



2022 LACROSSE VICTORIA

ANNUAL REPORT

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BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Name	Position	Attendance	Tenure
Anne Hodder	Director	9/12	
Duncan McKenzie	Director	7/6	Resigned August 2022
Fergus Stewart	Deputy Chair	12/12	
Jessica Hay	Chair	11/12	
Ben Stone	Director	3/3	Resigned April 2022
Elena Theinschnack	Director	2/3	Resigned April 2022
Brett Cope	Director	6/9	Resigned October 2022
Bruce Freeman	Secretary & Finance Director	10/12	
Jonathan Lowe	Director	5/9	Appointed April 2022
Peter O'Donnell	Director	5/9	Appointed May 2022
Don Riddington	Director	7/9	Appointed June 2022
Karen Burns	Appointed Director	5/5	Appointed August 2022
Pam Stone	Appointed Director	5/5	Appointed August 2022

SUB-COMMITTEES

Group	Chair
Audit & Risk Subcommittee	Bruce Freeman
Marketing & Communications Advisory Group	Jessica Hay
Participation Advisory Group	Peter O'Donnell
Commercial Advisory Group	Don Riddington
People & Culture Advisory Group	Anne Hodder

LACROSSE VICTORIA

LIFE MEMBERS

- Mr P Shappere 1925*
Mr W J Lampard 1925*
Mr G A Beech 1929*
Mr W B House 1929*
Mr T L Fulton 19--*
Mr H Balmer 1933*
Mr Joel Fox 19--*
Capt Fearon 19--*
Mr A E G Webb 1947*
Mr G Flood 1948*
Mr J L Beattie 1949*
Mr E L Mcintyre 1951*
Mr I J Taylor 1956*
Mr R Coldstream 1960*
Mr C F Lansbury 1961*
Mr N R Jeffrey 1963*
Mr C G Middleton 1964*
Mr B Newgreen 1965*
Mrs Joy Parker 1966*
Mr R N Ponton Snr 1966*
Mr F D Hogarth 1967*
Mrs D Pearson 1968*
Mr H Volk 1968*
Mrs M Carpenter 1969*
Mr M Taylor 1971*
Mrs S Taylor 1971
Mrs M Cheevers 1973*
Mr T Allington 1975*
Mr R G Holden 1976*
Mr H D Miller 1977
Mr W L Gray 1978*
Mr G F Tillotson 1979*
Mr K R Waite 1980*
Mr D W Fox 1981
Mr L W Taylor 1982*
Mr P A Humphreys 1983*
Mr A F Chiron 1984
Ms D Appleby 1985
Mrs K Kendall 1985*
Mr J Clayfield 1985*
Mrs V Parker-White 1985
Mrs M Weatherhill 1985
Mr B Moore 1986
Mr R E Jackson 1987
Mrs J Jackson 1989
Mrs V Orr 1991
Mr D V Trainor 1991
Mr F Durham 1992*
Mrs N Williamson 1992*
Mr R D Morgan 1993
Ms S Gandy 1993
Mrs J Clerk 1994
Mr R M Russell 1994*
Mr R Clerk 1995
Mr R L Speakman 1995
Mr E A Nicholls 1996
Mr R E Pettit 1997*
Mr J W Daw 1999
Mr G F Sharpe 2000
Mr A J Inglis 2001
Ms S Maher 2001
Mr A H Gandy 2002*
Mr N D McDonald 2003
Mr J A Harris 2004
Mr G J Lee 2005
Ms K Palmer 2006
Mr D G Ross 2006
Mr P Mollison 2008
Mr L Goding 2009*
Mr A Black 2010
Mr F Stewart 2012
Mr J Nolan 2014
Mr D Joy 2017
Mrs S Sofarnos 2021*
Ms S McSolvin 2022

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STAFF



MICHAEL SHOLLY
GENERAL MANAGER



**NICOLA MILLARD-
MICHAELIS**
FINANCE OFFICER



BRODY BALFOUR
COMPETITIONS
OFFICER



BLAKE TOOMEY
PARTICIPATION
OFFICER



KRISTEN HUTCHISON
DEVELOPMENT
OFFICER

CHAIR REPORT

JESSICA HAY

It's my absolute pleasure to welcoming our members for the 2023 AGM and to present the 2022 Annual Report.

I'd like to start by acknowledging the hard work of the office, led by Michael Sholly. 2022 was our first year back as a full office contingent. Having a level of stability in the office is not only beneficial to the staff and their own growth, but also to our members. There are great relationships being built and we look forward to this continuing into 2023.

I'd also like to take a moment to acknowledge the hard work of Kristen Hutchinson on the Proud to Play roadmap. Inclusivity is vital to our growth in community sport, and we are passionate that all Victorians are given equal opportunity to play. Kristen's passion in this area is visible to all and she has recently been recognised by her peers as a finalist in the 2023 Australian Pride in Sport awards for Ally of the Year for her work across 2022.

After the previous AGM our board was joined by Peter O'Donnell and Jonathon Lowe. Both have worked in the participation group and provided key insights into the men's game. In the second half of 2022 our board welcomed Don Riddington, Pam Stone and Karen Burns who took up the casual vacancy and two appointed director positions. All three are invaluable in the passion they bring to the sport, and we're delighted that they have nominated as elected directors in 2023. The appointments also ensured we were back on track to meet our quota of female board membership which we are maintaining leading into 2023.

Before the last AGM, Simon Atkins, Ben Stone and Elena Theinschnack chose not to stand for re-election. In August we accepted Duncan McKenzie's resignation to the board, however we're thankful that he was able to stay on to assist the participation advisory group. Duncan will also be leading the boys U18 team in Perth, remaining very involved within Victorian Lacrosse. I extend my thanks to all four past board members for their time and efforts on behalf of the board.

At the end of this AGM, we will be saying farewell to Anne Hodder. Anne first entered the board in 2016 and in July 2017 became the Director of Finance. Anne has been steadfast in her dedication and, in particular, integral to the organisation's security through COVID. Anne handed over the reins to Bruce Freeman in 2022 who had a successful start to his tenure acting not only as Finance Director but also as our secretary. It has been extremely beneficial for Bruce to have Anne continue on the Board through his first year, as she provides the knowledge to assist him in this important role.

2022 was our first full field season since Covid and it did not disappoint. Congratulations to all the players, volunteers, coaches and supporters for making it happen. Thank you also to the clubs that hosted the many junior and senior finals. As well as a full contingent of field leagues in both juniors and seniors, men's and women's we were also able to send players to the first national events since COVID. Congratulations to the U18 Girls and both Senior Men's and Women's teams for taking out the national title.

With the Women's World Championship finally scheduled after postponement, we were tasked to approach the Women's State League season differently. After consultation and meetings with a women's review panel, we resolved to run a shortened season. We also introduced a Vic Selects team which added a fourth team to the competition and gave aspiring players and those whose club did not have a State League team the ability to play State League, coached each week by our best lacrosse minds and supported by our Australian talent. This traditionally fragile competition has an exciting year ahead with a five-team competition in 2023.



At the conclusion of the season, we hosted an awards night at the Bells Hotel in South Melbourne. Feedback so far is that the format was well received, and we look forward to continuing this celebration in style in the future. It was great to see so many of the community come together off the field and celebrate our winners of 2022. At this event we also celebrated our Australian women's players who competed in Towson earlier in the year. Victoria continued its dominance at the national level with 11 players represented in the playing contingent.

As part of the Strategic Plan survey, the community highlighted the desire for more out of season opportunities to play lacrosse. Box Lacrosse is helping with this desire and with the newly anointed Alan Lewer Court, we expect to see this format continue to grow. Sixes is also on the up and 2022 saw Sixes on the international stage for both men and women at the World Games with the Women's team winning the bronze medal.

