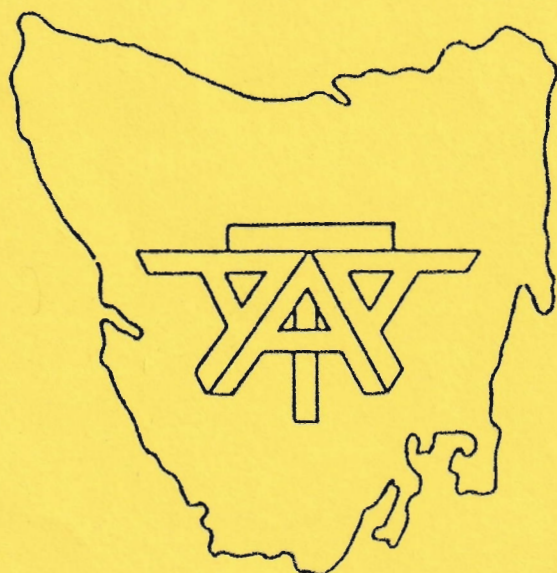


**AMATEUR ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION
OF TASMANIA**

(Founded 1981)



**4TH ANNUAL REPORT
& STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS**

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AMATEUR ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION OF TASMANIA

Members,

It is with pleasure that your Council presents the Fourth Annual Report covering season 1983/84.

In contrast to last year, where many exciting and far reaching events occurred, the season under review has been reasonably quiet - perhaps it could be described as a period of consolidation. However, the future as far as athletics in Australia is concerned appears to be about to change dramatically.

Tasmania did not host an Australian Championship meeting, last season, only three Australian titles were won, the Boys Under 16 400 metres, Girls Under 19 Shot Put and Discus, although as many medals as usual were obtained, so on the competition area things were not at all sensational. The local season was very good with excellent Championship meetings especially the Track & Field Championships. The L.B.S. Statewide League went from strength to strength and the Track & Field and Winter Inter Club competitions were well up to standard.

Fun Runs increased in number and your Association was extremely pleased to be again directly associated with the organisation and conduct of the Cripps Baker City to Casino Fun Run. It also helped to organise the Toyota Olympic Fund Run, the Solo Fun Run and the Cadbury Marathon and was grateful for the co-operation of the Southern Branch in all these events.

The highlight of the season off the competitive arena was the election of your President, Graeme Briggs as President of the Athletic Union of Australia at its Congress last September. Already, Graeme has had a marked influence on the Union's activities - he has visited all States and the A.C.T. and has shown he will be a very active President. Another honour was his recognition in the Australia Day's awards when he became a member of the Order of Australia. As well as being a just recognition of Graeme's service to athletics both the award and the election reflects most favourably on the sport in Tasmania.

One of the initiatives coming from the Union's Board of Management was a seminar to be held in Canberra in May titled "Athletics Towards 2000" at which each association will be represented by its Chairman, Executive Director, Track & Field Director, Winter Competition Director and Coaching Director. Separately and together they will submit recommendations for a blueprint for athletics for the next 16 years. A very exciting prospect indeed.

Your selection sub-committees were reduced in personnel this season from eight which formerly comprised two from each branch and the association, to four with no stipulation as to who they represented. The move seems to have been an improvement although the winter group found some difficulty in meeting together. Hopefully this will be overcome in the future.

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The Association Handbook was expanded to include all State League Rules and as much information as athletes could require. The aim is to be able to answer any question regarding competition by saying "Look in your Handbook." Naturally the cost of printing has increased but income has not kept pace and it does not pay for itself but the feeling is that its value far outweighs cost.

Although sponsors will be thanked in the appropriate section, it is very pleasing to have continued support from all those who assisted last year. Obviously they must be happy with the arrangement and it is the policy of your Association to try in all ways to ensure that value is given for money.

Finally to those people without whom our sport could not function successfully - the officials a sincere word of thanks. Their support, loyalty and willingness to work very hard and often is greatly appreciated.

REGISTRATIONS :

Unfortunately registrations didn't quite remain as high as last season with an overall drop of 27 - 2 men and 25 women but the most disturbing feature was the decline in the Senior and Under 20 age groups. To have only 15 men and 6 women Under 20 must give cause for concern. In addition from 16 years up, all womens age groups dropped a total of 21 from 99 down to 78, a loss of over 20% and of that 78, 16 were new registrations so a total of 37 athletes did not re-register this season.

There were the usual fluctuations in other ages with 1 extra official being registered.

Branch wise South had an overall increase of 38 - 35 men, 3 women but both the other branches were down North 27 - 21 men, 6 women and North West 38 - 16 men and 22 women. It is also interesting to note that of the 1271 athletes and officials registered 439 were new - approximately 34.5%. This would indicate that it is not recruiting new athletes that is the problem - it is retention of the old ones and in particular, retention at the time of leaving school and just after. North has by far the best record in this regard. The Australian Union and other States are all aware of the problem and hopefully some means of retaining interest at this age will be found.

Statistics for individual clubs also provides interesting reading, but it would not be appropriate to make any comments without knowing all circumstances. The only one would be to say that the figures for Western Suburbs show all being new registrations when in fact quite a number were transfers from other northern clubs.

REGISTRATIONS (Cont.)

Details -

	Men		Women		Total	
South	325	(+35)	147	(+3)	472	(+38)
North	205	(-21)	166	(-6)	371	(-27)
North West	246	(-16)	182	(-22)	428	(-38)
	776	(-2)	495	(-25)	1271	(-27)

MEN	SOUTH		NORTH		NORTH WEST		TOTAL	
		New		New		New		New
Seniors	108	(+10) 7	60	(-7) 9	33	(-5) 7	201	(-2) 23
Under 20	6	(-3) 2	9	(-1) 4		(-5)	15	(-9) 6
Under 19	11	(+6) 1	10	(+2)	5	(+2) 2	26	(+10) 3
Under 18	9	(-5) 3	11	(-2) 4	7	(-1) 2	27	(-8) 9
Under 17	9	(-3) 1	10	(+2) 4	5	(-4) 1	24	(-5) 6
Under 16	23	(+12) 6	13	(+1) 3	20	(+12) 8	56	(+25) 17
Under 15	28	15	22	(+6) 9	20	(+4) 10	70	(+10) 34
Under 14	33	(+8) 17	17	(-1) 5	19	(+5) 3	69	(+12) 25
Under 13	32	(+4) 29	22	(-8) 12	19	(-1) 7	73	(-5) 49
Under 12	12	(+4) 7	4	(-7) 2	17	(-3) 5	34	(-6) 14
Under 11	4	(-3) 3	2		15	(-22) 8	21	(-25) 13
Under 10	2	(-1) 1			17	(+1) 7	19	
Under 9	1	(-1) 1			41	(+1) 30	42	
Officials	47	(+7)	24	(-6) 4	28		99	(+1) 9
	325	(+35) 93	205	(-21) 59	246	(-16) 95	776	(-2) 247

WOMEN	SOUTH		NORTH		NORTH WEST		TOTAL	
		New		New		New		New
Seniors	16		12	(-4) 1	17	(-1) 3	45	(-5) 8
Under 20		(-5)	4	(-1)	2		6	(-6) 2
Under 19		(-4)	5	(-4) 2	3	(+1)	8	(-7) 2
Under 18	4	(+3) 2	3	(-1) 2	7	(-5)	19	(-3) 4
Under 17	9		12	(+4) 6	9	(+1) 1	30	(+5) 7
Under 16	21	(+6) 6	21	(+7) 10	10	(-4) 2	53	(+9) 18
Under 15	21	(-7) 4	24	(+3) 5	15	(-3) 7	60	(-7) 16
Under 14	35	(+13) 16	18	(-6) 8	20	(+1) 8	73	(+8) 32
Under 13	21	(-2) 12	22		15	(-3) 6	58	(-5) 31
Under 12	11	(+1) 10	7	(-6) 4	15	(-1) 6	33	(-6) 20
Under 11	6	(-1) 5	1	(-3) 1	16	(-2) 8	23	(-6) 14
Under 10	2	(+1) 1	4	(+2) 2	17	(-1) 8	23	(+3) 11
Under 9	1	(-2)	1	(-2) 1	34	(-3) 21	36	(-8) 22
Officials			26	(+5) 5	2	(-2)	28	(+3) 5
	147	(+3) 60	166	(-6) 60	182	(-22) 72	495	(-25) 192

The Club analysis excluding officials was as follows:-

SOUTH	MEN		WOMEN		TOTAL	
		New		New		New
Eastern Suburbs A.A.C.	63	(+12) 28	37	(+3) 12	100	(+15) 40
Northern Suburbs A.A.C.	40	(-1) 16	30	(-3) 14	70	(-4) 30
O.V.A.A.C.	41	(-3) 8	19	(+3) 9	60	
Sandy Bay Harrier Club	109	(+17) 39	55	(+1) 25	164	(+18) 64
Veterans	25	(+3) 2	6	(-1)	31	(+2) 2
	278	(+28) 93	147	(+3) 60	425	(+2) 153

REGISTRATIONS (Contd.):

The Club analysis excluding officials was as follows:-

<u>NORTH</u>	<u>MEN</u>		<u>WOMEN</u>		<u>TOTAL</u>	
		<u>New</u>		<u>New</u>		<u>New</u>
Newstead H.C.	49 (-18)	12	9 (+5)	3	58 (-13)	15
Newstead W.H.C.			48 (-13)	15	48 (-13)	15
North Launceston A.A.C.	59 (+7)	16			59 (+7)	16
North Launceston W.A.A.C.			25 (-15)	7	25 (-15)	7
Riverside A.A.C.	27 (-12)	4	27 (-3)	8	54 (-15)	12
Tamar A.A.C.	33 (-5)	12			33 (-5)	12
Tamar W.A.A.C.			14 (-2)	8	14 (-2)	8
Western Suburbs A.A.C.	13 (+13)	11	17 (+17)	14	30 (+30)	25
	<u>181 (-15)</u>	<u>55</u>	<u>140 (-11)</u>	<u>55</u>	<u>321 (-26)</u>	<u>110</u>

<u>NORTH WEST</u>	<u>MEN</u>		<u>WOMEN</u>		<u>TOTAL</u>	
		<u>New</u>		<u>New</u>		<u>New</u>
Burnie	72	30	64 (-1)	27	136 (-1)	57
Devon	80 (-14)	34	78 (-2)	27	158 (-16)	61
Ulverstone	66 (-2)	25	38 (-17)	17	104 (-19)	42
	<u>218 (-16)</u>	<u>89</u>	<u>180 (-20)</u>	<u>71</u>	<u>398 (-36)</u>	<u>160</u>

TRACK AND FIELD :

COCA COLA TASMANIAN ALL SCHOOLS CHAMPIONSHIPS - LAUNCESTON - 5th NOVEMBER 1983

The overall Coca Cola sponsorship again specified that this meeting should be included in its package. With the completion of the St. Leonards All Weather Track it was decided to alloate the conduct to the Northern Branch. Peter MacMichael was appointed organiser and all arrangements were carried out in a most satisfactory manner.

There were 691 entries with quite a number of additional ones on the day, mainly in the field games, from 221 athletes representing 56 schools.

The Athletes of the Meet trophies were awarded to Kyla Gregory of Geilston Bay High who won 3 Under 15 and 2 Under 17 Field Games and Tony Donald of Alanvale with 4 wins Under 19.

Once again entries in the Under 19 age group were disappointing especially in the girls events. However, the overall standard was very high with 6 state records being broken. In addition the girls set 31 new records of which 2 were inaugural while there were 12 set by the boys and 2 equalled.

AUSTRALIAN ALL SCHOOLS CHAMPIONSHIPS - ADELAIDE - 9th - 11th DECEMBER 1983

Unfortunately as had been expected Comsteel did not continue with its sponsorship of this meeting. The Tasmanian team as usual was selected following the Tasmanian Championship Meeting and consisted of 14 girls and 17 boys. There were two withdrawals, one boy and one girl, before the team left under manager Max Cherry with Mrs. Allen as his assistant.

As usual the standard of performance was very high with nine medals being won by the Tasmanian team. Greta Larsen won the Under 19 Shot Putt and was selected in the Australian All Schools team and Moneka Wegerbauer was first in the Under 19 Discus.

AUSTRALIAN ALL SCHOOLS CHAMPIONSHIPS (Cont.)

A silver medal was won by Paula Nicholls in the Under 17 800 metres whilst Julie Morrison did extremely well Under 15, finishing second in the 100 metres, 200 metres and third in the 400 metres.

The boys won three medals - Angus Barnes was second in the Under 19, 1500 metres, Albert Juhasz third in the Under 15 Long Jump and Brett Gill was also third in the Under 15 3000 metres. Tony Donald's performance of fourth with 5977 points in the Under 19 Multiple Event was a great effort. Altogether there were 20 personal bests.

DETAILS :

GOLD :	Greta Larsen	U19	Shot Putt	12.65 m.
	Monika Wegerbauer	U19	Discus	41.84 m.
SILVER :	Paula Nicholls	U17	800 metres	2 min. 10.03 secs.
	Julie Morrison	U15	100 metres	12.56 secs.
		U15	200 metres	25.93 secs.
	Angus Barnes	U19	1500 metres	3 min. 57.01 secs.
BRONZE:	Julie Morrison	U15	400 metres	57.96 secs.
	Brett Gill	U15	3000 metres	9 min. 18.72 secs.
	Albert Juhasz	U15	Long Jump	6.32 m.

L.B.S. STATEWIDE LEAGUE :

Four rounds of the statewide league were again programmed and the concept again proved very successful. Standards and divisions were adjusted slightly with minimum standards being introduced. The rules were clarified and printed in the handbook all of which helped to minimise problems. There were very few instances of athletes competing out of their correct division and altogether the competition was extremely good.

The first round was held at the Domain Athletic Centre on 12th November and resulted in a very close contest between Eastern Suburbs and Sandy Bay with the Bay winning by only 11½ points. Round 2 was held at St. Leonards on 21st January with Sandy Bay winning very easily, again from Eastern Suburbs. The most pleasing feature of this round was a very strong team from the North West which finished third only 23 points behind Eastern Suburbs. Its men's team actually finished second.

The third round was held in Hobart with a slightly larger programme to incorporate the State Interclub competition. Again Sandy Bay showed its dominance of the grading competition winning by nearly 300 points from Eastern Suburbs with a very good showing from North Launceston and a disappointing one from Riverside.

The fourth and final round was in Launceston on 10th March after the State Championships. There was a noticeable decline in numbers but not as many as might have been expected. This time Eastern Suburbs turned the tables on Sandy Bay winning by 10 points with Riverside only 26 points further behind. So Sandy Bay scored 38 points to win from Eastern Suburbs with 34 and Riverside 25. Another very pleasing feature of the League was the quite large increase in gate takings.

L.B.S. STATEWIDE LEAGUE (Cont.)

Final Points

1.	Sandy Bay	10, 10, 10, 8 = 38 points	2891
2.	Eastern Suburbs	8, 8, 8, 10 = 34 points	2329½
3.	Riverside	7, 6, 5, 7 = 25 points	1493½
4.	North Launceston	6, 5, 7, 5 = 23 points	1717½
5.	Newstead	3, 4, 6, 6 = 19 points	1229
6.	North West	1, 7, 1, 3 = 12 points	799½
7.	Northern Suburbs	4, 3, 2, 2 = 11 points	648½
8.	Tamar	2, 2, 3, 4 = 11 points	614
9.	O.V.A.	5, -, 4, - = 9 points	662
10.	Western Suburbs	-, 1, -, 1 = 2 points	312

The Launceston Bank for Savings again provided sponsorship which was greatly appreciated.

IAN RUMNEY CANON TRIANGULAR MEETING - HOBART - 3rd DECEMBER 1983 :

It was very pleasing to have sponsorship by Ian Rumney and Canon for this meeting which again had the three branches competing separately. This particular type of meeting does not seem to have as much attraction for athletes as does the Statewide League. Being selected to represent a branch in an age group competition seems to lack the popularity of interclub in grades or divisions. Even so the meeting was quite successful with some good competition and a pleasing increase in gate takings.

However, the triangular aspect suffered because of the North West only having a small team. North dominated the meeting winning all four sections. It had an extremely easy victory in the Under 18, 20 and Senior women but was strongly challenged by the South in the other three.

Congratulations to the North, it is now up to the other two branches to get their act together to challenge this supremacy in the future.

RESULTS :

<u>Women -</u>	<u>North</u>	<u>South</u>	<u>North West</u>
Under 13, 14 and 16	140	132	55
Under 18, 20 and Senior	246	76	72

MEN -

Under 13, 14 and 16 - White City Cup	209	153	45
Under 18, 20 and Senior	240	215	51

STATE INTERCLUB - HOBART - 11th FEBRUARY 1984 :

It was decided by your Council that this competition should be, again, combined with a round of the Stateside League using the same standards, divisions and points. Round 3 was the one decided upon and more events were included than in the other 3 rounds to bring it more in line with previous years. Competition was extremely good but unfortunately there was a protest on the result of the women's competition and this has not been finalised as yet. Undoubtedly if the practice of combining two meetings is continued there will need to be some tightening up and clarification of rules.

STATE INTERCLUB (Cont.)

The E.W. Barwick Shield for mens competition was won convincingly by Sandy Bay.

RESULTS :

<u>E.W. Barwick Shield</u>		<u>Mavis Ebzery Shield</u> (Subject to protest)	
1. Sandy Bay	590½	1. Eastern Suburbs	371
2. North Launceston	444	2. Sandy Bay	368
3. Eastern Suburbs	289	3. Newstead	254
4. Tamar	205	4. North Launceston	164
5. Riverside	164½	5. O.V.A.	120
6. Northern Suburbs	133	6. Riverside	86
7. O.V.A.	98	7. North West	69
8. Newstead	89	8. Western Suburbs	43
9. Western Suburbs	57	9. Northern Suburbs	33
10. North West	34	10. Tamar	-

COCA COLA TWILIGHT MEETING - HOBART - 5th FEBRUARY 1984 :

Originally scheduled for Launceston at the end of January, it was transferred to Hobart so as to have one Coca Cola sponsored meeting in the South. It was decided to hold it as a continuation of the final day of the Tas. Multiple Events Championships and as such was a reasonable success. Although three athletes from Victoria were invited to attend and provided good competition for locals certainly it was not up to the standard of previous promotions in Launceston.

A strong field was assembled for womens 400 metres with ex Australian champion Maxine Corcoran coming from Melbourne. Sally Oakley ran extremely well to defeat Gail Millar. Frank Concilla a very promising young sprinter won both the 100 and 200 metres Under 18 proving too good for David Ashcroft. The third visitor Chris Siderides had finished second to Craig Morling of Riverside in the Australian Under 16 400 metres in Perth in March. The rematch was again won by Craig with a very strong run.

MULTIPLE EVENTS :

The Pentathlon Championships were held at St. Leonards on 18th December with only seven entrants in the four divisions. The Open and Under 20 titleholders, Murat Djakic (NL) and Shane Foster (Ulv.) were not starters because of injury. Conditions were ideal with several competitors showing improved performances on last year.

RESULTS :

<u>SENIOR</u>	1. Stephen Foster (Ulv.)	2962 points
	2. Kevin Young (OVA)	2300 points
<u>UNDER 20</u>	1. T. Hogan (NL)	2131 points
<u>UNDER 18</u>	1. T. Donald (NL)	2677 points
	2. R. Hogan (NL)	1276 points
<u>UNDER 16</u>	1. A. Donald (NL)	1902 points
	2. L. Larsen (R)	1795 points.

MULTIPLE EVENTS (Cont.)

The Decathlon and Heptathlon Championships were held in Hobart on 4th, 5th February with weather conditions fine but a fairly strong sea breeze coming up in the afternoon. Mens entries were down again only 9 starting and 7 finishing, however 8 women entered, 2 up on last year, with 7 completing the eight events.

Without Murat Djakic, Stephen Foster (Ulv.) completed the double, again winning from Kevin Young (OVA). Tony Donald (NL) was the only finisher in the Under 20 but his score of 5454 was 407 points more than in 1983. Shane Holubnytschyj (NS) showed great potential in the Under 18 division whilst the best competition was between the three Under 16 competitors. Starting the last event Andrew Donald (NL) led by 33 points but Barry Knott (ES) and Todd Apted (NL) who were only 1 point apart ran exactly the same time in the 1500 metres so that Barry won by 1 point with Andrew only 13 points behind in third place.

Although without opposition Jocelyn Millar (R) broke her own Tasmanian record comprehensively scoring 5425 points, not quite a personal best. Joanne Becker (R) was the only Under 20 competitor whilst Under 18 Greta Larsen (R) scored well to win quite easily. Under 16 Joanne Sinclair (R) created a Tasmanian record but although always in front received strong opposition from Amanda Smith (B).

RESULTS :

DECATHLON

<u>SENIOR</u>	1. Stephen Foster (Ulv)	5593	points
	2. Kevin Young (OVA)	5283	points
<u>UNDER 20</u>	1. Tony Donald (NL)	5454	points
<u>UNDER 18</u>	1. Shane Holubnytschyj (NS)	5273	points
<u>UNDER 16</u>	1. Barry Knott (ES)	4461	points
	2. Todd Apted (NL)	4460	points
	3. Andrew Donald (NL)	4447	points

HEPTATHLON

<u>SENIOR</u>	1. Jocelyn Millar (R)	5425	points	Tas. Record
<u>UNDER 20</u>	1. Joanne Becker (R)	2766	points	
<u>UNDER 18</u>	1. Greta Larsen (R)	3911	points	
	2. Melissa Hoare (R)	3319	points	
	3. Amanda Coombe (ES)	3010	points	
<u>UNDER 16</u>	1. Joanne Sinclair (R)	4265	points	Tas. Record
	2. Amanda Smith (B)	4113	points	

SOUTH AUSTRALIA v VICTORIA v TASMANIA - MELBOURNE - 7th JANUARY :

A complete team of 15 women and 20 men was selected to compete in this meeting. However, in spite of athletes having to nominate for selection, there were still quite a number of withdrawals and only 11 women and 17 men finally competed. The date for the meeting, so early in the new year made the job of the managers Max Cherry and Margaret Hardstaff very difficult. They found problems in getting in touch with team members to such an extent that it was only when they arrived in Melbourne that they were sure who was going to compete.

