

# Basketball Victoria Annual Report

2011

# Basketball Victoria Objectives

## Our Vision

Through collaboration and cooperation we will build and strengthen capacity to ensure basketball is the sport of first choice.

### Our Strategy

**GROWTH:** Grow and increase retention of all participants

**MARKETING AND COMMUNICATIONS:** Increase understanding of our sport and its value throughout the community

**COLLABORATION:** Maximise our resources and achieve the best outcomes

**ACCESSIBILITY:** Assist to provide more and better places to play

**ORGANISATIONAL DEVELOPMENT:** Enable Associations to be the best they can be

**INCLUSIVENESS:** Enable everyone to participate

**EXCELLENCE:** Help our participants and contributors achieve excellence



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# Basketball Victoria Personnel

## **Chief Executive Officer**

Wayne Bird

## **Executive Assistant**

Mandy Culph

## **Administration Officer/Reception**

Kimberly Campbell (commenced Jan 2011)

## **Manager Commercial Business**

Rebekah Lacy (commenced May 2011)

## **Manager Sales & Marketing**

Scott Davis

## **McDonald's Account Coordinator**

Kylie Hitchiner

## **Manager Strategic Operations**

Karen Pearce

## **Association Development Officer**

Trevor Newcombe

## **Disability Inclusion Officer**

Timothy Downes (commenced Nov 2011)

## **Disability Inclusion Officer**

Alice Hammond

## **Disability Inclusion Assistant**

Molly Urquhart-Moran

## **Inclusion Officer**

Marco Mazzeo

## **The Basketball Network**

### **Development Officer**

David Owies

## **Manager Business Services**

Matt Dunshea

## **Manager Governance and Operations**

Gerry Glennen

## **Accounts Officer**

Narell Oswald

## **Manager - Basketball Operations**

Ross Wignell

## **Community Basketball Coordinator**

Paul Lankford

## **Basketball Development Officer**

Jessica Appleford

## **Aussie Hoops and Multicultural Officer**

Natalie Capsalis

## **State Teams Administrator**

Sandra Sloane

## **Hoop Time and VCC Participation Officer**

Chris Angus

## **Hoop Time Administration Officer**

Leanne Del Toso

## **Referee Development Officer**

Bill Mildenhall

## **VBRA Referee Administrator**

Pat Crowe

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## Big V Basketball League

### **Big V Executive Officer**

Raelene Whitten

### **Big V Competition Manager**

Nathan Sewell

### **Big V Media Coordinator**

Callum Chambers

### **Big V Competition Assistant**

Bethany Charles (commenced Nov 2011)

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## Victorian Junior Basketball League

### **VJBL Manager**

John Hilton (commenced Aug 2011)

### **VJBL Operations Manager**

Adrian Campbell

### **VJBL Operations Officer**

Warren Brown

### **Regional Administrator**

Peter Wise

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## Basketball Victoria Country

### **Manager – Basketball Victoria Country**

David Huxtable

### **BVC Head Coach NITP**

Andrea Walsh

### **BVC Participation and Administration Coordinator**

Tony Lyon

### **BVC Basketball Development Officer - Hume Region**

Megan Moody (commenced Aug 2011)

### **BVC Basketball Development Officer - Gippsland Region**

Jodie Harlow (commenced Sep 2011)

### **BVC Competitions Officer**

Nathan Williams (resigned Sep 2011)

### **BVC Referee Administrator**

Helen Pawsey



# Basketball Victoria Board of Management

## **President**

Dan Kirtley

## **Vice President**

Ned Coten

## **Country Council**

Rod Bush

## **General Members**

Mike Bullock

Terry Davis

Niall Quinn

## **BV Appointed**

Wayne Bird (Chief Executive Officer)

Shelley Lambert

Brian Mott

# Country Council Committee of Management

## **Chair**

Peter Eddy

## **BVC Elected Commissioners**

Terry Davis

Marty Handson

Barry Hatherell

Corey Mulqueen

## **BV Board Appointed Commissioners**

Grantley Bernard

Rod Bush

## **Co opted Commissioner**

Sharon Royal

## **Zone Supervisors**

**Barwon** Bev Bauer

**Central Gippsland** Barry Herbert

**Central Highlands** Sam Camilleri

**East Gippsland** Pam Brasher

**Glenelg** Barry Hatherell

**Goulburn** Graeme Waight

**Loddon Campaspe** Vacant

**Mallee** Graeme Borrie

**South Gippsland** Adam Smith

**Upper Murray** Bev Suter

**Wimmera** Vacant



# Victorian Junior Basketball League Committee of Management

## **Chair**

Niall Quinn

## **General Members**

Jeff Sprunt (Treasurer)

Michael Barrow

David Hickman

Kim Round

Ed Holman (North West Chair)

John Hilton (VJBL Manager)

# Big V League Board of Management

## **Chair**

Darryl Neal

## **Vice Chair**

Mike Bullock

## **General Members**

Mick Spruhan (Treasurer)

Laurie Joyce (Secretary – elected Nov 2011)

Ned Coten

Tim Mottin (elected Nov 2011)

Brett Rolfe

Brian Rossetti

# Basketball Victoria Referees Association Board of Management

## **President**

Steven Chadd

## **Vice President**

Ron Clarke

## **General Members**

Pat Crowe (Honorary Finance and Administration Manager)

Henry Van Veenendaal

Helen Pawsey

Terry Davis (BV Delegate)



# President's Report

**Given that our 2009-12 Strategic Plan is in its final year, and re-planning will be undertaken this year as a consultative process (as was the case for the current plan), I thought it would be useful to write this report as a reflection on how we have been performing as a sport against our objectives.**

**Growth:** The ultimate test of a sport's popularity is people's desire to play the game. Spectating is a good measure too, but basketball is overwhelmingly a participation sport in Australia and in Victoria, in particular. It should be pleasing to all to see that, once again, participation grew at above the state's demographic growth rate. Refer to the team statistical data in this report which shows that growth has been around 3% in 2011 over 2010. The flagship leagues, Big V and VJBL enjoyed record years and continue to provide high quality competitions coupled with their size. Many other aspects of basketball in Victoria continue to be managed well by Basketball Victoria staff, associations, officials and volunteers across the depth and breadth of the Victorian basketball landscape.

**Marketing and Communications:** The commercialisation initiative has been gathering a head of steam. Impressive results to date provide continued confidence that the sport will benefit significantly from this initiative.

Our long-lasting and invaluable relationship with McDonald's reached a significant milestone of 28 years in 2011. There would not be many, (if any) other such enduring and positive sponsor/sporting body relationships. Through the duration of the relationship, McDonald's senior representative, Mr Howard Chant has been a magnificent supporter of basketball and his passion for the sport at all levels is evident in his continuing attendance at games and events.

**Accessibility:** As we look to the medium and longer-term future we see some hurdles and impediments to growth of the sport with regard to facilities. We said in 2008 that we would "fight like hell to achieve the best possible State home for Basketball". I won't be contradicted if I say that we might not have had a clear view on how that might be achieved in the Strategic Plan timeframe, but it is an ill wind that does not blow some good fortune. The GFC came upon us and out of that significant infrastructure funding flowed from Commonwealth and State governments, together with the Knox Council and contributions by Knox Basketball Association and Basketball Victoria, to complete the required funding for the new State Basketball Centre. It will be a magnificent home for basketball and over time it will be thought as the home of basketball in Victoria. Even though at the time of writing, we do not have an opening date, I think we can tick the box on the SBC objective. As was envisaged when Basketball Victoria agreed to move to MSAC from the old Albert Park Stadium, the development of Basketball Victoria's programs has been enhanced by the subsidy from SSCT. This subsidy continues to be a vital part of our development of Basketball across the state. Our CEO references the Facilities Audit, which will inform us about existing and forecast needs for more and better places to play. We had the opportunity to make a submission to the Parliamentary Inquiry into Livability: Brian Mott, Wayne Bird and

myself appeared at the Inquiry with Brian's previous experience in government proving invaluable. I commend the submission to any associations contemplating planning to lobby for a new stadium or upgrade.

**Organisational Development:** It is difficult to achieve across-the-board success in this objective, however, a number of associations across the metropolitan and country areas have been assisted in developing strategic plans, ably supported by the Association Development Department. More remains to be achieved in risk management, and in particular, in providing guidance to members with regard to financial controls. Guidance on financial control has been issued recently and I commend it to all associations. We have much more to do in reviewing how we are structured and how decisions are made to keep basketball at the forefront of the Australian sporting landscape. We have been great innovators in the past but I detect reluctance in some quarters to adapt, ahead of the need to change. By that I mean we should not wait for a negative situation before we make changes to how we operate and what we do.

The Basketball Victoria Country Council chaired by Peter Eddy has continued successfully from its establishment and provides evidence that constructive change should not be feared. A key objective of organisational change in Victorian Basketball is to link up the sometime separately functioning bodies and provide opportunities for collaborative engagement.

**Inclusiveness:** Basketball performs well as a sport in being inclusive and providing an opportunity for people of ALL abilities to participate, and nowhere more so than in Victoria where we have been granted an Exemplar status from VicHealth for our work in the disability area. The Inclusion Team at Basketball Victoria has worked hard to increase awareness and an acceptance of diversity and to ensure equitable access is available for ALL to participate including those from Culturally and Linguistically Diverse and Indigenous communities. The Inclusive Basketball Strategy moves beyond the playing surface to build a commitment to inclusion via a supportive and educational process that assists the application of a holistic approach across all facets of basketball.

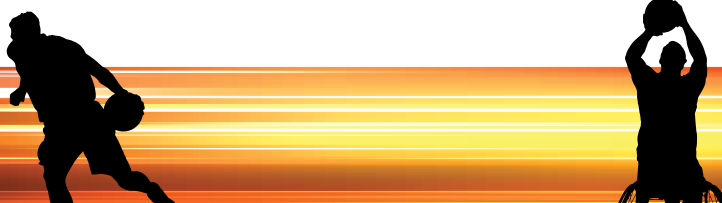
**Achieving Excellence:** Enabling players, coaches and officials to achieve their best is what defines Victorian Basketball. Numbers are one thing, but quality is another, and we have both in spades. The results achieved by both metropolitan and country teams in national championships provide evidence of the underlying opportunity that exists in Victoria. Victorian officials are also disproportionately strong in selections for national and senior league roles.

There is much more on achievements in the following reports and I cannot mention all the invaluable contributors.

Yours in basketball,

**DAN KIRTLEY**

President



# Chief Executive Officer's Report

**The past year has been one of ongoing demand for us to review, improve and develop in a number of areas. Whether it be our High Performance Programs, Aussie Hoops, McDonald's® Hoop Time or our programs for Athletes with a Disability, the demand for more and the higher expectations of outcomes has meant we have worked harder than ever before. Why? Because we are in a market now where more sports are looking to compete in the same areas we have traditionally worked in for many years.**

A snapshot of the past year looking at the key matters we addressed looks like this:

- The State Basketball Centre – the project really took shape during the year. Although the project was hampered at times by unfavourable weather, it grew at a rapid rate. We look forward to being in our new home by the time you read this document at the AGM.
- VBRA – we continued to discuss the options for a restructure in this area. Prior to the year-end we reached an agreement that will see a new Commission established to oversee the area of Technical Officials with the VBRA becoming a service provider to that entity. The respective Boards have approved the structures proposed.
- State Leagues Review – considerable time was spent on this project with progress being made. However, late in the year it became apparent that there were philosophical differences that required further development of the case for change. A small working group has re-engaged and is preparing such information including a wider consultation plan. Work will continue through the next 6 months.

I should also comment on the support that Big V provided to BVC this year with the administration of the Country Basketball League; this was a very positive initiative.

The other item to note was the move of the D League under the BV umbrella for the 2012 season; this has occurred and we look forward to the new season.

- BA High Performance (NITP) Review – A review of the BA High Performance Program was commissioned in 2010. Among the recommendations was a need to focus on the identification and development of future Boomers and Opals from our young talent. This has required us to further adjust our program to meet the requirements of the HPP. This commenced in mid 2011.
- Facility Audit – During 2011 we commissioned SGL Consulting to undertake an inventory of facilities in the State. This has been a significant task, however we are nearing the end of the project. We intend to have a plan with various components that will enable us to present to State and Local Government a view of the facility requirements of the sport in the next 20 years. This plan will also be a basis

for BA to approach Federal Government to alert them to the requirements of the sport nationally. The availability of facilities remains our single biggest challenge today.

- Programs – we are enjoying continued success and growth in our programs. McDonald's® Hoop Time, Aussie Hoops, Identification Camps and our programs for Athletes with a Disability have all seen growth in 2011. At a national level we have also enjoyed success being the current holders of the National Junior Championships for U20 Men & Women, Ivor Burge Men & Women, U18 Girls and U16 Men & Women; our U18 Men were the silver medallists in 2011. In addition, both our athletes and coaches have very significant representation in the National Junior teams to represent Australia at the World Championships.
- Commercial – this project is continuing to develop as we engage more associations and the base of data we have available grows. The introduction of a monthly E-Newsletter has proven to be a success with the readership expanding. Later in 2012, we will conduct our first Census to determine where we are with the development of our database overall.

Financially, I am pleased to say we have achieved a better than budget result for the year. In the main this is due to the carry forward of some program costs into 2012, however it should be noted that we continue to see growth in registered numbers of over 3% for 2011. The pleasing aspect of this growth is that it is occurring in the mini and junior ranks, which is of course our future.

I would also like to acknowledge the support we receive from our funding partners and sponsors. VicHealth and Sport & Recreation Victoria play an important role in the support they provide for our Disability and Association Development programs. To McDonald's who have been long time supporters and have enabled us to deliver probably the best primary school program in the country. To Schweppes for their continued support of basketball and Molten who have been a great new partner that introduced one of the most popular balls in Victoria, the VJBL Competition ball. I would also like to acknowledge the Gorman Foundation and ECHO who have provided very welcome support for our Disability programs.

Finally, can I thank the Management and Staff in both our metro and country offices; we have a very dedicated team who display a genuine passion for what they do, spend long hours at times ensuring that "it will be right" and are always looking for ways to improve our programs. And to the BV Board led by President Dan Kirtley for their support and guidance to me in my role and their interest in our overall programs and direction of the organisation. I can assure all our Members that your sport is being well cared for.

In 2012, we will move to our new home and that will be an occasion to remember.

## **WAYNE BIRD**

Chief Executive Officer



# State Basketball Centre

**In May 2009, it was announced that the Federal Government, The State Government of Victoria, Knox Council, Knox Basketball Incorporated and Basketball Victoria had combined to build a new home for basketball in Victoria.**

Building commenced late-2009 and the first stage is expected to be completed in April 2012. The new facility, which will be known as the “State Basketball Centre” will eventually be a 12-court stadium with a show court which will seat 3,200 spectators. The first stage will be 6 courts, which includes the show court and new offices for both Basketball Victoria and Knox Basketball.

The State Basketball Centre is located on the corner of High Street Road and George Street, Wantirna South.

We look forward to welcoming you to the State Basketball Centre in 2012.



# State Basketball Centre



# Strategic Operations

**Basketball in Victoria continued to build and strengthen throughout 2011, with ongoing challenges in sport (as a whole) meaning basketball cannot become complacent. We need to be constantly abreast of studies, research, issues and new opportunities, so collaboratively we can continue to be the dynamic and successful sport we know we are. To effectively build capacity, we have identified a need for greater systematic and sustained attention to Governance, Administration and Operational Policies and Procedures. The focus across the whole of the Basketball Community is the catalyst to laying a strong foundation for basketball to become the sport of first choice.**

A key component of our Strategic Plan is participation at the grassroots level and the emergence of ongoing strategies to strengthen and **grow** our rate throughout the Victorian community. Basketball in Victoria gained some wins at the end of 2011, more notably the number of registered players increasing by a healthy 3%. Work within the school environment continued, resulting in a new 3-year Partnership Agreement with School Sport Victoria. Subsequent to this, I was invited to join two School Sport Victoria Basketball sub-committees to assist the provision and growth of vibrant, inclusive school basketball programs that will continue to strengthen the existing link between the two Organisations. The Aussie Hoops program saw a conversion rate of 'Aussie Hoopers' to membership of around 15%; McDonald's® Skill, Fun and Play exceeded the target number of participants by 8.4% and McDonald's® Hoop Time participants increased by 6.6%, Round Robin days by 9.3% and the number of entered Schools by a whopping 62%. The continued strength of the Aussie Hoops program in Victoria is supported by a total of 53 Country Associations and 33 Metropolitan Associations plus 5 Aussie Hoop Schools who are all operating this important junior introductory program.

