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Annual Report

Vision Statement

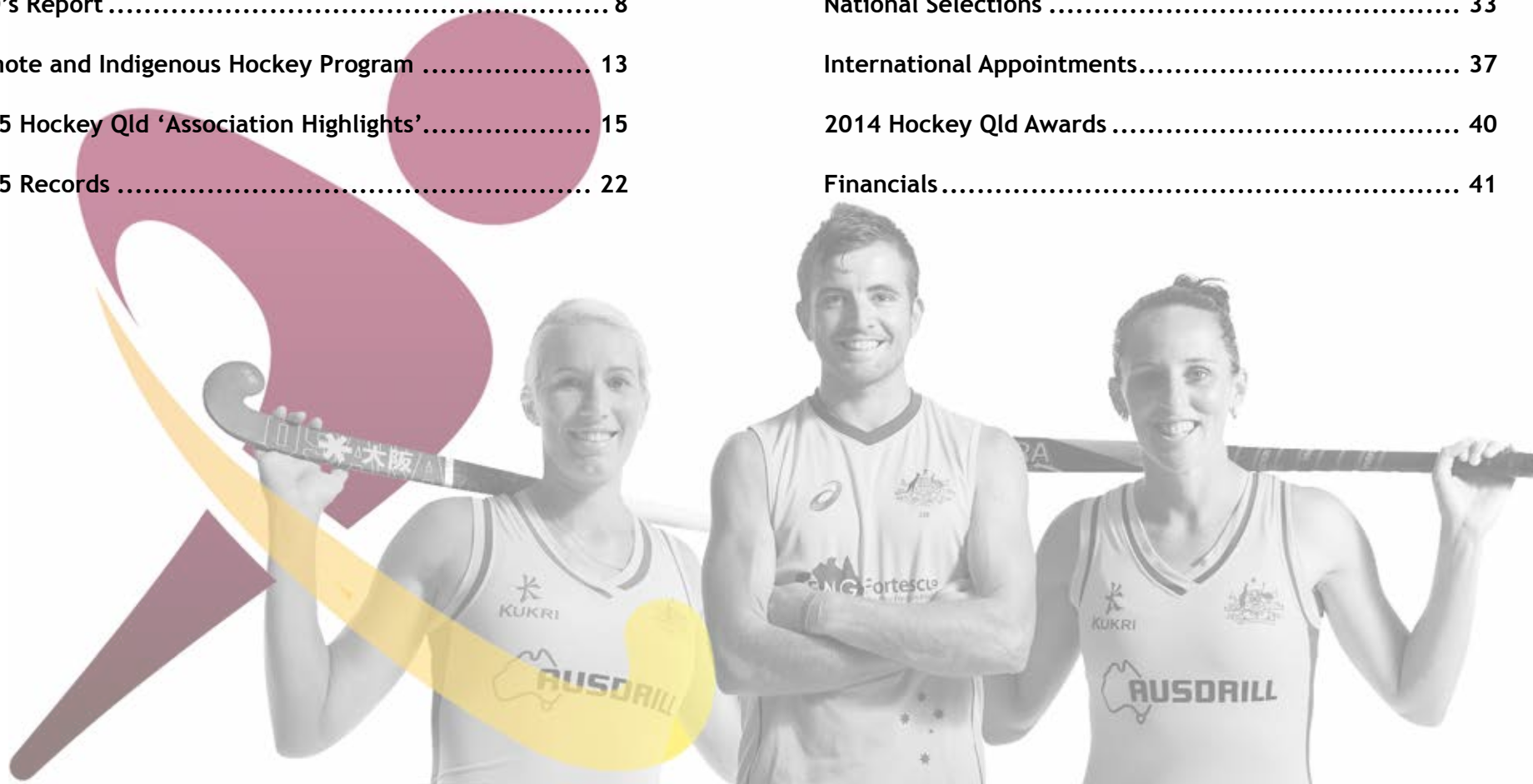
To lead and grow hockey in Queensland.

Mission Statement

To promote, preserve, foster and encourage the growth and enjoyment of the sport of Hockey for Players, Officials and Spectators.

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CHAMPIONS

MEN'S & WOMEN'S
AUSTRALIAN
HOCKEY LEAGUE 2015



**QUEENSLAND
BLADES**

**QUEENSLAND
SCORCHERS**

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Term Starts

November 2013
November 2012
November 2013
November 2013
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November 2014
December 2014
June 2015

Term Ends

March 2016
Resigned Nov 2015
Resigned May 2015
Resigned Nov 2015
March 2016
November 2016
March 2016
March 2016

Staff

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Sonia Boyd, Community Remote & Indigenous Program Manager
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Affiliated Associations

Atherton, Brisbane Women, Brisbane Men, Bundaberg, Cairns, Gladstone, Gold Coast, Gympie, Hervey Bay, Ipswich, Mackay, Maryborough, Mount Isa, Redlands, Rockhampton, Sunshine Coast, Toowoomba, Townsville, Tweed Border, Warwick

Minor Associations

Moranbah

Kindred Associations

Qld Primary Schools, Qld Secondary Schools, Rockhampton Indoor

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Women's Masters Committee

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McInnes Wilson Lawyers

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

What a wonderful way to reflect on twenty years of Hockey Qld as I write my last annual report as President. I have seen the organisation grow and grow since I joined the Hockey Qld Board in 1996 and it gives me no small measure of satisfaction to see not only the progress made, but the achievements of our players, officials and associations, as well as the friendships developed and grown.

There is no doubt that Hockey Qld has maintained its ranking as one of the premier hockey states. It has succeeded in this because of the strong people talent we have throughout the state. Each local association has been able to customise its hockey offering according to local and available resources - players, officials, administrators, volunteers, parents, supporters and facilities. We rely on this infrastructure to produce our successes, and we need to ensure that new initiatives introduced at local, state and national level can be adapted to suit local conditions. We know that one size just will not fit all. The challenge for us all is managing the work required with a mix of local volunteers and paid labour - not always easy, especially when the costs have to be passed on to the players.

Of course, with such a large state, communication is always a challenge - and has been seen to be so ever since I joined the Hockey Qld Board. CEO Louisa Begley and her staff have increased the number of visits to associations to ensure better sharing of ideas and activities. Greater use of media such as FaceBook is being made, and the CEO sends out , via email, a monthly update of activities, as well as a Board report after each Board meeting. Twice yearly Member Forums are also held - their benefit would be enhanced if discussion papers were able to be circulated by associations and/or Hockey Qld beforehand, to enable local discussion and time to address any further questions.

Issues with player and spectator behaviour have increased over the time I have been on the Board and I do not know whether it is because we as a society do not respect authority or because there are more ill-disciplined people in the world. I will leave that with you all to consider.

In November last year we celebrated twenty years of Hockey Qld together with induction of athletes into our Hockey Qld Hall of Fame. It was an opportunity to acknowledge how the sustained success of Hockey Qld over the twenty years is a testament to the many passionate and committed Queenslanders that form our broader hockey community. Consider the hosting of the 1999 Champions Trophy and the 1999 Golden Oldies Hockey Festival, which were major achievements, and when we see the many other International series, National and State Championships that are held throughout the State every year we can be justly proud. I would sincerely like to thank each and every one of you, but particularly past Presidents Jim Quaite and Ken McElligott and former CEO Garry West-Bail who helped to get us to where we are today.

Elsewhere in this report you will be able to find the details of player achievements, team successes, accreditations, awards and accomplishments - please continue and keep up the good work. I would like to close by thanking all the members of the Hockey Qld Board, together with Louisa Begley and her staff at Hockey Qld, with all of whom I have had a great working relationship. And last of all, to the greater hockey community, thank you for your efforts and support and friendship.

Dr Karin Walduck
President
Hockey Queensland



CEO'S REPORT



At the AGM in November 2014, the members voted to change Hockey Queensland's financial year and as a result this annual report covers the period from October 2014 to 31 December 2015. On reflection, so much has happened during this time it was difficult to identify the most significant successes, challenges and triumphs facing our sport in Queensland.

Our focus again this year was on increasing participation numbers and sustaining our programs. The success of the "Get into Hockey" marketing campaign was evident in the increased number of activities that occurred around the state and the additional interest from local media and marketing agencies. The marketing campaign is implemented with a two-prong approach - a state-wide brand awareness campaign which promoted hockey and a customised local campaign which coordinated local recruitment activities and promoted the regional association and club environment.



The results this year were significant. 13% of players registering with Hockey Queensland were new to hockey. Overall, Hockey Queensland's participation numbers grew by 4% which is positive in a climate where organised sport is facing a decline and there is a greater shift to more recreational and social activities.

In addition to the marketing campaign, Hockey Queensland administered a number of activities aimed to increase participation. These included grant funding to members associations to support grassroots participation initiatives; coach, umpire and technical official accreditation courses and mentoring, system development to link into the Sporting Schools program and program expansion of inclusive, remote and indigenous hockey programs.

More specific information on these initiatives is provided in the Game Development section of this report but here is a snapshot of some of the outcomes in 2015:

- ✓ 4% increase in player registrations
- ✓ 2108 Hookin2Hockey participants (66% of target) and 2523 Under 9 players (91% of target)
- ✓ 2463 16-20 year old players (95% of target)
- ✓ 415 coach and official accreditations (86% of target)
- ✓ Delivering hockey programs into more than 50 remote and indigenous communities in North Queensland and expanding the program to communities in south west and central Queensland

Hockey Queensland would like to acknowledge the support of the Queensland Government, the Australian Government, Hockey Australia and our sponsors, which has enabled Hockey Queensland to continue to provide these participation initiatives.

Throughout the year, I again visited a number of member associations. My travels included: Mt Isa, Rockhampton, Gladstone, Cairns, Bundaberg, Sunshine Coast, Gympie, Ipswich, Hervey Bay, Gold Coast, Warwick and Tweed Border Hockey Associations. Thank you all for welcoming me and inviting me to share in some of your local events. I also appreciate the many candid conversations about the issues, challenges and opportunities you face administering the sport. I hope we can continue to work together to address these issues and continue to support each other in our journey to grow hockey.

In this year's annual report, we have included a section which highlights the activities and successes of our member associations. Reading through this section, there is a sense of pride and amazement at the extent of activity associations undertake not only in administering their regional programs and competitions but also managing their facilities. It is evident the growth of our sport in Queensland

will be challenged by the accessibility to quality facilities and it is encouraging to report the considerable investment that has been made into upgrading facilities this past year. I again 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.

It is often difficult to find an opportunity to celebrate all the great things that contribute to the success of the sport each year, so in 2015, Hockey Queensland created a “celebration of hockey in Queensland” around its major event - the Super League competition. Significantly this event was held during the Queensland week celebrations and the program included:

- A Volunteer Thank You Function - to honour and acknowledge all our wonderful umpires and technical officials who give their time to ensure our state championships and trials are convened at a high standard
- Queensland Members Forum - an opportunity for all member associations to share ideas and discuss issues
- Annual Awards Ceremony - to honour our successful players, coaches and officials
- VIP Function - to honour our past players and acknowledge the support of our sponsors and key stakeholders

I would like to acknowledge the support of Hon Bill Byrne (Minister for Sport), Di Farmer (Local State MP), Terri Butler (Local Federal MP), Rob Kirkwood from Polytan (major sponsor of Super League) and all the current and past players who attended the celebration and whose support continues to ensure hockey's success in Queensland.

As we move into 2016 and the final year of our current strategic plan, it is worthwhile reflecting on the changes and progress we have made in each of our four key program areas: **Growing our Sport** (Game Development), **Building our Talent** (High Performance), **Strengthening our Network** (Member Development) and **Sustaining our Future** (Organisational Development). Overall, Hockey Queensland is tracking well to deliver its three-year outcomes under this strategic plan.

These achievements would not have been possible without the combined effort of a large number of people. Throughout the year, a number of changes were made to the operating structure of Hockey Queensland. These changes included

implementing a High Performance Advisory Group at the operational level and new Board sub-committee (the Integrity Committee) to oversee Member Protection Policies, player welfare, judiciary processes and codes of conduct. It also included a review of the operating roles of the Technical Operating Committee, Umpire Committee, Indoor Committee and Women's Masters Committee. Thank you to the Chairs and members of these committees - your time, advice and support to the operations of Hockey Queensland is very much valued and contribution to the success of Hockey Queensland's programs is significant.

