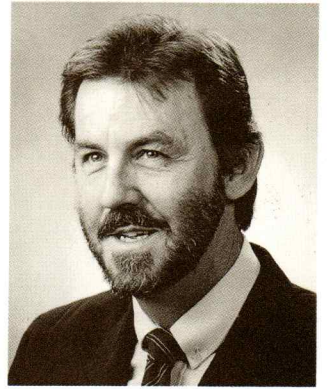


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Mayor's Message



AS MAYOR OF GOLD COAST CITY, I EXTEND A WARM WELCOME TO COMPETITORS, OFFICIALS AND SUPPORTERS OF THE 13TH AUSTRALIAN TOUCH CHAMPIONSHIPS.

THE FESTIVAL IS ATTRACTING ABOUT 1000 CONTESTANTS FROM ALL STATES AND TERRITORIES THROUGHOUT AUSTRALIA. I AM DELIGHTED TO SEE THE CHAMPIONSHIPS BEING STAGED AT THE OWEN PARK SPORTING COMPLEX AS SOME EXCELLENT FACILITIES HAVE BEEN INSTALLED THERE.

I AM CONFIDENT COMPETITORS WILL FIND THE GOLD COAST A FRIENDLY CITY AND WILL LEAVE CONVINCED THAT THE GOLD COAST IS THE BEST TOURIST DESTINATION IN AUSTRALIA.

THE GOLD COAST IS A GREAT DRAWCARD FOR MANY MAJOR SPORTING EVENTS, WITH SOME OF AUSTRALIA'S PREMIER TOURIST ATTRACTIONS, SUCH AS MOVIE WORLD, SEA WORLD AND CURRUMBIN BIRD SANCTUARY.

WE TAKE GREAT PRIDE IN THIS CITY'S DIVERSE RANGE OF RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES, WHICH CATER FOR EVERY TASTE AND AGE GROUP.

MAJOR SPORTING EVENT SUCH AS THE AUSTRALIAN TOUCH CHAMPIONSHIPS PROVIDES US WITH ANOTHER OPPORTUNITY TO SHOW VISITORS SOME OF OUR CITY'S UNIQUE CHARACTERISTICS.

I WISH ALL PARTICIPANTS AN ENJOYABLE AND SUCCESSFUL FESTIVAL.

GARY J. BAILDON
MAYOR



President's Message

I WOULD LIKE TO EXTEND A SUNNY GOLD COAST WELCOME TO PARTICIPANTS AND SUPPORTERS ALIKE TO THE 1994 NATIONAL TOUCH CHAMPIONSHIPS.

CONGRATULATIONS TO GOLD COAST TOUCH, BEING ALLOCATED THIS TOURNAMENT DURING THEIR 20TH ANNIVERSARY YEAR. GOLD COAST HAS LONG BEEN A TRENDSETTER IN OUR SPORT AND BOASTS A LONG LIST OF STATE AND NATIONAL REPRESENTATIVES AMONGST ITS MEMBERSHIP WHILST ALSO PROVIDING AN EXCELLENT VENUE AND COMPETITION AT FAMOUS OWEN PARK FOR THE LIFEBLOOD OF TOUCH – THE PARK PLAYER.

IN PAYING TRIBUTE TO THE PHYSICAL AND FINANCIAL SACRIFICES THE ELITE PLAYERS HAVE MADE TO COMPETE AT THESE CHAMPIONSHIPS, THE TREMENDOUS EFFORT OF THE SUPPORT STAFF I.E. COACHES, MANAGERS, TRAINERS, PHYSIOS ETC., MUST NOT BE UNDERSTATED, FOR THE PERFORMANCE OF THE PLAYER IS HEAVILY DEPENDENT ON THEIR CONTRIBUTION.

I WOULD LIKE TO TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO ACKNOWLEDGE THE WONDERFUL SUPPORT OUR SPORT CURRENTLY RECEIVES AT NATIONAL LEVEL FROM THE FOLLOWING SPONSORS: COCA-COLA BOTTLERS, GILBERT TOUCH BALLS, SAUCONY, COUNTRY COMFORT, JAYMAC, QANTAS AND THE AUSTRALIAN SPORTS COMMISSION.

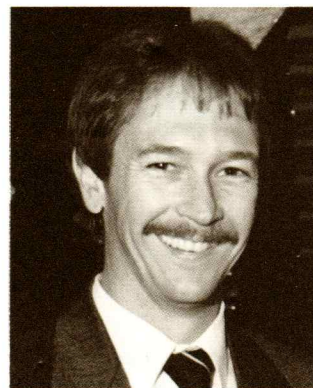
THE MISSION STATEMENT OF THE ATA READS:

“TO SERVICE AND DEVELOP THE SPORT OF TOUCH FOR THE ENJOYMENT OF ALL PARTICIPANTS.”

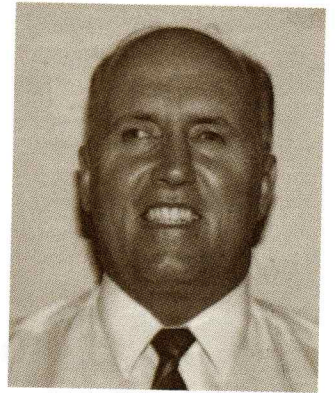
THE GREATEST SATISFACTION FOR MYSELF AS AN ADMINISTRATOR IS TO HEAR THE COMMENT AT A TOURNAMENT'S CONCLUSION – “I ENJOYED THAT”.

ON BEHALF OF THE AUSTRALIAN TOUCH ASSOCIATION, I WISH YOU ALL EVERY SUCCESS.

RUSSELL MOWLES



Gold Coast Touch President's Message



ON BEHALF OF THE GOLD COAST TOUCH ASSOCIATION I CONGRATULATE EVERYONE INVOLVED WITH THE PREPARATION OF THIS MAJOR SPORTING EVENT AND EXTEND A SINCERE WELCOME TO THE GOLD COAST.

THIS ASSOCIATION ACKNOWLEDGES THE SUPPORT OF THE GOLD COAST CITY COUNCIL AND MANY OTHER ENTERPRISES WHICH WILL ENSURE THAT THIS EVENT IS PROVIDED WITH FIRST CLASS FACILITIES FOR THE ENJOYMENT OF ALL.

I AM PROUD THAT GOLD COAST TOUCH HAS BEEN AWARDED THE HONOUR OF HOSTING THESE PRESTIGIOUS CHAMPIONSHIPS FOR 1994 AND ALSO THE FOLLOWING TWO YEARS – 1995 AND 1996.

PLEASE ACCEPT BEST WISHES FOR A SUCCESSFUL COMPETITION.

PAUL C. EGGERS

PRESIDENT



ACT STATE TEAMS

MENS OPEN

DANNY BAKER
 JASON CHAFFEY
 MATTHEW CURRAN
 CODY GUIMELLI
 DAMIEN HOFMEYER
 PHIL HROMOW
 JULES MANN
 MICHAEL MCGOVERN
 MICHAEL MCLAUGHLIN
 GEOFF PERRIN
 BRETT SHARP
 DEAN TAYLOR
 SEAN WOOD
 CAMERON YABSLEY

COACH - DENNIS COFFEY
 MANAGER - KEN VAN RAAY

MENS OVER 30's

NEIL BENTLY
 DANNY GOODWIN
 RICK HAWE
 STEVE HUGHES
 TONY JOB
 TREVOR JOLLY
 GARY KINKADE
 BARRIE LAMONT
 GARRY LAWLESS
 FRANK NOLAN
 MICK RUTTER
 TONY RYAN
 GRANT SLATER
 PETER TOPP

COACH - BOB YABSLEY
 MANAGER - DAVE CLARKE

MENS OVER 35s

MARK BOURKE
 LES CROFT
 RAY HARDY
 KEVIN MATTHEWS
 PETER MCLEISH
 JOHN PARKER
 GERRY RYAN
 DAVID SHEA
 BRIAN WEISS
 JOHN WYNANTS
 RAY KEAR

ASS. COACH - LLEW JONES
 COACH - ERROL NEISH
 MANAGER - ROGER LANE

WOMENS OVER 30's

KAREN BREADEN
 COLLEEN CAREY
 KYLIE CROSLY
 DONNA FRASER
 GABE HODGES
 MELISSA KEASCY
 COLLEEN LOUGHTON
 JUDY MCLEAN
 MARGIE SHELLEY
 DONNA SLATTERY
 BINDY STAIER
 HELEN TAYLOR

ASS. COACH - TAMARA THOROGOOD
 COACH - DI BELLING

THE AUSTRALIAN DEFENCE FORCE STATE TEAMS

MENS OPEN

CFN M. MCKEOWN
 PTE S. MCINTYRE
 CPL S. BETTERIDGE
 CPL J. BURROWS
 CPL M. PICTON
 CPL G. THOMAS
 CPL G. TING
 LAC J. GERBER
 CPL N. COLLISON
 CPL B. SQUIRES
 CPL R. DAY
 CPL E. STRONG
 PTE M. KRUGER
 SGT D. MCINTYRE

