



THE LORD'S TAVERNERS AUSTRALIA (VICTORIAN BRANCH) INC.

TWENTY NINTH

ANNUAL REPORT

AND

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the year ended 30th June, 2011

Committee 2010/11



Paul Sheahan

President
Joined the committee in 2000
Elected President in 2000



John Kilgour

Chairman
Joined the committee in 2009
Elected Chairman in 2011



Tim Winter

Treasurer
Joined the committee in 2005
Elected Treasurer in 2005



Carolyn Johnson

Secretary
Joined the committee in 2007
Elected Secretary in 2007

Mike Bullock

Joined the committee in 2009

Kevan Carroll

Joined the committee in 1994

Matthew Clayton

Joined the committee in 2010

Ian Crawford

Joined the committee in 1998

Evan Dimitriou

Joined the committee in 2010

Graeme Eccles

Joined the committee in 2007

Kevin Johnson

Joined the committee in 2004

Anita Matthews

Joined the committee in 2004

Bruce McDonald

Joined the committee in 2008

Peta Phillips

Joined the committee in 1986
Elected Life Member in 2010



Chairman's Report 2010-2011

As members of The Lord's Taverners in Victoria, we all share a common passion for the game of cricket, together with a strong belief that individual and personal development is enhanced by promoting social interaction and companionship through active participation in sport.

Over the last 12 months, we have continued to drive this premise in all that we do. We are building on the strong relationship we enjoy with both Cricket Australia and Cricket Victoria through personal engagement and positive involvement. The 2011 Imparja Cup conducted in Alice Springs, the International Deaf Tri Series held at Geelong in January, the annual Lords Taverners Trophy and our support for regular tournaments to be played for those with a disadvantage at Footscray Indoor Cricket Stadium, are all testimony to this. The support given by the National Branch of the Lord's Taverners and the personal commitment of Chairman, Greg Brown and local Committee member, Ian Crawford, to these above programs are clear examples of our social investment philosophy at work "in the community".

At a National level, a conference of all State Branches was held in September 2010, and re-inforced the importance of being autonomous, fulfilling charitable ambitions in our own territories, but importantly being part of a "global family" under a consistent brand with shared visions and values. Cricket was firmly positioned and confirmed as part of our DNA !!

We are continuing to work in close collaboration with Cricket Victoria. This includes our support for the 2011 Gippsland Girls Cricket Carnival, held in very wet and trying conditions.

Over 130 girls from the Gippsland Region played in the carnival with a key highlight for the tournament was the participation of 10 Koori women, many of whom will push for future selection in Gippsland representative teams.



Supporting the Gippsland Girls Cricket carnival – February 2011

In addition, we have recently announced our major sponsorship of the All Abilities Victorian Cricket Carnival to be conducted at Casey Fields in February 2012. We acknowledge and thank Cricket Victoria Chairman - Geoff Tamblyn, CEO - Tony Dodemaide and General Manager Game Development - John Watkin, for their continued encouragement and support in this regard.

We also acknowledge our inaugural Indigenous Cricket Scholarship recipient, Alex Kerr. As Alex now continues to progress his career with the North Melbourne Cricket Club, we wish him every success in his future cricketing endeavours.

Ausrapid has again been supported on a number of fronts through events coordinated nationally. In Victoria, we are particularly proud of our continued support provided to the Australian Tennis Open for those with a disadvantage. This tournament is played at the same time as the Australian Tennis Open and attracts competitors from all over Australia and overseas. We provide funds as well as active participation by committee members, Ian Crawford and Peta Phillips.

Our annual Boxing Day Test Breakfast at the MCG and "Legends" of Victorian Cricket Dinner conducted at Royal South Yarra Lawn Tennis Club, continue to be highlights on our annual events calendar. In September, 2010, we inducted Ian Redpath, Damien Fleming, Ken Jacobs and the late Lindsay Hassett as we acknowledged the contribution they have made to cricket in this state. Other award recipients on the night included:

Brett Forsyth (2010 Junior Male Taverner of the Year)

Stephanie Townsend (2010 Junior Female Taverner of the Year)

Kate Dempsey (2010 "Betty Butcher" Emerging Player of the Year)

It doesn't get much bigger or better than an Ashes Boxing Day Test. In December 2010, we invited local and UK based touring Lord's Taverners members to "inspect the MCG wicket" in preparation for the Test, whilst also conducting a tour of the extensive books at the MCC Library.

