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Ladies and Gentlemen,

In most fields, 1970 was a successful year and one in which the VTTA ventured into new fields.

In the area of competitive play our teams and players were very successful, winning five out of eight Teams Championships and many of the individual events decided at the Senior, Junior and Sub-junior Australian Championships. Some players also competed in other States' championships and were successful in these events.

Both the Victor Barna Award and the Michael Szabados Award for Senior and Junior Players of the Year were won by Victorians and the Trudek Trophy for the leading State was retained by Victoria.

The year was highlighted by two visits to the Table Tennis Centre. Firstly, the VTTA was honored to receive a visit from members of the Royal Family, when on April 5th, Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth and Their Royal Highnesses Prince Philip, Prince Charles and Princess Anne visited the Table Tennis Centre as part of a tour of Albert Park Sports Stadiums. For those present it was an occasion which will long be remembered.

Secondly, World Doubles Champions, Hans Alser and Kjell Johannssen of the Swedish Table Tennis Association spent a week in Melbourne during which they thrilled players and spectators with their play in International Matches and Tournaments.

During June, the three year contract of State Coach, Mr. H. Venner came to an end and he returned to England in September. Mr. Venner has made a significant contribution to the game, particularly among juniors, and we are certain to see the benefit of his work in the future performances of these players. We wish him every success on his return to England.

The number of pennant teams showed an increase above that in 1969 and this increase was coupled with an increase in public hire. It is hoped that this trend continues into 1971.

The number of Affiliated Associations remained stable and record entries were again received for the Country Championships and the Atlas Shield.

The VTTA broke new ground when it conducted a Sportsmens Night to raise money to assist Mrs. Mary LeGassick and Miss Lynn Gilbert to represent Australia in the 1970 Asian Championships in Japan. This, together with other fund raising efforts, enabled Victoria to sponsor completely the players' trip.

In another new approach a Presentation Supper Dance was held when shields and pennants won by clubs in Winter Pennant were presented. This occasion enabled



players to meet with one another and officials in a social atmosphere and was quite successful.

Once again we were fortunate to have sponsors assist us in several ways. Riversdale Mfg. Co., Melbourne Sports Depot, Hartleys, Shell Co. of Australia and The Weekly Times Ltd., assisted us as in 1969, while Adidas and Dunlop Pty.Ltd. joined us as sponsors.

## PENNANT COMPETITIONS

### 1.1 METROPOLITAN WINTER PENNANT

This was conducted from 28th April to 27th August. There were 32 mens grades and 6 womens grades, making a total of 297 teams, 9 more than last year. Again problems were evident with the overcrowding on Wednesday nights, when the Table Tennis Centre was completely full. Tuesday night grades cater for teams of B grade standard or below, and Thursday night grades for teams of C grade standard or below. Club secretaries are asked to assist by entering their teams for Thursday or Tuesday wherever possible.

Two changes in the running of pennant were introduced. Firstly clubs were asked for estimates of their teams grade, largely to enable the keener teams to play higher if they wished. Secondly A4 grade was re-introduced. This was done due to the influx of high standard junior players into A2 and A3, making A4 a grade consisting of experienced players who have been of an A3 or higher standard for some time.

A list of ideas for altering pennant was printed in the News Sheet earlier this year, comments being invited from pennant players. The two most important of the ideas were first a proposal that A grades in both mens and womens pennant should contain whichever number of teams is justified by the quality of the entry (rather than being fixed at eight per grade as at present). This idea would have benefited both A and A2 in mens pennant this year since the premiers in A2 won rather well, and, being predominantly a junior side, would have preferred the stiffer competition in A grade. Furthermore some of the lower teams in womens A grade were badly outclassed by the top sides, and would have hardly been too strong for WA2. The second idea was to abolish doubles from Womens A grade (and possibly WA2). This latter idea produced a fair amount of controversy, with opinions appearing to be split.

This year the pennants were presented at a supper dance at 9 Darling Street. In previous years they were presented immediately after the grand-final.

The pennant sub-committee took advantage of the new system by arranging an informal presentation to the winter pennant player who they felt acquitted him or herself most admirably during the season. The award went to Mr. Albert Tuan-Mu. The Executive Committee has decided to make a permanent award of this nature.

Winners and runners-up were:-

GRADE	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
A grade	Monash	Rainbow
A2	Rainbow	EEAMA
A3	University	Preston
A4	University	St Kilda Cricket
B1	University	St Kilda Cricket
B2	Forest Products	AEI Hotpoint
B3	Coburg	VRI
B4	Preston	API Elizabeth
B5	SOS	St Kilda Cricket
B6	Rothmans	St Kilda Cricket
B7	Rosanna Meths	Exchange Inst.
C1	University	Dairy Research
C2	United	ABC
C3	Hakoah	ABC
C4	RMIT	ACMAL
C5	Preston	Preston Red
C6	Monash	Preston
C7	Datsun	University
D1	E.S.&A.	Coburg
D2	Golden Fleece	St Kilda Cricket
D3	A.V.Wehl	Melita
D4	MCCES	Forest Products
D5	University	Victoria
D6	Monash Red	ANZ Blue
D7	Gascor	Latrobe
D8	Oakleigh	RACV
E1	Telecoms	Maples
E2	ANI Perkins	Coles
E3	Gateway	Latrobe
E4	API Elizabeth	NSW Bank
E5	Glenwood	Coburg
E6	NSC	Victoria
WA	Hakoah	Coburg
WA2	Coburg	Nottingham
WB1	ABC	SOS
WB2	University Blue	Hakoah
WC1	Monash Red	Monash
WC2	Oakleigh	Victoria

## LEADING PLAYERS

<u>Mens A</u>	<u>A2</u>	<u>A3</u>	
G.Yeo(Mon)	36/6 P.Neuhold(Rain)	28/11 A.Reay(Uni)	30/3
H.Venner(Rain)	35/7 P.Pouliou(EEAMA)	28/14 J.Strantzen(Uni)	30/6
G.Stirling(St.K.Ckt)	33/9 B.Craig(Rain)	27/12 G.Goetzki(Omicron)	27/9
J.Kilderry(Cob)	30/12P.Mitchell(St.Geo)	27/15 C.Ervine(Rain)	26/10
C.Wuvanich(Melb)	28/2 P.Rogers(St.Geo)	25/17 I.Robinson(Uni)	23/13
A.Webb(Hak)	28/14J.Tink(Cob)	25/17 P.Clements(Uni)	20/13



A4  
J. Little (St. K. Ckt)  
V. Crisapulli (Uni)  
P. Grosstray (Cob)  
M. Kredinac (Melb)  
D. Samuels (CSIRO)

B1  
30/9 P. Sheedy (Vic)  
30/9 T. Moratis (Hak)  
28/14 L. Zalcman (Uni)  
28/14 J. Mack (Rain)  
27/12 J. McQuillan (Vic)  
J. Lawler (St. Geo)

B2  
31/11 T. Hilton (For. Prod)  
29/10 N. Breasley (H'dale)  
28/11 R. Donaldson (For. Prod)  
26/13 N. McDonald (Triangle)  
26/13  
26/16

B3  
E. Martin (VRI)  
K. Ashworth (Cob)  
P. Bimba (Rain)  
F. Punton (VRI)

B4  
37/5 R. Kirwen (Prest)  
36/6 D. Mowbray (API)  
34/8 T. Saundry (Cob)  
29/13 D. Wynne (API)

B5  
33/6 J. Harris (Nott)  
32/10 H. Lenk (SOS)  
30/12 H. Jeschofnik (Prest)  
29/10 D. Galvin (Prest)

B6  
A. Yorke (Depstat)  
R. Warren (Siemens)  
I. Shields (Roth)  
P. Liepnik (St. K. Ckt)

B7  
40/2 M. Owen (Ex. Inst)  
34/8 L. Tate (Herald)  
30/0 M. Lunney (Ex. Inst)  
27/12 J. Chambers (Ros. Meths)  
K. Knight (Nott)

C1  
42/0 A. Tuan-Mu (Uni)  
34/8 E. Krasovskis (Uni)  
33/3 B. Watt (NSW)  
R. Sanders (Vic)

C2  
D. Turner (United)  
P. Wardle (ABC)  
C. Reid (BP)  
R. Bennett (Pat)  
B. Ross (ES&A)

C3  
37/2 D. Fowler (MHT)  
35/7 G. Spaldiewinde (VRI)  
30/3 J. Giles (ABC)  
29/7 A. Wheeler (Gov. Print)  
29/10 B. McLoghlin (ABC)

C4  
32/4 P. Leong (RMIT)  
32/10 T. Chiu (RMIT)  
32/10 T. T' Sing (RMIT)  
31/11 G. Roberts (Kraft)  
30/9

C5  
G. Brazzaduro (Prest)  
V. Grech (Prest)  
V. Pang (Latrobe)  
N. Gray (Prest)  
R. Cotah (Prest)

C6  
38/4 M. Tierney (Uni)  
34/8 L. VanPelt (Prest)  
30/9 B. Brown (Prest)  
30/12 I. Walker (AMP)  
29/10 K. Coldrey (Prest)

C7  
39/3 P. Connellan (Cob)  
32/10 G. Stock (Datsun)  
31/11 H. Plant (Hawthorn)  
30/9 G. Storer (Nat. Bank)  
28/11 N. Vidinopoulos (Ini)

D1  
R. Dunn (Prest)  
B. Turner (Cob)  
B. Bennett (Cob)  
B. Bond (CSIRO)

D2  
30/6 A. Taylor (Vic)  
28/5 J. Davies (Rain)  
26/10 M. Thomas (Vic)  
24/12 A. Masters (Uni)  
B. Power (G. Fleece)

D3  
31/11 R. Rushbury (Melita)  
30/9 M. Butcher (St. Kilda)  
29/10 A. Main (St. Kilda)  
29/13 R. Walton (A. V. Wehl)  
29/13 B. Kennedy (KOKO)

D4  
F. Bianchi (Pak. Pac)  
G. Vincent (MCCES)  
A. Bowman (Mon)  
F. Kapkina (Uni)

D5  
39/0 P. Hambleton (Uni)  
36/6 A. Look (Herald)  
33/6 A. Matuska (Siemens)  
29/13 A. Barwick (Res. Bank)

D6  
37/5 K. Stanley (Mon)  
34/8 D. Smith (Prest)  
33/6 H. Widjaja (Mon)  
32/10 P. Gosney (Mon)

<u>D7</u>			<u>D8</u>			<u>E1</u>		
N.Tierney(Rain)	38/4	G.Stanguts(Oak)	35/4	A.Cousens(Telecoms)	41/1			
W.Smith(Lat)	34/5	G.Birse(Oak)	34/5	D.Wright(Cob)	32/10			
J.Hunter(Gascor)	32/7	L.Roberts(Uni)	30/12	H.McKay(Telecoms)	31/11			
T.Edema(Rain)	32/10	J.DeBernadi(Uni)	29/13	R.Galea(Cob)	29/13			
R.Tierney(Rain)	28/14	M.Mernone(Oak)	29/13	M.Worrell(Maples)	29/13			
<u>E2</u>			<u>E3</u>			<u>E4</u>		
R.Stuart(ANI)	29/4	P.Smith(Gateway)	37/2	W.Skoufis(API)	40/2			
G.Young(Coles)	28/2	T.Jamieson(Nott)	33/6	R.Fradkin(Rain)	34/5			
C.Sampford(Uni)	28/2	T.Chong Kew(Lat)	27/6	I.Sanderson(API)	34/8			
S.Rossa(ANI)	24/15	B.Wood(Cob)	25/8	G.Penn(Pak.Pac)	32/10			
		I.Morgan(Cob)	25/11					
<u>E5</u>			<u>E6</u>					
R.Atkinson(Cob)	36/3	T.Sanders(Vic)	35/7					
M.Earl(Glenwood)	34/2	G.Keenan(NSW)	30/6					
J.Fenn(Vic)	28/5	T.Lucas(Myer)	27/0					
A.Baer(Hak)	28/5	N.Mayer(NSC)	27/9					
<u>Womens A</u>			<u>WA2</u>			<u>WB1</u>		
L.Nicholson(Hak)	39/3	L.McBurney(Nott)	32/4	P.Smith(ABC)	33/0			
S.Javor(Hak)	38/1	H.Morrow(Vic)	30/3	V.Katte(SOS)	28/8			
D.Kilderry(Cob)	38/4	R.Greenwood(Cob)	27/0	T.Johnston(SOS)	24/6			
M.LeGassick(Cob)	33/3	J.Opper(Mon)	26/10	R.DeGroot(SOS)	24/12			
<u>WB2</u>			<u>WC1</u>			<u>WC2</u>		
V.Brown(Uni)	27/0	E.Lindner(Mon)	33/3	E.Bell(Oak)	38/1			
J.Fraser(Mon)	27/3	S.Walpole(Mon)	32/4	J.Anderson(Kixco)	34/2			
M.Slade(Hak)	27/9	B.Taylor(Mon)	31/5	A.Dinn(Oak)	33/0			
S.Payne(Uni)	25/5	P.Laurie(Mon)	25/5	F.Sheppee(Oak)	33/0			

## 1.2 METROPOLITAN SUMMER PENNANT

This was conducted from 29th September to 17th December. There were 25 grades and a total of 246 teams, some 26 more than last year. An innovation was a question on the entry form reading "Does your club object to having more than one of its teams placed in the one grade?" The grading was then carried out for even grading, and clubs who had such an objection and were primarily graded with two teams in the one grade had them separated by regrading the better team of the two a grade higher. This move was only partly successful. It is hoped that some modifications to the system that will be introduced in 1971 will cure all difficulties.