With a relatively small team, there was more doubling up, than was desired and in several events Tasmania had only one representative.

As usual the women performed very well finishing a close third only 27 points behind South Australia. Sally Oakley repeated her effort of last year by winning the 400 metres in 53.6 secs. with Sandro Speers finishing second. Tasmania also quinnellaed the 1500 metres, Carolyn Butler winning in 4 min. 40.6 secs. with Paula Nicholls second in 4 min. 41.8 secs. Marianne Hardstaff was first in the 400 metres Hurdles in 60.3 secs. and Jocelyn Millar won the High Jump, although Chris Stantion competing by invitation cleared a better height. Jocelyn in four individual events, recorded one first, two seconds and one fourth. The 4 x 400 metres relay team had a great competition with South Australia, recording the same time 3 min. 45.3 secs. but unfortunately were placed second.

The men found the competition very tough with only Rod McCafferty, Javelin, with a throw of 59.92 metres and Pat Kaufman, 3000 metres Steeplechase, 8 min. 59.8 secs., winning events. Pat was also second in the 800 metres 1 min. 54.3 secs. whilst David Ashcroft, 200 m. 21.6 secs. and Garth Foley 5000 metres 14 min. 59.4 secs. finished third.

FINAL POINTS :

<u>WOMEN</u>	1. South Australia	163	<u>MEN</u>	1. Victoria	255
	2. Victoria	150		2. South Australia	234
	3. Tasmania	136		3. Tasmania	
<u>MEN</u>	1. Victoria	255			
	2. South Australia	234			
	3. Tasmania	149			

BENDER'S REAL ESTATE TASMANIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS - LAUNCESTON - 26th FEBRUARY 1984
- HOBART - 3rd, 4th, 5th MARCH 1984 :

Four days were again allocated for the State Track and Field Championships, the first at St. Leonards featured events for Under 16 down and the Open 10,000 metres. The Under 12 events were deleted, so as not to conflict with Little Athletics. To cut down on travelling nearly all Under 13 events were held on the first day but there has been a deal of criticism of this on the grounds that there are too many events for these youngsters on the one day.

Overall entries were higher than last year but again scratchings reduced the number of heats required and left quite a number of gaps in the programme. Next year, there will be an endeavour to produce a time table before entries close, instead of just a list of events. If this comes to be it will certainly assist athletes to plan when and where they compete much better and allow for an improved presentation.

Performances overall were only reasonable although seven new records were set, one equalled and there was one inaugural record. The men's open results, with Steven Knott not competing, were well below standard with David Huxley's, Hammer and Robert Habel's 400 m. Hurdles the best according to the Decathlon points table. David Preece with 3 wins in the sprints showed fine form and the Sandy Bay sprint relay team of, almost in the veteran stage, caused the biggest upset to win in 43.0 secs.

The two hurdle events were probably the best performances in Under 20, Felix Ratcliff's 400 m. hurdles time of 54.2 secs. was extremely good whilst Robert Facchin repeated the 15.8 secs. he recorded in the Open event.

David Ashcroft (SB) equalled the Tas. record of 49.0 secs. in winning the Under 18 400 metres in a great run. Shane Holubnytschj (NS) won the hurdles double as well as the Long Jump whilst Craig Watson (T) won four field games to add to his Under 20 Hammer win. Under 16 Craig Morling (R) dominated the sprints whilst, M. Lomasney (OVA) and Dean Richardson (WS) also won three events. Albert Juhasz (R) recorded three firsts, one second and one third Under 15 whilst Todd Apted (NL) continued to show great potential with four wins Under 14 and one each Under 15, 16 and 18. In the youngest age group Under 13, Simon Hill (R) and David Page (ES) each had 4 wins and a couple of placings to dominate that division.

Sandy Bay regained the Hobart Harrier Cup for Open competition, winning comfortably from, rather surprisingly Tamar of the 130 events for men. Northern clubs won 75, Southern clubs 48 and North Western 7. Club break up was North Launceston 32, Riverside 28, Tamar 10, Western Suburbs 3 and Newstead 2 - Sandy Bay 23, Northern Suburbs 11, O.V.A. 7, Eastern Suburbs 7 - Devon 4, Ulverstone 3, Burnie 0.

The number of womens events were reduced by four with the deletion of Under 12 and one, the Under 20 Long Jump did not have a competitor so 103 events were contested and Northern clubs completely dominated winning 64, 3 more than last year to South 26, two up and North West 13, 10 down. On a club basis Riverside won 38, a fantastic effort, Newstead Women were next with 15, Devon 11, O.V.A. 8, Eastern Suburbs 7, North Launceston 7, Sandy Bay 7, Northern Suburbs 4, Tamar 3, Burnie 2, Newstead 1, Ulverstone and Western Suburbs 0.

Sally Oakley (D) and Jocelyn Millar (R) again were the stars of the Senior division. Sally's 53.5 secs. for the 400 metres was the best performance according to the Heptathlon table scoring 1003 points. Of the four individual wins by Jocelyn her High Jump of 1.73 m., was second best but her Heptathlon score of 5425 was a new Tasmanian record. Rather as expected Riverside easily won the club championship.

Entries in the Under 20 were better this year but are still too small. Sandra Speers (NW) had four fine wins. In winning the Under 18 200 metres Lisa Lovell (OVA) set a Tasmanian Under 16 Record of 24.5 secs. Greta Larsen (R) won a treble of field games to add to her Open Shot Putt win. Lisa Lovell also won a treble Under 16 to confirm her sprinting potential whilst Kyla Gregory (ES) won 3 Under 15 and 2 Under 16 Field Games. Julie Morrison (NS) was the best Under 15 track athlete. In Under 14, wins were spread, with Fiona Singline (NW), Terri-Ann Philpott (R) and Donna Stafford (D) scoring doubles. Terri-Ann also won four Under 13 events - Donna three and Andrea Fleming (SB) also had three victories completely dominating that age group.

RESULTS :

MEN - SENIOR

	<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>Performance</u>
100 metres	D. Preece (T)	C. Langley (T)	S. Oliver (T)	11.1 s
200 metres	D. Preece (T)	D. Ashcroft (SB)	C. Langley (T)	22.2 s
400 metres	D. Preece (T)	R. Habel (N)	R. Fay (SB)	48.9 s
800 metres	R. Gillard (NL)	R. Foley (NS)	F. Kesseling (SB)	1.56.5 s
1500 metres	G. Ewart (NS)	R. Foley (NS)	R. Gillard (NL)	3.57.0 s
5000 metres	A. Verrier (ES)	L. Webb (ES)	G. Foley (N)	14.55.8 s
10000 metres	K. Rayner (SB)	G. Foley (N)	A. Verrier (ES)	31.29.8 s
110 m. Hurdles	R. Facchin (R)	M. Graney (SB)	D. Singline (N)	15.8 s
400 m. Hurdles	R. Habel (N)	F. Ratcliff (R)	M. Graney (SB)	54.4 s
5000 m Walk	J. Porter (SB)	D. Moore (NS)	W. Fletcher (NS)	26.35.8 s
3000 m. Steeple	P. Clarke (R)	R. Delaney (OVA)	N. Hyland (OVA)	9.58.2 s
Long Jump	J. Venn (NL)	D. Singline (N)	H. Malcolm (NS)	6.68 m.
Triple Jump	H. Malcolm (NS)	G. Appleyard (SB)	K. Young (OVA)	13.27 m.
High Jump	A. Baker (SB)	C. Larsen (R)	R. Facchin (NL)	1.91 m.
Pole Vault	K. Young (OVA)	G. Stowards (ES)	St. Foster (UL)	3.40 m.
Discus	S. Foster (U)	Sh. Foster (U)	D. Huxley (SB)	41.92 m.
Shot Put	C. Larsen (R)	D. Huxley (SB)	C. Watson (T)	12.98 m.
Javelin	N. Barber (NL)	S. Foster (UL)	S. Foster (U)	58.18 m.
Hammer	D. Huxley (SB)	A. Clarke (R)	L. Scott (OVA)	54.60 m.
4 x 100 m. Relay	Sandy Bay	Tamar	Nth. Launceston	43.0 s
4 x 400 m. Relay	Nth. Launceston	Sandy Bay	Tamar	3.23.4 s
Pentathlon	St. Foster (U)	K. Young (OVA)		2962 pts.
Decathlon	St. Foster (U)	K. Young (OVA)		5793 pts.

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP :

1. Sandy Bay	29 pts.
2. Tamar	17 pts.
3. Nth. Launceston	15 pts.
Riverside	15 pts.
Ulverstone	15 pts.

MEN - UNDER 20

100 metres	R. Whitehead (NL)	S. Oliver (T)	M. King (OVA)	11.2 s
200 metres	V. Males (NL)	S. Oliver (T)	J. Hogan (NL)	22.3 s
400 metres	V. Males (NL)	J. Hogan (NL)	F. Ratcliff (R)	49.4 s
800 metres	G. Ewart (NS)	D. Giblin (SB)	F. Ratcliff (R)	1.59.3 s
1500 metres	G. Ewart (NS)	D. Giblin (SB)	P. McGlone (ES)	4. 3.2 s
5000 metres	D. Giblin (SB)	C. French (SB)	P. McGlone (ES)	15.31.4 s
110 m. Hurdles	R. Facchin (R)	A. Baker (SB)		15.8 s
400 m. Hurdles	F. Ratcliff (R)	R. Facchin (NL)	S. Holubnytschj (NS)	54.2 s
5000 m. Walk				
2000 m. Steeple	D. Bullock (SB)	J. Porter (SB)		6.29.0 s
Long Jump	J. Venn (NL)	T. Donald (NL)	A. Baker (SB)	6.81 m.
Triple Jump	W. Jones (SB)	R. Facchin (NL)	T. Donald (NL)	12.95 m.
High Jump	A. Baker (SB)	C. Larsen (R)	R. Facchin (NL)	1.95 m.
Pole Vault	T. Donald (NL)	A. Baker (SB)		3.20 m.
Discus	C. Larsen (R)	C. Watson (T)	A. Baker (SB)	41.06 m. (R)
Shot	C. Larsen (R)	T. Donald (NL)	M. Stolp (NL)	12.55 m.
Hammer	C. Watson (T)			37.76 m.
Javelin	N. Barber (NL)	C. Watson (T)	C. Larsen (R)	60.50 m.
4 x 100 m. Relay	Nth. Launceston	Sandy Bay	O.V.A.	45.1 s.
4 x 400 m. Relay	Nth. Launceston	Sandy Bay		3.29.2 s
Pentathlon	T. Hogan (NL)			2131 pts.
Decathlon	T. Donald (NL)			5454 pts.

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP :

1. Nth. Launceston	44 pts.
2. Sandy Bay	25 pts.
3. Riverside	10 pts.

RESULTS :

MEN - UNDER 18

	<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>Performance</u>
100 metres	D. Ashcroft (SB)	M. King (OVA)	S. Dixon (NL)	11.1 s
200 metres	M. King (OVA)	S. Dixon (NL)	D. Parish (D)	23.0 s
400 metres	D. Ashcroft (SB)	D. Parish (D)	R. Smith (ES)	49.0 s. ER
800 metres	D. Parish (D)	D. Castle (OVA)	T. Leale (SB)	1.58.9 s
1500 metres	D. Castle (OVA)	M. Dalton (OVA)	R. Leerson (NL)	4. 6.2 s
3000 metres	D. Castle (OVA)	R. Leerson (NL)	G. Rose (OVA)	8.55.6 s
110 m. Hurdles	S. Holubnytschyj (NS)	R. Hefford (T)		17.1 s IR
400 m. Hurdles	S. Holubnytschyj (NS)	S. Devereux (ES)		58.9 s
3000 m. Walk	G. Robertson (SB)			15. 8.2 s
2000 m. Steeple	A. Henricks (NL)	R. Leerson (NL)	M. Potter (NS)	6.22.3 s
Long Jump	S. Holubnytschyj (NS)	R. Hefford (T)	R. Hogan (NL)	5.78 m.
Triple Jump	S. Dixon (NL)	R. Hogan (NL)	R. Hefford (T)	12.73 m.
High Jump	S. Dixon (NL)	S. Devereux (ES)	R. Hogan (NL)	1.74 m.
Pole Vault	T. Apted (NL)	B.J. Knott (ES)	K. Larsen (R)	3.20 m.
Discus	C. Watson (T)	R. Hefford (T)	R. Hogan (NL)	46.36 m.
Shot	C. Watson (T)	D. Parish (D)	B. Thomas (ES)	14.79 m.
Hammer	C. Watson (T)	B. Thomas (ES)		48.94 m.
Javelin	C. Watson (T)	R. Hefford (T)	S. Devereux (ES)	55.42 m.
4 x 100 m. Relay	Sandy Bay	Nth. Launceston		45.2 s
4 x 400 m. Relay	Sandy Bay	Nth. Launceston		3.35.6 s
Pentathlon	T. Donald (NL)	R. Hogan (NL)		2677 pts
Decathlon	S. Holubnytschyj (NS)			5273 pts

<u>CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP :</u>			
	1.	North Launceston	34 pts.
	2.	Tamar	21 pts.
	3.	O.V.A.	16 pts.
		Sandy Bay	16 pts.

MEN - UNDER 16

100 metres	C. Morling (R)	T. Bennett (SB)	J. Stubbs (D)	11.5 s
200 metres	C. Morling (R)	T. Bennett (SB)	B. Voss (SB)	22.5 s
400 metres	C. Morling (R)	B. Voss (SB)	A. Speers (NL)	51.3 s
800 metres	A. Speers (NL)	M. Lomasney (OVA)	B. Rallings (OVA)	2. 2.4 s
1500 metres	A. Speers (NL)	M. Lomasney (OVA)	B. Rallings (OVA)	4.13.3 s
3000 metres	M. Lomasney (OVA)	M. Lennon (ES)	P. Ashwood (NS)	9.30.8 s
100 m. Hurdles	L. Larsen (R)	B. Knott (ES)		16.5 s
400 m. Hurdles	M. Lomasney (OVA)	L. Larsen (R)		62.0 s
1500 m. Walk	G. Robertson (SB)	R. Cooke (SB)	L. Best (SB)	7. 6.2 s
2000 m. Steeple	M. Lomasney (OVA)	M. Lennon (ES)	M. Petterwood (NL)	6.42.1 s
Long Jump	A. Juhasz (R)	T. Bennett (SB)	B. Knott (ES)	6.02 m.
Triple Jump	P. Nankervis (R)	B. Knott (ES)	D. Kirkby (NL)	11.93 m.
High Jump	B. Knott (ES)	D. Richardson (WS)	L. Larsen (R)	1.59 m.
Pole Vault	T. Apted (NL)	B. Knott (ES)	A. Donald (NL)	3.10 m.
Discus	D. Richardson (WS)	D. Kirkby (NL)	R. Hevey (ES)	42.44 m.
Shot	D. Richardson (WS)	G. Honeyman (ES)	D. Kirkby (NL)	12.50 m.
Hammer	D. Richardson (WS)	M. Donald (NL)	D. Kirkby (NL)	36.64 m.
Javelin	B. Leedham (N)	D. Shaw (SB)	D. Richardson (WS)	45.16 m.
4 x 100 m. Relay	Sandy Bay	Riverside	Eastern Suburbs	46.5 s
4 x 400 m. Relay	Riverside	Sandy Bay	Eastern Suburbs	3.34.7
			(New Res. Rec & New Club R)	
Pentathlon	A. Donald (NL)	L. Larsen (R)		1902 pts.
Decathlon	B. Knott (ES)	T. Apted (NL)	A. Donald (NL)	4461 pts.

<u>CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP :</u>			
	1.	Riverside	28 pts.
	2.	Nth. Launceston	25 pts.
	3.	Eastern Suburbs	22 pts.
		Sandy Bay	22 pts.

RESULTS :

MEN - UNDER 15

	<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>Performance</u>
100 metres	J. Stubbs (D)	A. Juhasz (R)	S. Claxton (T)	11.7 s
200 metres	J. Stubbs (D)	S. Claxton (T)	A. Juhasz (R)	23.8 s
400 metres	D. Edmunds (R)	S. Claxton (T)	D. Taplin (SB)	54.6 s
800 metres	S. Claxton (T)	M. Omond (SB)	B. Scott (OVA)	2.10.8 s
1500 metres	D. Rose (NS)	M. Omond (SB)	M. Rugari (R)	4.37.3 s
100 m. Hurdles	A. Juhasz (R)	A. Donald (NL)	G. Turnor (SB)	17.3 s
Long Jump	A. Juhasz (R)	A. Donald (NL)	M. Collis (NS)	6.18 m.
Triple Jump	A. Juhasz (R)	A. Donald (NL)	V. Bracken (NL)	12.14 m.
High Jump	D. Edmunds (R)	G. Trousselot (ES)	G. Donaghy (NS)	1.70 m.
Discus	G. Donaghy (NS)	T. Apted (NL)	A. Donald (NL)	37.42 m.
Shot	G. Donaghy (NS)	T. Apted (NL)	D. Edmunds (R)	12.86 m.
Javelin	T. Apted (NL)	A. Donald (NL)	G. Donaghy (NS)	48.08 m.
4 x 100 m. Relay	Nth. Launceston	Sandy Bay		49.9 s
4 x 400 m. Relay	Sandy Bay	Nth. Suburbs	Nth. Launceston	4. 0.2 s

<u>CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP :</u>			
	1.	Riverside	21 pts.
		Nth. Launceston	21 pts.
	3.	Northern Suburbs	14 pts.

MEN - UNDER 14

100 metres	S. Clarke (NL)	R. Gormley (R)	S. Kuplis (SB)	11.8 s
200 metres	S. Clarke (NL)	D. Edmunds (R)	R. Gormley (R)	24.6 s
400 metres	J. Edmunds (R)	S. Hennessy (SB)	S. Clarke (NL)	54.6 s
800 metres	S. Rintal (D)	S. Hennessy (SB)	M. Shaw (SB)	2.16.8 s
1500 metres	S. Hennessy (SB)	S. Waldren (R)	M. Shaw (SB)	4.48.2 s
90 m. Hurdles	T. Apted (NL)	R. Gormley (R)	R. Sherrington (SB)	14.1 s
Long Jump	S. Clarke (NL)	R. Gormley (R)	T. Apted (NL)	5.52 m.
Triple Jump	R. Gormley (R)	R. Sherrington (SB)	J. Revell (SB)	11.00 m.
High Jump	T. Apted (NL)	D. Edmunds (R)	R. Gormley (R)	1.68 m.
Discus	T. Apted (NL)	L. Best (SB)	D. Edmunds (R)	39.74 m.
Shot	D. Edmunds (R)	T. Apted (NL)	L. Best (SB)	13.70 m.
Javelin	T. Apted (NL)	L. Best (SB)		51.48 m. R.
4 x 100 m. Relay	Sandy Bay			56.9 s
4 x 400 m. Relay	Riverside			4. 1.4 s

<u>CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP :</u>			
	1.	Riverside	27 pts.
	2.	Nth. Launceston	25 pts.
	3.	Sandy Bay	22 pts.

