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Ladies and Gentlemen,

Table Tennis in Victoria for the early part of 1966 was centred on the approach of the 1967 World Championships. Every possible endeavour was made to retain these championships for Melbourne but unfortunately to no avail. There was naturally a great sense of disappointment among players and officials at the loss of this great event but a surprising amount of resilience was shown. Both players and officials settled down with great earnestness and enthusiasm to the business of playing and conducting our sport at its normal level and the chagrin which could reasonably be expected at such a grievous loss was simply not evident.

Once again there were three major championships held in Melbourne including the Australian for the second year in succession. More and more help in running tournaments is being obtained from members outside the Executive Committee and the value of this help should not be allowed to pass un-noticed.

A great deal of work was in evidence in the Country Associations with new venues being built at Warrnambool and Ballarat and a major alteration undertaken at the Geelong centre. More interest was shown in Affiliated Associations during the year and good results are expected.

Towards the end of the year the well-known English Table Tennis Coach, Mr. Harry Venner toured Australia giving coaching lessons in each of the States. This tour was sponsored by the Rothmans Sports Foundation to whom Table Tennis must be indebted. Mr. Venner was in Victoria for a period of thirty one days and it is hoped that his visit will have far reaching influence, both in increased ability of players and local coaches and in the promotion of general table tennis interest.

PENNANT COMPETITIONS1. METROPOLITAN WINTER PENNANT

Conducted from 18th April to 17th August.

42 grades of 8 teams divided into 8 Womens grades and 34 Mens Grades entered the competition = 332 teams. (This was an increase of 13 womens teams and 30 mens teams on the year 1965). A new grading system was introduced for this pennant and although there were some complaints, on the whole it was successful. Winners and runners-up were:

GRADE	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
A grade	Coburg Harriers	Coburg
A2	Rainbow	St. Georges 2
A3	SOS	Hakoah

GRADE	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
B1	Melbourne	Hakoah
B2	Venus	Preston
B3	Hungaria	Waverley
B4	Monash	Bank NSW
B5	Rainbow	Nottingham
B7	Rainbow	Glenroy
C1	Preston	Musicians
C2	Melita	Rosanna Meths
C3	Neverdown	AMP
C4	University	Taxation
C5	Melbourne	Rainbow
C6	Moran & Cato	VRI
C7	Monash	Alstergren
C8	University	Preston
D1	BP Australia	Neverdown
D2	Rainbow	ES & A
D3	Monash	Melita
D4	CAC	Rainbow
D5	Clayton	Bank NSW
D6	CAC	Rainbow
D7	University	Bank NSW
D8	Preston	Hakoah
E1	Rainbow	O'Connell
E2	Bank NSW	API Installation
E3	Forest Products	Monash
E4	Plaza 2	University Black
E5	St.Johns	UESCO
E7	JAC	WHM
E8	PMC	Taxation
E9	Dairy Board	AMP
E10	Hakoah	WHPFA
W.A	Hakoah	Victoria
WAR	Preston	Victoria
WB1	Hakoah	Victoria
WB2	Bank NSW	Bank NSW Red
WC1	Victoria	Monash
WD1	Victoria	Hawthorn
WD2	DSD	Moran & Cato
WD3	Nat.Mutual	AMP

## LEADING PLAYERS

<u>Mens A</u>	<u>A2</u>	<u>A3</u>	
J.Nicholson (Coburg) 36/6	J.Witt (Coburg) 32/10	J.Pozivil (SOS)	41/1
L.Pascoe (Cob.Harr) 34/5	D.Dey (St.George) 30/9	G.Goetzki (SOS)	37/5
J.Kilderry (Coburg) 34/8	D.Saville (Nott) 29/13	E.Groer (Hakoah)	36/6
J.Marton (Victoria) 34/8	R.Grattidge (Rain) 29/13	B.Williams (Hakoah)	28/11
G.Stirling (Cob.H.) 32/4	R.Faust (St.Geo) 25/11	A.Rosenfeld (SOS)	27/15
V.Sirvic (Rainbow) 32/10			



B1		B2		B3	
D.Hill (Cob.Harr)	27/3	A.Roberts (Cob)	35/7	G.Nagy (Hungaria)	36/-
W.Lawrie (VRI)	26/7	G.Ashby (Preston)	31/8	J.Vass (Hungaria)	34/8
J.Place (Hakoah)	24/12	A.DeForrest ( " )	28/5	A.Klappenberg(CSTRO)	32/10
J.Stiglitz (Hakoah)	23/7	G.Eastman (Cob)	29/10	B.Loughnan (Nott)	27/12
B.Smart (VRI)	23/10	O.Szabo (Venus)	27/12	W.Gillett (AFI)	25/17
B.Gribble (St.Geo)	23/13	M.Williams (Venus)	27/12	K.Borland (Vict)	25/17
B4		B5		B7	
A.Lee (Univ)	33/3	C.Barker (VRI)	29/13	J.Bellino (Rain)	35/7
A.Noble (Pegasus)	31/5	E.Martin (VRI)	27/6	F.Peel (Contracts)	33/3
B.Blick (Hakoah)	29/10	E.Baldwin (Nott)	27/12	D.Wilcox (Rain)	32/4
T.Heazlewood (Monash)	29/10	M.Somic (Nott)	27/12	V.Bellino (Rain)	31/11
A.Ubelaker (Pegasus)	28/14	J.Murdock (St.Geo)	26/10	M.Crozier (Glenroy)	31/11
J.Shiell (BankNSW)	26/4	P.Bimba (Rain)	26/13	H.Lenkauskas (SOS)	31/11
C1		C2		C3	
P.Peart (Musicians)	34/5	J.Westbury(R.Meth)	35/4	A.Yorke (RGH Heid)	40/2
K.Walker (Preston)	32/7	D.Ring (Melita)	33/9	S.Wlodarczyk (Brun)	33/3
P.Clements (Univ)	29/10	T.Clark (Hakoah)	30/12	C.Lilley (Neverd)	34/8
W.Rogers (Musicians)	28/11	R.Warren (Preston)	29/4	L.Knox (AMP)	30/9
L.Waite (Api Eliz)	26/13	M.Kredinac (Hakoah)	29/13	N.Turner (Neverd)	28/5
		R.Williams (Melita)	29/13	R.Spicer (Brun)	24/18
		P.Fergus (BankNSW)	29/13		
C4		C5		C6	
N.Roberts (Univ)	33/9	J.Henderson (CASC)	33/3	G.Charman (M & C)	30/-
R.Doyle (Pegasus)	32/10	P.Mok (Rain)	29/4	P.Lynch (M & C)	30/6
T.Gibson (Univ)	32/10	K.Mok (Rain)	29/7	T.Rees (VRI)	31/5
P.McCaw (Univ)	30/9	K.Huntley (Melb)	24/9	P.Kikas (Hakoah)	31/8
C.Georgiades (Tax)	30/6	B.Lincoln (Melb)	24/12	R.Webster (VRI)	23/13
C.Hornek (Pegasus)	30/12	D.StewartUden (Cob)	22/14	O.Briedes (Brun)	22/8
C7		C8		D1	
M.Butler (ES & A)	28/8	D.Hamer (TAB)	24/6	T.Downie (BP Aust)	35/1
M.Faris (Monash)	25/8	I.Duus (VBF)	22/5	N.Metcalf (BP Aust)	32/1
K.Chapple (ES & A)	24/12	S.Garvey (Preston)	20/1	D.Hunter (Neverd)	30/6
R.Harper (BSP)	22/8	E.Willis (VBF)	17/10	R.Thompson (SOS)	26/10
L.McCallum (Sidch)	20/4	D.Rutter (TAB)	17/13	R.Kilner (Ramar)	24/6
R.Grimswood (Sidch)	20/7			B.Blythe (RCH)	24/9
D2		D3		D4	
C.Senior (Melb)	38/4	B.Craig (Rain)	42/-	L.Bolsowek (CAC)	34/8
B.Ross (ES & A)	38/4	R.Helme (Monash)	32/10	F.McGlade (Rudder)	33/6
A.Lau (Rain)	29/13	N.Mansfield (Cont)	31/2	B.Smith (H'dale)	31/8
H.Ross (ES & A)	26/1	M.Amir (Monash)	30/10	A.Suek (Rain)	30/9
J.Purtell (Rain)	26/16	G.Galea (Melita)	27/9	A.Blalock (CAC)	30/12
B.Warnecke (Rain)	26/16	A.Farrugia (Melita)	25/11	G.Morel (M & C)	29/13



