah Rowley

MEN's MASTERS 75+

John Call Noel Condon

Kevin Connor Bob Coverdale

Don Fullelove Brian Lobb

Ian Martin Tony Marshall

Bruce McBryde John McBryde

Tom Peake Charlie Rasmussen

Gill Tweedie Errol West

Coach: Errol Weston Manager: Cath Weston

STATE COUNTY TEAM

Sam Basile Josh Baxter Grant Dilger Daniel Ginnaw Karl Harland Jared Klease Christopher Mantell Joshua McRae Steele Pearce Jay Pavitt Daniel Pittendreigh Christian Ramsey Peter Sceresini Michael Shaw Nathan Smith Ashton Spaulding Jeremy Stephens Nathan Stephens

Coach: Nathan Hooper Manager: Paul Malcolm

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS - INDOOR

Final Places WOMEN

Indoor Open	Wollongong	3rd
Indoor U21	Wollongong	5th
Indoor U18	Wollongong	4th
Indoor U15	Wollongong	2nd
Indoor U13 Fire	Wollongong	1st
Indoor U13 Flare	Wollongong	2nd

MEN

Indoor Open	Wollongong	3rd
Indoor U21	Wollongong	4th
Indoor U18	Wollongong	4th
Indoor U15	Wollongong	1st
Indoor U13 Shots	Wollongong	5th
Indoor U13 Spurs	Wollongong	3rd

WOMEN

INDOOR OPEN TEAM

Clare Comerford Natalie Crick
Minka Elliott Ashlea Fey
Eva Golusin Lindsey Howard
Eden Jackat Trudi Pedersen
Lauren Richards Madeleine Smith
Amy Swann Stef Worner

Coach: Dylan Elliot Manager: Lyn Tucker

INDOOR UNDER 21 TEAM

Brooke Andrews Sarah Collins
Amber Foster Emily Ogle
Maddie Pembroke Sigrid Pembroke
Adriana Silcock Madeleine Smith
Lucy Tynan Monique Yearbury

Nicole Yearbury

Coach: Greg Rendell Manager: Kris Hooley

INDOOR UNDER 18 TEAM

Hannah Casey

Aymee Dowell

Amber Foster

Sarah-Jane McCann

Demi Roser

Kate Springfield

Sarah Collins

Cassie Findlater

Tayla Madden

Ebony O'Brien

Paige Schouw

Nicole Yearbury

Coach: Marc Pike

INDOOR UNDER 15 TEAM

Courtney Black Anniston Chappell
Claudia Dohnt Genevieve Ferguson
Abbey Hill Liberty Humphreys
Courtney Moffatt Aleesha Spyve
Shae Staples Jessie Staples
Tyla Wicks Britney Willie

Coach: Lyn Tucker Manager: Kayleen Smith

INDOOR UNDER 13 FIRE

Jordyn Bliss Ella Brown
Talicia Canty Claire Colwill
Phoebe Hudson Ebonee Moffat
Jordn Office Letitia Paix
Annelyse Tevant Imogen Turner
Keely Walker Rowlande Williams
Coach: Shane Palmer Manager: Kayleen Smith

INDOOR UNDER 13 FLARE

Nikyta Campbell Esther Fleming
Holly Harben Stella Harris
Madeline Kenny Jessica Moffat
Millie Mushan Renee Sweeny
Lucy Watkins Marine Van der Wath

Coach: Cathy Irwin Manager: Janell Chappell

Madeline Wilson

MEN

Abbi Wilson

NATIONAL OPEN TEAM

Matthew Argent Jarrod Bass
Kula Bhullar Aiden Campbell
Corey Cox Patrick Krusi
Adam McClelland Matthew Olive
Dylan Plummer Troy Rossiter
David Spence Jared Taylor

Coach: John Campbell Manager: Grant Mapp

INDOOR UNDER 21 TEAM

Jocob Anderson Simon Bell
Aiden Campbell Paul Comerford
Tom Madden Mitchell Ivory
Hugh Marsden Scott O'Driscoll
Dylan Plummer Blake Rowe
Lachlan Sinclair Jackson Willie

Coach: Matt Bradley Manager: Christian Bourke

INDOOR UNDER 18 TEAM

Jacob Anderson Joshua Baxter

Campbell Coghlan Bailey Hoyland-Meaker

Mitchell Ivory Zac Lawrence
Sam Morgan Daniel Springfield
Jack Turner Jackson Willie
Lachlan Wilson Connor Yates

Coach: Matt Sperring Manager: Greg Carson

INDOOR UNDER 15 TEAM

Tarack Chappell Kaleb Christensen
Caleb Davies Jaedon Evans
Lewis Fossey Liam Hart
David Hubbard Joshua McNamara

Bryce Robinson Chandan Smith
William Treacy Tate Weyer

Coach: Paul Tucker Manager: Stephen Chappell

INDOOR UNDER 13 SPURS

Callum White Diarmid Chappell
Jayden Douma Jayden Friese
Lachlan Plant Logan Templeton
Patrick Smeulders Reegan Weatherhead
Ryley Kroning Ryley Stevens

Sean McDonald Damian Rapisardi
Coach: Justin Brown Manager: Vicki Spyve

INDOOR UNDER 13 SHOTS

Cooper Cabot Declan Baker

Edward Westcott James Weatherhead

Mathew West Oliver Roberts
Paul Hubbard Rhys Mackinder
Sam Systa Stephen Clements

