

Rowing Australia

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Rowing Australia has an astute partner



Rowing Australia

Rowing Australia (RA) is the governing body of one of Australia's most successful sports, having won six medals at Atlanta, with excellent prospects for the Olympic Games in Sydney. With 35,000 rowers nationwide, it is also one of Australia's fastest growing sports with equal participation from males and females.

Rowing is gaining in popularity within Australia, with an increase in spectators at recent events. The last national regatta which was held in country Victoria attracted 8,000 supporters. Coverage of a special TV documentary of the 1998 World Rowing Championships held in Cologne, Germany (an event at which the Australian team performed very well - winning two gold, one silver and two bronze medals) attracted approximately 250,000 viewers nationwide.

With the enormous uptake of 500 metre Skins events throughout the country, and plans for the integration of the sport fully through Australia's private and public school systems, Rowing Australia is well on the way to 'taking the sport to the people'.

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Rowing Australia and Zurich have a shared vision, which includes:

- Building the public awareness of Rowing Australia and Zurich Australia.
- Maximising Australia's rowing prospects at the 2000 Games.
- Capitalising on mutually beneficial opportunities.
- Sharing knowledge and experience between both organisations.

The central theme which encapsulates the essence of this vision:

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presidents report



Dr Stephen Hinchy
President, Rowing Australia

Rowing Australia Inc., has seen a much better year. It is with great pleasure that I present to you elements of this success in this year's Annual Report. The report will summarise key highlights in each core business unit that we operate under. These business units are: Development, High Performance, Competitions and Management.

Last year we announced the adoption of an ambitious National Plan to guide Rowing Australia. This year I can announce that we have either achieved or partly achieved over 70% of the outcomes listed in the plan for the year. We have exceeded our targets in some areas but have lagged slightly in others. A recent streamlining of our operating structures should ensure we work hard to achieve all goals.

Already this year we have introduced the National Rowing Skins concept to be held at Hope Island (Gold Coast) plus accredited more coaches than ever before. In addition we are working hard to create a national 'Learn to Row' program to be trialled at the 'Skins' event. Due to these types of successes the Australian Sports Commission have stated we are presently considered as a 'model' sport. This is very different to past perceptions of the sports management.

We now have a principal sponsor for the sport. This sponsor is the Zurich Australia Group who have already proven to be very valuable partners for the organisation. The partnership commenced from January 1st 1998 and concludes in December 2001 and both parties desire a long term commitment. As you are aware from the television advertisements Zurich have demonstrated a strong communications presence in the market featuring rowing images and are doing many things which assist us to promote the sport. Finally on this issue it was very pleasing to see our team boats wearing a sponsors branding after so many years without one.

We should also acknowledge the hard work of the many Commissions and Committees who are responsible for conducting the business of the sport. The High Performance Commission chaired by Mr John Boulton is continuing to function very well as our results indicate. Twelve of the fifteen Senior 'A' crews finished in the top six at the World Championships with the medal count being 2 gold, 1 silver and 2 bronze. The Under 23 Team gained 4 Gold medals with the Junior team gaining 1 Gold, 1 silver and 2 bronze medals.

We would have liked more medals, but this current years results demonstrate the depth of competitors we have leading up to 2000 and beyond. It also shows the success of the selection policy plus professionalism of the athletes, coaching and support personell who make these things occur. In saying these things I wish to take this opportunity to congratulate all the athletes, coaches and support staff involved with the national teams. In particular the selectors who have once again done a sterling job in positioning the sport at this elite level.

The Competition Commission has been created this year to co-ordinate the many divisions within this busy sector. Umpires Chairman and Board Director Bob Pennington has assumed the responsibility of this Commission. In the future this Commission will be responsible for ensuring all planned competition related outcomes in the Rowing Australia national plan are achieved.

Two of the more successful areas within the competition sector are the Umpires Committee and also the Regatta Committee. These two groups liaise regularly to ensure that regattas are not only set up in accordance with the Rowing Australia standard but they are conducted efficiently as well. I take this opportunity to acknowledge the retiring Chairman of the Regatta Committee Michael Eastaugh for his efforts and also congratulate the new Chairman Mr David Williams for his energy demonstrated in managing Regatta matters related to Rowing Australia events. It is a very time consuming activity to undertake.

The Umpires Committee have been successful as well. This group Chaired by Bob Pennington have committed themselves to conducting Selection regattas, time trials and the Australian Rowing Championships. They do this in their own time and with little thanks and acknowledgement. Athletes were guaranteed a level of officiating consistency rarely seen before particularly in adverse weather conditions which were encountered this year. The Board of Rowing Australia wish to thank all Umpires and officials for their time in performing these duties to ensure rowing can be conducted.

This year the Australian Rowing Championships were conducted on a new rowing course. This was at Nagambie, Victoria. The course worked well and many thanks need to go to the Deputy Premier Pat MacNamara plus the Local Council (Strathbogie Shire Council) for their support in developing the site to such a standard. Chief Executive Dennis Wapling assisted by David

Schier ensured all the basic ingredients were in order to be able to conduct a very well received and effective National Championships. The Victorian Rowing Association provided a principal sponsor for the event (Tattersalls) as well as a certain flair in the activities which were conducted during the regatta. Tent sites for spectators and a host of social activities ensured everyone had a good time. I take this opportunity to thank President Justice Frederico, Councillor Charles Bartlett, VRA Chairman David Pincus and in particular Event Organisers Brian Vear De Fraser for their efforts. The event was very well conducted by the Victorian Rowing Association on our behalf.

Internationally we have delegates on the following Commissions: John Boulton Chairman and Brian Richardson member of the Competition Commission, Dr Bill Webb member of the Medical Commission, Peter Antonie member of the Athletes Commission, Barbara Fenner member of the Junior Commission, and retiring member Margot Foster on the Masters Commission. In addition John Coates is the Oceania Representative. My thanks go to these people for ensuring we are represented at this level of the sport. These are all voluntary positions and the fulfilment of the duties is demanding.

The State of Origin Rule created some tension for the States and the Board this year. This resulted in the conduct of an extra-ordinary meeting at the National Championships to deal with the matter. This is two years in a row a dispute has occurred and I wish to thank all the people involved for the professional manner in which this issue was resolved. As a matter of record I wish to point out that this matter enabled the legal costs for the year to be higher than expected.

A further impact on the Board was the innovation of the Rowing Australia Doping Policy. This Policy became the subject of some



contention between two stakeholders for the sport the Australian Sports Commission and also the Australian Olympic Committee. The matter was resolved by adopting the FISA Rules on this matter and ensuring we have a Policy in line with some key principles listed by each group.

The Masters and Disrow Committees have performed well this year. It is with regret that I acknowledge the departure of long time Chairman of the Masters group, Bob Hemery, who really created a national Masters platform for us to follow. I wish to thank Bob for his efforts over the years. New Chairman Jeff Sykes has already conducted his first meeting and is committed to raising the numbers of Masters rowers and the standard of rowing throughout Australia. Ian Law in the Pleasure row area is also performing very well in his pseudo official role heading up the Leisure row aspects for the sport. In a similar way Bob Blake has co-ordinated the Disrow Committee with a keen vision for the

future. The newsletter which is disseminated encourages integration within the sport and ensures State Disrow groups are able to gain an understanding of similar issues facing others throughout Australia. I take this opportunity to thank both Jeff Sykes and Bob Blake for their efforts.

The two year term for our four elected Board members has expired. Jeff Sykes and Keith Jameson will not be seeking re-election. On behalf of the Council and also the Board I wish to acknowledge all the hard work performed by the Board and in particular Keith in his role as Director of Finance and Jeff in the many roles performed on our behalf. Both were beneficial to the growth of the organisation. David Sollom and I are both standing for election again.

I also take this opportunity to thank the staff of Rowing Australia for performing their duties so effectively during the year. We have received congratulations from Government agencies, acknowledgement from other sports and appreciation from some in our own organisation. These types of recognition are always hard to secure., well done!

I wish to also thank our external stakeholders who provide the resources to ensure we can perform. The Federal Government (Australian Sports Commission), the peak Olympic sporting agency (Australian Olympic Committee) plus our Principal sponsor Zurich are our most valued partners. We enjoy the relationships with each and look forward to a long term commitment to our sport.

Finally I wish to thank our Rowing Associations (and their affiliates) for their tireless efforts in conducting the sport. I am proud to be President and thank them for the opportunity to head up such a wonderful sport.

Dr Stephen Hinchy
President, Rowing Australia

management



Darren Peters
Chief Executive Officer

During the 1997/98 year Rowing Australia has made many steps forward towards developing and assisting in the management of the sport. A number of key actions will be recorded in this section of the report particularly as they relate to core areas such as the National Plan, Marketing, Publications and Media, Meetings and Membership.

National Plan

The National Plan was adopted in July 1997 and has been introduced during this year for the first time. Many of the outcomes listed in the plan have been attained enabling the sport to be well positioned, both internally and externally for the future. Some highlights during the year were:

- an increase in registered active members during the year
- the securing of a principal sponsor for the sport (Zurich)
- performance to budget during the year
- an increase in the number of female coaches and officials
- the conduct of a successful coaching program and National conference
- the conduct of a successful Australian Rowing Championships and Interstate Regatta
- the introduction of the Australian Rowing Skins
- the conduct of meetings in all divisions
- the revision of the RA Rules
- the production and implementation of the 2000 Plan for elite results
- the winning of 13 medals this year in international competition
- the creation and adoption of a communications strategy for the sport
- television images of the sport through advertisements and event coverage
- an improved Rowing Australia magazine

During the next two years some research needs to be completed to ensure the issues confronting the sport, and ambitions of people within and who support the sport are identified. Data collected from these reviews will be used to guide the development of the National Plan in coming years.

Sporting Positioning

EXTERNAL

Marketing the sport of rowing has been a little easier this year. This has been mainly due to the adoption of a market strategy aimed at positioning the sport of rowing in very specific ways. The basic objective of the market strategy has been to ensure the Board looks at some elements of the sport of rowing in a more commercial manner. In addition a brand management campaign has been introduced involving core elements such as the Australian Rowing Championships

and the National Team, plus new elements such as the Australian Rowing Skins, the Australian Indoor Rowing Championships etc. New rowing events have an objective of adding to the 'usual' forms of rowing seen at the National level to gain a wider public, market and media attention. These initiatives have enabled the Board to be more aware of the competition within the Australian sporting and commercial market. A market already showing signs of stress from the active campaigning of over 100 sports plus the successful SOCOG market team.

The securing of our principal sponsor Zurich Australia Group Ltd has enabled the Board to position the sport more frequently to a wider audience. Part of the contractual obligation with Zurich was the need to ensure a television presence was part of the sponsor package. In fact another prospective sponsor were rejected due to the refusal to write this obligation into the deal. Zurich via their General Manager Corporate Development (Gillian Turner) and Corporate Brand Manager (Mark Roeder) worked very hard to ensure a true sponsor partnership could be designed. A partnership which embraced both parties needs and aspirations. The television advertisement and many print advertisements featuring rowing images is testament to the value of their word in these matters.

The Australian Rowing Skins event conducted over 350-500mtrs has been created to gain access to a more specific market. It has also been created to ensure the rowing calendar of activities features a major event prior to Christmas. Support for this event originally arose from Zurich and after their own needs were better determined the event was 'licensed' to the Harbour Cove Management group (specifically Bob Hill, Mark McIvor, John Fish) who own the franchise for the Holiday Inn Hotel at Hope Island (Gold Coast). This hotel is located on a beautiful marina on a developing Island tourist destination. The 'Skins' event is an event which has already attracted international

interest. It is also an event where individual athletes can be profiled to enable more of our rowers to generate an image within the community.

INTERNAL

During the year a change to the sport governance systems occurred. Three Commissions now act for the key business units of the sport. These are High Performance, Development and Competition. A range of other groups such as Coaches, Umpires, Regatta, Athletes etc., work for these Commissions. The primary objective of this restructure was to 'streamline' the divisions within the sport and to enable some formal accountability systems to be established for volunteers, staff and Board members who work in these domains. A more secondary objective has been to ensure key decision making groups, who act for the sport, are selected on an 'expert' basis. The new approach has started well and will be more actively introduced during the following year.

Communications within the sport have mainly been linked to meetings, events and the Rowing Australia Magazine. Until Club, School, State and National Association homepages are used on a more widespread basis we will suffer from a lack of information in some areas. Related to this objective the Board is working hard to address the introduction of new information technologies, however resources are limited.

The rules of the sport have been under review during the year and some suggested changes have created some debate. Any change to current rules will be accompanied by an objective to update and integrate as many operating conditions as we can throughout Australia plus generate a more efficient and equitable rowing environment. Some rules which have been introduced during the year include a Code of Conduct for persons involved with the sport, a revised State of Origin or Residency Rule, and Selections and Appeals Rules for persons in National teams.



Finally the Board and Council have resolved to 'recognise' the efforts of people within the sport on a national basis. New 'Rower of the year' plus 'Club of the year' awards have been created in an attempt to profile our rowers and their clubs on an annual basis.

Publications and Media

Rupert Guinness has assumed the role of National Media Manager for the sport on a voluntary basis. This role entails managing the Australian Rowing Magazine plus media activities for Australian Rowing Teams. During the past year a December, May and August issue of the magazine were produced. This is one issue less than normal however the standard of the publication has been arguably raised and offers more stories, news and information.

During the year member subscriptions have been raised. (see chart). An active campaign was introduced to secure members by assessing the systems controlling member processing as well as the methods of magazine promotion. These initiatives will be continued in 1999.

A communications policy has been adopted for the sport. This policy provides a framework for the promotional development of the sport. Adopted by members of the rowing media network many key strategies listed are being

employed to initiate improved member and community awareness and communications. These initiatives will be continued in 1999.

The Rowing Australia Calendar and Australian Rowing Team handbooks were produced during the year and each were successful promotional tools for the sport. Calendar sales were consistent at 863 units sold whilst the team handbooks were issued free to most team and media members after complaints were received from these groups last year. Guy Hebblewhite and Cynthia Judd (Hebfotos) voluntarily produced the Team guide this year and the standard of the document was excellent. The Calendars were produced in house and this activity will be performed by Zurich this year at a reduced cost to Rowing Australia.

Meetings

During the year a range of meetings were conducted to discuss Rowing Australia business. The Council met on three occasions during the year. These were: in Sydney on the 3rd and 4th January 1998, at Nagambie on the 11th March 1998, in Sydney on the 18th and 19th July 1998. The Annual General Meeting is to be conducted in Queensland on the 23rd November which continues the policy of moving meetings around Australia where funds permit.

The Board met on eleven occasions during the year. These were in November (Adelaide), December (teleconference), January (Sydney), January (Sydney), February (teleconference), March (postal ballot), March (Nagambie), May (Sydney), June (teleconference), July (Sydney) and October (teleconference).

All committees of Rowing Australia have met during the year and only the High Performance Commission have met under the new structure. Meetings are planned for the Development and Competition Commission early in the new year.

Supporters Club

During this year a Rowing Australia Supporters Club commenced to raise monies for the sport and also provide a direct link between members and the Board. Twenty eight persons joined the club during the year. An arrangement has just been established with the Australian Sports Foundation to secure a portion of the membership as a donation and a major promotional activity will be conducted during 1999.

Membership

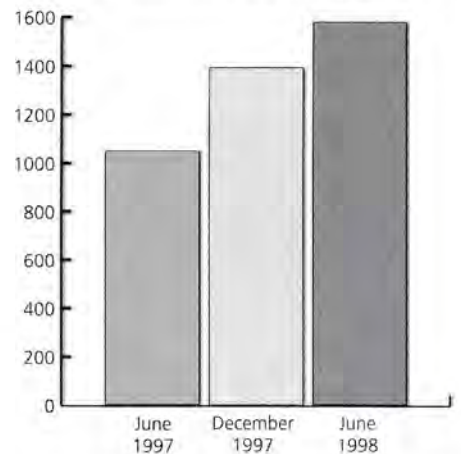
Rowing Australia does not record the numbers of actual rowers in clubs and schools throughout Australia. This information is recorded by the clubs and schools themselves. State/Territory

Associations provide a list of affiliated rowers to Rowing Australia on an annual basis which is used for the purpose of determining the affiliation fee and international levy charged to States annually. This information lists only the numbers of 'active' affiliated rowers linked by a club to a State association during that year.

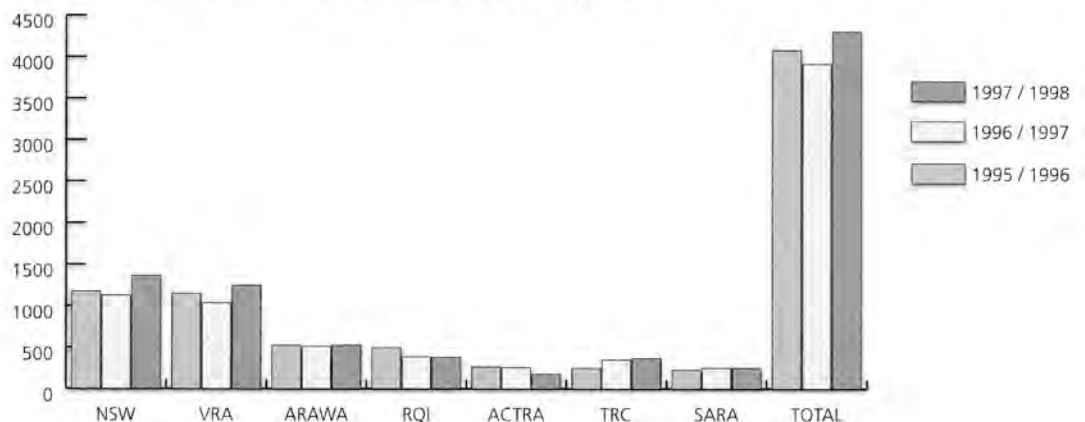
Membership numbers shown below reflect the number of rowers received from State/Territory Associations based upon the above mentioned factors.

Membership numbers have increased in New South Wales, Victoria and Tasmania. Other States and the Territory have remained fairly static.

Magazine Subscriptions



Membership Affiliated Competitors



developing rowing



David Sollom
Director Development

The task of the Development Commission is to facilitate the free flow of information and to provide process support in development matters to the State and Territory Associations, which have the power, control and duty to fulfil the goals of the national plan.

A program to assist club and school rowing has been selected to help participating stakeholder associations in supporting their member clubs and schools. The Active Australia program which has the full support of the Confederation of Australian Sport is a low cost method for self assessment which features resources to raise levels of competence. Another program to assist clubs and schools is "challenge Achievement and pathways in Sport". And it is designed to promote the participation of young people in administration, umpiring and coaching, sports health, event and team management. Rowing Australia are supporting each of these Government initiatives.

In coaching education the Queensland Association has been very active and has trained half of all the new level 1 coaches accredited during the period. We now have 1485 accredited coaches nationally with a rising proportion of 33% being females. Early work has commenced on development of the Learn to Row program and our Junior/Youth policies.

Considerable effort is being applied to improving the membership data base which should reflect the observed growth in the numbers of participants in rowing. The application of dedicated funds and the establishment of a group of State Development Co-ordinators will assist in the development of our sport in accordance with the national plan.

Activities in the adaptive rowing program "Disrow" have been on both the Australian and International scenes. Bob Blake, the convenor of Disrow has been making representations to the regatta commission and the organising committee of the Westlakes national regatta to ensure that the positive outcomes of the Nagambie Nationals are maintained and further improved. The West Australian "Freedom of the River" adaptive rowing program celebrated its 10th year of operation with the purchase of new boats and expansion into the Esperance and Albany areas. With the support of their State Association an active Disrow commission has been established in NSW. Active Disrow programs are operated in TAS and the ACT. A sponsored Disrow newsletter with a circulation of 160 plus has been established and it will be complimented by the forthcoming Disrow internet web page. Internationally the FISA working group for adaptive rowing have been working toward expanding the number of countries competing in adaptive rowing and for the admission of the sport into the Paralympic movement.

The major event in the Pleasure rowing domain was the conduct of the FISA Pleasure Rowing Tour held in November 1997 on the Murray River, South Australia. This major undertaking was led by the Convenor Ian Law and supported by his dedicated team of volunteers. Rowers from 12 countries



Womens Pair (Winters & Ozolins)

including Bo Gammels, Chairman of the FISA Rowing for All Commission left this 7 day tour with a lasting impression of the outstanding event conduct and management. During the intervening period planning for the 1998 RFDS Rowathon at Robinvale has taken place. Development work on a Charter and structure for Pleasure Rowing is proceeding.

David Sollom – Director Development

Coaching Education

NCAS COURSES

Between 1/10/97 and 30/6/98 the following number of Level 1 courses have been conducted. The National Director of Coach Education has been in attendance at least one course in most states (*).

STATE	Number of Courses	Number of Participants
ACT*	1	17
QLD*	7	157
SA	1	27
WA*	1	29
TAS*	2	26
NSW*	2	16
VIC	3	58
TOTAL	17	330

A number of additional coaching courses are scheduled for the second half of 1998.