Hockey Queensland also celebrated its 20th anniversary this year, marking the amalgamation of Queensland Men's and Women's Hockey Associations. There are many people who were involved in the amalgamation process and the shaping of Hockey Queensland in that time and to acknowledge all those who contributed, Hockey Queensland is printing a commemorative book which will be distributed in April, 2016.

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 achieving a whole-of-sport environment.

To the Board, thank you for your support, time and commitment to address the challenges and opportunities Hockey Queensland faced this year. In particular, I would like to acknowledge Karin Walduck for her tireless energy, commitment and passion she has given in her role as President and although you step down from this role, we hope you continue to be a presence in our hockey community.

Finally, I would like to thank all the staff who have made such a great contribution to the achievements of Hockey Queensland this year. Whilst we continue to face many challenges, we have also “drag-flicked” many goals and I look forward to continuing on this journey with you all.

Louisa Begley
CEO
Hockey Queensland



Townsville

Hervey Bay

Ipswich

Gympie

Widebay
THUNDER

Gold Coast

Gladstone

Atherton

South Coast
SHARKS

Brisbane Women

Tweed Border

Brisbane Men

Northern
STORM

Toowoomba

South West
LUMBERJACKS

Murrumbidgee

Maryborough

Brisbane
BLITZ

Redlands

Mount Isa

Central
MUDSKITTLES

Gladstone

Bundaberg

Sunshine Coast

LUMBERJILLS

Rockhampton

Brisbane
FURY

Warwick

Cairns

Growing our Sport

Game Development was again a key focus area for Hockey Queensland this year. Through support from the Queensland State Government Sport and Recreation Department, Hockey Queensland continued to provide “participation funding” grants to all member associations to support participation initiatives within their regions. In the last financial year, Hockey Queensland provided \$157,000 in grants to associations which resulted in the following successful outcomes:

- ✓ 385 School Visits and school activities which involved 36,050 participants
- ✓ 500 Come and Try clinics conducted around the state
- ✓ 2,380 participants in Hookin2Hockey programs run in 19 locations across the state
- ✓ 22 Inclusive hockey programs conducted around the state
- ✓ An additional 361 participants accredited as coaches, umpires or technical officials

Under the direction of Daniel Egan, Hockey Queensland also implemented a number of additional programs and initiatives to support the growth and retention of players in our network. These programs included:

- Implementing a school-based hockey program
- Expanding our Remote and Indigenous Hockey Programs to include south west and central Queensland
- Partnering with Lifestream to support and develop inclusive hockey programs
- Developing a system to support sporting schools initiative

Building our Talent

Hockey Queensland continues to maintain its presence and successful contribution to the national high performance landscape. Not only are we successful in maintaining 25% Queensland representation on our National teams but Hockey Queensland also contributes significantly to the number of officials appointed to national and international tournaments.

The highlights in 2015 included Gold Medal performances by our AHL Men’s (Blades) and AHL Women’s (Scorchers) teams, our U18 Women’s team and our U15 Women’s team. Hockey Queensland’s Indoor Hockey program began to reap rewards with a very successful national indoor hockey campaign with Gold Medal performance from our Women’s Open Indoor Team, two Silver medals from our U21 Men’s and U18 Women’s teams and a Bronze for our U15 Men’s team. In total 50% of our teams ended with a medal and all but one team finished in the top 4.

Hockey Queensland continues to face the challenge of ensuring our talent pathway programs are implemented according to the Talent Pathway Framework and all our regions have access to support to develop their players, coaches and officials. The major activities undertaken in 2015 to support the talent pathway plan includes:

- The appointment of Barry Vohland as Regional Program Manager to support the regional network of coaching directors and development officers
- Reviewing our U13 and U15 state championships and piloting education and coaching programs for players, parents and coaches within these championships
- Implementing the Under 17 development camp which included teams from South Australia, ACT and Victoria
- The provision of Professional Development for Regional Coaching Directors and state coaches which included participation in trials and mentoring, sessions on inclusive hockey programs and access to Advanced Coaching course

Strengthening our Network

Hockey Queensland acknowledges the contribution our club and association network continues to provide the growth and development of our sport.

Governance continues to be one of the major areas of concern across the network and given the transient nature of clubs and associations’ executive members it is difficult to make the necessary changes and implement new processes and systems during the season.

During 2015, Hockey Queensland supported associations through the following initiatives:

- Provide support and resourcing to improve governance practices tailored to specific Association's needs
- Strengthened communication between Hockey Queensland and member associations through teleconferences, monthly updates and face-to-face meetings
- Staff visits to Associations to work through specific issues
- Member Forum topics included governance review, judiciary processes, database training and access to external organisations to support constitutional reviews and strategic planning

Congratulations to Maryborough Hockey Association on being awarded "Association of the Year" for your outstanding role as host of the Women's Masters State Championship and 30 year celebrations and new initiatives to increase participation.



Sustaining our Future

The focus this period has been on developing a state-wide strategic facility plan, reviewing Hockey Queensland's financial model (including the management of Colmslie Recreational Reserve), internal organisational re-structure and continuing to work with GOLDOC on securing the best legacy outcomes for the 2018 Commonwealth Games.

Compared to other states, Queensland has considerably less numbers of synthetic pitches. Internationally, hockey is played on synthetic surfaces and whilst grass fields remain the ideal surface to introduce hockey, the development of skills for many players requires the transition from grass to a synthetic surface. The challenge facing the sport is ensuring greater accessibility to synthetic surfaces whilst maintaining an affordable cost for players. The state-wide strategic facilities plan is the first stage in the process to determine the priorities for new and upgraded facilities. The second stage will be to develop a maintenance plan for existing facilities and the third stage will develop potential business models for sustaining facilities in the future.

In summary the major achievements for this program area are:

- Identifying the future leasing structure of the Colmslie Recreational Reserve
- Developed a draft state-wide facilities plan
- Implemented strong financial processes and policies with strategic financial reporting frameworks
- Formalisation of a new entity to manage the Commonwealth Games hockey venues

Hockey Queensland again met all its desired targets for sponsorship and marketing. This could not have been achieved without the continued support and expertise of the team from Major League Marketing. Thank you Jason, Christie, Kath and all the staff who assist us to identify and maintain our relationships with our sponsors, create and grow our "Get into Hockey" campaign and ensure all our supporters are tuned in to hockey via our social media channels.

REMOTE AND INDIGENOUS HOCKEY PROGRAM

2015 has been a big year for Hockey Queensland's Remote and Indigenous Hockey Program (RIHP) with the expansion of the program into new exciting regions and the inception of a new generation of young RIHP team members.

The fundamental purpose of the RIHP program is to develop and deliver hockey programs that lead and grow participation, pathways and positive social changes in remote and Indigenous communities of Queensland. In 2015 the program was delivered to a total of 7819 participants with an encouraging 4188 of these participants being women and girls and a positive 3358 identifying as Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander.

The program now covers the largest geographical area in its history with delivery spanning as far north as Bamaga (Cape York), as far west as Charleville, together with many remote communities in between including the Indigenous community of Cherbourg situated in Central Queensland.



The future of the program is looking strong with the exciting appointment of 2 new members to the team in Lewis Dexter and Kazzia Lammon. Based in Bundaberg, Lewis was introduced to hockey through school and progressed through club hockey to represent the Queensland Blaze. Lewis completed a RIHP traineeship with Hockey Queensland and as a result was promoted to the role of RIHP Development Officer. In Describing the program Lewis had this to say, *"The program provides participants with a similar pathway that I was given to participate in hockey, which they may not have had otherwise. My traineeship role left me with increased confidence, better time-management skills and an understanding of how to coordinate programs."*

We are equally excited to announce that Kazzia Lammon has come on as the new RIHP program Ambassador. Within this position Kazzia will act as a mentor and role model specifically to young women and girls who will participate in RIHP. Growing up in Ayr, North Queensland, Kazzia used to travel 90 km each weekend to play hockey, the sport she loves. A current member of the QAS program Kazzia has represented the Australian A (Australian Development) and toured China and Japan. In her excitement Kazzia had this to say, *"I love that I am given the opportunity to be able to share my story with young Indigenous kids and perhaps act as a role model in their lives, influencing them to make the right decisions and choices so that they can succeed."*

Both appointments are a testament to the RIHP program and encouraging signs for the sustainable future of the program. Hockey Queensland would like to thank all of our partners, local community members and stakeholders, and we would also like to take this opportunity to acknowledge the generous support of the Queensland Government and Federal Government.

Daniel Egan
Operations Manager



Lewis Dexter -
Regional Development Manager
(RIHP)



Kazzia Lammon -
RIHP Program Ambassador

HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES and TEAMS OF THE DECADE 2005 TO 2015

Hall of Fame Inductees

Wendy Beattie	Tammy Cole	Julie Carrol
Suzie Faulkner	Cindy Morgan	Nikki Hudson OAM
Angie Lambert OAM	Karen Robertson	Lee Bodimeade
Michael Brennan OAM	Dean Butler OAM	Ashley Carey
Nathan Eglington OAM	Jack Ellis	Stephen Lambert
Graham Reid		

Teams of the Decade - 2005 to 2015

Female

Madonna Blyth
Teneal Attard
Jodie Kenny (Schulz)
Hope Munro (Brown)
Amy Korner
Nikki Hudson (Mott)
Suzie Faulkner
Emma Stewart (Meyer)
Karen Smith
Angie Lambert (Skirving)
Wendy Beattie (Alcorn)

Male

Jamie Dwyer
Rob Hammond
Liam De Young
Mark Knowles
Kiel Brown
Jason Wilson
Matt Gohdes
Stephen Lambert
Dean Butler
Troy Elder
Nathan Eglington



ASSOCIATION HIGHLIGHTS

GYMPIE HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

Some of the major achievements/successes of the Gympie & District Hockey Association throughout 2015 would include winning the QLD U13 Boys Division 2 Title and the QLD Indoor Under 15 Women's Division 2 Title. The Under 13 boys side dominated the round robin format and had clinched the title before taking the field in their last game.

Another highlight would be the selection of 22 of our players, 7 for the very first time, in State Squads throughout the year and 3 of these players then going on to be selected in Australian Squads. We are very proud of this achievement as we are one of the smaller hockey regions within the state.

The hosting of the 2015 QLD Over 35 Masters Men's Titles was a huge success for our town with everyone loving our facilities and enjoying the hospitality throughout the 3 day event. We are very much looking forward to hosting the 2016 QLD Under 15 Women's Titles in September this year.

BRISBANE WOMEN'S HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

- Registered over 3,300 players to take part in winter and summer fixtures and competitions - including mixed girls and boys U10s, juniors, seniors and masters, at four turf venues and two grass venues.
- Sent 20 teams to compete at all State Championships - Super League, Opens, U18, U15, U13 and Masters, as well as 4 teams competing in the U11 Southern Cross at Downey Park.
- Provided Coach, Umpire & Player development opportunities at all levels for our members: Goal Keepers, Masters, Seniors, Juniors, Turf, Grass.
- Continued to work with Brisbane Hockey Association (BHA) and Kedron Wavell Services Hockey Club (KWSHC) to successfully administer the Brisbane Hockey Management Group (BHMg), which manages the Burringbar turf facility.
- Promoted and enhanced Hockey Zone, the joint BWHA/BHA - Hockey Brisbane initiative, with the filming and streaming of hockey games, and including coaching and umpiring techniques and skills in the weekly TV and online program.

- Working to develop Downey Park as a major hockey venue with at least one turf field, underground watering for grass fields and modern off-field facilities.

HERVEY BAY HOCKEY ASSOCIATION INC.

After years of planning, multiple funding applications and a variety of concentrated fundraising events, the Hervey Bay Hockey Association's world class water base synthetic turf was officially opened Saturday 13th June 2015 by the Federal Member for Hinkler 'The Honourable' Mr Keith Pitt, (Federal Funding), Councillor George Seymore representing the QLD Sports Minister (State funding under the Get Playing program) and the Mayor Fraser Coast Regional Council Gerard O'Connell.