Winners and runners-up were:-

GRADE	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
A	Coburg Harriers	Melbourne
A2	Hakoah	Geelong
A3	Rainbow	Preston
B1	Hakoah	St Kilda Cricket
B2	Rainbow	Siemens



GRADE	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
B3	Huntingdale	Triangle
B4	Rainbow	Oakleigh
B5	St Kilda Cricket	University
C1	Rainbow	Monash
C2	ANZ Gold	Gov. Printers
C3	United	SEC 1
C4	Nottingham	Bruce Floor
C5	Jazzers	Oakleigh
D1	NEW	St Kilda
D2	St Kilda Cricket	Golden Fleece
D3	Hakoah Blue	Westerners
D4	Siemens	Preston
D5	Marweight	Siemens
D6	RACS	Exchange Inst.
D7	Sandringham	St Kilda Cricket
E1	Victoria	Maples
E2	W.H.S	B.U.S.M
E3	Marweight	Coles 3
E4	Cob. Harriers	Exchange Inst.
E5	United	McLeod

## LEADING PLAYERS

<u>A</u>		<u>A2</u>		<u>A3</u>	
J. Kilderry (Cob. Harr)	23/1	A. Ludlow (Rain)	23/4	J. Williams (Rain)	22/2
J. Nicholson (Cob. Harr)	23/1	S. Javor (Hak)	22/5	K. Bradie (St. Geo)	21/6
C. Wuvanich (Melb)	21/0	M. LeGassick (Cob. Harr)	19/5	G. Pascoe (Cob. Harr)	21/6
D. Lindsay (Cob. Harr)	18/6	C. Campbell (Geel)	18/6	J. Tink (Cob. Harr)	19/5
R. Cintolo (Cob. Harr)	17/7	R. Javor (Hak)	18/9	A. Hordijenko (Rain)	19/8
<u>B1</u>		<u>B2</u>		<u>B3</u>	
G. Goetzki (Omicron)	27/0	W. Krafft (Siemens)	24/3	N. Breasley (H'dale)	25/2
T. Saundry (Cob. Harr)	22/5	H. Lenk (SOS)	22/5	N. McDonald (Tri)	24/3
I. Brash (Hak)	20/4	T. Averte (Rain)	21/6	B. Doomernik (H'dale)	23/4
B. Milligan (CSIRO)	20/7	R. Warren (Siemens)	21/6	J. Copas (H'dale)	22/5
V. VanDort (Rain)	20/7			R. Morton (Cob. Harr)	22/5
<u>B4</u>		<u>B5</u>		<u>C1</u>	
J. Bellino (Rain)	24/3	M. Tierney (Uni)	25/2	L. McBurney (N'hill)	24/3
G. Haire (Oak)	22/5	A. King (St. K. Ckt)	23/4	G. Feben (Monash)	20/7
E. Krasouskis (Uni)	22/5	L. Bode (Uni)	22/5	H. Feben (Monash)	20/7
C. Pha (Uni)	20/7	C. Georgiades (Tax)	22/5	P. Holden (N'hill)	20/7
<u>C2</u>		<u>C3</u>		<u>C4</u>	
S. Cowell (ANZ)	23/4	D. Turner (United)	24/3	P. Anderson (N'hill)	24/0
F. Darmann (W'horse)	22/5	K. Lambert (SEC)	24/3	M. Lovell (NSW)	23/4
D. Coates (ANZ)	21/6	J. McPhee (United)	23/4	P. Smith (Vic)	22/2
L. Thornton (Cob. Harr)	20/4	B. Ross (ANZ)	22/2	I. Greaves (N'hill)	20/7
J. Elmer (Ros. Meths)	20/7	B. Forsythe (Nylex)	21/3	A. Judd (Bruce Fl)	20/7

<u>C5</u>		<u>D1</u>		<u>D2</u>	
G. Stanguts (Oak)	26/1	R. Lish (Vic)	27/0	R. Warren (St.K.Ckt)	26/1
K. Freeman (Jazzers)	23/1	M. Butcher (St.K)	23/1	M. Loidl (Prest)	24/3
V. Kwan (Humes)	21/3	L. Bourke (Ex.Inst)	23/4	R. Mitchell (Uni)	24/3
G. Birse (Oak)	20/7	J. Smith (Loch St.)	23/4	J. Legge (St.K.Ckt)	22/5
B. Bond (CSIRO)	20/7	J. Duncan (Hak)	21/6	N. Lamb (Gascor)	20/4
W. Parker (Humes)	20/7				
<u>D3</u>		<u>D4</u>		<u>D5</u>	
M. Thomas (Vic)	26/1	S. Evans (W.horse)	20/4	R. Coombs (Marweight)	26/1
W. Borkut (Westerners)	25/2	S. Hojer (Prest)	19/5	N. Chalas (Marweight)	25/2
C. Thomas (Westerners)	25/2	P. Malik (Siemens)	19/5	E. Stanfield (Tels)	23/1
R. Poole (Cob.Harr)	22/5	W. Skubig (Siemens)	19/5	C. Sampford (Uni)	21/6
<u>D6</u>		<u>D7</u>		<u>E1</u>	
J. Andrejzduk (Ex.Inst)	23/1	R. Wall (S'ham)	26/1	M. Worrell (Maples)	27/0
A. Dykes (Ex.Inst)	20/1	R. Hutson (S'ham)	24/3	J. Fenn (VeeJays)	25/2
B. Cronin (RACS)	19/2	N. Roberts (St.K.Ckt)	23/4	C. Randell (Jazzers)	24/3
C. Leahy (RACS)	19/2	D. McDonald (S'ham)	22/2	J. Minihan (Cob.Harr)	21/6
		T. Sanders (VeeJays)	22/5	R. Singer (Vic)	21/6
<u>E2</u>		<u>E3</u>		<u>E4</u>	
R. Bunyard (Spicers)	21/3	G. Young (Coles)	24/0	C. Lynch (Cob.Harr)	24/3
B. Rennes (BUSM)	19/5	D. Vine (Victoria)	24/3	S. Belacic (Siemens)	23/4
J. Carr (BUSM)	18/0	A. Mitchell (Marweight)	23/1	D. Jacobs (Ex.Inst)	22/5
G. Parsons (Gascor)	17/7	C. Rothwell (Marweight)	23/4	A. Sweet (Kixco)	20/1
				C. Weeks (Ex.Inst)	20/4
				P. Collins (Cob.Harr)	20/7
<u>E5</u>					
D. Scott (United)	25/2				
P. Saunderson (Rank)	24/3				
D. Sexton (United)	23/4				
G. Smith (BUSM)	23/4				
B. Chandler (McLeod)	22/2				
R. Hunt (VRI)	22/2				

## 2. JUNIOR PENNANT COMPETITIONS

### 2.1 AUTUMN UNDER 20 PENNANT

Under 20 Pennant was held on Saturday mornings as usual. For A Grade only, one pennant season of seven rounds plus finals was conducted; no matches were rostered for those Saturdays on which country tournaments were held. The A Grade season extended from 4th April to 15th August.

For other grades Autumn and Winter seasons were held, each consisting of five rounds plus finals. There were no separate girls grades. This made for more even grading of girls teams. The Autumn season extended from 4th April to 6th June. Fiftysix teams entered (including A Grade) in nine grades. This was an increase of two teams on 1969 entries. A record five teams was entered by Whitefriars College. Winners and runners-up were:-



## GRADE

A  
A2  
A3  
B1  
B2  
B3  
C1  
C2  
C3

## WINNER

C.S.I.R.O  
Dandenong  
Fitzroy High  
Fitzroy High  
Murrumbeena High  
Whitefriars  
Hakoah  
Albert Park  
Waratah

## RUNNER-UP

H.H. & N.  
Fitzroy High  
Hakoah  
Whitefriars  
Monbulk  
Monbulk  
Legionaires  
Victoria  
Hakoah/Dandenong

## LEADING PLAYERS

<u>A</u>		<u>A2</u>		<u>A3</u>	
R. Tuckett (CSIRO)	20/1	G. Krall (Fitz.H.)	15/0	T. Kentopozidis (Fitz.H)	15/0
A. Savage (CSIRO)	19/2	C. Grouios (Fitz.H)	12/3	O. Averte (Fitz.H)	12/0
S. Knapp (W. friars)	17/1	I. Smith (Fitz.H)	12/3	A. Koraitas (Fitz.H)	12/3
J. Heaton (HH&N)	16/5	J. Williams (Dand.)	11/1	P. Bronstein (Hak)	12/3
S. Quixley (CSIRO)	15/3	D. Galvin (A. Park)	11/1	S. Scorgie (C'well)	11/4
P. Pouliou (A. Park)	15/6				

<u>B1</u>		<u>B2</u>		<u>B3</u>	
G. Doukas (Fitz.H)	15/0	R. Elliott (W. friars)	15/0	Ann Sanders (A'vale)	14/1
L. Manolopoulos (Fitz.H)	15/0	M. Ainsworth (M'beena.H)	14/1	Ann Teese (Monbulk)	13/2
P. Cameron (Fitz.H)	13/2	Fook Seng Thong		G. Kay (Coburg)	12/0
P. Sheedy (P.B.S.)	10/2	(M'beena.H)	14/1	M. Cleary (W. friars)	11/1
		G. Perry (M'beena.H)	13/2	P. Shinnick (W. friars)	11/1

<u>C1</u>		<u>C2</u>		<u>C3</u>	
T. Anstis (Legion.)	14/1	Marg. Ainsworth (Vic)	14/1	Susan Cheyne (Waratah)	15/0
A. Blight (Hak)	14/1	Marie Dunphy (Vic)	13/2	Kristine Oke (Hak. Dand)	14/1
S. Schacter (Hak)	13/2	A. Leopold (A. Park)	12/3	J. Bell (Hak. Dand)	12/0
M. Dover (St. Bedes)	11/4	A. Morrow (A. Park)	12/3	A. Bell (Hak. Dand)	10/5
M. Varney (St. Bedes)	11/4	G. Lanphier (E. Bent)	12/3		
		T. Lanphier (E. Bent)	12/3		

## 2.2 WINTER UNDER 20 PENNANT

This was conducted from 20th June to 15th August. 36 teams entered (excluding the eight A Grade teams listed under "Autumn") in six grades. Winners and runners-up were:-

GRADE	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
A2	Dandenong	Fitzroy High
A3	Hakoah	Murrumbeena High
B1	Hakoah	Albert Park
B2	Monbulk	Coburg
C1	B.M.E.B	Victoria
C2	Fitzroy High	Coburg

## LEADING PLAYERS

A2  
A. Koraitas (Fitz.H)  
T. Kentopozidis (Fitz.H)  
R. Miller (Dand)  
M. Daska (Swin)  
O. Averte (Fitz.H)  
T. Saundry (Dand)

## B2

H. Burston (SKIP)  
M. Smid (W. friars)  
S. Rigg (MonB.)  
G. Kay (Cob)  
P. Gucwa (A. Park)

## 3. CHAMPIONSHIPS AND

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Mixed Doubles  
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## LEADING PLAYERS

A2		A3		B1	
A.Koraitzas(Fitz.H)	12/3	M.Tierney(Uni)	13/2	S.Schacter(Hak)	12/3
T.Kentopozidis(Fitz.H)	12/3	M.Kapel(Hak)	11/4	M.Cleary(W.friars)	11/1
R.Miller(Dand)	10/2	Fook Seng Thong		B.Majtlis(Hak)	10/2
M.Daska (Swin)	10/5	(M'beena H)	11/4	Ann Teese(MonB.)	10/5
O.Averte(Fitz.H)	9/0	P.Bronstein(Hak)	10/5	T.Rigg(MonB.)	9/3
T.Saundry(Dand)	9/3	O.Blumberg(Swin)	10/2	N.Wood(A.Park)	9/3
B2		C1		C2	
H.Burston(SKIF)	13/2	G.Lanphier(BMEB)	15/0	A.Marakas(Fitz.H)	15/0
M.Smid(W.friars)	12/3	A.Morrow(BMEB)	14/1	Lyla Burston(Hak)	14/1
S.Rigg(MonB.)	12/3	Marie Dunphy(Vic)	12/3	S.Evagorou(Fitz.H)	13/2
G.Kay(Cob)	12/3	Keryn Keane(Cob)	12/3	R.Wolny(Cob)	12/3
P.Gucwa(A.Park)	12/3				

3. CHAMPIONSHIPS AND TOURNAMENTS3.1 VICTORIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

The 41st Annual Victorian Championships were held at the Table Tennis Centre of Victoria from 3rd - 7th August. The period used was two weeks earlier than last year to fit in the week between the last round and the finals of Winter Pennant.

This again meant that teams for the Australian Championships had to be selected prior to the playing of the Victorian Championships. However, after many requests from players, next year's Championships will be held in July so that performances in the Victorian Championships can be taken into account when choosing the teams.

Interstate competitors included Peter Powell of Adelaide and Paul Pinkewich and Ann McMahon, both of Sydney. Chayanond Wuvanich and Mary LeGassick (nee Cleaves) retained their respective singles titles.

Unfortunately the Championships were marred by a power strike on Finals Night. Thus all finals which were to be held on that Friday had to be played on Thursday.

Total number of entries in the Senior Events was 333 compared with 303 in 1969. Winners and runners-up in the events were:-

EVENT	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
Mens Singles	C.Wuvanich	G.Yeo
Mens Doubles	C.Wuvanich/G.Yeo	A.Webb/G.Stirling
Womens Singles	M.LeGassick	S.Javor
Womens Doubles	S.Javor/L.Nicholson	S.Campbell/S.Gilbert
Mixed Doubles	C.Wuvanich/M.LeGassick	J.Kilderry/D.Kilderry
Mens Special Singles	G.Munday	P.Neuhold
Mens Special Doubles		P.Mitchell/J.Montgomery

EVENT	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
Womens Special Singles	R.Greenwood	J.Bennett
Mens B Singles	J.Williams	H.Hirsch
Womens B Singles	H.Dent	J.Fraser
Mens C Singles	P.Leong	T.Chui
Mens C Doubles	P.Wardle/E.Kadarusman	T.T'Sing/P.Leong
Womens C Singles	S.Kensit	B.Taylor
Mens D Singles	A.Ho	J.Griffiths
Mens E Singles	A.Koraitzas	A.Ho

### 3.2 VICTORIAN COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS

The annual Country Championships, formerly known as Country Week, were held for the second time during Queens Birthday weekend at the Table Tennis Centre of Victoria and at Coburg Harriers clubrooms, with the "Weekly Times" again sponsoring the contests.

Ninety-five teams competed, an increase of 13 teams on 1969. Ten shields were competed for, winners being as follows:-

Mens A Grade	Atlas Shield	-	Traralgon
Womens A Grade	Atlas Shield	-	Ballarat
Mens B Grade	Riversdale Shield	-	Shepparton
Womens B Grade	Albert Cooper Shield	-	Ballarat
Mens C Grade	Len Haycraft Shield	-	Mornington Peninsula
Womens C Grade	Lynn Gilbert Shield	-	Southern District
Mens C1 Grade	Jack Nathan Shield	-	Whittlesea
Mens C2 Grade	Ian Foster Shield	-	Geelong
Mens C3 Grade	George McIlvena Shield	-	Shepparton
Mens C4 Grade	Alan Cleaves Shield	-	Whittlesea

Winners and runners-up in the individual events were:-

EVENT	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
Mens Singles	Craig Campbell(Geelong)	P.Humphries(Hamilton)
Womens Singles	S.Gilbert(Ballarat)	S.Campbell(Geelong)
Mens Doubles	G.McIlvena/Craig Campbell (Geelong)	A.Robbins/C.Johnston (Geelong)
Womens Doubles	S.Gilbert(Ball)/S.Campbell(Geel)	P.Woodward/K.Barclay (Ballarat)
Mixed Doubles	R.Rodgers/S.Gilbert(Ball)	G.Johnson/E.Wood(W'bool)
Junior Boys Singles	C.Johnston(Geelong)	Craig Campbell(Geelong)
Junior Girls Singles	S.Gilbert(Ballarat)	P.Woodward(Ballarat)
Mens B Singles	M.Rowe(Horsham)	A.Robbins(Geelong)
Womens B Singles	K.Barclay(Ballarat)	P.Price(Traralgon)
Mens C Singles	R.Cleaves(Morn.Peninsula)	W.Gale(Whittlesea)
Womens C Singles	K.Stoddard(Shepparton)	C.McEntee(Whittlesea)



## 1970 COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIP RANKINGS:

<b>Men:</b>	1. Craig Campbell(Geelong)	<b>Women:</b>	1. S.Gilbert(Ballarat)
	2. C.Johnston(Geelong)		2. S.Campbell(Geelong)
	3. P.Kluge(Traralgon)		3. E.Wood(Warrnambool)
	4. W.Hawley(Traralgon)		4. P.Woodward(Ballarat)
	5. K.Dwyer(Traralgon)		5. M.Fischer(Ballarat)
	6. M.Rowe(Horsham)		6. S.Bellamy(Geelong)
	7. D.Brown(Warrnambool)		7. K.Latimer(Traralgon)
	8. P.Humphries(Hamilton)		8. P.Price(Traralgon)

## 3.3 RIVERSDALE-HALEX EASTER TOURNAMENT

The 12th Annual Riversdale-Halex Easter Tournament was held during the Easter period from 27th - 29th March. Scheduling of matches was similar to last year. Large crowds were present during the weekend. A rather poor interstate entry this year was a little disappointing. It robbed both the teams and individual competitions of some glamor and perhaps excitement.

