



DRUMMOYNE RUGBY

**DRUMMOYNE DISTRICT RUGBY
FOOTBALL CLUB**

**ANNUAL REPORT
2004**

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OFFICE BEARERS 2004

PATRON	John Mulford		
PRESIDENT	Colin Fleming		
PAST PRESIDENT	Danny Rawlings		
SECRETARY	Geoff Porter		
TREASURER	Geoff Granger		
MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE	Fred Andrews	Sandy Bannatyne	Owen Parry
	Colin Baggott	Tristan Pidd	
JUNIORS	Michael Stephenson	Michael Hahn	
WOMEN'S REP	John Scott		
CLUB CAPTAIN	Colin Baggott		
TRAINER	Phil Cunningham		
REGISTRARS	Oliver Shaw	Ken Stevenson	
WEBMASTER	Alex Shaw		
VICE PRESIDENTS	Brian Johnstone	John Scott	Max Wilson
	David Firth	Charles Facey	John Freedman O.A.M
	Hunter Millar	Harold Potts	Dr.J.Nield
	Eric Paton	Ian Tod	Dr J Moulton O.A.M
	Ray Pride	John McKenna	Robin Dyer (Mrs)
	Vince O'Gorman	Ian Chapman	

DDRFC - LIFE MEMBERS

1. H (Harry) GROSE * Appointed 1933

Captain Balmain DRFC 1911-13, Fullback and centre. Secretary Balmain DRFC 1914-1919. Instrumental, with Dr H Moran in merging the Glebe and Balmain Clubs in 1919. Appointed Life Member of NSWRU in 1940. President DDRFC 1940-1951. Patron 1953-1975.

2. E (Ted) MULLETT * Appointed 1933

Captain Balmain DRFC 1903-1908. Loose forward. First Rugby player in Australia to play 100 first grade games. President Drummoyne Juniors 1933-1950. Appointed Life Member of the NSWRU 1940. Patron DDRFC 1938-1951

3. SJ (Syd) GROSE * Appointed 1938

The earliest photo we have of Syd is in a match played by a Drummoyne touring team against Duntroon Military College in Canberra, dated 1922. The last is one taken with Syd, in full Vintage Reds gear, kicking off in the 1983 Golden Oldies aged 83. All those intervening years he was a committed Red. First grade player, first grade referee, selector, coach, NSWRU delegate. You name it, Syd did it.

4. CE MORGAN * Appointed 1939

First grade player mid 1920's. Went on to become an International referee. 4 Tests from 1932-1934. President of DDRFC 1929 - 1937. An outstanding administrator. Was Town Clerk of Drummoyne City Council for forty years.

5. Dr RL (Pup) RAYMOND (OBE) * Appointed 1957

Product of Fivedock Juniors, became an outstanding Waratah and Wallaby winger playing 13 Tests 1920 to 1923, scoring 10 tries. Rhodes scholar to Oxford 1924. Chosen to play for England, 3 Tests. Came back to play 55 first grade matches for the Club. Club Coach 1948-1951. Club President in 1952. Patron 1953-1963.

6. AJ (Arnold) TANCRED * Appointed 1957

Strong back rower in the Club's Premiership team of 1925, became a Waratah and Wallaby in 1927-1928. Highly respected in the administration of the NSWRU. Was the Manager of the very successful 1947- 1948 Wallabies to the UK, France and USA. Largely responsible for the formation of the Licensed Club. Life Member of the NSWRU in 1950

7. E (Ted) CORAM Appointed 1957

The loss of an eye curtailed Ted's playing career, which began in several outstanding DDRFC junior premiership teams of the Thirties. Became the Hon Secretary during WW11, a difficult time when players, officials and referees were in short supply. For 10 years he was the Club delegate to the NSWRU, member of the important Schools' Committee of the NSWRU. Referee, and for many years the Club's touch judge. His other posts were Social Secretary and Selector. Maintains a strong interest in the Club and in the players, particularly the Drummoyne Juniors.

8. Dr L (Les) HIATT * Appointed 1961

The Club's long serving medical officer 1946-1959. Many of his stitches are still in place.

9. SG (Sep) LANGDON * Appointed 1972

Began his long career with the Club as the first grade team manager, then became our outstanding Secretary 1950 – 58. He was a highly popular Club President from 1963-67, always there with calm counsel and a personal interest in the well being of all players in every team. See later notes on the great partnership he formed with his wife Betty, now also a Life Member.

10. W G (Grahame) FIRTH Appointed 1978

Became involved with the Club for the very best of reasons his sons Bernard and David and son-in-law David Dyer were all keen players. A superb organizer, he was a splendid Club Secretary from 1961-1970 and then President 1971-2. He was a well respected member of the Committee of the Sydney Rugby Union.

11. VA ("Bunky") AULAND * Appointed 1978

One of Drummoyne's great players, member of the 1936 First Grade Premiership team of 1936, a rugged, uncompromising tight head breakaway, he was chosen to play for NSW against the All Blacks and from all accounts, gave them plenty. Club President 1968-1970, then again 1973-1975. He was our Patron 1976 – 1994. His great loves were running the weekly raffle and organizing the car park.

12. A (Alan) CRAWFORD D.F.C.* Appointed 1986.

A player in the strong 1930's era, Alan was an outstanding RAAF bomber pilot during WW11, completing 55 bombing missions over Germany, mentioned in despatches 3 times for getting his burning plane home and being awarded the DFC. Returned home in 1945 to work hard for his old club over many years in many capacities as selector, Coach and Secretary in 1971, 1983 and 1984. Every Monday night for the seasons 1947-1985 he attended as our delegate the meetings of the NSWRU Grades Committee.

13. JG (John) MULFORD Appointed 1989

Captain of the Red's State junior undefeated Premiership teams of 1947-1978 and the Combined State U21 team, played in the First Grade team 1949-52 and then became a first grade referee. President of the Club 1982-87. Elected President of the Sydney Rugby Union in 1989 and Chairman and Senior Vice President of the NSWRU in 1990. Club Patron 2001 to present.

14. D (David) DYER * Appointed 1992

A fine player for Drummoyne Juniors and then in the senior grades, David extended his playing career after retirement in the Fifties by being available at call whenever a player went missing, no matter which team. He would then back up by running the line for first grade. What a clubman! With his financial expertise and wise counsel, he was an outstanding Club Treasurer from 1982 to 1991. Together with his wife Robin, now a Vice President of the Club, he kept the Club afloat through tough times.

