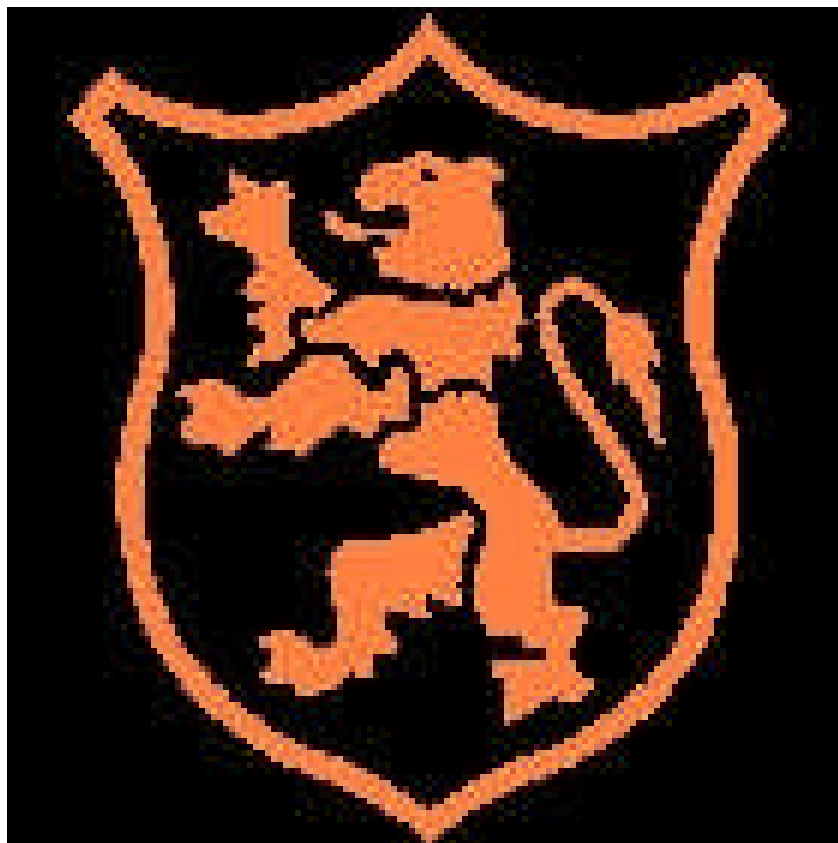


46th Annual Report

2008 Season



North Epping Rangers Sports Club Inc

ABN: 87 591 300 443

OFFICE BEARERS 2008

President	Raul Osbich
Vice President	Joe Boulos
Secretary	Neal Swancott
Treasurer	Andrew North
Public Officer	Neal Swancott
Soccer Convenor	Mark Sutherland
Netball Convenor	Barbara Brown
Women's Soccer Convenor	Elyse Osbich
Ordinary Members	Wendy Conlon
	Leanne Rolls
	Stephen Greene
GHFA Delegate	Andrew North
Tennis Coordinator	Sandra Dawson
Canteen Coordinators	Caroline Hale, Phyllis Krensel
Mini Soccer Coordinators	Helen Armson, Michael Stern
Junior Soccer Coordinator	Glen Smith
Senior Soccer Coordinator	Neal Swancott
Presentation Day Coordinator	Stephen Fry
Honorary Auditor	Stephen Greene
Club Patron	The Hon. Maxine McKew, MP for Bennelong

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NORTH EPPING SPORTS CLUB INCORPORATED

46th ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

7.30pm Tuesday, 2 December 2008
North Epping Rangers Club House
Boundary Road, North Epping

AGENDA

- 1 Apologies.
- 2 Confirmation of the minutes of the 45th Annual General Meeting held 4th December, 2007.
- 3 Business arising from the 2007 minutes.
- 4 Receipt and adoption of the Annual Reports, Balance Sheet and Statements of Receipts and Expenses.
- 5 Acceptance of written nominations and election of Office Bearers for 2009 where applicable.
- 6 Motions on Notice.
- 7 Election of Life Members & Player Life Members.
- 8 Adoption of Fees for 2009.
- 9 General Business.
- 10 Refreshments & Fellowship.



PRESIDENT'S REPORT

What a fabulous year 2008 has been for the North Epping Community! For me personally, it has been special. Firstly and foremost thank you for the great efforts of this club and the community in helping purchase a wheelchair accessible vehicle for my wife. Then this was followed by the great honour of being asked to be your president this year.

Again I stress what a year it was – with initiatives and successful new directions being pursued by the club. Many challenges were placed before the committee this year but nothing seems impossible to this group of hardworking people. I would like to thank all the committee members, families and friends who helped throughout the year. Of course, special thanks must be given to the committee's families who allow the time for the committee members to attend to all their duties and meetings.

