



**MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING HELD AT LLANBERRIS  
SUNDAY 14<sup>th</sup>, 2019. MEETING OPENED 3.08PM.**

**PRESENT:**

Stephen McLennan, Phillip McLennan, Brendan Hawkes, Michelle Hawkes, Marg Nunn, Paul Nunn, Alison Fidler, Tyler Davis, Kris Davis, Karla Treweek, Bill McLennan, Joan McLennan, Nev Down

**1. APOLOGIES:** Caitlin Christie, Shane Bicknell, Julie Bicknell, Marg Nunn, Paul Nunn

**2. PRESIDENT'S WELCOME**

Welcome address by Stephen McLennan.

**3. MATTERS ARISING from 2018 Annual General Meeting:**

Nil

**4. CONFIRMATION of the 2018 Annual General Meeting Minutes:**

<b>Moved</b>	Bill McLennan	<b>Sec</b>	Phil McLennan	<b>Carried</b>
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**5. ANNUAL REPORTS:**

**5.1. Presidents Report by Stephen McLennan.**

Attached at bottom

**5.2. Cross country report by Phil McLennan**

We had another great year last year. Again, joining with Eureka has proven to be good and successful again with big field in all our Ballarat events. Our junior athletes have been outstanding, and we have had great results throughout the Cross-Country season in Ballarat, Av and National levels.

In the AV XCR series, we had some great results in the overall Champion Athlete results.:

Andrew Amor U20 – 3<sup>rd</sup>, Josh Hawkes U20 – 10<sup>th</sup>, Harry Sharp U18 – 3<sup>rd</sup>, Matt Catterson U18- 10<sup>th</sup>, Darcy Williams U16 – 4<sup>th</sup>, Lily Gilbert U16 – 7<sup>th</sup>, Archie Caldow U14 – 5<sup>th</sup> and in the Women's Open Country Athlete category Michelle Hawkes was 3<sup>rd</sup> overall.

In the team results for Ballarat: U18 men – 3<sup>rd</sup>, U16 men – 2<sup>nd</sup>, U16 women – 3<sup>rd</sup> in which Wendouree had many athletes competing.

In the BRAC results:

Open Men-Andrew Amor

U20 Men – Andrew Amor

U18 Men – Matt Catterson & Harry Sharp

U20 Women – Tahlee VanRoosmalen

In the overall Teams Results the winners were:

Men – A, B,C, 40+, U18 and U14 – Wendouree

So, as you can see Wendouree had a great 2018 Cross Country season.

Attached are the winners from all the club races.

### **Junior report by Michelle Hawkes**

- Our cross-country juniors were way down in numbers last year, which was disappointing, but everyone had a good season. This year we are trying something a little different and running the juniors on a Friday night. We kick off on the 3rd May, so we hope it goes well.
- The Wendouree Junior track and field is still going extremely well, we had about 350 kids registered, it was a very busy season. We are enjoying loving our athletics facilities and have several primary schools use the area this year. This junior program is the major fundraising for the Wendouree Athletic Club.
- We would like to thank all those that continually support the Wendouree Juniors every Friday night, Steve McLennan, Alison Fidler, Brendan Hawkes, Michelle Hawkes, Kris Davis, Rachael Davis, Leanne Hopkins, Phil McLennan, Alyssa Britnell, Damien Williams and Judy and Rick Winnell. Also, a big thankyou to our junior athletes that come along and help during the season Josh Hawkes, Tyler Davis, Darcy Williams, Lily Gilbert, Nick Fidler and Harry Sharp. As the saying goes many hands make light work and the young athletes running, jumping and throwing all look up to these athletes and love having them come along. If only we could get more seniors and juniors coming along to help each week.
- We would also like to say a big thank you to Leanne Hopkins for the work she has done over the years with the Wendouree Junior Athletics. 13 years Leanne has been there and has been the Treasurer for quite a number of those years.

### **5.3. Track and field report by Neville Down**

Wendouree again had a great Track and Field season. Locally we had many athletes perform well each week and a few break some of the BRAC records. In the schools, states and National competitions Wendouree also had lots of athlete's medal and achieve massive pbs. Even some our master's athletes had success and won gold medals and are still breaking some of their pbs.

So again, we would say we have again had a very successful 2018/19 Track and Field season.

Attached are the performance reports for all our athletes throughout the season.