On Friday 20th and Saturday 21st March 2015 the Hervey Bay Hockey Association commenced their first local hockey season on the new turf.



The HBHA first championships was the hosting of the QLD Secondary Schools U/19 Women's Hockey championships in May 2015.

In June the HBHA was host to the Wide Bay Zone U/11, U/13 & U/18 Men & Women's event.



The HBHA hosted a pre-nationals trial matches between the over 35's and over 40's in 2015 with members of the team spending time with the juniors.

TOOWOOMBA HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

Toowoomba Hockey Association (THA) has continued to focus on development programs, aimed at players, coaches, umpires and technical officials yielding results at all levels in all areas of the association. The increased competitiveness of our representative teams has led to more Toowoomba players participating at the state level. The continued improvement of depth and strength in our local competition is due to the continued support of our clubs and our very strong volunteer base, including our coaches, managers and umpires.

The 2015 representative season has seen the hard work of previous years come to fruition. Our representative players have accepted the challenges and this is reflected in results across the board with 4 State divisional wins the U13 girl's team A, U13 Girls B, The Open Men's team (Eagles), and the Open Women (CHILL), and nine teams making the top four in their respective age groups.

Representation of Toowoomba players at a state and national level saw over 68 players selected, TID to represent Queensland across all age groups this year, and 18 players across men and women were selected to represent Queensland at State Masters Championships. Toowoomba Hockey has organised and contributed to the

development of players and members through programs including; Hookin2Hockey, minkey /modified players competition, The Edge and Little Edge - holiday development clinics, off season training and skills /development programs, umpire mentoring, tech officials courses and mentoring, the Hockey Academy, Qld Schools Cup, the Darling Downs Secondary Schools Cup, the primary schools Gala Day, schools program and Sporting Schools Program.

Toowoomba Hockey was privileged to host the Southern Cross League in March and the Qld Open Men's Championship in April. These events provided our players and members with opportunity to experience and watch competition at its best. Toowoomba Hockey Association finished the season on a high when we acknowledged and celebrated the great achievements as well as the commitment and successes of our players and clubs throughout the year at the End of Season Dinner.

IPSWICH HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

A \$300,000 lighting upgrade to our two artificial fields was revealed at our annual Open Day in February, with an official commissioning of the lights at the start of the 2015 season.

May saw Ipswich host the Men's Masters Championships. There was some very competitive hockey on the fields and plenty of catching up on the side lines. Our wonderful Ipswich Hockey volunteers, alongside the Men's Masters tournament committee, ensured that a great time was had by all the competitors, their families and friends.

We also bid a fond farewell to Neil Shearer and his family as he moved on to a more family friendly working life and Sam Spry was appointed as our new RCD. Sam and her family had moved to the Ipswich area from the Northern Territory and thankfully survived their first cold Ipswich winter.

June and July saw a busy time with the hosting of the Qld Primary School Championships, our annual Hook in2 Hockey Theme day, which was a brilliant Pirates and Princesses Day, and we also had a Blue weekend to fundraise for the Prostate Foundation of Australia and Beyond Blue. We raised over \$2700 which was donated to help these wonderful organisations.

Our junior season started with a “Bring a Friend” to training experiment, which worked well and we will be rolling it out again in 2016. We had 200 Hook in2 Hockey players enjoy our program and our junior girls teams increased in numbers. Our junior boys teams numbers were also slightly up on previous years. Our end of season carnival, which is free of charge to all our junior players, was a fun filled day of goodies and rides, and to finish the season with huge smiles from all the junior players is a great reward to all the hardworking club and association volunteers.

As the end of the season came ever closer, we finally got our landscaping organised and terraced the area in front of our main field which provides extra seating options and was a sea of colour and umbrellas on grand final day. Ipswich Hockey was proud to have the Hockey Qld Volunteer of the year in Jan Walker. Jan has worked tirelessly to have indoor hockey up and running in an actual indoor environment. Margret Mantell & Steve Rogers also received awards at the City of Ipswich Sports Awards. Margret was the Volunteer of the Year and Steve the Official of the Year. With Ipswich being known as a rugby league town & the wonderful success of the Ipswich Jets in 2015, it was a pleasure to see Hockey triumphant in these categories.

GLADSTONE & DISTRICT HOCKEY ASSOCIATION HIGHLIGHTS FOR 2015

LIGHTENING 9S CARNIVAL

The 9-a-side tournament was held early March, 2015, being new and exciting bringing something different to the hockey calendar. Team nominations were reasonably good for this weekend, with teams coming from Gladstone, Rockhampton and Maryborough. Mackay and Bundaberg clubs were invited though due to Mackay season starting on the same weekend, and Bundaberg clubs having other commitments they weren't able to attend. The tournament was a huge success and will be held again in 2016.

TEAMS AT STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

Gladstone U18 Women won Division 2 State Championship in 2015. Open Women came second in Division 1. All Gladstone representative teams are in Division 1 or 2 which is a great achievement.

SUCCESSFUL PLAYERS IN STATE NATIONAL TEAMS

The following achievements were made from Gladstone Players:

U18 Women

Lauren Millican, Rhiannon Baxter, Lindsay Mathison, Morgan Mathison, Elne Buzedenhout, Amy Fletcher.

U21 Women

Rhiannon Baxter, Lindsay Mathison, Morgan Mathison, Elne Buzedenhout

U13 Boys

Hayden Pease, Dylan Rose, Ryley Stevens, Charli-Rose Adams

U13 Girls

Abbey Lowrey

U15 Girls

Morgan Mathison

U15 Boys

Ronan McGuire, Will Mathison

U15 Girls

Abbey Lowry, Ainsley Graham

Qld & Australian Country

Joshua Baxter

GRANTS APPLICATION

Gladstone Hockey were successful in achieving a grant from QGC Communities Fund which was used to purchase a replacement mower.

SEASON OF EXTENDED LEAGUE

Extended League is played between Rockhampton Teams and Gladstone Teams. Each take it in turns in travelling to one centre each week which makes a more attractive competition for the Division 1/A Grade players. The Grand Final in 2016 was played - for Women between Rockhampton Team - Wanderers and Gladstone Team - Meteors with Wanderers taking the title and for men Rockhampton Teams Wanderers and Rocky Souths with Wanderers taking the title as well.

EMPLOYMENT OF RDO

Gladstone & District Hockey have been successful in employing Regional Development Officer which has proven to be very successful. We have had an increase in our Rookey players, been able to achieve a number of members accredited for Level 1 Coaching, providing training for our State selected players.

JUNIOR DRESS UP NIGHT

We held a Rookey Fun Night early in May (Friday the 8th). This was a great event which involved all Rookey-registered players, as well as new players from promotion through schools, as well as encouraging currently registered players to bring friends along as well. It was used as a come-and-try day as well as a celebration of our Rookey players. We roughly 100 kids attend, including approximately 25 new children which is fantastic. The focus wasn't solely on hockey, but included fun games and competitions, a raffle, sausage sizzle, jumping castle and a movie themed dress up. Feedback was excellent from parents and coaches in particular, as well as the kids clearly having a wonderful time! We had plenty of helpers; a lot of juniors helping organize the activities and parents/coaches assisting with the BBQ and tickets and general organisation. Parents made it into a picnic type evening which was great to see. Many stayed on afterwards to watch senior games. I will certainly be looking to run another fun night this season! Though it took a fair bit of planning and effort it was well worth it!



ROCKHAMPTON INDOOR

The Rockhampton Indoor Hockey Assoc. Inc. has had a successful Indoor Hockey Season with 34 Rockhampton Indoor Hockey Player being selected as Players and Shadow Players in Queensland Indoor Hockey Teams to attend Australian Indoor Hockey Championships in Woolongong--Our congratulations to all these Players

The Under13 Boys & Girls Indoor Hockey Challenge was Hosted by Rockhampton at the CQUni Sports Hall, with Rockhampton Girls winning their Final The Rockhampton (Rowlande Williams (Rockhampton) was named Players of the Grand Final): Under 18 Men were successful in winning their Challenge at Kedron in

Brisbane. Caleb Christensen was chosen as the Player of the Under 15Boys Indoor Hockey Challenge in Maryborough. (An interesting Note to be addresses was Hire of CQUni Hall for 13/Under Boys & Girls Challenge for the 2days was \$3,400's, this is a large outlay for our small Association, & will need to be reviewed as to whether we can Host further Indoor Hockey Challenges.) Our association received some great compliments and appreciative Remarks on the 13/Under Boys & Girls Challenge.

The weekly Fixtures have been a success since Games have been played at the CQUni Sports Hall, with Teams in 12under Mixed played for 7weeks, 16/Under Mixed played to Finals in February, with 4Teams competing: A3Women 4Teams: 3 Teams A3Men: 5 Teams A2Men & 3 Teams A1Men (With a Development Team of Under 15boys playing in the A1men's Competition to make the 4th. Team.) We did play the first round of Fixtures at the RHA Turf, (The CQ Uni Hall was not available due to Exams), but Players prefer playing Indoor Hockey on the Wooden floor at the CQUni Hall & it is Air Conditioned.

We had some Umpires receive accreditation at the 13/Under Boys & Girls Indoor Hockey Challenge & our Congratulations to all Players, Umpires, Coaches, & Managers who have attended Indoor Hockey Challenges and the Australian Indoor Hockey Championships. We are grateful for a Small band of volunteers, who give graciously of their time to organize events, weekly Fixtures & Sausage Sizzles Indoor Hockey Finals will be played at the CQUni Sports hall on Saturday, 13th. February, with games commencing at 12 Midday--Finals will be played in all Grades.

MOUNT ISA

History was made at the Mount Isa hockey fields with the official opening of the MIHA Lighting Project. The project is the result of years of fundraising and will support and sustain the growth in player numbers.



REDLANDS HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

Redlands Hockey Association hosted its first State Championships - U13 Girls. Despite the rain forcing the event to be moved to the State Hockey Centre, the event was extremely successful.



Hockey Queensland Women's Masters Report 2015

Committee:

Linda Hunter (Chair), Di Barrie, Patricia Hansen, Sue Reid, Myra Reilly, Karin Walduck, Megan Ward

Hockey Queensland Women's Masters Association Awards 2015:

Brisbane	Rhonda Bentley
Brisbane	Di Young
Bundaberg	Nola Zahn
Gladstone	Robyn Black
Ipswich	Janette Howells
Mackay	Bev Dunn
Maryborough	Anne Proctor
Mt Isa	Jason Brogden
Sunshine Coast	Bev Nunan

Hockey Australia Women's Masters State Service Awards 2015:

Heather Evans
Linda Hunter
Dianne Barrie
Karin Walduck

Hockey Queensland Women's Masters Representative Awards 2015:

Silver Award (15 Years)

Di Fraser Judy Keen Joy Lewis

Bronze Award (10 Years)

Di Barrie Ruth Bullen Sara Colwill Karen Iwanuscha
Teresa Kuss Kathryn Richardson Robyn Sutherland

Hockey Queensland Women's Master Committee Key Initiatives 2015:

- Successfully hosted the 2015 HA Women's Masters Championships in Brisbane, celebrating 30 Years of HA Women's Masters Championships
- Provided support to Tweed Border Hockey Association who hosted the 2015 HQ Women's Masters Championships at Murwillumbah with 46 teams participating
- Selected 8 teams to compete in the 2015 HA Women's Masters Championships, including a second team in the 55+ and 60+ age championships
- Improved our state team practices by establishing the role of assistant coach; carrying out state wide fitness tests and establishing a list of "stand by" players to replace players injured during the national championships
- Reviewed and revised HQ Women's Masters Policy and Guidelines (Attachment L)

TECHNICAL COMMITTEE REPORT - HQ ANNUAL REPORT 2015

2015 was a very successful year for technical officials in Queensland, in terms of education, accreditations and appointments.