Tyler Newell Will Mathison

Coach: Paul Tucker Manager: Michelle Kroning

2016 U15 AUSTRALIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS



NATIONAL TEAMS / SQUADS SELECTION

National Junior Squad

Women

Ambrosia Malone Rebecca Greiner

Hannah Astbury

Men

Tim Howard Oliver Crane
Joel Ritala Matthew Finn
Corey Weyer Jacob Anderson

Blake Wotherspoon

National Senior Squad

Women

Teneal Attard Madonna Blyth

Jodie Kenny Madison Fitzpatrick

Kristin Dwyer Renee Taylor

Stephanie Kershaw

Men

Mark Knowles Jacob Whetton

Dylan Wotherspoon Matthew Swann

Jamie Dwyer Matthew Gohdes

Daniel Beale

National Development Squad

Women

Murphy Allendorf Jacqui Day
Savannah Fitzpatrick Audrey Smith
Jordyn Holzberger Grace O'Hanlon

Men

Scott Boyde

Junior World Cup

Women

Madison Fitzpatrick Savannah Fitzpatrick Rebecca Greiner Renee Tayor

Ambrosia Malone

Men

Tim Howard Matthew Finn

Corey Weyer

National Fixtures

Women

Annie Collins Layla Eleison

Morgan Gallagher Hannah Lowry

Jade Emblem Morgan Mathison

Caitlyn Whipp Zoe Smart

Ashlyn McBurnie

Men

Michael Francis Harrison Farrell

Cade Banditt

Trans-Tasman - October 2016, New Zealand

Women

Murphy Allendorf Jacqui Day

Ashlea Fey Jordyn Holzberger Kristin Dwyer Audrey Smith

Men

Scott Boyde Dylan Wotherspoon

Robert Bell Daniel Beale

Jacob Whetton

Melbourne Festival of Hockey - November 2016

Women

Murphy Allendorf Jacqui Day
Kristin Dwyer Audrey Smith
Ashlea Fey Jordyn Holzberger

Men

Scott Boyde Daniel Beale

Jacob Whetton Dylan Wotherspoon

Robert Bell

2016 Rio Olympics

Women

Madonna Blyth (Captain) Kirstin Dwyer

Jodie Kenny

Men

Mark Knowles Jamie Dwyer
Matt Gohdes Matthew Swann
Jacob Whetton Daniel Beale

Australian Country Squads 2015/16

Senior Women

Amanda Ross

Emma Walter

Chrissee Benn

Senior Men

Christopher Mantell Jeremy Stephens

Steele Pearce

Peter Sceresini

Jared Klease

Nathan Stephens

Grant Dilger

U21 Women

Ainsley Clanchy Jessica Switzer

Natarlia Smith Lucy Balfour Emily Hetherington

Leigh Thomas Haylee Brodin

U21 Men

Jay Pavitt

Joshua McRae

Christian Ramsey

Masters Hockey World Cup - Canberra 2016

Women 035

Michele Allen Belinda Cameron
Renae Holmes Bel Morrison
Fiona Cameron Jessica Parry

Women 040

Diana Burton
Debbie Little

Shadow

Kate Kretzers

Women 045

Melinda Baker

Shadow

Cindy Atkinson

Sheryl Simpson

Leanne Ferguson

Karen Iwanuscha

Cathryn Forbes

Amanda Cruickshank

Darlene Hayden

Women 050

Julie Ashton-Lucy Sue Henare Ingrid Woods

Terese Kuss Shadow

Jan Saul

Women O55

Ruth Bullen Kathy Devitt
Kayleen Kirchner Elizabeth Moffatti
Megan Ward Diane Fraser

Noreen Walton

Shadows

Angela Kerklaan-Guliger

Denise Brown

Women 060

Susan Mott Myra Reilly

Shadow

Kathy Worth

Men O35

Scott Whitaker Adam Byrne
Philip Taylor Drew Harold

Men 040

Andrew May Brad Mathers
Scott Reid Matt Riley

Danny Mayfield

Justin Shepherd

Peter Keeble Grant Smith

Dean Wightman

Men O50

Men O45

Trevor Cole Paul Gasmier

Shadows

Leon Achilles Mark Kroning

Andrew Small

Men 055

Neil Chaseling

Shadows

lan Hodinott Graham Pickering

Jeff Rendell





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Australian Hockey League Champions Australian U21 Champions Australian U18 Champions Australian U15 Champions





NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL OFFICIALS

INTERNATIONAL

2016 Junior World Cup Qualifier - Men and Women - Gold Coast, Qld 21-24 January 2016

Umpire Manager - Gary Marsh Technical Official - Joanne Greensill

Test Match Series - Hockeyroos vs Great Britain - Bunbury and Perth, WA 12-21 Feb, 2016