Let me detail their efforts further. Probably the highlight this year was the tremendous efforts of Helen Armson (John De Gioia club person of the year) and Michael Stern (soccer person of the year) in promoting, starting and running the new format mini soccer called "Small Sided Game" at the newly renamed Ron Payne Park (was Wood St Oval). I was only able to attend two Saturday mornings but the joy and glee of those budding soccer stars was a delight. Over 48 young players every hour for four hours was controlled chaos (dare I say) but everybody wants more next year! Extra special thanks to Glen Smith in his efforts to get the shed working as a canteen. Also thanks to all those members who helped in the canteen and in working bees.

Barbara Brown was the new Netball convenor, whose first year appeared to run very smoothly. Our strong Netball Grand Final presence was a tribute to the dedication of our players, coaches and administrators. With the help of Wendy Conlon and Leanne Rolls, the netball section just continues to be better every year. Special mention must be made of the efforts of Helen Stibbs and Christine Wilson in producing the final "Score" netball document as seen on the website. A quick mention of the new "Diana Osbich" award for umpiring, which is an excellent way to thank the efforts of our umpires.

Mark Sutherland was the new Soccer convenor this year. Even though team selections and allocations were difficult this year, the junior section had some highly commendable performances although for the first time in a few years, NER failed to win a senior Grand Final.

Elyse Osbich, my daughter, was the new Women's Soccer convenor this year. This section was the best performed section by a landslide (if that's possible)! It must be the womanly touch. Having helped start women's soccer 6 years ago, I am biased. Nine teams competed in all grades from Under 8's right through to All Age 5. All nine teams played on Grand Final day! My personal highlight was watching my daughters' team compete in the All Age 6 Grand Final and see Sally Swancott score the golden goal winner with only 30 seconds left in extra time.

Congratulations to the new Premier League Coach, Martin Jaegers in his first year. This was a formative year with many senior players and the former coach leaving to join other teams and clubs. It was outstanding to see how many young players have come in as replacements. Unfortunately due to promotion and work commitments, Martin has had to resign as premier coach. His efforts are greatly appreciated. He will leave us knowing he was in charge when NER Premier League scored its greatest comeback - winning 4-3 after trailing 3-0 with only 20 minutes left. As I have heard, the winning goal was an outrageous attempt at goal from near halfway. I'm sure as history will retell this story, Frank Damiano's effort will be from his own goal area!

Again congratulations to the efforts of Darren Eagleson as he helped form the new Over 35s division 1 side. Even though it was a tough year, it was a promise of things to come.

As you can see all the people mentioned so far, were new to their positions if not the club. That is not to say that the other more experienced committee members were idle.



Vice president, Joe Boulos and his wife, Sue helped with the canteen at North Epping Oval as well as coaching a junior soccer team which won a premiership.

The inimitable Neal Swancott as the secretary not only played O35s this year (scoring a great swerving goal this year but not as good as his elder daughter's in the Grand Final), he coordinated Over 35 soccer (which grew to 4 teams this year), coached a women's Under 17 team and still had time to persuade the new Bennelong parliamentary member, Maxine McKew, to be our club patron.

Then there is the treasurer, Andrew North who with the aid of our sponsor, 3rdMill and Chris Bailey spent many frustrating hours building our website and allowing members to register and pay online. His labour will bear fruit in the coming years with existing and past members no longer needing to attend registration days because all can be done online. Already this year, there was one member who registered online and sent his photograph via email. The member was sitting on a beach in Barbados!

Again thank you to Sandra Dawson who managed the tennis courts. Tennis is an integral part of the club's fund raising efforts. Every member can help by finding sponsors. Thanks also to Stephen Greene, who is a committee member and the club's honorary auditor.

I hope I have done justice in a small way to the efforts of the committee members. Of course a huge thank you must be given to all those people, parents and friends who gave their time voluntarily to be coaches and managers for all the teams.

The final highlight was the fun of the Annual Presentation Day. Estimates put the crowd at over one thousand. If it keeps growing at this rate, the spectacle will have to move to a bigger venue. Thanks to Tony Galluzzo from Galluzzo's Fine Foods for sponsoring the fireworks. Our guests and members have all been thrilled and complimentary about the fun and spirit enjoyed by all involved that day.

In team sports having fun and striving towards common goals (not necessarily winning) has shown why this club and community is the greatest! I will conclude with two quotes. The first from arguably the best women soccer player, Mia Hamm:

"I am a member of a team, and I rely on the team, I defer to it and sacrifice for it, because the team, not the individual, is the ultimate champion."