The Technical Officiating Committee for 2015 consisted of:

Joanne Greensill (Chair)	Sonya Fisher
Bernadette Gotting	Linda Hunter
Cheryl Kann	Ronda Nix OAM
Joseph Rudolph	Lyn Thomas
Vicki Warren	Michael Wiemers

The following technical courses were conducted during 2015:

Hockey Queensland Level 0

Redlands	Cairns	Toowoomba
Maryborough	Gympie	

Hockey Australia Level 2

Brisbane

APPOINTMENTS

The following Technical Officials were appointed to Hockey Queensland Super League in 2015:

Michael Wiemers (Tournament Director)	Sonya Fisher (Technical Manager)
Bernadette Gotting (Technical Manager)	Lesley Bennett (TO/Judge)
Brent Brown (TO/Judge)	Jenny Heron (TO/Judge)
Linda Hunter (TO/Judge)	Cheryl Kann (TO/Judge)
Kerry Liebenberg (TO/Judge)	John Luff (TO/Judge)
Leonie Marsden (TO/Judge)	Joseph Rudolph (TO/Judge)
Sarah Sheppard (TO/Judge)	Vicki Warren (TO/Judge)

The following Queensland Technical Officials were appointed to Hockey Australia tournaments in 2015:

Sonya Fisher	Tournament Director	HA U15 Girls
Jennie Thompson	Assistant Tournament Director	HA U15 Girls
Joanne Greensill	Tournament Director	HA U21 Women

Michael Wiemers	Tournament Director	HA U13 Boys
Ronda Nix OAM	Tournament Director	HA Women's Master
Brent Brown	Assistant Tournament Director	HA Women's Masters
Jeffrey Deakin	Technical Officer	HA Women's Masters
Bernadette Gotting	Technical Officer	HA Women's Masters
Cheryl Kann	Technical Officer	HA Women's Masters
Kerry Liebenberg	Technical Officer	HA Women's Masters
John Luff	Technical Officer	HA Women's Masters
Caroline Schomberg	Technical Officer	HA Women's Masters
Sarah Sheppard	Technical Officer	HA Women's Masters
Greg Shirvington	Technical Officer	HA Women's Masters
Jennie Thompson	Technical Officer	HA Women's Masters
Kristy Butler	Judge	HA Women's Masters
Lesley Duncan	Judge	HA Women's Masters
Stuart Duncan	Judge	HA Women's Masters
Peta Dunnett	Judge	HA Women's Masters
Phyllis Hawgood	Judge	HA Women's Masters
Sandra Hayes	Judge	HA Women's Masters
Ray Long	Judge	HA Women's Masters
Karen Macfarlane	Judge	HA Women's Masters
Cathy Platts	Judge	HA Women's Masters

The following Queensland Technical Officials were appointed to international tournaments in 2015:

Ronda Nix)	
Caroline Schomberg) Technical Officer/Judge	Masters Trans Tasman
Vicki Warren)	Melbourne
Joanne Greensill	Technical Officer/Judge	FIH 4 Nations Indoor Hockey Tournament Durban

During 2015, the following people achieved various accreditations as detailed below:

Hockey Queensland Junior Judge Certificate

Tammy Zwoerner	Toowoomba	Jenni Fox	Bundaberg
Alisa Panzram	Toowoomba	Michelle Peters	Ipswich
Shelley Beardmore	Maryborough	Portia Anger	Redlands
Lisa Fatnowa	Cairns	Amber Fenwick	Mackay

Courtney Claridge	Sunshine Coast	Robyn Larcombe	Redlands	Olivia Wightman	Bundaberg	David Lassig	Bundaberg
Vicki Hyam	Gympie	William Lomas	Redlands	Kylie Lassig	Bundaberg	Belinda O'Sullivan	Gladstone
Joanne Mogg	Toowoomba	Zoe Rendall	BWHA	Liam McKay	Townsville	Patrick Forster	Townsville
Danielle Webb	Cairns	Cassandra Wilson	Redlands	Lewis Spriggs	Townsville	Nicole Arthy	Townsville
Jane Howland	Rockhampton	Michelle Eastwell	Warwick	Lloyd Arthy	Townsville	Imogen Orphin	Townsville
Linsy Armbruster	Warwick	Zoe Fox	Ipswich	<u>Hockey Queensland Senior Judge Certificate</u>			
Sue Hall	Rockhampton	Kane McKay	Maryborough	Narelle Cripps	Brisbane	Liz O'Connor	Brisbane
<u>Hockey Queensland Senior Judge Certificate</u>				Sharon Turner	Mackay	Janelle Gilbar	Toowoomba
Chris Harris	Cairns	David Starr	Sunshine Coast	Peta Dunnett	Redlands	Lynelle Nissen	Maryborough
Caylan Graham	Sunshine Coast	Kirsty Butler	Sunshine Coast	Susan Pattel	Maryborough	Carly Black	Gladstone
Janelle Chappell	Maryborough			Cody Fox	Maryborough		
<u>Hockey Queensland Tournament Director Certificate</u>				<u>Hockey Australia Level 1 Judge</u>			
Vicki Warren	Maryborough			Debbie Brown	Sunshine Coast	Jamie Brown	Sunshine Coast
<u>Hockey Australia Level 1 Judge</u>				Kylie Cassidy	Brisbane	Joanne Kempster	Cairns
Tracey Doyle	Ipswich	Peta Dunnett	Redlands	Margret Mantell	Ipswich	Janene Moore	Mackay
Cody Fox	Maryborough	Caitlin Gotting	Ipswich	Joanne Morganson	Mackay	Cathy Platts	Mackay
Sandra Hayes	Gladstone	Kristy Butler	Sunshine Coast	Robyn Scroop	Sunshine Coast	Kayleen Smith	Brisbane
				Sharon Turner	Mackay		
<u>Hockey Australia Level 2 Technical Officer</u>				<u>Hockey Australia Level 2 Technical Officer</u>			
Brent Brown	Sunshine Coast	Kerry Liebenberg	Sunshine Coast	Darren Cavanagh	Gladstone		
Greg Shirvington	Brisbane	Sarah Sheppard	Brisbane				
During 2014, the following people achieved various accreditations as detailed below (these were not included in the 2014 Annual Report):				The following people provided their time and services as Assessors at various Hockey Australia and Hockey Queensland Tournaments in 2015:			
<u>Hockey Queensland Junior Judge Certificate</u>				Bernadette Gotting	Linda Hunter	Cheryl Kann	
Collen Bosel	Maryborough	Lynette Foster	Rockhampton	Ronda Nix	Lyn Thomas	Vicki Warren	
Jan Ransome	Maryborough	Debbie Savage	Maryborough				
Amber Foster	Rockhampton	Molly Holmes	Toowoomba				
Sharon Kirby	Rockhampton	Peter Lawrence	Rockhampton				
Jason Miller	Rockhampton	Courtney Moffat	Rockhampton				
Harrison Parker	Gympie	Nathan Formosa	Bundaberg				
Krysten Green	Bundaberg	Leanne McLennan	Bundaberg				
Shannon O'Connor	Bundaberg	Kiralee Randle	Bundaberg				
Courtney Stacey-Birch	Bundaberg	Jarred Taylor	Bundaberg				

2015 RECORDS

For a full listing of 2015 State Championship Results and Awards, visit the Hockey Queensland website - www.hockeyqld.com.au

STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS - OUTDOOR

Final Places & Awards

SUPER LEAGUE

Women & Men

Held in Brisbane (6 - 8 June 2015)

Women

Brisbane Blitz
Wide Bay Thunder
South Coast Sharks
Southwest Lumberjills
Northern Storm
Central Mudtrutles

Men

Brisbane Fury
Northern Storm
Central Mudturtles
Wide Bay Thunder
Southwest Lumberjacks
South Coast Sharks

AWARDS

Women

Player of the Tournament: Jasmine Larosa
Player of the Final: Jane Bennett
Umpires of the Final: Leonie Young and Cath O'Brien
Technical Officer of the Final: Linda Hunter

Men

Player of the Tournament: Simon Borger
Player of the Final: Robert Bell
Umpires of the Final: Adam Kearns and Ben De Young
Technical Officer of the Final: Vicki Warren

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Women

Tournament Director: Michael Wiemers
Technical Manager: Bernadette Gotting
Umpire Manager: Julie Ashton-Lucy

Men

Tournament Director: Michael Wiemers
Technical Manager: Sonya Fisher
Umpire Manager: Allen Schasser

STATE OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

Women

Held in Townsville (25 - 27 April 2015)

Division 1

Toowoomba
Gladstone
Cairns and Townsville

AWARDS

Player of the Championship: Rebecca Greiner (Bundaberg)
Player of the Final: Aimee Griffiths (Toowoomba)

Umpires of the Final: Jasmine Collier and Anne Jones
Technical Officer of the Final: Jennie Thompson

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Linda Hunter
Technical Manager: Jennie Thompson
Umpire Manager: Andrea Farren
Umpire Coach: Sioux Sharpe

STATE OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

Men

Held at Toowoomba (25 - 27 April 2015)

Division 1

Toowoomba 1
Townsville
Brisbane 1

Division 2

Rockhampton
Ipswich 2
Brisbane 2



2015 RECORDS

AWARDS

Player of the Championship: Kris Glass (Toowoomba)
Player of the Final: Craig Smith (Toowoomba)
Best Player Division 2: Douglas Buckley (Rockhampton)
Goalkeeper of the Championship: David Watts (Toowoomba)
Umpires of the Final: Aaron Gotting and Brendan Hoff
Technical Officer of the Final: Joseph Rudolph

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Vicki Warren
Technical Manager: Joseph Rudolph
Umpire Manager: Chris Mogg
Umpire Coaches: Ben de Young, Adam Barry and Steve Rogers

STATE UNDER 18 CHAMPIONSHIPS

Women

Held at Gold Coast (5 - 7 July 2015)

Division 1	Division 2
Brisbane 1	Gladstone
Tweed Border	Rockhampton
Toowoomba 1	Brisbane 3

AWARDS

Player of the Championship: Caitlyn Whipp (Cairns)
Goalkeeper of the Tournament: Christina Manumua (Mackay)
Best Player Div 1 Final: Rosie Kahl (Tweed Border)
Best Player Div 2: Rhiannon Baxter (Gladstone)
Umpires of the Final: Julie Ashton-Lucy and Chantel Manhire
Vicky Spice Most Promising Umpire Award: Emily Ogden
Technical Officer of the Div 1 Final: Sarah Sheppard

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Sonya Fisher
Umpire Manager: Lyn Hill
Umpire Coaches: Julie Ashton-Lucy and Cathy O'Brien

STATE UNDER 18 CHAMPIONSHIPS

Men

Held at Brisbane (5 - 7 July 2015)

Division 1	Division 2
Brisbane 1	Tweed Border
Townsville 1	Brisbane 2
Ipswich	Hervey Bay

AWARDS

Player of the Championship: Blake Wotherspoon (Brisbane 1)
Best Player Div 1 Final: Blake Wotherspoon (Brisbane 1)
Best Player Div 2: Alex Barnes (Tweed Border)
Goalkeeper of the Tournament: Cade Banditt (Ipswich)
Umpires of the Final: Adrian Cross and Chris Harris
Colin Crain Most Promising Umpire Award: Jaren Maddocks
Technical Officer of the Final: Vicki Warren

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Bernadette Gotting
Technical Manager: Vicki Warren
Umpire Manager: Michael Wiemers
Umpire Coaches: Chris Mogg, Steve Rogers and Ben de Young

STATE UNDER 15 CHAMPIONSHIPS

Girls

Held at Sunshine Coast (20 - 23 September 2015)

Division 1	Division 2	Division 3
Tweed Border 1	Gold Coast 1	Tweed Border 2
Brisbane 1	Brisbane 3	Gold Coast 2
Mackay 1	Maryborough	Ipswich 2



2015 RECORDS

AWARDS

Player of the Championship: Genevieve Ferguson (Brisbane 1)
Best Player Div 1 Final: Jessie Reid (Tweed Border 1)
Best Player Div 2: Casey Dolkens (Gold Coast 1)
Best Player Div 3: Esther Fleming (Sunshine Coast)
Rising Star: Jessie Lemmon (Townsville)
Goalkeeper of the Tournament: Christina Manumua (Mackay)
Umpires of the Final: Kaitlyn Benson and Alex Richards
Young Aspiring Umpire Award: Zoe Fox (Ipswich)
Technical Officer of the Final: Kerry Liebenberg