The total number of accredited coaches is currently 1485 which seems to be remaining consistent. This is due to the number of newly accredited coaches being offset by those coaches who fail to update and re-accredit. However the % female coaches is steadily increasing and now stands at 33% of the total number of coaches.

STATE	M	F
ACT	63	50
NSW	197	68
VIC	240	139
TAS	64	19
SA	120	60
WA	67	49
QLD	244	100
NT	2	0
O/S	3	0
TOTAL	1000	485

From 1st January 1998 all Level 1 courses have been totally integrated. This means all rowing courses incorporate Coaching Principles with sport specific information, thus ensuring that

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accreditation is an easier process and coaches have the required competencies. The Rowing Australia Level 1 Manual has replaced the FISA L1 manual whereas the L2 manual is still used in conjunction with Rowing Australia workbooks for each module.

In addition coaches who gained NCAS accreditation from 1/01/97 either through the courses above or by re-accreditation will receive the Rowing Magazine as part of their registration.

There are currently 1,800 coaches who have had their accreditation lapse since 1/01/95 and this is being addressed by promotion through the Rowing Magazine, state listings and direct to Clubs and Schools.

NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP COACH

Sue Donoghoe from Canberra was selected as the scholarship coach for 1998 and has been located at the ACT Academy of Sport under mentor coach Nick Hunter. She was selected with her Junior Women's Double to represent Australia at the World Junior Championships and raced well to come home with the Silver Medal.

Rowing has been recently approved to host one of the fifteen positions in 1999.

COACHES CORNER STORE

The listing of books, articles, coaching resources and merchandise had continued to be updated in the Rowing Magazine and provides a steady source of information to coaches and athletes.

New publications in 1998 include the Coach Conference Videos, Yearly Training Log and Guidelines, Stretching and Injury Prevention booklet and the Injury prevention for School Rowers manual.

The mobile Coaches Corner Store has been active in taking the resources "to the people" – National Championships, Lismore Regatta, Australasian Regatta, Selection Trials and many of the coaching courses.

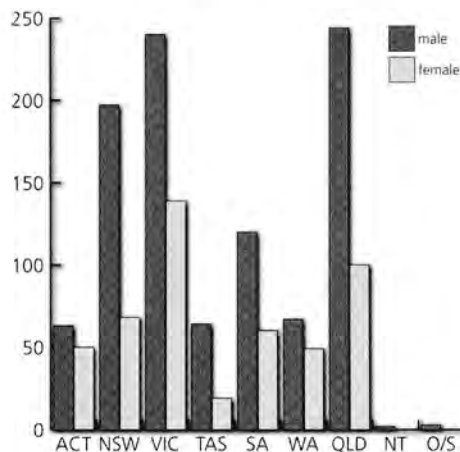
RA COACH DATA BASE

This data base was established in March 1997 and now has over 1400 registrations – all these coaches receive a coach newsletter each January and reminder letters about their accreditation when it expires. Those coaches that do not receive the Rowing Magazine will be encouraged to receive it as it will be the format for providing information regarding coaching courses and resources etc.

COACH CONFERENCE

The 1997 Conference held at the AIS Alpine Training Centre at Thredbo attracted 120 participants from over 81 clubs / schools as well as the 44 National Team coaches, Managers and Physiotherapists. Over 12 hours of video tapes are available to those coaches who could not attend.

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The 1999 Conference will be held in Canberra during September in conjunction with the FISA Coach Conference.

Barbara Fenner
National Director of Coach Education

DISROW

Gaining sponsorship for our Newsletter was the start of many positive steps over the season. Our essential means of communication has a higher distribution mainly due to the increase of membership in Western Australia, plus additional International interest.

At our 6th National Meeting held during the Nagambie National Championships, members present learnt from Rowing Australia Board members Peter Murphy, Jeff Sykes and CEO Darren Peters that there were to be changes within Rowing Australia's structure, where Disrow would come under the Commission of Development.

Although entries were down at the Championships in comparison to previous years, the competition was of a good standard and with a review of events and classification we can look forward to more exciting and closely contested events in Adelaide in 1999. The co-operation and support from the Australian Umpiring Personnel at Nagambie gave a clear indication that our integration program is working, while there are certain areas that must still be considered the improvement is most pleasing.

New South Wales Rowing Association has followed Rowing Australia's principle by forming a Commission where an Association Board Member is appointed as Chairperson, this principle was always strongly recommended when structuring the program within each state.

Information from around the states indicates that there are Ted Hale (competition) craft in all areas where our program has developed, so all athletes are now on equal terms prior to National competition.

Western Australia's organisation has taken the initiative to develop a "Handbook" which will have basic information for our current and future Disrow members. The core may well be used at a National level with each region adding cover pages with their appropriate regional information, another plus for our program.

In my last report "Family or team" rowing was mentioned, I bring this topic forward asking for each area to consider this principle in the future as previously recommended by FISA. Progress from the FISA Working Group towards our International recognition has been little with the Portuguese delegate distributing a draft paper covering "Aims – Strategies – objectives", at this point of time it's a discussion paper only.

Plans towards a future international meeting for the FISA Working Group is underway so that further progress can be made towards Paralympics 2004. Meanwhile the interest to regain adaptive events at World Championship level is of importance to encourage additional federations to participate, so that the Paralympics criteria can be met.

Currently steps to extend communication is underway by developing our "DISROW" home page on the Internet, this interest came from a contact in Philadelphia USA through one of our members in Western Australia. Extending our communications format is the way for our program in the future.

In closing I look forward to working with Rowing Australia's Development Commission Chairman David Sollom towards a much brighter and progressive future. To our members who will be attending the Australian Championships in Adelaide, I look forward to meeting up with you all in March 1999.

Bob Blake – National Co-ordinator

high performance



John Boulton
Chairman
High Performance Commission

As advised in last year's Annual Report the original Interim Administration evolved into a High Performance Commission of Rowing Australia. The High Performance Commission comprised John Boulton as Chairman, Steve Hinchy President of Rowing Australia, Doug Donoghue and the CEO of Rowing Australia, Darren Peters.

Regular meetings of the Commission took place during the year, attended by the Head Coach as often as possible and by the High Performance Manager.

This Commission functioned effectively throughout the year and a member of the Commission was always available to attend Rowing Australia Board Meetings to update the board on current matters.

High Performance Program Staff

Rowing Australia is very fortunate to have Brian Richardson as Head Coach, supported by Matt Draper as the High Performance Manager and Sally Bacon as Administrative Assistant.

The High Performance staff are located in the Sydney Office of Rowing Australia thus enabling close co-operation and communication with other staff of Rowing Australia. The high performance program also has the support of a Sports Science Co-ordinator - Rebecca Ryan-Tanner who works out of the Sports Science Centre at the AIS in Canberra. Dr Bill Webb as Principal Medical Officer of Rowing Australia is the Sports Medicine Co-ordinator of the High Performance Program on a consultancy basis.

The Commission, Rowing Australia and our coaches and athletes are extremely well served by this efficient, dedicated and diligent group of staff.

Funding for the High Performance Program

In the 1997-98 Finance Year, Rowing was allocated a total of \$4,457,967 from the Australian Sports Commission.

At the time of this report the High Performance Commission has not had Australian Sports Commission funding formally confirmed for 1998-99 and this is expected in November 1998.

The Sports Commission funding was supplemented by \$136,000 from the Australian Olympic Committee for this year, specifically for international competition purposes. The AOC also provides significant funds directly to medal winning and fourth placed rowers in Olympic events through the Medal Reward Scheme and the Medal Incentive Scheme. Our rowers are able to maintain their level of training and commitment thanks to this and other generous support.

The Sports Commission and AOC funding enabled the Senior A Team to be fully funded for the European Tour, contributed \$150,000 to the Senior B Team Tour, and contributed \$35,000 to the Junior Team Tour.

In addition to the above funding the AOC provided, through its Special Initiatives Fund, funds for the purchase for a fleet of boats available to the National Team for



Mike McKay & Drew Ginn medalist 1998 World Championships

training in Australia and ultimately for use in the 2000 Olympic Games. The boats are the subject of an agreement between Rowing Australia and the Australian Olympic Committee.

Intensive Training Centres in the AIS

The State Institutes of Sport and the Australian Institute of Sport provide the infrastructure and financial support to the National Plan, enabling Australia's elite rowers to train in the best possible environment under conditions rarely matched by other countries.

Rowing's Intensive Training Centre Program funding is performance based and State Institutes and the Clubs are contributing in a very tangible way to our international results.

The State Institutes contributed heavily in supporting national crews during their training in Australia prior to international competition and also in making Coaches available for the national team, for which we are extremely grateful.

The Australian Institute of Sport in Canberra continues its major role in development of elite rowers by providing 32 Residential Scholarships in the past year and also as the National Training Centre for many of the national crews as in past year. The support of the AIS is essential to the program.

International Results

1998 saw us competing overseas with strong teams at Senior A, Senior B and Junior levels. These were selected after an intense selection program and again we are grateful for the work of all involved in the organisation of the selection tests and selection regattas particularly Matt Draper, RA Regatta Commission and the selectors, David Yates, Graham Jones, Steve Hinchy, Barb Fenner and John Rynne.

1998 was a successful year for Australian Rowing. The results are listed in the Results Section and in short there were five medals at the World Championships in Cologne, Germany (Gold in the mens coxed four and mens coxed pair, silver in the mens coxless pair and bronze

in the womens quad scull and mens lightweight four), four gold medals at the Nation's Cup in Ioannina, Greece and four medals at the World Junior Championships (one gold, one silver and two bronze) in Ottensheim, in Austria.

HIGHLIGHTS INCLUDE

The Oarsome Foursome's three medals at the World Championships – two gold and one silver. The Four with Brett Hayman as cox winning the Coxed Four, James Tompkins and Nick Green (again Brett Hayman) winning gold in the Coxed Pair and a great silver to Mike McKay and Drew Ginn in the Olympic class Coxless Pair.

Twelve crews in finals at the World Championships.

- Bronze medals to the Women's Quad Scull and the Men's Lightweight Four.
- The Coxless Four's close fourth at the World Championships just missing a medal with 0.19 of a second separating second, third and fourth.
- Four Gold Medals (three in Olympic class events) at the Nations Cup – the men's eight, men's quad scull, women's four and women's lightweight double sculls.
- Kelly Matthew's Gold Medal in the World Junior Women's Sculls Championships, following in the footsteps of Amber Bradley in 1997.

Senior A Team also competed with great distinction in World Cup Regattas in Hazewinkel and Lucerne and also in the International Regatta, Amsterdam.

The Australian Womens Eight, the Men's Coxed Four and Gina Douglas competed at the Henley Royal Regatta.

Particular appreciation for a job well done to Michael Eastaughffe, Manager of the Senior A Team, Graham Tanner, Manager of the Senior B Team and Peter Huggett, Manager of the Junior Team.

With 1998 behind us we now look forward to World Championships and 2000 Olympic Qualification Regatta in St. Catherine's, Canada in 1999 and believe that we now have the pool of elite rowers from which crews can be selected to give Australia every opportunity in next year's World Championships and also qualifying crews for 2000 Sydney Olympic Games.

In conclusion, on behalf of the High Performance Commission, our thanks go to the Council and Board of Rowing Australia for entrusting us with the task of overseeing the High Performance Program, to the State associations, Institutes, Clubs and the AIS for their support, to the Australian Sports Commission and the Australian Olympic Committee for their financial underpinning of the program, to the Head Coach, High Performance Manager and the Selectors, for their thoroughness, fairness and integrity in selections, to the National team coaches, who rank with the world's best, team support staff, especially in the medical areas and to our talented and dedicated athletes who continue to do the noble sport of Rowing proud at home and overseas.



Womens Eight

AIS Rowing Program

SUMMARY OF THE 1997 / 1998 SEASON

The AIS Rowing Program continues to achieve the goals, aims and objectives set out to ensure that a quality program is offered, both to the athletes on scholarship, and to Australian rowing as a whole.

The AIS Rowing Program has continued to develop its role model image and its assistance to Rowing Australia with the running of a National Camp for Australian Team members in January and state camps for elite and sub-elite athletes through September and October, as well as the areas of coaching education. The AIS has been utilised by the National Team in its preparation of crews to attend the World Championship and Nations Cup success.

The continuing performance of the athletes has been monitored throughout the domestic season through a variety of biomechanical analysis, ergometer testing and time trials (both AIS based and as part of the selection process), culminating in the selection races and trialing. A total of twenty-two AIS athletes out of the twenty-seven vying for National Team selection, or 82% were selected onto a National Team for the 1998 International season.

Three AIS coaches, Paul Thompson, Steve Evans and Lyall McCarthy have been selected as Australian Coaches. Administrator Paul Sloan has also been appointed onto a National Team, serving as Assistant Manager for the World Championships trip in September. AIS Head Coach Reinhold Batschi was not selected onto a team.

The international season saw a total of thirty-four medals being won by Australian crews (both a Senior A and Senior B regattas). Of this figure, twenty-two medals involved crews with AIS athletes (65%). The World Championships saw five medals won, with three involving AIS athletes (60%), including two gold medals. All crews competing at the World Championships

with AIS athletes as members, with the exception of two, made the major final, thus being placed in the top six ranking.

In this year's Australian Senior A Team, 82% of the athletes have been involved with AIS Rowing Program at some stage during their careers.

Domestically, the AIS had another successful year, with all athletes competing at the National Championships in Victoria. Of the thirty-four crews entered in the Nationals, a total of twenty-eight raced in the major finals (82%). Of these twenty-eight crews, twenty finished in the top three places (72%). The AIS Rowing Team claimed seven National Titles, with ten second places and two third places.

The AIS has again been able to meet the majority of its objectives as set out in the performance objectives of its plan. Falling just 3% short of its objectives of the number of athletes selected on to a National Team and missing out on two crews out of ten finishing in the top six in the international season: it can be said that the AIS was very close to fulfilling all its objectives for this season.

With the dedication and commitment to the AIS Rowing Program and the National Program, the coaches and staff of the AIS Rowing Program will be able to ensure that these commitments are fulfilled in the coming season.

Congratulations must go to Brett Hayman, dual World Champion Gold Medal winning coxswain (Men's Coxed Pair and Four) and Bronze medallist in the Women's Quad Scull Jane Robinson and Coach Steve Evans for their successful results this year.

Everyone associated with the AIS Rowing Program is looking forward to again working closely with the National Program, to utilise the AIS Rowing facility for the best possible attainment of results by National Teams in the 1999 season, in the lead-up to the Olympic Games in 2000.

Reinhold Batschi – AIS Head Coach



Reinhold Batschi
Head Coach
AIS Rowing

competition

Competitions

The competition Commission of Rowing Australia encompasses three major elements of the conduct of the sport:

- Regatta Committee
- Umpire Committee
- Masters Committee

Rowing Australia promotes competitions to:

- Encourage rowing within the community
- Promote health, fitness, teamwork and a sense of community
- Provide quality rowing experiences for people to remember
- To enable us to lead the World in International competition
- To raise the profile of the sport in the community

Rowing Australia has been keen to ensure that the manner of conduct of events around the country are at a consistently high level. To this end, and particularly through the efforts of the Umpires Committee this occurs. During the past year the Regatta Committees significant work has monitored the preparation and conduct of national regattas. This has been to ensure the athletes are offered the best opportunities to perform in safe and fair racing environment.

There has been some innovative ideas considered and adopted at National Regattas, the most outstanding being the start systems now available and the opportunity to trial the system in the International arena.

The traditional competition offered as a part of the National Program of events are:

- The Australian Rowing Championships
- Interstate Regatta
- Trans Tasman Regatta
- Australasian Regatta
- Selection Trials

In addition to these events, the post season also saw the conduct of the World Masters Title in Adelaide and preparation for the new Skins event.

AUSTRALIAN ROWING CHAMPIONSHIPS

The 1998 Tattersalls Australian Rowing Championships and Interstate Regatta were conducted over six days and hosted by the Victorian Rowing Association at Nagambie.

With the support of the Victorian Government and the local Strathbogie Shire Council, a new course was constructed on Lake Nagambie, part of the Goulburn River Water Scheme. Considerable work needed to be undertaken to prepare the venue for the conduct of the event, with construction of facilities continuing up to the last day and with all involved having to cope with some inconvenience.

However, out on the water, the conditions and the facilities enabled the conduct of racing to the satisfaction of the athletes. The Chairman of the Organising Committee, Mr Brian Vear and his Committee, worked tirelessly to make the event a success. Athlete participation was excellent and while all facilities on shore may not have been ready for the whole event, the event program itself was conducted on time.

A very thorough post mortem of the event was conducted which has resulted in rules and guidelines for the conduct of future events on new courses being proposed.

INTERSTATE REGATTA

The Kings Cup regatta was held on Sunday 15th March, 1998 after the Australian Rowing Championships at Lake Nagambie in Victoria. Of the eight events on the program, Victoria won the majority.

The controversy over the 'State of Origin' which had arisen at last year's King's Cup at Lake Barrington was put to rest with a resounding win by Victoria in the Interstate men's eight and Championship event. Victoria won the ULVA trophy.

AUSTRALASIAN REGATTA

The Australasian Regatta, a competition between New Zealand and state teams was hosted by Queensland Rowing at Lake Wivenhoe. Teams representing New South Wales, Queensland, Victoria and Tasmania participated.

Australia clearly won the Rusty Robertson Trophy for pointscore competition between New Zealand and Australia whilst New South Wales won the Castaway Cup which is a pointscore between the States.

This competition is for Under 23 years and has proven to be a good testing ground for developing athletes, an opportunity to compete on an International Event on our home soil.

Next year this event will again be conducted at the Sydney International Regatta Centre in NSW as a part of a test event to trial and prepare the venue for the conduct of the Olympic Games Regatta the following year.

REGATTA COMMITTEE

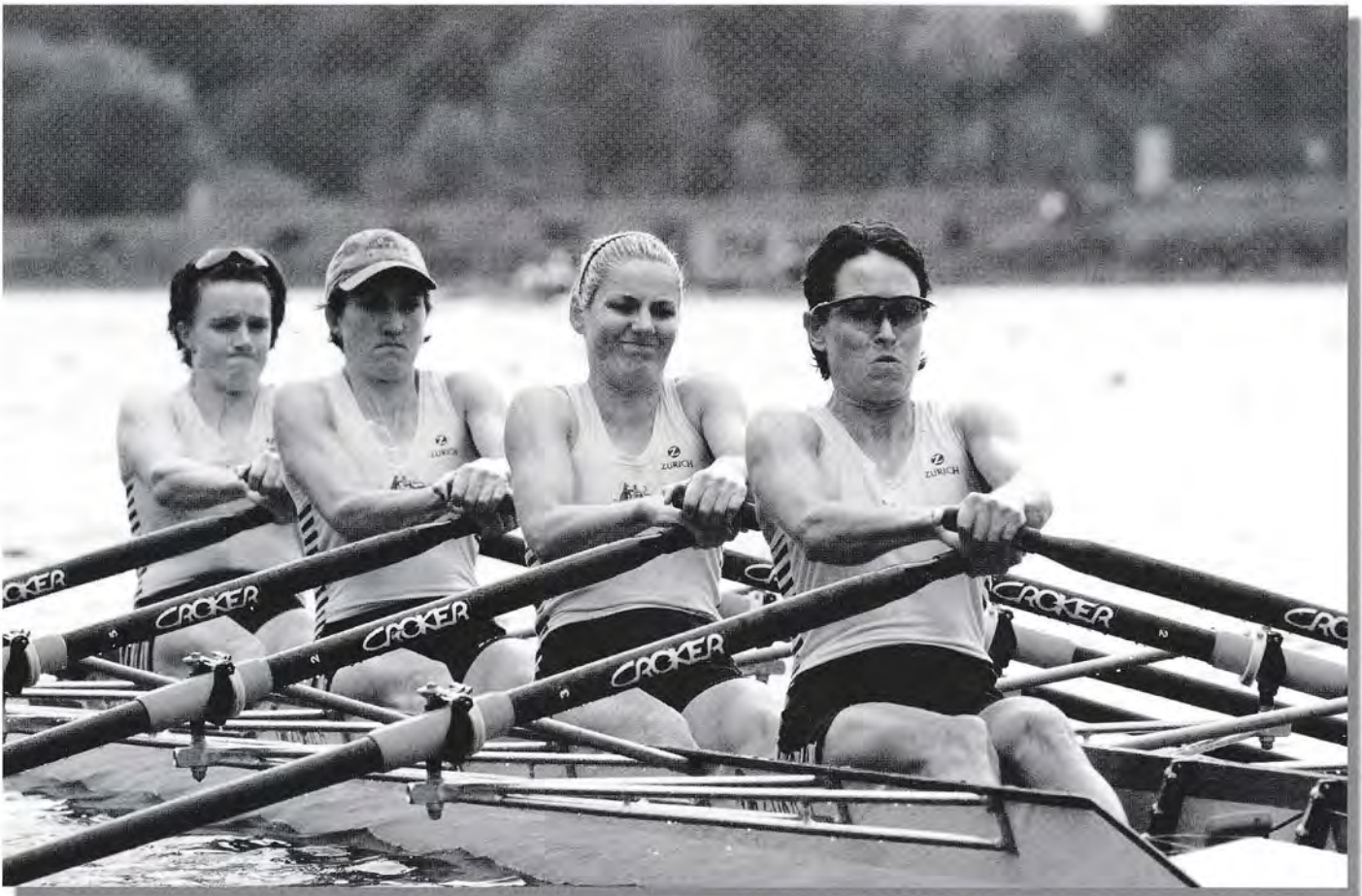
The Regatta Committee has met formally on five occasions over the past year and has been very active in its review of the conduct of all events on the National scene. Michael Eastaughffe was Chairman of the committee up until Penrith at the Selection Regatta but due to his heavy involvement as team manager stood down from his position to be replaced by David Williams.

