

1980



Eastern Districts Football League
Umpires Association

Annual Report
and
Financial Statement

To be presented at the
ANNUAL MEETING

WEDNESDAY, 18th. MARCH, 1981

*Approved by
Scott Johnston
2/2/81*

E.D.F.L.U.A. OFFICE BEARERS 1980

PRESIDENT:

Mr. P. Robertson

VICE PRESIDENT:

Mr. P. Healey

IMMEDIATE PAST PRESIDENT:

Mr. G. Richardson

SECRETARY:

Mr. T. Ryan

TREASURER:

Mr. R. McLeod

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE:

Messrs. M. Rodriquez T. O'Loughlin
C. Barnes P. Farley

AUDITORS:

W.R. Vincent, Public Accountant
88 Whitehorse Road,
Ringwood.

HON. SOLICITORS:

Eales & McKenzie
Main Street, Lilydale

- AGENDA:
1. Confirmation of the minutes of the Annual General Meeting held 26th March, 1980.
 2. To receive and consider the 1980 Annual Report
 3. To receive and consider the Balance Sheet and Statement of Income and Expenditure
 4. To elect Auditors for the ensuing year
 5. To elect Office Bearers for the ensuing year
 6. General Business.

PRESIDENT 1981

The President for 1981, Paul Healey joined the Eastern Districts Football League in 1976.

Paul originally played football for the Glenroy & Warrnambool clubs. From these he progressed to bigger and better things and joined the Umpiring ranks with the Essendon Districts.

Since joining the Eastern Districts he has had charge of many finals games including Grand Finals.

Paul is well known in the Eastern Districts prior to becoming VicePresident, he served as secretary of this Association and knows what it is like making appearances before the E.D.F.L. exec.

Paul is an energetic person, and when he gets behind something is unrelentless in pursuit of what ever is needed particularly for the Umpires cause.

I am sure his wife Helga and the kids will support him at home, so we have to make sure we all support him as President of the E.D.F.L. Umpires Association.

Peter Robertson.

PRESIDENT 1980

Congratulations and a sincere thank you are extended to Peter Robertson, our President for 1980.

Peter has worked tirelessly and with great dignity to lead our association through another eventful year. His dedication has been rewarded as 1980 must be recognized as one of our most successful and interesting seasons.

Thank you Peter, for the time and effort expended on behalf of the E.D.F.L.U.A., we wish you good luck and all the best for the future.

HONORARY SECRETARY 1980

To Terry Ryan we extend our many thanks for a job well done as Secretary of E.D.F.L.U.A. 1980.

Terrys' experience proved to be a great asset, his dedication and enthusiasm was a driving force and his assistance was greatly appreciated by the executive committee throughout another busy season.

Congratulations Terry, we wish you all the best in your future endeavors.

TREASURER 1980

Ron "Scrooge" McLeod, once again handled the treasury with great efficiency and precision.

Ron's Tight control over expenditure is now legendary and it is most reassuring to have up to date information concerning E.D.F.L.U.A. finances at any time.

Ron is always willing to help with suggestions and assist in the running of association activities. We look forward to his continuing support.

Thanks "Macka", we appreciate your efforts during 1980.

VICE PRESIDENTS REPORT

Season 1980 is long over and it is now opportune to reflect on the successes and lessons of the past 12 months.

The shift of our training venue to Town Park Croydon, the ugly mid-game incident involving one of our field umpires and the sudden resignation of our League Secretary were all significant events during the year. Once again there many incidents, some of which were serious, and at times our Association had to take a firm stand to protect umpires rights.

However we should not dwell too much on the past but look to the future. We should continue to contribute to the development of local football because umpires are an integral part of that process. We should continue to enhance the reputation of the E.D.F.L. as a well organised and highly respected league. At the same time we should expect that our welfare will be preserved.

One thing is certain. Season 1981 will bring with it a new round of challenges. If our Association is to be a continued success it will require the dedicated support of all members, for the value of a strong and active Association is immeasurable.

The future of our Association rests squarely in our hands. As the incoming President for 1981. I look forward to your support and participation in meeting the challenges ahead.

PAUL HEALEY.

TREASURERS REPORT 1980

Our Association had quite a successful year socially in 1980. Although our financial position is not as prosperous as in other years I feel that we are slowly starting to get back to the good old days when our functions were attended by most of our members.

The functions at the training rooms were very well organized and attended as was our final night. Thanks to your executive who assisted me throughout the 1980 season.

To Nell Neilson who gave me a very good deal on my new commodore I thank him. All the best to old and new members who are doning the white boots in season 1981.

RON MCLEOD.

BOARD

The E.D.F.L.U.A. would like to thank Mr. Kevin Collins and Mr. Graham Parsons for the time and trouble that was afforded to us over the past year.

