# CANTERBURY – BANKSTOWN DISTRICT RUGBY LEAGUE REFEREES' ASSOCIATION Inc.



99<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL REPORT & FINANCIAL STATEMENT SEASON 2020



# **Notice of Meeting**

## 99th Annual General Meeting

# Thursday 18th February 2021

The Annual General Meeting of the Association will be held at Canterbury League Club, 26 Bridge Rd, Belmore on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> February 2021 commencing at 7:45pm. A cordial invitation is extended to all members to attend.

#### **Order of Business**

- 1. Minutes of previous Annual General Meeting
- 2. Correspondance
- 3. Consideration of the Hon. Secretary's Annual Report
- 4. Consideration of the Hon. Treasurer's Report and Balance Sheet
- 5. Hon. Auditor's Report
- 6. Election of Office Bearers
- 7. Notice of Motion
- 8. Committee Report
- 9. General Business

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# PATRON'S REPORT Mrs. Lynne Anderson

It is with much pride as a Patron of the Association that I am able to again offer my congratulations to all involved for coming through an extremely difficult 2020 season, where COVID-19 impacted the lives of everyone, with sport bearing a major brunt of the disruption.

Having seen the dedication and hard work that goes into becoming a referee at any level, I am always extremely proud of the continued excellence within the Association and the high benchmark that is set.

The ability to provide top line officials is crucial at any level and something that I am very familiar with in my role as CEO of Paralympics Australia.

To be able to provide that pathway for young, aspiring officials is crucial to the future of any sport, as is the ability to create role models and mentors for those coming through the system.

The Canterbury-Bankstown District Rugby League Referees' Association has long shown itself to be a leader in this area and an organisation that takes great pride in its history and standards.

I have no doubt that those coming through the system are in good hands and I would like to wish everyone all the best for the 2021 season in the hope that normality will return soon to allow our young men and women the chance to again shine on the sporting field.

Lynne Anderson CBRA Patron

#### **PATRON'S REPORT**



Mr. Andrew Hill

In what has been a tremendously challenging year both on and off the sporting field due to COVID, junior sport has felt the disappointment of not being able to provide the opportunities to play that every young boy and girl looks forward to every week.

Regarding next season and a hope that everything will get back close to normality, it is crucial that we attract and foster the interest of future generations to aspire to be like their heroes on the field. Part of that process is providing support to all participants, of which referees are absolutely vital.

It is a tough job at times, with everyone having an opinion on each decision, but it is crucial that we make sure that there is continued respect and appreciation for referees at all levels. This relies on education from a young age. To play the game in the right spirit and respect the referee's decision is paramount. We want to create a clear pathway for youngsters to see officiating as a future career and that starts at the local level. One of the things that is a priority for the Bulldogs is to work hard to make our local junior league as strong as possible and to try and create the pathway for talented youngsters to achieve their dreams at both a playing and officiating level.

To that end I'd like to congratulate everyone involved with the Association on getting through an extremely difficult year and to wish you the very best with what we believe will be an exciting 2021 season.

#ProudtobeaBulldog
Andrew Hill
Chief Executive Officer
CBRA Patron

#### **PATRON'S REPORT**



Mr. George Coorey

I trust that you enjoyed Christmas and New Year festive seasons and that 2021 is filled with health and prosperity.

There is no doubt that 2020 has been a most challenging year for rugby league, the registered club movement and life in general. With the Covid-19 pandemic forcing the closure of Canterbury League Club for seventy days and the cancellation of most rugby league competitions for the year, it is a testament to the dedication and resolve of the CBDRLRA and the entire rugby league community that the game continues to prosper and thrive.

I congratulate the Association on the excellent work that they have been doing for almost 100 years now. The great game of rugby league would not exist without the service of competent and qualified referees and the Association is instrumental in ensuring the continued strength of the game in our local area

Personally, I am honoured to have been a Patron of the Association in 2020 and am pleased to confirm that Canterbury League Club has re-committed our support as the Major Sponsor of the CBDRLRA for 2021.

George Coorey
Director – Canterbury League Club
CBRA Patron

#### PRESIDENT'S FOREWORD



Mr. Paul Archer

Season 2020 was not what we expected when we conducted our AGM in February, we were looking forward to a successful 99<sup>th</sup> year of operations. The year started with our country coming to grips with the worst bush fire season in decades, the Association donated \$1500 to the South Coast Bushfire appeal with funds from the Leo Randle Trust. However, in March we realised that 2020 would be challenging and little did we realise that our country and the world would face a pandemic, not seen for a century. Our lives were changed, football season suspended and at one stage we doubted that we would have junior football at all in 2020. Borders closed, restrictions on social gatherings, working from home and the numerous loss of jobs. Australia was most fortunate that we closed our international borders early and thanks to the good work of our health officials and governments this lessened the impact of COVID-19 but still too many lives were lost.

As a Committee we were required to make many difficult decisions, our general meetings, training, and social events were suspended, we introduced weekly video sessions on rulings in an endeavour to maintain a connection with our active base. The Committee conducted regular meetings via Zoom to ensure that we were up to date with the COVID-19 requirements. Eventually, our Junior League was able to conduct a reduced season and we acknowledge the hard work of the Junior League and our local district clubs for their efforts in getting community football up and running with COVID-19 protocols in place, a wonderful achievement.

Although community football was restricted, we still had numerous members receive grand final appointments with Ramzi Daizli and Mariam Rifaie appointed to the two highest grades, well done.

As an Association we had to develop a COVID Safe Plan to enable training to commence and late in the year we were able to conduct several general meetings. Due to the reduced season, the Committee made the difficult decision not to present our annual awards with the exception of the Leo Randle Award, which was presented to Gavin Beecroft, a just reward for Gavin's tremendous contribution in many roles but in particular as our Treasurer in recent years.

At our AGM I had the honour of announcing that Ian Butler would receive Life Membership and long-term member Peter Longhurst would be represented with his Life Membership. Also, the members endorsed a Committee recommendation that Honorary Membership for Life be presented to Yvette and Paul Hassarati for their strong support to our Association.

We were able to a conduct these presentations at a function in October with 80 members in attendance at Menangle Park Country Club, a terrific venue.

As members are aware, we are fortunate to have some wonderful sponsors, Canterbury League Club, DeVel, Bankstown RSL, Soneta Plumbing, Cleanrite and Menangle Park. Due to the financial strain on some of our sponsors our funding was reduced in 2020 but financial assistance was provided from the Leo Randle Trust to enable the Association to conduct our affairs unaffected.

I thank our sponsors for their support as well as the assistance provided by the NSWRL, NSWRLRA and the Bulldogs Football Club. As members would be aware the Chair of the Football Club and one of our Patrons, Lynne Anderson resigned her position in October. We offer our appreciation to Lynne for her support and friendship over

the past few years and wish her best wishes in the future. Following Lynne's departure our friend and Director of the Football Club, John Khoury was appointed Chairman. On behalf of all members, I offer our congratulations on this appointment and we look forward to continuing our strong ties.

On the NRL front they were able to finalise a disrupted season and Chair, Peter V'Landys and his team should be congratulated on the leadership they have shown. Life Member, Adam Gee again refereed all season in first grade and continued to impress with his performances. Our other graded members, Nathan Loveday, Jim Oliveira, and Jack Bird had limited opportunities due to COVID-19 affecting the lower grades.

Unfortunately, in October Ray Payne, Life Member, and a member in excess of 50 years passed away. Ray will long be remembered for his famous wit and of course his contribution to CBRA in various roles and his tips at our annual Trot night! RIP Ray.

Season 2020 will long be remembered as a season to be forgotten, but to me it displayed what CBRA stands for, the efforts of our active members was outstanding. For many reasons, a number of active members did not participate on the field in 2020. But those that did refereed long hours at multiple grounds each weekend, a true indication of their dedication to the clubs and players in our junior competition but also a reflection on their character and passion for our wonderful Association. These efforts did not go unnoticed and makes me so proud to lead such an inspiring group of members. This is what makes CBRA the Association that stands above the rest!

I offer my appreciation to all office bearers for their contributions in 2020, in particular our Secretary Daniel Gardner. Daniel's efforts in producing the Anzac Day video was inspirational. He toiled away in a difficult year developing our COVID Safe Plan as well as ensuring the

overall smooth running of the administration of the Association. I look forward to Daniel occupying this role in the years ahead.

As members are aware, 2021 marks our Centenary year. This year has seen much hard work put in by the Centenary Committee, our history book has been finalised and is a magnificent publication. Plans are finalised for our Gala Centenary Dinner on 23<sup>rd</sup> January and what an event it should be. Our Centenary year will be an opportunity to reflect on our heritage but also to look at our pathway, an exciting time for us all. Many thanks to the members of the Centenary Committee for their contributions to ensure a successful 2021.

Finally, our 99<sup>th</sup> year will long be remembered due to the COVID-19 virus but let's take the positive approach. It proved to me what we as an Association stands for - integrity, service, and friendship! I could not fulfil my role as your President without the love and support of my wife Kim, she inspires me each day!

