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# **PRESIDENT'S** REPORT

### ONE OF THE TRUE JOYS OF SPORT IS THE OPPORTUNITY TO SHARE SUCCESS WITH TEAMMATES IN A CLUB ENVIRONMENT. CRICKET CLUBS ARE VITAL TO THE SUCCESS OF OUR SPORT.

They provide a pathway for participation and development all the way from community cricket to the professional first class and Test cricket arenas. Successful cricket clubs are typically inclusive organisations. They bring players, administrators, coaches, members, and supporters from all walks of life, to achieve both on and off-field success for that Club.

Over the past 12-months your Board, with the strong support of our CEO Charlie Hodgson and his entire management team, have sought to bring the positive elements of a cricket 'Club' to your Association. We are privileged to have the enduring support of more than 27,000 Members. Our goal is to align the hopes and aspirations of this group with the broader playing group, administration team, supporter group, and general South Australian public to ensure the greatest success for our 'Club'.

Over the past 12-months we have shared incredible highs and lows. From the joys of on-field performance (highlighted by our maiden WBBL Championship, and Grand Final appearances in both the WNCL and One Day Cup), to the pain of losing two of our greatest treasures in Aunty Faith Thomas and Neil 'Nodda' Dansie.

Aunty Faith was the first Aboriginal woman to represent Australia on the sporting stage, and forged paths for others to follow not just in cricket, but in nursing, local government, reconciliation and more.

And we may never see the likes of Nodda again - a kind and gentle man who loved life and simply insisted on bringing joy to those around him. Nodda's laugh will continue to echo throughout Adelaide Oval, a place he so adored.

Aunty Faith and Nodda's positive and inspiring contributions to our Association shall forever be celebrated and we were so lucky that these two amazing people chose SACA to be their 'Club'.

Something that epitomises the SACA family is the wonderful Past Player days we held this summer for both the Men's and Women's teams at Adelaide Oval and Karen Rolton Oval respectively. To see those proud players who have represented our State telling tales and renewing friendships while watching the current generation of cricketers was a truly inspiring experience. It was a thrill to present each player with a unique baggy red cap emblazoned with their player number, and it is a tradition we look forward to building on in the coming seasons.

Another highlight is opportunity to participate in exclusive and unique SACA Member experiences. One of these was an evening with the great Les Burdett, speaking about the art of preparing a pitch, culminating in a rare chance to walk onto Adelaide Oval and see up close the instillation of the

drop-in wickets. I would encourage all members to take the opportunity to participate in these functions.

When it comes to on-field performance, I reflect with great pride on a range of performances and genuine improvement across both our men's and women's programs. Of course, we celebrated our maiden WBBL Championship win. This was a special achievement built on a foundation of consistently strong results which has seen the WBBL Strikers play in three of the last four Grand Finals.

To achieve this with a core group of South Australian locals, including national team regulars Darcie Brown, Tahlia McGrath, Megan Schutt and Amanda-Jade Wellington is something that perfectly highlights what cricket in our State is all about - namely commitment, resilience, and loyalty. I would also like to make special mention of Tegan McPharlin, who this summer ended 15-years of on-field elite performance for South Australia as a WBBL Champion. I can think of nothing more fitting for a true champion of South Australian cricket.

It was a win that inspired all levels of cricket in South Australia, and we have again been reminded of the positive impact cricket can have on the broader community. There are more junior registrations and more people playing cricket at all levels than ever before. SACA Membership numbers are at record levels. Our Association is in a strong position to build on recent successes.

Our revered Test Match, widely considered to be the best in the world, was again a resounding success in December. More than 86,000 fans watched Australia battle the West Indies at Adelaide Oval - making it the best attended Test Match at the venue between these two teams in more than 40 years.

South Australian locals Travis Head and Alex Carey gave everyone plenty to cheer about, with Travis earning Player of the Match honours on the back of a truly remarkable 175 from just 219 deliveries. Alex equalled the record for most catches by a wicketkeeper in an innings, joining the likes of Wally Grout, Brad Haddin, Ian Healy and the great Rod Marsh.

During the Test we also unveiled the Rod Marsh MBE Spirit of Cricket Wattle Meeting Place in Rod's honour. The memorial was officially opened on the morning of Day One, with family, friends and colleagues present. Following Australia's big win later in the week, song-master Nathan Lyon would lead the team in a rousing rendition of 'Under the Southern Cross I Stand' at the Meeting Place in a touching tribute and celebration. We fondly remember Rod and his contribution to the game, but specifically his contribution to SACA and our 'Club'.

I would like to take this opportunity to assure our Members that SACA has fought hard to secure the best possible international fixtures at Adelaide Oval, both now and into the future.

Early this year, SACA put forward several compelling options to Cricket Australia for future Test Match scheduling arrangements at Adelaide Oval. We believed these proposals would have rewarded our members for making the Adelaide Test amongst the very best in the world. These proposals would also provide substantial and tangible financial benefits for the game across Australia. While SACA was not supportive of the alternative Test schedule announced by Cricket Australia for the coming 2023/24 season, we acknowledge that SACA has been guaranteed premium Test Matches against India and England in the following two seasons. In addition, SACA has secured a new financial agreement with CA that will see us strengthen our investments in grassroots cricket and the future of the game.

We have been lucky to witness incredible dual Ashes series in England this winter just gone. Our players are amongst the world's best. Importantly, no less than 16 SACA players and coaches were involved with the Australia and Australia A teams over the past 12-months. Our 'Club' is contributing admirably to this national effort.

I would like to thank SACA Members for their commitment and



# CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S **OFFICER'S REPORT**

A SUMMER OF CRICKET NEVER FAILS TO PROVIDE MEMORIES THAT WILL LAST A LIFETIME, BE THEY POSITIVE MEMORIES THAT BRING US JOY, EMOTIONAL **MOMENTS THAT ENCOURAGE PERSONAL REFLECTION OR TOUGH CHALLENGES** THAT HELP US TO GROW. THE LENGTHY SUMMER OF 2022/23 DELIVERED ALL OF THIS IN ABUNDANCE.



A summer of cricket never fails to provide memories that will last a lifetime, be they positive memories that bring us joy, emotional moments that encourage personal reflection or tough challenges that help us to grow. The lengthy summer of 2022/23 delivered all of this in abundance.

We saw our incredible Strikers win a maiden WBBL Championship and celebrate accordingly, the heartbreak of defeat in WNCL and One Day Cup Grand Finals, the passing of two South Australian cricketing legends, a Premier Cricket season like none other before it and, perhaps most importantly, we saw record numbers of kids playing cricket across South Australia.

It is on this final point I want to begin, as I strongly believe in SACA's position as custodians of the game in this great State and I am proud to work alongside our staff and Members to ensure that at the conclusion of every season, the game is in a stronger position than it was at the beginning.

There are many outstanding numbers that make it difficult to know where to start, but 20,000 is a huge tally, so I will lead off by saying that is how many junior cricketers took the field

last summer for either their club or school team. This number is highlighted by a 20 per cent increase in women and girls participation with over 1,000 registering for the first time in their lives.

Undoubtably boosted by the remarkable on-field performances of our WBBL Strikers and SA Scorpions, not to mention their inspiring attitudes and commitment away from the field of play, these numbers are possible due to the tireless work of our dedicated staff members who visited almost 180 schools across regional and metro areas to deliver our industry-leading programs and spark a love for the game in the next generation.

SACA was again recognised as the best in the country when it comes to registrations and participation in entry-level programs for children aged 5-10, with an increase of 32 per cent seeing more kids than ever picking up a bat or a ball and having a go. We also delivered a wonderful new initiative this season which saw 22 schools and 700 students attending a session of Sheffield Shield cricket followed by a huge clinic run by SACA staff at Adelaide Oval.

There is so much to celebrate when it comes to the future of our great game in South Australia and beyond and I encourage you to dive deeper within the Community Cricket section of this Annual Report.

As I have mentioned, a cricket season encompasses the full range of life experiences and this was heartbreakingly apparent when we lost two great people from our family - Neil 'Nodda' Dansie and Aunty Faith Thomas. Not enough can be said to do justice to their impact on South Australia and on a personal note, I feel privileged to have been able to learn about their lives and take inspiration from the positivity they brought to everything they touched. The relationships and stories that sport can create are uniquely powerful and Nodda and Aunty Faith are shining examples of this. We are so lucky to have known them.

Tim Nielsen will dive deeper into the on-field performances of our teams in his High Performance Report, but it would be remiss of me not to elaborate on what was a thrilling and successful summer of cricket for SACA. The resilience the Strikers showed to win a WBBL Championship after a heartbreaking loss in the preceding Grand Final is testament to the professionalism and commitment of the team, led by Head Coach Luke Williams and leaders Tahlia McGrath and Megan Schutt. You may have noticed in the photos of the team with the trophy that there is a young boy celebrating with the players. This is Elijah, who is in the midst of a fight with cancer. His dream was to meet Tahlia, his favourite player, and not only did he get that opportunity, but he also became a part of the team. He delivered a pre-match speech, ran drinks for Tahlia during the game, gave players throwdowns before they went out to bat and got to join them during the post-game presentations. I could write about how incredible the Strikers are as cricketers, but instead I will focus on what they did for Elijah this summer. That sums up why the team is successful. They are elite cricketers, but they are even better people.

During the Ashes, a series that would prove to be one of the greatest of all time, there was an exclusive Members watch party at Adelaide Oval where I got the chance to meaningfully engage with our knowledgeable and passionate Members. As an Englishman, to be embraced by the South Australian community at a time of such fierce rivalry was another reminder of just how special sport can be. Although, I certainly am glad Jonny Bairstow stayed in his crease that night!

Pleasingly, we saw a significant turnaround in the Association's financial performance this past year, recording a profit of almost \$4 million (and a cash surplus of approximately \$1.1 million) compared with a loss of almost \$6 million (and a cash deficit of approximately \$0.5 million) the year prior.

This rebound, leading to the highest level of Operating Revenue in the Association's history, has been underpinned by Membership levels at an all-time high, an increase in funding from Cricket Australia and stronger domestic and international cricket attendances.

Our balance sheet is healthy and robust, a credit to our staff and Members for their hard work and support, almost returning to pre-COVID levels.

Premier Cricket has undergone changes this summer, with the introduction of a two-division system for the upcoming season, changes designed to strengthen the competition by creating more games with more on the line. An Under-19 team has also been formed and will take part in the second division next season. I firmly believe that these changes will see South Australia produce better cricketers and contribute to the next period of sustained success for our elite teams.

The consultation process with Premier Cricket Clubs was insightful, respectful and at times challenging, just like discussion about things that matter should be, and I am extremely thankful to all involved for their honesty and passion. South Australia is stirring in its love of cricket and that is something I am motivated by every time I meet with those involved in Premier Cricket.

As another season closes and the next begins, I want to thank everyone who plays a role in the delivering of a season. From the Members and fans to community volunteers, SACA staff, players and all who feel connected to this sport, I am proud to work beside you and look forward to what the future holds.

#### **Charlie Hodgson**

Chief Executive Officer

# **TRIBUTES**

TWO INCREDIBLE SOUTH AUSTRALIAN ICONS WERE MOURNED THIS YEAR, WITH THE PASSING OF AUNTY FAITH THOMAS AND NEIL 'NODDA' DANSIE. BOTH HEAVILY INVOLVED IN NOT JUST CRICKET BUT THE WIDER COMMUNITY, THEIR LOSS IS DEEPLY FELT BUT THEIR ENERGY AND POSITIVITY WILL LIVE ON.

#### **VALE AUNTY FAITH THOMAS**

Born in 1933 in Nepabunna, Aunty Faith lived an extraordinary life, becoming one of the first Aboriginal college graduates in the country, one of the first nurses and an endlessly inspiring advocate for positive societal change.

Instrumental in bringing the plight of Aboriginal Australians to the forefront, Aunty Faith tirelessly illuminated the struggles faced by the world's oldest civilisation. On average during her time as a nurse, Aboriginal people lived 20 years less than the rest of the population and were not even counted as citizens until Aunty Faith had celebrated her 37th birthday.

Living out of her car, Aunty Faith travelled the country providing care to Aboriginal Australians, with the full impact of her selfless efforts unable to be measured. Well after her retirement from the medical profession, Aunty Faith fought strongly for the rights of Aboriginal peoples and received an Order of Australia in 2019 in honour of a life spent working for the betterment of others.

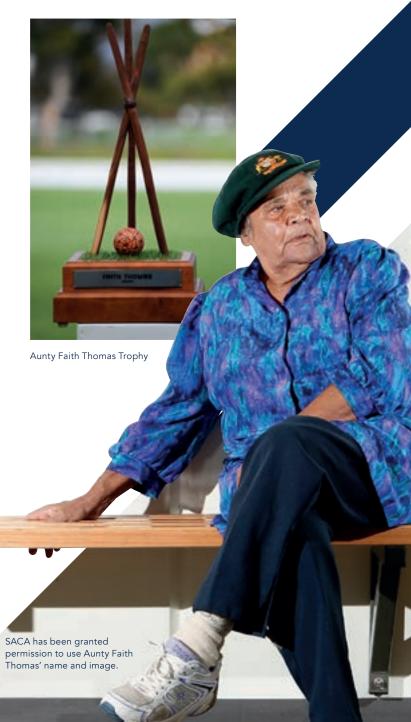
The story of how Australia's first female Indigenous international sportsperson took up cricket is a beautiful illustration of the determined, resolute character that has inspired so many. While still very young, Aunty Faith was struck by a cricket ball, causing her to burst into tears as the pain coursed through her. In response, she thought it best to get a bat so that next time she was ready. Thus, a Test cricketer was born.

Quickly becoming the fastest female bowler of her time, Aunty Faith was selected for tours of England and New Zealand but chose not to travel due to the huge amounts of time it would mean being away from home. She would not be denied that baggy green however, playing in an Ashes Test Match in Melbourne in 1958. Her baggy green, number 48, was a prized possession that she carried around with her to this day.

Co-Chair of the Aboriginal Cricket Advisory Committee of South Australia and Founder of the Aboriginal Sports Hall of Fame Federation, not to mention owner of the remarkable figures of six wickets for no runs against Adelaide Teachers College early in her career, Aunty Faith's legacy is beautifully represented in Adelaide Oval's Avenue of Honour alongside other greats of the game.

Each year, the Adelaide Strikers play for the Aunty Faith Thomas Trophy in the WBBL, a beautiful work of art highlighted by Aboriginal wooden artefacts that is presented to the winning team during the First Nations Round.

A true trailblazer in women's sport, and a remarkable person who has led a full, adventurous and selfless life, Aunty Faith reminds us that one person can change the world, one person can make a difference and a society can be better if we fight for what is right and listen and learn with open hearts and minds







#### **VALE NEIL 'NODDA' DANSIE**

Born in Nuriootpa in July of 1928, Dansie would go on to become not only a great cricketer, but an endlessly loved and respected South Australian known for his generosity and love of life, which went hand-in-hand with his elite sporting talents.

Originally debuting for Kensington at just 15 years of age, Dansie would make his First-Class debut in January 1950 and swiftly become known as an aggressive batter and deceptive off and leg-spin bowler. Representing his cherished home State a total of 124 times between 1950 and 1967, Dansie scored more than 7000 runs, which included 18 centuries and a high score of 185. He also took 90 wickets and 49 catches throughout a remarkable career.

Two Sheffield Shield titles came during Dansie's tenure, with triumphs in the summers of 1952/53 and 1963/64 both heavily imprinted with Nodder's style. Such was his impact on the game in South Australia, the annual award for the State's best male player is named after Dansie, as is the indoor training facility at Adelaide Oval – an honour he shares with his great mate Les Favell. The Order of Australia Medal was also awarded to Dansie in 1991 for his tireless service to sport.

In addition to an on-field career spanning two decades, Dansie served on the SACA Board for 25 years, spent time coaching and selecting the State women's team and was a Sheffield Shield selector for 30 years. During this time and beyond he also coached a huge number of young players as they sought to forge their own path in the game.

Away from cricket, Dansie played 39 League games for Norwood Football Club, coached Norwood Reserves, served on the City of Campbelltown Council, spent time as President of the Australian Sportsmen's Association and founded Newton Jaquars Netball Club in partnership with his wife Gwenda. While at first it may have seemed impossible for Dansie to fit everything in, those who knew him were in no way surprised due to his irrepressible energy and unquenchable desire to make a positive difference to his community.

Just the second ever player to reach 100 Shield appearances, Dansie finished with even more stories to tell than runs tallied, quite an achievement considering he amassed 7,543 of those runs across the years.

A champion of the game in his own right, Dansie played with and against some of the all-time greats including Don Bradman, Neil Harvey, Richie Benaud, Ray Lindwall and so many more. With very little prompting, he would gladly tell hilarious tales of his time sharing the field with these players. However, when it came to talking only about himself, he became significantly less talkative.

An extremely humble man, Dansie would always turn the spotlight onto others rather than himself, but on occasion his wit would take over and a flash of well-deserved personal pride would burst out, always followed by a self-deprecating chuckle.

One such occasion was when he sat down last year to talk about his journey through life - his personalised baggy red cap resting atop his head. While discussing his time sharing the crease with Don Bradman, a glint in the eye and a cheeky smile foreshadowed the only time he would refer to his own exploits.

"I don't talk about myself, that's one thing I don't do, but if you guessed which South Australian player has made the most hundreds against Queensland... I made nine and Don Bradman made eight," Dansie said before breaking into laughter and adding: "But I batted about 100 more times than he did!"

Dansie's delight in storytelling is renowned throughout not just South Australia but across the world. Never short of a smile and an enthusiastic handshake, Dansie long maintained friendships forged during his time playing and coaching in the United Kingdom in the mid-1950's, and as recently as December he had a chat with good mate Sir Garfield Sobers via phone during the Test Match between Australia and the West Indies at Adelaide Oval. Such was Nodder's reach, the call was facilitated by none other than Desmond Haynes.

Known as the Patriarch of South Australian cricket, Hampton Neil Dansie will forever be remembered and celebrated as a talented cricketer and devoted administrator, but far more importantly he will be revered for his generosity, positivity and fierce loyalty. South Australia and beyond is richer for his life and cricket will forever be a better game for his involvement – something he enjoyed every second of.

# HIGH **PERFORMANCE**

FROM A HIGH PERFORMANCE PERSPECTIVE, ON-FIELD SUCCESS IS EASILY MEASURED IN WINS AND LOSSES AND SO IT IS WITH GREAT PRIDE THAT I LOOK BACK ON A SEASON WHICH NOT ONLY SAW SILVERWARE BROUGHT BACK TO ADELAIDE OVAL, BUT A TOTAL OF THREE GRAND FINALS MADE BY OUR ELITE TEAMS.

Led by Luke Williams and Tahlia McGrath, our WBBL Strikers secured a maiden WBBL Championship last November when they defeated the Sydney Sixers at North Sydney Oval. A third Grand Final appearance in four years, I believe the triumph to be reward for the hard work and dedication that group has displayed year in, year out.

A team that has had a consistent list in recent seasons, made up of proud South Australian locals and others from interstate and overseas who have chosen Adelaide as a destination as a result of the strong program we have created, it was nothing short of amazing to see them raise the trophy and celebrate the result of countless hours of work and commitment.

Cricket is an extremely difficult game that requires us to respond to challenges and bounce back from defeat not only as a team but also as individuals, and the way the Strikers did this in WBBLI08 is a testament to their character. How quickly they have turned from celebration to a desire to repeat the performance next summer is admirable and certainly a warning sign for the competition in the next instalment of the tournament.

Our SA Scorpions also made their second consecutive WNCL Grand Final this summer and unfortunately found themselves on the wrong end of the result again. Led by Jemma Barsby and Player of the Tournament Courtney Webb, the Scorpions put themselves in a strong position against Tasmania on their home turf but fell agonizingly short at the death to lose in the final over.

While the defeat is one that will stick with us throughout the pre-season as we look to go one better next summer, we cannot lose sight of the brilliant performances the Scorpions delivered in 2022/23. Largely without the services of international stars and key players Darcie Brown, Tahlia McGrath and Megan Schutt, the Scorpions took a strong Tasmanian side all the way to the end in what became an instant classic. One of the joys of sport is that there is always another season and we will be ready when the first ball of WNCL is bowled in 2023/24.

The West End Redbacks also took great strides in the summer just passed, winning their way to the Final of the One Day Cup and claiming back-to-back wins in the Sheffield Shield, including an Adelaide Oval triumph over eventual champions Western Australia.

Marsh Cup wins against Victoria, Queensland, Tasmania and New South Wales saw the Redbacks fight their way to a decider against Western Australia at the WACA and although it wasn't to be on the day, the improvement shown across the season shows that we are on the cusp of an extremely exciting period of South Australian cricket.

We saw the continued emergence of batters Henry Hunt and Nathan McSweeney, who led the way with the bat across the tournament, while recruits Henry Thornton and Ben Manenti rewarded the faith shown in them by leading the wicket tallies.

In the longer format, wins against Tasmania and Western Australia highlight a season of further improvement, a season that finished with South Australia finishing in fourth place, the second consecutive season to improve upon the last.





Neil Dansie Medallist Ben Manenti had a great year with both bat and ball for South Australia.

Daniel Drew provided one of the moments of the summer when he raised the bat to celebrate a double century at Adelaide Oval. The exciting local prospect finished the season as the second most prolific run-scorer in the competition, behind only WA's Cameron Bancroft. Jake Lehmann, who ably stepped in as captain in the latter stages of the summer, was also strong with bat in hand to post in excess of 500 runs in Shield cricket.

Wes Agar continued his strong performances with ball in hand, taking 36 wickets, the fourth most of any player in the country, while leading the attack for the Redbacks. Interstate recruit Nathan McAndrew is another who regularly impressed, taking 28 wickets and scoring 289 runs in a great all-round season.

On the back of their prolific summers, Courtney Webb and Ben Manenti were named the Andrea McCauley and Neil Dansie Medallists this year, becoming the latest names to enter SACA's storied history. I congratulate them both on these achievements and look forward to seeing who will put their names forward in the coming summer.

Another sign of our growing success is the number of players and coaches that have recently or are currently involved in the national setup. At time of writing, we have seen no less than 16 players and coaches involved with the Australia and Australia A teams, including in the incredible dual Ashes Series' played out in England this winter, a huge number that reflects the work put in to nurturing and producing industry leading professionals.

On the coaching front, SACA farewelled Jude Coleman this summer after several years of elite performance with both the Scorpions and Strikers. We thank Jude for her expertise and efforts with the South Australian program and wish her all the best in her endeavours with Tasmania and the Hurricanes.



Courtney Webb looks to score during her WNCL Player of the Tournament performance in 2022/23.

In 2023/24 we have added Nicole Bolton and Ryan Harris to our State programs. I am delighted to welcome them to Adelaide and have already thoroughly enjoyed working alongside them. Luke Butterworth has taken up the opportunity to coach the Premier Cricket Under 19 side which is a fantastic step in his journey and one that we know he will excel at.

I would also like to highlight the wonderful Past Player Events that were held this summer, with all past South Australian Women and Men invited to attend selected Redbacks and Scorpions home games to celebrate their achievements with fellow players while cheering on the current generation. SACA has a remarkably long, proud history and days like these go a long way to recognising those who represented South Australia and thanking them for what they have done both on and off field. I thank everyone involved in these days and am already excited for the next instalments.

Finally, thank you to all SACA Members and fans who support our teams when they take the field. We could not do what we do without you. Our success is your success and we are proud to represent you every time we take the field. Thank you for your support, it is truly appreciated.

#### Tim Nielsen General Manager Cricket



Adelaide Strikers players celebrate the moment they secured their maiden Weber WBBL Championship.

### THE HIGHLIGHT OF THE SEASON FOR EVERYONE INVOLVED WITH SACA WAS THE ADELAIDE STRIKERS WINNING THEIR MAIDEN WBBL CHAMPIONSHIP, A MOMENT MADE EVEN MORE SPECIAL BY THE FACT IT WAS THE TEAM'S THIRD GRAND FINAL APPEARANCE IN THREE YEARS.

It was an up and down WBBL season, losing the first two matches but then winning the next four, including two in front of a passionate home crowd. Against the Renegades at Karen Rolton Oval, Amanda-Jade Wellington took 5-8, matching the League-best figures she already held.

The Strikers' inconsistent season continued before a weekend at North Sydney Oval changed the momentum. Against the Hurricanes, captain Tahlia McGrath made 93\* off 51 balls and against the Thunder Megan Schutt took WBBL's first six-wicket haul (6-19) to get the Strikers two big wins that helped the Strikers sneak into second place on ladder.

That earned them a home final, with the Strikers playing the Heat in The Challenger at Karen Rolton Oval. It was a thrilling game, with Bridget Patterson hitting some massive boundaries and finishing 45\* off 26 to get the Strikers the win with just two balls spare.

With no sleep thanks to a 6am flight, the team then travelled to take on the Sydney Sixers in the Final, a matchup that pitted the likes of Tahlia McGrath against Ellyse Perry, Megan Schutt against Sophie Ecclestone and Darcie Brown against Alyssa Healy.

