

VICTORIAN COUNTRY VOLLEYBALL COUNCIL

RECORD SECRETARY'S REPORT

21/10/80

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Geelong	9.4	67.6	26.9
Hamilton	No data for 1979 to compare		
Latrobe Valley	112.7	49.5	88.1
Swan Hill	5.5	100.0	14.8
Wangaratta	-15.2	-48.6	-23.5
Warrnambool	-40.8	-7.9	-29.9
Goulburn Valley	66.7	57.1	65.8
Seymour	-13.5	15.6	-4.1

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Commenting on the highlights of the above table, shows Ballarat in a situation they should note with respect to Junior figures. Although not serious at the moment, if the trend continues, then problems lie ahead. Geelong have shown a good increase, which will be to their benefit in the future. Latrobe Valley have an excellent increase, which is no doubt due to the new competition commenced at Moe. Wangaratta have once again declined, and the 'red lights' should be flashing in this area. Warrnambool has taken a marked decline, especially in Senior ranks, and I am sure the Council would be interested in the reasons behind this. Goulburn Valley have increased considerably, and should be congratulated on the effort.

Across the country area of the State, we have experienced a 16.5% increase in participants. Approximately 6% of this is attributable to the Hamilton Association who are included for the first time this year. The remainder is probably due to the new competition at Moe under the L.V.V.A., which means those Associations making real gains are countered by those losing participants.

Attached are the detailed statistical breakdown and dissection of players by Association. The player dissection report highlights some interesting trends in the junior ranks over the last few years. Geelong, Latrobe Valley and Seymour are all holding or increasing their juniors, give or take a few. Ballarat have suffered a consistent decline in U20, U17, and U15 women. One could ask the future of the Women's competition in Ballarat if this trend is not reversed? Bendigo have a decline in U20 men and women, U17 women and U15 men. The magnitude of the numbers in this Association is such that decreases are not serious unless sustained.

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Hamilton, Swan Hill, Wangaratta and Goulburn Valley, all have very few players in U17 or U15. Is there anything this Council can do to assist these Associations increase junior participation? Is there anything these Associations have in common which may effect junior involvement? Country Victoria has produced some fine junior talent, and unless junior growth is maintained, this situation will not continue. As a matter of interest, the Aust. U20 men, currently in Korea, has 5 Victorians, all of them country players.

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PLAYER DISSECTION

DATE: 20/10/80

OPEN MEN *****	OPEN WOMEN *****	U20 MEN *****	U20 WOMEN *****	U17 MEN *****	U17 WOMEN *****	U15 MEN *****	U15 WOMEN *****
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91 94 65	41 37 30	39 47 45	26 37 55	15 20 25	7 16 26	13 5 15	3 3 11
161 166 148	167 147 126	23 41 40	56 60 76	73 59 43	50 78 86	69 86 86	141 78 86
91 97 107	96 74 31	30 23 23	16 17 22	21 8 16	21 9 28	12 6 4	24 11 17
88 0 0	26 0 0	10 0 0	4 0 0	10 0 0	1 0 0	3 0 0	0 0 0
203 87 156	114 62 93	33 24 26	44 23 11	16 13 9	17 25 15	15 4 5	17 6 11
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 0
49 60 67	47 31 37	7 6 10	6 4 9	3 0 5	4 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0
63 88 84	32 24 30	1 6 6	8 10 3	0 3 3	9 14 3	0 1 1	1 3 6
62 92 113	89 163 109	7 7 1	39 32 21	11 14 2	22 45 34	9 8 3	28 20 16
153 68 66	82 73 68	6 0 3	7 3 3	3 9 10	6 0 1	0 1 16	0 1 0
75 78 0	40 55 0	11 14 0	12 9 0	14 8 0	15 14 0	13 9 0	9 10 0

1980	1056	734	167	218	166	152	134	223
1979	830	666	168	195	134	201	120	132
1978.	801	522	159	200	112	195	131	147