### **5.4. Woody Yaloak report by Peter Luke**

Nil

### **5.5. Treasurers Report by Alison Fidler**

Available on Request

### **All Reports Moved as Read:**

<b>Moved</b>	Alison Fidler	<b>Sec</b>	Alison Fidler	<b>Carried</b>
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## **6. FINANCIAL STATEMENT**

Available on Request

<b>Moved</b>	Alison Fidler	<b>Sec</b>	Karla Treweek	<b>Carried</b>
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## **7. ELECTION OF OFFICE BEARERS**

All positions for the Wendouree Athletic Club were declared vacant and William McLennan was asked to take the chair for the duration of the Elections.

### **Election of Office Bearer's for 2019-2020**

		<b>NOMINATED BY</b>	<b>SECONDED BY</b>
<b>President</b>	Stephen McLennan	Jeff Ellet	Karla Treweek
<b>Vice President</b>	Kris Davis	Brendan Hawkes	Alison Fidler
<b>Secretary / Registrar</b>	Michelle Hawkes	Alison Fidler	Tyler Davis
<b>Treasurer / Finance Officer</b>	Alison Fidler	Michelle Hawkes	Karla Treweek
<b>Jnr Vice President</b>	Tyler Davis	Bill McLennan	Brendan Hawkes
<b>Cross Country Convener</b>	Phil McLennan	Tyler Davis	Alison Fidler
<b>Jnr Cross Country Convener</b>	Michelle Hawkes/Steve McLennan	Alison Fidler	Tyler Davis
<b>Handicapper</b>	Michelle Hawkes	Kris Davis	Alison Fidler
<b>Press Coordinator</b>	Bill McLennan	Steve McLennan	Tyler Davis
<b>Records Officer</b>	Phil McLennan	Alison Fidler	Nev Down
<b>Social Media (Facebook), IT / Website manager</b>	Caitlin Christie	Michelle Hawkes	Nev Down
<b>Social and Fundraising</b>	Michelle Hawkes	Brendan Hawkes	Alison Fidler
<b>Assistant Social and fundraising</b>	Alison Fidler	Bill McLennan	Michelle Hawkes
<b>Jnr T&amp;F Convener &amp; Jnr Development Officer</b>	Michelle Hawkes	Tyler Davis	Alison Fidler
	Stephen McLennan	Tyler Davis	Alison Fidler
<b>BRAC Delegates</b>	Stephen McLennan	Jeff Ellett	Karla Treweek
	Nev Down	Michelle Hawkes	Brendan Hawkes
<b>AV Delegate</b>	Stephen McLennan	Kris Davis	Phil McLennan
	Caitlin Christie	Kris Davis	Phil McLennan

<b>Club Committee:</b>	Karla Treweek	Alison Fidler	Tyler Davis
	Joan McLennan	Caitlin Christie	Nick Fidler
	Lachlan Hawkes	Michelle Hawkes	Nev Down
	Josh Hawkes	Phil McLennan	Kris Davis
	Bill McLennan	Brendan Hawkes	

**Comments.** Bill McLennan passed on his congratulations and best wishes to the oncoming committee.

### **8. NOTICES OF MOTION:**

Nil

### **9. GENERAL BUSINESS:**

#### **9.1. Membership fees.**

<b>Category</b>	<b>2018-19</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>Proposed 2020-21</b>
Open athlete	\$45	\$45	\$45
Juniors (13-19)	\$30	\$30	\$30
Recreational runner	\$45	\$45	\$45
Dual AV / Little Aths	\$30	■	■
*Social	\$45	\$45	\$45
Coach	\$15	\$15	\$15
Official	\$15	\$15	\$15

\*Athletics Victoria membership category not applicable to this club.

<b>Moved</b>	Alison Fidler	<b>Sec</b>	Michelle Hawkes	<b>Carried</b>
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#### **9.2. Cross country event fees 2019 (all age groups including juniors)**

<b>Category</b>	<b>Season ticket</b>
Club members including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• full AV registered athletes (Includes all BRAC races)</li> <li>• recreational AV members</li> <li>• guest AV registered athletes from other clubs</li> </ul>	\$20.00
Unregistered invitational athletes	\$5.00

<b>Moved</b>	Bill McLennan	<b>Sec</b>	Nev Down	<b>Carried</b>
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#### **9.3. Accounts for payment.**

AV affiliation Fee \$500

### 9.3. Questions from the floor

We recently had some sad news with the passing of one of our greatest supporters in Lil Cleary, at the wonderful age of 96. Lil will be greatly missed by all that knew her.



