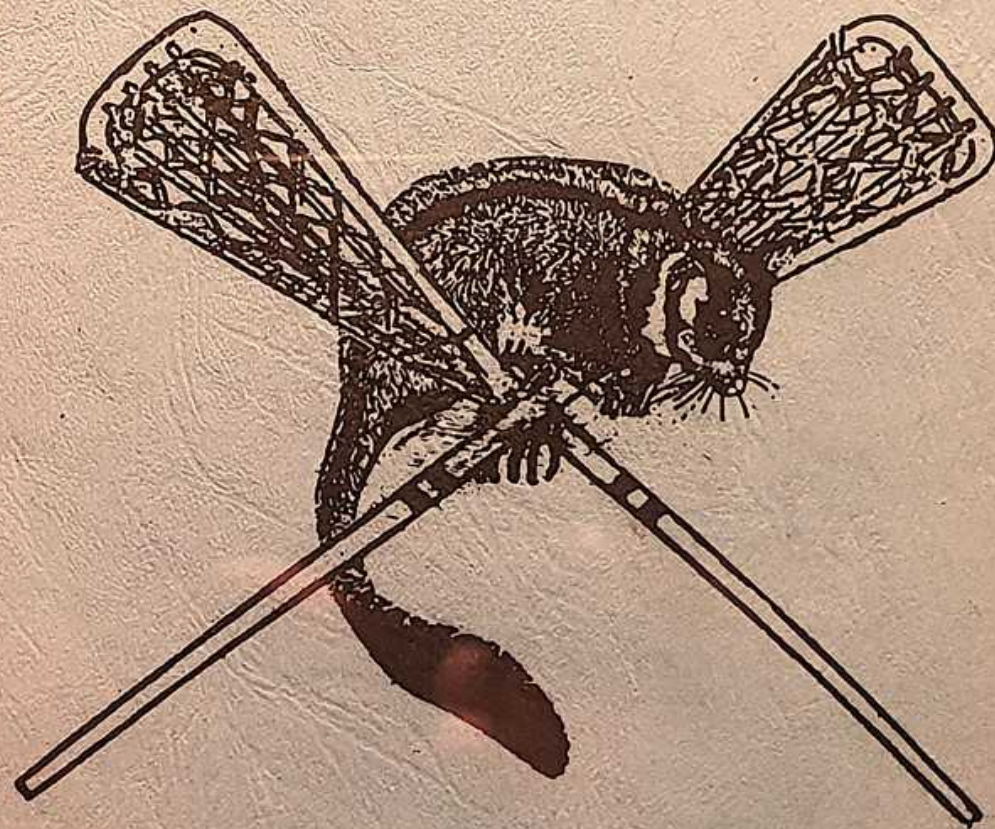


VICTORIAN UNDER 23's LACROSSE TEAM

TOUR OF U.S.A.



1986



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LEADBEATER'S POSSUM.

Believed to be extinct for 50 years, it was rediscovered in tall mountain ash forests near Healesville, Melbourne. It is small, between 13 and 15cm with a 20cm tail, and is a very attractive animal with soft grey fur and a prominent dark stripe. It lives in wet eucalyptus forest and feeds on insects and nectar.

VICTORIAN WOMEN'S LACROSSE ASSOCIATION PRESIDENTS MESSAGE.

It gives me great pleasure to write this message for the 1986 Under 23's Victorian Touring Team for their tour of the USA.

The Team has worked very hard at fund-raising and the organisation involved in a tour such as this and I am sure this has proved worthwhile in getting to know each other before the tour and away from the Lacrosse field.

The tour is expected to be a great experience for all in an overseas visit, the friendships to be made and the advantage of gaining another facet of Lacrosse experience.

The Victorian Women's Lacrosse Association congratulates each of the team for their commitment to the tour and hopes that they attain the personal and team aspirations they desire.

Janet Jackson
PRESIDENT

TOUR HISTORY

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The team would like to thank everyone who helped them in their bid to tour the USA; especially STX who sponsored us by presenting the girls with new STX - Laser sticks. The Chadstone Lacrosse players who have given their time and assistance in helping the team in raising funds.