COACH - W02 G.JENKINS
 MANAGER - LAC S.COOPER

ADF WOMENS OPEN

LACW L. DOYLE
 LACW D. WITHYCOMBE
 LSEW K. TREEN
 LACW K. STANLEY
 CPL K. KRUGER
 CPL K. AESCHLIMANN
 CPL K. MILLAND
 SIG A. SUMMERS
 CPL D. SCHEDULE
 PTE T. JENNINGS
 SGT S. WILSON
 CPL L. SCHWINGHAMMER
 SGT S.FOSTER
 CPL T. BALFOUR

COACH - SPR M.COONEY
 MANAGER - PTE K.HYNDY

ADF MENS OVER 30s

SGT S.ROBERTSON
 CPL C. BRADLEY
 CPL T. WARD
 CAPT N. WITHYCOMBE
 SGT I. McDONALD
 SGT J. SAMIN
 LS D. GARDEN
 CPL S. BOW
 CPL T. HARVEY
 CPL J. RYAN
 CPL D. NEWHAM
 SGT S. McDONALD
 FLTLT D. BLACKLOCK
 SGT R. BAILEY

COACH - MR G.WAKEFIELD
 MANAGER - FSGT E.BASSO

THE AUSTRALIAN DEFENCE FORCE STATE TEAMS CONTINUED

ADF MENS OVER 35s

WO1 M. ELLIOTT
 WO1 M. WHITELY
 WO2 M. WHYBROW
 SGT D. WILSON
 WO2 J. TAYLOR
 QO2 L. WORGER
 MAJ J. WILSON
 WO2 G. TILLING
 SGT S. MCCOY
 WOFF R. WARD
 FSGT M. DONOVAN
 SQNDR M. HOPE
 FSGT R. HOPKIN
 SGT S. FRANKHAM

COACH - SGT P.SCHOFIELD
 MANAGER - WO1 P.GNIATKIEWICZ

ADF MENS OVER 40s

WO1 B. DUKE
 WOFF G. TURNBULL
 WO1 P. LOCKYER
 WOFF G. GLAZIER
 SGT E. SIMONS
 WOFF O. MCNAMARA
 SQNDR T. DAVIDSON
 WOFF D. NEWTON
 SQNDR G. WOOD
 SSGT. EKLOM
 SGT S. COLLISON
 WO1 G. O'BRIEN
 WO1 J. HADLOW
 SGT P.SULLIVAN

COACH - SQNDR T. DAVIDSON
 MANAGER - CPL W. LEMON

ADF TOUR MANAGEMENT

PHYSIO:
 CPL G. RALPH
 CPL D. DAVIS
 MR S. DEHAVILLAND
 TOUR LEADER/
 MANAGER - CAPT M. BILLINGHAM

NORTHERN TERRITORY STATE TEAMS

WOMENS OPEN

DESLEY MOTLOP
 SHELLY INNOCENZI
 CINDY COCKSHUTT
 TRACEY QUINN
 ROBYN CLARK
 TINA BUSBRIDGE
 TONI JENNER
 NADINE HARDCASTLE
 SELINA GLASS
 SOPHIE CUBILLO
 ELLE WILSON
 MICHELLE BALL
 MICHELLE FINNAN
 NATALIE GREENWOOD

COACH - JOE BONSON
 MANAGER - CHARLENE CUBILLO

MENS OPEN

CRAIG VIELLARIS
 VENG ROGERS
 SHANE MADRILL
 MARK ALBERT
 CRAIG GREEN
 CRAIG WENCK
 CAMERON JOHNSON
 MALCOLM HOUNSLOW
 MICHAEL FLEMING
 AARON APPO
 MICHAEL HEBDUM
 CORRIE SMITH
 DAVID FRANZ
 MICK HARRIS

COACH - GARRY BLACKETT
 MANAGER - MARK STEPHENS

OVER 30 WOMEN

TRACY ROE
 MICHELLE ADAMS
 JENNY ROE
 SANDIE BEATTIE
 LOYLA LEYSLEY
 PACITA BONSON
 SUE HOUNSLOW
 CATHY SOLIEN
 LEANNE CAMPBELL
 CHRISTINE BLACKETT
 SUE ASSAN
 LIZ SHIELDS
 MICHELLE CASPANI

COACH - HARRY APPO
 MANAGER - JOHN HOUNSLOW
 SPORTS TRAINER
 - BRIAN GRIFFEY

OVER 35 MEN

COL MATHESON
 ALLAN JARRAT
 KENDALL STIRRAT
 BARRY DARBEN
 GLEN MCPHEE
 PETER WATERSON
 RODNEY RANDALL
 GRANT ALLEN
 BERNIE NETHERY
 PETER HOURIGAN
 BRIAN SMITH
 MICK SEAGE

PLAYING COACH
 - DICK WHYTE
 MANAGER - GUS DAVID



NEW SOUTH WALES STATE TEAMS

MENS OPEN

MARK BOLAND - CAPTAIN
 MICK CHRISTOPHER
 DOMINIC SQUADRITO
 WAYNE BAMBURY
 SHANE FREDRICKSON
 ANDREW GALEA
 DARREN CURRIE
 MICK ZALUNARDO
 GEORGE KOKOTAS
 STEVE MURPHY
 GEORGE ORNELAS
 GREG ENGLISH
 JAMIE BLACK
 PAUL SFIER

COACH - GREG NEWMAN
 ASS. COACH- W. ROBINSON
 MANAGER - ANTHONY RAGUSA

WOMENS OPEN

KATRINA MAHER, CAPTAIN
 SILVANI CORTI
 DEBBY EGAN
 JODY ENGLISH
 LYNELLE HARDY
 CRISTY HORNERY
 NICOLE MCLACHLAN
 GABRIELLE MAHER
 JANINE MILLEN
 KELLIE SMITH
 GISELLE TIRADO
 PAULA VASSALO
 JENNIE WILLIAMS
 JUSTINE SMITH

COACH - DENIS SHELLEY
 ASS. COACH- JOHN COLLINS
 MANAGER - JOY COLLINS

MENS 20S

BRAD WOOTTEN, CAPTAIN
 LOUIS ABDILLA
 SHANE BRU
 BRENT POWELL
 JAMIE STOWE
 DAVID SHARPE
 ANDREW WRIGHT
 JAYSON PEACOCK
 SHANE O'NEILL
 GREG VAN BAAST
 AARON ALDRIDGE
 JASON SKINNER
 CHRISTOPHER HILL
 SCOTT LEVY

COACH - ADAM COLLINS
 ASS. COACH- MICHAEL GILLAN
 MANAGER - RON HANSON

WOMENS 20S

KRISTY JUDD, CAPTAIN
 MELINDA GUTHRIE
 CHERIE MARSH
 ANGELA ZAVROS
 DONNA HOLLINGSWORTH
 MELLISSA PITFIELD
 TRISH BATTISTON
 AMANDA JUDD
 SHANNON WILDING
 KIM MOYLE
 REBECCA DUNBAR
 CARA WEBB
 JO HENSLEY
 DOMINIQUE MAHER

COACH - GARY CROFT
 ASS. COACH- NORMAN HINDY
 MANAGER - FRAN HANSON

MENS 30S

MARK HEARNDON, CAPTAIN
 GARY TOOHEY
 TIM KITCHINGHAM
 TONY HOWARD
 MARK RENSHAW
 STEVE HANCOCK
 STEVE GOLDING
 SCOTT BAVERSTONE
 DAVID CHEUNG
 GLENN RICHARDS
 MARK HARRINGTON
 PETER CLARKE
 LEN RYAN
 CRAIG SIMS

COACH - IAN STANLEY
 ASS. COACH- BRENT PERKINS
 MANAGER - FRANK O'MALLEY

WOMENS 30S

JUDY MALCOLM, CAPTAIN
 KAREN SMITH
 JODI HART
 DEBRA BROWN
 KATHY LIDDLE
 LINDY ROBERTS
 MARIA DACK
 GAI TAYLOR
 TACEY SIMPSON
 DOT STACKWELL
 CATHY PEARL
 ANNETTE MOUNSEY
 DONNA O'CONNOR
 ANA LOUGHMAN

COACH - BOB FOSTER
 ASS. COACH- DEBBIE SAULT
 MANAGER - JOHN WACHMAN

MENS 35s

ANDY YLANGOU, CAPTAIN
 MARK SCOTT
 DEAN MCMANUS
 GARY SIMMONS
 ROBERT BEHNKE
 GARRY CLARKE
 MICK MCCALL
 RON WALL
 JOHN CATTELL
 ROD BYRNE
 MARK RUSCOE
 STEVE MORONEY
 GEOFF PENSINI
 ROD MARTIN