15. M (Max) MILES Appointed 1994

Fine first grade centre, Captain / Coach and lock forward in the Fifties, he was the backbone of the Club's on field efforts and was very unlucky not to have been selected for higher honours. He was the Club's Honorary Solicitor for many years and gave distinguished service in that role also to the NSWRU and the Australian Rugby Union. A true Rugby man.

16. AT (Arthur) TIERNEY * Appointed 1996

Our first grade hooker and front rower of the early forties, Arthur became one of Australia's most respected and loved characters. He refereed 140 first grade games and topped his career with the whistle by being appointed to referee the Test between Australia and the British Lions in 1959. Following his retirement, he became the Club's long serving timekeeper. He overcame a speech impediment with some classical one-liners which are still quoted by Wallabies and Reds around Australia.

17. R (Bob) DAY Appointed 2002

Long-time mate of Arthur Tierney, uncompromising eighty minute player from the forties and Assistant Commissioner of NSW Police, Bob dedicated many years to his old Club as Secretary, from 1989 to 1996, as a selector and delegate. He fought hard for the Club's return to First Division. A great swimmer in the World's Master Games, Bob encouraged the game of Rugby within the Police Force and tours both outbound and inbound around the world.

18. E (Betty) LANGDON Appointed 2002

Who could ever forget those 26 years Betty and her ladies ran just the best Rugby Kiosk in Sydney, initially with quite primitive facilities. Betty's cups of tea revived many a flagging player, as did her spirited words of encouragement. A great collaborator with husband Sep, as Secretary and then President, their home was the heart of Drummoyne Rugby for nearly 3 decades.

19. R (Roy) STEPHENSON Appointed 2002

A great Club stalwart, whose 3 sons, Barry, David and Michael have themselves given great service to the Club; he spent his young days growing up in Cometrowe Street, adjacent to the Oval. Always a strong debater on issues vital to the Club. Perhaps Roy's most notable contribution was the organizing of that superb Testimonial for the Club's great Australian Captain, Greg Davis, whose death at a relatively young age left a young family in need of support. Roy mobilized the support of the whole Australian Rugby

community and raised a large sum for a Foundation which provided for Greg's young family and educated the children.

20. F (Fred) ANDREWS Appointed 2004

Fred's playing days concluded in 1980. In 1982 he became involved in the Management Committee when John Mulford became President. In 1983 he took over Colts, coaching in what became known as the Golden Age of Drummoyne Colts. Fred moved up to the senior grades in 1987 and took over 1st Grade in 1989. His team won ten of their last 11 matches including a memorable victory over Minor Premiers, Norths. Fred then formed a close coaching alliance with former First Grade and Club Captain Peter McSullea, which took the club into the nineties and eventually back into First Division.

In more recent years, Fred has been the cornerstone of the re-birth of the club in the NSWSRU as both as a Grade Coach and Club Coach.

* deceased

COACHES / MANAGERS 2004

	COACH	MANAGER
1st Grade	David Warne / Darren Lawrence	Frank Tait (JJ)
2nd Grade	Fred Andrews	Paul Jackson
3rd Grade	Ross Edwards / Geoff Granger	Richard Heher
4th Grade	Mick Davey	Lisa Jane Kinney
5th Grade	Angus Mc Donald	John Stevens
6th Grade	Tom Hall	various
Colts	Drew Gates	Steve Hazelwood
Women	John Scott	Scotty (Jnr)

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

In 1996 when we reformed in NSWSRU 4th Division, Danny Rawlings, David Newall, Ken Stevenson and Fred Andrews set the 1st Division Championship and the Kentwell Cup as our on-field objectives to have us established and acknowledged as a "winning club". In 2001, we did win the Kentwell Cup, but the Club Championship has eluded us until now, but in this our 130th Season, we covered both of those objectives plus 2nd Grade taking the Burke Cup.

In addition, our Juniors, still under the superb leadership of Michael Stephenson and Michael Hahn, took the Grand Finals in both under 12's and under 14's. Again, I attended their Presentation Day and the numbers are impressive, with an equally impressive team of coaches and managers. Michael Hahn and Michael Stephenson continue to ensure our future in a very positive and successful way.

Clearly, on the field it has been our best season in at least a decade. Player numbers were up significantly on 2003, almost certainly thanks to the interest stimulated by the World Cup being here in Australia late last year. We regularly fielded 6 grades plus Colts, who came through a tough season with a very young team, but clearly demonstrated the potential to be in serious contention over the next 2 – 3 seasons.

I must also acknowledge the additional social dimension that the "F Troop" boys of 6th Grade have brought to the club and look forward to them being a permanent feature as we continue to consolidate our position on and off the field.

Vice Presidents' and Veteran's Day drew larger numbers than last year and without exception, our guests on the day were impressed with the spirit of the club on and off the field. Given the proud history of the club, they represent the living links with the halcyon days when we were the most prolific breeding ground for the Wallaby squads of the day. It was also encouraging to see so many show up to add their support at T.G. Milner Field when we contested so successfully for the Kentwell and Burke Cups.

Our biggest challenge remains the Financial Management of the club and Geoff Granger has done a stalwart job in keeping us in business, however, in spite of significant increases in sponsorship funding, we ended the year as short of funds as ever. Our sponsors are listed later in this report, but it is appropriate for me to thank them all for their support, whether in cash or kind. We obviously cannot survive without their backing but I think this year even more than last, we have delivered much more visibility for their involvement given the profile that we have achieved as a winning club.

Again we are indebted to John Mulford our Club Patron for his continued support and wise counsel. I also appreciate very much the ongoing efforts of all of the Management Committee, driven by Geoff (Mungo) Porter, Club Secretary, who has been instrumental in making sure that the administrative load is shared across as many as he can co-opt. Sandy Bannatyne as Home Ground Steward has given his all as usual and with the fantastic group of helpers in the Canteen(s) led by Elma, Sheila, Toni, Lee, Jane, Rory, not forgetting Ronnie on the BBQ with his faithful off-sider, Tony ("Beep Beep"), we provide a home ground environment second to none.

This year we have acknowledged the tremendous contribution that Fred Andrews has made to the club by investing him with Life Membership, only the 27th person to receive that recognition in the 130 years of the Club's existence. Without his dedication and commitment, dating back to his playing days in the 1970's, through the highs and lows since then, none of this year's successes would have been possible.