Our Boxing Day Test Breakfast was again well supported by members with Justin Langer sharing his early memories of his first Boxing Day Test vs. the might of the West Indian pace attack and he was ably supported by comedian Bob "The Cat" Bevan.



LT President, Paul Sheahan, hosting local & international LT members during the "pitch inspection for the Boxing Day Test

A key highlight of the breakfast was the presentation of an Honorary Life Membership Award to Committee member, Peta Phillips, by our President, Paul Sheahan. Pip has contributed over 25 years of service to this Branch and now joins a select and salubrious

group of Taverners including Keith Burnham, Sheila Scotter AM MBE, Jim Thompson OAM and John MacKinnon. Congratulations Pip – very well done.

Other member functions and events conducted included an evening “at the G” viewing rare and distinguished books at the MCC Library, our annual Lords Taverners Cricket match vs the MCC 29’rs and also an intimate gathering of members for a night at the Kingston Hotel where our MC, Rodney Hogg, interviewed State Selector, John McWhirter.



LT members Tim Winter & Matthew Clayton @ the MCC 29’rs Cricket Match – Feb 2011

These events continued to provide members the opportunity to meet, network and gain further insights into our great game.

2010 / 11 has also been a period of significant change, both in terms of leadership and direction. Our former Chairman John Jeffreys resigned earlier this year due to work commitments in Adelaide. We take this opportunity to acknowledge and thank “JJ” for the enormous contribution he has made at both a state and national level. We wish “JJ” and Sue every success for the future in Adelaide and look forward to catching up with them both at future Lord’s Taverners functions and events.

Like many charitable groups we continue to face many challenges. This includes generating much needed funds, ensuring we remain relevant to our members and that we have clear strategic agenda that can be easily communicated, monitored and measured. Importantly, we must not lose sight of having fun “along the way”. To this end, we have now introduced a new Victorian Branch website led by committee member, Matthew Clayton, to improve communication with members and keep abreast of activities and events.

You can check out the latest news on <http://lordstavernersvic.ning.com/> and we encourage members to use this medium ... it is there for your benefit.

In addition, we have recently commissioned a strategic review of the Lord’s Taverners Victorian Branch led by member, Chris Bulford and committee member, Bruce McDonald. It is important we have a clear strategy and road map as we move forward over the next 3 – 5 years. More about this strategy review and the engagement plans with various stakeholders over the ensuing months via regular updates on the website.

As outlined in our Treasurers Reports, this year we raised over \$130k in proceeds and distributed \$66.8k towards our specific charities and events. This is truly a remarkable effort in an economic environment “hit hard” by the Global Financial Crisis and we thank our members for their support in this regard. We also conducted our 4th major raffle which raised over \$60,000 for use by Lord’s Taverners Branches around Australia. We

congratulate our winner, Edward Blythe from South Melbourne and we are extremely grateful to John Jeffreys for co-ordination of tickets and also ETIHAD AIRWAYS for their continued support and donation of the return air tickets to London.

The Victorian Branch also acknowledges the continued support provided by Etihad Airways, Primus Telecom, Moule Print, Waverley Basketball Centre, Kookaburra Sport and PricewaterhouseCoopers, which is gratefully appreciated.

During the year we welcomed to the Victorian Branch Committee, Matthew Clayton and Evan Dimitriou and we take this opportunity to congratulate our President, Paul Sheahan, on his appointment earlier this year as President, Melbourne Cricket Club. A tremendous achievement and great recognition for the years of service Paul has given to the MCC.

A special thank you to our Secretary - Carolyn Johnson, Treasurer - Tim Winter, and all the Victorian Branch Committee for their tireless work "behind the scenes". Your efforts are greatly appreciated as we continue to strive for excellence in all that we do.

Finally, thank you to our members for your continued support and attendance at functions. Your membership and encouragement is the lifeblood of the Lord's Taverners in Victoria for which we are extremely grateful.

Kind regards

John Kilgour
Chairman

3rd October 2011

Treasurer's Report

The audited Financial Report for the year ended 30 June 2011 is available as a separate attachment it will also be available at the Annual General Meeting.

You can also download the full report from our website at www.lordstavernersvic.org.au or a copy can be obtained by contacting the Secretary Carolyn Johnson on 0412 796 792 or carolyn@mira.net



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