COACH - ALAN CRAWFORD
 ASS. COACH- WILLIAM MILLS
 MANAGER - GLENDA PATON

MENS 40S

NICK SILVESTRO, CAPTAIN
 RON CHILBY
 DAVE KNIGHT
 GARRY ELLIS
 WAYNE SALVESTRO
 RAY WILSON
 PAUL DUCKETT
 KEIRAN GAVIN
 VIC WOOLLEY
 CHRIS TOPE
 BRUCE SMITH
 PETER VINCENT
 JOHN ACTON
 FRANK TROPIANO

COACH - FRANK MCDERMOTT
 ASS. COACH- MICHAEL BARLOW
 MANAGER - STEVE COLLINS

MENS 45s

WAYNE CLIFFORD, CAPTAIN
 RAY GRIGG
 MICHAEL JONSON
 GEOFF WARDROBE
 DENNIS DWYER
 TERRY LEECH
 ROD MCLAREN
 REG TOBY
 JOHN WONDERGEM
 ROD BURCE
 PAUL FERRARIO
 GRAHAM MEALLY
 GARY BROWN
 BARRY MCMANUS

COACH - LES HOLDSWORTH
 ASS. COACH- TERRY BRENNAN
 MANAGER - RON SMITH

NEW SOUTH WALES STATE TEAMS CONTINUED

MIXED OPEN

DARREN SHELLEY, CAPTAIN
 STACEY WHITE
 RENEE RANDALL
 DAVID ROBERTS
 SCOTT MCLEOD
 GERARD MCSHANE
 CRAIG NICHOLLS
 JASON HUNT
 LAURIE HORDER
 RIKK LEWIS
 DEBBIE BIDDOLPH
 VICKI THEOS
 MICHELLE BOLAND
 LORRAINE CARUANA
 COACH - JEFF ALDRIDGE
 ASS. COACH - PETER DEL MONTE
 MANAGER - KANE WEEKS

OFFICIALS

TOUR MANAGER
 - PETER REID
 GENERAL MANAGER
 - KEN CRAWFORD
 ASS. GENERAL MANAGER
 - LAN HARKNESS
 HEAD COACH
 - BRIAN ROONEY
 CITY DEVELOPMENT OFFICER
 - DEAN RUSSELL
 DOCTOR
 - DR PAUL BLOOMFIELD
 PHYSIO
 - FRANCIS CROSSLE
 STRAPPER
 - MICK WILLIAMS
 STRAPPER
 - TED RUSSELL

QUEENSLAND STATE TEAMS

MENS OPEN

BOB BRINDELL
 LAURIE BRINDELL
 PAUL DART
 COREY FOSTER
 PAT GREHAN
 ASHLEY HEINIGER
 CRAIG PIERCE
 SCOTT PIERCE
 DAVE RAPER
 SHANE RIGBY
 GREG ROSS
 REECE SALE
 ROLAND TAYLOR
 ANDREW WILLETT
 COACH - CAMERON POWELL
 MANAGER - LAN RODGERS

WOMENS OPEN

CATHERINE BARR
 NATALIE BROWN
 RENEE CLARK
 DOMINIQUE CURTIS
 KELLY FIELD
 KAREN FRENCH
 LEANNE GREY
 ELISHA KOLOVOS
 JODIE LUCK
 MARIA MCWHIRTER
 TANYA SEWTER
 JULIE STYLES
 ANITA VINCENT
 SHARYN WILLIAMS
 COACH - SCOTT NOTLEY
 ASS. COACH - TRACY PELLING
 MANAGER - LORELLE LEWINGTON

MIXED OPEN

AMANDA BLISS
 REBECCA CHESTERTON
 DAVE CLARK
 CAMERON HALL
 KATE HASTIE
 MICHAEL HUNTER
 WAYNE MOORE
 BRENTON O'SHANESSY
 NATALIE PARKER
 DIANNE PIERCE
 GAVIN SHUKER
 RODNEY THOROGOOD
 TIM VILLALBA
 DIONE WILLIAMS
 COACH - BENNY HODGES
 ASS. COACH - SHANE EVANS
 MANAGER - KATHY O'BRIEN

WOMENS UNDER 20S

CARMEN ATKINS
 SHARON BANKS
 ANGELA BROWN
 LYNLLE DAY
 SIMONE EGGERS
 CARENE GRAMENZ
 FLEUR JENKINS
 KERRI-LEE MAHONEY
 JULIE MCKINNON
 FIONA MURRAY
 TRACY-LEE WILLIAMSON
 DEANNE WILKINSON
 NATALIE WILKINSON
 DANIELLE WILLIAMS
 COACH - EDDIE WATKIN
 ASS. COACH - DEAN WILKINSON
 MANAGER - LISA WATSON

MENS UNDER 20S

DARRELL CARELESS
 SHANE DUELL
 BRENDEN FRAZER
 MICHAEL FRITH
 WARREN GILES
 DAMIEN LOGAN
 CRAIG MADDERS
 TRENT McDONALD
 RALPH NATHAN
 RICK NEILSON
 CLAYTON REID
 SWAIN ROVELLI
 CRAIG SEARSTON
 NEIL WARD
 COACH - MICHAEL KELLY
 MANAGER - BARRY BARNES

WOMENS OVER 30S

PAM ACKERMAN
 GINA BAKER
 THERESE GAGE
 SUE COLE
 KIM COGHLAN
 KAY HARLING
 LEESA JOHNSTON
 KERRY NORMAN
 SANDI O'BRIEN
 LINDA PATERSON
 ANDREA ROTH
 ANITA SMEKEL
 JANELLE THORBURN
 LYNETTE WESCHE
 COACH - GRAHAME HARLING
 MANAGER - SHARON RICHARDSON

QUEENSLAND STATE TEAMS CONTINUED

MENS OVER 30s

COLIN BOND
SHANE BEALE
PETER BENYON
VINCE GARRICK
NEIL GOETSH
BILL JOHNSTON
PETER KAVANAGH
TIM MCKEE
PETER MARSH
GRANT RUSSELL
JEFF SHERMAN
DENIS VERRENKAMP
RICK VERRENKAMP
GREG YOUNG

COACH - COL JENKINSON
ASS. COACH- RAY DOWNES
MANAGER - GARY ROSE

MENS OVER 35s

DON BAARTZ
MICHAEL BOURKE
MAL CHERRY
GREG DUNCAN
DARRYL FORNO
KEVIN HICKEY
BARRY KENNETT
BILL MCLEAN
TREVOR MCPHILLIPS
GREG NORMAN
FRANK STAMPA
JOHN TRANBERG
KEVIN SHEARMAN
DEAN WARD

COACH - MARK EDWARDS
ASS. COACH- RON ETHERDEN
MANAGER - PAUL BROWN

MENS OVER 40s

MARK BRANDON
MAL BUNNEY
GLENN COHEN
KERRY COLLINS
KEVIN FELDMAN
TERRY HARRISON
RON JACKSON
TREVOR JOHNSON
JOHN LAWSON
DAVID LOGAN
MARK OSTWALD
DOUG ROBSON
BRIAN SCOTT
GEORGE WHITE

COACH - PAT CARROLL
ASS. COACH- BERNIE LOWTHER
MANAGER - GREG THOMAS

MENS OVER 45s

REG BARR
PETER BUCKLAND
DAVE HAMILTON
RAYMOND HEAD
JOHN HUNTER
BOB JAKEMAN
TREVOR KENNETT
DARRELL MADGE
JOHN MANN
ROBIN MANNING
ROD MILLARD
DON MURPHY
RAY PRIEST
PETER WATTS

COACH - JOHN CARROLL
MANAGER - WAYNE FITZPATRICK

OFFICIALS AND PHYSIOS

TOUR MANAGER
- DAVID COE
TOUR MANAGER
- MARK HEIRONYMUS
HEAD COACH
- REG HART
STATE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
- CAMERON HART
STATE TECHNICAL DIRECTOR
- ALAN SATCHELL
PHYSIO
- PETER MITCHELL
- LOUISE EDDY
- DEBBIE LENAHAN

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN STATE TEAMS

MENS OPEN

ANDREW MCKEEGAN
ADAM LEESON
KELBY PICKERING
DIARMUID CROWLEY
DAMIEN CARLSON
DOUG DEANS
ANGUE HAMBROOK
SIMON MILNES
CON NIKOLAKOPOUIOS
RICHARD TAYLOR
DANNY TRAVERS
GRAEME BRADSHAW
ADAM HEWITT
PETER PALM

COACH - ANNE PICKERING
MANAGER - JASON MCNAMARA
ASS. MANAGER
- ANDRE ZSEP

MIXED OPEN

SHARON O'CONNOR
CHRIS STEWART
KIRSTY DIBDEN
CHRIS WEBBER
MARK SAUNDERS
MICHAEL TAN
ROB KILDARE
LEN TANTI
STEPHENIE MARTIN-SADLER
CAROLE CHAPMAN
JUSTIN MCLNERNEY
CAROL MINERVINI
TRACY FRITH
BRIAN VARCOE

