

THE AUSTRALIAN LACROSSE COUNCIL

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To be presented at the Annual Meeting of the Australian Lacrosse Council to be held in Adelaide on Friday 17th July, 1964.

OFFICE BEARERS

PRESIDENT - Mr. O.C. Isaachsen L.L.B., D.S.O., E.D.

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S.A.L.A. - Mr. H. Holloway
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W.A.L.A. - Mr. L.S. Turnbull

MEMBER ASSOCIATIONS

South Australian Lacrosse Association
Victorian Amateur Lacrosse Association
Western Australian Lacrosse Association

Mr. President and Gentlemen,

The following report is submitted for your consideration and approval.

COUNCIL MEETINGS - Two meetings were held since the last Annual Meeting with all States directly represented. One Meeting was held in Melbourne and the other, lasting three days, in Adelaide. Many new playing Rules have been submitted to Council for consideration also the administration Rules of Council are undergoing review.

STATE OF THE GAME

REGISTRATIONS

The following details of Member Associations show how each State stood at the end of the 1963 Season.

<u>STATE</u>	<u>CLUBS</u>	<u>SECTIONS</u>	<u>TEAMS</u>	<u>REG. PLAYERS</u>
S.Aust.	10	6	48	592 Senior 292 Junior
Victoria	15	7	55	828 411 Senior 297 Junior
West.Aust.	9	4	20	445 200 Senior 245 Junior

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<u>S.A.</u>	<u>1962</u>		<u>1961</u>
	712	297 Seniors	
Victoria	879	416 Juniors	666
		426 Seniors	
West.Aust.	500	452 Juniors	824
			488
	<u>2092</u>		<u>1978</u>

Strenuous efforts have been made by Mr. Phil. Dadd in Sydney to re-establish the Game there, however his transfer to Bathurst and a lack of anyone to take over has resulted in a cessation of activities in Sydney

YEAR'S ACTIVITIES1962 A.L.C. COLTS CHAMPIONSHIP

The 1962 A.L.C. Colts Championship was staged in Melbourne from 14th July to 21st July. A single round of matches were played with the host state providing a second team to play the Championship team with the bye. The Championship matches resulted:-

VICTORIA 12	D	WESTERN AUSTRALIA	7
VICTORIA 11	D	SOUTH AUSTRALIA	5
S.AUST. 8	D	WESTERN AUSTRALIA	6

SUMMARY

	<u>WON</u>	<u>LOST</u>	<u>POINTS</u>
VICTORIA	2	-	4
SOUTH AUSTRALIA	1	1	2
WESTERN AUSTRALIA	-	2	-

The standard of play was high and an excellent round of matches resulted.

The Victorian team proved themselves strong in every department and won the Championship Series without loss.

Mr. L.S. Turnbull, a Vice-President of the Australian Lacrosse Council and President of the Western Australian Lacrosse Association donated a perpetual Trophy, known as the L.S. Turnbull Trophy, for the Fairest and Best Player in Colt Championships.

The winner was M. ORR (Victoria) by one vote over I. TOY (W. Aust.) and K. FOX (Victoria). The presentation was made by the President of the A.L.C. Mr. O.C. Isaachsen. The Hickey Shield, was presented to Victoria by Mr. Clive Hickey, on behalf of the Australian Lacrosse Council.

ANNUAL FAIREST AND BEST PLAYER AWARD

The President of the Australian Lacrosse Council and the South Australian Lacrosse Association, Mr.O.C. Isaachsen, donated a perpetual Trophy for the Fairest and Best Player throughout Australia on a Home and Home basis.

1963 ISAACHSEN TROPHY (Annual)

Mr. A. Jennings, South Australia, won the Issachsen Trophy by a narrow margin from Mr.J.Martin, Victoria.
Mr.Jennings, has now won two A.L.C. Awards having won the A.L.C. Trophy during the 1962 A.L.C. Senior Championship.

CONGRATULATIONS

Council extends its congratulations to:- The Victorian Amateur Lacrosse Association on their first Colts Championship victory and Mr.Allan Jennings on winning the Isaachsen Trophy.

APPRECIATION

The Australian Lacrosse Council records its deepest appreciation to Messrs. Isaachsen and Turnbull on their generous gifts of a Trophy for Fairest and Best Players.

INTERNATIONAL LACROSSE

To date no advice has been received from the U.S.A. with respect to the invitation to send a team to Australia in 1965.

A request was received from the Encyclopaedia Britannica (England) for International and/or Interstate results of matches played in Australia last Season. This information was duly supplied.

I would like to take this opportunity of expressing my thanks to all Officers and Delegates for their assistance and co-operation throughout the year.

FOR THE AUSTRALIAN LACROSSE COUNCIL

H.E. STERCK

HONORARY SECRETARY

ADDENDUM

Council gave permission for several Interstate matches to be played and these Interstate matches resulted as follows:-

<u>SENIOR</u> :	South Australia	11	D	Victoria	7
<u>JUNIOR</u> :	South Australia	16	D	Victoria	11
	South Australia	6	D	Western Australia	3
	South Australia	14	D	Western Australia	4

WOMENS' LACROSSE - The Womens' Lacrosse Associations are still operating and appear to have become firmly established.