Then there are those who have coached and managed the 6 Grades and Colts. David Warne and Darren Lawrence, who took first Grade to their best season ever in "Subbies". Fred Andrews and Peter "Jacko" Jackson with 2nds, Geoff Granger and Ross Edwards with 3rds, Mick Davey with 4ths, Angus "Gus" McDonald with 5ths, John Stevens, Tom Hall and others, with the newly emerged 6th Grade and Drew Gates who stepped into the breach and took Colts very firmly under his wing. All have contributed in one way or another to us winning the Club Championship. Thanks also to all of the managers, water boys, our "Honorary" Club "medicine man" Dr David Todd, our physios, Shane Kelly, strapper extraordinaire who has

been in constant attendance all season, the Scoring box team and all who have pitched in to help make this such a great season.

As last year, I cannot close with acknowledging the support of my wife Elma, whose efforts in the canteen represent only a small component of what she does in her passionate support of our club and what it stands for past, present and future.

**Yours in rugby,
Colin Fleming
President**

SECRETARY'S REPORT

As always, Colin has done a fine job summarising the season. I would like to acknowledge the following people, in no particular order:

- Shane Kelly, another year doing a great job as strapper. A thankless task, but one he has been doing for many years without fanfare.
- Owen Parry taking over Sponsorship and also lots of work with player recruitment. Also local press liaisonamong other tasks
- Game day team, The Fleming's, Bannatyne's, Jane, Lee and various helpers.
- Club Swanno – Scoreboard (Fitting in with Newtown Jets schedule !)
- My dear Oliver Shaw for game day scores, rego forms etc
- Kenny Stevenson, long suffering ex Secretary, taking over player rego database.
- Alex Shaw – New Webmaster, email database admin.
- Another great Presentation Day from Tristan Pidd.
- Dave Todd, again looking after Vintage Reds.
- Thanks to all the Sponsors, without you, life would be difficult.
- All Coaches and Managers, particularly Drew Gates and Steve Hazelwood for hanging in there with a difficult year with Colts.
- Colin Baggott, Club Captain and engine room behind social functions along with Marnie Hobbs. Must have skulled more schooners than any Club Captain in Sydney in 2004.
- Debbie Knight for doing a grand job on the Membership database administration and distribution of correspondence / mailing duties.
- John Mulford for his continued support and providing a vital link to the past. I will also thank him in advance for producing and publishing the 2nd Edition of the Club's History for release in mid 2005.
- John Zelenjak for looking after the gear this year.

If I have left anyone out, I apologise.

Summary

- Congratulations to Fred Andrews on his Life Membership, well deserved.
- The Club reports of the passing of Doug Keller, Vice President and ex Aust Rep.
- We need more helpers, particularly past players.

**Geoff Porter
Secretary**

CLUB CAPTAIN'S REPORT

This was a very special year for Drummoyne Districts RFC and a huge privilege for me as an Irishman to represent this Club for the second year running as Club Captain. The year started out strong with great numbers turning up for the pre-season training and the trial games. Having the numbers is essential as a base to have the depth within a club for it to succeed and that's something that we on the Committee need to emphasise to the players that we need their support and that player retention and recruitment is something that we all can do as active members of the club and hopefully this will flow onto next year and many years to come.

My highlights of the year has to be Drummoyne winning the Club Championship trophy, then going onto win both 1st and 2nd grade grand finals. Winning 3rd grade would have been the icing on the cake but it was not to be, next year boys, next year! The Presentation of these trophies made on Grand Final day, in front of all the clubs and especially Colleagues who one won one grade that day from five! The Club Championship win was made even sweeter when we discovered in the last few weeks that Colleagues were doing their best to prevent us from winning it by means of unscrupulous unfair administration issues. This enabled Colleagues to have 8 Club Championship points deducted from us for not signing the correct player sheets. Hence we had to go into our last game against UNSW and win all grades, the rest is history and our name is firmly engraved on the Bruce Graham Shield.

The best characteristic of playing rugby, representing and having to scull all those lovely Schooners of beer for Drummoyne is the pride with which we all wear that jersey, heart that we have in the game, fear that we instil in our opponents and the character and friendship that we bring to the game afterwards. Let's keep it within this club.

So, Ladies and Gents, I raise a Schooner to you one last time and thank you for letting me represent this great Club, it has been an honour.

Colin Baggott
"Bagsy"

SPONSOR APPRECIATION 2004

The Club greatly appreciates the following sponsors in alphabetical order

Astor Base Metals – Peter Gavrilis
Andrews & Reech – Fred Andrews
Australian Youth Hotel
Arrowfield Wines – Mike Shaw
Alan Cardy
Bob Jane T Mart Drummoyne – Robbie Bonnett
Drummoyne Sports Club
Don's Smallgoods – Dean Wilson
Drummoyne Licensed Club
John Mulford
Just Bins – Rob Collins / Chris Hawkins (Lau)
LJ Hooker Drummoyne – Denis Mullen / Julie Hanrahan
Mortgage Choice - Gladesville
Maritime Container Services – Graeme Wright
Mercuri & Co – Frank Mercuri
Paragon Hotel – Erica Goldfinch
Rostone Printing – David Newall
Top End Dredging – Tom Wilson

CLUB AWARDS 2004

Club Service / Club person (Keith Ellis) plaque	Colin Baggott
Presidents player (Ian Gordon Memorial)	Rob Cooper
Player's Player Year (David Dyer Award)	Scott Monaghan
Most successful team (Vince O Gorman Trophy)	1 st Grade
Rookie of the year	Chris Peglar
Highest Point Scorer	Bryson Millers
Veteran's Day Player of Day (Gary Nichols Trophy)	Scott Monaghan
Most offside forward (toilet seat)	Mick Davey
Roger Ramjet	Wisea Gavidì
1st Grade - Best & Fairest	Reece Clarke
1st Grade - Most Consistent	Carlo Jonker
2nd Grade - Best & Fairest	Tristan Pidd
2nd Grade - Most Consistent	Rob Collins
3rd^t Grade - Best & Fairest	Adrian Bourke
3rd Grade - Most Consistent	Rob Cawood
4th Grade - Best & Fairest	Mark Nichols
4th Grade - Most Consistent	Dave Smith
5th Grade - Best & Fairest	Alex Perkins
5th Grade - Most Consistent	Dave Davies
6th Grade - Best & Fairest	Milton Smith
6th Grade - Most Consistent	Scott Carrodus
Colts - Best & Fairest	Richard Mallam
Colts - Most Consistent	Hugh Fenton
Colts - Most Improved	Arif Imran
Women – Best & Fairest	Renee Simpson
Women – Player's Player	Lusinita Halaapiapi
Women - Most Improved	Lolisi Nasio
100 games	100 games contd
Daniel Cook	Andrew Phillips
Sam Lemusu	Rob Cawood
Paddy Cooney	Rob Cooper
Geoff Granger	

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP 2004

Drummoyne	918
Colleagues	900
Mosman	692
St Patrick's	651
Old Ignatians	622
UNSW	584
Dundas Valley	447
Waverley	424
Forest	412
Beecroft	304

1ST GRADE REPORT

First Grade started the year with a close win in the last few minutes over Iggies at Drummoyne Oval and never looked back.