COACH - BOB COFFEY
MANAGER - GAVIN SCHNEIDER
ASS. MANAGER
- IMOGEN MOORE

TASMANIAN STATE TEAMS

MENS OPEN

BRENT MILLS
 GORDON JAMIESON
 TREVOR DONNELLY
 SHAUN WILLIAMS
 JOHN O'LOUGHLIN
 CHRIS CUSICK
 JOHN VISENTIN
 KEIR WILSON
 STUART SMITH
 ANDREW SMITH
 STEVEN TOMLIN
 PHIL WILLIAMS
 STEPHEN HAINES
 COACH - DALE LANGFORD
 MANAGER - DAVID SMITH

MENS OVER 35s

MICHAEL BEST
 DALE LANGFORD
 STEPHEN HAINES
 GREG SCHMIDT
 MICHAEL CASE
 COLIN THOMPSON
 MARK LAMONT
 MICHAEL GAFFNEY
 SHANE LITTLEJOHN
 GREG RISLEY
 COACH - PAUL GEAPPEN
 MANAGER - PHIL WILLIAMS

VICTORIAN STATE TEAMS

MIXED OPEN

KIM BUTLER
 GAYLE PROWSE
 STUART AMIS
 ALISTAIR EMERY
 IVAN POMARE
 SUE COM
 JANINE REID
 CAMERON BUTLER
 NEVIIIIE MAKIRI
 BRIAN RIES
 KAREN JONES
 BETH WICKLEIN
 BILLY DAVIC
 GEOFF PEACE

OFFICIALS & ASSISTANTS

COACH
 - MICHAEL SPARKS
 ASS. COACHES
 - YVONNE SILLETT
 - CHRIS PAIN
 MANAGER
 - GRAEME FORSYTH
 MASSEUR
 - STEVE DELANEY

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN STATE TEAMS

MENS OPEN

ROBERT BARUGH
 CHRIS BENFIELD
 MICHAEL BROWN
 PASCAL TRANQUILLE
 JASON CAMPBELL
 TONY DAVEY
 BRIAN FITZROY
 PETER GEFFERT
 DEREK HAINE
 TONY KANARIS
 AARON RITCHIE
 MARK SHULTZ
 TREVOR STRAHAN
 MARK WALLACE
 COACH - RICK BENFIELD
 MANAGER - NIGEL CLARKSON

WOMENS OPEN

NICOLE BLACK
 JODIE CAMPBELL
 JOANNA DAVIES
 JUDY GAUCI
 ALLISON GOULD
 MARCELLA MERITO
 TANYA MITCHELL
 LYDIA MOEAHU
 MARY PETRIE
 TRACEY READER
 MONICA ROSS
 SHARELLE SPENCER
 DEBBIE STRICKLAND
 PETA WATKINS
 COACH - KEITH HARRIS-WALKER
 MANAGER - BRIAN FISHER
 FITNESS TRAINER
 - PAUL CALCRAFT

OVER 30s WOMEN

ANNE-MARIE BATTEN
 KAREN BOSTON
 PHILLIPA BURNS
 ANNE CLAY
 KAREN COGGAN
 KIM COUCH
 RENATA FORTINI
 CHRIS MILNE
 JACKIE NORMAN
 AMANDA SUTTON
 AMANDA TAGLIAFERRI
 SANDRA WALKER
 JAYNEE FIELDING
 CAPT/COACH MANAGER
 - ROBYN DUNKERLEY
 MANAGER - PAUL MARTIN

REFEREES

NATIONAL REFEREES COMMITTEE

DIRECTOR OF REFEREES BARRIE KEENAHAN
RAY EUSTACE
LAN MATTHEWS
LYN WILKINSON
LOU THOMPkins

RUSSELL BARNsLEY
RICK BORG
PAUL CHAPPEL
PHIL CONBOY
PHIL CULLEN
COLIN FARLOW
TIM FREEBODY
PHILLIP GOODSSELL
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MONDAY 17 OCTOBER 1994

TIME/FIELD	TWO	THREE	FOUR	FIVE	EIGHT	NINE
3.50 PM	MENS OPEN SA vs NSW	MENS OPEN DEF vs ACT	M30 NSW vs QLD 20's	WOMENS NSW vs QLD 20's	M30 ACT vs NSW 20's	W30 NT vs NSW
4.40 PM	MENS OPEN WA vs QLD	MENS OPEN TAS vs NT	M40 NSW vs NSW 45's	M40 QLD vs QLD 45's	M30 DEF vs QLD	W30 WA vs QLD
5.30 PM	WOMENS WA vs QLD		WOMENS NT vs NSW 20's	MIXED SA vs VIC	M35 TAS vs ACT	M35 NT vs NSW
6.20 PM	MENS OPEN SA vs DEF	MENS OPEN ACT vs NSW	WOMENS DEF vs QLD 20's	MIXED NSW vs QLD	M35 DEF vs QLD	
7.10 PM	MENS OPEN WA vs TAS	MENS OPEN NT vs QLD	M30 QLD vs NSW 20's	M40 DEF vs QLD 45's	M30 NSW vs ACT	W30 NSW vs QLD
8.00 PM	WOMENS WA vs NSW 20's	WOMENS NT vs QLD		M40 NSW vs QLD	M30 DEF vs QLD 20's	W30 WA vs ACT



TUESDAY 18 OCTOBER 1994

TIME/FIELD	TWO	THREE	FOUR	FIVE	EIGHT	NINE
2.10 PM	M35 NT vs TAS	W30 NT vs QLD	MENS OPEN SA vs ACT	MENS OPEN DEF vs NSW	M40 NSW vs DEF	M40 QLD vs NSW 45's
3.00PM	M35 DEF vs ACT	W30 ACT vs NSW	MENS OPEN WA vs NT	MENS OPEN TAS vs QLD	M30 NSW vs DEF	MIXED SA vs NSW
3.50 PM	M35 NSW vs QLD	WOMENS DEF vs NSW		M30 NSW 20's vs QLD 20's	M30 ACT vs QLD	MIXED VIC vs QLD
4.40 PM	WOMENS WA vs NT	WOMENS QLD vs NSW 20's				M40 NSW vs QLD 45's
5.30 PM	W30 WA vs NSW	W30 NT vs ACT	MENS OPEN SA vs WA	MENS OPEN DEF vs TAS		M40 DEF vs NSW 45's
6.20 PM		M35 TAS vs DEF	MENS OPEN ACT vs NT	MENS OPEN NSW vs QLD	M30 DEF vs NSW 20's	MIXED SA vs QLD
7.10 PM	WOMENS DEF vs NSW 20's	M35 NT vs QLD	M35 NSW vs ACT	M30 NSW vs QLD	WOMENS NT vs QLD 20's	MIXED VIC vs NSW
8.00 PM	WOMENS NSW vs QLD	M40 DEF vs QLD	M40 NSW 45's vs QLD 45's	M30 ACT vs QLD 20's	W30 ACT vs QLD	W30 NT vs WA



WEDNESDAY 19 OCTOBER 1994

TIME/FIELD	TWO	THREE	FOUR	FIVE	EIGHT	NINE
10.10 AM	MENS OPEN SA vs TAS	MENS OPEN NT vs DEF	M30 NSW vs NSW 20's	W30 NT vs NSW	W30 WA vs QLD	M40 QLD vs QLD 45's
11.00 AM	MENS OPEN ACT vs QLD	MENS OPEN WA vs NSW	M35 TAS vs QLD	M30 QLD vs QLD 20's	M30 ACT vs DEF	M40 NSW vs NSW 45's
11.50 AM	WOMENS QLD vs QLD 20's	WOMENS NT vs DEF	MIXED NSW vs QLD	MIXED SA vs VIC	M35 NSW vs DEF	M35 NT vs ACT
12.40 PM		WOMENS WA vs NSW			W30 WA vs ACT	W30 NSW vs QLD
1.30 PM	MENS OPEN SA vs NT	MENS OPEN DEF vs QLD	M40 DEF vs QLD 45's	M40 NSW vs QLD	M30 NSW vs ACT	M30 DEF vs QLD
2.20 PM	MENS OPEN WA vs ACT	MENS OPEN NSW vs TAS	M30 NSW 20's vs QLD 20's	M35 TAS vs NSW		MIXED SA vs NSW
3.10 PM	WOMENS DEF vs QLD	WOMENS WA vs QLD 20's	W30 NT vs QLD	M35 ACT vs QLD	W30 ACT vs NSW	MIXED VIC vs QLD
4.00 PM	WOMENS NSW vs NSW 20's	M40 QLD vs NSW 45's	M40 DEF vs NSW	M35 NT vs DEF	M30 NSW vs DEF	M30 ACT vs QLD