D5		D6		D7	
E.Powstowe (D.Board)	38/4	W.Henning (Univ)	31/2	G.Freer (Marksman)	35/7
D.Parsons (Clayton)	34/12	T.Rattay (CAC)	30/6	N.Pilkington(Univ)	34/5
G.Sztockman (Crest)	31/5	I.Mitchell (Univ)	29/7	C.Barnes (B.NSW)	33/9
B.Nicholls (B.NSW)	31/11	A.Maher (CAC)	27/9	C.Carle (B.NSW)	32/10
J.Azzopardi (B.NSW)	28/14	F.Viani (CAC Red)	24/12	R.Devries (Univ)	32/10
K.Russen (Clayton)	28/14	D.Holmes (Tax)	21/15	J.Harris (Nott)	30/12
D8		E1		E2	
H.Jeschofnik (Prest)	30/3	P.Smith (Rain)	34/2	I.Smith (B.NSW)	31/8
D.Garvey (Prest)	36/1	M.Lenton (Rain)	30/-	R.Carwana (B.NSW)	32/10
M.Plamer (Nth.B)	24/9	R.Woolcock (Rain)	30/-	M.Wardle (Prest)	32/10
P.Layton (Hakoah)	23/7	M.Bottrell(APIE1)	30/6	H.Loh (Univ)	30/12
J.Jeschofnik (Prest)	22/11	D.Blythman ( " )	23/10	A.Grikepelos(Prest)	29/13
R.Carty (Strathmore)	15/3	K.Pavitt (O'Conn)	22/5	N.Styler (Tax)	28/11
E3		E4		E5	
W.Denke (Spicers)	37/5	R.Wearne (CASC)	30/6	D.Harefield (St.J)	40/2
G.Gray (Spicers)	36/6	M.Horne (Plaza 2)	28/5	W.Leydon (UESCO)	38/4
W.Seaman (Forest P)	32/1	R.Nemeth (Univ)	27/6	R.Boffin (ICT)	35/4
T.Hilton (Forest P)	28/2	J.Montgomery(Univ)	25/5	C.Johnson (LBJ)	33/6
A.Hedger (Plaza 1)	27/15	T.Bourke (Plaza 2)	21/9	W.Caven (UESCO)	31/11
S.Chuah (Monash)	26/1	P.Morris (Plaza 4)	21/9	D.Allerding (UESCO)	30/9
E7		E8		E9	
A.Parish (JAC)	35/4	W.Burns (PMC)	32/1	I.McCall (D.Board)	28/2
T.Parish (JAC)	30/9	M.Kovacs (PMC)	29/1	A.Ibrahim(Univ)	26/7
P.Rowe (UESCO Red)	30/12	W.Kelty (Tax)	25/8	B.Cranston (D.Board)	24/3
C.Taylor (JAC)	29/10	B.Pittaway (Tax)	21/9	R.Clark (AMP)	26/10
K.Clayton (Melbhoist)	28/5	B.Anderson (Nth.B)	21/15	F.Wilson (St.John)	20/10
W.George (Bank NSW)	26/9	A.Gunn (Nth.B)	21/9	A.Leitmanis (Cob)	20/10
E10		Womens A		WAR	
L.Bozo (Hakoah)	39/3	L.Nicholson(Hakoah)	38/1	E.Pozivil (SOS)	41/1
G.Back (Hakoah)	32/7	S.Javor (Hakoah)	36/-	L.Gardiner (Univ)	37/2
J.Elliott (Elliot)	32/10	J.Burgess (Vict)	32/10	V.Taylor (Vict)	37/2
B.Jolley (TAB)	30/3	M.Cleaves (Melb)	30/6	J.King (Melb)	31/11
M.Marshall (WHPFA)	30/6	D.Sanders (Cresc)	30/12	M.Van Pelt (Prest)	28/5
E.Trinor (Hakoah)	30/12	M.Mulcahy (Hakoah)	29/4	J.Pascoe (Rain)	28/8
WB1		WB2		WC1	
G.Ruffin (Hakoah)	42/-	J.Chaffey (B.NSW)	33/6	G.Love (Vict)	34/2
K.Gamble (Vict)	36/6	P.Lemonis (B.NSW)	32/1	M.Gorman (Vict)	33/3
G.Hauser (Monash)	33/6	M.Fennell (B.NSW)	32/4	M.Collins (Vict)	28/2
P.Holden (Melb)	34/8	L.Corben (B.NSW)	28/5	M.Glen (Monash)	28/2
R.Berry (Vict)	31/8	R.Stewart (PMC)	28/8	P.Munro (Rain)	25/8
V.McAllen (Vict)	30/6	K.Baldwin (Nott)	24/9	D.Brand (ABC)	23/7



WD1		WD2		WD3
M.Gray (Victoria)	30/3	M.Guiney (DSD)	32/1	M.Mahoney (Nat.Mut) 30/-
L.Bavey (Hawthorn)	29/7	G.Lynch (Moran & C)	27/3	M.Coulson (Nat.Mut) 29/1
W.Goodman (Monash)	27/6	R.Whitehead (Univ)	27/6	K.Jurkousky (TAB) 28/2
M.Harris (Victoria)	24/-	D.Candy (Univ Bl)	26/4	W.McLennan (N.Mut) 25/5
M.Zacutti (Univ)	22/8	J.Harricks (M & C)	25/11	G.Jenkins (AMP) 21/9
D.Moseley (Hawth)	21/15	B.Stacey (DSD)	20/7	M.Herring (AMP) 20/1

## 2. METROPOLITAN SUMMER PENNANT

Conducted from 19th September to 30th November.

33 grades of 8 teams divided into 6 womens grades and 27 mens grades = 264 teams. (This was a decrease of 14 teams from 1965). All grades consisted of nominally eight teams as in the Winter pennant but the season was much shorter, consisting of seven weeks plus finals. Winners and runners-up were:

GRADE	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
A grade	Coburg	Melbourne
A2	St.Georges 1	Melbourne
A3	Preston	Hakoah
A4	Rainbow	St.Georges 4
B1	Rainbow	St.Georges
B2	AEI Hotpoint.	Pegasus
B3	V.R.I.	Glenroy
B4	RGH Heidelberg	Melita
B5	BP Australia	Melbourne
C1	AMP	Pegasus
C2	Melita	Moran & Cato
C3	Gellibrand	V.R.I.
C4	Brunswick	Sidchrome
C5	University	Nottingham
C6	Neverdown	Dairy Board
C7	Melita	Pegasus
D1	Preston	Rainbow Red
D2	Sands & Mac.	Spicers
D3	Bank NSW	St.Kilda Ckt
D4	Bank NSW	CAC
D5	Taxation	Bank NSW
D6	St.Johns	Albion
D7	Adult Deaf	AMP
E1	BP Australia	MCCES
E2	Nightchem	Tom Piper 1
E3	Coburg Harriers	HYC
E4	Centax	AMP
W.A	Hakoah	Preston
WAR	Melbourne	Nottingham
WB1	Melbourne	Hakoah
WB2	Omicron	Bank NSW
WC1	Victoria 5	Melbourne
WC2	HBA	Melita



## LEADING PLAYERS

A		A2		A3	
J.Kilderry (Cob)	18/3	R.Faust (St.Geo)	17/4	B.Blick (Hakoah)	19/2
J.Nicholson (Cob)	17/1	H.Hirsch (Melb)	17/4	K.Walker (Prest)	18/3
W.Bates (St.K.Ckt)	17/4	G.Goetski (Omic)	16/5	M.McDonald (Tria)	17/4
D.Lindsay (Melb)	17/4	R.Warrior (St.Geo)	16/5	J.Copas (H'dale)	17/4
V.Sirvic (Melb)	17/4	J.Pozivil (Omic)	15/6	G.Ashby (Prest)	14/7
L.Pascoe (Cob.Harr)	15/6	A.Mitchell (Nott)	15/6	N.Breazley (H'dale)	14/7
		D.Dey (St.Geo)	15/6	A.DeForest (Prest)	13/8
A4		B1		B2	
R.Anderson (St.Geo)	17/1	K.Borland (Vict)	19/2	R.Taylor (Myer)	17/4
M.Solomons (Hakoah)	16/2	G.Bolgarow (Cob)	17/4	S.Archer (AEI H)	17/4
A.Walker (St.Geo)	16/5	J.Murdock (St.Geo)	17/4	D.Broomhall (AEI H)	17/4
J.Walker (St.Geo)	15/6	P.Beilby (Musician)	14/4	A.Noble (Pegasus)	17/4
B.Gribble (St.Geo)	14/7	N.Murray (Vict)	13/8	J.Shiell (B.NSW)	16/5
L.Backham (Hakoah)	14/7			A.Ubelaker (Pegasus)	15/6
B3		B4		B5	
E.Baldwin (Nott)	16/5	A.Yorke (RGH Heid)	21/-	H.Lenauskas (Scope)	17/4
C.Barker (VRI)	16/5	D.Parkes (ESTTA)	20/1	V.Patterson (Melb)	17/4
D.Dorner (Neverd)	13/8	A.Grima (Melita)	18/3	N.Metcalf (BP Aust)	16/2
W.Strojek (Melb)	13/8	G.Keenan (Youngs)	17/4	D.Garvey (Prest)	15/6
M.Crozier (Glenroy)	12/3	K.Keane (Melita)	16/5	B.Blosfeld (Scope)	15/6
F.Punton (VRI)	11/4			S.Garvey (Prest)	14/7
C1		C2		C3	
P.Morgan (AMP)	18/-	R.Warren (Prest)	19/2	B.Taylor (Gelli)	17/2
B.Beef (AMP)	16/2	G.Charman (M & C)	19/2	F.Daraman (Pegasus)	15/4
L.Knox (AMP)	15/-	P.Kikas (Hakoah)	18/3	R.Webster (VRI)	14/5
N.Hemingway (Pegas)	15/3	E.Clark (Hakoah)	17/4	A.Tabone (VRI)	13/8
J.Birjck (Pegas)	14/4	P.Lynch (M & C)	17/4	J.Rees (VRI)	13/8
A.Randall (Rain)	13/5	R.Williams (Melita)	16/5	M.Duckworth (R.Meth)	12/3
C4		C5		C6	
L.McCallum (Sidch)	16/2	N.Roberts (Univ)	20/1	A.Putts (Neverd)	21/-
R.Moyle (Pt Melb)	16/2	T.Gibson (Univ)	18/3	E.Dunstone (D.Board)	17/4
M.Butler (ES & A)	13/5	T.Hodson (Nott)	17/4	D.Hunter (Neverd)	15/3
F.Charles (Melb)	13/5	P.Mitchell (Strath)	16/2	R.Sauer (Rain)	15/6
T.Dimery (Melb)	11/7	D.Stewart Uden (Cob)	16/5	P.Mistores (Rain)	14/4