The team had a good mixture of youth and experience across the whole team . From week to week the team unity grew and so did the unbeaten run. The team went 15 games straight without a loss which was a fantastic effort playing in the Kentwell Cup.

Over this period the team was struck by injuries, Rep players being unavailable, and the general grind of playing on hard grounds week after week. However this was a special team and once the monkey was off the back in Round 15, it was full steam ahead.

We hit the Semi final in top position and looked good early with a 17-0 lead, however the game changed mid way through and we saw ourselves win by one point late in the game.

Drummoyne played Colleagues in the Grand Final (the same team we just beat in the Semi by one) we knew it was going to be tough with the pace of the game lifting a couple more levels. Again we have a 16-0 lead that we saw change just after half time to be trailing by 2 points. After a splendid penalty from half way the team never looked back and kicked into another gear finishing the game and season off in style showing Subbies Rugby why we were the CHAMPIONS and why we only lost one game all year.

I look forward to seeing you at the games in 2005.

Darren Lawrence
First Grade CO Coach.

Kentwell Cup

» Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	Df	Pts
Drummoyne	18	17	0	1	582	287	295	79
Colleagues	18	11	0	7	433	276	157	59
Waverley	18	12	0	6	460	332	128	57
UNSW	18	11	0	7	411	351	60	55
Dundas Valley	18	12	0	6	416	307	109	53
St Patricks	18	7	0	11	272	370	-98	34
Mosman	18	7	0	11	274	469	-195	31
Old Ignatians	18	5	0	13	311	420	-109	29
Forest	18	4	0	14	397	468	-71	28
Beecroft	18	4	0	14	261	537	-276	20

Drummoyne 1 st grade History for this Season				
Round	Date	Opponent	Result	
1	3/4/2004	» Old Ignatians	25 to 20 Home Win	+
2	17/4/2004	» Beecroft	31 to 58 Away Win	+
3	24/4/2004	» Waverley	18 to 34 Away Win	+
4	8/5/2004	» Forest	39 to 20 Home Win	+
5	15/5/2004	» St Patricks	33 to 0 Home Win	+
6	22/5/2004	» Mosman	8 to 18 Away Win	+
7	29/5/2004	» Dundas Valley	39 to 17 Home Win	+
8	5/6/2004	» UNSW	14 to 22 Away Win	+
9	19/6/2004	» Colleagues	22 to 28 Away Win	+
10	26/6/2004	» Old Ignatians	17 to 34 Away Win	+
11	3/7/2004	» Beecroft	52 to 14 Home Win	+
12	10/7/2004	» Forest	26 to 39 Away Win	+
13	17/7/2004	» Waverley	26 to 13 Home Win	+
14	24/7/2004	» St Patricks	13 to 15 Away Win	+
15	31/7/2004	» Dundas Valley	16 to 7 Away Loss	-
16	14/8/2004	» Mosman	48 to 5 Home Win	+
17	21/8/2004	» Colleagues	27 to 21 Home Win	+
18	28/8/2004	» UNSW	38 to 12 Home Win	+

2ND GRADE REPORT

Congratulations on a tremendous season. From Club Champions which encompasses all grades and colts... to the most successful 1st Grade ever – only losing one game in a memorable season... To Second Grade in coming through with the form a the right end of the season.

It has been a pleasure (most of the time) to have coached 2nd Grade, as I am sure Jacko would agree.

I don't like to single players out, but I will. I would like to mention 3, while assuring everyone else that their contribution was indeed as important.

Firstly, Rob Cooper, who filled several positions in the forward pack and was Captain of the Premiership 2nd Grade team. He was always committed and a player who never took a backward step.

To Adam Wootton, who was inspirational in the latter part of the season and was responsible for making a big impact in the major games.

To Daniel Cook, who this season, after several seasons of trying, cemented himself as a 1st Grade player and as a coach I know this is always our aim.

All players that were involved in 2nd Grade showed a tremendous level of commitment and will to win. Training was always well attended and a good attitude was consistent throughout the year. I am sure with the majority of players continuing with the Club there will be many more Premierships ahead.

Thanks to Jacko and all the coaches and staff, all the committee and many helpers.

Fred Andrews
Coach

Burke Cup

» Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	Df	Pts
Colleagues	18	16	1	1	401	140	261	72
Drummoyne	18	15	0	3	403	162	241	69
Old Ignatians	18	11	1	6	280	158	122	56
Mosman	18	9	1	8	400	293	107	51
St Patricks	18	11	0	7	271	259	12	50
UNSW	18	8	1	9	300	353	-53	41
Forest	18	8	0	10	206	298	-92	38
Waverley	18	2	1	15	270	370	-100	21
Dundas Valley	18	4	2	12	160	383	-223	19
Beecroft	18	2	1	15	170	445	-275	14

Drummoyne 2 nd grade History for this Season				
Round	Date	Opponent	Result	
1	3/4/2004	» Old Ignatians	16 to 10 Home Win	+
2	17/4/2004	» Beecroft	10 to 27 Away Win	+
3	24/4/2004	» Waverley	8 to 19 Away Win	+
4	8/5/2004	» Forest	22 to 3 Home Win	+
5	15/5/2004	» St Patricks	22 to 3 Home Win	+
6	22/5/2004	» Mosman	5 to 34 Away Win	+
7	29/5/2004	» Dundas Valley	47 to 5 Home Win	+
8	5/6/2004	» UNSW	10 to 14 Away Win	+
9	19/6/2004	» Colleagues	6 to 0 Away Loss	-
10	26/6/2004	» Old Ignatians	10 to 17 Away Win	+
11	3/7/2004	» Beecroft	29 to 0 Home Win	+
12	10/7/2004	» Forest	20 to 17 Away Loss	-
13	17/7/2004	» Waverley	29 to 19 Home Win	+
14	24/7/2004	» St Patricks	0 to 25 Away Win	+
15	31/7/2004	» Dundas Valley	8 to 19 Away Win	+
16	14/8/2004	» Mosman	20 to 15 Home Win	+
17	21/8/2004	» Colleagues	10 to 13 Home Loss	-
18	28/8/2004	» UNSW	36 to 17 Home Win	+

3RD GRADE REPORT

For a team which from time to time was referred to as Dad's Army the players did not have a bad year (average age from time to time well over 30 and over 30 all of the time).