The other (from a soccer traditional and I'm sure my wife feels this suits me), Bill Shankly: "Some people say soccer's a matter of life or death, but it isn't. It's much more important than that."

RAUL OSBICH, President



SECRETARY'S REPORT

North Epping Rangers capped off an excellent season with a spectacular Presentation Day on 20 September, 2008. Despite the day falling on the hottest Spring day for 110 years, the traditional march from the corner of Malton and Norfolk Roads was at its colorful best.

Our mini and junior soccer and netball players ran riot at North Epping Oval, enjoying the four carnival rides provided for the occasion, face painting, gelato, ice cream, NER tattoos, fairy floss and (courtesy of Bendigo Bank) a sausage sizzle. Tony Galluzzo, a club life member and proprietor of Galluzzo's fine foods at North Epping, donated the fireworks display which lit the sky and shook the suburb at 7.00pm. Locals estimate more than 1000 people watched the event from North Epping Oval.

Club Patron, Maxine McKew (MP for Bennelong) presented the John De Gioia Trophy for "Clubperson of the Year" to Helen Armson, our mini soccer coordinator. Helen played a major role in organizing the introduction of the new mini soccer "small sided games" format at Ron Payne Oval, and was also a key figure in ensuring Presentation Day activities were so successful. Joe Calvi, Competition Secretary for North Western Sydney Women's Soccer, and Stephen Colquhoun, representing GHFA, also made presentations.

Note: The John De Gioia trophy is named after the founder of the club. In 1962, John was asked by the Hornsby District Soccer Association to start a soccer club in North Epping. John agreed, having played in the Gladesville area before moving to North Epping. He rounded up enough boys – aged from 7 to nearly 9 – to form a team. The Association agreed to register the team in the Under 8 competition, although some of the boys were technically too old. Nobody thought they would win (except John). They did – but were unable to collect the trophy. (The boys were awarded pennants). The following year John was able to form three teams, with Evan Baker coaching with help from other fathers (including Don Allan, Doug Lewis and Alec Ralston) and the club was officially launched. Our first President was Geoff Lee – who persuaded Scotland's Glasgow Rangers to allow us to use the logo – the rampant lion – that we still use today. (Information supplied by Mrs De Gioia)

Other major awards to distinguished volunteers supporting the club in 2008 were:

- SOCCER section person of the year – Michael Stern.
- NETBALL section person of the year – Wendy Conlon
- WOMEN'S Soccer person of the year – Bernadette McGuire

Each year, the Club President's shield is awarded to the highest goal scoring team in each section. In 2008, the winners were:

- SOCCER SECTION - Under 11/6 – Grand final winners (scoring 40 goals)
- WOMEN'S SOCCER - Under 17/1 (scoring 65 goals)
- NETBALL SECTION - C4 (with an average of more than 22 goals a game).

Women's soccer continues to grow in North Epping, and in 2008, for the first time we had all nine of our women's team playing on Grand Final day.

NEAL SWANCOTT, Secretary



FOOTBALL REPORT

2008 Achievements:

Congratulations to the 9/2s, 11/2s, 11/5s and 11/6s who all won their Grand Finals. Scores were 1/0, 1/0, 1/0, 1,0 consecutively.

Also congratulations to the Women's All Age 6 who won their grand final and our Under 15 and Under 18 teams who won their pennant finals.

Of our 19 Junior and Mens teams, 9 teams finished in the top four. A great result.

Three teams finished as Premiers 9/2, 11/6 and 12/3. Our 11/2, 11/5 and 35/7 teams finished second. Our 15/2 and AA13 finished 3rd. Our 14/2 finished 4th

With the women's teams, all three All Age teams are in the top 4: AA9 ran 2nd, AA6 ran 3rd and AA5 sneaked into 4th spot on goal difference.

Our best junior girls team was Under 16/2, which finished 2nd.

Senior men's football:

The Premier League squad set the standard for Senior Rangers' presentation nights with a formal dinner in the style of a Brownlow Medal night held at the Epping RSL. Players and partners took the opportunity to suit-up and frock-up for the special night. The three MVP award recipients each received a gold long stemmed cup and each of the squad members was responsible for ensuring the cups were never empty for the night. Special guests Andrew North, Neal Swancott and Raul Osbich presented the awards:

- Squad MVP - Andy Poyser
- First Grade MVP - Josh van der Heiden
- Reserve Grade MVP:- Drew Adcock

All Age and Over 35:

- All Age Division 13, Best and Fairest - RYAN DOYLE
- All Age Division 15, Best and Fairest - GARETH CHANDLER
- All Age Division 17, Best and Fairest - JAMES CARRICK
- Under 18/19 Division 1, Coach's Award, - LAWRENCE REPKO
- Under 18/19 Division 1, Best and Fairest, JOSHUA GREEN
- Over 35/7, Best and Fairest – MICHAEL DICKSON
- Over 35/8, Best and Fairest - JEREMY CAMPBELL
- Over 35/8, Players' Award - BRENDON DRAKE
- Over 35/9, Players' Player - WARREN JOSLIN

Senior women's football:

- All Age Division 5 (Grand Finalists) - Best and Fairest: LUCY HOLLOWAY
- All Age Division 5 (Grand Finalists) -Coach's Award: ROSALIND SKINNER
- All Age Division 6 (Champions) - Coach's Award (MVP): AMY HUNGERFORD
- All Age Division 6 (Champions) - Golden Boot: SALLY SWANCOTT
- All Age Division 9 (Grand Finalists) – Players' Player: DEB SUNARTHA



- All Age Division 9 (Grand Finalists) - Coach's Award: SARAH McLEAN
- Under 18/1 (Pennant Finalists) - Coach's /Manager's Encouragement Award: NIKKI McLEOD
- Under 18/1 (Pennant Finalists) - Player's MVP: SAMANTHA HALE

Junior women's soccer:

- Under 13/1 (Pennant Finalists) - Coach's Award: AMY ROOS
- Under 13/1 (Pennant Finalists) - Best and Fairest: HOLLY MUSGRAVE
- Under 15/1 (Pennant Finalists) - Best and Fairest: ELLEN RUSSELL
- Under 15/1 (Pennant Finalists) - Most Improved: RENEE MILES
- Under 16/2 (Grand Finalists) - Coach's Award: NARIAN NOORY
- Under 16/2 (Grand Finalists) - Best and Fairest: JENNIFER GOODWIN
- Under 17/1 (Pennant Finalists) - Coach's Award: REBECCA ROLLS
- Under 17/1 (Pennant Finalists) - Best and Fairest: SARAH CARMAN
- Under 17/1 (Pennant Finalists) - Golden Boot: EMILY ("MACCA") McCARTNEY

Junior GHFA soccer:

- Under 9 Division 2 - Best & Fairest, Will McLachlan; Most Improved, Kaden Thornton
- Under 9 Division 4 - Best & Fairest ,Charlotte McLean; Most Improved, :Joshua Toll
- Under 9 Division 7 - Best & Fairest, Zachary Cai; Most Improved, Matthew Sapsford
- Under 10 Division 3 - Best & Fairest, James Tugwell ; Most Improved/Coaches Award: Daniel Madden
- Under 11 Division 2 - Best & Fairest, Eric Borbely; Most Improved, Harry McAuley
- Under 11 Division 5 - Best & Fairest, Sarah Carr; Most Improved, Samir Sharma
- Under 12 Division 3 - Best & Fairest, Tom Russell; Most Improved, Hugh Stubbs
- Under 13 Division 4 - Best & Fairest, Rik Dutta; Most Improved, Benjamin Lim
- Under 14 Division 2- Best & Fairest, David Burdis; Coach's Award: Eu-kin Lek
- Under 15 Division 2 - Best & Fairest, Ryan Chau ;Coach's Award, Mitchell Gerdes.

MINI SOCCER REPORT

It was a challenging start to the 2008 season for the North Epping Rangers mini soccer with the introduction of small sided games for the U6's and U7's. As Convenors we devoured as much information as possible before the start of the season to try to ensure a smooth transition from the old 6 a side competition to 4 a side for Under 6's and 5 a side for Under 7's on smaller fields with much smaller goals.

121 children registered in February and were sorted into 7 x Under 6's, 5 x Under 7's, 3 Under 8 mixed teams and 1 U8 women's team, who played in the Women's Sunday Competition, a first for the club! As in previous years we tried to keep former teams together where possible and then sorted children based on their friendship groups and individual requests.



Mini soccer is a team sport in a non-competitive environment. At such a young age it is exciting to attempt to kick and chase the ball and score goals and with the introduction of the smaller fields it encourages more touches on the ball, which hopefully leads to more enjoyment for the children.

The biggest challenge was the implementation of co-operative training sessions. We had 5 teams training on a Tuesday afternoon and 7 teams training on a Wednesday evening. The format that was introduced was based on the FFA's guidelines set out in their Small Sided Games Handbook and we thank Tim Thorne, Development Officer with Gladesville Hornsby Football Association for his invaluable expertise and advice. Stations were set up around the oval with the aim of developing skills in dribbling, passing, shooting, juggling and ball control. The children spent between 5 and 10 minutes at each station and then moved onto the next one keeping them interested and challenged. It did involve a lot of parent involvement and we learnt some valuable lessons and hope to improve on them next season. Thanks to Ryan Swilks and Amy Joslin who assisted each week at training as part of their community service in achieving their Duke of Edinburgh Award.