Meeting Closed at 4.11pm

## Australian National Championships



2019 Australian Track and Field Championships

**RESULTS**

Lachlan O'Keefe	High Jump	SILVER, 1.78m
Jordan Barry	Long Jump	21 <sup>st</sup> , 4.69m
Madison Wright	High Jump	13 <sup>th</sup> , 1.50m
Wil Barbary	400m Heat	3 <sup>rd</sup> , 52.52 Q
Wil Barbary	400m Final	SILVER, 52.47 PB
Claire Mahony	1500m Final	10 <sup>th</sup> , 4:59.80 PB
Archie Caldwell	1500m Final	7 <sup>th</sup> , 4:28.67 PB
Archie Caldwell	800m Heat	11 <sup>th</sup> , 2:15.67
Nyajima Jock	200m Heat	7 <sup>th</sup> , 25.32 Q
Nyajima Jock	200m Final	6 <sup>th</sup> , 25.03
Matthew Catterson	2000m Steeple Final	BRONZE, 6:14.09



## Victorian Masters



2019 VICTORIAN MASTERS CHAMPS

Jodie Barry	Long Jump	GOLD, 4.12m
	100m	GOLD, 14.65
	Triple Jump	GOLD, 9.13m
Brendan Hawkes	Hammer	GOLD, 27.60m
Chris Lang	400mH	GOLD, 1:40.00
	100mH	SILVER, 21.15
	200m	6 <sup>th</sup> , 31.10
	400m	6 <sup>th</sup> , 1:19.00

 Congratulations

## 19 T&F Champs Wk1 DAY 1

**RESULTS**

Taleisha Wise	Javelin	4 <sup>th</sup>	32.30m
Josh Hawkes	1500m	25 <sup>th</sup>	4.44.30




## 19 T&F Champs Wk1 DAY 2

**RESULTS**

Harry Sharp	2000m Steeple	GOLD	6.01.56
Matt Catterson	2000m Steeple	BRONZE	6.16.76
Jordan Barry	Triple Jump	6 <sup>th</sup>	10.10m
Lachlan Hawkes	Discus	7 <sup>th</sup>	31.25m
Eugene Read-Spinks	400m	9 <sup>th</sup>	52.86
Joe Labas	Triple Jump	11 <sup>th</sup>	11.97m
Wil Barbary	400m Heat		55.05Q
Brendon Paterson	2000m Steeple		DNF




## 19 T&F Champs Wk1 DAY 3

**RESULTS**

Wil Barbary	400m	GOLD	54.15
Claire Mahony	1500m	SILVER	5.11.49
Archie Caldwell	1500m	BRONZE	4.36.82
Brendon Paterson	1500m		12 <sup>th</sup> , 4.40.73




## 19 T&F Champs Wk2 DAY 1

**RESULTS**

Lachlan Hawkes	Hammer	BRONZE	41.67m
Jordan Barry	Long Jump	10 <sup>th</sup>	4.90m




## 19 T&F Champs Wk2 DAY 2

**RESULTS**

Lachlan O'Keefe	High Jump	GOLD	1.80m PB
Madison Wright	High Jump	GOLD	1.56m PB
Lily Gilbert	3000m	6 <sup>th</sup>	11.28.00
James Ham	3000m	6 <sup>th</sup>	9.17.08 PB
Eugene Read-Spinks	200m	9 <sup>th</sup>	24.12
Claire Mahony	3000m	10 <sup>th</sup>	11.10.36
Joe Labas	Long Jump	10 <sup>th</sup>	5.93m PB
Wil Barbary	200m Heats	3 <sup>rd</sup>	24.54Q
Nyajima Jock	200m Heats	3 <sup>rd</sup>	25.49Q
Archie Caldwell	800m Heats	6 <sup>th</sup>	2.18.06Q




## 19 T&F Champs Wk2 DAY 3

**RESULTS**

Nyajima Jock	200m	BRONZE	25.95
Wil Barbary	200m	BRONZE	24.15
Claire Mahony	800m	5 <sup>th</sup>	2.31.15
Archie Caldwell	800m	6 <sup>th</sup>	2.20.98
Caitlin Christie	High Jump	6 <sup>th</sup>	1.52m