Michael Eastaughffe is to be thanked for the work he undertook during his time as Chairman, giving clear direction in the total of the conduct of National events.

MASTERS

It is with pleasure that I submit the report of the Australian Masters Committee for the year 1997 - 1998. This year has been the most successful in Australian Masters history.

In November 1997, Australia hosted the F.I.S.A. Masters Regatta, which has been acclaimed as the best master's regatta ever conducted. Over 2,000 entrants, 1000 from overseas and 1000 from Australia, saw 4 days of racing on West Lakes course in Adelaide in mainly ideal conditions. We need to express our



Womens Lightweight Quad

congratulations to the FISA Masters Organising Committee and SARA who made the regatta enjoyable.

May 22nd saw the first face to face meeting, for some time, of the Australian Masters Committee held in Adelaide, where many important issues were discussed by the representatives of each State. Regrettably at this meeting the resignation of the Chairman, Bob Hemerey J.P. was announced. The meeting accepted Bob's resignation and acknowledged his contribution to Australian Masters Rowing.

The Committee endorsed the conduct of the 1999 Masters Regatta in Canberra on May 22nd – 23rd, 1999. Further discussion is required on the issue of State representation in a Masters 'interstate' race.

It should be noted the Australian Masters Championships was well attended considering the World Masters in Adelaide only 7 months earlier.

A large number of Australians travel to Portland, Oregon for the Nike World Masters Games, whilst some people went to Munich (Germany) for the World F.I.S.A Masters Regatta. 46 Masters Competitors travelled to Portland and a similar number onward to Munich.

Australian Masters competitors performed very well at the two F.I.S.A.Regattas and the Nike Masters Games and should be congratulated.

Jeff Sykes – Masters Commission

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ROWING AUSTRALIA INC.

Special Purpose Financial Statements 30 June, 1998

Statement to Members

In the opinion of the Board of Rowing Australia Inc. (Rowing Australia)

- a) Rowing Australia is not a reporting entity,
- b) The accounts as set out on pages 22 to 32 are drawn up so as to present fairly the financial position of Rowing Australia at 30 June, 1998 and the results of its operations and cash flows for the nine months then ended, and are in accordance with the accounting policies in Note 1, and comply with the provisions of the Constitution and Rules, and
- c) There are reasonable grounds to believe that Rowing Australia will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Rowing Australia Inc.

S. Hinchy
President

B. Pennington October, 1998
Director

Statement by Person Responsible for the Preparation of the Accounts

I, Keith Jameson, being the person responsible for the preparation of the attached accounts of Rowing Australia for the nine months ended 30 June 1998, state that to the best of my knowledge and belief such accounts present fairly the financial position of Rowing Australia at 30 June, 1998 and the results of its operations and cash flows for the nine months then ended, and are in accordance with the accounting policies described in Note 1 and comply with the provisions of the Constitution and Rules of Rowing Australia.

Keith Jameson
Director of Finance

October, 1998

INDEPENDENT AUDIT REPORT

To the Members of Rowing Australia

Scope

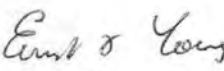
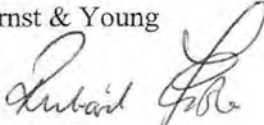
We have audited the financial report of Rowing Australia for the year ended 30 June, 1998 as set out on pages 3 to 10. The Members of the Board of Rowing Australia are responsible for the financial report. We have conducted an independent audit of the financial report in order to express an opinion on it to the Members of Rowing Australia.

Our audit has been conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards to provide reasonable assurance as to whether the financial report is free of material misstatement. Our procedures included examination, on a test basis, of evidence supporting the amounts and other disclosures in the financial report, and the evaluation of accounting policies and significant accounting estimates. These procedures have been undertaken to form an opinion whether, in all material respects, the financial report is presented fairly in accordance with Accounting Standards, other mandatory professional reporting requirements so as to present a view which is consistent with our understanding of Rowing Australia's financial position, the results of its operations and its cash flows.

The audit opinion expressed in this report has been formed on the above basis.

Audit Opinion

In our opinion, the financial report presents fairly in accordance with applicable Accounting Standards the financial position of Rowing Australia as at 30 June, 1998 and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended.


Ernst & Young


R N FISHER
Partner

Sydney, 4 October, 1998



Rowing Australia Inc.**Profit & Loss Statement for the Nine Months Ended 30 June, 1998**

	Note	30 June 1998 \$	30 Sept 1997 \$
Operating Revenue	2	1,520,622	1,953,448
Operating Profit / (Loss)		52,036	8,358
Income Tax expense attributable to operating profit	1(c)	-	-
Operating Profit / (Loss) after income tax		52,036	8,358
Accumulated profits at the beginning of the period		11,130	2,772
Accumulated profits at the end of the period		63,166	11,130

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these accounts.

Rowing Australia Inc.**Balance Sheet as at 30 June, 1998**

	Note	30 June 1998 \$	30 Sept 1997 \$
Current Assets			
Cash	3	86,915	140,808
Receivables	4	269,980	214,134
Inventories	5	7,469	5,658
Prepayments	6	190,830	5,383
Total Current Assets		555,194	365,983
Non-Current Assets			
Property, Plant & Equipment	7	29,712	40,158
Total Non-Current Assets		29,712	40,158
Total Assets		584,906	406,141
Current Liabilities			
Creditors & Borrowings	8	498,309	326,086
Provisions	9	8,999	11,073
Total Current Liabilities		507,308	337,159
Non-Current Liabilities			
Loans from Member Associations	10	14,432	57,852
Total Non-Current Liabilities		14,432	57,852
Total Liabilities		521,740	395,011
Net Assets		63,166	11,130
Total Accumulated Funds		63,166	11,130

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these accounts.

Rowing Australia Inc.**Statement of Cash Flows for the Nine Months Ended 30 June, 1998**

	30 June 1998	30 Sept 1997
Note	\$	\$
	Inflows/ (Outflows)	Inflows/ (Outflows)
Cash flows from operating activities		
Receipts from organisations and persons	408,873	207,460
Payments to organisations and persons	(1,465,564)	(1,403,106)
Grants received	1,047,468	1,323,371
Interest received	5,435	5,532
Net cash flows from operating activities	11 (3,788)	133,257
Cash flows from investing activities		
Payments for equipment	(6,685)	(11,092)
Net cash flows from investing activities	(6,685)	(11,092)
Cash flows from financing activities		
Loans repaid	(43,420)	(39,140)
Net cash flows from financing activities	(43,420)	(39,140)
Net increase / (decrease) in cash held	(53,893)	83,025
Cash at the beginning of the financial period	140,808	57,783
Cash at the end of the financial period	3 86,915	140,808

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these accounts.

Rowing Australia Inc.

Notes to and Forming Part of the Accounts for the Nine Months Ended 30 June, 1998

Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

a) Basis of Preparation

The accounts of Rowing Australia Inc. have been prepared as a Special Purpose Financial Report for use by the Board and members of Rowing Australia and to fulfil the Board's responsibility under the Constitution to prepare accounts. The accounts have been prepared on the basis that Rowing Australia is not a reporting entity because there are unlikely to be any other users of the accounts.

The accounts have been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards except for AAS 22 - Related Party Disclosures and AASB 1033 – Financial Instruments.

b) Basis of Accounting

The accounts have been prepared on the basis of historical costs.

c) Income Tax

Rowing Australia is an exempt body under the Income Tax Assessment Act, as amended.

d) Depreciation

Depreciation in respect of all fixed assets is calculated so as to write off the cost of each asset over its effective useful life.

e) Cash Flows

For the purposes of the Statement of Cash Flows, cash includes cash on hand and at bank, and deposits at call.

f) Accounting Period

The accounting period year end has been changed from 30 September to 30 June. These accounts are for the period 1 October 1997 to 30 June 1998

Rowing Australia Inc.**Notes to and Forming Part of the Accounts for the Nine Months Ended 30 June, 1998**

g) Trading Stock

Trading stock is valued at the lower of cost or net realisable value.

h) Recognition of Income

All income is brought to account as received with the exception of the receivables from the Australian Sports Commission ("ASC"), Zurich Australia, and Qantas. The ASC grants are brought to account as income in the period in which the monies are spent. Sponsorship funds received from Zurich Australia in respect of the next financial year have been carried forward in the accounts. The sponsorship income from Qantas is in the form of air tickets provided at no charge whose normal value is credited as income when the tickets are booked.

30 June 1998	30 Sept 1997
\$	\$

Note 2: Operating Revenue

Affiliation fees	34,736	65,976
Australian Olympic Committee Grant	-	136,000
Australian Sports Commission Grants	1,047,468	1,187,371
Equipment Donations	-	252,294
Interest	5,435	3,018
Profit on sale of equipment	-	16,080
Other Income	432,983	292,709
	<u>1,520,622</u>	<u>1,953,448</u>

Note 3: Cash and Other Liquid Funds

Cash at Bank and on Deposit		
National Australia Bank - Main Account	30,300	91,245
National Australia Bank - High Performance Account	56,415	49,363
	<u>86,715</u>	<u>140,608</u>
Cash on hand	200	200
	<u>86,915</u>	<u>140,808</u>

Rowing Australia Inc.**Notes to and Forming Part of the Accounts for the Nine Months Ended 30 June, 1998**

	30 June 1998 \$	30 Sept 1997 \$
Note 4: Receivables		
Accounts Receivable	269,730	214,084
Less Provision for Doubtful Debts	500	500
Other Receivables	750	550
Total Receivables	<u>269,980</u>	<u>214,134</u>
Note 5: Inventories		
Coaching Materials	2,681	2,748
Merchandise Stocks	4,788	2,910
Total Inventories	<u>7,469</u>	<u>5,658</u>
Note 6: Prepayments		
Skins Regatta	250	-
Sponsor Contribution to Australian Teams	40,000	-
Sponsorship Fees	12,500	-
Prepaid 1998 Team Expenses	138,080	-
1997 Masters Regatta	-	5,382
Total Prepayments	<u>190,830</u>	<u>5,382</u>
Note 7: Property, Plant & Equipment		
Office Equipment	67,474	65,173
Less Accumulated Depreciation	48,913	42,969
	<u>18,561</u>	<u>22,204</u>
Rowing & Regatta Equipment	1,295	1,295
Less Accumulated Depreciation	1,295	1,295
	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
High Performance Centre Equipment	315,599	313,147
Less Accumulated Depreciation	304,448	295,193
	<u>11,151</u>	<u>17,954</u>
Total Property, Plant and Equipment	<u>29,712</u>	<u>40,158</u>

Rowing Australia Inc.**Notes to and Forming Part of the Accounts for the Nine Months Ended 30 June, 1998**

	30 June 1998 \$	30 Sept 1997 \$
Note 8: Creditors & Borrowings		
Advance Income - Sponsorship	50,000	-
Advance Income - 1998 Teams	138,080	-
High Performance Funds Committed	45,421	-
Trade Creditors	233,683	246,890
Trophy Fund	2,745	1,809
Magazine Subscriptions in advance	16,935	14,007
Other Advance Income	-	57,390
Other Amounts Payable	11,445	5,990
Total Creditors & Borrowings	<u>498,309</u>	<u>326,086</u>
Note 9: Provisions		
Provision for Annual Leave	6,855	11,073
Provision for FBT	2,144	-
	<u>8,999</u>	<u>11,073</u>
Note 10: Loans from Member Associations		
ACT Rowing Association	1,157	3,657
Amateur Rowing Association of Western Australia	2,013	7,263
NSW Rowing Association	2,879	16,489
Rowing Queensland Inc.	4,085	7,875
South Australian Rowing Association	910	3,410
Tasmanian Rowing Council	(1,260)	2,410
Victorian Rowing Association	4,648	16,748
	<u>14,432</u>	<u>57,852</u>

Rowing Australia Inc.**Notes to and Forming Part of the Accounts for the Nine Months Ended 30 June, 1998**

	30 June 1998 \$	30 Sept 1997 \$
Note 11: Cash Flow Information		
Reconciliation of net cash from operating activities to operating profit after income tax:		
Operating profit / (loss) after income tax	52,036	8,358
Depreciation	20,132	279,550
Revaluation of Assets	(3,000)	(250,000)
Changes in assets and liabilities:		
(Increase)/Decrease in Receivables	(55,846)	(167,085)
(Increase)/Decrease in Inventories	(1,811)	(2,809)
(Increase)/Decrease in Prepayments	(185,448)	(209)
(Decrease) Increase in Creditors and Accruals	172,223	265,970
(Decrease) Increase in Provisions	(2,074)	(518)
(Increase)/Decrease in Other Assets	-	-
Net cash inflows / (outflows) from operating activities	<u>(3,788)</u>	<u>133,257</u>

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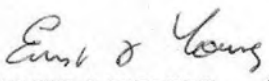
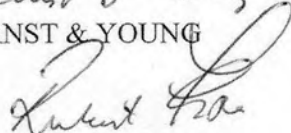
DISCLAIMER

The additional financial information presented on pages 12 to 15 being the detailed profit & loss account, has been compiled by the management of Rowing Australia Inc.

No detailed audit or review has been performed by us and accordingly no assurance is expressed.

To the extent permitted by law, we do not accept liability for any loss or damage which any person, other than Rowing Australia Inc may suffer arising from any negligence on our part. No person should rely on the additional financial information without having an audit or review conducted.

Dated at Sydney on 4 October, 1998


ERNST & YOUNG


R N FISHER
Partner



Rowing Australia Inc.
Detailed Statement of Profit & Loss for the Nine Months Ended 30 June, 1998

	30 June 1998 \$	30 Sept 1997 \$
The operating profit /(loss) has been determined after:		
a) Crediting as income:		
Affiliation Fees	34,736	65,976
AOC Grant	-	136,000
Australian Sports Commission Grants:		
Boat Storage in Europe	15,000	-
Coaching Support	30,000	47,750
Elite Coaching Assistance	66,862	21,875
High Performance Management	2,569	2,211
Intensive Training Centres	439,500	146,500
International Competition	424,775	855,025
National Sports Program	-	1,260
Sports Management	52,500	73,750
Sports Science	8,762	3,000
Umpires	7,500	6,000
Other ASC Grants	-	30,000
Calendars		
Advertising	7,500	8,750
Sales	12,299	12,709
Coaching Accreditation Fees	10,829	4,069
Coaching Manuals	6,460	9,316
Coaching Merchandise	13,563	9,650
Coaching Seminars	69,509	493
Disrow Income	-	758
Donations	-	763
FISA Extraordinary Congress	-	32,683
High Performance Costs Recovered	41,653	16,947
High Performance Equipment	-	252,294
Interest	5,435	5,532
International Levy	43,420	39,140
Interstate Regatta Levy	2,900	2,800
Magazine		
Advertising	6,800	16,295
Sales	14,561	20,224
Merchandise Sales	174	116
Carried forward	1,317,307	1,821,886

Rowing Australia Inc.**Detailed Statement of Profit & Loss for the Nine Months Ended 30 June, 1998**

	30 June 1998 \$	30 Sept 1997 \$
Income brought forward	1,317,307	1,821,886
Masters Regatta 1997	20,000	-
Maxim Sales	-	2,536
National Regatta - Rights Fee	10,000	10,000
National Regatta - Entry Levy	11,800	10,880
Olympic Dinner Refund	-	750
Olympic Supporters' Package - Sales	-	29
Rent Contribution - High Performance	7,500	7,500
Revaluation of Assets	3,000	-
Service Fees - High Performance	-	8,651
Sponsorship - Ausrowtec	5,000	-
Sponsorship - Qantas	41,227	46,668
Sponsorship - Sykes Racing	10,750	-
Sponsorship - Zurich Australia	87,500	-
Sale of Assets	3,320	16,080
Sundry Income	518	25,333
Supporters' Club	2,800	-
Team Handbook	-	-
Advertising	-	740
Sales	(100)	1,295
Umpires Exam Fee	-	1,100
Total Income	<u>1,520,622</u>	<u>1,953,448</u>

Rowing Australia Inc.
Detailed Statement of Profit & Loss for the Nine Months Ended 30 June, 1998

	30 June 1998 \$	30 Sept 1997 \$
b) Charging as Expenses		
Accounting Services	2,860	2,930
Administration Support	-	3,830
Affiliation Fees & Subs.	2,066	2,205
Audit Fees	4,275	4,000
Annual Reports	2,374	-
Bad Debts	180	-
Bank & Govt Fees	1,985	2,363
Board Expenses	9,769	14,411
Boat Storage in Europe	27,562	-
Calendars - Production & Distribution	13,909	13,977
CEO Expenses	10,985	3,354
Coaching Accreditation	2,170	596
Coaching Seminars	72,247	-
Coaching Manuals - Costs	5,992	6,322
Coaching Merchandise Costs	6,654	2,746
Computer Expense	270	1,093
Contribution to A.I.R.F.	5,000	-
Council Meeting Expenses	8,631	1,860
Course Development	193	-
Depreciation - High Performance Equipment	9,804	268,986
Depreciation - Office Equip't	10,328	10,565
Disrow Expenses	1,475	429
Employee Entitlements	1,329	9,288
FISA Extraordinary Congress	-	49,036
FISA Masters Regatta 1997	-	20,000
High Performance Disbursements	-	8,651
High Performance Expenses		
Management	7,830	12,841
Intensive Training Centre	439,700	146,300
Elite Coaching	87,764	41,079
International Competition	325,388	967,617
Other	2,813	548
Grant Income Carried Forward	45,421	-
Insurance - General	4,686	6,475
Insurance - Workers Compensation	-	2,353
International Conferences	-	6,190
Legal & Corporate Affairs	5,892	102
Carried forward	1,119,552	1,610,147

Rowing Australia Inc.**Detailed Statement of Profit & Loss for the Nine Months Ended 30 June, 1998**

	30 June 1998 \$	30 Sept 1997 \$
Expenses brought forward	1,119,552	1,610,147
Light, Power & Heating	777	512
Magazine		
Postage	6,482	1,656
Production	18,128	13,692
Marketing & Media Expenses	2,109	583
Marketing Commission	1,073	
Masters Commission	7,876	1,146
Masters Regatta 1997	6,883	
Maxim Cost of Sales	-	2,991
Merchandise Costs	(894)	-
National Director of Coaching Education - Expenses	14,630	14,671
National Media Director - Expenses	304	2,958
National Regatta Expenses	8,824	6,341
National Sports Program Expenses	24,896	-
Olympic Dinner Expenses	-	5,571
Team Handbook Costs	2,563	1,150
Office Expenses	777	1,482
Office Relocation	-	9,385
President - Expenses	2,027	-
Photocopier	574	1,251
Postage	8,437	9,456
Printing & Stationery	4,549	7,582
Project Staff	1,202	-
Recruitment	-	5,141
Regatta Commission	2,079	1,404
Rent & Outgoings - Office	14,834	14,922
Salaries	138,566	167,393
Secretarial Services	2,135	655
Sponsor Contribution to AIS	10,000	
Sponsor Support	10,758	601
Sponsorship Fee	21,875	
Staff Termination Costs	-	25,346
Staff Training	1,070	-
Sundry Expenses	6,896	6,591
Superannuation	7,720	9,910
Supporters' Club Costs	2,227	
Telephone & Fax	12,817	15,033
Umpires Expenses	6,840	7,520
Total Expenses	<u>1,468,586</u>	<u>1,945,090</u>
Surplus / (Deficit) for the Period	<u>52,036</u>	<u>8,358</u>

AUSTRALIAN INTERNATIONAL ROWING FOUNDATION

Special Purpose Financial Statements 30 June, 1998

Certification Statement

In our opinion, the attached accounts of the Australian International Rowing Foundation are drawn up so as to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Foundation at 30 June, 1998 and the results of its operations and cash flows for the nine months then ended.

S. Hinchy
President

B. Pennington
Director

October, 1998

Statement by Person Responsible for the Preparation of the Accounts

I, Keith Jameson, being the person responsible for the preparation of the attached accounts of the Australian International Rowing Foundation for the nine months ended 30 June, 1998 state that to the best of my knowledge and belief such accounts present fairly the financial position of the Foundation at 30 June, 1998 and the results of its operations and cash flows for the nine months then ended and are in accordance with the accounting policies described in Note 1 and comply with the provisions of the Constitution and Rules of Rowing Australia

Keith Jameson
Director of Finance

October, 1998

INDEPENDENT AUDIT REPORT

To the Members of Australian International Rowing Foundation

Scope

We have audited the financial report of Australian International Rowing Foundation for the year ended 30 June, 1998 as set out on pages 3 to 8. The Members of the Board of Australian International Rowing Foundation are responsible for the financial report. We have conducted an independent audit of the financial report in order to express an opinion on it to the Members of Australian International Rowing Foundation.

