

V.A.V.A. HONORARY SECRETARY'S REPORT - 1975/76

Ladies and Gentlemen,

The past year as an aftermath of the very exciting year of 1975 may have seemed to a lot of people as a rather dull affair, but to be truthful it was not to be. In the first instance serious considerations were given to stage the First Asian Junior Volleyball Championships in Victoria either at the end of 1976 or during 1977. At the end it was decided to withdraw from this project due to its serious implications from the financial point of view - the Australian economical condition and the general attitude of the present Federal Cabinet were the main influencing factors. It must be understood that it is not proper to ask your visiting teams not only to foot the bill for their travel, but also for food and accommodation within Australia. Not even developing countries do this sort of thing and the whole project was therefore dropped to avoid any embarrassment.

Whilst a government grant of \$7500.- was available last year for the appointment of a State Director of Coaching, this grant was not taken up as no appointment has been made. A new submission has been lodged for the year 1976/77 and it is hoped that the appointment will be carried out this financial year. Amateur grants have been received for the Victorian Country Volleyball Championships (\$350.-) and the Junior High School Championships (\$500.-).

This year brought another first - V.A.V.A. participating in the 'FUN AND GAMES' day at Albert Park organized by the Department of Youth, Sport and Recreation in conjunction with the 'LIFE BE IN IT' campaign. Anybody - who wanted to - could participate in a game of Volleyball and it gave the Association a valuable live telecast spot of approx. 5 minutes on Channel '0'.

The Australian Club Championships '1976' were held over the Queen's Birthday Weekend at the State College of Victoria 'RUSDEN'. Due to poor patronage in earlier years it was decided to give them a new look on a trial basis, by utilizing all four courts available and including 'B'-Grade and Mixed Teams. Non appearance of one nominated interstate team and the departure of a second team after only three games made the administration during the first day extremely difficult, but after these rather unpleasant surprises the tournament was carried through and finished without any further incident.

The development of Volleyball within Victoria made one step forward with the official formation and affiliation of the 'SHEPPARTON' Volleyball Association and a number of smaller centres in the formation stage.

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Within the greater Melbourne area two new centres were formed, one at 'FRANKSTON' serving also the Mornington Peninsula and 'McLEOD' serving the north-eastern area of Melbourne.

V.A.V.A. introduced film nights at the A.M.P. Theatre twice this year followed each time by a champagne supper. With good films available it is desirable that the patronage for these film nights be increased.

Our thanks go to all committee and club members alike as well as friends from outside of the organization, whose help and assistance made last year's achievements possible and trust that their support will again be available for the big tasks laying ahead of us.

W. Gollong
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(Honorary Secretary)

VICTORIAN AMATEUR VOLLEYBALL ASSOCIATION

ROTATIONAL ORDER OF AUSTRALIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

Year	Open	Under 20	Under 17
1977	W.A.	TAS.	N.S.W.
1978	S.A.	VIC.	QLD.
1979	N.S.W.	A.C.T.	VIC.
1980	TAS.	W.A.	S.A.
1981	A.C.T.	N.S.W.	TAS.
1982	VIC.	QLD.	W.A.

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LIST OF EVENTS FOR 1977

National and International -

(NOT COMPLETE)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Location</u>
January	Invitation Tournament (Wallabies)	Rusden
January	European Cup	Europe
February	European Cup	Europe
March	2. Central America Sports Games	San Salvador
March	African Cup	Tripoli
March	XII. South America Championship	Lima
March	National Championship	Perth
March	European Championship	Europe
May	Central American Cup	
June	Junior Championships - U'20s	Tasmania
July	Central American Games	Columbia
August	Junior Championships - U'17s	N.S.W.
September	VIII. Women's World Championship	Russia
September	IX. Men's World Championship	Italy
September	South American Junior Champ.	Montevideo
September	I. World Junior Championships	Brazil
undated	Australian Club Championships	
November	European Cups - preliminary rounds	Europe
December	Invitation Tournament	Morwell
December	European Cups	
undated	Reciprocal visit - China	

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RECOMMENDED VOLLEYBALL BOOKS

The following books are either available from stock or may be ordered on indent -

- 1.) INTERNATIONAL VOLLEYBALL RULES
Price - \$ 1.25
- 2.) POINT, GAME AND MATCH
by Val Keller.
Price - \$ 2.50
- 3.) PICTORIAL VOLLEYBALL, a series of photographs
of women players showing volleyball skills.
Price - \$ 1.00

These books to be ordered with the Secretary,
Victorian Amateur Volleyball Association.