The Riversdale-Halex Perpetual Team Trophies were won as follows:-

Mens Section 1 - Victoria No.1 (C.Wuwanich, T.Polachek, J.Kilderry, M.Khalifa)

Womens Section 1 - Victoria No.1 (M.LeGassick, L.Gilbert, S.Javor, D.Kilderry)

Other sections were won as follows:-

Mens Section 2 - Victoria Junior

Mens Section 3 - Victoria No.4

Mens Section 4 - Victoria Colts

Mens Section 5 - Victoria No.5

Womens Section 2 - Victoria No.3

Twentyfour teams were entered for this Tournament. Total number of entries for the individual competition was 697 compared with 538 in 1969.

Winners and runners-up in the individual events were:-

EVENT	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
Mens Singles	C.Wuwanich	J.Kilderry
Mens Doubles	C.Wuwanich/G.Yeo	P.Pinkewich(NSW)/L.Pascoe
Womens Singles	S.Javor	L.Nicholson
Womens Doubles	S.Javor/L.Nicholson	M.LeGassick/L.Gilbert
Mixed Doubles	J.Nicholson/S.Javor	C.Wuwanich/S.Campbell
Junior Boys Singles	S.Knapp	A.Savige
Junior Girls Singles	V.Woodward	S.Gilbert
Mens Special Singles	A.Savige	S.Quixley
Womens Special Singles	H.Morrow	J.Bennett
Mens Special Doubles	A.Savige/S.Quixley	C.Campbell/P.Pouliou
Mens B Singles	R.Savige	C.Campbell
Womens B Singles	H.Morrow	J.Pierce
Mens C Singles	N.Bristowe	M.Stern (NSW)
Womens C Singles	M.McMillan	S.Bellamy



EVENT	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
Mens C Doubles	A.Pusztai/C.Johnston	A.Koraitzas/O.Averte
Mens D Singles	M.Stern (NSW)	D.Galvin
Mens E Singles	M.Stern (NSW)	P.Whitehead
Sub Jnr Boys Under 16	A.Savige	G.Munday
Sub Jnr Girls Under 16	S.Bellamy	M.Vaughan
Sub Jnr Boys Under 14	R.Javor	G.Pascoe
Sub Jnr Girls Under 14	P.Woodward	L.Morrow
Sub Jnr Boys Under 12	P.Gebauer (NSW)	A.Morrow
Sub Jnr Girls Under 12	L.Morrow	K.Woodward

### 3.4 MOOMBA TOURNAMENT

This event was held from 2nd - 6th March at the Table Tennis Centre of Victoria. It was retained in the form presented last year as it proved more popular than the previous years' Skolnik Cup teams matches. Total number of entries was 149 compared with last year's 142.

Winners and runners-up were:-

EVENT	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
Mens Singles	C.Wuvanich	W.Bates
Womens Singles	S.Javor	D.Kilderry
Mens Doubles	C.Wuvanich/G.Yeo	J.Kilderry/D.Lindsay
Womens Doubles	M.LeGassick/L.Gilbert	S.Javor/L.Nicholson
Mixed Doubles	C.Wuvanich/M.LeGassick	J.Nicholson/S.Javor
Mens Restricted Singles	J.Heaton	K.Kuhlken
Womens Restricted Singles	E.Wachs	J.Atkin
Under 21 Mens Singles	R.Sutherland	P.Pouliou
Under 21 Womens Singles	S.Campbell	E.Wachs
Graded Singles		
Section 1	P.Pouliou	D.Blackburn
Section 2	J.McCabe	E.Wachs
Section 3	R.Werrett	L.Morrow

### 3.5 CITY OF MELBOURNE TOURNAMENT

This event was held from 6th - 8th November at the Table Tennis Centre of Victoria and was the last major VTTA tournament for the year. The program was expanded to cater more for graded players. Total number of entries was 234.

Winners and runners-up were:-

EVENT	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
Mens Singles	A.Savige	J.Kilderry
Womens Singles	D.Kilderry	M.LeGassick
Mens Doubles	D.Lindsay/J.Kilderry	A.Savige/R.Tuckett
Womens Doubles	S.Javor/L.Nicholson	D.Kilderry/M.LeGassick
Mixed Doubles	A.Savige/M.LeGassick	J.Nicholson/S.Javor

EVENT	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
Mens Restricted Singles	P.Mitchell	T.Saundry
Womens Combined Singles	H.Morrow	L.Morrow
Graded Singles		
Section 1	D.Samuels	R.Javor
Section 2	D.Samuels	P.Leong
Section 3	R.Luitjen	P.Leong
Section 4	W.Skubig	W.Godfrey
Section 5	P.Lauk	M.Worrell
Under 21 Mens Singles	A.Savice	G.Munday
Graded Doubles		
Section 1	G.Pascoe/A.Tabone	F.Gauci/P.Mascall
Section 2	P.Mernone/G.Birse	P.Bronstein/R.Rozen

### 3.6 VICTORIAN CLOSED TOURNAMENT

This event was retained this year to provide additional tournament match play for top grade players. However, it was expanded to allow players of every standard to take part. It was held from 3rd - 5th July. Total number of entries was 190.

Winners and runners-up were:-

EVENT	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
Mens Singles	C.Wuwanich	G.Yeo
Womens Singles	S.Javor	M.LeGassick
Mens Doubles	C.Wuwanich/G.Yeo	A.Webb/G.Stirling
Womens Doubles	S.Javor/L.Nicholson	D.Kilderry/M.LeGassick
Mixed Doubles	J.Nicholson/S.Javor	A.Webb/L.Nicholson
Mens Restricted Singles	J.Nicholson	V.Matison
Womens Restricted Singles	V.Woodward	H.Morrow
Graded Singles		
Section 1	G.Munday	D.Blackburn
Section 2	P.Leong	T.Saundry
Section 3	W.Dobson	J.Fraser

### 3.7 VICTORIAN JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

These events were held at the Table Tennis Centre of Victoria on Saturday, 1st August. The highlight of the Championships was the win by Robert Tuckett of Croydon over Peter Powell of Adelaide in the final of the Junior Boys Singles. At the same time tribute must be paid to Powell who, still only 16 years of age, had won the title (and the Ken Adamson Perpetual Trophy which goes with it) for the four preceding years. Vicki Woodward of Ballarat became the new title-holder of the girls singles.

The entry of a group of boys from NSW added interest to the Sub-junior events.

We thank the Shell Co. of Australia Ltd. for sponsoring these championships. Total number of entries was 265.



Winners and runners-up were:-

EVENT	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
Junior Boys Singles	R.Tuckett	P.Powell (SA)
Junior Girls Singles	V.Woodward	S.Gilbert
Junior Boys Doubles	S.Knapp/R.Tuckett	S.Quixley/A.Savige
Junior Girls Doubles	S.Gilbert/V.Woodward	J.Bennett/D.Fraser
Junior Mixed Doubles	S.Knapp/R.Greenwood	P.Neuhold/D.Fraser
Under 16 Boys Singles	C.Campbell	A.Savige
Under 16 Girls Singles	R.Greenwood	M.Vaughan
Under 15 Boys Doubles	S.Constantinidis/ J.McCabe	R.Javor/G.Pascoe
Under 15 Girls Doubles	L.Morrow/M.Vaughan	M.Fischer/P.Woodward
Under 14 Boys Singles	R.Javor	G.Pascoe
Under 14 Girls Singles	L.Morrow	M.Fischer
Under 12 Boys Singles	P.Gebauer (NSW)	A.Morrow
Under 12 Girls Singles	L.Morrow	K.Woodward
Boys Special Singles		
"A"	J.Williams	J.McCabe
"B"	D.Francis	B.Harper
"C"	V.Lazer	P.Matrakis
Girls Special Singles		
"A"	M.Vaughan	J.Whitehead
"B"	K.Woodward	J.Adams

### 3.8 VICTORIAN JUNIOR TEAMS CHAMPIONSHIPS

These events were held at the Table Tennis Centre of Victoria on Saturday, 22nd August. An entry of 76 teams (52 boys teams, 24 girls teams) was received. The boys grades contained slightly more city teams than teams from country centres, but the reverse applied in the girls grades. Both boys and girls shields for A Grades were retained by the 1969 winners. Winners and runners-up were:-

GRADE	WINNERS	RUNNERS-UP	
Boys A	Croydon/Donvale	- S.Knapp/R.Tuckett	Camberwell/Ivanhoe
Boys A2	Time	- R.Javor/G.Pascoe	Albert Park
Boys A3	Fitzroy	- O.Averte/R.Rouito	Fitzroy High School
Boys B1	Traralgon	- L.Price/P.Price	Mornington
Boys B2	Ballarat	- L.Brennan/M.Quarrell	Colac
Boys C1	Ballarat	- S.Bettes/P.Quarrell	Beaubeena
Boys C2	Geelong	- G.Cowan/G.Jephcott	Wonthaggi
Girls A	Ballarat	- S.Gilbert/V.Woodward	Balwyn/Heidelberg
Girls A2	Ballarat	- M.Fischer/P.Woodward	Geelong
Girls B	Ballarat	- M.Diamond/K.Woodward	Geelong
Girls C	Warrnambool	- J.Boyle/R.McPherson	Balwyn High School



### 3.9 VICTORIAN SUB-JUNIOR TEAMS CHAMPIONSHIPS

These were held at the Table Tennis of Victoria on Saturday, 26th September. 36 teams (24 boys teams, 12 girls teams) entered. The Championships were restricted to players under 15 years of age. Melbourne Red won the boys shield, while Ballarat won the girls shield.

Winners and runners-up were:-

GRADE	WINNERS		RUNNERS-UP
Boys A	Melbourne Red	- S.Constantinidis/A.Savige	Time
Boys A2	Geelong	- R.Mazurkiewicz/P.Whitehead	Whitefriars
Boys B1	Hakoah	- P.Bronstein/J.Cyngler	Geelong
Boys B2	Hakoah	- P.Gucwa/B.Majtlis	Stars
Boys C1	Geelong	- C.Bellamy/G.Jephcott	Albert Park
Boys C2	Hakoah/Wonthaggi	- A.Bell/K.Donohue	Warrnambool
Girls A	Ballarat	- K.Barclay/P.Woodward	Geelong/Warrnambool
Girls B	Ballarat/Melbourne	- M.Diamond/K.Keane	Warrnambool
Girls C	Warrnambool	- P.Condon/C.O'Brien	Geelong

### 3.10 VICTORIAN CLOSED JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

These were held at the Table Tennis Centre of Victoria on Saturday, 4th July. An entry of 400 was spread over 21 events. As usual, juniors came from far and wide - Ballarat, Geelong, Monbulk, Warrnambool and Traralgon being well represented. Victoria is fortunate in having so many supporters who are prepared to devote their time to coaching juniors and bringing them to the main tournaments.

The perpetual trophies for winners of boys and girls singles went to Stephen Knapp (W.J.Edwards Cup) and Vicki Woodward (Eric Moy Cup).

Winners and runners-up were:-

EVENT	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
Junior Boys Singles	S.Knapp(Whitefriars)	J.Heaton(Victoria)
Junior Girls Singles	V.Woodward(Ballarat)	R.Greenwood(Coburg)
Junior Boys Doubles	G.Munday/P.Neuhold	C.Campbell/P.Pouliou
Junior Girls Doubles	P.Woodward/V.Woodward	J.Bennett/D.Fraser
Junior Mixed Doubles	D.Heaton/V.Woodward	A.Savige/R.Greenwood
Under 16 Boys Singles	A.Savige(Rainbow)	G.Munday(Rainbow)
Under 16 Girls Singles	R.Greenwood(Coburg)	M.Vaughan(Warrnambool)
Under 14 Boys Singles	R.Javor(Hakoah)	G.Pascoe(Coburg)
Under 14 Girls Singles	L.Morrow(Brighton)	P.Woodward(Ballarat)
Under 12 Boys Singles	N.Neville(Ascot Vale)	A.Morrow(Brighton)
Under 12 Girls Singles	L.Morrow(Brighton)	K.Woodward(Ballarat)
Boys Special Singles		
"1"	C.Johnston(Geelong)	G.Pascoe(Coburg)
"2"	O.Averte(Fitzroy)	P.Whitehead(Geelong)

EVENT	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
Girls Special Singles	K.Barclay(Ballarat)	M.Fischer(Ballarat)
Boys Special Doubles	C.Johnston/C.Campbell	J.McCabe/S.Constantinidis
Girls Special Doubles	K.Barclay/K.Woodward	J.Chatterton/L.Morrow
Special Mixed Doubles	K.Charles/M.Vaughan	R.Javor/P.Woodward
Boys B Singles	A.Ho(Caulfield High)	A.Pusztai(Geelong)
Girls B Singles	K.Barclay(Ballarat)	P.McPherson(Warrnambool)
Boys B Doubles	N.Hodgens/J.Majoor	F.Thong/A.Ho
Boys C Singles	D.Tibb(Warrnambool)	A.Sutherland(Geelong)

### 3.11 MOOMBA JUNIOR TOURNAMENT

This was held on Saturday, 7th March, consisting of five main junior events (knock-out) and graded singles events for boys and girls, each division of which was run on a group system so that each competitor played at least two rubbers before being eliminated. Total entry was 168. Trophies and medallions for winners of the main events were donated by the Moomba Organising Committee.