The season started with a bang with a demolition of the much fancied Iggies Old Boys. This continued through the first half of the season with some excellent wins over teams which were expected to do well. We finished round 1 undefeated. The first side in the club to do so in a long time (nobody appears to remember the last time that it occurred). This feat was equalled by 1st grade later on the same day but we got there first.

After that we appeared to lose our way. This may have been through player absences through injury, work commitments, holidays, or other issues the second half of the season was not quite so good. We lowered ourselves to the level of our opponents and only really pushed the point when we came up against the top sides.

With a 2nd place in the minor premiership and an appearance in the final (ie 3rd overall) it was not a season about which we should complain. Overall it was successful but unfortunately we failed to clear the last hurdle. However our contribution to the club's overall successful year was large and we should be proud of being part of a successful year for the club as a whole. We managed to assist these grades with some player returning from injuries and from premature retirements making their way back through the team.

Congratulations to all concerned on the club winning the Club Championship and to 1st and 2nd grade on their premierships.

To the new players to the club welcome and we hope you enjoyed the year. To those players who were promoted through the playing ranks we congratulate you. To those who had a bad year with injuries we commiserate with you and hope that all goes better for next year.

Particular mention should be made regarding the following players:

- Adrian Bourke – Best and Fairest
- Rob Cawood – Most Consistent
- Wayne Shields and Loni Katoa – the old warriors

To sum up this was a season which started with so much promise but ended with disappointment. To use a theme that has been mentioned there is unfinished business.

Hope you all enjoyed it and to see you in the 2005 season.

Ross Edwards and Geoff Granger
Co - Coaches

Whiddon Cup

» Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	Df	Pts
Colleagues	18	15	1	2	448	90	358	73
Drummoyne	18	15	0	3	415	134	281	71
Mosman	18	14	1	3	450	164	286	67
Old Ignatians	18	12	0	6	314	204	110	55
St Patricks	18	9	0	9	226	269	-43	40
Forest	18	8	0	10	185	222	-37	39
Beecroft	18	5	0	13	198	331	-133	27
UNSW	18	5	0	13	114	384	-270	23
Dundas Valley	18	5	0	13	146	353	-207	19
Waverley	18	1	0	17	116	461	-345	10

Drummoyne 3rd grade History for this Season

Round Date	Opponent	Result	
3/4/2004	» Old Ignatians	33 to 0 Home Win	+
17/4/2004	» Beecroft	9 to 29 Away Win	+
24/4/2004	» Waverley	5 to 19 Away Win	+
8/5/2004	» Forest	19 to 0 Home Win	+
15/5/2004	» St Patricks	26 to 10 Home Win	+
22/5/2004	» Mosman	0 to 14 Away Win	+
29/5/2004	» Dundas Valley	29 to 5 Home Win	+
5/6/2004	» UNSW	5 to 34 Away Win	+
19/6/2004	» Colleagues	8 to 9 Away Win	+
26/6/2004	» Old Ignatians	27 to 14 Away Loss	-
3/7/2004	» Beecroft	27 to 14 Home Win	+
10/7/2004	» Forest	7 to 12 Away Win	+
17/7/2004	» Waverley	50 to 5 Home Win	+
24/7/2004	» St Patricks	13 to 12 Away Loss	-
31/7/2004	» Dundas Valley	0 to 24 Away Win	+
14/8/2004	» Mosman	8 to 10 Home Loss	-

	21/8/2004	» Colleagues	15 to 9 Home Win	+
	28/8/2004	» UNSW	41 to 7 Home Win	+

4TH GRADE REPORT

Let's start with the bad stuff!

In many ways 4th Grade failed to reach it's potential this year. With the rich depth of players available throughout the club this year better use should have been made of the many talented players who graced the side.

A top four finish was definitely attainable but too many games that ought to have been won were given away. The fact that only once, the last game of the season was a bonus point achieved for scoring 4 or more tries reflects the lack of success. The blame for this rests equally between the coach, for not training with the correct methods and the captain, for too often deploying the wrong game plan on game day! In his defence though, the coach has pointed out that it wasn't always easy to train an attacking side when we averaged 4 backs at training!

Personally, I learnt a few lessons this year and one of them was to find out the hard way how difficult it is to be a player \ coach without any coaching assistance. It is a mistake that I will never make again and hopefully one that the club ensures never happens again.

The good stuff!

Going to Old Ignatians and inflicting upon them their first loss in close to three seasons. Which was even more enjoyable when they had a whinge about it in the Sydney Morning Herald!

Some very fine players were uncovered in 4th Grade this year (after, by pure luck, some had been found being shielded by the indomitable "F-Troop!"). Some of those players have already made significant achievement's in the higher grades and others will be certain stars of the not to distant future.

At certain times we played some very fine football; showing a skill level above what some would attribute to a 4th Grade side.... A Grade that contained club drunk and male and female spunk's of the year is never a bad thing either.

Despite not quite reaching the on field goals that I had set for this year, I would say that 4th Grade achieved many other things; most importantly securing bonds and friendships between team mates which, when it come down to it, is what playing sport is all about.

On to next season!

Mick Davey
Capt / Coach

Judd Cup

» Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	Df	Pts
» Old Ignatians	18	15	1	2	387	99	288	73
» Colleagues	18	14	2	2	377	65	312	70
» Mosman	18	12	1	4	317	146	171	64
» St Patricks	18	10	1	7	246	158	88	48
» Drummoyne	18	9	0	9	172	199	-27	40
» UNSW	18	7	0	11	168	325	-157	32
» Forest	18	6	0	12	183	274	-91	29
» Dundas Valley	18	8	1	8	182	238	-56	27
» Waverley	18	3	0	15	119	376	-257	17
» Beecroft	18	2	0	16	76	347	-271	13