Training packages were produced for both FIBA Organiser and Sportzware websites, with the latter including an example of a website for Associations to use to structure and provide their website with content, whilst also providing consistency across all Association websites. A number of Associations have utilised the expertise of David Owies via one-one-one workshops, electronic instructional information that enables quick and easy website reconfiguration; assistance to transfer from Jamware to FIBA Organiser; electronic instructions on exporting membership data to an external program such as MS Excel and consequently how to manipulate and report; and instructions for updating website content. Craigieburn, Bulleen, Eltham, Geelong and McKinnon Basketball Associations were involved in the Commercial Pilot Project which has a broad objective to reduce the financial tax on our participants by developing additional revenue streams that are not reliant on basketball game revenue. "Backcourt Banter", an e-newsletter, has been developed



and **communicated** to all involved in the Project and provides valuable tracking and uptake reports through an online CRM system. This project has already expanded into the Gippsland Region and will further develop in 2012.

Organisational development and **collaborative** partnerships are instrumental and crucial mechanisms to harness efficiency and provide effective methods to increase both direct and indirect participation. SEDA (Sports Education and Development Australia) partnered with BV and supports many of our programs via the allocation of additional resources. The students concerned utilised BV as the conduit to complete their VCE, VCAL, Cert III & IV in Sport and Recreation and Diploma in Sport Development over a 2-3 year period. Big V partnered with Box Hill TAFE successfully placing identified students in Big V Clubs and assisting the Big V office throughout the year.

As we seek new ways to grow our game, we are also mindful of our financial resources and throughout 2011 we continued to seek new ways to consolidate and strengthen. The linking of LGA's and RSA's with Association Strategic Plans has helped build relationships and support and further develop our programs.



# Strategic Operations

The analysis of local Sport and Recreation Plans and the linking of these strategies in Association Strategic Plans as well as having direct contact via meetings and input with Council Planners regarding new and upgraded facilities is proving to be an important conduit to the quest for **more and better places to play**. SGL Consulting Group has been retained to undertake a statewide inventory and audit of all basketball facilities. Unfortunately, the uptake by Associations to respond to a Survey that will ultimately support the provision of new facilities throughout the State has been very disappointing. We presented a Paper to Parliament regarding "Inquiry into Liveability Options in Outer Suburban Melbourne" which focused on participation numbers, growth and demand and the subsequent lack of facilities, waiting lists and turning away of new members and the **URGENT** need for new infrastructure supported by up-to-date planning. The Facilities Survey and Master Plan is now a **PRIORITY** and we must work together to enable growth to occur and be sustainable.

**Organisational development** continued and included a review of a total of 23 Association Constitutions throughout the year. The Tribunal By-laws, including sanctions for the misuse of social media, were approved at the 2011 AGM and culminated in a series of workshops around the State prior to their implementation on 1 July, 2011. A total of 7 Strategic Plans were completed for Shepparton, Echuca, Werribee, Craigieburn, Coburg, Horsham and McKinnon Basketball Associations, now giving a total of 15 produced to date as per this Strategic Plan.

The **Inclusion** Department was granted an **Exemplar status** by VicHealth in 2011 due to our work achieved under PICSAR (Participation in Community Sport and Active Recreation) which provided 13,348 direct and 1,830 indirect participants the opportunity to be involved in this project over the four year period. PICSAR contributed to a cultural and attitudinal change within the sport of basketball which included changes to internal organisational operations, changes to coaching structures and opportunities and the introduction of new courses such as the Carers to Coaches Course and the Adaptive Coaching Workshop. Regular opportunities are now available for participants to have access to basketball through both integrated and disability specific programs covering both direct and indirect participation for ALL in the area of playing, coaching, refereeing, administrating and volunteering. Special Schools now have the opportunity to participate in mainstream school competitions and disability specific competitions with these continuing to grow and flourish. Partnerships were established with a variety of organisations including LGA's (Local Government Authorities), AAA's (Access All Abilities Providers), RSA's (Regional Sports Assemblies) and Vision Australia to name a few. Promotion of BV and Association based programs via newsletters, websites, radio and participation at local community festivals proved invaluable in raising awareness and educating the wider community on how accessible our sport is. We marketed a variety of participatory options from recreation to competitive basketball, from local to elite, from playing to administrating and produced resources and flyers to support this campaign. The reduction of barriers, the promotion of inclusive practices, the development of collaborative partnerships, the attitudinal change (both internally and externally) have all assisted to build capacity, increase opportunity and engage the whole community to provide

equitable, inclusive and accessible basketball programs. The new project "Inclusive Basketball Strategy" produced in 2011 builds on this framework and further imbeds inclusion in basketball for ALL. The Everyone Wins Toolkit developed in association with VicHealth, incorporates 77 actions spread across 5 areas and 3 levels that will enable sustainable organisational development and cultural change for People with Disabilities, Indigenous, Culturally and Linguistically Diverse communities and women and girls, and is a major focus of our project.

A number of programs were held with CALD and Indigenous communities and these included: a presentation for newly arrived migrants at AIMES; 3 on 3 Indigenous Tournament in Bairnsdale; a Portland Aussie Hoops program for young local Indigenous youth and the South Sudanese Australian Interstate Basketball Tournament held in Frankston.

By continuing to provide a platform that supports **excellence**, we achieved some outstanding results including: exceptional on court achievements by our Victorian State Men's and Women's teams seeing Vic Metro achieving 7 Gold and 1 Silver Medal and 1 Silver Medal for Vic Country; 5 x Vic Metro girls in the Gems and 4 x Vic Metro boys in the Emus, 6 x Vic Metro girls in the U17's and 5 x Vic Metro boys in the U17's; 11 AIS Scholarships for Vic Metro; the establishment of 36 NITP Development Coaches in Regional Victoria and 6 Victorian recipients for a variety of categories at the Basketball Australia Junior Basketball Awards.

The improvement of our high performance programs continued around the State with the implementation of the NITP recommendations from the NITP Review which is vital to performance and achievement outcomes. 1,580 Coaches attended Coaching Clinics in the Metro area, an increase of 44% on the previous year; a total of 10 Vic Metro coaches were appointed to the AJDC Camp; a total of 46 Athletes attended AJDC an increase of 15%; 56 Coaching Courses were completed throughout Victoria; 36 Development Coaches were appointed by BVC; and 4 x BVC Athletes were invited to the AIS for selection camps.

The Referees Department worked tirelessly to apply different strategies to address a range of ongoing issues and to provide support to our Victorian Referees. Some of the work included: increasing the number of Metro Referees to 2,459 who subsequently have been ably supported by the Victorian Referee Advisors; the production and distribution of a Referee Training DVD was completed; 32 Referee Branches now exist in the State, and the Gross Committee is currently addressing the transition of Domestic Referees onto Junior Panel due to the increased number of VJBL teams for the 2012 season.

As we now move into the final year of our Strategic Plan and begin to develop the 2013 – 2016 Plan, we must now focus on completing the Strategies that remain unfinished. Internally, Management and Staff will have set Key Performance Indicators with new targets and actions to ensure our Strategic Plan remains a success and our status within Victorian Sport continues to **popularise, grow and prosper**.

## KAREN PEARCE

Manager Strategic Operations



# Commercial Business

**Following a series of Association Workshops and wider consultation throughout 2010, the Basketball Victoria Commercial Program commenced in earnest in April 2011 when a business plan was developed and presented to the Board.**

The Commercial Project consists of five key deliverables, the foundation of which is a collaborative model to enable us to build sustainable, mutually-beneficial, commercial partnerships:

Specifically:

- To provide tangible, sustainable financial and other benefits to the 235,000 members of the basketball community in Victoria (players, coaches, officials, volunteers, staff, parents and supporters)
- To enable the sport to control and benefit selectively from its own commercial property, opportunities and customer base. This will reduce the dependency on the current 'tax' system and increase revenue flow to associations and BV
- To create a collaborative commercial model and infrastructure to enable benefits to be ongoing, sustainable, transparent and well managed
- To enhance the overall cooperation between all levels of, and within, the Basketball Community of Victoria
- To enable considered and appropriate use of the basketball database when it is available.

To ensure appropriate consultation and facilitate required outcomes, a Commercial Pilot Group was formed to initiate and develop the program. Five committed foundation Associations (Bulleen, Craigieburn, Geelong, Eltham and McKinnon) comprised this key group. Direct communication with their constituents commenced through a non-invasive, structured series of channels.

The primary objective in the formative stages of the Project's evolution is to build a relationship with the database that is based upon trust, through the provision of regular, informative communication which will be 'valued' by the reader. This 'value' is created by providing information and opportunity (through breaking news, give-away's and exclusive offers) that add another dimension to each member's involvement within the sport.

This calculated and deliberate approach has provided us with key learnings and experience, which will enable us to expand our pilot as per development timelines.

The initial communication was introduced in the form of an e-news blast titled 'Backcourt Banter.' This process opened direct communication between Basketball Victoria and the Member Participant through a sport specific, non-invasive, valued channel.

Equally as important as the communication method itself, has been the data that has been accumulated through our CRM Systems. We have been able to assess and track activity to further build our understanding by testing theories and concepts. This 'intelligent evolution' of the project will enable us to deliver on the project's key pillars.

The work undertaken throughout 2011 with our foundation Commercial Pilot Associations has enabled us to grow our stakeholder base, introducing other Associations and Regional clusters. Our growth has been targeted and built upon the data accumulated within the pilot program and its database.

Concurrent with the expansion of the database, the Commercial Program has grown in opportunity as well. With the growth in our robust database and the increasing interest in both the data held and the communication used, comes the opportunity to partner with various Stakeholders to deliver tangible, commercial benefits back to both the Organisation and stakeholders within.

From this position of increasing strength and understanding, comes the offering of a unique opportunity for a targeted number of business partners to benefit from the high levels of growth and participation within the sport.

2012 will see us actively targeting specific segments of the market to outline the opportunity in detail, defining our current positions, motivations and objectives. We will also highlight potential benefits for each business and the method by which mutual success based on agreed outcomes, will be delivered.

## REBEKAH LACY

Manager Commercial Business



# Sales & Marketing

**In 2011, Basketball Victoria continually focused on marketing efforts to further promote the sport and increase and strengthen engagement with our members and the wider community. Advertising continued in various community and school publications (both Primary and Secondary), along with in-paper and online ads featuring throughout the year.**

Basketball Victoria also continued joint advertising efforts with Major Sponsor McDonald's, with ads featuring on the Kidspot Website (Australia's leading online parenting information website), the Herald Sun (Corinella), as well as advertising on traymats and posters in each McDonald's restaurant across Victoria. Advertising also continued in the Aussie Kids publication, which has a circulation in Victoria of more than 120,000. In addition to print exposure, Basketball Victoria was involved on numerous occasions with SEN Radio's "In the Paint" basketball program, where various staff were interviewed about key programs and events.

Commercially, Basketball Victoria had a very strong year with the commencement of a new three-year partnership term with Major Sponsor McDonald's (which will take the partnership to 30 years!) and new agreements signed with Molten, OzSports, ECHO Australia and Sports In Focus. ECHO Australia is a Disability Employment Services Provider and was signed as Naming Rights Sponsor of the All Abilities Association Tournament and Presenting Partner of the VicHealth Cup for the next two years. We look forward to working with ECHO to continually build and strengthen our Inclusive Basketball programs. Sports In Focus is a professional photography company, specialising in junior sport, and will be providing coverage of all key events.

Our partnership with Molten afforded us the opportunity to support the VJBL with a custom competition ball that had previously never been seen in the Australian market. The now-famous red, white & blue Molten can be seen in nearly every basketball stadium in Victoria and has created demand even from out of State, where the ball isn't used in any organised competition. The Molten deal also provides for support of Basketball Victoria Country, with a significant amount of balls produced specifically for BVC Skills Days and Victoria Country Championships.

As an expansion of our web presence and commercial efforts, Basketball Victoria launched a new Online Store in May 2011, which has been tremendously successful in providing the organisation with a new revenue stream and also driving participants to our website.

In our efforts to further leverage our partnership with McDonald's, a new annual event was created named the McDonald's® Basketball Super Clinic. The aim of the Super Clinic is to provide boys & girls aged between 5-10 years with an introductory basketball experience, led by various stars of the game. The inaugural event in 2011 featured players from the NBL/WNBL, as well as NBA star Andrew Bogut, all of whom conducted various skills stations for the participants. The clinic



was promoted state-wide in every McDonald's store, with entries handled via a dedicated event website. The first year included 250 participants from around the state and was a huge success, also generating a significant amount of interest and coverage from the mainstream media outlets.

Basketball Victoria proudly supported NBL/WNBL clubs the Melbourne Tigers, Bulleen Boomers and Dandenong Rangers for the 2011/12 season via branded corporate boxes that were utilised for the entertainment of our valued sponsors as well as Board Members and Staff.

The McDonald's® Hoop Time Senior All-Star Grand Finals were again showcased prior to a Melbourne Tigers NBL game. The four best primary school teams in Victoria played their Grand Finals prior to the Melbourne Tigers v Townsville Crocodiles game on December 18, 2011. A McDonald's® Super Mini Series game was also showcased at halftime. The atmosphere was electric with a sold-out game that was also aired on Network Ten's OneHD.

Basketball Victoria would like to recognise and thank all of our valuable sponsors and partners for their continued support: McDonald's, VicHealth, Schweppes, Molten, OzSports, ECHO Australia, Sports In Focus, Gorman Foundation and Sporting Pulse. Your support helps to ensure the continued growth and success of our sport and I look forward to working with you in what promises to be a very successful 2012.

**SCOTT DAVIS**  
Manager Sales & Marketing



# Basketball Operations

## The Basketball Operations Department once again experienced a very productive year.

With 34,137 participants, 179 McDonald's® Hoop Time days and 8 McDonald's® Hoop Time Mini days, we catered for 519 Primary Schools during the year. We operated out of 31 different venues offering McDonald's Hoop Time to 3,793 teams. Introducing basketball to more than 11,000 children through the Rookie division, success at country venues was also achieved. The amount of positive feedback we received during the year was evidence of how well the program was operating. The Mum's referee course was again successful in 2011.

The Aussie Hoops development program also enjoyed a very successful year with 4,144 participants involved at 39 metropolitan Associations and schools. Every new participant received an Aussie Hoops pack, containing a basketball, t-shirt and backpack. Many Associations have continued to increase their participation numbers as a result of introducing the program or converting to Aussie Hoops from their pre-existing development program. There were five School Holiday Camps which operated throughout the year, continuing to be popular and rewarding for Associations. Skill Fun and Play, which is part of the Aussie Hoops program, held 139 clinics offering a participation opportunity to 10,350 children. Local coaches were used for McDonald's® Skill, Fun and Play in order to provide an awareness of the local Association.

In 2011, all eight State Teams performed exceptionally well at the Australian Junior Championships, with seven teams winning gold medals and one team winning silver. Local media relations have continued to flourish with the production of more media releases relating to Victorian Metropolitan Representatives than in previous years. Media Releases are now written about the team when it is selected, during the campaign often profiling individual athletes and when the team returns from their National Championship. These documents are uploaded on the BV and VJBL websites, included in Backcourt Banter, sent to Associations and sent to local media. More than 50 press articles resulted from these initiatives within the year and most relevant Associations utilised these stories on their websites.

The Victoria Metropolitan National Intensive Training Program competed in and won the East Coast Challenge. The touring group consisted of 90 Under 16 and Under 18 boys and girls and 24 staff. In 2011, 7 satellite venues operated from 6.30 – 7.30 am, once per week focusing on individual development (mainly shooting) and providing a competitive environment.

The Under 18 Central group continued to operate to expectations seeing the better athletes practise with and against each other. Training them together under some of the State's better junior coaches has definitely provided individuals with an opportunity to improve. This aspect of the program operated each Tuesday morning, 6.00 – 7.30am for 30 male and 25 female athletes. Recognising the necessity to be more specific with the development of athletes at the very top end, Basketball Australia directed that identified athletes be case managed. This process began mid-year involving 8 boys, 5 girls and 3 coaches. Victoria Metropolitan was once again represented well at the AIS, Junior World Championships and Australian Junior Camps

with players and coaches. The 20's Basketball Development Program continued to excel, culminating in a select group of NITP athletes touring the USA late in the year returning with a 13-3 record.

Eleven major coaching clinics were conducted for 1,580 coaches in 2011. Level 0 and Level 1 Coaching courses were very popular with a couple of Level 2 Courses being presented towards the end of the year. We had 10 Community Coaching Sessions within Associations and took 8 coaches on tour to the AIS.

Basketball Victoria's Development Camps were also very well received with 2,750 athletes attending.