Our audit has been conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards to provide reasonable assurance as to whether the financial report is free of material misstatement. Our procedures included examination, on a test basis, of evidence supporting the amounts and other disclosures in the financial report, and the evaluation of accounting policies and significant accounting estimates. These procedures have been undertaken to form an opinion whether, in all material respects, the financial report is presented fairly in accordance with Accounting Standards, other mandatory professional reporting requirements so as to present a view which is consistent with our understanding of Australian International Rowing Foundation's financial position, the results of its operations and its cash flows.

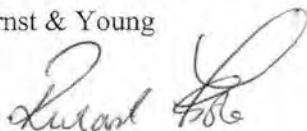
The audit opinion expressed in this report has been formed on the above basis.

Audit Opinion

In our opinion, the financial report presents fairly in accordance with applicable Accounting Standards the financial position of Australian International Rowing Foundation as at 30 June, 1998 and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended.



Ernst & Young



R N FISHER
Partner

Sydney, 4 October, 1998



**Australian International Rowing Foundation
Profit & Loss Statement for the Nine Months Ended 30 June 1998**

		30 June 1998	30 Sept 1997
Operating Revenue	Note 2	\$ 5,494	\$ 1,404
Operating Profit / (Loss)	3	5,346	1,071
Income Tax attributable to operating profit	1(c)	-	-
Operating profit after income tax		5,346	1,071
Retained profits at the beginning of the period		1,939	868
Retained profits at the end of the period		7,285	1,939

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these accounts.

**Australian International Rowing Foundation
Balance Sheet as at 30 June, 1998**

		30 June 1998	30 Sept 1997
Current Assets	Note	\$	\$
Cash	4	6,082	1,939
Receivables	5	6,058	-
Total Current Assets		12,140	1,939
Total Assets		12,140	1,939
Current Liabilities			
Creditors	6	4,855	-
Total Current Liabilities		4,855	-
Net Assets		7,285	1,939
Accumulated Funds		7,285	1,939

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these accounts.

**Australian International Rowing Foundation
Statement of Cash Flows for the Nine Months Ended 30/6/98**

	Note	30 June 1998 \$ Inflows/ (Outflows)	30 Sept 1997 \$ Inflows/ (Outflows)
Cash flows from operating activities			
Receipts from organisations and persons		23,890	53,730
Payments to organisations and persons		(19,759)	(52,894)
Interest received		12	106
Net cash flows from operating activities	7	<u>4,143</u>	<u>942</u>
Net increase / (decrease) in cash held		4,143	942
Cash at the beginning of the financial period		1,939	997
Cash at the end of the financial period	4	<u>6,082</u>	<u>1,939</u>

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these accounts.

**Australian International Rowing Foundation
Notes to and Forming Part of the Accounts for the Nine Months Ended 30 June, 1998**

Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

a) Basis of Accounting

The accounts have been prepared on the basis of historical costs

b) Income and Expenditure

Income has been brought to account on a due and receivable basis. Expenses have been brought to account as incurred

c) Income Tax

The Foundation is exempt from income tax

d) Cash Flows

For the purposes of the Statement of Cash Flows, cash includes cash on hand and at bank.

e) Depreciation

Depreciation is provided so as to write off the cost of each asset over its effective useful life.

f) Comparatives

Donations received by the Foundation on behalf of designated beneficiaries have not been included as income. Only direct donations to the Foundation are shown as income. Similarly payments of donations to the designated beneficiaries have not been included as expenses. In previous years these receipts and payments were treated as income and expenses of the Foundation

g) Accounting Period

The accounting period year end has been changed from 30 September to 30 June. These accounts are for the period 1 October 1997 to 30 June 1998

Australian International Rowing Foundation
Notes to and Forming Part of the Accounts for the Nine Months Ended 30 June, 1998

	30 June 1998 \$	30 Sept 1997 \$
Note 2: Operating Revenue		
Commission - donations via Australian Sports Foundation	475	1,299
Contribution from Rowing Australia	5,000	-
Interest	12	105
MLC Cash Management Trust	7	-
	5,494	1,404
Note 3: Operating Profit		
Income		
Commission on donations via Australian Sports Foundation	475	1,299
Contribution from Rowing Australia	5,000	-
Interest	12	105
MLC Cash Management Trust	7	-
	5,494	1,404
Expenditure		
Bank charges	148	333
	148	333
Operating profit	5,346	1,071
Note 4: Cash and Other Liquid Funds		
AIRF Account - NAB	6,017	1,880
AIRF -MLC Cash Management Account	65	59
	6,082	1,939
Note 5: Receivables		
Australian Sports Foundation	1,058	-
Rowing Australia	5,000	-
	6,058	-

Australian International Rowing Foundation
Notes to and Forming Part of the Accounts for the Nine Months Ended 30 June, 1998

	30 June 1998 \$	30 Sept 1997 \$
Note 6: Creditors		
Melbourne Amateur Regatta Association	4,855	-
	4,855	-
Note 7: Cash Flow Information		
Reconciliation of net cash flows from operating activities to the operating profit after income tax		
Operating profit / (loss) after income tax	5,346	1,071
Decrease (Increase) in accounts receivable	(6,058)	11,271
(Decrease) Increase in creditors	4,855	(11,400)
Net cash inflows / (outflows) from operating activities	4,143	942

around the states

New South Wales

In December and with the assistance of the State Government's Sports Management Advisory Service we undertook a survey of members which sought constructive feedback in regards to the overall performance of the sport. In addition, the survey was designed to ascertain the perceived strengths and weaknesses of internal and external issues likely to impact on the Association's development and growth.

From almost 300 replies it has been possible to pinpoint the major threats, opportunities and concerns held by the membership for the Association's management responsibilities, for the well being of rowing within NSW. It would be fair to say that the outcomes of the survey will become the essential reference point, which will set much of the future management direction to be taken by the Board.

The Board is now deeply involved in writing a business plan, which has four objectives:

- To foster cohesion amongst members in the management and operations of the sport.
- To incorporate strategic operational development and marketing objectives which identify events and activities which will generate true growth and development of the sport.
- Is customer focused.
- Meets the expectations of all stake holders and interested parties which include individuals, clubs, Government and commercial partners as well as the general community,

The process employed to date has been an exhaustive one however I anticipate that this blue print for the future should be completed and implemented before the calendar year end.

The Associations involvement and continued partnership with the NSWIS will form part of the planning process. In this respect, within the

NSWIS the rowing program has been recognised as one of the three principal funding projects. In turn the Institute's investment has been rewarded with some exceptional international performances which has culminated in great success at the World and Junior World Rowing Championships as well as the Nations Cup.

The NSWIS Rowing Program is a reality with the Institute contributing \$217,500 to the program the Australia Sports Commission through Rowing Australia adding \$105,000 and other income of \$31,000 providing a total budget \$354,300. High Performance Centres at UTS, Sydney University, Nepean and Sydney Rowing Clubs have an annual grant of \$80,000, which is included in the total coaching budget of \$223,900. Additionally a fleet of racing shell is provided to the High Performance Centres and NSW Academy at Narrabeen together with boat trailer and towing vehicle. Scholarship holders are provided with funding support and a range of specialist medical and other services and training programs. Coaches in the program meet monthly to discuss policy and the Joint Management Committee meets quarterly to oversee the program, its direction and outcomes.

This year the three Zurich Australian Rowing Teams will boast a total of 38 athletes and coaches which is a fine reflection of the success of the institute program. On the other hand this outstanding performance highlights the almost impossible task for an athlete or coach to achieve national selection coming from a pure club environment without the support of and participation in, the Intensive Training centres. We welcome the NSWIS investment of coaching, equipment and athlete support in the high performance as aspect of the sport and we will endeavour to strike a cooperative relationship to initiate achievable development opportunities for talented junior rowers.

The focal point for competition in the state is the Sydney International Regatta Centre, which

continues to amaze us all. During the past year construction of the major pavilion grandstand and boat sheds together with the integrated landscaping was completed and with exception of some minor improvements complete the construction phase of development of the course which has been in progress for 12 years. We now have a regatta and training venue unsurpassed which must be utilised at every opportunity to ensure that the integrity of the course is never compromised. Given the success of the Open and Masters Championship Regattas any such concern would appear to be unfounded.

The Association has entered into an agreement with the Olympic Co-ordination Authority, which will see the hire of the course for regattas on a more cost effective basis. In addition we are negotiating leasing 2 bays in the boatsheds. Each of these business development initiatives will play an essential part in the conduct of the 1999 pre-Olympic Regatta and the 2000 Zurich Australia Rowing Championship Regatta. These are exciting development opportunities for the sport in Sydney. Further afield the first of what is planned to become an annual Head of the River Regatta offering prize money will be conducted on the Clarence at Grafton. The concept has tremendous potential and is worthy of the unconditional support of the statewide rowing family.

AUSTRALASIAN REGATTA

The Australasian U23 Regatta was conducted at S.I.R.C. on the 22nd, 23rd and 24th August, 1997. The first two days saw perfect conditions with a westerly testing the strength and skills of the rowers on the Sunday. New Zealand won the Rusty Robertson MBE trophy for the point score competition between the Australian States and New Zealand. (32 points vs 30 points).

Congratulations to our visitors. NSW (33 points) won the Castaway Cup points score for competition between the Australian States. VIC (25), were second followed by QLD (11), SA

and the ACT (10) and TAS (5). NSW crews won the Eight, Scull, Lightweight Scull, Lightweight Double Scull and Women's Quad Scull.

We thank the competitors, coaches, officials and spectators for their contribution to the success of this important regatta.

NATIONS CUP TEST REGATTA

The Nations Cup Test Regatta was conducted at S.I.R.C. on Saturday 5th and Sunday 6th July, 1997 and featured racing between the Australian and New Zealand Senior B Teams prior to their departure for the Nations Cup in Milan. Under 23 crews from clubs also participated.

Competition was keen and pointed to the form displayed shortly afterward in Milan.

INAUGURAL NSWRA MASTERS CHAMPIONSHIPS

Incorporating 51 events over 60 races using the 9 lane course the regatta took place on Saturday 16th May at S.I.R.C. and was highly successful. The regatta was staged by the NSWRA in conjunction with the assistance of the NSW Union of Old Oarsmen with visitors from QLD and ACT competing. It was a well organised and executed regatta and has set the standard and method by which the Board of Directors will insist that this regatta is conducted in the future.

1998 NSWRA PRESENTATION DINNER – A GREAT SUCCESS

The NSWRA Presentation Dinner held at Sydney Rowing Club on Wednesday 22nd July, 1998 was a most enjoyable evening with guest of Honour Michael Scott, Director of the NSWIS providing a valuable insight into the role of the Institute and future of the Institutes Rowing Program. Union of Old Oarsmen's Youth Scholarships were awarded to Kate Higgins of Mosman Rowing Club, Amy Chaffy of PLC/Drummoyne, Loughlin Richards of Newcastle Rowing Club and Andrew Wolfe of Drummoyne Rowing Club. Congratulations to these athletes and many thanks to the Union for its valuable contribution.

Awards were made to the following athletes and coaches:

Oarsmen of the Year	Geoff and James Stewart	UTS Rowing Club
Oarswoman of the Year	Kelly Matthews	Nepean Rowing Club
Novice of the Year	Livia Laborczfalvi	Nepean Rowing Club
Coxswain of the Year	Marty Rabjohns	Sydney Rowing Club
Elite Coach of the Year	Tim McLaren	UTS Rowing Club
Elite Women's Coach of the Year	Ellen Randell	UTS Rowing Club
Senior Coach of the Year	Sam Carroll	Sydney Rowing Club
Novice Coach of the Year	James Andrews	Drummoyne Rowing Club
Youth Coach of the Year	Lindsay Callaghan	Nepean Rowing Club
Intermediate Coach of the Year	Stani Slavova	Drummoyne Rowing Club
Kevyn Webb Achiever of the Year	Glenn Ryder	Sydney Rowing Club

We congratulate the following shield winners:

L.E. Stepto Memorial Shield / NSWRA Rowing Premiership	UTS Rowing Club
Bohemia Crystal River Cup	Nepean Rowing Club
Schoolgirls Shield	Loreto Normanhurst
Schoolboys Shield	Sydney Church of England Grammar
Combined Novice Shield	Nepean Rowing Club
Combined Youth Shield	Nepean Rowing Club
Women's Senior Shield	UTS Rowing Club
Men's Senior Shield	Sydney Rowing Club
Women's Elite Shield	UTS Rowing Club

Thank you to all who attended and contributed to the success of the evening and a special mention to our M.C Dr Graham Jones for his efforts.

Stewart Derwin – (Councillor for New South Wales)

Victoria

The past year has seen further outstanding successes for clubs and schools, our rowers and coaches. Our success has been both on the International and National scenes. The 1997/98 year has been one of ongoing change and continued progress for the Association highlighted by the National Championships and King's Cup being held in Victoria for the first time since 1992.

In the Nation's Cup (U23) in Greece in July seven Victorians won gold medals – Simon Gadsden, Nigel Sullivan, Christian Ryan, Paul Gray and Paul Myers were members of the gold medal Men's Eight coached by Chris O'Brien, Jill Burston coached by Stefan Tobler won gold in the Women's Lightweight double and Emily Martin won gold in the Women's Heavyweight four.

In the World Junior Championships in Austria in August the men's lightweight Four from Victoria (Karsten Fosterling, Lachlan McPherson, Anthony Coghlan and Tim Widmer, again coached by Chris O'Brien) narrowly missed out on a medal in a team which was highly successful. We now await with anticipation the Australian results from the World Championships in September.

A major highlight of the season was the successful staging of the Victorian Championships and two weeks later the National and Interstate Regatta at Nagambie in March. A very large crowd witnessed a memorable regatta held in perfect conditions. We congratulate Patrick McNamara for his vision and input into the design and development of magnificent Nagambie Lakes course. We thank Brian Vear and the Organising Committee and David Schier as Course Manager for a wonderful effort in staging the Regatta on a course that was barely completed at the commencement of the Regatta. And we thank Tattersall's, and its General Manager, Peter Gillooly for their

sponsorship and support. It was fitting that it was a most successful regatta for Victoria. In the Interstate Regatta, in addition to regaining the King's Cup, Victoria won the Nell Slatter Trophy (Gina Douglas) the Women's Heavyweight Four, the Women's Lightweight Four, the Women's Youth Eight and the Men's Youth Eight. And in the National Regatta Victorian rowers were represented in 15 successful championship crews.

We have continued to enjoy the benefits of our partnership with the Victorian Institute of Sport with our elite athletes again performing well at the highest levels of competition. Many are representing Australia overseas this season and we look forward keenly to their results. In conjunction with the Association the VIS Rowing Program has appointed Ausrowtec as its major sponsor for two years in an agreement providing it with its own fleet of boats for the first time. Ross Henderson has continued his good work in assisting the transition of athletes from Schools to Clubs and the further development of our younger athletes to elite level. Victoria's record of first placing in five of the last six Men's and Women's Youth races conducted at the Interstate Regatta is testimony to the success of this program and to the bright future for Victorian Rowing.

During the coming year we expect to see further steps taken in the development of the Barwon Common Rowing Course, a project that has the full support of your Association.

In October Deirdre (De) Fraser joined us as General Manager. De has an extensive background in rowing both competitively and in administration and we welcome her to her new role and look forward to her contribution over the coming year. We have received a Government grant to significantly upgrade our administrative capability with new computer hardware and software and the implementation of this system will be one of her major tasks over the coming year.

ACT

We accepted with regret the resignation of Ray Hammon after many years of service. Ray played a pivotal role in the strategic planning process and restructuring of recent years. The 'Victorian Rower' produced by Ray was envied by many of our interstate counterparts and widely appreciated within our community. Justice Frederico (Freddy) has indicated that he will not be continuing as President of the Association. Freddy took an active approach to the role of President and was involved in many major projects undertaken by the Association. Successive Management Committees since 1980 have benefited from his sage advice. I take this opportunity to thank Freddy for his contribution and leadership.

The growth in the number of participants in our sport has continued and has been accompanied by increasing demands by other users on our waterways. This is the greatest challenge currently facing us and while significant progress has been made much work remains to be done to protect the position of rowing as a long term user of Victorian lakes and rivers. Accordingly members are reminded that the Association can only be as strong as its constituent parts and that their continued participation and enthusiasm are essential to meeting the challenges facing us.

David Pincus
Chairman – Committee of Management
Mr Justice H.R. Fredrico – President

Australian Capital Territory

Once again the ACT rowing scene has had a successful year at all levels. Adair Ferguson, the Sports Development Officer has continued the critical work of producing the trained coaches to meet the demand from junior/novice rowers and in promoting the sport at all levels through a widening area of the community. Paul Rowe, the Coaching Development Officer has continued to help raise the experience of coaches with his knowledge and skills.

DEVELOPMENTS

This year has seen some exciting development on the local scene. Ginninderra Rowing is now a reality with the new shed developed as part of the Ginninderra College campus and the club infrastructure has just started forming.

The University of Canberra has started a rowing club and had success this year in the Women's Four at the Disher Cup regatta. This club will use the new Ginninderra shed as its home base. ACTRA looks forward to continued expansion of rowing in this area.

The high level of cooperation and assistance from established clubs in fostering these new clubs is a strong feature of the ACT rowing scene.

The success of the ACT rowing is largely the result of the rowing community's pursuit of its 1995/2000 Five-Year Development Plan to the point where the objectives have been met. A new Plan was developed at a Plan Development day held on 13 June 1998 and the successful outcome was due largely to David Butt in the determining the outcomes of the previous plan and the development of the new plan.

AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL ROWING CHAMPIONSHIPS

The National Championships were conducted at Lake Nagambie, Victoria from 10-15 March 1998. 90 ACT rowers and coxswains attended as well as a large following of parents and friends. This was the largest ACT representation at any National Championships. 43 ACT crews/singles raced in finals and again this is the most boats we have ever had racing finals at a nationals. The ACT crews won 5 Gold, 6 Silver and 7 Bronze. Other notable performances included three ACT schoolboys taking up half the finals berths in the Schoolboys Single Scull and finishing 3rd, 4th and 5th, and a very close second in the Schoolgirls Single Sculls. All three boys started rowing no more than a year ago.

A large part of this success can be attributed to the ACTAS and the dedication and hard work of Nick Hunter, the Academy's rowing head coach, who deserves congratulations for all his efforts. Well done Nick!

The coaches of all crews deserve congratulations for all the time and effort that they put in preparing their crews for the Nationals. I am sure that they will be putting in the same effort for next years Nationals to be held in Adelaide.

INTERSTATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

Although not repeating last year's success in the Interstate Championships where the ACT won the King's Cup, this year the ACT won three Bronze medals.

1998 AUSTRALIAN REPRESENTATIVE TEAM

This year the ACT had 9 rowers and 3 coaches selected as members of the Senior National Rowing Team to contest the World Championships at Cologne, Germany. Graham Tanner was selected as the team manager of the Senior B team. Two Junior rowers and their coach were selected as members of the Junior National Rowing Team to compete at the World Junior Rowing Championships.

OTHER

ACTRA successfully hosted the Masters Regatta as part of the 6th Australian Masters Games and again left a very favourable impression with all the international and interstate visitors with our ability to conduct a regatta with little time between races and all events held on time.

ACTRA hosted the 1997 Australian Masters Games Rowing Regatta on Lake Burley Griffin. This event was a great success attended by many overseas and interstate competitors. The event provided the motivation for many local ex-rowers to recommence the sport and resulted in many medals for them.

Ron Dempsey
(Councillor for Australian Capital Territory)

Western Australia

Thanks to the successes of our elite oarsmen and women rowing has never had a higher public profile in Australia. There is no shortage of people of all ages interested in learning to row competitively or for recreation. The growth of the sport is constrained by the shortage of equipment, coaches, boat houses (boat shortage) and volunteers. As the agency with primary responsibility for the conduct and development of the sport in their particular part of the country, State associations need to implement strategies which will ensure that clubs (and schools) are assisted to respond to this demand. The future health and prosperity of the sport in Australia depends upon it.

Apart from the conduct of a comprehensive set of rowing fixtures each season, including regattas for schoolboys and schoolgirls in conjunction with the relevant schools sports associations, most of the efforts of the Amateur Rowing Association of Western Australia are directed to initiatives which are designed to foster the activities of the clubs and assist with their operation. This includes the annual Best Club Award sponsored by Jeff Sykes and Associates based on the number of new members, club growth, regatta participation and the standard of conduct of regattas.

Substantial progress does not happen overnight. It takes years to achieve some of the objectives identified in development plans. The report of the past year builds upon the achievements of previous years which, in turn, shape the future. This is a brief record of some of the strategic initiatives pursued by the ARAWA.