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THURSDAY 20 OCTOBER 1994

TIME/FIELD	ONE	TWO	THREE	EIGHT	NINE	
9.00 AM		W30 WA vs NSW	W30 NT vs ACT	M40 NSW vs QLD 45's	M40 DEF vs NSW 45's	
9.50 AM		M30 NSW vs QLD	MIXED SA vs QLD	WOMENS WA vs DEF		
10.40 AM		M30 ACT vs DEF	MIXED VIC vs NSW	WOMENS NSW 20's vs QLD 20's	WOMENS NT vs NSW	
11.30 PM		W30 ACT vs QLD	M40 DEF vs QLD	MENS OPEN SA vs QLD	MENS OPEN WA vs DEF	
12.20 PM		W30 NT vs WA	M40 NSW 45's vs QLD 45's	MENS OPEN ACT vs TAS	MENS OPEN NT vs NSW	
1.10 PM TILL 3.00PM AFTERNOON BREAK BEFORE SEMI FINALS						
3.00 PM	MIXED SEMI 2 vs 3	M30 SEMI 2 vs 3	MENS OPEN PLATE SEMI 5 vs 8			
4.00 PM	WOMENS SEMI 2 vs 3	MIXED SEMI 1 vs 4	M30 SEMI 1 vs 4	MENS OPEN PLATE SEMI 6 vs 7		
5.00 PM	WOMENS SEMI 1 vs 4	M35 SEMI 2 vs 3	M40 SEMI 2 vs 3			
6.00 PM	MENS OPEN SEMI 2 vs 3	M35 SEMI 1 vs 4	W30 SEMI 2 vs 3			
7.00 PM	MENS OPEN SEMI 1 vs 4		W30 SEMI 1 vs 4			

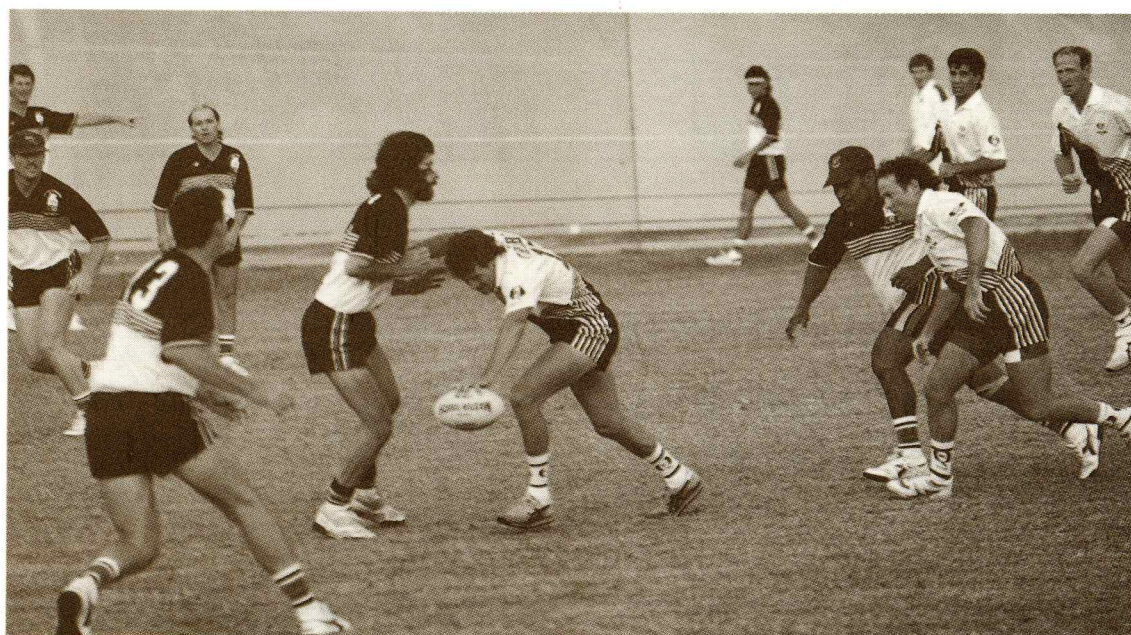
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FRIDAY 21 OCTOBER 1994

TIME/FIELD	ONE	TWO	THREE	EIGHT		
8.30 AM	MENS 45'S FINAL	WOMENS 20'S FINAL	MENS 35'S BRONZE	MENS 35'S PLATE FINAL		
9.35 AM	MENS 40'S FINAL	MENS 20'S FINAL	MENS 30'S BRONZE	WOMENS 30'S BRONZE		
10.40 AM	MENS 35'S FINAL	WOMENS 30'S FINAL	MIXED OPEN BRONZE	WOMENS OPEN BRONZE		
11.45 AM	MENS 30'S FINAL	MENS OPEN BRONZE	MENS PLATE FINAL			
1.00 PM	MIXED OPEN FINAL					
2.30 PM	WOMENS OPEN FINAL					
4.00 PM	MENS OPEN FINAL					



The Itinerary

SUNDAY 16 OCTOBER

A COMPULSORY TEAM MANAGERS BRIEFING WILL BE HELD AT 5.00 P.M. AT THE GOLD COAST TOUCH CLUBHOUSE, OWEN PARK SOUTHPORT.

MONDAY 17 OCTOBER

THE MARCH PAST AND OFFICIAL OPENING WILL TAKE PLACE IN SOUTHPORT COMMENCING AT 9.30 A.M.

THE FIRST ROUND OF GAMES WILL COMMENCE AT 3.50 P.M. AND WILL CONCLUDE BY 9.00 P.M.

TUESDAY 18 OCTOBER

MAYORAL MORNING TEA WILL TAKE PLACE AT 10 A.M.

GAMES WILL COMMENCE AT 2.10 P.M. AND CONCLUDE BY 9.00 P.M.

WEDNESDAY 19 OCTOBER

GAMES WILL COMMENCE AT 10.10 A.M. AND CONCLUDE BY 5.00 P.M.

THURSDAY 20 OCTOBER

THE LAST OF THE ROUND ROBIN GAMES WILL COMMENCE AT 10.10A.M. AND CONCLUDE BY 1.10 P.M.

THE SEMI FINALS WILL COMMENCE AT 3.00 P.M. WITH THE LAST GAME BEING PLAYED AT 7.00 P.M.

FRIDAY 21 OCTOBER

FINALS FOR ALL DIVISIONS WILL COMMENCE AT 8.30 A.M. IN ADDITION TO TEAMS PLAYING FOR THE NATIONAL TITLE, THERE WILL BE PLAYOFFS FOR THE BRONZE MEDALLIONS (3RD POSITION) AND FOR THE PLATE TITLE (TEAMS THAT DID NOT QUALIFY FOR THE FINAL SERIES). THE MENS OPEN FINAL WILL BE THE LAST GAME SCHEDULED TO COMMENCE AT 4.00 P.M.

The March Past

THE MARCH PAST WILL BE CONDUCTED ON THE STREETS OF SOUTHPORT FINISHING UP AT THE SOUTHPORT MALL STARTING AT 9.30 A.M. ON MONDAY, 17 OCTOBER 1994.

INCLUDED IN THE MARCH PAST WILL BE:

- THE BAND
- ATA OFFICIAL WITH THE NATIONAL FLAG
- QUEENSLAND OFFICIAL WITH THE ATA FLAG
- THE REFEREES
- THE SELECTORS

Conditions of Entry

1. ELIGIBILITY

PARTICIPATING CONSTITUENT BODIES (CB'S) MUST BE FULLY FINANCIAL WITH THE ATA BY 17 OCTOBER 1994.

2. AGE REQUIREMENTS

FOR MENS, WOMENS AND MIXED OPEN DIVISIONS, PLAYERS MAY BE OF ANY AGE.

FOR PLAYERS COMPETING IN AGE CATEGORIES, THE FOLLOWING APPLIES:

MENS TWENTIES AND UNDER	–	BORN IN 1974 OR AFTER.
WOMENS TWENTIES AND UNDER	–	BORN IN 1974 OR AFTER
MENS THIRTIES AND OVER	–	BORN IN 1964 OR BEFORE.
WOMENS THIRTIES AND OVER	–	BORN IN 1964 OR BEFORE.
MENS THIRTY FIVES AND OVER	–	BORN IN 1959 OR BEFORE.
MENS FORTIES AND OVER	–	BORN IN 1954 OR BEFORE.
MENS FORTY FIVES AND OVER	–	BORN IN 1949 OR BEFORE.

3. REGISTRATIONS

CB'S COMPETING IN RESTRICTED AGE DIVISIONS MUST FOLLOW THE PROCEDURE LISTED BELOW:

- A. EACH CB MUST SUPPLY A STATUTORY DECLARATION, STATING THAT PLAYERS REPRESENTING THEIR CB QUALIFY FOR THE DIVISION THEY HAVE NOMINATED FOR.
- B. IN THE EVENT OF A PROTEST BEING LODGED ON A PLAYERS ELIGIBILITY, (SHOULD THE CONTROLLING COMMITTEE FEEL THE PROTEST HAS FOUNDATION), THE CB WILL BE RESPONSIBLE TO PROVIDE PROOF OF AGE OF THE PLAYER CONCERNED.

ACCEPTABLE PROOF OF AGE: BIRTH CERTIFICATE OR CURRENT PASSPORT.