In 2022, board members Ferg Stewart and Don Riddington helped spearhead an application to have lacrosse entered into the Commonwealth Games. Although not successful, lacrosse was making noise in the right places to the right people. We watch this space with anticipation for future Olympic and Commonwealth Games announcements.

Lacrosse Victoria was successful in receiving a grant to fund Anthony Bowd from Vicsport to help write and manage the process for the new strategic plan. With a wealth of knowledge and experience writing sporting strategic plans, Anthony has provided valuable insight and opinion, challenging our own preconceptions or beliefs. We are excited to present the new plan this evening and with the underlying operational plan currently being written to bring the plan to life. The plan highlights great opportunity for the sport including focus on high performance, junior development, and facilities. We look forward to commencing the implementation of the plan in 2023.

On behalf of the board, thank you for your support over 2022. We look forward to a successful 2023, working together collaboratively to grow our game.

Jessica Hay

GENERAL MANAGER REPORT

MICHAEL SHOLLY

How great it was to have a full season of lacrosse after two interrupted seasons due to COVID. We commenced with the Club Sixes tournament, a full field season, the representative program and concluded with the Box season at the Alan Lewer Court.

It is with much appreciation to all our club volunteers to restore their clubs playing numbers to provide teams to participate in our various competitions. This is likely to become even more difficult as the back log of travel for school leavers will surely hit hard. We will need to continue to be agile in our competitions for next season as our clubs continue to stabilise.

We welcomed Brody Balfour as the new Competitions Officer. Smaller competitions are much more difficult to manage than larger ones as only one team change can have a significant flow on affect. In his first year Brody handled all these issues with great care, working diligently to find a solution that would be the least disruptive to all parties. Brody also assisted at the Women's Vic Selects State League team - one of the many hats required in sports administration. It was a baptism of fire, but he has come through in flying colours.

Many of our staff and indeed the coaches and volunteers had not experienced a representative season. This is a huge logistical challenge and whilst there may have been a playbook, negotiating the various situations is difficult for the inexperienced. Well done to our Finance Officer, Nicola Millard-Michaelis on navigating this process. As you can see from her title, organising five Under 15 teams accommodation, travel and food requirements is not usually the domain of a finance officer. but multi-tasking is all encompassing for Not For Profits with small budgets.

Congratulations to all the players, coaches, officials who contributed to the success of these events. Footscray LC hosted the Senior Men and Women tournaments. This was a huge event being televised on KAYO nationally. Thank you to those volunteers who put all this together. Not only did we host but we won both titles. More details are highlighted later in the report but congratulations to the team led by the coaches Lee Davis (men) and Meghan Mollison and Sue McSolvin (women).

Four World Lacrosse Events were held in 2022 - congratulations on the following players for their selection in the various Australian squads and to Kade Robinson on his appointment as the U21 Men's Assistant Coach.



Australian Women's World Championship Team	Australian Women's World Games Team	Australian Men's World Games Team	U21 Australian Men's World Championship Team
Stephanie Kelly	Theadora Kwas	Sean Aaron	Mitch Baker
Rachel Kirchheimer	Rebecca Lane	Caleb Hall	Lachlan Bown
Theadora Kwas	Georgia Latch	Campbell Mackinnon	Jai Bidwell-Barton
Rebecca Lane	Sarah Mollison	Lucas Parsons-Quintano	Sam Boontjes
Georgia Latch	Sarah Smith		Ethan Buchanan
Stephanie McNamara	Bonnie Yu		Edgar Ford
Sarah Mollison (alt)			Harry Gibson
Stacey Morlang			Brock Gourley
Sarah Smith			Dylan Harari
Hayley Sofarnos			Lachlan Hodge
Bonnie Yu			Shae Moate
			Alexander Rubins

Along with our players we had three officials appointed to these international events. Amy Basile was appointed to the World Lacrosse Women's World Championship. Steve Green was appointed to the World Games in Birmingham and he, along with Danny Whitbourn, officiated at the Men's Under 21 Lacrosse World Championship in Ireland.

Jan Jackson was presented with the Heart and Spirit of Lacrosse award on behalf of officials at the World Lacrosse Women's Championship for her contribution to the sport of lacrosse over many years. That tournament also signifies her official retirement from international lacrosse. Lacrosse Victoria thanks Jan for her years of outstanding service.

Posthumous honours were awarded to Sue Sofarnos who was honoured with Australia's Heart and Spirit Award at The Championships. Despite her tragic passing, her dream of supporting the Australian Women's Lacrosse Team was realised through the creation of the Sue Sofarnos Foundation., Sue's passion for community, national and international lacrosse will always be remembered.

Three Victorians, Meg Bown, Paige Macgibbon and Shaylee Stringer were selected in the U23 Australian Women's Lacrosse Team who competed in the Vail Shootout and the World Lacrosse Women's Festival. Michelle Davies was appointed the coach of this team.

Well done to the Under 18 Women who won the title in a thriller against the home team South Australia. Well done to Stephen Bown (Women) and Duncan McKenzie (men) for preparing their players to perform so well at the Championships.

The Under 15 tournament was held in Perth and we fielded three boys' teams and two girls' teams. As this tournament wasn't played the last two years most of these players were not only playing representative sport for the first time but also the first time they had been away from home for three years. Travelling on a plane for the first time, sleeping away from home for the first time put added responsibilities on our team managers and other volunteers who travelled with the team. What an experience for the players though. With any team travelling there is always going to be some issues but at the end of the day all our teams returned safely having experienced a tournament that will provide a lifelong memory.

The inaugural Club Sixes competition was played over 4 weeks at Paisley Park and the MCC courts in Beaumaris. It was great to be able to play this competition in the summer months and get our clubs back on the park. Well done to Williamstown Women and the Malvern lacrosse clubs on their victories.

The junior competitions saw the implementation of the recommendations from our Junior Review. New age groups of Under 10, 12, 14 16 and 18. The under 12's played Sixes with each club taking turns in hosting neighbouring teams. This reduced the travel component of having a full home and away season. We also mixed this up with two Lightning Carnivals where all teams came together. These are very exciting days for the children and thanks to Surrey Park, Footscray, Eltham and Newport for hosting these. It was also great to see the premierships spread with three different clubs winning the boys and girls competitions.

The State League Women's competition took on a new look with a fourth team, Vic Selects introduced. This team was made up of players from clubs without a State League team mixed with players from State League Clubs who had a bye. This was an excellent innovation and highlighted the ability of our participants to band together for the betterment of the sport. Thanks to Michelle Davies for coaching this team which mostly played on a Wednesday night. Congratulations to Footscray on winning both Men and Women State League Premierships. This was last achieved, again, by Footscray in 2013. Congratulations to Williamstown on winning the Division 1 and 3 Mens and Footscray Division 2. In the women's the premiers were Malvern and Chadfield in A and B Grades respectively.

Kristen Hutchison received the Future Healthy – Big Connect program from Sport and Recreation Victoria. This enabled Kristen to work on the LV Inclusion Policy, Flexible Uniform Policy and the Trans and Gender Fluid Policy.

Kristen managed lacrosse programs at RMIT, La Trobe, Melbourne, Deakin and Victoria Universities. Kristen's work was highlighted in the LV Pride Cup Day. It was an enjoyable day with 24 teams playing Triball with the focus on fun and celebrating the Victorian lacrosse community and each participant.

The Presentation Night was held at Bell's Hotel in Sth Melbourne. The function space and city backdrop provided the perfect backdrop for the awards ceremony. Congratulations to all the award winners and to the staff who worked so diligently to ensure a successful night.