RESULTS :

MEN - UNDER 13

100 metres	D. Page (ES)	S. Hill (R)	M. Potter (B)	12.5 s
200 metres	D. Page (ES)	S. Hill (R)	M. Potter (B)	26.1 s
400 metres	J. Watts (T)	D. Knott (SB)	C. Leaman (SB)	64.9 s
800 metres	D. Page (ES)	J. Watts (T)	N. Bailey (SB)	2.22.9 s
1500 metres	N. Bailey (SB)	J. Shaw (SB)	D. Maughan (SB)	5. 4.9 s
80 m. Hurdles	M. Nischler (SB)	R. Larsen (R)	C. Leaman (SB)	15.9 s
Long Jump	D. Page (ES)	S. Hill (R)	M. Van Der Kraan (SB)	4.89 m.
Triple Jump	S. Hill (R)	M. Potter (B)	S. Spaulding (ES)	10.04 m.
High Jump	S. Dean (R)	M. Nischler (SB)	R. Larsen (R)	1.40 m.
Discus	S. Hill (R)	A. Frazer (SB)	M. Potter (B)	27.70 m.
Shot	S. Hill (R)	D. Page (ES)	A. Frazer (SB)	12.85 m.
Javelin	S. Hill (R)	R. Larsen (R)	M. Nischler (SB)	39.18 m.
4 x 100 m. Relay	Sandy Bay			59.3 s
4 x 400 m. Relay	Sandy Bay			5. 2.4 s

<u>CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP :</u>		
1.	Sandy Bay	27 pts
2.	Riverside	26 pts
3.	Eastern Suburbs	15 pts

TOTAL POINTS

	<u>B</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>ES</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>NL</u>	<u>NS</u>	<u>OVA</u>	<u>R</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>T</u>	<u>U</u>	<u>WS</u>
Senior	-	-	8	11	15	14	12	15	29	17	15	-
Under 20	-	-	3	-	44	7	2	17	29	11	-	-
Under 18	-	8	11	-	34	13	16	1	16	21	-	-
Under 16	-	1	22	3	25	1	15	28	22	-	-	12
Under 15	-	-	2	-	21	14	1	7	11	21	-	-
Under 14	-	6	-	-	25	-	-	27	22	-	-	-
Under 13	5	3	15	-	-	-	-	26	27	5	-	-
	<u>5</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>61</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>164</u>	<u>49</u>	<u>46</u>	<u>121</u>	<u>156</u>	<u>75</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>12</u>
Place	12	8	5	10	1	6	7	3	2	4	9	11
Last Year	26½ (10)	12 (11)	75 (4)	28 (9)	190 (1)	54 (7)	55 (6)	110½ (3)	141 (2)	58 (5)	30 (8)	-

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RESULTS :

WOMEN - SENIOR

	<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>Performance</u>
100 metres	S. Oakley (D)	G. Chick (ES)	J. Millar (R)	12.0 s
200 metres	S. Oakley (D)	G. Chick (ES)	G. Millar (R)	24.1 s
400 metres	S. Oakley (D)	G. Millar (R)	S. Speers (NW)	53.5 s
800 metres	G. Millar (R)	C. Gridley (NL)	L. Eslake (R)	2. 8.7 s
1500 metres	A. Waddle (D)	B.A. O'Byrne (NW)	S. Geale (R)	4.34.3 s
3000 metres	A. Waddle (D)	B.A. O'Byrne (NW)	S. Geale (R)	9.52.4 s Rec
5000 m. Walk	S. Brasher (N)	L. Becker (R)	D. Walters (T)	28.35.9 s Rec
100 m. Hurdles	J. Millar (R)			14.5 s
400 m. Hurdles	M. Hardstaff (NL)			60.9 s
Long Jump	J. Millar (R)	M. Perrott (D)		5.96 m.
High Jump	J. Millar (R)	C. Gridley (NL)		1.73 m.
Discus	M. Wegerbauer (R)	G. Larsen (R)	C. Hardstaff (NL)	38.38 m.
Javelin	J. Millar (R)	G. Larsen (R)	M. Wegerbauer (R)	35.28 m.
Shot	G. Larsen (R)	C. Hardstaff (NL)	M. Wegerbauer (R)	12.35 m.
Heptathlon	J. Millar (R)			5425 pts.T.R.
4 x 100 m. Relay	Riverside	Newstead	Nth Launceston	48.2 s (Club Record)
4 x 400 m. Relay	Riverside	Eastern Suburbs	Nth. Launceston	3.53.3 s
<u>CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP :</u>				
		1. Riverside	45 pts	
		2. Devon	17 pts	
		3. North Launceston	12 pts	

WOMEN - UNDER 20

100 metres	S. Speers (NW)	M. Souto (NW)		13.1 s
200 metres	S. Speers (NW)	S. Bolt (SB)		25.8 s
400 metres	S. Speers (NW)	R. Farrelly (NW)	S. Bolt (SB)	55.1 s
800 metres	S. Speers (NW)	S. Bolt (SB)	C. Heazlewood (T)	2.14.6 s
1500 metres	C. Heazlewood (T)			5. 6.5 s
3000 metres	C. Heazlewood (T)			11.26.2 s
3000 m. Walk	T. Donald (NL)	A. Singline (R)	D. Walters (T)	18. 6.6 s
100 m. Hurdles	J. Becker (R)	M. Gilbert (NW)		17.4 s
400 m. Hurdles	M. Hoare (R)	J. Becker (R)	M. Gilbert (NL)	70.7 s
Long Jump				
High Jump	M. Stevens (NW)	S. Bolt (SB)		1.60 m.
Discus	M. Wegerbauer (R)	C. Hardstaff (NL)	M. Hoare (R)	38.92 m.
Javelin	M.F. Clayton (NL)	A. Clarke (R)	M. Hoare (RO)	35.90 m.
Shot	C. Hardstaff (NL)	M. Wegerbauer (R)	A. Clarke (R)	11.61 m.
Heptathlon	J. Becker (R)			2766 pts.
4 x 100 m. Relay	Newstead Women			55.8 s
4 x 400 m. Relay	Newstead Women			4.24.8 s
<u>CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP :</u>				
		1. Newstead	27 pts	
		2. Riverside	23 pts	
		3. North Launceston	12 pts	

RESULTS :

WOMEN - UNDER 18

	<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>Performance</u>
100 metres	L. Lovell (OVA)	R. Farrelly (NW)	M. Souto (NW)	12.3 s
200 metres	L. Lovell (OVA)	K. Thompson (SB)	J. Philpott (R)	24.5 s (U/16 T.R.)
400 metres	R. Farrelly (NW)	P. Nicholls (ES)	J. Philpott (R)	57.7 s
800 metres	P. Nicholls (ES)	C. Butler (B)	L. Fogagnolo (SB)	2.14.4 s
1500 metres	C. Butler (B)	P. Nicholls (ES)	S. Cooper (NW)	4.43.3 s
3000 metres	C. Butler (B)			10.15.2 s
3000 m. Walk	L. Becker (R)	B. Walters (T)	M. Donald (NL)	16.59.0 s
100 m. Hurdles	J. Becker (R)			17.0 s
400 m. Hurdles	M. Gilbert (NW)			76.9 s
Long Jump	M. Donald (NL)	K. Knight (NW)	M. Gilbert (NW)	4.61 m
High Jump	M. Donald (NL)	K. Knight (NW)		1.43 m
Discus	G. Larsen (R)	K. Knight (NW)	M. Clayton (NL)	34.42 m
Javelin	G. Larsen (R)	M. Clayton (NL)	M. Hoare (R)	36.04 m
Shot	G. Larsen (R)	M. Clayton (NL)	M. Hoare (R)	12.59 m
Heptathlon	G. Larsen (R)	M. Hoare (R)	A. Coombe (ES)	3911 pts
4 x 100 m. Relay	Newstead Women	Riverside	Sandy Bay	51.9 s
4 x 400 m. Relay	Riverside	Newstead	Sandy Bay	4.05.9 s

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP :

1.	Riverside	29 pts
2.	Newstead	22 pts
3.	North Launceston	12 pts

WOMEN - UNDER 16

100 metres	L. Lovell (OVA)	J. Morrison (NS)	D. Eiszele (NS)	12.2 s
200 metres	L. Lovell (OVA)	K. Thompson (SB)	C. Ashcroft (ES)	25.0 s
400 metres	K. Thompson (SB)	J. Allen (WS)	J. Castle (NW)	57.0 s
800 metres	C. Beveridge (R)	J. Castle (NW)	A. Bird (SB)	2.23.2 s
1500 metres	S. Clay (R)	C. Beveridge (R)	F. Hills (ES)	5.00.2 s
3000 metres	C. Beveridge (R)	J. Haward (NW)	M. Bates (B)	11.28.9 s
1500 m. Walk	A. Singline (R)	T. Donald (NL)	B. Walters (T)	8.20.0 s
90 m. Hurdles	J. Sinclair (R)	H. Birthisel (R)	E. Cooley (OVA)	14.2 s T.R.
400 m. Hurdles	J. Sinclair (R)	H. Birthisel (R)	J. Allen (WS)	64.6 s
Long Jump	L. Lovell (OVA)	A. Smith (B)	F. Steele (SB)	5.18 m
High Jump	M. Stevens (NW)	A. Smith (B)	L. Stanton (SB)	1.49 m
Discus	K. Gregory (ES)	E. Aheimer (OVA)	S. Upton (ES)	33.56 m
Javelin	K. Gregory (ES)	A. Clarke (R)	P. Peterson (NS)	33.30 m
Shot	A. Clarke (R)	K. Gregory (ES)	A. Smith (B)	9.37 m
Heptathlon	J. Sinclair (R)	A. Smith (B)		4265 pts T.R.
4 x 100 m. Relay	O.V.A.	Sandy Bay	Riverside	50.6 s
4 x 400 m. Relay	Riverside	Sandy Bay	Newstead	4. 5.7 s

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP :

1.	Riverside	36 pts
2.	O.V.A.	15 pts
3.	Sandy Bay	12 pts

RESULTS :

WOMEN - UNDER 15

	<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>Performance</u>
100 metres	D. Eiszele (NS)	J. Morrison (NS)	J. Sinclair (R)	12.2 s
200 metres	J. Morrison (NS)	J. Sinclair (R)	D. Eiszele (NS)	25.3 s
400 metres	J. Morrison (NS)	J. Sinclair (R)	K. Jones (SB)	57.8 s
800 metres	S. Clay (R)	J. Howard (NW)	M. Bates (B)	2.22.7 s
1500 metres	S. Clay (R)	M. Bates (B)	J. Howard (NW)	4.57.7 s
90 m. Hurdles	J. Sinclair (R)	C. Hickey (OVA)		13.6 s
Long Jump	F. Steele (SB)	R. Harding (ES)	J. Sinclair (R)	4.76 m
High Jump	L. Kiss (OVA)	J. Sinclair (R)	D. Campbell (NW)	1.67 m.
				(U/15 State Rec.)
Discus	K. Gregory (ES)	J. Bassett (WS)	J. Sly (NW)	32.56 m
Javelin	K. Gregory (ES)	J. Bassett (WS)	R. Harding (ES)	35.28 m
Shot	K. Gregory (ES)	J. Latham (OVA)	J. Sinclair (R)	11.15 m
4 x 100 m. Relay	Nth. Suburbs	Sandy Bay	Newstead	51.7 s

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP :

1.	Riverside	18 pts
2.	Northern Suburbs	15 pts
3.	Eastern Suburbs	12 pts

WOMEN - UNDER 14

100 metres	F. Singline (NW)	J. Carnevale (SB)	K. Wilmhurst (OVA)	13.3 s
200 metres	F. Singline (NW)	T. Blythe (NW)	F. Bitcon (SB)	27.6 s
400 metres	D. Stafford (D)	D. Hicks (D)	S. Beaton (ES)	59.6 s
800 metres	D. Hicks (D)	S. Beaton (ES)	S. Gill (ES)	2.18.9 s
1500 metres	S. Beaton (ES)	S. Gill (ES)	D. Hicks (D)	5.11.3 s
80 m. Hurdles	D. Stafford (D)	C. Butler (NL)	A. Young (ES)	14.2 s
Long Jump	D. Campbell (NW)	P. Wright (D)	M. Russell (N)	4.91 m
High Jump	N. McKercher (NL)	G. Prenter (OVA)	D. Campbell (NW)	1.44 m
Discus	T. Philpott (R)	S. Claxton (T)	S. Digney (NL)	25.66 m
Javelin	G. Prenter (OVA)	T. Philpott (R)	R. Dodd (ES)	29.98 m
Shot	T. Philpott (R)	G. Dabner (B)	N. Goodyer (NL)	10.14 m
4 x 100 m. Relay	Sandy Bay	Nth. Launceston	Newstead	55.1 m

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP :

1.	Devon	14 pts
2.	Newstead	13 pts
3.	Eastern Suburbs	11 pts

RESULTS :

WOMEN - UNDER 13

100 metres	D. Stafford (D)	S. Goodwin (SB)	T. Eiszele (NS)	13.2 s
200 metres	D. Stafford (D)	S. Goodwin (SB)	L. McNamara (ES)	27.5 s
400 metres	D. Stafford (D)	T. Philpott (R)	L. McNamara (ES)	64.0 s
800 metres	T. Philpott (R)	L. McNamara (ES)	K. Baulch (SB)	2.36.5 s
1500 metres	B. Walters (T)	N. Ford (ES)	A. Fleming (SB)	5.37.3 s
80 m. Hurdles	A. Fleming (SB)	N. Ford (ES)		14.8 s
Long Jump	A. Fleming (SB)	N. Goodyer (NL)	S. Ferrario (SB)	1.35 m
High Jump	A. Fleming (SB)	N. Goodyer (NL)	S. Ferrario (SB)	1.43 m
Discus	T. Philpott (R)	K. Hughes (ES)	A. Fleming (SB)	25.48 m
Javelin	T. Philpott (R)	N. Ford (ES)	K. Hughes (ES)	29.48 m
Shot	T. Philpott (R)	K. Hughes (ES)	A. Fleming (SB)	9.91 m
4 x 100 m. Relay	Sandy Bay	Newstead	Eastern Suburbs	56.5 s

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP :

1.	Sandy Bay	22 pts
2.	Eastern Suburbs	16 pts
3.	Riverside	14 pts

TOTAL POINTS :

	<u>B</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>ES</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>NHC</u>	<u>NL</u>	<u>NS</u>	<u>OVA</u>	<u>R</u>	<u>SB</u>	<u>T</u>	<u>U</u>	<u>WS</u>
Senior	-	17	6	7	3	12	-	-	45	-	1	-	-
Under 20	-	-	-	27	-	12	-	-	23	7	8	-	-
Under 18	8	-	8	22	-	12	-	6	29	5	2	-	-
Under 16	8	-	11	9	-	2	4	15	36	12	1	-	3
Under 15	3	-	12	6	-	-	15	7	18	6	-	-	4
Under 14	2	14	11	13	1	9	-	6	8	6	2	-	-
Under 13	-	9	16	2	-	4	1	-	14	22	3	-	-
	<u>21</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>64</u>	<u>86</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>51</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>173</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>7</u>
Place	8	6	3	2	12	5	9	7	1	4	10	13	11
Last Year	39 (5)	62½ (4)	73½ (3)	141½ (1)	3 (11)	34 (9)	35½ (8)	17 (10)	107 (2)	38 (6)	38 (6)	- (12)	- (-)

AUSTRALIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS :

UNDER 16

PERTH

14th, 15th JANUARY 1984

The A.A.U. decided to introduce Under 16 Australian Championships and to do away with the matches for that age division. This year they were held on their own but in 1985 they will be combined with Under 18 Championships.

Kevin Prendergast was appointed manager and Marie Shephard assistant and this combination again proved most admirable carrying out their duties most efficiently. A team of 13 boys and 15 girls was chosen just prior to Christmas and eventually 9 boys and 14 girls made the trip to Perth.

Weather conditions were very good apart from the usual Perth headwind in the straight and the team performed extremely well. Highlight was the success of Craig Morling in the 400 metres - winning in the time of 50.6 secs. Jodi Allen ran a fine third also in the 400 metres in 57.3 secs. and the boys 4 x 400 metres relay team of Craig Morling, Anthony Speers, Mark Lomasney and Troy Bennett also ran third in 3 min. 32.8 secs.

PERFORMANCES :

Boys

Troy Bennett	100 metres	4th Heat	12.3 secs.		
	200 metres	4th Heat	24.0 secs.	6th Final	23.9 secs.
Matthew Fleischman	Javelin	9th	33.74 m.		
	Discus	No Throw			
Andrew Kallas	Long Jump	12th	5.87 m.		
	Triple Jump	5th	13.27 m.		
Leif Larsen	1500 m. Walk	10th	7 min. 0.7 secs.		
Mark Lomasney	1500 metres	7th	4 min. 35.3 secs.		
	2000 metres Steeple	7th	6 min. 54.3 secs.		
Craig Morling	400 metres	1st Heat	50.6 secs.	1st Final	50.6 secs.
Brett Rallings	800 metres	6th Heat	2 min. 5.7 secs.		
Anthony Speers	800 metres	5th Heat	2 min. 5.6 secs.		
Justin Stubbs	100 metres	7th Heat	12.3 secs.		
	4 x 400 m. Relay	3rd	3 min. 32.8 secs.		

Girls

Jodie Allen	400 metres	2nd Heat	58.7 secs.	3rd Final	57.3 secs.
	800 metres	2nd Heat	2.18.8 secs.	4th Final	2 min. 15.3 s.
Susan Beaton	1500 metres	9th	5 min. 04.6 secs.		
Shelley Clay	1500 metres	10th	5 min. 04.9 secs.		
Leanne Becker	1500 m. Walk	6th	8 min. 00.7 secs.		
Christine Beveridge	800 metres	5th Heat	2 min. 24.3 secs.		
	3000 metres	9th	12 min. 00.3 secs.		

AUSTRALIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS :

PERFORMANCES :

Girls (Cont.)

Helen Birthesel	90 m. Hurdles	4th Heat	15.3 secs.	
Joanne Sinclair	90 m. Hurdles	5th Heat	15.0 secs.	7th Final 14.2 secs.
Alison Clarke	Javelin	7th	30.24 m.	
	Shot Putt	7th	9.30 m.	
Kyla Gregory	Javelin	6th	33.08 m.	
	Discus	6th	34.78 m.	
Andrea Juhasz	100 metres	7th Heat	13.7 secs.	
Lisa Lovell	100 metres	6th Heat	No Time	
	200 metres	3rd Heat	26.7 secs.	
Katie Thompson	200 metres	6th Heat	27.0 secs.	
	400 metres	6th Heat	60.6 secs.	
Loretta Kiss	High Jump	7th	1.65 metres	
Michelle Stephens	High Jump	8th	1.65 metres	
	4 x 100 m. Relay	5th	49.2 secs.	
	4 x 400 m. Relay	5th	4 min. 04.4 secs.	

OPEN, UNDER 20, UNDER 18

MELBOURNE

29th MARCH - 1st APRIL

Following the Tasmanian Championships a team of 13 women and 14 men was chosen to represent Tasmania, a week later 1 woman and 2 men were added but 2 men withdrew so that a team of 28 under Des Hardstaff as manager, Elaine McLeod assistant and Albert Johnson coach competed in Melbourne.

As for last year the Under 18 and Under 20 events were held on the Thursday and Friday and the Open events on Saturday and Sunday with a few heats on the Friday night.

The performances of the team were very good and although no gold medals were won seven individual medals and eight from relays were brought back. In the open events Sally Oakley finished fourth in the 400 metres, but third Australian to win a bronze medal. The 4 x 400 metres relay team of Sally Oakley, Gaylee Chick, Gail Millar and Sandra Speers ran magnificently to finish second to Victoria only 3.18 secs. behind. Perhaps even more pleasing was the performance of the 4 x 100 metres team of Sally Oakley, Gaylee Chick, Jo Millar and 15 year old Lisa Lovell which finished third. in a close finish, to New South Wales and Victoria in a time of 46.66 secs. All Tasmanians performed up to expectations and most reached finals.

One silver and two bronze medals were won by Under 20 athletes. Sandra Speers was second Australian in the 800 metres. Dominic Barber was third in the Javelin and Felix Ratcliff third in the 400 metres Hurdles. All but one athlete reached at least one final and the men's two relay team ran surprisingly well, probably better than even they had anticipated. The 4 x 400 metres team was only 1.10 secs. behind New South Wales who were third and 2.18 behind second placed Queensland. With hindsight the women would have been better to have entered the Under 20 4 x 400 metres relay as their times for fourth in the Under 18 event was better than the winning Victorian Under 20 time. The inclusion of Sandra Speers with

AUSTRALIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS:OPEN, UNDER 20, UNDER 18

three of the Under 18 could have cut at least five seconds off that time. At the time the decision had to be made - an hour before the event the right thing was done.

The Under 18 team won four medals - two silver, by David Ashcroft in the 200 metres and Craig Watson, Shot Putt, and two bronze, again by David Ashcroft, 100 metres and Greta Larsen also Shot Putt. Some other athletes did quite well but all gained valuable experience in tough Australian Championship competition. Two, who had the worst possible experiences were Gaylee Chick and Michael King who were disqualified for two breaks. Both appeared to be most unfortunate but will undoubtedly profit from what occurred.

PERFORMANCES :OPEN

Gaylee Chick	100 metres	Disq.		
	200 metres	4th Heat	24.81 secs.	
Marianne Hardstaff	400 m. Hurdles	3rd Heat	60.03 secs.	8th Final 60.52 secs. (5th Aust.)
Greta Larsen	Shot Putt	9th	12.63 m.	
Gail Millar	800 metres	1st Heat	2.17.08 s.	4th Final 2. 6.03 secs.
Jocelyn Millar	100 m. Hurdles	2nd Heat	14.35 secs.	4th Final 14.50 secs.
	High Jump	9th	1.75 m.	
	Long Jump	8th (7th Aust.)	5.96 m.	
Sally Oakley	200 metres	6th Heat	24.64 secs.	
	400 metres	4th Final (3rd Aust.)	53.54 secs.	
Sandra Speers	400 metres	7th Final (6th Aust.)	55.63 secs.	
Andrea Waddle	1500 metres	14th	4 min. 37.33 secs.	
	3000 metres	10th	9 min. 59.73 secs.	
S. Oakley, G. Chick, L. Lovell, Jo Millar	- 4 x 100 m. Relay	3rd Final	46.66 secs.	
S. Oakley, G. Chick, S. Speers, G. Millar	- 4 x 400 m. Relay	2nd Final	3 min. 38.69s.	
David Huxley	Hammer	6th	56.74 m.	
Patrick Kaufman	3000 m. Steeple	12th	9 min. 21.18 secs.	

UNDER 20

Sandra Speers	400 metres	5th Heat	57.31 secs.	
	800 metres	3rd Final (2nd Aust.)	2 min. 10.88 secs.	
Monika Wegerbauer	Discus	4th	40.86 m.	
Dominic Barber	Javelin	3rd	66.00 m.	
Gary Ewart	1500 metres	7th	4 min. 05.81 secs.	

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AUSTRALIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS :

PERFORMANCES - UNDER 20 (Cont.)

Robert Facchin	110 m. Hurdles	5th Heat	16.05 secs.
Cole Larsen	Shot Putt	7th	12.44 m.
	Discus	10th	36.28 m.
Felix Ratcliff	400 m. Hurdles	1st Heat	56.16 secs. 3rd Final 53.34 secs.
Vincent Males	200 metres	4th Heat	22.61 secs. 6th Final 22.54 secs.
	400 metres	7th Heat	50.84 secs.
R. Facchin, D. Ashcroft, V. Males, D. Parrish - 4 x 100 m. Relay 5th 43.53 secs.			
F. Ratcliff, V. Males, D. Parrish, D. Ashcroft - 4 x 400 m. Relay 4th 3 min. 20.54 s.			

UNDER 18

Carolyn Butler	1500 metres	7th	4 min. 43.48 secs.
	3000 metres	9th	10 min. 28.36 secs.
Greta Larsen	Shot Putt	3rd	12.99 m.
Lisa Lovell	100 metres	3rd Heat	12.40 secs. 5th Final 12.29 secs. (4th Aust.)
	200 metres	2nd Heat	25.20 secs. 5th Final 25.09 secs.
Paula Nicholls	800 metres	5th Heat	2.12.80 secs. 7th Final 2.16.49 secs.
Katie Thompson	200 metres	4th Heat	25.55 secs. 7th Final 25.43 secs.
	400 metres		7th Final 58.03 secs.
Robyn Farrelly	400 metres		6th Final 57.79 secs.
L. Lovell, K. Thompson, R. Farrelly, C. Butler - 4 x 100 m. Relay 4th 49.46 secs.			
R. Farrelly, K. Thompson, L. Lovell, P. Nicholls - 4 x 400 m. Relay 4th 3 min. 49.84 s.			
David Ashcroft	100 metres	2nd Heat	10.75 secs. 3rd Final 10.68 secs.
	200 metres	1st Heat	22.84 secs. 2nd Final 22.12 secs.
Aubrey Henricks	2000 m. Steeple	13th	6 min. 44.42 secs.
Shane Holubnytschjy	400 m. Hurdles	5th Heat	58.28 secs.
Michael King	100 metres	Dis.	
	200 metres	5th Heat	23.04 secs.
Craig Watson	Shot Putt	2nd	15.23 m.
	Discus	7th	46.54 m.
	Hammer	4th	50.82 m.
	Javelin	14th	54.88 m.
Darrin Parrish	400 metres	6th Heat	51.40 secs.
	800 metres	7th Final	1 min. 58.93 secs.