Winners and runners-up were:-

EVENT	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
Junior Boys Singles	R.Tuckett	S.Quixley
Junior Girls Singles	J.Atkin	S.Gilbert
Junior Boys Doubles	S.Quixley/A.Savige	S.Knapp/R.Tuckett
Junior Girls Doubles	S.Gilbert/V.Woodward	M.Fischer/P.Woodward
Junior Mixed Doubles	S.Knapp/R.Greenwood	G.Munday/J.Bennett
Boys Graded Singles		
Section 1	D.Heaton	C.Johnston
Section 2	S.Wojcik	P.Tsakmakis
Section 3	A.Koraitsas	I.Crane
Section 4	Chris Cambell	S.Schachter
Girls Graded Singles		
Section 1	D.Fraser	L.Morrow
Section 2	J.Adams	K.Woodward

### 3.12 COUNTRY TOURNAMENTS

Difficulties with venues caused Shepparton and Traralgon to drop out of the circuit of three-star country tournaments, but Geelong and Ballarat held second tournaments to fill the vacancies. Three-star tournaments were also held by Horsham and Warrnambool.

Other open tournaments were held by Mildura, Donald and Yea.

Attendances by Melbourne players at country tournaments were less than in previous years.

Winners of main events at three-star tournaments were:-



EVENT	GEELONG 1	BALLARAT 1	HORSHAM
Mens Singles - Winner	T.Polachek	C.Wuwanich	M.Khalifa
Runner-up	D.Lindsay	G.Yeo	G.Stirling
Womens Singles - Winner	D.Kilderry	S.Campbell	S.Campbell
Runner-up	V.Woodward	V.Woodward	S.Gilbert
Mens Doubles - Winner	J.Kilderry/ D.Lindsay	C.Wuwanich/ G.Yeo	S.Knapp/ R.Tuckett
Womens Doubles - Winner	D.Kilderry/ S.Javor	D.Kilderry/ M.LeGassick	S.Campbell/ S.Gilbert
Mixed Doubles - Winner	J.Nicholson/ S.Javor	C.Wuwanich/ M.LeGassick	R.Tuckett/ V.Woodward
Under 18 Boys - Winner	S.Quixley	A.Savige	A.Savige
Under 18 Girls - Winner	D.Fraser	V.Woodward	S.Gilbert
	GEELONG 2	WARRNAMBOOL	BALLARAT 2
Mens Singles - Winner	C.Wuwanich	J.Kilderry	L.Pascoe
Runner-up	J.Kilderry	W.Bates	D.Lindsay
Womens Singles - Winner	M.LeGassick	D.Kilderry	L.Gilbert
Runner-up	D.Kilderry	M.LeGassick	E.Wachs
Mens Doubles - Winner	A.Savige/ S.Quixley	G.Stirling/ W.Bates	C.Wuwanich/ G.Stirling
Womens Doubles - Winner	M.LeGassick/ D.Kilderry	M.LeGassick/ D.Kilderry	L.Gilbert/ V.Woodward
Mixed Doubles - Winner	C.Wuwanich/ M.LeGassick	G.Stirling/ M.LeGassick	T.Polachek/ S.Gilbert
Under 18 Boys - Winner	S.Knapp	A.Savige	R.Tuckett
Under 18 Girls - Winner	V.Woodward	S.Gilbert	S.Gilbert

### 3.13 CHAMPIONSHIPS IN OTHER STATES

#### TASMANIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

S.Quixley and Miss S.Gilbert were invited to play in these Championships. Sue Gilbert won the Womens Singles, Junior Girls Singles, Womens Doubles (with S.McLeod) and the Mixed Doubles (with S.Quixley). Shayne Quixley also won the Junior Boys Singles and the Mens Consolation Singles.

#### CITY OF ADELAIDE

A record number of Victorian players (57), mainly juniors, competed in the City of Adelaide Championships in January. A highlight was the clash between C.Wuwanich and S.Gibbs (England) in the mens singles final. Victorian players acquitted themselves well in individual events and in the subjunior teams matches against South Australian teams.

In individual events, C.Wuwanich won the Mens Singles, while C.Wuwanich/A.Savige were runners-up in the Mens Doubles. S.Quixley won the Junior Boys Singles, beating P.Powell in a quarter-final and A.Frankenburg in the final. V.Woodward was runner-up in the Junior Girls Singles. P.Pouliou won the Mens Second Singles.

Sub-junior events won by Victorian players were:-

Under 16 Boys Singles - G.Munday; Under 16 Girls Singles - V.Woodward; Under 16 Boys Doubles - S.Knapp/R.Tuckett; Under 16 Girls Doubles - J.Bennett/R.Greenwood; Under 16 Mixed Doubles - S.Knapp/R.Greenwood; Under 14 Boys Singles - A.Savige.

Victoria entered 12 teams in the sub-junior teams competition and won three of the four shields awarded.

Results of the more important matches were:-

Boys Under 16 - Victoria No.1 - S.Knapp, S.Quixley, A.Savige, R.Tuckett - d. SA No.1 9/0; d. Tasmania 9/0  
 Girls Under 16 - Victoria No.1 - J.Bennett, S.Gilbert, R.Greenwood, J.Whitehead - d. SA No.1.6/3  
 Boys Under 14 - Victoria No.1 - C.Campbell, S.Constantinidis, S.Hayes, J.McCabe - d. SA No.1.7/2  
 Girls Under 14 - South Australia No. 1 d. Victoria No. 1 - J.Pierce, M.Vaughan, P.Woodward - 8/1

#### CANBERRA CHAMPIONSHIPS

C.Wuvanich and G.Yeo played in this event in which Wuvanich defeated M.Wilcox (NSW) to win the Mens Singles.

In conjunction with these Championships the NSW Table Tennis Association sponsored an interstate match between Victoria (C.Wuvanich and G.Yeo) and the NSW team of M.Wilcox and P.Pinkewich. Victoria defeated NSW 3/2.

#### 3.14 HANDICAP TOURNAMENTS

Ten handicaps were held during the year, bringing together members of the public and registered players of this Association. The tournaments were held on the second Sunday afternoon of each month and provide practice opportunities at a very modest cost.

The introduction of the Progressive Points score chart in 1969 proved popular and was continued this year, the aggregate winner being awarded a Christmas Hamper. Special thanks go to all those who organised the play each month.

Winners for each month were:-

MARCH	-	J.Williams	AUGUST	-	T.Kentiposidis
APRIL	-	D.Galvin	SEPTEMBER	-	H.Hesslinger
MAY	-	O.Averte	OCTOBER	-	P.Cameron
JUNE	-	D.Lindsay	NOVEMBER	-	J.Williams
JULY	-	J.McCabe	DECEMBER	-	M.Tierney

Progressive points score winner - J.Williams (50 points)



### 3.15 METROPOLITAN SCHOOLS CHAMPIONSHIPS

In its second year this championship showed a large increase in team entries. The introduction of an Under 15 Girls competition proved popular and we thank Mrs. Joan Guggenheim for donating the perpetual shield in this section.

The total entry was 86 teams, representing 36 schools. Plans are in hand to form a Melbourne Schools Table Tennis Association which will lead to smoother planning and control of the championships.

Results were as follows:-

GRADE	WINNERS	RUNNERS-UP
Boys Open 'A'	Melbourne High School	Dandenong Technical School
Boys Open 'B'	Fitzroy High School	R.M.I.T.
Boys Under 15 'A'	Fitzroy High School	Camberwell High School
Boys Under 15 'B'	Fitzroy High School	Syndal High School
Girls Open 'A'	St.Leonards P.L.C.	Heidelberg High School
Girls Open 'B'	Balwyn High School	St Johns College
Girls Under 15 'A'	Presbyterian Ladies College	- winners of group
Girls Under 15 'B'	Syndal High School	Kew High School

Congratulations to Melbourne High School (John and Dallas Heaton) on retaining the Open Boys Title, also to Fitzroy High School who undoubtedly would be the strongest all-round table tennis school in Australia. It is of great interest to note that Victoria's leading junior and sub-junior players represented their schools in these championships.

### 4. AUSTRALIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

#### 4.1 AUSTRALIAN TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS

The 1970 Silver Jubilee National Championships were conducted by the NSW Table Tennis Association from August 31st to September 4th. The matches were played at the Basketball Centre, Alexandria, Sydney, and imported Dunlop-Barna tables were used.

The Victorian teams again performed well to win the Womens, Junior Boys and Junior Girls Shields, but the NSW Mens team proved too strong for Victoria.

The Barna Award for the most outstanding player was won by C.Wuvanich, and the Michael Szabados Award for the most outstanding Junior player was won by R.Tuckett. Victoria retained the Trudek Award for the most outstanding State of the year.

#### PLAYERS

Mens team: C.Wuvanich (Captain), J.Kilderry, G.Stirling, G.Yeo  
 Womens team: S.Campbell, S.Javor, D.Kilderry, M.LeGassick, V.Woodward  
 Mr. K.Javor (Non-playing captain)

## PLAYERS

Boys team: S.Knapp, S.Quixley, A.Savige, R.Tuckett  
Mr.P.Mascall (Non-playing captain)

Girls team: J.Atkin, S.Gilbert, V.Woodward  
Dr.W.Savige (Non-playing captain)

Senior Teams Manager - Mr.K.Javor

Junior Teams Manager - Dr.W.Savige

## RESULTS

## TEAMS FINISHED IN THE FOLLOWING ORDER

<u>Men</u>	Victoria d Tasmania	9-0	1. New South Wales
	Victoria d West Australia	9-0	2. Victoria
	Victoria d Queensland	9-0	3. South Australia
	Victoria d South Australia	7-2	4. Queensland
	N.S.W. d Victoria	8-1	5. Tasmania
			6. West Australia

WINNER SPALDING SHIELD - New South Wales

<u>Women</u>	Victoria d West Australia	9-0	1. Victoria
	Victoria d Tasmania	9-0	2. New South Wales
	Victoria d Queensland	8-1	3. South Australia
	Victoria d South Australia	7-2	4. Queensland
	Victoria d N.S.W.	5-4	5. Tasmania
			6. West Australia

WINNER R.H.JONES SHIELD - Victoria

<u>Boys</u>	Victoria d West Australia	5-0	1. Victoria
	Victoria d Tasmania	5-0	2. South Australia
	Victoria d Queensland	5-0	3. New South Wales
	Victoria d N.S.W.	5-0	4. Queensland
	Victoria d South Australia	5-0	5. Tasmania
			6. West Australia

WINNER J.P.OLIPHANT SHIELD - Victoria

<u>Girls</u>	Victoria d West Australia	5-0	1. Victoria
	Victoria d South Australia	5-0	2. South Australia
	Victoria d N.S.W.	5-0	3. Tasmania
	Victoria d Queensland	4-1	4. Queensland
	Victoria d Tasmania	4-1	5. West Australia
			6. New South Wales

WINNER HAINES BOWL - Victoria

## 4.2 INDIVIDUAL EVENTS

Victorian players dominated these events winning all but one of the major titles. The Mens Singles, Womens Singles, Mixed Doubles, Womens Doubles, Junior Boys Singles and Junior Girls Singles were all won by Victorians, Victorians were also runners-up in Mens Doubles, Womens Singles, Mixed Doubles and Junior Girls Singles.

Congratulations go to Mrs. Suzy Javor who returned to the Victorian team and won her 10th Australian Womens Singles title.



This is an amazing record which should stand for many years.

The depth of talent in the boys and girls junior ranks was evident in the Championships and this must augur well for the success of future Victorian senior teams.

Winners and runners-up were:-

EVENT	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
Mens Singles	C.Wuvarich(Vic)	M.Wilcox(NSW)
Mens Doubles	Lee Mun Chew/P.Pinkewich(NSW)	C.Wuvarich/G.Yeo(Vic)
Womens Singles	S.Javor(Vic)	M.LeGassick(Vic)
Womens Doubles	S.Javor/M.LeGassick(Vic)	D.Kilderry/V.Woodward(Vic)
Mixed Doubles	C.Wuvarich/M.LeGassick(Vic)	G.Yeo/S.Javor(Vic)
Junior Boys Singles	R.Tuckett(Vic)	P.Powell(SA)
Junior Girls Singles	S.Gilbert(Vic)	V.Woodward(Vic)
Mens Cons.Singles	T.McEntyre(NSW)	G.Munday(Vic)
Womens Cons.Singles	L.Barrow(Q'ld)	J.Atkin(Vic)

The 1970 Australian Rankings were as follows:-

<u>Men</u>			<u>Women</u>		
1.	C.Wuvarich	(VIC) (1)	1.	S.Javor	(VIC) (-)
2.	Lee Mun Chew	(NSW) (3)	2.	M.LeGassick	(VIC) (1)
3.	M.Wilcox	(NSW) (4)	3.	J.Lane	(SA) (3)
4.	P.Pinkewich	(NSW) (5)	4.	A.McMahon	(NSW) (10)
5.	G.Yeo	(VIC) (2)	5.	F.Smith	(NSW) (4)
6.	A.Frankenburg	(SA) (7)	6.	D.Kilderry	(VIC) (-)
7.	P.Powell	(SA) (9)	7.	D.Gavros	(SA) (5)
8.	G.Stirling	(VIC) (-)	8.	L.Barrow	(QLD) (-)
9.	M.Thomson	(SA) (-)	9.	J.Brown	(NSW) (-)
10.	J.Kilderry	(VIC) (-)	10.	S.Campbell	(VIC) (7)

(Figures in brackets indicate 1969 rankings)

Not ranked due to insufficient performances: L.Gilbert(Vic) - R.Owen(SA)

Senior Player of the Year (Victor Barna Award) - C.Wuvarich(Vic)

<u>Boys</u>			<u>Girls</u>		
1.	P.Powell	(SA) (2)	1.	S.Gilbert	(VIC) (4)
2.	R.Tuckett	(VIC) (4)	2.	V.Woodward	(VIC) (3)
3.	A.Savidge	(VIC) (7)	3.	S.Davey	(SA) (8)
4.	S.Knapp	(VIC) (-)	4.	J.Chigwidden	(SA) (-)
5.	G.Walmsley	(QLD) (6)	5.	G.Buckby	(SA) (-)
6.	S.Quixley	(VIC) (-)	6.	L.Bonham	(TAS) (6)
7.	T.McEntyre	(NSW) (8)	7.	R.Wilson	(QLD) (-)
8.	R.Kelly	(SA) (-)	8.	A.Hamlyn	(WA) (-)

Junior Player of the Year (Michael Szabados Award) - R.Tuckett(Vic)

Outstanding State of the Year (Trudek Award) - Victoria

#### 4.3 AUSTRALIAN SUB-JUNIOR TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS

The second Australian Subjunior Championships were conducted by the Tasmanian Table Tennis Association at Hobart from 11th to 16th May. Two changes had been made to the ATTA regulations affecting the conduct of the team events. Firstly, the clause which debarred a player holding or having held an Australian Senior or Junior ranking from representing a State in any sub-junior team event was rescinded. All States were thus free to field their strongest teams. Secondly, all matches consisted of 5 rubbers (4 singles and doubles) instead of 11 rubbers (9 singles and 2 doubles) as in 1969. The main purpose of the latter change was presumably to make it easier for the two States that did not participate in 1969 to join in, but it did not have the desired effect.