The Final pitted the top two teams on the WBBLI08 ladder against one another in front of a packed crowd in perfect conditions at North Sydney, and they did not disappoint.

West Indian international Deandra Dottin was best-on-ground in the decider, making 52\* and taking 2-30 to set the tone for the Strikers in both innings. A superb bowling effort had the Sixers bowled out for 137, 10 runs short of the Strikers tally, with all six Strikers bowlers taking a wicket. A long time coming, the team celebrated into the evening, culminating in a special moment for several players at sunrise beneath the Sydney Harbour Bridge.

Schutt finished WBBLI08 as the BKT Golden Arm with an egual League-high 23 wickets and she and Wellington (21 wickets) were named in the Team of the Tournament. Schutt was also named the Strikers MVP for her contribution to the Championship winning team.

Tegan McPharlin announced her retirement from WBBL after the win, bringing an end to an on-field career with South Australia spanning 15 years. The impact McPharlin has had on cricket in the southern state is something that will shine through in the players who remain, and those to come.

Assistant Coach Jude Coleman also finished her tenure with the Adelaide Strikers as a Championship winner, with the celebrated coach departing for a senior coaching opportunity with Cricket Tasmania at the conclusion of the WBBL season.

#### WBBL|08 BATTING

	RUNS	AVERAGE	S/R
Laura Wolvaardt	403	26.86	106.05
Deandra Dottin	362	27.84	114.19
Katie Mack	350	23.33	108.69

#### **WBBL|08 BOWLING**

	WICKETS	AVERAGE	ECONOMY
Megan Schutt	27	13.07	6.39
Amanda-Jade Wellington	23	16.34	6.85
Jemma Barsby	18	16.27	5.86

Megan Schutt celebrates a wicket during her Golden Arm winning WBBL108 season.









What to do after they call stumps? ...stay at the ground of course!



# WBBL|08 FINAL SCORECARD

#### **ADELAIDE STRIKERS**

		RUNS	BALLS
Katie Mack	hit wicket b Ecclestone	31	26
Laura Wolvaardt	c Cheatle b Peterson	15	16
Tahlia McGrath	c Bates b Bolton	24	21
Deandra Dottin	not out	52	37
Bridget Patterson	b Ecclestone	7	9
Madeline Penna	c Perry b Cheatle	0	4
Tegan McPharlin	not out	8	9
Extras (lb 7, nb 2, v	v 1) 10		
Total 20 Ov (RR: 7.35) 147/5			

Bowling: Lauren Cheatle 4-0-25-1, Sophie Ecclestone 4-0-19-2, Ashleigh Gardner 3-0-31-0, Ellyse Perry 3-0-24-0, Nicole Bolton 2-0-12-1, Kate Peterson 4-0-29-1

#### **SYDNEY SIXERS**

		RUNS	BALLS	
Suzie Bates	c Patterson b Dottin	10	17	
Alyssa Healy	c Penna b Brown	1	5	
Ellyse Perry	b Brown	33	32	
Ashleigh Gardner	c Penna b Dottin	0	4	
Erin Burns	st McPharlin b Barsby	1	3	
Nicole Bolton	b McGrath	32	27	
Sophie Ecclestone	b Schutt	15	8	
Maitlan Brown	c Wolvaardt b Wellington	34	17	
Kate Peterson	run out (Wolvaardt/Dottin)	5	4	
Angelina Genford	run out (Schutt/McPharlin)	1	2	
Lauren Cheatle	not out	1	1	
Extras (lb 1, w 3) 4				
Total 20 Ov (RR: 6	Total 20 Ov (RR: 6.85) 137			

Bowling: Darcie Brown 4-0-15-2, Megan Schutt 4-0-25-1, Deandra Dottin 4-1-30-2, Jemma Barsby 3-0-17-1, Amanda-Jade Wellington 3-0-30-1, Tahlia McGrath 2-0-19-1



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Wes Agar and Henry Thornton celebrate a wicket during the Strikers historic win over Sydney Thunder.

### THE ADELAIDE STRIKERS' BBL\12 SEASON FEATURED SOME OF THE BIGGEST HIGHLIGHTS IN LEAGUE HISTORY ON THE FIELD WHILE OFF THE FIELD. THE HIGHLIGHTS CONTINUED WITH THE RE-EMERGENCE OF AMAZING ADELAIDE OVAL CROWDS, BUT ULTIMATELY INCONSISTENCY MEANT THE STRIKERS MISSED THE FINALS.

The season got off to an amazing start, with the side going 3-0, including the stunning smashing of a world-record in the second match, bowling the Thunder out for a record low 15 runs. Henry Thornton took 5-3 and Wes Agar collected 4-6 as the performance, which also featured some remarkable catches, went viral around the world.

BBLl12 also saw New Years Eve return to Adelaide Oval with a bang. Over 40,000 fans saw in the new year with the Strikers, including a special live performance from The Temper Trap following the final ball.

Another record tumbled thanks to the Strikers in BBLI12, this time the highest successful run chase in the competition's history. Set 230 runs by the Hurricanes at Adelaide Oval, stand-in captain Matt Short carried his bat and hit a four to not only bring up his maiden century, but also the winning runs as the crowd were sent into hysterics as witnesses to a feat never before seen on Australian shores.

The rest of the season was less successful for the Strikers, with inconsistency meaning the side missed finals in what became a campaign of missed opportunity.

In another highlight, Matt Short became first Striker to win Player of the Tournament, an award presented in tandem with the BKT Golden Bat award for most runs in the competition with 458, while also taking 11 wickets and seven catches. Short became only the third player to hit 400 runs and take 10 wickets in a BBL season, compiling a season which also earned him back-to-back Strikers MVP awards.

Short and Chris Lynn were named in the Team of the Tournament, with Lynn scoring 416 runs in 11 matches in a strong showing in his debut season with the Strikers.



#### **BBL|12 BATTING**

	RUNS	AVERAGE	S/R
Matt Short	458	35.23	144.47
Chris Lynn	416	41.60	141.01
Adam Hose	312	26.00	127.86

#### **BBL|12 BOWLING**

	WICKETS	AVERAGE	ECONOMY
Wes Agar	18	20.27	9.35
Henry Thornton	16	16.56	8.59
Matt Short	11	22.81	7.13

Matt Short celebrates the moment he both brought up a maiden BBL century and the winning runs as the Strikers succesfully chased a record total at Adelaide Oval against the Hobart Hurricanes.





# **SHEFFIELD SHIELD & ONE-DAY CUP**

IT WAS AN IMPROVED SEASON FOR THE WEST END REDBACKS – FINISHING SECOND ON THE MARSH ONE DAY CUP TABLE TO QUALIFY FOR THE FINAL AGAINST WESTERN AUSTRALIA AND FINISHING FOURTH ON THE SHEFFIELD SHIELD TABLE IN A SUMMER HIGHLIGHTED BY BACK-TO-BACK VICTORIES.

The season got off to a great start with a 61-run win over Queensland in the Marsh Cup thanks to state debutant Ben Manenti's all-round performance, including 60 (45) with the bat and 2-37 with the ball.

The Marsh Cup side had some great wins against Tasmania and NSW and it all came down to a 'semi-final' against Victoria at Adelaide Oval where the Redbacks won by eight wickets to secure a spot in the final on the back of 3-22 from allrounder Nathan McAndrew and 63 (70) to opener Henry Hunt.

The Redbacks travelled to Perth to take on a very experienced WA side and while the final didn't go the way they hoped, it capped a limited overs season that saw great strides taken. WA were simply too good with bat in hand as they amassed an imposing total of 7-387, a target that ultimately proved a bridge too far for the Redbacks.

A number of draws started the Marsh Sheffield Shield season, but the first win came before Christmas, with a huge 208-run win over Tasmania. Nathan McSweeney hit his maiden First-Class century with Jake Weatherald also toning up in a breakthrough victory for South Australia on an extremely difficult pitch.

SA was the only team to beat eventual winner Western Australia in the Sheffield Shield – a memorable victory at Adelaide Oval where Daniel Drew hit a double century to etch his name into the history books for his home state. Drew would finish as the second-highest run-scorer of the summer, behind only Cameron Bancroft of WA.

Bowlers regularly stood out across the season, with Spencer Johnson (on debut), Wes Agar, Manenti and Nathan McAndrew all taking five-wicket hauls. Agar led the wicket tally for the Redbacks, finishing with 36, the fourth most in the country.

The final match of the Shield season ended in a well fought draw with interim captain Jake Lehmann hitting an inspired unbeaten century to conclude the season on a high.

A big group of players represented South Australia for the first time this season, with Harry Conway, Henry Thornton, Manenti, Johnson, Jake Carder, Kelvin Smith, Drew and Harry Matthias debuting in respective formats.

Four Redbacks – Agar, Johnson, McSweeney and Jordan Buckingham – were rewarded for their great summers by being named in the Australia A squad facing New Zealand.

In his first season as a Redback, Manenti had great success with both bat and ball to earn himself the Dansie Medal and the Marsh Cup MVP, while Agar won the Lord Hampden Trophy for best Shield player.

Next season, the Redbacks will have a new bowling coach in their midst, with former Test bowler Ryan Harris returning to SA.





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THE SA SCORPIONS WERE BACK-TO-BACK GRAND FINALISTS IN THE WOMEN'S NATIONAL CRICKET LEAGUE, LOSING JUST THREE MATCHES ACROSS THE SEASON (ALL AGAINST EVENTUAL WINNER TASMANIA), AND WHILE THEY FELL JUST SHORT IN THE DECIDER, IT WAS ANOTHER AMAZING SEASON FOR THE SCORPIONS.

Full of clutch moments and thrilling ends to matches – which started from the very first round when Tahlia McGrath hit three consecutive sixes to bring up a win and an unbeaten century against Victoria - the summer was another step forward for a squad that has been together for consecutive seasons and feels primed to take the ultimate step to win a title.

They played in the first WNCL super over against WA and won another nail-biting match in Perth, before another tight victory with only three balls spare against NSW at home the following round.

There were five centurions amongst the Scorpions – including Courtney Webb and Emma de Broughe hitting their maiden WNCL tons and both finishing in the top four run scorers. Maddie Penna, Bridget Patterson and Tahlia McGrath also made centuries.

Kate Peterson took her maiden five-wicket haul in a finalround match against Queensland at home to help secure the Scorpions' Grand Final spot.

Webb became the first Scorpion to win the Player of the Tournament for over a decade, after a season that yielded 595 runs at an average of 54, including consecutive centuries. Her prolific season also earned her a second consecutive McCauley Medal.

A strong Scorpions season delivered another win, with a total of six players preparing for an English summer in the Australia and Australia A squads for the CommBank Women's Ashes Tour of the UK.

Megan Schutt, Tahlia McGrath and Darcie Brown all added to their international tally on the tour, with the trio retaining their places in the all-conquering national side.

Fellow Scorpions Amanda-Jade Wellington, Webb and Peterson were also rewarded for outstanding domestic summers, facing the old enemy in a series of Australia A T20's and 50-over fixtures running concurrently with the Ashes. There were also three debutants for the Scorpions this season, with Anesu Mushangwe, Ella Wilson and Paris Hall playing their first games for SA. Looking forward, former Australian player Nicole Bolton will be an exciting addition to the Scorpions coaching staff next season, joining the side as an assistant coach. Bridget Patterson celebrates a double century against Western Australia in the WNCL.

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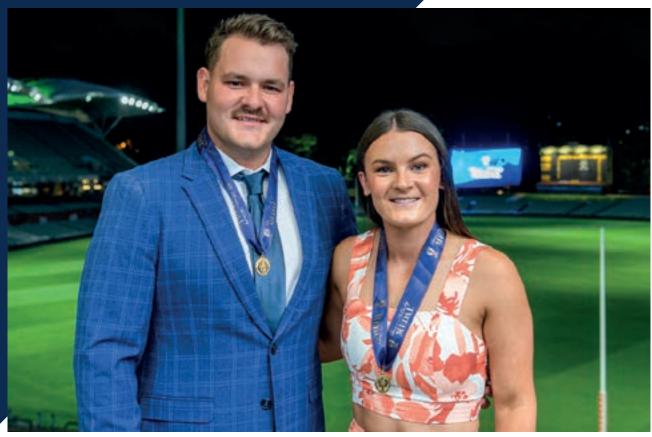
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# STATE AWARDS



2023 Dansie Medallist Ben Manenti and 2023 McCauley Medallist. Courtney Webb, at the 2023 Dansie McCauley Medal Event.

### BEN MANENTI AND COURTNEY WEBB WERE CELEBRATED FOR THEIR OUTSTANDING DOMESTIC SEASON'S AT SACA'S 2022/23 DANSIE MCCAULEY MEDAL NIGHT.

Ben Manenti and Courtney Webb were celebrated for their outstanding domestic season's at SACA's 2022/23 Dansie McCauley Medal night.

In his first season as a West End Redback, all-rounder Manenti won the 2022/23 Dansie Medal as South Australia's best male player, while SA Scorpions batter Webb earned back-to-back McCauley Medals as the most outstanding South Australian in this season's Women's National Cricket League.

Wes Agar's 36-wicket Sheffield Shield season earned him the Lord Hampden Trophy, while Manenti was also the recipient of the Marsh One Day Cup Award.

Adelaide Strikers vice-captain Megan Schutt was named the Strikers' WBBLl08 Most Valuable Player in their Championship winning season, while unsurprisingly, BBLI12 Player of the Tournament Matthew Short won the Strikers' men's MVP award for the second consecutive year.



2023 Dansie Medallist Ben Manenti with Neil Dansie.

#### **NEIL DANSIE AWARD**

Ben Manenti

#### **STRIKERS BBL MVP**

Matthew Short

### BARRY JARMAN AWARD (MOST IMPROVED)

Nathan McSweeney

#### **ANDREA MCCAULEY MEDAL**

Courtney Webb

### TEGAN MCPHARLIN AWARD (TEAM CULTURE)

Jemma Barsby

### STATE INDIGENOUS FEMALE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

**Amber Cloughessy** 

#### LORD HAMPDEN TROPHY (SHEFFIELD SHIELD PLAYER OF THE YEAR)

Wes Agar

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### STATE INDIGENOUS MALE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

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Ben Manenti

### LAUREN EBSARY AWARD (BEST YOUNG PLAYER)

Emma de Broughe

### PETER WANG AWARD (BEST YOUTH PLAYER)

Thomas Brown, Adelaide Uni CC

#### **STRIKERS WBBL MVP**

Megan Schutt



# INTERNATIONAL CRICKET



### ANOTHER ADELAIDE OVAL TEST IS OFFICIALLY IN THE HISTORY BOOKS, WITH AUSTRALIA SECURING A MAMMOTH 419-RUN VICTORY OVER THE WEST INDIES TO TRIUMPH 2-0 IN THE FRANK WORRALL TROPHY.

A total of 86,617 fans attended the NRMA Insurance Test Match, the largest crowd between the two teams at Adelaide Oval since 1982.

For his stunning 175-run knock in the opening innings, followed up by a blistering second innings cameo, South Australian captain Travis Head was named Player of the Match, while Marnus Labuschagne received Player of the Series honours on the back of 502 runs at an average of 167.

Local hero Alex Carey was sublime behind the stumps, taking six catches in the second innings, including a pair of incredible grabs while keeping up to the pace of Michael Neser. The gloveman joins the likes of Brad Haddin, Ian Healy and Rod Marsh in achieving the feat of six catches in an innings.

While it was not the truly competitive contest that Test cricket craves, there were moments of brilliance and determination throughout the clash that makes the longest form of the game the remarkable thing it is.

Long in the memory will be the performances of Head and Carey on their home deck live, efforts that the knowledgeable crowd rewarded with standing ovations and unwavering support. Scott Boland again showed the magic he is capable

of, providing one of the moments of the series on the third evening with a remarkable triple-wicket maiden to hasten the end of the game.

Labuschagne continued his prolific run-scoring record, drawing comparisons with another who played rather well at Adelaide Oval, the great Sir Donald Bradman. Neser and Mitchell Starc also issued reminders of their wonderful talent with ball in hand, taking five wickets each in the Test.

One Day International cricket also returned to Adelaide Oval this summer, with the sound of leather on willow forming a perfect partnership with bright sunshine as Australia claimed a dominant six-wicket victory against old enemy England.

In his ODI captaincy debut, Pat Cummins chose to bowl first when the coin fell his way to begin proceedings and it was the skipper himself who got the ball rolling by claiming the wicket of opening batter Phil Salt in just the fourth over.

Dawid Malan was unaffected by consistent wickets at the other end, other than perhaps using the situation to spur on his own performance. Sam Billings and Jos Buttler each spent time at the crease with Malan, but it was the left-handed power hitter who stole the show for England.



Travis Head celebrates a Test century at Adelaide Oval.

Acknowledging a near run-a-ball century with more than ten overs left in the innings, Malan finished with 134 from 128, plundering 12 fours as he lifted his country to a highly competitive total of 9-287.

Australia's chase began with a new opening partnership as South Australian local Head strode to the middle with David Warner, set for a tussle with a fresh white Kookaburra hurled by David Willey and Olly Stone.

Commencing at a canter, Head and Warner struck five boundaries in as many overs to begin the pursuit on the front foot, including one huge maximum from Head that scattered spectators from their seats.

The two would not be separated until a hefty 147 runs had been accumulated at well over a run a ball, a partnership that wrestled control of the game away from the visitors.

Head amassed 69 runs from just 57 deliveries in a brutal reminder of what he can achieve at the highest level, while Warner took the English for 86 from 84 as they completed the bulk of the chase.

Steve Smith was the one to finish the job for Australia, batting with typical class to hit the winning runs and finish unbeaten on 80\* as the home side took a one-nil lead in the three-game series.





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# **SACA MEMBERSHIP**

THE 2022/23 SEASON MARKED THE RETURN TO 'BUSINESS AS USUAL' FOR SACA IN THE WAKE OF THE COVID PANDEMIC. MEMBERS ENJOYED A FULL ARRAY OF TRADITIONAL MEMBER BENEFITS, INCLUDING THE RETURN OF PLASTIC MEMBER CARDS, MORE OPPORTUNITIES FOR GUEST ACCESS AND A FULL SCHEDULE OF **MEMBER EVENTS.** 

In response to Member feedback, two new tiered Membership categories were introduced, the Reserved Seat Membership and the SACA Big Bash Membership.

It was also a year of new records, with the highest ever number of Members, including the highest ever uptake from new Members

The Reserved Seat Membership category provides Members with the benefits of Full Membership, plus the confidence of a reserved seat at Adelaide Oval for all Cricket Australia international matches and Adelaide Strikers matches. This Membership sold out in just three weeks and now has a

#### **RENEWALS**

SACA delivered its highest ever number of Members (27,481) and Membership revenue (\$12.1M), exceeding targets for both. The increase in Member numbers and revenue was mainly due to the highest ever new Member uptake of 69 per cent since the stadium redevelopment.

All SACA Members were eligible to purchase an optional Transferable Associate Card, with no limits or restrictions as had occurred over the 2020/21 and 2021/22 COVID impacted

SACA Members continued to be provided with the option to 'opt in' to paperless renewal forms in the name of sustainability. Through targeted communication efforts, a pleasing 30 per cent of Members opted to receive only a digital renewal form for the season.

#### **NEW MEMBERSHIP CATAGORIES**

This season SACA introduced two new categories of Membership, including the SACA Big Bash Membership and Reserved Seat Membership. These categories were implemented as part of a longer-term strategy to drive Member engagement, provide Members with the opportunity to purchase into products that align to their needs, diversify Membership products and to fulfill SACA's obligation with Cricket Australia to implement a Membership Optimisation Program.

Granting access to every Men's and Women's Adelaide Strikers match, including finals, the SACA Big Bash Membership was introduced for Adelaide Strikers fans who want access to the SACA Members' Area but aren't looking for access to international or other domestic cricket. In its inaugural year, the Membership category attracted 453 Members across both the Adult and Junior products.

#### INTERNATIONAL MATCH ATTENDANCE

SACA hosted two international matches over the season, including the day-night Test match between Australia and the West Indies and a One Day International against England.

Members were provided with the opportunity to purchase daily Guest Passes for the One Day International and Day 4 of the Test Match, and free access for Members children and grandchildren under 10 years of age was also available across all match days.

Australia's dominant six-wicket victory against England was enjoyed by over 9,000 Members and their quests as the opening to the international season at Adelaide Oval. Over the four days of the Test Match, SACA Members contributed to over 65 per cent of the Adelaide Oval crowd with a total Member attendance of 86,617. Members enjoyed a range of dining events, access to the iconic Village Green and exclusive facilities in the SACA Members' Area.

We thank our Members for their wonderful support during the International season, with the western side of Adelaide Oval once again a vibrant and positive place from which to enjoy

#### ADELAIDE STRIKERS

Headlined by a maiden WBBL Championship for the Adelaide Strikers, a full fixture of content returned to Adelaide for WBBLI08 and BBLI12.

SACA Members had access to all home games, including finals as a benefit of their Membership.

The Adelaide Strikers Membership program continued to grow in its return after the pandemic, with 1,327 Members across BBL, WBBL and Supporter Membership categories. Strikers Members received access to all home games and priority access to purchase tickets to finals.



SACA Members enjoying the atmosphere and excitement of a Test Match from the famous and much loved Village Green.

#### **SUMMER OF DINING**

Member events headlined the summer of cricket, with hospitality packages available across the Test Match, Sheffield Shield, One Day Cup and Men's Adelaide Strikers matches.

SACA's crown jewel, the annual Test Match Dinner, was hosted by Hamish McLachlan on the eve of the Test Match. Desmond Haynes, Tim May and Carl Hooper reminisced on the 1992-93 Frank Worrall Trophy, where the West Indies won by just one run against the Australian side at Adelaide Oval. Across days 1-3 of the Test Match, daily lunches were enjoyed by Members in the Ian McLachlan Room and those wanting a more casual experience opted for a cocktail function in the iconic Bodyline Bar. A new event was also introduced during the drinks break, with grazing platters complimenting the backdrop of the final sessions on days 1 and 2.

A three-course dining option was available to SACA Members and their guests in the Committee Room for all Redbacks matches at Adelaide Oval and casual meals were served in the Bodyline Bar.

A new suite of Adelaide Strikers Hospitality packages was available across the venue during BBL games, with Members able to access 25 per cent off all bookings.

#### **50+ YEAR SACA MEMBER CLUB**

SACA welcomed seven new 65 Year Members and 32 new 50 Year Members to the distinguished list of long-serving Members in 2022/23.

To celebrate their outstanding tenure, all 50+ Year Members were invited to an annual luncheon on Friday, 10 February. As the longest tenured Members, the new 65 Year Members were also presented with a replica baggy red cap in celebration and thanks for their passion and commitment to SACA.

#### **MEMBER AFL HOSPITALITY**

Members and their guests enjoyed access to hospitality functions in the SACA Committee Room and Gil Langley Room over the 2022 AFL season. Packages included an entry ticket, private reserved seating and a three-and-a-half hour food and beverage package for each Port Adelaide and Adelaide home game.

#### **MEMBER FORUMS**

Members were invited to two forums over the Membership year, including a behind-the-scenes look at the removal of the Adelaide Oval pitch at the end of the season and a screening of the first Ashes Test from England. Both events involved a Q&A with SACA President Will Rayner and SACA CEO Charlie Hodgson. Topics ranged from the Premier Cricket divisional changes, the upcoming decisions on future Test Match scheduling, on-field performance of SACA's Women's and Men's programs and the Karen Rolton Oval facility.

Additionally, new Members had the opportunity to attend a New Member Season Launch, featuring a panel of guests including Jason Gillespie, Luke Williams and Tahlia McGrath.

Feedback from Members was extremely positive and recognised the value these types of events placed on the Membership.

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# CENSUS

**JUNIOR CRICKET PARTICIPATION CONTINUES TO INCREASE WITH OVER 20,000** JUNIOR CRICKETERS AGED 5 - 12 PLAYING DURING THE 2022/2023 SEASON. THIS INCLUDED 8836 WOOLWORTHS CRICKET BLAST PARTICIPANTS AND OVER 500 JUNIOR TEAMS PARTICIPATING ACROSS SOUTH AUSTRALIA IN THE 5 - 12 AGE GROUP. GROWTH WAS SEEN ACROSS MANY REGIONS IN SOUTH AUSTRALIA WITH A FOCUS ON PROVIDING QUALITY EXPERIENCES FOR CURRENT PLAYERS AND NEW PLAYERS COMING INTO THE GAME, THE KEY TO CONTINUING THIS TREND.

Woolworths Cricket Blast saw a significant increase in boys and girls participation with a 32 per cent increase. Pleasingly on the back of an excellent summer by the WBBL Adelaide Strikers and South Australian Scorpions, we saw 42 per cent of participants registering in Woolworths Cricket Blast were females, our highest ever result.

Club cricket saw individual registrations for the first time across junior and senior cricket with over 39,000 registrations for cricket across season 2022/2023. This was very much appreciated by the SACA, as clubs transitioned to the PlayHQ platform. Female participation is a key focus in becoming the leading sport for women and girls, with a 17 per cent increase in participation compared to last season. Our Strikers Girls Cricket League led the way, with 50 teams participating, a 22 per cent increase on last season.