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Lesley Bennett
Technical Manager: John Luff
Umpire Manager: Andrea Farren
Umpire Coaches: Kerryl Chandler, Aleisha Neumann and Sandy Hayes

STATE UNDER 15 CHAMPIONSHIPS

Boys

Held at Warwick (20 - 23 September 2015)

Division 1	Division 2
Gold Coast 1	Sunshine Coast
Brisbane 1	Brisbane 2
Maryborough	Toowoomba 2

AWARDS

Player of the Championship: Tate Weyer (Gold Coast 1)
Best Player Div 1 Final: Connor O'Shea (Gold Coast 1)
Best Player Div 2: Ewan Schaschke (Sunshine Coast)
Rising Star: Lindsay Bowles (Brisbane 1)
Goalkeeper of the Tournament: Joshua McNamara (Maryborough)
Umpires of the Final: Jack Lickiss and Tim Boscoe
Young Aspiring Umpire Award: Blake Kroning
Technical Officer of the Final: Leonie Marsden

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Joseph Rudolph
Technical Manager: Leonie Marsden
Umpire Manager: Brent Brown
Umpire Coaches: Lyn Mogg and Harley Schenk

STATE UNDER 13 CHAMPIONSHIPS

Girls

Held at Redlands (28 June - 1 July 2015)

Division 1	Division 2	Division 3
Toowoomba 1	Sunshine Coast 1	Toowoomba 2
Brisbane 1	Maryborough	Cairns 3
Brisbane 2	Brisbane 3	Warwick

AWARDS

Player of the Tournament: Brianna Suey (Toowoomba)
Best Player Div 1 Final: Tatum Stewart (Toowoomba)
Best Player Div 2: Abby Lowry (Gladstone)
Best Player Div 3: Claire Brophy (Toowoomba)
Goalkeeper of the Tournament: Ella Brown (Brisbane)
Rising Star Award: Georgina West (Brisbane)
Kim Thomasson and Julie Ashton-Lucy Most Improved Umpire Award: Abby Heffernan (Maryborough)

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Linda Hunter
Technical Manager: Sarah Sheppard
Umpire Manager: Bernadette Pangrazio
Umpire Coaches: Sandy Hayes and Lyn Hill
Umpires of the Final: Abby Heffernan and Cortney Claridge
Technical Officer of the Final: Sarah Sheppard



2015 RECORDS

STATE UNDER 13 CHAMPIONSHIPS

Boys

Held at Maryborough (28 June - 1 July 2015)

Division 1	Division 2	Division 3
Brisbane 1	Gympie	Redlands
Townsville 1	Sunshine Coast	Toowoomba 2
Toowoomba 1	Brisbane 2	Cairns 2

AWARDS

Player of the Championship: Nicolas Smith (Townsville)
Best Player Div 1 Final: Oliver Roberts (Brisbane)
Best Player Div 2: Matthew Browne (Gympie)
Best Player Div 3: Rhys Mackinder (Redlands)
Goalkeeper of the Tournament: Matthew West (Ipswich)
Rising Star Award: Jai Cass (Rockhampton)
Most Improved Umpire Award: Harrison Grey (Tweed Border)
Umpires of the Final: Zac Profke and Tarack Chappell

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Joseph Rudolph
Technical Manager: Vicki Warren
Umpire Manager: Leon Cross
Umpire Coach: Chris Ibell and Stephen Chappell
Umpires of the Final: Zac Profke and Tarack Chappell
Technical Officer of the Final: John Luff

STATE MASTERS CHAMPIONSHIPS

Women

Held at Tweed Border (29 -31 May 2015)

Division 1	Division 2	Division 3
Brisbane 1	Sunshine Coast 1	Tweed Border 2
Tweed Border 1	Cairns 1	Gold Coast 2
Ipswich 1 / Brisbane 2	Townsville 1	Bundaberg 1

Division 4

Maryborough 2
Cairns 2
Mount Isa / Atherton

Division 5

Rockhampton 5
Gympie 2
Townsville 2

Division 6

Tweed Border 4
Gold Coast 4
Bundaberg 2

AWARDS

Player of the Championships: Renae Holmes (Brisbane 1)
Player of Division 1 Final: Sheryl Simpson (Brisbane 1)
Best Player Division 2: Amanda Cruickshank (Townsville 1)
Best Player Division 3: Cristelle Jones (Gympie 1)
Best Player Division 4: Diane Fraser (Maryborough 2)
Best Player Division 5: Angela Groves (Warwick)
Best Player Division 6: Casey-Lee Bradford (Toowoomba 3)



Umpires of Division 1 Final: Tracey Fischer and Emily Ogden
Umpires of Division 2 Final: Chantel Manhire and Joanne Greensill
Umpires of Division 3 Final: Cathy Realf and Naomi Crase
Umpires of Division 4 Final: Caylan Graham and Gina Mego
Umpires of Division 5 Final: Linda Fass and Cody Fox
Umpires of Division 6 Final: Aimee Mazzaferri and David Zwoerner
Technical Officials Division 1 Final: Kerry Liebenberg, Sarah Sheppard and Jeff Deakin

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Ronda Nix OAM
Assistant Tournament Director: John Luff
Technical Manager: Sonya Fisher
Assistant Technical Managers: John Deakin, Cheryl Kann and Sarah Sheppard
Umpire Manager: Bernadette Gotting

STATE MASTERS CHAMPIONSHIPS

Men (35+)

Held at Gympie (12-14 June 2015)

Division 1	Division 2
Bundaberg	Brisbane 1
Warwick	Gympie

2015 RECORDS

Player of Division 1 Final: Peter Keeble (Warwick)

Player of Division 2 Final: Matt Bradley (Brisbane 1)

Men (40+, 50+)

Held in Ipswich (8-11 May 2015)

Division 1 (O40s)	Division 2 (O40s)	Division 1 (O50s)	Division 2 (O50s)
Gold Coast	Brisbane Gold	Mackay	Toowoomba
Ipswich	Townsville	Townsville 1	Fraser Coast

Player of Division 1 O40s Final: Dion Sleep (Gold Coast)

Player of Division 2 O40s Final: Ged Aitchison (Brisbane Gold)

Player of Division 1 O50s Final: Bill Mackay (Mackay)

Player of Division 2 O50s Final: Ian Hoddinot (Toowoomba)

STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS - INDOOR U21 / OPEN INVITATIONAL CHALLENGE

Men & Women

Held in Brisbane (13-15 November 2015)

Women	Men
Maryborough	The Imports
Game On	Shakkas
Rockhampton	Rockhampton

AWARDS

Women

Player of the Tournament: Sophie Nottle (Maryborough)

Men

Player of the Tournament: Troy Rossier (The Imports)

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Leonie Marsden

Technical Manager: Lesley Bennett

Umpire Managers: Annabelle Willox (M) and Irene Clelland (W)

STATE UNDER 18 INDOOR CHALLENGE

Men & Women

Held in Brisbane (23-25 October 2015)

Women

Brisbane Blue

Vipers Women

Flaming Ferrets

Men

Rockhampton

Grizzlies

Mudskippers

Dingoes

AWARDS

Women

Player of the Tournament: Morgan Gallagher (Brisbane Blue)

Men

Player of the Tournament: Jackson Willie (Rockhampton)

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Bernadette Gotting

Technical Manager: Lesley Bennett

Umpire Managers: Adrian Cross (M) and Lyn Hill (W)

Umpire Coaches: Kai Douglas (M) and Monique Yearbury (W)

STATE UNDER 15 INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

Boys

Held in Maryborough (28-29 November 2015)

Final Placing

Toxic Sushi

The Untouchables

Jade Jinjas

AWARDS

Men

Player of the Tournament: Kaleb Christensen (Rockhampton)

Umpires of the Final: Carter Chappell and Stephen Chappell

Technical Officer of the Final: Lesley Bennett

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Director: Vicki Warren
Technical Manager: Lesley Bennett
Umpire Manager: Stephen Chappell
Umpire Coach: Carter Chappell

STATE UNDER 13 INDOOR CHALLENGE

Boys & Girls

Held in Rockhampton (7-8 November 2015)

Girls

Rockhampton

Brisbane Blue

Ipswich Emeralds

Boys

Gladstone Titans

Vipers 1

Mackay Black

Brisbane Yellow

AWARDS

Women

Player of the Tournament: Rowlande Williams

Men

Player of the Tournament: Oliver Roberts



AHL BLADES

With seven players not training in Brisbane due to their Australian commitments, it set us some challenges that we had to overcome, so we decided to play a similar structure that is been played by the Australian team as this would make it an easier transition for all players. So all of our inter squad games revolved around those structures, and that gave the Brisbane based players the knowledge they needed. These games were videoed and sent to all players and I asked the Perth based players to provide feedback on players and playing structures. I felt this opened up the communication lines between the Brisbane and Perth players, this intern would keep the players in Perth up to date on our progress. To assist in this operation, it was really important to have a strong leadership group of Mark Knowles (c), Jamie Dwyer, Troy Elder, Matthew Swann. Mark Knowles was the captain of the team as he was the Game day leader, overall he saw individual groups and reported his thoughts to the coaching staff.

In coaching a very successful team, sometimes there is that added pressure that is put on the athletes and coaching staff that we had to be successful again, this was something we as coaching staff never spoke about so we worked more on the process and outcomes.

I think that every player contributed in some way in every game we played and it is every hard for me to identify one or two individuals that were our best. In a winning team it's not just the individuals that win games, it's in the preparation that is put in beforehand by players and by coaching staff.

The program for 2016 AHL as per the Hockey Queensland High Performance plan, AHL Blades & Scorchers 12 weeks program (July - September). In this period I would like to see the squad play games against other States or maybe teams from other countries. These games would be used for us to prepare the 2016 AHL squad.

With a number of players that may not be available in 2016 due to retirement or injuries from the Rio Olympics, we have to have a contingency plan in place if some players don't play. Cost in anything we do is going to be an issue but we need to find ways around these costs.

In 2015 we played inter squad games every Wednesday night, the games

were invaluable in the selection of the team but these games didn't push players to play at a higher level. Looking back on it I felt that most players in the inter squad games were playing OK but when 2 players from Perth came back to train with us you could see the difference.

Results:

QLD Blades 2 versus Tassie Tigers 1
QLD Blades 4 versus NSW Waratahs 3
QLD Blades 3 versus SA Hotshots 0
QLD Blades 2 versus WA Thundersticks 0
QLD Blades 3 versus Vic Vikings 1
QLD Blades 2 versus WA Thundersticks 1

Mick Evans - QLD Blades Coach



AHL SCORCHERS

Thank you for the opportunity to be the Head Coach of one of Australia's Premier female domestic sporting teams. Having little to no previous involvement with the team, I would like to thank Des King and Brian Fitzpatrick for the insight and background into the individual players and the collective playing group.

I would also 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 previously mentioned Assistant Coach, Des King. Special mention to Marni Simpson who joined the group later in our preparation as a result of the unfortunate withdrawal of Nicki Taylor due to a family illness. Marni demonstrated advanced understanding of the video requirements, possess a high level work ethic and contributed to team dynamic and harmonious approach.

Congratulations are extended to all the players involved in their successful campaign and becoming the 2015 AHL Champions. The preparation for this tournament was difficult and not ideal. With 9 players based in Perth and unavailable until the final week of our build up, all players need to be commended on the acceptance of this situation and the positive approach applied. This was critical to the team playing their best hockey towards the end of the tournament.

The players also need to be commended on their availability and willingness to work with the two U/13 QLD teams that were also competing in Sydney. The joint training session with these two teams during the championships was very well handled by the Scorchers and I am sure will be a highlight for the U/13 athletes and drive them to reach the same level of achievement.