Consequently the amount of match play obtained, particularly by members of the girls teams, was unfortunately curtailed. South Australia, Tasmania and Victoria were represented in both boys and girls team events, while New South Wales was represented in boys events only.

Perpetual Shields for the Boys Under 16 and Girls Under 16 Teams Championships were donated by Dr.W.Savidge (Victoria) and Mr.J.Hannon (Tasmania) respectively, while Dr.J.Jackson (South Australia) donated a shield to be known as the Laurie Wharmby for the Boys Under 14 section. Victorian teams were:-

Boys Under 16 - C.Johnston, G.Munday, A.Savidge  
 Girls Under 16 - S.Bellamy, R.Greenwood, H.Morrow  
 Boys Under 14 - R.Javor, R.Mazurkiewicz, G.Pascoe  
 Girls Under 14 - M.Fischer, L.Morrow, P.Woodward

Dr.W.Savidge and Mr.P.Mascall were team managers.

The Victorian teams included several players from country associations - S.Bellamy, C.Johnston and R.Mazurkiewicz from Geelong, and M.Fischer and P.Woodward from Ballarat.

Victoria were untroubled to retain the Boys Under 16 teams title, but narrowly lost the Girls Under 16 title to South Australia. In the Boys Under 14 section Victoria suffered a shock 2/3 defeat by New South Wales, both G.Pascoe and R.Javor going down to W.Robson. However, in the Girls Under 14 section Victoria 'whitewashed' the favoured South Australian team, both P.Woodward and L.Morrow beating the highly rated K.Chigwidden.

Results for Victorian teams were:-

Boys Under 16 - Victoria d Tasmania 5-0; d NSW 5-0; d SA 5-0.  
 Placing: 1. Victoria; 2. SA; 3. NSW; 4. Tasmania  
 Girls Under 16 - Victoria d Tasmania 4-1; lost to SA 2-3.  
 Placing: 1. SA; 2. Victoria; 3. Tasmania  
 Boys Under 14 - Victoria d SA 5-0; d Tasmania 4-1; lost to NSW 2-3.  
 Placing: 1. NSW; 2. Victoria; 3. SA; 4. Tasmania  
 Girls Under 14 - Victoria d Tasmania 5-0; d SA 5-0.  
 Placing: 1. Victoria; 2. SA; 3. Tasmania



#### 4.4 AUSTRALIAN SUB-JUNIOR INDIVIDUAL EVENTS

Victorian players acquitted themselves well in most of the individual events. Only two events - Boys Under 16 Doubles and Boys Under 14 Singles were won by the top seeds. In the Under 16 Boys Singles, top-seeded A.Savidge lost to G.Munday (No.2) in the final, while in the Under 16 Girls Singles, L.Bonham (Tasmania) lost to G.Buckby (SA) in a semifinal. In the Under 14 Girls Singles, L.Morrow (Victoria) scored an upset semifinal win over top-seeded K.Chigwidden (SA).

Results were as follows:-

EVENT	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
Under 16 Boys Singles	G.Munday (Vic)	A.Savidge (Vic)
Under 16 Girls Singles	J.Chigwidden (SA)	G.Buckby (SA)
Under 16 Boys Doubles	G.Munday/A.Savidge (Vic)	W.Robson/K.Stapleton(NSW)
Under 16 Girls Doubles	G.Buckby/L.Hourigan (SA)	J. & K.Chigwidden (SA)
Under 16 Mixed Doubles	C.Johnston/S.Bellamy (Vic)	G.Munday/H.Morrow (Vic)
Under 14 Boys Singles	R.Javor (Vic)	W.Robson (NSW)
Under 14 Girls Singles	P.Woodward (Vic)	L.Morrow (Vic)

Perpetual trophies were awarded to winners of singles events. The trophy for the under 16 girls singles, to be known as the Jim Ferguson Memorial Cup was donated by Mr.L.Wharmby (Tasmania), while the trophy for the under 14 boys singles, to be known as the Joe Nies Memorial Cup, was donated by Mr.P.Mascall.

The Tasmanian Table Tennis Association are to be congratulated for the excellent handling of the championships - both team and individual. The extent of newspaper, radio and television coverage was phenomenal. The provision of billets for several Victorian team members was very much appreciated. The outings arranged by our hosts also left a memorable impression.

#### 5. SPECIAL EVENTS

##### 5.1 EXHIBITIONS

Many times during the year the association is asked to provide players and facilities for exhibitions. This aspect of promotion is very important as it introduces table tennis to new audiences showing the game both as a sport and an entertainment medium. Out thanks go to those players and officials who give their time in playing and arranging the exhibitions.

#### 6. RANKINGS AND AWARDS

##### 6.1 SENIOR RANKINGS

The State Selectors have announced the following rankings for Victoria:-

Men

1.	C.Wuwanich	(1)	Rainbow
2.	G.Yeo	(2)	Monash
3.	G.Stirling	(8)	St Kilda Ckt
4.	J.Kilderry	(10)	Cob.Harriers
5.	A.Webb	(-)	Hakoah
6.	T.Polachek	(5)	Hakoah
7.	A.Savidge	(-)	Rainbow
8.	J.Nicholson	(6)	Cob.Harriers
9.	W.Bates	(-)	St Kilda Ckt.
10.	D.Lindsay	(9)	Monash

Women

1.	S.Javor	(-)	Hakoah
2.	M.LeGassick	(1)	Cob.Harriers
3.	D.Kilderry	(4)	Cob.Harriers
4.	L.Nicholson	(-)	Hakoah
5.	S.Campbell	(3)	Geelong
6.	V.Woodward	(6)	Ballarat
7.	P.Rosario	(-)	Victoria
8.	L.Wachs	(-)	Melbourne
9.	S.Gilbert	(-)	Ballarat
10.	C.Kirchhof	(8)	Melbourne

L.Pascoe (University), H.Venner (Rainbow) and Miss L.Gilbert (Victoria) were not ranked due to insufficient performances.

6.2 JUNIOR RANKINGSBoys

1.	R.Tuckett	(2)	Croydon
2.	A.Savidge	(3)	Rainbow
3.	S.Knapp	(4)	Whitefriars
4.	S.Quixley	(5)	Rainbow
5.	G.Munday	(9)	Rainbow
6.	J.Heaton	(6)	Victoria
7.	P.Neuhold	(7)	Rainbow
8.	P.Pouliou	(-)	EEAMA
9.	D.Heaton	(10)	Victoria
10.	C.Campbell	(-)	Geelong

Girls

1.	S.Gilbert	(3)	Ballarat
2.	V.Woodward	(2)	Ballarat
3.	J.Atkin	(6)	Victoria
4.	R.Greenwood	(4)	Coburg
5.	H.Morrow	(-)	Melbourne
6.	D.Fraser	(9)	Victoria
7.	J.Bennett	(7)	Victoria
8.	P.Woodward	(-)	Ballarat
9.	M.Vaughan	(-)	Warrnambool
10.	L.Morrow	(-)	Brighton

Under 16 Boys

1.	A.Savidge	(2)	Rainbow
2.	G.Munday	(7)	Rainbow
3.	C.Campbell	(-)	Geelong
4.	C.Johnston	(-)	Geelong
5.	J.McCabe	(-)	EEAMA
6.	C.Ervine	(-)	Rainbow
7.	S.Constantinidis	(-)	Rainbow
8.	R.Javor	(-)	Hakoah

Under 16 Girls

1.	R.Greenwood	(2)	Coburg
2.	H.Morrow	(-)	Melbourne
3.	P.Woodward	(7)	Ballarat
4.	M.Vaughan	(6)	Warrnambool
5.	L.Morrow	(-)	Brighton
6.	M.Fischer	(-)	Ballarat
7.	K.Barclay	(-)	Ballarat
S.Bellamy (Geelong) was not ranked due to insufficient performances.			

Under 14 Boys

1.	R.Javor	(5)	Hakoah
2.	G.Pascoe	(6)	Coburg
3.	R.Mazurkiewicz	(-)	Geelong
4.	D.Francis	(-)	Whitefriars
5.	D.Wright	(-)	Warrnambool

Under 14 Girls

1.	P.Woodward	(2)	Ballarat
2.	L.Morrow	(-)	Brighton
3.	M.Fischer	(6)	Ballarat
4.	K.Woodward	(-)	Ballarat
5.	A.Sanders	(-)	Penleigh
6.	A.Campbell	(-)	Geelong
M.Diamond (Ballarat) was not ranked due to insufficient performances.			

(Figures in brackets indicate 1969 rankings)



### 6.3 FRENCH AWARD

The French Award is made in recognition of those qualities by which in addition to playing ability the prestige and reputation of table tennis is established. The winner for 1970 was C.Wuvanich.

### 6.4 JUNIOR PLAYER OF THE YEAR AWARD

This perpetual trophy was donated by the Coburg Harriers Table Tennis Club. The conditions are similar to those of the French Award. The winner for 1970 was R.Tuckett.

### 7. TOP PLAYERS LADDER

C.Wuvanich and S.Javor proved themselves to be the top Victorian players for 1970 by dominating their sections of the Top Players' Ladder. The ladder, a tally of performances by the top players in VTTA winter pennant, country and metropolitan open tournaments, the Victorian Open Championships and the Australian Open Championships, is in its fourth year, and has been won once before by this year's winners. Wuvanich won last year's Men's section, and Mrs. Javor won the 1967 inaugural Women's section.

The final state of the Top Players Ladder was as follows:-

<u>Men</u>		<u>Women</u>	
1. C.Wuvanich	257 points	1. S.Javor	237 points
2. G.Yeo	141 "	2. M.LeGassick	185 "
3. J.Kilderry	120 "	3. D.Kilderry	165 "
4. D.Lindsay	106 "	4. L.Nicholson	128 "
5. G.Stirling	100 "	5. L.Gilbert	83 "
6. W.Bates	93 "	6. P.Rosario	78 "
7. H.Venner	80 "	7. L.Wachs	71 "
8. T.Polachek	79 "	8. J.Atkin	64 "
9. A.Webb			
10. A.Savige			

### 8. TABLE TENNIS CENTRE OF VICTORIA

As in past years, all major events in Victoria were played at the Centre. The highlight of the year in this respect was the International Match and Tournament in which Swedish players Hans Alser and Kjell Johannsen participated. Special mention must be made of the visit of Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth and other members of the Royal Family on April 5th. Representatives of several metropolitan and country affiliated associations, several pennant clubs, as well as individual players, past and present officials gave an enthusiastic welcome to the Royal party.

The Centre was also used to hold a Sportsmens Dinner to raise funds for overseas tours and over 250 attended a successful night on February 27th.

## 8.1 BUILDING

Major works were carried out by enclosure of the Foyer area and addition of better seating in this area. Glazing in the area was carried out by the courtesy of Yenckens Pty.Ltd. The Hakoah clubroom area was completed by lining of the walls. Further donations of floor tiles enabled additional area to be covered.

The accounts for the Centre are recorded in the Revenue Account at the end of this report.

## 8.2 STAFF

The Centre staff has remained stable for the year with Mrs. Joan Guggenheim again rendering excellent service. She was assisted by Miss Linda Simpson (Office) and Mr. Nick Katsiris (Building Superintendent).

## 8.3 DUTY OFFICERS

Mrs. B. Richards left the position of permanent duty officer and she has been replaced by part-time receptionistes. We extend our thanks to all those who officiated during the year.

## 8.4 ALBERT PARK TRUST

We again extend our thanks to Senator P.J.Kennelly and his Committee for their co-operation during the year.

## 9. PROMOTION OFFICER/COACH

At the end of May, the three year contract of State Coach/Promotion Officer, Mr.Harry Venner, came to an end and Mr.Venner decided to return to England. During his term with the VMTA, Mr.Venner has been responsible for an upsurge in the numbers and standards of junior players in the State and Victoria will continue to benefit from his work in this field.

As in the previous years a considerable portion of his time was spent in visiting schools for coaching and demonstration sessions and the value of this program has been seen in the increase in schools entering the Metropolitan Schools Competition.

The mass junior coaching scheme on Saturdays was also continued and, as an extension from this scheme, smaller groups were also coached. The sub-junior squad was under the supervision of Mr.Venner and the benefits of this were seen in their performances in Hobart.

The Melbourne City Council's Holiday Sports and Recreation Program and Springvale Youth Exhibition both utilized Mr.Venner in introducing table tennis to youth in their districts. Visits to country centres were again undertaken and this year Ballarat, Kyabram, Warragul had the benefit of Mr.Venner's coaching. The loss of Mr.Venner to all the above activities will be severely felt and the Association is seeking ways of building upon the excellent foundations laid by his work. Finally we wish him and his family success on their return to England.



# 10. AFFILIATED ASSOCIATIONS

Affiliations in 1970 showed a slight drop from 70 to 66, there being 51 Country Associations and 15 Metropolitan Associations affiliated.

The drop cannot be regarded seriously, as several new associations have been formed in the country and are expected to affiliate in the near future. More serious is the loss of several VTTA District Representatives. In 1970 we had no representation in the regions of Ballarat, North Gippsland, South Gippsland, Kerang and Northwest zone. Personal representation can do much to bring new associations into affiliation and active contact with organised table tennis.

The VTTA is grateful for the efforts of the following district representatives: Mr. B. Breuer, Horsham (Wimmera); Mr. W. Edwards, Warrnambool; Mr. G. McIlvena, Geelong; Mr. W. Freeman, Donald (Bendigo); Mr. G. Ward, Shepparton; Mr. L. Bassett, Yea; Mr. R. B. Goodchild, Myrtleford (Northeast); and Mr. A. Walker (Metropolitan).

The second Country Championships held on Queens Birthday Weekend, (and the nineteenth since the inception of these events) attracted a record 95 entries, so that it was necessary to use Coburg Harriers Clubrooms as well as the Table Tennis Centre of Victoria. The Championships were again sponsored by the "Weekly Times".

Entries in the Metropolitan Atlas Shield contest were a new record at 26, the entry of six teams in A grade being particularly pleasing.

After two years of negotiations, it was possible this year to send a metropolitan mens team of Atlas Shield players to Tasmania for a three day tour. The 'Atlas' team of Messrs. P. Mitchell (manager/captain), R. Faust and D. Blackburn won matches against Burnie, Devonport and North-west Tasmania.

State Coach Harry Venner continued to visit country associations, coaching and giving exhibitions. Country teams continued to take an active part in the Victorian Junior and Sub-junior Teams Championships. The contribution made by country affiliated associations to Victorian table tennis was clearly demonstrated this year, when most of the Victorian junior and sub-junior girls teams and half the womens team were present or former country players.

Open tournaments were held in 1970 by the following affiliated Associations: Ballarat (2), Geelong (2), Horsham, Warrnambool, Yea and Mildura. District open tournaments were held at Shepparton and Warrnambool. It was regretted that Traralgon and Shepparton were unable to stage their usual 'three-star' tournaments.