Paul Archer

**President** 



President Paul Archer with 2020 Honorary Member for Life Mrs Yvette Hassarati

# **PATRONS 2020**



**George Coorey** 



**Andrew Hill** 



Lynne Anderson

# **OFFICE BEARERS 2020**



PRESIDENT
Paul Archer





HON. SECRETARY

Daniel Gardner



VICE PRESIDENT

Nathan Loveday



HON. TREASURER

Gavin Beecroft



ASSISTANT SECRETARY
Aaron McAndrew



COMMITTEE MEMBER
Adam Gee



SOCIAL SECRETARY
Kim Archer



COMMITTEE MEMBER
Anthony Harb

#### **DELEGATES**

#### **NSWRLRA**

Jack Bird Ramzi Daizli (Deputy)

#### **CBDJRL**

John Maarbani Aaron McGeoch (Deputy)

#### **SUB-COMMITTEES**

#### **SOCIAL COMMITTEE**

Nathan Mairleitner Kane Thorburn Matthew Gomes

#### **GEAR COMMITTEE**

Kane Thorburn Mariam Rifaie Matthew Gomes

#### TRAINING CO-ORDINATOR

David Abood

#### **SOCIAL MEDIA MANAGERS**

Meleck Lababidi & Mariam Rifaie

#### WELFARE OFFICERS

Lionel Brown Barry Belford

#### **APPEALS PANEL**

Barry Ruttle George Elias David Abood Wayne Loveday Richard Daizli

#### **DIRECTOR OF REFEREES**

Director: Richard Daizli Assistants: Daniel Gardner, Nathan Loveday

#### **ADVISORY BOARD**

KEFEKEES

Paul Archer, David Abood, George Elias, Lionel Brown, Adam Gee, Warren Gee, Wayne Loveday, Barry Ruttle

#### **AUDITORS**

Ian Butler & John Maarbani

# HON. SECRETARY'S REPORT Mr. Daniel Gardner

Mr Chairman and Members,

Well.... what a year!! Social distancing, hand sanitiser and face masks are the new normal, and life looks hugely different now to what it was 12 months ago. I recall speaking about the battles we faced with the bushfires that tore through our Country in last season's Annual Report. I don't think anyone was prepared for what 2020 had in store.

2020 certainly knocked us around a fair bit, but in true Canterbury fashion, we are still standing and on track for a wonderful 2021 – celebrating 100 years as an Association!

Season 2020 got underway with our AGM, once again held at the home of our Major Sponsor, Canterbury League Club, on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> February 2020

Paul Archer was elected unopposed as President for his 5<sup>th</sup> consecutive season, and 18<sup>th</sup> overall. If there was ever a year our Association needed strong leadership, it was 2020 and Paul once again led us through the toughest of seasons admirably!

The members elected Andrew Hill, Lynne Anderson and George Coorey as Patrons for the 2020 season. All three gratefully accepted the role and were a great support to the Association throughout 2020. Unfortunately, both George and Lynne stepped down from their roles as Chairman of the Leagues Club and Chair of the Football Club, respectively, throughout the season. We wish them both well for their future endeavours.

The Committee welcomed Aaron McAndrew back on to the Committee after a one-year hiatus in 2019. Aaron occupied the role of Assistant Secretary this season. Adam Gee and Anthony Harb were elected to the General Committee via a ballot and all other positions from 2019 remained unchanged. I would like to thank Peter Chayna for his efforts during his time on the Committee as both

Assistant Secretary and a General Committee member. Peter was a healthy contributor to the Committee during his tenure, thanks Peter!

#### **Sponsorship**

Canterbury League Club was the Association's major sponsor once again for 2020 taking our partnership to 24 years. Canterbury League Club continue to be a wonderful supporter of our Association, and we thank Chairman Paul Dunn and the entire Board and staff for their assistance throughout what was a difficult season for all.

We enjoyed the support of Club Menangle once again throughout 2020. I thank Bruce Christison and the team at Club Menangle for their hospitality for our Pre-Centenary Dinner, held at the wonderful Menangle Country Club. The service was first class, and the venue was amazing! Club Menangle also assisted with the printing of this Annual Report, a great help to this Association.

DeVel Pty Ltd entered their second season as 'shorts sponsor' of our Association, and we thank Geoff Dib and the team for all their support!

A massive thank you to Buddy and Nancy Semrani, who were on board again this season with their company CLEANRITE Sydney.

Our relationship with Bankstown RSL continues to grow, and we thank Scott Dickson, Andrew Bailey and the team at Bankstown RSL for their continued support. We look forward to this relationship blossoming in the years to come!

At the end of the season, it was exciting to announce our new 'sleeve sponsor', SONETA Plumbing and Civil. SONETA Plumbing and Civil have been sponsors of the Association for a few seasons, and we thank Steve Dib for stepping up and agreeing to be our 'sleeve sponsor'. SONETA Plumbing and Civil will proudly adorn either sleeve of our new centenary season jersey – to be revealed at the Centenary Gala Dinner in January!

As we head into our 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, the support we have received from our Centenary Sponsors **Canterbury League Club**, **Devel Pty Ltd**, **Bankstown RSL**, **Soneta Plumbing & Civil**, **Cleanrite Sydney and Club Menangle** has been nothing short of amazing. The funds contributed has allowed us to ensure our

Centenary Gala Dinner will be a truly memorable event, and we cannot wait to host our Centenary Sponsors and representatives on the night.

#### **Junior League**

Wayne Oxford was once again elected as President of the Junior League, with John Grealy taking over as General Manager for his first season. I commend the Junior League, and in particular John, Wayne and Annmaree Poole for their efforts in what was a most difficult year. There were stages during the early part of the year where a season looked a longshot, so to get through a 10-round competition with Grand Finals was a great way to finish the year.

Thanks to all clubs and their Executives for their support of our referees throughout the season. Over the past few years, incidents involving abuse of referees has decreased significantly in our Junior League, and I commend the Junior League clubs for taking a pro-active stance in this area.

As everyone would be aware, the world is ever changing due to COVID-19, and it is difficult to predict the landscape we will be facing when next season comes around, but we hope things are back to a sense of normality and we look forward to once again working with the Junior League to ensure a high-quality competition.

#### **Membership & Meetings**

This year the Association held 6 meetings, including the AGM and the average attendance was 33. Whilst our average attendance was down on previous years, I think it's remarkable we still had an average of 30+ at meetings given the season was so affected by COVID. Whilst we had to cancel many Association activities during lockdown, it was great to recommence meetings, albeit under strict COVID-19 guidelines.

During the height of the lockdown, the country was in a strict lockdown and it was a challenging time for many people. I would like to thank Brad Zarb who assisted me in running weekly Zoom Video Sessions for our members. We as an Association felt it was important to keep in touch with our members, especially with so much uncertainty surrounding whether we would have a season up and running again in 2020. Brad spent many hours creating KAHOOT Quiz's for our members, and it was great to see a variety of members joining the call each week to keep the football mind ticking over!

This season saw us welcome 2 new members to CBRA. Garth Mitchell joined us from Auckland Referees, and has fit in well. Garth visited Canterbury as part of our Auckland Exchange in 2019 and after spending a weekend with Anthony Harb has not looked back! We also welcomed Justin Tarchichi at our final General Meeting for the year, we look forward to having Justin on board next season.

#### **Training & Development**

This season saw Dave Abood take over as our Training Coordinator.

Dave brought a fresh approach to the sessions, and from the feedback I have received from active members, training was most enjoyable throughout the season.

Numbers were encouraging at the start of the season, but post the COVID-19 shut down, numbers were pretty disappointing, and it is something the Committee will look at in the off season.

I thank Dave for his efforts and encourage more active members to attend training when possible. Dave has 250+ games of experience as an NRL Touch Judge and his knowledge is second to none when it comes to the laws of the game. For those wanting to go the next step in their refereeing, our Association has all the tools to assist but you must apply yourself by attending training and meetings.

#### **Awards**

Unfortunately, due to the effect COVID-19 had on our season, the Committee felt that the only award that could be presented and be judged fairly on its merits was the 'Leo Randle Award'. Therefore, all other Association awards were not awarded in Season 2020.

Congratulations to Gavin Beecroft who was the recipient of the 'Leo Randle Award' for Season 2020. Gavin's commitment to the Association has been outstanding, and he still is actively involved on our Executive as Treasurer, a position he has held for 9 seasons. Congratulations Gavin!

#### **Grade – NRL/NSWRL**

Adam Gee was once again a regular in NRL this season and held his position throughout the year. The NRL reverted to one referee for the first time since 2008 and an announcement was made in late 2020 that this format will remain for the 2021 NRL Season. We wish Adam all the best for the 2021 season!

Jimmy Oliveira and Nathan Loveday were joined in the Graded ranks by Jack Bird in 2020. Although COVID-19 also wreaked havoc on the NSWRL season, all 3 members officiated regularly throughout the season. We look forward to seeing their progression next season with more competitions being on offer.

Thanks to NSWRLRA for their support throughout Season 2020, in particular Chairman Peter Filmer, Executive Officer Greg McCallum and Directors Matthew Hewitt and Steve Clapson.

Talks are still ongoing regarding the merger of NSWRLRA and CRLRA, with further news expected in 2021.

I would like to congratulate Daniel Luttringer from the NSWRL Graded Squad who came up with the 'NSWRLRA Life Member Series' initiative. If anyone has not seen these videos, I encourage you to watch them!

Daniel sits down (via Zoom) with NSWRL Life Members and goes through their careers, highlights and just general stories and memories from years gone by. It is truly a wonderful initiative by Daniel and the NSWRLRA. All videos can be found on the NSW Referees Facebook Page.

The following Life Members have featured in these videos:

- Series 01 Episode 14: Barry Bolton
- Series 01 Episode 16: Col Turnell
- Series 01 Episode 17: Peter Ryan
- Series 02 Episode 03: Bob Garwood
- Series 02 Episode 05: Peter Longhurst

#### Vale

Season 2020 unfortunately did not go by without loss.

In October we received the sad news of the passing of Life Member Ray Payne. Ray joined our Association in 1968, becoming a Life Member in 1983.

Ray was heavily involved in our Association for many seasons and was a regular at our Annual Functions including the Trots Night and Life Member's Function up until a few years ago.

We pass on our condolences to Ray's wife Janet and the entire Payne family.

Unfortunately, in early January Pamela Loveday passed away. Pamela - Wayne Loveday's mother, Nathan Loveday's Grandmother, passed away peacefully surrounded by her loved ones.

Both Wayne and Nathan are respected members of our Association and we send our deepest condolences to the Loveday family.

To any member who experienced a loss of a loved one throughout 2020, our thoughts are with you also

#### Social

As we prepared for Season 2020, big plans were made for a calendar full of Social Events leading into our Centenary Season. Unfortunately, like everything else, COVID-19 ensured many of these events could not go ahead.

