



**VOLLEYBALL HORSHAM INC. A4288
ANNUAL REPORT 2018**

**ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
MONDAY MARCH 4, 2019
ST BRIGID'S COLLEGE STADIUM
7.30pm**



ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Meeting to be held Monday March 4, 2019, at St Brigid's College Stadium, Robinson Street, Horsham at 7.30pm.

7.30pm

AGENDA DB, TP, SB, KJ, DW, TCL, JS, KS, CM, RGL, PD

1. APOLOGIES - MA,
2. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING - 5 March 2018
3. BUSINESS ARISING NIL
4. PRESIDENT'S REPORT - David Berry DB/DW
5. TREASURER'S REPORT - Kara Johnson KJ/SB
6. DECLARATION OF ALL POSITIONS VACANT
7. ELECTION OF OFFICE BEARERS

TP/TCL

President	DB	- TP/KJ
Vice President	TP	- DW/TCL
Secretary	SB	- TP/DW
Treasurer	KJ	- SB/TCL

General Committee

1. MA - DB/KJ
2. VM - TCL/TP
3. TCL - TP/KJ
4. DW - TCL/TP

8. ADOPTION OF 2019 BUDGET - Kara Johnson KJ/SB

9. GENERAL BUSINESS PD Thanks for Harry's Match.
RADO report in annual report.

7.54pm



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MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL GENERAL
MEETING HELD MONDAY MARCH 5, 2018
AT ST BRIGIDS COLLEGE.



Meeting opened at 7.33pm.

1. Apologies – Kara Johnson, Shaun Bray, Delaney Wills.

Present – Tim Popple, David Berry, Fern Brennan, Aidan O’Connor, Jake Brennan, Rej Smith, Ella Schorback, Tamikah Dockrill, Jess Pendlebury, Jo Baker, Alan Pignataro, Tami Carter Lane and Will Brennan.

2. Minutes of previous AGM – Moved Tim Popple seconded Rej Smith that the minutes of the previous AGM be accepted.

All in favor carried.

3. Business Arising - Nil

4. President’s Report – Moved David Berry seconded Fern Brennan that the president’s report as presented be accepted.

All in favor carried.

5. Presentation of Financial Report – Moved Rej Smith seconded Jo Baker that the financial report as presented be accepted.

All in favor carried.

6. Declaration of positions vacant – David Berry chaired the elections

7. Election of Office Bearers

President – David Berry	Nominated by – Tim Popple/Shاون Bray
Vice President – Tim Popple	Nominated by – David Berry/Shاون Bray
Secretary – Fern Brennan	Nominated by – David Berry/Kara Johnson
Treasurer – Kara Johnson	Nominated by – David Berry/Tim Popple
General Committee –	
Vaughan Maroske	Nominated by – David Berry - accepted
Tami Carter Lane	Nominated by – Shaun Bray - accepted
Delaney Wills	Nominated by – Tim Popple – accepted
Shaun Bray	Nominated by – David Berry - accepted

8. Adoption of 2018 budget – as the budget was not available to presented at this meeting it will be held over to the first meeting of the new executive.

9. General Business

Nil

There being no further business the meeting closed at 7.48pm.

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT 2018

I've always said that we punch well above our weight range, and what we did in 2018 only goes to prove that. No matter whether it was on the court or off it, all involved with Volleyball Horsham can sit back and reflect positively on a sensational year.

On the court we tasted success at Warrnambool with our Academy girls come runners up in a massive five setter to Bendigo Academy,

We moved onto State League and we had twenty members pull on the purple and black for Phantoms. What these players achieved cannot be underestimated. To play State League is a huge step, and those that did bought back to their respective domestic team's great learnings and experience. The reserves (Jack and Cam), division two (Tim) and division three men (Shaun, Will, Scott) and the premier women (Kara) all made finals with the division three men taking the title.

The Country Champs produced a great result with our Men's Division 2 team taking gold and our Men's Division 1 team bronze, after being so close once again. The Women's Division 1 team wasn't disgraced in making the bronze medal match and going down, but I look forward to Bendigo this year with this young group and the men. Then to have seven members make All Star Sevens was great, but what made me prouder than any other man on the planet was having Matthew, Nathan and Kara selected as best setters – great reward for hard work.