Thank you to the mums and dads who volunteered for the team supervisor roles and assisted at training. We hope you enjoyed the season and will assist again next year. Volunteers play a vital role in the continuation of the club and starting at the grass roots level is a great time to learn the game. Even a very small part like learning 1 skill and then teaching that each week at one of the training stations can make such a difference. It is also incredibly rewarding to watch children improve and see their joy at achieving something!

A special thank you to Caroline Hale and Phyllis Krensel who again co-managed the Wood St BBQ this year. Saturday canteen duties were made a little easier with the portable shed and we are grateful to Hornsby Council plus Glen Smith and the other committee members who were involved in the set up of this, along with those volunteers who shovelled the wood chips at the end of the season to return the oval to its former state.

Thank you to each of the mini teams this year who took their turns on the BBQ and also thanks to the U8 parents and OLHC teams who were involved in the setting up of the goals each Saturday at Ron Payne Park this season. Finally thanks again to Jacqui and Josh Pitcher who updated the price lists and signs for the season.

As usual Presentation day was a highlight for the children and North Epping community as a whole. It was pleasing to see the huge effort put into the banners for the parade and the "glimmering" trophies were apparently big hits with the children, along with the spectacular rides and fireworks.

It has been another rewarding year to share the responsibilities involved with co-ordinating the mini teams and liaising with the volunteer parents. We look forward to another great year in 2009 and hope those of you reading this will consider putting your hand up next season to share the work load.

HELEN ARMSON and MICHAEL STERN

NETBALL REPORT

I remember Wendy Conlon calling me late last year, asking if I would be willing to take on the role of North Epping Rangers Netball Convenor. I had not played netball since I was in high school, and felt the position would be better suited to someone with more knowledge of the game. But with my daughter's encouragement I decided to give the job a go. This year has been a huge learning curve for me, but I have enjoyed the challenge and have made lots of new friends in the North Epping community.

This year, 182 players represented North Epping Rangers in the Hills District Netball Association. They made up 24 teams in the competition, and we had a record five Netta teams in the under 8 & 9 year old age group. By the semi final round, we still had six teams in the competition. The U11/3s team was eliminated in the first week of the semis, but the other 5 teams all went through to represent NER in the Grand Finals. While the U10/2s and Senior C4 teams played strongly, they finished runners up on the day. The U13/4s (team 13), the



U14/4s and the Senior C1 teams went on to be Grand Final winners in their divisions. Congratulations to all these teams for their dedication throughout the season.

One of the most anticipated days on the NER calendar is Presentation Day. On 20th September the teams once again gathered to march down to North Epping Oval. Our club patron, Maxine McKew was there and presented the best netball banner award to the Under 8 team (22) managed by Sharon McKerrell. Presentation Day is also the occasion when NER Netball awards its perpetual trophies to those teams & individuals who have made an outstanding contribution to their sport during the season. The 2008 winners were:

➤ **Kareen Healy Sportsmanship Award:** **U10/2**

This team started the year with three girls who had never played netball before. Under Lisa Powell's coaching, they trained hard and took on extra fitness training sessions. They scraped into the semi-finals in fourth position on percentage points, but played their way to the Grand Final round. The team was always able to lend players to the injury stricken U11/3s when they needed substitute players. They are worthy winners of this sportsmanship award.

➤ **Joseph Tam Spirit of Netball:** **U13/4 (team14)**

This award was presented to a team that counts success not by how many games it won, but by how much it improved in ability and skill during the season. The U13/4s team was made up of players in years six, seven and eight at school and was trained by first time coach Denise Smith. Denise was always so positive and upbeat about her team, and by all accounts, they had lots of fun.

➤ **President's Shield:** **Senior C1**

The C1 team is a team that takes netball seriously. They finished the season with a total of 508 goals, and for this they were awarded the President's Shield.

➤ **Pauline Elliot Encouragement Award:** **U14/2 (team 9)**

This is awarded to the team with the highest goal score for the season that did not go on to the semi final round. The U14/2's shot an impressive 316 goals this season, which equates to a goal average of 22.5 goals per game.

➤ **Bev Francis Club Person:** **Wendy Conlon**

As Netball Convenor for the last 3 years, Wendy's help during the 2008 season has been invaluable to me. She always found time to give me her practical advice and was always there when I needed a hand. I couldn't have done it without her.

➤ **Diana Osbich Umpiring Achievement Trophy:** **Caitlin Dawson**

This is a new trophy introduced to reward an umpire who has shown either resilience, enthusiasm or gained high achievement in the umpiring arena. Caitlin had a trying year, but never gave up and we hope she continues umpiring again next year.