NAME: Marie Costello - Coach

NO:

AGE: 29

OCCUPATION: Recruitment Clerk

SCHOOLS ATTENDED: St. Georges Catholic School
Pt. Gellibrand High School

TEAM CURRENTLY PLAYING FOR: Newport

AUST/STATE/PREMIERSHIP TEAMS:

Coached: Newport U'16s - 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984
Victorian U'19s - 1984, 1985, 1986 Aust Champ.
Victorian U'23s - 1985, 1986

Played: Newport - 13 years - Several Championships
Victorian Associates - 1980, 1985
Victorian Soft Lacrosse - 1980

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Noel Smith - Australian Lacrosse Coach

NAME: Sue Gandy - Manageress

NO:

AGE: 25

OCCUPATION: Secretary

SCHOOLS ATTENDED: Sandringham East Primary School
Sandringham Technical School

TEAM CURRENTLY PLAYING FOR: Caulfield

AUST/STATE/PREMIERSHIP TEAMS:

Manageress: Victorian U'19's - 1984, 1985, 1986

Played: Victorian Senior Team - 1982, 1983
Victorian Associates - 1985
Victorian Soft Lacrosse - Several Teams

INTERESTS: Playing and watching all sports,
Travelling and socialising

FAVOURITE SPORTS PERSONS: Viv Broad

NAME: Peter Costello - Manager

NO:

AGE: 36

OCCUPATION: Clerk

SCHOOLS ATTENDED: St. Mary's Catholic School
St. Joseph's Technical School

TEAM CURRENTLY PLAYING FOR:

AUST/STATE/PREMIERSHIP TEAMS:

Manager: Victorian U'23's - 1985, 1986

INTERESTS: All Sports, Home Renovations,
Socialising

FAVOURITE SPORTS PERSONS: Michelle Lincoln(Vic. U'16's)

NAME: Linda Roylance - Umpire

NO:

AGE: 24

OCCUPATION: Stenographer - Personal Assistant

SCHOOLS ATTENDED: Moomba Park State
Fawkner Technical School

TEAM CURRENTLY PLAYING FOR: Umpire Victorian Association
Accredited Level One

AUST/STATE/PREMIERSHIP TEAMS: :

INTERESTS: Horse Riding, Listening to Music
Eating Out

FAVOURITE SPORTS PERSONS: Mary Pickett

NAME: Leeanne Riddle - Captian

NO: 1

AGE: 23

OCCUPATION: Departmental Head

SCHOOLS ATTENDED: Moomba Park State
Fawkner Technical School

TEAM CURRENTLY PLAYING FOR: Caulfield

AUST/STATE/PREMIERSHIP TEAMS:

Under 16's - 1978, 1979
Under 19's - 1982
Senior Associates - 1980
Victorian Seniors - 1982, 1983, 1984, 1985
Soft Lacrosse Team - 1982, 1984, 1985
Australian Team - 1983

INTERESTS: Lacrosse, Basketball

FAVOURITE SPORTS PERSONS: Colleen McVeigh (Lacrosse)
Viv Richards (Cricket)

NAME: Cathy Gravina

NO: 3

AGE: 19

OCCUPATION: Cabinet Maker

SCHOOLS ATTENDED: Lalor North Primary
Lalor Technical School

TEAM CURRENTLY PLAYING FOR: Doncaster/Eltham

AUST/STATE/PREMIERSHIP TEAMS: :

Under 19's - 1984, 1985 (Aust Champions)

Soft Lacrosse Team - 1985, 1986

All Star Team Under 19's --1985

INTERESTS: Tennis, Weight Lifting

FAVOURITE SPORTS PERSONS: Kendrea Kendall, Sue Mellis
(Lacrosse)
Martina Navratilova (Tennis)

