

Taverners Victoria - 2022/23 Chairman's Report

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Coming out from the very restrictive Covid years, 2022/23 has allowed Taverners to cement its role as the primary source of funding for the **MAACA** Melbourne All Abilities Cricket Competition.

This competition continues to grow with the number of teams growing from 4 teams in 2016 to over 20 in the season now underway.

Our fund-raising activities and generous donations have enabled Taverners Victoria to maintain a very healthy position although we must strive to grow our revenues as the MAACA competition continue to expand.

Our functions have been of high quality albeit with a lesser number of attendees and during the year we engaged with **Glenn McGrath**, **Tony Dodemaide**, **Chris Rogers**, **Rodney Eade** and **Peter Siddle**.

We are pleased that our Honorary Vice-President, **Merv Hughes**, will anchor our traditional **Boxing Day Breakfast** this December in 2023.

There remains much work to do and following the resignation of **Lindsay Cato** as Secretary earlier in the year, we are delighted that **Robyn Watson** has filled the position.

There is always room for **more volunteers** to support the Committee that has done a great job in difficult circumstances. We are currently on the look-out for two Taverners people, one with **accountancy** qualifications and a second, motivated person to take on the role of our **Sponsorship Manager**.

If you are interested in assisting with either of these roles in any capacity, or are keen to be involved in any other area of interest, please contact **Stuart Stockdale** at ss@spm.net.au.

The current year has started well with positive cash-flows and a wonderful **Legends Night** wherein **David Richards** and **Claudia Fatone** joined **Peter Siddle** as Taverner Legends.

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