The McDonald's® Cup had 61 teams compete with the addition of 12 new schools, whilst VCC operated 18 days with 187 teams participating. McDonald's® Super Mini Series continues to be a success, being played at half time of NBL and WNBL games. SEDA (Sports, Education & Development Australia) linked with Basketball Victoria at the beginning of the year. Students completed their Level 1 Coaching and Officiating courses allowing them to assist McDonald's Hoop Time & McDonald's Hoop Time Mini's days, McDonald's Skill, Fun and Play clinics, VCC and McDonald's Cup tournaments. The students proved to be a valuable asset in enabling BV to reach more primary school students with our introductory basketball programs.

### ROSS WIGNELL

Manager Basketball Operations



# Basketball Victoria Country Council

**I have pleasure in presenting my report as Chairman of the Basketball Victoria Country Commission for the 2011 – 2012 year. This report represents an opportunity to reflect on the past year and to look ahead to the future.**

The work of the Commission has continued to provide many challenges, opportunities and, in some cases, disappointments as we have not always been able to reach the targets we aspired to at the start of the year. Change often creates the unexpected and BVC has had its share of this in the past year.

The Commission has continued to try to ensure that it has followed the direction of the BVCC Review and the BV Strategic Plan as it implements change across our sphere of operation and in the governance of the organisation.

Our work in formalising our working committee structure with approved terms of reference, regular meeting schedules and approved sub-committee membership has continued and, in the main, been fairly successful. The committees, detailed below with the chairperson and commission members listed, aim to provide important support to the BVC office and to our affiliated Associations, now and into the future.

**Finance & Audit Committee** – Corey Mulqueen and Barry Hatherall

**Referee Committee** – Rod Bush

**Governance & Projects Committee** – Terry Davis, Marty Handson

**Media & Marketing Committee** – Grantley Bernard

**Game Development Committee** – Sharon Royal, Marty Handson

A highlight from this year would be the progress made by the various sub-committees in working with the office and, in some cases, supporting the office during times of staff shortage to achieve ongoing progress for BVC. This has been especially true of recent events conducted by BVC.

In all cases, each group has made a genuine contribution to the work undertaken by the Commission and I wish to thank all members of the Commission and the sub-committees for their efforts.

Some significant milestones that have been (or which are on track) to be achieved by the Commission this year are:

- The creation of a Referee Development Plan to provide a more strategic focus and resourcing of referee education
- The establishment of an audit system for player affiliations linked to a rights and responsibilities charter for BVC and affiliated Associations. When complete, this will also link to referee affiliation.
- A review of current BVC-managed events
- A review of the tender processes used for BVC events
- Review and withdrawal from the Pacific Coast Slam
- Joint venture with BV to establish a new Southern Cross Basketball Challenge as an affordable and quality event to replace the Slam

- A commitment to growing our role at the Australian Junior Country Basketball Cup and negotiation of a new charter / constitution to protect BVC's one third ownership stake in this event
- Ongoing development of budgeting and financial reporting processes.

The Commission's commitment to regular monthly to six weekly meetings has also helped provide a much better framework for debate, discussion and planning.

Our new office in Bendigo has provided a much more professional image to the organisation and an improved working environment for our staff.

In regard to the staffing of BVC, I report with some disappointment that we have not made the progress the Commission would have liked in this area. In fact, at times during the year it is fair to say that we regressed in terms of our staff resources and expertise. During this time we lost two staff members who decided to move on to other career opportunities. It has taken time to fill these vacancies and this has placed an enormous strain on remaining staff.

This has in turn led to less progress in the roll-out of the regional roles which will be an important commitment in 2012-13 and 2013-14.

This past year also saw BVC working closely with BV to secure funding and sponsorship opportunities to help with the rising costs of our programs and services. The BVC Commission acknowledges the support of the CEO of BV and the senior managers in working with us to help improve our position.

The sport also relies on many volunteers around the State who help as zone supervisors and event volunteers for BVC programs, and importantly, at local Association and club level. The sport would not exist and continue to grow without the tireless efforts of these people and the Commission is very grateful for their work.

Reflecting on the year just finished, I feel that I must confess to some personal frustration and disappointment at our slower than expected progress, but I also feel that the past year has given me a far greater insight into the workings and operations of BVC and I hope we can put this experience to good use in the year ahead.

I have focused largely on the work of the Commission but there have also been many achievements and successes for BVC which will be reported elsewhere in this report.

As I stated last year, it is an important consideration for the future that we plan for succession at both Commission and senior staff levels. The Commission needs its affiliated members to put forward those nominees who can share the vision Basketball Victoria Country has for the future and who have a sound business or community service background, along with a passion for basketball.

Thank you for allowing me to serve as Chairman and I look forward to BVC having a strong and exciting future.

**PETER EDDY**  
Chairman



# Basketball Victoria Country

## Overview of Operations

There were a number of major achievements in 2011 that have laid a good foundation for the development of the organisation operationally moving into 2012.

The first and perhaps most important achievement was the move of the organisation to professional offices in Bendigo. This has provided staff with a layout that is conducive to a good working environment, a professional reception/foyer area and appropriate meeting rooms and amenities. This was all achieved within a tight budget and a decrease in actual rent.

In the latter part of 2011, BVC also negotiated office space in Gippsland (Traralgon) and a number of "hot desks" in the Hume region for staff to work at when in the field.

BVC staff also continued to develop relationships with peak organisations across Regional Victoria, including Sport and Recreation Victoria, Regional Sports assemblies, all levels of government, facility managers and associations.

The core duties in every area of our operations have expanded as the demand for our sport grows. Each staff member was tasked with finding more places in our programs to enable more children at more venues to be involved.

This was achieved and it was ultimately recognised that more athletes represented 'Vic Country' in 2011 and will represent 'Vic Country' in the early part of 2012 than ever before. There is still a 'pointy' end to any elite program, but the staff at BVC have in 2011 expanded on the triangle base to increase competition for those spots at the top.

The BVC Participation and Administration Officer, Toni Lyon, also developed a proposal to return the Under 16 Skills Days to the Regional areas, rather than one central camp. In 2011, 9 Regional Centres catered for an increase of 100% of athletes in this age group.

Typically numbers at the Bendigo location for the camp would be around 220. In 2011, 451 athletes attended the one-day camp in the 9 Regional areas. This also created more coaching opportunities and enabled the more experienced BVC Coaches to be allocated to 'mentor roles'. This is important as we strive to develop across all areas.

The introduction of more athletes at the base of the triangle enabled BVC to commence discussions with Basketball Victoria to initiate a competition at the development level in Victoria. The Southern Cross Basketball Challenge was developed and the inaugural competition will be conducted in Ballarat in January 2012.

Each area of BVC have assisted with the introduction of the competition, including Referees, Referee coaching, player development, coaching development, volunteers, competition administration and event management.

## BVC Regionalisation Plan

In 2011, Basketball Victoria Country commenced the roll-out as determined by the BVCC Review of the first specific Regional Basketball Development Officer's (BDO's) in Country Victoria.

After thorough consideration and consultation, The Commission considered the Regional Area of Hume to be the first area covered by a BDO and Megan Moody was the first BDO

appointed. Megan began in April 2011 and following approximately 6 months in the position, presented an overview of her Region to the BVCC Commission at the October 2011 meeting. Megan has worked with Associations in her area to lift the profile of the sport, assist with funding applications, review basketball operations and governance and commenced the development of a Regional Plan for the delivery of services such as Coach Education, Referee Schools, player development and volunteer engagement and retention.

In September 2011, Jodie Harlow became the second BDO to be appointed and followed the Commission decision that the Gippsland Region would be the second area to receive a BDO. Jodie has quickly developed the role and has travelled extensively in her region working with 29 Associations of various sizes. Jodie will present to the BVC Commission in early 2012, with a similar presentation to Megan regarding her region.

It is expected that the roll-out of Basketball Development Officers will continue in 2012 in line with the BVCC Review and BVC Commission recommendations. The roll-out will be constantly looked at against Association requirements and good fiscal management. The BVC manager will also continue to evaluate the Regional Development Program and the expectations of the BVC members.

The roll-out of the Regional model is a major component of the BVC objectives under the BV Strategic Plan. Basketball Victoria Country has been diligently working to complete all objectives pertaining to the Country area contained within the BV Strategic Plan.

## BVC Office Staff

The reorganisation of the BVC Staff to enable the introduction of the BDO's was completed in 2011. In February 2011, Ashley Donaldson retired after 15 years of employment with BVC. In the latter part of the year, 2 vacancies were also created with staff resignations and positions are expected to be filled early in 2012.

The BVC Commission also recommended to the BV CEO that a position for a business trainee be created in the Country Office and this was ratified and the application process commenced in the latter stages of 2011.

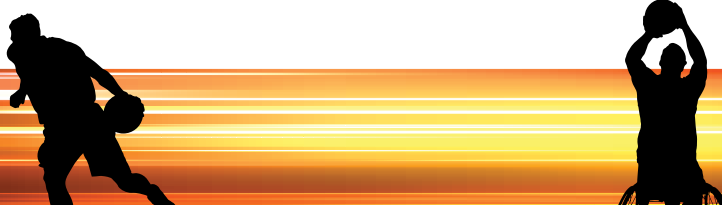
A thorough review of the BVC NITP area was completed and a number of changes were introduced. This review was in conjunction with a National review of elite player development and a joint funding proposal was submitted by BVC/BV to Basketball Australia with the implementation of the reviews to commence in late 2011 early 2012.

BVC recognises that the review has highlighted the increasing workload on the staff member in this area and is committed to removing administrative duties from this position.

Following a recommendation from the BVC Commission, a 0.8 part time position was created for a BVC Referee Officer and Helen Pawsey was appointed in the role and commenced in May 2011. The role will work closely with the BDO's to assist in the development of Referees/Referee Coaches across Regional Victoria.

## Affiliated Associations

In 2011, 108 Associations were affiliated with Basketball Victoria Country, with 38,299 registered participants for the year. This



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figure surpasses the approximate 36,000 for 2010. The BVC office is continuing to work with local Associations to improve the information flow and accuracy of the data.

The top ten Associations for registered participants for 2011 were:

1	Ballarat	2623
2	Bendigo	2500
3	Geelong	2470
4	Southern Peninsula	1808
5	Corio Bay	1800
6	Warragul	1410
7	Mildura	1272
8	Traralgon	1231
9	Hamilton	1045
10	Moe	970

There were 15 Associations that did not operate during the year and the BVC Office is working with those Associations to encourage participation in 2012.

## Country Basketball League

BVC's Competition Officer resigned just prior to the start of the CBL season and this necessitated the Country Office considering alternatives in the delivery of fixtures/results and ladders to the Country Basketball League participants. Following discussions with a number of entities, it was agreed with Basketball Victoria that Big V would run that side of the CBL competition. The team at Big V should be commended for the work they did to start a season at short notice and provided valuable assistance to the Country Office throughout the season. It is expected that this cooperation and assistance will extend into 2012 and beyond.

The Country Basketball League continues to develop and now extends across three conferences with the addition of a South West Women's division this year. Teams from across the State compete on a home and away basis to determine Conference finalists, with the winner of the Conference Final attending a State Country Final in a conference, awarded on a rotational basis.

The 2011 State Country Final was conducted by the Wodonga Basketball Association in the North East Conference and in 2012 the State Country Final will be conducted by a South West Conference association.

The Leagues/Conferences are well recognised and supported locally by the various media outlets across Print, Radio and TV.

## DAVID HUXTABLE

Manager Country Basketball



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# Big V

**Yet another successful season goes under archive – our 22nd to be exact – and one of our strongest yet. With the competition now flourishing across all nine divisions, the focus shifted to the following areas: media, commercial partnerships, club development, brand promotion and reunification.**

During the pre-season phase, the league proudly boasted the signing of eight corporate partners in eight days and ran with a branding awareness campaign involving new portable signage for use at all venues State-wide. In a significant move to increase the profile of our youth competition and reinforce the pathways between junior and senior competitions, the former youth leagues were re-branded as State Youth Championship to show their position as the premier transitional / development league in Victoria.

Our main priority for the 2011 season was reunification at youth level. Unfortunately talks stalled, and two youth leagues will again be conducted this year. At the time of writing, the Big V Pre-season Tournament is about to commence, and it's pleasing to have received entries from four D League teams. A trend we hope will continue as we again re-state our intentions to have all youth competitions in this State playing under the State-endorsed senior league – Big V.

The last of our key focus areas is media, and it would be an understatement to say that this area is flourishing. The quality and quantity of website content has had a significant effect in gaining and retaining web traffic. As an internal comparison, in February 2009, the Big V website was averaging 844 unique visits each day, increasing to 1,822 this year. Considering the league's total membership sits at around 1,600, and the month of February falls in the "off-season" these figures are staggering. A further illustration of the strength of the Big V brand measured by daily website visits in May 2011 shows that of the 7,458 total unique visitors to BV, VJBL and Big V websites, 4,185 or 56% were generated by bigv.com.au. We thank our clubs for continually feeding us fresh news to keep the site vibrant and ever-changing.

Many quality players were attracted to the league in the 2011 season, resulting in an increased standard on-court, with competitive games State-wide. Our Champion teams for the year were;

<b>State Championship Men</b>	Waverley Falcons
<b>State Championship Women</b>	Eltham Wildcats
<b>Division One Men</b>	Geelong Cats
<b>Division One Women</b>	Warrnambool Mermaids
<b>Division Two Men</b>	Blackburn Vikings
<b>Division Two Women</b>	Keilor Thunder
<b>State Youth Championship One Men</b>	Ringwood Hawks
<b>State Youth Championship One Women</b>	Waverley Falcons
<b>State Youth Championship Two Men</b>	Whittlesea Pacers

As we embark on season 20Twelve, we see the creation of a second division at State Youth Championship Women's level, and both Division One competitions split into geographically based conferences. An additional entry into both State Championship Men and Women ensures both the future and strength of this great league moving forward.

To all involved in the past, present and future of Big V, the Victorian Basketball League, I thank you for your commitment and dedication to making this league something we can all be proud of.

## DARRYL NEAL

President



Image courtesy of Big V Media



# Melbourne Metropolitan Basketball League

**It has been a steady year in the MMBL with many close games and at the time of writing this report, there should be 3 very good Grand Finals. In this season, our competition consisted of 3 divisions. Premier Men 10 teams, Premier Women 10 teams and Division 1 Men 11 teams.**

I would like to thank all referees who have contributed to the season, along with the venue-appointed scorers who all do a fine job. In addition, thank you to those clubs who have made their venues available for competition. A special thank you to our Administrator Margaret Fogarty who has been doing a fantastic job for many years. Also thank you to the MMBL committee.

It would appear that we will have the same number of teams next year. The MMBL has played its part in the progression of clubs to more elite competitions played over weekends and should continue to do so in the future. It may be required in the future that we form a closer relationship with the Big V League as many of our Membership play in both the MMBL and The Big V.

## **MIKE BULLOCK**

Chairman



# Victorian Junior Basketball League

**The VJBL has continued to grow with numbers for the Championship season at 1,017 teams . The continued growth in the sport is fantastic and highlights that basketball remains in a strong position as part of the Victorian sporting landscape.**

We believe the VJBL has a fantastic structure providing the best elite graded competition in Australia with a pathway for players of the future. The League also provides competition for players at all levels as they continue to enjoy playing our wonderful game.

During 2011, the VJBL saw the appointment of John Hilton as VJBL Manager following Rebekah Lacy's move to the Manager Commercial Business role within Basketball Victoria. Rebekah has continued to provide wonderful support and knowledge to all the staff at the VJBL. This has provided a smooth transition for John into the role as his staff continue to work hard with complete focus on providing the best competition for all members.

Following a governance review in 2011, the VJBL Commission is now working under a new charter, which was passed at the Basketball Victoria State Conference in 2011.

A major focus for the VJBL in 2011 was Referee development. An initiative introduced across all levels of the competition was to provide additional Referee Coaching at a range of venues. We have had excellent results with a lot of positive feedback from Associations and the referees themselves. It has also resulted in a dramatic increase of sportsmanlike behaviour both on the court and in the stands.

The McDonald's® National Junior Classic was a fantastic success both as an event and for the quality of basketball played. The event continues to grow in stature and has become Australia's premier junior club championship. We thank McDonald's for their ongoing support of the 'Classic' and the staff and volunteers who work tirelessly to make the event such a success.



The strength of competition in the VJBL was highlighted by the success of the VJBL teams in National events both at the Clubs and through Victorian Metro and Country representation throughout 2011.

The regional competitions continue to play a special part in the growth of the VJBL. Through flexibility and understanding, the regions continue to fulfill their part of the mission of Basketball Victoria to "provide individuals with the opportunity to maximise their potential by competing in the highest level possible given their ability". This has proven to be not only an exciting and challenging season, but a fascinating keenly-contested final series.

A highlight once again in 2011, was the Annual Regional East vs North West Challenge. This event, now entering its fourth year, has been a tremendous inclusion into the VJBL Calendar of events and is always very closely contested and well supported by the wider basketball community.