We had six members play for Victoria and we came home with a silver for Laelah Robertson and bronze with Cleo Baker and Kara Johnson in her role as assistant coach of the Vic West U17 girls team. From the National Juniors both Cleo and Lloyd Baker were invited to Aus Camps at the end of the year, Great recognition for both.

The tournament season finished with good results in Bendigo, Ballarat and Horsham with the greatest achievement being the men's division one team beating Mazenod in five to win for the first time in ten years at our own tournament.

We then moved onto the National Schools Cup with the Year 10 Murtoa girls taking gold in division two, to avenge their loss to Loxton from last year. The Saints boys lost their bronze medal match likewise the Horsham College Year 11 girls.

But whilst all the success on the court is great, what we were able to achieve off the court this year is what clearly defines our association and sets us apart from the rest.

The mini-tournament for the state teams where we got five teams together to give the state teams valuable match play was something that no other Association has been able to achieve in my time and showed what can be achieved with great planning and co-operation.

The two presentation nights, where we supported both the St Brigid's and Murtoa College volleyball programs were successful from the point of view that the money raised was put to good causes. It could have been so easy for us to run the events and take the money ourselves but we didn't. The same could be said for the support we showed to the Horsham College program by allowing them to run a canteen at our tournament.

Then the crowning glory was Harry's Match! To raise over \$3600 for Beyond Blue was great and once again we could have easily taken some ourselves.

The common denominator amongst all these wonderful achievements was the great work behind the scenes by a wonderful group of volunteers. Our committee and their engagement with great people who believe in what we do, enables us to be seen in a positive light.

Volleyball Horsham sits comfortably amongst the top Associations in the state. We have proved and it is backed up by the Club Health Check exactly how well we are performing. While most Associations are struggling to build participation and gain members or operate prudently and within legislative requirements, Volleyball Horsham can quite rightly claim to be a benchmark Association across country Victoria.

So you can all stand tall and be proud of the Association you are a part of.

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2017	FINANCIAL REPORT	2018	BUDGET 2019		
ACTUAL	INCOME	ACTUAL	INCOME	BUDGET	ACTUAL
5,892.55	Playing Fees - summer	\$5,087.52	Playing Fees - summer	\$6,500.00	\$0.00
190	fundraising	\$1,037.00	fundraising	\$1,500.00	\$0.00
22,263.10	CC'18	\$3,700.00	CC'19		\$0.00
1,160	Bond/Entry Refunds	\$870.00	Bond/Entry Refunds	\$1,000.00	\$0.00
750	Sponsorship	\$0.00	Sponsorship	\$1,000.00	\$0.00
5,750	Grants/Donations	\$2,733.48	Grants/Donations	\$2,000.00	\$0.00
81.10	Interest	\$50.00	Interest	\$0.00	\$0.00
11,215	Academy	\$5,460.00	Academy	\$7,500.00	\$0.00
900	courses/club leadership		courses	\$1,000.00	
1890	Tournament	\$7,120.00	Tournament	\$8,000.00	\$0.00
1615	Memberships	\$1,879.56	Memberships	\$2,200.00	\$0.00
5662.10	Playing Fees - winter	\$6,484.05	Playing Fees - winter	\$7,000.00	
	Canteen	\$500.00	Canteen	\$1,500.00	\$0.00
	RADO	\$300.00	RADO	\$0.00	\$0.00
90	Uniforms	\$80.00	Uniforms	\$2,400.00	\$0.00
300	Uniform Hire Fee	\$60.00	Uniform Hire Fee	\$650.00	\$0.00
	Presentation Dinner	\$363.00	Presentation Dinner	\$300.00	\$0.00
			Sales	\$400.00	\$120.00
\$57,758.85	TOTAL	\$35,724.61	TOTAL	\$42,950.00	\$120.00
	EXPENDITURE		EXPENDITURE		
3,335	Tournament Entry Fees	\$1,640.00	Tournament Entry Fees	\$1,600.00	\$0.00
9,256.50	Court Hire	\$10,549.00	Incorporation	\$55.00	
1,388.80	Trophies	\$2,762.60	Court Hire	\$10,000.00	\$0.00
1,509.20	Equipment/Stationery	\$169.00	Trophies	\$2,500.00	\$0.00
17,233.35	CC'18	\$5,150.00	Equipment/Stationery	\$500.00	\$0.00
	Development Officer	\$3,300.00	CC'19	\$350.00	\$0.00
1,814.57	Uniforms	\$1,531.94	RADO	\$3,000.00	\$0.00
1890	Tournament	\$5,443.00	Uniforms	\$2,400.00	\$0.00
10,290.30	academy	\$1,625.00	Tournament	\$5,500.00	\$0.00
301.10	Nationals	\$0.00	fundraising costs	\$500.00	
2700	State Representatives	\$1,500.00	academy	\$7,500.00	\$0.00
750	Membership	\$632.50	Nationals	\$250.00	\$0.00
1576	courses/club leadership	\$44.00	State Representatives	\$3,000.00	\$0.00
	Canteen	\$1,491.43	Membership	\$20.00	\$0.00
315	Sports Star dinner	\$350.00	courses	\$500.00	\$0.00
	Country Champs (2017)	\$700.00	Canteen	\$500.00	\$0.00
	Presentation Dinner	\$509.00	Website	\$300.00	
			Presentation Dinner	\$300.00	\$0.00
52,359.82	TOTAL	\$37,397.47	TOTAL	\$38,775.00	\$0.00
57,758.85	INCOME	\$35,724.61	INCOME	\$42,950.00	\$120.00
52,359.82	EXPENDITURE	\$37,397.47	EXPENDITURE	\$38,775.00	\$0.00
5,399.03	SURPLUS	-\$1,672.86	SURPLUS	\$4,175.00	\$120.00