Umpire - Bernadette Pangrazio

Test Match Series - Hockeyroos vs China Perth 24-27 March, 2016

Umpire - Lynn Cowie-McAlister

Sultan Azlan Shah Cup - Men - Ipoh, Malaysia 6-16 April, 2016

Tournament Director - Gary Marsh

Hockey World League Round 1 - Men - Singapore 9-17 April, 2016

Umpire - Stephen Rogers

Kookaburras Test match series vs Great Britain - Narrogin and Perth, WA May 2016

Umpire - Adam Kearns

Junior PAN-AM Tournament - Men - Toronto, Canada 20-28 May, 2016

Umpire - Ben de Young

4 Nations Invitational - Women - Darwin, NT 31 May - 4 June, 2016

Technical Officer - Joanne Greensill Judge - Jennie Thompson

Women's Champion Trophy - London, England 18-26 June, 2016

Video Umpire - Annabelle Willox (Dino)

Olympics - Rio de Janeiro, Brazil 6-21st August 2016

Umpire - Adam Kearns

4 Nations Invitational - Men - Melbourne, Vic 23-27 November, 2016

Umpire Manager - Gary Marsh

Hockeyroos Test Series vs India 23-27 November, 2016

Umpire - Bernadette Pangrazio

8th Women's Hockey Junior World Cup - Santiago, Chile 24 Nov - 4 Dec, 2016

Umpire - Aleisha Neumann

Trans Tasman - Australia vs New Zealand - Women 16-20 November

Umpire - Kerryl Chandler

NATIONAL

Indoor Festival of Hockey - Wollongong, NSW January 2016

Open Men and Women -

Assitant Tournament Director - Brent Brown Umpire Manager - (Women) - Lyn Hill Assistant Umpire Manager (Men and Women) -Irene Clelland

Umpire - (Men) - Adam Barry

Under 21 Men and Women -

Tournament Director - Brent Brown Assistant Umpire Manager (Men and Women) - Lyn Hill Umpire - (Men) - Adrian Cross

Under 18 Men and Women -

Assistant Umpire Manager (Men and Women) - Lyn Hill

Umpire - (Men) Zac Hoyland-Meaker

Umpire - (women) Deborah O'Connell; Monique Yearbury

Under 15 Boys and Girls

Umpire Manager - (Girls) - Lyn Hill Umpires (Boys) - Carter Chappell Umpires (Girls) - Miranda McNamara

Under 13 Boys and Girls

Umpire (Boys) - Tarack Chappell; Blake Kroning Umpires (Girls) - Alexandra Richards; Naomi Riggall; Tahlear Templeton

Under 15 Boys - Wollongong, NSW 9-17 April, 2016

Umpires - Chris Ibell; Corey Mogg

Under 15 Girls - Wollongong, NSW 9-17 April, 2016

Tournament Director - Sonya Fisher, Assistant Tournament Director - Brent Brown Assistant Umpire Manager - Bernadette Pangrazio Umpires - Lauren Berndt; Telia Lucht; Peta Wallinson

Under 21 Men - Sydney, NSW 10-17 April, 2016 Umpire - Aaron Gotting

Under 21 Women - Sydney, NSW 10-17 April. 2016

Tournament Director - Jennie Thompson Umpire Managers - Lynn Cowie-McAlister; Lyn Hill Umpires - Carrie Born; Kerryl Chandler; Deborah O'Connell; Leonie Young

Under 18 Men - Launceston, Tasmania 8-17 July, 2016

Umpire Manager - Allen Schasser Umpires - Sam Hamilton; Chris Harris; Harley Schenk

Under 18 Women - Launceston, Tasmania 8-17 July, 2016

Umpire Manager - Julie Ashton-Lucy Umpires - Jessica Fox; Chantel Manhire; Miranda McNamara; Emily Ogden; Kimmi Todd; Monique Yearbury

Australian Country Championships - Darwin, NT 24-31 July, 2016

Tournament Director - Michael Wiemers Umpires - Adrian Cross; Kristen Schenk (Men) Umpires - Jessica Currie; Peta Wallison (women)

AHL - Perth, WA 29 Sept - 9 October, 2016

Men - Umpires - Adam Barry; Stephen Rogers Women - Tournament Director - Joanne Greensill Assistant Umpire Manager - Lynn Cowie-McAlister Umpires - Kerryl Chandler; Aleisha Neumann; Bernadette Pangrazio; Shannon Scott

Under 13 Boys - Perth, WA 29 Sept - 8 October, 2016 Umpire - Lachlan Jennings

Under 13 Girls - Perth, WA 29 Sept - 8 October, 2016

Tournament Director - Jennie Thompson Umpires - Kaitlyn Benson; Zoe Fox; Alexandra Richards

INTERNATIONAL MASTERS

2016 FIH - Masters Women's World Cup - Canberra 30th March - 6th April, 2016

Tournament Director - Ronda Nix OAM Assistant Tournament Director - Brent Brown Technical Officers - Kerry Liebenberg, John Luff, Karen McFarlane, Caroline Schomberg, Vicki Warren Judge - Lesley Duncan, Sandra Hayes, Jo Kempster, Greg Shirvington

Assistant Umpire Manager - Bernadette Gotting Umpires, Melanie Craig, Tina Deacon, Tracey Hollis, Anne Jones, Sioux Sharpe, Kimberleigh Todd, Leonie Young

2016 WGMA - Masters Men's World Cup Newcastle, NSW 3rd -12th May

Technical Officers - Stuart Duncan, Lesley Duncan, Sarah Sheppard

Umpires - Bruce Hockey, Geoff Hollis, Chris Leeder, Michael Lever, Scott Orth, Kristen Schenk