We are continuing to work with our current partners to provide a mutually beneficial relationship for both parties and our on-going partnership with Beyond Blue, the national depression initiative, is extremely important to the VJBL as it assists in promoting awareness of depression and anxiety disorders amongst our youth. We also recognise Molten who continue to provide wonderful support to our league as does long-term partner McDonald's. We would also like to make special mention of the Leader Newspaper Group who throughout the year provide weekly reports in the North West region.

The VJBL is continually monitoring and reviewing its procedures and processes along with internal roles of staff to provide an efficient and collaborative approach to maximise performance, whilst providing the best possible competition for all levels in our league.

I would like to thank all our delegates for their hard work during the year and welcome the new ones to the VJBL AGM. I would like to thank all the volunteers, coaches and officials from Associations who, in no small way are responsible for the ongoing success of the VJBL.

I would especially like to thank all the Committee of Management and sub-committee members for their commitment and support over the year. We all look forward to the 2012 season and to further building our programs to ensure we are the Country's leading Junior Representative League.

## **NIALL QUINN**

Chairman

## **DAVID HICKMAN**

Chair – EQ

## **ED HOLMAN**

Chair – NW



# Victorian Basketball Referees Association

**This report reflects change: positive change in the VBRA's relationship with Basketball Victoria, change in the leadership of the VBRA, and perhaps most challenging, potential change in the dominance of officiating in Australia.**

I'm proud to recognise the continuing achievements of our members each year. In the past year, we have seen the outstanding achievement of Bill Mildenhall, who was presented with the Victorian Official of the Year Award 2011, in recognition of his exceptional service to officiating in this state. Michael Aylen has been appointed to his third Olympics as a referee, Bill has been honoured to be appointed as a Commissioner to the 2012 Olympics, and Chris Reid has been appointed to the U17 Men's World Championships.

The challenge is that Victoria is no longer automatically the strongest state in either officiating or playing. Certainly Victorian teams continue to succeed at national championships (witness the recent U20s in Canberra), but it is no longer automatic and no longer without challenge. Equally, Victorian officials continue to achieve major appointments. We continue to have gold medal referees at national level (again witness Brodie McLachlan at the U20s) but it too is no longer automatic. NSW referees are continually excelling at national level, despite their competitions not being at quite the same standard as Victorian competitions. The challenge for the near future, if Victoria wishes to continue to lead, is to learn, adapt and exceed the standards being set by others.

After a long-term review, the VBRA has agreed in principal with Basketball Victoria to form a broader Officiating Commission to oversee the development and policy of officiating in this state. While the details have to be worked out, I would hope that this will provide additional resources for officiating development and will lead to a cohesive, inclusive structure that will ensure Victorians remain at the forefront of Australian officiating.

It may be that this Officiating Commission is a first step to providing the infrastructure needed to identify officiating talent early and provide a comprehensive and coordinated approach to more and better officiating across the state. Presently, the VBRA is funded only through its individual referee members, and refereeing development is fragmented across Leagues and Associations, all with their own specific needs and interests. It's a model that has been successful to date, but looking forward needs to be refocused.

After six years as President and 19 years serving on the VBRA Board and committees, I am now stepping down. This will allow me to devote more time to my local Association – Eltham Wildcats – and I intend to serve as a referee coach and Australian Junior Championships Technical Commissioner wherever I'm wanted. No matter how many years I might have served I could never have contributed nearly as much as I have benefited from being part of the VBRA. I close this, my final report, by thanking the many past and present VBRA members who have and continue to faithfully serve refereeing and basketball over the years I have been involved. My thanks also go to the Board and management of Basketball Victoria, with whom I have had an effective working relationship on behalf of officiating, and I hope that continues into the future.

Yours in basketball,

**STEVEN CHADD**

President



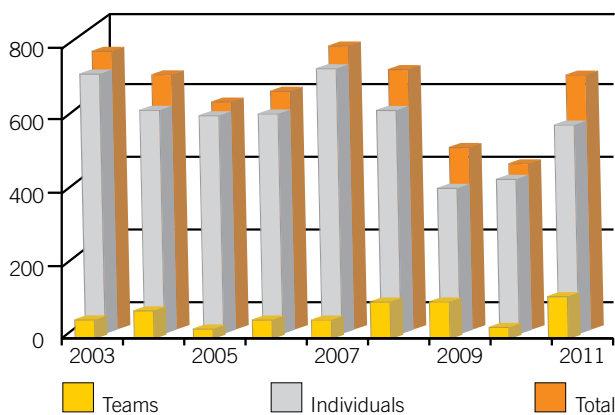
# Tribunal Report

## Tribunals continued to be busy during 2011.

In a disturbing result, approximately 522 individuals and 101 teams were found guilty by Tribunals of 1 or more offences. This is a considerable increase over recent years and reverses the trend downwards. Most of the teams were placed on bonds but some individuals also received bonds. No life bans were imposed.

There was a significant increase in spectators appearing before the Tribunal with 24 this year compared with only 13 last year. Of the 12 coaches found guilty of offences, a number of those were also parents of children involved in the game. It was hoped that the trend towards lower spectator number over the last few years would continue but it wasn't to be. However, we are still below the numbers we had several years ago.

The following chart indicates the trends over the last few years.



Of the 7 appeals considered by the Basketball Victoria Appeals Officer, only 3 were granted re-hearings, two on the ground of new evidence being available that was not available at the time of the original hearing and the other on proper notice not having been given for the hearing.

The Member Protection Tribunal dealing with screening issues and discrimination, vilification and harassment in matters of gender, race and other similar categories dealt with 6 matters, mostly racial and sexual vilification or harassment. Fortunately, its work was minimal this year.

I thank all our volunteers for the countless hours they have spent in organising and sitting on Tribunals and in particular Denyse Galle from Knox Tribunal who also assisted me in writing up the Tribunal Report.

### GERRY GLENNEN

Manager Governance and Operations  
Solicitor



# 2011 National Junior Championship Results

## Under 20 Men

Victoria (77) d Queensland (70)

## Ivor Burge Men

Victoria Metro (85) d ACT (46)

## Under 20 Women

Victoria (73) d NSW (56)

## Ivor Burge Women

Victoria Metro (56) d NSW Metro (49)

## Under 18 Boys

NSW Metro (50) d VIC Metro (45)

## Under 18 Girls

VIC Metro (70) d SA Metro (61)

## Under 16 Boys

VIC Metro (80) d ACT (46)

## Under 16 Girls

VIC Metro (78) d VIC Country (56)

## Under 14 Club Championships Boys

Hills Hornets (37) d Melbourne Tigers (31)

## Under 14 Club Championships Girls

Bulleen (50) d Dandenong (45)



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## Referee and Referee Coaches National Junior Appointments/Achievements

### Under 20 National Junior Championships (Maitland, NSW)

Referee	Sarah Carey	Gold Medal – Men
Referee	Bryce Reid	Bronze Medal – Men

Technical Commissioner - Steven Chadd

### Ivor Burge National Championships (Maitland, NSW)

Referee	Courtney Wright	Bronze Medal – Men
Referee	Jacqueline Stevens	Gold Medal – Men

### Under 18 National Junior Championships (Ulverstone, Tas)

Referee	Elise Morris	Bronze Medal – Women
Referee	Alex Brockway	Bronze Medal – Men
Referee	Troy Jones	Gold Medal – Women

Technical Commissioner - Alan Garraway

Referee Commissioner - Anthony O'Brien

Assistant Commissioner - Sean Gottlieb and Troy Earle

### Under 16 National Junior Championships (Kilsyth, Vic)

Referee	Brad Sheehy	Bronze Medal – Women
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Referee Commissioner - Sharon Arnold

Referee Manager - Alan Garraway

Assistant Commissioner - Michael Potts, David Pretty, Sean Gottlieb and Barry Spricer

### Under 14 Boys National Club Championships (Brisbane, Qld)

Referee	Riley Brown	Gold Medal – C'ship
Referee	Mark Longworth	Bronze Medal – Shield

### Under 14 Girls National Club Championships (Darwin, NT)

Referee	Luke Banitsiotis	Gold Medal – C'ship
Referee	Caitlin Lamont	Bronze Medal – Shield
Referee	Sophie Porter	Bronze Medal – C'ship
Referee	Courtney Wright	Bronze Medal – Shield

Technical Commissioner - Alan Garraway

### Australian School Championships (Bendigo, Vic)

Technical Commissioner - Alan Garraway

Referee Commissioner - Pat Crowe

Referee Manager - Emily Camilleri

Assistant Commissioner - Sean Gottlieb, Allan Manhire, Michael Potts and John Turner



# 2011 McDonald's® National Junior Classic

## Under 12 Girls

Altona (60) d Geelong (43)

**MVP:** Ally Brown (Altona)

## Under 12 Boys

Bulleen (52) d Melbourne (47)

**MVP:** Matthew Mikic (Bulleen)

## Under 14 Girls

Dandenong (53) d Eltham (46)

**MVP:** Georgia Dale (Eltham)

## Under 14 Boys

Melbourne (57) d Knox (52)

**MVP:** Zachary Elms (Knox)

## Under 16 Girls

Dandenong (57) d Eastern Mavericks (48)

**MVP:** Danni Pearce (Dandenong)

## Under 16 Boys

Knox (62) d Dandenong (46)

**MVP:** Ben Simmons (Knox)

## Under 18 Girls

Bullen (57) d Melbourne (47)

**MVP:** Funda Nakkosoglu (Bulleen)

## Under 18 Boys

Melbourne (62) d Northern Suburbs (61)

**MVP:** Jack Purchase (Melbourne)



# 2011 Victorian Junior Basketball League Grand Final Results

## Victorian Championship Grand Finals

23rd September 2011, Dandenong Basketball Stadium

### Under 12 Girls

Sandringham (38) d Bulleen (24)

**MVP:** Keeley Frawley (Sandringham)

### Under 12 Reserve Girls

Nunawading (53) d Kilsyth (46)

**MVP:** Samantha Gates (Nunawading)

### Under 14 Girls

Bulleen (66) d Melbourne (51)

**MVP:** Briana Babic (Melbourne)

### Under 14 Reserve Girls

Dandenong 2 (58) d Geelong (44)

**MVP:** Amy Troy (Geelong)

### Under 16 Girls

Dandenong (52) d Melbourne (51)

**MVP:** Askani Pirihi (Dandenong)

### Under 16 Reserve Girls

Melbourne 2 (58) d Ringwood (42)

**MVP:** Rebecca Noller (Ringwood)

### Under 18 Girls

Melbourne (58) d Diamond Valley (38)

**MVP:** Ashlea Stainer (Melbourne)

### Under 18 Reserve Girls

Geelong (50) d Latrobe (41)

**MVP:** Ebony Rolp (Geelong)

### Under 20 Women

Knox (48) d Kilsyth (37)

**MVP:** Samantha Donald (Knox)

### Under 12 Boys

Eltham (53) d Bulleen (48)

**MVP:** Kye Agosta (Eltham)

### Under 12 Reserve Boys

Diamond Valley (42) d Altona (38)

**MVP:** Ryan Bowkett (Diamond Valley)

### Under 14 Boys

Altona (60) d Eltham (53)

**MVP:** Kodi Opetaiia (Altona)

### Under 14 Reserve Boys

Ballarat (50) d Diamond Valley (42)

**MVP:** Bailey Guinea (Ballarat)

### Under 16 Boys

Bulleen (58) d Knox (50)

**MVP:** Christian Petacca (Bulleen)

### Under 16 Reserve Boys

Frankston (63) d Melbourne 2 (61)

**MVP:** Jordon Rouse (Frankston)

### Under 18 Boys

Melbourne (63) d Waverley (51)

**MVP:** Dane Pineau (Melbourne)

### Under 18 Reserve Boys

Sandringham (47) d Diamond Valley 2 (43)

**MVP:** Nicholas Hirons (Sandringham)

### Under 20 Men

Melbourne (63) d Waverley (52)

**MVP:** Ryan Oirbans (Melbourne)



# 2011 Victorian Junior Basketball League Grand Final Results

## Girls/Women Victorian Junior League Grand Final

16th September 2011, Dandenong Basketball Stadium

### Under 12 Girls VJL 1

Southern Peninsula (29) d Waverley (22)

**MVP:** Pascale Latras (Southern Peninsula)

### Under 12 Girls VJL 1

Bulleen 2 (38) d Keilor (30)

**MVP:** Kaylah Pangbourne (Bulleen)

### Under 12 Girls VJL 2

Warrandyte (28) d Altona 3 (27)

**MVP:** Jaimee Hindle (Altona)

### Under 12 Girls VJL 2

Frankston 3 (39) d Kilsyth 2 (28)

**MVP:** Annaliese Rogers (Frankston)

### Under 14 Girls VJL 1

Diamond Valley (54) d Melbourne 2 (25)

**MVP:** Karla Steele (Diamond Valley)

### Under 14 Girls VJL 2

Kilsyth 3 (33) d Frankston 2 (21)

**MVP:** Madeline Gill (Frankston)

### Under 14 Girls VJL 3

Latrobe (46) d Diamond Valley (38)

**MVP:** Tayla Van Der Meulen (Latrobe)

### Under 14 Girls VJL 4

Kilsyth 2 (44) d Whittlesea (23)

**MVP:** Karli Kenny (Kilsyth)

### Under 16 Girls VJL 1

Diamond Valley 2 (33) d Knox 2 (25)

**MVP:** Shannon Dufficy (Diamond Valley)

### Under 16 Girls VJL 2

Southern Peninsula (41) d Werribee 2 (32)

**MVP:** Isabel Chretien (Southern Peninsula)

### Under 16 Girls VJL 3

Frankston 3 (30) d Broadmeadows 2 (17)

**MVP:** Shaye Williams (Frankston)

### Under 16 Girls VJL 4

McKinnon (36) d Frankston (31)

**MVP:** Hana Bektas (McKinnon)

### Under 18 Girls VJL 1

Waverley (50) d Diamond Valley 2 (35)

**MVP:** Claire Ioannidis (Waverley)

### Under 18 Girls VJL 2

Sunbury (32) d Nunawading 3 (28)

**MVP:** Meg Dejong (Sunbury)

### Under 18 Girls VJL 3

Southern Peninsula (47) d Mornington (38)

**MVP:** Brittany Archdeacon (Mornington)

### Under 18 Girls VJL 4

Pakenham (31) d Sandringham 2 (22)

**MVP:** Megan Wallace (Pakenham)

### Under 20 Women VJL 1

Nunawading (53) d Cranbourne (43)

**MVP:** Meg Lyon (Nunawading)

### Under 20 Women VJL 2

Chelsea (36) d Eltham (15)

**MVP:** Jodie Ferguson (Chelsea)



# 2011 Victorian Junior Basketball League Grand Final Results

## Boys/Men Victorian Junior League Grand Final

16th September 2011, Dandenong Basketball Stadium

### Under 12 Boys VJL 1

Sandringham (45) d Pakenham (40)

**MVP:** Tomas Long (Sandringham)

### Under 12 Boys VJL 1

Kilsyth 3 (52) d Hawthorn 2 (34)

**MVP:** Jack Perry (Kilsyth)

### Under 12 Boys VJL 2

Nunawading 2 (38) d McKinnon (32)

**MVP:** Matthew Warlord (Nunawading)

### Under 12 Boys VJL 2

Collingwood (38) d Melton (31)

**MVP:** Deng Dut (Collingwood)

### Under 14 Boys VJL 1

Coburg (43) d Dandenong 2 (37)

**MVP:** Matthew Exton (Dandenong)

### Under 14 Boys VJL 2

Knox 2 (30) d Nunawading 2 (25)

**MVP:** Trent Nathan (Nunawading)

### Under 14 Boys VJL 3

Dandenong 3 (41) d Camberwell (34)

**MVP:** Noel De Silva (Dandenong)

### Under 14 Boys VJL 4

Broadmeadows (43) d Cranbourne (33)

**MVP:** Thomas Zuidema (Broadmeadows)

### Under 16 Boys VJL 1

Hawthorn (43) d Kilsyth (25)

**MVP:** Harry Thompson (Hawthorn)

### Under 16 Boys VJL 2

Knox 3 (50) d Diamond Valley 2 (40)

**MVP:** Jordon Young (Diamond Valley)

### Under 16 Boys VJL 3

Mornington (50) d Ringwood (47)

**MVP:** Ben Durnin (Mornington)

### Under 16 Boys VJL 4

Coburn (37) d Whittlesea (36)

**MVP:** Torris Keresoma (Coburg)

### Under 18 Boys VJL 1

Frankston (45) d Dandenong 2 (31)

**MVP:** Nathaniel Abeyaratne (Frankston)

### Under 18 Boys VJL 2

Waverley 2 (69) d Pakenham (33)

**MVP:** Nathan Grigg (Waverley)

### Under 18 Boys VJL 3

Melbourne 3 (48) d Knox 3 (42)