The Box season concluded our 2022 season. Thanks to Rod Maher and his committee who managed the competition on behalf of Lacrosse Victoria. Four teams competed in both the Men Senior and Junior competitions. The success of this competition and having our own court will see this format grow. We are confident of getting a women's competition started in 2023 in the lead up to the World Box Lacrosse Championships in 2024.

I would like to extend my thanks to the Board, led by Jess Hay and Ferg Stewart, for their support to the staff and me. It gives everyone great confidence to get on with the tasks at hand knowing that we have a supportive yet challenging Board.

Our Finance Director, Bruce Freeman, along with Nicola Millard-Michaelis, reported a surplus of \$26,526. This surplus along with those of the previous two financial years will enable us to support our clubs and the administration as the full effects of returning after covid will have. We look forward to the future with Victorian lacrosse continuing to shine on the National and International stage, the implementation of the One Club Policy, and continuing to explore new initiatives to grow the game.

Michael Sholly

COMPETITIONS REPORT

B R O D Y B A L F O U R

After a tumultuous 2021 season, lacrosse has returned for our first full season in the wake of the COVID-19 pandemic. Our sport has adapted to a new normal and begun taking the necessary steps in growing Lacrosse around the state. In 2022, Lacrosse Victoria conducted 18 competitions over pre-season and the field season, awarded 13 Premierships, not including four U12 Lightning Carnivals, welcomed a new team into our Women's State League Competition and crowned a full complement of Best and Fairest awards across the junior and senior competitions. We introduced new junior age groups to align with the school years and coordinated our first ever Pride Cup.

In what was an extensive and innovative season for Lacrosse Victoria, we are thrilled to be back playing and to be progressing our sport further as we continue to adapt as a community. Below is a report on all our competitions in 2022.

BOX LACROSSE

In 2022 we were fortunate enough to have two seasons of Box Lacrosse. With the completion of the Alan Lewer Box Lacrosse Court, the opportunities for this sport to grow is evidenced by the number of players eager to participate.

Summer 2021/22 Season

Congratulations to Storm, the 2021-2022 Victorian Box Lax Champions.

The Victoria Box Lacrosse season ended with Storm defeating Rage with an emphatic 15-4 victory. Rage battled to the end, but injuries certainly slowed them down and they didn't have their full team available.

It was a great end to the first season at the new Box court. We hope that all the players, coaches and spectators enjoyed the competition. We are going to take a bit of time to recover and then get right into planning for next season.

Spring/Summer 2022 Season

After a review of the season, the Box Committee decided to shorten the season as the break over the Christmas and New Year period made the competition disjointed. A sharp season with 9 home and away rounds and a final meant this could all be wrapped up before Christmas.

The weather during October was horrendous with the first three weeks postponed. The competition pushed up with matches being played almost nightly. A truly hardy group of volunteers supporting the game.

Under 12 and 16 Junior competitions were introduced. We were able to field four teams along with our seniors – Fury, Rage, Storm and Thunder. In the final Fury defeated Storm 16 to 10. In the senior final it was Rage who prevailed over the Fury.

We would like to thank a few people who have helped make this season a success. Lachlan Williams and the Australian Lacrosse Network. Lukeearth Lacrosse, Sportlaxoz and laxphotos, thanks for all the great images you provided during the season.

Jason Lawrence leads up our team of Box Officials, including Alan Frost, Steve Green, Brendan Pinkerton, Kelvin Minards Brendon Hall, Josh Yeoman and Richard Gorr. They have been there every week and always look great in their pink tops. The game day team including Brooke Musgrove, Dan Hall and Jett Lewer.

Of course, a big thanks to the Altona Lacrosse Club helpers, especially Danny McGee and Mark Lewer, Mal and Susie Struhs.

SENIOR WOMEN

The State League competition welcomed the VicSelects team in 2022. Comprised of the best up and coming lacrosse individuals across the state, this dynamic group created a four-team competition following the withdrawal of Camberwell in 2021. Given then Women's World Lacrosse Championship in July, the State League competition only played in nine home/away rounds, culminating in a Friday night Grand Final in June. This competition was the definition of adaption and resilience as games, venues and teams were consistently changing throughout the shortened season

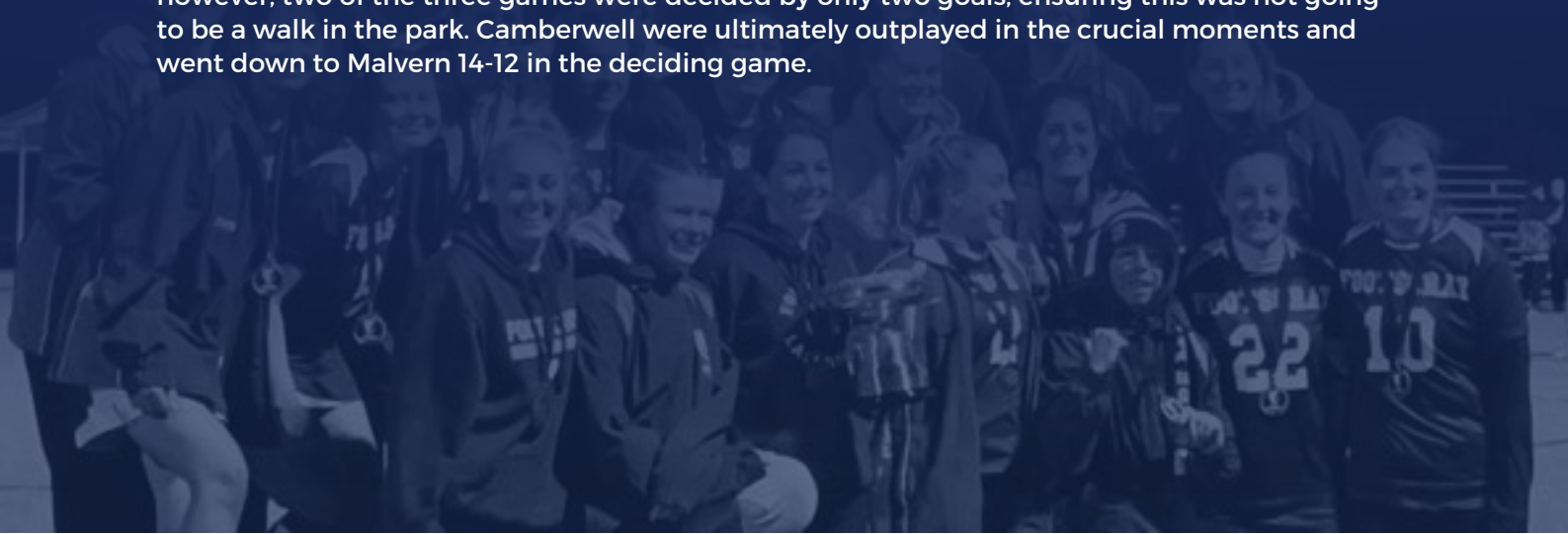
Powerhouse clubs Williamstown Womens and Newport Ladies launched into the season with style in a 11-11 draw whilst the VicSelect women ensured the lacrosse community understood their talent, valiantly going down to Footscray 12-8. As the season crossed halfway, Footscray and Newport Ladies pulled away from their competing rivals, establishing first and second spot respectively, following a 13-10 victory to Footscray who continued their undefeated season. VicSelects wowed the competition with their first team victory, edging out Williamstown Women 9-6. The balance in the competition was evident as finals spots were still up for grabs following round 6. VicSelects continued their storied run with a nail-biting 8-7 victory over Newport Ladies, equalling their total wins alongside Williamstown with only one round remaining.

Footscray had cemented their Grand Final position, going 9-0 in a perfect home/away season. A Semi-Final position against Newport Ladies was determined by the final match between Williamstown Women and VicSelects in Round 9.