G7	
D.Parsons (Clayton)	18/-
B.Blythe (RCH)	13/2
E.Keir (RCH)	13/5
C.Galea (Melita)	12/3
J.Harrison (Nott)	11/4
V.Camilleri (Melita)	11/4

D3	
G.Barnes (B.NSW)	19/2
R.Mealand (St.K.Ckt)	16/5
G.Szotckman (Crest)	15/6
L.Jones (Crest)	14/7
T.Hilton (Forest P)	13/5
J.Barnes (Pegasus)	13/8

D6	
B.Harfield (St.J)	15/-
H.Bell (Albion)	13/2
D.Turner (Albion)	13/2
T.Sioumos (D.Res)	13/5
R.Carwana (B.NSW)	12/6

E2	
C.O'Meara (Night)	21/-
A.Sterloff (Night)	20/1
R.Walton (AVWehl)	18/3
F.Sherry (Tom Piper)	13/2
K.Westcott (Tom Piper)	13/5
J.Watson (Tom Piper)	13/5

Womens A	
M.Cleaves (Prest)	21/-
L.Salfass (Hakoah)	17/4
D.Kilderry (Cob.Harr)	16/5
J.Burgess (Vict)	14/7
S.Caramelas (Cob)	13/5
B.Greenwood (Prest)	13/8
J.Fradkin (Hakoah)	13/8

D1	
A.Lau (Rain)	18/3
R.Warnecke (Rain)	17/4
F.Hill (Cob.Harr)	17/4
F.Cugnetto (Prest)	15/3
R.Osodnik (Hakoah)	15/3
P.Chapman (Rudder)	15/6

D4	
S.Withington (CAC)	20/1
B.Cramer (B.NSW)	19/2
B.Smith (H'dale)	17/1
F.Deighan (Nott)	15/6
A.Mahar (CAC)	14/4

D7	
K.Mark (Adult D)	18/3
J.Smith (AMP)	16/2
G.O'Neill (STTC)	16/5
J.Tripony (STTC)	16/5
T.Creak (AMP)	15/3

E3	
C.Csutoras (HYC)	21/-
E.Weinman (CML)	18/3
C.Sims (Prest)	16/5
F.Csutoras (HYC)	14/4
B.Tolley (Cob.Harr)	14/7
K.Breen (Prest)	13/8

WAR	
J.King (Melb)	17/1
L.McBurney (Nott)	15/-
L.Conquest (Melb)	14/4
W.Young (Prest)	13/5
J.Jackson (Melb)	13/5
K.Gamble (Vict)	12/6

D2	
B.Nash (Sands)	19/2
A.Farrugia (Melita)	16/5
W.Denke (Spicers)	14/1
B.Towan (AEI)	13/5
M.Palmer (Nth.B)	13/5
M.Wardle (Prest)	13/8

D5	
T.Hamilton (Tax)	20/1
A.Milburn (JTN)	16/2
D.Frith (B.NSW)	16/5
J.Corbett (Tax)	16/5
C.Bengough (Tax)	15/6
A.Jones (Telestar)	14/4

E1	
J.Russell (Neverd)	20/1
R.Williams (MCCES)	18/3
J.Jenkins (PMC)	16/5
B.Chaplin (BP Aust)	14/4
W.Roberts (Mt.W)	14/7
J.Humble (BP Aust)	13/2

E4	
P.Rigg (Centax)	21/-
D.Gibbs (Centax)	18/3
N.O'Conner (Maples)	18/3
D.Hubbard (AJPK)	16/5
A.Saxby (AMP)	15/6
T.Robinson (Maples)	15/6

WB1	
P.Holden (Melb)	20/1
N.Mahoney (Nat.M)	19/2
J.Bemrose (Melb)	18/3
L.Kent (Rain)	17/4
J.Opper (Hakoah)	16/2
D.Coopersmith (")	16/5



<u>WB2</u>		<u>WC1</u>		<u>WC2</u>	
E. Pozivil (Omic)	15/-	D. Brand (Melb)	21/-	C. McClure (HBA)	
V. Katte (Omic)	13/2	M. Harris (Vict)	20/1	M. McClure (HBA)	11/1
M. McMahon (Hakoah)	13/2	D. Horeman (ES & A)	19/2	M. Van Edge (Rain)	11/1
J. Chaffey (B. NSW)	12/3	M. Gray (Vict)	18/3	D. Bonner (Rain)	11/4
L. Corben (B. NSW)	9/6	J. Mansfield (ES&A)	17/4	B. Neumann (Rain)	11/4
		V. Simpson (Vict)	15/6	E. Eyun (ES & A)	10/2
		J. Hawkes (Vict)	13/2		9/3

## JUNIOR ACTIVITIES

It is pleasing to report that substantial progress has been made this year in all phases of junior activities. Junior Pennant competitions were conducted as usual on Saturday mornings. In order to cater for the large number of last year's juniors who were over age this year, a special Intermediate Grade was introduced during the Autumn Pennant season. During the winter season "A" Grade was open to both intermediate and junior players. This gave the leading juniors keener competition, and resulted in more even grading.

The Junior sub-committee was responsible for conducting the junior and sub-junior events of the Riversdale, Victorian Junior Open, Victorian Junior Closed, and Victorian Junior Teams Championships. Record entries were received for all four of these tournaments.

A large party of juniors went to Adelaide in January to compete in the City of Adelaide Championships. A party of 37 juniors and officials went to Sydney in May for the Australian Junior Teams Championships and the City of Sydney Championships.

### 1. AUTUMN JUNIOR PENNANT

Conducted 2nd April to 4th June consisting of 5 rounds and finals. In the Junior Grades, 50 teams entered - 36 boys teams (6 grades) and 14 girls teams (3 grades). This was an increase of 6 teams on 1965 Winter Pennant competition. 8 teams (1 grade) entered for the Intermediate Pennant competition (for those aged 18-21). The total number of teams playing in the Saturday morning competitions was 58. Winners and runners-up were:-

GRADE	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
Intermediate A	Coburg	Monash
Junior A	Hakoah	Geelong
Junior A Reserve	Hakoah	Geelong
Junior B	Victoria	Hakoah 4
Junior C	Ramsay Mailer 5	Victoria 2
Junior D	Ramsay Mailer 7	Hakoah 6
Junior E	Ramsay Mailer 9	Hakoah 7



GRADE	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
Girls A.	Penleigh	B.J.A.
B.	Victoria	Penleigh 3
C.	Victoria 2	Ramsay Mailer 3

It must be mentioned that as usual, several leading junior girl players preferred to compete in Junior A and A Reserve Grades rather than in the Girls Grades. Also Intermediate A Grade included two members of the fair sex.

Special mention must be made of the keenness of those junior pennant players who live in areas far removed from our Centre in the Albert Park, and travel such long distances each Saturday. This season we had players from Diamond Creek, Watsonia, Croydon, Greensborough, Whittlesea, Doveton, Upwey and Roserna, not to mention the two teams from Geelong!

#### LEADING PLAYERS

Intermediate A		Junior A		Junior A Reserve	
J. Stiglitz (Monash)	16/2	A. Sloper (R. Mail)	14/1	S. Campbell (Geelong)	14/1
M. Cleaves (R. Mail)	13/5	K. Walker (Winners)	12/3	M. Bates (Geelong)	13/2
L. Fang (MSS)	12/3	L. Deich (Hakoah)	11/4	S. Auster (Hakoah)	13/2
M. Solomons (Hakoah)	12/-	T. Reay (Hakoah)	10/5	R. Sutherland (Hakoah)	12/-
D. Blackburn (Coburg)	12/3	W. Yue (Camb)	10/5	N. Montfort (Camb)	11/4
R. Savige (Camb)	11/4	D. Bates (Geelong)	9/-	A. Savige (Camb)	10/5
B		C		D	
B. Dankbar (R. Mail)	12/-	S. Belesini (R. Mail)	12/-	B. Gordon (R. Mail)	11/1
R. Javor (Hakoah)	11/1	G. Doyle (Victoria)	12/-	A. Rushen (R. Mail)	9/-
P. Neuhold (Victoria)	11/4	E. Hill (R. Mail)	14/1	E	
T. Pataki (Camb)	10/5	M. Wotherspoon (Camb)	10/2	G. Pascoe (R. Mail)	12/-
				D. Veal (R. Mail)	11/-
Girls A		Girls B		Girls C	
A. Rothery (BJA)	13/2	V. Simpson (Victoria)	12/-	D. Fraser (Victoria)	15/-
J. Atkin (BJA)	13/2	M. Harris (Victoria)	9/-	J. Hawkes (Victoria)	15/-

#### 2. WINTER JUNIOR PENNANT

Conducted 18th June to 6th August, consisting of 7 rounds and finals. 60 teams entered, 48 boys teams (6 grades) and 12 girls teams (2 grades). This was an increase of 2 teams on the Autumn pennant figures. Winners and runners-up were:

GRADE	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
A (Intermediate & Junior)	Ramsay Mailer	Hakoah
A Reserve (Junior)	Camberwell 3	Heidelberg
B	Elwood High	Camberwell 5
C	Camberwell 7	Ramsay Mailer 4
D	Burwood	Hakoah 7
E	Camberwell 10	Elwood Central



GRADE	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
Girls A	MLC	Penleigh
B	MLC 2	Ramsay Mailer

### LEADING PLAYERS

A		A Reserve		B	
T. Polachek (Hakoah)	13/2	N. Montfort (Camb)	19/2	R. Javor (Time)	19/2
L. Fang (Coburg)	12/-	A. Savige (Camb)	17/4	L. Zalzman (Elwood)	15/-
A. Ludlow (R. Mail)	12/3	H. Greenland (Dove)	16/2	A. Kolb (Camb)	15/8
D. Blackburn (Coburg)	11/1	J. Hughes (Heidel)	16/2	T. Pataki (Camb)	14/4
M. Solomons (Hakoah)	11/1	G. Montfort (Camb)	16/2	D. Savige (Camb)	13/8
A. Sloper (R. Mail)	10/2	J. Marmor (Heidel)	14/4	M. Tink (Time)	12/6
C		D		E	
J. Heaton (Time)	18/-	J. Grundy (Burwood)	20/1	L. Tracey (Camb)	19/2
P. Brett (R. Mail)	18/-	G. Pascoe (R. Mail)	17/4	G. Wilson (Camb)	15/-
D. Heaton (Time)	17/1	S. Simper (Burwood)	16/5	D. Thomson (Camb)	13/2
S. Zubergerman (Hakoah)	14/4	L. Warren (Burwood)	15/3	J. Goldfarb (El. C)	11/1
Girls A		Girls B			
J. Atkin (MLC)	17/1	C. Nall (MLC)	15/3		
S. Payne (Penleigh)	16/2	M. Torode (MLC)	12/3		
R. Davies (MLC)	15/-	L. Kiraly (El. H)	12/6		
G. Rogers (Penleigh)	14/1	G. Hume (Penleigh)	12/6		

### NEWS SHEET

We wish to thank all clubs who supported the editors this year in sending us paragraphs of interest to other table tennis players. The News sheet had 37 issues and was sent to all Registered Clubs, Affiliated Associations and the Press, Radio and Television.