**MVP:** Mark Riches (Melbourne)

### Under 18 Boys VJL 4

Geelong 2 (39) d Sandringham 2 (29)

**MVP:** Dusty Duggan (Geelong)

### Under 20 Men VJL 1

Cranbourne (51) d Ringwood (44)

**MVP:** Jordon Jacotine (Cranbourne)

### Under 20 Men VJL 2

Western Port (44) d Sunbury 2 (38)

**MVP:** Luke Molloy (Western Port)

### Under 20 Men VJL 3

Cranbourne 2 (47) d Doncaster (39))

**MVP:** Aaron Bower (Cranbourne)

### Under 20 Men VJL 4

Craigieburn 2 (45) d Cranbourne 3 (38)

**MVP:** Liam Watt (Craigieburn)

### Under 20 Men VJL 5

Darebin 2 (56) d Ringwood 3 (48)

**MVP:** Patrick McBrearty (Darebin)



# 2011 Victorian Junior Basketball League Grand Final Results

## Regional Grand Final Results

### Under 12 Boys Regional One East

Western Port 2 (48) d Nunawading 3 (36)

**MVP:** Matthew Gahan (Western Port)

### Under 12 Boys Regional One North

Bellarine (44) d Werribee 2 (30)

**MVP:** Hamish Goodier (Ballarine)

### Under 12 Boys East Two

Dandenong 4 (32) d Blackburn 3 (31)

**MVP:** David Botembrood (Dandenong)

### Under 12 Boys Central Three

Knox 5 (31) d Waverley 3 (28)

**MVP:** Jack Weldon (Knox)

### Under 12 Boys East Three

Melbourne 4 (40) d Sthn Peninsula 3 (19)

**MVP:** Shaun Scullin (Melbourne)

### Under 12 Boys North Three

Whittlesea 2 (48) d Melton 2 (31)

**MVP:** Patrick Pusztai (Whittlesea)

### Under 12 Girls Central One

Eltham 4 (23) d Diamond Valley 3 (21)

**MVP:** Mikayla Peterson (Diamond Valley)

### Under 12 Girls East One

Frankston 5 (34) d Sthn Peninsula 2 (27)

**MVP:** Samara Aldridge (Frankston)

### Under 12 Girls North One

Geelong 2 (20) d Sunbury 2 (15)

**MVP:** Lilly Scanlon (Sunbury)

### Under 12 East Two

Hawthorn 5 (28) d Chelsea (11)

**MVP:** Charlotte Gorman (Hawthorn)

### Under 14 Boys East One

Eltham 3 (31) d McKinnon 2 (26)

**MVP:** Ryan Gardiner (Eltham)

### Under 14 Boys North One

Melton (40) d Darebin (33)

**MVP:** Fernando Rios-Rodriguez (Melton)

### Under 14 Boys East Two Central

Eltham 5 (67) d Warrandyte 3 (32)

### Under 14 Boys East Two South

Pakenham (38) d Nunawading 4 (24)

**MVP:** Michael Rossetti (Pakenham)

### Under 14 Boys North Two

Broadmeadows 2 (43) d Sunbury 3 (42)

**MVP:** Angus Pudge (Broadmeadows)

### Under 14 Boys East Three South

Cranbourne 3 (34) d Melbourne 4 (33)

**MVP:** Kalani Heffernan (Cranbourne)

### Under 14 Boys East Four

Oakleigh 3 (41) d Mornington 2 (31)

**MVP:** Lachlan Wigney (Oakleigh)

### Under 14 Boys East Five South

Sandringham 5 (53) d Nunawading 6 (39)

**MVP:** Jason Page (Sandringham)

### Under 14 Boys Regional Five North

Keilor 4 (48) d Corio Bay 2 (34)

**MVP:** Max Tessan (Keilor)

### Under 14 Boys Regional Five Central

Eltham 6 (34) d Ringwood 5 (28)

**MVP:** Hakeem Brooks (Eltham)

### Under 14 Girls Central One

Hawthorn 3 (31) d Eltham 3 (24)

### Under Under 14 Girls East One

Nunawading 3 (28) d Western Port (27)

**MVP:** Tess Nolan

### Under 14 Girls North One

Sunbury 2 (32) d Corio Bay (27)

**MVP:** Mikayla Aquilina (Sunbury)

### Under 14 Girls Regional Two North

Whittlesea 2 (24) d Melton (19)



# 2011 Victorian Junior Basketball League Grand Final Results

## Regional Grand Final Results

### Under 14 Girls Regional Two South

Frankston 5 (35) d Pakenham (13)

**MVP:** Jesslyn Credin (Frankston)

### Under 14 Girls Central Three

Sherbrooke (25) d Warrandyte 3 (16)

**MVP:** Emily Clements (Sherbrooke)

### Under 14 Girls East Four

Waverley 3 (19) d McKinnon 3 (16)

### Under 16 Boys East One

Bulleen 2 (33) d Knox 4 (23)

**MVP:** Max Braybrook (Bulleen)

### Under 16 Boys North One

Keilor 2 (45) d Altona 2 (40)

**MVP:** Anthony Moon (Keilor)

### Under 16 Boys East Two North

Kilsyth 3 (44) d Hawthorn 3 (22)

**MVP:** Aiden Thomas (Keilor)

### 16 Boys East Two South

Melbourne 4 (37) d Oakleigh (20)

**MVP:** Justher Angeles (Melbourne)

### Under 16 Boys East Three North

Eltham 5 (49) d Bulleen 4 (26)

**MVP:** Kyle Bennetto (Eltham)

### Under 16 Boys East Three South

Cranbourne 2 (35) d Chelsea (31)

**MVP:** Matthew Souter (Cranbourne)

### Under 16 Boys East Four

Melbourne 7 (38) d McKinnon 3 (33)

**MVP:** Callum Lechmus (Melbourne)

### Under 16 Boys Regional Four

Blackburn 3 (35) d Collingwood 3 (14)

**MVP:** Elliot MC Farland (Blackburn)

### Under 16 Boys Reserve Four

Whittlesea 3 (37) d Oakleigh 2 (33)

**MVP:** Bradley Ioannidis (Whittlesea)

### Under 16 Girls East One

Waverley 2 (40) d Mornington 2 (28)

**MVP:** Mikaela Miller (Waverley)

### Under 16 Girls North One

Bellarine (52) d Eltham 3 (30)

**MVP:** Allison Marsh (Bellarine)

### Under 16 Girls East Two

Frankston 5 (30) d Sandringham 3 (29)

### Under 16 Girls North Two

Broadmeadows 3 (29) d Broadmeadows 4 (22)

**MVP:** Alisha Morgan (Broadmeadows 3)

### Under 18 Girls Regional One

Broadmeadows 2 (53) d Ringwood 2 (32)

**MVP:** Ruby Parsons (Ringwood)

### Under 18 Boys Regional One South

Sandringham 3 (53) d Waverley 4 (52)

**MVP:** Jason Boland (Sandringham)

### Under 18 Boys Regional One North

Werribee 3 (38) d Keilor 4 (31)

**MVP:** Bradley Baker (Werribee)

### Under 18 Boys Regional Two

Chelsea (44) d Keilor 5 (4)

**MVP:** Caleb Bainbridge (Chelsea)

### Under 18 Boys Regional Three

Eltham 5 (48) d Cranbourne 2 (37)

**MVP:** Kyle Humphrey (Cranbourne)

### Under 18 Regional Four South

Waverley 5 (36) d Western Port 3 (34)

**MVP:** Rob Millard

### Under 18 Boys Regional Four North

Werribee 4 (34) d Camberwell 5 (24)



# 2011 Country Championship Results

## Under 12 Championship Girls

Geelong Cats (43) d Maffra Eagles (26)

## Under 12 Championship Boys

Southern Peninsula (42) d Geelong Cats (20)

## Under 12 Girls Division 2

Maryborough (42) d Wonthaggi (29)

## Under 12 Boys Division 2

Colac Kookas (34) d Warrnambool (28)

## Under 12 Boys Division 3

Kyneton Tigers (57) d Maryborough (42)

## Under 12 Girls Division 4

Ararat Redbacks (34) d Seymour Blasters (25)

## Under 12 Boys Division 4

Echuca Pirates (66) d Swan Hill Flyers (20)

## Under 14 Championship Girls

Maffra Eagles (34) d Wodonga Wolves (29)

## Under 14 Championship Boys

Geelong Cats (39) d Wodonga Wolves (30)

## Under 14 Girls Division 2

Mildura (45) d Shepparton (25)

## Under 14 Boys Division 2

Maffra (41) d Hamilton (25)

## Under 14 Girls Division 3

Western Port (25) d Wangaratta (23)

## Under 14 Boys Division 3

Moe (40) d Portland (39)

## Under 14 Girls Division 4

Korumburra (40) d Hamilton (18)

## Under 14 Boys Division 4

Maryborough (32) d Terang (29)

## Under 16 Girls Division 1

Traralgon T-Birds (59) d Warrnambool Mermaids (48)

## Under 16 Boys Division 1

Bendigo Braves (56) d Ballarat Miners (42)

## Under 16 Girls Division 2

Mt Gambia Lakers (56) d Portland Coasters (31)

## Under 16 Boys Division 2

Colac Kookas (43) d Traralgon T-Birds (31)

## Under 16 Girls Division 3

Sale Sonics (55) d Bellarine Storm (40)

## Under 16 Boys Division 3

Sale Sonics (53) d Swan Hill Flyers (50)

## Under 16 Girls Division 4

Echuca Pirates (43) d Hamilton (40)

## Under 16 Boys Division 4

Terang Tornadoes (47) d Maryborough Blazers (36)

## Under 18 Girls Division 1

Ballarat Miners (64) d Bendigo Braves (36)

## Under 18 Boys Division 1

Ballarat Miners (66) d Shepparton Gators (55)

## Under 18 Girls Division 2

Shepparton Gators (39) d Traralgon T-Birds (34)

## Under 18 Boys Division 2

Mildura Heat (61) d Warrnambool Seahawks (40)

## Under 18 Girls Division 3

Maryborough Blazers (55) d Southern Peninsula (39)

## Under 18 Boys Division 3

Moe Meteors (42) d Colac Kookas (28)

## Under 20 Men Championship

Wodonga Wolves (62) d Korumburra Wildcats (39)

## Gippsland Men's Conference Title

Warragul Warriors (82) d Morwell Magic (72)

## Gippsland Women's Conference Title

Traralgon (67) d Korumburra Wildcats (44)

## North East Men's Conference Title

Wodonga Wolves (78) d Seymour Blasters (67)

## North East Women's Conference Title

Albury Cougars (53) d Wodonga Wolves (43)

## South West Men's Conference Title

Corio Bay Stingrays (80) d Mount Gambier Lakers (62)

## Men's State Country Title

Corio Bay Stingrays (82) d Wodonga Wolves (61)

## Women's State Country Title

Wodonga Wolves (71) d Korumburra Wildcats (62)



# 2011 Big V Grand Final Results

## State Championship Men

### Game 1

Waverley (113) d Eltham (111)

### Game 2

Waverley (75) d Eltham (73)

**(Waverley win series 2-0)**

**Series MVP:** Ivan Platenik

## State Championship Women

### Game 1

Eltham (60) d Melbourne (56)

### Game 2

Eltham (74) d Melbourne (60)

**(Eltham win series 2-0)**

**Series MVP:** Katrina Hibbert

## Division 1 Men

### Game 1

Warrnambool (99) d Geelong (89)

### Game 2

Geelong (94) d Warrnambool (78)

### Game 3

Geelong (89) d Warrnambool (67)

**(Geelong win series 2-1)**

**Series MVP:** Jason Reardon

## Division 1 Women

### Game 1

Warrnambool (75) d Mildura (48)

### Game 2

Mildura (68) d Warrnambool (55)

### Game 3

Warrnambool (57) d Mildura (46)

**(Warrnambool win series 2-1)**

**Series MVP:** Holly Greene

## Division 2 Men

### Game 1

Blackburn (74) d McKinnon (68)

### Game 2

Blackburn (88) d McKinnon (71)

**(Blackburn win series 2-1)**

**Series MVP:** Jonny Otten

## Division 2 Women

### Game 1

Keilor (56) d Blackburn (44)

### Game 2

Keilor (73) d Blackburn (60)

**(Blackburn win series 2-0)**

**Series MVP:** Lauren Hoare

## State Youth Championship 1 Men

### Game 1

Ringwood (63) d Melbourne (61)

### Game 2

Ringwood (82) d Melbourne (64)

**(Ringwood win series 2-0)**

**Series MVP:** Trent Zomer

## State Youth Championship 2 Men

### Game 1

Whittlesea (63) d Keilor (56)

### Game 2

Whittlesea (70) d Keilor (59)

**(Whittlesea win series 2-0)**

**Series MVP:** Chris Petroro

## State Youth Championship Women

### Game 1

Waverley (66) d Melbourne (65)

### Game 2

Waverley (76) d Melbourne (64)

**(Waverley win series 2-0)**

**Series MVP:** Taylor Dickinson



# State Championship Records - Men

## Victorian State Championships (Men) 1932 – 1999

Big V Conference of the Australian Basketball Association 2000 – 2009

1932	YMCA	d	Church of England	1972	St. Kilda (90)	d	Melbourne (81)
1933	YMCA	d	Church of England	1973	Bulleen (77)	d	Melbourne (74)
1934	Church of England	d	YMCA	1974	Bulleen (83)	d	Melbourne (79)
1935	YMCA	d	Church of England	1975	Melbourne (90)	d	St. Kilda (83)
1936	YMCA	d	Church of England	1976	St Kilda (87)	d	Melbourne (84)
1937	YMCA	d	Presbyterian	1977	Coburg (85)	d	South Melbourne (62)
1938	YMCA	d	Church of England	1978	St. Kilda (90)	d	Coburg (80)
1939	Mormons	d	Presbyterian	1979	Chelsea (76)	d	Melbourne (60)
1940	Mormons	d	Church of England	1980	St. Kilda (102)	d	Geelong (99)
1941	YMCA	d	Metropolitan	1981	Nunawading (83)	d	Melbourne (69)
1942	4th General Hospital	d	Church of England	1982	Nunawading 80)	d	Coburg (77)
1943	Church of England	d	YMCA	1983	Geelong (96)	d	Coburg (85)
1944	648th Engineers	d	Church of England	1984	Geelong (97)	d	Nunawading (94)
1945	YMCA	d	Church of England	1985	Nunawading (110)	d	Coburg (84)
1946	YMCA	d	Church of England	1986	Geelong (105)	d	Coburg (84)
1947	Church of England	d	Metropolitan	1987	Nunawading (95)	d	Coburg (88)
1948	Metropolitan	d	Church of England	1988	Keilor (89)	d	Bulleen (71)
1949	Church of England	d	YMCA	1989	Ballarat (104)	d	Melbourne (98)
1950	Metropolitan (47)	d	Business Houses (45)	1990	Melbourne (94)	d	Kilsyth (84)
1951	YMCA (44)	d	Business Houses (27)	1991	Geelong (85)	d	Ballarat (82)
1952	Metropolitan ( 50)	d	YMCA (48)	1992	Melbourne (125)	d	Bayside (115)
1953	YMCA Daina (50)	d	YMCA (48)	1993	Coburg (103)	d	Knox (93)
1954	Olympic Riga (59)	d	YMCA 1 (51)	1994	Melbourne (130)	d	Geelong (123)
1955	YMCA Daina (90)	d	Olympic	1995	Geelong (111)	d	Ballarat (93)
1956	Mormons (54)	d	YMCA (43)	1996	Ballarat (99)	d	Dandenong (93)
1957	YMCA (58)	d	Mormons (51)	1997	Melbourne (136)	d	Frankston (114)
1958	Mormons (54)	d	YMCA (43)	1998	Melbourne (117)	d	Broadmeadows (92)
1959	Mormons (78)	d	YMCA (52)	1999	Kilsyth (90)	d	Melbourne (88)
1960	Church of England (63)	d	Olympic Saints (53)	2000	Shepparton (110)	d	Warrnambool (101)
1961	United Churches (53)	d	Church of England (51)	2001	Shepparton (93)	d	Sandringham (84)
1962	Church of England (58)	d	Olympic Saints (49)	2002	Sandringham (135)	d	Shepparton (129)
1963	Church of England (58)	d	United Churches (49)	2003	Shepparton (105)	d	Sandringham (91)
1964	Olympic Reno (71)	d	Church of England (58)	2004	Hume City (86)	d	Sandringham (84)
1965	Church of England (69)	d	Olympic Reno (67)	2005	Sandringham (118)	d	Dandenong (85)
1966	Church of England (96)	d	YMCA Demons (70)	2006	Dandenong (118)	d	Sandringham (106)
1967	Church of England (99)	d	St. Kilda Business Houses (57)	2007	Dandenong (116)	d	Sandringham (88)
1968	Melbourne East (83)	d	Church of England (78)	2008	Melbourne (125)	d	Sandringham (105)
1969	Melbourne East (84)	d	Church of England (75)	2009	Melbourne (130)	d	Ringwood (111)
1970	St. Kilda Business Houses (89)	d	Church of England (75)	2010	Waverley (76)	d	Ringwood (63)
1971	Melbourne Church (83)	d	St. Kilda Business Houses (69)	2011	Waverley (75)	d	Eltham (73)