Williamstown Women's showcased their maturity, outclassing a never-say-die VicSelects 8-6 and cementing their Semi-Final spot. Newport overcame Williamstown Womens 11-9 in fiercely contested match, securing their Grand Final match up against Footscray. The undefeated Footscray came into the Final as favourites with news of Newport's extended injury list filtered through the league. Ultimately, Footscray continued their perfect season and claimed the premiership with a comfortable 15-2 victory.

Comprised of five teams, the A-Grade competition enjoyed a full-length season with a complete final's series. Malvern and Camberwell quickly established themselves as the teams to beat, overcoming their opponents with relative ease at times. Williamstown Womens and Newport found their groove as the season progressed and found themselves only a few games behind top spot following a surprise 13-8 Newport victory over Malvern in Round 9. The unnerved Williamstown Women kept the competition in suspense after a 16-14 victory over Camberwell in Round 14 to keep their 3rd place aspirations alive. Despite a strong finish to the season, Newport held on a fast-finishing Williamstown Womens to claim third spot and a Semi-Final match up against second place Camberwell.

The relentless Camberwell seemed to hit their straps at the right time of the season, overcoming Newport 17-7 in the Semi Final, booking themselves into the A-Grade Grand Final against Malvern. Malvern has previously won all three of their meeting with Camberwell, however, two of the three games were decided by only two goals, ensuring this was not going to be a walk in the park. Camberwell were ultimately outplayed in the crucial moments and went down to Malvern 14-12 in the deciding game.





The B-Grade competition included previous State League players and presented a competitive division with high skill levels for our clubs to participate in. Comprised of seven teams initially, the B-Grade competition also enjoyed a full-length season with a complete final's series. The early amalgamation of MCC and Melbourne University resulted in this division reducing to a six-team competition. Despite this alteration, the clubs thrived in a highly talented competition which saw Chadfield, the combination of Caulfield and Chasdstone, MCC/Melbourne University and Camberwell streak ahead of their competitors to be the ones to beat as Finals approached. Round 10 spiced up the division as MCC/Melbourne University defeated Chadfield 8-7 and Altona claimed a 15-11 victory over Camberwell, resulting in the top three positions being decided by a game.

Consecutive losses to Chadfield opened the competition completely, going down to Camberwell 11-10. With home finals up for grabs, the final round presented an excited match up between MCC/Melbourne University against Altona who claimed a 13-10 victory and dismissed MCC/MU's second place aspirations. The Preliminary Finals were set - MCC/MU v Altona and Chadfield v Camberwell. MCC/MU secured their redemption, holding on to a 10-8 victory over Altona despite being outscored 5-2 in the second half. Camberwell shocked the premiership favourites to claim an outstanding 12-7 victory over Chadfield on their home turf and securing their Grand Final spot. Chadfield would go on to bounce back and follow Camberwell to the Grand Final after defeating MCC/MU 13-11 in the preliminary final. Arguably the best two teams were set to face off in the deciding match which did not disappoint. With the scores level at 5 each at the half, spectators were glued to their seats as this back and fourth final continued into the second half which never saw either team lead by more than two goals. As the game lengthened, scores remain tied even with a little over a minute left. Unfortunately, there can only be one winner in sport and Chadfield went on the score the match winning goal in the dying moments and claimed the title of 2022 B-Grade Premiers.

SENIOR MEN

Our Senior Men also welcomed a new team to the State League competition in 2022. The addition of Chadstone Lacrosse Club allowed for an even 10-team competition to contend in an 18 Round season. It was a tightly contested opening round, Footscray defeated Williamstown 11-8 in the Friday night opener, Camberwell defeated Caulfield 6-5 and Altona overcoming an enthusiastic Chadstone 9-6. Malvern outclassed a young Surrey Park 12-1 and Eltham defeated Brunswick 13-3. Footscray, Williamstown and Malvern were rampant in the first half of the season where Footscray found themselves undefeated until meeting Williamstown in Round 10.

The Seagulls snatched a single goal victory over Footscray and Eltham secured a comprehensive 16-8 victory over Brunswick, finding themselves on a hot streak as finals discussions arose. Camberwell joined the race for finals with consecutive wins over Surrey Park, Caulfield and Brunswick, however, fell admirably short to Footscray, Williamstown and Eltham between Round 12 and 14 and drifted in their ladder position. Following the completion of Round 16 the top four was set. Footscray finished as minor premiers, Williamstown second, Malvern third and Eltham fourth.

The Preliminary Finals witnessed Footscray overpower Williamstown 17-10, including a 7-1 final quarter, and Eltham securing a single goal (7-6) victory over Malvern in a fiercely contested match. Williamstown hosted Eltham at Fearon Reserve to compete for the right to take on Footscray in the deciding game. The Seagulls were switched on from the start, sprinting to a 7-1 lead at half time which they refused to give up in the second half and run out 13-7 victors.

The stage was set for the State League Final at Angliss Reserve, 1st v 2nd, Footscray v Williamstown. Much to the surprise of spectators it was the visitors who came out firing, setting a 5-2 opening quarter followed by a 3-2 second quarter, the seagulls found themselves with a four goal buffer at half time. Following the main break, Footscray came out with clear intent to score quickly and this intent shifted the momentum of the game. A 5-3 third quarter in the favour of Footscray brought the Williamstown lead down to just two into the final quarter.

It was the Footscray stars that took over in the fourth quarter, squaring the game up halfway into the last and proceed to assert their forward half dominance with a 6-2 final term. Final score – Footscray def Williamstown 15-13.

Division 1 was a tight affair all season long. MCC and Williamstown battled out for top position through the 15 rounds, both finishing on 52 points and only separated by 12% with MCC claiming the minor premiership. Eltham and Melbourne University trailed not too far behind, securing five and four wins respectively throughout the season and proving to be tough adversaries to MCC and Williamstown to overcome.

The combined team outscored the seagulls in the second half to unease the Williamstown team, however, their level headed defence stood tall to hold on to a single goal lead as the game approached its conclusion and claimed 6-5 victory.

A depleted Malvern team performed admirably in the competition and claimed an impressive 12-11 victory over the eventual minor premiers, MCC, in Round 4 to secure their only win in 2023. Following the conclusion of the home/away season, Williamstown found themselves hosting Eltham in the Semi Final as MCC enjoyed a week off to prepare for their Grand Final. The seagulls could not put a foot wrong and entered half time with a 8-1 lead over the panthers. It was much of the same in the second half with Williamstown cruising to 15-2 victory and setting up a much anticipated Final against MCC. With a 2-1 head to head record in favour of MCC, Williamstown were eager to even the ledger in the most important game of the season. Very little separated these teams in the home/away season and the final was no different as Williamstown entered half time with a 5-4. After a scoreless third term it all came down to the final quarter. The class of Williamstown veterans was evident in the deciding quarter as they piled on six unanswered goals, flooding the MCC defence and running out 11-4 victors and named Division 1 premiers.

Similar to Division 1, our Division 2 competition was even closer in terms of ladder positions. Footscray and Camberwell entered the season as the teams to beat with Eltham asserting themselves into that category following an opening round 14-3 win over Footscray. The bulldogs went on a seven game win streak following the loss to Eltham whilst Camberwell enjoyed an eight game win streak to conclude their season. Caulfield and Chadstone welcomed a flurry of wins following round 8, securing four wins each and Caulfield claiming finals berth on 28 points and claiming fourth spot due to receiving a walkover. The minor premiership was claimed by Footscray on 48 points, followed closely by Camberwell on 46 points and Eltham on 44 points as only one game separated first from third. Eltham hosted a determined Caulfield in what was a hotly contested game with scores tied at 5-5 at half time. A 3-0 third quarter opened the door for an Eltham win as the panthers consolidated on their three goal buffer, running out eventual 9-7 winners.