Kara Johnson opening 15,496.30
 Treasurer income 35,724.61
 sub-total 51,221.51
 expenditure 37,397.47
 total 13,824.04

bank balance 31-12-2018 \$13,824.04

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SUMMER SEASON 2018 AWARDS

"A" Grade

Robinson Medal Most Valuable Player – Jack Hannan
Runner Up – Nathan Berry
Abud Medal – Jon Fitzgerald
McIntyre Medal – Delaney Wills

"B" Grade

Radford Medal Most Valuable Player – Simon Risson
Runner Up – Darcy Wills
Abud Medal – Adam Harrison
McIntyre Medal – Emma Avery

"C" Grade

O'Connor Medal Most Valuable Player – Ronan Garth-Lindsay
Runner Up – Blake Turner
Abud Medal – Lloyd Baker
McIntyre Medal – Tamikah Dockrill

"Juniors" Grade

Ladlow Medal Most Valuable Player – Catherine Ioelu
Runner Up – Jake Brennan
Abud Medal – Bailey Brennan
McIntyre Medal – Yasinta Grosser

GRAND FINAL RESULTS

"A" Grade

Shados Inala defeated New York Nuggets
3 – 1: 23-25, 25-18, 25-23, 25-17.
Team:- Tim Popple, Tyler Snowden, Tyler Puls,
Tim Carter, Emily Hannan, Jack Hannan

"B" Grade

Von Steiger Shadows defeated Waterhammers
3 – 2: 25-19, 14-25, 25-18, 15-25, 15-12.
Team:- Emma Avery, Leigh Creasey, Tom Roberts,
Adam Harrison, Clay Heard, Nathaniel Leonforte

"C" Grade

Piccolo Nuggets defeated Von Steiger Shadows
3 – 2: 25-16, 25-18, 10-25, 20-25, 15-12.
Team:- Oliver Garth-Lindsay, Dyson Parish, Blake Turner,
Taylah Johnson, Tahlia Dufty, Eliza Camilleri

"Juniors"

Dream Team defeated HC Rebels
3 – 0: 25-20, 25-23, 26-24.
Team:- Bailey Brennan, Ryan Gebert, Rohan Sanders, Denver Clough,
Jed Hermans, Iggy Kearns, Ben Dunn.