EQUIPMENT

Steps undertaken by ARAWA to help clubs with equipment provision include the following:

- fostered a local boat building capacity for small boats particularly sculls.
- bought big boats (eights, particularly, and fours, to a lesser extent) jointly with clubs for use by State crews in the summer in the interstate events at the Australian Rowing Championships and by the clubs during the winter pennant season. Clubs would otherwise struggle to purchase such boats.
- assisted clubs and individuals to buy boats and oars and coaching equipment by extending loans on a maximum term of three years (so that the funds recycle and are available to be lent again). Loans totalling \$397,000 have been made since 1993.
- on-sold to clubs sculling boats from the Association's sculling academy within two years of their purchase as the boats are progressively replaced. More than fifty sculling boats have been released to clubs in this way since 1990 at greatly discounted prices. This also helps to ensure that academy equipment is up to date.
- facilitated the purchase by clubs of boats ex the WAIS rowing program as they are turned over.
- conducted seminars and workshops on boat maintenance and minor repair for club members.

COACHES

The shortage of coaches remains a critical issue, perhaps less so for schools than for clubs. There is no simple solution to this problem. The Rowing Australia Level I and II courses, particularly in their revamped form and content, are a great help, coupled with updating seminars to maintain the currency of those qualifications. More could be achieved with electronic and multimedia presentations and published

materials including kits used in conjunction with short courses. Part of the solution may lie with the introduction of professional coaches into clubs.

BOAT HOUSES

The lack of boat storage continues to be a drawback to growing the sport. Sites for boat houses need to be adjacent to a body of water suitable for rowing such as a river or a lake with unrestricted access for boat launching. This is usually prime land and the standard of facility needs to reflect this when what is really required is a factory-like building with expansive storage capacity.

Major progress has been made in Western Australia with the renovation, reconstruction and erection of boat houses. The new Swan River Rowing Club/Penrhos College premises on the Canning River were opened in 1992 (cost \$500,000). The new ANA Rowing Club/Perth College premises at Bayswater were opened in 1992 (cost about \$165,000 as an existing ablution block was available for use). The WA Rowing Club has almost completely rebuilt its heritage (Swan River) premises (worth well over \$500,000 in cash, donations of materials and contributed labour). The original ARAWA premises built in 1962 for the Commonwealth Games have undergone major extension and renovation costing more than \$265,000.

In prospect are the Bunbury Rowing Club premises on the Bunbury estuary which are about to undergo demolition and replacement for around \$600,000. The University of Western Australia Boat Club is being upgraded and refurbished and there is a prospect of some additions which will greatly ease the pressure for space. Preliminary consideration is being given by Curtin University of Technology to improvements to the building occupied by its rowing club which was opened in 1973, some twenty five years ago, and is now too small. Active exploration of a site for John XXIII College (in conjunction with Murdoch



Berry H Durston
Councillor for
Western Australia

University) is underway. This would release space at ARAWA's premises for further development.

More storage generally will encourage greater private ownership of boats which will ease some of the pressures on club provided equipment.

VOLUNTEERS

There never seems to be enough people to share the burden of managing a rowing club from office holders, to coaches, to boat repairers, to trailer drivers, to events organisers, to cleaners and handypersons. One of the major reasons behind the establishment by the ARAWA of the full-time position of Director (Club Support) is to provide the dedicated resource of a person to work with the clubs to help them analyse their circumstances and aspirations systematically and to approach their development strategically. This recognises the critical role that volunteers play in the operation of rowing clubs in Western Australia none of which are licensed premises or have paid staff.

CANNING RIVER COURSE

While endeavours continue to be made for the identification or construction of a land-locked rowing course, which remains an elusive goal, the attractions and advantages of the present rowing course on the Canning River should not be underestimated. Perth is the only capital city to have a picturesque 2,000 metre course so close to the city centre. With a grant of \$20,000 from the State Government, a feasibility study commissioned by ARAWA is almost complete. It investigates the possibility of realigning the present course so that it has a protected land-backed start and finishes closer to the ARAWA clubhouse thus improving races from the spectators' perspective. Control of tidal flow and the renourishment of the river bank near the clubhouses are essential components of the study. The intention is to ensure that the Canning course is suitable for the conduct of major regattas including the South East Asian Rowing Championships, and other international and national events.

The past year has been one of substantial progress for rowing in Western Australia capped by some outstanding performances by Angela Heitman (4-), Joe Walsh (8) and Stuart Reside (4X) all of whom won gold medals at the Nations Cup this year, by Jaye Reynolds, Amber Bradley and John Keogh who also distinguished themselves along with coaches Nick Garratt and Rob Dallimore. We look forward to the Sydney Olympics with eager anticipation.

Berry H Durston
(Councillor for Western Australia)

South Australia

The highlight of the season was obviously the World FISA Masters Regatta at West Lakes from 7 to 9 November 1997 hosted by the South Australian Rowing Association on behalf of Rowing Australia. This was a huge event with over 2,000 competitors, the biggest regatta staged in the Southern Hemisphere. The general feeling at the conclusion of the regatta was that it was a most enjoyable event, well managed and organised.

This event is still being talked about overseas and those who didn't attend feel that they really missed something. The final report by the Chairman of the FISA Masters Commission, Peter Morrison, rated the event highly in nearly all aspects.

The Organising Committee chaired by Don Sarah did an excellent job and received excellent support from the South Australian Major Events Corporation. The support received from other sponsors was most encouraging. The event won a tourism award for the "Best Organised Sporting Event" at the annual awards sponsored by the South Australian Government.

It must be remembered that such a large event as this would not have been as successful as it was without the support of so many volunteers that gave their time freely and worked very hard towards the success of the event. This support

not only came from the South Australian community, but from many people throughout the rowing community of Australia.

This event should prove to be the catalyst for the future success of Masters rowing in Australia.

The FISA Pleasure Tour, held after the regatta was a great success with 60 participants (50 of whom were from overseas). The success of this event was in no small measure due to the support of the Berri/Renmark local community. We believe that the success of this event will lead to future events of its type that will attract many overseas visitors to our country.

The South Australian rowing season was launched at the end of October by the City of Adelaide Sprint Regatta, which was a great highlight for the season. This was the inaugural event and will be conducted again this year which should be bigger and better. The major sponsor for the event was The City of Adelaide as well as a number of other sponsors with a number of new perpetual trophies for some of the events of the regatta. The regatta was attended by the Premier of South Australia as well as the Lord Mayor of Adelaide. During the regatta there was a row past of crews from all clubs led by Kate Slatter, Gold Medallist at the Atlanta Olympic Games.

The River Torrens was dredged during the year, which has significantly enhanced the rowing course making it an ideal promotional location for the sport within the City of Adelaide.

The rowing season overall was quite successful. Eighteen regattas were conducted throughout the season at venues throughout the State as well as at West Lakes. Entries were on a par with the previous season, with school entries being particularly strong. Unfortunately, the depth of heavyweight men rowing is not strong and is something that needs to be addressed in the near future.

The Men's and Schoolboy Championships were won by Prince Alfred College: Torrens Rowing Club won the Womens Premiership: Walford School the Schoolgirl Premiership and Mannum Rowing Club the Country Premiership. Adelaide University Boat Club won the Masters Premiership.

SARA has continued to have a good working relationship with the South Australian Institute of Sport. The program under the guidance of the Head Coach, Adrian David continues to be successful. During the last season Barnaby Eaton left SASI to take up a full time rowing position with one of the local colleges. Barnaby had run a very successful Talent Identification Program and had success at the World Junior level and was obviously, a big loss to the program. However, we were very fortunate that Neil Myers accepted this vacant position, a role he was not unfamiliar with and has continued the success of the program. We were fortunate that someone with his expertise was able to come to SASI.

South Australian rowers selected for international competition this year included:-

World Junior Championships:

Megan Tuckey, Vanessa Kelly, Kaye Anstey, Belinda Rowe, Mark Sparnon, Mark Kurko, Neil Myers.

Nations Cup:

Kisahh Lamshed, Adrian David.

World Championships:

Josephine Lips, Sally Newmarch, Kate Slatter, Amy Safe, Anna Ozolins, Michael Eastaughffe.

SARA has continued with its objectives to promote and develop the sport within the State. The very important portfolio of development has been very capably handled by its Development Officer, Jason Lane. Jason has worked very hard on a number of initiatives and has put programs in place that have not only assisted now, but will continue to assist the Association in the future.

In the last season 28 coaches completed their Level 1 Coaching Course, which makes a total of 113 in the last two years. In August 1998, the first Level 2 Coaches Course will be conducted in the State in August 1998.

Other initiatives include programs to try and foster rowers from schools to clubs, learn to row programs initiated for non-rowing schools, the establishment of a State Indoor Rowing Championship and a promotion in the main commercial area of Adelaide, Rundle Mall, prior to The City of Adelaide Regatta.

Further improvements are to be made to the SARA Clubrooms at West Lakes which will include a new permanent judges stand, improvements to office facilities, improved access facilities as well as the establishment of a sealed roadway into the property and carparking.

The Association is looking forward to hosting the 1999 Australian Rowing Championships in March and is confident that the reputation held by this Association in conducting this event and other major events will not be diminished.

Michael Eastaughffe
(Councillor for South Australia)

Queensland

Rowing Queensland, whilst experiencing a successful and busy season, has begun a widespread restructuring and repositioning program of our sport, throughout Queensland.

Early in June this year, the Board appointed a well credentialed and respected Sports Management professional Mr Ron Carroll, as Chief Executive Officer. Ron's primary task is to secure an expanded 'family of sponsors' in season 1999. This activity is to complement Rowing Queensland's existing major sponsorship support, including MPM Pty Ltd, marketers of the 'Castaway' brand to the disposable packaging industry, Chrysler Jeep, Konica and Rixon Sportswear. Funds generated through our

Sponsorship and Marketing programs will be largely dedicated to propagation of the sport: from 'grass roots' development, through schools and clubs, representative levels of participation and our elite programs, in conjunction with the Queensland Academy of Sport.

We have sanctioned or conducted over 50 regattas this season, with a keenly contested and well supported inter club Point Score Regatta program, with \$5000 cash Bonuses on offer for each Senior Club and Minor Grades Premier. Congratulations to the Toowong Rowing Club and GPS Rowing Club on their respective premierships. The Townsville Rowing Club opened its new Rowing Shed early in June this year, announcing at the same time, their new major sponsor, The Delfin Property Group. I travelled to the official opening in conjunction with our State Coaching Co-ordinator Wayne Diplock.

The GPS Schoolboy's 'Head of the River' Regatta this season was very successful, with the Anglican Church Grammar School winning the Open Eights title. Brisbane Grammar School was the overall GPS champion school ahead of the Anglican Church Grammar School. A number of athletes were selected for Queensland representation and participated in the recent U23 Australasian Regatta at Lake Wivenhoe. The Brisbane Schoolgirl's Rowing Association held their 9th Annual 'Head of the River' Regatta at the end of August at Lake Wivenhoe. A highly entertaining and colourful Regatta attracted over 7000 patrons to watch Stuartholme win their inaugural 'Head of the River' Open Eights Title. Somerville House was the overall Championship School, closely shading St Margaret's AGS for the Aggregate Cup.

During the year we were pleased to see Damon Stokes, Chairman of the BSRA, appointed to the QAS as the new Talent Identification Program Development Officer. Damon is now working closely with our State Coaching Co ordinator

Wayne Diplock and QAS Head Coach Oleg Shishkin, in creating a State-wide, worthwhile Development Program.

At the High Performance level, Queensland's contribution to the successful National Team, with David Matthews, David Moran, David Cook, Hardy Cubash, Tom Patterson and coach John Bowes (MJ4-), Scott Fraser, Jeremy Lawrence (SB ML4-), Sean Coulton (SB M4x), Jamie Kohleis (SB W4x), Michael Toon (SB M8+), Hamish Karrasch and Bob Bleakley (SA ML1x), Duncan Free, Marcus Free and Reg Free (SA M2x) and Gary Lynagh (SA ML2x) all achieving excellent results in FISA overseas major Regattas. Marina Hatzakis (SA W4x) and Bo Hanson (SA M4-) whilst residing interstate, also contributed to the Queensland contingent who were successful at this year's World Championships.

We are also looking forward to participating in the biannual Gold Coast based Australian Pacific Masters Games in early November and, the inaugural Australian Skins Regatta at Hope Island, on the Gold Coast.

Rowing Australia have committed to the annual Skins event for the next (5) years in Queensland and we believe the Regatta, (held in conjunction with the Hope Island Festival, a community based celebration of local arts, culture, sports and recreational pursuits) will secure a Showcase Event, in which Rowing Queensland is actively supporting.

Rowing Queensland will soon relocate its office to a near CBD Brisbane location. This move is an integral part of the overall plan in repositioning and developing Rowing Queensland's image. Our objective is to create an energetic, enthusiastic and professionally managed entity, serving the needs of the Rowing fraternity from the Tropical North to the Tweed. Also, our plans in 1999 include infrastructure development of our major Rowing Regatta

course at Lake Wivenhoe, located in the Esk Shire, north west of Brisbane.

We are also expanding our membership base and creating new opportunities from 'Learn to Row' programs, Junior Development, new Corporate and University 'Head of the River' Regattas and the introduction of a comprehensive Volunteer Training and Development program.

In summary, a busy and successful year for Rowing Queensland. We look forward to the challenges throughout 1999 and into the new millennium.

Dr. Chris Grummitt
(Councillor for Queensland)

Tasmania

The 1997/98 season proved to be very successful for the Tasmanian Rowing Council.

All regattas held through the season were well attended and some close racing was seen at the State Championships. The increase in the number of new members is the result of the hard work put in by Andrew Pierce the State Development Officer.

Our ITC Head Coach Sam Le Compte enjoyed success with his selection as an Australian Coach for the World Championships. The efforts of both Sam and Andrew and their close working relationship has been shown in the success of some of the rowers under their programs. Both work out of the Tasmanian Institute of Sport with whom the TRC enjoy a close relationship.

We are proud of our rowers who are in representative crews with Dearne Grant, Darren Balmforth and Simon Burgess all gaining selection.

Tasmania really had two teams at the Australian Rowing Championships and Kings Cup regatta at Nagambie. Our rowers were very successful and brought home many medals. The "other"

team was the A Team, our group of Tasmanian Umpires who travel to these events purely to drive the umpire boats and although they won no medals they performed admirably. Once again our traffic light system was used and proved to be a great success.

During the year our Administration Manager, Jack Ellings was announced as the Tasmanian Administrator of the year in the 1997 Sports Star Awards. This was for his involvement in the 1997 Australian Championships.

Throughout the year we have commenced a refurbishing of our Umpire Boats and completed and opened the new ways at Franklin. The Franklin Course is under going a lot of change and it is hoped that in the near future we shall be placing some bouys on the course.

Our State Pennant was won by the North Esk Club who were able to stop Sandy Bay's dominance. Our top rowers for the year were Sam Beltz who won the Peter Keys Trophy, Samantha Keogh and Susan Oakey who won the Nell Rosevear Trophy and Darren Balmforth and Simon Burgess who won the Simon Dean Trophy.

David Williams
(Councillor Tasmania Rowing Council)

appendices

Results

AUSTRALIAN ROWING CHAMPIONSHIPS - FRIDAY 13TH MARCH, 1998

CHAMPION MEN'S JUNIOR SINGLE SCULL

1	NEPEAN - laurich	1:53.89	3:56.03	5:57.90	7:56.41
2	TORRENS - sparnon	1:58.20	4:02.68	6:03.95	7:59.25
3	NEPEAN - long	1:57.72	3:59.28	6:03.15	8:03.31
4	ECU PERTH - keogh	1:55.20	3:57.84	6:04.91	8:08.32
5	SWAN RVR - pougnault	1:57.07	4:02.34	6:08.70	8:11.46
6	CANBERRA - punch	2:05.61	4:11.01	6:35.43	8:50.28

CHAMPION WOMEN'S JUNIOR SINGLE SCULL

1	NEPEAN - matthews	2:03.93	4:15.02	6:25.20	8:33.45
2	NEPEAN - long	2:06.19	4:17.02	6:29.43	8:41.04
3	UQBC - mercer	2:08.70	4:24.10	6:38.75	8:49.83
4	ECU PERTH - bradley	2:08.35	4:23.04	6:36.57	8:50.47
5	MANNING RV - winkley	2:06.50	4:20.79	6:43.00	8:58.81
6	GPSOB & BRC - blake-st	2:05.97	4:22.23	6:41.09	9:01.41

MEN'S SENIOR B COXLESS PAIR

1	MUBC - gray	1:46.83	3:38.57	5:31.57	7:14.21
2	MUBC - raisbeck	1:46.42	3:36.26	5:28.85	7:15.85
3	MUBC - sullivan	1:45.92	3:37.46	5:31.99	7:15.86
4	UTS - woodward	1:47.38	3:40.47	5:32.91	7:21.27
5	SYDNEY - baxter	1:46.11	3:41.63	5:34.85	7:27.27
6	SYDNEY - toepfer	1:50.08	3:45.20	5:41.52	7:37.21

MEN'S SENIOR A COXLESS PAIR

1	UTS - stewart	1:43.05	3:27.73	5:15.16	6:57.30
2	UTS - hanson	1:44.81	3:30.25	5:17.34	7:00.30
3	MUBC / MERC - tomkins	1:44.00	3:33.47	5:21.35	7:06.28
4	AIS / SYD - mcrae	1:46.18	3:32.78	5:20.50	7:10.46
5	AIS / DARA - fernandez	1:44.89	3:35.08	5:24.14	7:14.78
6	SYDNEY - wearne	1:44.50	3:35.57	5:26.50	7:19.36

WOMEN'S SENIOR B COXLESS PAIR

1	WENDOUREE - pearce	1:57.30	4:02.75	6:06.85	8:10.21
2	MOSMAN / NEP - russell	1:56.79	4:03.24	6:08.79	8:14.46
3	TORRENS - windle	1:59.00	4:07.48	6:13.36	8:17.42
4	SYDNEY - colley	1:58.40	4:10.66	6:22.12	8:30.13
5	YARRA - o'loughlin	1:59.79	4:08.84	6:20.86	8:32.92
6	COM / UQBC - macleod	2:01.31	4:13.94	6:28.28	8:40.97

WOMEN'S SENIOR A COXLESS PAIR

1	CANBERRA - welland	1:50.50	3:51.31	5:52.57	7:55.71
2	AIS COMP - winter	1:55.22	3:55.86	5:56.79	7:58.81
3	AUBC - slatter	1:58.21	4:00.80	6:01.15	8:01.57
4	AUBC - davies	1:57.12	3:59.80	6:03.38	8:03.16
5	AIS COMP - taylor	1:56.13	3:57.40	5:59.84	8:05.40
6	MUWBC - fraser	1:59.05	4:02.52	6:05.26	8:09.22

MEN'S SENIOR B LIGHTWEIGHT SINGLE SCULL

1	MUBC - stone	1:50.24	3:49.50	5:49.43	7:51.07
2	MUBC - sypkens	1:51.95	3:55.68	5:57.82	7:53.01
3	SUBC - abernathy	1:54.05	3:55.22	5:55.75	7:55.57
4	NEPEAN - fokes	1:54.82	3:53.99	5:56.45	8:00.30
5	MUBC - cantwell	1:55.86	3:57.19	5:59.76	8:02.20
6	SYDNEY - marshall mcc	1:53.40	3:54.41	5:58.67	8:04.93

MEN'S SENIOR A LIGHTWEIGHT SINGLE SCULL

1	TOOWONG - karrasch	1:48.08	3:40.73	5:37.09	7:33.60
2	ULVERSTONE - broad	1:51.82	3:48.16	5:42.53	7:39.21
3	NEPEAN - parker	1:52.58	3:49.01	5:44.03	7:44.13
4	CANBERRA - hick	1:53.96	3:49.75	5:46.39	7:46.92
5	AIS / COMM - lynagh	1:54.51	3:52.02	5:49.10	7:50.86
6	MUBC - gatto	1:53.35	3:51.03	5:51.78	7:59.38

WOMEN'S SENIOR A LIGHTWEIGHT SINGLE SCULL

1	TORRENS - lips	1:59.73	4:07.52	6:15.49	8:22.56
2	AIS / TOR - lamshed	2:01.83	4:11.35	6:20.13	8:26.89
3	UTS - joyce	1:56.52	4:05.34	6:14.16	8:27.06
4	AIS / TAMAR - grant	2:03.17	4:15.42	6:22.66	8:29.46
5	FRANKFT - morawietz	2:05.18	4:17.50	6:28.14	8:41.22
6	UTS - morgan	2:06.10	4:18.13	6:29.68	8:45.34