# State Championship Records - Women

## Victorian State Championships (Women) 1955 – 1999

Big V Conference of the Australian Basketball Association 2000 – 2006

1955	Flemington / Kensington	1984	Coburg
1956	Southern Cross	1985	Nunawading
1957	Flemington / Kensington	1986	Nunawading
1958	ISCA	1987	Nunawading d Melbourne
1959	Comets	1988	Coburg (59) d Nunawading (56)
1960	Comets	1989	Nunawading (74) d Bulleen (72)
1961	Comets	1990	Bulleen (78) d Nunawading (69)
1962	Brunswick Stars	1991	Nunawading (112) d Bulleen (108)
1963	Comets	1992	Melbourne (83) d Dandenong (66)
1964	Comets	1993	Melbourne (76) d Dandenong (61)
1965	Comets	1994	Melbourne (72) d Dandenong (57)
1966	Comets	1995	Melbourne (69) d Bulleen (53)
1967	Telstars	1996	Dandenong (70) d Bulleen (61)
1968	Telstars	1997	Melbourne (66) d Bulleen (54)
1969	Brunswick / Coburg	1998	Melbourne (71) d Kilsyth (43)
1970	Comets	1999	Kilsyth (103) d Melbourne (79)
1971	Comets	2000	Ballarat (79) d Warrnambool (67)
1972	Telstars	2001	Ballarat (87) d Bulleen (84)
1973	Telstars	2002	Ballarat (77) d Bulleen (64)
1974	Telstars	2003	Melbourne (79) d Sandringham (73)
1975	Telstars	2004	Melbourne (66) d Eltham (55)
1976	CYMS Comets	2005	Eltham (62) d Sandringham (41)
1977	CYMS Comets	2006	Sandringham (64) d Dandenong (58)
1978	CYMS Comets	2007	Hume City (80) d Waverley (66)
1979	St. Kilda	2008	Hume City (88) d Waverley (79)
1980	CYMS Comets	2009	Hume City (75) d Waverley (73)
1981	St. Kilda	2010	Geelong (86) d Hume City (66)
1982	CYMS Comets	2011	Eltham (74) d Melbourne (60)
1983	Nunawading		



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# Betty Watson and Allan Hughes Medals

## Betty Watson Medal 1992 – 2011

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2006	E. McNerny
2007	E. McNerny
2008	K Harrower
2009	E Cambage
2010	K Harrower
2011	J O'Hea

## Allan Hughes Medal 1946 – 2011

1946	M. Johnson
1947	J. Woods
1948	T. Nash
1949	N. Baker
1950	K. Watson / A. McGreachan
1951	A. McGreachan
1952	J. Hinds
1953	J. Hinds / G Heskett
1954	G. Heskett
1955	S. Dargis
1957	M. Raiskums
1958	B. Bumbers
1959	L. Gaze
1960	L. Gaze / J. Hody
1961	W. Wyatt
1962	L. Gaze
1963	W. Wyatt

1964	B. Barnes
1965	F. Jones
1966	R. Watson
1967	L. Gaze
1968	K. Cole
1969	R. Tomlinson
1970	T. Holden
1971	R. Crosswhite
1972	R. Duke
1974	W. Palmer
1975	R. Duke
1976	M. Tucker
1977	R. Cadee
1978	W. Carrol
1979	L. Sengstock
1980	W. Runchey
1981	C. Bruton
1982	A. Gaze
1984	A. Gaze
1989	A. Gaze
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2001	D. McDonald
2002	J. Smith
2003	A. Bogut
2004	A. Bogut
2005	C. Anstey
2006	S. Mackinnon
2007	C. Anstey
2008	D Barlow
2009	M Dellavedova
2010	M Creek
2011	M Dellavedova



# Wall of Fame

## Ray Borner

National Junior Team 1980, NBL Most Valuable Player 1985, NBL All Star Team 1985, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1995, NBL Games 518, World Championships 1982, 1986, 1990, 1994, and Olympic Games 1984, 1988, 1992, 1996.

## Peter Bumbers

Leading scorer in Victorian Championships 1956, represented Victoria in Australian States Championships 1949 -1958, and represented Australia in Olympic Games 1956.

## Wayne Carroll

Represented Victoria in Junior Championships and Australian States Championships, winner Allan Hughes Medal 1978, represented Australia in Olympic Games 1984, 1988 and World Championships 1982 and 1986.

## Jack Carter

The VBA "Wall of Fame" is dedicated to Jack Carter, a lifetime administrator of Victorian Basketball, Secretary of Business Houses Basketball association 1949 – 1963, member of VBA executive 1950 – 1980, President of VBA 1962 – 1980 and Life Member of VBA. A sincere and gentle man.

## Ken Cole

Represented Victoria in Australian States, Championships as a player and a coach, represented Australia in Olympic Games 1972, 1976 and World Championships 1970.

## Perry "Rocky" Crosswhite

Represented Victoria in Australian States Championships, winner Allan Hughes Medal 1971, represented Australia in Olympic Games 1972, 1976, 1980 and World Championships 1974.

## Lindsay Gaze

Winner Allan Hughes Medal 1959, 1960, 1962 and 1967, represented Victoria in Australian States Championships, represented Australia in Olympic Games 1960, 1964 and World Championships 1962 and 1970, coached Australian team in Olympic Games 1972, 1976, 1980 and 1984 and World Championships 1962.

## Jill Hammond

Represented Victoria in Australian States Championships, represented Australia in Olympic qualifying 1980 and World Championships 1971, 1975 and 1979.

## Brian Kerle

Represented Victoria as a player and coach in Australian States Championships, represented Australia in Olympic Games 1972 and World Championships 1970 and 1974.

## Jean Kupsch

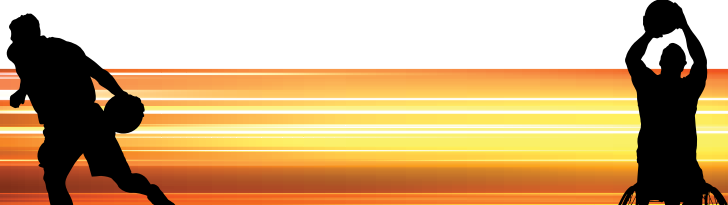
Selected in Victorian senior team aged 16, leading player on Comets team which reached state finals 1960 – 1966, represented Victoria in Australian States Championships – MVP 1963, represented Australia 1963 and World Championships 1967 – MVP in preliminary tournament.

## Karin Maar

Represented Victoria in Junior Championships and Australian States Championships 1968 – 1983, represented Australia 1974 – 1983 Olympic qualifying 1976 and World Championships 1975, 1979 and 1983.

## Robyn Maher

Leading Scorer WNBL, 10 WNBL Championships, 6 State Championships, World champions 1979, 1983, 1986, 1990, 1994, 1998, represented Australia in Olympic Games in 1984, 1988, 1996 and represented Australia in 374 games.



# Wall of Fame

## **Arch McGreachan**

Winner Allan Hughes Medal 1950 and 1951, represented Victoria in Australian States Championships, leading playmaker and defensive specialist.

## **Eddie Palubinskas**

Represented Victoria in Australian States Championship, represented Australia in Olympic Games, second leading scorer 1972, leading scorer Olympics 1976 and World Championship 1974.

## **Larry Sengstock**

Most games played in NBL – 456 games, Champion team NBL 1979, 1980, 1985, 1986 and 1994, World Junior Championship 1979, World Championship 1978, 1982, 1986 and 1990, represented Australia in Olympic Games 1980, 1984, 1988 and 1992 and represented Australia in 275 games.

## **Jan Smithwick**

Represented Victoria in Junior Championships, Australian States Championships, represented Australia in Olympic Qualifying 1980 and World Championships 1975 and 1979.

## **Samantha Thornton**

Second all time leading scorer WNBL with 4044 points, WNBL all star team 1991 and 1993, Champion team – Nunawading 1988, 1989 and 1991, World junior Championship 1990 and 1994 and represented Australia in 135 games.

## **Michele Timms**

Junior World Championship 1985, Olympic Games 1988, 1996 and 2000, World Championships 1986, 1990, 1994 and 1998, International Player of the Year 1994 and 1996, Merit Award 1991, WNBL Games 285, European Cup 1996 – Germany National Championship and WNBA (USA) All Star Team 1999.

## **Ray Tomlinson**

Represented Victoria in Junior Championships and Australian States Championships, Winner Allan Hughes Medal 1969, represented Australia in Olympic Games 1968, 1972 and 1976, and World Championships 1970 and 1974, Assistant coach Australian Women's team 1986 and 1988 and Coach Australian Women's Youth Team 1989, 1990 and 1991.

## **Ian Watson**

Represented Victoria in Junior Championships and Australian States Championships, represented Australia in Olympic Games 1972, 1976 and World Championships 1974.

## **Ken Watson**

Winner of the Allan Hughes Medal 1950, represented Victoria in Australian States Championships, Coached Australian Olympic Team 1956 and 1968.

## **Bill Wyatt**

Winner of Allan Hughes Medal 1961 and 1963, represented Victoria in Junior Championships and Australian States Championships, represented Australia in Olympic Games 1960, 1964 and 1972, and World Championships 1962.



# Basketball Victoria Awards

Year	Association of the Year	Largest Basketball Association	Greatest Membership Increase
2011	Dandenong	Kilsyth and Mountain Districts	Diamond Valley
2010	Knox	Knox	McKinnon
2009	Bulleen	Kilsyth and Mountain Districts	Pakenham
2008	Knox	Knox	McKinnon
2007	Dandenong	Kilsyth and Mountain Districts	McKinnon
2006	Knox	Kilsyth and Mountain Districts	Gateway
2005	Melbourne East	Knox	Corio Bay
2004	Dandenong	Kilsyth and Mountain Districts	Keysborough / Melbourne East
2003	Bendigo	Kilsyth and Mountain Districts	Knox
2002	Kilsyth and Mountain Districts	Kilsyth and Mountain Districts	Gateway
2001	Kilsyth and Mountain Districts	Kilsyth and Mountain Districts	Sunshine
2000	Diamond Valley	Kilsyth and Mountain Districts	Gateway
1999	Eltham	Kilsyth and Mountain Districts	Darebin
1998	Kilsyth and Mountain Districts	Kilsyth and Mountain Districts	Blackburn
1997	Kilsyth and Mountain Districts	Kilsyth and Mountain Districts	Salvation Army
1996	Dandenong	Kilsyth and Mountain Districts	Coburg
1995	Dandenong	Kilsyth and Mountain Districts	Ringwood
1994	Dandenong		Dandenong
1993	Dandenong	Melbourne East	Whittlesea City
1992	Werribee	Melbourne East	Dandenong
1991	Melbourne East	Melbourne East	Dandenong
1990	Bulleen Templestowe		Melbourne East
1989	Ballarat	Melbourne East	Kilsyth and Mountain Districts
1988	Knox	Knox	
1987	Ballarat		



# Basketball Victoria Awards

Year	Jack Carter Memorial (Administrator of the Year)	Allan Ashe Memorial (Volunteer of the Year)	Best Referees Program	Most Improved Junior Program
2011	John Matthews	Kathy Bailey	Knox and Melbourne East	Southern Peninsula
2010	Graeme Allen	Heather Reid	Melbourne East	Melbourne East
2009	Grant Wallace	Paul McGee & Ian Meddings	Knox	Collingwood
2008	Mark Valentine	John Bowie	Knox	Werribee
2007	Ben Turner	Jim Kinna	Knox	Kilsyth
2006	Laurie Joyce	Marilyn Groenewegen	Knox	Sunbury
2005	Laurie Joyce	Dennis / Jane Gallagher	Knox	Keilor
2004	Michael Bullock	Meehan / Manhire Families	Eltham	Diamond Valley
2003	Terri Sutton	Rose Sammut	Kilsyth and Mountain Districts	Broadmeadows
2002	Lee Paterson	Allan Ashe	Melbourne East	Hawthorn
2001	David Hickman		Doncaster	Kilsyth and Mountain Districts
2000	Murray Holmes		Knox Amateur / Dandenong	Knox Amateur
1999	Jim Kinna		Bendigo	Dandenong
1998	Mike Bullock		Kilsyth and Mountain Districts	Knox
1997	Gavin Cook		Eltham	Broadmeadows
1996	Peter Eddy		Broadmeadows	Melbourne East
1995	Brian Harvey		Melbourne East	
1994			Waverley	Dandenong
1993	Dennis O'Brien		Dandenong	Bulleen Templestowe
1992	Ruth Woolcock		Dandenong	Eastern Districts
1991	Neil Pendock		Bulleen	Dandenong
1990	Max Brisbane		Melbourne East	Melbourne East
1989	David Kelly		Melbourne East	Eltham / Coburg
1988	Leon Lucas		Melbourne East	Knox
1987				Sunbury



# Basketball Victoria Awards

Year	Best Regional Media Coverage	Best Regional Story	Best Regional Photograph
2011	Wangaratta Chronicle	Megan Huswaite (Leader Newspaper)	Matt Smithwick - Knox Weekly
2010	Ben Martin and Aidan Fawkes – The Colac Herald	Greg Oakford, Knox Leader	Mark Stewart, Knox Leader
2009	Ben Martin from The Colac Herald Andrew Ware from Latrobe City Energy Basketball	Adrian Benecich, Knox Leader	Eugene Hyland, Knox Leader
2008	Ace Radio 3YB Coast FM – Warrnambool	Casey Neill – Ferntree Gully/Belgrave Paper	Lawrence Pinder
2007	Fairfax Media - Mornington	Lance Jenkinson, Fairfax Community News	Michael Brown, Box'n'Dice
2006	Knox Basketball Hour, Knox Basketball Association	Cheryl Critchley, Herald Sun	Peter Harrison, Mornington District Basketball Association
2005	The Mornington Mail	Marty Shevelove	Brett Crockford, Kangaroo Photos
2004	The Independent News Group	Andrew Johnston, Whitehorse Leader	Brett Crockford, Kangaroo Photos
2003	Ivor Jenkins, Northwest FM Radio Station / The Independent News Group	Warrnambool Standard	Brett Crockford, Kangaroo Photos
2002	The Independent News Group	Kate Jones, Herald Sun	Paul Trezise, Herald Sun
2001	Lilydale Leader	Riverine Herald, Echuca	Glynis Smalley, Kilsyth and Mountain Districts Basketball Association
2000	The Lilydale Express / Plenty Valley Radio 88.6FM	Mike Ryan, The Mornington Mail	Kris Reichl, The Lilydale Express
1999	Waverley Gazette	Tom Carey, The Shepparton Advisor	Alan Marini, Ballarat Courier
1998	Waverley Gazette	Mall Dillon, One on One	Mike Martin, Waverley Gazette

# Inclusion Awards

Year	Wheelchair Athlete of the Year	Basketball Athlete of the Year with an Intellectual Disability	Volunteer of the Year Award for Disability Programs	Inclusive Basketball Association of the Year
2011	Jannik Blair	Michael Patterson	Bob Tyler	Doncaster Basketball Association
2010	Michael D'Amelia	Kim Larkin	Lance Wright	McKinnon Basketball Association
2009	Leanne Del Toso	Molly Urquhart-Moran	Gail Dick	