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WINTER SEASON 2018 AWARDS

"A" Grade

Robinson Medal MVP – Tim Popple
Runner Up – Chris Hans Ca-ayon Galo
Abud Medal – Tyler Puls
McIntyre Medal – Kara Johnson

"B" Grade

Radford Medal MVP – Chris Baker
Runner Up – Andrew Wundke
Abud Medal – Bailey Logan
McIntyre Medal – Emma Avery

"C" Grade

O'Connor Medal MVP – Lloyd Baker
Runner Up – Ronan Garth-Lindsay
Abud Medal – Blake Turner
McIntyre Medal – Rej Smith

Juniors Grade

Ladlow Medal MVP – Noah Horvat
Runner Up – Sophie Quick
Abud Medal – Joey Nagorcka
McIntyre Medal – Tayla Eltze

GRAND FINAL RESULTS

"A" Grade

Phantoms defeated Shados Inala
3 – 1: 25-20, 25-20, 20-25, 25-22.
Team: Ronan Garth-Lindsay, Eadie Garth-Lindsay, Tim
Carter, Nathan Berry, Jack Hannan, Emily Hannan.

"B" Grade

Waterhammers defeated Von Steiger Shadows
3 – 1: 25-22, 14-25, 25-15, 25-21.
Team: Ash Hopper, Matt Jolly, Andrew Wundke,
Michael Schneider, Chris Baker, Dave McMaster.

"C" Grade

Bingo Biddies defeated Pringles
3 – 0: 25-13, 25-22, 25-22.
Team: Nick Thomson, Scott Robinson, Steph Thomson,
Maggie Clarke, Rej Smith, Cheree Johnson, Laura Bailey.

Juniors Grade

Murtoa Geckos defeated HC Rebels
3 – 2: 11-25, 11-25, 25-17, 25-20, 15-9.
Team: Shaun Bray (coach), Ned Kingston, Rhys Hemley,
Bailey Mathrick, Ellonia Barnett, Kianah Grace, Noah
Horvat, Archie Gawith, Will Gellatly, Grace Turner.



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HORSHAM VOLLEYBALL ASSOCIATION PREMIER TEAMS



	A	"A" RES*/ B1^/	B2#	C/	WOMEN	JUNIORS
2018						
Winter	Phantoms	Waterhammers		Bingo Biddies		Murtoa Geckos
Summer	Shados Inala	Von Steiger Shadows		Piccolo Nuggets		Dream Team
2017						
Winter	Hypnos Roar	Phantom Masters		Murtoa Railway		Saints Noah
Summer	Malakos Nuggets	Saints		TAWS	Minyips	Saints Noah
2016						
Winter	Sangria Nuggets	Phantom Masters		Saints		Lutheran/Murtoa 7's
Summer	Volleyroos	Von Steiger Shadows		TAWS		Phantoms
2015						
Winter	Shados Inala	Phantom Masters		Saints		Saints
Summer	Shados Inala	Chilli Walruses		TTF		Murtoa Rebels
2014						
Winter	Phantoms	Waterhammers			Fairhills	Murtoa Rebels/West
Summer	Rennende Nuggets	Von Steiger Reds			Phantoms	Saints/PhanTims
2013						
Winter	Klobig Nuggets	Golden Nuggets		Murtoa Magic	Diggers	Wildcats/Glamazon Girls
Summer	Gigantski Nuggets	Golden Nuggets		Homers		Murtoa
2012						
Winter	Couty Bears	Waterhammers		Homers		Legally Blonde/Titans
Summer	Nuggets El Fuego	Hot Shots		Coolers		Mavericks/Fort Street
2011						
Winter	Diggers	Waterhammers		Murtoa	Heidelberg	Jets
Summer	Rams	Waterhammers		Phantom Dockers	Sisu	
2010						
Winter	Diggers	Fudges		Phantom Dockers	Phantoms	Coolers
Summer	Shados Inala	Von Steiger Brothers		The OC's	Upwey	Demons
2009						
Winter	Fort Street	Von Steiger Brothers		Misfits	Wallabies	Phantom Demons
Summer	Shados Inala	Phantom Elders		Misfits		Pirates/Phantom Tigers
2008						
Winter	Northern Aurora	Stingers Gold		Von Steiger Brothers		All Stars
Summer	Fort Street	Sup Sisters		Phantoms		Phantom Kids/Pirates
2007						
Winter	Fort Street	Waterhammers		Salvos Saints		Teletubbies
Summer	Fort Street	Phantom Elders		The Zulus		Mad Penguins
2006						
Winter	Heidelberg	Couty Bears		The Da-Dut-Da-Dahs		All Stars
Summer	Fort Street	Hurricanes		Midnight Blue		StingersGold
2005						
Winter	Heidelberg	Invaders		The Incredibles		
Summer	Westvic	Raiders		The Incredibles		
2004						
Winter	Shados Inala	Raiders		Hurricanes		
Summer	Shados Inala	Phantoms		Wallabies		
2003						
Winter	Pegasus	*Chooks/^Sapsuckers		Hurricanes		
Summer	Pegasus	^Sapsuckers	Warriors	Wallabies		
2002						
Winter	Shados Inala	^Kath^N^Kim	Grampians Water Rats	Phantoms		
Summer	Northern Aurora	Genghis Khan		Powerade Plus		
2001						
1999/2000	} No domestic competition					
1998						
Winter	Royal Warriors					
Summer	Royal Warriors	^Wes Davidson	Diggers	Morrows	Monarchs	
1997						
Winter	Watts Price Predators	Rosevear Raiders				
Summer	Caltex Illusions	Safeway Supersonics	Morrows	Maidens		
1996						
Winter	Safeway Supersonics	Agseed Avengers	Morrows	Monarchs		
Summer	Bird Cameron Cavaliers	City Gym Giants				
1995						
Winter	Mid City Spectres	Tradelink Terrors	Agseed Avengers			
Summer	Caltex Illusions	HBA Hellraisers				
1994						
Winter	?	?				
Summer	Coca Cola Crusaders	HBA Hackers				
1989, 1990,	1991, 1992, 1993 – no domestic competition.					
1988	Kurri	?		Kurri Midgets		
1987	?	?				
1986	?	?				
1985	Ararat	Midnight Kaos		Kurri Navy		
1984	Kurri Blue	Macropods		Midnight Blues		
1983						
Winter	Kurri Navy	?		?		
Summer	Kurri Blue	Kurri United		Kurri Navy		
1982	Kurri					Tweeties
1981	CRB					Tweeties
1980	?					Plura
1979	CRB					Celtic
1978	CRB					Odder T's
1977	CRB					Odder T's
1976	?					Celtic