To assist with the breakdown of the campaign, please see following dot points-

1. Preparation in Brisbane

- As mentioned, player availability made this difficult for the collective group.
- Large numbers of withdrawals from the selected squad made training numbers in Brisbane difficult. Special thanks to the Brisbane U/15 boys and Valley Senior men's athletes that help with the training numbers and match situations

- Thank you to other specialist coaches that worked with our group in the build up. Mathew Smith, Stephen Lambert, Angie Lambert, Nicky Taylor and the outstanding physiological preparation from David Watts and Technical assistance of Trish King.

2. Preparation in Sydney

- Accommodation -
 - o Staying in the Olympic Park precinct was a critical factor in the success of the team. Short travel times to training and matches, the ability to return to the hotel post game and then return to view later matches, made this ideal. Also the speed of being able to collect the coded video footage of our competitors increased the time the coaches had to scout opponents and plan for coming matches.
 - o Staying in the western suburbs also contributed to the athlete's ability to hockey detox on the nominated rest day. The Des King organised team trip to Cronulla meant that the entire team could get away from the hotel and the hockey environment and really free their heads from hockey for a day. The 40min bus trip to Cronulla also enhanced team cohesion and dynamic.
 - o Having access to an indoor sports centre in the precinct also contributed to our game day preparation. The mid afternoon indoor cricket matches on days we had late matches, allowed us to spike the athletes heart rates and ready them for the evening games.
- Playing Style - I introduced a new playing style for the team. The difficulty was having enough time with the players for them to understand the playing shape and how I wanted the game plans to be executed. We looked at the draw for the tournament and planned how this could work in our favour.

3. Matches

- SA - 2-1. Good game to get first up. Strong opponent. Goals to Jodie Kenny and Madonna Blyth
- NT - 9-0. Excellent performance against a weaker opponent. Timing of this match was ideal to be able to review the new playing style from the SA match and have some freedom to make the necessary corrections. It also enabled

the strikers to further understand my strategies on their positioning.
Goals - Murphy Allendorf - 3, Jodie Kenny - 2, Jill Dwyer, Savannah Fitzpatrick, Madison Fitzpatrick, Renee Taylor - 1

- Vic - 0-2. In hindsight, this result contributed to our success more than any other. Although we dominated the match statistically, playing a better opponent highlighted the areas that we needed to be better in if we were going to contend for the title.
- ACT - 6-2. More good fortune with the draw. Playing ACT allowed for us to apply the adjustments needed from the VIC match. Needing a better goal difference to assist with our progression, it was pleasing to get an elevated performance and increased goal difference. Goal Scorers - Murphy Allendorf, Savannah Fitzpatrick - 2, Madison Fitzpatrick, Stephanie Kershaw, 1
- NSW 2-1. Needing to win to go through against 2nd best team at the tournament produced our best performance. Now possessing a much better understanding of the playing style, the Scorchers were able to wear down their opponent and get the decisive winning goal in the 2nd last minute. Goals - Jodie Kenny, Jill Dwyer
- Championship Match v VIC. 2-1. Knowing that it is very difficult to beat the

same team twice in the one tournament, we were looking forward to playing Vic in the final. Playing the structure better and having a better understanding of Victoria's strengths allowed us to dominate the match but not on the scoreboard. 18 goal shots to 1 for the match is a good indication of this. Jodie Kenny was outstanding in the final and was extremely unlucky not to be player of the match. Goals - Jodie Kenny, Madonna Blyth.

4. Review

- Statistically the Scorchers were clearly the dominant team at the championships.

Some of these stats include

- o 40% more goal shots than nearest opponent
- o 55% fewer defensive circle penetrations
- o 60% less turnovers in defensive half
- o 60% more positive dispossession of opponents in attacking half
- o WON the Championships
- Team had great balance between penalty corner goals and field goals, thus not having to rely on one facet of our game to get goals.
 - Jodie Kenny unlucky not to be named Player of the Tournament and Player of the Final
 - Depth of the squad needs to be monitored with the possible large number of retirements after the RIO Olympics.

Regards
Lee Bodimeade



STATE TEAMS & PLACINGS

For a full listing of 2015 National Championship Results and Awards, visit the Hockey Queensland website - www.hockeyqld.com.au

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS - OUTDOOR

Final Places

Women

Queensland Scorchers	Sydney	1st
State U21 Team	Hobart	3rd
State U18 Team	Adelaide	1st
State U15 Team #1	Gold Coast	1st
State U15 Team #2	Gold Coast	3rd
State U13 Team (Cinders)	Sydney	3rd
State U13 Team (Embers)	Sydney	4th
State Masters 35+ Team	Brisbane	1st
State Masters 40+ Team	Brisbane	1st
State Masters 45+ Team	Brisbane	4th
State Masters 50+ Team	Brisbane	1st
State Masters 55+ Team #1	Brisbane	2nd
State Masters 55+ Team #2	Brisbane	4th
State Masters 60+ Team #1	Brisbane	4th
State Masters 60+ Team #2	Brisbane	6th
Country	Wollongong	4th

QUEENSLAND SCORCHERS TEAM - Sydney - 25 September - 2 October 2015

Murphy Allendorf	Teneal Attard	Madonna Blyth
Jane Bennett	Clare Comerford	Jacqui Day
Jill Dwyer	Kirstin Dwyer	Ashlea Fey
Madson Fitzpatrick	Savannah Fitzpatrick	Jordyn Holzberger
Jodie Kenny	Stephanie Kershaw	Kazzia Lammon
Audrey Smith	Jamie Stone	Renee Taylor

Coach: Lee Bodimeade
A/Coach: Des King

Manager: Kim Tuckwell
Physio: Ben Currie

Men

Queensland Blades	Darwin	1st
State U21 Team	Canberra	4th
State U18 Team	Melbourne	4th
State U15 Team #1	Hobart	7th
State U15 Team #2	Hobart	6th
State U13 Team (Cutters)	Darwin	7th
State U13 Team (Sabres)	Darwin	3rd
State Masters 35+ Team	Cairns	4th
State Masters 40+ Team	Cairns	5th
State Masters 45+ Team	Cairns	1st
State Masters 45+ Team Div 2	Cairns	2nd
State Masters 50+ Team	Cairns	3rd
State Masters 50+ Team Div 2	Cairns	3rd
State Masters 55+ Team	Cairns	3rd
State Masters 55+ Team Div 2	Cairns	3rd
State Masters 60+ Team	Cairns	2nd
State Masters 65+ Team	Cairns	2nd
State Masters 70+ Team	Cairns	1st
Country	Wollongong	3rd

QUEENSLAND BLADES TEAM - Darwin - 25 September - 2 October 2015

Daniel Beale	Robert Bell	Simon Borger
Cale Cramer	Justin Douglas	Jamie Dwyer
Nicholas Edds	Troy Elder	Kris Glass
Matthew Gohdes	Adam Imer	Shane Kenny
Mark Knowles	Hugh Pembroke	Matthew Swann
David Watts	Jake Whetton	Dylan Wotherspoon

Coach: Mick Evans
A/Coach: Matthew Wells

Manager: Peter Searston
Physio: Jesse Buntine

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS - INDOOR

Final Places

Women

Indoor Open	Canberra	4th
Indoor U21	Canberra	4th
Indoor U18	Melbourne	6th
Indoor U15	Melbourne	4th

OPEN TEAM

Clare Comerford	Natalie Crick	Kate Dooley
Minka Elliott	Ashlea Fey	Lindsey Leck
Trudi Pedersen	Lauren Richards	Madeleine Smith
Amy Swann	Pamela Williams	

Coach: Gaye Tarrant

Manager: Kelly Moore

Men

Indoor Open	Canberra	4th
Indoor U21	Canberra	3rd
Indoor U18	Melbourne	4th
Indoor U15	Melbourne	4th

OPEN TEAM

Matthew Argent	Kula Bhullar	Adrian Cross
Dylan Elliott	Adam McClelland	Justin Morris
Tristan Parker	Hugh Pembroke	Matthew Pembroke
Jared Taylor	Thomas Woodley	

Coach: Gavin Hanscomb

Manager: Ben Smith



NATIONAL TEAMS / SQUADS SELECTION

National Junior Squad

Women (named 5/1/15)

Murphy Allendorf	Hannah Astbury	Madison Fitzpatrick
Savannah Fitzpatrick	Stephanie Kershaw	Ambrosia Malone
Renee Taylor	Rebecca Greiner <i>(included 11/3/15)</i>	

Men (named 30/1/15)

Scott Boyde	Oliver Crane	Timothy Howard
Bradley Hughes		

2015 Indoor World Cup Team

Women

Clare Comerford	Ashlea Fey
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National Senior Squad

Women (named 24/2/15)

Teneal Attard	Madonna Blyth	Kirstin Dwyer
Jodie Kenny		

Men (named 19/12/14)

Daniel Beale	Jamie Dwyer	Matthew Gohdes
Mark Knowles	Matthew Swann	Jacob Whetton
Dylan Wotherspoon		

National Development Squad

Women (named 24/2/15)

Murphy Allendorf	Stephanie Kershaw*	Jacqui Day
Madison Fitzpatrick*	Savannah Fitzpatrick	Jordyn Holzberger
Audrey Smith	Renee Taylor*	<i>*given AIS Scholarship</i>

China International Challenge - 2-6 April 2015, Sydney, Australia

Teneal Attard	Madonna Blyth	Kirstin Dwyer
Savannah Fitzpatrick	Jodie Kenny	Renee Taylor

Hawkes Bay Festival - 11-19 April 2015, Hawkes Bay, New Zealand

Teneal Attard	Madonna Blyth	Kirstin Dwyer
Jodie Kenny	Renee Taylor* <i>(w/d injured)</i>	

Hobart International Challenge - 5-10 May 2015, Hobart, Australia

Daniel Beale	Jamie Dwyer	Matthew Gohdes
Mark Knowles	Matthew Swann	Jacob Whetton
Dylan Wotherspoon		

World League Squad - World League Semi Final, June 2015

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

Korea Series, August 2015

Teneal Attard	Madison Fitzpatrick	Savannah Fitzpatrick
Jodie Kenny	Stephanie Kershaw	Renee Taylor



NATIONAL TEAMS / SQUADS SELECTION

Oceania Cup - October 2015, New Zealand

Women

Madonna Blyth	Kirstin Dwyer	Madison Fitzpatrick
Jodie Kenny	Stephanie Kershaw	

Men

Jamie Dwyer	Matthew Gohdes	Mark Knowles
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U21 Jillaroos vs Argentina Tests, October 2015, Argentina

Savannah Fitzpatrick	Ambrosia Malone	Renee Taylor
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World League Squad - World League Finals, December 2015

Women (Rosario, Argentina)

Madonna Blyth	Kirstin Dwyer	Madison Fitzpatrick
Jodie Kenny	Renee Taylor	

Men (Raipur, India)

Daniel Beale	Jamie Dwyer	Matthew Gohdes
Mark Knowles	Matthew Swann	Jacob Whetton* (w/d injured)
Dylan Wotherspoon		

Indian Test Series, November 2015, Raipur, India

Daniel Beale	Matthew Gohdes	Matthew Swann
Jake Whetton	Dylan Wotherspoon	

Australian Country Squads 2015/16

Senior Women

Chrissee Benn	Aimee Griffiths	Sara Rogers
Amanda Ross	Emily Woods	

Senior Men

Christopher Mantell	Jared Klease	Nathan Case
Nathan Doherty		

U21 Women

Lucy Balfour	Rita Boyd	Caitlin Day
Jessica Switzer	Mikaela Truskinger	

U21 Men

Patrick Barnes	Josh Baxter	Edwin Hamill
Joshua McCrae	Aaron O'Beirne	Jay Pavitt
Christian Ramsay	Lachlan Sinclair	

Masters Trans Tasman Hockey Tournament - 5-11 May 2015, Melbourne, Australia

Women O35

Amanda Cruickshank	Susan Goodwin	Sue Marcussen
Kylie McArthur	Annette Wilson	Erica Wells

Women O40

Jenny Anderson	Melinda Baker	Diana Burton
Catherine Pfingst	Cheryl Phillips	

Shadows

Dennette Dorrton	Natalie Pace	Therese Tonkin
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Women O45