Women's Masters - Hobart, Tasmania 7-15 October, 2016

Assistant Tournament Director - Kerry Liebenberg Assistant Umpire Manager - Bernadette Gotting Umpires - Andrea Farren; Tracey Hollis; Anne Jones; Helen Kura; Julie Kura; Telia Lucht; Kimmi Todd; Naomi Zerner

Men's Masters - Adelaide, SA 24 Sept - 8 October, 2016

Umpire Manager - Michael Lever Assistant Umpire Manager - Allen Schasser Umpires - Richard Arthur; Mark Eleison; Brett Grady; Andrew Hickman; Bruce Hockey; Geoff Hollis; Chris Leeder; Michael Lever; Robert Lewis; Nathan Pardon; Allen Schasser, Kristen Schenk

HONOUR BOARD & AWARDS

2015 Annual Awards

Female Player of the Year Jodie Kenny

Male Player of the Year Matt Swann

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Indoor Female Player of the Year Ashlea Fey

Indoor Male Player of the Year Matthew Pembroke

Female Rookie of the Year Savannah Fitzpatrick

Male Rookie of the Year Hugh Pembroke

Coach of the Year Michael Evans & Lee Bodimeade

Indoor Coach of the YearDylan Elliott

Community Coach of the Year Ken Dohnt

Umpire of the Year Adam Barry

Most Promising Umpire of the Year Kristen Schenk

Association of the Year Hervey Bay

Volunteer of the Year Sonya Fisher

Nix/Thomas Technical Official of the Year Ronda Nix

Life Members Sheila Jones & Karin Walduck

Distinguished ServiceEvelyn Denny, Michael Evans, Cheryl Kann & Pam Lowe

Hockey Queensland Women's Masters Association Awards 2016

Brisbane Helen Hill Brisbane Jenny Tidey OAM Bundaberg Kay Hemus Gladstone Judy Aitkenhead Gold Coast Jeanette Barnard **Ipswich** Lvn Brown Mackay Patricia Hansen Maryborough Myra Reilly Rockhampton Dianne Barrie Sunshine Coast Deb Brown

Hockey Australia Women's Masters State Service Awards 2016

Suzanne Lofts Megan Ward

Hockey Queensland Women's Masters Representative Awards 2016

Gold Award (20 Years)

Rhonda Bentley Linda Hunter

Myra Reilly Graham Wakefield

Silver Award (15 Years)

Karin Walduck

Bronze Award (10 Years)

Cheryl Greene Sue Howard Pam Nitarski Robyn Sneddon

Kayleen Toovey



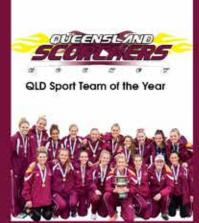






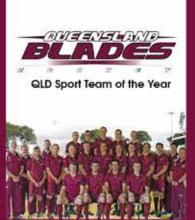


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AUDITED FINANCIAL REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2016

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2016

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HOCKEY QUEENSLAND INC. BOARD OF DIRECTORS REPORT

Your Directors have pleasure in presenting the financial statements of Hockey Queensland Inc. (the "Association") for the year ended 31 December 2016.

DIRECTORS

The names of Directors throughout the year and at the date of this report are:

Steven Stewart (President) Appointed on 19th March 2016 Tara Diamond (Vice President) Appointed on 19th March 2016 Darren Cavanagh Continuing Term Patricia Hansen Continuing Term Appointed on 19th March 2016 Victoria Carthew Graham Astbury Appointed on 19th March 2016 Colin Murphy Appointed on 19th March 2016 Paul Mantell Appointed on 19th March 2016 Karin Walduck Term ended on 19th March 2016 Howson Gush Term ended on 19th March 2016

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The principal activities of the association during the financial year were:

- To grow participation, develop athletes and officials and promote the sport of hockey in Queensland,
- To provide a sustainable, well-utilised facility that support the growth and development of hockey; and
- To promote and implement good governance practices within all levels of the administration of the sport of hockey in Queensland.

SIGNIFICANT CHANGES

No significant changes in the nature of these activities occurred during the period.

OPERATING RESULT

The deficit from operating activities for the year amounted to \$258,128 (for the 15 months ended 31 December 2015 - deficit \$370,947).

LIKELY DEVELOPMENTS

The Association is currently negotiating its existing lease with Brisbane City Council to excise the areas of the lease (the grass fields and Function Area) that are not directly relevant nor conducive to the growth and development of hockey. The new lease arrangements are expected to take effect from April 2017. The Association is also negotiating with another hockey entity to formalise an arrangement to manage the new lease area, being the State Hockey Centre fields and infrastructure from 2018.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors.