Whilst it was disappointing to have to cancel our Annual Blue & White Cabaret, we were extremely thankful to be able to hold a 'Pre-Centenary Dinner' on Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> October. The night was a great success and the first time for what felt like forever we were able to have a room full of members to celebrate another season.

Congratulations to Ian Butler who was presented with his Life Membership on the night, as well as Peter Longhurst who was re-presented with his Life Membership for his continued service to the Association, and as previously mentioned, Gavin Beecroft who was the well-deserving recipient of the Leo Randle Award.

I would also like to congratulate Paul and Yvette Hassarati, who were bestowed with Honorary Membership for Life at our Pre-Centenary Dinner. Paul and Yvette were long term sleeve sponsors and have been wonderful friends to our Association for many years. Following a recommendation from the floor for the Committee to discuss, it was a unanimous decision to award both Paul and Yvette with this honour.

Our Social Secretary Kim Archer, along with the Social Committee have been working extremely hard preparing for our Centenary Gala Dinner, and on behalf of the members I thank Kim for all her efforts in what was a tough season!

#### General

This season saw Ramzi Daizli joined in the Junior Rep Squad by Stephanie Penteado and Mariam Rifaie.

Joseph Tesoriero and Aaron McGeoch both stepped down due to other commitments, and Jack Bird was elevated into the Graded Squad.

Ramzi made his debut as a Harold Matthews Referee this season, and Mariam and Stephanie were running touch lines throughout the early part of the season. Unfortunately, COVID-19 forced the cancellation of the Junior Rep season prematurely. We wish all 3 squad members the best for Season 2021.

Our Association was advised during the off season that Matthew Gomes and Jabril Daizli had both been invited to trial for the Junior Rep Squad and we wish them all the best in hopefully gaining selection into the squad.

With border closures due to COVID-19, our Annual Exchanges could not go ahead this season. We are hopeful that these exchanges will be able to proceed again in 2021, with preliminary discussions already being had with both Auckland and Gold Coast Referees.

This Season was my 5<sup>th</sup> year as Secretary, and by far the most challenging. What I think people missed most during the height of the lockdown was the little things we often take for granted, such as catching up with friends for a BBQ, visiting family interstate or overseas, playing a round of golf or just simply going to a café for a coffee. All these things (and more) we considered a normality, were suddenly gone within an instant.

I know many people experienced great loss throughout the pandemic, and my thoughts are with them as we continue to manoeuvre our way through the challenges COVID-19 thrusts upon us.

What was pleasing was seeing our members stick together during this tough time. Being able to communicate on social media, hold weekly zoom sessions to catch up with members and just check in just showed how tight we are as an Association.

My proudest achievement was the Anzac Day video we released across our Social Media Platforms with the help of a handful of members. ANZAC Day is such a special day on our calendar every year, and many members would usually be attending dawn services, attending the ANZAC Day March, or heading down to their local for some 2UP and watching the mighty Roosters give it to the Dragons! None of that was possible this season, so to be able to still commemorate ANZAC Day was quite special to me. I hope members enjoyed the video.

Whilst this season was challenging, it is still extremely rewarding to fulfil the role of Secretary of this wonderful Association. The support of all members continues to amaze me, and I cannot wait to see our Association celebrate 100 years in style in 2021!

As we approach our Gala Centenary Dinner, I look forward to the release of our Centenary Book — '100 Years of Canterbury-Bankstown Referees'. I was lucky enough to be on the History component of the Centenary Committee with Col Turnell and David Abood. I would like to congratulate David on the outstanding job he has done with the book. The time and effort that went into researching the history of our Association was extensive to say the least, and I know how hard Dave worked to ensure the book truly was something special. David — you should be extremely proud of your efforts. It is a piece of memorabilia that will be treasured for years to come!

My thanks to the Committee for their support again throughout 2020, in particular, our President Paul Archer.

In my opening comments, I mentioned that if there was ever a season that needed strong leadership, it was this year. We as an Association are incredibly lucky to have Paul Archer as President. For someone who has battled some health issues throughout the year, the effort and commitment he continues to show to this Association is truly inspiring. Paul has an aura that is difficult to explain, but the respect he has from not only our Association, but members within the wider Rugby League fraternity cannot be measured. Paul always put's our Association first and we are in great hands with him as our President.

It is a pleasure to work alongside Paul and I look forward to what is ahead.

Thank you to all members for your support throughout Season 2020, and as we close the chapter on this season, I hope everyone is looking forward to what is in store for 2021.

It is going to be an exciting season, which we will be kicking off with our Centenary Gala Day Dinner on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> January.

I look forward to catching up with members at our Centenary Gala Dinner prior to our Annual General Meeting in February.

Daniel Gardner

**CBDRLRA** 

Hon. Secretary



Ramzi Daizli – Harold Matthews Debut Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> March 2020

#### SOCIAL SECRETARY'S REPORT

Mrs. Kim Archer

#### Social Committee: Kane Thorburn, Nathan Mairleitner & Matthew Gomes

At the commencement of the year, we had scheduled our traditional functions including the Blue and White Cabaret, Life Member's Lunch and Christmas get together. Also, we planned to have our Annual Trot Night and Sunday Feasts.

However, due to COVID-19 all these functions were cancelled. The General Committee decided to attempt to conduct some form of function late in the year to enable our important presentations to be undertaken.

Therefore, in October we planned a Pre-Centenary Dinner, initially to be held at our Major Sponsor, Canterbury League CLub but at the last minute a change in venue was required and we relocated to the Menangle Park Country Club.

We decided to arrange a bus to transport those members who wished not to drive and more than 20 took advantage of that opportunity. A total of 80 guests attended the function, which proved a great success.

Life Membership was presented to Ian Butler, a representation of Life Membership blazer to Peter Longhurst and Gavin Beecroft received the Leo Randle Award. All these members have made significant contributions to our Association and deserve this recognition.

Further, Honorary Membership for Life was presented to Yvette and Paul Hassarati for their lengthy support of CBDRLRA.

The Pre-Centenary dinner was heavily subsidised by the Association and I offer the thanks of all members to the Committee for this initiative.

Also, many thanks to the staff of the Country Club who assisted at short notice to accommodate our requirements. I am sure all who attended would agree it was a first-class venue.

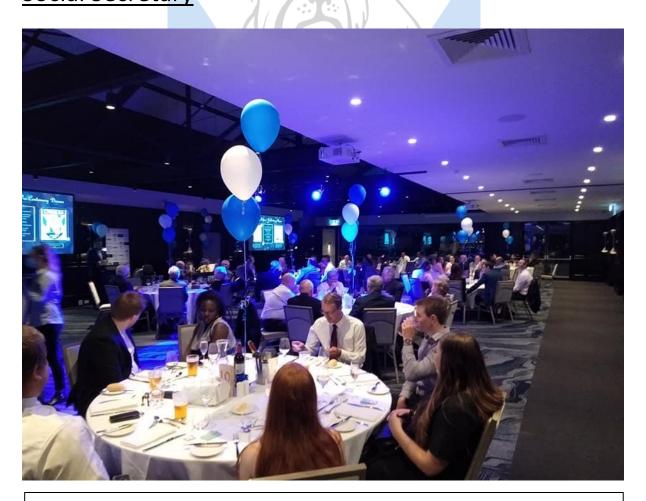
Although it was a quiet year for the Social Committee, my role as a member of the Centenary Committee has kept me busy. Several meetings with our venue, the William Inglis Hotel, booking entertainment, arranging gifts for guests has taken many hours of planning. I appreciate the support of my Social Committee and fellow members of the Centenary Committee for their input and support.

COVID-19 had a significant impact on our social calendar in Season 2020 but in 2021, we will ensure that it is a wonderful social year to reflect the Association's achievements over 100 years and celebrate in true CBDRLRA fashion!

Thanks to all members for your support, again I have enjoyed my role.

Kim Archer

# **Social Secretary**



Members and guests at our Pre-Centenary Dinner at Menangle Country Club

# **SPONSOR IN FOCUS**

# MAJOR SPONSOR – Canterbury League Club

2020 was the 25<sup>th</sup> consecutive season having Canterbury League Club as a proud sponsor of our Association.

As Major Sponsor, Canterbury League Club have been an integral part of our Association, allowing our functions to be held at their club/s, as well as offering funding which has been extremely beneficial for our active member base.

We know that COVID-19 affected every facet of society, especially clubs and the hospitality industry. Whilst Canterbury, like all clubs was forced to close it's doors for months at the height of the pandemic, we are glad to see them returning back to a sense of normality.

We enjoyed holding our meetings at the club again throughout 2020, and thank Sandra and the events staff for all their efforts.

To Chairman Paul Dunn and the entire Board, we thank you for your support again in 2020, and look forward to celebrating our Centenary in style with Canterbury League Club as our 'Major Sponsor'.

Canterbury League Club offers a wide range of facilities for their members and guests and more information is available at <a href="https://www.canterbury.com.au">www.canterbury.com.au</a>



#### **DIRECTOR OF REFEREE'S REPORT**



Mr. Richard Daizli

In 2020, the Director's role oversaw all grades, and I was ably assisted by Nathan Loveday and Daniel Gardner. I would like to thank both Nathan and Daniel for their assistance in what was a difficult year and credit to all referees who sacrificed their time to ensure the season was completed.

Unfortunately, we were not able to match the number of assessments completed in previous years due to restrictions with COVID-19 and hopefully if normality prevails in 2021, we can resume assessing all referees. We have a healthy number of referees now capable of refereeing senior grades and they will need to be watched to ensure they are progressing at an acceptable level.

Due to the late start to the competition, there was only 10 weeks of footy and overall, our referees performed strongly and especially during the final's series. Congratulations to those members who ran during the finals and did Grand Finals, as well as those who achieved their first taste of senior football.

Once again, our resources were stretched on Saturdays, but I would like to thank all referees who sacrificed their time to cover most appointments. Several referees had to travel between grounds as well as spending long hours to ensure matches were completed. There were also multiple weeks where additional games were held on Wednesdays, so I would like to thank those that gave up their time to cover these games. The only concern is that there were several injuries and this needs to be reviewed if workloads continue to be heavy.