And thanks to Mr. Roger Peffyfor and the Umpires Appointment Board for the help and guidance given to our members over the past season.

LIFE MEMBERS

The Executive would like to congratulate our Life Members that were elected in 1980 and thank them for the service they have given this body over the past ten years and hope to see them in many seasons to come.

<u>LIFE MEMBERS</u>	Mr. C. Barnes	1980
	Mr. R. Pentland	1980

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

1980 saw two members elected to the Executive Committee and a new Secretary was also nominated. Thanks must go to Michael Rodriquez and Tom O'Loughlin for their enthusiasm and for the new ideas they brought to Committee Meetings.

We should also be grateful to Peter Farley and Charles Barnes for their experience which was a great asset to the Association.

Congratulations go to all Executive Members for a job well done.

EXECUTIVE MEETING ATTENDANCE 1980 9 MEETINGS HELD

<u>NAMES</u>	<u>ATTENDANCE</u>
P. ROBERTSON	9
P. HEALEY	9
G. RICHARDSON	8
T. RYAN	7
R. McLEOD	8
C. BARNES	8
M. RODRIQUEZ	8
P. FARLEY	9
T. O'LAUGHLIN	9

HONORARY SOLICITOR

Our thanks go to Mr. Dick McKenzie of Eales and McKenzie for his assistance and legal expertise particularly in relation to one of our members being struck.

It is reassuring to know that someone with his legal experience is available when required.

CONGRATULATIONS

TO THE SENIOR BEST & FAIREST WINNERS IN EACH DIVISION

Des Burns	Surrey Hills	First Division
Garry Galvin	Bayswater	Second Division
Tony Cincotta	Forest Hill	Third Division

SENIOR PREMIERS IN EACH DIVISION

Mitcham	First Division
Blackburn	Second Division
Rowville	Third Division

TO: All members of the Umpires Appointment Board on a job well done in 1980, also to Kevin Collins and Graham Parsons on their re-appointments as Umpires Advisor and Secretary respectively for 1981.

TO: Kenneth Wright, ESQ., MBE., JP (President) of the E.D.F.L. and his board of Directors on conducting an active and efficient football competition, also the members of the tribunal for thier stalwart contribution throughout 1980.

TO: Each of our members who earned the right to represent this Association in the 1980 Grand Final Series.

R. ARNOLD	C. HILL	P. LUNN	R. THOMAS
G. ASHTON	D. HILLS	T. O'LOUGHLIN	J. THOMPSON
C. BARNES	W. HOWELL	R. PAGET	G. VEAR
P. BELLHAM	K. HOWELL	J. PARKER	T. WEST
M. BEARD	B. HOVEY	C. PRICE	D. WEARNE
C. BARDSLEY	J. HYDE	R. PENTLAND	I. WOODWARD
D. BRADBURY	J. KENT	T. PETRIC	
J. BIGELOW	W. McDONALD	M. QUICK	
B. CREATON	S. MASON	B. REEVES	
B. CRAWFORD	W. MOXHAM	J. REEVES	
R. CROSS	K. MYLES	P. ROBERTSON	
C. DUNCAN	K. MORGAN	J. RODRIQUEZ	
M. DONSON	M. MAXWELL	M. RODRIQUEZ	
P. FARLEY	D. McDOUGALL Snr	S. RODRIQUEZ	
T. GRAHAM	D. McDOUGALL	Peter STOREY	
R. GRAHAM	P. McDOUGALL	Paul STOREY	
R. HAWEY	R. McLEOD	K. STUBBS	
S. HERIOT	R. LICHEL	C. SEATON	

APPRECIATION TO:

STEVE MASON	RE Various Printing
RON McLEOD	RE GEAR
DAVID GILMOUR	RE Staying at Corambra (Coffs Harbour)
PETER FARLEY	RE Social Events
MIKE RODRIQUEY	RE Social Events
TOM O'LOUGHLIN	RE Social Events
JOHN BIGELOW	RE Social Events and trianing
CHARLES BARNES	RE Social Events
CROYDON CELLARS	RE Gifts and social calendar
GEOFF ASHTON	RE Drinks & Sweets
GRAHAM RICHARDSON	RE Drinks
E.D.F.L.	RE Grand Final Trophies
DANNY HILLS	RE Donations to Weekly raffles
KEN MYLES	RE Donations to Weekly raffles
COLDSTREAM FOOTBALL CLUB	RE Hospitality at Grand Final
KILYSTH FOOTBALL CLUB	RE Hospitality at Grand Final
UPPER FERN TREE GULLY F.C.	RE Hospitality at Grand Final
YARRA GLEN FOOTBALL CLUB	RE U/10 & U/12 Lightning Premiership
BAYSWATER FOOTBALL CLUB	RE Xmas picnic
FIBREMAKERS SOCIAL CLUB	RE Social Night
EALES & MCKENZIE (Solicitors)	RE Legal advice.