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VOLLEYBALL HORSHAM TOURNAMENT EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Division 1 Men – Volleyball Horsham defeated Mazenod
3 – 2: 25-23, 18-25, 25-23, 18-25, 18-16.

MVP – TJ Hong (Mazenod)

Shooting for their eighth straight Horsham Tournament title, Mazenod went into the final as warm favorites after progressing undefeated. But the Volleyball Horsham boys were determined to “do it for Harry” and this they did in an absolute thriller of a final.



Division 1 Women – Renegades defeated Dead Fish (Vic West U17 girls)
3 – 2: 25-20, 25-20, 21-25, 24-26, 15-7.

MVP – Tamikah Dockrill (Dead Fish)

The young Vic West girls took it right up to their more experienced opponents but couldn't quite get that vital point they needed, in what was a very entertaining women's final.



Division 2 Men – Team United defeated Volleyball Horsham
3 – 2: 24-26, 22-25, 25-22, 25-22, 15-12.

MVP – Michael Hans Ca-ayon (Team United)

A very strong for division two, Team United from Adelaide went through the tournament undefeated. In the final the Volleyball Horsham boys looked home and hosed at 2-0 and 14-9 but the power hitting and clever setting from the Team United boys got them through in a great game.



Junior Boys – St Brigid's College Raptors defeated Horsham Academy
3 – 0: 25-16, 25-14, 25-21.

MVP – Will Brennan (St Brigid's College)

The very experienced St Brigid's boys, who wouldn't have been out of place in men's division two enjoyed a perfect build up for National Schools Cup with a clean sweep of their division.



Junior Girls – Sunraysia defeated Murtoa College
3 – 1: 25-17, 17-25, 25-15, 25-13

MVP – Zoe Smith (Sunraysia)

The two teams played off in the women's division three final in Bendigo with Sunraysia coming out on top, and the same happened again but not without Murtoa College putting up a fight in the second set.



EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

After missing out in 2017 the Horsham Tournament returned and while team entries weren't as high as anticipated, there was still enough to run an effective tournament. The trial of compulsory three sets to 25 for the senior divisions, whilst enabling plenty of court time, did put the program behind. This will be rectified going forward. It worked for the junior divisions but an alternative is needed for the senior divisions. The standard of play in the senior divisions was very high while the top junior teams played at a good standard and it won't be long before many of those kids progress into senior divisions and hold their own. Volleyball Horsham volunteers worked tirelessly behind the scenes to ensure all visitors enjoyed their weekend in a welcoming and friendly atmosphere. All division finals were officiated by qualified referees and local personnel were used as duty teams in all five finals – something no other tournament has been able to provide this year. Result volleyball the big winner for the weekend with many games going to a deciding set, meaning quality play at all times. Volleyball Horsham appreciated the support shown by the teams that attended and look forward to rebuilding this event going forward.