### DRESS

While there has been a slight improvement in the overall standard of dress, carelessness and in many cases, downright slovenliness, is still far too prevalent.

### CHAMPIONSHIPS AND TOURNAMENTS

#### 1. EASTER TOURNAMENT AND TEAMS COMPETITION

The 9th Annual Riversdale-Halex Easter Tournament was conducted at the Table Tennis Centre of Victoria over the Easter period 8th-10th April. The event was again notable for its record entry but its popularity may force some radical changes in its pattern as the amount of time available at Easter is



quite limited.

In the teams competition the winners were:-

Mens Section A	New South Wales	(Riversdale-Halex Perpetual Trophy)
Mens Section B	Victoria	
Mens Section C	Victoria Country	
Mens Intermediate	Victoria	
Womens Section A	Victoria	(Riversdale-Halex Perpetual Trophy)
Womens Section B	South Australia	

In the individual tournament the winners and runners-up were:-

<u>Event</u>	<u>Winner</u>	<u>Runner-up</u>
Mens Singles	C.McDonald (NSW)	M.Wilcox (NSW)
Mens Doubles	Jennings/McDonald (NSW)	Wilcox/Thomson (NSW/SA)
Womens Singles	S.Javor	M.Mulcahy
Womens Doubles	Banhidy/Gilbert	Newnham/Gilbert
Junior Boys Singles	P.Pinkewich (NSW)	A.Frankenburg (SA)
Junior Girls Singles	V.Wheller (NSW)	A.McMahon (SA)
Special Singles for Men	R.Wheller (SA)	P.Pinkewich (NSW)
Special Doubles for Men	Schwarzbaum/Glenn (NSW)	Warrior/Brown
Special Singles for Women	T.Gilbert	M. Van Pelt
B.Singles for Men	B.King	D.Bates
B.Singles for Women	M.Bates	R.Plain
C.Singles for Men	D.Ward	K.Walker
C.Doubles for Men	Tilmouth/Rodgers	Bruhn/Ward
C.Singles for Women	M.Edwards	M.Bates
D.Singles for Men	P.Martin	T.Burke
E.Singles for Men	L.Deich	R.L'el
Sub-junior Boys Under 16	D.Bates	K.Walker
Sub-junior Girls Under 16	S.Gilbert	E.Wood
Sub-junior Boys Under 14	T.Taylforth	R.Edwards
Sub-junior Girls Under 14	S.Gilbert	M.Bates
Sub-junior Boys & Girls U 12	G.Bates	A. Savige

## 2. METROPOLITAN PENNANT TOURNAMENT

The 4th Annual Metropolitan Pennant Tournament was held at the Table Tennis Centre of Victoria on Monday 30th May and Friday 3rd June.

The total number of entries was on a par with the 1965 Tournament. Entry fees were maintained at a nominal level and medallions were awarded to the winner and runner-up in each grade. Winners and runners-up were:

<u>Event</u>	<u>Winner</u>	<u>Runner-up</u>
Mens A Grade	G.Stirling	T.Polachek
Mens A2, A3 Grades	R.Grattidge	G.Goetski
Mens B Grade	D.Hill	A.Rodgers



<u>Event</u>	<u>Winner</u>	<u>Runner-Up</u>
Mens C Grade	K. Walker	T. Gibson
Mens D Grade	B. Craig	I. Mitchell
Mens E Grade	W. Leydon	K. Pavitt
Womens A Grade	L. Nicholson	M. Mulcahy
Womens A Reserve	E. Pozivil	J. Jackson
Womens B Grade	K. Gamble	V. Bradford
Womens C Grade	M. Gorman	M. Collins
Womens D Grade	M. Harris	W. Goodman

### 3. VICTORIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

The 37th Annual Victorian State Championships were held at the Table Tennis Centre of Victoria from 23rd to 29th July.

Although no top ranking players from Interstate participated in the Open events the number of entries was a large increase over the 1965 figures and indeed the total number of entries constituted a new record. This was largely brought about by the great number of juniors taking part in the ten events restricted to them. Total entries (with doubles being counted as one entry) were 736 which included 264 junior entries.

Highlights of the championships included Mrs. Suzy Javor's tenth consecutive Womens Singles win and Leigh Pascoe being the first Victorian-born player to win the Mens Singles for 13 years. Winners and runners-up were:

<u>Event</u>	<u>Winner</u>	<u>Runner-up</u>
Mens Singles	L. Pascoe	G. Stirling
Womens Singles	S. Javor	L. Nicholson
Mens Doubles	R. Pascoe/L. Pascoe	J. Nicholson/R. Cintolo
Womens Doubles	S. Javor/L. Nicholson	P. Rynne/M. Mulcahy
Mixed Doubles	R. Cintolo/S. Javor	J. Nicholson/M. Mulcahy
Mens Special Singles	R. Faust	A. Ludlow
Mens Special Doubles	A. Sloper/R. Rodgers	A. Tudor/P. Lawrence
Mens B Singles	J. Stiglitz	D. Hill
Womens B Singles	G. Fitzgerald	A. Rothery
Mens C Singles	B. Craig	K. Walker
Womens C Singles	L. Woff	G. Main
Mens C Doubles	T. Taylforth/R. Lel	K. Walker/B. McDonald
Mens D Singles	N. Metcalfe	W. Henning
Mens E Singles	D. Harfield	I. McGregor
Veteran Singles	K. Javor	B. Campbell

### 4. VICTORIAN JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

These events were held at the Table Tennis Centre of Victoria on Saturday 23rd July and all matches except the final of the Junior Mixed Doubles were played on this day. The major highlight was the dominance of South Australian Peter Powell in the singles events. Winners and runners-up were:-



<u>Event</u>	<u>Winner</u>	<u>Runner-up</u>
Junior Boys Singles	P.Powell (SA)	D.Bates
Junior Boys Doubles	A.Sloper/R.Rodgers	P.Powell/J.Squire (SA)
Junior Girls Singles	D.Gavros (SA)	B.Greenwood
Junior Girls Doubles	M.Van Pelt/B.Greenwood	D.Gavros/L.Ross
Junior Mixed Doubles	R.Rodgers/B.Greenwood	T.Polachek/M.Van Pelt
Under 16 Boys Singles	P.Powell (SA)	D.Bates
Under 16 Girls Singles	S.Campbell	A.McMahon (SA)
Under 14 Boys Singles	P.Powell (SA)	T.Taylforth
Under 14 Girls Singles	M.Bates	S.Gilbert
Under 12 Boys & Girls	G.Bates	A.Savige

## 5. COUNTRY WEEK

The 15th Annual Country Week Championships were conducted in conjunction with the Victorian Championships. Seven Shields were contested and winners were:-

Mens A Grade	Atlas Shield	- Ballarat
Womens A Grade	Atlas Shield	- Geelong
Mens B Grade	Riversdale Shield	- Sunraysia
Womens B Grade	Albert Cooper Shield	- Ballarat
Mens C Grade	Len Haycraft Shield	- Warrnambool
Mens C1 Grade	Jack Nathan Shield	- Hamilton
Mens C2 Grade	Ian Foster Shield	- Sunraysia
Mens C3 Grade	George McIlvena Shield	- (Not competed for)

Winners and runners-up of the individual events were:

<u>Event</u>	<u>Winner</u>	<u>Runner-up</u>
Mens Singles	G.Holman (Trar)	R.Rodgers (Ball)
Womens Singles	J.Newnham (Bend)	K.Latimer (Trar)
Mens Doubles	G.Puchlenko/G.Holman	K.Dwyer/T.Latimer
Womens Doubles	J.Newnham/K.Latimer	S.Campbell/M.Bates
Mixed Doubles	R.Hartwig/J.Newnham	G.Puchlenko/K.Latimer
Junior Boys Singles	R.Rodgers (Ball)	I.Shields (Sun)
Junior Girls Singles	S.Campbell (Gee)	M.Bates (Gee)
Mens B Singles	I.Shields (Sun)	C.DeBondt (Leon)
Womens B Singles	P.Price (Morwell)	B.Oakley (Warr)
Mens C Singles	D.Smith (W.Plains)	C.DeBondt (Leon)