Camberwell entered Footscray's fortress to claim a Grand Final spot and displayed a dominant second half, outscoring the home team 6-0 and claiming an unexpected 7-2 victory. Footscray would go on to face Eltham for a chance of redemption and established a 6-3 lead heading into the final quarter. Eltham's refused to go away, unsettling the Footscray defence and rattling home three goals to tie the score up in the last quarter. A late goal from Footscray was enough to snatch the victory over the Eltham team and setting up their clash against Camberwell. Again, Camberwell entered the Footscray fortress and picked up where they left off establishing a 4-3 lead at the half way point. Footscray has seemingly learnt from their Eltham opponents the previous week and proved to be too tall of a task for the Camberwell defence, piling on four goals to one in the final term and taking out a 8-7 win.

Our Division 3 competition strived through adversity as the withdrawal from Altona a few weeks into the season caused a fixture revision, reducing Division 3 to a five-team competition. A competition riddled with Walkovers due to player availability saw a strong Williamstown team establish top spot on 52 points, only losing the final game. The combined team of MCC/Bendigo proved to be a team to watch, winning six of their first nine games, taking out second position on 40 points. After a slow start and losing their first three games the Melbourne Uni/Brunswick team found their groove going on to win four of their last five games to claim third spot on 36 points. Malvern started the season on fire, winning four of their first five games and consistently performed throughout the season, however, fell an agonisingly two points short of third place and missing out on a finals position. MCC/Bendigo took on a confident Melbourne Uni/Brunswick team who came out firing in the Semi Final, outscoring their opponents 4-0 in the first half. This lead proved to be unassailable despite a more aggressive MCC/Bendigo team, running out 9-4 winners and setting up an intriguing matchup with Williamstown. This Final also seemed destined for a tight finish as Williamstown striking the first blow but Melbourne University/Brunswick fired right back entering the half time break only two goals down against the top team.



SIXES COMPETITION

Hosted by MCC, the four-week pre-season men's sixes competition was held at Beaumaris Secondary College between February 26 – March 26. Comprised of five teams including MCC, Malvern, Caulfield, Chadstone and Surrey Park, this condensed and fast-paced format provided our senior men with a terrific opportunity to enjoy some match simulation as they prepare for the field season.

The first round indicated it was going to be a challenging competition to win as Caulfield claimed a 10-9 victory over Camberwell and Chadstone also captured a single goal, 11-10 win also. The teams found their groove in Round 2 as Malvern won their both their scheduled games – 12-9 against MCC and comfortably accounting for Surrey Park, 17-3.

Caulfield remained undefeated with a 16-9 win over their local rivals, Chadstone. Round 3 witnessed the undefeated teams of Malvern and Caulfield clash which resulted in Caulfield suffering their first loss of the pre-season, going down to Malvern 21-12.

It was Surrey Park's turn for the double header next, unfortunately losing both games 10-13 to MCC and 10-21 to Chadstone, knocking themselves out of finals contention.

The final week had arrived as Malvern and Caulfield prepared to battle out in the deciding match as Surrey Park and Chadstone participated in a social match. The standard had risen for the final match as both teams were eager to claim the first trophy of 2022.

It was the class of Malvern that prevailed over a young Caulfield team, securing a tightly contested 11-8 victory and claim the title of 2022 Pre-Season Champions.

JUNIOR COMPETITION

Our five-team U18 Womens competition was filled with future stars. Due to only having three-teams in the U16 Girls division, both these age groups combined following round 5 as the 'bye' team in U16 were to play the 'bye' team in U18 each week. This provided the U16 girls a broader range of opponents with more developed skills and was widely received well by all involved.

In U18's, Footscray and Williamstown Women begun the season undefeated until they met in Round 5 where Footscray claimed a single goal, 12-11, victory. This would be Williamstown Women's only loss for the season as they finished the season on top with 52 points and obtaining the minor premiership. Footscray lost two games for the season, defeated by Camberwell/Malvern and Williamstown Women's, and asserted themselves in second position on 46 points. The combination of Camberwell/Malvern proved to be a formidable opponent, claiming six wins in their final eight games and consolidated third spot on the ladder on 36 points. Newport Ladies closely followed the eastern based team in an up and down season, securing three wins and fourth spot on 20 points. Following their defeat of Footscray during the season, Camberwell/Malvern entered the Semi-Final with no fear of losing, however, Footscray proved too skilful and secured a 13-8 victory on their home ground. The two best teams were set for the Grand Final. In what was an evenly contested game all day, Footscray entered half time with a slim 7-6 lead. Williamstown Women did not have the enough answers for Footscray in the second half, bravely battling the bulldogs, however, could not seem to take the lead in a back and fourth final half. Footscray claimed a 12-11 win over their rivals.

The U16 premiership was decided between Williamstown Womens and Camberwell who had claimed first and second position on 44 and 43 points respectively. Similar to the U18 Final, the U16 final proved to be a momentum shifting game where neither team looked comfortable in consolidating their lead. Minor Premiers, Williamstown Womens, entered half time with a 5-4 lead but a 6-4 second half in favour of Camberwell resulted in the underdogs claiming a memorable single goal 10-9 victory.

The U18 Mens competition was as evenly contested as our Women. The seven team competition saw Williamstown establish themselves as the team to beat, only losing a single game to Eltham/Brunswick in Round 11 and taking the minor premiership on 50 points. MCC/Malvern formed an almost equally impressive record, losing two games against Williamstown and a draw against Caulfield/Chadstone in Round 9 on their way to second spot with 46 points.


The only team to defeat the minor premiers, Eltham/Brunswick, snatched third spot with a six win and 40 point record over Caulfield/Chadstone who only missed out on a home final due to their draw in Round 9, finishing on 38 points. Chadstone/Caulfield found themselves in Preliminary Final against Eltham/Brunswick who proved to be too much to overcome, as Eltham/Brunswick ran out 8-4 victors. Williamstown continued on their winning ways with a 13-9 victory over MCC/Malvern in the top of the table Preliminary and secured their Grand Final position. Eltham/Brunswick now found themselves facing an impressive MCC/Malvern team to decide Williamstown's opponent. A 5-2 second half blitz from Eltham/Brunswick rattled the MCC/Malvern team who were unable to recover going down 9-6 in a surprising loss. Still on a high from their previous victory, Eltham/Brunswick attacked their Final opponent with nothing to lose. Much to the credit of Williamstown, the Eltham/Brunswick storm was weathered as the seagulls entered half time with a two goal lead.

This lead proved unassailable as Williamstown's defence seemed somewhat impenetrable, consolidating their lead and holding off a fast finishing Eltham/Brunswick in a 9-8 victory in the deciding game.

In only a four team competition, it was a battle for top two spots as Camberwell and Footscray were clearly a class above their opponents in the U16 boys division. Only a single game separated Camberwell and Footscray who concluded their seasons with 12 wins each and played out a 4-4 draw in Round 12, finishing on 54 and 50 points respectively. Williamstown attained third spot with a five-win, 20 point season and found themselves battling Footscray in the Semi-Final. Footscray did not falter in their Semi, recording a comfortable 12-2 win over the seagulls. The two most deserved teams were set to face off in the Grand Final and it was Footscray who came out the blocks firing, lodging a 4-1 lead at half time. Camberwell were unable to cut this deficit despite their best efforts, going down 9-6.