:Drummoyne 4th grade History for this Season

Round	Date	Opponent	Result	
»	3/4/2004	» Old Ignatians	7 to 45 Home Loss	-
»	17/4/2004	» Beecroft	3 to 10 Away Win	+
»	24/4/2004	» Waverley	8 to 15 Away Win	+
»	8/5/2004	» Forest	6 to 10 Home Loss	-
»	15/5/2004	» St Patricks	19 to 0 Home Win	+
»	22/5/2004	» Mosman	14 to 6 Away Loss	-
»	29/5/2004	» Dundas Valley	16 to 5 Home Win	+
»	5/6/2004	» UNSW	14 to 3 Away Loss	-
»	19/6/2004	» Colleagues	27 to 0 Away Loss	-
»	26/6/2004	» Old Ignatians	0 to 3 Away Win	+
»	3/7/2004	» Beecroft	13 to 5 Home Win	+
»	10/7/2004	» Forest	5 to 8 Away Win	+
»	17/7/2004	» Waverley	19 to 5 Home Win	+
»	24/7/2004	» St Patricks	7 to 0 Away Loss	-
»	31/7/2004	» Dundas Valley	19 to 10 Away Loss	-
»	14/8/2004	» Mosman	3 to 8 Home Loss	-
»	21/8/2004	» Colleagues	0 to 24 Home Loss	-
»	28/8/2004	» UNSW	34 to 0 Home Win	+

5TH AND 6TH GRADE REPORT

November, 2003. Australia goes crazy with World Cup Rugby fever as the Wallabies make it through to the final, right here in Sydney. All across the city, sad, fat old blokes gazed down onto the turf at Stadium Australia and said to themselves "you know what, I've still got a season in me". So late January saw Scotty, Big Mike, Troy, Dave Davies, Stuart "Hollywood" Dykstra, Shawrey, Alex, Rob Collins, Milton, and Louie suffer a simultaneous attack of old-timers, and wind up at Drummoyne oval on a Thursday night. The Sports club had never seen such profitability. International imports the flying spud brothers, Alex and Spencer, brought a fresh northern hemisphere perspective and a degree of uncertainty to the lineouts, as the forwards struggled to understand a word Alex was saying, let alone a series of numbers. This was however, referable to Scotty's random chucking and three sets of numbers being called, none of them containing the "magic seven".

A strong win over Beecroft saw a promising start to the season, with a 1-1 record after only two weeks, and plenty of depth in the team. Sadly, that depth was also being checked out by Mick, with a view to pinching players. This game saw the birth of the legend of Starr, who wrote his legend in blood, literally, across the fields of Beecroft. Hardened doctors winced as Starr lined up a poor unsuspecting bastard, and knocked most of him into next week. Some small parts were left on the field. Two weeks later a strong home win against Forest saw the 5ths with a 50-50 record, and still looking good for a finals berth.

Numbers continued to swell, and soon the team was so large that F-troop was created to give everyone a run, or at least a fast walk. Worst ground of the year was definitely at Waverly, where the goat track was strewn with rocks, pinecones and bottles. And that was the good bits of the pitch. Maso readied himself for the big match by warming up for 5ths, then 4ths, then 3rds, then spectacularly pulling a hammy running on.

Sadly a mid season form slump followed, and it would be a long six weeks before the boys would once again strike up the tune of "we are the dirty reds". Talent continued to flood into the team, with F-troop stand outs and newcomer country misfits Matt "will he turn up sober" Lovey and Tommy "mad as" Watson being promoted to the big leagues. Tommy's education at the George Gregan school of referee management & PR sadly had little impact. Unfortunately the tackling drills run at practice, specially devised by Campo and Wendel Sailor, seemed to be ineffectual against opposition teams.

The pattern of slows starts, strong comebacks and narrow defeats saw Supercoach Gus and myself pulling our hair out, as can be evidenced by looking at us today. We tried all sorts of tactics – switching positions around, recruiting AFL players (I guess that tactic would have worked better if we explained the rules to Nico) and even drafting the odd Colt into action. Risks were taken. Perhaps the stupidest risk was the Waverly player running directly at Star – the resulting hit was heard as far away as the city. If anyone has seen a lost-looking bloke in a blue striped jersey wandering the streets of the inner west, please call Waverly RUFC immediately on 9285 1000

The return matches against Beecroft and Forest saw back-to-back wins and high spirits, with special moments like Nico's 22 drop out that travelled over 50mtrs downfield, and sadly over the sideline on the full (poor bugger thought he was kicking for touch) and Milton's "Stirling Mortlock" style diving try, which failed to impress the onlookers, and saw veteran football philosopher Dean Wilson threaten to relegate him to the backs.

It was around this time that a heavy season began to take its toll on older bodies, with the following roll call of the departed:

Alex Foster – collarbone

Mitch Kersley – Ribs

Vinnie – service difficulties (NRMA was called but unable to rebuild on field)

Johnny Moran – limp wrist (rumoured to be in talks with the Convicts)

Stuart Dykstra – Heart and split ends

Troy – Mrs

On the plus side, Johnny Wright put in solid performances week after week, until he put himself ahead of the team by moving up the grades. Big Mike continually ran the ball up – he loves bringing the world of

pain, and will put his body on the line, as attested to by his new nickname - Herman Munster. There was the power of Big Chad and Louie in the front row, and flashes of Little Chaddie out wide. Alex's great hooking and by now-deciphered lineout calls saw more ball coming the Reds way, and in combination with brother Spencer – fastest prop going around, thank god he smokes or no one would keep up with him – proved a handful for opposition packs. Flashy back work was provided by Johnny "show the ball" Moran, Wade "the Cat" Clark, Mike "cowboy" Westacott, Sammy "juvi" Moussa, Chris "Serge turnstile" Nicholson and Rob "old bastard" Collins. The talk in the middle was dished out by Vinnie, Tommy Watson, and Dr Ian, although his multi-syllabic comments mostly just confused the forward pack, who decided just to run it up anyway.

Dundas Valley forfeited, afraid of the might of 5th grade, or it might have been something to do with the 15 players on suspension.

The final game of the year was an emotion-charged affair. Veteran captain Dave "Nellie Melba" Davies announced yet another retirement, and Gus broke the solemn news that he would be taking a year off to smell the roses, sorry that should read work on his business. Geoff "Mungo" Porter pulled on the boots, and the team ran out one last time, to do it for Gus, for Dave, for Mungo, and most importantly for Mungo's dad. With such a fire in their bellies, the boys repeatedly drove towards the Uni line, and when the ball was set just meters out and Mungo picked it up, the remaining 14 players on field got behind him for the pushover try that was never going to be stopped. Tommy further demoralized the students with a carving run from the defensive 22 to score the second try. Another two quick tries saw the Reds cruising 24-0 at half time. That cruising showed when they came out a little slow after half time, but some last-time harsh words from Davies and ~~Gould~~ Macdonald saw the pace pick up again. The ferocious head clash between a hard running student and Big Mike could be heard echoing around the ground, and brought play to a halt momentarily. The students then finally managed to sneak over in the corner, but it was far little too late, as the jubilant 5ths marched off.