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HORSHAM TOURNAMENT HONOR ROLE

Year	MD1	MD2	WD1	WD2	WD3	Jnr Boys	Jnr Girls	U15
1994	Heidelberg		Horsham					
1995	Warrnambool		Horsham					
1996	Eastside Hawks	Western Vipers	Mornington	Mornington				
1997	Heidelberg	Mornington	Warrnambool	Mornington				
1998	Heidelberg	Mornington	USC Lions	Wangaratta#				
1999	Heidelberg	VIS	Golden Square	Wangaratta				
2000	Melbourne Jnrs	Mt Gambier	Eastside Hawks	Wangaratta				
2001	Padua	Monash	Heidelberg	Monash				
2002	Padua	Warrnambool	Heidelberg	Ballarat				
2003	Monash	Wangaratta	Bergercons	Monash White				
2004	Padua Sharks	Bendigo Dragons	Bergercons	Warrnambool				
2005	Monash	Phantom Familiys	Bergercons	Sunraysia Academy		Horsham U15		
2006	Padua Sharks	Monash	Bergercons	Monash		SAS	SAS	
2007	Heidelberg	Q-Redbacks	Phantoms Geelong	Warrnambool	Phan Geelong	Horsham	Ballarat	
2008	Horsham	Monash	Renegades	Horsham				
2009	Padua Sharks	Ballarat	Renegades	Monash Phantoms	Daylesford			
2010	Mazenod	UTBNB	Phantoms Geelong	Horsham		Horsham	Horsham Navy	
2011	Mazenod	Warrnambool	Renegades	Golden Square		SAS	SAS	
2012	Mazenod	South West Pirates	Black Swans	Monash		Norwood Bears	SAS	
2013	Mazenod	Riddell's Creek	Black Swans	H'berg East		Norwood Bears	Sunraysia	Murtoa
2014	Mazenod	Wallabies	Eastside Hawks	Norwood		Norwood Bears	Norwood	Norwood
2015	Mazenod	Wallabies	Cobyash	South West Pirates		Phantoms Black		
2016	Mazenod	Riddell's Creek	Ballarat Phantoms	Norwood Bears		Saints	Vic Gold U15	
2017	No event							
2018	Horsham	Team United	Renegades			Saints	Sunraysia	