MULTIPLE EVENTS - CANBERRA - 14th, 15th APRIL 1984

A team of four athletes, one woman and three men were chosen to represent your state but Michael Laurence withdrew before the team left. The small team won two medals, a most pleasing result. As expected Jocelyn Millar finished second to Glynis Nunn of South Australia in the Women's Open Heptathlon. Unfortunately her score of 5753 points was 147 short of the Olympic selection standard. In the men's Under 20 Decathlon Tony Donald finished a very creditable fifth but with two New Zealanders in front of him, he won a bronze medal with his score of 5875 points.

MULTIPLE EVENTS (Cont.):

This was an improvement of over 400 points on his Tasmanian Championship total.

The third member of the team Shane Holubnytschyj finished sixth totally 5435 points in the Under 18 event, only his second multiple event. With an improvement of 162 points on his Tasmanian performance he shows plenty of potential.

ATHLETE OF THE YEAR AWARDS :

The awards for season 1982/83 season were announced at the Annual General Meeting and were as follows:-

	<u>MEN</u>	<u>WOMEN</u>
SENIOR	Stephen Knott (ES)	Jocelyn Millar (R)
UNDER 20	Robert Gillard (NL)	Gail Millar (R)
UNDER 18	David Ashcroft (ES)	Robyn Farrelly (NL)
UNDER 16	Shane Leslie (NL)	Robyn Farrelly (NL)

TRACK AND FIELD COACHES ASSOCIATION :

This Association is now ten years old and since its inception in 1974 there has been a gradual acceptance right throughout the sport until now it is an Associate member of your Association. In June 1983 Albert Johnson was appointed as the first Tasmanian Coaching Co-ordinator following his recommendation by the A.T.F.C.A.

Two level 1, coaching courses were again held this year, one in Hobart and the other in Launceston with 18 candidates successfully completing the courses. The tally of accredited coaches in Tasmania is now: 3 level 3, 15 level 2 and 125 level 1. Peter MacMichael and Alan Stephens successfully completed level 2 course last year. Unfortunately of these accredited coaches only 43 were financial members of the Association last year and this is obviously a problem.

Two of the participants at the Launceston course were from Flinders Island and following the course here the A.T.F.C.A. were invited to send coaches to the Island for three weekend clinics. On the first weekend George Millar, Daphne Holland and Jocelyn Millar found the young Islanders most enthusiastic, eager to learn and possessing a fair amount of talent. Frank Nott, Les Nankervis, Shane Leslie and Daphne Holland made up the coaching demonstrating teams for the other weekends with the third weekend being particularly rewarding because it showed an immense improvement in the level of performances.

The highlight of the year was the visit of Jochen Spilken in January. The enthusiasm, expertise and innovative thinking of this West German Coach was an inspiration to all who attended the one day sessions in Hobart (25) and Launceston (50). It is hoped that more coaches of this calibre will include Tasmania in their itineraries in future..

WINTER COMPETITION :

ERIC GOSS MEMORIAL BRANCH TEAMS RACE - PENGUIN - 2nd JULY 1983

As seems to be coming a tradition for this event, weather conditions were not kind with showers making running difficult. A pleasing feature was the strong North West performances.

RESULTS :

MEN	12000 metres Open	1. S. Phillips (N)	40 min. 16 secs.	
		2. R. Gillard (N)	40 min. 45 secs.	
		3. R. Coates (NW)	43 min. 42 secs.	
	Teams Race	1. North	14 pts.	
		2. North West	28 pts.	
		3. South	36 pts.	
	8000 metres Under 20	1. D. Solomon (S)	27 min. 40 secs.	
		2. T. Kleiner (N)	29 min. 19 secs.	
		3. R. Leersen (N)	33 min. 04 secs.	
	No Teams Race			
4000 metres Under 17	1. J. Gibson (NW)	13 min. 47 secs.		
	2. M. Potter (S)	13 min. 55 secs.		
	3. B. Gill (N)	14 min. 42 secs.		
Teams Race	1. North West	11 pts.		
	2. North	15 pts.		
	3. South			
WOMEN	8000 metres Open	1. B. O'Byrne (N)	32 min. 04 secs.	
		2. A. Waddle (NW)	32 min. 48 secs.	
		3. D. Fairbrother (NW)	35 min. 42 secs.	
	Teams Race	1. North West	9 pts.	
		2. North	12 pts.	
	4000 metres Under 20	1. P. Nicholls (S)	16 min. 58 secs.	
		2. S. Solomon (S)	17 min. 04 secs.	
	No Teams Race			
	2000 metres Under 17	1. S. Solomon (S)	8 min. 38 secs.	
		2. L. Anderson (NW)	8 min. 39 secs.	
3. J. Howard (N)		8 min. 41 secs.		
Teams Race	1. North West	13 pts.		
	2. North	14 pts.		

TASMANIAN CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS - KINGSTON - 23rd JULY 1983

The Kingborough Recreation Centre was used again for these events. However because of work on the Baseball Centre the course had to be modified slightly so that it was under 4 km. and the start and finish did not co-incide. With races of distances not a multiply of 4 kilometres the organisation is extremely difficult and it has been suggested that events should be altered to overcome this problem.

Weather conditions were fine but the ground was very muddy and wet in places making it a true test of cross country running. However, comparable times were faster than last year. Ric Coyle (SB) and Barbara Anne O'Byrne (NMHC) both ran extremely well to win the open titles with reasonable ease. All under age fields were disappointingly small especially the Women's Under 20 with no entries, Women Under 16 two and Men Under 20 only three.

RESULTS :

MEN	<u>12,000 metres Open</u>	1. Ric Coyle (SB)	37 mins. 51 secs.
		2. Craig Anderson (ES)	38 mins. 43 secs.
		3. Kent Rayner (SB)	38 mins. 44 secs.
		21 starters	
	Teams Race	Eastern Suburbs	11pts.
	<u>8000 metres Under 20</u>	1. Dean Giblin (SB)	26 mins. 55. secs.
		2. David Solomon (OVA)	27 mins. 08 secs.
		3. Darren Gillies (NS)	27 mins. 42 secs.
		7 starters	
	No Teams Race		
	<u>6000 metres Under 18</u>	1. Angus Barnes (SB)	20 mins. 52 secs.
		2. Michael Potter (NS)	21 mins. 15 secs.
		3. James Gibson (Dev)	22 mins. 13 secs.
		3 starters	
	No Teams Race		
	<u>4000 metres Under 16</u>	1. Greg Rose (OVA)	13 mins. 29 secs.
		2. Davin Castle (OVA)	14 mins. 27 secs.
		3. Sam Kelly (SB)	14 mins. 53 secs.
		5 starters	
	No Teams Race		
	<u>4000 metres Under 14</u>	1. Brett Gill (T)	15 mins. 58 secs.
		2. Michael Gibson (Dev)	18 mins. 02 secs.
		3. N. Radanomovic (Ind)	18 mins. 10 secs.
		3 starters	
	No Teams Race		
	<u>12000 metres Over 40</u>	1. David Rae (Vets)	43 mins. 31 secs.
		2. Lindsay Button (ES)	43 mins. 56 secs.
		3. Bruce Longmore (Vets)	44 mins. 35 secs.
		9 starters	

RESULTS :

WOMEN

8000 metres Open 1. Barbara -A. O'Bryne (NMHC) 30 min. 54 sec.
2. Andrea Waddle (Dev) 32 mins. 47 secs.
3. Katrina Chisholm (SB) 34 mins. 14 secs.

8 starters

No Teams Race

6000 metres Under 20 No Entries

4000 metres Under 18 1. Paula Nicholls (ES) 15 mins. 00 secs.
2. Simone Solomon (OVA) 15 mins. 38 secs.
3. Alison Clarke (R) 18 mins. 13 secs.

5 starters

No Teams Race

4000 metres Under 16 1. Tanya Dwyer (NS) 18 mins. 06 secs.
2. Lynette Anderson (B) 18 mins. 06 secs.

2 starters

No Teams Race

4000 metres Under 14 1. Susan Gill (ES) 18 mins. 43 secs.
2. Mellisa Reynolds (NL) 19 mins. 07 secs.
3. Kirilee Jones (SB) 20 mins. 01 secs.

6 starters

No Teams Race

8000 metres Over 40 1. Shirley Brasher (N) 36 mins. 39 secs.
2. Jan Chew (Vets) 39 mins. 18 secs.
3. Dorothy Smith (Vets) 47 mins. 05 secs.

3 starters

No Teams Race

AUSTRALIAN CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS - BRISBANE - 20th AUGUST 1983

Only two women were selected to represent Tasmania following the State Championships at Kingston but 12 men were named to give team representation in the three age groups. However, two withdrawals from the Open and one from the Under 20 teams left only three runners in each with four required to comprise a team. Only three runners were selected for the Under 18 event, the number for a team and all finished for Tasmania to fill fifth position on 42 points defeating South Australia.

Wayne Fletcher was appointed manager and as there were only two women in the party of eleven it was decided not to appoint an assistant manager.

The championships which were held at Nudgee College started and finished on an area comprising 15 rugby grounds with weather conditions extremely hot.

The first half of the flat course was covered by water or mud - up to a foot deep in places. Not surprisingly the heat took its toll on the Tasmanian competitors.

The Womens Under 18 years 4000 m. event comprised 31 competitors and Eastern Suburbs athlete Paul Nicholls finished a creditable 10th in 15 min. 19 secs. whilst Barbara Anne O'Bryne finished in the middle of the field and bettered her state championship time in the Open 8000 metres.

In the Mens Under 18 events over 6000 m. Angus Barnes finished 14th, in 20 min. 18 secs., less than a minute behind the winner.

In the Mens Under 20 event over 8 k., David Solomon of O.V.A. was the best Tasmanian. He finished 19th in 26.52, a minute behind the winner. Dean Giblin was 23rd in 27.27 and Darren Gillies 34th in 28.13.

In the Mens Open 12000 metres all three Tasmanian found the conditions most difficult and did not perform as well as they would have hoped.

RESULTS :

WOMEN	<u>8000 metres Open</u>	Barbara-A. O'Bryne	15th	31 mins. 14 secs.	
		29 competitors	Winners Time	28 mins. 45.7 s.	
	Teams	1. Victoria	17 pts.		
		2. N.S.W.	39 pts.		
		3. Queensland	31 pts.		
	<u>4000 metres Under 18</u>	Paula Nicholls	10th	15 mins. 19.8 s.	
		20 competitors	Winners Time	14 mins. 00.9 s.	
	Teams	1. Victoria	6 pts.		
		2. Queensland	15 pts.		
		3. N.S.W.	24 pts.		
MEN	<u>12000 metres Open</u>	Robert Gillard	36th	40 mins. 08.0 s.	
		Andrew Verrier	40th	40 mins. 50.0 s.	
		Craig Anderson	44th	42 mins. 14.0 s.	
		47 competitors	Winners Time	36 mins. 15.7 s.	
	Teams	1. Victoria	19 pts.		
		2. A.C.T.	27 pts.		
		3. N.S.W.	40 pts.		
		<u>8000 metres Under 20</u>	David Solomon	19th	26 mins. 52.0 s.
			Dean Giblin	23rd	27 mins. 24.0 s.
			Darren Gillies	34th	28 mins. 13.0 s.
		40 competitors	Winners Time	25 mins. 35.8 s.	
	Teams	1. Victoria	18 pts.		
		2. N.S.W.	29 pts.		
		3. Queensland	41 pts.		
	<u>6000 metres Under 18</u>	Angus Barnes	14th	20 mins. 18.0 s.	
		Michael Potter	30th	21 mins. 05.0 s.	
		James Gibson	41st	22 mins. 56.0 s.	
		42 competitors	Winners Time	19 mins. 22.1 s.	
	Teams	1. N.S.W.	10 pts.		
		2. Queensland	21 pts.		
		3. Victoria	22 pts.		
		4. A.C.T.	29 pts.		
		5. Tasmania	42 pts.		
		6. S.A.	49 pts.28/....	

TASMANIAN SCHOOLS CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS - LAUNCESTON - 10th JULY 1983

The course for this event was changed from the Riverside High School to the St. Leonards Sports Complex and although only a lap of 1 kilometre it provided quite a test for runners. The facilities available at the complex, such as change rooms, toilets, track for warm ups and marshalling as well as the hall for afternoon tea and presentations made it most conducive for running a successful meeting.

A total of 77 boys and 64 girls entered the eight events, 68 and 49 started with 63 and 44 finishing. This was quite an improvement on last year and the gradual increase shows this event has now become a recognised part of the winter calendar. However, the Under 19 age group is still poorly supported.

The longer distances as adopted by the A.A.U. were used for the first time.

RESULTS :

GIRLS

BOYS

6000 metres Under 19

1. S. Solomon (EMC) 26 min. 29.2 s.
2. S. Bolt (S.H.) 28 min. 28.9 s.
3. L. Armstrong (LCC) 29 min. 01.1 s.

5 completed course (2 in 1982)

4000 metres Under 17

1. P. Nicholls (Rosny) 16 min. 16.6 s.
2. M. Down (Scottsdale) 17 min. 11.4 s.
3. A. Clarke (Exeter) 17 min. 26.3 s.

8 completed course (12 in 1982)

2000 metres Under 15

1. M. Bates (Parklands) 12 min. 13.8 s.
2. J. Howard (Brooks) 12 min. 14.5 s.
3. L. Anderson (Marist) 12 min. 17.3 s.

19 completed course (7 in 1982)

2000 metres Under 13

1. M. Williams (Riverside) 8 min. 19.9 s.
2. A. Smith (Marian) 8 min. 23.0 s.
3. I. Ketelaar (Devonport) 8 min. 31.5 s.

11 completed course (10 in 1982)

8000 metres Under 19

1. A. Barnes (Hutchins) 27 min. 41.3 s.
2. D. Giblin (Rosny) 28 min. 03.1 s.
3. P. McGlone (Rosny) 28 min. 40.3 s.

4 completed course (9 in 1982)

4000 metres Under 17

1. D. Castle (St. Vir) 13 min. 14.5 s.
2. G. Rose (Rosetta) 13 min. 16.3 s.
3. J. Gibson (Devonport) 13 min. 26.9 s.

17 completed course (15 in 1982)

4000 metres Under 15

1. M. Lennon (Clarence) 13 min. 48.7 s.
2. B. Gill (Scottsdale) 14 min. 13.2 s.
3. S. Kelly (Hutchins) 14 min. 20.8 s.

25 completed course (18 in 1982)

2000 metres Under 13

1. P. Aiken (Dominic) 7 min. 11.3 s.
2. K. Gillard (Brooks) 7 min. 17.3 s.
3. M. Shaw (Hutchins) 7 min. 22.2 s.

17 completed course (10 in 1982)

AUSTRALIAN SCHOOLS CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS - CANBERRA - 30th JULY 1983

The state team was selected following the Tasmanian Championships at St. Leonards. Eighteen athletes were named, 5 girls and 13 boys. Simone Solomon and Davin Castle later withdrew. Marie Shephard was appointed manager and Kevin Prendergast assistant manager. The course was a very good one on the shores of Lake Burley Griffin and was mainly grass with three uphill sections.

Best Tasmanian team performance was in the Under 17 boys. The team consisted of Greg Rose, James Gibson and Michael Potter and they are to be congratulated on their bronze medal win. Members of the Under 15 girls team and the Under 15 and Under 19 boys teams ran good races to take 5th placings.

INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCES : CROSS COUNTRY

<u>UNDER 15 GIRLS</u>	<u>3000 M.</u>	<u>50 Competitors</u>	<u>Winner's Time</u>	10.44
Jade Howard		21st	11:44	
Lynette Anderson		28th	11:53	
Maryann Bates		29th	11:53	
<u>Teams</u>	1. Queensland	2. N.S.W.	3. S.A.	5. Tas.

<u>UNDER 15 BOYS</u>	<u>4000 M.</u>	<u>56 Competitors</u>	<u>Winner's Time</u>	12:48
Matthew Lennon		6th	13:31	
Brett Gill		25th	14:01	
Sam Kelly		28th	14:04	
Anthony Zammit		29th	14:05	
Mark Petterwood		34th	14:13	
<u>Teams</u>	1. Victoria	2. N.S.W.	3. Queensland	5. Tas.

<u>UNDER 17 GIRLS</u>	<u>4000 M.</u>	<u>46 Competitors</u>	<u>Winner's Time</u>	14:23
Paula Nicholls		21st	15:26	

<u>UNDER 17 BOYS</u>	<u>4000 M.</u>	<u>71 Competitors</u>	<u>Winner's Time</u>	12:25
Greg Rose		12th	12:58	
James Gibson		13th	13:00	
Michael Potter		26th	13:13	
Robert Leersen		46th	13:36	
<u>Teams</u>	1. A.C.T.	2. Queensland	3. Tas.	

<u>UNDER 19 BOYS</u>	<u>8000 M.</u>	<u>42 Competitors</u>	<u>Winner's Time</u>	25:46
Angus Barnes		13th	26:46	
Dean Giblin		18th	27:21	
Peter McGlone		21st	27:40	
<u>Teams</u>	1. N.S.W.	2. Victoria	2. Queensland	5. Tas.

COMMONWEALTH BANK PERPETUAL TROPHY FOR TEAMS :

<u>GIRLS</u>		<u>BOYS</u>	
New South Wales	18	New South Wales	16
Queensland	17	Queensland	16
Victoria	16	Victoria	15
South Australia	12	A.C.T.	13
A.C.T.	8	Tasmania	11
Western Australia	7	Western Australia	9
Tasmania	3	South Australia	4

AUSTRALIAN SCHOOLS WALK CHAMPIONSHIPS - CANBERRA - 31st JULY 1983

Trials were held at Legana in July to select walkers to represent your state in these championships. Five Northern walkers were named in the team but Karin Larsen withdrew before travelling to Canberra.

The course was in a very open windy area near the Bruce Stadium and was basically out and back with a very difficult hilly section. The performance of the team was most encouraging in view of its inexperience.

RESULTS :

<u>UNDER 15 GIRLS</u>	<u>3000 M.</u>	<u>36 Competitors</u>	<u>Winner's Time</u>	<u>14:54</u>
Tania Donald		32nd	18:08	
<u>UNDER 15 BOYS</u>	<u>3000 M.</u>	<u>28 Competitors</u>	<u>Winner's Time</u>	<u>14:20</u>
Leif Larsen		9th	15:30	
Karl Larsen		14th	15:43	
<u>UNDER 17 GIRLS</u>	<u>6000 M.</u>	<u>19 Competitors</u>	<u>Winner's Time</u>	<u>31:01</u>
Leanne Becker		13th	37:12	

TASMANIAN MARATHON - CRESSY - 7th MAY 1983

Because of the A.A.U. moving the Australian Marathon forward to June it was also necessary to conduct the Tasmanian event much earlier than has been the case over recent years. Whether this was the reason for the decline in the number of starters is hard to say but only 29 men and 4 women faced the starter at Cressy.

Garth Foley of Newstead won very easily in quite a good time of 2 hrs. 28 min. 46 secs. Sue Gray (Burnie) was first female, over 4 minutes in front of Shirley Brasher.

Chris French, Sandy Bay, retained his half marathon title from Tony Kleiner of Newstead.

RESULTS :

MEN

1. Garth Foley (NHC) 2 hours 28 min. 46 secs.
2. Robert Coates (Ulv.) 2 hours 44 min. 59 secs.
3. David Roe (Vets) 2 hours 46 min. 27 secs.

29 starters 15 finishing

WOMEN

1. Sue Gray (B) 3 hours 33 min. 17 secs.
2. Shirley Brasher (NHC) 3 hours 37 min. 36 secs.
3. Frances Hancock (Vets) 3 hours 59 min. 06 secs.

4 starters 3 finishing

HALF MARATHON

1. Chris French (SB)
2. Tony Kleiner (NHC)
3. Aubrey Henricks (NL)

AUSTRALIAN MARATHON - SYDNEY - 12th JUNE 1983

With the very generous sponsorship by Wang Computers for this event the Australian Union was able to provide transport and accommodation for state teams to compete in Sydney.

The selectors named a full team of men but only two women were considered to be of a sufficiently high standard to represent the state. Roy Pemberton was appointed manager, and with his distance running background proved to be an excellent choice.

The course started in North Sydney, went across the Harbour Bridge out to La Perouse and then back to Marks Field and was quite hard with plenty of hills and turns. With such a large number of competitors, control, especially of traffic was very difficult but basically it was a very well organised event and appears to be assured of becoming one of the great marathons.

The Tasmanian performances were extremely good with all eight finishing and all except Shirley Brasher running faster than on the easier Cressy course.

RESULTS :

Garth Foley	36th	2 hours 27 min. 58 secs.
Haydyn Nielsen	80th	2 hours 37 min. 49 secs.
Robert Coates	91st	2 hours 38 min. 32 secs.
Tim Jetson	156th	2 hours 47 min. 20 secs.
Michael Boss Walker	215th	2 hours 51 min. 00 secs.
Ray Batten	336th	2 hours 57 min. 56 secs.
Sue Gray		3 hours 26 min. 42 secs.
Shirley Brasher		3 hours 56 min. 04 secs.

<u>Teams</u>	New South Wales	10 points
	A.C.T.	12 points
	Victoria	36 points
	Western Australia	38 points
	Queensland	53 points
	South Australia	64 points
	Tasmania	89 points

CADBURY MARATHON - HOBART - 7th JANUARY 1984

This event was again part of the Tasmanian Fiesta and a half marathon was added to cater for more runners. Alan Rider, with assistance from other Veteran athletes, set out a new course which started at Cadburys and finished at Salamanca Place with 2 loops through the city. Entries were extremely good and a briefing evening held on the Wednesday prior to the event was very well received by runners.