Multicultural participation remained steady with 22 per cent of Woolworths Cricket Blast participants indicating they have at least one parent born overseas. Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children represented 12 percent of all registered participants, a significant increase on last season, with a

highlight of the summer being SACA's Aboriginal Cricket Carnival played in March. All Abilities participant numbers have increased compared to pre COVID, with 5.3 per cent of all registered participants indicating some form of a disability, compared to 1.9 per cent last season.

Organised school competitions and programs were impacted by the transition of year seven to high school. Despite this, 8,463 participants played in organised school programs, including the SACA Primary School competition, up one per cent on last season. Enabling teachers to build a culture of cricket in schools was a key area of focus with over 45,000 school participants undertaking a four-week program introducing them to cricket and providing an opportunity to progress to an organised club or school competition.

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# **COMMUNITY CRICKET**



SA Scorpions players Jemma Barsby and Samantha Betts with a community cricketer.

#### **CLUB CRICKET**

Just over 20,000 junior cricketers took part in community cricket in season 2021/22 as part of a club or school team. These cricketers range from those taking the field for the first time competitively at Under 10 level through to junior representative matches including statewide carnivals. Pleasingly there was a 20% increase of registered girls playing cricket including over 1000 girls registered to community clubs for the first time ever.

SACA continues to grow opportunities for both male and female players to transition from Woolworths Cricket Blast programs into organised cricket, including initiatives such as the Little Strikers program which was offered both regionally and across Adelaide this season.

A major change for club cricket this season was the introduction of the PlayHQ platform to replace MyCricket which had been in use for two decades. Nineteen community roadshows were held across the state in June and July involving 215 clubs and nearly 50 associations. Support was provided by Community Cricket staff throughout the season to manage the change to the new system. This season saw 16,500 senior cricket players over the age of 18 playing in South Australia, of which over a thousand were female.

#### SCHOOL VISIT PROGRAM

SACA visited 79 regional and 99 metro schools across South Australia from August through to October.

Visits included activations from the Woolworths Health and PE Program, Mascot Challenge and appearances from Adelaide Strikers mascots, Smash and Summer.

This season we included a colouring in competition as part of our promotional material which received a total of 557 respondents. The winning picture received a family pass to an Adelaide Strikers BBL game which included taking part in an on-field player cap presentation moments before the first ball

A total of 7,200 students from regional schools and 24,855 students from metro schools participated in the school visits with over 40,000 flyers delivered to students across South Australia promoting their local Woolworths Cricket Blast Program.

#### SHEFFIELD SHIELD EXCURSION

The Sheffield Shield excursion offered a meaningful opportunity to students by inviting them to Adelaide Oval to interact with elite level cricketers and participate in physical activity.

Each student received fruit, free tickets to a Strikers game and an activity sheet which asked students questions directly related to the game they were watching.

Twenty-two schools and 697 students participated in SACA staff run clinics on Adelaide Oval two and in the Indoor Centre. Redbacks and Scorpions players were also involved and signed autographs.

#### ADELAIDE STRIKERS PRIMARY SCHOOL CRICKET

Teams competed in term one (seven rounds) and term four (seven rounds) from each metro region (North East, South Central and North West). Primary School Cricket was rebranded to Adelaide Strikers Primary School Cricket to better align with the Strikers brand which allowed SACA to offer all registered players tickets to matches in December. All Year Two and Three competitions are run by SACA staff at community cricket grounds to provide all new players the best possible experience as they are introduced to the competition.

Year 5/6 Teams = 71

Year 4/5 Teams = 112

Year 2/3 Teams = 177

#### **ADELAIDE STRIKERS HOLIDAY PROGRAMS**

The original format of the Adelaide Strikers Holiday Programs continues to be a fan favourite during the April, October and January school holiday periods. Last season's expansion into one-on-one coaching and the Under 10's concept continued into a second successful season. In 2022/23, an Under 12's option was additionally offered alongside the Under 10's.

Parents can source a session at a time and date that suits them, with the 45-minute individual session/s tailored to meet the needs and capabilities of the player. Held in the state-of-the-art Favell Dansie Indoor Centre, the sessions continued to prove popular with 51 individuals registering in one or more sessions throughout the 2022/23 season – equating to a 15 per cent annual increase.

Throughout the 2022/23 season, 996 participants took part in one of 38 programs. More than 145 children participated in the 5-10 age group at Adelaide Oval with a further 70 enjoying the Under 10's and Under 12's at Adelaide Oval the following week.

#### WOOLWORTHS CRICKET BLAST

Woolworths Cricket Blast provides entry-level programs for children aged 5-10 in a range of different settings including club, school and SACA delivered. An increase of 32 per cent in Woolworths Cricket Blast participation saw a total of 8,821 participants register and join an entry level program in the 2022/23 season. Throughout the season, 350 Woolworths Cricket Blast programs were offered to participants right across South Australia. SACA was again recognised as #1 for Woolworths Cricket Blast participants per capita in Australia.

On ground experiences made a huge comeback following COVID, with 579 Cricket Blasters taking to Karen Rolton and Adelaide Oval for domestic and international fixtures in pre-game and tea break clinics, guard of honour and flag bearing duties. Player appearances continued to support South Australian schools, clubs and SACA delivered programs and events. This included appearances by Birmingham Commonwealth Games SA based gold medallists Tahlia McGrath, Megan Schutt and Darcie Brown and the WBBL08 champions, Adelaide Strikers.

SACA continues to lead the way in female participation with 42 per cent of Woolworths Cricket Blasters identifying as female. Ensuring accessibility and engagement, funded opportunities including The Lord Taverners and Woolworths Community Fund continue to support cricket-for-all programs across metropolitan and country South Australia, including flood relief in the Riverland and All Abilities in Mount Gambier.

In an extremely busy and successful year, there were a huge number of highlights. One such standout, includes the Islamic Society of South Australia Woolworths Cricket Blast Program. A collaboration between SACA and the Islamic Society of South Australia, this program and experience was made possible by Woolworths funding and was one of many great success stories, ensuring Culturally and Linguistically Diverse (CALD) communities had a centrally located program to play and experience Cricket.

Entry level programs in South Australia contributed to 13 per cent of the national total in the 2022/23 season, growing from previous seasons, overall and as a state.

#### JUNIOR BLASTERS

Junior Blasters is the first entry-level step in Cricket Pathways and provides the initial experience for participants aged 5-7 and of all abilities and skill levels. Running for 60 minute sessions, the program ran across several consecutive weeks with all equipment provided. Nearly 100 regionally based Cricket Blast centres ensured a state-wide reach with 6,542 Junior Blasters taking to South Australian Ovals, grounds, and green spaces in the 2022/23 season.

#### MASTER BLASTERS

Master Blasters provides the second stage of the cricket pathway for children aged 7-10. Master Blasters aims to provide playing experiences for participants who are ready for modified games of cricket using the fundamental skills learnt in Junior Blasters. 1,275 cricketers turned out week in, week out to bat, bowl and field in a fun, fast paced and social setting across the six plus weeks of the program.

#### **POP-UP BLAST**

in 2022/23 Pop-Up Blast continued in its fourth consecutive season. A 2020 ICC Twenty20 World Cup legacy, Pop-Up Blast provides action-packed fun over a shorter four-week version of traditional Cricket Blast programs. It has been, and continues to be a particularly useful program for Term One timelines and compliments the funded programs. Twenty-two Pop-Up programs provided engagement and a taste for Cricket Blast to 174 participants across South Australia during the 2022/23 season.

#### ANYWHERE BLAST

Anywhere Blast was created to provide a free source of cricket engagement that could be accessed at home while participants were either isolating, unable to attend weekly sessions, or during the continual pauses in community sport. A quickfire option at 20 minutes a session, Anywhere Blast incorporates both individual and team drills using the different cricket batting, bowling, and catching skills and can be followed completely online. It remains a free, easily accessible, online option for anyone interested.



# COACHING

Adelaide Strikers Head Coach Luke Williams shares a smile during a cap presentation.

#### **COACH DEVELOPMENT**

Premier Cricket Senior and Junior Head Coaches were offered support in developing their knowledge and skills based on individual needs and contexts. Many coaches opted to participate in our Coach Development Program where they met regularly with SACA staff to identify needs, create an Individual Coach Development Plan and co-create opportunities for improvement based on their plan.

Group learning opportunities were also offered including access to SA Scorpions pre-match meetings, training sessions and match day experiences.

SACA established a bridging program for coaches and players in Female Premier Cricket during the pre-season where the focus of the sessions was to strengthen the development of non-pathway players by providing advanced support in key identified areas including batting, bowling and fielding. Male and female SACA coaching staff delivered the sessions and provided opportunities for players to develop skills, and coaches to build their knowledge on skill development and best coaching practice.

A Female Coach Enhancement program was established to engage aspirational female coaches in upskilling them by providing bespoke learning opportunities based on their individual Coach Development Plan. The program began as a small group by design, enabling each coach to invest in themselves with support of our Talent, Pathway and Coaching Manager.

Identified regional coaches were provided an opportunity through the Basil and Rex Sellers Initiative from the Favell Foundation to participate in a pilot program where the zone will have access to a trained coach developer to work directly with coaches in the regional locations.

The Favell Foundation Coaching Program began late in the season and will expand into season 2023/24 servicing more of regional South Australia. SACA High Performance coaches in the cricket department were provided opportunities to develop an Individual Coach Development Plan. This enabled coaches to identify needs, create learning opportunities and drive their own development.

#### **COACH EDUCATION**

SACA provided a range of education opportunities for coaches in South Australia, including 17 Community Coach courses, of which 33 per cent were conducted in regional SA. Three Advanced Coach Courses with 33 per cent conducted in Regional SA and one Representative Coach Course at Adelaide Oval.

As part of our ongoing commitment to female coach growth, SACA held the third annual Female Only Community Coaching course. The Representative Coaching Course included female facilitators within the delivery of the program and 16 per cent of participants were female.

Courses were available to all coaches across SA and promoted through the SACA Coaching and Pathways Facebook page and Community Cricket networks.

Two SACA coaches successfully participated in the Cricket Australia High Performance (Level Three) Coaching course and achieved their accreditation. These coaches work in the male and female SACA high performance programs respectively.

A further two staff members presented workshops at the CA High Performance (Level Three) Coaching course which is a great recognition of the quality of coaching staff we have at the SACA.

# LES FAVELL **FOUNDATION SCHOLARS SOAR IN 2022/23**

EACH SEASON THE LES FAVELL FOUNDATION SUPPORTS YOUNG CRICKETERS IN SOUTH AUSTRALIA EXPERIENCING SOME KIND OF DISADVANTAGE. TO ACHIEVE THEIR DREAMS OF PLAYING CRICKET AT THE HIGHEST LEVEL. NINE YOUNG CRICKETERS RECEIVED SCHOLARSHIPS IN THE 2022/23 SEASON, HELPING THEM TO ACHIEVE SUCCESS AT PREMIER CLUB, STATE JUNIOR AND AUSTRALIAN JUNIOR SQUAD LEVELS.

Congratulations to all of the 2022/23 Les Favell Foundation Scholarship Recipients.

Recipient	Premier Club	Home Club/Town
Archie Aldridge	West Torrens	Port Lincoln
Hamish Case	Tea Tree Gully	Mt Gambier
Maggie Clark	West Torrens	Mid North
Walter Kinlock	Northern Districts	Nuriootpa
Jared Kuhl	Glenelg	Mt Gambier
Lucy Reddaway	Kensington	Orroroo
Chloe Rosenzweig	Northern Districts	Tanunda
Patrick Weckert	Woodville	Mid North

#### **LES FAVELL FOUNDATION COACHING PROGRAM**

This season saw the commencement of the pilot Coach Developer Program in selected regions of South Australia. The program aims to increase the standard of coaching in country areas and will be rolled out over three years through funding from the Basil and Rex Sellers Initiative.

#### APPOINTMENT OF FAVELL FOUNDATION **PATRONS**

The Trustees of the Foundation were proud to appoint Rex Sellers as Patron and Basil Sellers AM as Vice-Patron of the Foundation. These roles were extended to both Rex and Basil to recognise their outstanding contribution to the Foundation over many years, also noting their wider contribution to the development of cricket and other sports in South Australia and Australia. Both Rex and Basil's contributions will be integral to the future successes of the Foundation as it moves into a new

#### INCORPORATION OF THE FOUNDATION

The Trustees are delighted to confirm that The Les Favell Cricket Foundation Inc, was incorporated on 22 November 2022. The Foundation was established as a Trust in 1988 and has moved to an incorporated entity with ambition to attract further philanthropic investment into the funds under management. If you or your foundation is interested in supporting the development of young cricketers who are on the pathway to first class cricket but experience some kind of disadvantage, please contact the SACA to discuss how you can assist.

#### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**

The Chair: Jeremy Schultz, Secretary: Alan Favell, and Trustees: Andrea McCauley, Tim Sargent, Luke van Kempen, acknowledge the ongoing support provided by the South Australian Cricket Association Board and specific staff Fred D'Cruz and Peter Brown.



# **CLUB DEVELOPMENT**

#### **CLUB SUPPORT PROGRAM**

SACA's Club Support Program provided clubs and associations with the support, systems, and tools to provide safe, fun, accessible, and inclusive environments for all members of the community, while ensuring all clubs are meeting minimum Child Safe practices. It also provides coverage for public liability, personal injury and club management liability for incorporated clubs and associations.

SACA Cricket Managers and Club Officers work directly with clubs and associations to ensure they meet the Compliant Club level of the program to enjoy the benefits associated with affiliation. Affiliated clubs were able to access funding such as junior equipment funding, the Grassroots Cricket Fund and Australian Cricket Infrastructure Fund. SACA's Club Support Program is now in its 13th year. In season 2022/23, 40 associations, 308 community clubs and all 13 premier clubs were involved with the Program across South Australia.

As part of SACA's commitment to creating safe and welcoming environments for children and young people, Child Safety Audits are conducted on a representative sample of clubs and associations at the end of each season. This season, 13 associations and 127 community clubs across metropolitan and country South Australia and all 13 premier clubs are due to complete the process where they will receive tailored feedback and advice.

#### **VOLUNTEER RECOGNITION**

Community cricket clubs and associations simply would not be able to run without the help, hard work and dedication of our wonderful volunteers across the state. SACA provides a range of recognition opportunities and events over the cricket season to celebrate, acknowledge and reward the tireless work performed by volunteers in the community.

Over the four days at the Adelaide Test Match in December 2022, around 240 double passes were gifted to volunteers from around the state. Another 70 volunteers, including junior coordinators and female coordinators, were invited to attend the Spirit of Cricket Networking Lunch at the Adelaide Convention Centre before the start of Day One. 24 lucky volunteers also had the once in a lifetime opportunity to stand on the hallowed turf of Adelaide Oval as a flag bearer during the anthem ceremony before play on Day One. During the tea break on Day Three, a group of 20 volunteers were also invited to walk onto Adelaide Oval for the annual Volunteer Walk.

The annual SACA Community Cricket Awards Breakfast was held at Adelaide Oval on Monday 13 March 2023. New initiatives, great partnerships and the Spirit of Cricket were showcased and celebrated throughout the morning, with over 150 members of the community in the room. This season, we had a total of 46 outstanding finalists across our 15 award categories, including 17 volunteers who accepted awards for

10, 25 and 50 years of service to the game. Congratulations to Para Hills Cricket Club who were named Community Club of the Year. South Central Junior Cricket Association who were named Association of the Year and Brett Nitschke from the Barossa and Light Cricket Association who was named Volunteer of the Year.

#### **AUSTRALIAN CRICKET INFRASTRUCTURE FUND**

The Australian Cricket Infrastructure Fund provided \$737,177.55 of facility funding towards 25 cricket projects to cricket clubs, councils, and schools throughout South Australia during the 2022/23 season.

The funding delivered by SACA (\$201,177.55), Cricket Australia (\$465,000) and the Australian Cricketers' Association (\$71,000) has provided opportunities to grow cricket and improve cricket infrastructure throughout South Australia. The total value of the 25 projects is \$16,600,773 and includes new practice facilities, turf and synthetic pitch projects, clubrooms and change rooms, providing much-improved experiences for several communities and thousands of cricketers.

#### **COMMUNITY BUSHFIRE RECOVERY FUND**

SACA, Cricket Australia and the Australian Crickets Association together with the Kangaroo Island Cricket Association opened six new centre wickets. Funded by SACA and the Community Bushfire Recovery Fund (CBRF), a joint initiative between CA and the ACA, together with a grant from the Office for Recreation, Sport and Racing, the facilities replace those destroyed or damaged during the devastating fires during the 2019/20 summer.

These projects are in addition to funds provided to the Western Districts Sporting and Community Club, and other sporting codes in replacing the destroyed clubrooms as well as the changerooms for the Western Districts sporting community. This now brings an investment of nearly \$750,000 across Kangaroo Island through SACA, Cricket Australia and the Australian Cricketers' Association. With the changerooms completed in 2022, construction of the redeveloped clubrooms is almost finished and due for completion in 2023.

#### **PLACES TO PLAY**

SACA launched the 'Places to Play' initiative which has seen the partnership with Forbes Primary School result in a new cricket pitch being unveiled. Fully funded by SACA, the initiative has facilitated a partnership with the Plympton Footballers Cricket Club to utilise the new cricket pitch at Forbes Primary School after school hours whilst providing the school students a brand new cricket pitch for students aged 5-12.

# RECONCILITATION ACTION PLAN

ON JANUARY 20, 2023, SACA LAUNCHED THEIR RECONCILIATION ACTION PLAN WITH AN ALL-STAFF BREAKFAST, WHILE EXTERNALLY IT WAS LAUNCHED DURING THE BBL FIRST NATIONS ROUND, WHERE THE RAP WORKING GROUP, SACA BOARD AND STAKEHOLDERS WERE INVITED TO A FUNCTION DURING THE ADELAIDE STRIKERS V PERTH SCORCHERS BBL GAME.

The RAP includes 85 action items that SACA will aim to achieve within a two-year period, with a clear focus on:

- improving, maintaining and developing mutually beneficial relationships
- showing respect to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples and culture
- providing opportunities for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples to participate, volunteer, supply and work in South Australian cricket.

Tanya McGregor, Director, Aboriginal Health – SA Department for Health and Wellbeing and SACA RAP working group member, said SACA's RAP is about being inclusive as a sport.

"The RAP means us as cricket being a better corporate partner to the community and doing what we know is best to service and to foster our First Nations relationships," Ms McGregor said.

"I want kids to know that Aboriginal history and culture is something that is part of the game of cricket and that it is a sport for all.

"This is the start of the next phase for SACA to keep growing in our RAP, but also to staying committed beyond the Reconciliation Rounds, beyond NAIDOC Week so we see more Aboriginal people in cricket as a credible sport that they can play, participate and enjoy in summer."

Shane Bernhardt, SACA's General Manager, Community Cricket said the RAP provides a clear direction for an 'all of SACA' commitment to reconciliation.

"I think the importance of SACA's RAP is two-fold – firstly, it is SACA's formal statement to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities regarding SACA's commitment to the reconciliation journey," Mr Bernhardt said.

"Secondly, our RAP documents the great work that SACA has already done in providing welcoming cricket opportunities for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people to engage in cricket and will ensure that SACA continually embraces opportunities for increased engagement.

"What I think will be the most important outcome is successfully embedding a culture of positively promoting opportunities for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people to engage in our sport – whether that be through employment, volunteering or playing."

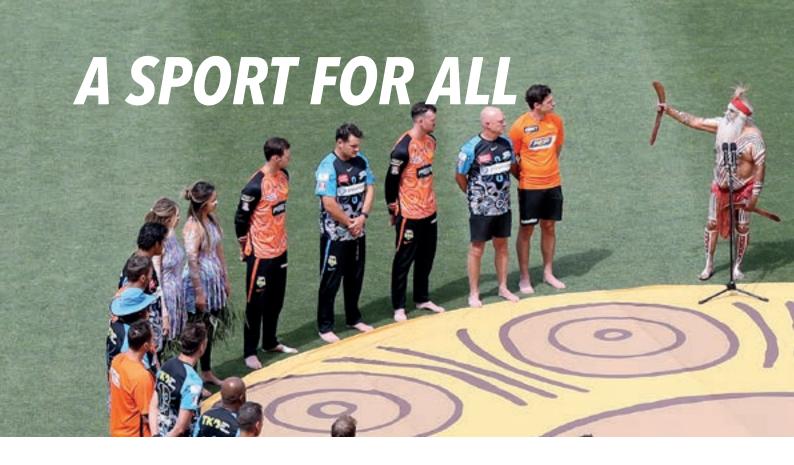
So far this season, SACA staff have already delivered our Woolworths Cricket Blast program to 767 children from an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander background, who all formally registered to take part, compared to 570 kids in total over the past three seasons, a fact Mr Bernhardt is quite proud of.

He also called out the Adelaide Strikers' leadership in being the first BBL and WBBL team to wear an Indigenous designed shirt in the first matches to be played in the Northern Territory, along with the awarding of the Jason Gillespie Trophy and Faith Thomas Trophy annually.

Mr Bernhardt also reflected on many 'less seen' initiatives that SACA delivers, including the production of a Welcome to Country video featuring Uncle Moogy, their local Premier and Community cricket reconciliation rounds, their annual Aboriginal Cricket Carnival, their Junior Aboriginal Academy and their teams that compete in the National Indigenous Cricket Championships – the SA Boomerangs and the SA Desert Peas.

This RAP document wouldn't have been possible without the help of the cricket community, SACA staff and board and most importantly, our Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander advisors, stakeholders and cricketers, as their guidance and support will allow us to continue to play our role in Reconciliation.

Thank you to our RAP working group members and artist, Steven Warrior, for their contribution to this work and document



## ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER CRICKET

1054 participants who identified as Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander were involved in Cricket Blast programs during the 2022/23 season, totalling approximately 12 per cent of all participants in South Australia. This is an increase of over 350 children from the previous season, which demonstrates the popularity of cricket growing within communities.

The Woolworths Community Fund provided the opportunity for over 1000 Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children with a quality cricket experience. As part of each program, players received a personalised shirt, hat, cricket bat and ball.

SACA partnered with the Tjindu Foundation during the year and hosted 179 students from across 17 schools in a cricket carnival. As part of the day, the Tjindu students mentored the participants in cricket games, fun games, and skill development activities.

SACA once again encouraged community and Premier Cricket clubs to hold Reconciliation Rounds. Clubs and teams across South Australia took part in various acknowledgements including a pre-game barefoot circle, displaying Aboriginal art stump stickers, and wearing uniforms designed by Aboriginal artists.

The SACA Aboriginal Cricket Carnival was held on the March long weekend, at the West Beach Playing Fields. Five teams competed across the two days, which culminated in Port Lincoln playing Kaurna in the final, an exciting match with Kaurna being declared champions for 2023. The Vince Copely Medal was awarded to youngster Ky Lewis from Port Lincoln.

Excitingly, the National Indigenous Cricket Carnival returned to Alice Spring in 2023, after interruptions due to COVID. Unfortunately, South Australia was not able to nominate the SA Desert Peas. However, six players from SA and Coach were represented through a partnership with NT Cricket. South



Music is played during the staff launch of SACA's Reconciliation Action Plan.

Australia's Southern Boomerangs was led by Peter Thomas a final time, after 21 years of involvement. The team finished sixth overall, but pleasingly included several players who have progressed from the Aboriginal Junior Cricket Academy, making their debut.

#### **SOUTH AUSTRALIA NATIONAL SELECTION:**

#### **MAY 2023 NATIONAL INDIGENOUS TOUR OF VANUATU**

• Tyrell Sinclair

#### **DISABILITY CRICKET**

473 participants with a disability were involved in Cricket Blast programs across the 2022/23 season, totalling 5.4 per cent of all participants in South Australia. A major increase from the previous season, reflecting the inclusivity of cricket across clubs in the state.



Adelaide Strikers and Perth Scorchers players and staff take part in a Barefoot Cicle and Welcome to Country ahead of their First Nations Round BBLI12 clash.

The Woolworth Community Fund reached over 700 young people with a disability, providing a cricket opportunity that otherwise would not have been possible. This opportunity was achievable with involvement from cricket clubs, schools and disability providers.

The Adelaide Inclusive Cricket League was formed in 2022/23 and driven by three inaugural clubs – Para Hill Cricket Club, Goodwood Cricket Club and Reynella Cricket Club. The League will provide another pathway for cricketers with a disability to play cricket and further develop skills.

In a highlight of the season, the National Cricket Inclusion Championships was held in Brisbane for the first time after a two-year hiatus due to COVID. The Championships provide the opportunity for cricketers to represent South Australia and to be considered for National selection.

South Australia performed extremely well in the Intellectual Disability division, finishing third in a very tight competition. The South Australian Blind and Vision Impaired team finished fifth, which was a great result for the development side, which boasted five debutants for the Nationals. Unfortunately, South Australia was not able to nominate a Deaf or Hard of Hearing team.