**Victorian Country Championships**

Abby Bicknell	Hammer	GOLD, 24.10m
Archie Caldwell	800m	GOLD, 2.20.30
Archie Caldwell	1500m	GOLD, 4.42.16
Archie Caldwell	3000m	GOLD, 10.21.48
Brendan Hawkes	Hammer	GOLD, 28.33m
Claire Mahony	1500m	GOLD, 5.14.50
Grant Gilbert	1500m	GOLD, 5.03.49
Harry Sharp	3000m	GOLD, 9.10.44
Harry Sharp	2000mS	GOLD, 5.57.11
James Pendred	100m	GOLD, 14.50
James Pendred	400m	GOLD, 1.02.52
Jodie Barry	LJ	GOLD, 4.39m
Jodie Barry	TJ	GOLD, 8.99m
Josh Hawkes	1500m	GOLD, 4.24.22
Jordan Barry	LJ	GOLD, 4.87m
Jordan Barry	TJ	GOLD, 10.08m
Lachlan Hawkes	Hammer	GOLD, 40.39m
Louise Pendred	400m	GOLD, 2.16.21
Nyajima Jock	400m	GOLD, 1.00.09
Vaughan Van Berkel	TJ	GOLD, 8.53m
Abby Bicknell	Discus	SILVER, 26.46m
Brendan Hawkes	SP	SILVER, 8.66m
Claire Mahony	800m	SILVER, 2.37.27
Claire Mahony	3000m	SILVER, 12:01.04
Grant Gilbert	3000m	SILVER, 11.24.61
Lachlan O'Keefe	HJ	SILVER, 1.70m
Louise Pendred	100m	SILVER, 27.45
Jodie Barry	100m	SILVER, 14.4i
Matt Catterson	2000mS	SILVER, 6.23.62
Michelle Hawkes	1500m	SILVER, 5.49.79
Michelle Hawkes	5000m	SILVER, 21.31.93
Maddie Wright	HJ	SILVER, 1.54m
Nyajima Jock	200m	SILVER, 26.35
Taleisha Wise	Javelin	SILVER, 27.60m
Vaughan Van Berkel	LJ	SILVER, 3.96m
Abby Bicknell	SP	BRONZE, 9.38m
Brendan Hawkes	Discus	BRONZE, 24.93m
Caitlin Christie	HJ	BRONZE, 1.50m
Lachlan O'Keefe	HJ Open	BRONZE, 1.75m
Lily Gilbert	3000m	BRONZE, 11.20.77
Shane Bicknell	Hammer	BRONZE, 21.43m
Vaughan Van Berkel	100m	BRONZE, 15.84
Will Barbary	400m	BRONZE, 53.83
Axel Caldwell	Discus	4 <sup>th</sup> , 15.46m
Axel Caldwell	200m	4 <sup>th</sup> , 31.18



Eugene Read-Spinks	400m	4 <sup>th</sup> , 55.06
Gabby Lang	100m	4 <sup>th</sup> , 15.09
Jordan Barry	100m	4 <sup>th</sup> , 13.29
Lily Gilbert	1500m	4 <sup>th</sup> , 5.06.00
Maddie Wright	TJ	4 <sup>th</sup> , 10.03m
Shane Bicknell	Discus	4 <sup>th</sup> , 23.37m
Steve McLennan	Hammer	4 <sup>th</sup> , 19.90m
Axel Caldow	800m	5 <sup>th</sup> , 2.54.19
Chris Lang	100m	5 <sup>th</sup> , 14,65
Josh Hawkes	5000m	5 <sup>th</sup> , 18.04.7
Lachlan Hawkes	Discus	5 <sup>th</sup> , 28.60m
Lachlan Hawkes	SP	5 <sup>th</sup> , 9.60m
Lachlan O'Keefe	LJ	5 <sup>th</sup> , 5.14m
Matt Catterson	3000m	5 <sup>th</sup> , 9.32.56
Steve McLennan	Discus	5 <sup>th</sup> , 19.92m
Vaughan Van Berkel	200m	5 <sup>th</sup> , 31.74
Will Barbary	200m	5 <sup>th</sup> , 24.30
Caitlin Christie	Hammer	6 <sup>th</sup> , 24.84m
Gabby Lang	TJ	6 <sup>th</sup> , 8.90m
Joe Labas	LJ	6 <sup>th</sup> , 5.09m
Joe Labas	TJ	6 <sup>th</sup> , 9.76m
Maddie Wright	200m	6 <sup>th</sup> , 27.93
Ryan Anderson	2000mS	6 <sup>th</sup> , 7.21.00
Steve McLennan	SP	6 <sup>th</sup> , 6.36m
Tasha Saunders	TJ	6 <sup>th</sup> , 8.84m
Maddie Wright	100m	7 <sup>th</sup> , 13.83
Tasha Saunders	LJ	7 <sup>th</sup> , 3.74m
Eugene Read-Spinks	200m	8 <sup>th</sup> , 24.70
Ivy Van Berkel	LJ	8 <sup>th</sup> , 3.36m
Ivy Van Berkel	TJ	9 <sup>th</sup> , 7.35m
Ivy Van Berkel	200m	11 <sup>th</sup> , 36.01
Ivy Van Berkel	100m	13 <sup>th</sup> , 18.08
Lachlan O'Keefe	200m	14 <sup>th</sup> , 28.05

