

Associated Public Schools of Victoria

---

# Head of the River Races

1944

On the YARRA and the BARWON

WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY

19th and 22nd APRIL

---

**OFFICIALS :**

**Starter :** H. J. GREEN, Esq.

**Umpires :**

E. KENNY, Esq. (Bridge) M. BURKE, Esq. (Bend)

J. L. MOUNFEY, Esq. (Stagings)

**Judge :** H. T. JAMES, Esq.

**Timekeeper :** R. TODD, Esq.

E. M. DAVIDSON, *Hon. Sec.*

Head of the River 1943 (Metropolitan Schools only) :

MELBOURNE GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

In the event of a Dead Heat on the first day, the race will be re-rowed on the following day. In the event of a Dead Heat in the Final, the race will not be re-rowed.

After each race a disc will be hoisted on the Judge's box to indicate the winning crew as follows :—

Red disc .. .. North Station  
 White disc .. .. Centre Station  
 Blue disc .. .. South Station

During each race flags will be shown from the bend to indicate which crew is leading—as follows :—Red flag, North Station leading ; White flag, Centre Station leading ; Blue flag, South Station leading.

If any breakage of material occur within the first quarter minute which, in the opinion of the Umpire, is not due to faulty rowing, the race will be re-started.

If any Crew, while rowing in its own course, is fouled by another Crew, that other Crew is liable to disqualification.

In the Heats strokes shall toss for choice of course.

In the Finals strokes shall draw for choice of course.

In the First and Second VIII races the winners of the heats will row in the Winners' Final, and the losers of the heats will row in the Losers' Final on the Saturday on the Yarra.

The Associated Public Schools of Victoria thank the following clubs who, by the loan of boats, made it possible for the Geelong schools to row in Melbourne on the Saturday :—Banks Rowing Club, Melbourne Rowing Club, Ormond College (University), Queen's College (University).

**WEDNESDAY, 19th APRIL**

**ON THE YARRA**

**SECOND VIII's (Half a Mile).**

First Heat—2.45 p.m.—Melbourne Grammar School v. ~~Xavier College.~~

1. *Melbourne Grammar School* .. .. 2 .. ..

Second Heat—2.50 p.m.—Scotch College v. Wesley College.

1. .. .. 2 .. ..

**FIRST VIII's (One Mile)**

**First Heat—3 p.m.**

**Wesley College.**

Colours : *Purple and Gold.*

COACH—N. H. MACNEIL, ESQ.

	st.	lbs.
K. H. Grant (bow) .. ..	10	10
R. Rosanove (2) .. ..	11	13
R. T. Drew (3) .. ..	11	5
K. W. E. Vear (4) .. ..	11	2
G. L. Fudge (5) .. ..	12	2
I. F. Hibbins (6) .. ..	13	6
G. W. Eastaugh (7) .. ..	12	10
A. S. Wood (stroke) .. ..	11	8
C. J. Hall (cox) .. ..	8	0
Average Weight, 11 st. 12 lb.		

**Scotch College.**

Colours : *Cardinal, Gold and Blue.*

COACH—A. L. BURNS, ESQ.

	st.	lbs.
T. P. Ritchie (bow) .. ..	10	7
A. T. Dix (2) .. ..	10	8
B. L. Burns (3) .. ..	10	12
R. I. Gillies (4) .. ..	11	2
J. D. Davis (5) .. ..	12	2
M. L. Fitzpatrick (6) .. ..	11	11
G. E. Price (7) .. ..	12	7
R. deC. Shaw (stroke) .. ..	11	0
(cox) .. ..		
Average Weight, 11 st. 4 lbs.		

1. .. .. 2 .. ..

**Second Heat—3.5 p.m.**

**Xavier College.**

*Colours : Black and Red.*

COACH—A. ANDERSON, ESQ.

	st. lbs.
C. G. Dawson (bow) .. .. .	10 8
A. J. Troup (2) .. .. .	10 4
B. S. Dooley (3) .. .. .	10 8
F. A. Mullins (4) .. .. .	10 4
G. T. Awburn (5) .. .. .	10 8
E. T. Hayes (6) .. .. .	12 0
R. D. Bishop (7) .. .. .	10 10
J. A. Lewis (stroke) .. .. .	10 4
B. K. Grutzner (cox) .. .. .	8 0
Average Weight, 10 st. 8 lbs.	