# 2011 Service Awards

## 2011 Bronze (15 years service)

Damien Adams	<b>Eltham</b>	Michelle McQuillen	<b>Maffra</b>
Ken Andrews	<b>Knox</b>	Alison Morison	<b>Echuca</b>
Steven Anstis	<b>Bellarine</b>	Brian Mott	<b>Craigieburn</b>
Brendan Ayre	<b>McKinnon</b>	Kerry Munro	<b>Craigieburn</b>
Elena Ayre	<b>McKinnon</b>	Grahame Nash	<b>McKinnon</b>
David Baddock	<b>Werribee</b>	Karol Ojczyc	<b>Craigieburn</b>
Kathy Bailey	<b>Craigieburn</b>	Andrew Otte	<b>Werribee</b>
Lisa Baker	<b>Echuca</b>	Bruce Palmer	<b>Werribee</b>
Greg Barker	<b>Eltham</b>	Robyn Pearson	<b>Heyfield</b>
Heather Barker	<b>Mirboo North</b>	John Phillips	<b>Werribee</b>
Debbie Bassett	<b>Foster</b>	Michelle Phillips	<b>Werribee</b>
Lorraine Bonar	<b>Craigieburn</b>	Colleen Pinder	<b>Bendigo</b>
Brian Brasher	<b>Maffra</b>	Collin Powell	<b>Eltham</b>
David Cavanagh	<b>Knox</b>	Neil Radford	<b>Melbourne East</b>
Dianne Cavedon	<b>Wangaratta</b>	Marcus Rees	<b>Terang</b>
Steve Cronin	<b>Ararat</b>	Andrew Roberts	<b>Korumburra</b>
Peter Denning	<b>Waverley</b>	Pam Scanlan	<b>Dandenong</b>
Cambell Fraser	<b>Waverley</b>	John Schelling	<b>Leongatha</b>
Harold Gallagher	<b>Ballarat</b>	Richard Sclater	<b>Maffra</b>
Dale Helms	<b>Camberwell</b>	Lesley Shea	<b>Kinglake</b>
Douglas Helms	<b>Camberwell</b>	Max Shea	<b>Kinglake</b>
David Henshaw	<b>Bairnsdale</b>	Alan Simmins	<b>Kyneton</b>
Christine Hoare	<b>Terang</b>	Sharon Slann	<b>Mirboo North</b>
Greg Jeffers	<b>Eltham</b>	Jenny Slusher	<b>Melbourne East</b>
Adam Jennings	<b>Hamilton</b>	Vin Snell	<b>Waverley</b>
Adam Jones	<b>Eltham</b>	June Stevens	<b>Waverley</b>
John Kearle	<b>Ballarat</b>	Debbie Stone	<b>Heyfield</b>
Jason Kelly	<b>Werribee</b>	Bev Suter	<b>Wangaratta</b>
Robyn Kerton	<b>Stratford</b>	Murray Sydenham	<b>Sth Peninsula</b>
Kerrie Lees	<b>EDJBA</b>	Colin Thompson	<b>Ararat</b>
Kathy Maffei	<b>Eltham</b>	Michael Twirdy	<b>McKinnon</b>
Rebecca Mair	<b>Maffra</b>	Sofia Twirdy	<b>McKinnon</b>
Nathan Manley	<b>Hamilton</b>	Theo Van Breugel	<b>Moe</b>
Trevor McClure	<b>Edenhope</b>	Simon Venn	<b>Melbourne East</b>
Faye McCormick	<b>Southern Pen</b>	Kevin West	<b>Bendigo</b>
Dion McFarlane	<b>Hamilton</b>	Nat Weston	<b>Foster</b>
Iris McIntosh	<b>Hamilton</b>	Sandra Witmitz	<b>Riddells Creek</b>



# 2011 Service Awards

## Silver Awards - 25 Years Service

Pauline Almond	<b>Geelong</b>	Robert Miller	<b>Geelong</b>
Wendy Barned	<b>Knox</b>	Brian Parlby	<b>Melbourne East</b>
Dave Bartlett	<b>Werribee</b>	Douglas Paterson	<b>Lakes Entrance</b>
Lianne Bassett	<b>Heyfield</b>	Helen Pawsey	<b>Horsham</b>
Alecia Cameron	<b>Heyfield</b>	Dawn Pevitt-Holmes	<b>Hamilton</b>
Pauline Campagna	<b>Wangaratta</b>	Richard Randall	<b>Bendigo</b>
Ron Clarke	<b>Werribee</b>	Deenie Rensford	<b>Shepparton</b>
Yvonne Cornell	<b>Eastern District</b>	Keith Rensford	<b>Shepparton</b>
Robbie Cunningham	<b>Hamilton</b>	Bill Rewell	<b>Eastern District</b>
Marie Davis	<b>Murtoa</b>	Garry Robinson	<b>Maffra</b>
Sharon Denham	<b>Swan Hill</b>	Sharon Royal	<b>Traralgon</b>
Ian Dooley	<b>Werribee</b>	Lorraine Sampson	<b>Maffra</b>
Andrea Frost	<b>Hamilton</b>	Eberhard Schulenburg	<b>Melbourne East</b>
Debra Gibbons	<b>Wodonga</b>	Russell Sherren	<b>Hamilton</b>
Barry Hatherell	<b>Hamilton</b>	Glenis Slater	<b>Lakes Entrance</b>
Kevin Hedger	<b>Alexandra</b>	Bernice Snell	<b>Mirboo North</b>
Sandra Higgins	<b>Heyfield</b>	Michael Spear	<b>Bendigo</b>
Yvonne Higgins	<b>Maffra</b>	Ewald Van Laake	<b>Waverley</b>
Maureen Kelly	<b>Heyfield</b>	Ken Warren	<b>Werribee</b>
Paul Leonard	<b>Eltham</b>	Richard Wearmouth	<b>Terang</b>
Rhonda Magnuson	<b>Maffra</b>	Darren Weedon	<b>Werribee</b>
Peter Meehan	<b>Eltham</b>	Fiona Whelan	<b>Maffra</b>



# 2011 Service Awards

## Gold Awards - 35 Years Service

Dawn	Anderson	<b>Maffra</b>	Loretta	Kearney	<b>Hamilton</b>
Lorna	Bailey	<b>Maffra</b>	Cheryl	Kinna	<b>Melbourne East</b>
Pam	Brasher	<b>Maffra</b>	Jim	Kinna	<b>Melbourne East</b>
Sam	Bryne	<b>Hamilton</b>	Mark	Lennox	<b>Bendigo</b>
Jayne	Burton	<b>Charlton</b>	Steven	Lunardon	<b>Sandringham</b>
Rod	Bush	<b>Geelong</b>	Judy	McDonald	<b>Hamilton</b>
Noel	Byers	<b>Geelong</b>	Paul	Moller	<b>Bendigo</b>
Sara	Byrne	<b>Hamilton</b>	Wilma	Ohlson	<b>Bellarine</b>
Vito (Vic)	Campagna	<b>Wangaratta</b>	Douglas	Palmer	<b>Hamilton</b>
Don	Coulson	<b>Bendigo</b>	Cheryl	Patterson	<b>Wangaratta</b>
Karla	Coulson	<b>Bendigo</b>	Gail	Ralph	<b>Yarrawonga</b>
Howard	Dandy	<b>Geelong</b>	Jim	Ralph	<b>Yarrawonga</b>
Jan	Dowler	<b>Waverley</b>	Wayne	Roylance	<b>Werribee</b>
Max	Fraser	<b>Waverley</b>	Graham	Sampson	<b>Maffra</b>
Trish	Gallagher	<b>Geelong</b>	Frank	Smith	<b>Wangaratta</b>
Lorraine	Harris	<b>Eltham</b>	Isobel	Smith	<b>Wangaratta</b>
Paul	Harrower	<b>Bendigo</b>	Geoff	Thompson	<b>Charlton</b>



# Metropolitan Team Registrations

## 2011 Average Metropolitan Team Registrations

Mini = U/8, U/10, U/12

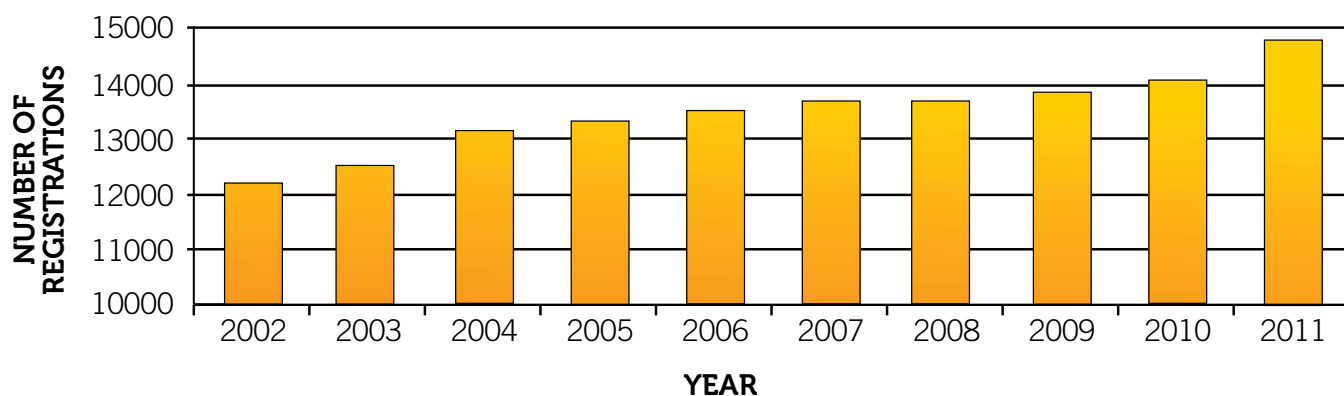
Junior = U/14, U/16, U/18

Association	Senior	U / 20	Junior	Mini	Wkday	Inclusion	Total
Altona Bay	100		106	95			301
Big V	101						101
Blackburn	10						10
Broadmeadows	53		97	68			218
Bulleen	192			82	15		289
Camberwell	27	3	19	4			53
Caroline Springs			12	30			42
Chelsea	34	17	34				85
Coburg	117	7	56	44			224
Collingwood				10			10
Craigieburn	26	11	12	17			66
Cranbourne	115		122	88		3	328
CYMS	159						159
Dandenong	429	33	197	107	21		787
Darebin	23						23
Diamond Valley	203		201	201			605
Doncaster	62			53		28	143
Eastern Parishes	10						10
EDJBA		58	457	368			883
Eltham	168			14		1	183
Eastern Qualifying			234	59			293
Frankston	333		139	110	6	11	599
Gateway	38		9	6			53
Hampton Park	16	4	12	4			36
Hawthorn	139	20	251	195	9		614
Healesville	17		8	9			34
Keilor	152		174	77	8		411
Keysborough	7						7
Kilsyth	356	46	238	353	25	2	1,020
Knox	317	84	299	285	14	14	1,013
Maribyrnong	81		41	14			136
McKinnon	35	10	113	90		1	249
MDBA	58	9	63	62	8		200
MEBA	370	34	192	154	20	2	772
Melbourne	234						234
Melbourne Metro	31						31
Melton	89	4	43	47			183
Metro & Southern Dist	228						228



# Metropolitan Team Registrations

Association	Senior	U / 20	Junior	Mini	Wkday	Inclusion	Total
North West Qualifying			111	29			140
Oakleigh	56		22	7			85
Pakenham	135		68	64			267
Playball				254			254
Port Phillip			23	30		1	54
Power Assist						18	18
Ringwood	141	14	66	51	10		282
Salvation Army	33						33
Sandringham	170	43	220	150	11	13	607
Sherbrooke	61		6	10			77
Springvale	15						15
Sunbury	102	2	100	66			270
Upper Yarra	28		24	19	5		76
VBHBA	128						128
Victorian Baptist	54						54
VJBL		81	360	120			561
Warrandyte	20						20
Waverley	244		89	162			495
Werribee	86		112	77	4	1	280
Whitehorse	2	2	13	9			26
Whittlesea City	210	33	70	75			388
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>5,815</b>	<b>515</b>	<b>4,413</b>	<b>3,769</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>14,763</b>



# Country Team Registrations

## 2011 Average Country Team Registrations

Associations	Registered Teams	Associations	Registered Teams
Alexandra	46	Horsham	70
Ararat	27	Irymple	67
Bacchus Marsh	16	Island District	10
Bairnsdale	66	Kaniva	10
Ballarat	404	Kerang	41
Beaufort	0	Kinglake	20
Bellarine	116	Koondrook	17
Benalla	43	Koriot	12
Bendigo	367	Korumburra	33
Boort	16	Kowree	19
Broadford	9	Kyneton	35
Bunyip	20	Lakes Entrance	27
Camperdown	52	Leongatha	46
Casterton Jnrs	24	Lockington	21
Casterton Snrs	22	Macedon ranges	44
Castlemaine	63	Maffra	85
Charlton	15	Mansfield	50
Churchill Jnrs	19	Maryborough	50
Churchill Snrs	20	Meeniyan	19
Clunes	7	Mildura	182
Cobden	17	Mirboo North	9
Cobram	16	Moe Jnrs	79
Cohuna	21	Moe Snrs	70
Colac	121	Morwell	42
Corio Bay	277	Mount Beauty	14
Corryong	26	Murtoa	16
Daylesford	37	Myrtleford	57
Dimboola	22	Northern Grampians	16
Donald	19	Orbost	26
Eaglehawk	16	Ouyen	39
Echuca	79	Poowong	35
Euroa	12	Port Fairy	32
Foster	37	Portland	109
Geelong	380	Pyramid Hill	12
Geelong Try Boys	26	Riddells Creek	16
Golden Plains	12	Robinvale	42
Hamilton Jnrs	96	Rochester	21
Hamilton Snrs	65	Seymour	38
Heyfield	18	Shepparton	124
Heywood	20	Southern Peninsula	262
Hopetoun	0	St Arnaud	25



# Country Team Registrations

Associations	Registered Teams
Stawell Day Comp	8
Stratford	10
Swan Hill	50
Tatura	20
Terang Jnrs	35
Terang Snrs	16
Timboon	41
Torquay	31
Trafalgar	17
Traralgon	172
Wallan	31
Wangaratta	85
Warracknabeal	31
Warragul	207
Warrnambool Jnrs	51
Warrnambool Snrs	58
Welshpool	18
Whittlesea Jrns	25
Whittlesea Kinglake	12
Whittlesea Snrs	18
Wodonga	125
Wonthaggi	64
Yarragon	15
Yarram	31
Yarrawonga	13
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5892</b>



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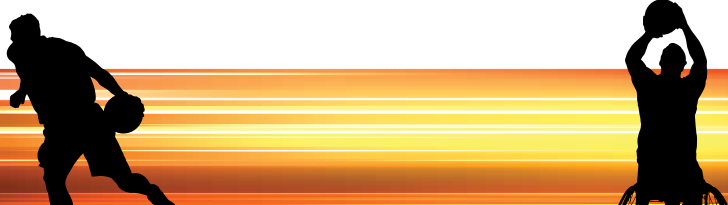
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### Statement of Comprehensive Income

For the Year Ended 31 December 2011

	Notes	2011	2010
Revenue	2	4,054,253	3,619,797
Employee benefits expense		(1,247,803)	(1,156,431)
Basketball purchase		(71,012)	-
Depreciation and amortisation expense		(31,644)	(31,889)
School program expenses		(270,275)	(274,478)
Development program expenses		(252,883)	(202,642)
SRV/VicHealth/BA Funding expenses		(253,873)	(275,509)
Sport insurance scheme expenses		(478,844)	(559,418)
BA Composite fee expenses		(391,726)	(382,533)
State team expenses		(288,606)	(57,781)
Administration expenses		(401,186)	(352,811)
Promotion expenses		(33,795)	(34,682)
Events expenses		(85,129)	(16,939)
Tours expenses		(110,801)	(78,159)
<b>Surplus/(deficit)</b>		<b>136,676</b>	<b>196,525</b>
<b>Total comprehensive income/(loss)</b>		<b>136,676</b>	<b>196,525</b>

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.