So remember that feeling boys, remember that passion, remember that anger and drive. Play like that every week next year, and everything is achievable. With so many great performances, and a rotating line up, picking award winners was difficult.

Dean Wilson & John Stevens

Sutherland Cup

» Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	Df	Pts
✦ Old Ignatians	18	17	0	1	486	65	421	81
✦ Mosman	18	14	0	4	336	176	160	66
✦ Colleagues	18	13	0	5	372	65	307	65
✦ Waverley	18	10	0	8	202	244	-42	43
✦ Beecroft	18	8	0	10	195	258	-63	38
✦ St Patricks	18	7	1	10	144	262	-118	35
✦ UNSW	18	7	0	11	169	322	-153	35
✦ Drummoyne	18	6	0	12	187	244	-57	32
✦ Forest	18	2	0	15	127	361	-234	21
✦ Dundas Valley	18	4	1	12	82	303	-221	17

Drummoyne 5 th grade History for this Season				
Round	Date	Opponent	Result	
1	3/4/2004	» Old Ignatians	0 to 20 Home Loss	-
2	17/4/2004	» Beecroft	5 to 12 Away Win	+
3	24/4/2004	» Waverley	14 to 5 Away Loss	-
4	8/5/2004	» Forest	5 to 0 Home Win	+
5	15/5/2004	» St Patricks	0 to 18 Home Loss	-
6	22/5/2004	» Mosman	24 to 12 Away Loss	-
7	29/5/2004	» Dundas Valley	8 to 10 Home Loss	-
8	5/6/2004	» UNSW	26 to 15 Away Loss	-
9	19/6/2004	» Colleagues	12 to 7 Away Loss	-
10	26/6/2004	» Old Ignatians	29 to 5 Away Loss	-
11	3/7/2004	» Beecroft	27 to 0 Home Win	+
12	10/7/2004	» Forest	5 to 26 Away Win	+
13	17/7/2004	» Waverley	5 to 12 Home Loss	-
14	24/7/2004	» St Patricks	6 to 5 Away Loss	-
15	31/7/2004	» Dundas Valley	0 to 28 Away Win	+
16	14/8/2004	» Mosman	3 to 24 Home Loss	-
17	21/8/2004	» Colleagues	0 to 34 Home Loss	-
18	28/8/2004	» UNSW	24 to 5 Home Win	+

COLTS REPORT

Well, saying that it was a tough, rebuilding year was an understatement. Although we finished the year with only one victory, full credit to the boys for persevering through the entire season and showing up each week to wear the colors.

During that time, the growth was significant and evident in every area and group. The boys never gave up, and played full-on through out each game. Most impressive was the guys stuck together and backed each other. They were always positive and willing to give it a go.

With an average age of only 19, all but three of the Colts will return; with some new recruits, we are confident that we have the building blocks for a solid team in 2005.

Many thanks also to Steve Hazlewood for doing a great job as Manager for the Season.

Drew Gates
Coach

Barbour Cup

» Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	Df	Pts
» Mosman	18	17	0	1	562	104	458	82
» St Patricks	18	17	0	1	563	114	449	80
» Old Ignatians	18	12	0	6	516	203	313	60
» Colleagues	18	12	0	6	405	180	225	58
» Beecroft	18	10	0	8	363	252	111	48
» Forest	18	9	0	9	322	191	131	47
» UNSW	18	6	0	12	268	439	-171	25
» Dundas Valley	18	4	0	14	181	436	-255	16
» Drummoyne	18	1	0	17	60	899	-839	1
» Waverley	18	2	0	16	88	510	-422	-8

Drummoyne Colt's History for this Season

Round	Date	Opponent	Result	
»	3/4/2004	» Old Ignatians	0 to 66 Home Loss	-
»	17/4/2004	» Beecroft	63 to 5 Away Loss	-
»	24/4/2004	» Waverley	17 to 5 Away Loss	-
»	8/5/2004	» Forest	0 to 39 Home Loss	-
»	15/5/2004	» St Patricks	0 to 82 Home Loss	-
»	22/5/2004	» Mosman	63 to 0 Away Loss	-
»	29/5/2004	» Dundas Valley	0 to 22 Home Loss	-
»	5/6/2004	» UNSW	50 to 12 Away Loss	-
»	19/6/2004	» Colleagues	116 to 0 Away Loss	-
»	26/6/2004	» Old Ignatians	82 to 0 Away Loss	-
»	3/7/2004	» Beecroft	5 to 34 Home Loss	-
»	10/7/2004	» Forest	63 to 0 Away Loss	-
»	17/7/2004	» Waverley	28 to 0 Home Win	+
»	24/7/2004	» St Patricks	55 to 5 Away Loss	-
»	31/7/2004	» Dundas Valley	36 to 0 Away Loss	-
»	14/8/2004	» Mosman	0 to 49 Home Loss	-
»	21/8/2004	» Colleagues	0 to 28 Home Loss	-
»	28/8/2004	» UNSW	0 to 34 Home Loss	-

WOMEN'S RUGBY REPORT 2004



(Byron Bay)

The 2004 season saw us lose a number of our most experienced players to retirement and pregnancy. We had some fabulous new recruits though and we showed that although it wasn't the best season on the field (not due to lack of enthusiasm), we gave it everything we had. There were some really good wins, but a number of loses that we always learnt from. Through it all we displayed sportsmanship in the tradition of Drummoyne rugby, a club we are proud to be a part of.

Good times were had by all off the field, our annual trek to Byron Bay showed that spirit at its best...but we can't go into any detail there...what goes on tour stays on tour! Let it be said that we are always one of the most popular teams there.

In 2005 we can only grow stronger. The girls that started with us last year, are chomping at the bit to get back out there to make crashing tackles, sensational passes and well deserved tries! These girls, along with the strong core of experienced players and more new recruits means the year is set to be a cracker!

VINTAGE REDS REPORT 2004

Annual Vintage Reds Vs Mosman Vets (Drummoyne 17-7)



This was the first year the two teams played for the "Afton Hema Cup". This was in remembrance of Afton who was Secretary for the Mosman Rugby club for many years and died last year. He had helped organize the first annual Vets match between the two clubs in 2003 which is played on Drummoyne Annual Veterans and Vice Presidents Day.

This year was again a hotly contested battle between the Vintage Reds and Mosman who have been old rivals for many years. Fortunately the 10 minutes each way was long enough to show our superior skills and we won comfortably in the end. The score was 17 to 7 for the Vintage Reds and so we hold the Afton Hema cup for its inaugural year. The port at half time was a welcome relief but the whistle to end our 20 minutes of rugby came too quickly for many of the old die-hards.

