



VICTORIAN COUNTRY VOLLEYBALL COUNCIL

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ANNUAL REPORT TO VAVA 1982 to 1983

The VCVC now comprises 17 country Associations with four more likely to affiliate this year.

As of October 1982 Country Victoria had 3567 members registered.

Registrations for the year rose 10.36% but if the new Associations are neglected, the overall picture was that of a net decrease of 3.9%.

Championships:

The OPEN COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS were held at Warrnambool with 22 teams competing in total. Results of the finals:

Mens Div 1: Warrnambool defeated Latrobe Valley.
Wom Div 1: Geelong defeated Latrobe Valley.
Mens Div 2: Swanhill defeated Seymour.
Wom Div 2: Swanhill defeated Goulburn Valley.

32 Referee's officiated at the tournament.

The boy's U15 COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS were held for the first time in Bendigo. Four teams including Waverley-Sisu by invitation competed.

In the final Bendigo defeated Warrnambool.

The U20 COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIP was held in Bendigo. Results of the finals:

Men: Latrobe Valley defeated Warrnambool.
Wom: Latrobe Valley defeated Warrnambool.

The U17 COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS were held at Shepparton with 11 teams competing. Mt Martha Army Apprentices played by invitation.

Winners were Boys: Bendigo
Girls: Geelong.

Open Representative Side:

These sides competed against South Australia Country Sides in November at Adelaide.

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Both Men's and Women's teams won six sets to none.

Mens Coach: John Dunstan (Warrnambool)

Wom Coach: John Rosso (Geelong)

Manager: Malcolm Qualtrough (L.V.)

October Two-Day Conference:

This again was very successful with 29 participants. 23 pages of minutes came from this meeting, which included a joint two hour session with Metropolitan Associations.

Regionalisation:

The State was divided into five Geographic regions to facilitate better communication and competition.
e.g. The Gippsland Region has organised an inter town competition to be played over three weekends among seven towns.

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