A number of referees were promoted to higher grades to prepare them for development opportunities in the coming years. This ensures we as an association are supportive of the pathways system that has been created by the league in developing referees. Better commitment to training will ensure they are ready to take the next step.

It was pleasing to hear that Matthew Gomes and Jabril Daizli have been invited to train with the Development Squad. Hopefully they both trial well and are

part of the squad long term. Both have excelled since they joined the association, with strong commitment to training and matches and deserve their opportunity. There are always opportunities for those willing to do the hard work so if you have ambition to progress through the ranks, it is up to you to put the effort in. Senior members will always be there to help guide and support you on your journey.

Unfortunately, due to the shortened season, there were no major awards this year for on field performance but congratulations to Ramzi Daizli for officiating in the 16s Gold Boys Grand Final and Mariam Rifaie in the 18 Girls Grand Final.

Thank you to the Executive Board for their support during the year. Also special thanks to the Junior League and the District Club for their support throughout the year.

Enjoy the festive season, stay safe, maintain good hygiene, train hard and set your goals for 2021. Ensure you read the Laws of the Game and work hard to fulfill your goals.

#### Richard Daizli

#### **Director of Referees**



Ruling Sessions during 2020 – socially distanced via Zoom!



#### LEO RANDLE TRUST REPORT

Mr. Paul Archer

#### **Current Trustees:**

Paul Archer (Chair)

Nathan Loveday, Daniel Gardner, Peter Longhurst, Warren Gee

The pandemic which confronted Australia and the world in 2020 had both a health and financial burden, millions of lives lost, millions more ill and the finances of all countries impacted. In Australia we were more fortunate than most, as an island we isolated early which reduced the health impact. The Governments acted quickly on both the health front and economically to assist to lessen the burden on its citizens.

The funds of the Trust were affected but not to any major degree and we are still in a sound position, thanks to a sensible investment strategy recommended by our advisor, lan Butler and endorsed by the Trustees.

Mid-year the General Committee requested funding due to the impact on the Association's revenue stream and the Trustees following obtaining legal advice granted a request for \$10,000 for development and administrative support.

Therefore, during 2020 the following funds have been withdrawn from the Trust:

DATE AMOUNT		DESCRIPTION		
27 <sup>th</sup> February 2020	\$1954.45	CBRA – Annual Storage Rental Facility		
19 <sup>th</sup> March 2020	\$1500.00	South Coast Bushfire Appeal		
22 <sup>nd</sup> March 2020	\$908.99	CBRA – New Laptop		
26 <sup>th</sup> March 2020	\$1240.00	ASIC – Annual Fees		
17 <sup>th</sup> April 2020	\$825.00	Walker Wayland – Professional services		
15 <sup>th</sup> July 2020	\$10,000.00	CBRA – Development and Administration		
15 <sup>th</sup> July 2020	\$10,000.00	CBRA – Printing of Association History Book		
15 <sup>th</sup> July 2020	\$110.00	ASIC – Registration Fee		

A total of **\$26,538.44** was utilised from Trust funds in 2020 which included a one-off payment of the costs incurred in printing our Centenary history publication.

I offer my appreciation to my fellow Trustees and to Ian Butler for his valued assistance.

Paul Archer

# **Leo Randle Trust**





The 2020 Annual General Meeting – prior to the COVID-19 shutdown

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#### **NSWRLRA GRADE SQUAD REPORT**

Mr. Nathan Loveday

What a year it has been, extremely grateful to get some footy in although it was a vastly different set up for the season. With the Grade Squad basically split into 2 lots, a Monday group, and a Wednesday group.

This year was great fun with the addition of an extra pre-season, what's better than 1 pre-season they say? 2! With the Season kicking off and 2 referees across multiple games it saw several referees given their Canterbury Cup debut in the pocket. Daniel Luttringer, Tom Cambourn & Clayton Wills whilst Martin Jones & Cameron Paddy debuting in the Head Ref role.

Then we took a few weeks hiatus before returning with limited competitions, the Canterbury Cup & Jersey Flegg was removed whilst Presidents Cup took over from the Ron Massey Cup with teams from far and wide being entered in. This was a fresh new look and allowed officials to travel both to the far west of the state and down south which was enjoyable for all.

Outside of this the split training was at times frustrating with the normal comradery and banter missing throughout the group. Although the sessions were still enjoyable you miss out on the whole squad engagement and discussions which at times can hamper development and enjoyment.

At the time of reading this we will be already back into pre-season training for 2021, hopefully all can go well, and the planning can take place with multiple competitions. We have just heard Canterbury Cup will be going ahead which is great to know moving forward.

#### Retirements

In the short time we have had off there has been a couple of retirements announced. A big thank you to Damian Briscoe, Joel Mani and Joseph Eid who have all announced their retirements in the off season. Many games and years' service to the squad and they will be missed moving forward.

#### **NSWRLRA Grand Final Officials 2020**

#### **Presidents Cup**

REFEREE	TOUCH JUDGE	TOUCH JUDGE	IN GOAL	IN GOAL
Keiron Irons	Ben Teague	John Woods	Jake Sutherland	Daniel Luttringer

#### **Sydney Shield**

REFEREE	TOUCH JUDGE	TOUCH JUDGE	IN GOAL	IN GOAL
Cameron Paddy	Mitchell Stone	Cameron Mitchell	Damian Brady	Clayton Wills

#### Harvey Norman Women's Premiership

REFEREE	TOUCH JUDGE	TOUCH JUDGE	IG ASSIST	IG ASSIST
Kara-Lee Nolan	Cameron Turner	Dillan Wells	Luke Saldern	Paul Eden

Nathan Loveday

#### **NSWRLRA #1004**



Graded Members Jimmy Oliveira and Jack Bird during Season 2020

#### <u>Life Membership Record 2020 – Ian Butler</u>

#### Membership

• Date Joined: 22<sup>nd</sup> March 1999

#### **Meetings**

• Total Meetings Attended: 247 meetings

• Attendance Percentage: 88.5%

#### **Sub-Committees**

Leo Randle Finance Committee: 2005-2015

#### **Other Positions**

Auditor: 2003-Present



Life Member #87 – Ian Butler with wife Jo at the 2020 Pre-Centenary Dinner

# **SPONSOR IN FOCUS**

**CENTENARY SPONSOR – Cleanrite Sydney** 

Cleanrite Sydney joined our Association in 2018 as a Centenary Sponsor

Cleanrite Sydney have been in the cleaning business for over 12 years, having obtained some large businesses to their fast-growing clientele base including the likes of

- Anytime Fitness
- Vision X-Ray Group
- Various Councils

We thank Cleanrite Sydney for their continued support of our Association and in particular their outstanding support of our Centenary Season!



**Buddy Semrani from Cleanrite Sydney** 

# TRAINING REPORT Mr David Abood

By the time you get to this report, you will probably be over hearing people say that it has been a strange season. So, let's not say that, and go with the fact that it has been a very short season. As a result, the training program has been of limited benefit in terms of developing squad fitness.

With the season suspended soon after the AGM, pre-season was not commenced from a training perspective, meaning the opportunity for building into a program was absent. As a result, when the resumption occurred, a good attendance rolled up for the return to training, but the baseline was significantly below where it should have been by July. The initial session was used to demonstrate the proposed nature of training for the remainder of the year – all drills and exercises would be of a nature that would allow each person to control their input and make the sessions as challenging as each individual wanted it to be.

Attendances were good for the first few sessions, but with limited availability, we could do without losses of weeks to weather and malfunctioning lights. Numbers subsequently dropped off over the final weeks, which was somewhat disappointing. However, those that attended in this period did obviously benefit from doing so – and your commitment will not be forgotten as we head into the next year.

Looking forward to next season, I believe that despite having done so numerous times in recent years, the association again needs to review how training is managed, and probably needs to consider some radical approaches to this issue.

Congratulations to all the members who put in the effort, not just from a training perspective, but from the point of all the games that were covered under difficult circumstances.

Thanks to Daniel and Richard for their assistance over the course of the season – it was greatly appreciated.

I hope all members and their families have a wonderful holiday season, and I look forward to seeing you all back raring to go in 2021.

David Abood

#### **Training Co-ordinator**



All smiles at a training session during 2020!

#### **NRL SQUAD REPORT**



Mr. Adam Gee

I believe the phrase of the year was, 'these are unprecedented times'.

The NRL was no different to the rest of the world in having to adapt to the world-wide pandemic of COVID-19.

The ARLC, Led by Peter V'Landys, CEO Andrew Abdo and the Apollo Committee that was formed had many decisions to be made and tireless hours of work to keep the NRL and the 2020 season alive. They did a remarkable job, however, when changes are made, there is always a flow on effect that people or groups need to adapt to. The NRL Referees were no different.

We began the season under the two- referee model, round 2 saw no crowds at grounds which at ANZ stadium felt very strange as everyone's voices seamed to echo through the ground. The season was then suspended after round 2 due to the pandemic. This led to uncertainty for everyone involved within the NRL. Over the approximate 6 week layoff the squad remained diligent with individual training and contact via WhatsApp groups of certain physical challenges or sessions we could test each other with. At the back end of the 6 week period we were placed into a Biosecurity bubble and a second preseason of approximately 4 weeks to learn and adapt to new rules and a one referee model.

The re-introduction of the one referee model had a big impact on the squad, obviously spots in first grade were reduced, opportunities were diminished, and we lost the use of our casual match officials due to the bubble, placing a higher demand on the 22 full-time Referees to fulfill all roles per week. Our training and load monitoring were changed to suit the current situation and we got on with the season. The new minimised crowds of cardboard cut-outs didn't provide any verbal abuse us referees are used to!

The Biosecurity bubble and border restrictions throughout the season had an impact on the squad, however, some more than others due to family members and children living in different states or overseas throughout the pandemic and not knowing when they would be able to see loved ones. That being said, everyone understood others throughout Australia and the world were in worse situations than what we were going through.