An impressive Williamstown Women's team lead the way in the U14 girls competition, going through the home/away season undefeated, notching up 56 points and claiming the minor premiership. Again, Footscray were right in the midst of it in regard to ladder positions, attaining second spot with seven wins, one 12-12 draw against Eltham in Round 3 and recording 42 points. Eltham proved they can mix it with the best following their draw against Footscray and going down admirably against Williamstown Womens. The panthers claimed third spot on 34 points with five wins and a draw and setting up a mouth-watering Semi Final clash against Footscray. It seemed history was set to repeat itself as the scores were even for the majority of the first half and it was only a late goal from Footscray that gave them a single goal lead going into half time. A 8-3 second half from Footscray proved to be too much for the panthers as they cemented a 12-6 victory and a spot in the Grand Final. In another evenly contested game, Williamstown Women demonstrated why they were the minor premiers, withstanding an attacking Footscray team and recording a 4-3 halftime lead. It was much of the same in the second half as Williamstown Women held their defensive nerve and producing some unstoppable counter attacks and secure a 7-6 victory, capping off their perfect season.

The Under 14 Boys competition also experienced a dominant season from a Malvern/Camberwell team who enjoyed an undefeated 12-win, 56-point campaign. Only percentage separated second and third spots as Williamstown rattled home eight victories compared to Eltham's seven wins and one forfeit received, both finishing on 40 points. Altona concluded the season a game behind Eltham following their final round loss to the panthers to round out their season on 36 points and seven wins. The preliminaries were both won by the higher placed team. Malvern/Camberwell lead from start to finish over Williamstown, winning 12-8 and it was a similar story between Eltham and Altona as the panthers secured a 13-10 victory. Williamstown and Eltham faced off in neutral territory at Caulfield Park to decide MCC/Camberwell's opponent. A 4-0 second quarter from Williamstown settled the young seagulls, establishing 6-3 half time lead. Nothing separated the teams throughout the third term, however, it was another 4-1 final term blitz from Williamstown cemented their Grand Final spot, winning the game 11-6. It seemed another Grand Final was set to be a goal for goal affair as both Malvern/Camberwell and Williamstown were even in score until a late second quarter double from Malvern/Camberwell saw them with a handy 5-3 buffer at half time. The combo team continued with their momentum, outscoring their opponents 4-2 in the second to establish and 9-5 scoreline. The four goal lead was too much for Williamstown to overcome despite their best efforts and outscoring Malvern/Camberwell 3-1 in the final term. Malvern/Camberwell were named premiers with a 10-8 victory.



Our U12 girls had a healthy eight team competition with Newport Ladies, Footscray and Williamstown Women each fielding an impressive two teams. Whilst scores and ladders were recorded, no finals series' were included in the competition, rather clubs competed in two Lightning Carnival premierships throughout the season. In addition to the above clubs fielding two teams, Altona, Camberwell and a combined Malvern/Caulfield team participated. The first carnival was hosted by Footscray at the midpoint of the season. Each team enjoyed a fast paced and exciting morning as every team played each other once in a condensed game. The host club were named champions following a 6-3 defeat over Altona in the final. The second carnival was hosted by Newport Ladies with the same format as the previous carnival. Newport Ladies Gold team made it all the way to final but unfortunately fell agonisingly short in a sudden death 2-1 loss to Footscray Green. Footscray were once again named champions.

The U12 Boys competition was slightly larger than our girls with 13 teams listed in the competition. Eltham, Footscray, MCC and Williamstown all fielded two teams. This was originally a three-region competition in which clubs were split geographically into a West, East and South region. This was later adjusted following Round 4 to a two-region competition with only East and West. Similar to the girls, the boys competed in Lightning Carnivals rather than a final series to claim the title of champions. The first carnival was hosted by Eltham which included three separate divisions – Kangaroos, Crocodiles and Wombats. Footscray Green claimed the Kangaroos title over Williamstown Fearon 3-1, Eltham Durham claimed the Crocodiles title over Williamstown Cities 5-2 and Surrey Park claimed the Wombat title over Altona 5-1. The second carnival was hosted by Surrey Park and only included the two divisions of Kangaroos and Wombats. Eltham Durham attained the Kangaroos title over MCC Red 8-3 and Williamstown Cities attained the Wombats title of Footscray Green 5-0. The fast paced nature of Lightning Carnivals presents a great opportunity for our youngest age bracket to all be at a central venue to compete in a finals like environment, better preparing them for future age groups.

Brody Balfour

PARTICIPATION REPORT

BLAKE TOOMEY

SPORTING SCHOOLS VICTORIA TOURNAMENTS

LV organised and successfully hosted the Sporting Schools Victoria lacrosse competitions. The high school competitions were divided into three sections – Junior, Intermediate & Senior. We also hosted the Primary Schools State Finals. During the senior day, we engaged a videographer who filmed some interviews and game footage.

In the Intermediate and Senior competitions 153 students played in 17 teams. The Junior High School Competition had 90-100 kids with 11 teams there on the day. The day was again a great success and had some very positive responses from participants and coaches.

The Primary School State Finals had 120 students there on the day with 15 teams. I contacted all clubs who were close in proximity to the schools competing on the days to have some promotional flyers there on the day for the kids who enjoyed the day, giving them a pathway from school competitions to club level lacrosse. I also designed and created a PDF flyer to email out to schools for them to hand out to the students.

POINT COOK LACROSSE

I have been encouraged by the work of a lacrosse parent Joanna Wang about the introduction of a Quickstix program in Point Cook. We met with the Sports Director at Saltwater P-9 College about holding clinics in 2023 utilising the Sport Australia funding. In conjunction with Damien Orr from Lacrosse Australia, we ran two clinics in Point Cook.

LV has met with the Wyndham Council and connected the Point Cook program with the Wyndham Club to hopefully join together and begin an Under 10's program and develop the club from the bottom up.

SCHOOL AND ASSOCIATION CLINICS/GALA DAYS

I contacted schools and associations from Girls Sports Victoria and Northern Special School Association to hold some clinics and/or competition days. The clubs have benefited off these school clinics as we work with club presidents and junior coordinators to have a coach from their club go to the school with promotional flyers for their come and try days. However, most of these clinics were during the off-season so the clubs didn't have many options for the kids to continue playing just yet.

Focusing on creating some more qualified coaches at clubs will be highly beneficial for the association, but most importantly, the clubs. Caulfield, Brunswick, Altona and Malvern were very proactive with having a coach there for clinics. This is a clear example of needing clubs to have more accredited coaches available for opportunities like these.

The Girls Sports Victoria clinics were successful for the students, however not as successful for the clubs. These are a great opportunity for our clubs to build their junior girls' numbers. GSV reached out to me to commend me on the organisation and communication prior to the event. They also told me that lacrosse was one of the girls' favourite sport of the day.

We also had a couple of Primary School divisions reach out to us for umpires and some club promotions. These two gala days were in the Beaumaris and Chadstone area with 192 students attending. These gala days provide a significant opportunity for our clubs.



PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

I hosted a professional development/teacher workshop at Narre Warren P-12 College with 15 teachers. We followed up with the sports teacher of the college and sent him some information to coach the kids after the session. These professional development sessions can be very beneficial for lacrosse in Victoria as we instruct the teachers on how to teach lacrosse to their students. Rather than teaching 20 students at a time, we are 15 times more effective with less time as we share our knowledge with the teachers and they instruct the students for us.

ACHER CONFERENCE

With Cassidy Richards assisting, LV managed a stall at the Australian Council for Health, Physical Education and Recreation conference. There were about 2000 teachers in attendance over the 2 days. We gained a lot of school and sport coordinator's contact information from all over Australia. We ran an exhibition outside where we ran a Tri-Ball session to about 15 teachers from different schools. They all gave very positive feedback, telling us they enjoyed the exhibition, and it was one of their favourites at the conference. We gave out a lot of promotional pieces including phone pop-sockets and pairs of socks for the teachers to give out to students at their respective schools.