Further Volleyball Literature -

- 4.) INTERNATIONAL VOLLEYBALL FEDERATION COACHES MANUAL,
used for all F.I.V.B. Coaching Clinics
Price - \$14.00 hard cover
\$10.00 soft cover
- 5.) VOLLEYBALL TECHNICAL JOURNAL - Three issues annually -
coaching and research articles.
Price - \$15.00 annual subscription
- 6.) VOLLEYBALL TEAM PLAY
by Mark Tennant. Detailed description of formations
used in team play.
Price - \$ 6.50
- 7.) 300 PLUS VOLLEYBALL DRILL AND IDEAS
A gathering of drills and ideas from leading
international sources.
Price - \$ 6.50

- 8.) POWER VOLLEYBALL
by R. D. Bratton. Suitable for beginners.
Price - \$ 6.50
- 9.) FUNDAMENTAL VOLLEYBALL CONTACTS
by Jan Prasala. Introduction of Volleyball
fundamentals.
Price - \$ 6.00

All items from 4 to 9 incl. to be ordered through the
Secretary, Australian Volleyball Federation Inc.,
P.O. - Box 56, Garran, A.C.T. 2605 - Orders must be
prepaid and add \$1.00 for any order under the value of
\$10.00. Delivery - approx. 6 weeks.

VICTORIAN AMATEUR VOLLEYBALL ASSOCIATION

MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 1974/75
HELD AT THE AMATEUR SPORTS CLUB, 14 McKILLOP STREET,
MELBOURNE, ON FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 1975 AT 8.00 P.M.

The order of business was in accordance with the requirements as set out in the Constitution.

A g e n d a

- 1.) Roll Call.
- 2.) Reading and Confirmation of Minutes of previous Annual General Meeting.
- 3.) President's Address.
- 4.) Secretary's Report.
- 5.) Treasurer's Report.
- 6.) Metropolitan Volleyball Council Report.
- 7.) Country Volleyball Council Report.
- 8.) Correspondence relating to business of General Meeting.
- 9.) Notice of Motions.
- 10.) Election of Executive Council.
- 11.) General business.

The meeting commenced at 8.30 p.m.

1.) Roll Call

Present were 23 persons eligible to vote.

Nomination of Minutes Secretary - Mr. W. Gollong

Nomination of three (3)

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- Mr. R. Kenter

- Mr. K. Brooks

- Mr. A. Lozenicins

The president introduced Mr. W. Stevens from 'Disney on Parade' to the assembly. He was going to show a colour preview of the show opening on December 27, 1975 in Melbourne for the purpose of fund raising for the Australian Olympic Representation at Montreal in 1976. V.A.V.A. has been levied with the sum of \$1000.00

2.) Reading and Confirmation of Minutes of previous Annual General Meeting

Motion - that the Minutes be taken as read

Business arising from the minutes -

The heading 'Minutes of the Annual General Meeting 1974/75' to read 'Minutes of the Annual General Meeting 1973/74'.

Motion - that the minutes be adopted.

Moved - Mr. A. Fricsons

Seconded - Mr. A. Burns

Carried.

3.) President's Address

The president pointed out that Victoria experienced its most exciting year by having to organize the Australian National Championships and the First Asian Volleyball Championships following each other within a short time. The president thanked officials and participants alike for their efforts.

Government grants have become available for a State Director of Coaching and for a Junior Volleyball Championship, mainly between the High Schools.

4.) Secretary's Report

This report has changed its format by providing for the first time statistical data covering the registration of Volleyball players within Victoria and Australia, timetables for national and international Championships as well as other events of general interest and technical data covering the Australian National Championships and the First Asian Volleyball Championships.

It was stressed that - besides the fact that great gains have been achieved by raising the number of registrations from 500 of the previous year to well over 2000 in 1975 - there is no time to stand still and efforts have to be made to raise these numbers further in close co-operation with the C.V.C. and M.V.C. Main direction of the expansion would be in the creation of new regional Centres - recreational Volleyball - and Junior Championships. It will be necessary to establish the referee's and coaches' commission with Victoria as soon as possible. Seminars - covering all aspects of Volleyball including administration - will be held at Teachers' Colleges and other Institutions for the benefit of the students of their Physical Education Departments.

Motion - that the Secretary's report be adopted.

Moved - Mr. A. Lozenicins

Seconded - Mr. S. Raskovy

Carried.

5.) Treasurer's Report

Motion - that the report be received.

Moved - Mr. A. Fricsons

Seconded - Mr. W. Gollong

Carried.

Business arising from the report -

highly commended that the costs of administration have been kept so low despite the steep rise of costs for postal services as well as for basic materials.