**Victorian All School Championships**

Harry Sharp	2000m Steeple	GOLD, 6.10.41
James Pendred	Long Jump Para	GOLD, 4.17m
James Pendred	Discus Para	GOLD, 12.73m
Lachlan O'Keefe	High Jump	GOLD, 1.77m
Harry Sharp	1500m	SILVER, 4.05.81
James Pendred	100m Para	SILVER, 13.06
James Pendred	200m Para	SILVER, 26.85
James Pendred	800m Para	SILVER, 2.29.20
Jordan Barry	Triple Jump	SILVER, 10.53m
Jordan Barry	Long Jump	SILVER, 5.21m
Matt Catterson	2000m Steeple	SILVER, 6.18.97
Nick Fidler	2000m Steeple	SILVER, 6.03.63
Lachlan Hawkes	Hammer	BRONZE, 45.47m
Louise Pendred	200m Para	BRONZE, 48.11
Nick Fidler	3000m	BRONZE, 8.43.99
Abby Bicknell	Hammer	4 <sup>th</sup> , 23.10m
Darcy Williams	3000m	5 <sup>th</sup> , 9.15.43
Joe Labas	100m Hurdles	6 <sup>th</sup> , 14.89
Lachlan Hawkes	Discus	6 <sup>th</sup> , 39.24m
Matt Catterson	3000m	6 <sup>th</sup> , 9.15.75
Abby Bicknell	Javelin	7 <sup>th</sup> , 26.79m
Abby Bicknell	Discus	7 <sup>th</sup> , 28.24m
Joe Labas	TJ	7 <sup>th</sup> , 12.36m
Taleisha Wise	200m Hurdles	7 <sup>th</sup> , 40.37
Abby Bicknell	Shot Put	8 <sup>th</sup> , 9.76m
Tahlia Whittle	400m	8 <sup>th</sup> , 1.04.26
Taleisha Wise	Javelin	8 <sup>th</sup> , 26.94m
Eugene Read-Spinks	400m	9 <sup>th</sup> , 53.85
Zoe Ferry	Long Jump	9 <sup>th</sup> , 4.55m
Zoe Ferry	TJ	10 <sup>th</sup> , 10.04m
Claire Mahony	1500m	11 <sup>th</sup> , 5.12.80
Tahlia Whittle	100m	12 <sup>th</sup> , 13.72
Ryan Friedrichs	TJ	12 <sup>th</sup> , 9.49m
Xavier Rennison	3000m	12 <sup>th</sup> , 10.22.05
Eugene Read-Spinks	200m	13 <sup>th</sup> , 24.99
Xavier Rennison	1500m	13 <sup>th</sup> , 4.43.08
Archie Caldow	1500m	14 <sup>th</sup> , 4.49.20
Joe Labas	Long Jump	14 <sup>th</sup> , 5.40m
Ryan Friedrichs	Long Jump	16 <sup>th</sup> , 4.12m

### Australian All Schools Championships

Nick Fidler	2000m Steeple	GOLD, 5.58.7h
Harry Sharp	2000m Steeple	SILVER, 6.01.9h
James Pendred	800m Para	BRONZE, 2.27.72
Lachlan O'Keefe	High Jump	4 <sup>th</sup> , 1.70m
James Pendred	Long Jump Para	4 <sup>th</sup> , 4.25m
James Pendred	100m Para	6 <sup>th</sup> , 13.18
Harry Sharp	1500m	8 <sup>th</sup> , 4.02.17
Jordan Barry	Long Jump	16 <sup>th</sup> , 5.04m
Jordan Barry	Triple Jump	17 <sup>th</sup> , 10.21m