## 1966 Country Week Rankings

Men: 1.	G.Holman	(Traralgon)	Women: 1.	J.Newnham	(Bendigo)
2.	R.Rodgers	(Ballarat)	2.	S.Campbell	(Geelong)
3.	G.Puchlenko	(Traralgon)	3.	K.Latimer	(Traralgon)
4.	K.C.Chan	(Ballarat)	4.	M.Bates	(Geelong)
5.	K.Dwyer	(Traralgon)	5.	J.Eddy	(Traralgon)
6.	P.Humphries	(Hamilton)	6.	E.Boogs	(Geelong)



Men: 7.	B.Reams	(Ballarat)	Women: 7.	J.Smith	(Warrnambool)
8.	D.Brown	(Warrnambool)	8.	A.Tremellen	(Shepparton)

## 6. VICTORIAN CLOSED JUNIOR TOURNAMENT AND TEAMS COMPETITION

The third Victorian Closed Junior championships were held at the Table Tennis Centre of Victoria on Saturday 3rd September. The inclusion, for the first time, of graded events was partly responsible for the establishment of an all-time record for Victorian Junior Tournaments with respect to the number of events (18) and the total entries (413.) Winners and runners-up were:

<u>Event</u>	<u>Winner</u>	<u>Runner-up</u>
Junior Boys Singles	T.Polachek (Hakoah)	A.Sloper (R.Mail)
Junior Girls Singles	M.Van Pelt (Preston)	S.Campbell (Geelong)
Junior Boys Doubles	T.Reay/D.Bates	R.Sutherland/T.Polachek
Junior Girls Doubles	B.Greenwood/M.Van Pelt	S.Campbell/M.Bates
Junior Mixed Doubles	A.Sloper/L.Ross	T.Polachek/M.Van Pelt
Under 16 Boys Singles	T.Polachek (Hakoah)	R.Sutherland (Hakoah)
Under 16 Girls Singles	S.Campbell (Geelong)	M.Bates (Geelong)
Under 14 Boys Singles	T.Taylforth (Shep)	R.Tuckett (Croydon)
Under 12 Singles	G.Bates (Geelong)	A.Savige (Camb)
Boys Special Singles	J.Ganya (Croydon)	R.Tuckett (Croydon)
Boys B Grade Singles	M.Baynes (Yea)	J.Heaton (Time)
Boys C Grade Singles	F.Deighan (Time)	N.Greenwood (Preston)
Girls Special Singles	G.Main (Traralgon)	L.Hawley (Traralgon)
Girls B Grade Singles	V.Woodward (Ballarat)	S.Woodward (Ballarat)
Boys Special Doubles	J.Ganya/R.Tuckett	S.Edge/R.Edwards
Boys B Grade Doubles	M.Baynes/D.Trump	F.Johnson/B.Moran
Girls Special Doubles	S.Woodward/V.Woodward	V.DeRavin/J.Hawkes

The popularity that the above individual and team championships have achieved in the short space of two or three years is stimulating to those with the interests of Victorian table tennis at heart. They represent a real "get together" between country and metropolitan juniors. The Junior sub-committee wishes to record its appreciation of the support given by officials of country associations, especially Warrnambool (who brought down 25 juniors), Geelong, Traralgon and Ballarat. Thanks are also due to those Melbourne people who billeted some of the country juniors on the Friday night.

## 7. JUNIOR TEAMS CHAMPIONSHIPS OF AUSTRALIA

The 1966 Australian National Junior Teams Championships were conducted by the New South Wales Table Tennis Association at Sydney from 16th to 20th May. Four states were represented by boys teams and five states by girls teams. Victorian teams were:-

Boys: L.Pascoe (Captain)  
T.Polachek  
R.Rodgers

Girls: B.Greenwood  
L.Ross  
M.Van Pelt

(Non-playing captain - Miss D.Payne)

Teams Manager - Mr. V.Huggins



Selection of a completely new girls team was necessary as all three members of our victorious 1965 girls team had left the junior ranks. Victoria retained the boys shield and came third in the girls section. Results where Victorian teams were concerned were:

<u>Boys:</u>	defeated Tasmania	5:0	<u>Girls:</u>	defeated Tasmania	5:0
	defeated N.S.W.	3:2		defeated Queensland	3:2
	defeated S.A.	3:2		lost to S.A.	1:4
				lost to N.S.W.	2:3

A party of twenty-nine other Victorian juniors accompanied the teams and played in the City of Sydney Championships which were held in conjunction with the teams titles.

#### 8. AUSTRALIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

The 1966 Australian National Championships for team and individual events were conducted by the Victorian Table Tennis Association from 5th-9th September.

All states were again represented and the co-operation of officials and players with the Organising Committee contributed to the success of the event. A new system of programming each match to a specific table at a specific time proved quite successful and this aspect of the organisation should be continued for future similar events.

(a) Team Events: The Spalding Shield was won by New South Wales for the third successive year with Victoria again finishing in second position. The Victorian womens team continued to break the records by winning the Ron Jones Shield for the ninth successive year.

Teams selected to represent Victoria were:-

<u>Men:</u>	G. Stirling (Captain)	<u>Women:</u>	M. Cleaves
	J. Nicholson		S. Javor
	L. Pascoe		M. Mulcahy
	V. Sirvic		L. Nicholson
			(Mr. K. Javor - Non Playing Captain)

Team Manager - Mr. W. Harratt

The teams finished in the following order:

#### Spalding Shield for Men

1. New South Wales
2. Victoria
3. South Australia
4. Tasmania
5. Queensland
6. Western Australia

#### Ron Jones Shield for Women

1. Victoria
2. New South Wales
3. South Australia
4. Queensland
5. Western Australia
6. Tasmania



(b) Individual Events: The Australian Mens Singles was won by Cliff McDonald who defeated fellow New South Wales player Michael Wilcox.

Mrs. Suzy Javor won her seventh Australian Womens Singles title when she defeated Mrs. L. Nicholson. It is extremely unlikely that Mrs. Javor's amazing record in this event will be equalled!

Victorian players were also successful in the Junior events in which Leigh Pascoe regained his Junior Boys Singles title and Lorraine Ross was successful in the Junior Girls Singles event.

The Mens Doubles and Mixed Doubles events were dominated by New South Wales players where the successful combinations were Geoff Jennings/Cliff McDonald and Cliff McDonald/Margaret Lindsay respectively. The winners and runners-up were:

<u>Event</u>	<u>Winner</u>	<u>Runner-up</u>
Mens Singles Championship	C. McDonald (NSW)	M. Wilcox (NSW)
Womens Singles Championship	S. Javor (VIC)	L. Nicholson (VIC)
Mens Doubles Championship	G. Jennings/C. McDonald (NSW)	D. Cowell/J. Lindsay (NSW)
Womens Doubles Championship	S. Javor/L. Nicholson (VIC)	F. Smith/J. Brown (NSW)
Mixed Doubles Championship	C. McDonald/M. Lindsay (NSW)	M. Wilcox/S. Javor (NSW/VIC)
Junior Boys Singles	L. Pascoe (VIC)	P. Pinkewich (NSW)
Junior Girls Singles	L. Ross (VIC)	D. Gavros (SA)

The 1966 Rankings were announced by the A.T.T.A. Selectors at the Victory Ball which was held at the conclusion of the Championships.

<u>Men</u>			<u>Women</u>		
1.	C. McDonald	(NSW) (1)	1.	S. Javor	(VIC) (-)
2.	M. Wilcox	(NSW) (3)	2.	L. Nicholson	(VIC) (4)
3.	G. Jennings	(NSW) (-)	3.	J. Brown	(NSW) (5)
4.	M. Thomson	(S.A) (2)	4.	M. Mulcahy	(VIC) (3)
5.	G. Stirling	(VIC) (4)	5.	L. Gilbert	(VIC) (10)
6.	L. Pascoe	(VIC) (5)	6.	M. Lindsay	(NSW) (-)
7.	A. Frankenburg	(S.A) (-)	7.	J. Lane	(S.A) (-)
8.	V. Sirvic	(VIC) (-)	8.	M. Dixon	(S.A) (-)
9.	K. Edwards	(S.A) (10)	9.	J. Hughes	(S.A) (-)
10.	J. Lindsay	(NSW) (8)	10.	M. Cleaves	(VIC) (-)

Mrs. L. Davey (nee Murphy) was not ranked due to insufficient performances)

(Figures in brackets indicate 1965 rankings)

The Dunlop Victor Barna Award for the Player of the Year was awarded by the A.T.T.A. to Mrs. Suzy Javor.



The Michael Szabados Memorial Award for the outstanding Junior Player of the Year was won by Paul Pinkewich of New South Wales.

Our congratulations are extended to the above players on their performances which led to these awards.

Television: Once again a portion of the Finals night of the Championships was directly telecast by ABV-2, and the Association expresses its thanks to those concerned in the telecast.

Presentation of Trophies: Trophies were again presented to the winners and runners-up in all finals immediately the event concluded. The presentations were made by members of the A.T.T.A. and V.T.T.A. committees.

#### 9. OTHER OPEN TOURNAMENTS - VICTORIA

A number of country tournaments were held again this year in which players from Melbourne participated. The general feeling of the players however, was that too many tournaments were held about the same time, making it difficult to get to them all. Affiliated Associations and Clubs did their usual fine job in organising these events and showing true country hospitality to their visiting players from the city.

#### 10. OTHER STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

A contingent of junior players made the trip to Adelaide early in January for the City of Adelaide Championships and gained good experience there. Lyn Gilbert and Leigh Pascoe were invited and competed in the Tasmanian Championships during the year, winning the Womens and Mens Singles events. We hope that more players can make these Interstate trips to gain experience for themselves and also to help foster the relationships between competing states.

#### 11. HANDICAP TOURNAMENTS

During the year ten handicap tournaments were conducted at the Table Tennis Centre of Victoria, Albert Park. These were run by the Social sub-committee and were held on Sunday afternoons, attracting an average entry of 50 for each tournament.