South Australia boasted several selections in National teams:

# SEPTEMBER 2022 DEAF INTERNATIONAL CRICKET COUNCIL T20 CHAMPIONS TROPHY, UNITED ARAB EMIRATES

• Shrey Patel (Gaza Cricket Club)

### DECEMBER 2022 T20 BLIND CRICKET WORLD CUP. INDIA

- Reuben Fairbank (Blind Cricket SA)
- Lachlan Wallace (Blind Cricket SA)
- Michael Zannis (Blind Cricket SA)

#### **MULTICULTURAL CRICKET**

Throughout the 2022/23 season, 2607 children from multicultural backgrounds participated in the Cricket Blast program; this equates to 29 per cent of all participants. This is a growth of three per cent from the previous season, which reflects the welcoming environments that clubs provide across the state.

Over the past four seasons, the growth of children from multicultural backgrounds in regional areas has also seen significant growth. This includes an almost 50 per cent increase in Cricket Blast programs and approximately 20 per cent increase in junior club cricket.

The Woolworths Community Fund supported over 2000 children from multicultural backgrounds, providing a quality cricket experience through cricket clubs, schools and various multicultural organisations. It is envisaged that the children participating in the Woolworths Community Fund will join Cricket Blast or Junior Cricket opportunities in the future.

Throughout the season, SACA engaged with various multicultural communities. This is an integral part of developing relationships and exposing cricket to different communities, who otherwise wouldn't be involved.



SACA launched its Reconciliation Action Plan on 20 January with an all-staff breakfast where they heard from Uncle Moogy (left).

#### **SA VETERANS CRICKET ASSOCIATION**

It was a momentous year for the South Australian Veterans Cricket Association. A record number of 26 teams played in our local competitions. For the first time we had enough teams to have two divisions in the Over 50s competition. We entered two Over 40s teams for the first time in the National Championships, while some of our players participated in the first Over 75s Celebration of Cricket in Albury/Wodonga. Our age span goes from several 40-year-olds through to the ever-enthusiastic Johnny McTier, who still throws himself around at the age of 83 years. We have teams from Yorke Peninsula, down to the Barossa Valley, across to the Riverland and Sunraysia, in the suburbs and hills of Adelaide, to the Fleurieu region and the South-East Coast. Our players have played across five states, the Northern Territory, New Zealand, South Africa, and Samoa.

Throughout the season, four separate competitions were conducted successfully with Adelaide University once again winning the Over 50s Division One title from Grange in a rain interrupted Grand Final. New team Riverland/Sunraysia convincingly defeated Adelaide University in the first ever Over 50s Division Two final, while Goodwood Eastern Ranges at last got their hands on the Tanner Shield, defeating Fleurieu Fins in the Over 60s Final. The Over 70s teams played more matches this year in a very successful competition. Congratulations to all teams.

After a two-season hiatus due the pandemic, the National Championships were held in all age divisions. The highlight of the season was undoubtedly the Over 50s National Championships, hosted by SAVCA, which was the greatest gathering of Veteran Cricketers ever. Despite rain interruptions, the Championships were a huge success, showcasing South Australian cricket and providing opportunities for players from over forty teams to play, socialise and experience the many pleasures of our state. SAVCA's success was even greater, as our Division One and Two teams performed brilliantly and won their Grand Finals.

SAVCA also entered three teams in each of the Over 60s and Over 70s National Championships and for the first time were represented in the Over 40s National Championships. It is interesting to note that in the coming season, the VCA will be holding an initial Over 55s Championship. It will be held in Christchurch, the first time a Championship will be held offshore. As Veterans Cricket grows internationally, there are an increased number of tournaments and series played between countries. SAVCA was delighted that 17 of our extremely worthy players were selected to represent Australia, from Over 40s to 70s.

Life Membership was bestowed upon Michael Stanley and Gary Bilney for their splendid service to SAVCA as a players, umpires and administrators.

SAVCA will enter a women's team in next season's National Championships and is in the process of developing further opportunities for female players. The men's competitions continue to grow, with new teams already entered in each age division for next season. Veterans Cricket is booming.

Provided by Christopher Daw, SAVCA President.

#### SACA DEVELOPMENT ACADEMY

With the imminent return of the National Indigenous and Inclusion Championships in early 2023, SACA focused on ensuring communities were aware of representative opportunities by coordinating a range of cricket training sessions. This created further awareness of the cricket pathways that exist.

SACA engaged with the Australian Cricketers' Association, where past players spoke with teams about the significance of representing South Australia and the responsibility that comes with it.

SACA in partnership with Taverners SA continued to grow the Aboriginal Junior Cricket Academy.

Sixteen young cricketers were involved in the program, which included a program launch, two-day camp, and regular training sessions using high performance facilities. In an extension of the program, trial matches were organised in conjunction with Rostrevor College and Westminster College.

Testament to the Academy, participants are continuing to grow at their respective Community and Premier Clubs, engaging into additional opportunities and aspiring to be the next professional cricketers.

# COMPETITIONS

#### COMPETITION ADMINISTRATION

SACA provided Competition Administration support to three Junior Metropolitan Cricket Associations and six Regional Cricket Associations in season 2022/23. This season was the fourth in which SACA have worked collaboratively with Associations to support them through Competition

Competition Administration was provided to the North-Eastern Junior Cricket Association, South Central Junior Cricket Association, the Western Suburbs Junior Cricket Association, Barossa and Light Cricket Association, Hills Cricket Association, Alexandra and Eastern Hills Cricket Association, Port Lincoln Cricket Association, Tatiara Cricket Association and, the Millicent and Naracoorte Cricket

More than 1000 teams participated in Competitions serviced by the Competition Administration team in season 2022/23 including our existing SACA Super Cricket Competition, Strikers Girls Cricket Leagues and the Adelaide Strikers Primary School Competition.

We look forward to continuing the strong relationship with these associations and growing the number of teams participating in Competition Cricket in 2023/24.

#### **TOYOTA AUSTRALIAN COUNTRY CRICKET CHAMPIONSHIPS**

The Toyota Australia National Cricket Championships resumed this year with Cricket ACT hosting the event that saw strong South Australian Men's and Women's teams compete from January 13 - 20.

The Men's side started their campaign against New South Wales finishing the tournament in fourth place with three wins, defeating the ACT, Queensland and the Philippines. Louis Green was South Australia's leading run scorer with 141 runs at 28.2 while Cameron Sumner's six wickets at 3.78 economy was the best of the bowlers. After an outstanding performance, Cameron Sumner was awarded the Don Woon medal for the Men's player of the championships.

The Women's team were named champions after a slow start to the week ended with a super over win against NSW in the final.

After winning the toss and choosing to bat, the team got away to a solid start with Tegan McPharlin (65) and Steph Beazleigh (22) putting on 71 for the first wicket. Some tight bowling from NSW kept SA in check however and SA finished on 118 with Jess O'Reilly (16) adding some late runs.

SA got off to a good start with the ball with O'Reilly backing up her 16 runs by taking 2/16, along with Cara Fiebig (2/14) had NSW at 5/61. They rallied late and needed six off the last over to win. 17-year-old South Australian Annabelle Yelland stepped up to gain an important wicket and restrict NSW to six, leading to a super over.

South Australian Captain, O'Reilly bowled the over conceding only seven runs before McPharlin and Beazleigh led the way taking four balls to chase down the runs and make South Australia National Women's Champions.

McPharlin was deservedly awarded the Player of the Tournament for her 220 runs at an average of 220. Beazleigh (176 at 35.2) along with McPharlin were also named in the Australian Country Team of the Carnival.

#### SACA REPRESENTATIVE CARNIVALS

In its 98th year the Senior Country Cup competition saw teams return from the Alice Springs Cricket Association and the Murray Districts/Barrier Zone for this season's carnival. The three minor round days saw a mixture of high scores with the bat and dominant performances with the ball with all teams experiencing highs and lows throughout the week.

Rain hampered the traditional finals day, with all matches abandoned without a first innings result. Fleurieu & Districts, who were the only team to emerge undefeated from the first three days of play, were adjudged the winner of the tournament. Yorke Peninsula, the other Grand Finalist featured Nathan Allen, this season's Cecil Starr Player of the Tournament and Austin Smith, winner of the Fielding Trophy. Louis Green (Eyre Peninsula) took out the batting trophy with a dominant century on the final day, while Alex Hosking (Northern) once again won the Arch Grosvenor Wicket-Keeping Trophy. The Bowling Trophy was shared by Jai Nanavati and Samindra Madushan, each taking 10 wickets for Alice Springs.

SACA's Junior Representative Carnivals saw South Australia's best players represent their metropolitan Association or Country Zone at Under 12, Under 14 and Under 16 level. Aided with the bolstering of players from Mildura, Murray Districts/ Barrier who returned to all boys age groups for the first time in three years.

The competitions were also separated into the more traditional 'metro' and 'country' competitions. Once again, Adelaide Turf showed their superiority with three out of the four metropolitan trophies, but were narrowly defeated by South Central in the Under 16 Girls Final.

In the country, Barossa & Light, once again hosted the competition in their own Association, similarly claimed the Under 12 Boys, Under 16 Boys and Under 16 Girls championships, the latter for the fourth year in a row. However, it was the South East who prevailed in the Under 14 Boys competition, in a narrow performance over Fleurieu & Districts.



Eloise Sheridan walks out onto Adelaide Oval for her BBL debut.

## IT WAS AN EXCITING SEASON OF DEBUTS, MILESTONES AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR SOUTH AUSTRALIAN MATCH OFFICIALS.

Cricket Australia Supplementary Umpire Panel member Eloise Sheridan had another significant season, including appointments across three continents. Sheridan travelled to Birmingham in July 2022 for the Commonwealth Games which featured women's T20 for the first time. This experience culminated in an appointment to the Bronze Medal match between England and New Zealand.

In December 2022, Sheridan stood in six New Zealand Super Smash T20 matches; and finished her international season in South Africa at the ICC Women's T20 World Cup. Assigned to eight minor round matches, Sheridan was then appointed Third Umpire of the Semi Final between the hosts and England at Newlands Oval.

On Australian soil, Sheridan stood in the Commonwealth Bank Women's Series between Australia and Pakistan. This combined One-Day and T20 International Series held on the east coast also included appointment to the annual Governor General's XI match.

Sheridan became the first female to stand on-field in a Men's T20 Domestic (KFC BBL) fixture in December. This complemented her List-A umpiring debut earlier in the season in the Marsh One-Day Cup clash between the West End Redbacks and Tasmania, with both games played at Adelaide Oval.

Also instrumental throughout the women's domestic season, Sheridan was appointed to the WNCL and Weber WBBL competitions. Her strong performances throughout the season were rewarded with with an appearance at the Weber WBBLI08 Grand Final between the Sydney Sixers and Adelaide Strikers at North Sydney Oval.

Dhaval Bhatt, Eloise Sheridan and Harsimran Singh all returned to the South Australia State Umpire Panel, whilst the latter two members also completed the invite-only Cricket Australia High Performance Officiating (Level Three) Accreditation.

In total, SACA celebrated seven significant domestic cricket umpiring debut milestones:

#### LIST-A (MARSH ONE-DAY CUP) UMPIRING DEBUT

Elosie Sheridan | Friday, October 21 | South Australia v Tasmania

#### WOMEN'S T20 DOMESTIC (WEBER WBBL) UMPIRING DEBUT

James Cushway | Friday, October 21 | Melbourne Renegades v Brisbane Heat

Kurt Miegel | Friday, October 21 | Sydney Sixers v Adelaide Strikers

#### MEN'S T20 DOMESTIC (KFC BBL) UMPIRING DEBUT

Elosie Sheridan I Wednesday, December 14 I Adelaide Strikers v Sydney Sixers

#### **WOMEN'S ONE-DAY (WNCL) UMPIRING DEBUT**

Kurt Miegel | Thursday, January 19 | South Australia v New South Wales

James Cushway | Saturday, January 21 | South Australia v New South Wales

#### **TOYOTA SECOND XI UMPIRING DEBUT**

Peter George | Monday 20 – Thursday 23 February | South Australia v Western Australia

Three South Australian umpires attended Cricket Australia National Championships, including Dhaval Bhatt who officiated at the CA Under 19 Female Championships in Perth, while Peter George and Harsimran Singh both stood in the CA Under 17 Male tournament in Hobart.

A special congratulations to George who was appointed to the Grand Final fixture in his first national tournament appearance as an Umpire.

Our Scoring fraternity had an equally busy season. Alongside traditionally scheduled international and domestic cricket fixtures, Adelaide also played host to seven ICC World T20

Cup fixtures. Scorers Mick Harper, Ian Graham and Neil Ricketts were appointed to all three double-header fixtures, as well as the standalone Semi Final between India and England. We also thank the 15 individual Scorers for their contributions during the CA Under 19 Male Championships, held across Adelaide leading into the Christmas break.

We recognised four significant scoring milestones this season. Sheryl Bevan and Kate Murphy made their respective List-A and Men's Domestic T20 scoring debuts, whilst long serving cricket volunteer David Kempe scored his 500th match and Neil Ricketts was acknowledged for his 50 years of service to cricket.

South Australian umpiring stalwarts Steve Davis and Simon Fry were re-appointed to Cricket Australia's Match Referee Panel, whilst Daryl Harper was re-appointed as an Umpire Selector for Cricket Australia.

#### PREMIER AND COMMUNITY CRICKET

There were many achievements accomplished during the 2022/23 season and it was pleasing to see our group progress and further develop during this time in what was another great year for our Match Officials.

In August we ushered in the season over breakfast at the Adelaide Entertainment Centre at an event hosted by Wayne Phillips where we heard about Peter George and Richard Williams' journeys into cricket umpiring.

Throughout the season the team also held several umpire training nights and our annual seminar where guests were treated to some fantastic guest speakers and presenters including Cricket Australia National and Supplementary Umpire Panel members Greg Davidson, Phil Gillespie, Claire Polosak and Ben Treloar.

Our scorers had their own pre-season training session in September which was well attended. Whilst the main focus was on the immediate implementation of PlayHQ Live Scoring, attendees were then split with agendas pertinent to the group's experience level for more targeted discussions.

We were fortunate to host several ICC Elite Umpire and Referee Panel members for a question and answer session before their ICC Men's T20 World Cup duties at Adelaide Oval. Chris Brown, Aleem Dar, Michael Gough, Adrian Holdstock, Ranjan Madugalle and Joel Wilson all shared their insights and learnings from officiating at the highest level.

We welcomed back the annual Premier Cricket Umpire Exchange between South Australia and Victoria. The initiative provides several benefits to participants, including standing in a different competition with a new standing partner, new teams, new pitch and playing conditions. Following a COVID hiatus, Kurt Miegel travelled to stand in the Victorian Premier Competition, meanwhile SACA hosted Victorian Ashfaq Ali.

Peter Waldie was announced as the Community Official of the Year at the annual SACA Community Cricket Awards in March 2023. At the same event Brian Bayless was presented with his 50 Years of Service to Cricket certificate, whilst Edward Branson, Peter Laidler and David Rodgers were presented with 25 Years of Service to Cricket awards.

Off-field, we continue to be reliant on several passionate volunteer Associations who compliment SACA's efforts in growing the game and creating a positive experience for all participants. To the members of the South Australian Cricket Umpires and Scorers Association (SACUSA), Adelaide Turf

Cricket Umpires and Scorers Association (ATCUSA) and the SACA Scoring Committee - thank you.

#### **CROCKETT SHIELD**

Since 1931, the previously bi-annual match between the SACUSA and Victorian Cricket Umpires and Scorers Association (VCUSA) made a welcome return following a four-year COVID hiatus. Under Captain Craig Thomas, South Australia reclaimed the historic Shield for the first time since 2013. Thank you to all volunteers who made this match and the entire weekend a success.

Congratulations to all Match Officials and well done on your achievements. Thank you for your commitment and dedication across the season and we look forward to what the future holds.

#### **AWARDS**

Harsimran Singh - Premier Cricket Umpire of the Year

#### **MILESTONES**

Bruce Stribley - 200 Premier First-Grade Cricket Matches

Adrian Drosd - 100 Premier First-Grade Cricket Matches

Michael Williamson – 100 Premier First-Grade Cricket Matches

David Kempe – 500 Matches (scorer)

#### FINALS APPOINTMENTS

Dhaval Bhatt and Harsimran Singh - West End 1st Grade

Peter George and Eloise Sheridan – Women's 1st Grade

Tim Hart and Michael Williamson – West End 2nd Grade

Douglas Jewell and Duminda Kottahachchi – Women's 2nd Grade

Jamaldeen Shakoordeen and Darran Swain – West End 3rd Grade

Adrian Drosd and Luke Uthenwoldt - West End 4th Grade

Bruce Stribley and Craig Thomas - Under 16 Red

Fahmid Ahmed and John Nemcic - Under 16 White

Purvag Nanavati and Richard Williams - Under 14 Red

Thilak Ambepitiya and Peter Graham - Under 14 White

Dhaval Bhatt and Kurt Miegel – West End One Day Cup

James Cushway and Tim Hart - West End T20 Cup

Bruce Stribley and Michael Williamson - Women's 1st Grade

Stephan Lessing and Purvag Nanavati - Women's 2nd Grade T20 Final

Darran Swain and Tim Tonkin - Under 18 Shield

Geoff Behn and Robert Stone - Ray Sutton Shield

# **PREMIER** CRICKET

#### THE SACA PREMIER CRICKET COMPETITION REMAINS AN IMPORTANT COMPONENT OF THE AUSTRALIAN CRICKET PATHWAY, PROVIDING JUNIOR AND SENIOR PLAYERS AN OPPORTUNITY TO SHOWCASE THEIR TALENT ACROSS ALL THREE FORMATS OF THE GAME.

The West End men's competition is comprised of four grades - First through Fourth - as well as the West End One-Day Cup and the West End Twenty20 Cup. The women's competition consists of First and Second grades and is played in one day and Twenty20 formats.

This season was the final of SACA Premier Cricket in its current format, with the introduction of a two-division structure in Men's First Grade in 2023/24. SACA's inaugural Under-19 team is set to debut in division two. This innovation will see promotion and relegation decided at season's end and ensure meaningful matches all season long.

Four competitions also exist for junior boys - Under-14 Red, Under 14 White, Under 16 Red and Under 16 White, while the Ray Sutton Shield and Under 18 Shield provide additional formats of the game.

The 2022/23 SACA Premier Cricket season was full of highlights, with a dominate performance from Kensington District Cricket Club headlining the performances. The Brown were crowned Premiers in both the Men's and Women's First Grade competitions, as well as in the Men's One Day Cup.

SACA wishes to acknowledge and thank Lion (through their flagship brand West End) for their steadfast support of the men's Premier Cricket competition.

#### **WEST END MEN'S FIRST GRADE FINAL**

The Browns cruised to victory in the second innings at Karen Rolton Oval with seven wickets in hand, sealing a third Men's First Grade premiership for the club from the past five seasons. Kensington was a dominant force all summer, finishing well clear on top of the ladder and dropping just one match.

Electing to bowl first, Kensington struck early and restricted seven Blacks batsmen to single-digit scores. Paceman Henry Thornton (4-37) and leg-spinner Lloyd Pope (4-40) shared the spoils as Uni posted a first-innings total of 10-123.

The Blacks also started strongly with the ball, but a vital halfcentury to Alex Ross (60) wrestled back momentum as the Browns rallied to 10-161 and a first-innings lead of 38 runs.

Adelaide University refused to give up, reviving itself from 4-30 in the second dig to post 10-175 and take a 137-run lead. Towering quick Elliot Opie (5-47) snared five wickets for the Browns.

Uni's Liam Greber claimed two scalps in successive balls, but it proved too little too late with Henry Hunt (43) and Sam Rahaley (74\*) sealing premiership glory for Kensington.

The victory also signalled a fairytale finish to the career of the competition's all-time leading run-scorer Jake Brown, who himself added a valuable 30 in the first innings of his Premier Cricket swansong.

#### **WOMEN'S FIRST GRADE FINAL**

The Browns went back-to-back in the Women's First Grade Competition, securing a 20-run win over Adelaide.

Opener Bridget Patterson set the tone for the Browns with a powerful 86 from 103, which featured 15 boundaries, after Adelaide won the toss and elected to bowl.

Captain Sarah Lowe chipped in with a handy 47 to put 6-194 on the board for Kensington from an adjusted 47 overs.

After a tough start for the Buffalos, inspirational skipper Kelly Armstrong (70) sparked a resurrection, helping lift her side to 3-149 with the target total in sight.

But a middle-order collapse of 6-18 snuffed out Adelaide's chances with Shae Daly (4-32) spinning her way through the Buffalos tail and leaving them 9-174 off 41 overs.

#### **WEST END MEN'S ONE DAY CUP FINAL**

Kensington secured their first title of the season when they claimed victory over Northern Districts by 23 runs in the 50over format, thanks to an Alex Ross century.

Ross resurrected the Browns from 2-21 in the opening overs after being sent in to bat first at Karen Rolton Oval. The 30-year-old showed both finesse and power to nail 16 boundaries and finished unbeaten on 133\* from 136 deliveries, complemented by a 67 from Joshua Doyle at first drop.

Northern Districts made early haste in pursuit of the Browns' 5-273 but lost regular wickets as the required run ratecontinued to climb. Doyle (3-50), Lloyd Pope (2-38), Tom Lawes (2-32) and Elliot Opie (2-60) combined to dismiss the Jets for 250 and seal the silverware for Kensington.

#### **WEST END MEN'S TWENTY20 CUP**

Tea Tree Gully claimed the West End Twenty20 Cup with a thrilling 18-run victory over East Torrens in the Final.

The Bulls rebounded from a shaky start at 2-3 after electing to bat first at Karen Rolton Oval. Zac Worden (68) and Hamish Case (50) added 102 runs in tandem to inspire the resurgence, before Joe Gatting blasted five maximums and two fours at an eye-watering strike rate of 257 to pile on 49 runs from just 19 deliveries to lift the Bulls to 5-180.

Several East Torrens batsmen made starts during the chase, including opener Jake Lehmann (34), Ryan King and Tom Lace (both 28), however nobody took full toll for the Reds as wickets fell regularly throughout their innings. East Torrens' final total was 9-162 from 20 overs. Muhammad Mishal Khan (3-38) was the pick of the Bulls' bowlers, while Nick Stathoris (2-31) and Sean Nottie (2-33) also contributed.



Sturt claimed a dominant, six-wicket victory over Glenelg in the Women's First Grade T20 Final.

Bowling first in the decider, the Blues blitzed the Bays with the ball by claiming 4-7 in the middle overs to rip through Glenelg's batting order.

Matilda Maitland (3-7) starred, while Alex Price (2-16) and Alice Grant (2-17) were also tidy with their four overs to hold the Seahorses to just 7-86.

The early loss of opener Eliza Bartlett gave Glenelg some hope, but contributions from Price (26) and Amelia Rault (25) were enough to guide Sturt to victory in just 14 overs.

#### **KAREN ROLTON MEDAL**

It is the first time an Adelaide Cricket Club female player has won the Rolton Medal, with Kelly Armstrong earning it after being the First Grade leading run-scorer with 439 runs at an average of 54.8, including two centuries.

Adelaide's captain, Armstrong also contributed with her leg spin, taking 14 wickets with best figures of 3-36.

#### **BRADMAN MEDAL**

Port Adelaide's Valente earned his second Bradman Medal after an outstanding all-round season, in which he was in the top three of both the batting and bowling tallies in West End First Grade and the West End One Day Cup.

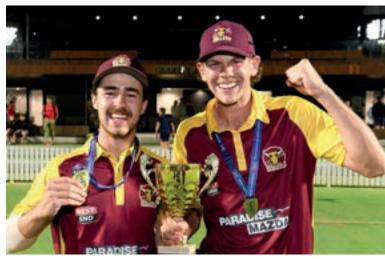
The all-rounder made 700 First Grade runs at an average of 70 with three centuries, while taking 42 wickets at an average of 14.6 with best figures of 6-47. Valente became only the third player to win the Bradman Medal for two different clubs.



Kensington celebrate their First-Grade Final victory at Karen Rolton Oval.



Sturt celebrate their victory over Glenelg to win the First-Grade T20 Final.



Tea Tree Gully celebrate the winning of the Twenty20 Cup.