We apologize if we have overlooked anyone.

E.D.F.L.U.A. SOCIAL FUNCTIONS 1980

The innovative trend in our social calendar introduced in 1979 continued during 1980.

Spider Farleys love affair with Chinese Restaurants led us to our first social function at the Ming Horse Restaurant in Ferntree Gully during April. Ron McLeod suprised everyone and brought his cheque book while Charles Barnes once again blamed everyone else for the gradual emptying of the whisky bottle at his end of the table. The highlight of the evening was undoubtedly the white post which Carol Collins knocked over while driving home.

On June 21 we conducted our first ever disco night at East Ringwood. The organisers went to a lot of trouble in hiring a professional DJ and arranging strobe lights a big sound and good food. The only thing lacking was umpires. It was a bitterly disappointing night for the organisers.

The big social night during July was the Smoke Night held at Fibremakers social rooms during July. Ron Blaskett manipulated some very funny stuff out of Gerry Gee but the best entertainment award went to the KC and Podgy Comedy Duo.

On August 3, 1981 we conducted a golf and picnic day at the Cranbourne Country Club. Although the number in attendance was relatively small, those who participated enjoyed themselves immensely. Trophy winners were Ralph Wigg, Terry Ryan, Tom O'Loughlin, Charles Barnes, Ray Thomas and David Barnes. The highlight of the day was Frank Tilley's extra-ordinarily long tee shot of the first tee.

The Final Night in October returned to the popular Cassandra Receptions in Lilydale. The whisky bottle was once again emptied at one end of the Executive table and the Disco Dancing Girls were a smash hit. But perhaps the biggest highlight of all was the excellent after dinner address provided by our guest speaker Mr. Neville Nash.

The last event on the social calendar was the Christmas Picnic which was eventually conducted at the Bayswater Oval thanks to the Bayswater Cricket Club. The kids certainly enjoyed themselves, evidence by the high consumption of ice creams, Lollies and drinks on the day. They obviously appreciated the gifts handed out by Santa, but I am not so sure about the mums wo were on the receiving end of Santa's affectionate hugs and kisses.

PAUL HEALEY.

EASTERN DISTRICTS FOOTBALL LEAGUE UMPIRES ASSOCIATION

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS & EXPENDITURE for the year ended 31st December, 1980.

Bank balance as at 31/12/1979 \$1,065.21

RECEIPTS

Subscriptions & levies	2,205.00	
Bank Interest	27.71	
Sales - Monograms	438.00	
Function - Croydon Cellars	<u>30.00</u>	
		2,700.71

EXPENDITURE

Annual meeting	124.56	
Bank Charges	8.00	
Floral Tributes	36.00	
Monograms	555.00	
Printing	240.00	
Prizes	101.60	
Secretary expenses	60.00	
Training expenses	<u>17.36</u>	
		1,142.52

SOCIAL FUNCTIONS

Ming Horse	765.00	
Fish & Chips night	70.30	
Smoke night	396.00	
Disco night	180.00	
Sausage night	173.47	
Christmas Picnic	85.00	
Final night	<u>1,290.00</u>	
		2,959.77

SOCIAL FUNCTIONS

Ming Horse	915.00	
Fish & Chips night	234.00	
Smoke night	800.00	
Disco night	360.00	
Sausage night	442.88	
Christmas Picnic	450.82	
Final night	1,960.38	
Golf day	<u>46.40</u>	
		5,209.48

		<u>6,352.00</u>
		373.69
	Bank balance, 31.12.80	<u>373.69</u>
	<u>\$6,725.69</u>	<u>\$6,725.69</u>

EASTERN DISTRICT'S FOOTBALL LEAGUE UMPIRES ASSOCIATION

REVENUE & EXPENSES STATEMENT - SEASON 1980

Revenue

Subscriptions & Levies	2,205.00	
Bank Interest	27.71	
Sale of Monograms	438.00	
Donation - Croydon Cellars	<u>30.00</u>	
		\$ 2,700.71

Expenses

Annual meeting	124.56	
Bank Charges	8.00	
Floral tributes	36.00	
Monograms	555.00	
Printing	240.00	
Prizes	101.60	
Secretary's expenses	60.00	
Training expenses	17.36	
Social Events (net deficit)	<u>2,249.71</u>	
		\$ 3,392.23
	<u>NET LOSS for the year</u>	\$ 691.52

ACCUMULATED FUNDS STATEMENT, as at 31st December, 1980.