Lindsay Webb (ES) defeated last year's winner Craig Anderson (ES) in a fast time of 2 hours 24 min. 51 secs. Robyn Wallace was first female to finish in 3 hours 32 mins. 34 secs. and Andrew Verrier won the half marathon in 1 hour 19 min. 31 secs.

CADBURY MARATHON (Cont.) :

RESULTS :

MARATHON	<u>MEN</u>	1. Lindsay Webb (ES)	2 hours 24 min. 52 secs.
		2. Craig Anderson (ES)	2 hours 25 min. 04 secs.
		3. Bruce Longmore (Vets)	2 hours 31 min. 59 secs.
	<u>WOMEN</u>	1. Robyn Wallace	36th 3 hours 32 min. 34 secs.
		2. Susan Baker-Finch	39th 3 hours 40 min. 23 secs.
		3. Shirley Brasher	40th 3 hours 41 min. 43 secs.

80 starters 47 completed course

HALF MARATHON	1. Andrew Verrier (ES)	1 hour 9 min. 31 secs.
	2. Haydyn Nielsen	
	3. David Solomon	

147 starters 134 completed course

TASMANIAN ROAD CHAMPIONSHIPS - PENGUIN 28th MAY 1983

Entries increased from last year which was quite pleasing especially to have nine contesting the women's 10 km. There were light winds and showers for the race. The course was flatter than previously which made for faster times and two exciting and close finishes.

RESULTS :

MEN 25 Km.	1. Garth Foley (NHC)	1 hour 25 min. 44 secs.
	2. Simon Phillips (NHC)	1 hour 25 min. 47 secs.
	3. Andrew Verrier (ES)	1 hour 29 min. 37 secs.

15 starters

WOMEN 10 Km.	1. Andrea Waddle (Dev)	38 min. 02 secs.
	2. Barbara Anne O'Byrne (NW)	38 min. 12.3 secs.
	3. Shirley Brasher (NHC)	41 min. 01.4 secs.

9 starters

AUSTRALIAN ROAD CHAMPIONSHIPS - ADELAIDE - 26th JUNE 1983

Ralph Crack was appointed manager of the team consisting of 2 men and 2 women selected to represent Tasmania. All improved on their Tasmanian times with Simon Phillips cutting over 6 minutes from his Penguin performance.

RESULTS :

MEN 25 Km.	Simon Phillips	26th	1 hour 19 mins. 21 secs.
	Michael McGlone	37th	1 hour 24 mins. 58 secs.

55 completed course - Winner's Time 1 hour 14 min. 26 secs.

WOMEN 10 Km.	Barbara Anne O'Byrne	13th	36 min. 34 secs.
	Andrea Waddle	17th	37 min. 29 secs.

34 completed course - Winner's Time 33 min. 21 secs.

TASMANIAN ROAD WALKS CHAMPIONSHIPS - CRESSY/PENGUIN - 7th MAY/28th MAY 1983

The road walk championships were held in conjunction with the Marathon at Cressy and the Under 18 at the same time as the Road Runs at Penguin.

RESULTS :

MEN 20 Km. Open

1. D. Moore (NS) 1 hour 54 min. 18 secs.
2. W. Fletcher (NS) 2 hours 4 min. 45 secs.

WOMEN 10 Km. Open

1. Leanne Becker (R) 66 min. 57 secs.
2. Deborah Walters (T) 70 min. 06 secs.
3. Lynn Larsen (R) 72 min. 26 secs.

MEN 8000 Metres Under 18

1. Karl Larsen (R) 44 min. 34.9 secs.
2. Karim Larsen (R) 47 min. 43.8 secs.
3. Lief Larsen (R) 49 min. 02 secs.

WOMEN 8000 Metres Under 18

1. Deborah Walters (T) 54 min. 34.9 s.
2. Tania Donald (NL) 56 min. 34.9 s.

FUN RUNS :

Your Association was very pleased to become involved in the organisation and conduct of the City to Casino Fun Run once again. Five members of your Association joined the committee and through the efforts of Barry McLeod very good sponsorship was obtained from Bakers Milk on behalf of its bakery division.

Altogether the run was a success although the alteration of the start to Swallows Parade did not achieve the desired effect and will not be used again. The doubling of entry fees also met with some resistance. The Southern Branch's assistance at the start was greatly appreciated as was that of the Surf Life Saving Association at the finish. Congratulations are extended to Ric Coyle and Andrea Waddle on their success.

Your Association was involved in three other fun runs. The short "Everyone Run" organised by Life. Be In It and the Toyota Olympic Fund Run. Both started and finished at the Domain Athletic Centre and although entries were disappointing compared with the City to Casino they were reasonable for a first attempt and considering the sparcity of publicity.

The third was the "Solo" Fun Run held on Sunday 4th December 1983 in conjunction with the Tasmanian Fiesta and part of the Cadbury/Solo sponsorship. The organising sub committee conducted the event very well and made several improvements on last year, mainly in the finishing arrangements at Salamanca Place. A total of 205 runners finished with Ric Coyle winning the event and Trudy Fenton was the first women to finish.

Fun Runs are such a feature of life nowadays that it is essential that athletics be involved in them and both the Union and your Association are moving in this direction. However, it is essential that some return be received because a great deal of time is required to ensure successful organisation.

1983 AUSTRALIAN ATHLETIC UNION CONGRESS :

The Annual Congress of the Union was held at the Sheraton Hotel, Melbourne, on the 27th and 28th August, 1983, and Tasmania was represented by Mr. G. T. Briggs and Mrs. M. Ebzery, O.A.M.

Mr. A. McDonald in opening Congress said that he had held office as President of the Union for 5½ years and was proud to serve athletics in Australia during that time. Owing to business commitments he would not be seeking re-election, and wished the incoming President every success.

The officers were elected as follows:-

- President: - G.T. Briggs
- Vice Presidents : - Mrs. M. Robinson, M.B.E. (Vic), Mrs. F. Wrighter (NSW)
D.P. Wilson (ACT)
- Honorary Treasurer:- Mrs. J. Cross
- Executive Director:- Mr. R. Pannell
- Coaching Director: - Dr. J. Roberts
- Board of Management - Mrs. M. Mahoney (Vic), F. Wrighter (N.S.W), C.D. Lee (N.S.W.)
G. Cozens (Vic), P. Druitt (W.A.), G. James (Q),
D. Wilson (A.C.T.)

The scoring tables and standards committee which had been based in Tasmania for many years was defeated in the elections and this committee is now made up of South Australians.

No Life Memberships or Merit Awards were granted.

Major decisions made were to allow the Union's Officials Committee to appoint key officials for Australian Track and Field Championships. In view of the poor quality of championship medallions it was agreed a new die should be made. The Northern Territory's application for affiliation was referred to the Board of Management.

It was decided that as from 1985, the Australian Track and Field Championships would be split so as to have the Under 18 and Under 16 at one time and the Open and Under 20 at another and the Men's 10,000 metres and 5,000 metres and Women's 10,000 metres and 3,000 metres may be held separately from the other championships.

Affiliation fees were increased to \$100.00

MERIT AND SPECIAL AWARDS :

Three merit awards were made, all to relatively young men who have been involved mainly in the competitors side of the sport and still are in two cases. Kent Rayner is still very active whilst Anthony Risby runs occasionally; both have been members of the Sandy Bay Harrier Club for many years and have served the sport very well. The third award was made to Tony Walsh of Launceston for his long service to the Northern Branch.

A special award was made to Len Carter, a competitor before the war and a great friend and supporter of athletics in his occupation as a photographer for the Mercury.

MERIT AND SPECIAL AWARDS (Cont.)

The presentations were made at three separate functions. The first at the Domain Athletic Centre was for Len Carter in conjunction with a sponsors night. The second also at the Domain Athletic Centre, saw the two southern merit awards presented and the third was in Launceston at the Albert Hall when the Northern Branch held a very successful smorgasbord dinner.

FINANCE :

The season under review has been quite satisfactory in that it resulted an excess of receipts over payments of \$441.27.

Most receipts were close to or above the budget. Registrations were nearly \$1,000 up but this in turn meant a larger payment to the A.A.U. so that the net gain over budget was only \$232. Receipts from Tasmanian Championships were more than anticipated as they were from interstate and intrastate meetings. The pleasing feature was the increase in gate takings for the Statewide League, especially in Launceston but unfortunately the Coca Cola Twilight Meeting was not as successful in Hobart as in Launceston. Handbooks didnot return as much as hoped and an overall loss of \$506 resulted.

Just over \$4,000 was received from the Union being refund of expenses for the 1982 Australian Cross Country Championships and Schools Track and Field Championships plus a small administration fee. As this was not part of the current season it was decided it should be transferred to investment.

As with receipts most payments were close to budget or slightly above. One exception was uniforms and track suits etc. It was anticipated that sales would equal purchases and only to be around \$1,000. However, the demand for track suits spiralled and although a deficit of \$150 is shown, stock on hand is far greater than last year. Other items purchased were travel bags and ties which are resold and a supply of badges for competitors costumes costing \$475 which are given to members of state teams. Quite a large number of these items are still in stock. Another item well under the budget was the schools track and field championships and also a interstate and intrastate meetings. With only two delegates and only one congress the cost was nearly halved. Record certificates were purchased and the accommodation expenses of delegates to the seminars were unanticipated expenses.

APPRECIATION :

As always your Association greatly appreciated the support received from sponsors during the past year. Coca Cola Bottlers (registration numbers, Twilight meeting, Schools Track & Field Championships) Ian Rumney Office Equipment (Triangular), Launceston Bank for Savings (State League), Benders Real Estate (T. & F. Championships). A.N.Z. Bank (Handbook), Adidas (Competition Uniforms) all helped to make the year most successful. The thanks of the Association is extended to these businesses and also to Barry McLeod who was responsible for sponsorship arrangements.

To the sub-committees of the Association, to the three Branches and to team managers, sincere appreciation is expressed for their contribution. Also to competition officials for their consistent and at most times uncomplaining service your Association offers its thanks. A special word of appreciation to the stat-

APPRECIATION (Cont.)

istician, Steve Foley for his work during the past season especially his regular rankings lists. Without all this assistance, athletics could not continue.

Again all sections of the media have been most generous in the publicity given to athletics and to all those who assisted in providing information and copy to the various newspapers, radio and TV stations, thanks is offered.

To all others who have helped in any way during the past year your Association extends its grateful thanks.

On behalf of the Council,

N.J. Ruddock,
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

BRANCH REPORTS :

SOUTH

A most successful season has been completed with close competition between participating clubs. It was very good to see that Clubs with small numbers of registered athletes also competed on a very competitive basis with the larger clubs.

State League continued and, again, four highly successful meetings were conducted. State League allows athletes a wider range of competition and it would appear that athletes themselves are pleased with the competition these meetings afford them.

All State representative athletes performed extremely well this season. The Australian All Schools Championships being held in Adelaide and the Under 16 Men's and Women's Championships being held in Perth.

A number of younger athletes gained valuable experience as part of the Tasmanian contingent to compete in Melbourne at the Australian Championships - a number of medals were won by the Tasmanian team.

Well done and congratulations to all our State representatives this season.

It was pleasing to see that a number of supporters attended the Australian Championships - many of these acting as officials for the Championships.

The Branch acknowledges the assistance of the news media throughout the year. Thanks goes to Public Relations Director, Barry McLeod, for his assistance throughout the season. Thanks also to the Mercury, radio stations 7HT, 7HO and 7ZR and the television stations.

Particular thanks to Channel 2 for their excellent coverage throughout the year and, in particular, their coverage of the State Titles.

Thanks also to Howard Malcolm for his assistance with Mercury 'write-ups' and also to Mrs. Doreen Frawley for typing both men's and women's results each week for publication in the Mercury. This was certainly no small effort and her help is greatly appreciated.

The Branch again thanks all officials for their assistance throughout the season. It was great to see all the "old" faces again but it would be very nice to see not only the "old" but many "new" faces next season.

The Board is grateful for the assistance and support given by athletes, clubs and officials and looks forward to their continued support during the coming season.

Club administration has shown an improvement from previous seasons.

This aspect of the sport has been of particular concern for a number of years.

It is not significant that in 1983/84, all clubs accepted both men and women competitors for the first time. In consequence, the most able administrators of previous single sex clubs joined forces.

It was hoped that a programme of structured seminars for officials could have been arranged during the past season. The reasons advanced as to why this was not possible does not mean that the need for such had disappeared.

On the contrary, athletics is just so reliant on competent officials that the administrators need to give them far more support than is presently done.

It should be a strong desire to see implemented, a comprehensive officials education programme. To "gain, train and retain" officials should be the creed for the 1984/85 season.

The increasing demands being made on voluntary officials is becoming quite overwhelming and causes great concern. A tally of the commitment by just one enthusiastic official throughout the season can be identified by looking at the calendar - the exercise is worthwhile doing: Interclub - (13) - 6½ days; State events - 12½ days; other Southern events - 2 days; school events - 4 days; - this gives an identified minimum for Track season only, of 25 days. Add to this twilight meets, 10,000 metres events etc. He or she may be a club enthusiast as well (most likely) and be committed even further.

Add to all of this, the demands being made by the A.A.A.T. to organise and officiate at the ever increasing round of "fun runs" - this past season has seen the Toyota Olympic Fund Run; the Solo Fun Run; the Cadbury Marathon and the City to Casino Fun Run. Coming shortly is the Budget Team Trot. Quite frankly the list is expanding so much that the demands on the willing few are quite preposterous.

Notwithstanding this, the Branch still has volunteers! They are the life-blood and backbone of the sport and long may it remain so.

The Board of Management again served the sport in a most professional manner. Irene Lovell (Executive Director) continued her outstanding contribution and all Clubs must be grateful for the continual flow of information which she generates.

All other Directors are also deserving of similar praise - each has contributed in a most significant manner to the development of both summer and winter competition. Most will stand for re-election which is pleasing as it will mean continued and steady progress with dedicated administrators.

The end of season Presentation Evening was held on Saturday 17th March at the Queen's Head Hotel, North Hobart

This was the third successful evening conducted by the Branch and the large number of athletes, parents and friends who supported this function has clearly shown that thought must be given to acquiring a larger venue for future functions.

The highlight of the evening was the presentation of the Connor's Athlete of the Year Award (a television set). This was won by 14 year old Kyla Gregory (Eastern Suburbs). Runner-up in this award was Greg Robertson (Sandy Bay), David Ashcroft (Sandy Bay) and Paula Nicholls (Eastern Suburbs) tied for third.

Other presentations made during the evening were:

TRACK -

Senior Female Athlete	- Gaylee Chick	E.S.
Senior Male Athlete	- David Huxley	S.B.
U/20 Female Athlete	- Kyla Gregory	E.S.
U/20 Male Athlete	- Greg Robertson	S.B.

WINTER -

Male Athlete	- Kent Rayner	S.B.
Female Athlete	- Paula Nicholls	E.S.

BRANCH REPORTS :

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Premiership trophies were presented to Sandy Bay Harrier Club (Men) and Eastern Suburbs (Women) for their 1983-84 Premiership wins.

LIONEL SKEGGS, TAS. BEVIS MEMORIAL EVENTS :

These memorial events, which are sponsored annually by the Eastern Suburbs Club, were held on 17th December in fine, warm conditions.

Appropriately Eastern Suburbs' Lindsay Webb scored his first success in the prestigious Tas. Bevis Memorial 5000 metres when he defeated several times winner Kent Rayner in a respectable 15 m. 13.8 sec. Andrew Verrier, also from Eastern Suburbs, was third. Previous year winner Ric Coyle was unable to compete.

Paul Williams continued the Eastern Suburbs success when he flashed home to snatch victory in the Lionel Skeggs Memorial 100 metres and notch the most important win of his career. He recorded 11.0 seconds to defeat 1982 winner David Ashcroft and Jeff Pithouse from Northern Suburbs.

INTERCLUB TRACK AND FIELD COMPETITION :

Thirteen rounds of Interclub Competition were programmed for 1983/84 and after losing the first round to heavy rain (the track may be all weather but athletes and officials are certainly not) the remaining twelve rounds were held in weather conditions generally more favourable than recent year.

As with previous seasons, four timetables were planned with every second week featuring the same events but timetabled differently. A heavy influx of younger athletes as a result of clubs finally seriously recruiting advancing Little Athletics led to timetable difficulties in some of the field events early in the season, although this problem resolved itself after Christmas when the number of athletes competing declined. As a result of the encouragement of all round competition in Little Athletics most of the younger athletes seem to compete in every event available which made the timetabling of lower grades into a general format, incorporating all grades, almost impossible.

Although it will draw criticism from some quarters it may be necessary to reduce the number of field events conducted every week for the lower grades and timetable these fortnightly e.g. conduct the lower grade long jumps only fortnightly and alternate these with the Triple Jump. While it will be argued that it is a retrograde step to reduce the number of weekly events for young athletes the manner in which these athletes had to be shuffled through their events last season was in no way conducive to enjoyable and good performances. They will derive greater benefit by having more time in which to compete and concentrate on improving performances.

This increase in field games competitors highlighted the inadequacies of taking field event entries at the competition site. This certainly caused problems and placed unfair pressures on the officials concerned. It is imperative that an additional entry steward is appointed next season to handle field events with provision for divisions to be created within a grade when warranted.

BRANCH REPORTS :

SOUTH (Cont.)

As a result of a direction from the State Association the Women's upgrading and minimum standards were brought into line with the tougher standards used by the Northern Branch. Consequently the number of higher grade, particularly A grade, competitors was small. While this made A grade points scoring difficult for most clubs the decision was correct. An athlete should be competing in a grade commensurate with ability. The requirement is for an athlete to work towards reaching a significant standard rather than reducing the standard to match the ability of the athlete.

Another innovation this season, also on the recommendation of the State Association, was to design complementary Northern and Southern Interclub programmes with those events only contested fortnightly at each venue programmed alternatively to allow specialist athletes wishing to do so, to travel to the other venue on the local 'off' Saturday. The theory behind this was good but very few athletes availed themselves of the opportunity for extra competition in their specialist event and, in fact, one of the few Northern Athletes to travel to Hobart found that she was the only entrant in the event that she had specifically travelled South for. The lack of response indicates that, although programmes should continue to be complementary if they can be conveniently arranged that way, the local competition in each area should be given priority.

A suggestion was made during the season that more events, particularly field events, be programmed next season. It is not certain that these additional events would receive sufficient patronage to justify their inclusion on a weekly basis particularly after a survey of the number of competitors in each during the past season. If it is decided to include them clubs then will be required to provide additional officials and this alone may be sufficient to again preclude them. An alternative may be to provide non scoring invitation events, if requested by sufficient athletes. This facility has always been available but rarely used.

As usual the number of officials was barely adequate which meant that too few people were again required to do too much work. The fact that the same faces re-appeared week after week is in itself an indication of the nature of these people and confirms that their motive is service to athletics despite the fact that criticism is often their only reward. Particular tribute must be paid to those officials who were engaged on the jumping events. Hopefully some of the measures suggested in this report will reduce the pressures under which they worked last season.

The setting up and clearing of the Arena is an area for concern. After several seasons of highly organised work by Sandy Bay the hurdle duties were transferred to Eastern Suburbs and while that club performed their duties admirable the pooling of remaining duties to all other clubs was not successful. It is obvious that allocating specific tasks to individual clubs and enforcing these responsibilities is the only method that may be successful. This area should be given particular attention next season and penalty provisions strictly enforced.

The experiment of allocating responsibilities for the organisation of respective 10,000 metre races to clubs was a success with adequate officials available for each event and this practice should be continued next season.

A further recommendation for next season is the introduction of minimum standards to all grades. It does not seem logical to enforce standards on some grades and not others. Provision exists for downgrading if an athlete is considered badly graded and the imposition of a minimum standard does not preclude an athlete from competition. To enforce a required level of performance before points are scored

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in some grades and then allow mediocre performances to score points in other grades is an anomolous situation which should be removed.

The Womens Interclub Premiership developed into an intense battle between Sandy Bay and Eastern Suburbs with the latter club prevailing to win by 3 points. There were occasions when that battle may have become a little too intense but the evenness of the competition maintained interest all season.

In the Mens Competition the 'professional' approach by the Sandy Bay Club again prevailed and, after an early season scare, that Club went on to notch their 9th successive premiership win. This dominance by Sandy Bay could be stifling the mens interclub and causing disinterest in the premiership competition which in turn is affecting the level of performances. This is not the fault of the Sandy Bay Club. The remaining clubs have to accept the challenge and raise their standard to the level set by Sandy Bay by active recruiting and strong administration. Athletics in general will gain by this. If the reverse occurs and the competition is evened only by Sandy Bay declining to the level of the other clubs then the future of athletics in Southern Tasmania can only be bleak.

Final premiership points were:-

MEN

Sandy Bay	66
Eastern Suburbs	52
Northern Suburbs	43
O.V.A.	37
Vets.	18

WOMEN

Eastern Suburbs	67
Sandy Bay	64
O.V.A.	46
Northern Suburbs	39

SCHOOL ATHLETICS :

The Branch has continued its involvement with the school side of athletics. As this is a very important developmental area and also an exercise in public relations, it is to be hoped that this special relationship will continue.

From the Southern All Schools titles, there is a natural flow on to more specific areas such as the Southern and State Independent Schools, the Southern High Schools, Southern District Schools and Southern and State Primary Schools. This is a major commitment on behalf of the Branch and officials can be seen at each of these, mostly as "Chiefs" which helps to develop a close rapport with a wide cross section of people involved in the sport.

The facilities at the Domain (plus the Branches not inconsiderable equipment) are ideal for schools to utilise. They are of international standard and relatively cheap to hire. In fact, a quick count last year indicated that 79 different schools (or school groups) used the D.A.C. from September to December. This is a very pleasing aspect of promotion of the sport and a commendation for the Hobart City Council who built the facility.

BRANCH REPORTS :

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CONNORS SOUTHERN ALL SCHOOLS CHAMPIONSHIPS :

The 26th Southern All Schools Championships were held at the Domain Athletic Centre on the 1st and 2nd of October, 1983.