Steven Stewart

Paul Mantell

President

Director of Finance

Dated this 17th day of March 2017

INCOME STATEMENT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2016

	Note	Year ended 31 December 2016	For the 15 months ended 31 December 2015	For the 12 months ended 31 December 2015 (unaudited)
		\$	\$	\$
Revenue				
Government Grants	2	386,500	649,746	529,942
Affiliation		10,100	10,550	10,300
Registration		752,894	691,535	691,535
Hockey Australia levy and insurance		458,664	478,328	475,234
Sponsorships	3	95,101	91,101	82,948
State title income		117,230	76,793	76,522
Officiating income		5,840	2,738	1,613
Offset revenue – SHC		40,000	50,000	40,000
Other income	4	77,976	214,980	173,956
	_	1,944,305	2,265,771	2,082,050
				-
Expenditure				
Hockey Australia fees	5	156,628	196,131	158,475
Insurance costs		249,909	361,374	294,402
Association development grants & contributions	6	140,843	146,893	136,168
Coaching travel costs RCD/RDO		7,333	9418	5,305
State title costs		87,449	87,495	79,779
Athlete development	7	21,448	42,066	14,875
Officiating expenses	7	63,460	57,210	57,210
Staff employment costs		660,799	791,713	624,801
Board costs		11,862	10,386	6,789
Marketing and media	8	230,420	203,842	177,585
Administration costs	9	104,899	166,348	137,020
RIHP program costs		148,047	240,465	171,144
Sundry	10	92,015	(75,980)	(52,451)
		1,975,112	2,237,361	1,811,102
Operating surplus/(deficit)		(30,807)	28,410	270,948
	-			2,0,5,10
Depreciation and amortisation		9,004	14,639	10,796
Surplus/(deficit) for the year		(39,811)	13,771	260,152
State Hockey Centre net result	-	(218,317)	(384,718)	(310,378)
Net surplus/(deficit) for the year	19	(258,128)	(370,947)	(50,226)

HOCKEY QUEENSLAND INC. STATE HOCKEY CENTRE OPERATIONS

INCOME STATEMENT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2016

	Note	Year ended 31 December 2016	For the 15 months ended 31 December 2015	For the 12 months ended 31 December 2015 (unaudited)
		\$	\$	\$
Revenue				53.1
Field hire				
Field hire - grass		56,609	50,643	49,628
Field hire - turf	_	424,639	353,839	332,855
	_	481,248	404,482	382,483
Other income				
Hire - Venue		41,278	18,726	15,524
Rental - Other		50,771	55,349	49,018
Sponsorships	3	27,021	61,504	55,872
Fuel tax credit		471	1,005	1,005
Miscellaneous income	_	198	78,063	54,199
	_	119,739	214,647	175,618
	_	600,987	619,129	558,101
T				
Expenditure			CARCAGO A CARCAGO A	
Facility staff employment costs		166,399	184,412	150,420
Marketing & promotions	8	14,611	34,525	27,724
Building operating costs, and repairs and maintenance Administration costs	0	201,722	186,373	203,963
	9	96,288	166,646	134,481
Hockey Qld. reimbursement	_	40,000	50,000	40,000
	-	519,020	621,956	556,588
Facility operating surplus/(deficit)	52. ******	81,967	(2,827)	1,513
Canteen and bar operations				
Canteen & bar income		141,594	222,835	179,884
Canteen & bar expenses	\(\frac{1}{2}\)	141,394	222,833	1/9,004
Cost of goods sold		65,168	103,867	02 142
Staff employment costs		31,382	64,839	83,143 58,353
Start employment costs	9	96,550	168,706	141,496
Canteen and bar surplus	_	45,044	54,129	38,388
and and an pub	-	73,077	34,129	30,300
State Hockey Centre operating surplus	_	127,011	51,302	39,901
Depreciation and amortisation	_	345,328	436,020	350,279
State Hockey Centre net surplus/(deficit)	-	(218,317)	(384,718)	(310,378)

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2016

	Note	31 December 2016 \$	31 December 2015 \$
Current assets		\$	3
Cash	11	275,358	132,712
Receivables	12	390,863	297,257
Inventory	12	12,762	18,543
Total current assets		678,983	448,512
Non-current assets			
Property, plant and equipment	13	2,711,197	3,057,475
Intangibles	14	1,583	7,223
Total non-current assets	14	2,712,780	3,064,698
Total non earlest assets		2,/12,/60	3,004,098
Total assets		3,391,763	3,513,210
Current liabilities			
Payables	15	392,686	236,172
Financial liabilities	16	-	3,640
Revenue received in advance	17	23,897	23,897
Provisions	18	67,018	64,386
Total current liabilities		483,601	328,095
Non-current liabilities			
Provisions	18	11,448	30,273
Total non-current liabilities		11,448	30,273
Total liabilities		495,049	358,368
Net assets		2,896,714	3,154,842
Association funds			
Accumulated surplus from operations	19	2,896,714	3,154,842
Total association funds		2,896,714	3,154,842

STATEMENT OF CASHFLOWS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2016

	Note	Year ended 31 December 2016	For the 15 months ended 31 December 2015
Cash flows from operating activities Receipts from customers and grant providers Payments to suppliers and employees Interest and investment income received Net cash (used in)/provided by operating activities	20 (b)	2,593,106 (2,444,579) 173 148,700	2,780,903 (3,041,259) 397 (259,959)
Cash flows from investing activities Payment for property, plant and equipment Net cash used in investing activities		(2,414)	(203,291) (203,291)
Cash flows from financing activities Repayment of facilities loan Net cash used in financing activities		(3,640)	(25,864) (25,864)
Net increase /(decrease) in cash held		142,646	(489,114)
Cash at beginning of year		132,712	621,826
Cash at end of year	20 (a)	275,358	132,712

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2016

NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES

This financial report is a special purpose financial report prepared for use by the Association's Directors and Members and in order to satisfy the financial reporting requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act 1981 (Queensland). The Board of Directors has determined that the organisation is not a reporting entity.