- C. PLAYERS MAY NOMINATE FOR ONE DIVISION ONLY. TEAM MANAGERS MUST COMPLETE A TEAM NOMINATION FORM AND SUBMIT THE FORM TO THE TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR AT THE TEAM MANAGERS MEETING.

ALL TEAMS MUST ONLY CONSIST OF A MAXIMUM OF 14 PLAYERS PER TEAM AND MUST ALL BE CORRECTLY INDICATED ON THE TEAM REGISTRATION FORM SUPPLIED.

4. REGISTRATION FORMS

TOGETHER WITH THE NOMINATED PLAYERS IN THE PROGRAM, TEAM MANAGERS ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT A TEAM REGISTRATION FORM WHICH IS TO BE COMPLETED AND RETURNED TO THE TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR NO LATER THAN THE CONCLUSION OF THE TEAM MANAGERS MEETING.

TEAMS ARE ONLY PERMITTED TO USE FOURTEEN PLAYERS IN EACH SQUAD, OF WHICH THEY ARE THE ONLY PLAYERS THAT MAY PARTICIPATE IN ANY ONE MATCH THAT THE TEAM PARTICIPATES IN. UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES ARE PLAYERS TO APPEAR ON MORE THAN ONE REGISTRATION FORM OR COMPETE IN MORE THAN ANY ONE TEAM.

A TEAM IS ONLY TO USE THOSE PLAYERS WHOSE NAMES APPEAR ON THEIR REGISTRATION FORM. ONCE THE FOURTEEN NAMES HAVE BEEN SUBMITTED AT THE MANAGERS MEETING, NO ADDITIONS OR REPLACEMENTS WILL BE PERMITTED.

5. TOUCHBALLS

ALL TEAMS MUST USE THE TOUCHBALLS IN ALL GAMES THROUGHOUT THE CHAMPIONSHIPS AS SUPPLIED BY THE ATA.

6. INSURANCE

INSURANCE IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF EACH CB. THE ATA ACCIDENT INSURANCE SCHEME COVERS ALL PLAYERS AND ATA OFFICIALS AT THIS EVENT. IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF EACH CB TO ENSURE THAT ALL PLAYERS ARE AFFILIATED AND INSURED.

7. BEHAVIOUR

IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF EACH CB TO ENSURE THAT THEIR TOURING PARTY BEHAVE IN THE MANNER EXPECTED OF THE ATA.

IN THE EVENT OF ANY CONFIRMED REPORTS TO THE CONTRARY, THE REPORTS WILL BE INVESTIGATED. IF PROVEN, STRONG ACTION WILL BE TAKEN BY THE ATA.

8. PROTESTS AND JUDICIARY

PROTESTS, DISPUTES AND JUDICIAL MATTERS WILL BE HEARD AND DETERMINED BY THE JUDICIARY AND OR PROTEST (DISPUTES) COMMITTEE.

THE JUDICIARY AND OR PROTEST (DISPUTES) COMMITTEE WILL BE CHAIRED BY A MEMBER OF THE ATA BOARD OF MANAGEMENT AND WILL INCLUDE AT LEAST TWO FURTHER MEMBERS AS APPOINTED BY THE CHAIRPERSON. PROTESTS MUST BE LODGED IN WRITING WITHIN 20 MINUTES OF THE CONCLUSION OF THE EVENT IN QUESTION, TO THE TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR OR TO AN OFFICIAL DESIGNATED BY THE TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR. THE PROTEST IS TO BE LODGED AND SIGNED BY THE TEAM MANAGER. THE PROTEST WILL THEN BE INVESTIGATED BY THE PROTEST (DISPUTES) AND OR JUDICIARY COMMITTEE AND THEIR DECISION WILL BE RETURNED TO THE TEAM MANAGER CONCERNED.

9. SUSPENSIONS

IN THE EVENT OF A PLAYER BEING SENT FROM THE FIELD FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE GAME, AN AUTOMATIC TWO MATCH SUSPENSION WILL APPLY UNLESS THE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE CONSIDERS FURTHER ACTION IS WARRANTED.

TWO MATCHES IS DETERMINED BY THE NEXT TWO MATCHES A TEAM PARTICIPATES IN. IT DOES NOT INVOLVE BYES OR IF THE PLAYER BELONGS TO A TEAM THAT FORFEITS A MATCH.

10. UNIFORMS

ALL PLAYING UNIFORMS, INCLUDING NUMBERED SHIRT, SHORTS, SOCKS (THAT ARE VISIBLE) AND FOOTWEAR, MUST BE CORRECT FOR EVERY TEAM BY THE COMMENCEMENT OF THE CHAMPIONSHIPS (ATA RULES BOOK, 5TH EDITION).

TEAMS THAT ARE COMPETING IN OTHER DIVISIONS (EG WOMENS 20'S IN WOMENS OPEN) WILL BE REQUIRED TO SUPPLY AND WEAR AN ALTERNATE COLOURED SHIRT (WHICH MUST BE NUMBERED) WHEN COMPETING AGAINST THEIR OWN STATE TEAM FOR THAT DIVISION. THESE TEAMS ARE THE NSW AND QLD WOMENS 20'S AND UNDER, NSW AND QLD MENS 20'S AND UNDER AND THE NSW AND QLD MENS 45'S AND OVER.

11. TOURNAMENT CONTROL

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE DIRECTOR OF TOURNAMENTS, DIRECTOR OF REFEREES, JUDICIARY AND PROTEST COMMITTEE AND THE TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE WILL BE IN CHARGE OF ALL MATTERS RELATING TO THIS TOURNAMENT.

MATTERS NOT COVERED BY THE CONDITION OF ENTRY OR THE COMPETITION GUIDELINES, WILL BE DETERMINED BY THE ABOVE COMMITTEES AND OR DIRECTORS AND THEIR DECISIONS WILL BE FINAL.

12. TEAM MANAGERS MEETING

A COMPULSORY TEAM MANAGERS MEETING WILL BE HELD AT THE GOLD COAST TOUCH CLUBHOUSE, OWEN PARK SOUTHPORT, AT 5.00 P.M. ON SUNDAY, 16 OCTOBER 1994. ALL RELEVANT DETAILS WILL BE DISCUSSED AT THIS MEETING.

The Competition

A. RULES

THE 5TH EDITION OF THE ATA PLAYING RULES WILL APPLY UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED.

B. VENUE

GOLD COAST TOUCH ASSOCIATION FIELDS – OWEN PARK, SOUTHPORT. THIS VENUE WILL BE USED FOR ALL GAMES IN THIS TOURNAMENT.

C. MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

WILL BE AVAILABLE THROUGHOUT THE COURSE OF THE COMPETITION.

D. DIVISIONS

A TOTAL OF FORTY ONE (41) TEAMS WILL COMPETE IN TEN DIVISIONS:

MENS OPEN	–	EIGHT TEAMS
WOMENS OPEN	–	FIVE TEAMS
MIXED OPEN	–	FOUR TEAMS
MENS TWENTIES AND UNDER	–	TWO TEAMS
WOMENS TWENTIES AND UNDER	–	TWO TEAMS
MENS THIRTIES AND OVER	–	FOUR TEAMS
WOMENS THIRTIES AND OVER	–	FIVE TEAMS
MENS THIRTY FIVES AND OVER	–	SIX TEAMS
MENS FORTIES AND OVER	–	THREE TEAMS
MENS FORTY FIVES AND OVER	–	TWO TEAMS



E. PLAYING TIMES

GAMES IN THE ROUND ROBIN SERIES WILL BE TWENTY MINUTES EACH WAY WITH A HALF TIME BREAK NOT EXCEEDING FIVE MINUTES.

SEMI FINALS AND FINALS WILL BE TWENTY FIVE MINUTES EACH WAY, WITH A HALF TIME BREAK NOT EXCEEDING FIVE MINUTES.

IF EXTRA TIME IS REQUIRED, THE DROP OFF SYSTEM WILL BE UTILISED.

F. BLOOD BIN

IF DURING A GAME, A PLAYER IS BLEEDING FROM AN OPEN WOUND OR GRAZE, THAT PLAYER WILL BE INSTRUCTED TO LEAVE THE FIELD AND MAY NOT RETURN TO THE FIELD UNTIL THE BLEEDING HAS BEEN CONTROLLED.

THE PLAYER MAY BE REPLACED DURING THIS PERIOD OF ENFORCED ABSENCE FROM THE GAME.

THE WOUND MUST BE COVERED TO PROTECT FROM FURTHER BLEEDING AND IF THE PLAYERS CLOTHING IS STAINED WITH BLOOD, THE GARMENT MUST BE REPLACED OR WASHED OUT SO THAT THE BLOOD IS NO LONGER PRESENT, OR AT LEAST, SUITABLY DILUTED.

G. FORFEITS

TEAMS MUST BE IN ATTENDANCE AT THEIR PLAYING FIELDS FIVE MINUTES BEFORE THE COMMENCEMENT OF THEIR MATCH.

IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF EACH CAPTAIN TO REPORT TO THE REFEREE SO THAT THE TOSS OF THE COIN CAN BE EFFECTED WITHOUT LOSS OF TIME.

IF A TEAM IS NOT AT THE FIELD AT THE ADVERTISED STARTING TIME OF THE GAME, THE ATTENDING TEAM CAN BE AWARDED THE WINNING OF THE TOSS.

THE OFFENDING TEAM WILL RECEIVE A MAXIMUM OF FIVE MINUTES FROM THE COMMENCEMENT OF THE GAME (HOOTER/WHISTLE) TO POSITION THE TEAM ON THE FIELD AND READY TO COMMENCE PLAY.

IF THE OFFENDING TEAM IS NOT IN ATTENDANCE AFTER FIVE MINUTES EXPIRES, THE GAME WILL BE DEEMED A FORFEIT AND THE NON OFFENDING TEAM WILL BE AWARDED A 1-0 WIN (SEE NEXT SECTION) AND THREE COMPETITION POINTS. THE OFFENDING TEAM WILL RECEIVE A SCORE OF 0-1 AND NO COMPETITION POINTS.

THE TEAM MANAGER AND OR CAPTAIN OF AN OFFENDING TEAM WILL BE REQUIRED TO GIVE REASONS IN WRITING WHY THEIR TEAM SHOULD NOT BE EXCLUDED FROM PARTICIPATING IN ANY SEMI FINAL FOR FINAL MATCHES. THE PROTEST (DISPUTES) COMMITTEE WILL DECIDE UPON RECEIPT OF REPORT IF THE OFFENDING TEAMS ACTION WARRANTED THE NEED TO FORFEIT THE MATCH. THE WRITTEN REPORT IS TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR ON THE DAY OF THE MATCH WHICH WAS FORFEITED.

H. DETERMINING POSITIONS FOR THE SEMI FINALS

THE TOP FOUR TEAMS WITH THE MOST COMPETITION POINTS FROM THE MENS OPEN, WOMENS OPEN, MIXED OPEN, MENS 30'S AND OVER, WOMENS 30'S AND OVER AND MENS 35'S AND OVER WILL CONTEST THE FINAL SERIES.

IN THE MENS 40'S AND OVER THREE TEAMS WILL CONTEST THE FINAL SERIES. THE TWO TEAMS IN THE MENS 20'S AND UNDER, WOMENS 20'S AND UNDER AND MENS 45'S AND OVER WILL COMPETE IN THEIR OWN DIVISIONAL FINAL ON FRIDAY.

FORFEITED AFFECTED POSITIONS

IF TWO OR MORE TEAMS FINISH LEVEL ON COMPETITION POINTS AND ANY OF THOSE TEAMS WERE INVOLVED IN A FORFEITED MATCH IN THE ROUND ROBIN SERIES, THE FORFEIT MAY CAUSE SOME OBVIOUS PROBLEMS.

WHEN A NON OFFENDING TEAM HAS BEEN INVOLVED IN A FORFEIT, THE FOR AND AGAINST FROM THAT FORFEIT WILL NOT COUNT IN FINAL CALCULATIONS. SIMILARLY, FOR THE OTHER TEAMS THAT FINISH ON EQUAL POINTS, THEY WILL HAVE THE "FOR AND AGAINST" FROM THAT "FORFEITED" TEAM DEDUCTED FROM THEIR TOTAL. FOR TEAMS INVOLVED IN COMPETING AGAINST TEAMS ON TWO OCCASIONS DURING THE TOURNAMENT, THE CALCULATIONS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THIS RULE WILL BE THE CORRESPONDING GAME IN EACH ROUND.

EXAMPLE

TEAM C FORFEITS TO TEAM A IN GAME THREE (FIRST ROUND).

TEAM A WINS 1-0 ON FORFEIT.

TEAM B DEFEATS TEAM C 5-1 IN GAME FOUR (FIRST ROUND).

IF AFTER THE ROUND ROBIN SERIES, THE FOR AND AGAINST IS:

TEAM A – 50 FOR AND 10 AGAINST (PLUS 40)

TEAM B – 60 FOR AND 20 AGAINST (PLUS 40)

THE ABOVE RESULTS WOULD BE DEDUCTED FIRST, AND THE RESULT IS:

TEAM A – 49 FOR AND 10 AGAINST (PLUS 39)

TEAM B – 55 FOR AND 19 AGAINST (PLUS 36)

THEREFORE TEAM A WOULD GAIN THE HIGHER POSITION.

FOR THE PURPOSE OF KEEPING RECORDS, IF A FORFEIT OCCURS, THE NON OFFENDING TEAM WILL BE REWARDED WITH A 1-0 WIN AND THREE COMPETITION POINTS. THE OFFENDING TEAM WILL RECEIVE NO COMPETITION POINTS (SEE COMPETITION POINTS) AND A SCORE OF 0-1 AGAINST THEIR RECORD.

THIS SECTION ONLY DEALS WITH FORFEITED AFFECTED POSITIONS FOR NON OFFENDING TEAMS. THE OFFENDING TEAM THAT CAUSES THE FORFEIT WILL HAVE THEIR CALCULATIONS TREATED AS NORMAL AS THEY HAVE BEEN PENALISED BY RECEIVING NO COMPETITION POINTS FOR THE MATCH THEY FORFEITED.

AFTER THE ABOVE CALCULATIONS ARE MADE AND TEAMS ARE LEVEL ON COMPETITION POINTS, THE FOLLOWING SHALL APPLY:

FOR TEAMS FINISHING LEVEL ON COMPETITION POINTS FOR ANY POSITION, THE TEAM WITH THE BEST "DIFFERENCE" AS DETERMINED ON THEIR "FOR AND AGAINST" WILL OBTAIN THE HIGHER POSITION.

THE ABOVE SYSTEM WILL DETERMINE THE OUTCOME IN MOST CASES, HOWEVER IF THIS DOES NOT RESOLVE THE SITUATION, THE FOLLOWING STEPS WILL APPLY IN ORDER:

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- 1 DIFFERENCE (FOR AND AGAINST)
 - 2 PERCENTAGES
 - 3 GAME RESULT (LAST GAME PLAYED)
 - 4 GAME RESULT (PREVIOUS GAME PLAYED)
 - 5 COMPETITION POINTS AND FOR AND AGAINST
 - 6 DROP OFF

DIFFERENCES

THE DIFFERENCE IS DETERMINED BY SUBTRACTING THE TOTAL OF TOUCHDOWNS SCORED "AGAINST" FROM THE AMOUNT OF TOUCHDOWNS SCORED "FOR". THE TEAM WITH THE BEST DIFFERENCE WILL OBTAIN THE HIGHER POSITION.

EXAMPLE

TEAM A SCORES 50 FOR AND 10 AGAINST

TEAM B SCORES 40 FOR AND 10 AGAINST

BY SUBTRACTING THE "AGAINST" FROM THE "FOR", TEAM A WOULD BE "PLUS 40", WHILST TEAM B WOULD BE "PLUS 30". TEAM A WOULD THEREFORE OBTAIN THE HIGHER POSITION.

IF TEAMS HAVE THE SAME "DIFFERENCE" THE PERCENTAGE SYSTEM WOULD THEN APPLY.

PERCENTAGES

IF THIS SYSTEM IS USED, IT IS EASILY EXPLAINED THAT IF THE "DIFFERENCE" IS IN THE "PLUS" SITUATION (SEE ABOVE), THE TEAM WITH THE LEAST AMOUNT OF TOUCHDOWNS SCORED AGAINST THEM, WOULD OBTAIN THE HIGHER POSITION.

HOWEVER, IF THE "DIFFERENCE" IS IN THE "MINUS" SITUATION, THE TEAM THAT HAS SCORED THE MOST TOUCHDOWNS (FOR) WOULD OBTAIN THE HIGHER POSITION.

THE PERCENTAGE SYSTEM IS CALCULATED BY PLACING TOUCHDOWNS "FOR" OVER TOUCHDOWNS "AGAINST" AND MULTIPLYING BY 100 OVER 1.

USING THE ABOVE EXAMPLE:

$$\text{TEAM A} = \frac{50}{10} \times \frac{100}{1} = 500\% \quad \text{TEAM B} = \frac{60}{20} \times \frac{100}{1} = 300\%$$

TEAM A WOULD OBTAIN THE HIGHER POSITION.

IF TEAMS HAVE THE SAME DIFFERENCE AND PERCENTAGE, THE GAME RESULT WILL DETERMINE THE OUTCOME.

GAME RESULT

IS DETERMINED ON THE RESULTS BETWEEN THE TEAMS INVOLVED. FOR TEAMS THAT COMPETE AGAINST EACH OTHER MORE THAN ONCE (TWO ROUNDS) THE LAST GAME PLAYED BETWEEN THE TEAMS WOULD BE USED. IF THIS DOES NOT DECIDE THE SITUATION, THE PREVIOUS GAME WOULD BE USED (ROUND ONE).