#### VICTORIAN RANKINGS

The State Selectors announced the following rankings for Victoria.

<u>Men</u>			<u>Women</u>		
1.	L.Pascoe	(3) (Cob.Harriers)	1.	S.Javor	(1) (Hakoah)
2.	G.Stirling	(1) (Cob.Harriers)	2.	L.Nicholson	(4) (Hakoah)
3.	J.Nicholson	(5) (Cob.Harriers)	3.	M.Mulcahy	(3) (Hakoah)
4.	V.Sirvic	(7) (Rainbow)	4.	M.Cleaves	(8) (Melbourne)
5.	D.Lindsay	(-) (Melbourne)	5.	L.Gilbert	(5) (Ballarat)
6.	J.Kilderry	(-) (Cob.Harriers)	6.	J.Burgess	(7) (Victoria)



Men

7.	J. Marton	(8)	(Victoria)
8.	P. Kluge	(9)	(Rainbow)
9.	R. Cintolo	(6)	(Cob. Harriers)
10.	K. Holman	(-)	(Northcote)

Women

7.	D. Sanders	(-)	(Victoria)
8.	P. Rynne	(-)	(Victoria)
9.	L. Salfass	(-)	(Hakoah)
10.	J. Fradkin	(-)	(Hakoah)

Boys

1.	T. Polachek	(3)	(Hakoah)
2.	A. Sloper	(5)	(Ram. Mail)
3.	D. Bates	(-)	(Geelong)
4.	R. Rodgers	(8)	(Ballarat)
5.	K. Walker	(-)	(Preston)
6.	T. Reay	(-)	(Geelong)
7.	L. Deich	(-)	(Hakoah)
8.	R. Sutherland	(-)	(Hakoah)
9.	R. Lel	(-)	(Hakoah)
10.	T. Taylforth	(-)	(Shepparton)

Girls

1.	L. Ross	(5)	(Victoria)
2.	B. Greenwood	(4)	(Preston)
3.	S. Campbell	(7)	(Geelong)
4.	M. Van Pelt	(6)	(Preston)
5.	M. Bates	(-)	(Geelong)
6.	Y. Robe	(9)	(Victoria)
7.	E. Wood	(-)	(Warrnambool)
8.	M. Edwards	(-)	(Warrnambool)
9.	S. Gilbert	(-)	(Ballarat)
10.	A. Rothery	(-)	(Victoria)

(Figures in brackets indicate last years rankings)

L. Pascoe (Cob. Harriers), D. Dey (St. Georges), I. Shields (Sunraysia), and J. Helme (Nottingham) were not ranked through insufficient performances in the main Victorian Junior Championships.

FRENCH AWARD

The French award is made each year for the best player in the State for both sportsmanship and ability and was won in 1966 by Mrs. Suzy Javor.

JUNIOR PLAYER OF THE YEAR

This perpetual trophy which was instigated and donated by the Coburg Harriers table tennis club is awarded in recognition of those qualities by which, in addition to playing ability, the prestige and reputation of Table Tennis is established.

Lorraine Ross who this year won the Australian Junior Girls Singles title and has improve immensely has been awarded this trophy, and becomes the first girl to receive it.

TABLE TENNIS CENTRE OF VICTORIA

The Centre in the Albert Park was again the venue in 1966 for all major Victorian events and the 1966 Australian National Championships. During the year under review receipts were a little higher than in 1965 but to some extent this increase was offset by increased wage and maintenance costs.



When it was known that the 1967 World Championships would not be played in Melbourne it was no longer necessary to reserve any further funds from the Centre for this event and this made it possible to resume our Centre improvement plans which have been restricted during the last few years.

Major improvements made during the year were:

1. Covering floor of front foyer with vinyl tiles.
2. Erection of false ceiling over front foyer.
3. Extending office area to provide storage space for records and supplies and a show-case to display trophies.etc.

These works being the first stage of a plan to enclose all this area so that heating can be installed for the comfort of the players and their friends during the winter months.

A portable stand was purchased to provide additional seating on the Centre Court area.

This capital expenditure is more convenient and economical than hiring stands from time to time.

#### DUTY OFFICERS

Our thanks are recorded to the Duty Officers who carried out their work in a satisfactory manner, and in particular to the regular afternoon duty officers, Messrs. Peter James and Rod Charles.

#### STAFF

The V.T.T.A. is indeed very fortunate in having two valued and loyal full time employees in the persons of Miss J. Burgess (Administration) and Mr. I. Duke (Building Superintendent) to whom we extend thanks for their co-operation and for another years work well done.

#### ALBERT PARK TRUST

We again thank Senator P.J. Kennelly the chairman, and members of the Albert Park Committee of Management and staff, for their co-operation during the year. All regular patrons to the Centre will appreciate the big improvement gained by the concrete paving in front of the Centre Building and provided by the Albert Park Committee of Management. We do regret that this improvement has meant parking fees to be paid by our patrons, but we have been assured that without the income from these fees it would not have been possible to carry out this improvement.

#### WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS 1967

Similar to most international sports, Table Tennis has a rule that an option to conduct a World Championship can be cancelled if the host nation

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cannot give equal access to all competitors and officials from all member Associations.

In April 1966 in London at a meeting of the International Table Tennis Federation it was decided to abandon Australia as the venue for the 1967 World Championships because the Australian Government would not guarantee the issue of visas for competitors and officials from North Vietnam (a member nation of the ITTF) while operations of war continued.

We know how bitterly disappointed with this news were the members of the Planning and Organising Committee who had spent incalculable hours of work in investigating and preparation.

And so came an unfortunate end to an event which was being looked forward to not only by every table tennis player and enthusiast in Australia but also by table tennis players and officials throughout the world - an event which would have done so much for table tennis in Australia and Victoria in particular.

The ITTF decided to give the option for 1967 to Sweden.

In September the ATTA decided to retain the World Championship Organising Committee as a body, to explore the possibility of conducting in Melbourne in late 1967 or early 1968 an International Invitation event which would be for teams from countries near to Australia.

#### AFFILIATED ASSOCIATIONS

The number of Affiliated Associations has increased to 54, ten new Affiliations as against eight withdrawals. There were 42 country affiliates and 12 metropolitan, with a total of 1150 teams.

Country Week showed a drop of ten teams to 37, of which two-thirds were from five associations, only 14 of the 41 country associations taking part. Reasons suggested by country delegates for the decline were that, after 15 years, most of the original Country Week enthusiasts had retired, and that many country players were unable to take leave for a full week.

During 1966, a magnificent table tennis centre with eight tables was opened at Warrnambool, improvements were made to the Geelong Centre, and a new centre was begun at Ballarat.

Affiliated Associations continued to coach and encourage juniors. Many country juniors took part in the Victorian open and closed junior tournaments, also in the City of Adelaide and City of Sydney tournaments. Open tournaments were successfully conducted by the following country affiliates: Shepparton, Geelong, Traralgon, Horsham, Kyneton, Yea, Warrnambool and Sunraysia (Mildura).

A Victorian Country Mens Team toured New South Wales from August 20-27th playing matches at Armidale, Newcastle, Sydney (combined N.S.W. Country),



Illawarra, Goulburn and Canberra. The team of George Puchlenko (Captain/Manager), Graham Holman, Kevin Dwyer (all of Traralgon) and Barry Reams (Ballarat) won three matches and lost three.

The New South Wales Country Womens team, which toured Victoria from 31st August to 3rd September, and remained here for the Australian Championships, found the standard of country play high. It lost to Shepparton 5-6, Geelong 3-8, Traralgon 4-7, and combined Victorian country women 3-8. In this match, at the Table Tennis Centre of Victoria, our team consisted of Mrs. Kim Latimer (Traralgon) and Misses Sharyn Campbell and Mary Bates of Geelong.

Separate Annual Meetings of Country and Metropolitan Affiliated Associations were held at the Table Tennis Centre. Delegates continued to show enthusiasm and made many useful recommendations for the advancement of the sport.

To them and to the hardworking bands of Association officials throughout the State, the V.T.T.A. expresses its thanks.

The following Associations were affiliated in 1966.

#### Country:

Ararat	Hamilton	Nullewarre	Tongala
Ballarat	Horsham	Orford	Traralgon
Bendigo	Kerang	Portland	Wahgunyah
Benalla	Kyabram	Shepparton	Wangaratta
Camperdown	Kyneton	South Districts	Warrnambool
Castlemaine	Leongatha	(Geelong)	Western Plains
Coleraine	Livingstone	Stawell	Wonthaggi
Donald	Morwell	Sunraysia	Yarram
Geelong	Moe	Swanpool	Yarrawonga
Gisborne	Nathalia	Tatura	Yea
Goorambat-Thoona	Neerim	Terang	

#### Metropolitan:

Dandenong	Northern	Sunshine
Diamond Valley	Public Service	Vic. Federated Insurance
Eastern Suburban Churches	Sandringham	Victorian Railways
Essendon Broadmeadows Churches	South East Suburban	Institute
		Western Suburbs

#### ATLAS SHIELD FOR METROPOLITAN AFFILIATED ASSOCIATIONS

Six Associations entered the following numbers of teams:

A grade - 3, B grade - 6, C grade - 8.

As the A grade teams were all from one Association (Insurance) no contest was held.



Results from other grades were:

	<u>Winner</u>	<u>Runner-up</u>
B Grade	Dandenong	Sunshine
C Grade	South East Suburban	Dandenong 2.

Shields were presented at the annual meeting of Metropolitan Affiliated Associations.

### UMPIRES LEAGUE

Interest in the League was well maintained, and members gave substantial service at all tournaments and Wednesday pennant fixtures throughout the year.

The number of new enrolments was slightly disappointing, and the League continues to seek increased membership.