Lynne Rosendale and Leanne Rolls will be standing down as Umpire Convenors this year and I will be sorry to lose their expertise. Under their guidance in 2008, four umpires received their Encouragement Badges, one received her Hills Badge and two are currently in the process of gaining their State C Badges.

I hope that the depth of NER umpiring will continue to grow in the coming years. We had little trouble finding umpires for our teams, and I would like to thank those who did an exceptional job throughout the season. Thanks also needs to go to those who happily volunteered to umpire one or two extra matches in a day to cover for absences, and to the umpire "coaches", who gave up their time to train our new umpires. Our Le Tan



sponsored jackets continued to be a success this year, both for their warmth and for making our umpires easily recognisable around the courts.

I remember being in the Clubhouse on the first registration day feeling like I should be wearing an L Plate. I was dreading being asked a lot of difficult questions. But I soon realised that I had a great team to back me up. So in addition to Wendy, the special people I would like to thank are:

- Leanne Rolls & Lynne Rosendale, who have shared the mysteries of netball umpiring with me
- Chris Wilson for her tireless efforts as Secretary, keeping the paperwork under control and everyone informed.
- Jenny Cole as Gear Steward who again took on the thankless job of organising & distributing clothing and equipment
- Sue Boulos as Netball Treasurer
- Jo Muir and Yong Lek as HNDA representatives
- Jennene Mallet for taking on the role of Grading Convenor
- Paul Dodderidge and Helen Stibbs for assistance with the web site
- And to Vanessa Davey for being available to lend a hand when needed.

Thanks also to all those who took on the roles of netball coaches and managers this year. I know it can be difficult to coach your daughter's netball team, but I do hope your daughters have come to appreciate your help as much as I do.

An initiative for 2008 was to compile an end of season summary of the netball year in the form of The Score. Each team was asked to submit a photo & information about their players. Chris Wilson was the driving force behind this, and I want to thank her for a magnificent effort in collating all the information. For those who have not seen it, The Score is now available to be downloaded from the NER Netball website. Thanks also needs to go to Helen Stibbs for loading The Score onto the website.

Finally, I would like to congratulate our NER players who were selected for Hills representative teams for 2009: Georgine McDaniel, Nithya Bangalore, Emma Horsley, Kara Talty, Eu-Anne Lek and Rebecca Muir. It is a great opportunity to improve your netball skills. Well done.

With the next NER Netball season already being discussed, I am hoping for another successful year for our players and umpires. I hope to see you all back again in 2009.

BARBARA BROWN, Netball Convenor





TREASURER'S REPORT

The 2008 season marked the second year of North Epping Rangers' electronic payment and registration system and the first year of Compman, the GHFA player registration system. Some clubs in the association attempted to use Compman as the primary registration system for their clubs and found it extremely difficult. Fortunately for NER we maintained two separate systems. We look forward to 2009 season to see what new technology may be waiting for us. NER will in any case continue developing and improving its on-line registration system.

Net trading position for the year October 2007 to September 2008 is positive at just over \$6,000 (2007 \$24,000). This represents a decrease of 75%.

NER Association fees for 2008

NER removed the family contribution levy and imposed an additional fee for late registrations. Both of these changes were considered a success and will be continued. A comparative study has been made between NER 2007 soccer fees and those of West Ryde Rovers, Gladesville Ravens, and All Saints Hunters Hill. The findings have shown NER is on average \$20 per player lower than all three clubs as at last season. NER is well advised to consider making up this gap in the 2009 season to preserve revenue during what may be a difficult economic climate.

GHFA revenue

- GHFA revenue for 2008 increased by \$14,000 or 28%
- GHFA expenses for 2008 increased by \$7,000 or 18%
- GHFA net revenue for 2008 increased by \$7,000 or 64%

NWSWS revenue

- NWSWS revenue for 2008 decreased by \$1000 or 6%
- NWSWS expenses for 2008 decreased by \$500 or 4%
- NWSWS net revenue for 2008 remained stable

HDNA revenue

- HDNA revenue for 2008 increased by \$600 or 2%
- HDNA expenses for 2008 decreased by \$500 or 4%
- HDNA net revenue for 2008 increased by \$1000 or 10%

What does NER have to pay GHFA ? Proposed GHFA Association fees for 2009

GHFA proposed fees (what it charges NER to compete) for 2009 are represented below with component parts shown separately. All figures are average from junior to senior unless otherwise stated:-

- Football NSW Capitation - average \$10
- Football Australia Levy -average \$14
- Hospitals Donation - \$1



- Referees Linespersons Fees -average \$26
- GHFA Admin., Ground Hire, Registration and Competition Costs - average \$43
- Spirit Contribution - \$5
- Insurance - average \$27

Total average \$126 per player

Notes:-

- FNSW Capitation & FFA Levy has increased 4% from 2008
- Referees Fees have increased by between \$1 and \$2 from 2008
- Ground Hire - Increase approx. 4%
- Spirit Contribution is to assist with the Representative teams of the Association and has not increased
- There is an amount of \$1 on all fees for a charity donation to both Ryde and Hornsby Hospitals. (Note: All fees are estimated on number of players per age group in 2008).