With two days of good competition and weather 138 events were conducted, 17 new events for girls and 11 new events for boys, with new records in 13 events, 174 separate events were necessary. 67 Southern Tasmanian Schools were represented by 419 competitors in 1192 event entries, there were 66 events for boys and 62 events for girls, only one event received no entries, and three events on the day were cancelled, due to scratchings.

It was disappointing with the number of entries received from the Under 15, 16 and open age groups.

There were a number of requests for additional events in the younger age groups particularly in field events. This request should be considered for 1984, and that more publicity be given to encourage the older age groups to participate.

Award for the Championships were made to:

Angus Barnes (Hutchins)	Male Athlete of the Meeting
Loretta Kiss (Sacred Heart)	Female Athlete of the Meeting.

Special Merit Awards -

Matthew Fleischmann	(St. Virgils)
Josh Bradshaw	(Mt. Nelson)
Guy Donaghy	(Cosgrove)
David Page	(Geilston Bay)
Braddon Voss	(St. Virgils)
Kyla Gregory	(Geilston Bay)
Fiona O'Brien	(Mt. Carmel)
Lorien Gear	(Sorell)
Caroline Hickey	(Sacred Heart)
Susan Beaton	(Clarence)

NORTH v. SOUTH v NORTH WEST :

The Southern teams were selected this year, again under some difficulty, because in inter club the competition is based on ability and not on age groupings. The Selectors therefore can and did miss some underage performances by those who had been upgraded, and in consequence came in for criticism.

The triangular event was notable for the fact that three S.A.A.B. stalwarts - Murray Bird, Graeme Stowards and Wayne Fletcher represented the Branch for the 20th year in succession! What service to the sport.

Team Managers - Elaine McLeod, Derek Jones, Ken McNamara and Bob Mazey did a very good job with teams which were not as strong as could have been wished. The lack of depth in senior womens events certainly showed out.

BRANCH REPORTS :

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RESULTS :

<u>WOMEN -</u>	<u>North</u>	<u>South</u>	<u>North West</u>
Under 13, 14 and 16	140	132	55
Under 18, 20 and Senior	246	76	72
<u>MEN -</u>			
Under 13, 14 and 16	209	153	45
Under 18, 20 and Senior	240	215	51

Teams from the North were very strong and deserve commendation on their efforts.

L.B.S. STATEWIDE LEAGUE :

Rounds 1 and 3 of this most successful competition were conducted by the Branch at the D.A.C. It is not being parochial to say that these were the best of the 4 in relation to organisation and administration.

The 4 meetings were well contested but drew a sharp contrast in club organisation and depth of talent. A suggestion that has been made, that a handicap system of scoring be used to protect the interests of the smaller clubs, does not really warrant serious consideration. To cater for mediocrity does nothing to lift standards and that was the rationale behind the State League's contests. Tough, consistent competition will bring both a lift in standards for the best and a sense of achievement and satisfaction to those who are not geared to interstate representation.

The most satisfying aspect of the pre-competition publicity was the publication, in the Handbook of all rules and standards. This led in contrast to last year, to a consistent approach to entry methods, a clear guide to officials and a very close competition in every heat in every event. The results bear out this statement. Neither standards nor rules need any major overhaul in this coming season. Let it settle down.

Southern clubs did very well in the competition and it was most pleasing to see them organising transport to go to Launceston, on both occasions the rounds were held there.

STATE INTERCLUB :

Once again this major state event had to be scheduled with a round of the L.B.S. Statewide League.

This year it was in Round 3, held at the Domain on February 11th and the final results are not yet available! This very poor state of affairs has been brought about because of a dispute over gradings of placed athletes and the excessive

workload we expect our voluntary administrators to undertake. It is all very well for people to say "they" should have it done but it is interesting to note that the proponents of that kind of thing are often "missing" when the elections for jobs come round! However, for the sake of history, it should be recorded here that the 1983/84 State Interclub was a very close and interesting contest.

The point scoring system and grading methods are the same as used for the L.B.S. Statewide League events except that points are not added for men's and women's results. The E.W. Barwick and Mavis Ebzery Shields are respectively for men's and women's competition.

BENDER'S REAL ESTATE TASMANIAN TRACK AND FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS 1984 :

For the second year, the Bender's Real Estate Tasmanian Track and Field Championships were conducted over four days by the Amateur Athletic Association of Tasmania, with the first day being held at St. Leonard's, Launceston on Saturday February 25th and the remainder at the Domain Athletic Centre, Hobart on the 3, 4 and 5 March.

Outstanding performances by Southern Athletes were recorded by Lisa Lovell of O.V.A. who won six gold medals, equalling the State record of 24.5 secs. in the U/18 200 metres, and Gary Ewart of Northern Suburbs who won three gold medals. The most outstanding team effort came from the Sandy Bay Club in the Senior Men's 4 x 100 m. Relay. Their team of Murray Bird (in his 25th year of athletics), Martin Graney, Stuart Hood and David Ashcroft recorded 43.0 s., defeating Tamar whose athletes had filled all three placings in the Senior Men's 100 m.

The Sandy Bay Harrier Club won the Hobart Harrier Club Cup for performances at Senior level during the Championships.

Each of the days of the Championships provided some good competition and the excellent manner in which they were conducted was in keeping with the high standard the Tasmanian officials have set.

UNDER 16 TRACK AND FIELD TEAM :

The National Under 16 Track and Field Championships were held in Perth, W.A. on 14th and 15th January 1984. Tasmania sent a team of 23 athletes and one of these 10 were Southern athletes. They were Lisa Lovell who was captain of the team, Katie Thompson, Susan Beaton, Loretta Kiss, Kyla Gregory, Troy Bennett, Brett Rawlings, Mark Lomasney, Andrew Kallas, and Matthew Fleischman.

Conditions for the two days of competition were very difficult, with a strong wind blowing continually. Nevertheless there were some fine performances, the outstanding being Craig Morling's win and Jodi Allen's third (both from Launceston) in the 400 m. events.

AUSTRALIAN ALL-SCHOOLS TRACK AND FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS :

The standard was very high and generally speaking the meeting was run quite well, though not up to our high standards.

The team's performance in winning nine medals, 2 Gold, 4 Silver, 3 Bronze was our best ever performance. Coupled with this were twenty best personal performances from a team of thirty athletes - a great effort.

Greta Larsen was selected as a member of the Australian All-Schools Team.

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS :

Nine Southern Athletes gained State selection and competed at the Australian Track and Field Championships held in Melbourne 29th, 30th and 31st March.

David Ashcroft was the most successful Tasmanian male competitor and won a silver medal for the U/18, 200 metres in 22.12, and a bronze medal for the U/18, 100 metres in 10.68.

Shane Holubnytschyj recorded a personal best for his 400 m. Hurdles 58.28.

Michael King was unfortunate to register two breaks in his 100 metre heat he recorded 23.04 for the 200 metres.

Gary Ewart and David Huxley tried hard but were unable to produce their usual form. Gary clocked 4.05.81 in the 1500 and David registered 56.74 for his Hammer Throw.

Gaylee Chick suffered a set back when she was disqualified for breaking in the Senior 100 metres but redeemed herself with fine runs in the Open 4 x 100 Relay Team which came in 3rd and earned our girls bronze medals. She featured in the exciting 4 x 400 Open Relay Team which filled 2nd place and gathered silver medals. Gaylee clocked 24.81 in her 200 heat.

Lisa Lovell performed very well reaching the final of the 100 with a 12.29 run, and clocking 25.20 and 25.09 in her 200 races. Lisa also ran a good leg in the Open 4 x 100 Relay and came home with a bronze medal.

Paula Nicholls reached the 800 finals her best run was 2.12.80 in her Semi-final, her final time was 2.16.49.

Katie Thompson turned in good performances, for her debut at the Australian Nationals, reaching the finals of the 200 metres clocking 25.43, and the 400 metres in the time of 58.03.

Congratulations are extended to two of our Launceston team members, Greta Larsen and Felix Ratcliffe on their selection in the Junior Australian Athletic Team to compete in Americal later this year.

WANG AUSTRALIAN MARATHON :

The Wang Australian Marathon was the A.A.U's first attempt to conduct the Australian Marathon Championships as a fully sponsored, open event. Naturally problems were encountered, but as the sponsorship deal is for three years, organisers have the time and opportunity to develop this event into Australia's No. 1 International Marathon.

Organisation of the event was of a high standard and provided an abundance of race information and facilities for State Team athletes.

Performances by State Team members were very good with the majority of athletes recording personal best's or times better than those recorded at the State Marathon Championships.

Only one Southern athlete Haydyn Nielsen, was included in the State Team, a late inclusion due to the unavailability of David Rae - Haydyn's time, although disappointing, was most creditable off a limited training programme.

Other S.A.A.B. Athletes to contest the 'Wang' were Craig Anderson (ES) and Neil Sargison (NS) representing 'Cadburys' after finishing 1st and 3rd in the '83 "Cadbury Marathon". Craig's time of 2.31.01 was a best for him, whilst Neil's 2.48.55 was a disappointment but a fair time considering his late notice of inclusion by 'Cadbury's'.

1983 WINTER COMPETITIONS :

The mens and womens cross country/road events were held conjointly during the season, providing a fully amalgamated competition for the first time.

Both premierships competitions were closely contested with Eastern Suburbs winning the mens competition from Sandy Bay and with Sandy Bay winning the womens competition from the Veterans Club.

All premierships events were well supported by the athletes and the provision of a choice of two distances each week proved popular and was a major factor in the increased attendance when compared to previous seasons.

S.A.A.B. Championships were held for all age groups in the following categories:-

- Mountain Championships (previously known as King of the Mountains)
- Cross Country Championships
- Road Championships

Results of these events are attached.

Male and Female Athlete of the Season Awards were also made. These were based on the total points scored by each athlete during the season in the Winter Premiership events.

The winners were:-

Female - Paula Nicholls (E.S.) Male - Kent Rayner (S.B.)

PUBLIC RELATIONS :

Publicity this season, saw a number of individual contributors. They were:

Howard Malcolm - Reports to the Mercury on results and previews. It was great to see Howard putting something back into the sport, by way of his journalistic talents.

Mrs. Doreen Frawley - For the first time for many years, the typed results for both Men and Women appeared in the Mercury, on a consistent basis - Thanks once again to Mrs. Frawley for her typing of results.

Recorders, Mrs. Lovell and Mr. Hood - Through their efforts, copies of results were forwarded to A.B.C. radio, almost every weekend.

7 H.T. and 7 H.O. - Both stations allowed air time. 7 H.O. each Saturday morning at 8.15 and 7 H.T. gave the opportunity on both Friday and Monday mornings during their news time to discuss athletics.

The Branch was lucky enough to gain, one of the best Amateur "Athlete of the Year Award", in the country, through the courtesy of A.J. Conner & Co., and its former Sports Department Manager, Mr. Pat Downie.

The Award was a colour T.V. set. The arrangement with Connor's will continue in Season 1984/85.

EQUIPMENT AND TECHNICAL :

After major repairs in 1982/83, the job of maintaining equipment was much easier this year. A number of field implements were replaced and 30 of the hurdles were re furbished.

Special finish post holders were made by a member. These have assisted the judges very much. The trolley and new plasticine boards for the jumps for distance has helped considerably and Mr. John Chick must be thanked for assistance.

The cover over the finish judges stand was of real benefit.

The hammer cage still has its problems, but should be rectified in the new year.

In the 1984/84 Season, blocks will be required to be used for all events upto and including 400 metre events. This will save on the track wear.

Most clubs still are not showing due care and responsibility in looking after equipment and this is something we all need to look at very closely in the future.

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1983 NATIONAL CROSS COUNTRY TITLES (SOUTHERN COMPETITORS) :

The 1983 Sanyo Australian Cross Country Titles were held at Nudgee College, Brisbane on Saturday 20th August. The heat took its toll on the Tasmanian competitors.

The Womens Under 18 4000 m. event comprised 31 competitors and Eastern Suburbs athlete Paula Nicholls finished a creditable 10th in 15 min. 19 sec.

In the Mens Under 18 events over 6000 m. Tasmania was represented by Angus Barnes who finished 14th, in 20 min. 18 sec., less than a minute behind the winner. Angus was affected by the heat.

In the Mens Under 20 event over 8 k., David Solomon of O.V.A. was the best Tasmanian. He finished 19th in 26.52, a minute behind the winner. Dean Giblin was 23rd in 27.27 and Darren Gillies 34th in 28.13.

The Senior Men's title of 12th was very exciting, former Tasmanian Max Little was beaten into 1st place by Zep Nube of Zimbarwee, by 15 secs.

The Eastern Suburbs pair of Andrew Verrier and Craig Anderson both suffered heat exhaustion and finished towards the rear of the field.

NORTH

A great deal of appreciation must be expressed to the number of parents and officials who have worked so hard for the success of the season just concluded.

It is gratifying to note that the Athletes and Officials appreciate the facilities of the Athletic Centre at St. Leonards and are making use of same.

Thanks is given also to the Northern Athletic Centre Board (NACB) for service rendered for the time spent in planning improvements for everyone's benefit. Each year additions are being made and increased facilities are looked forward to in the coming season.

Thanks to Geoff Preece, Barry Baldwin and Geoff Boon for the time and effort given in the erection of the Storage Shed - come general purpose unit.

It should be noted that :-

1. In the Cross Country Season the Branch was again given the privilege of conducting the State Marathon Championships, also the State Schools Cross Country Championships.
2. In the Track and Field Season Northern athletes again excelled themselves, both in our Northern and State Championships.

BRANCH REPORTS :

NORTH (Cont.)

The Branch expresses its congratulations to the athletes for the achievements gained in their respective competitive areas. May they continue in this manner and have an even better performance in the coming season.

CROSS COUNTRY REPORT :

The 1983 Cross Country Season was successful even though the number of athletes attending was down on last season.

Again it was centred at the Newstead Harrier Club House at Relbia, where the surrounding roads and paddocks were used for the events, and at this point it is necessary to express appreciation to Mr. Chugg and Mr. Gardiner for the use of their land.

During the season each Club conducts its own special race days, with them all joining together to organise the State Marathon which was run at Cressy, the results being:-

STATE MARATHON

Garth Foley	NHC	1st
Robbie Coates	ULV	2nd
David Rae	VETS	3rd

JUNIOR HALF MARATHON

Chris French	SB	1st
Tony Kleiner	NHC	2nd
Aubrey Henricks	NL	3rd

During the season a choice of long or short races for Senior and Junior seemed to be popular with most athletes.

The season concluded with Trophy Night being held at St. Leonards where the trophies were presented:-

N.B.A.A.A.T. PERPETUAL TROPHIES :

<u>Perth to Relbia - 15 k.</u>	- Senior and U/20 Men and Women	G. Little	NHC
<u>Perth to Relbia - 4-6 k.</u>	- Senior and U/20 Men and Women	A. Clarke	RIV
<u>Perth to Relbia - 2-4 k.</u>	- U/16 Boys and Girls	A. Isaac	NL
<u>Longford - 20 k.</u>	- Senior and U/20 Men and Women	H. Hermans	NHC
<u>Longford - 10 k.</u>	- Senior and U/20 Men and Women	R. Moore	NHC
<u>Longford - 4 k.</u>	- Under 16 Boys and Girls	C. Boon	NHC
<u>Longford - 1-6 k.</u>	- Under 14 Boys and Girls	C. Butler	NL
<u>MALVERN H'CAP - 6-4 k.</u>	- Senior and U/20 Men and Women	C. Hoesain	NHC
<u>2 m. Longford Trophy 3-2 k.</u>	- U/16 Boys and Girls	F. Harper	NL
<u>1½ m. Longford Trophy 1-6 k.</u>	- U/14 Boys and Girls	M. Green	NWHC
<u>Harper Trophy</u>	- Senior and U/20 Men and Women	G. Gregory	

BRANCH REPORTS :

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TRACK AND FIELD :

The past season is the first complete one conducted at the Northern Athletic Centre, St. Leonards, and this seemed to be appreciated by the athletes who broke Northern and State records and also reached Australian qualifying standards with uncanny regularity.

Whilst the Athletes are praised for their efforts during the season, there are areas of the season's activities which may not have been all that could be desired.

They were:-

1. Common State Interclub Programme - whilst this was done to some extent, it did not work because the two major bodies did not co-ordinate their interclub dates correctly.
2. Lack of Officials - whilst thanks go to the small group of overworked dedicated people, there is a desperate need to recruit more people to help the Branch maintain the high standard of programmes everyone has become used to - i.e. second to none in Australia as A.A.U. Officials have reported.

Admittedly facilities and equipment need more upgrading (this will come) but the fact remains more people are required to assist so that all can look forward to and enjoy our sport.

3. There will be a comprehensive list of recommendations put forward to the incoming Branch Committee and Track and Field Sub-Committee for their discussion and approval.

N.B.A.A.A.T. INTERCLUB :

It was a difficult season to programme, but eleven Interclub meets were conducted plus two Twilight meets. The Committee also organised or assisted in organising of the N.B.A.A.A.T. Handicap Events/N.B.A.A.A.T. Championships, N.B.A.A.A.T. Decathlon/Heptathlon Championships, State/N.B.A.A.A.T. Pentathlon Championships, One Hour Run and many other events.

CLUB POINT SCORING :

	<u>MEN</u>	<u>WOMEN</u>	
<u>MOORE CUP - JUVENILE</u>		<u>MRS. D. CLAXTON SHIELD - U/12</u>	
North Launceston	1134-5 pts	Newstead W.H.C.	125 pts.
Riverside	1055 pts	Western Suburbs	39 pts.
Tamar	839-5 pts	Newstead H.C.	19 pts.
Newstead H.C.	296 pts		
Western Suburbs	121 pts		

BRANCH REPORTS :

NORTH : (Cont.)

CLUB POINT SCORING

	<u>MEN</u>
<u>G.L. BOON SHIELD (SENIOR)</u>	
North Launceston	7118 pts
Tamar	3139 pts
Riverside	2506.5 pts
Newstead H.C.	1655 pts
Western Suburbs	378.5 pts

	<u>WOMEN</u>
<u>MRS. M. GREEN/MRS. F. DENHOLM</u>	
<u>Combined Grade</u>	
Newstead W.H.C.	5044.5 pts
Riverside	5020.5 pts
North Launceston W.A.C.	3088.5 pts
Western Suburbs	1191.5 pts
Tamar	841 pts
Newstead H.C.	697 pts

MANSELL SHIELD (OVERALL PREMIERS)

North Launceston	8252.5 pts
Tamar	3968.5 pts
Riverside	3561.5 pts
Newstead H.C.	1951 pts
Western Suburbs	499.5 pts

EXAMINER ROSE BOWL (OVERALL PREMIERS)

Newstead W.H.C.	5169.5 pts
Riverside	5020.5 pts
North Launceston W.A.C.	3088.5 pts
Western Suburbs	1227.5 pts
Tamar	841 pts
Newstead H.C.	716 pts
Runner-up Trophy - Riverside	

NORTHERN INTERCLUB ATHLETE OF THE YEAR - FAMILY FARE

Craig Watson	Tamar
Jocelyn Millar	Riverside

NORTHERN ATHLETE OF THE YEAR :

To be announced 5th May 1984

SEASONS TOP POINT SCORERS :

	<u>MEN</u>		<u>WOMEN</u>
SENIOR	: R. Facchin NL 750	SENIOR	: C. Gridley NLW 542
UNDER 16	: A. Donald NL 512	UNDER 16	: J. Sly NWHC 407

BOB SIMMONDS MEMORIAL TROPHY :

Awarded annually to the fastest men's 4 x 400 metre Relay of the season:

N. Launceston - 3.24.2

S. Dixon - J. Hogan - V. Males - R. Facchin

AUSTRALIAN UNDER 16 CHAMPIONSHIPS - PERTH W.A. 14th JANUARY 1984

Northern Athletes in the State Under 16 team were:- L. Larsen (Riv.), C. Morling (Riv.), A. Speers (N.L.), J. Allen (W.S.), A. Clarke (Riv.), S. Clay (Riv.), A. Juhasz (WS), J. Sinclair (Riv.), M. Stephens (NWHC).

Most successful were C. Morling (Riv.) Gold Medal 400 metres and with A. Speers (NL) a Bronze Medal in 4 x 400 m. Relay, J. Allen (WS) Bronze Medal 400 metres.

BRANCH REPORTS :

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N.B.A.A.A.T. INTERCLUB (Cont.)

NORTH v SOUTH v NORTH WEST

Once again the N.B.A.A.A.T. selected a strong team who performed very well. Perhaps more promotion of this event is required or a more appropriate date.

STATE LEAGUE :

16th November (D), 21 January (NAC), 11th February (D),
10th March (NAC).

Although the standards for competition had been reviewed and upgraded and some changes to the Rules of Competition made, it is felt that although in the main this is a top competition there is a lack of interest from most Clubs, particularly the smaller Clubs, maybe some more thought is required as to the format, so as all Clubs can and are willing to involve all their Club members on some sort of equal footing. e.g. 1. 3 Meets - 1 - S.A.A.B., 1 - N.B.A.A.A.T
1 - N.W.A.A.A.T.

2. Handicap to make all Clubs equal.
3. Change in point scoring.

STATE INTERCLUB :

There was good competition from all Clubs once again, but it is felt in most quarters that this Competition should be conducted on its own and not in conjunction with State League, or not at all.

SANDERS NORTHERN PENTATHLON TITLES (Multiple Events) - 18th December 1983

		<u>MEN</u>				<u>WOMEN</u>	
SENIOR	:	No Entries		SENIOR	:	J. Millar	RIV 3748 pts
UNDER 20	:	J. Hogan	NL 2131 pts	UNDER 20	:	Failed to finish	
UNDER 18	:	T. Donald	NL 2677 pts	UNDER 18	:	S. Botak	RIV 2203 pts
		R. Hogan	NL 1276 pts			UNDER 16	:
UNDER 16	:	S. Claxton	T 1986 pts	UNDER 14	:	N. McKercher	NLW 2554 pts
		A. Donald	NL 1902 pts			N. Goodyer	NLW 2419 pts
		L. Larsen	R 1795 pts			S. Digney	NLW 2293 pts
		R. Newman	T 1533 pts				
UNDER 14	:	T. Apted	NL 2136 pts				
UNDER 13	:	C. Quinn	T 1523 pts				

AUSTRALIAN ALL SCHOOLS - 9th, 10th, 11th December - Adelaide S.A. :

Those who represented the North were:- C. Boon, T. Apted, T. Donald, A. Juhasz, K. Larsen, F. Radcliffe, S. Dixon, J. Allen, L. Becker, M. Stephens M.F. Clayton, M. Wegerbauer and J. Castle.