# WEST END MEN'S FIRST GRADE **SCORECARD**



Karen Rolton Oval - Saturday 1 April - Sunday 2 April Toss: Kensington won and elected to bowl Result: Kensington defeated Adelaide University

#### **1ST INNINGS - ADELAIDE UNIVERSITY**

		RUNS	BALLS
S Elder	c: D McRostie b: E Opie	23	77
C Edwards	c: D McRostie b: H Thornton	0	13
S Gautam	c: J Matchet b: H Thornton	40	91
S Kerber	c: D McRostie b: L Pope	29	57
B Cooper	lbw: L Pope	0	5
D Kerber	c: E Opie b: L Pope 4		3
W Bosisto (c)	lbw: L Pope	15	47
E Rahman	lbw: E Opie	1	6
L Greber	c: A Ross b: H Thornton	2	14
N Yadav	not out		
B Wightman	b: Henry Thornton	1	5
Extras 6 IWO	2NB OLB 38 OP		
Total: 10/123			
Overs: 53.5			
Bowling: E Opie	e 2-31, H Thornton 4-37, J Brow	n 0-12, L	Pope 4-40

#### **1ST INNINGS - KENSINGTON**

		RUNS	BALLS			
H Hunt	c: D Kerber b: L Greber	0	2			
J Cleggett	c: D Kerber b: L Greber	14	59			
J Doyle (c)	c: B Cooper b: N Yadav	3	5			
S Rahaley	c: D Kerber b: L Greber	19	22			
A Ross	b: B Wightman	60	76			
J Brown	c: S Elder b: B Wightman	30	40			
J Matchett	c: D Kerber b: B Wightman	0	2			
D McRostie	b: W Bosisto	10	19			
H Thornton	c: L Greber b: B Wightman	16	48			
E Opie	c: S Kerber b: L Greber	3	3	3	Kerber b: L Greber 3	14
L Pope	not out	1.	7			
Extras 5 OWD	4NB 1LB OB OP					
Total: 10/161						
Overs: 48.2						
	ber 20-9-49-4, N Yadav 7-1-35- er 7-5-8-0, W Bosisto 2-1-2-1	1, B Wightı	man 12.2-			

# **WOMEN'S** FIRST GRADE **SCORECARD**



Karen Rolton Oval - Sunday 12 February Toss: Northern Districts won and elected to bowl Result: Kensington defeated Northern Districts

#### **1ST INNINGS - KENSINGTON**

		RUNS	BALLS
B Patterson	c: H Armstrong b: S Solman	86	103
E Doddridge	lbw: K Armstrong	10	46
l Panelli	c: H Armstrong b: K Armstrong	16	40
S Lowe (c)	st: H Armstrong b: J O'Reilly	47	58
R Church	c: K Armstrong b: J O'Reilly	1	8
T Davis	not out	14	25
S Daly	b: J O'Reilly	0	1
C Neale	not out	0	2
S Bansal	dnb		
R Smith	dnb		
J Manning	dnb		
Extras 20 12W	VD INB 7LB OB OP		
Total: 6/194			
Overs: 47			

Bowling: K Stone 9-1-35-0, S Solman 7-1-41-1, A Gaerth 6-0-31-0, K Armstrong 10-2-31-2, S Henry 10-1-32-0, J O'Reilly 5-1-17-3

#### **1ST INNINGS - ADELAIDE**

		RUNS	BALLS		
J O'Reilly	lbw: S Lowe	1	7		
J Earl	b: S Daly	20	35		
K Armstrong (c)	run out: R Smith	70	102		
S Henry	b: S Bansal	20	39		
AJ Peterson	c: S Lowe b: E Doddridge	12	36		
K Stone	b: E Doddridge	7	6		
H Armstrong (vc) b: S Daly		2	3		
R Andrew	lbw: S Daly	0 1			
S Solman	not out	12	13		
A Gaerth	lbw: S Daly	3	4		
B Medder	not out	0	0		
Extras 27 22WD	ONB 5LB OB OP				
Total: 9/174					
Overs: 41					
Bowling: C Neale 9-1-40-0, S Lowe (c) 8-1-19-1, E Doddridge 7-0-47-2, S Daly 8-0-32-4, S Bansal 9-2-31-1					

# WEST END MEN'S **ONE-DAY CUP SCORECARD**



Karen Rolton Oval - Sunday 12 February Toss: Northern Districts won and elected to bowl Result: Kensington defeated Northern Districts

#### **1ST INNINGS - KENSINGTON**

		RUNS	BALLS
J Cleggett	c: J Banton b: A Cahill	15	20
D McRostie	c: J Kann b: J Singh	0	5
J Doyle (c)	b: J Singh	67	107
A Ross	not out	133*	136
S Rahaley	c&b: A Cahill	11	14
J Matchett	c: H Schiller b: A Cahill	23	18
T Lawes	not out	8*	5
C Leddicoat	dnb		
E Opie	dnb		
L Pope	dnb		
C Fatchen	dnb		
Extras 16 6WD	5NB 3LB 2B 0P		
Total 5/273			
Overs: 50.0			
0	hill 10-0-78-3, J Singh 10-2-36-2, . 0-62-0, H Schiller 6-0-28-0, L Clu		7-0, M

#### **1ST INNINGS - NORTHERN DISTRICTS**

		RUNS	BALLS
J Scrivens	b: E Opie	7	12
J Kann	st: D McRostie b: L Pope	63	58
J Banton	c&b: J Doyle	76	100
M Cosgrove	c: D McRostie b: L Pope	3	7
A Cahill	run out: J Doyle	18	32
G Cox (c)	c: E Opie b: J Doyle	30	41
C McDean	b: T Lawes	0	5
M Thomas (vc)	c: S Rahaley b: T Lawes	27	26
J Singh	b: E Opie	2	3
H Schiller	c: L Pope b: J Doyle	5	7
L Cluse	not out	2	5
Extras 17 12WD	0NB 1LB 4B 0P		
Total 10/250			
Overs 49.2			
0 1	9-1-60-2, T Lawes 8.2-0-32-2, C -20-0, L Pope 10-0-38-0, J Doyle		

# **WOMEN'S FIRST GRADE TWENTY20 CUP SCORECARD**



Karen Rolton Oval - Wdenesday 22 February Toss: Glenelg won and elected to bat Result: Sturt defeated Glenela

#### **1ST INNINGS - GLENELG**

		RUNS	BALLS
A Cloughessy	b: A Grant	18	20
K McGrath (c)	c: A Price b: A Grant	8	9
E Larosa	c: A Price b: M Maitland	27	34
T Saville	c: E Bartlett b: A Price	0	4
L Bowering	b: A Price	0	1
E D Fixter	c: E Bartlett b: M Maitland	4	18
E Johnson	c: A Price b: M Maitland	14	17
S Fraser	not out	5	12
G Kennedy	not out	2	5
M Kanda	dnb		
M Kollakombil	dnb		
Extras 8 5WD	ONB 2LB 1B 0P		
Total: 7/86			
Overs: 20.0			
0	is 4-0-25-0, A Grant 4-0-17-2, 0, M Maitland 4-0-7-3, N Hobl		

#### **1ST INNINGS - STURT**

		RUNS	BALLS		
E Bartlett	c: L Bowering b: T Saville	0	3		
A Price (c)	b: L Bowering	26	29		
A Rault	c: A Nair b: E Larosa	25	27		
E Worthley	not out	10	14		
H Tyrer	lbw: E Larosa	4	2		
B Harris	not out	10	9		
A Cawse	dnb				
M Fielke	dnb				
A Grant	dnb				
N Hobbs	dnb				
M Maitland	dnb				
Extras 12 8WD	ONB 4LB 0B 0P				
Total: 4/87					
Overs: 14.0					
Bowling: E D Fixter 4-0-19-0, T Saville 3-0-20-1, E Larosa 3-0-22-2, L Bowering 4-0-22-1					

# WEST END MEN'S TWENTY20 CUP **SCORECARD**



Karen Rolton Oval - Sunday 15 January Toss: Tea Tree Gully won and elected to bat Result: Tea Tree Gully defeated East Torrens

#### **1ST INNINGS - TEA TREE GULLY**

		RUNS	BALLS
M Weaver	c: C Luke b: L Robins	0	2
K Brazell	c: L Robins b: C Thompson	2	4
Z Worden	b: D King	68	56
H Case	b: C Thompson	50	36
J Gatting	c: T Robins b: L Robins	49	19
T Davey	not out	2	1
A Somerfield	not out	3	3
M M Khan	dnb		
J Lawton	dnb		
J Macey	dnb		
R Nottle	dnb		
Extras 6 5WD 1	NB OLB OB OP		
Total: 5/180			
Overs: 20.0			
_	ns 4-0-34-0, C Thompson 4-0-24- 0, M Cranmer 3-0-28-0, R King 1-		-

#### **1ST INNINGS - EAST TORRENS**

		RUNS	BALLS
J Lehmann	b: J Macey	34	23
A Orr	c: T Davey b: N Stathoris	8	4
M Cranmer	run out: Z Worden	5	9
R King	c: S Nottle b: M M Khan	28	14
T Lace	c: J Gatting b: S Nottle	28	24
C Luke	c: T Davey b: S Nottle	18	21
L Robins	c: Z Worden b: M M Khan	22	11
M Cormack	b: N Stathoris	12	9
T Robins	c: Joshua Macey b: M M Khan	3	3
D King	not out	0	0
C Thompson	not out	0	2
Extras 4 2WD 0	NB 2LB 0B 0P		
Total 9/162			
Overs: 20			
0	horis 4-0-31-2, S Nottle 4-0-33-2, M -1, A Somerfield 4-0-32-0	M Khan 4	-0-38-3

# PREMIERSHIP TABLES **AND AWARDS**

#### **WEST END MEN'S FIRST GRADE**

Team	P	PTS	%	W	L	D	TIE	N/R	BYE
Kensington	12	245	1.54	10	1	1	0	0	1
Port Adelaide	12	180	1.49	7	1	4	0	0	1
Adelaide University	12	175	1.33	7	2	3	0	0	1
West Torrens	12	170	1.52	7	3	2	0	0	1
Glenelg	12	150	1.11	5	5	2	0	0	1
Tea Tree Gully	12	130	1.02	6	4	2	0	0	1
East Torrens	12	125	1.30	5	6	1	0	0	1
Woodville	12	120	1.18	5	5	2	0	0	1
Sturt	12	100	0.82	5	7	0	0	0	1
Northern Districts	12	70	0.81	3	7	2	0	0	1
Prospect	12	55	0.62	3	8	1	0	0	1
Adelaide	12	40	0.57	2	8	2	0	0	1
Southern District	12	30	0.57	1	9	2	0	0	1

#### **WEST END MEN'S THIRD GRADE**

Team	Р	PTS	%	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE
Glenelg	10	150	1.642	9	1	0	2	1
Prospect	11	137.5	1.456	8	3	0	1	1
Kensington	8	120	1.403	6	2	0	4	1
East Torrens	9	112.5	0.955	5	4	0	3	1
Tea Tree Gully	8	105	1.389	5	3	0	4	1
Sturt	9	97.5	1.176	5	4	0	3	1
Adelaide University	8	90	1.180	4	4	0	4	1
West Torrens	10	90	0.810	5	5	0	2	1
Northern Districts	9	70	0.938	3	5	0	3	1
Adelaide	8	67.5	0.781	2	5	0	4	1
Southern District	8	60	0.499	2	6	0	4	1
Woodville	10	45	0.778	2	8	0	2	1
Port Adelaide	10	45	0.613	2	8	0	2	1

#### **WEST END MEN'S SECOND GRADE**

Team	Р	PTS	%	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE
Glenelg	10	205	2.080	8	0	1	2	1
Kensington	11	180	1.465	6	3	0	1	1
Adelaide University	11	160	1.024	7	4	0	1	1
Tea Tree Gully	11	155	1.260	7	3	0	1	1
Adelaide	11	130	0.921	6	5	0	1	1
Port Adelaide	12	125	1.209	5	5	1	0	1
Northern Districts	11	120	0.873	6	5	0	1	1
Sturt	10	115	0.911	4	3	0	2	1
West Torrens	11	110	1.010	4	5	0	1	1
East Torrens	11	105	0.913	3	7	0	1	1
Southern District	11	95	0.820	4	6	0	1	1
Woodville	11	80	0.805	3	8	0	1	1
Prospect	11	30	0.534	1	10	0	1	1

#### **WEST END MEN'S FOURTH GRADE**

Р	PTS	%	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE
9	152.5	2.200	8	1	0	3	1
8	140.0	1.679	6	2	0	4	1
9	122.5	1.437	6	3	0	3	1
10	120.0	1.035	5	5	0	2	1
10	115.0	0.914	6	4	0	2	1
9	112.5	1.341	6	3	0	3	1
8	105.0	0.950	5	3	0	4	1
9	97.5	1.581	5	4	0	3	1
8	90.0	0.865	4	4	0	4	1
9	77.5	0.815	3	6	0	3	1
9	52.5	0.623	2	6	0	3	1
8	45.0	0.474	1	7	0	4	1
8	30.0	0.417	0	8	0	4	1
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#### **WEST END MEN'S TWENTY20 CUP**

Team	Р	PTS AVG	PTS	%	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE
East Torrens	3	15.00	45.0	1.873	3	0	0	0	0
Tea Tree Gully	3	15.00	45.0	1.805	3	0	0	0	0
Prospect	2	15.00	30.0	2.118	2	0	0	0	1
Adelaide University	3	15.00	45.0	1.469	3	0	0	0	0
Adelaide	3	10.00	30.0	1.029	2	1	0	0	0
Glenelg	2	7.50	15.0	1.339	1	1	0	0	1
West Torrens	3	5.00	15.0	0.832	1	2	0	0	0
Kensington	3	5.00	15.0	0.908	1	2	0	0	0
Sturt	3	5.00	15.0	0.809	1	2	0	0	0
Northern Districts	3	5.00	15.0	0.641	1	1	0	0	0
Southern District	2	0	0	0.987	0	2	0	0	1
Woodville	3	0	0	0.476	0	3	0	0	0
Port Adelaide	3	0	0	0.587	0	3	0	0	0

#### **WEST END MEN'S ONE DAY CUP**

Team	Р	PTS AVG	PTS	Q W	/ L	TIE	N/R	BYE
Tea Tree Gully	2	15.00	30.0	1.860 2	0	0	1	0
Port Adelaide	3	15.00	45.0	1.829 3	0	0	0	0
Kensington	2	15.00	30.0	1.452 2	0	0	0	1
Northern Districts	2	15.00	30.0	1.055 2	0	0	0	1
Sturt	3	10.00	30.0	1.182 2	1	0	0	0
Glenelg	3	10.00	30.0	1.120 2	1	0	0	0
West Torrens	2	7.50	15.0	1.835 1	1	0	1	0
East Torrens	3	5.00	15.0	0.893 1	2	0	0	0
Adelaide	2	0	0	0.996 0	2	0	0	1
Adelaide University	2	0	0	0.812 0	2	0	1	0
Southern District	2	0	0	0.418 0	2	0	1	0
Woodville	2	0	0	0.399 0	2	0	1	0
Prospect	2	0	0	0.339 0	2	0	1	0

#### **WOMEN'S 1ST GRADE**

Team	Р	PTS	BP	%	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE
Adelaide	10	137.7	32.750	1.195	7	3	0	0	0
Sturt	9	127.1	29.610	1.374	6	3	0	1	0
Kensington	10	123.8	33.890	1.358	6	4	0	0	0
Glenelg	10	120.8	30.880	1.581	6	4	0	0	0
Northern Districts	9	96.7	29.270	0.992	4	5	0	1	0
West Torrens	10	22.1	22.100	0.262	0	10	0	0	0

#### **WOMEN'S 1ST GRADE TWENTY20**

Team	Р	PTS	BP	0	w	L	TIE	N/R
Sturt	8	140.4	20.430	1.641	7	1	0	2
Kensington	8	108.8	18.800	1.986	5	3	0	2
Glenelg	7	99.0	16.550	1.340	4	3	0	3
Northern Districts	7	82.2	14.790	1.320	3	4	0	3
Adelaide	7	63.9	11.410	0.374	2	5	0	3
West Torrens	7	48.8	11.370	0.407	1	6	0	3

#### **WOMEN'S 2ND GRADE**

Team	Р	PTS AVG	PTS	BP	0	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE
Sturt	8	14.52	116.1	26.18	2.446	6	2	0	1	1
Kensington	7	13.91	97.4	22.4	1.687	5	2	0	1	2
Glenelg	8	12.25	97.9	22.99	1.223	5	3	0	1	1
Northern Districts	9	10.82	97.3	22.34	0.859	5	4	0	0	1
West Torrens	8	7.97	63.7	18.75	0.626	3	5	0	1	1
Adelaide University	7	6.54	45.7	15.77	0.584	2	5	0	1	2
Adelaide	7	3.91	27.3	12.38	0.468	1	6	0	1	2

#### **WOMEN'S 2ND GRADE TWENTY20**

Team	P	PTS AVG	PTS	ВР	0	W	L.	TIEN	I/R E	YE
Kensington	5	17.00	85.0	10.00	1.398	5	0	0	4	1
Sturt	5	14.20	71.0	11.02	1.128	4	1	0	3	2
Glenelg	6	9.81	58.8	13.85	2.292	3	3	0	2	2
Adelaide	5	8.14	40.6	10.69	0.780	2	3	0	4	1
Northern Districts	6	6.91	41.4	11.48	0.914	2	4	0	3	1
West Torrens	4	5.37	21.4	6.46	0.389	1	3	0	4	2
Adelaide University	5	4.87	24.3	9.36	0.911	1	4	0	4	1

#### **UNDER 18 SHIELD**

Team	Р	PTS	0	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE
Sturt	5	60.0	2.304	4	1	0	0	0
Northern Districts	5	60.0	1.784	4	1	0	0	0
Tea Tree Gully	5	45.0	1.462	3	2	0	0	0
Woodville	5	45.0	1.415	3	2	0	0	0
Kensington	5	45.0	1.286	3	2	0	0	0
Adelaide	5	45.0	1.219	3	2	0	0	0
Port Adelaide	5	45.0	0.988	3	2	0	0	0
West Torrens	5	30.0	1.080	2	3	0	0	0
Prospect	5	30.0	0.716	2	3	0	0	0
Southern District	5	30.0	0.486	2	3	0	0	0
Glenelg	5	15.0	0.622	1	4	0	0	0
East Torrens	5	0	0.379	0	5	0	0	0

#### **UNDER 16 RED**

Team	Р	PTS	0	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE
Sturt	9	142.5	1.953	8	0	0	2	0
Glenelg	9	130.0	1.878	7	2	0	2	0
Northern Districts	10	115.0	1.326	6	3	0	1	0
Adelaide	8	107.5	1.153	4	2	0	3	0
Woodville	10	105.0	1.290	6	3	0	1	0
Tea Tree Gully	8	105.0	1.076	5	2	0	3	0
Prospect	10	75.0	0.601	4	5	0	1	0
Kensington	9	67.5	0.946	3	5	0	2	0
East Torrens	9	62.5	0.928	2	6	0	2	0
West Torrens	8	60.0	0.893	2	5	0	3	0
Southern District	10	37.5	0.648	1	7	0	1	0
Port Adelaide	10	22.5	0.416	1	9	0	1	0

#### **UNDER 16 WHITE**

Team	Р	PTS	0	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE
Sturt	7	130.0	2.658	6	0	0	3	1
Adelaide	8	122.5	1.571	6	1	0	2	1
Woodville	9	115.0	1.447	6	2	0	1	1
Glenelg	7	97.5	1.276	5	2	0	3	1
Northern Districts	8	97.5	1.130	5	2	0	2	1
Tea Tree Gully	8	75.0	1.059	3	3	0	2	1
East Torrens	7	67.5	1.033	3	4	0	3	1
Prospect	9	45.0	0.788	2	6	0	1	1
West Torrens	8	45.0	0.658	1	5	0	2	1
Southern District	7	37.5	0.485	1	6	0	3	1
Kensington	8	22.5	0.495	0	7	0	2	1

#### **UNDER 14 RED**

Team	р	PTS	0	w	L	TIE	N/R	BYE
Sturt	10	135.0	1.374	8	1	0	1	1
Kensington	10	130.0	2.081	7	2	0	1	1
Glenelg	10	105.0	1.492	6	3	0	1	1
West Torrens	9	97.5	1.325	5	3	0	2	1
Tea Tree Gully	9	97.5	0.911	5	3	0	2	1
Woodville	10	90.0	0.930	5	4	0	1	1
Prospect	10	90.0	0.924	5	4	0	1	1
Adelaide	9	82.5	1.194	4	4	0	2	1
Northern Districts	10	67.5	0.985	3	5	1	1	1
Southern District	10	62.5	1.096	2	6	1	1	1
Port Adelaide	10	30.0	0.316	1	8	0	1	1
East Torrens	9	22.5	0.483	0	8	0	2	1

#### **UNDER 14 WHITE**

Team	Р	PTS	0	W	L	TIE	N/R	BYE
Sturt	10	160.0	2.066	9	0	0	1	0
Glenelg	10	135.0	1.462	8	1	0	1	0
Adelaide	10	120.0	1.635	7	2	0	1	0
Prospect	10	97.5	1.311	5	3	1	1	0
Woodville	10	85.0	0.896	4	5	0	1	0
Southern District	10	82.5	0.865	4	4	1	1	0
Kensington	10	75.0	1.179	4	5	0	1	0
West Torrens	10	75.0	0.917	4	5	0	1	0
East Torrens	9	67.5	0.855	3	5	0	2	0
Northern Districts	9	52.5	0.788	2	6	0	2	0
Tea Tree Gully	10	45.0	0.644	2	7	0	1	0
Port Adelaide	10	15.0	0.410	0	9	0	1	0

#### **RAY SUTTON SHIELD**

Team	Р	PTS	ВР	0	w	L	TIE	N/R	BYE
Sturt	3	70.4	10.420	1.493	3	0	0	2	0
Glenelg	4	64.9	12.420	2.078	3	1	0	1	0
Adelaide	2	59.1	6.680	2.577	2	0	0	3	0
Prospect	2	58.0	5.580	1.915	2	0	0	3	0
Kensington	2	43.5	6.070	1.026	1	1	0	3	0
West Torrens	2	43.5	6.070	0.792	1	1	0	3	0
East Torrens	2	43.5	6.020	1.600	1	1	0	3	0
Southern District	2	43.3	5.870	0.829	1	1	0	3	0
Woodville	3	37.7	7.750	1.100	1	2	0	2	0
Tea Tree Gully	2	26.6	4.180	0.263	0	2	0	3	0
Northern Districts	3	22.8	7.800	0.535	0	3	0	2	0
Port Adelaide	3	22.7	7.750	0.483	0	3	0	2	0

## MEN'S PREMIER CRICKET AWARDS

WEST END MEN'S FIRST GRADE - PREMIERSHIP

Kensington Cricket Club

**WEST END ONE DAY CUP - PREMIERSHIP** 

Kensington Cricket Club

**WEST END TWENTY20 CUP - PREMIERSHIP** 

Tea Tree Gully Cricket Club

**BRADMAN MEDAL** 

Cameron Valente (Port Adelaide)

**BRADMAN MEDAL TEAM AWARD** 

Kensington Cricket Club

SCRYMGOUR CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP SHIELD

Kensington Cricket Club

FRED GODSON MEDAL (WEST END ONE DAY CUP **PLAYER OF THE SERIES)** 

Jake Winter (Glenelg)

**DARREN LEHMANN MEDAL (WEST END TWENTY20 CUP** PLAYER OF THE SERIES)

William Bosisto (Adelaide University)

CW WALKER MEMORIAL TROPHY (MOST OUTSTANDING WICKETKEEPER)

Joshua Barrett (Southern District)

**TALBOT SMITH FIELDING TROPHY** 

Paul Wasiewicz (Prospect)

JASON GILLESPIE MEDAL (MALE RISING STAR)

Campbell Thompson (East Torrens)

LMS HARGRAVE AWARD (BEST U23 PLAYER)

Corey Kelly (Sturt)

**MEN'S GRADE - SPIRIT OF CRICKET** 

Kensington Cricket Club

**WEST END SECOND GRADE - PREMIERSHIP** 

Glenela Cricket Club

WEST END THIRD GRADE - PREMIERSHIP

Glenelg Cricket Club

WEST END FOURTH GRADE - PREMIERSHIP

Kensington Cricket Club

**WEST END FIRST GRADE - BATTING AGGREGATE** 

Kelvin Smith (West Torrens)

WEST END FIRST GRADE - BOWLING AGGREGATE

Luke Robins (East Torrens)

WEST END FIRST GRADE - BATTING AVERAGE

Daniel Drew (West Torrens)

WEST END FIRST GRADE – BOWLING AVERAGE

Henry Thornton (Kensington)

**WEST END SECOND GRADE - BATTING AGGREGATE** 

Samuel Cuconits (Tea Tree Gully)

WEST END SECOND GRADE - BOWLING AGGREGATE

Daniel Khan (Port Adelaide)

**WEST END THIRD GRADE - BATTING AGGREGATE** 

Mitchell Jude (Prospect)

WEST END THIRD GRADE - BOWLING AGGREGATE

Jack Bastian (East Torrens)

WEST END FOURTH GRADE – BATTING AGGREGATE

Michael Silvy (Kensington)

WEST END FOURTH GRADE - BOWLING AGGREGATE

Scott Harrison (Port Adelaide)

**MEN'S COACH OF THE YEAR** 

Russell Thompson (Kensington)

PREMIER CRICKET UMPIRE OF THE YEAR

Harsimran Singh

PREMIER CRICKET VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR

Desley Tilbrook (Woodville)

2022/23 WEST END PREMIER CRICKET MEN'S TEAM OF THE YEAR - VOTED ON BY CAPTAINS AND COACHES OF EACH CLUB:

Kelvin Smith (West Torrens), Joshua Barrett (wk) (Southern District), Ben Charlesworth (Woodville), Daniel Drew (West Torrens), Campbell Vadlja (Woodville), Cameron Valente (c) (Port Adelaide), Isaac Conway (Port Adelaide), Luke Robins (East Torrens), Elliot Opie (Kensington), Jordan Buckingham (West Torrens), Lloyd Pope (Kensington), Joshua Hoffman (Port Adelaide)