Tennis

Net revenue to NER (income less expenses) decreased \$2700 from \$5,300. This is largely due to expenses in refurbishing the court surfaces. Costs in regard to resurfacing was supported by a Hornsby Council grant.

Canteen (clubhouse and Ron Payne Oval)

The accounts for the two canteen venues have been combined. Ron Payne Oval significantly increased turnover and expense due to commencement of small sided games and deployment of a demountable canteen facility. The initiative has been a resounding success for the club and will be continued in 2009. GHFA have paid 50% of all costs in relation to the demountable facility. The performance of the steam roller park clubhouse canteen has been extremely poor compared to previous years, hence the expected increase to net revenue from the Ron Payne increased activity has not followed through to a significant increase in profit. The cost of the demountable facility (50%) has been deducted in the expenses section and is therefore included as part of net revenue.

- Canteen revenue for 2008 increased \$7,000 or 75%
- Canteen expense for 2008 increased \$4000 or 57% (including shed hire)
- Canteen net revenue for 2008 increased \$2,000 or 67%

Fundraising

Fund raising for 2008 has largely been unsuccessful, with a few notable exceptions. For 2007 \$16,000 was raised between the trivia night and the sponsorship of Le Tan. For 2008 sponsorships were received for Pedro's pizza \$1200, Galluzzo's Fine Foods \$700 (fireworks) and Kraft Foods \$1000. Bendigo Bank continue to sponsor the club and rebates to the value of \$500 on bank fees have been received. Interest received from term deposits increased by \$1500 or 78%.



Expenses

- GHFA Soccer uniforms expense increased \$5,000 or up 176%
- NWSWS Soccer uniforms decreased to \$2600 or down 80%
- HDNA netball uniforms increased by \$1000 or up 62%
- GHFA Soccer equipment and soccer balls increased by \$5,000 or up 200%. This increase was evenly spread between Premier league training equipment and increased cost of soccer balls.
- Presentation day trophies increased by \$500 or up 12%
- GHFA soccer fines increased \$1600. The majority were incurred during the round robin play off period where significant fines are imposed for match forfeits.
- Presentation day net cost (revenue less expenses) increased by \$2000 or up 228%

ANDREW NORTH, Treasurer

NER Tennis Report

Highlights

- Courts re-surfaced with grant from Hornsby Council
- New Tennis Nets to be fitted after grant from Hornsby Council
- Grant application in process for new tennis court fencing. Hornsby Council approval 50%, now awaiting NSW Sport & Recreation grant approval for remaining 50%.

General

- Courts available to all community members
- Coaching clinic business now operated by Paul Conroy