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PLAYER DISSECTION

DATE: 20

ASSOCIATION *****	OPEN MEN *****	OPEN WOMEN *****	U20 MEN *****	U20 WOMEN *****	U17 MEN *****	U17 WOMEN *****	U15 MEN *****	U13 *****
BALLARAT	91 94 65	41 37 30	39 47 45	26 37 55	15 20 25	7 16 26	13 5 15	
BENDIGO	181 166 148	167 147 126	23 41 40	56 60 76	73 59 43	50 78 86	69 86 86	
GEELONG	91 97 107	96 74 31	30 23 23	16 17 22	21 8 16	21 9 28	12 6 4	
HAMILTON	36 0 0	26 0 0	10 0 0	4 0 0	10 0 0	1 0 0	3 0 0	
LATROBE VALLEY	203 87 156	114 62 93	33 24 26	44 23 11	16 13 9	17 25 15	15 4 5	
LEONGATHA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
SWAN HILL	49 60 67	47 31 37	7 6 10	6 4 9	3 0 5	4 0 0	0 0 0	
WANGARATTA	63 88 84	32 24 30	1 6 6	8 10 3	0 3 3	9 14 3	0 1 1	
WARRNAMBOOL	62 92 113	89 163 109	7 7 1	39 32 21	11 14 2	22 45 34	9 8 3	
GOULBURN VALLEY	153 68 66	82 73 68	6 0 3	7 3 3	3 9 10	6 0 1	0 1 16	
SEYMOUR	75 78 0	40 55 0	11 14 0	12 9 0	14 8 0	15 14 0	13 9 0	
TOTALS:	1980 1056	734	167	218	166	152	134	
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STATISTICS

DATE:

ASSOCIATION	SNR MALES		SNR FEMALES		TOTAL SNRS		JNR MALES		JNR FEMALES		TOTAL JNRS		TOTAL PLAY
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BALLARAT	91	94	41	37	132	131	67	72	36	56	103	128	235
BENDIGO	181	166	167	147	348	313	165	186	247	216	412	402	760
GEELONG	91	97	96	74	187	171	63	37	61	37	124	74	311
HAMILTON	88	0	26	0	114	0	23	0	5	0	28	0	142
LATROBE VALLEY	203	87	114	62	317	149	64	41	78	54	142	95	459
SWAN HILL	49	60	47	31	96	91	10	6	10	4	20	10	116
WANGARATTA	63	88	32	24	95	112	1	10	18	27	19	37	114
WARRAMBOOL	62	92	89	163	151	255	27	29	89	97	116	126	267
GOULBURN VALLEY	153	68	82	73	235	141	9	10	13	4	22	14	257
SEYMOUR	75	78	40	55	115	133	38	31	36	33	74	64	189
TOTALS:	1056		734		1790		467		593		1060		1980 2850
	830		666		1496		422		528		950		1979 2446
													1978 2267

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AT	91	94	41	37	132	131	67	72	36	56	103	128	235	259
D	181	166	167	147	348	313	165	186	247	216	412	402	760	715
S	91	97	96	74	187	171	63	37	61	37	124	74	311	245
ON	88	0	26	0	114	0	23	0	5	0	28	0	142	0
E VALLEY	203	87	114	62	317	149	64	41	78	54	142	95	459	244
ILL	49	60	47	31	96	91	10	6	10	4	20	10	116	101
ATTA	63	88	32	24	95	112	1	10	18	27	19	37	114	149
IBOOL	62	92	89	163	151	255	27	29	89	97	116	126	267	381
EN VALLEY	153	68	82	73	235	141	9	10	13	4	22	14	257	155
	75	78	40	55	115	133	38	31	36	33	74	64	189	197
TOTALS:	1056		734		1790		467		593		1060		1980	2850
	830		666		1496		422		528		950		1979	2446
													1978	2267

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