National Umpires examinations were held during the Australian Championships conducted in Melbourne, and the League congratulates its four successful candidates:- Mrs. J.Guggenheim, G.Hawkes, K.Montfort and R.Devries.

The V.T.T.A. sincerely thanks all members for their efforts during the year.

### COACHING

The Junior Coaching sessions started as usual in February and finished at the beginning of April. Approximately 100 pupils attended each session with 23 experienced players acting as the coaches. A plan was prepared by the State Coach, Mr. K.Javor, and the coaches were advised at regular meetings about the methods to be adopted; this scheme helped to give some regularity and system for learning the game.

Many country girls and boys from as far away as Warrnambool and Ballarat came to these weekly classes.

It is evident that the players who are learning the fundamentals of table tennis in these lessons are largely our players of the future and, on looking at the present Junior and Senior pennant players we find quite a number coming out of these classes.

It is gratifying to know that participants were very keen and the coaching committee hereby expresses its thanks to all the coaches who gave their time and knowledge to help the youngsters, the parents who gave up their Saturday afternoons to bring the youngsters along and to the chairman of the Junior committee and his members for their outstanding co-operation.



## SPECIAL COACHING

The coaching committee again, with the approval of the V.T.T.A, established coaching classes for promising juniors and Messrs. Javor and Bates helped these young people to improve the standard of their game.

After the teams for the Australian Junior Championships were announced, both girls and boys teams continued with Saturday sessions until leaving for the Championships.

## STATE SQUADS

The selectors decided this year to include three junior boys and girls in the State Squad, a step which proved to be in the right direction as the standard of those juniors improved; one of them winning an Australian Junior title and nearly all the players played senior pennant in A Grade with success.

Many of the successes gained by the Victorian players may be attributed to the many hours of practice and training during the training squads organised by your Association. From April to the end of August, State squad practices were held under the direction of State Coach Mr. K.Javor.

## SPECIAL EVENTS

### MOOMBA

This competition is for mens teams, representing their former countries, competing for the Jack Skolnik Cup. This cup was won this year by "Australia" when they defeated "Hungary" 3-1 in the final.

Players who competed in the Skolnik Cup event also contested the Lord Mayor's Invitation Singles. This was won by Victor Sirvic ("Lithuania") who defeated Leigh Pascoe ("Australia") in the final.

## EXHIBITIONS

Exhibitions were again given this year, and we do sincerely thank those players who took part, so promoting our sport.

## INTERNATIONAL VISITS

### New Zealand Mens Team

On Sunday 31st July a team comprising Alan Tomlinson of Auckland and Bryan Foster of Dunedin arrived in Melbourne. On Monday evening 1st August the visitors played a match against a Victorian team comprising Graeme Stirling and Leigh Pascoe. This match was played at the Table Tennis Centre of Victoria and resulted in a 3 rubbers to 2 victory for New Zealand.



For Victoria, Graeme Stirling won one singles and Stirling and Pascoe combined well to win the doubles.

On 2nd August an invitation tournament was conducted by the Sandringham and Districts Table Tennis Association in the Sandringham Hall, Trentham St. Sandringham. The event was won by Alan Tomlinson who defeated John Nicholson in the final.

The visitors left Melbourne for Sydney on Wednesday 3rd August.

While in Australia the New Zealanders played in three test matches, the results being:-

First test - Sydney	New Zealand defeated Australia 3-2
Second test - Adelaide	New Zealand defeated Australia 3-2
Third test - Sydney	New Zealand defeated Australia 3-2

### HARRY VENNER

This English coach was brought to Australia by the Australian Table Tennis Association under the sponsorship of the Rothmans Sports Foundation. He arrived in Australia on Monday 19th September and departed on 11th December, his arrival in Melbourne being on Tuesday 4th October and his departure on Saturday 5th November.

During his stay the majority of his coaching was directed to selected juniors and those just out of junior ranks, two complete week ends and all of his daytime sessions in Melbourne being devoted to these people.

Country Associations were also catered for and his itinerary included trips to Geelong, Terang, Warrnambool and Traralgon.

Five evening sessions were taken with a class consisting of prospective coaches who were thus acquainted with Mr. Venner's techniques in coaching.

The remainder of his time was taken up in coaching the 1966 State Squad, recalled for the occasion, and in visiting local schools and clubs.

A.T.T.A.

At the Australian Table Tennis Association's Annual Meeting at Melbourne in September, Mr. R.H. Jones of Victoria was re-elected as Australian President. Mr. A.G. Cooper of Victoria was elected a Selector.

### STIGA ROBOT MACHINE

In July the V.T.T.A took delivery of a Stiga machine which can be set to deliver table tennis balls in quick succession at a variety of speeds and with all types of spin.



It is expected that this machine will be extremely valuable in the coaching of top grade players and it is also available for both club and general hire.

### EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Two members of the Executive Committee, Dr.W.Savige and Mr.R.Bayly, who had been overseas on extended study trips, returned during the year. Dr.Savige recommenced committee duties as Chairman of the Junior sub-committee in January whilst Mr.Bayly took up his new position of Tournament sub-committee Chairman in September.

At the Annual Meeting the following changes in the Executive Committee occurred:-

Mr.Alan Cleaves was elected as Committeeman and was subsequently appointed Chairman of the Affiliated Associations sub-committee. Mr.Vawdon Huggins was elected as Committeeman and continued with the Junior and Tournament sub-committees. Mr. Graham Devries was elected as Committeeman and acted on Publicity and Affiliated Associations sub-committees. Retiring committeemen were Messrs. Brian Richmond, Spence Williams and Victor Matison. Due appreciation is expressed to these gentlemen for the work they did as members of the Executive.

In May, Mr.Peter Lawrence resigned his position of Assistant Treasurer and in June, Mr.Stan Barker was appointed to the position.

During the month of November the Executive suffered a severe loss when Mr. Bruce Gibbins resigned. Mr.Gibbins was one of the most experienced officers and had been connected with table tennis both as a player and as an official for a period of twenty years.

Executive Committee meetings were held on 17 nights over the period December 1965 - November 1966 inclusive and the attendances were as follows:-

A. Cooper	: 17 :	
R. Jones	: 15 :	
K. Defris	: 17 :	
B. Gibbins	: 11 :	Two months leave of absence - Resigned 14th November.
T. Horsfield	: 17 :	
R. Bayly	: 5 :	Nine months leave of absence
E. Leder	: 16 :	
E. Gaywood	: 16 :	
S. Barker	: 8 :	Appointed 6th June
W. Savige	: 15 :	
W. Bates	: 14 :	
W. Harratt	: 15 :	
A. Cleaves	: 15 :	Appointed 14th February
V. Huggins	: 12 :	Elected 2nd March
G. Devries	: 10 :	Elected 2nd March
S. Williams	: 3 :	To 2nd March



P. Lawrence : 5 : Resigned 23rd May  
 R. Warren : 7 : Acting Asst. Secretary - 2nd March to 29th August.

### FINANCIAL STATEMENT

The accounts and Balance Sheet included in this Annual Report have been drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct record of the affairs of the Association for the twelve months ended 30th November 1966, 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 Balance and Bonds held on our behalf by the Commonwealth Bank and the Bank of New South Wales have been viewed by the Auditors. ✓

### IN APPRECIATION

Once again our sincere thanks go to those members of the Press, Radio and Television who assisted us during the year. Our thanks also to the manufacturers, the sports stores and the business houses for their help during the year. The relationships between all these sections of the community and the Association have remained at the normal high level during 1966.

The conduct of our sport is very largely dependent upon the various sub-committees and we have been served particularly well in this regard during the year. Tournaments, Junior Coaching, Social and Pennant matters were among those sections of the administration which were greatly helped.

In a year when major tournaments were again a highlight, the work of the Victorian Table Tennis Umpire League must not go unmentioned. Their work, seems to show great improvement each year.

To the members of all Affiliated Associations we extend our appreciation for the maintenance of the game throughout Victoria. Some areas have had more success than others but in some cases the mere holding of previously won ground until improved opportunities occur is success enough.

For similar reasons we extend our appreciation to the administrators of local pennant clubs. We appreciate that many a club is kept going by a very few individuals and we trust that these people are in fact enjoying the achievements they are making.

To the players of all ages, sexes, and abilities, we offer our congratulations on your successes and our sympathies on your losses. May you all go on to bigger and better victories in 1967.

Finally to all those who may not fall into any specific category but who are parents, relatives, or friends of players, or perhaps just like to watch -



we appreciate your interest and we hope for your continued support.

For and on behalf of the Executive Committee

T.Horsfield

Honorary Secretary

January, 1967

A D D E N D U M

Despite our great disappointment by the loss of the 1967 World Championships in Melbourne, all Office Bearers have attended to their duties in a capable manner.

As usual the bulk of the years activities fall to our Honorary Secretary Tom Horsfield, whose work has been excellent. His efficient and dedicated efforts are greatly appreciated.

The Honorary Treasurer Eric Leder, has kept the books and financial records of this Association very efficiently.

We are indeed fortunate in having Officers of this calibre and my grateful thanks are hereby recorded.