Blake Toomey

DEVELOPMENT REPORT

KRISTEN HUTCHISON

LACROSSE TOGETHER

In March 2022, we were notified of our successful application for VicHealth Future Healthy Big Connect funding initiative for the Lacrosse Together Program which kick started in April 2022. Lacrosse Together aims to create safe spaces for young LGBTIQ+ university students to meaningfully connect with their peers and allies. Working with our LGBTIQ+ Lacrosse Advisory Group, we co-designed the Lacrosse Together program which provides social sport opportunities for LGBTIQ+ university students and allies to help address mental health and wellbeing disparities amongst LGBTIQ+ youth.

Across the two semesters of 2022, we piloted and delivered Lacrosse Together at 3 universities: RMIT, Melbourne, and La Trobe University, which saw 68 people connect through 5 programs. RMIT and Melbourne University received inclusion awards for participating in the Lacrosse Together initiatives. All three clubs who delivered programs capped off their year by participating in the Lacrosse Victoria Pride Cup in October 2022.

We have built strong relationships with new universities and campuses which has assisted with the growth of the program with Deakin University, La Trobe Bendigo Campus, and Victoria University hopping on board in 2023.

LV PRIDE CUP

This year's inaugural Lacrosse Victoria Pride Cup saw participants, new and experienced, take part in a fun, social and inclusive lacrosse round robin event at PJ Lynch Reserve in Altona North on Sunday, 16 October.

With the goal of showcasing the welcoming and inclusive nature of the lacrosse community, rainbows were flying all over the event from the outfits participants wore to the large rainbow heart marking the ground at the centre field. Even the Lacrosse Victoria logo got a colourful update for the cause.

Twenty-two teams took the field and competed across 3 divisions: Novice, Intermediate, and Experienced. Over 200 people ranging from 7 to 71 years old played the relaxed 3v3 game format which allowed all genders, abilities, and ages to join in on the fun.

The day was a success on and off the field. We are proud to announce that we raised \$1574 for Proud 2 Play and Pride Cup Australia to help continue their great work in supporting LGBTIQ+ inclusion in sport. With such a successful first event, the date has already been set for 2023, Sunday 8, October. We look forward to making the event even bigger, more inclusive and fun!

Kristen Hutchison

LV FOUNDATION REPORT

F E R G S T E W A R T

The Victorian Lacrosse Foundation was established in May 1999 to support the sport of Lacrosse in Victoria.

The Foundation Trustees are charged with the responsibility for raising, holding, and administering a Trust Fund in support of Lacrosse in Victoria which has an initial target of \$1M.

The Trustees are currently drawn from the ranks of the Life Members of Lacrosse Victoria Inc. (LVI), together with one Representative of the LVI Board.

Current Trustees include Anne Hodder (LV Board Representative), and Sue Gandy, Doug Fox, Rob Speakman, Fergus Stewart, Life Members of LVI.

The Trustees have been concentrating in the immediate past, on determining a more suitable structure for the Foundation. Impetus for this has come from discussions with the ATO which body queried the claimed "tax free" status of the LV Foundation.

After examining the structure and operation of the recently established Lacrosse Australia Foundation, the Trustees have determined that relocating the LV Foundation within Lacrosse Victoria itself, is the most appropriate course of action.

To this end, discussions have been held with the LVI Board and their legal advisers, which has resulted in the proposed LV Constitutional Amendment to be put to the LVI Annual General Meeting in April 2023.

In short, the proposal is that the LV Foundation continue to operate broadly as it has previously, but under the control of an LV Board Sub Committee, with Members appointed from both the Board and the Life Members.

This arrangement will provide the Clubs with greater control over the activities of the LV Foundation, and provide greater support to the Foundation in terms of accounting and general office administration to the LV Board Sub Committee.

In the interim, the funds under control of the Trustees have continued to grow, with an amount of approximately \$200,000 expected to be transferred into the new structure.

The Trustees commend this proposed change to the LVI Constitution to the Clubs, and request their support for the change.

Fergus Stewart

2022 LACROSSE VICTORIA
REPRESENTATIVE TEAMS

2022 UNDER 15 REPRESENTATIVE TEAMS



FIRE
THIRD PLACE



ICE
FIFTH PLACE



SOUTHERN CROSSE
THIRD PLACE



NORTHERN WARRIORS
SEVENTH PLACE



WESTERN METROS
SIXTH PLACE



**2022 UNDER 18 VICTORIAN WOMEN'S TEAM
NATIONAL CHAMPIONS**



U18 WOMEN'S ALL STAR TEAM
MARLEY DAWSON, TRINITY MEACHEM, EBONY NORMAN,
MIRIAM SUARES-JURY & STEPHEN BOWN (COACH)

U18 WOMEN'S TOURNAMENT MVP
MIRIAM SUARES-JURY

**2022 UNDER 18 VICTORIAN MEN'S TEAM
THIRD PLACE**



U18 MEN'S ALL STAR TEAM
KOBE COOK & JACOB SPILKIN

U18 MEN'S TOURNAMENT MVP
KOBE COOK

2022 VICTORIAN WOMEN'S TEAM
UNDEFEATED NATIONAL CHAMPIONS



WOMEN'S ALL STAR TEAM
RACHEL KIRCHHEIMER, THEODORA KWAS, REBECCA LANE,
SARAH MOLLISON, HAYLEY SOFARNOS & MEGHAN MOLLISON (COACH)

WOMEN'S TOURNAMENT MVP
SARAH MOLLISON

2022 VICTORIAN MEN'S TEAM
NATIONAL CHAMPIONS



MEN'S ALL STAR TEAM
SEAN AARON, SEAN CLARKE, CHRIS MOFFATT,
JEFF MELSOPP & TERRY SPARKS (COACH)

MEN'S TOURNAMENT MVP
SEAN CLARKE

2022 LACROSSE VICTORIA

AUSTRALIAN REPRESENTATIVES



MEN'S WORLD GAMES TEAM
SIXTH PLACE



WOMEN'S WORLD GAMES TEAM
BRONZE MEDALLISTS



WOMEN'S WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM
FOURTH PLACE



U23 WOMEN'S TOURING TEAM



U21 MEN'S WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM
FOURTH PLACE

A person in a lacrosse uniform, wearing a helmet with a 'SE MAIN' sticker, is shouting with their hands cupped around their mouth. The background is a blurred outdoor field.

2022 LACROSSE VICTORIA

ANNUAL AWARDS

CLUB OF THE YEAR
FOOTSCRAY LACROSSE CLUB

COACH OF THE YEAR
MEGHAN MOLLISON

OFFICIAL OF THE YEAR
GRAEME FOX

REFEREE OF THE YEAR
DON LOVETT

PAST PRESIDENT'S AWARD
SYMON LOVETT

NELL RAWLINS AWARD
STEPHEN BOWN

SHAPPERE URN AWARD
BRAD SKEPPER & TARRYN SUFFOLK

2022 LACROSSE VICTORIA

BEST & FAIREST

State League Men	Patrick McGrath-Campell	Malvern
State League Women	Rebecca Lane	Footscray
Division 1 Men	Jake Egan	MCC
A Grade Women	Grace Mackie	Camberwell
Division 2 Men	Cameron Barr-Kemp	Eltham
B Grade Women	Laura Hulley	Chadstone
Division 3 Men	Duncan Hillier & Michael Kindred	MU/Brunswick & Williamstown
Under 18 Boys	Bryce Emery	Williamstown
Under 18 Girls	Miriam Soares-Jury	Williamstown Womens
Under 16 Boys	Angus Fluker & Janitha Dharmabandu	Footscray
Under 16 Girls	Rhyannon Bergin	Camberwell
Under 14 Boys	Flynn Crawford	Williamstown
Under 14 Girls	Holly Austin	Williamstown Womens