MEN'S SENIOR B COXED FOUR

1	WAIS-SRVEC - eveleigh	1:36.63	3:17.62	4:59.55	6:38.63
2	SYDNEY - willoughby	1:38.08	3:20.35	5:03.60	6:44.96
3	SYDNEY - daish	1:35.15	3:16.58	5:04.39	6:47.58
4	UTS - giblin	1:38.90	3:22.81	5:09.00	6:48.06
5	MERCANTILE - johnson	1:39.91	3:23.98	5:14.04	7:00.99
6	CANB / ANU - dunlop	1:40.84	3:25.79	5:16.24	7:02.92

MEN'S SENIOR A COXED FOUR

1	MERC / MUBC - tomkins	1:35.06	3:12.99	4:54.10	6:33.70
2	UTS - mornati	1:36.63	3:16.35	4:58.92	6:39.08
3	POWR/MERC - blackbn	1:38.67	3:24.93	5:15.69	7:00.87
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5	-				
6	-				

CHAMPION MEN'S JUNIOR COXLESS PAIR

1	UQBC / TOOW - milano	1:43.89	3:35.39	5:27.00	7:19.10
2	TOR / ARC - sparnon	1:47.64	3:42.28	5:32.59	7:22.19
3	UQBC - taylor	1:51.06	3:44.56	5:36.77	7:26.05
4	UQBC - moran	1:46.23	3:39.55	5:34.31	7:26.40
5	SWAN RV - denniston	1:45.13	3:38.84	5:33.99	7:31.55
6	NARRABUNDAH - white	1:50.30	3:49.33	5:50.22	7:53.77

WOMEN'S JUNIOR COXLESS PAIR

1	NEPEAN - doyle	1:56.29	4:04.36	6:09.29	8:08.97
2	TORRENS - anstey	1:54.92	3:59.64	6:08.81	8:14.21
3	MUWBC - coote	1:52.81	3:58.58	6:11.34	8:22.25
4	MERSEY - wooton	2:01.37	4:11.60	6:19.40	8:24.15
5	ST GEORGE - legge	1:58.13	4:08.68	6:20.24	8:26.98
6	WAIS - SWAN - lutz	1:59.70	4:12.26	6:24.84	8:34.27

MEN'S SENIOR B LIGHTWEIGHT COXLESS PAIR

1	AIS-COM / BA - berney	1:41.17	3:27.17	5:17.87	7:07.22
2	SUBC - headley	1:44.71	3:33.75	5:26.23	7:16.10
3	DRC - huxley	1:45.75	3:36.26	5:29.00	7:17.24
4	TORRENS - lippis	1:47.01	3:39.57	5:38.23	7:37.87
5	TOOWONG - fraser	1:50.34	3:49.06	5:50.26	7:51.82
6	TOOWONG - dwyer	1:48.61	3:43.99	DNF	

MEN'S SENIOR A LIGHTWEIGHT COXLESS PAIR

1	GEEVESTON - burgess	1:39.98	3:23.67	5:07.40	6:53.65
2	W/BAL-BCTY - richards	1:42.31	3:23.83	5:10.13	6:56.82
3	ULVERSTONE - butler	1:41.85	3:27.93	5:12.42	7:00.18
4	W/BAL-TORR - stunnell	1:40.84	3:26.61	5:14.24	7:01.55
5	AIS-BANKS - isherwood	1:44.16	3:30.31	5:17.22	7:03.09
6	MUBC / NAGAM - lane	1:43.16	3:28.95	5:15.85	7:07.50

WOMEN'S SENIOR B LIGHTWEIGHT COXLESS PAIR

1	ESSENDON - zovi	1:54.67	3:59.27	6:09.07	8:15.90
2	MOSMAN - potter	2:02.54	4:12.56	6:20.05	8:20.61
3	TOOWONG - morton	2:00.50	4:10.09	6:19.52	8:24.40
4	COMMERCIAL - stumer	1:59.93	4:10.97	6:22.26	8:31.48
5	MOSMAN - armati	2:03.94	4:18.09	6:36.61	8:48.84
6	UQBC - clarkson	2:07.39	4:24.40	6:24.94	8:58.06

WOMEN'S SENIOR A LIGHTWEIGHT COXLESS PAIR

1	TAMAR - oakley	2:25.30	4:46.11	7:10.96	9:28.69
2	no times available				
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5					
6					

MEN'S SENIOR B SINGLE SCULL

1	NEPEAN - hardcastle	1:47.27	3:40.64	5:35.15	7:26.25
2	UTS - o'callaghan	1:48.64	3:42.11	5:37.35	7:28.09
3	AIS-COM - coulton	1:49.55	3:43.29	5:38.83	7:30.09
4	MUBC - dusting	1:50.51	3:45.00	5:42.67	7:38.09
5	WAIS - ECU - perkins	1:45.91	3:41.75	5:40.32	7:42.70
6	MERCANTILE - douglas	1:51.74	3:47.09	5:58.75	7:43.76

MEN'S SENIOR A SINGLE SCULL

1	TWEED HEADS - free	1:42.60	3:31.63	5:26.30	7:23.97
2	AIS / SYDNEY - inglis	1:49.82	3:42.61	5:35.96	7:27.26
3	WAIS-ECU - reside	1:47.13	3:40.12	5:35.20	7:28.46
4	UTS - day	1:47.39	3:41.91	5:37.99	7:30.27
5	MERCANTILE - ginn	1:49.02	3:40.43	5:37.80	7:34.68
6	LOWER CLA - cameron	1:49.41	3:42.36	5:39.54	7:42.80

WOMEN'S SENIOR B SINGLE SCULL

1	SWAN RIVER - reynolds	2:04.75	4:15.12	6:23.74	8:25.78
2	ECU PERTH - bradley	2:05.95	4:13.11	6:21.57	8:27.61
3	UTS - johanson	1:59.52	4:09.77	6:22.53	8:28.57
4	CANBERRA - grafings	2:04.39	4:16.74	6:26.40	8:31.61
5	TORRENS - talbot	1:58.93	4:11.41	6:25.84	8:31.63
6	CANBERRA - creswell	2:06.23	4:24.07	6:42.79	8:58.47

WOMEN'S SENIOR A SINGLE SCULL

1	MERCANTILE				
2	AIS / MELBOURNE				
3	UTS				
4					
5					
6					

MEN'S JUNIOR QUAD SCULL

1	NEPEAN - long	1:35.26	3:15.19	4:56.11	6:35.94
2	LINDISFARNE - beltz	1:34.39	3:15.99	5:02.85	6:47.98
3	ST GEORGE - stewart	1:41.28	3:28.69	5:19.91	7:07.01
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5					
6					

WOMEN'S JUNIOR QUAD SCULL

1	NEPEAN - matthews	1:45.39	3:38.66	5:32.52	7:25.51
2	GPS/NEPEAN - blake-st	1:47.47	3:40.49	5:37.61	7:32.00
3	CBR/NARRA - gill-jones	1:48.27	3:41.98	5:38.22	7:32.46
4	TOOWONG - fletcher	1:51.16	3:46.47	5:44.27	7:39.73
5	BARW/COMP - klopper	1:52.71	3:50.38	5:48.72	7:45.43
6	CANBERRA - crowe	1:50.58	3:49.94	5:50.73	7:48.46

MEN'S JUNIOR B COXED FOUR

1	BALL'T HIGH - murray	2:00.17	4:04.77	6:07.37	8:06.22
2					
3					
4					
5					
6					

WOMEN'S JUNIOR B COXED FOUR

1	MLC - adams	1:58.65	4:08.92	6:18.74	8:26.89
2	SWAN RIVER - brokken	2:03.61	4:13.99	6:23.06	8:33.53
3	NTH ESK - bird	2:04.00	4:13.50	6:27.09	8:41.37
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5					
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MEN'S JUNIOR COXED FOUR

1	MUBC - mcpherson	1:34.25	3:15.58	5:03.13	6:50.08
2	UQBC - cubash	1:40.36	3:25.04	5:13.16	7:01.53
3	ST PATS - powell	1:42.93	3:29.56	5:17.52	7:07.51
4	SWAN RIVER - webber	1:40.87	3:28.17	5:21.56	7:17.19
5	REDLANDS - fairweather	1:43.27	3:36.43	5:32.39	7:26.15
6	NARRABUNDAH - white	1:43.88	3:35.41	5:32.75	7:28.17

WOMEN'S SENIOR A COXED EIGHT

1	AIS - thompson	1:35.12	3:14.84	4:59.48	6:39.79
2	UTS - roye	1:41.29	3:23.84	5:11.21	6:54.42
3	P'HOUSE COM - larsen	1:39.71	3:25.02	5:16.07	7:00.21
4	MUWBC COMP - coote	1:41.93	3:28.90	5:17.80	7:03.85
5	CANB/ANU - creswell	1:46.57	3:34.06	5:26.86	7:17.68
6	COM'L/UQBC - stumer	1:45.12	3:35.07	5:31.87	7:24.57

MEN'S SENIOR A COXED EIGHT

1	AIS COMP - fernandez	1:44.10	3:23.81	5:02.35	6:38.25
2	SYDNEY - wearne				
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MEN'S SENIOR A LIGHTWEIGHT QUAD SCULL

1	MUBC - stone	1:32.18	3:11.36	4:48.88	6:24.02
2	UQBC COMP - loftus	1:33.36	3:12.29	4:49.28	6:30.02
3	NEPEAN COMP - parker	1:34.69	3:16.62	4:55.73	6:36.80
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WOMEN'S SENIOR A LIGHTWEIGHT QUAD SCULL

1	ST GEO / UTS - morgan	1:41.05	3:26.75	5:14.19	7:02.92
2	MUWBC - burston	1:43.16	3:30.53	5:18.37	7:07.44
3	BANKS	1:44.88	3:33.35	5:21.82	7:17.54
4	CANBERRA - lohse	1:47.34	3:40.58	5:36.24	7:31.44
5	MOSM/SUBC - van de w	1:49.52	3:44.69	5:40.74	7:38.88
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DISABLED MEN'S 3RD GRADE SINGLE SCULL

1	NEPEAN - felten			2:37.23	5:15.61
2	NEPEAN - halpin			2:50.55	5:43.23
3	REECONIAN - alder			3:39.07	7:25.38
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DISABLED WOMEN'S 2ND GRADE SINGLE SCULL

1	ECU PERTH - edwards			3:28.24	6:55.98
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DISABLED MEN'S 2ND GRADE SINGLE SCULL

1	SWAN RIVER - briggs			2:31.97	5:21.31
2	ECU PERTH - walter			2:49.50	5:44.90
3	NTH SHORE - stephen			3:48.50	7:22.07
4	ECU PERTH - phillips			3:42.28	7:32.78
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Results

AUSTRALIAN ROWING CHAMPIONSHIPS - SATURDAY 14TH MARCH 1998

MEN'S JUNIOR COXLESS FOUR

1	MUBC - mcpherson	1:35.00	3:16.32	4:59.97	6:42.49
2	UQBC / TOO - milanovic	1:38.31	3:21.70	5:05.60	6:51.44
3	SWAN / ECU - denniston	1:37.64	3:23.01	5:09.81	6:53.53
4	SWAN RIVER - webber	4:16.07	3:36.73	5:30.26	7:17.21
5	NARRABUNDAH - white	1:42.91	3:34.83	5:28.26	7:20.92
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WOMEN'S JUNIOR COXLESS FOUR

1	WAIS / SWAN - robbins	1:46.54	3:44.01	5:47.29	7:47.86
2	TORRENS - tuckey	1:47.11	3:49.46	5:52.30	7:51.48
3	NORTH ESK - bock	1:52.48	3:55.47	6:00.61	7:59.17
4	BARWON - pyers	1:52.82	4:00.85	6:06.11	8:04.90
5	COMMERCIAL - grealy	1:53.66	3:59.71	6:06.64	8:06.22
6	ST GEORGE - souter	1:55.61	4:05.82	6:14.66	8:17.60

MEN'S JUNIOR B DOUBLE SCULL

1	LINDISFARNE - edwards	1:47.08	3:45.29	5:42.78	7:40.40
2	R'HAMPTON - galley	1:47.91	3:47.38	5:48.35	7:48.23
3	LINDISFARNE - waley	1:53.45	4:02.27	6:04.09	8:01.91
4	SWAN RIVER - barnes	1:55.68	4:01.20	6:05.85	8:06.85
5	LIND/ST.G - donoghoe	1:59.38	4:08.20	6:10.53	8:10.87
6	DARAMALAN - aouad	2:02.82	4:17.29	6:29.62	8:25.01

WOMEN'S JUNIOR B DOUBLE SCULL

1	TOOWONG - godfrey	2:02.28	4:13.69	6:20.43	8:30.78
2	SWAN / FREQ - schmitz	2:07.67	4:20.48	6:25.84	8:34.09
3	SOMERVILLE - pitt	2:08.83	4:20.78	6:28.80	8:34.59
4	ST GEORGE - cooley	2:06.81	4:21.71	6:33.54	8:49.19
5	CANBERRA - prebbie	2:10.58	4:27.72	6:40.53	8:53.52
6	REDLANDS - olding	2:14.25	4:29.42	6:42.54	8:55.87

CHAMPION MEN'S JUNIOR DOUBLE SCULL

1	NEPEAN - long	1:45.89	3:34.90	5:26.73	7:12.91
2	ECU PERTH - berridge	1:50.11	3:44.55	5:39.93	7:29.62
3	LINDISFARNE - krambo	1:43.02	3:35.52	5:38.58	7:32.46
4	SCOTCH - OAK - wilson	1:50.57	3:44.81	5:42.99	7:32.71
5	DRC/ST.G - wolfe	1:53.14	3:51.44	5:51.18	7:43.61
6	SANDY BAY - kaihatsogi	1:51.83	3:50.45	5:49.39	7:47.86

CHAMPION WOMEN'S JUNIOR DOUBLE SCULL

1	NEPEAN - matthews	1:56.78	3:54.04	5:58.24	7:59.99
2	PLC/MANING - winkley	2:00.59	4:01.52	6:05.98	8:09.77
3	SANDY BY - drummond	1:58.49	3:59.44	6:06.57	8:12.38
4	N'BUNDAH - martin	1:59.25	4:01.91	6:10.16	8:15.41
5	NEPEAN - lindsay	2:02.90	4:05.77	6:14.24	8:20.35
6	GPSOB & BRC - blake-st	2:02.24	4:06.09	6:13.83	8:23.35

CHAMPION MEN'S SENIOR B COXLESS FOUR

1	SYD / UTS - woodward	1:33.96	3:09.74	4:49.35	6:24.54
2	MUBC - gray	1:33.54	3:11.53	4:53.07	6:27.80
3	WAIS COMP - eveleigh	1:38.06	3:15.84	4:58.35	6:35.11
4	MUBC - raisbeck	1:36.67	3:14.99	4:57.87	6:38.39
5	TOOW/UBC - brown	1:37.72	3:17.45	5:01.39	6:40.35
6	TORRENS - lapworth	1:38.41	3:18.32	5:01.86	6:45.27

CHAMPION MEN'S SENIOR A COXLESS FOUR

1	UTS / NSWIS - stewart	1:31.86	3:07.00	4:44.69	6:18.41
2	AISS/DAR/SYD - fernandez	1:34.57	3:10.87	4:48.21	6:26.80
3	SYDNEY - long	1:34.74	3:11.71	4:51.91	6:31.66
4	UTS 2 - mornati	1:36.10	3:13.81	4:55.91	6:38.59
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CHAMPION WOMEN'S SENIOR B COXLESS FOUR

1	SYDNEY COM - ianson	1:50.90	3:43.23	5:38.38	7:26.62
2	WEND/YARRA - o'lough	1:49.55	3:41.82	5:37.70	7:27.55
3	MUWBC - coote	1:50.54	3:45.07	5:48.18	7:44.50
4	COM/COMP - lawson	1:55.80	3:54.97	5:56.37	7:55.21
5	CORIO BAY - penning	1:55.55	3:55.49	5:57.55	7:55.64
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CHAMPION WOMEN'S SENIOR A COXLESS FOUR

1	AISS COMP - thompson	1:42.87	3:30.00	5:20.20	7:07.32
2	AISS COMP - burke	1:42.63	3:31.82	5:23.43	7:10.11
3	AUBC - slatter	1:43.54	3:31.08	5:22.25	7:10.66
4	MERSEY/NTH - stegman	1:55.33	3:59.14	6:04.42	8:05.18
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CHAMPION MEN'S SENIOR B DOUBLE SCULL

1	UTS/NEPEAN - o'callagh	1:42.81	3:27.40	5:11.10	6:51.49
2	MERC/MUBC - dusting	1:41.45	3:28.93	5:12.82	6:55.63
3	FRANK / TAMAR - long	1:41.22	3:27.98	5:14.30	6:57.10
4	MUBC - stone	1:44.19	3:33.56	5:22.86	7:08.37
5	SUBC - mccann	1:48.91	3:41.61	5:34.20	7:24.43
6	GRAMMARIAN - keating	1:51.31	3:44.95	5:38.20	7:24.77

CHAMPION MEN'S SENIOR A DOUBLE SCULL

1	ECU PERTH - perkins	1:36.88	3:18.53	4:59.24	6:42.58
2	COM'CIAL / SYD - inglis	1:37.30	3:19.13	5:01.27	6:46.09
3	CBR / CURTIN - snook	1:39.95	3:21.80	5:03.49	6:48.57
4	UTS / LOWERC - day	1:38.27	3:23.10	5:09.13	6:58.50
5	CBR / ECU - kearns	1:41.30	3:26.08	5:12.46	7:03.22
6	AISS-ECU/AD - worthgton	1:39.47	3:26.70	5:15.14	7:04.15

CHAMPION WOMEN'S SENIOR B DOUBLE SCULL

1	TORRENS - tree	1:49.53	3:46.45	5:39.19	7:32.24
2	AISS COM/SYD - cocquio	1:49.72	3:46.22	5:40.69	7:37.17
3	SWAN / ECU - bradley	1:52.76	3:51.32	5:45.12	7:38.89
4	CANBERRA - weiland	1:55.64	3:55.18	5:50.85	7:49.56
5	DRUM/UTS - koutts	1:58.00	3:59.74	6:01.12	8:04.49
6	CBR - gillespie-jones	1:53.18	4:01.13	6:03.31	8:06.69

CHAMPION WOMEN'S SENIOR A DOUBLE SCULL

1	UTS - roye	1:46.62	3:39.27	5:31.56	7:17.43
2	AISS COM - robinson	1:47.76	3:38.50	5:30.50	7:18.00
3	TORR / ADE - newmarch	1:47.96	3:40.63	5:33.50	7:26.98
4	MERCANTILE - douglas	1:48.62	3:42.39	5:37.81	7:31.76
5	UTS - johnstone	1:49.57	3:44.83	5:40.57	7:36.30
6	UTS - sack	1:49.88	3:45.73	5:43.50	7:40.32

CHAMPION MEN'S SENIOR B LIGHTWEIGHT COXLESS FOUR

1	TOOWONG - finemore	1:33.11	3:10.49	4:52.43	6:34.78
2	DRC / SUBC - huxley	1:33.56	3:12.01	4:56.10	6:36.49
3	TOOWONG - dwyer	1:36.69	3:21.02	5:12.03	6:59.62
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MEN'S SENIOR A LIGHTWEIGHT COXLESS FOUR

1	GEEV COMP				
2	SYDNEY / UTS				
3	AISS COMP				
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CHAMPION WOMEN'S SENIOR B LIGHTWEIGHT COXLESS FOUR

1	TOOW/UBC - whitehead	1:51.38	3:47.95	5:45.38	7:47.04
2	ESSEN.COMP - zovi	1:49.94	3:45.20	5:47.15	7:52.89
3	MOSMAN - potter	1:52.12	3:51.13	5:57.15	8:04.26
4	TOOW/UBC - clarkson	1:55.37	3:54.54	5:59.68	8:08.12
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CHAMPION MEN'S JUNIOR COXED EIGHT

1	SWAN / ECU - denniston	1:29.57	3:09.42	4:50.56	6:26.36
2	BRISBANE - weekes	1:30.08	3:10.14	4:52.23	6:32.33
3	MELB GRAM - stanford	1:33.31	3:13.71	4:55.59	6:35.13
4	WESLEY - sandow	1:37.69	3:21.15	5:05.96	6:48.32
5	SYDNEY GRA - gervay	1:36.36	3:22.26	5:10.91	6:59.07
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CHAMPION WOMEN'S JUNIOR COXED EIGHT

1	WAIS SWAN - connor	1:53.18	3:44.98	5:37.21	7:26.65
2	FRIENDS - lange	1:49.51	3:41.21	5:35.83	7:29.24
3	BARW. COMP - pyers	1:53.81	3:43.73	5:36.39	7:30.00
4	WENONA - sawyer	1:50.94	3:42.14	5:38.83	7:32.37
5	COMMERCIAL - stumer	1:52.65	3:47.48	5:41.45	7:36.97
6	MLC MELB - o'connor	1:51.73	3:45.76	5:40.36	7:39.97

CHAMPION MEN'S SENIOR B LIGHTWEIGHT DOUBLE SCULL

1	NEPEAN - king	1:40.73	3:26.79	5:20.77	7:10.59
2	SUBC - abernathy	1:43.22	3:30.89	5:26.43	7:20.35
3	MUBC - frith	1:43.66	3:34.69	5:33.33	7:27.71
4	SYD/CURT - marshallmc	1:46.56	3:41.36	5:42.11	7:37.05
5	UTS/SUBC - abernathy				
6	DARAMALAN - smyth				