# **WOMEN'S PREMIER CRICKET AWARDS**

**WOMEN'S FIRST GRADE - PREMIERSHIP** 

Kensington Cricket Club

KAREN ROLTON MEDAL

Kelly Armstrong (Adelaide)

WOMEN'S FIRST GRADE TWENTY20 - PREMIERSHIP

Sturt Cricket Club

SHELLEY NITSCHKE MEDAL (TWENTY20 CUP PLAYER OF THE SERIES)

Emma de Broughe (Sturt)

MARG JUDE WICKETKEEPING TROPHY

Rachel Church (Kensington)

JOANNE BROADBENT FIELDING TROPHY

Ange Treloar (West Torrens)

**WOMEN'S SECOND GRADE - PREMIERSHIP** 

Sturt Cricket Club

WOMEN'S SECOND GRADE TWENTY20 - PREMIERSHIP

Kensington Cricket Club

**WOMEN'S FIRST GRADE - BATTING AGGREGATE** 

Kelly Armstrong (Adelaide)

**WOMEN'S FIRST GRADE - BOWLING AGGREGATE** 

Lucy Bowering (Glenelg)

WOMEN'S FIRST GRADE - BATTING AVERAGE

Amber Cloughessy (Glenelg)

WOMEN'S FIRST GRADE - BOWLING AVERAGE

Lucy Bowering (Glenelg)

**WOMEN'S SECOND GRADE - BATTING AGGREGATE** 

Febi Mansell (Glenelg)

**WOMEN'S SECOND GRADE - BOWLING AGGREGATE** 

Olivia Heinrich (Northern Districts)

**PRESIDENT'S TROPHY** 

Sturt Cricket Club

**FELLOWS AWARD** 

Cheryl Cook (Glenelg)

**DOT LAUGHTON TROPHY** 

Disha Chanda (Adelaide)

WOMEN'S GRADE - SPIRIT OF CRICKET

West Torrens Cricket Club

**WOMEN'S COACH OF THE YEAR** 

Jamie Parnell (Kensington)

2022/23 PREMIER CRICKET WOMEN'S **TEAM OF THE YEAR - VOTED ON BY CAPTAINS** AND COACHES OF EACH CLUB:

Tabatha Saville (Glenelg), Amber Cloughessy (Glenelg), Kelly Armstrong (c) (Adelaide), Sarah Lowe (Kensington), Eliza Doddridge (Kensington), Alex Price (Sturt), Rachel Church (wk) (Kensington), Isobel Sidhu (Adelaide), Courtney Neale (Kensington), Lucy Bowering (Glenelg), Ellie Dalgarno-Fixter (Glenelg), Tegan McPharlin (Northern District)

## JUNIOR PREMIER CRICKET AWARDS

**RAY SUTTON SHIELD - PREMIERSHIP** 

Sturt Cricket Club

**UNDER 18 SHIELD – SPIRIT OF CRICKET** 

Port Adelaide Cricket Club

JUNIOR GRADE - SPIRIT OF CRICKET

Kensington Cricket Club

JUNIOR CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP TROPHY

Sturt Cricket Club

**UNDER 16 WHITE - PREMIERSHIP** 

Sturt Cricket Club

**UNDER 16 RED - PREMIERSHIP** 

Sturt Cricket Club

**UNDER 14 WHITE - PREMIERSHIP** 

Adelaide Cricket Club

**UNDER 14 RED - PREMIERSHIP** 

Sturt Cricket Club

**UNDER 18 SHIELD - BATTING AGGREGATE** 

Ethan Trewartha (Sturt)

**UNDER 18 SHIELD - BOWLING AGGREGATE** 

Matthew LeRay (Tea Tree Gully)

**UNDER 18 SHIELD - WICKET KEEPING TROPHY** 

William Hunt (Woodville)

**UNDER 18 SHIELD - FIELDING TROPHY** 

Roman Safi (Tea Tree Gully)

**UNDER 18 SHIELD - PLAYER OF THE CARNIVAL** 

Joshua Bevan (Port Adelaide)

**UNDER 16 WHITE - BATTING AGGREGATE** 

Nate Fonseka (Sturt)

**UNDER 16 WHITE - BOWLING AGGREGATE** 

Zachary Agnew (Adelaide)

**UNDER 16 RED - BATTING AGGREGATE** 

Kuwerdeep Singh (Glenelg)

**UNDER 16 RED - BOWLING AGGREGATE** 

Leroy Hagon (Glenelg), Jack Appleton (Adelaide)

**UNDER 14 WHITE - BATTING AGGREGATE** 

Harvey Iredale (Prospect)

**UNDER 14 WHITE - BOWLING AGGREGATE** 

Charles Johnson (Prospect)

**UNDER 14 RED - BATTING AGGREGATE** 

Ratna Rahul Reddy Evuri (Glenelg)

**UNDER 14 RED - BOWLING AGGREGATE** 

Ratna Rahul Reddy Evuri (Glenelg)

**UNDER 18 SHIELD - TEAM OF THE YEAR** 

Ethan Trewartha (Sturt), Josh Beckman (Sturt), Hamish Case (Tea Tree Gully), Zayden Lewis (Tea Tree Gully), Jack Matchett (Kensington), Tejas Gill (Adelaide), Edward Milner (wk) (Prospect), Joshua Bevan (Port Adelaide), Brandon Bray (Northern Districts), Charlie Fountain (Northern Districts), Matthew LeRay (Tea Tree Gully), Liam Scheuffele (Woodville)





OFFICIAL CHARITY PARTNER OF THE ADELAIDE STRIKERS



## South Australia's next generation of cancer support.

Cancer Council SA is proud to be a charity partner of the Adelaide Strikers—working together to create a home for all South Australians impacted by cancer.

Cancer Council SA's new building on Greenhill Road, which is expected to be completed later this year, will provide accommodation to regional South Australians travelling to Adelaide for treatment. Through support from the Adelaide Strikers, Cancer Council SA has been able to create a dedicated Sports Lounge in the new building, which will include a pool table and shared spaces for guests undergoing cancer treatment to help them relax and unwind.

"We know that being away from family, friends and loved ones while undergoing cancer treatment can be incredibly isolating. Through shared communal spaces like the Sports Lounge, we can create a safe space where guests can interact with each other and share stories in a supportive environment." - Kerry Rowlands, Cancer Council SA Chief Executive

#### The difference you made this year

Thanks to the support of the South Australian community, Cancer Council SA:

Made more than 4.400 connections with South Australians impacted by cancer through Cancer Council 13 11 20 **Provided 28.700** nights of accommodation to regional and remote South Australians travelling to Adelaide for cancer treatment

Protected 124,000 South Australian children and their educators from harmful UV radiation through the SunSmart **Schools Program** 



#### We're here for all South Australians impacted by cancer

Join the Adelaide Strikers and show your support today to ensure South Australians impacted by cancer are supported today, and for generations to come.



cancersa.org.au

Please contact Mireille Bucher via mbucher@cancersa.org.au if you would like to discuss specific ways you can support Cancer Council SA.

# SACA BOARD & **OFFICE BEARERS**

#### **SACA BOARD MEMBERS** (AS AT 30 JUNE 2023):





Board Member Since 2019

Dean Marsh Board Member since 2012





**Caroline Rhodes** Board Member since 2016



Rebecca Hayes Board Member since 2018









Susan Smith Board Member since 2021





#### **SACA EXECUTIVE TEAM** (AS AT 30 JUNE 2023):

Lizzie Bermingham (Head of Integrity, Compliance and Legal) Shane Bernhardt (General Manager, Community Cricket) Charlie Hodgson (Chief Executive Officer) Phil King (Chief Commercial Officer)

Tim Nielsen (General Manager, Cricket) Andrew Sweet (Chief Business Officer) Kerrin Webber (General Manager, Membership, Ticketing and Customer Analytics)

Allison Zoellner (General Manager, People and Performance)

# The FIVEaa Sports Show with Rowey & Timmy G

4-6pm weekdays







## **South Australian Cricket Association Limited**

**ABN:** 44 623 135 393

## **Financial report**

For the year ended 30 June 2023

**Pitcher Partners** 100 Hutt Street Adelaide SA 5000

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#### **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

The Directors present their report together with the financial report of South Australian Cricket Association Limited (a company limited by guarantee), hereinafter referred to as "SACA" for the year ended 30 June 2023 and auditor's report thereon. This financial report has been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards, Interpretations and other authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board and the *Corporations Act 2001*.

#### **Directors names**

The names of members of the Directors in office at any time during or since the end of the year are:

W. Rayner President

J. Orchard Vice President

D. L. Marsh

R. Hayes

A. McCauley

R. Phillips

C. Rhodes

J. Briggs

S. Smith

C. Bradbrook Appointed 21 September 2022

Dr D. Harris Appointed 21 September 2022

A. Sinclair Retired 21 September 2022

R. Snewin Retired 21 September 2022

The Directors have been in office since the start of the year to the date of this report unless otherwise stated.

#### **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

#### Short-term and long-term objectives and strategies

#### Purpose:

- To promote, develop and encourage cricket in South Australia.
- To inspire and unite South Australian communities through cricket.
- To set the standards for others to follow on and off the field.

#### SACA's 2023/24 Priorities:

#### **World-Class Performance**

We will drive High Performance cricket, strengthening Premier Cricket and creating the best opportunities to develop elite talent, win matches and produce national players.

- Thriving two-tier Male Premier Cricket Competition.
- Integration of SACA U19 program into Premier Cricket
- Identify and invest in home-grown talent.
- Continue to provide national players.
- Celebrate past players.

#### **Grow Participation**

We will achieve sustainable growth through exceptional participation experiences for all South Australian and become the leading sport for women and girls.

- Continue to grow Woolworths Cricket Blast and Junior Club participation.
- Create pathway for girls through to Premier Cricket.
- Competitive and strengthened female Premier Cricket Competition.
- Female Premier Cricket governance model implemented.

#### Inspire Members and Fans

We will provide unique opportunities for South Australians to connect by showcasing the best talent and delivering the best at-match cricket experiences in the world.

#### Transform Facilities

We will continue to grow investment in facilities to provide welcoming places to play and watch our game.

#### **Drive Commercial Growth**

We will innovate and maximise existing revenue streams to make sure the game thrives in South Australia.

#### **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

#### **Principal activities**

To carry out SACA's strategies and to achieve its short-term and long-term objectives, SACA engaged in its principal activity to deliver sustainable growth and development of all levels of cricket in South Australia and remain committed to the delivery of the highest standard of sport, entertainment and events to the members during the year.

#### **Key performance indicators**

To help evaluate whether the activities SACA established during the year have achieved its short-term and long-term objectives, SACA uses the following key performance indicators to measure, analyse and monitor its performance:

	Actual	Team Performance Actual - Place
Participation	99,275	1
Attendance	250,412	-
Big Bash League	-	7
Women's Big Bash League	-	1
Sheffield Shield	-	4
Marsh One Day Cup	-	2
Women's National Cricket League	-	2

#### After balance date events

There have not been any other matters or circumstances which have arisen since 30 June 2023 that have significantly affected or may significantly affect:

- (a) the operations, in financial years subsequent to 30 June 2023, of SACA, or
- (b) the results of those operations, or
- (c) the state of affairs, in financial years subsequent to 30 June 2023, of SACA.

#### **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

#### Information on directors

W. Rayner President Qualifications MBA, CF, GAICD

Experience His experience on the Board is 4 years, 5 months.

Special responsibilities His special responsibilities include being the Chair of Governance

Committee and a member of the Finance & Audit, Membership and

Nominations Committees.

J. Orchard Vice President

Qualifications BBus, Gr Dip Acc, Fellow CAANZ Chartered Accountant, GAICD

Experience His experience on the Board is 3 years, 9 months.

Special responsibilities His special responsibilities include being the Chair of the Finance & Audit

and the Chair of Strategic Cricket Committees.

D. L. Marsh

Qualifications Retired Fellow CAANZ Chartered Accountant, MAICD, Justice of the Peace

in SA

Experience His experience on the Board is 11 years, 6 months.

Special responsibilities His special responsibilities include being a member of the Honorary

Nominations and Naming Committee.

R. Hayes

Qualifications BA, LLB Honours, Grad.Dip Property

Her experience on the Board is 4 years, 9 months. Experience

Special responsibilities Her special responsibilities include being the Chair of the Membership and

a member of the Game Development Committees.

A. McCauley

Qualifications Dip FMBM, Level III CA Coaching accreditation Experience Her experience on the Board is 3 years, 9 months.

Special responsibilities Her special responsibilities include being the Chair of the High

Performance and the Chair of Honorary Nominations and Naming, and a

member of the Strategic Cricket Committees.

R. Phillips

Qualifications B Eng (hons), B Ec

Experience His experience on the Board is 11 years, 9 months.

Special responsibilities His special responsibilities include being a member of the High

Performance Committee.

#### **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

#### Information on directors (Continued)

C. Rhodes

**Qualifications** BAgSc, MAgBus, GAICD, FARLF

Experience Her experience on the Board is 7 years, 1 month.

Her special responsibilities include being the Chair of the South Australian Special responsibilities

Aboriginal Advisory, Chair of the Reconciliation Action Plan, a member of

the Membership, Governance and Nominations Committees..

J. Briggs

Qualifications MAICD, MBA

Experience His experience on the Board is 1 year, 7 months.

Special responsibilities His special responsibilities include being a member of the Finance & Audit,

and the High Performance Committees.

S. Smith

Qualifications Bsc,. SPE, MAICD

Experience Her experience on the Board is 1 year, 4 months.

Special responsibilities Her special responsibilities include being the Chair of the Game

Development Committee.

C. Bradbrook

Qualifications

His experience on the Board is 9 months. Experience

Special responsibilities His special responsibilities include being the Chair of the Premier Cricket

Committee.

Dr D. Harris

Qualifications MBBS, FACEM, GAICD

Experience His experience on the Board is 9 months.

Special responsibilities His special responsibilities include being a member of the Premier Cricket,

and High Performance Committees.

A. Sinclair Retired on 21 September 2022

Qualifications B.Ec, LL.B, Fellow CAANZ Chartered Accountant, CTA, GAICD

Experience His experience on the Board is 12 years, 3 months.

He was the former President, Chair of the Governance Committee and Special responsibilities

was a member of the Nominations Committee.

R. Snewin Retired on 21 September 2022

Qualifications Dip. Mkt, FAICD

Experience His experience on the Board was 7 years, 10 months.

He was the Chair of the Premier Grade Cricket Committee. Special responsibilities

#### **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

#### **Meetings of directors**

Directors	Directors'	meetings	Finance & Audit committee meetings		
	Number eligible to attend	Number attended	Number eligible to attend	Number attended	
W. Rayner	11	11	10	9	
J. Orchard	11	10	10	9	
D. L. Marsh	11	10	4	2	
R. Hayes	11	10	-	-	
A. McCauley	11	11	-	-	
R. Phillips	11	11	-	-	
C. Rhodes	11	10	-	-	
J. Briggs	11	10	6	5	
S. Smith	11	10	-	-	
C. Bradbrook	9	8	-	-	
Dr D. Harris	9	8	-	-	
A. Sinclair	2	2	-	-	
R. Snewin	2	2	-	-	

#### Members guarantee

SACA is incorporated under the Corporations Act 2001 and is a company limited by guarantee. If SACA is wound up, the Constitution states that each member is required to contribute to a maximum of \$0.10 each towards meeting any outstandings and obligations of SACA. At 30 June 2023 the number of members was 27,354. The combined total amount that members of SACA are liable to contribute if SACA is wound up is \$2,735.40.

#### **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

#### Auditor's independence declaration

A copy of the auditor's independence declaration in relation to the audit for the financial year is provided with this report.

#### The Company Secretary

The Company Secretary is:

Andrew Sweet

The Secretary has been in office since the start of the year to the date of this report unless otherwise stated.

Signed on behalf of the Board of Directors.

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Director: 5

J. Orchard

Director:

W. Rayner

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#### SOUTH AUSTRALIAN CRICKET ASSOCIATION LIMITED ABN: 44 623 135 393

#### **AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION** TO THE DIRECTORS OF SOUTH AUSTRALIAN CRICKET ASSOCIATION LIMITED

In relation to the independent audit for the year ended 30 June 2023, to the best of my knowledge and belief there have been no contraventions of APES 110 Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants.

- no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001; and
- (ii) no contraventions of APES 110 Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including Independence Standards).

Jim Gouskos

Principal

Date: 30 August 2023

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#### STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

	Note	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Revenue and other income			
Operating revenue	4	50,936	41,349
Other revenue	5	1,729	691
Other income	5	1,794	23
		54,459	42,063
Less: expenses			
Employee benefits expenses	6	(20,713)	(18,171)
Event expenses		(10,811)	(10,103)
Cricket expenses		(6,591)	(6,091)
AOSMA related expenses		(5,884)	(6,181)
Administration expenses		(2,199)	(1,889)
Amortisation of Intangible Assets		(856)	(856)
Advertising expenses		(737)	(431)
Depreciation and amortisation expenses	6	(609)	(574)
Grounds and maintenance expenses		(567)	(403)
Finance costs		(116)	(80)
Net fair value loss on investments held at fair value		-	(1,925)
Other expenses		(1,415)	(1,259)
		(50,498)	(47,963)
Surplus/ (Deficit)		3,961	(5,900)
Other comprehensive income for the year		<u> </u>	_
Total comprehensive income /(loss) attributable to: Members of South Australian Cricket Association Limited		3,961	(5,900)

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

#### STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION **AS AT 30 JUNE 2023**

	Note	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Current assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	8	7,642	5,591
Trade and other receivables	9	1,109	796
Other financial assets	10	23,491	22,470
Other assets		16	109
Total current assets		32,258	28,966
Non-current assets			
Intangible assets	12	53,399	54,256
Lease assets	13	102	128
Property, plant and equipment	14	13,073	13,028
Total non-current assets		66,574	67,412
Total assets		98,832	96,378
Current liabilities			
Trade and other payables	15	6,037	7,764
Lease liabilities	13	4	5
Provisions	16	1,381	1,114
Total current liabilities		7,422	8,883
Non-current liabilities			
Lease liabilities	13	117	136
Provisions	16	250	<u>277</u>
Total non-current liabilities		367	413
Total liabilities		7,789	9,296
Net assets	:	91,043	87,082
Members' funds			
Board designated future fund reserve	17	21,026	21,026
Board designated facility improvement fund reserve	17	2,000	2,000
Board designated investment into facilities reserve	17	10,000	10,000
Accumulated surplus	18	58,017	54,056
Total Members' funds		91,043	87,082

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

	Board designated future fund reserve \$'000	Board designated facility improvement fund reserve \$'000	Board designated investment into facilities reserve \$'000	Accumulated surplus \$'000	Total Members' funds \$'000
Balance as at 1 July 2021	21,026	2,000	10,000	59,956	92,982
Deficit for the year attributable to Members of SACA				(5,900)	(5,900)
Balance as at 30 June 2022	21,026	2,000	10,000	54,056	87,082
Balance as at 1 July 2022	21,026	2,000	10,000	54,056	87,082
Surplus for the year attributable to Members of SACA				3,961	<u>3,961</u>
Balance as at 30 June 2023	21,026	2,000	10,000	58,017	91,043

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

# **STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

	Note	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Cash flow from operating activities			
Cash received from members, events and grants (inclusive of			
GST)		55,179	47,205
Payments to suppliers and employees (inclusive of GST)		(54,606)	(47,840)
Interest received		407	50
Bank charges and fees for other financial assets		(116)	(80)
Dividend and distribution income		212	<u>178</u>
Net cash provided by/ (used in) operating activities	19(b)	1,076	(487)
Cash flow from investing activities			
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment		10	22
Payment for property, plant and equipment		(657)	(398)
Payments to other financial assets		-	(300)
Proceeds from disposal of term deposits		1,628	
Net cash used in investing activities		981	(676)
Cash flow from financing activities			
Principal portion of lease payments		<u>(6</u> )	(8)
Net cash used in financing activities		(6)	(8)
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Reconciliation of cash			
Cash at beginning of the financial year		5,591	6,762
Net increase / (decrease) in cash held		2,051	(1,171)
Cash at end of financial year	19(a)	7,642	5,591

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

#### **NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

The financial report is a general purpose financial report that has been prepared in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001 and Australian Accounting Standards, Interpretations and other applicable authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board.

The financial report covers South Australian Cricket Association Limited as an individual entity. South Australian Cricket Association Limited is a company limited by guarantee, incorporated and domiciled in Australia. South Australian Cricket Association Limited is a not-for-profit entity for the purpose of preparing the financial statements.

The financial report was approved by the Directors at the date of the Directors' report.

The following are the significant accounting policies adopted by the SACA in the preparation and presentation of the financial report. The accounting policies have been consistently applied, unless otherwise stated.

### (a) Basis of preparation of the financial report

### Historical Cost Convention

The financial report has been prepared under the historical cost convention, as modified by revaluations to fair value for certain classes of assets and liabilities as described in the accounting policies.

### Fair value measurement

For financial reporting purposes, 'fair value' is the price that would be received to sell an asset, or paid to transfer a liability, in an orderly transaction between market participants (under current market conditions) at the measurement date, regardless of whether that price is directly observable or estimated using another valuation technique.

When estimating the fair value of an asset or liability, the entity uses valuation techniques that are appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data is available to measure fair value, maximising the use of relevant observable inputs and minimising the use of unobservable inputs. Inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value are categorised into three levels according to the extent to which the inputs are observable:

- Level 1 inputs are quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the entity can access at the measurement date.
- Level 2 inputs are inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly.
- Level 3 inputs are unobservable inputs for the asset or liability.

### Significant accounting estimates and judgements

The preparation of the financial report requires the use of certain estimates and judgements in applying SACA's accounting policies. Those estimates and judgements significant to the financial report are disclosed in Note 3 to the financial statements.

# **NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

### NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### (b) Functional and presentation currency

The financial statements are presented in Australian dollars which is the SACA's functional and presentation currency.

### (c) Going concern

The financial report has been prepared on a going concern basis, which contemplates continuity of normal business activities and the realisation of assets and the settlement of liabilities in the ordinary course of business.

### (d) Income tax

No provision for income tax has been raised as SACA is exempt from income tax under Division 50 of the Income Tax Assessment Act 1997.

# (e) Property, plant and equipment

Each class of plant and equipment is measured at cost or fair value less, where applicable, any accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses.

Plant and equipment

Plant and equipment is measured on the cost basis.

### Depreciation

The depreciable amount of all property, plant and equipment is depreciated over their estimated useful lives commencing from the time the asset is held available for use, consistent with the estimated consumption of the economic benefits embodied in the asset.

Class of fixed asset	Depreciation rates	<b>Depreciation basis</b>
Plant and equipment at cost	10-40%	Straight line
Leasehold Improvements	2-20%	Straight line

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

### NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### (f) Leases

At the commencement date of a lease (other than leases of 12-months or less and leases of low value assets), SACA recognises a lease asset representing its right to use the underlying asset and a lease liability representing its obligation to make lease payments.

#### Lease assets

Lease assets are initially recognised at cost, comprising the amount of the initial measurement of the lease liability, any lease payments made at or before the commencement date of the lease, less any lease incentives received, any initial direct costs incurred by SACA, and an estimate of costs to be incurred by SACA in dismantling and removing the underlying asset, restoring the site on which it is located or restoring the underlying asset to the condition required by the terms and conditions of the lease, unless those costs are incurred to produce inventories.

Subsequent to initial recognition, lease assets are measured at cost (adjusted for any remeasurement of the associated lease liability), less accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment loss.

Lease assets are depreciated over the shorter of the lease term and the estimated useful life of the underlying asset, consistent with the estimated consumption of the economic benefits embodied in the underlying asset.

### Lease liabilities

Lease liabilities are initially recognised at the present value of the future lease payments (i.e., the lease payments that are unpaid at the commencement date of the lease). These lease payments are discounted using the interest rate implicit in the lease, if that rate can be readily determined, or otherwise using an incremental borrowing rate SACA assessed as reasonable.

Subsequent to initial recognition, lease liabilities are measured at the present value of the remaining lease payments (i.e., the lease payments that are unpaid at the reporting date). Interest expense on lease liabilities is recognised in profit or loss (presented as a component of finance costs). Lease liabilities are remeasured to reflect changes to lease terms, changes to lease payments and any lease modifications not accounted for as separate leases.

Variable lease payments not included in the measurement of lease liabilities are recognised as an expense when incurred.

### Leases of 12-months or less and leases of low value assets

Lease payments made in relation to leases of 12-months or less and leases of low value assets (for which a lease asset and a lease liability has not been recognised) are recognised as an expense on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

# **NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

### NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### (g) Financial instruments

### Initial recognition and measurement

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognised when SACA becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. For financial assets, this is equivalent to the date that SACA commits itself to either the purchase or sale of the asset (i.e. trade date accounting is adopted).