## 2018 / 19 BRAC T & F Championship winners

### **Best performing BRAC registered athlete in AV Shield competition.**

400m

Eugene Read-Spinks                      WEN              52.81

800m

Harry Sharp                                      WEN              1:57.2

1500m

Sam Williams                                      WEN              4:06.0

100m Hurdles

Gabrielle Lang                                      WEN              22.05

Long Jump

Jordan Barry                                      WEN              5.12m

Triple Jump

Joe Labas    WEN              12.54m

Jordan Barry                                      WEN              10.35m

High Jump

Madison Wright                                      WEN              1.55m

### **AGE Group Champions:**

Name	Club	Points	No. events
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U16

Lachlan Hawkes	WEN	8262	27
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### **Overall Premiership winners:**

Wendouree won the u18 men.

**New BRAC Records:**

Lachlan O'Keefe	U14	High Jump	1.70m
Nyajima Jock	U18	200m	25.34
Wil Barbary	U14 & U15	400m	53.31

**Cross Country Wendouree race winners**

3km Lake	Kris Davis and Tyler Davis	
Eureka Challenge	5km - Dylan Ross	
Buninyong Winery	5km - Michelle Hawkes	
Johnstone H'Cap	6.2km - Kris Davis	3.1km - Dylan Ross
Vic Park 5km	5km - Kris Davis	
Pax Hill	9.6km - Marc Schnyder	4km - Jared Olsen
Kingsley Curtis	5km - Jared Olsen	2km - Zoe Schnyder
George Eppingstall H'Cap	6.4km- Dylan Ross	3.2km - Dayne Schnyder
Pipeline Classic	8km Justin Bleicher	4.5km - Dylan Ross
King & Queen Mt Buninyong	King - Kris Davis Queen Michelle Hawkes	Regent - Dylan Ross
Yuille Park	6km - Jared Olsen	3km - Zoe Schnyder
BRAC Suffren	6.4km - Kris Davis	3.2km - Lily Gilbert
Lindsay Burgoyne H'Cap	8km - Jared Olsen	4km - Dylan Ross
Schnyder	7km - Justin Bleicher	4.5km - Dylan Ross
The Gong	8km - Jared Olsen	4km - Una Laughton-Jones
Graeme Quick H'Cap	6km - Jared Olsen	3km - Una Laughton - Jones
Gudgeon 10km	10km - Kris Davis and Ange Williams	5km - Ryan Anderson
St.Georges Lake – Don Briggs Memorial	3km - Dylan Ross	
Macaulay Lap of Lake	6km - Josh Hawkes	

Sunday April 14<sup>th</sup>

An exciting year again with the Wendouree Juniors enjoying a full season at the new facility at the Wendouree Oval, with over 300 girls and boys enjoying athletics this year. I would like to thank Leanne Hopkins for her 13 years involvement as Junior Treasurer, Leanne's daughter Chloe finished under 14's this year, along with Jake who finished a couple of years ago. Thankyou, Leanne and your family, for your assistance over this time. Not forgetting the many others who have assisted again, Kris Davis and family, Alison Fidler and family and Michelle Hawkes and family who were the core group who have made our Friday nights successful. We were also assisted by some of our Junior athletes, some who were recipients of club funding to attend the Nationals. It was pleasing to see and be around these juniors who were putting their time and experience back into the sport and assisting, and we would encourage others to follow.

Again I need to thank on behalf of the club, Michelle Hawkes and Alison Fidler, for their time and effort as Secretary and Treasurer in a busy time for both.

Communication keeps evolving and our Facebook page remains the main source of keeping our members informed. During the track season Caitlin Christie has again done a fantastic job in keeping us informed during all major competition and championship events. Michelle Hawkes, likewise, has kept us informed during the cross country season, usually for both after competing or officiating. We thank you both for your efforts.

Congratulations to Alison Fidler and Caitlin Christie on winning the Club's two major awards, the Brian Gudgeon trophy and Bill Cleary trophy. Thankyou for your dedication to the club over the past year.

Acknowledgement must also be made to our members and athletes who competed and assisted during the year and travelled to A.V. events representing Wendouree and Ballarat and those that stayed at home for Saturdays competition throughout the year.

On a sombre note it is with sadness to hear long time supporter and friend to all club members was the passing of Lil Cleary and we would like to observe a minutes silence in respect to her life and memory.

Stephen McLennan

President Wendouree Athletic