NAME: Lynette Carling

NO: 4

AGE: 18

OCCUPATION: Clerk

SCHOOLS ATTENDED: Williamstown Primary
Williamstown High School

TEAM CURRENTLY PLAYING FOR: Newport

AUST/STATE/PREMIERSHIP TEAMS:

Under 16's - 1981, 1982, 1983

Under 19's - 1985, 1986

INTERESTS: Tennis, Horse Riding

FAVOURITE SPORTS PERSONS: Sue Mellis (Lacrosse)

NAME: Leanne Trainor

NO: 5

AGE: 20

OCCUPATION: Sales Clerk

SCHOOLS ATTENDED: Brandon Park Primary
Monash High School

TEAM CURRENTLY PLAYING FOR: Caulfield

AUST/STATE/PREMIERSHIP TEAMS:

Under 16's - 1979, 1980, 1981

Under 19's - 1982, 1983

Victorian Seniors - 1983, 1985

All Star Team Under 19's - 1983

INTERESTS: Lacrosse, Travelling, Enjoying Life

FAVOURITE SPORTS PERSONS: Marg Barlow, Mary Pickett
(Lacrosse)

NAME: Heidi Hatch

NO: 6

AGE: 21

OCCUPATION: Typist/Clerk

SCHOOLS ATTENDED: Greenhills Primary
Montmorency High School

TEAM CURRENTLY PLAYING FOR: Eltham/Doncaster

AUST/STATE/PREMIERSHIP TEAMS:

INTERESTS: Horse Riding, Tennis

FAVOURITE SPORTS PERSONS: Elaine Matthews (Lacrosse)

NAME: Veronica Hillhouse

NO: 7

AGE: 19

OCCUPATION: Clerk

SCHOOLS ATTENDED: Cremorne Street Primary
Williamstown High School

TEAM CURRENTLY PLAYING FOR: Doncaster/Eltham

AUST/STATE/PREMIERSHIP TEAMS:

Under 16's - 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984

Under 19's - 1985 (Aust Champions), 1986

Victorian Senior Associates - 1985

All Star Team Under 16's - 1983, 1984

INTERESTS: All Sports, Puzzles, Watching T.V.
Meeting People

FAVOURITE SPORTS PERSONS: Sue Mellis, Tracey Hogg
(Lacrosse)
Robert deCastella (Runner)

NAME: Jenni Dunleavy

NO: 8

AGE: 18

OCCUPATION: Secretary

SCHOOLS ATTENDED: Watsonia Heights Primary
Macleod Technical School

TEAM CURRENTLY PLAYING FOR: Eltham/Doncaster

AUST/STATE/PREMIERSHIP TEAMS:

Under 16's - 1984 (Aust Champions)

Under 19's - 1985 (Aust Champions), 1986

Under 21's - State Indoor Lacrosse Team 1986

INTERESTS: Lacrosse, Swimming

FAVOURITE SPORTS PERSONS: Fran Pepper, Sue Mellis
(Lacrosse)

NAME: Nicole Lincoln

NO: 9

AGE: 18

OCCUPATION: Accounting Clerk

SCHOOLS ATTENDED: Lalor East Primary
Lalor Technical School

TEAM CURRENTLY PLAYING FOR: Caulfield

AUST/STATE/PREMIERSHIP TEAMS:

Under 16's - 1981, 1982, 1983

Under 19's - 1983, 1984, 1985 (Aust Champions)

Senior Associates - 1985

All Star Team Under 16's - 1983

All Star Team Under 19's - 1983, 1984, 1985

Caulfield Premiership Team - 1985

INTERESTS: Lacrosse, The Beach, Horse Riding,
Walking, Brad Skepper

FAVOURITE SPORTS PERSONS: Viv Broad (Lacrosse)

NAME: Jane Moxham

NO: 10

AGE: 20

OCCUPATION: Secretary

SCHOOLS ATTENDED: Whitehorse Primary
Whitehorse College

TEAM CURRENTLY PLAYING FOR: Doncaster

AUST/STATE/PREMIERSHIP TEAMS:

INTERESTS: Lacrosse, Tennis, Swimming
Sports in General, Horse Riding

FAVOURITE SPORTS PERSONS: Robert deCastella (Runner)

NAME: Sally Jackson

NO: 11

AGE: 18

OCCUPATION: Secretary

SCHOOLS ATTENDED: Chadstone Park Primary
Kilvington Girls School

TEAM CURRENTLY PLAYING FOR: Caulfield

AUST/STATE/PREMIERSHIP TEAMS:

Under 16's - 1981, 1982, 1983

Under 19's - 1984, 1985 (Aust Champions) 1986

Senior Associates - 1985 ;

Soft Lacrosse Team - 1983, 1985

INTERESTS: Horse Riding, Travelling, Going Out

FAVOURITE SPORTS PERSONS: Sue Mellis, Marg Barlow
(Lacrosse)

NAME: Anne Bowkett

NO: 13

AGE: 19

OCCUPATION: Printer

SCHOOLS ATTENDED: Merrilands Primary School
Merrilands High School

TEAM CURRENTLY PLAYING FOR: Caulfield

AUST/STATE/PREMIERSHIP TEAMS:

INTERESTS: Drawing, Painting, All Sports

FAVOURITE SPORTS PERSONS: Jeff Fenech (Boxer)
Joakim Nystram (Tennis)

NAME: Sue Humphries

NO: 14

AGE: 20

OCCUPATION: Bank Clerk

SCHOOLS ATTENDED: Mount Waverley Primary
Syndal Technical School
Pahran College

TEAM CURRENTLY PLAYING FOR: Doncaster

AUST/STATE/PREMIERSHIP TEAMS:

INTERESTS: Shopping, Baseball, Seeing Movies

FAVOURITE SPORTS PERSONS: Viv Broad (Lacrosse)

NAME: Debbie Walder

NO: 16

AGE: 20

OCCUPATION: Typist/Clerk

SCHOOLS ATTENDED: St. Timothy's Primary School
Nunawading High School
Box Hill College

TEAM CURRENTLY PLAYING FOR: Doncaster/Eltham

AUST/STATE/PREMIERSHIP TEAMS:

Under 16's - 1982

Under 19's - 1983, 1984, 1985 (Aust Champions)

INTERESTS: Knitting, Shopping, Seeing Movies,
Football, Netball

FAVOURITE SPORTS PERSONS: Viv Broad (Lacrosse)

NAME: Allison Gandy

NO: 17

AGE: 20

OCCUPATION: Bank Clerk

SCHOOLS ATTENDED: Sandringham East Primary School
Highett High School

TEAM CURRENTLY PLAYING FOR: Caulfield

AUST/STATE/PREMIERSHIP TEAMS:

Under 19's - 1984

Senior Associates - 1985

Victorian Seniors - 1986

INTERESTS: All Sports, Listening to Music

FAVOURITE SPORTS PERSONS: Robert deCastella (Runner)
Australia 11 Yatching Team

NAME: Janet McAuliffe

NO: 15

AGE: 21

OCCUPATION: Sales Assistant

SCHOOLS ATTENDED: Pinewood Primary School
Syndal Technical School
Chisholm College

TEAM CURRENTLY PLAYING FOR: Caulfield

AUST/STATE/PREMIERSHIP TEAMS:

Under 19's - 1983

All Star Team - Under 19's - 1983

Senior Indoor Team - 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986

Premiership Teams: Camberwell 1982,
Caulfield 1985

Victorian Associates - 1985

INTERESTS: Sport, Playing and Listening to Music

FAVOURITE SPORTS PERSONS: Elaine Matthews
Glenys Nunn (Pentathalon)