2022 LACROSSE VICTORIA

TOP GOAL SCORERS

State League Men	James Lawerson	Footscray
State League Women	Theodora Kwas	Footscray

2022 LACROSSE VICTORIA

PREMIERS

2021/22 Summer Box Men Storm

2022 Spring/Summer Box Men Fury

Pre-Season Sixes Women Williamstown Women

Pre-Season Sixes Men Malvern

State League Women Footscray def. Newport Ladies 15-2

State League Men Footscray def. Williamstown 15-13

A-Grade Women Malvern def. Camberwell 14-12

Division 1 Men Williamstown def. MCC 11-4

B-Grade Women Chadstone/Caulfield def. Camberwell 11-10

Division 2 Men Footscray def. Camberwell 8-7

Division 3 Men Williamstown def. Melb Uni/Brunswick 6-5

Under 18 Girls Footscray def. Williamstown Womens 12-11

Under 18 Boys Williamstown def. Eltham/Brunswick 9-8

Under 16 Girls Camberwell def. Williamstown Womens 10-9

Under 16 Boys Footscray def. Camberwell 9-6

Under 14 Girls Williamstown Womens def. Footscray 7-6

Under 14 Boys Malvern/Camberwell def. Williamstown

2022 LACROSSE VICTORIA

LADDERS & MINOR PREMIERS

STATE LEAGUE WOMEN

Pos	Club	Played	Won	Lost	Draw	FF	FG	Pts	%
1	Footscray*	9	9	0	0	0	0	36	252.83
2	NLLC	9	4	4	1	0	0	18	124.71
3	WWLC	9	2	6	1	0	0	10	57.02
4	VicSelect	9	2	7	0	0	0	4	52.25

STATE LEAGUE MEN

Pos	Club	Played	Won	Lost	Draw	FF	FG	Pts	%
1	Footscray*	18	14	1	2	1	0	64	251.43
2	Williamstown	18	15	3	0	0	0	60	219.69
3	Malvern	18	14	3	1	0	0	58	151.72
4	Eltham	18	13	5	0	0	0	52	136.64
5	Camberwell	18	11	7	0	0	0	42	148.48
6	Caulfield	18	7	11	0	0	0	28	100.57
7	Altona	18	6	12	0	0	0	20	64.03
8	Brunswick	18	3	13	1	0	1	14	53.48
9	Chadstone	18	3	15	0	0	0	10	52.46

A GRADE WOMEN

Pos	Club	Played	Won	Lost	Byes	Draw	FF	FG	Pts
1	Malvern*	15	9	1	3	1	1	0	52
2	Camberwell	15	7	4	3	0	1	0	44
3	NLLC	15	6	6	3	0	0	0	36
4	WWLC	15	4	6	3	1	0	1	30
5	Footscray	15	1	10	3	0	0	1	16

DIVISION 1 MEN

Pos	Club	Played	Won	Lost	Byes	Draw	FF	FG	Pts
1	MCC*	15	10	2	3	0	0	52	196.59
2	Williamstown	15	9	2	3	1	0	52	184.88
3	Eltham	15	5	7	3	0	0	32	69.23
4	Melbourne University	15	4	8	3	0	0	28	80.42
5	Malvern	15	1	10	3	0	1	16	38.36

B GRADE WOMEN

Pos	Club	Played	Won	Lost	Byes	Draw	FF	FG	Pts
1	ChadField*	14	9	2	1	2	0	48	250
2	Camberwell	14	10	2	1	1	0	48	160.75
3	MCC/MelbUni	14	8	5	1	0	0	36	110
4	Altona	14	6	6	1	0	1	24	113.74
5	Eltham	14	5	9	0	0	0	20	86.54
6	Brunswick	14	0	12	1	0	1	4	138.96

DIVISION 2 MEN

Pos	Club	Played	Won	Lost	Byes	Draw	FF	FG	Pts
1	Footscray*	14	9	2	2	1	0	48	300
2	Camberwell	14	10	2	2	0	0	46	235.94
3	Eltham	14	7	3	2	2	0	44	196.88
4	Caulfield	14	4	6	2	1	1	28	77.32
5	Chadstone	14	4	8	2	0	0	24	58.33
6	Surrey Park	14	1	8	2	2	1	16	31.16
7	Altona	14	2	7	2	3	0	14	39.10

DIVISION 3 MEN

Pos	Club	Played	Won	Lost	Byes	Draw	FF	FG	Pts
1	Williamstown*	15	7	0	2	4	2	52	258.33
2	MCC/Bendigo	15	6	5	2	2	0	40	159.76
3	Melb Uni/ Brunswick	15	4	6	2	3	0	36	95.10
4	Malvern	15	5	3	2	2	3	34	100
5	Camberwell	15	0	6	1	3	5	16	40.35

UNDER 18 MEN

Pos	Club	Played	Won	Lost	Byes	FF	FG	Pts	%
1	Williamstown	14	12	1	2	0	0	50	625.00
2	MCC/Malvern	14	9	2	2	0	1	46	202.60
3	Eltham/ Brunswick	12	6	4	2	2	0	40	203.57
4	Caulfield/ Chadstone	11	5	4	2	2	0	38	212.00
5	Surrey Park	13	3	8	2	0	1	20	38.26
6	Altona	11	3	6	2	0	3	18	50.44
7	Melb Uni	14	0	12	2	0	0	8	4.04

UNDER 18 WOMEN

Pos	Club	Played	Won	Lost	Byes	Draw	FF	FG	Pts
1	Williamstown	14	10	1	3	0	0	52	255.41
2	Footscray	13	9	2	2	1	0	46	195.24
3	Camberwell/ Malvern	14	6	5	3	0	0	36	98.43
4	Newport	14	3	9	2	0	0	20	64.63
5	Brunswick	13	0	11	2	0	1	6	28.19

UNDER 16 BOYS

Pos	Club	Played	Won	Lost	Byes	FF	FG	Pts	%
1	Camberwell	15	12	1	1	0	0	54	301.69
2	Footscray	15	12	2	0	0	0	50	169.89
3	Williamstown	15	5	10	0	0	0	20	90.48
4	Brunswick/ Melb Uni	15	0	15	0	0	0	0	34.47

UNDER 16 GIRLS

Pos	Club	Played	Won	Lost	Byes	Draw	FF	FG	Pts
1	Williamstown	14	4	3	5	1	0	44	115.58
2	Camberwell	14	5	3	5	0	1	42	107.45
3	Footscray	15	3	6	5	0	0	32	82.57

UNDER 14 BOYS

Pos	Club	Played	Won	Lost	Byes	FF	FG	Pts	%
1	Malvern/ Camberwell	14	12	0	2	0	0	56	262.22
2	Williamstown	13	8	3	2	0	1	40	222.97
3	Eltham	13	7	4	2	1	0	40	115.73
4	Altona	14	7	5	2	0	0	36	125.74
5	Footscray	14	5	7	2	0	0	28	92.35
6	MCC/Caulfield	14	1	10	2	0	0	14	36.15
7	Surrey Park	14	0	11	2	0	0	10	25.83

UNDER 14 GIRLS

Pos	Club	Played	Won	Lost	Byes	Draw	FF	FG	Pts
1	Williamstown	14	11	0	3	0	0	56	283.67
2	Footscray	14	7	3	3	0	0	42	197.22
3	Eltham	14	5	5	3	0	0	34	97.20
4	MCC/Caulfield /Malvern	13	3	7	3	0	1	24	46.67
5	Newport	13	0	11	2	1	0	12	39.22

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