Motion - that the financial report be adopted.
Moved - Mr. A. Burns
Seconded - Mr. A. Fricsons
Carried.

6.) Metropolitan Volleyball Council Report

Men's 'A'-Grade and 'B'-Grade teams are well established. Women's section somewhat shaky with the exception of the teams of the well established clubs. Standard in 'B'-Grade low. Regional centres - at present at University High School and Rusden - are sound and are well suited to serve as a basis for further expansion of these centres. New centres planned for the coming year at Frankston, Croydon/Lilydale and City Centre.

7.) Country Volleyball Council Report

Elaborated on last report from the Annual General Meeting of the C.V.C. At present seven Associations fully registered with V.A.V.A. and two new centres - Shepparton and Echuca - are coming up.

8.) Correspondence relating to business of Annual General Meeting

Nil.

9.) Notice of Motions

Nil.

10.) Election of Office Bearers

President	- Mr. E. Hayman	Unopposed
Immediate Past-President	- Mr. A. Lozenicins	
Vice-President	- Mr. N. Fisher Mr. A. Burns	<u>Elected</u> Not elected
Secretary	- Mr. W. Gollong	Unopposed
Treasurer	- Mr. M. Perrot	Unopposed
Publicity Officer	- Mr. R. Newman	Unopposed
Committee Members	- Mr. G. Mraz - Mr. A. Burns - Mr. S. Raskovy - Mrs R. Micic	<u>Elected</u> <u>elected</u> not elected not elected

11.) General business

Mr. A. Lozencins - expressed his special thanks to Mr. A. Veijalainen and all officials under his jurisdiction for the assistance given at the First Asian Volleyball Championships.

Mr. A. Fricsons - Close co-operation between M.V.C. and V.A.V.A. sought.

The meeting ended at 10.30 p.m.

MINUTES SECRETARY

VICTORIAN AMATEUR VOLLEYBALL ASSOCIATION

Financial Report, 31st Oct. 1975 - 31st Oct 1976

General Account

INCOME	Brought forward	3872.14
Asian Games costs reimbursed to V.A.V.A.		620.10
Southern States Tournament		119.00
Olympic Appeal		1293.43
Club Championships		294.65
Player Registration		2539.00
State teams		323.50
ANZ Term Deposit released		1042.29
Ansett revenue from A.V.F.		70.97
Other		<u>327.53</u>
		10502.61
	Unrecorded credits	<u>7437.75</u>
		17940.36
EXPENDITURE		
1975 Raffle expenses		958.00
A.V.F. Registration	1975	1032.60
	1976 (Part)	737.90
Olympic Appeal		1580.00
ANZ Term deposit		1000.00
Southern States Tournament		119.00
State Team, - Training, Uniforms		1050.29
Australian Championships Registration		40.00
Affiliations		45.00
Eastern States Tournament Registration		30.00
State Team Players subsidy to Number 2 Account		760.00
Club Championships		497.50
Contribution to Country Championships		250.00
Other		<u>460.26</u>
		8560.55
	Unrecorded debits	<u>7187.75</u>
		15748.30
	<u>Current Balance</u>	<u>2192.06</u>

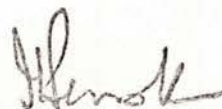
Note

Unrecorded amounts represent loans to V.A.V.A. from Rusden, M.V.C. and other sources, which were subsequently repaid. Also included is State Govt. subsidy transferred to Number 2 account.

Travel Account

INCOME	Brought forward	1022.71
1975 Junior Championships		16.65
Eastern States Tournament		1445.95
Australian Championships		4694.25
Junior Championships		682.20
Youth Championships		1062.30
State Team Players Subsidy		760.00
A.V.F. Conference		265.80
State Government subsidies		5850.00
State League finals - canteen sales		105.00
C.V.C. Registration (loaned to No. 2 a/c)		687.00
Other		<u>298.41</u>
		16890.27
	Macleod Region Payments into a/c	<u>466.60</u>
		17356.87
EXPENDITURE		
1975 Government subsidies paid out		1015.51
Eastern States Tournament		1505.95
Australian Championships		5321.68
Junior Championships		1002.05
Youth Championships		1824.30
A.V.F. Conference		257.25
State Government subsidies to... A.V.O.C.		5000.00
	TO.. High Schools Comp.	500.00
Other		<u>482.58</u>
		16909.32
	Macleod Region Payments from a/c	<u>317.90</u>
		17227.22
	CURRENT BALANCE	<u>129.65</u>

Note.... During initial setting up, Macleod Regional Centre made use of the V.A.V.A. number 2 account.



M. Perrott

Hon. Treasurer.