Lacrosse

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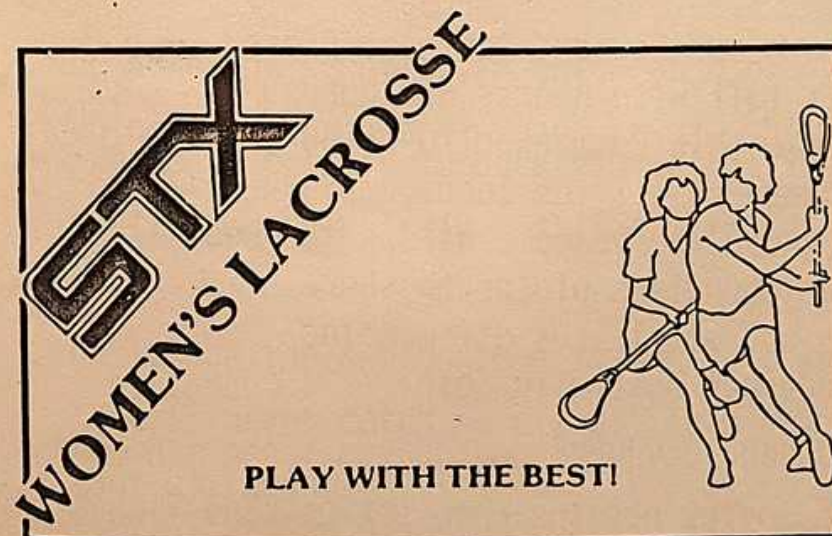
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| | | Reef Towers Hotel. |
| Wed 28 May | - | Depart Honolulu |
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| | | Sheraton Anaheim. |
| Tues 3 June | - | Depart Anaheim |
| | - | Arrive Boston |
| | | touring East Coast. |
| Sat 14 June | - | Depart East Coast |
| | | Arrive Pennsylvania. |
| Sun 22 June | - | Depart Pennsylvania |
| Mon 23 June | - | Arrive London |
| | | Eden Park Hotel. London |
| Thurs 26 June | - | Depart London. |
| Sat 28 June | - | Arrive Melbourne. |

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The Victorian Under 23 Lacrosse Team would like to thank all the many people who contributed towards preparations for this tour, with special thanks to the following for their sponsorship and support;

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 Chadstone Lacrosse Club
 Wendy and Denis Rich
 Brine

Friends and family of players, officials who assisted the team in their fundraising efforts.



- ADVANCE AUSTRALIA FAIR -

words by:

P.D. McCormick

Australians all, let us rejoice,
For we are young and free,
We've golden soil and wealth for toil,
Our home is girt by sea;
Our land abounds in nature's gifts
of beauty rich and rare;
In history's page, let every stage
Advance Australia fair.

CHORUS

In joyful strains then let us sing
'Advance Australia fair'.

Beneath our radiant Southern Cross
We'll toil with hearts and hands,
To make this Commonwealth of ours
Renowned of all the lands,
For those who've come across the seas
We've boundless plains to share,
With courage let us all combine
To advance Australia fair.

CHORUS

In joyful strains then let us sing
'Advance Australia fair'.

- WALTZING MATILDA -

words by:

A.B. Patterson

Once a jolly swagman camped by a billabong
Under the shade of a coolibah tree;
And he sang, as he watched and waited while
his billy boiled:
'Who'll come a-waltzing Matilda with me?'

CHORUS

Waltzing Matilda, Waltzing Matilda,
Who'll come a-waltzing Matilda with me?
And he sang as he watched and waited
while his billy boiled:
Who'll come a-waltzing Matilda with me?

Down came a jumbuck to drink at that
billabong,
Up jumped the swagman and grabbed him with
glee;
And he sang as he shoved that jumbuck in his
tucker-bag,
'You'll come a-waltzing Matilda with me!'

CHORUS

Up came the squatter, mounted on his
thoroughbred,
Up came the troopers - one - two - three!
'Whose that jolly jumbuck you've got in
your tucker-bag?
You'll come a-waltzing Matilda with me!'

CHORUS

Up jumped the swagman and sprang into the
billabong,
'You'll never catch me alive!' said he,
And his ghost may be heard as you pass by
that billabong,
'You'll come a-waltzing Matilda with me!'

CHORUS

AUTOGRAPHS