**Melbourne Grammar School.**

*Colours : Dark Blue.*

COACH—W. N. RICKETTS, ESQ.

	st. lbs.
R. J. Scott (bow) .. .. .	11 2
H. B. Clark (2) .. .. .	11 4
P. L. Baillieu (3) .. .. .	11 13
R. J. Batchelor (4) .. .. .	12 10
B. McK. Birrell (5) .. .. .	13 0
D. W. Wales (6) .. .. .	12 6
R. D. Watson (7) .. .. .	14 7
G. Harrison (stroke) .. .. .	10 11
McN. Decker (cox) .. .. .	8 4
Average Weight, 12 st. 3 lbs.	

1..... 2..... Time.....min.....secs.

**ON THE BARWON.**

**FOURTH VIII's.**

3.0 p.m.—Geelong Grammar School v. Geelong College.

1..... 2..... Time.....min.....secs.

**THIRD VIII's.**

3.20 p.m.—Geelong Grammar School v. Geelong College.

1..... 2..... Time.....min.....secs.

**SECOND VIII's (Half a Mile).**

Third Heat—Geelong Grammar School v. Geelong College.

1..... 2..... Time.....min.....secs.

**FIRST VIII's (One Mile).**

Third Heat—4.10 p.m.

**Geelong College.**

*Colours : Green, Blue and White*

*Facings.*

COACH—C. SALEH, ESQ.

	st. lbs.
E. R. Ashton (bow) .. .. .	10 5
W. F. Humphreys (2) .. .. .	10 5
D. W. Mackay (3) .. .. .	12 0
D. R. Macmillan (4) .. .. .	12 7
I. M. McLlwin (5) .. .. .	12 12
I. E. Cameron (6) .. .. .	11 6
G. H. K. Tippett (7) .. .. .	11 9
N. J. Spalding (stroke) .. .. .	11 6
A. L. Bennett (cox) .. .. .	8 0
Average Weight, 11 st. 8 lbs.	

**Geelong Grammar School.**

*Colours : Light Blue.*

COACH : J. E. L. BARBER, ESQ.

	st. lbs.
J. A. McArthur (bow) .. .. .	10 4
W. J. Grose (2) .. .. .	11 0
C. A. Taylor (3) .. .. .	12 6
R. B. King (4) .. .. .	12 0
D. E. Charles (5) .. .. .	12 7
K. B. Nelson (6) .. .. .	11 12
K. J. Fulton (7) .. .. .	11 12
R. M. Wynne (stroke) .. .. .	10 13
D. G. Crozier (cox) .. .. .	8 0
Average Weight, 11 st. 7 lbs.	

1..... 2..... Time.....min.....secs.



# SATURDAY, 22nd APRIL.

## ON THE YARRA.

**2.10 p.m.**—FIFTH VIII's (Quarter Mile)—

Melbourne Grammar School, Scotch College, Wesley College.

1..... 2..... 3..... Time.....min.....secs.

**2.30 p.m.**—THIRD VIII's (Approx. 700 Yds.)—

Melbourne Grammar School, Scotch College, Wesley College, Xavier College.

1..... 2..... 3..... Time.....min.....secs.

**2.55 p.m.**—FOURTH VIII's (500 600 Yds.)—

Melbourne Grammar School, Scotch College, Wesley College.

1..... 2..... 3..... Time.....min.....secs.

**3.25 p.m.**—SECOND VIII's (Half Mile)—

.....(Loser 1st Heat) .....(Loser 2nd Heat) .....(Loser 3rd Heat)

1..... 2..... 3..... Time.....min.....secs.

**3.30 p.m.**—SECOND VIII's (Half Mile)—

.....(Winner 1st Heat) .....(Winner 2nd Heat) .....(Winner 3rd Heat)

1..... 2..... 3..... Time.....min.....secs.

**3.45 p.m.**—FIRST VIII's (One Mile)—

.....Loser First Heat. ....Station.

.....Loser Second Heat. ....Station.

.....Loser Third Heat. ....Station.

1..... 2..... 3..... Time.....min.....secs.

**3.50 p.m.**—FIRST VIII's (One Mile)—**HEAD OF THE RIVER**—

.....Winner First Heat. ....Station.

.....Winner Second Heat. ....Station.

.....Winner Third Heat. ....Station.

1..... 2..... 3..... Time.....min.....secs.