A Victorian country mens team of H. P. Kluge (Traralgon) player/manager, K. Dwyer (Traralgon), C. Johnston and Craig Campbell (Geelong) toured New South Wales country centres from August 23rd - 28th, defeating Newcastle, Bowral, Goulburn and Canberra, and losing to Wollongong.

At the same time a New South Wales Country Womens team of Misses K. Burke, L. Horne, L. Manser and J. Bailey with Mr. R. Manser as manager, toured Victoria.

They defeated Shepparton and Orbost, but lost to Ballarat, Warrnambool, Geelong and at Victorian Country and Geelong. The Victorian team at Geelong was Misses E.Wood (Warrnambool), S.Gilbert and P.Woodward (Ballarat).

Separate annual meetings of Country and Metropolitan Affiliated Associations were held at the Table Tennis Centre of Victoria.

Victoria is proud to have as many affiliated Associations as the rest of Australia combined, but is painfully aware that there are still many Associations in country and suburbs, which are not yet affiliated.

The sport of table tennis in Victoria has not yet been given by Press, Radio, Television and business sponsors the recognition given to other sports of lower world stature. The VTTA asks organisers and players in the affiliated associations to do their utmost to persuade their unaffiliated neighbour associations to join up, so that we can speak for all the thousands who play table tennis in this State.

The following Associations were affiliated in 1970:-

#### Country

Ballarat	Hamilton	Nathalia	Swan Hill
Bendigo	Healesville	Nullawarre & Dist.	Tatura
Benalla	Horsham	Orford & Dist.	Terang
Camperdown	Kerang	Orbost	Traralgon
Castlemaine	Kyneton	Ouyen Ladies	Warragul
Charlton	Kyneton Ladies	Penshurst	Warracknabeal
Cobram	Lakes Entrance	Portland	Warrnambool
Creswick	Lang Lang	Rushworth	Wangaratta
Donald	Leongatha	Sea Lake	Wonthaggi & Dist.
Echuca	Mornington Peninsula	Shepparton	Whittlesea
Ellerslie	Morwell	Southern District	Yarrawonga-Mulwala
Geelong	Monbulk	St. Arnaud	Yea
Gisborne	Myrtleford	Sunraysia	

#### Metropolitan

Commhousing	Northern	Vic. Public Service
Croydon	North Western	Vic. Insurance
Dandenong	Sandringham	Vic. Railways Institute
Eastern Suburban	SEC	Western Suburbs
Churches	South East Suburban	
Essendon &	Sunshine & Dist.	
Broadmeadows		

#### 10.1 ATLAS SHIELD FOR METROPOLITAN ASSOCIATIONS

This contest was held earlier this year, from July 10th to August 14th, with a break on August 7th for the Victorian Championship finals. For the first time the contest was open to mixed teams. Record entries of 26 teams from ten Associations were received. Six entries in A Grade was a pleasing feature.



All grades and sections were keenly contested, the B and C finals being very close.

Shields and pennants were presented at the Annual Meeting of Metropolitan Associations on October 1st. Congratulations to Northern Association on winning A and B Grades, and Sunshine on retaining the C Grade Shield.

Results of sectional play:-

<u>A Grade</u>				<u>B Grade Section 1</u>			
Northern	4	wins	38 rubbers	Sunshine	3	wins	30 rubbers
North Western 1	3	"	34 "	Insurance 2	2	"	15 "
North Western 2	3	"	30 "	Sandringham	1	"	15 "
North Western 3	3	"	27 "	S.E.Suburban	0	"	6 "
Insurance 1	2	"	20 "				
Insurance 2	0	"	16 "				
Northern won outright							

<u>B Grade Section 2</u>				<u>C Grade Section 1</u>			
Northern	3	wins	23 rubbers	Dandenong	3	wins	26 rubbers
Insurance 1	2	"	18 "	North Western 1	2	"	14 "
Dandenong	1	"	16 "	Insurance	1	"	13 "
North Western	0	"	9 "	Western 1	0	"	13 "
Final B Grade: Northern d Sunshine 6/5							

<u>C Grade Section 2</u>				<u>C Grade Section 3</u>			
Sunshine 2	3	wins	22 rubbers	Sunshine 1	3	wins	27 rubbers
North Western 2	2	"	16 "	Croydon 1	2	"	26 "
Croydon 2	1	"	19 "	Western 2	1	"	12 "
Commhousing 1	0	"	9 "	Commhousing 2	0	"	1 "
Semifinal C Grade: Dandenong d Sunshine 2 6/3							
Final: Sunshine 1 d Dandenong 6/5							

# 11. PROMOTION

During the year a special effort was made to obtain new sponsors for our tournaments. We were greatly assisted by Ametco Pty.Ltd., makers of "ADIDAS" sports shoes. This company sponsored the Moomba Tournament, the Test Match against Sweden and the Victorian Open Championships. Unfortunately due to a power strike we were not able to proceed with our plans for the finals and the planned telecast had to be cancelled. We would like to extend our sincere thanks to Ametco for their wonderful support during the year, and to the Australian Broadcasting Commission for their co-operation and assistance in televising our matches.

Our old friends Riversdale Mfg. Co. again sponsored the Easter Tournament, when for the first time in Australia we offered cash prizes for the top events. The "Weekly Times" again sponsored the Country Championships. The entries for these championships were an all-time record.

The Victorian Junior Championships were again sponsored by Shell Co. of Australia Ltd., and we greatly appreciate their continued interest.

Other Companies who assisted with donations included Myer Emporium Ltd., H.C.Sleigh Ltd., Caltex Oil (Aust) Pty.Ltd., Slazengers, Melbourne Sports Depot and Hartleys. In addition we had many trophies donated by other companies and friends of table tennis, and we thank these people sincerely for their support. This list includes: Malleys, Salzburg Lodge, Motel Sparkle, Wardrops, Kodak, D. Wang, M. Fonstein, Crusader Plate, G.Bruckner and A.Kiven.

At the present time when so many requests for donations are received by all companies and business people, it is very encouraging to receive the continued support of all these people and we ask that our players support these companies wherever possible.

Promotion is never easy and this is particularly so at present. It requires a great deal of time, thought and personal effort. We did not achieve as much as we hoped for this year but we made progress. Pennant entries showed an improvement and table hire has increased. Everyone can help our sport by organising pennant teams and by encouraging friends to play table tennis at the Centre. If we can increase table hire we may be able to avoid an increase in our charges.

#### 11.1 PENNANT PROMOTION

A pennant promotion sub-committee was formed with the objects of encouraging new teams to enter pennant, and of assisting to eliminate the problems facing those teams already playing. Considerable analysis has been done in finding the motivations and difficulties facing various classes of pennant players.

It is expected that the results obtained will assist in making pennant play better than ever.

#### 12. PUBLICITY

The volume of publicity our sport receives depends on workers to pass information on to the Press, Radio and Television stations, and newsworthy items for publication.

We thank the Press and Television for their coverage of the Swedish tour. Jeff LeGassick spent a lot of time and effort in getting Alser and Johannsen on TV Ringside and an interview on World of Sport.

If any one feels that we do not obtain sufficient publicity, he or she should join the publicity sub-committee. No one person or even two or three can cover all aspects of publicity for table tennis.

#### 13. SOCIAL

Following the successful Sportsmens Night the Social Sub-committee decided to hold more social functions.

A Presentation Dance was organised to be repeated in 1971, along with a will be organised.

It is a pity that our facilities for regular social functions and it is

The Social Sub-committee was grateful the funds available to our Night.

#### 14. VICTORIAN TABLE TENNIS UMPIRE

The League has enjoyed another year referees and umpires for all major was also called upon to assist with and Invitation Tournament against Several of its members also travelled National Championships, while club for several of the country tournaments

Recruitment of new members is still over the advantages of having full This could be possible if more

In conclusion, the League thanks support and encouragement.

#### 15. A.T.T.A.

Australia participated for the April 6th - 12th at Nagoya, Japan. Mary LeGassick and Lynn Gilber Mr. S.Barker, with Mr. V.French

The team defeated Singapore 3- South Korea. South Korea won

Another international event of Australia by the Swedish pair,

The second Australian Sub-junior The twenty-fifth annual Australian ember. An important change cash prizes for tournaments, which they were given.

The principal business of the was to deal with the problem of the Queensland Table Tennis recognition by the ATTA as the many conferences, a Queensland



A Presentation Dance was organised and proved highly successful. It should be repeated in 1971, along with a Sportsmens Night. Dances for teenagers will be organised.

It is a pity that our facilities at the Centre are not suitable for running regular social functions and it is felt that we should aim in this direction.

The Social Sub-committee was grateful to donors whose assistance helped to swell the funds available to our players as the result of the Sportsmens Night.

#### 14. VICTORIAN TABLE TENNIS UMPIRES LEAGUE

The League has enjoyed another very active year. As well as providing referees and umpires for all major tournaments and pennant competitions, it was also called upon to assist with the successful staging of the Test Match and Invitation Tournament against the Swedish champions Alser and Johannssen. Several of its members also travelled to Sydney and officiated throughout the National Championships, while closer to home we provided referees and umpires for several of the country tournaments.

Recruitment of new members is still a problem and we urge all clubs to consider the advantages of having fully qualified umpires amongst their members. This could be possible if more players could be persuaded to join the League.

In conclusion, the League thanks the Victorian Association for its continued support and encouragement.

#### 15. A.T.T.A.

Australia participated for the first time in the Asian Championships on April 6th - 12th at Nagoya, Japan, being represented by the women's team of Mary LeGassick and Lynn Gilbert both of Victoria. The team was managed by Mr. S.Barker, with Mr. V.French as delegate to the Asian Federation.

The team defeated Singapore 3-1, but lost 0-3 to both Nationalist China and South Korea. South Korea won the group, but lost to Japan in the play-off.

Another international event of importance during the year was the tour of Australia by the Swedish pair, Alser and Johannssen, in June.

The second Australian Sub-junior Championships were held in May in Hobart. The twenty-fifth annual Australian Championships were held in Sydney in September. An important change during the year was the ATTA decision to permit cash prizes for tournaments, the 1970 Riversdale tournament being the first in which they were given.

The principal business of the General Personal Meeting of the ATTA in Sydney was to deal with the problem of Queensland table tennis. The annual meeting of the Queensland Table Tennis Federation had lapsed, and two bodies sought recognition by the ATTA as the Queensland Table Tennis Association. After many conferences, a Queensland Table Tennis Association was provisionally

accepted into affiliation, with interim rules and constitution principles laid down by the ATTA. A new constitution is to be drawn up by the Queensland Table Tennis Association and approved by the ATTA.

Queensland teams were accepted for the 1970 Australian Championships and Mr. W. Postlethwaite of Proserpine was admitted as Queensland delegate to the ATTA.

The only changes in ATTA officials resulting from the annual elections were that Dr. J. Jackson (SA) replaced as Selector Mr. L. Wharmby (Tas) who did not seek re-election. Other Selectors are Dr. W. Savige (Vic) and Mr. K. Bowler (NSW).

Except for the new Queensland delegate, the ATTA Council remains unchanged, with Dr. J. Jackson as President, Mr. K. Bowler as Hon. Secretary, Mr. J. Hannon (Tas) Hon. Assistant Secretary, Mr. L. Haycraft (NSW) as Hon. Treasurer, and Mr. L. Hitchen (WA) as Vice-President. Other members of the Council are Mr. D. Tucker (SA), Mr. L. Wharmby (Tas) and Mr. Alan Cleaves (Vic).

The death occurred during the year of former Queensland delegate Mr. Jim Ferguson. The ATTA Council decided to name the trophy for the Australian under 16 Girls Singles, the Jim Ferguson Memorial Cup.

#### 15.1 ALSER/JOHANNSEN TOUR

During the period June 15th - 20th Victoria was host to the World's Doubles Champions Hans Alser and Kjell Johannsen of Sweden. During this period they played in an International Match against Victoria at Whitefriars College, Donvale; a Test Match against Australia and an International Tournament in which Victoria and NSW players competed. They also carried out two coaching sessions with leading junior players. The Swedish players were far too strong in all the matches.

Spectators at all matches were treated to displays of outstanding table tennis and the exhibition matches between the visitors were acclaimed as among the best seen in Melbourne.

Sweden d Victoria	- C. Wuvanich, T. Polachek, G. Yeo	5-0
Sweden d Australia	- C. Wuvanich, G. Yeo, M. Wilcox (NSW)	5-0

#### 16. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

At the Annual General Meeting, Vice-President Mr. Kurt Defris - who had served on the Committee for 18 years - was replaced by Mr. J. Strantzen and Mr. P. Ward was elected to the vacant Assistant Secretary's position.

During part of the year President, Mr. V. French and Honorary Secretary, Mr. T. Horsfield were on leave of absence and Dr. R. Bayly acted as Honorary Secretary while the latter was on leave.

From 1st October 1969 to 30th September 1970 the Executive Committee met on twelve occasions plus two adjourned meetings. The attendances were as follows:-

V. French  
K. Defris  
W. Savige  
R. Bayly  
J. Strantzen  
R. Atkin  
S. Barker  
J. Beer  
A. Cleaves  
T. Horsfield  
E. Leder  
P. Mascall  
S. Somogyi  
A. Walker  
R. Warren  
P. Ward

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENT

The accounts and balance sheet for the year up to exhibit a true and correct view of the twelve months ended 31st December 1970 in accordance with procedures.

The financial affairs of the Association have been conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution.

Certificates of bank statements have been received.

#### IN APPRECIATION

To our friends in the game we go our thanks for their support, more and bigger events and the present co-operation.

We express our gratitude for the assistance during the year and the coverage in these pages of our excellent relations.

To the members of the Association to acknowledge their contribution to the game.

Our thanks to the members in number, but in spirit, but are very much appreciated.

Congratulations to the members of the Australian Table Tennis Association.



V. French	: 8 :	2 months leave of absence
K. Defris	: 5 :	Retired 13th March, 1970
W. Savige	: 10 :	
R. Bayly	: 11 :	Resigned 9th February, 1970. Elected
J. Strantzen	: 11 :	13th March, 1970
R. Atkin	: 8 :	1 months leave of absence
S. Barker	: 11 :	
J. Beer	: 10 :	
A. Cleaves	: 12 :	4 months leave of absence
T. Horsfield	: 8 :	
E. Leder	: 11 :	
P. Mascal	: 10 :	
S. Somogyi	: 11 :	
A. Walker	: 11 :	
R. Warren	: 10 :	Elected 13th March, 1970
P. Ward	: 7 :	

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENT

The accounts and balance sheet included in this Annual Report have been drawn up to exhibit a true and correct record of the affairs of the Association for the twelve months ended 30th November 1970, and have been prepared in accordance with procedures adopted in previous years.

The financial affairs of the Association continue on a sound basis and all operations have been within the approved budgets.

Certificates of bank balances have been viewed by the auditors.

#### IN APPRECIATION

To our friends in business houses, sports stores, and manufacturing concerns go our thanks for their increasing support over the last twelve months. With more and bigger events taking place in table tennis it is pleasing to say that the present co-operation between us is at an all-time high.