The requirement of accounting standards and other financial reporting requirements in Australia do not have mandatory application to Hockey Queensland Inc. because it is not a reporting entity. This special purpose financial report has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act 1981 (Queensland) and the following Australian Accounting Standards.

AASB 116: Property, Plant and Equipment

AASB 102: Inventories

AASB 101: Presentation of Financial Statements
AASB 110: Events after the Reporting Period

AASB 1031: Materiality

No other applicable Australian Accounting Standards have been applied.

The financial report has been prepared on an accruals basis and is based on historical costs and does not take into account changing money values or, except where stated, current valuations on non-current assets. Cost is based on fair values of the consideration given in exchange for assets.

The following material accounting policies, which are consistent with the previous period unless otherwise stated, have been adopted in the preparation of this financial report.

(a) Inventories

Inventories consist of uniforms and equipment and are measured at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

(b) Employee entitlements

Provision is made for the Association's liability for employee entitlements arising from services rendered by employees to balance date. Employee entitlements expected to be settled within one year together with entitlements arising from wages and salaries, annual leave and sick leave which will be settled after one year, have been measured at their nominal amount.

Long service leave provisions are calculated once an employee has seven years' continuous employment.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2016

NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

(c) Income tax

The Association considers that it is exempt from Income tax. No provision for income tax has been brought to account on this basis.

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST except as allowable by the taxation authority.

Cashflow is included in the cash flow statement on a gross basis.

(d) Plant and equipment

The Board of Directors records expenditure on plant and equipment as non-current assets.

Plant and equipment are brought to account at cost, less where applicable, any accumulated depreciation and any impairment losses. The carrying amount of plant and equipment was reviewed in the year by directors to ensure it was not in excess of the recoverable amount from those assets. The recoverable amount is assessed on the basis of expected net cash flows, which will be received from the assets employment and subsequent disposal. The expected net cash flows have not been discounted to present values in determining recoverable amounts.

The depreciable amount of all fixed assets including capitalised leased assets, are depreciated over their estimated useful lives commencing from the time the asset is held ready for use.

The depreciation rates used for each class of depreciable asset are:

Buildings and facilities	3% - 40%
Fixtures and fittings	10% - 50%
Office equipment	10% - 40%
Plant and equipment	3% - 40%

(e) Revenue

Revenue from the sale of goods and services is recognised upon the delivery of goods/provision of services to customers.

Revenue from member's affiliations, registrations and insurance is recognised at the beginning of the Hockey season and is based on the number of registered players throughout the Queensland Region. The revenue for member's levies, insurance, registered player's competitions, and some indigenous funding are recorded on a gross basis.

Revenue from government grants and assistance is recognised on a proportional basis taking into account the period for which the grant is given.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2016

NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

(e) Revenue (continued)

Interest revenue is recognised upon receipt.

All revenue is stated net of the amount of goods and services tax (GST).

(f) Provisions

The Association provides for employee entitlements as per Note 1(b) and for the ongoing maintenance/replacement of major facility assets.

The provision for replacement and maintenance is reviewed annually by the board. The Board determines the need for provisioning in accordance with the need for likely future replacement or significant maintenance and sets aside a corresponding amount of surplus funds. The provision is reduced when the replacement/maintenance occurs or if surplus funds are no longer available to meet the provision. Movement in the provision account for other than spending on replacement/maintenance is recorded against accumulated funds.

(g) Comparative information

In 2015, the Association changed its financial year end to 31 December. As a result, the financial period ended 31 December 2015 was 15 months. The financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2016 include comparative information for the 15 months to 31 December 2015. In order for comparative information to be more meaningful, the financial statements also include comparative information for a 12 month period ended 31 December 2015. This information is not audited and is included for information purposes only.

		Year ended 31 December 2016	For the 15 months ended 31 December 2015	For the 12 months ended 31 December 2015
		\$	\$	\$
NOTI	E 2: GOVERNMENT ASSISTANCE			(unaudited)
(i)	Sport & Recreation (State Development Program) grant received and acquitted during the year	300,000	403,131	327,515
(ii)	Indigenous grant income received and acquitted during the year	86,500	246,615	202,427
		386,500	649,746	529,942
the year	& Recreation Queensland funding grant totalled \$300,000 for ar ended 31 December 2016. The grant is brought to account basis of benefit obtained to 31 December 2016.			
	nous Programme Grant comprised of several ongoing and f funding amounts.			
NOTE	3: SPONSORSHIP			
Hocke	y Queensland Sponsorship	95,101	91,101	82,948
State I-	Hockey Centre Operations Sponsorship	27,021	61,504	55,872
	received from Queensland Hockey Major e Corporate Marketing sponsors	122,122	152,605	138,820
NOTE	4: OTHER INCOME			
	pation funding from Hockey Australia ration & insurance - Indoor	36,365 17,513	112,605 13,625	66,219 11,099
	y clinics	19,648	24,452	7,884
	ng School	4,450	-	-
State T	eam al event	-	5,048	35,186
	ement fee – HQ staff time for RIHP	-	4,417 37,500	6,235 30,000
	nous employment	-	11,818	11,818
Hockey	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	-	386	386
Profit o	on sale of asset		5,129	5,129
	_	77,976	214,980	173,956