The modification of some rules and especially the six again rule saw some free-flowing entertaining football, which I am sure most fans warmed to. The game was sped up and stoppages were minimised. Although it has been a strange year and season of NRL, I believe everyone made the most of what we had and hopefully helped contribute to an entertaining spectacle for all Rugby League fans.

Let's hope 2021 is much smoother, COVID free and no Biosecurity bubbles. It would be nice to be able to attend a CBRA meeting again and see everyone!

Adam Gee

#### NRL Squad Member #108



Adam Gee refereed the first ever NRL match played without a crowd due to the COVID-19 pandemic

#### HON. TREASURERS REPORT

Mr. Gavín Beecroft

It is with pleasure that, I submit the 2020 financial accounts to members for financial year ending 31 October 2020.

I report the overall result for the 12 months to 31 October 2020 was an increase in equity of \$5,718.99.

A fair result, but this by no means was a good year, with the COVID-19 pandemic impacting the league season and Associations finances.

Despite posting a surplus of equity of \$5,718.99, which appears strong on the surface, we need to be mindful that we received a contribution from Leo Randle Trust of \$22,863.44 to assist the Association with operations during 2020. We are extremely lucky to have the LRT Trust to provide the Association much needed funds, particularly during difficult times. Without the support of the LR trust, our finances would have been greatly impacted.

Income from sponsorship was down during season 2020, which is understandable. Our sponsors are also businesses and many of their own trading was also impacted. What was evident was that all our sponsors are committed to assisting CBRA where possible and into the future. Our sponsors are truly part of the CBRA family.

Grants from NSWRLRA were not offered to CBRA during 2020. Given the overall concerning financial position of the NRL, has doubt filtered down into the NSWRL ranks, is it unclear what will happen to these Grants into the future, NSWRLRA is likely to have their own funding pressures into the future.

Understandably, expenses were also down, with several functions being cancelled during 2020, due to COVID-19, but we were grateful to hold a pre centenary dinner in early October. This was good for the Association members to come together and witness the presentation of Life Membership to Ian Butler. Ian has been one of the auditors to these financial accounts for many years, Well done Ian.

We are grateful of the continued support we receive from our sponsors, all our sponsors committed what they could during 2020 in a tough economic environment and all have committed their support into Season 2021.

As we look through the figures for 2020, our financial surplus was enhanced up by a once off contribution from our Centenary Sponsors – Soneta Plumbing and Devel. The Dib family are now truly part of the CBRA Family, and we look forward having them on board for many years into the future.

I would like to acknowledge & thank the following for their financial contribution during 2020:

- Canterbury League Club
- Devel Pty Ltd
- Cleanrite Sydney
- Bankstown RSL
- Soneta Plumbing & Civil
- Club Menangle

#### Some notes regarding our financial reports:

**Centenary Fund** – During 2020, we received \$10,000 in Centenary Sponsorship and Centenary expenses of **\$19,815.83** for the Centenary Function in 2021. The Centenary Fund balance is currently **\$50,130.15.11** as of 31<sup>st</sup> October 2020.

Our Centenary sponsors, Devel, Cleanrite, Bankstown RSL, have contributed to our Centenary Fund. On behalf of the members, we thank them for their support.

I have segregated the Centenary Funds from the Associations General Funds.

Centenary funds are made of cash in the current St George Term Deposit and St George Business Saver account.

The General Association funds made up from St George transaction account and CBA cheque account. I also advise all interest earned throughout the year from all accounts has allocated to the Centenary Fund.

The balance of Centenary Fund & General Funds is shown on the next page:

Additional Information as of 31st October 2020		
Cash - General Fund & Funds Allocated Towards Centenary Fund		
General Fund	15,685.88	
Centenary Fund	50,130.15	
Total	65,816.03	

Now for general comments from the year that was. Season 2020 was like no other experienced by our members for obvious reasons. The beginning of the season was wiped out, with a delayed start in mid-July, the season was very condensed, finishing the last week of September.

With the issues we faced during 2020, there are two members that I wish to acknowledge for their outstanding efforts during 2020. But before I pay my acknowledgement to the two individual members, I would like to congratulate all active members of their efforts during season 2020. What the active membership did during 2020 was pure class.

Firstly, to our Honorary Secretary, Daniel Gardner. Dan did a great job keeping all members updated with a wealth of information during the season, particularly during the height of the pandemic. His communications and use of social media to members was of outstanding standard.

But the highlight for mine, was during the month of April, with the Country basically in full lockdown, ANZAC day marches and commemorative services being cancelled. The social media presentation of ANZAC DAY prepared by the CBRA Secretary was totally outstanding. Well done.

The second member I would like to acknowledge is Kane Thorburn. Kane's efforts during the year and commitment shown during 2020 was outstanding.

CBRA had many games to cover in what was a condensed season. Having done member match fees during 2020, it did not go unnoticed, that Kane, would often travel between 3, 4 or even 5 venues during the weekend, to ensure all games where covered as much as possible by CBRA. Well done Kane.

In closing, I am looking forward seeing us all celebrate our Centenary in 2021, should be a cracker.

Gavin Beecroft

### Hon. Treasurer

#### Canterbury Bankstown District Rugby League Referees Assoc.

#### **Profit and Loss Statement**

#### For the 12 months ending 31 October 2020

	2019		2020	% of Income
Income	\$		\$	
Affiliation Fees	490.00		714.00	1.82%
Fines	4.00		4.00	0.01%
Gear Sales	3,814.56		399.00	1.01%
Leo Randle Trust Distribution	500.00		22,863.44	58.13%
Grants	9,700.00		0.00	0.00%
Member Fees	1,914.76		1,599.94	4.07%
Camp Fees	0.00		0.00	0.00%
Lotto Fund Raising	1,412.00		1,626.00	4.13%
Raffles Fund Raising	240.20		16.00	0.04%
Refunds	0.00		148.00	0.38%
Social Fee Subscriptions	5,962.76		1,963.65	4.99%
Sponsorship	9,750.00		0.00	0.00%
Centenary Sponsorship	20,650.00		10,000.00	25.42%
Centenary Fund Raising	0.00		0.00	0.00%
Total Income	54,438.28		39,334.03	100.00%
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Expense				
Advertising	128.47		0.00	0.00%
Bank Service Charges	120.00		120.00	0.35%
Blazers	700.00		700.00	2.01%
Storage Fees	0.00		1,954.45	5.62%
Coaching & Development				0.00%
Camp	1,617.85	//	0.00	0.00%
Coaching	200.00		0.00	0.00%
Training	517.82		0.00	0.00%
Seminar	305.00		0.00	0.00%
Communication Gear Servicing	460.00		0.00	0.00%
Exchange Program	2,939.02		0.00	0.00%
Total Coaching & Development	6,039.69		0.00	0.00%
Communication Fees				
Internet	343.49		127.48	0.37%
Total Communication Fees	343.49		127.48	0.37%
Depreciation Expense	2,596.10		2,639.65	7.59%
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Filing Fees Flowers	0.00		0.00	0.00% 0.00%
Gear Purchases	10,668.90		312.40	0.90%
Gifts and Donations	0.00		100.00	0.90%
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Centenary Expenses				
Centenary Function	8,000.00		17,028.93	49.00%
Centenary Function Gifts	0.00		1,274.40	3.67%
Centenary Function Entertainment	0.00		1,512.50	4.35%
Total Centenary Expenses	8,000.00		19,815.83	57.01%
				0.00%

Honorarium	1,730.00	640.00	1.84%
Webmaster	200.00	0.00	0.00%
Computer Costs	0.00	111.75	0.32%
Postage, Printing & Stationery	0.00	21.50	0.06%
Social Activities			
Blue & White Cabaret	5,255.35	0.00	0.00%
Christmas Gathering	1,100.35	1,485.73	4.27%
Pre-Centenary Dinner	0.00	5,604.96	16.13%
Entertainment General	1,296.60	548.50	1.58%
Trot Night	627.00	0.00	0.00%
Leo Randle Meeting	888.40	0.00	0.00%
Gala Day	154.40	39.90	0.11%
Indoor Sports Day	197.20	0.00	0.00%
Life Members Reunion	5,156.50	0.00	0.00%
Meeting Costs	932.09	509.00	1.46%
Total Social Activities	15,607.89	8,188.09	23.56%
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Trophies & Engraving	475.10	0.00	0.00%
Miscellanies	241.22	24.90	0.07%
Jersey Framing	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Total Expense	46,897.04	34,756.05	100.00%
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Net Ordinary Income/ (Loss)	7,541.24	4,577.98	
Other Income/Expense			
Interest Income	0.00	0.00	
Interest Income Centenary Fund	893.53	1,141.01	
Total Other Income	893.53	1,141.01	
Net Other Income	893.53	1,141.01	
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Net Income	8,434.77	5,718.99	



General Meeting's returned on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> July 2020, under strict **COVID Safe protocols** 

#### **Canterbury Bankstown District Rugby League Referees Assoc.**

## **Balance Sheet**

For the 12 months ending 31 October 2020

	2019	2020
ASSETS	\$	\$
Current Assets:		
Current/Savings		
CBA Trading Account	676.34	731.34
St George Bank Transaction	7 570 07	4405454
Account	7,570.07	14,954.54
St George Bank Business Saver	15,805.11 32,000.00	17,002.09 33,128.06
Centenary Ten Term Deposit	56,051.52	•
Total Current/Savings	36,031.32	65,816.03
Other Current Assets:		
Accounts Receivable	9,500.00	0.00
Total Other Current Assets	9,500.00	0.00
Total Other Current Assets	9,500.00	0.00
Total current assets	65,551.52	65,816.03
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Fixed assets:		
Equipment		
Original Cost	8,993.01	7,435.04
Depreciation	-2,596.10	-2,639.65
Total Equipment	6,396.91	4,795.39
Total Fixed Assets	6,396.91	4,795.39
TOTAL ASSESTS	71,948.43	70,611.42
LIABILITIES		
Current liabilities:		
Other Current Liabilities	7.050.00	0.00
Accruals Total Other Current Liabilities	7,056.00	0.00
Total Other Current Liabilities	7,056.00	0.00
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Total Current Liabilities	7,050.00	0.00
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NET ASSETS	64,892.43	70,611.42
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TOTAL EQUITY	64,892.43	70,611.42
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## **SPONSOR IN FOCUS**

## **SHORTS SPONSOR – DeVel Pty Ltd**

"Devel – The type of exceptional craftsmanship others strive for!"