We look forward to a return match again next against the Mosman Vets.

Dr David Todd
Vintage Reds, Capt / Coach / Mgr / Recruiter

CLUB SONG

Sung to the tune of The Marseilles
Words by Bruce Rollo and John McKenna c 1971.

VERSE 1

Drummoyne, the team that means so much to us, displaying greatness today.
We fought like demons all the way, to keep our rivals at bay.

COUROS

Our name is feared throughout rugby land from the last team to the heads.
We are the dirty Reds !
We are the dirty Reds !
Scarlet men are we, our emblem is the "DD"
We are the dirty Reds !

VERSE 2

Now the game is over from another day, come & help us drink the wine.
& join in song and merriment, oh please do not decline

COUROS

Our name is feared throughout rugby land from the last team to the heads.
We are the dirty Reds !
We are the dirty Reds !
Scarlet men are we, our emblem is the "DD"
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FINANCIAL ACCOUNTS - 2004

DRUMMOYNE DISTRICT RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB INC REGISTERED NUMBER Y2955641 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2004

The Association is not a reporting entity because in the Members' opinion there are unlikely to assist users who are able to command the preparation of reports tailored so as to satisfy specifically all of their information needs. These accounts are, therefore, Special Purpose Financial Reports.

In the opinion of the Members of the Committee:

The Statement of Financial Performance is drawn up so as to present a true and fair view of the results of the Association for the year ended 30 September 2004; and

The accompanying Statement of Financial Position is drawn up so as to represent a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Association as at 30 September 2004; and

There are reasonable grounds to believe, at the date of this statement, that the Association will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due.

ON BEHALF OF THE COMMITTEE
and in accordance with its resolution

.....
GEOFF GRANGER
Honorary Treasurer

.....
GEOFF PORTER
Honorary Secretary

AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS

Scope

We have audited the financial report of Drummoyne District Rugby Football Club Incorporated (the "Association") for the financial year ended 30 September 2004, consisting of the Statement of Financial Position, Statement of Financial Performance, Statement of Significant Accounting Policies, and the Statement of Members. The Association's Committee is responsible for the preparation and presentation of the financial report and the information contained therein. I have conducted an independent audit of this financial report in order to express an opinion on it to the Members of the Association.

The final report has been prepared for distribution to Members for the purpose of fulfilling the Association's Committee's financial reporting requirements. We disclaim any assumption of responsibility for any reliance on this audit report or on the financial report to which it relates to any person other than the Members, or for any purpose other than that for which it was prepared.

Our audit has been conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards to provide reasonable assurance as to whether the financial report is free of any material misstatement. Our procedures included examination, on a test basis, of evidence supporting the amounts and other disclosures in the financial report and the evaluation of accounting policies and significant accounting estimates. These procedures have been undertaken to form an opinion whether, in all material respects, the financial report is presented fairly in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and other mandatory professional reporting requirements (Urgent Issues Group Consensus Views) so as to present a view which is consistent with my understanding of the Association's financial position and the results of its operations.

The audit opinion expressed in this report has been formed on the above basis.

AUDIT OPINION

In our opinion the financial report of Drummoyne District Rugby Football Club Incorporated presents fairly in accordance with applicable Accounting Standards and other mandatory professional reporting requirements (Urgent Issues Group Consensus Views) the financial position of Drummoyne District Rugby Football Club Incorporated for the year then ended.

WEARNE & CO
KEITH ERIC WEARNE

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE

	2004	2003
INCOME		
Memberships	11,018	13,823
Sponsorship	35,955	42,636
Functions	13,615	13,704
Raffles / Donations / Tickets	36,657	33,458
Sales-Clothing	2,008	350
Miscellaneous Income	589	3,465
Interest Received	5	-
TOTAL INCOME	99,847	107,436
LESS -EXPENDITURE		
Advertising	287	1,319
Audit Fees	1,500	1,500
Bad Debts	500	2,596
Bank charges	1,172	774
Affiliation Fees	2,789	2,744
Academy / Development	-	1,909
Players Gear and Equipment	27,825	12,871
Functions	29,057	25,010
Ground Hire	-	12,048
Insurance	12,727	10,091
Interest paid	935	1,004
Legal Costs	-	330
Medical Supplies / Training	32,446	14,655
Postage & Couriers	812	190
Raffles / Donations / Tickets	4,189	4,545
Telephone & Internet	508	528
Travelling expenses	-	330
TOTAL EXPENSES	114,747	92,444
NET SURPLUS / (DEFICIT) FOR THE YEAR	(14,900)	14,992

To be read in conjunction with the Statement of Accounting Policies forming part of the Accounts

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

	Note	2004	2003
		\$	\$
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash assets	2	3,616	5,922
Receivables	3	514	5,950
Inventories	4	1,938	1,068
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		<u>6,068</u>	<u>12,940</u>
TOTAL ASSETS		<u>6,068</u>	<u>12,940</u>
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Payables	5	17,158	9,130
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		<u>17,158</u>	<u>9,130</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES		<u>17,158</u>	<u>9,130</u>
NET ASSETS (LIABILITIES)		<u>(11,090)</u>	<u>3,810</u>
EQUITY			
Retained profits (accumulated losses)	6	(11,090)	3,810
TOTAL EQUITY (DEFICIT)		<u>(11,090)</u>	<u>3,810</u>

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The Club is a non-reporting entity and the financial statements are a special purpose report prepared for use by the Members of the Club. The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Associations Incorporation's Act (NSW) 1994 and contain all the disclosure requirements of Accounting Standard AASB 1025 'Application of the Reporting Entity Concept and Other Amendments' with the exception of:

Consolidated Financial Statements;
AASB 1028 Statement of Cashflows; and
Statement of Accounting Concepts

because in the Committee's opinion to do so would have placed an unreasonable burden for a comparably minor benefit.

The financial statements are prepared on an accrual basis. They are based on historic costs and do not take into account changing money values or, except where specifically stated, current valuations of non-current assets.

Significant accounting policies that have been involved in the preparation and presentation of these statements are:

Income Tax

The Association is exempt from Income Tax in accordance with Section 50-45 of the Income Tax Assessment Act.

b) Inventories

All inventories are valued at the lower of cost and net realization value. Cost includes direct materials and are assigned to individual items of stock mainly on the basis of average cost.

These Notes should be read in conjunction with the attached Auditors Report