SANDRA DAWSON, Tennis Co-ordinator



**NORTH EPPING RANGERS SPORTS CLUB INC.
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE HISTORY 1963 – 2008**

YEAR	PRESIDENT	VICE-PRESIDENT	SECRETARY	TREASURER
1963	D. Lewis		A. Ralston	C. Doyle
1964	D. Lewis		A. Ralston	C. Doyle
1965	D. Allen		A. Ralston	T. Thom
1966	D. Allen		D. Aspinall	D. Wallace
1967	G. Lee		D. Aspinall	R. Goodwin
1968-1970				
1971	John Cameron		Daphne Baker	Murray Moore
1972	John Cameron		Daphne Baker	M. Little
1973	Laurie Drake		Neil Austin	Clem Cawley
1974	Laurie Drake		Daphne Baker	Clem Cawley
1975	Lawrie Lynagh		M. Brereton	B. Knowles
1976	Lawrie Lynagh		M. Brereton	W. Tucker
1977	Lawrie Lynagh		M. Brereton	B. Fletcher
1978	Lawrie Lynagh		John Younie	Kel Dunn
1979	Clare Saunders		John Younie	Kel Dunn
1980	Clare Saunders		John Younie	C. Hackett
1981	John Eagleson		John Younie	Ken Bruce
1982	John Eagleson		John Younie	Ken Bruce
1983	John Eagleson		Henry Lunie	John Taylor
1984	Tony Wright		John Younie	John Taylor
1985	Jim Forrest		Helen Medhurst	John Taylor
1986	Jim Forrest		Helen Medhurst	John Taylor
1987	Jim Forrest		Helen Medhurst	John Taylor
1988	Jim Forrest		Nora Bodkin	John Taylor
1989	Jim Forrest		Nora Bodkin	John Taylor
1990	Jeff Tarrant		Shona Tarrant	John Taylor
1991	Jeff Tarrant		Shona Tarrant	John Taylor
1992	Jeff Tarrant		Shona Tarrant	John Taylor
1993	Jeff Tarrant		Shona Tarrant	John Taylor
1994	Des Hennessy		Janine Slimmon	John Taylor
1995	Gordon Slimmon	Graham Roberts	Carole Saunders	Mark Eagleson
1996	Gordon Slimmon	Steve Colquhoun	Carole Saunders	Mark Eagleson
1997	Steve Colquhoun	Tony Galluzzo	Ross Wraith	Mark Eagleson
1998	Steve Colquhoun	Tony Galluzzo	G. Slimmon	Ross Wraith
1999	Steve Colquhoun	Tony Galluzzo	Gail Delucia	Ross Wraith
2000	Steve Colquhoun	Tony Galluzzo	M. Mallison	Ross Wraith
2001	Steve Colquhoun	Tony Galluzzo	M. Mallison	Dharam Chetty
2002	Steve Colquhoun	Tony Galluzzo	Brad Mitchell	Peter Winsor
2003	Tony Dagger	Alfie Gullotto	Brad Mitchell	Helen Chapman
2004	Tony Dagger	Neal Swancott	Stephen Fry	Steve Colquhoun
2005	Steve Colquhoun	Raul Osbich	Stephen Fry	Peter Wicks
2006	Steve Colquhoun	Raul Osbich	Neal Swancott	John Eagleson
2007	Steve Colquhoun	Joe Boulos	Neal Swancott	Andrew North
2008	Raul Osbich	Joe Boulos	Neal Swancott	Andrew North



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SECTION CONVENORS 1985 – 2006

YEAR	SOCCER	NETBALL	WOMEN'S SOCCER	TENNIS
1985-1993				Bev Taylor
1994	Gordon Slimmon	Sue Skinner		Bev Taylor
1995	Steve Colquhoun	Sue Skinner		Di Hill
1996	Steve Colquhoun	Gail Delucia		Di Hill
1997	Steve Colquhoun	Gail Delucia		Joanne Colquhoun
1998	Steve Colquhoun	Gail Delucia		Joanne Colquhoun
1999	Glen Gallagher	Marianne Mallison		Joanne Colquhoun
2000	Glen Gallagher	Kylie Ellis		Janelle Wraith
2001	Neal Swancott	Kylie Ellis		Janelle Wraith
2002	Neal Swancott	Kylie Ellis		Janelle Wraith
2003	Neal Swancott	Garry Josling		Dee Horrocks
2004	Brad Mitchell	Garry Josling	Raul Osbich	Dee Horrocks
2005	Jamie McNaughton	Wendy Conlon	Neal Swancott	Dee Horrocks
2006	Steve Colquhoun	Wendy Conlon	Darren Eagleson	Sandra Dawson
2007	Joe Boulos	Wendy Conlon	Darren Eagleson	Sandra Dawson
2008	Mark Sutherland	Barbara Brown	Elyse Osbich	Sandra Dawson



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HONOUR ROLL

1. LIFE MEMBERS (For exemplary service to the Club)

* Indicates Deceased

John DeGoia*	1971
Doug Lewis, Daphne Baker*	1972
Irene Tray	1974
Evan Baker, Belle Russell	1975
Laurie Lynagh*, Ted Sherwood	1976
Joan Savage, Paul Savage	1977
Kel Dunn, Claire Saunders*	1978
Alan Fisk	1979
John Eagleson	1982
Bev Taylor	1983
Jim Forrest	1986
John Taylor	1988
Fay Cameron	1989
Mark Payne, Shona Tarrant, Jeff Tarrant	1990
Ron Payne*	1992
Des Hennessy	1994
Steve Colquhoun	2001
Tony Galluzzo	2003
Mark Eagleson	2004
Neal Swancott	2005
Lynne Rosendale, Wendy Conlon	2007

2. PLAYER LIFE MEMBERS (25 years playing service to the Club)

Gary Jubelin, Daryl Cameron	1997
Darren Eagleson	1998
Glen Smith	1999
Phil Beacom, Peter Wicks	2000
Craig Eagleson, Greg Eagleson	2001
Jim Tanswell, Scott Reid	2002
Grant Reid	2003
Sean Wollaston	2007