Devel are committed to providing amazing service. When dealing with DeVel you are covered by their 6-point guarantee:

- √ 10 year structural integrity guaranteed
- ✓ Unbeatable DeVel peace of mind
- ✓ Fixed, competitive prices
- ✓ Advocates of effective communication
- ✓ Build with minimal disruption
- ✓ All work is fully licensed and fully insured

We thank Geoff Dib and the team at DeVel for their generous support of our Centenary, and our Association as a whole!

For more on the outstanding services offered by DeVel or for a free quote, simply visit <a href="https://www.devel.com.au">www.devel.com.au</a>



Geoff Dib from DeVel with wife Micheline

## **SPONSOR IN FOCUS**

## **CENTENARY SPONSOR – Soneta Plumbing**

SONETA Plumbing and Civil was built on their culture and team values

SONETA are big believers in project managing the job from start to finish. From design and construct, to CC projects, SONETA get involved and coordinate the design to suit the architect with a forward movement to meet deadlines

SONETA are the ones to call for any residential, commercial or civil plumbing needs!

SONETA are wonderful supporters of the community, corporate partners of the Penrith Panthers, as well as our Association.

We thank Steve Dib and the team from SONETA for their continued support

For further information on the wonderful services SONETA have to offer, please visit www.soneta.com.au



Member #855 Nathan Mairleitner with Steve Dib from Soneta Plumbing and Civil

## <u>Life Membership Re-Presentation - Peter Longhurst</u>

## Membership

Date Joined: 3 <sup>rd</sup> April 1968	<b>Total Meetings: 240</b>	Attendance %: 31.9%
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#### **Awards**

Leo Randle Award	2007
Leo Randie Award	2007

#### **Sub Committees**

Social Committee	1976,1977	
Golf Committee	1986, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2004	
Leo Randle Finance Committee	2005 - Present	

## **Other Positions**

Auditor	1976-78, 1980-81, 1984, 1988-2007	
NSWRLA Delegate	1974	
Appointments/Advisory Board	1975, 1976	

## **Grade Notes**

<b>Graded:</b> 1975-76, 1978	NSWRLRA Treasurer: 1984-85
NSWRLA Life Member: 1986	First Grade Touch Judge: 130 games
Touch Judge Tooth Cup Final: 1981	Touch Judge KB Cup Final: 1983



Peter Longhurst being re-presented Life Membership by fellow Life

Member and long-time friend Colin Turnell

## Membership & Meeting Attendances Season 2020

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Mitchell HOFFMAN 0 Stephanie PENTEADO 1 Hilton WOOD	0
Sam ISSA 2 Mariam RIFAIE 2	
Glenn JEFFCOAT 1 Christopher RIZOGLOU 1	
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Ray PAYNE* 0 Joseph TESORIERO 0	
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Peter RYAN 0 Gary TOWNER 0	
Michael THOMPSON 0	
Colin TURNELL 2	
David TURVEY 0	
Peter WALLACE 0	
Brad ZARB 0	
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*Passed away 18/10/20	

## Committee Meeting & Attendances 2020

(1st Jan 20 to 31st Dec 20) Total Meetings: 5

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President	Paul Archer	5
Vice President	Nathan Loveday	5
Hon. Secretary	Daniel Gardner	5
Hon. Treasurer	Gavin Beecroft	5
<b>Assistant Secretary</b>	Aaron McAndrew	3
<b>Social Secretary</b>	Kim Archer	5
<b>Committee Member</b>	Adam Gee	5
<b>Committee Member</b>	Anthony Harb	4
<b>Committee Member</b>	Peter Chayna*	1
	* 2019 Committee Member	

## Positions Held by Members - Other Bodies 2020

### **NSWRLRA Inc.**

Matthew Hewitt - Director of Finance

#### NRL Match Official

Adam Gee

## **NSWRLRA Grade Squad**

- Jimmy Oliveira
- Nathan Loveday
  - Jack Bird

## **NSWRLRA Junior Rep Squad**

- Ramzi Daizli
- Mariam Rifaie
- Stephanie Penteado

## **SPONSOR IN FOCUS**

## **SPONSOR – Club Menangle**

For 20+ seasons, NSW Harness Racing has generously assisted our Association with printing of our Annual Reports and Social Calendars, of which we are extremely grateful.

Club Menangle has made its mark on the Australian harness racing scene. As a venue, the new Club Menangle is far more than just a racetrack, it is an institution, founded by distinguished pioneers for your entertainment and enjoyment.

Club Menangle is the most prestigious and longest-running harness racing club in Australia, founded in 1902, with the first race meeting conducted in 1906

We were lucky enough to experience the first-class facilities on offer at Menangle Country Club, as we held our Pre-Centenary Dinner at the venue. And what a success it was! Great venue and even better service.

For more information on the wonderful facilities provided by NSW Harness racing, in particular TABCORP Park Menangle, please visit www.clubmenangle.com.au



The exciting new facilities now on offer at Menangle Country Club

## **SPONSOR IN FOCUS**

## FLAG SPONSOR – Bankstown RSL

Bankstown RSL continued as Flag and Centenary Sponsors in 2020, and we thank them for their continued support as we head into our exciting Centenary Season!

Opening in January 2019, the newly renovated BANKSTOWN RSL represents Sydney's newest, state-of-the-art hospitality location. With facilities and car parking extending over four floors, the club will only get better with a 250 room Mercure Hotel in store for Stage 2 of Construction.

We thank CEO Scott Dickson, Marketing Coordinator Andrew Bailey and all their staff for all their support throughout 2020.

Whilst we didn't award our 'Bankstown RSL Touch Judge of the Year' this season due to COVID, we look forward to seeing this award back in 2021!

All members are encouraged to join Bankstown RSL and support the club as we look to build on our relationship heading into our Centenary celebrations.

For further information on Bankstown RSL, please visit their website: www.bankstownrsl.com.au



**BANKSTOWN RSL sponsored touch judge flags** 

## **HONOUR ROLL**

## **HONORARY MEMBERS FOR LIFE**

- S. G. Garland OAM (Deceased)
- Keith Lotty
- Victor Pitt (Deceased)
- Garry Hughes
- Peter Winchester
- Yvette Hassarati
- Paul Hassarati

## **HONORARY MEMBERS SEASON 2020**

•	Paul Hassarati		Arthur Coorey
•	Yvette Hassarati	•	Steve Mortimer
•	Bruce Christison	• (4)	John Ballesty
•	Steve Dib	•	Buddy Semrani
•	Geoff Dib	1922	Dr. George Peponis
•	John Khoury	•	Steve Price
•	Greg Pickering		

## **ALL LIFE MEMBERS**

1933 George Russell*	1966 John Leeds*	1991 Paul Field
1933 Vic Meinrath*	1967 Keith Clubb*	1992 George Elias
1938 R Oxford*	1968 Alan Matthews*	1992 Tom Healy
1939 Alec Spankie*	1969 Stan Williams*	1993 Peter Longhurst
1940 R Wade*	1970 Jack Harvey*	1994 John McCormack
1941 R Hibbard*	1971 John Farrelly*	1995 Phil Daws
1942 H Miller*	1972 Ron Smith*	1996 Brian Barker
1943 William Devine*	1973 Arthur King*	1997 Barry Ruttle
1944 E Fletcher*	1974 Brian Knight*	1998 David Abood
1945 George Griffin*	1975 Claude Hennessy	1998 Mitchell Hoffman
1946 G Pearce*	1976 Ron Peters*	1999 Matthew Hewitt
1947 Jack O'Brien*	1977 Tom Delauney	2000 Glenn Jeffcoat
1948 Ernie Wearing*	1978 Les Mathews*	2001 Joseph Attard
1950 Dan Elphick*	1979 Colin Turnell	2002 Cliff Haynes
1951 W Ward*	1980 Ron Fordham*	2002 Wayne Loveday
1952 S Robb*	1981 Wally Kirk*	2003 Sam Issa
1953 Jack Eedy*	1982 Robert Garwood	2004 Jim Hall
1954 W.G Burns	1982 Robert Styles*	2005 Kim Archer
1955 Leo Randle*	1983 Robert Hunt*	2005 Lionel Brown
1956 Wally Farrin*	1983 Ray Payne*	2007 Chris Bettiol
1957 Terry Johnson*	1984 Peter Wallace	2008 Richard Daizli
1958 Fred Csisz*	1984 Barry Bolton	2012 Brad Zarb
1959 John Martin*	1985 Arthur Carragher*	2014 Gavin Beecroft
1960 Frank Wilcox*	1985 Tod Walker*	2014 John Gorzanelli
1961 James O'Conor*	1986 Michael Thompson	2016 Barry Belford
1962 Jim Doherty*	1986 Paul Archer	2017 Adam Gee
1963 Reg Dick*	1987 Peter Ryan	2018 John Maarbani
1964 John Smith Jnr*	1989 David Turvey	2019 Warren Gee
1965 Alan Aggett*	1990 Mario Cafarelli	2020 Ian Butler
		*Deceased
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#### Season 2020 Awards

As announced during the season, the Committee decided that due to the impact COVID-19 had on the junior rugby league season, the only award that could be presented fairly on it's merits for the 2020 season was the Leo Randle Award. Therefore, as noted below, all other Association awards will be recorded as 'not awarded for Season 2020' in the Association records

### LEO RANDLE AWARD

The Leo Randle Award is considered an extremely prestigious award within our Association. Named after former Life Member and President, Leo Randle, this award is presented to a member who has shown considerable commitment and dedication towards the Association over a minimum period of 25 years.