Gold Medalist:- G. Larsen (Shot Put), M. Wegerbauer (Discus)

BRANCH REPORTS :

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TNT 9.N.B.A.A.A.T. CHAMPIONSHIPS - 17th, 18th, 19th February 1984 (NAC)

This season two age groups were added, U/20 and U/15, also for the first time the Titles were held over three days. Although entries were up on last season 812 (742) there were several events that had no entries and a large number of events that had only one or two entrants, this must be looked at.

MEDAL TALLY (including Multiple Events etc. NB. Relays as one Medal)

<u>CLUB</u>	<u>GOLD</u>	<u>MEN</u>			<u>TOTAL</u>
		<u>SILVER</u>	<u>BRONZE</u>		
Riverside	33	18	8	59	
North L'ton	50	45	20	115	
Newstead	9	11	8	27	
Tamar	21	18	15	54	
Western Suburbs	4	3	4	11	
<u>WOMEN</u>					
Riverside	41	12	8	61	
North L'ton	12	20	15	47	
Newstead	31	30	14	75	
Tamar	4	9	7	20	
Western Suburbs	6	2	4	12	

BENDERS REAL ESTATE STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS 26th February, 3rd, 4th, 5th March 1984:

Held in perfect conditions over the four (4) days with the N.B.A.A.A.T. Club dominating in all events overall. Medal tally on Club basis only:-

<u>CLUB</u>	<u>GOLD</u>	<u>SILVER</u>	<u>BRONZE</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
Riverside	64	36	29	129
North L'ton	40	31	30	101
Sandy Bay	28	41	39	108
Eastern Suburbs	13	29	23	65
O.V.A.	15	13	11	39
Tamar	12	13	10	35
NW.H.C.	12	15	13	40
Northern Suburbs	15	6	12	33
Devon	15	5	3	23
Burnie	2	7	6	15
Newstead H.C.	3	4	3	10
Western Suburbs	2	4	2	8
Ulverstone	3	2	2	7

BRANCH REPORTS :

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NORTHERN DECATHLON AND HEPTATHLON 19th, 20th November 1983 :

<u>MEN</u>			<u>WOMEN</u>		
SENIOR	: M. Laurence	T 6113 pts	SENIOR	: J. Millar	R 5261 pts
UNDER 20	: P. Richardson	WS 3857 pts	UNDER 20	: J. Becker	R 2828 pts
UNDER 18	: T. Donald	NL 5628 pts	UNDER 18	: Failed to finish	
UNDER 16	: T. Apted	NL 4465 pts	UNDER 16	: A. Clarke	R 4377 pts
	: A. Donald	NL 3897 pts		: J. Sinclair	R 4029 pts
	: D. Kirkby	NL 3575 pts			
	: A. Bourne	T 3509 pts			

STATE DECATHLON AND HEPTATHLON - 4th, 5th February 1984 :

SENIOR	: No entrants		SENIOR	: J. Millar	R 5425 pts
UNDER 20	: N. Donald	NL 5454 pts	UNDER 20	: J. Becker	R 2766 pts
UNDER 18	: No entrants		UNDER 18	: G. Larsen	R 3911 pts
UNDER 16	: T. Apted	NL 4460 pts	UNDER 16	: M. Hoare	R 3391 pts
	: A. Donald	NL 4447 pts	UNDER 16	: J. Sinclair	R 4265 pts

ROADWALKING REVIVED :

Northern athletics took on a new dimension with the formation in 1983 of the Tamar Valley Amateur Walkers Club and Northern Branch Walks Committee. A full programme of road walks was organised on courses as widespread as Longford, Lilydale and the Batman Bridge, with a total of 19 Northern walkers competing.

As a result of representations made by the Committee, the full range of nationally recognised walk events will now be offered as Tasmanian Titles. This will be a positive factor in encouraging more athletes to compete in walk events in the future.

Northern Championships were held in August at Bridgenorth and Tasmanian All Schools Trials at Legana in July. Following the trials, 5 Northern walkers, Leif, Karl, and Karim Larsen, Leanne Becker and Tania Donald, were named in the Tasmanian team to compete in Canberra. (Karim Larsen later withdrew).

MAJOR RESULTS NORTHERN BRANCH :

1. NORTHERN CHAMPIONSHIPS - BRIDGENORTH - AUGUST 14

SENIOR MEN	20 k.	1. Tony Short	2:10:23.3
SENIOR WOMEN	10 k.	1. Shirley Brasher	1:06:19.8
		2. Lynn Larsen	1:12:51.2
U/18 MEN	8 k.	1. Leif Larsen	50:27
U/18 WOMEN	6 k.	1. Debbie Walters	42:58
		2. Angela Singline	44:46
U/15 MEN	3 k.	1. Karim Larsen	19:24.5

BRANCH REPORTS :

NORTH (Cont.)

ROADWALKING RESULTS CONT.

U/15 WOMEN	3k.	1. Tania Donald	20:13.5
		2. Sally Hogan	22:15.7
		3. Deanna Singline	23:17.7

2. NORTHERN BRANCH RANKINGS :

20 k Men 1. Tony Short 2:10.23.3

10 k Men	1. Karim Larsen	54:32	10 k. Women	1. Shirley Brasher	1:02:57
	2. Leif Larsen	56:51		2. Debbie Walters	1:06:08
	3. Tony Short	57:36		3. Tania Donald	1:06:44
				4. Leanne Becker	1:06:57
				5. Lynn Larsen	1:09:12
				6. Michelle Donald	1:09:17

8 k Men	1. Karl Larsen	44:34.9	6 k. Women	1. Leanne Becker	35:45.9
U/18	2. Karim Larsen	47:43.8	U/18	2. Debbie Walters	38:39.7
	3. Leif Larsen	48:10		3. Michelle Donald	41:06.4
				4. Angela Singline	44:46.0
				5. Sally Hogan	47:16.2
				6. Deanna Singline	51:20.2

8 k Men	1. Leif Larsen	15:30.0	3 k. Women	1. Tania Donald	18:08.0
U/15	2. Karl Larsen	15:41.6	U/15	2. Sally Hogan	19:16.6
	3. Karim Larsen	17:20.9		3. Angela Singline	20:22.8
	4. Adam Short	24:09.0		4. Deanna Singline	22:35.8

Other competitors did not contest events at the distances set down for ranking purposes in their age groups.

3. STATISTICS :

Number of meetings	:	:	20
Average number of competitors	:	:	10
Age groups of competitors Snr.:	:	:	5
		U /20	2
		U /18	4
		U /16	8
State team selections	:	:	5

BRANCH REPORTS :

NORTH (Cont.)

GRADING :

Some confusion was caused by the N.B.A.A.A.T. retaining the standards in the 1982-83 Handbook. This was because Northern Clubs were not happy with some aspects of the Statewide Standards contained in the 1983-84 Handbook. This matter should be resolved before next season and a set of standards which will apply to all Tasmanian Athletes will be in operation.

All in all it was a very successful season particularly for Northern athletes each week upgradings were numerous with the standard of competition high, no doubt the excellent facilities at St. Leonards contribute to this.

During the season many athletes competed out of grade. In some cases it appears as if athletes were picking a grade with only one or two competitors thus ensuring a place and points. To compete out of grade destroys the benefits of the grading system which is designed to let athletes of similar ability compete against each other. Club officials could do much more to ensure that athletes understand how the system works and making sure that members know and understand the rules of interclub.

An instance of this lack of knowledge of the rules was the number of times athletes competed in a higher grade because of a performance at a venue other than Northern Interclub. These performances are not necessarily known to the grading committee, also the appropriate rule applies to Northern Interclub only and then only for placegetters. However, provision is made for athletes to submit other performances and the grading committee can then upgrade if necessary.

Field events were probably the highlight of the season with many outstanding performances especially from some of the younger athletes.

Congratulations to the newcomer on the Interclub scene - Western Suburbs. Its members consistently appeared on the result sheets and for a new club it must have been a satisfactory debut.

EQUIPMENT :

The work of this Committee was some what restricted by the availability of funds.

So far this year the Branch has purchased a new steel measuring tape for measuring State records.

The Committee has carried out maintenance on the Shot Put and Discus circles. It has painted the Shots in different colours for different age groups.

Other equipment purchased was, white tapes for the various sectors.

Finally Clyde Spencer must be thanked for obtaining a windgauge, through the Examiner Pty. Ltd. This piece of equipment has been most beneficial.

BRANCH REPORTS :

NORTH (Cont.)

EQUIPMENT (Cont.)

It is hoped, for the new season, to purchase a safety fence for the discus and hammer throw and also new high jump bags, as the existing ones do not come up to I.A.A.F. specifications.

SOCIAL :

The social committee for 1983-84 only met a few times and for various reasons the attendance was not up to that in past seasons, so this committee did not achieve what was probably expected of it during the year.

It looked at the possibility of conducting one or two functions but found that most Saturday evenings were unsuitable because of the Athletic and Club activities.

Sincere thanks are offered to Mrs. Preece and her helpers for their assistance in arranging the picture evenings which were very enjoyable as well as helping to swell finance considerably during the year.

The presentation of Cross Country Trophies were made at the Memorial Hall in Station Road, St. Leonards and the evening was so well attended that the Hall was not big enough.

Track season Trophies were presented on March 24th at the main St. Leonards Hall which was a successful evening and on May 5th a smorgasboard Dinner will be held at the Albert Hall when the N.B.A.A.A.T. President, Mr. A.W. Gilbertson will be presented with his Life Membership badge. Mr. Tony Walsh (a former long standing member and past President of the Newstead Harrier Club) will receive the Merit Award of the A.A.A.T. and presentations will be made to Northern Athletes of the Year.

SPECIAL MEETINGS :

1. TASMANIAN ALL SCHOOLS CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS

This proved to be one of the best organised events on the Cross Country calendar, the setting was ideal - course, change facilities, hall for afternoon tea and presentation. It is understood that it was the first time at a Cross Country meeting that a fee was charged for admittance.

2. NORTHERN ALL SCHOOLS CHAMPIONSHIPS

Over 130 school children participated. It is felt that late entries must be accepted on the day, the only exception being in events where heats have their full complement.

3. COCA COLA SCHOOLS TRACK AND FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS

Only one problem occurred on the day - the late arrival of stop watches, which occurred because of a misunderstanding of starting times. It is felt that officials should not be charged admittance, as it is believed that people who serve should be rewarded with some remuneration.

BRANCH REPORTS :

NORTH (Cont.)

RECORDS COMMITTEE :

This year the Records Committee processed one hundred and thirty six claims for Northern Best Performances on Record. Initially this proved to be an arduous task because of poor co-operation from some athletes, parents and club officials. Fortunately the majority of those involved were most helpful and the committee was able to settle down to a routine method of checking forms. Whereas it is understood that the claiming of a record should be made as easy as possible, it is also important for athletes and parents to realise that without officials giving their time freely to time, judge and measure, there would be no competition, let alone records.

1983/84 SEASON RANKINGS LISTS

Compiled by Steve Foley

Their performance in brackets near the first and last rankings is the relative figure for last season

<u>MEN'S EVENTS</u>		100 m.		200 m.			
10.68w (10.6)	D. Ashcroft	SB	U18	21.6 (21.8)	D. Ashcroft	SB	U18
10.8	S. Knott	ES	Sr	21.8w	S. Knott	ES	Sr
10.9	P. Williams	ES	Sr	22.1	P. Williams	ES	Sr
11.0	D. Preece	T	Sr	22.2	D. Preece	T	Sr
11.0	M. King	OVA	U18	22.3	V. Males	NL	U20
11.1	S. Morley	ES	Sr	22.4	S. Morley	ES	Sr
11.1	M. Lawrence	T	Sr	22.4	S. Oliver	T	U20
11.1	C. Langley	T	Sr	22.5	C. Langley	T	Sr
11.1	S. Oliver	T	U20	22.5	C. Morling	RIV	U16
11.2 (11.1)	R. Habel	N	Sr	22.6 (23.1)	R. Habel	N	Sr

400 m.		800 m.					
48.9 (48.9)	D. Preece	T	Sr	1.54.3 (1.52.5)	P. Kaufman	OVA	Sr
49.0	D. Ashcroft	SB	U18	1.55.09	A. Barnes	SB	U20
49.7	R. Habel	N	Sr	1.55.6	R. Gillard	NL	Sr
49.85	S. Dixon	NL	U18	1.56.4	G. Ewart	NS	U20
49.9	V. Males	NL	U20	1.57.0	J. McCracken	N	U20
50.0	P. Williams	ES	Sr	1.58.1	R. Foley	NS	Sr
50.1	C. Morling	RIV	U16	1.58.7	D. Solomon	OVA	U20
50.4	D. Parrish	DEV	U18	1.58.8	R. Murray	-	U18
50.6	J. Hogan	NL	U20	1.58.8	D. Parrish	DEV	U18
50.8 (51.1)	R. Whitehead	NL	U20	1.59.1 (1.58.4)	F. Kesseling	SB	Sr

1500 m.		5000 m.					
3.55.9 (3.51.7)	S. Phillips	N	Sr	14.55.8 (14.42.7)	A. Verrier	ES	Sr
3.56.0	P. Kaufman	OVA	Sr	14.56.8	S. Phillips	N	Sr
3.57.01	A. Barnes	SB	U20	14.57.4	L. Webb	ES	Sr
3.57.0	G. Ewart	NS	U20	14.57.8	G. Foley	N	Sr
3.57.6	R. Foley	NS	Sr	15.03.1	K. Rayner	SB	Sr
4.00.4	R. Gillard	NL	Sr	15.10.9	R. Foley	NS	Sr
4.03.0	D. Giblin	SB	U20	15.20.0	D. Giblin	SB	U20
4.03.2	D. Castle	OVA	U18	15.43.3	C. French	SB	U20
4.06.2	D. Solomon	OVA	U20	15.44.2	D. Solomon	OVA	U20
4.06.8 (4.02.8)	W. Seen	NL	Sr	15.45.6 (15.25.8)	P. McGlone	ES	U20

RANKINGS (Cont.)

<u>10,000 m.</u>				<u>3000 m.</u>			
31.14.0	(30.32.0)	R. Foley	NS Sr	8.55.6	D. Castle	OVA	U18
31.15.6		G. Foley	N Sr	8.58.3	P. McGlone	ES	U20
31.23.0		C. Anderson	ES Sr	9.01.2	J. Gibson	DEV	U16
31.29.8		K. Rayner	SB Sr	9.08.2	R. Leerson	NL	U18
31.42.0		L. Webb	ES Sr	9.09.0	G. Bissett	SB	U20
31.50.6		P. Brasher	N Sr	9.11.2	G. Rose	OVA	U18
31.53.4		A. Verrier	ES Sr	9.11.2	M. Dalton	OVA	U18
33.04.0		N. Hyland	OVA Sr	9.14.4	G. Ewart	NS	U20
33.06.0		P. McGlone	ES U20	9.18.6	M. Potter	NS	U18
33.14.0	(33.56.6)	M. Potter	NS U18	9.25.6	B. Gill	T	U16

<u>3000 m. Steeplechase</u>				<u>2000 m. Steeplechase</u>			
8.59.8	(9.23.8)	P. Kaufman	OVA Sr	6.21.7	G. Ewart	NS	U20
9.47.8		W. Seen	NL Sr	6.22.3	A. Henricks	NL	U20
9.55.2		P. Clarke	RIV Sr	6.27.2	M. Potter	NS	U18
10.05.3		R. Delaney	OVA Sr	6.28.5	J. Gibson	DEV	U16
10.08.8		N. Hyland	OVA Sr	6.29.0	D. Bullock	SB	U20
10.10.3		G. Ewart	NS U20	6.31.2	C. Boon	N	U18
10.39.8		P. Crombie	BUR Sr	6.34.0	J. Porter	SB	U20
10.56.8	(11.58.4)	D. Bullock	SB U20	6.34.4	R. Leerson	NL	U16
11.12.0		R. Robertson	VET Sr	6.38.2	M. Lomasney	OVA	U16
11.13.8		J. Porter	SB U20	6.40.8	M. Petterwood	NL	U15

<u>110 m. Hurdles (106.7 cm)</u>				<u>1500 m. Walk</u>			
15.8	(15.9)	R. Facchin	NL U20	6.54.7	Karim Larsen	RIV	U15
16.1		M. Graney	SB Sr	6.56.3	G. Robertson	SB	U15
16.5		D. Singline	N Sr	6.57.2	L. Larsen	RIV	U16
16.7		M. Lawrence	T Sr	7.11.4	Karl Larsen	RIV	U15
17.4		St. Foster	ULV Sr				
18.5		P. Podolak	BUR Sr				
19.2		A. Clayton	N Sr				
19.3	(18.2)	M. Stevenson	NS Sr				

<u>110 m. Hurdles (99 cm)</u>				<u>3000 m. Walk</u>			
16.5		S. Holubnytschyj	NS U18	14.42.8	(14.29.3)	Karl Larsen	RIV U15
16.7		C. Larsen	RIV U20	14.45.0		L. Larsen	RIV U16
17.2		A. Baker	SB U20	14.46.7		G. Robertson	SB U15
18.0		T. Donald	NL U20	14.48.3		D. Moore	NS Sr
				15.12.5		W. Fletcher	NS Sr
				15.52.2	(16.47.7)	Karim Larsen	RIV U15

<u>100 m. Hurdles (91 cm)</u>				<u>5000 m. Walk</u>			
15.5		S. Holubnytschyj	NS U16	25.21.3		D. Moore	NS Sr
16.5		L. Larsen	RIV U16	26.35.8		J. Porter	SB U20
17.6		M. Pettit	NL U16	26.40.8		G. Robertson	SB U15
17.9		B. Knott	ES U18	26.57.8		W. Fletcher	NS Sr
18.1		P. Van der Kraan	SB U18	27.15.6		Karl Larsen	RIV U15
				27.45.4		L. Larsen	RIV U16

RANKINGS (Cont.)

Shot Putt (16 lb)

12.98 (13.48)	C. Larsen	RIV	U20
12.79	M. Lawrence	T	Sr
12.43	D. Huxley	SB	Sr
12.40	C. Watson	T	U18
12.31	I. Murray	NS	Sr
12.04	St. Foster	ULV	Sr
12.01	B. Curtin	NL	Sr
11.16	Sh. Foster	ULV	Sr
10.71	G. Stowards	ES	Sr
10.08(10.02)	K. Young	OVA	Sr

Shot Putt (8 lb)

14.20	D. Richardson	WS	U15
12.95	D. Edmunds	RIV	U15
12.71	T. Apted	NL	U15
12.56	G. Donaghy	NS	U15
12.52	S. Hill	RIV	U15
12.25	M. Hale	SB	U16
12.20	B. Knott	ES	U18
12.19	S. Rintel	DEV	U15
12.08	A. Donald	NL	U15

Discus Throw (1.5 kg)

47.94	C. Watson	T	U18
46.28	C. Larsen	RIV	U19
35.66	S. Leslie	NL	U16
32.10	M. Fleischmann	OVA	U16
30.62	M. Hale	SB	U16
30.44	S. Hill	RIV	U15
30.08	M. Bonney	ULV	U16
30.00	M. Deacon	ULV	U16

Discus Throw (2 kg)

41.92 (42.00)	St. Foster	ULV	Sr
41.76	Sh. Foster	ULV	Sr
41.06	C. Larsen	RIV	U20
38.80	I. Murray	NS	Sr
37.86	M. Lawrence	T	Sr
37.54	D. Huxley	SB	Sr
37.08	K. Henry	ES	Sr
36.30	C. Watson	T	U18
32.22	B. Curtin	NL	Sr
31.96 (31.26)	R. McCafferty	RIV	Sr

Discus Throw (1 kg)

47.42	S. Leslie	NL	U16
43.64	D. Richardson	WS	U15
41.30	M. Fleischmann	OVA	U16
39.74	T. Apted	NL	U15
39.60	M. Hale	SB	U16
37.42	G. Donaghy	NS	U15
36.04	B. Martin	N	U15
35.76	D. Kirkby	NL	U16
35.22	B. Leedham	N	U16
35.08	P. Beechey	T	U16

Javelin Throw (800 g)

66.12 (65.08)	D. Barber	NL	U20
63.86	R. McCafferty	RIV	Sr
55.00	St. Foster	ULV	Sr
54.88	C. Watson	T	U18
53.76	C. Larsen	RIV	U20
52.34	Sh. Foster	ULV	Sr
51.18	D. Coombe	N	Sr
50.66	M. Lawrence	T	Sr
49.50	A. Smith	RIV	U18
47.98 (44.64)	G. Stowards	ES	Sr

Hammer Throw (16 lb)

56.74 (52.90)	D. Huxley	SB	Sr
46.30	A. Clarke	RIV	Sr
39.86	K. Henry	ES	Sr
37.76	C. Watson	T	U18
34.52	L. Scott	OVA	Sr
28.60	W. Fletcher	NS	Sr
26.98	T. Donald	NL	U20
26.98	B. Curtin	NL	Sr
26.50 (23.58)	C. Larsen	RIV	U20

Javelin Thrown (700 g)

55.42	C. Watson	T	U18
48.84	B. Leedham	N	U16
46.78	A. Baker	SB	U20
45.72	T. Apted	NL	U15
44.98	M. Prenter	OVA	U18
43.00	R. Hefford	T	U18
42.72	D. Shaw	SB	
40.92	D. Bullock	SB	U18
40.92	S. Devereaux	ES	U16
40.90	T. Donald	NL	U20

RANKINGS (Cont.)