Financial instruments are initially measured at fair value adjusted for transaction costs, except where the instrument is classified as fair value through profit or loss, in which case transaction costs are immediately recognised as expenses in profit or loss.

### Classification of financial assets

Financial assets recognised by SACA are subsequently measured in their entirety at either amortised cost or fair value, subject to their classification.

### Financial assets at amortised cost

Consistent with both SACA's business model for managing the financial assets and the contractual cash flow characteristics of the assets, trade and other receivables and other investments are subsequently measured at amortised cost.

Financial assets at amortised cost consist of Trade and other receivables and other investments that include term deposits with financial institutions and banks. Trade and other receivables arise from SACA's transactions with its customers and are normally settled within 30 days.

### Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

This comprises those ordinary shares and options in listed entities that do not have contractual cash flows and are held by SACA principally for the purpose of sale in the near term. These are classified (and measured) at fair value through profit or loss. Transactions costs are expensed to the profit or loss account.

### **NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

### NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

# (g) Financial instruments (Continued)

Impairment of financial assets

The following financial assets are tested for impairment by applying the 'expected credit loss' impairment model:

(a) Receivables from contracts with customers.

SACA applies the simplified approach under AASB 9 to measuring the allowance for credit losses for receivables from contracts with customers. Under the AASB 9 simplified approach, SACA determines the allowance for credit losses for receivables from contracts with customers on the basis of the lifetime expected credit losses of the financial asset. Lifetime expected credit losses represent the expected credit losses that are expected to result from default events over the expected life of the financial asset.

For all other financial assets subject to impairment testing, when there has been a significant increase in credit risk since the initial recognition of the financial asset, the allowance for credit losses is recognised on the basis of the lifetime expected credit losses. When there has not been an increase in credit risk since initial recognition, the allowance for credit losses is recognised on the basis of 12-month expected credit losses. '12-month expected credit losses' is the portion of lifetime expected credit losses that represent the expected credit losses that result from default events on a financial instrument that are possible within the 12 months after the reporting date.

### (h) Impairment of non-financial assets

For impairment assessment purposes, assets are generally grouped at the lowest levels for which there are largely independent cash flows ('cash generating units'). Accordingly, most assets are tested for impairment at the cash-generating unit level.

Assets are assessed for impairment whenever events or circumstances arise that indicate the asset may be impaired.

An impairment loss is recognised when the carrying amount of an asset or cash generating unit exceeds the asset's or cash generating unit's recoverable amount. The recoverable amount of an asset or cash generating unit is defined as the higher of its fair value less costs to sell and value in use (where 'value in use' is determined as the present value of the future cash flows expected to be derived from an asset or cash-generating unit).

Impairment losses in respect of individual assets are recognised immediately in profit or loss.

A reversal of an impairment loss for an asset measured at cost is recognised in profit or loss.

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

### NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### (i) Interests in joint arrangements

Joint arrangements represent the contractual sharing of control between parties in a business venture where unanimous decisions about the relevant activities are required. Joint arrangements are classified as either joint operations or joint ventures based on the rights and obligations of the parties to the arrangement.

#### Joint ventures

SACA's interest in joint ventures are accounted for using the equity method after initially being recognised at cost. Under the equity method, SACA's share of the profits or losses of the joint venture are recognised in SACA's surplus or deficit and SACA's share of the joint venture's other comprehensive income is recognised in SACA's other comprehensive income.

Details of SACA's interests in joint ventures are disclosed in Note 11.

### (j) Employee benefits

# (i) Short-term employee benefit obligations

Liabilities arising in respect of wages and salaries, annual leave and other employee benefits (other than termination benefits) expected to be settled wholly before twelve months after the end of the reporting period are measured at the (undiscounted) amounts based on remuneration rates which are expected to be paid when the liability is settled. The expected cost of short-term employee benefits in the form of compensated absences such as annual leave is recognised in the provision for employee benefits. All other short-term employee benefit obligations are presented as payables in the statement of financial position.

# (ii) Long-term employee benefit obligations

The provision for other long-term employee benefits, including obligations for long service leave, which are not expected to be settled wholly before twelve months after the end of the reporting period, are measured at the present value of the estimated future cash outflow to be made in respect of the services provided by employees up to the reporting date. Expected future payments incorporate anticipated future wage and salary levels, durations of service and employee turnover, and are discounted at rates determined by reference to market yields at the end of the reporting period on government bonds that are denominated in the currency in which the benefits will be paid. Any remeasurements for changes in assumptions of obligations for other long term benefits are recognised in profit or loss in the periods in which the change occurs.

Long-term employee benefit obligations are presented as current liabilities in the statement of financial position if SACA does not have an unconditional right to defer settlement for at least twelve months after the reporting date, regardless of when the actual settlement is expected to occur. All other long-term employee benefit obligations are presented as non-current liabilities in the statement of financial position.

# **NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023**

### NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### (k) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand and at banks, short-term deposits with an original maturity of three months or less held at call with financial institutions, and bank overdrafts.

### (I) Revenue

SACA derives revenue from cricket revenue, membership subscriptions, event income, dividends and interest.

Revenue from contracts with customers is recognised at an amount that reflects the consideration to which SACA is expected to be entitled in exchange for transferring goods or services to a customer. For each contract with a customer, SACA identifies the contract with a customer; identifies the performance obligations in the contract; determines the transaction price which takes into account estimates of variable consideration and the time value of money; allocates the transaction price to the separate performance obligations on the basis of the relative stand-alone selling price of each distinct good or service to be delivered; and recognises revenue when or as each performance obligation is satisfied in a manner that depicts the transfer to the customer of the goods or services promised.

Cricket revenue including sale of tickets, sponsorship, venue hire, Cricket Australia distributions received throughout the year is recognised in the period for which it relates typically based on the passage of time over the season.

Membership fees are recognised as revenue when the membership and affiliation services are provided, which is typically based on the passage of time over the season and when no significant uncertainty as to its collectability exists.

Revenue from organising and hosting events including catering is recognised over time, as performance obligations are satisfied, based on either costs incurred or service hours performed, consistent with the manner in which services are provided in the period in which the events are held. These services are provided under contractual arrangements that contain enforceable and sufficiently specific performance obligations.

Dividend revenue is recognised when the right to receive a dividend has been established. Distributions received from associates and joint venture entities are accounted for in accordance with the equity method of accounting.

Interest revenue is measured on an effective interest rate basis taking in to account the interest rates applicable to the financial assets.

All revenue is measured net of the amount of goods and services tax (GST).

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

### NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### (m) Income arising from the transfer of assets

The SACA derives income from the transfer of assets when SACA provides no consideration in exchange for the asset received, or the consideration provided by SACA is significantly less than the fair value of the asset received, principally to enable SACA to further its objectives, and the arrangement does not satisfy the criteria to be accounted for as a 'contract with a customer'.

#### **Donations**

Cash donations and goods donated for resale are recognised as income when SACA obtains control of the asset. Cash is recognised at the fair value of the consideration received. Goods donated for resale is recognised at current replacement cost.

### Operating grants

A transfer of an asset, including cash, under arrangements that do not contain enforceable and sufficiently specific performance obligations is referred to in the financial statements as an 'operating grant'. Assets arising from operating grants are recognised at fair value when SACA obtains control of the asset. Any related amounts, such as contributions from owners, financial liabilities, contract liabilities, lease liabilities and provisions are recognised in accordance with the applicable Australian Accounting Standard. The excess of the initial carrying amount of assets received over the aggregate of the consideration provided by SACA and any related amounts is recognised as income.

### Capital grants

A transfer of a financial asset, including cash, to enable SACA to acquire or construct a recognisable nonfinancial asset to identified specifications to be controlled by SACA, such as an item of property, plant and equipment, is referred to in the financial statements as a 'capital grant'. Capital grants are initially recognised as a liability (unspent capital grants liability), and subsequently recognised as income as, or when, SACA satisfies its obligation to acquire or construct the specified asset to which the capital grant relates. For the acquisition of specified assets, income is recognised when the asset is acquired and controlled by SACA. For the construction of specified assets, income is recognised as the construction progresses on the basis of costs incurred relative to expected costs.

### (n) Goods and services tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and purchased assets are recognised net of the amount of GST, except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the Tax Office. In these circumstances the GST is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of an item of the expense. Receivables and payables in the statement of financial position are shown inclusive of GST.

Cash flows are presented in the statement of cash flows on a gross basis, except for the GST component of investing and financing activities, which are disclosed as operating cash flows.

# **NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

# NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### (o) Provisions

Provisions are recognised when SACA has a legal or constructive obligation, as a result of past events, for which it is probable that an outflow of economic benefits will result and that outflow can be reliably measured.

The amount recognised as a provision is the best estimate of the expenditure required to settle the present obligation at the end of the reporting period.

# (p) Intangible assets

Intangible assets acquired by way of government grants

Intangible assets acquired by way of a government grant are initially recognised at fair value (which, for accounting purposes, is treated as the cost of the intangible asset), and are subsequently amortised over their estimated useful lives commencing from the time the asset is available for use. The amortisation method applied to an intangible asset is consistent with the estimated consumption of economic benefits of the asset. Subsequent to initial recognition, intangible assets acquired by way of government grants are measured at cost, less accumulated amortisation and any accumulated impairment losses.

### (q) Comparatives

Where necessary, comparative information has been reclassified and repositioned for consistency with current year disclosures.

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

#### NOTE 2: ACCOUNTING STANDARDS ISSUED BUT NOT YET EFFECTIVE

The AASB has issued a number of new and amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations that have mandatorily application dates for future reporting periods, some of which are relevant to SACA. SACA has decided not to early adopt any of these new and amended pronouncements. SACA's assessment of the new and amended pronouncements that are relevant to SACA but applicable in future reporting periods is set out below.

# AASB 2020-1: Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards - Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current (applicable for annual reporting periods commencing on or after 1 January 2024)

AASB 2020-1 amends AASB 101 Presentation of Financial Statements to clarify requirements for the presentation of liabilities in the statement of financial position as current or non-current.

A liability will be classified as non-current if an entity has the right at the end of the reporting period to defer settlement of the liability for at least 12 months after the reporting period. Meaning of settlement of a liability is also clarified.

AASB 2020-1 mandatorily applies to annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2024 (as amended by AASB 2022-6 and AASB 2020-6). The amendment will first be applied by the SACA in the financial year commencing 1 January 2024.

The adoption of this standard is not expected to have on initial application a material impact on SACA's financial statements.

# AASB 2021-2 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards – Disclosure of Accounting Policies and Definition of Accounting Estimates (applicable to annual reporting periods commencing on or after 1 January 2023)

AASB 2021-2 amends AASB 7 Financial Instruments: Disclosures, AASB 101 Presentation of Financial Statements, AASB 108 Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors, and AASB Practice Statement 2 Making Materiality Judgements. The main amendments relate to:

- (a) AASB 7 clarifies that information about measurement bases for financial instruments is expected to be material to an entity's financial statements;
- (b) AASB 101 requires entities to disclose their material accounting policy information rather than their significant accounting policies;
- (c) AASB 108 clarifies how entities should distinguish changes in accounting policies and changes in accounting estimates;
- (d) AASB 134 to identify material accounting policy information as a component of a complete set of financial statements; and
- (e) AASB Practice Statement 2 to provide guidance on how to apply the concept of materiality to accounting policy disclosures.

AASB 2021-2 mandatorily applies to annual reporting periods commencing on or after 1 January 2023 and will be first applied by SACA in the financial year commencing 1 July 2023.

The adoption of this standard is not expected to have on initial application a material impact on the SACA's financial statements.

### **NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

#### **NOTE 3: SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES AND JUDGEMENTS**

In the process of applying SACA's accounting policies, management makes various judgements that can significantly affect the amounts recognised in the financial statements. In addition, the determination of carrying amounts of some assets and liabilities require estimation of the effects of uncertain future events. Outcomes within the next financial year that are different from the assumptions made could require a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of those assets and liabilities affected by the assumption.

The following outlines the major judgements made by management in applying SACA's accounting policies and/or the major sources of estimation uncertainty, that have the most significant effect on the amounts recognised in the financial statements and/or have a significant risk of resulting in a material adjustment to the carrying amount of assets and liabilities within the next financial year:

# (a) Impairment of non-financial assets other than goodwill

All assets are assessed for impairment at each reporting date by evaluating whether indicators of impairment exist in relation to the continued use of the asset by the entity. Impairment triggers include declining service performance, technology changes, adverse changes in the economic or political environment and future service expectations. If an indicator of impairment exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is determined.

Based on SACA's assessment no impairment provision is required at 30 June 2023.

The recoverable amount of a Cash Generating Units "CGU" is based on value in use calculations. These calculations are based on projected cash flows approved by management covering a minimum period of 1 year (maximum of five years). Management's determination of cash flow projections and gross margins are based on past performance and its expectation for the future. The present value of future cash flows has been calculated using an average growth rate of 0% (2022: 0%) with the assumption of revenue returning to same level as pre-Covid time. A weighted average discount rate of 12% (2022: 12%) has been applied to determine value-in-use.

# (b) Fair value measurements

Certain financial assets and liabilities are measured at fair value. Fair values have been determined in accordance with fair value measurement hierarchy.

Right of Use assets were recognised using the incremental Borrowing Rate SACA assessed as reasonable, which is Reserve Bank Australia, Indicator Lending Rates for Small Businesses.

# **NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

### NOTE 3: SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES AND JUDGEMENTS (CONTINUED)

# (c) Revenue and other income

SACA derives revenue and other income from a range of activities and sources, including revenue from the sale of goods and the provision of services, and income from donations, operating grants and capital grants. In accordance with Australian Accounting Standards, SACA is required to determine whether it is appropriate to recognise revenue and other income in the financial year in which cash or non-cash assets are received or to defer the recognition of revenue and other income until associated obligations and/or conditions (if any) are satisfied. In making this judgement, SACA considers the guidance outlined in AASB 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers and AASB 1058 Income of Not-for-Profit Entities and, in particular, whether the arrangement contains enforceable and sufficiently specific performance obligations. Where SACA identifies the existence of enforceable and sufficiently specific performance obligations, or the arrangement requires SACA to use the funds received to acquire or construct items of property, plant and equipment to identified specifications, the recognition of revenue and other income is deferred until the identified obligations are satisfied.

# **NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

	Note	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
NOTE 4: OPERATING REVENUE			
Revenue from contracts with customers			
- Cricket revenue		31,485	27,387
- Membership subscriptions		12,463	8,140
- Catering-related revenue		6,988	5,822
		50,936	41,349
NOTE 5: OTHER REVENUE			
Dividend income		1,098	450
Interest		407	50
Distributions from joint ventures		213	178
Miscellaneous revenue		11	13
		1,729	691
Other Income			
Profit on sale of property, plant and equipment		-	23
Fair value gains on sale of other financial assets (note 5 (a) below)		1,794	
		1,794	23
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(a) As disclosed in note 6, SACA incurred a net loss on fair value movement of other financial assets amounting to \$1.9 million in the comparative financial year ended 30 June 2022.

# **NOTE 6: OPERATING SURPLUS**

a) Current year surplus has been determined after:

Depreciation		
- leasehold land	345	312
- plant and equipment	254	253
- Right of Use Assets	10	9
	609	574
Employee benefits expense:		
- Short term benefits	18,994	16,743
- Superannuation guarantee contributions	1,719	1,428
	20,713	18,171
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	3	-
Net fair value loss on investments held at fair value	-	1,925

# **NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

	Note	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
NOTE 6: OPERATING SURPLUS (CONTINUED)			
Remuneration of auditors for:			
Audit and assurance services - Audit of the financial report		44	44
<ul> <li>Audit of the Annual Schedules of Australian Cricket Revenue and Planament Pool</li> </ul>	ayer	8	4
Other non-audit services -Assistance in preparation of financial report		6	6
		58	54
NOTE 7: KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL COMPENSATION			
Compensation received by key management personnel of SACA		1 500	1 552
<ul><li>short-term employee benefits</li><li>post-employment benefits</li></ul>		1,589 139	1,553 134
post employment benefits		1,728	1,687
NOTE 8: CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS  Cash at bank		<u>7,642</u>	5,591
Cash at bank		7,012	
NOTE 9: TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES			
Trade receivables		772	167
Trust distribution receivable		247	270
Accrued revenue		46	313
Other debtors		44	46
		1,109	796

# Receivables from contracts with customers

A receivable from a contract with a customer represents SACA's unconditional right to consideration arising from the transfer of goods or services to the customer (i.e. only the passage of time is required before payment of the consideration is due). Invoicing of customers generally occurs on a monthly basis. Outstanding invoices are due for payment within 30 days of the invoice date.

Based on SACA's credit loss assessment no provision has been recorded for credit losses.

# **NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

# NOTE 9: TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES (CONTINUED)

	Current \$'000	<30 days past due \$'000	<60 days past due \$'000	<90 days past due \$'000	>90 days past due \$'000	Total \$'000
Gross carrying amount 2023 Credit loss provision	725 -	20 -	2 -	5 -	20 -	772 -
Gross carrying amount 2022 Credit loss provision		35 -	4 -	126	2 -	167 -
NOTE 10: OTHER FINANCIAL ASSETS	5			2023 \$'000	<b>2022</b> \$'000	
Financial assets at fair value through Shares in listed corporations and ma		5		17,79	00 15	,170
Financial assets measured at amorti Other investments - Floating Rate N		erm Deposits)		5,70 23,49		<u>,300</u> ,470

# **NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

#### **NOTE 11: INTERESTS IN JOINT VENTURES**

	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Net interest in the Adelaide Oval SMA Ltd (AOSMA)	-	-
Net interest in the Commercial Operations Trust (COT)	-	-
Net interest in the Adelaide Oval Hotel Trust (AOHT)		
Total investments		

The interest in Adelaide Oval SMA Ltd is carried at \$1. The interest in Commercial Operations Trust (Roof Climb at Adelaide Oval) is carried at \$10. The interest in Adelaide Oval Hotel Trust is carried at \$10.

### Adelaide Oval SMA Ltd

SACA and South Australian National Football League (SANFL) have agreed to associate with each other as the promoters of AOSMA.

AOSMA is a not for profit company limited by guarantee. The AOSMA's constitution states, no part of its income or property may be paid, transferred or distributed, directly or indirectly, by way of dividend, bonus, fee or otherwise, to any of the Members. Further, as per the promoter's agreement, neither SACA nor SANFL has any right or entitlement to any legal or beneficial interest in the income or property of AOSMA.

### Commercial Operations Trust (Roof Climb at Adelaide Oval)

SACA is a beneficiary of a share of distributions from Commercial Operations Trust based on its Net Surplus or Deficit in accordance with the provisions of the agreement between SACA and SANFL.

# Adelaide Oval Hotel Trust

The Adelaide Oval Hotel Trust was set up on 15 March 2019. SACA is a beneficiary of a share of distributions from Adelaide Oval Hotel Trust based on its Net Surplus or Deficit in accordance with the provisions of the agreement between SACA and SANFL.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

# NOTE 11: INTERESTS IN JOINT VENTURES (CONTINUED)

(a) Summarised financial information for SACA's interest in AOSMA, COT and AOHT

	AOSMA \$'000	COT \$'000	AOHT \$'000
2023			
Total current assets	28,984	1,886	3,736
Total non-current assets	96,525	2,382	52,640
Total current liabilities	(24,714)	(2,028)	(4,696)
Total non-current liabilities	(81,807)	(2,240)	(49,092)
Net assets	18,988	<del></del>	2,588
Trading Revenue	93,443	6,370	16,940
Trading Expenses	(98,819)	(4,506)	(11,649)
Other adjustments/ expenses	-	(193)	(3,098)
Government grants and contributions	-	-	-
Service fees	(9,572)	(343)	(1,447)
Other capital items contributions/expenses	-	-	-
Service Fees from JV partners	13,862	-	-
Distributions to JV partners		(493)	_
Total comprehensive income /(loss)	(1,086)	835	746
Opening net assets	15,792	-	1,842
Add: Total comprehensive income /(loss)	(1,086)	-	746
Retained Earnings - Pre Transaction Adjustment	4,282	<u>-</u> .	_
Closing net assets	18,988	<u> </u>	2,588
SACA's share of net assets	9,494	-	1,294
Impairment (refer note 11 (c))	(9,494)	-	(1,294)

# **NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

# NOTE 11: INTERESTS IN JOINT VENTURES (CONTINUED)

Summarised financial information for SACA's interest in AOSMA, COT and AOHT (Continued)

### 2022

	AOSMA \$'000	COT \$'000	AOHT \$'000
Total current assets	18,116	1,768	1,636
Total non-current assets	95,464	2,787	53,174
Total current liabilities	(21,967)	(2,141)	(3,806)
Total non-current liabilities	(75,821)	(2,414)	(49,162)
Net Assets	15,792	=	1,842
Trading Revenue	55,430	5,385	14,383
Trading Expenses	(63,995)	(4,267)	(10,252)
Other adjustments/ expenses	355	(243)	(3,125)
Government grants and contributions	3,148	-	-
Service fees	-	(348)	(1,175)
Other capital items contributions/expenses	(6,048)	-	-
Service Fees	-	-	-
Distributions to JV partners	-	-	-
Service Fees from JV partners	11,995	-	-
Distributions to JV partners	<u> </u>	(527)	_
Total comprehensive loss	885	11,995	(169)
Opening net assets	14,907	-	2,095
Retained Earnings - Pre Transaction Adjustment	-	-	-
Add: Total comprehensive loss	885	-	(169)
AOSMA contributions in AOHT	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	(84)
Closing net assets	15,792	<u> </u>	1,842
SACA's share of net assets	7,896	-	921
Impairment (refer note 11 (c) below)	(7,896)	-	(921)

<sup>(</sup>a) The above Joint Venture financial information is unaudited. The Joint Venture related party transactions are disclosed at Note 21.

<sup>(</sup>b) SACA provides financial support to AOSMA, COT and AOHT in the event of 'financial difficulties'. Refer to Note 20.

<sup>(</sup>c) SACA is only a beneficiary of the above Joint Ventures as per the Trust Deeds. Accordingly, SACA only recognises its share upon distribution of income or capital by the Trustee of the Joint Ventures. Accordingly, SACA has not recorded its share of net assets as at 30 June 2023.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

	Note	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
NOTE 12: INTANGIBLE ASSETS			
Licences at cost		59,100	59,100
Accumulated amortisation		(7,095)	(6,334)
		52,005	52,766
Access to Bodyline Bar		1,923	1,923
Accumulated amortisation		(529)	(433)
		1,394	1,490
Total intangible assets		53,399	54,256
(a) Reconciliations			
Reconciliation of the carrying amounts of intangible assets at the beginning and end of the current financial year:			
Licences at cost			
Opening balance		52,766	53,526
Amortisation expense		(761)	(760)
Closing balance		52,005	52,766
Access to Bodyline Bar			
Opening balance		1,490	1,587
Amortisation expense		(96)	(97)
Closing balance		1,394	1,490

# **NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

### **NOTE 12: INTANGIBLE ASSETS (CONTINUED)**

### (b) Licences at cost - Intangible assets acquired by government grants

SACA was granted a licence agreement on the 17 November 2011 for 80 years by the Government of South Australia for priority use of Adelaide Oval for cricket purposes during the period 8 October – 14 March annually.

Useful life of this license is limited to the term of the right of use agreement - being 80 yrs. The Adelaide Oval was taken into use approximately two years after the right of use agreement became effective, hence 78 years amortisation period used.

The intangible assets were valued by an independent valuation dated 8 August 2012 at the time the right of use agreement became effective. The net fair value of intangible assets at that date has been valued principally using the discount cash flow methodology considering the earnings associated with the core use of the Adelaide Oval (redeveloped) and the various other spaces of real estate allocated to SACA.

Given that the license granted is in relation to new and improved patron facilities and accommodation, the key assumptions used in the valuation when the asset was initially recognised are as follows:

- Retention of international and domestic cricket matches:
- Growth to attendances at some international cricket matches;
- Revenue derived from the introduction of a new venue membership product enabling patron access to cricket and football fixtures;
- Enhanced quantity and quality of corporate facilities;
- Improved indoor cricket training facilities;
- Office accommodation and function spaces at no cost;
- The cash flow forecast used in the valuation relates to the period 2014 2034; and
- The value has been based on the incremental value of cash flows.

Based on SACA's fair value assessment as of 30 June 2023, no impairment provision is recorded in this financial statements.

### (c) Access to Bodyline Bar

SACA partly funded the refurbishment of the Bodyline Bar in the Western Grandstand. This cost is amortised over 20 years.

As SACA has elected to apply the practical expedient per AASB 16, SACA does not require to reassess whether the access rights to the Bodyline bar is a lease at the date of initial application of this Standard. Accordingly, this asset is disclosed under intangible assets.