We express our gratitude to the Press, Radio and Television for their assistance during the year. We are fully aware of the importance of adequate coverage in these media and we are very keen to maintain, and perhaps improve, our excellent relations in this area.

To the members of Affiliated Associations, sub-committees and clubs we wish to acknowledge the tremendous amount of work being done in helping foster the game.

Our thanks to those stalwart members of the Umpires League, regrettably few in number, but more than playing their part in jobs which are not always popular, but are very necessary.

Congratulations to our players who again showed that we have such depth in strength that we can reasonably say our overall standard is the highest in Australia.

Finally, to all those adherents of table tennis who fall into no specific category but who simply enjoy being in the game, or around where the game is played, we thank you for your interest and hope that we will continue to see you for many more years.

For and on behalf of the  
Executive Committee.

T.Horsfield

Honorary Secretary

#### ADDENDUM

1970 was an unusual committee year with four of us spending varying periods overseas. The worth of the committee could be seen as those who were left shouldered extra responsibility and everything continued smoothly.

Ron Bayly earns special thanks for acting as Secretary during Tom Horsfield's long-service trip. We are grateful to Ron for a job well done and I am sure that Ron appreciates Tom a lot more now that he has experienced the Honorary Secretary's big job.

Eric Leder can have no peer as a treasurer and he too shouldered extra responsibility while Stan Barker was overseas capably managing the Australian team.

Publicity has again been most disappointing despite Peter Mascall's efforts, but until we get some world stars this will be a difficult field. Promotion has gone to new heights in Ron Atkin's capable hands; more sponsorships have been obtained and others are in the offing.

Once again John Strantzen and his team have capably kept pennant running smoothly and the grading most even. Alan Cleaves continues to live table tennis and the strength of the affiliated Associations is a tangible tribute to his work.

Wal Savage and his junior team are also achieving wonderful results for their devotion and great thanks are due to them and the coaches that control the playing destiny of our sport. Joan Guggenheim is a wonderful office secretary and we do sincerely appreciate her cheerful dedication.

I realise that naming people is always dangerous because some may feel that they are not appreciated. But I can assure all who work for our sport that we are really grateful to them.

Steve Somogyi was a new tournament chairman and he proved his worth; John Beer, Alby Walker, Bob Warren and Peter Ward did everything asked of them and more. Karol Javor capably managed our State teams.

Once again our players led by Charlie, Suzy and Mary, kept us in the forefront



with excellent play, sportsmanship and demeanour. Victoria is indeed fortunate to have such a wonderful group of people playing table tennis.

Finally thanks to Harry Venner for sharing his skill, enthusiasm and knowledge with us. We all wish him every success back home and hope that one day he will return.

What of 1971 ? It is a great sport - let's give it a little more this year.

V.H.French

President

December 1970

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# THE VICTORIAN TABLE

## REVENUE ACCOUNT FOR TWELVE

<u>1969</u>	<u>RECEIPTS</u>	<u>1970</u>
17904	Hire of Tables	19615.92
480	Enclosed Area	480.00
480	Victoria Club	480.00
70	Handicap Tournament	102.55
490	Snack Bar Rent	530.98
15	Hire of Committee Room	11.50
407	Profit on Sales - Balls	232.79
5	Postcards	- -
274	Scorebooks	236.67
67	Handbooks	92.75
		<u>562.21</u>
(59)	<u>Less</u> Badges	2.26
	Ties	<u>1.25</u>
		<u>3.51</u>
2	Hire of Lockers	558.70
115	Panel Advertising	- -
248	Machines	322.50
147	Interest Received	273.60
838	Hire of Bats	107.55
105	Showcase Rentals	1013.12
5	Hire of P.S. System	84.00
5305	Seapatt Trust Acc.	- -
-	Venner H. Reserve Acc.	- -
		5000.00

\$26898

\$28580.42



# TENNIS ASSOCIATION

MONTHS ENDED 30TH NOVEMBER, 1970

## EXPENDITURE

1970

1969

104	Advertising		25.20
42	Audit Fees		42.00
1210	Building Maintenance		1163.65
3481	Duty Officers Expenses		3826.00
2147	Electric Power and Light		2233.98
245	Wiring		158.29
-	Tubes		28.19
-	Equipment Playing		152.42
355	Flooring Maintenance		602.50
-	Insurance		528.56
451	Promotion and Administration		1960.00
1790	Rates		573.71
-	Rent		4800.00
4800	Sundries		266.56
83	Table Maintenance	500.47	-
107	Telephone	256.09	244.38
595	Less Receipts	2957.24	4598.74
(238)	Wages General	1641.50	1988.58
2912	Clerical		100.20
1352	Depreciation		3.60
2530	Office Machines Maintenance		
139	Donations	2058.50	1031.80
8	Venner H.	1026.70	60.00
4000	Less Coaching		35.64
(674)	School Table Subsidy		3009.86
250	Stamp Duty		500.00
21	Building General Improvements		100.00
423	New Centre Development Fund		
500	Out-of-Pocket Expenses	240.00	136.50
100	Wuwanich C.	103.50	410.06
-	Less Coaching		
-	Excess for 1970		
165			

\$28580.42

\$26898

# THE VICTORIAN TABLE

## GENERAL REVENUE ACCOUNT FOR TWELVE

1970

1969	RECEIPTS			
140	Affiliated Associations - Fees	136.00		
558	- Team Levy	591.60		
		<u>727.60</u>		
(558)	Less ATTA Registrations	591.60		
69	Atlas Shield			136.00
553	Country Championships			20.50
	Pennant			518.73
1728	Affiliations Winter	1782.00		
(86)	Less ATTA Levy	- -	1782.00	
770	Affiliations Summer		864.50	
1283	Registrations Players	1258.30		
-	Less ATTA Registrations	<u>201.00</u>	1057.30	
130	Fines		<u>92.00</u>	
1790	Promotion and Administration			3795.80
	Tournaments			1960.00
-	Schools Championship	51.90		
612	Victorian	58.19		
(44)	Barna	60.00		
27	City of Melbourne	49.50		
75	Moomba	120.41		
146	Riversdale	106.12		
(27)	Victorian Junior Closed	24.25		
21	" " Teams	40.60		
-	" Sub Junior Teams	<u>14.00</u>	524.97	
17	Less Victorian Closed	16.52		
(56)	Interstate	<u>20.20</u>	36.72	
18	Pennant Junior			488.25
-	Tour Alser/Johannssen			54.23
165	Table Tennis Centre Excess			492.67
29	Pennant Sunday			410.06
				- -

\$7360

\$7876.24



# TENNIS ASSOCIATION

MONTHS ENDED 30TH NOVEMBER, 1970

1969	EXPENDITURE	1970
80	Country Tournaments Reps. Exp.	82.00
36	N.S.W. Country Tours - Men	155.00
170	Women	40.00
122	<u>Pennant</u> - Entry Forms	120.18
111	Fixture Books	(23.14)
283	News Sheet 264.80	
300	" "clerical 300.00	564.80
6	Presentation Nights	117.50
17	Pennants	21.38
146	Umpires & Referees	181.56
1000	Wages & Records	1000.00
13	Sundries	10.75
3	Teams Bonus	9.00
5	<u>Championships</u>	2002.03
	Australian Junior	- -
1622	Australian	885.76
-	Australian 1971	1250.00
(42)	Australian Sub Junior	66.02
178	<u>Administration</u> -Annual Meeting	197.10
42	Audit Fees	42.00
100	Out-of-Pocket Exp.	100.00
308	Postage	261.63
891	Printing & Stationery	805.56
64	Telephone	69.59
53	Sundries	75.00
80	<u>A.T.T.A.</u> Affiliation	156.50
-	Manuals	18.00
99	Delegates Expenses	50.00
229	Junior Coaching	224.50
14	Publicity & Promotion	252.60
102	Badges and Pockets	13.50
95	Tournament Exp. Players Ladder	55.00
206	Committee Expenses	36.00
-	Blazers	368.76
56	French Award Trust Acc.	75.50
63	Sub Committee Affiliated Associations	444.26
-	Coaching	1.00
20	Exhibitions	14.07
500	World Championships Fund	40.00
50	World Championships Fund 1969	62.51
338	Excess for 1970	282.36
		- -
		418.75
		<u>\$7876.24</u>
		<u>\$7360</u>

THE VICTORIAN TABLE

BALANCE SHEET AS AT

<u>1969</u>	<u>LIABILITIES</u>		<u>1970</u>
335	Sundry Creditors		
500	<u>Trust Accounts</u> - World Championships 1971	1000.00	1402.18
1500	New Centres Development	2000.00	
-	Australian Championships 1971	1250.00	
-	Building General Improvements	<u>1350.00</u>	5600.00
	Western Suburbs T.T. Reserve Account		
	Balance 30/11/69	400.16	
1760	Rent Received	1560.00	
38	Rates Adj.	-	
		<u>1960.16</u>	
	<u>Less</u> Rates MMEW	125.50	
	Rates W'stown CC	381.25	
	Interest paid	817.92	
	Insurance	53.00	
	Roof Repairs	106.00	
	Elec. Repairs	<u>4.50</u>	
(1397)		1488.17	471.99
18000	Southern Theatres Pty.Ltd.	11766.00	
(6234)	<u>Less</u> payments	222.00	11544.00
	Excess from 1969	9275.74	
9275	<u>Plus</u> Excess for 1970	418.75	9694.49
5000	Venner H. Reserve Acc.		-
34	Donations Enclosed Area		-

\$28811

\$28712.66



# TENNIS ASSOCIATION

30TH NOVEMBER, 1970.

		<u>ASSETS</u>	<u>1970</u>
<u>1969</u>			
3262	Bank of New South Wales		5655.70
20	Petty Cash		20.00
1533	Sundry Debtors	1105.00	
659	Office Equipment	470.65	
51		<u>1575.65</u>	486.70
	Additions	15.00	
	Sales	<u>1560.65</u>	
		278.65	1282.00
	Depreciation	<u>3145.26</u>	
395	Table Tennis Centre Equipment	50.67	
5498	Additions	<u>3195.93</u>	
716		25.00	
	Sales	<u>3170.93</u>	
(145)		<u>1709.93</u>	1461.00
	Depreciation	285.95	
(2925)	Stock (at cost)	75.78	
624	Balls	54.48	
25	Badges	461.75	
11	Handbooks	<u>364.00</u>	1241.96
322	Scorebooks	400.00	
-	Ties	<u>165.30</u>	565.30
600	Loan Account		18000.00
165	Geelong		
18000	Lee Mun Chew		
	Western Suburbs Table Tennis Centre		

\$28712.66

\$28811

## AUDITORS' REPORT

We report that we have audited the books and accounts of the Victorian Table Tennis Association for the twelve months ending 30th November, 1970, and have obtained all the information and explanations we have required. In our opinion, the foregoing statement of Assets and Liabilities is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of affairs of the Association, and the accompanying Revenue Accounts are properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the Income and Expenditure for this period, according to the best of our information, the explanation given to us and as shown by the books of the Association.

Signed. E. Adkins A.A.S.A.  
K. Wood  
Honorary Auditors

Melbourne, January 1971.

# VICTORIAN TABLE TENNIS ASSOCIATION

## H O N O U R   R O L L

Prior to 1930 the Victorian Table Tennis Association was known as the Melbourne Table Tennis Association, and records from 1925 to 1930 are incomplete. Any person who can assist with information for these years is requested to contact the Association Secretary.

### Mens "A" Grade Premiers

1925	Melbourne Harbour Trust
1926	Trustees Executors
1927	Trustees Executors
1928	Y.M.C.A.
1929	Y.M.C.A.
1930	Y.M.C.A.
1931	Bawra
1932	Melbourne
1933	Yorkshire
1934	Yorkshire
1935	Victorian Producers
1936	Victorian Producers
1937	National Mutual
1938	M.S.D.
1939	Malvern
1940	Malvern
1941	Park
1942	) Activities suspended owing to World War Two
1945	
1946	St Kilda Cricket
1947	St Kilda Cricket
1948	St Kilda Cricket
1949	St Kilda Cricket
1950	St Kilda Cricket
1951	F. & Y. Socials
1952	St Kilda Cricket
1953	Coburg Harriers
1954	Coburg Harriers
1955	Geelong
1956	Coburg Harriers
1957	Coburg Harriers
1958	International
1959	VTTA Colts
1960	Hakoah
1961	Wanderers
1962	Wanderers
1963	Coburg
1964	Coburg
1965	Coburg Harriers
1966	Coburg Harriers
1967	St Kilda Cricket
1968	Melbourne
1969	University
1970	Monash

### Womens "A" Grade Premiers

1925	
1926	
1927	
1928	
1929	
1930	
1931	Kitchens
1932	
1933	Yorkshire
1934	Kitchens
1935	Chamber
1936	National Mutual
1937	Jaici
1938	Jaici
1939	Jaici
1940	Jaici
1941	Jaici
1942	) Activities suspended owing to World War Two
1945	
1946	Not contested
1947	Ramblers
1948	Hakoah
1949	Ramblers
1950	Hakoah
1951	Damon
1952	Hakoah
1953	Crescent
1954	Kiwi
1955	Kiwi
1956	Geelong
1957	Geelong
1958	Hakoah
1959	Kiwi
1960	Hakoah
1961	Hakoah
1962	Hakoah
1963	Hakoah
1964	Hakoah
1965	Hakoah
1966	Hakoah
1967	Hakoah
1968	Hakoah
1969	Hakoah
1970	Hakoah



Mens Champion

1925	A. Glass
1926	C. Collyer
1927	H. H. Oakley
1928	H. H. Oakley
1929	A. W. Champion
1930	C. Collyer
1931	H. H. Oakley
1932	A. W. Champion
1933	H. H. Oakley
1934	A. W. Champion
1935	H. H. Oakley
1936	H. Crawley
1937	J. Thoms
1938	K. Adamson
1939	K. Adamson
1940	H. H. Oakley
1941	W. Lowen
1942)	Activities suspended owing
1945)	to World War Two
1946	H. Bashford
1947	M. Szabados (NSW)
1948	W. Lowen
1949	W. Lowen
1950	W. Lowen
1951	J. Leach (England)
1952	M. Szabados (NSW)
1953	K. Evans
1954	G. Jennings (NSW)
1955	G. Jennings (NSW)
1956	G. Jennings (NSW)
1957	Lou Sek Fong (Hong Kong)
1958	N. Van de Walle (U.S.A.)
1959	C. McDonald (NSW)
1960	C. McDonald (NSW)
1961	R. Lim
1962	A. Ma
1963	M. Wilcox (NSW)
1964	C. McDonald (NSW)
1965	C. McDonald (NSW)
1966	L. Pascoe
1967	C. McDonald (NSW)
1968	C. Wuvanich (Thailand)
1969	C. Wuvanich
1970	C. Wuvanich