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HORSHAM TOURNAMENT MOST VALUABLE PLAYERS

YEAR	MD1	MD2	MD3	WD1	WD2	WD3	JNR BOYS	JNR GIRLS	U15
1994	None awarded								
1995	David Berry			Lindy McIntyre					
1996	NO RECORD	?	?						
1997	David Abud	Brian Holding		Simone Rosetto/Renee Kober/Kellie Houlihan Melissa Isheev					
1998	Luke Hoy			Rebecca Youl Louise Stafford					
1999	Jason Potts	James Dowley		Merissa Collins Rebecca Hogarth/Tina Ilesofo					
2000	Micah Venturini	Phil DeSalvo/Narunjun Sekhar/David Box Kat Watson Reanne Frasca		Helen Sanders Sandy Burmas					
2001	Ben Scott	Lachie McIntyre		Amanda Hill Fiona Adriaans					
2002	Dean Wiseman	Rob Phillips		Fran Dempster Kat Ludwikowski					
2003	Tony Cassis	Pat Dowling		Lisa Krahe Jack Denson^					
2004	Aaron Krahe	Matt Gordon		Laura Cooke Tanya Kennett			Lee Wallis*		
2005	Harry Denson	Brad Hassell		Matthew Berry, Tim Hassell, David Jones Jonathan Morley Mary Dempster Fi Adriaans,			Darby Edgeworth	Georgie Hassell	
2006	Matthew Berry, Tim Hassell, David Jones Jonathan Morley Mary Dempster Fi Adriaans,			Cheryl Moore Shae Sloane Tim Popple			Nathan Berry	Georgie Hassell	
2007	Matthew Berry, Nick Lemalu & Brad Hassell			Megan Boromeo Cara Meyer					
2008	Tom Murnane	Joel Ladlow		Chrissie Mahon Emma Avery					
2009	Lachie Giles	Tom Murnane	Mitch Schampers	Sheila Babayan Kirsty Teifer					
2010	Luke Hunyadi	Dale Ackermann		Jess McMillan Gretel Schroder			Nathan Berry	Delaney Wills	
2011	Denis Dal Santo	Rob Bright		Susie Wisniewski & Ella Heaney Bethany Major Jake Rosenthal			Riki Juma Healy Hammerton Abigail Alabaster		
2012	Nick Boesten	Sam Sturgess		Susie Lyceyt, Natalie Mackay			Trent Branson	Kayla Faulkner	
2013	Denis Dal Santo & Nick Lemalu	Rob Stevens		Petrice Fatchen Lucy Ambagtsheer			Mitch Hathaway	Emily Whyatt	Tara Jasper
2014	Tom Murnane	Damon Minotti		Susie Lyceyt Cheree McKeen			Eadie Garth-Lindsay	Emily Whyatt	Skylar Pham
2015	Jake McIntyre	Mitch Hathaway		Sarah Preston Jana Miotunovic			Will Brennan		
2016	Paul Lemalu	Matthew Berry							
2017	No event								
2018	TJ Hong	Michael Hans Ca-ayon		Tamika Dockrill			Will Brennan		Zoe Smith



VOLLEYBALL HORSHAM ACADEMY PROGRAM

The fifth year of the Volleyball Horsham Academy Program has seen 21 athletes selected into the program. Of the 21 selected 15 returned and 6* new athletes came on board all of whom are under 17.

SENIOR BOYS	SENIOR GIRLS	JUNIOR BOYS	JUNIOR GIRLS
Will Saligari	Cleo Baker	Joey Nagorcka*	Yasinta Grosser
Lloyd Baker	Tamikah Dockrill	Kaden Lanyon*	Maddison Colbert*
Sam Peachey	Laelah Robertson	Harry Robertson*	Isobel Cameron
Ned Pilmore	Pascall Patterson*	Cooper Walter*	Alannah Johns
Caleb Smith	Alisha Matheson		
	Chloe Mackley		
	Diane Sasuman		
	Jade Saligari		

Isobel Cameron and Alannah Johns returned as rookie athletes and we're given a reduced fee so as to participate.

Returning athletes were also given a reduced fee which enabled them to get an alternate top and warm up top, compared to the new athletes who received tracksuit pants, hoodie and socks as extras in their fee.

Tim Popple and Kara Johnson and myself were the coaches and we worked well together to ensure all the athletes maximized their time.

All the senior girls participated in the National Schools Cup with Cleo, Laelah and Jade coming home with gold, while Pascall, Tamikah, Alisha, Diane and Chloe lost their bronze medal match.

After missing out the previous year a training camp was planned for Mildura in January with camp costs built into the fee the athletes paid.

It was disappointing to miss out on the Murtoa athletes that trialed, as there was great quality within that group.

As the Murtoa basketball competition was on Tuesday nights, it conflicted with Academy trainings so those athletes chose basketball. Might be food for thought going forward as to developing an alternative training program should those athletes continue to support the sport.

Thanks to Tim and Kara for their support to the academy program. All the kids look up to both of them, which is full credit to them.

David Berry.

VOLLEYBALL HORSHAM SPORTS STAR OF THE YEAR REPORT

MONTHLY NOMINEES – CLEO BAKER

Cleo Baker is the joint monthly nominee for October. Baker won her nomination after being a member of the Victorian Gold team that won a bronze medal at the National Junior Volleyball Championships. Baker is a product of the Volleyball Horsham Academy Program and stepped up into “A” grade competition last season. Baker capped off her year by being a member of the Murtoa College year 10 girls team that won gold at the National Schools Cup, before spending a week in Churchill with her peers at a camp for the best young talent from across Australia.