	Year ended December 2016	For the 15 months ended 31 December 2015	For the 12 months ended 31 December 2015
NOTE 5: HOCKEY AUSTRALIA FEES			(unaudited)
Funds remitted to Hockey Australia are based on the number of			
teams registered in Queensland	156,628	196,131	158,475
	130,020	170,131	130,473
NOTE 6: ASSOCIATION DEVELOPMENT GRANTS & CONTRIBUTIONS			
Association Development Grants	93,636	93,668	93,668
HQ employed RCD/RDO - HQ contributions	47,207	53,225	42,500
	140,843	146,893	136,168
NOTE 7: ATHLETE DEVELOPMENT AND OFFICIATING Athlete development Player welfare Officiating expenses	19,168 2,280 21,448 63,460 84,908	30,537 11,529 42,066 57,210 99,276	6,320 8,555 14,875 57,210 72,085
NOTE 8: MARKETING/MEDIA/PROMOTION			
Hockey Queensland			
Service fee (MLCM)	55,766	51,438	41,237
Marketing consultancy	23,705	29,024	23,152
Mail out	102,933		-
Media	35,474	94,308	94,068
Web	4,946	5,264	3,519
Equipment	6,326	14,108	5,910
Promotion	1,270	3,182	3,182
Other	-	6,518	6,517
	230,420	203,842	177,585
State Hockey Centre Operations			
Marketing consultancy	14,611	34,525	27,724
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	Year ended 31 December 2016	For the 15 months ended 31 December 2015	For the 12 months ended 31 December 2015
	\$	\$	\$
NOTE 9: ADMINISTRATION			(unaudited)
Hockey Queensland			
Purchases	7,356	12,738	12,738
Audit fees	6,500	6,500	12,736
Bank charges	5,547	6,548	5,475
Computer expenses	14,391	23,832	19,941
Conferencing	6,771	4,018	3,637
Consulting	1,182	-	-
Entertainment	989	1,013	1,013
Equipment- lease	5,658	15,242	13,382
Internet cost	2,299	1,692	1,692
Legal fees	7,126	3,190	2,750
Motor vehicle expenses	1,255	6,232	6,232
Photocopy, postage, printing	6,658	12,150	8,283
Staff training	3,751	4,452	2,549
Stationery	2,735	4,517	4,517
Subscriptions and fees	2,350	2,117	1,972
Sundry	5,766	22,857	18,535
Telephone	9,056	11,515	11,515
Travel – CEO and staff	15,509	27,735	22,789
	104,899	166,348	137,020
State Hockey Centre Operations			
Audit fees	6,500	6,500	2,409
Bad debts	100	2,076	2,076
Bank charges & taxes	1415	3,040	2,678
Finance expense – interest	12	1,770	1,197
Insurance	30,271	48,828	40,176
Motor vehicle expenses	216	213	161
Rates – ordinary	346	445	445
Rates – water	47,427	45,932	36,688
Rent/lease	8,146	8,146	
Telephone	1,855	2,840	2,420
Loss on assets written off & life adjustment	-	46,857	46,231
	96,288	166,647	134,481

	Year ended December 2016	For the 15 months ended 31 December 2015	For the 12 months ended 31 December 2015 \$ (unaudited)
NOTE 10: SUNDRY			(**************************************
HQ field usage	73,628	_	_
State Teams	2,709		-
Members forum	4,666	-	-
Promotions	2,345	-	_
Strategic plan project fee	12,750	-	_
Hockey Ed online payment rebate	(4,855)	-	-
Other	772	-	-
ATO refund received for 2013/14	-	(52,508)	(52,451)
Active Inclusion Programme		(23,472)	-
	92,015	(75,980)	(52,451)

	31 December 2016 \$	31 December 2015
NOTE 11: CASH	Φ	3
Petty cash	550	550
Cash at bank	250,605	109,300
Cash in investment account	20,236	20,062
Till & ATM money canteen & bar	3,967	2,800
	275,358	132,712
NOTE 12: RECEIVABLES		
Current		
Trade debtors	140,118	70,202
Prepayments & other sundry debtors	250,745	227,055
	390,863	297,257
NOTE 13: PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT		
Property		
Buildings and facilities	7,003,662	7,003,662
Less accumulated depreciation*	(4,515,821)	(4,207,518)
	2,487,841	2,796,144
Plant & equipment		
Plant and equipment	590,583	594,892
Less accumulated depreciation*	(378,934)	(348,372)
	211,649	246,520
Fixtures and fittings	64,362	64,362
Less accumulated depreciation*	(55,739)	(52,635)
	8,623	11,727
Office equipment – at cost	40,446	38,031
Less accumulated depreciation*	(37,362)	(34,947)
	3,084	3,084
Total plant & equipment	223,356	261,331
Total property, plant and equipment	2,711,197	3,057,475