Womens Champion

1925	Miss M. Linton
1926	Miss M. Linton
1927	Not contested
1928	Not contested
1929	Miss B. Emmerson
1930	Miss Finklestein
1931	Miss M. Fraser
1932	Miss Finklestein
1933	Miss B. Emmerson
1934	Miss B. Rowe
1935	Miss M. Fraser
1936	Miss I. Crump
1937	Miss C. Hawk
1938	Miss J. Sampson
1939	Miss J. Sampson
1940	Miss F. White
1941	Miss J. Sampson
1942)	Activities suspended owing
1945)	to World War Two
1946	Miss F. White
1947	Miss F. White
1948	Miss D. Shipp (NSW)
1949	Miss F. White
1950	Miss N. Buckland
1951	Miss D. Beregi (NSW)
1952	Miss D. Shipp (NSW)
1953	Miss N. Buckland
1954	Miss N. Buckland
1955	Mrs. M. Bowler
1956	Miss D. Payne
1957	Mrs. S. Javor
1958	Mrs. S. Javor
1959	Mrs. S. Javor
1960	Mrs. S. Javor
1961	Mrs. S. Javor
1962	Mrs. S. Javor
1963	Mrs. S. Javor
1964	Mrs. S. Javor
1965	Mrs. S. Javor
1966	Mrs. S. Javor
1967	Mrs. S. Javor
1968	Miss L. Gilbert
1969	Miss M. Cleaves
1970	Mrs. M. LeGassick

### Mens Doubles Champions

1925	
1926	
1927	H.Oakley & A.Taylor
1928	H.Oakley & A.Taylor
1929	C.Collyer & A.Champion
1930	C.Collyer & A.Champion
1931	R.Lamont & R.Griffiths
1932	A.Champion & C.Collyer
1933	A.Champion & R.Lamont
1934	H.Oakley & A.Taylor
1935	F.Mathews & K.Adamson
1936	F.Mathews & K.Adamson
1937	H.Oakley & J.Thoms
1938	H.Oakley & J.Thoms
1939	F.Mathews & K.Adamson
1940	R.Summers & H.Bashford
1941	R.Summers & H.Bashford
1942	)Activities suspended owing
1945	) to World War Two
1946	R.Summers & H.Bashford
1947	F.Anderson & L.Laza (NSW)
1948	H.Oakley(V) & M.Dankin (NSW)
1949	W.Lowen & K.Evans
1950	W.Lowen & K.Evans
1951	J.Leach(Eng) & M.Haguenauer(Fr)
1952	M.Szabados(NSW) & R.Summers(V)
1953	W.Lowen & K.Evans
1954	G.McIlvena & S.Impey
1955	G.Jennings & B.Griffin (NSW)
1956	V.Matison & E.Sibison
1957	Lou Sek Fong & Ching Chin Ching (Hong Kong)
1958	A.Van deWalle & M.Ralston (USA)
1959	W.Bates & K.Fahey
1960	E.Mano & G.Stirling
1961	V.Hirsch & J.Marton
1962	A.Ma & R.Lim
1963	M.Wilcox (NSW) & V.Matison (V)
1964	M.Wilcox & C.McDonald (NSW)
1965	M.Wilcox & C.McDonald (NSW)
1966	R.Pascoe & L.Pascoe
1967	J.Kilderry & R.McKewon
1968	C.Wuvanich & P.Pivitsiripakde (Thailand)
1969	L.Pascoe & P.Pinkewich
1970	C.Wuvanich & G.Yeo

### Womens Doubles Champions

1925	Misses M.Linton & N.Laws
1926	Misses M.Linton & N.Laws
1927	Not contested
1928	
1929	Misses J.Dooley & Robinson
1930	Misses J.Dooley & Robinson
1931	Not contested
1932	
1933	Misses Emerson & Smith
1934	Misses Biggar & Champion
1935	Misses White & Dorman
1936	Not contested
1937	Misses B.Sarah & F.White
1938	Misses J.Sampson & C.Hawk
1939	Misses J.Sampson & C.Hawk
1940	Misses J.Sampson & C.Hawk
1941	Misses J.Sampson & C.Hawk
1942	)Activities suspended owing
1945	) to World War Two
1946	Misses Holmes & F.White
1947	Miss F.White & Mrs.J.Thomson
1948	Mrs. S.Defris & Miss I.Suran
1949	Mrs. S.Defris & Mrs.I.Sherwin
1950	Mrs. S.Defris & Mrs.I.Sherwin
1951	Miss E.Nichols & Mrs.J.Thomson
1952	Mrs. S.Defris & Miss D.Shipp(NSW)
1953	Misses P.Bull & J.Maddison
1954	Miss E.Nichols & Mrs.J.Thomson
1955	Misses N.Buckland & M.Znaminko
1956	Misses S.Kempton & M.Znaminko
1957	Mrs. S.Javor & Miss L.Cohen
1958	Mrs. S.Javor & Miss M.Freeman
1959	Mrs. S.Javor & Mrs.A.O'Brien
1960	Mrs. S.Javor & Miss L.Cohen
1961	Mrs. S.Javor & Miss L.Prowse
1962	Mrs. S.Javor & Mrs. L.Nicholson
1963	Mrs. S.Javor & Mrs. L.Nicholson
1964	Mrs. S.Javor & Mrs. L.Nicholson
1965	Mrs. S.Javor & Mrs. L.Nicholson
1966	Mrs. S.Javor & Mrs. L.Nicholson
1967	Mrs. S.Javor & Mrs. L.Nicholson
1968	Misses M.Cleaves & L.Gilbert
1969	Misses M.Cleaves & L.Gilbert
1970	Mrs. S.Javor & Mrs. L.Nicholson



# Mixed Doubles Champions

1925	A.Glass & Miss Fraser	1949	R.Summers & Miss F.White
1926	A.Champion & Miss M.Linton	1950	K.Evans & Miss N.Buckland
1927	Not contested	1951	P.Anderson & Miss D.Beregi (NSW)
1928	H.Oakley & Miss C.Hawk	1952	K.Evans & Miss N.Buckland
1929	C.Silk & Miss Bryce	1953	K.Evans & Miss N.Buckland
1930	C.Silk & Miss Bryce	1954	K.Evans & Miss N.Buckland
1931	R.Lamont & Miss A.Lewis	1955	G.McIlvena & Miss M.Haggart
1932		1956	G.McIlvena & Miss L.Nichols
1933	H.Crawley & Miss P.Jackson	1957	G.McIlvena & Miss L.Nichols
1934	H.Crawley & Miss B.Rowe	1958	G.Stirling & Miss M.Freeman
1935	H.Crawley & Miss B.Rowe	1959	K.Fahey & Miss N.Buckland
1936	F.Mathews & Miss F.White	1960	J.Marton & Mrs. S.Javor
1937	F.Mathews & Miss F.White	1961	V.Hirsch & Mrs. S.Javor
1938	H.Oakley & Miss C.Hawk	1962	G.Stirling & Mrs. S.Javor
1939	F.Mathews & Miss F.White	1963	J.Kilderry & Mrs. S.Javor
1940	A.Houghton & Miss Cleary	1964	R.Cintolo & Mrs. S.Javor
1941	B.Fryar & Miss Stafford	1965	L.Pascoe & Miss L.Gilbert
1942	Activities suspended owing	1966	R.Cintolo & Mrs. S.Javor
1945	to World War Two	1967	J.Nicholson & Mrs. S.Javor
1946	R.Summers & Miss F.White	1968	C.Wuwanich & Miss M.Cleaves
1947	R.Summers & Miss F.White	1969	C.Wuwanich & Miss M.Cleaves
1948	A.Champion & Miss F.White	1970	C.Wuwanich & Mrs.M.LeGassick

## Junior Boys

1933	F.Mathews	1953	E.Sokolowski
1934	K.Adamson	1954	B.Griffin (NSW)
1935	K.Adamson	1955	B.Griffin (NSW)
1936	K.Adamson	1956	C.McDonald (NSW)
1937	K.Adamson	1957	C.McDonald (NSW)
1938	H.Sundercombe	1958	M.Wilcox (NSW)
1939	H.Bashford	1959	R.Lim
1940	H.Bashford	1960	E.Mano
1941	H.Bashford	1961	J.Mano
1942	Activities suspended owing	1962	R.Cleaves
1945	to World War Two	1963	R.Wheller (NSW)
1946	J.McCarthy	1964	L.Pascoe
1947	G.Bruhner	1965	P.Brenner
1948	E.Donaldson	1966	P.Powell (SA)
1949	M.Calonious	1967	P.Powell (SA)
1950	I.Kuncaitis	1968	P.Powell (SA)
1951	T.Merrett	1969	P.Powell (SA)
1952	E.Sokolowski	1970	R.Tuckett

## Junior Girls

1955	Miss H.Sullivan	1960	Miss P.Pagram
1956	Miss H.Sullivan	1961	Miss P.Pagram
1957	Miss L.Cohen	1962	Miss L.Gilbert
1958	Miss M.Freeman	1963	Miss L.Gilbert
1959	Miss R.Bailey	1964	Miss L.Gilbert

Junior Girls

1965	Miss L.Gilbert		1968	Miss S.Campbell
1966	Miss D.Gavros	(SA)	1969	Miss S.Campbell
1967	Miss A.McMahon	(SA)	1970	Miss V.Woodward

French Award

1958	Mrs. S.Javor	1965	Mrs. S.Javor
1959	Mrs. S.Javor	1966	Mrs. S.Javor
1960	R.Lim	1967	Mrs. L.Nicholson
1961	Mrs. S.Javor	1968	Mrs. S.Javor
1962	J.Kilderry	1969	C.Wuwanich
1963	Mrs. S.Javor	1970	C.Wuwanich
1964	L.Hayes		

Junior Player of the Year Award

1964	L.Pascoe	1968	R.Tuckett
1965	L.Pascoe	1969	Miss S.Campbell
1966	Miss L.Ross	1970	R.Tuckett
1967	Miss S.Campbell		



# Country "A" Teams

## Mens Atlas Shield

1952	Geelong
1953	Kyabram
1954	Traralgon
1955	Traralgon
1956	Geelong
1957	Kyabram
1958	Hamilton
1959	Geelong
1960	Traralgon
1961	Traralgon
1962	Kyabram
1963	Geelong
1964	Geelong
1965	Traralgon
1966	Ballarat
1967	Traralgon
1968	Traralgon
1969	Traralgon
1970	Traralgon

## Womens Atlas Shield

1952	Warrnambool
1953	Warrnambool
1954	Traralgon
1955	Traralgon
1956	Warrnambool
1957	Shepparton
1958	Shepparton
1959	Shepparton
1960	Shepparton
1961	Traralgon
1962	Traralgon
1963	Traralgon
1964	Traralgon
1965	Ballarat
1966	Geelong
1967	Geelong
1968	Ballarat
1969	Ballarat
1970	Ballarat

## Mens Country Singles Champion

1952	V.Kozenianskas	(Moe)
1953	A.Hamilton	(Kyabram)
1954	L.Stone	(Kyabram)
1955	L.Stone	(Kyabram)
1956	L.Stone	(Kyabram)
1957	I.Foster	(Kyabram)
1958	I.Foster	(Kyabram)
1959	L.Stone	(Kyabram)
1960	I.Foster	(Kyabram)
1961	L.Stone	(Kyabram)
1962	A.Rowden	(Bendigo)
1963	A.Rowden	(Bendigo)
1964	G.Puchlenko	(Traralgon)
1965	G.McIlvina	(Geelong)
1966	G.Holman	(Traralgon)
1967	R.Rodgers	(Ballarat)
1968	C.O'Brien	(Swan Hill)
1969	G.Puchlenko	(Traralgon)
1970	C.Campbell	(Geelong)

## Womens Country Singles Champion

1952	Mrs. M.Rigg	(Warrnambool)
1953	Mrs. M.Rigg	(Warrnambool)
1954	Mrs. J.Smith	(Warrnambool)
1955	Miss E.Braybon	(Traralgon)
1956	Mrs. J.Smith	(Warrnambool)
1957	Mrs. M.Minchinton	(Shepparton)
1958	Mrs. P.Curtis	(Shepparton)
1959	Mrs. N.Kneebone	(Shepparton)
1960	Mrs. P.Curtis	(Shepparton)
1961	Miss L.Gilbert	(Ballarat)
1962	Miss L.Gilbert	(Ballarat)
1963	Miss T.Gilbert	(Ballarat)
1964	Miss L.Gilbert	(Ballarat)
1965	Miss L.Gilbert	(Ballarat)
1966	Miss J.Newnham	(Bendigo)
1967	Mrs. K.Latimer	(Traralgon)
1968	Miss V.Woodward	(Ballarat)
1969	Miss S.Campbell	(Geelong)
1970	Miss S.Gilbert	(Ballarat)

President

1925  
1926  
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1928  
1929 .McLelland  
1930 A.Williams  
1931 A.Williams  
1932 A.Williams  
1933 A.Williams  
1934 A.Williams  
1935 A.Williams  
1936 A.Williams  
1937 A.Williams  
1938 A.Williams  
1939 A.Williams  
1940 A.Williams  
1941 A.Williams  
1942) Activities suspended owing  
1945) to World War Two  
1946 A.Williams  
1947 A.Williams  
1948 H.H.Oakley  
1949 H.H.Oakley  
1950 H.H.Oakley  
1951 H.H.Oakley  
1952 H.H.Oakley  
1953 H.H.Oakley  
1954 H.H.Oakley  
1955 H.H.Oakley  
1956 A.G.Cooper  
1957 A.G.Cooper  
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1962 A.G.Cooper  
1963 A.G.Cooper  
1964 A.G.Cooper  
1965 A.G.Cooper  
1966 A.G.Cooper  
1967 A.G.Cooper  
1968 V.H.French  
1969 V.H.French  
1970 V.H.French

Secretary

1925  
1926 A.R.Taylor  
1927 A.R.Taylor  
1928 A.R.Taylor  
1929 A.R.Taylor  
1930 A.W.Champion  
1931 A.W.Champion  
1932 R.H.Lamont  
1933 A.R.Taylor  
1934 A.R.Taylor  
1935 A.R.Taylor  
1936 R.H.Jones  
1937 R.H.Jones  
1938 R.H.Jones  
1939 R.H.Jones  
1940 R.H.Jones  
1941 R.H.Jones  
1942) Activities suspended owing  
1945) to World War Two  
1946 R.H.Jones  
1947 R.H.Jones  
1948 R.H.Jones  
1949 R.H.Jones  
1950 R.H.Jones  
1951 R.H.Jones  
1952 R.Summers  
1953 R.Summers  
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1957 R.Summers  
1958 M.Rundle  
1959 M.Rundle  
1960 M.Rundle  
1961 M.Rundle  
1962 M.Rundle - C.Senior  
1963 C.Senior - B.Preston  
1964 B.Preston - T.Horsfield  
1965 T.Horsfield  
1966 T.Horsfield  
1967 T.Horsfield  
1968 T.Horsfield  
1969 T.Horsfield  
1970 T.Horsfield