# Financial Statements

## Basketball Victoria Inc.

ABN 92 328 079 452

### Statement of Financial Position

For the Year Ended 31 December 2011

	Notes	2011	2010
<b>ASSETS</b>			
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>			
Cash and cash equivalents	3	1,814,808	2,194,520
Trade and other receivables	4	629,743	337,769
Inventories	5	11,463	10,134
Other assets	7	207,673	89,333
<b>TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS</b>		<b>2,663,687</b>	2,631,756
<b>NON-CURRENT ASSETS</b>			
Property, plant and equipment	6	353,897	95,696
<b>TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS</b>		<b>353,897</b>	95,696
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>		<b>3,017,584</b>	2,727,452
<b>LIABILITIES</b>			
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>			
Trade and other payables	8	428,945	417,219
Short-term provisions	9	5,000	5,000
Other financial liabilities	10	283,413	155,918
<b>TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>		<b>717,358</b>	578,137
<b>NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>			
Employee benefits	9	96,906	82,671
<b>TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>		<b>96,906</b>	82,671
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>		<b>814,264</b>	660,808
<b>NET ASSETS</b>		<b>2,203,320</b>	2,066,644
<b>EQUITY</b>			
Contributed equity		557,899	557,899
Retained Earning/profit		1,645,421	1,508,745
<b>TOTAL EQUITY</b>		<b>2,203,320</b>	2,066,644

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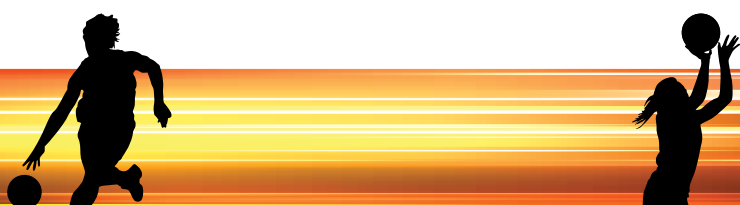
### Statement of Changes in Equity

For the Year Ended 31 December 2011

	Contributed Equity \$	Retained Earnings \$	Total \$
<b>2011</b>			
Balance at 1 January 2011	557,899	1,508,745	2,066,644
Profit for the year	-	136,676	136,676
<b>Sub-total</b>	-	136,676	136,676
<b>Balance at 31 December 2011</b>	<b>557,899</b>	<b>1,645,421</b>	<b>2,203,320</b>

	Contributed Equity \$	Retained Earnings \$	Total \$
<b>2010</b>			
Balance at 1 January	557,899	1,312,220	1,870,119
Profit for the year	-	196,525	196,525
<b>Sub-total</b>	-	196,525	196,525
<b>Balance at 31 December 2010</b>	<b>557,899</b>	<b>1,508,745</b>	<b>2,066,644</b>

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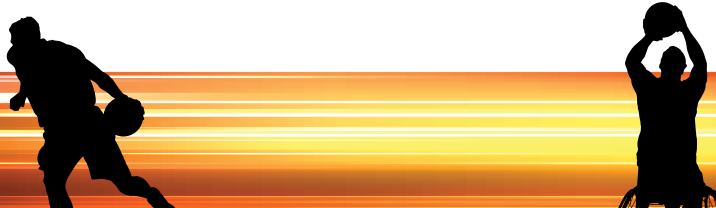
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### Statement of Cash Flows

For the Year Ended 31 December 2011

	Note	2011 \$	2010 \$
<b>CASH FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:</b>			
Receipts from members		2,150,341	2,077,935
Payments to suppliers and employees		(3,950,133)	(3,589,295)
Interest received		90,926	77,817
Other receipts		1,618,999	1,536,881
<b>Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities</b>	11(a)	<b>(89,867)</b>	103,338
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:</b>			
Purchase of property, plant and equipment		(289,845)	(39,335)
<b>Net cash used by investing activities</b>		<b>(289,845)</b>	(39,335)
Net cash increase (decreases) in cash and cash equivalents		(379,712)	64,003
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		2,194,520	2,130,517
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at end of financial year</b>	11(b)	<b>1,814,808</b>	2,194,520

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# Financial Statements

## Basketball Victoria Inc.

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### Notes to the Financial Statements

For the Year Ended 31 December 2011

#### 1 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

This financial report is a special purpose financial report prepared in order to satisfy the financial reporting requirements of the Associations Incorporations Act Victoria. The committee has determined that the association is not a reporting entity.

The financial report has been prepared on an accruals basis and is based on historic costs and does not take into account changing money values or, except where specifically stated, current valuations of noncurrent assets.

The following significant accounting policies, which are consistent with the previous period unless otherwise stated, have been adopted in the preparation of this financial report.

##### (a) Revenue and Other Income

Interest revenue is recognised using the proportional basis taking into account the interest rates applicable to the financial assets.

Other revenue is recognised when the right to receive the revenue has been established.

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

##### (b) Income Tax

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

##### (c) Goods and Services Tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and 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.

##### (d) Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, deposits held at call with banks, other short-term highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less.

##### (e) Inventories

Inventories are measured at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

##### (f) Property, Plant and Equipment

Fixed assets are carried at cost less, where applicable, any accumulated depreciation.

The depreciable amount of all PPE is depreciated over the useful lives of the assets to the association commencing from the time the asset is held ready for use.

The depreciation rates used for each class of depreciable assets are:

Class of Fixed Asset	Depreciation Rate
Plant and Equipment	5 - 33%

The assets' residual values and useful lives are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at the end of each reporting period.

##### (g) Impairment of Assets

At the end of each reporting period, the association reviews the carrying values of its tangible and intangible assets to determine whether there is any indication that those assets have been impaired.

If such an indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset, being the higher of the asset's fair value less costs to sell and value in use, is compared to the asset's carrying value. Any excess of the asset's carrying value over its recoverable amount is expensed to the statement of comprehensive income.

##### (h) Employee Benefits

Provision is made for the association's liability for employee benefits arising from services rendered by employees to the end of the reporting period. Employee benefits have been measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liability is settled.



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	2011 \$	2010 \$
<b>2 Revenue and Other Income</b>		
<b>REVENUE FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS</b>		
- Provision of services to VJBL and Big V	46,855	45,628
- Interest income	90,926	77,817
- Basketball sales	75,879	-
- Sponsorships	282,766	167,116
- MSAC rebate	143,182	139,145
- SRV/VicHealth/BA Funding	252,972	281,155
- Sport insurance scheme income	955,156	1,016,889
- School program	288,145	268,005
- Development programs	418,952	406,261
- Registration fees	1,067,691	1,088,956
- Events	57,401	-
- Tours	118,610	79,346
- State teams	238,362	-
- Other revenue	17,356	49,479
	<b>4,054,253</b>	<b>3,619,797</b>

#### (a) Interest Revenue

Interest revenue from:

- financial institutions	90,926	77,817
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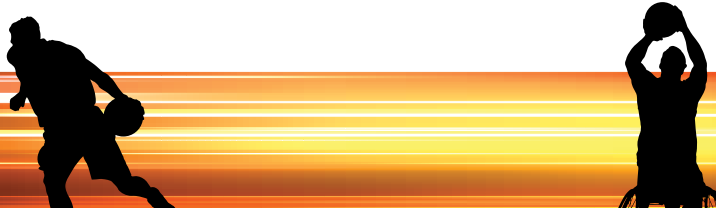
#### 3 Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash at bank	290,714	270,535
Short-term bank deposits	1,524,094	1,923,985
	<b>1,814,808</b>	<b>2,194,520</b>

#### 4 Trade and Other Receivables

##### CURRENT

Trade receivables	638,197	330,042
Provision for impairment	(14,578)	(12,419)
Other receivables	6,124	20,146
<b>Total current trade and other receivables</b>	<b>629,743</b>	<b>337,769</b>



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For the Year Ended 31 December 2011

	2011 \$	2010 \$
<b>5 Inventories</b>		
<b>CURRENT</b>		
At Cost		
Merchandise	11,463	10,134
<b>6 Property, Plant and Equipment</b>		
<b>LEASEHOLD IMPROVEMENTS</b>		
State Basketball Centre office fitout		
At cost	250,000	-
<b>Total leasehold improvements</b>	<b>250,000</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>PLANT AND EQUIPMENT</b>		
Plant and equipment		
At cost	224,145	184,300
Accumulated depreciation	(120,248)	(88,604)
<b>Total plant and equipment</b>	<b>103,897</b>	<b>95,696</b>

#### (a) Movements in Carrying Amounts

Movement in the carrying amount for each class of property, plant and equipment between the beginning and the end of the current financial year:

	Leasehold Improvements \$	Plant and Equipment \$	Total \$
<b>2011</b>			
Balance at the beginning of year	-	95,696	95,696
Additions	250,000	39,845	289,845
Depreciation expense	-	(31,644)	(31,644)
<b>Carrying amount at the end of 31 December 2011</b>	<b>250,000</b>	<b>103,897</b>	<b>353,897</b>
<b>2010</b>			
Balance at the beginning of year	-	88,250	88,250
Additions	-	39,335	39,335
Depreciation expense	-	(31,889)	(31,889)
<b>Carrying amount at the end of 31 December 2009</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>95,696</b>	<b>95,696</b>



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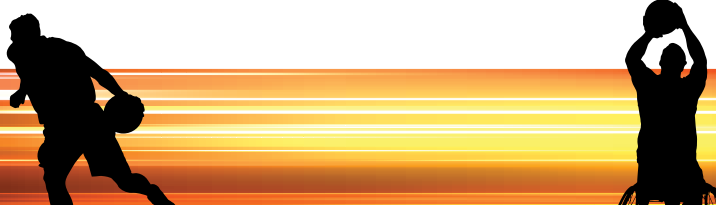
## Basketball Victoria Inc.

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	2011 \$	2010 \$
<b>7 Other Assets</b>		
<b>CURRENT</b>		
Prepayments	207,673	89,151
Sundry debtors	-	182
	<b>207,673</b>	<b>89,333</b>
<b>8 Trade and Other Payables</b>		
<b>CURRENT</b>		
Unsecured liabilities		
Trade payables	143,194	154,522
Accrued employee entitlements	170,748	132,805
Sundry payable and accruals	115,003	129,892
	<b>428,945</b>	<b>417,219</b>
<b>9 Provisions</b>		
<b>CURRENT</b>		
Other provisions	5,000	5,000
<b>NON-CURRENT</b>		
Employee benefits	96,906	82,671
<b>10 Other Liabilities</b>		
<b>CURRENT</b>		
Income in advance	283,413	155,918



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### Notes to the Financial Statements

For the Year Ended 31 December 2011

	2011 \$	2010 \$
<b>11 Cash Flow Information</b>		
<b>(a) Reconciliation of Cash Flow from Operations with surplus/(deficit)</b>		
Net surplus/(deficit) for the period	<b>136,676</b>	196,525
Non-cash flows in surplus/(deficit)		
- Depreciation	<b>31,644</b>	31,889
Changes in assets and liabilities		
- (Increase)/decrease in trade and term receivables	<b>(291,974)</b>	(70,081)
- (Increase)/decrease in inventories	<b>(1,329)</b>	8,106
- (Increase)/decrease in other assets	<b>(118,340)</b>	(28,264)
- Increase/(decrease) in income in advance	<b>127,495</b>	(27,910)
- Increase/(decrease) in trade payables and accruals	<b>11,726</b>	(18,787)
- Increase/(decrease) in provisions	<b>14,235</b>	11,860
	<b>(89,867)</b>	103,338

#### **(b) Reconciliation of cash**

Cash at the end of the financial year as shown in the statement of cash flows is reconciled to items in the statement of financial position as follows:

Cash and cash equivalents	<b>1,814,808</b>	2,194,520
	<b>1,814,808</b>	2,194,520

## **12 Capital and Leasing Commitments**

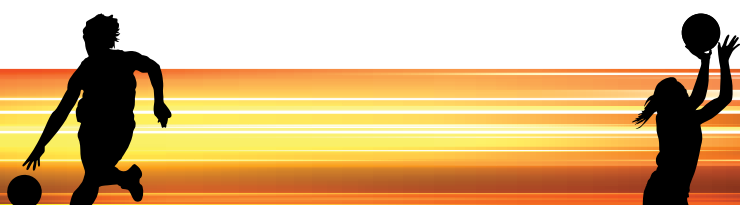
### **(a) Operating Lease Commitments**

Operating leases contracted for but not capitalised in the financial statements:

Payable - minimum lease payments:

- not later than 12 months	<b>77,350</b>	101,710
- between 12 months and 5 years	<b>230,800</b>	115,635
- greater than 5 years	<b>6,250</b>	-
	<b>314,400</b>	<b>217,345</b>

Operating leases consist of leases for the MSAC license agreement, office equipment and rent for the State Basketball Centre.



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	2011	2010
	\$	\$
<b>13 Related Party Transactions</b>		
<b>(a)</b> at the end of the 2011 financial year, the association was awaiting payment from related entities as follows:		
- BVC (Country)	<b>165,336</b>	18,847
- VJBL	<b>42,825</b>	16,798
- Big V	<b>29,681</b>	10,423
- VBRA	<b>804</b>	82
	<b>238,646</b>	46,150

### 14 McDonalds Sponsorship Program

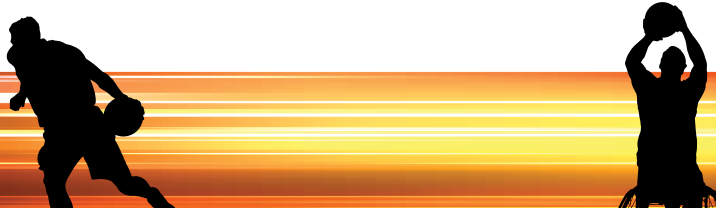
Income	<b>134,000</b>	127,000
Applied to Hoop Time Program	<b>(180,931)</b>	(182,570)
Applied to Skill Fun & Play Clinic Program	<b>(6,638)</b>	(6,090)
Applied to Super Mini Series	<b>(509)</b>	(5,285)
Applied to Junior Classic	<b>(8,124)</b>	(7,000)
Applied to Resources / Administration	<b>(10,000)</b>	(10,000)
Applied to McDonald's Super Clinic	<b>(200)</b>	-
	<b>(72,402)</b>	(83,945)

Grossed up program income and expenses transferred to the Statement of Comprehensive Income

### 15 Department for Victorian Communities Grant 2011

Grants Received	<b>35,948</b>	103,942
Applied to Multicultural/Indigenous Funding	<b>(1,909)</b>	-
Applied to Future Directions Projects Funding - Regional	<b>(20,959)</b>	(71,250)
Applied to Coach Development Funding	<b>(2,000)</b>	-
Applied to Moreland Council funding	<b>(4,500)</b>	(2,946)
Applied to Deaf Sports Funding	<b>(4,580)</b>	(5,996)
Applied to Sundanese Basketball Tournament	<b>(2,000)</b>	(23,750)
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Grossed up program income and expenses transferred to the Statement of Comprehensive Income



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#### 16 Development Activities

**Some development activity costs and income items do not correspond to the statement of comprehensive income:**

- (a) activities may generate income other than grants received; and
- (b) certain costs such as salaries are treated separately in the statement of comprehensive income.

#### 17 Association Details

The principal places of business are:

Basketball Victoria Inc

Box 3, Melbourne Sports and Aquatic Centre, Aughtie Drive

Albert Park VIC 3206



# Statement by Members of the Committee

## Basketball Victoria Inc.

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The committee have determined the association is not a reporting entity.

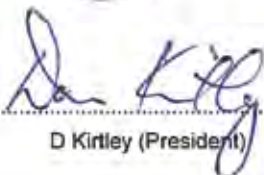
The committee have determined that this special purpose financial report should be prepared in accordance with the accounting policies outlined in Note 1 to the financial statements.

In the opinion of the committee, the financial report as set out on pages 1 - 12 to :

- (a) Presents a true and fair view of the financial position of Basketball Victoria Inc. as at 31 December 2011 and its performance for the financial year ended on that date.
- (b) At the date of this statement, there are reasonable grounds to believe that Basketball Victoria Inc will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due.



W Bird (Chief Executive Officer)



D Kirtley (President)

Dated 5 April 2012

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.



# Independent Audit Report

## Basketball Victoria Inc.

ABN 92 328 079 452



### **Report on the Financial Report**

We have audited the accompanying financial report, being a special purpose financial report, of Basketball Victoria Inc. (the association), which comprises the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2011 for the year ended, and the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity, statement of cash flows for the year then ended and a summary of significant accounting policies, other explanatory notes and the statement by members of the committee.

### **Committee's Responsibility for the Financial Report**

The committee of the association is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report and has determined that the accounting policies described in Note 1 to the financial statements, which form part of the financial report, are consistent with the financial reporting requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act (Vic) and are appropriate to meet the needs of the members. The committees' responsibility also includes designing, implementing and maintaining internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, selecting and applying appropriate accounting policies; and making accounting estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances.

### **Auditor's Responsibility**

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial report based on our audit. No opinion is expressed as to whether the accounting policies used, as described in Note 1, are appropriate to meet the needs of the members. We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. These Auditing Standards require that we comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial report is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial report. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the association's preparation and fair presentation of the financial report 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 the association's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the committees, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial report.

The financial report has been prepared for distribution to members for the purpose of fulfilling the committees' financial reporting under the Associations Incorporation Act (Vic). We disclaim any assumption of responsibility for any reliance on this report or on the financial report to which it relates to any person other than the members, or for any purpose other than that for which it was prepared.

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

### **Independence**

In conducting our audit, we have complied with the independence requirements of the Australian professional ethical pronouncements.

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# Independent Audit Report

## Basketball Victoria Inc.

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### **Auditor's Opinion**

In our opinion, the financial report of Basketball Victoria Inc. presents fairly in all material respects of the financial position of Basketball Victoria Inc. as at 31 December 2011 and of its financial performance for the year then ended in accordance with the accounting policies described in Note 1 to the financial statements, and the Associations Incorporation Act (Vic).

### **Basis of Accounting**

Without modifying our opinion, we draw attention to Note 1 to the financial statements, which describes the basis of accounting. The financial statements have been prepared to assist Basketball Victoria Inc. to meet the requirements of the Incorporated Associations Act (Vic). As a result, the financial statements may not be suitable for another purpose.

*Danby Bland Provan etc.*  
DANBY BLAND PROVAN & CO.  
Chartered Accountants

*G D Winnett*  
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Partner

5 April 2012

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