This award is chosen by the Committee each year.

## 2020 Leo Randle Award Recipient - GAVIN BEECROFT



#### Previous Leo Randle Award winners

1998 Les Matthews	2009 John McCormack
1999 Robert Garwood	2010 George Elias
2000 Robert Hunt	2011 Barry Ruttle
2001 Bryan Knight	2012 David Abood
2002 Tod Walker	2013 Colin Turnell
2003 Peter Ryan	2014 Glenn Jeffcoat
2004 Paul Archer	2015 Joseph Attard
2005 Robert Styles	2016 Wayne Loveday
2006 Tom Healy	2017 Lionel Brown
2007 Peter Longhurst	2018 Richard Daizli
2008 Mario Cafarelli	2019 Kim Archer

### **CLUBB-JOHNSON TROPHY**

The Clubb-Johnson trophy is awarded each year to the referee who finishes the season ranked number one, therefore refereeing the highest Grand Final possible.

## Unfortunately, due to COVID-19 the Clubb-Johnson Trophy was not presented in Season 2020

## Previous Clubb-Johnson Trophy winners

1978 Michael Thompson	1992 Jim Hammonds	2006 Jimmy Oliveira		
1979 Robert Styles	1993 Mario Cafarelli	2007 Brad Zarb		
1980 Paul Archer	1994 David Abood	2008 Brad Zarb		
1981 Peter Wallace	1995 Mario Cafarelli	2009 Reg Marks		
1982 Michael O'Neill	1996 Alan Fallah	2010 Reg Marks		
1983 Robert Styles	1997 Sam Issa	2011 John Maarbani		
1984 Peter Moon	1998 Chris Fitzpatrick	2012 Brad Zarb		
1985 Peter O'Brien	1999 Gary Towner	2013 Nathan Loveday		
1986 Greg McAlister	2000 Richard Daizli	2014 Nathan Loveday		
1987 Barry Ruttle	2001 Gary Towner	2015 Nathan Loveday		
1988 George Elias	2002 Chris Bettiol	2016 Nathan Loveday		
1989 Ray McGavin	2003 Chris Bettiol	2017 Joseph Tesoriero		
1990 Tom Healy	2004 Adam Gee	2018 Joseph Tesoriero		
1991 Paul Field	2005 Adam Gee	2019 Jack Bird		



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Mariam Rifaie and Ramzi Daizli receiving awards for refereeing the 2 highest Grand Finals in Season 2020

### **FARRELLY-DICK TROPHY**

The John Farrelly-Reg Dick Trophy is awarded each season to the most improved referee. This award is named after 2 former Life Members and is voted on by the Director of Referees

## Unfortunately, due to COVID-19 the Farrelly-Dick Trophy was not presented in Season 2020

## Previous Farrelly-Dick Trophy winners

1992 John Maarbani	2002 Brett Walsh	2012 Billal Iskandar
1993 Kevin Freund	2003 Lionel Brown	2013 Joshua Quin
1994 Chris Bettiol	2004 Hilton Wood	2014 Joseph Tesoriero
1995 John Tamine	2005 Greg Fuller	2015 Anthony Harb
1996 Alan Fallah	2006 Chris Cafarelli	2016 Joshua Mabon
1997 Joe Makdessi	2007 Mark Zada	2017 Aaron McGeoch
1998 Richard Daizli	2008 Matthew Zada	2018 Anthony Ibrahim
1999 Brad Zarb	2009 Feras Karem	2019 Matthew Gomes
2000 Mohammad Fajajo	2010 Nathan Loveday	
2001 Viktor Unal	2011 Phelix El Kek	



CBRA Member #856 Garth Mitchell - a true success story from our **Auckland Exchange Program** 

#### MATTHEWS-STYLES AWARD

The Matthews-Styles Award was introduced in 2012. This award is named after 2 former Presidents and Life Members, Les Matthews and Robert Styles. This award is presented to a new member (having not refereed before) who excels in their first full season. Training, meeting and social-function attendance as well as on field performance are all taken into consideration. This award is voted on by the Committee each year.

## Unfortunately, due to COVID-19 the Matthews-Styles Award was not presented in Season 2020

## Previous Matthews-Styles Award Winners

2012 Peter Chayna	2016 Nathan Fayad
2013 Mark Moutou	2017 Matthew Gomes
2014 Aaron McGeoch	2018 Jake Kolesnyk
2015 Mariam Rifaie	2019 Owen Millar

### ARCHER-GARWOOD AWARD

The Archer-Garwood award was introduced in 2016 by the Committee and is awarded to a member who gives outstanding contribution to the Association within that calendar year. The award is named after 2 long serving Life Members, Paul Archer and Bob Garwood, both of whom are still actively involved in the Association to this day. This award is voted on by the Members.

## Unfortunately, due to COVID-19 the Archer-Garwood Award was not awarded in Season 2020

### Previous Archer-Garwood Award Winners

2016	Nathan Loveday	
2017	Daniel Gardner	
2018	Brad Zarb	
2019	Joseph Tesoriero	

## **GRAND FINAL APPOINTMENTS 2020**

U9 Division 3

U9 Division 2



**Referee:** Gary Towner **Touch Judges:** Jabril Daizli & Matthew Gomes



Referee: John Gorzanelli
Touch Judges: Nathan Fayad & Gary Towner

#### U9 Division 1



Referee: Eddie Semaan
Touch Judges: Gary Towner & Ian Butler

#### U10 Division 2



Referee: Danny Melhem
Touch Judges: Aaron McGeoch & Peter Chayna

#### U10 Division 1



Referee: Jake Kolesnyk
Touch Judges: John Gorzanelli & Ian Butler

#### U11 Division 2



Referee: Rami Abu Mansour
Touch Judges: Gavin Beecroft & Michael Tasker

#### U11 Division 1

## U12 Division 2



Referee: Alex Passarelli
Touch Judges: George Elias & Jack McIlvenny



Referee: Nick Oustambasidis
Touch Judges: Colton Anderson-Seaton & Kane Thorburn

## U12 Division 1 U13 Bronze



Referee: Daniel Kolesnyk
Touch Judges: Chris Rizoglou & Michael Rizoglou



Referee: Kane Thorburn

Touch Judges: Nick Oustambasidis & Danny Melhem
In Goal Judges: Elie Haddad & Jack McIlvenny

### U13 Silver U14 Girls



Referee: Aaron McGeoch
Touch Judges: Chris Rizoglou & Alex Passarelli
In Goal Judges: Danny Melhem & Eddie Semaan



Referee: Michael Tasker
Touch Judges: Michael Rizoglou & Kane Thorburn
In Goal Judges: Nathan Fayad & Jack McIlvenny

#### U14 Silver



Referee: Gavin Beecroft
Touch Judges: Jabril Daizli & Daniel Kolesnyk
In Goal Judges: Chris Rizoglou & Michael Rizoglou

#### U14 Gold



Referee: Jabril Daizli
Touch Judges: John Maarbani & Jake Kolesnyk
In Goal Judges: Rami Abu-Mansour & Alex Passarelli

#### U15 Silver



Referee: Matthew Gomes
Touch Judges: Michael Tasker & Colton Anderson-Seaton
In Goal Judges: Rami Abu-Mansour & Eddie Semaan

#### U16 Girls



Referee: Peter Chayna

Touch Judges: Matthew Gomes & Rami Abu-Mansour
In Goal Judges: Yehya Abdul-Al & Jabril Daizli

#### U16 Gold



Referee: Ramzi Daizli
Touch Judges: Nick Oustambasidis & Gavin Beecroft
In Goal Judges: Matthew Gomes & Kane Thorburn

#### U18 Girls



Referee: Mariam Rifaie
Touch Judges: Joseph Tesoriero & Nathan Fayad
In Goal Judges: Colton Anderson-Seaton & Yehya Abdul-Al

## GRAND FINAL REFEREES A to E Grade (u16s)

**1957–2011** (No records prior to 1957)

YEAR	A GRADE	<b>B GRADE</b>	C GRADE	D (U18)	E (U16)
1957	A Matthews	J Smith	R Dick	C Jamieson	J Harvey
1958	R Dick	B Jackman	A Stanley	J Harvey	T Green
1959	S Williams	A Matthews	P Tipper	N Savage	J McGrath
1960	R Dick	W Kirk	L Burnell	T Green	B Mills
1961	A Aggett	J Farrelly	W Kirk	F Aarons	J Last
1962	J Farrelly	J Harvey	L White	J Leeds	W Kirk
1963	L Burnell	W Kirk	K Holman	A King	D Smith
1964	J Harvey	B Knight	A King	C Hennessy	A Benson
1965	A Benson	C Hennessy	B Knight	T Dick	J Leeds
1966	J Harvey	C Hennessy	B Wiseman	J Leeds	L Donohue
1967		<b>B</b> Wiseman	B Knight	T Dick	L Donohue
1968	J Harvey	C Hennessy	A Collins	T Delauney	W Needham
1969		A Collins	A Collins	B Knight	N Rumph
1970	T Delauney	N Rumph	B Cole	M Keeble	
1971	J Leeds	J Thomas	N Duncan	D Graham	C Turnell
1972	<b>L Matthews</b>	N Duncan	C Turnell	R Styles	B Bradstock
1973	<b>L Matthews</b>		P Longhurst	B Bradstock	R Hunt
1974	<b>N</b> Duncan	J Leeds	P Longhurst	C Haynes	H Delauney
1975	R Hunt		C Haynes	H Delauney	S Stobbs
1976	<b>R Fordham</b>	H Delauney	R Styles	A Carragher	J Bedford
1977	R Hunt	R Fordham	H Delauney	P Moon	K Davis
1978	<b>M</b> Thompson	P Archer	P Wallace	J Bedford	K Davis
1979	R Styles	R Fordham	J Bedford	J Colwell	G Deehan
1980	P Archer	P Ryan	P Wallace	G Elias	M O'Neill
1981	P Wallace (B)	M O'Neill (B Res)	P O'Brien	J Blackmore	P Field
1982	M O'Neill	D Turvey	M Hewitt	G Lee	J McCormack
1983	R Styles	D Turvey	P O'Brien	M Davis	N Adamson
1984		P Moon	D Turvey	P O'Brien	M Davis
1985		P O'Brien	G Elias	M Cafarelli	B Ruttle
1986	<b>G McAlister</b>	D Turvey	G Elias	P Field	W Whitney
1987	<b>B</b> Ruttle	W Whitney	D Turvey	P O'Brien	P Kelly
1988	G Elias	D Turvey	R McGavin	T Healy	J McCormack
1989	R McGavin	M Hoffman	A Crogan	D Abood	J Makdessi
1990	T Healy	D Abood	J Hammonds	S Issa	W Loveday
1991	P Field	T Healy	M Cafarelli	B Newson	M Damaso
1992	J Hammonds	D Abood	S Issa	G Elias	M Damaso
1993		M Cafarelli	D Abood	M Damaso	J Maarbani