Julie Ashton-Lucy	Cindy Atkinson	Tracey Geisler
Sue Henare		

Shadows

Natalie Pace

Women O50

Denise Brown
Lyn Grulke
Ingrid Woods

Leanne Ferguson
Teresa Kuss
Pam Patteson (A/Coach)

Cathryn Forbes
Karen Iwanuscha

Shadows

Wendy Pearce

Kathryn Richardson

Women O55

Ruth Bullen
Noreen Walton

Kathy Devitt
Megan Ward

Liz Moffatti
Dianne Barrie (Coach)

Shadows

Belle Davis
Kayleen Kirchner

Carol Jardim
Gail Lomas

Angela Kerklaan-Gulliger
Roslyn McCallum

Women O60

Myra Reilly
Patricia Hansen (Manager)

Kathy Worth

Linda Hunter (Coach)

Shadows

Jan Galloway

Kaylene Toovey

Men O35

Danny Mayfield

Philip Taylor

Scott Whitaker

Men O40

Grant Smith
Peter Keeble

Matthew Bradley
Andrew May

Jason Burns
Scott

Men O45

Dean Wightman

Alan Sheehy (Coach)

Men O50

Andrew Small

Paul Hardie (Manager)

Men O55

Stephen Sawyers

Russell Staff

Scott Orth (Umpire)

Men O60

John Campbell
Richard Arthur (Umpire)

Peter Mann

Gary Smith (Manager)

Men O65

Keith Chay
Neil Sue Sue

Anton Dekens
Peter Evison (Medical)

Warren Flower



NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL OFFICIALS

U18 Men Australian Championships - 8-16 April 2015, Melbourne, VIC

Harley Schenck
Chris Harris
Allen Schasser

U18 Women Australian Championships - 8-16 April 2015, Adelaide, SA

Debbie O'Connell
Leonie Young
Jess Fox
Morgan Leeder
Claire Butcher
Lyn Hill

U15 Men Australian Championships - 11-19 April 2015, Hobart, TAS

Zac Hoyland
Chris Ibell
Corey Mogg
Kristen Schenck

U15 Women Australian Championships - 11-19 April 2015, Gold Coast, QLD

Emily Ogden
Miranda McNamara
Chantelle Manhire
Nicola Arthy
Tracey Fischer
Lyn Cowie-McAlister

U21 Men Australian Championships - 12-19 July 2015, Hobart, TAS

Adrian Cross
Aaron Gotting

U21 Women Australian Championships - 12-19 July 2015, Canberra, ACT

Kerryl Chandler
Carrie Born

U13 Boys Australian Championships - 25 September-2 October 2015, Darwin, NT

Connor Yates
Lachlan Jennings

U13 Girls Australian Championships - 25 September-2 October 2015, Sydney, NSW

Maddyson Mogg
Lauren Berndt
Telia Lucht
Jasmine Collier

Open Men and Women Australian Country Championships - 8-15 August 2015, Unanderra, NSW

Jess Currie
Jordan Rance

Women's Masters Australian Championships - 24 September-3 October 2015, Brisbane, QLD

Cath O'Brien	Helen Kura	Sioux Sharpe
Anne Jones	Tracey Hollis	Tina Deacon
Mel Craig	Naomi Crase	Naomi Zerner
Sonya Fisher	Claire Butcher	David Black
Julie Kura	Bernadette Robson	Miranda McNamara
Debbie O'Connell	Lynn Cowie-McAlister	Jess Currie

Men's Masters Australian Championships - 26 September-10 October 2015, Cairns, QLD

Michael Lever	Allen Schasser	Richard Arthur
Brett Grady	Chris Harris	Robert Lewis
Geoff Hollis	Rod Hurst	Blake Kroning
Chris Leeder	Robert Lewis	Scott Orth
Ross Price	Kristen Schenk	

**Men's Australian Hockey League - 25 September-2 October 2015,
Darwin, NT**

Adam Barry
Andrew Hickman
Adam Kearns
Gary Marsh

**Women's Australian Hockey League - 25 September-2 October 2015,
Sydney, NSW**

Aleisha Neumann
Bernadette Pangrazio

Hockey World League Rd 2 - 17-25 January 2015, Singapore

Gary Marsh

4th Men's Indoor World Cup - 4-8 February 2015, Leipzig, Germany

Adam Barry

4th Women's Indoor World Cup - 4-8 February 2015, Leipzig, Germany

Irene Clelland
Melanie Craig

**24th Sultan Azlan Shah Cup Tournament - 5-12 April 2015, Ipoh,
Malaysia**

Steve Rogers

**8 Nations Women's Invitational - Hawkes Bay Cup 2015 - 11-19 April
2015, Hastings, New Zealand**

Aleisha Neumann

2015 Masters Trans Tasman Series, 20 April 2015, Melbourne, Australia

Leonie Young	Tracey Hollis	Tina Deacon
Anne Jones	Ronda Nix OAM	Vicki Warren
Caroline Schomberg		

Euro Hockey Championships Men & Women II - 19-26 July 2015, Prague

Ben De Young
Aleisha Neumann

7th Men's Junior Asia Cup

Ben De Young

Hero World League Final - 27 November-6 December 2015, Raipur, India

Adam Kearns

**4 Nations Women's Indoor Invitational Tournament - 15-18 December
2015, Durban, Sth Africa**

Joanne Greensill



QLD PLAYERS DOMINATE

2015 Hockey Australia Awards

Australian Hockey's Most Capped Players:

JAMIE DWYER & MADONNA BLYTH

Hockey Australia Hall of Fame Inductee:

NIKKI HUDSON

Hockeyroos Player of the Year:

JODIE KENNY

Hockeyroos Top Goal Scorer:

JODIE KENNY (22 Goals)

Hockeyroos Debutants:

MADISON FITZPATRICK, SAVANNAH FITZPATRICK

STEPHANIE KERSHAW, RENEE TAYLOR

200 Caps for the Hockeyroos:

TENEAL ATTARD

300 Caps for the Hockeyroos:

MADONNA BLYTH

Kookaburras Top Goal Scorer:

JAMIE DWYER (16 Goals)

Kookaburras Debutants 2015:

DYLAN WOTHERSPOON

50 Caps for the Kookaburras:

DANIEL BEALE

100 Caps for the Kookaburras:

MATT GOHDES

250 Caps for the Kookaburras:

MARK KNOWLES

MATT SWANN

350 Caps for the Kookaburras:

JAMIE DWYER

HONOUR BOARD & AWARDS

2014 Annual Award Recipients

Female Player of the Year	Jodie Kenny
Male Player of the Year	Mark Knowles
Female Rookie of the Year	Savannah Fitzpatrick
Male Rookie of the Year	Dylan Wotherspoon
Coach of the Year	Craig Martin
Umpire of the Year	Ben de Young
Most Promising Umpire of the Year	Kerryl Chandler
Association of the Year	Maryborough & District
Volunteer of the Year	Jan Walker

Women's Masters Association Service Awards

Name	Association
Rhonda Bentley	Brisbane
Di Young	Brisbane
Nola Zahn	Bundaberg
Robyn Black	Gladstone
Janette Howells	Ipswich
Bev Dunn	Mackay
Anne Proctor	Maryborough
Jason Brogden	Mt Isa
Bev Nunan	Sunshine Coast

**Presented to those who have made a contribution to women's vets/masters at association level for a minimum of 10 years.*

Women's Masters State Representation Award

Level	Name	
Silver (15 Years)		
Di Fraser	Judy Keen	Joy Lewis
Bronze (10 Years)		
Di Barrie	Ruth Bullen	Sara Colwill
Karen Iwanuscha	Teresa Kuss	Kathryn Richardson
Robyn Sutherland		

**Presented to those who have represented Hockey Queensland at Hockey Australia Women's Vets/ Masters Championships for a minimum of 10 years as a player and/or official.*

Hockey Australia Women's Masters State Service Awards 2015

Heather Evans
Linda Hunter
Dianne Barrie
Karin Walduck

HOCKEY QUEENSLAND INC.

AUDITED FINANCIAL REPORT

**FOR THE 15 MONTHS ENDED
31 DECEMBER 2015**

HOCKEY QUEENSLAND INC.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE 15 MONTHS ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2015

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HOCKEY QUEENSLAND INC. BOARD OF DIRECTORS REPORT

Your Board members submit the financial statements of Hockey Queensland Inc. for the 15 months ended 31 December 2015.

BOARD MEMBERS

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

K Walduck	(President)	Continuing board member
S James		Resigned 30th October 2015
S Stewart	(Vice President)	Appointed casual board member 24th July 2015
K Bain		Retired 7th November 2014
D Cavanagh		Continuing board member
P Hack		Resigned 21st November 2015
P Hansen		Continuing board member
A Willox		Resigned 24th April 2015
C Camilleri		Resigned 27th March 2015
V Carthew		Appointed casual board member 19th Dec 2014
H Gush		Appointed 22nd May 2015

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The principal activities of the association during the 15 month period from October 2014 to December 2015 were:

- To organise, promote, preserve and foster the sport of hockey in Queensland,
- To provide a premium surface and facility in which to hold competitive hockey in Brisbane; and
- To encourage the playing of hockey competitions.

SIGNIFICANT CHANGES

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

OPERATING RESULT


The deficit from operating activities for the 15 month period amounted to \$370,947 (2014 financial year-deficit \$80,058).

LIKELY DEVELOPMENTS

None.

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


.....
K Walduck
President


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H Gush
Director of Finance

Dated this 8th day of February 2016

HOCKEY QUEENSLAND INC.

INCOME STATEMENT

FOR THE 15 MONTHS ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2015

	Note	For the 15 months ended 31 December 2015	Year ended 30 September 2014
REVENUE		\$	\$
Members levies		10,550	2,068
Members affiliations, registrations & insurance		808,489	730,912
Government assistance	2	404,423	330,465
Competitions - State		76,793	55,910
Sponsorships	3	152,606	144,618
Hire of facilities		447,072	355,889
Canteen and Bar		222,835	134,370
Other	4	390,251	165,910
Indigenous remote program funding	2	246,615	248,996
Write-back of surface replacement provision		63,368	92,286
		<u>2,823,002</u>	<u>2,261,424</u>
EXPENDITURE			
Hockey Australia	5	196,131	147,654
Field maintenance	10	479,236	396,334
Administration	6	1,044,309	722,834
Depreciation & amortisation		450,659	335,574
Officiating	7	72,210	52,025
Competitions- State	8	87,495	21,096
Competitions- National	8	-	124,021
Marketing /Media	9	240,367	48,927
Athlete development	7	199,792	162,161
Indigenous remote program funding		255,045	248,996
Canteen and Bar		168,705	81,860
		<u>3,193,949</u>	<u>2,341,482</u>
(DEFICIT)/SURPLUS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		(370,947)	(80,058)
Less profit share to Qld Hockey Associations		-	-
NET (DEFICIT)/SURPLUS	20	(370,947)	(80,058)

The accompanying notes form part of this financial report.

HOCKEY QUEENSLAND INC.

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2015

	Note	31 December 2015	30 September 2014
		\$	\$
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash	11	132,712	621,826
Receivables	12	297,257	403,838
Inventory	13	18,543	19,666
Total Current Assets		448,512	1,045,330
NON-CURRENT ASSETS			
Property, plant and equipment	14	3,057,475	3,345,631
Intangibles	15	7,223	14,273
Total Non-Current Assets		3,064,698	3,359,904
TOTAL ASSETS		3,513,210	4,405,234
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Payables	16	236,172	445,436
Financial liabilities	17	3,640	29,504
Revenue received in advance	18	23,897	219,237
Provisions	19	64,386	81,339
Total current liabilities		328,095	775,516
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Provisions	19	30,273	103,929
Total Non- Current liabilities		30,273	103,929
TOTAL LIABILITIES		358,368	879,445
NET ASSETS		3,154,842	3,525,789
ASSOCIATION'S FUNDS			
Accumulated surplus from operations	20	3,154,842	3,525,789
TOTAL ASSOCIATION'S FUNDS		3,154,842	3,525,789

The accompanying notes form part of this financial report.