Hammer Throw (12 lb)

50.82	C. Watson	T	U18
36.10	L. Scott	OVA	Sr
35.52	A. Holyman	T	U20
33.70	W. Fletcher	NS	Sr
33.28	H. Malcolm	NS	Sr

Javelin Throw (600 g)

51.48	T. Apted	NL	U15
42.00	D. Richardson	WS	U15
41.40	G. Donaghy	NS	U16
41.18	A. Juhasz	Riv	U15
40.76	A. Donald	NL	U15
39.18	S. Hill	RIV	U15
38.20	M. Petterwood	NL	U15
37.66	G. Honeyman	ES	U16
37.64	J. Stubbs	DEV	U15

Hammer Throw (10 lb)

48.94	C. Watson	T	U17
37.30	D. Richardson	WS	U15
30.16	R. Van Koolwyk		U17
23.40	M. Donald	NL	U15
23.32	D. Kirkby	NL	U16
21.64	B. Thomas	ES	U15
20.28	A. Donald	NL	U15

4 x 100 m. Relay

43.0 (42.7)	Sandy Bay	Sr
43.53	Tasmania	U20
44.2	Tamar	Sr
44.4	Eastern Suburbs	Sr
44.4	North Launceston	Sr
44.7	North Launceston	U20
45.1	NOrthern Suburbs	Sr
45.2	Newstead	Sr
45.6	Sandy Bay	U18
46.5 (45.4)	Sandy Bay	U16

4 x 400 m. Relay

3.23.4 (3.22.0)	North Launceston	Sr
3.25.6	Tamar	Sr
3.27.3	Sandy Bay	Sr
3.29.2	North Launceston	U20
3.34.2	Eastern Suburbs	Sr
3.34.6	Northern Suburbs	Sr
3.34.7	Riverside	U16
3.35.1	Sandy Bay	U16
3.37.4	Newstead	Sr
3.37.5 (3.40.8)	North Launceston	Sr

RANKINGS (Cont.)

Taking the eighteen events for which there are scoring tables and comparing the points for the best and tenth (or last available), results as follows, with last years in brackets.

	<u>First</u>	<u>Last Year</u>	<u>Tenth</u>	
1. 3000 metres steeple	933 points	(850-11th)	8th 587	(450)
2. 100 metres	932 points	(906-1st)	756	(780)
3. 400 metres Hurdles	906 points	(850-11th)	643	(684)
4. Hammer	894 points	(843-4th)	9th 423	(366)
5. Long Jump	887 points	(857-9th)	646	(671)
200 metres	887 points	(865-6th)	780	(729)
7. 10,000 metres	863 points	(902-2nd)	745	(708)
8. High Jump	875 points	(865-6th)	680	(634)
9. 400 metres	856 points	(856-10th)	770	(788)
10. 1500 metres	852 points	(890-3rd)	761	(793)
11. 800 metres	851 points	(886-4th)	764	(776)
12. 5000 metres	849 points	(878-5th)	744	(784)
13. Javelin	834 points	(822-14th)	605	(556)
14. Triple Jump	768 points	(791-15th)	654	(665)
100 metres Hurdles	768 points	(758-16th)	493	(568)
16. Pole Vault	754 points	(859-8th)	558	(572)
17. Discus	723 points	(728-17th)	518	(502)
18. Shot Put	663 points	(695-18th)	466	(461)
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Average	838 points	839	644	640

Nine events improved on last year, 8 were not as good and one was the same. The ten track events average improved from 864 to 869 with five going up, four down and one stayed the same. The events in which Tasmania was once very strong - middle and long distance were the ones which showed a drop. In field games it was even, four improved and four didn't with an average of 800 down from 807.

Comparing the tenth placing 8 were higher- 3 track and 5 field and 10 lower 7 track and 3 field.

RANKINGS :

WOMEN'S EVENTS :

100 m.

11.9w (11.7)	G. Chick	ES	Sr
12.0	S. Oakley	DEV	Sr
12.0w	L. Lovell	OVA	U16
12.2	J. Millar	RIV	Sr
12.2	M. Perrott	EV	Sr
12.2	D. Eiszle	NS	U16
12.3	G. Millar	IV	Sr
12.3	J. Morrison	NS	U16
12.3	C. Gridley	NL	Sr
12.4	J. Rumney	OVA	U18
12.4	A. Juhasz	RIV	U16
12.4 (12.2)	M. Hardstaff	NL	Sr

200 m.

24.1 (24.0)	S. Oakley	DEV	Sr
24.3	G. Chick	ES	Sr
24.5	L. Lovell	OVA	U16
24.9	J. Morrison	NS	U16
25.0	G. Millar	RIV	Sr
25.1	J. Millar	RIV	Sr
25.1	K. Thompson	SB	U16
25.2	C. Gridley	NL	Sr
25.3	J. Rumney	OVA	U18
25.6	S. Speers	NWH	U20
25.6	M. Hardstaff	NL	Sr
25.6	D. Eiszle	NS	U16
25.6 (25.0)	J. Sinclair	RIV	U16

400 m.

53.54 (53.7)	S. Oakley	DEV	Sr
54.5	G. Millar	RIV	Sr
54.65	S. Speers	NWH	U20
55.1	G. Chick	ES	Sr
55.6	C. Gridley	NL	Sr
56.8	M. Hardstaff	NL	Sr
57.0	K. Thompson	SB	U16
57.2	J. Millar	RIV	Sr
57.6	R. Farrelly	NWH	U18
57.8 (58.2)	J. Morrison	NS	U16

800 m.

2.06.03 (2.10.2)	G. Millar	RIV	Sr
2.07.5	S. Speers	NWH	U20
2.10.03	P. Nicholls	ES	U18
2.13.2	C. Gridley	NL	Sr
2.13.9	A. Waddle	DEV	Sr
2.15.6	J. Allen	NWH	U16
2.16.6	L. Eslake	RIV	Sr
2.17.7	B. O'Byrne	NWH	Sr
2.18.1	C. Butler	BUR	U18
2.18.2 (2.18.7)	S. Oakley	DEV	Sr

1500 m.

4.34.3 (4.34.9)	A. Waddle	DEV	Sr
4.40.6	C. Butler	BUR	U18
4.41.8	P. Nicholls	ES	U18
4.44.5	B. O'Byrne	NWH	Sr
4.49.6	S. Geale	RIV	Sr
4.56.4	S. Clay	NWH	U15
4.56.5	L. Eslake	RIV	Sr
4.57.7	S. Beaton	ES	U15
5.03.5	G. Millar	RIV	Sr
5.04.2 (5.05.5)	M. Bates	BUR	U15

3000 m.

9.52.4 (9.57.6)	A. Waddle	DEV	Sr
10.12.0	B. O'Byrne	NWH	Sr
10.15.2	C. Butler	BUR	U18
10.46.6	S. Geale	RIV	Sr
10.53.0	C. Beveridge	RIV	U16
11.01.6	J. Howard	NWH	U15
11.03.8	K. Chisholm	SB	Sr
11.04.7	S. Solomon	OVA	U18
11.06.0	P. Nicholls	ES	U18
11.14.4 (11.28.1)	S. Beaton	ES	U15

RANKINGS : Cont.

5000 m.

18.10.4	B. O'Byrne	NWH	Sr
19.13.9	K. Chisholm	SB	Sr
19.27.9	T. Fenton	NS	Sr
20.24.2	S. Webb	NWH	Sr
20.26.0	S. Brasher	N	Sr
20.33.0	J. Howard	NWH	U15
20.37.5	S. Gray	BUR	Sr
20.50.0	S. Geale	RIV	Sr
20.58.7	C. Beveridge	RIV	U16

10,000 m.

39.18.8	B. O'Byrne	NWH	Sr
43.23.2	S. Brasher	N	Sr
43.27.3	S. Webb	NWH	Sr

3000 m. Walk

15.57.1 (16.23.0)	L. Becker	RIV	U16
17.08.3	S. Brasher	N	Sr
18.06.6	T. Donald	NL	U15
18.57.8	A. Singline	RIV	Sr
19.28.0 (20.56.9)	D. Walters	T	U18

1500 m. Walk

7.27.0	L. Becker	RIV	U16
8.12.3	S. Brasher	N	Sr
8.20.0	A. Singline	RIV	Sr
8.33.9	T. Donald	NL	U15
8.48.8	B. Walters	T	U15

80 m. Hurdles

13.2	C. Butler	NL	U15
13.8	C. Hickey	OVA	U15
14.0	S. Edwards	SB	U15
14.2	D. Stafford	DEV	U15
14.3	F. D'Abate	NS	U15
14.3	A. Young	OVA	U15
14.4	S. Digney		U15
14.4	N. McKercher	NL	U15
14.5	L. Kiss	OVA	U15

5000 m. Walk

28.22.8	S. Brasher	N	Sr
28.50.6	L. Becker	RIV	U16

100 m. Hurdles

14.35 (14.1)	J. Millar	RIV	Sr
17.0	J. Becker	RIV	U18
17.2	E. Cooley	OVA	U18
17.5	F. Palmer	IND	
17.5	M. Gilbert	NWH	U18
18.1	S. Botak	RIV	U18
18.5	S. Oakley	DEV	Sr
18.5 (18.5)	J. Jarman	DEV	U20

400 m. Hurdles

1.00.43 (60.2)	M. Hardstaff	NL	Sr
1.03.7	J. Allen	WS	U16
1.04.6	J. Sinclair	RIV	U16
1.05.3	H. Birthisel	RIV	U16
1.06.7	A. Rollins	NS	U16
1.07.8	C. Gridley	NL	Sr
1.08.3	S. Clay	RIV	U16
1.10.0 (71.4)	A. Clarke	RIV	U16

90 m. Hurdles (84 cm)

13.9w	J. Sinclair	RIV	U16
13.9w	H. Birthisel	RIV	U16
14.2	A. Rollins	NS	U16
14.7	E. Cooley	OVA	
15.2	C. Hickey	OVA	U15
16.1	A. Smith	DEV	U16
16.7	J. Allen	WS	U16
17.1	J. Chapman	SB	U16
18.1	A. Clarke	RIV	U16

High Jump

1.83 (1.75)	J. Millar	RIV	Sr
1.67	L. Kiss	OVA	U16
1.66	M. Stephens	NWH	U16
1.65	C. Gridley	NL	Sr
1.58	J. Sinclair	RIV	U16
1.57	S. Botak	RIV	U18
1.55	J. Mulcahy	SB	U16
1.54	F. D'Abate	NS	U16
1.54	A. Smith	BUR	U16
1.52 (1.52)	D. Campbell	NWH	U15

RANKINGS : (cont)

Long Jump

5.96w (58.8)	J. Millar	RIV	Sr
5.18	A. Clarke	RIV	U16
5.18	L. Lovell	OVA	U16
5.16	G. Dalton	SB	Sr
5.12	A. Juhasz	RIV	U16
5.11	S. Oakley	DEV	Sr
5.05	A. Smith	BUR	U16
5.04	G. Millar	RIV	Sr
5.03	M. Perrott	DEV	Sr
5.00 (5.07)	F. Steele	SB	U15

Javelin Throw (600 g)

37.90 (47.30)	G. Larsen	RIV	U18
37.28	M. Clayton	NL	U18
37.10	A. Clarke	RIV	U16
35.76	M. Hoare	RIV	U18
35.50	M. Wegerbauer	RIV	U20
35.50	J. Millar	RIV	Sr
35.28	K. Gregory	ES	U16
32.60	L. Larsen	RIV	Sr
29.98	G. Prenter	RIV	U15
29.96 (33.46)	T. Philpott	RIV	U15

Shot Putt (4 kg)

12.99 (12.20)	G. Larsen	RIV	U18
11.61	C. Hardstaff	NL	Sr
11.09	M. Wegerbauer	RIV	U20
10.70	J. Millar	RIV	Sr
9.82	A. Clarke	RIV	U16
9.76	M. Clayton	NL	U18
9.22	S. Botak	RIV	U18
9.18	J. Philpott	RIV	U18
9.06	L. Larsen	RIV	Sr
9.05 (9.37)	K. Gregory	ES	U16

4 x 100 m. Relay

46.66 (48.6)	Tasmania	Sr
48.2	Riverside	Sr
49.46	Tasmania	U18
49.5	Newstead WH	Sr
50.1	North Launceston	Sr
50.6	Eastern Suburbs	Sr
50.6	O.V.A.	U16
51.0	Newstead WH	U18
51.2	Sandy Bay	U16
51.3 (50.5)	Riverside	U16

Shot Putt (6 lb)

11.15	K. Gregory	ES	U16
11.00	A. Smith	BUR	U16
10.32	T. Philpott	RIV	U16
10.04	N. Goodyer	NL	U16
10.03	J. Latham	OVA	U16
9.99	J. Sinclair	RIV	U16
9.66	S. Dabner	BUR	U15
9.52	R. Dodd	ES	U15
9.37	K. Hughes	ES	U15
9.18	J. Bassett	WS	U15

4 x 400 m. Relay

3.38.69 (3.52.0)	Tasmania	Sr
3.49.84	Tasmania	U18
3.53.3	Riverside	Sr
3.58.8	Eastern Suburbs	Sr
4.05.0	North Launceston	Sr
4.05.7	Riverside	U16
4.06.0	Sandy Bay	U16
4.10.1	Newstead WH	U18
4.14.6	Eastern Suburbs	U18
4.17.2 (4.13.7)	Newstead WH	U16

Discus Throw (1 kg)

42.00 (43.16)	M. Wegerbauer	RIV	U20
37.90	G. Larsen	RIV	U18
35.54	K. Gregory	ES	U16
34.98	C. Hardstaff	NL	Sr
33.48	M. Clayton	NL	U18
31.94	E. Marshall	BUR	U18
27.76	L. Larsen	RIV	Sr
27.58	J. Sly	NWH	U15
26.52	L. Lavell	ULV	U18
26.46 (28.68)	J. Sinclair	RIV	U16

RANKINGS :

Comparing the first and tenth performances in the events for which there are scoring tables, each event scored as follows, with last years best score place and points in brackets afterwards:-

	<u>First</u>	<u>Last year's</u>	<u>Tenth</u>
1. High Jump	1059 points	(983-2nd)	748 (748)
2. 400 metres	1007 points	(995-1st)	848 (834)
3. 800 metres	986 points	(923-6th)	813 (806)
4. 400 metres Hurdles	944 points	(947-4th)	8th 684 (653)
5. 200 metres	928 points	(938-5th)	795 (846)
6. Long Jump	897 points	(880-7th)	677 (846)
7. 100 metres	890 points	(934-5th)	786 (827)
8. 1500 metres	868 points	(864-9th)	663 (655)
9. 3000 metres	845 points	(827-11th)	599 (563)
10. 100 metres Hurdles	841 points	(853-10th)	8th 440 (440)
11. Shot Put	779 points	(731-13th)	523 (546)
12. Discus	773 points	(790-12th)	469 (517)
13. Javelin	749 points	(875-8th)	598 (659)
Average	889 points	(887)	665 (676)

Comparing points for first, the eight track events averaged 913, an improvement of 2, on last year whilst the five field games average was 851 the same as last year, seven events improved and six dropped.

The tenth place figures showed that there was not the same depth as last year with the average dropping 11 points, 5 events were better, six worse and two remained the same. None of the field games improved.

So according to the scoring tables Jocelyn Millar's High Jump of 1.85 metres was the season's best performance.

Top and bottom events for the past 10 years (3 for women) are listed below.

<u>MEN</u>	<u>FIRST</u>	<u>EIGHTEENTH</u>	<u>AVERAGE</u>
1974-75	10,000 m. 976	Shot 656	818
1975-76	800 m. 951	Hammer 646	837
1976-77	1,500 m. 984	Shot 671	845
1977-78	10,000 m. 984	Shot 663	857
1978-79	5,000 m. 971	Hammer 635	836
1979-80	5,000 m. 947	Hammer 635	845
1980-81	Hammer 954	Shot 725	855
1981-82	Long Jump 972	Shot 748	861
1982-83	100 metres 906	Hammer 366	839
1983-84	3,000 m. Steeple 933	Shot 663	838

<u>WOMEN</u>	<u>FIRST</u>	<u>EIGHTEENTH</u>	<u>AVERAGE</u>
1981-82	400 m. 988	Discus 646	866
1982-83	400 m. 995	Shot 731	887
1983-84	High Jump 1059	Javelin 749	889

AMATEUR ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION OF TASMANIA

NO. 2 ACCOUNT

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS & PAYMENTS - 30th APRIL 1984

RECEIPTS

Airfares - State Team, Officials	32,959.90		
General	<u>2,156.20</u>	35,116.10	
Fund Raising		4,209.15	
Travel Subsidy - Tasmanian Government		3,689.00	
Accommodation		4,017.40	
Interest - Bank	68.06		
Investment	<u>1,356.81</u>	1,424.87	
Olympic Fund Run		3,505.92	
Sale - Medallions		211.50	
Sundries		7.00	
Contras		<u>300.00</u>	52,480.94

LESS PAYMENTS

Airfares - State Team, Officials	39,742.55		
General	<u>1,746.40</u>	41,488.95	
Fund Raising Expenses		1,451.25	
Accommodation		4,168.20	
Transfer Tasmanian Team Fund A/c		561.80	
Australian Championships Entry Fees		90.00	
Transfer Investment		339.51	
Bank Charges		32.00	
Roof - D.A.C.		1,545.00	
Olympic Fund Run		2,859.00	
Contras		<u>300.00</u>	52,835.71
Excess of Payments over Receipts			354.77
Balance Brought Forward 1.5.1983			<u>1,441.12</u>
Balance Carried Forward			<u>\$1,086.35</u>

Australian Bonds - W.J. Gerlach Bequest \$21,000.00
Campus Credit Union - 1 year Fund Deposit 3,000.00
Campus Credit Union at call 811.78

N.J. RUDDOCK,
HON. TREASURER

I have examined the books of the A.A.A. of Tasmania No. 2 Account and in my opinion, the above statement shows the true position, according to the books and information made available to me.

C.A. Blanton,
AUDITOR.

AMATEUR ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION OF TASMANIA

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS & PAYMENTS - 30th APRIL 1984

<u>1982/83</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>RECEIPTS</u>		
3,848	5,550	Registration Fees		6,492.50
65	65	Affiliation Fees		60.00
2,466	4,900	Levies		4,900.00
378	300	Publications		283.50
73	75	Interest		242.03
123	100	Registration Cards		69.05
		Tasmanian Championships:-		
284	200	Cross Country	481.00	
111		Schools C.C. & Walks	171.50	
975	900	Schools T. & F.	853.85	
1,633		T. & F. Entries	1,797.00	
2,333	4,000	Gate Takings	<u>2,447.65</u>	<u>4,244.65</u>
				5,751.00
		Interstate & Intra state Meetings:		
954	900	Statewide League	1,568.00	
570	500	Triangular	614.00	
582	500	Coca Cola Twilight	152.50	
3,923		Refund Expenses - 1982 Aust.		
		Schools T. & F.	1,981.39	
1,861		Refund Expenses - 1982 Aust.		
		C.C.C.	1,846.29	
		Admin. Fee - 1982 Aust. C.C.C.	<u>200.00</u>	<u>6,362.18</u>
830	900	Handbooks - Advertising	730.00	
668	650	Sales	<u>754.00</u>	<u>1,484.00</u>
1,719	1,000	Sale of Uniforms & Equipment:-		
		Track Suits	2,158.40	
		Others	<u>214.35</u>	<u>2,372.75</u>
4,800	4,000	Sponsorship		4,230.00
510		Lapel Badges		66.00
		Australian Championships - Entry Fee		460.00
		Olympic Fund Raffle		270.10
50		Hire of Pavilion		
10,000		D.A.C. Roof		
75		Sale of Equipment		
356		Contra		<u>220.00</u>
<u>39,187</u>				<u>\$33,263.11</u>

<u>1982/83</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>PAYMENTS</u>		
30	100	Affiliation Fees		35.00
2,016		Registration Fees - 1/2 1982/83	1,528.50	
	4,500	1/2 1983/84	<u>2,340.00</u>	3,868.50
539	400	Publications		355.50
229	300	Printing & Stationery		404.83
87	100	Engraving		100.44
267	300	Postage		311.04
510	550	Telephone		650.90
1,740	1,800	Handbooks		1,990.20
1,854	1,000	Uniforms:- Track Suits	2,308.00	
		Others	<u>707.68</u>	3,015.68
		Certificates		200.40
		Tasmanian Championships:-		
1,492	1,600	Schools Track & Field	818.20	
102		Schools Cross Country		
		Marathon	90.00	
1,152	1,200	Track & Field	1714.28	
2,348	2,600	Medallions	<u>2150.60</u>	4,773.08
		Interstate, Intra state Meetings:-		
774	1,500	Statewide League	1,056.25	
284	300	Triangular	159.15	
825	800	Coca Cola Twilight	664.15	
3,019		1982 Aust. Schools T. & F.		
3,158		1982 Aust. C.C.C.		1,879.55
289	200	Insurances		426.17
50	50	Audit Fee		55.00
90		Floral Tributes		102.50
		Entry Fees - Aust. Championships		490.00
16		Bank Charges		61.40
38	200	Repairs - D.A.C.		97.51
592	700	Registration Numbers		623.00
740	800	Delegates Travel		446.29
1,386	1,500	Travel Subsidies: Managers	1,506.00	
2,603	2,700	Teams	<u>2,700.00</u>	4,206.00
		Seminar Expenses		383.85
		Coaching Director Expenses		100.00
100		Donation A.O.F.		320.00
		Transfer Investment		6,500.00
1,200	1,200	Honoraria		1,200.00
1,121		Badges		
10,000		Roof - D.A.C.		
265		Sundries		15.00
356		Contra		<u>220.00</u>
<u>39,249</u>				<u>\$32,821.84</u>

Excess of Receipts over Payments	441.27
Balance Brought Forward 1/5/83	63.03
Balance Carried Forward	<u>504.30</u>

Campus Credit Union at call \$1,864.78
Perpetual Trustees & National Ex. 5,000.00

N. J. RUDDOCK,
HON. TREASURER

I have examined the books of the A.A.A. of Tasmania, and, in my opinion, the above statement shows the true position according to the books and the information available to me.

C. A. BLANTON,
AUDITOR

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