YEAR	A GRADE	<b>B GRADE</b>	<b>C GRADE</b>	D (U18)	E (U16)
1994	D Abood	G Elias	C Fitzpatrick	G Towner	J Tamine
1995	M Cafarelli		J Tamine	M Cafarelli	<b>G</b> Towner
1996			A Fallah	A Crogan	C Bettiol
1997	S Issa		C Fitzpatrick	<b>B</b> Newson	P Tzamouranis
1998	C Fitzpatrick		S Issa	J Tamine	R Daizli
1999	<b>G</b> Towner		<b>B</b> Newson	C Bettiol	J Maarbani
2000	R Daizli		C Bettiol	D Keen	M Teasel
2001	<b>G</b> Towner		C Bettiol	R Daizli	J Tamine
2002	<b>C</b> Bettiol		B Zarb	R Daizli	M Fajajo
2003	<b>C Bettiol</b>		B Zarb	V Unal	J Maarbani
2004	A Gee		J Maarbani	R Jeffcoat	H Wood
2005	A Gee		V Unal	H Wood	J Oliveira
2006	J Oliveira		A Gee	H Wood	G Elias
2007	<b>B Zarb</b>		H Iskandar	J Maarbani	Shane Merry
2008	B Zarb		R Marks	J Maarbani	G Beecroft
2009	R Marks		G Towner (19s)	J Maarbani (17s)	B Zarb
2010	R Marks		B Zarb (19s)	G Towner (17s)	G Beecroft
2011	J Maarbani	/	B Zarb (19s)	R Marks (17s)	G Beecroft

## GRAND FINAL REFEREES A Grade to u15s 2012 to date

YEAR	A GRADE	U19s	U17s	<b>U16s</b>	U15s
2012		B Zarb	N Loveday	G Beecroft (17s)	J Maarbani
2013		N Loveday	P El Kek (15s)	D Gardner (15s)	B Iskandar
2014	N Loveday (3 <sup>rd</sup> G)		B Iskandar	B Zarb	R Marks
2015	N Loveday (1st G)	P El Kek	B Zarb	R Marks (17s)	B Iskandar
2016	N Loveday (1st G)	J Tesoriero	B Zarb (16s)	G Beecroft (14s)	R Marks (14s)
2017	J Tesoriero (2 <sup>nd</sup> G)	M Tasker (3 <sup>rd</sup> G)	A Harb (19s)	A McGeoch (17s)	R Marks (16s)
2018	J Tesoriero (Opens G)	J Bird (20s)	A Harb (16s)	A McGeoch	M Tasker
2019	J Bird (20s)	A Harb (18s)	Ramzi Daizli	M Rifaie	D Gardner
2020	M Rifaie (18 Girls)	R Daizli (16s)	P Chayna (16 Girls)	M Gomes (15s)	J Daizli (14s)

# Association Office Bearers 1922–1982

Year	President	Secretary/Treasurer	Year	President	Secretary/Treasurer
1922	W.N. Todd	L.F.K.Lea	1951	G. Pearce	J. Eedy
1923	W.N. Todd	L.F.K.Lea	1952	G. Pearce	J. Eedy
1924	W.N. Todd	L.F.K.Lea	1953	G. Pearce	J. Eedy
1925	V. Meinrath	L.F.K.Lea	1954	G. Pearce	J. Eedy
1926	V. Meinrath	A. Bray	1955	W. Devine	J. Eedy
1927	G. Russell	R. Oxford	1956	W. Devine	J. Eedy
1928	G. Russell	R. Oxford	1957	L. Randle	J. Eedy
1929	G. Russell	R. Oxford	1958	L. Randle	J. Eedy
1930	G. Russell	R. Oxford	1959	L. Randle	J. Eedy
1931	G. Russell	R. Oxford	1960	L. Randle	J. Eedy
1932	G. Russell	R. Oxford	1961	L. Randle	J. Eedy
1933	G. Russell	R. Oxford	1962	L. Randle	R. Dick
1934	V. Meinrath	R. Oxford	1963	J. Martin	R. Dick
1935	V. Meinrath	A. Spankie	1964	J. Martin	R. Dick
1936	V. Meinrath	A. Spankie	1965	J. Martin	R. Dick
	(until 7/4/36)		1966	J. Martin	R. Dick
	R.Hibbard		1967	J. Martin	R. Dick
	(after 7/4/36)		1968	J. Martin	R. Dick
1937	R.Hibbard	H. Miller	1969	J. Martin	R. Dick
1938	R.Hibbard	W. Devine	1970	J. Martin	R. Dick
1939	R.Hibbard	W. Devine	1971	J. Martin	R. Dick
1940	R.Hibbard	W. Devine	1972	R. Smith	R. Dick
1941	E. Fletcher	W. Devine	1973	R. Smith	R. Dick
1942	E. Fletcher	W. Devine	1974	J. Farrelly	R. Dick
1943	E. Fletcher	W. Devine	1975	J. Farrelly	R. Dick
1944	E. Fletcher	W. Devine	1976	J. Farrelly	R. Dick
1945	E. Fletcher	W. Devine	1977	J. Farrelly	R. Dick
1946	G. Griffin	W. Devine	1978	J. Farrelly	R. Dick
1947	G. Pearce	W. Devine	1979	J. Farrelly	R. Dick
1948	G. Pearce	J. Eedy	1980	T. Delauney	R. Dick
1949	G. Pearce	J. Eedy	1981	L. Matthews	R. Dick
1950	G. Pearce	J. Eedy	1982	L. Matthews	R. Dick

## **Association Office Bearers Since 1983**

Year	President	Secretary	Treasurer
1983	L. Matthews	R. Dick	R. Hunt
1984	L. Matthews	R. Dick	R. Hunt
1985	L. Matthews	R.J. Garwood	R. Hunt
1986	L. Matthews	R.J. Garwood	R. Hunt
1987	L. Matthews	R.J. Garwood	R. Hunt
1988	L. Matthews	R.J. Garwood	R. Hunt
1989	L. Matthews	R.J. Garwood	R. Hunt
1990	L. Matthews (to 18/4/90)	R.J. Garwood	R. Hunt
	R. Styles (after 18/4/90)		
1991	R. Styles	R.J. Garwood	R. Hunt
1992	R. Styles	R.J. Garwood	J.McCormack
1993	R. Styles	R.J. Garwood	J.McCormack
1994	R. Styles	R.J. Garwood	J.McCormack
1995	R. Styles	R.J. Garwood	J.McCormack
1996	R. Styles	R.J. Garwood	J.McCormack
1997	P. Archer	P. Ryan	P. Tzamouranis
1998	P. Archer	P. Ryan	P. Tzamouranis
1999	P. Archer	P. Ryan	P. Tzamouranis
2000	P. Archer	P. Ryan	P. Tzamouranis
2001	P. Archer	P. Ryan	B. Newson
2002	P. Archer	P. Ryan	J. McCormack
2003	P. Archer	C. Bettiol	J. McCormack
2004	P. Archer	C. Bettiol	J. McCormack
2005	P. Archer	M. Cafarelli	J. McCormack
2006	P. Archer	M. Cafarelli	J. McCormack
2007	P. Archer	M. Cafarelli	J. McCormack
2008	P. Archer	M. Cafarelli	B. Zarb
2009	P. Archer	M. Cafarelli	B. Zarb
2010	J. McCormack	M. Cafarelli	B. Zarb
2011	J. McCormack	G. Elias	B. Zarb
2012	D. Abood	G. Elias	G. Beecroft
2013	D. Abood	G. Elias	G. Beecroft
2014	D. Abood	G. Elias	G. Beecroft
2015	D. Abood	G. Elias	G. Beecroft
2016	P. Archer	D. Gardner	G. Beecroft
2017	P. Archer	D. Gardner	G. Beecroft
2018	P. Archer	D. Gardner	G. Beecroft
2019	P. Archer	D. Gardner	G. Beecroft
2020	P. Archer	D. Gardner	G. Beecroft
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## **2021 Meeting Dates**

February – 18<sup>th</sup> (AGM)

March – 17<sup>th</sup>

April – 7<sup>th</sup>

May – 5<sup>th</sup>

June – 6<sup>th#</sup> (Sunday)

July – 7<sup>th</sup>

August – 4<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th\*</sup>

#100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Meeting
\*Leo Randle Meeting

## **2021 Election Results**

### **Patrons:**

1.	2.	3.
President:		
Vice President:		
Hon. Secretary:		
Hon. Treasurer:		
<b>Assistant Secreta</b>	ry:	
<b>Committee Mem</b>	bers: 1.	2.
<b>Social Secretary:</b>	DUKLK	
Auditors:		
1.	2.	3.
<b>Delegate NSWRL</b>	RA:	
Deputy:		
<b>Delegate CBDJRL:</b>		
Deputy:		
<b>Social Committee</b>		
1.	2.	4.3.
<b>Gear Committee:</b>		
1.	2. REFEREES	3.
Appeals Panel:	1922	
1. 2	<b>.</b>	3.
<b>Advisory Board:</b>		

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