HOCKEY QUEENSLAND INC.

STATEMENT OF CASHFLOWS

FOR THE 15 MONTHS ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2015

	Note	For the 15 months ended 31 December 2015	Year ended 30 September 2014
		\$	\$
CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Receipts from customers and grant providers		2,780,903	3,733,968
Payments to suppliers and employees		(3,041,259)	(3,431,748)
Interest and investment income received		397	3,262
Borrowing costs paid		-	(5,264)
Net cash (used in)/provided by operating activities	21(b)	(259,959)	300,218
CASH FLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Payment for property, plant and equipment		(203,291)	(256,411)
Payment for other non current assets		-	(18,500)
Net cash used in investing activities		(203,291)	(274,911)
CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Repayment of facilities loan		(25,864)	(21,569)
Repayment of lease		-	(7,440)
Net cash used in financing activities		(25,684)	(29,009)
Net (decrease)/increase in cash held		(489,114)	(3,705)
Cash at beginning of year		621,826	625,531
Cash at end of year	21(a)	132,712	621,826

The accompanying notes form part of this financial report.

HOCKEY QUEENSLAND INC.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE 15 MONTHS ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2015

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 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 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.

HOCKEY QUEENSLAND INC.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE 15 MONTHS ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2015

NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES

(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 are included in the cash flow statement on a gross basis.

(d) **Plant and Equipment**

The Board of Directors record 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 members levies, insurance, registered players 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.

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NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES

(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) **Change in financial year end**

The financial year end of the Association was changed from 30 September to 31 December to align with the funding year. Accordingly, the comparative figures for the income statements, statements of changes in equity, cash flow statements and the related notes are for twelve (12) months from 1 October 2013 to 30 September 2014.

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FOR THE 15 MONTHS ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2015**

		For the 15 months ended 31 December 2015	Year ended 30 September 2014
		\$	\$
NOTE 2: GOVERNMENT ASSISTANCE			
(i)	Sport & Recreation (State Development Program) grant received and acquitted during the year	404,423	330,465
(ii)	Indigenous grant income received and acquitted during the year	246,615	248,996
Sport & Recreation Queensland funding grant totalled \$403,131 for the 15 months ended 31 December 2015. The grant is brought to account on the basis of benefit obtained to 31 December 2015.			
Indigenous Programme Grant comprised of several ongoing and one-off funding amounts.			
NOTE 3: SPONSORSHIP			
Funds received from Queensland Hockey Major League Corporate Marketing sponsors			
		152,606	192,304
NOTE 4: OTHER INCOME			
	Officiating and resource sales	-	903
	Participation funding	112,605	73,533
	Registration & insurance	13,625	-
	Holiday clinic	24,452	-
	Indigenous employment	11,818	-
	Hockey development services	2,738	408
	Rent	55,349	74,169
	Interest	397	3,261
	Profit on sale of asset	21,088	-
	Management fee	7,200	7,200
	ATO refund	52,508	-
	Grant for Mower	31,818	-
	General	56,653	6,436
		390,251	165,910
NOTE 5: HOCKEY AUSTRALIA FEES			
Monies remitted to Hockey Australia is based on the number of teams registered in Queensland			
		196,131	147,654

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	Note	For the 15 months ended 2015	Year ended 30 September 2014
		\$	\$
NOTE 6: ADMINISTRATION			
Wages and superannuation		770,199	458,407
Telephone / Facsimile / Internet		15,987	13,557
Printing / Stationery / Photocopying / Postage		16,667	10,306
Board & Committee meetings, travel		37,956	16,639
Merchant fees and bank charges		9,588	8,934
Legal Fees		3,190	3,476
Computer support		23,832	10,128
Audit fees		13,000	12,500
Insurance		48,829	37,896
Borrowing costs		1,770	5,264
Bad debts provided		4,143	-
Consultancy		-	982
Loss on asset disposal		47,187	-
Other		51,961	144,745
		<u>1,044,309</u>	<u>722,834</u>
NOTE 7: OFFICIATING & ATHLETE DEVELOPMENT			
Officiating:			
- Development		57,210	13,147
- Championships		15,000	38,878
		<u>72,210</u>	<u>52,025</u>
Athlete Development		199,792	162,161
		<u>272,002</u>	<u>214,186</u>
NOTE 8: COMPETITIONS			
State Championships		87,495	21,096
Australian Hockey League		-	66,298
National Championships		-	57,723
		<u>87,495</u>	<u>145,117</u>
NOTE 9: MARKETING/MEDIA/PROMOTION			
Sponsor Servicing		3,000	7,533
Promotion / Media / Television		233,849	38,180
Sports Awards		<u>3,518</u>	<u>3,214</u>
		<u>240,367</u>	<u>48,927</u>

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**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE 15 MONTHS ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2015**

	For the 15 months ended 2015	Year ended 30 September 2014
	\$	\$
NOTE 10: FIELD MAINTENANCE		
Rates	46,377	34,710
Wages & staff costs	183,118	153,609
Electricity & utilities	133,156	113,154
Repairs & maintenance	78,126	68,406
Other	38,459	26,455
	<u>479,236</u>	<u>396,334</u>
	31 December 2015	Year ended 30 September 2014
	\$	\$
NOTE 11: CASH		
Petty Cash	550	600
Cash at Bank	109,300	518,126
Cash in investment account	20,062	97,580
Till & ATM Money Canteen & Bar	<u>2,800</u>	<u>5,520</u>
	<u>132,712</u>	<u>621,826</u>
NOTE 12: RECEIVABLES		
Current		
Trade Debtors	70,202	211,378
Prepayments & other sundry debtors	<u>227,055</u>	<u>192,460</u>
	<u>297,257</u>	<u>403,838</u>
NOTE 13: INVENTORY		
Uniforms and equipment	<u>18,543</u>	<u>19,666</u>
	<u>18,543</u>	<u>19,666</u>

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		31 December 2015	Year ended 30 September 2014
		\$	\$
NOTE 14: PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT			
<u>Property</u>			
Buildings and Facilities		7,003,662	6,850,262
Less Accumulated Depreciation		(4,207,518)	(3,802,229)
		2,796,144	3,048,033
<u>Plant & Equipment</u>			
Plant and equipment		594,892	567,382
Less Accumulated depreciation		(348,372)	(327,125)
		246,520	240,257
Fixtures and Fittings		64,362	66,254
Less Accumulated depreciation		(52,635)	(13,634)
		11,727	52,620
Office equipment – at cost		38,031	38,289
Less Accumulated depreciation		(34,947)	(33,568)
		3,084	4,721
Total Plant & Equipment		261,331	297,598
Total Property, Plant and Equipment		3,057,475	3,345,631
An independent valuation of property, plant and equipment was last undertaken on 24 January 2006 by Leary & Partners Pty Ltd. On a replacement basis the property, plant and equipment was valued at \$12,270,596.			
NOTE 15: INTANGIBLES			
During prior years Hockey Queensland Inc has incurred costs in respect of the transfer of the State Hockey Centre Association Inc. leasehold title over land at Murarrie.			
Capitalised Cost of Development Plans		49,698	49,698
Accumulated amortisation		(42,475)	(35,425)
		7,223	14,273
The intangible assets are amortised over the following periods:			
Preliminary Expenses (Feasibility Study)	5 Years		

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**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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	31 December 2015	Year ended 30 September 2014
NOTE 16: PAYABLES	\$	\$
Trade Creditors	140,244	300,619
Accruals	106,456	145,189
Taxation liabilities and net GST payable	(10,528)	(372)
	<u>236,172</u>	<u>445,436</u>
NOTE 17: FINANCIAL LIABILITIES		
Facilities Loan	3,640	29,504
	<u>3,640</u>	<u>29,504</u>
The facilities loan is a \$90,000 facility secured against lease of the State Hockey Centre.		
The loan incurs a fixed interest of 7.75% until March 2016 and is secured with a registered mortgage over all assets of Hockey Qld Inc.		
NOTE 18: REVENUE IN ADVANCE		
Portion of resource funding agreement from Sport & Recreation Queensland relating to next financial year	-	75,616
Indigenous grant not yet expended	-	119,671
Active inclusion programme	-	23,950
Brisbane City Council - Rebate	23,897	-
	<u>23,897</u>	<u>219,237</u>
NOTE 19: PROVISIONS		
CURRENT		
Annual Leave	53,901	71,488
Long Service Leave	10,485	9,851
	<u>64,386</u>	<u>81,339</u>
NON CURRENT		
Long Service Leave	13,104	23,392
Provision for Capital Replacement	17,169	80,537
	<u>30,273</u>	<u>103,929</u>
Total Provisions	<u>94,659</u>	<u>185,268</u>

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	31 December 2015	Year ended 30 September 2014
	\$	\$
NOTE 20: ACCUMULATED SURPLUS		
Accumulated surplus from operations:		
At beginning of financial year	3,525,789	3,605,847
Surplus/(Deficit) from operations for the year	(370,947)	(80,058)
	3,154,842	3,525,789
NOTE 21: CASH FLOW INFORMATION		
a. Reconciliation of cash		
Cash at the end of the financial year as shown in the statement of cash flows is reconciled to the related items in the statement of financial position as follows:		
	132,712	621,826
b. Reconciliation of Cash Flow from Operations with net surplus/(deficit)		
Net surplus/(deficit)	(370,947)	(80,058)
Non cash flows in deficit		
Depreciation & amortisation	498,497	335,575
Changes in assets and liabilities:		
(Increase)/Decrease in receivables	106,581	78,136
(Increase)/Decrease in inventory	1,123	381
(Decrease)/Increase in payables	(209,263)	35,922
(Decrease)/Increase in revenue in advance	(195,340)	47,154
(Decrease)/Increase in provisions - entitlements	(27,242)	(24,608)
(Decrease)/Increase in provisions – other, net of equity movement	(63,368)	(92,284)
	(259,959)	300,218

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NOTE 22: 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. Total Rewards points available for redemption is 575,903 (2014: 603,038).

NOTE 23: MORTGAGES, CHARGES & SECURITIES

In March 2011, Hockey Qld Inc entered into a 5 year fixed term loan agreement with the Bank of Queensland Inc. The loan facility is secured over the lease of the State Hockey Centre and a bill of sale over the operations and assets of Hockey Qld Inc.

At 31 December 2015 there were no other mortgages, charges, or securities of any description affecting any of the property of the Association in terms of section 59 (i)(a)(iii) of the Association Incorporation (as amended) Act 1995.

NOTE 24: EVENTS SUBSEQUENT TO BALANCE DATE

No events have occurred subsequent to 31 December 2015 that impact current year operating results.

HOCKEY QUEENSLAND INC.

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 14:

- 1) present fairly the financial position of Hockey Queensland Inc. as at 31 December 2015 and its performance for the year ended on that date in accordance with the Associations Incorporation Act 1981; and
- 2) 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:



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K Walduck
President



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H Gush
Director of Finance

Dated this 8th day of February 2016

INDEPENDENT AUDIT REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF HOCKEY QUEENSLAND INC.

Report on the Financial Report

We have audited the financial report, being a special purpose financial report, of Hockey Queensland Inc. which comprises the income statement, the balance sheet as at 31 December 2015, statement of cash flows, a summary of significant accounting policies, other explanatory notes and the statement by the Board of Directors.

Director's Responsibility for the Financial Report

The Directors are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report and has determined that the basis of preparation described in Note 1 is appropriate to meet the requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act 1981 Queensland and is appropriate to meet the needs of the members. The Board of Director's responsibility also includes such internal control as the Board of Directors 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.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial report based on our audit. We have conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. These Auditing Standards require that we comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial report is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial report. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial report 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. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the committee, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial report.

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

Audit Opinion

In our opinion, the financial report presents fairly in all material respects the financial position of Hockey Queensland Inc. as at 31 December 2015 and the results of its financial performance and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with the financial reporting requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act 1981 Queensland.

Basis of Accounting and Restriction on Distribution

Without modifying our opinion, 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 Incorporation Act 1981 Queensland. As a result, the financial report may not be suitable for another purpose.

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