FOR TEAMS THAT ONLY PLAY OPPONENTS ONCE (ONE ROUND) THE GAME RESULT INVOLVING THOSE TEAMS WOULD DECIDE THE OUTCOME.

COMPETITION POINTS AND FOR AND AGAINST

WOULD ONLY BE USED IF THE ABOVE SYSTEMS HAVE NOT RESOLVED THE SITUATION AND INVOLVES MORE THAN TWO TEAMS ON EQUAL COMPETITION POINTS.

IF THIS IS THE CASE, THE RESULTS INCLUDING THE FOR AND AGAINST FOR EACH TEAM FOR GAMES PLAYED AGAINST EACH OTHER ONLY WOULD BE USED TO DECIDE THE OUTCOME. COMPETITION POINTS BETWEEN THOSE TEAMS WOULD DECIDE THE OUTCOME, FOLLOWED BY THE ABOVE SYSTEMS IN ORDER.

DROP OFF

IF THE ABOVE SYSTEMS ARE UNABLE TO DECIDE THE OUTCOME, THE DROP OFF WILL BE USED.

I. DRAWN GAMES

THE TEAMS WINNING THE SEMI FINALS WILL PROCEED TO THE FINAL WITH THE WINNER OF THE FINAL BEING DECLARED THE NATIONAL CHAMPIONS EXCEPT IN THE MENS 20'S AND UNDER, WOMENS 20'S AND UNDER, MENS 40'S AND OVER AND MENS 45'S AND OVER WHERE THEY WILL NOT BECOME THE NATIONAL CHAMPIONS BUT JUST THE WINNERS OF THAT DIVISION.

BEFORE THE COMMENCEMENT OF THE SEMI FINALS, TEAMS WILL BE PLACED IN STRICT ORDER FOR POSITIONS AS DETERMINED BY COMPETITION POINTS AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE ROUND ROBIN SERIES. IF THE POINTS ARE EQUAL, THE SECTION OUTLINING DETERMINING POSITIONS FOR SEMI FINALS WILL BE USED.

IF ANY GAMES CONCLUDE IN A DRAW, THE "DROP OFF" SYSTEM WILL BE USED (FINAL SERIES ONLY).

AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE SECOND HALF (BEFORE EXTRA TIME), BOTH TEAMS WILL BE GIVEN A MAXIMUM BREAK OF ONE MINUTE.

CAPTAINS WILL BE INVOLVED IN THE "TOSS OF THE COIN" TO DECIDE THE RECOMMENCEMENT OF THE GAME.

THE TEAM AWARDED THE FIRST TOUCHDOWN IN EXTRA TIME WILL BE DECLARED THE WINNERS. HOWEVER, BOTH TEAMS MUST HAVE HAD POSSESSION IN EXTRA TIME BEFORE THE GAME CAN BE CONCLUDED.

AFTER EVERY TWO MINUTES (SIGNALLED BY A SIREN), THE REFEREE WILL REQUEST THE CAPTAIN OF EACH TEAM TO "DROP OFF" A PLAYER AT THE NEXT BREAK. PLAY WILL CONTINUE UNTIL ONE TEAM IS AWARDED A TOUCHDOWN.

J. COMPETITION POINTS

FOR ALL ROUND ROBIN GAMES, COMPETITION POINTS WILL BE AWARDED ON THE RESULTS OBTAINED. THE FOLLOWING POINTS WILL BE AWARDED:

WIN	=	THREE POINTS
DRAW	=	TWO POINTS
LOSS	=	ONE POINT
FORFEIT	=	NO POINTS (OFFENDING TEAM)

K. AUSTRALIAN CHAMPION STATE

TEAMS WILL GAIN POINTS ON THEIR FINISHING POSITION IN EACH DIVISION INCLUDING THE MARCH PAST. ONCE ALL TEAMS HAVE FINISHED, EACH STATE AND TERRITORY WILL RECEIVE A TOTAL AND THE STATE OR TERRITORY WITH THE MOST POINTS WILL BE DECLARED THE WINNERS.

CHAMPIONS	=	15 POINTS	FIFTH POSITION	=	5 POINTS
RUNNERS UP	=	10 POINTS	SIXTH POSITION	=	4 POINTS
THIRD POSITION	=	8 POINTS	SEVENTH POSITION	=	3 POINTS
FOURTH POSITION	=	7 POINTS	EIGHTH POSITION	=	2 POINTS

L. PRESENTATIONS

ALL TROPHIES AND MEDALLIONS WILL BE AWARDED AFTER THE FINALS AT THE GROUND. THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF AUSTRALIAN TEAMS FOR THE MENS 30'S AND OVER, WOMENS 30'S AND OVER, MENS 35'S AND OVER AND MENS 40'S AND OVER, (AUSTRALIAN TEAMS WILL NOT BE ANNOUNCED IN THE OPEN DIVISIONS) PLAYER OF THE SERIES AND HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES WILL TAKE PLACE AT THE PRESENTATION FUNCTION.

Phil Hawthorne 1943 – 1994

AUSTRALIAN TOUCH ASSOCIATION DIRECTOR OF SENIORS

PHIL WAS BORN IN NEWCASTLE ON THE 24TH OCTOBER 1943. HE WAS THE SON OF FRANK "HANK" HAWTHORNE (A FORMER NSW REPRESENTATIVE LEAGUE PLAYER) AND DORIS HAWTHORNE.

AFTER A DISTINGUISHED SPORTING CAREER THROUGH HIS SCHOOLING YEARS PHIL JOINED THE WANDERERS RUGBY UNION CLUB IN 1961. AFTER TWO RESERVE GRADE GAMES HE WAS PROMOTED TO FIRST GRADE AND JUST TWO WEEKS LATER REPRESENTED NEWCASTLE AGAINST THE TOURING FIJIANS. IN 1962 PHIL WENT ON TO REPRESENT AUSTRALIA AT THE TENDER AGE OF 18 YEARS.

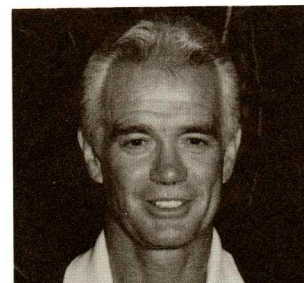
PHIL REPRESENTED AUSTRALIA IN RUGBY UNION IN 22 CONSECUTIVE RUGBY UNION TESTS. PHIL THEN SWITCHED CODES PLAYING RUGBY LEAGUE FOR THE FAMOUS ST GEORGE CLUB. PHIL PLAYED RUGBY LEAGUE FOR AUSTRALIA IN 1970 CAPTAINING AUSTRALIA IN THE TESTS AGAINST GREAT BRITAIN.

PHIL MOVED TO COFFS HARBOUR AND HE PARTOOK IN WHAT WAS TO BE A LONG AND PASSIONATE INVOLVEMENT WITH THE SPORT OF TOUCH. THIS INCLUDED A REPRESENTATIVE CAREER AS A PLAYER FOR NSW, PHIL ALSO HELD POSITIONS ON THE COFFS HARBOUR TOUCH COMMITTEE AS PRESIDENT, REGIONAL DIRECTOR OF FINANCE, NEW SOUTH WALES BOARD OF MANAGEMENT MEMBER AS TRUSTEE AND WAS ALSO A STATE AND NATIONAL SELECTOR.

PHIL PROJECTED HIS EFFORTS FURTHER AND UNDERTOOK THE DUTIES OF AN AUSTRALIAN TOUCH ASSOCIATION TECHNICAL PANEL MEMBER. HIS PORTFOLIO WAS DIRECTOR OF SENIORS. PHIL HELD THIS POSITION FROM 1990, UNTIL HE UNFORTUNATELY PASSED AWAY.

FOR THE PAST THREE YEARS PHIL FOUGHT LEUKAEMIA WITH THE SAME GRIT AND COURAGE HE SHOWED ON THE FOOTBALL FIELD. HE HAS BEEN AN INSPIRATION TO MANY, NOT THE LEAST TO SUE BUREY, HIS CONSTANT COMPANION AND SUPPORTER AND TO HIS CHILDREN MELISSA, MARK, ADAM AND SCOTT.

PHIL WILL BE SADLY MISSED BY ALL WHO KNEW HIM.



1993 National Championships - Sydney

GRAND FINAL RESULTS

MENS OPEN	NSW	2	V	QLD	0
WOMENS OPEN	QLD	1	V	NSW	0
MIXED OPEN	NSW	2	V	QLD	0
MENS OVER 30S	QLD	1	V	NSW	0
MENS OVER 35S	NSW	4	V	QLD	1
MENS OVER 40S	NSW	3	V	QLD	0

1994 Eastern States Championships - Forster

MENS UNDER 20S	QLD	4	V	NSW	3
WOMENS UNDER 20S	NSW	4	V	QLD	1
WOMENS OVER 27S	NSW	3	V	QLD	2