A.G. COOPER

President

December, 1966



# THE VICTORIAN TABLE TENNIS ASSOCIATION

## BALANCE SHEET - AS AT 30th NOVEMBER 1966

### LIABILITIES

<u>1965</u>		<u>1966</u>
165	Sundry Creditors	45.70
1000	New Centres Development A/c.	1000.00
12000	World Championships A/c.	12000.00
	Excess from 1965	9064.60
	Excess from 1966	<u>152.94</u>
		9217.54

### ASSETS

<u>1965</u>		<u>1966</u>
1632	Bank of New South Wales	414.49
489	Commonwealth Trading Bank	799.73
62	Petty Cash	30.00
377	Sundry Debtors	671.45
	Office Equipment	571.03
	Additions	-
		<u>571.03</u>
		236.03
		335.00

571	Depreciation	5113.77
	Table Tennis Centre	<u>1140.20</u>
	Equipment	6253.97
	Additions	<u>1749.97</u>
		4504.00

5114	Depreciation	
	Stock (at cost)	
348	Balls	194.90
405	Scorebooks	146.40
28	Handbooks	72.60
48	Badges	<u>38.88</u>
		452.78

12000	Commonwealth Bonds	
	World Championship	
	Investment	12000.00
1000	New Centres Development	<u>13000.00</u>
100	Geelong Table Tennis Association	1000.00
-	Provision Loan A/c	1000.00
56	French Award Trust A/c	<u>55.79</u>

\$22263.24

\$22263.24



# THE VICTORIAN TABLE

## GENERAL REVENUE ACCOUNT

<u>1965</u>	<u>RECEIPTS</u>		<u>1966</u>
100	Affiliated Associations - Fees	118.00	
364	- Team Levy	<u>438.60</u>	
		556.60	
Dr(364)	Less A.T.T.A. Registration	<u>438.60</u>	118.00
34	Atlas Shield		42.00
20	Country Week		64.39
	<u>Pennant</u>		
1419	Affiliations - Winter	1559.00	
Dr (85)	Less A.T.T.A. Levy	<u>93.90</u>	1465.10
841	Affiliations - Summer	642.50	
1498	Registration Players	1432.90	
41	Fines	<u>94.75</u>	3635.25
1794	Promotion - Administration		1823.40
37	Tournaments - Riversdale	54.89	
Dr (1)	Victorian Closed Junior	50.20	
Dr (4)	Moomba	7.15	
94	Victorian	<u>247.23</u>	359.47
Dr (12)	<u>Less</u> -Interstate	26.19	
Dr (17)	Metropolitan Pennant	<u>13.40</u>	319.88
Dr(1906)	Table Tennis Excess	<u>39.59</u>	253.15

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\$6256.07



# TENNIS ASSOCIATION

FOR 12 MONTHS ENDED 30.11.66

1965

## EXPENDITURE

				1966
69	Country Tournaments Reps. Expenses			
22	N.S.W. Country Tours - Men			48.50
79	Women			130.60
21	<u>Pennant</u> - Advertising			1.00
52	Entry Forms		-	
175	Fixture Books		107.71	
301	News Sheet		177.50	
200	Clerical	159.47		
41	Presentation Nights	<u>220.00</u>	379.47	
90	Pennants		42.08	
795	Wages - Records		20.89	
30	Sundries		930.00	
495	<u>Championships</u> -Australian Junior		<u>31.54</u>	1689.19
-	Australian 1967	391.70		
Cr(324)	<u>Less</u> -Australian 1966	<u>1000.00</u>	1391.70	
100	Worlds 1965		<u>9.00</u>	1382.70
146	<u>Administration</u> - Annual Meeting			-
24	Audit Fees		149.30	
150	Out of Pocket expenses		24.00	
20	Postage		150.00	
2	Post Office Box		238.30	
516	Printing & Stationery		2.00	
106	Telephone		748.98	
17	Sundries		48.01	
80	<u>A.T.T.A.</u> Affiliation		<u>40.71</u>	1401.30
4	Exhibitions			80.00
348	Junior Coaching			-
49	Publicity & Promotion			430.20
86	Badges & Pockets			35.00
130	Coaching State Team			239.00
-	New Zealand Players Tour			130.70
-	H.Venner Tour			55.50
Cr (46)	Pennant Junior			471.84
75	Excess for year 1966			7.60
				<u>152.94</u>
				<u>\$6256.07</u>



# THE VICTORIAN TABLE

## TABLE TENNIS CENTRE OF

### REVENUE ACCOUNT FOR TWELVE

<u>1965</u>	<u>RECEIPTS</u>	<u>1966</u>
17955	Hire of Tables	18234.14
429	Enclosed Areas	604.28
470	Victoria Club	469.20
47	Handicap Tournament	99.47
600	Snack Bar Rent	528.00
34	Hire of Committee Room	136.00
6	Profit on Sales - Badges	29.68
487	Balls	334.15
14	Handbooks	43.89
-	Post Cards	3.50
194	Scorebooks	<u>164.38</u>
20	Hire of Lockers	575.60
115	Panel Advertising	12.00
316	Machines	73.50
564	Interest Received	318.05
1195	Hire of Bats	754.52
84	Showcase Rentals	1149.21
-	Sales Electric Tubes	84.00
8	Films	11.90
		-

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\$23049.87

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# TENNIS ASSOCIATION

VICTORIA ALBERT PARK, MELBOURNE

MONTHS ENDED 30th NOVEMBER, 1966

1965

1966

800	Advertising		
60	Audit Fees		554.20
2433	Building General Improvements		60.00
650	Maintenance		2191.99
3323	Duty Officer Expenses		996.68
150	Out of Pocket Expenses		3363.03
2232	Electric - Power & Light		150.00
158	Wiring		2266.93
356	Tubes		164.70
296	Equipment Playing		-
200	Flooring Depreciation		353.78
85	Maintenance		1000.00
226	Insurance		227.00
1794	Promotion & Administration		196.76
198	Rates		1823.40
4000	Rent		198.87
152	Sundries		3999.96
60	Table Maintenance		90.40
504	Telephone		42.75
Cr(255)	Less receipts	576.34	
2936	Wages - General	<u>233.85</u>	342.49
1000	Clerical		2599.60
517	Depreciation		1100.00
65	Office Machine Maintenance		986.00
Dr(1906)	Table Tennis Centre Excess		88.18
4	Donations		253.15
2500	World Championships 1967		-
			-

\$23049.87



F R E N C H   A W A R D   T R U S T   A C C O U N T

Liabilities

French Trust Account (See Contra)  
Dividends Received  
Balance

56.25

-

55.79

\$112.04

Assets

Shares (See Contra)  
Balance from 1965

56.25

55.79

\$112.04

AUDITORS' REPORT

We report that we have audited the books and accounts of the Victorian Table Tennis Association for the 12 months ending 30th November 1966, 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.

Sgd.   E. Adkins   A.A.S.A.  
      K. Wood

Honorary Auditors

Melbourne, January 1967



# 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 Champion

1925	A. Glass
1926	C. Collyer
1927	H. H. Oakley
1928	H. H. Oakley
1929	A. W. Champion
1930	C. A. 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 to owing to
1945	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

### Womens Champion

1925	Miss M. Linton
1926	Miss M. Linton
1927	Not contested
1928	
1929	Miss B. Emerson
1930	Miss Finklestein
1931	Miss M. Fraser
1932	Miss Finklestein
1933	Miss B. Emerson
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 to owing to
1945	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 (NSW)
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



## 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 & W.Bates  
 1963 M.Wilcox(NSW)& V.Matison (V)  
 1964 M.Wilcox & C.McDonald (NSW)  
 1965 M.Wilcox & C.McDonald (NSW)  
 1966 R.Pascoe & L.Pascoe (V)

### 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  
 1945) to World War Two  
 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

### Womens "A" Grade Premiers

1925  
 1926  
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 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  
 1945) to World War Two  
 1946 Not contested  
 1947 Ramblers  
 1948 Hakoah  
 1949 Ramblers  
 1950 Hakoah  
 1951 Damon  
 1952 Hakoah  
 1953 Crescent  
 1954 Kiwi  
 1955 Kiwi



1956 Coburg Harriers  
 1957 Coburg Harriers  
 1958 International  
 1959 V.T.T.A. Colts  
 1960 Hakoah  
 1961 Wanderers  
 1962 Wanderers  
 1963 Coburg  
 1964 Coburg  
 1965 Coburg Harriers  
 1966 Coburg Harriers

#### 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 Miss D.Shipp(NSW)& Mrs.S.Defris  
 1953 Misses P.Bull & J.Maddison  
 1954 Miss E.Nichols & Mrs.J.Thomson  
 1955 Misses N.Buckland & M.Znaminko  
 1956 Misses N.Znaminko & S.Kempton  
 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

1956 Geelong  
 1957 Geelong  
 1958 Hakoah  
 1959 Kiwi  
 1960 Hakoah  
 1961 Hakoah  
 1962 Hakoah  
 1963 Hakoah  
 1964 Hakoah  
 1965 Hakoah  
 1966 Hakoah

#### Mixed Doubles Champions

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



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1925  
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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  
1958 A.G.Cooper  
1959 A.G.Cooper  
1960 A.G.Cooper  
1961 A.G.Cooper  
1962 A.G.Cooper  
1963 A.G.Cooper  
1964 A.G.Cooper  
1965 A.G.Cooper  
1966 A.G.Cooper

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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  
1954 R. Summers  
1955 R. Summers  
1956 R. Summers  
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



### Junior Boys

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

### Junior Girls

1955	Miss H. Sullivan	1961	Miss P. Pagram
1956	Miss H. Sullivan	1962	Miss L. Gilbert
1957	Miss L. Cohen	1963	Miss L. Gilbert
1958	Miss M. Freeman	1964	Miss L. Gilbert
1959	Miss R. Bailey	1965	Miss L. Gilbert
1960	Miss P. Pagram	1966	Miss D. Gavros (S.A)

### French Award

1958	Mrs. S. Javor	1963	Mrs. S. Javor
1959	Mrs. S. Javor	1964	L. Hayes
1960	R. Lim	1965	Mrs. S. Javor
1961	Mrs. S. Javor	1966	Mrs. S. Javor
1962	J. Kilderry		

### Junior Player of the Year Award

1964	L. Pascoe	1965	L. Pascoe
		1966	Miss L. Ross