^{*} See note 22

	31 December 2016 \$	31 December 2015
NOTE 14: INTANGIBLES		
State-wide Facilities Development Plans Accumulated amortisation	28,198 (26,615) 1,583	28,198 (20,975) 7,223
NOTE 15: PAYABLES		
Trade creditors Accruals Taxation liabilities and net GST payable	309,800 83,466 (580) 392,686	140,244 106,456 (10,528) 236,172
NOTE 16: FINANCIAL LIABILITIES		
Facilities loan	-	3,640 3,640
NOTE 17: REVENUE IN ADVANCE		
Brisbane City Council - rebate	23,897 23,897	23,897 23,897
NOTE 18: PROVISIONS		
Current Annual leave Long service leave	53,914 13,104 67,018	53,901 10,485 64,386
Non-current Long service leave Provision for capital replacement	11,448	13,104 17,169 30,273
Total provisions	78,466	94,659

	31 December 2016	31 December 2015
NOTE 19: ACCUMULATED SURPLUS	Ţ.	y
Accumulated surplus from operations: At beginning of financial year Surplus/(deficit) from operations for the year	3,154,842 (258,128) 2,896,714	3,525,789 (370,947) 3,154,842
NOTE 20: CASH FLOW INFORMATION		
a. Reconciliation of cash		
Cash on hand and at bank	275,358	132,712
b. Reconciliation of cash flows from operations with net surplus/(deficit)		
Net surplus/(deficit)	(275,297)	(370,947)
Non cash flows in deficit Depreciation & amortisation	354,332	498,497
Changes in assets and liabilities: (Increase)/decrease in receivables (Increase)/decrease in inventory (Decrease)/increase in payables (Decrease)/increase in revenue in advance (Decrease)/increase in provisions - entitlements (Decrease)/increase in provisions - other, net of equity movement	(93,606) 5,781 156,514 - 976	106,581 1,123 (209,263) (195,340) (27,242) (63,368) (259,959)
	140,700	(239,939)

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2016

NOTE 21: CONTINGENCIES AND COMMITMENTS

Hockey Queensland Inc. earns reward points through the use of credit cards to pay for ongoing operating expenditure. It is the intention of management to redeem these reward points at a future date. Reward points will be utilised to purchase flights for board members and coaching staff travelling on Hockey Queensland business. There were 350,160 points redeemed in 2016. Total Rewards points available for redemption is 296,798 (2015: 575,903).

NOTE 22: EVENTS SUBSEQUENT TO BALANCE DATE

The Association is currently negotiating its existing lease with Brisbane City Council to excise the areas of the lease (the grass fields and Function Area) that are not directly relevant nor conducive to the growth and development of hockey (1). The new lease arrangements are expected to take effect from April 2017. The Association is also negotiating with another hockey entity to formalise an arrangement to manage the new lease area, being the State Hockey Centre fields and infrastructure from 2018 (2).

As a result of the two proposed events noted above, the carrying value of Property, plant and equipment is expected to be significantly reduced. The estimated effect on the carrying value of Property, plant and equipment is as follows:

Total property, plant and equipment as at 31 December 2016 (Note 13)

\$2,711,197

Less:

 Value of property, plant and equipment to be relinquished as a result of the excising of current lease areas

(\$1,168,697)

2. Value of property, plant and equipment that may be relinquished as a result of formalised agreement on management of the new lease area

(\$1,525,355)

Value of property, plant and equipment that will remain as a result of the above two transactions

\$17,145

DECLARATION BY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Board has determined that the Association is not a reporting entity and that this special purpose financial report should be prepared in accordance with the accounting policies outlined in Note 1 to the financial statements.

In the opinion of the Board the financial report as set out on pages 1 to 16:

- present fairly the financial position of Hockey Queensland Inc. as at 31 December 2016 and its performance for the year ended on that date in accordance with the Associations Incorporation Act 1981; and
- at the date of this statement, there are reasonable grounds to believe that Hockey Queensland Inc. will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

This statement is made in accordance with a resolution of the Board and is signed for and on behalf of the Board by:

Steven Stewart

President

Paul Mantell

Director of Finance

Dated this 17th day of March 2017



INDEPENDENT AUDIT REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF HOCKEY QUEENSLAND INC.

Opinion

We have audited the financial report of Hockey Queensland Inc., which comprises the balance sheet as at 31 December 2016, the income statement, statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies and statement by Members of the Committee

In our opinion, the accompanying financial report presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Hockey Queensland Inc as at 31 December 2016, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Associations Incorporation Act 1981 Queensland.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report section of our report. We are independent of the Hockey Queensland Inc in accordance with the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Emphasis of Matter - Basis of Accounting

We draw attention to Note 1 to the financial report, which describes the basis of accounting. The financial report has been prepared to assist Hockey Queensland Inc to meet the requirements of the Associations Incorporations Act 1981 Queensland. As a result, the financial report may not be suitable for another purpose. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Report

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report in accordance with the financial reporting requirements of the Associations Incorporations Act 1981 Queensland and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation and fair presentation of a financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, management is responsible for assessing the Hockey Queensland Inc.'s ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters relating to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Hockey Queensland Inc. or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do SO

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Hockey Queensland Inc's financial reporting process.

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INDEPENDENT AUDIT REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF HOCKEY QUEENSLAND INC. (CONTINUED)

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of this financial report.

As part of an audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to
 fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain
 audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of
 not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting
 from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations,
 or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit
 procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing
 an opinion on the effectiveness of the Entity's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Entity's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial report or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Entity to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial report, including the
 disclosures, and whether the financial report represents the underlying transactions and
 events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

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Partner: Cameron Bradley

Dated: 17 March 2017

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