CHAMPION MEN'S SENIOR A LIGHTWEIGHT DOUBLE SCULL

1	ULVERSTONE - broad	1:35.62	3:16.48	4:58.84	6:40.14
2	MUBC - peelee	1:39.10	3:19.23	5:03.47	6:43.92
3	UQBC - mill	1:38.11	3:18.73	5:02.42	6:47.76
4	MUBC/BAR - rickards	1:39.38	3:25.54	5:06.30	6:50.85
5	TAMAR/GLEN - oakey	1:38.54	3:25.67	5:07.22	6:53.65
6	UTS - phillips	1:38.95	3:21.33	5:05.85	6:54.05

CHAMPION WOMEN'S SENIOR B LIGHTWEIGHT DOUBLE SCULL

1	ST.G/MOS - greenaway	1:48.73	3:39.90	5:35.37	7:29.21
2	MUWBC - burston	1:49.36	3:41.11	5:38.11	7:31.66
3	UQBC / CRC - mercer	1:48.41	3:42.10	5:40.14	7:36.11
4	POW/TOOW - whitehead	1:55.46	3:52.45	5:53.41	7:51.31
5	MOS/SYD - irving	1:51.71	3:48.05	5:50.96	7:52.77
6	BANKS/APSM - every	1:54.99	3:53.40	5:55.78	7:58.84

CHAMPION WOMEN'S SENIOR A LIGHTWEIGHT DOUBLE SCULL

1	TORR / TAMAR - grant	1:44.32	3:38.01	5:35.47	7:32.46
2	MUWBC / BANKS - blair	1:49.09	3:44.21	5:42.21	7:37.07
3	UTS - morgan	1:48.28	3:41.92	5:41.05	7:38.35
4	TOR/FRANK - moravietz	1:47.74	3:43.72	5:44.84	7:40.09
5	SWAN RIVER - scott	1:50.12	3:45.89	5:46.54	7:45.42
6	TAMAR - oakey	1:52.60	3:50.95	5:52.17	7:50.40

CHAMPION MEN'S SENIOR B COXED EIGHT

1	MERC / MUBC - kelly	1:26.02	2:56.08	4:28.49	5:57.57
2	SYDNEY - daish	1:28.16	3:00.23	4:32.17	6:00.84
3	UTS / SYD - woodward	1:30.90	3:01.50	4:33.68	6:01.22
4	UQBC/TOW - milanovic	1:30.59	3:02.01	4:37.39	6:08.35
5	DRC / UTS - stewart	1:31.42	3:05.24	4:39.77	6:11.36
6	TAS - delacour	1:27.71	3:02.76	4:41.29	6:14.59

CHAMPION MEN'S SENIOR A LIGHTWEIGHT COXED EIGHT

1	AIS COMP - wiseman	1:28.43	3:03.30	4:38.96	6:12.01
2	GEEV COMP - burgess	1:32.41	3:08.60	4:45.56	6:20.20
3	TOOWONG - finemore	1:31.45	3:08.98	4:47.52	6:23.34
4	MUBC COMP - richards	1:31.88			
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CHAMPION MEN'S SENIOR A QUAD SCULL

1	TWEED / TOOW - free	1:29.61	3:02.81	4:39.16	6:21.19
2	WAIS COMP - perkins	1:31.37	3:06.16	4:43.41	6:25.99
3	AIS COMP - inglis	1:34.19	3:09.47	4:47.15	6:29.83
4	UTS - day	1:35.94	3:12.96	4:53.10	6:34.59
5	COM/TOOW - simpson	1:37.34	3:15.19	4:54.61	6:34.93
6	FRANK / TAMA - rees	1:35.38	3:15.60	4:59.70	6:49.38

CHAMPION WOMEN'S SENIOR A QUAD SCULL

1	UTS / NSWIS - roye	1:46.28	3:38.72	5:27.03	7:09.91
2	AIS COMP - robinson	1:50.56	3:44.31	5:32.12	7:15.87
3	CANBERRA - cresswell	1:54.52	3:51.96	5:45.19	7:36.86
4	CANBERRA - codd'gton	1:59.44	3:57.07	5:50.84	7:43.30
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CHAMPION WOMEN'S UNDER 17 COXED QUAD SCULL

1	SOMERVILLE - fraser	1:54.90	3:52.73	5:51.18	7:49.45
2	SWAN/TORR - verity	1:54.31	3:56.10	5:54.12	7:52.67
3	SWAN / FREQ - rybicki	1:57.41	3:55.82	5:54.80	7:54.95
4	CANB CEGGS - lee	1:56.16	3:57.43	5:57.24	7:57.15
5	MURRY BDG - muhlhan	1:58.44	3:59.06	6:00.59	8:01.91
6	NEPEAN - laboralfalvi	1:57.97	4:00.29	6:04.27	8:09.70

CHAMPION MEN'S UNDER 17 COXED QUAD SCULL

1	LINDISFARNE - edwards	1:43.73	3:33.52	5:21.36	7:12.16
2	SWAN/LIN / SB - barnes	1:47.73	3:39.38	5:29.50	7:20.87
3	DARAMALAN - lee	1:51.30	3:48.80	5:46.94	7:41.77
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Results

INTERSTATE REGATTA - SUNDAY 15TH MARCH 1998

DISABLED MEN'S 1ST GRADE SINGLE SCULL

1	REECONIAN - blake	4:21.87
2	SWAN RIVER - hill	4:51.87
3	ECU PERTH - lee	5:39.82
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CHAMP. INTERSTATE WOMEN'S SINGLE SCULL - THE NELL SLATTER TROPHY

1	VIC - douglas	1:59.29	4:08.60	6:13.05	8:17.34
2	NSW - roye	2:00.41	4:13.89	6:20.47	8:22.09
3	QLD - hatzakis	2:04.33	4:16.38	6:21.61	8:22.48
4	WA - reynolds	2:06.64	4:21.28	6:28.06	8:27.94
5	ACT - knowler	2:04.84	4:18.74	6:27.28	8:30.56
6	SA - newmarch	2:02.70	4:17.09	6:26.35	8:39.38

CHAMPION INTERSTATE MEN'S SINGLE SCULL - THE PRESIDENT'S CUP

1	QLD - free	1:43.01	3:39.47	5:34.38	7:27.12
2	VIC - day	1:45.53	3:42.28	5:37.82	7:29.17
3	NSW - cameron	1:43.81	3:46.04	5:47.87	7:48.31
4	WA - bishop				
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CHAMPION SCHOOLGIRLS COXED FOUR

1	LAURISTON - pearce	3:52.60	5:54.58	7:54.90
2	FRIENDS - wells	3:58.12	6:00.41	7:59.92
3	MLC MELB - gendre	3:56.69	5:59.18	8:00.59
4	BAL GRAM - fersteeg	4:00.26	6:05.21	8:08.11
5	ST CATHS - tallent	4:06.71	6:11.67	8:14.59
6	LAURISTON - cohen	4:12.04	6:23.80	8:33.70

CHAMPION SCHOOLBOYS COXED FOUR

1	SCOTCH-OAK - delacone	1:37.28	3:26.56	5:15.35	7:01.36
2	ST PAT'S - powell	1:38.77	3:28.35	5:17.29	7:03.48
3	BALL /CLAR - cullinan	1:40.13	3:31.28	5:20.13	7:06.82
4	BALL HIGH - vanstan	1:42.19	3:34.04	5:25.46	7:15.04
5	BALL GRAM - martin	1:46.17	3:38.13	5:28.77	7:16.17
6	REDLANDS - fairweather	1:43.53	3:40.15	5:38.05	7:29.41

CHAMP. INTERSTATE WOMEN'S LWX COXLESS FOUR - THE PENRITH CUP

1	VIC - joyce	1:46.68	3:39.94	5:34.49	7:24.23
2	NSW - watson	1:51.00	3:44.33	5:38.06	7:26.94
3	TAS - grant	1:47.20	3:41.73	5:37.66	7:31.30
4	ACT - donoghoe	1:50.17	3:46.81	5:45.31	7:43.18
5	QLD - wilson	1:53.18	3:54.32	5:56.04	7:55.30
6	SA - halliday				

CHAMPION INTERSTATE MEN'S COXLESS LIGHTWEIGHT FOUR

1	NSW - headley	1:32.55	3:11.27	4:48.55	6:24.57
2	VIC - richards	1:34.35	3:13.54	4:50.61	6:25.46
3	TAS - burgess	1:35.21	3:15.24	4:51.50	6:27.51
4	QLD - lawrence	1:33.86	3:14.82	4:53.90	6:31.13
5	ACT - craig	1:38.43	3:25.64	5:14.51	6:58.36
6					

CHAMPION SCHOOLBOYS SINGLE SCULL

1	FRIENDS - beltz	1:50.81	3:55.78	5:57.59	7:57.33
2	HUTCHINS - dwyer	1:56.61	4:03.36	6:07.89	8:04.68
3	ANU - southwell	1:55.01	3:59.88	6:04.71	8:07.15
4	ST EDMUNDS - punch	1:56.14	4:02.18	6:06.54	8:09.27
5	ANU - andrews	1:54.49	4:01.41	6:08.96	8:10.82
6	KIRRAWEE - stewart	1:57.57	4:05.78	6:09.92	8:11.30

CHAMPION SCHOOLGIRLS SINGLE SCULL

1	TAREE HIGH - winkley	2:00.75	4:14.23	6:25.53	8:31.78
2	CCEGGS - gillespie-jone	2:04.22	4:17.49	6:26.45	8:32.41
3	TOORAK COL - lloyd	2:04.63	4:16.98	6:28.67	8:41.36
4	LORETO COL - bowley	2:05.07	4:18.77	6:33.24	8:44.75
5	NEWSTEAD - painting	2:07.86	4:30.80	6:51.54	9:14.05
6	PLC SYDNEY - reid				

CHAMPION SCHOOLGIRL'S COXED EIGHT

1	GEELONG GR - holt	1:38.81	3:29.02	5:18.72	7:07.36
2	PYMBLE - gay	1:43.36	3:35.99	5:26.91	7:17.31
3	WALFORD - campbell	1:42.35	3:39.18	5:34.69	7:25.58
4	WENONA - sawyer	1:43.73	3:40.20	5:35.35	7:26.70
5	LORETO NOR - freeman	1:46.59	3:44.46	5:38.72	7:32.70
6	LAURISTON - pearce	1:49.32	3:49.24	5:47.79	7:44.95

CHAMPION SCHOOLBOYS COXED EIGHT

1	NEWINGTON - alliston	1:26.69	3:00.49	4:36.71	6:09.91
2	SCOTCH - owen	1:27.65	3:04.54	4:40.22	6:11.44
3	SHORE - marshall mcc	1:28.21	3:04.09	4:39.79	6:11.96
4	KINGS - wilkinson	1:30.12	3:07.63	4:43.92	6:19.16
5	GEELONG - de crespign	1:29.10	3:06.96	4:45.50	6:20.21
6	BRISBANE - weekes	1:30.78	3:10.46	4:48.44	6:23.87

SCHOOLGIRLS COXED QUAD SCULL

1	PLC SYDNEY - reid	1:50.48	3:48.11	5:46.95	7:46.41
2	MURRAY BR - llewellyn	1:50.95	3:50.09	5:49.61	7:47.11
3	MLC MELB - o'connor	1:51.39	3:51.01	5:53.12	7:47.61
4	SACRED HRT - jens	1:50.28	3:50.74	5:52.25	7:50.78
5	GENAZZANO - voselis	1:51.92	3:48.91	5:50.81	7:51.08
6	MELB GGS - gardner	1:53.26	3:56.60	5:59.72	8:03.63

SCHOOLBOYS COXED QUAD SCULL

1	CANB. GRAM - lardner	1:40.19	3:26.70	5:15.75	7:06.00
2	DARAMALAN - lees	1:53.71	3:52.01	5:50.95	7:49.85
3					
4					
5					
6					

INTERSTATE WOMEN'S YOUTH COXED EIGHT

1	VIC
2	NSW
3	QLD
4	
5	
6	

INTERSTATE MEN'S YOUTH COXED EIGHT - THE NOEL F. WILKINSON TROPHY

1	VIC - kelly	1:25.88	2:56.05	4:28.58	5:58.08
2	QLD - milanovic	1:29.46	3:00.10	4:32.97	6:04.25
3	WA - denniston	1:27.22	3:01.29	4:36.40	6:07.80
4	NSW - shadbolt	1:30.76	3:02.37	4:37.01	6:10.50
5	TAS - delacourt	1:31.20	3:05.93	4:41.16	6:12.84
6	ACT - dunlop	1:28.01	3:05.20	4:44.22	6:15.42
7	SA - lapworth	1:33.75	3:04.59	4:41.76	6:18.00

CHAMPION INTERSTATE WOMEN'S COXLESS FOUR - THE U.L.V.A. TROPHY

1	VIC - thompson	1:39.20	3:24.21	5:14.45	6:59.06
2	SA - slatter	1:41.19	3:25.72	5:15.42	7:01.83
3	ACT - sack	1:41.75	3:29.43	5:20.58	7:08.05
4	NSW - johnstone	1:40.47	3:27.97	5:23.06	7:13.37
5	TAS - stegman	1:49.03	3:51.08	5:58.73	7:59.06

CHAMPION INTERSTATE MEN'S COXED EIGHT - THE KING'S CUP

1	VIC - sullivan	1:25.38	2:53.50	4:18.65	5:45.09
2	NSW - long	1:27.94	2:56.58	4:23.17	5:49.40
3	WA - reside	1:25.85	2:55.25	4:23.80	5:49.92
4	ACT - fernandez	1:27.51	2:57.89	4:26.79	5:54.86
5	QLD - martin	1:24.57	2:54.26	4:25.32	5:56.60
6	TAS - grant	1:32.15	3:04.91	4:37.93	6:08.64
7	SA - lyons	1:30.62	3:03.43	4:37.11	6:10.12

Results

1998 ZURICH AUSTRALIAN ROWING TEAM

MENS COXLESS FOUR GEOFF STEWART BO HANSON BEN DODWELL JAMES STEWART COACH: TIM McLAREN	4TH	MENS LWT DOUBLE SCULL GARY LYNAGH BRUCE HICK COACH: REUBEN BETTLE	12TH
MENS DOUBLE SCULL MARCUS FREE DUNCAN FREE COACH: REG FREE	10TH	MENS QUAD PETER HARDCASTLE STUART RESIDE MATT O'CALLAGHAN MARTIN INGLIS COACH: NICK GARRATT	5TH
MENS COXED FOUR NICK GREEN MIKE McKAY DREW GINN JAMES TOMKINS COX: BRETT HAYMAN COACH: NOEL DONALDSON	GOLD	WOMENS SINGLE SCULL GINA DOUGLAS COACH: NOEL DONALDSON	8TH
MENS LWT SINGLE SCULL HAIMISH KARRASCH COACH: BOB BLEAKLEY	4TH	WOMENS PAIR ANNA OZOLINS JODI WINTER COACH: PAUL THOMPSON	7TH
MENS COXED PAIR NICK GREEN JAMES TOMKINS COX: BRETT HAYMAN COACH: NOEL DONALDSON	GOLD	WOMENS LWT QUAD SCULL ELIZA BLAIR JOSEPHINE LIPS DEARNE GRANT REBECCA JOYCE COACH: ELLEN RANDELL	5TH
MENS PAIR MIKE McKAY DREW GINN COACH: NOEL DONALDSON	2ND	WOMENS QUAD SCULL SALLY NEWMARCH JANE ROBINSON MARINA HATZAKIS BRONWYN ROYE RES: KERRY KNOWLER COACH: STEVE EVANS	BRONZE
MENS EIGHT ZACHARY KIRKHAM DAVID PORZIG ALASTAIR GORDON NICK PORZIG JAIME FERNANDEZ DAN BURKE DAVID CAMERON RICHARD WEARNE COX: DAVID COLVIN RES: MATTHEW LONG RES: STUART McRAE COACH: HARALD JAHRLING	6TH	WOMENS EIGHT AMY SAFE ANGIE HOLBECK RACHAEL KININMONTH BRONWYN THOMPSON RACHAEL TAYLOR KATE SLATTER JODI WINTER ANNA OZOLINS COX: KATIE FOULKES RES: ELIZABETH MOLLER RES: EMILY MARTIN COACH: PAUL THOMPSON	4TH
MENS LIGHTWEIGHT FOUR DARREN BALMFORTH ROB RICHARDS ANTHONY EDWARDS SIMON BURGESS COACH: SAM LE COMPTECH	BRONZE		
MENS LIGHTWEIGHT PAIR ALASTAIR ISHERWOOD JON BERNEY COACH: LYALL McCARTHY	5TH		

Results

1998 WORLD ROWING CHAMPIONSHIPS 6TH - 13TH SEPTEMBER 1998, COLOGNE – GERMANY

WOMEN'S LIGHTWEIGHT PAIR

1	GBR	1:48.87	3:41.69	5:35.61	7:29.42
2	ARG	1:49.81	3:44.28	5:38.21	7:32.51
3	USA	1:48.53	3:43.31	5:40.06	7:37.50
4	GER	1:51.74	3:51.22	5:52.59	7:52.45
5					
6					

WOMEN'S LIGHTWEIGHT SINGLE SCULL

1	SUI	1:51.02	3:47.00	5:44.77	7:41.01
2	FRA	1:53.18	3:49.56	5:46.07	7:42.01
3	ARG	1:50.80	3:46.60	5:45.61	7:44.40
4	CAN	1:50.41	3:48.00	5:45.14	7:44.79
5	CRO	1:53.59	3:53.51	5:54.33	7:53.44
6	HKG	1:55.28	3:55.70	5:57.98	7:59.60

MEN'S LIGHTWEIGHT SINGLE SCULL

1	ITA	1:41.24	3:25.39	5:06.87	6:48.90
2	CZE	1:40.62	3:24.47	5:08.97	6:50.98
3	DEN	1:41.00	3:26.36	5:10.18	6:51.52
4	AUS	1:39.82	3:24.07	5:08.39	6:53.92
5	GBR	1:39.24	3:24.93	5:10.53	6:55.74
6	USA	1:40.20	3:26.79	5:14.10	7:03.89

MEN'S COXED PAIR

1	AUS	dna	dna	Dna	6:45.01
2	ITA	dna	dna	Dna	6:47.71
3	USA	dna	dna	Dna	6:50.06
4	GER	dna	dna	Dna	6:50.22
5	ARG	dna	dna	Dna	6:53.60
6	GRE	dna	dna	Dna	6:55.99

WOMEN'S COXLESS FOUR

1	UKR	1:34.09	DNA	DNA	6:30.63
2	CAN	1:36.21	DNA	DNA	6:31.90
3	NED	1:37.23	DNA	DNA	6:32.73
4	BLR	1:34.96	DNA	DNA	6:35.13
5	ROM	1:34.50	DNA	DNA	6:37.02
6	GER	1:37.65	DNA	DNA	6:40.73

MEN'S LIGHTWEIGHT EIGHT

1	GER	1:22.05	2:47.19	4:12.70	5:36.28
2	USA	1:22.78	2:47.70	4:12.44	5:36.56
3	ITA	1:23.13	2:48.28	4:13.62	5:37.06
4	GBR	1:21.68	2:46.75	4:13.20	5:39.23
5	ESP	1:23.58	2:49.56	4:15.73	5:42.46
6	SUI	1:23.99	2:50.29	4:18.87	5:47.71

WOMEN'S SINGLE SCULL

1	RUS	1:48.56	3:40.61	5:33.11	7:25.09
2	GER	1:47.90	3:39.22	5:32.84	7:26.67
3	SWE	1:50.48	3:46.42	5:39.42	7:30.99
4	BUL	1:51.37	3:45.51	5:40.53	7:33.84
5	DEN	1:49.42	3:45.97	5:40.94	7:37.29
6	GBR	1:50.06	3:45.03	5:42.85	7:37.85
8	AUS	1:49.24	DNA	5:46.13	7:41.17

MEN'S SINGLE SCULL

1	NZL	1:36.95	3:19.28	5:00.49	6:39.65
2	SUI	1:39.49	3:20.72	5:01.64	6:41.55
3	CZE	1:37.34	3:18.84	4:59.90	6:43.89
4	SLO	1:37.78	3:19.74	5:01.30	6:48.38
5	GBR	1:38.35	3:22.12	5:06.78	6:51.82
6	EGY	1:38.82	3:22.92	5:09.19	7:01.44

WOMEN'S COXLESS PAIR

1	CAN	1:41.02	3:29.90	5:18.93	7:05.19
2	GBR	1:43.75	3:34.32	5:23.16	7:08.12
3	USA	1:43.09	3:32.85	5:22.69	7:08.76
4	ROM	1:45.18	3:34.88	5:23.98	7:11.67
5	RUS	1:44.12	3:33.76	5:24.42	7:13.41
6	DEN	1:45.64	3:36.61	5:26.32	7:15.25
7	AUS	1:46.47	3:39.11	5:36.03	7:33.86