# **NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
NOTE 13: LEASE ASSETS AND LEASE LIABILITIES		
(a) Lease assets		
Right of use Buildings		
Under lease	154	169
Accumulated depreciation	<u>(52</u> )	(41)
Total carrying amount of lease assets	<u> 102</u>	128
Reconciliations		
Reconciliation of the carrying amount of lease assets at the beginning and end of the financial year:		
Buildings		
Opening carrying amount	128	119
Lease remeasurement	(16)	18
Depreciation	(10)	(9)
Closing carrying amount	102	128
(b) Lease liabilities		
Current Lease liability	4	5
Non-Current Lease liability	117	136
Total carrying amount of lease liabilities	121	141
(c) Lease expenses and cash flows		
The Right of Use asset has been recorded in relation to the lease of Gladys E 25") comprising the whole of the land referred to as Park 25 in the Adelaide	•	
Interest expense on lease liabilities	(10)	(8)
Expense relating to lease payments made for leases of 12-months or less (for which a lease asset and a lease liability has not been recognised)	(73)	(77)
Expense relating to lease payments made for leases of low value assets (for which a lease asset and a lease liability has not been recognised)	-	-
Depreciation expense on lease assets	(10)	(7)
Future cash outflows including interest and principal payments	(234)	(228)
Cash outflow in relation to leases principal payment	(6)	(8)
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# **NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

Note	e 2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
NOTE 14: PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT		
Leasehold improvements		
At cost	13,059	12,789
Accumulated depreciation	(2,175)	(1,830)
Total leasehold improvements	10,884	10,959
Plant and equipment		
Plant and equipment at cost	3,593	3,300
Accumulated depreciation	(1,469)	(1,250)
Total Plant and equipment	2,124	2,050
Capital Work in Progress at cost	65	19
Total property, plant and equipment	13,073	13,028
(a) Reconciliations		
Reconciliation of the carrying amounts of property, plant and equipment at the beginning and end of the current financial year:		
Leasehold improvements		
Opening carrying amount	10,959	11,158
Additions	270	129
Depreciation expense	(345)	(312)
Transfer to plant and equipment		(16)
Closing carrying amount	10,884	10,959
Plant and equipment		
Opening carrying amount	2,050	2,036
Additions	341	251
Disposals	(13)	-
Depreciation expense	(254)	(253)
Transfer from leasehold improvements	<del>_</del>	16
Closing carrying amount	2,124	2,050
Other capital assets - Capital Work in Progress		
Opening carrying amount	19	-
Additions	46	19
Closing carrying amount	65	19

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

	Note	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
NOTE 15: TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES			
Unsecured liabilities			
Trade creditors		580	532
Other creditors and accruals		2,624	3,639
Income received in advance		2,833	3,593
		6,037	7,764
NOTE 16: PROVISIONS			
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CURRENT	(-)	67.4	5.00
Annual leave	(a)	674	569 545
Long service leave	(a)		<u>545</u>
		1,361	1,114
NON CURRENT			
Long service leave	(a)	250	277
Provision for long-term employee benefits - A provision has be to long service leave for employees. In calculating the present service leave, the probability of long service leave being taken measurement and recognition criteria for employee benefits h	value of future is based upon I	cash flows in res nistorical data. Tl	spect of long
(a) Aggregate employee benefits liability		1,631	1,391
(b) Number of employees at year end		118	110
NOTE 17: BOARD DESIGNATED RESERVES			
Board designated future fund reserve	17(a)	21,026	21,026
Board designated facility improvement fund reserve	17(b)	2,000	2,000
Board designated investment into facilities reserve	17(c)	10,000	10,000
		33,026	33,026

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

	Note	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
NOTE 17: BOARD DESIGNATED RESERVES (CONTINUED)			
(a) Board designated future fund reserve			
The purpose of the future fund reserve is to help ensure the long term financial stability of SACA and position it to respond to varying economic conditions and changes affecting SACA's financial position and the ability of the organisation to continuously carry out its mission. The use and management of the fund is governed by a policy statement approved the Directors.	nic lity		
Movements in reserve			
Opening balance		21,026	<u>21,026</u>
Closing balance		21,026	21,026
(b) Board designated facility improvement fund reserve			
The purpose of the facility improvement fund reserve is to help ensure long term financial sustainability of SACA's strategic investment into promoting and developing cricket in South Australia. The use and management of the fund is governed by the policy statements approved by the Directors.	e the		
Movements in reserve			
Opening balance		2,000	2,000
Closing balance		2,000	2,000
(c) Board designated investment into facilities reserve			
The Directors approved the initial transfer from the facility improvement fund reserve to the investment into facilities reserve.	ent		
The purpose of the investment into facilities reserve is to provide members with visibility over the reinvestment of members funds from reserves into facility improvements.	า		
Movements in reserve			

Opening balance

Closing balance

10,000

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# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

Note	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
NOTE 18: ACCUMULATED SURPLUS		
Accumulated surplus at beginning of year	54,056	59,956
Surplus/ (Deficit)	3,961	(5,900)
Accumulated surplus at end of the year	58,017	54,056
NOTE 19: CASH FLOW INFORMATION		
(a) Reconciliation of cash		
Cash at the end of the financial year as shown in the statement of cash flows is reconciled to the related items in the statement of financial position as follows:		
Cash at bank	7,642	5,591
	7,642	5,591
(b) Reconciliation of cash flow from operations with Surplus/ (Deficit)		
Current year surplus/ (deficit)	3,961	(5,900)
Adjustments and non-cash items		
Depreciation expense	608	574
Amortisation expense	856	856
Net (gain)/ loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	3	(22)
Net unrealised (gains)/loss on investments held at fair value	(1,794)	1,925
Dividends not received in cash	(1,098)	(450)
Investment management fees not paid in cash	242	82
Changes in operating assets and liabilities		
(Increase) / decrease in receivables	(312)	26
(Increase) / decrease in other assets	92	(80)
Increase / (decrease) in payables and other liabilities	(1,671)	1,753
Increase in provisions	240	310
Increase / (decrease) in net GST payable	<u>(51</u> )	440
Cash flows from/ (used in) operating activities	1,076	(486)

# **NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

### **NOTE 20: CONTINGENT LIABILITIES**

- (i) The Promoters Agreement between SACA, AOSMA and SANFL provides a vehicle for financial support from SACA and SANFL to AOSMA in the event of 'financial difficulties'.
- (ii) SACA provided a guarantee for a bank loan to the trustee for COT in the event of 'financial difficulties'. This guarantee is given contemporaneously with the giving of a guarantee by the SANFL.
- (iii) SACA provided a guarantee for a bank loan to the Treasurer of South Australia for AOHT in the event of 'financial difficulties'. This guarantee is given contemporaneously with the giving of a guarantee by the SANFL.
- (iv) It is possible that recent variations and ongoing negotiations relating to commercially confidential supplier agreements may result in the outflow of economic benefits to third parties between the 2017 and 2029 financial years in a form that has been agreed. The outflow is not considered material on an annual basis. The outflow that occurred during the 2023 financial year was \$Nil (2022: Nil).
- (v) SACA, along with the other State Associations, has an arrangement with Cricket Australia ("CA") which, if SACA's revenues increase over an agreed time period, may result in a liability to CA. This liability is to cover the amounts payable to the players in accordance with the Memorandum of Understanding between CA and the Australian Cricketers' Association Inc.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

# **NOTE 21: RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

(a) Transactions with Joint Venture - COT			
		2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Total Revenue - Share of profit The following balances owing between COT and SACA are included in SACA's Statement of Financial Position:	5	213	178
Amounts due from COT	9	247	270
(b) Transactions with Joint Venture - AOSMA			
Total Revenue		13,863	12,068
Total Expenses		(9,572)	(10,336)
(c) R. Phillips - Honorarium			
An Honorarium was received from SACA in connection with services spotter.	rendere	d as Premier Crick	et talent
Honorarium		<u> </u>	(5)

# **NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

### **NOTE 22: FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT**

SACA is exposed to a variety of financial risks comprising:

- (a) Interest rate risk
- (b) Credit risk
- (c) Market price risk
- (d) Fair values
- (e) Liquidity risk

The Board of Directors have overall responsibility for identifying and managing operational and financial

SACA holds the following financial instruments:

	2023	2022
	\$'000	\$'000
Financial assets		
- Cash and cash equivalents	7,642	5,591
- Trade and other receivables	1,109	796
- Other financial assets	23,491	22,470
	32,242	28,857
Financial liabilities		
- Trade and other payables	6,038	7,764
- Lease liabilities	121	141
	6,159	7,905

# (a) Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate as a result of changes in market interest rates. SACA manages its interest rate risk by maintaining a mix of variable rate and fixed rate investments.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

### NOTE 22: FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (CONTINUED)

# (a) Interest rate risk (Continued)

The following table outlines SACA's exposure to interest rate risk in relation to future cash flows and the effective weighted average interest rates on classes of financial assets and financial liabilities:

#### 2023

Financial instruments	Interest bearing	Weighted average effective interest rate
	\$'000	
Financial assets		
Cash	7,642	2.82 % Floating
Financial assets measured at amortised cost	5,701	6.48 % Floating
	13,343	
2022		
Financial assets		
Cash	5,591	1.03 % Floating
Financial assets measured at amortised cost	7,300	1.03 % Floating
	12,891	

No other financial assets or financial liabilities are expected to be exposed to interest rate risk.

# Sensitivity

If interest rates were to increase/decrease by 100 basis points from the rates prevailing at the reporting date, assuming all other variables remain constant, then the impact on deficit for the year and equity would be as follows:

	2023	2022
+ / - 100 basis points	\$'000	\$'000
Impact on surplus/(deficit)	133	129
Impact on equity	133	129

### (b) Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk that one party to a financial instrument will cause a financial loss for the other party by failing to discharge an obligation. Credit risk is managed and reviewed regularly by management. It arises from exposures to customers and through deposits with financial institutions.

The maximum exposure to credit risk, excluding the value of any collateral or other security, at balance date of recognised financial assets is the carrying amount of those assets, net of any provisions for impairment of those assets, as disclosed in statement of financial position and notes to financial statements.

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

### NOTE 22: FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (CONTINUED)

SACA does not have any material credit risk exposure to any single counterparty or group of counterparties under financial instruments entered into by SACA.

(i) Cash and Other investments, that include Floating Rate Notes (2022: Term Deposits) Credit risk for cash and other investments is managed by holding all cash deposits with major Australian banks in line with SACA's investment policy (ie a rating of BBB or higher).

(ii) Receivables from contracts with customers and other receivables Credit risk for receivables from contracts with customers and other receivable are managed by transacting with a large number of customers, undertaking credit checks for all new customers and setting credit limits for all customers commensurate with their assessed credit risk. Outstanding receivables are regularly monitored for payment in accordance with credit terms.

#### (iii) Other financial instruments

Credit risk for shares in listed corporations and funds are managed by holding investments in high rating securities (ie in the ASX top 200 or investments within the MSCI World ex Australia Index).

### (c) Market price risk

Market price risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices (other than those arising from interest rate risk or currency risk).

SACA's exposure to Market rate risk is limited to financial assets that are held at fair value through profit or loss. Shares are measured at fair value through the profit or loss statement. SACA has experienced investment manager to manage the portfolio in line with SACA's investment policy.

### Sensitivity

If market prices were to increase/decrease by 10% from the prices observable at the reporting date, assuming all other variables remain constant, then the impact on deficit for the year and equity is as follows:

	2023	2022	
	\$'000	\$'000	
+/- 10% price variation	1,779	1,517	
Impact on surplus/(deficit)	1,779	1,517	

# **NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

### NOTE 22: FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (CONTINUED)

### (d) Fair values

The net fair values of listed investments have been valued at the quoted market bid price at balance date. For other assets and liabilities, the net fair value approximates their carrying value. No financial assets are readily traded on organised markets in a standardised form other than listed investments.

The fair value of financial assets and financial liabilities approximates their carrying amounts as disclosed in statement of financial position and notes to financial statements.

### (e) Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that an entity will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with financial liabilities.

SACA manages liquidity risk by monitoring forecast cash flows and ensuring that cash outflows are closely matched to forecast cash inflows.

The following table outlines SACA's remaining contractual maturities for non-derivative financial instruments. The amounts presented in the table are the undiscounted contractual cash flows of the financial liabilities, allocated to time bands based on the earliest date on which SACA can be required to

Year ended 30 June 2023	< 6 months \$'000	6-12 months \$'000	1-5 years \$'000	Total contractual cash flows \$'000	Carrying amount \$'000
Payables	(6,036)	-	-	(6,036)	(6,036)
Lease liabilities	(2)	(2)	(117)	(121)	
Net maturities	(6,038)	(2)	(117)	(6,157)	(6,036)
Year ended 30 June 2022					
Payables	(7,764)	-	-	(7,764)	(7,764)
Lease liabilities	(2)	(3)	(136)	(141)	(141)
Net maturities	(7,766)	(3)	(136)	(7,905)	(7,905)

# **NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

#### **NOTE 23: CAPITAL MANAGEMENT**

The Directors control the capital of SACA in order to maintain a good debt-to-equity ratio and to ensure that SACA can fund its operations and continue as a going concern.

SACA's debt and capital includes financial liabilities, supported by financial assets.

The Directors effectively manage SACA's capital by assessing SACA's financial risks and adjusting its capital structure in response to changes in these risks. These responses include the effective management of debt levels and the restructure of their debt liability, if any.

There have been no changes in the strategy adopted by the Directors to control the capital of SACA since the prior year. This strategy is to ensure that there is sufficient cash to meet trade and sundry payables and borrowings, as and when they fall due. The gearing ratios for the years ended 30 June 2023 and 30 June 2022 are calculated below:

	2023	2022
	\$'000	\$'000
Trade and other payables	(6,036)	(7,764)
Lease Liabilities	(121)	(141)
Less cash and cash equivalents	7,642	5,591
Net debt	<u> </u>	(2,314)
Total Members Funds	91,043	87,082
Total Debt plus Members Funds	92,528	89,396
Gearing Ratio (Net Debt/Net Debt + Total Members Funds)	1.60%	-2.59%

# **NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

### **NOTE 24: FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENT**

### (a) Fair Value Hierarchy

The following table provides the fair value classification of those assets and liabilities held by SACA that are measured either on a recurring or non-recurring basis at fair value.

2023	Level 1 \$'000	Level 2 \$'000	Level 3 \$'000	Total \$'000
Recurring fair value measurements				
<b>Financial assets</b> Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss				
Shares in listed corporations	16,329	-	-	16,329
Shares in managed investment funds	1,461		<del>_</del>	1,461
Total financial assets	17,790			17,790
2022				
Recurring fair value measurements				
Financial assets Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss				
Shares in listed corporations	13,239	-	-	13,239
Shares in managed investment funds	1,931		<u>-</u>	1,931
Total financial assets	15,170	<u>-</u>	<u> </u>	15,170

# NOTE 25: EVENTS SUBSEQUENT TO REPORTING DATE

There have not been any matters or circumstances which have arisen since 30 June 2023 that have significantly affected or may significantly affect:

- (a) the operations, in financial years subsequent to 30 June 2023, of SACA, or
- (b) the results of those operations, or
- (c) the state of affairs, in financial years subsequent to 30 June 2023, of SACA.

# **NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

### **NOTE 26: MEMBERS' GUARANTEE**

SACA is incorporated under the Corporations Act 2001 and is a company limited by guarantee. If SACA is wound up, the Constitution states that each member is required to contribute to a maximum of \$0.10 each towards meeting any outstandings and obligations of SACA. At 30 June 2023 the number of members were 27,354. The combined total amount that members of SACA are liable to contribute if SACA is wound up is \$2,735.40.

# **NOTE 27: SACA DETAILS**

The registered office of SACA is:

South Australian Cricket Association Limited Adelaide Oval War Memorial Drive North Adelaide SA 5006

### **DIRECTORS' DECLARATION**

The directors of the SACA declare that:

- 1. In the directors' opinion, the financial statements and notes thereto, as set out on pages 9 46, are in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:
  - (a) complying with Australian Accounting Standards and the Corporations Regulations 2001; and
  - (b) giving a true and fair view of the financial position as at 30 June 2023 and performance for the year ended on that date of the SACA.
- 2. In the directors' opinion there are reasonable grounds to believe that the SACA will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

This declaration is made in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors.

Director:	Ju	ng-	
	7	J. Orchard	
Director:	MM	Bay-	
	-	W. Rayner	

Dated this 28th day of august-. 2023



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### SOUTH AUSTRALIAN CRICKET ASSOCIATION LIMITED ABN 44 623 135 393

# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF SOUTH AUSTRALIAN CRICKET ASSOCIATION LIMITED

### **Report on the Audit of the Financial Report**

### Opinion

We have audited the financial report of South Australian Cricket Association Limited, "SACA", which comprises the statement of financial position as at 30 June 2023, the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies, and the directors' declaration.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial report of South Australian Cricket Association Limited, is in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, including:

- (a) giving a true and fair view of SACA's financial position as at 30 June 2023 and of its financial performance for the year then ended; and
- (b) complying with Australian Accounting Standards and the Corporations Regulations 2001.

#### Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report section of our report. We are independent of SACA in accordance with the auditor independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 and the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including Independence Standards) "the Code" that are relevant to our audit of the financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Adelaide Brisbane Melbourne Newcastle Perth Sydney

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# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF SOUTH AUSTRALIAN CRICKET ASSOCIATION LIMITED

### Other Information

The directors are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the Directors' Report which was obtained by the date of our audit report, and any additional other information included in SACA's annual report for the year ended 30 June 2023, but does not include the financial report and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the financial report does not cover the other information and accordingly we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon. Annual report is yet to be finalised at the date of this report.

In connection with our audit of the financial report, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial report or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

When we read the other information not yet received as identified above, if we conclude that there is a material misstatement therein, we are required to report that fact to the Directors and use our professional judgement to determine the appropriate action to take.

### Responsibilities of the Directors for the Financial Report

The directors of SACA are responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and the Corporations Act 2001 and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, the directors are responsible for assessing SACA's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors either intend to liquidate SACA or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of this financial report.



### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF SOUTH AUSTRALIAN CRICKET ASSOCIATION LIMITED

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report (Continued)

As part of an audit in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of SACA's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the directors.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on SACA's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial report or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause SACA to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial report, including the disclosures, and whether the financial report represents the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- We communicate with the directors regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

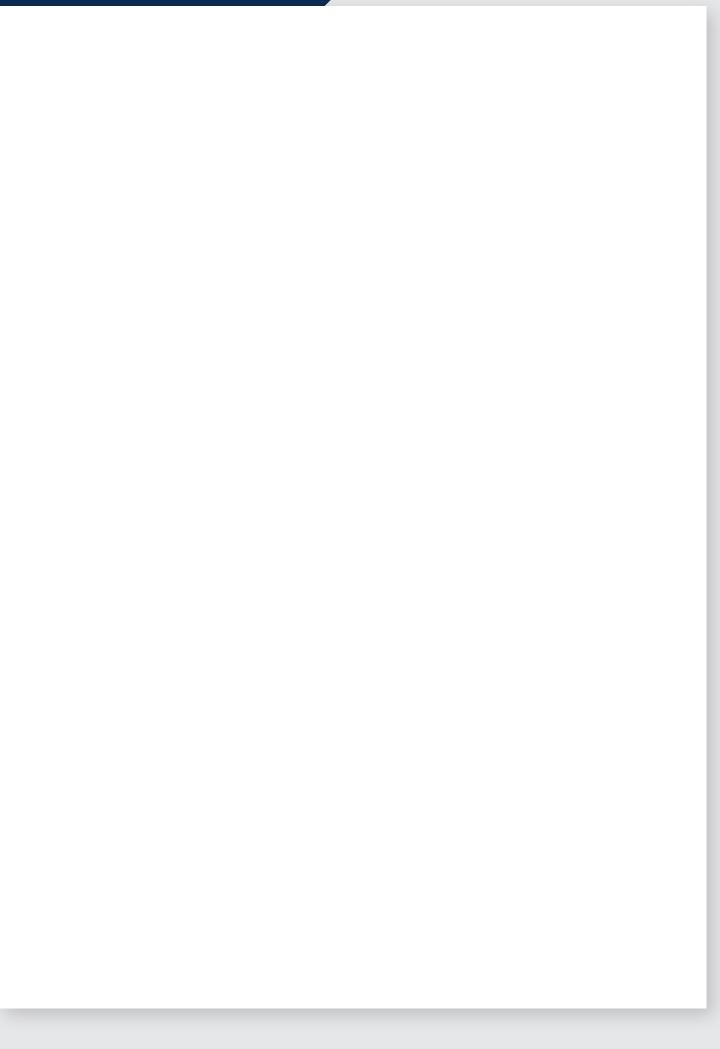
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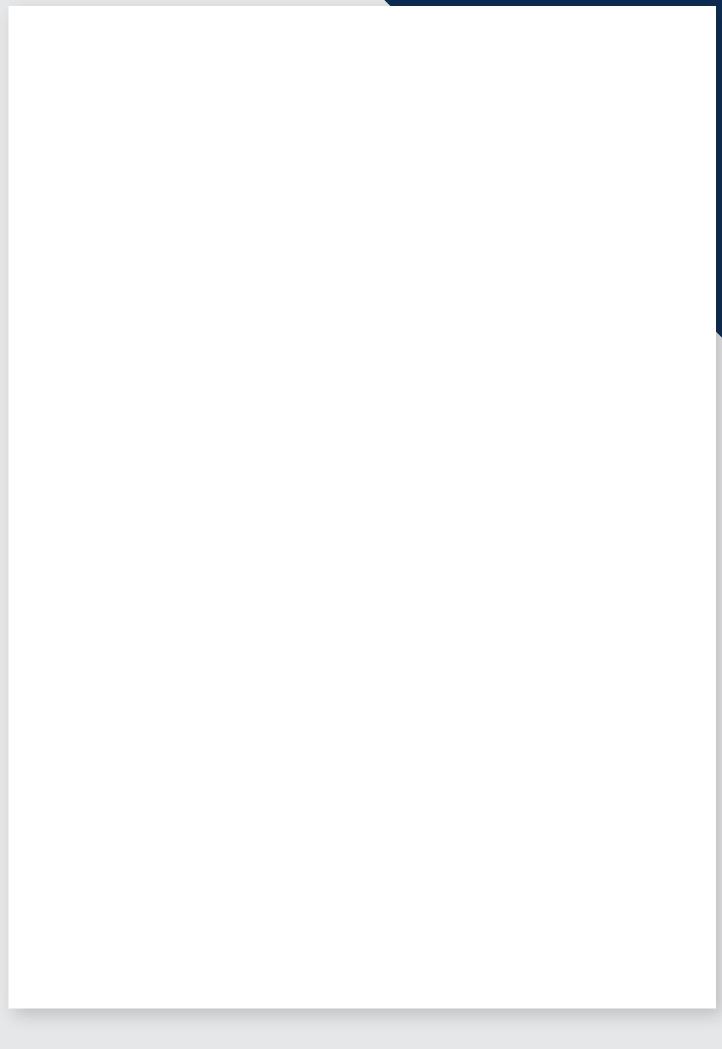
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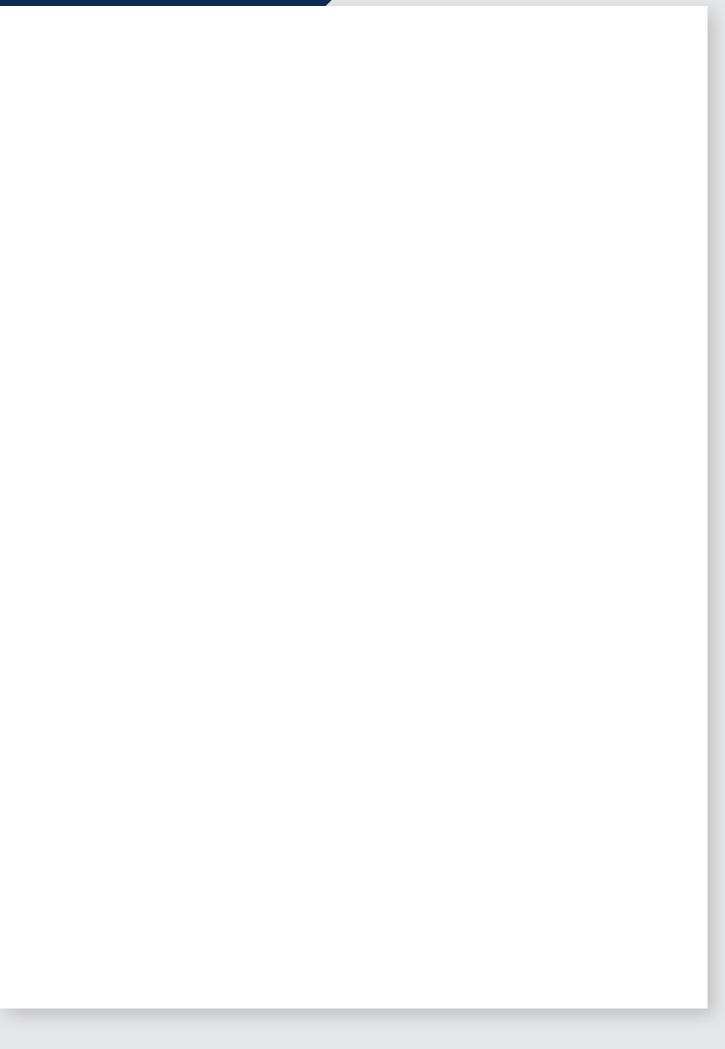
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