MONTHLY NOMINEES – LAELAH ROBERTSON

Laelah Robertson is the joint monthly nominee for October. Robertson won her nomination after being a member of the Victorian Blue team that won a silver medal at the National Junior Volleyball Championships. Robertson is a product of the Volleyball Horsham Academy Program and stepped up into “A” grade competition last season, playing well before injury stopped her in the last half of the season. Robertson injured her knee at the Bendigo tournament in November and was only passed fit to play in the National Schools Cup in the week leading up to Nationals, where she performed at her best to help her team win gold.



MONTHLY NOMINEES – SHAUN BRAY

Shaun Bray is the December nominee for the Horsham Sports and Community Club's sports star of the year award. Bray won his nomination after coaching his Murtoa College year 10 girls' team to a gold medal at the National Schools Cup. The gold medal capped off a tremendous year for Bray who has succeeded both on and off the court in the sport as a player and coach. Bray won gold at the Victorian Country Volleyball Championships with the Volleyball Horsham men's division two team. He then backed that up with gold for Phantoms in State League men's division three. Bray coached four Murtoa College teams to SSV state finals, won two silver medals with his Murtoa College year 10 girls team when they came runners up in the Bendigo and Horsham tournaments. As a player Bray also won silver medals with the Volleyball Horsham men's division two teams at the Bendigo and Horsham tournaments.



LEADING EDGE COMPUTERS TEAM OF THE YEAR – MURTOA COLLEGE
MURTOA COLLEGE YEAR 10 GIRLS VOLLEYBALL TEAM

The girls won gold in division two at the National Schools Cup defeating Loxton (SA) in the final. The team went through the tournament winning 8 of 9 games, losing only their first game, ironically to Loxton. The girls were perfectly prepared for the tournament having made finals in both the Bendigo and Horsham tournaments where they were beaten in both by Sunraysia.

The team also made the SSV intermediate state finals after winning both the Little Desert and Greater Western Region zone finals.

The girls were all part of the Murtoa College semester two elective program which enabled them to get four periods a week of valuable training. Two members of the team were part of the Victorian state team program in 2018. The team participated in the Volleyball Horsham domestic competition which enabled them to gain valuable match play throughout the year.



BENTLEY GROUP UNSUNG HERO
JOANNE BAKER

Jo has been the person behind the scenes of the success of the Murtoa College volleyball team in 2018. Jo has always put up her hand to be the team manager, not just for Murtoa teams, but she also was manager for the Victoria Gold U17 girls team, the Volleyball Horsham country champs women's team all in a voluntary capacity. Being a team manager means not just looking after the girls, but ensuring they have their uniforms, drink bottles filled, eat correctly, are on time and are ready to play. Jo on many occasions would even live stream matches so that parents and families could see their kids perform. The team manager also plays the psychologist role, the counsellor, the mediator, the conduit between players and coaches as well as the nose wiper and wash lady! Jo Baker fulfilled these roles without fuss or fanfare all year to ensure the teams she managed gave themselves the best opportunity to perform and achieve what they wanted. The gold medal at the National Schools Cup was evidence of just how successful Jo was in her manager's role.



**WIMMERA TROPHIES AND GIFTS CLUB OF THE YEAR
VOLLEYBALL HORSHAM.**

Volleyball Horsham has enjoyed a very successful year. The measure of success not only comes from what happens on the court but just as much as what happens off the court as well.

1. Volleyball Horsham's crowning glory in 2018 came at their annual tournament when their men's division one team won the title over seven time winners Mazenod in the gold medal match. To put the victory in perspective, it was ten years since the last Horsham team won the title.
2. Added to this was the victory of the Men's Division two team at the Country Championships while Men's Division one gained bronze.
3. To top off a great tournament seven members were named in All Star Sevens at the end of the tournament.
4. Six members represented Victoria at National Juniors for a silver and a bronze medal.
5. Kara Johnson coached at National Juniors for a bronze.
6. Two members received invites to Aus Camps – the best young talent in Australia receive these invites.
7. Eight members gained their referee accreditations.
8. Four members gained their coach accreditation.
9. Two female members participated in the Female Administrators Network.
10. The Volleyball Horsham board has a 50/50 male female quota.
11. Volleyball Horsham fundraising opportunities benefitted St Brigid's, Murtoa and Horsham College volleyball programs.
12. Grants were received to support members that played state league and national juniors.
13. Over \$3600 was raised for Beyond Blue at the Association's Harry's Match tribute to former member Harry Denson who passed away in August.