MEN'S COXLESS PAIR

1	GER	1:31.88	3:08.82	4:46.31	6:22.32
2	AUS	1:32.94	3:10.19	4:48.06	6:24.23
3	YUG	1:34.20	3:12.03	4:50.25	6:25.52
4	USA	1:32.62	3:10.66	4:49.16	6:25.55
5	FRA	1:34.64	3:12.68	4:50.88	6:26.42
6	GBR	1:35.12	3:13.24	4:52.34	6:31.16

WOMEN'S DOUBLE SCULL

1	GBR	1:35.83	3:18.19	5:04.05	6:48.85
2	NED	1:37.81	3:21.98	5:06.22	6:49.75
3	ROM	1:38.65	3:23.28	5:07.73	6:50.49
4	USA	1:38.26	3:23.92	5:10.71	6:53.80
5	FRA	1:40.34	3:26.34	5:12.46	6:58.17
6	CHN	1:39.15	3:25.06	5:12.27	7:00.21

MEN'S DOUBLE SCULL

1	GER	1:27.70	3:02.43	4:38.19	6:13.20
2	NOR	1:29.53	3:04.83	4:39.95	6:14.49
3	POL	1:30.23	3:06.29	4:41.61	6:15.50
4	FRA	1:30.82	3:06.67	4:43.01	6:17.26
5	ITA	1:29.14	3:04.24	4:40.94	6:21.16
6	DEN	1:31.22	3:08.65	4:47.78	6:26.76
10	AUS	1:33.88	3:10.42	4:48.99	6:25.11

MEN'S COXLESS FOUR

1	GBR	1:23.78	2:53.22	4:21.47	5:48.06
2	FRA	1:25.37	2:55.52	4:24.68	5:49.44
3	ITA	1:25.13	2:53.99	4:22.34	5:49.46
4	AUS	1:24.94	2:54.70	4:24.00	5:49.63
5	ROM	1:24.72	2:54.43	4:24.95	5:55.62
6	NOR	1:26.62	2:57.94	4:30.40	6:00.47

MEN'S LIGHTWEIGHT COXLESS PAIR

1	FRA	1:38.00	3:19.64	5:01.96	6:40.53
2	ITA	1:37.59	3:19.29	5:02.33	6:41.75
3	CHI	1:39.48	3:22.48	5:05.16	6:44.00
4	SUI	1:37.79	3:21.25	5:05.40	6:44.97
5	AUS	1:38.37	3:20.95	5:04.28	6:45.45
6	GER	1:39.30	3:22.85	5:07.10	6:49.43

WOMEN'S LIGHTWEIGHT QUAD SCULL

1	GER	1:38.36	3:18.81	5:00.95	6:40.99
2	USA	1:38.94	3:19.54	5:02.09	6:42.97
3	GRE	1:38.76	3:20.43	5:02.80	6:43.27
4	CHN	1:38.57	3:19.19	5:02.09	6:43.57
5	AUS	1:39.46	3:20.72	5:04.73	6:46.49
6	GBR	1:41.55	3:24.94	5:09.06	6:51.53

MEN'S LIGHTWEIGHT QUAD SCULL

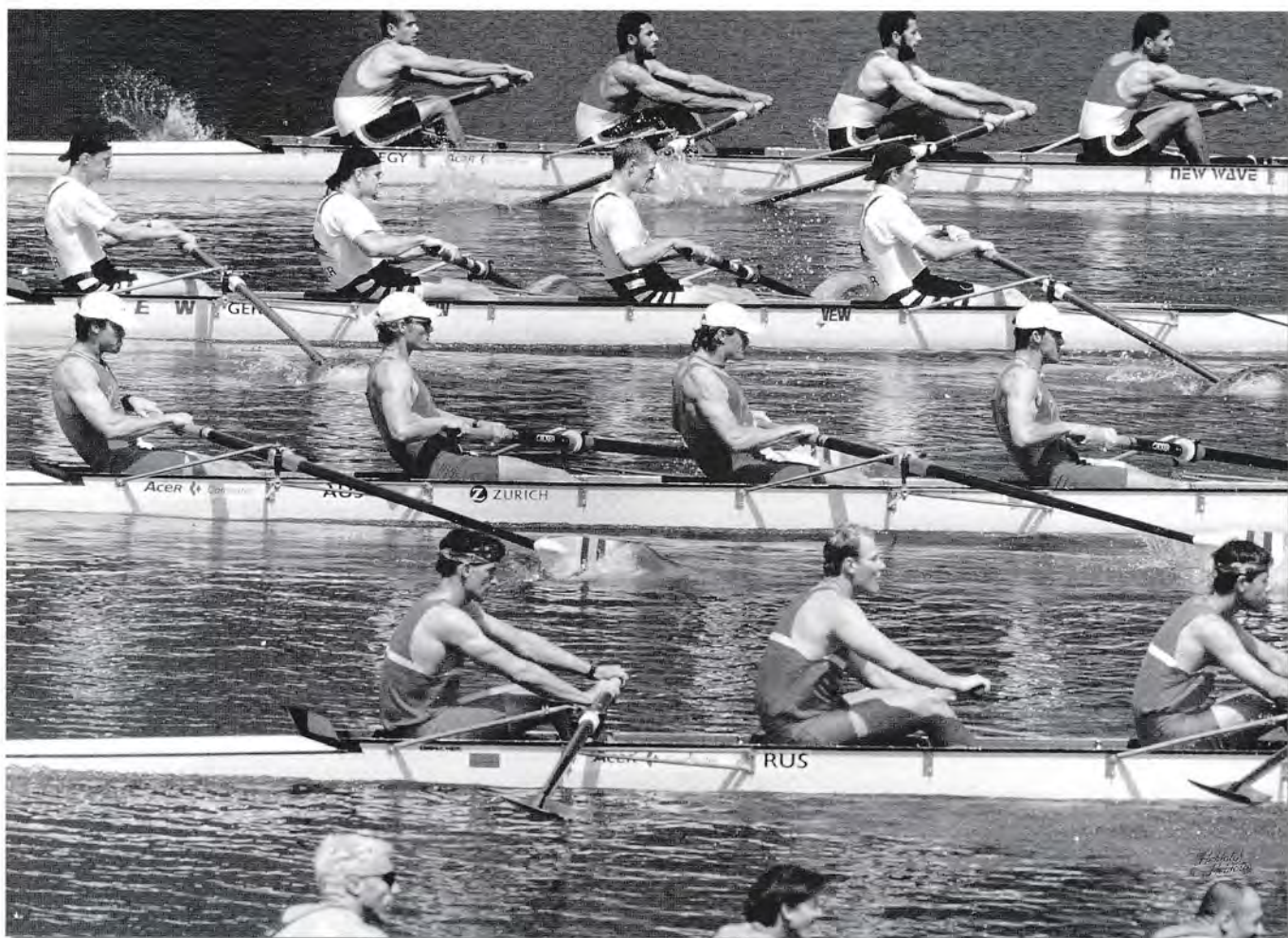
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2	GER	1:26.78	2:56.84	4:28.53	5:58.59
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4	IRL	1:28.63	2:59.76	4:32.38	6:04.87
5	MEX	DNA	3:00.79	4:33.80	6:05.87
6	ARG	1:29.17	3:01.20	4:35.02	6:35.73

MEN'S COXED FOUR

1	AUS	1:29.65	3:03.06	4:37.66	6:09.43
2	CRO	1:31.65	3:06.44	4:41.55	6:12.97
3	ITA	1:30.91	3:05.39	4:41.30	6:13.59
4	USA	1:31.16	3:06.13	4:42.45	6:14.80
5	GER	1:32.50	3:08.06	DNA	6:18.80
6	CZE	1:32.73	3:08.85	4:44.27	6:22.11

WOMEN'S LIGHTWEIGHT DOUBLE SCULL

1	USA	1:43.07	3:29.36	5:17.09	7:03.73
2	GER	1:44.09	3:30.71	5:19.99	7:06.53
3	ROM	1:43.39	3:31.49	5:20.53	7:09.45
4	POL	1:43.85	3:32.45	5:22.56	7:11.54
5	DEN	1:44.34	3:32.09	5:22.96	7:13.82
6	ITA	1:45.50	3:33.37	5:23.95	7:14.08



MEN'S LIGHTWEIGHT DOUBLE SCULL

1	POL	1:32.11	3:06.60	4:41.77	6:19.11
2	ITA	1:32.96	3:08.05	4:45.02	6:21.02
3	SUI	1:33.66	3:09.53	4:47.92	6:22.35
4	GER	1:34.26	3:10.19	4:47.43	6:22.70
5	NED	1:35.58	3:11.78	4:50.84	6:29.42
6	FRA	1:35.09	3:12.99	4:53.69	6:30.47
12	AUS	1:33.93	3:12.23	4:50.83	6:30.30

MEN'S LIGHTWEIGHT COXLESS FOUR

1	DEN	1:27.76	2:59.06	4:31.78	6:01.53
2	FRA	1:27.98	3:00.21	4:32.80	6:02.37
3	AUS	1:28.27	2:59.89	4:33.03	6:04.43
4	GBR	1:29.32	3:02.46	4:35.80	6:08.27
5	AUT	1:28.62	3:00.70	4:33.79	6:08.57
6	ESP	1:28.92	3:02.94	4:36.62	6:11.75

WOMEN'S QUAD

1	GER	1:32.58	3:09.09	4:46.69	6:24.38
2	RUS	1:33.40	3:10.89	4:50.28	6:26.66
3	AUS	1:35.64	3:14.11	4:54.32	6:32.11
4	CHN	1:34.27	3:14.60	4:56.72	6:35.50
5	POL	1:36.57	3:15.01	4:57.15	6:35.53
6	DEN	1:35.88	3:16.22	4:58.51	6:36.46

MEN'S QUAD

1	ITA	1:24.09	2:51.34	4:20.55	5:51.19
2	GER	1:25.76	2:54.75	4:25.75	5:56.13
3	AUT	1:26.82	2:56.85	4:28.83	5:57.91
4	USA	1:27.38	2:58.43	4:30.48	5:59.92
5	AUS	1:27.84	2:59.38	4:32.10	6:02.48
6	POL	1:28.21	3:00.97	4:34.89	6:09.50

WOMEN'S EIGHT

1	ROM	1:31.00	3:05.39	4:40.92	6:14.62
2	USA	1:31.83	3:06.44	4:42.20	6:15.81
3	CAN	1:31.45	3:06.77	4:43.69	6:18.25
4	AUS	1:33.24	3:08.99	4:45.45	6:20.58
5	BLR	1:32.42	3:09.48	4:46.85	6:22.98
6	GER	1:32.78	3:10.89	4:49.63	6:27.69

MEN'S EIGHT

1	USA	1:23.21	2:47.34	4:13.60	5:38.78
2	GER	1:22.90	2:48.96	4:15.79	5:39.46
3	ROM	1:22.21	2:48.28	4:15.52	5:40.27
4	RUS	1:21.84	2:48.58	4:15.33	5:40.28
5	ITA	1:22.61	2:49.28	4:16.53	5:40.28
6	AUS	1:23.64	2:50.09	4:18.02	5:45.77

Results

1998 NATIONS CUP

WOMENS LWT DOUBLE SCULL JILLIAN BURSTON KISAHN LAMSHED COACH: STEFAN TOBLER	GOLD
WOMENS LWT SINGLE SCULL CHRISTINE CAMILLER COACH: PETER SOMERVILLE	7TH
MENS LIGHTWEIGHT FOUR ALEX HEADLEY BENJAMIN CLARSEN JEREMY LAWRENCE SCOTT FRASER COACH: H.P. MADRITSCH	5TH
WOMENS SINGLE SCULL JAYE REYNOLDS COACH: ROB DALLIMORE	4TH
MENS EIGHT PAUL MYERS CHRISTIAN RYAN NIGEL SULLIVAN PAUL GRAY ADAM WOODWARD STUART WELCH JOE WALSH SIMON GADSDEN COX: MICHAEL TOON COACH: CHRIS O'BRIEN	GOLD
WOMENS DOUBLE SCULL AMBER BRADLEY JESS MORRISON RES: JAIME KOHLEIS RES: LEITH JOHANSON (INJ) COACH: ROB DALLIMORE	8TH
WOMENS FOUR KRISTINA LARSEN EMILY MARTIN ANGELA HEITMAN DEIDRE COATES COACH: ADRIAN DAVID	GOLD
MENS QUAD SCULL PETER HARDCASTLE STUART RESIDE MARTIN INGLIS SHAUN COULTON COACH: NICK GARRATT	GOLD
MENS SINGLE SCULL MATTHEW O'CALLAGHAN COACH: NICK GARRATT	4TH

Results

1998 NATION'S CUP 24TH - 26TH JULY 1998, IOANNINA – GREECE

MEN'S LIGHTWEIGHT COXLESS FOUR

1	FRA	1:29.34	3:00.64	4:33.26	6:05.58
2	GRE	1:31.93	3:04.96	4:39.37	6:11.95
3	GER	1:28.98	3:02.29	4:36.69	6:12.20
4	YUG		3:07.54	4:42.37	6:14.98
5	AUS	1:31.28	3:04.57	4:41.37	6:16.76
6	USA	1:33.48	3:07.20	4:42.92	6:17.99

WOMEN'S COXLESS FOUR

1	AUS	1:36.84	3:16.86	4:59.23	6:40.46
2	USA	1:40.78	3:23.17	5:05.41	6:46.89
3	GBR	1:40.10	3:22.96	5:07.53	6:49.24
4	POL	1:39.37	3:21.25	5:05.67	6:50.33
5	GER	1:41.64	3:25.24	5:09.10	-
6	CAN	1:42.21	3:27.04	5:14.52	6:58.48

MEN'S EIGHT

1	AUS	1:27.77	2:57.72	4:28.30	5:53.97
2	USA	1:30.90	2:59.97	4:29.14	5:54.60
3	GER	1:31.82	3:03.43	4:34.69	6:03.86
4	FRA				6:05.48
5	GBR				6:06.70
6	POL				6:10.92

MEN'S QUAD SCULL

1	AUS	1:28.43	2:59.91	4:34.82	6:08.85
2	GER	1:27.38	2:59.64	4:35.62	6:12.10
3	AUT	1:29.76	3:02.06	4:38.61	6:14.48
4	DEN	1:29.35	3:02.55	4:40.04	6:17.06
5	FRA	1:30.59	3:03.80	4:42.32	6:21.48
6	ITA	1:26.77	2:56.13	4:31.15	-

MEN'S SINGLE SCULL

1	SLO	1:40.82	3:23.66	5:08.25	6:54.59
2	FRA	1:42.43	3:28.31	5:14.17	6:57.91
3	CRO	1:44.52	3:29.97	5:16.15	6:59.18
4	AUS	1:43.38	3:30.62	5:18.33	7:00.02
5	GER	1:45.52	3:33.60	5:21.84	7:12.59
6	EST	1:48.01	3:39.06	5:31.28	7:18.26

WOMEN'S LIGHTWEIGHT SINGLE SCULL

1					
2					
3					
4					
5					
6					
7	AUS				7:55.50

WOMEN'S LIGHTWEIGHT DOUBLE SCULL

1	AUS	1:44.53	3:32.64	5:23.72	7:14.08
2	ITA	1:47.77	3:36.92	5:26.35	7:16.58
3	SUI	1:47.08	3:37.25	5:28.53	7:20.35
4	CAN	1:49.40	3:40.34	5:33.411	7:25.32
5	SWE		3:41.45	5:36.80	7:26.64
6	ESP	1:49.76	3:42.16	5:36.16	7:27.47

WOMEN'S DOUBLE SCULL

1					
2					
3					
4					
5					
6					
8	AUS				

WOMEN'S SINGLE SCULL

1	ITA	1:57.00	3:52.29	5:46.73	7:42.32
2	NOR	1:56.38	3:54.44	5:51.66	7:45.37
3	NED	1:56.03	3:53.79	5:52.18	7:45.79
4	AUS	1:58.42	3:56.42	5:54.35	7:46.95
5	ESP	1:58.63	4:01.07	6:02.72	7:58.40
6	DEN	2:02.10	4:02.35	6:05.09	8:04.69

Results

1998 WORLD JUNIOR ROWING TEAM

JUNIOR MENS COXLESS FOUR 4TH
LACHLAN McPHERSON
TIMOTHY WIDMER
ANTHONY COGHLAN
KARSTEN FORSTERLING
COACH: CHRIS O'BRIEN

JUNIOR WOMENS SINGLE SCULL GOLD
KELLY MATTHEWS
COACH: LINDSAY CALLAGHAN

JUNIOR WOMENS FOUR 8TH
MEGAN TUCKEY
VANESSA KELLY
KAYE ANSTEY
BELINDA ROWE
COACH: NEIL MYERS

JUNIOR MENS PAIR BRONZE
MARK KURKO
MARK SPARNON
COACH: NEIL MYERS

JUNIOR MENS DOUBLE SCULL 16TH
ADAM LONG
JOSH KEOGH
COACH: LINDSAY CALLAGHAN

JUNIOR WOMENS DOUBLE SCULL SILVER
TARYN LANGDON
LISA STARUSZKIEWICZ
COACH: SUSAN DONOGHUE

JUNIOR MENS COXED FOUR 5TH
HARDY CUBASCH
DAVID COOK
DAVID MORAN
DAVID MATTHEWS
COX: THOMAS PATTERSON
COACH: JOHN BOWES

JUNIOR WOMENS QUAD SCULL 11TH
NATALIE LONG
KATE MORPHETT
DANIEL LINDSAY
LIVIA LABORCFALVI
COACH: LINDSAY CALLAGHAN

JUNIOR MENS SINGLE SCULL BRONZE
TOM LAURICH
COACH: DEBBIE FOX

Results

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JUNIOR MEN'S COXED FOUR

1	GER	6:20.39
2	USA	6:23.24
3	BGR	6:27.99
4	RUS	6:30.92
5	AUS	6:31.89
6	ITA	6:37.16

JUNIOR WOMEN'S COXLESS PAIR

1	GER	7:31.34
2	DEN	7:36.45
3	CHN	7:40.77
4	ITA	7:47.58
5	FRA	7:53.71
6	GBR	Dsq

JUNIOR MEN'S COXLESS PAIR

1	YUG	6:47.00
2	GER	6:47.87
3	AUS	6:48.41
4	FRA	6:50.90
5	SLO	6:57.33
6	SUI	7:04.53

JUNIOR WOMEN'S COXLESS FOUR

1	CHN	6:49.88
2	GER	6:51.33
3	ROM	6:54.59
4	CAN	6:55.91
5	GBR	6:57.27
6	POL	7:00.40
8	AUS	7:12.24

JUNIOR MEN'S COXLESS FOUR

1	ROM	6:13.18
2	POL	6:15.83
3	GER	6:17.22
4	AUS	6:18.63
5	DEN	6:25.59
6	SLO	6:26.61

JUNIOR WOMEN'S SINGLE SCULL

1	AUS	7:43.50
2	CHN	7:45.34
3	GER	7:48.68
4	SUI	7:54.05
5	BLR	7:57.72
6	ITA	8:03.22

JUNIOR MEN'S SINGLE SCULL

1	EST	7:11.11
2	GER	7:13.34
3	AUS	7:15.27
4	AUT	7:17.02
5	USA	7:19.87
6	ITA	7:27.32

JUNIOR MEN'S COXED PAIR

1	ARG	7:16.69
2	GER	7:19.33
3	GBR	7:20.09
4	SLO	7:20.88
5	ITA	7:21.58
6	RUS	7:26.32

JUNIOR WOMEN'S DOUBLE SCULL

1	GER	7:13.68
2	AUS	7:16.95
3	GBR	7:17.76
4	LAT	7:18.94
5	SUI	7:19.52
6	SLO	7:33.24

JUNIOR MEN'S DOUBLE SCULL

1	GER	6:38.08
2	ITA	6:39.27
3	FRA	6:41.25
4	CRO	6:41.32
5	DEN	6:41.88
6	RUS	6:58.26
16	AUS	6:49.92

JUNIOR WOMEN'S QUAD

1	ROM	6:44.55
2	GER	6:45.77
3	AUT	6:47.59
4	UKR	6:51.35
5	SWE	6:54.87
6	POL	7:00.40
11	AUS	7:06.16

JUNIOR MEN'S QUAD

1	GER	6:04.50
2	RUS	6:05.80
3	SLO	6:08.35
4	ESP	6:10.90
5	FRA	6:16.35
6	BEL	6:21.81

JUNIOR WOMEN'S EIGHT

1	GER	6:26.66
2	ROM	6:28.01
3	RUS	6:29.20
4	FRA	6:38.94
5	USA	6:41.03
6	CZE	6:44.95

JUNIOR MEN'S EIGHT

1	RUS	5:47.58
2	GER	5:49.93
3	ROM	5:50.64
4	USA	5:52.91
5	RSA	5:54.35
6	UKR	5:55.02



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