Balance at end season, 1979	\$ 1,065.21
Less: Net Loss for Season 1980	<u>691.52</u>
<u>Balance at end of season 1980</u>	<u>\$ 373.69</u>

I have audited the books, vouchers and banking records of the Association for Season, 1980, and I report that in my opinion the books and other records were kept in a satisfactory manner and that the above statement presents a true and fair view of the financial result of Season 1980 and of the state of affairs of the Association at 31st December, 1980.

W. R. Vincent
W. R. VINCENT, A.A.S.A., R.C.A.

AUDITOR

14/1/80

UMPIRES SEASON 1981

N. ALLEN	1979	M. DONSEN	1980
R. ARNOLD	1969	I. DOUTCH	1979
G. ASHTON	1971	C. DUNCAN	1977
P. BALLAM	1978	T. DUNN	1976
G. BAIL	1977	R. DUKE	1979
J. BARKLA	1980	P. FARLEY	1970
C. BARNES	1979	W. FARLEY	1979
J. BARDSLEY	1980	R. GRAHAM	1979
K. BARNHILL	1978	T. GRAHAM	1978
J. BARTLETT	1980	G. GRISOLD	1980
P. BATTEN	1977	M. HADDON	1980
M. BEARD		E. HADDRICK	1979
J. BIGELOW		R. HARDIE	1980
R. BLANCK	1978	B. HARRISS	1980
T. BOYD	1980	R. HARVEY	1970
D. BRADBURY	1980	B. HEPBURN	1979
D. BROWN	1973	P. HEALEY	1976
G. BROWN	1980	K. HERDINA	1978
D. BRUSH	1980	D. HERIOT	1980
I. BUDGE	1971-72 74-80	S. HERIOT	1980
A. CAHILL	1977	D. HILLS	1980
J. CAHIR	1978	B. HOVEY	1980
P. CAMERON	1969	K. HOWELL	1979
M. CARROLL	1978	W. HOWELL	1977
D. CLARK	1980	J. HYDE	1980
K. CLARKE	2980	J. KEARNEY	1980
K. CLEVERDON	1980	J. KENT	1980
G. CLOSTER	1976	P. KNOX	1980
G. COOK	1974	M. KOTIW	1980
K. CORBOTT	1976	B. LAING	1980
B. CRAWFORD	1975	K. MARSH	1975
K. COLLINS		S. MASON	1973
B. CREATON	1976	N. MAXWELL	1980
R. CROSS	1980	C. MILNES	1980
O. CROUCH	1980	P. MIONI	1976
D. CUMMINS	1980	N. MITCHELL	1980
R. DEBNEY	1979	B. MOORE	1979
T. DeBNEY	1976	K. MORGAN	1977
M. DINSDALE	1978	C. MORGANS	1978

M. MORRIS	1980	C. SLATTER	1980
W. MOXHAM	1969	W. SLEDGE	1980
D. MULLINS	1978	P. SPARKE	1980
J. MYLES	1979	A. STEWART	1980
D. MYORS	1980	Paul. STOREY	1979
W. McDONALD	1971	Peter. STOREY	1974
D. McDOUGALL	1980	K. STUBBS	1979
P. McDOUGALL	1980	G. STUCHBERRY	1980
D. McDOUGALL	1980	H. TEW	1978
R. McLEOD	1971	R. THOMAS	1979
N. McPHEE	1980	L. LAWRENCE	1976
R. NICHELS	1978	J. THOMSON	1977
. NUNN	1979	A. TONKIN	1980
S. OLNEY	1973	P. TUCKER	1980
T. O'LOUGHLIN	1978	G. VEAR	1980
R. PAGET	1980	K. WALTERS	1979
J. PARKER	1980	W. WARNER	1977
P. PAVLOU	1980	G. WATKINS	1979
R. PENTLAND	1969	D. WEARNE	1978
T. PETRIE	1978	R. WEATHERALL	1971
A. PETRIE	1972	E. WEST	
R. PICKETT	1977	K. WHITFIELD	1979
T. PIDGEON	1979	S. WILSON	1979
R. POTT		I. WOODWARD	1979
C. PRICE	1973-78 80		
. PRUYERS	1979		
M. QUICK	1978		
B. REGVES	1975		
J. REEVES	1979		
G. RICHARDSON	1971		
B. ROBERTS	1980		
P. ROBERTSON	1976		
I. ROBINSON	1980		
M. RODRIQUEZ	1971		
J. RODRIQUEZ	1979		
S. RODRIQUEZ	1980		
I. RUSSELL	1978		
T. RYAN	1979		
G. SEABURNE	1980		
C. SEATON	1980		
S. SHEAHAN	1980		
A. SHERWELL	1980		

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